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# Motivation

**The Problem:** How do adversarial business practices impact critical infrastructure systems within a given geographic region of interest?

Specialization of 'cyber' may lead to **blindspots** for **dependencies** that achieve **influence** but are **exogenous** to traditional system boundaries.

*Socio-Technical Network Analysis (STNA)* provides an approach to consider interactions between social and cyber domains.





# Tactics achieved through the cyber domain may also be achieved through social/business domains.

Adversarial tactics seen in the cybersecurity domain may also be achieved through other domains.

Our research focuses on adversarial techniques in the business domain that affect infrastructure.

Want to think about how such techniques across domains can be composed by adversaries.

Cross-domain adversarial kill-chains (inspired by Cyber Kill Chain [Assante et al. 2015])

|        |                     |                               |                         |  |   |                    |                              |
|--------|---------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|--|---|--------------------|------------------------------|
| Social | Acquisition         | Ownership                     | Company Ownership Proxy | Due Diligence for Mergers & Acquisitions | Ownership of Nearby Asset                   | Parent Company     | Foreign-Owned Facilities     |
|        | Use                 | Board Membership              | Board Membership Proxy  | Legal Subpoena                           | Pilot Studies                               |                    | Disinformation               |
|        | Leasing             | Asset Maintenance             |                         | Digital Twin Creation                    | Business Data Availability Platform Capture |                    | Degrade Service Quality      |
|        | Employment          | Subcontract/Supporting Vendor |                         |  |   |                    |                              |
|        |                     | Investing or Lending          |                         |  |   |                    |                              |
| Cyber  | Drive-by Compromise | Hardcoded Credentials         | Change Operating Mode   | Network Connection Enumeration           | Data from Information Repositories          | Commonly Used Port | Unauthorized Command Message |

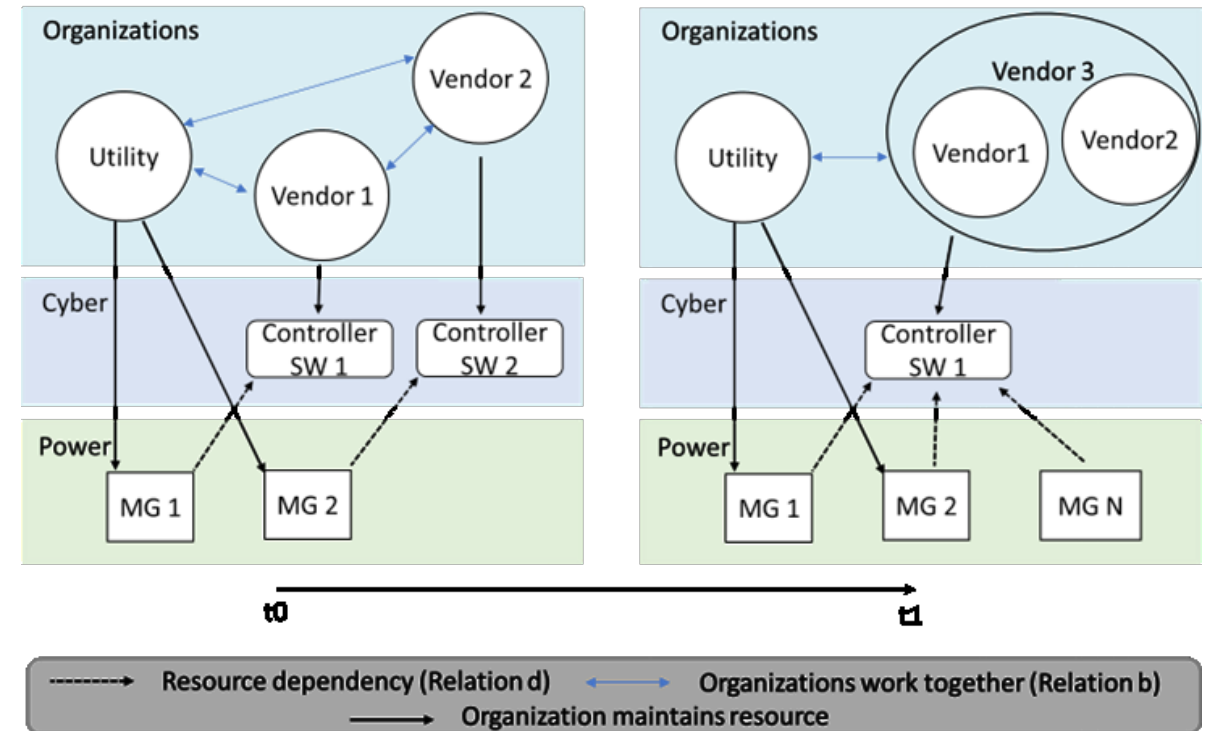
[Alexander et al. 2020]



# Our Approach: Adversarial STNA

## Contributions

1. Develop a data curation and processing pipeline to generate networks that enable *Adversarial Socio-Technical Network Analysis*.
2. Networks produced by our pipeline may be processed as knowledge, geospatial, or dynamic graphs.
  - Enable a variety of analyses to characterize and detect adversarial behaviors







# Outline

- Introduction
- Theory
- Architecture
- Use Cases
- Conclusion





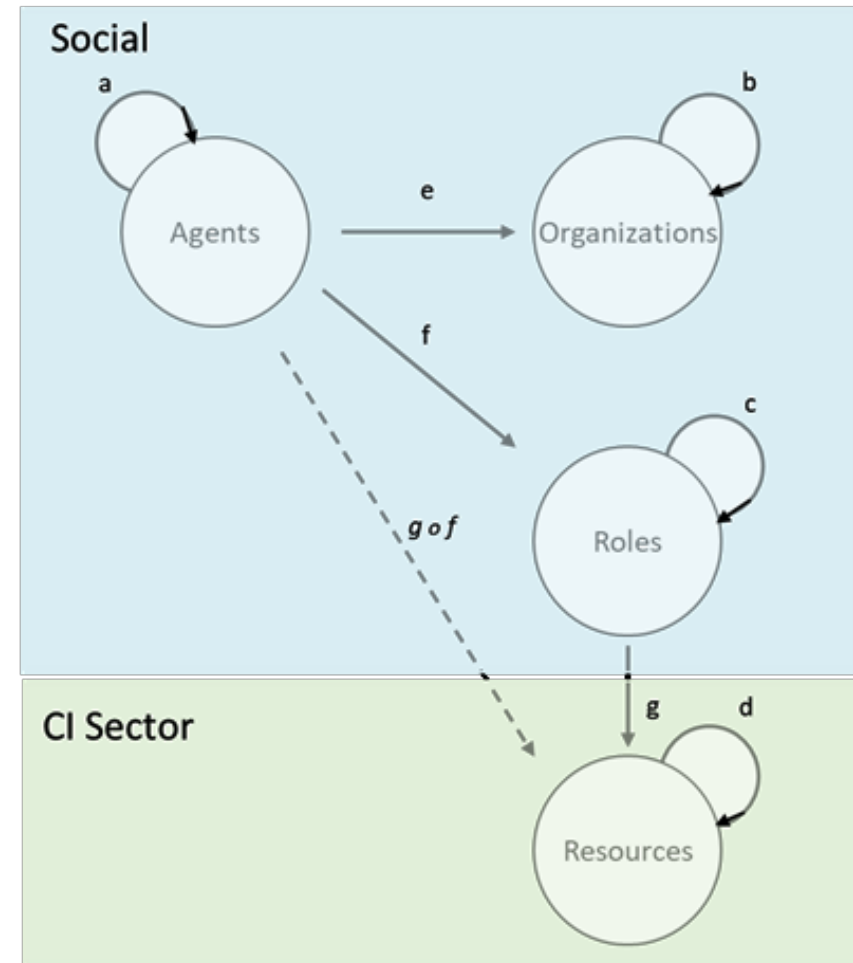
# Theory



# Multilayered Networks for Adversarial STNA

Want a systematic approach to study structured relations between domains that can influence critical infrastructure systems (e.g. cyber, social).

1. Define types of entities, relations, and attributes via *ontologies*
2. Represent structured relations among entities using *multilayered networks* [Kivela 2014]





# Network Construction: Entity Occurrences as Vertices

## Ontology

- Classes define *entity types*
- Data properties define *attributes* of entities.

