

RUMPKERNELS

~~ANYKERNELS~~

MEET

\*FUZZING\*

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THE HELL  
WHO IS THIS GUY

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WORKS FOR LOGICALTRUST.NET

PENTESTER \ BUG-HUNTER

EX-SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

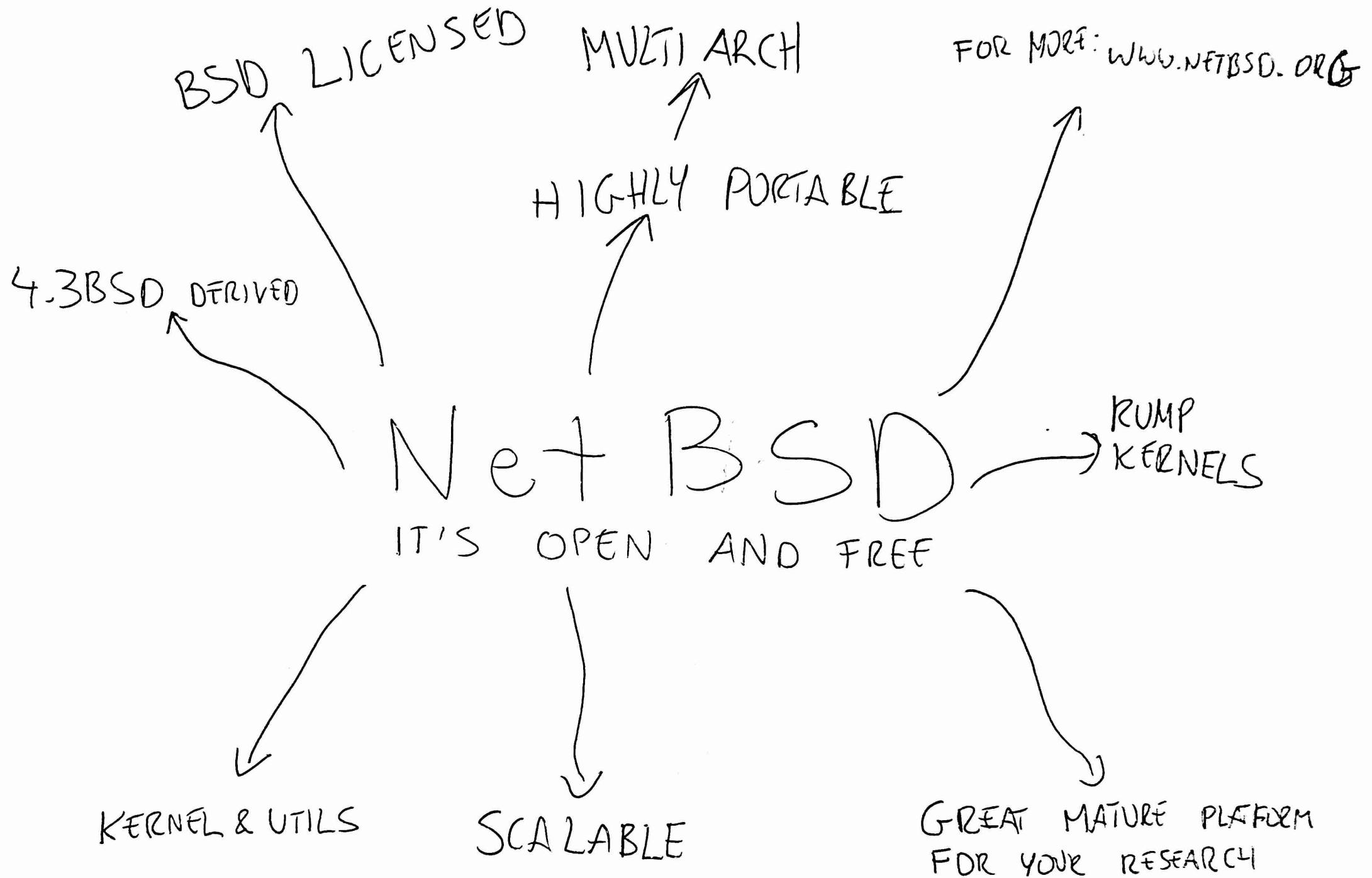
OPEN SOURCE: PHP / NETBSD / ...

FOUND BUGS IN VARIOUS PROJECTS:

IIS, APACHE, FREEBSD, NetBSD, DRAGONFLY BSD

OPENSSH, BINUTILS, ALPINE, STUNNEL ...

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# BSD & SECURITY

ARE ALL BSDs CREATED  
EQUALLY?

