# SECURE COMMUNICATIONS & STEGANOGRAPHY

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- SSL, Online Shopping
- Email/Messaging encryption
- > SSH, SFTP, SCP
- > VPN (Personal and Enterprise)
- ► VOIP
- ► RFID
- Mesh Networks

## SECURE COMMUNICATIONS (EXAMPLES)

#### UNITED

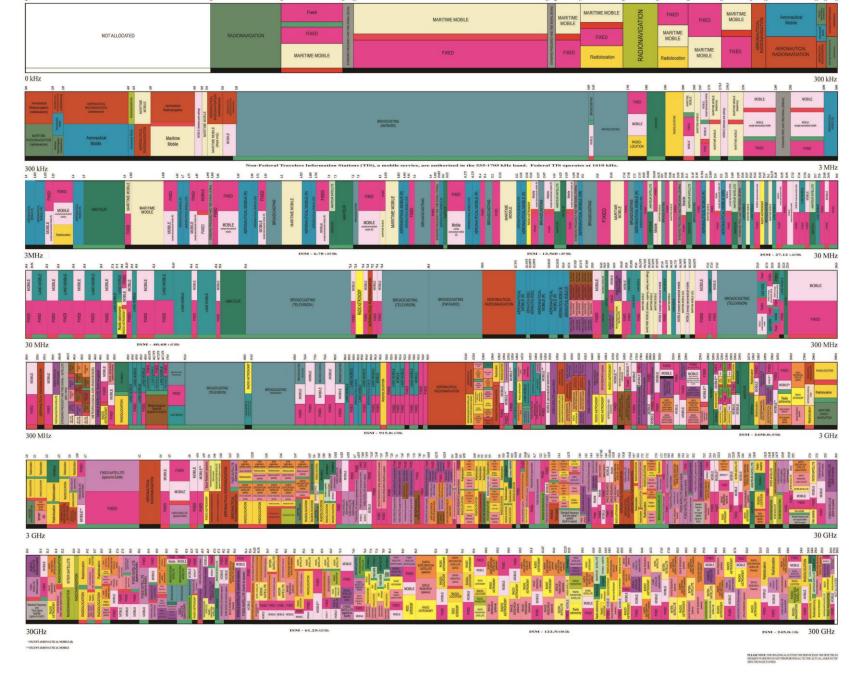
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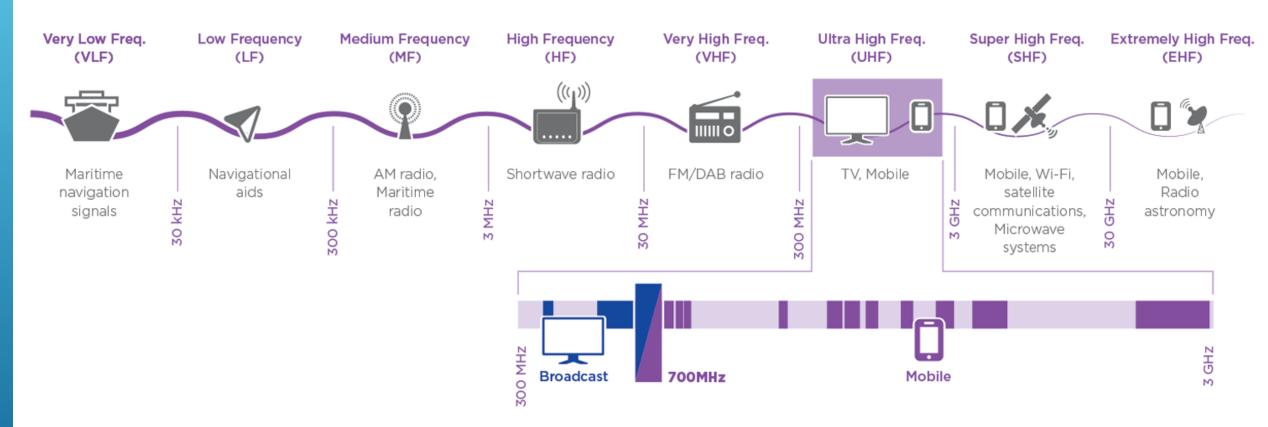
#### **ALLOCATIONS**

#### THE RADIO SPECTRUM





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The UHF band (470 to 862 MHz) is critical to the delivery of broadcast services, and is the only frequency range that can be used for TV broadcasting. Parts of the UHF band have already been freed up for mobile use, and there is increasing pressure from mobile operators to open the 700MHz band.

