



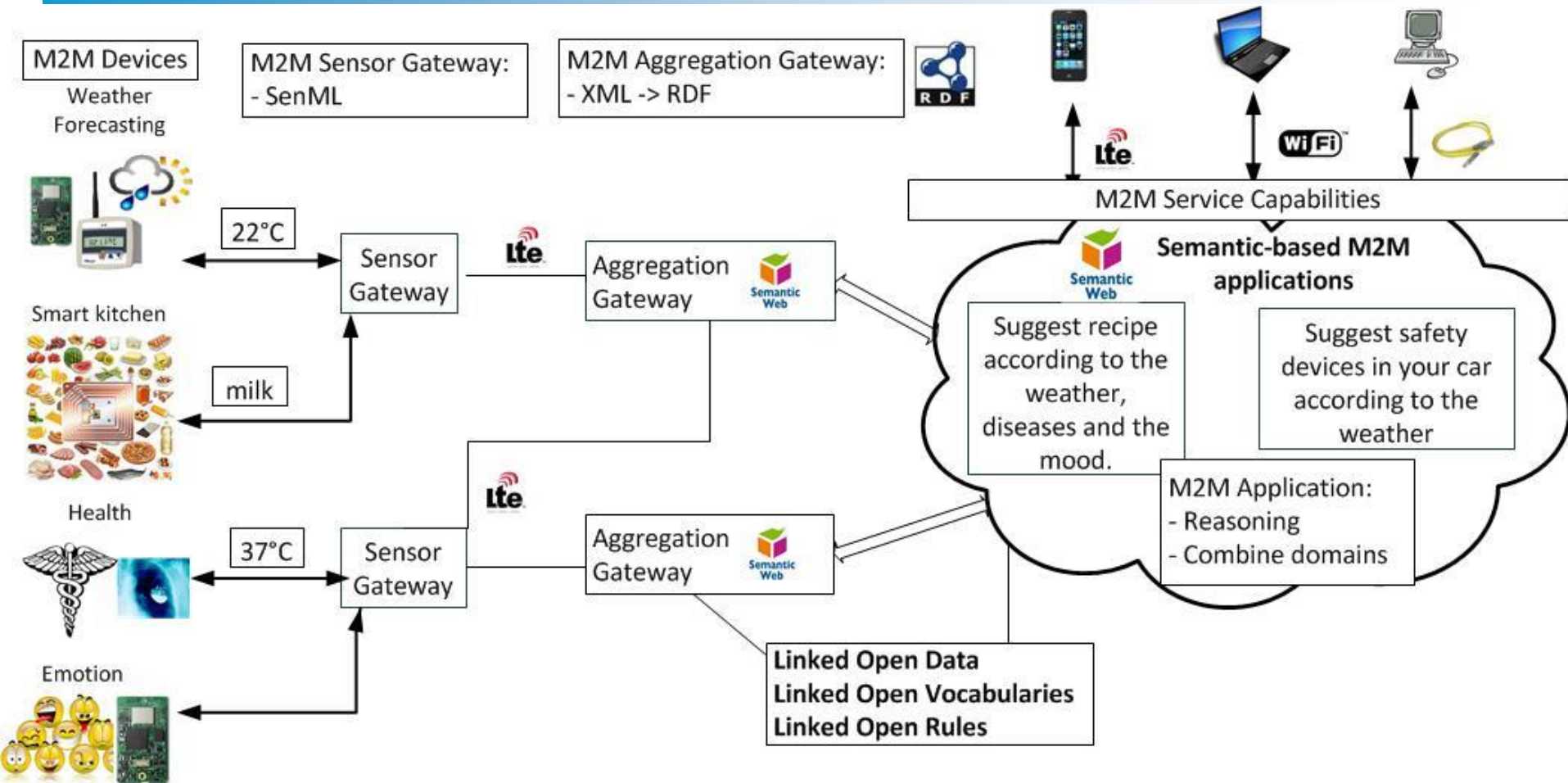
An Ontology-Based Approach for Helping to Secure the ETSI Machine-to-Machine Architecture

