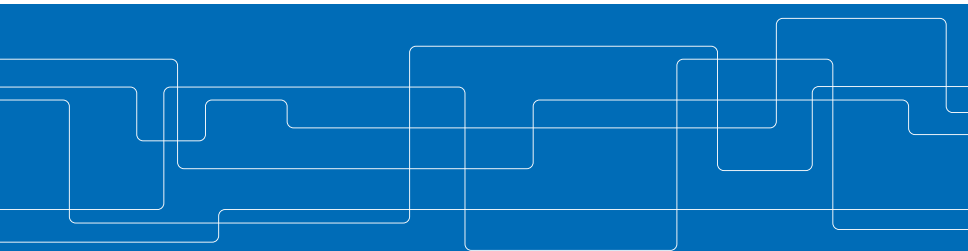




Scalable & Resilient Vehicle-Centric Certificate Revocation List Distri- bution in Vehicular Communication Systems

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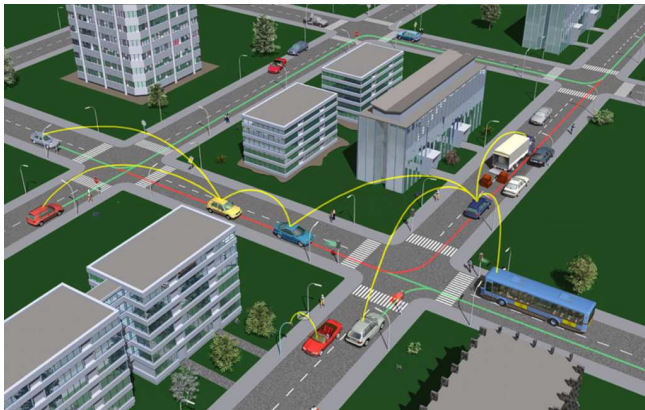
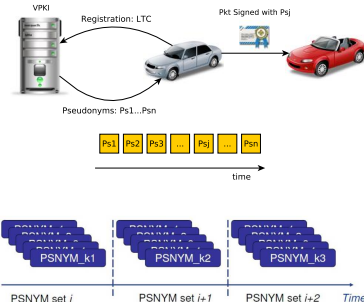


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Security and Privacy for VC Systems¹

Basic Requirements [1, 2]

- ▶ Authentication & integrity
- ▶ Non-repudiation
- ▶ Authorization and access control
- ▶ Conditional anonymity
- ▶ Unlinkability (long-term)



Vehicular Public-Key Infrastructure (VPki)

- ▶ Pseudonymous authentication
- ▶ Trusted Third Party (TTP):
 - ▶ Certification Authority (CA)
 - ▶ Issues credentials & binds users to their pseudonyms

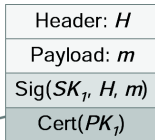
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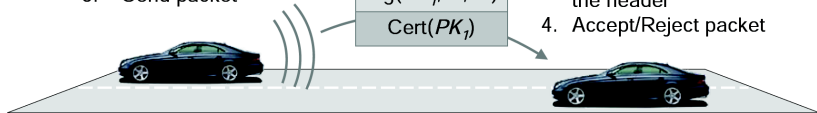
Security and Privacy for VC Systems (cont'd)

Beacon packet

1. Generate signature with SK_1
2. Append certificate
3. Send packet



1. Validate certificate (if not previously done so)
2. Validate signature
3. Validate geo-stamp in the header
4. Accept/Reject packet



- ▶ Sign packets with the private key, corresponding to the current valid pseudonym
- ▶ Verify packets with the valid pseudonym
- ▶ Cryptographic operations in a Hardware Security Module (HSM)

Secure & Privacy-preserving VC Systems

- ▶ Root Certification Authority (RCA)
- ▶ Long Term CA (LTCA)
- ▶ Pseudonym CA (PCA)
- ▶ Resolution Authority (RA)
- ▶ Lightweight Directory Access Protocol (LDAP)
- ▶ Roadside Unit (RSU)
- ▶ Trust established with RCA, or through cross certification

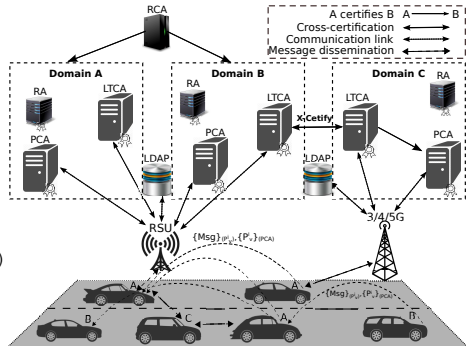


Figure: VPKI Overview



Challenges & Motivation

Traditional PKI vs. Vehicular PKI

- ▶ Dimensions (5 orders of magnitude more credentials)
- ▶ Balancing act: security, privacy, and efficiency
 - ▶ *Honest-but-curious* VPKI entities
 - ▶ Performance constraints: safety- and time-critical operations
(rates of 10 safety beacons per second)
- ▶ Mechanics of revocation:
 - ▶ *Highly dynamic environment with intermittent connectivity*
 - ▶ *Short-lived pseudonyms, multiple per entity*
 - ▶ *Resource constraints*



Challenges and Motivation (cont'd)

Revocation challenges:

- ▶ Efficient and timely distribution of Certificate Revocation Lists (CRLs) to every legitimate vehicle in the system
- ▶ Strong privacy for vehicles prior to revocation events to every vehicle
- ▶ Computation and communication constraints of On-Board Units (OBUs) with intermittent connectivity to the infrastructure
- ▶ Peer-to-peer distribution is a double-edged sword: abusive peers could “pollute” the process, thus degrading the timely CRL distribution



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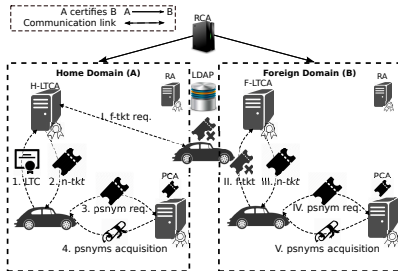


Figure: Pseudonym acquisition overview in the home and foreign domains.

