

# CC-API CCC Proposal TechTalk

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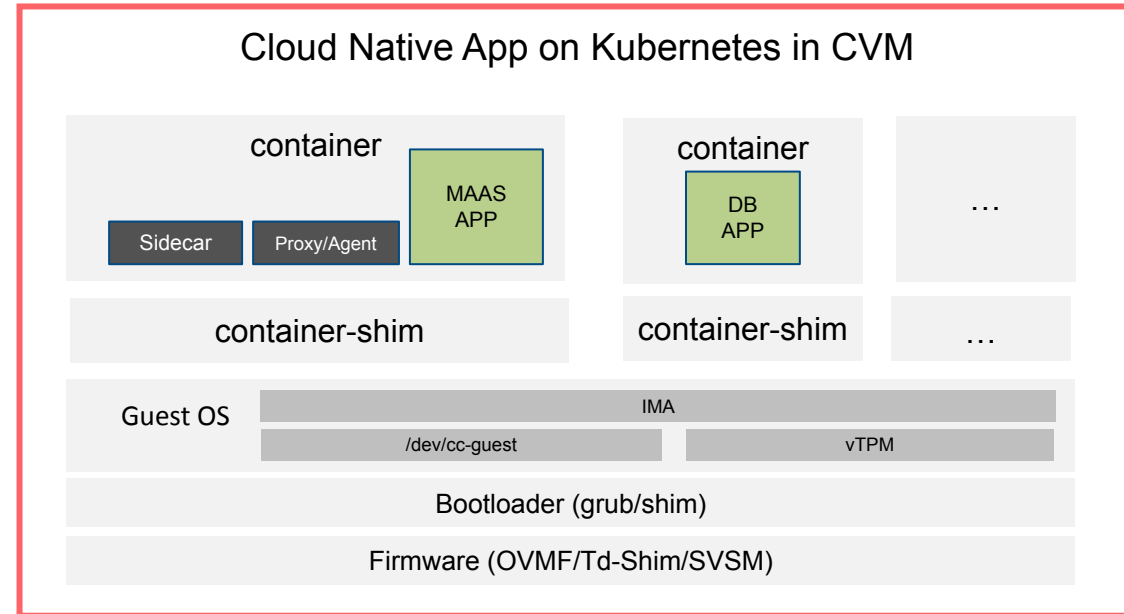
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# Motivation - Use Scenarios of TEE and Requirements

Confidential **Database** Service and Confidential **Model-as-a-Service** deployments commonly encompass multiple containers distributed across several virtual machines (VMs).



Microservice-like app on a confidential cluster

This deployment model necessitate attestation for userspace code:

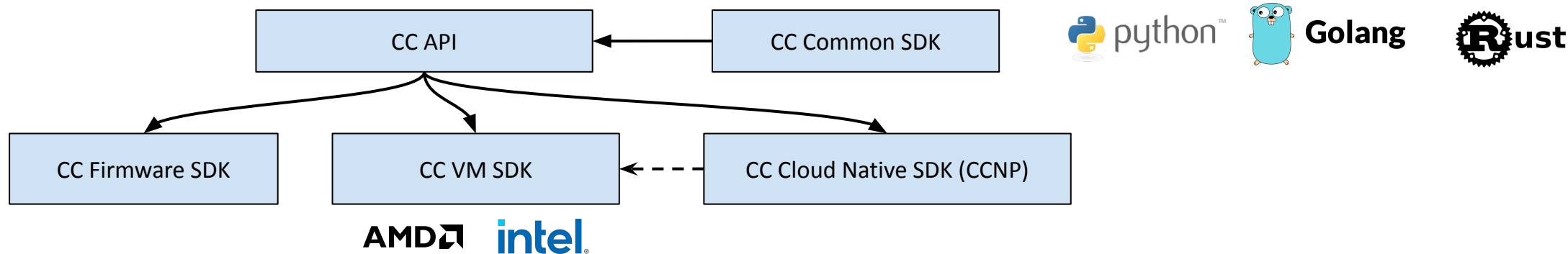
- **container launch time** integrity measurement and attestation
- **application initialization time** integrity measurement and attestation

# Motivation - Pain Points of the Deployments

- Different hardware vendors exhibit disparities when exposing hardware interfaces to attestors
  - Current Infrastructure as a Service (IaaS) typically does not completely shield these hardware differences. This might result in different approaches to application attestation on various hardware platforms.
  - For instance, Intel TDX supports attestation for applications through **RTMR**. Additionally, Intel provides an IMA backend to RTMR, which is supported by two non-upstream versions of patches. On the other hand, AMD SEV-SNP supports application attestation through **vTPM** and other means.
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- Support for application attestation from different hardware vendors requires manual intervention by users.
  - Users need to **manually analyze application dependencies**, create attestation policies, and integrate them into the authentication process using specific interfaces (Intel uses the IMA interface, while AMD uses the vTPM interface).
  - Furthermore, the interface solutions provided by Intel and AMD differ. Intel TDX supports application attestation through the **IMA interface**, whereas AMD SEV-SNP supports it through the **HMAC\_Update** interface, ARM supports this through RSI interfaces.

