Trusted Build

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- Ensure fidelity between models and system image
 - Proofs are over architectural models
 - Information flow between processes and threads
 - Well-formedness of architecture: scheduling, memory limits and safety, etc.
 - Trusted build *generates* system image from architectural model
 - Prevents stupid errors
 - Mismatches on unit types between modules [Mars Polar Lander]
 - Mismatches on alignment of data, data representation, and data location

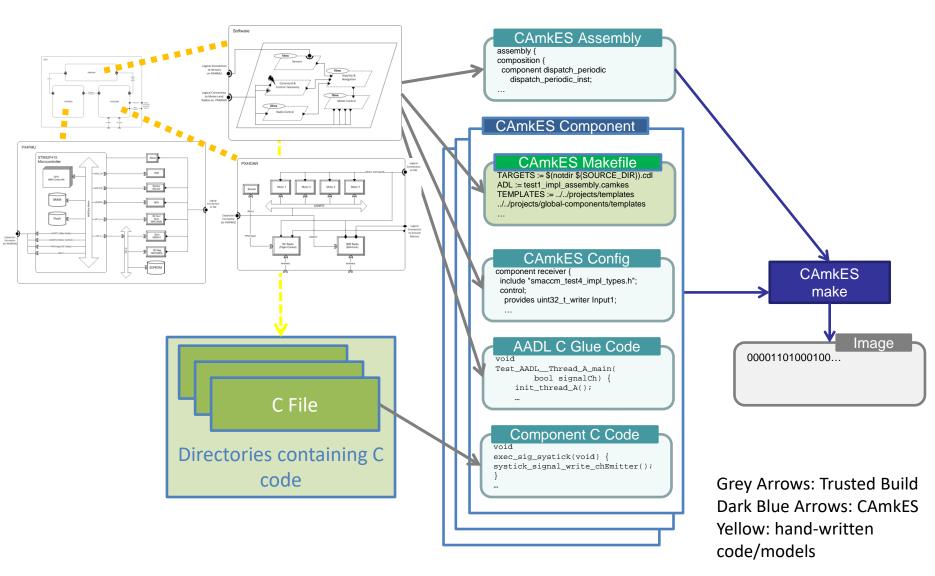
Trusted Build Features

- OS Support: eChronos, CAmkES/seL4, vxWorks, linux
- Process/thread support
 - Periodic, sporadic, hybrid dispatch models
 - User provides entrypoints which are invoked by middleware
- Comm Support: Shared Memory, event-, event data-, dataport communications, RPC.
 - Cross thread / process
 - For data-port, cross-VM
 - Interrupts
- Support for interaction with external code
 - External types
 - External threads

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CAmkES/seL4 Build process



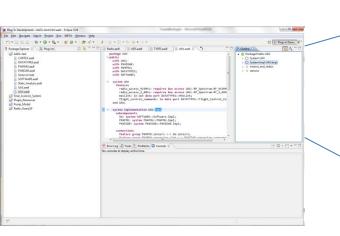
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Why *Trusted* Build?

- OSATE plug-in for Eclipse
- Written in Java using String Template library
- No high-assurance pedigree, except:
 - Implementations of some connectors (Mailboxes for Dataports (seL4/Linux), Connector components for data/event ports (seL4) have associated proofs
 - Code has been inspected by multiple groups, including Red Team, looking for security flaws
- Eventual goal is to tie into CAmkES/seL4 connector proofs
 - Isabelle/HOL

Generating Code:



```
© Outline □

■ Package Public producer_consumer_pub

■ Thread sender

■ Event Data Port Output1

■ Thread receiver

■ Event Data Port Input1

■ Process proc

■ Process Impl proc.Impl

■ Processor main

■ Processor Impl main.camkes

■ System test

■ System Impl test.camkes
```

```
tb
prodcon
components
include
interfaces
make_template
make_vm_template
prodcon_assembly.camkes
```

```
assembly {
    composition {
        component dispatch_periodic dispatch_periodic_inst;

        component TimeServerKZM time_server;
        // Component instances for all AADL-defined threads
        component sender sender_inst;
        component receiver receiver_inst;

        // Port declarations for active threads
        connection seL4TimeServer tb_sender_periodic_dispatcher_timer(from sender_inst.tb_timer, to time_server.the_timer);
        connection seL4Notification tb_sender_periodic_dispatcher_echo_int(from dispatch_periodic_inst.sender_periodic_dispatcher, to sender_inst.tb_timer_complete);
```

AADL Modeling Issues

- Proper way of modeling interrupts / drivers
 - Interrupts have 1st and 2nd level-handlers
 - Strictly speaking, 1st level handler does not run on associated AADL thread.
- "External" threads and types that do not match the AADL dispatch paradigm
 - external types / threads
- VMs / Containers
 - Maintaining VM memory / device mappings
 - Schedulability?

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ISR ports and Drivers

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end sender;

ISRs have a first-level and second-level handler

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Each ISR port is associated with a list of named, sized memory regions:

"mem" is the name

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AADL Engineering Issues

- Aligning with Code Generation Annex
 - We started developing our tools in 2012 concurrent with CGA development.
- Factoring tool to allow multiple implementations of comm primitives
 - OS-specific
 - Team(!) specific (mailboxes, queue-servers)
 - Specializations for cross-VM communications
- Running OSATE "headless"
 - For code generation: want single command build
 - For AGREE / Resolute analysis
 - I think that this will be a standard mechanism for use.

