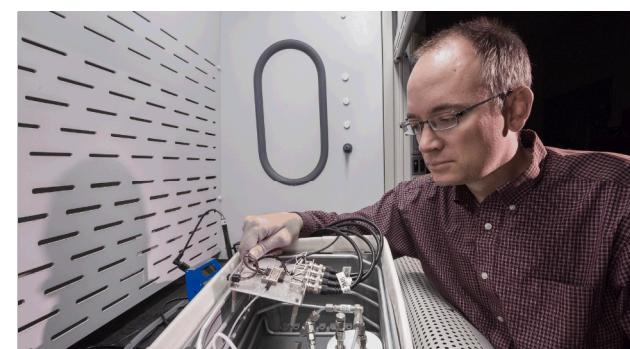


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# Security Effectiveness Analysis

## Overview

# Evaluation Approaches

- **Expert Opinion:** PPS design and evaluation activities based on personal knowledge and experience
- **Features Approach:** PPS design and evaluation based on specification and implementation of a required set of features (aka *Compliance Approach*)
- **Component Criteria Approach:** PPS design and evaluation based on standards approach that uses performance criteria for *some* security features
- **System Performance Approach:** PPS design and evaluation based on a systems engineering security methodology specifying and achieving an overall system effectiveness against a Design Basis Threat

# Evaluation Approaches Summary

| Approach           | Requirement   | Metric                                       |
|--------------------|---|--|
| Expert             | Satisfy expert  | Opinion                                      |
| Features           | Include required features                             | Presence of features                         |
| Component Criteria | Include required features that meet specific standard | Presence of feature and performance standard |
| System Performance | Prevent theft or sabotage of facility                 | System effectiveness                         |

# Case Study (1 of 4)

- **Situation:** There is an external door on the 28<sup>th</sup> floor of a high-rise building. The building security officer wants to know if the door needs to be locked.
- **For each of the four approaches**
  - **How do you answer this question?**
  - **How do you validate your answer?**

# Case Study (2 of 4)

- **Expert Opinion:** A security expert might tell you that in their opinion it is desirable to lock the door
  - How do you validate that opinion?
  - What if another “expert” gives another opinion? Who is correct?
- **Features Approach:** The company owning the building might require that all external doors below the 20<sup>th</sup> floor not otherwise identified as entrances for the public or as emergency exits be locked.
  - How would you then determine if the door should be locked?
  - How would you validate that this requirement will lead to better security?

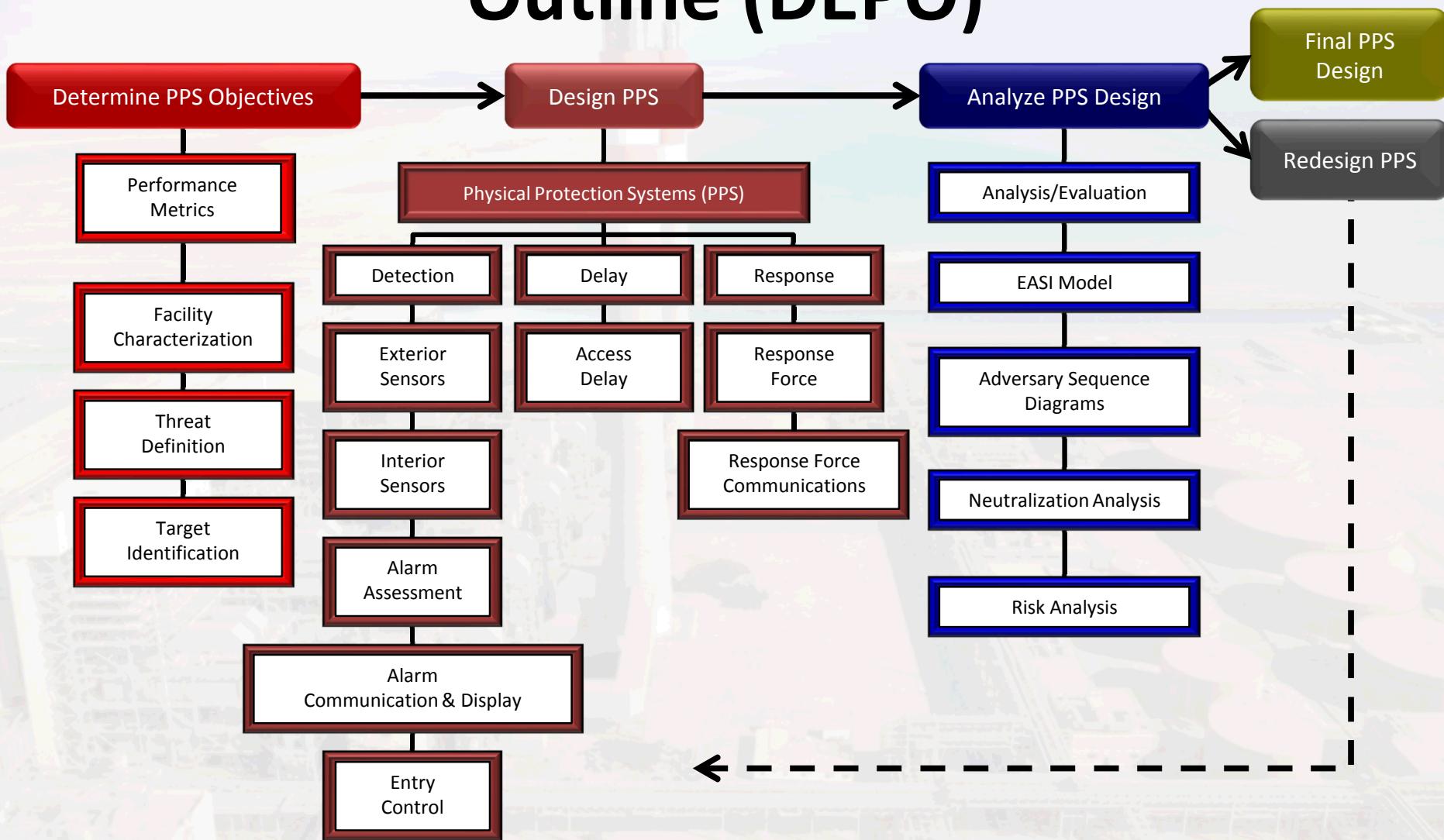
# Case Study (3 of 4)

- **Component Criteria Approach:** In this approach, there is a requirement to include required features that meet specific performance standards
  - Example: “all external doors below the 20<sup>th</sup> floor not otherwise identified as entrances for the public or as emergency exits should be locked and provide at least three minutes of delay against an adversary with a hammer and crow bar.”
  - How would you then determine if the door should be locked?
  - How would you validate that meeting this requirement will lead to better security?

