



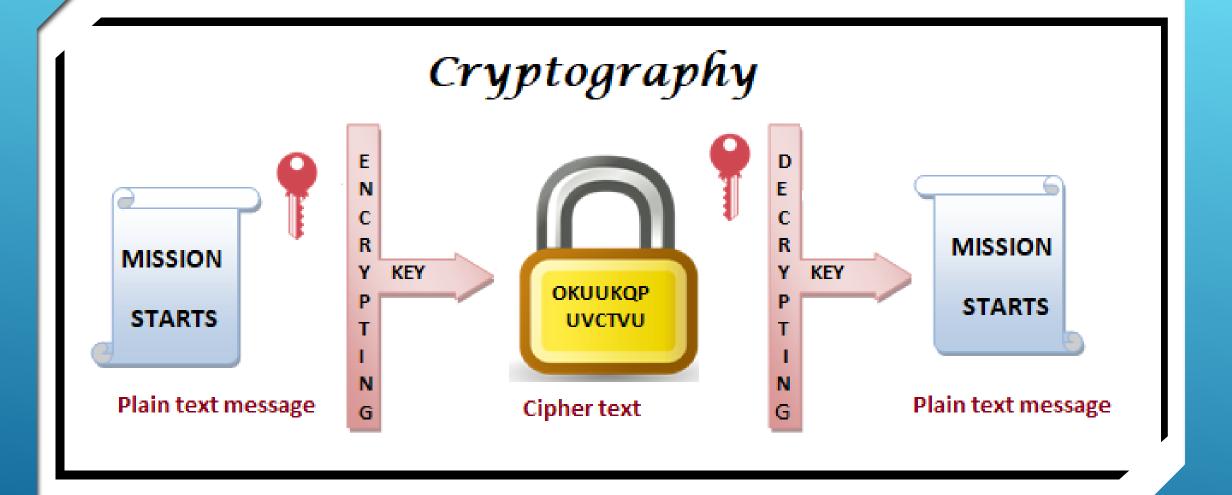
DAY 2 RECAP







CLEARTEXT VS. CIPHERTEXT





LAYER OF VALIDATION OF DATA

SECURES BOTH ENDS OF TRANSMISSION

ANYONE CAN VALIDATE!

PROTECTS ORIGINAL SECRET

IRREVERSIBLE

VALUE OF HASHING

POPULAR HASHING ALGORITHMS

- ► MD5
- ► SHA-1 (compromised)
- ► SHA-2
- ► SHA-3
- ► LM/NTLM hash (for Windows passwords)

LET'S TRY SOME HASH!