# Goal

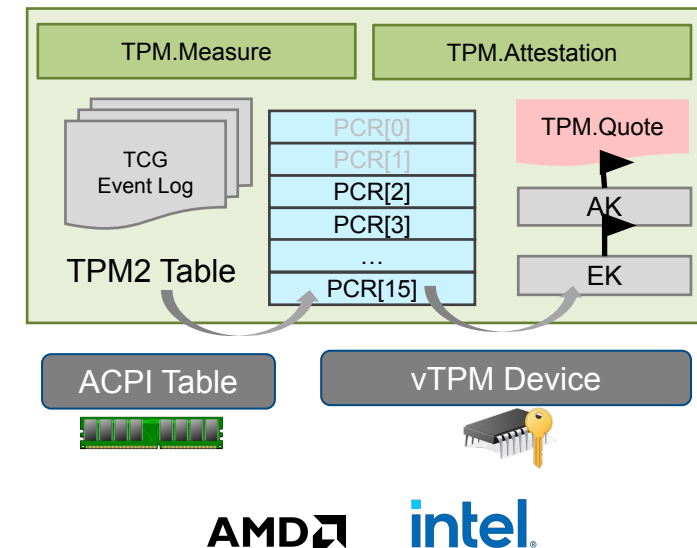
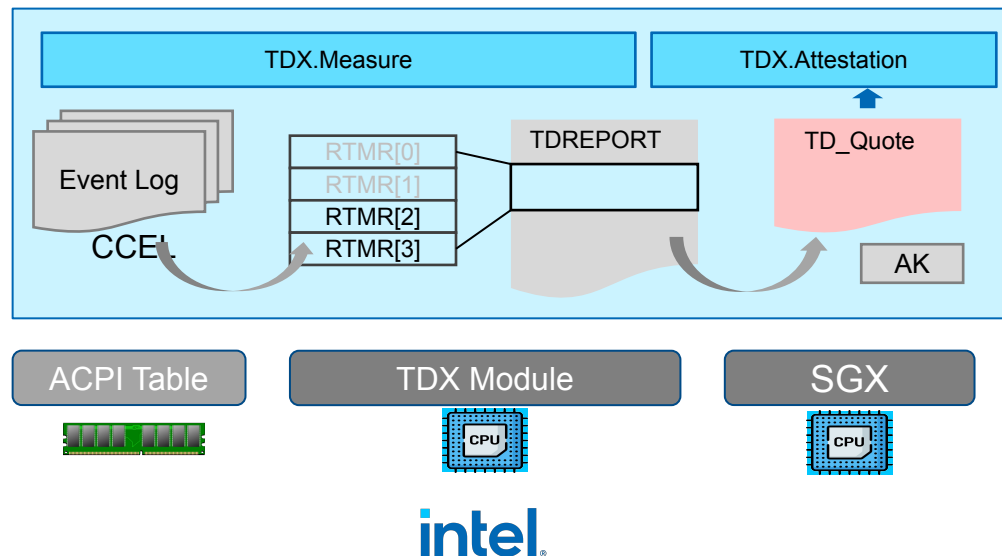
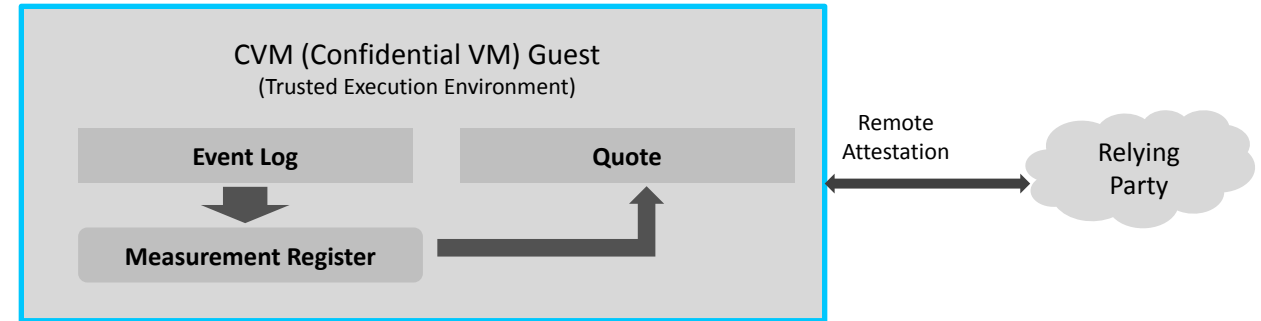
- Provide **vendor agnostic** and **Trusted Computing Group (TCG) compliant** APIs, which provides an abstraction layer above the various confidential primitives (i.e., measurement, event log, quote) for zero-trust design, supporting
  - *multiple deploy environments* (firmware/VM/cloud native cluster)
  - *multiple programming languages* within CVM (confidential virtual machine) guest.



