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Overview: MIMOS Technologies

At MIMOS, Malaysia's National R&D Centre in ICT, creation takes place on compelling next generation ICT that are usable, reliable and sustainable in everyday business. Focused collaborative applied research meticulously designed into the DNA of each platform, product and solution ensure that they perform and endure in any setting and continue to spur and support existing business growth and catalyse the scalability of new green field and existing brown field ventures. MIMOS technologies are developed by 10 research and development labs that collaborate with internationally renowned and accredited research institutes and thoroughly tested in our world-class test lab.





Commercialisation: 5 Verticals

To truly quench the local market's palate, MIMOS focuses on 5 targeted market segments, namely Government, Education, Agriculture, Healthcare and Communications. These focus markets allow each segment's requirements to be understood and help nail down the issue-at-hand, drill down to what's important and address how best technology can boost the nation's progress and create sustainable businesses and operations.











Government

Education

Agriculture

Healthcare

Communications



Mi-MSCAN: Wireless Sensor Network (WSN)

Sustainable development and production of agricultural and farm produce, without having to spend excessive time in fields or farms, are of vast importance to corporations. Mi-MSCAN (MEMS Wireless Embedded Sensing, Control, Access and Networking) consists of MEMS (microelectromechanical systems) Sensors; Mote, Router, Gateway and Daisy Chain; and Precision Agriculture Management System (PAMS). These three technologies work in harmony to collect data from the field, seamlessly relay the data and display crucial data for end users to make decisions on their field.

The features of Mi-MSCAN are as follows:

- MEMS Sensors These sensors are based on MIMOS' MEMS platforms. With
 their small form factor and reliability, these sensors display accurate multisensory
 capabilities to detect and collect environment data. MEMS Sensors comprise
 temperature, micro temperature, humidity, electrical conductivity, moisture and
 pH with more in under development (integrated temperature and pH; integrated
 temperature, nitrate (N), phosphate (P) and potassium (K)).
- Mote, Router, Gateway and Daisy Chain These components work together
 to create real-time remote monitoring capabilities with low power consumption,
 eliminating the need to be present at any field site.
- PAMS PAMS allows online 24/7 viewing of field sensor data such as environment data, thresholds, alerts, network health and generates charts and reports of the data. Therefore, real environmental monitoring can be done from anywhere in the world at any time.







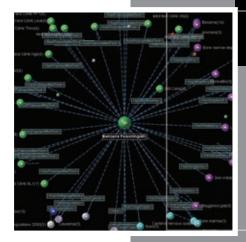


Mi-Semantic: Connecting Intelligence through Federated Knowledge

Semantic platforms currently available in the market consist of proprietary systems that often result in long software development schedules and developing programs from scratch in creating integrated information systems. Mi-Semantic (Semantic Technology Platform) is a software platform for developers to develop semantic applications. All components made using this platform are modular, web service-enabled and SOA (Service-Oriented Architecture) compliant. This enables a high level of scalability and performance and thus is able to solve complex problems via interaction between the semantic components and knowledge bases.

Mi-Semantic features are:

- Reduced Development Effort Structured with platform components, client applications and support tools, developers can intuitively create semantic solutions.
- Reliable and Scalable Mi-Semantic provides an infrastructure that is flexible and supports semantic feature add-ons and its semantic components produce expected test results every time.
- Defined by world IT standards Designed according to SOA and W3C standards, Mi-Semantic makes interoperability of the final web solution integratable with other semantic solutions and the Linked-Open-Data Semantic Cloud.







