

TDOA-ENHANCED DISTANCE BOUNDING



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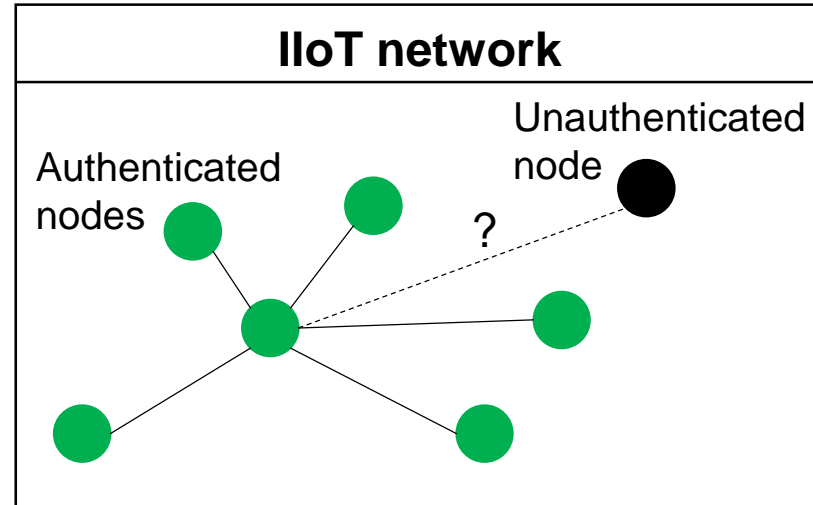
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MOTIVATION – SECURITY IN INDUSTRIAL INTERNET OF THINGS

■ Node authentication

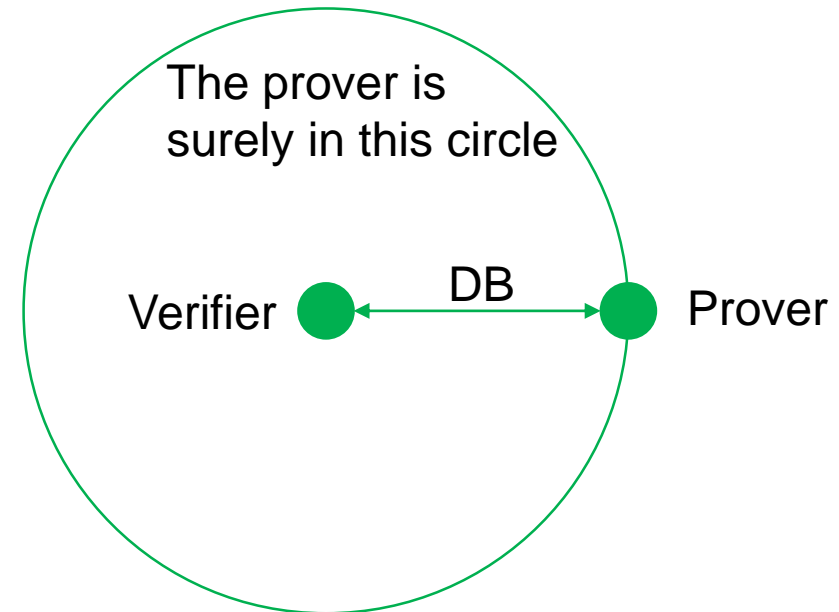


■ Distance bounding protocol:

