

MITRE's System of Trust™ Framework and Community

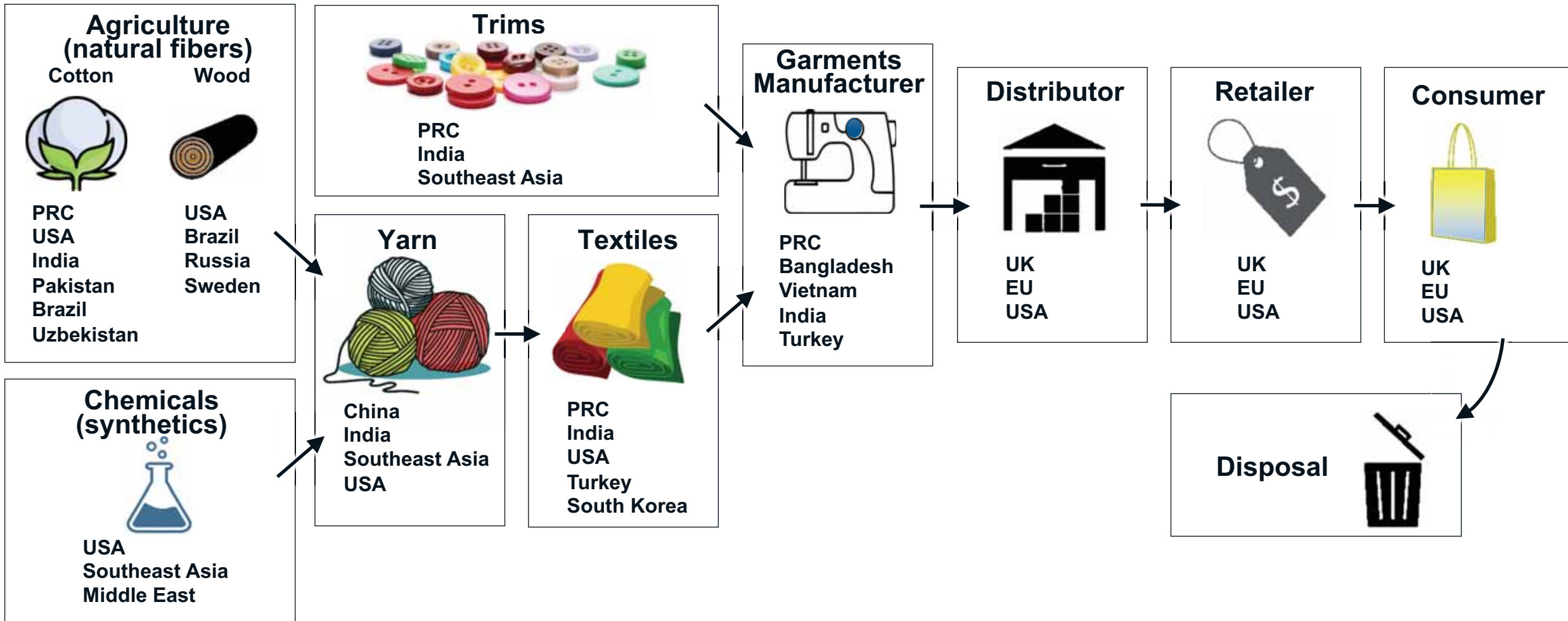
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Supply Chain Example – Consumer Clothing



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Supply Chain Risk Areas

Quality Culture of the Supplier

Natural Disasters and Hazards



Floods
Avalanche
Drought
Winds
Heavy Rains
Pandemics
Earthquake
Volcanoes
Tornadoes
Forest Fires
Snow
Thunderstorms
Tsunamis

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External Influences of the Supplier



Financial Stability of the Supplier
Organizational Stature of the Supplier
Susceptibility of the Supplier

Maliciousness of the Supplier
Organizational Security

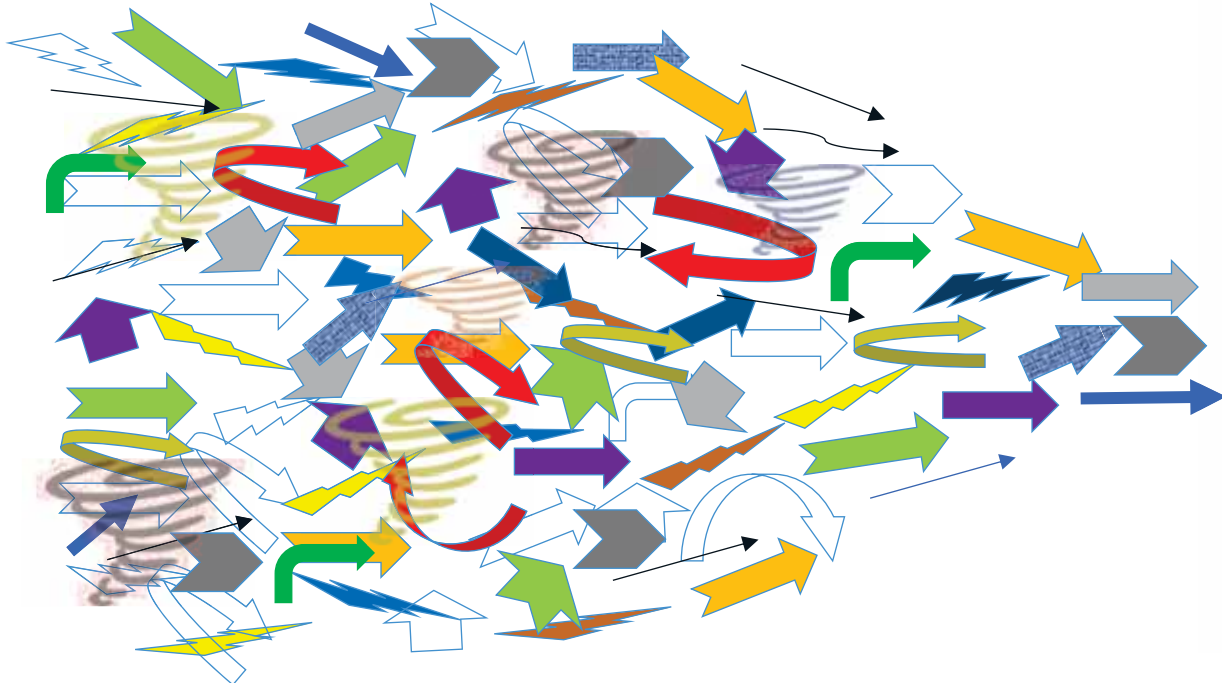
Attackers & Counterfeits



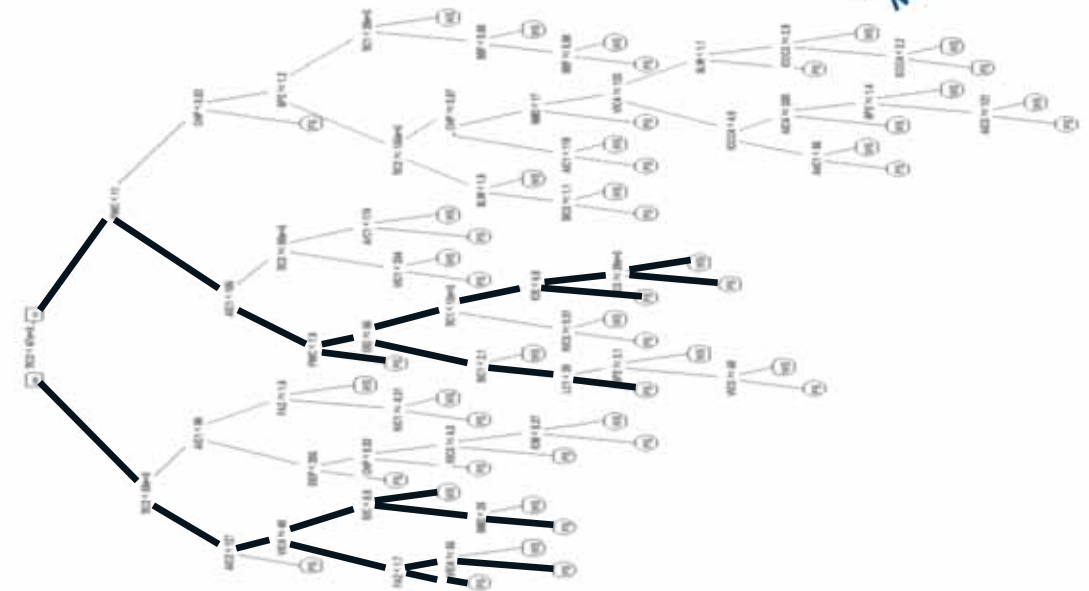
Supply Chain Security (SCS) System of Trust (SoT)

“What Supply Chain Risks to Manage?”

SoT - a strategic, widely-adoptable, holistic, data-driven analysis platform to assess supply chain security risks



Address Chaos, Align & Organize



Simplify, Tailor & Use

Basis of Trust

Risk Categories

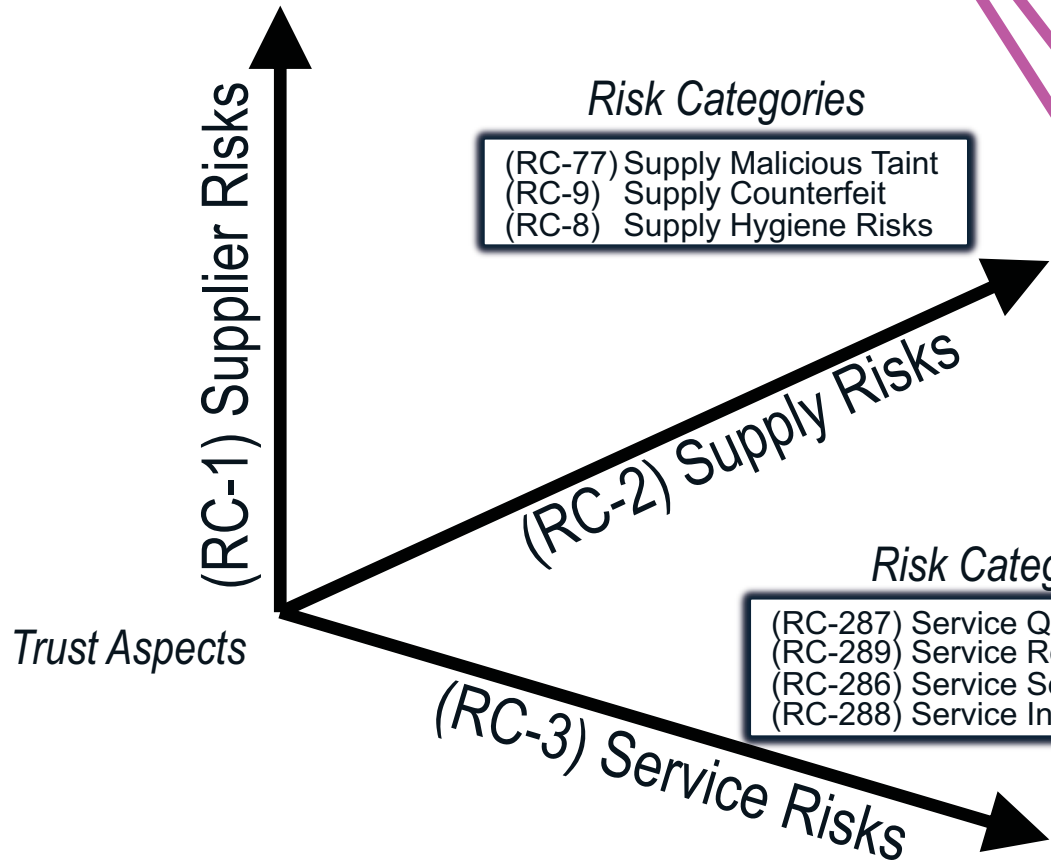
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(RC-4)	Supplier Susceptibility
(RC-20)	Supplier Quality Culture Risks
(RC-105)	Supplier Organizational Effectiveness Risks
(RC-7)	Supplier Ethical Risks
(RC-6)	Supplier External Influences

Risk Categories

(RC-77)	Supply Malicious Taint
(RC-9)	Supply Counterfeit
(RC-8)	Supply Hygiene Risks

Risk Categories

(RC-287)	Service Quality Risks
(RC-289)	Service Resilience Risks
(RC-286)	Service Security Risks
(RC-288)	Service Integrity Risks



(RC-13) Supplier Financial Stability Risks

- (RC-257) Short-term Financial Health Risks
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- (RC-260) Adverse Market Factors
- (RC-258) Long-term Financial Health Risks
- (RC-262) Foreign Financial Obligations

