

# SECURING THE AUTONOMOUS AUTOMOBILE

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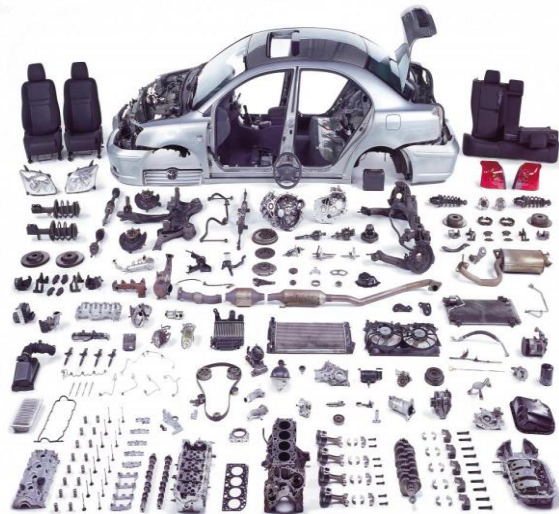


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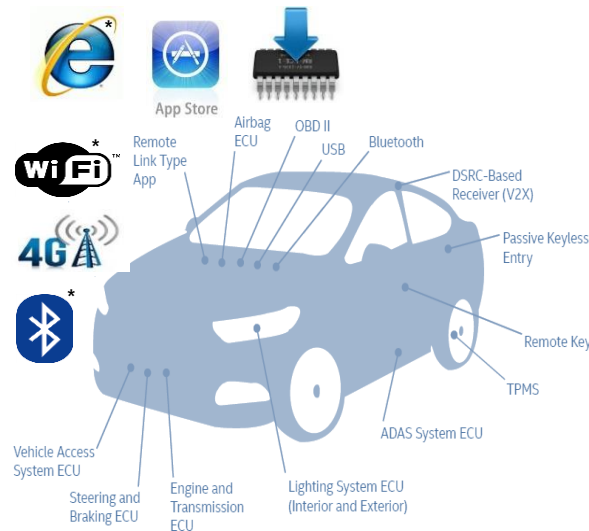
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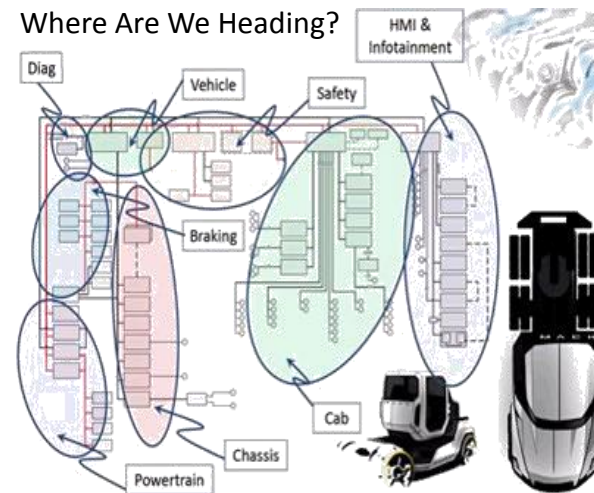


