

Sensing and Responding

Knowledge Discovery and Alerting in the Information Age

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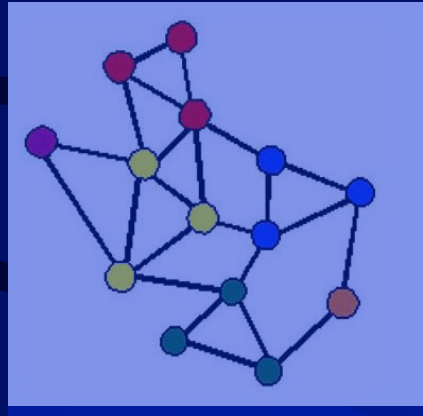
Experience

More than 35 years of experience in various aspects of information management and time-sensitive intelligence production activities, including:

- **Access and collection**
- **Target analysis**
- **Data processing**
- **Content exploitation**
- **Encryption**
- **Software design and dev.**
- **Business process redesign**
- **Automation of Analysis**
- **Spiral development**
- **Operational prototyping**
- **Collaboration (technical)**
- **Systems analysis**

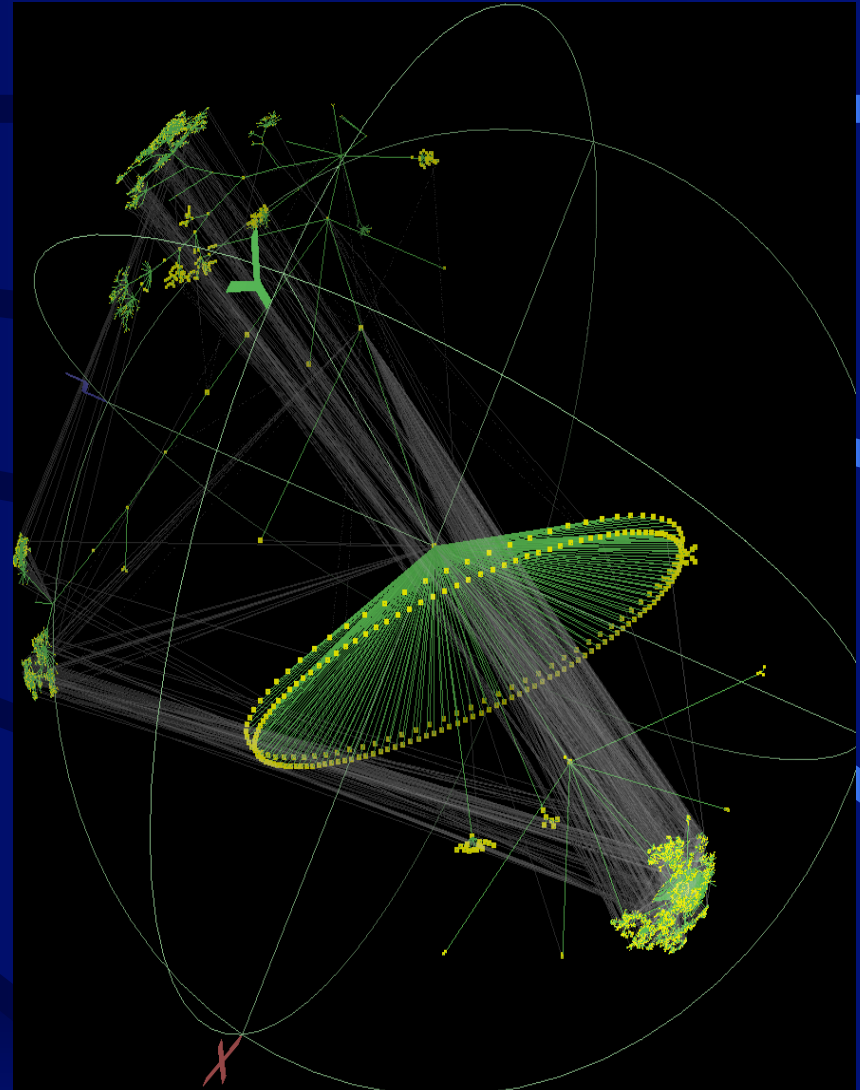
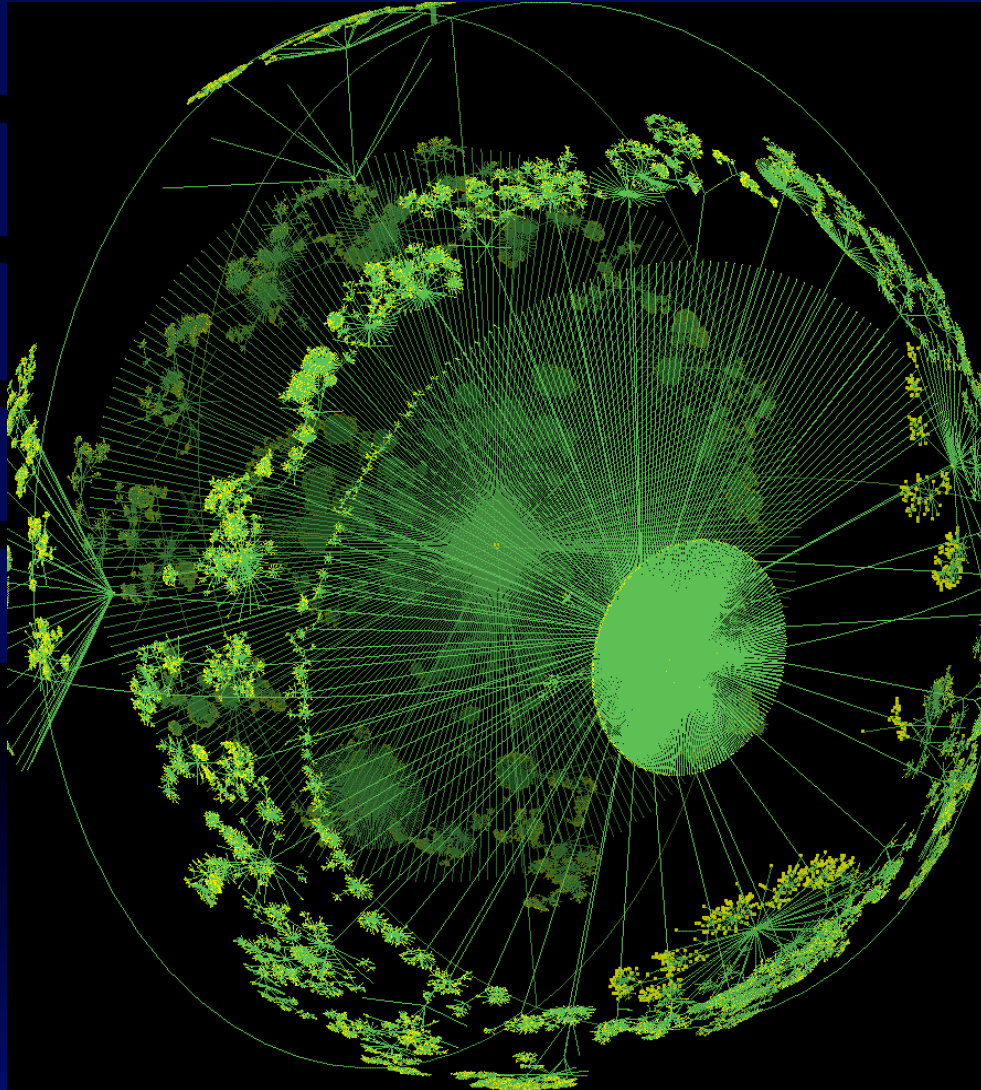
Entity Mapping Analysis Business Process (EMABP)

– An Enterprise Business Solution –



***Producing Actionable Intelligence Within
Massive Information Environments***

The World-Wide Web: Challenge....and Opportunity



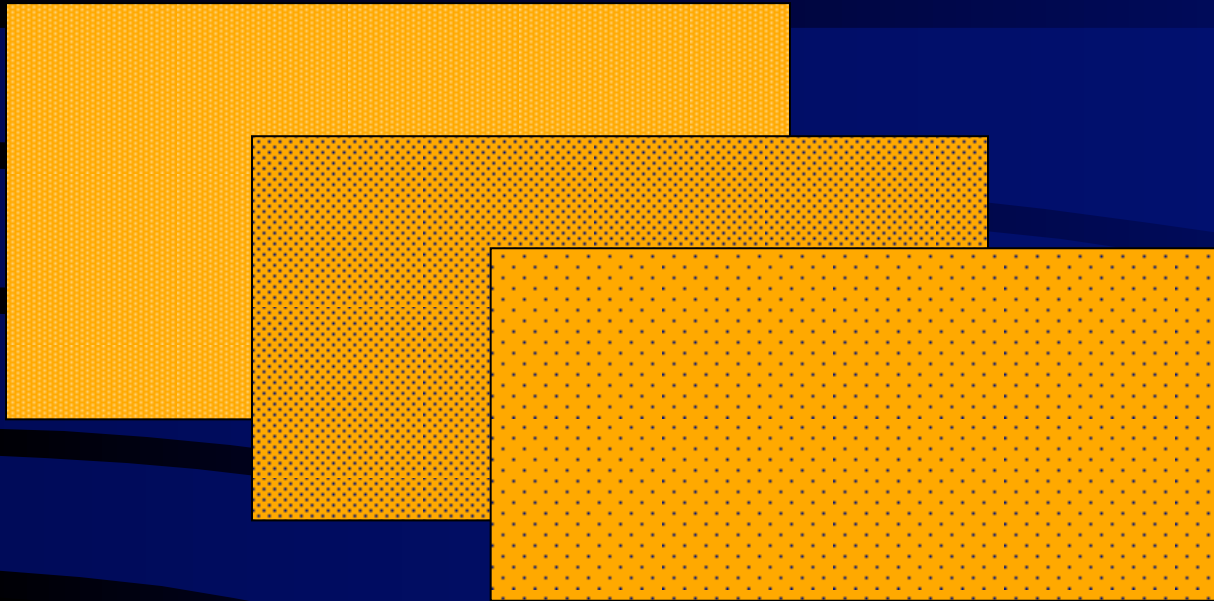
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Intelligence from Data: Today's Barriers

- **Rapid knowledge discovery is virtually non-existent**
- **Lack of sharing and collaborative processes**
- **Massive information flows choke IT infrastructures**
- **Analysts waste time “prepping” information systems**
- **Inability to prioritize information**
- **Intelligence production is stove-piped and not seamless**
- **Data is typically corrupt or not ‘normalized’**

Knowledge – Building in Massive Information Environments



Issue: Estimate 20 terabytes of unique multi-media information generated every minute world-wide

Challenge: Finding the ‘X’ Kb that answers the crucial question

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From noise (data)...

To Significance...



...To Actionable Intelligence:

**Terrorist group Alpha is
shipping explosives from
Yemen to New Orleans**



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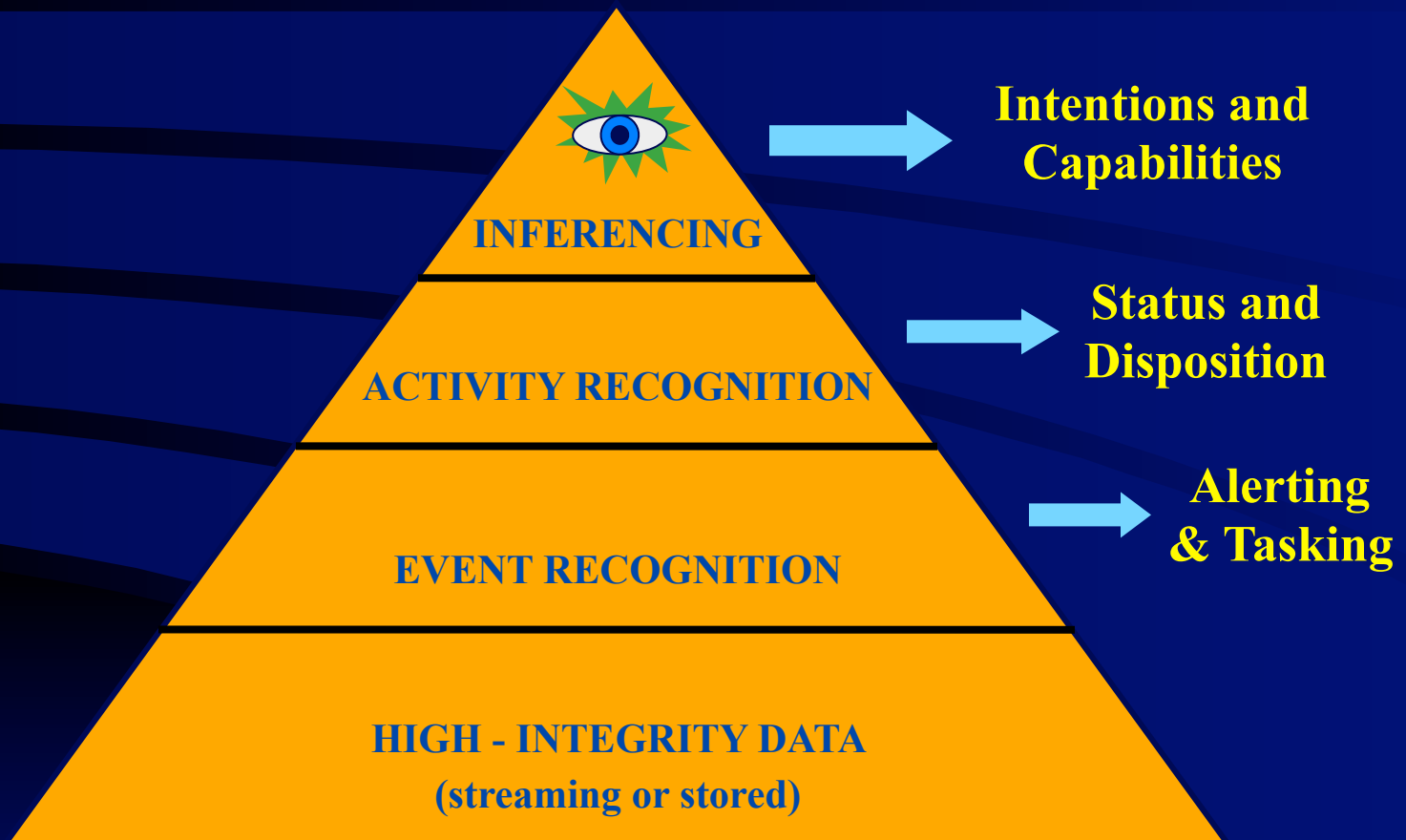
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Lessons Learned Long Ago...

It must be remembered that there is nothing more difficult to plan, more uncertain of success, nor more dangerous to manage than the creation of a new order of things. For the initiator has the enmity of all who would profit by the preservation of the old institutions, and merely lukewarm defenders in those who would gain by the new order.

—Machiavelli, *The Prince* (1513)

Knowledge Superiority



Data Attributes

- Examples -

Address (business, home, organization)

Travel reservation number

Personal name

Domain tag(s)

Telephone number(s)

Email Address(s)

Date

Credit card number

Pin number (bank, entry)

Place name

Bank Account number

FAX number(s)

Cover term(s)

Time

...etc.

