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Post-Quantum Suite-Q™ For Embedded Devices

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A New Quantum Age



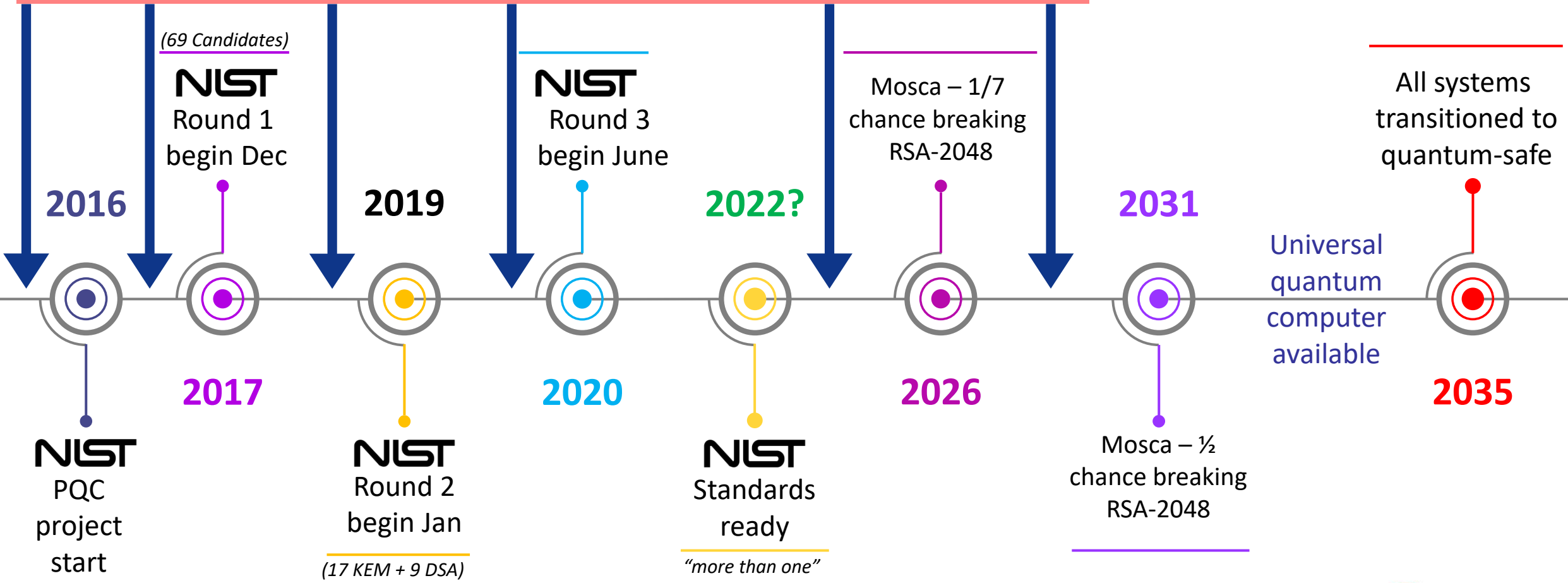
Quantum Threat to Information Security

- IoT is the **future** of computing
- Quantum is the **future** of computing performance
- IoT represents **major** security vulnerabilities
- Quantum represents a **major** security threat
- Must **design** security specific for IoT
- Must **transition** to quantum-safe security
- Question: When should we start?

- Better question: How long does the transition take?
- Best question: When will we be at risk?

Quantum Threat Timeline

Retroactive Decryption:
Record encrypted communication now,
Decrypt once quantum computers are available



Post-Quantum Key-Exchange Mechanism

Code-based

Key size: 100's of Kilobytes

Lattice-based

Key size: Kilobytes

Isogeny-based

Key size: 100's of bytes

Suite-Q™ for IoT

- **What is Suite-Q?**

- An all inclusive, quantum-safe security IPs designed for the IoT environment

- **Why Suite-Q?**

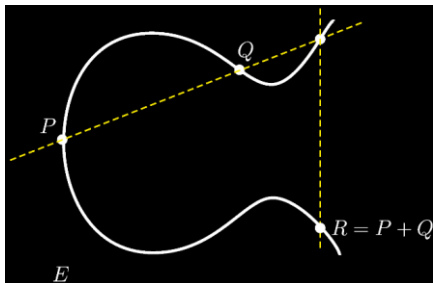
- IoT and quantum-safe security are increasingly important. Incorporate tomorrows security, today

