

# **TRUST THROUGH FUNCTIONAL DISAGGREGATION**

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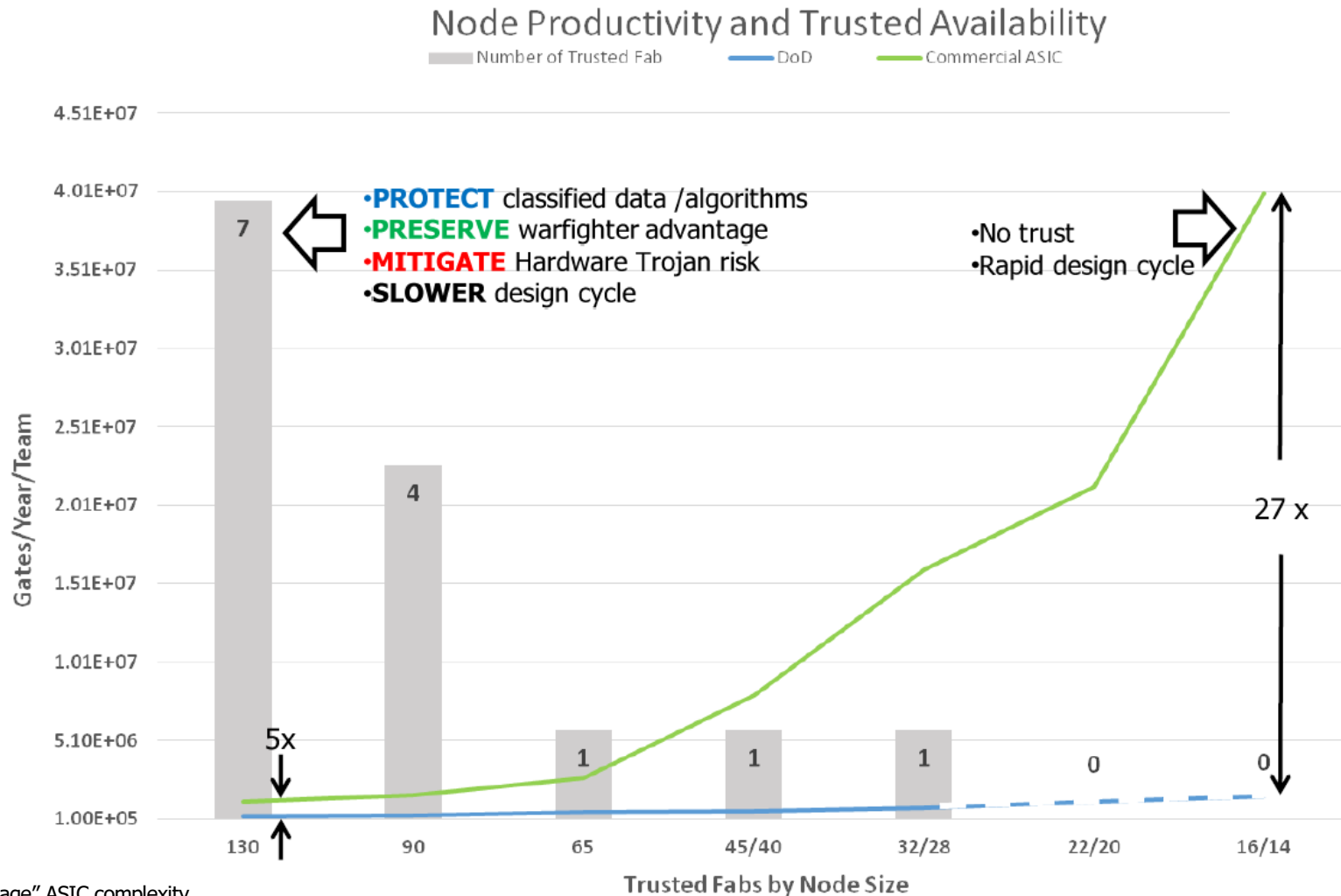
The DARPA solution is to provide a menu of hardware security options that can be selectively applied based on need