Authentication by establishing a distance upper bound

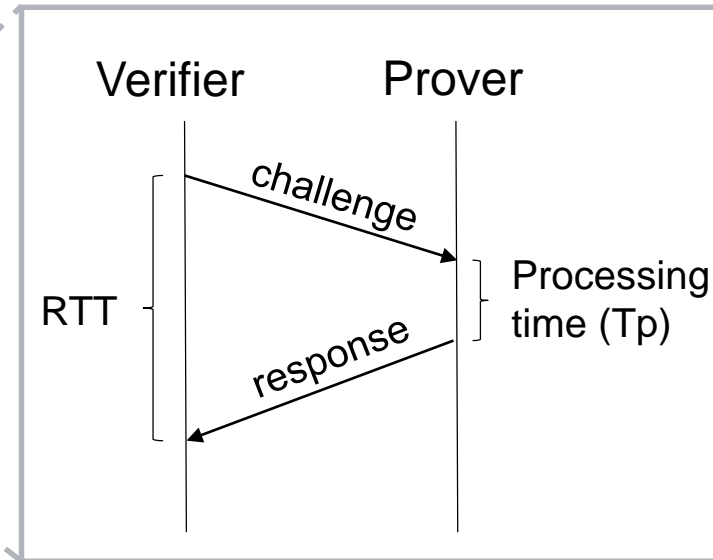
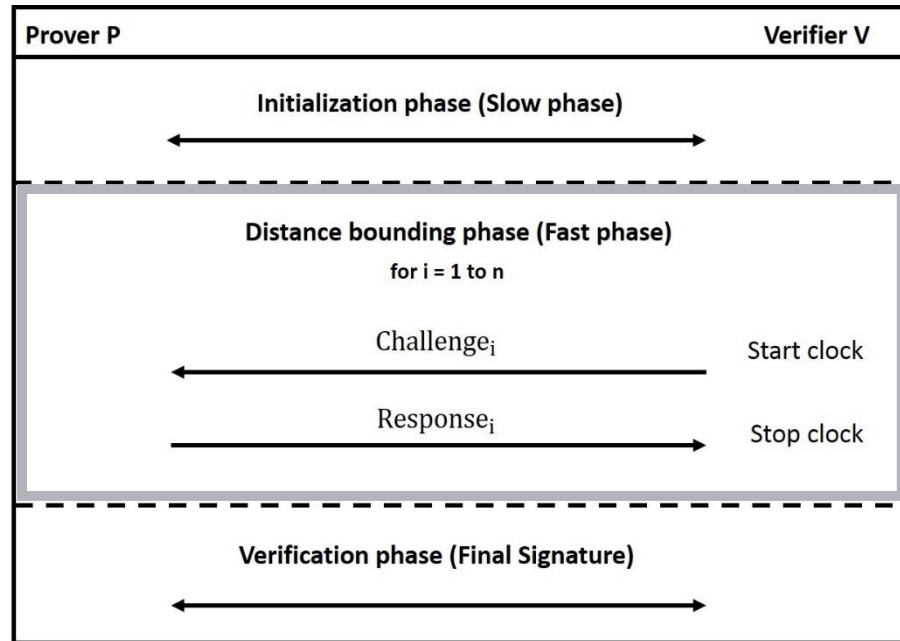
DISTANCE BOUNDING

- Authenticate an IIoT device by verifying its proximity



Source: <https://redshift.autodesk.de/industrielles-internet-internet-der-dinge/>