(RC-76) Supplier Organizational Security Risks

- (RC-403) Technical Operations Risks
- (RC-441) Cyber Threat Intelligence Risks
- (RC-16) Security Training Deficiencies
- (RC-346) Security Capabilities and Operations Risks
- (RC-434) Cyber Threat Activity Risks
- (RC-400) Security Governance and Compliance Risks

(RC-105) Supplier Organizational Effectiveness Risks

- (RC538) Structural & Operational Instability
- (RC-537) Geographical/Geopolitical Instability

(RC-7) Supplier Ethical Risks

- (RC-15) Association with Foreign Intelligence Service or Foreign Military Entity
- (RC-26) Pattern of Criminal Behavior

(RC-6) Supplier External Influences

- (RC-5) Ownership and Control Risks
- (RC-534) Foreign Business Relationship Risks
- (RC-536) Adverse Corporate Influences

MITRE Supply Chain Security System of Trust Risk Areas* **

Supply Chain Risks													
(RC-1) Supplier Risks					(RC-2) Supply Risks					(RC-3) Service Risks			
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(RC-257) Short-term Financial Health Risks	(RC-403) Technical Operations Risks	(RC-22) Susceptibility due to Location	(RC-630) Subcontractor Supply Chain Hygiene Risks	(RC-538) Structural & Operational Instability	(RC-15) Association with Foreign Intelligence Service (FIS) or Foreign Military Entity	(RC-5) Ownership and Control Risks	(RC-155) Supply Chain Management Integrity Risks	(RC-127) Unsanctioned Manufacturing	(RC-214) Supply (product) Resilience Risks	(RC-563) Service Quality Infrastructure Pedigree Risks	(RC-598) Service Infrastructure Redundancy Risks	(RC-294) Service Specific Security Risks	(RC-301) Service Specific Integrity Risks
(RC-256) Financial Stewardship Risks	(RC-441) Cyber Threat Intelligence Risks	(RC-25) Susceptibility due to Industry Sector	(RC-82) Supplier has Performance Issues on Contracts with other Companies	(RC-537) Geographical/Geopolitical Instability	(RC-26) Pattern of Criminal Behavior	(RC-534) Foreign Business Relationship Risks	(RC-149) Manufacturing Process Integrity Risks	(RC-126) Mislabeling	(RC-213) Supply (product) Security Risks	(RC-562) Service Quality Infrastructure Provenance Risks	(RC-599) Service Infrastructure Diversity Risks	(RC-11) Remote/Virtual Access to Service Infrastructure Risks	(RC-576) Service Integrity Infrastructure Pedigree Risks
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(RC-262) Foreign Financial Obligations	(RC-434) Cyber Threat Activity Risks	(RC-24) Susceptibility due to Customers	(RC-632) Internal SCRM Policy and Practices Risks				(RC-151) Logistics/Transportation Integrity Risks			(RC-587) Service Reliability Infrastructure Provenance Risks		(RC-10) Physical Access to Service Infrastructure Risks	
	(RC-400) Security Governance and Compliance Risks	(RC-23) Technical Susceptibility					(RC-152) Poor Reputation for Integrity			(RC-588) Service Reliability Infrastructure Pedigree Risks			
							(RC-150) Facilities Integrity Risks						
							(RC-54) Packaging Integrity Risks						
							(RC-156) Maintenance Integrity Risks						



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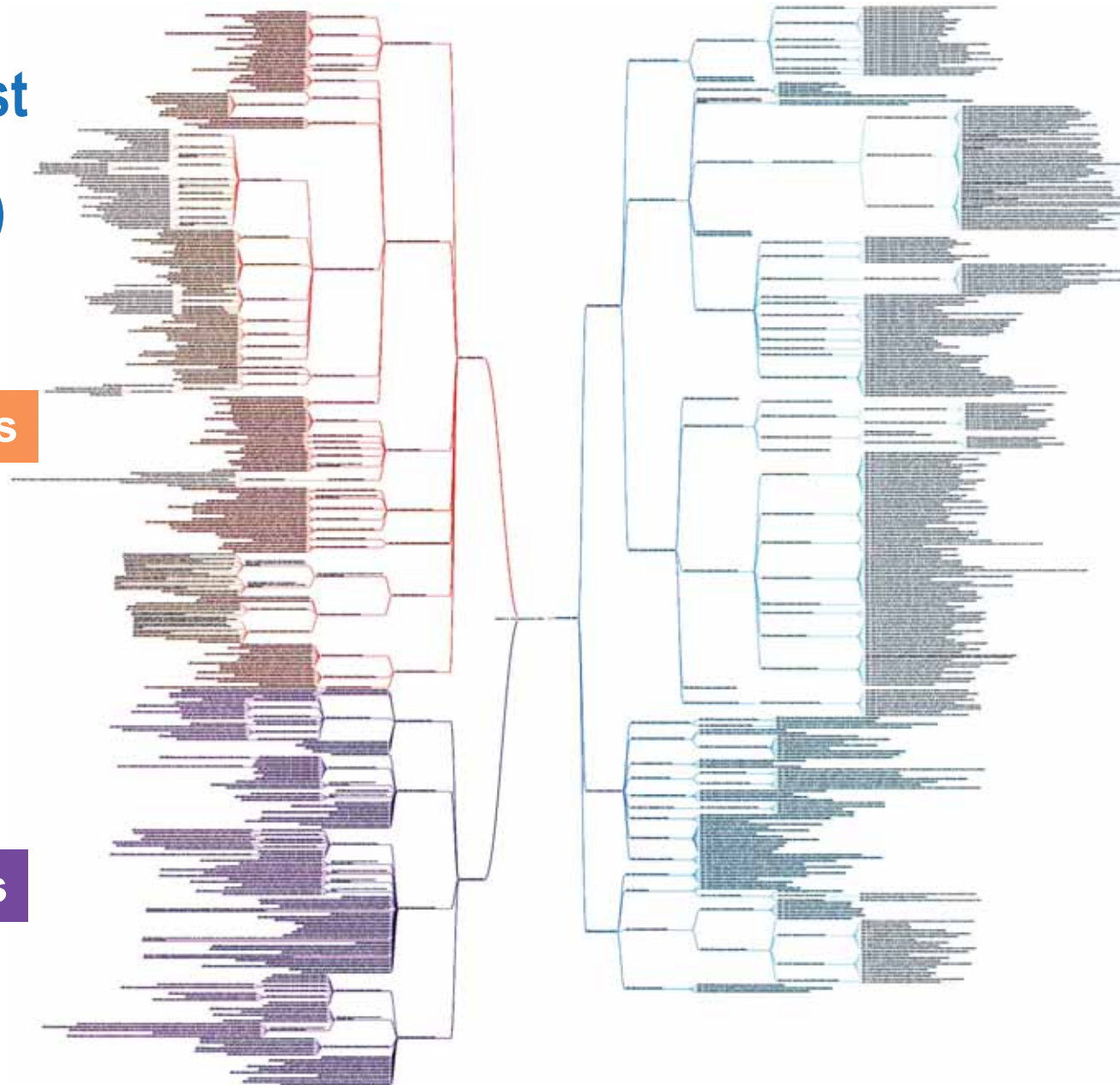
* Supply Chain Security Top 78 Risk Areas Levels 1-3
 ** System of Trust Expanding to Pharma, Food, and other types of Products

MITRE Supply Chain Security System of Trust Risk Catalog at 7 levels (aka Taxonomy/Vocabulary)

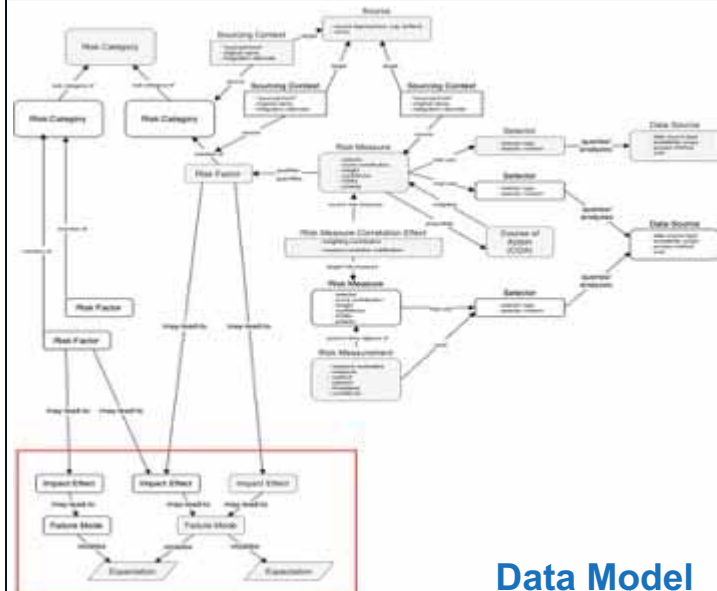
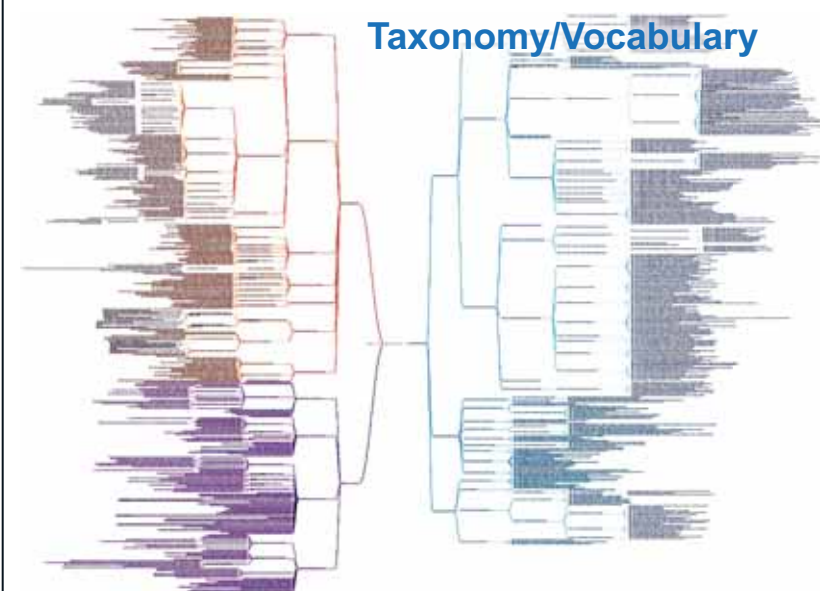
Supplier Risks

