Security-by-Design for Fortifying Cybersecurity of IoT/CPS

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The Big Picture



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Issues Challenging City Sustainability









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Traffic

Smart City Technology - As a Solution

- Smart Cities: For effective management of limited resource to serve largest possible population to improve:
 - Livability
 - Workability
 - Sustainability

- At Different Levels:➤ Smart Village➤ Smart State
- Smart Country



Year 2050: 70% of world population will be urban

Source: S. P. Mohanty, U. Choppali, and E. Kougianos, "Everything You wanted to Know about Smart Cities", IEEE Consumer Electronics Magazine, Vol. 5, No. 3, July 2016, pp. 60--70.



Smart Cities Vs Smart Villages



Source: http://edwingarcia.info/2014/04/26/principal/

Smart CitiesCPSCPS Types - MoreDesignDesign Cost - HighOperationOperation Cost - HighEnergyEnergy Requirement - HighK

Smart Villages CPS Types - Less Design Cost - Low Operation Cost – Low Energy Requirement - Low





Source; P. Chanak and I. Banerjee, "Internet of Things-enabled Smart Villages: Recent Advances and Challenges," *IEEE Consumer Electronics Magazine*, DOI: 10.1109/MCE.2020.3013244.



IoT \rightarrow CPS \rightarrow Smart Cities or Smart Villages



Source: S. P. Mohanty, U. Choppali, and E. Kougianos, "Everything You wanted to Know about Smart Cities", IEEE Consumer Electronics Magazine, Vol. 5, No. 3, July 2016, pp. 60--70.





Frost and Sullivan predicts smart healthcare market value to reach US\$348.5 billion by 2025.





in Internet-of-Agro-Things for Smart Agriculture", IEEE Sensors Journal, Vol. 21, No. 16, August 2021, pp. 17525--17538, DOI: 10.1109/JSEN.2020.3032438.



Energy Cyber-Physical System (E-CPS)



Source: S. P. Mohanty, U. Choppali, and E. Kougianos, "Everything You wanted to Know about Smart Cities", IEEE Consumer Electronics Magazine, Vol. 5, No. 3, July 2016, pp. 60--70.



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Transportation Cyber-Physical System (T-CPS)



IoT Role Includes: •Traffic management •Real-time vehicle tracking •Vehicle-to-Vehicle communication •Scheduling of train, aircraft •Automatic payment/ticket system •Automatic toll collection

Requires:

- Data, Device, and System Security
- Location Privacy

"The global market of IoT based connected cars is expected to reach \$46 Billion by 2020."

Source: Datta 2017, CE Magazine Oct 2017

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Challenges in IoT/CPS Design





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Massive Growth of Sensors/Things





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Security Challenges – Information



Hacked: Linkedin, Tumbler, & Myspace

Linked in tumblr. ::::myspace

Who did it: A hacker going by the name Peace. What was done: 500 million passwords were stolen.

Details: Peace had the following for sale on a Dark Web Store:

167 million Linkedin passwords
360 million Myspace passwords
68 million Tumbler passwords
100 million VK.com passwords
71 million Twitter passwords

Personal Information





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Cybersecurity Challenges - System



Source: http://www.csoonline.com/article/3177209/security/why-the-ukraine-power-grid-attacks-should-raise-alarm.html



• / HHCKED BRAKES Source: http://money.cnn.com/2014/06/01/technology/security/car-hack/



Source: http://politicalblindspot.com/u-s-drone-hacked-and-hijacked-with-ease/



Attacks on IoT Devices





Smart Healthcare - Cybersecurity and Privacy Issue



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Internet of Agro-Things (IoAT) - Cybersecurity Issue



Source: V. K. V. V. Bathalapalli, S. P. Mohanty, E. Kougianos, V. P. Yanambaka, B. K. Baniya and B. Rout, "A PUF-based Approach for Sustainable Cybersecurity in Smart Agriculture," in *Proc. 19th OITS International Conference on Information Technology (OCIT)*, 2021, pp. 375-380, doi: 10.1109/OCIT53463.2021.00080.