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AADL Code Gen Annex Questions

Is there a complete description of the desired interactions between entrypoints and communication functions or complete examples?

Ports:

- Are send/receive interfaces typesafe? What happens if the wrong type is injected into a call?
- What happens if you call send_output() and receive_input() multiple times in a dispatch?
- What happens if you use a dataport that does not support tracking number of updates?
 - E.g. shared memory

Threads:

- How do you manage interrupts?
- How are periodic dispatches managed?

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Wrap Up

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Backup

DEMO: Producer / Consumer

- Producer / Consumer
 - Deployed to CAmkES/seL4
 - Producer periodically emits int32_t
 - Consumer is event-dispatched and consumes it.
- To compile the code:
 - Copy "template" makefile to top-level tb directory
 - Copy all code to camkes/apps directory
 - Add application directory to Kconfig.
- To run the image:
 - Type: qemu-system-arm -M kzm -nographic -kernel images/capdlloader-experimental-image-arm-imx31

- CAmkES OS Configuration
 - camkes component files
 - CAmkES assembly file for top-level system
 - IDL files describing RPCs
- Generated C Middleware Code
 - tb_<component>.c
 - Implementation of middleware services
 - tb_<component>.h
 - Description of API between user-level AADL code and TB code.
- Template Makefile for system build
 - Works for simple build procedures
 - However, for more complex system generations, likely you will want to replace it with a more "full-featured" make

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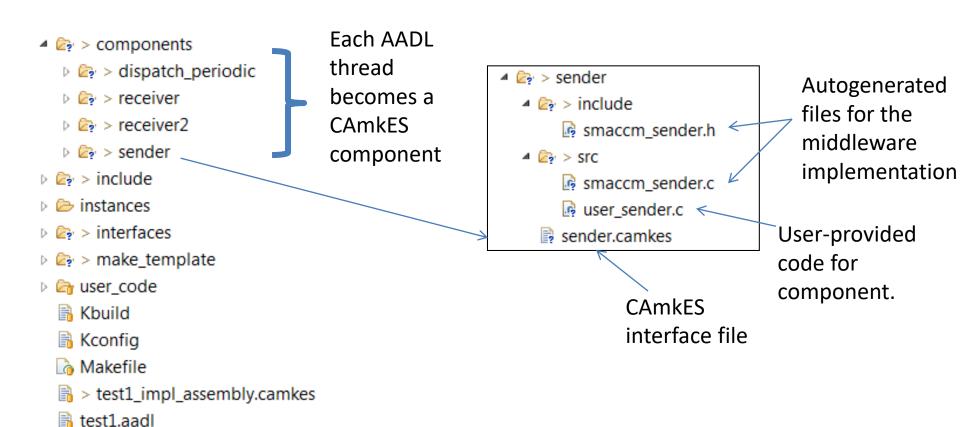
Simple Model Initial Structure

- - user_code
 - user_receiver1.c
 - user_receiver2.c
 - user_sender.c
 - test1.aadl

C files describe the component behavior; in this case, there is one C file per component.

}

AADL files describe the system structure



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 → Components

 → ②

 → dispatch_periodic

 → ②

 → receiver

 → ②

 → receiver2

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 → sender

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 → sender

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 → components

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- include smaccm_test1_impl_types.h
- instances
- ▶ 🔄 > interfaces
- - Kbuild
 - Kconfig
 - Makefile
 - > test1_impl_assembly.camkes
 - test1.aadl

Common include files for all components. In this case, only the AADL type definitions.

■ E₂ > components → E > receiver2 ▷ <a> include instances test1_test1_impl_Instance.aaxl2 ▷ 😂 > interfaces b aser_code Kbuild Kconfig Makefile test1_impl_assembly.camkes

OSATE/AADL-generated XML file for the system instance. This file can be ignored.

test1.aadl

■ E₂ > components ▷ 🚉 > receiver → E > receiver2 ▷ <a> include instances ■ ② > interfaces receiver_interface.idl4 receiver2_interface.idl4 sender interface.idl4 uint32_t_writer.idl4 uint64_t_writer.idl4 void_writer.idl4 > E₂ > make_template b a user_code Kbuild Kconfig Makefile 1_impl_assembly.camkes

Interface definitions for components.

■ ② > components ▷ 😂 > receiver ▷ ፟ > receiver2 ▷ 👼 > sender ▷ ፟ > include instances ▷ 👼 > interfaces Autogenerated templates for makefiles and related Kbuild build files required by CAmkES. To use them, copy them Kconfig to the parent directory. Makefile b a user_code Kbuild Kconfig Makefile test1_impl_assembly.camkes test1.aadl

■ E₂ > components ▷ <a> > receiver → E > receiver2 ▷ 🚉 > include instances Kbuild Kconfig Makefile > test1_impl_assembly.camkes Top level assembly file for CAmkES ADL. test1.aadl

Supported AADL Constructs: Types

- Types from Base_Types.aadl
 - Integer_{8, 16, 32, 64}
 - Unsigned_{8, 16, 32, 64}
 - Float_32, Float_64
- N-Dimensional Arrays
- Structures
- Externally-defined types:

Supported AADL Constructs: Ports

- Example models found in smaccm github repository: smaccm/models/Trusted_Build_Test
- Data ports
 - Reader gets copy of last write
 - Can be "lossy"
 - Examples: test8, test9, test10
- Event Data ports
 - Queued communications
 - Lossless (unless queue fills up)
 - If queue fills, write call returns false
 - Examples: test4, test5, test6, test10, test11, test12
- Event ports
 - Signal only
 - Examples: test13

