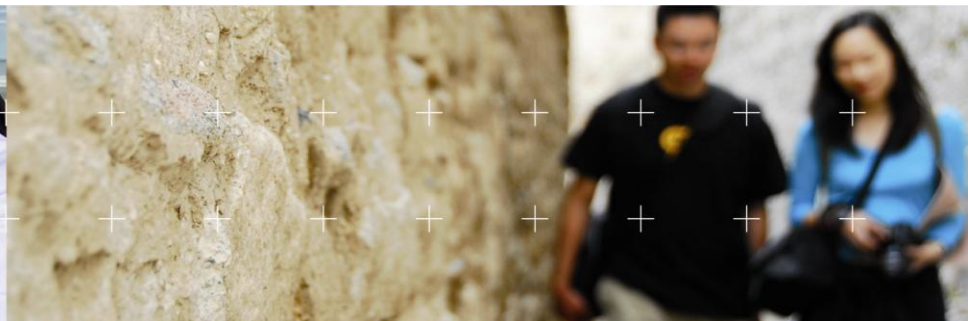


Target, Parametric and Massive IP interception

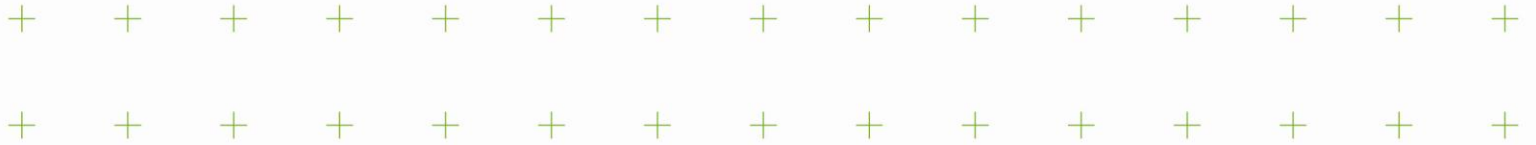
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Company highlights

- Company founded in 1996 for IT and Electronics design
- Based in Northern Italy, **100+ people, €35 mil. Turnover**
- First vendor to introduce Digital Multi-Channel Rec in Italy in 1999
- Company 100% owned by Italian founder and currently CEO
- **First Vendor In Italy, 100% dedicated to Law Enforcement Agencies**
- 100% in-house developed software
- Worldwide turn-key projects delivery



Market Share

- AREA is the largest italian provider of Lawful Interceptions Monitoring Centers, with over **300 installations**
- Italy has the highest penetration of Lawful Interception in Europe (72 every 100.000 inhabitants)
- Italy is a highly developed telecom market (i.e. cell phones)
- AREA currently works in many countries (Europe, Asia and Africa)



Our offering

AREA main activities are twofold:

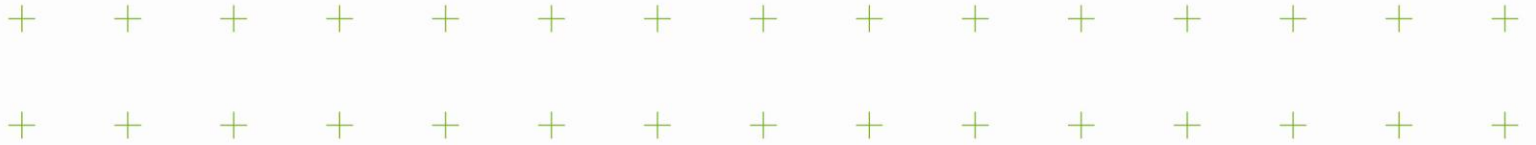
- **Lawful Interceptions Vendor**
 - Monitoring Centers Applications (SW)
 - Analysis Tools (SW)
 - Tactical Devices (HW & SW)
- **LI Global Solution Provider**
 - System Integrator
 - Turn-Key provider