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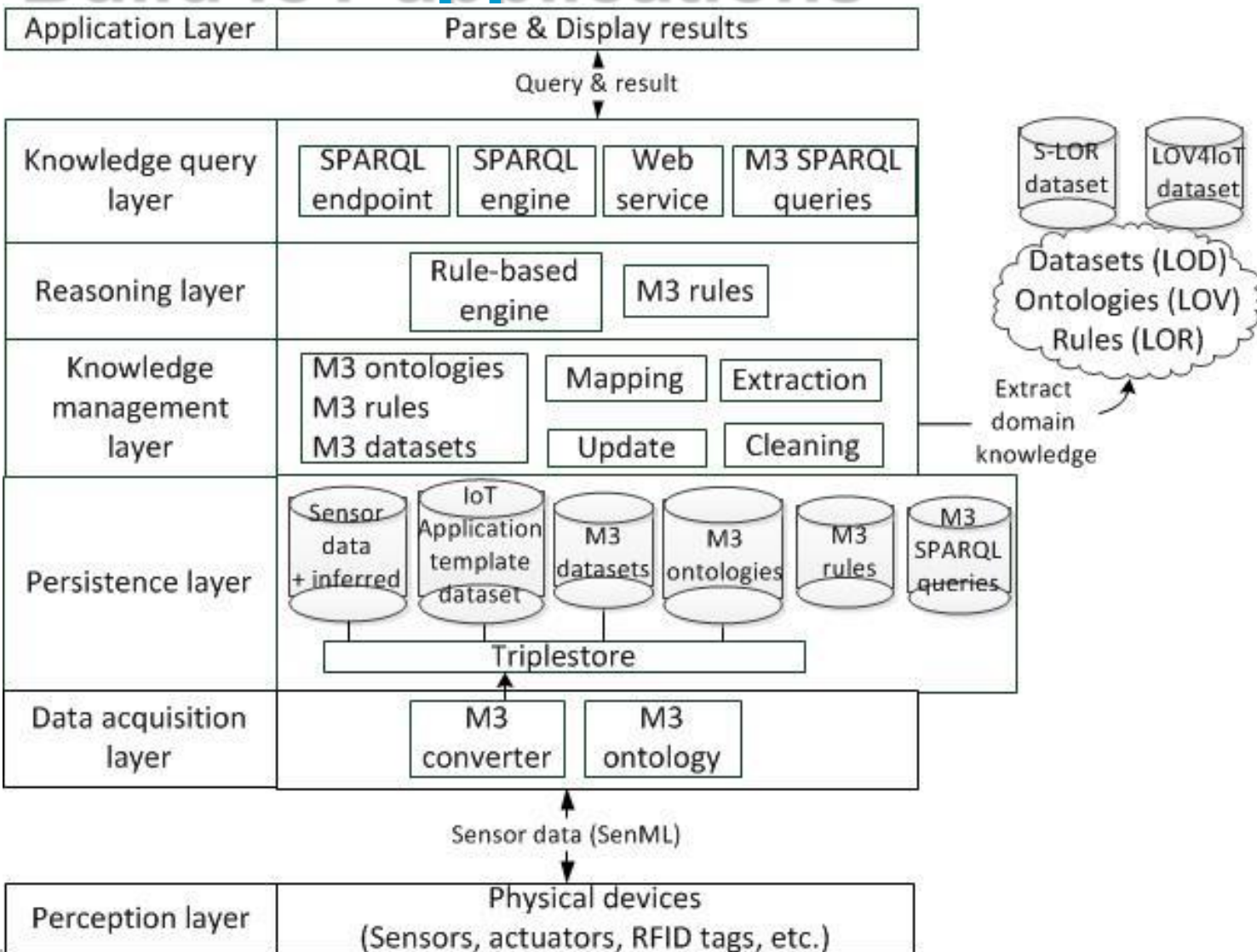


Semantic-based M2M Architecture



Paper: A Machine-to-Machine Architecture to Merge Semantic Sensor Measurements [Gyrard et al., WWW 2013]

Machine-to-Machine (M3) framework: Build IoT applications



Google Sites

<https://sites.google.com/>

Thinking of creating a website? Google Sites share webpages.

Create a site

Create a site. Once you've signed in to your Google Account, you ...



Drupal

Motivation

■ How to secure IoT architectures and applications?