With the SOA framework, Mi-Semantic can support the development of various kinds of intelligent applications that interface via the W3C web service standard. Some of the many applications of Mi-Semantic are:

- Education Management Vertical applications to track student learning performance can be built using the Semantic Assessment Engine and the Semantic Profiling Engine from Mi-Semantic (see Mi-iLMS).
- Healthcare/Medical/Life Science Management Medical records of patients, disease databases, clinical and medical forensics, and new medical discoveries can be structurally organised for future data entry, search and archiving.
- Risk Management Growing finance sectors such as Islamic Banking, can utilise Mi-Semantic in their risk portfolio system for better-informed decisions based on linked knowledge bases. Analysis and extracting of valuable hidden information from unstructured web data creates intelligence. Social Network Analytics provides the ability to navigate, analyse and visualise the social network. Also applicable are graph manipulation operations, filtering mechanisms and visualisation techniques.
- Intelligent Manufacturing In electronics manufacturing, data such as yield, failure, reliability and customer return can be processed in one unified system to help pinpoint root causes and address issues.
- Enterprise Data, Content and Asset Management An enterprise can intelligently monitor data and
 related content across multiple knowledge base sources using various dashboards to facilitate systematic,
 easier benchmarking and measurement of performance indicators.

Mi-iLMS: Interactive Learning and Management

Education is essential especially in this rapid-moving age of IT. Children now are exposed to interactive ways of learning and are no longer confined to the realm of books and tutorial sheets. Mi-iLMS (Intelligent Learning Management System) is an intelligent learning solution based on Mi-Semantic that supports learning content portability through Sharable Content Object Reference Model (SCORM) compliance. Mi-iLMS enhances a student's learning experience via personalised and adaptive learning while education bodies can track and monitor student performance at various stages from student level to state level in a country.

Mi-iLMS has the following features:

- Student Profiling Students can undergo a series of online cognitive assessments to gauge their personalities and learning preferences.
- Personalised Learning Based on the profiling of students, customised learning materials would be created for each student. Subject matter learning experience is enhanced beyond multimedia (kinesthetic) by virtual reality (visual) and augmented reality (auditory) learning materials.
- Integrated Assessments Students are assessed on their learning performance and can gauge their proficiency. This increases the mastering of subject topics according to learning pace.
- Dashboard Monitoring Stakeholder dashboards views are available to track learning performance from students and teachers right up to education officers.











Improving the learning experience of any person and at the same time, the power to be able to monitor and control the performance of this is key to any educational or learning institution wanting to benefits its enrollers.

Mi-iLMS can be used by:

- Schoolchildren and Parents Children can pick up subjects taught in schools faster with customised learning material that follow their learning pace and parents can check how their children are doing in school.
- Teachers and Headmasters School administrators can monitor student performance and set each year's study plan and adapt accordingly.
- State and Federal Officers This group of personnel will have a direct high-level view of school and state performance for country education programmes.

Mi-SP: Ensuring Safe and Secure Environments

Safety and security of premises are paramount to private and public organisations, especially entities with high net worth of physical infrastructure. Conventional security systems, together with an in-house or outsourced security force, ensure this by personnel monitoring hundreds of videos from cameras in the operation room. Personnel are prone to fatigue, lapse of concentration and learning curves. Mi-SP (Intelligent Surveillance Platform) fills this gap by actively acquiring video feeds 24/7 for video analytics to alert users of unusual incidents and potential threats. For organisations, this improves the security level of prized assets ensuring business continuity. It also increases situational awareness and provides insights into business surroundings.

The features of Mi-SP are:

- High Levels of Detection Rigorously designed and tested in various complex environments, indoor and outdoor, achieving high detection rates and low false alarms.
- Customisable Video Analytics Rules Equipped with 10 video analytics rules and more based on user requirements and situations.
- Standalone or Third Party Integration This platform can be deployed with existing video surveillance infrastructure or integrated with third party video management systems.
- Flexible Installation with IP and Analogue Cameras Supports
 IP cameras and analogue cameras via encoders to suit investment
 budgets of end users and system integrators.
- Software-based Technology Platform Software-based platform avoids hardware tie-down and supports flexible and affordable deployments.
- **Unlimited Alerts** Alerts generated by this platform comes in audible alarms, SMS/MMS and e-mail.





Mi-Dashboard: Enterprise Knowledge Management System

Many a time, we have multitudes of application data for a particular system. For example, an organisation would utilise several different IT platforms and applications, each for their own specialty on a system which comprises different information sources and service providers. It would be more productive to display multiple application data in one single "dashboard" view. Mi-Dashboard is a framework for building integrated knowledge management dashboard solutions. A Mi-Dashboard solution is a Rich Client that displays information from a plurality of sources across the network in the form of independent and configurable widgets on a single interaction point. Mi-Dashboard works as a plug-in to Microsoft Outlook or as an independent Windows Presentation Foundation (WPF) client application.