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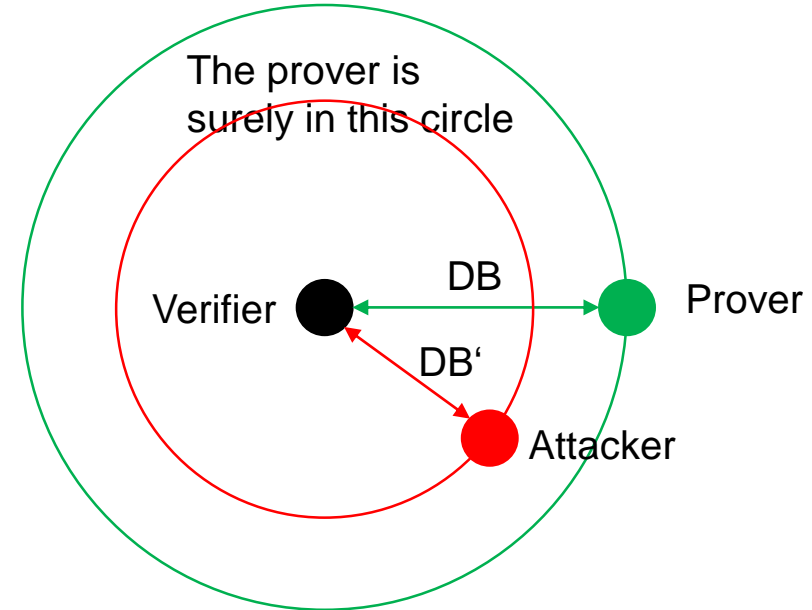
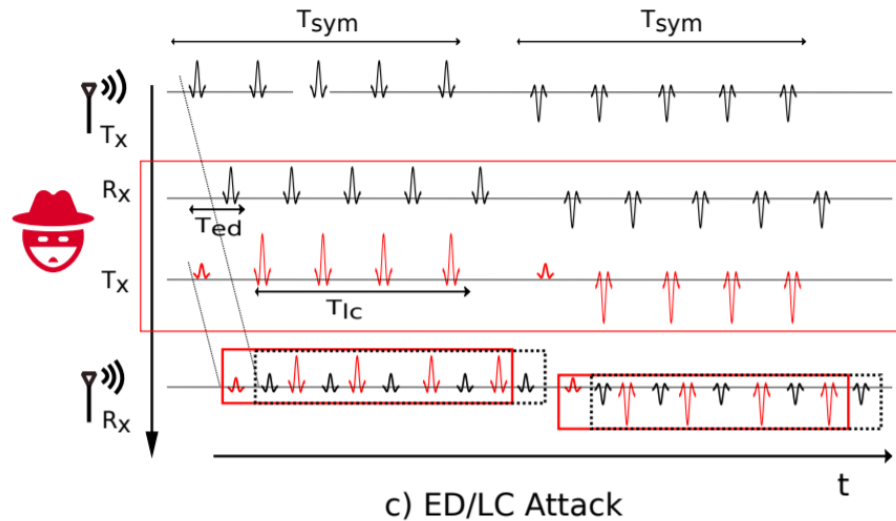
- A signal cannot go faster than light
- The prover cannot broadcast a valid response before receiving the challenge
- Elapsed time can be artificially increased, but not shortened

Distance upper bound

$$D = (RTT - T_p) * \frac{c}{2}$$

NON IDEAL DISTANCE BOUNDING

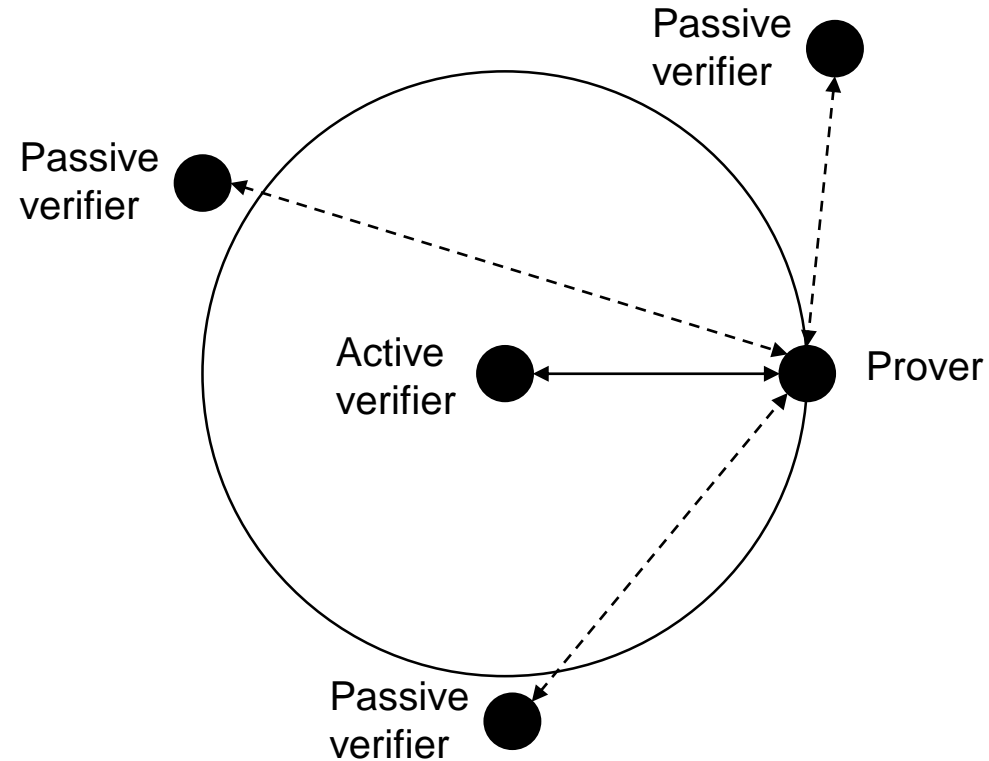
- Real-world communications
- Early detect attack
 - Early detection of the received bit
- Late commit attack
 - Early transmission of the bit