Smart Grid - Vulnerability



Source: (1) R. K. Kaur, L. K. Singh and B. Pandey, "Security Analysis of Smart Grids: Successes and Challenges," *IEEE Consumer Electronics Magazine*, vol. 8, no. 2, pp. 10-15, March 2019. (2)https://www.enisa.europa.eu/topics/critical-information-infrastructures-and-services/smart-grids/smart-grids-and-smart-metering/ENISA_Annex%20II%20-%20Security%20Aspects%20of%20Smart%20Grid.pdf



Smart Car – Modification of Input Signal of Control Can be Dangerous



Typically vehicles are controlled by human drivers
 Designing an Autonomous Vehicle (AV) requires decision chains.
 AV actuators controlled by algorithms.

Decision chain involves sensor data, perception, planning and actuation.

> Perception transforms sensory data to useful information.

Planning involves decision making.



Source: S. J. Plathottam and P. Ranganathan, "Next Generation Distributed and Networked Autonomous Vehicles: Review," in *Proc. 10th International Conference on Communication Systems and Networks (COMSNETS)*, 2018, pp. 577-582, DOI: https://doi.org/10.1109/COMSNETS.2018.8328277.



Trojans can Provide Backdoor Entry to Adversary



Provide backdoor to adversary. Chip fails during critical needs.



Fake Data and Fake Hardware – Both are Equally Dangerous in CPS

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SAN 172318

Authentic

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Serial# \$300-6770

Authentic



Al can be fooled by fake data



AI can create fake data (Deepfake) A plug-in for car-engine computers



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HONDATA

Serial# S300-3541

Fake

MEDICAL

Fake



Al Security - Attacks



Source: Sandip Kundu ISVLSI 2019 Keynote.



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Wrong ML Model → Wrong Diagnosis



Source: https://www.healthcareitnews.com/news/new-ai-diagnostic-tool-knows-when-defer-human-mit-researchers-say



Al Security - Trojans in Artificial Intelligence (TrojAl)





Adversaries can insert **Trojans** into Als, leaving a trigger for bad behavior that they can activate during the Al's operations

Source: https://www.iarpa.gov/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=1150&Itemid=448



Cybersecurity Solution for IoT/CPS





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IoT Cybersecurity - Attacks and Countermeasures

]	Threat	Against		Countermeasures
	Computing nodes		Hardware Trojans	All		Side-channel signal analysis
			Side-channel attacks	C,AU,NR,P		Trojan activation methods
			Denial of Service (DoS)	A,AC,AU,NR,P		Intrusion Detection Systems (IDSs)
D 1			Physical attacks	All		Securing firmware update
Edge			Node replication attacks	All		Circuit/design modification
nodes	RFID tags		Camouflage	All		Kill/sleep command
			Corrupted node	All		Kiii/sieep command
			Tracking	P, NR		Isolation
			Inventorying	P, NR		Blocking
			Tag cloning	All		Anonymous tag
			Counterfeiting	All		Distance estimation
	Communication		Eavesdropping	C,NR,P		Personal firewall
			Injecting fraudulent packets	P,I,AU,TW,NR		Cryptographic schemes
Com			Routing attacks	C,I,AC,NR,P		Reliable routing
			Unauthorized conversation	All		Do nottorning and
			Malicious injection	All		De-patterning and Decentralization
			Integrity attacks against	C,I		Role-based authorization
	Edge computing		learning	A 11		Information Flooding
Edue			and inadequate testing			Pre-testing
Lage			Insufficient/Inessential logging	C,AC,NR,P		Outlier detection





Source: S. Ghosh, J. Goswami, A. Majumder, A. Kumar, **S. P. Mohanty**, and B. K. Bhattacharyya, "Swing-Pay: One Card Meets All User Payment and Identity Needs", *IEEE Consumer Electronics Magazine (MCE)*, Volume 6, Issue 1, January 2017, pp. 82--93.



RFID Cybersecurity - Solutions





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Firmware Cybersecurity - Solution



Source: https://www.nxp.com/docs/en/white-paper/AUTOSECURITYWP.pdf



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Embedded Memory Security



Source: S. Nimgaonkar, M. Gomathisankaran, and S. P. Mohanty, "MEM-DnP: A Novel Energy Efficient Approach for Memory Integrity Detection and Protection in Embedded Systems", *Springer Circuits, Systems, and Signal Processing Journal (CSSP)*, Volume 32, Issue 6, December 2013, pp. 2581--2604.



