

Cyber-Security in the Connected Car Age

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Auto Security Problem

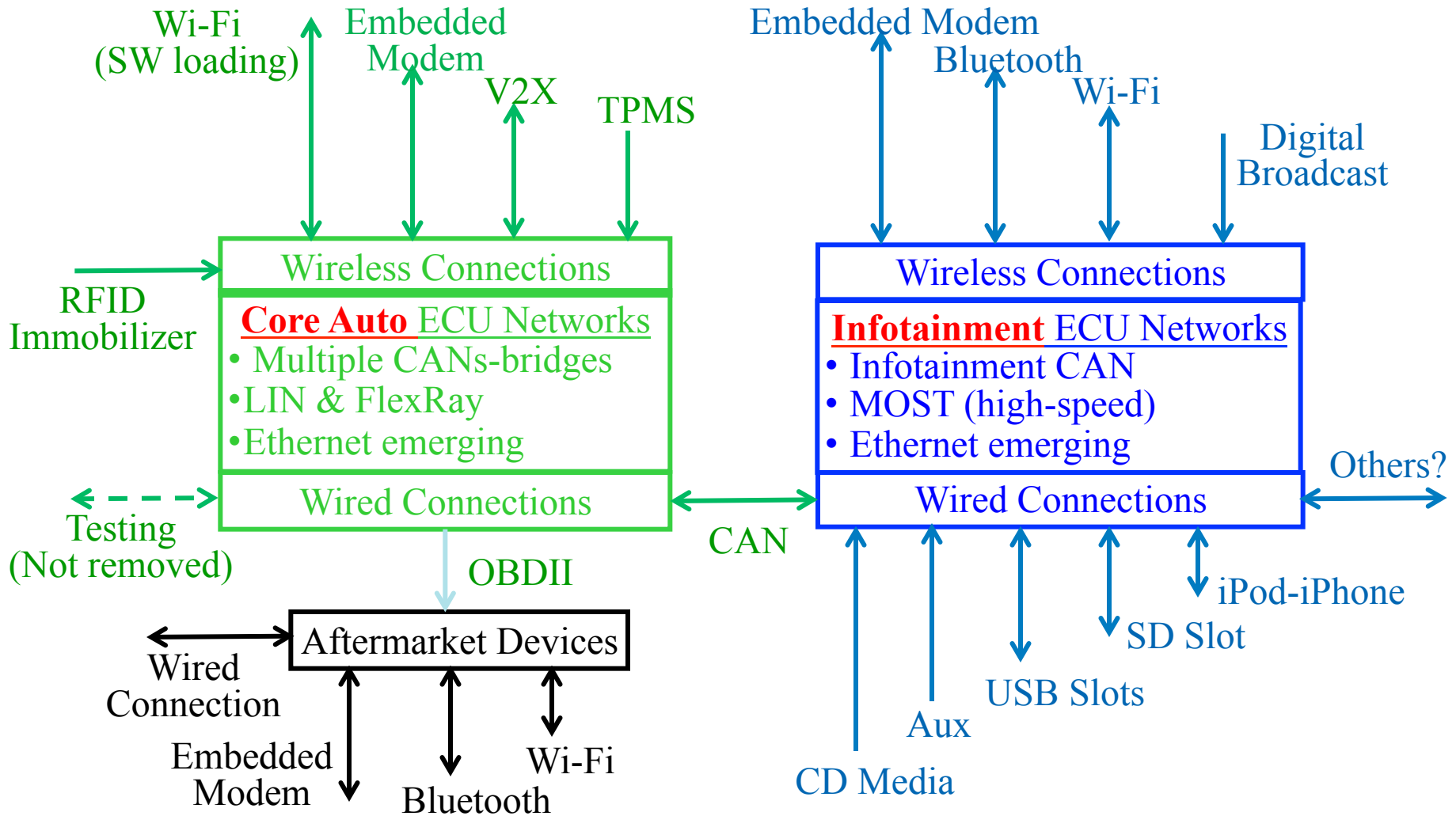
	Key Information	Problem/Comments
Complacency	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Not needed previously ▶ “It will not happen to us” ▶ Too much effort vs. rewards ▶ No known actual breaches 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Hard to justify cost and effort ▶ Common view in all industries ▶ True, but is now changing ▶ Only R&D; proof of concept
Connected Car Growth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Opens door to remote access ▶ Multiple connection points 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Connected cars on the road: ▶ 2015-83M; 2022-430M
Security Knowledge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ New skill set needed ▶ Rare skill in auto industry 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Not part of SW testing yet ▶ Shortage in most industries
Examples	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Chrysler Jeep: July 2015* ▶ OnStar RemoteLink app: 7/15 ▶ Tesla (physical access): 8/15 ▶ BMW ConnectedDrive: 1/15 ▶ Many models are hackable 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Open H-U port allowed access ▶ App spoofing via own device ▶ Fixed via remote SW update ▶ Fixed via remote SW update ▶ Based on hacking R&D