# Case Study (4 of 4)

- **System Performance Approach:** This approach considers several criteria in a systems engineering methodology
  - Requirements
    - What assets or items in the building need protecting? (*critical targets*)
    - Who do these targets need to be protected from? (*design basis threat*)
    - How well do I need to protect the targets? (*system performance metric*)
    - Are there non-security reasons to lock the door or leave it open? (*facility characterization*)
  - Characterize the Physical Protection System
  - Evaluate the effectiveness of the Physical Performance System
  - How do you answer the “lock or not lock” question?
  - How do you validate your answer with the results of the analysis?

# Design and Evaluation Process Outline (DEPO)



# Performance Analysis

- **System performance-based process (DEPO)**
- **Metric is acceptable *risk***
  - $RC = [1 - (PI * PN)] * C$
  - $PI$  = Probability system will interrupt  
*(detection, assessment, delay, response time)*
  - $PN$  = Probability response force will neutralize  
*(response force vs. adversary)*
  - $C$  = Consequence of a successful attack on a target  
*(impact on SYSTEM)*

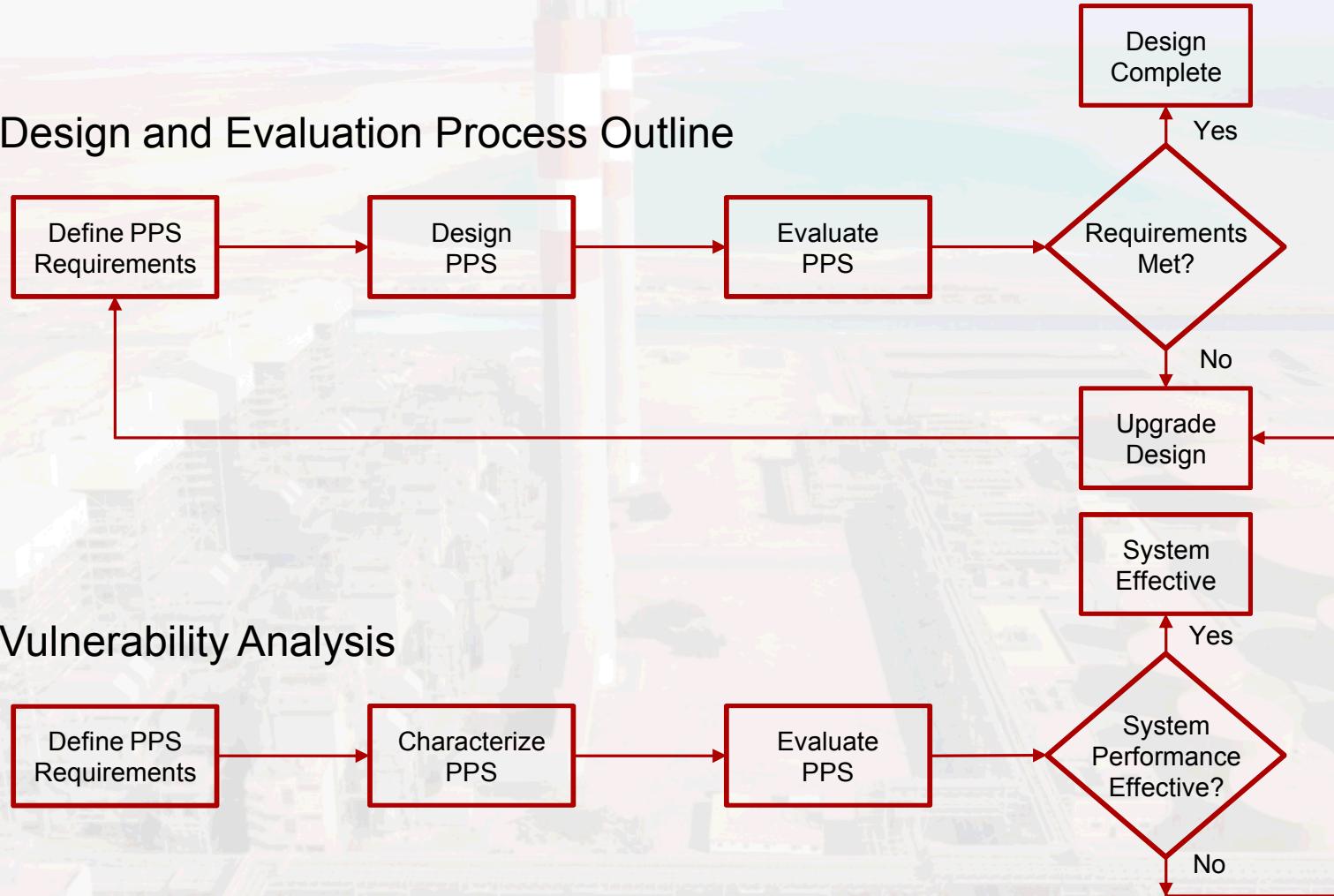
# Primary PPS Functions

- **Detection** – the discovery of an adversary action
  - Accomplished with alarms generated by sensors
  - Alarms must be reported and assessed
- **Delay** – the slowing down of adversary progress after detection
  - Accomplished with barriers, personnel, locks, active and passive delay technologies
- **Response** – the actions taken by response forces to prevent adversary success
  - Response force deployment
  - Tactics, techniques, and procedures
  - Equipment



