



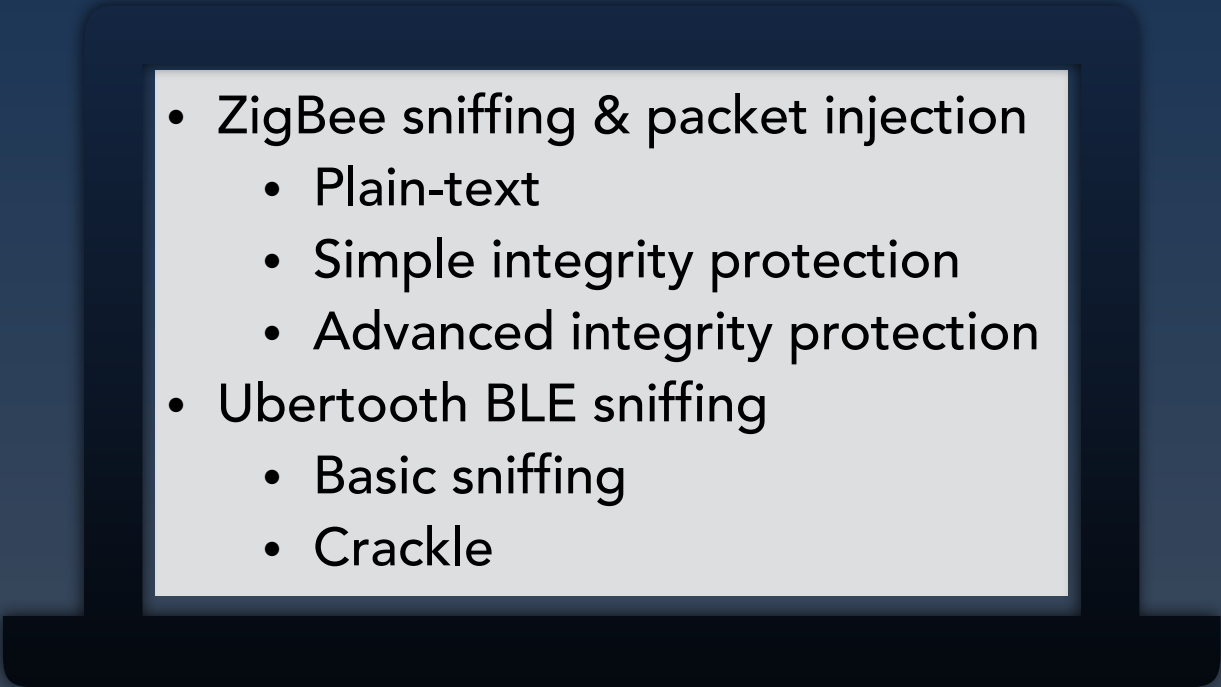
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Hands-on Exploitation & Hardening
of Wearable and IoT Platforms

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Agenda

- Technical overview of an IoT/wearable ecosystem
- Building blocks
- Communication Protocols
- Case Studies
 - IEEE 802.15.4/ZigBee
 - Bluetooth and BLE
- **Hands-on exercises**
- Privacy for next generation IoT/wearable platforms
- Security development lifecycle (SDL) overview

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- ZigBee sniffing & packet injection
 - Plain-text
 - Simple integrity protection
 - Advanced integrity protection
 - Ubertooth BLE sniffing
 - Basic sniffing
 - Crackle

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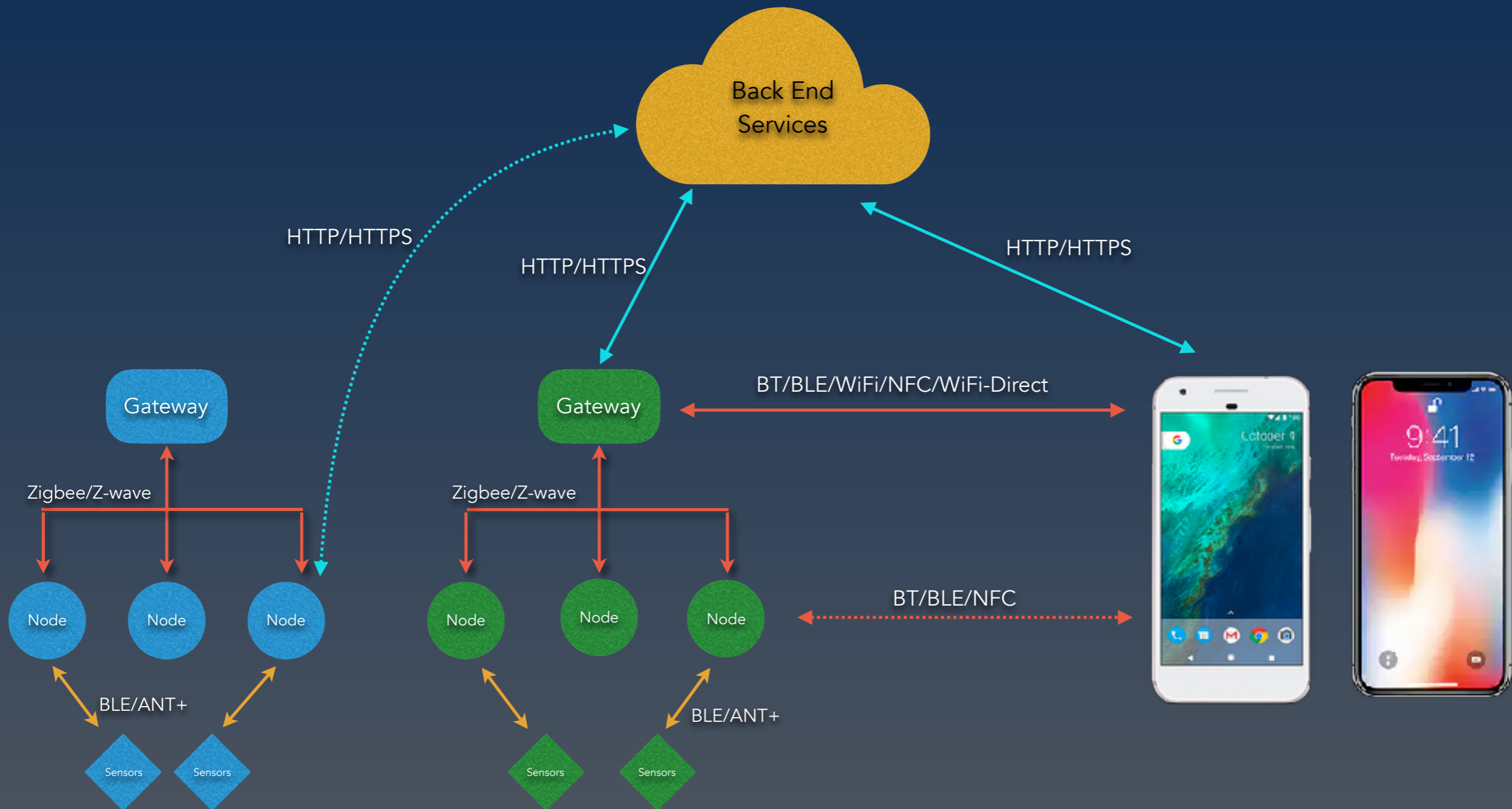
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IoT/Wearable Ecosystem



Building Blocks

Device	Mobile	Cloud
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Security for IoT

- Why?
 - Personal and PII data
 - Healthcare, Payment, Critical Infrastructure, ...
- Messy
 - Defensive Security Measures
 - Plethora of protocols and standards
- Process & Technical challenges

Attacking IoT

New Car Hacking Research: 2017, Remote Attack Tesla Motors Again

by Keen Security Lab of Tencent

FDA confirms that St. Jude's cardiac devices can be hacked

by Selena Larson @selenalarson

January 9, 2017: 3:53 PM ET

VPNFilter: New Router Malware with Destructive Capabilities

Unlike most other IoT threats, malware can survive reboot.