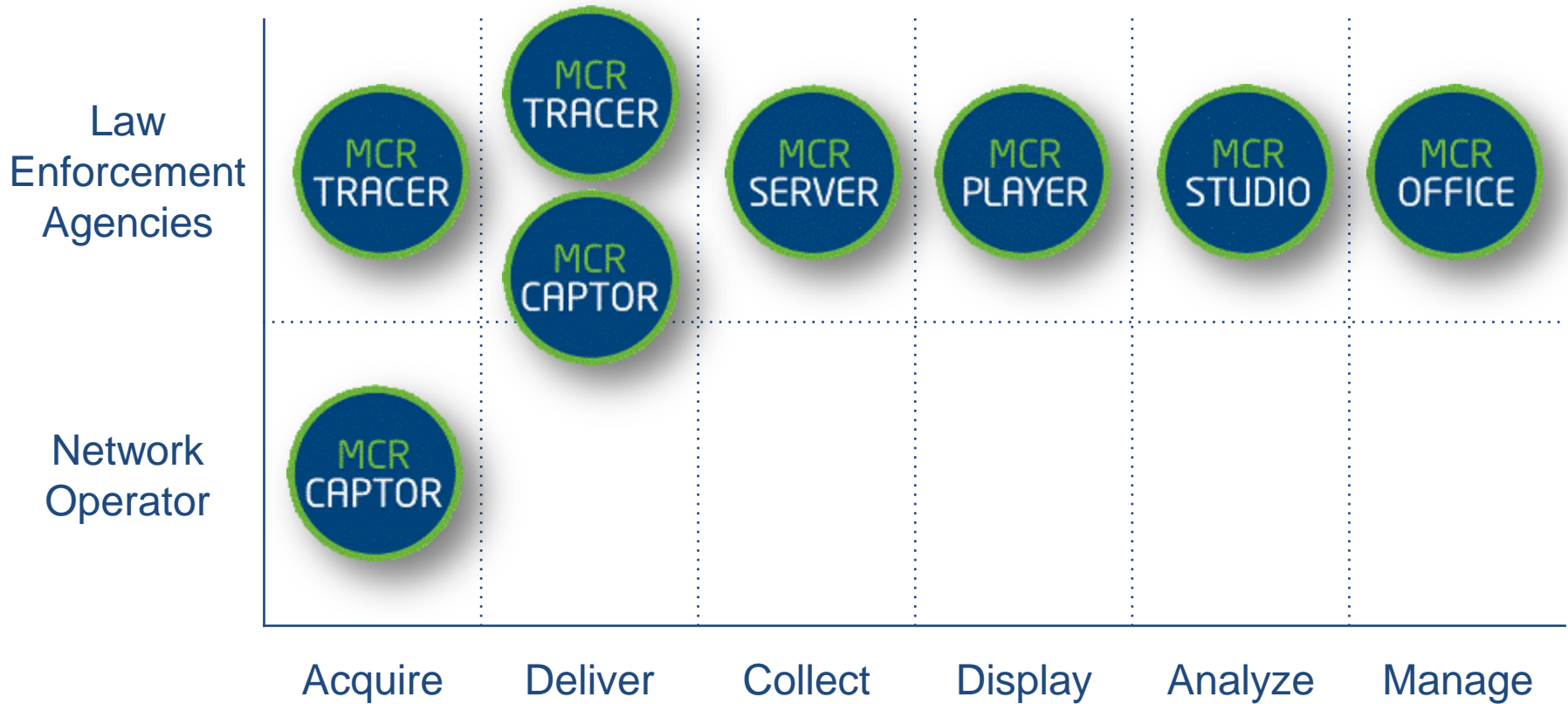
ETSI compliancy



- Full Member of **ETSI**, the **European Telecommunication Standard Institute**
- AREA is an active component of the **Lawful Interception workgroup**