# Problem Statement (1) – Diverging Confidential Primitive

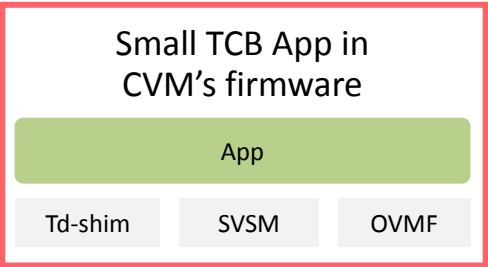
To achieve zero-trust design, remote attestation process requires signed evidence (quote) reporting the integrity measurement, and event log originated from a RTM.

*However, different vendors provide different API primitives.*



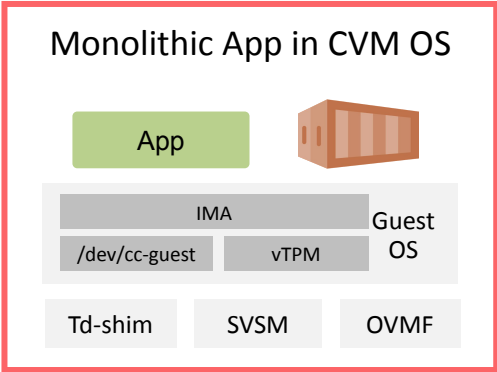
# Problem Statement (2) – Complex Deploy Environment

FW level



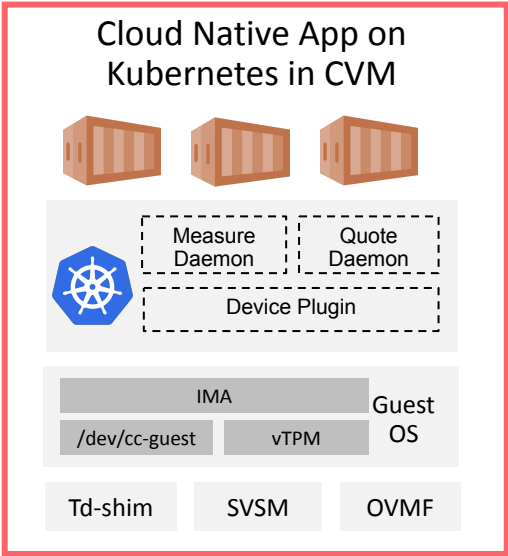
Small TCB application  
e.g, Mig-TD, vTPM-TD

VM level



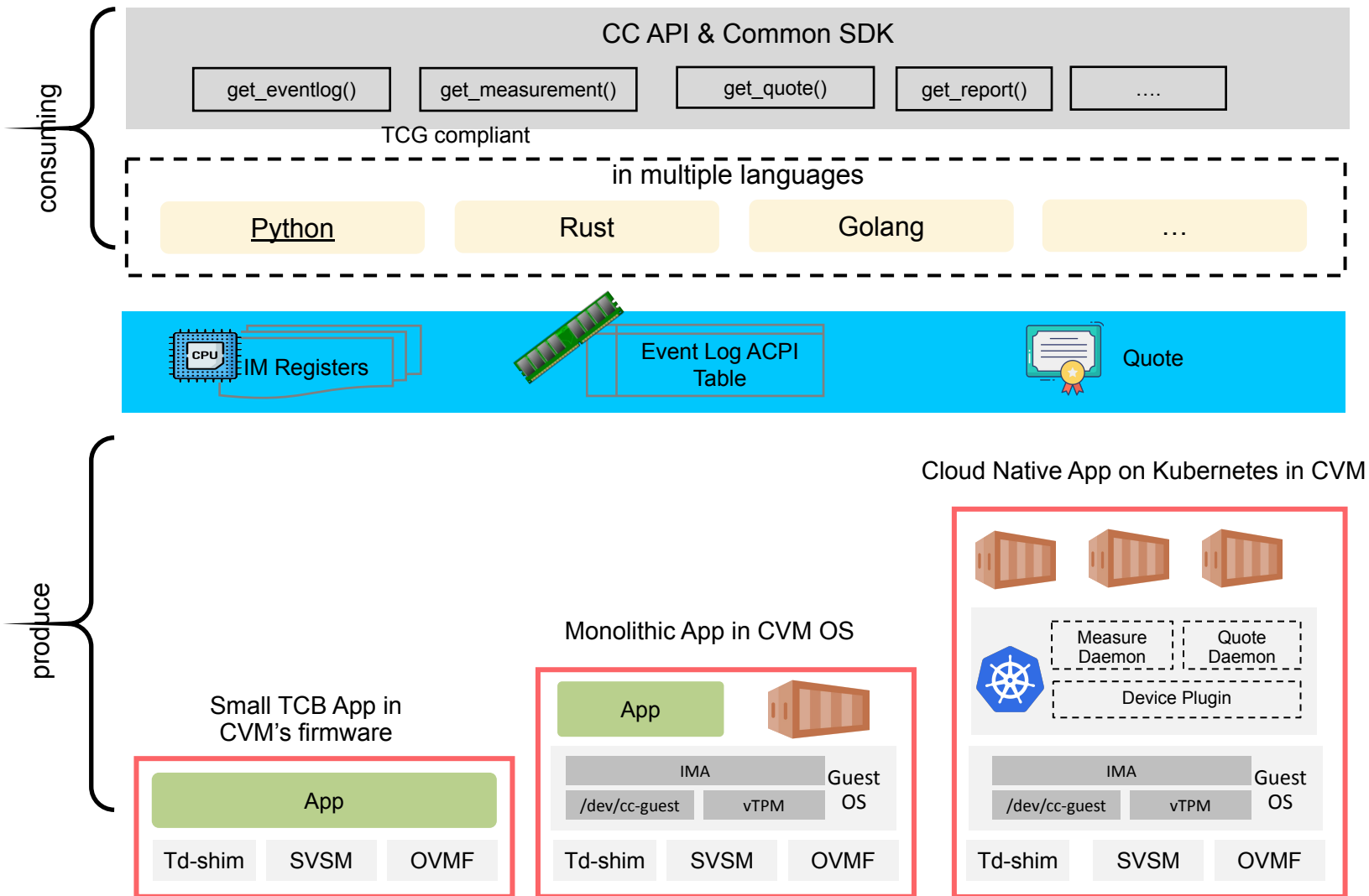
Traditional VM based cloud  
application using IMA

