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Topics

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The topic covers the following macro areas:

- Android: security in mobile.
- Blockchain: security in blockchain.
- CPS: security on Cyber-Physical Systems such as Industrial Control Systems, Vehicular Networks, Internet of Things, and so on.
- ICN: security on network paradigms, such as Information-centric networking and Named Data Networking.
- Malware Detection: strategies to detect malware.
- MLS: Machine Learning for Security.
- Social Networks: security and privacy on social networks.
- Software Security: security of software and techniques of analysis such as fuzzing or reverse engineering.
- 5G Security: security of 5G technology and other novel telecomunication systems.
- MISC: Other popular cyber-security topics.

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Topic 47 (Social Networks): Fake Account Detection on Instagram
Topic 48 (Social Networks): Social Network Analysis
Topic 49 (Social Networks): Fake Engagement on Instagram
Topic 50 (Social Networks): Private data inference from Social Networks
Topic 51 (Software Security): Understand humans approach to Reverse Engineering
Topic 52 (Software Security): Find and exploit vulnerabilities
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Topic 54 (5G Security): 5G new radio Handover Security
Topic 55 (5G Security): Open Radio Access Network
Topic 56 (5G Security): Physical layer authentication
Topic 57 (5G Security): Smart Jamming attacks
Topic 58 (MISC): Video forensics
Topic 59 (MISC): Security in Logic-Locking (Logic-Obfuscation)
Topic 60 (MISC): Secure key generation in PUF-based Logic-Locking
Topic 61 (MISC): Misuses in Wearable Devices
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Topic 63 (MISC): Lie Detection
Topic 64 (MISC): Security and Privacy in Online Video Games
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Topic 67 (MISC): Textual Captchas

Topic 68 (MISC): Covert channel for security and privacy

Topic 69 (MISC): PIN and Password security

Topic 70 (MISC): Security and privacy of keyboard

Topic 71 (MISC): Adversarial attacks on text classification models

Topic 72 (MISC): Document Anonymization

Topic 73 (MISC): Metaverse Security

Topic 74 (MISC): Side-Channel Attacks in PaaS Clouds

Topic 1 (Android): Android Virtualization Technique

Primary:

• Shi, L., Fu, J., Guo, Z., & Ming, J. (2019, June). "Jekyll and Hyde" is Risky: Shared-Everything Threat Mitigation in Dual-Instance Apps. In Proceedings of the 17th Annual International Conference on Mobile Systems, Applications, and Services (pp. 222-235).

Secondary:

- Zhang, L., Yang, Z., He, Y., Li, M., Yang, S., Yang, M., ... & Qian, Z. (2019). App in the middle: Demystify application virtualization in Android and its security threats. Proceedings of the ACM on Measurement and Analysis of Computing Systems, 3(1), 1-24.
- Luo, T., Zheng, C., Xu, Z., & Ouyang, X. (2017). Anti-plugin: Don't let your app play as an Android plugin. Proceedings of Blackhat Asia.
- Dai, D., Li, R., Tang, J., Davanian, A., & Yin, H. (2020, June). Parallel Space Traveling: A Security Analysis of App-Level Virtualization in Android. In Proceedings of the 25th ACM Symposium on Access Control Models and Technologies (pp. 25-32).

Topic 2 (Android): Security and Privacy Vulnerabilities Detection in Android Apps

Primary:

Nguyen, D. C., Wermke, D., Acar, Y., Backes, M., Weir, C., & Fahl, S. (2017, October).
 A stitch in time: Supporting android developers in writingsecure code. In Proceedings of the 2017 ACM SIGSAC Conference on Computer and Communications Security (pp. 1065-1077).

Secondary:

- Portokalidis, G., Homburg, P., Anagnostakis, K., & Bos, H. (2010, December). Paranoid android: versatile protection for smartphones. In Proceedings of the 26th annual computer security applications conference (pp. 347-356).
- Qian, C., Luo, X., Le, Y., & Gu, G. (2015). Vulhunter: toward discovering vulnerabilities in android applications. IEEE Micro, 35(1), 44-53.
- Ghafari, M., Gadient, P., & Nierstrasz, O. (2017, September). Security smells in android. In 2017 IEEE 17th international working conference on source code analysis and manipulation (SCAM) (pp. 121-130). IEEE.