## Multilayered Network

- Entity types provide values for STNA network's semantic layer.
- Attributes affect vertex weighting functions

Social Network: Entity Types and Data Properties

| Entity Type            | Data Property           | Description                              | Network Component |
|------------------------|-------------------------|--|-------------------|
| stna_core.Organization | hasCIK                  | Central Index Key (CIK)                  | V                 |
|                        | hasSIC                  | Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) | w_semantic        |
|                        | hasBusinessAddress      | Business address                         | L_Geospatial      |
|                        | hasStateOfIncorporation | State of Incorporation                   | L_Geospatial      |
| stna_core.Person       | hasConformedName        | Conformed Name                           | V                 |
|                        | hasOfficerTitle         | Officer title                            | w_semantic        |
|                        | hasBusinessAddress      | Business Address                         | L_Geospatial      |



# Network Construction: Relations as Edges

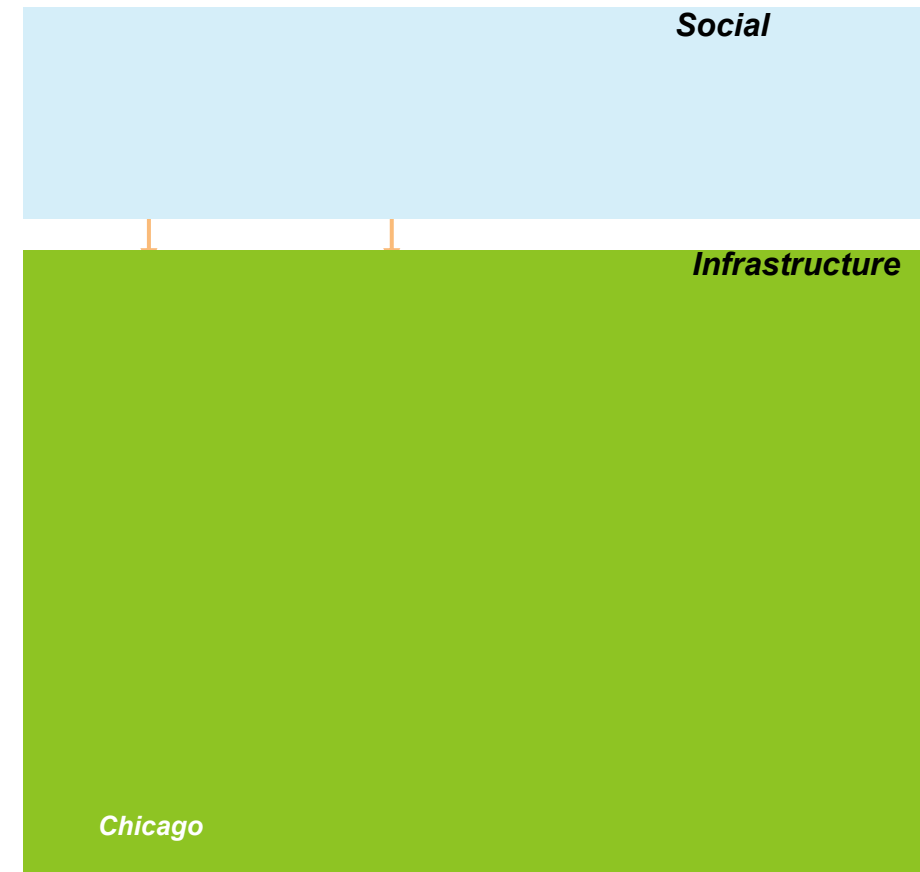
## Ontology

Object properties define *relations* between entities.

| Object Properties and Features to Construct EM     |                        |                   |
|--|------------------------|-------------------|
| Object Property                                    | Subject Class          | Object Class      |
| Social Network                                     |                        |                   |
| hasBeneficialOwnership                             | Organization           | Organization      |
|  | Person                 |                   |
| isDirectorOf<br>isOfficerOf<br>isTenPercentOwnerOf | Person                 | Organization      |
| Infrastructure Network                             |                        |                   |
| hasEVNetwork                                       | EVChargingStation      | EVChargingNetwork |
| hasPaymentNetwork                                  | EVChargingStation      | PaymentNetwork    |
| Inter-Layer (Socio-Technical)                      |                        |                   |
| owns<br>maintains                                  | Organization<br>Person | CIAsset           |

## Multilayered Network

Relations may be expressed as edges.

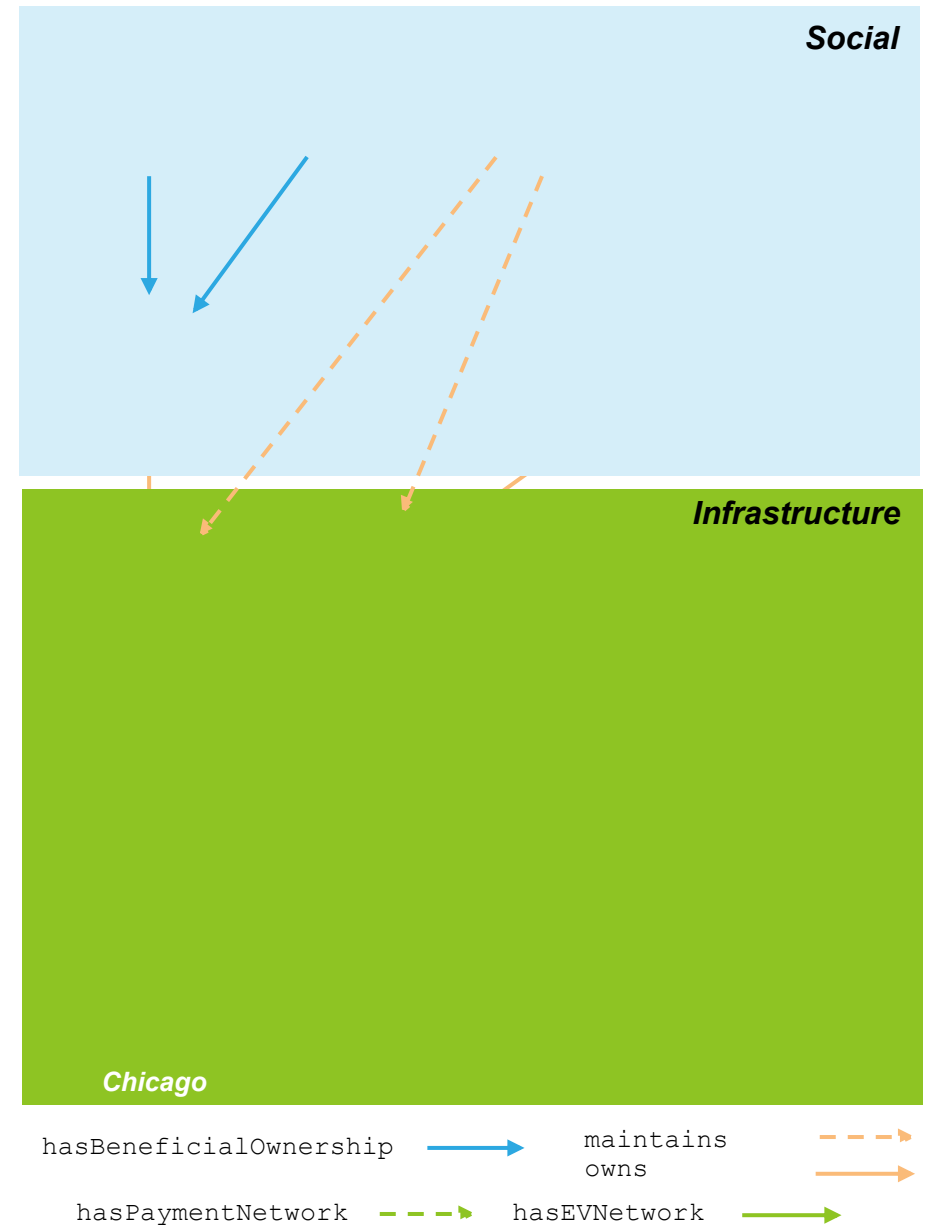




# Analyses Enabled

Our intent is to **construct multilayered networks** for adversarial STNA that can be adapted to a wide **variety of analyses**.

- Semantic Layer ( $L_{\text{semantic}}$ )
  - Inference Algorithms
- Geospatial Layer ( $L_{\text{geospatial}}$ )
  - Spatially-Localized Attacks (SLA) [Ouyang 2016]
- Temporal Layer ( $L_{\text{temporal}}$ )
  - Temporal Motifs [Paranjape et al. 2017]







# STNA Network Generation

Architecture and Design



# Architecture

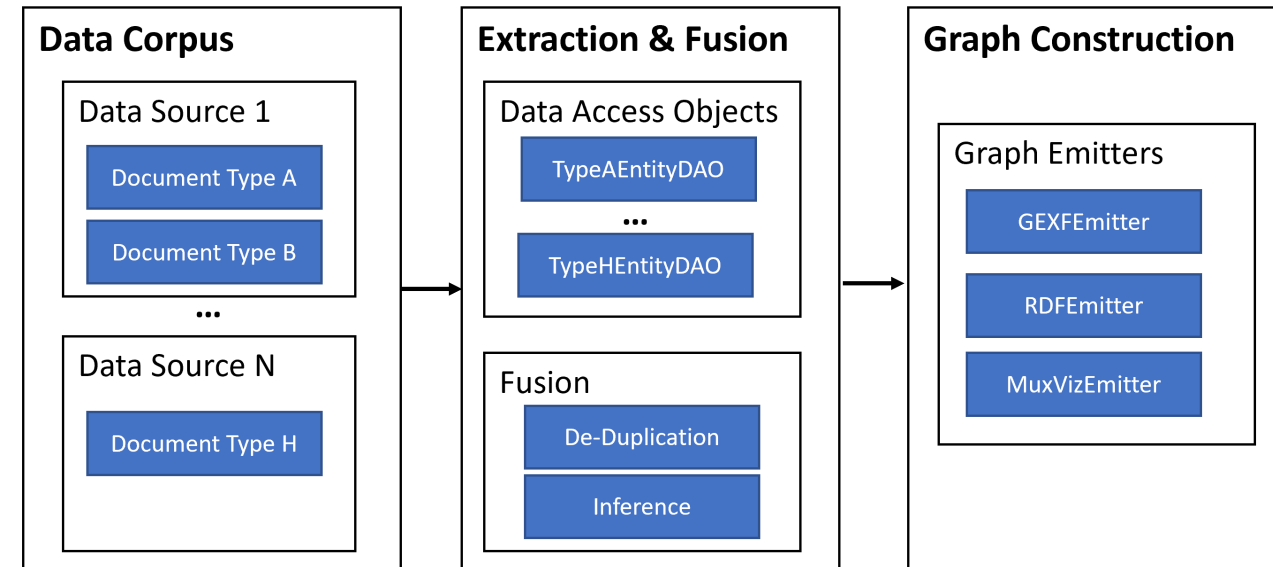
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Constructing such networks is difficult

- Diverse, heterogeneous data sources
- Difficult to update, adapt, repurpose

Therefore, we created a data processing pipeline to construct STNA

- Domain model for data access
- Networks composed of explicit data types for vertices, nodes, and other components.