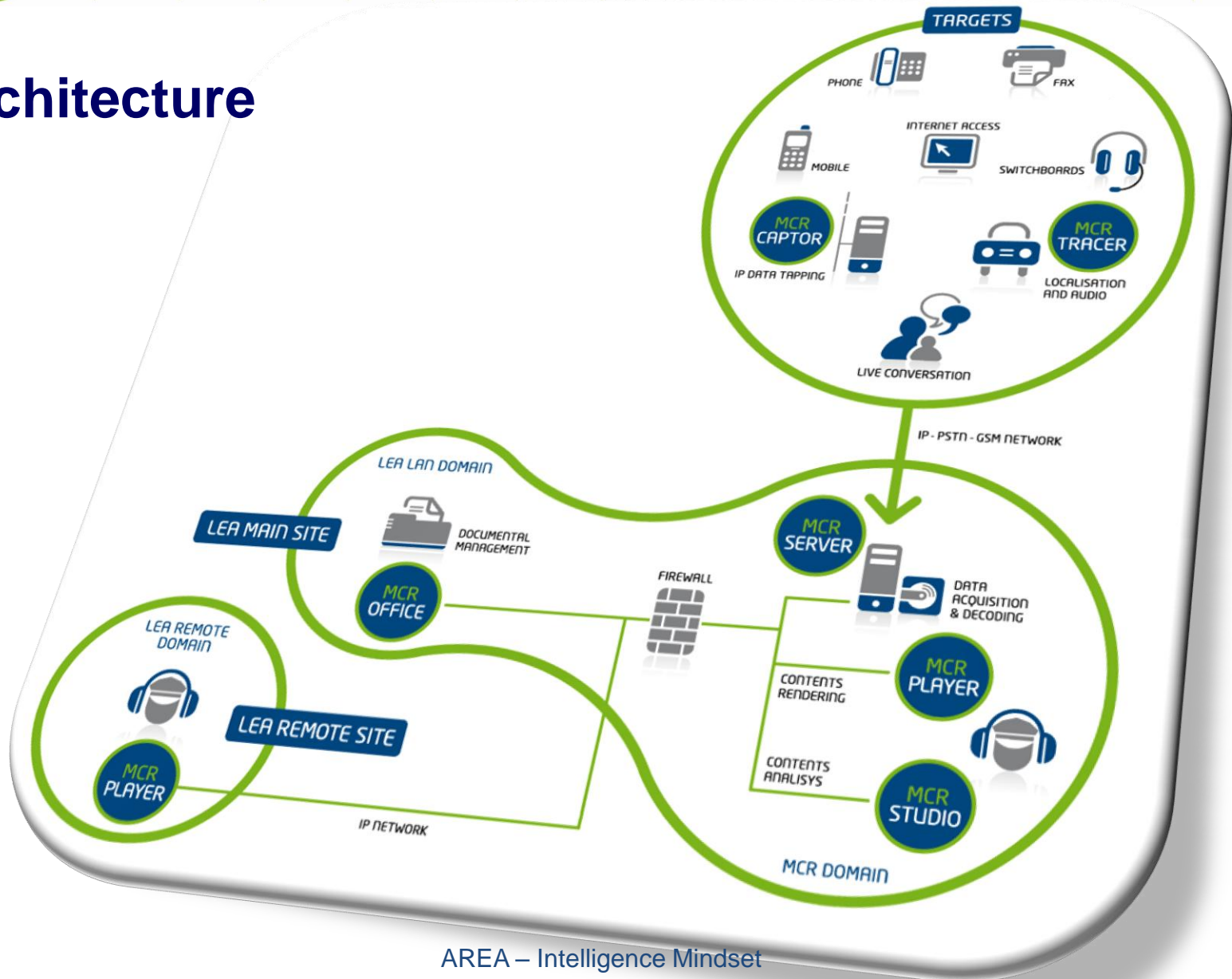


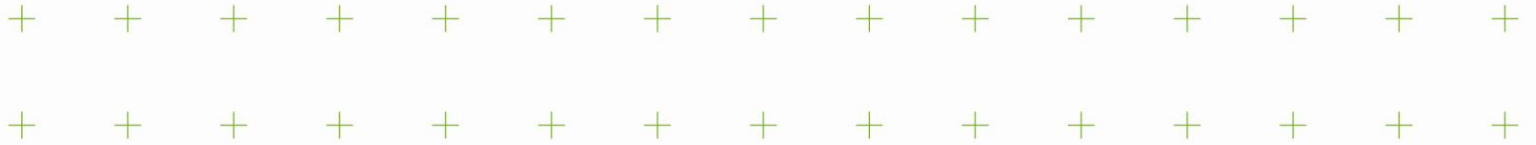
Market Positioning vs. Offering





Architecture



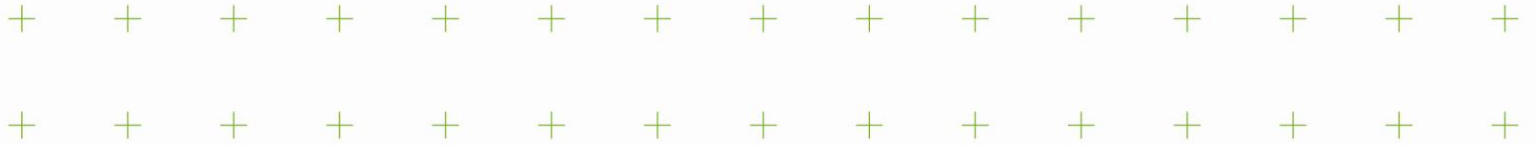


Speech focus

- Target, Parametric and Massive IP interception
- Three different approaches to face the same problem
- Patrol and control what happens in your country network
- When and how you should use them
- What a LEA really needs



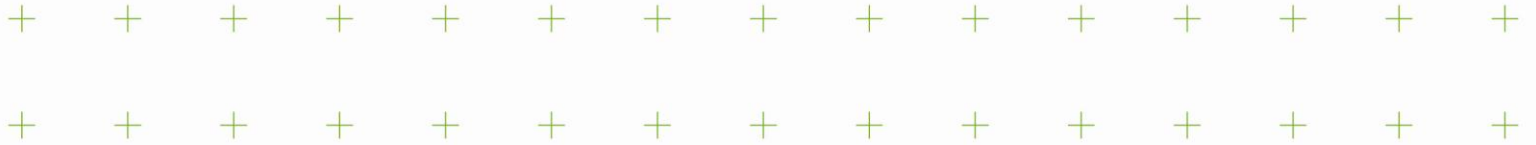
- Three simple examples showing the main differences...



1st Scenario

- There's a "well known criminal" preparing a new crime
- Real-time monitoring of his activities
- Discover his possible accomplices and prevent the crime

