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# A Forensic Approach to Handle Autonomous Transportation Incidents within Gaia-X

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# Agenda



- Autonomous Mobility and Gaia-X
- Criminal scenarios and their investigation
- Generalization of the forensic approach

# Novel Challenges for Safety and Security



- Increasing complexity
  - Current vehicles:  $1,2 \times 10^8$  lines of code
  - Autonomous vehicles:  $10^{12}$  lines of code (forecast - Jaguar)
- New types of incidents (accidents, criminal activities)!
- Forensic approach for newly occurring incidents in transportation



# Autonomous Mobility

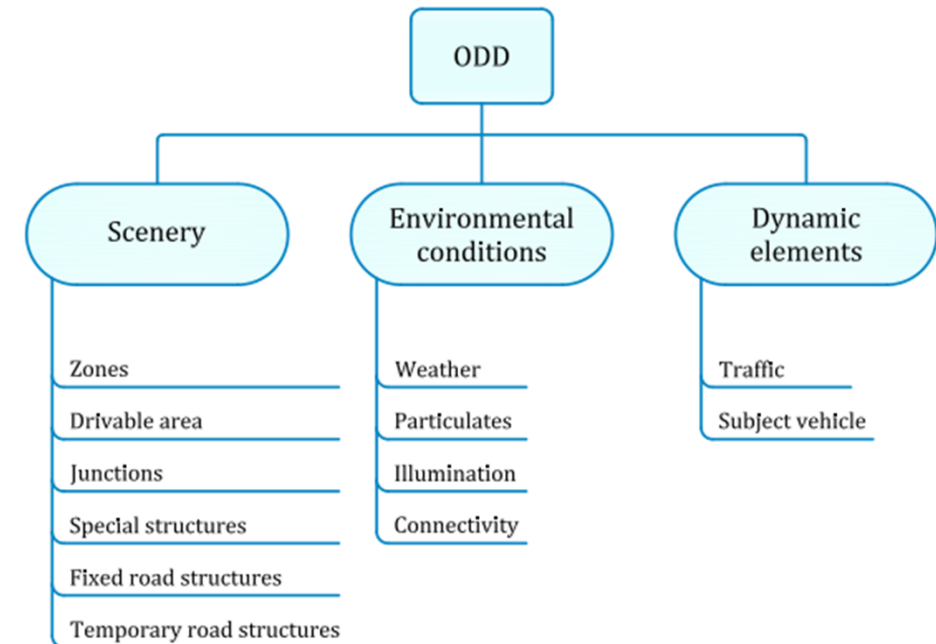
No human intervention is needed for navigation and control