UPDATE: June 6, 2018:

ANDY GREENBERG SECURITY 07.26.15 07:00 AM

HACKERS CAN DISABLE A SNIPER RIFLE—OR CHANGE ITS TARGET

Mirai variant botnet launches IoT DDoS attacks on financial sector

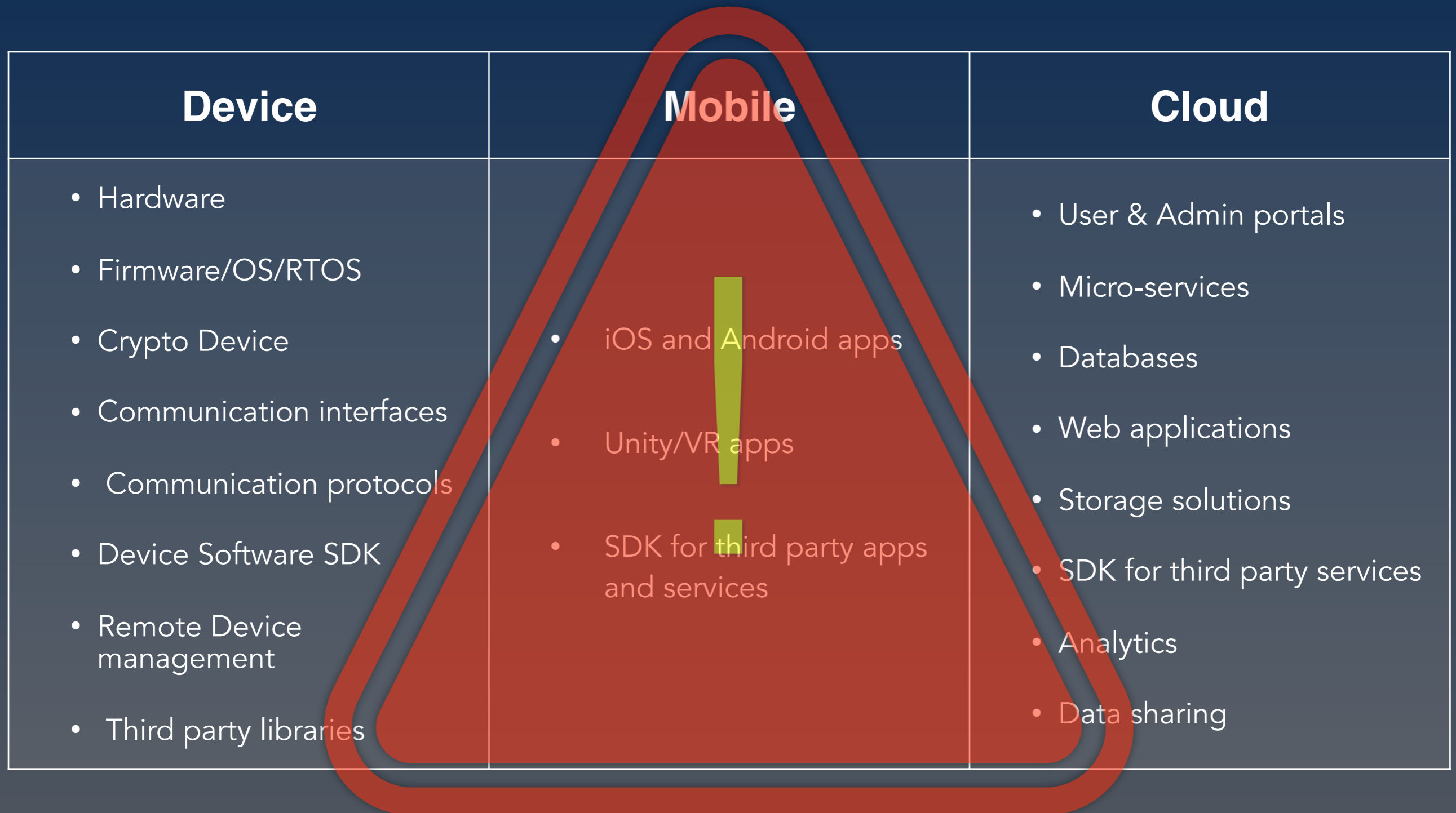
According to Recorded Future research, this could mark the first IoT botnet used in a DDoS attack since the initial Mirai attacks.

By Alex DeNisco @ryzme | April 5, 2018 8:31 AM PST

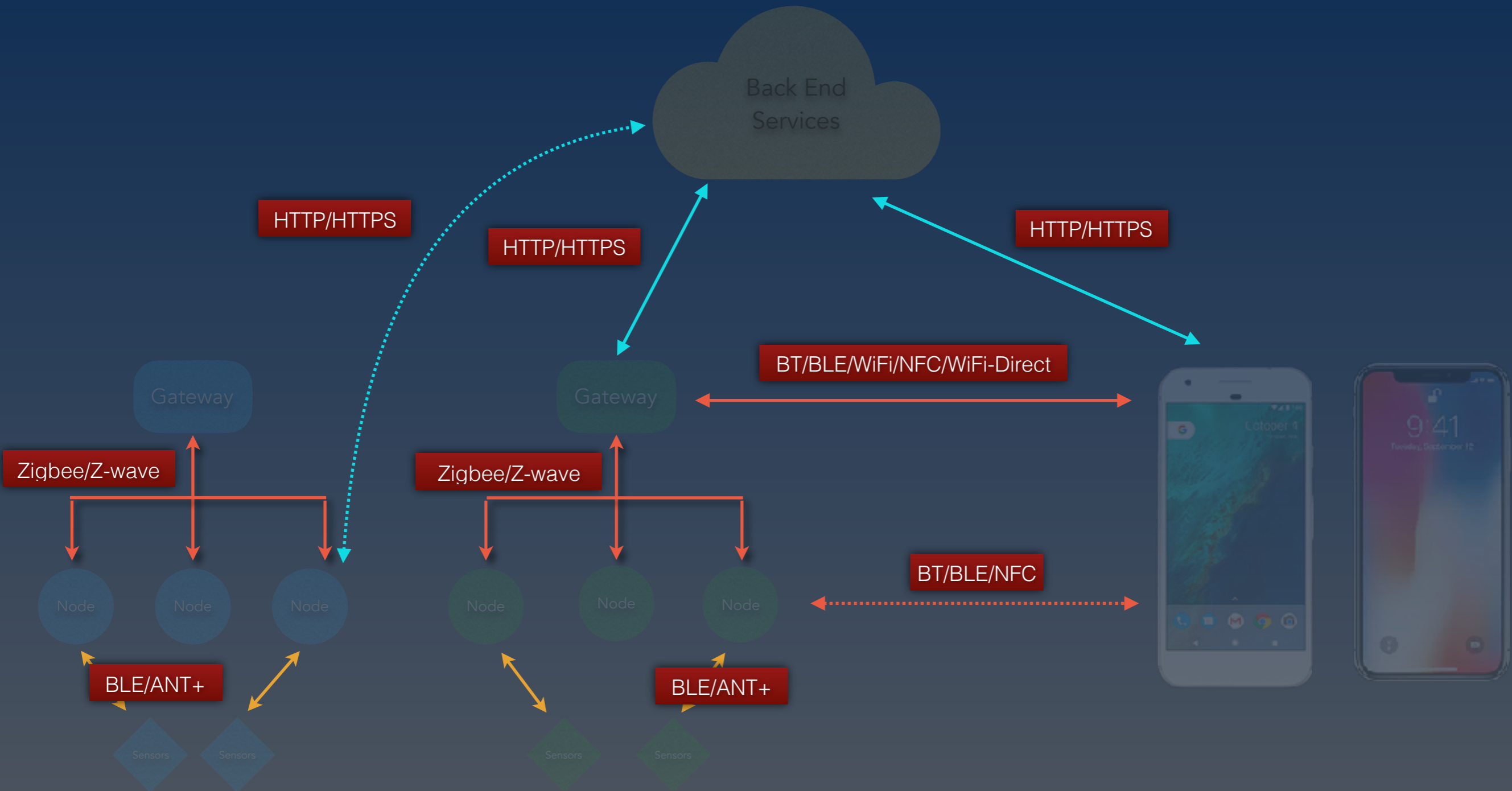
Weak Links?