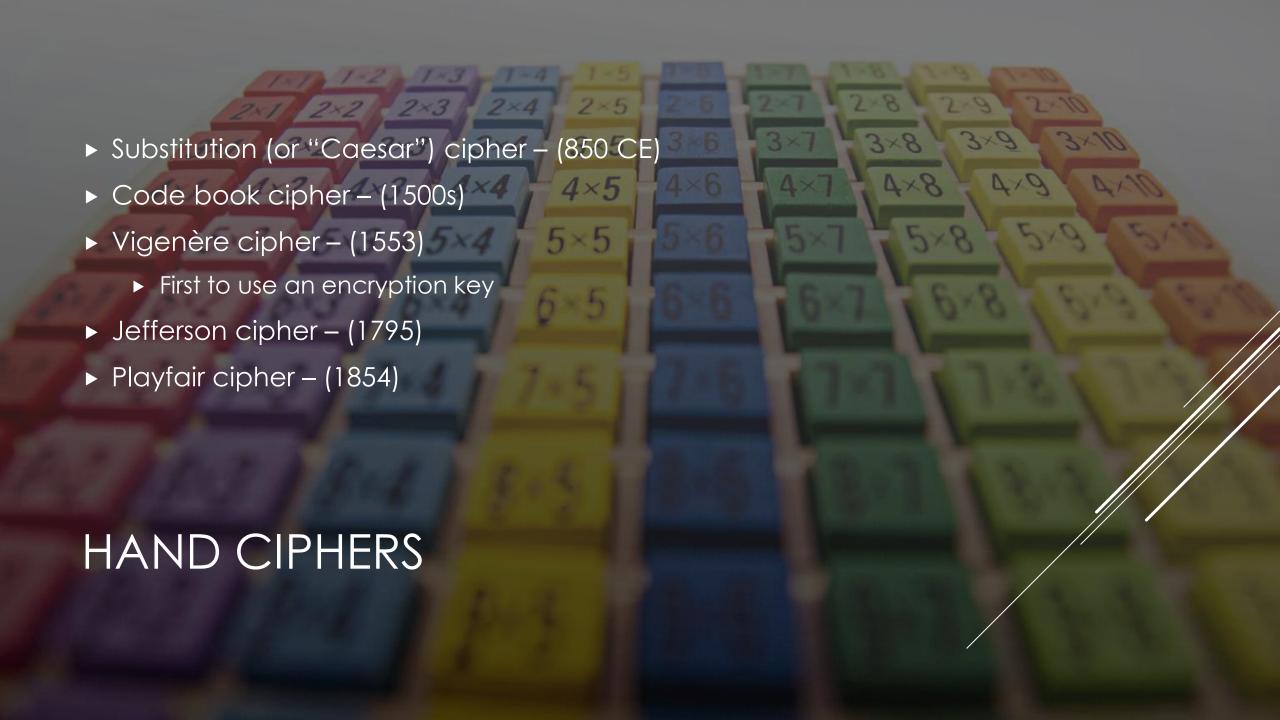
https://gchq.github.io/CyberChef/



WHAT IS ENCRYPTION?