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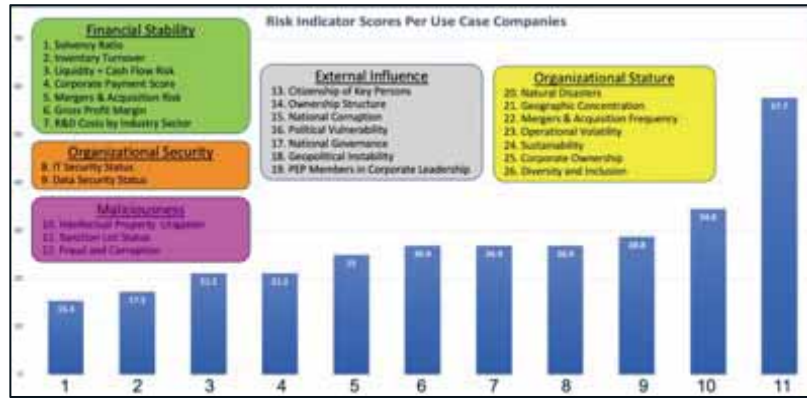
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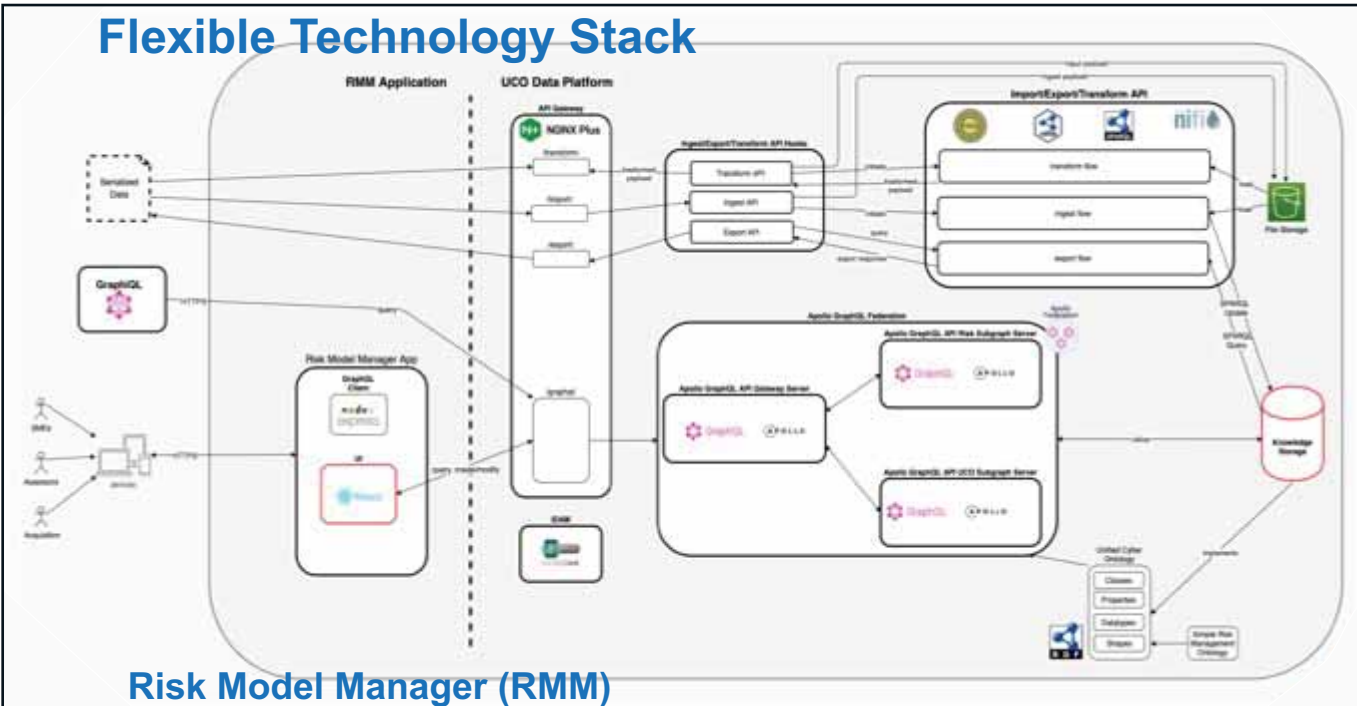
Data Model

Analytic Methods

Security Area	Risk Category	Risk Factor & Score	Risk Measure	Score	Weight	Weighted Points	Risk Factor Score
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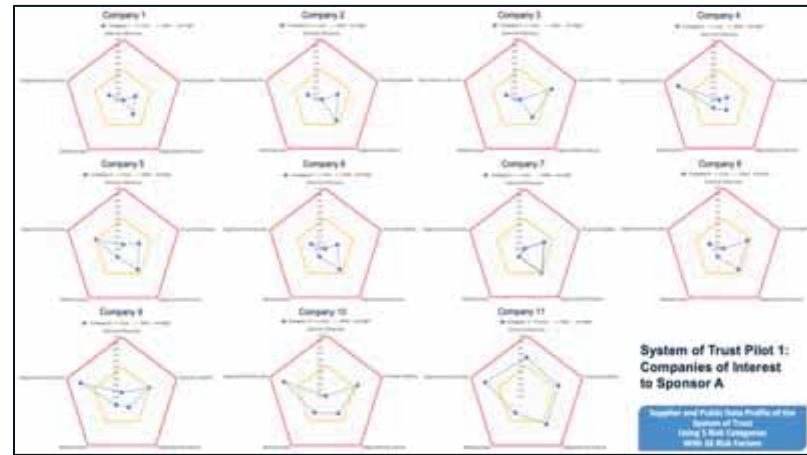
Flexible Technology Stack



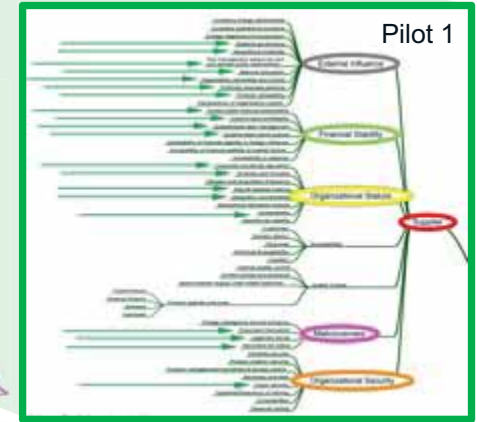
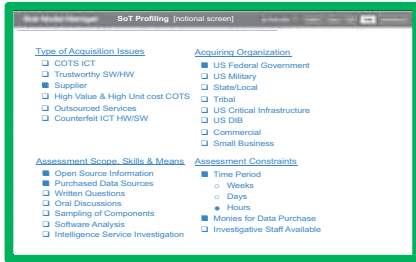
Risk Model Manager (RMM)

Piloting On-going

Export to Spreadsheet for "Offline" Assessment



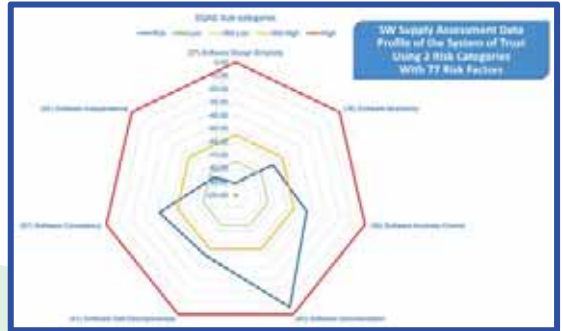
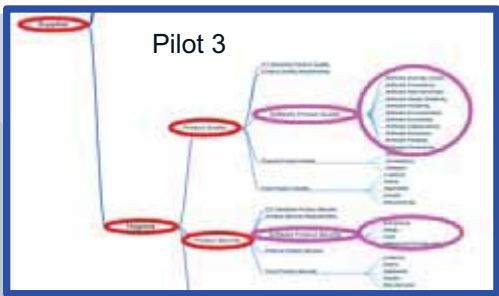
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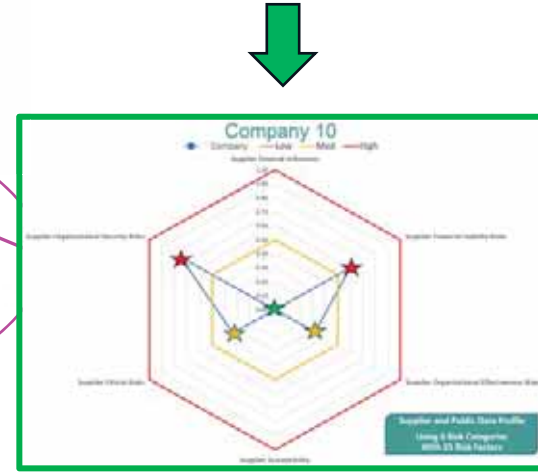
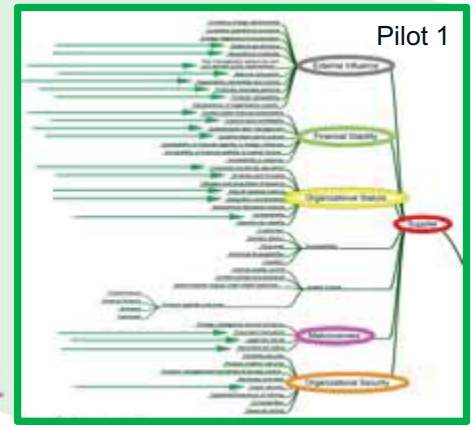
SoT Profiling [partial screen]

- Type of Acquisition Issues
 - COTS ICT
 - Trustworthy SW/HW
 - Supplier
 - High Value & High Unit cost COTS
 - Outsourced Services
 - Counterfeit ICT HW/SW
- Assessing Organization
 - US Federal Government
 - US Military
 - State/Local
 - Tribal
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 - US DHS
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- Assessment Scope, Skills & Means
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(RC-76) Supplier Organizational Security Risks → (RC-434) → (RC-435) → (RF-520) External Cyber Security Incidents Risks

▪ Definition:

- This risk considers how vulnerable to malicious activity a supplier may be due to the frequency and severity of externally observed cyber security incidents.

▪ Data Source :

- Source: EDGAR, SEC, Wikipedia
- Security and Exchange and Commission:
<https://www.sec.gov/edgar/searchedgar/companysearch.html>
- EDGAR database
- Enforcement actions: <https://www.sec.gov/litigation/suspensions.shtml>
- https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_data_breaches

▪ Risk Measures:

4 issues found

- High Risk: Have there been reported and documented security issues, with three or more security incidents? Yes
- Moderate Risk: Have there been reported and documented security issues, with at least one to two security incidents? No
- Low Risk: Have there been no reported and documented security issues? No

(RC-76) Supplier Organizational Security Risks → (RC-434) → (RC-435) → (RF-520) External Cyber Security Incidents Risks

- **Definition:**
 - This risk consid severity of exte
- **Data Source :**
 - Source: EDGA
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- **Risk Measures:**
 - High Risk: Hav incidents? Yes
 - Moderate Risk: security incide
 - Low Risk: Have

(RC-105) Supplier Organizational Effectiveness Risks → (RC-538) → (RF-244) Supplier has frequently restructured through mergers & acquisitions

- **Rationale:**
 - Number of merg culture clash, siz
- **Data Source :**
 - Source: BvD, In
 - BvD Corporate F
 - Investopedia: ht can-affect-comp
 - Harvard Busines 15 M&A Risk Fa
- **Risk Measures:**
 - High Risk: Has t window? No
 - Moderate Risk:
 - Low Risk: Has t

(RC-7) Supplier Ethics Risks → (RC-13) → (RC-26) → (RF-568) Supplier and/or key management personnel (KMP) have been targets of national or international criminal investigation

- **Rationale:**
 - A company is lik illegal acts in the
- **Data Source :**
 - Source: Justice.
- **Risk Measures:**
 - High Risk: Is the registered by the
 - Moderate Risk: the US or regist
 - Low Risk: Is the department of ju

(RC-6) Supplier External Influences → (RC-5) → (RF-230) Supplier is wholly or partially owned by a foreign entity

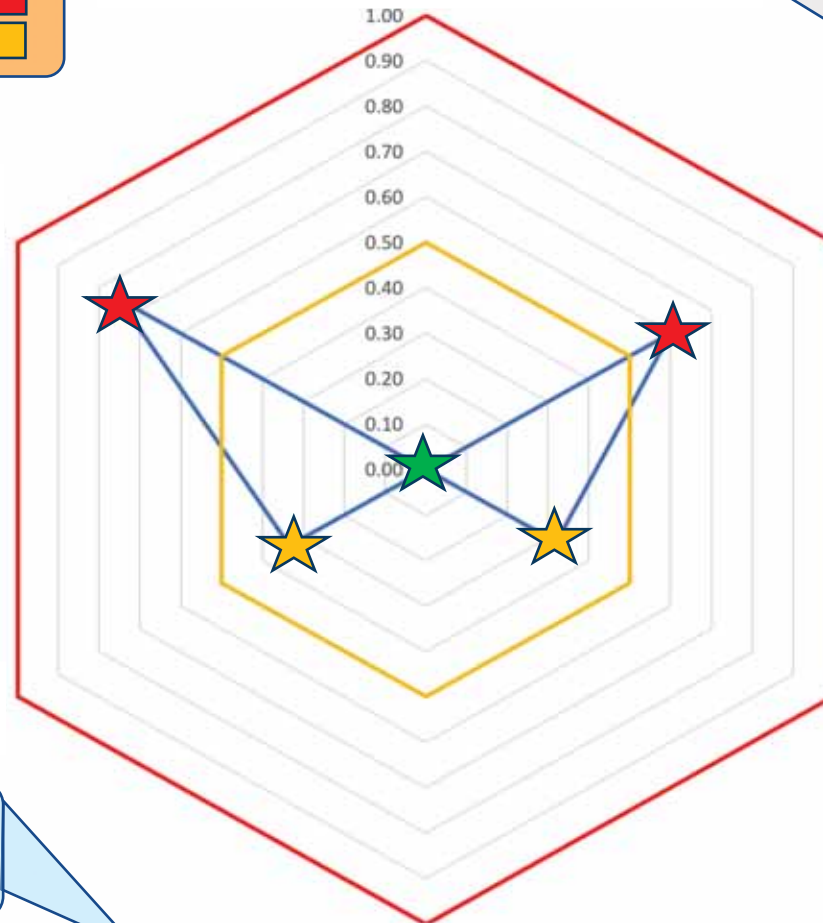
- **Rationale:**
 - The likelihood that company operations are subject to antagonistic national interest is indicated by the potential allegiance of key partners and stakeholders.
- **Data Source :**
 - Source: Orbis BvD
 - From the Orbis Corp database, a list of stakeholders and their respective country was obtained (i.e., see Orbis Corp DB/ Report/ Corp Ownership/ Current Shareholders/). The list was then analyzed to determine the percentage of stakeholders from adversary and watch list countries.
- **Risk Measures:**
 - High Risk: Does this company have key stakeholder nationality of >= 15% from adversary or US Treasury watch list countries? No
 - Moderate Risk: Does this company have key stakeholder nationality of < 15% and > 5% from adversary or US Treasury watch list countries? No
 - Low Risk: Does this company have key stakeholder nationality of <= 5% from adversary or US Treasury watch list countries? Yes