Cloud Native Cluster Level



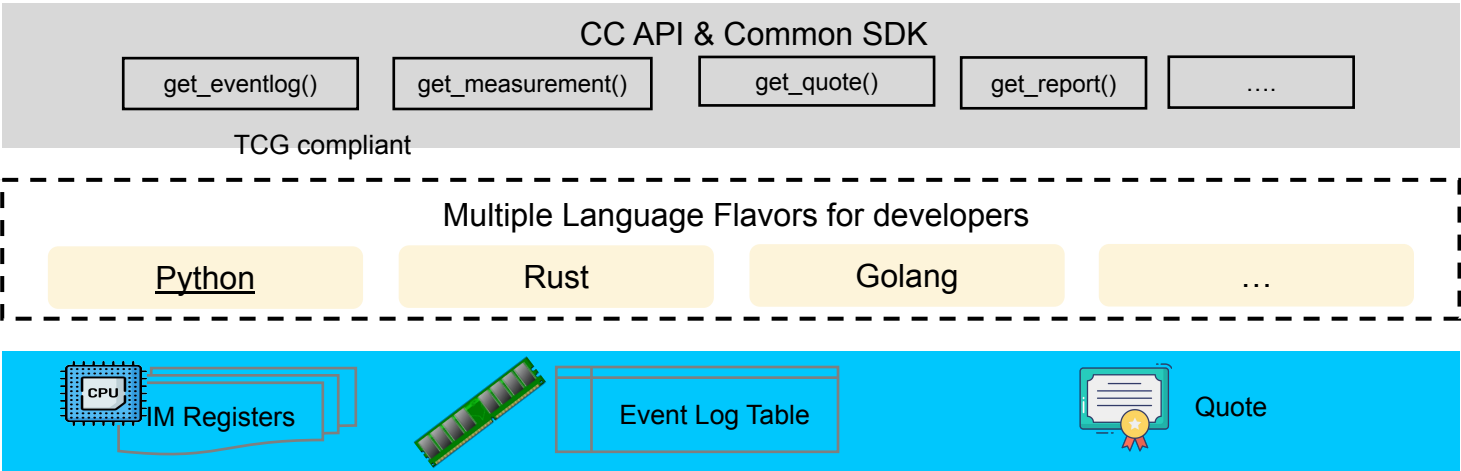
Microservice-like app on a  
confidential cluster

# Unified CC API & SDK For applications



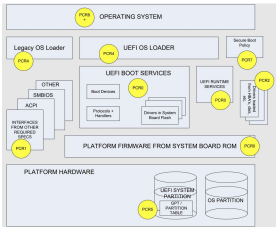
- Supporting different HW vendor in multiple programming languages
- Supporting different deployment with different TCBs (firmware/VM/cloud native cluster) via different approaches (TDVMCALL/device node/daemonset)

# Unified CC API & SDK For applications - cont.



TCG Specification compliant data structure:

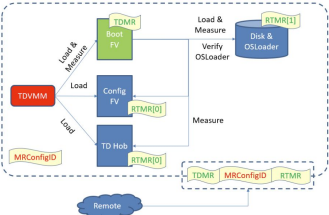
- IMR(Integrity Measurement Register): PCR for vTPM, RTMR for TDX
- Event Log ACPI table: TPM2 table for vTPM, CCEL for TDX



PCR: TCG PC PFP spec

		size	
Log Area Minimum Length (LAML)	4	64	Optional. Identifies the minimum length (in bytes) of the system's pre-boot TCG event log area. <b>Note:</b> The "PC Client conventional BIOS" specification defines a minimum log size of 64KB.
Log Area Start Address (LASA)	8	68	Optional. Contains the 64-bit physical address of the start of the system's pre-boot TCG event log area, in QWORD format. <b>Note:</b> The log area ranges from address LASA to LASA+(LAML-1). <b>Note:</b> The format of the TCG event log area is defined in the "PC Client PFP" specification, Section 9. The crypto agile log format as defined by the "PC Client PFP" specification should be used.