* Resulted in Chrysler recall of 1.4M vehicles → Cost of \$140M+
 OnStar RemoteLink downloaded 3M+ times; BMW security flaw in 2.2M vehicles

What Makes Future Cars More Vulnerable to Security Threats?

	Key Information	Comments
Connected Car	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Cloud connected car content ▶ Connected ECU architecture ▶ Self-driving & driverless cars 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ More wireless connections ▶ Remote software updates ▶ Always connected
Platform Design	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Hardware platforms ▶ Software platforms ▶ Application platforms 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ More standardization ▶ More system knowledge ▶ More program knowledge
Attack Access Points	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ OBDII ▶ OBDII w/wireless module ▶ Telematics modem link(s) ▶ Smartphone links ▶ Wi-Fi network link(s) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Need physical access ▶ Bluetooth, Wi-Fi, cellular ▶ 2.5G, 3G, 3.5G, 4G, 4.5G ▶ Bluetooth, USB & others ▶ Router & Direct
Security Deployment Speed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Connected car growth ▶ Many current security holes ▶ Security is new skill set ▶ Built-in security needed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Many access points ▶ Need to be found & updated ▶ Low auto security knowledge ▶ How quickly will this happen?

Auto System Access Points: 2015



Hacking research has shown that nearly all access points can be compromised!

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Auto Security Threat Overview

	Security Attack Goals	Comments
Property Theft	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Steal vehicle ▶ Steal valuable auto components 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Via unauthorized access ▶ Via unauthorized access
Industrial Espionage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Steal OEM's intellectual property ▶ Spy on OEM's expertise 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Software & hardware ▶ Intellectual property value
Deception	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Circumvent HW-SW functionality ▶ Manipulate auto equipment ▶ Manipulate contracts & agreements 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Speed, features, chip tuning ▶ Toll device, digital tachograph ▶ Lease, warranty
Privacy & Data	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Location tracking ▶ Event data recorders ▶ Credit card & financial information 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Stalking, VIP tracking ▶ Accident investigations ▶ If stored in car electronics
Damage & Destruction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Harm driver and passengers ▶ Harm auto OEM's reputation ▶ Harm transportation system 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Accidentally or for-profit ▶ Accidentally or for-profit ▶ Cyber warfare

Auto Security Attacks: Financial Risks

	Key Information	Comments
Legal Risks	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Cost of lawsuits▶ Cost of negligence	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ In 10s of millions of dollars▶ Possibly 100s of millions of dollars
Business & Customer Loss	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Loss of customer contracts▶ Software upgrade/recall cost▶ Future business loss	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Possibly 100s of millions of dollars▶ 10s to 100s of millions of dollars▶ Until new product is re-established
Reputation Impact	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Most severe for auto OEMs▶ Public likely to shun autos with cyber-security issues	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ From \$100M to \$1B+▶ Whether real or not▶ Even after fixes have been done
Summary	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Successful software security attacks have the potential to be among the most costly auto recall & reputation events	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Legal risk will be substantial▶ Product update cost may be low to extreme high▶ Reputation impact will be severe

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Security Lessons from Other Industries

