

Data Link & Network Security

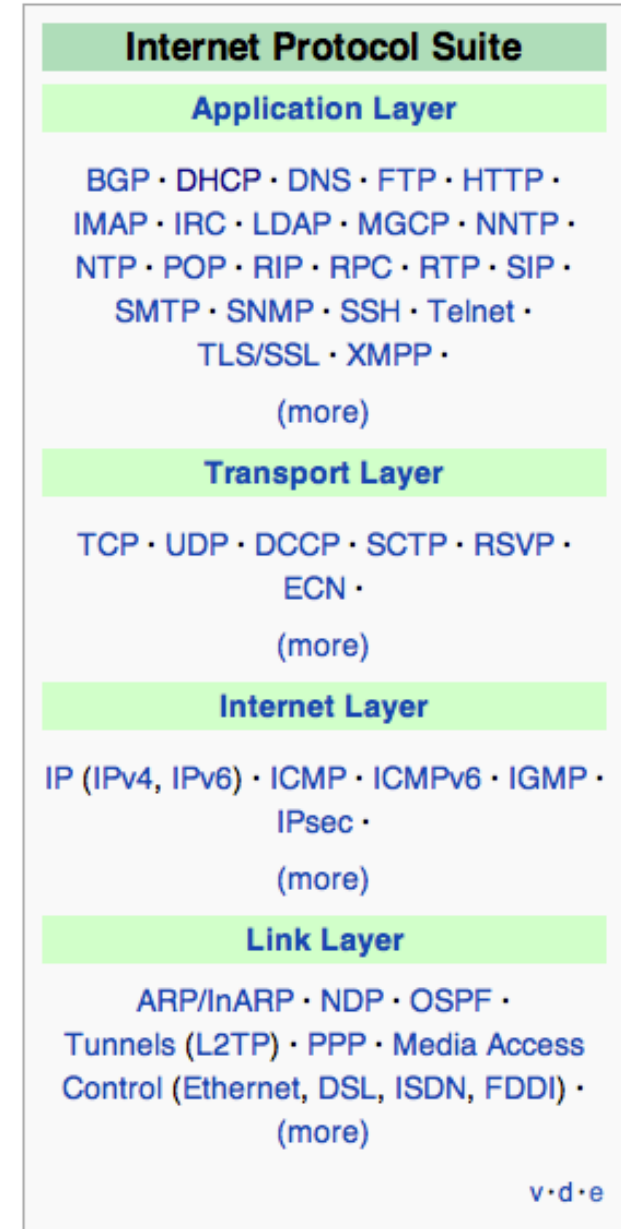
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Computer Networks – How?

Using four layers...

- Application
 - Everything else (HTTP, user applications, etc.)
- Transport
 - Ensure that sent data arrives (TCP)
- Internet
 - Addressing other nodes, routing of packets (IP)
- Link
 - Type of Network: Wireless, Cables, Protocols, Networks



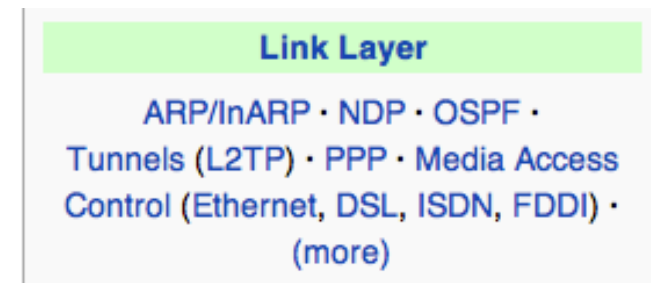
Attack Scenarios

Bloggging in Tunisia

- Assumption
 - You are a blogger in Tunisia
 - The government does not like your critical comments on Facebook
- True story happening during the „Arab Spring“ Source: <http://goo.gl/6frkcF>

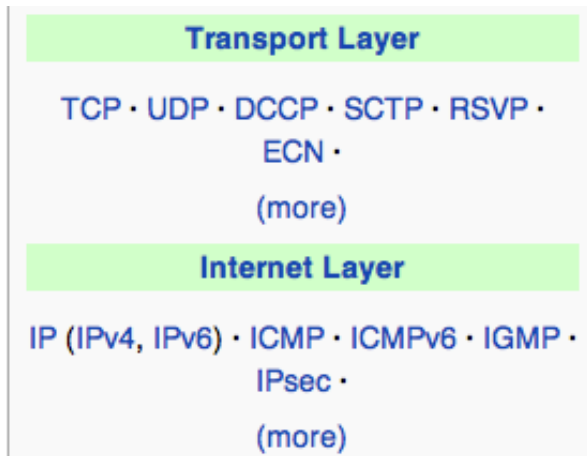
Link: Where are you?

- At home? In a café with WiFi? Using a smartphone?
- Technologies:
 - Wired: LAN
 - WiFi: 802.11a, 802.11b, ..., 802.11ax
 - Mobile Networks: GPRS, ..., HSPA(+), LTE



Network Layer – Packets

- From your computer to Facebook servers
 - Over the Internet: TCP, UDP, IP
 - Via your local ISP through the Internet to Facebook
 - In times of cloud: Which server?
 - Which links do packets take?
 - Leaking meta information?
 - User Profiling?



Application Layer

Facebook

- Web application: JavaScript, HTML, ...
- Communication: AJAX, HTTP
- HTTPS via your browser
- Communication: DNS

