

Towards an Open Framework Leveraging a Trusted Execution Environment

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define: privacy

pri·va·cy

/ˈprɪvəsi/ 

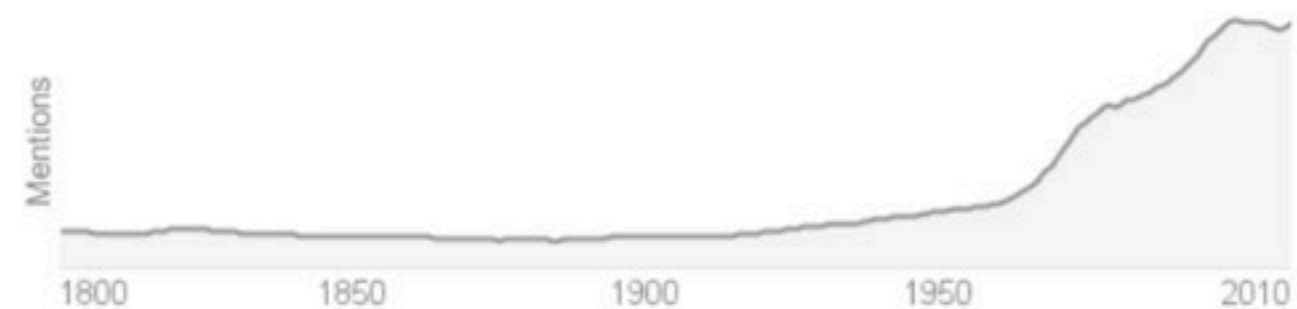
noun

noun: **privacy**

1. the state or condition of being free from being observed or disturbed by other people.
"she returned to the privacy of her own home"
synonyms: [seclusion](#), [solitude](#), [isolation](#), freedom from disturbance, freedom from interference [More](#)
- the state of being free from public attention.
"a law to restrict newspapers' freedom to invade people's privacy"

Translate privacy to

Use over time for: privacy



Contextual Integrity

Helen Nissenbaum. *Privacy in Context*, 2010

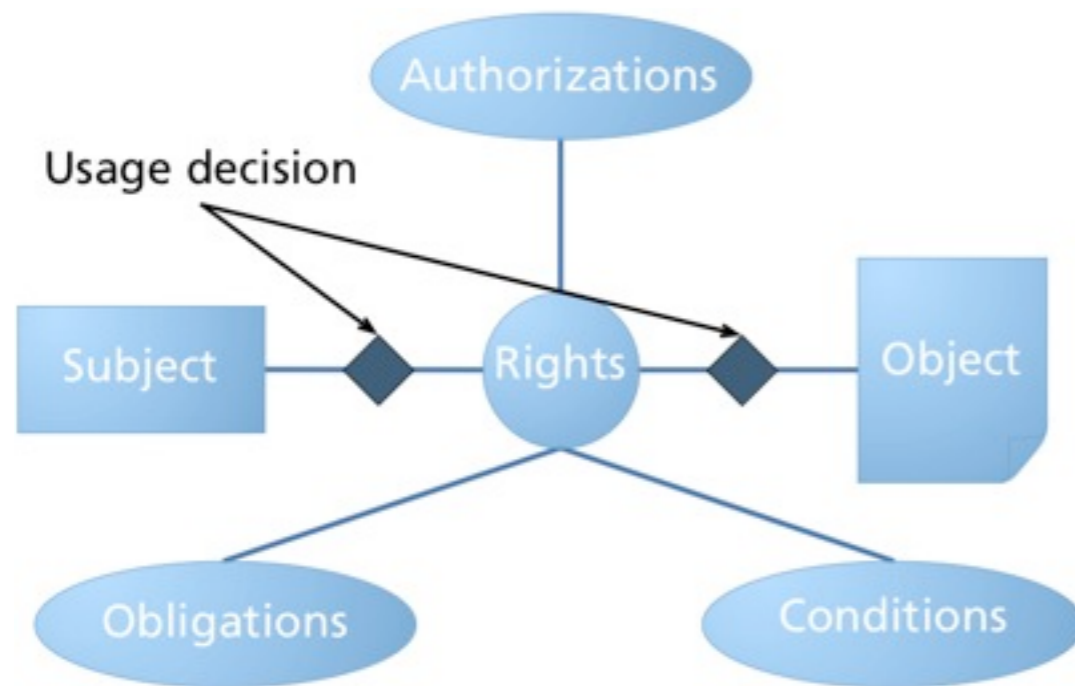
Exchange/sharing of personal data is at the core of any social interaction

- Privacy is not about “not sharing” personal data!