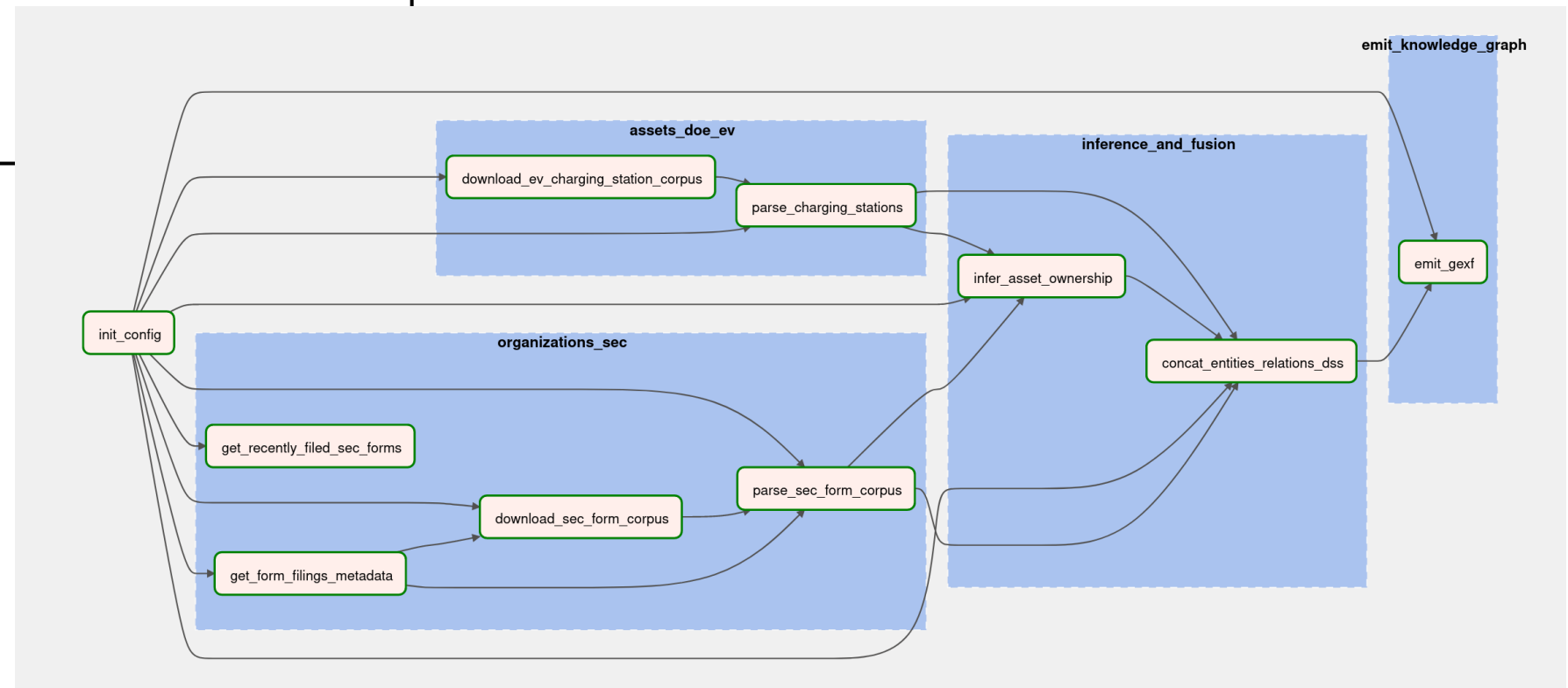
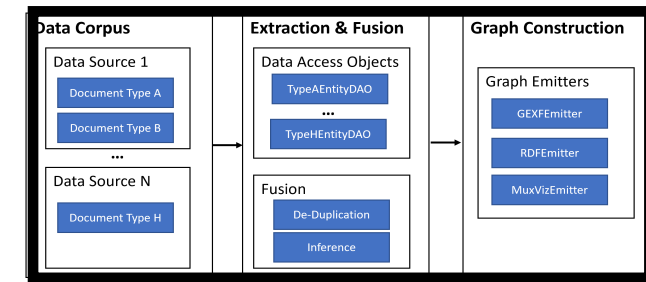




# Architecture - Implementation

## Init Config

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# Data Corpus

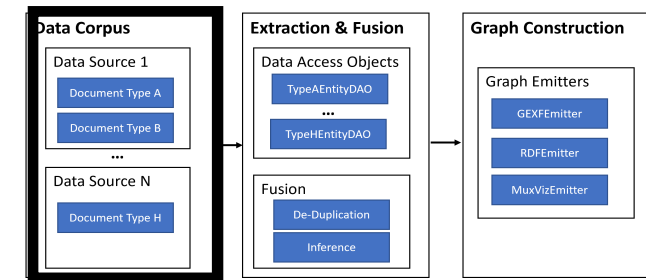
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Many types of data sources are available to construct social networks

- Twitter [Debreceeny 2017]
- Pitchbook
- Facebook
- SEC Data [Bichler et al. 2015]

Intent is to be able to

1. Construct the social network layers
2. Compose with layers for a Critical Infrastructure Sector



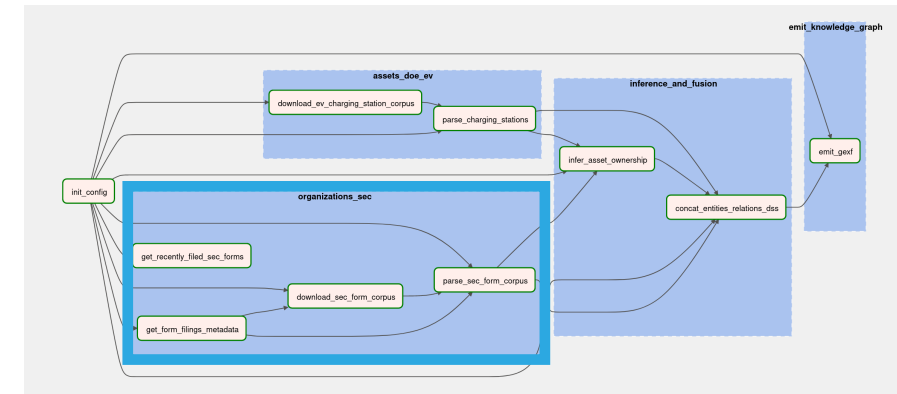
## Social Network

### SEC Forms for Organizational Influence

| SEC Form | Description   |
|----------|---|
| 3        | Initial statement of beneficial ownership of securities                             |
| 4        | Statement of changes in beneficial ownership  |
| S-4      | Registration statement after a merger or acquisition between two companies          |
| SC 13D   | Filed when an investor or entity purchases more than 5% shares of a public company. |
| TO-T     | Filed whenever an entity makes a tender offer as part of a takeover bid.            |



