#### **Anti-Forensics AF**

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# mov eax, 0x6b; int 0x80



- Rapper
- Some other stuff idk

#### Overview



- Memory Forensics vs SMC\*
  - Windows
  - Linux
- Android (Anti-)Forensics
- Fun with SD cards

#### Disclaimers



- !Professional
- TROLOLOLOL
- !Expert / YMMV
- DO ILLEGAL THINGS



- Focus on software protection (malware)
- Persist, thwart detection
- Inhibit acquisition and analysis



- All the cool stuff happens in memory
- Loading from disk
- Why can't I hold all these sections?



- No longer referenced, no longer needed
- Analysis tools madbro
- Lots of fun to be had



- Demo
  - thekeysarelikerightnexttoeachother.exe
    - Rekall (winpmem)

```
<tatclass> YOU ALL SUCK DICK
<tatclass> er.
<tatclass> hi.
<andy\code> A common typo.
<tatclass> the keys are like right next to each other.
```



- PE header not needed after loading
- Zero the header (RtlZeroMemory)
- Process continues to run
- Analysis tools fail
- Win: XP → 10



Completeness:

```
winpmem-2.1.post4.exe -o lol.aff4

"C:\Program Files\Rekall\rekal.exe" -f lol.aff4

> procdump proc_regex="thekeys",
    dump_dir="C:/Users/int0x80/Desktop/"
```



- Demo
  - thekeysarelikerightnexttoeachother-linux
    - LiME
    - Volatility



- ELF header not needed after loading
- Zero the header (memset)
- Process continues to run
- Analysis tools fail



Completeness:

```
git clone https://github.com/504ensicsLabs/LiME

cd LiME/src/

make

sudo insmod ./lime-$(uname -r).ko \
   "path=/tmp/lol.lime format=lime"
```



Completeness:

```
git clone https://github.com/
volatilityfoundation/volatility

cd volatility/
sudo python setup.py install
```



Completeness:

```
cd tools/linux/
```

make

head module.dwarf

```
.debug_info
```

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Completeness:

```
sudo zip \
  volatility/plugins/overlays/linux/Ubuntu1604.zip \
  tools/linux/module.dwarf \
  /boot/System.map-$(uname -r)

python vol.py --info | grep ^Linux

Volatility Foundation Volatility Framework 2.5
LinuxUbuntu1604x64 - A Profile for Linux Ubuntu1604
x64
```



Completeness:

```
python vol.py -f /tmp/lol.lime \
   --profile=LinuxUbuntu1604x64 linux_pslist

python vol.py -f /tmp/lol.lime \
   --profile=LinuxUbuntu1604x64 linux_procdump \
   -D /tmp -p <PID>
```



Use Encryption



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- Also "Use Tor, Use Signal"

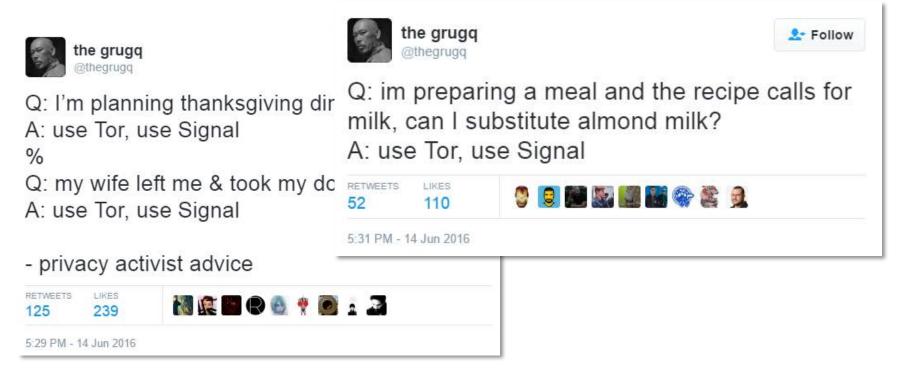


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the grugq @thegrugq



Use Tor. Use Signal.



