Position, Navigation and Timing for National Security

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Agenda

PNT vulnerabilities and the market dilemma

What are countries doing to address the threat

Protection strategies and recommendations

Critical Infrastructure Sectors Depend on PNT

1. Chemical Sector
2. Communications Sector
3. Dams Sector
4. Emergency Services
5. Financial Services
6. Government Facilities
7. Information Technology
8. Transportation
9. Commercial Facilities
10. Critical Manufacturing
11. Defense Industrial Base
12. Energy
13. Food and Agriculture
14. Healthcare and Public Health
15. Nuclear, Materials, and Waste
16. Water and Wastewater Systems

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The Dilemma in the Market

Is the operator aware of PNT vulnerabilities?

PNT Vulnerability

Not aware of problem

Don’t believe there is a problem

GNSS Outages Continue to Make News

China: Intermittent GPS signal loss experienced by aircraft landing at Harbin airport in north-eastern China is traced to **a jammer installed at a nearby pig farm**.

Mexico passes an anti-jammer law, having discovered that GPS jammers are used in **85% of cargo vehicle thefts** in the country.

Norway: GPS jamming once again **causes problems in the far north of Norway**, close to the Russian border.

Global: Echoing MARAD warning, Fortune reports that **GPS outages are now standard occurrences on commercial flight routes** between the US, Europe and the Middle East.

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Executive Order on PNT Resilience

EXECUTIVE ORDERS

Executive Order on Strengthening National Resilience through Responsible Use of Positioning, Navigation, and Timing Services

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International Collaboration

Key Initiatives
Department of Transportation (DOT) trial terrestrial eLoran as key solution
Time Guidance document by CyberSecurity Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA)
Office of Science and Technology (OSTP) issues RFI
NIST draft Cybersecurity Profile for the Responsible Use of PNT Services
DHS issued PNT Conformance Framework document

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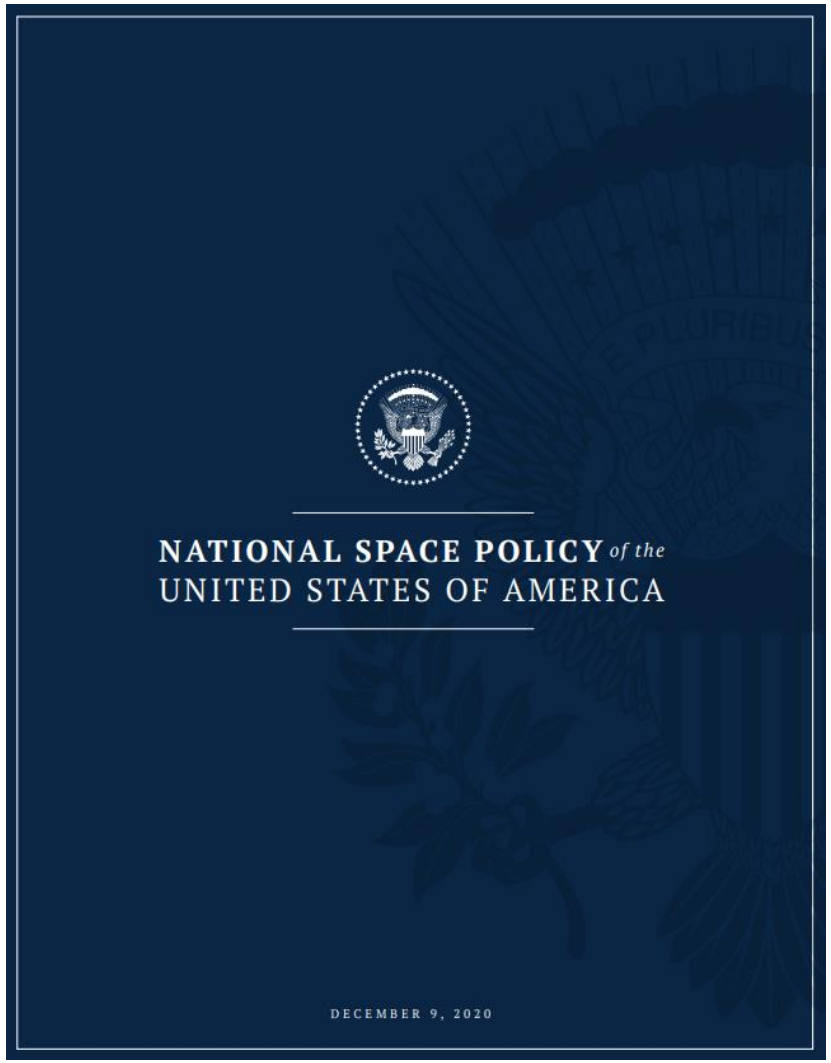
National Space Policy (December 2020)