- **When is it needed?**

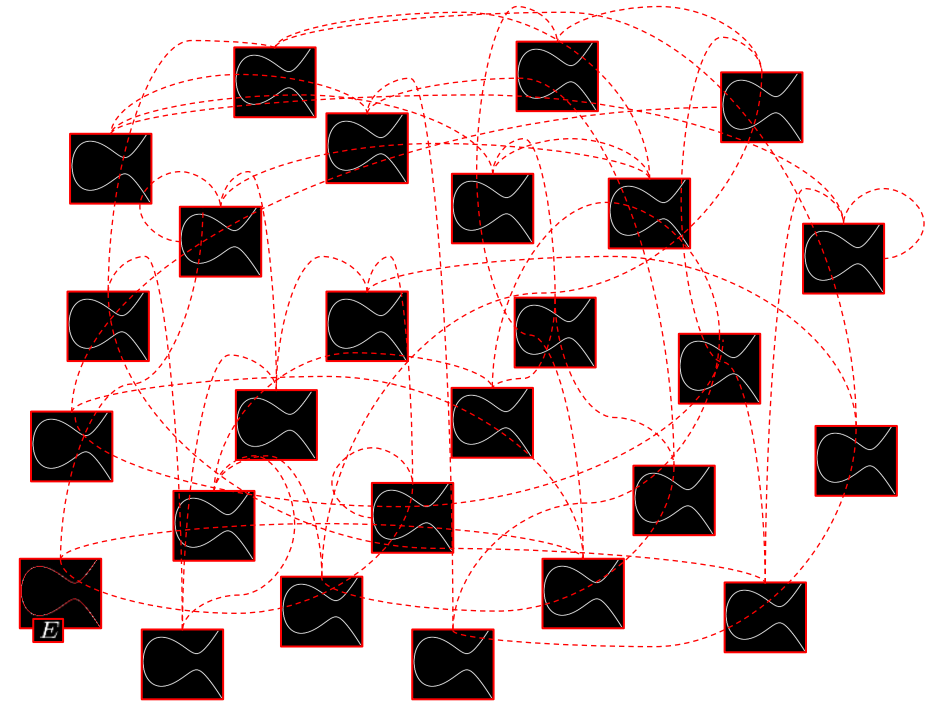
- Quantum-safe products need to be available before quantum computers as transitions take years

From ECC to SIKE

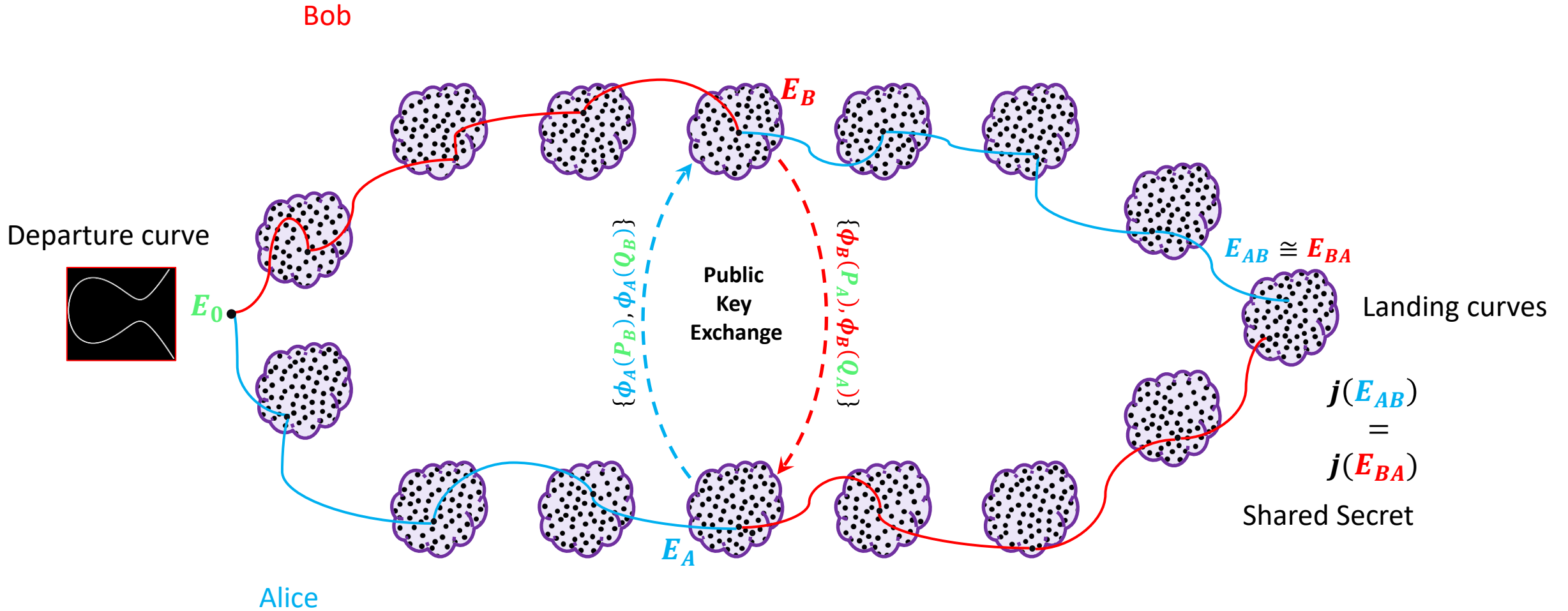
- **E**lliptic **C**urve **C**ryptography is the current standard and used widely
- **ECC** (like RSA and Diffie-Hellman) is not quantum safe
- **SIKE** **S**upersingular **I**sogeny **K**ey **E**ncapsulation
- **SIKE** is quantum-safe and works on maps, called **isogenies**, between elliptic curves