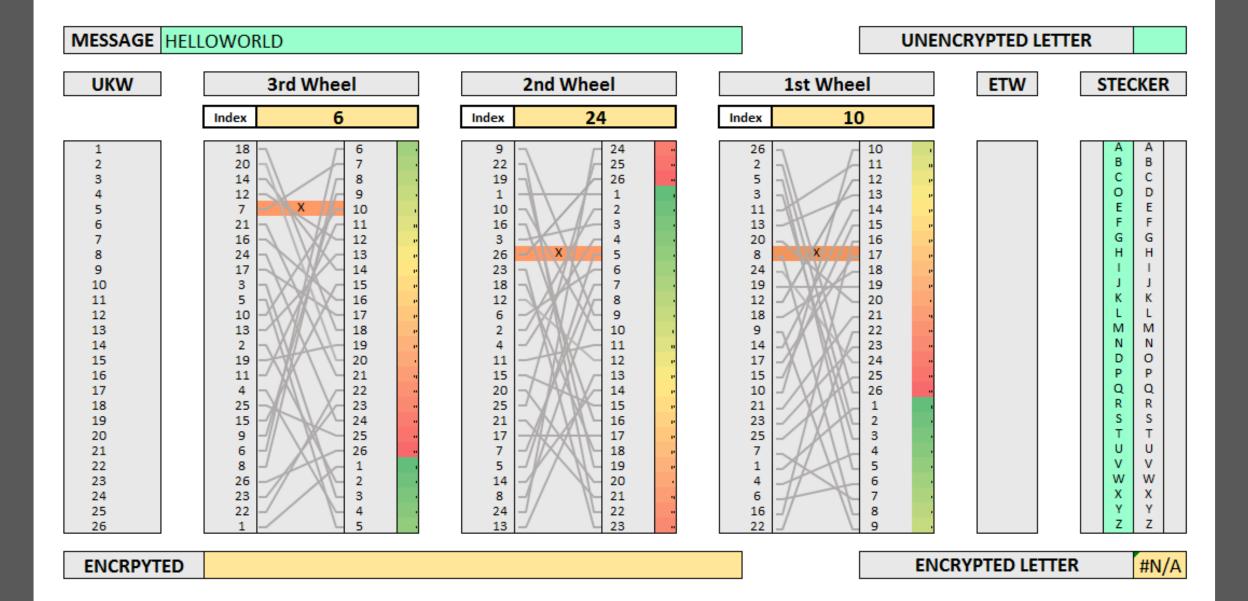


ENCRYPTION HISTORY



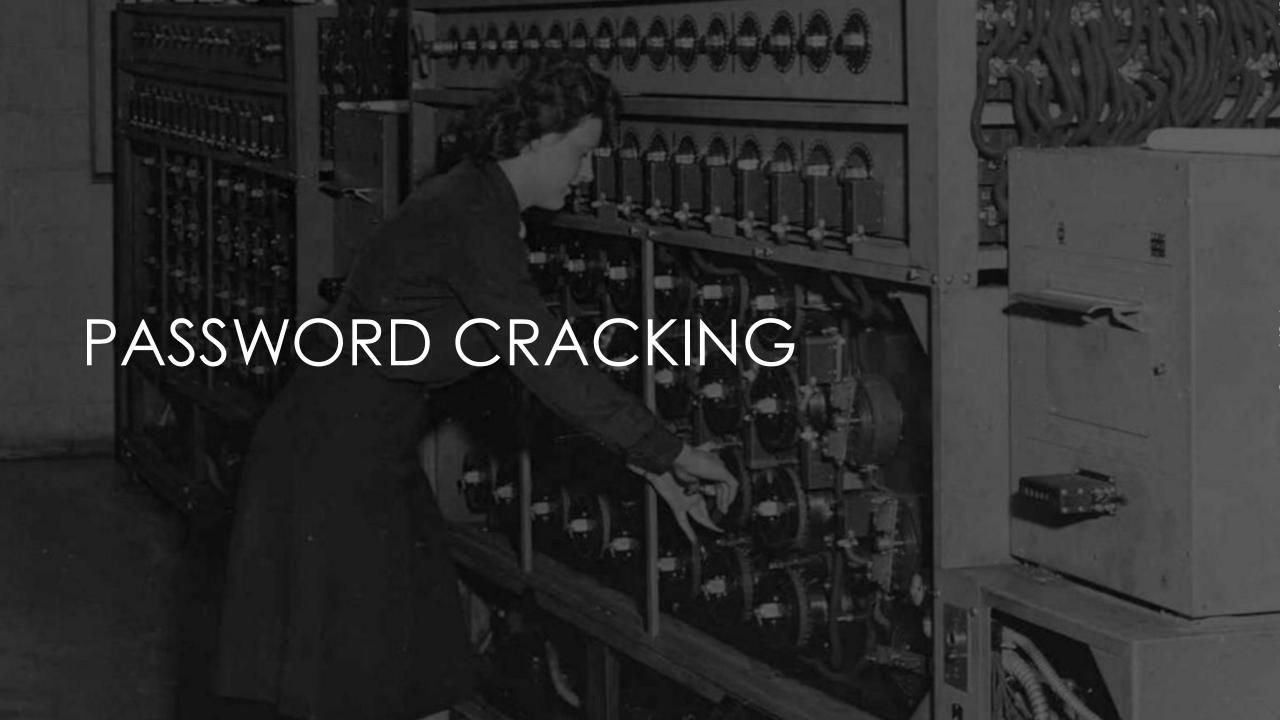


WARTIME CRYPTOGRAPHY





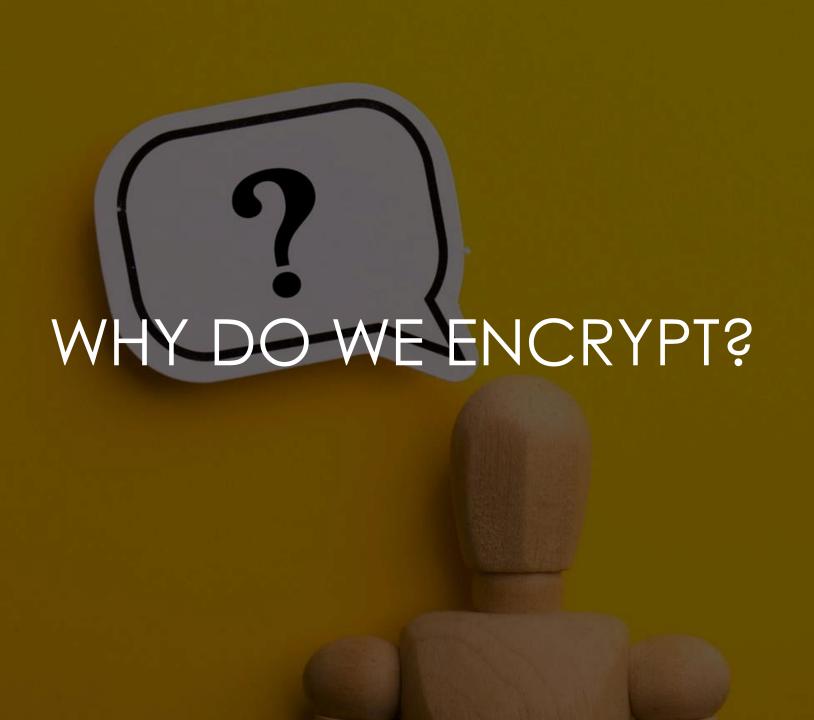
10 MINUTE BREAK







VENONA PROJECT



WHAT DO WE ENCRYPT?

