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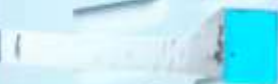
EV Charging Stations Security

- Free Of Charge

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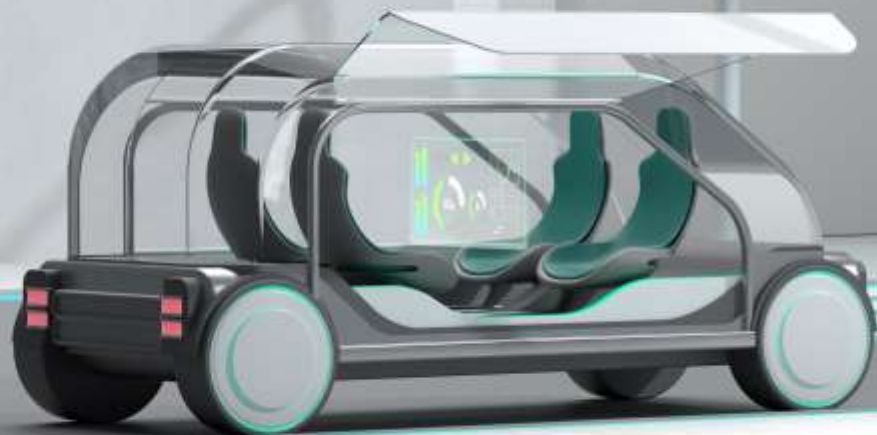
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Electric mobility

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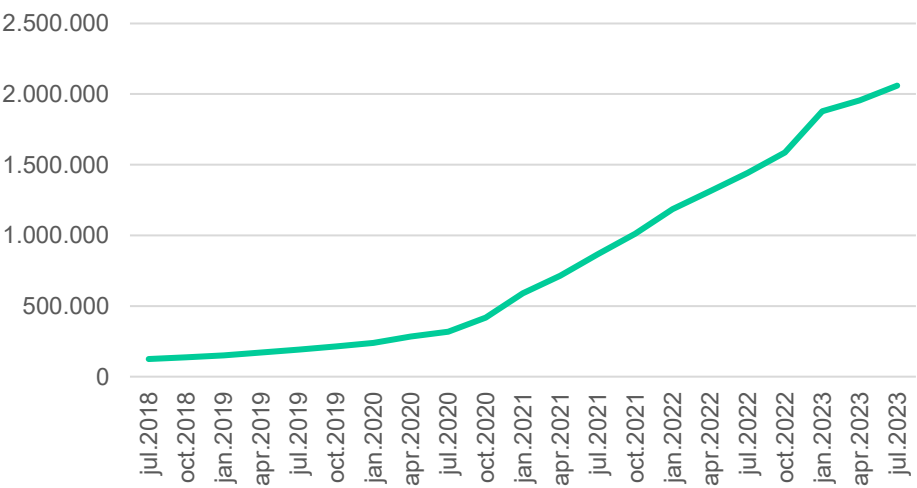
EV charging industry challenges

Electromobility

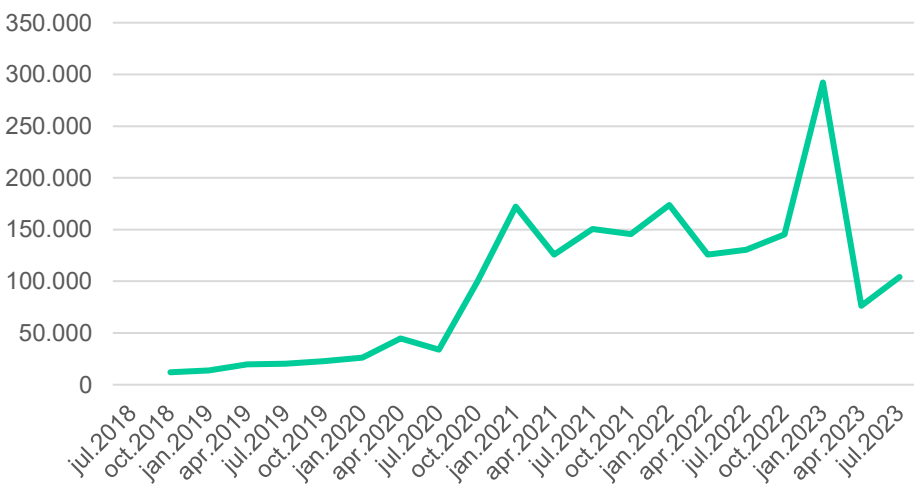
- Exponential Market Growth
- Fast Evolving Market
- Ensuring EV Drivers' Satisfaction and Loyalty