			Microelectronics Security Threats						
			Protection	Program	Loss of information	Fraudulent products	Loss of access	Malicious insertion	Quality and reliability
High Government Intervention	↑	Government-proprietary	Other	●					
		Fine Disaggregation and Transience	TIC (IARPA)	●	●	●	●		
			VAPR	●					
		High Commercial Sponsorship	↓	Functional Disaggregation	SPADE	●			●
DAHI	●					●	●		
CHIPS	●					●	●	●	
Obscuration and Marking	CRAFT					●		●	
	eFuses			●			●		
	SHIELD			●	●				
Verification and Validation	IRIS				●		●	●	
	TRUST				●		●		

**SPADE will help to prevent and respond to threats such as the malicious insertion of hardware trojans and reliability failures.**



## The ASIC Dilemma

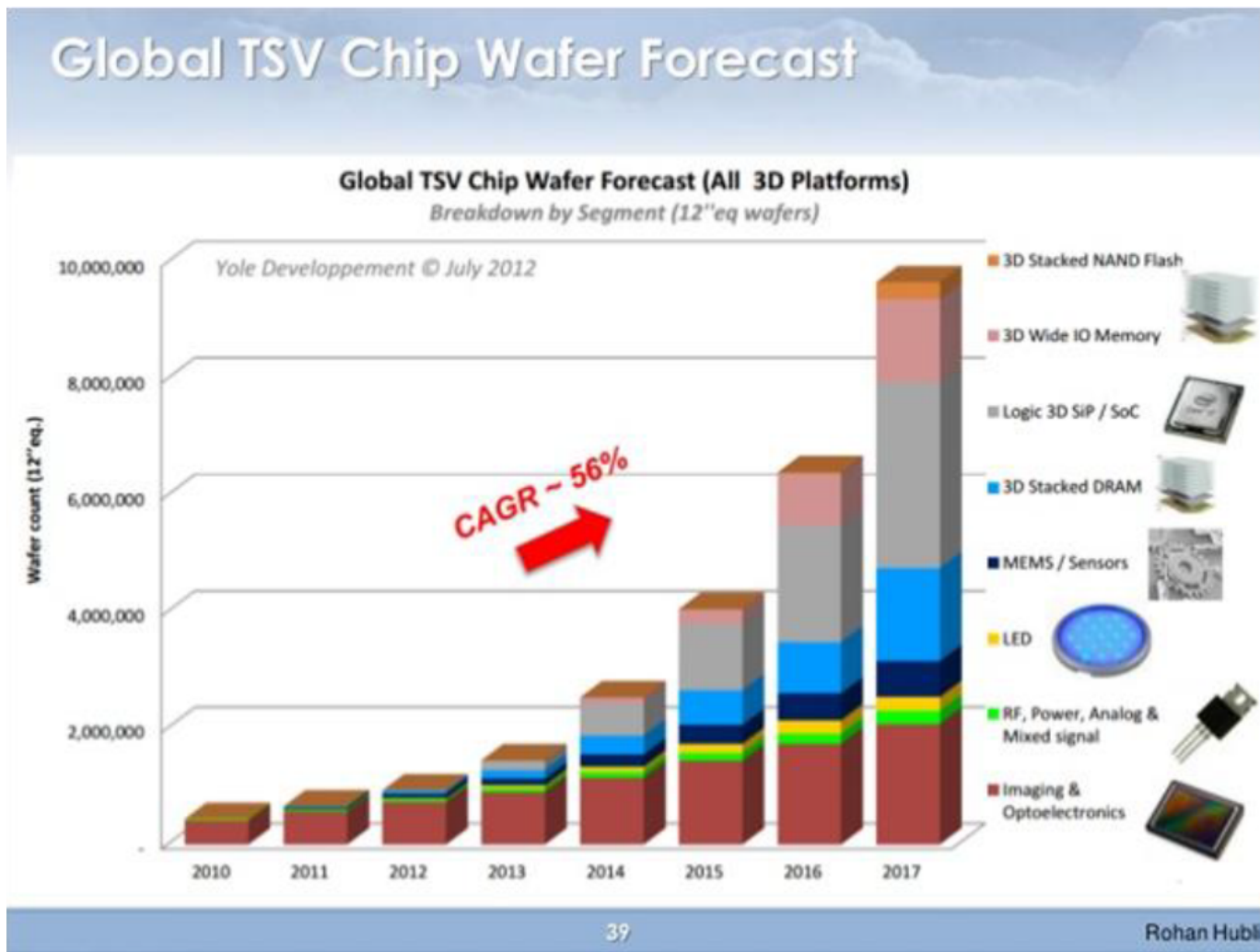


Source: ITRS "average" ASIC complexity

How do we ensure that the warfighter has access to state-of-the-art electronics?