HOW DO WE ENCRYPT TODAY?

- ➤ Rivest-Shamir-Adleman (RSA) (1977)
 - Based on prime number factorization
- Advanced Encryption Standard (AES) 256
 - Block cipher

POPULAR MODERN CRYPTOGRAPHY ALGORITHMS

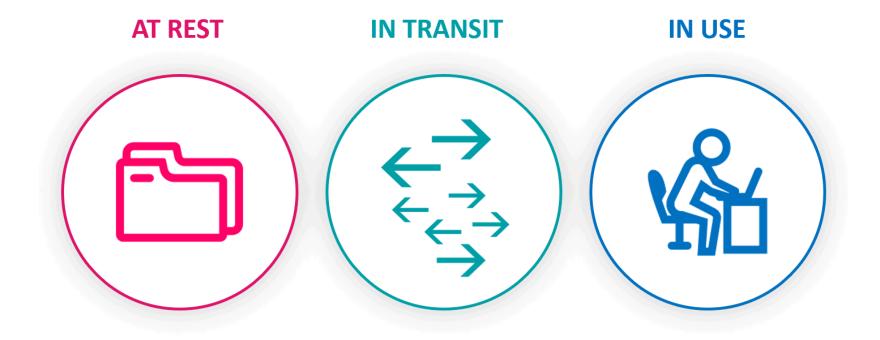
- AES
 - Supports key sizes of 128, 192, 256
- ► Key sizes improve the strength of cryptographic protection
- ➤ 2048 & 4096 key sizes
 - Large keys
 - ► Hard to brute force

KEYSPACE/KEYLENGTH/KEYSIZE

CRYPTOGRAPHIC STANDARDS

https://csrc.nist.gov/Projects/cryptographicstandards-and-guidelines

THE THREE STATES OF DATA



STATES OF DATA

DATA AT REST



DATA IN TRANSIT



DATA SECURITY

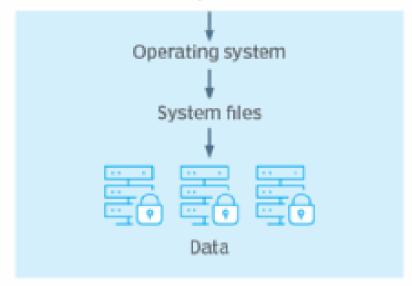
How the FDE process works

Full-disk encryption

Pre-boot authentication password



Boot process



Entire system protected

FULL DISK ENCRYPTION



SYMMETRIC KEY ENCRYPTION

Symmetric encryption







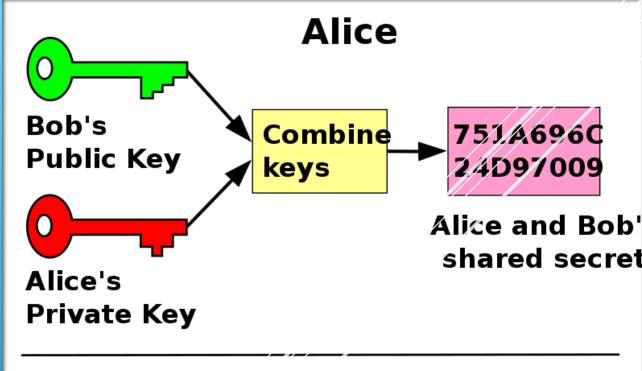
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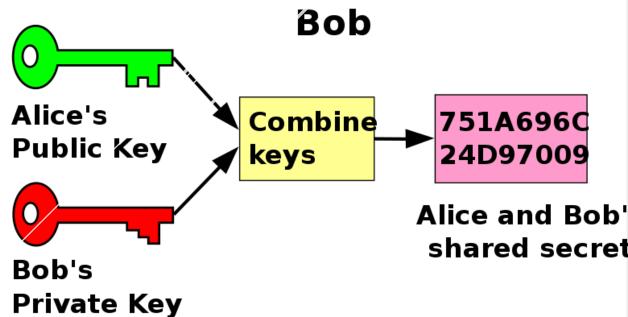




SECURE KEY EXCHANGE?