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GET /hprofile-ak-snc4/187700_43202447_1193426_q.jpg HTTP/1.1
Host: profile.ak.fbcdn.net
User-Agent: Mozilla/5.0 (Macintosh; U; Intel Mac OS X 10.6; en-US; rv:1.9.2.13) Gecko/20101203 Firefox/3.6.10
Accept: image/png,image/*;q=0.8,*/*;q=0.5
Accept-Language: en-us,en;q=0.5
Accept-Encoding: gzip,deflate
Accept-Charset: ISO-8859-1,utf-8;q=0.7,*;q=0.7
Keep-Alive: 115
Connection: keep-alive
Referer: http://www.facebook.com/
```

Application Layer

BGP · DHCP · DNS · FTP · HTTP ·
IMAP · IRC · LDAP · MGCP · NNTP ·
NTP · POP · RIP · RPC · RTP · SIP ·
SMTP · SNMP · SSH · Telnet ·
TLS/SSL · XMPP ·

(more)

Security overview



This page is secure (valid HTTPS).

■ Certificate - valid and trusted

The connection to this site is using a valid, trusted server certificate issued by DigiCert SHA2 High Assurance Server CA.

[View certificate](#)

■ Connection - secure connection settings

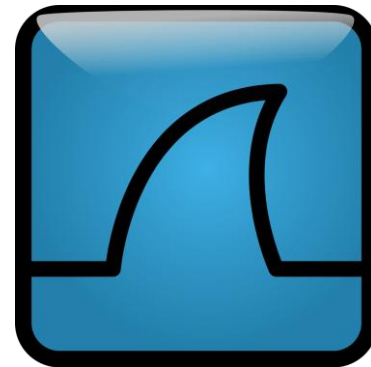
The connection to this site is encrypted and authenticated using TLS 1.3, X25519, and AES_128_GCM.

■ Resources - all served securely

All resources on this page are served securely.

Scenario 1 – Blogging in Tunisia

- **Abstract**
 - Join WiFi network
 - Fire up your browser and go to Facebook
 - Post something, read feeds...
- **Tools**
 - Browser
 - Wireshark
 - Network Sniffer
 - Captures data on every layer



Big Picture...

Application Layer

Transport Layer

Internet Layer

Link Layer

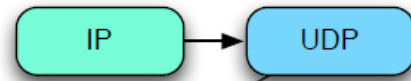
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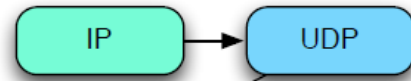
Get IP of www.facebook.com

Connect to Facebook



DHCP

ARP



DNS



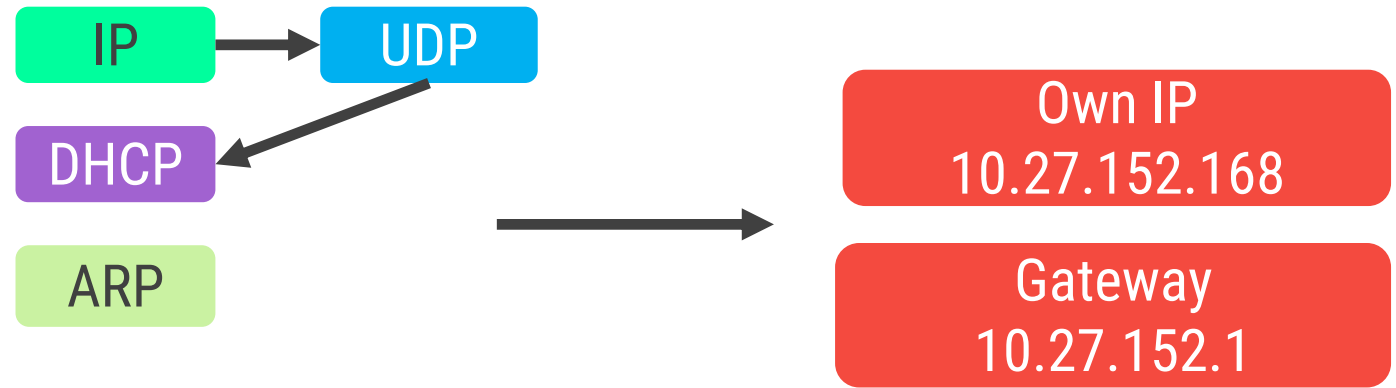
Javascript

High level Comm

HTML

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TCP · UDP · DCCP · SCTP · RSVP · ECN · (more)
Internet Layer
IP (IPv4, IPv6) · ICMP · ICMPv6 · IGMP · IPsec · (more)
Link Layer
ARP/InARP · NDP · OSPF · Tunnels (L2TP) · PPP · Media Access Control (Ethernet, DSL, ISDN, FDDI) · (more)

Join a WiFi



1	0.000000	Cisco_67:e4:9d	Spanning-tree-(for STP	Conf. TC + Root = 32768/0/00:90:21:67:68:0a	Cost = 4	Port
2	0.000007	174.36.30.8	10.27.152.168	HTTP	HTTP/1.1 200 OK (text/html)	
3	0.000936	fe80::c62c:3ff:fe15:ae5a	ff02::1:ff15:ae5a	ICMPv6	Multicast listener report	
		4:2c:03:15:ae:5a	3Com_f6:ab:8e	ARP	Who has 10.27.152.1? Tell 10.27.152.168	
		0.0.0	255.255.255.255	DHCP	DHCP Request - Transaction ID 0x34c277d5	
		Com_f6:ab:8e	c4:2c:03:15:ae:5a	ARP	10.27.152.1 is at 00:04:75:f6:ab:8e	
		4:2c:03:15:ae:5a	Broadcast	ARP	Gratuitous ARP for 10.27.152.168 (Request)	
		0.27.152.5	10.27.152.168	DHCP	DHCP ACK - Transaction ID 0x34c277d5	
		4:2c:03:15:ae:5a	Broadcast	ARP	Who has 169.254.255.255? Tell 10.27.152.168	
10	0.069249	10.27.152.168	224.0.0.2	IGMP	V2 Leave Group 224.0.0.251	
11	0.069500	10.27.152.168	224.0.0.251	IGMP	V2 Membership Report / Join group 224.0.0.251	
		4:2c:03:15:ae:5a	Broadcast	ARP	Who has 10.27.152.1? Tell 10.27.152.168	
		Com_f6:ab:8e	c4:2c:03:15:ae:5a	ARP	10.27.152.1 is at 00:04:75:f6:ab:8e	
14	0.072125	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query PTR lb._dns-sd._udp.0.152.27.10.in-addr.arpa	
15	0.072170	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query TXT cf._dns-sd._udp.0.152.27.10.in-addr.arpa	
16	0.072217	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query PTR b._dns-sd._udp.0.8.16.172.in-addr.arpa	
17	0.072262	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query PTR db._dns-sd._udp.0.8.16.172.in-addr.arpa	
18	0.072308	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query PTR r._dns-sd._udp.0.8.16.172.in-addr.arpa	
19	0.072353	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query PTR dr._dns-sd._udp.0.8.16.172.in-addr.arpa	
20	0.072399	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query PTR lb._dns-sd._udp.0.8.16.172.in-addr.arpa	
21	0.072444	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query TXT cf._dns-sd._udp.0.8.16.172.in-addr.arpa	

Where is Facebook?

555	9.230178	10.27.152.168	10.27.152.255	NDNS	Registration ND WORKGROUPS167
556	9.593170	IntelCor_4d:34:be	Broadcast	ARP	Gratuitous ARP for 10.27.152.159 (Request)
557	9.827137	Cisco_67:e4:9d	Spanning-tree-(for	STP	Conf. TC + Root = 32768/0/00:90:21:67:68:0a
558	10.34513	fe80::1179:aac2:eb1a:9ca	ff02::1:2	DHCPv6	Solicit
559	10.48143	HonHaiPr_80:0b:f6	Broadcast	ARP	Who has 10.27.152.1? Tell 10.27.152.113
560	10.96630	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query A www.facebook.com
561	10.96735	129.27.142.23	10.27.152.168	DNS	Standard query response A 66.220.158.32
562	10.96735	10.27.152.168	66.220.158.32	TCP	58738 > http [SYN] Seq=0 Win=65535 Len=0 MS
563	11.07537	66.220.158.32	10.27.152.168	TCP	http > 58738 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=1 Win=438
564	11.07552	10.27.152.168	66.220.158.32	TCP	58738 > http [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 Win=524280 L
565	11.07623	10.27.152.168	66.220.158.32	HTTP	GET / HTTP/1.1

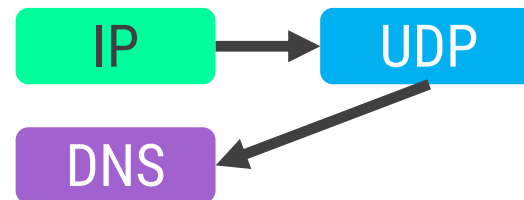
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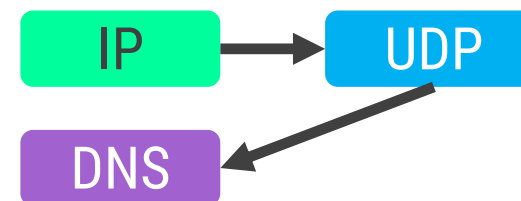
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▶ Frame 560 (76 bytes on wire, 76 bytes captured)
▶ Ethernet II, Src: c4:2c:03:15:ae:5a (c4:2c:03:15:ae:5a), Dst: 3Com_f6:ab:8e (00:04:75:f6:ab:8e)
▼ Internet Protocol, Src: 10.27.152.168 (10.27.152.168), Dst: 129.27.142.23 (129.27.142.23)
  Version: 4
  Header length: 20 bytes
  ▶ Differentiated Services Field: 0x00 (DSCP 0x00: Default; ECN: 0x00)
    Total Length: 62
    Identification: 0xfdb7 (64951)
  ▶ Flags: 0x00
    Fragment offset: 0
    Time to live: 255
    Protocol: UDP (0x11)
  ▶ Header checksum: 0x0c01 [correct]
    Source: 10.27.152.168 (10.27.152.168)
    Destination: 129.27.142.23 (129.27.142.23)
▼ User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 49766 (49766), Dst Port: domain (53)
  Source port: 49766 (49766)
  Destination port: domain (53)
  Length: 42
  ▶ Checksum: 0xb28f [validation disabled]
▼ Domain Name System (query)
  [Response In: 561]
  Transaction ID: 0xe278
  ▶ Flags: 0x0100 (Standard query)
  Questions: 1
  Answer RRs: 0
  Authority RRs: 0
  Additional RRs: 0
▼ Queries
  ▼ www.facebook.com: type A, class IN
    Name: www.facebook.com
    Type: A (Host address)
    Class: IN (0x0001)
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Which IP does
Facebook have?

Let's ask the DNS server
129.27.142.23



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▷ Frame 561 (92 bytes on wire, 92 bytes captured)
▷ Ethernet II, Src: 3Com_f6:ab:8e (00:04:75:f6:ab:8e), Dst: c4:2c:03:15:ae:5a (c4:2c:03:15:ae:5a)
▷ Internet Protocol, Src: 129.27.142.23 (129.27.142.23), Dst: 10.27.152.168 (10.27.152.168)
▷ User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: domain (53), Dst Port: 49766 (49766)
▽ Domain Name System (response)
  \[Request In: 560\]
  [Time: 0.000758000 seconds]
  Transaction ID: 0xe278
  ▷ Flags: 0x8180 (Standard query response, No error)
  Questions: 1
  Answer RRs: 1
  Authority RRs: 0
  Additional RRs: 0
  ▾ Queries
    ▾ www.facebook.com: type A, class IN
      Name: www.facebook.com
      Type: A (Host address)
      Class: IN (0x0001)
  ▾ Answers
    ▾ www.facebook.com: type A, class IN, addr 66.220.158.32
      Name: www.facebook.com
      Type: A (Host address)
      Class: IN (0x0001)
      Time to live: 42 seconds
      Data length: 4
      Addr: 66.220.158.32
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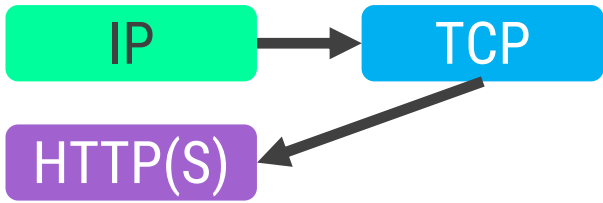


The answer is
66.220.158.32

Let's Login

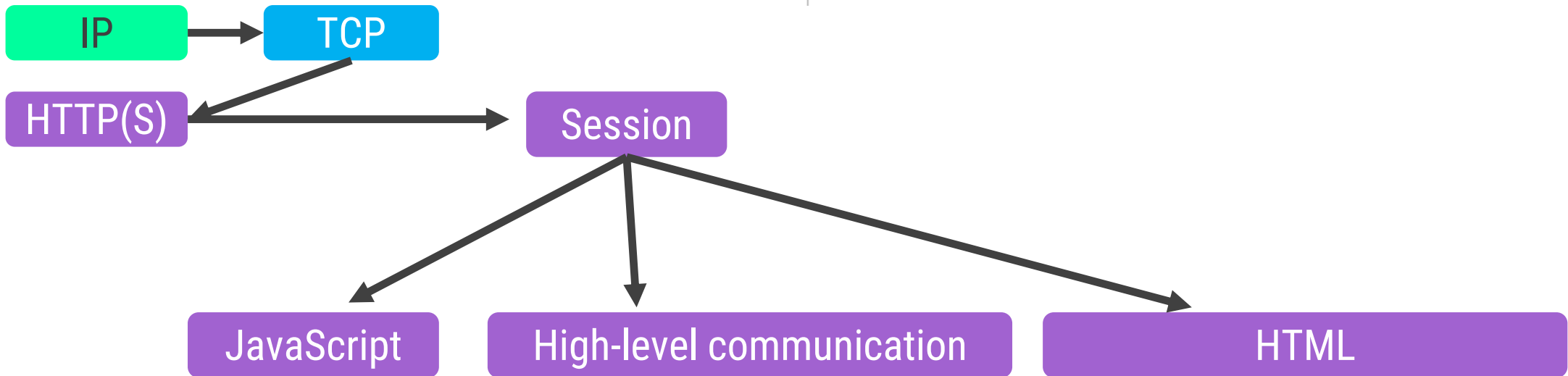
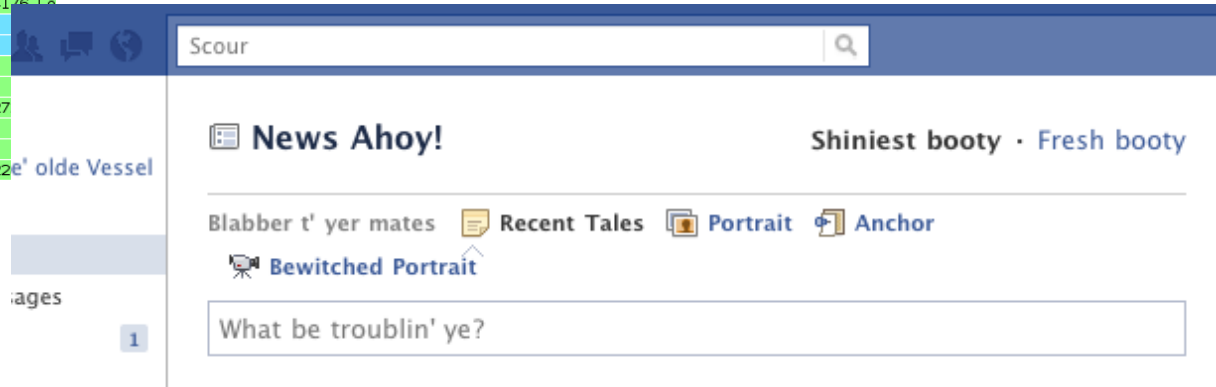
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11.07622	10.27.152.168	66.220.158.32	HTTP	GET / HTTP/1.1
11.124770	66.220.158.32	10.27.152.168	TCP	[TCP segment of a reassembled PDU]
11.24777	10.27.152.168	66.220.158.32	TCP	58738 > http [ACK] Seq=364 Ack=1449 Win=524176 Le
11.24780	10.27.152.168	66.220.158.32	TCP	58738 > http [ACK] Seq=364 Ack=2897 Win=522728 Le
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11.26500	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query A static.ak.fbcdn.net
11.26605	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query A b.static.ak.fbcdn.net
11.35529	66.220.158.32	10.27.152.168	TCP	[TCP segment of a reassembled PDU]
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11.35571	66.220.158.32	10.27.152.168	TCP	753 18.61096: 66.220.158.32 10.27.152.168 TCP https > 58743 [SYN, ACK] Seq=0 Ack=
11.35582	66.220.158.32	10.27.152.168	TLSv1	754 18.61111: 10.27.152.168 66.220.158.32 TCP 58743 > https [ACK] Seq=1 Ack=1 W: Client Hello
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761	18.83506	10.27.152.168	66.220.158.32	TCP	58743 > https [ACK] Seq=164 Ack=4:
762	18.83504	10.27.152.168	66.220.158.32	TLSv1	Client Key Exchange
763	18.83506	10.27.152.168	66.220.158.32	TLSv1	Change Cipher Spec
764	18.83508	10.27.152.168	66.220.158.32	TLSv1	Encrypted Handshake Message
765	18.94248	66.220.158.32	10.27.152.168	TCP	https > 58743 [ACK] Seq=4419 Ack=:
766	18.94248	66.220.158.32	10.27.152.168	TLSv1	Change Cipher Spec, Encrypted Han
767	18.94248	10.27.152.168	66.220.158.32	TCP	58743 > https [ACK] Seq=350 Ack=4:
768	18.94329	10.27.152.168	66.220.158.32	TLSv1	Application Data
769	18.94343	10.27.152.168	66.220.158.32	TLSv1	Application Data



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11.35571'	66.220.158.32	10.27.152.168	TCP	[TCP segment of a reassembled PDU]
11.35582'	66.220.158.32	10.27.152.168	HTTP	HTTP/1.1 200 OK (text/html)
11.35586'	10.27.152.168	66.220.158.32	TCP	58738 > http [ACK] Seq=364 Ack=10032 Win=5227



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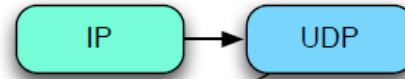
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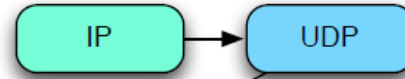
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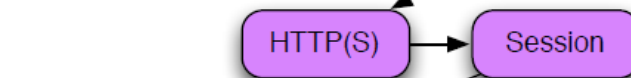


DHCP

ARP



DNS



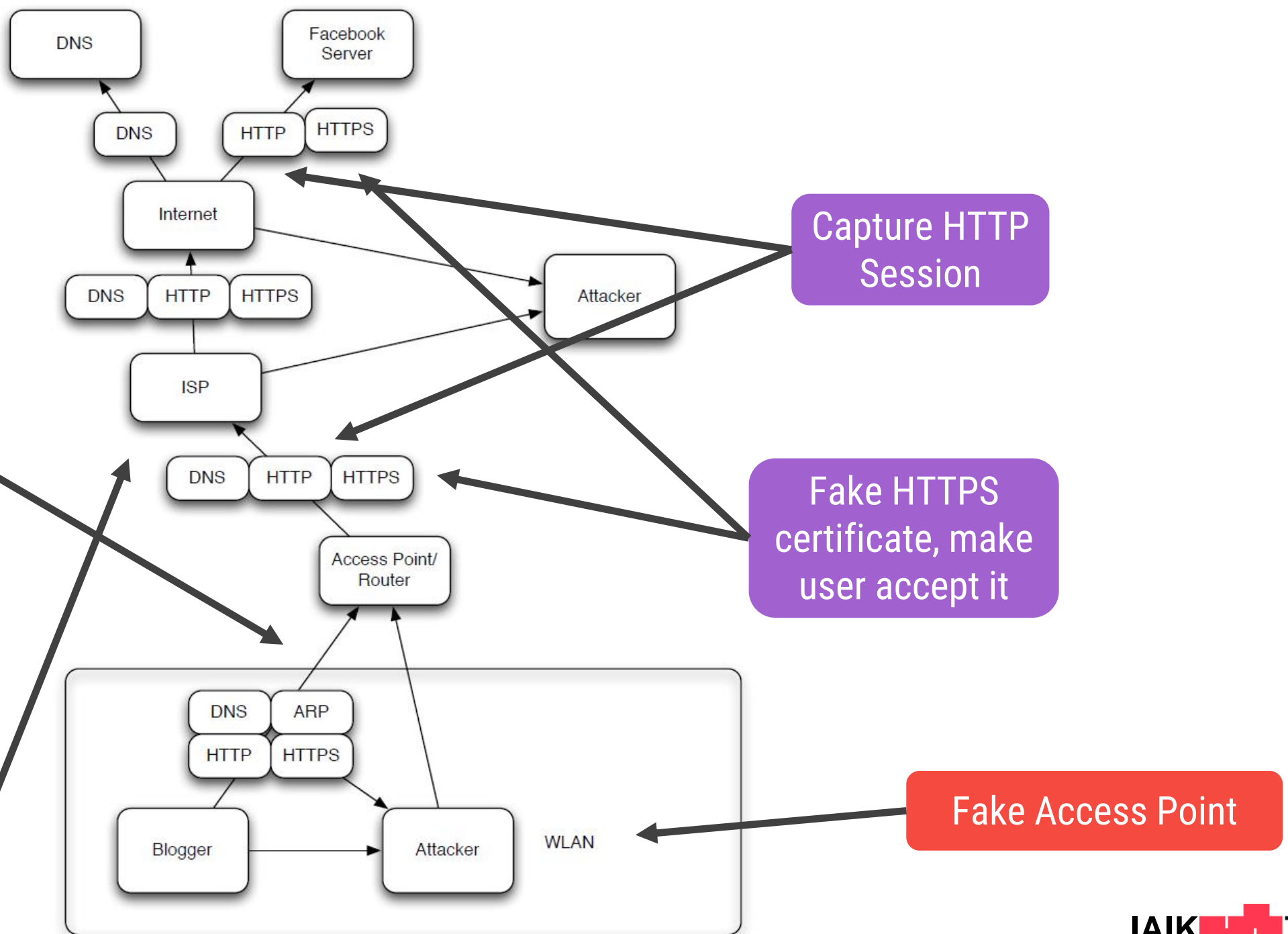
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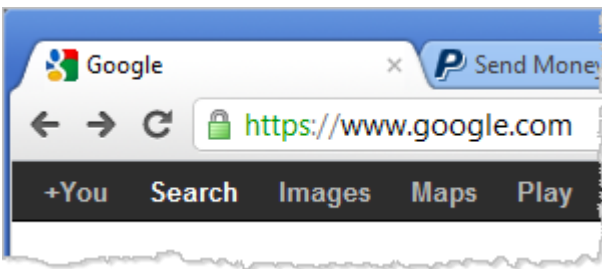
Attacks



Attack – Open WLAN

How?

- a) Join WLAN,
start **ARP Poisoning**
- b) Create own AP
– E.g. with smartphone...



Client



Attacker

- Sniff data
- Manipulate data
- Attack HTTPS connections



<http://www.apple.com>
<http://www.microsoft.com>
<https://www.google.com>

Attack – Sniff data

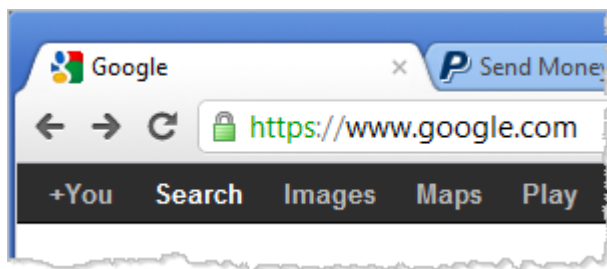
Unencrypted (HTTP)

- Credentials, cookies, content
- Derive usage patterns
 - Which hosts visited?
 - Called URLs?



Encrypted (HTTPS)

- Find out communication partners (IP addresses)

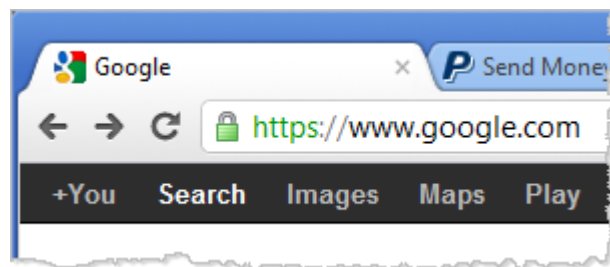


<http://www.apple.com>
<http://www.microsoft.com>
<https://www.google.com>

Client

Attack – Manipulate data

- Fake DNS replies
 - Reroute traffic to malware page
- Manipulate content
 - **Unencrypted**, e.g.
 - Inject JavaScript
 - Change links (SSLstrip)
 - **Encrypted**
 - Fake certificates (MITM)



Client



Attack – HTTPS Traffic

...by faking server certificates

The problem

- Users often accept invalid certificates anyway
- We have ~130 certificate authorities (CA) in our browsers' trust stores
 - They are not equally rigid when issuing certificates
 - Certificate could be obtained and misused
- Especially with mobile apps
 - Can overwrite certificate validation routines
 - Many apps silently (without warning) accept invalid certificates

Back in Tunisia...

Attacks in 2011/2012

- Facebook was largely HTTP
- HTTPS only
 - For login (password protection)
 - If explicitly requested (<https://www.facebook.com>)
- Tunisia had a national (stated-owned) ISP

Scenario

- ISP has access to Facebook HTTP transmissions
- Injects JavaScript code into Facebook logon page
- JS in your browser reads entered user and password → posts it to non-existing URI, e.g. <http://www.facebook.com/fake/user/password>
- ISP catches HTTP URLs and reads out user/password

Scenario 1 - Turkey (2014)

Situation: Government decides to block Twitter

How?

- Send orders to every national ISP
- Task: Any DNS request to *.twitter.com should not be resolved

Remedy: Change your ISP's DNS servers to use alternatives, e.g. from Google or OpenDNS



Turkey cont. (2014)

New situation: Government decides to block Google's DNS servers

How?

On AS 9121(TurkTelecom)
re-route all traffic to 8.8.8.8
to 212.156.253.130 instead.
→ BGP Hijacking

Null routing would break
connectivity for all users of 8.8.8.8

Source: <https://goo.gl/x31tCE>