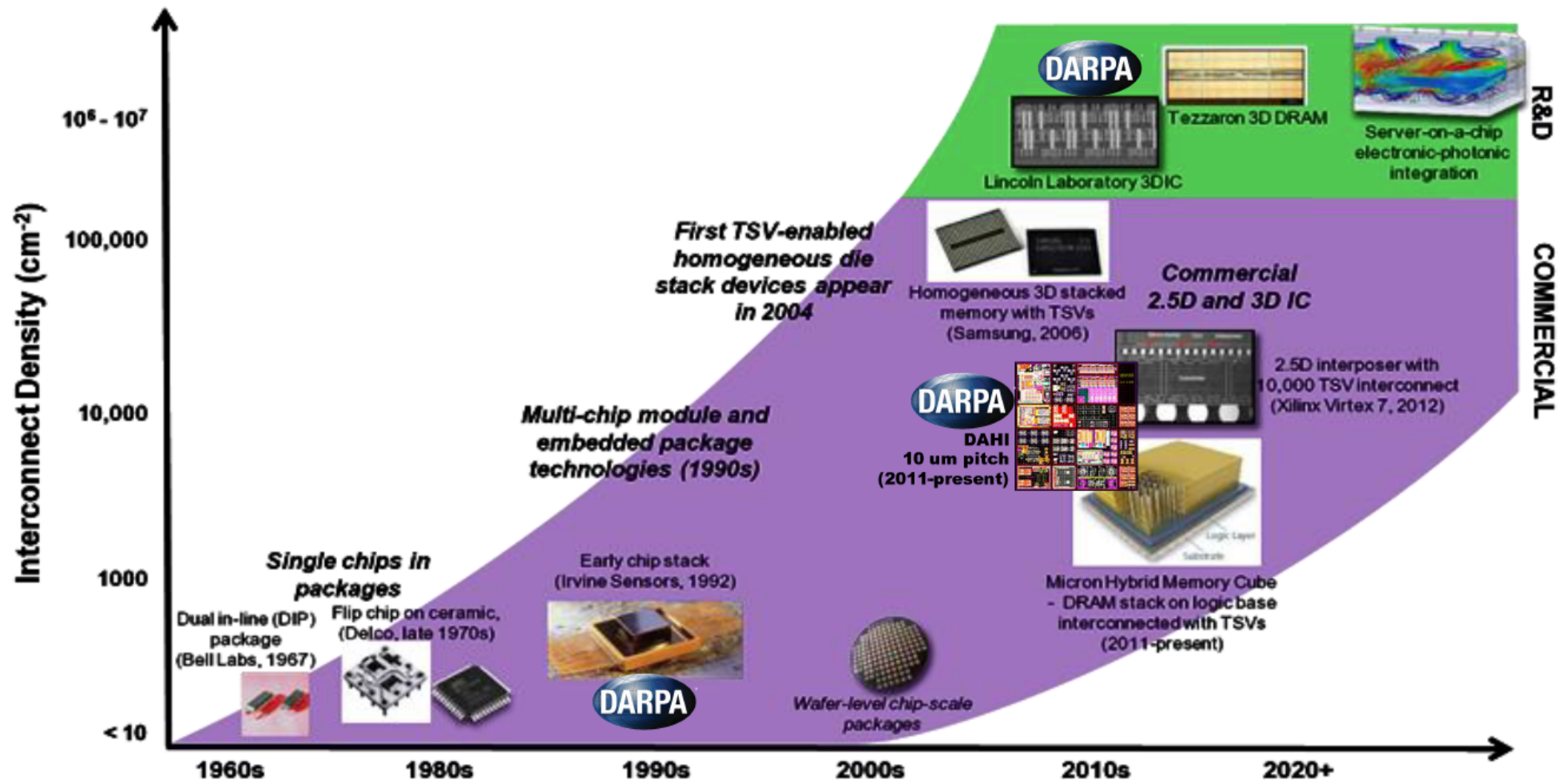
## Advanced packaging



- Manage complexity
- Improve yield
- Allow specialization