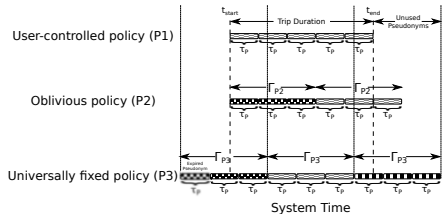


Figure: Pseudonym Acquisition Policies.



System Model and Requirements

Adversarial Model:

- ▶ Excluding revoked pseudonym serial numbers from a CRL
- ▶ Adding valid pseudonyms by forging a fake CRL (piece)
- ▶ Preventing legitimate vehicles from obtaining genuine and the most up-to-date CRL (pieces) or delaying the distribution
- ▶ Harming user privacy by the VPKI entities

Requirements:

- ▶ Fine-grained authentication, integrity, and non-repudiation
- ▶ Unlinkability (perfect-forward-privacy)
- ▶ Availability
- ▶ Efficiency
- ▶ Explicit and/or implicit notification on revocation events

Vehicle-Centric CRL Distribution

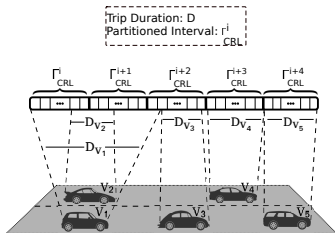


Figure: CRL as a Stream:

V_1 subscribes to $\{\Gamma_{CRL}^i, \Gamma_{CRL}^{i+1}, \Gamma_{CRL}^{i+2}\};$

$V_2 : \{\Gamma_{CRL}^i, \Gamma_{CRL}^{i+1}\};$

$V_3 : \{\Gamma_{CRL}^{i+2}\};$

$V_4 : \{\Gamma_{CRL}^{i+3}\};$

$V_5 : \{\Gamma_{CRL}^{i+4}\}.$

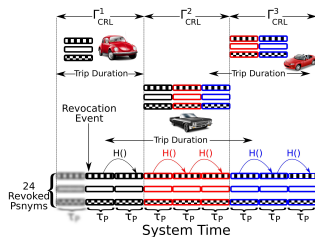
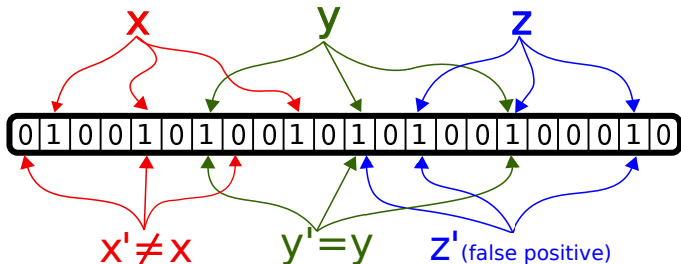


Figure: A vehicle-centric approach: each vehicle only subscribes for pieces of CRLs corresponding to its trip duration.

Bloom Filter Construction & Membership Checks



Bloom Filter (BF) features:

- ▶ A space-efficient probabilistic data structure
- ▶ Fast membership checking
- ▶ No false negatives, but false positive matches are possible
- ▶ A query returns either “possibly in set” or “definitely not in set”
- ▶ No deletion is allowed in a BF; (Cuckoo Filter (CF) supports deletion)

Vehicle-Centric CRL Distribution (cont'd)

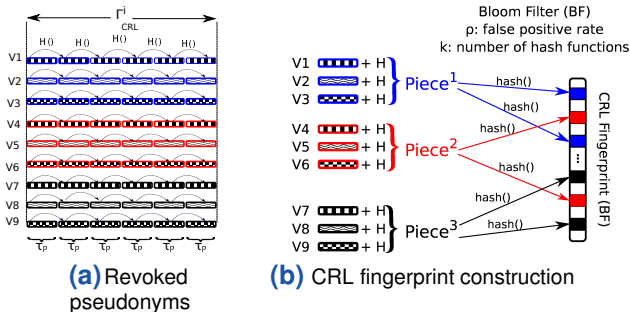
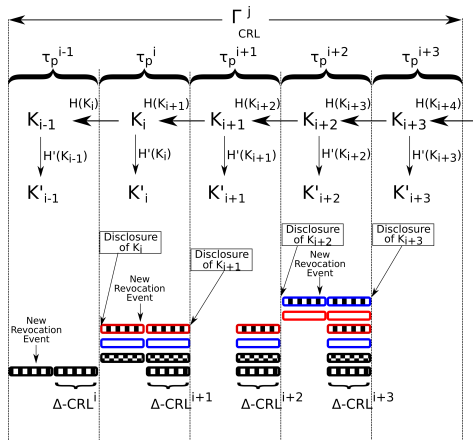


Figure: CRL piece & fingerprint construction by the PCA.