Smart Healthcare Cybersecurity





Drawbacks of Existing Cybersecurity Solutions





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IT Cybersecurity Solutions Can't be Directly Extended to IoT/CPS Cybersecurity

IT Cybersecurity

- IT infrastructure may be well protected rooms
- Limited variety of IT network devices
- Millions of IT devices
- Significant computational power to run heavy-duty security solutions
- IT security breach can be costly

IoT Cybersecurity

- IoT may be deployed in open hostile environments
- Significantly large variety of IoT devices
- Billions of IoT devices
- May not have computational power to run security solutions
- IoT security breach (e.g. in a IoMT device like pacemaker, insulin pump) can be life threatening

Maintaining of Cybersecurity of Electronic Systems, IoT, CPS, needs Energy, and affects performance.



Cybersecurity Measures in Healthcare Cyber-Physical Systems is Hard



Collectively (WMD+IMD): Implantable and Wearable Medical Devices (IWMDs)

Implantable and Wearable Medical Devices (IWMDs):

- → Longer Battery life
- → Safer device
- → Smaller size
- → Smaller weight
- → Not much computational capability



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H-CPS Cybersecurity Measures is Hard - Energy Constrained



Pacemaker Battery Life - 10 years



Neurostimulator Battery Life - 8 years

➢ Implantable Medical Devices (IMDs) have integrated battery to provide energy to all their functions
→ Limited Battery Life depending on functions
➢ Higher battery/energy usage → Lower IMD lifetime
➢ Battery/IMD replacement → Needs surgical risky procedures

Source: C. Camara, P. Peris-Lopeza, and J. E.Tapiadora, "Security and privacy issues in implantable medical devices: A comprehensive survey", *Elsevier Journal of Biomedical Informatics*, Volume 55, June 2015, Pages 272-289.



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Smart Car Cybersecurity - Latency Constrained





UAV Cybersecurity - Energy & Latency Constrained





Smart Grid Security Constraints



Source: R. K. Pandey and M. Misra, "Cyber security threats - Smart grid infrastructure," in Proc. National Power Systems Conference (NPSC), 2016, pp. 1-6.



Cybersecurity Attacks – Software Vs Hardware Based

Software Based

- Software attacks via communication channels
- Typically from remote
- More frequent
- Selected Software based:
 - Denial-of-Service (DoS)
 - Routing Attacks
 - Malicious Injection
 - Injection of fraudulent packets
 - Snooping attack of memory
 - Spoofing attack of memory and IP address
 - Password-based attacks



Hardware Based

- Hardware or physical attacks
- Maybe local
- More difficult to prevent
- Selected Hardware based:
 - □ Hardware backdoors (e.g. Trojan)
 - Inducing faults
 - Electronic system tampering/ jailbreaking
 - Eavesdropping for protected memory
 - Side channel attack
 - Hardware counterfeiting

Source: Mohanty ICCE Panel 2018



Cybersecurity Solutions – Software Vs Hardware Based

Software Based



- Introduces latency in operation
- Flexible Easy to use, upgrade and update
- Wider-Use Use for all devices in an organization
- Higher recurring operational cost
- Tasks of encryption easy compared to hardware – substitution tables
- Needs general purpose processor
- Can't stop hardware reverse engineering

Source: Mohanty ICCE Panel 2018

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Hardware Based

- High-Speed operation
- Energy-Efficient operation
- Low-cost using ASIC and FPGA
- Tasks of encryption easy compared to software bit permutation
- Easy integration in CE systems
- Possible security at source-end like sensors, better suitable for IoT
- Susceptible to side-channel attacks
- Can't stop software reverse engineering



Cybersecurity Nightmare - Quantum Computing





Security-by-Design (SbD) – The Principle





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Privacy by Design (PbD) → General Data Protection Regulation (GPDR)

1995 Privacy by Design (PbD)

Treat privacy concerns as design requirements when developing technology, rather than trying to retrofit privacy controls after it is built 2018 General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) GDPR makes Privacy by Design (PbD) a legal requirement

Security by Design aka Secure by Design (SbD)



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Security by Design (SbD) and/or Privacy by Design (PbD)





Security by Design (SbD)





Source: https://iapp.org/media/pdf/resource_center/Privacy%20by%20Design%20-%207%20Foundational%20Principles.pdf



Security-by-Design (SbD) – Principles ...

