



CYBER SECURITY

Securing Operations in a Multi-Stakeholder Environment

DEFINITION & STAKEHOLDERS

Cyber security comprises of controls (covering people, process and technology) designed to protect systems, networks and data from digital attacks.

Cyber Security is the collection of tools, policies, security concepts, security safeguards, guidelines, risk management approaches, actions, training, best practices, assurance and technologies that can be used to protect the cyber environment as well as organizations' and users' assets. It encompasses the protection of electronic systems from malicious attacks and the means by which the consequences of such attacks should be handled.

Stakeholders involved include:

- ✓ Air Traffic Control Systems
- ✓ Airport Operators
- ✓ Airport Information Systems
- ✓ Aircraft operators
- ✓ Aircraft Systems
- ✓ Airport Tenants (Cargo, Duty Free, Catering, Ground Handling, etc...)
- ✓ Aircraft Manufacturers
- ✓ System Developers
- ✓ PEOPLE INVOLVED IN ALL THE ABOVE

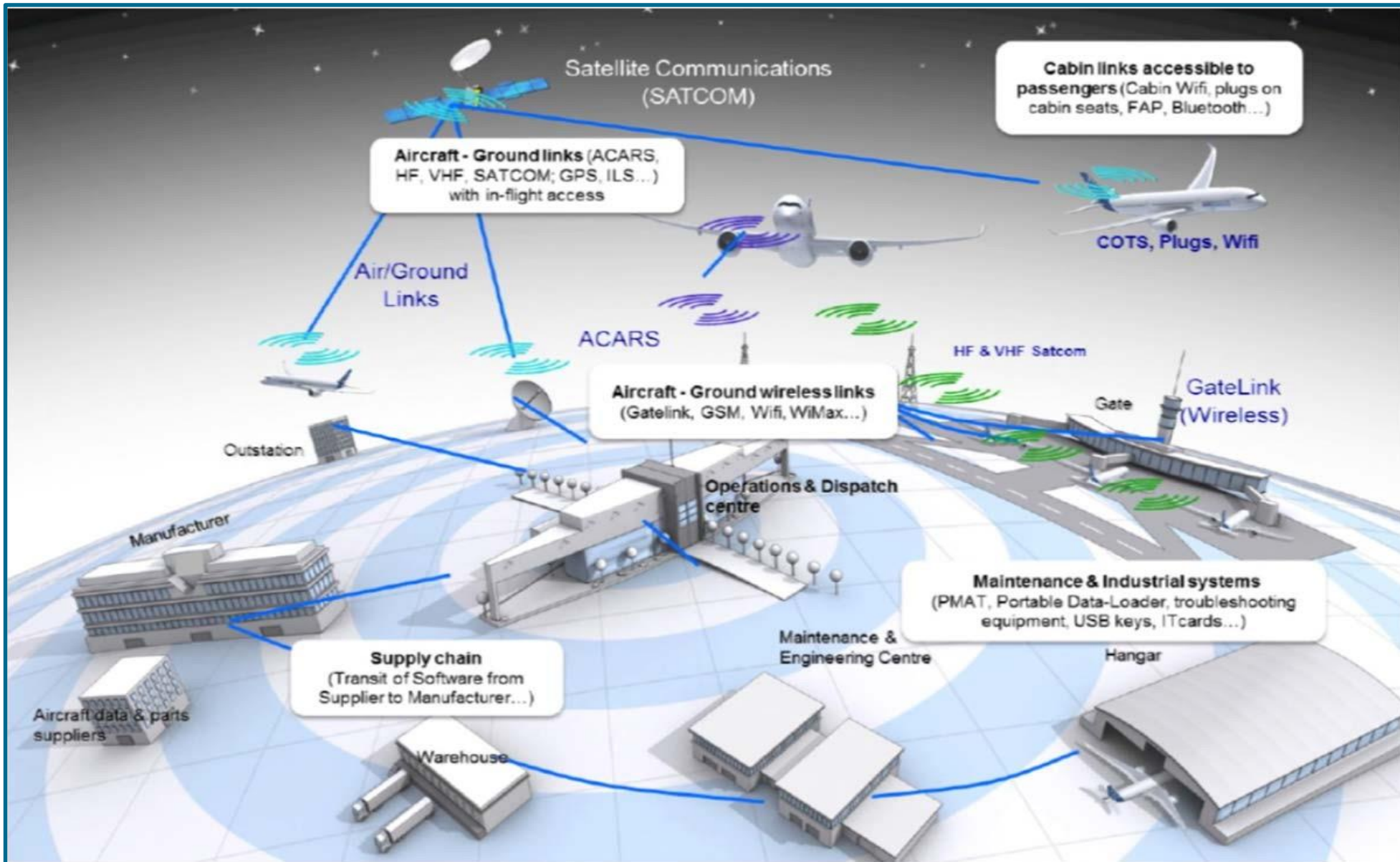




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CURRENT INFRASTRUCTURE



FUTURE INFRASTRUCTURE



IN TERMS OF SECURITY TERMINOLOGY



Threat

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CAPABILITY × INTENT



SOME EXAMPLES

FAA Hack Attack Did Not Hit Air-Traffic Control... Yet



By Greg Heffer
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Hours earlier this year attacked a Federal Aviation Administration network with malware software, agency officials said Monday.