CRL Fingerprint:

- ▶ A signed fingerprint is broadcasted by RSUs
- ▶ Also integrated in a subset of recently issued pseudonyms
- ▶ A notification about a new CRL-update (revocation) event

Vehicle-centric Δ -CRL distribution





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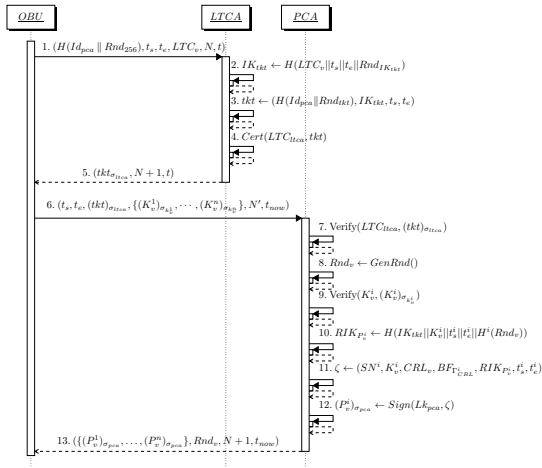
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Notation Used in the Protocols

Table: Notation Used in the Protocols.

Notation	Description	Notation	Description
$(P_V^I)_{pca}, P_V^I$	a valid psnym signed by the PCA	$Append()$	appending a revoked psnym SN to CRLs
(K_V^I, k_V^I)	psnym pub./priv. key pairs	$BFTest()$	BF membership test
(K_{pca}, LK_{pca})	long-term pub./priv. key pairs	p, K	false positive rate, optimal hash functions
$(msg)_{\sigma_v}$	signed msg with vehicle's priv. key	Γ	interval to issue time-aligned psnyms
LTC	Long Term Certificate	Γ_{CRL}	interval to release CRLs
t_{now}, t_s, t_e	a fresh, starting, ending timestamp	RIK	revocation identifiable key
$T_{timeout}$	response reception timeout	B	max. bandwidth for CRL distribution
$n\text{-}tk, (n\text{-}tk)_{llca}$	a native ticket	R	revocation rate
Id_{req}, Id_{res}	request/response identifiers	N	total number of CRL pieces in each Γ_{CRL}
SN	psnym serial number	n	number of remaining psnyms in each batch
$Sign(Lk_{ca}, msg)$	signing a msg with CA's priv. key	k	index of the first revoked psnym
$Verify(LTC_{ca}, msg)$	verifying with the CA's pub. key	CRL_V	CRL version
$GenRnd(), rand(0, *)$	GEN. a random number, or in range	\emptyset	Null or empty vector
$H^k(), H$	hash function (k times), hash value	k, j, m, ζ	temporary variables

Pseudonym Acquisition Process



```

1: if  $i = 1$  then
2:    $SN^i \leftarrow H(RIK_{P_v^i} || H^i(Rnd_v))$ 
3: else
4:    $SN^i \leftarrow H(SN^{i-1} || H^i(Rnd_v))$ 
5: end if
    
```

Issuing Pseudonyms (by the PCA)

Protocol 1 Issuing Pseudonyms (by the PCA)

```

1: procedure ISSUEPSNYMS(Req)
2:    $Req \rightarrow (Id_{req}, t_s, t_e, (tki)_{\sigma_{ltca}}, \{(K_V^1)_{\sigma_{K_V^1}}, \dots, (K_V^n)_{\sigma_{K_V^n}}\}, nonce, t_{now})$ 
3:    $Verify(LTC_{ltca}, (tki)_{\sigma_{ltca}})$ 
4:    $Rnd_V \leftarrow GenRnd()$ 
5:   for  $i:=1$  to  $n$  do
6:     Begin
7:        $Verify(K_V^i, (K_V^i)_{\sigma_{K_V^i}})$ 
8:        $RIK_{P_V^i} \leftarrow H(IK_{tki} || K_V^i || t_s^i || t_e^i || H^i(Rnd_V))$ 
9:       if  $i = 1$  then
10:         $SN^i \leftarrow H(RIK_{P_V^i} || H^i(Rnd_V))$ 
11:      else
12:         $SN^i \leftarrow H(SN^{i-1} || H^i(Rnd_V))$ 
13:      end if
14:       $\zeta \leftarrow (SN^i, K_V^i, CRL_V, BF_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i}, RIK_{P_V^i}, t_s^i, t_e^i)$ 
15:       $(P_V^i)_{\sigma_{pca}} \leftarrow Sign(Lk_{pca}, \zeta)$ 
16:    End
17:   return  $(Id_{res}, \{(P_V^1)_{\sigma_{pca}}, \dots, (P_V^n)_{\sigma_{pca}}\}, Rnd_V, nonce+1, t_{now})$ 
18: end procedure

```

CRL Construction (by the PCA)

Protocol 2 CRL Construction (by the PCA)

```

1: procedure GENCRL( $\Gamma_{CRL}^i, \mathbb{B}$ )
2:    $Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i} \leftarrow \emptyset$ 
3:   repeat
4:      $\{SN_P^k, H_{Rnd_v}^k, n\} \leftarrow fetchRevokedPsnym(\Gamma_{CRL}^i)$  ▷  $k$ : the revoked
5:     if  $SN_P^k \neq Null$  then
6:        $Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i} \leftarrow Append(\{SN_P^k, H_{Rnd_v}^k, n\})$ 
7:     end if
8:   until  $SN_P^k == Null$ 
9:    $N \leftarrow \left\lceil \frac{size(Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i})}{\mathbb{B}} \right\rceil$  ▷ calculating number of pieces with a given  $\mathbb{B}$ 
10:  for  $j \leftarrow 0, N$  do ▷  $N$ : number of pieces in  $\Gamma_{CRL}^i$ 
11:     $Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i}^j \leftarrow Split(Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i}, \mathbb{B}, N)$  ▷ splitting into  $N$  pieces
12:  end for
13:  return  $\{(Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i}^1), \dots, (Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i}^N)\}$ 
14: end procedure