- Security features should be Proactive not Reactive: Cybersecurity solutions for SbD approach should be done in a proactive fashion in anticipation that cyberscrurity issues will arise, instead of exploring solutions after cyberscrurity crisis takes place.
- Security should be Default: Cybersecurity features of the smart electronics should be default option in the context of hardware, software, and system specifications.

Source: V. K. V. V. Bathalapalli, S. P. Mohanty, E. Kougianos, V. Iyer, and B. Rout, "iTPM: Exploring PUF-based Keyless TPM for Security-by-Design of Smart IEEE VLSI Electronics". in Proceedings of the Computer Societv Annual Svmposium (ISVLSI). 2023. 1-6. on pp. DOI: https://doi.org/10.1109/ISVLSI59464.2023.10238586



Security-by-Design (SbD) – Principles ...

- Security should be Embedded into Design: Cybsecurity solutions of a system should be integrated in the design and should be builtin as if the solutions cann't be separated from the system.
- Security should be incorporated as a Full Functionality -PositiveSum, not Zero-Sum without trade-offs: To facilitate effective integration with smart electronics, the SbD approach should have not tradeoffs and shouldn't have energy, battery, and performance overheads.



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Security-by-Design (SbD)

- Security-Solutions should be End-to-End Security for Lifecycle Protection: The cybersecurity solutions should provide security in the entire life-cycle of the smart electronics, from design to deployment.
- Security-Solutions should have Visibility and Transparency: The SbD approach in an Electronic system should be easily understandable and information should be visible and clear.
- Security-Solutions should have Respect for Users: The cybsecurity solutions should respect the users in terms of their safety, privacy, and convenience.



SbD Principle – IoT/CPS Design Flow ...



How to integrate cybersecurity and privacy at every stage of design flow?

Source: http://events.linuxfoundation.org/sites/events/files/slides/Design%20-%20End-to-End%20%20IoT%20Solution%20-%20Shivakumar%20Mathapathi.pdf



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SbD Principle – IoT/CPS Design Flow



How to validate and document cybersecurity and privacy features at every stage of production?

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CPS – IoT-Edge Vs IoT-Cloud





Secure SoC - Alternatives



Development of hardware amenable algorithms.



Building efficient VLSI architectures.



Hardware-software co-design for security, power, and performance tradeoffs.



SoC design for cybersecurity, power, and performance tradeoffs.



Trustworthy Electronic System

- A selective attributes of electronic system to be trustworthy:
 - □ It must maintain integrity of information it is processing.
 - It must conceal any information about the computation performed through any side channels such as power analysis or timing analysis.
 - It must perform only the functionality it is designed for, nothing more and nothing less.
 - □ It must not malfunction during operations in critical applications.
 - □ It must be transparent only to its owner in terms of design details and states.
 - It must be designed using components from trusted vendors.
 - It must be built/fabricated using trusted fabs.



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Hardware-Assisted Security (HAS)

Software based Security:

- A general purposed processor is a deterministic machine that computes the next instruction based on the program counter.
- Software based security approaches that rely on some form of encryption can't be full proof as breaking them is just matter of time.
- It is projected that quantum computers that use different paradigms than the existing computers will make things worse.
- Hardware-Assisted Security (HAS): Security/Protection provided by the hardware: for information being processed by an electronic system, for hardware itself, and/or for the system.



Hardware Cybersecurity Primitives – TPM, HSM, TrustZone, and PUF





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SbD/HAS - Advantages





Security-by-Design (SbD) – Specific Examples





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PMsec: Our Secure by Design Approach for Robust Security in Healthcare CPS



Source: V. P. Yanambaka, S. P. Mohanty, E. Kougianos, and D. Puthal, "PMsec: Physical Unclonable Function-Based Robust and Lightweight Authentication in the Internet of Medical Things", *IEEE Transactions on Consumer Electronics (TCE)*, Volume 65, Issue 3, August 2019, pp. 388--397.



