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CISSAN

Collective intelligence supported by security aware nodes (CISSAN)



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# Collective intelligence supported by security aware nodes (CISSAN)

A collectively intelligent security platform consisting of a set of innovative algorithms, technologies, and solutions

## Key Facts

**Project status:** Running  
**Coordinator:** Ilgin Safak, University of Jyväskylä (JYU), Finland  
**No. of partners:** 18  
**Partner countries:** Austria, Finland, Spain, and Sweden  
**Start date:** May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023  
**End date:** May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2026  
**Supported by:** Austrian Research Promotion Agency (FFG), Business Finland, Centre for the Development of Industrial Technology (CDTI), Swedish Agency for Innovation Systems (Vinnova)  
**Total project budget :** ~ EUR 8.5M  
**Total effort :** ~ 74.6 PY

<https://www.celticnext.eu/project-cissan>  
<https://www.jyu.fi/en/projects/cissan>

# Consortium

## Summary

**Countries:** 4  
**Organizations:** 18  
**Universities:** 2  
**Research inst.:** 1  
**Industry:** 6  
**SMEs:** 9

\* 1 research inst.  
in Austria is  
subcontracted

## Partners

### Austria

- GeoData

### Finland

- Bittium Biosignals
- Bittium Wireless
- University of Jyväskylä (coordinator)
- Mattersoft
- Mint Security
- Netox
- Nodeon
- Scopesensor
- Wirepas

### Spain

- Councilbox

### Sweden

- Äffarsverken
- Arctos Labs
- Blekinge Tekniska Högskolan
- Blue Science Park
- Clavister
- Savantic
- Techinova

# Timeline

Work packages and tasks		GANTT Timing and milestones											
		Year 1				Year 2				Year 3			
		M1-3	M4-6	M7-9	M10-12	M13-15	M16-18	M19-21	M22-24	M25-27	M28-30	M31-33	M34-36
<b>WP0</b>	<b>Management of the project</b>												
T0.1	Coordination												
T0.2	Organisation (Project kick-off, Mid-term and Final reviews)	M0.1						M0.3					M0.6
T0.3	Dissemination												
T0.4	Exploitation (Workshops)					M0.2				M0.4			M0.5
<b>WP1</b>	<b>Continuous follow-up of the related research fields</b>												
T1.1	Follow-up of the related research fields												
T1.2	Detection and analysis of weak signals					D1.1							D1.2
<b>WP2</b>	<b>Definition of the system architecture</b>												
T2.1	Definition of the architecture, system elements, interfaces			D2.1									D2.3
T2.2	Risk, threat and impact analysis				D2.2								
<b>WP3</b>	<b>Business models</b>					D3.1							
T3.1	Recognition and definition of the earning models						D3.1						
T3.2	Business impact analysis of the new earning models							D3.2					
T3.3	Modification and update mechanisms to earning models												D3.3
<b>WP4</b>	<b>Data security, gathering and quality assessment</b>												
T4.1	Data quality verification				D4.1						D4.5		
T4.2	Data gathering for distributed algorithms and load balancing				D4.1				D4.3				
T4.3	Distributed network logging systems					D4.2			D4.4				
<b>WP5</b>	<b>Distributed intelligent security mechanisms</b>												
T5.1	Distributed intelligent security incident detection					D5.1			D5.2				
T5.2	Collective intelligence algorithms												D5.4
T5.3	Tools to optimally distribute security functions												D5.5
T5.4	Blockchain-based IoT network security												D5.3
<b>WP6</b>	<b>Proof of work</b>												
T6.1	CISSAN platform and solutions of the project use cases												D6.1, D6.3
T6.2	Interfaces to 3rd parties' applications												D6.2
<b>WP7</b>	<b>Standardization</b>												
T7.1	Standardization follow-up and action planning							D7.1					
T7.2	Standardization-related coordination in other WPs								D7.2				

# Project Idea

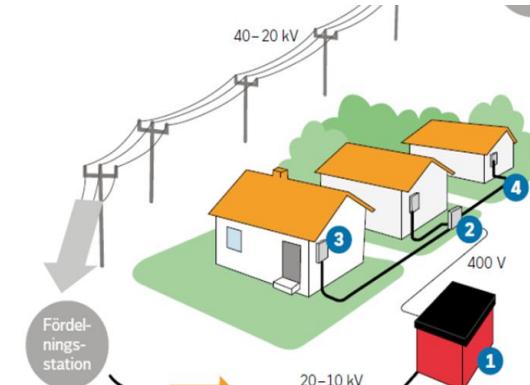
- **Goal (why)**  
Detecting and countering security and operational threats in IoT networks.
- **Content (how)**  
by *Collective Intelligence*  
Devel. of techniques enabling distributed & intelligent
  - *security & operational monitoring*
  - *attack & event detection and*
  - *response*in IoT networks.
- **Outcome:**  
A security platform (**CISSAN platform**) consisting of a set of innovative techniques (algorithms, methods, devices) that collaborate in an orchestrated way to protect IoT networks.