```



Publishing CRLs (by the OBUs)

Protocol 3 Publishing CRLs (by the OBUs)

```
1: procedure PUBLISHCRL()
2:    $\{(Id_{req}, \Gamma_{CRL}^i, [indexes])\} = receiveQuery((\zeta)_{\sigma_{P_V^i}})$ 
3:    $Verify(P_V^i, (\zeta)_{\sigma_{P_V^i}})$ 
4:    $CRL_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i}^* = search_{local}(\Gamma_{CRL}^i)$ 
5:    $j \leftarrow rand(0, *)$ 
6:   if  $CRL_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i}^j \neq \emptyset$  then
7:      $broadcast(\{Id_{res}, CRL_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i}^j\})$ 
8:   end if
9: end procedure
```

▷ The g.c.d. of a and b

▷ search local repository

▷ randomly select one of the available pieces



Subscribing to CRL Pieces (by the OBUs)

Protocol 4 Subscribing to CRL Pieces (by the OBUs)

```
1: procedure SUBSCRIBE $CRL(\Gamma_{CRL}^i, N)$ 
2:    $resp_{final} \leftarrow \emptyset, j \leftarrow 0, t \leftarrow t_{now} + T_{timeout}$ 
3:   repeat
4:      $\zeta \leftarrow (Id_{req}, \Gamma_{CRL}^i, [missing\ pieces\ indexes])$ 
5:      $(\zeta)_{\sigma_v} \leftarrow Sign(k_v^i, \zeta)$ 
6:      $broadcast((\zeta)_{\sigma_{P_v^i}}, P_v^i)$ 
7:      $Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i}^j \leftarrow receiveBefore(t)$ 
8:     if  $BFTest(Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i}^j, BF_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i})$  then
9:        $resp_{final} \leftarrow Store(Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i}^j)$  ▷ storing in local repository
10:    end if
11:     $j \leftarrow j + 1$ 
12:  until  $j > N$ 
13:  return  $resp_{final}$ 
14: end procedure
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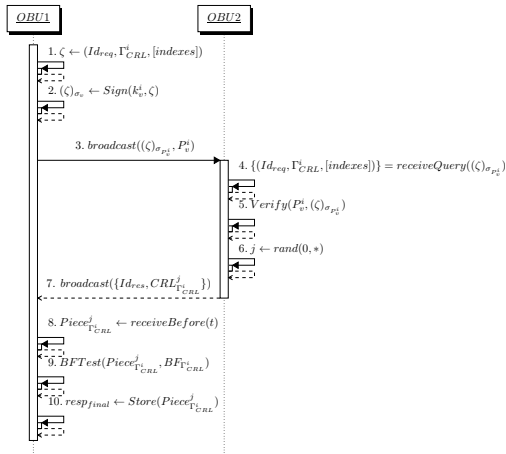


Parsing a CRL Piece (by the OBUs)

Protocol 5 Parsing a CRL Piece (by the OBUs)

```
1: procedure PARSECRL( $Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i}^j$ )
2:    $\{SN^k, H^k(Rnd_v), n\}_N \leftarrow Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i}^j$  ▷ N: Number of Entries
3:    $CRL_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i} \leftarrow \emptyset$ 
4:   for  $t \leftarrow 0, N$  do ▷ N: Total number of CRL pieces
5:     for  $j \leftarrow 0, n$  do ▷ n: Number of remaining psnyms in each batch
6:        $SN^{j+1} \leftarrow H(SN^j || H^j(Rnd_v))$ 
7:        $CRL_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i} \leftarrow Append(H(SN^j || H^j(Rnd_v)))$ 
8:     end for
9:   end for
10:  return  $CRL_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i}$ 
11: end procedure
```

CRL Publish/Subscribe



Δ -CRL Construction (by the PCA)

```

1: procedure GENDELTA_CRL( $\Gamma_{CRL}^j, i, K_i, \mathbb{B}, t_{now}$ )
2:    $Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^j}^{\Delta_i} \leftarrow \emptyset$ 
3:   repeat ▷ Fetching revoked pseudonym, not included in base-CRL
4:      $SN_P \leftarrow fetchRevokedPsnym(\Gamma_{CRL}^j, i, t_{now})$ 
5:     if  $SN_P \neq Null$  then
6:        $Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^j}^{\Delta_i} \leftarrow Append(SN_P)$ 
7:     end if
8:   until  $SN_P == Null$ 
9:    $K_{i-1} \leftarrow H(K_i)$  ▷ Calculating the key for interval  $i - 1$ 
10:   $K'_i \leftarrow H'(K_i)$  ▷ Calculating the key for interval  $i$ 
11:   $N \leftarrow \left\lceil \frac{size(Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^j}^{\Delta_i})}{\mathbb{B}} \right\rceil$  ▷ Calculating number of pieces
12:  for  $w \leftarrow 0, N$  do ▷ N: number of pieces
13:     $\zeta \leftarrow Split(Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^j}^{\Delta_i}, \mathbb{B}, N)$ 
14:     $Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^j}^{\Delta_i^w} \leftarrow \{\zeta || MAC(K'_i, \zeta) || K_{i-1}\}$ 
15:  end for
16:  return  $\{(Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^j}^{\Delta_i^1}), \dots, (Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^j}^{\Delta_i^N})\}$ 
17: end procedure

```



Parsing a CRL Piece (by the OBUs)