- Communications
- Data
- Technologies employed
- Security properties satisfied



■ Time-consuming to be familiar with:

- Attacks
- Security mechanisms

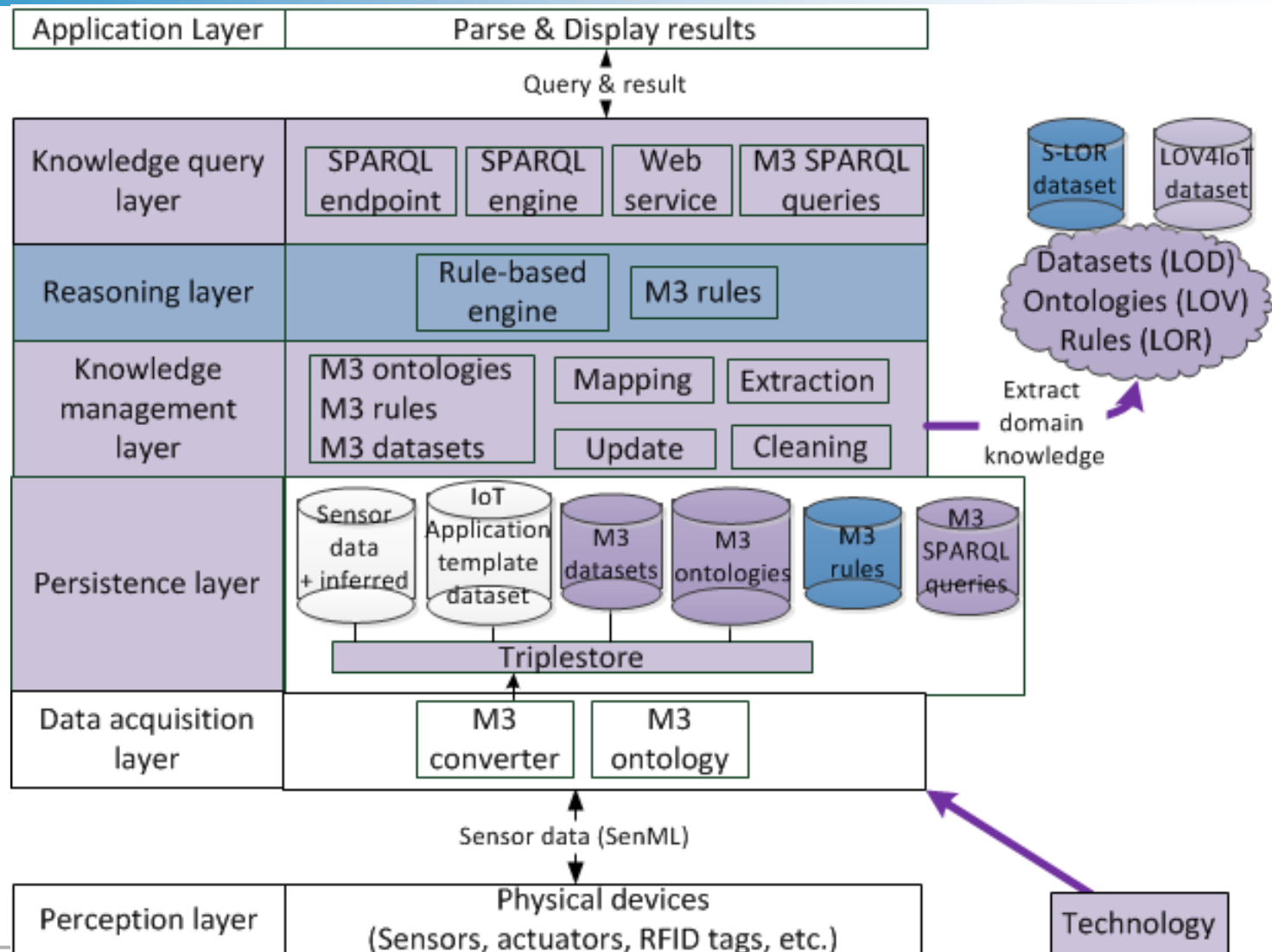


■ “Security by design”

