

# TRUSTED ELECTRONICS

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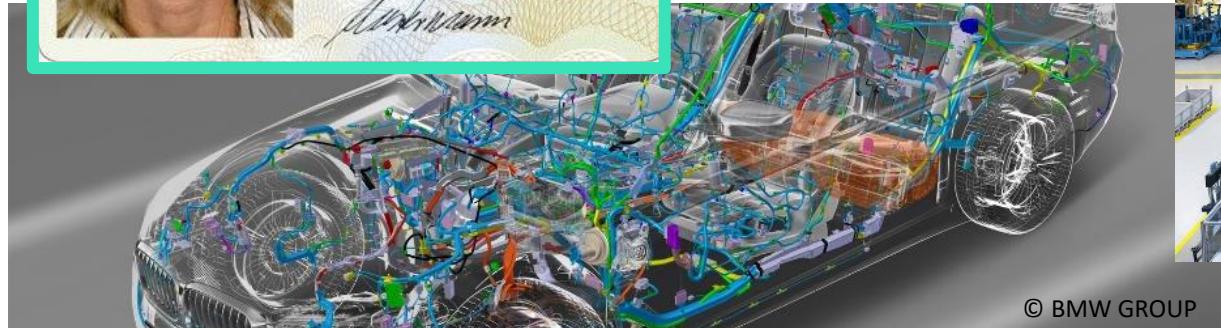
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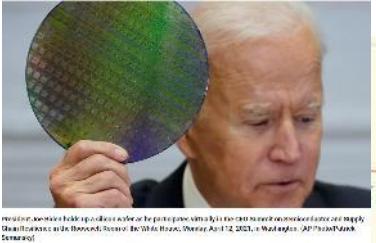
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# Today Electronics Everywhere – requiring different levels of trust

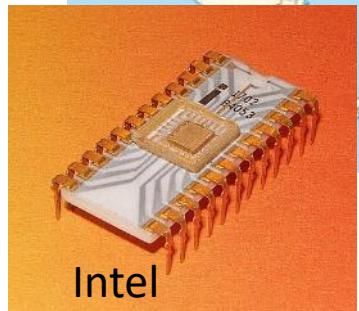


# Today: Global Microelectronics – Global Value – Local Risk



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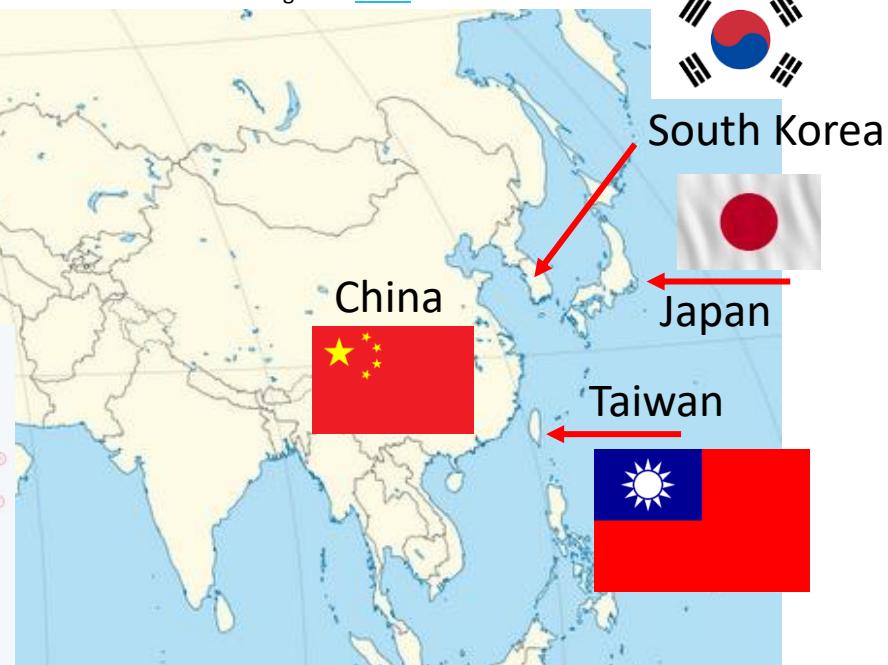
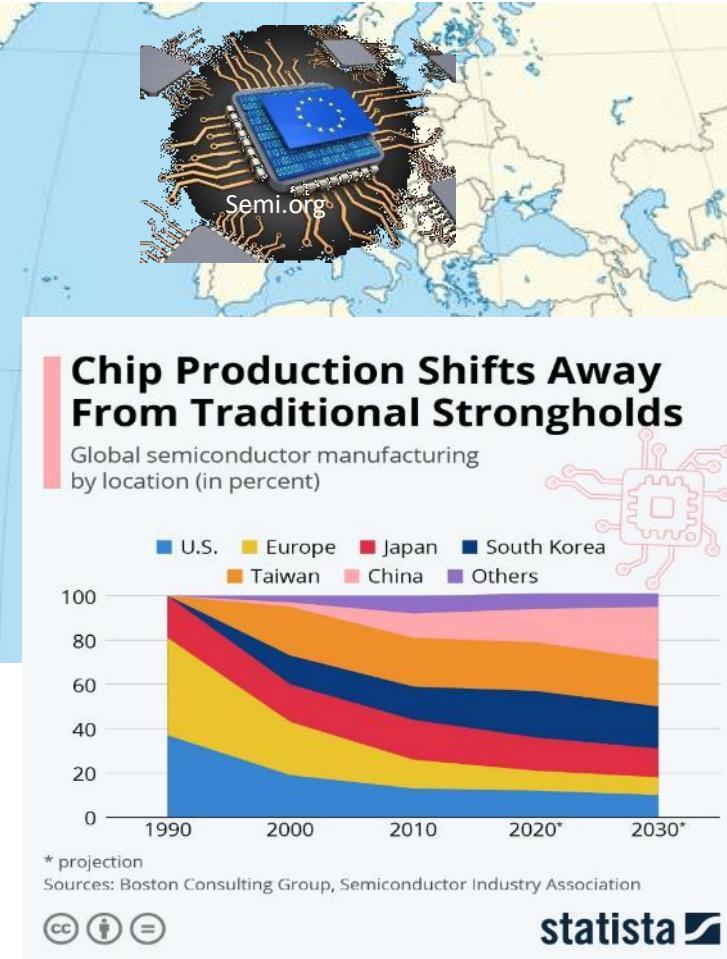
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# Yesterday the Citizens of Troja...