PNT Resilience a Key Part of the Policy



- Improve the cybersecurity of GPS
- Engage with international GNSS providers to encourage interoperability
- Invest in activities to detect, analyze and mitigate to increase resilience against harmful interference to GNSS
- Promote diverse complimentary PNT approaches

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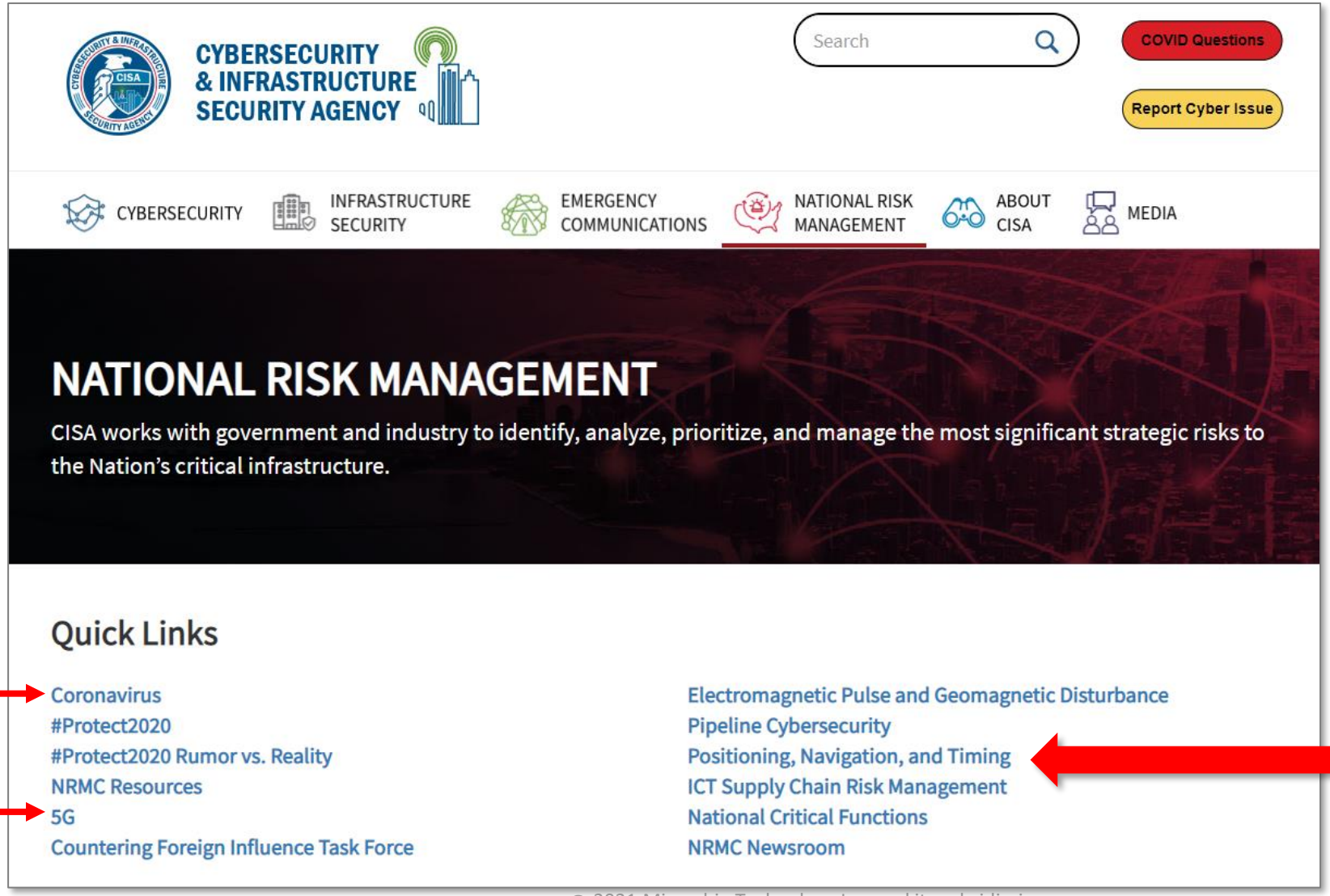
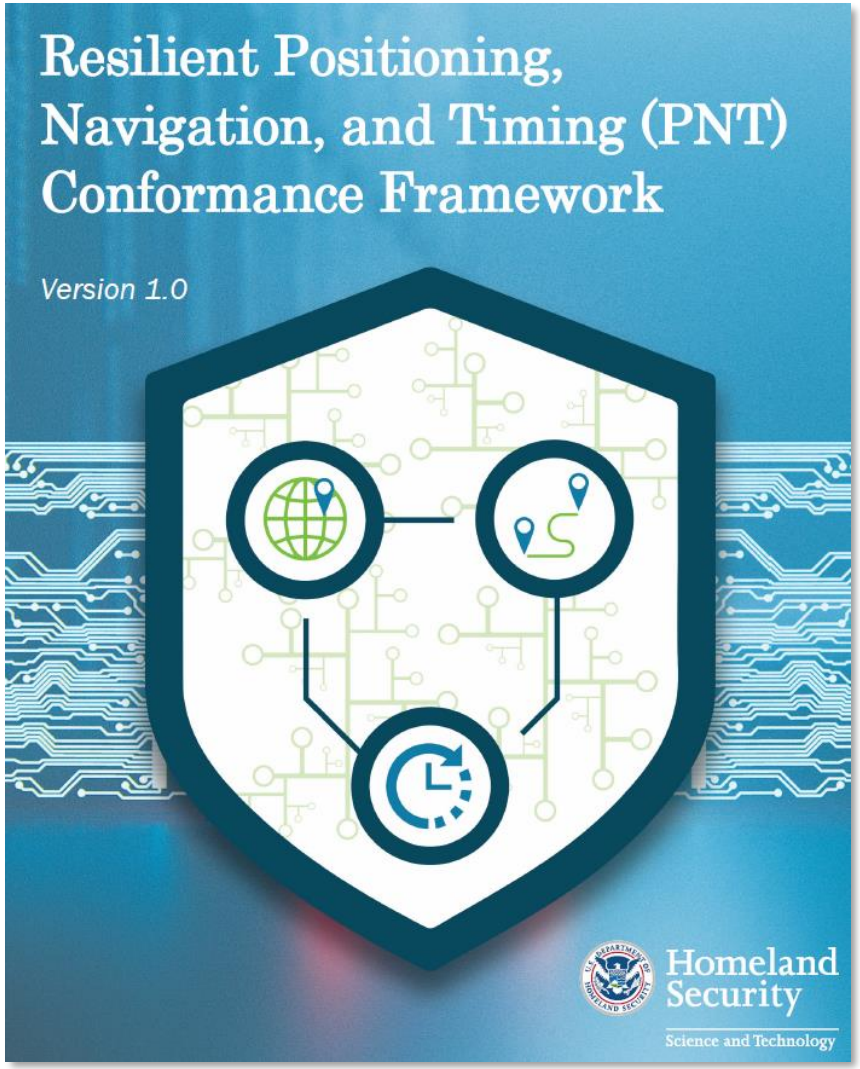
Cybersecurity & Infrastructure Security Agency (CISA)



