

## Cybersecurity Standardization in ETSI

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More than 900 member organizations worldwide

Drawn from over 60 countries and on five continents

30+ years track record of technical excellence in the ICT sector

Strong community of experts and innovators

Diverse community: SMEs, micro-enterprises, large companies, research entities, academia, government and public bodies, societal stakeholders

Large and small member organizations



## ... in TC CYBER...



### Technical Committee on Cybersecurity (TC CYBER)

- ETSI's Centre of Excellence for Cyber Security created in 2014
- Works on a range of problems – from device security to privacy, to network security, to cybersecurity tools and guides, with a Working Group on quantum-safe cryptography
- Works on both industry security challenges and security policies and legislation to address global cyber security problems



## ... and in many other groups...



<b>3GPP SA3</b>	Security of mobile networks
<b>ISG NFV</b>	Securing network function virtualization
<b>TC ITS</b>	Intelligent Transport Systems
<b>ISG ETI</b>	Encrypted Traffic Integration
<b>TC SAI</b>	Securing Artificial Intelligence
<b>TC ESI</b>	Digital signatures and trust services
<b>TC SET</b>	Smart cards and secure elements
<b>ISG QKD</b>	Quantum key distribution
<b>TC LI</b>	Lawful interception and retained data
<b>ISG PDL</b>	Permissioned Distributed Ledgers
<b>ISG MEC</b>	Muti-access Edge Computing

# Cybersecurity Standardisation in ETSI



## CROSS-DOMAIN CYBERSECURITY (TC CYBER)

- Cybersecurity ecosystem
- Protection of personal data & communications
- Consumer IoT security and privacy
- Security of critical infrastructures
- Enterprise and individual cybersecurity
- Forensics
- Cybersecurity tools and guides

## SECURING TECHNOLOGIES & SYSTEMS

- Mobile / wireless systems (5G, TETRA, DECT, RRS, RFID...)
- Network functions virtualization
- Intelligent Transports Systems
- Broadcasting
- Artificial Intelligence
- IoT (oneM2M)



## EVOLVING SECURITY TOOLS & TECHNIQUES

- Lawful interception & retained data
- Digital signatures & trust services
- Permissioned distributed ledgers
- Smart cards / secure elements
- Security algorithms
- Quantum key distribution
- Quantum-safe cryptography
- Encrypted Traffic Integration

