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Behavioural Science Support for JTRIG's (Joint Threat Research and Intelligence Group's) Effects and Online HUMINT Operations

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Two of the Global team's current aims are regime change in Zimbabwe by discrediting the present regime, and preventing Argentina from taking over the Falkland Islands by conducting online HUMINT.

Examples of Effects and Online HUMINT Operations

2.2 *Operation targets.* JTRIG's operations may cover all areas of the globe. Staff described operations that are currently targeted at, for example, Iran, Africa, Argentina, Afghanistan, Pakistan, North Korea, UK, and Eastern Europe, including Russia. Operations may target specific individuals (e.g., suspect caught in-theatre or cyber criminal), groups (e.g., Islamic extremists or those engaged in online credit card fraud), the general population (e.g., Iranians), or regimes (e.g., Zanu PF).

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COMET NEWS

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This quick-read newsletter is intended to inform GCHQ primary target areas of some of the most recent technology developments/findings, tasking of interest & future capabilities on the Overhead constellation; to enhance knowledge on what can be achieved and potentially promote tasking on the Overhead system. For the majority of items more information is available from the publications or areas these snippets are derived from. Feedback/queries should be directed to [REDACTED] initially, otherwise contact any of the Overhead Team (A4G)

Target Areas/Tasking (362s):

Argentina

TSI initiated and supported OH tasking against Argentina in efforts to collect high priority military and Leadership comms. Work was coordinated across the OH enterprise to obtain results when opportunity arose using US 903G and US 940C, MHS Ops were a main driver for this collection. Results included a number of TETRA collects and at least seven Argentinian PCM (digital) microwave emitters which were processed and geolocated. Although TSI haven't got desired results on their comms of interest as yet, this was a positive and encouraging team effort against this target in readiness for when next opportunity arises. Efforts between TSI and MHS continue.

Extended Enterprise Report: July 2008

This document summarises key activities of interest to GCHQ at the NSA Regional Cryptologic Centers (Colorado, Georgia, Hawaii, and Texas) for June 2008. It also includes key highlights from NSA Washington.

5. New Collection Opportunities

Texas

5.4 Site hosted visit of [REDACTED], TSI's Latin America SD analyst, and [REDACTED], GCHQ integree in SSG at Fort Meade. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] spent a week in meetings and discussions with analysts and managers from all parts of SID – with an emphasis on SSG, but including S1, S2, S3 and NTOC. [REDACTED] had a number of briefings on **Latin America**. Although GCHQ's primary interest in the region is Argentina, there are UK requirements for intelligence against Venezuela and Colombia as well, both of which are worked at Texas. [REDACTED] was able to brief on GCHQ's Latin America perspective, and had useful visits with S2A and S2F. He also met the S1 SOUTHCOM customer relationship manager, and both [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] discussed Latin America collection posture with the local CSRC and with S3 leadership. They also met NTOC leadership to discuss NTOC Texas' role against targets in Latin America and further afield.

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- Op QUITO (TSI): Following a couple OMGs and a significant amount of prep work, the planning phase of Op QUITO, an effects op to support FCO's goals relating to Argentina and the Falkland Islands, is almost complete. The plans are due to go to submission in the next month, and then this will hopefully lead to a long-running, large scale, pioneering effects operation.



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Mission Driver

- GCHQ has consistently underperformed on Brazil, with growing concerns that Sth American attitudes on the Falklands are swinging behind Argentina. A forthcoming Ministerial visit to Chile provides an opportunity to counter the trend. The Foreign Office are looking for advice.



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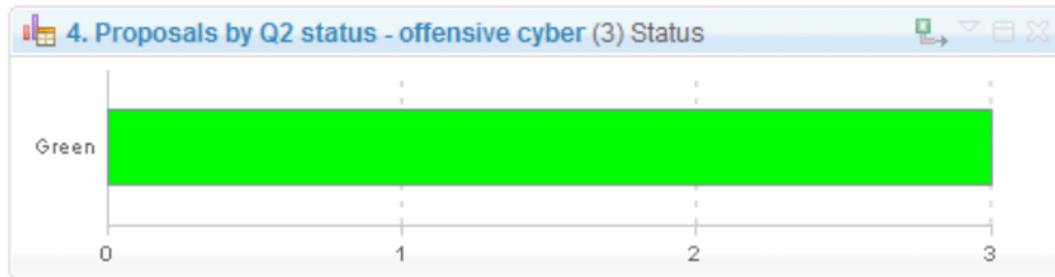
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Offensive Cyber status:



This theme of work was assessed as RED last quarter. Work on the requirements to undertake Network Analysis in support of Offensive Cyber operations on the original two countries (Iran and Argentina) has progressed this quarter, with additional work done on Libya in support of the RARE event. MHS-NAC have supported to good effect OP-WHICHED, an INOC-led operation looking at an Iranian Naval Base near the straits of Hormuz.