In early February, FAA discovered "a known virus" spread via email on "its administrative computer systems," agency spokeswoman Laura Brown told *NatGeo*. "After a thorough review, the FAA did not identify any damage to agency systems," she added.

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Dozens of aircraft VANISH from air-traffic control radars sparking HACKING fears

DOZENS of aircraft VANISHED from Europe's skies in the past month, sparking fears of air-traffic control hacking attacks.

By GREG HEFFER
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Dozens of planes disappeared from radar screens

Air-traffic controllers in Austria, Germany, if planes' position, direction, height or speed

Despite the cases of vanishing aircraft on a serious danger to passengers on the aircraft

There have been suggestions the disappear attack.

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Airlines under siege from hackers

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The airline industry is under siege from cyberattacks, and lawmakers are struggling to help

In recent months, hackers have infiltrated the U.S. air traffic control system, forced airlines to ground planes and potentially stolen detailed travel records on millions of people.

Yet the industry lags on requirements to report these incidents or even adhere to specific cybersecurity standards.

"There should be a requirement for immediate reporting to the federal government," Sen. Susan Collins (R-Maine), who chairs the Appropriations subcommittee that oversees the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), told *The Hill*.

"We need to address that," agreed Sen. Bill Nelson (Fla.), the top Democrat on the Senate Commerce Committee.

Air France cyberattack: Who is the Moujahidin Team and why are they waging cyber-jihad?

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On 30 March 2015, a little-known hacking group calling itself the 'Moujahidin Team' (aka El Moujahidin) claimed credit for a cyberattack on Air France. The defacement on the website showed the group's logo and contained the message:

"I promise you O my homeland that I will remain the faithful soldier that defends your border with the blood... and to protect the trust, to deliver the message, and to keep going on the method of 'Let Algeria live, freely independent, with blood and work of its sons, Allah permitting'"

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United Airlines bug bounty program

At United, we take your safety, security and privacy seriously. We utilize best practices and are confident that our systems are secure. We are committed to protecting our customers' privacy and the personal data we receive from them, which is why we are offering a bug bounty program — the first of its kind within the airline industry. We believe that this program will further bolster our security and allow us to continue to provide excellent service. If you think you have discovered a potential security bug that affects our website, apps and/or mobile portals, please let us know. If your submission meets our requirements, we'll gladly reward you for your time and effort.

Before reporting a security bug, please review the "United Terms." By participating in the bug bounty program, you agree to comply with these terms.

What is a bug bounty program?
A bug bounty program permits independent researchers to discover and report security issues that affect the confidentiality, integrity and/or availability of customer or company information and rewards them for being the first to discover a bug.

Eligibility requirements
To ensure that submissions and payouts are fair and relevant, the following eligibility requirements and guidelines apply to all researchers submitting bug reports:

- All bugs must be new discoveries. Award miles will be provided only to the first researcher who submits a particular security bug.
- The researcher must be a MileagePlus member in good standing. If you're not yet a member, [join the MileagePlus program here](#).
- The researcher must not reside in a country currently on a United States sanctions list.
- The researcher submitting the bug must not be an employee of United Airlines, any Star Alliance™ member airline or any other partner airline, or a family member or household member of an employee of United Airlines or any partner airline.
- The researcher submits

Hackers break into Lufthansa customer database

Cyber-attackers have obtained info on a number of passengers using the Lufthansa website. The hackers used frequent-flyer miles to obtain vouchers and redeem rewards.



The attackers managed to gain access to individual passenger accounts on mileage's website Lufthansa.com, [Lufthansa.com](#) and [Lufthansa.com](#).

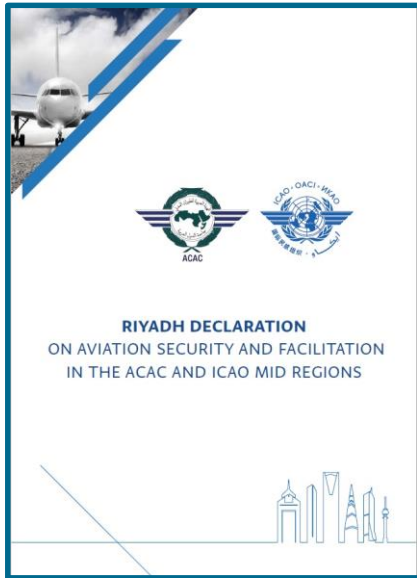
The attack has taken ground cybercriminals, but it "had not been able to prevent flight access to some customer files," according to Lufthansa representatives.