# Use Cases

## Public Transport (Mattersoft and Nodeon)



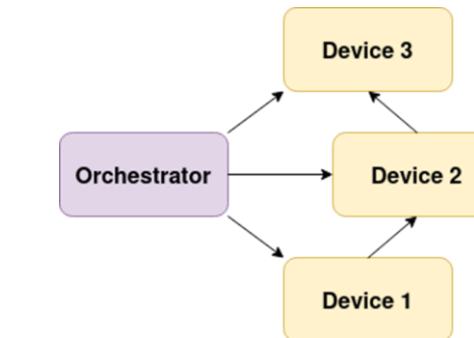
## Energy - Smart Grid (Affärsvärken)



## Tunnelling (GeoData)



## Manufacturing (Bittium)

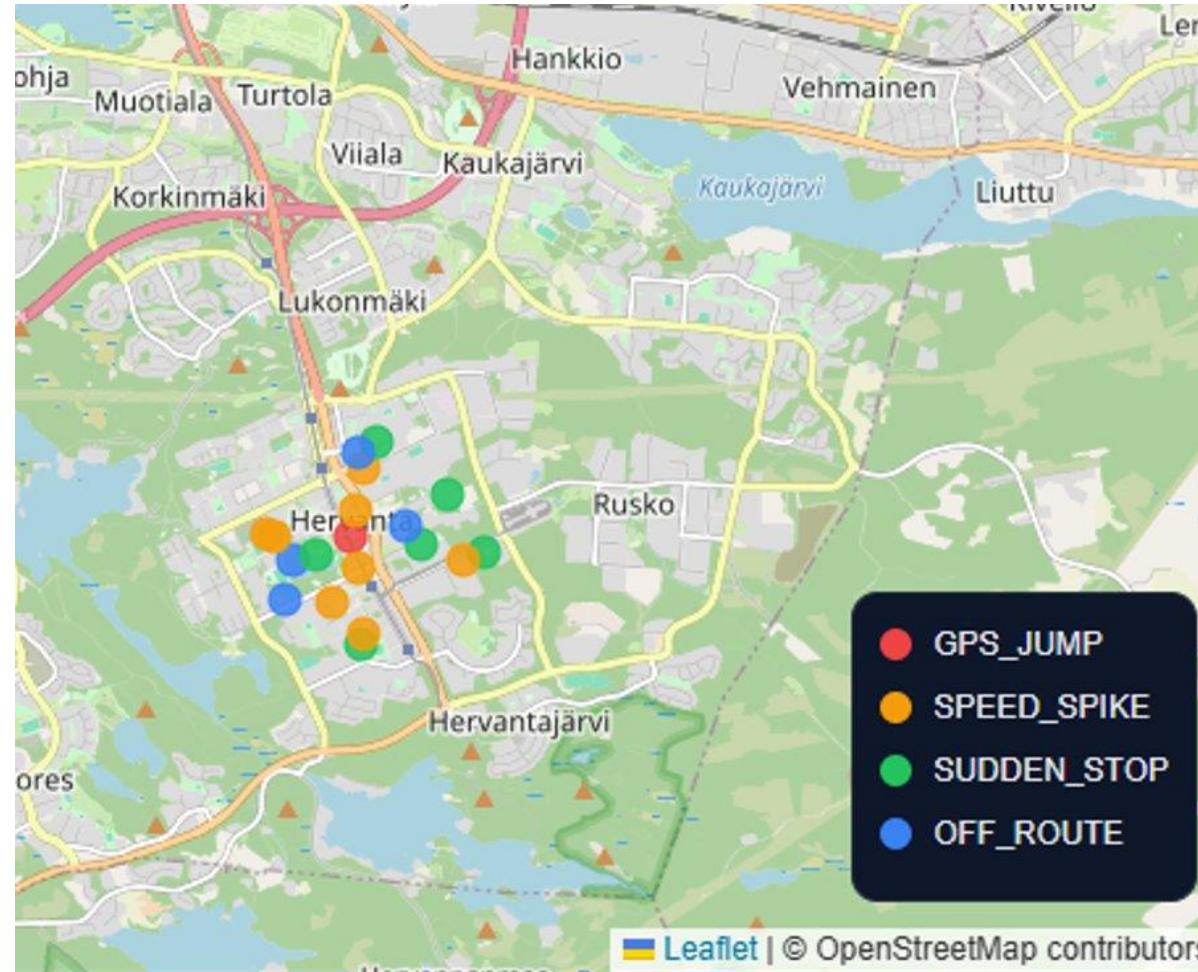


## Automated Disaster Recovery (Arctos Labs/JYU)



## Use Case Public Transport

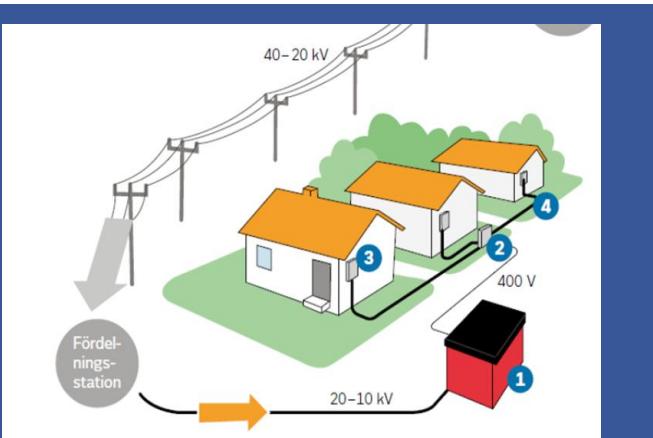
### Protecting vehicles from GPS/GNSS signal spoofing by



**Detection of  
position anomalies  
by domain-specific  
algorithms**

**Alarming the  
control center**