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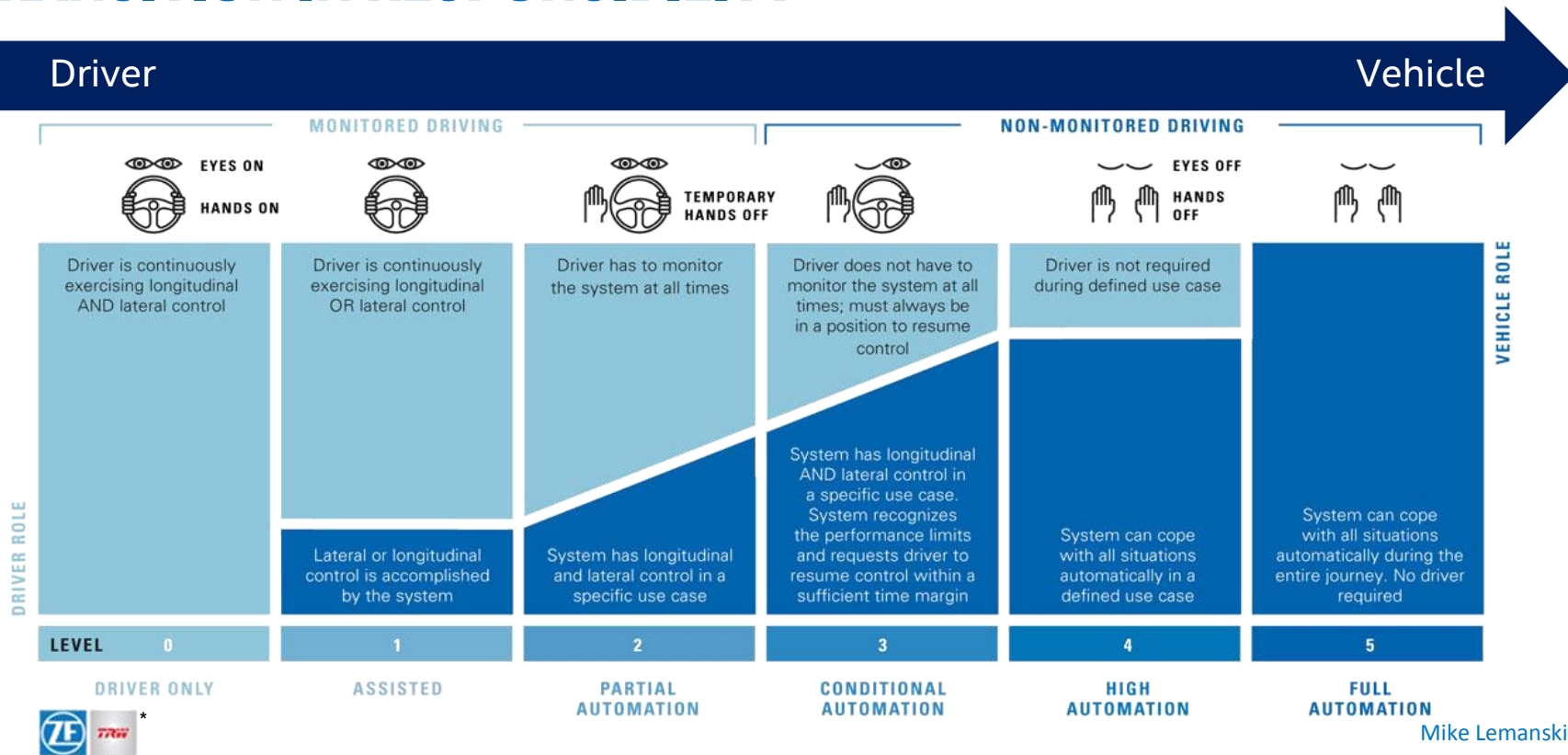
Source: Intel Security

Where Are We Heading?



Source: Volvo

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# WHAT IS DRIVING THESE TRANSITIONS?