# DEPO vs. VA

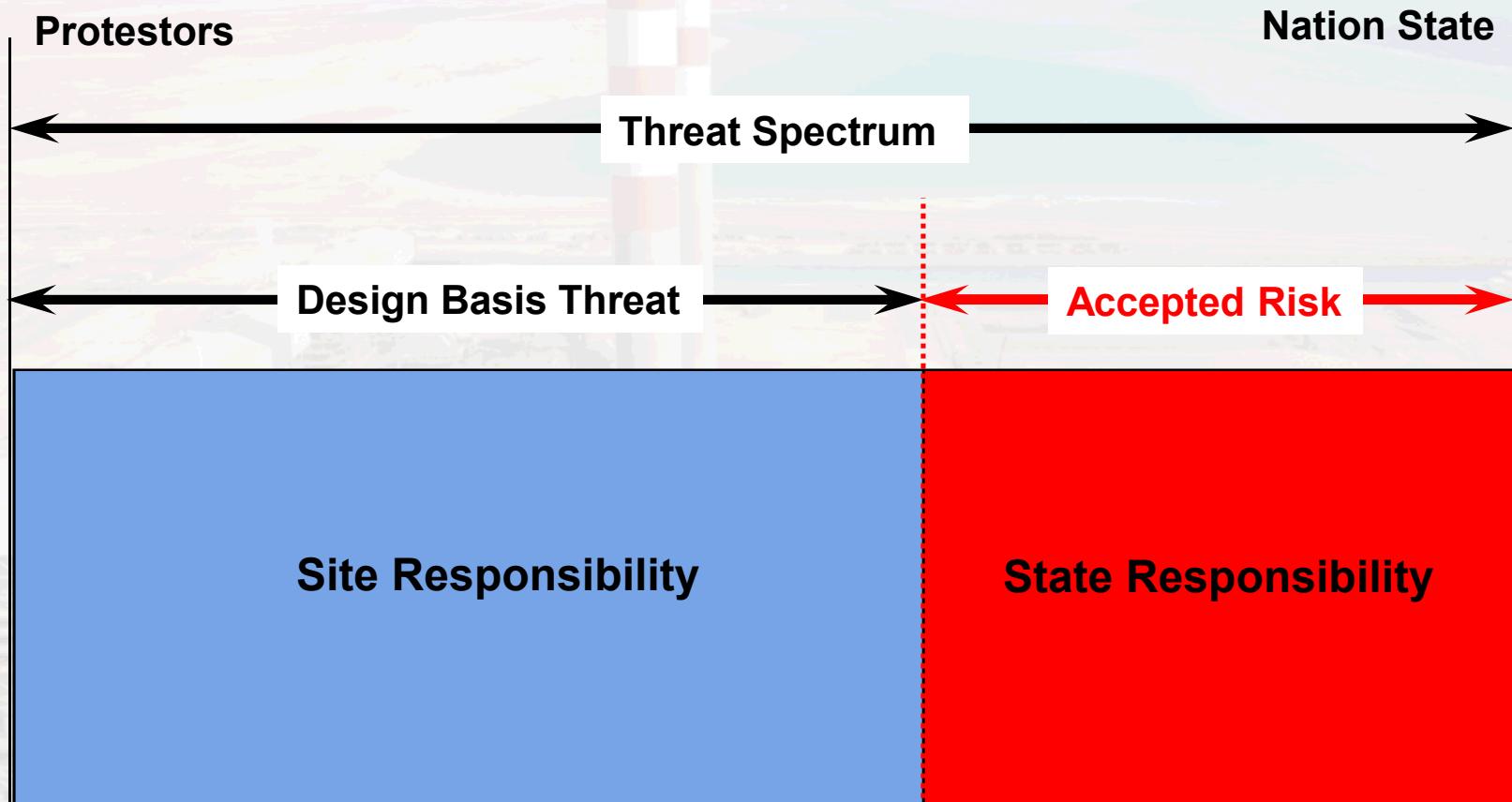
## Design and Evaluation Process Outline



# Threat Analysis

- **National level effort**
- **Examine entire threat spectrum**
  - Protestors
  - Criminals
  - Terrorists
- **Sources of information**
  - Intelligence
  - Police
  - Historical data
- **Demonstrated and emerging capabilities**
- **State, regional, international threats**

# Design Basis Threat



# DBT Example

|                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| Motivation        | Ideological, political  |
| Intent            | Sabotage  |
| Numbers           | 8 with multiple teams – based on capabilities and trends              |
| Weapons           | RPG, grenades, small arms, standoff and IDF                           |
| Explosives        | Mix of commercial, military (C-4) and homemade; VBIED; shaped charges |
| Tools             | Hand tools, power tools, electronics, night vision, stolen items      |
| Transport         | Ground, sea, maritime, air (helicopter)                               |
| Tech skills       | Paramilitary training, explosives, engineering, IT                    |
| Funding           | Mid to high level – regional support                                  |
| Support structure | Local cell structure, safe-havens, sympathetic population             |
| Insider Collusion | 1 – 2: passive and/or active, non-violent insider (active/violent???) |

# Facility Characterization

- Physical conditions
  - Site boundaries
  - Weather extremes and effects on operations
  - Terrain analysis
    - Key Terrain – choke points, corridors, observation platforms
    - Observation/Fields of Fire – areas of cleared vegetation, fields
    - Cover and Concealment – ballistic vs. non ballistic, trees, culverts
    - Obstacles – drainage, adjoining buildings, terrain, HVAC, pipes
    - Avenues of Approach – various types of roads, paths (by size)
- Facility operations (day vs. night)
  - Products and processes
  - Operational hours
  - Numbers of employees

# Facility Characterization

- Facility policies and procedures
  - Operational policies
  - Training policies
  - Corporate culture
- Regulatory requirements
  - Federal, state, local
  - Regulatory authority
- Safety requirements
  - Safety regulations and requirements
  - Security regulations and requirements
  - Interaction between safety and security

# Facility Characterization

- Legal issues
  - Liability for event
  - Failure to protect
  - Overreaction by security forces
- Corporate goals and objectives
  - Management's view of security
  - Level of support for security initiatives
  - Security Culture

# Target Examples

- People (employees, families)
- Transmission lines
- Towers
- HV Transformers
  - System controls
  - Cooling oil
  - Radiator
  - Coils
- System distribution – multiple axis attack on nodes

