



# Providing the most digitally and socially connected Games ever

The legacy of London 2012

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What was the challenge?

“Staging the Olympic and Paralympic Games is one of the biggest logistical peacetime challenges a country will ever face.”

Sebastian Coe, LOCOG Chair

The London Organising Committee of the Olympic Games and Paralympic Games Ltd

14,700 athletes

46 sports events

805 medal events

27,500 media reps



## How big was the challenge?

- The first major sporting event in the UK since Commonwealth Games 2002
- The Olympic and Paralympic Games are the equivalent to 46 World Championships
- The largest park development in Europe for over 100 years
- Connecting London to a worldwide audience of 4.8bn people
- Predicted to be the first truly digital Games



Over 10.8 million spectators

# London 2012 – flawless delivery by BT

The **most socially connected** Games ever

**Largest**, high-density public wi-fi installation in the world

The **most digitally connected** Games ever

**80,000** connections across **94** locations

Up to **60Gb** of information carried each second

**1,550** wireless access points

**5,500km** of internal cabling

**16,500** telephone lines

**14,000** mobile SIM cards

**10,000** cable TV outlets

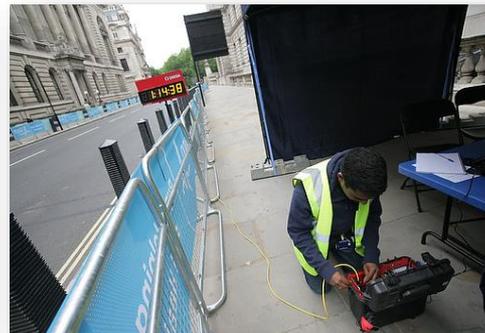
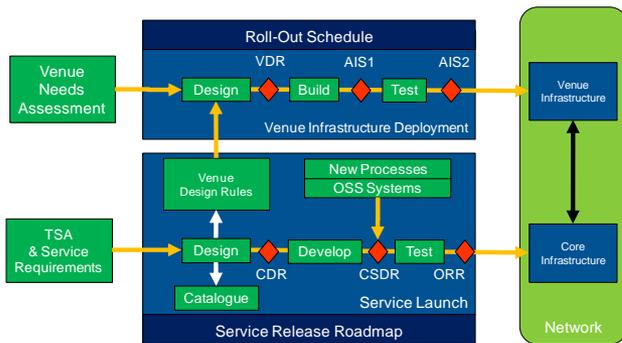
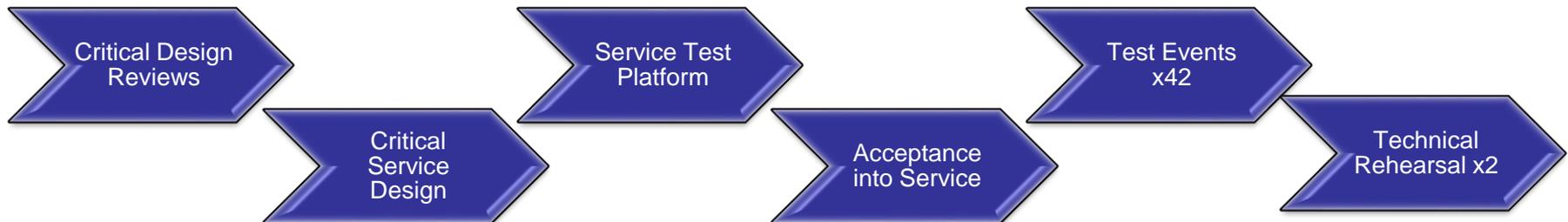
**1,000,000** man-hours

Over **1,000** people on the ground at Games' Time

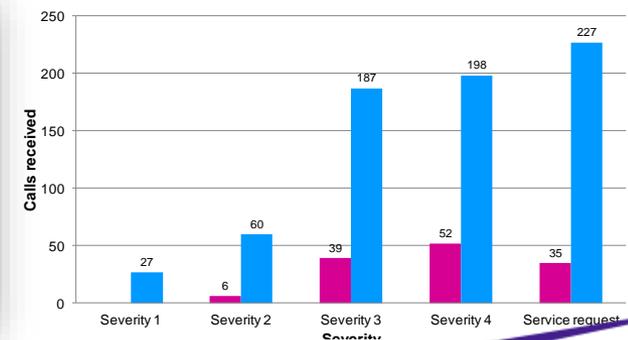


# Design and service assurance drives “Right First Time”

- Right First Time requires coordinated testing & assurance
- Critical Design and Critical Service Design Reviews validate the non-functional design principles
- Operational readiness reviews and Accept into Service verify implementation
- Test events validate the operational processes and team working
- Technical rehearsals stress test technology team and incident processes