# Data Corpus - Implementation



## view\_filings\_metadata

```
(stenv) pasithea@pasithea:~/Documents/LDRD/stna$ python src/bin/view_filings_metadata.py --forms_metadata_path=data/chicago_data/1_23_2023/editorial/form_filings_metadata.json
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Form SC 13D

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|-----|----------------------|----------------------------|------------|------------------------------|--------|
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| 149 | 0001213900-21-053569 | 1970-01-01 00:27:14.688000 | 005-91687  | ea149046-13dtough_volta.htm  | SC 13D |
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Form S-4

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# Social Network Entity Extraction

## Social Network – Volta Inc

### SC 13D Filings

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|                      |            |                          |
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| 0001213900-21-026615 | 333-256173 | fs42021_tortoiseacq2.htm |
|----------------------|------------|--------------------------|

## Social Network

### stna\_core.Organization

| hasName                    | hasLocation | ownsPercentage | Start date | Data source                 |
|----------------------------|-------------|----------------|------------|-----------------------------|
| Virgo Hermes, LLC          | Delaware    | 10.1%          | 2022-04-12 | d9441195_13-d.htm           |
| Virgo Investment Group LLC | Delaware    | 10.1%          | 2022-04-12 | d9441195_13-d.htm           |
| Energize Ventures Fund LP  | Delaware    | 6.0%           | 2021-10-20 | Ea149046-13dtough_volta.htm |

SC 13D 1 d9441195\_13-d.htm

UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, DC 20549

SCHEDULE 13D  
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934  
(Amendment No. 1)\*

Volta Inc.  
(Name of Issuer)

Class A Common Stock, par value \$0.0001 per share  
(Title of Class of Securities)

92873V102  
(CUSIP Number)

Jesse C. Watson  
1201 Howard Ave, Suite 300  
Burlingame, California, 94010  
United States of America  
(650) 437-5368

(Name, Address and Telephone Number of Person Authorized to Receive  
Notices and Communications)

March 31, 2022  
(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)

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\*The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter disclosures provided in a prior cover page.

CUSIP No. 92873V102

1. NAME OF REPORTING PERSONS  
I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NOS. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)

Virgo Hermes, LLC

2. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF A MEMBER OF A GROUP

(a) ☐  
(b) ☐

3. SEC USE ONLY

4. SOURCE OF FUNDS  
AF

5. CHECK BOX IF DISCLOSURE OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IS REQUIRED PURSUANT TO ITEMS 2(d) OR 2(e)

☐

6. CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION

Delaware

NUMBER OF SHARES BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON

7. SOLE VOTING POWER

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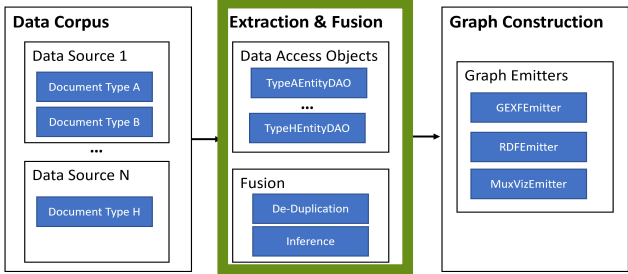
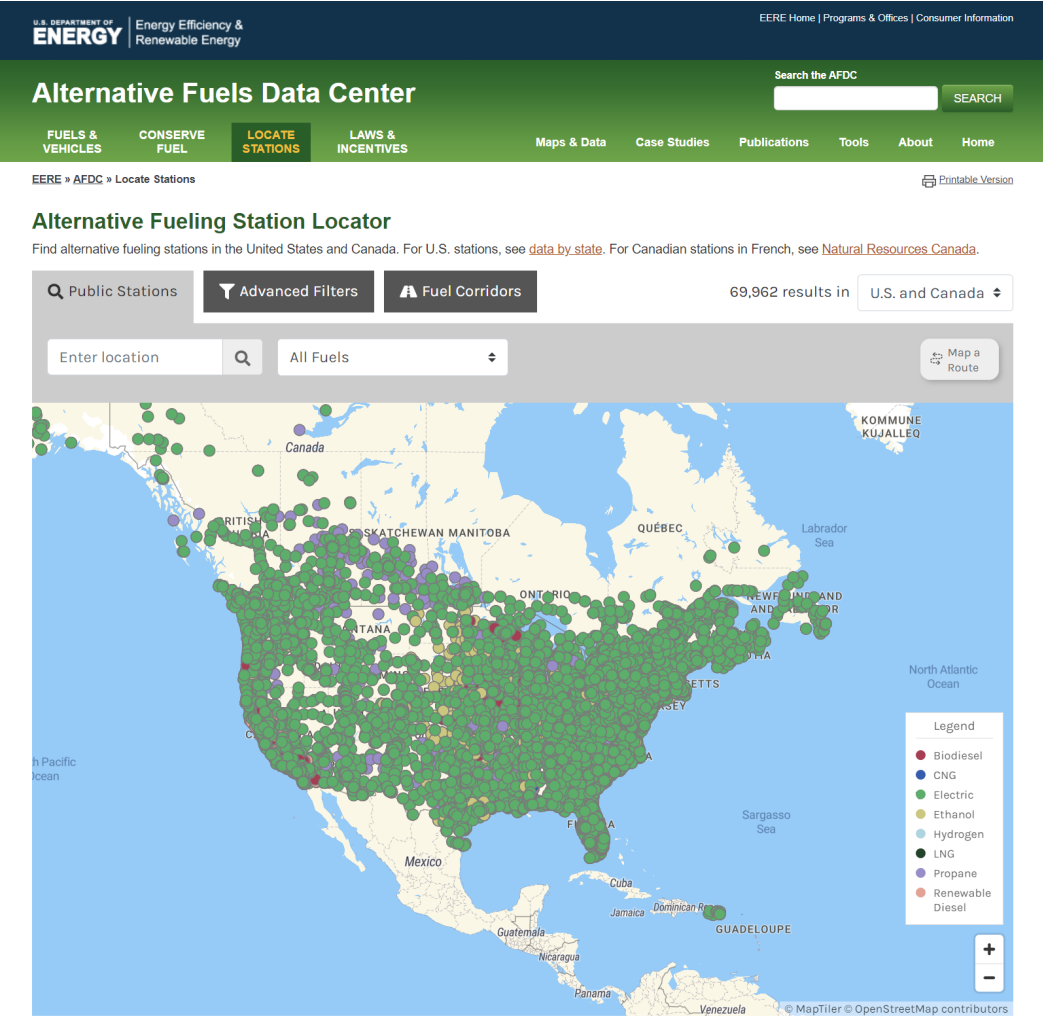
8. SHARED VOTING POWER

16,222,891

9. SOLE DISPOSITIVE POWER



# Critical Infrastructure Sector Entity Extraction



## EV Network

alt-fuel-stations.EVChargingStation

| <i>hasName</i>         | <i>hasLocation</i> | <i>hasEVNetwork</i> | <i>Start date</i> |
|------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Paul Simon Chicago JCC | Chicago            | Non-Networked       | 2021-09-21        |
| INTERPARK ADAMWABASH 2 | Chicago            | ChargePoint Network | 2021-12-18        |
| Grant Park South       | Chicago            | Tesla Destination   | 2016-02-11        |

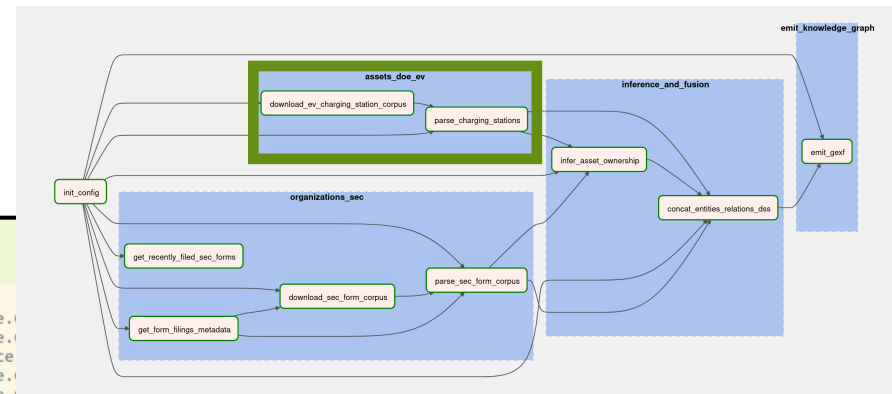


# Entity Extraction - Implementation

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view_entities_relations
```

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| 3  | 184701              | private     | Drivers must bring their own J1772 cordset for...                 | 2021-01-15 00:00:00 | https://afdc.energy.gov/stations/ org-influence.ChargingStation |
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| 5  | ChargePoint Network | None        | None  | 2023-03-06 23:32:42 | https://afdc.energy.gov/stations/ org-influence.ChargingNetwork |
| 6  | 202791              | public      | 24 hours daily  | 2021-12-18 00:00:00 | https://afdc.energy.gov/stations/ org-influence.ChargingStation |
| 7  | 253419              | public      | Mon 5:00am - 5:00pm; Tue 5:00am - 5:00pm; Wed ...                 | 2023-02-07 00:00:00 | https://afdc.energy.gov/stations/ org-influence.ChargingStation |
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| 14 | 202793              | public      | 24 hours daily  | 2021-12-18 00:00:00 | https://afdc.energy.gov/stations/ org-influence.ChargingStation |
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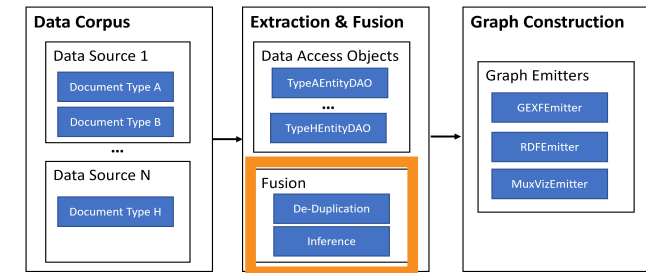
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|------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Paul Simon Chicago JCC | Chicago            | Non-Networked       | 2021-09-21        |
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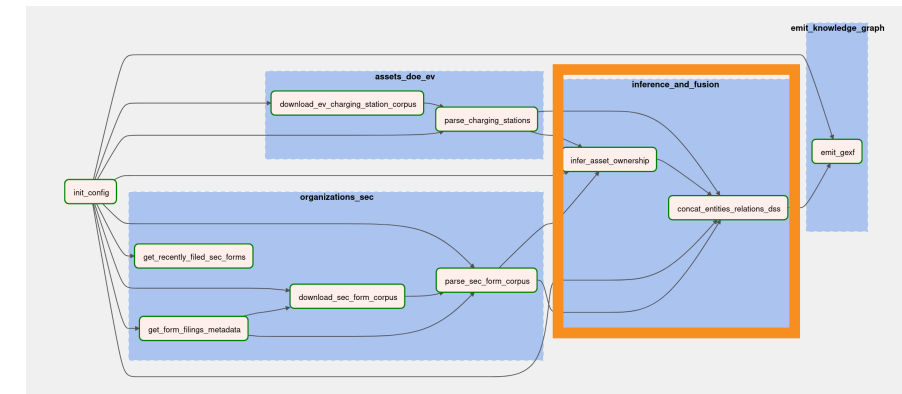
### alt-fuel-stations.EVChargingNetwork