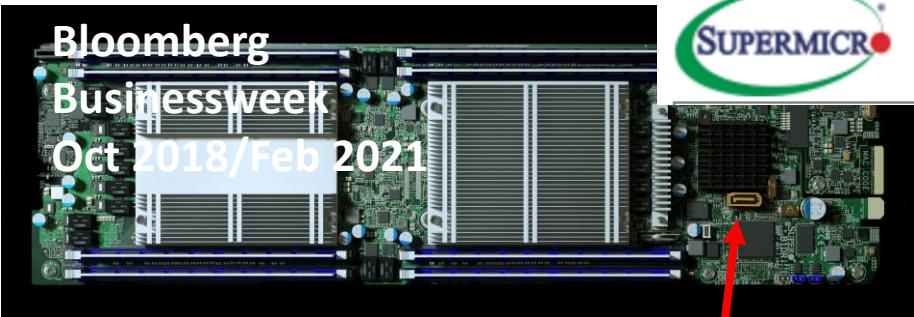
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# Today – yes, we are vulnerable

- Hundreds of new SW-virus /day
- Flaws in Design, Implementation & Supply Chain
- Compromised Hardware (Encryption, Data Leaks, Remote Control, RNG)
- Counterfeited Devices



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e.g. Cyber Security

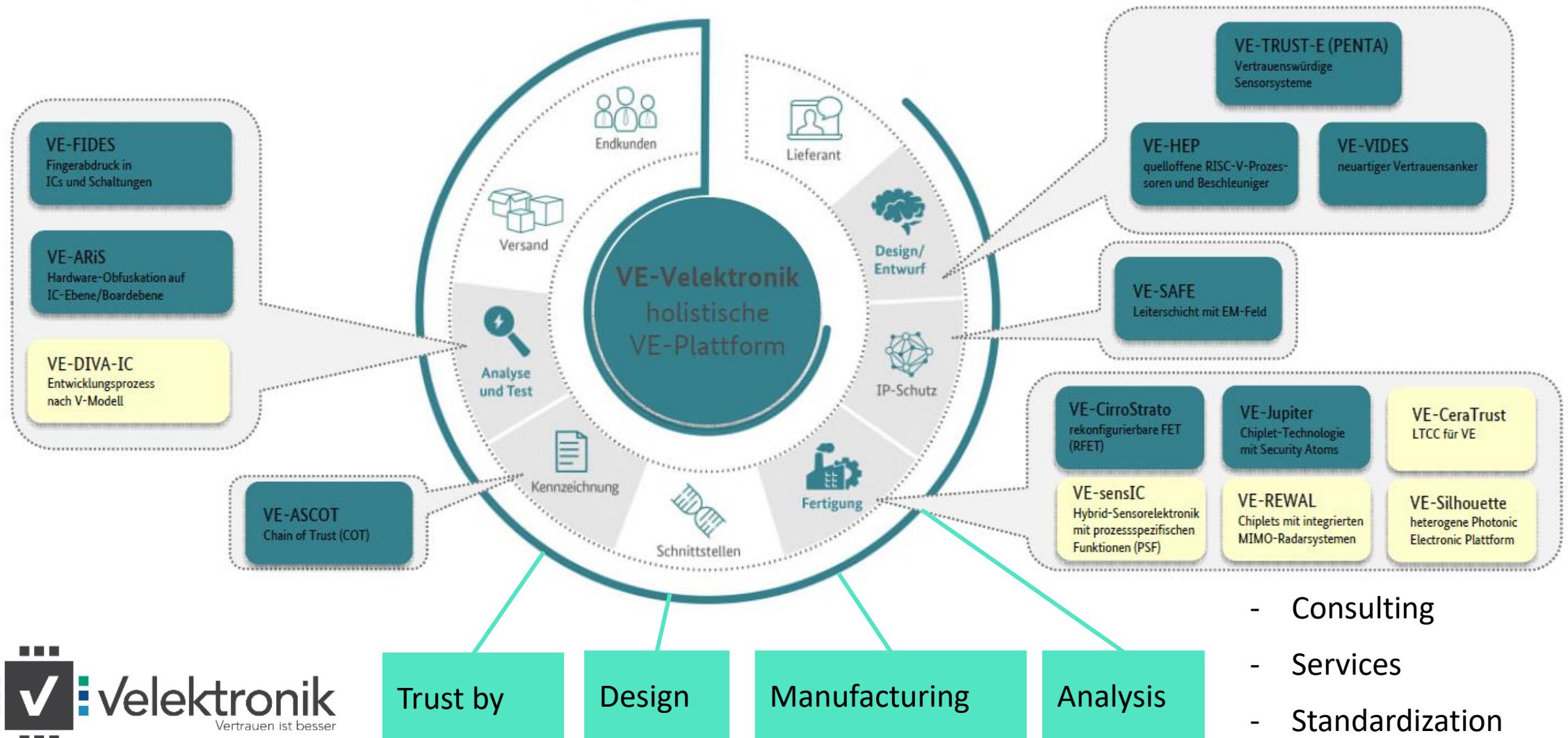


# Strong Motion for Trusted Electronics

- European, national and state authorities fortunately see and fund
- Trusted Electronics as a Conditio Qua Non for Digital Sovereignty in Global Supply Chains
- Partners from Industry and Academia are sharing the vision and are joining forces building strong alliances offering solutions for trust
  
- Selected current projects with
  - BMBF ZEUS-Program with Vertrauenswürdige Elektronik platform
  - BMBF R&D Projects SyPASS & RESEC
  - BMBF TRAICT Trusted Resource Aware ICT
  - BMBF FMD Analysis Equipment
  - Bavaria TREB Trusted Electronics Bavaria



