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Tactical Survival Tips
Internet of Things (IoT) Systems



Connect **to** Protect

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#### IoT betters our lives countless ways...









Already 20 Billion Microcontrollers (MCU) annually 5 Billion Connected Today, 20 Billion by 2020







#### **Quick History of Actual Events**

Multi-Kiloton
Pipeline Explosion

Hundreds of Critical Infrastructure Sites

Cars: Digitally Stolen, Remotely Crashed

Steel Mill Blast Furnace Damaged

National Scale
Power Grid Crashed

Hospitals Breached via Medical Devices

#### What changed?





PC / Datacenter Era
Security - most easily
delivered by disk
or by download



IoT / Cloud Era
Security - must be
integrated by design
to be effective



Information Technology (IT)		Internet of Things (IoT)
All verticals have <u>same</u> Hardware/OS supply chain	Fragmentation	Each vertical has <u>different</u> Hardware/OS supply chain
<b>"3"</b> (Mostly UDP, TCP, IP)	Protocols	Thousands of Protocols (Hundreds in each vertical)
<b>"5"</b> (Mostly Windows, Linux, OSX, iOS, Android)	Operating Systems (OS)	<b>Dozens</b> (Heavily fragmented by vertical)
<b>"2"</b> X86 and x64 by Intel and AMD	Chipset Architectures	<b>Many</b> 8/16/32/64 bit, AVR, ARM, MIPS, Over 12 vendors

#### Internet of Things (IoT) Cornerstones of Security

#### **Manage Devices**



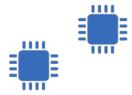
Cloud/Data Center **Understand Your System** 

Gateway





Devices & Sensors

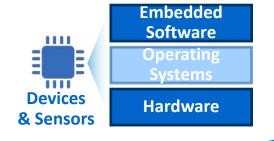


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**Protect the Communications** 

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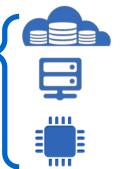


# Protect the Communications

**Required: Authentication** 

**Helpful: Encryption** 

Note: Signing "objects" can avoid decrypt/re-encrypt burden



What's needed?				
Crypto Libraries:	Several good open-source and commercial options			
Certificates:	Over a Billion IoT devices chain to a world class Certificate Authority (CA)			
Roots of Trust:	IoT "Roots of Trust" can help identify foreign devices			



## Can extremely constrained devices do meaningful security?



Early 80's grade chip

**Benchmark: ECC/ECDSA256** 



8 bit 8 Mhz 2 k SRAM



25 seconds



AA Battery: 20+ years

**Leading 10 year old chips** 



\$0.25 16 bit, 16 Mhz 30 k SRAM



3 seconds



AA Battery: 20+ years

**Current 32 bit chips** 



\$0.50 **32** bit, 84 Mhz

**30+ k SRAM** 



150 ms



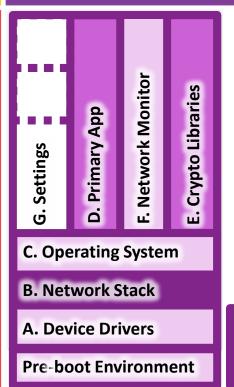
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## **Protecting Devices (Boot Time)**





- Never run unsigned code.
- Never trust unsigned configuration data.
- Never trust unsigned data. (Period.)
- Provide run-time protection for each device.

#### **Protect the Code that Drives IoT**



### **Protecting Devices (Run Time)**



**Traditional Approach: Malware Blocking** 

Signature based

Internet access required

Reactive

*Ineffective on zero-day* 

**Ensures self-protection** 

Customization or separate product

Large footprint

**Whitelisting Behaviors: Sandboxing** 

Behavior / policy based

No internet access required

**Proactive** 

Effective on zero day

Protects OS critical resources

Protects applications from each other

Small footprint



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#### **Safely & Effectively Managing IoT Devices**





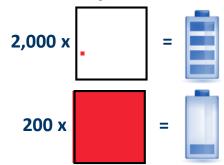
#### Why update devices?



Build in Over The Air (OTA) updates from the start



# **Granular Updates Save Battery & Bandwidth**



#### "Build it Right Once"

(Use it for Both General & Security Management)



General & Security Telemetry
Functionality & Security Updates
Configuration Changes
Diagnostics & Remediation
Network Access Control (NAC)
Credentials/Permissions, Policies



# Understand Your System To Detect Strategic Threats



- No matter how well you do everything else, some threats will still get past even the best defenses.
- Detecting such threats requires strong understanding of what your network "should" be doing.
- Machine learning (ML) distills models of "normal" that can run in compact Single Board Computers (SBC).
- Some ML can "learn" in resource constrained gateways and small SBC to detect anomalies specific to specific networks.
- Such IoT Security Analytics are crucial in finding advanced threats.



