Network Traffic Security Analysis

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Network traffic security analysis is an essential basis for network security. With the improvement of user privacy awareness and data security requirements, encrypted communication technology and security protocols are widely used in network communication, making traffic encryption a general trend. In addition, network security threats may also exist in the applications and content behind encrypted traffic. Diversified network security threats make network traffic security analysis under encrypted traffic a new key research field.

This Special Issue welcomes theoretical studies on network traffic security analysis and the realization of their engineering systems. This Special Issue is focused on but is not restricted to the following areas related to network traffic security analysis:

- Network measurement;
- Network protocol analysis and reverse engineering;
- Encrypted traffic classification;
- Encrypted traffic content identification;
- Encrypted traffic QoS / QoE;
- VPN traffic analysis;
- Anonymous traffic analysis;
- Encrypted malicious traffic identification;
- Adversarial research in network traffic security analysis.

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