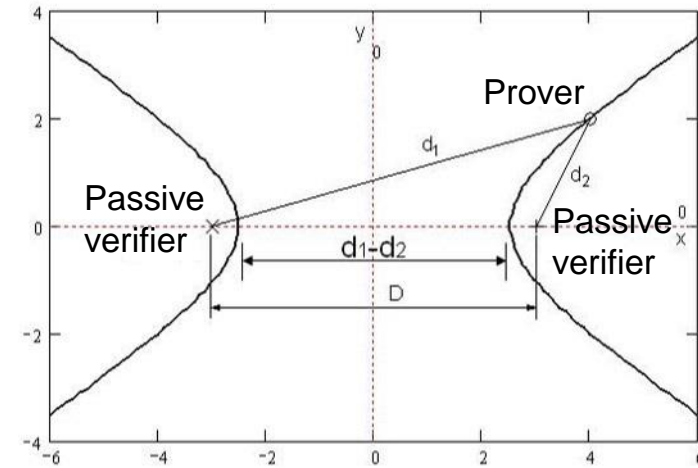
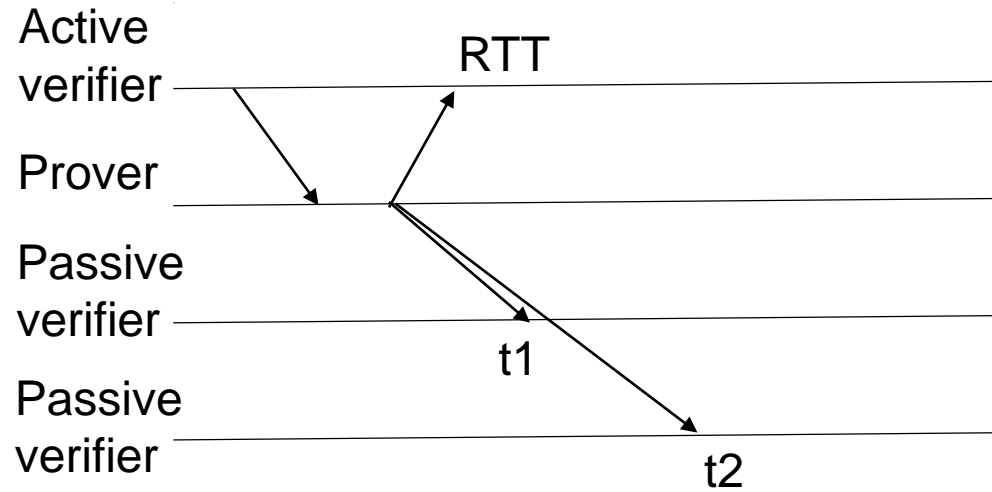
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OUR APPROACH

- Active verifier performing DB
- Addition of 3 passive verifiers performing TDOA



TIME DIFFERENCE OF ARRIVAL (TDOA)