```
show router bgp routes 8.8.8.8
```

```
=====
```

```
BGP Router ID:212.156.116.127 AS:9121 Local AS:9121
```

```
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```

```
Legend -
```

```
Status codes : u - used, s - suppressed, h - history, d - decayed, * - valid  
Origin codes : i - IGP, e - EGP, ? - incomplete, > - best, b - backup
```

```
=====
```

```
BGP IPv4 Routes
```

```
=====
```

```
Flag Network LocalPref MED
```

```
NextHop Path-Id VPNLabel
```

```
As-Path
```

```
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```

```
u*>? 8.8.8.8/32 100 None
```

```
212.156.253.130 None -
```

```
No As-Path
```

```
*? 8.8.8.8/32 100 None
```

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212.156.253.130 None -
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No As-Path
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```
Routes : 2
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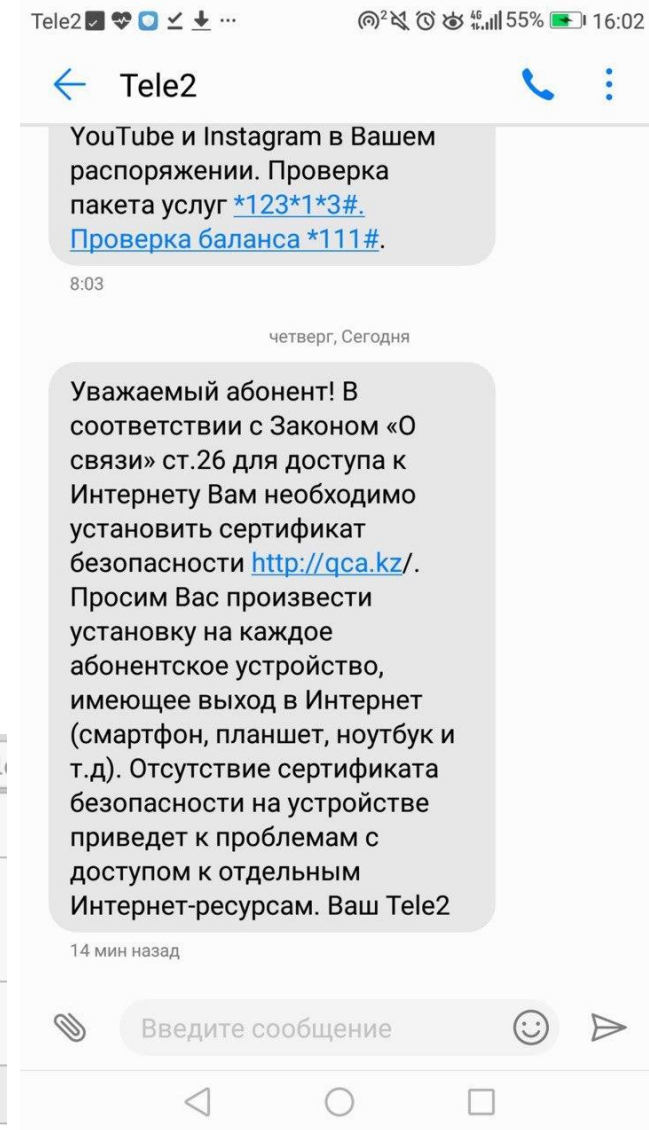
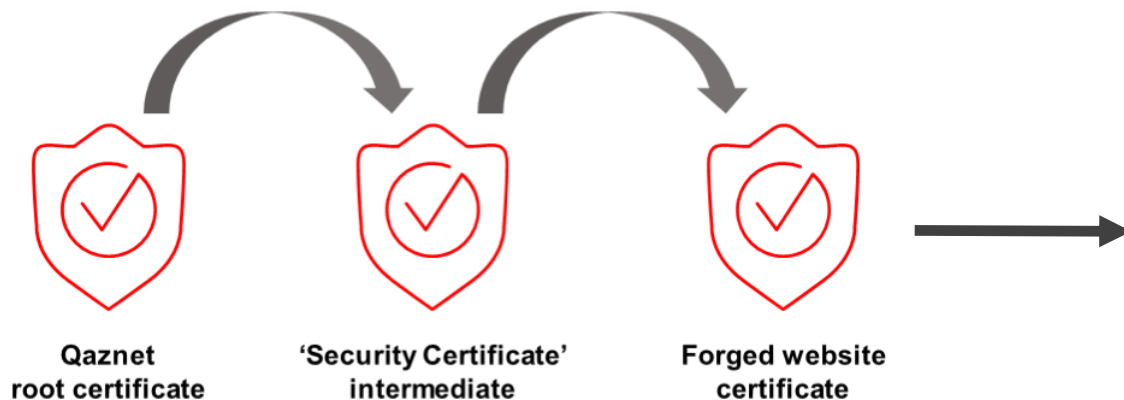
← We would expect to see 8.8.8.0/24 here
originated by AS 15169.

← This is the proof of Turk Telekom
hijacking Google DNS.

Scenario 2 – Kazakhstan (2019)

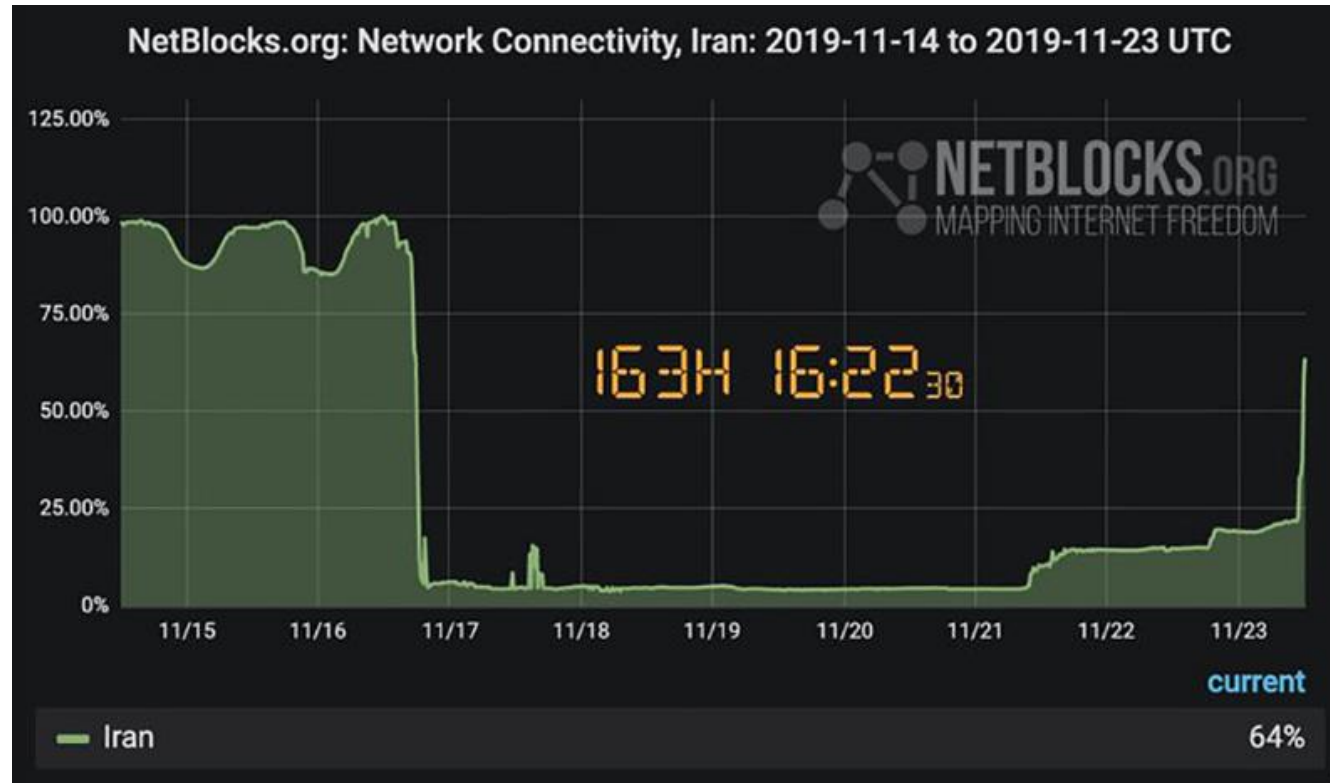
- Government requires citizens to install trust anchor
 - Law to „improve nation’s security“
- In 07/2019 users receive SMS with request to visit qca.kz and install a certificate from „Qaznet Trust Network“

→ How to prevent/bypass this attack? :-)



Scenario 4 – Iran (2019)

Within 24h → government sends shutdown requests to all ISPs



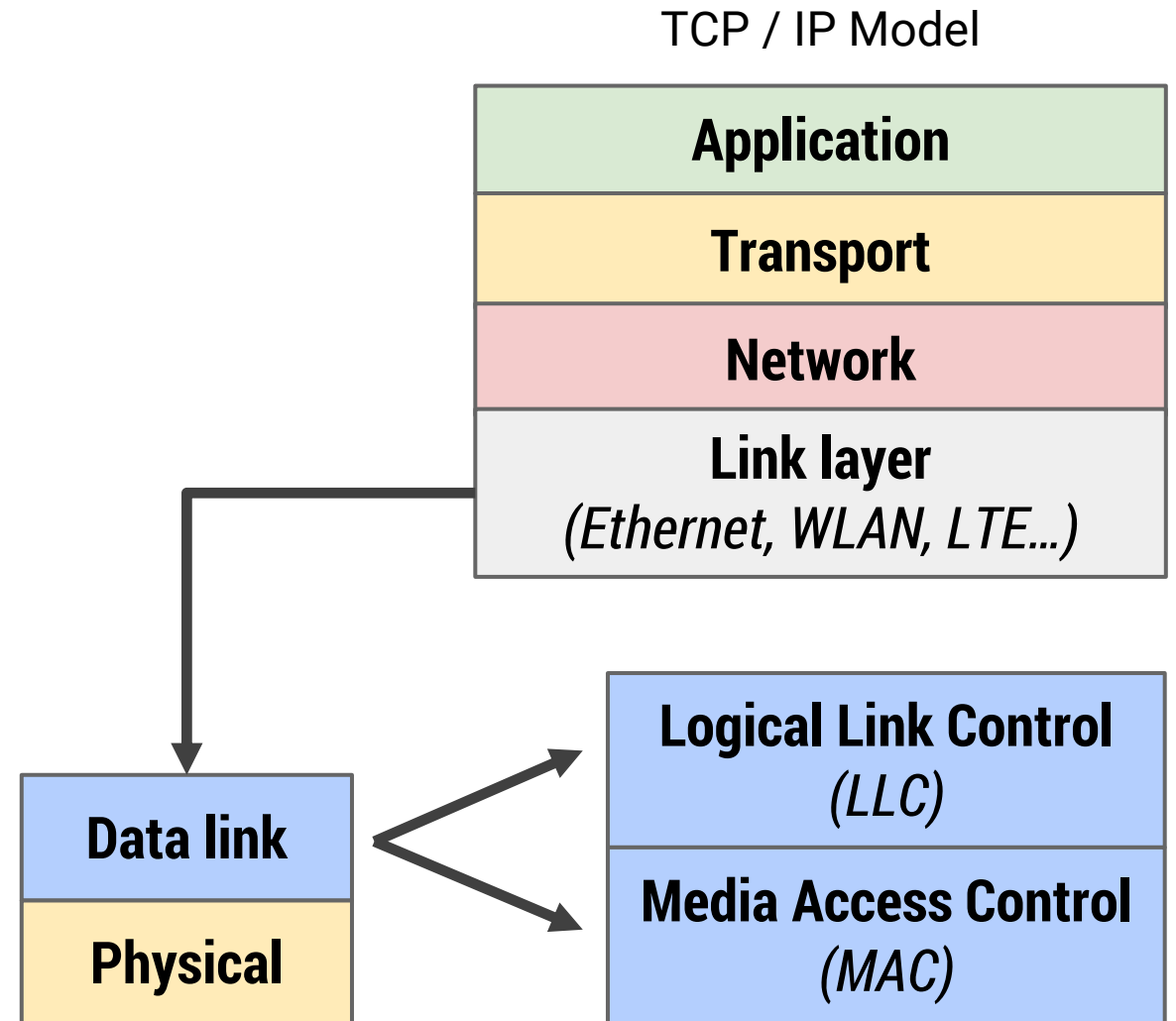
Source: <https://goo.gl/x31tCE>

1. Only downlinks blocked, uplinks still worked
2. Everything blocked

Techniques

Review: Link Layer

- IEEE 802
 - Logical Link Control (LLC)
 - Media Access Control (MAC)
 - Ethernet (LAN)
 - Frame Collisions
 - VLANs
- Cables, Hubs, Switches
- Wireless Networks
 - Basics: CSMA/CA, Channels
 - Attacks



Switch / Hub – Security

Hub attack

- Every node sees whole traffic
- Sniffing is easy by setting network card into „promiscuous mode“

Switch attacks

- MAC Flooding
 - Flood switch with fake MAC addresses until memory exhausted
 - Switch then changes mode and behaves like hub
- MAC Spoofing
 - Fake foreign MAC address. Switch then redirects traffic to port of attacker
- ARP Poisoning

Attacks on Switched Networks

- MAC Flooding
 - Flood switch with fake MAC addresses until memory exhausted
 - Switch then changes mode and behaves like hub
- MAC Spoofing
 - Emulate foreign MAC address
 - Targets the SAT of the switch
- **ARP Poisoning** / Spoofing
 - Targets other clients

MAC Spoofing

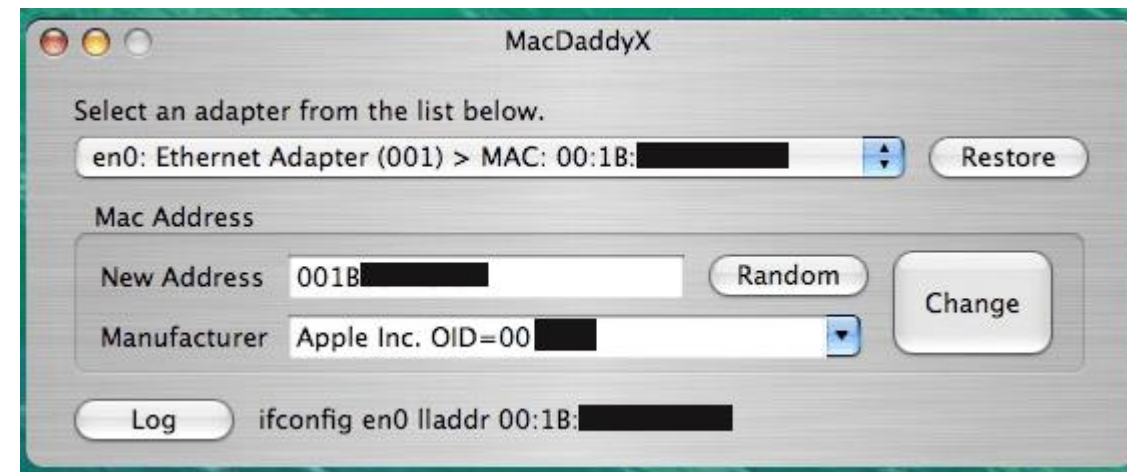
Workflow

1. Attacker forges MAC address of victim host
 - Switch refreshes SAT mapping: MAC address <-> switch port
2. Switch redirects incoming frames to attacker
3. Works until victim sends new frame

Purpose

- Can suffice to capture credentials
- Denial-of-Service (DoS) attack
 - Prevent IP connectivity with spoofed victims
- Fake identity in WiFis that require username / password

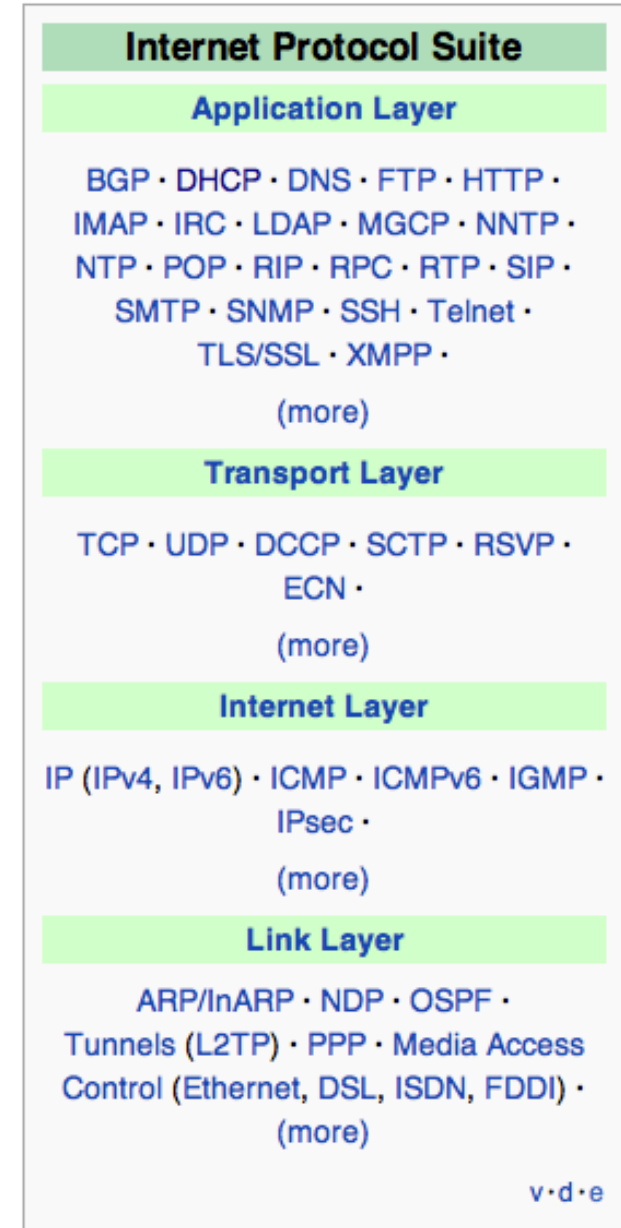
See: <https://goo.gl/l8AOKL>



Review: TCP / UDP

- Service provisioned to higher layers through ports
 - Port 80 for HTTP, 443 for HTTPS / TLS, 21 for FTP, ...
- Session: Communication client / server via socket pair
 - TCP: Established after fulfilling a handshake
 - Connection-oriented
 - Reliable → error detection, flow & congestion control
 - UDP: Identified on higher layer, e.g. using session cookies
 - Connection-less
 - Unreliable → sender does not know if destination reached
 - No congestion control

HTTP!



TCP Scanning

Portscan → Check whether specific ports are open on host

How?

- TCP SYN Scan - „Half-open“ scanning
 - Attacker sends SYN packet
 - If server answers with SYN/ACK packet → port open
 - If server answers with RST packet → port closed
 - Attacker sends RST packet instead of ACK
- TCP FIN Scan
 - Attacker sends FIN packet
 - If port is open → server ignores FIN packet
 - If port is closed → server answers with RST packet

Nmap

Leading tool for portscanning: <https://nmap.org/>

Features include

- IP & Port Scans – UDP / TCP (SYN, FIN Scanning)
- OS Fingerprinting
 - Determine running OS by checking reaction to uncommon packets
 - Use of reserved flags in TCP header
 - Use of weird flag combination
 - Selection of initial SEQ numbers
 - Analysis to ICMP responses
 - Each TCP/IP implementation is different in handling corner cases

Source: <http://goo.gl/XPe00k>