"We had to lock several hundred customer pages," a Lufthansa spokeswoman told DW news agency after widely-used German magazine *Der Spiegel* broke the story.

COLLABORATION IS KEY



GLOBAL/REGIONAL EFFORTS TO ADDRESS CYBER SECURITY



**RIYADH DECLARATION
ON AVIATION SECURITY AND FACILITATION
IN THE ACAC AND ICAO MID REGIONS**

DECLARATION ON CYBERSECURITY IN CIVIL AVIATION
DUBAI, UNITED ARAB EMIRATES
4 TO 6 APRIL 2017

We the Officials and representatives from the States and regional and international organizations listed in the Annex, participating in the summit on cyber security in civil aviation convened by the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) in Dubai, United Arab Emirates from 4 to 6 April 2017, to address challenges to aviation resulting from cyber threats:

Recalling the *Convention on the Suppression of Unlawful Acts Relating to International Civil Aviation*, and the *Protocol Supplementary to the Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts of Aircraft Done at Beijing on 10 September 2010* (Beijing Instruments);

Recalling further the ICAO Assembly Resolution A39-19: *Addressing Cybersecurity in Civil Aviation*, and the importance and urgency of protecting civil aviation's critical infrastructure systems and data against cyber threats by, inter alia:

- implementing global, regional and State-level strategies on cybersecurity in civil aviation based on a shared vision;
- increasing the resilience of the global aviation system against cyber threats that may jeopardize the safety, security and efficiency of civil aviation; and
- reaffirming the prominent role of ICAO as aviation's highest-level forum for addressing collaboratively cybersecurity in civil aviation;

Mindful of the challenges in safeguarding civil aviation against cyber threats in a demanding and continuously evolving aviation cybersecurity environment;

Noting that in many cyber incidents affecting the safety and security of civil aviation, their actors are focused on malicious intent, disruption of business continuity and theft of information for political, financial or other motivations;

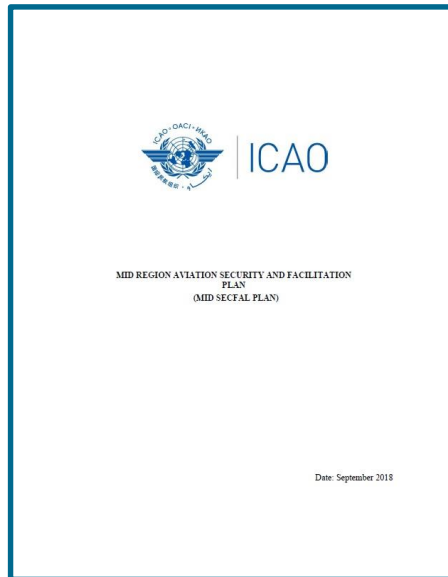
Recognizing that cyber incidents can affect critical civil aviation systems worldwide with catastrophic consequences, including the availability of information and communications technology systems, and the integrity and confidentiality of data, all of which the aviation sector is increasingly reliant on, and Considering the need to facilitate and encourage initiatives worldwide aimed at addressing cybersecurity in a collaborative, comprehensive and cross-cutting manner.



**AFRICA AND MIDDLE EAST
AVIATION SECURITY ROADMAP**

GASep: The Roadmap to foster Aviation Security in Africa and the Middle East

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**MID REGION AVIATION SECURITY AND FACILITATION
PLAN
(MID SECFAL PLAN)**

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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Agenda Item 12: Aviation Security — Policy
ICAO CYBERSECURITY STRATEGY
(Presented by the Council of ICAO)

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

This paper presents a comprehensive Cybersecurity Strategy and, to highlight its urgency and importance, includes an amended A39-19 *Addressing Cybersecurity in Civil Aviation* supporting its implementation by Member States. The Strategy is built on ICAO's vision of the global cybersecurity — that the aviation sector should be resilient to cyber-attacks and remain safe and trusted globally, whilst continuing to innovate and grow. It will need to be supported by an action plan to be developed through appropriate mechanisms. The Strategy is the outcome of deliberations in the Secretariat Study Group on Cybersecurity.

Action: The Assembly is invited to:

- adopt the proposed Assembly Resolution that supersedes Assembly Resolution A39-19 in Appendix A;
- endorse the Cybersecurity Strategy in Appendix B; and
- urge States to ratify the *Convention on the Suppression of Unlawful Acts Relating to International Civil Aviation* and *Protocol Supplementary to the Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts of Aircraft*.

Strategic Objectives: This working paper relates to the following Strategic Objectives: Capacity and Efficiency, Safety, and Security and Facilitation.

Financial implications: The activities referred to in this paper will be undertaken subject to the resources available in the 2020–2022 Regular Programme Budget and/or from extra-budgetary contributions.

References: Doc 10075, *Assembly Resolutions in Force* (as of 6 October 2016)

