



Crashing Drones and Hijacked Cameras: CyberPhysical meets CyberTrust

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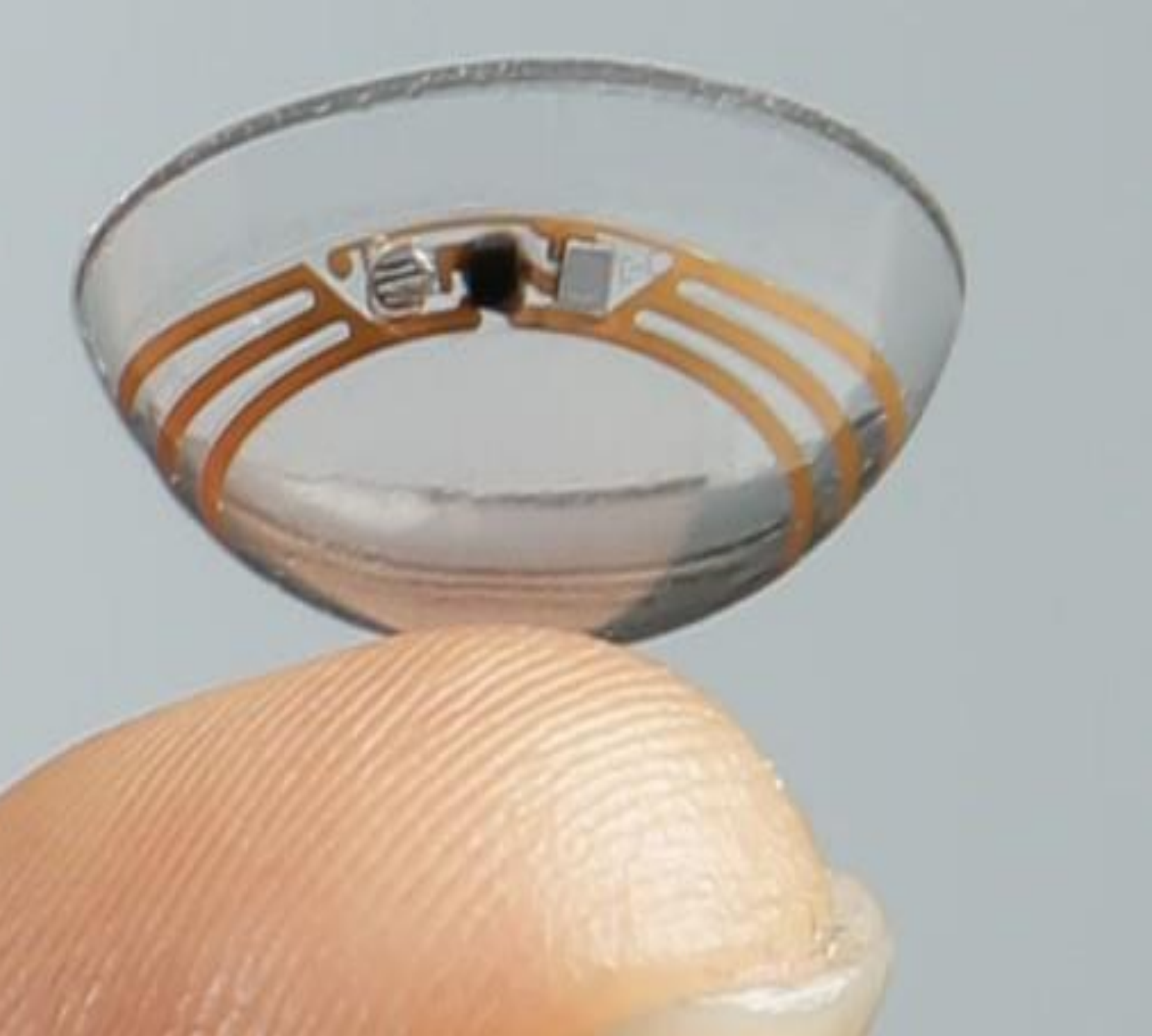
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What is Common?

They have a [computational core](#) that interacts with the physical world.

[Cyber-physical systems](#) are engineered systems that require tight conjoining of and coordination between the computational (discrete) and the physical (continuous).

Trends for the future

- Cyber-physical systems will be [smarter and smarter](#).
- More and more [intelligence](#) will be in [software](#)
- More and more [connectivity](#) and [data flow](#)

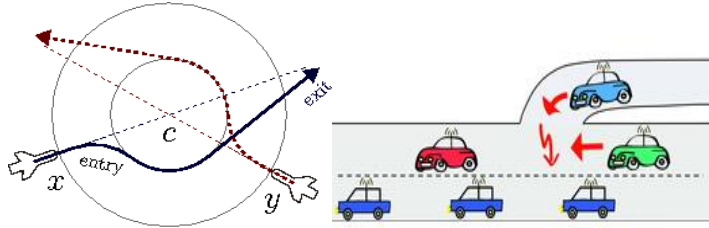
What could go wrong?



Trustworthiness in Cyber-Physical Systems



Reliability Challenges



$$\frac{d\varphi_t(x)}{dt} = f(\varphi_t(x)) \quad (t \in \mathbb{R})$$

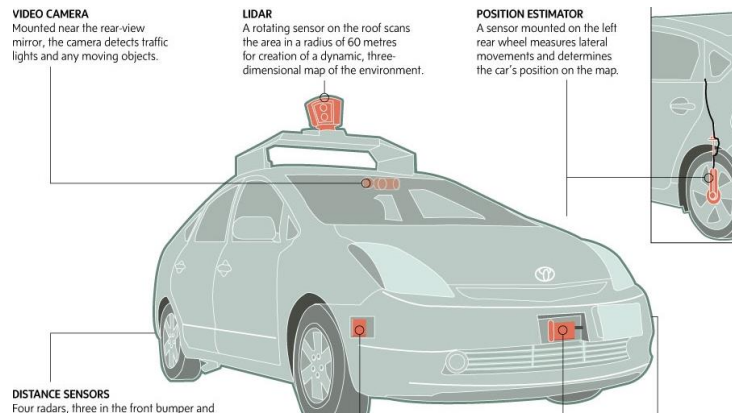
$$\varphi_0(x) = x$$



Challenge 1: Reasoning about Continuous and Discrete

Challenge 2: Uncertainty in Environment

Challenge 3: Sensors and Actuators Can Fail



Computable Reals:

A Fundamentally Hard Problem

"A real number is computable if its digit sequence can be produced by some algorithm or Turing machine. The algorithm takes an integer $n \geq 1$ as input and produces the n -th digit of the real number's decimal expansion as output. " [Turing 1936]

Fact: While the set of real numbers is uncountable, the set of computable numbers is only countable and thus almost all real numbers are not computable.

