ACER’s Cyber Security Glossary

**Cyber threats**: come in many forms such as terrorist attacks, hackers, natural disasters and can also be accidental in nature. Constantly changing threats, digitalisation and more interconnectedness makes cyber security of power grids increasingly challenging.

**Cybersecurity**: measures and safeguards adopted to defend IT systems and their data against unauthorised access, attack and damage to ensure their availability, confidentiality and integrity.