Test Event Cluster 1 (09 – 11 Aug) compared with TR1



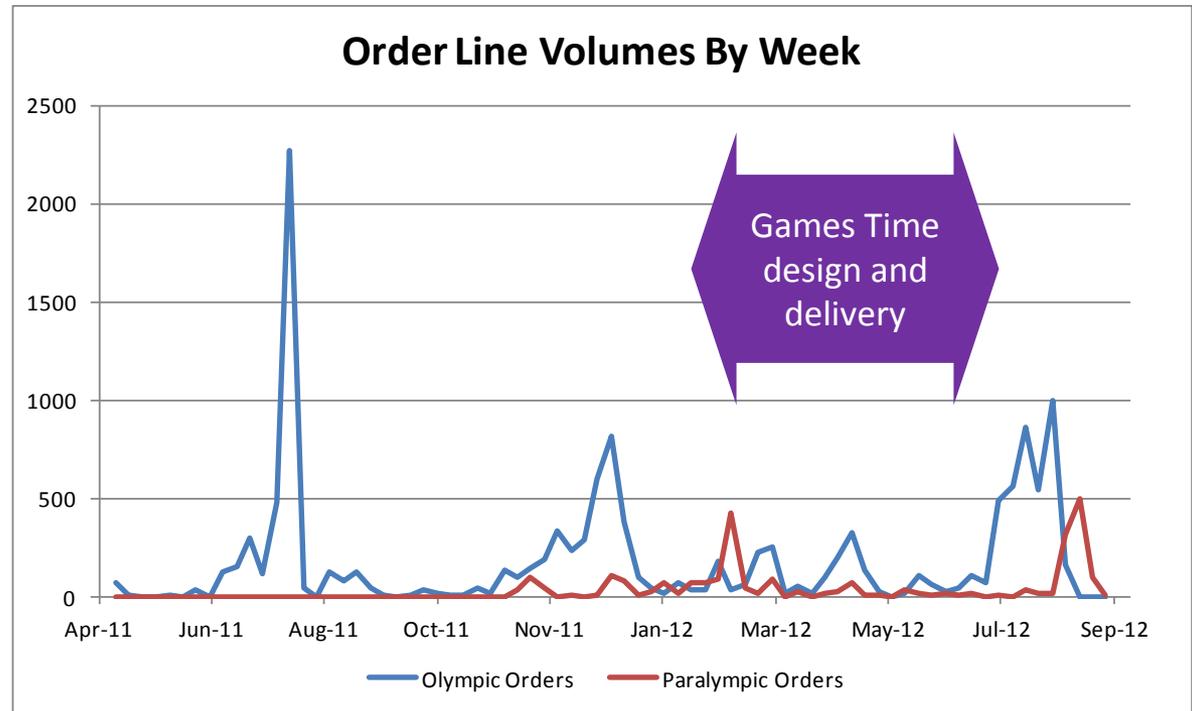
# This comprehensive model led to Games-Time success



- 1552 Incidents and 1653 Service Requests logged to BT over 19 days
- 192,944 equipment alarms generated
- No Severity 1 Incidents logged against BT
- Only 21 Severity 2 Incidents logged versus a service base across 94 venues of 3,000 switches, 10,000 CATV End Points, 10,500 IPT handsets
- Severity 2 primarily indicates loss of resilience not service
  - 48% were at Outdoor Venues, reflecting the difficult environment

# Challenging operational environment both for delivery and service

Peak Hour Time to resolve		
Problem level	London	Beijing
Severity 1	1 hr	2 hr
Severity 2	2 hr	4 hr
Severity 3	4 hr	8 hr
Severity 4	6 hr	12 hr
Service Request	8 hr	16 hr