A SURVEY OF BSD  
KERNEL VULNERABILITIES

VERY! INTERESTING TALK  
... OVER 60 BUGS IN <sup>THE</sup> NET BSD

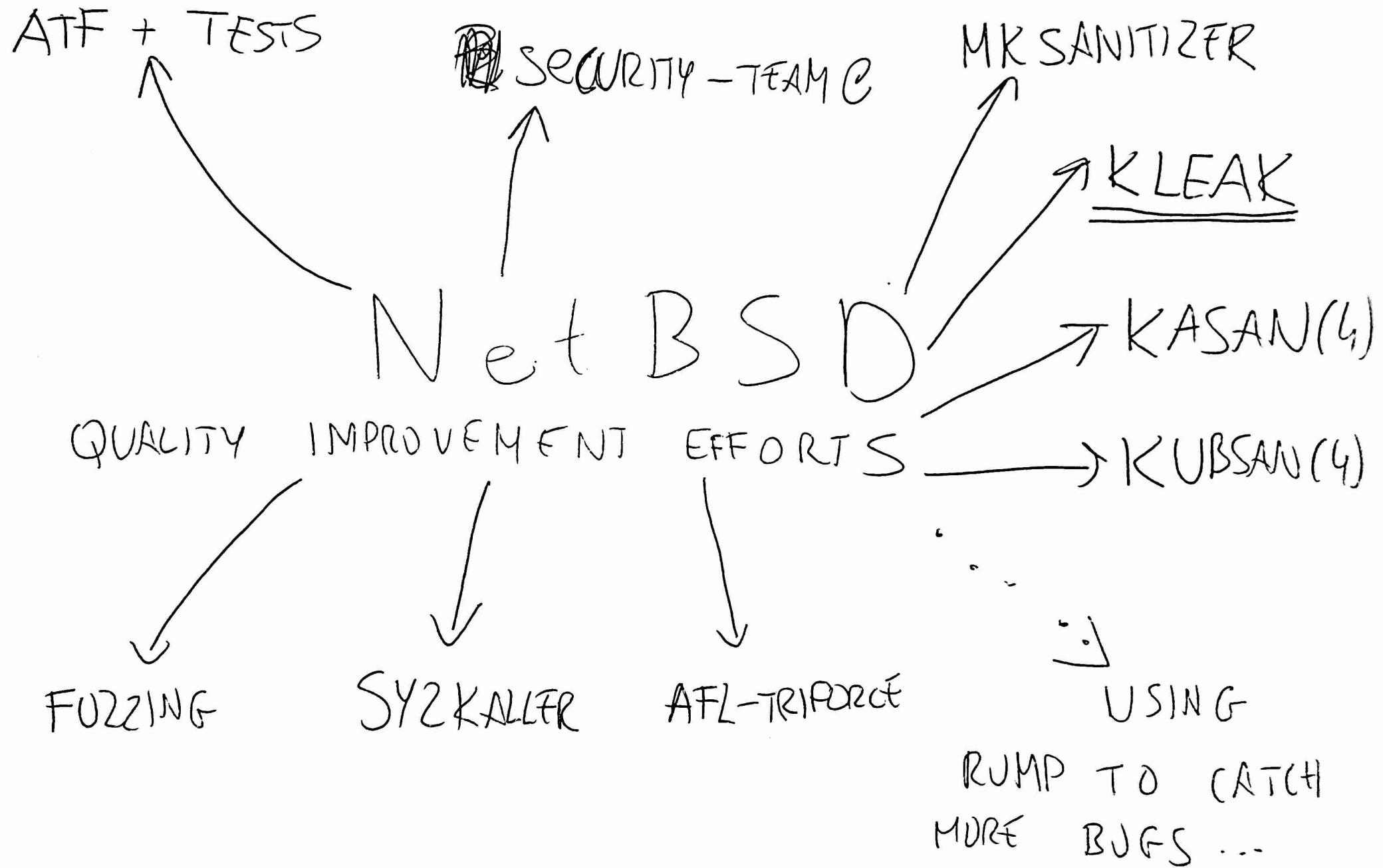
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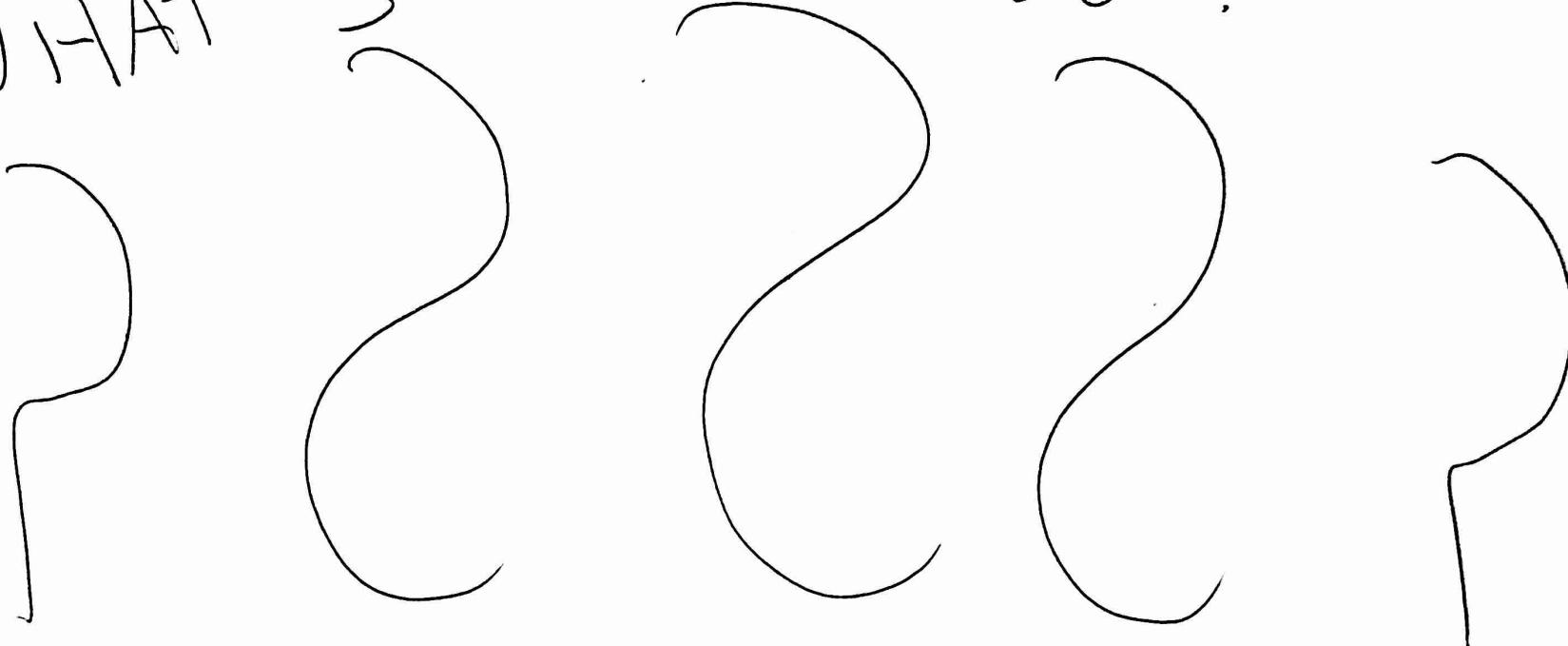
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SORRY ILJA ! TRIED MY BEST  
TO DRAW YOU !

# LET'S TRY TO NAIL MORE BUGS!



WHAT'S THE LOGO?