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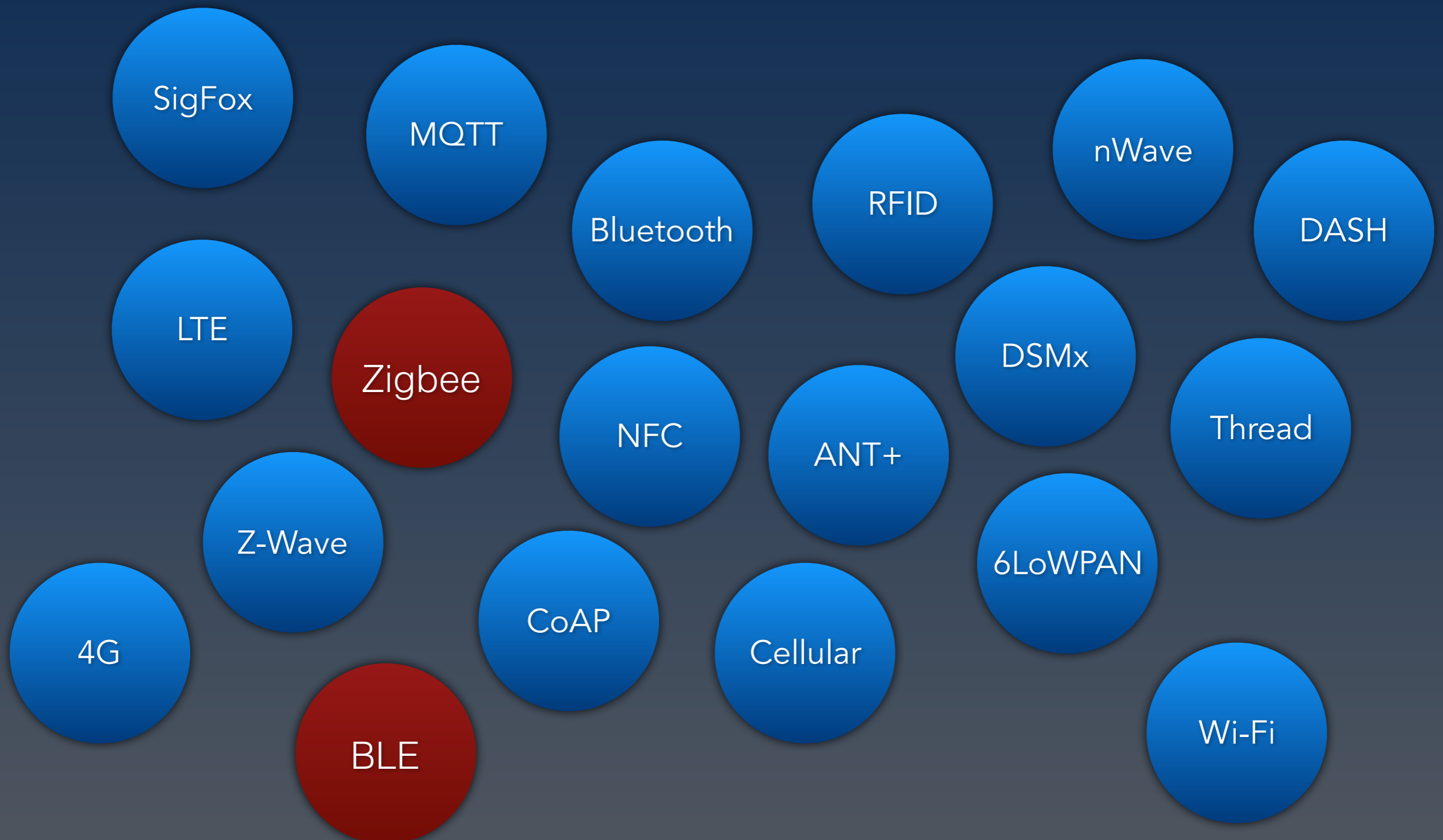
Weak Links



Communication Channels



IoT Protocols

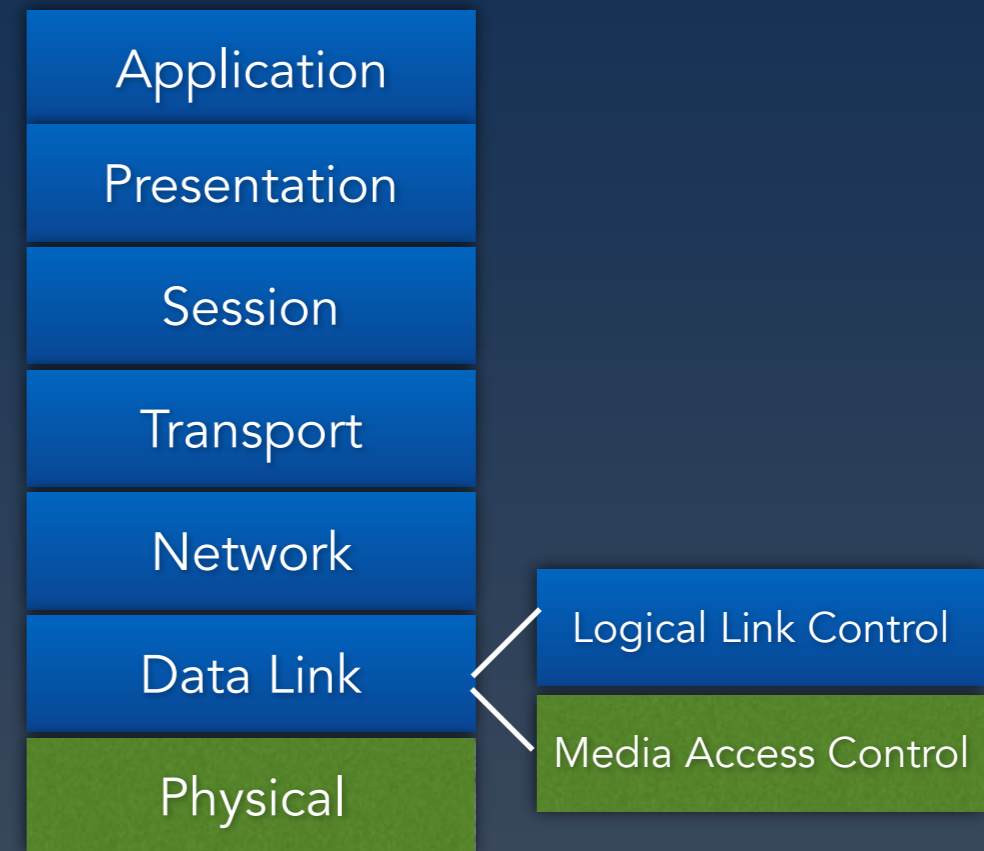


Zigbee

802.15.4

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- IEEE standard for low-rate wireless personal area networks (LR-WPANs)
- 6LoWPAN for IPv6 over WPANs
- Zigbee extends 802.15.4 (wrapper services)



Zigbee

- Low data rate wireless applications
- Smart energy, medical, home automation, IIoT
- Two bands of operation: 868/915MHz and 2450MHz
- Simpler & less expensive than Bluetooth
- 10-100m range
- Zigbee Alliance

Zigbee Security Model

- Open Trust model (Device Trust Boundary)
- Crypto protection
 - Network Key
 - Link Key (App Support Sublayer)
- Secure key storage assumptions
- *Transmission of network key for new nodes*
- *Hard-coded Trust Center Link Keys*

Exercise 1

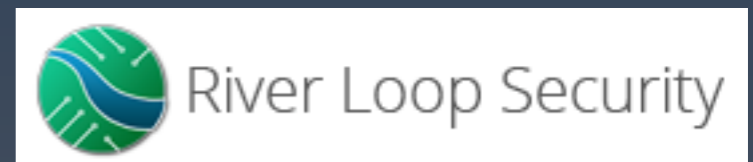
Sniffing and Packet Injection in an
802.15.4 network

Overview

- IoT product simulator
- Zigbee-like 802.15.4 based communication protocol
- Packet sniffing, capture and injection
- Goals:
 - Basic packet header formats
 - Security models for protecting comms
 - Hardware and software tools for packet sniffing & injection