1. Safety
2. Engine Performance
3. Fuel Efficiency
4. Emission Control
5. Security

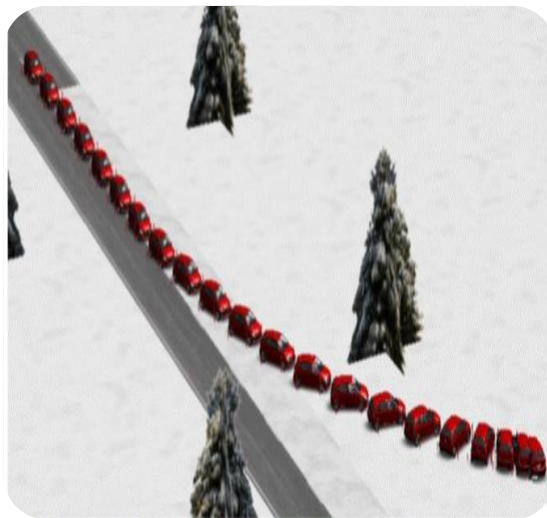


**Is it time for a  
transition in priority?**

# AUTOMOBILES MAKE ATTRACTIVE TARGETS



**Oakland 2010**



**CHES 2013**



**BlackHat 2015, 2016**

Experimental Security Analysis of a Modern Automobile, Kosher et al, 2010  
Non-invasive Spoofing Attacks for anti-lock braking systems, Shoukry et al, 2013

# WHAT MAKES AUTOMOBILES SO VULNERABLE?



## The Number of ECUs Have Increased Over Time

Infiniti*	11 in 2006	34 in 2014
Jeep*	7 in 2010	17 in 2014
Ranger Rover*	41 in 2010	98 in 2014
Toyota Prius*	23 in 2006	40 in 2014

Source: A Survey of Remote Automotive Attack surfaces, by Miller & Valasek

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## Large Threat Surface

- ~100 M lines of code

## Physical Access

- OBD-II ports, USB, disc, iPod with access to internal networks

## Short and Long-Range Wireless Access

- Bluetooth, Remote keyless entry, Tire Pressure Monitor, GPS, Cellular all exploitable

## Open Internal Networks, Open Protocols

- CAN bus is unencrypted, easy to spoof, lack of authentication

***Not Designed With A Malicious Adversary In Mind***

# HOW TO SECURE THE AUTONOMOUS AUTOMOBILE?



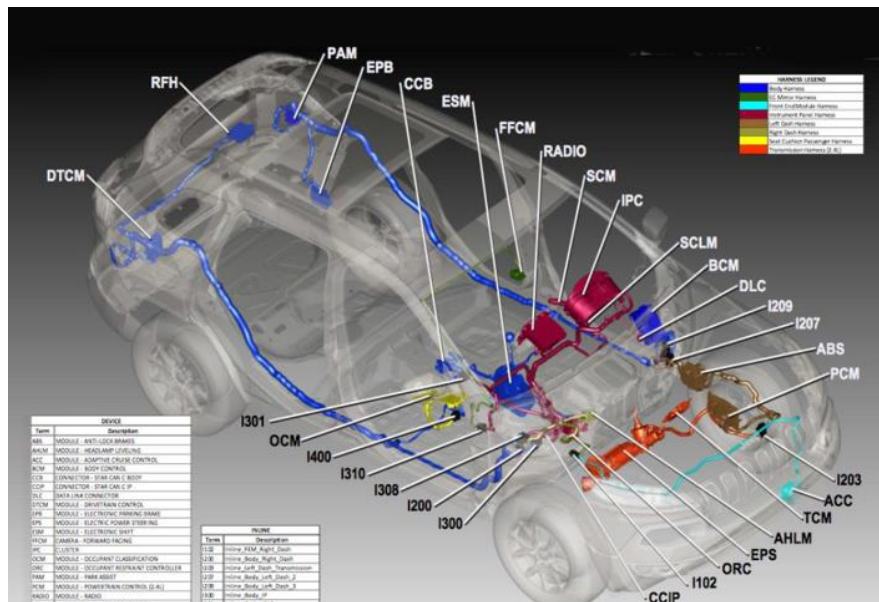
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# CONTROLLER AREA NETWORK (CAN) BASICS



CAN-C Network 2014 Jeep Cherokee

Source: A Survey of Remote Automotive Attack surfaces, by Miller & Valasek

- In-car Fabric That Connects The ECUs
- Simple Packet Format
- Broadcast To All ECUs
- Simple Priority Based Arbitration
- Gateways Route Data Between Buses