I fucking give up. Parody has nothing on reality.





- Use Encryption
- But first, a word about Android forensics





- Not the easiest
- Acquisition/Imaging is a pain
  - Numerous caveats
  - CONFIG\_MODULES=y
  - Cross-compile nc
  - Different interfaces



- Acquisition/Imaging caveats:
  - Power
  - Decrypted
  - Unlocked
  - Rooted
  - USB Debugging



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NAND acquisition done with nc

```
adb devices
adb push ./nc /sdcard/nc
adb forward tcp:4444 tcp:4444
adb shell
su
cp /sdcard/nc /dev/nc
chmod 777 /dev/nc
```



NAND acquisition done with nc

```
dd if=/dev/block/mmcblk0 bs=65535 | \
    /dev/nc -nvlp 4444
nc -nv 127.0.0.1 4444 > image.nand
sha256sum image.nand
cp -a image.nand image.nand.copy
sha256sum image.nand*
```



- NAND exposed via different interfaces
- Check /proc/partitions
  - -/dev/block/mmcblk\*
  - -/dev/mtd/mtd\*
  - -/dev/mtdblock\*
  - -/dev/emmc\*
  - -/\*/\*/\* no, comment



- Logical acquisition is easier
  - adb pull / ./dump
  - adb shell dumpsys &> ./dumpsys.log
  - -adb backup -apk -obb -shared
    -all -system



- Logical acquisition is easier

  - adb bugreport &> ./bugreport.log
  - aflogical-ose



- Complete forensic acquisition/analysis sucks
- Likely violate traditional methodology
- Easy to disrupt :)



- Use Encryption
- Example scenarios:
  - Raided by LE
  - Deploying hardware implant
  - -\\_(ツ)\_/-



- Use Encryption
- Easiest solution:
  - Power down device
  - Everything encrypted
  - Lawyer up

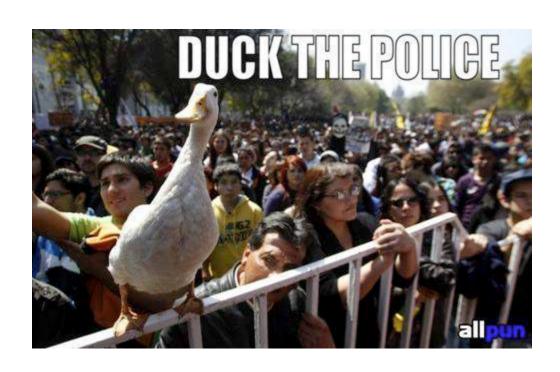


- Power down if tampering detected
- Leverage device sensors
  - Bluetooth
  - Cellular
  - GPS
  - Motion
  - Power
  - WiFi



- Android app: Duck The Police
- Device assertions:
  - Encrypted
  - Rooted
  - Magnets
  - Sensors

DEMO





- Use Encryption
- Example scenarios:
  - Raided by LE
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- WIN



• CTF Time!



• [SPOILER PREVENTION INTENSIFIES]





- sdtool
- Lock/Unlock device
- Physical lock disengaged
- Writes happen in memory
- Nothing written to device
- NO LOGS, NO CRIME



- sdtool caveats:
  - Direct access to MMC device required
  - Some USB hubs only expose mass storage
    - WON'T WORK



- Example scenarios:
  - Hardware implant
  - PORTAL of Pi (@thegrugq)
    - https://github.com/int0x80/notes/wiki/Linux:-PORTAL-of-Pi
  - Attack VM



- sdtool: <a href="http://www.bertold.org/sdtool/">http://www.bertold.org/sdtool/</a>
- Edit Makefile to use clang instead of gcc

```
sudo ./sdtool /dev/mmcblk0 status
sudo ./sdtool /dev/mmcblk0 lock
sudo ./sdtool /dev/mmcblk0 unlock
```

### Questions?

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