The following are features of Mi-Dashboard:

- Widget Concept Dynamic dashboards can be created by accessing information via downloading, updating, searching and deleting widgets.
- Service-Oriented Architecture (SOA) based Enhanced interoperability between client, service and server layers via web services.
- Seamless Interoperability with Various Information Sources Information extraction and display from external sources via the Rich Client's widget layer.
- Interactive Display Intuitive drag-and-drop method and interactive panels powered by Microsoft's Windows Presentation Foundation (WPF) technology.
- Intelligent Profiling Deploys intelligent methodology to profile users and customise access to widgets.







Mi-Dashboard is a Knowledge Management Dashboard Software that typically allows a user – novice or expert – to have multiple application data from different sources and formats in a single view. This effectively manages the clutter on a computer screen while easing access to individual application data. Mi-Dashboard can be applied in the following and more:

- Government Command centre view of each department's data where information search, classification and display are made easy in a single knowledge management system.
- Healthcare Overall view of all hospitals' administrator and user data where access, analysing, management and consolidation of knowledge from a wide variety of medical platforms with differing formats are possible.
- Education Information harnessing from one logical point-of-access via a consolidated view of data and content; this acts as a digital repository accessible to students, lecturers and administrative staff of an educational institute.
- Financial and Services Sector Total view of financial data and accounts management for ease of top management decision-making.







With an intelligent tool such as Mi-I2P, business operations will be better informed and stay informed during critical moments of key business game changers. Applications of Mi-I2P are:

- Vehicle Resource Planning Vehicle allocation and fleet management based on inputs such as truck loading, peak/low periods and route information.
- Fisheries Identification of potential fishing zones based on site, weather and other key parameters where these data are able to be seamlessly linked together creating interoperability.
- Agriculture Identification of potential land disorders based on historical land data, current land characteristics and climate conditions in a common shared information platform.
- **EAI for Logistics** More intuition into a logistics chain by identifying and linking core contributing processes to quicken delivery and improve linkage between process groups.

Mi-Page: Information at Your Fingertips

The Internet is a vast library of resources that are important to the IT user of today. It is therefore crucial to be able access this information quickly and easily. A common step is to go via a search engine or web browser and manually key in the full URL or search term for an item of interest. This takes time and may be cumbersome for those who have a steep learning curve in IT. Mi-Page (Intelligent Service Delivery Platform) is a user-friendly web-based application that brings a multitude of desired contents and information services available from the Internet direct to the users. It simplifies user access to various services and information on the Internet through icon-based applications. Users can choose from a variety of applications from the application warehouse, MIMOS iBazaar, according to their preference without having to manually key-in web URLs or go through search engines. Mi-Page can be deployed on multiple devices such as desktops, kiosks and mobile gadgets such as tablets.

Mi-Page incorporates the iServe4u portal that comprises:

- MIMOS iBazaar An online application warehouse that houses all services accessible to users.
- MIMOS iCreator An online software development kit that helps application developers create their own services and applications.
- **MIMOS Mi-Clip** A content aggregation tool that allows a backend engine to automatically grab data and information from the Internet.







Mi-Page allows information to be personalised for each user and delivered based on their gender, ethnicity, age and race profile. As it is a software platform, it can be customised to suit different geographical locations and can even fit onto a smart device such as a tablet. Mi-Page can be used in a myriad of applications such as:

- Kiosk A self-help tourist or local community information kiosk with location-tailored information that assists both visitors and locals with common queries of any location instead of having personnel to physically man the information counter.
- Desktop/Netbook An education portal where teaching and learning sites are all stored in a single accessible view with intuitive icons that link to education sites and learning information sources on the Internet.
- Smart Device Customisable views of Mi-Page adds flexibility so users can customise Mi-Page to their liking on their mobile device to bring to them news and articles that they would like to see.