# Targets and Consequences

- Examine site performance as **system**
  - Important high value targets *may not affect* overall system
  - Identify key nodes (**offsite?**)
  - Analyze repair and replacement times
  - Analyze possible damage mechanisms
- Assign consequence value based on impact
- Determine performance level of PPS

$$R_C = [1 - (P_I * P_N)] * C$$

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**(0.78)**

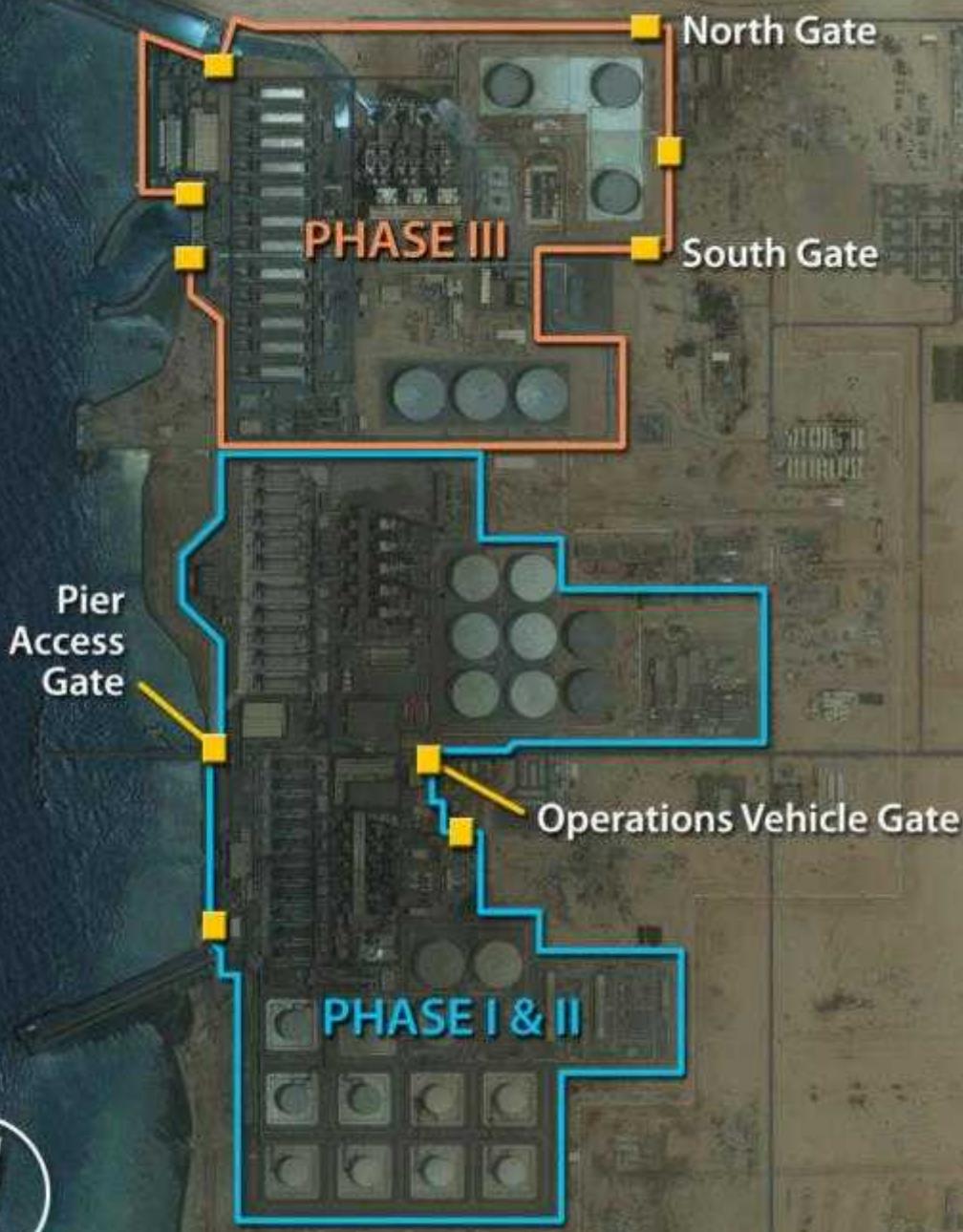
# Targets and Consequences

- As acceptable risk is reduced,  $P_E$  must increase

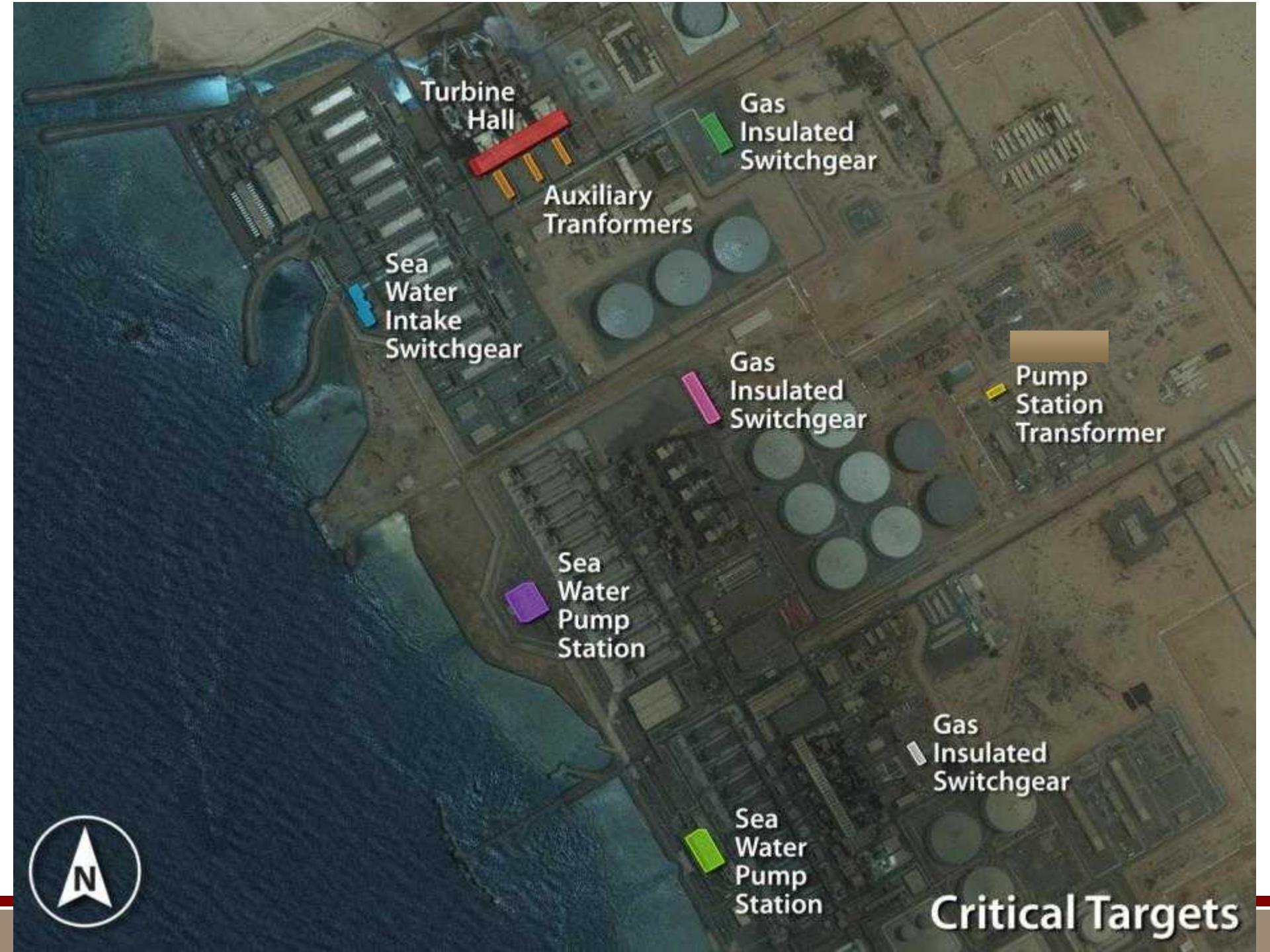
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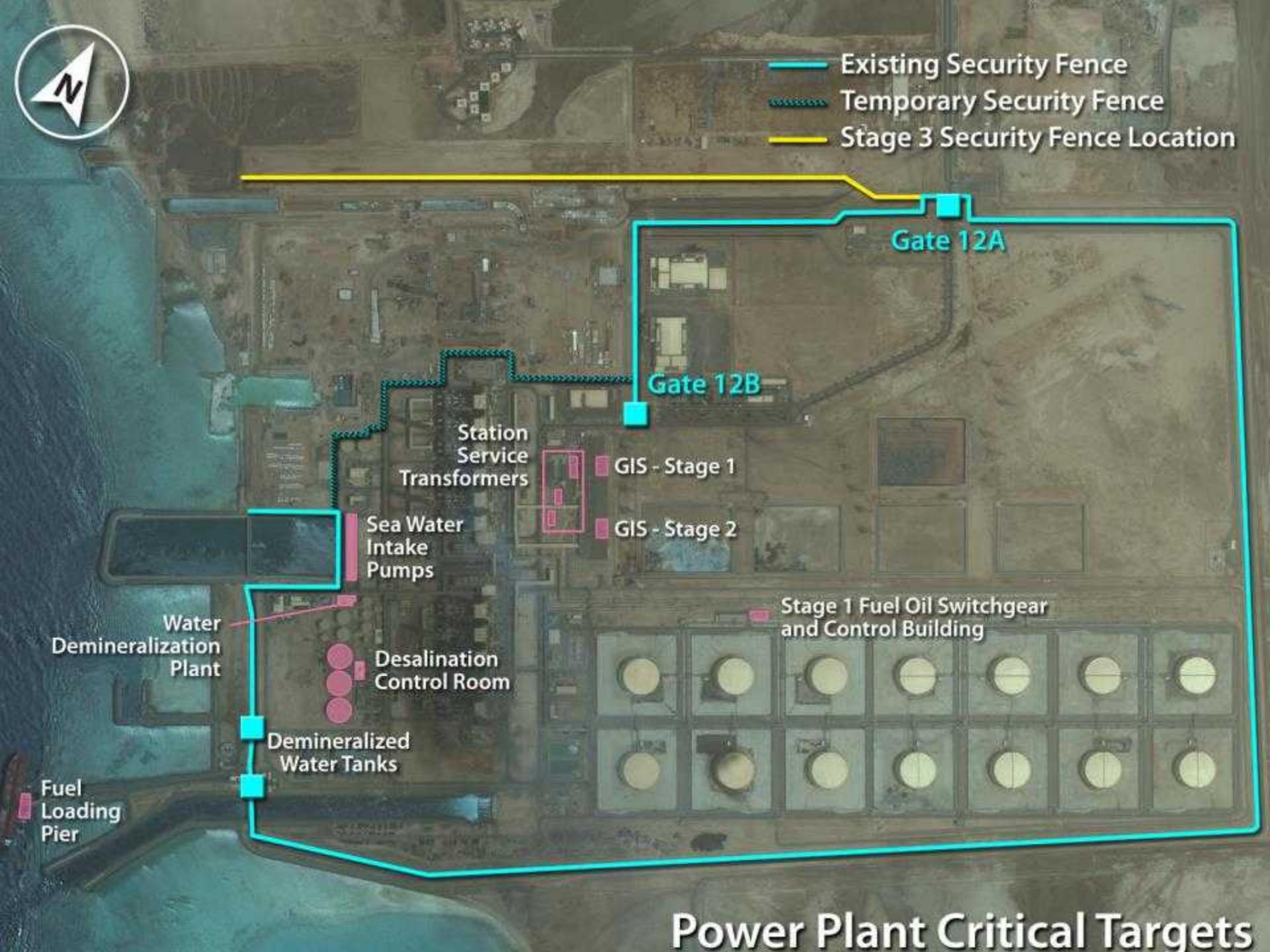
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# Characterize the PPS:

- Characterize protection elements in depth
  - Detection, Delay, Response
- Include access controls and procedures
- Develop methods for defeating the protection system elements
- Evaluate metrics for detection and delay
- Characterize the response in terms of capabilities and Response Force Times (RFTs)

*The output will be a thorough description of the PPS for all significant targets*

# Types of Exterior Sensors

- Fence Disturbance
- Taut Wire Fence
- Electric Field or capacitance sensors
- Active infrared
- Passive infrared
- Bistatic and monostatic microwave
- Dual technology sensors
- Video motion detection
- Area denial – RADAR
- Ballistic/sniper detection - Boomerang

