



## Cyber-MAR Final and Piraeus Pilot Event

### The Prediction Engine

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# Overarching Idea of the engine

- The ICCS Prediction Engine in Cyber-MAR aims at:
  - **Systematically model past knowledge** on attack behavior patterns
  - **Provide real-time predictions** concerning vulnerable parts of the infrastructure.
  - **Facilitate educated decisions** based on **past knowledge** and **possible risks and/or economic impacts** during an ongoing cyberattack.
- For each simulated attack scenario, the engine receives, processes and fuses information from:
  - IDS sensors
  - XL-SIEM output events
  - Risk models
  - Econometric models

# Event and Event Sequence Modeling

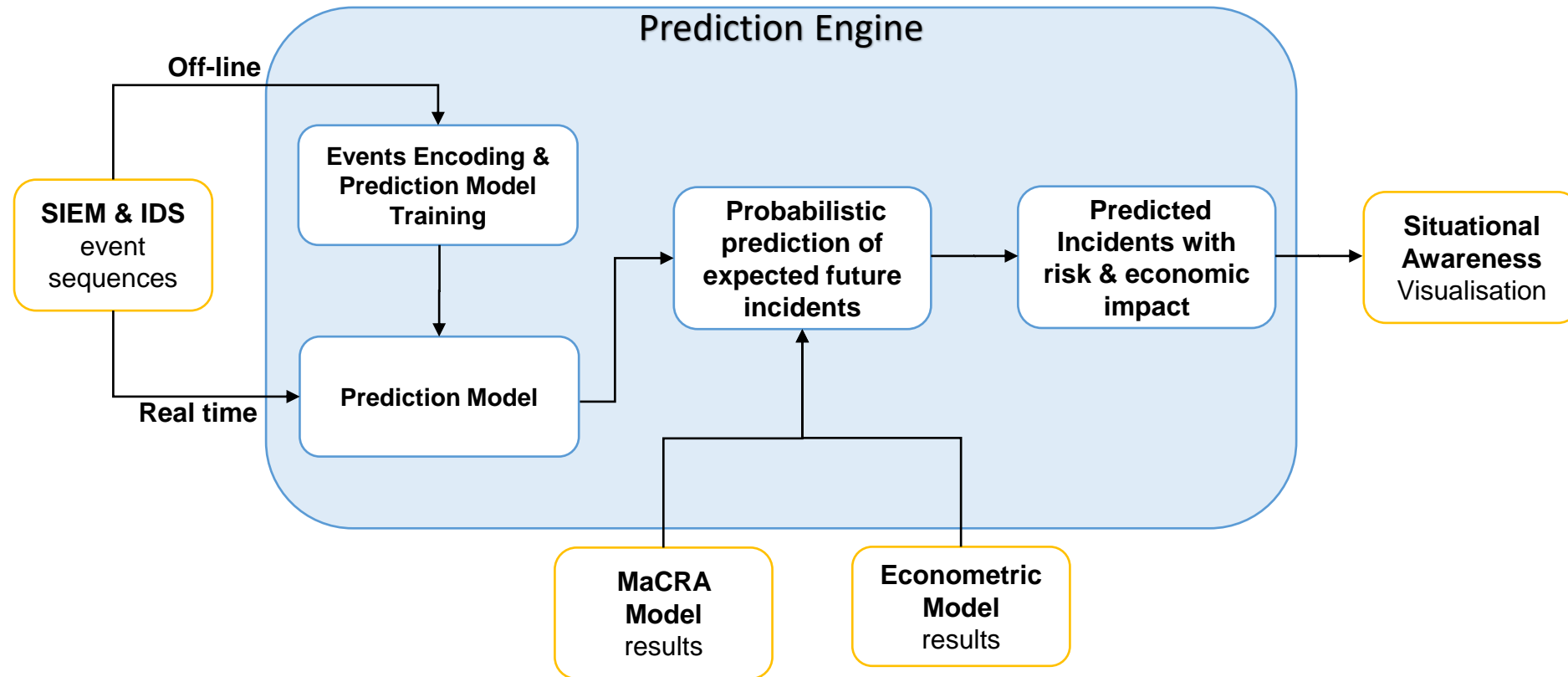
- What the engine will perceive as an **event** is defined as a triplet of