Tools

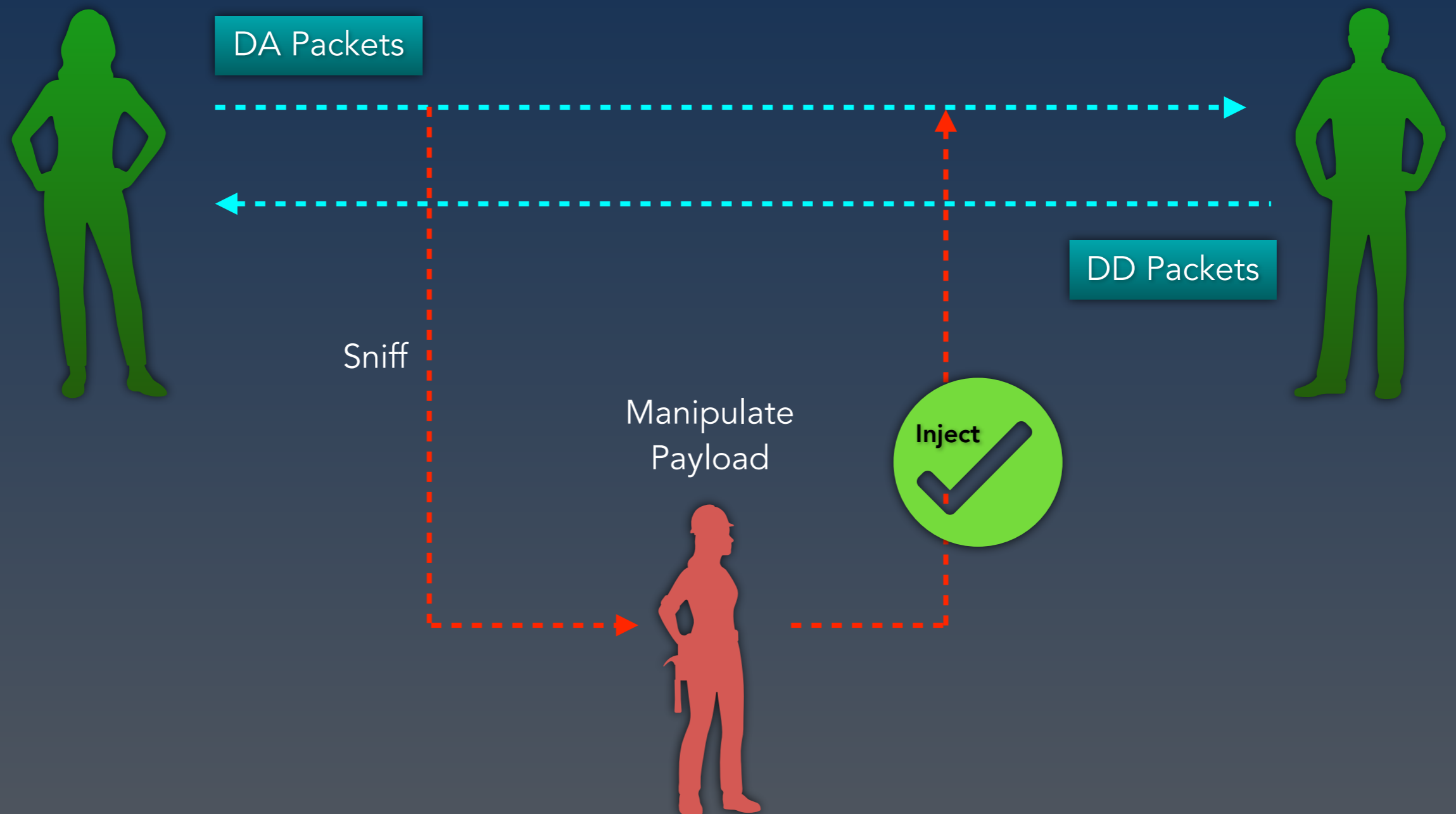
- Microchip's RZUSBStick
(2 "Victims" and 1 "attacker")
- KillerBee firmware
 - IEEE 802.15.4/ZigBee Security Research Toolkit
 - River Loop Security
- KillerBee tools
 - ~17 tools
 - zbwireshark and zbreplay
- Scapy



Scenario 1

Packet sniffing & Injection

Outline

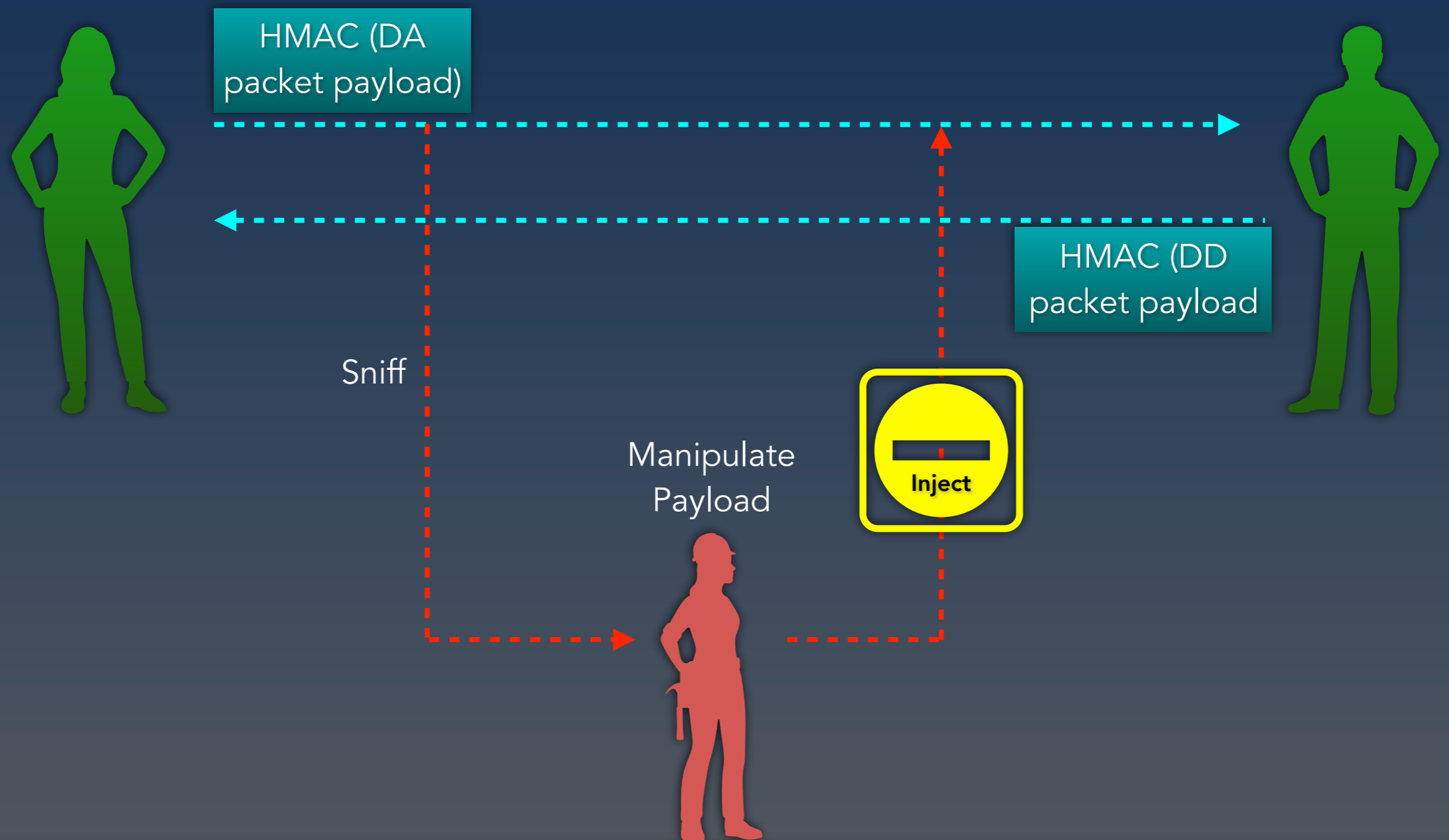


Demo

Scenario 2a

(Some Security)

