

SITE TF SITREP: 10 October 2019

2019 Federal Election – Threat Trend: **STABLE**



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Threat Updates

- **(U)** RRM Canada monitored engagement related to the article written by a Professor at a Canadian University on the Strategic Culture Foundation website, per the SITE TF SITREP of 7 Oct. The article had limited impact – shared only 500 times across various platforms – and we did not see any indication of inauthentic or coordinated behavior, including amplification, that would suggest foreign interference.

(U/OUO) On October 8 at 14:30 UTC, a large Port Scan was detected on the IIS GC network. The event minimally affected several departments, and does not appear to have been specifically targeted.

Operational Responses and Updates

- **(U)** No significant updates at this time.