	Key Information	Comments
PC Industry: Early 1990s	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Mostly standalone PC ▶ Little connectivity ▶ None or minimal security 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ LANs emerging ▶ Email emerging ▶ Internet was a niche market
PC Industry: 2000s	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Mostly Internet connected PCs ▶ Security is a major problem ▶ Add-on security software 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Broadband-era established ▶ Poor and add-on security ▶ Limited anti-virus software
PC, Tablets & Smartphones 2010s	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Internet-connected devices ▶ Add-on security software ▶ Security is a major problem ▶ Smartphone/tablet: new target ▶ Infected websites: new problem 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Internet drives PC/CE industries ▶ Service-based anti-virus ▶ Improved PC security, but ▶ Security is lagging ▶ In addition to email
Lessons	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Security has to be built-in ▶ Hardware security is lacking ▶ OS must use MPU HW security 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ In hardware and software ▶ Need to be part of MPU ▶ Apps must use OS/HW security

Security Attack Sources: PC vs. Auto

	Motivation	PC Industry	Auto Industry
Hackers: White Hat	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Reputation ▶ Show vulnerable attack points 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Since beginning of PC ▶ Mostly positive goals, but unintended impact 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ First wave of hacking ▶ Have shown many auto security flaws
Entrepreneurs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Financial gains ▶ Mostly legal 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Mostly email spam via unlimited broadband 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Limited, no unlimited data plans in future
Organized Crime	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Financial gains ▶ Credit cards & bank accounts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Mostly Botnet-based ▶ Phishing multiplier ▶ Moving to Smartphone 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Mostly via Smartphone ▶ Harm-for-hire likely ▶ Financial gains
Industrial Espionage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Valuable IP theft ▶ Co-sponsored ▶ Gov-sponsored 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Common, but little data available ▶ Competent hackers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Long-term problem ▶ Likely severe problem ▶ Physical access likely*
Terrorism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Political goals ▶ Intention to harm 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Productivity tool using standard PC apps 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Future use, but rare ▶ Auto as lethal weapon
Hacktivism	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Hacking used for political reasons ▶ Unauthorized data access 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Unauthorized access tool to databases ▶ Small group, very competent hackers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Not likely or limited—at least in auto ECUs ▶ Must know auto & very competent hackers

Security Attack Categories: PC vs. Auto

	PC Industry	Purpose	Auto Impact
Hacking Tools (Learn)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Vulnerability scanner ▶ Port scanner ▶ Password cracking ▶ Packet sniffer ▶ Spoofing, Phishing ▶ Backdoor 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Find weaknesses ▶ Find open ports ▶ Recover password ▶ Find access data ▶ Illegitimate Website ▶ Bypass authentication 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Yes, emerging ▶ Yes, done (Chrysler) ▶ Yes, done ▶ Yes, w/physical access ▶ Unlikely ▶ Yes, diagnostics port
Attack Tools	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Viruses ▶ Worms ▶ Trojans ▶ Root kits ▶ Key loggers ▶ Denial of service 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Self-replicating, user file ▶ Self-replicating, by itself ▶ Looks benign, but is not ▶ Conceal security breach ▶ Record keystrokes ▶ Shut down a resource 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Via Smartphone ▶ Via Smartphone ▶ Yes done ▶ Probably, later ▶ Unlikely ▶ Works on ECUs

- UCSD & U of WA published 2 papers on the results of hacking MY 2009 car ECUs
- Methods marked in **red** used with physical access (able to compromise all ECUs)
- Methods marked in **green** used for remote access (able to compromise all ECUs)