# Topics addressed within BMBF funded 15 ZEUS-projects



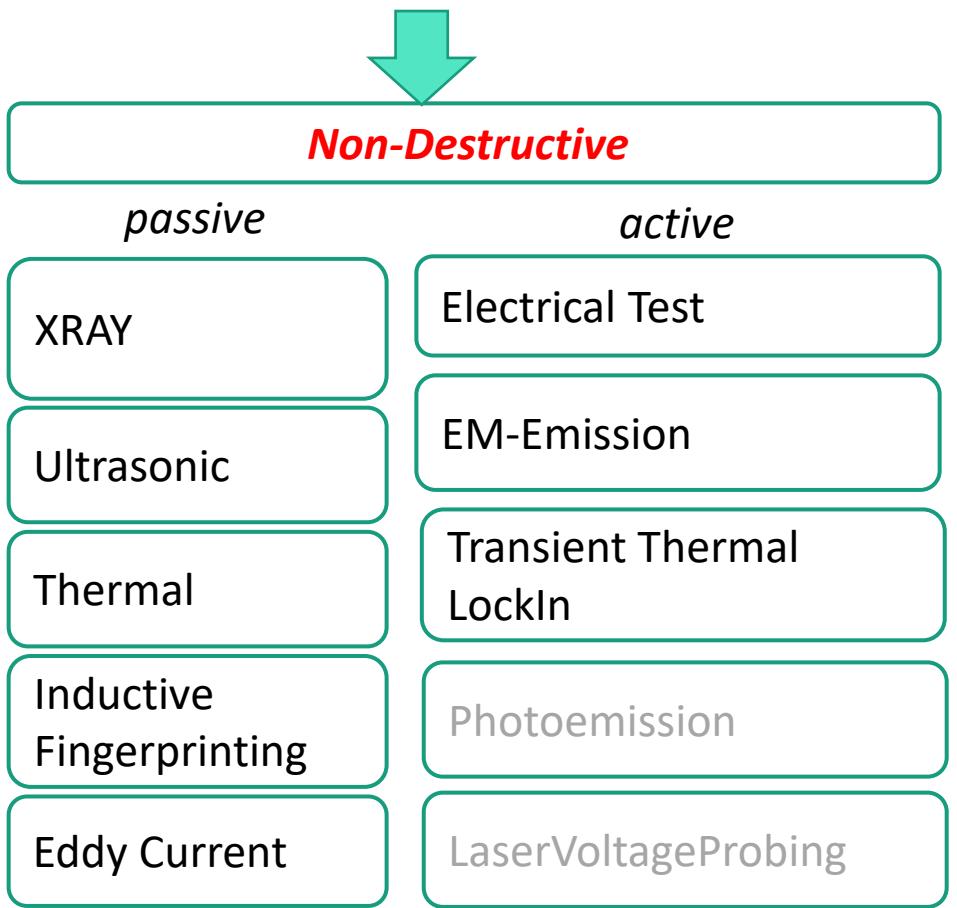


# Fraunhofer Network 4 Advanced Analysis

Formation initiated in the  
FhG /BMBF TRAICT-Project

System in the Box

Transistor



## Target Definition

Conditions

Recherche  
Documentation

Analysis concept

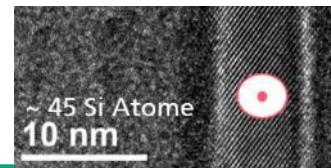