⇒ Reuse M3 for another purpose: security context

⇒ A tool to help choose the best security mechanism fitting our needs

Reuse M3 to secure IoT applications or architectures



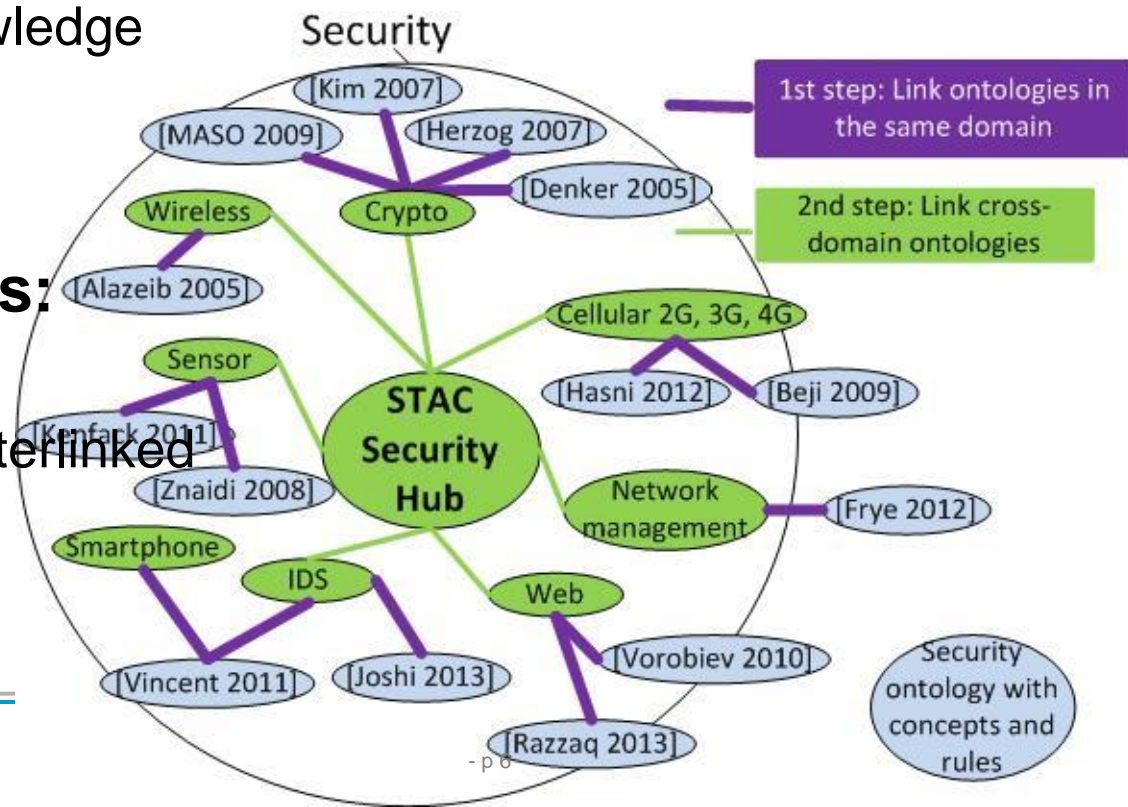
Security knowledge base

■ Reusing security knowledge:

- 24 **works** referenced in various domains:
 - IDS, Web, Sensor networks, Smart phones, Network communications, Cryptography
- Use semantic web technologies (ontologies)
 - Reuse domain knowledge
 - Reasoning engine
 - Flexibility

■ Lack of best practices:

- Not published online
- Domain-specific, Not interlinked
- Heterogeneous terms



Security ontologies

Authors	Year	Paper	Url onto	Technologies	Rules	LOV status
Joshi (IDS), Undercoffer Mail: 07/02/14, Response: 09/02/14	2003-2004, 2013	Thesis: Linked Data for software security concepts and vulnerability descriptions.	Ontology URL Concepts: Vulnerability, Product, Attack, Weakness, Backdoor, virus, trojan, worm, ping of death, mitnick attack, buffer overflow, botnet attack, XSS, Code	Jena, Jena TDB, Jena Fuseki SPARL endpoint, DBPedia, OWL API 3.4.2		Submitted to lov February - review ongoing 20/03/14
Razzaq, Latif et al. - Web Mail: 08/01/14, 24/02/14, Response: 25/02/14, 08/03/14	2013	Paper: Semantic security against web application attacks	Sent us the OWL files: IDS, securityMain, credentials (online after the next publication) Concepts: Vulnerability (XSS, SQL injection, Cookie Hijacking/Poisoning)	Jena, SWRL, ontoClean, Pellet	Jena rules (malicious attack, infects, malicious request)	
Vincent et al. Mail: 08/01/14, Response: 27/01/14	2011	Paper: Privacy Protection for smartphones: an ontology-based firewall 2012	Ontology URL Concepts: EncryptAlgo, IrisRecognition, Login	Jena, JAVA, Android, SWRL, RIF (maybe future work), AndroJENA,	1 Jena rule. and 4 Jena rules extracted from the paper	Inserted in LOV. TO DO: add metadata, purl, change uri, link to stac
Vorobiev Mail: 31/10/13, Response: 31/10/13	2006-2010	PhD thesis: An architectural approach to achiving higher-level security for component (service) based software systems.	Do not have the ontology anymore. No differenciation between block cipher and stream cipher			