TPM2 table: TCG TPM2 ACPI Table spec



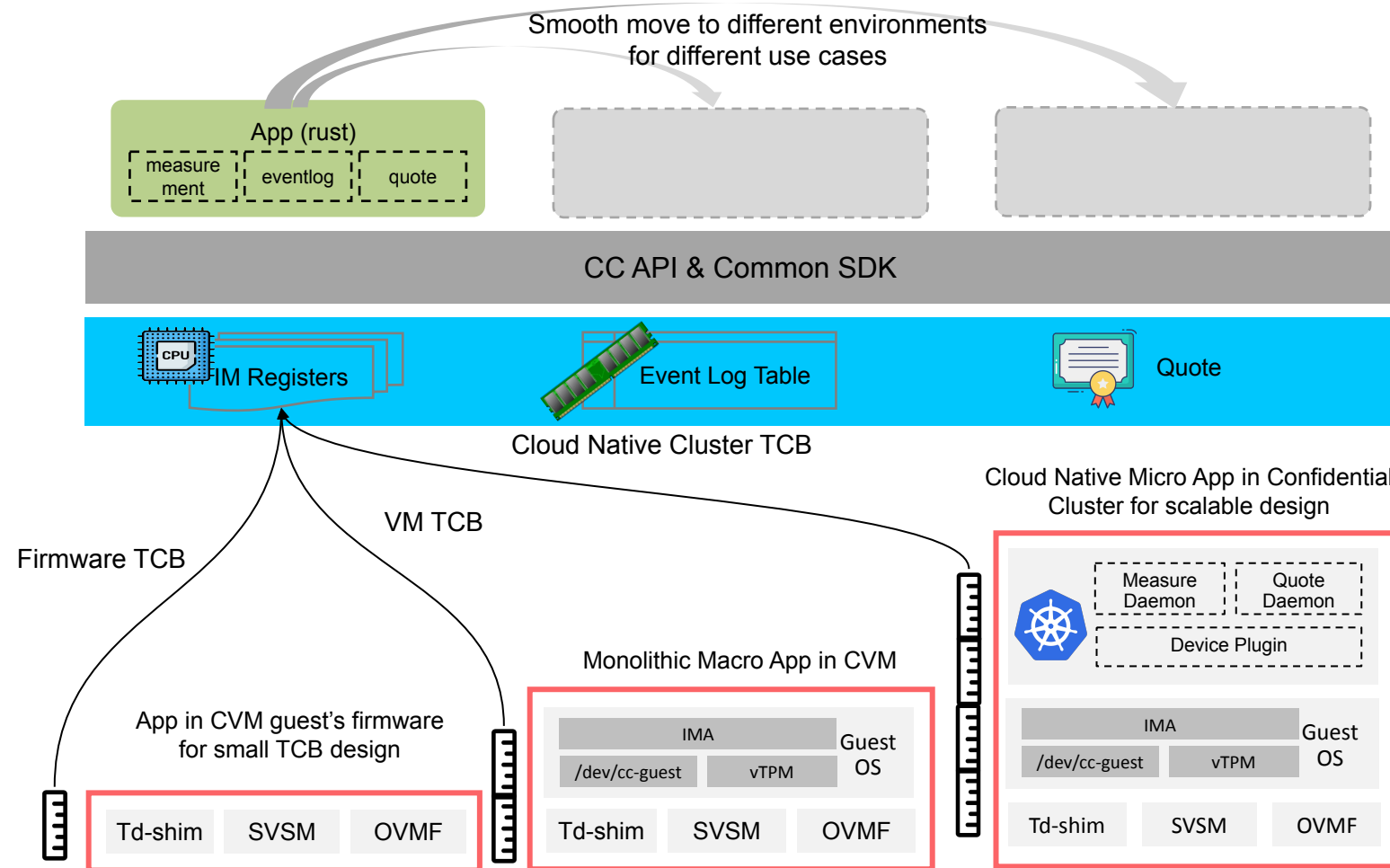
RTMR: TDVF spec

pcrIndex	UINT32
eventType	UINT32
digests	TPM_DIGEST
event	BYTE[]

Event log: TCG PC PFP spec



# Unified CC API & SDK For applications - cont.



- Back-end SDK helps to produce the diverse launch time and runtime measurement for different TCBs.
- Simplify the deployment effort cross complex environments