Computable Reals: Verification Challenge

On the one hand:

A real number a is said to be **computable** if it can be approximated by some computable function in the following manner: given any integer $n \geq 1$, the function produces an integer k such that:

$$\frac{k-1}{n} \leq a \leq \frac{k+1}{n}$$

On the other:

The computable numbers include many of the specific real numbers which appear in practice, including all real algebraic numbers, as well as e , π , and many other transcendental numbers.

Uncertainty at Multiple Levels

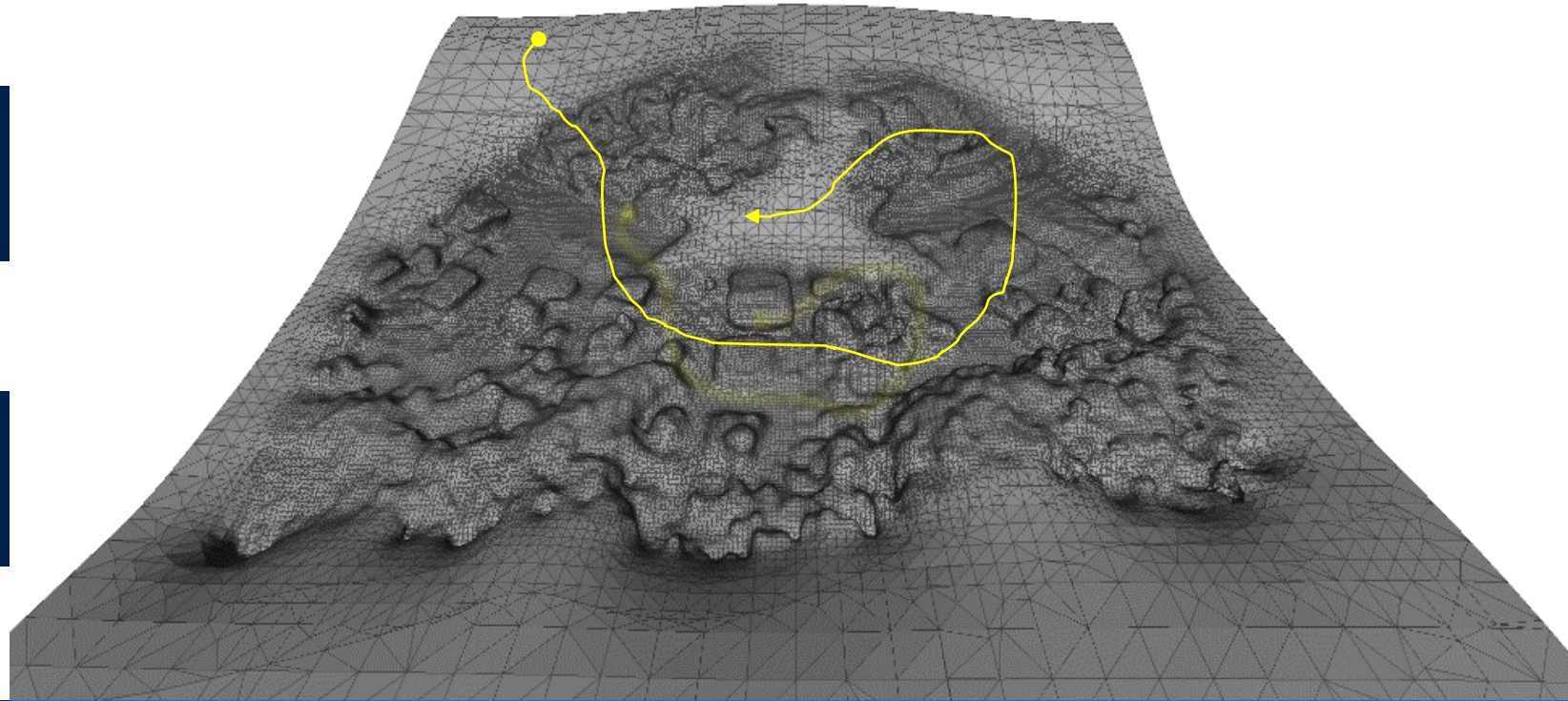
High-level Planning

Safe despite limited power, external disturbances,

Correct Control

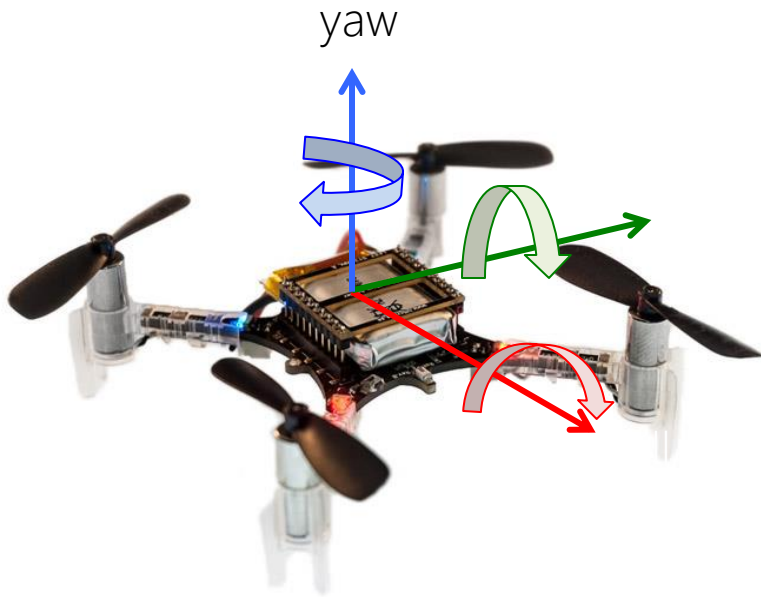
Robust Sensing

Secure OS



Sensor noise, and complex missions

System = (State + Control) || Environment



$$\begin{array}{l} \text{State} = \begin{bmatrix} x, y, z, \psi, \phi, \rho \\ \dot{x}, \dot{y}, \dot{z}, \dot{\psi}, \dot{\phi}, \dot{\rho} \\ d_1, d_2, d_3, d_4 \end{bmatrix} \\ \text{(not directly observed)} \end{array}$$

Control = RPM of the motors

Limited Battery Power: Typically less than 20 minutes

Not enough computational power on board

Not very robust to changes in environment or disturbances e.g., wind, obstacles

Not very robust to changes in system properties, weight, aging of rotors, etc.