# WHAT CAN POSSIBLY GO WRONG?



## Easy to Spoof an ECU

- No Authentication Field

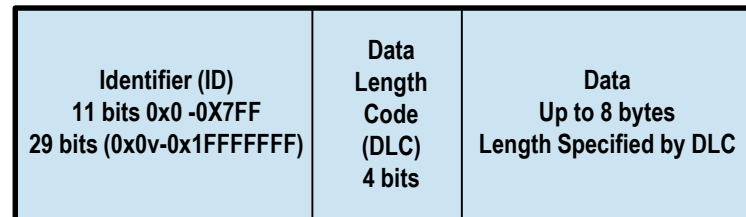
## Easy to Snoop

## Easy to Inject & Send Packets to Any ECU

## Trivial Denial-of-Service Attacks

## Weak Access Controls

- ECU Firmware Upgrade and Diagnostic Service Easily Exploitable



Simple CAN message format

```
While (1) {  
    send_message_with_id_0();  
}
```

DoS attack with message ID = 0

Source: Hopping on the CAN bus, BlackHat Asia 2015, Eric Evenchick

# THE INDUSTRY RESPONDS



## SAE J3061 – Cybersecurity Guidebook For Cyber-physical Vehicle Systems

- a) Enumerate All Attack Surfaces And Conduct Threat Analysis
- b) Reduce Attack Surface
- c) Harden Hardware And Software
- d) Security Testing (Penetration, Fuzzing, Etc.)

## SAE J3101 – Hardware-protected Security For Ground Vehicle Applications

- a) Secure Boot
- b) Secure Storage
- c) Secure Execution Environment
- d) Secure Debug, Many Other Hardware Capabilities...
- e) OTA Software Authentication, Detection, And Recovery Mechanisms

***Apply the Lessons of the PC Ecosystem!***

# HOW TO SECURE THE AUTONOMOUS AUTOMOBILE?



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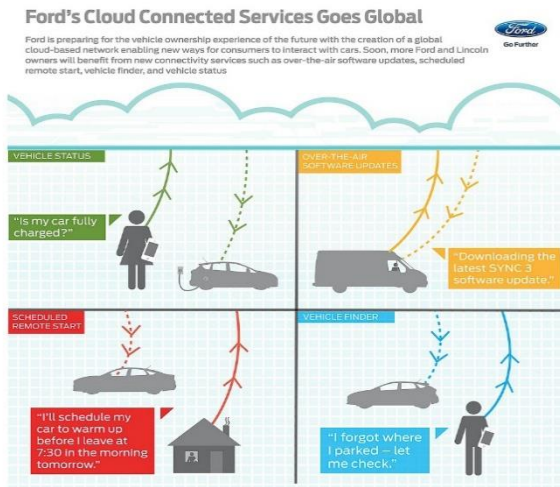
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# WIRELESS COMMUNICATION ENABLES NEW USAGES