PUBLIC KEY CRYPTOGRAPHY



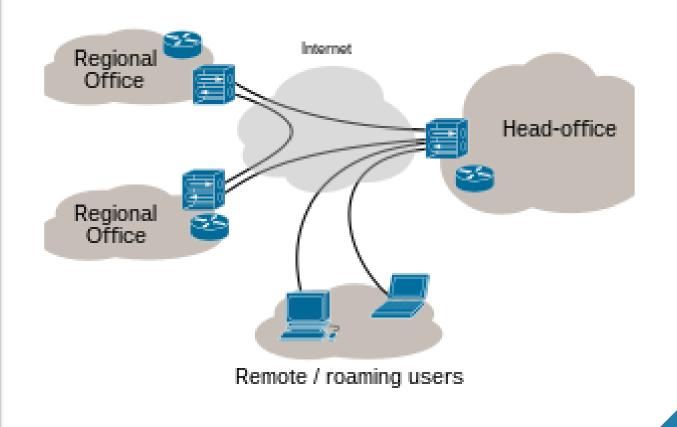




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SECURING NETWORK CONNECTIONS IN PRACTICE

Internet VPN

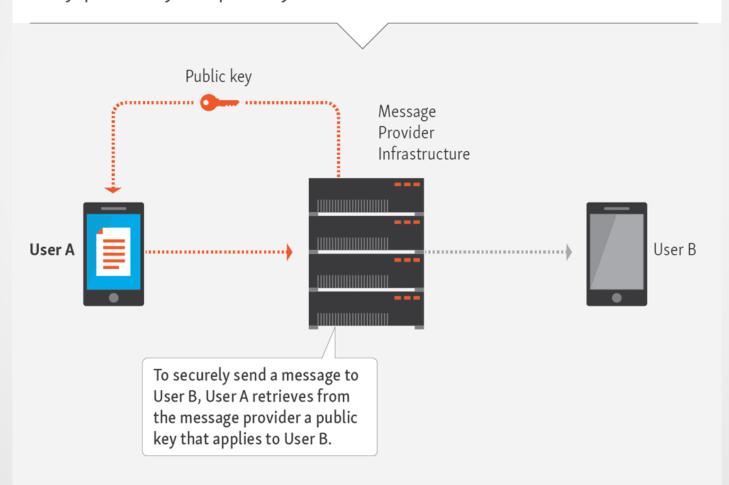


VIRTUAL PRIVATE NETWORKS

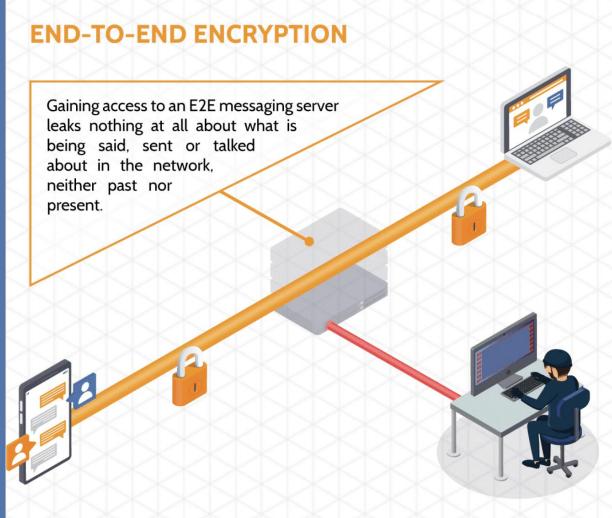
THIS IS HOW END-TO-END ENCRYPTION WORKS



A major selling point for instant-messaging providers is some form of content encryption. But does this technology fully protect your privacy?









WHY DO WE CARE ABOUT TRUST?





WHAT IS A SECURITY CERTIFICATE?



Provides trust



Allows a secure connection



Encrypts data



HTTPS

WHAT DOES A SECURITY CERTIFICATE DO?