Time Difference of Arrival

$$((t_{V1} - tr) - (t_{V2} - tr)) * c = d_{V1P} - d_{V2P}$$

$$d_{V1P} = \sqrt{(x - x_1)^2 + (y - y_1)^2}$$

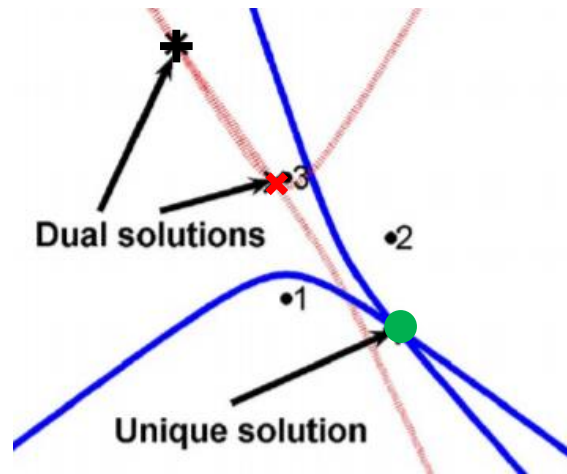
$$d_{V2P} = \sqrt{(x - x_2)^2 + (y - y_2)^2}$$

$$P = (x, y) \quad V_i = (x_i, y_i) \quad i = 1, 2$$