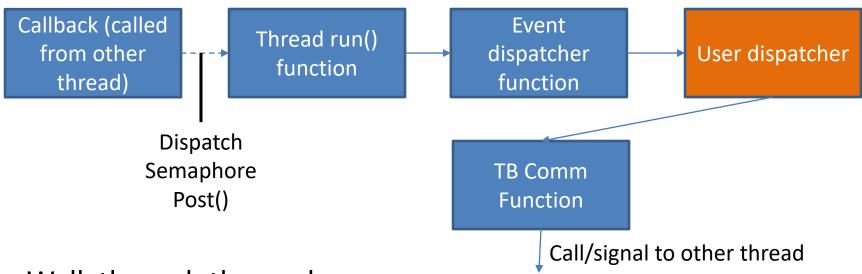
Supported AADL Constructs: Shared Memory

- Provides "raw" interface to shared memory between tasks – pass-through to CAmkES shared memory support (CAmkES dataport)
- Useful for passing large amounts of data between tasks
- Example: test16

Supported AADL Constructs: RPCs

- Provides direct support for RPCs between threads
 - Pass-through to native RPC support in CAmkES
 - In CAmkES, RPCs are organized into "procedures"
 - Analogous concept in AADL is "subprogram group"
- Synchronization
 - CAmkES synchronizes all entry points in same "procedure"
 - However, thread may have several "procedures"
 - Possibility for race conditions
- Example: test_rpc_native

Structure of Threads



- Walk through tb_sender.c
- Thread main function:
 - Waits on a semaphore to dispatch
 - When semaphore "wakes up", calls user dispatchers for events that have occurred
 - User code can call communications primitives provided by TB

DEMO: Periodic Producer / Consumer

- Modify producer/consumer so that consumer is periodically dispatched
 - Switch to the producer_consumer_periodic project
 - Remove the dispatcher from the receiver input port
 - Add a period of 1 second and a periodic dispatcher to the receiver
 - Modify the periodic dispatcher in user_receiver.c file to drain the queue of messages.
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Interfacing with External Code

- Drivers and other low-level systems code may not fit the AADL dispatch paradigm
- You can designate a thread as "external"
 - TB generates a template .camkes file matching the communications ports defined in AADL
 - It does not generate the C code; you can choose to implement this in any fashion that you like.
 - You can use existing mechanisms in CAmkES to map external thread to composite components

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Using ISR Ports

- Example in smaccm/models/Trusted_Build_Test/test_irq1
- ISR ports allow you to build "native" drivers
- Interrupt triggers AADL thread
- Memory-mapped IO for interacting with the hardware.

Using ISR ports

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Interacting with Shared Memory

```
#include <autoconf.h>
                                 CAmkES-generated file
#include <stdio.h>
                                that contains the shared
#include <clock driver.h>
                                       buffers
#include <sender.h>
                                                   Name is right here.
                              (unsigned int)mem
#define KZM EPIT BASE ADDR
#define KZM EPIT CTRL ADDR
                              (KZM EPIT BASE ADDR + 0x00)
#define KZM EPIT STAT ADDR
                              (KZM\_EPIT\_BASE\_ADDR + 0x04)
#define KZM EPIT LOAD ADDR
                              (KZM EPIT BASE ADDR + 0x08)
#define KZM EPIT COMP ADDR
                              (KZM EPIT BASE ADDR + 0x0C)
#define KZM EPIT CNT ADDR
                              (KZM EPIT BASE ADDR + 0x10)
```

User ISR Port Code

```
void timer_flih() {
  epit_irq_callback();
}

void timer_slih() {
  smaccm_thread_calendar();
}
Second level handler for longer processing
}
```

CAmkES Code

Sender.camkes:

```
import "../../interfaces/sender_interface.idl4";
import "../../interfaces/uint32_t_writer.idl4";
import "../../interfaces/receiver_interface.idl4";

component sender {
  control;
   has semaphore smaccm_dispatch_sem;

  uses receiver_interface receiver_inst;

  // interfaces for IRQ port dispatchers (if any).
  consumes DataAvailable irq;
  dataport Buf mem;
}
```

Test_irq1_impl_assembly.camkes:

```
component irg hw {
  hardware;
  dataport Buf mem;
  emits DataAvailable irg;
assembly {
 composition {
  component irg hw irg obj;
  // IRQ connections (if any)
   connection seL4HardwareMMIO irg mem(
    from sender inst.mem, to irq obj.mem);
   connection seL4HardwareInterrupt irg irg(
    from irq obj.irq, to sender inst.irq);
  configuration {
   irg obj.mem attributes = "0x53F98000:0x1000";
   irg obj.irg attributes = 27;
```

Wrapping Existing Drivers / External Code

- NICTA has existing drivers and external code.
- How do we use them?
- Declare a thread in AADL as "external"
 - It is usually an active thread
 - This leaves a placeholder in the model
 - It will be "wired up" to other threads as usual in the assembly
 - You can fill it in.
 - In most cases, best way is to wrap the driver and HW components in a CAmkES composite component.
 - You need to write the C and CAmkES Code
 - Trusted build provides .template files to get you started.