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|---------------------|------|-----|-----|
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| Tesla Destination   | None | n/a | n/a |
| Blink Network       | None | n/a | n/a |





# Fusion - Implementation



## view\_entities\_relations

|     | subject_id                | relation                   | object_id  | subject_name              | ... | start_date                 | source  | update_date                | sort_date           |
|-----|---------------------------|----------------------------|------------|---------------------------|-----|----------------------------|---|----------------------------|---------------------|
| 520 | A D M V                   | isNetworkOf                | 166665     | 0                         | ... | 1970-01-01 00:00:00.000000 | https://afdc.energy.gov/stations/                 | 1970-01-01 00:26:55.504937 | 2021-03-11 23:22:17 |
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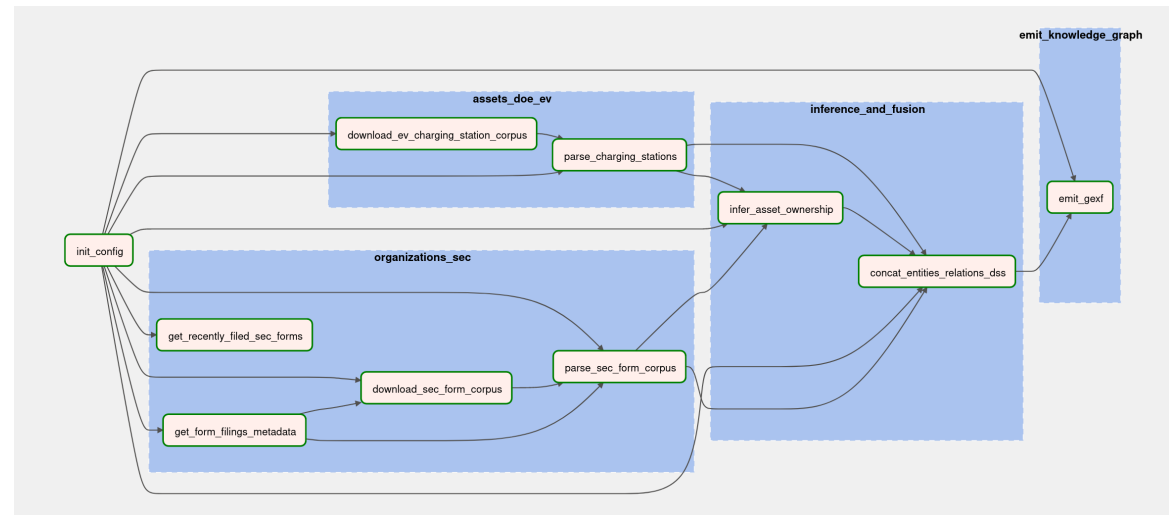
# Iterative Discovery

During this analysis of Volta, we **discovered** the following:

1. Identification of all EV assets within a geographic region of interest.
2. Several other Organizations that own EV Stations in the region.
  - 000177393
  - 0001318605
  - 001429764
  - 0001530649
3. Identification of People/Orgs with a beneficial ownership over Volta
  - CIK: 0001890372
  - CIK: 0001879633

## Init Config (n=0)

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## Init Config (n=1)

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# Regional Infrastructure Asset Ownership

Semantic and Geospatial Analysis



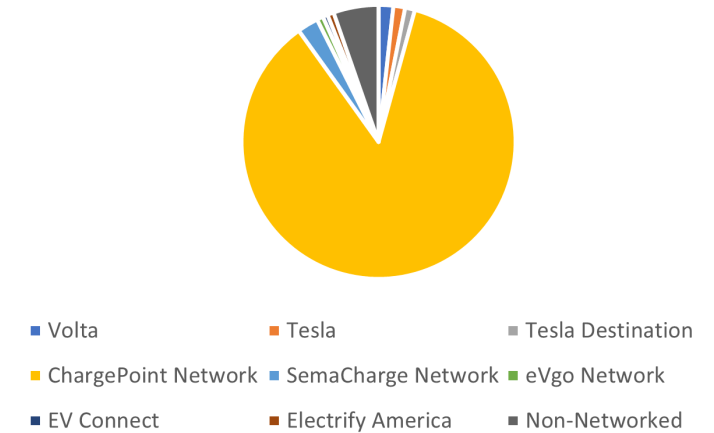
# Resource Ownership within a Region

Our intent is for adversarial STNA networks to enable a wide variety of analyses of *organizational influence over physical infrastructure systems*.

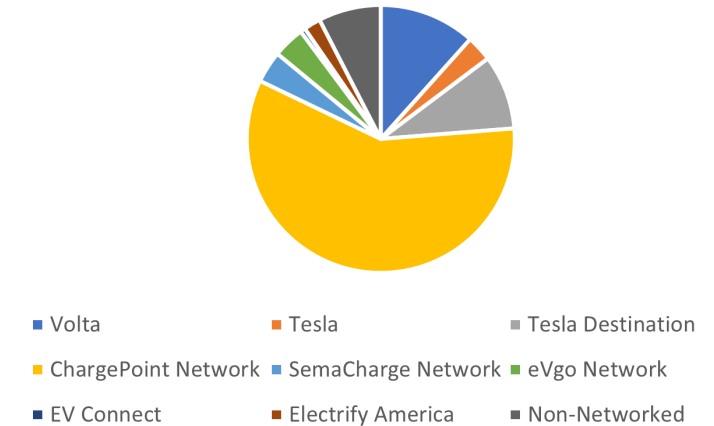
Example: Consider the ownership of the communications network upon which EV Charging Stations in a region depend.

- *Semantic attributes* ( $L_{\text{semantic}}$ ) enable us to infer an ownership (*owns*) relation given the name of the *EVChargingNetwork* and an *Organization*.
- The data analysis pipeline enables comparison across different regions.

