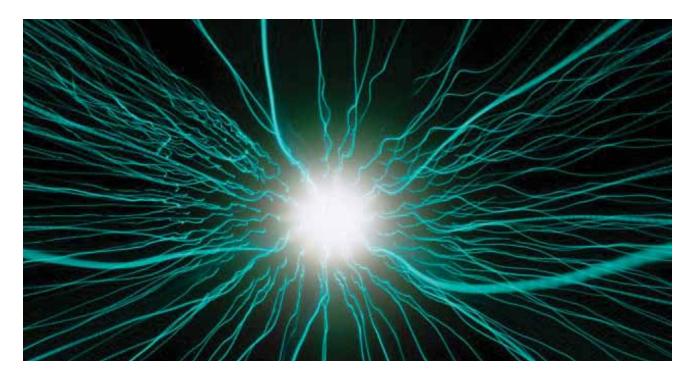
# Is Your Data Center Safe From EMP Threats?



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# What is EMP?

EMP (electromagnetic pulse) is a sudden burst of high energy electromagnetic radiation that can couple with electrical and electronic systems to create damaging current and voltage surges. The surges' extremely fast rise time and excessively high voltage can overwhelm and destroy data processing and storage systems.

EMP is generated by solar geomagnetic storms, high-altitude nuclear explosions (HEMP), or by non-nuclear man-made pulse generating devices (NNEMP).

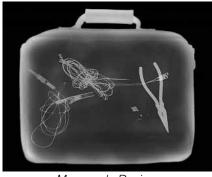
EMP can pass through walls as a radiated pulse traveling in free-space, or travel along conductive pathways, like incoming power lines and signal cabling.



Solar Flares



Nuclear Events



Man-made Devices



# How can I protect against **EMP threats?**

Vital assets can be protected from damaging EMP strikes using a few proven, practical solutions.

Radiated pulses can be stopped by placing equipment inside rooms made with special metal alloy panels. The rooms can be retrofitted to existing facilities, or incorporated in new construction. Pulses that are conducted on power lines and cabling can be blocked at entry points with high-performance electromagnetic filters.

With the possibility of geomagnetic storms occurring with unpredictable levels of intensity, and security threats from NNEMP devices becoming an increasing possibility, Data Centers need to be prepared and protected against data loss from EMP sources. ETS-Lindgren offers Data Centers proven, practical solutions that enhance security and reliability.



An ETS-Lindgren EMP Shielded Room



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