**(Event\_type, Source\_subnetwork, Dest\_subnetwork)**

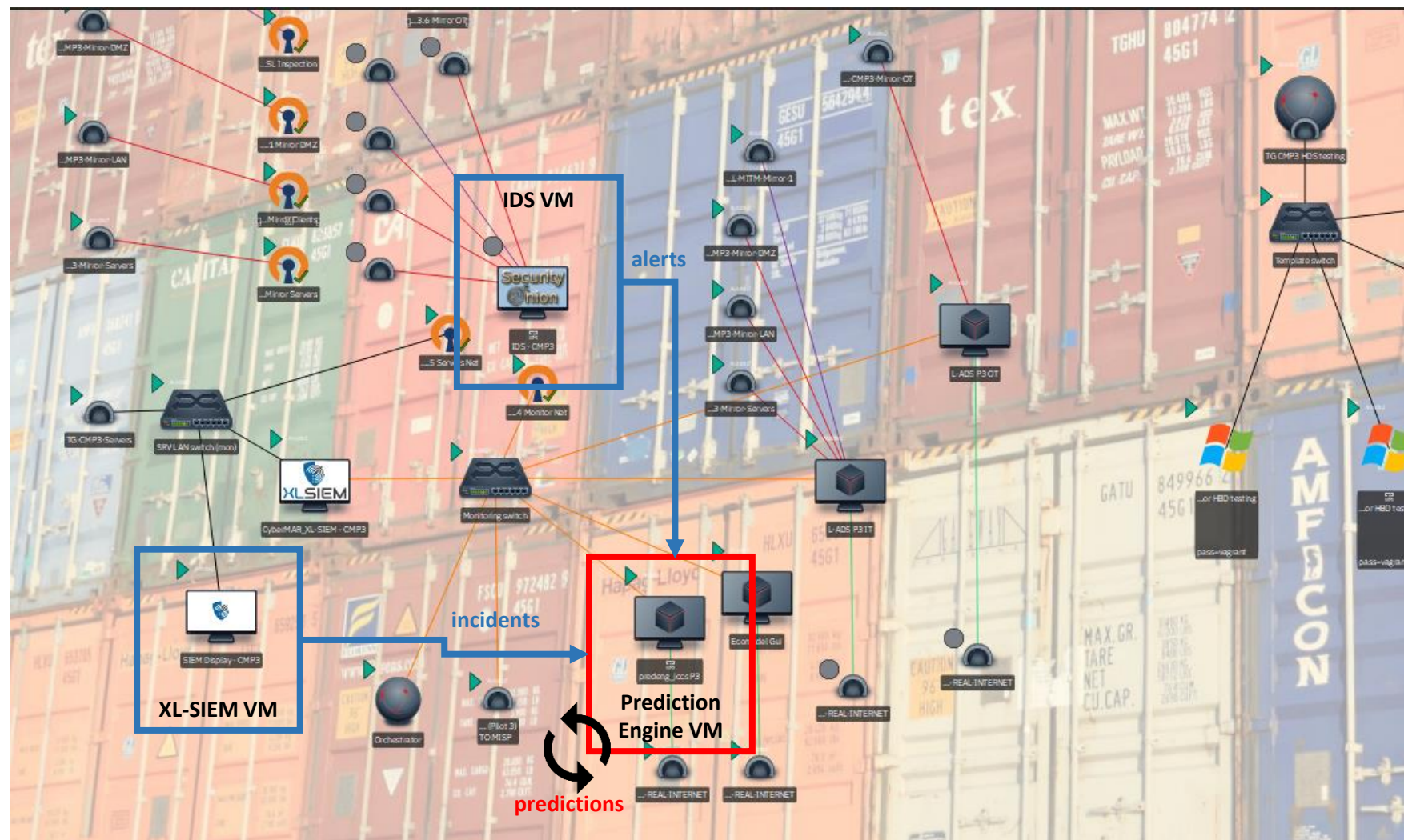
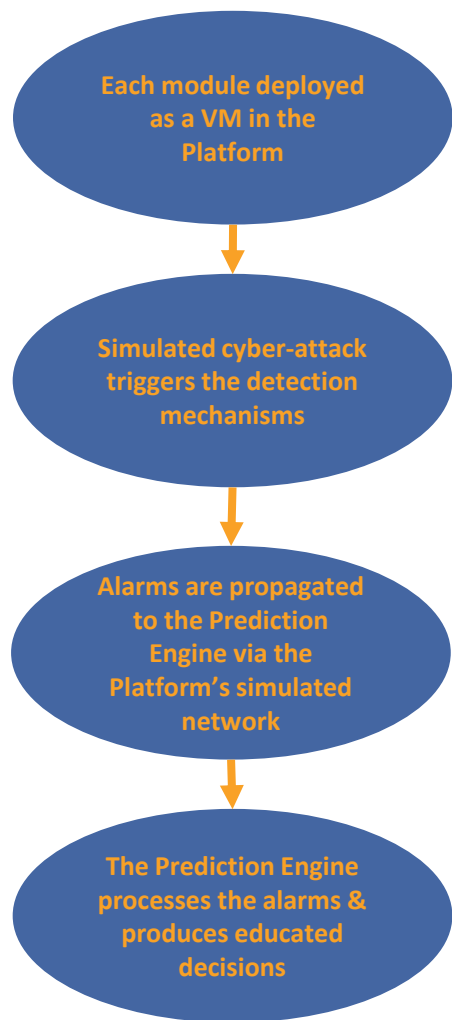
Where:

- **Event\_type** is either the alert type of the corresponding IDS alert or the SID\_NAME of the corresponding SIEM event.
- **Source\_subnetwork, Dest\_subnetwork** may be any relevant subnetwork of the infrastructure.
- Each **event** is matched to a **code word**, i.e. a string of characters. This essentially encodes a **sequence of events** into a **sequence of strings**.
- Sequences of strings are then modeled by a Variable Length Markov Model, implemented by a properly extended Suffix Tree data structure.

# Probabilistic Prediction Engine Logic



# Pilot 3 Topology & Deployment



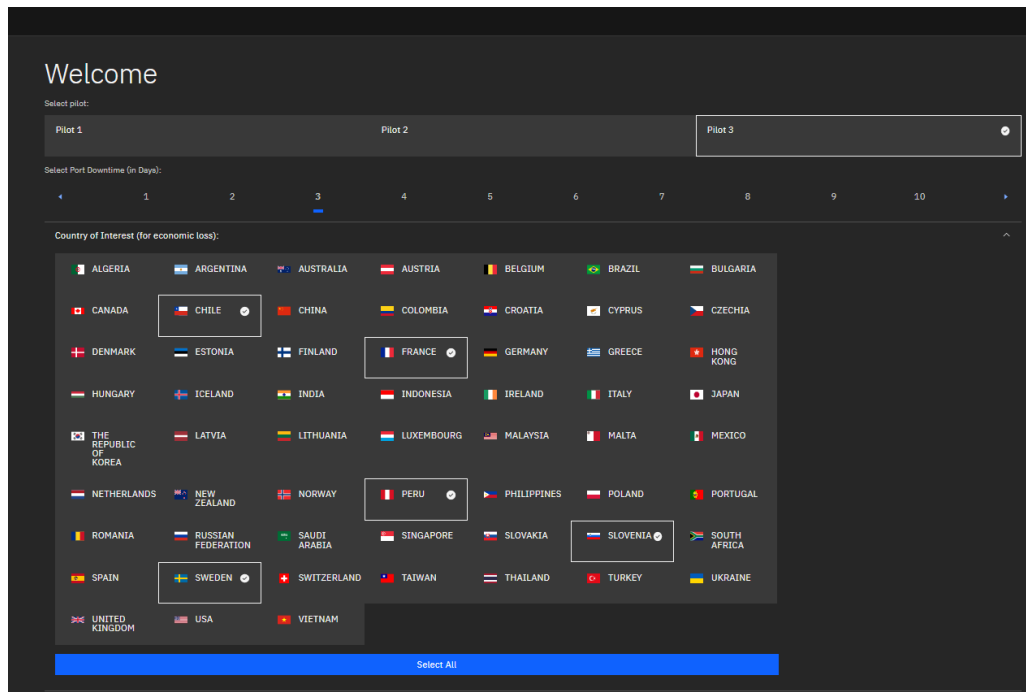
# Exemplary output

Timestamp	batch ID	origin (IDS/SIEM)	Description	Source	Destination	Probability lb	Probability lb (#)	Probability ub	Probability ub (#)	Delayed Vessels/Trains	Avg. Delay/Vessel	Eq. Downtime (days)	Loss lb (EUR)	Loss m (EUR)	Loss ub (EUR)
2022-12-13T12:43:07	1	IDS	Schneider PLC UMAS End strategy upload request	OT	OTGATES	0.01	164	0.04	111	4.5	1	1	2.73E+08	1.25E+09	2.63E+09
2022-12-13T12:43:07	2	IDS	Schneider PLC UMAS Stop PLC operation	OT	OTGATES	0.01	164	0.04	111	4.5	1	1	2.73E+08	1.25E+09	2.63E+09
2022-12-13T12:43:07	3	IDS	Schneider PLC UMAS Upload strategy block request	OT	OTGATES	0.01	164	0.04	111	4.5	1	1	2.73E+08	1.25E+09	2.63E+09
2022-12-13T12:45:28	1	SIEM	L-ADS: Traffic anomaly on IT network	Clients	Servers	0.02	390	0.2	33	68	23.883	8	2.19E+09	1.00E+09	2.11E+10
2022-12-13T12:45:28	2	SIEM	L-ADS: Traffic anomaly on OT network	Servers	OTGATES	0.02	390	0.2	33	4.5	1	1	2.73E+08	1.25E+09	2.63E+09
2022-12-13T12:45:28	3	SIEM	L-ADS: Traffic anomaly on OT network	Servers	OT	0.02	390	0.02	390	61	23.511	7.176.471	1.91E+09	8.78E+09	1.84E+10
2022-12-13T12:45:28	4	SIEM	Schneider PLC reprogrammed	OT	OT	0.02	390	0.02	390	61	23.511	7.176.471	1.91E+09	8.78E+09	1.84E+10