Any social context (work, education, health, ...) defines – more or less explicitly – a social norm, i.e., an appropriate behavior that is to be expected.

Contextual integrity gives a framework to reason about the norms that apply, in a given social context, to the flows of personal data (i.e., information norms)

UCON_{ABC}



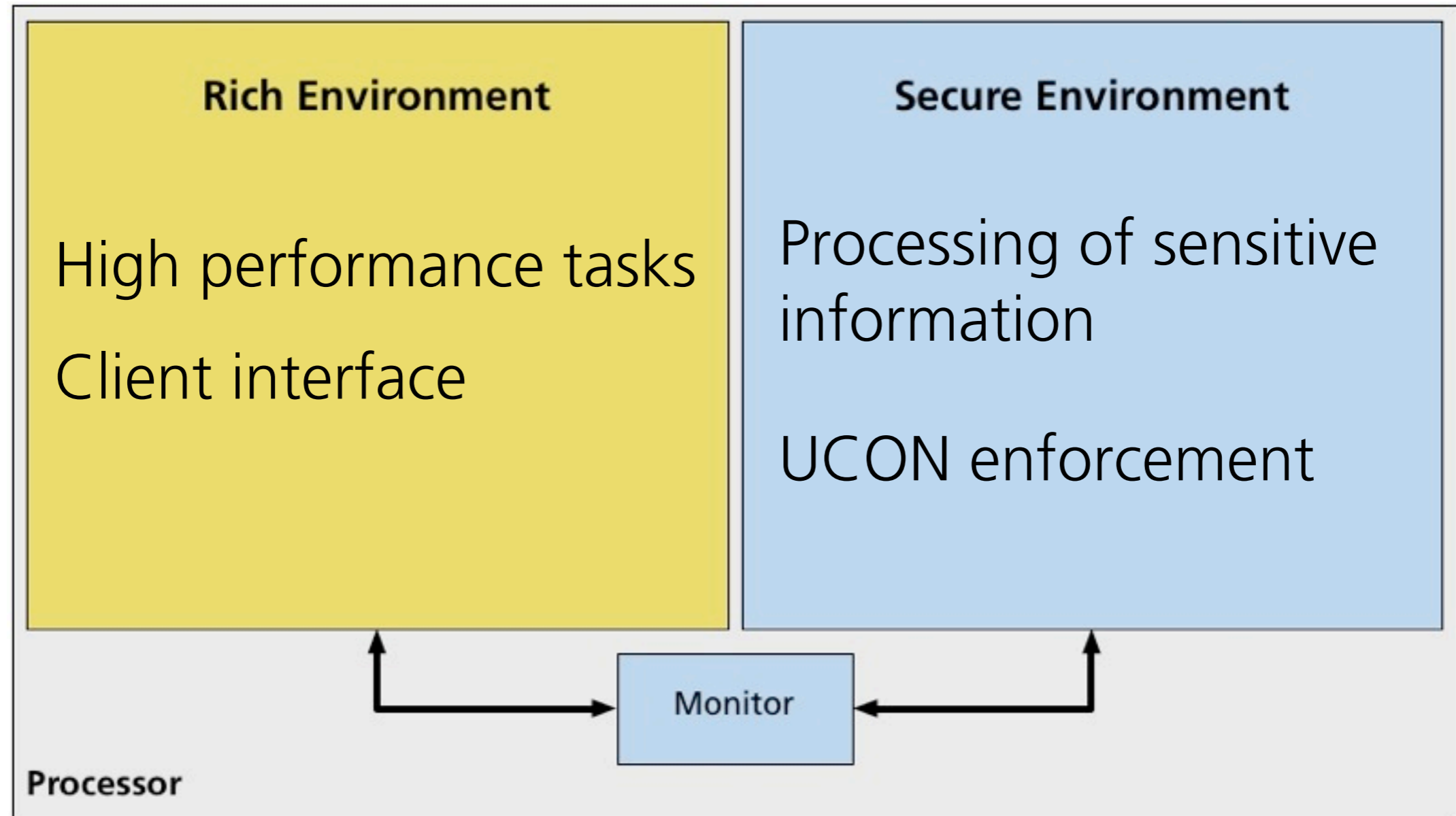
Formal Model
Strong security Assumptions
No implementation!