**Initiating defensive  
actions  
(vehicle isolation,...)**



## Use Case Energy - Smart Grid

**Protecting Energy Grids from attacks on local control stations (RTUs) by**



**Detection of operational anomalies in RTUs using ML algorithms**

**Propagation of attack information to other RTUs**

**Initiating defensive actions in the network (blocking of IP,...)**

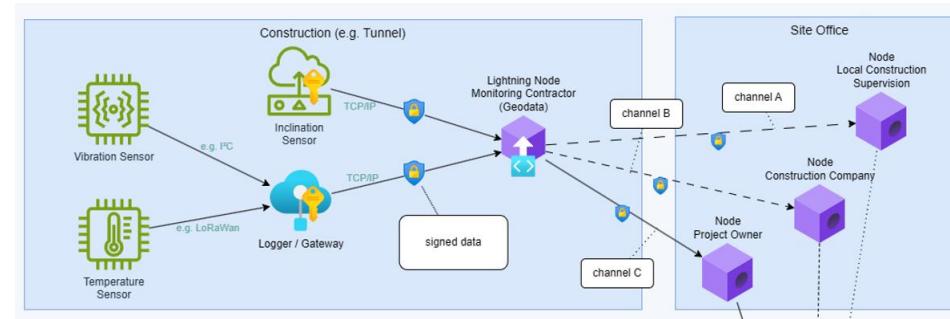


# Use Case Tunnelling

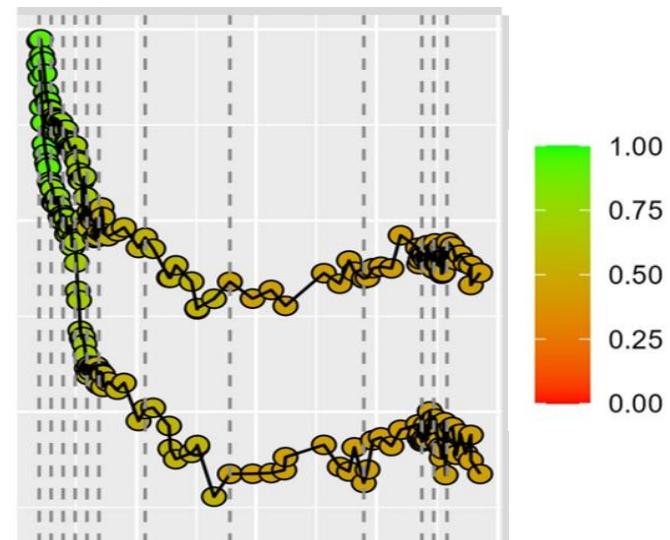
## Protecting tunnelling processes from data tampering attacks by