# TC CYBER

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Cyber Security



# TC CYBER Key areas of Work



Cybersecurity ecosystem



Protection of personal data and communication



Cybersecurity for Critical Infrastructures



Forensic activities



Direct support to EU legislation



Consumer IoT and Mobile Security and Privacy



Network Security



Enterprise/organization and individual cybersecurity

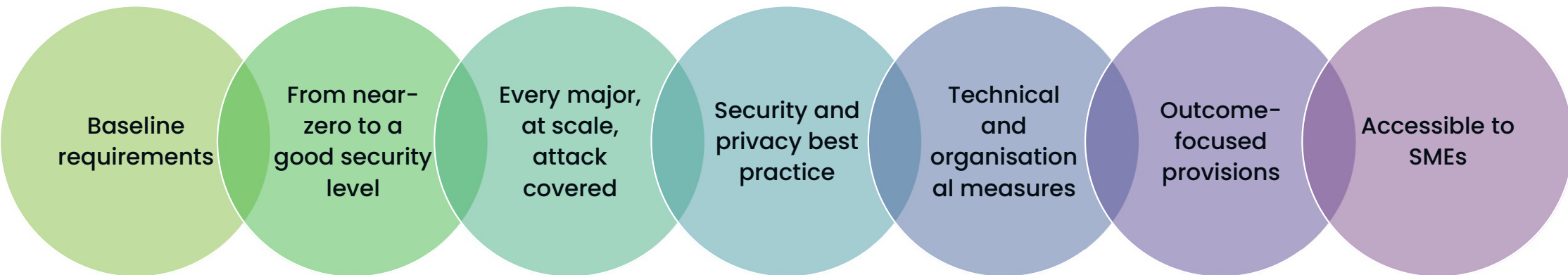


Cybersecurity tools



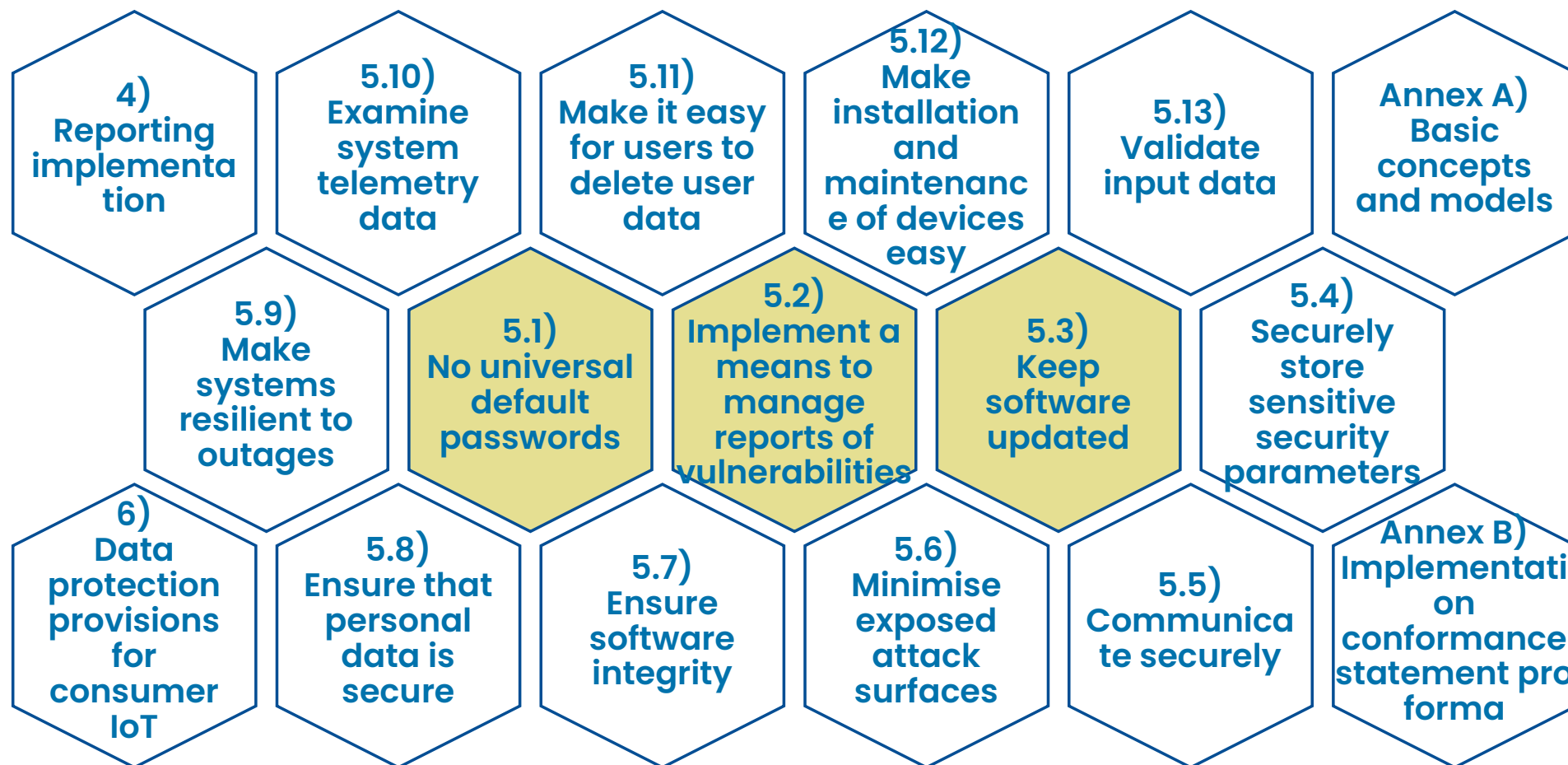
Quantum-Safe Cryptography

# ETSI EN 303 645: “Cyber Security for Consumer Internet of Things: Baseline Requirements”





# ETSI EN 303 645: Cyber Security for Consumer IoT





# Consumer Mobile Device Protection Profile



- The CMDPP, developed in the TS 103 732 series, is a powerful tool to grant a common level of security in the consumer mobile devices.
- The CMDPP may become the reference for the mobile device cybersecurity baseline and used by other organisations.
- The CMDPP will be the first Protection Profile developed by ETSI certified against Common Criteria expanding the ETSI standards portfolio.

# Protection of personal data and communications



ETSI is addressing the technical support to privacy legislation in the EU and beyond.

Technical guide to privacy addressing and cataloguing relevant standards globally [ETSI TR 103 370 V1.1.1 \(2019-01\)](#)

Attribute-Based Encryption ABE requirements [ETSI TS 103 458 V1.1.1 \(2018-06\)](#)

Mechanisms for privacy assurance and verification [ETSI TS 103 485 V1.1.1 \(2020-08\)](#)

Ongoing work:

A Verifiable Credentials extension using Attribute-Based Encryption

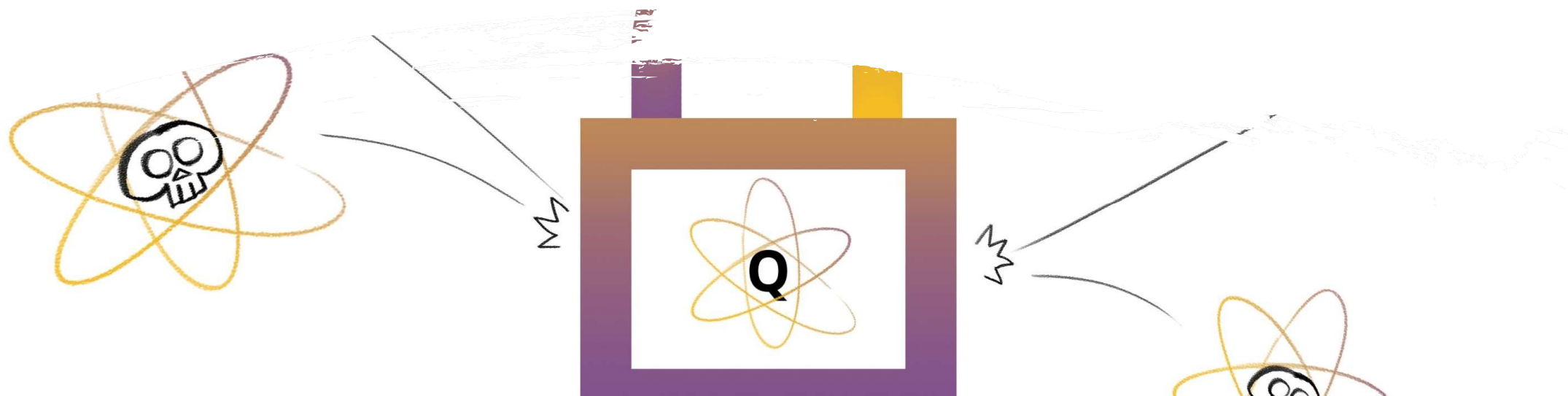
Design practices against technology enabled coercive control



# TC CYBER – WG QSC

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## Quantum-Safe Cryptography





# Quantum-Safe Cryptography (QSC)



Launched in 2013 as a Workshop and as an Industry Specification group in 2015 to **study the potential impacts of Quantum Computing** in order to make recommendations on Quantum Safe Cryptography.

QSC became a working group of TC CYBER in 2017.

Specialises in providing **practical advice to industry** on issues such as risk assessment, migration timelines, architecture and integration issues.

**Realistic quantum-safe options** for important real-world applications such as VPNs, code signing, transport security...

(Does not specify algorithms or key distribution techniques)

# Quantum-Safe Cryptography – Publications



CYBER; Quantum-Safe Cryptography Migration for ITS and C-ITS, [ETSI TR 103 949 V1.1.1 \(2023-05\)](#)

CYBER; Quantum-Safe Key Exchanges, [ETSI TR 103 507 V1.1.1 \(2017-10\)](#)

Quantum-Safe Public Key Encryption and Key Encapsulation, [ETSI TR 103 832 V1.1.2 \(2021-09\)](#)

CYBER; Quantum-Safe Signatures, [ETSI TR 103 616 V1.1.1 \(2021-09\)](#)

CYBER; Quantum-Safe Virtual Private Networks, [ETSI TR 103 617 V1.1.1 \(2018-09\)](#)

CYBER; Quantum-Safe Identity-Based Encryption, [ETSI TR 103 618 V1.1.1 \(2019-12\)](#)

CYBER; Migration strategies for Quantum Safe schemes, [ETSI TR 103 619 V1.1.1 \(2020-07\)](#)

State Management for stateful authentication mechanisms, [ETSI TR 103 692 V1.1.1 \(2021-11\)](#)

CYBER; Quantum-safe Hybrid Key Exchanges, [ETSI TS 103 744 V1.1.1 \(2020-12\)](#)



# Quantum-Safe Cryptography – Ongoing Work



## Current Work Items:

Deployment Considerations for Hybrid Schemes (TR)

Quantum-Safe Hybrid Key Exchanges (Revision of TS 103 744)

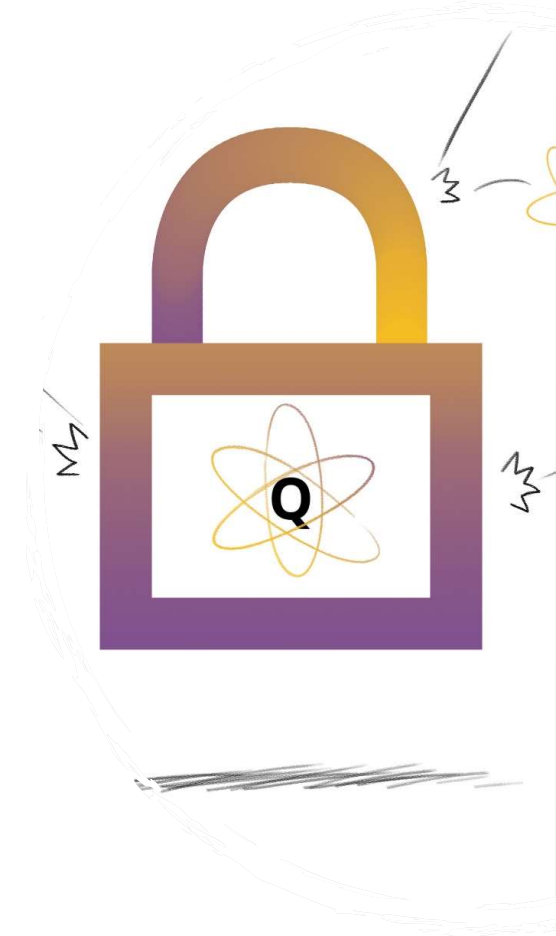
Impact of Quantum Computing on Cryptographic Security Proofs (TR)

Impact of Quantum Computing on Symmetric Cryptography (TR)

A Repeatable Framework for Quantum-safe Migrations (TR)