Mi-Market: e-Marketplace Platform

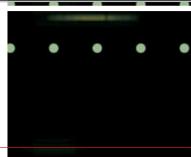
The conventional way of selling products and household goods is via a physical shop. This incurs a lot of time and effort to set up a shop to sell products to customers. Mi-Market addresses these by providing a web portal platform that promotes trade between buyers and sellers of goods and services. It is an Internet-based commerce infrastructure for all kinds of products encompassing the whole value chain. Retailers, wholesalers, distributors, SMEs, exporters, importers and logistics suppliers can meet and exchange business via this online platform with a guick and easy registration.

Mi-Market features are:

- **e-Buy/Sell/Offer** Notification of new supplies and supplies response, negotiation and request for quotation, online ordering, upcoming offers/bargains posting.
- **e-Stock Management** Inventory management, product information updating.
- e-Payment Integration with iPay88 website.
- **e-Support** Customer information management.
- e-Info Product news, announcements and activities from government agencies, suppliers and so on.
- Enhanced GUI Webpages are designed with better organised information with additional low graphics mode.
- Tools Dashboard that provides management of shoppers and shop owners, virtual assistant and social media links such as Facebook and Twitter.
- **Centralised Information** Customer service page, directory services, information centre and discussion forums and message facilities.
- Business Matching Virtual matching of suppliers and buyers based on requested products and services.









Mi-Office: Supply Chain Management Solution

Logistics movement in any Fast-Moving Consumer Goods (FMCG) industry requires thorough Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) tracking of its goods all the way from factory to end recipient. Currently, companies employ a variety of systems to do this tracking. When these are of many different platforms, this usually results in loss of goods, late delivery or goods that are packaged incorrectly due to supply chain process mismatch. Mi-Office solves the issues of SMEs by connecting business operations for better planning and management of movement of materials, information and funds along the entire value chain via an online supply chain management solution accessible by multiple types of tenants.

Mi-Office features include:

- Enhanced Collaboration Updated information of goods whereabouts and their current process status via Mi-Office web portal and via SMS.
- Entire Supply Chain View An online web browser allows users to view the entire supply chain process that includes purchasing, receiving, production, inventory, marketing and delivery where critical processes can be addressed.
- Multi-Tenant Solution All information from different partners and suppliers in the value chain can be shared and monitored on Mi-Office.
- Minimised Delays and Reduced Costs Product and material inventory status allow for order fulfilment and delivery monitoring reduces cost by accurate forecasting and tracking of goods.
- Internal Traceability Tracking based on batch number and delivery order.









With Mi-Office, areas in the supply chain network that require urgent attention can be identified and orders as well as deliveries can be forecasted thereby reducing costs of storing excess raw materials and finished goods. This reduces wastage and improves an enterprise's financial scorecard by being more efficient and responsive towards orders, deliveries and services provided to the customer and its stakeholders. Mi-Office can be applied as follows:

- FMCG Supply Management Overall supply chain view and options for changes, amendments and process owner feedback and review.
- Raw Material Management Tracking of raw material delivery and finished goods status on supply to factories and distribution centres.
- Work-In-Progress (WIP) Goods Management For WIP goods, this system is customisable to track goods/materials that are in transition.

Mi-laaS: Cloud Infrastructure

Mi-laaS Secured Cloud solution allows users of cloud services to build their presence in a simple and flexible way minus capital expenditure and leverage on existing operational expenditure. This solution consists of the Infrastructure as a Service (IaaS) platform. It allows complimentary infrastructure to be offered to end users such as rental of computing space and power on the Internet. This platform is non-dependent on any specific cloud hardware or software. Therefore, companies can use Mi-laaS and couple it with software, storage and servers from other various suppliers in the market.