Preparation  
Prestudy

## Destructive

Package – opening/removal

Infrared analysis

Technology analysis



CC-EAL6

Delayering

XRAY nCT,  
AFAM

Chip Scanning

Layout Extraction

comparison

Circuit Extraction

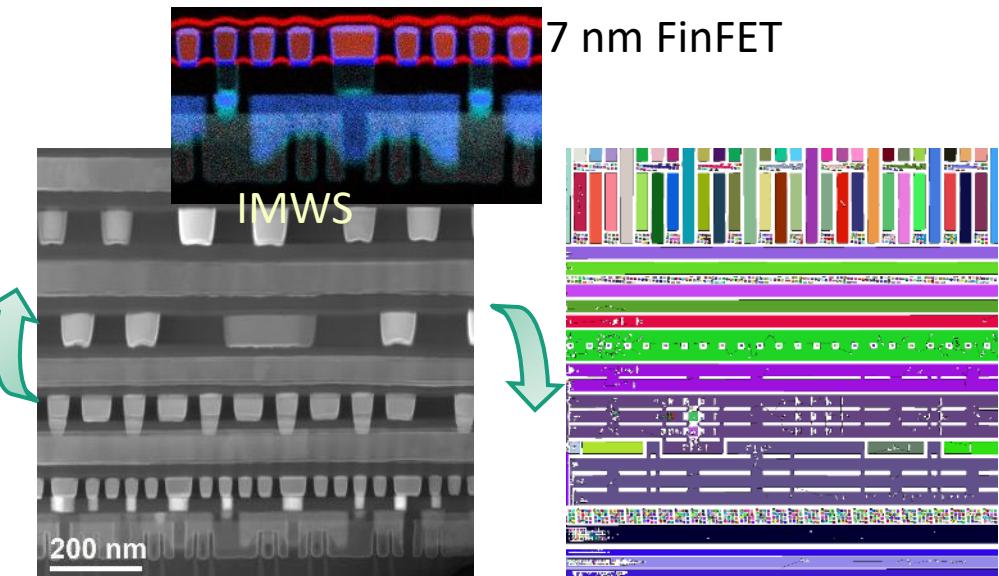
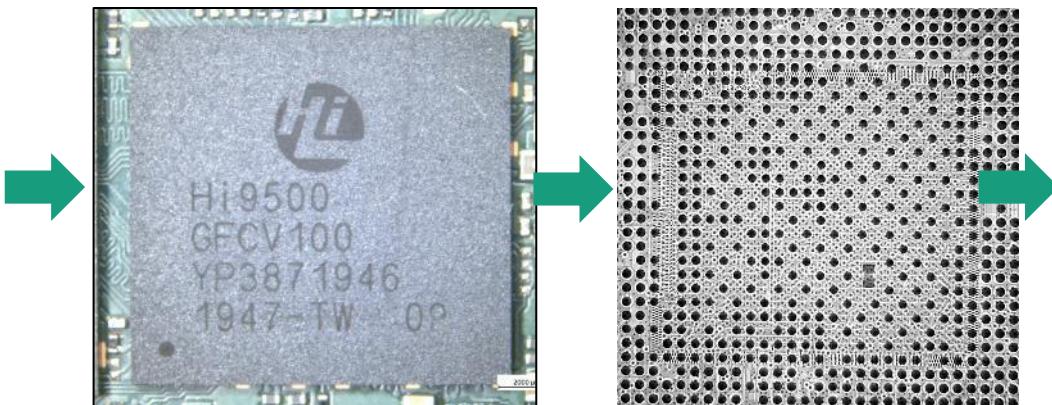
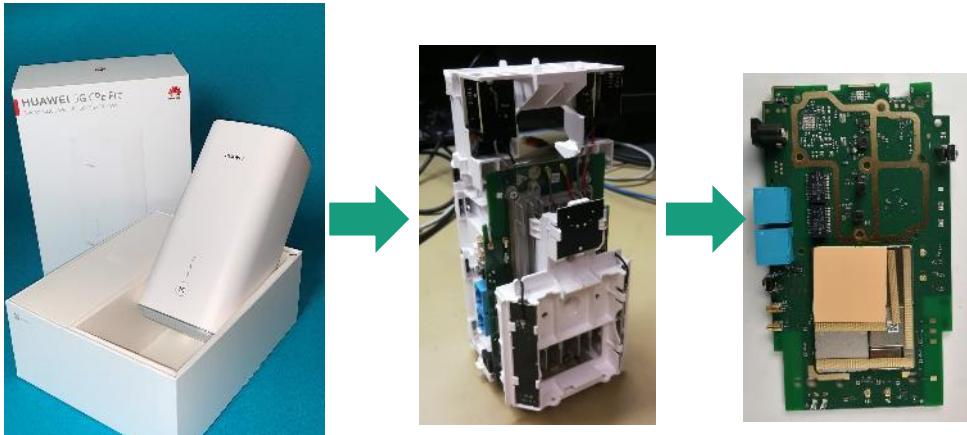
comparison

