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Energy Sector Engagement

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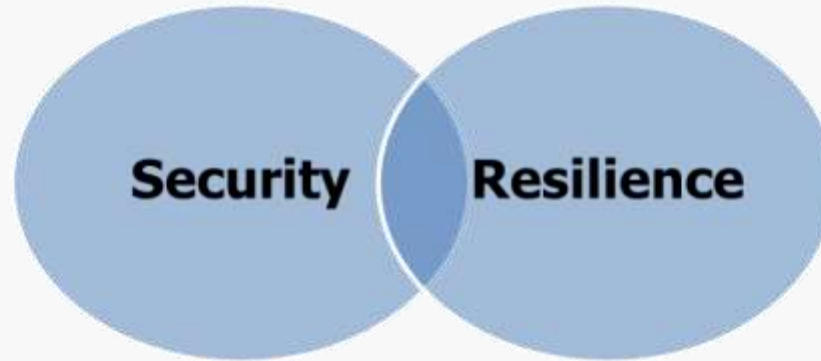
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- Mission: To lead the national effort to mitigate risks to, strengthen the protection of, and enhance the all-hazard resilience of critical infrastructure
- IP builds partnerships across the critical infrastructure domain, leads related preparedness activities, and serves as an information-sharing conduit between the private sector and public entities



Core Capabilities

- Partnership and Capacity Building
 - Sector Partnerships
- Assessments
 - Protective Security Advisors; Regional Resiliency Assessment Program (RRAPs)
- Information and Data Sharing
- Situational Awareness
 - National Infrastructure Coordinating Center (NICC)
- Regulatory Compliance



Partnerships: Sector Governance

Table 1 – Sector and Cross-Sector Coordinating Structures

Critical Infrastructure Sector	Sector-Specific Agency	Critical Infrastructure Partnership Advisory Council		
		Sector Coordinating Councils (SCCs)	Government Coordinating Councils (GCCs)	Regional Consortia
Chemical	Department of Homeland Security	✓	✓	
Commercial Facilities ⁱ		✓	✓	
Communications ⁱ		✓	✓	
Critical Manufacturing		✓	✓	
Dams		✓	✓	
Emergency Services ⁱ		✓	✓	
Information Technology ⁱ		✓	✓	
Nuclear Reactors, Materials & Waste		✓	✓	
Food & Agriculture	Department of Agriculture, Department of Health and Human Services	✓	✓	
Defense Industrial Base ⁱ	Department of Defense	✓	✓	
Energy ⁱ	Department of Energy	✓	✓	
Healthcare & Public Health ⁱ	Department of Health and Human Services	✓	✓	
Financial Services ⁱ	Department of the Treasury	Uses separate coordinating entity	✓	
Water & Wastewater Systems ⁱ	Environmental Protection Agency	✓	✓	
Government Facilities	Department of Homeland Security, General Services Administration	Sector does not have an SCC	✓	
Transportation Systems ⁱ	Department of Homeland Security, Department of Transportation	Various SCCs are broken down by transportation mode or subsector.	✓	

ⁱ Indicates that a sector (or a subsector within the sector) has a designated information-sharing organization.

Overview

- The national critical infrastructure model is built on the 16 sectors laid out in PPD 21
- Most sectors have Sector Coordinating Councils (SCCs) and Government Coordinating Councils
 - SCCs are self organized and self governed
 - Over 1,000 private organizations participate in SCCs
- Many sectors also have Information Sharing Analysis Organizations which work with the GCCs and SCCs



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Sector-Specific Agencies



- SSAs:
 - Facilitate the public-private partnership across critical infrastructure sectors
 - Develop strategic goals to mitigate risk and improve resilience
 - Provide and promote education, training, information sharing, and outreach support
 - Shape sector-specific goals that address physical, human, and cybersecurity risks and drive security and resilience activities and programs
 - Provide, support, and facilitate technical assistance and consultations to identify vulnerabilities and assist in mitigating incidents
 - Implement the NIPP 2013 framework and guidance tailored to respective sectors
 - Develop sector-specific plans with public and private sector partners



Protective Security Advisors

- Protective Security Advisors (PSAs) are field-deployed personnel who serve as critical infrastructure security specialists
- State, local, tribal, and territorial (SLTT) and private sector link to DHS infrastructure protection resources
 - Coordinate vulnerability assessments, training, and other DHS products and services
 - Provide a vital link for information sharing in steady state and incident response
 - Assist facility owners and operators with obtaining security clearances
- During contingency events, PSAs support the response, recovery, and reconstitution efforts of the States by serving as pre-designated Infrastructure Liaisons (IL) and Deputy ILs at the Joint Field Offices



PSA Mission Areas

- Surveys and Assessments
 - Nationally significant infrastructure
- Outreach
 - Shopping Mall Initiative, Energy Sector Sub-station Outreach
- Special Event Support
 - Presidential Inaugurations, NFL Super Bowls, Boston Marathon
- Incident Response
 - Super Storm Sandy, Colorado Flooding, California Wildfires
- Risk Mitigation Training
 - Counter-IED Awareness and Risk Mitigation Training



Regional Resiliency Assessment Program

- The Regional Resiliency Assessment Program (RRAP) began in 2009 as a pilot program out of efforts to assess security of individual critical assets
- The goal is to identify opportunities for regional homeland security officials and critical infrastructure partners to strengthen resilience to all hazards
- The RRAP process identifies critical infrastructure security and resilience gaps; dependencies; interdependencies; cascading effects; and SLTT government capability gaps