Boston EV Charging Stations



Chicago EV Charging Stations

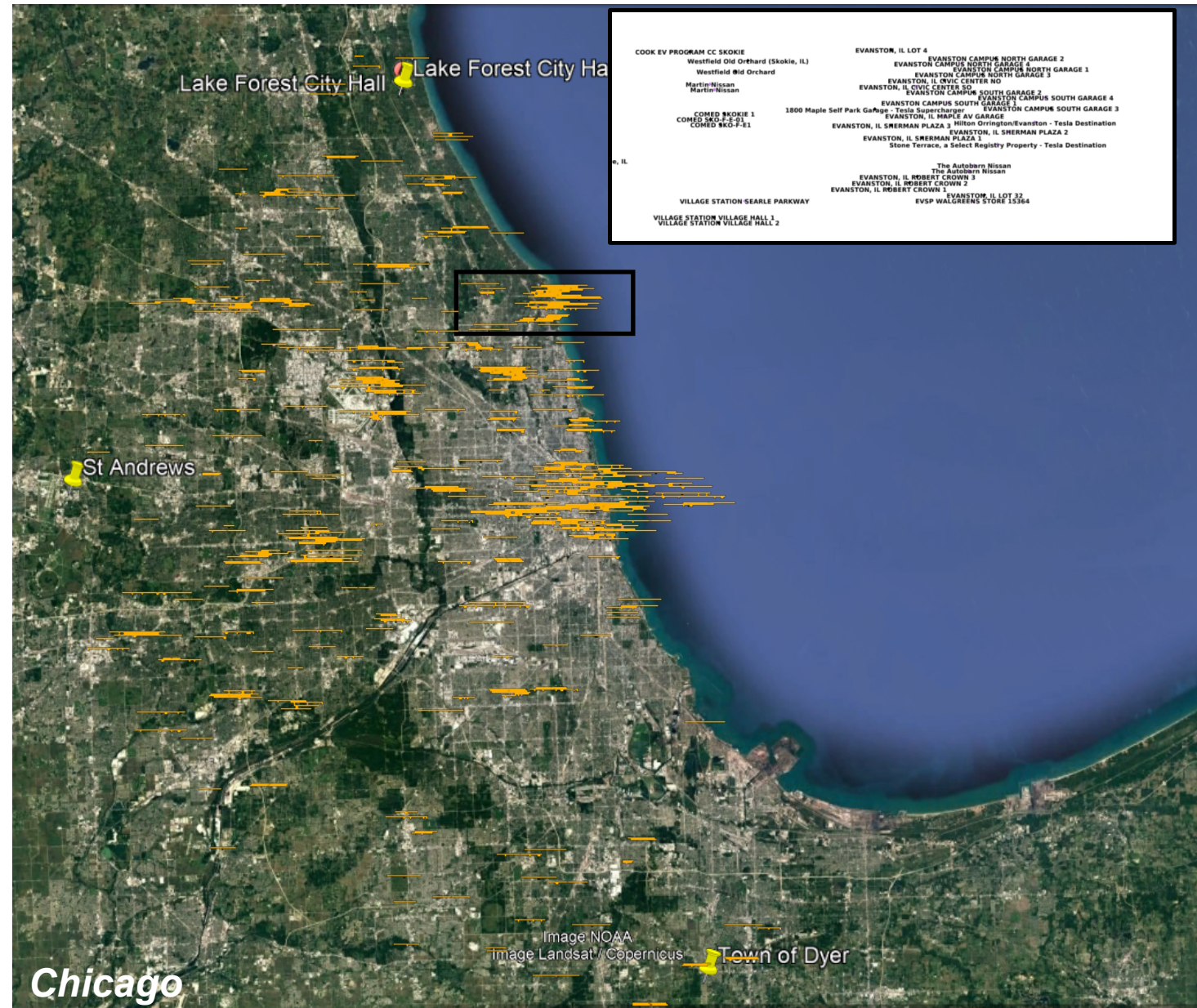




# Resource Ownership within a Region

*Geospatial Attributes* ( $L_{\text{geospatial}}$ ) within the Critical Infrastructure layers enable us to consider organizational influence over specific region.

- This provides more detail than a simple pie chart of proportions
- Enables the ability to zoom in on a given region of interest

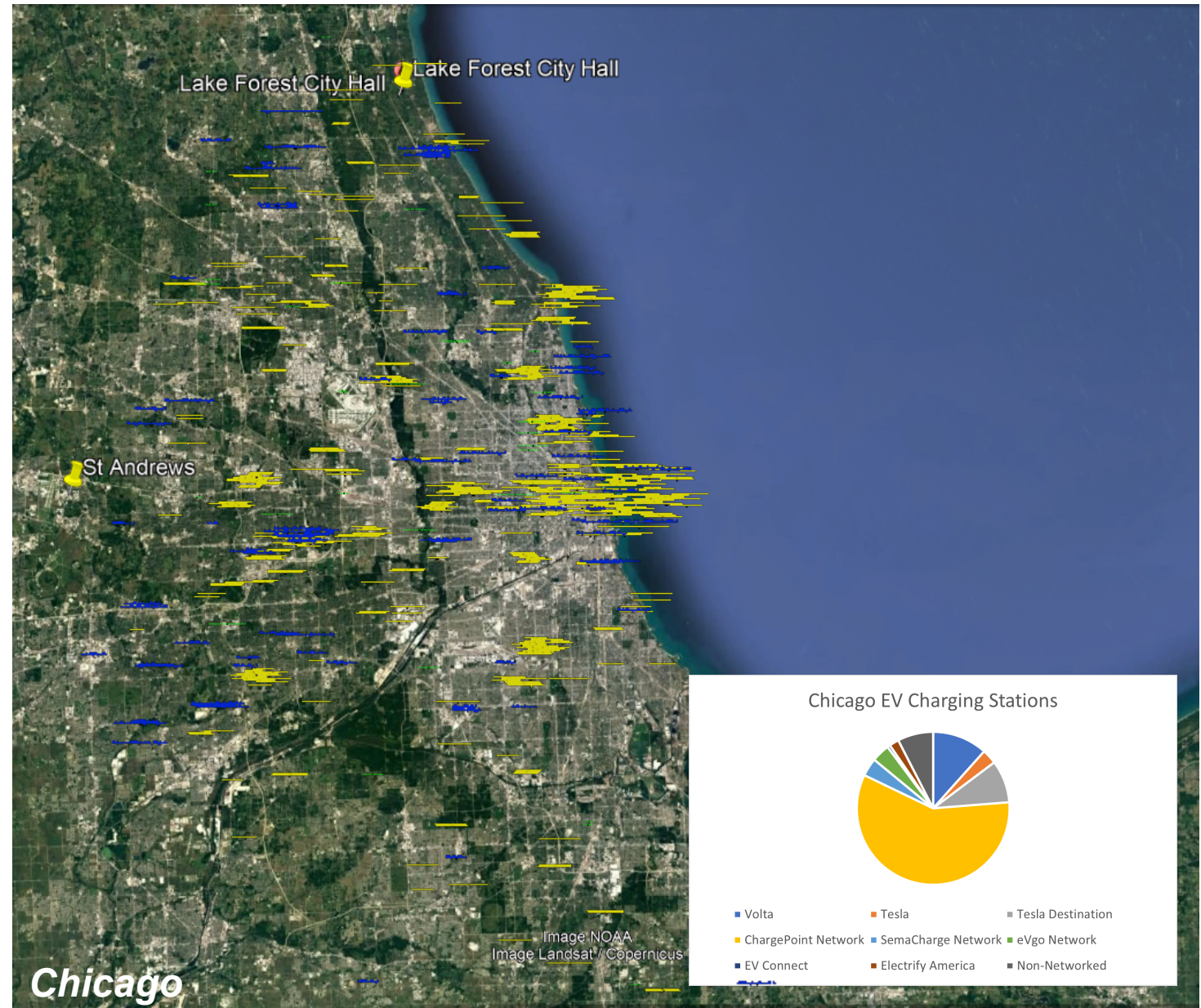




# Resource Ownership within a Region

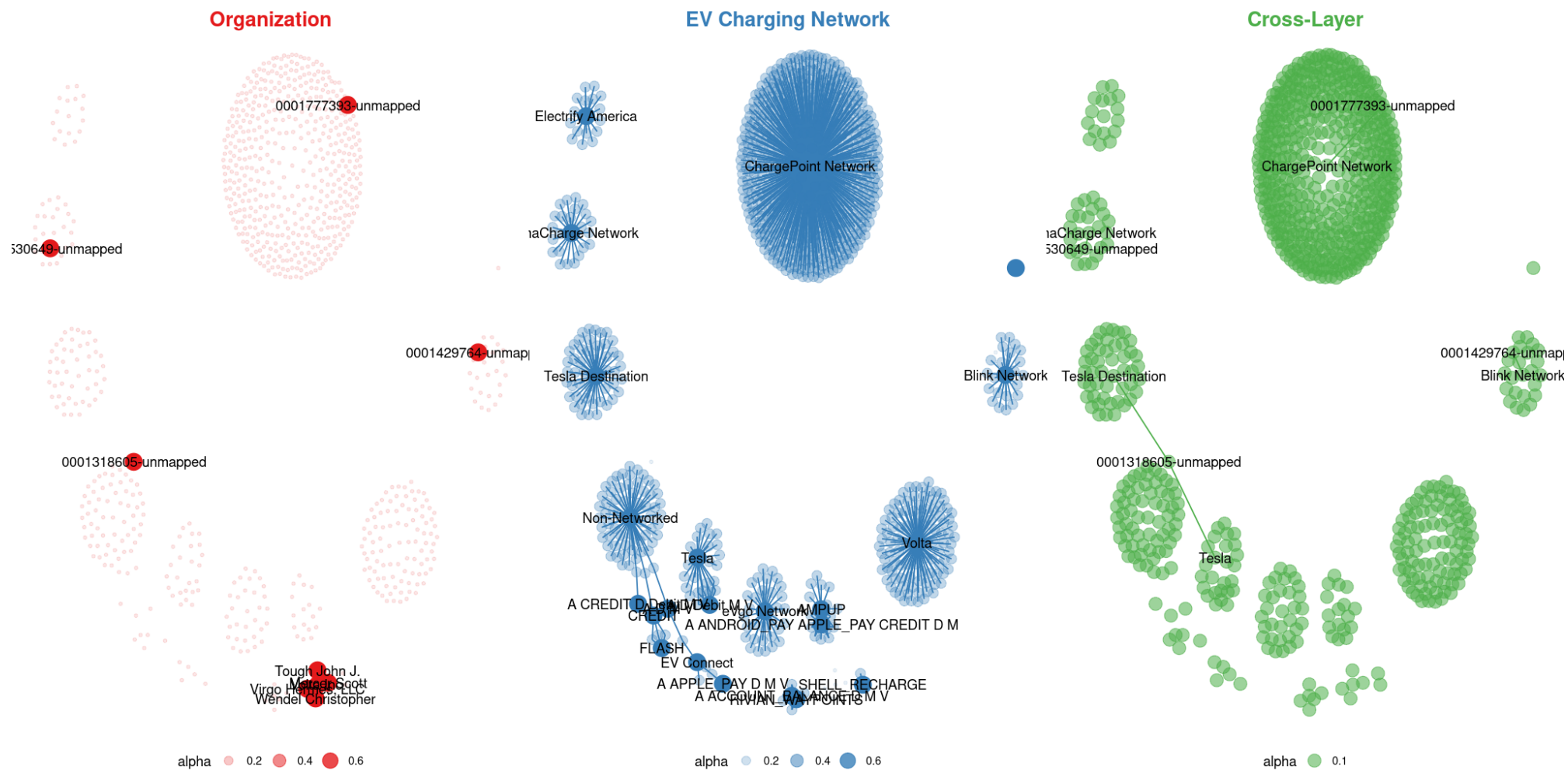
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- This provides more detail than a simple pie chart of proportions
- Enables the ability to zoom in on a given region of interest and see who has influence and where
  - ChargePoint
  - Volta
  - eVgo