## Report

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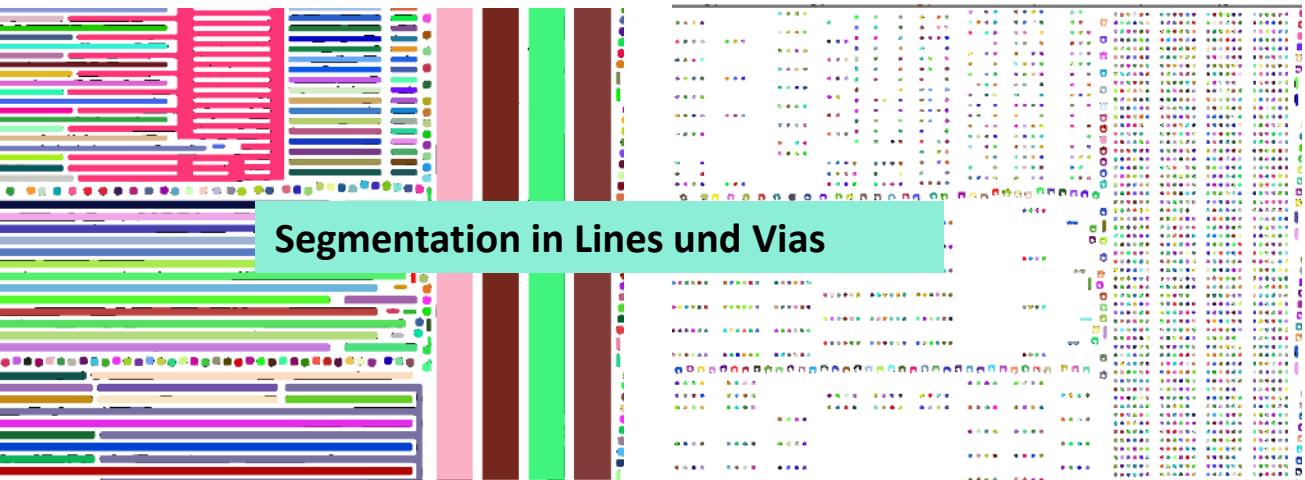
# Example: Tear Down of a 5G WLAN Router

- Bought from Amazon
- Remove Case and identify 5G-Components
- Demonstrate various Methods for Test and Analysis
- Active – Passive – Destructive
- Analysis of Key Component of Interest
- Technology Characterization – Trust Features
- Scanning & Partial Reconstruction of the Layout

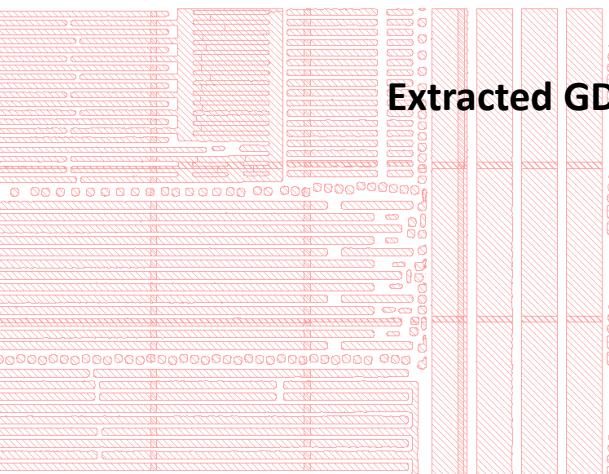
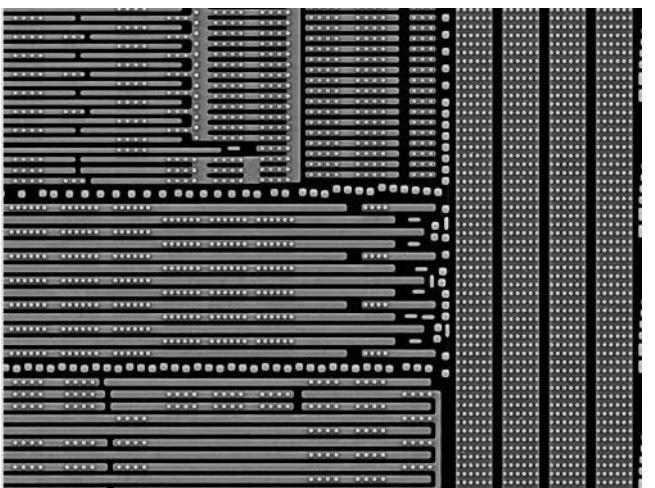