Topic 3 (Android): Taint Analysis

Primary:

• Enck, W., Gilbert, P., Han, S., Tendulkar, V., Chun, B. G., Cox, L. P., ... & Sheth, A. N. (2014). Taintdroid: an information-flow tracking system for realtime privacy monitoring on smartphones. ACM Transactions on Computer Systems (TOCS), 32(2), 1-29.

Secondary:

• Wei, F., Roy, S., & Ou, X. (2014, November). Amandroid: A precise and general intercomponent data flow analysis framework for security vetting of android apps. In

- Proceedings of the 2014 ACM SIGSAC conference on computer and communications security (pp. 1329-1341).
- Arzt, S., Rasthofer, S., Fritz, C., Bodden, E., Bartel, A., Klein, J., ... & McDaniel, P. (2014). Flowdroid: Precise context, flow, field, object-sensitive and lifecycle-aware taint analysis for android apps. Acm Sigplan Notices, 49(6), 259-269.
- Sun, M., Wei, T., & Lui, J. C. (2016, October). Taintart: A practical multi-level information-flow tracking system for android runtime. In Proceedings of the 2016 ACM SIGSAC Conference on Computer and Communications Security (pp. 331-342).

Topic 4 (Blockchain): Distributed key management systems in blockchains Primary:

• de Ree, M., Mantas, G., Rodriguez, J., Otung, I. E., & Verikoukis, C. (2021). DISTANT: DIStributed Trusted Authority-based key managemeNT for beyond 5G wireless mobile small cells. Computer Communications.

Secondary:

- Pal, O., Alam, B., Thakur, V., & Singh, S. (2019). Key management for blockchain technology. ICT Express.
- Matsumoto, S., & Reischuk, R. M. (2017, May). IKP: Turning a PKI around with decentralized automated incentives. In 2017 IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy (SP) (pp. 410-426). IEEE.

Topic 5 (Blockchain): Isogeny-based crytography for PKI in blockchains Primary:

• Fernández-Carames, T. M., & Fraga-Lamas, P. (2020). Towards post-quantum blockchain: A review on blockchain cryptography resistant to quantum computing attacks. IEEE access, 8, 21091-21116.

Secondary:

• de Kock, B., GjÃ, steen, K., & Veroni, M. (2020). Practical Isogeny-Based Key-exchange with Optimal Tightness. IACR Cryptol. ePrint Arch., 2020, 1165.

Topic 6 (Blockchain): Task offloading in mobile blockchains Primary:

• Xiao, K., Gao, Z., Shi, W., Qiu, X., Yang, Y., & Rui, L. (2020). EdgeABC: An architecture for task offloading and resource allocation in the Internet of Things. Future Generation Computer Systems, 107, 498-508.

Secondary:

• Dou, W., Tang, W., Liu, B., Xu, X., & Ni, Q. (2020). Blockchain-based Mobility-aware Offloading mechanism for Fog computing services. Computer Communications, 164, 261-273.

Topic 7 (Blockchain): Distributed oralce networks truth discovery Primary:

Adler, J., Berryhill, R., Veneris, A., Poulos, Z., Veira, N., & Kastania, A. (2018, July).
 Astraea: A decentralized blockchain oracle. In 2018 IEEE international conference on
 internet of things (IThings) and IEEE green computing and communications (GreenCom)
 and IEEE cyber, physical and social computing (CPSCom) and IEEE smart data
 (SmartData) (pp. 1145-1152). IEEE.

Secondary:

• Peterson, J., & Krug, J. (2015). Augur: a decentralized, open-source platform for

prediction markets. arXiv preprint arXiv:1501.01042.

• Nelaturu, K., Adler, J., Merlini, M., Berryhill, R., Veira, N., Poulos, Z., & Veneris, A. (2020). On public crowdsource-based mechanisms for a decentralized blockchain oracle. IEEE Transactions on Engineering Management, 67(4), 1444-1458.

Topic 8 (Blockchain): Intergration of Federated learning and Blockchain for data sharing

Primary:

Mothukuri, V., Khare, P., Parizi, R. M., Pouriyeh, S., Dehghantanha, A., & Srivastava, G. (2021). Federated Learning-based Anomaly Detection for IoT Security Attacks. IEEE Internet of Things Journal.