Efficient Quantum-Safe Hybrid Key Exchanges with Hidden Access Policies (TS)

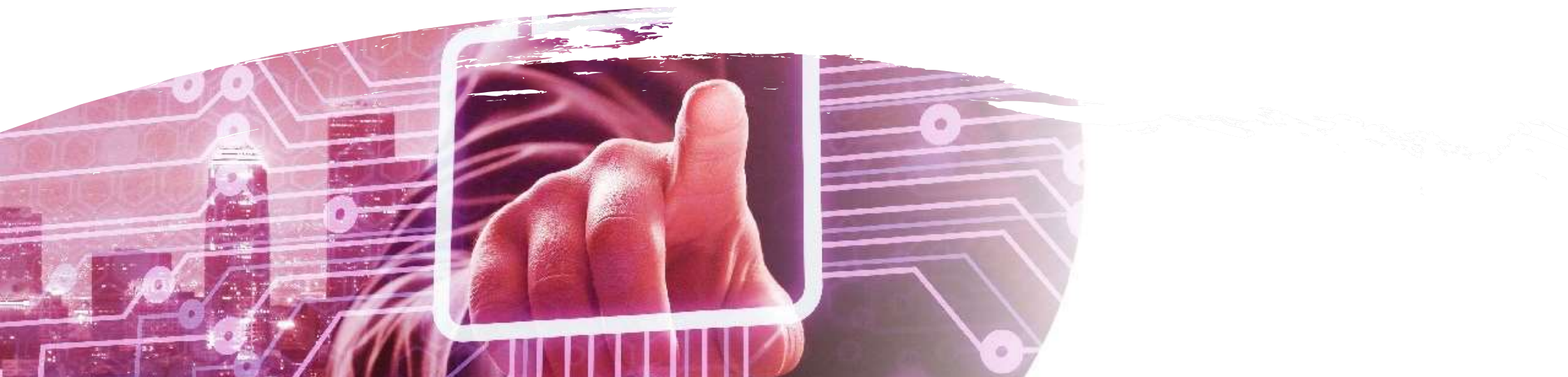
QSC Protocol Inventory (TR)



# TC ESI

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Electronic signatures and trusted Infrastructures





