

SSL Decryption – MOP Website



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1. Executive Summary

This security report outlines the findings of SSL/TLS decryption conducted on the MOP website. The purpose of this testing was to assess the security of the website's encrypted traffic and identify any potential vulnerabilities that could lead to data leakage or targeted attacks.

The decryption was performed using SSLKEYLOG and Wireshark, aiming to analyse the encrypted traffic for any signs of weak cipher suites or exploitable web servers. The report concludes that the security measures implemented on the MOP website, particularly through Google Cloud Platform (GCP), effectively safeguard against unauthorised access and data breaches.

2. Purpose

The purpose of this security assessment was to evaluate the effectiveness of the encryption protocols and security measures employed by the MOP website in protecting sensitive information transmitted over the network. By decrypting the SSL/TLS traffic, the goal was to identify any potential weaknesses or vulnerabilities that could compromise the confidentiality and integrity of data, thereby mitigating the risk of cyber-attacks and unauthorised access.

3. Scope

The scope of the assessment encompassed the following key activities:

1. Utilising SSLKEYLOG and Wireshark to decrypt and analyse the encrypted traffic of the MOP website.
2. Testing conducted to identify any weak cipher suites that could be exploited by malicious actors to intercept or manipulate data.
3. Analysis aimed at detecting any vulnerabilities in the web server configuration that could be leveraged for tailored attacks.
4. Utilising IP lookup tools to identify the IP address of the MOP website.
5. Detailed examination of network packets in Wireshark to determine if any sensitive information was leaked during transmission.

4. Findings

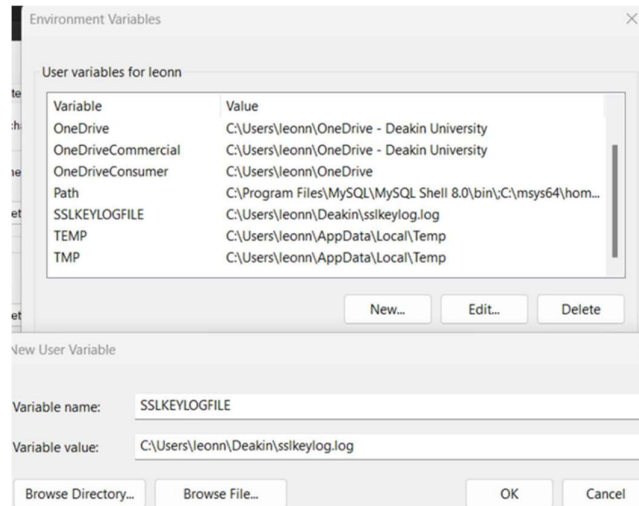
The findings of the security assessment are as follows:

1. **SSL/TLS encryption:** The encryption protocols utilised by the MOP website effectively protected all transmitted data, with no evidence of decryption or data leakage during the assessment.
2. **Cipher suite strength:** No weak cipher suites were identified during the testing, indicating robust encryption mechanisms in place.
3. **Web server security:** The web server hosting the MOP website appeared to be securely configured, with no apparent vulnerabilities detected that could be exploited for malicious purposes.
4. **Network traffic analysis:** Despite thorough examination of network packets in Wireshark, no sensitive information or exploitable data was found, affirming the efficacy of the security measures implemented.

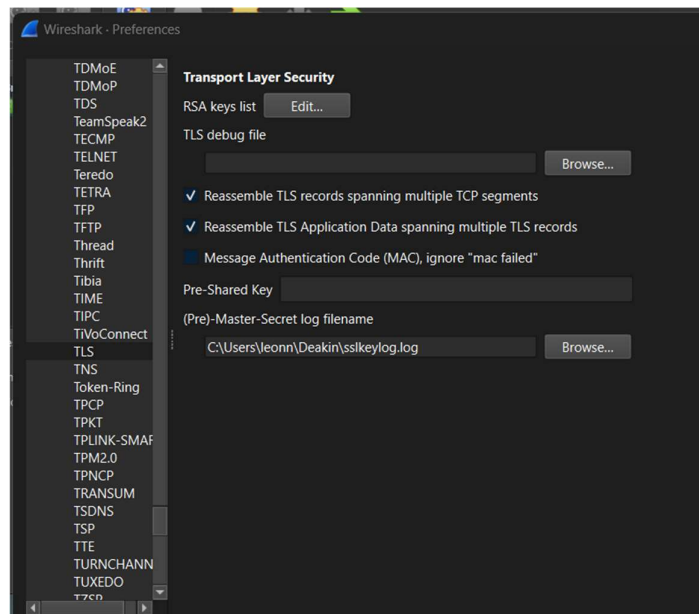
In conclusion, the security measures implemented for the MOP website, particularly through GCP, are commendable and effectively safeguard against potential cyber threats. The SSL/TLS encryption, strong cipher suites, secure web server configuration, and proactive monitoring contribute to a robust defence posture, ensuring the confidentiality, integrity, and availability of data transmitted over the network. As a result, users can have confidence in the security of their interactions with the MOP website, mitigating the risk of unauthorised access and data breaches.