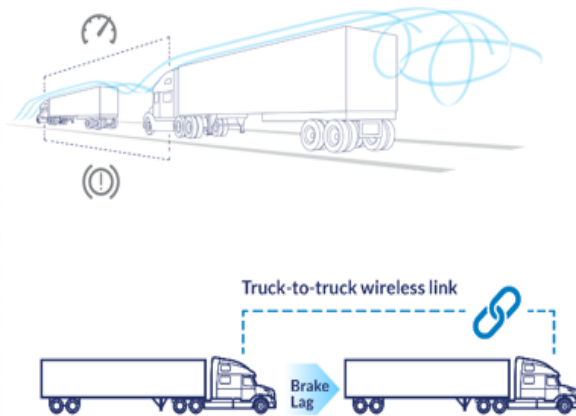
## Vehicle to Cloud



Telematics  
Over The Air Update  
Vehicle Finder

Source: ExtremeTech, March 2015

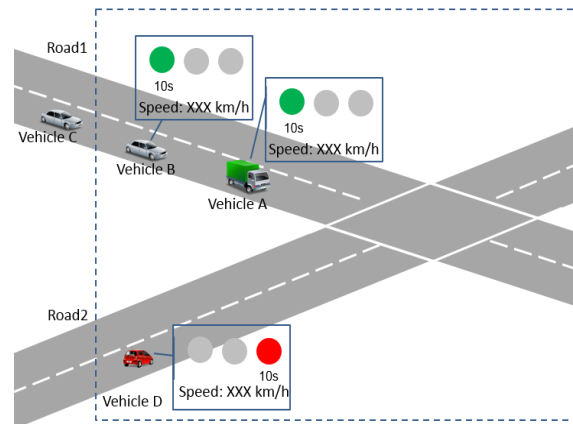
## Vehicle to Vehicle



Platooning  
Traffic Management  
Accident Report

Source: Peloton-tech.com

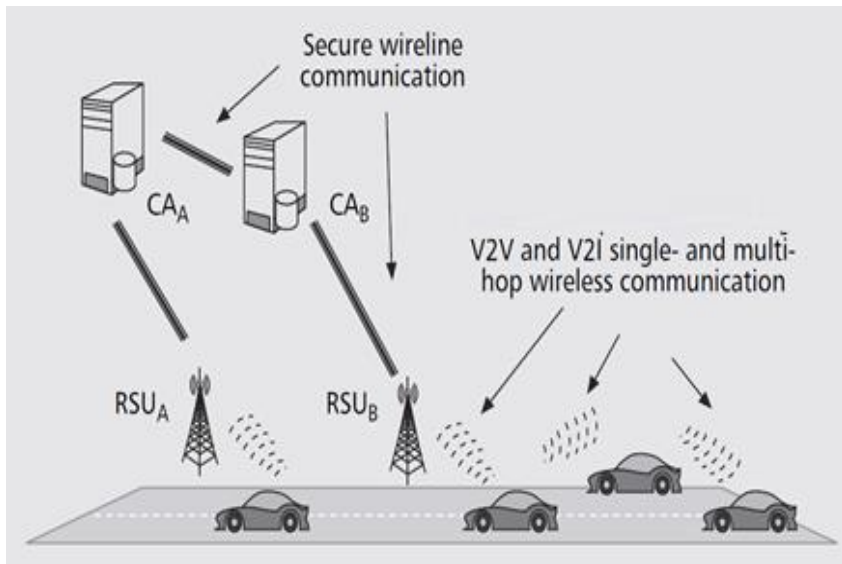
## Vehicle to Infrastructure



Traffic Flow Optimization  
Automatic Toll  
Traffic Violations

Source: 3GPP TR22885

# ... BUT OPENS UP NEW ATTACKS



Abstract View Of Secure Vehicular Communication

Source: Secure Vehicular Communications Systems, by Papadimitratos et al

## Forge Location by GPS Spoofing

- \$300 SDR To Spoof GPS @Defcon 2015

## DoS Attack By Jamming Communications

- Lose Critical Info From Platoon Leader

## Forge, Inject or Replay Messages

- Masquerade as an Emergency Vehicle

## Privacy Leak Via Recording Safety Beacons

- Monitor Vehicle's Locations To Infer Private Info

## Collusion Attacks By Multiple Compromised Roadside Units

- Report Imaginary Events, e.g. Traffic Jam



# IS DSRC THE ANSWER?

## Dedicated Short Range Communications Enables Direct V2V

- Promoted By USDOT, IEEE Protocol 1609.2 in the 5.9GHz Band defines the security protocol
- Obstacles To Adoption: Cost, Interoperability, Interference, Scalability
- Biggest Obstacle: Security!
  - Public-key Crypto Is Computationally Expensive, Poorly Suited For Embedded Processor
  - Lack of Anonymity. DSRC is Inherently A Vehicle Tracking System
  - Poor Support For Revocation. No Key-rollover, Certificate Revocation List

## Opens The Door for 5G!

- Many Car Companies Embedding Cellular Wireless Connectivity Anyway
- Integrate Low Latency Device-to-device And Mobile Edge Computing Capabilities For V2V
- Leverage 3GPP, ETSI Security Standards