SAE International, Levels of driving automation

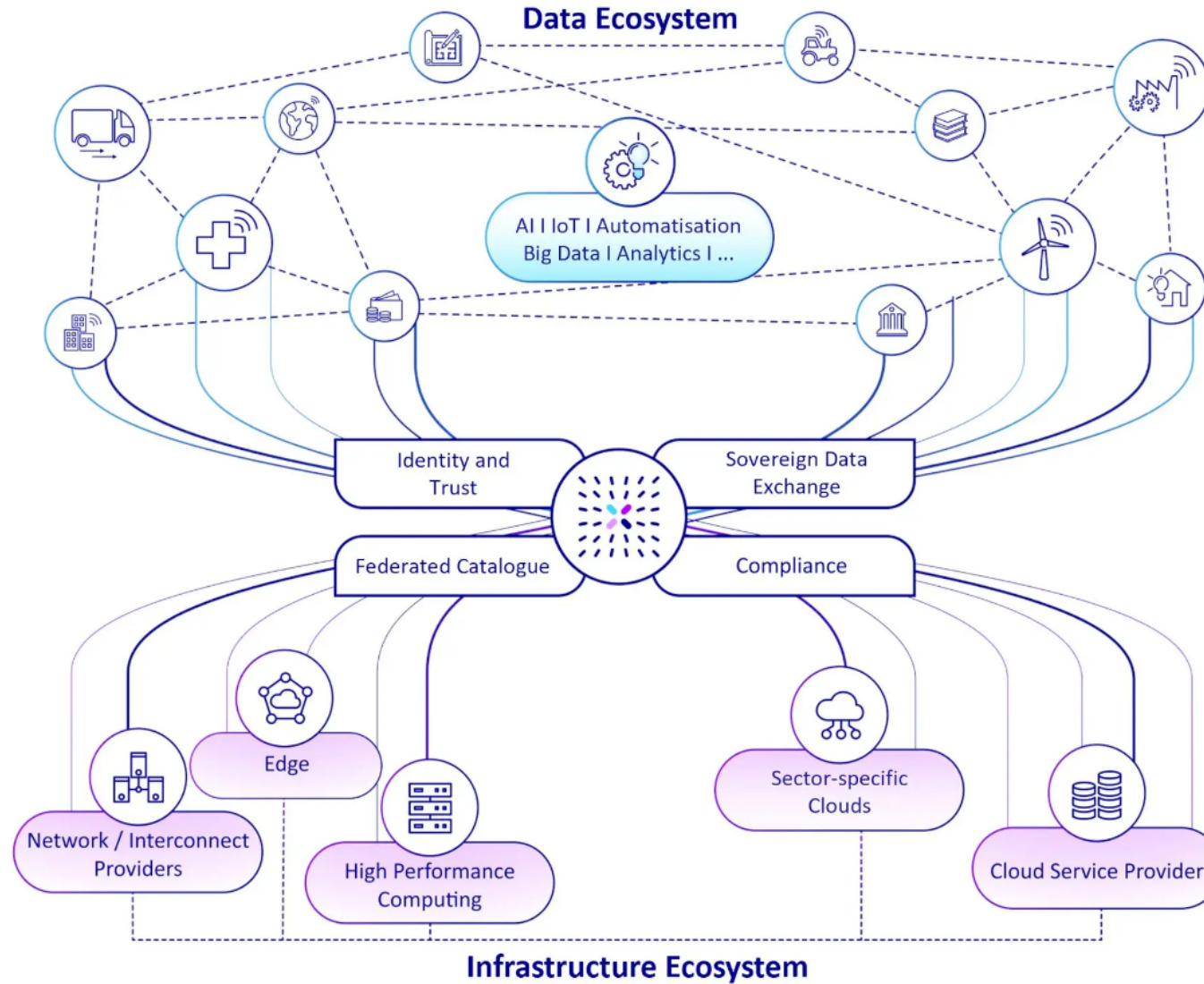
# Operational Design Domain (ODD)

- Limits and restrictions for autonomous driving (AD)
- Describes specific conditions e.g.
  - geographic areas, weather conditions, road infrastructure, traffic
- Vehicle-specific
- Example Mercedes
  - Autonomous driving (Level 4) only in a multi-storey car park in Stuttgart



SAE International, standard J3016

# Gaia-X



## Gaia-X-Hub: Gaia-X explained



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# Threat Modeling for Autonomous Vehicles

- 55% of surveyed risk assessment employees look at cyber security as the main concern for autonomous vehicles (Munich Re America 2016)
- Threats can be grouped into five categories:
  - Physical threats (side channels or debug interfaces)
  - Recording and manipulation of network traffic (interception threats)
  - Attacks against communication interfaces (DDoS)
  - Malicious code
  - Data threats (loss or leak of information)

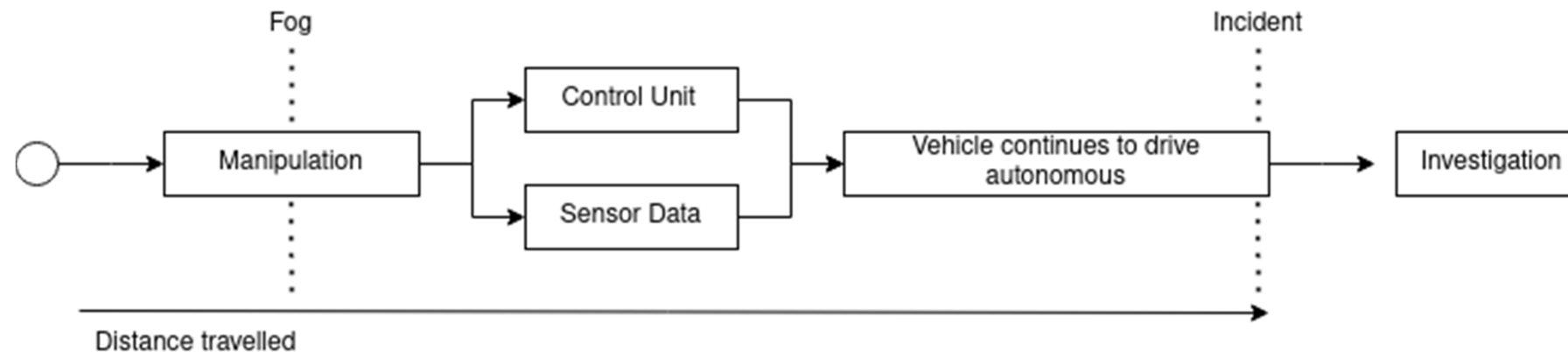


Forensics  
needed!