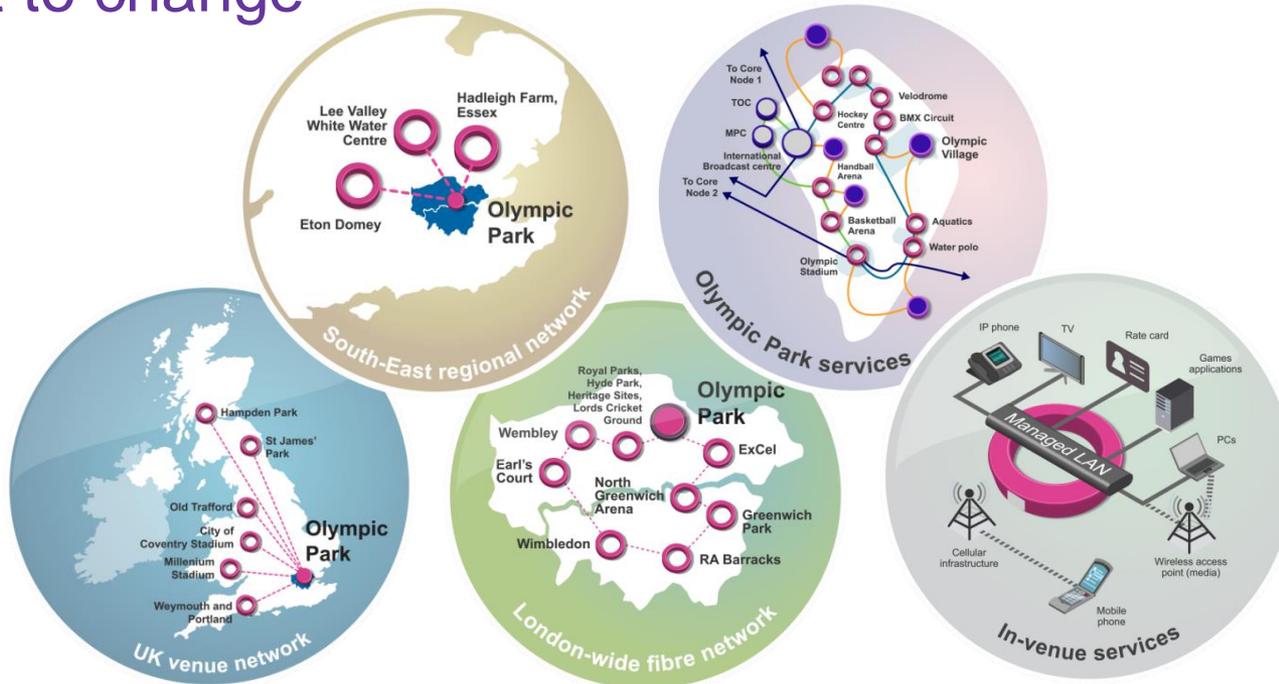
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Broadcast  
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Games  
Time  
Orders

# Contractual requirement was high level with volumes subject to change



80,000 connections across  
94 different locations  
4,500km of internal cabling  
Venue <100Mb/s connection

400 wireless access points  
16,500 telephones  
16,000 mobile phones  
10,000 cable TV outlets

Public mobile + limited infill  
642,000 man-hours of effort  
Over 700 people supporting  
the solution in Games Time

65,000 connections across  
73 different locations  
5,500km of internal cabling  
Venue <10Gb/s connection

1,600 wireless access points  
10,500 telephones  
14,000 mobile phones  
9,000 cable TV outlets