```
mass_dns: warning: Unable to determine any DNS servers. Reverse DNS is disabled.
Try using --system-dns or specify valid servers with --dns-servers
Nmap scan report for 192.168.89.191
Host is up (0.0012s latency).
Not shown: 986 closed ports
PORT      STATE      SERVICE
53/udp    open      domain
123/udp   open|filtered ntp
135/udp   open      msrpc
137/udp   open      netbios-ns
138/udp   open|filtered netbios-dgm
161/udp   open|filtered snmp
445/udp   open|filtered microsoft-ds
500/udp   open|filtered isakmp
1029/udp  open      solid-mux
1031/udp  open|filtered iad2
1036/udp  open      nsstp
1434/udp  open|filtered ms-sql-m
3456/udp  open|filtered IISrpc-or-vat
4500/udp  open|filtered nat-t-ike
MAC Address: 00:0C:29:18:6B:DB (VMware)

Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 1.43 seconds
root@kali:~#
```

Attack: SYN Flooding

Very common DoS attack!

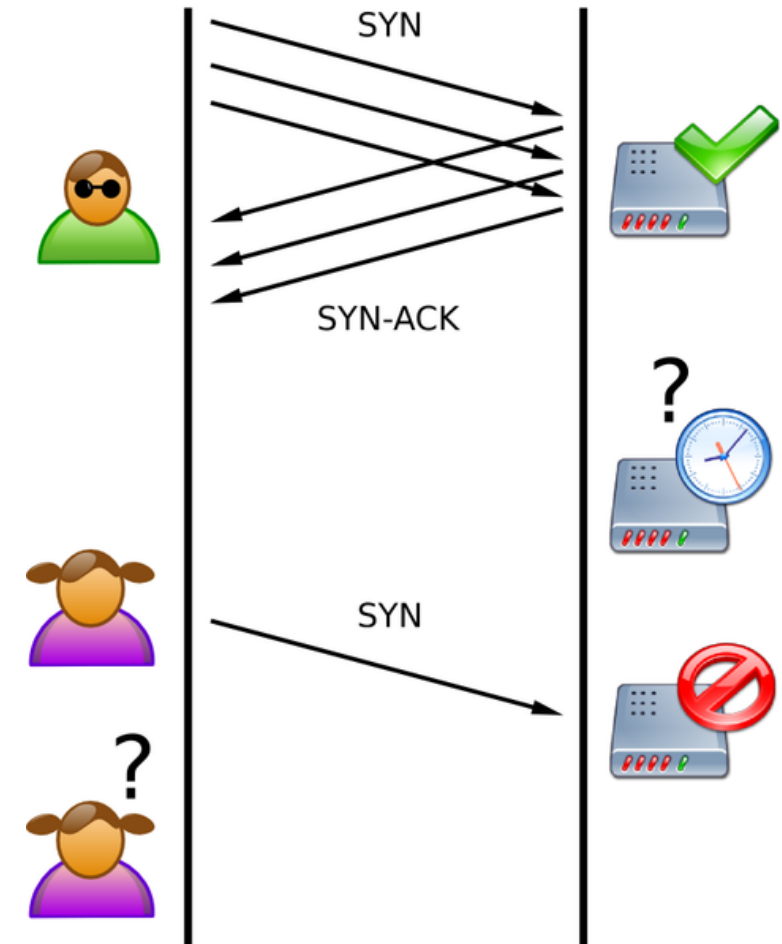
Idea

1. Attacker starts handshake with SYN segment
2. Victim replies with SYN-ACK
→ Allocates data structures (reassembly buffer, etc.)
3. Attacker host stays silent

Problem:

Hosts can only keep limited number of TCP connections in *half-open* state to limit memory usage → after that limit, no more connections accepted!

Solution (not always): Drop half-open connections (FIFO), SYN cookies

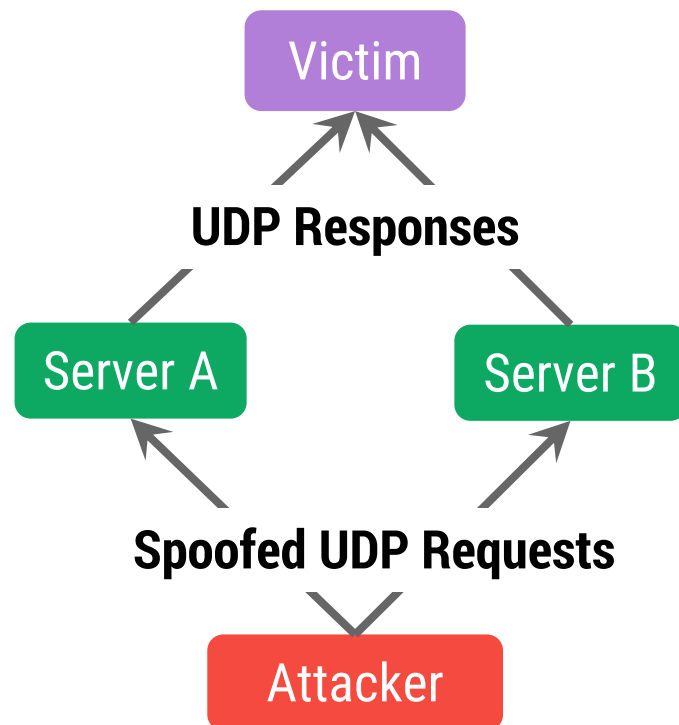


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Attack: UDP Reflection Attack

Distributed Denial of Service attack

→ Send packets with forged source IP address and let server answer large replies to victim



Basic Workflow

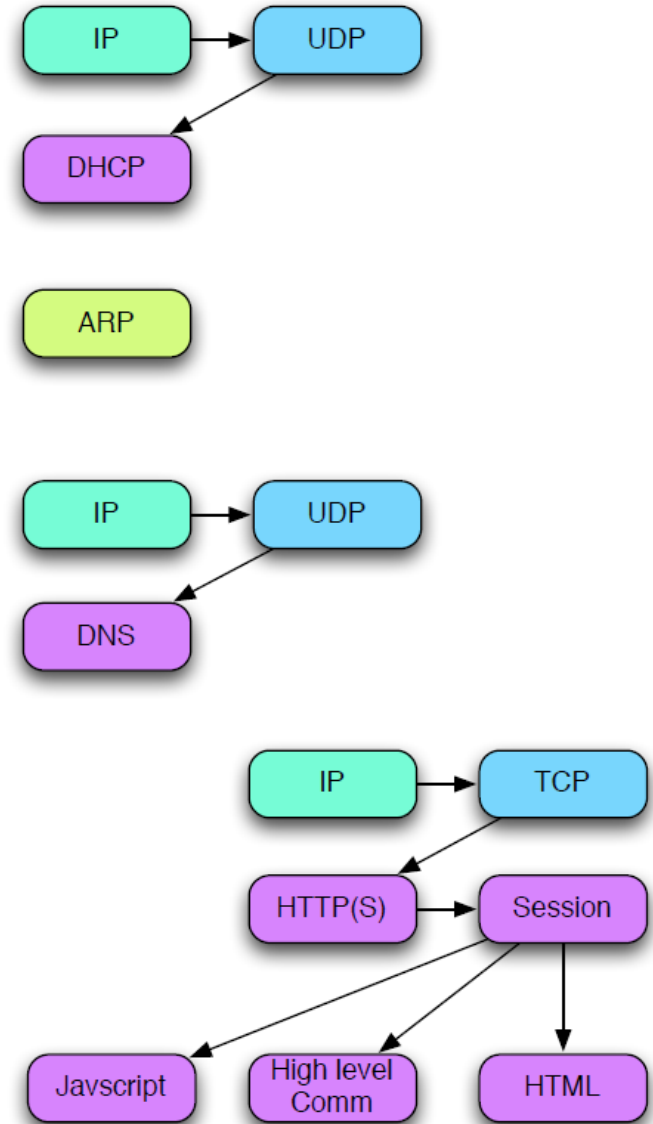
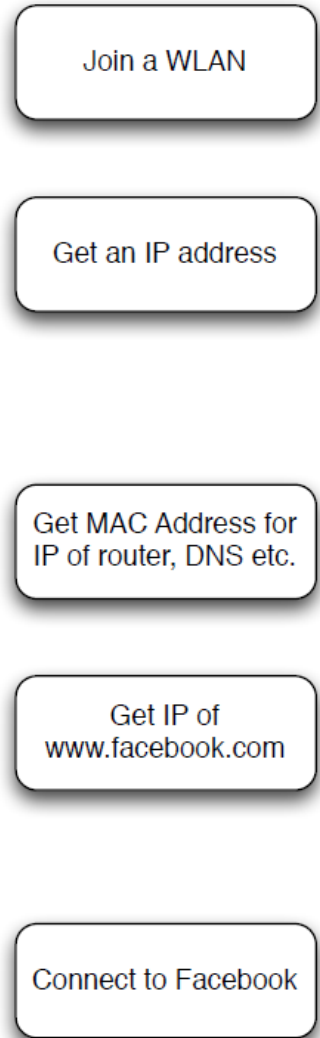
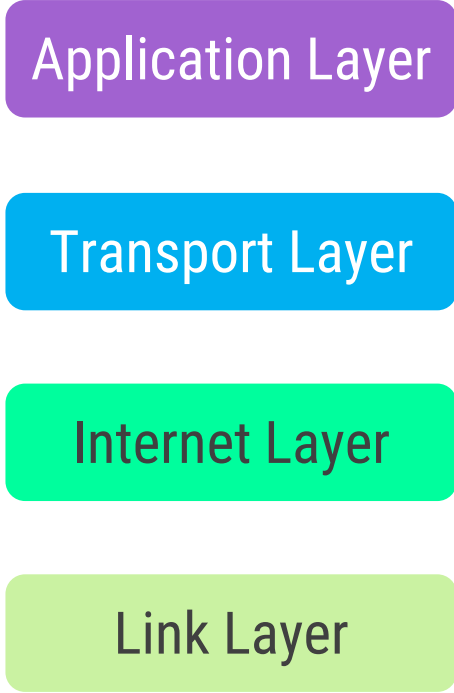
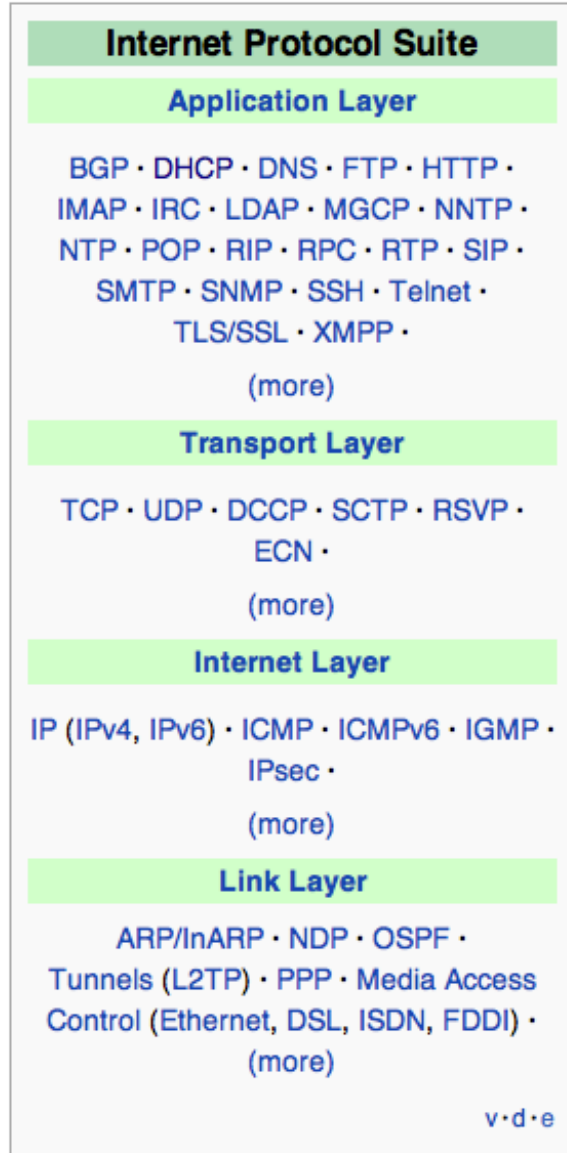
1. Attacker sends UDP requests spoofing the victim's IP address, e.g. NTP or DNS request
2. Servers send response to victim
→ x-times larger than request

Consequences

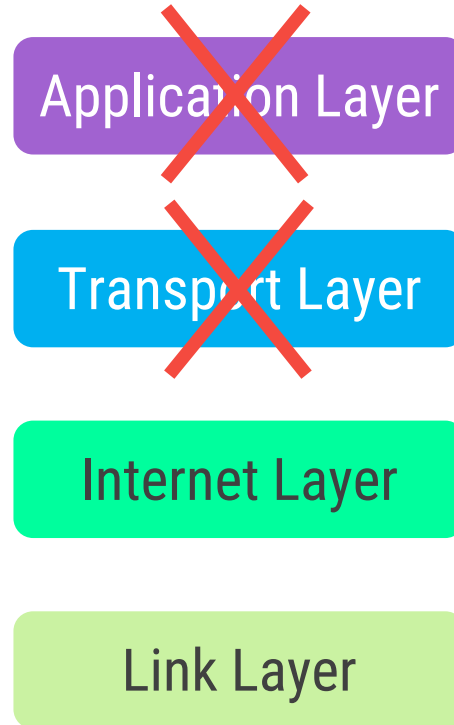
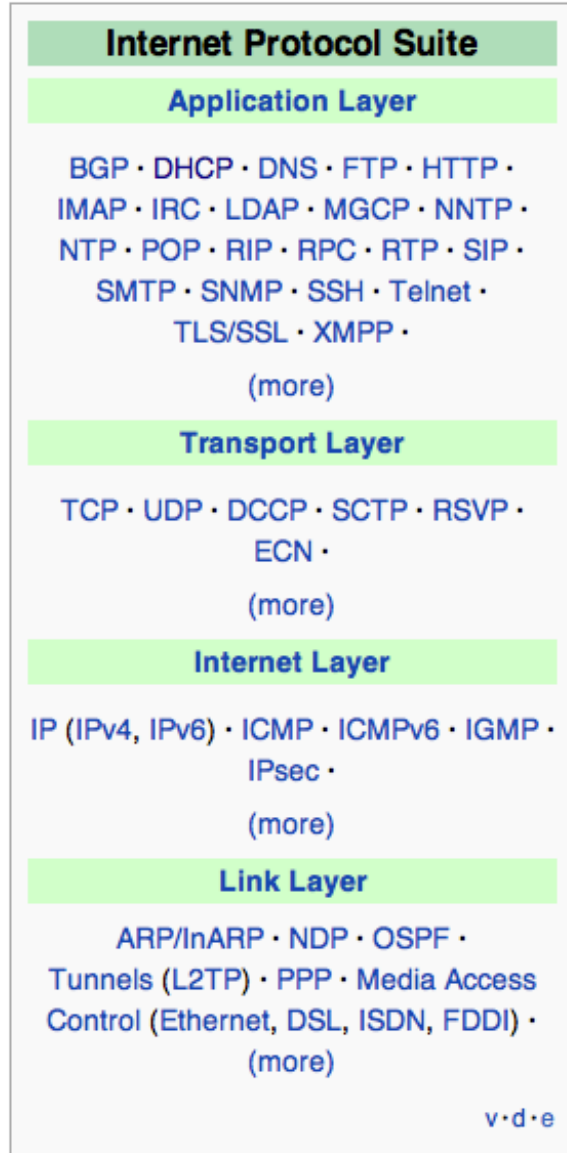
- Victim overwhelmed with traffic
- Attacker barely traceable

ARP Spoofing

Scenario: Blogging in Tunisia



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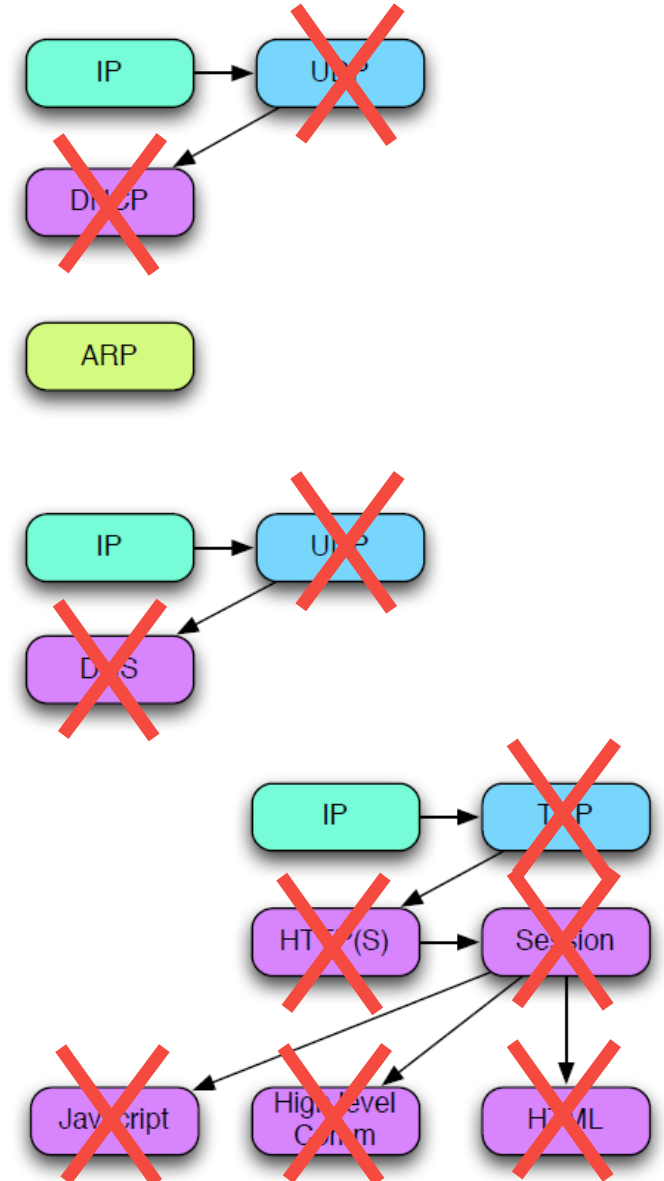
Join a WLAN

Get an IP address

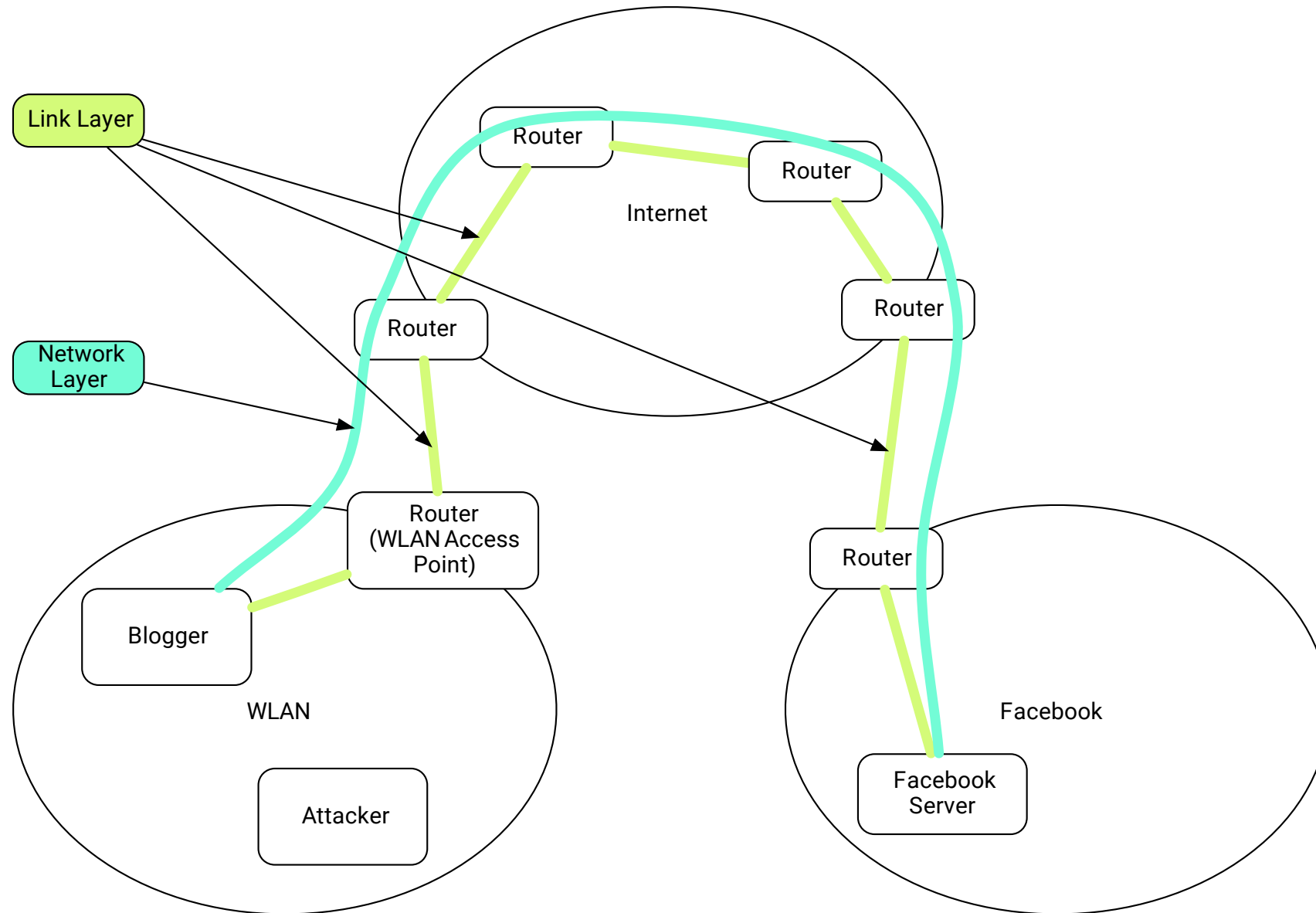
Get MAC Address for IP of router, DNS etc.

Get IP of www.facebook.com

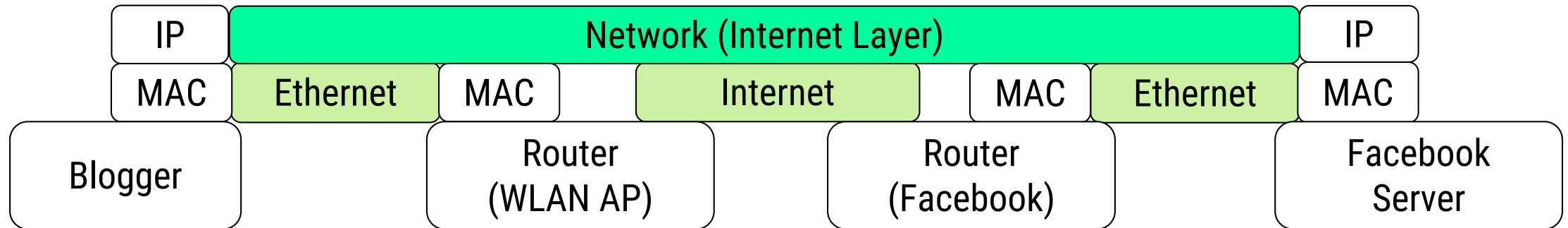
Connect to Facebook



Routing the Blogger

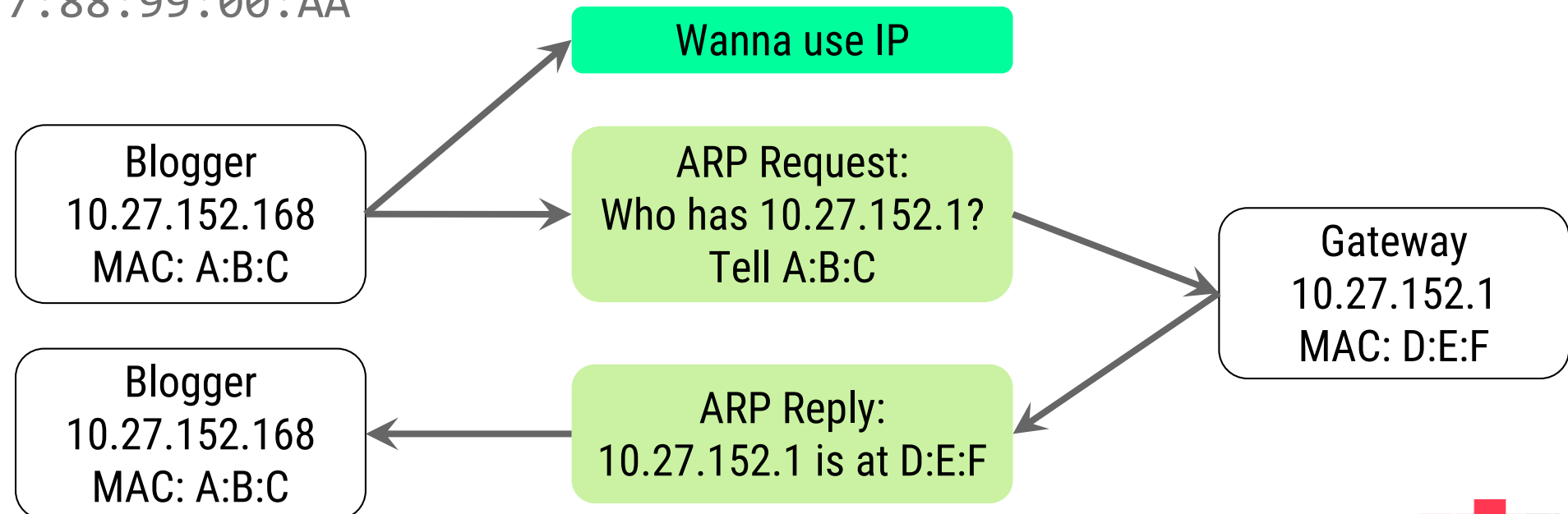


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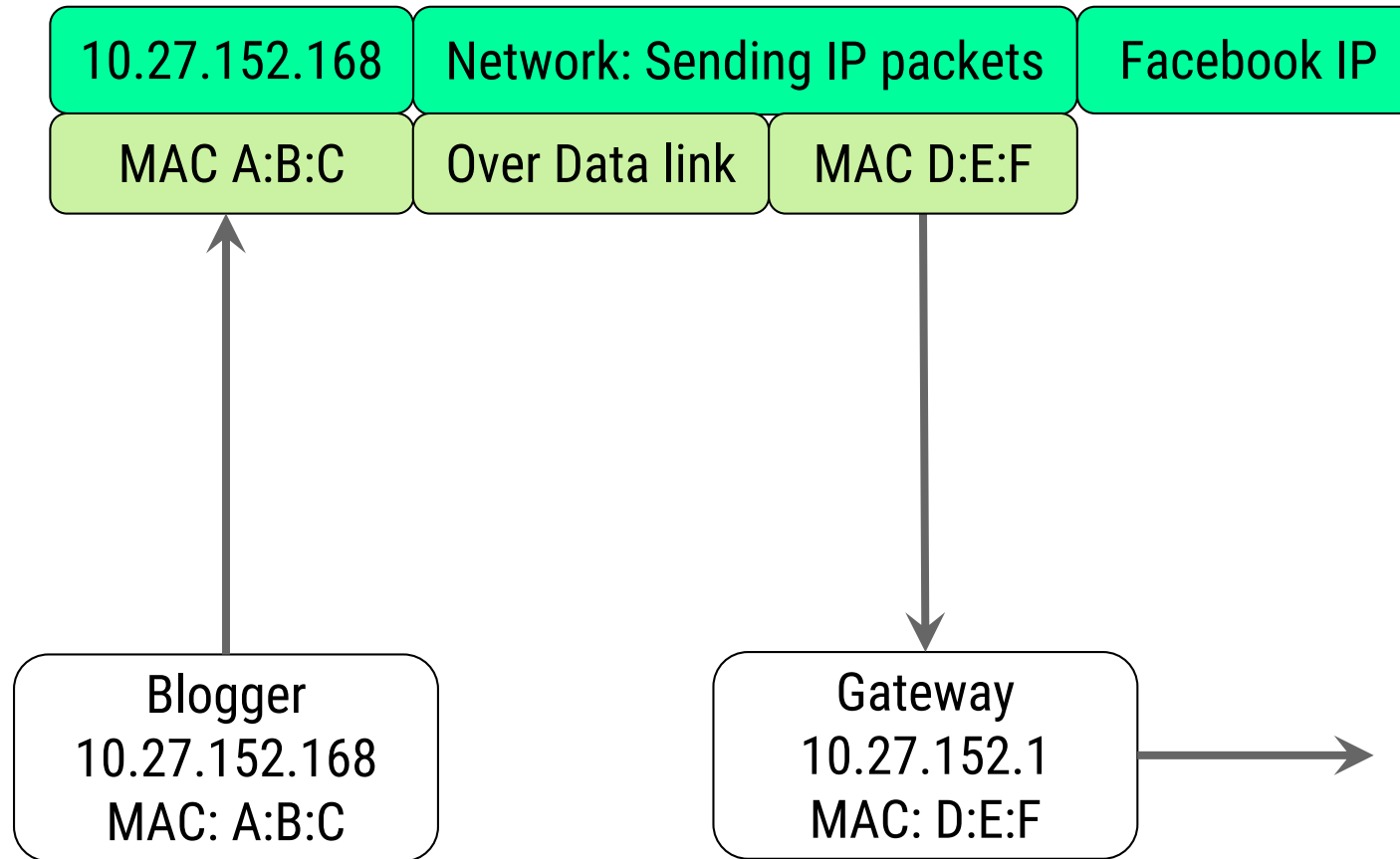


ARP Request on Gateway

1. ARP **Request**: Who has a.b.c.d
→ Tell to MAC 00:11:22:33:44:55
2. ARP **Reply**: That's me. My MAC 66:77:88:99:00:AA
3. ARP Cache: Stores IP to MAC mapping
 - „IP a.b.c.d is linked to MAC 66:77:88:99:00:AA“



Contacting Facebook via 10.27.152.1



Wireshark

1	0.000000	Cisco_67:e4:9d	Spanning-tree-(for STP	Conf. TC + Root = 32768/0/00:90:21:67:68:0a	Cost = 4	Port
2	0.000007	174.36.30.8	10.27.152.168	HTTP	HTTP/1.1 200 OK	(text/html)
3	0.000936	fe80::c62c:3ff:fe15:ae5a	ff02::1:ff15:ae5a	ICMPv6	Multicast listener report	
4	0.004892	c4:2c:03:15:ae:5a	3Com_f6:ab:8e	ARP	Who has 10.27.152.1? Tell 10.27.152.168	
5	0.004965	0.0.0.0	255.255.255.255	DHCP	DHCP Request - Transaction ID 0x34c277d5	
		Com_f6:ab:8e	c4:2c:03:15:ae:5a	ARP	10.27.152.1 is at 00:04:75:f6:ab:8e	
		:2c:03:15:ae:5a	Broadcast	ARP	Gratuitous ARP for 10.27.152.168 (Request)	
8	0.029129	10.27.152.5	10.27.152.168	DHCP	DHCP ACK - Transaction ID 0x34c277d5	
9	0.040115	c4:2c:03:15:ae:5a	Broadcast	ARP	Who has 169.254.255.255? Tell 10.27.152.168	
10	0.069249	10.27.152.168	224.0.0.2	IGMP	V2 Leave Group 224.0.0.251	
11	0.069500	10.27.152.168	224.0.0.251	IGMP	V2 Membership Report / Join group 224.0.0.251	
		4:2c:03:15:ae:5a	Broadcast	ARP	Who has 10.27.152.1? Tell 10.27.152.168	