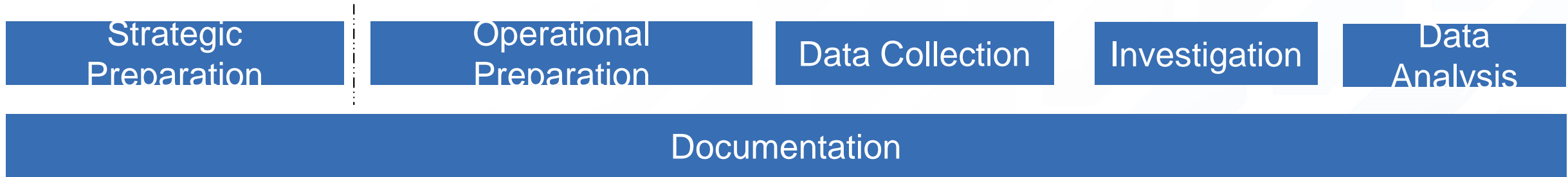
# Criminal Scenario: „Vehicle Manipulation“

- Manipulation of the vehicle
  - Sensor values that disagree with autonomous driving are ignored
  - Enable autonomous driving in situations where it is not permitted





# Investigation Process „Vehicle Manipulation“



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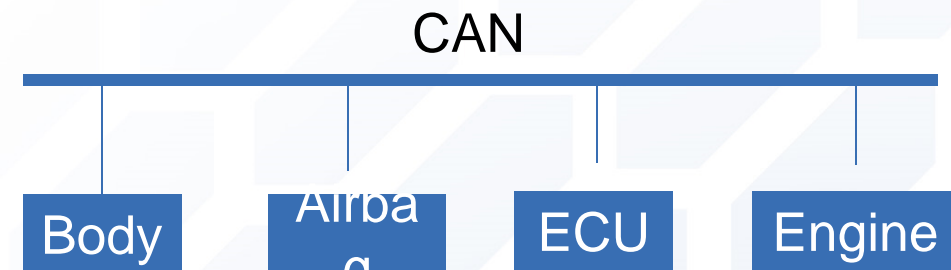
- Regulations

- EU regulation 2019/2144:
  - Event-based data recording to store anonymized data
- UN Regulation No. 157: Approval of Vehicles with Automatic Lane-Keeping System
  - Requirements for Data Storage Systems for Automated Driving
- German Level 4 - Law
  - Storing condition of the vehicle

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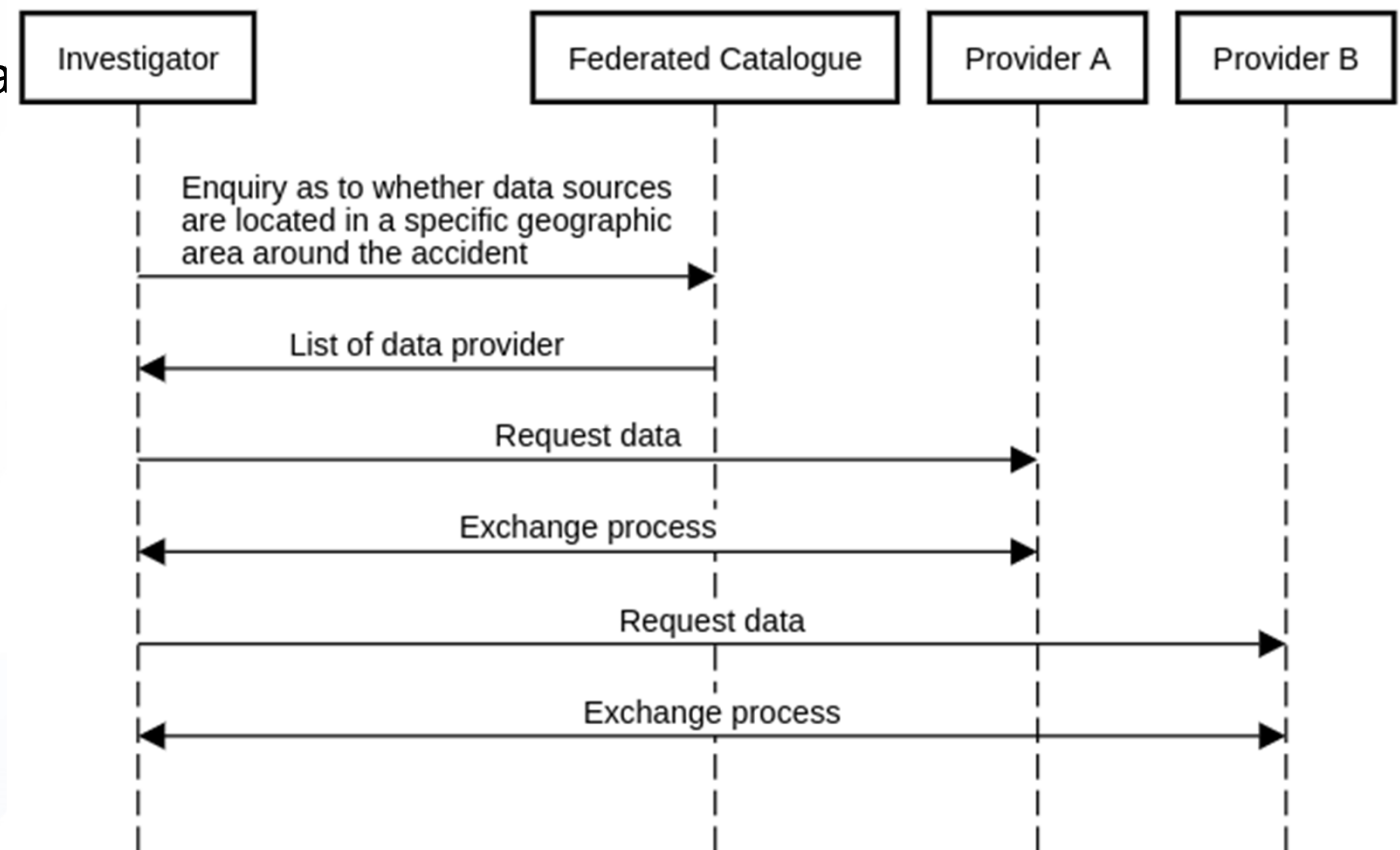
- Electronic Control Unit (ECU) Data
  - Access via Unified Diagnostic Services (UDS)
  - Protocol for communication between the vehicle control units and diagnostic devices
- Communication
  - ODB-II
  - Vehicle units are communicate via Controller Area Network (CAN)



