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### Abstract

The deliverable describes the aim and target audience of the SAFEST project's newsletters, tracks the pieces of information shared through the newsletter over the duration of the project.

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# **1. Introduction**

Part of the SAFEST project's dissemination and outreach activities in Work Package 4 (WP4) were 1-2 newsletters per year over the duration of the project. Project newsletters were used to record noteworthy accomplishments, list recent activities, publications, and exchanges, as well as announce upcoming events. The main distribution channels were the SAFEST mailing lists, while the PDF-files were also published on the SAFEST website giving it a wider readership than the list-subscribers. There were 6 newsletters published on average every 6 months. The autumn-winter newsletters usually fell into February, which is the reason the final year has 3 issues in order to publish the last issue before the end of the project on Dec 31, 2023.

This deliverable gives an overview of the target audience and distribution channels, the main topics and contents of the newsletters, as well as the copies of the newsletters in the appendices.

## 2. Target Audience

The main distribution channel for the newsletters were the project mailing lists for PIs and others (mostly ESRs), respectively <u>safest-pi@lists.ttu.ee</u> and <u>safest-all@lists.ttu.ee</u> The former had 14 subscribers and the latter 71 subscribers (as of December2023). All newsletters were sent out via mailing-list first before posting them to the website.

The secondary distribution channel was the <u>SAFEST website</u> (see Figure 1) where all the newsletters were published shortly after mailing them out. The website had an added benefit of archiving all the newsletters in one place for public access at <u>https://safest.taltech.ee/research/</u>. The website was designed to be an information platform for those who would like to know more about the project. with target audiences including such categories as:

- EU organisations involved in research and innovation in the field of computer hardware security;
- Scientists focused on such hardware security research subtopics as testing for security, reverse engineering and defences, side channel attacks, hardware-software architectural vulnerabilities, etc.;

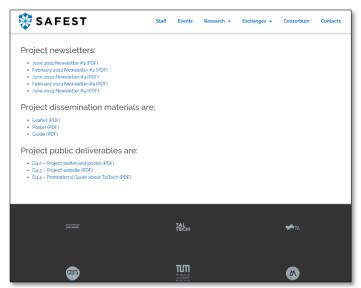


Figure 1 - Newsletters on the SAFEST website (screenshot from Nov 24, 2023)

- Representatives from the industry interested in the results of the project;
- Other stakeholders;
- Events (both physical and virtual) participants;
- General public without scientific background.

# 3. Newsletter contents

The SAFEST newsletters served the aim of informing the stakeholders and the public of the project's past and upcoming activities. Each newsletter contained 4-6 news items on 3-4 pages, mostly looking back into the period since the last newsletter, but occasionally also announcing upcoming events. There were no fixed news sections, but most of the newsletters included updates about

- Staff exchanges,
- ESR exchanges,
- Highlighted research,
- New publications, and
- Events.

Apart from the regular news items, the newsletters also featured short articles about one-off events like the launch of website and YouTube channel, project review at midterm or wrap-up of the SAFEST project.

The newsletter used consistently the same design template that was compiled for the first issue and stemmed from the colour scheme and visual identity of the SAFEST project. The newsletter was published only in English.

## 4. Appendices

#### SAFEST Newsletter #1 (June 2021) 4.1.



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#### WEBSITE AND YOUTUBE CHANNEL LAUNCHED



website is complemented by the SAF65T project's YouTu met that went live on 24 May 2021. The channel host olips a ordings from project-related workshops, seminors and off lic events. YouTube channel "SAF65T Project" is located stiffin val.com/SAF6Tropiect and we encourage you all scribe and spread the word! htt ae you all to

#### STAFF AND RESEARCHERS' EXCHANGES

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### 4.2. SAFEST Newsletter #2 (February 2022)





### 4.3. SAFEST Newsletter #3 (June 2022)



### 4.4. SAFEST Newsletter #4 (February 2023)





### 4.5. SAFEST Newsletter #5 (June 2023)



NEW PUBLICATIONS

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"Hybrid Protection of Digital FIR Filters" by Levent Aksoy (TalTech), Quang-Linh Nguyen (CNRS), Felipe Almeida (TalTech), Jaan Raik (TalTech), Varie-Lise Bottes (CNRS), Sophie Dupuis (CNRS), Samuel Paglianini (TalTech) in the "TEE Transactions on VBI". Have a look <text><text><text><text><text><text><text>

### 4.6. SAFEST Newsletter #6 (December 2023)