Secondary:

• Briggs, C., Fan, Z., & Andras, P. (2021). A review of privacy-preserving federated learning for the Internet-of-Things. Federated Learning Systems, 21-50.

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 Federated Deep Learning for Zero-Day Botnet Attack Detection in IoT Edge Devices. IEEE Internet of Things Journal.

Topic 9 (CPS): Anomaly Detection in Industrial Systems Primary:

• Kus, D., Wagner, E., Pennekamp, J., Wolsing, K., Fink, I. B., Dahlmanns, M., ... & Henze, M. (2022, May). A False Sense of Security? Revisiting the State of Machine Learning-Based Industrial Intrusion Detection. In Proceedings of the 8th ACM on Cyber-Physical System Security Workshop (pp. 73-84).

Secondary:

• Wolsing, K., Thiemt, L., Sloun, C. V., Wagner, E., Wehrle, K., & Henze, M. (2022). Can Industrial Intrusion Detection Be SIMPLE?. In European Symposium on Research in Computer Security (pp. 574-594). Springer, Cham.

• Umer, M. A., Ahmed, C. M., Jilani, M. T., & Mathur, A. P. (2021, November). Attack rules: an adversarial approach to generate attacks for Industrial Control Systems using machine learning. In Proceedings of the 2th Workshop on CPS&IoT Security and Privacy (pp. 35-40).

• Castellanos, J. H., Ochoa, M., Cardenas, A. A., Arden, O., & Zhou, J. (2021, October). AttkFinder: Discovering attack vectors in PLC programs using information flow analysis. In 24th International Symposium on Research in Attacks, Intrusions and Defenses (pp. 235-250).

Topic 10 (CPS): Industrial Honeypot

Primary:

López-Morales, E., Rubio-Medrano, C., Doupé, A., Shoshitaishvili, Y., Wang, R., Bao, T., & Ahn, G. J. (2020, October). HoneyPLC: A next-generation honeypot for industrial control systems. In Proceedings of the 2020 ACM SIGSAC Conference on Computer and Communications Security (pp. 279-291).

Secondary:

Wilhoit, K., & Hilt, S. (2015). The gaspot experiment: Unexamined perils in using.

• Conti, M., Trolese, F., & Turrin, F. (2022, July). ICSpot: A High-Interaction Honeypot for Industrial Control Systems. In 2022 International Symposium on Networks, Computers and Communications (ISNCC) (pp. 1-4). IEEE.

Topic 11 (CPS): Air - Ground communication Primary:

• Strohmeier, M., Martinovic, I., & Lenders, V. (2020). Securing the airâ€"ground link in aviation. In The Security of Critical Infrastructures (pp. 131-154). Springer, Cham.

Secondary:

- Smith, M., Strohmeier, M., Lenders, V., & Martinovic, I. (2022). Understanding realistic attacks on airborne collision avoidance systems. Journal of Transportation Security, 15(1), 87-118.
- Strohmeier, M., Smith, M., Lenders, V., & Martinovic, I. (2021). Classi-fly: Inferring aircraft categories from open data. ACM Transactions on Intelligent Systems and Technology (TIST), 12(6), 1-23.
- Baselt, G., Strohmeier, M., Pavur, J., Lenders, V., & Martinovic, I. (2022, May). Security and Privacy Issues of Satellite Communication in the Avlatlon Domain. In 2022 14th International Conference on Cyber Conflict: Keep Moving!(CyCon) (Vol. 700, pp. 285-307). IEEE.

Topic 12 (CPS): IoT security

Primary:

Ambrosin, M., Conti, M., Ibrahim, A., Neven, G., Sadeghi, A. R., & Schunter, M. (2016, October). SANA: Secure and scalable aggregate network attestation. In Proceedings of the 2016 ACM SIGSAC Conference on Computer and Communications Security (pp. 731-742).