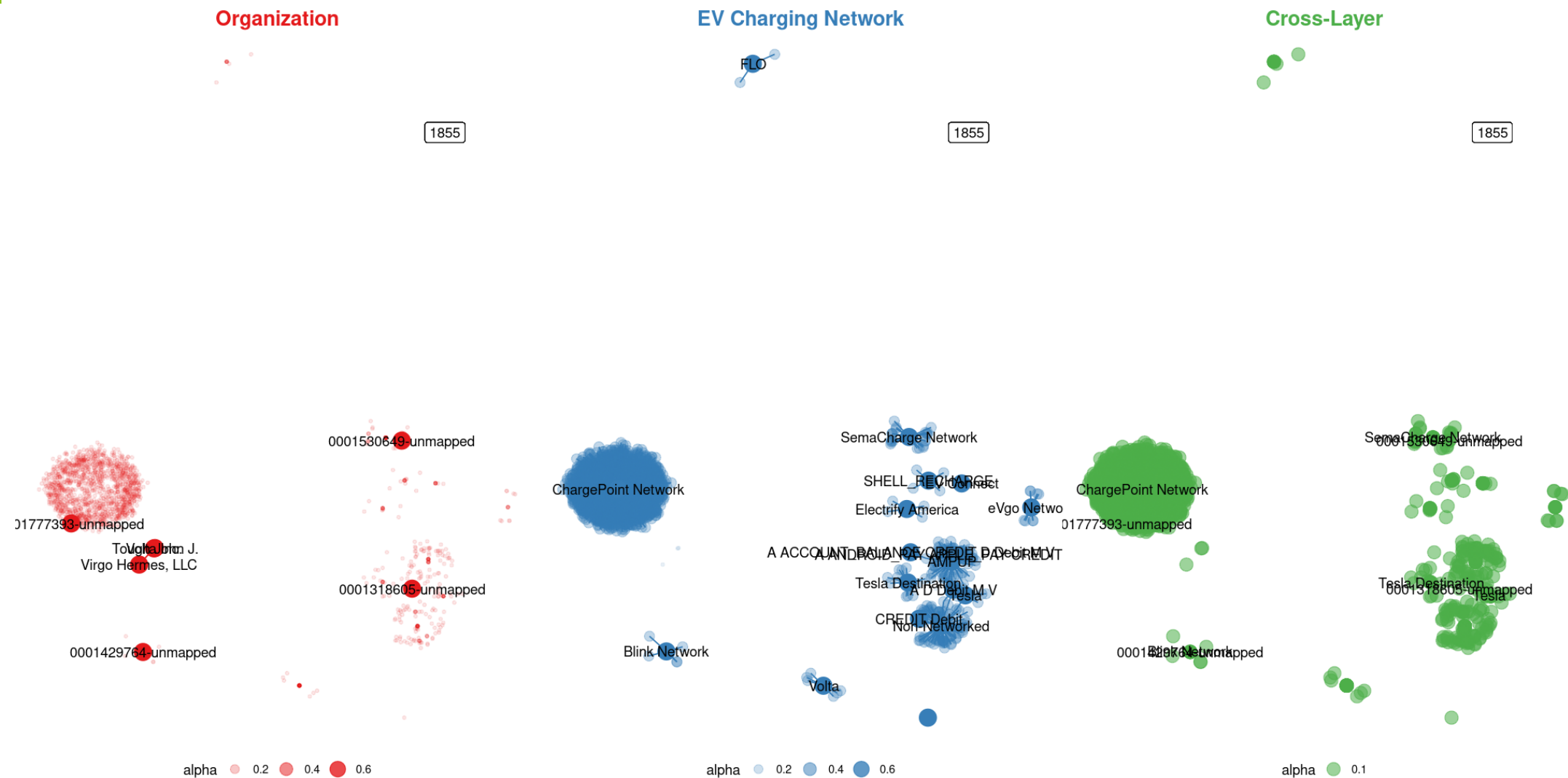


# EV Charging Station Ownership Around Chicago





# EV Charging Station Ownership Around Boston





# Newport News Shipping

Historical Study, Indirect Data Access  
via Subsidiary

## IT and Networks

### Hackers are repeatedly targeting Navy contractors

By Mark Pomerleau

Jun 27, 2019



The first keel section of the new aircraft carrier John F. Kennedy is placed into dry dock 12 at Huntington Ingalls Newport News Shipyard on Aug. 22, 2015. Huntington Ingalls was subject of a sophisticated hacking spree by organs of the Chinese government, according to Reuters. (Mark D. Faram/Staff)

Huntington Ingalls, the Navy's largest shipbuilder, was compromised by a large-scale hacking campaign waged by several organs of the Chinese government, according to a [Reuters report](#).

However, the company denied the allegation in a June 27 email to Fifth Domain, saying, "there was no breach of information" from Newport News Shipyard, nor were their systems connected to a foreign server controlled by a Chinese group, known as APT10.

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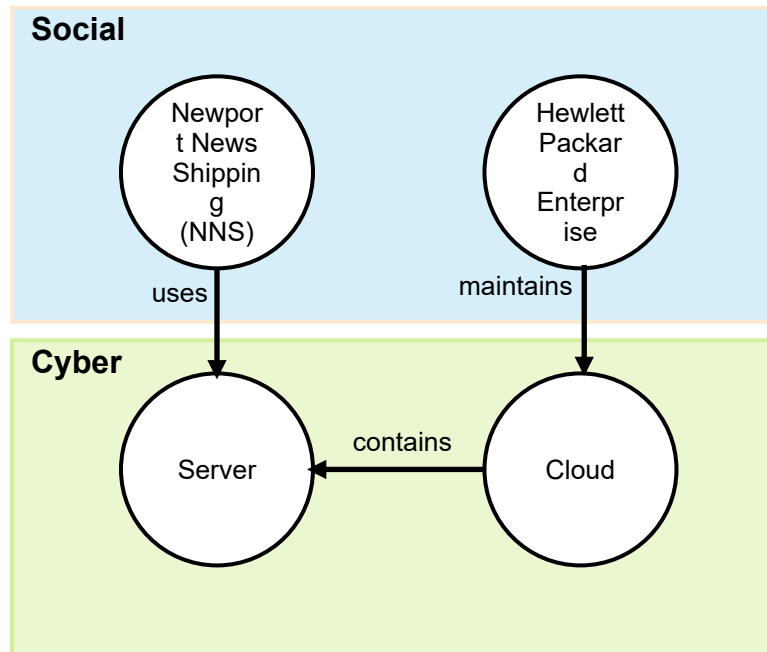
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# Newport News Shipping Case Study



## Construction of G\_1:

1. NNS uses a Server
2. Cloud contains Server
3. HPE/CSC maintains Cloud

## Time:

From time  $t1\_1$  to time  $t2\_1$ .

## Inference:

1.  $\langle \text{org1} \rangle$  maintains  $\langle \text{resource1} \rangle$  &  $\langle \text{resource1} \rangle$  contains  $\langle \text{resource2} \rangle$   
→  $\langle \text{org1} \rangle$  maintains  $\langle \text{resource2} \rangle$
2.  $\langle \text{org1} \rangle$  maintains  $\langle \text{resource2} \rangle$  &  $\langle \text{org2} \rangle$  uses  $\langle \text{resource2} \rangle$  □  
 $\langle \text{org1} \rangle$  accessesDataOf  $\langle \text{org2} \rangle$

## Relations Inferred:

- HPE maintains Server [I1]
- HPE accessesDataOf NNS [I2]



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Annotation properties Datatypes Individuals Classes Object properties Data properties

Hewlett\_Packard\_Enterprise — http://www.semanticweb.org/weavgp/ontologies/2022/11/orginf

Annotations Usage

Individuals: Hewlett\_Packard\_Enterprise

Annotations: Hewlett\_Packard\_Enterprise

Annotations +

Description: Hewlett\_Packard\_Enterprise

Property assertions: Hewlett\_Packard\_Enterprise

Types +

Organizations

Same Individual As +

Different Individuals +

Object property assertions +

accessesDataOf Newport\_News\_Shipping

maintains Server

maintains Cloud

Data property assertions +

Negative object property assertions +

Negative data property assertions +

Reasoner state out of sync with active ontology Show Inferences

Explanation for Hewlett\_Packard\_Enterprise accessesDataOf Newport\_News\_Shipping

Show regular justifications All justifications

Show laconic justifications Limit justifications to 2

Explanation 1 Display laconic explanation

Explanation for: Hewlett\_Packard\_Enterprise accessesDataOf Newport\_News\_Shipping