5. Conducting SSL Decryption

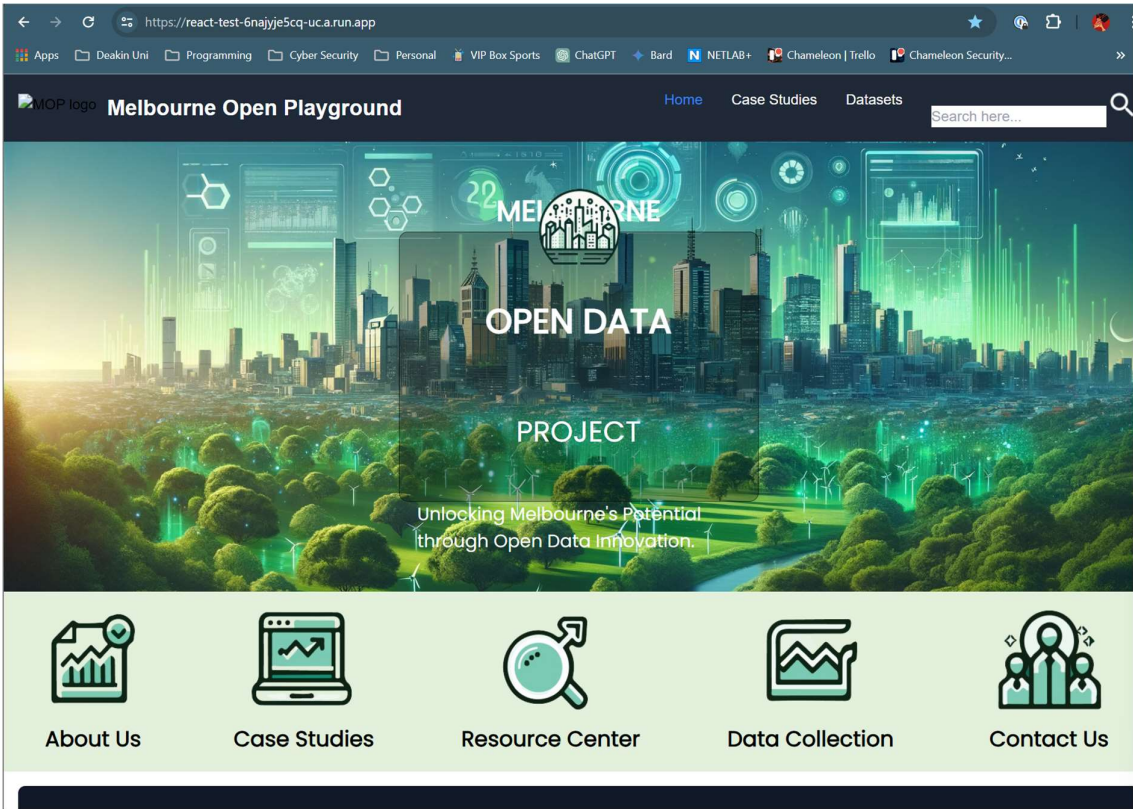
Step 1: Extract the SSLKEYLOGFILE from the settings in Windows 11. This can be done in *System > About > Advanced System Settings > Environment Variables*. Select **New** and save the file as SSLKEYLOGFILE and select the directory in which the file will be saved in.



Step 2: Open Wireshark and start monitoring the traffic. The SSLKEYLOGFILE will then need to be uploaded to Wireshark to decrypt the traffic. In Wireshark navigate to *Edit > Preferences > Protocols > TLS* and select **Browse** under Pre-Master-Secret log filename to upload the file.



Step 3: Navigate to the MOP website in your browser of choice.



Step 4: Navigate to www.nslookup.io to search for the MOP website IP addresses. Enter the MOP website domain name and select **Find DNS records** and this should provide you with the IPv4 and IPv6 addresses as below.

IP addresses for react-test-6najte5cq-uc.a.run.app				All DNS records
Our DNS servers responded with these IP addresses when we queried it for the domain react-test-6najte5cq-uc.a.run.app. Some DNS servers may return different IP addresses based on your location.				
IP address	Type	Hosted by	Location	
> 216.239.32.53	IPv4	Google LLC	United States of America	
> 216.239.34.53	IPv4	Google LLC	United States of America	
> 216.239.38.53	IPv4	Google LLC	United States of America	
> 216.239.36.53	IPv4	Google LLC	United States of America	
> 2001:4860:4802:32::35	IPv6	Google LLC	United States of America	
> 2001:4860:4802:34::35	IPv6	Google LLC	United States of America	
> 2001:4860:4802:38::35	IPv6	Google LLC	United States of America	
> 2001:4860:4802:36::35	IPv6	Google LLC	United States of America	

Step 5: Go back to Wireshark. You will need to filter the IP ranges. The source IP will be your workstation's IP and the MOP website IP(s).

In the filter tab enter (ip.addr == yourIP && ip.addr == 216.239.34.53) and hit Enter. This should provide you with the network packets between your IP and the MOP website's IPv4 IP - you can analyse all four IP addresses should you wish.

Inspect the packets for any sensitive data. As noted, the packets are well protected within GCP, and nothing provided in the payloads can be used to exploit the web application. This was the result for all four IP addresses.