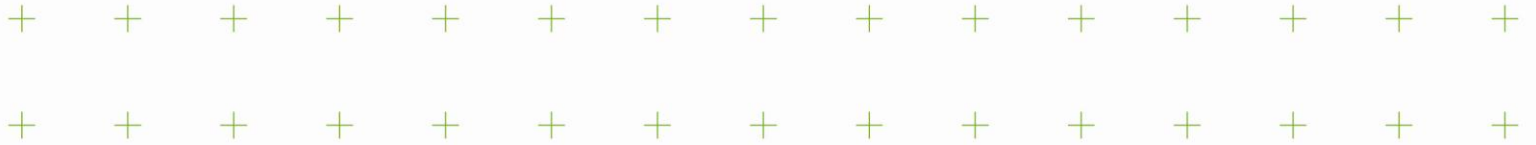




1st Approach: Target oriented interception

- Intercept and dump all his traffic (CC and IRI)
- Decode (and maybe post-process) intercepted data
- Collect the evidence and find accomplices
- Up-to-date decode engine and user-friendly interface





2nd Scenario

- There's a “well known evil behavior” pattern
- Check the real existence of one or more “bad guys”
- Be immediately alerted when a behavior occurs





2nd Approach: Parametric interception

- Real-time network analysis (DPI)
- Figure out “optimal key parameters”
- Receive an alarm when a positive match occurs
- Easy-to-use and remotely configurable engine