Energy-Related RRAP Projects



Courtesy of DHS

- Energy-related RRAP projects often involve State officials responsible for energy assurance planning
- IP welcomes further engagement with NASEO in support of RRAP projects
- FY16 and FY17 energy-related RRAP projects
 - FY 2016 NY State Fuels
 - FY 2016 TN Fuels
 - FY 2016 GOM Petroleum
 - FY 2016 Region I Electric
 - FY 2017 NV Electric



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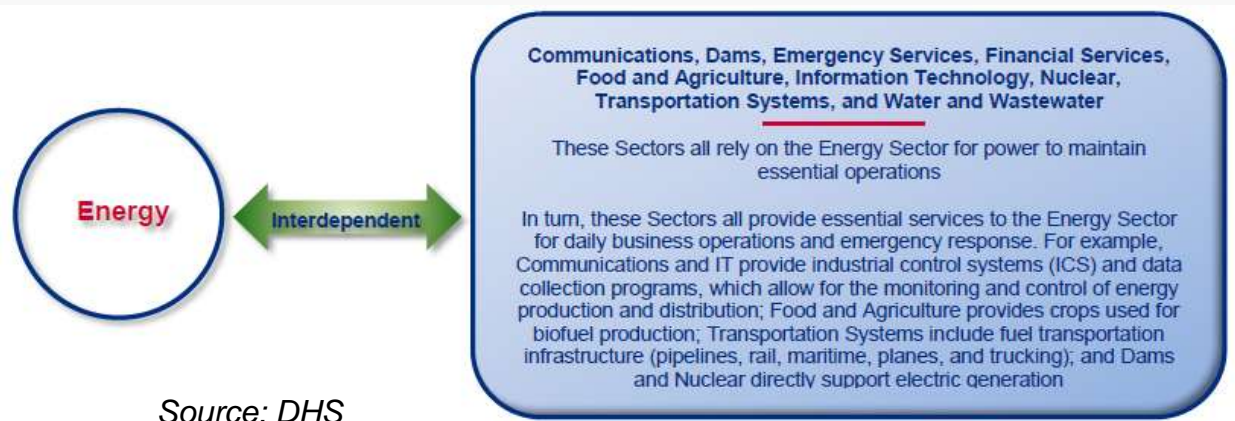
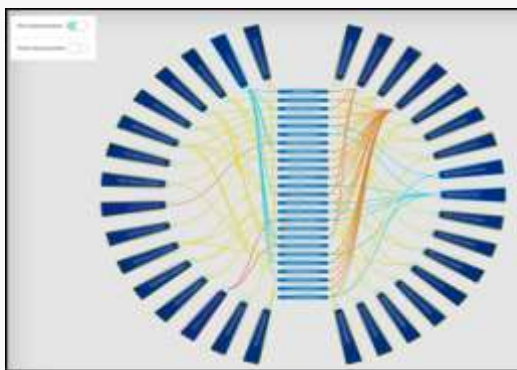
Infrastructure Survey Tool

- The Infrastructure Survey Tool (IST) is a web-based vulnerability survey tool that applies weighted scores to identify infrastructure vulnerabilities and trends across sectors
- Facilitates the consistent collection of security information
- Generates the Protective Measures Index and Resilience Measurement Index
- IST allows DHS and facility owners and operators to:
 - Identify security gaps
 - Compare a facility's security in relation to similar facilities
 - Track progress toward improving critical infrastructure security



Dependency Survey Tool

- Dependency Analysis Capability provides an understanding of critical lifeline sector relationships
- Supports public and private sector stakeholders in their disaster planning and decision-making processes
- Supports fundamentals defined in PPD-21, PPD-8: National Preparedness Goal, and National Institute of Standard and Technology (NIST) Community Resilience Planning Guide



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National Infrastructure Coordinating Center (NICC)

- Provides situational awareness, facilitates information sharing, and fosters unity of effort 24 hours a day 7 days a week
 - Establishes and maintains trusted relationships with government and private sector partners (including owners and operators)
 - Monitors status of critical infrastructure and potential risks
 - Integrates information and develops reporting products for distribution to DHS leadership and critical infrastructure partners
 - Manages and responds to requests for information and requests for assistance from Department, interagency, and private sector partners
 - Conducts contingency and crisis action planning in support of Federal preparedness, response, and recovery operations



IP Regional Enhancement: Concept

- Strengthen coordinated delivery of IP capabilities and support to existing 300 field personnel by unifying administrative, business, and mission support capabilities in 10 federal regional offices
 - Devolve outreach, exercises, analysis and training services, currently performed at headquarters to the regions
 - Enhance coordination regionally in steady state, special events and incident response
- Designate a senior official in each region responsible for execution of the overall IP mission
- Assess operational needs of stakeholders and drive requirements for national IP programs and capabilities



Benefits to Stakeholders

- Enables targeted delivery of IP services, especially in response to evolving threats
- Stronger regional presence allows for more thorough understanding of the region's risks, stakeholders, and needs and allows for delivery of services tailored to that region
- Tailored outreach and engagements to industries and sectors that are more prevalent in the region
- Shorten the response time to stakeholder requests for information and services

How Can You Help?

- Engage with PSAs on critical infrastructure protection programs and initiatives
- Encourage participation in efforts to identify, assess, and secure critical infrastructure in your community
- Enhanced security and resilience depends on developing and strengthening partnerships between all entities with a role in critical infrastructure protection





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For more information, visit:
www.dhs.gov/critical-infrastructure

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