# Wireless, Mobile, Cloud & IoT

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# Aims & Objectives

- Upon completion of this lecture you will be able to:
  - Describe the threats posed to users of wireless networks
  - Compare the benefits and drawbacks of cloud computing (in a security context)
  - Explain the security challenges posed by B.Y.O.D
  - Summarise the type of data at risk of attack on mobile devices
  - Evaluate the security issues in emerging computing areas (Cloud, Mobile, etc)

### Overview

- Wireless
- Mobile
- B.Y.O.D (Bring Your Own Device)
- Cloud
- Summary

### Wireless

- Wireless networks are pervasive
- Advantages
  - Rapid deployment
  - Flexibility / Mobility
  - Cost reduction
- Disadvantages
  - Chaotic topologies
  - Interference
  - Limited range
  - Open transfer medium (Air)

# Wireless Technologies

Technology	Typical Range	Bandwidth	Applications
RFID	20cm	424Kbps	EPOS, Passports, Credit Cards
Bluetooth	10m	2Mbps / 25Mbps	Headsets
Wi-Fi (802.11 Family)	100m	11Mbps / 1.3Gbps	PCs, Laptops, Smartphones, Tablets
GSM / GPRS / UTMS / LTE	Kilometres	9.6Kbps/171Kbps/3Mbps/50Mbps	Mobile devices

Others; Bluetooth Low Energy, Zigbee, ANT, CDMA, IrDA

### RFID – Threats & Countermeasures

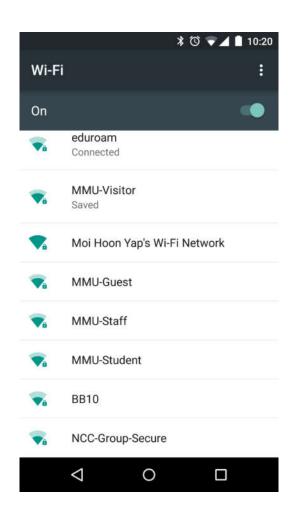
- Threats
  - Eavesdropping / skimming
  - Traffic analysis / profiling
  - Spoofing
  - Denial of Service (Tag kill command)
  - Jamming
- Countermeasures
  - Password protection of tag memory
  - Tag locking (make tag read only)
  - Faraday cage
- Further reading http://www.infosec.gov.hk/english/technical/files/rfid.pdf

### Bluetooth

- Named after the Viking king, Harald Bluetooth Gormsson and his abilities to make 10th-century European factions communicate.
- Bluesnarfing Information stolen from device (Address book, IMEI, SMS, etc)
- Bluebugging Authorised access to the microphone, speaker, etc
- Bluejacking Spamming through Bluetooth business cards
- DoS Rapid number of pairing requests to deplete battery
- Countermeasures
  - Bluetooth Employs frequency hopping,
  - Discovery mode,
  - Pairing codes
  - Switch off when not in use
- Further Reading
  - <a href="http://www.swedetrack.com/images/bluet11.htm">http://www.swedetrack.com/images/bluet11.htm</a>
  - https://www.schneier.com/blog/archives/2005/04/bluetooth\_snipe.html

### Wi-Fi – Threats & Countermeasures

- Ubiquitous WLAN technology
- Threats
  - Eavesdropping
  - Unauthorised access
  - Jamming
- Countermeasures
  - Encryption
  - Access control



# Wi-Fi - Eavesdropping

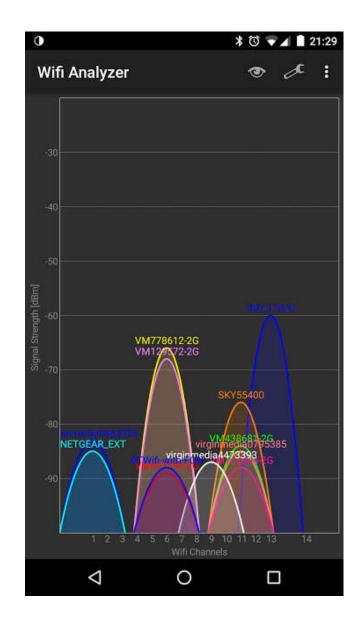
- Wi-Fi uses an open communication media (air) this makes it susceptible to eavesdropping
- Confidentiality is breached through unauthorised interception of radio signals
- Eavesdropping is a passive attack, data is unaltered and the user is unaware of the intrusion
- Due to the range of Wi-Fi the attacker can be some distance away (possibly miles with the correct antenna)