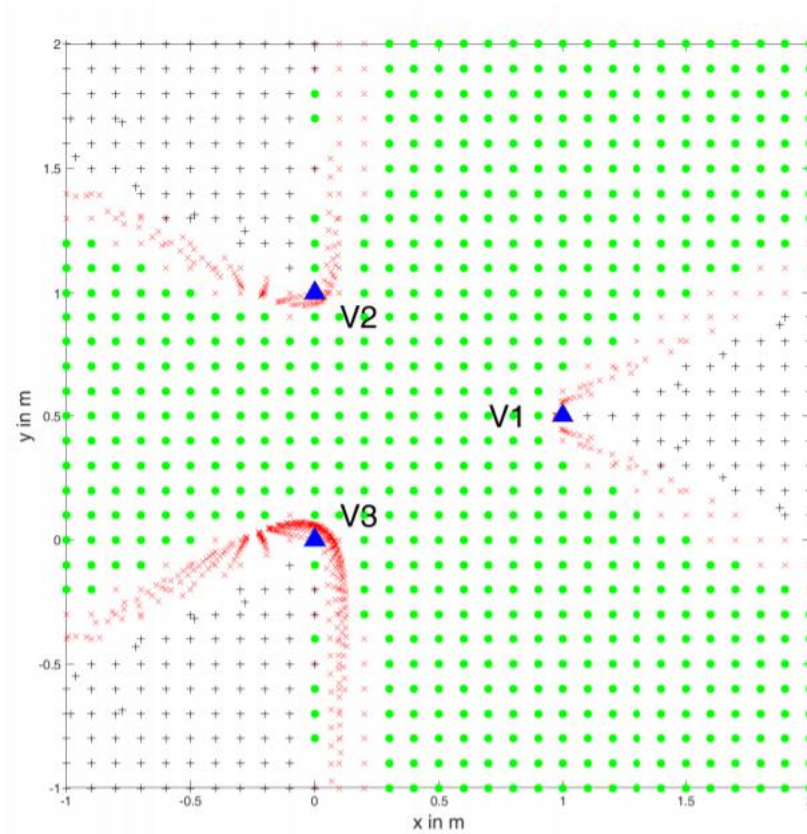
Round trip time

$$D = (RTT - tr - Tp) * \frac{c}{2}$$

TDOA-LOCATION AMBIGUITY WITHOUT MEASUREMENT NOISE

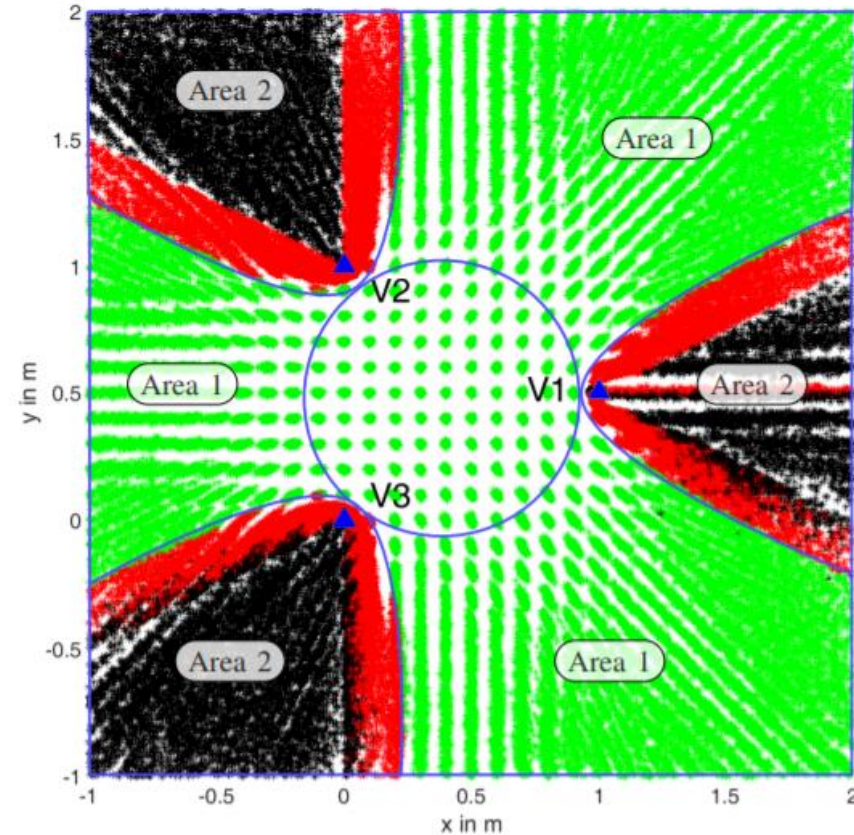


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Two possible solution areas	Single solution areas