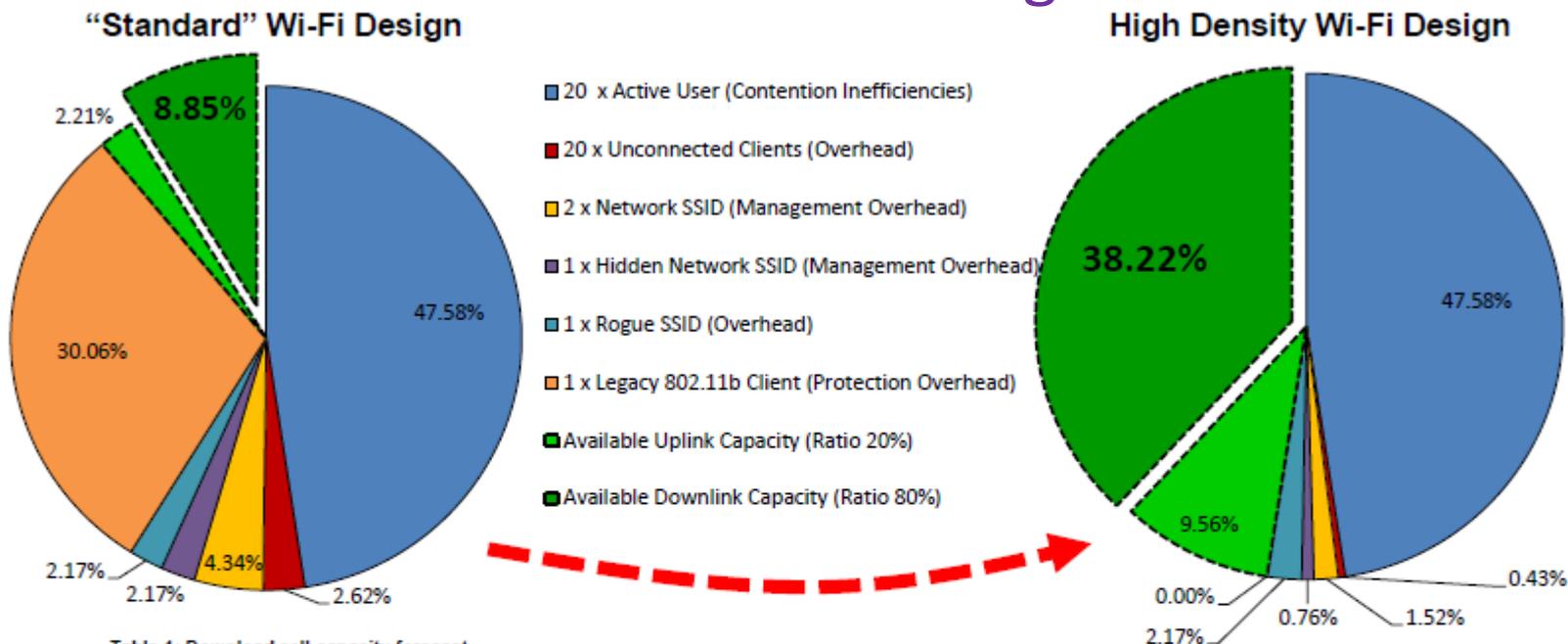
54 venues enhanced mobile  
1,000,000 man-hours of effort  
Over 850 people supporting  
the solution in Games Time

# The Wi-Fi Challenge



- Private “back of house” services for all Olympic venues and Athlete’s Village
- Public Wi-Fi in the Olympic Park
- Wi-Fi connectivity for the ticketing system in the Olympic Park
- Wi-Fi usage was highest in the public areas of the park (44 per cent), as spectators caught up on other sports when not watching their events.

