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Cyber Security Investment in the Age of Big Data: Reassessment of the Gordon-Loeb Model and Application to Critical Infrastructure Protection

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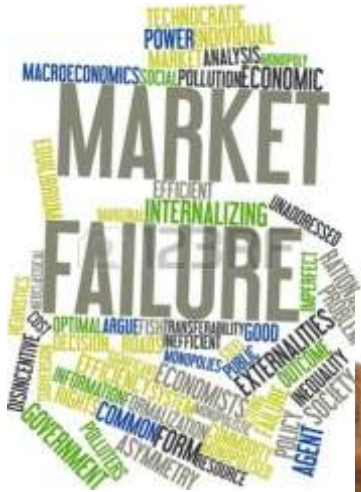
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Introduction

Economics of Information Security as a complementary approach

Cyber Security issues = bad incentives + bad design



Introduction

Investigating investment dynamics in cybersecurity



Yes, BUT...

SINGLE PERIOD MODEL



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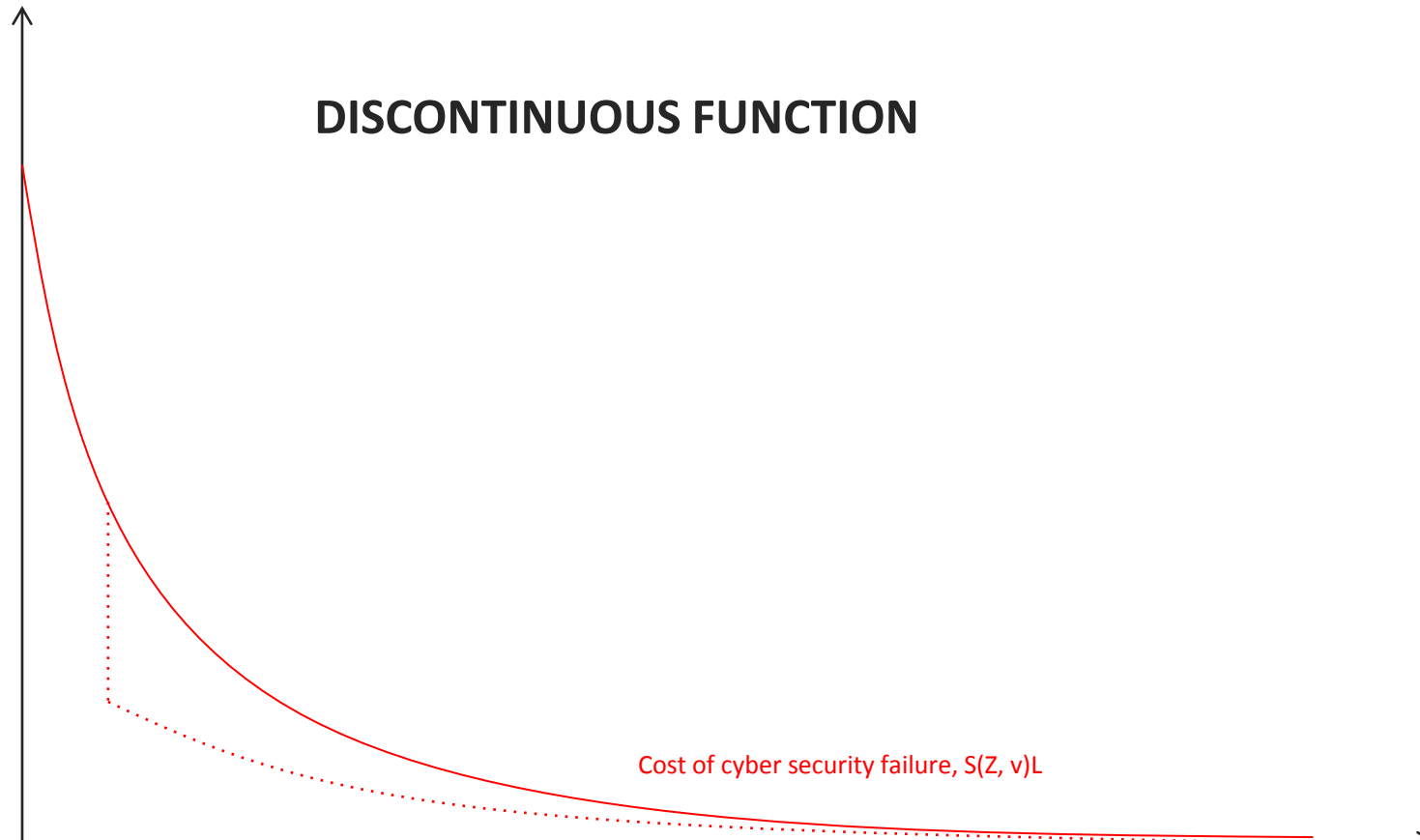
Investigating investment dynamics in cybersecurity

