# **FERMIBO**

Unbreakable Encryption Technology

#### The Mission of FERMIBO

- Our mission is to develop and commercialize innovative and unbreakable encryption system based on true physical entropy hardware and sophisticated software:
  - tQRNG hardware (true Quantum Random Numbers Generators) creating up to 1 Gbits per second of random digits for encryption needs
  - HARD software (Hidden Among Random Digits) is a disruptive encryption algorithm that inserts a message into a stream of random bits from tQRNG
  - QEST software (Quantum Entropy Simplified Transcriber) applied to HARD scheme results in a <u>Fully Homomorphic Encryption</u> (FHE) system

## **Weakness of Current Cryptography**

- Common encryption methods are based on numerical algorithms
- Due to AI and quantum computers, existing ciphers require longer keys



Existing methods are not useful for IoT and for encrypting large sets of data

Fewer than 50% of servers and cloud data are protected by secure encryption

Fewer than 2% of data on home devices and IoT is encrypted



 Innovative solutions are necessary to provide secure, CPU efficient and convenient encryption for <u>Post-Quantum Cryptography</u> (PQC) times

#### FERMIBO's Innovative Solutions

- Our encryption method HARD uses true random numbers to maximize entropy
- Our cryptographic devices are scalable and can be integrated into IoT, connectable to PCs and networked with servers to support efficient and secure streaming and block encryptions
- HARD encryption and decryption processes are CPU-efficient, highly secure and easy to use
- Decrypting messages on any device does not require hardware, just software and a key

### **Hardware-based Solutions**

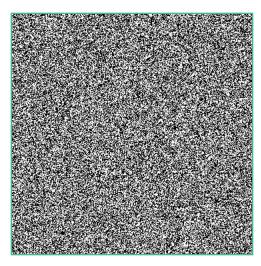
- Cryptography is all about maximizing the disorder (entropy) of ciphers
- **FERMIBO**'s tQRNG use the process of beta decay in <sup>3</sup>H (*tritium*) to generate random numbers continuously
- Advanced, tritium-based PoT (Proof of Technology) tQRNG can generate high-quality random numbers at speeds ranging from 1 Mbps to over 1 Gbps
- tQRNG are being developed in collaboration with <u>MB Microtech</u>, a Swiss company that has over 50 years of experience with and expertise in tritium-based technology
- tQRNG are easy to scale, to build into integrated chips, into USB devices, and blade servers for secure encryption
- The quality of **FERMIBO**'s PoT, which use tQRNG and NVIDIA hardware, have been extensively tested using <u>NIST SP 800-90B</u> and industry tests, such as <u>Dieharder</u> and <u>ENT</u>

#### **How It Works**

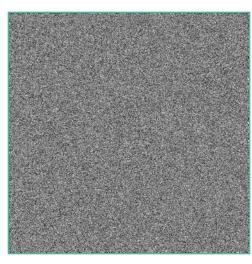
- **HARD** is an encryption software that inserts a message into a stream of random bits from built-in tQRNG; it does not use mathematical functions which can be broken by AI
- The resulting cipher resembles random numbers and can be visualized as graphics:



Original medical image low entropy



Random bits from tQRNG hardware



HARD encrypted image high entropy

## **Advantages of HARD**

- Low-power CPU and IoT devices can support coding and decoding
- High efficiency for streaming and block encoding on servers
- Longer keys do not increase computational complexity
- Decryption requires no hardware, only HARD software and the key
- The advantage for PQC era:
  - Future quantum computers will not be able to break HARD ciphers
  - 256-bit key creates 3.45·10<sup>62</sup> possible permutations to be analyzed
- HARD is FHE in combination with QEST
- It protects sensitive data, including that of the underserved IoT sector

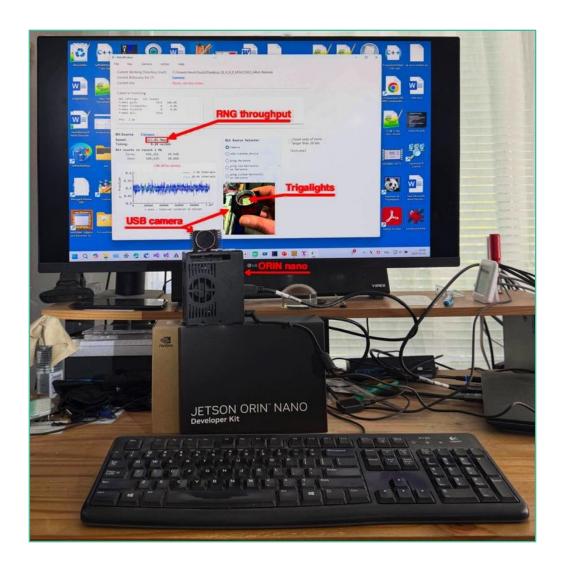
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CPU/ENERGY EFFICIENCY

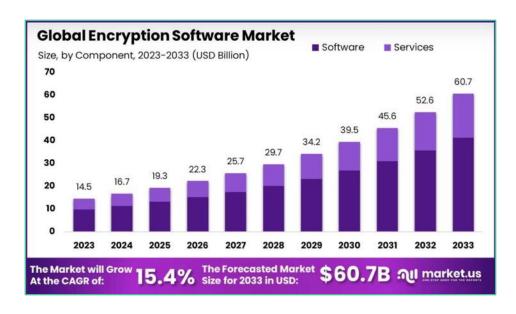
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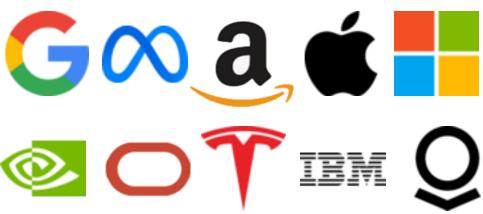
## The Current State of Our Technology

- An advanced version of the PoT with optimized software for high-efficiency random bits extraction (up to 1 Gbps) has been built and tested
- HARD software, when combined with QEST, supports the encryption for FHE on both Linux and Windows platforms
- The Jetson ORIN NANO system is under development



## **Business Opportunity**





#### Target customers:

- LLM / AI creators and users (data security)
- Cloud service providers (cloud data storage and streaming)
- Banks and financial institutions (records, blockchain)
- Healthcare (protecting patients' clinical data)
- Defense industries (all communication)
- Automotive industry (keyless entry and over-the-air [OTA] updates)

#### FERMIBO's Business Model

- Our goal is to sell customized cryptographic devices for specific needs:
  - Integrated chips for the IoT, automotive, and home security industries
  - Peripheral USB devices that connect to the PCs used by banking and healthcare clients
  - PCI cards for servers and cloud providers, such as Google, AWS,
    Microsoft, Oracle, Meta, and more
  - A combination of all these products for the military and defense industries
- In a few months, **FERMIBO** will start building contacts with potential clients and intends to use PoT for demonstrations

## Summary

- HARD is a superior encryption method based on physical entropy, that has been thoroughly tested
- QEST is a software that, when used with hardware, enables fully homomorphic encryption
- **FERMIBO**'s devices are based on tQRNG technology, which produces consistently high-quality random numbers; they also contain embedded software that supports all encryption needs
- The entire solution is based on NVIDIA Jetson technology
- FERMIBO will deliver a commercial MVP within 2 years