None from adversary or US Treasury watch list country

Company 10

Company — Low — Med — High

(RC-6) Supplier External Influences



- 13. Ownership and Control Risks ■
- 14. National Corruption ■
- 15. Political Vulnerability ■
- 16. National Governance Risks ■
- 17. Geopolitical Instability ■
- 18. PEP Members in Corporate Leadership ■

(RC-13) Supplier Financial Stability Risks

- 1. Supplier may be unable to service its debts ■
- 2. Supplier has concerning inventory turnover rate ■
- 3. Supplier does not maintain adequate liquidity ■
- 4. Supplier has history of late payments ■
- 5. Supplier is not sufficiently profitable ■
- 6. Supplier falls behind its competitors in R&D investment level ■

(RC-105) Supplier Organizational Effectiveness Risks

- 19. Natural Disaster Risks ■
- 20. Geographic Concentration Risks ■
- 21. Mergers & Acquisition Frequency Risks ■
- 22. Operational Volatility Risks ■
- 23. Sustainability Risks ■
- 24. Corporate Ownership Risks ■
- 25. Diversity and Inclusion Risks ■

- 7. External Cyber Security Incidents Risks ■
- 8. External Security Compromises/Breaches Risks ■

(RC-76) Supplier Organizational Security Risks

- 9. Intellectual property litigation involving supplier ■
- 10. Supplier sanction list status ■
- 11. Supplier and/or key management personnel (KMP) have been targets of national or international criminal investigation ■

(RC-7) Supplier Ethics Risks

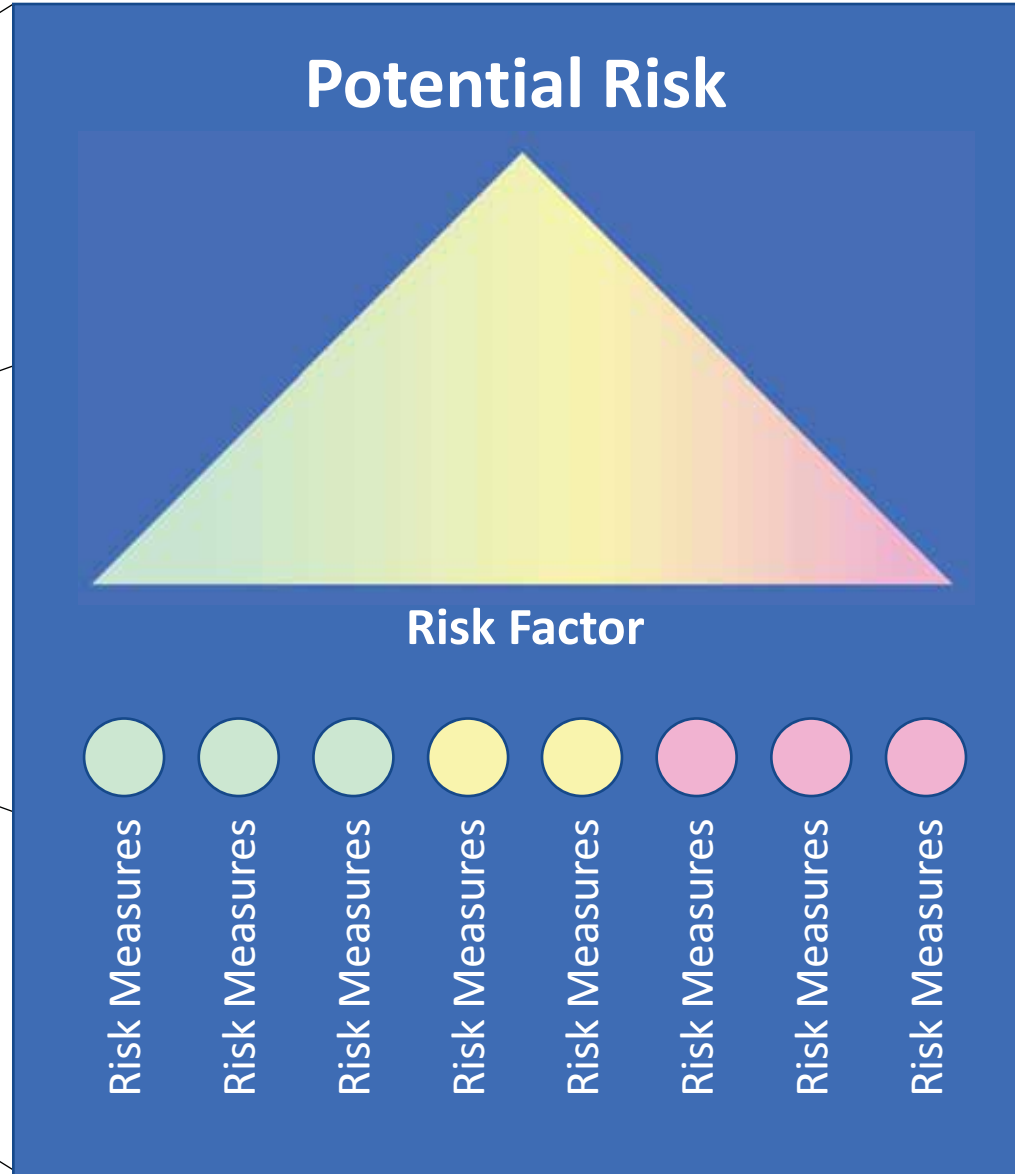
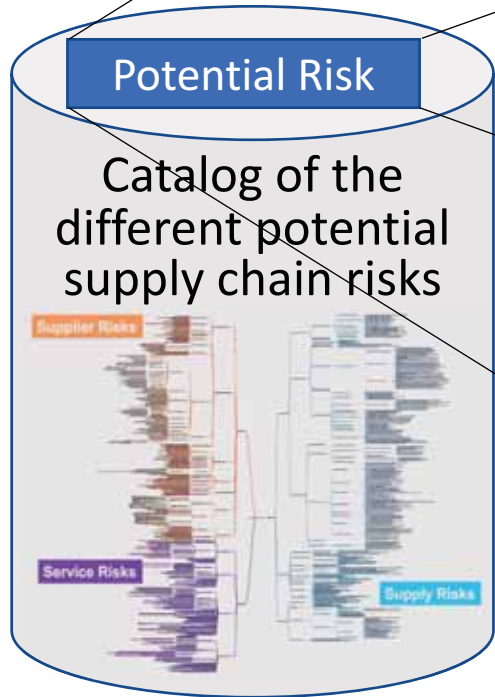
- 12. Citizenship of key management personnel (KMP) and employees is in country/ies of concern ■

(RC-4) Supplier Susceptibility

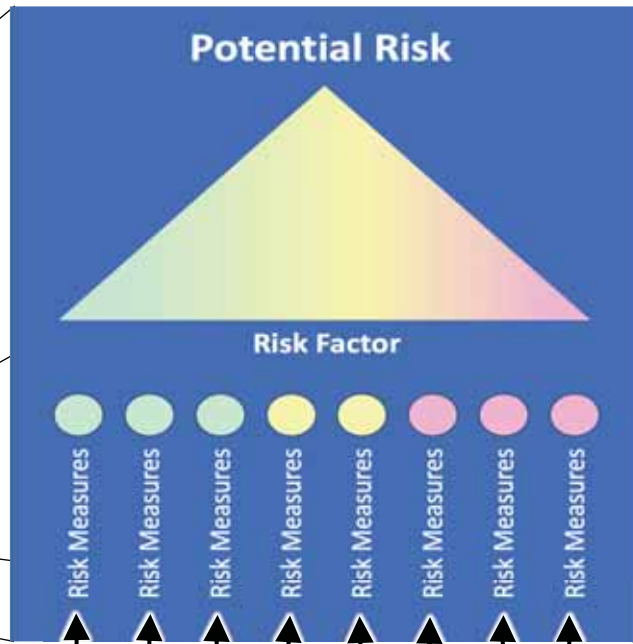
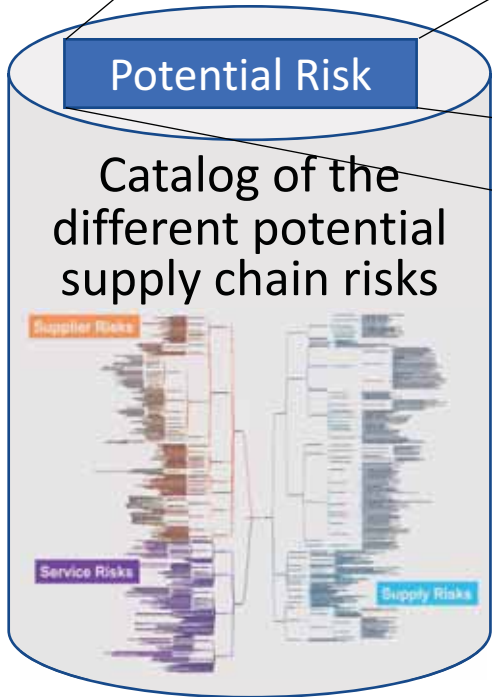
Supplier and Public Data Profile

Using 6 Risk Categories
With 25 Risk Factors

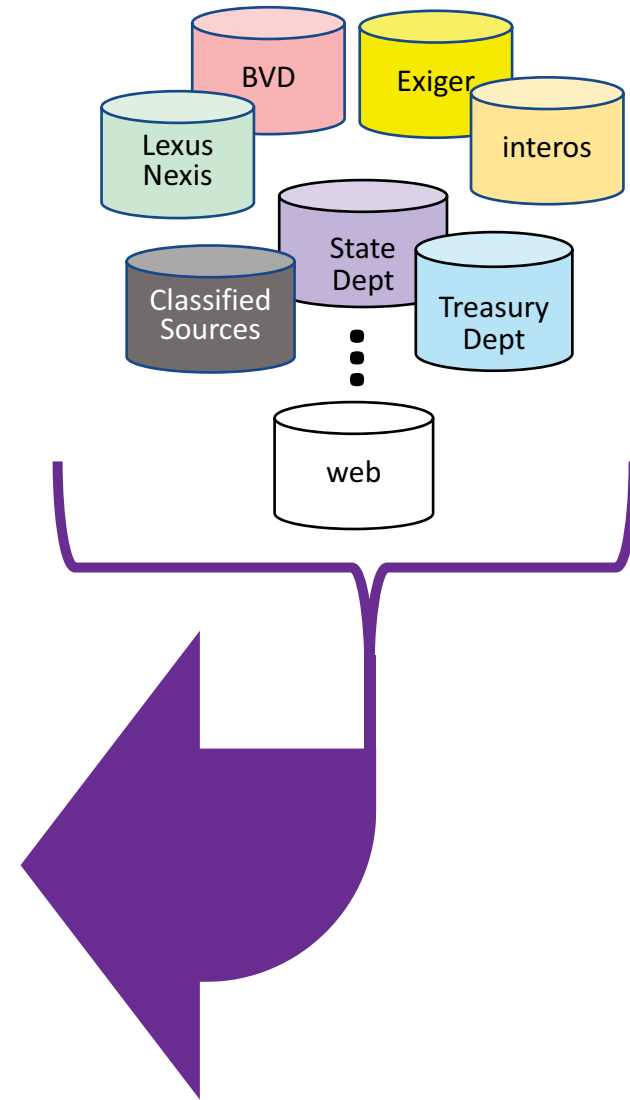
Risk Measures Bring Data to the Assessment of Risks



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Mapping Supply Chain Risk to System of Trust Risk