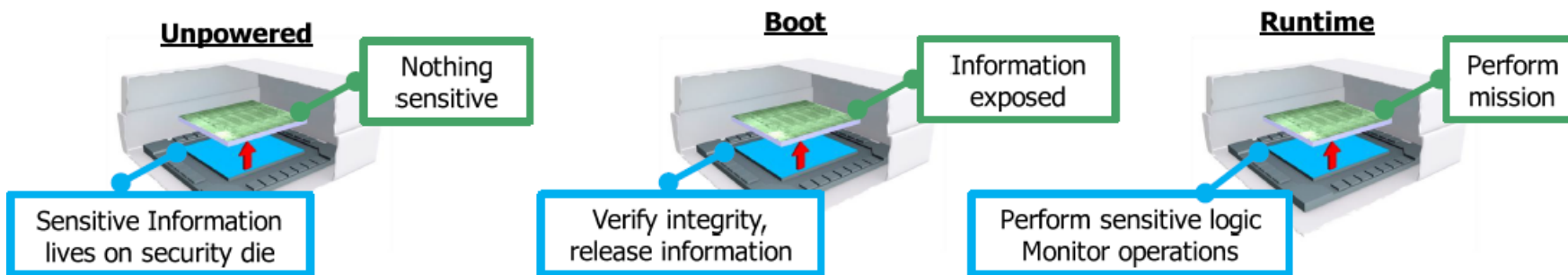
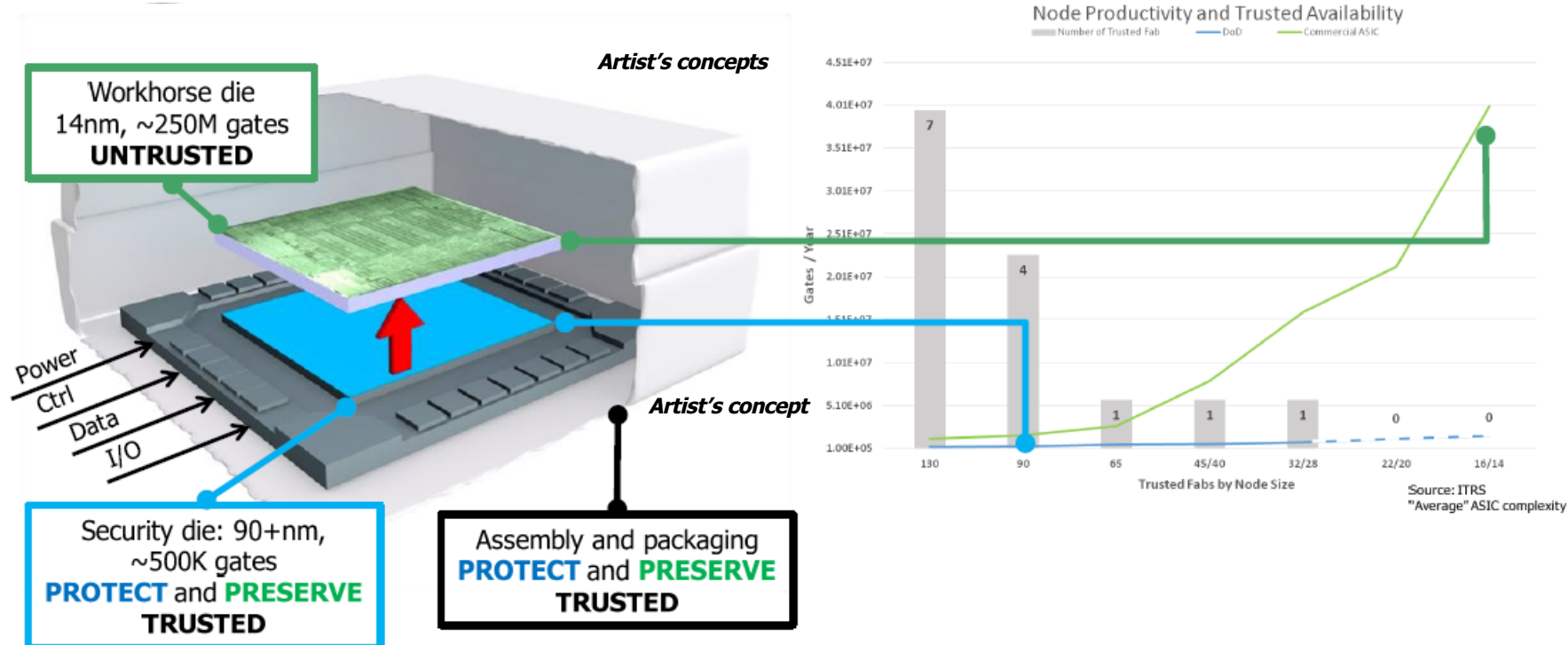
## Key technical enabler ... interconnects