Safe Control Under Uncertainty

$$\dot{x}(t) = Ax(t) + Bu(t)$$

Optimal control: minimize cost on deviation from reference + cost on control.

$$\min_u \sum_{t=1}^T (x_t - \hat{x}_t)^\top Q (x_t - \hat{x}_t) + u_t^\top R u_t$$

Subject to: We are safe!

$$(x_1, u_1, \dots, x_T, u_T) \models \phi$$

Security Challenges

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That's why last weekend was just full of bad news

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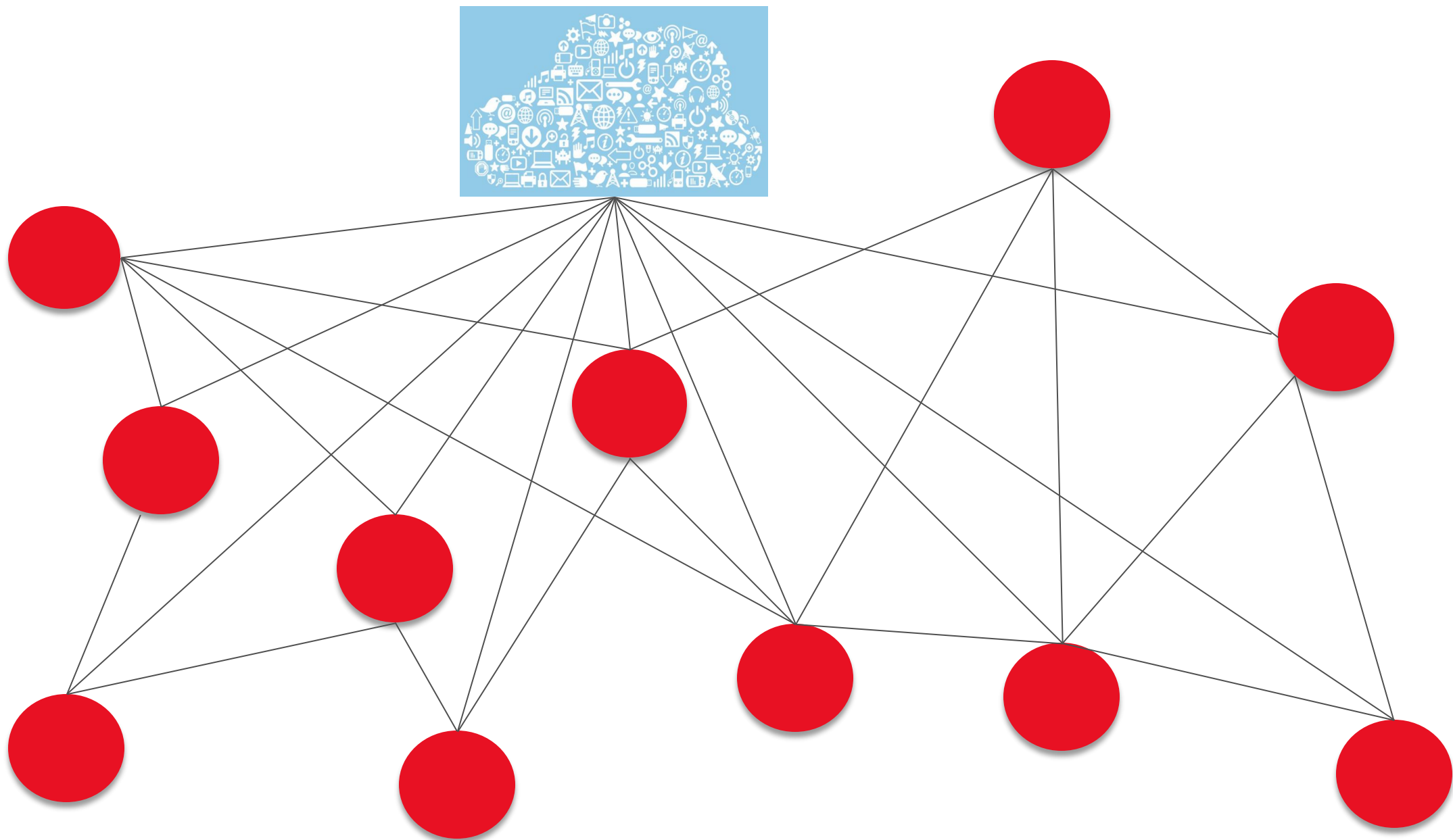
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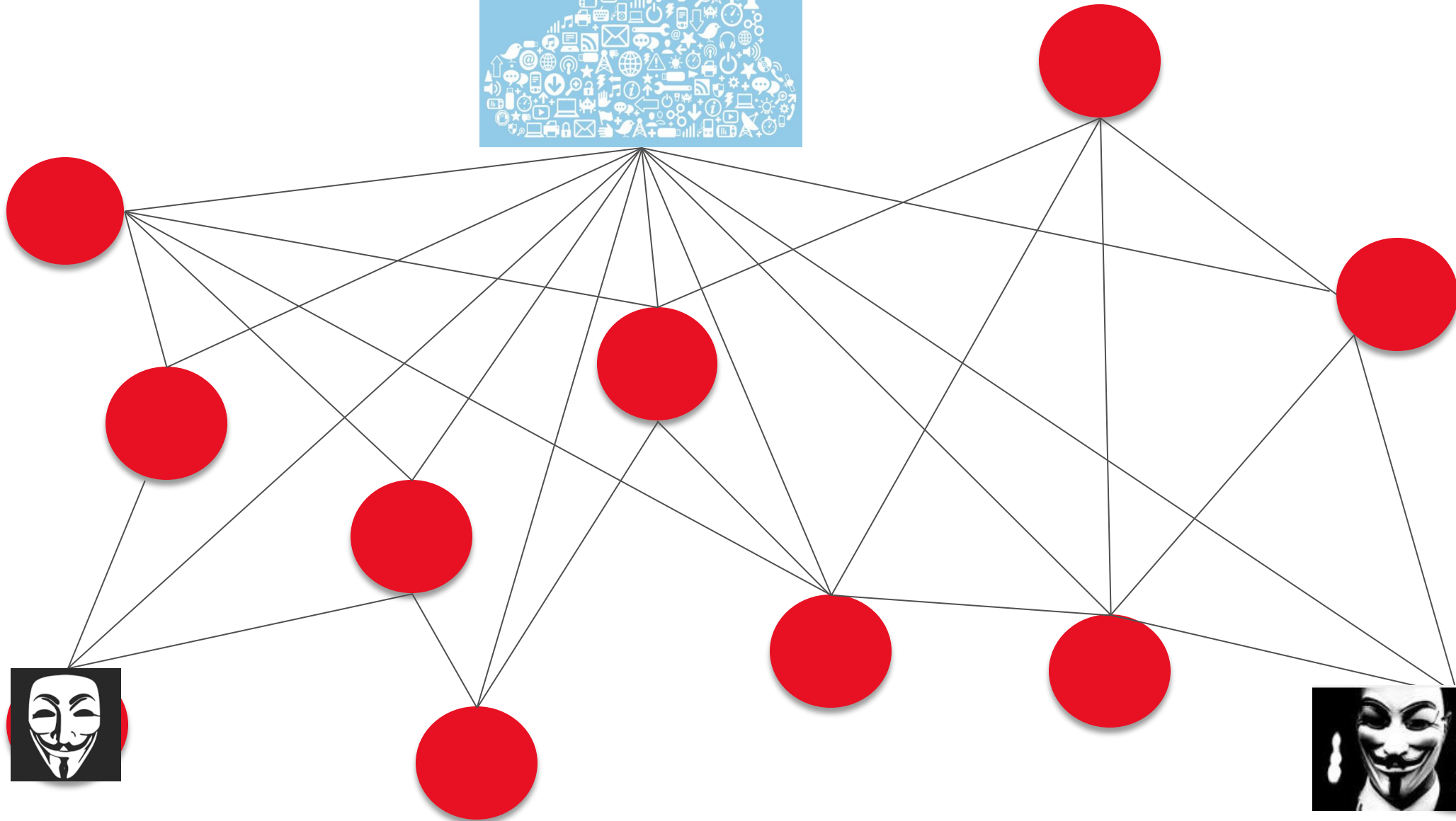
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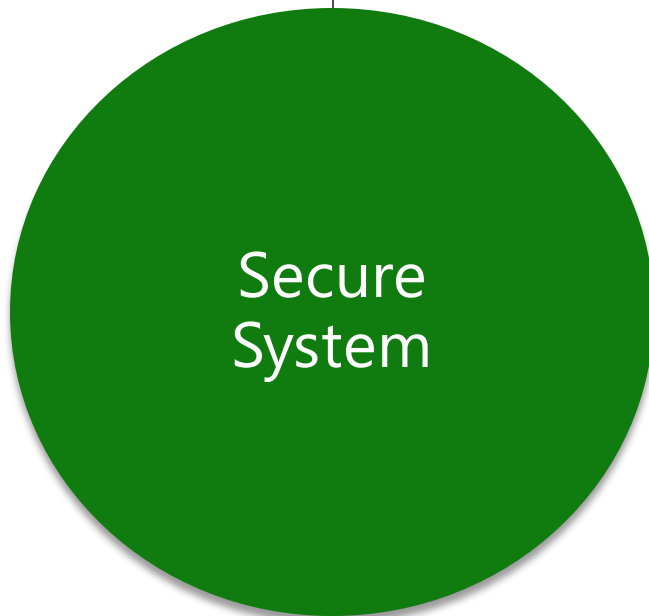
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Security protocols and encryption