# TC ESI – Digital signatures and Trust Services Standards Framework



## Trust Services (eIDAS)



## Signature-enhanced Services



## New Trust Services (eIDAS 2)

- e-Attributes
- e-Ledgers
- e-Archiving



## Signature creation & validation formats and procedures



Signing Devices



Crypto Suites



EU Digital Identity Wallet

# TC ESI – Trust service issuing certificates



**e-Signatures**

For use by natural persons

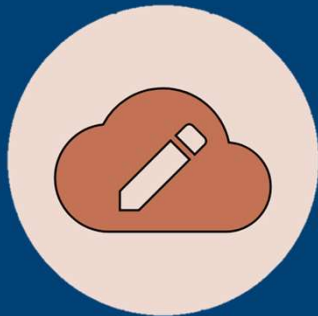
**e-Seals**

For use by legal persons

**Website  
authentication**

For websites

# TC ESI – Signature Enhanced Trust Services



**Remote  
Signing**



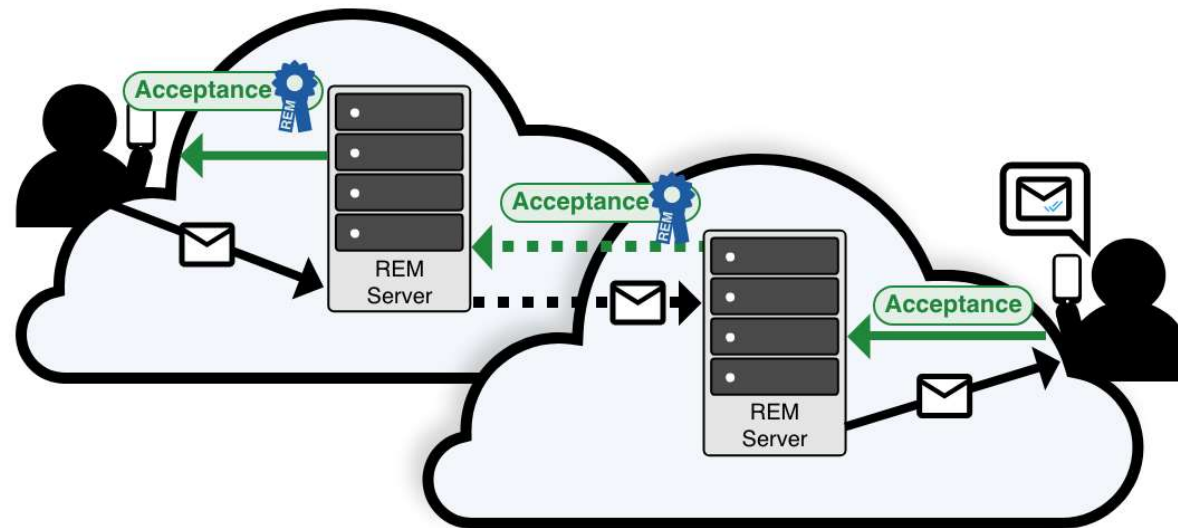
**Validation  
Services**



**Long-term  
Preservation**



# TC ESI – Electronic Registered Delivery (ERDS) and Registered Electronic Mail (REM)



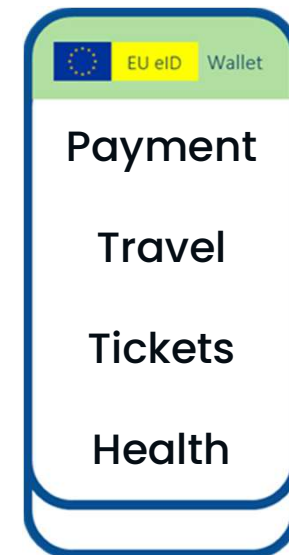
# TC ESI - eIDAS2 Electronic Attribute Attestation



Authentic  
Source



Trust Service  
Provider



# TC SAI

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## Securing Artificial Intelligence

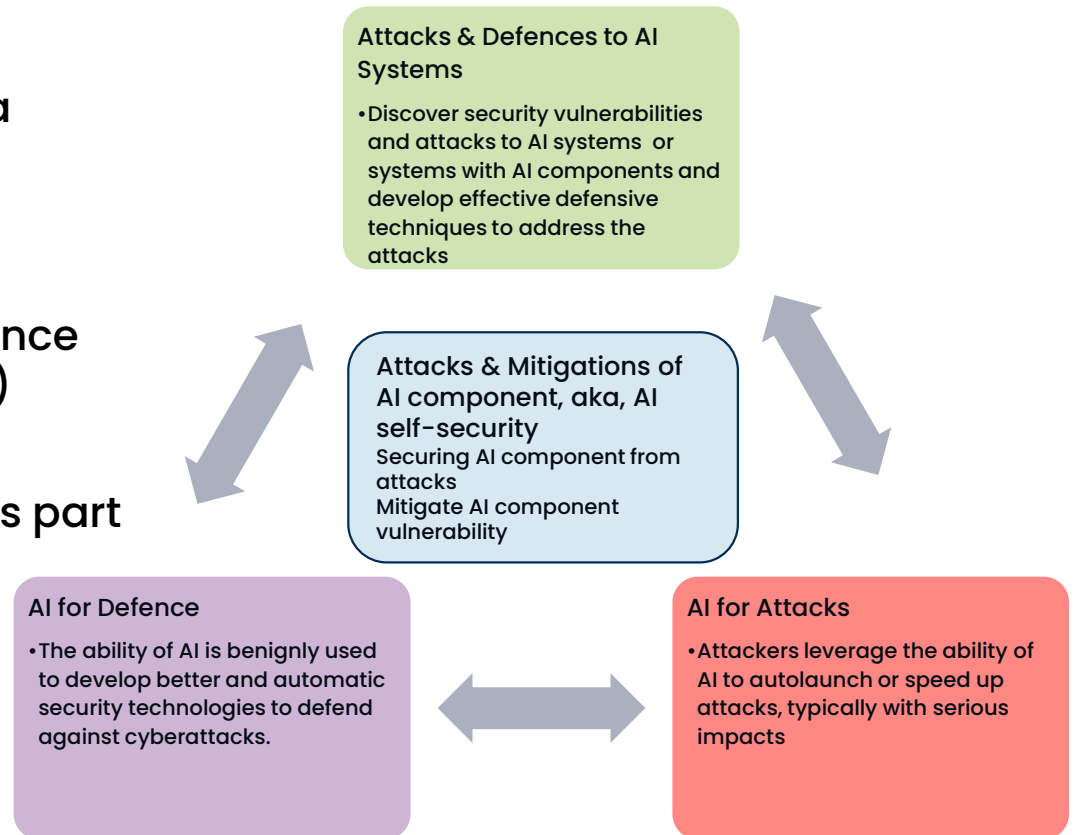


# ETSI TC\* SAI Scope



1. Securing AI from attack e.g. where AI is a component in the system that needs defending.
2. Mitigating against AI e.g. where AI is the 'problem' (or used to improve and enhance other more conventional attack vectors)
3. Using AI to enhance security measures against attack from other things e.g. AI is part of the 'solution' (or used to improve and enhance more conventional countermeasures).

(\* ) ISG SAI is becoming a new TC SAI.



# SAI Publications



## Publications

- GR SAI 001 AI Threat Ontology
- GR SAI 002 Data Supply Chain Report
- GR SAI 004 Problem Statement
- GR SAI 005 Mitigation Strategy Report
- GR SAI 006 The Role of Hardware in Securing AI
- GR SAI 007 – Explicability and transparency of AI processing
- GR SAI 009 – Artificial Intelligence Computing Platform Security Architecture
- GR SAI 011 – Automated Manipulation of Multimedia Identity Representations
- GR SAI 013 – Proofs of Concepts Framework



# SAI Ongoing work



## Ongoing work

- W13 – Security Testing of AI
- W18 – Privacy aspects of AI/ML systems
- W110 – Traceability of AI models
- W112 – Collaborative Artificial Intelligence
- W114 – Security aspects of using AI/ML techniques in the telecom sector
- W115 – Artificial Intelligence Computing Platform Security Framework

ISG SAI will become a Technical Committee with its first meeting on 04 December 2023. Any ETSI member is welcome to join!