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Example: UART

- Available at github at: smaccm/models/Trusted_Build_Test/test_uart_a ctive
- CAmkES Interacts with rest of the system using two methods:

```
// reader
void pilot_recv(int32_t uart_num, int32_t c);
// writer
int32_t uart_write(int32_t uart_num, int32_t wsize);
```

Uses shared buffer for write.

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On the AADL Side

Packet with 1 byte

```
thread uart
features
send : in event data port uart_packet.impl {
Compute Entrypoint Source Text => "send handler";
    SMACCM SYS::Sends Events To => "{{}}";
};
recv: out event data port uart packet.impl {
      SMACCM SYS::CommPrim Source Text => "recv data";
};
properties
    SMACCM_SYS::Is_External => true;
                                            This says "external"
    Dispatch Protocol => Sporadic;
    -- Source Text => ("user code/user sender.c");
    Priority => 10;
    Stack Size => 256 bytes;
    SMACCM_SYS::Thread_Type => Active ;
    Compute Execution Time => 10 us .. 50 us;
end uart ;
```

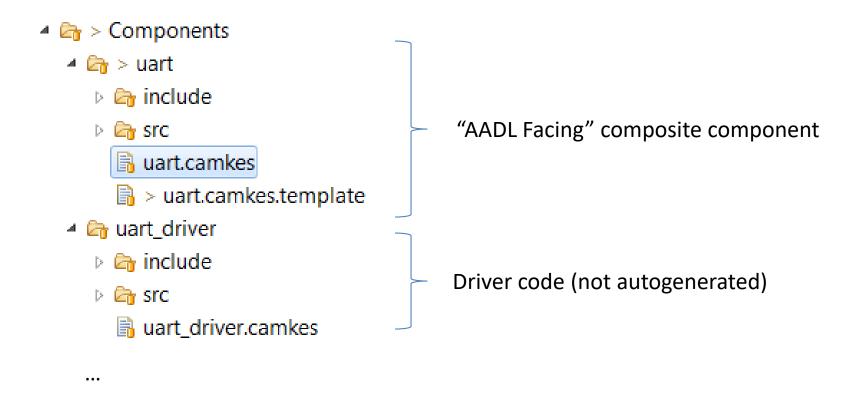
CAmkES Composite Components

- Allows you to wrap other components, their connections, and their configurations, in one component.
- Looks like a CAmkES Assembly file except that it has top-level interface for communication with the rest of the system.
- We'll have to write this by hand; an example is on the next slide

CAmkES Composite Components

```
component uartbase {
component uart {
                                                                     hardware;
                                                                     dataport Buf mem;
  uses test uart uart packet impl writer uart recv;
  provides test_uart_uart_packet_impl_writer send;
                                                                     emits DataAvailable
                                                                                          irq;
 composition {
   component uartbase uartbase;
                                                    Original driver code goes in here.
   component uart driver uart;
   connection seL4HardwareMMIO uart mem
       (from uart.uart0base, to uartbase.mem);
                                                    Connections to the hardware.
   connection seL4HardwareInterrupt uart irg
       (from uartbase.irg, to uart.interrupt);
   connection ExportRPC conn1(from send, to uart.send);
                                                                  Connections in/out to AADL
   connection ExportRPC conn2(from uart.recv, to uart recv);
 configuration {
   uartbase.mem attributes = "0x12C10000:0x1000"; //UART1
                                                                    This comes from original
   uartbase.irg attributes = 84;
                                         //UART1 interrupt
                                                                     CAmkES VM Assembly.
   uart.ID = 3;
```

How it splits into files



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uart_driver CAmkES Code

```
import "../../interfaces/uart interface.idl4";
import "../../interfaces/test_uart__uart_packet_impl_writer.idl4";
component uart_driver {
control;
// provided interfaces for input event / event data ports
provides test uart uart packet impl writer send;
uses test_uart_uart_packet_impl_writer recv;
// information from native UART driver
consumes DataAvailable interrupt;
has semaphore
                    read sem;
has semaphore
                    write sem;
attribute int
                 ID;
// buffer is for shared memory.
dataport Buf
                  uart0base;
```

This name must match the AADL CAmkES interface

```
bool send write test uart uart packet impl(const test uart uart packet impl *arg) {
          int32 t result = -1;
          // Other options rather than fail: re-send up to a bounded # of times?
          // int32 t retries = 0;
          result = uart write(arg->uart num, arg->datum);
          if (result == -1) {
                     printf("send failed!.\n");
                                                           Note: this is hand-
                     return false:
                                                           written code!
          return true;
void pilot recv(int32 t uart num, int32 t c) {
          test uart uart packet impl packet;
          packet.uart num = uart num;
                                                 This name must match the AADL CAMKES
          packet.datum = c;
                                                                  interface
          // MWW: might want to do error checking here
          recv_write_test_uart__uart_packet impl(&packet);
```

Makefile modifi

You have to add the build instructions for the component that is not visible to AADL

```
wuart_driver_CFILES := \
    $(patsubst ${SOURCE_DIR}/%,%,$(wildcard ${SOURCE_DIR}/components/uart_driver/src/*.c)) \
    $(patsubst ${SOURCE_DIR}/%,%,$(wildcard ${SOURCE_DIR}/components/uart_driver/src/plat/${PLAT}/*.c)) \
    $(patsubst ${SOURCE_DIR}/%,%,$(wildcard ${SOURCE_DIR}/components/uart_driver/src/arch/${ARCH}/*.c))

uart_driver_HFILES := \
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    $(patsubst ${SOURCE_DIR}/%,%,$(wildcard ${SOURCE_DIR}/include/*.h))

uart_driver_ASMFILES := \
    $(patsubst ${SOURCE_DIR}/%,%,$(wildcard ${SOURCE_DIR}/components/uart_driver/crt/arch-${ARCH}/crt0.S)) \
    $(patsubst ${SOURCE_DIR}/%,%,$(wildcard ${SOURCE_DIR}/components/uart_driver/src/*.S)) \
    $(patsubst ${SOURCE_DIR}/%,%,$(wildcard ${SOURCE_DIR}/components/uart_driver/src/arch/${ARCH}/*.S)) \
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    $(patsubst ${SOU
```