Information Sources / Standards

Supplier Risks

Service Risks

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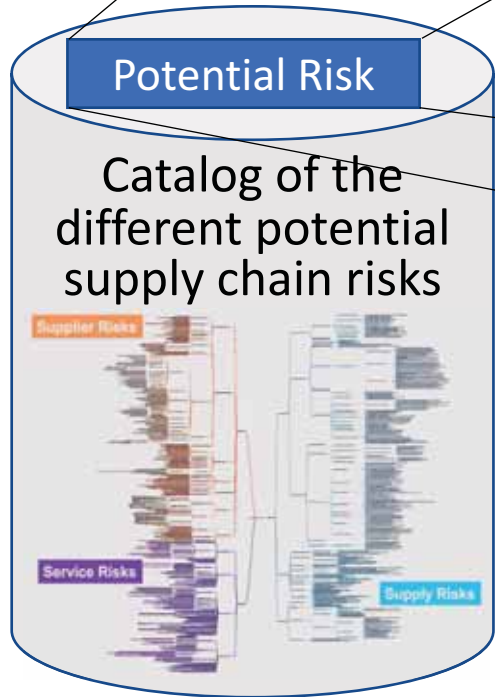
TIA QuEST Forum SCS 9001

8. Leadership	8.1. Leadership and Commitment	8.1.1. Vision	8.1.2. Customer Communication Method
9. Planning	9.1. Address to Address Risks and Opportunities	9.1.1. Risk Thinking	9.1.2. Risk Strategy
10. Support	10.1. Resources	10.1.1. Human Resources	10.1.2. Financial Resources
11. Operational Planning and Control	11.1. Risk Control and Management	11.1.1. Risk Assessment	11.1.2. Risk Treatment

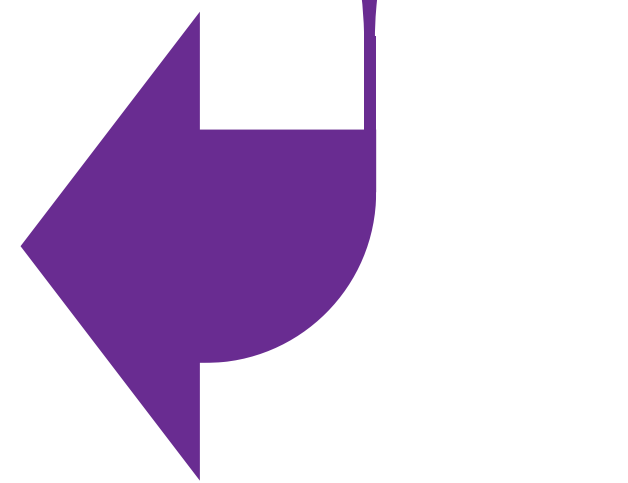
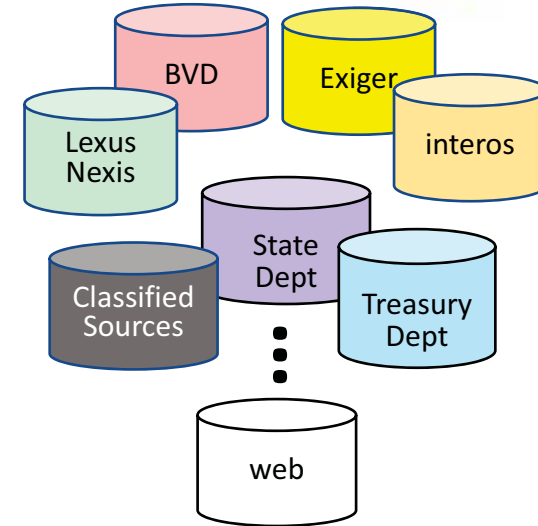


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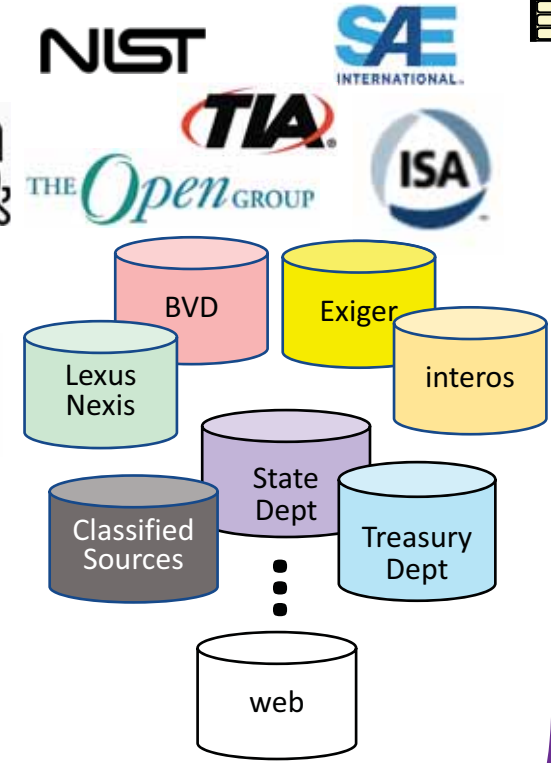
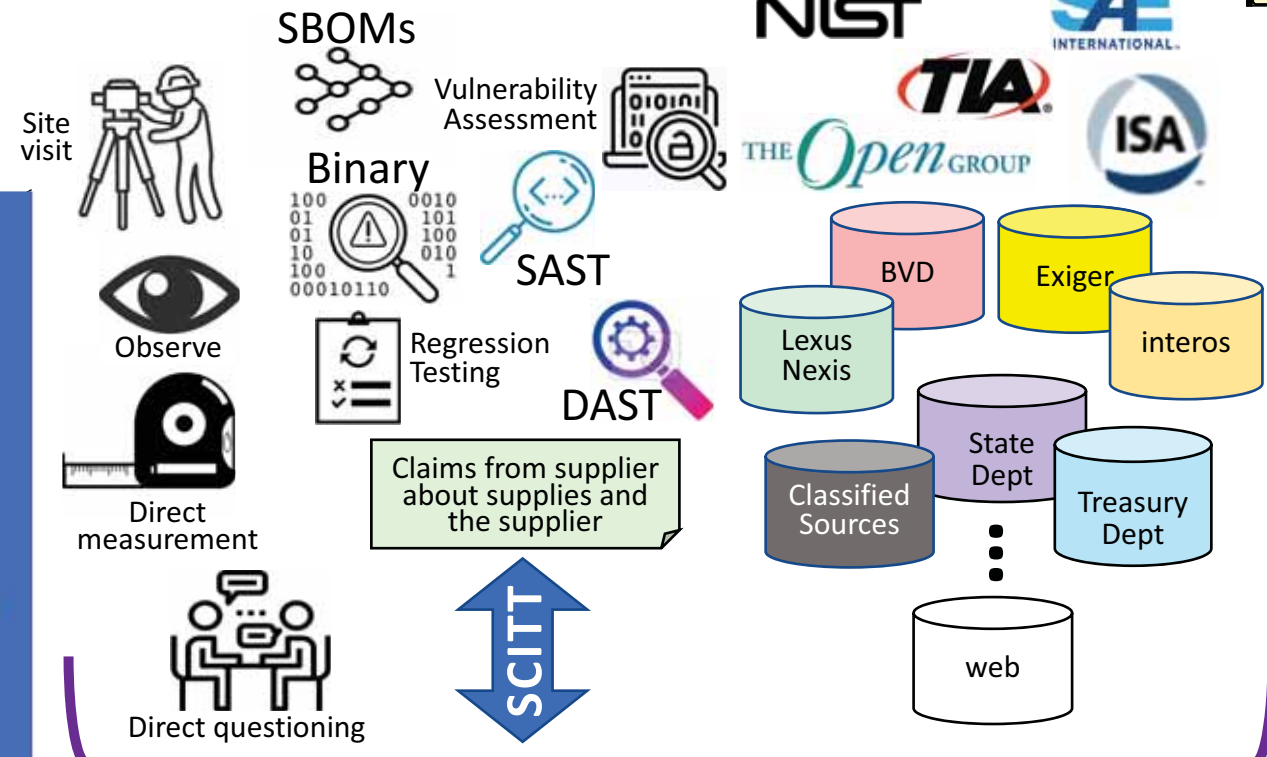
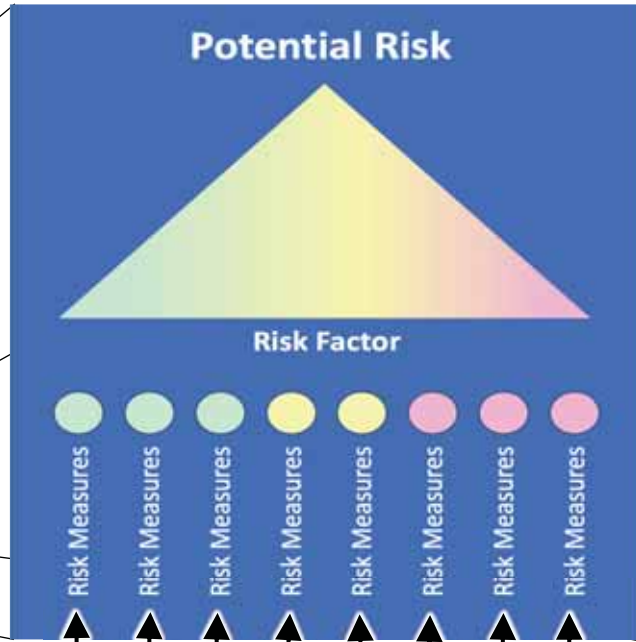
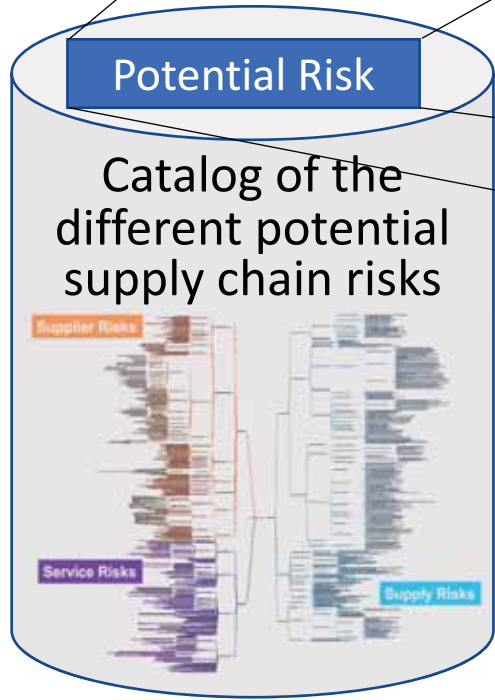
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Building up Sources of Insight about Supply Chain Risks

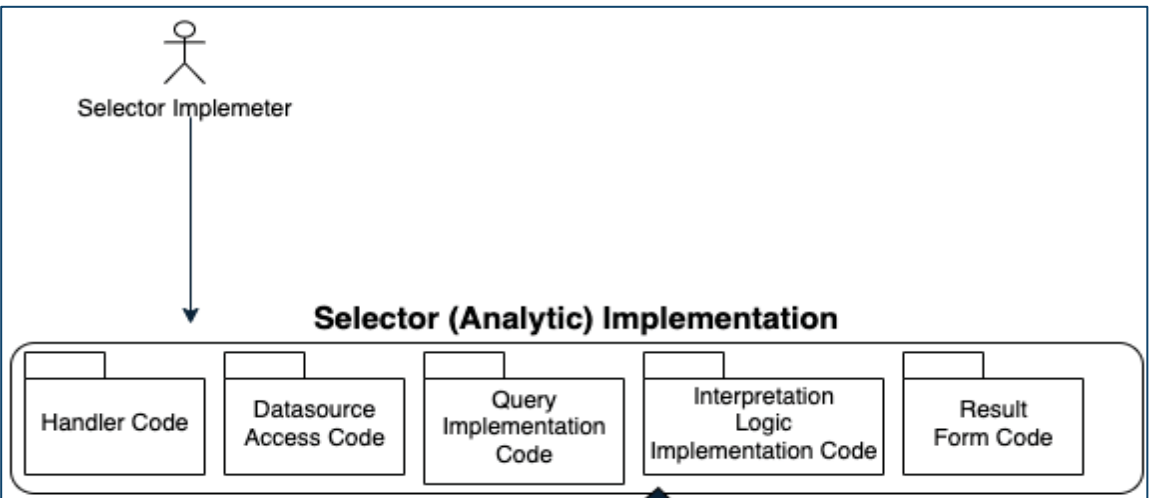
The image displays the Risk Model Manager interface, which is used for managing supply chain risks. It is divided into several main sections:

- Data Sources:** A list of data sources used for risk assessments, including:
 - DS-14: Bloomberg Datasets
 - DS-17: Bureau of Industry and Security (Department of Commerce)
 - Association International (ERAI)
 - Exchange Program
- Details:** A sidebar showing details for a selected source (SAM.gov):
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 - Scope: empty
 - Target: empty
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 - Description: empty
 - Tags: empty
- Progress:** A progress indicator showing:
 - Score: 70 to 100 (70 to 100)
 - 84 risk measures in this profile
 - unanswered: 81
 - yes: 2
 - no: 1
 - 151 other entries in this profile.
- Assessment Item Table:** A table listing assessment items with their scores:

Assessment Item	Score
Does this company have key stakeholder nationality of >= 15% from country/ies of concern?	0 to 75
Organization acquisition by or merger with stakeholders from a foreign nation?	0 to 85
Has the company recently been acquired, restructured, merged, or acquired by stakeholders from a non-adversary nation?	0 to 60
Has the company recently been acquired, restructured, merged, or acquired by stakeholders from an adversary nation?	0 to 85
Has the company recently taken steps to be acquired,	
- Potential Selectors for this Risk Measure:** A list of selectors that can be used to measure the risk:
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 - Data Source: Bloomberg Datasets
 - Execution Vector: [empty]
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 - Execution Vector: [empty]
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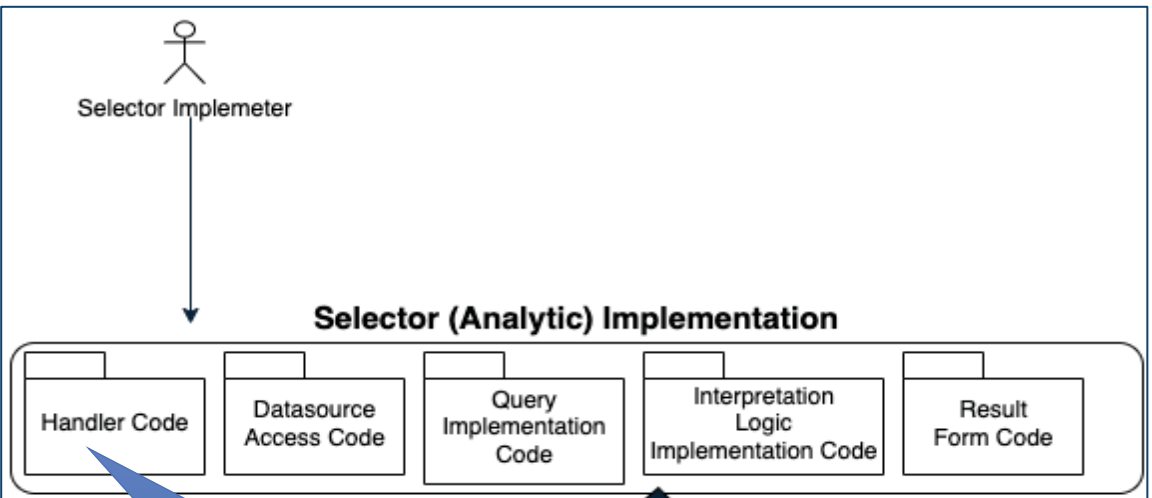
SoT Risk Model Manager Automation Technical Approach

Connecting to structured data



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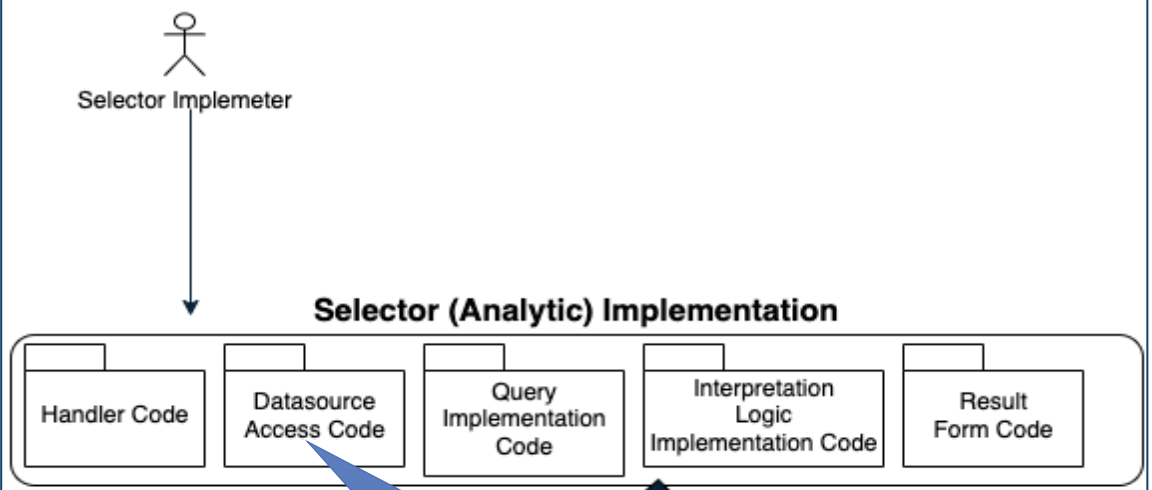
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Where do I go to get the data about a particular risk factor?

SoT Risk Model Manager Automation Technical Approach

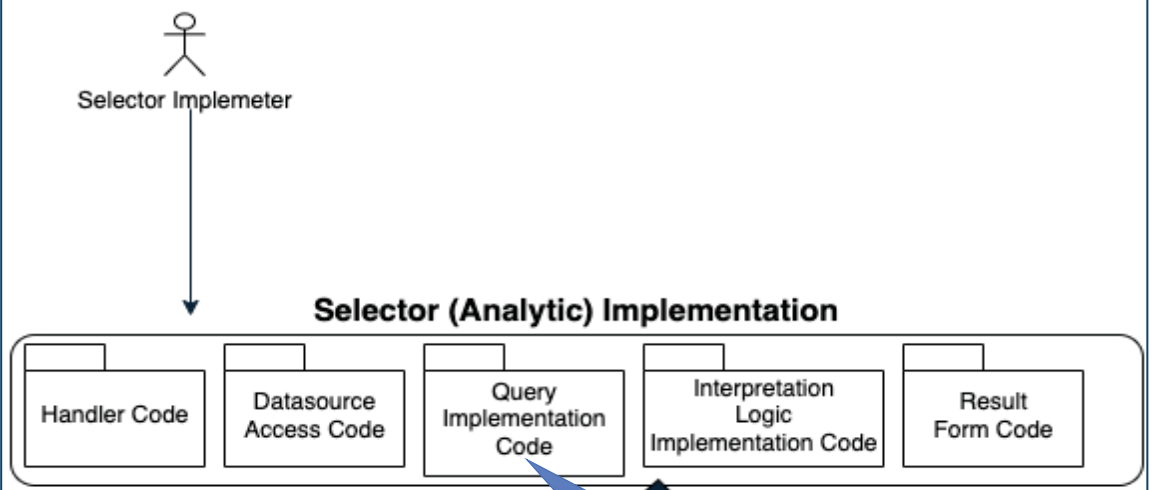
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How do I get access to the data?

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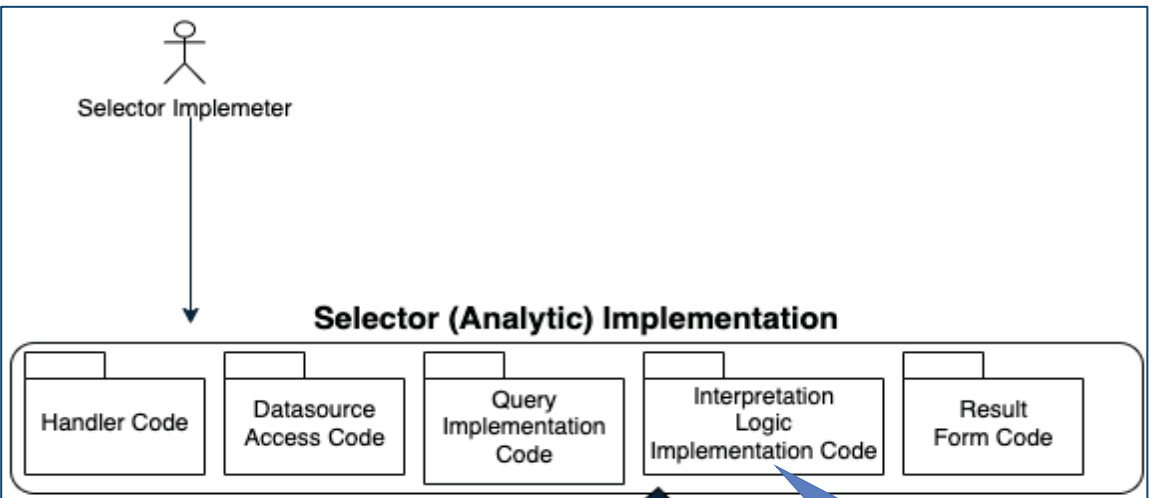
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What are the details for retrieving the data?

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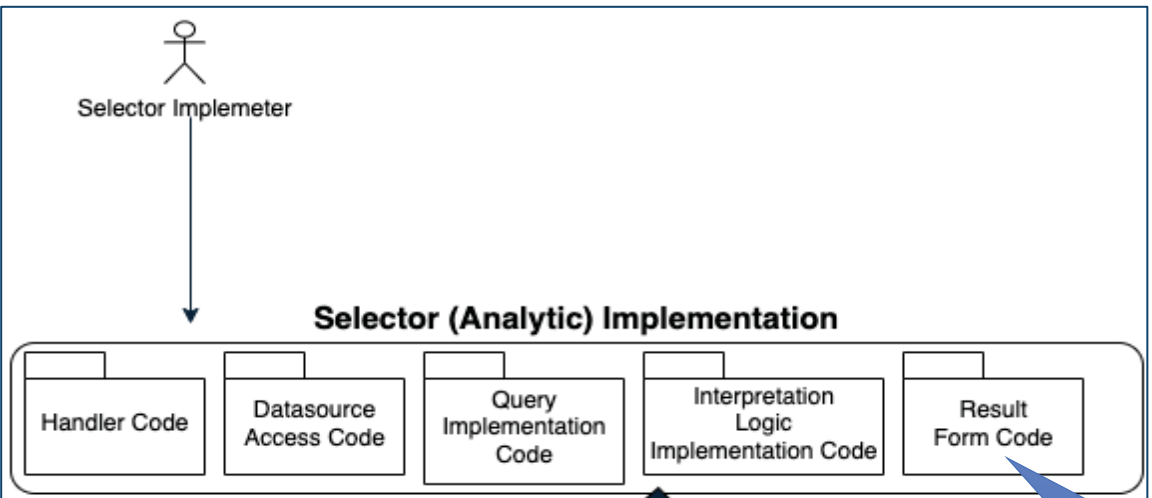
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How do I interpret the data to determine if the risk is present?

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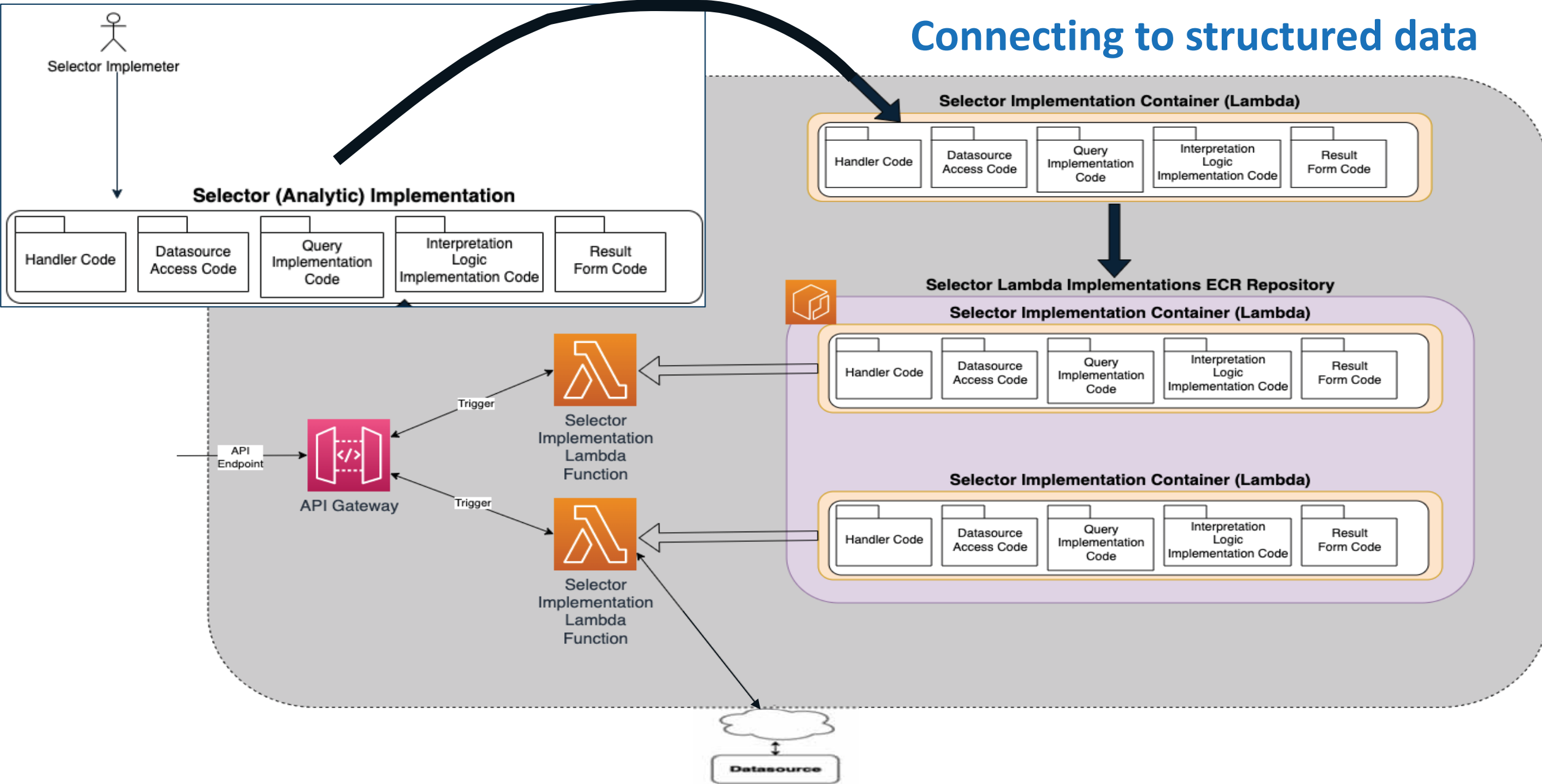
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Structure the answer and supporting data to send back to the RMM application.