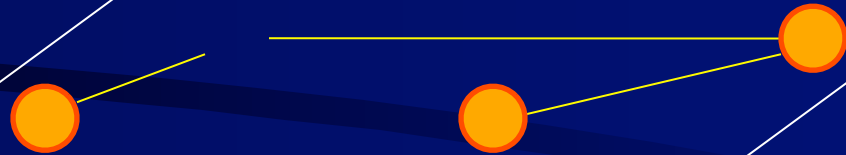
Event Recognition

- **Verify data (complete and accurate)**
- **Validate data (confirm relationship/entity)**
- **Identify entities (correlate to knowledge or by domain relationship such as time, proximity, etc.)**

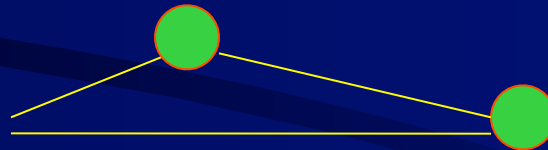
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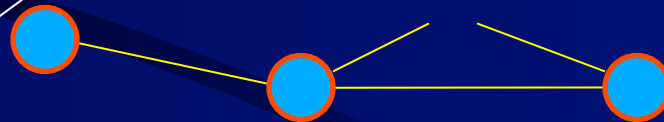
Entity event A



Entity event B



Entity event C

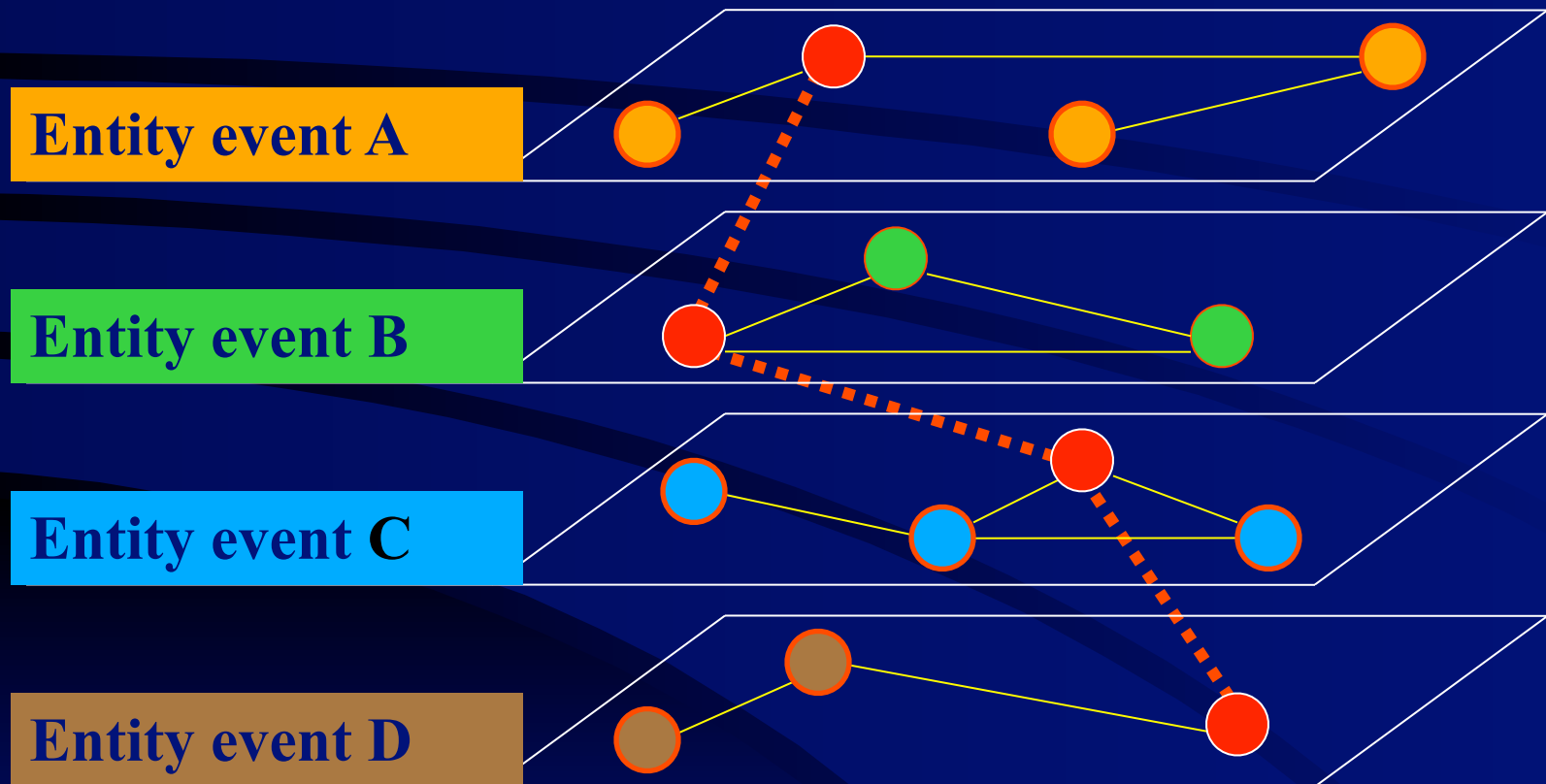


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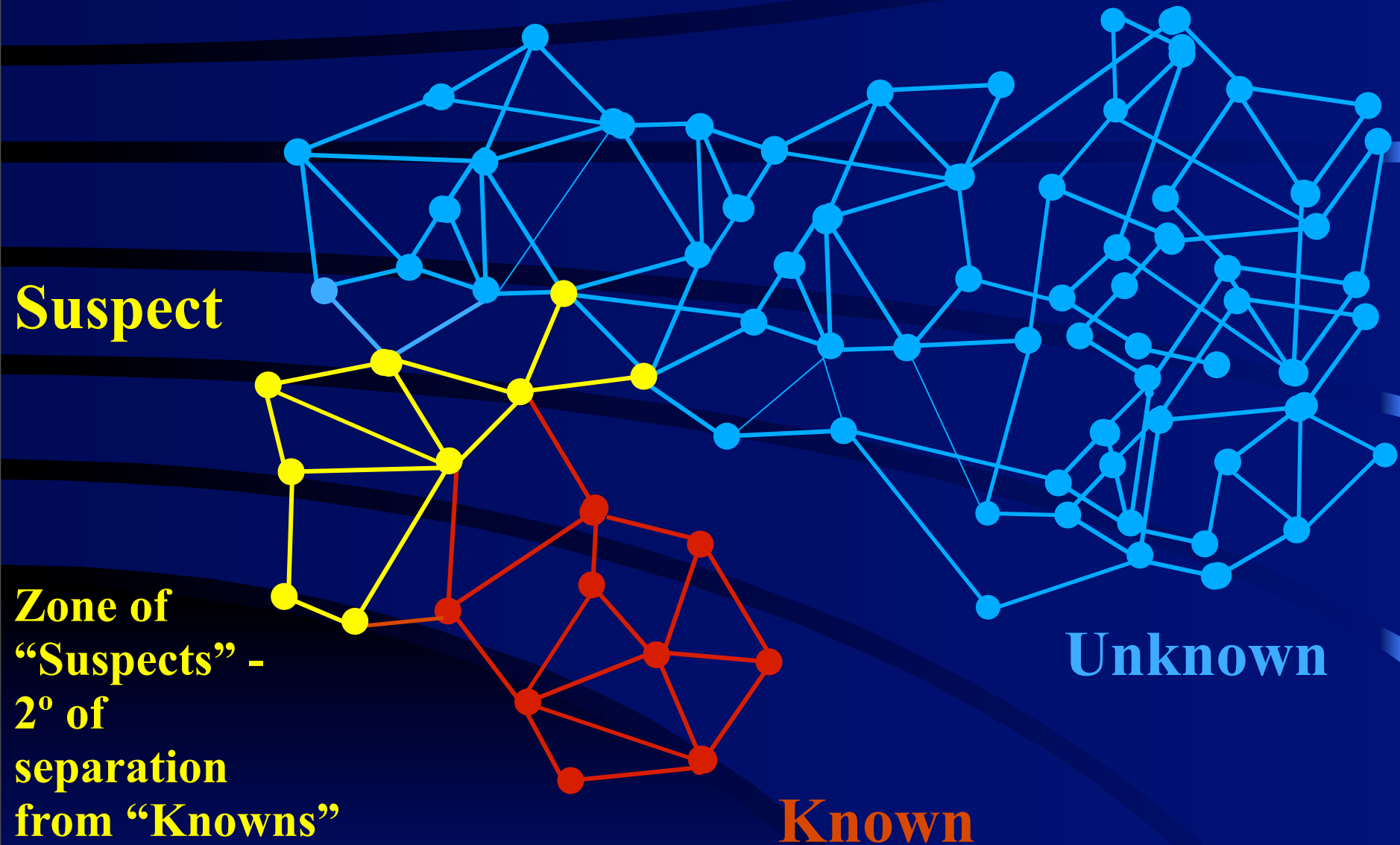


Inferencing

- Establishing Meaning -

- **Develop target profiles**
- **Map profiles to historical outcomes**
- **Map profiles to postulated conditions**
- **Formulate intentions and capabilities**
- **Test for validity**
- **Update profile(s) as necessary**

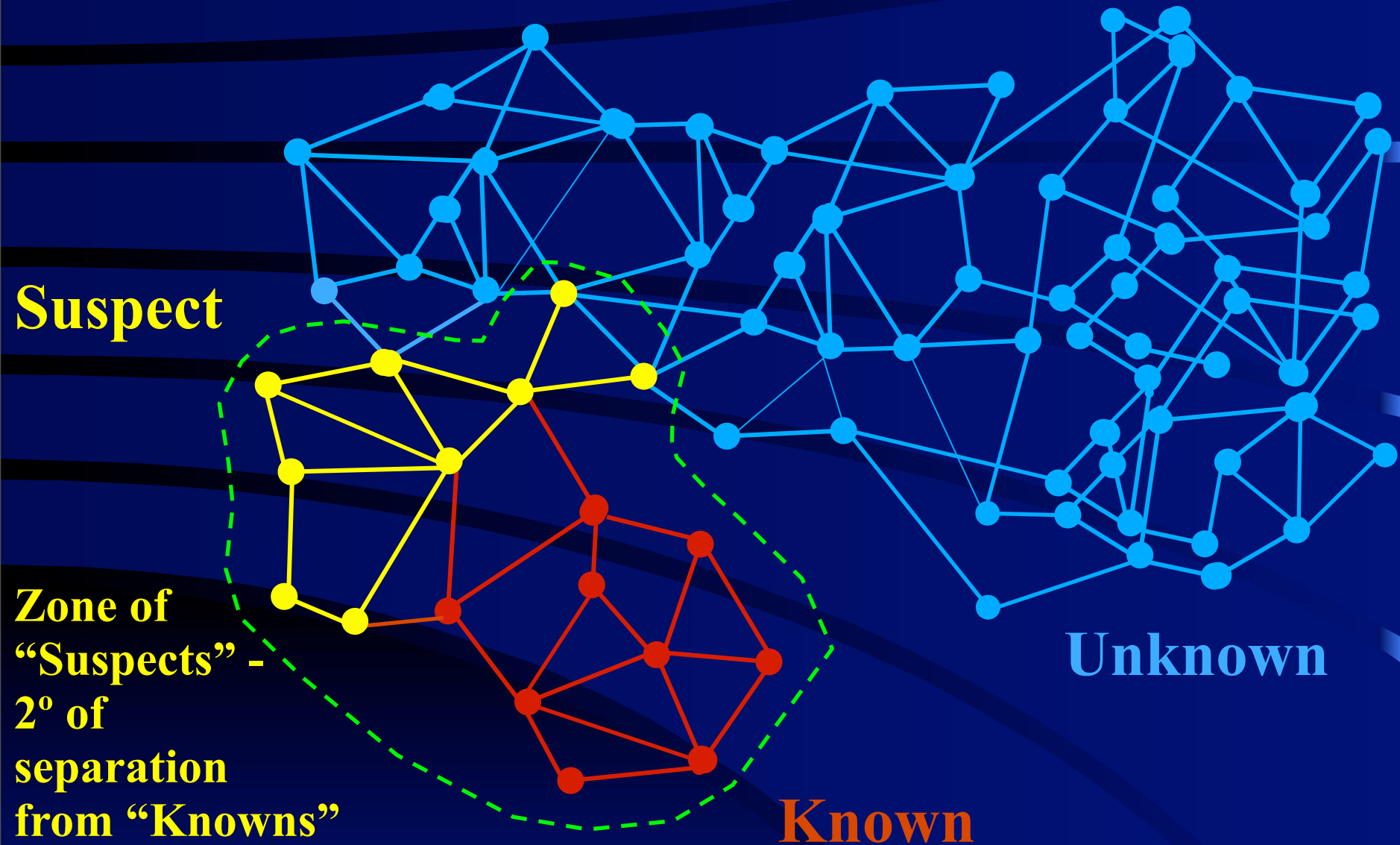
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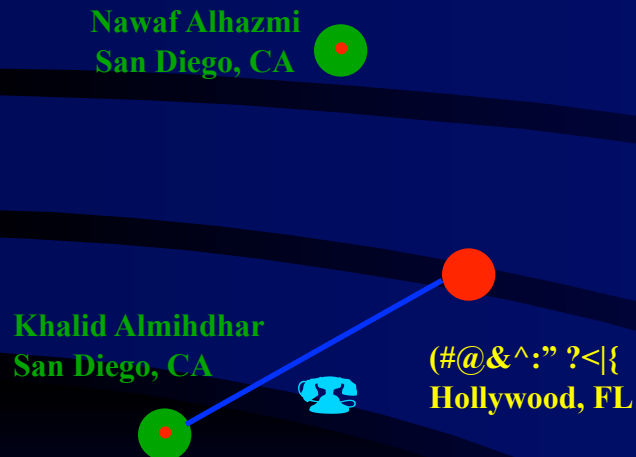
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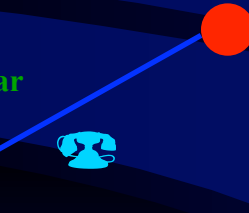
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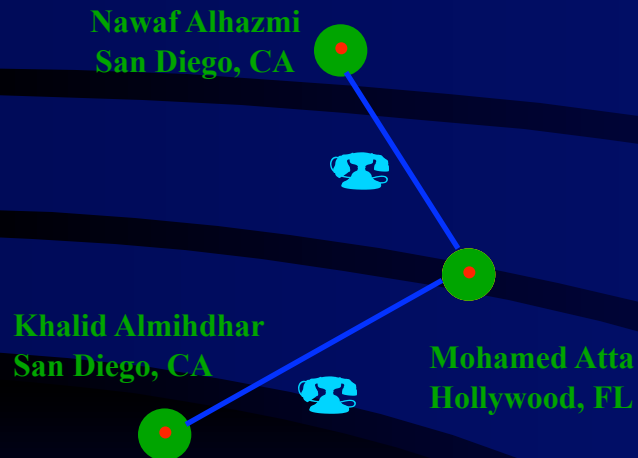


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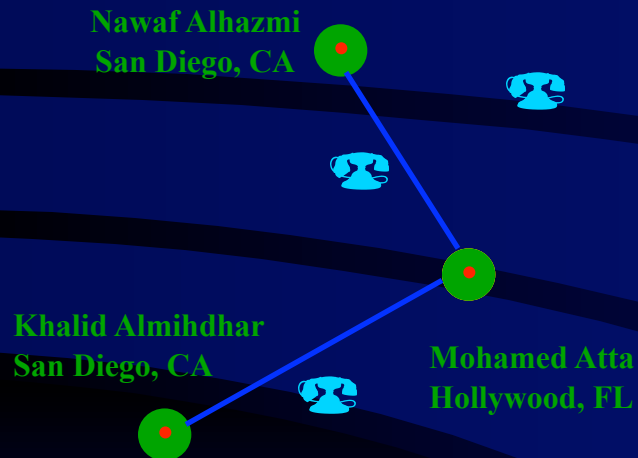


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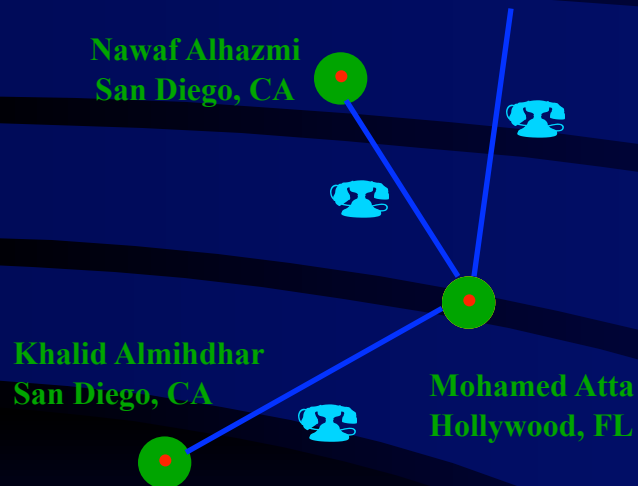


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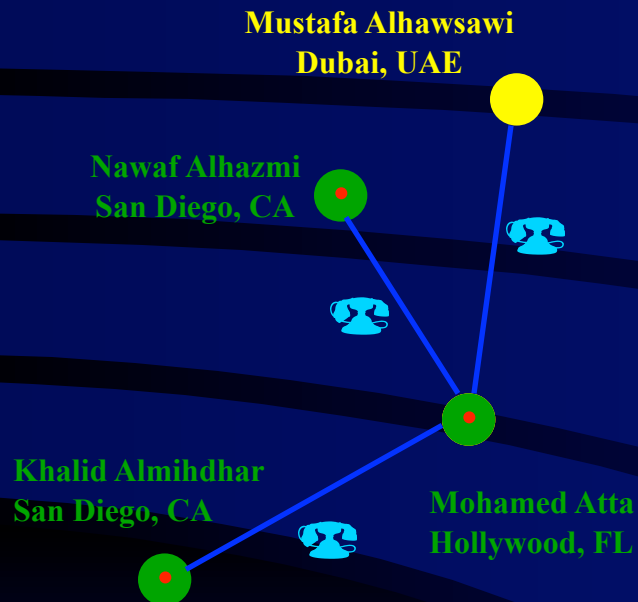