		Com_f6:ab:8e	c4:2c:03:15:ae:5a	ARP	10.27.152.1 is at 00:04:75:f6:ab:8e	
14	0.072125	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query PTR lb._dns-sd._udp.0.152.27.10.in-addr.arpa	
15	0.072170	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query TXT cf._dns-sd._udp.0.152.27.10.in-addr.arpa	
16	0.072217	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query PTR b._dns-sd._udp.0.8.16.172.in-addr.arpa	
17	0.072262	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query PTR db._dns-sd._udp.0.8.16.172.in-addr.arpa	
18	0.072308	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query PTR r._dns-sd._udp.0.8.16.172.in-addr.arpa	
19	0.072353	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query PTR dr._dns-sd._udp.0.8.16.172.in-addr.arpa	
20	0.072399	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query PTR lb._dns-sd._udp.0.8.16.172.in-addr.arpa	
21	0.072444	10.27.152.168	129.27.142.23	DNS	Standard query TXT cf._dns-sd._udp.0.8.16.172.in-addr.arpa	

Security?

By sending gratuitous ARP replies we can update ARP caches of other hosts...

But...

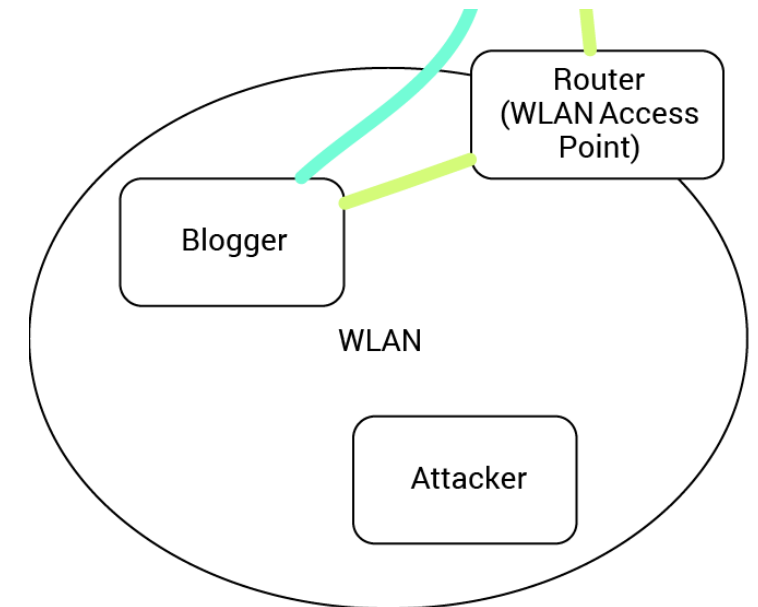
- ARP Request / Replies are not authenticated!
 - Anybody can send them for arbitrary IPs / MAC addresses
- Gratuitous ARP replies can update the ARP cache

→ *Consequences?*

ARP Poisoning

Assumption

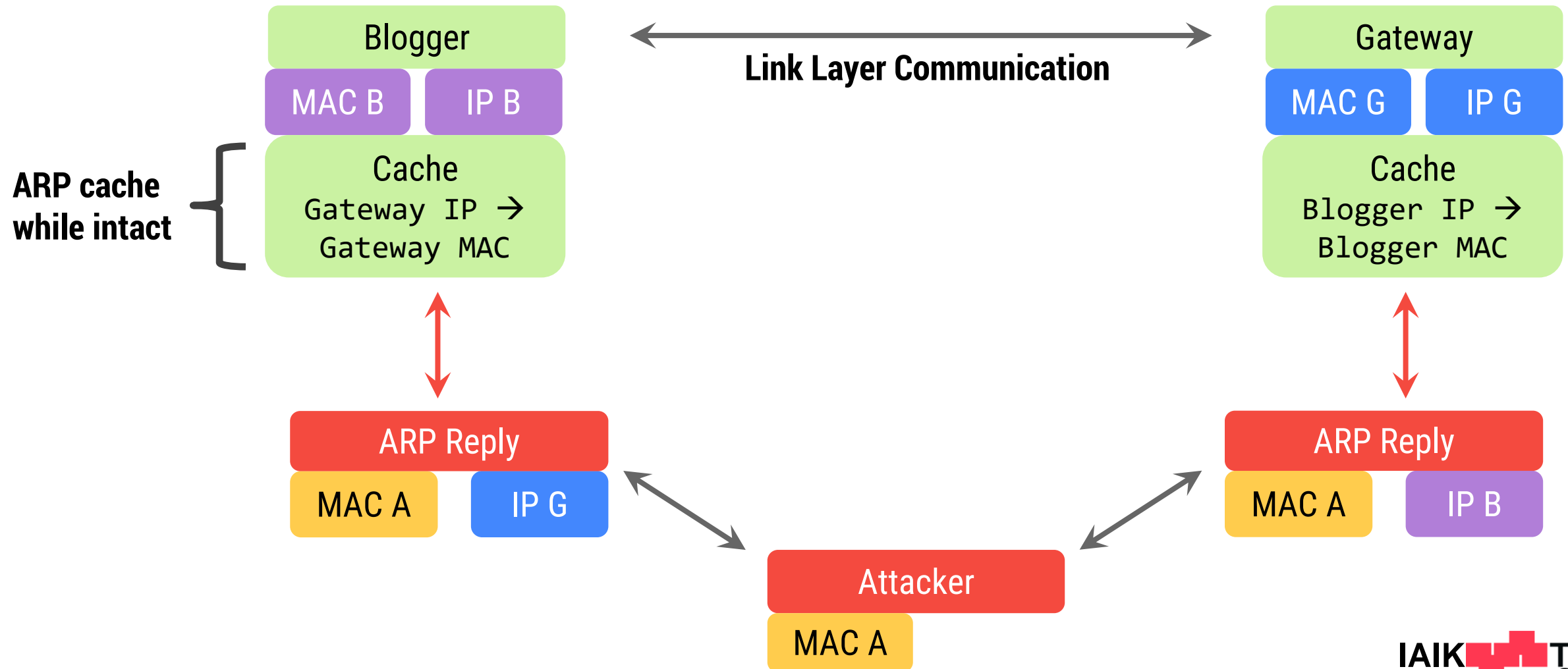
- Attacker is in same (W)LAN
- Blogger has MAC address of gateway (WLAN AP) in cache
- Attacker wants to modify traffic of blogger



→ Attacker poisons ARP cache of blogger and gateway

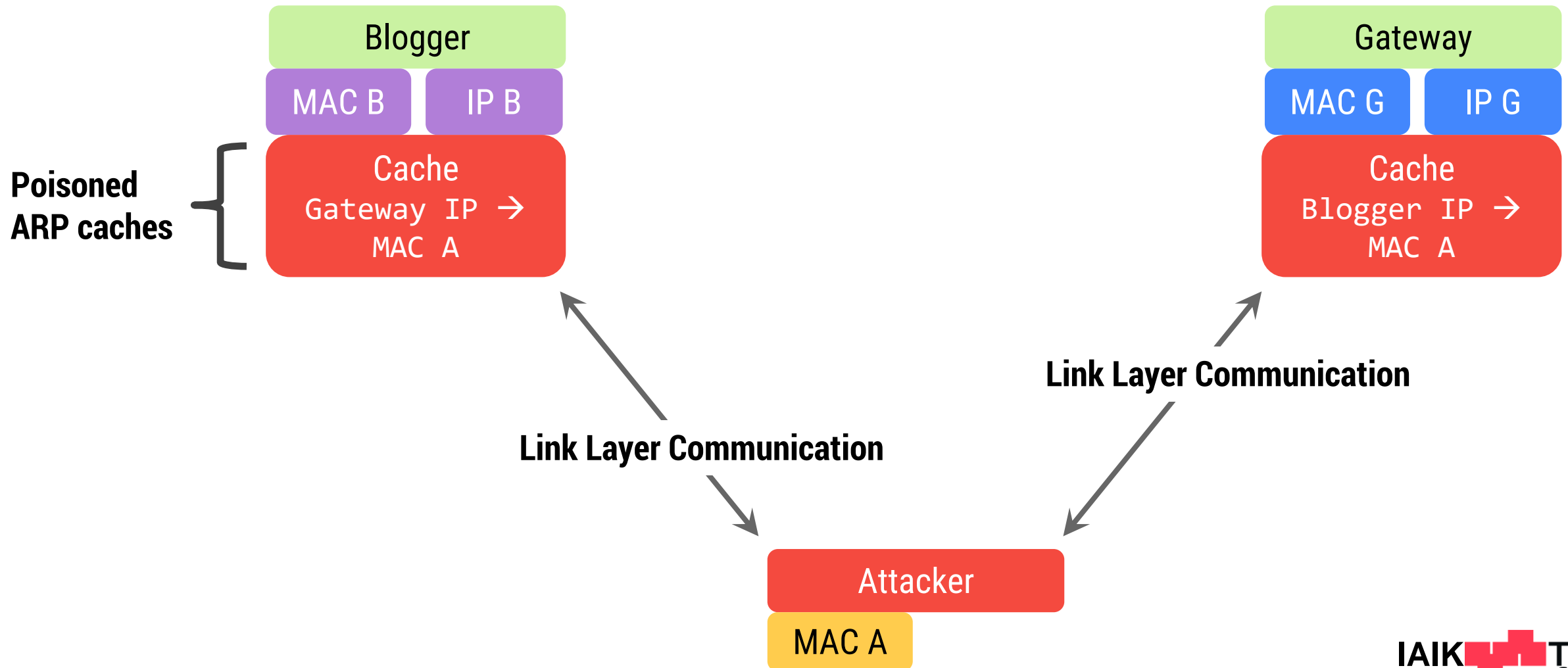
ARP Poisoning

Attacker *poisons* ARP cache with gratuitous ARP replies



ARP Poisoning

Communication with attacker due to poisoned ARP cache!



ARP Poisoning

Applicable in...

- Old LANs with hubs
 - One big collision domain due to the shared medium
- Switched networks
 - Frames only sent to destination host, others cannot see / modify traffic
 - with **ARP Poisoning** this becomes possible!
- WLANs
 - Especially in (untrusted) open WLANs

Protection Tips

- Always ensure you are using HTTPS
 - Raises complexity for attacks as ARP Spoofing alone is not enough
- Use VPN
 - Establishes encrypted tunnel
- Use trusted and protected WLANs
- Use firewall or intrusion detection system
 - Some of them remember their own IP <-> MAC mappings
 - Detect cache poisoning attack and identify attacker





Wireless Networks

Overview

Types

- Ad-hoc networks
- Infrastructure-based networks (access points)

Technologies

- **Wireless LANs (IEEE 802.11)**
- GSM/UMTS/LTE, ...
- Bluetooth
- ADS-B (Airplanes), AIS (Ships), Satellite Internet

See: <http://goo.gl/cQfUY6>

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Wireless LAN – Evolution

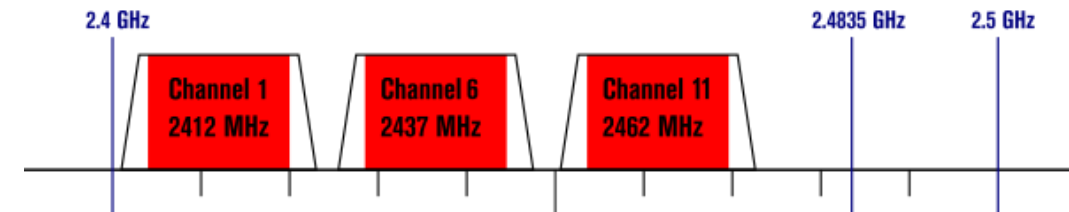
- 1999: **802.11a**: 5 GHz, max. 54 Mbit/s
- 1999: **802.11b**: 2.4 GHz, max. 11 Mbit/s
- 2003: **802.11g**: 2.4 GHz, max. 54 Mbit/s
- 2009: **802.11n**: 2.4 GHz/5 GHz, 54 Mbit/s to 600 Mbit/s
- 2013: **802.11ac**: 5 GHz, max. 1300 Mbit/s via multiple 80 MHz channels
- 2016: **802.11ah**: 900 MHz, „WiFi HaLow“ → Internet of Things
- 2018: **802.11ax**: 1-5 GHz, improved multi-user MIMO, OFDMA for spectrum segregation

Non-Overlapping Channels for 2.4 GHz WLAN

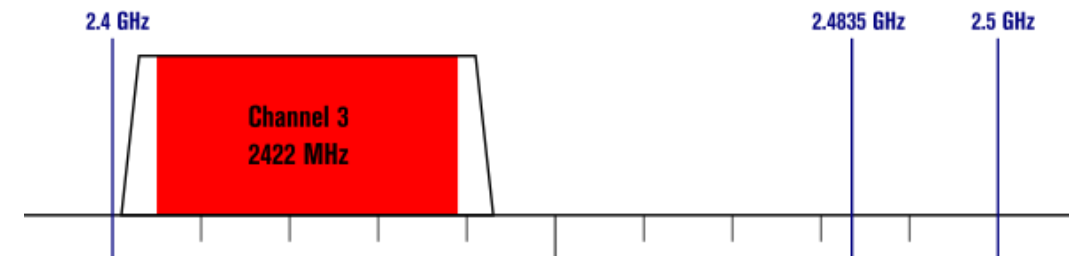
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802.11g/n (OFDM) 20 MHz ch. width – 16.25 MHz used by sub-carriers



802.11n (OFDM) 40 MHz ch. width – 33.75 MHz used by sub-carriers

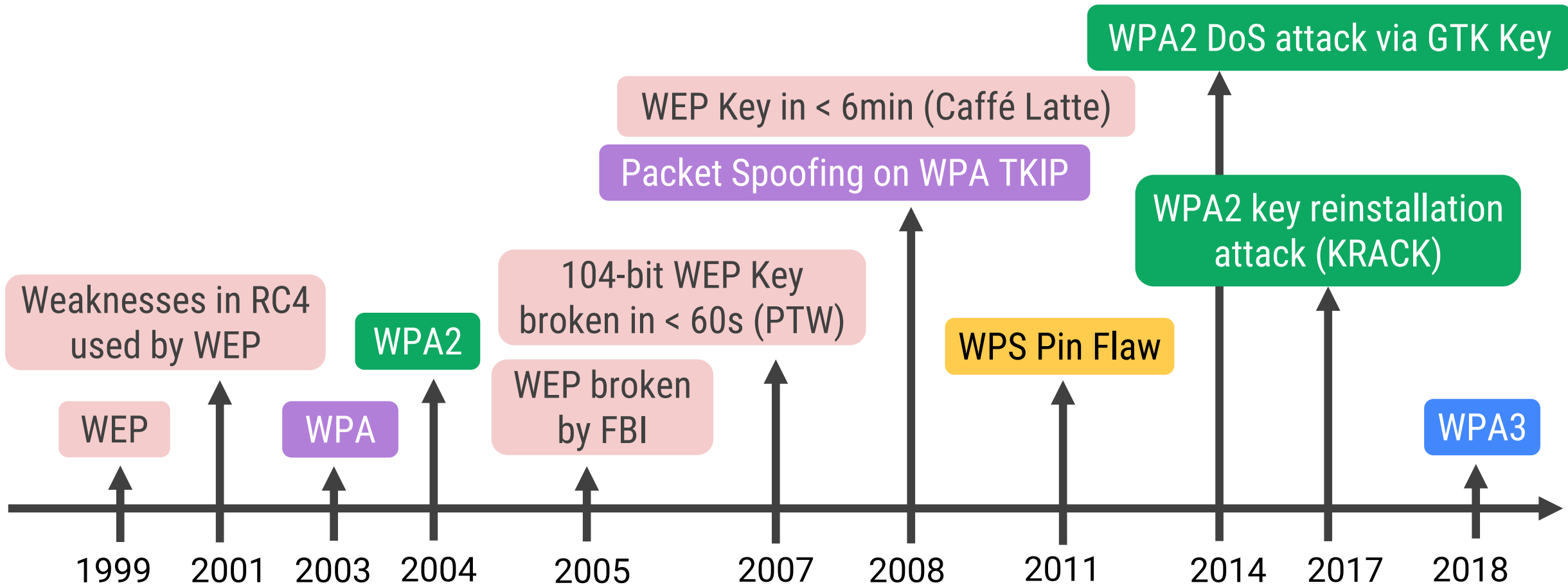


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Wireless LAN – Security

Many security issues ever since!

Man-in-the-middle (MITM), Denial of Service (DoS), Injection, Spoofing, ...



Attacking WLANs in Practice

Which of these networks could be vulnerable?

SSID	MAC Address	Security	WPS	Manufacturer
3HuiGate_74F5	C8:51:95:74:F6:14	WPA2-PSK	Yes	Huawei Ltd.
3WebCube207C	D4:40:F0:1B:20:80	WPA2-PSK	No	Huawei Ltd.