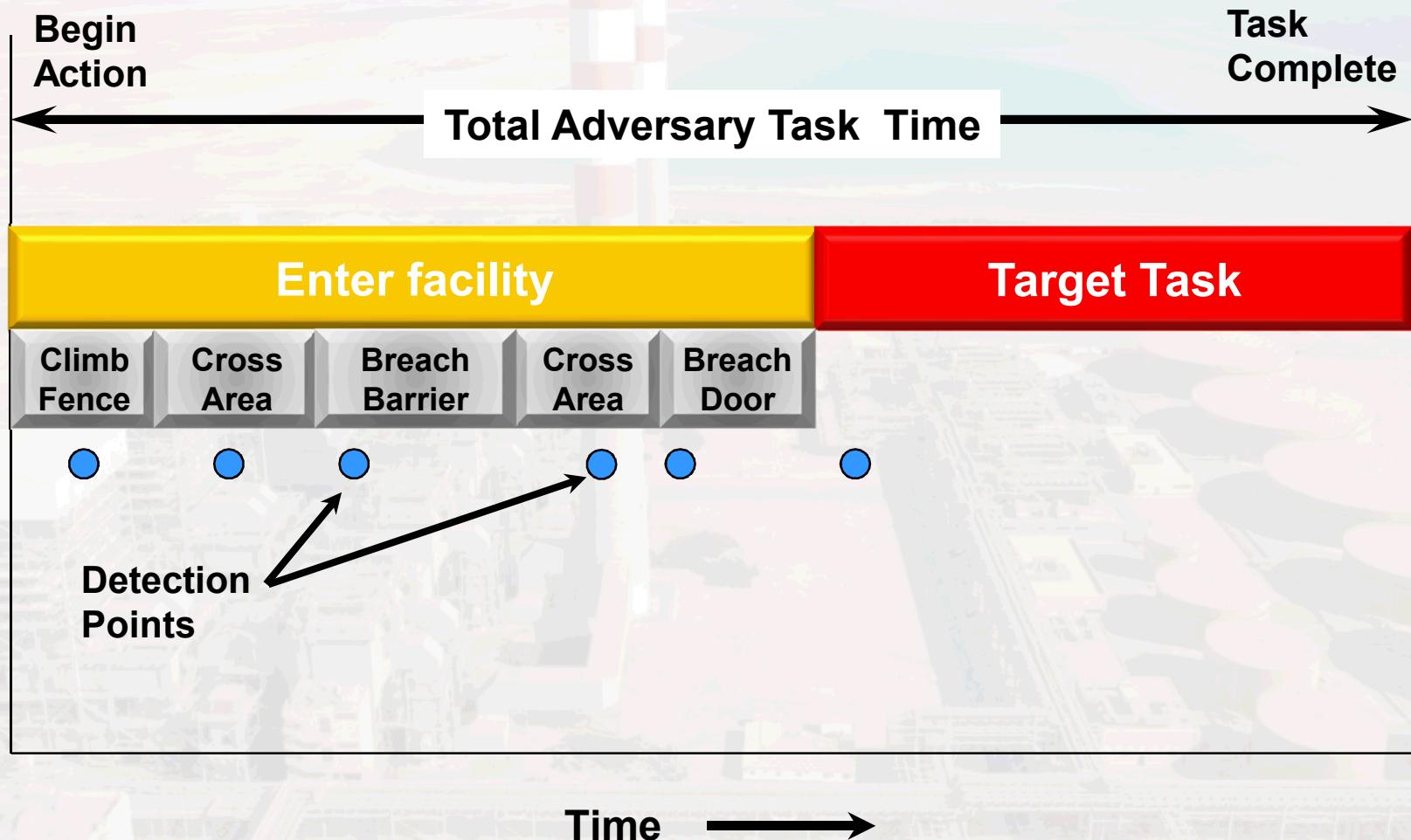
# Sensor Selection Considerations

- Application
- Operating principle
- Detection capabilities
- Conditions for unreliable detections
- Typical defeat methods
- Major causes of nuisance alarms