Outline



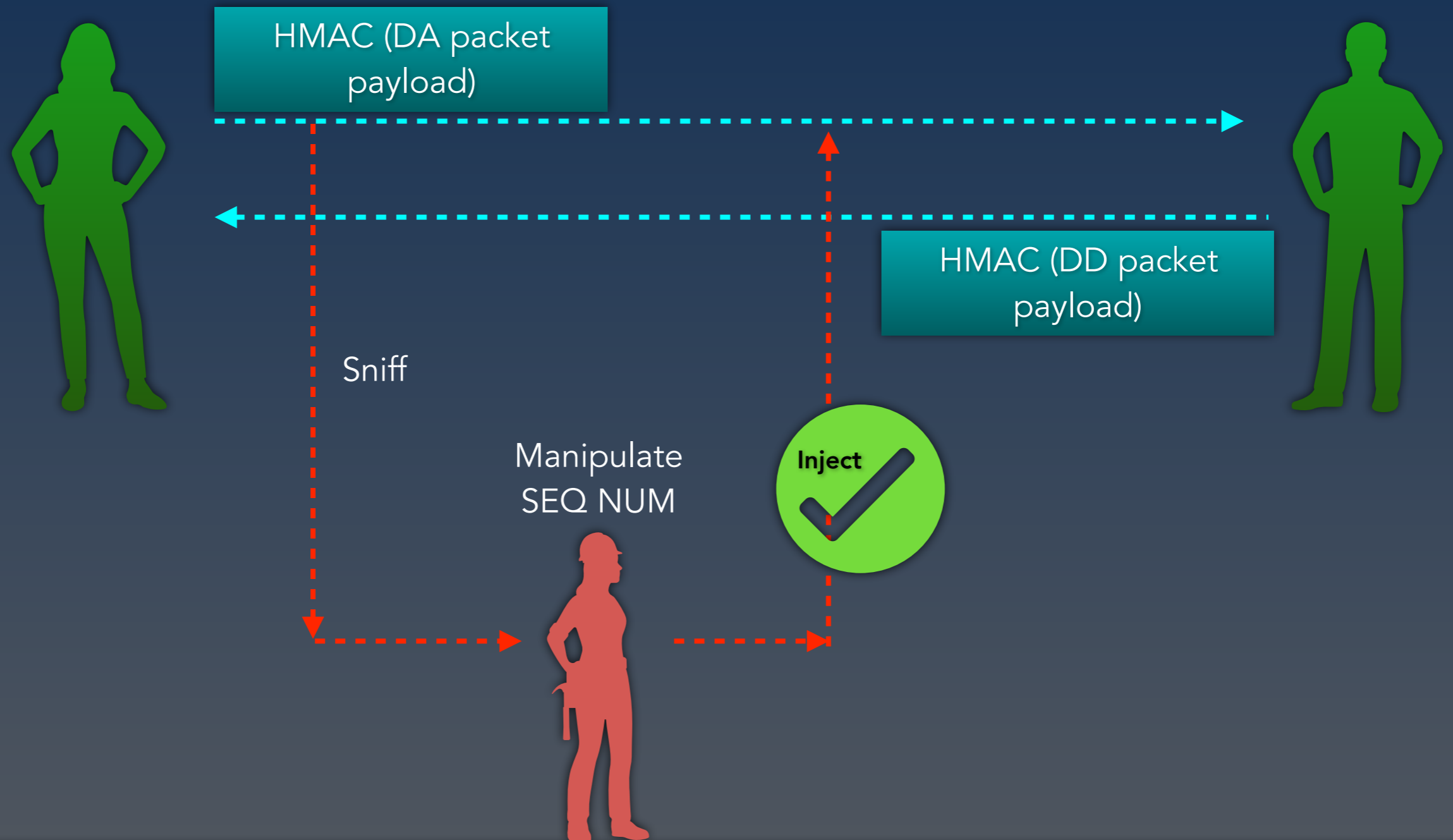
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Scenario 2b

(Some  security)

Demo (first)

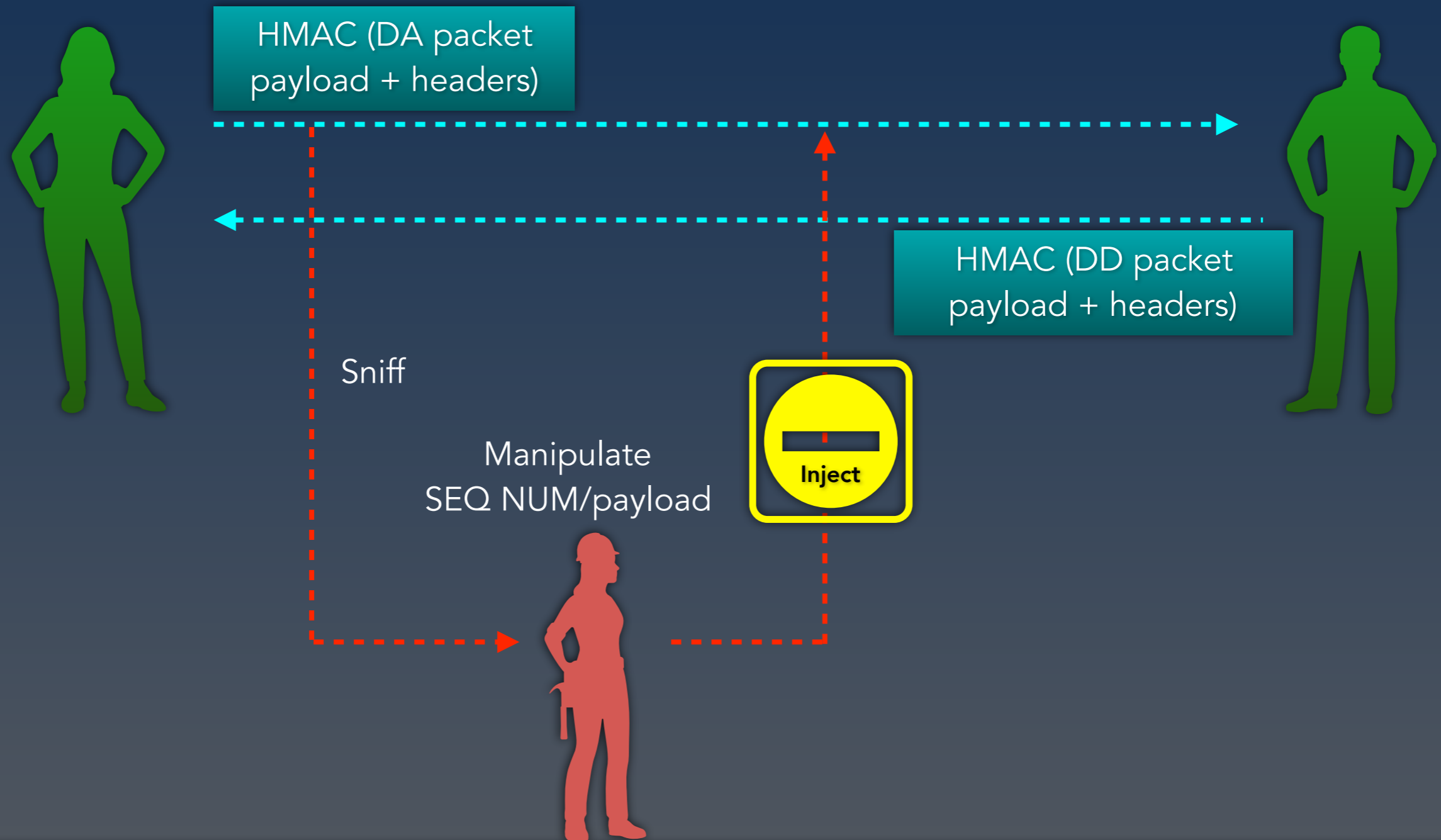
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Scenario 3

(Full Security)