Secondary:

- Dorri, Á., Kanhere, S. S., Jurdak, R., & Gauravaram, P. (2017, March). Blockchain for loT security and privacy: The case study of a smart home. In 2017 IEEE international conference on pervasive computing and communications workshops (PerCom workshops) (pp. 618-623). IEEE.
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- Xiao, L., Wan, X., Lu, X., Zhang, Y., & Wu, D. (2018). IoT security techniques based on machine learning: How do IoT devices use AI to enhance security?. IEEE Signal Processing Magazine, 35(5), 41-49.

Topic 13 (CPS): Identity of Things

Primary:

• Mahalle, P., Babar, S., Prasad, N. R., & Prasad, R. (2010, July). Identity management framework towards internet of things (IoT): Roadmap and key challenges. In International Conference on Network Security and Applications (pp. 430-439). Springer, Berlin, Heidelberg.

- Salman, O., Abdallah, S., Elhajj, I. H., Chehab, A., & Kayssi, A. (2016, June). Identity-based authentication scheme for the Internet of Things. In 2016 IEEE Symposium on Computers and Communication (ISCC) (pp. 1109-1111). IEEE.
- Lam, K. Y., & Chi, C. H. (2016, November). Identity in the Internet-of-Things (IoT): New challenges and opportunities. In International Conference on Information and Communications Security (pp. 18-26). Springer, Cham.
- Zhu, X., & Badr, Y. (2018). Identity management systems for the internet of things: a survey towards blockchain solutions. Sensors, 18(12), 4215.

Topic 14 (CPS): Cyber-Physical Anomaly Detection Primary:

 Marchetti, M., & Stabili, D. (2017, June). Anomaly detection of CAN bus messages through analysis of ID sequences. In 2017 IEEE Intelligent Vehicles Symposium (IV) (pp. 1577-1583). IEEE.

Secondary:

- Luo, Y., Xiao, Y., Cheng, L., Peng, G., & Yao, D. (2021). Deep learning-based anomaly detection in cyber-physical systems: Progress and opportunities. ACM Computing Surveys (CSUR), 54(5), 1-36.
- Xu, Q., Ali, S., & Yue, T. (2021, April). Digital Twin-based Anomaly Detection in Cyber-physical Systems. In 2021 14th IEEE Conference on Software Testing, Verification and Validation (ICST) (pp. 205-216). IEEE.

Topic 15 (CPS): Advanced security on Industrial Control System Primary:

• Tychalas, D., Benkraouda, H., & Maniatakos, M. (2021). ICSFuzz: Manipulating I/Os and Repurposing Binary Code to Enable Instrumented Fuzzing in {ICS} Control Applications. In 30th {USENIX} Security Symposium ({USENIX} Security 21).

Secondary:

- Sarkar, E., Benkraouda, H., & Maniatakos, M. (2020, October). I came, I saw, I hacked: Automated Generation of Process-independent Attacks for Industrial Control Systems. In Proceedings of the 15th ACM Asia Conference on Computer and Communications Security (pp. 744-758).
- Wang, X., Konstantinou, C., Maniatakos, M., Karri, R., Lee, S., Robison, P., ... & Kim, S. (2016). Malicious firmware detection with hardware performance counters. IEEE Transactions on Multi-Scale Computing Systems, 2(3), 160-173.

Topic 16 (CPS): Private Information Retrieval (PIR) for healthcare Primary:

• Lai, J., Mu, Y., Guo, F., Jiang, P., & Susilo, W. (2018). Privacy-enhanced attribute-based private information retrieval. Information sciences, 454, 275-291.

Secondary:

• Domingo-Ferrer, J., Bras-AmorÃ³s, M., Wu, Q., & ManjÃ³n, J. (2009). User-private information retrieval based on a peer-to-peer community. Data & Knowledge Engineering, 68(11), 1237-1252.

Topic 17 (CPS): Privacy for Vehicular Networks - Ride-Hailing Service Primary:

Pham, A., Dacosta, I., Endignoux, G., Pastoriza, J. R. T., Huguenin, K., & Hubaux, J. P. (2017). ORide: A privacy-preserving yet accountable ride-hailing service. In 26th {USENIX} Security Symposium ({USENIX} Security 17) (pp. 1235-1252).