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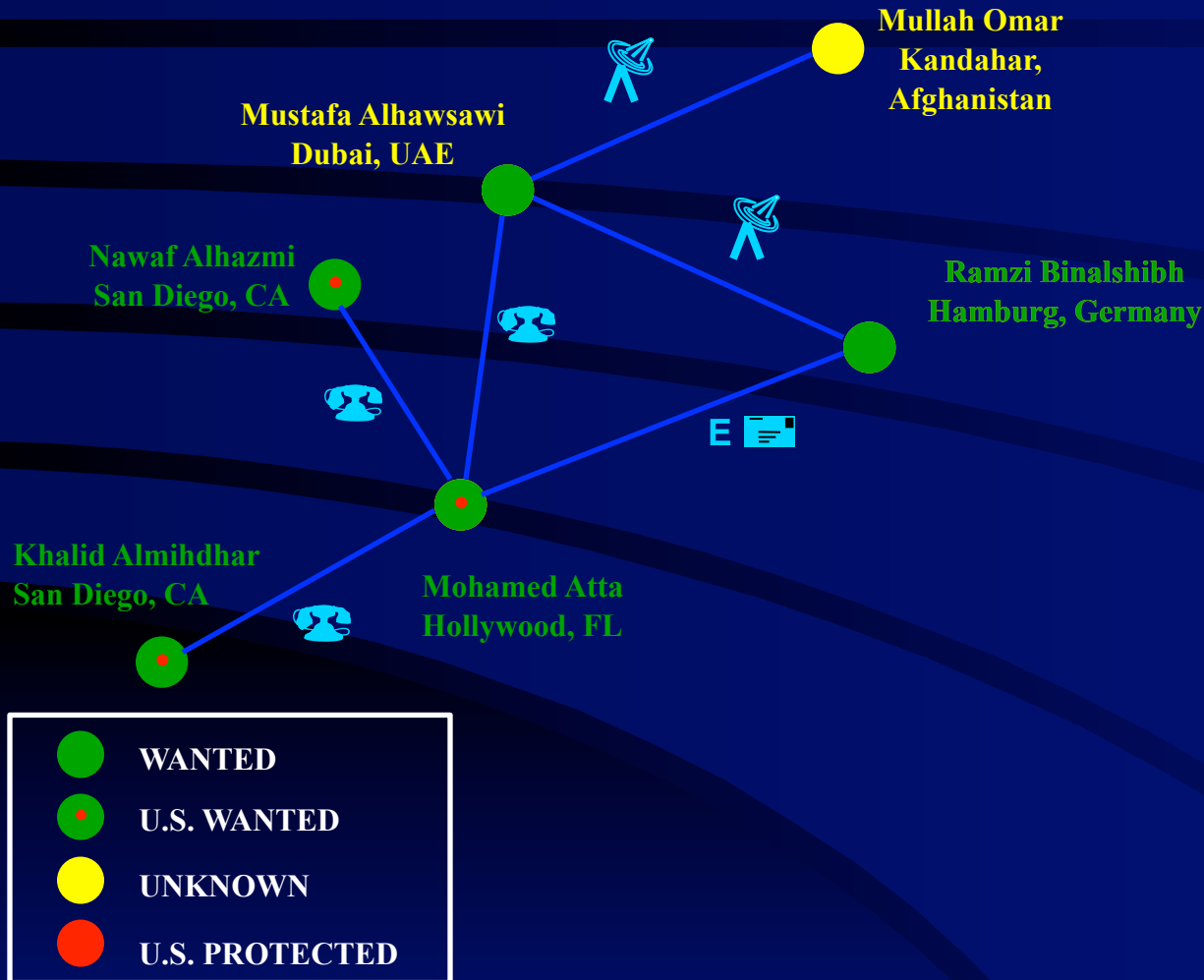


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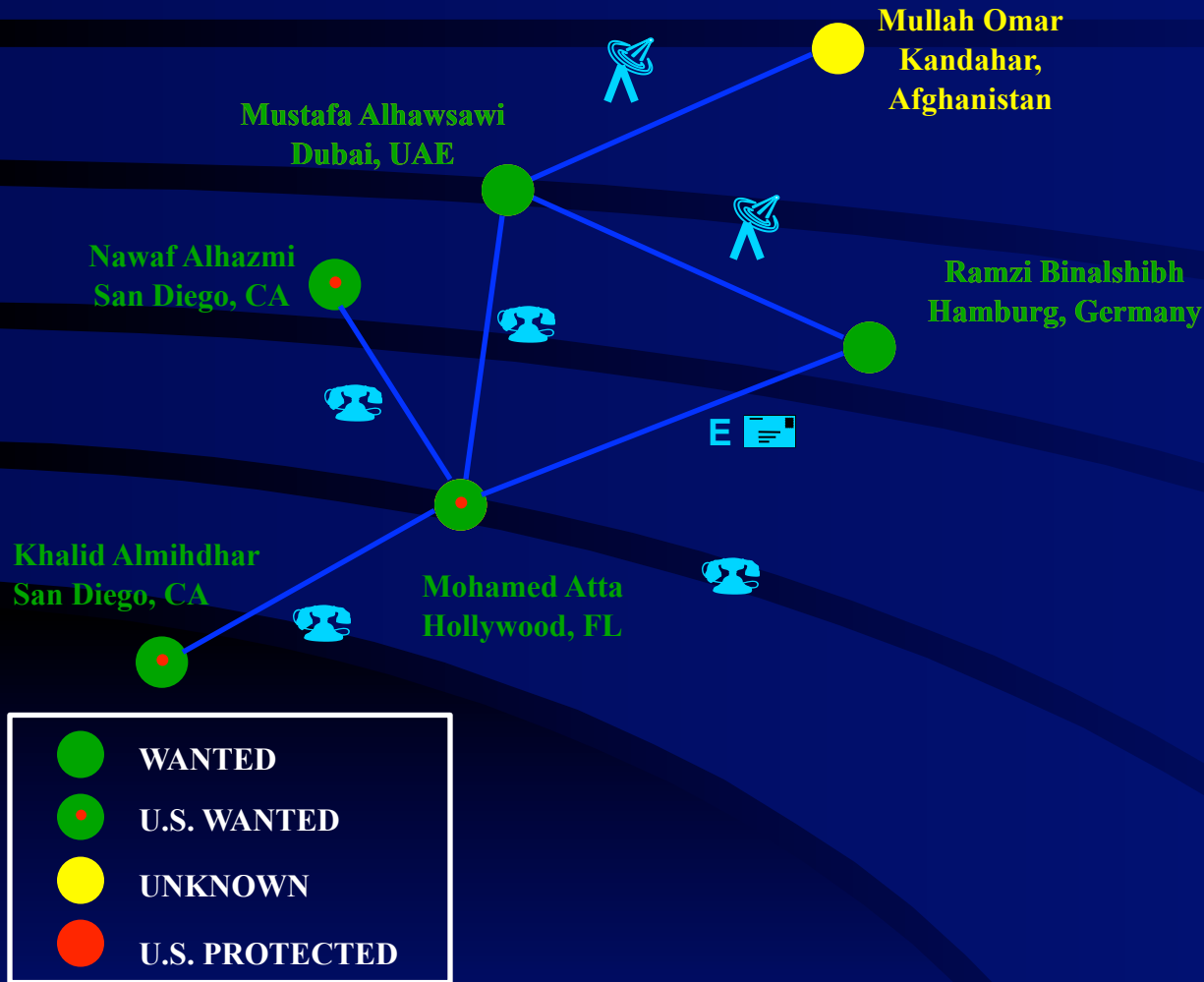


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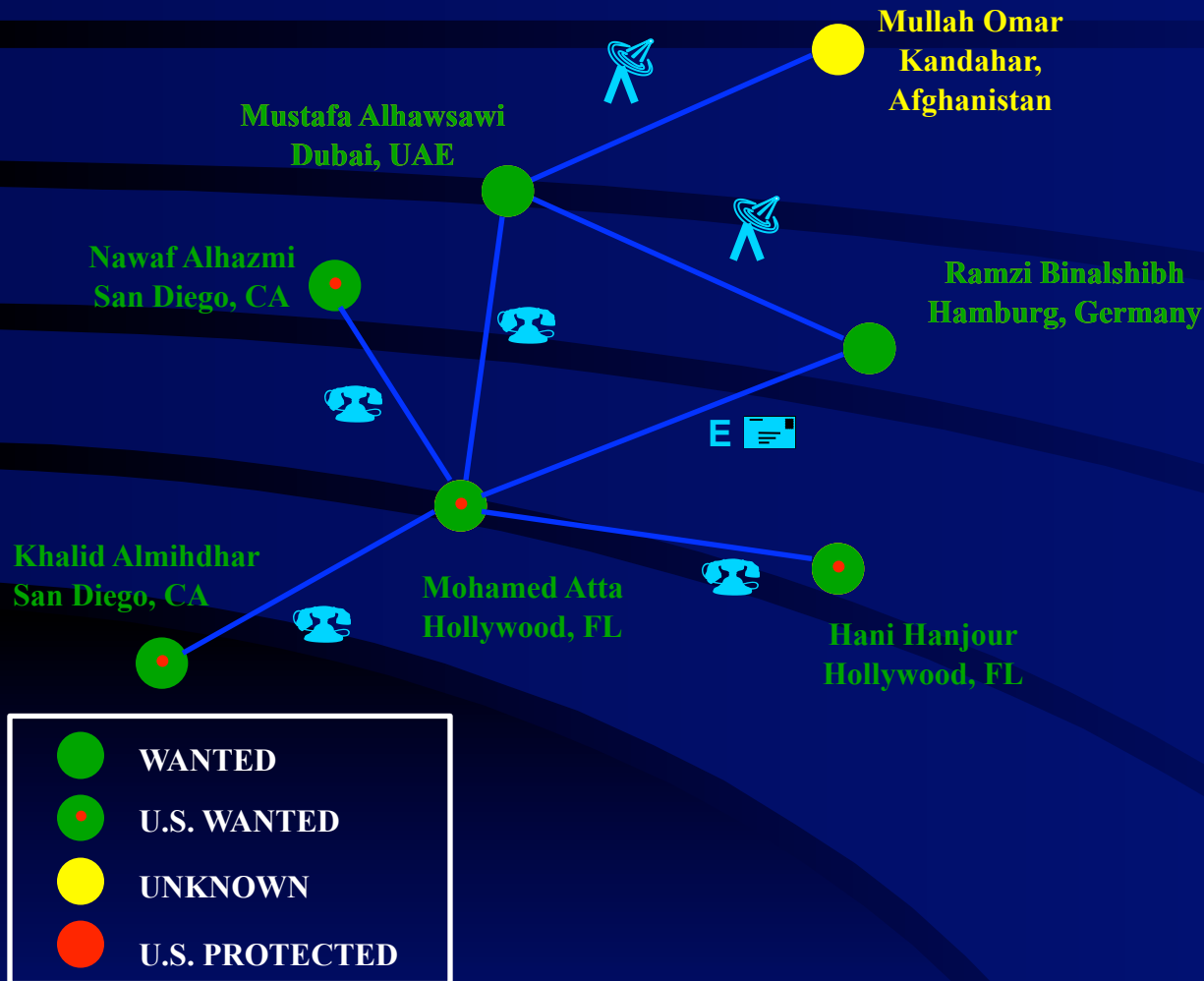


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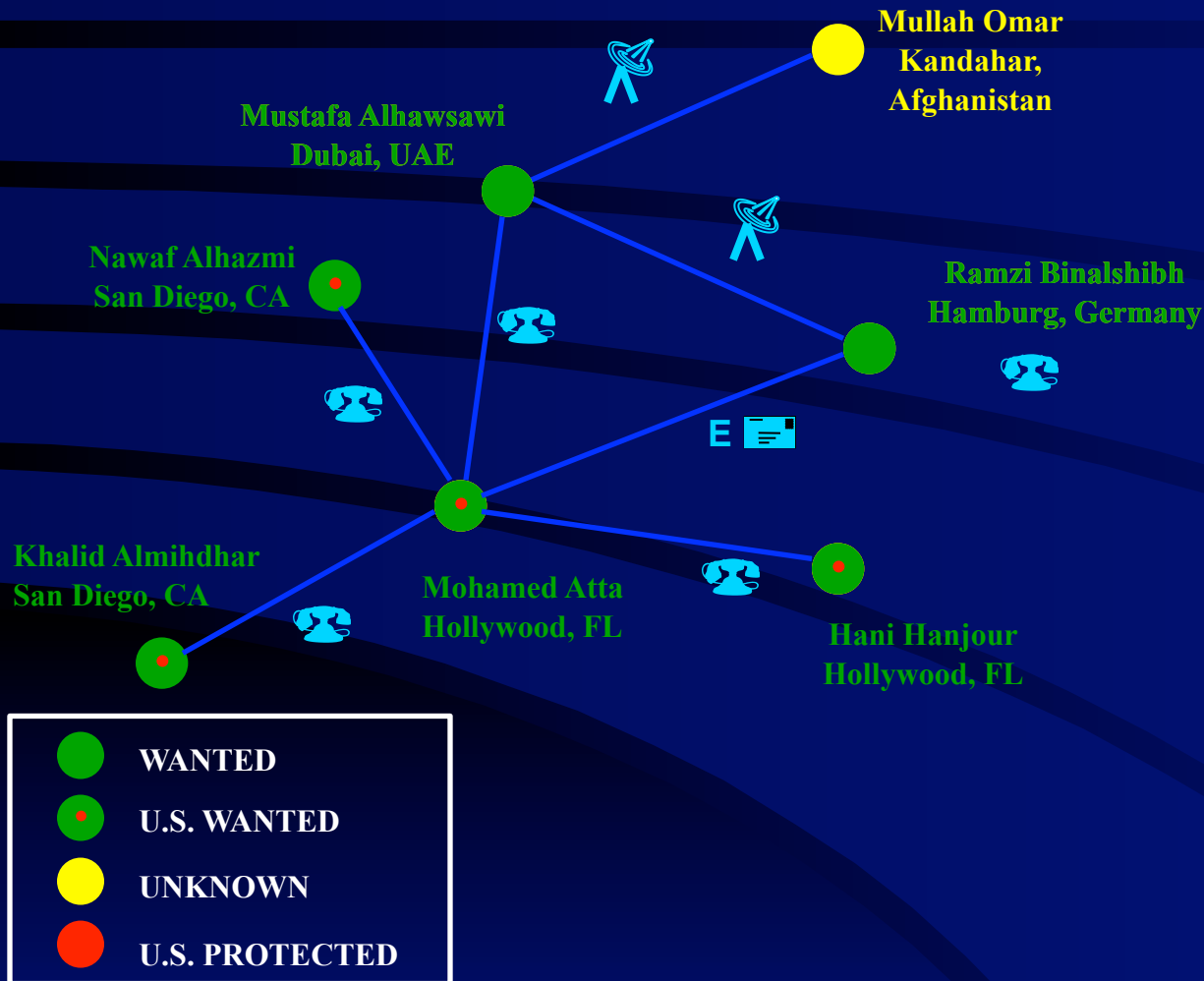