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Getting Access to RMM

<https://sot.mitre.org/rmm/register.html>

A screenshot of the 'Risk Model Manager Access Registration Form' on the MITRE System of Trust website. The form is titled 'Risk Model Manager Access Registration Form' and includes a paragraph explaining that RMM is currently limited to READ-ONLY access and requires a semi-automated registration process. The form is divided into two sections: 'Required Information' and 'Preferred Information'.

Required Information

Organization (Required)

First Name (Required)

Last Name (Required)

Email (Required)

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Preferred Information

Type of Organization
-- Select an option --

City/Town

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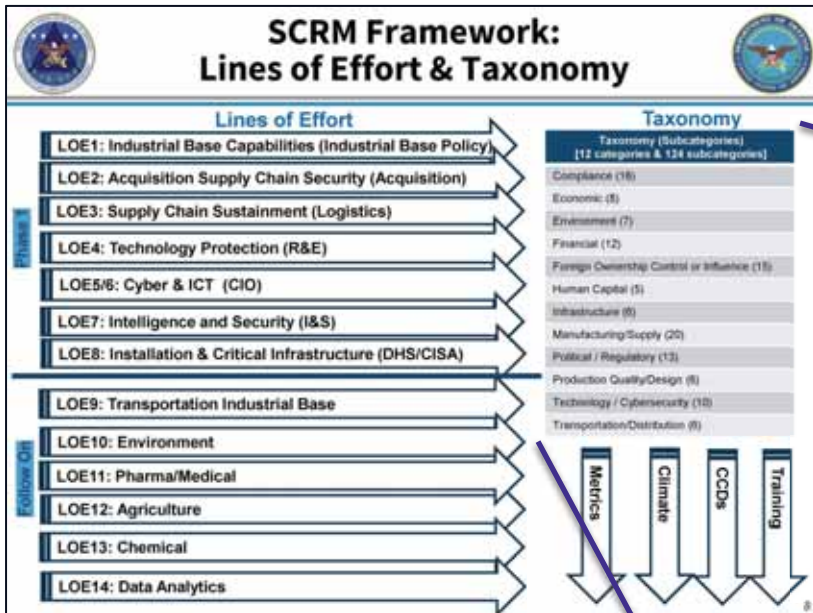
The [System of Trust Framework](#) aims to provide a comprehensive, consistent, and repeatable supply chain security [risk assessment](#) process that is customizable, evidence-based, and scalable, and will enable all organizations within the supply chain to have confidence in each other, service offerings, and the supplies being delivered.

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DoD Supply Chain Resiliency Work Group (DoD SCRM Taxonomy)



12 Categories & 124 subcategories

DoD Notional SC Risk Taxonomy Categories

Compliance	Political/Regulatory	Economic	Foreign Influence	Manufacturing/Supply	Financial	Human Capital
Contractor Misconduct	Political Government Changes	Demand Shocks	Weaponized Merge/Acquisition	Obsolescence/Deteriorating Manufacturing Sources and Material Shortages (OEMSMS)	Equity	Industrial Unrest, Labor Dispute
Part Suspension or Debarment	Interstate Conflict	Currency Fluctuations	Partnership with State Owned Entity	Throughput, Production Delays	Cyclical Risk	Loss of Talent, Supply-Offs
Defective Pricing, Price Fixing	Terrains	Economic High Unemployment	Industrial Espionage	Outsourcing	Unstable Payment Performance	Lack of access to critical skills
Security Enforcement Actions	Competition	Inflation	Proprietary Info-Theft of Trade Secrets	Extended Lead Times	Bankruptcy	Work Stoppage
Conflict Minerals in the Supply Chain	Border Delays	Price Volatility/Market Risk	Executive Poison	Inventory or Capacity Incidents	Lack of Insurance	Boycotts/Social Issues
Anti-Trust/Monopolistic Practices	Government Policies	Recession, economic slowdown	Subsistence	Equipment Deterioration	Dependent on Single Contracts	
Import, Export Violation	New Regulations in Policy	Economic Instability	Valued Intellectual Property	Sole Source	Probability Mistrusts	
Fraud (Phishing, Government)	Trade War/Export Controls	Technology/Cybersecurity	Cyber Espionage	Concentration	Cost Overruns	
Ethics Violations	Watch List	Critical HW/SW Vulnerability	Counterintelligence	Inventory Shortages	Off-shore Leaks/Database	
Human Resources (Ethics Violations)	Potential Political Exposure	IT Disruption, Connectivity Issues	Counterintelligence Analysis	Material Sources	Financial Crime	
Forced Labor (Ethics Violations)	Environmental Protection	Loss or Theft of Intellectual Property	Counterintelligence Collection	Parts/Spares Inventory Shortages		
Trafficking in Persons (Ethics Violations)	Government Policies	Uninsured	Foreign Intelligence Entity	Single Sources		
Workers Health & Safety - OSHA (Ethics Violations)	Environment	Operational Security Vulnerability	Nationalization	Order Fulfillment Requirements		
Insider Threat (Ethics Violations)	Natural Disaster	Malicious Intrusion	Production Quality/Design	Industrial Capacity		
Legal and Reputational	Extreme Weather	IT Implementation Failures	Capital/Part Failure	Industrial Capability		
Occupational Safety and Health	Pandemic	Data Breach	System/Process Failure	Reclamation/Utilization		
Contract Non-Compliance	Wildfire	Obsolescence	Non-MLA Commercial Supplier	Adjacency Risk		
	Chemical Spill/Environmental Risk		Ultraproduct Supplier Recalls			
	Climate					
	Man-made Risk					

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DoD SCRM TAXONOMY

RC: Financial

SC: Liquidity

(RC-1) Supplier Risks

(RC-13) Supplier Financial Stability Risks

(RC-257) Short-term Financial Health Risks

(RC-256) Financial Stewardship Risks

(RC-260) Adverse Market Factors

(RC-258) Long-term Financial Health Risks

(RC-262) Foreign Financial Obligations

(RF-31) Supplier is not sufficiently performing

(RF-197) Supplier has concerning inventory rate

(RF-200) Supplier does not maintain adequate liquidity

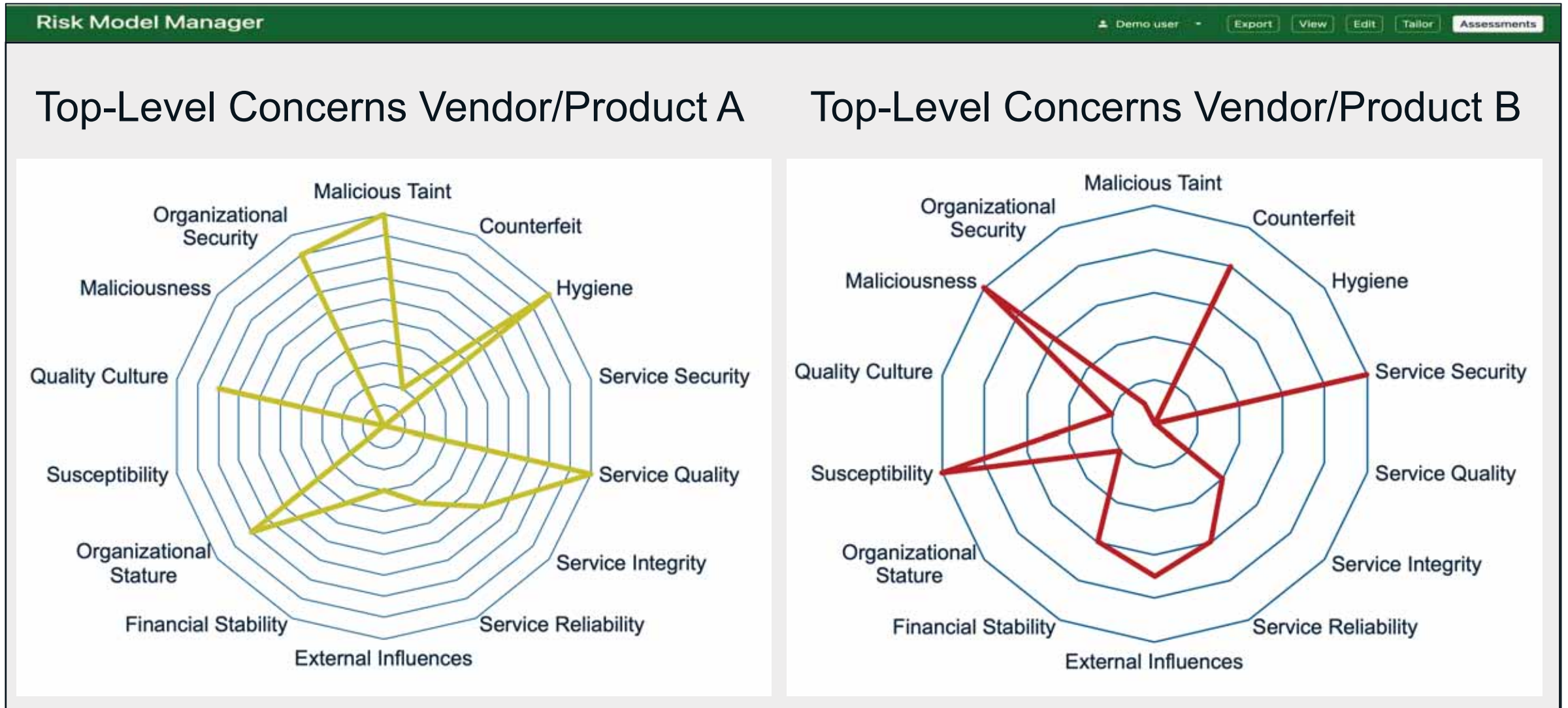
(RF-858) Supplier does not maintain adequate cashflow to sustainably support operations

(RM-416) Quick Ratio > 1?

(RM-415) Quick Ratio = 1?

(RM-414) Quick Ratio < 1?