# Investigation Process „Vehicle Manipulation“



- Gaia-X Federated Catalogue serves as a instance for finding data providers
- Providers can be requested decentrally and standardised
- No prior contracts are required
- Providers are liable



# Investigation Process „Vehicle Manipulation“



- ODB-II
  - EDR/DSSAD
  - Communication dumps
- UDS
  - Data from ECUs
- Gaia-X Federated Catalogue
  - Technical Supervisor
  - Data provider in Gaia-X

# Investigation Process „Vehicle Manipulation“



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(1661877786.534412) can1 6B4#00C96B7C8C424155  
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CAN dump

```
{  
  "operational_domain_design": {  
    "autonomy_level": "5",  
    "operational_limits": {  
      "not_allowed": ["Heavy rain", "Fog"]  
    }  
  }  
}
```

Vehicle ODD configuration

```
{  
  "date": 2024-03-28,  
  "location": "Marienplatz"  
  "temperature": 15,  
  "weather_condition": "Very foggy",  
  "wind_speed": 5  
  humidity: 45  
}
```

Weather provider response

**DSSAD  
Dump**

**ECU  
Software**

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CAN dump

# Investigation Process „Vehicle Manipulation“



Time	System Activation
-5	True
-4	True
-3	True
-2	True
-1	True
0	True

Extract from DSSAD

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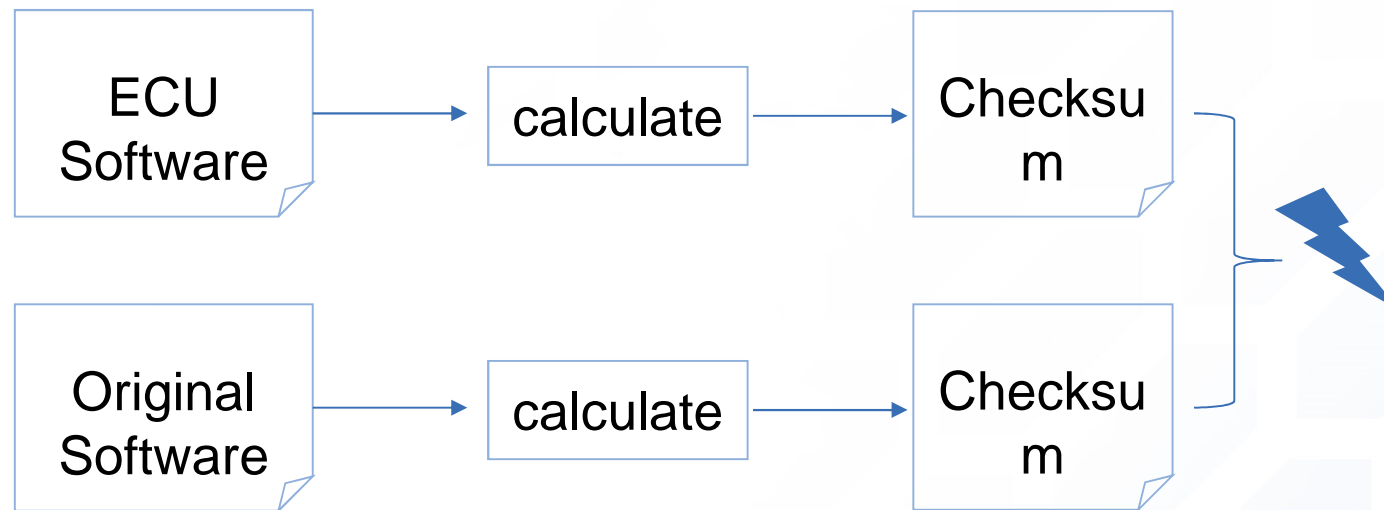
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# Criminal Scenario „Denial of Service“

