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# Linux Hardening

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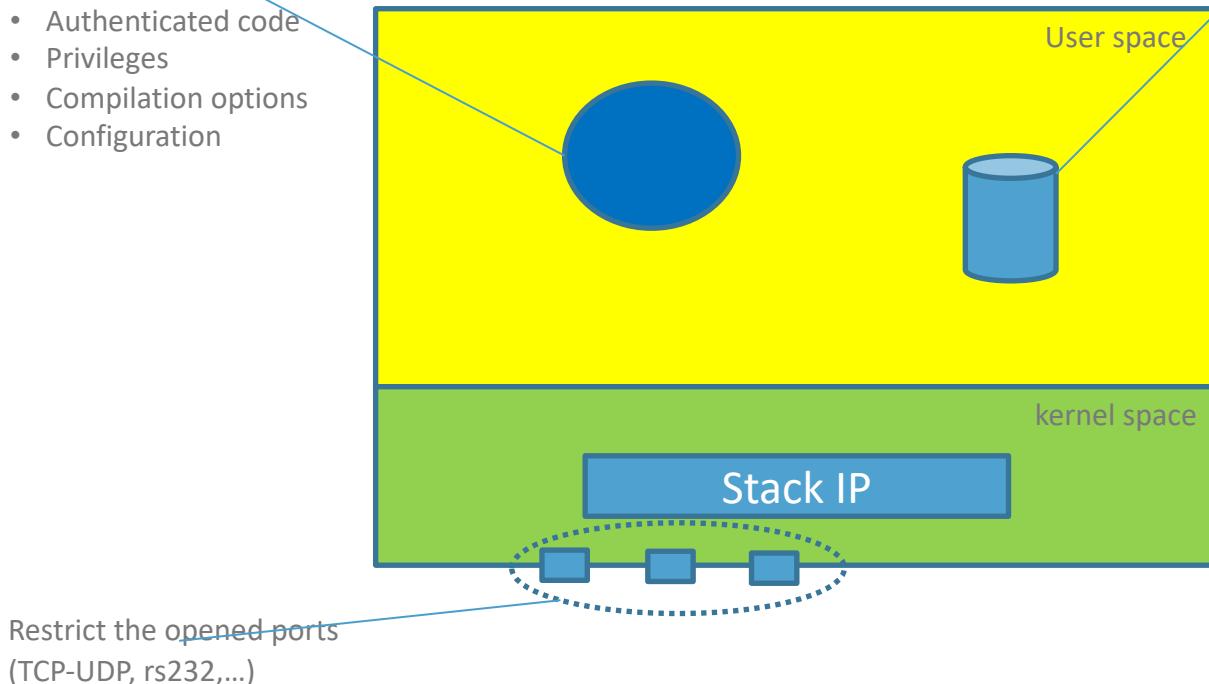
# Summary