# Backup

# TDX Event Log Structure ~= TCG

```
///
/// Event Log Entry Structure Definition
///
✓ typedef struct tdTCG_PCR_EVENT {
    TCG_PCRINDEX    PCRIndex;          ///< PCRIndex event extended to
    TCG_EVENTTYPE    EventType;         ///< TCG EFI event type
    TCG_DIGEST       Digest;           ///< Value extended into PCRIndex
    UINT32           EventSize;        ///< Size of the event data
    UINT8            Event[1];         ///< The event data
} TCG_PCR_EVENT;

#define TSS_EVENT_DATA_MAX_SIZE 256

///
/// TCG_PCR_EVENT_HDR
///
✓ typedef struct tdTCG_PCR_EVENT_HDR {
    TCG_PCRINDEX    PCRIndex;
    TCG_EVENTTYPE    EventType;
    TCG_DIGEST       Digest;
    UINT32           EventSize;
} TCG_PCR_EVENT_HDR;
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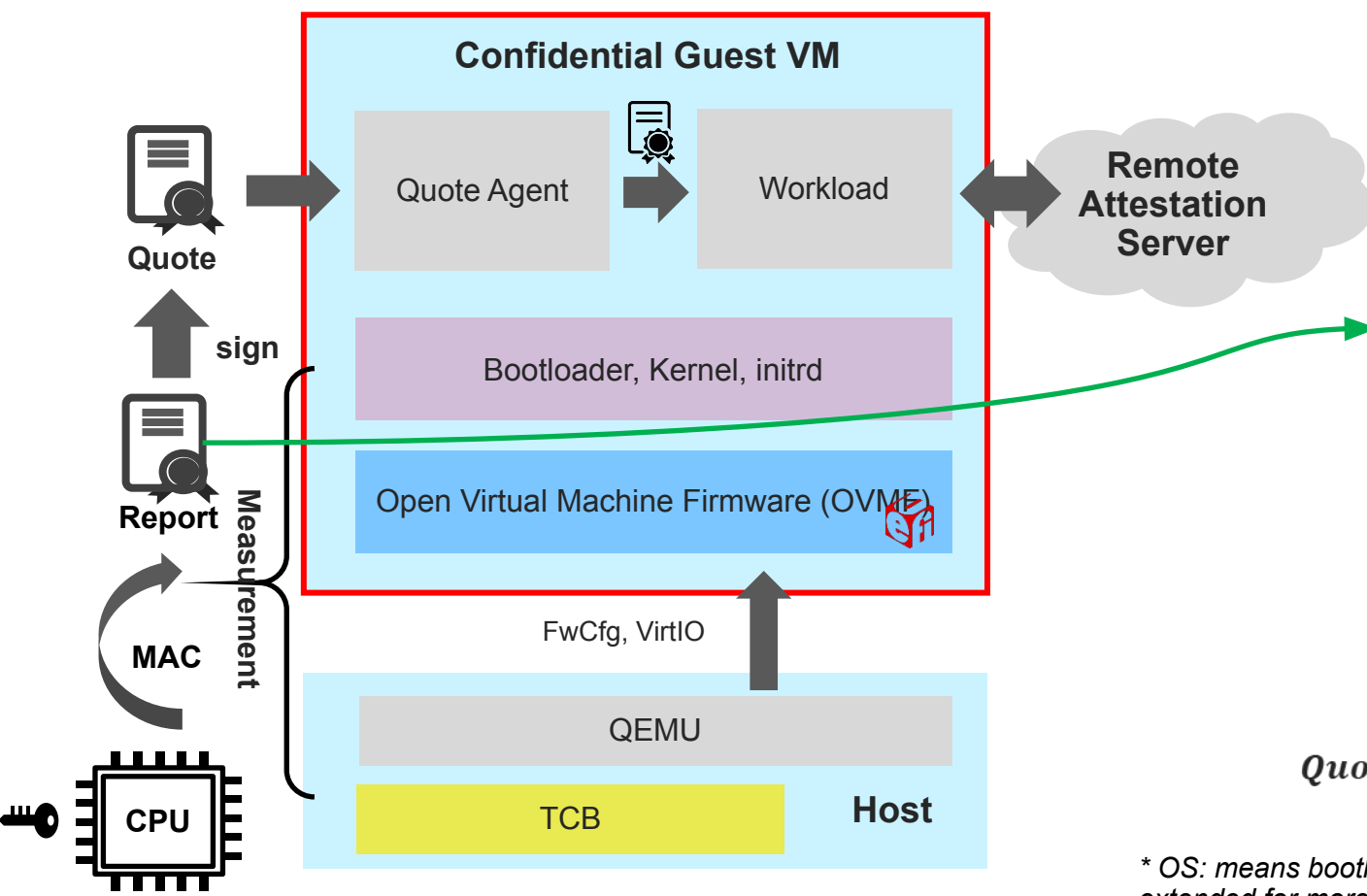
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==== TDX Event Log Entry - 14 [0x7CBA771F] ====
RTMR           : 1
Type           : 0x80000007 (EV_EFI_ACTION)
Length         : 106
Algorithms ID  : 12 (TPM_ALG_SHA384)
Digest[0] :
00000000 77 A0 DA B2 31 2B 4E 1E 57 A8 4D 86 5A 21 E5 B2 w...1+N.W.M.Z!...
00000010 EE 8D 67 7A 21 01 2A DA 81 9D 0A 98 98 80 78 D3 ..gz!.*.....X.
00000020 D7 40 F6 34 6B FE 0A BA A9 38 CA 20 43 9A 8D 71 .@.4k....8. C..q
RAW DATA: -----
7CBA771F 02 00 00 00 07 00 00 80 01 00 00 00 0C 00 77 A0 .....W.
7CBA772F DA B2 31 2B 4E 1E 57 A8 4D 86 5A 21 E5 B2 EE 8D ..1+N.W.M.Z!....
7CBA773F 67 7A 21 01 2A DA 81 9D 0A 98 98 80 78 D3 D7 40 gz!.*.....X..@
7CBA774F F6 34 6B FE 0A BA A9 38 CA 20 43 9A 8D 71 28 00 .4k....8. C..q(.
7CBA775F 00 00 43 61 6C 6C 69 6E 67 20 45 46 49 20 41 70 ..Calling EFI Ap
7CBA776F 70 6C 69 63 61 74 69 6F 6E 20 66 72 6F 6D 20 42 plication from B
7CBA777F 6F 6F 74 20 4F 70 74 69 6F 6E                  oot Option
RAW DATA: -----
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## TDX Event Log Sample

### Refer

- HashCompleteAndExtend implementation for TDX