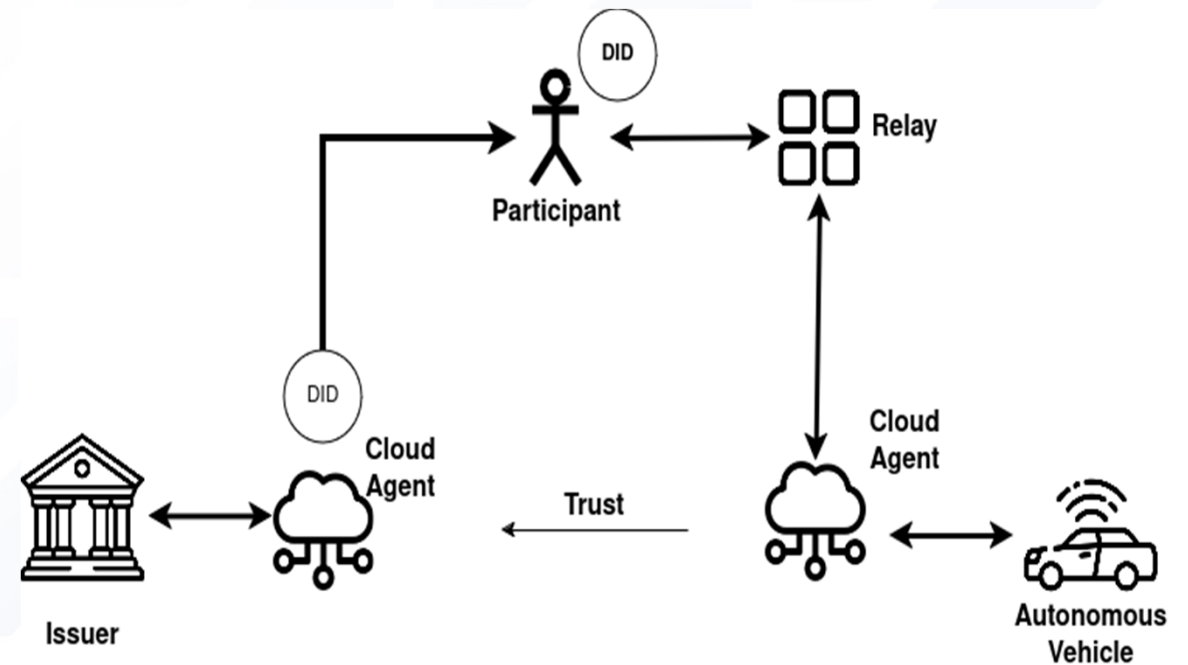
- Denial of Service Attack
  - Attack of the Communication Unit
  - Disrupt communication with Technical Supervisor
  - Failure of driving function (Level 5)



# Investigation Process „Denial of Service“



- Definition of mechanisms to prevent and identify attackers
- „Whitelisting“
  - Only process requests with valid Gaia-X participants
  - Digital identity verified by Gaia-X Trust Framework
- Using Cloud Agents
  - Preprocessing of requests
  - Logging



# Investigation Process „Denial of Service“



- Cloud Agent

- REST API

```
type: [
  "VerifiableCredential"
],
id: "did:web:registrationnumber.notary.lab.gaia-x.eu:development:a7ffb299-f106-44f4-b92c-b441176d9426",
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},
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## Gaia-X, Verifiable Credentials