### Wi-Fi — Unauthorised Access

- Unprotected shared file stores become vulnerable on wireless networks
- Attackers masquerade as authorised user (e.g. MAC Spoofing)
- Confidentiality and integrity of the network is breached
- Stolen device used to access the network
- Malware may propagate across wireless networks infecting connected machines
- Man-in-the-middle attack gains access to user's communications
  - Two network cards to form a bridge, connecting users to the legitimate access point via the man in the middle
- Evil Twin attack rogue access point poses as a legitimate one
  - Facilitate man-in-the-middle attack on HTTPS connections (provide bogus SSL certificate)
  - Facilitate phishing attack with bogus DNS server

# Wi-Fi Jamming

- Radio interference can degrade or prevent transmission
- Interference can occur accidentally (Wi-Fi base stations, devices on the same frequency (2.5GHz / 5GHz)
- Deliberate jamming
  - High power covering a large frequency range
  - Low power targeting specific channels within a frequency
- DoS attacks, sending nodes into sleep mode



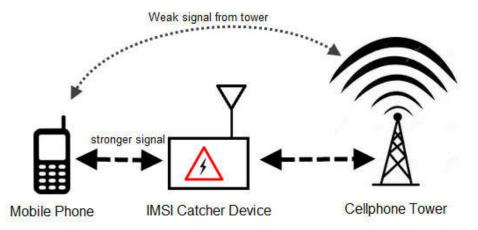
### Wi-Fi Countermeasures

- Encryption
  - WEP Layer 2 (Data Link Layer)
  - WPA Layer 2 (Data Link Layer)
  - WP2 Layer 2 (Data Link Layer)
    - Use AES rather than TKIP
  - VPN Layer 3 (Network Layer)
- Access Control
  - MAC Filtering
  - Disable SSID (Service Set Identifier) broadcast
  - Radius server
    - More complex, allows policies, de-auth, LDAP / AD

# GSM / UTMS / LTE

- Pervasive technology
- Provides
  - Voice
  - Data
  - SMS
- Uses unique USIMS / IMEI numbers
- GSM employs A5 stream cipher (broken)
- UTMS employs KASUMI block cipher (known weaknesses)
- LTE employs SNOW 3G stream cipher
- Further reading
  - <a href="http://spectrum.ieee.org/telecom/security/the-athens-affair">http://spectrum.ieee.org/telecom/security/the-athens-affair</a>

### IMSI Catcher



- IMSI Catcher Fake Cell tower performs MITM attack
- Catcher device masquerades as cell tower
- Forces mobile to communicate in plaintext
- Used by law enforcement and intelligence services & ???
- UTMS catchers force the mobile to fall back to GSM
- Controversial as any devices in the vicinity are compromised, not the just the target device.

### Mobile Devices

- Mobile device use has increased dramatically over the last decade
- Mobile devices;
  - Small, and therefore
    - Easily lost / Stolen
  - Connected to high value gateway accounts
    - Personal email, corporate email
  - Always on, and always connected
    - Wi-Fi / LTE connects
  - Contain large amounts (GBs) of personally sensitive information

### In Class Task

- Evaluate the security of your own personal mobile devices:
  - What threats do they face?
  - What threats to they pose to a business environment?
- Research some recent attacks on mobile devices and document the key lessons learned.