Problems:

Audit: a posteriori control of how rights were used

Enforcement: a priori control of usage rights

Secure / Rich Environment



How to organize Usage Control?

Centralized Solutions

Sacrifice security for
innovative applications

Intrinsic security limitations

Decentralized Solutions

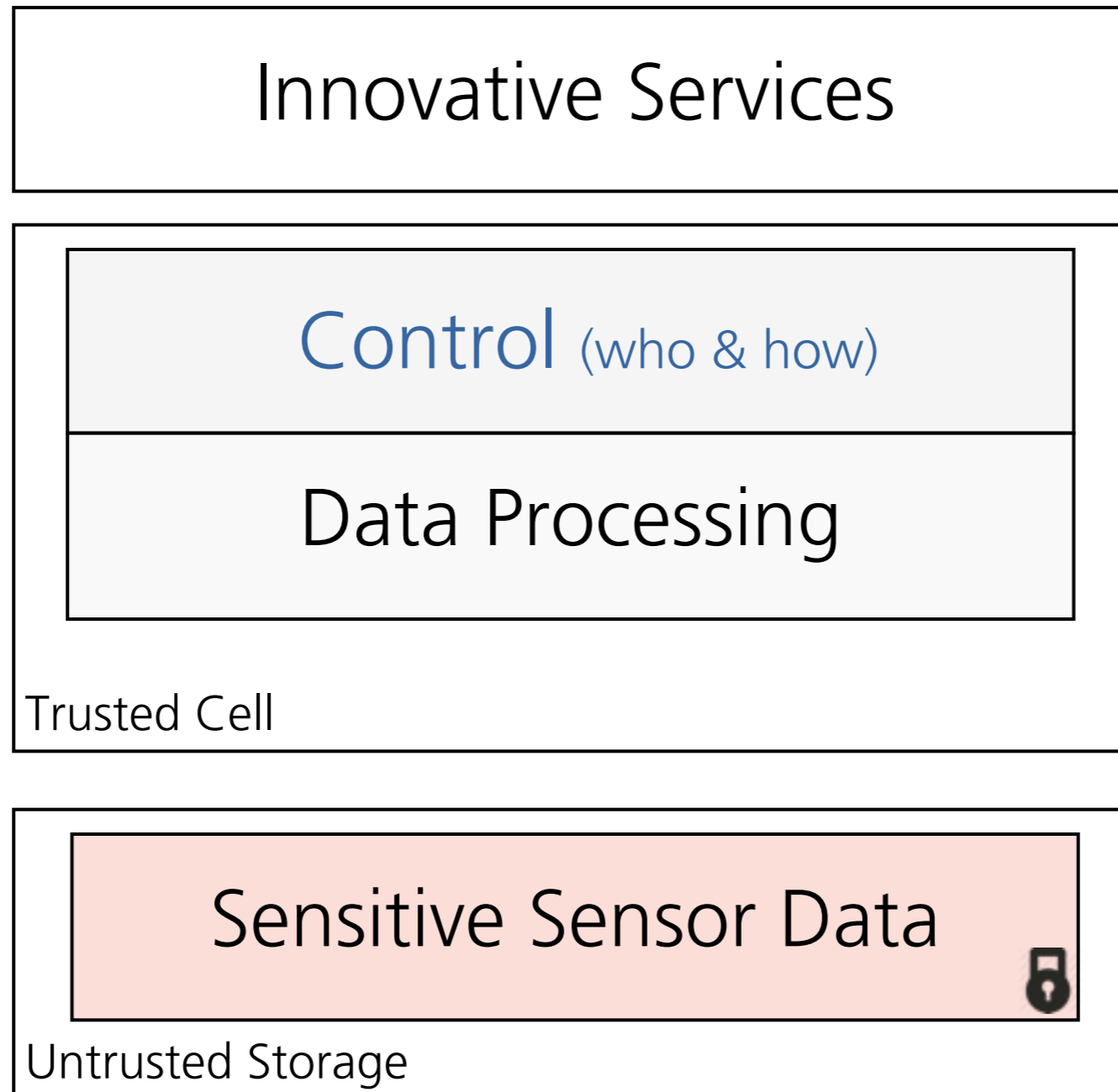
Trade innovative
applications for security



