

Model-based Cybersecurity Engineering for Connected and Automated Vehicles

The FLOURISH Project

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Connected and Automated Vehicles?



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- FLOURISH is a multi-sector collaboration aiming to contribute to the delivery of advanced technologies for Connected Autonomous Vehicles (CAVs) in the UK. The Flourish project addresses two different but critical issues for CAVs:
 - Ensuring that wireless connectivity and cybersecurity of CAVs are considered by design; and
 - Optimising individuals' experience when using the technology, with a particular focus on the needs of an ageing population.



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Open Challenges

- Geographical addressing
- Risk analysis and management
- Data-centric Trust and Verification
- Anonymity, Privacy and Liability
- Secure localization
- Forwarding algorithms
- Delay and Reliability constraints
- Prioritization of data packets and congestion control



Attack Surfaces





Solutions for Security, Privacy and Trust (SPT)

- Proactive security: digitally signed messages with certificates (PKI), proprietary system design (protocols and HW), tamper resistant HW
- **Reactive security**: signature-based and anomaly-based intrusion detection
- Anonymity and privacy: linkability between *pseudonyms*
- Secure localization: tamper-proof GPS, etc



Public Key Infrastructure for C-ITS: an example

Generic C-ITS deployment model for generation and distribution of cryptographic material (EU C-ITS WG5-Annex 1)



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Building blocks
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Model-Based Systems Engineering

- Define CAV development lifecycle and IV&V strategy
 - Considering alignment with ISO/IEC 15288 "Systems Engineering Life Cycle Processes" and/or IEEE 1220 "Application and Management of the Systems Engineering Process"
- Develop generic CAV system architecture
 - Using MODAF/SysML embedded systems modelling
 - In line with MoD Standard 23-09 (GVA)



Model-Based Systems Engineering (cont'd)

- Assess CAV GVA against C-ITS platform 2016 report key requirements
 - Consider tailoring IV&V processes towards generic certification
- Develop an SoS view of CAV operation
 - System-of-systems (or network-of-networks) model
 - Suitable simulation (e.g. system dynamics, cybernetics/viable system, game theory etc. tbc) to identify emergent behaviours, unintended consequences and potential risks



Original Architecture



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Use case name: <<N>> authenticates

Participating actor: CAV

Entry condition: An entry package is sent from RSU

Events flow: The package is received. The CAVs actor runs the authentication element. The <<N>> element obtains the RSU credentials from the package. The <<N>> stereotype instance creates complementary information from de credentials. The <<N>> stereotype instance runs the authentication function. The <<N>> creates the assertion {True, False}. This use case extends the Receives RSU instructions use case and Receives data from RSU use case Exit condition: The CAVs authenticate the package received

Use case name: <<N>> RSU Authenticates Participating actor: RSU Entry condition: Receive data from the LIDAR

Events flow: The package is received. The RSU actor runs the authentication element. The <<N>> element obtains the LIDAR credentials from the package. The <<N>> stereotype instance create complementary information from de credentials The <<N>> stereotype instance runs the authentication function. The <<N>> creates the assertion {True, False}. This use case extends the Read BBR data instructions use case.

Exit condition: The RSU authenticates the package received.





Re-engineered architecture using IoTSecM





Model-based security

- Systematic documentation of security requirements
- Controls not just baselined, but selected based on need
 - which became clear to all
- Ability to simulate the logic of external security analysis techniques
 - here fault trees, could be others (or combination)
- Compatible with use cases implemented at other WPs
- Potentially standardizing the UK GVA for CAVs





• Thank you