- ► <u>Electronic Frontier Foundation</u>
- VPN (Personal and Enterprise)
- Raspberry Pi Wireless Access Point/VPN Router
- Cracking Wireless w/ Kali
- RFID (POS Machines, P2PE, Physical Security)
- Transportation System Discussion (PTC)

- Organization focused on personal privacy.
- Surveillance Self Defense Guide (SSD.EFF.ORG)
- Secure Communication Recommendations
- Metadata Data Collection
- Mobile Phones Location Tracking

#### ELECTRONIC FRONTIER FOUNDATION

#### **End-to-End Encryption**

- VOIP Polycom & RSA Security Analytics
- ▶ Text & Instant Messaging OTR Protocol
- ▶ Email

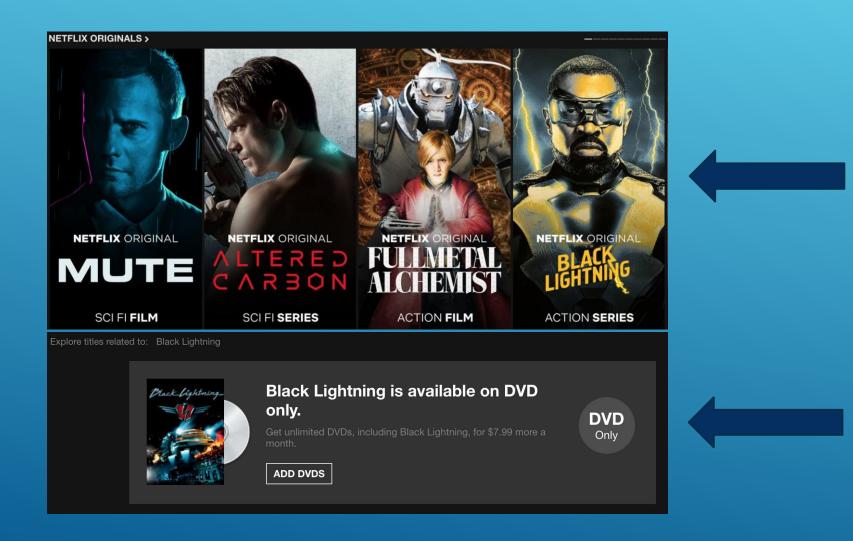
### EFF COMMUNICATION RECOMMENDATIONS

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- Popularity Gained with Ruling on Net Neutrality
- Used for:
  - Reducing Exposure of Personal Data
  - Circumventing Censorship
  - Bypassing Geo-Blocked Services (e.g. Netflix)
  - Obscuring a Hacker's Network Trail (Geo-Spoofing)