# Example Scanning & Layout Reconstruction

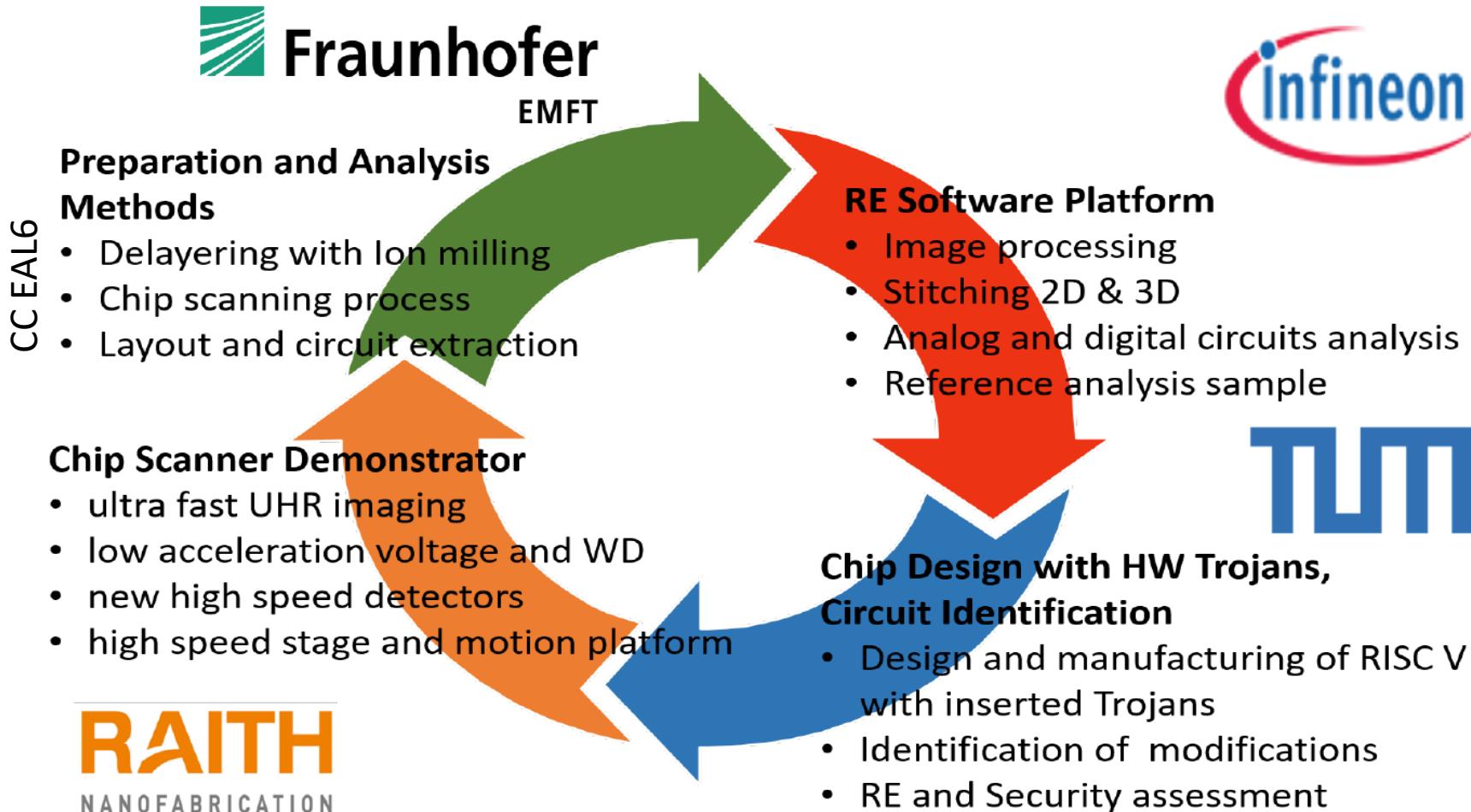
- Large Area Scanning Raith 150TWO
- Image Stitching
- Segmentation of Pictures
- GDS2-Extraktion of Layout
- Comparison with Trusted Layout or Golden Device