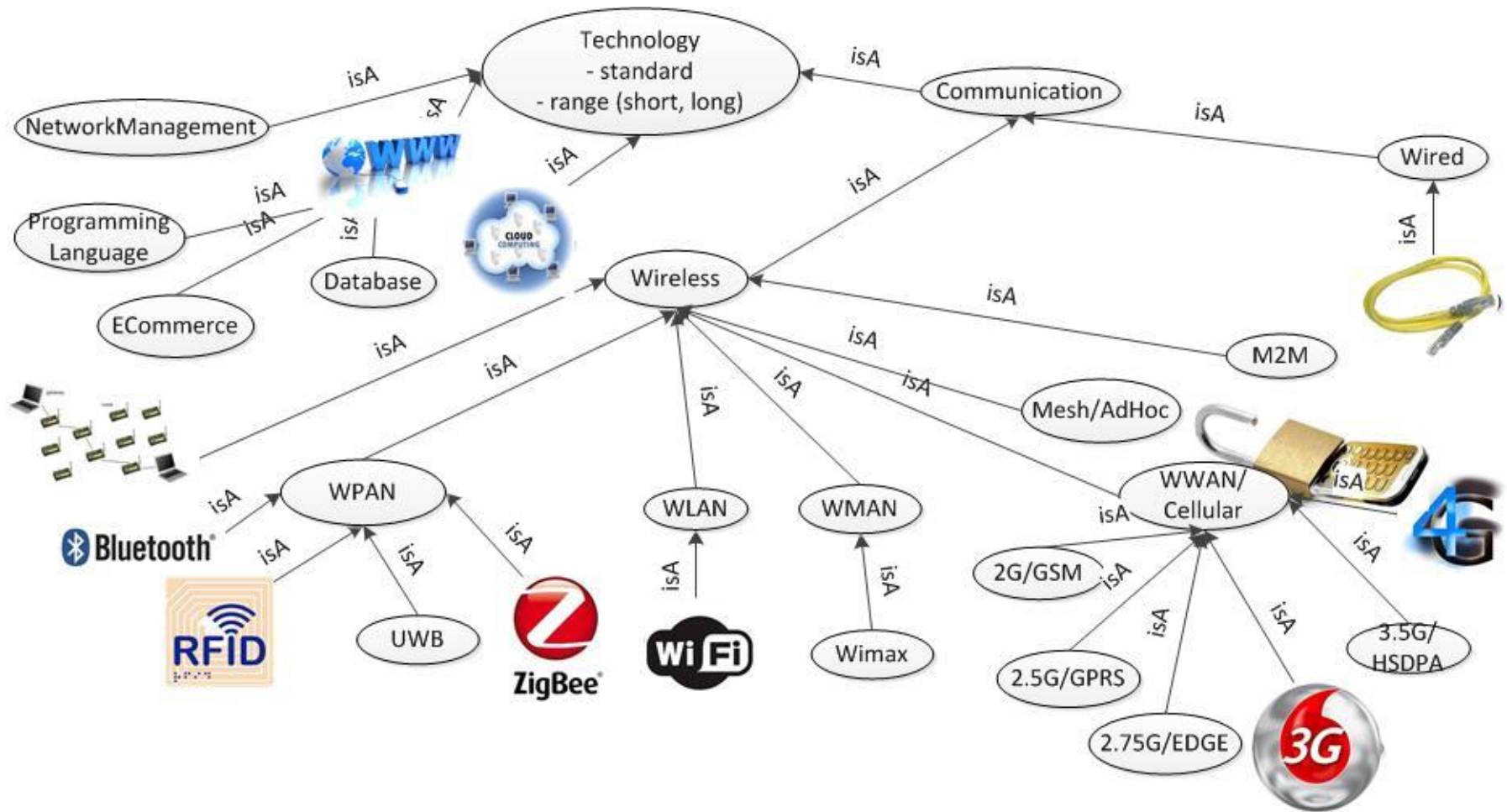
The STAC ontology



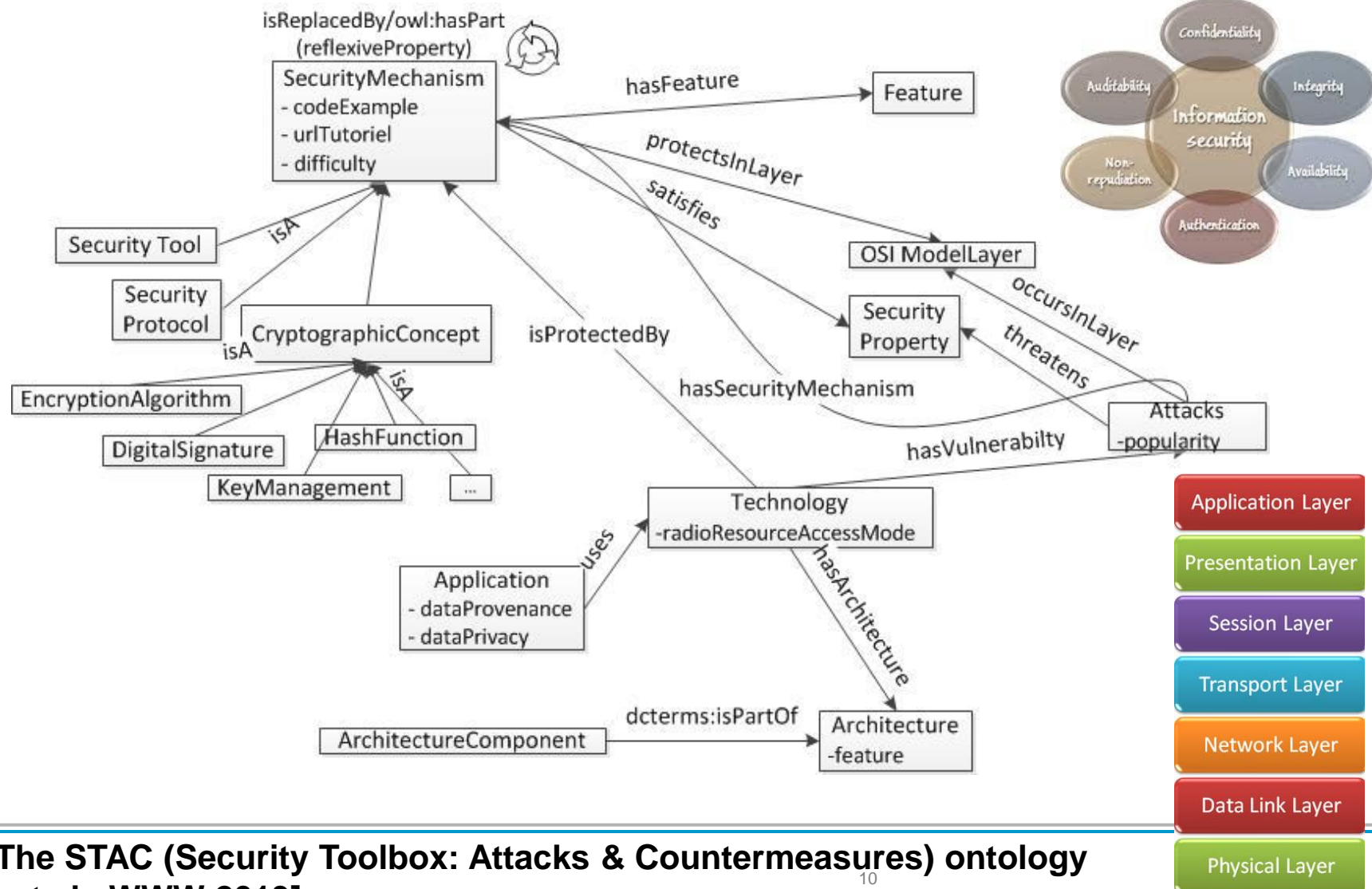
- **STAC (Security Toolbox: Attacks & Countermeasures)**
 - **Ontology is a vocabulary to describe concepts and properties in a particular domain**
 - **<http://securitytoolbox.appspot.com/stac#>**
 - **Referenced by Linked Open Vocabularies (LOV)**

- **Help the developer choose security mechanisms to secure IoT applications.**

How to secure heterogeneous technologies?