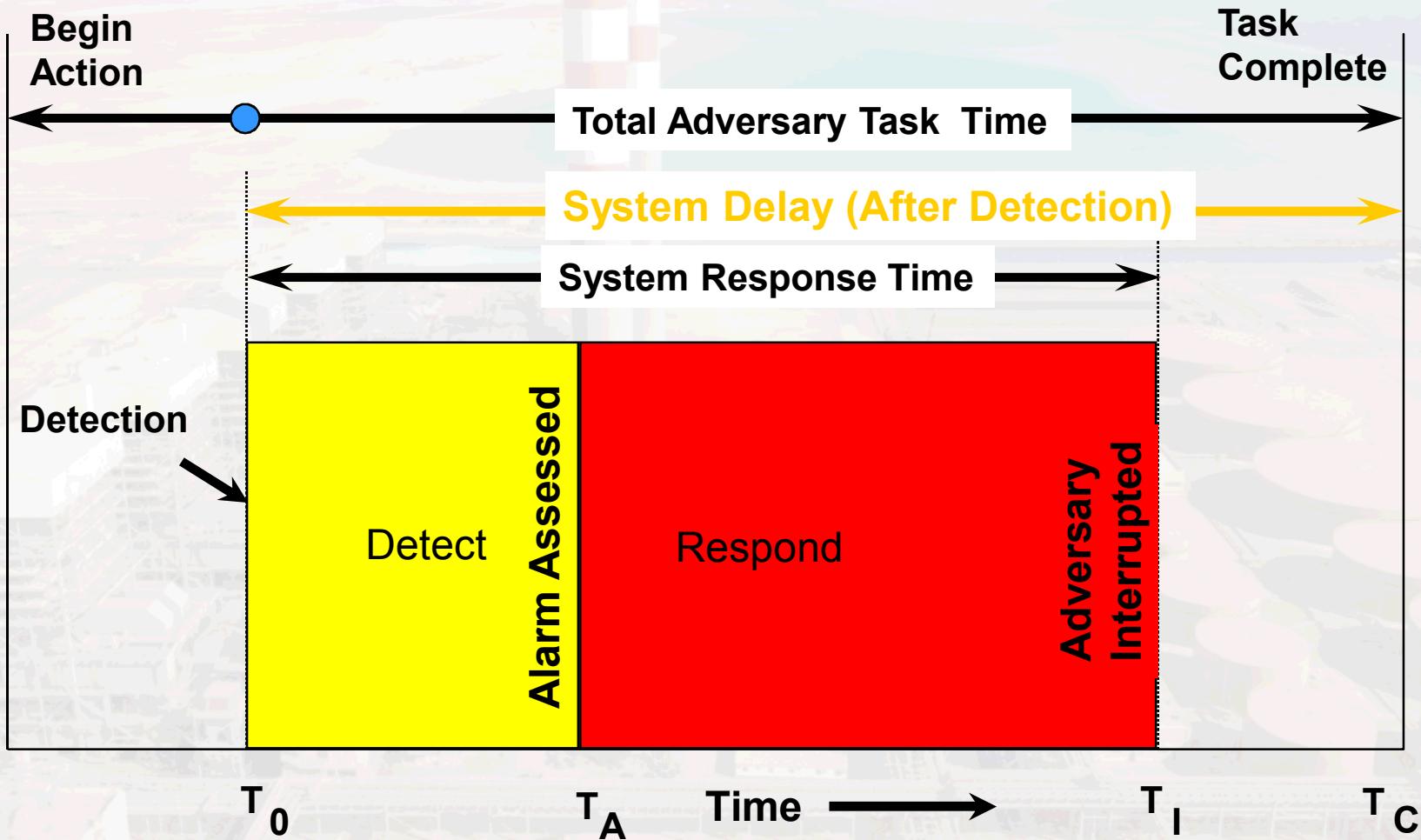
# Adversary Path Concept

- Adversary must *traverse a path* from offsite to the target
- Path is composed of a *series of actions*
- Each action has a *delay time* based on DBT capabilities
- *Detection* may occur at various points along the path
- Detection may be minimized or defeated based on DBT capabilities
- Response Force may *interrupt* the adversary if detection is timely