Resilient PNT Conformance Framework (December 18, 2020)



- The term "resilience" means the ability to prepare for and adapt to changing conditions and withstand and recover from disruptions.

- The framework focuses on achieving resilience of PNT User Equipment and services. It is developed around the Presidential Policy Directive on Critical Infrastructure Security and Resilience.

Core Functions of Resiliency

- **Prevent:** Ideally threats are prevented from entering a device or system, however, it must be assumed that it will not be possible to stop all threats.
- **Respond:** detect atypical errors or anomalies and take protective actions such as mitigation, containment and reporting.
- **Recover:** from atypical errors to return to a proper working state and defined performance.

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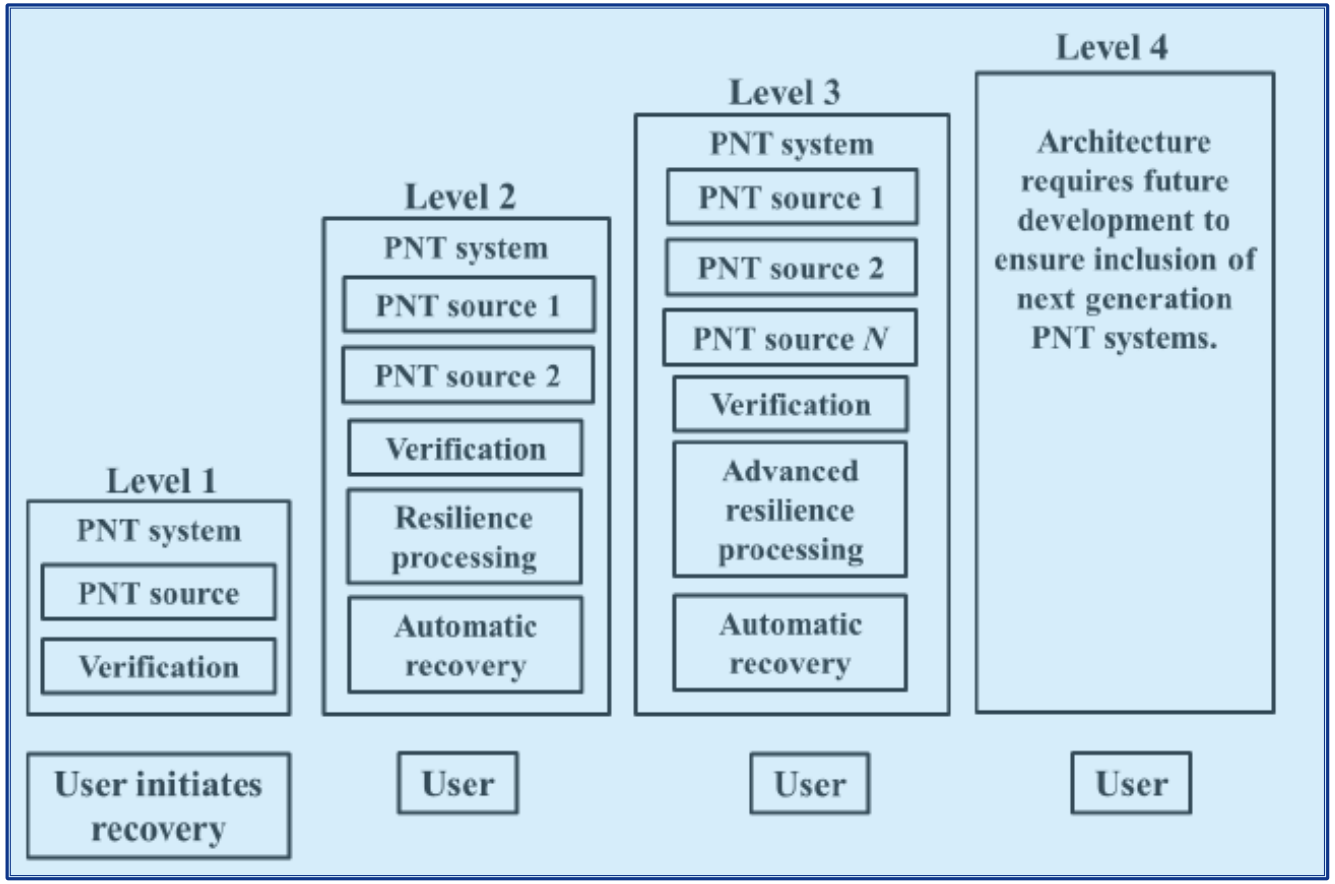
Resilience Levels

Resilience Levels build upon each other

- **Level 1:** Ability to recover
- **Level 2:** Identify compromised PNT sources but able to continue providing a PNT solution
- **Level 3:** Operate with a bounded degradation and ability to cross-verify between PNT solutions
- **Level 4:** Ability to operate with "no degradation to performance"



Source: Resilient PNT Conformance Framework , December 18, 2020

Visibility Enables Better Security

Visibility of threats enables pro-active security

Sensors -
inside the house

Cameras - outside the house

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Summary

Position, Navigation and Timing for National Security

GNSS incidents continues to grow at a dramatic rate, impacting multiple critical infrastructure sectors

The recently published “Resilient Positioning, Navigation and Timing Conformance Framework” guidelines are the result of global participation by PNT industry experts

Commercial suppliers provide a wide range of field proven PNT protection solutions for national security

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