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Issues

- Can wrap as big or small a "chunk" as we want
 - ...Thanks to NICTA's composite components
 - We just need to normalize the interface
 - I hope to wrap the entire Linux VM as one external component
- Autogenerated makefile must be extended.
 - AADL tool is not designed to manage complex makes.
 - It is designed to automate simple models and assist the designer.

VM Support

- seL4/CAmkES can be used to host Linux VMs as "components"
- Trusted Build can support VMs in two ways:
 - As external "threads" (Air Team)
 - Allows custom interfaces between seL4/CAmkES OS and VM
 - In Air Team vehicle: vchan was used as mechanism for communication
 - VM code is treated as "black box"
 - As virtual processors (Ground Team)
 - This is more principled approach
 - AADL model can describe comms between threads/processes within the VM

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Cross-VM Communications

- HRL has implemented an extension of TB to support data port communications across the VM boundary
 - Automatically builds driver support and interfaces to support communications across boundary
 - It is not part of the publically released TB

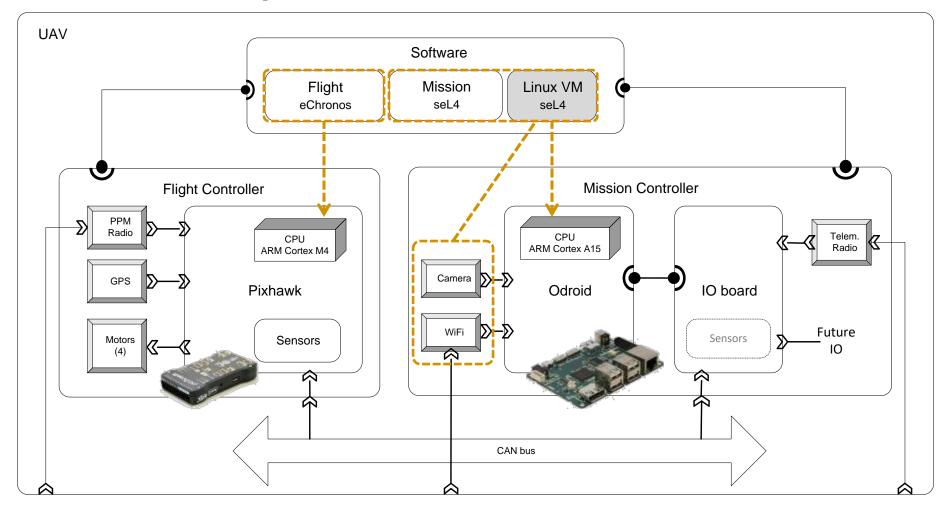
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PUTTING CODEGEN IN CONTEXT

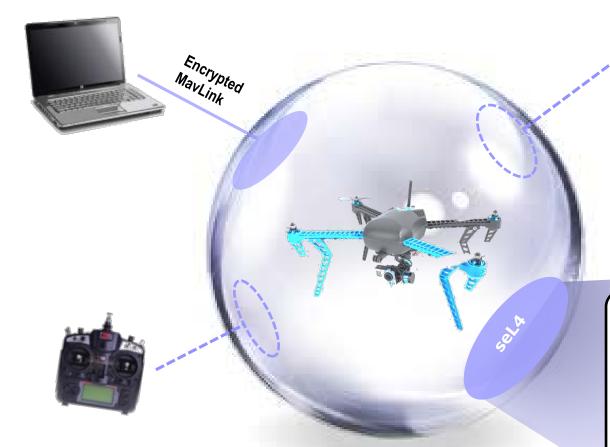


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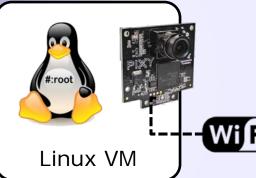
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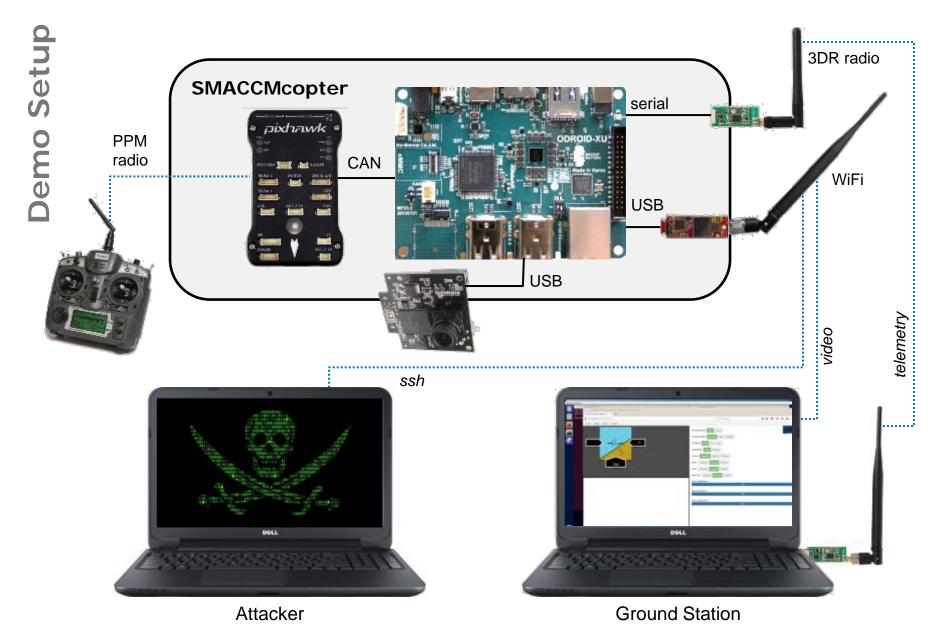