```
1: procedure PARSECRL( $Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i}^j, N$ )
2:    $\{SN_z, Rnd_z, n_z\}_N \leftarrow Piece_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i}^j$ 
3:    $CRL_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i} \leftarrow \emptyset$ 
4:   for  $z \leftarrow 1, N$  do
5:     for  $w \leftarrow 1, n_z$  do
6:        $CRL_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i} \leftarrow Append(H(SN_z || H_z^w(Rnd_z)))$ 
7:        $SN_z \leftarrow H(SN_z || H_z^w(Rnd_z))$ 
8:     end for
9:   end for
10:  return  $CRL_{\Gamma_{CRL}^i}$ 
11: end procedure
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▷ N: Number of entries in this piece

▷ n: Number of remaining pseudonyms



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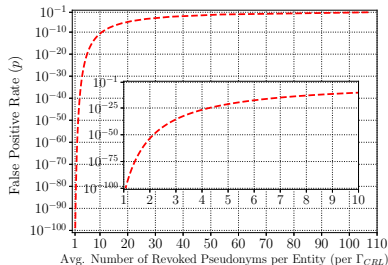
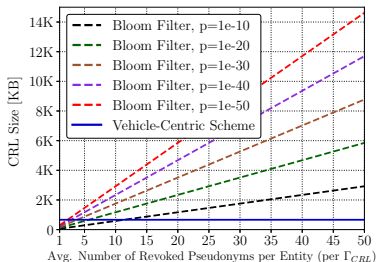
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Qualitative Analysis

- ▶ ✓ *Fine-grained authentication, integrity, and non-repudiation:* signed fingerprints
- ▶ ✓ *Unlinkability (perfect-forward-privacy):* multi-session pseudonym requests, timely-aligned pseudonym lifetime, utilization of hash chains
- ▶ ✓ *Availability:* leveraging RSUs and car-to-car epidemic distribution
- ▶ ✓ *Efficiency:* Efficient construction of fingerprints, fast validation per piece, and implicitly binding of a batch
- ▶ ✓ *Explicit and/or implicit notification on revocation events:* Broadcasting signed fingerprints, also integrated into a subset of recently issued pseudonyms

Qualitative Analysis (cont'd)



(a) CRL size comparison

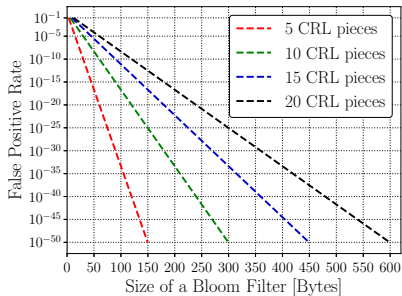
(b) C²RL [6] as a factor of false positive rate

Figure: (a) CRL size comparison for C²RL and vehicle-centric scheme (10,000 revoked vehicles). (b)

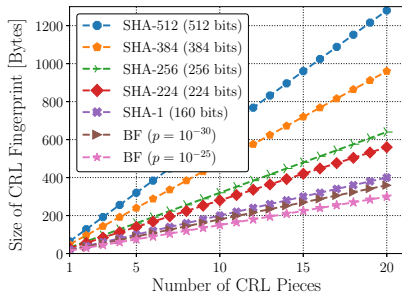
Achieving vehicle-centric comparable CRL size for the C²RL scheme.

- ▶ $m_{BF} = -\frac{N \times M \times \ln p}{(\ln 2)^2}$, N is the total number of compromised vehicles, M is the average number of revoked pseudonyms per vehicle per Γ_{CRL} .
- ▶ Significant improvement over C²RL: 2.6x reduction in CRL size when $M = 10$ and $p = 10^{-30}$.

Qualitative Analysis (cont'd)



(a) Vehicle-centric scheme



(b) Precode-and-hash scheme [8]

Figure: Extra overhead for CRL fingerprints.



Qualitative Analysis (cont'd)

- ▶ BF trades off communication overhead for false positive rate
- ▶ BF size increases linearly as the false positive rate decreases

An adversary targeting the BF false positive rate:

- ▶ Excluding revoked pseudonym serial numbers from a CRL
- ▶ Adding valid pseudonyms by forging a fake CRL (piece)

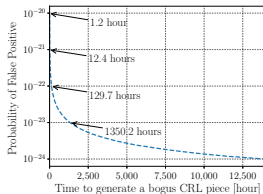


Figure: Query-only attack on the CRL fingerprints; adversary's computational power is $1.6 \times 10^{18} TH/sec$.

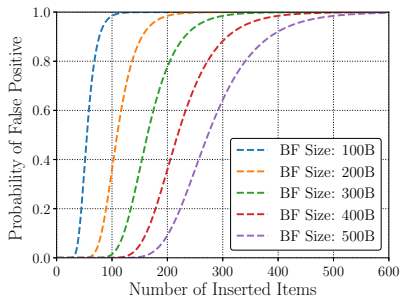
With Antminer-S9 (14TH/s,\$3,000), $\Gamma_{CRL} = 1$ hour and $p = 10^{-20}$ ($K = 67$):

- ▶ 132,936 Antminer-S9 (\$400M) to generate a bogus piece in 1 hour ($\frac{10^{20} \times 67}{14 \times 10^{12}}$)

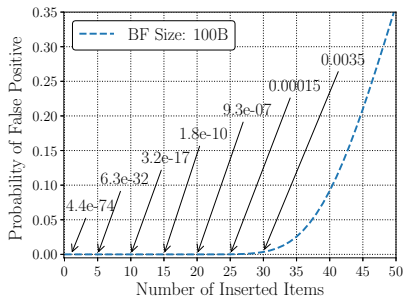
With AntPool (1, 604, 608 TH/s): 70 minutes to generate a fake piece!