MULTI-PERIOD MODEL



Cost

DISCONTINUOUS FUNCTION



Extending the GL model

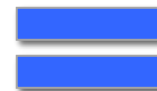
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Security Analytics: from bad signatures to bad actions

MINIMIZING COSTS



**CONVENTIONAL
CYBERSECURITY MEANS**



LIMITED SUCCESS

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BAD ACTIONS

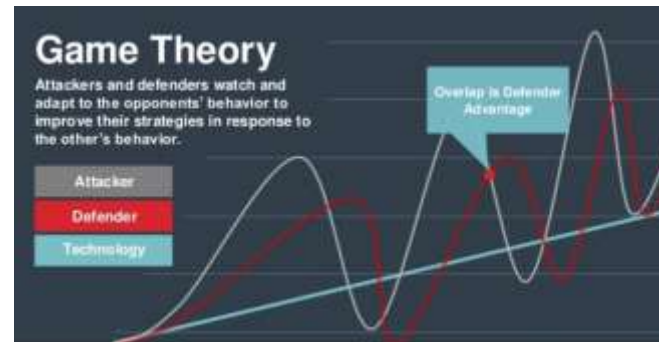


Extending the GL model

The impact of Big Data Analytics on the GL model

From resilience to anticipation: the next generation of information technologies

Real time analytics



Dynamic detection



Extending the GL model

1st impact: Suggesting a multi-period model

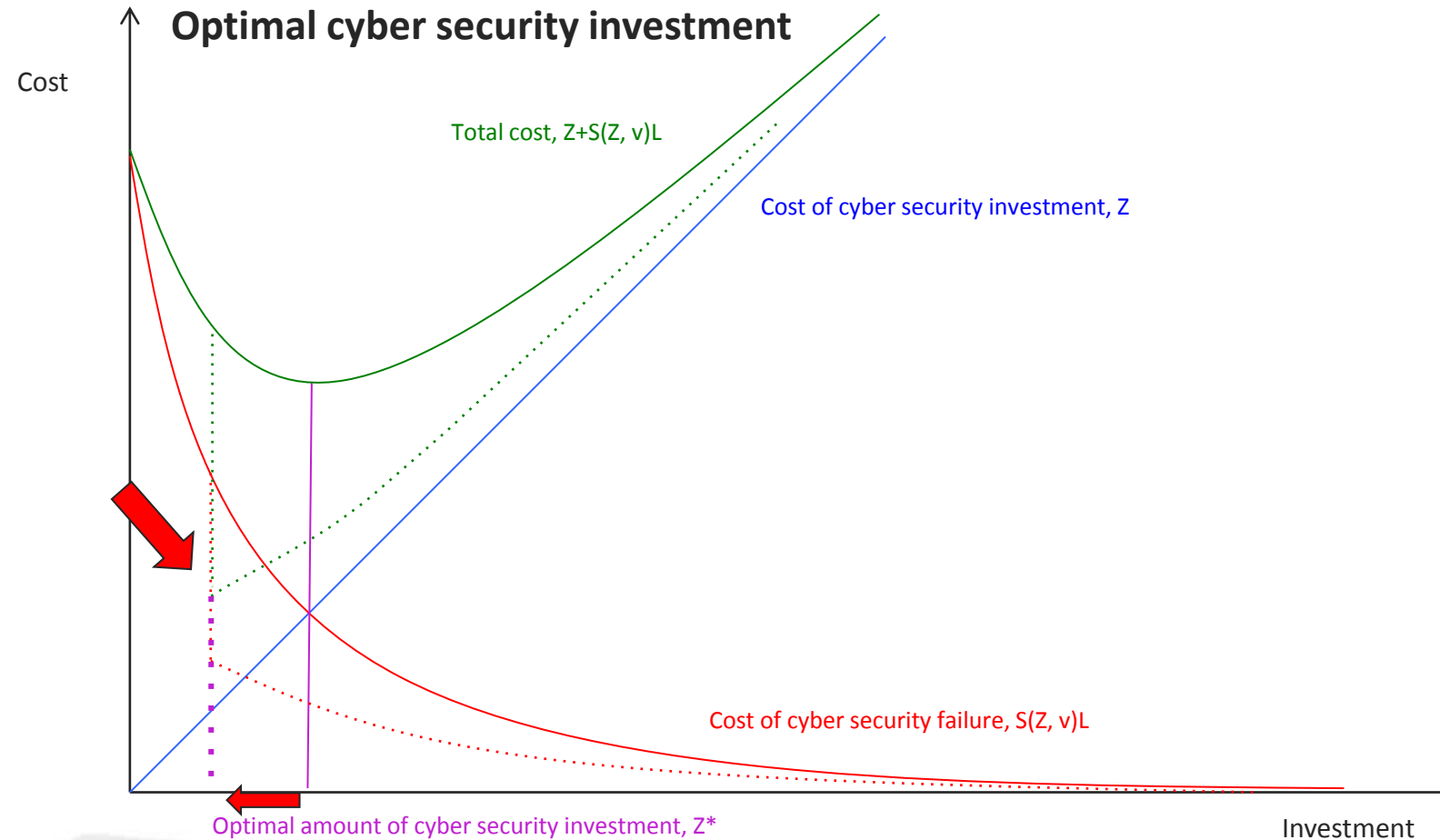
$$\text{Max ENBIS}(z) = [v - S(z, v)] L - z$$