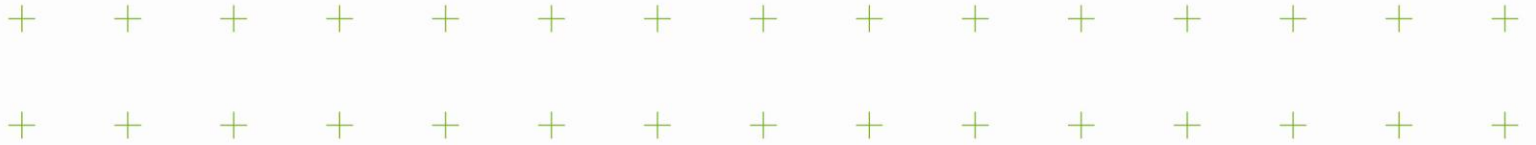




3rd Scenario

- Perform traffic analysis
- Obtain mass surveillance
- Data Retention

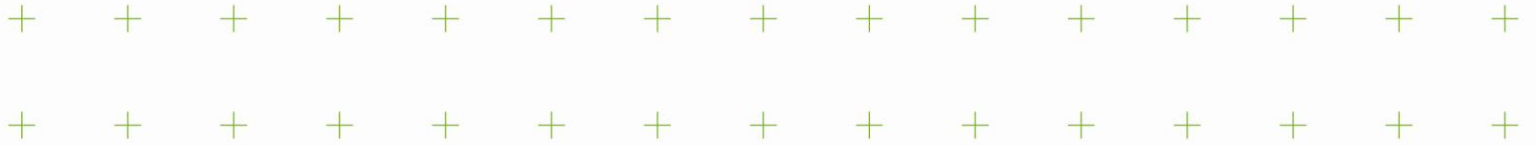




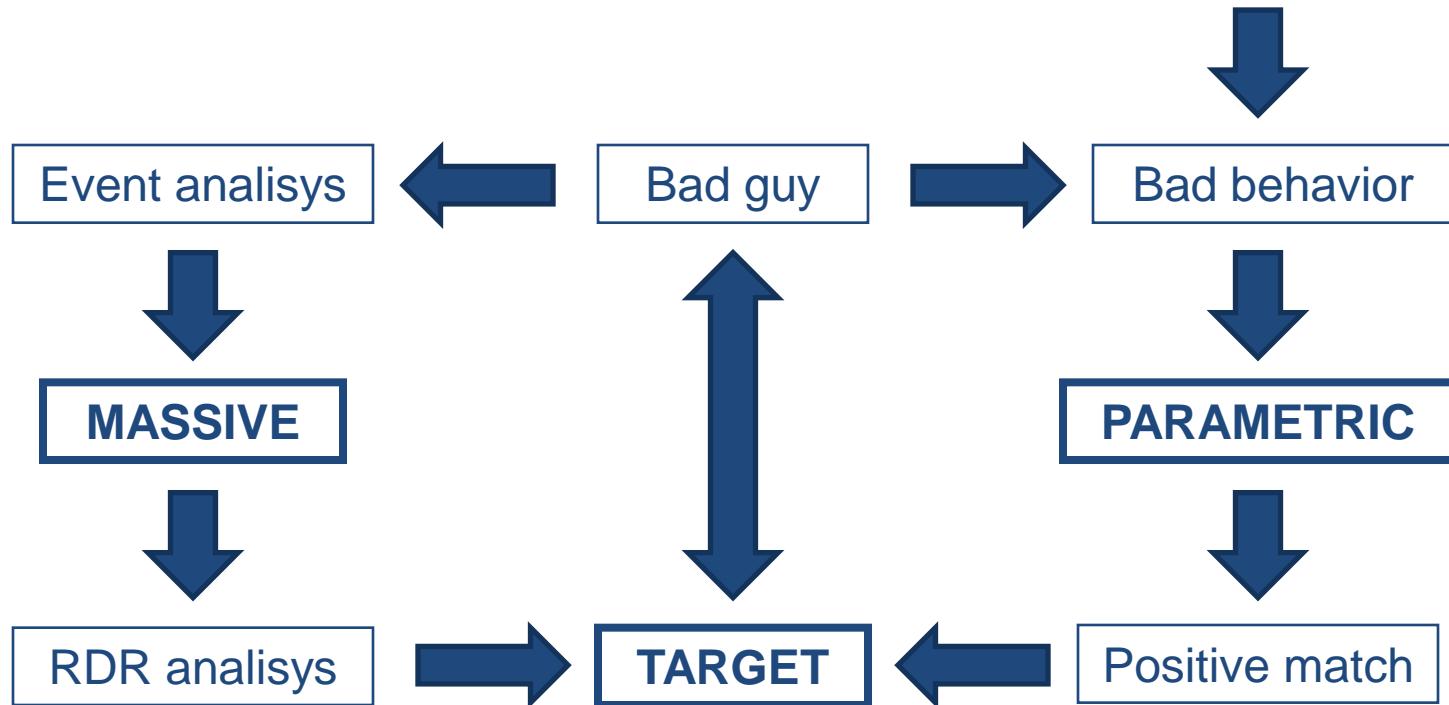
3rd Approach: Massive interception

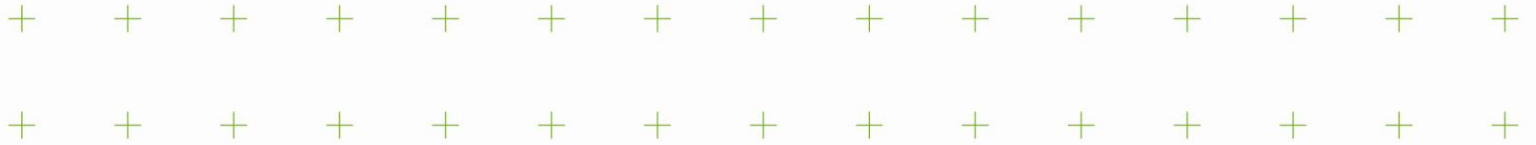
- Dispose IPCDRs collectors on the net (huge and pervasive)
- Normalize and store more than TBytes of IPCDRs
- Large structured historical archive of IPCDRs