- ▶ With $p = 10^{-22}$ ($K = 73$): 5 days ($\frac{10^{22} \times 73}{1.6 \times 10^{18}} = 126h$)
- ▶ With $p = 10^{-23}$ ($K = 76$): 55 days ($\frac{10^{23} \times 76}{1.6 \times 10^{18}} = 1,319h$)

Qualitative Analysis (cont'd)



(a)



(b)

Figure: Chosen-insertion attack on the CRL fingerprint.



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- ▶ OMNET++ & Veins framework using SUMO
- ▶ Cryptographic protocols and primitives (OpenSSL): Elliptic Curve Digital Signature Algorithm (ECDSA)-256 and SHA-256 as per IEEE 1609.2 and ETSI standards
- ▶ V2X communication over IEEE 802.11p
- ▶ Placement of the RSUs: “highly-visited” intersections with non-overlapping radio range:
- ▶ Comparison with the *baseline* scheme [9]: under the same assumptions and configuration with the same parameters
- ▶ Evaluation of: efficiency (latency), resilience (to pollution/DoS attacks), resource consumption (computation/communication)

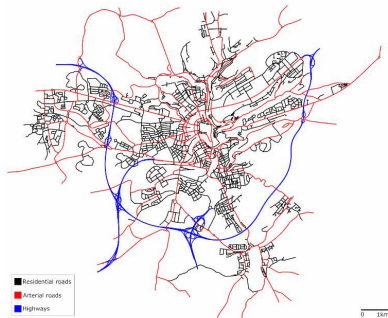


Figure: The LuST dataset, a full-day realistic mobility pattern in the city of Luxembourg (15KM x 15KM) [Codeca et al. (2015)].

Quantitative Analysis (cont'd)

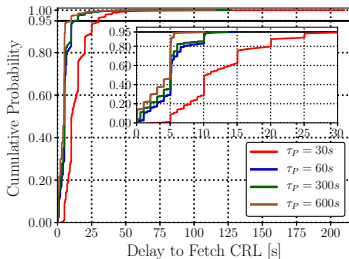
Table: Simulation Parameters (LuST dataset).

Parameters	Value	Parameters	Value
CRL/Fingerprint TX interval	0.5s/5s	Pseudonym lifetime	30s-600s
Carrier frequency	5.89 GHz	Area size	15 KM \times 15 KM
TX power	20mW	Number of vehicles	138,259
Physical layer bit-rate	18Mbps	Number of trips	287,939
Sensitivity	-89dBm	Average trip duration	692.81 s
Thermal noise	-110dBm	Duration of simulation	4 hour (7-9, 17-19)
CRL dist. Bandwidth (\mathbb{B})	10, 25, 50 KB/s	Γ	1-60 min
Number of RSUs	100	Γ_{CRL}	60 min

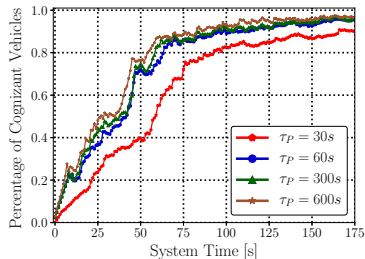
Table: LuST Revocation Information ($\mathbb{R} = 1\%$, $\mathbb{B} = 10KB/s$).

Pseudonym Lifetime	Number of Psnyms	Number of Revoked Psnyms	Average Number per Γ_{CRL}	Number of Pieces
$\tau_P=30s$	3,425,565	34,256	1,428	12
$\tau_P=60s$	1,712,782	17,128	710	6
$\tau_P=300s$	342,556	3,426	143	2
$\tau_P=600s$	171,278	1,713	72	1

Quantitative Analysis (cont'd)



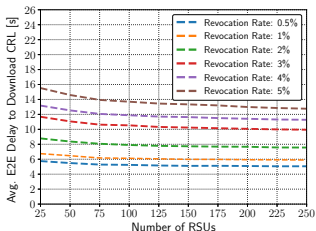
(a) Vehicle-centric scheme ($\mathbb{B} = 10$ KB/s)



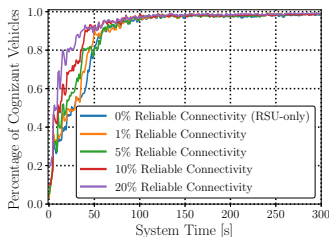
(b) Vehicle-centric scheme ($\mathbb{B} = 10$ KB/s)

Figure: (a) End-to-end latency to fetch CRL pieces. (b) Percentage of cognizant vehicles.

Quantitative Analysis (cont'd)



(a) Vehicle-centric scheme
($\mathbb{B} = 25$ KB/s)

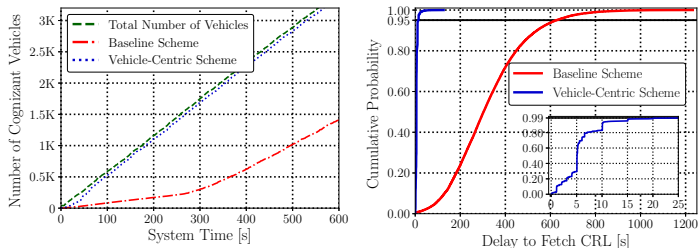


(b) Vehicle-centric scheme
($TX = 5$ s)

Figure: (a) Average end-to-end delay to download CRLs. (b) Dissemination of CRL fingerprints.

- ▶ Total number of pseudonyms is 1.7M ($\tau_P = 60$ s).
- ▶ Signed fingerprint of CRL pieces periodically broadcasted only by RSUs [8], or broadcasted by RSUs (365 bytes with $TX = 5$ s) and, in addition, integrated into a subset of pseudonyms with 36 bytes of extra overhead ($p = 10^{-30}$, $\mathbb{R} = 0.5\%$).