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Topic 18 (CPS): Privacy for Vehicular Networks - Traffic Monitoring Primary:

• Hoh, B., Gruteser, M., Herring, R., Ban, J., Work, D., Herrera, J. C., ... & Jacobson, Q. (2008, June). Virtual trip lines for distributed privacy-preserving traffic monitoring. In Proceedings of the 6th international conference on Mobile systems, applications, and services (pp. 15-28).

Secondary:

- Li, M., Zhu, L., & Lin, X. (2019). Privacy-preserving traffic monitoring with false report filtering via fog-assisted vehicular crowdsensing. IEEE Transactions on Services Computing.
- Li, M., Zhu, L., & Lin, X. (2019). Privacy-preserving traffic monitoring with false report filtering via fog-assisted vehicular crowdsensing. IEEE Transactions on Services Computing.

Topic 19 (CPS): Privacy for Vehicular Networks - Smart Parking Primary:

• Lu, R., Lin, X., Zhu, H., & Shen, X. (2009, April). SPARK: A new VANET-based smart parking scheme for large parking lots. In IEEE INFOCOM 2009 (pp. 1413-1421). IEEE.

Secondary:

- Zhu, L., Li, M., Zhang, Z., & Qin, Z. (2018). ASAP: An anonymous smart-parking and payment scheme in vehicular networks. IEEE Transactions on Dependable and Secure Computing, 17(4), 703-715.
- Ni, J., Lin, X., & Shen, X. (2019). Toward privacy-preserving valet parking in autonomous driving era. IEEE Transactions on Vehicular Technology, 68(3), 2893-2905.

Topic 20 (CPS): Vehicular Security - Automotive Keyless Entry Primary:

Garcia, F. D., Oswald, D., Kasper, T., & PavlidÃ"s, P. (2016). Lock it and still lose itâ€"on the (in) security of automotive remote keyless entry systems. In 25th {USENIX} Security Symposium ({USENIX} Security 16).

Secondary:

- Benadjila, R., Renard, M., Lopes-Esteves, J., & Kasmi, C. (2017). One car, two frames: attacks on hitag-2 remote keyless entry systems revisited. In 11th {USENIX} Workshop on Offensive Technologies ({WOOT} 17).
- Glocker, T., Mantere, T., & Elmusrati, M. (2017, April). A protocol for a secure remote keyless entry system applicable in vehicles using symmetric-key cryptography. In 2017 8th International Conference on Information and Communication Systems (ICICS) (pp. 310-315). IEEE.
- Wouters, L., Gierlichs, B., & Preneel, B. (2021). My other car is your car: compromising the Tesla Model X keyless entry system. IACR Transactions on Cryptographic Hardware and Embedded Systems, 149-172.

Topic 21 (CPS): Vehicular Security - Charging-While-Driving Primary:

• Roman, L. F., & Gondim, P. R. (2020). Authentication protocol in CTNs for a CWD-WPT charging system in a cloud environment. Ad Hoc Networks, 97, 102004.

Secondary:

• Li, H., Dán, G., & Nahrstedt, K. (2013, October). FADEC: Fast authentication for dynamic electric vehicle charging. In 2013 IEEE Conference on Communications and

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Topic 22 (CPS): Vehicular Security - CAN Security Primary:

Groza, B., Popa, L., Murvay, P. S., Elovici, Y., & Shabtai, A. (2021). {CANARY}-a reactive defense mechanism for Controller Area Networks based on Active Relays. In 30th {USENIX} Security Symposium ({USENIX} Security 21).

Secondary:

- Humayed, A., & Luo, B. (2017, April). Using ID-hopping to defend against targeted DoS on CAN. In Proceedings of the 1st International Workshop on Safe Control of Connected and Autonomous Vehicles (pp. 19-26).
- Checkoway, S., McCoy, D., Kantor, B., Anderson, D., Shacham, H., Savage, S., ... & Kohno, T. (2011, August). Comprehensive experimental analyses of automotive attack surfaces. In USENIX Security Symposium (Vol. 4, No. 447-462, p. 2021).
- Islam, R., & Refat, R. U. D. (2020). Improving CAN bus security by assigning dynamic arbitration IDs. Journal of Transportation Security, 13(1), 19-31.

Topic 23 (CPS): Privacy protection of Electric Vehicles Owners Primary:

• Brighente, A., Conti, M., Donadel, D., & Turrin, F. (2021). EVScout2. 0: Electric Vehicle Profiling Through Charging Profile. arXiv preprint arXiv:2106.16016.