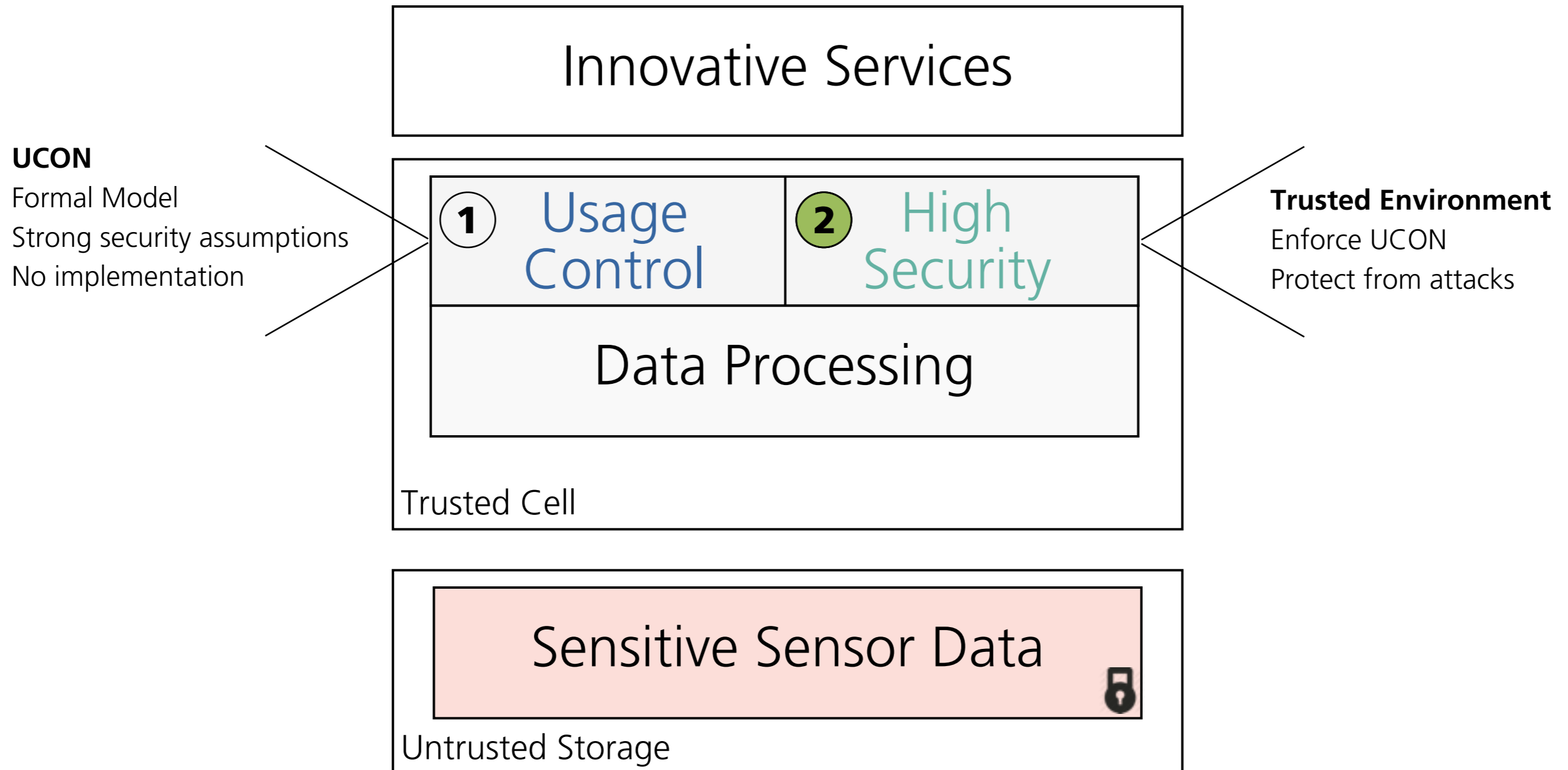
No intrinsic security limitations

No obvious architecture choice

Trusted Cell



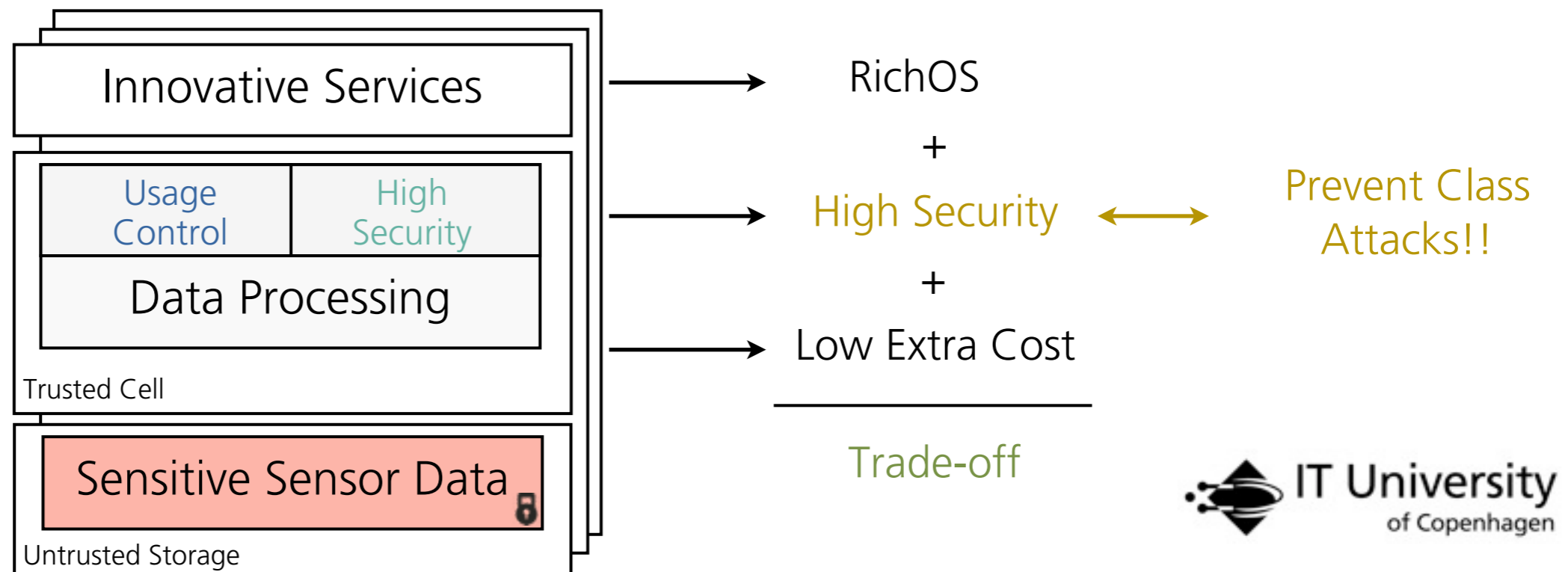
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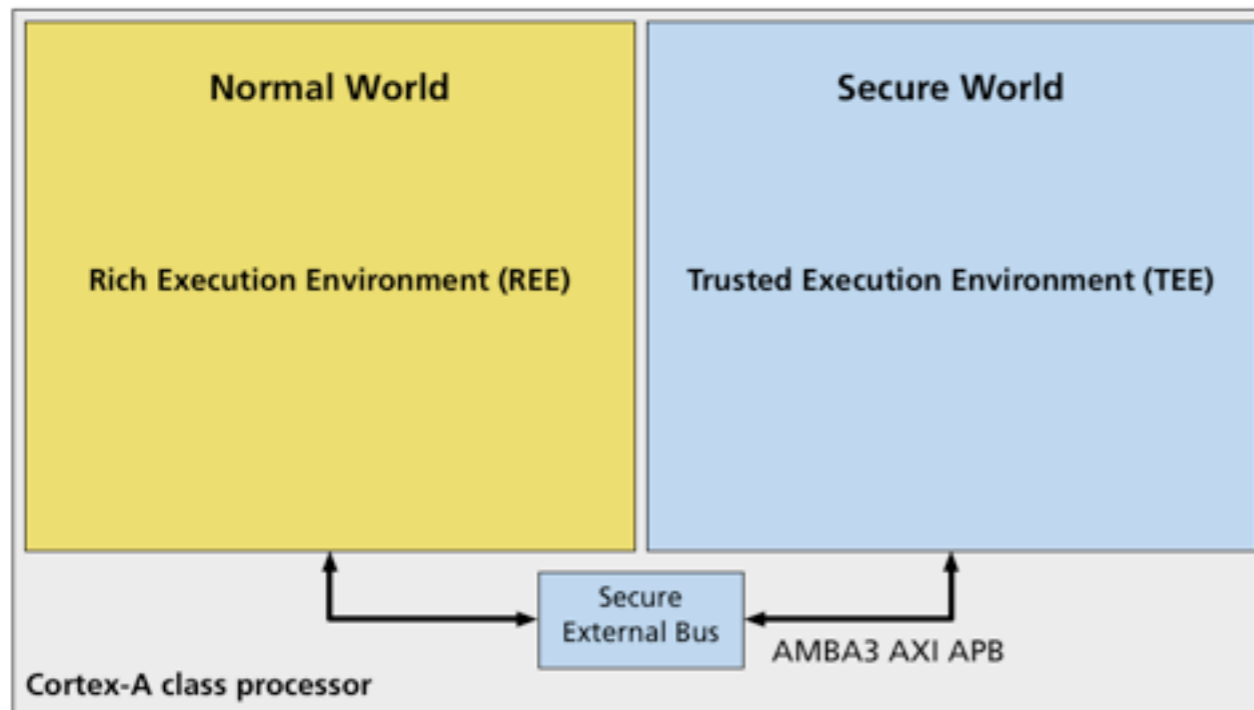
2 TEE: Hardware + Software

Secure Platforms

	Level of Protection	Extra Cost	Environment	Examples
Only Software	Low	None	RichOS	Android, Linux, IOS, Windows
Software and Hardware	Medium/High	Low	RichOS + TEE	ARM TrustZone
SW and Tamper resistant HW	Very High	High	Secure Element (TEE)	IBM CryptoCards, ARM SecureCore, Secure Token



ARM TrustZone



Disabled by OEMs

Difficult to verify in a given development board

There is none or little available documentation

TrustZone support today:

Xilinx Zynq-7000 AP SoC ZC702

Nvidia Kayla DevKit (Tegra 3)

ARM Versatile Express.

Software for TrustZone

Current Situation

Closed commercial solutions exclusive to *Trusted Logic*, *Gemalto* and *Giesecke&Devrient (MobiCore)*

Security level virtually increased through obscurity!!