challenge #1 EV acceptance

#new EV total



#new per quarter



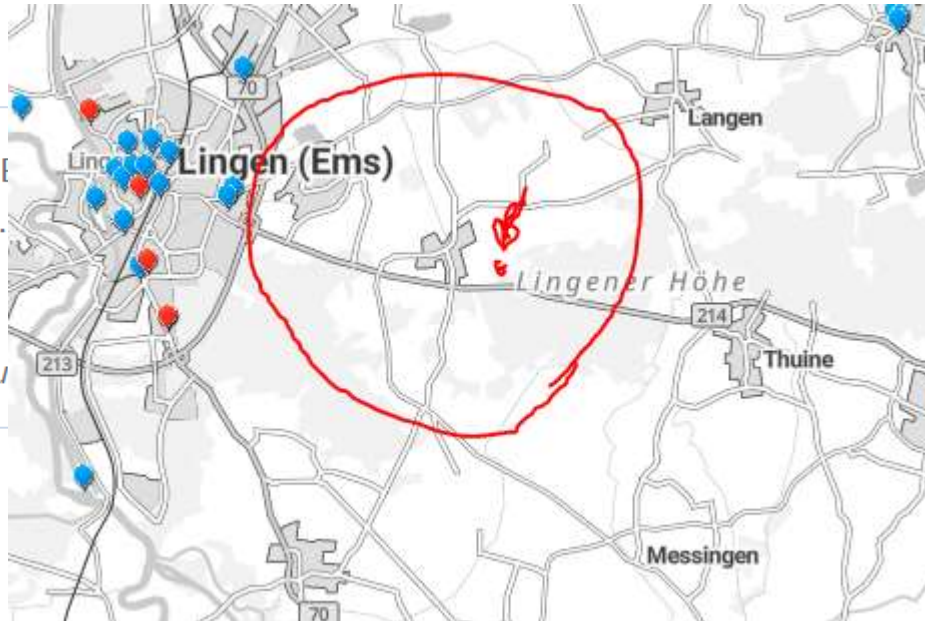
challenge #1 charging infrastrucutur

“charging must be as easy as refueling”

Zahlen und Daten

Das Ladesäulenregister der Bundesnetzagentur
März 2023 in Betrieb waren.
werden.

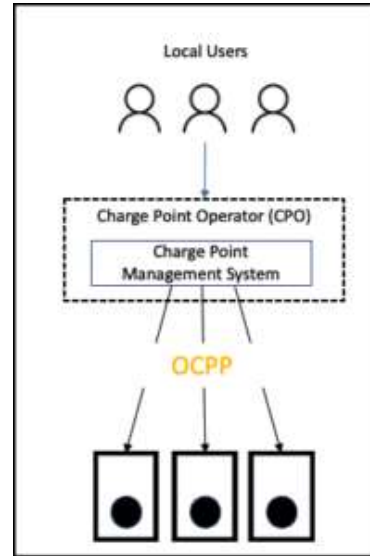
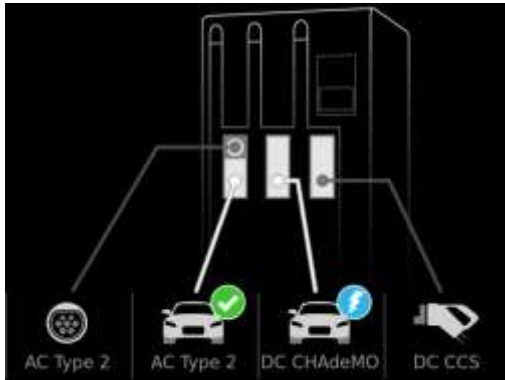
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stung bereitgestellt