SEM-  
Detailbild  
(3x4 Stitch)



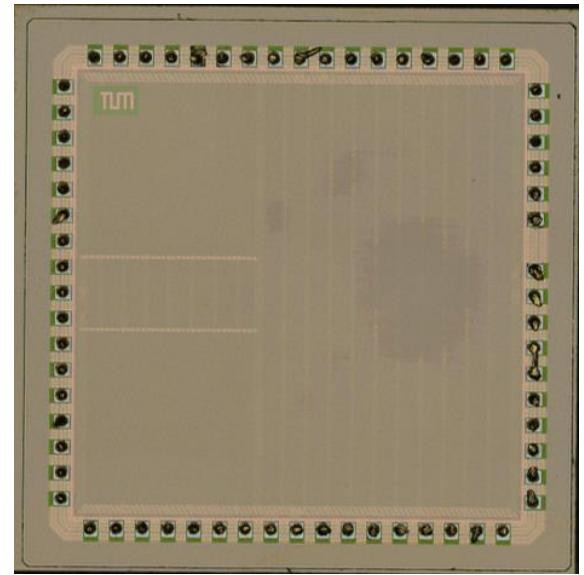
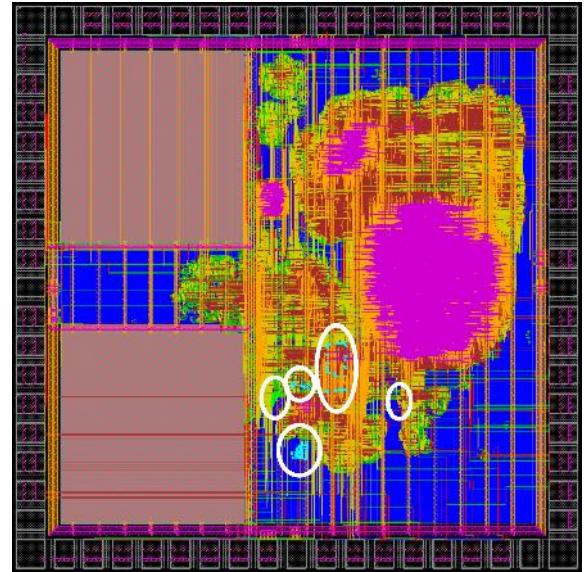
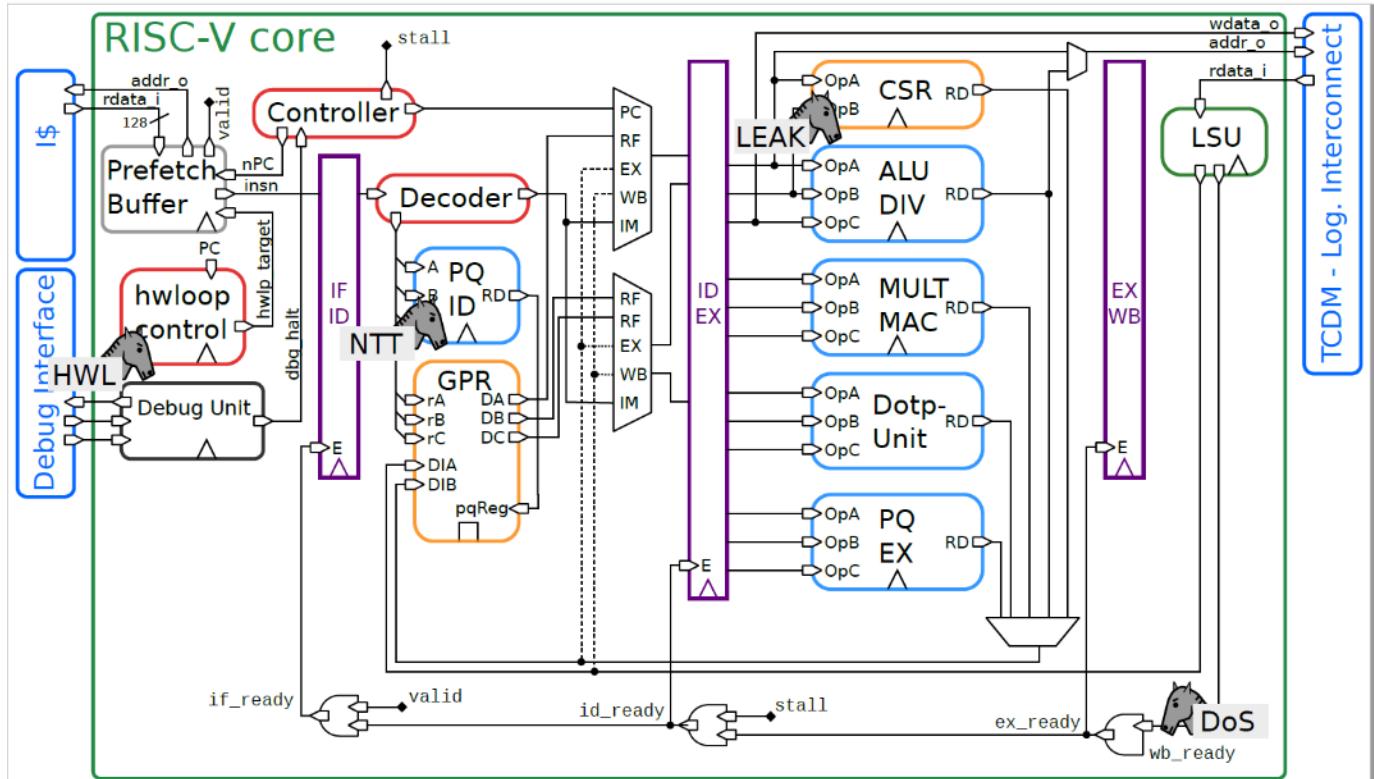
# RESEC Systems und Methods for Analysis and Reconstruction of Highly Integrated Security Circuits