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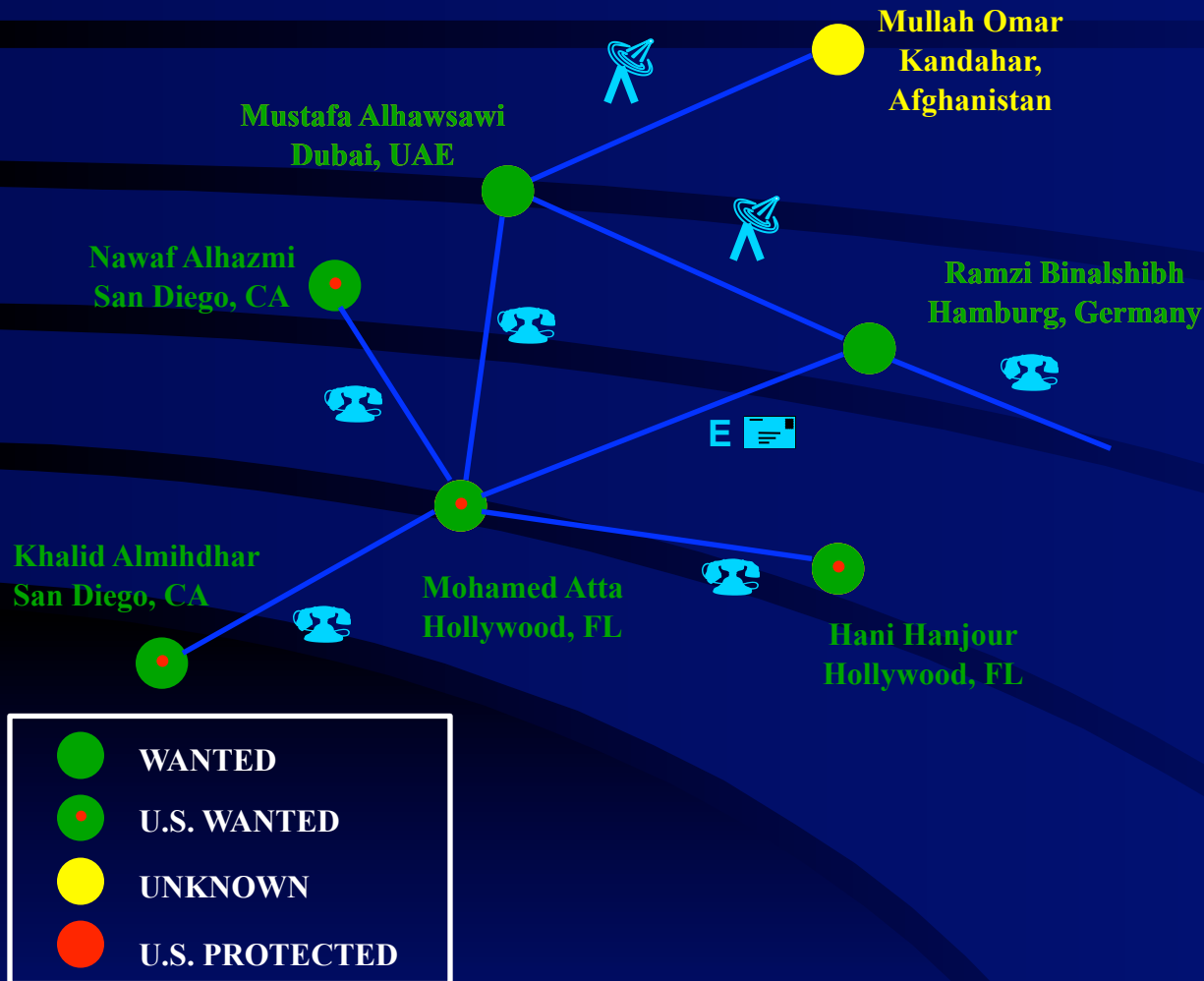


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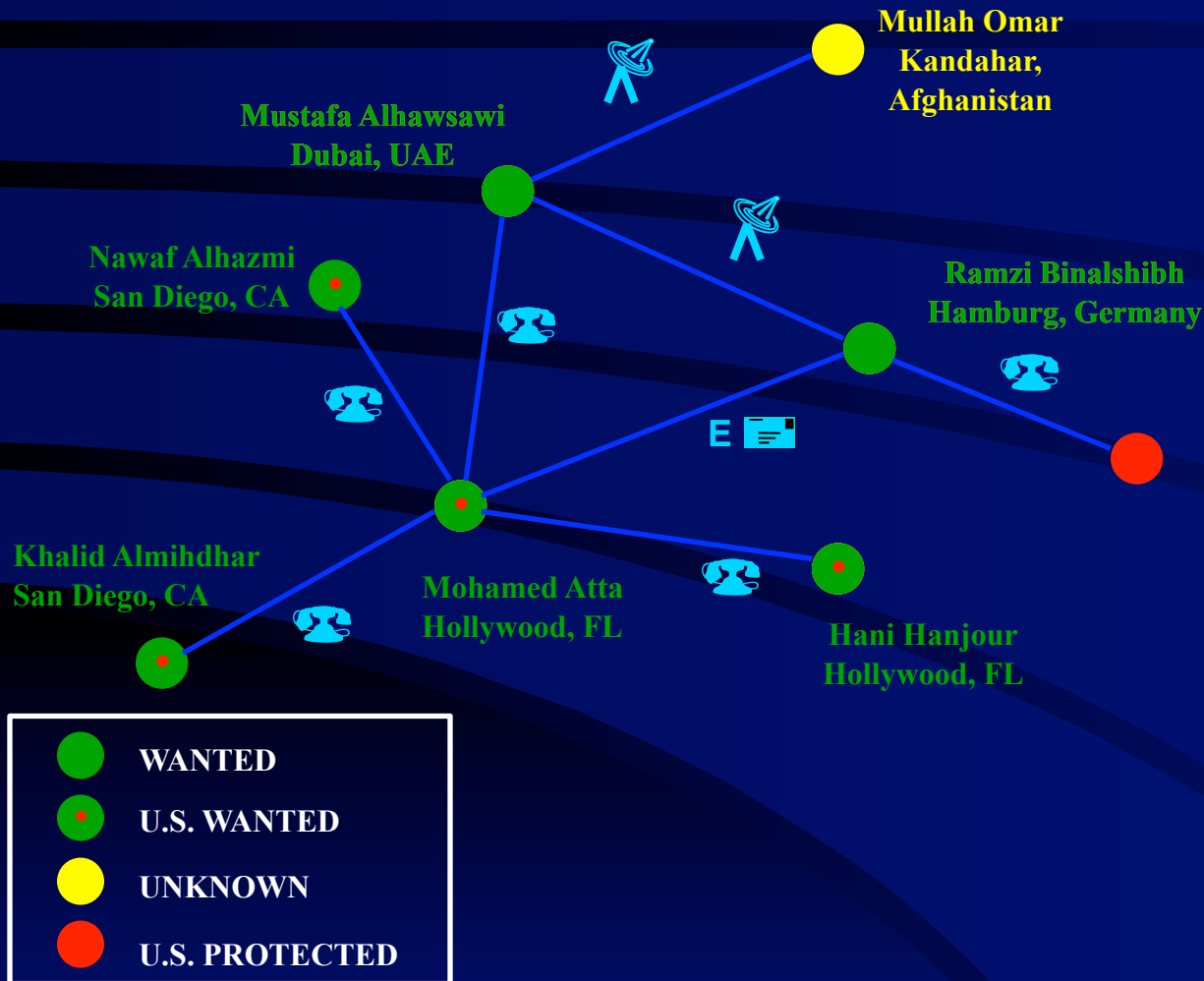


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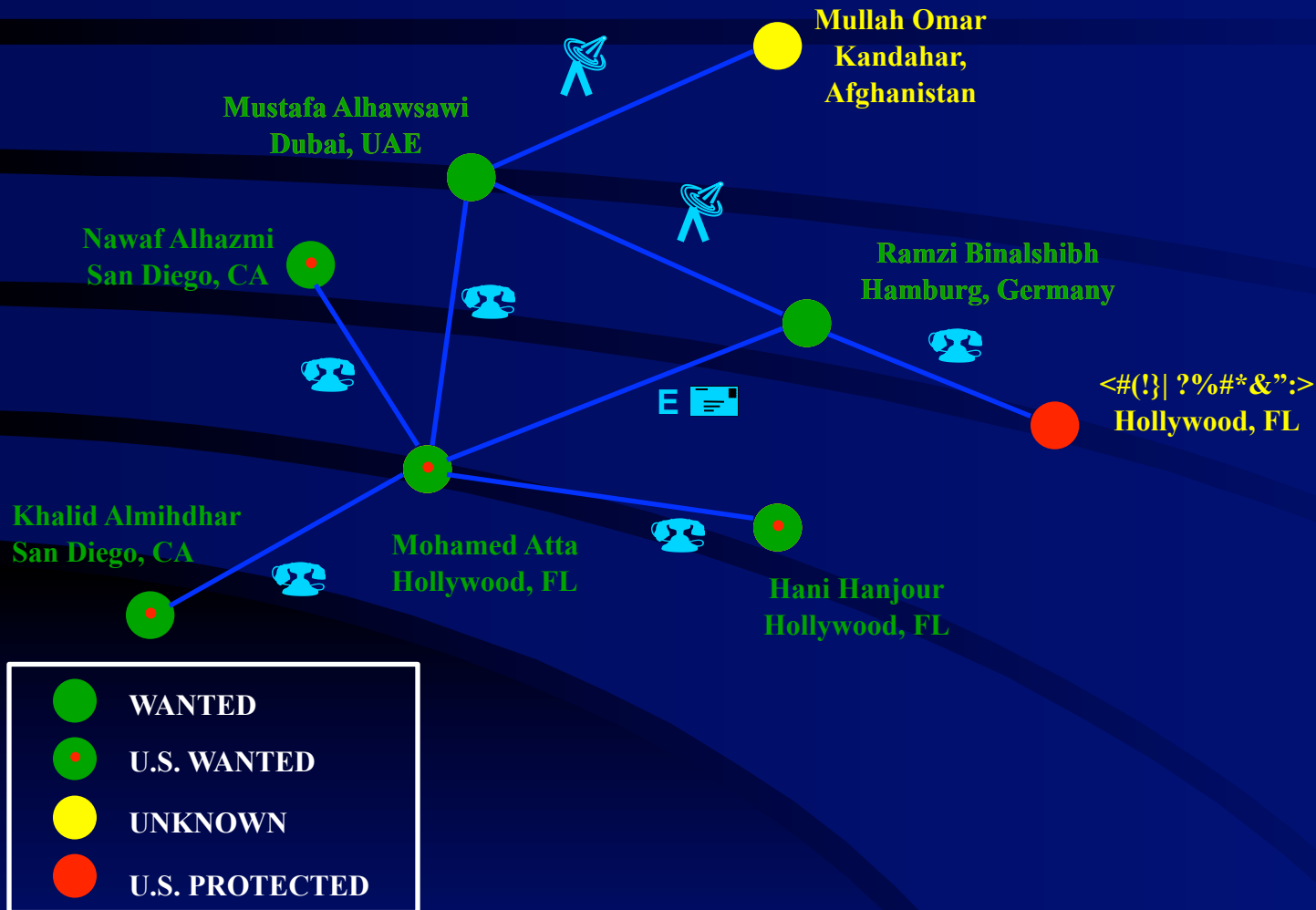


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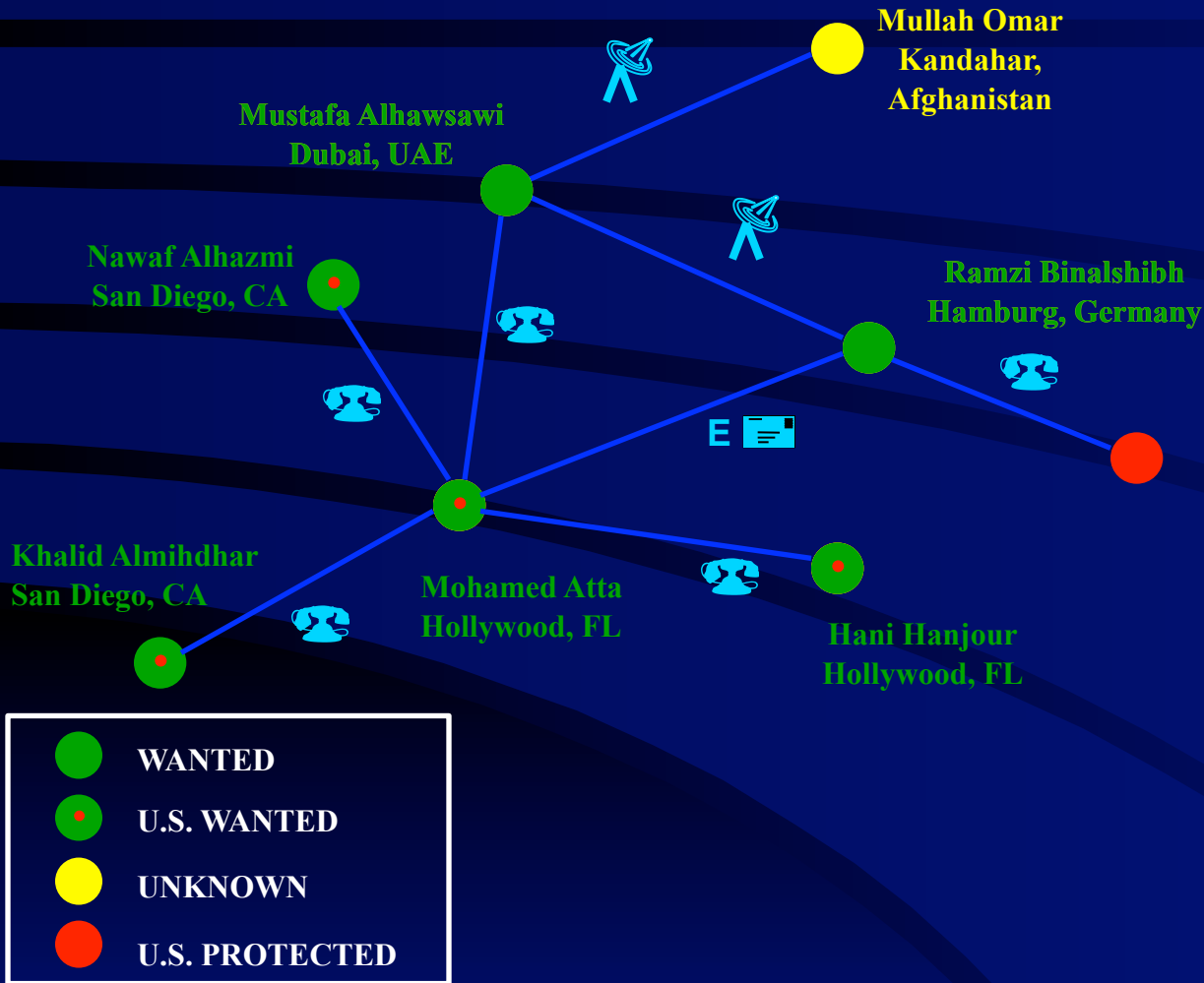
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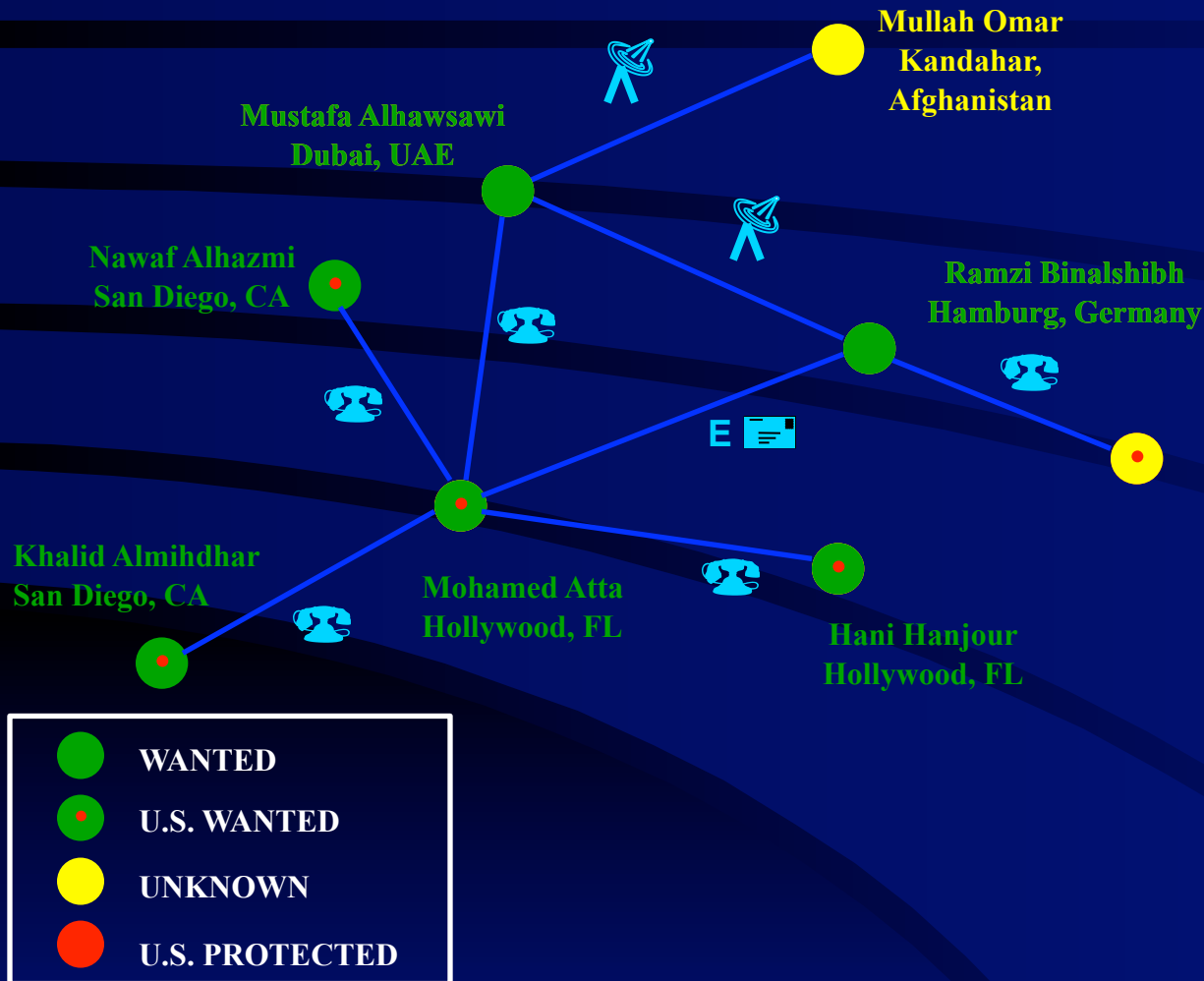