### Mobile Device - Data

- Contact data
- Credentials
- Social Network Accounts
- Personal Diaries
- Access to cloud systems (iCloud, Google)
- Access to emails, and therefore access to payment methods
  - Identity theft / Account lockout

### Mobile Device - Threats

- Malware attacks
- Wireless Network Attacks (ARP poisoning, Snooping)
- Theft
- Premium rate number scams
- Data leakage via apps

# Mobile Devices - Mitigation

- Use of VPN on untrusted networks
- Secure device with a strong password
- Encrypt device storage
- Only install apps from trusted sources
- Be mindful of app permissions

# Cloud Computing - Definition

- The National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) describe the following essential characteristics:
  - On-demand self-service
  - Broad network access
  - Resource pooling
  - Rapid elasticity
  - Measured service

#### Source:

http://csrc.nist.gov/publications/nistpubs/800-145/SP800-145.pdf

# Cloud Computing – Service Models

- The three broad service models are:
  - SaaS Software as a Service e.g. Google Documents
  - PaaS Platform as a Service e.g. Google App Engine
  - IaaS Infrastructure as a Service e.g. AWS (Amazon Web Services)

# Cloud Computing – Technical Overview

- Clouds are made up of a number of components:
  - Cloud Controller
  - Custer Controller / Storage Controller
  - Clusters
  - Nodes
  - Hypervisors
  - Virtual Machines

# Cloud Computing Security Drawbacks

- Data dispersal and international privacy laws
- Loss of direct control of data / infrastructure
- Data ownership issues (who now owns the data?)
- Potential for increased attacks from hackers (clouds are viewed as high value targets)
- Exposure of data to foreign government agencies
- Multi-tenancy issues, other users may attack the system
- Insider threat from Cloud provider

# Cloud Computing Security Benefits

- The cloud provide may provide a dedicated security team
- Cloud environments offer greater resiliency
- Offsite backup of data
- Hypervisor protection against attacks
- Widespread use of encryption for data in transit and at rest

### B.Y.O.D – Bring Your Own Device

- As mobile devices have increased in popularity a trend of people using their personal devices for work has emerged.
- Overt usage
  - Employees are encouraged to use their own device, if they comply with policy
- Covert usage
  - Employees engage in business activities e.g. check email, on personal devices without regard for policy

### B.Y.O.D. Threats

- Introduction of a new attack vector
- Loss of corporate control, inability to enforce policy on personal devices
- Malware Introduction via personal devices that may not be adequately protected
- Data Breaches, mobile devices with large storage capacities are easily lost or stolen
- Personal Threat- Corporate Control of Personal Device (Remote Wipe, Tracking)
- Breach of DPA Employees my accidentally breach the DPA by mishandling customer data on their personal devices

### B.Y.O.D Mitigation

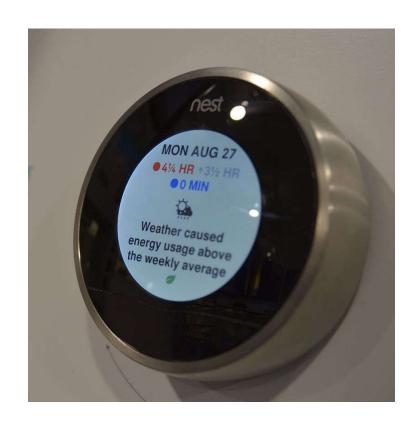
- Have a policy on what is and isn't allowed with regard to B.Y.O.D.
- Secure containers e.g. KNOX
  - Hardware and software integrated security
  - Allow separation of personal and business apps and data
- Proportional remote wipe facilities
- Mandatory use of passwords / encryption
- Validate DPA compliance

# IoT – Internet of Things

- What are IoT Devices?
  - "Non-PC"
  - Proprietary OS
  - Low Resource
  - Low Cost
  - Cloud Backed
  - Sensors / Control of Physical World Devices
  - Environmental Data aggregators?