IoMT Security – Our Proposed PMsec





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iGLU: Accurate Glucose Level Monitoring and Secure Insulin Delivery



P. Jain, A. M. Joshi, and S. P. Mohanty, "iGLU: An Intelligent Device for Accurate Non-Invasive Blood Glucose-Level Monitoring in Smart Healthcare", *IEEE Consumer Electronics Magazine (MCE)*, Vol. 9, No. 1, January 2020, pp. 35–42.



Secure-iGLU: Accurate Glucose Level Monitoring and Secure Insulin Delivery



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We Proposed World's First Hardware-Integrated Blockchain (PUFchain) that is Scalable, Energy-Efficient, and Fast



Source: S. P. Mohanty, V. P. Yanambaka, E. Kougianos, and D. Puthal, "PUFchain: Hardware-Assisted Blockchain for Sustainable Simultaneous Device and Data Security in Internet of Everything (IoE)", IEEE Consumer Electronics Magazine (MCE), Vol. 9, No. 2, March 2020, pp. 8-16.



PUFchain – The Big Idea



Blockchain Technology is integrated with Physically Unclonable Functions as PUFchain by storing the PUF Key into immutable Blockchain

Roles of PUF:

- Hardware Accelerator for Blockchain
- Independent Authentication
- Double-Layer Protection
- > 3 modes: PUF, Blockchain, PUF+Blockchain



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PUFchain: Our Hardware-Assisted Scalable Blockchain



Source: S. P. Mohanty, V. P. Yanambaka, E. Kougianos, and D. Puthal, "PUFchain: Hardware-Assisted Blockchain for Sustainable Simultaneous Device and Data Security in Internet of Everything (IoE)", IEEE Consumer Electronics Magazine (MCE), Vol. 9, No. 2, March 2020, pp. 8-16.





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PUFchain 2.0: Our Hardware-Assisted Scalable Blockchain





PUFchain 3.0 - Architecture



Source: V. K. V. V. Bathalapalli, **S. P. Mohanty**, E. Kougianos, B. K. Baniya, and B. Rout, "<u>PUFchain 3.0: Hardware-Assisted Distributed Ledger for Robust Authentication in the</u> Internet of Medical Things", in *Proceedings of IFIP International Internet of Things Conference (IFIP-IoT)*, 2022, pp. 23--40, DOI: <u>https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-18872-5_2</u>.



Our PUFchain 4.0: Integrating PUF-based TPM in Distributed Ledger for SbD of IoT



Tangle is a simple fee-less, miner less Distributed Ledger Technology

In Tangle, Incoming transactions must validate tips (Unverified Transactions) to become part of the Network.

Source: V. K. V. V. Bathalapalli, **S. P. Mohanty**, E. Kougianos, V. Iyer, and B. Rout, "<u>PUFchain 4.0: Integrating PUF-based TPM in Distributed Ledger for Security-by-Design of IoT</u>", in *Proceedings of the ACM Great Lakes Symposium on VLSI (GLSVLSI)*, 2023, pp. 231--236, DOI: <u>https://doi.org/10.1145/3583781.3590206</u>.


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Research Works	Application	DLT or Blockchain	Authentication Mechanism	Performance Metrics		
Mohanty et al. 2020 - PUFchain	IoT (Device and Data)	Blockchain	Proof-of-PUF-Enabled Authentication	PUF Design Uniqueness - 47.02% Reliability-1.25%		
Chaudhary et al. 2021 - Auto-PUFchain	Hardware Supply Chain	Blockchain	Smart Contracts	Gas Cost for Ethereum transaction 21.56 USD (5-Stage)		
Al-Joboury et al. 2021 - PoQDB	loT (Data)	Blockchain & IoT M2M Messaging (MQTT)		Transaction Time - 15 ms		
Wang et al. 2022 - PUF- Based Authentication	IoMT (Device)	Blockchain	Smart Contracts	NA		
Hellani et al. 2021- Tangle the Blockchain	IoT (Data)	Blockchain & Tangle	Smart Contracts	NA		
Bathalapalli et al. 2022-PUFchain 2.0	IoMT (Device)	Blockchain	Media Access Control (MAC) & PUF based Authentication	Total On-Chip Power - 0.081 W, PUF Hamming Distance - 48.02 %		
PUFchain 3.0 in 2022	IoMT (Device)	Tangle	Masked Authentication Messaging	Authentication 2.72 sec, Reliability - 100% (Approx), MAM Mode-Restricted		
PUFchain 4.0 (This Paper)	IoT(Device & Data)	Tangle	PUF Based TPM (SbD)	PUF Key Generation Time-87 ms, PUF Reliability-99% Power Consumption-2.7-3.3 Watt		