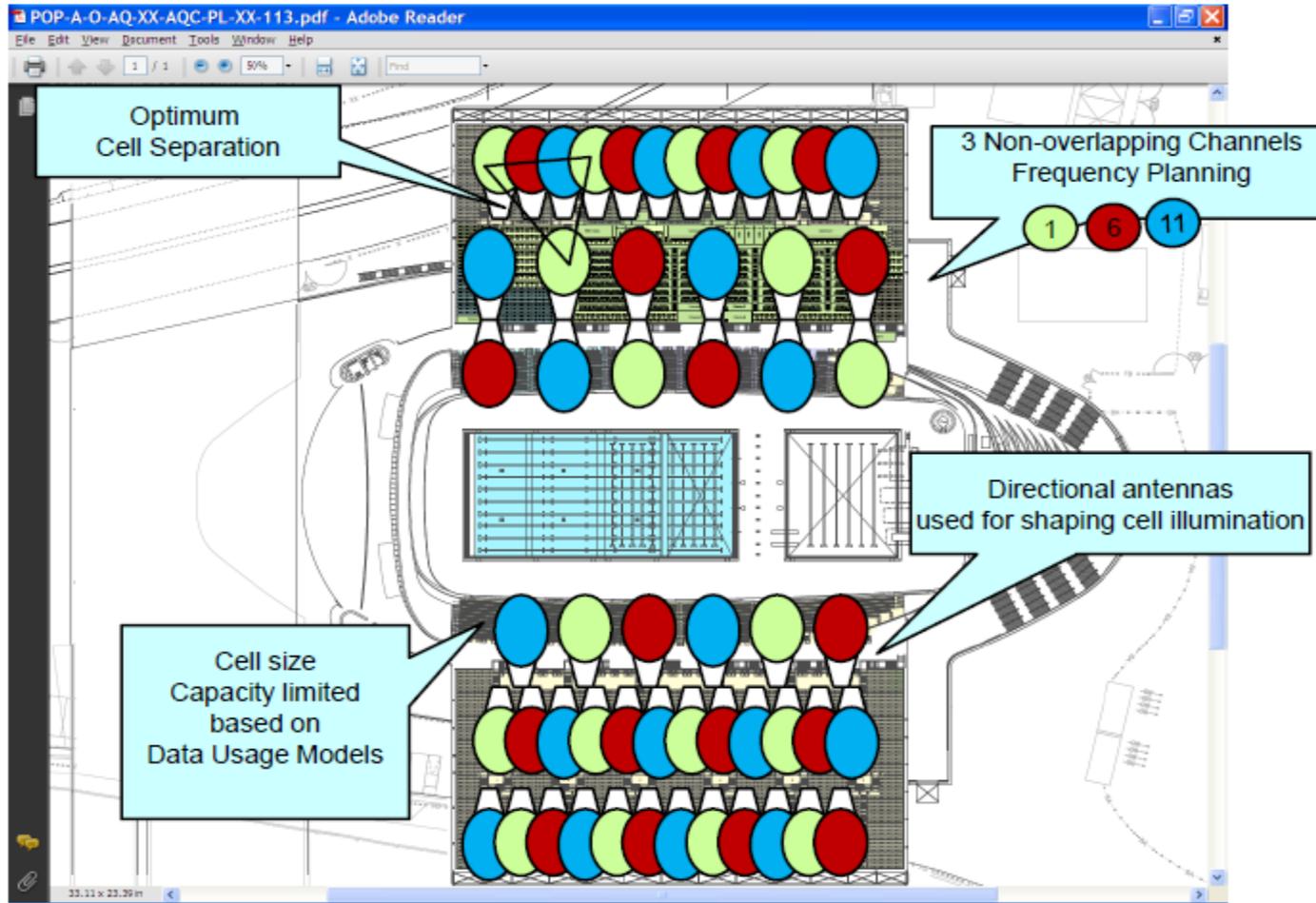
# The Wi-Fi Challenge



	Poor RF Conditions (modulation 6Mbps)	Estimated RF Conditions (modulation ~36Mbps)	Ideal RF Conditions (modulation 54Mbps)
“Standard” Wi-Fi Design (8.85% of available capacity)	0.3Mbps	<b>1.5Mbps</b>	1.6Mbps
High Density Wi-Fi Design (38.22% of available capacity)	1.7Mbps	<b>6.6Mbps</b>	8.3Mbps

On the Olympic Park alone the team installed more than 1,500 wireless access points, interconnected by over 100 kilometres of cable across 250 hectares. The forecast across all services was for 200,000 simultaneous wireless sessions .

# Example of a Micro-Cellular Deployment for Wi-Fi



- The wireless network management system and the use of pre-written templates meant that reconfiguration of all 60 Olympic Park wireless access controllers typically took just three minutes. Historically such an operation might have soaked up 10 engineering hours, plus the time and trouble of moving between the 60 wireless access points.

