Title: Application-oriented Security: Secrets Management and Side-Channel Protection for TEEs
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Abstract: This tutorial will first introduce the problems one faces when trying to run unmodified applications inside of TEEs. Alternative solutions are presented but the focus will be on the use of cross-compilers and runtime support to execute applications inside of TEEs. We will introduce some example applications running inside of SGX using the SCONE platform.

Second, we will motivate the need for integrating secrets management and remote attestation. We will motivate the problem of remote attestation and configuration management and show how to solve this. We show how that helps with transparent protection of files and secrets.

We show how attestation can help to protect against some side-channel attacks.
The main focus will, however, on a novel approach to protect against L1/L2-based side channels attacks.

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