ECC vs **SIKE**



SIDH/SIKE Protocol



SIKE Key Sizes

NIST Level	Prime Size (bits)	Prime	Public Key Size (bytes)	Compressed Public Key Size (bytes)
1	434	$2^{216}3^{137} - 1$	330	196
2	503	$2^{250}3^{159} - 1$	378	224
3	610	$2^{305}3^{192} - 1$	462	273
5	751	$2^{372}3^{239} - 1$	564	331

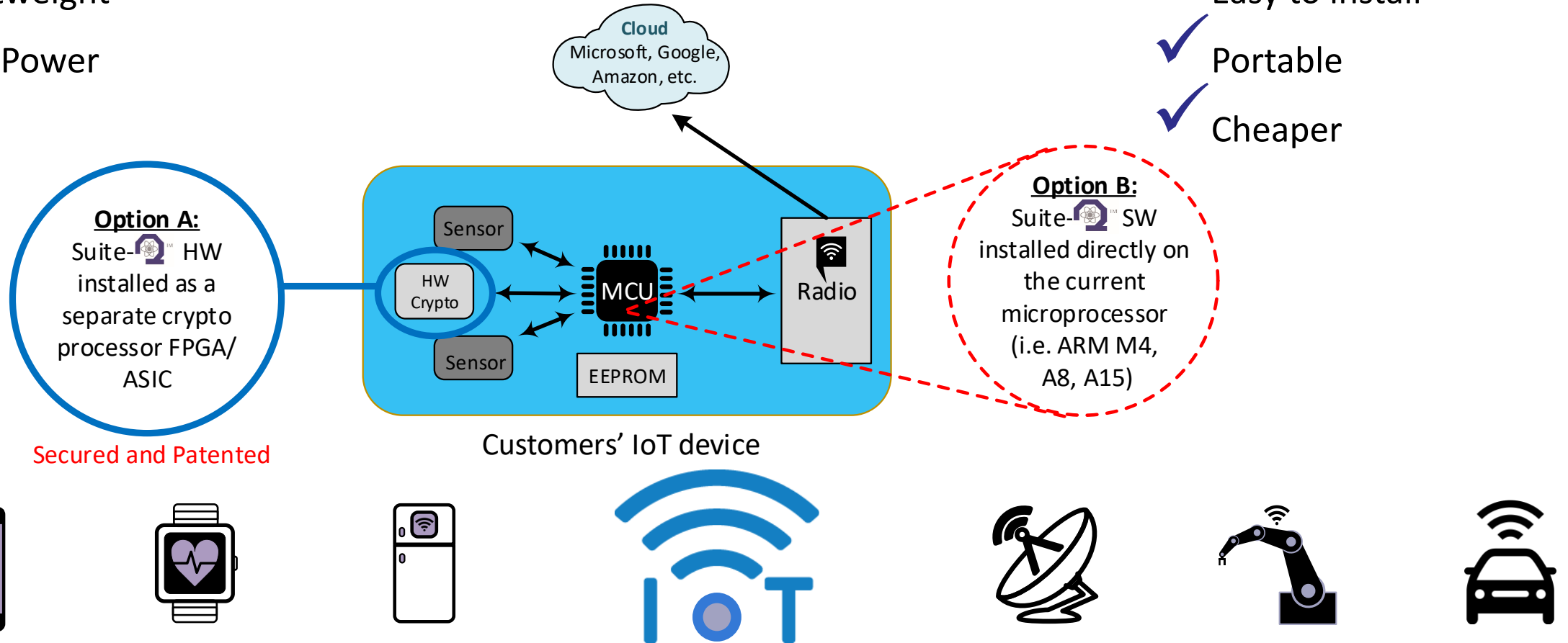
Product: Suite-Q™

Suite-Q Hardware License

- ✓ Lightweight
- ✓ Low Power
- ✓ Fast

Suite-Q Software License

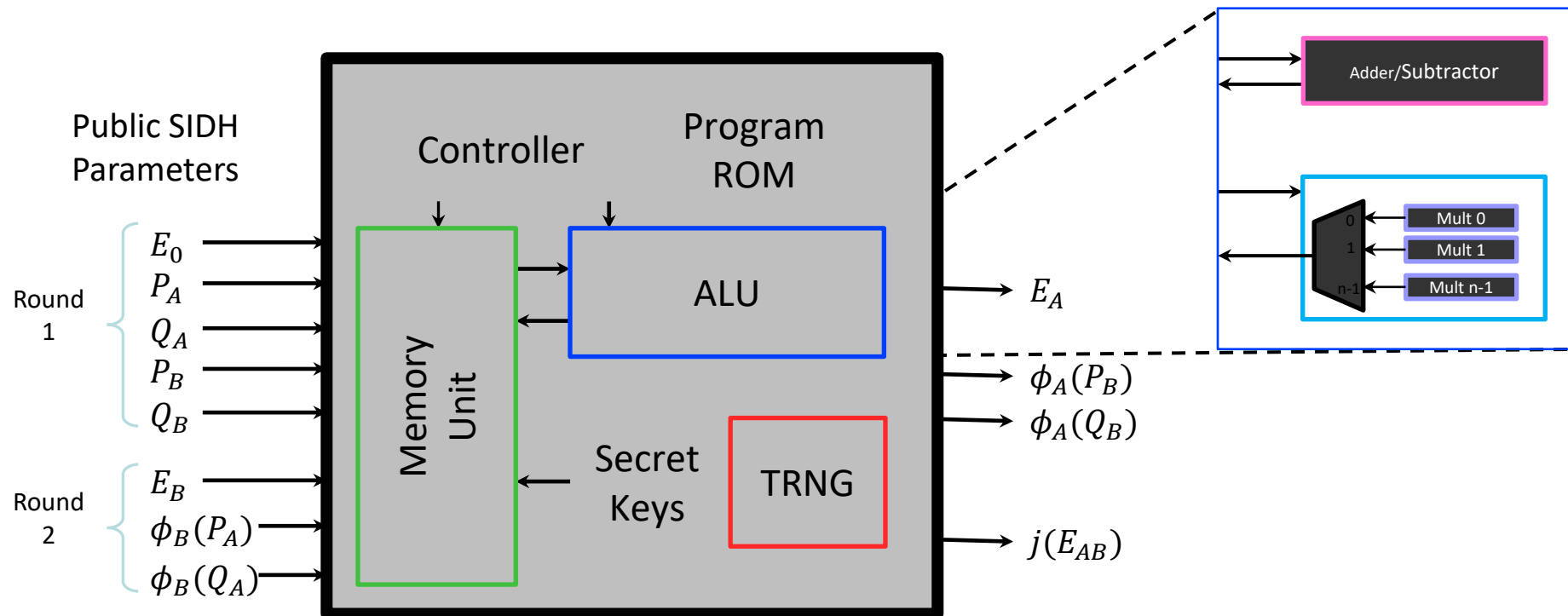
- ✓ Easy to install
- ✓ Portable
- ✓ Cheaper



Secured and Patented

Customers' IoT device

Suite-Q™: Scalable from Small IoT Devices to High Performance Applications



Microchip PolarFire® FPGA Area Results



Area results on PolarFire Splash Kit, MPF300TS-1FCG484E for NIST Level I

Area	#4LUT	#DFF	#Logic Elements	#1K μ SRAM	#DSP
SIKE Core	20,536	5,803	20,844	49	3
Total Resources	299,544	299,544	299,544	2,772	924
KeyDecap	6.86%	1.94%	6.96%	1.77%	0.32%