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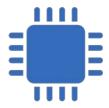
**Embedded Analytics** 

**Policies** 

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#### Agenda

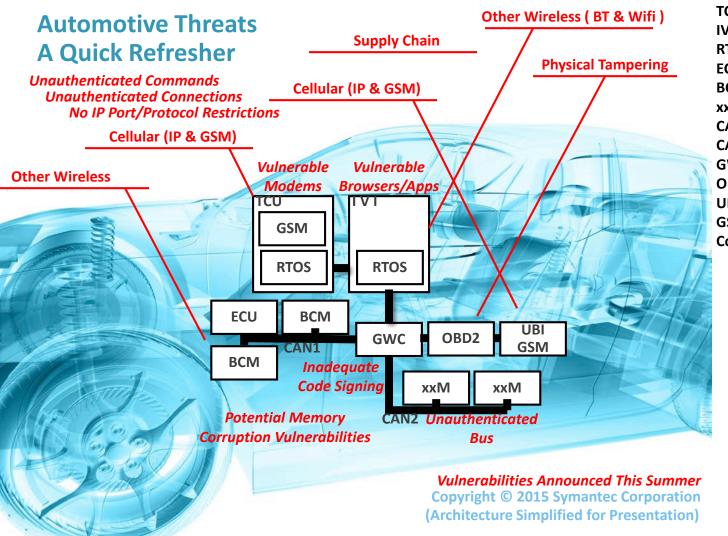


■ Define a Simpler Framework for Building Security Into IoT Things

Practical Example (2 slides)

Tips & Tricks for Companies Leveraging (not Building) IoT Things





**TCU: Telecommunications Unit** 

IVI: In Vehicle Infotainment

RTOS: Real Time OS

ECU: Engine Control Unit BCM: Body Control Module

xxM: Other Modules

CAN: Controller Area Network CAN1/2: Hi, Med, Lo Speed CAN

GWC: "gateway chip"

**OBD2: On Board Diagnostics port** 

UBI: Usage Based Insurance GSM: Global System for Mobile Comm's, aka "a modem"

#### **Business Constraints:**

- -- Consumers won't pay for security they "assume"
- -- OEM & Tier 1 Suppliers: extremely thin margins
- -- Security \$ must be < "few %" of any car/module

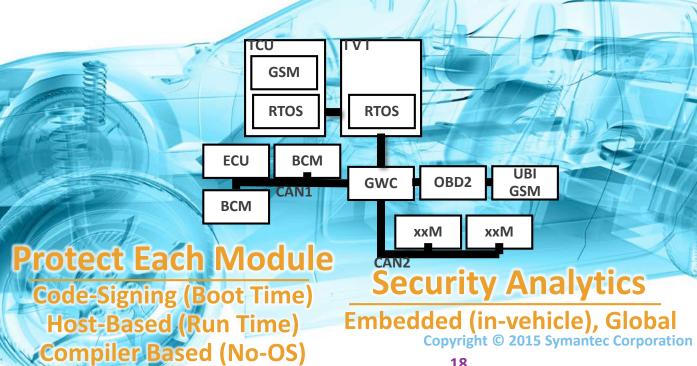
CAMP VSC3, HIS SHE, EVITA HSM

**Authenticate Comm's** 

**Cornerstones of Security Automotive Vehicles** 

OMA DM, SCOMO

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**CAMP: Crash Avoidance Metrics Program** 

**VSC3: Vehicle Safety Comm's HIS: Hersteller Initiative Software SHE: Secure Hardware Extensions** 

**EVITA: E-safety Vehicle Intrusion Protected Applications** 

Comm's, aka "a modem"

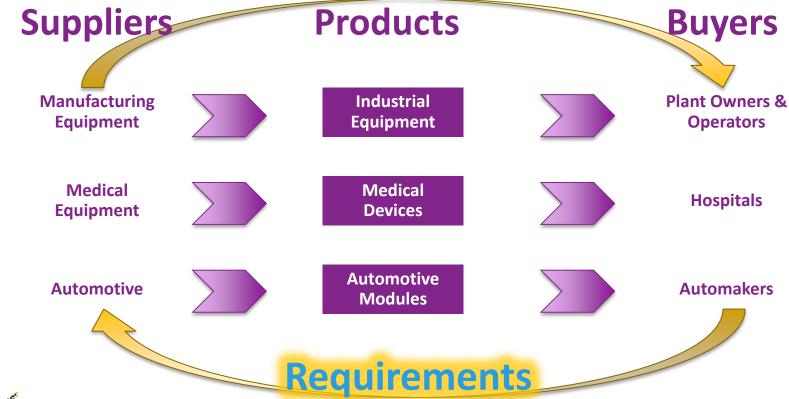
**HSM: Hardware Security Module** 

**OMA DM: Open Mobile Alliance** (OMA) Device Management (DM) **SCOMO: Software Component Management Object** 

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#### **Tips & Tricks LEVERAGING IoT Devices**







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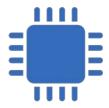
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## **IoT Security "Recipe"**



- Protect your devices: [ (high assurance boot) + (runtime protection) ]
- Protect communications: design in strong authentication mechanisms
- Manage your devices: build in update mechanisms for granular updates
- Understand your system: leverage analytics to catch strategic threats

**Strong Foundations Cover All Four IoT Security Cornerstones!** 



# **Apply What You Have Learned Today**



#### Owners/Buyers of IoT Things:

- Next week: meet with your Procurement team to begin adding Security Requirements to all RFP for equipment and/or component suppliers
- Next quarter: start educating other stakeholders on what it means to "build security into these things."
- Next year: refuse to buy equipment without adequate security
- Makers / Builders / Venders of IoT Things:
  - Ensure you adequately cover all four "cornerstones" of security for your Things!







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