Linux VM hosted on seL4 Can the Red Team:

- Impact task execution?
- Access keys?
- Send on CAN bus?
- Control vehicle?



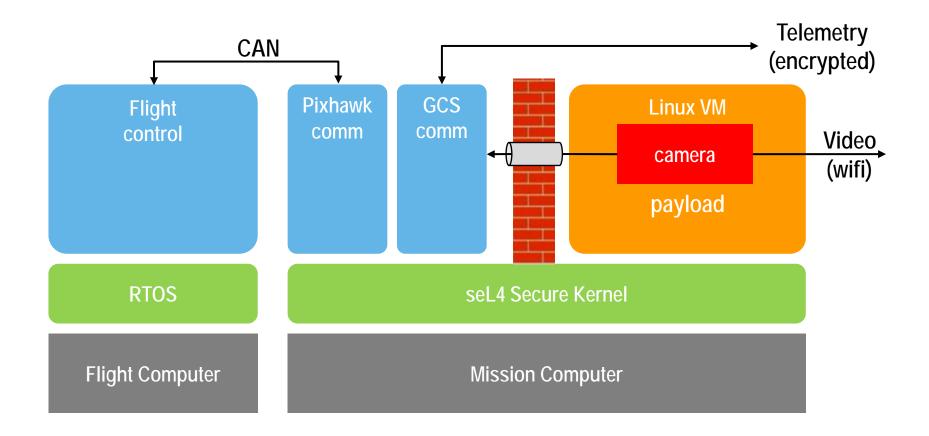




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Secure Software Architecture





Key Compromise

- Unverified kernel has a security vulnerability affecting memory protection
- Attacker uses vulnerability to break out of the Linux virtual machine (VM) and access the encryption process memory
- Attacker is able to overwrite the key and take control of the vehicle

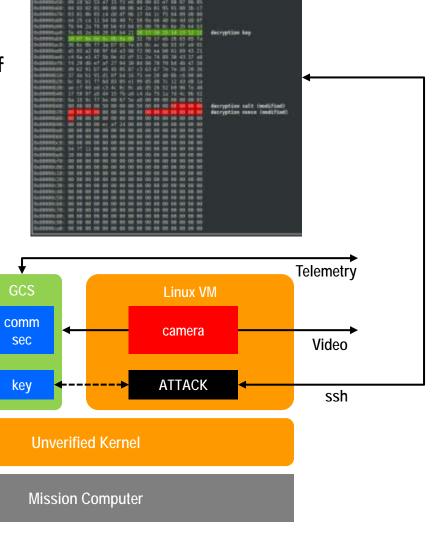
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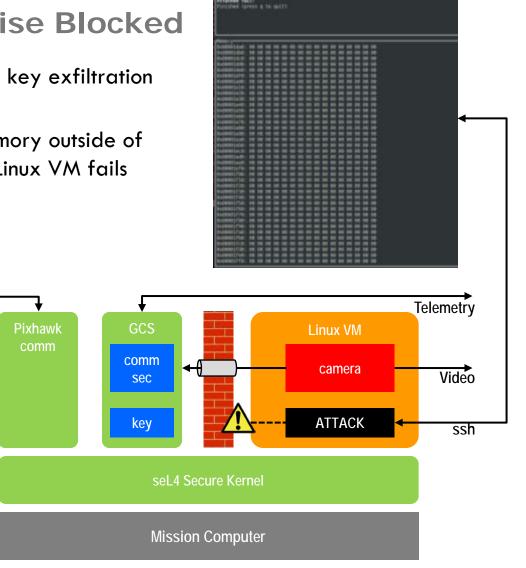




Key Compromise Blocked

- With the seL4 kernel, the key exfiltration attack is unsuccessful
- Any attempt to read memory outside of what is allocated to the Linux VM fails

CAN



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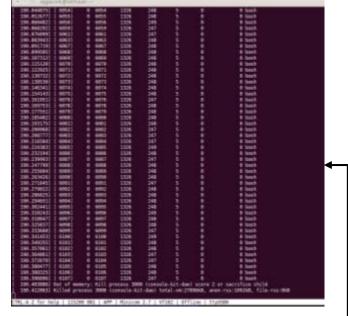
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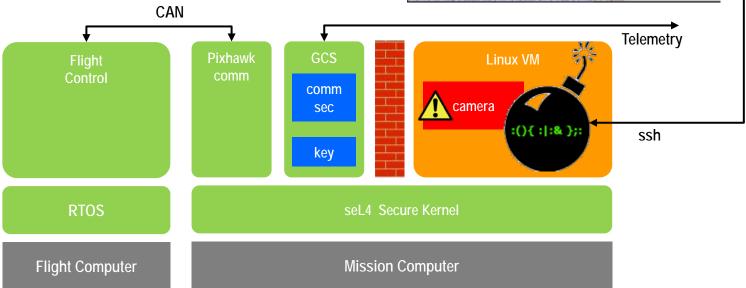
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Fork Bomb Contained