A1-6842DG	A4:B1:E9:68:43:DF	WPA-PSK + WPA2-PSK	Yes	Technicolor
NETGEAR_11g	E4:F4:C6:F8:9B:70	WPA2-PSK	No	Netgear
PBS-536755	38:22:9D:53:67:5A	WPA-PSK	No	ADB Broadband Italia
TMOBILE-53141	C8:51:95:9D:A6:76	WPA-PSK + WPA2-PSK	No	Huawei Ltd.
UPC1381027	8C:04:FF:E4:C4:10	WPA-PSK + WPA2-PSK	No	Technicolor USA Inc.
UPC Wi-Free	FE:94:E3:25:4E:38	WPA2-EAP	No	
WLAN_E9	00:1A:2B:01:AC:A0	WEP	No	Ayecom Technology Co.

See: <https://goo.gl/kGYaYv>

WEP

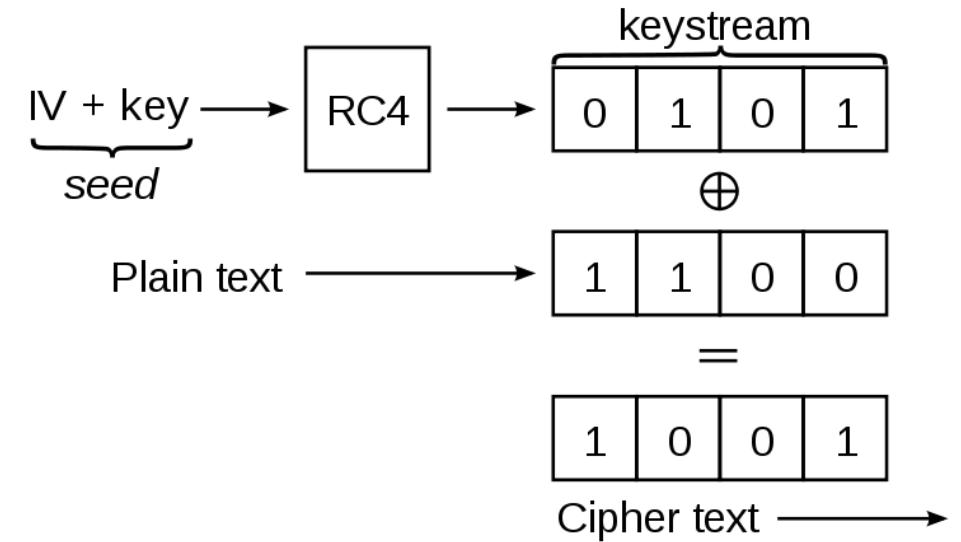
„Wired Equivalent Privacy“

2 Variants

1. 40-bit key + 24-bit IV \rightarrow 64-bit RC4 Key
 - 10 hex chars (0-9, A-F) or 5 ASCII chars (0-9, a-z, A-Z)
2. 104-bit key + 24-bit IV \rightarrow 128-bit RC4 key
 - 26 hex chars or 13 ASCII chars

Attack Idea

- Look for many packets with „weak IVs“ that reveal information about WEP key
- Enough weak IVs found? \rightarrow Crack WEP key
- Weak IV is key dependent \rightarrow Takes different amount of time per key



Source: <https://goo.gl/hhQEdm>

Attacking WEP

Ways to get the key...

- Active attack (traffic generation)
 - Replay attack
 - Stimulate network to send encrypted data packets
 - ARP Replay
 - Send ARP requests, listen for ARP responses

- Passive attack
 - Wait, wait, wait and just capture traffic...
 - Advantage:
Undetectable!

Source: <https://goo.gl/0SmCZz>

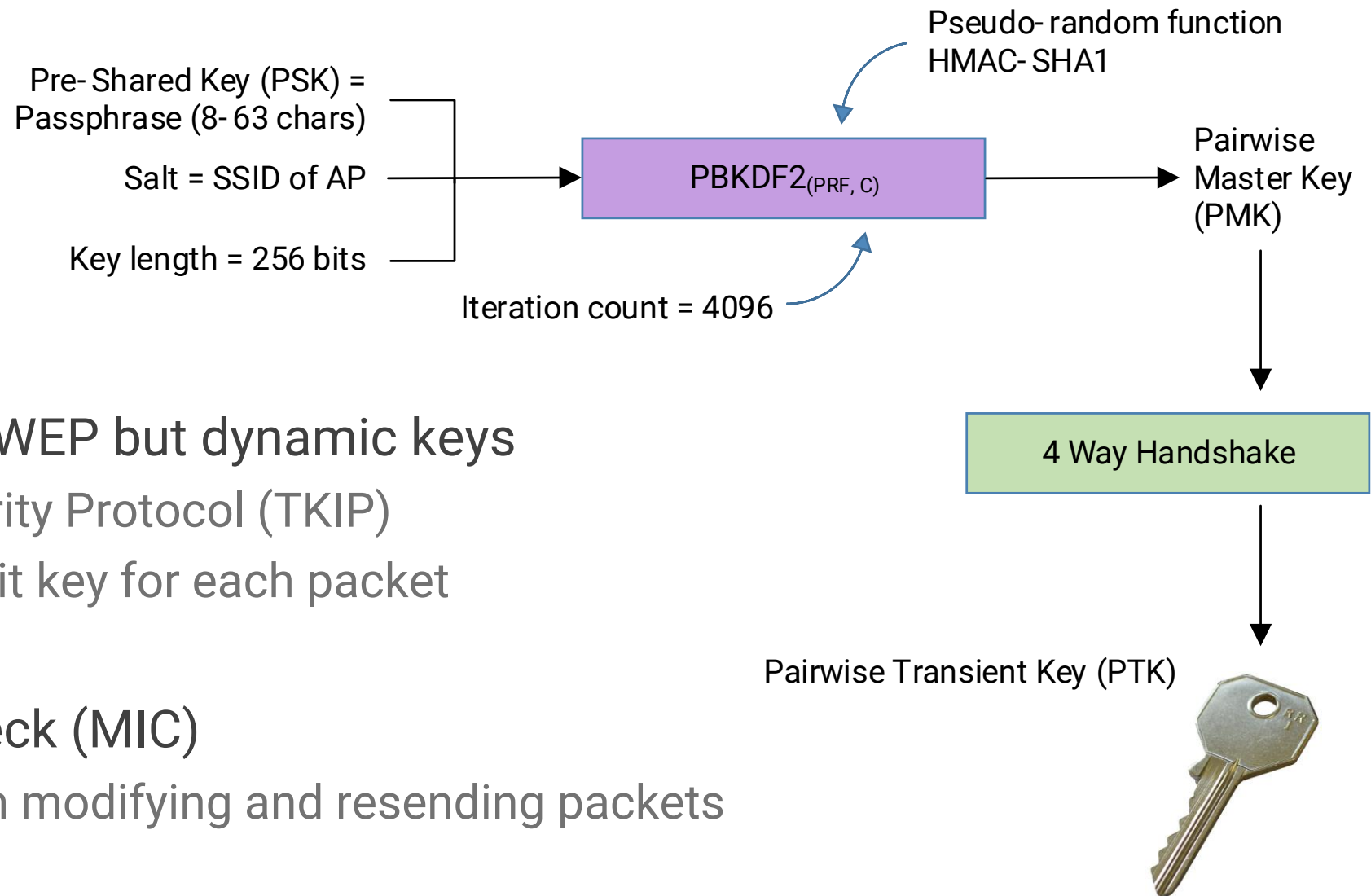
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Aircrack-ng 1.2 rc1
[00:00:02] Tested 705 keys (got 173001 IVs)
KB  depth  byte(vote)
0   0/ 25   5A(225280) 02(193792) 50(193536) 88(190720) 9F(188928) 6E(188160) 5C(187904)
1   1/  1   85(190464) 32(188928) F8(188928) CD(188672) BA(187648) 65(186880) 16(185856)
2   0/  1   6D(254208) 14(189184) A3(189184) 1F(188928) E3(188672) B9(188160) F0(187392)
3   0/  1   70(242944) FF(187904) CC(187136) 1D(186368) C6(186368) 18(186112) 4F(186112)
4   3/  4   9C(187904) 26(187648) C2(187136) 00(186368) 87(186368) 0A(185856) EE(185856)

KEY FOUND! [ 5A:A6:6D:03:13:5C:B2:D6:7F:61:D1:90:40 ]
Decrypted correctly: 100%
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Successfully broken!

WPA

„Wi-Fi Protected Access“



- Same architecture as WEP but dynamic keys
 - Temporary Key Integrity Protocol (TKIP)
 - Generates new 128-bit key for each packet
- Message Integrity Check (MIC)
 - Prevent attacker from modifying and resending packets
- Two operation modes
 - **Personal**: Pre-Shared Key (PSK)
 - **Enterprise**: 802.1x + RADIUS Authentication Server

WPA 2

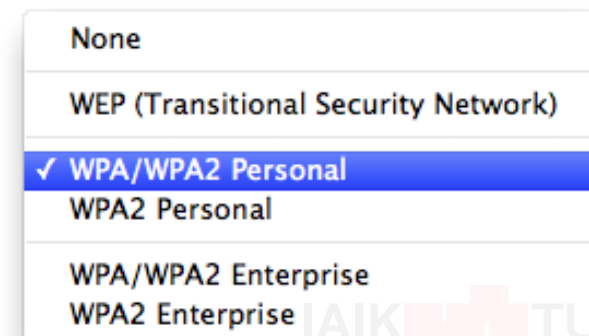
„Wi-Fi Protected Access II“

- Replacement of WPA
 - „Long Term Solution“ (802.11i)
- Based on AES-256 (block cipher) instead of RC4 (stream cipher)
 - Counter Mode CBC-MAC (CCMP) protocol instead of TKIP for encryption

Attack Idea

Security depends on quality of used passphrase (PSK)

→ Crack PSK since attacking strong encryption is pointless...



Attacking WPA / WPA 2

Ways to get the key...

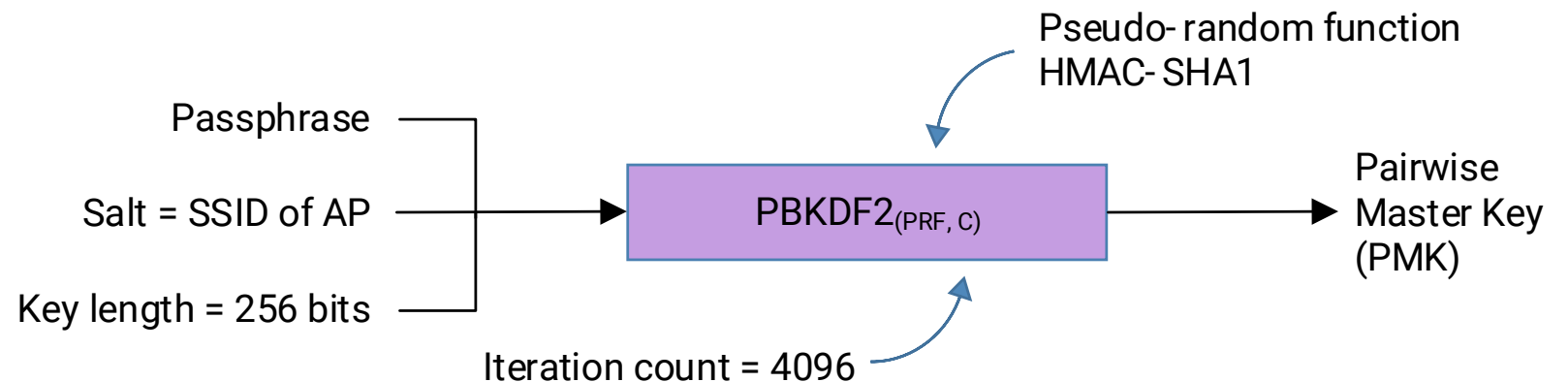
Only known way so far: **Brute Force!**

Requirements

- Captured handshake
- Passphrase to test: Can be provided from a dictionary or generated on-the-fly
- SSID of AP: Serves as IV for PBKDF2

→ *Is this practically feasible?*

Well... it requires high computational resources!



Attacking WPA / WPA 2

Fasten up the brute force attack...

- Use pre-calculated rainbow tables
 - List of PMK for one specific SSID and a dictionary of passphrases
 - Most popular SSIDs

linksys	MSHOME	orange
Default	home	USR8054
NETGEAR	hpsetup	101
Wireless	smc	tmobile
WLAN	tsunami	SpeedStream
Belkin54g	ACTIONTEC	...

See: <https://goo.gl/P7zSoJ>

- Use GPU acceleration
 - Nvidia CUDA or OpenCL → E.g. Pyrit or Elcomsoft EWSA
 - In the cloud, e.g. Amazon EC2

See: <https://goo.gl/WEr7ul>

See: <http://goo.gl/mBzBw4>

Wikipedia, list of common passwords, ...

Attacking WPA / WPA 2

Result?

Brute-force always works :-)