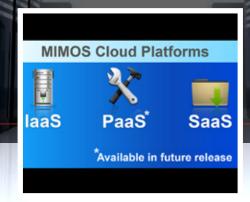
The features of Mi-laaS are:

- Open and Neutral Architecture Mi-laaS platform is built on Open Source Software. Thus, the total cost of ownership can be reduced via cost-effective licensing.
- MIMOS Patented Security Built-in with Mi-laaS is the MIMOS Mi-Trust security technology that protects both Virtual Machines (VM) and laaS infrastructure.
- Total Service Orchestration Suite The modular design of the Mi-laaS
 allows it to be easily integratable with other systems and therefore enables
 customisation by service providers. Health of the cloud is also measurable
 via cloud health analytics.
- Hardware Agnostics Most enterprise hardware can be used to build this cloud platform. This adds flexibility in deployment, maximises value and reduces risks where a multi-vendor scenario is made possible.



IT infrastructure outsourcing is now possible via Mi-laaS. Hardware such as servers, storage, web hosting, load balancing and even disaster recovery are all available on the Internet cloud and ready for subscription on a asneeded basis by clients for a minimal utility fee. IT infrastructure managing and maintenance is much easier with its comprehensive and expandable platform. The following are applications of this technology:

- Service Providers Companies who wish to offer infrastructure to end clients i.e. servers, IT equipment, storage solutions and so on can now host these offerings on their websites.
- Large Conglomerates Enterprises who wish to maintain competitiveness in the ever-changing IT landscape can use Mi-laaS to add to their existing product offering.
- Other MIMOS Cloud Platforms Platform as a Service (Mi-PaaS) for building cloud platform solutions and Software as a Service (Mi-SaaS) for building cloud software solutions.









Via Mi-SaaS, service providers can offer software for subscription over the Internet to target users worldwide. End users also benefit by not having to purchase dedicated software and hardware and maintain these themselves. The following are applications of this technology:

- **Service Providers** To boost loyalty and enhance revenue, users can be given additional options of subscribing to software services via the Internet.
- **Large Companies** Enterprises can improve their software flexibility by offering software in standard bundles or web subscriptions.
- Other MIMOS Cloud Platforms Mi-SaaS can be coupled with MIMOS' Platform as a Service (Mi-PaaS) and Infrastructure as a Service (Mi-laaS) for building more cloud software solutions.

Mi-WiWi: Beyond Connectivity

Every service provider aims to enrich Internet Broadband Access throughout the entire population enabling wireless Internet and IT services to customers, if possible, for free. Unfortunately, many solutions in the market require high cost of deployment, may not be compatible with existing infrastructure and only provide standard connectivity. Mi-WiWi Outdoor Access Device provides a complete range of products based on modular designs to cater for comprehensive solutions from a simple WiFi Hotspot to a complex metropolitan network (Metronet). The modular design provides flexibility in the choice of wired or wireless (WiFi, WiMAX, HSDPA; and in the future, LTE), provides for outdoor deployment with its robust design and has been deployed over 250 sites nationwide.

Mi-WiWi is integratable with existing telecommunications infrastructure and has features such as:

- Water and Dust-Proof These features of the Mi-WiWi ensure that the access device survives harsh environment conditions and delivers distortion-free Internet access.
- Modular Plug-and-Play Users can directly access the Internet via Mi-WiWi by simply connecting to its Hotspot. For ISPs, this access device supports fixed DSL, 3G, WiFi and WiMAX.
- Enable Value-Added Services Multicasting and IPv6 provide end users with fast streaming features of wireless IPTV, localised content or advertising, surveillance services and local community VoIP communication; generating additional sources of revenue and value to ISPs and end users.
- WeMS and OTA Mi-WiWi Element Management System (WeMS) and Over-The-Air (OTA) System Provisioning technology allow centralised device administration and updating of software releases for all access devices and related devices within the network without having to physically upgrade each unit manually.





Mi-WiWi is able to extend enterprise Internet access, local IPTV applications, local community web access and service packages to new and existing customers because of its ease of setup and affordable cost of deployment. Mi-WiWi can be applied to provide wireless Internet access in these areas:

- **Residential** Broadband in housing neighbourhoods or personal home broadband such as Kampung WiFi, which has been deployed nationwide.
- Commercial Free Internet in a shopping complex, coffee shop or campus such as Municipal WiFi in Melaka.
- Vertical Internal wireless network in a large company for surveillance, meter reading, sensor reading, port management or transportation.
- SME Free Internet access to employees of a campus or enterprise, or WiFi Internet services for a region.