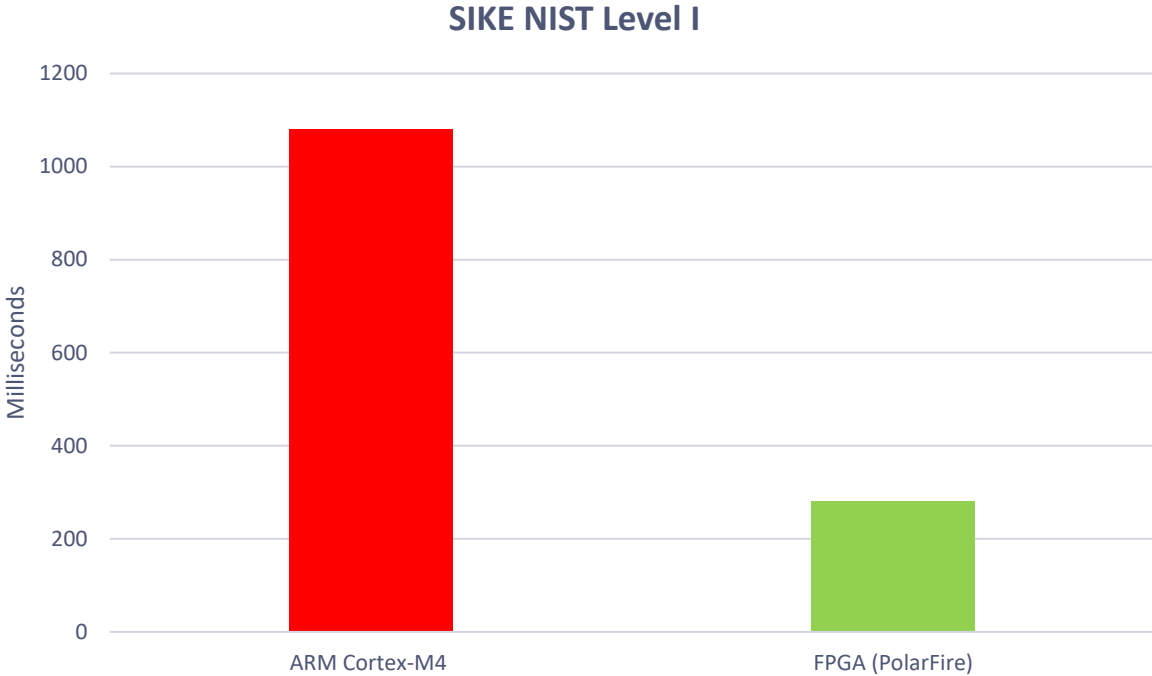
Microchip PolarFire® FPGA Timing Results



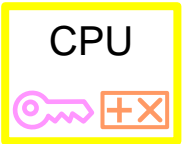
Timing results on PolarFire Splash Kit, MPF300TS-1FCG484E @145.6 MHz for NIST Level I

SIKE Operations	Clock Cycles [10^6 cc]	Time [ms]
KeyGen	1,241	85.22
KeyEncap	1,981	136.04
KeyDecap	2,151	147.70

