Insights on Algeria's experience implementing X.1060 framework

Dr. BACHIR BOUIADJRA Abderrazak
Head of Algeria Telecom's Cyber Defense Center





X.1060 recommendation establishes a framework for organizations not only to build and manage a cyber defence centre (CDC), but also to periodically evaluate and improve its effectiveness.



Who can take benefit?

The entity that offers security services to manage the cybersecurity risks at the top management level of <u>any organization</u>, can significantly take benefit from X.1060 and adopt its framework.

Is it flexible or rigid?

X.1060 recommendation establishes a framework with a very high level of adaptability and flexibility:

Table 1 – CDC service recommendation level

Weight	Description		
Unnecessary	Services deemed unnecessary		
Basic	Minimum services to be implemented		
Standard	Services that are generally recommended for implementation		
Advanced	Services required to achieve a higher-level CDC cycle		
Optional	Services arbitrarily selected acco	ording to the expected form of CDC	

Is it flexible or rigid?

X.1060 recommendation establishes a framework with a very high level of adaptability and flexibility:

Table 2 – CDC service assignment

Туре	Description		
Insourcing	Services are provided by a team within the organization. The organization should specify the team in charge.		
Outsourcing	Services are provided by a team outside of the organization. The organization should specify the outsourcer.		
Combination	The organization uses insourcing and outsourcing together. A responsible team and a contractor should be specified by the organization.		
Unassigned	Although the organization recognises a service, but there is no assignee in the organization.		

Is it flexible or rigid?

X.1060 recommendation establishes a framework with a very high level of adaptability and flexibility:

"An organization can establish its own service catalogue by selecting services from the list and adding services specific to the organization"



Regular evaluation of CDC

For insource				
Documented operation is authorized by CISO or other organizational director who has appropriate responsibilities	+5 points			
Operation is documented and others can play the role of existing operator	+4 points			
Operation is not documented, and others can play the partial role of existing operator temporarily	+3 points			
Operation is not documented, and the existing operator can play role	+2 points			
Operation is not working	+1 point			
Decided not to implement by insourcing	N/A			

Table 3 - CDC service scores

Service	Recommendation level	Service assignment	Service score	
			As-is	To-be
Service ex.1	Basic	Insourcing (AB Dept.)	3	5
Service ex.2	Standard	Outsourcing (Z-MSSP)	2	4
Service ex.3	Advanced	Unassignable	1	2

Figure 4 – Services matrix for a CDC



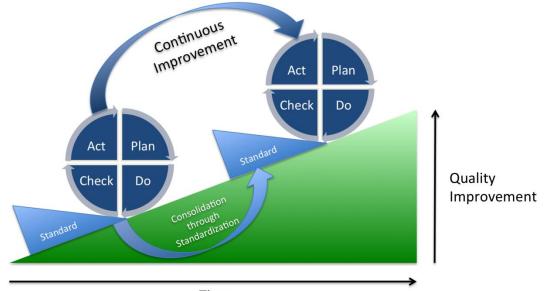
Insights on the ITU-T X.1060 Survey

The most interesting aspect we found in X.1060 recommendation, reside on its richness, adaptability, adequation to be adopted and implemented progressively.



Insights on the ITU-T X.1060 Survey

In our case, we are not just interested by the X.1060 but rather we already adopted the framework and implemented more than 50% of its services.





Thank you