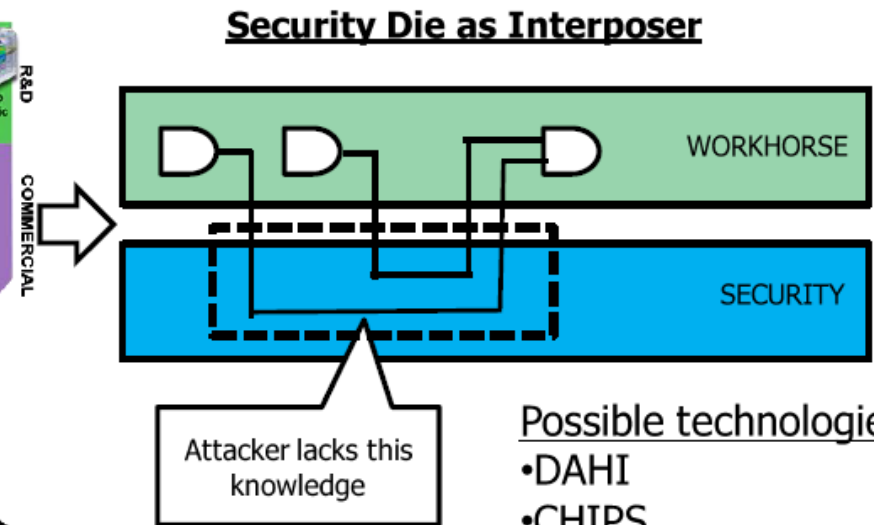
Source: MIT Lincoln Labs



# ASIC trust solution



- **MITIGATE** risk through obfuscation

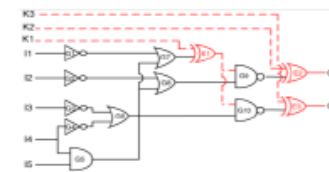


Attacker lacks this knowledge

### Possible technologies

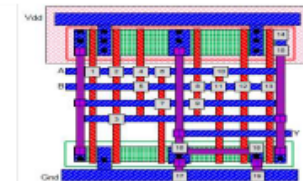
- DAHI
- CHIPS

- Plus: full suite of commercial obfuscation techniques...