#### PERSONAL VPNS

#### NETFLIX COMPARISON



**VPN ON** 

**VPN OFF** 

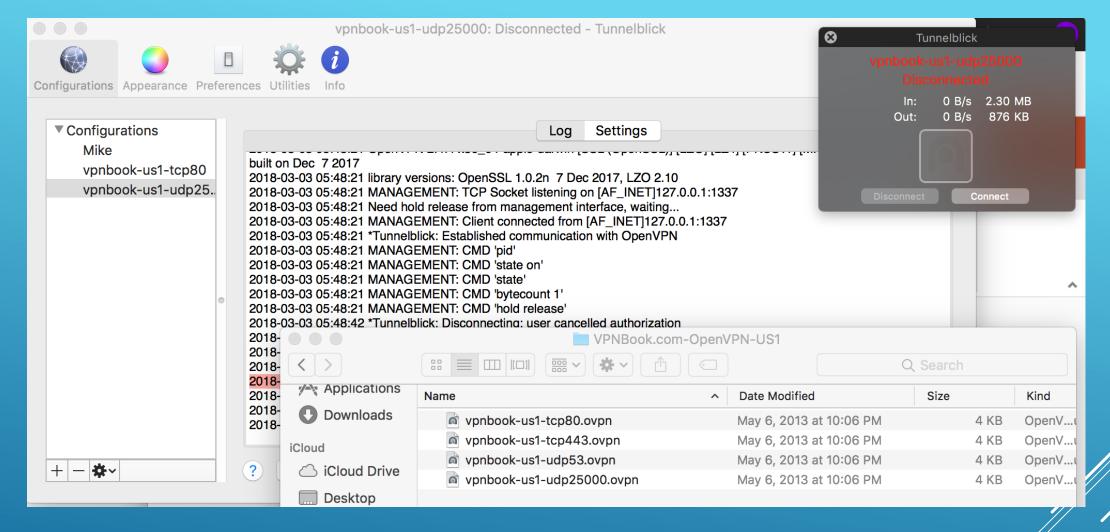
- Becoming More Difficult to Secure
- Used for:
  - Site to Site VPN (aka Branch VPN)
  - Remote Access
- Recommendations
  - Avoid Site to Site VPN if Possible
  - For Remote Access Implement MFA, No Split Tunneling, AV Version Checking, No BYOD, Deploy Certificate Based System

#### ENTERPRISE VPNS

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- Download Opera Browser (Built in VPN)
- Purchase VPN Product (Install Agents/Apps on Devices)
- Implement OpenVPN (Free)