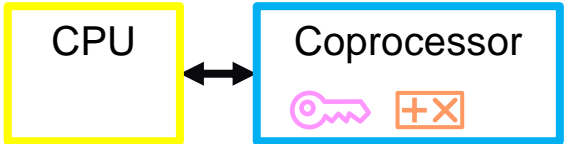
SIKE: Software Results for NIST Level 1



SW only

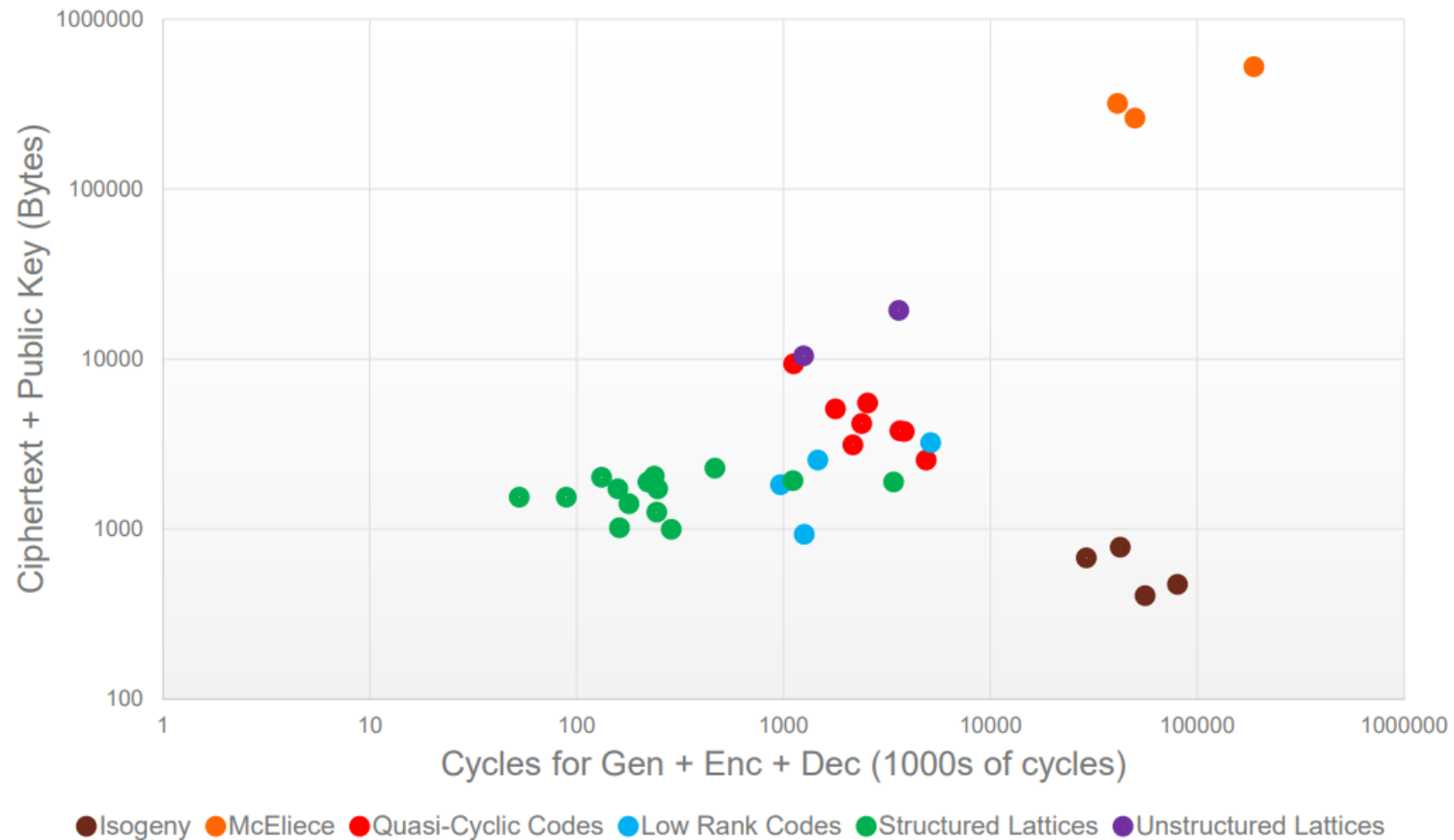


HW only



Comparisons (NIST Workshop by D. Moody)

Speed vs Size (PC implementations)



SIKE Team



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The Future of SIKE: Computational/Communication Costs

- Hardware and software get faster over time
- As hardware and software gets faster, **attacks get faster**
- **Faster attacks require larger keys to counteract**
 - RSA 1024, 2048, **3072**, 7680, 15360
 - ECC 192, 224, **256**, 384, 448, 521
- **An across-the-board key size increase enlarges the communication cost benefits of SIKE (in absolute terms)**
- **Variance in communication channels is much higher than variance in cycle counts. SIKE already wins today on desktop browsers when including variance.**

Summary

- **Suite-Q™ IP is a post-quantum key exchange accelerator**
- **Scalable architectures for optimal performance/resource usage**
- **Available in both SW and HW**
- **Available in all NIST PQC security levels**
- **Optional side-channel countermeasures**
 - PolarFire® FPGAs also come with a CRI DPA countermeasure pass through license
- **Can be optimized to your application**
- **Can run on Microchip FPGAs, Microcontrollers or Microprocessors**

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