- > X.509 certificate
- Provides Transport Layer security
- > Free!
- ▶ Trusted?

CERTIFICATE AUTHORITIES

HOW DO WE KNOW WHO TRUST?



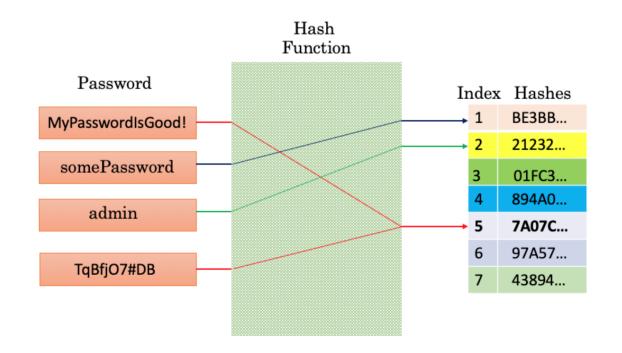
AUDIT YOUR FAVORITE WEBSITE!

https://www.sslshopper.com/ssl-checker.html



THREATS TO POOR ENCRYPTION

- Cleartext passwords
- Password cracking
- ➤ Man-In-The-Middle (MITM) attack
- ▶ Rainbow Tables
- > Hash collisions



HASH COLLISIONS



BRUTE FORCING

Aircrack-ng 1.5.2

[00:00:00] 176/645 keys tested (547.83 k/s)

Time left: 0 seconds 27.29%

Current passphrase: goldfish

Master Key : 98 8A F1 3B 6F 4B 4F 8B 98 6F 6B 22 C6 E5 70 0C

85 C4 08 89 78 59 B6 6D D3 F5 BD 86 B4 C9 5B B3

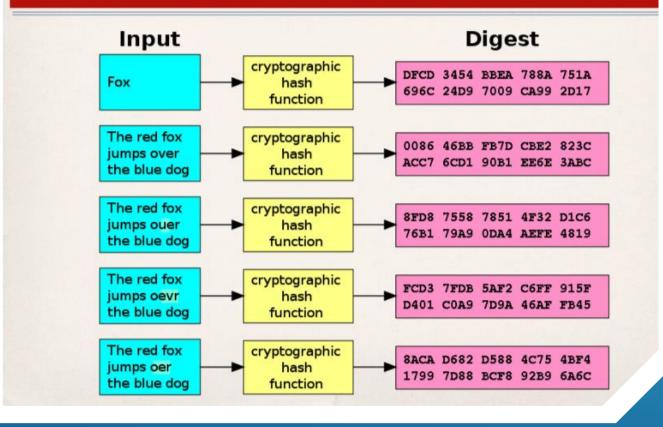
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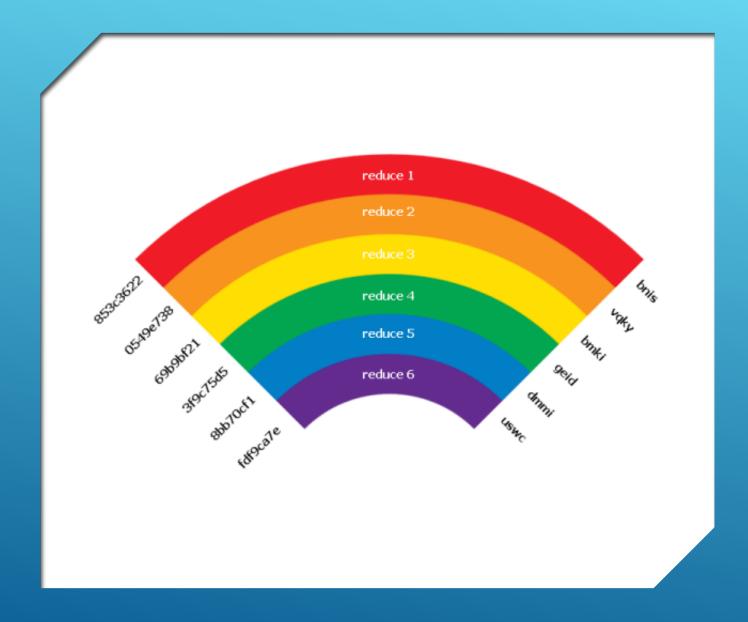
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REAL-LIFE PASSWORD CRACKING