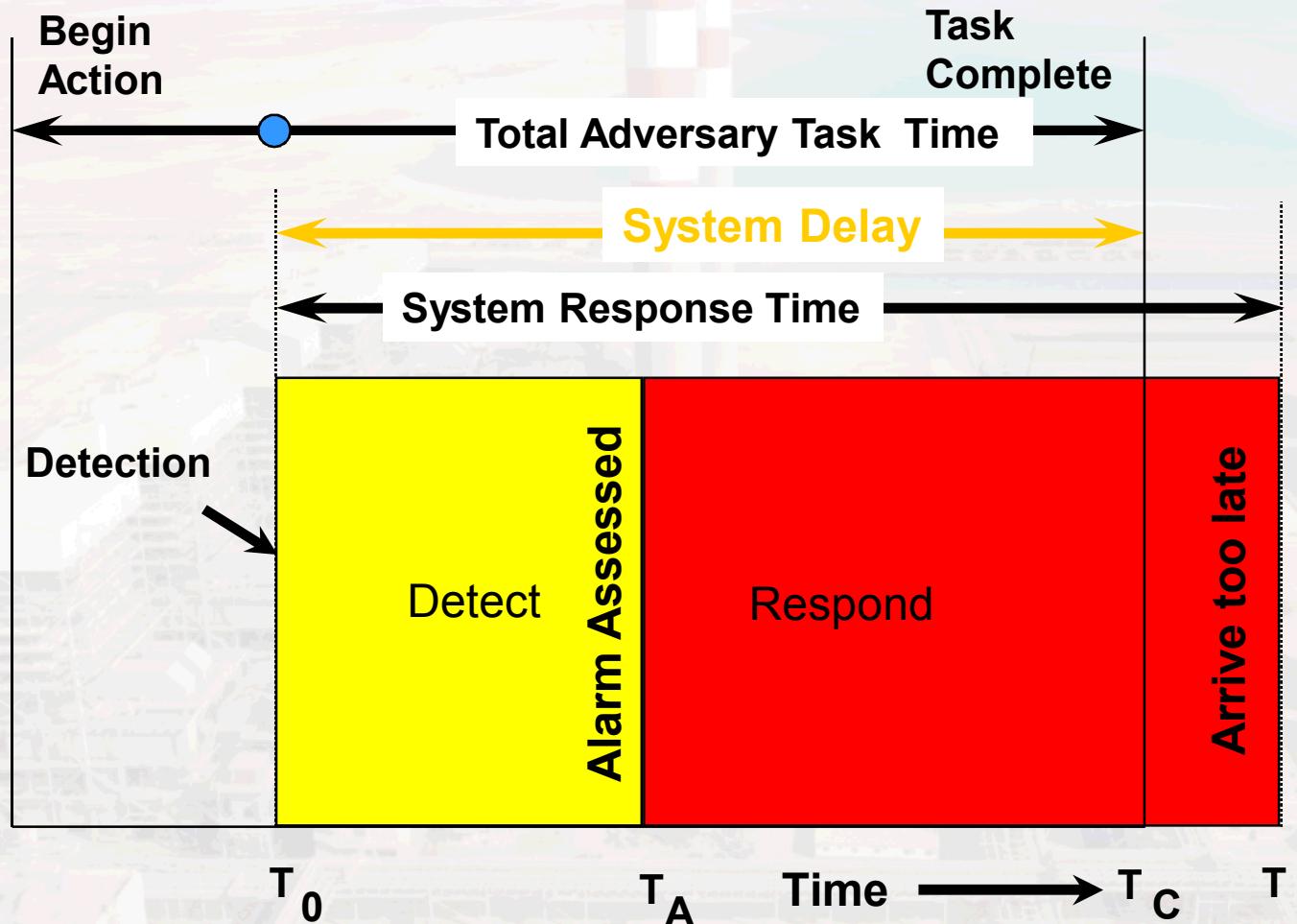
# Example of Adversary Path



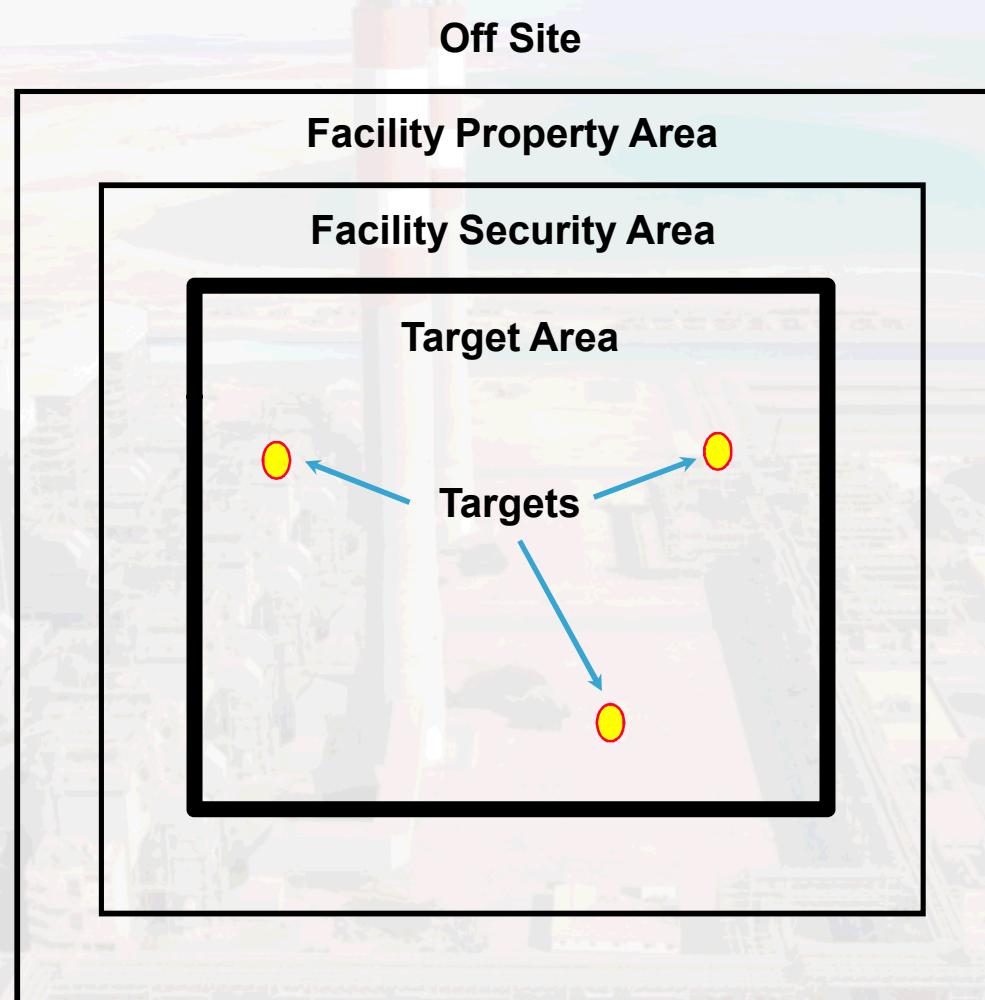
# Example of Timely Detection



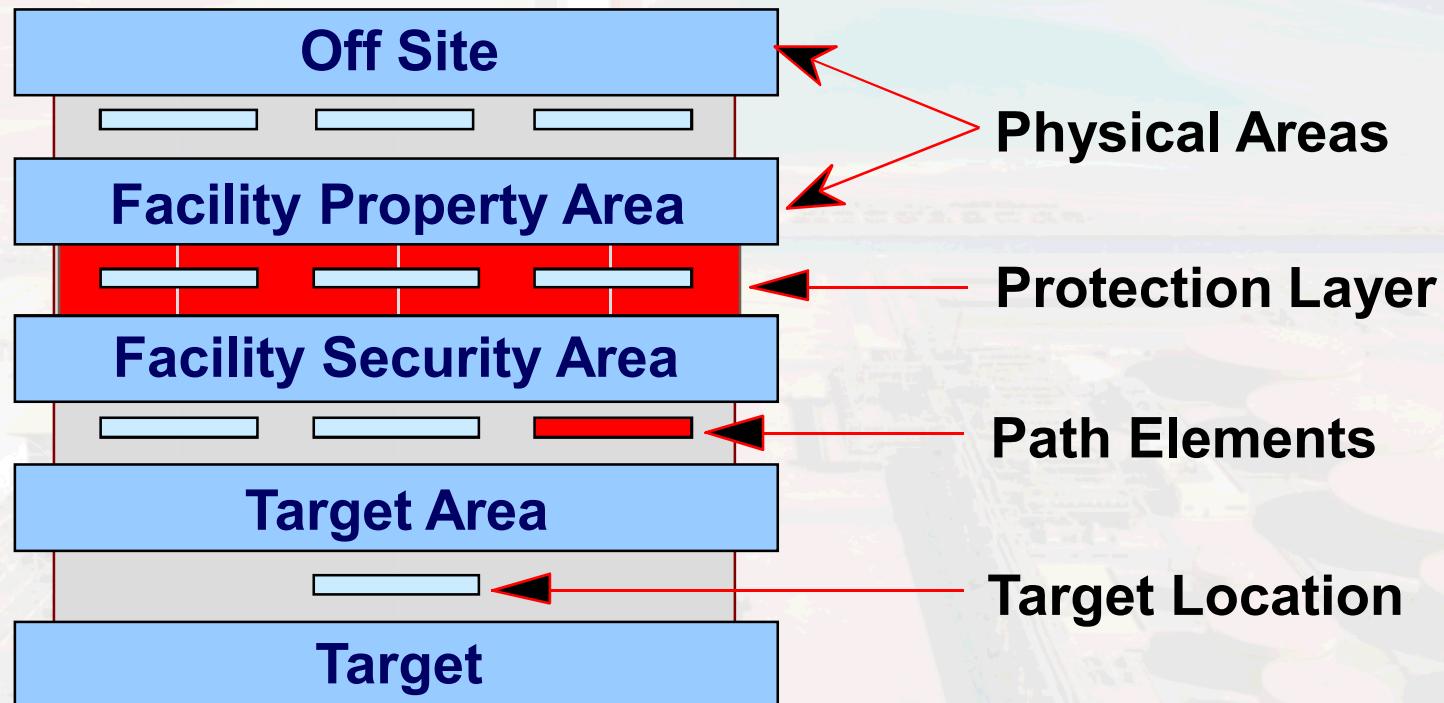
# Example of Non-Timely Detection



# Facility Model



# Adversary Sequence Diagram



# Performance Test Demonstration

- Barrier Defeat Techniques
  - Unassisted fence climb – dual penetration
  - Assisted fence climb
  - Climb under fence
  - Use of outside debris/structures to assist
- Sensor Defeat Techniques
  - Jump
  - Crawl

# Physical Security Best Practices

- Protect pencils like pencils; diamonds like diamonds
- Protection in depth
- Balanced protection
- Multiple complimentary sensors
- Delay (barriers) *after* detection and assessment
- Response force inside protective perimeter
- Defend and deny key targets
- Mass and firepower