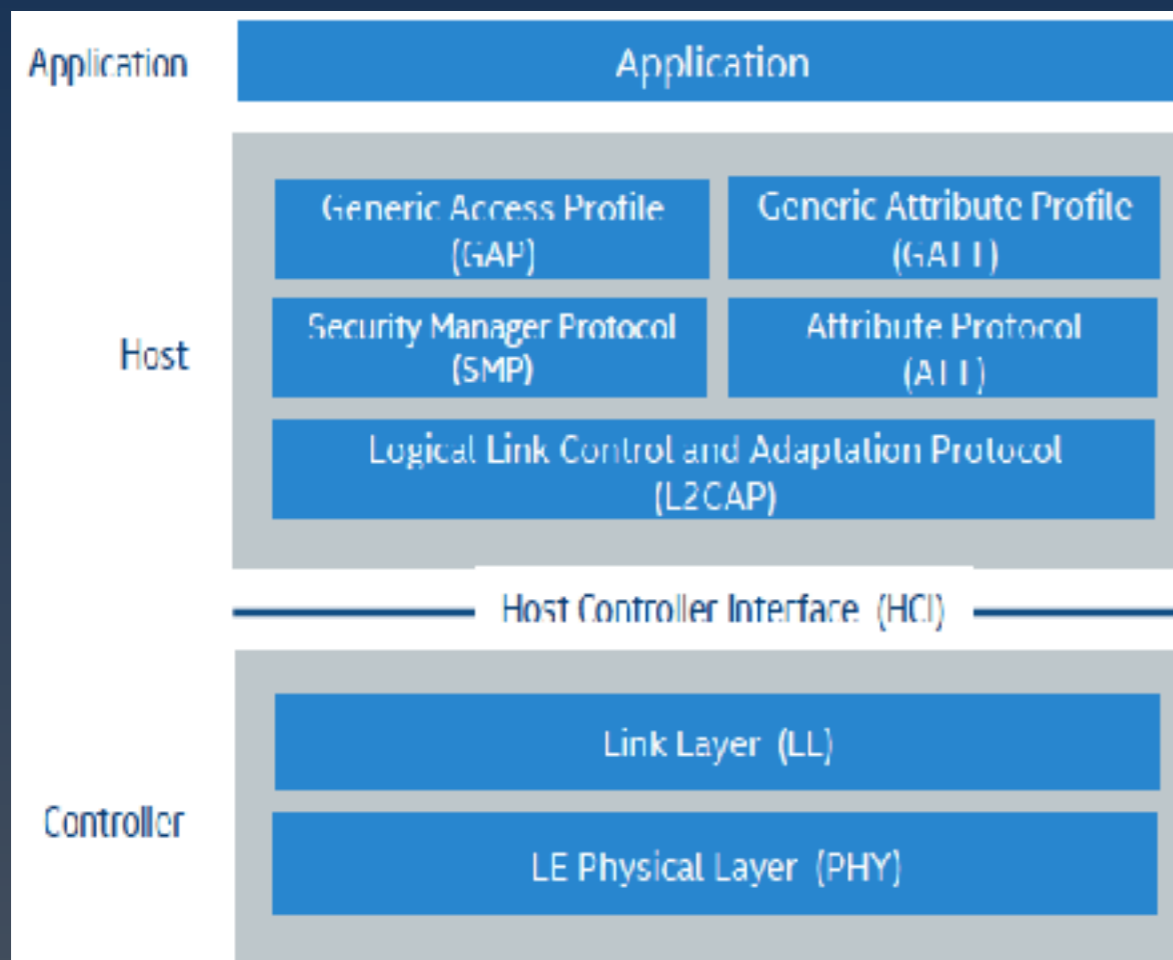
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Demo

Bluetooth and Bluetooth Low Energy (BLE)

Overview: Bluetooth Stack



GAP

Defines how devices discover, connect and create bonding between them

GATT

Describes characteristics, services and type of attributes/ their usage

SMP

Protocol for pairing and key distribution and authenticating other device
Shared secrets can be managed and hence speed-up the reconnection process

ATT

Simple Client/ Server stateless protocol with rules for accessing data on a peer device

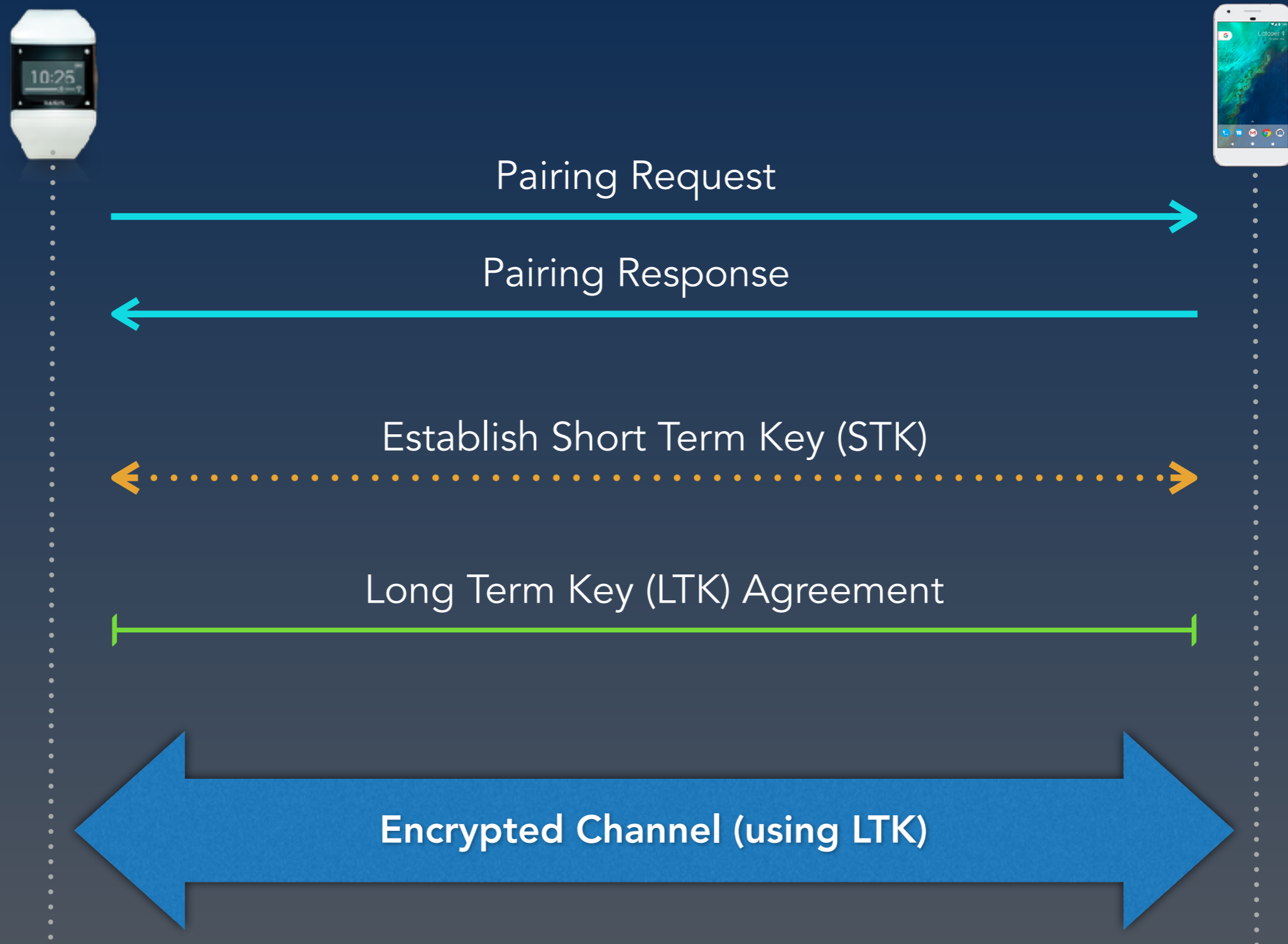
L2CAP

Multiplexing layer for BLE

Intro to BLE

- Wireless protocol for short range data exchange (~10 to 100 m)
- Light-weight subset of classic Bluetooth with low power consumption
- Operates in radio frequencies between 2.4 to 2.485 GHz
- Managed by the Bluetooth Special Interest Group (SIG)
- Use cases include wearable devices, smart pay systems, smart security systems etc

BLE Security



Pairing Algorithms

Secure Simple Pairing

- Just Works: very limited/ no user interface
- Numeric Comparison: devices with display plus yes/no button
- Passkey Entry: 6 digit pin as the pass key
- Out Of Band: Use of an out of the band channel against MITM attacks

Security weaknesses in BT/BLE

- Security of the communication link depends on pairing algorithm
- Eavesdropping on pairing mechanism compromises encryption keys
- 'Just works' mode prone to MITM attacks
- Apps (on the same phone as the companion app) snooping on encrypted BLE traffic
 - Our talk yesterday

BT/BLE Security - Tools

- Ubertooth
- Bluefruit LE sniffer
- NRFsniffer (Nordic BLE sniffer)
- Ellisys sniffer

Exercise 2

BLE packet eavesdropping with
Ubertooth

Overview

- Market products for fitness tracking
- Use Bluetooth Low Energy
- Packet sniffing, capture and cracking LE encryption
- Goals:
 - BLE traffic eavesdropping
 - Tools to crack the basic security offered by BLE spec

Tools

- Ubertooth One
 - Great Scott Gadgets
 - 2.4 GHz wireless deployment platform for BT experimentation
- Wireshark
- "Malware" Android app and logcat
- Mike Ryan's crackle