OCPP System architecture

- communications path between charger and Charging Station Management Systems (CSMS)
- CSMS often cloud based platform.
- communication between the charger and the CSMS is done with Web Sockets (WS), a bi-directional HTTP-like protocol.
- Secure Web Socket (WSS) are available



Open Charge Point Protocol - OCPP

One Charging station (CS) can have multiple charging points (CP)

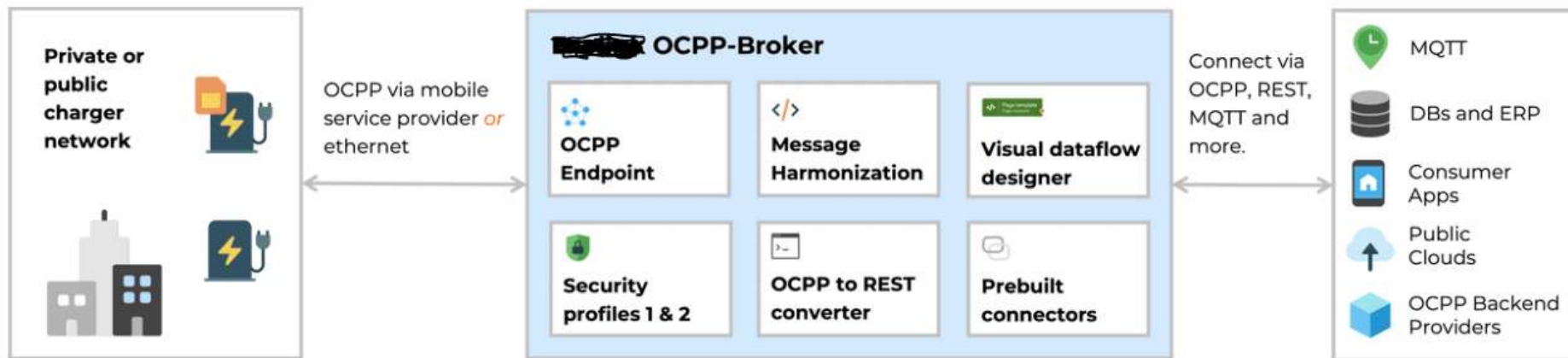
AC or DC

Minimum requirement of the German LSV (Ladesäulenverordnung) for Ad-hoc charging requires at least one of these methods (vgl. § 4 LSV)

1. Free usage or cash payment
2. Card payment or creditcard payment

- before 1. Juli 2023: with cardpayment or web based paymentsystem
- after 1. Juli 2023: via Credit- or Debit card

Open Charge Point Protocol - OCPP



Open Charge Point Protocol - OCPP

OCPP 1.6

OCPP 1.5

SOAP and JSON

Smart Charging support for load balancing and use of charge profiles

(Local) list management support

Additional status

Message sending requests such as CP time or status at the CP

OSCP 2.0

Communicate prediction of local available capacity for production and generation

Fitting production and generation of flexibility resources to grid capacity
Acts between Flexibility Providers and Capacity Providers

Applicable for site owners, utilities and more

OCPP 2.0.1

OCPP 1.6 plus added functionalities

Device Management

Improved Transaction handling

Added Security

Added Smart Charging functionalities

Support for ISO15118

Display and messaging support

additional improvements requested by the EV charging community

Open Charge Point Protocol - OCPP

Problem:

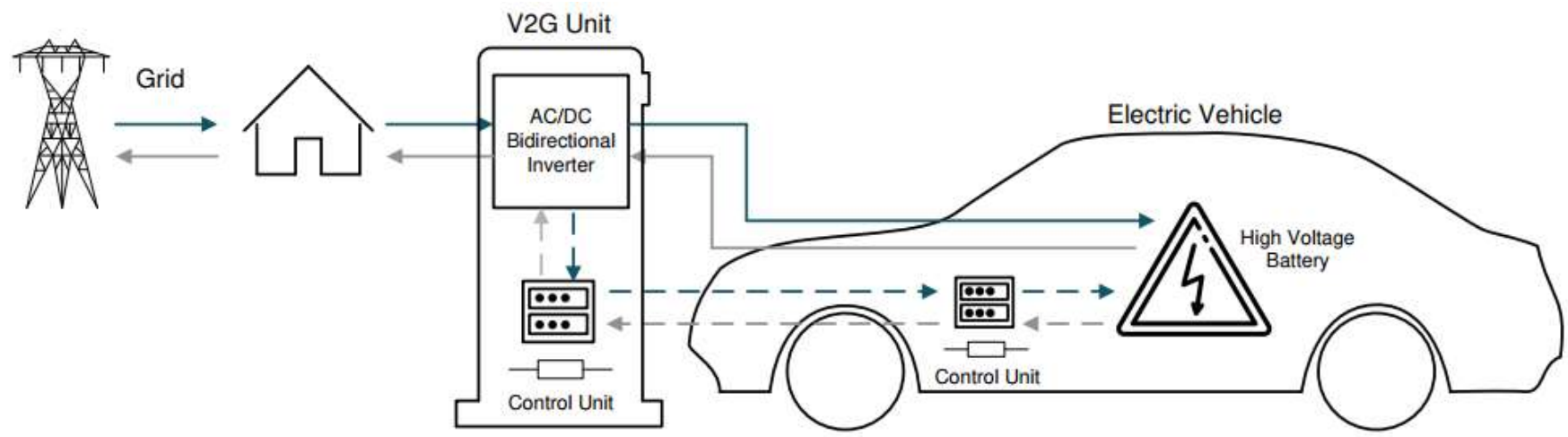
communication between CP and backend mostly unencrypted

Version 2.0.1 (march 2020) includes first Security Implementations

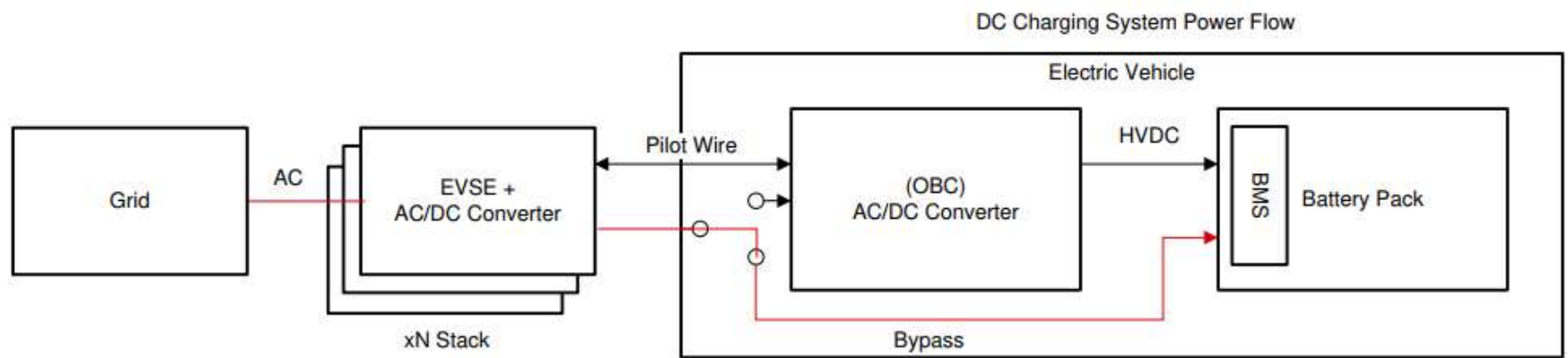
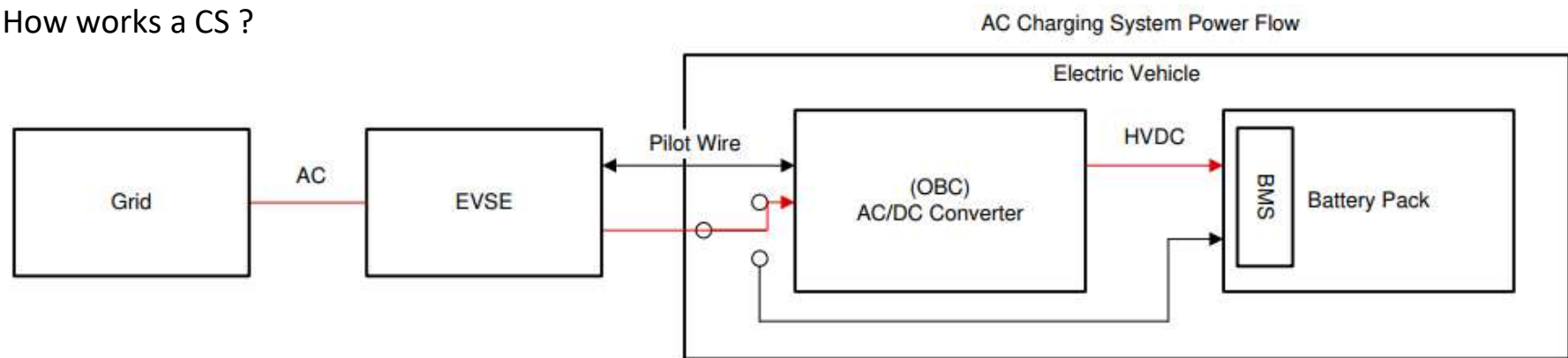
Minimum requirement still Version 1.6