Mi-Tablet: Multitouch Mobility

Affordable and easy access to information is vital to shorten the learning curve in this information age where we are surrounded by the Internet of Things. MIMOS has created a multitouch tablet PC to offer more mobility to users where regular laptops become impractical or cumbersome. It runs on Microsoft Windows 7 (with an Android option) and is equipped with Mi-Page (Intelligent Service Delivery Platform).

The following features define Mi-Tablet:

- Mobility Redefined Thin, compact and light form factor redefines "total mobility" for easy handling in a fast-moving mobile environment.
- **Simple Navigation** Multitouch input replacing the keyboard and mouse with an additional stylus.
- Service Access Preinstalled Mi-Page allows easy access to various Internet services and portals.





Mi-Netbook: Portable Computing

Digital literacy and knowledge of ICT is essential in these modern times. Everyone should be equipped with computing skills, from school-going children right up to working adults. For those who prefer a more traditional approach to using a laptop but with size portability, MIMOS introduces a netbook equipped with e-learning and educational software. Similar to its tablet sibling, Mi-Netbook runs on Microsoft Windows 7 powered by Intel's Atom Processor and equipped with Mi-Page (Intelligent Service Delivery Platform).

The following features define Mi-Netbook:

- Easy Mobility The compact and lightweight design of Mi-Netbook as well as WiFi and LAN connectivity makes it hassle-free for anyone to use it anywhere.
- Microsoft Student Innovation Suite Educational software suite that includes Microsoft Office Home and Student, Microsoft Math and more.
- Digital Literacy Standard Curriculum E-learning modules comprising computing basics, Internet and software usage.
- Performance Factor Mi-Netbook runs on Windows 7 and Intel's Atom Processor, with storage up to 320GB.
- Service Access Preinstalled Mi-Page allows easy access to various Internet services and portals.





Mi-Secure: Security Platform Suites

Understanding the most common vulnerabilities associated with application security is vital. Common vulnerabilities involve loss of productivity, non-compliance to regulation, loss of access, stolen information and unauthorised use of confidential information. Mi-Secure (Managed Security Platform and Services) secures information at every level of data storage (data-at-rest), data access (data-in-use) and data transfer (data-in-motion). It employs 256-bit Advanced Encryption Standard (AES) block cipher encryption and digital signature using certificates.

Five software suites are included in Mi-Secure for developers to build secured applications:

- Package A: Encryption Application Security (EAS) Suite Encrypts data as it travels between applications.
- Package B: Application Identity Access Suite (AIDA) Suite
 Authenticates users with multiple methods of tokens such as smartcard, pin and SMS.
- Package C: Data Audit Application Security (DAAS) Suite
 Manages logs to identify security events and write-controlled incidents.
- Package D: Encryption Data Security Windows (EDS_w) Suite
 Self-encrypts files, folders and disk-level for Windows environment.
- Package E: Encryption Data Security Linux (EDS_L) Suite
 Self-encrypts files, folders and disk-level for Linux environment.