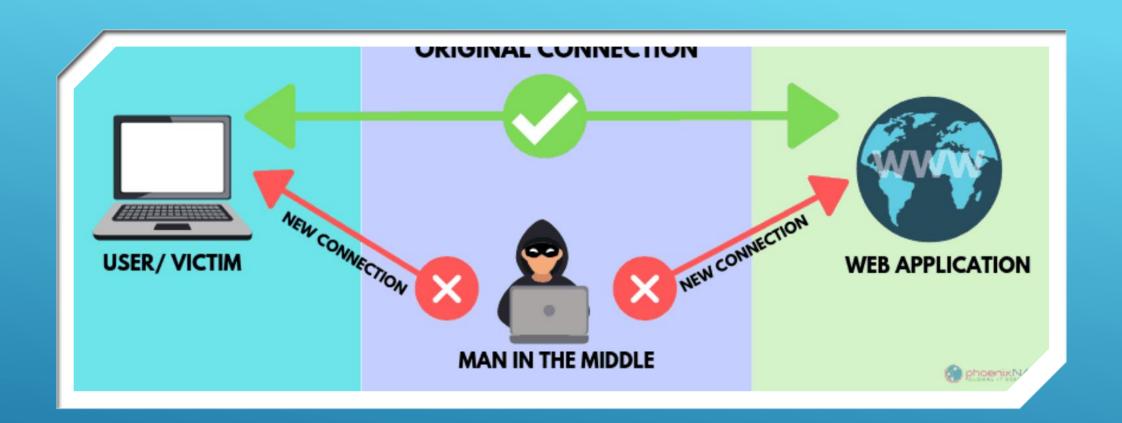
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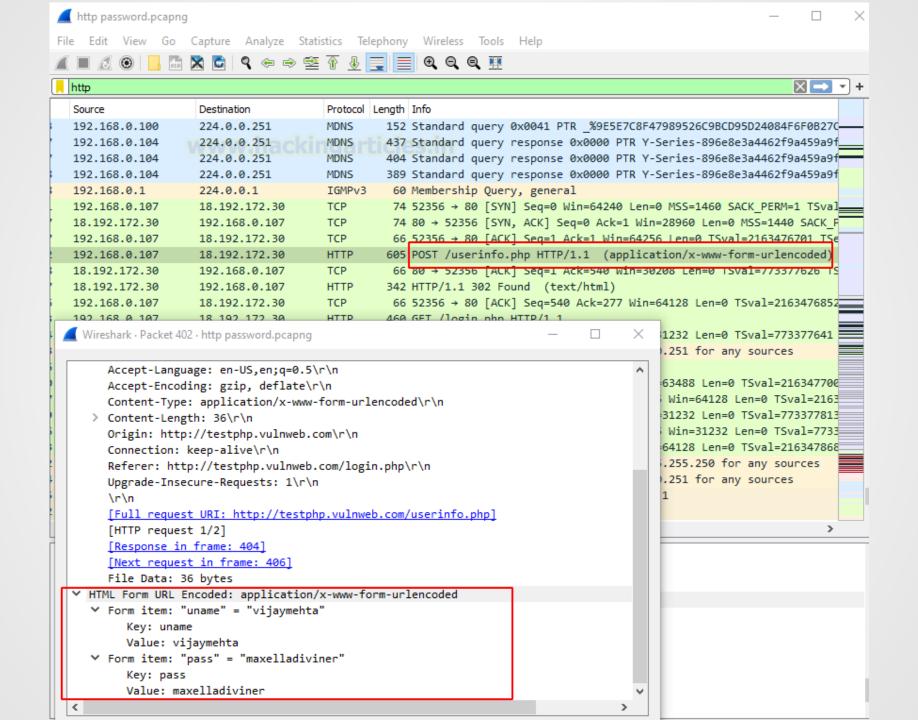
RAINBOW TABLES



RAINBOW TABLES CONT'



MAN-IN-THE-MIDDLE



49 busted in Europe for Man-in-the-Middle bank attacks

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Data loss, Law & order, Malware, Phishing, Security threats

REAL-WORLD MITM ATTACK





PREVIEW DAY 4