



# ALL MEMBER MEETING '21

## Counterfeit Modules, Right to Repair, and Cybersecurity Plans:

Challenges and Opportunities

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# Purpose

- Understand current state of the art, issues, and regulations for automotive modules and diagnostics.
- Explore ways to build a stronger foundation for security, safety, and reliability while sharing the right data and allowing the right R2R!
- Propose expanded built-in test tied to secure boot to detect counterfeit parts at any point in the vehicle life cycle.
- Propose strong auditable authentication requirements for security or safety critical diagnostic access.

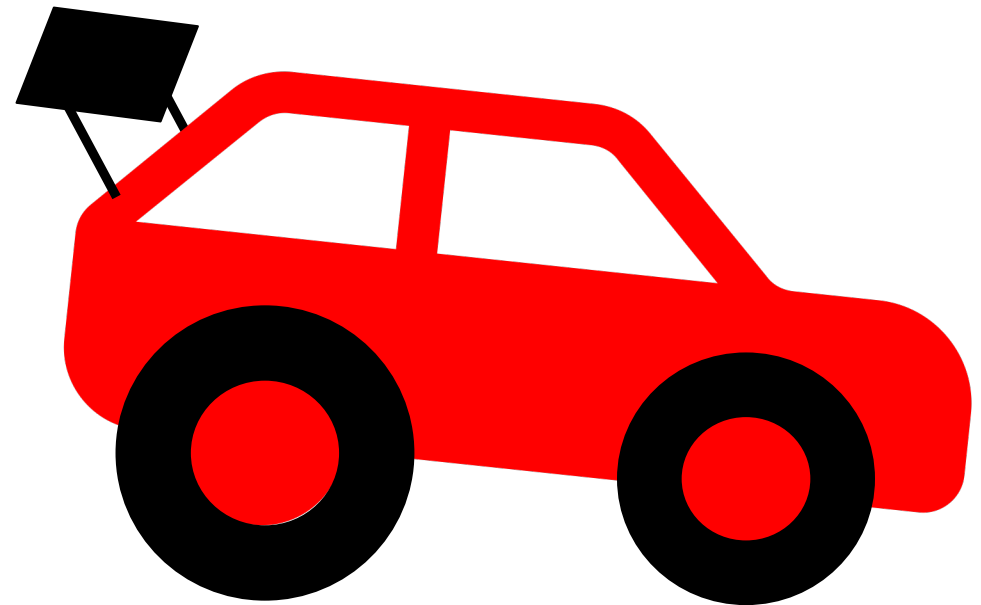
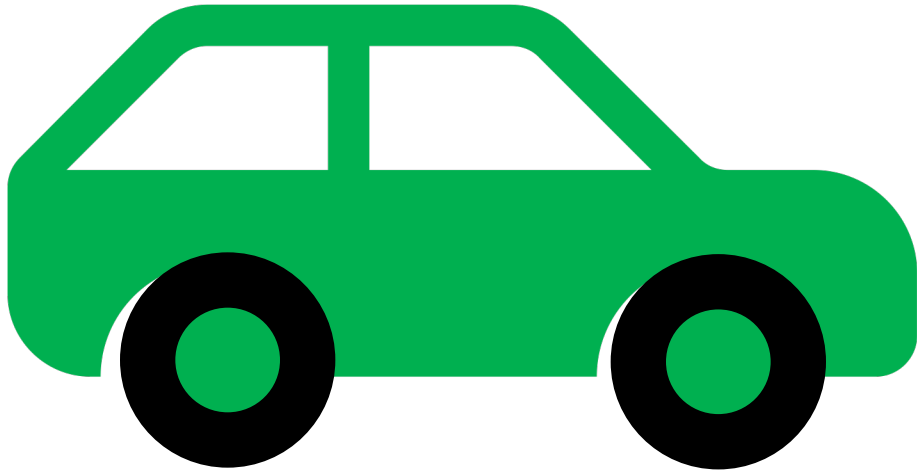


