

An Adversarial
Threat Source

(with **capability**,
intent and
targeting)

OR

A Non-
Adversarial
Threat Source

(with a range
of **effects**)

In the context of...

Predisposing
Conditions

(with varying
pervasiveness)

Security
Controls

(**planned** and
implemented)

Vulnerabilities

(ranging in
severity)

Could
Initiate

(with varying
**likelihood of
initiation**)

A Threat
Event

Which
could
result in

(with varying
**likelihood of
impact**)

Adverse
Impacts

(with varying
**severity and
range**)

Creating RISK to providers of Whois information – a
combination of the nature of the impact and the likelihood
that its effects will be felt