# OneM2M Partnership

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Security in onM2M



# Security in oneM2M Release 2- Release 4



Device Configuration  
TS-0022

Security  
Solutions  
TS-0003

MEF & MAF interfaces  
TS-0032

## **Enrolment services (RSPF / MEF)**

Credentials Provisioning/Security Configuration of the M2M System

## **Secure communications services (SAEF / MAF)**

Methods for Securing Information (PSK/PKI/Trusted Party)

Point-to-point and end-to-end solutions (TLS / DTLS)

## **Access Control & Authorization services**

Requester Authentication

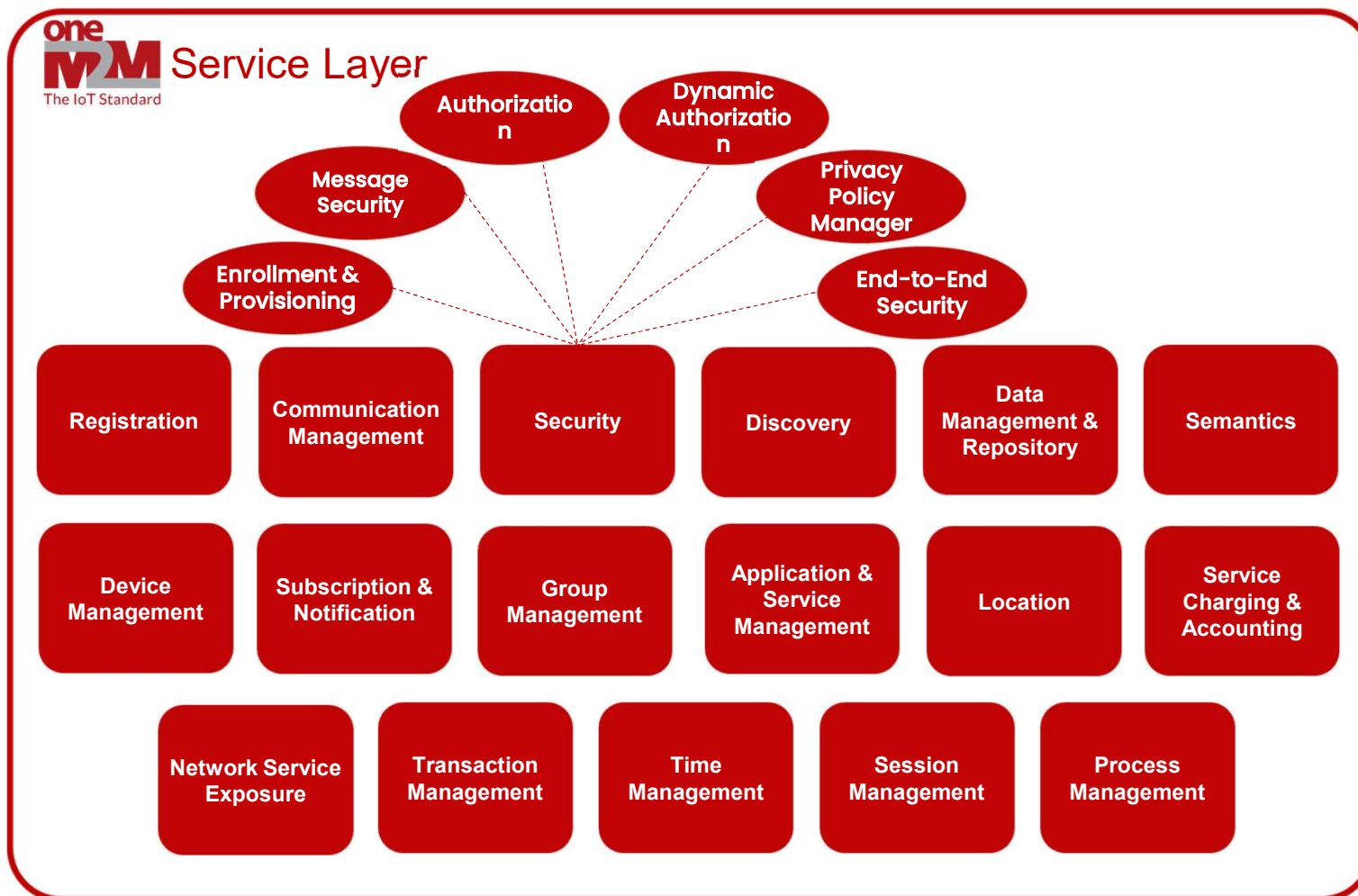
Information access Authorization (ACL based)

Static and Dynamic solutions

Privacy Policy Management



# oneM2M Security Framework



oneM2M provides a common set of security capabilities to secure IoT devices and applications and prevent/mitigate attacks

oneM2M exposes an abstracted set of security related APIs to help simplify security for IoT devices and applications