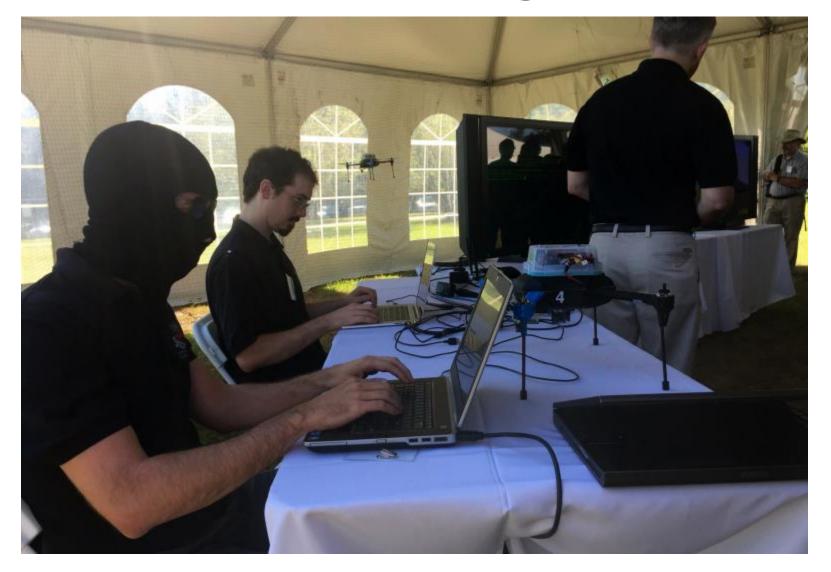
- A "fork bomb" is an attack that exhausts system resources
- seL4 confines the impact to the Linux VM
- Payload (camera) stops working but the rest of the system is unaffected





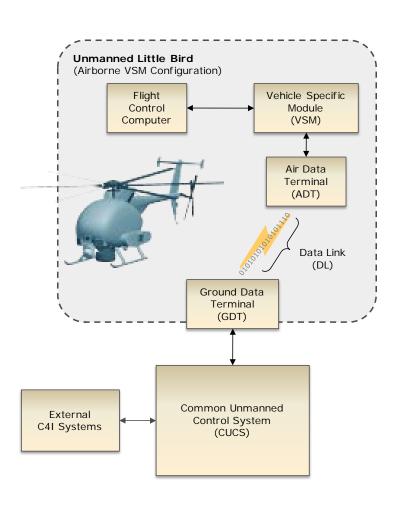


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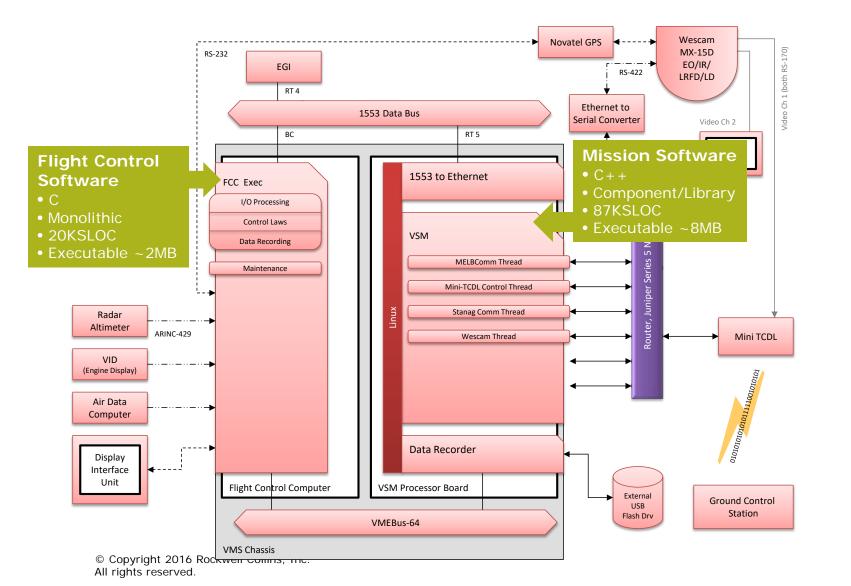


- STANAG 4586 is an interoperability architecture designed to allow mix and match control of UAVs by ground stations
- Compatible ground station
 - STANAG 4586 defines the requirements for a compliant Ground Control Station (GCS) capable of potentially controlling multiple dissimilar UAVs.
- Compatible UAV
 - STANAG 4586 defines the requirements for a Vehicle Specific Module (VSM) that is the interoperable interface to the air vehicle
 - The standard is consistent with either an airborne or ground based VSM
- The ULB VSM is on the aircraft