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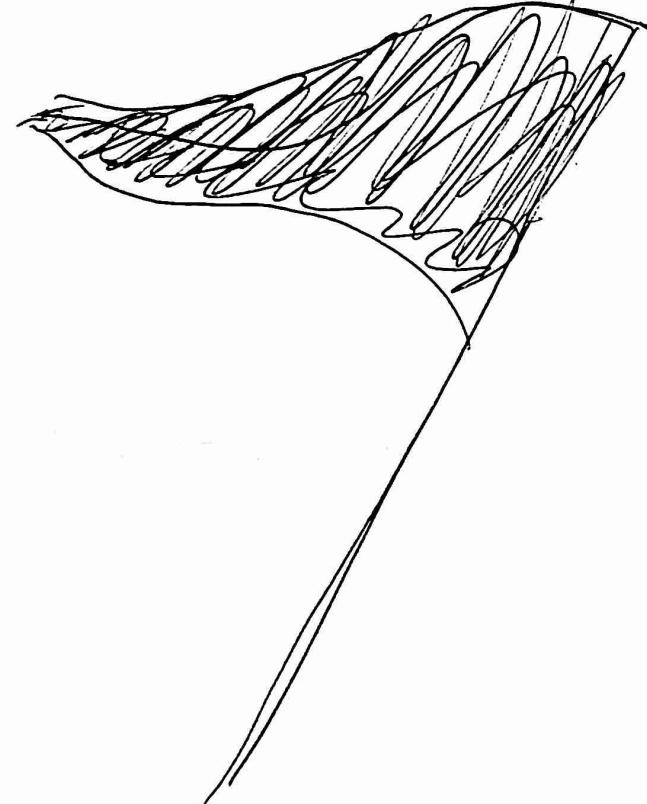
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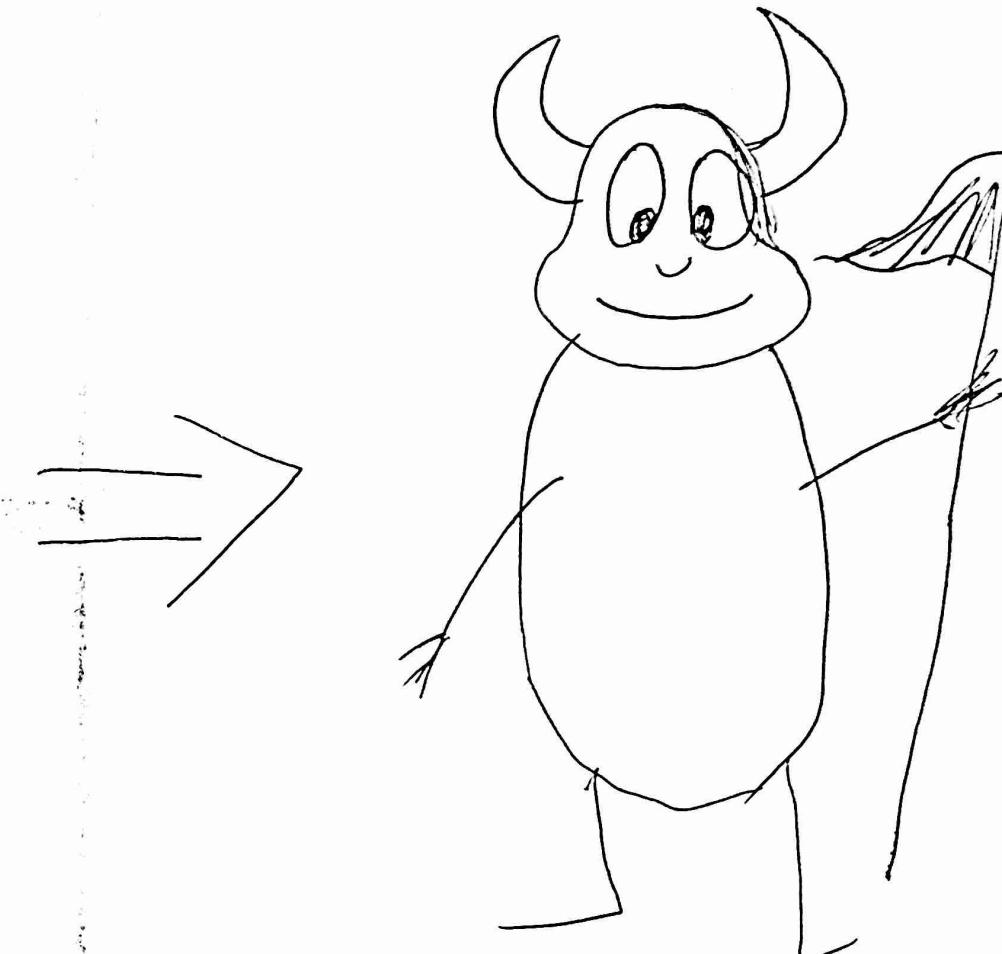
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NetBSD

LET'S PRETEND IT'S  
THE NETBSD KERNEL



NetBSD



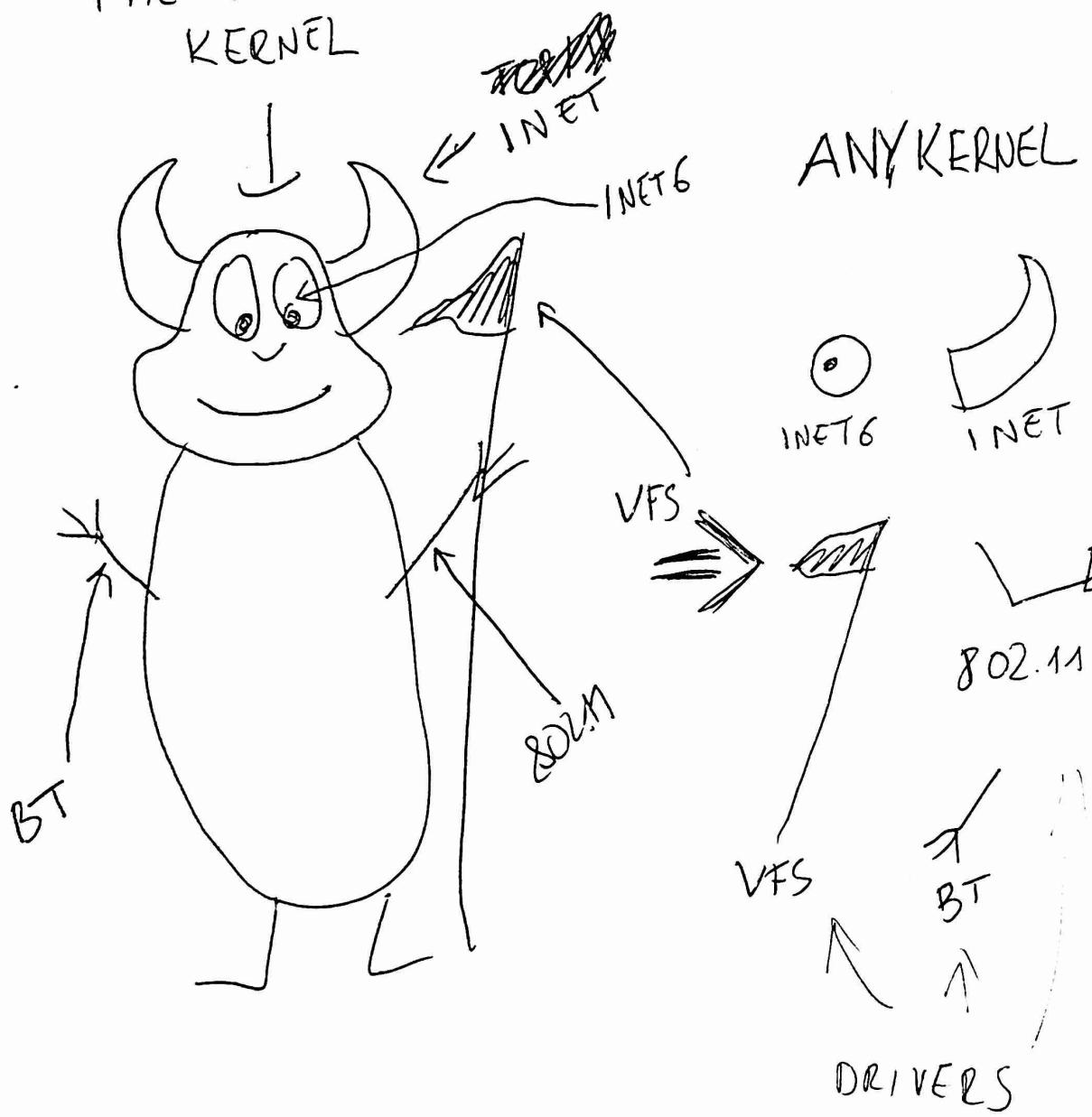
RUMP STANDS FOR:

RUNNABLE    USER    META    PROGRAMS

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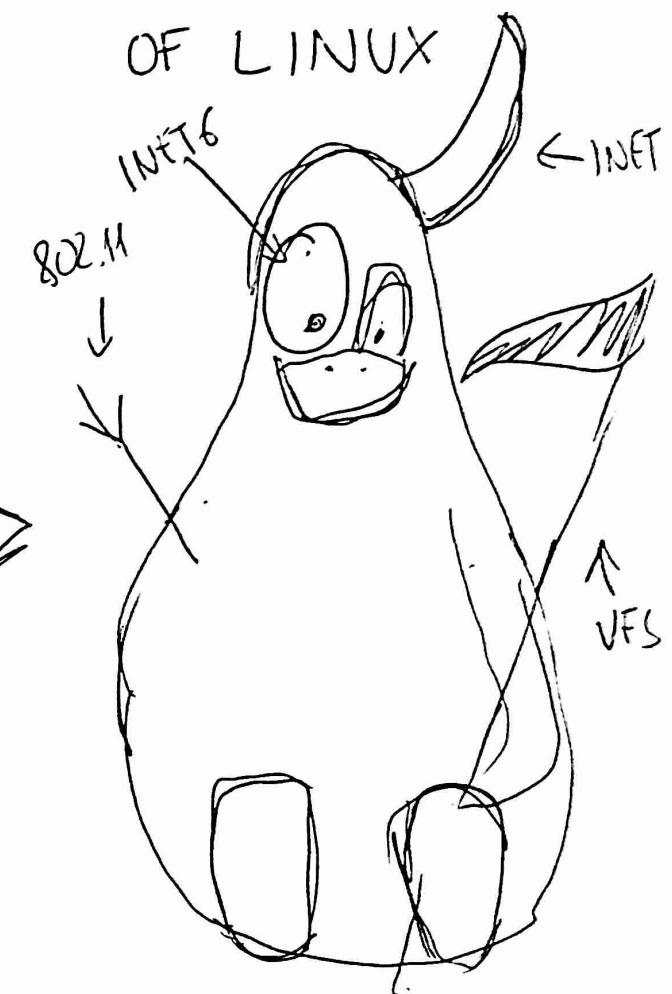