Quantitative Analysis (cont'd)



(a) 7:00-7:10 am ($\mathbb{B} = 25$ KB/s)

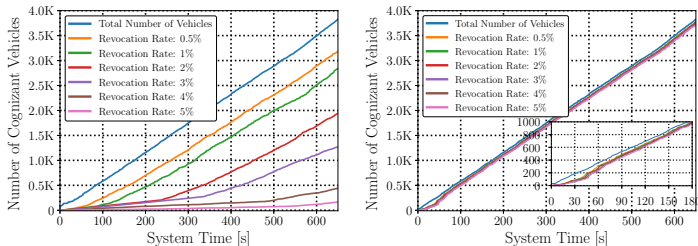
(b) 7-9 am, 5-7 pm ($\mathbb{B} = 25$ KB/s)

Figure: End-to-end delay to fetch CRLs ($\mathbb{R} = 1\%$, $\tau_P = 60$ s).

Converging more than 40 times faster than the state-of-the-art:

- ▶ Baseline scheme: $F_x(t = 626\text{s}) = 0.95$
- ▶ Vehicle-centric scheme: $F_x(t = 15\text{s}) = 0.95$

Quantitative Analysis (cont'd)

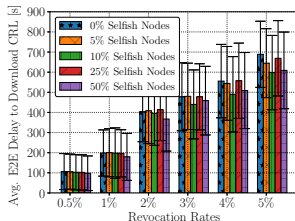


(a) Baseline scheme ($\mathbb{B} = 50$ KB/s) (b) Vehicle-centric scheme ($\mathbb{B} = 50$ KB/s)

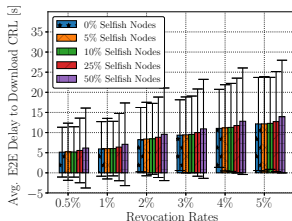
Figure: Cognizant vehicles with different revocation rates.

- \mathbb{T} : the total number of pseudonyms; \mathbb{R} : the revocation rate.
- Size of CRLs for the Baseline: $\mathbb{T} \times \mathbb{R}$, linearly increases with \mathbb{R}
- Size of an *effective CRL* for vehicle-centric: $\frac{\mathbb{T} \times \mathbb{R}}{|\Gamma_{CRL}|}$, where $|\Gamma_{CRL}|$ is the number of intervals in a day, e.g., $|\Gamma_{CRL}|$ is 24 when $\Gamma_{CRL} = 1$ h.

Quantitative Analysis (cont'd)



(a) Baseline scheme

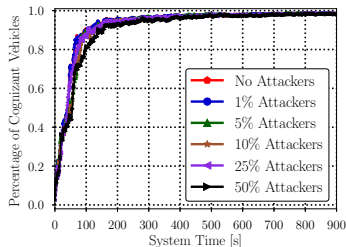
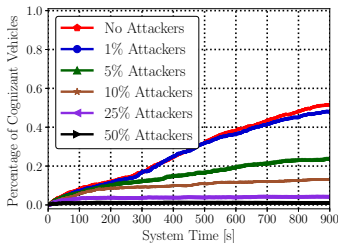


(b) Vehicle-centric scheme

Figure: Resilience comparison against selfish nodes with different revocation rates (7:00-7:30, $\tau_p = 30s$, $\mathbb{B} = 50KB/s$).

- Selfish nodes do not perform any “active” attacks; rather, they become silent and they never respond to a CRL piece request.

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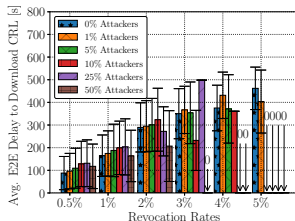


(a) Baseline scheme ($\mathbb{B} = 25$ KB/s) (b) Vehicle-centric scheme ($\mathbb{B} = 25$ KB/s)

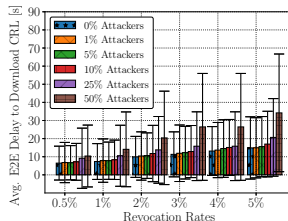
Figure: Resilience comparison against DoS attacks.

- ▶ Attackers periodically broadcast fake CRL pieces once every 0.5 second.
- ▶ The resilience to pollution and DoS attacks stems from three factors:
 - ▶ A huge reduction of the CRL size
 - ▶ Efficient verification of CRL pieces
 - ▶ Integrating the fingerprint of CRL pieces in a subset of pseudonyms

Quantitative Analysis (cont'd)



(a) Baseline scheme

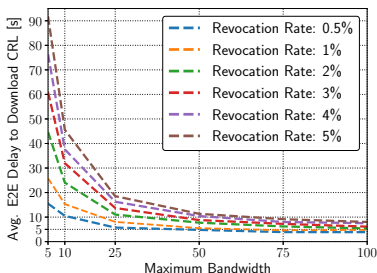


(b) Vehicle-centric scheme

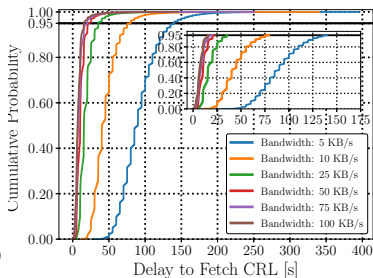
Figure: Resilience comparison against pollution and DoS attacks with different revocation rates (7:00-7:10, $\tau_p = 30s$, $\mathbb{B} = 50KB/s$).