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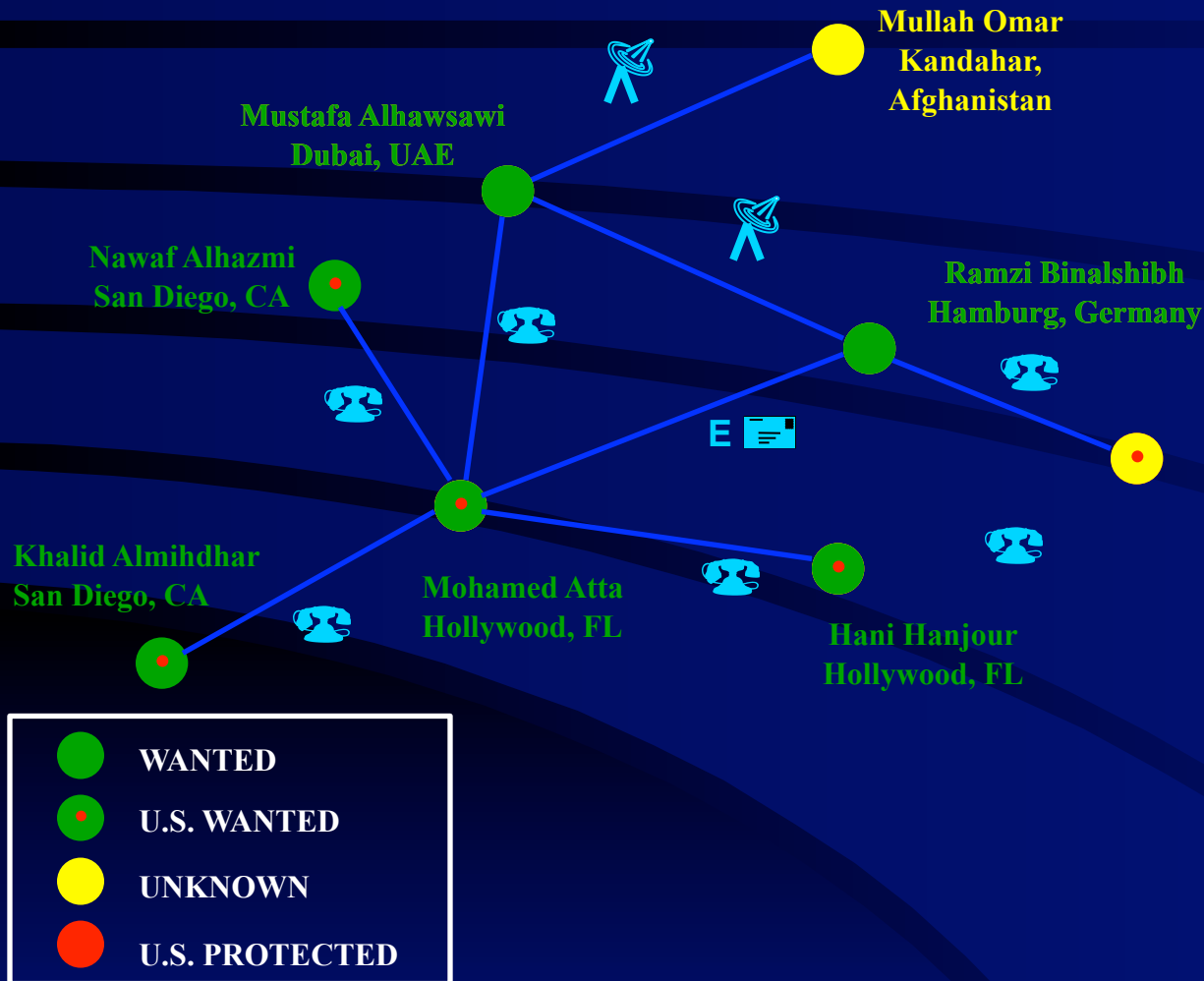


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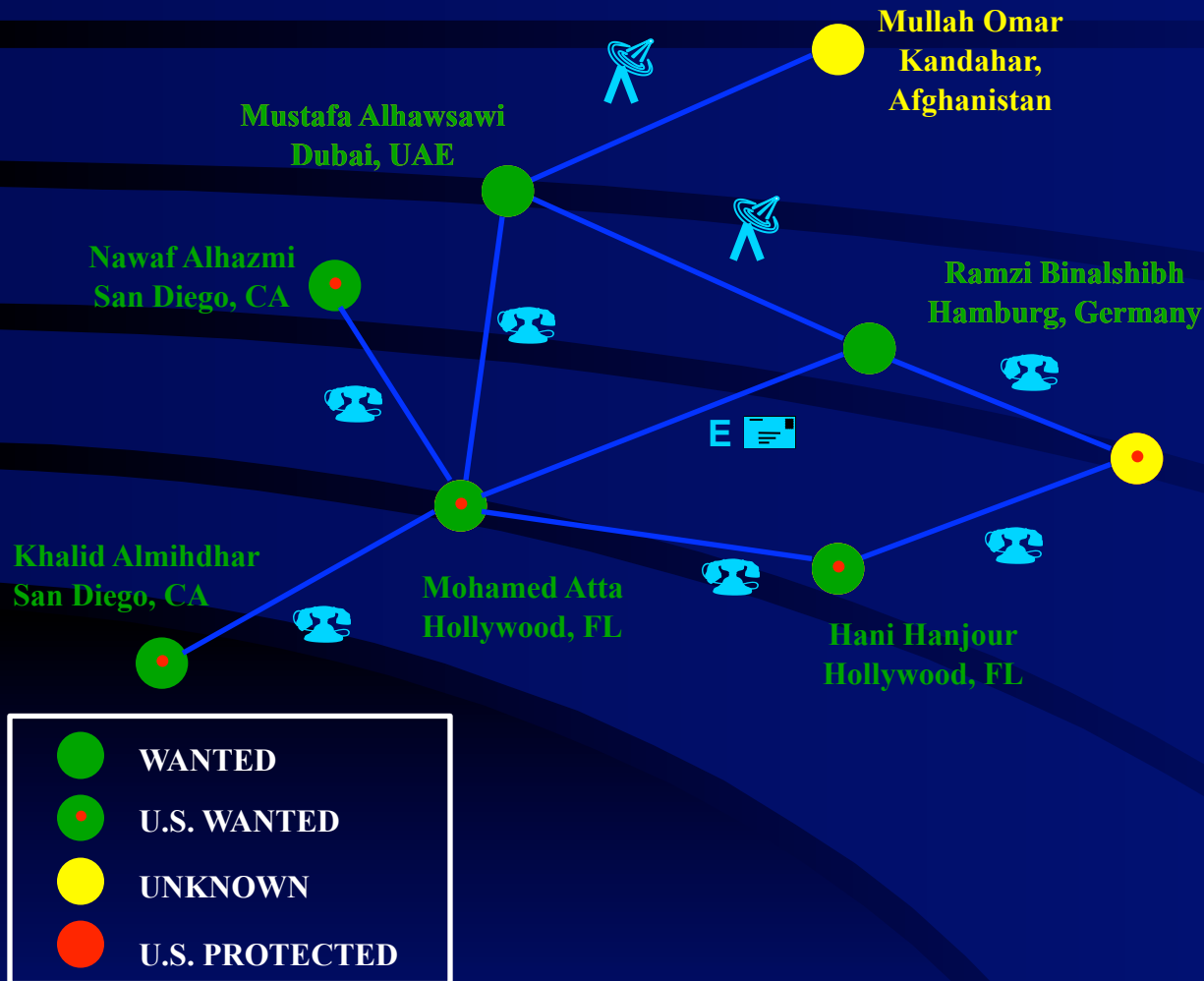


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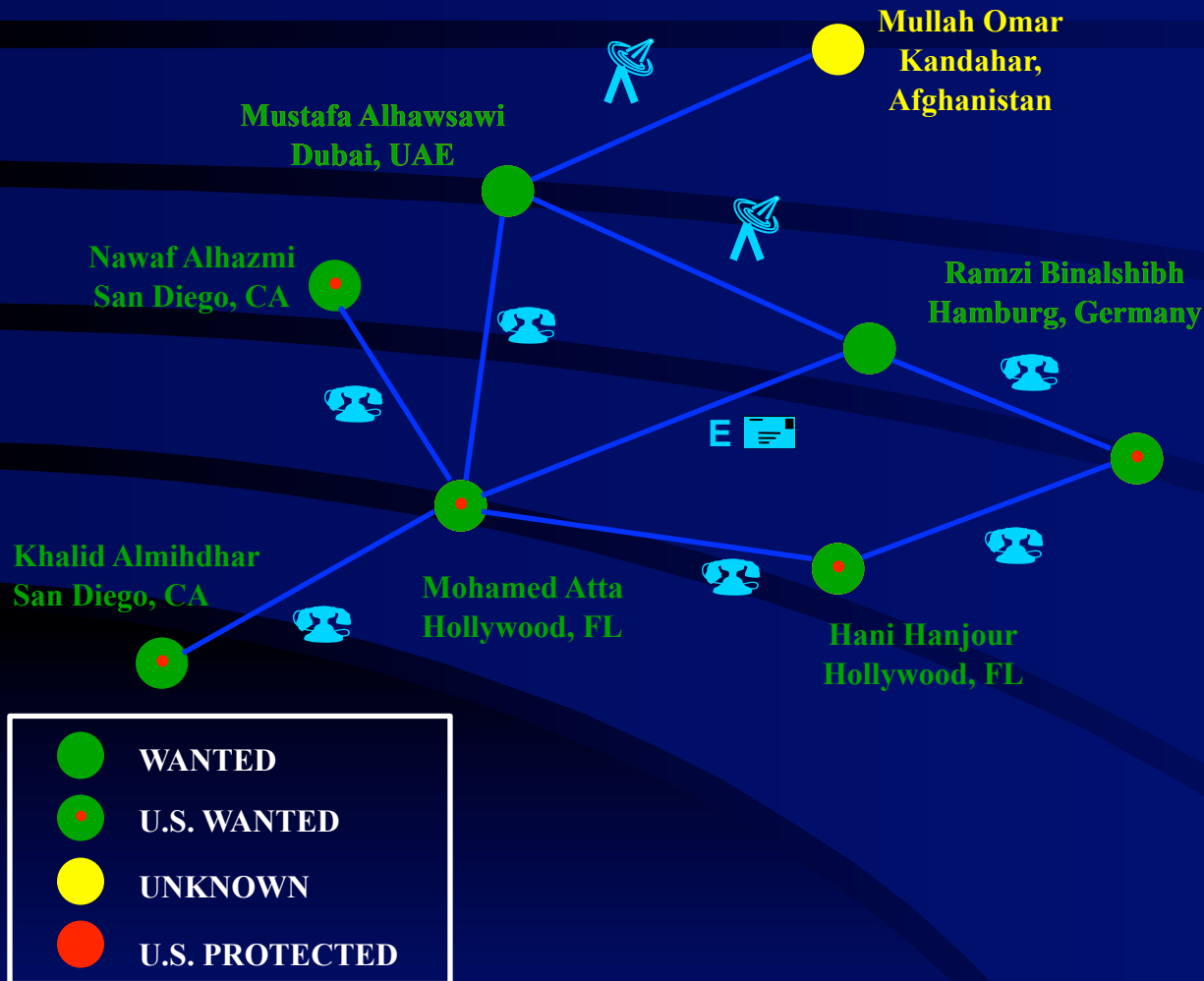


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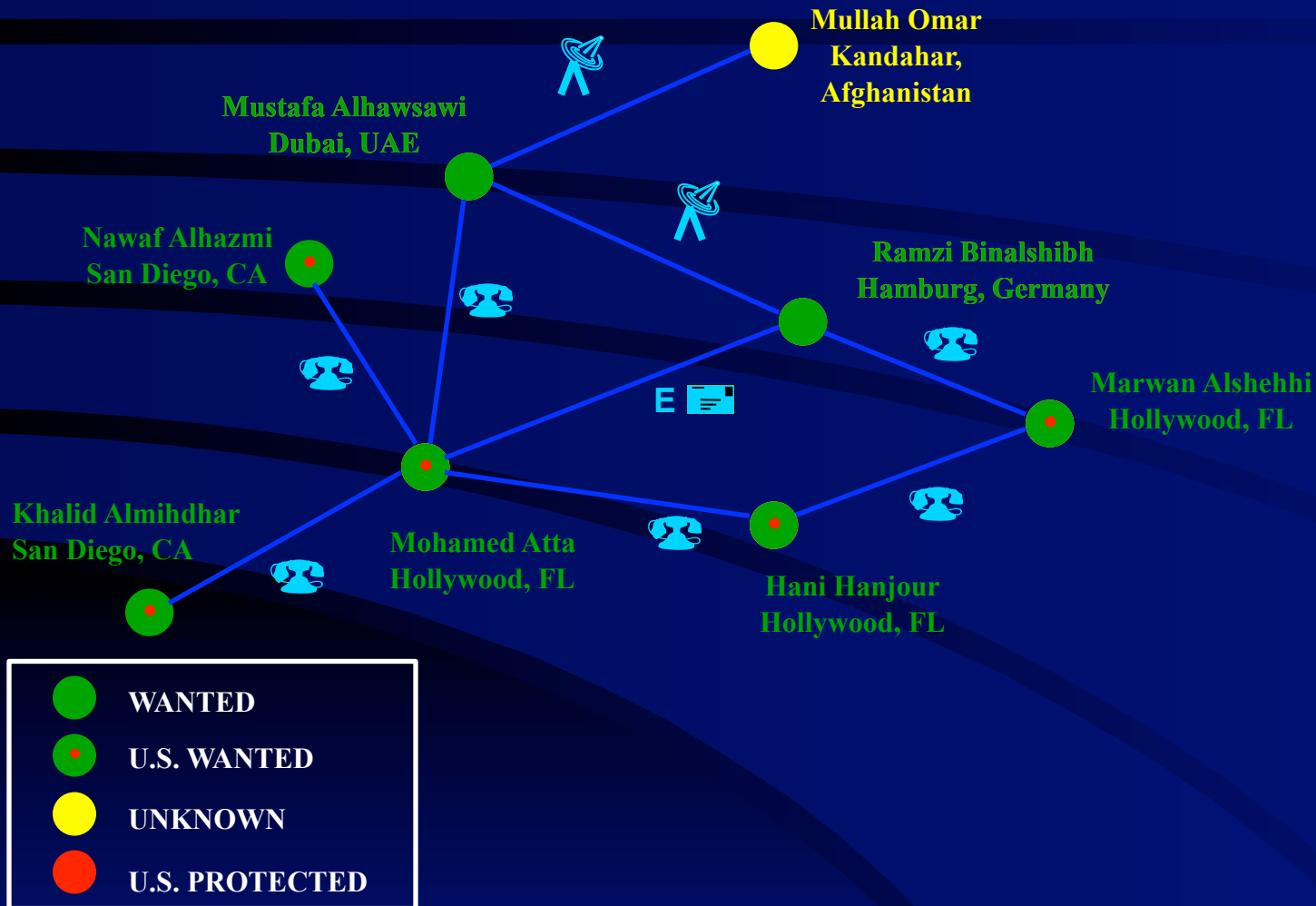