Once in place, no need to upgrade to secure protocol

How works a CS ?

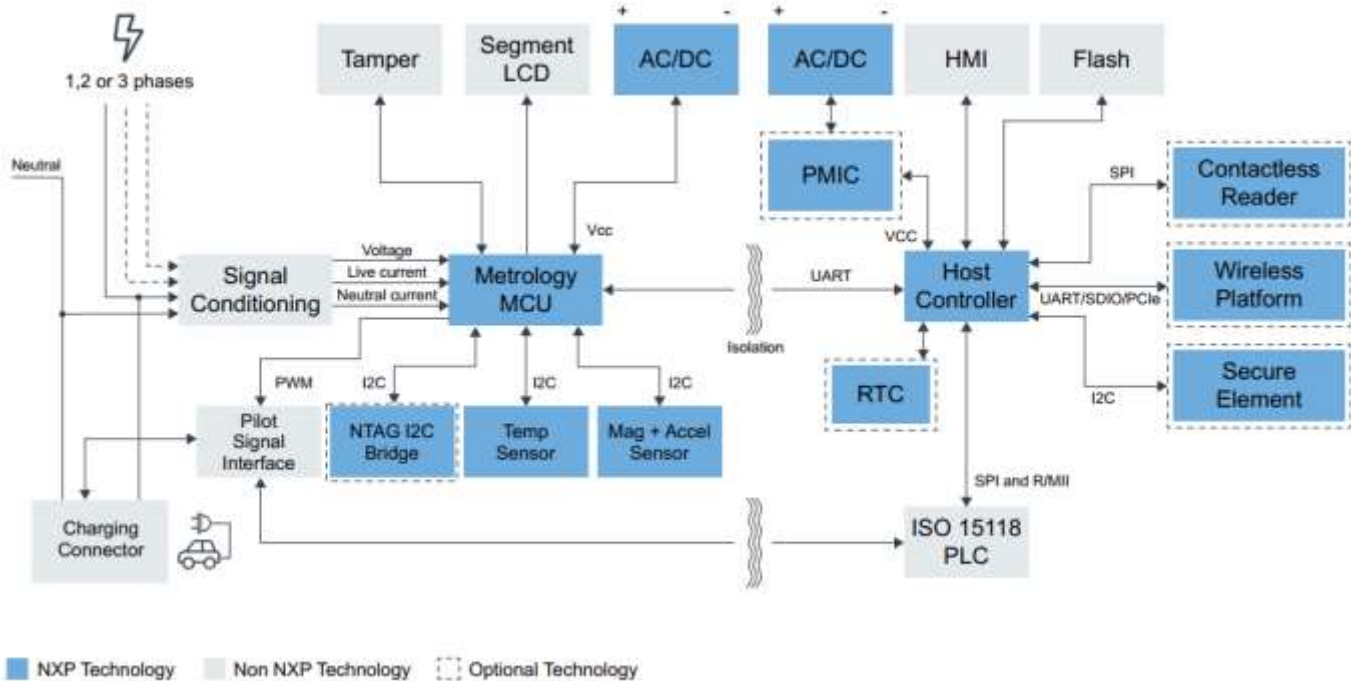


How works a CS ?