#### PERSONAL VPN DEPLOYMENT

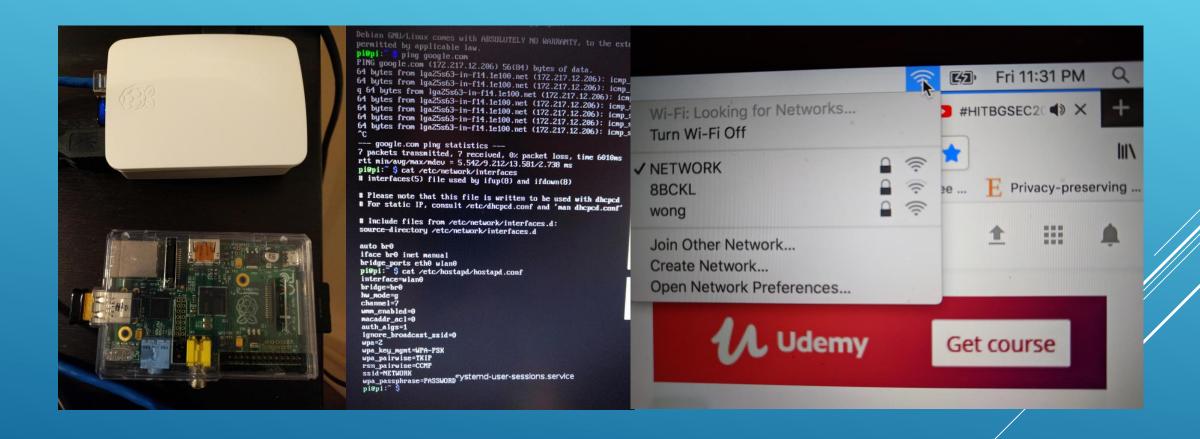


OPENVPN IMPLEMENTATION

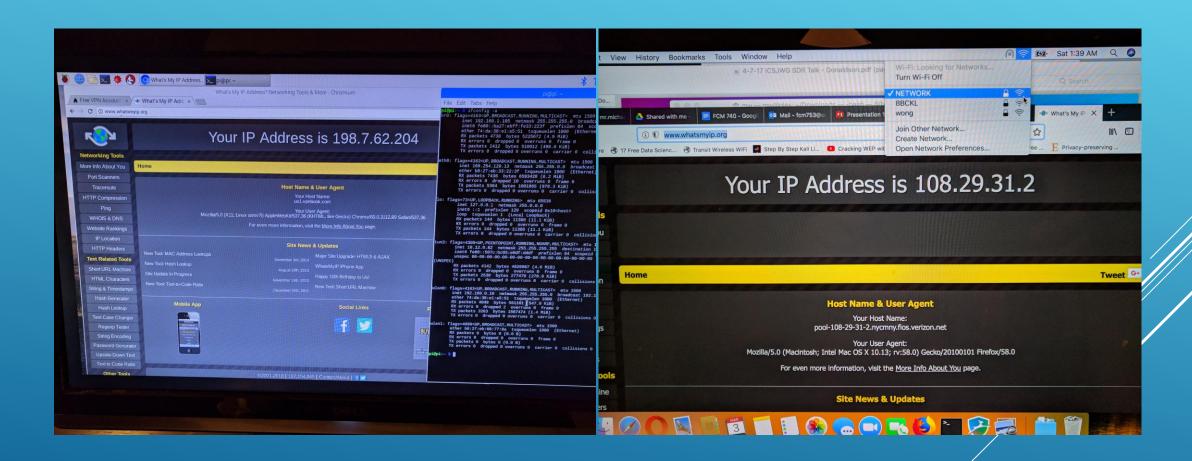
- Raspberry Pi 3 (Preferred)
- ► Monitor w/ HDMI
- ➤ RJ45 Internet Connection
- USB Keyboard Mouse
- Micro SD Card (Over 8Gb)
- ▶ Lots of Patience and Time

### RASPBERRY PI PROJECT REQUIREMENTS

#### RASPBERRY PI PROJECT



#### RASPBERRY PI RESULTS



#### BREAK TIME







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➤ Live Demonstration...



CRACKING WIRELESS W/ KALI

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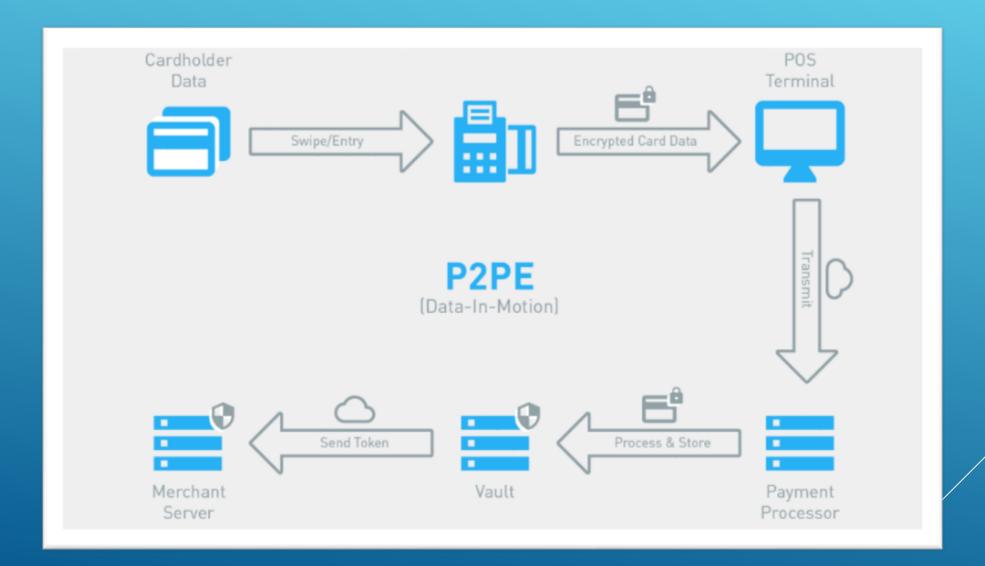
- Active
- Semi-Active
- Passive

#### RFID CARD TYPES



OCTOPUS CARD (HONG KONG)

#### POINT TO POINT ENCRYPTION



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- ► FCC Licensed Frequency
- Dedicated for PTC
- Vulnerabilities
  - ▶ Jamming
  - ▶ Latency
  - > Authentication
- Emerging Threat (SDR)



#### POSITIVE TRAIN CONTROL

### SOFTWARE DEFINED RADIO HACKING TOOLS



### THANK YOU!