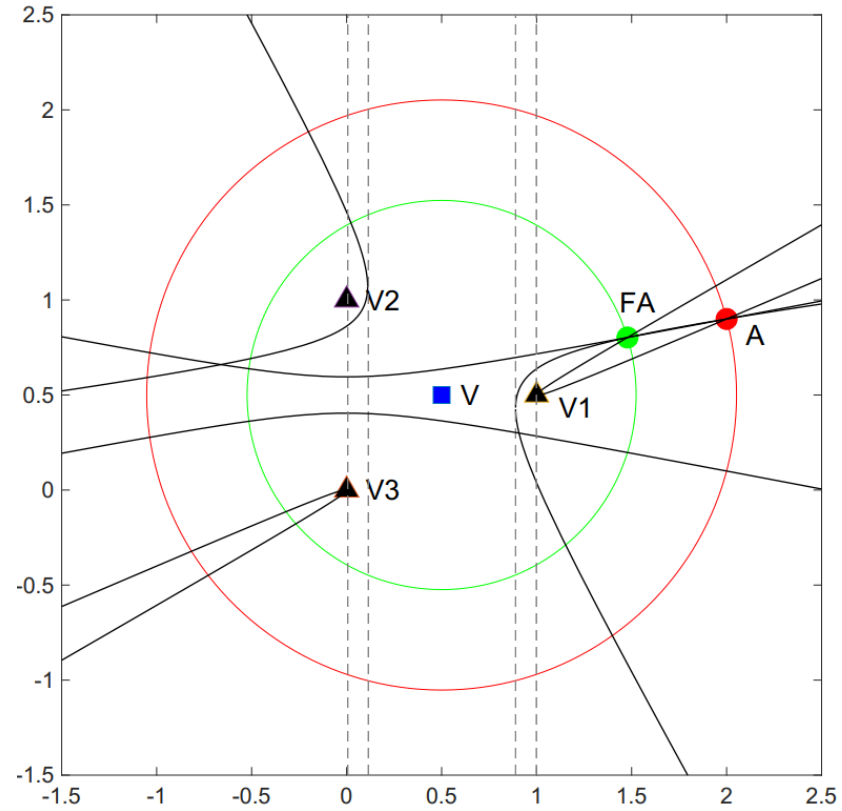


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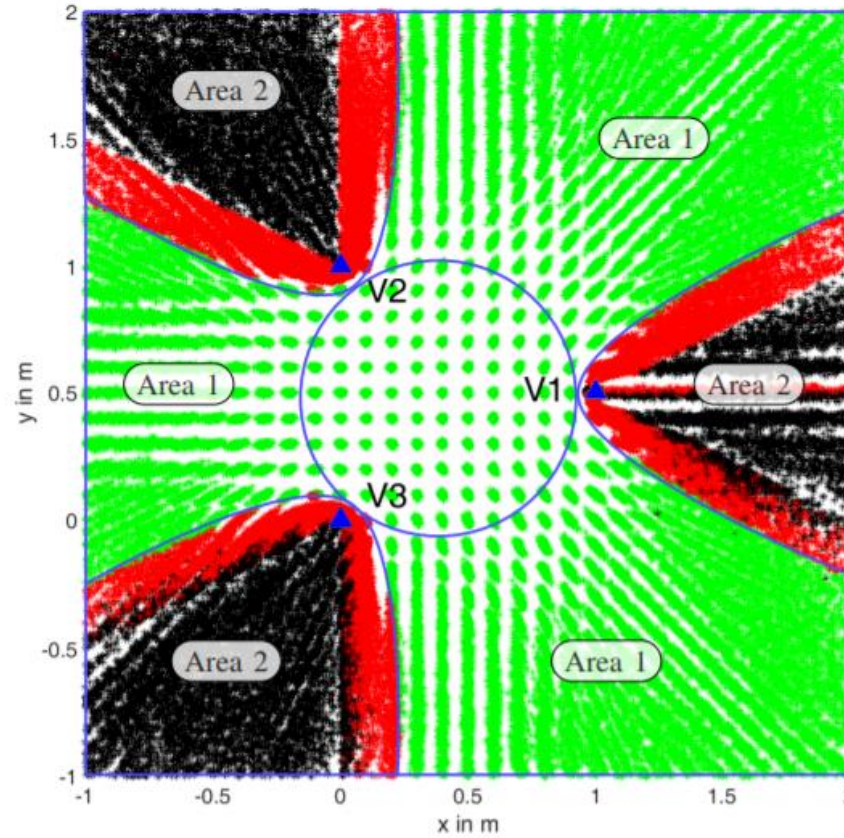
- Normal distributed noise
 - 0.16 ns standard deviation
 - 5 cm of accuracy
- Area 1: High uncertainty
- Area 2: Two possible solutions



