ARIA microHSM Secure Key Distributed Crypto Offload

The ARIA™ micro Hardware Security Module (HSM) provides a secure, simple to deploy way for organizations to adopt and off-load KMIP-based encryption for their critical applications.

microHSM benefits

- **Better approach:** PCIe based SmartNIC adapter that acts as a local HSM for the server in which it is hosted, communicating over the PCIe bus or over the 10/25G network ports.

- **Secure platform:** FIPS 140-2 Level 1 compliant code generates keys & certs out of TrustZone, securely encrypting content with on board chipset. Avoids X86 host vulnerabilities exploitable by hackers.

- **Add strong encryption to new, or existing servers, with negligible use of CPU cores:** Off-loads encryption from hosts. Allowing it to be applied on a per-app, per-tenant basis by supporting independent key trees and secrets.

- **Distributed:** Puts the HSM in the servers where you need it, ideal for per-application or per-transaction crypto operations for compliance purposes.

- **Impenetrable encryption key storage and execution:** Secure key cache and TrustZone in hardware means keys in use can’t be captured, stolen, or lost.

- **Zero footprint:** ARIA microHSM can be deployed directly within an application server, storage server or HCI solutions, eliminating the need for network connectivity to an appliance.
An innovative solution

The market has been requesting a secure, easy-to-deploy, easy-to-manage HSM solution combined with KMIP enabled crypto offload capabilities. ARIA Cybersecurity has addressed this need with its ARIA microHSM comprised of an onboard HSM application deployed upon the Myricom Secure Intelligent Adapter (SIA) PCIe adapter card.

The advantage is that the microHSM fits in any server PCIe slot, hence encryption functions can be handled physically within a given server, but logically separate, off-loaded from the X86 host.

The ARIA microHSM creates a strong security domain, taking advantage of TrustZone on our SIA, providing a trusted execution environment for key-handling operations. This protects functions, such as key creation and storage, from hackers. The keys in use are locally cached on the card performing the encryption functions, safely off the local host’s x86 CPU environment.

This is important because running encryption on the X86 host has been shown to be easily accessible to hackers wishing to access critical protected data. The keys are run in the clear, and easily captured by a hacker that penetrates the server. Once the keys are captured, data can be accessed anywhere by applications using those same keys. The ARIA microHSM prevents such harm – securely running all encryption functions on the PCIe based Card.

This powerful combination delivers:

- Up to ten times the performance in server at half the cost when compared to a network connected HSM appliance
- The industry’s most flexible but secure key management handling capabilities
- Open standard KMIP encryption with a large ecosystem of KMIP-capable applications
- FIPS 140-2 Level 1 compliance
- The ability to be deployed in minutes in any standard server
- Plug and play HA capabilities, unlike the painful configurations from legacy industry leading platforms

Application access to the key server functionality can be achieved in two ways:

1. The first, via KMIP, provides out-of-the-box integration with any application that already supports KMIP.
2. The second is through the provided REST API. Either method allows customers to build their own integrations to the key server.
The ARIA microHSM is offered in two options:

**Myricom SIA**

- **Dimensions**: 4.2” x 9.6”
- **Bus interface**: PCI Express Gen 3, 8 lanes wide
- **Form factor**: PCI Express full height, three quarter length
- **Electrical power**: < 65W
- **Cooling Requirements**: It is required that adapters be installed into servers that provide air flow over the PCIe slots.
- **Operating Temperature**: 0-50 deg C (250 LFM min at max ambient temperature)
- **Storage Temperature**: -40 to 70 deg C
- **Storage Humidity**: 5% to 90% non-condensing
- **Processor**: Network SoC – 16x, 2.0 GHz Arm cores
- **Hardware Acceleration**: Support for, and the acceleration of, various security functions, such as symmetrical and asymmetrical encryption, Line rate packet classification, Deep packet inspection (DPI), Flow generation
- **Memory**: 8-32GB DDR4, 64GB Flash
- **Network Connectivity**: Dual SFP+/SFP28 ports; 10 or 25G, 1 x 1000Base-T - RJ-45
- **Software Support**: Drivers available for Linux (CentOS, RHEL, and Ubuntu), Supports DPDK for Linux (high-performance packet processing)
- **SW Version supported**: ARIA SDS

**Myricom SIA Express**

- **Dimensions**: 2.7” x 6.6”
- **Bus interface**: PCI Express Gen 3, 8 lanes wide
- **Form factor**: PCI Express half-height, half-length (HHHL)
- **Electrical power**: <45W
- **Cooling Requirements**: It is required that adapters be installed into servers that provide air flow over the PCIe slots.
- **Operating Temperature**: 0-50 deg C (290 LFM min at max ambient temperature)
- **Storage Temperature**: -40 to 70 deg C
- **Storage Humidity**: 5% to 90% non-condensing
- **Processor**: Network SoC – 8x, 3.0 GHz Arm cores
- **Hardware Acceleration**: Traffic flow accelerator engine, Public Key Acceleration (PKA) engine 100 Gb/s cryptography engine with single-pass hashing and encryption/decryption
- **Memory**: 16GB Flash
- **Network Connectivity**: Dual SFP+/SFP28 ports; 10 or 25G
- **Software Support**: Drivers available for Linux (CentOS, RHEL, and Ubuntu), Supports DPDK for Linux (high-performance packet processing)
- **SW Version supported**: ARIA SDS
**SPECIFICATIONS**

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| **Security**   | ARIA Packet Intelligence  
ARIA KMS  
ARM TrustZone  
Secure Boot Secure Key Storage | ARIA Packet Intelligence  
ARIA KMS  
ARM TrustZone  
Secure Boot Secure Key Storage |
| **Throughput** | 2x 10/25Gb per Second  
2x 10/25Gb per Second | 2x 10/25Gb per Second |
| **Timestamp**  | N/A                                                                                      | N/A                                                                                             |
| **Regulatory approvals, compliance** | RoHS (Reduction of Hazardous Substances).  
EMI and EMC, Class A USA, Canada, and Europe. | RoHS (Reduction of Hazardous Substances).  
EMI and EMC, Class B USA, Canada, and Europe. |
| **Country of Origin** | Taiwan                                                                                  | Taiwan                                                                                         |
| **Warranty**   | One year for hardware defects and 90 days for software defects. 90 days of “getting started” telephone and email support, as well as any software upgrades shipped within that window. Refer to the support datasheet for options extending the 90-day window. Extended warranty available | One year for hardware defects and 90 days for software defects. 90 days of “getting started” telephone and email support, as well as any software upgrades shipped within that window. Refer to the support datasheet for options extending the 90-day window. Extended warranty available |
| **Ordering Details** | 25G-PCIE3-8B-2S-HSM  
SIA – Dual 10/25G Security Intelligent Adapter for Key Management. This version is configured as a Hardware Security Module (HSM) supporting encryption key management. | 25G-PCIE3-8C-2S-HSM  
SIA - Dual 10/25G Security Intelligent Adapter (low profile) for Key Management. This version is configured as a Hardware Security Module (HSM) supporting encryption key management. |
| **Cables and transceivers** | Contact your Account/Sales representative for more information on cables and transceivers that are compatible with this adapter. |  |

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