Secure storage

Secure boot

Device identity in hardware



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Built for low power and limited computing resources

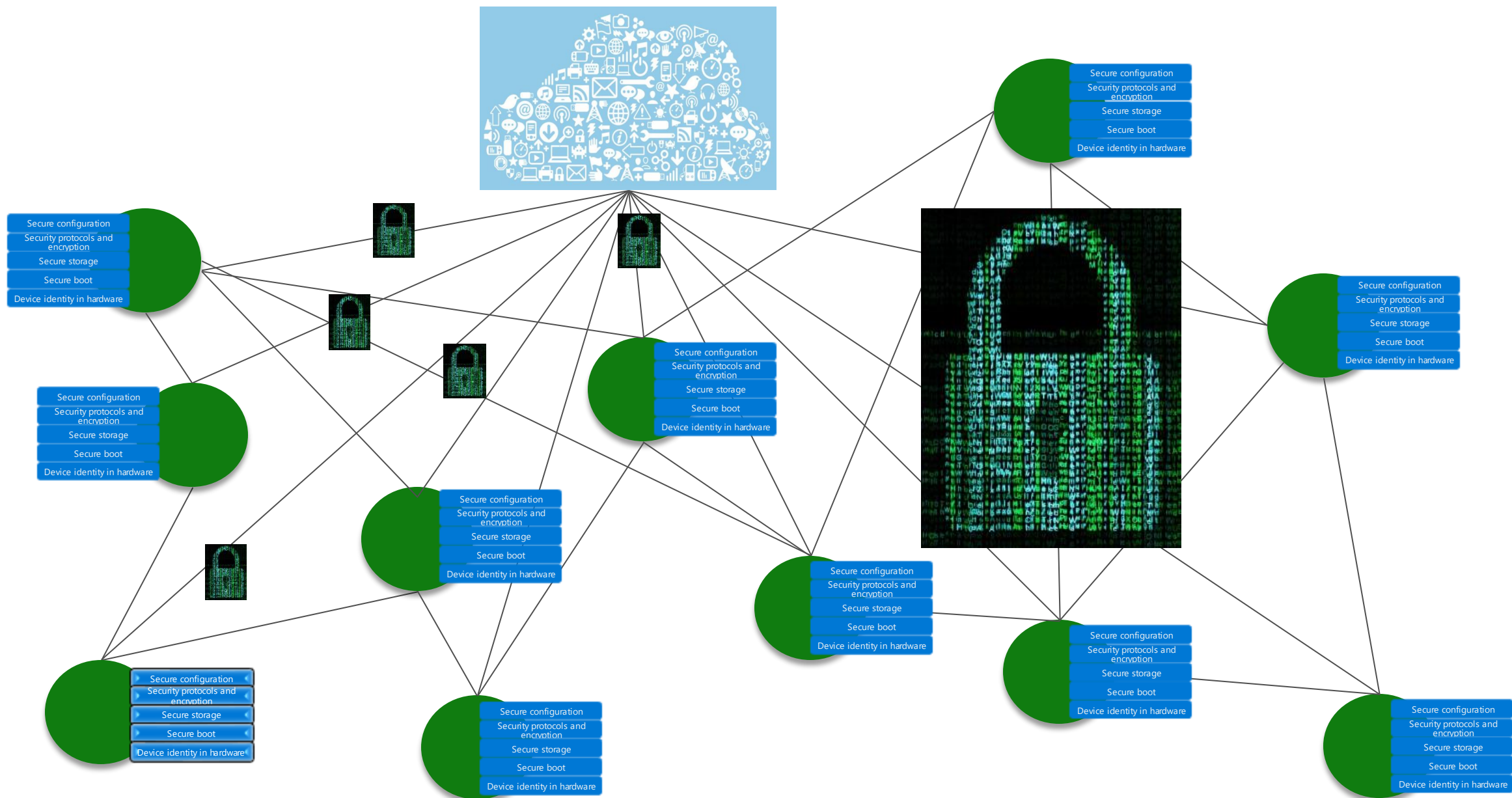
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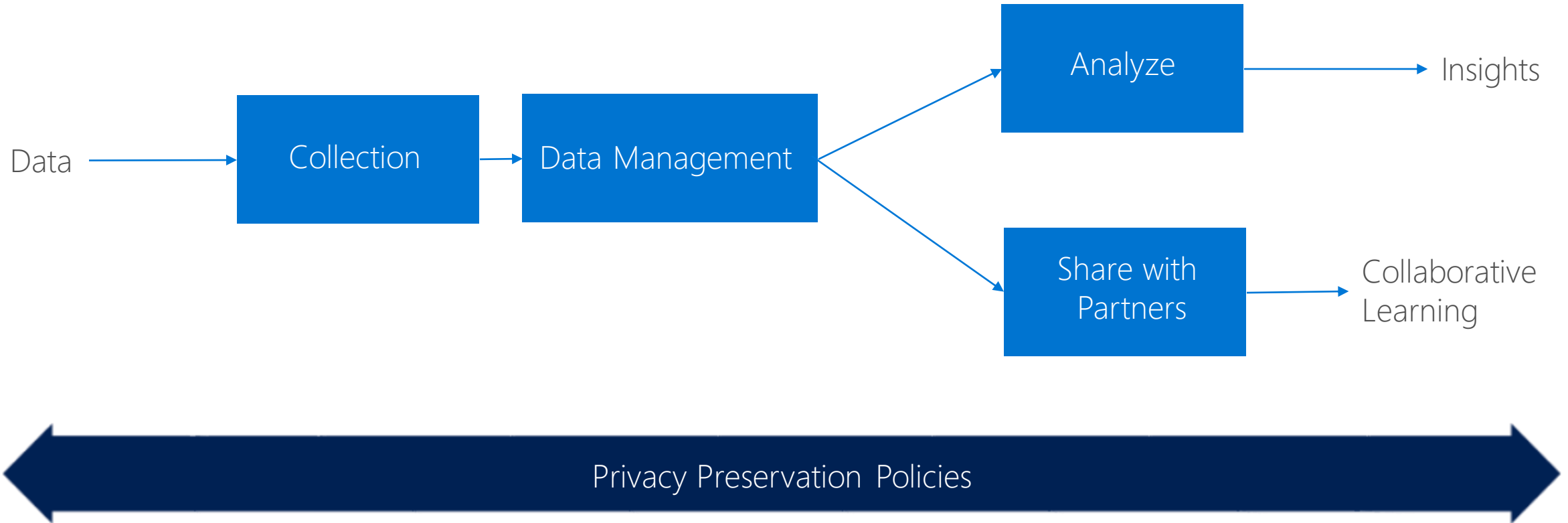
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Privacy is about...

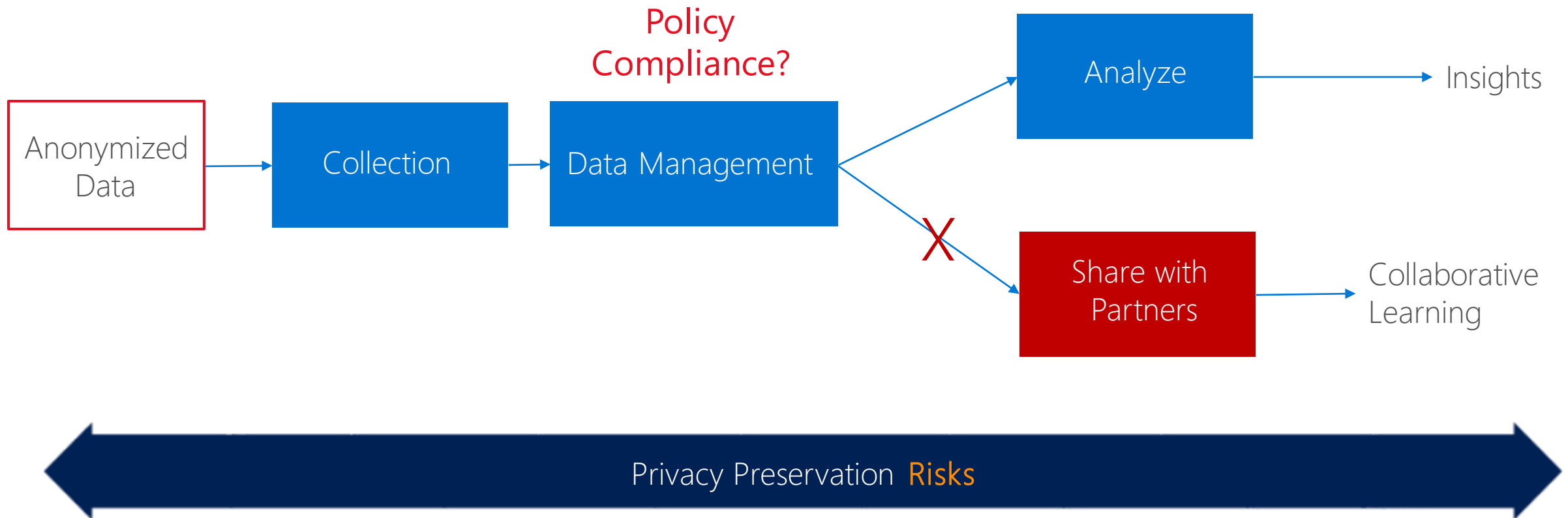


... the **appropriate** collection and processing of
information about a **data subject** by a **data holder**
and the flow of information between data holders.