# Outline

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# As-Built vs Real World



# Diagnostic Regulations



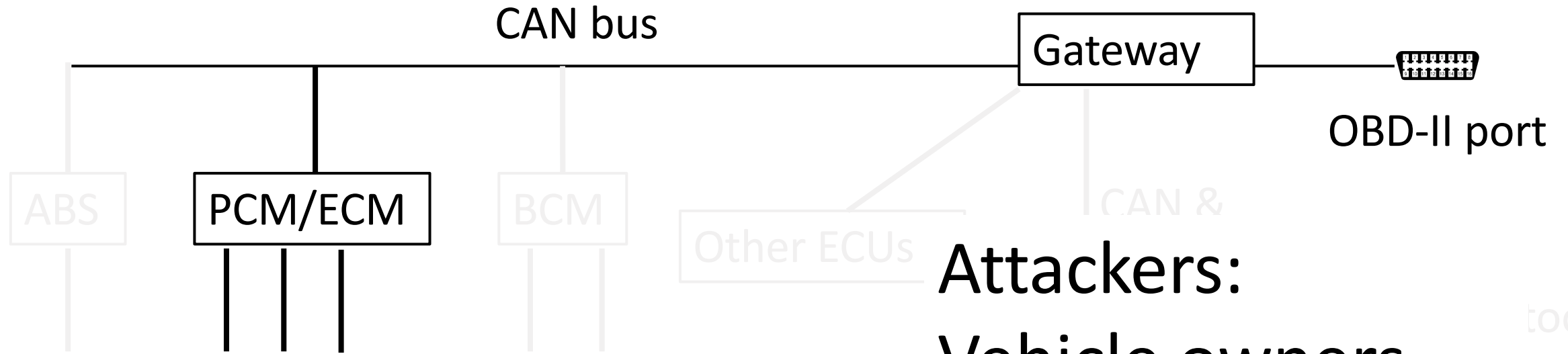
- California Air Resources Board (CARB) OBD Regulations
  - 1988 OBD I required manufacturers to monitor emission control components
  - 1994 OBD-II fixed problems, made the system more powerful
- US EPA rules in 1995, 2001, 2003, 2009
  - Makes OBD-II mandatory for all cars sold in US
  - 33 states require OBD for vehicle emission tests
- EU Directives on EOBD (2001 gas, 2004 diesel)
- ISO 15765-4 Diagnostics over CAN (DoCAN)
- ISO 14229-1 UDS

# Right to Repair

- EU Motor Vehicle Block Exemption Regulations (BER) since 1995
  - access to technical information for independent shops
  - freedom to source and supply spare parts protects alternatives does not address counterfeits
- Massachusetts Automotive Repair Acts
  - 2013 diagnostic tools & repair information
  - 2020 added open telematics platform



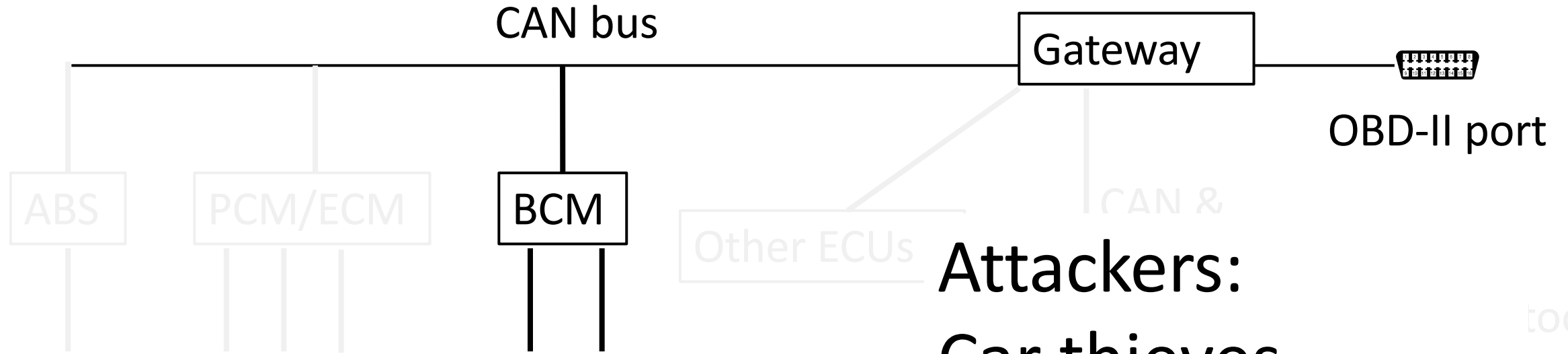
# Issues - Chip Tuning



More power / fuel economy  
Higher emissions  
Regulatory issues  
Warranty issues

**Attackers:**  
Vehicle owners  
Custom shops  
OEM

# Issues - Anti-Theft



Body enclosures locking  
Key fob programming  
Immobilizer  
Module reprogramming  
UDS service 0x27 security access