# THE NET BSD KERNEL

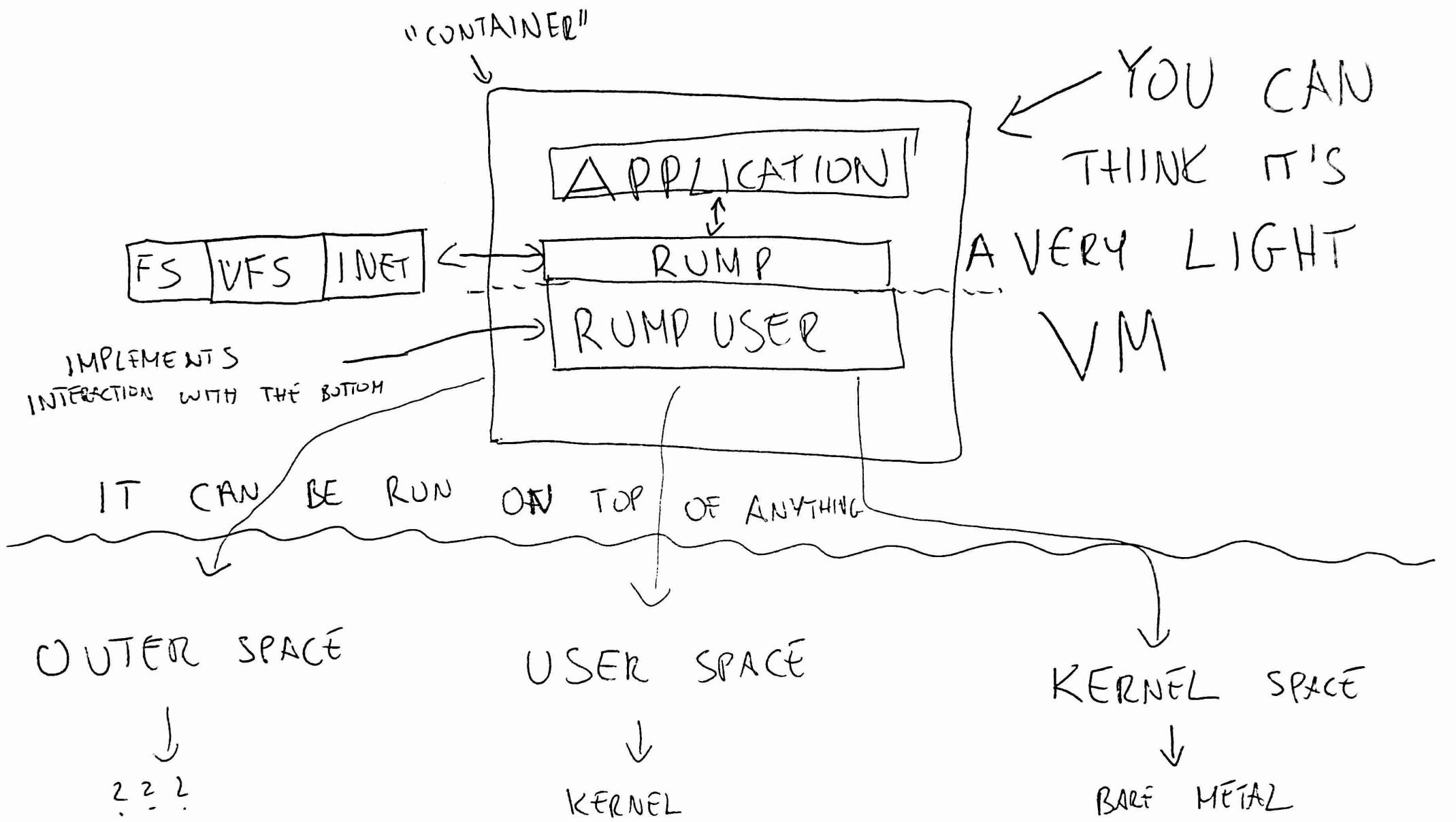


# ANY KERNEL

# RUMP KERNEL RUNNING ON TOP OF LINUX



# DRIVERS



# WHY RUMP IS COOL? BEST PRICE!!!

- ① WE CAN RUN TCP/IP STACK IN USER SPACE FS  
(SECURITY!) (SEL4, HVED, ...)
- ② WE CAN DEBUG PARTS OF THE KERNEL IN THE USER SPACE (YES! USING GDB) DEMO  
GDB VS DDB
- ③ WE CAN SPEED UP KERNEL DEV PROCESS  
NO NEED TO REBOOT, FANCY DEBUG SETUP, VMs ...
- ④ WE CAN USE USERLAND TOOLS GDB, SANITIZERS, GCOV, MODERN FUZZERS

# DEMO

DDB

VS

GDB

+ RJMP

RJMPCTRL.SH

TCP: CONNECTION

RJMP ALLSERVER

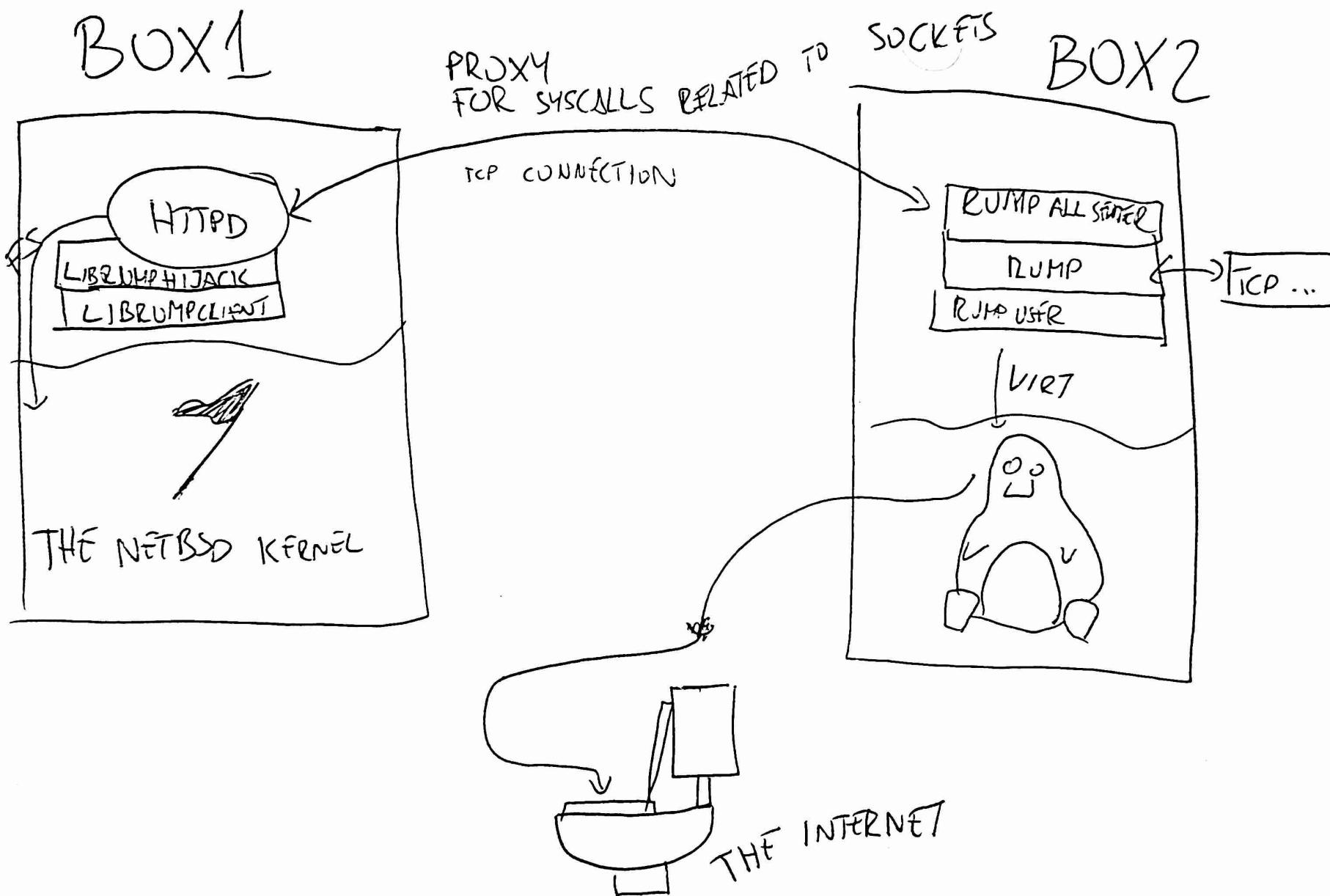
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GDB