***Security is Critical for Any V2V Standard***

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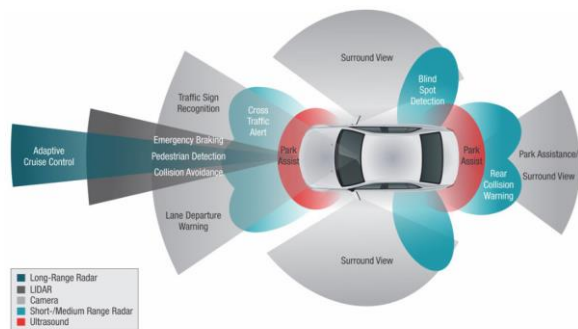


# WHAT DRIVES AUTONOMOUS DRIVING?



## SENSE THE ENVIRONMENT

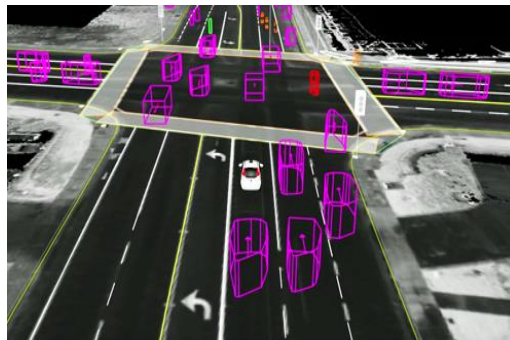
Camera, Radar, LIDAR, Ultrasound



Source: Lichaoma.com, Malcom's Technical Blog

## MAP YOUR LOCATION

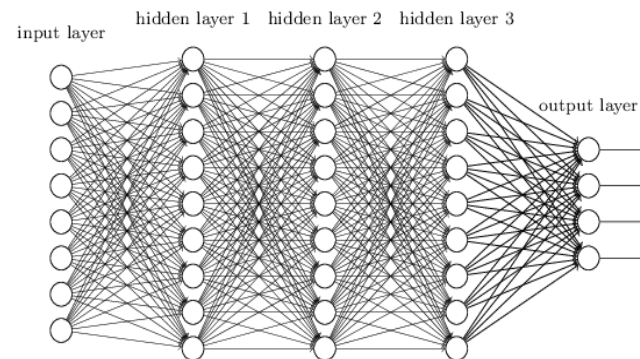
Hi-res Maps, 3D Models



Source: Chris Urmson: How a driverless car sees the road

## PLAN NEXT STEPS

Deep Neural Nets

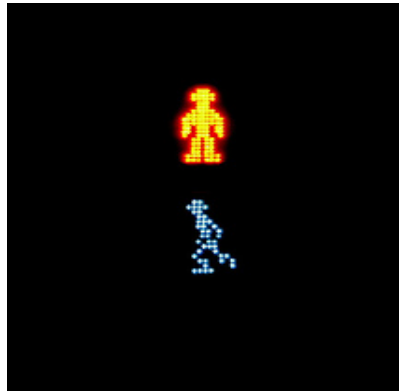


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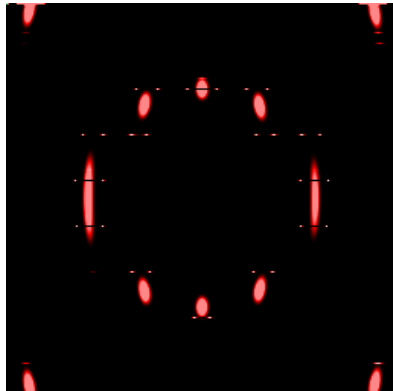
# DEEP NEURAL NETS CAN BE FOOLED

Evolution Attacks: When randomness is classified as information  
*DNN Recognizable, Human Unrecognizable*

DNN:  
Same as this Traffic Sign!



Human:  
Unrecognizable



DNN:  
Same as this Traffic Sign!