Baseline ULB Architecture

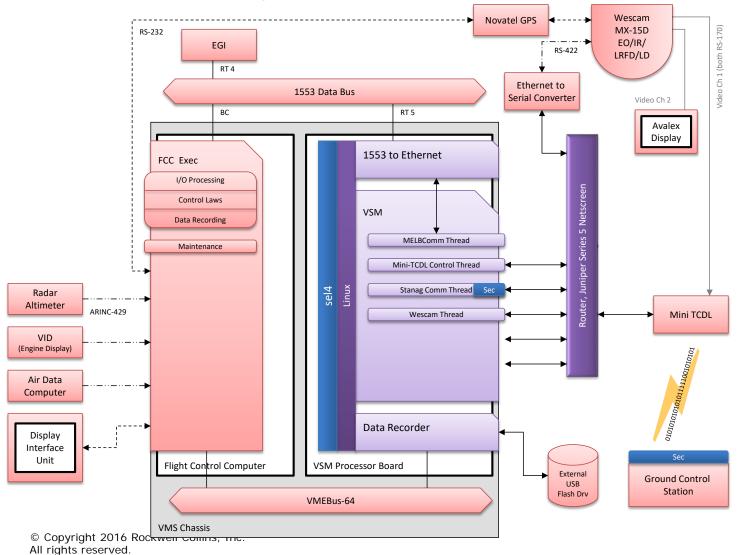






Phase 1 Architecture

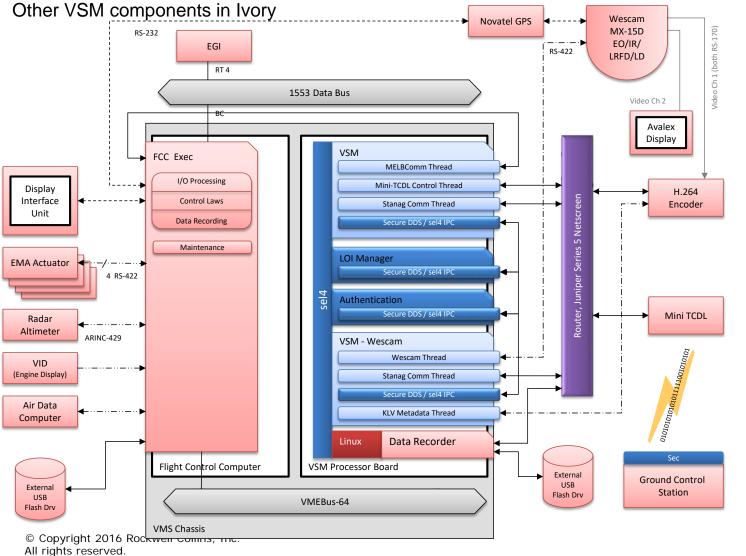
SMACCM Authentication VSM Hosted on seL4 in a single Linux VM





Phase 2 Architecture

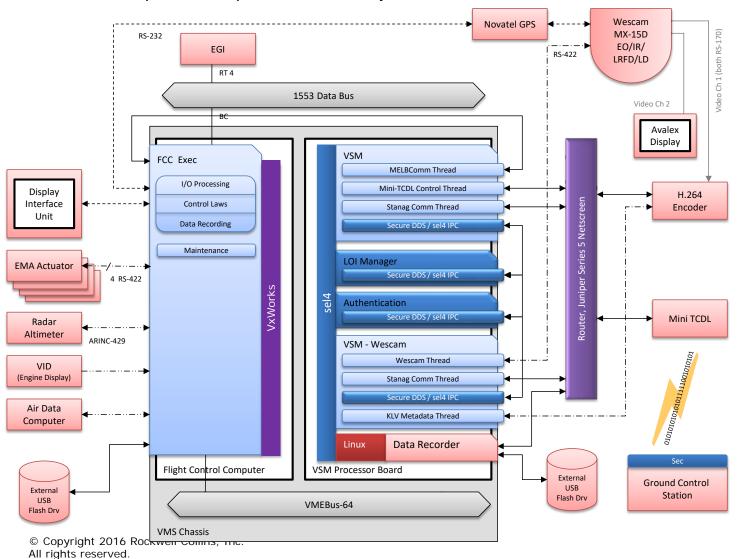
VSM split into "navigation" and camera VSMs Authentication and LOI Ivory components VSMs natively on seL4
Simplified VSM to FCC Communication





Phase 3 Architecture

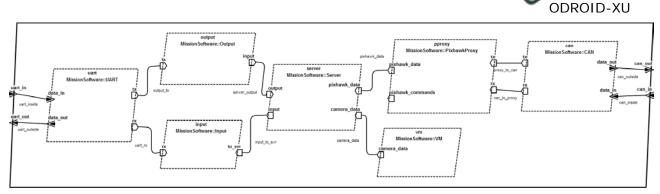
FCC AADL model, running on VxWorks
Some FCC components implemented in Ivory/Tower





Phase 3 – SMACCMcopter

- Final version of SMACCMpilot on eChronos on Pixhawk with updated Ivory/Tower build
- SMACCMcopter mission computer hardware refresh
- Update AADL model for SMACCMcopter mission computer
- Focus on verification of system-level properties
 - E.g., Geofence
- CAN gateway and protocol verification
 - Untrusted network segment
- seL4 real-time features





NVIDIA Tegra K1 SoC

- Quad-Core ARM Cortex-A15
- IOMMU



Conclusion

- Cyber-secure: not vulnerable to a broad range of attacks
 - Secure communications with ground
 - Enforced software task separation onboard
 - Correct data flows and behaviors in system architecture
- Software components have no structural flaws
 - Analysis and construction based on formal methods
- Untrusted code can be safely used on the platform within trusted boundaries
 - Legacy code or COTS

Secure systems can be built without sacrificing performance





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