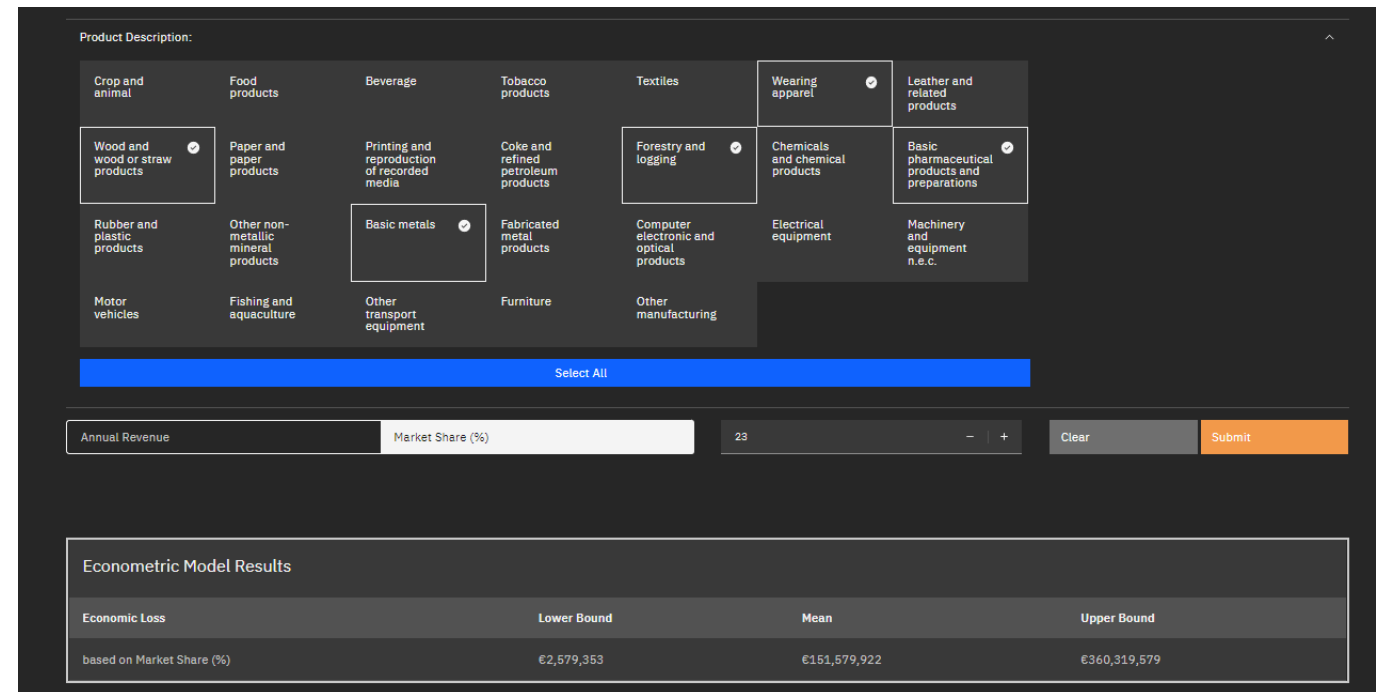
Abbreviations: lb, lower bound  
 m, mean value  
 ub, upper bound  
 #, number of samples for probability estimation

# Econometric Model App

- Econometric model (EM) service: A web-app to explore the results of the Prediction Engine
- Separate Web UI for each predicted event
- Allows the user to explore the economic impact of various attack scenarios and configurations



Step1. User selects source port (pilot), downtime and country of interest



Step2. User selects products of interests and market share/revenues and collects the predicted econometric losses





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