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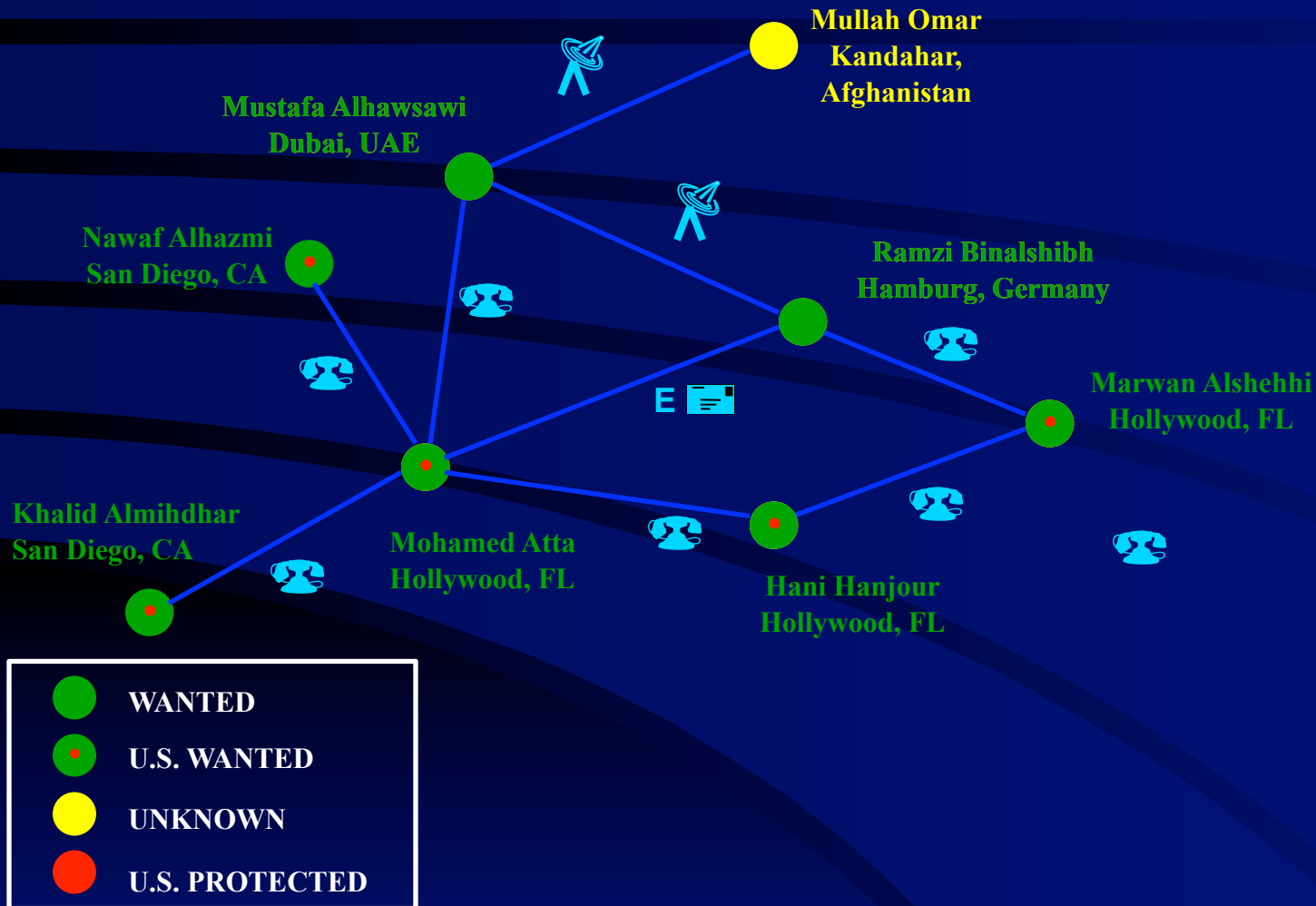


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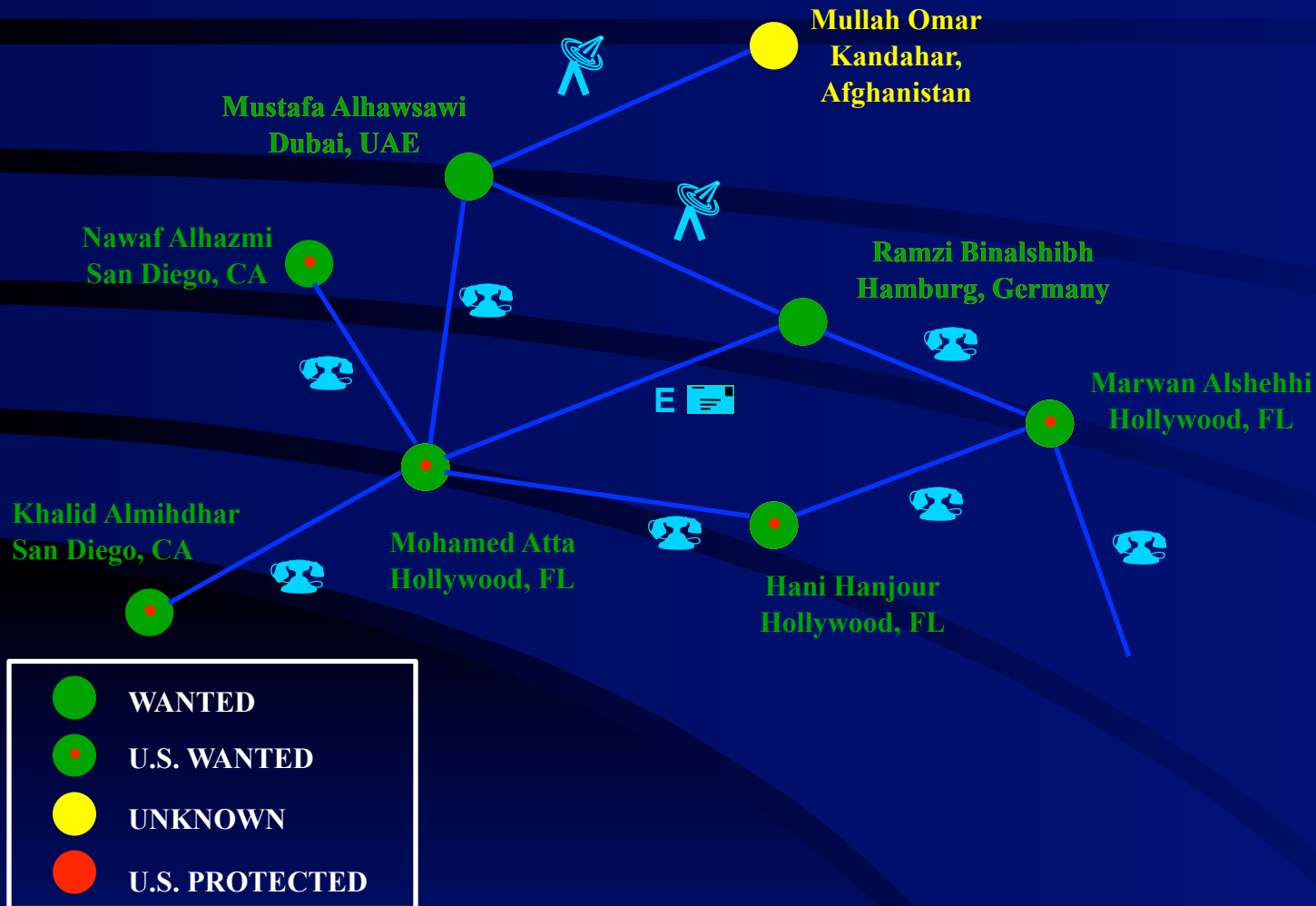


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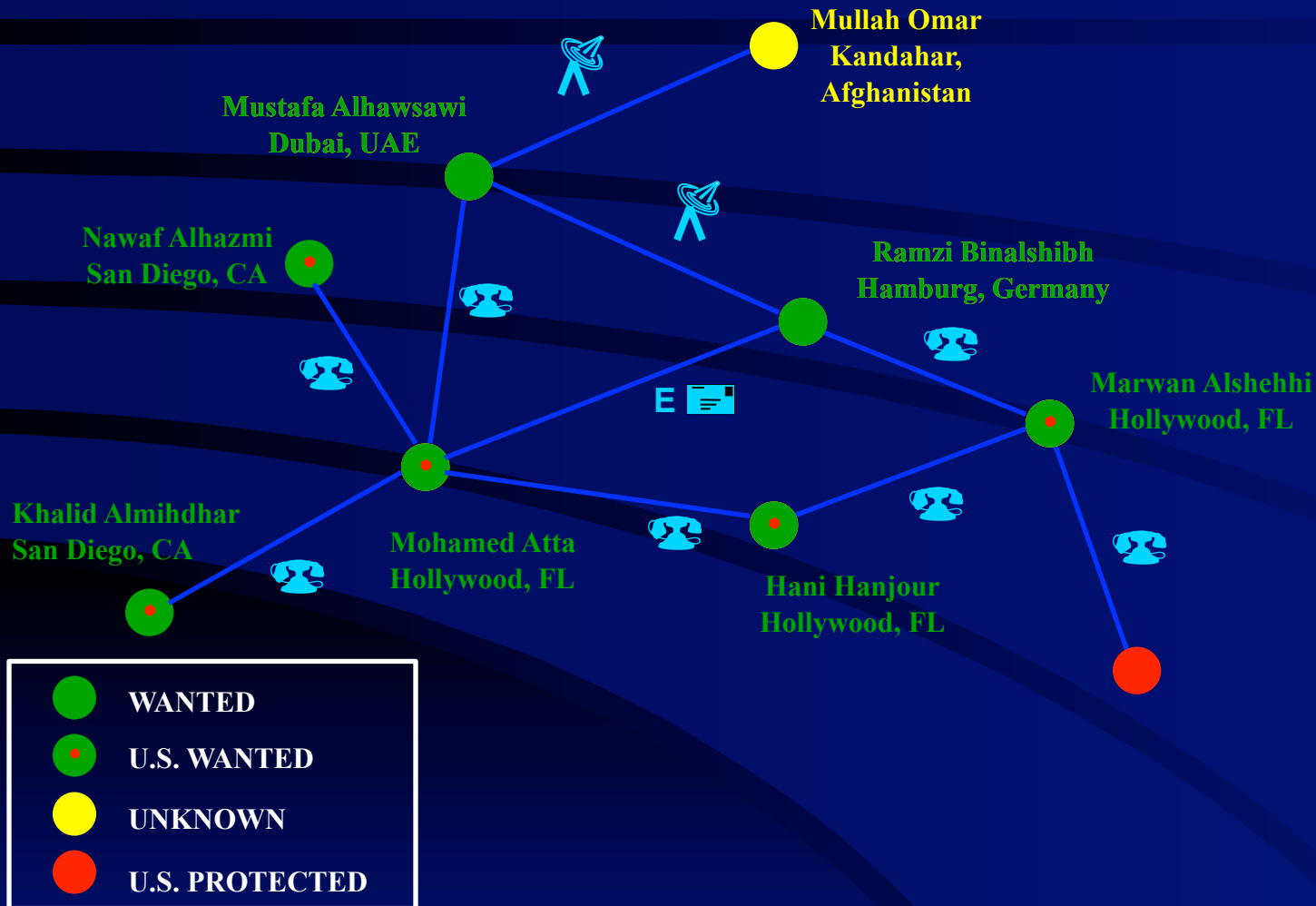


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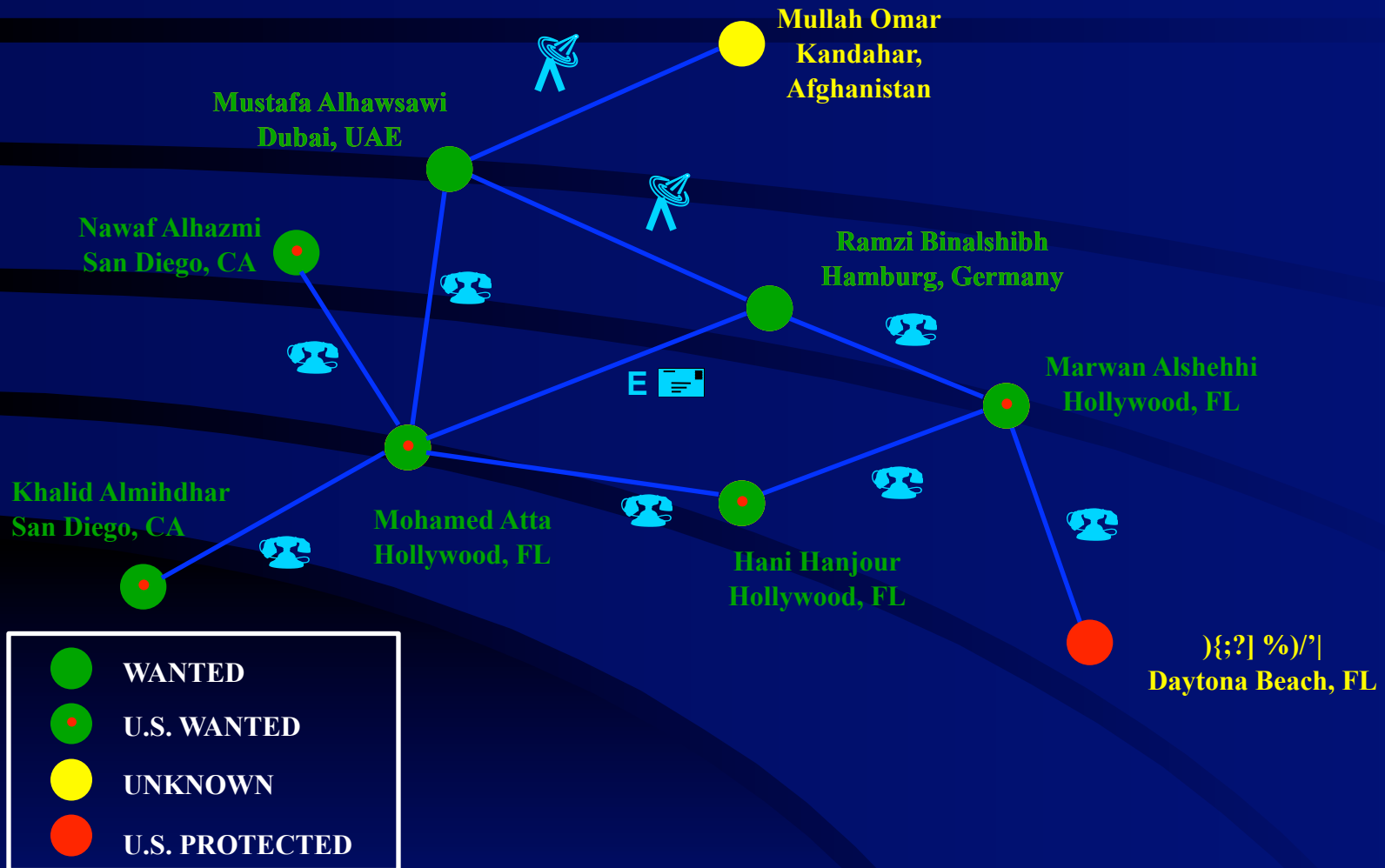