Secondary:

- Leukam Lako, F., Lajoie-Mazenc, P., & Laurent, M. (2021). Privacy-Preserving Publication of Time-Series Data in Smart Grid. Security and Communication Networks, 2021.
- Saxena, N., Grijalva, S., Chukwuka, V., & Vasilakos, A. V. (2017). Network security and privacy challenges in smart vehicle-to-grid. IEEE Wireless Communications, 24(4), 88-98.

Topic 24 (CPS): Machine learning techniques for lightweight continuous authentication

Primary:

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Secondary:

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Topic 25 (CPS): Vehicular Security - CAN Attacks to error handling Primary:

 Serag, K., Bhatia, R., Kumar, V., Celik, Z. B., & Xu, D. (2021). Exposing New Vulnerabilities of Error Handling Mechanism in {CAN}. In 30th {USENIX} Security Symposium ({USENIX} Security 21).

Secondary:

- Cho, K. T., & Shin, K. G. (2016, October). Error handling of in-vehicle networks makes them vulnerable. In Proceedings of the 2016 ACM SIGSAC Conference on Computer and Communications Security (pp. 1044-1055).
- Kulandaivel, S., Jain, S., Guajardo, J., & Sekar, V. (2021, May). CANNON: Reliable and Stealthy Remote Shutdown Attacks via Unaltered Automotive Microcontrollers. In 2021 IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy (SP) (pp. 195-210). IEEE.

Topic 26 (CPS): Physical side-channel attacks in mobile charging Primary:

• Wang, Y., Guo, H., & Yan, Q. (2022). GhostTalk: Interactive Attack on Smartphone Voice System Through Power Line. arXiv preprint arXiv:2202.02585.

Secondary:

- Wang, K., Mitev, R., Yan, C., Ji, X., Sadeghi, A. R., & Xu, W. (2022). GhostTouch: Targeted Attacks on Touchscreens without Physical Touch. In 31st USENIX Security Symposium (USENIX Security 22). USENIX Association, Boston, MA. https://www.usenix. org/conference/usenixsecurity22/presentation/wang-kai.
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Topic 27 (CPS): Hyperloop: a cybersecuirty challenge

• Brighente, A., Conti, M., Donadel, D., & Turrin, F. (2022). Hyperloop: A Cybersecurity Perspective. arXiv preprint arXiv:2209.03095.

Secondary:

- Tavsanoglu, A., Briso, C., Carmena-Cabanillas, D., & Arancibia, R. B. (2021). Concepts of Hyperloop Wireless Communication at 1200 km/h: 5G, Wi-Fi, Propagation, Doppler and Handover. Energies, 14(4), 983.
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- Hedhly, W., Amin, O., Shihada, B., & Alouini, M. S. (2021). Hyperloop Communications: Challenges, Advances, and Approaches. IEEE Open Journal of the Communications Society, 2, 2413-2435.

Topic 28 (CPS): Maritime Security

Primary:

• Amro, A., & Gkioulos, V. (2022). From Click to Sink: Utilizing AIS for Command and Control in Maritime Cyber Attacks. In European Symposium on Research in Computer Security (pp. 535-553). Springer, Cham.

Secondary:

Wolsing, K., Saillard, A., Bauer, J., Wagner, E., van Sloun, C., Fink, I. B., ... & Henze, M. (2022, September). Network Attacks Against Marine Radar Systems: A Taxonomy, Simulation Environment, and Dataset. In 2022 IEEE 47th Conference on Local Computer Networks (LCN) (pp. 114-122). IEEE.

• Tam, K., & Jones, K. (2019, June). Factors affecting cyber risk in maritime. In 2019 International Conference on Cyber Situational Awareness, Data Analytics And Assessment (Cyber SA) (pp. 1-8). IEEE.

Topic 29 (ICN): Cache Privacy Attacks Primary:

• Acs, G., Conti, M., Gasti, P., Ghali, C., Tsudik, G., & Wood, C. A. (2017). Privacy-aware caching in information-centric networking. IEEE Transactions on Dependable and Secure Computing, 16(2), 313-328.

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