

Mobile and Ubiquitous Computing

Revision Class

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Module overview

- Ubiquitous computing paradigm
- RFID
 - Principle, middleware, network services
- Locations Sensing
- Software
 - Mobility, services
- Cross cutting theme
 - Privacy, security and trust







- Operating principle
- System components
 - reader, tags
- Middleware
 - Role
 - Single API, traffic reduction
 - Mode of operation
 - event based, filtering, aggregation







- Network services
 - ONS discovery
 - EPC DS (role, principle of operation)
 - EPC IS
 - Profiles
 - Containment





Location Sensing

- Location sensing techniques
- Properties/characteristics of different techniques
- Examples: GPS, proximity tags, EMF scene analysis
- Sensor fusion (how to)





Papers

- Mobile IP
 - Compare against traditional IP
 - Issues of managing mobility
- Service discovery
 - Characteristics
 - Examples of approaches
- Placelab
 - Techniques
 - Accuracy/advantages





Privacy, security, trust

- Issues
- Challenges
- Questions to address
 - Initial entitlement:
 - Allocation of property rights
 - Who should get the initial right to control the information generated by location sensing?
 - Coercion and choice:
 - If you want discount you will get the technology
 - Societal overrides:
 - When does society, regardless of your preference, get access to the data anyway?