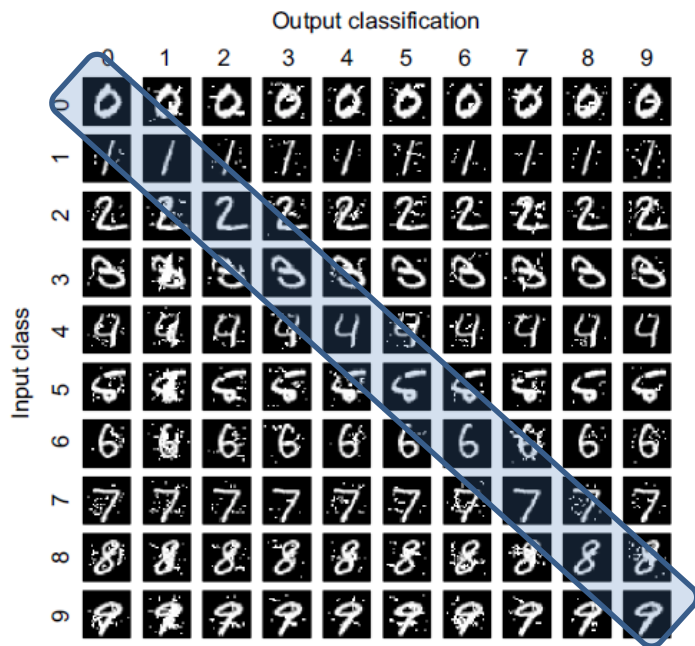


Human:  
Unrecognizable



# DEEP NEURAL NETS CAN BE FOOLED

Causative Attacks: When twins are classified as different  
*DNN Unrecognizable, Human Recognizable*



Human: "3"



DNN: "8"



Modifying 4% of features causes the DNN to misclassify with 97% success rate

It would take minor changes to confuse these two signs!



# ANOTHER VARIATION



Causative Attacks: When twins are classified as different  
*DNN Unrecognizable, Human Recognizable*

Human: "Speed Limit Sign"  
DNN: "Speed Limit Sign"



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Error: Small  
variations in intensity



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Human: "Speed Limit Sign"  
DNN: "Ruler"



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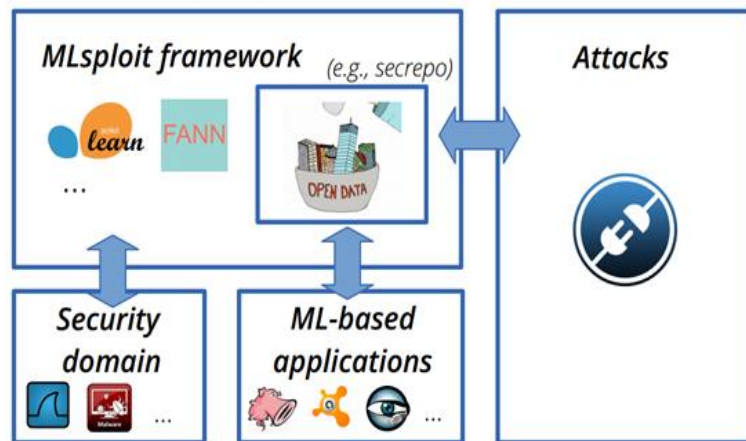
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## *Adversary Resilient Security Analytics*

Intel + Georgia Tech (ISTC-ARSA)

MLsploit: Framework for evaluating and improving the resiliency of ML based security applications



## *Collaborative Autonomous Resilient Systems*

Intel + EU Academia (ICRI-CARS)

RFP: Proposals in the area of security, privacy and safety of collaborative autonomous systems



*Need more research in Adversarial Analytics*

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- Autonomous Driving Is In Its Early Days
- Shift In Complexity And Responsibility Makes Vehicles Vulnerable To Attacks
- Learn From The PC Ecosystem, Invest in Security Standards, Research in Adversarial Analytics
- Increased Security = Increased Safety



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