Standard TEE specification by Global Platform and ARM
(no implementation)

Happening now

“Open Source” implementation of Global Platform’s TEE for ARM TrustZone

open virtualization

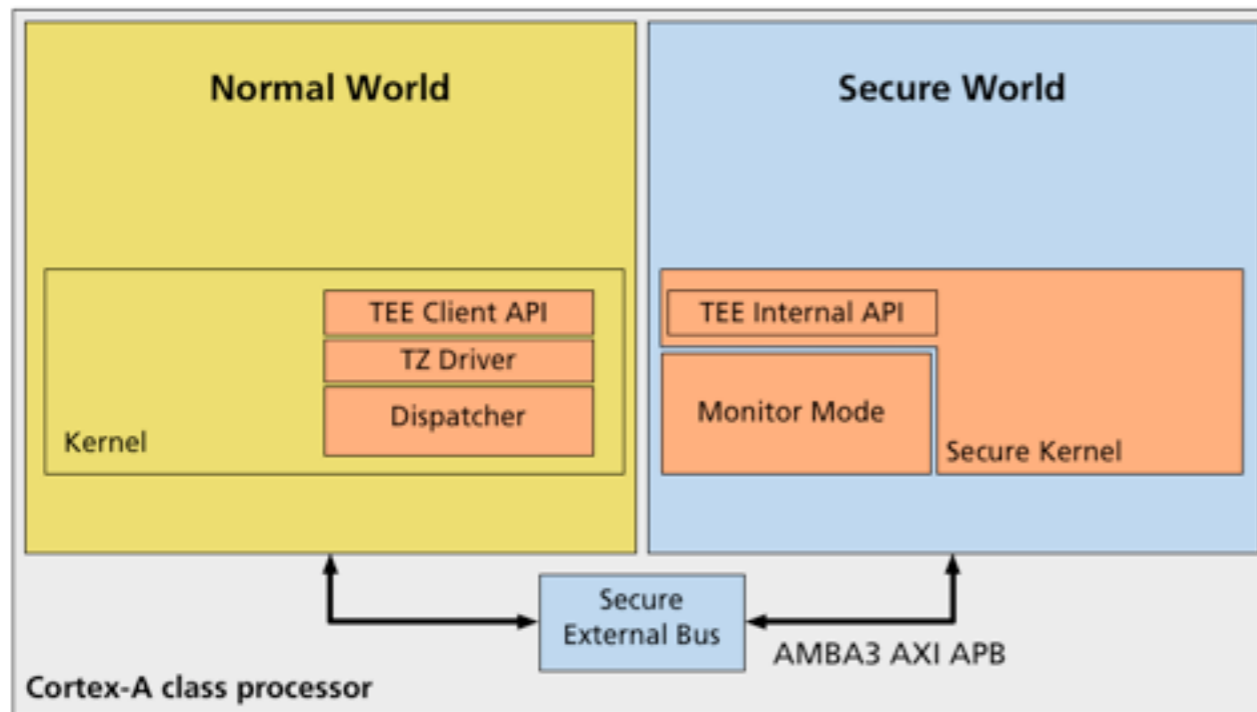
sierraware

Xilinx showing interest in TrustZone

XILINX.