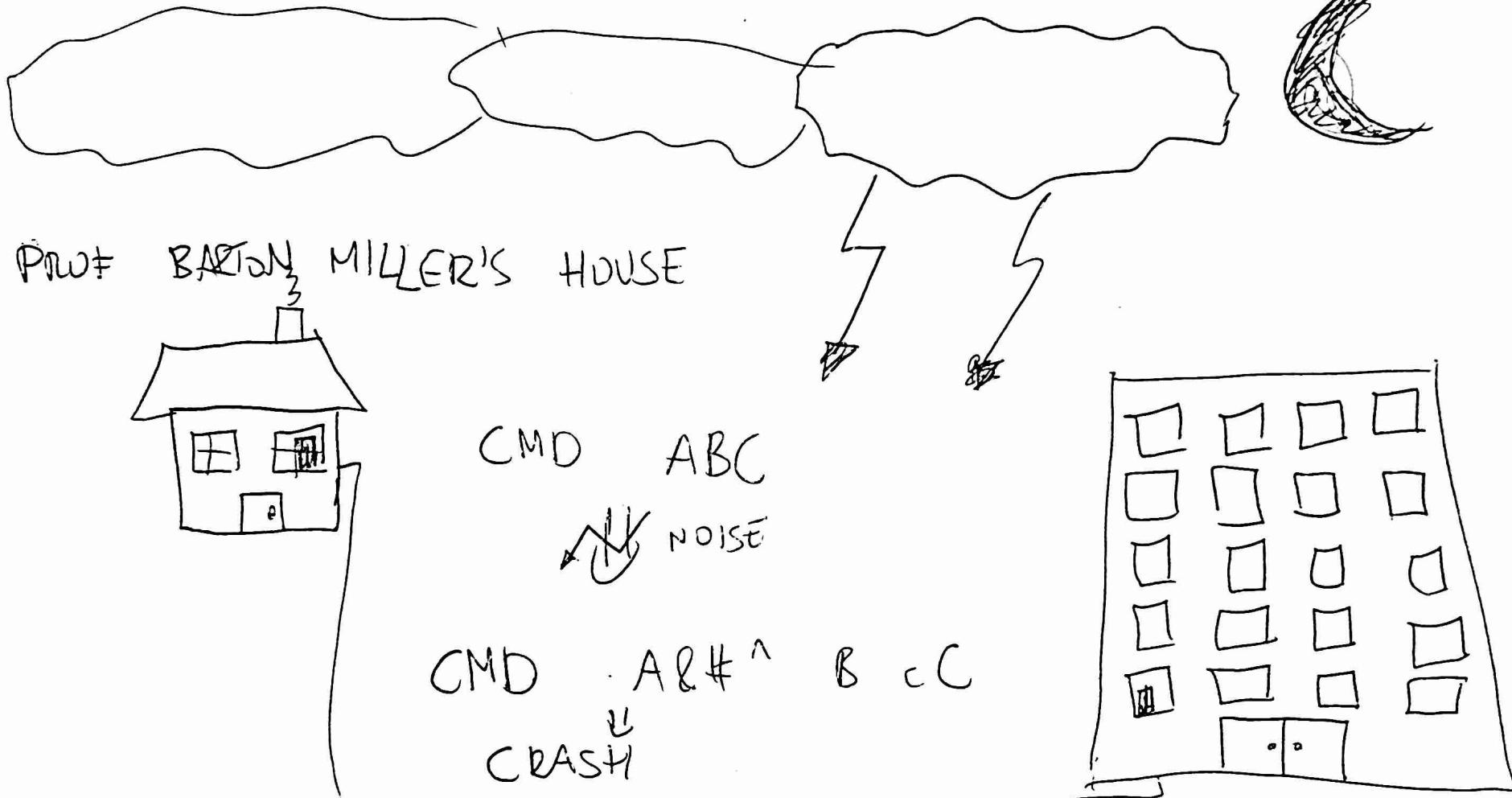
PING

BREAK ICMP\_INPUT

# DEMO



DARK & STORMY NIGHT IN THE FALL OF 1988



TELEPHONE LINE

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# FUZZING FLAVOURS

CREATE RANDOM DATA AND SEE WHAT HAPPENS.



DUMB FUZZING  
MONKEY TESTING

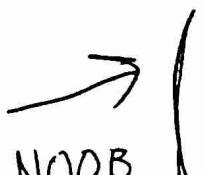


CREATE RANDOM DATA BASING ON FEEDBACK FROM PREVIOUS EXECUTIONS AND SEE WHAT HAPPENS



FEEDBACK DRIVEN FUZZING

IF SMJ / KNOT THEORY & SOME PEOPLE CALL IT SMART FUZZING IS INVOLVED



AT LEAST THIS GUY IS NOT A NOOB

# FUZZ RUMP . SH

FORK OF BUILD RUMP.SH THAT LET YOU FUZZ THINGS

✓ M.x → g.x

✓ SANITIZER SUPPORT

✓ CLANG / GCC

✓ AFL SUPPORT (INCLUDING AFL-CLANG-FAST)

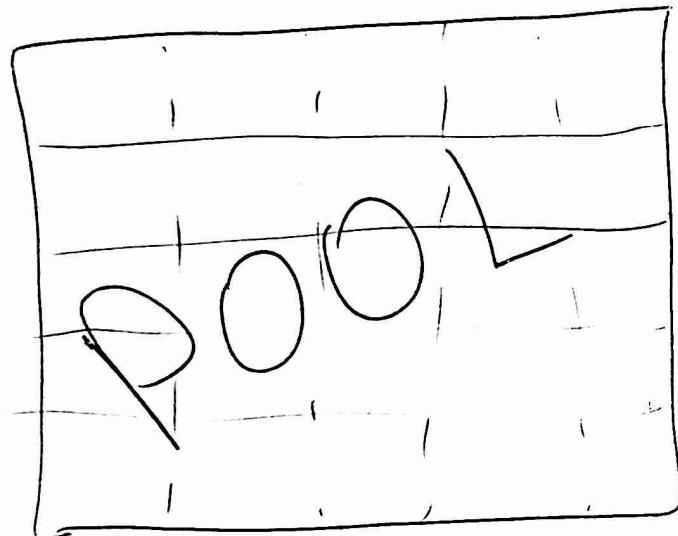
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[HTTPS://GITHUB.COM/AKAT1/FUZZRUMP.SH/](https://github.com/akat1/fuzzrump.sh)