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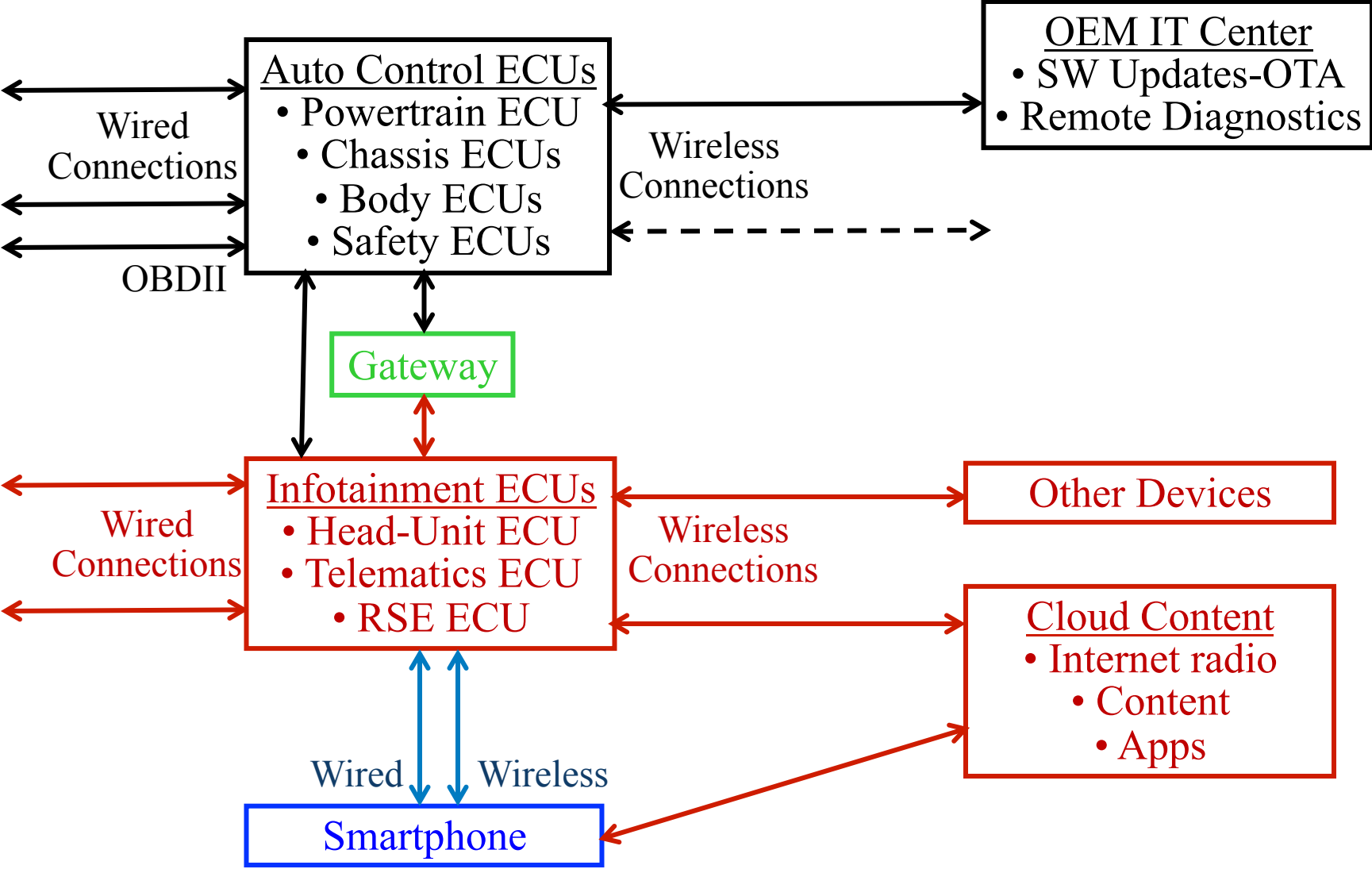
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Cyber-Security Solution Overview