# Guest Measurement Chain



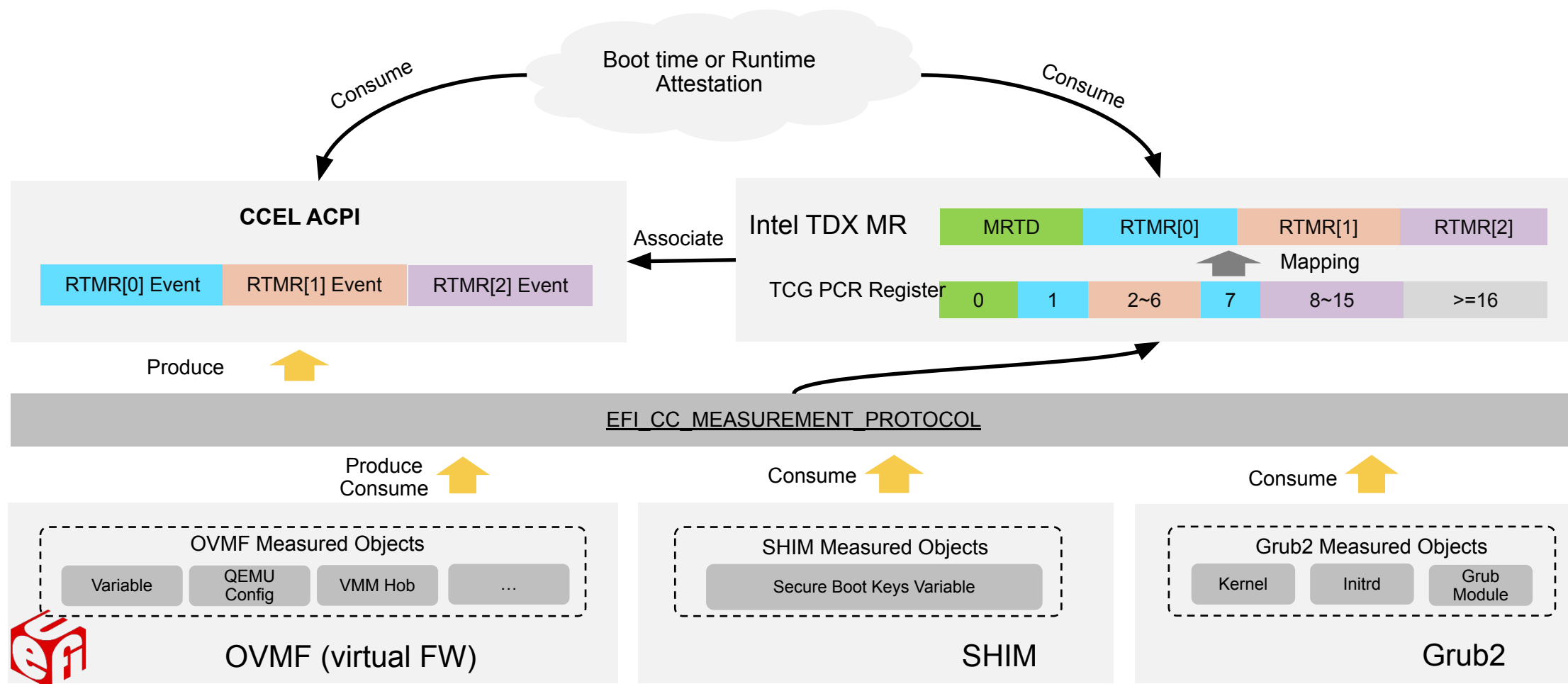
TD\_REPORT (here)

0x000	REPORTMA CSTRUCT	REPORTTYPE	RESERVER	0x200	TDINFO	ATTRIBUTES	XFAM
0x010		CPUSVN		0x210		MRTD	
0x020		TEE_TCB_INFO_HASH		0x220		MRCONFIGID	
0x030		TEE_INFO_HASH		0x230		MROWNER	
0x040		REPORTDATA		0x240		MROWNERCONFIG	
0x050		RESERVE		0x250		RTMR[0]	
0x060		MAC		0x260		RTMR[1]	
0x070		VALID	TEE_TCB_SVN	0x270		RTMR[2]	
0x080		TEE_TCB_SVN	MRSEAM	0x280		RTMR[3]	
0x090		MRSEAM		0x290		RESERVED	
0x0A0	TEE_TCB_IN FO	MRSEAM	MRSIGNERSEAM	0x2A0	TDINFO	RESERVED	
0x0B0		MRSIGNERSEAM		0x2B0		RESERVED	
0x0C0		MRSIGNERSEAM	ATTRIBUTES	0x2C0		RESERVED	
0x0D0		RESERVED		0x2D0		RESERVED	
0x0E0		RESERVED		0x2E0		RESERVED	
0x0F0		RESERVED		0x2F0		RESERVED	
0x100		RESERVED		0x300		RESERVED	
0x110		RESERVED		0x310		RESERVED	
0x120		RESERVED		0x320		RESERVED	
0x130		RESERVED		0x330		RESERVED	
0x140	RESERVED	RESERVED		0x340	TDINFO	RESERVED	
0x150		RESERVED		0x350		RESERVED	
0x160		RESERVED		0x360		RESERVED	
0x170		RESERVED		0x370		RESERVED	
0x180		RESERVED		0x380		RESERVED	
0x190		RESERVED		0x390		RESERVED	
0x1A0		RESERVED		0x3A0		RESERVED	
0x1B0		RESERVED		0x3B0		RESERVED	
0x1C0		RESERVED		0x3C0		RESERVED	
0x1D0		RESERVED		0x3D0		RESERVED	
0x1E0	RESERVED	RESERVED		0x3E0	TDINFO	RESERVED	
0x1F0		RESERVED		0x3F0		RESERVED	

$$Quote = Sign \left( \sum M_{TCB} + M_{OVMF} + M_{OS} \right)$$

\* OS: means bootloader (like shim/grub), kernel, initrd. It can be also extended for more runtime measurement like dynamic kernel module.

# CC Measurement Protocol



Linux Bootloader Phase

- [UEFI 2.10](#)
- [ACPI 6.5](#)

# PyTdxMeasure

A Python tool running in Intel TDX guest to dump and verify the RTMR, Intel TDX event log:

- Launch an Intel TDX guest
- Install pytdxmeasure  
*`python3 -m pip install pytdxmeasure`*
- Dump TDREPORT  
*`tdx_tdreport`*
- Dump Intel TDX event log  
*`tdx_eventlog`*
- Verify RTMR  
*`tdx_verify_rtmr`*