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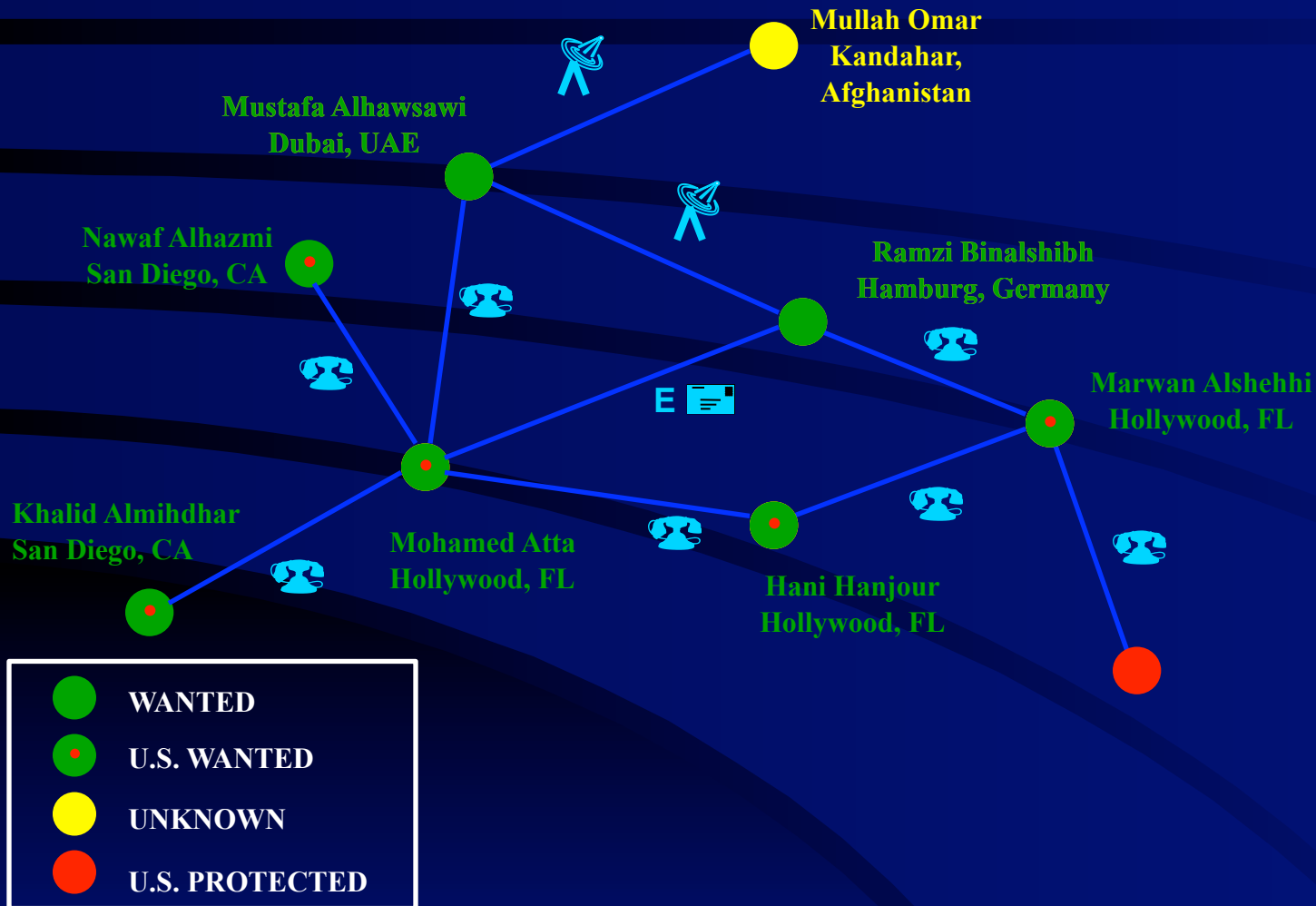


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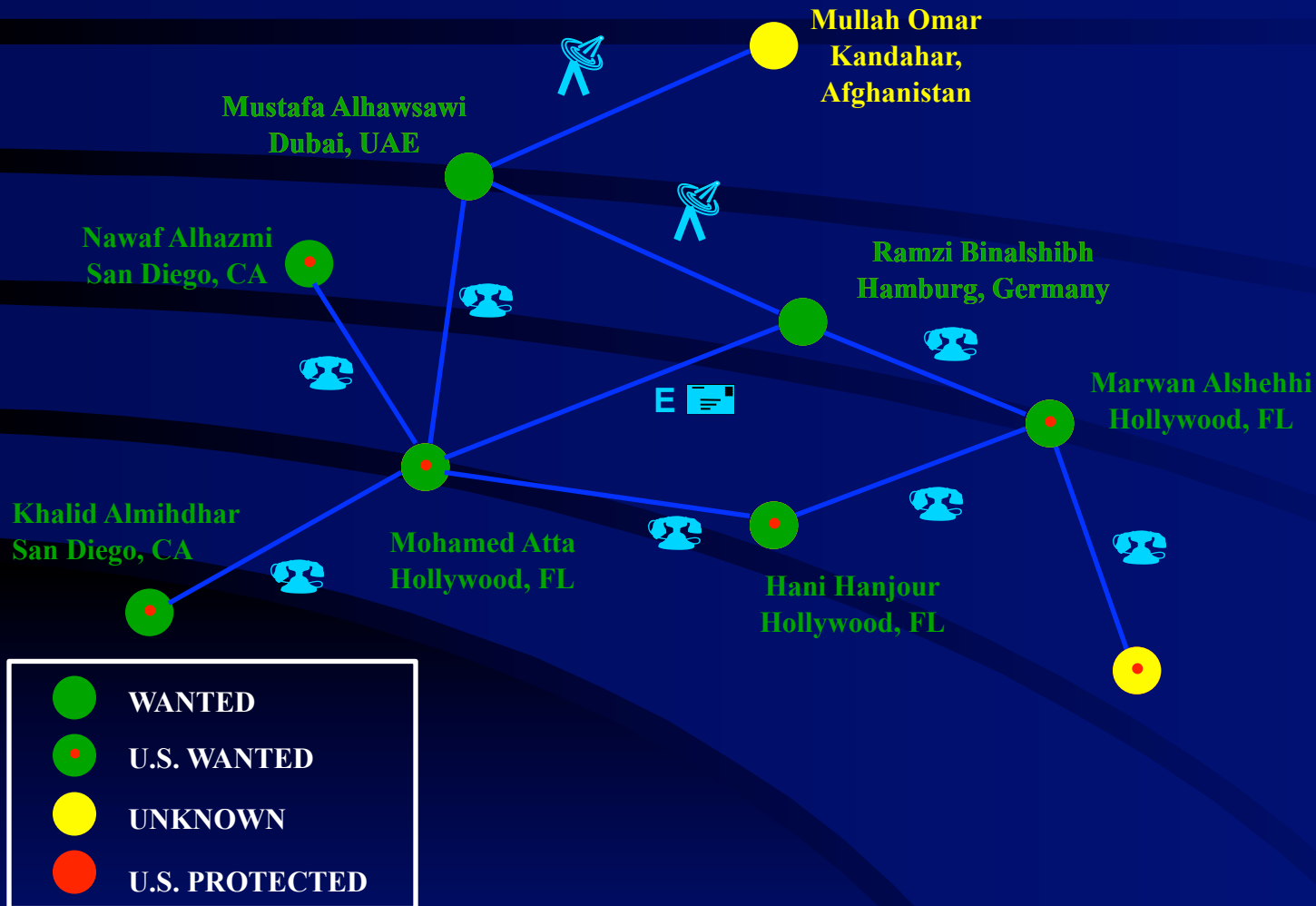


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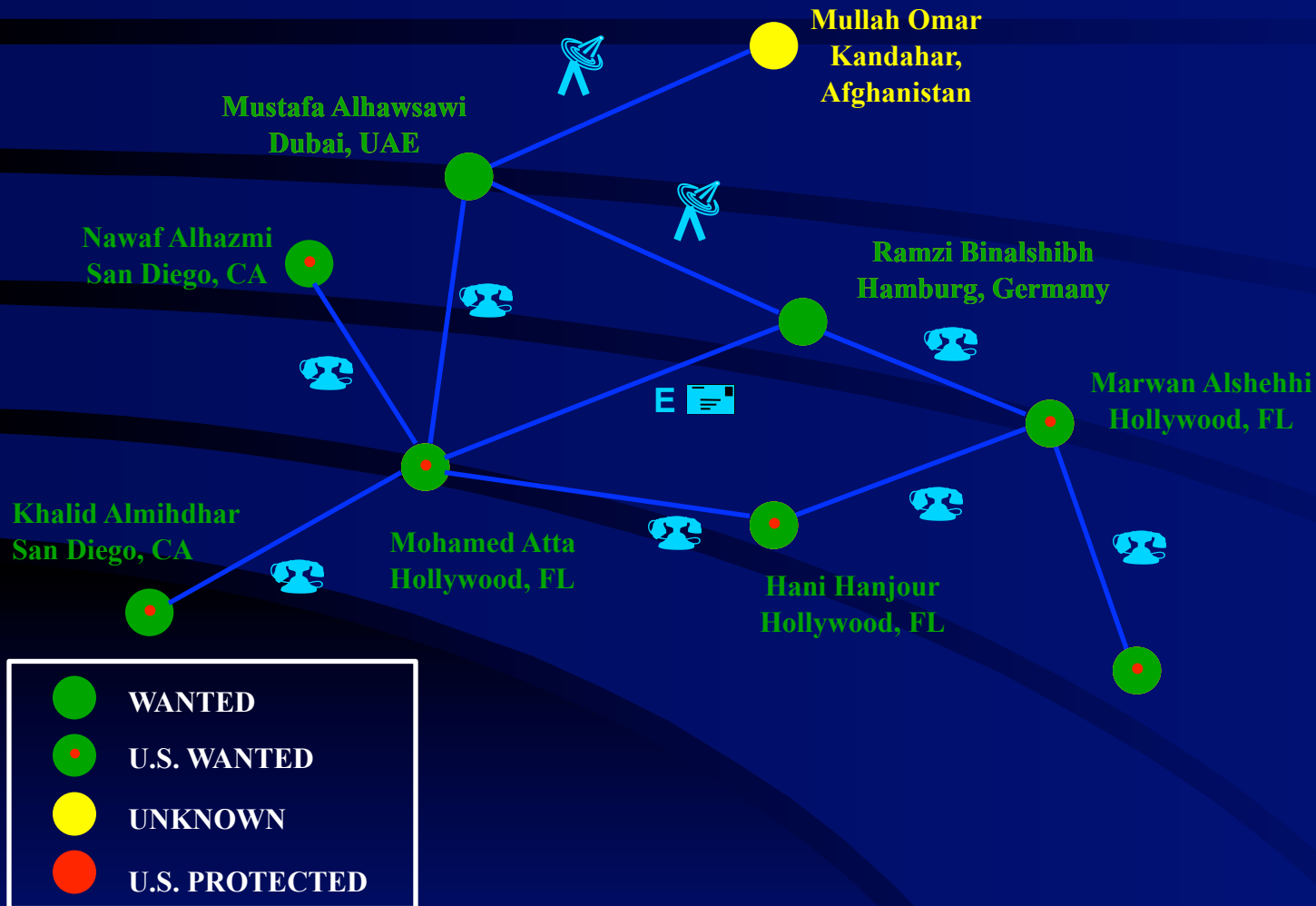


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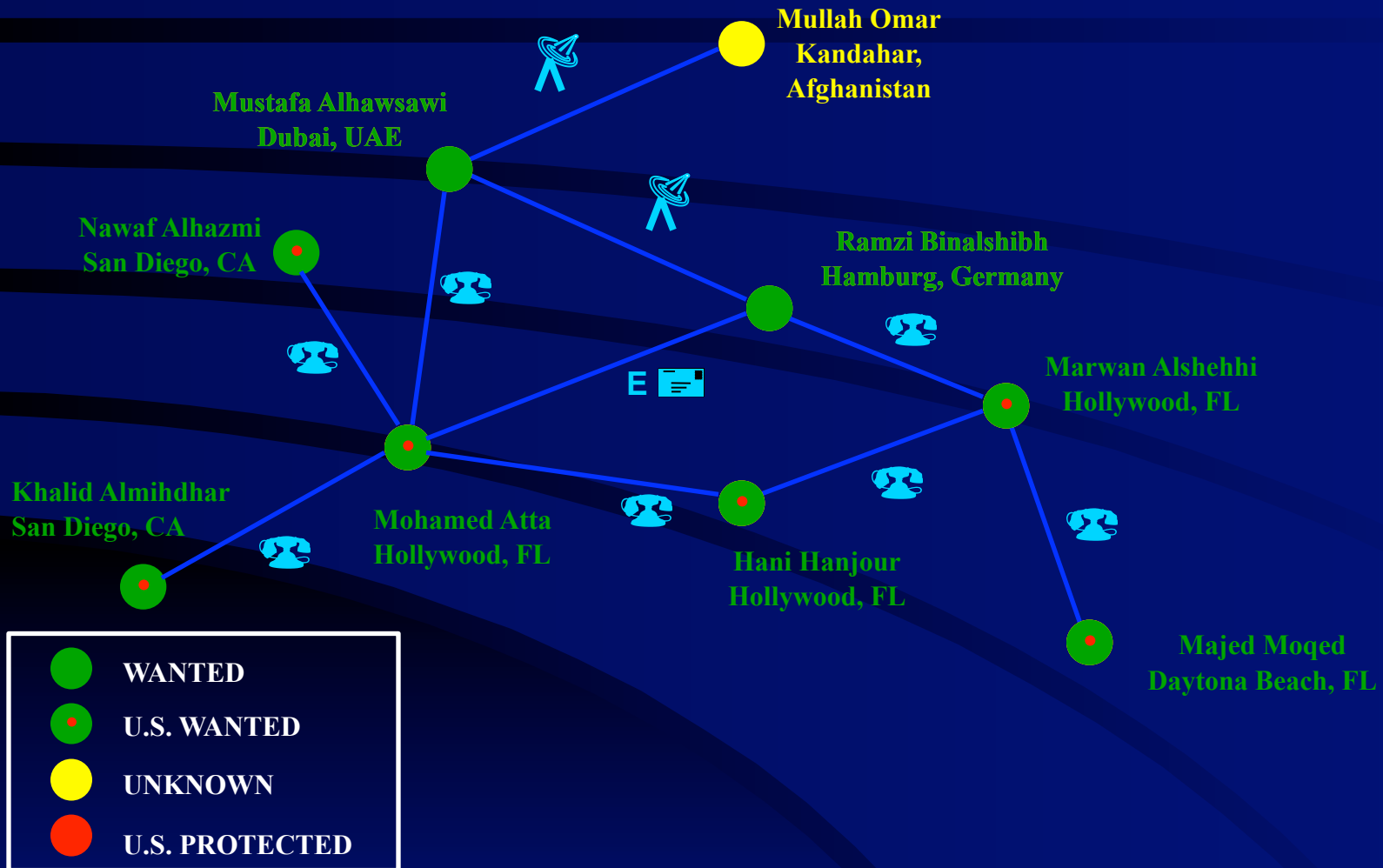


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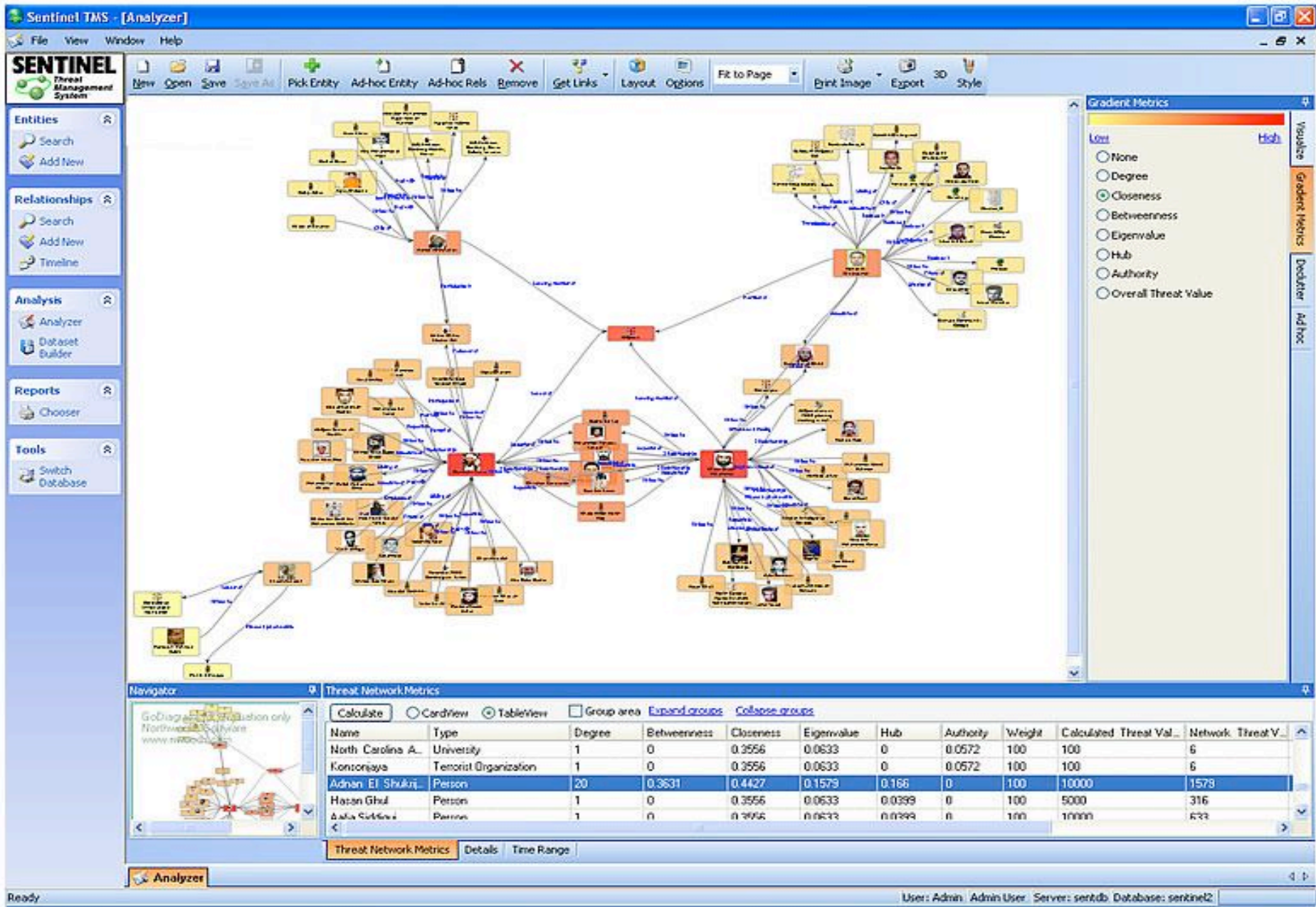
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Core Line of Business 'A'