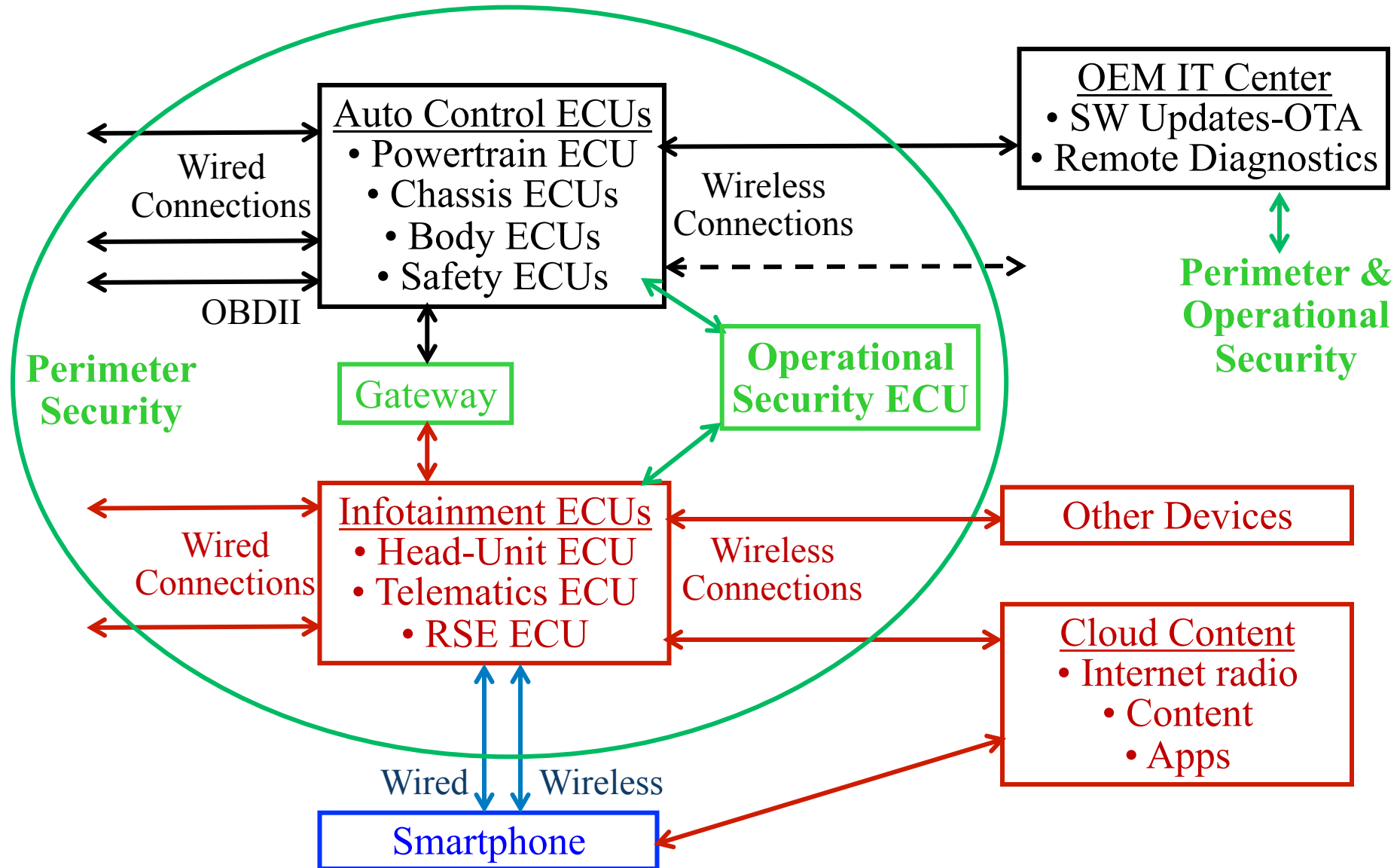
	Key Information
Iterative Process	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Cyber-security is an iterative process over the life-time of the system, sub-system, device, software and hardware
Best Practice	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Cyber-security is a life-cycle process that includes assessment, design, implementation and operations▶ It also includes an effective testing and certification program
Assessment Phase	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Establish security policy & System security evaluation▶ Iterative risk assessment (most important element)
Design Phase	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ System prioritization & Security architecture
Implementation Phase	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Security architecture implementation▶ Security testing and evaluation
Operational Phase	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Awareness and security training▶ Intrusion detection and response (most important)
Strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Best defense is to make security attacks unprofitable▶ Assume successful attacks and focus on detection & mitigation▶ Build software security on top of hardware security modules

Note: Most information from NHTSA Cyber-security Report

Connected Car Overview



Big Picture Cyber-Security Solution



Auto Cyber-Security Solution

	Key Information
Perimeter Security	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ To detect and prevent unauthorized access▶ Via wireless, wired and other access points (i.e. media)
Perimeter Security Components	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Built-in microcomputer hardware security functionality▶ OS software security that leverage hardware security▶ Middleware security that leverage HW & OS security▶ Apps security that leverage HW & OS SW security▶ Every ECU will need these layers of security to check that any in-coming content is free of malware
Operational Security	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Perimeter security will not be 100% successful▶ Operational security is required to detect and prevent damage from malware that got through perimeter security
OEM IT Center	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Will need the best Perimeter & Operational security▶ OEM IT Center has the most valuable information!