Source: V. K. V. V. Bathalapalli, **S. P. Mohanty**, E. Kougianos, V. Iyer, and B. Rout, "<u>PUFchain 4.0: Integrating PUF-based TPM in Distributed Ledger for Security-by-Design of IoT</u>", in *Proceedings of the ACM Great Lakes Symposium on VLSI (GLSVLSI)*, 2023, pp. 231--236, DOI: <u>https://doi.org/10.1145/3583781.3590206</u>.



Smart Grid Cybersecurity - Solutions



Source: S. Conovalu and J. S. Park. "Cybersecurity strategies for smart grids", Journal of Computers, Vol. 11, no. 4, (2016): 300-310.



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Data and System Authentication and Ownership Protection – My 20 Years of Experiences



Source: S. P. Mohanty, A. Sengupta, P. Guturu, and E. Kougianos, "Everything You Want to Know About Watermarking", *IEEE Consumer Electronics Magazine (CEM)*, Volume 6, Issue 3, July 2017, pp. 83--91.



Data Quality Assurance in IoT/CPS



Source: C. Yang, D. Puthal, S. P. Mohanty, and E. Kougianos, "Big-Sensing-Data Curation for the Cloud is Coming", *IEEE Consumer Electronics Magazine (CEM)*, Volume 6, Issue 4, October 2017, pp. 48--56.



Secure Digital Camera (SDC) – My Invention



Include additional/alternative hardware/software components and uses DVFS like technology for energy and performance optimization.

Security and/or Privacy by Design (SbD and/or PbD)

Source: S. P. Mohanty, "A Secure Digital Camera Architecture for Integrated Real-Time Digital Rights Management", *Elsevier Journal of Systems Architecture (JSA)*, Volume 55, Issues 10-12, October-December 2009, pp. 468-480.



Our Design: First Ever Watermarking Chip for Source-End Visual Data Protection





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Our Design: First Ever Watermarking Chip for Source-End Visual Data Integrity





Our Design: First Ever Low-Power Watermarking Chip for Data Quality



Chip Layout

Power Consumption: 0.3 mW, Operating Frequency: 70 MHz and 250 MHz at 1.5 V and 2.5 V

Source: S. P. Mohanty, N. Ranganathan, and K. Balakrishnan, "A Dual Voltage-Frequency VLSI Chip for Image Watermarking in DCT Domain", IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems II (TCAS-II), Vol. 53, No. 5, May 2006, pp. 394-398.



Our PUFshield: for Deepfake Mitigation Through PUF-Based Facial Feature Attestation ...





Source: V. K. V. V. Bathalapalli, V. P. Yanambaka, **S. P. Mohanty**, and E. Kougianos, "PUFshield: A Hardware-Assisted Approach for Deepfake Mitigation Through PUF-Based Facial Feature Attestation", in *Proceedings of the ACM Great Lakes Symposium on VLSI (GLSVLSI)*, 2024, pp. XXX--YYY, DOI: https://doi.org/10.1145/3649476.3660394.



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Our SbD: Eternal-Thing: Combines Security and Energy Harvesting at the IoT-Edge



Source: S. K. Ram, S. R. Sahoo, Banee, B.Das, K. K. Mahapatra, and S. P. Mohanty, "Eternal-Thing: A Secure Aging-Aware Solar-Energy Harvester Thing for Sustainable IoT", *IEEE Transactions on Sustainable Computing*, Vol. 6, No. 2, April 2021, pp. 320—333, DOI: <u>https://doi.org/10.1109/TSUSC.2020.2987616</u>.







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Collaborative Edge Computing is Cost Effective Sustainable Computing for Smart Villages



Source: D. Puthal, M. S. Obaidat, P. Nanda, M. Prasad, S. P. Mohanty, and A. Y. Zomaya, "Secure and Sustainable Load Balancing of Edge Data Centers in Fog Computing", IEEE Communications Mag, Vol. 56, No 5, May 2018, pp. 60-65, DOI: https://doi.org/10.1109/MCOM.2018.1700795.