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System of Trust risk catalog out for community review

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System of Trust Body of Knowledges as a Hierarchy

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System of Trust Risk Hierarchy in Table Form

System of Trust Body of Knowledge Risk Hierarchy in Table Form

Level	(RC-1) Supplier Risks				(RC-2) Supply Risks				(RC-3) Service Risks				
	Supplier Financial Stability Risks		Supplier Organizational Effectiveness Risks		Supply Malicious Taint		Supply Counterfeit		Supply Hygiene Risks		Service Reliability Risks		Service Integrity Risks
Level 1	(RC-13) Supplier Financial Stability Risks	(RC-76) Supplier Organizational Security Risks	(RC-4) Supplier Susceptibility	(RC-20) Supplier Quality Culture Risks	(RC-105) Supplier Organizational Effectiveness Risks	(RC-7) Supplier Ethical Risks	(RC-6) Supplier External Influences	(RC-77) Supply Malicious Taint	(RC-9) Supply Counterfeit	(RC-8) Supply Hygiene Risks	(RC-287) Service Quality Risks	(RC-289) Service Reliability Risks	(RC-288) Service Integrity Risks
Level 2	(RC-27) Short-term Financial Health Risks	(RC-403) Technical Operations Risks	(RC-22) Susceptibility due to Location	(RC-430) Subcontractor Supply Chain Hygiene Risks	(RC-138) Structural & Operational Instability	(RC-135) Association with Foreign Intelligence Services (FIS) or Foreign Military Entity	(RC-4) Ownership and Control Risks	(RC-155) Supply Chain Management Integrity Risks	(RC-127) Unapproved Manufacturing	(RC-248) Supply (product) Quality	(RC-403) Service Infrastructure Resiliency Risks	(RC-294) Service Specific Security Risks	(RC-303) Service Specific Integrity Risks
Level 3	(RC-268) Financial Stewardship Risks	(RC-443) Cyber Threat Intelligence Risks	(RC-25) Susceptibility due to Industry Sector	(RC-82) Supplier has Performance Issues on Contracts with other Companies	(RC-137) Geographical/Operational Instability	(RC-28) Pattern of Criminal Behavior	(RC-534) Foreign Business Relationships Risks	(RC-140) Manufacturing Process Integrity Risks	(RC-248) Supply (product) Quality Risks	(RC-248) Supply (product) Quality Risks	(RC-113) Remote/Physical Access to Service Infrastructure Pedigree Risks	(RC-376) Service Infrastructure Pedigree Risks	(RC-303) Service Specific Integrity Risks
Level 4	(RC-260) Adverse Market Factors	(RC-145) Security Training Deficiencies	(RC-23) Susceptibility due to Personnel	(RC-38) Subcontractor Supply Chain Security Risks	(RC-139) Internal Quality Control Risks	(RC-546) Adverse Competitor Influences	(RC-340) Adverse Competitor Influences	(RC-138) Authentication Risks	(RC-205) Supply (product) Quality Risks	(RC-300) Service Specific Quality Risks	(RC-109) Service Reliability Infrastructure Pedigree Risks	(RC-376) Service Infrastructure Pedigree Risks	(RC-300) Service Specific Quality Risks
Level 5	(RC-258) Long-term Financial Health Risks	(RC-440) Security Capabilities and Operations Risks	(RC-448) Susceptibility due to Experience	(RC-10) Internal Quality Control Risks	(RC-448) Security Capabilities and Operations Risks	(RC-546) Adverse Competitor Influences	(RC-340) Adverse Competitor Influences	(RC-139) Copier Manufacturing	(RC-205) Supply (product) Quality Risks	(RC-300) Service Specific Quality Risks	(RC-109) Service Reliability Infrastructure Pedigree Risks	(RC-376) Service Infrastructure Pedigree Risks	(RC-300) Service Specific Quality Risks
Level 6	(RC-263) Foreign Financial Obligations	(RC-434) Cyber Threat Actions Risks	(RC-24) Susceptibility due to Customers	(RC-623) Internal SCRM Policy and Practices Risks	(RC-133) Functional Integrity Risks	(RC-546) Adverse Competitor Influences	(RC-340) Adverse Competitor Influences	(RC-139) Power Regulation for Integrity	(RC-205) Supply (product) Quality Risks	(RC-300) Service Specific Quality Risks	(RC-109) Service Reliability Infrastructure Pedigree Risks	(RC-376) Service Infrastructure Pedigree Risks	(RC-300) Service Specific Quality Risks
Level 7	(RC-400) Security Governance and Compliance Risks	(RC-28) Technical Operations Risks	(RC-28) Technical Operations Risks	(RC-109) Internal Quality Control Risks	(RC-152) Power Regulation for Integrity	(RC-340) Adverse Competitor Influences	(RC-340) Adverse Competitor Influences	(RC-152) Power Regulation for Integrity	(RC-205) Supply (product) Quality Risks	(RC-300) Service Specific Quality Risks	(RC-109) Service Reliability Infrastructure Pedigree Risks	(RC-376) Service Infrastructure Pedigree Risks	(RC-300) Service Specific Quality Risks

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(RC-13) Supplier Financial Stability Risks in Table Form

Supply Chain Risks

(RC-1) Supplier Risks	(RC-2) Supply Risks	(RC-3) Service Risks
(RC-13) Supplier Financial Stability Risks	(RC-4) Supplier Susceptibility	(RC-20) Supplier Quality Culture Risks

(RC-13) Supplier Financial Stability Risks
Definition: Risks related to characteristics of a supplier of supplies (products) or services, including their supply chain, that may potentially impact consumers of those supplies (products) or services.

(RC-257) Short-term Financial Health Risks
Definition: Risks that affect the financial health and status of a supplier.

(RF-31) Supplier is not sufficiently profitable
Definition: This risk considers whether a company's shareholdings in the form of profits.

Possible Measures:
(RM-430) Is the company's gross profit margin <9%
(RM-432) Is the company's gross profit margin >9%
(RM-431) Is the company's gross profit margin <11

(RC-77) Supply Malicious Taint in Table Form

Supply Chain Risks

(RC-1) Supplier Risks	(RC-2) Supply Risks	(RC-3) Service Risks
(RC-77) Supply Malicious Taint	(RC-155) Supply Chain Management Integrity Risks	(RC-159) ICT Hardware Supply Chain Integrity Risks

(RC-77) Supply Malicious Taint
Definition: Risks related to the integrity of a supply (product) or service that increase the likelihood a supply (product) or service will be used to cause harm.

(RC-155) Supply Chain Management Integrity Risks
Definition: Risks that increase the likelihood a supply (product) or service will be used to cause harm.

(RF-99) Printed circuit board manufacturer is not a manufacturer by an upstream supplier
Definition: This risk considers whether a printed circuit board manufacturer is a manufacturer by an upstream supplier.

Possible Measures:
(RM-422) Does the company have an inventory turn ratio >1.5
(RM-423) Does the company have an inventory turn ratio >1.5
(RM-424) Does the company have an inventory turn ratio >1.5

(RF-16) Chip fabrication receives and uses tampered materials
Definition: This risk considers whether a chip fabrication receives and uses tampered materials in production.

Possible Measures:
(RM-416) Does the company have a quick ratio >1.1
(RM-416) Does the company have a quick ratio >1.1

(RC-162) Software Supply Chain Integrity Risks
Definition: Risks that increase the likelihood of a software supply chain integrity risk.

(RF-1093) Manufacturer outsources the function of a product to a third party
Definition: Risk that the manufacturer no longer maintains ownership and control of the manufacturing process of a product.

Possible Measures:
(RM-1094) Manufacturer outsources the function of a product to a third party

(RF-1094) Manufacturer outsources the function of a product to a third party
Definition: Risk that the manufacturer no longer maintains ownership and control of the manufacturing process of a product.

Possible Measures:
(RM-1094) Manufacturer outsources the function of a product to a third party

(RC-109) Service Reliability Infrastructure Pedigree Risks
Definition: Risks that increase the likelihood of reduced quality of a service.

(RF-932) Digital service provider does not have a regular update schedule.
Definition: With rapid changes associated with digital services, a provider must ensure that its offerings are up to date both from the perspective of compatibility, performance, reliability, and security.

Possible Measures:
(RM-932) Digital service provider does not have a regular update schedule.

(RC-317) Transportation Service Specific Quality Risks
Definition: Risks that increase the likelihood of reduced quality of a transportation service.

(RF-938) Delays in transport of goods
Definition: Delays in transportation can result in the failure to meet customer expectations leading to loss of future business. In some cases, delayed delivery can result in inventory loss (e.g., spoilage).

Possible Measures:
(RM-938) Delays in transport of goods

(RC-329) Advertising Service Specific Quality Risks
Definition: Risks that increase the likelihood of reduced quality of an advertising service.

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- DHS S&T Program Office
- American Bar Association (ABA) Technology Meeting
- Industry Technology & Innovation Roundtable
- Open Group July Member Meeting Plenary
- ABA IoT National Institutes Panel 2020
- DoD/DoE NNSA Software Assurance Community of Practice
- DHS S&T FVEYES Supply Chain Workshop
- EOP/OMB – Maria Roat (Dep Fed CIO at OMB)/ Camilo Sandoval (Fed CISO)
- EOP/OMB w/Lesley Field / Mathew Blum / Jeremy McCrary – OFPP Team
- Raytheon Technologies Product Cybersecurity Tech Exchange
- Senate Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee staff
- IIC Winter 2020 Quarterly Member Meeting
- House Homeland Security Committee staff
- ABA SciTech Lawyer article – Winter 2021 Issue
- GAO Supply Chain Report Authoring Team
- ATIS 5G/SC Working Group
- House Armed Services Committee staff
- Senate Armed Services Committee staff
- House Oversight Committee staff
- Chris DeRusha (Fed CISO)
- Soraya Correa (DHS OCPO)
- DHS CSWG Supply Chain Subgroup
- USEA Energy Technology and Governance Program UCSI Working Group
- ABA IoT National Institute
- IIC Summer Meeting
- Manufacturing Industry Leadership Council meeting
- Global Industry Organizations' Smart Manufacturing Workshop
- SAE G-32 Hardware WG meeting
- New England Council event
- NSTAC Software Assurance Sub-Committee
- Aerospace Industries Association
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- ADM Mauger US Coast Guard Assistant Commandant for Prevention Policy (CG-5P)
- Nav Research, Development & Acquisition (ASN/RD&A)
- House Committee on Oversight and Reform
- O3 IIC Information Day - Fuel Your Digital Transformation Journey
- CISA NRMIC Supply Chain Trustworthiness Framework IPT
- CISA Standards Area Lead for C-SCRM
- MDA Ground Missile Defense PM
- DoE CESER Cybersecurity Senior Advisor

- House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence
- Electric Power Research Institute (EPRI)
- Common Attack Pattern Enumeration (CAPEC) Workshop
- HHS ASPR RISC 2.0 Leadership Team
- DoC SCRM Team
- IIC March 2022 Event
- SW Supply Chain Integrity and SoT to ESF Team
- CMS CIO
- ELISA Workshop
- CISQ Webinar
- Software Supply Chain Security Webinar
- System of Trust with VA SCRM Team
- SW Supply Chain Integrity and SoT to RKVST Team
- SW Supply Chain Integrity and SoT to Dell Team
- American Bar Association (ABA) Technology Meeting
- RSA Conference 2022
- Open Group July Member Meeting Plenary
- Hacks in Taiwan Conference 2022
- Hot Topics in Supply Chain Security 2022 Summit
- NDIA Microelectronics Trust and Assurance Workshop
- ABA IoT National Institute 2022
- CISQ Resilience Summit
- Third Party Risk Management Symposium in Sao Paulo Brazil
- Global Semiconductor Alliance (GSA) Trusted IoT Ecosystem for Security (TIES)
- The Annual Computer Security Applications Conference (ACSAC)
- SC Magazine Paul's SC Weekly Podcast
- George Washington Univ. CoE in Public Leadership Video Roundtable
- DHS-NIST-DoD-GSA co-sponsored Software and Supply Chain Forum
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- IIC March 2023 Event
- MITRE Cybersecurity Days 2023
- Senate Sargaent at Arms Team
- Australian CISRO
- British Standards Institute BSI.Connect conference
- ABA Pre-RSA Tech Committee Meeting
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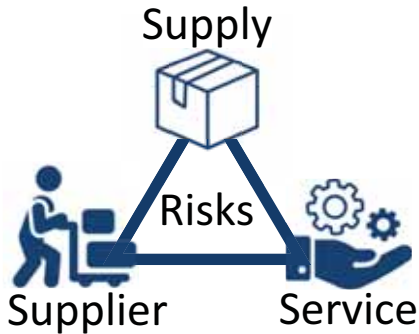
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- a magical database of supply chain information
- a Supply Chain Risk Management approach
- a Logistics Management approach
- a Cyber Supply Chain Risk Management approach

SoT is:

- a compliment to SP 800-161 and other risk management guidance by enumerating the supply chain risks that may need to be managed
- a strategic, widely-adoptable, tailorable, data-driven analysis framework to promote assessment of the appropriate elements of a supply chain
- a nexus of assessment capabilities, standards, & information sources that is leverageable by MITRE, government and industry for repeatable, impactful analysis required for supply chain hygiene & due-diligence

System of Trust Components



A Language / Catalog of Supply Chain Risks w/how to assess, contract, & COAs



Risk Model Manager

A Content Manager for the Risk Catalog



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