```
[ec2-user@ip-10-16-16-171 handshakes]$ pyrit -r wpa.cap -i /home/ec2-user/storage/dictionaries/huge_wpa_list.txt attack_passthrough
Pyrit 0.4.1-dev (svn r308) (C) 2008-2011 Lukas Lueg http://pyrit.googlecode.com
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Parsing file 'wpa.cap' (1/1)...
Parsed 5 packets (5 802.11-packets), got 1 AP(s)

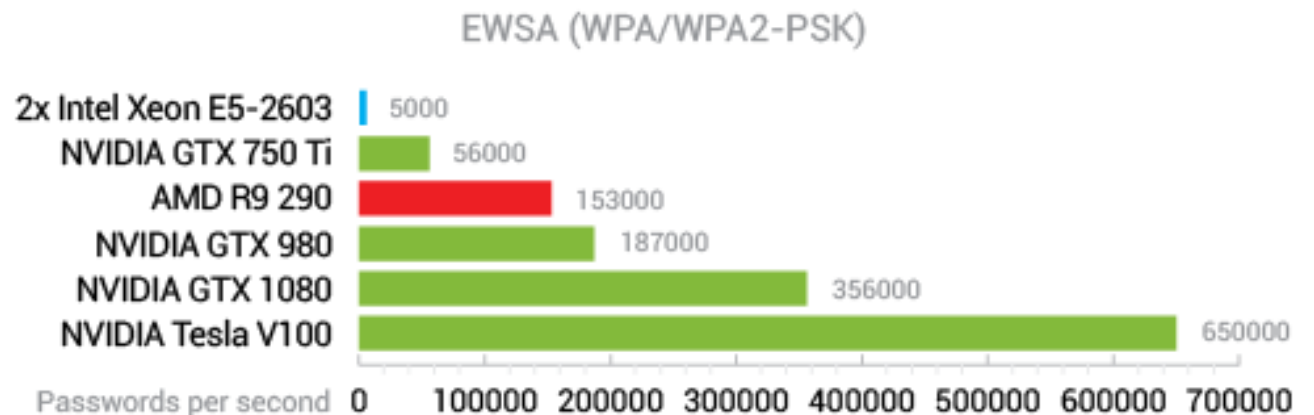
Picked AccessPoint 00:0d:93:eb:b0:8c ('test') automatically.
Tried 233691684 PMKs so far; 52086 PMKs per second.