AC Residential Charging Station (Level 1,2 or 3) Block Diagram

How works a CS



Recommended Products for AC Residential Charging Station (Level 1,2 or 3)

Wrong scope?


Charging Point:

1. Housing defined as „secure,,
2. No hardened IIoT because of #1
3. No Charging card security (only UID of mifare cards used)
4. #3 still cloneable and public known since 2017
5. No encryption
6. Searchable on Shodan.IO
7. And many more

Shodan

20.160.126.152

Microsoft Corporation

 Netherlands, Amsterdam

cloud

// 9092 / TCP

Kafka

Kafka Broker

user-service.v1.mfa-requested

user-service.v1.account-created

__consumer_offsets

portal-partner-service.v1.charger-registered

user-service.v1.registration-code-requested

user-service.v1.email-verification-requested

charger-service.v1.connector-session-started

location-service.v1.device-created

ocpp-service.v1.transaction-data

portal-partner-service.v1.order-closed

test

user-service.v1.reset-password-token-requested

ned

id

assigned

Hosts:

20.160.126.152:9092

Physical Security fail



Physical Security fail #2



Bypass of Wire Wraps

How to bypass the se

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Shimming wi
other techn

Classic Coke shimming method

Requires:

Razorblade

Coke



A Swiss Charging Station



KNIPEX TwinKey® Schaltschrankschlüssel, für gängige Schließsysteme, 10 Profile, 2 Kreuze, 1 Schlüssel, Vierkantschlüssel, Dreikantschlüssel, 00 11 01

[Besuche den Knipex-Store](#)

4,7 ★★★★★

5.092 Sternebewertungen

Amazons Tipp für "knipex twinkey"

300+ Mal im letzten Monat gekauft

-27 % 24⁵¹ €

UVP: 33,74 € ⓘ

✓ **prime** 1-Tages-Lieferung

KOSTENFREIE Retouren

Preisangaben inkl. USt. Abhängig von der Lieferadresse kann die USt. an der Kasse variieren. [Weitere Informationen.](#)

Spare bis zu 5% mit Preisen für Unternehmenskunden. [Registriere dich für ein kostenloses Amazon Business-Konto](#)

Möglicherweise zu einem niedrigeren Preis bei [anderen Verkäufern](#) erhältlich, die unter Umständen keinen kostenlosen Prime-Versand anbieten.



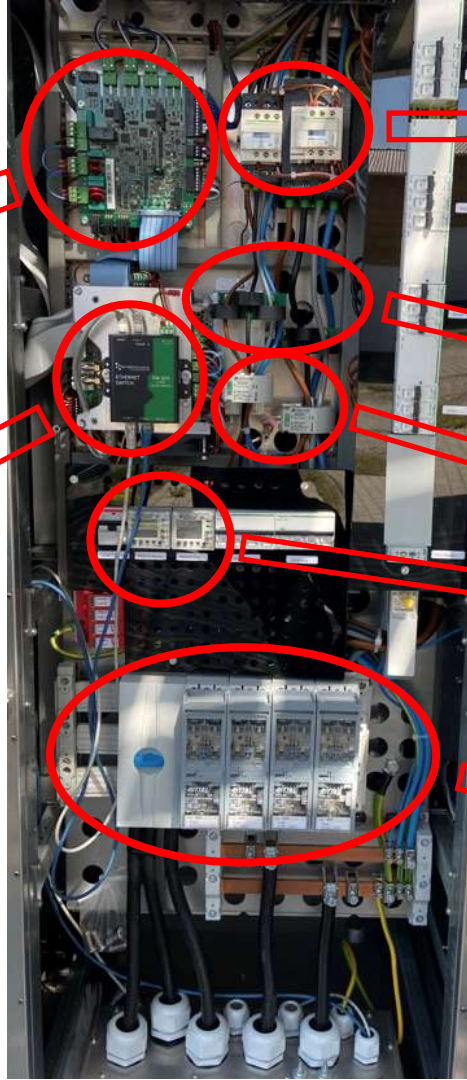
Whats inside?