[2] Rajendran et. al., *IEEE Tcomp*, 2015

## Logic Encryption



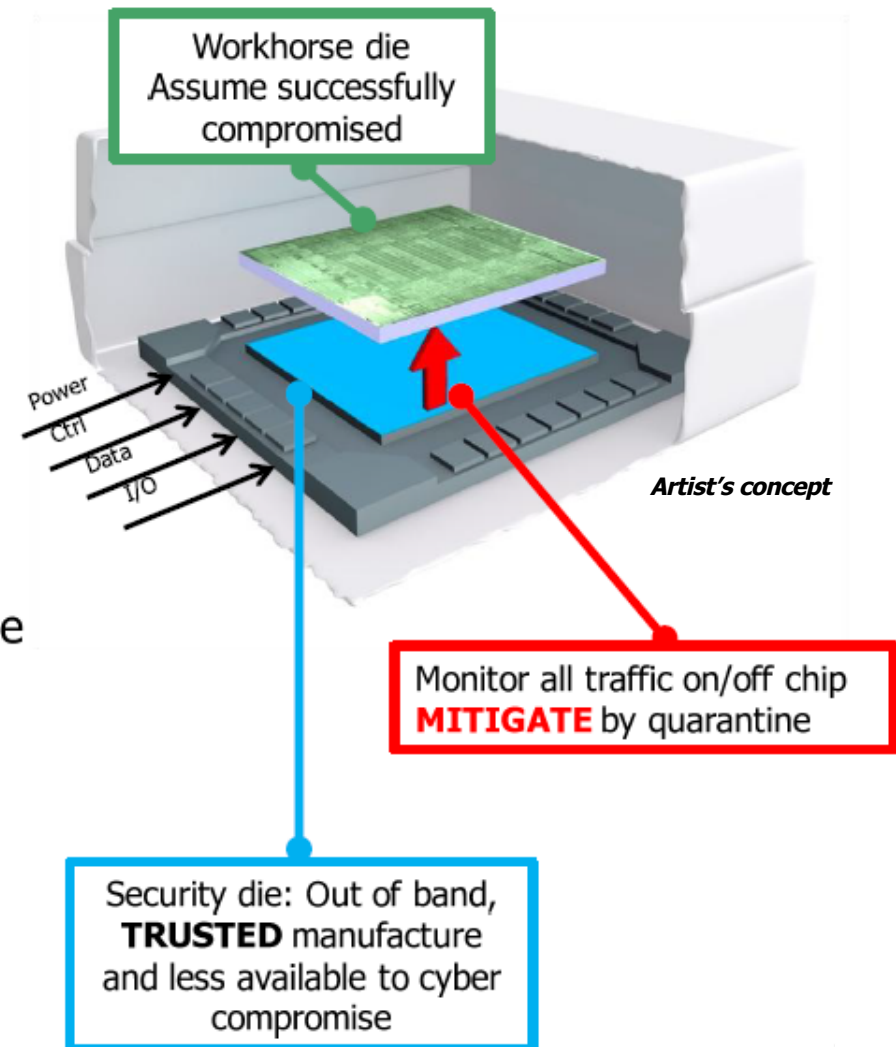
## Camouflaging





## Malicious logic: active techniques

- Assume: attacker has successfully compromised untrusted portion
- Goal: **MITIGATE** impact and contain contamination
- Key research questions:
  - How do you detect?
  - How do you mitigate impact?
  - Is it scalable? Performance impact?
- Security die moderates all signals:
  - Enables active monitoring
    - IO
    - Control
    - State (privilege, etc)
  - Out of band with mission circuits
  - Prevent spread of contagion by quarantine