# RESEC: Scientific Demonstrator for Integrated HW-Trojans

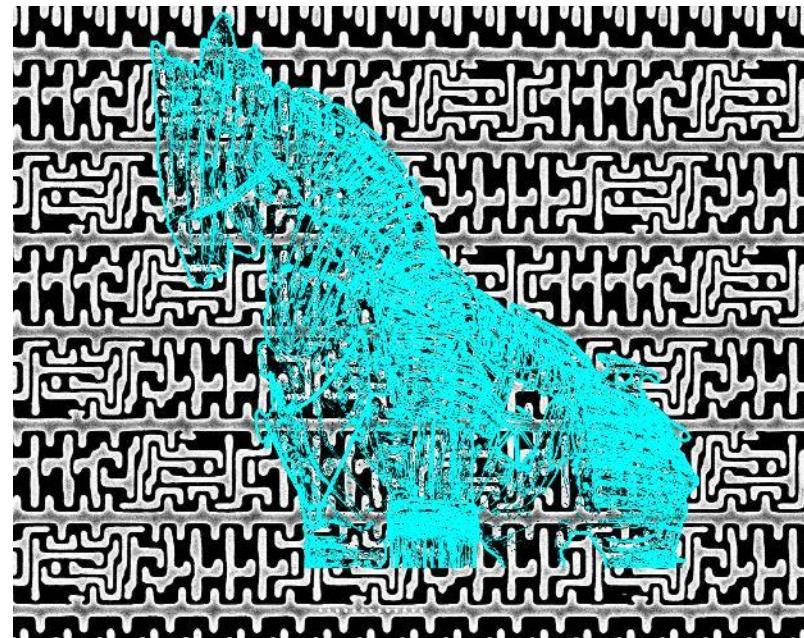
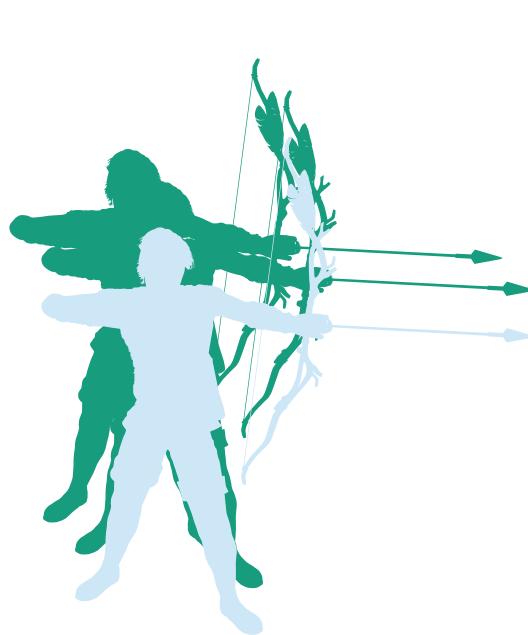
A.Hepp, G.Sigl ACM 2021

- 1st-Time Right: 4 Trojans with different levels of complexity
- Post-quantum RISC V
- Goal: Identification by Physical Analysis



Alexander Hepp and Georg Sigl. 2021. Tapeout of a RISC-V crypto chip with hardware trojans: a case-study on trojan design and pre-silicon detectability. In *Proceedings of the 18th ACM International Conference on Computing Frontiers (CF '21)*. Association for Computing Machinery, New York, NY, USA, 213–220. DOI:<https://doi.org/10.1145/3457388.3458869>

# Our Common Charta – Trusted Electronics for a Secure World



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