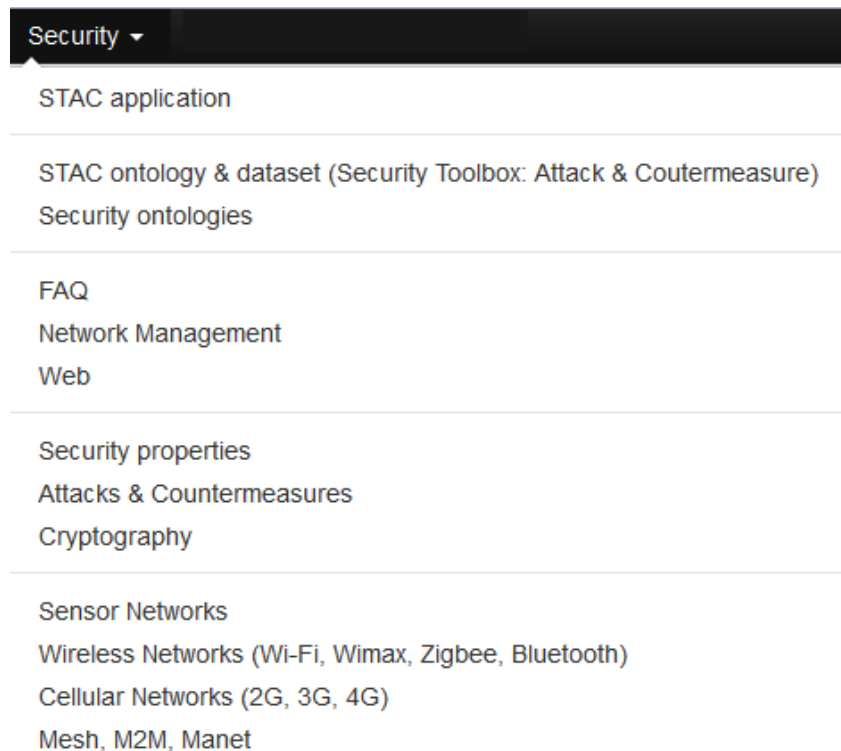


The STAC ontology



The STAC application

- A semantic-based application to help the developer to design a secure software:
 - The STAC ontology
 - The user interface



STAC template

Technologies used in your application?

1. Choose a **technology** (e.g., WiFi Technology)
2. **Attacks** related to this technology:
3. Wait (10 seconds!)
4. **security mechanism**
5. Click on a security mechanism (e.g., WPA2):
 - EAP (Extensible Authentication Protocol)
 - Wi-Fi Protected Access (WPA)
 - EAP-TLS (Extensible Authentication Protocol - Transport Layer Security)
 - EAP-TTLS (EAP-Tunneled-TLS)
 - EAP Over LAN (EAPOL)
 - PEAP (Protected Extensible Authentication Protocol)
 - Wi-Fi Protected Access (WPA2)**
6. **Advantages and weaknesses**
7. **Security properties**

<http://www.sensormeasurement.appspot.com/?p=stac>

Security properties

Security properties

- Search methods to ensure the security property: Access Control Method ▼ Search Methods
 - Mandatory Access Control (MAC)
 - Discretionary Access Control (DAC)
 - Relation Based Access Control (RelBAC)
 - Attribute Based Access control (ABAC)
 - Role Based Access Control (RBAC)
 - Context Aware Role Based Access Control (CA-RBAC)
 - Firewall
 - Proxy
 - Login/Password
 - Reverse Proxy
- Satisfy the property authentication: Secure Socket Layer (SSL) ▼
- Integrity: Internet Security Protocol (IPsec) ▼
- Confidentiality: Localized encryption and authentication ▼

STAC to secure communications

Sensor networks

Sensor Protocols: (e.g., choose TinySec) Is composed Of:

Sensor Attacks: (e.g., choose jamming) has security mechanism:

Sensor Key management: (e.g., choose LEAP) Is composed Of:

Sensor security mechanisms:

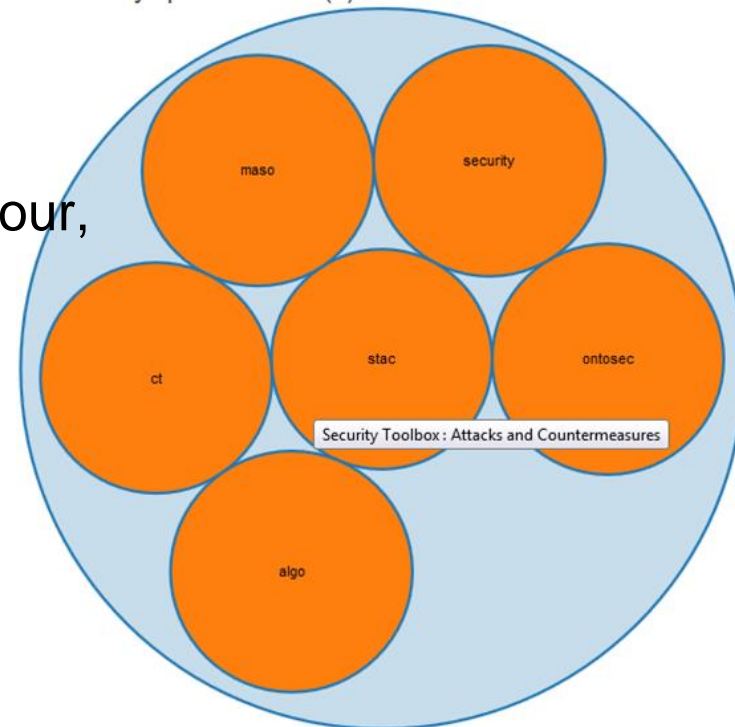
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Wi-Fi

