

iSOCaaS

INTELLIGENT SOC AS A SERVICE

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Welcome to the iSOCaaS Newsletter — Our Project Has Launched!

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We are excited to introduce **iSOCaaS** — a new EU-funded initiative bringing intelligent, managed Security Operations Centre (SOC) services to organisations across Europe. This first edition of our newsletter marks the beginning of a 36-month journey to strengthen European cyber resilience.

ABOUT THE PROJECT

What is iSOCaaS?

iSOCaaS stands for **Intelligent Security Operations Center as a Service**. The project focuses on designing and delivering intelligent, managed SOC services tailored to the needs of European sectoral, national, and cross-border cyber resilience.

Building on established commercial offerings and successful EU-funded initiatives, iSOCaaS integrates AI-powered capabilities for shared situational awareness, coordinated incident response, and joint preparedness — at sectoral, national, and cross-border levels.

36months duration
(Dec 2024 – Nov 2027)**8**European consortium
partners**62**pilot users across
Greece**50+**CTI sources to be
integrated

THE CHALLENGE

Why iSOCaaS, and why now?

Cybersecurity threats are growing in both number and sophistication. Critical infrastructure operators, public sector organisations, and SMEs face mounting pressure with limited resources to respond effectively. Recent ENISA Threat Landscape reports have consistently highlighted the surge in targeted attacks across all sectors.

Key facts: SMEs make up 99% of EU companies and face increasing cyberattack frequency. Essential and important sectors struggle with cybersecurity maturity and resource constraints. Adoption of EU cybersecurity directives — NIS2, CRA, DORA — remains challenging for many organisations.

iSOCaaS addresses these challenges by providing scalable, AI-enhanced SOC services that are accessible to organisations regardless of their existing cybersecurity maturity level.

PROJECT OBJECTIVES

What we aim to achieve

- 1 Deliver holistic **Baseline SOC capabilities** for situational awareness, incident response & preparedness.

- 2

Deliver **AI-based, Beyond-State-of-the-Art enablers** augmenting SOC capabilities to protect against current & emerging threats.
- 3

Provide **standards-based interoperability & alignment** enabling collaboration at national, cross-border & European levels.
- 4

Integrate & deploy iSOCaaS service instances for at least 62 pilot end users onboarded for 12 months.
- 5

Deliver, assess & validate iSOCaaS operationally, including cybersecurity insurance schemes.
- 6

Ensure visibility, exploitation & long-term impact through multifaceted communication and dissemination efforts.

OUR CONSORTIUM

Meet the partners

iSOCaaS brings together 8 European organisations spanning cybersecurity, defence, insurance, AI development, and digital governance:

SPH Project Coordinator · SOC Services	OSI Service Delivery Lead	KUA Insurance Services	INS Insurance Technology
CS AI Development Lead	HMOD National CSIRT Operator	NCSA National Competent Authority	NSQ Dissemination & Exploitation Lead

PROJECT STRUCTURE

Work packages at a glance

WP	Title	Objective
WP1	Project Management	Coordinate scientific, technical & administrative aspects
WP2	Requirements, Baseline & Architecture	Establish foundations & define iSOCaaS architecture
WP3	AI-based Situational Awareness, Response & Preparedness Enablers	Design & deliver AI-based SOC capacity boosters
WP4	Integration and Assessment	Internal & external integration of iSOCaaS
WP5	Service Delivery	Deliver iSOCaaS services to 62 pilot users for 12 months
WP6	Dissemination, Exploitation, Standardisation & Sustainability	Raise awareness & develop exploitation strategies

WHAT'S NEXT

Coming up in iSOCaaS

Over the coming months the consortium will be laying the technical and operational foundations of the iSOCaaS platform. Here is what to look forward to:

- › **Open Call Phase 1** — Applications will open for organisations seeking cybersecurity preparedness support. Stay tuned for the announcement.
- › **Cyber EUnnovate 2025** (ENISA, Athens) — iSOCaaS will be present. Come meet the team.

- › **Project website** — Visit us at isocaas.eu for news, deliverables, and updates.
- › **Next newsletter** — Our second edition will report on Year 1 progress and key milestones achieved.

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