# ISG MEC

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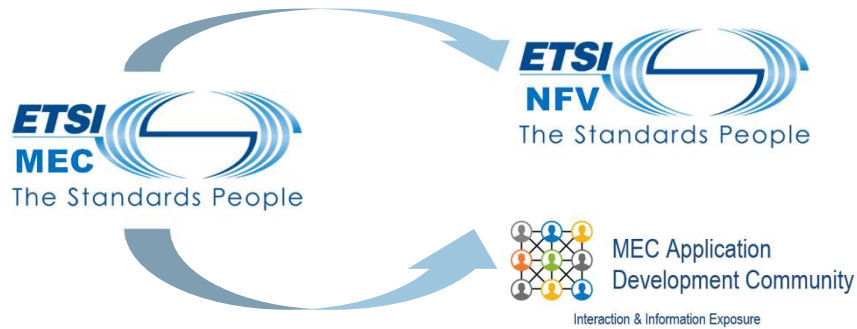
## Multi-access Edge Computing



# ETSI MEC – What we do



Foundation for Edge Computing created – Fully standardized solution to enable applications in distributed cloud created by ETSI MEC + 3GPP



Application Life Cycle Management

The number of MEC members increases regularly.

RESTful based APIs for Runtime Application Services



This block contains several screenshots from the ETSI Forge website and related documents. One screenshot shows 'Welcome to ETSI Forge' with the tagline 'Collaborative tools for standardized technologies'. Another shows 'Activity from ETSI groups' with categories like 'CYBER SECURITY', 'MULTI-ACCESS EDGE COMPUTING', and 'NETWORK FUNCTION VIRTUALIZATION'. There are also screenshots of documents such as 'MEC in 5G networks' and 'EVA apps for in-Car entertainment'.

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126 members - Operators – Technology Vendors – IT players – Application developers



# MEC reference architecture



- APIs**
- Application Support
  - Service Management
  - Radio Network Information
  - Location
  - UE Identity
  - Bandwidth Management
  - Fixed Access Information
  - WLAN Information
  - V2X Information Service
- Application Package lifecycle and operation granting
  - Device application interface