- Protocol: (e.g., choose WPA2)
Security Property: Feature:
- Attack:
- Architecture:

<http://www.sensormeasurement.appspot.com/?p=wireless>

Property	Value
is part of vocabulary space	All > Data & Systems
Description	Security, Network, attacks and countermeasures



■ Methodologies

- [Noy et al. 2001]: Ontology development 101:
A guide to creating your first ontology

■ Semantic web tools

- Oops, TripleChecker, RDF Validator, Vapour,
- Linked Open Vocabularies (LOV), Linked Open Data (LOD)

■ 24 security ontologies

- More than 14 ontologies are online

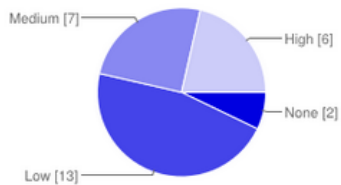
■ User form:

- 24 responses
- Updated STAC with new security domains

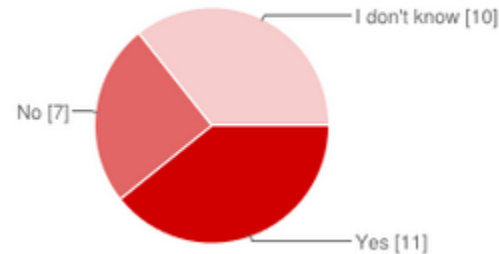
STAC evaluation form

Are the concepts intuitive and easy to understand ?

Your knowledge in security?

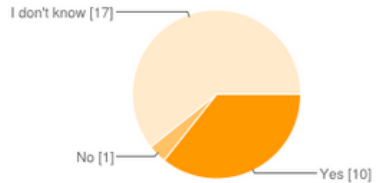


None	2	7%
Low	13	46%
Medium	7	25%
High	6	21%



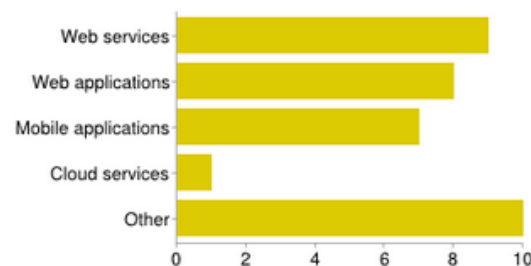
Yes	11	39%
No	7	25%
I don't know	10	36%

Is STAC a useful application (securitytoolbox.appspot.com)?



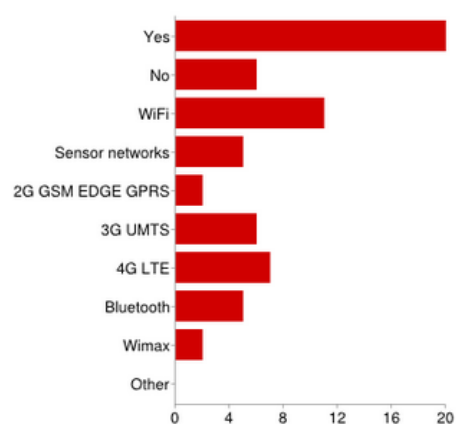
Yes	10	36%
No	1	4%
I don't know	17	61%

What kind of applications do you need to secure ?



Web services	9	26%
Web applications	8	23%
Mobile applications	7	20%
Cloud services	1	3%
Other	10	29%

Are you interested in security for wireless networks?



Yes	20	31%
No	6	9%
WiFi	11	17%
Sensor networks	5	8%
2G GSM EDGE GPRS	2	3%
3G UMTS	6	9%
4G LTE	7	11%
Bluetooth	5	8%
Wimax	2	3%
Other	0	0%

Conclusion & Future works



■ M3 framework:

- Build IoT applications to reason on cross-domain data
- STAC
 - A security knowledge base
 - Helping developers choose security mechanisms to secure IoT applications.
- Linked Open Rules to share and reuse rules

Thank you!



- **We have more demonstrations for:**
 - STAC
 - Linked Open Rules
 - M3 framework
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- <http://www.sensormeasurement.appspot.com/>