### IoT Devices

- Example Devices
  - Smart Appliances
    - Fridges, Cookers, TV's
  - Thermostats
  - Light Bulbs
  - Fitness Tackers
  - Vehicles
  - Locks

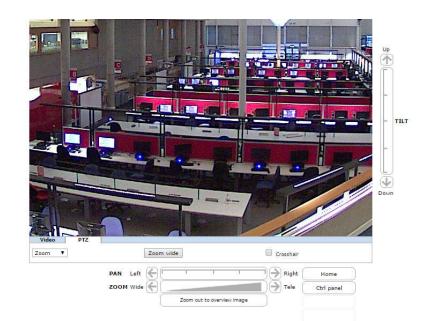


# IoT Security Challenges

- Devices are opaque
  - Lack of control over data
  - Undocumented functionality
- Surveillance capitalism & Mass surveillance
- UPnP Automated Reconfiguration of Networks
- Race to market = insecure devices
  - Default configuration
  - Vulnerable firmware
  - Lack of update mechanisms

### IoT Threats & Risks

- Direct Threat Ownership risk
  - Direct invasion of privacy via device
  - Backdoors / Foot holding points into network
- Indirect Threat Internet Community risk
  - Threat from compromise devices forming botnets
  - Internet Infrastructure threatened
  - ISP's and large targets may be taken offline



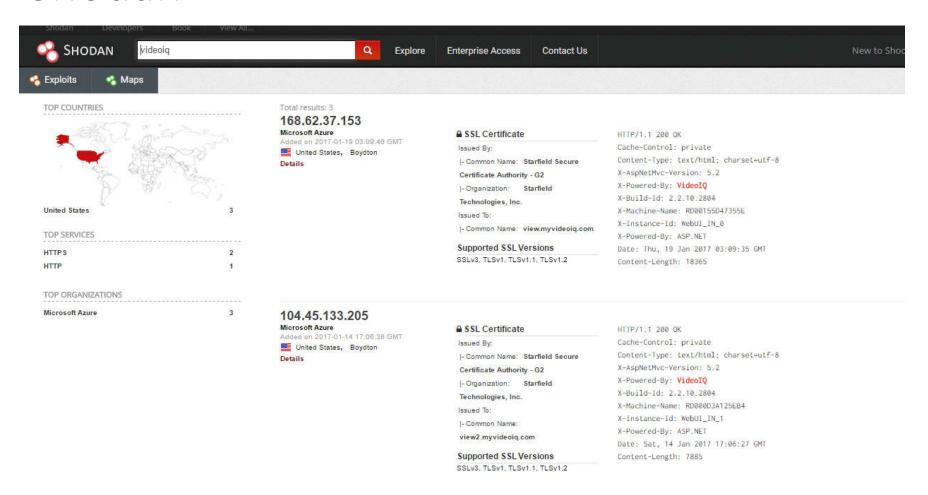
### Mirai Botnet

- Mirai is a botnet of IoT devices
  - Used to launch record breaking DDoS attacks (1Tbps+)
  - Well documented attacks against Krebs & Dyn
- Used the DNS infrastructure to amplify attacks
  - http://tinyurl.com/hyff4w3
- Mapping Mirai
- <a href="http://tinyurl.com/jag69al">http://tinyurl.com/jag69al</a>

# Vulnerable Devices (Mirai Botnet)

Username/Password	Manufacturer	Link to supporting evidence
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admin/123456	ACTi IP Camera	https://ipvm.com/reports/ip-cameras-default-passwords-directory
root/anko	ANKO Products DVR	http://www.cctvforum.com/viewtopic.php?f=3&t=44250
root/pass	Axis IP Camera, et. al	http://www.cleancss.com/router-default/Axis/0543-001
root/vizxv	Dahua Camera	http://www.cam-it.org/index.php?topic=5192.0
root/888888	Dahua DVR	http://www.cam-it.org/index.php?topic=5035.0
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admin/1111111	Samsung IP Camera	https://ipym.com/reports/ip-cameras-default-passwords-directory
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# IoT Mitigation

- Turn off UPnP
- Update device firmware if possible
- Research the vendor (Devices often rebadged)
- Create a separate network (Guest Network or Second Router)
- Change default passwords
- Read privacy policy associated with the device and cloud provider
- Device vetting, check if it is calling home?
- Don't use the device in a sensitive network

# Summary

- Wireless, Mobile, Cloud and IoT technologies all present potential threats to security.
- In order to preserve the security of a computer network using these technologies specific countermeasures, and mitigation strategies can be employed.
  - Encryption (Data in transit and at rest)
  - Policy
  - Access control
  - Network separation
  - Device configuration and vetting

## Next Week

• Revision