**Attackers:**  
Car thieves  
Counterfeiters  
Nation State

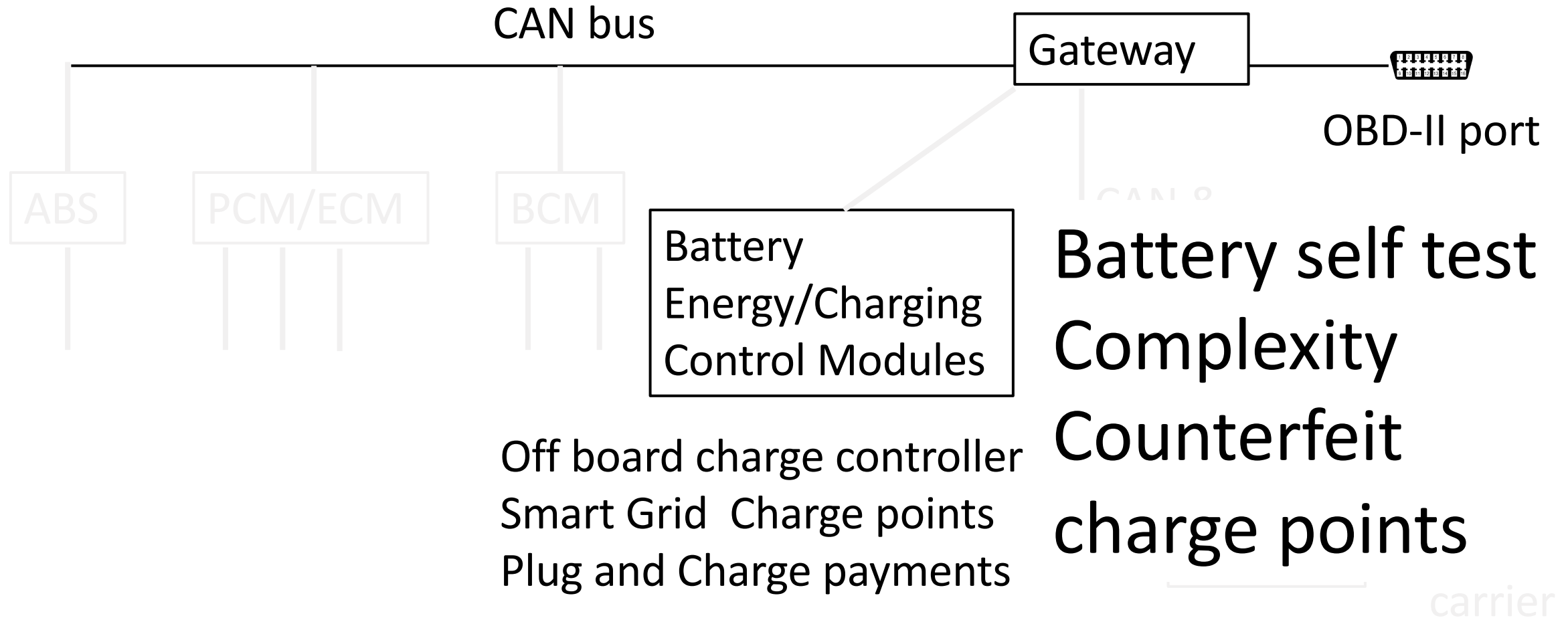




# Issues – Counterfeit Modules

- Accidental purchase from untrusted supply chain
- Intentional dealer / shop malfeasance
- Modules from approved supplier may contain counterfeit components
- Aftermarket parts are allowed but will need to pass DV test and be authenticated for future vehicles

# Issues - Electric Vehicle



# Current Controls

- Security access for reprogramming
  - Dealer / shop employees sharing / selling credentials
  - UDS service 0x27 security access seed/key
  - Backend challenge/response
- Secure boot
  - Only for a few modules
- Diagnostic self test
  - Only for emissions or safety critical modules
  - Diagnostic Trouble Code (DTC) developed for emissions





# Recommendations

# 1204 - Siege of Chateau Galliard

Most advanced castle of its  
day, defense in depth



# Toilet chute was not Outbound Only

Do not allow any writable DID or config without strong authentication or over inbound Internet or wireless communications



# Granular Authentication

- UDS service 0x27 is not secure, even level 3
- Backend logging and response to unusual activity is the first step
- Any weak auth writable DID is a vulnerability
- Signing of firmware, configs, critical commands
- UDS service 0x29 PKI from a trusted backend server
- Authenticated secure tunnel initiated by the module
- Authentication of service technician requires factors that cannot be shared or sold and strong identity proofing, trust accountability