WIRESHARK



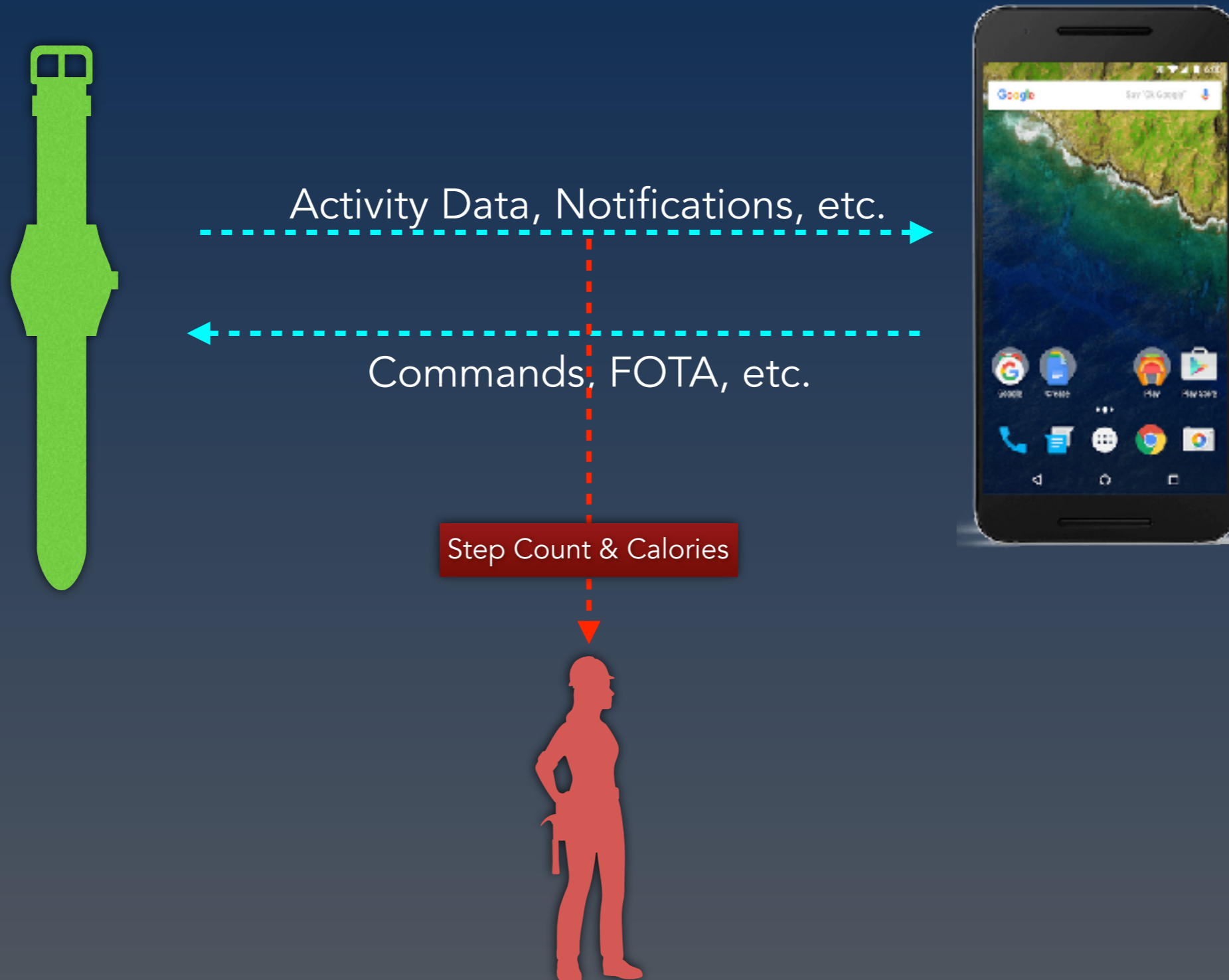
Problems & Packet Injection

- Multiple advertising channels (37, 38, 39)
- Uncertainty —> 3 Ubertoos are better than 1
- Custom FW for packet injection

Scenario 1

Packet sniffing — 'X' Fitness Band

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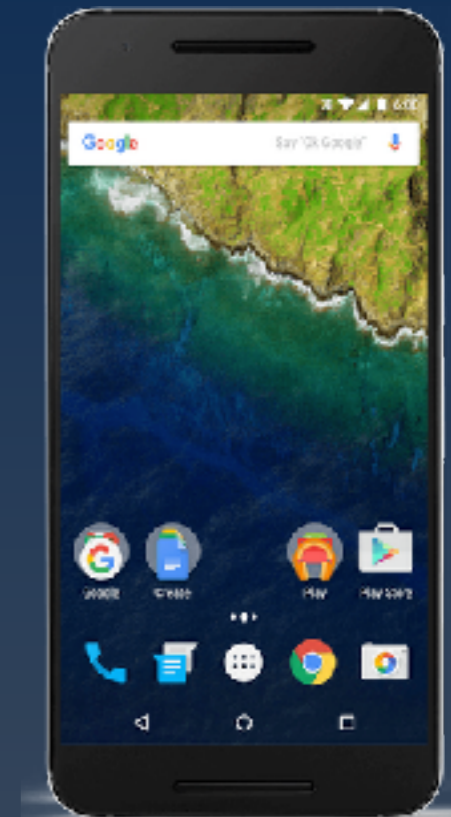
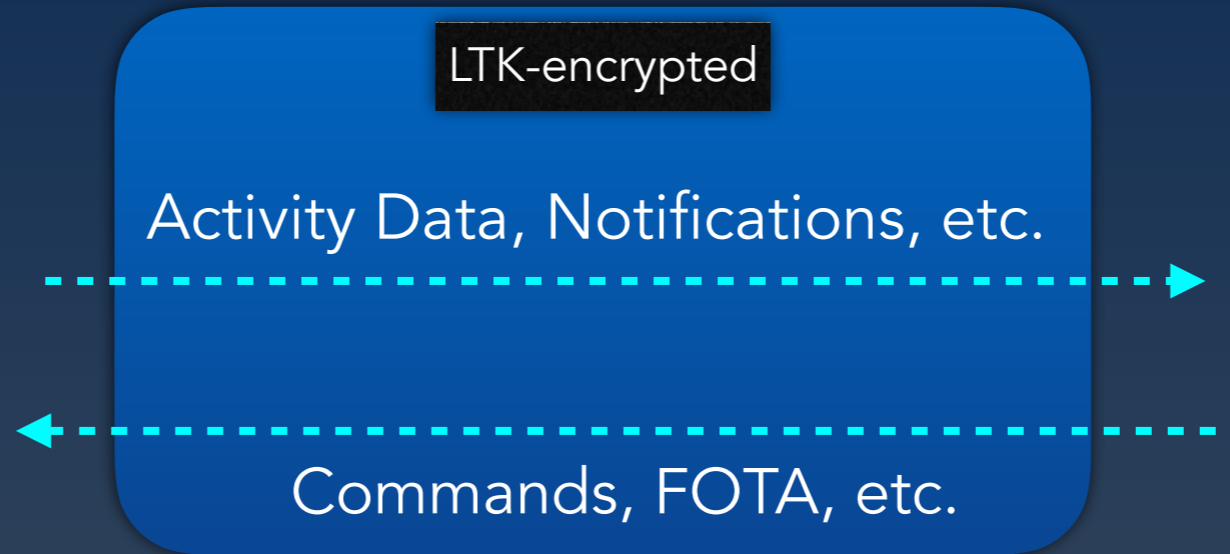