Core Line of Business 'B'



Organization-specific Multi-Source
Entity Maps (MSEMs)

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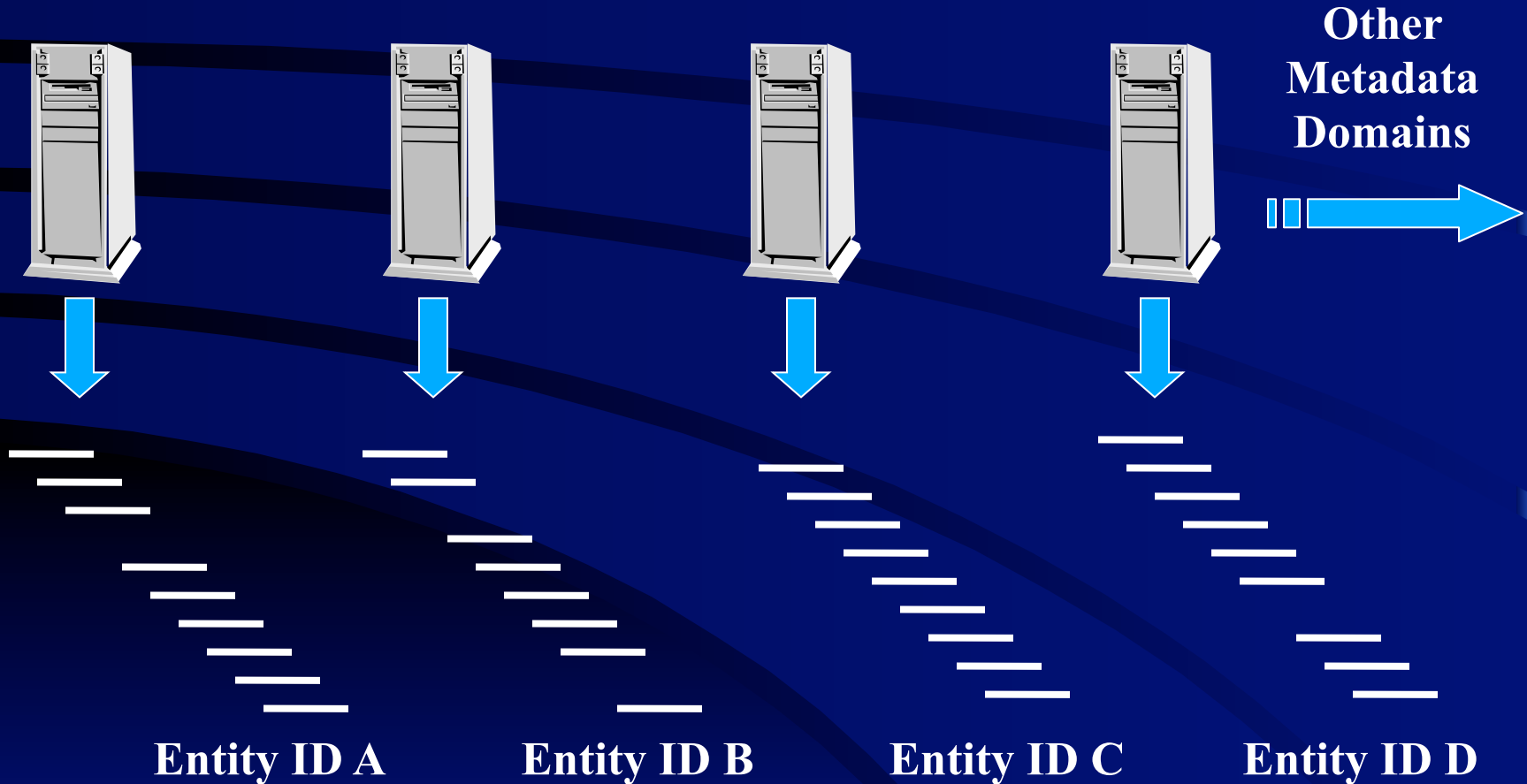
Multi-Source Entity Map

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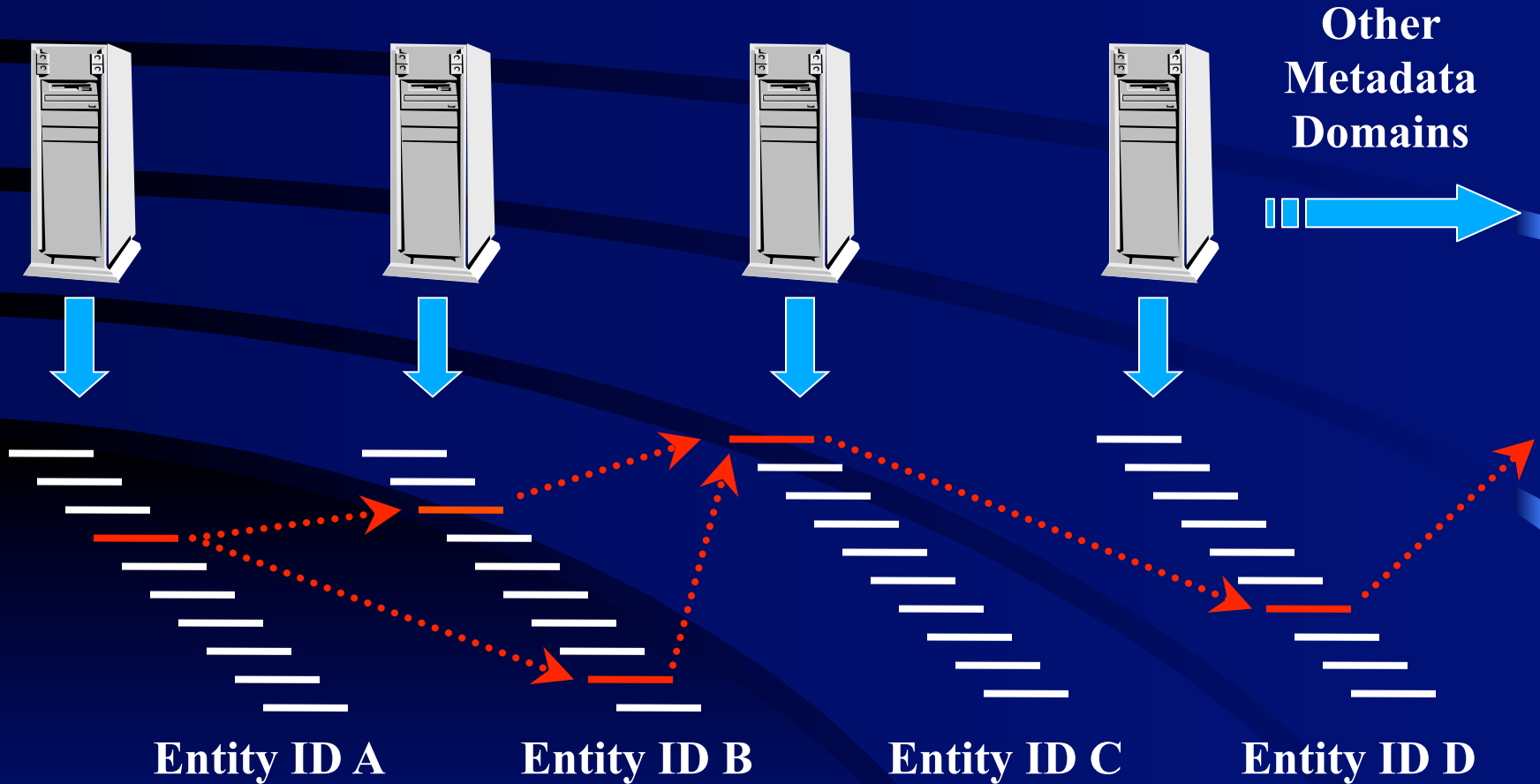


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IMPACT

- ✓ Handles *“All the data, all the time”*
- ✓ Builds relationships on world-wide scale
- ✓ Provides analytic focus to target development
- ✓ Provides manageable, relevant content
- ✓ Enables detection of network changes
- ✓ Automatically compiles target activities
- ✓ Captures the information needed to build behavior profiles for inferencing
- ✓ Forms basis for analysis across a number of variables, including proximity, frequency of comms, time, etc.

IMPACT (cont.)

- ✓ **Estimate orders of magnitude increase in analyst productivity with manual 1 and 2 degree displays of associations – even greater increase with automation of same**
- ✓ **Speed of discovery in massive information environments reduced from 6 months to 2 seconds**
- ✓ **Keeps analysis focused on relevant information**
- ✓ **Near real-time tasking and networking results**
- ✓ **Provides basis for true data integration, knowledge-creation, plus knowledge capture, maintenance, and sharing**

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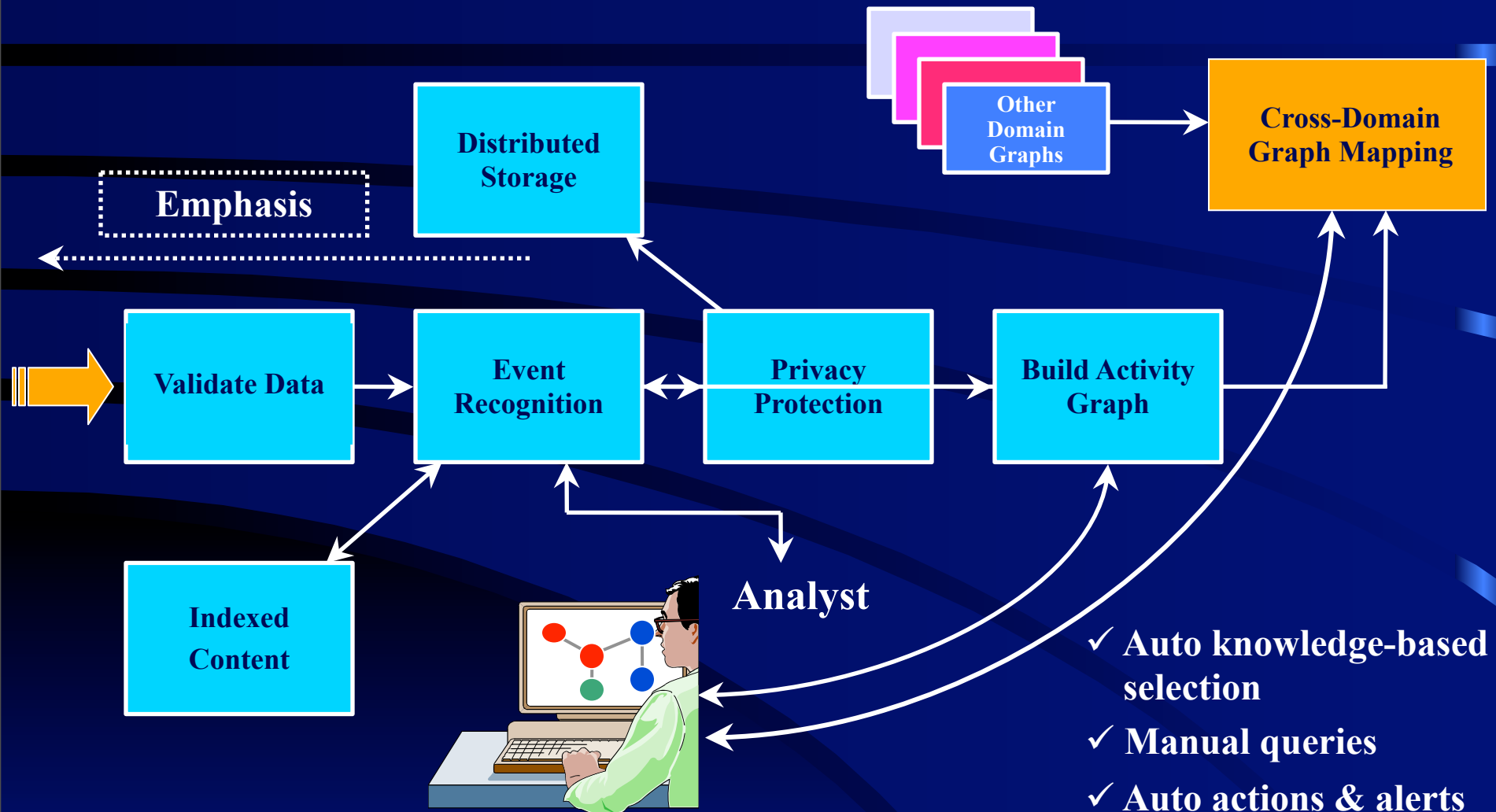
How EMABP is Different

- **EMABP ensures data integrity through automation of data correction using EM-developed algorithms that address both machine and human-induced errors.**
- **EMABP employs techniques that automatically validate data at every step of the business process.**
- **EMABP automatically maps entities, their attributes, and relationships in order to correctly identify them.**
- **EMABP automatically maps all entity relationships (the global graph) which define all possible communities to N degrees of separation.**
- **EMABP automatically captures Communities of Interest (COIs) and, at the same time, develops new Entities of Interest (EOIs) across multiple media and multiple data sources.**
- **EMABP automatically nominates EOI and COI, forming the basis for rapid identification of relevant content, independent of content knowledge or language; EMABP makes content analysis truly manageable for the first time.**

How EMABP is Different (cont.)

- EMABP automatically builds target (EOI and COI) profiles.
- EMABP provides the basis for behavior-based rules development for automated alerting and for the production of actionable intelligence, independent of content analysis.
- EMABP embraces a knowledge management process that captures knowledge, stores, and maintains it, and leverages it throughout EMABP and across the greater enterprise.
- EMABP automatically audits every EMABP process as a basis for systems management and as a basis for calculating and measuring performance, as well as ROIs.
- The EMABP-produced graph is continuously updated in the background, thereby enabling automated changes in emphasis.
- EMABP is a core enterprise business process, not a spot technology solution; unique technology comes with it, and it enables complimentary

New Domain Access and Relationship Mapping



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Opportunities in Open Sources

“The Internet is now the default C4I architecture for virtually the entire world. The principle exceptions are most militaries and intelligence organizations. The Internet facilitates commerce, provides entertainment and supports ever increasing amounts of human interaction. To exclude the information flow carried by the Internet is to exclude the greatest emerging data source available. While the Internet is a source of much knowledge, all information gleaned from it must be assessed for its source, bias and reliability.”

-- **W. F. KERNAN, General, U.S. Army**
Supreme Allied Commander, Atlantic

Department of Defense Architecture
Framework (DoDAF, formerly C4ISR)

NATO Open Source Intelligence Handbook, November 2001

http://www.oss.net/dynamaster/file_archive/030201/ca5fb66734f540fbb4f8f6ef759b258c/NATO%20OSI

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Real-World Open-Source Example

Date: June, 2006

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of Industry and Security (BIS)

[http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/01jan20061800/
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COMPANY	P.O. BOX	ADDRESS
Mayrow General Trading	42340 & 171978	A&B&C
Micatic General Trading	42340	A&B
Majidco Micro Electronics	42340	A&B
Atlinx Electronics	42340	A&B
Narinco	42340	A&B
Micro Middle East Electronics	42340	A&B

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Open-Source Example (Cont.)

Associated Personal Names

F.N. Yaghmaei

H. Ghasir

Business Locations

Address “A” = 401 --Bin Yas Center -- Al Maktum Road, Dubai, UAE

**Address “B” = Shops 3-4, Sharafia Ahmed Ali Building, al-Nakheel, Deira,
Dubai, UAE**

Address “C” = Deira, Dubai, UAE

Open-Source Example (Cont.)

<u>Company Name</u>	<u>PO Box</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Phone/Fax Nr</u>
Mayrow General Trading	42340 171978	ABC	971-4-2219641 2219642
Micatic General Trading	42340 171978	AB	971-4-2278996 2278995 971-4-2278997 2278998
Majidco Micro Electronics	42340	AB&D	971-4-2278996 2278995
Atlinx Electronics	42340	AB	971-4-2278997 2278998 971-4-2278996 2278995
Narinco	42340	AB	
Micro Middle East Electronics	42340	AB	971-4-2278996 2278995
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Address “D” = Mohamad Abdulla Alqaz Bldg, Bani Yas Square, Al Rigga, Dubai, UAE