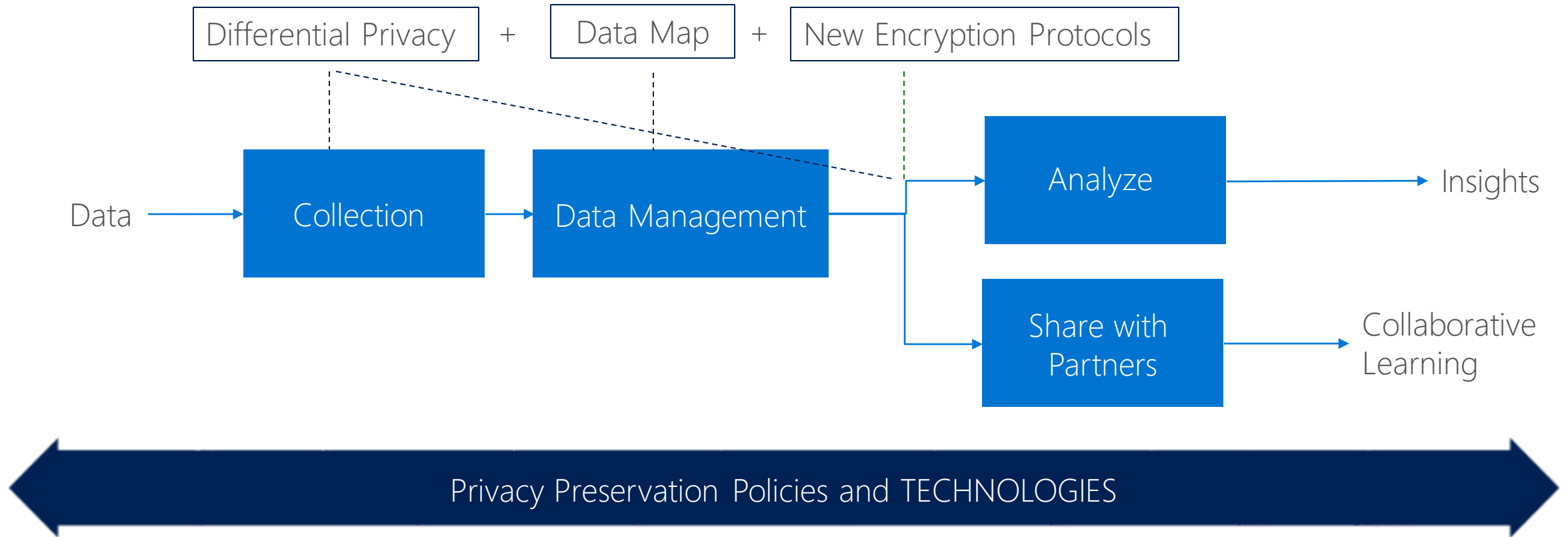
Data Lifecycle



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Data Lifecycle and Privacy Preservation



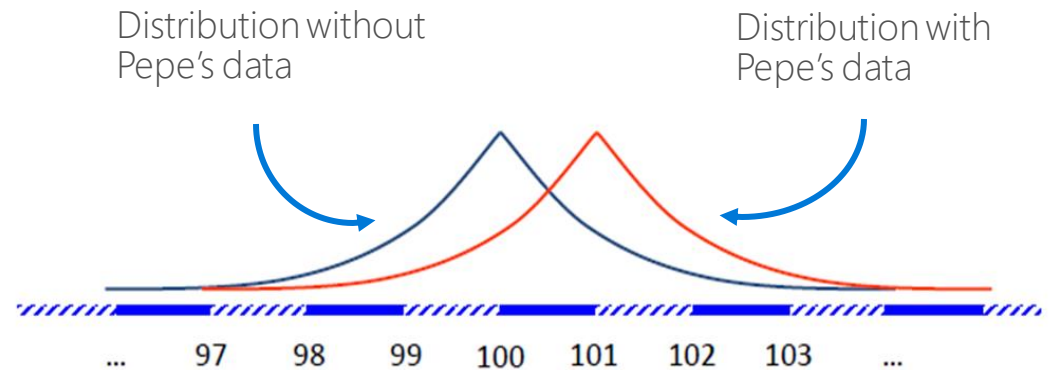
Anonymization is Insufficient

- “Anonymized” data combined across data sources can identify individuals
 - [Netflix users](#) have been re-identified based on ‘anonymous’ viewing habits
 - [Mass. Governor Weld](#) (and many others) were re-identifiable based on ‘anonymous’ medical records
 - [Credit Card metadata](#) and [aggregate cell phone data](#) have fallen to re-identification attacks.
- The President’s Council of Advisors on Science and Technology 2014 [Big Data report](#)