- ./build\_rump.sh check at git
- ./build\_rump.sh tools build install

TESTED ON UBUNTU 16 LTS

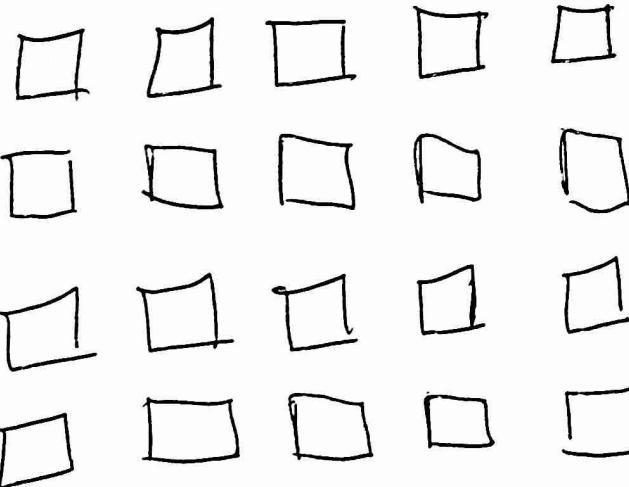
# INTEGRATION WITH ADDRESS SANITIZER

MEMORY ALLOCATORS



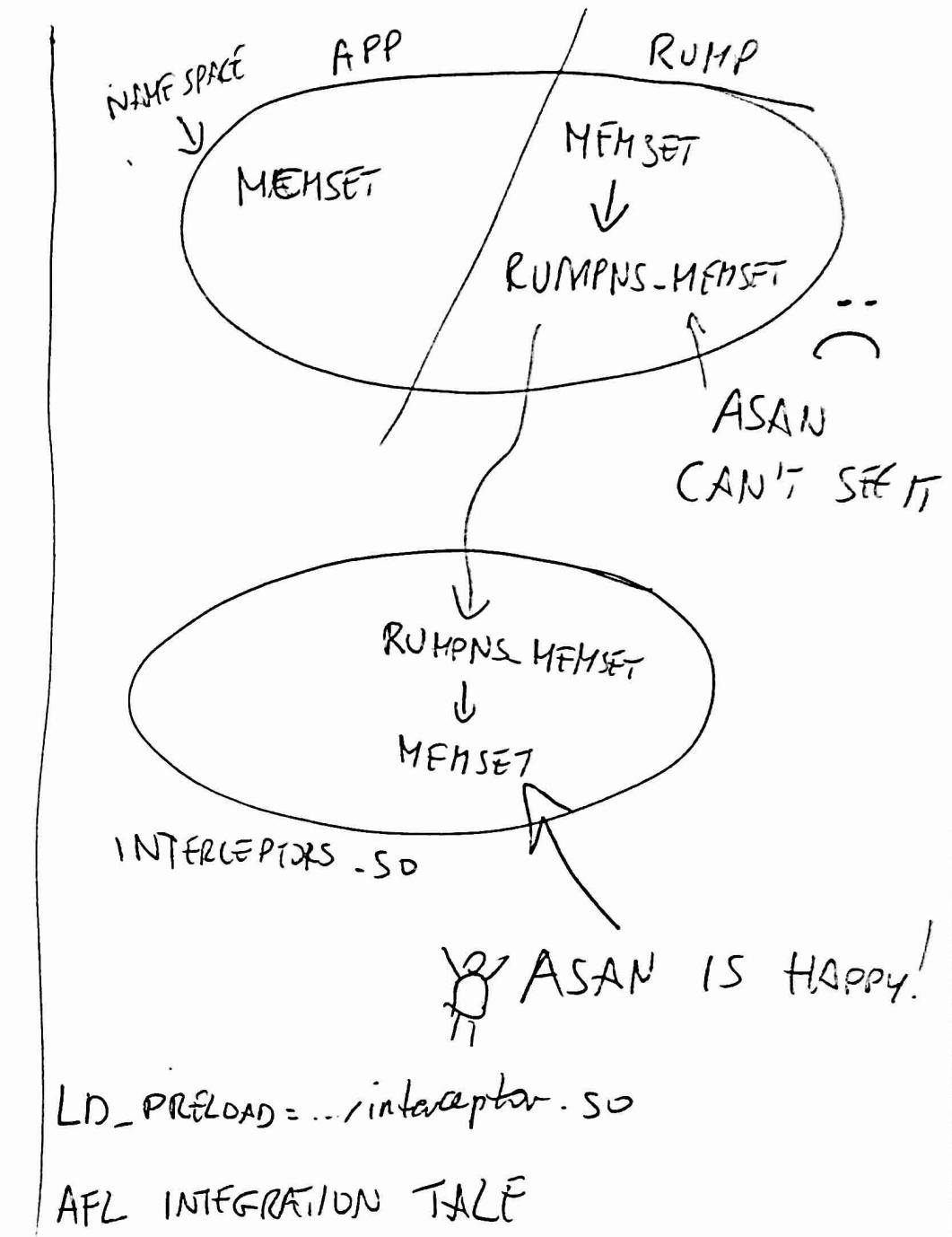
1 HUGE ALLOC

VS



n SMALL ONES

POOL(9), MALLOC, KMEM(9) ...



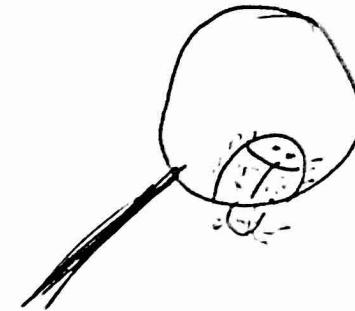
# WHAT TO LOOK FOR?

- MEMORY CORRUPTION
- PANICS
- LEAKS!
- HANGS
- SHOW MUST GO ON IN CASE OF THE KERNEL

WHY?