- Powerful analysis tool to “find the needle in the haystack”





The big picture



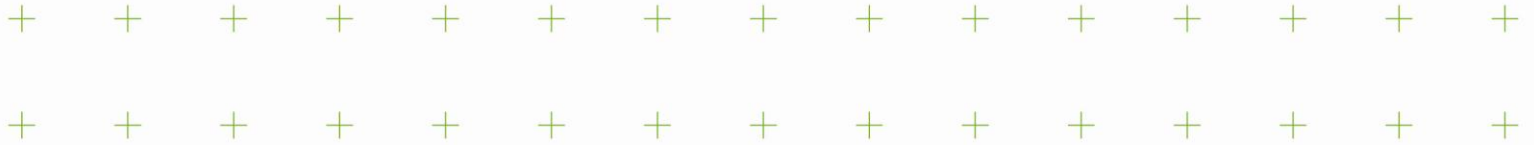


A simple example

- You know that most of your “top secret” documents are being sent toward an hostile domain “.evil”
- Documents contain the special word “biohazard”
- You want to know who is committing this crime and how he is doing it

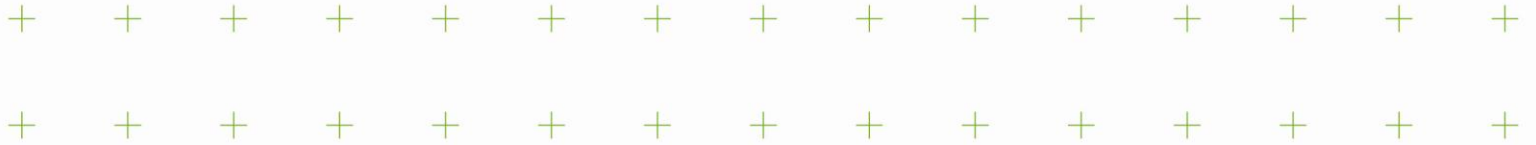


Domain “.evil”