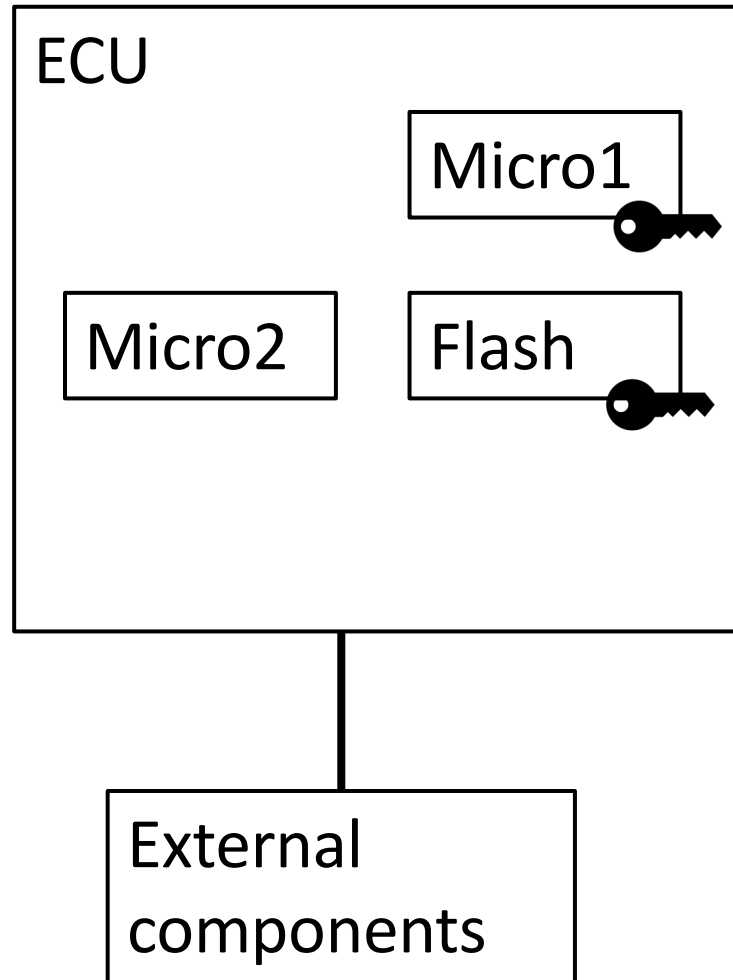
# Right to Repair vs Right to Anonymity



- For safety, security, and warranty, allow changes only when traceable to an accountable person
- Physical access beats encryption or technical controls
- Secure boot validation of firmware, config, and components
- Built-in self test of components can help detect counterfeits
- System secure boot needs standard PKI based communication, not putting requirement on ASIL-D module
- Need ability to validate in the vehicle, V2V, V2I, and to the OEM

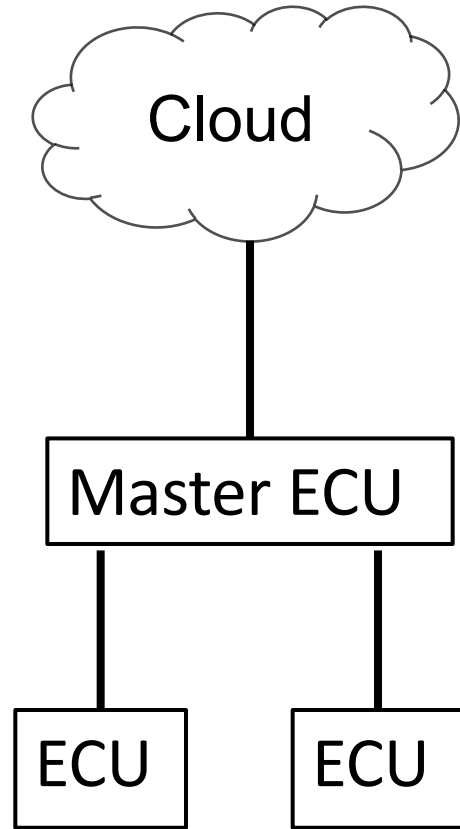


# System Secure Boot Part 1



- Secure boot requires SHE or HSM or hardware root of trust like Micron Authentia Flash (counterfeit-proof)
- Logic / memory BIST, memory measurements, built-in test of other components within the ECU
- Test of external components on LIN, h/w, query other modules

# System Secure Boot Part 2



- Use DICE key tied to secure boot to sign attestation, versions, measurements
- Report signed boot attestation to master ECU. Signature validation does not require ASIL rated module and could be gateway
- Validate golden list against signed lists, locally and in cloud

# Conclusions

- We propose a unified, distributed solution that can be implemented on a variety of modules
- Using signatures solves the problems of transport authentication and trusted module validation
- Identity proof of a person who takes repair responsibility is the hardest problem





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