Control electronic



Embedded System & Network



Relays for power connector



Smart Meter



RCD/RCM



Circuit protection (fuses)

(un)secure charging cards

Charging Cards

- Mifare classic
- Only UID used
- Easy to clone
- Public known since 2017
- Nothing changed



Cloning the Charging Card

2021-04-20;07:13:06;5115
2021-04-20;07:13:06;5115
2021-04-20;07:13:20;5116
2021-04-20;07:13:20;5116
2021-04-20;07:13:22;5116
2021-04-20;08:40:23;5638
2021-04-20;08:40:23;5638
2021-04-20;08:40:23;5638
2021-04-20;08:40:28;5639
2021-04-20;08:41:10;5643
2021-04-20;08:41:10;5643
2021-04-20;08:41:10;5643
2021-04-20;08:41:10;5643



2 / 4A [redacted] 180 - idTag accepted, Transaction State: running

ectional

EVEL
16.79kWh

ean: 11.6kW, PuTemperature Max: 53.9C, Start: 11.5C

sedChargeTime': 5283.703747034073, 'energy': 16787.0, 'idTag': 131

Cloning the Charging Card



Vulnerabilities **KLCERT-21-227**

EVTEC espresso&ch

Denial of Service

denial of Service po

- **nmap aggressiv**
- **electronic with**
- **Network paket**

CVSS:3.1 Base score: 7.3 (hi

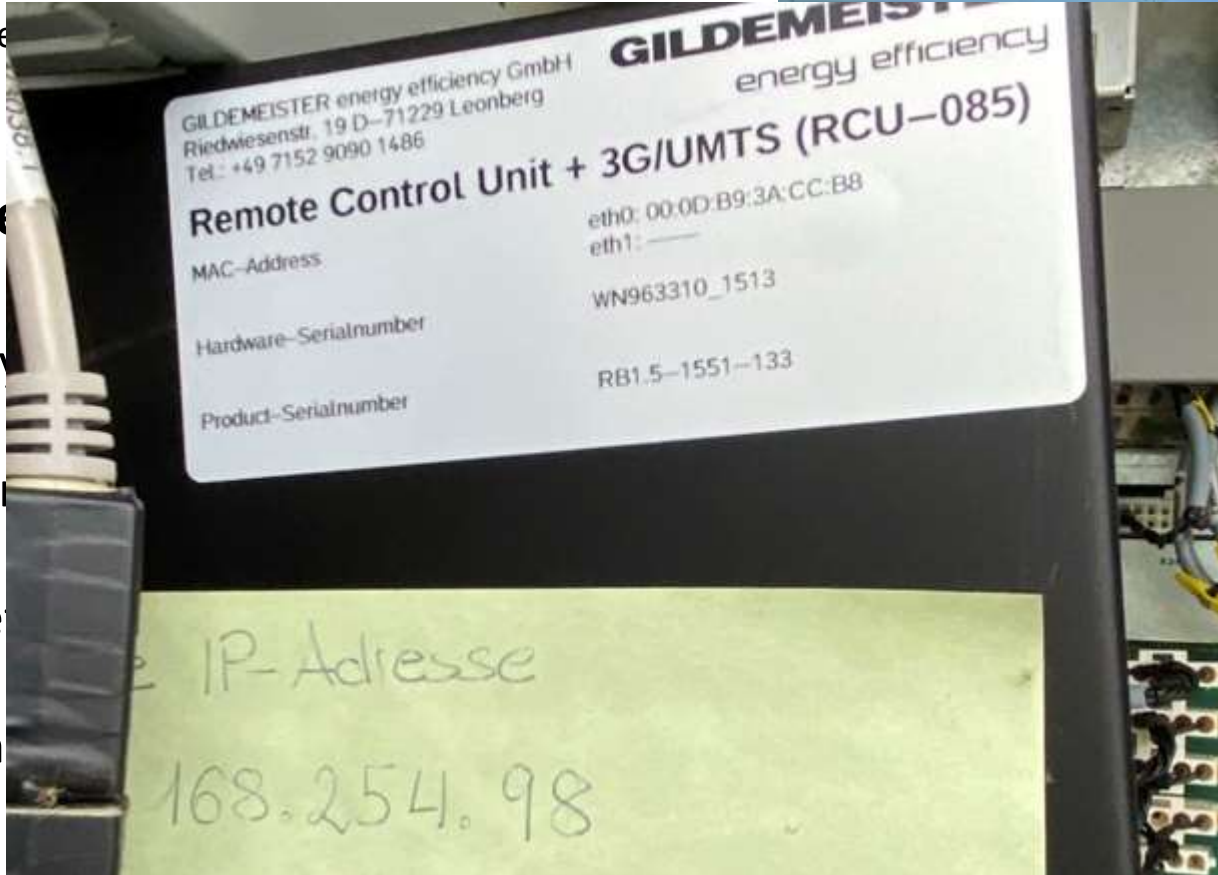
CVSS:3.1/AV:A/AC:L/PR:N/I



Public accessible

Batterie

- Physikalische
- Remote
- Netzwerk
- Un



Vulnerabilities **KLCERT-21-228**

EVTEC espresso&charge 4 in 1 EV charging Station

No authentication required to access log files, (log files accessible for public)

log files accessible for public

<http://ip.address.of.charginstation:8888/cgi-bin/public/list-logs>

log files contains juicy information's accessible for everyone

List of public readable log files:

ACEnergyMeterPlug2.log (105 KB)

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CVSS:3.1 Base score: 6.5 (medium)

CVSS:3.1/AV:A/AC:L/PR:N/UI:N/S:U/C:H/I:N/A:N

Wrong security decision

Public

[List Logs for separate Download](#)

[Download all Logs](#)

Private

[Download Config File](#)