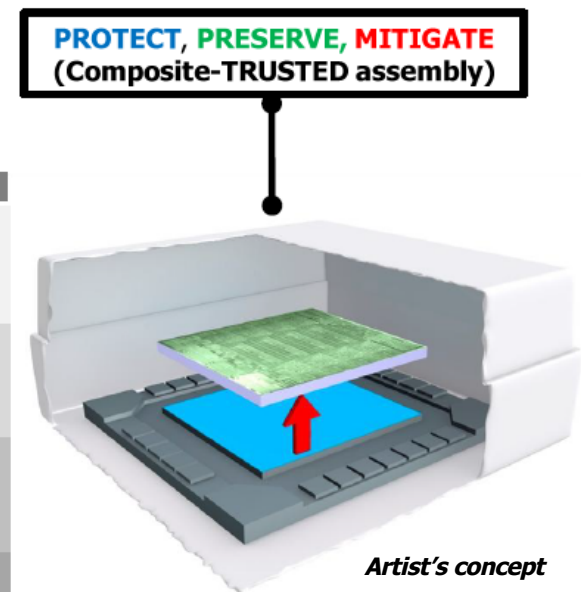
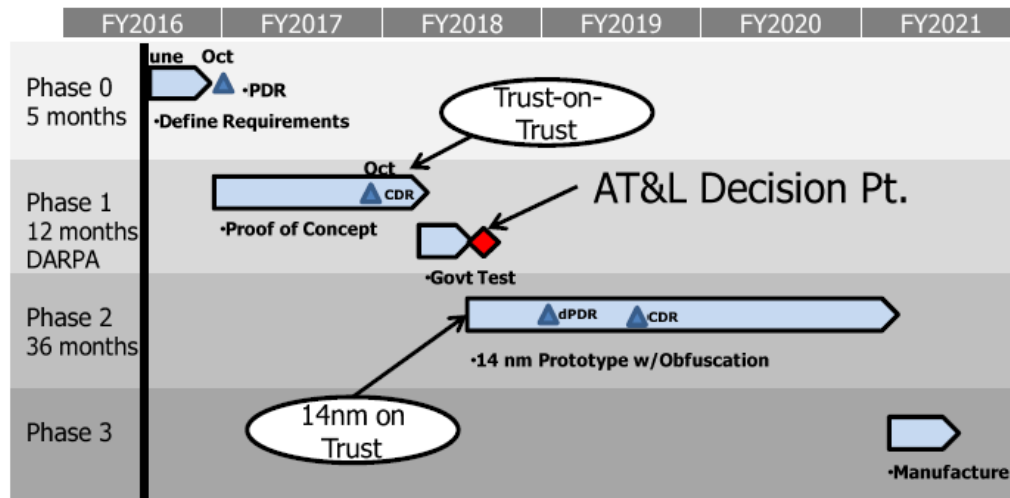






## SPADE trust demo for ASICS

- Phase 1 DARPA SPADE demo
  - Trust-on-Trust: Surrogate 45/90 nm workhorse
  - Proof of concept, functional demo, security demo
  - Delivers data for phase 2 decision
- Phase 2 SPADE prototype
  - 14nm workhorse
  - Full obfuscation



Achieve the spirit and intent of trust while meeting warfighter need



## Conclusion

- DoD is good at protecting critical data,
  - has trouble with large designs
- Industry is good at massive integration,
  - has trouble protecting critical data
- Technology allows a marriage
  - Massive interconnect density
  - Vertical stacking
- Success will allow DoD to
  - **PROTECT** classified data /algorithms
  - **PRESERVE** warfighter advantage
  - **MITIGATE** Hardware Trojan risk
  - **FASTER** design cycles than the status quo

	Scale	Security	Speed
Trusted	No	Yes	No
UnTrust	Yes	No	Yes
Hybrid	Yes	Yes	Yes

Bring the state-of-the-art back to military electronics



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