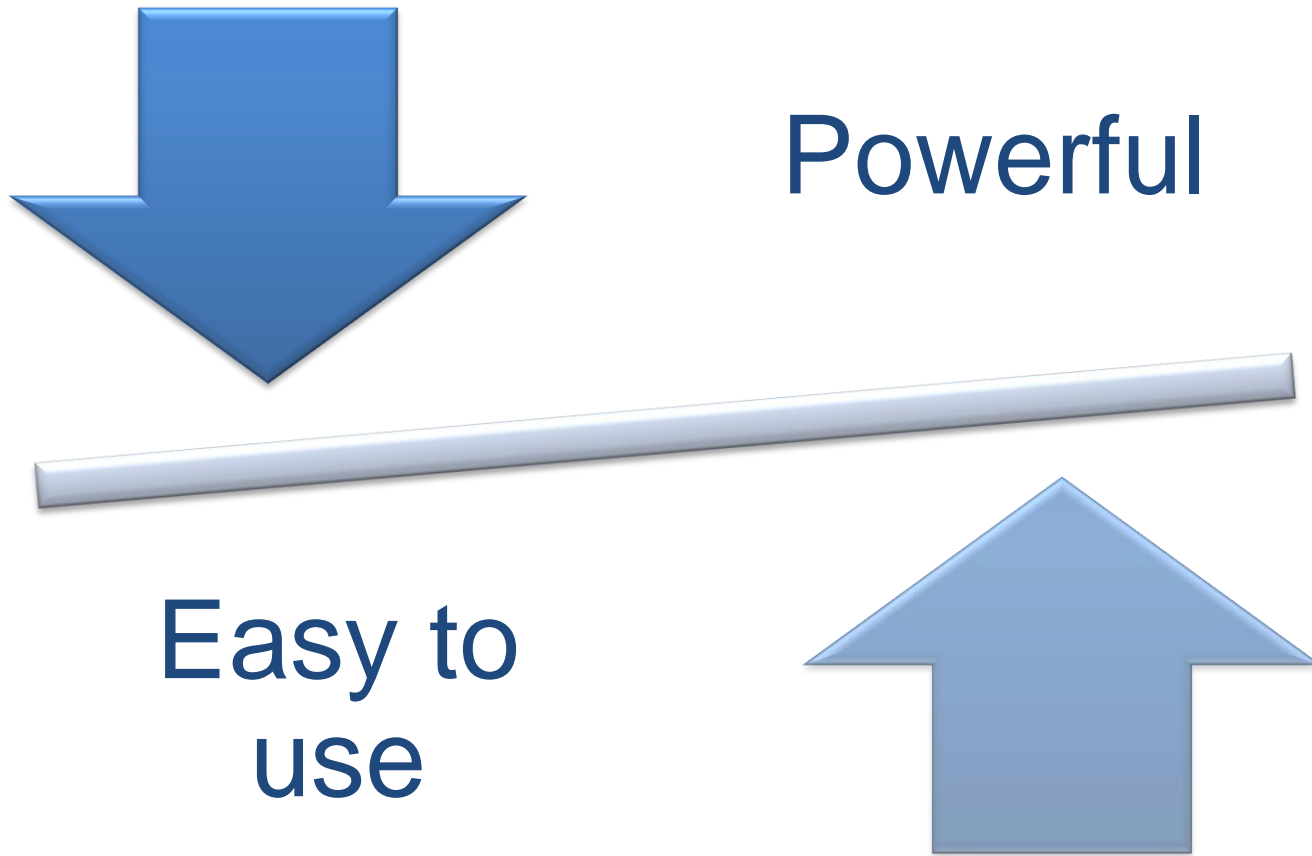


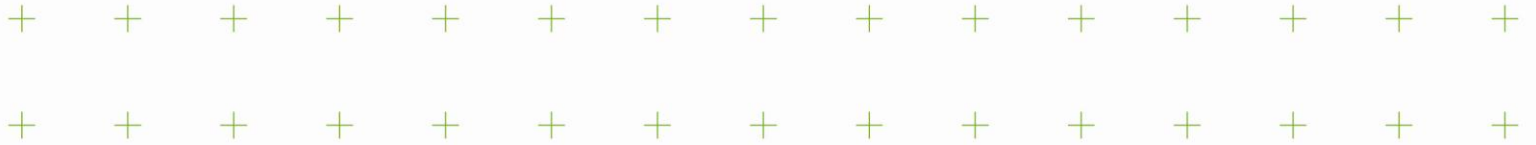
A simple example

- **Parametric** DPI (domain “.evil” and word “biohazard”)
- Discover a file sharing server from which documents are downloaded
- Analyze retained data records (**massive**)
- Identify the “bad guy” who uploads the documents
- **Target oriented** interception on this criminal
- Collect the evidence and find possible accomplices
- If needed start target oriented interceptions on accomplices

