

Secure Network Provenance (CNS-1065130)

Goal: Secure forensics for distributed systems

 Systems should be able to correctly answer questions about their state, even if they are partially compromised

Approach: Use provenance

Inspired by a concept from databases

Some key results:

- SNP algorithm + reference implementation [SOSP'11]
- Several generalizations of provenance [SIGCOMM'14,HotNets'15]
- Techniques for secure provenance storage [VLDB'13]
- Query language for analyzing provenance [TaPP'12]
- Improved readability for forensic data [SIGCOMM'16]
- A new way to detect covert timing channels [OSDI'14]
- Ways to automatically respond to intrusions [NSDI'17]
- Techniques for privacy-preserving forensics [SIGCOMM'12]