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Our Fortified-Edge: PUF based Authentication in Collaborative Edge Computing



Source: S. G. Aarella, S. P. Mohanty, E. Kougianos, and D. Puthal, "Fortified-Edge: Secure PUF Certificate Authentication Mechanism for Edge Data Centers in Collaborative Edge Computing", in Proceedings of the ACM Great Lakes Symposium on VLSI (GLS VLSI), 2023, pp. 249-254, DOI: https://doi.org/10.1145/3583781.3590249.



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Our Fortified-Edge 2.0: ML based Monitoring and Authentication of PUF-Integrated Secure EDC



Source: S. G. Aarella, **S. P. Mohanty**, E. Kougianos, and D. Puthal, "Fortified-Edge 2.0: Machine Learning based Monitoring and Authentication of PUF-Integrated Secure Edge Data Center", in *Proceedings of the IEEE-CS Symposium on VLSI (ISVLSI)*, 2023, pp. 1-6, DOI: <u>https://doi.org/10.1109/ISVLSI59464.2023.10238517</u>.



Our iTPM: Exploring PUF-based Keyless TPM for Security-by-Design of Smart Electronics



 The proposed SbD primitive works by performing secure verification of the PUF key using TPM's Encryption and Decryption engine. The securely verified PUF Key is then bound to TPM using Platform Configuration Registers (PCR).

• By binding PUF with PCR in TPM, a novel PUF-based access control. The policy can be defined, as bringing in a new security ecosystem for the emerging Internet-of-Everything era.

Source: V. K. V. V. Bathalapalli, **S. P. Mohanty**, E. Kougianos, V. Iyer, and B. Rout, "iTPM: Exploring PUF-based Keyless TPM for Security-by-Design of Smart Electronics", in *Proceedings of the IEEE-CS Symposium on VLSI (ISVLSI)*, 2023, pp. XXX, DOI: XXX.



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Is Physical Unclonable Function (PUF) the Solution for Every Cybersecurity Problem?



If PUF is So Great, Why Isn't Everyone Using It?

- PUF technology is difficult to implement well.
- In addition to security system expertise, one needs analog circuit expertise to harness the minute variances in silicon and do it reliably.
- Some PUF implementations plan for a certain amount of marginality in the analog designs, so they create a PUF field of 256 bits (for example), knowing that only 50 percent of those PUF features might produce reliable bits, then mark which features are used on each production part.
- PUF technology relies on such minor variances, long-term quality can be a concern: will a PUF bit flip given the stresses of time, temperature, and other environmental factors?
- Overall the unique mix of security, analog expertise, and quality control is a formidable challenge to implementing a good PUF technology.

Source: https://embeddedcomputing.com/technology/processing/semiconductor-ip/demystifying-the-physically-unclonable-function-puf



PUF based Cybersecurity in Smart Healthcare - Doctor's Dilemma





PUF Limitations – Larger Key Needs Large ICs

Larger key requires larger chip circuit.





IC for PUF – Variability versus Variability-Aware Design





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PUF – FPGA versus IC



Source: V. P. Yanambaka, **S. P. Mohanty**, E. Kougianos, and D. Puthal, "<u>PMsec: Physical Unclonable</u> <u>Function-Based Robust and Lightweight Authentication in the Internet of Medical Things</u>", *IEEE Transactions on Consumer Electronics (TCE)*, Volume 65, Issue 3, August 2019, pp. 388--397.

- Faster prototyping
- Lesser design effort
- Minimal skills
- Cheap
- Rely on already existing post fabrication variability

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Source: **S. P. Mohanty** and E. Kougianos, "Incorporating Manufacturing Process Variation Awareness in Fast Design Optimization of Nanoscale CMOS VCOs", *IEEE Transactions* on Semiconductor Manufacturing (TSM), Volume 27, Issue 1, February 2014, pp. 22--31.

- Takes time to get it from fab.
- More design effort
- Needs analog design skills
- Can be expensive
- Choice to send to fab as per the need



PUF - Side Channel Leakage

Delay-based PUF implementations are vulnerable to sidechannel attacks.