# Protecting the Games

## Web security

### Flawless Execution

- No breaches or downtime

- ✓ 2.31 billion counterpane events analysed  
= 77 incident tickets
- ✓ 50 Terabytes of web traffic via Proxy Servers
- ✓ 212 million Malicious Connection attempts blocked
- ✓ Super Saturday 4 August alone 128 Million events detected
- ✓ At least 1 hactivism campaign each day
- ✓ At peak of London2012.com attack - BT prevented 11,000 malicious requests per second
- ✓ 30,000 media professionals – Bring your own device



BT Assure. Security that matters

THE LONDON 2012 WEBSITE HAD OVER

**460MILLION VISITS  
ACROSS THE GAMES**



**275 YEARS  
OF AUDIO**



**504 DAYS OF HD  
VIDEO PLAYBACK**



# Cyber Defense Operations in BT

Understand our critical assets

Apply a risk based approach

Investment in tools

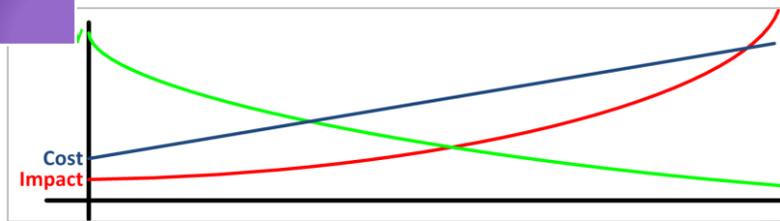
Investment in behaviours

Investment in people and skills

Build on heritage and organise for success

Consolidate detect and response skills

Increase security reduce impact and cost



# “War Gaming”

- ‘FLAMING TORCH’ - program of table top exercises
- ‘BENDING METAL’ - specific cyber / CERT testing
- Command Post Exercises – fully integrated testing
- LIVE EX (live exercise)
- Torch relay
- Technical rehearsals – test events

## Rules on Engagement

- This exercise is being recorded
- This is a desk top exercise
- Exercise duration: 2:15 hours (including post exercise review)
- This is a learning exercise not a pass/fail test of individuals
- Any action item needing further clarification will be noted for future discussion, with an action owner appointed
- Gold Members are not required to make contact outside the exercise room
- Gold Member's actions will be used in subsequent Silver/Bronze exercises

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Exercise Goodwin



## Objective

The exercise objectives will be to review the decision making processes of the BT Gold Command Team, and to start to familiarise the members with the special requirements for London 2012. More specifically they are:

- To promote cross LoB understanding of BT's London 2012 implications
- To identify gaps in the BT's response capability
- To identify the incremental communications channels required for London 2012
- To understand the decision making implications of deploying the Emergency Response Teams
- To provide awareness to the Gold Members of the potential impacts of their decisions and the Multiagency Gold Coordination Committee (MAGCC) and the National Emergency Alert for Telecommunications (NEAT)

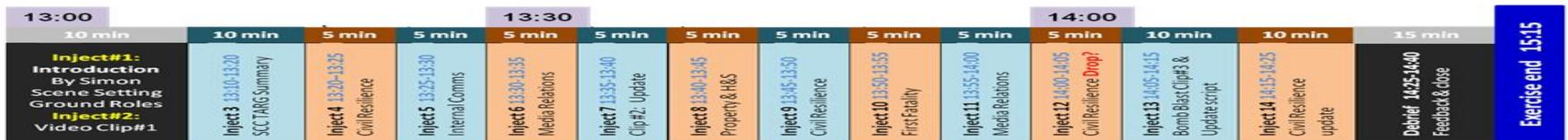
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## Exercise Goodwin Timeline

### Real Time



### Exercise Time



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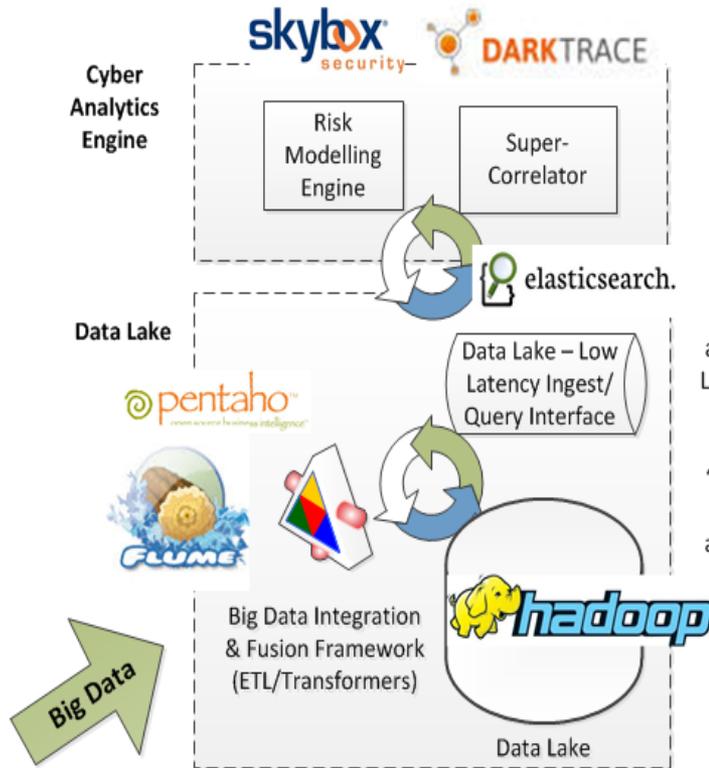
# Unified Cyber Platform