The password is 'biscotte'.
```

Source: <https://goo.gl/DV4sBc>

but...

- What if passphrase is not in used dictionary?
- What if passphrase is simply too complex or long?



Source: <http://goo.gl/ZlI8nm>

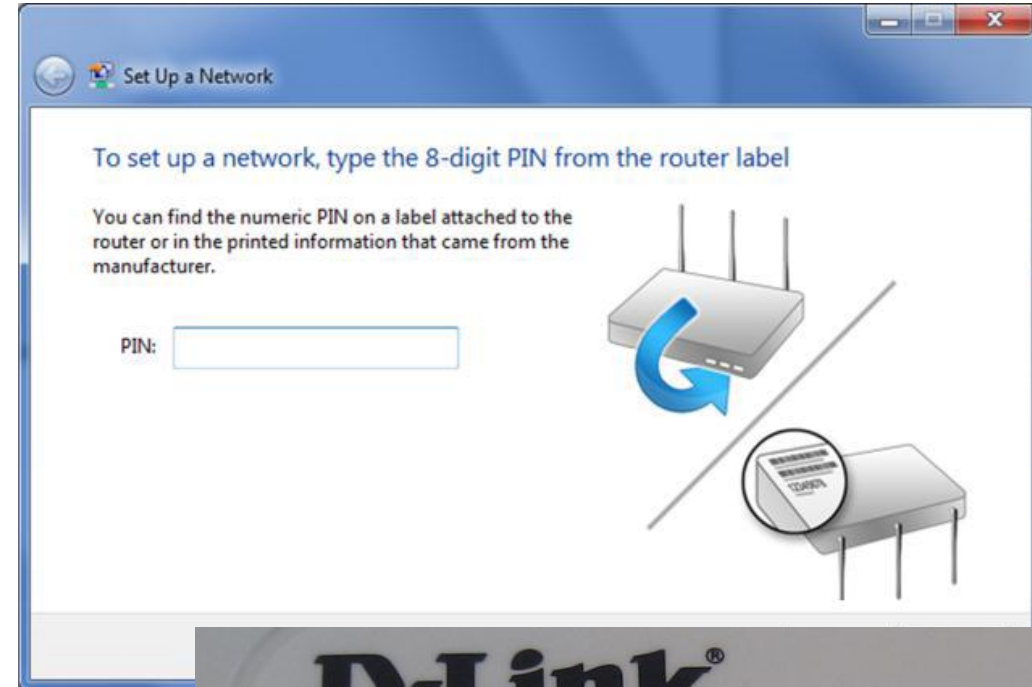
WPS

„Wi-Fi Protected Setup“

- 8 digits PIN as alternative to passphrases
- Emphasis on usability
 - Fixed on sticker or dynamically generated

Problem

- Last digit is checksum → only $10^7 = 10.000.000$ possible PINs
 - PIN is validated in two separate halves:
1st half 10.000, 2nd 1.000 possibilities
- Need max. 11.000 guesses until PIN recovered
(< 4 hours)



Attacking WPS

Result?

```
reaver -i mon0 -b A4:B1:E9:68:43:DF -c 6
[+] Associated with A4:B1:E9:68:43:DF (ESSID: A1-6842DG)
[+] Trying pin 12345670
[+] Trying pin 95946344
[+] Trying pin ...
[+] 92.25% complete @ 2016-04-09 17:31:55 (3 seconds/attempt)
[+] Trying pin 19196343
[+] Key cracked in 4942 seconds
[+] WPS PIN: '19196343'
[+] WPA PSK: 'rkndemo'
[+] AP SSID: 'A1-6842DG'
```

See: <https://goo.gl/oJrwaQ>

Note: Only works if WPS enabled on AP and amount of tries not limited!

Attacking WLANs

Q: What if AP has WPS disabled, uses WPA 2 and strong passphrase?

A: One option left to consider: *WPA (2) Password-generating algorithms*

Problem

- Many vendors use (known) algorithms to generate a default password which is then attached to sticker
- If password not changed by users → attackers may simply calculate it!

Source: <https://goo.gl/gthik6>

For case studies, see <https://goo.gl/Slh07u>
and <https://goo.gl/9uSvne>



Attacking WLANs

Q: How to identify the vendor?

A: MAC Address!



OUI Lookup Tool

The Wireshark OUI lookup tool provides an easy way to look up [OUIs](#) [Wireshark manufacturer database](#), which is a list of OUIs and MAC ad

Examples:

0000.0c
08:00:20
01-00-0C-CC-CC-CC
missouri

OUI search

8C-04-FF-7E-F4-18

Find

Results

8C:04:FF Technico Technicolor CH USA Inc.



Evil Twin Attack

How does it work?

- Perform DoS attack to deauthenticate client from WiFi
- Create fake AP with same ESSID and encryption
 - Easy if AP is open: Freewave, Airport-Frankfurt, TUGRAZguest, freeGRAZwifi, ...
 - Otherwise, you need to know the password
- Client connects:
 - MITM attack
 - Phishing (show fake captive portal, OAuth login, ...)

Why does it work?

- Clients choose APs with best signal
- Auto-Connect feature → Usability vs security
 - Enabled by default in Windows, Ubuntu, macOS, ...



Evil Twin Attack

Deauthentication Attack

- Leverage DEAUTH frame (transmitted unencrypted)
 - Sent when all communication is terminated
 - Kick out client from WiFi by forging DEAUTH frames
 - 1 from AP to client
 - 1 from client to AP
 - 1 from AP to broadcast address

Probe Response Flooding

- Keep answering to probe request frames
 - „Sorry, your PSK is incorrect“
- Victim will stay disconnected
 - Client will mostly connect manually
 - Also useful for downgrade attacks

```
root@kali:~# aireplay-ng --deauth 0 -c 98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31 -a C4:E9:84:3F:26:04
21:36:31 Waiting for beacon frame (BSSID: C4:E9:84:3F:26:04) on channel 1
21:36:31 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [ 1|51 ACKs]
21:36:32 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [ 0|52 ACKs]
21:36:32 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [ 0|47 ACKs]
21:36:33 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [20|49 ACKs]
21:36:33 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [24|48 ACKs]
21:36:34 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [ 1|52 ACKs]
21:36:34 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [ 0|53 ACKs]
21:36:35 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [ 1|53 ACKs]
21:36:36 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [ 6|48 ACKs]
21:36:36 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [ 4|45 ACKs]
21:36:37 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [28|46 ACKs]
21:36:37 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [58|46 ACKs]
21:36:38 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [61|53 ACKs]
21:36:38 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [ 0|54 ACKs]
21:36:39 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [ 0|48 ACKs]
21:36:39 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [ 0|54 ACKs]
21:36:40 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [ 4|50 ACKs]
21:36:40 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [ 1|54 ACKs]
21:36:41 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [42|43 ACKs]
21:36:41 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [70|48 ACKs]
21:36:42 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [81|48 ACKs]
21:36:43 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [185|42 ACKs]
21:36:43 Sending 64 directed DeAuth. STMAC: [98:5F:D3:4A:B1:31] [66|30 ACKs]
```

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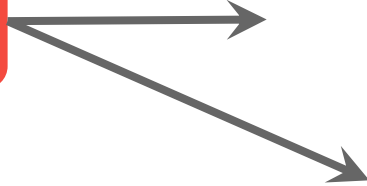
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WPA2 Pre-Shared Key:

Start Upgrade

Vendor Imitation



Encryption Type



Protection Tips

- Use a manually set, long and really complex passphrase
 - Raises complexity for successful brute force attack
- Change SSID to your own choice
 - Hinders attacks with pre-calculated rainbow tables
- Use WPA 2 CCMP only
 - Drops some deficiencies of TKIP and RC4 in WPA
- Disable WPS in your AP settings



Outlook

- 10.01.2020
 - HTTP Sessions
 - Same Origin Policy, CSP, Client-side Attacks

- 17.01.2020
 - TLS Handshake
 - TLS Security Features

