Threat Intelligence Sources (Cont'd)

Technical Intelligence (TECHINT)

- Information is collected from an adversary's equipment or captured enemy material (CEM)
- TECHINT sources:
  - Foreign equipment
  - Foreign weapon systems
  - Satellites
  - Technical research papers
  - Foreign media
  - Human contacts

Geo-spatial Intelligence (GEOINT)

- Information is collected by the exploitation and evaluation of geo-spatial information to assess human activities on earth
- GEOINT sources:
  - Satellite imagery
  - Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAV) imagery
  - Maps
  - GPS Waypoints
  - IMINT (Imagery Intelligence)
  - National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA)

Imagery Intelligence (IMINT)

- Information is collected from objects that are used to reproduce the real scenario electronically by any kind of electronic media or device
- IMINT sources:
  - Visual photography
  - Infrared sensors
  - Synthetic Aperture Radar (SAR)
  - MASINT (Measurement and Signature Intelligence)
  - LASER
  - Electro-optics

Threat Intelligence Sources (Cont'd)

Measurement and Signature Intelligence (MASINT)

- Information is collected from the sensors that are intended to record distinctive characteristics (signatures) of fixed or dynamic targets.
- MASINT sources:
  - Electro-optical
  - Acoustic sensors like sonars
  - Infrared
  - Radar sensors
  - LASER
  - Spectroscopic sensors

Covert Human Intelligence Sources (CHIS)

- Information is covertly collected from the target person by maintaining a personal or other relationship with the target person
- CHIS generally refers to a person or an agent under the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000 (RIPA), UK.
- CHIS sources are the persons targeted for information extraction

Financial Intelligence (FININT)

- Information is collected about the adversary's financial affairs and transactions that may involve tax evasions, money laundering, or other practices. This in turn provides information about the nature, capabilities, and intentions of the adversary
- FININT sources:
  - Financial Intelligence Unit (FIU)
  - SWIFT
  - Banks
  - Informal value transfer systems (IVTS)

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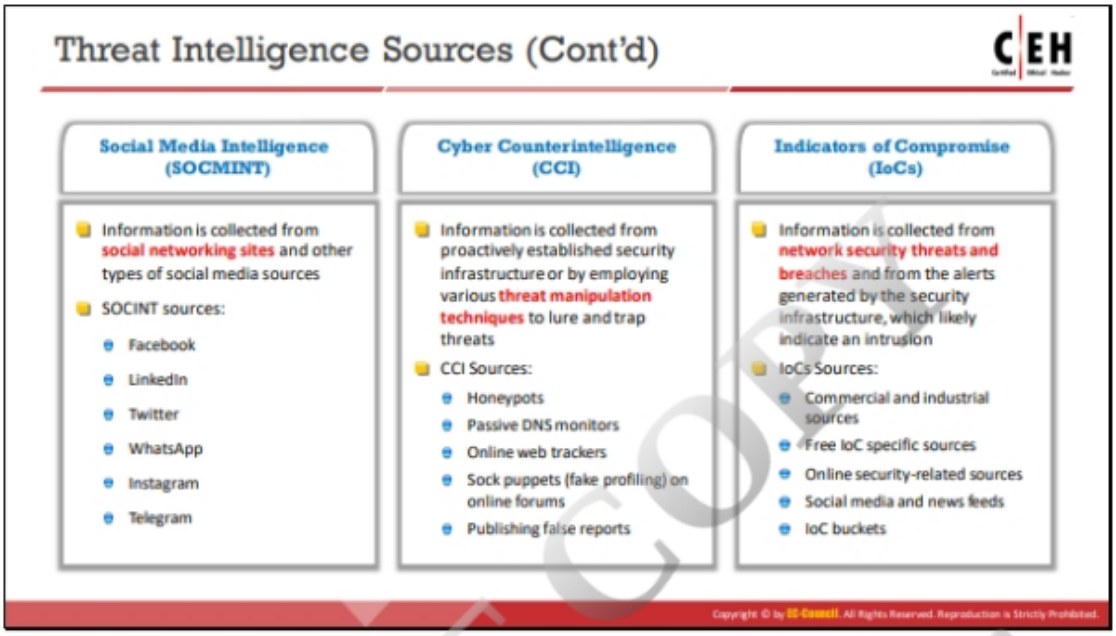

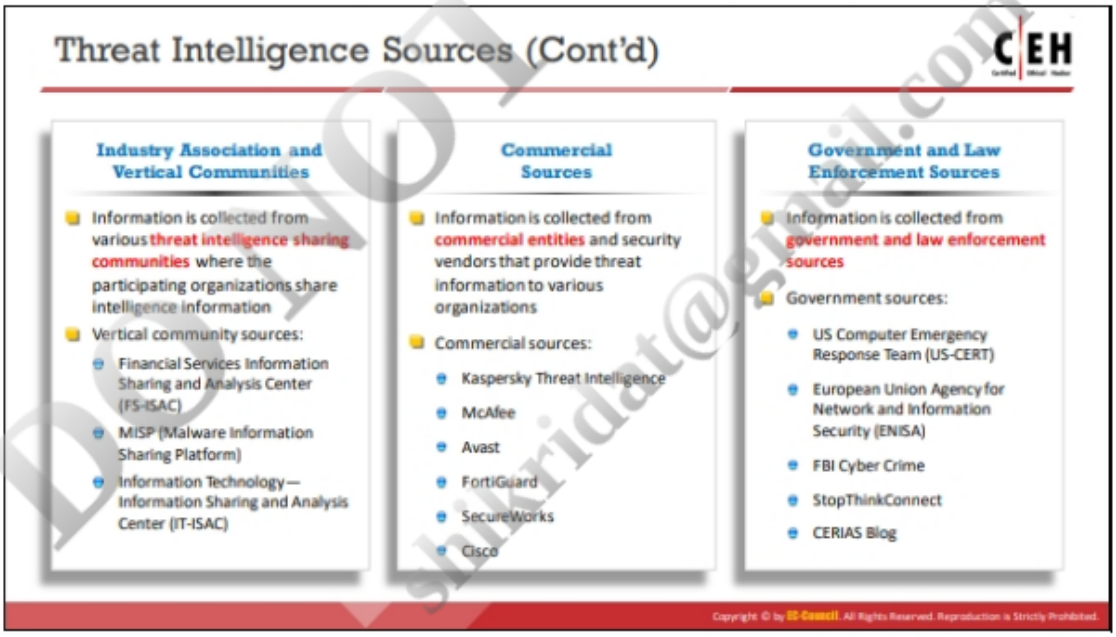

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