Explanation 2 Display laconic explanation

Explanation for: Hewlett\_Packard\_Enterprise accessesDataOf Newport\_News\_Shipping

- Hewlett\_Packard\_Enterprise maintains Server In NO other justifications
- Organization(?org1), Organization(?org2), Resource(?resource), maintains(?org1, ?resource), uses(?org2, ?resource) -> accessesDataOf(?org1, ?org2) In 1 other justifications
- Server Type Resource In 1 other justifications
- Newport\_News\_Shipping uses Server In 1 other justifications
- Hewlett\_Packard\_Enterprise Type Organization In 1 other justifications
- Newport\_News\_Shipping Type Organization In 1 other justifications

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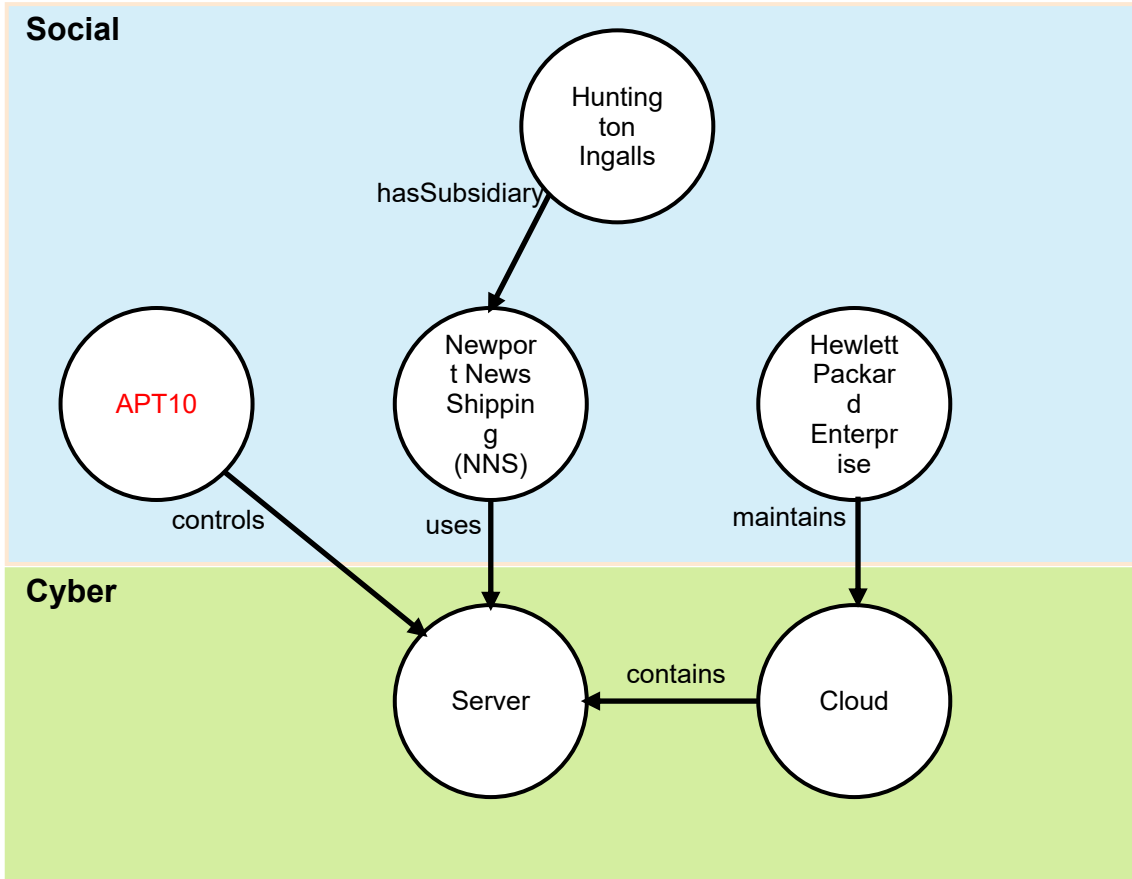
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- Server Type Resource In 1 other justifications
- Cloud Type Resource In NO other justifications
- Newport\_News\_Shipping uses Server In 1 other justifications
- Hewlett\_Packard\_Enterprise maintains Cloud In NO other justifications
- Hewlett\_Packard\_Enterprise Type Organization In 1 other justifications
- Cloud contains Server In NO other justifications
- Newport\_News\_Shipping Type Organization In 1 other justifications

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# Upstream Impacts via Social Network Analysis



## Inference Rules:

1.  $\langle \text{org1} \rangle \text{ maintains } \langle \text{resource1} \rangle \ \& \ \langle \text{resource1} \rangle \text{ contains } \langle \text{resource2} \rangle \rightarrow \langle \text{org1} \rangle \text{ maintains } \langle \text{resource2} \rangle$
2.  $\langle \text{org1} \rangle \text{ maintains } \langle \text{resource2} \rangle \ \& \ \langle \text{org2} \rangle \text{ uses } \langle \text{resource2} \rangle \rightarrow \langle \text{org1} \rangle \text{ accessesDataOf } \langle \text{org2} \rangle$  □
3.  $\langle \text{org1} \rangle \text{ controls } \langle \text{resource2} \rangle \ \& \ \langle \text{org2} \rangle \text{ uses } \langle \text{resource2} \rangle \rightarrow \langle \text{org1} \rangle \text{ accessesDataOf } \langle \text{org2} \rangle$  □
4.  $\langle \text{org1} \rangle \text{ controls } \langle \text{resource2} \rangle \ \& \ \langle \text{org2} \rangle \text{ maintains } \langle \text{resource2} \rangle \rightarrow \langle \text{org1} \rangle \text{ accessesDataOf } \langle \text{org2} \rangle$  □
5.  $\langle \text{org3} \rangle \text{ hasSubsidiary } \langle \text{org2} \rangle \ \& \ \langle \text{org1} \rangle \text{ accessesDataOf } \langle \text{org2} \rangle \rightarrow \langle \text{org1} \rangle \text{ accessesDataOf } \langle \text{org3} \rangle$  □

## Data Sets:

- hasSubsidiary via OpenCorporates (?)

## Inferred Relations

- HPE maintains Server [I1]
- HPE accessesDataOf NNS [I2]
- **APT10 accessesData of NNS [I3]**
- **APT10 accessesData of HPE [I4]**
- **APT10 accessesData of HuntingtonIngalls [I5]**



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Classes Object properties Data properties

Individuals: APT10 Annotations: APT10

APT10  
Cloud  
Hewlett\_Packard\_Enterprise  
Huntington\_Ingalls  
Newport\_News\_Shipping  
Server

Description: APT10 Property assertions: APT10

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|    |  |                            |   |
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| 1) | Organization(?org1), Organization(?org2), Organization(?org3), hasSubsidiary(?org1, ?org2), accessesDataOf(?org3, ?org2) -> accessesDataOf(?org3, ?org1) | In 1 other justifications  | ? |
| 2) | Huntington_Ingalls hasSubsidiary Newport_News_Shipping   | In 1 other justifications  | ? |
| 3) | Huntington_Ingalls Type Organization   | In 1 other justifications  | ? |
| 4) | APT10 Type Organization  | In 1 other justifications  | ? |
| 5) | APT10 accessesDataOf Newport_News_Shipping   | In NO other justifications | ? |
| 6) | Newport_News_Shipping Type Organization  | In 1 other justifications  | ? |

Explanation 3 Display laconic explanation

Explanation for: APT10 accessesDataOf Huntington\_Ingalls

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| 2) | APT10 controls Server  | In NO other justifications | ? |
| 3) | Huntington_Ingalls hasSubsidiary Newport_News_Shipping   | In 1 other justifications  | ? |
| 4) | Huntington_Ingalls Type Organization   | In 1 other justifications  | ? |
| 5) | Organization(?org1), Organization(?org2), Resource(?resource), controls(?org1, ?resource), uses(?org2, ?resource) -> accessesDataOf(?org1, ?org2)        | In NO other justifications | ? |
| 6) | Server Type Resource   | In NO other justifications | ? |
| 7) | Newport_News_Shipping uses Server  | In NO other justifications | ? |
| 8) | APT10 Type Organization  | In 1 other justifications  | ? |
| 9) | Newport_News_Shipping Type Organization  | In 1 other justifications  | ? |

OK



# Conclusions

**The Problem:** How do adversarial business practices impact critical infrastructure systems within a given geographic region of interest?

- Specialization of ‘cyber’ may lead to blindspots for dependencies that achieve influence but are exogenous to traditional system boundaries.

**Our Approach:** Our research focuses on adversarial techniques in the business domain that affect infrastructure.

- Want to think about how such techniques across domains can be composed by adversaries.
- Support a variety of analyses using semantic, geospatial, and temporal attributes.

|        |                     |                       |                         |  |                              |
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| Social | Acquisition         | Ownership             | Company Ownership Proxy | Due Diligence for Mergers & Acquisitions | Foreign-Owned Facilities     |
|        | Use                 | Board Membership      | Board Membership Proxy  | Legal Subpoena                           | Disinformation               |
|        | Leasing             | Asset Maintenance     |                         | Digital Twin Creation                    | Degrade Service Quality      |
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