## Applications:

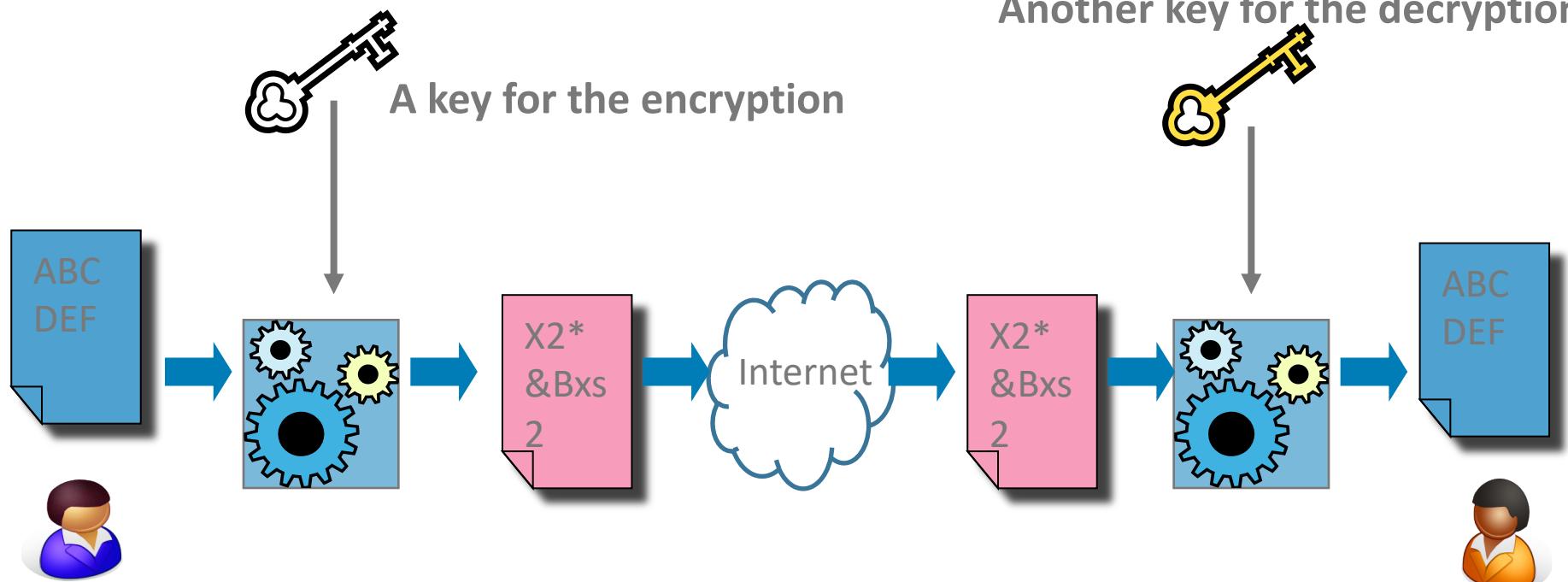
- Authenticated code
- Privileges
- Compilation options
- Configuration

## Disk:

- Partition rights
- Files rights



# Asymmetric cipher principle



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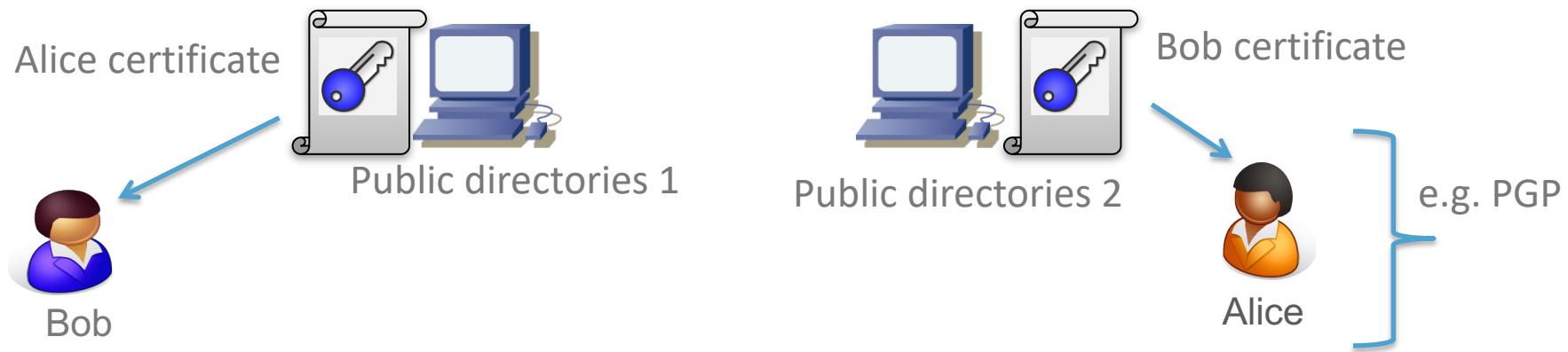
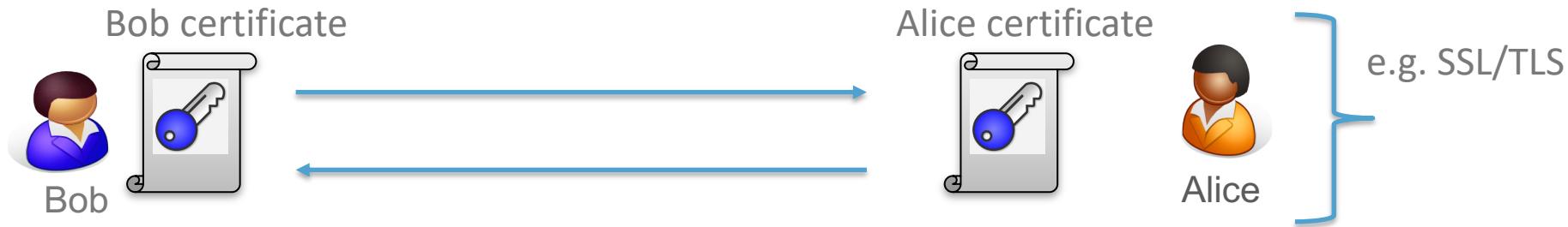
- The confidentiality
- The integrity
- The authentication