```
==== TDX Event Log Entry - 71 [0x1C331F50] ====
RTMR                : 2
Type                : 0xD (EV_IPL)
Length              : 161
Algorithms ID       : 12 (TPM_ALG_SHA384)
Digest[0] :
00000000 E8 09 21 B2 EE 7B D3 C9 24 2D 7D 2B 60 CA D2 8A ...!...{...$-}+`...
00000010 7F E6 8E 4C 8E A3 5A AE F3 E6 21 81 3B 60 E8 FF ...L..Z...!.;`..
00000020 BE BE 2A AF ED 50 03 23 BE D6 4E 99 B9 71 6A 70 ...*...P.#...N..qjp
RAW DATA: -----
1C331F50 03 00 00 00 0D 00 00 00 01 00 00 00 0C 00 E8 09 .....
1C331F60 21 B2 EE 7B D3 C9 24 2D 7D 2B 60 CA D2 8A 7F E6 !...{...$-}+`.....
1C331F70 8E 4C 8E A3 5A AE F3 E6 21 81 3B 60 E8 FF BE BE .L..Z...!.;`....
1C331F80 2A AF ED 50 03 23 BE D6 4E 99 B9 71 6A 70 5F 00 *..P.#...N..qjp_.
1C331F90 00 00 67 72 75 62 5F 63 6D 64 20 69 6E 69 74 72 ..grub_cmd initr
1C331FA0 64 20 28 68 64 30 2C 6D 73 64 6F 73 33 29 2F 62 d (hd0,msdos3)/b
1C331FB0 6F 6F 74 2F 69 6E 69 74 72 61 6D 66 73 2D 35 2E oot/initramfs-5.
1C331FC0 31 35 2E 30 2D 53 50 52 2E 4D 56 50 2E 50 43 2E 15.0-SPR.MVP.PC.
1C331FD0 76 31 30 2E 34 2E 6D 76 70 34 30 2E 65 6C 38 2E v10.4.mvp40.e18.
1C331FE0 78 38 36 5F 36 34 2B 67 75 65 73 74 2E 69 6D 67 x86_64+guest.img
1C331FF0 00 .
RAW DATA: -----
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