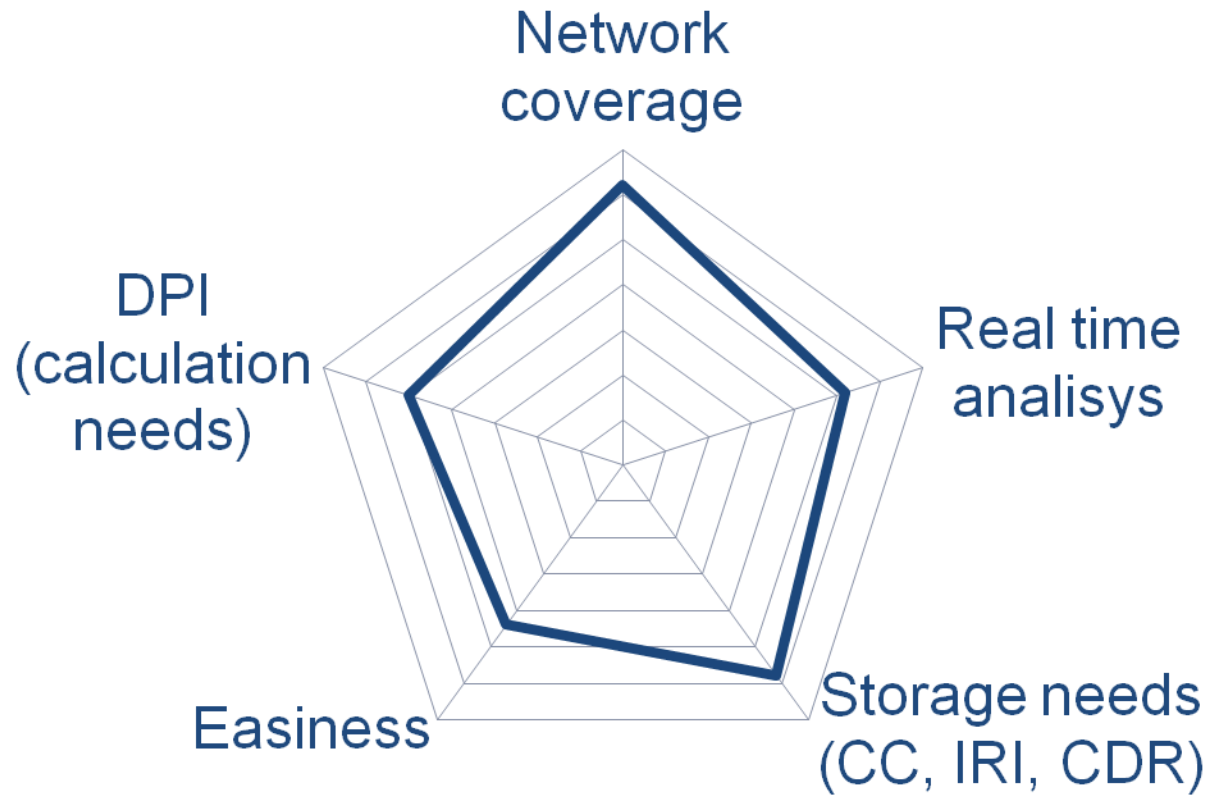


LEA needs: management interface





LEA needs





Conclusion

- You may need to manage all the approaches
- Cover all the scenarios
- Importance of the ETSI compliancy systems
- Tailor your solution on your needs
- There's no unique "best of breed" solution for everything

- AREA may help you build and deliver your "turn-key" solution





Thank you