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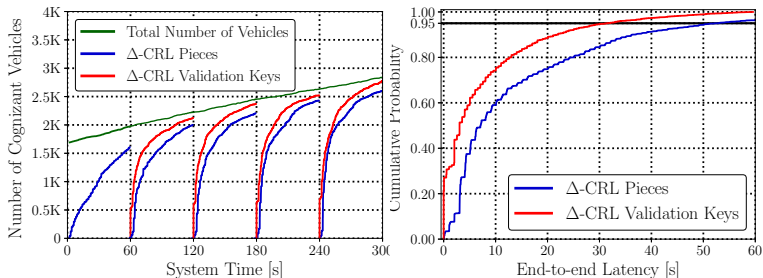
(a) Vehicle-centric scheme



(b) Vehicle-centric scheme

Figure: (a) Bandwidth-delay trade off ($\tau_P = 60s$). (b) CDF of end-to-end delay with different bandwidth ($\tau_P = 30s$, $\mathbb{R} = 5\%$).

Quantitative Analysis (cont'd)

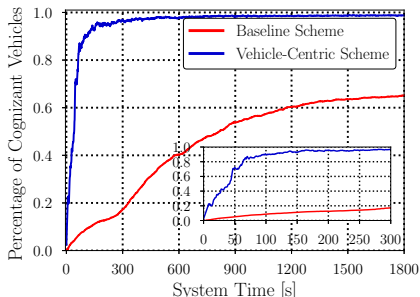


(a) 7:05-7:10 am ($\mathbb{B} = 10$ KB/s)

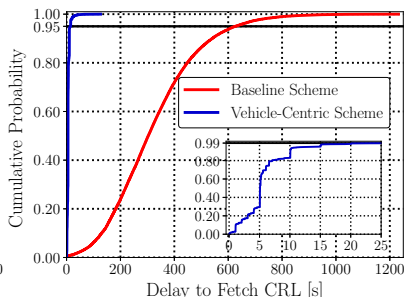
(b) 7:05-7:10 am ($\mathbb{B} = 10$ KB/s)

Figure: End-to-end delay to fetch Δ -CRL pieces and validation keys for vehicle-centric scheme ($\tau_P = 60$ sec., $\mathbb{R} = 5\%$, $\gamma_{key} = 0.5$, $\gamma_{piece} = 2$).

Quantitative Analysis (cont'd)



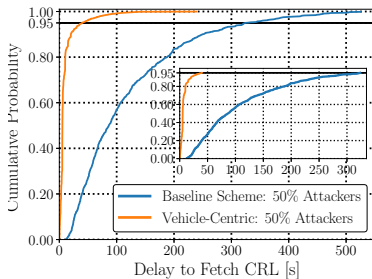
(a) 7:00-7:10 am ($\mathbb{B} = 25$ KB/s)



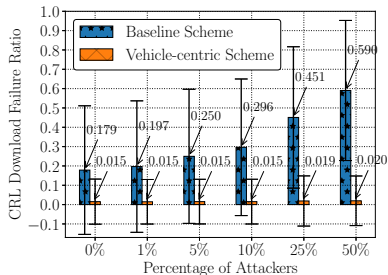
(b) 7-9 am, 5-7 pm ($\mathbb{B} = 25$ KB/s)

Figure: End-to-end delay to fetch CRLs ($\tau_P = 60$ s, $\mathbb{R} = 1\%$).

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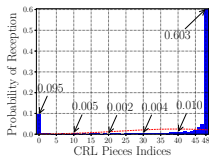
(a) CDF of delays under a DoS attack



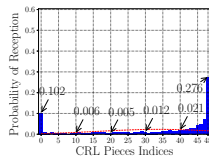
(b) Probability of failure

Figure: (a) CDF of latency to successfully obtain CRL pieces (50% attackers). (b) CRL download failure ratio as a function of DoS attackers ($\tau_P = 30s$, $\mathbb{B} = 50KB/s$).

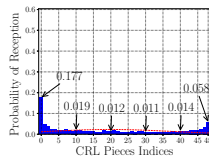
Quantitative Analysis (cont'd)



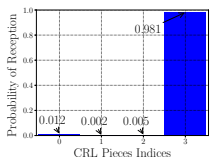
(a) Baseline: no attackers



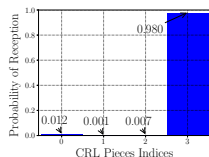
(b) Baseline: 10% attackers



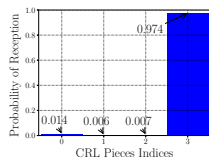
(c) Baseline: 50% attackers



(d) Vehicle-centric: no attackers



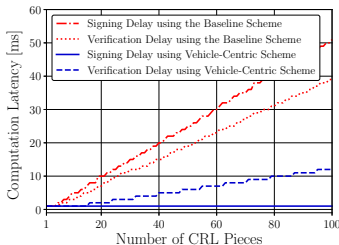
(e) Vehicle-centric: 10% attackers



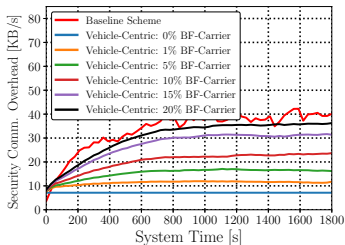
(f) Vehicle-centric: 50% attackers

Figure: Probability of successful CRL pieces reception ($\tau_P = 30s$, $\mathbb{B} = 50KB/s$). (a) and (d): no attacks. (b), (c), (e), (f): under a DoS attack.

Quantitative Analysis (cont'd)



(a) End-to-end latency



(b) Cryptographic overhead

Figure: (a) Computation latency comparison. (b) Security overhead comparison, averaged every 30s ($\mathbb{R}=1\%$, $\mathbb{B} = 50\text{KB/s}$).

- ▶ Cryptographic protocols were executed on a VM (dual-core 2.0 GHz).
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