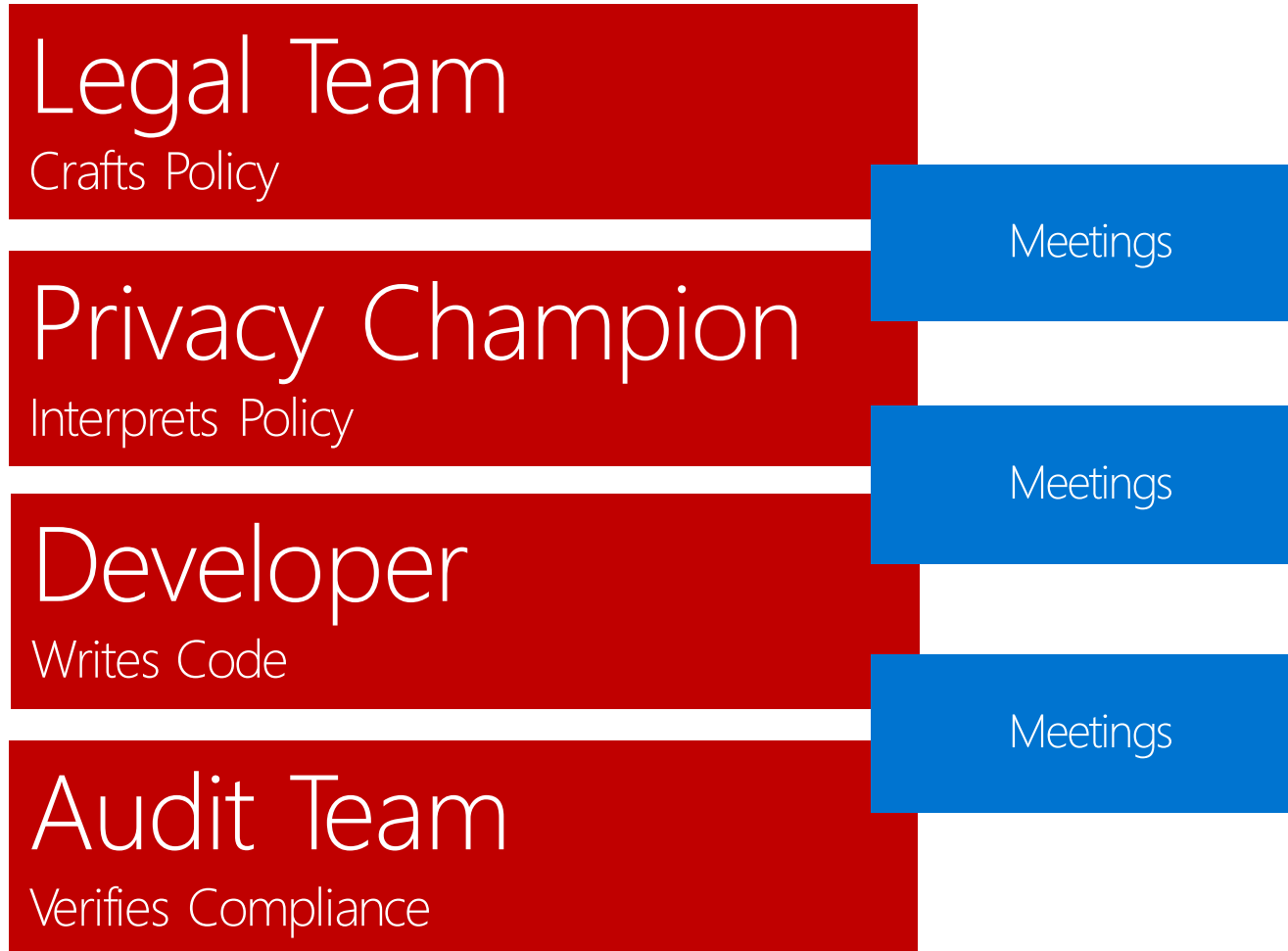
“**Anonymization** is increasingly by the very techniques that are being developed for many legitimate applications of big data. In general **easily defeated, as the size and diversity of available data grows**, the likelihood of being able to re-identify individuals (that is, re-associate their records with their names) grows substantially. While anonymization may remain somewhat useful as an added safeguard in some situations, approaches that deem it, by itself, a sufficient safeguard need updating”.

What Differential Privacy Is

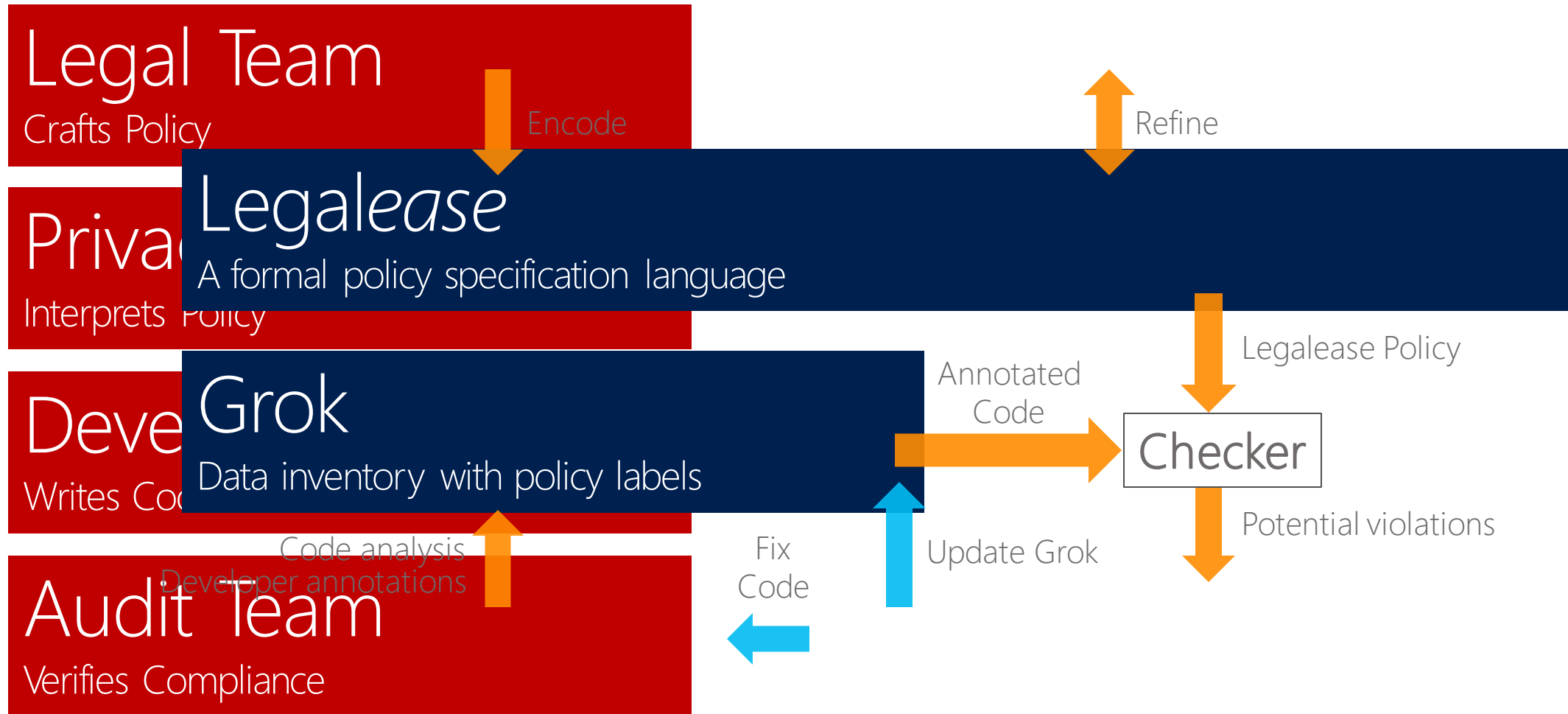
- Technique that enables learning about populations or population segments, while preserving the privacy of individuals
- With DP the same query outputs will be observed with essentially the same probabilities, even if an individual record is added or deleted from the database
- Privacy is achieved by adding noise *either* to data prior to collection or to the results of queries against pristine databases



The Privacy Compliance Challenge



A Streamlined Audit Workflow



Designed for Expressibility

(Bing, October 2013)

ALLOW
EXCEPT

DENY *DataType* IPAddress:Expired
DENY *DataType* UniqueIdentifier:Expired
DENY *DataType* SearchQuery, PII *InStore* Store
DENY *DataType* UniqueIdentifier, PII *InStore* Store