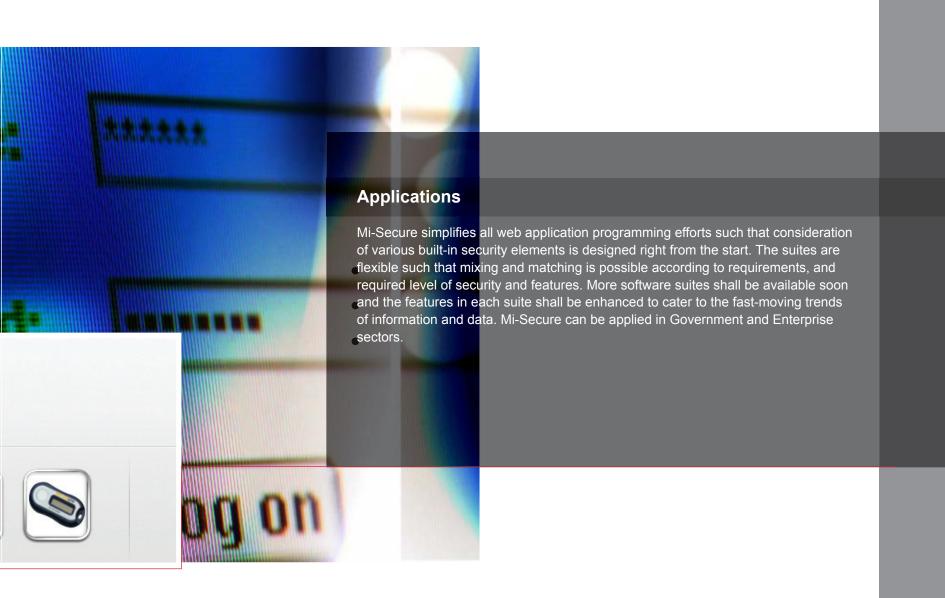


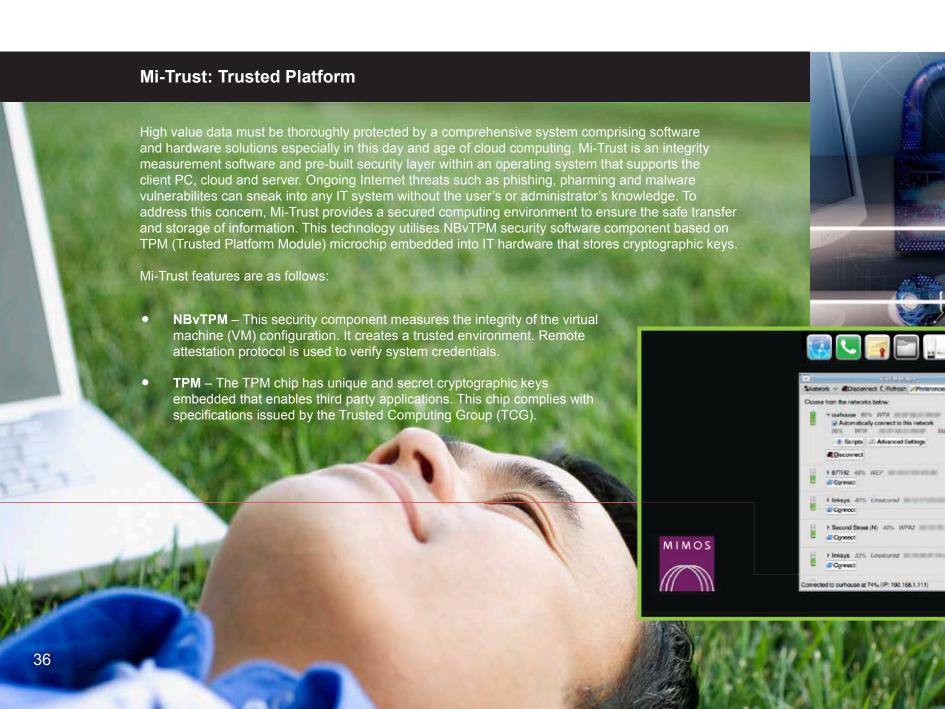
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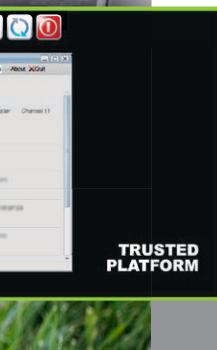












Mi-Trust creates trustworthiness of a software environment. File and application hashing can be verified against a baseline. This is to monitor any unauthorised tampering of applications. Mi-Trust can be applied to create trusted environments through the following:

- Mi-Trust Series Client Kernel-based for client physical PC
- Mi-Trust Series Cloud Cloud-based for cloud virtual machine
- Mi-Trust Series Server Server-based with features such as centralised key management and client machine attestation on desktop/browser
- Mi-Trust Series Token Token-based for mobile devices such as thumbdrives and laptops

Mi-Trust can be applied in Government and Enterprise sectors.

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