[File Upload](#)

[Restore Backup Config File](#)



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Router IP: 10.200.4.24

Router State: AT+CSQ

ICCID: 89883030000045170922

IMSI: 295050900258676

Device: 18140424 10858.0A

ECP Version: 3.3rc3

Image Version: 2018-02-09

Device ID: 8C1CC61697

Running Time: 26:18:11

GPS: [48.55613 / 12.1964916667](#)

Config

RFID Whitelist

Debug

DCMS

EVTEC espresso&charge 4 in 1 EV charging Station

```
1 [{"list": [  
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21  "version": 304}]
```

Vulnerabilities KLCERT-21-230

**EVTEC espresso&charge 4 in 1 EV charging Station
Payment cards (RFID card) are clone able**

KLCERT-21-229 shows several ways to get an valid UID of an RFID payment card for the EV charging station.

Mifare Classic 1k RFID cards are used for the authentication and payment at the charging station.

Forensic Artefacts

Many usefully artefacts can be found during an analyze of charging point

- **UID of used payment card is logged**
- **pevID of the Car and Car Model**

```
2019-07-31;10:14:14;76010.510;Plug0: AuthPlug Plug0, scanned RFID 4xxxxxxx252 / [REDACTED] 814 -> Transaction State: running
2019-07-31;10:14:25;76020.465;Plug0: PLC Protocol urn:din:70121:2012:MsgDef
2019-07-31;10:14:26;76021.734;Plug0: SOC Start 70%
2019-07-31;10:14:26;76021.734;Plug0: BMW i3 (18.8 kWh), pevID: 26xxxxxxxxxxx296
2019-07-31;10:14:26;76022.079;Plug0: Enter charge mode
2019-07-31;10:14:31;76027.381;End Transaction {'displayName': 'DC CCS', 'elapsedChargeTime': 16.874226093292236, 'ener
2019-07-31;10:14:40;76036.082;Plug0: < Plugged out (State: error)
2019-07-31;10:14:52;76048.087;Plug5: > Plugged in (State: ready)
2019-07-31;10:15:01;76056.689;RFID scanned: 4xxxxxxx252
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Thank you !



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