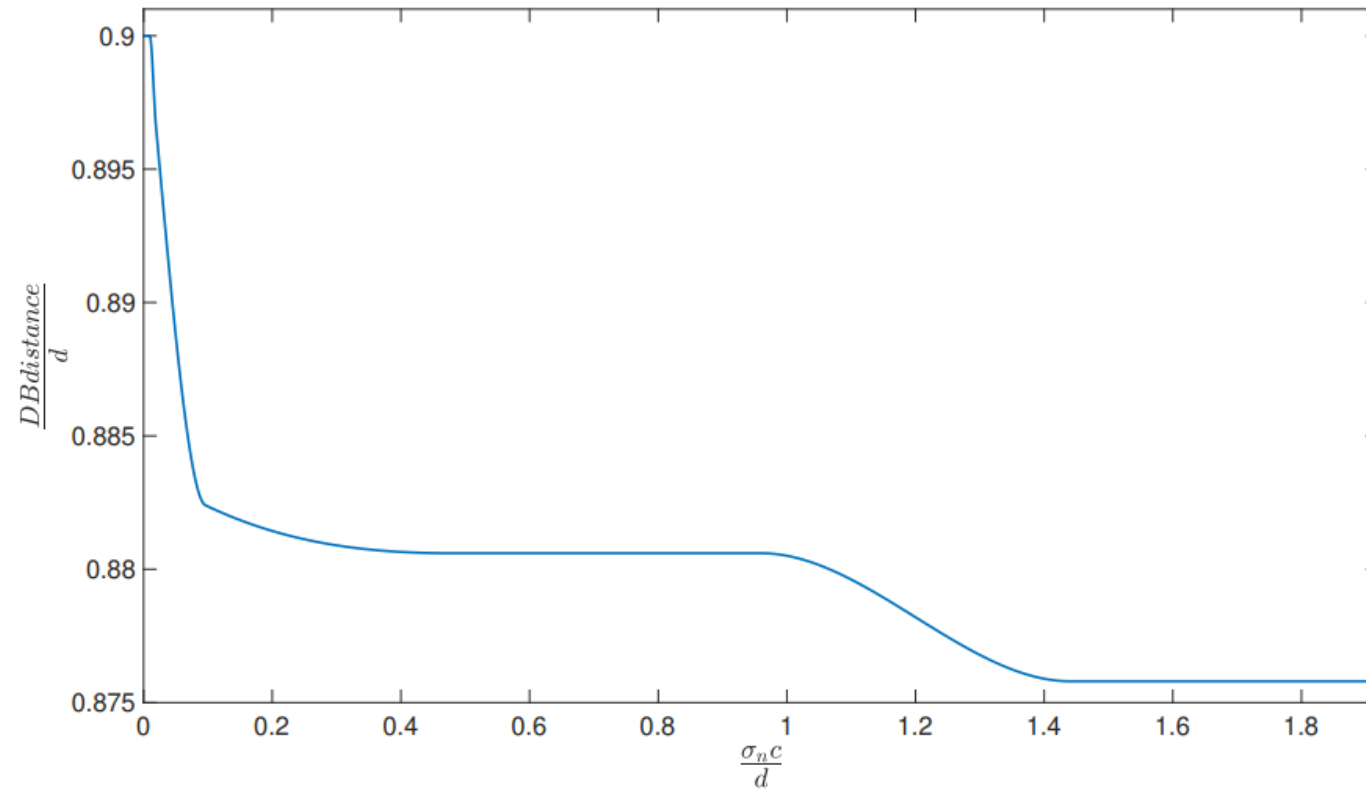
ATTACKS EXPLORING LOCATION UNCERTAINTY



PASSIVE VERIFIER PLACEMENT FOR SECURING DB



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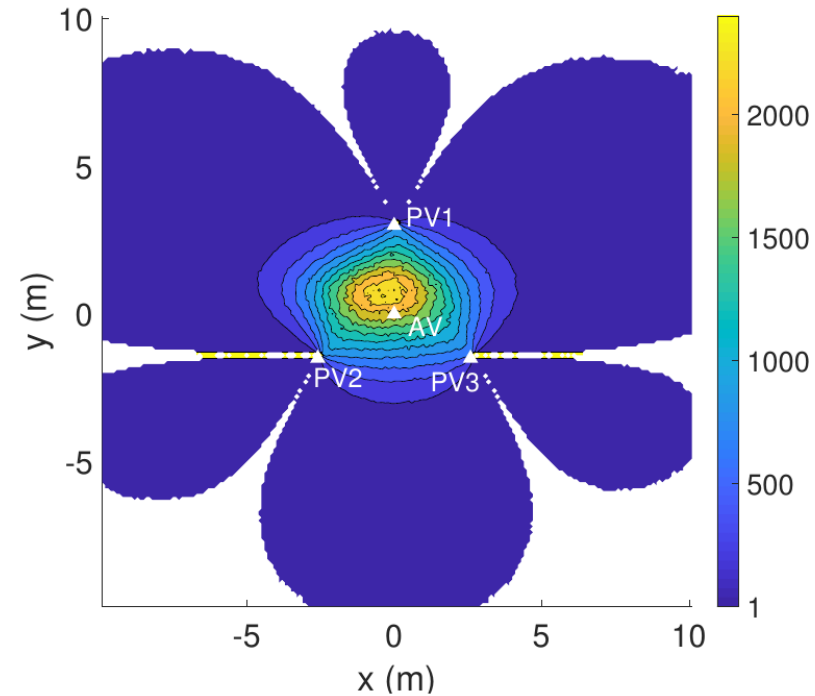


SUMMARY

- Addition of TDOA-localization to non-ideal DB
- Improvement of the resilience against "early detect" and "late commit" attacks
- Attacks exploiting uncertainty in the location estimation or in location ambiguity

CURRENT & FUTURE WORK

- Perform TDOA real-life measurements
- Define secure areas in TODA-based Distance Bounding and RTT-based Distance Bounding



**THANK YOU FOR YOUR
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Questions?