Signing sensor data at creation with **Security Chips**



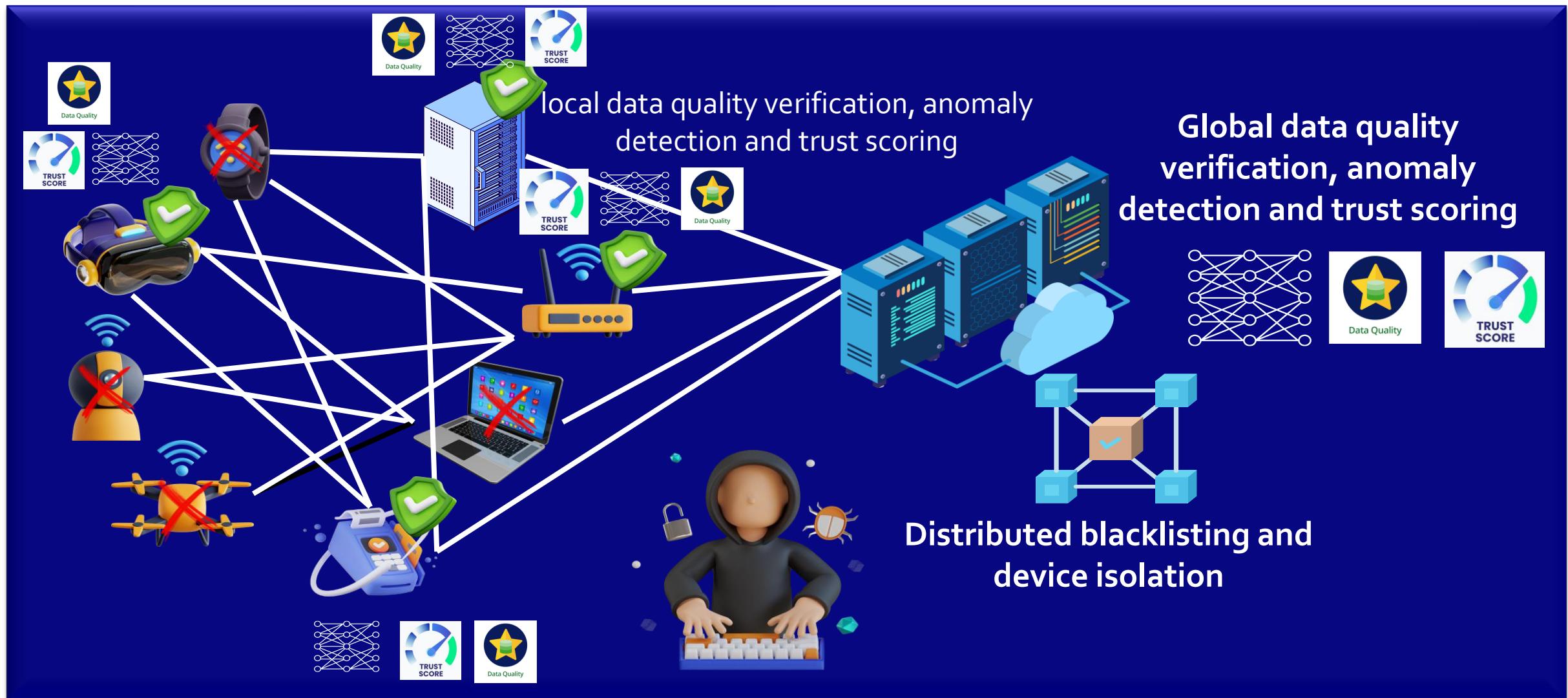
Transferring sensor data  
applying **Multi-party  
channel routing**  
(Blockchain)



**Anomaly detection** by  
assessing **Data Believability**  
using **empirical rules** and **AI**

Initiating **defensive actions** (data isolation,...)

# Collective intelligence mechanisms



# Business Impact



Operational resilience  
and business  
continuity



Cost efficiency and  
improved return on  
security investments



Better risk  
management and  
faster decision-making



Business enablement  
and interoperability



Strategic autonomy  
and ecosystem  
collaboration

New products and  
Services: **15**

# Dissemination



14 academic publications



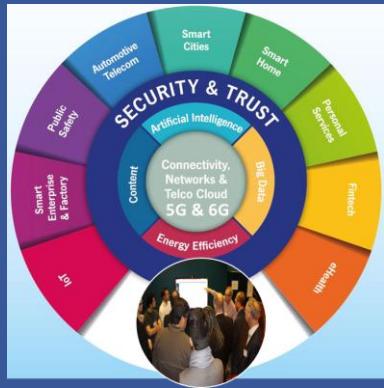
4 patent applications filed



16 invited talks / poster presentations



5 websites



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