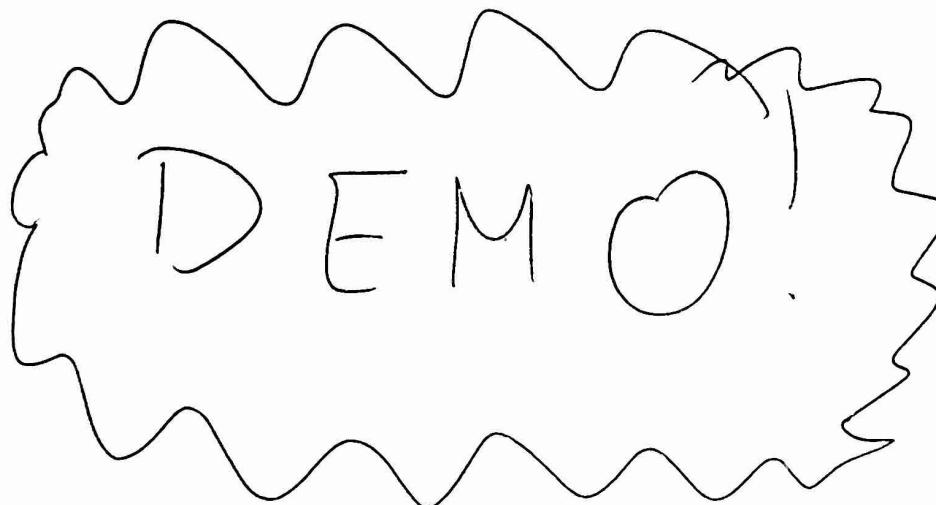
→ LEAK TRIGGERED FROM THE REMOTE

IS DANGEROUS ✗



DUMB USE CASE - MINÉRVA - LIB

- SYSCALL FUZZING USING RANDOM VALUES

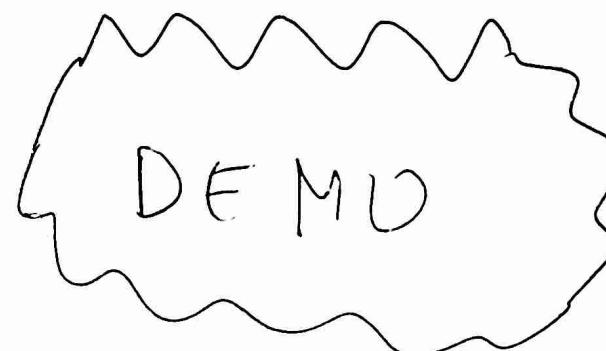


DUMB FUZZER IS DUMB

# RUMP FUZZ - FILESYSTEMS

APPROACH: MOUNT FS → DO SOME OPERATIONS → UNMOUNT

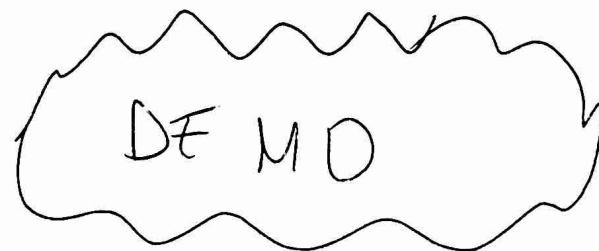
~~TESTED~~ TESTED EXT2, FFS AND FOUND DOZEN OF CRASHES



# RUMP FUZZ - NETWORK

① APPROACH #1 → INJECT PACKETS USING RAW SOCKETS  
PROBLEM: FROM CLIENT THERE IS NO WAY TO KNOW IF  
PACKET WAS HANDLED

② APPROACH #2 ⇒ EXPOSE INPUT FUNCTIONS AND INJECT PACKETS  
DIRECTLY



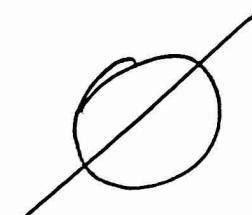
SPEED: ~10K/s USING PERSISTENT AFL MODE

PROBLEMS: ① CHECKSUMS, STATEFUL PROTOS, M\_BUFS, NOT STABLE...

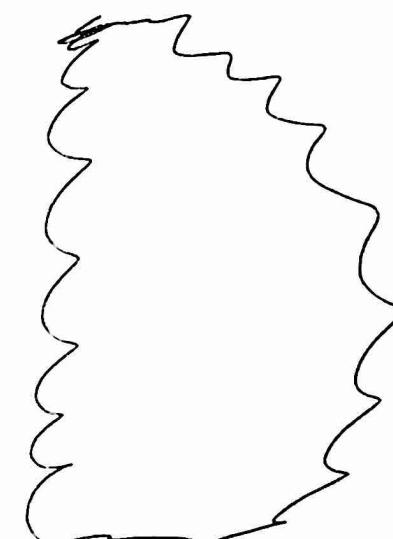
BUGS FOUND..

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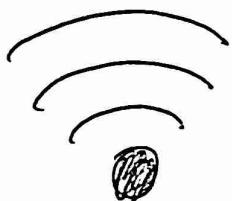
- CORPUS CAN BE REUSED AS A TEST SUITE
- ... NOT A BIG SURPRISE,
  - ↳ WE NEED TO DIG DEEPER
  - ↳ IMPROVE COVERAGE
  - ↳ COVER MORE BUG TYPES
  - ↳ TESTED WELL IN THE WILD

AT LEAST WE ARE NOT  
NOOBS...

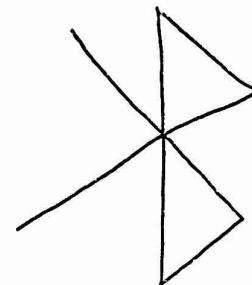


# FUTURE DIRECTIONS

- COVER MORE DRIVERS



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BLUETOOTH

- OSS - FUZZ INTEGRATION

- IMPROVE COVERAGE

- OTHER OSes? LibOS?

MORE  
WE NEED  
YOU!

THANKS:

POOKA - ANTTI KANTEE

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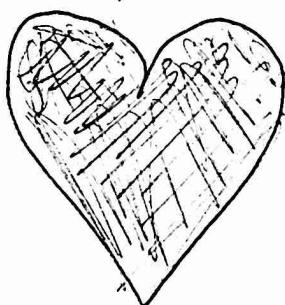
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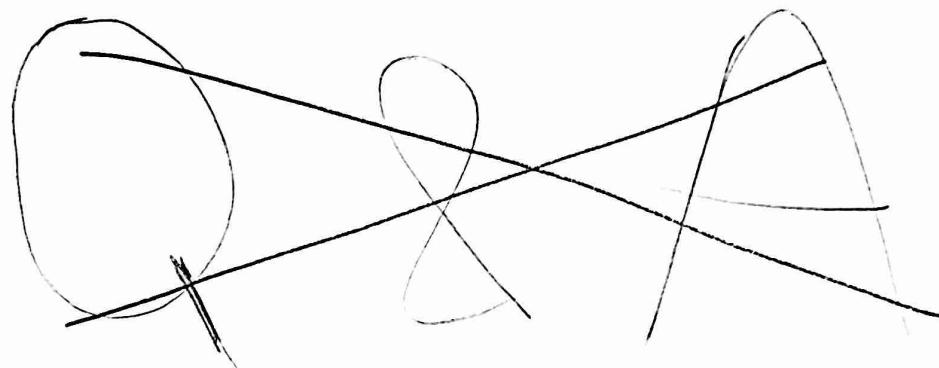
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