$$\text{Max ENBIS}(z_i) \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^n [v_i - S_i(z_i, v_i)] L_i - z_i \right\}$$

Extending the GL model

2nd impact: Relaxing the assumption of continuity



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2nd impact: Relaxing the assumption of continuity

Proposition 1. *If BDA is employed for producing cyber security, then investments in cyber security will decrease from $\sum_{i=1}^n z_i(v_i) \leq \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{e} v_i L_i$ to $\sum_{i=1}^n z_i(v_i) \ll \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{e} v_i L_i$ due to greater efficiency of BDA compared to conventional tools.*

Application to CIP

An urgent need for efficiency and effectiveness improvement



10 Critical Infrastructure Sectors



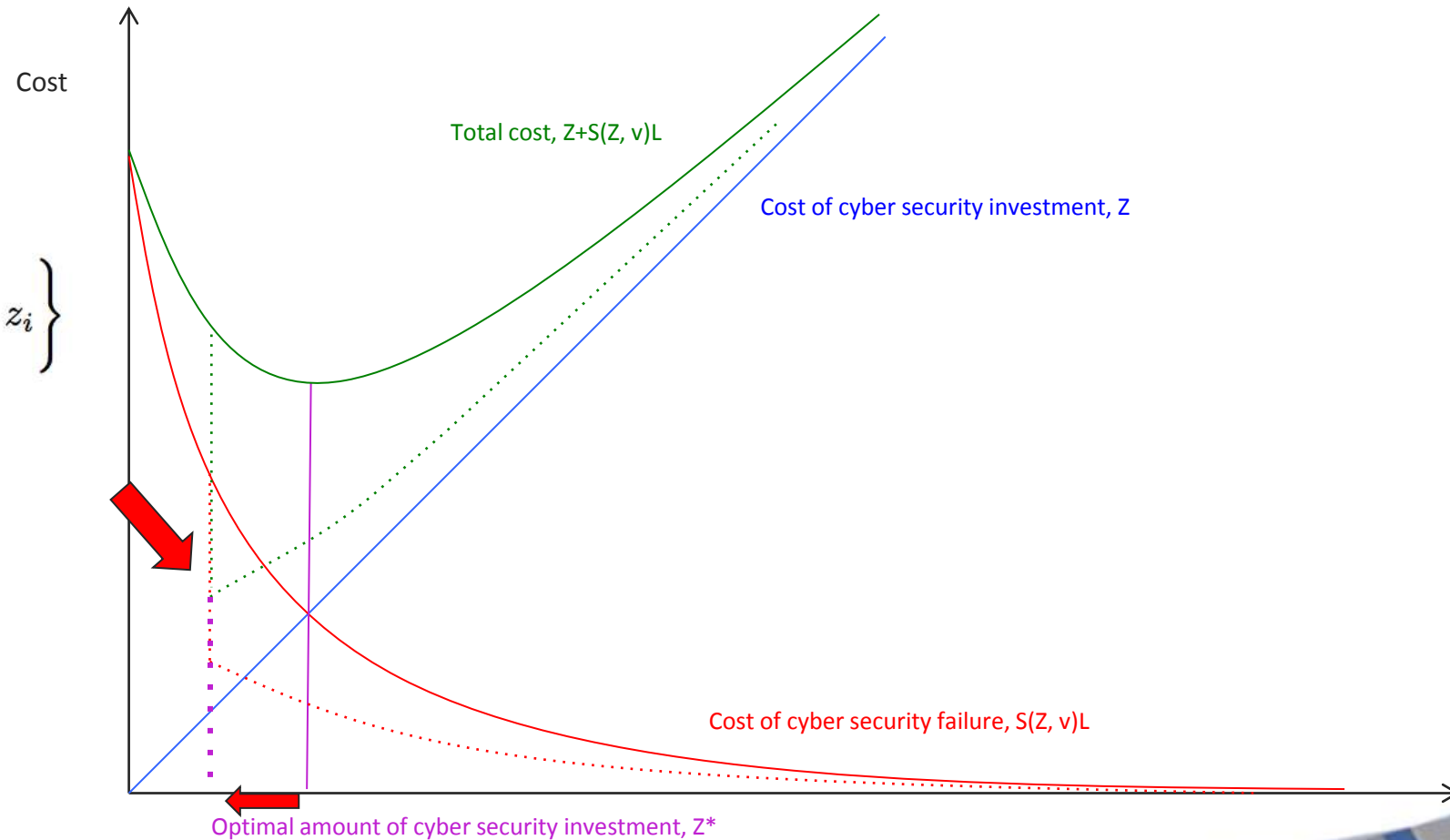
*Effectiveness is...
"Doing the right thing"*

*Efficiency is
"Doing the thing right"*

Concluding comments

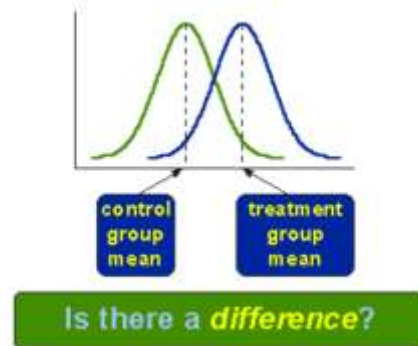
Extending the GL model for radically innovative and disruptive technologies

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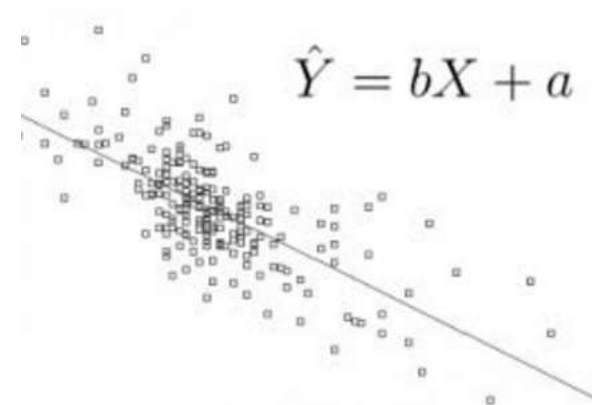
Further research

A game theory experiment for collecting data



An econometric model for testing our hypothesis

$$E[e^{-sX_{+i,u}} | A(X_{-i,u}) = k] = \sum_{i=1}^k \left[\frac{1}{2Li!} \frac{d^i}{dz^i} \Big|_{z=0} \left(\frac{G^*_{-i}(-\lambda, d)}{P} \right) + \frac{1}{2L(k-i)!} \frac{d^{k-i}}{dz^{k-i}} \Big|_{z=0} \left(\frac{G^*_{-i}(-\lambda, d)}{P} \right) \right]$$



Q&A and discussion