Langer ICR HH 150 probe over Xilinx Spartan3E-1200 FPGA

Source: Merli, D., Schuster, D., Stumpf, F., Sigl, G. (2011). Side-Channel Analysis of PUFs and Fuzzy Extractors. In: McCune, J.M., Balacheff, B., Perrig, A., Sadeghi, AR., Sasse, A., Beres, Y. (eds) Trust and Trustworthy Computing. Trust 2011. Lecture Notes in Computer Science, vol 6740. Springer, Berlin, Heidelberg. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-642-21599-5_3



Magnification of the last part of the complete trace. Three trigger signals can be identified: (1) between oscillator phase and error correction phase, (2) between error correction and hashing, and (3) at the end of hashing.



PUF – Trojan Issue

- Improper implementation of PUF could introduce "backdoors" to an otherwise secure system.
- PUF introduces more entry points for hacking into a cryptographic system.



Provide backdoor to adversary. Chip fails during critical needs.

Source: Rührmair, Ulrich; van Dijk, Marten (2013). *PUFs in Security Protocols: Attack Models and Security Evaluations* (PDF), in *Proc. IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy*, May 19–22, 2013



PUF – Machine Learning Attack

- One types of non-invasive attacks is machine learning (ML) attacks.
- ML attacks are possible for PUFs as the pre- and postprocessing methods ignore the effect of correlations between PUF outputs.
- Many ML algorithms are available against known families of PUFs.

Source: Ganji, Fatemeh (2018), "On the learnability of physically unclonable functions", Springer. ISBN 978-3-319-76716-1.



Is Blockchain the Solution for Every Cybersecurity Problem?



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Blockchain has Many Challenges









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Blockchain has Cybersecurity Challenges

Selected attacks on the blockchain and defences							
Attacks	Descriptions	Defence					
Double spending	Many payments are made with a body of funds	Complexity of mining process					
Record hacking	Blocks are modified, and fraudulent transactions are inserted	Distributed consensus					
51% attack	A miner with more than half of the network's computational power dominates the verification process	Detection methods and design of incentives					
Identity theft	An entity's private key is stolen	Reputationoftheblockchain on identities					
System hacking	The software systems that implement a blockchain are compromised	Advanced intrusion detection systems					

Source: N. Kolokotronis, K. Limniotis, S. Shiaeles, and R. Griffiths, "Secured by Blockchain: Safeguarding Internet of Things Devices," *IEEE Consumer Electronics Magazine*, vol. 8, no. 3, pp. 28–34, May 2019.



When do You Need the Blockchain?

Information of the System that may need a blockchain?





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Conclusion

- Cybersecurity and Privacy are important problems in IoT-driven Cyber-Physical Systems (CPS).
- Various elements and components of IoT/CPS including Data, Devices, System Components, AI need security.
- Both software and hardware-based attacks and solutions are possible for cybersecurity in IoT/CPS.
- Cybersecurity in IoT-based H-CPS, A-CPS, E-CPS, and T-CPS, etc. can have serious consequences.
- Existing cybersecurity solutions have serious overheads and may not even run in the end-devices (e.g. a medical device) of CPS/IoT.
- Security-by-Design (SbD) advocate features at early design phases, no-retrofitting.
- Hardware-Assisted Security (HAS): Security provided by hardware for: (1) information being processed, (2) hardware itself, (3) overall system.
- Research on topologies and protocols for PUF based cybersecurity is ongoing.



Future Directions

- Privacy and/or Security by Design (PbD or SbD) needs research.
- Cybersecurity, Privacy, IP Protection of Information and System (in Cyber-Physical Systems or CPS) need more research.
- Cybersecurity of IoT-based systems (e.g. Smart Healthcare device/data, Smart Agriculture, Smart Grid, UAV, Smart Cars) needs research.
- Sustainable Smart City and Smart Villages: need sustainable IoT/CPS.
- More research is needed for low-overhead PUF design and protocols that can be integrated in any IoT-enabled systems.



Electromagnetic Pulse (EMP) Attack



Source: http://bwcentral.org/2016/06/an-electromagnetic-pulse-emp-nuclear-attack-may-end-modern-life-in-america-overnight/

An electromagnetic pulse (EMP) is the electric wave produced by nuclear blasts which can knocking out electronics and the electrical grid as far as 1,000 miles away.
The disruption could cause catastrophic damage and loss of life if power is not restored or backed up quickly.