DENY *DataType* BBEPData *UseForPurpose* Advertising

DENY *DataType* BBEPData, PII *InStore* Store

DENY *DataType* BBEPData:Expired

DENY *DataType* UserProfile, PII *InStore* Store

DENY *DataType* PII *UseForPurpose* Advertising

DENY *DataType* PII *InStore* AdStore

DENY *DataType* SearchQuery *UseForPurpose* Sharing
EXCEPT

ALLOW *DataType* SearchQuery:Scrubbed

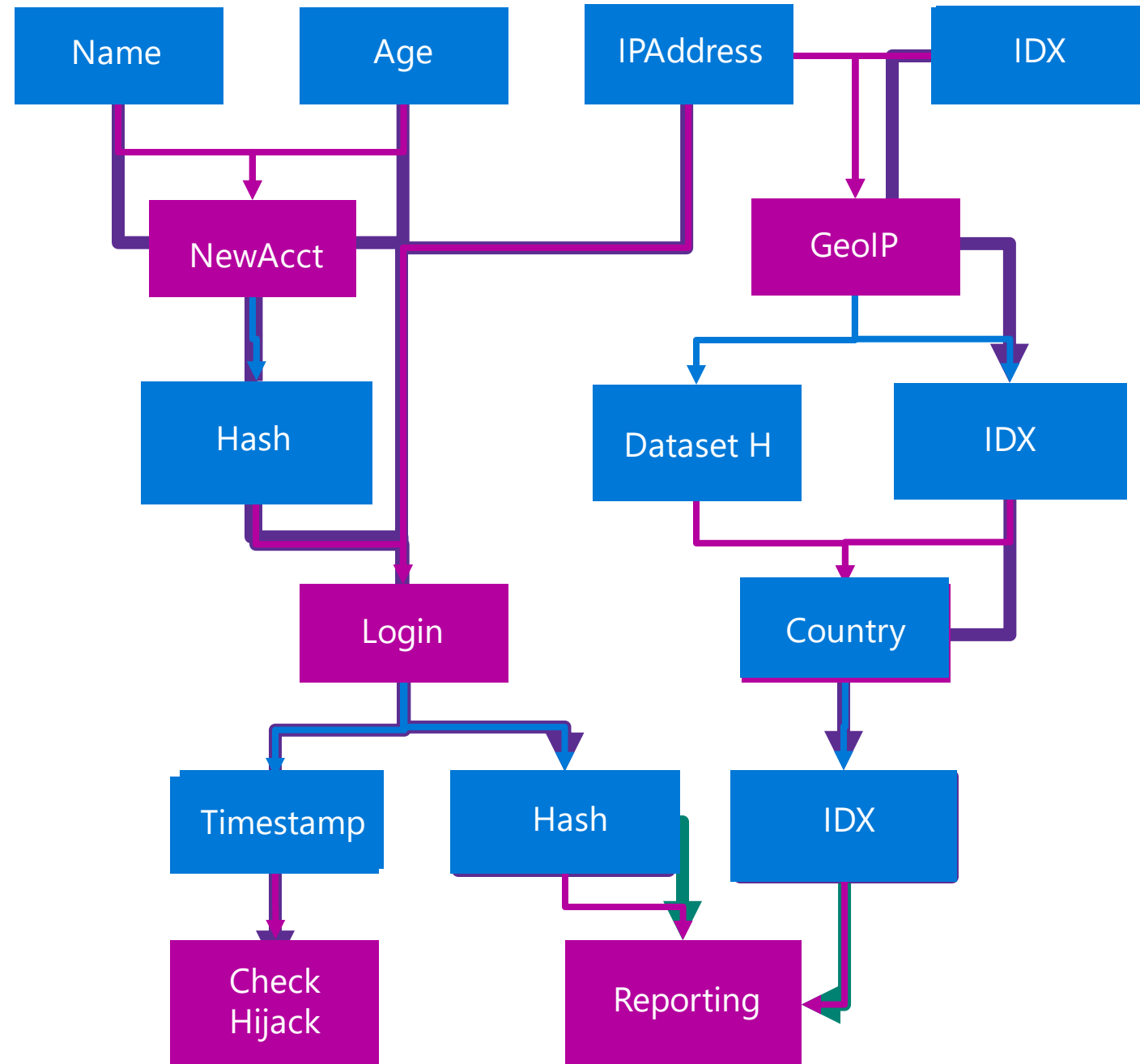
◁ “we remove the entirety of the IP address after 6 months”
◁ “[we remove] cookies and other cross session identifiers, after 18 months”
◁ “We store search terms (and the cookie IDs associated with search terms) separately from any account information that directly identifies the user, such as name, e-mail address, or phone numbers.”
◁ “we do not use any of the information collected through the Bing Bar Experience Improvement Program to identify, contact or target advertising to you”
◁ “we take steps to store [information collected through the Bing Bar Experience Improvement Program] separately from any account information we may have that directly identifies you, such as name, e-mail address, or phone numbers”
◁ “we delete the information collected through the Bing Bar Experience Program at eighteen months.”
◁ “we store page views, clicks and search terms used for ad targeting separately from contact information you may have provided or other data that directly identifies you (such as your name, e-mail address, etc.).”
◁ “our advertising systems do not contain or use any information that can personally and directly identify you (such as your name, email address and phone number).”
◁ “Before we [share some search query data], we remove all unique identifiers such as IP addresses and cookie IDs from the data.”

Grok

Data Inventory

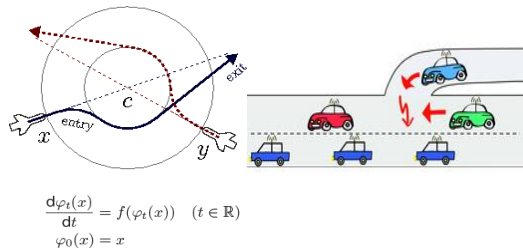
Annotate code + data with
policy data types

Source labels propagated via
data flow graph

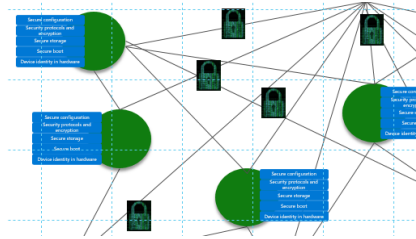


How can we build cyber-physical systems that people can bet their lives on?

Reliability



Security



Privacy



Thank you!