Demo

Scenario 2

Packet sniffing & LE Encryption
cracking — Fossil Q

Outline



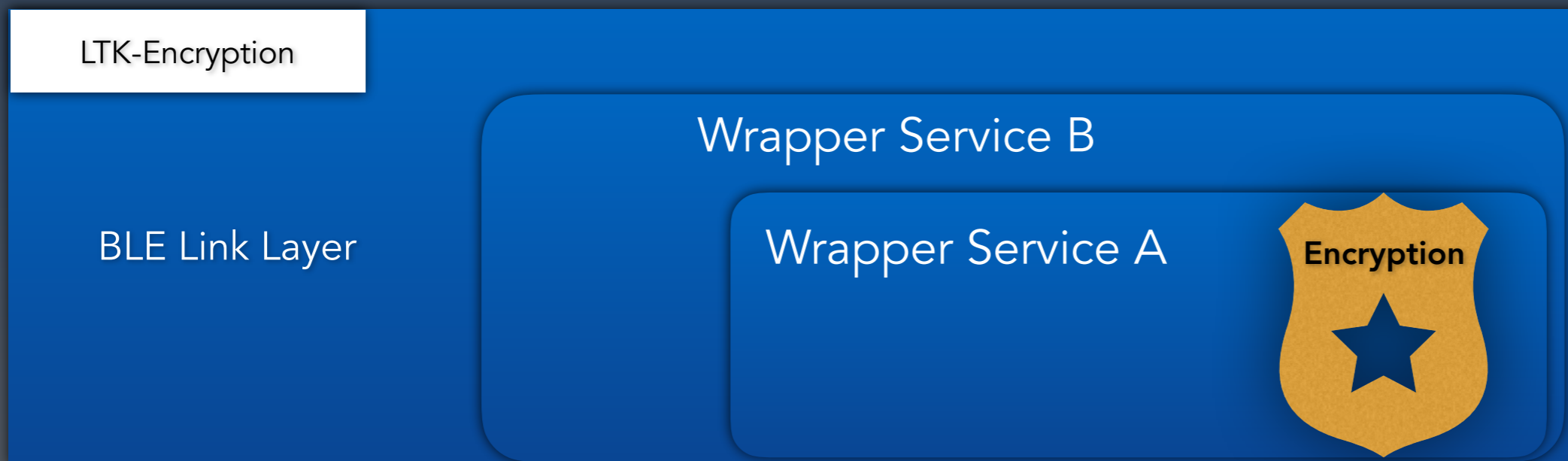
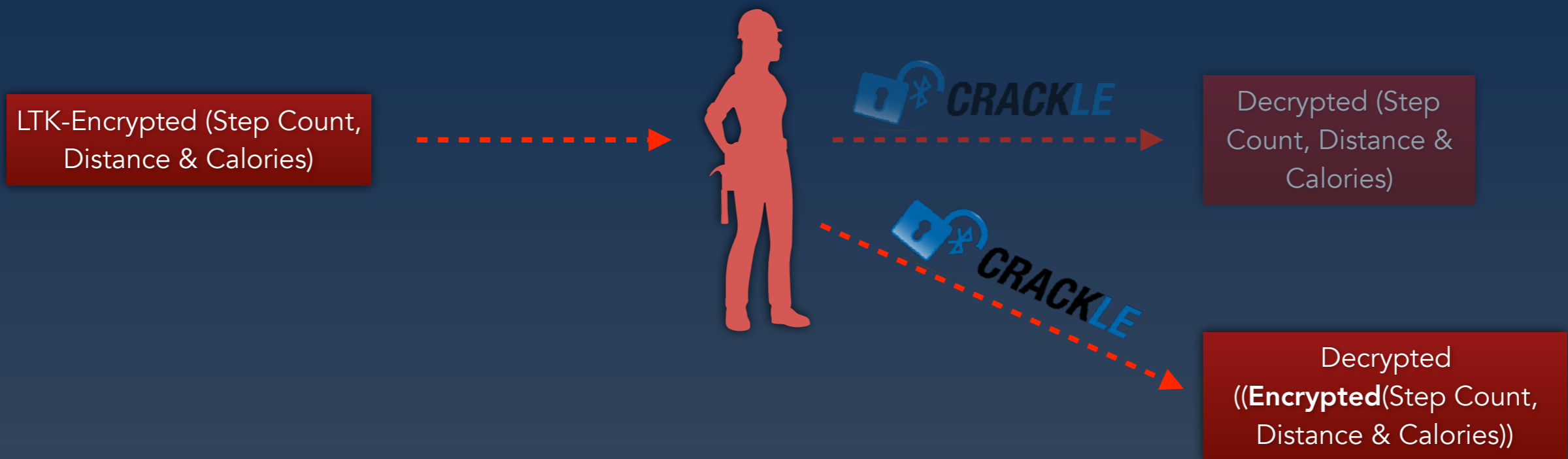
Encrypted (Step Count, Distance & Calories)



Decrypted (Step Count, Distance & Calories)

Demo

What happened there?

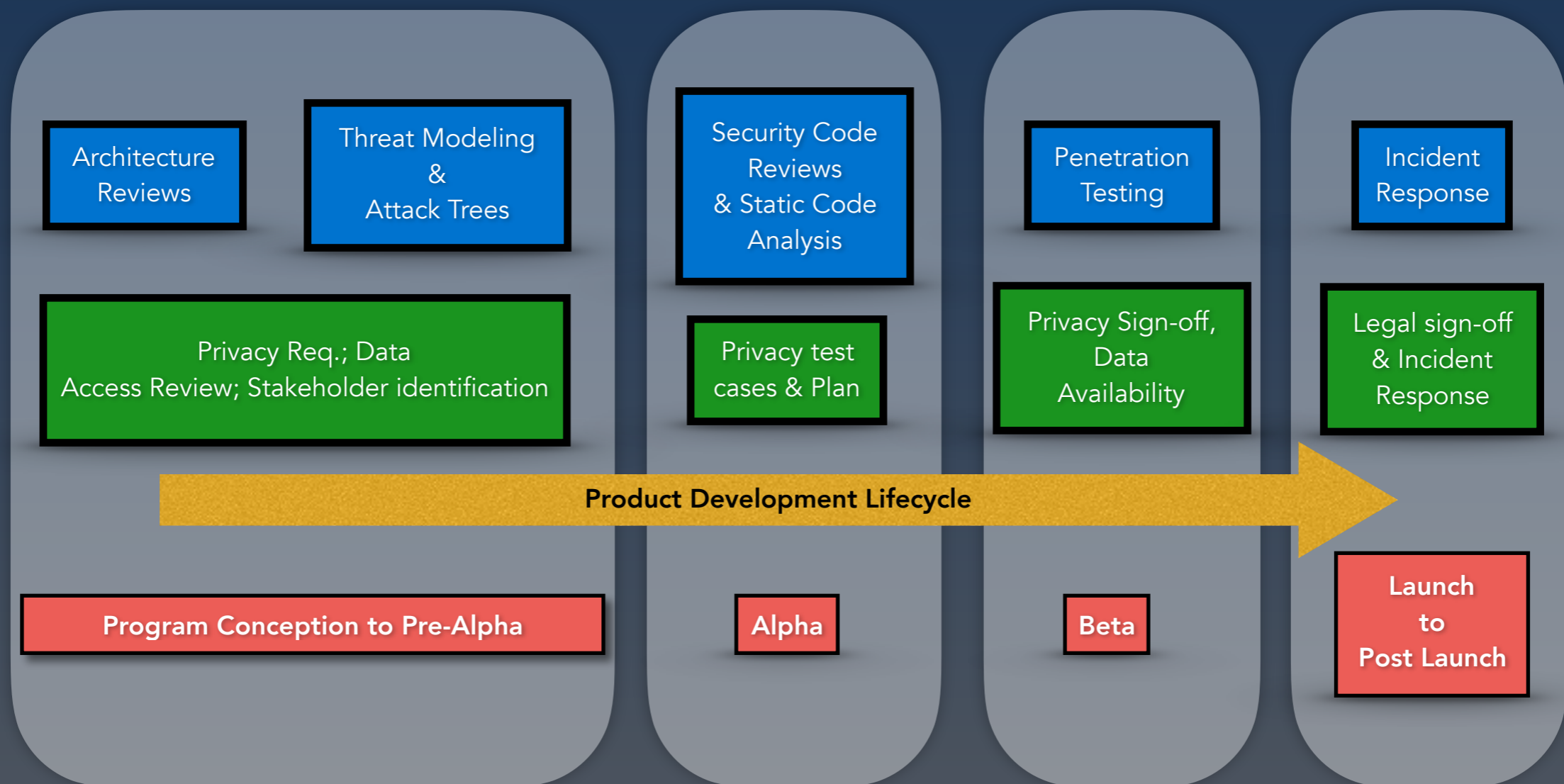


BT/BLE problems with Android and iOS



Unshackling from traditional SDL

Security & Privacy Development Lifecycle



Privacy

- Why worry?
 - Global Markets
 - Country-specific guidelines
 - Ecosystems and overlapping policies

Quantifying Privacy Vulnerabilities

- *<quote>Common Vulnerability Scoring System (CVSS) is a free and open industry standard for assessing the severity of computer system security vulnerabilities </quote>*
- Privacy vulnerabilities?
- CVSS Extensions Framework
 - Allowing CVSS to be extensible by third parties

Summary

- Plethora of protocols (and standards)
- Custom hardware & software for IoT comms penetration testing
- RZUSBStick works great. Also, API mote
 - Not much else
- BT/BLE sniffing is still sketchy
- SDL/SPDL and Shift-left

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