## Risk Modelling Engine:

Contextualises all threats relative to the specifics of the organisation, policies being assessed against and the assets being protected.

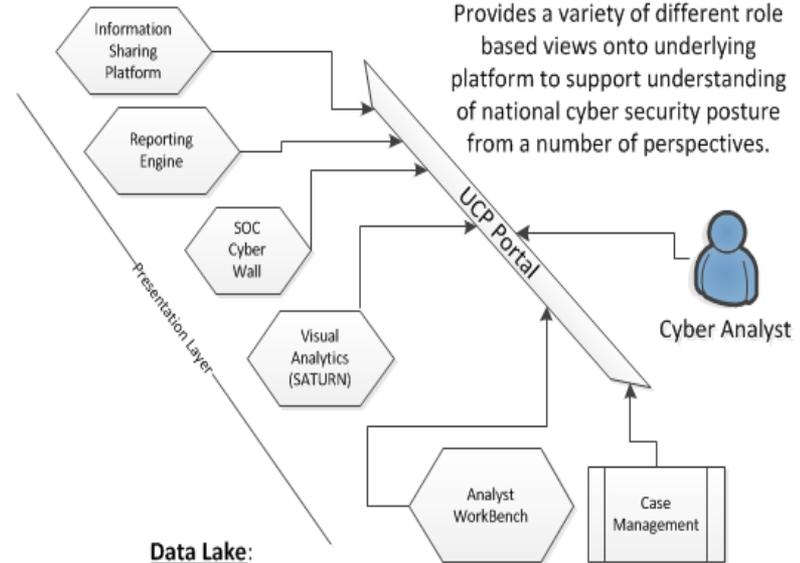
## Super-Correlator:

Intelligent engine capable of piecing together the small clues in Big Data to detect nascent threats. Employs next generation anomaly detection technology to illuminate previously unknown threats in the mountain of disparate data.



## UCP Portal:

Provides a variety of different role based views onto underlying platform to support understanding of national cyber security posture from a number of perspectives.



## Data Lake:

Capable of supporting storage and analytics across PBs of data. The Data Lake provides the underlying power to identify trends, run heuristics and correlate across mountains of data. "Schemaless" approach easily digests unstructured / semi-structured data and is flexible to changing data feeds.



## Big Data Integration and Fusion Framework:

A framework for integrating and fusing disparate data sources and for easily composing automated ETL and data analysis / fusion workflows.

## UCP Analyst Workbench:

Workbench for building interactive/ shareable into the analytics and data in the rest of the platform. Supports a wide range of visualisation.

# L2012 Lessons Learned 7 Phases

Deliver Projects Flawlessly

Clear vision	<b>INSPIRING</b> Cohesive strategy, right people, strong leadership and transparent E2E process
People	<b>MOTIVATION</b> Quality not quantity, believe in the Vision, spirit, ethos and motivation
Contract	<b>TRANSARENT</b> Trust and Reflect E2E delivery and experience
Requirements	<b>THINK BEYOND THE PRESENT</b> Who are the power users and end users
Design	<b>FLEXIBLE RATHER THAN TACTICAL</b> Reflects changing requirements from all stakeholders
Implementation & testing	<b>STAGING</b> BRT testing simulating real life experience
In-Life	<b>VIRTUAL CONTROLLED ENVIRONMENT</b> TOC (virtual operations center) and collaboration technology

**BT Connect**

Networks that think

**BT Compute**

Services that adapt

**BT One**

Unified Comms

**BT Assure**

Security that matters

**BT Contact**

Relationships that grow