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Auto Security Products & Solutions

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Cyber-Security Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Security risk assessment ▶ Penetration testing ▶ Vulnerability assessment 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Cisco OpSec ▶ IOActive ▶ Many others
Hardware Security	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Cryptographic processing ▶ Secure microprocessor 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Freescale microcomputers ▶ TI and others
Hypervisor Software	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Protect at software boot-up ▶ OS & software isolation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ OpenSynergy, Mentor Graphics ▶ Green Hills & others
Over-the-air SW Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Remote software update with built-in security 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Arynga ▶ Redbend
Apps Security Framework	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Security framework for connected car apps 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Secunet Application Control Unit ▶ Others expected

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CAN Bus Firewall	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Integrated CAN bus firewall ▶ Add-on CAN bus firewall ▶ CAN bus bridge firewall 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Arilou Technologies ▶ Visual Threat OBDShield ▶ Others likely in future
ECU Security	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ ECU software monitoring ▶ Can be embedded in ECUs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ TowerSec: ECUShield & TCUShield ▶ Others expected in future
Operation Security	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Deep Packet Inspection for ECU intrusion detection 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Argus Cyber Security IPS ▶ Other expected
Analysis Tools	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Framework for analysis and detection of CAN anomalies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ SWRI autoTREAD software ▶ Reverse engineering: CAN signals
Backend IT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Life cycle protection of flash software (cryptography-based) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Secunet Advanced Backend Security (ABSec)

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What Should Auto Industry Do?

	Key Information	Comments
Check current systems	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Check current connected car systems for security flaws 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ To find, correct and update any security issues
Weakness Identification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Offer rewards for finding auto security weaknesses 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Done by Google and other high-tech companies
Security Incident Response Center	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Auto industry organization to share security incident info 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Share security incidents info and attack methods
Continued R&D on auto security	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Continued NHTSA effort ▶ Continued SAE effort 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Leverage high-tech R&D ▶ Many security start-ups
Best Practice Guidelines	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Develop security guidelines ▶ Deployment needed now 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ NHTSA October 2014* ▶ In progress from SAE
Security Standards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Standards: NHTSA, SAE, etc. ▶ Rapid deployment needed 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Leverage existing standards from aerospace and others
Testing & Certification	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ Develop testing and certification standards 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▶ SAE and/or NHTSA ▶ Or others

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Auto Security Requirements

Requirements	Key Information
Hardware Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Hardware-based security is required▶ Tamper-proof: Prevention and detection
Software Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Unauthorized access must be detectable▶ Unauthorized alteration must not be feasible
Data Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Unauthorized access must be detectable▶ Unauthorized alteration must not be feasible
Communication Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Unauthorized modification from outside vehicle must be detected by receiver▶ Unauthorized in-vehicle communication must not be feasible and detectable
Access Control Integrity	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Authorized access must be well defined▶ Unauthorized access must be detectable▶ Development diagnostic access must be removed
Operational Security	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▶ Monitor ECU-to ECU messages for suspicious events▶ Database of normal & hacked messages & events

Auto Cyber Security Evolution

Operational Security

Verify ECU-ECU Messages

Hardware & Software Solution

MCUs with Built-in HW Security

IT Server & Layered Client HW-SW Security

Emerging Software Solutions

CAN Firewall & ECU SW Monitor

Backend & Layered Client SW Security

Auto Industry Research

•Government: EVITA, NHTSA
•Consortium: ACES, others likely

Auto Incident Response Center

Security Research and Hacking

Other Security Hacking R&D

Senator Markey Report & SPY Act

USCD & U-WA In-Car Access

USCD & U-WA Remote Access

Testing New Security SW & HW Products

Security Conference

Defcon & Blackhat: Auto presentations-2010

Embedded Security in Cars: EU-2003; US-2013; AP-2014



Auto Cyber-Security Takeaway

Good News	Bad News
▶ Successful auto hacking requires lots of time and expertise	▶ Good hacking tools & expertise expected in 3-5 years
▶ Business models for making money on car hacking is limited today	▶ Better hacking business models are likely (financial, ransomware)
▶ Auto industry is investing in cyber-security solutions	▶ Deployment is lagging and may take a decade to catch up
▶ Remote software update emerging for quicker fix of security flaws (OTA)	▶ Cyber-security breaches could have many & high expenses
▶ Cyber-security big picture is simple: Perimeter & Operational security	▶ Cyber-security implementation details are extremely difficult
	▶ Security will require constant advances and is never done
	▶ Cyber-security is a new skill set and is a limited resource

Questions?

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