IT University
of Copenhagen

Open Virtualization



Open Source TEE impl.
Support for OpenSSL
Support for standard libraries

Early Implementation
Second fiddle
No standard functions

↳ malloc → TEE_malloc

Towards an open TEE

Assembling

Commercially Available Hardware

Xilinx Zynq-7000 AP Soc ZC702



Available Open Source Software

Open Virtualization

Trigger IP Blocks revision

ZC702 tuning

*Distribution via git repository **



Contribution

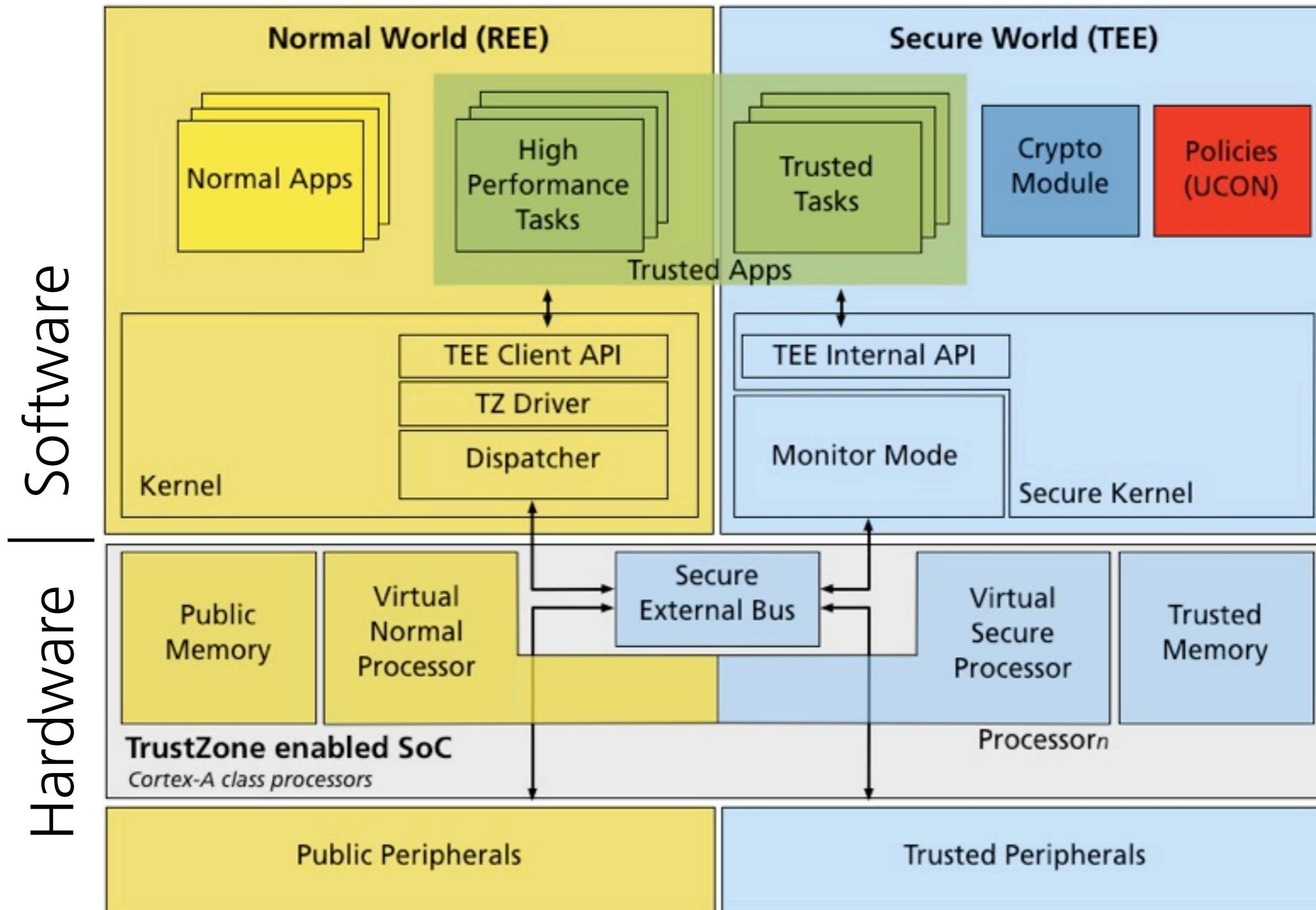
Complete Documentation

*Wiki for Xilinx ZC702 with TrustZone **



Trusted Cell Design

Open Virtualization + TrustZone



Contributions

Pushing towards a TEE (HW + SW) that is open and available to the research community - currently TEEs are closed, monopolized and obscure.

Trusted Cells: Established formal usage control model (UCON_{ABC}) + commercially available and cheap secure platform (Xilinx - ARM TrustZone) + open source implementation of Global Platform's TEE (Open Virtualization).

Roadmap for a decentralized, trusted data platform implementing a Usage Control model while supporting innovative services for big sensor data - the Servfos case study.

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