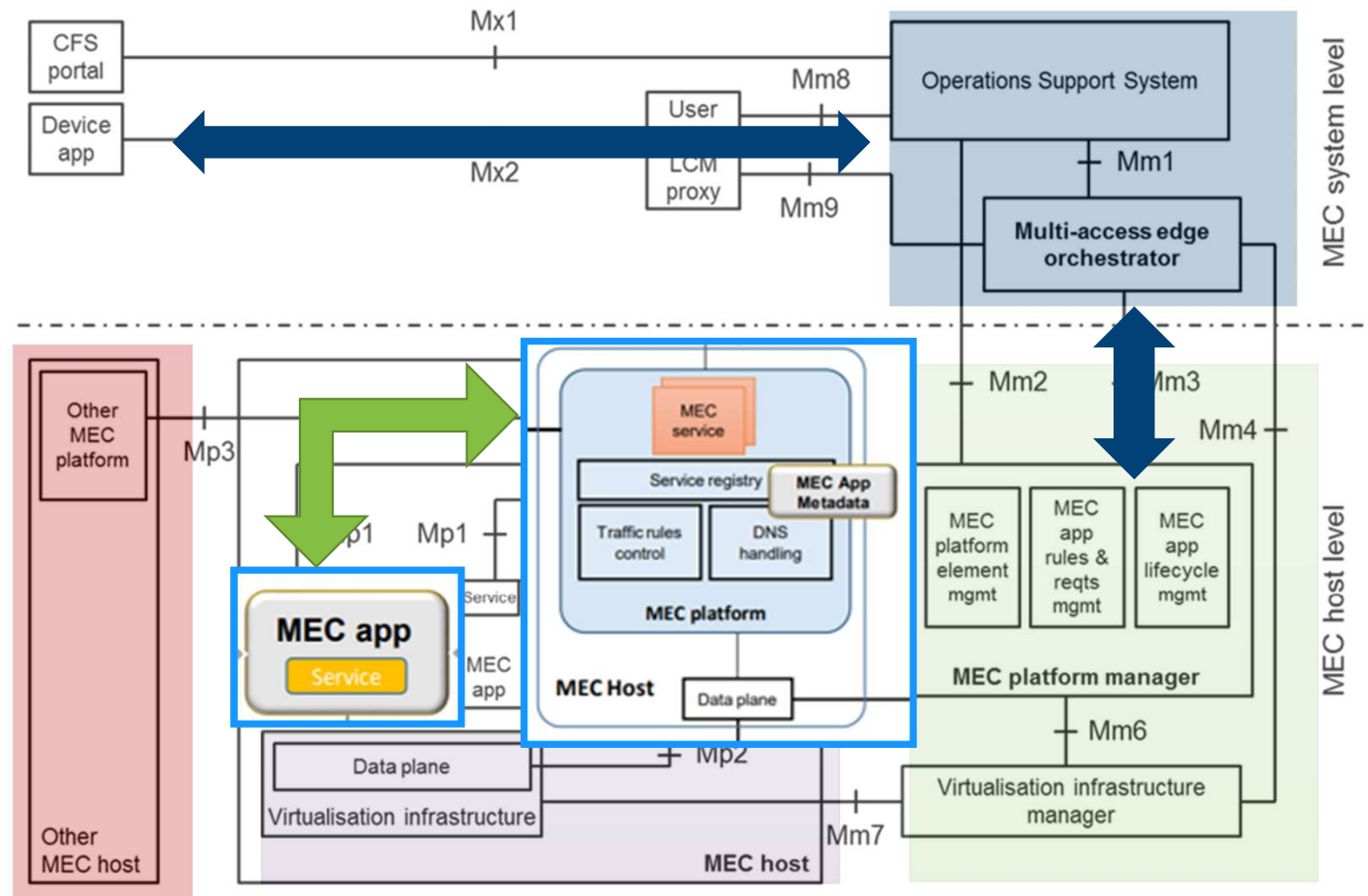


Figure 6-1: Multi-access edge system reference architecture



# ETSI MEC – Foundation for Edge Computing



## Application Enablement and Framework

Service definition framework and baseline platform services authorized applications.

- Registration, discovery and notification;
- Methodology for authentication and authorization of apps providing/consuming services;
- Communication support for services (query/response and notifications).

## API Principles

Principles and guidance for developing and documenting APIs

- Developer-friendly approach to foster development
- **Ensures that a consistent set of APIs** are used by developers.
- Defines approach for authentication and authorization of apps providing/consuming services
- Based on TMF and OMA best practices

## Specific service-related APIs

Standardized service-exposure APIs for key services that

- Expose network and context information
- Allow definition of localized, contextual services
- Support key use cases (e.g. enterprise, vehicular)
- Allow fine-grained edge traffic management

## Management and Orchestration related APIs

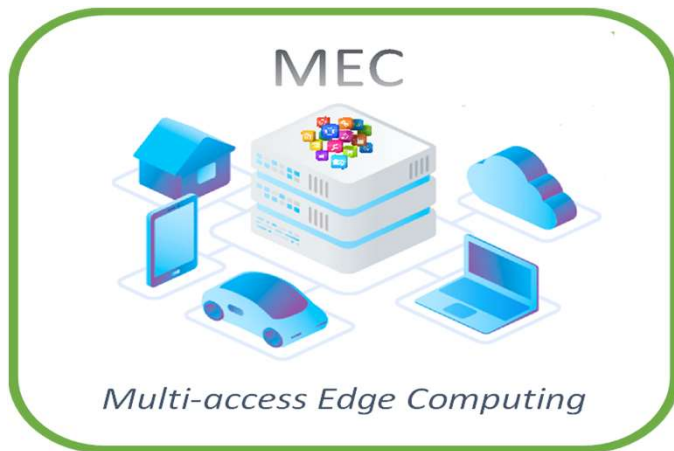
Management of MEC hosts either as **stand-alone** entities or part of a larger **NFV-managed** framework

- Facilitate running of 3<sup>rd</sup> party application
- Enable deployment **at the correct location at the right time**, based on technical and business parameters
- Integrate into telco operations systems, e.g. OSS

Enables a myriad of new use cases across multiple sectors as well as innovative business opportunities



# MEC security



- **MEC scenarios** are characterized by a complex multi-vendor, multi-supplier, multi-set of equipment including both HW and SW devices. Given this overall level of **system heterogeneity**, areas of security, trust, and privacy are key topics for the edge environments.
- In that perspective, MEC stakeholders should pay attention to the vulnerability and integrity of any third-party elements, and a truly **end-to-end approach to MEC security** needs to consider not only the current standards in ETSI ISG MEC, but also the other available standards that can be applicable to the MEC environment.
- [ETSI white paper](#), authored by many experts (in the domain of edge computing, security and involved in various standard bodies), provides an overview of **ETSI MEC standards** and current support for security, which is also complemented by a description of other relevant standards in the domain (e.g. **ETSI TC CYBER**, **ETSI ISG NFV**, **3GPP SA3**) and **cybersecurity regulation** potentially applicable to edge computing.
- [GR MEC 041](#): a study on MEC Security topics and paradigms that apply to MEC deployments, will broadly cover the themes of application and platform security, Zero-Trust Networking, and security requirements for MEC Federations. If needed, normative work will be developed afterward.



# ISG QKD

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## Quantum Key Distribution



# About ISG QKD



## An ISG is composed of ETSI Members and ISG Participants

- ETSI membership is not a requirement to participate in an ISG

## QKD specifications require a broad range of expertise

- ISG QKD benefits from the expertise of Members and Participants from:
  - QKD vendors
  - Telecom operators
  - Application vendors
  - National Bodies and Certification Labs
  - National Metrology Institutes
  - Academic experts
- International profile: Europe, Japan, South Korea, Canada, US, etc.

# Areas of activity of ETSI ISG QKD



## Security

- Implementation security
- Evaluation activities
- Protocol security proofs
- Authentication

## Interoperability

- Application / key delivery interfaces
- Interoperable KMS interface
- QKD in SDN networks
- Network architectures

## Optical characterisation

- Optical components
- Complete QKD modules

## Vocabulary

- Improving and aligning use of terminology

## Any further questions?

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