Algorithms

- RSA
- DSS or DAS : signatures
- Diffie-Hellmann : key exchange

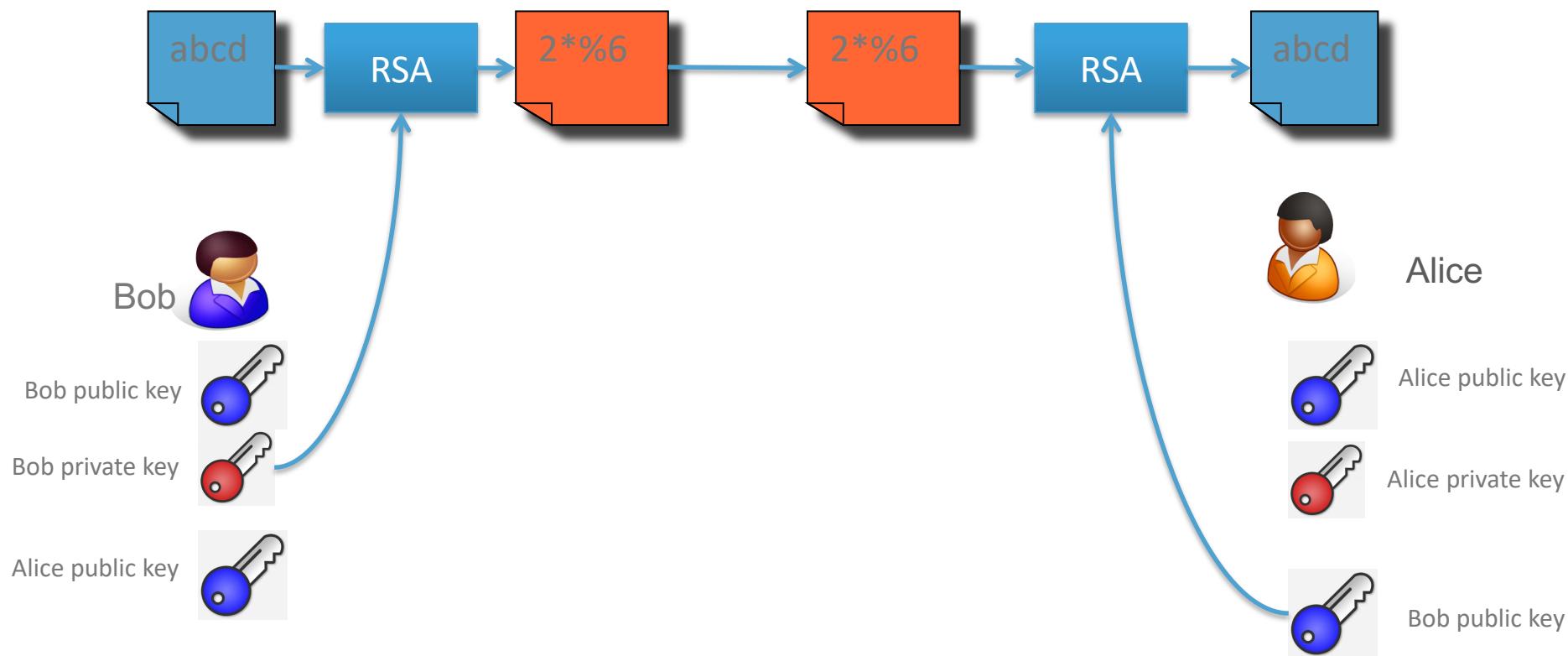
# Asymmetric cipher

- Bob and Alice must exchange their public keys
- Generally the public keys are stored in a certificate

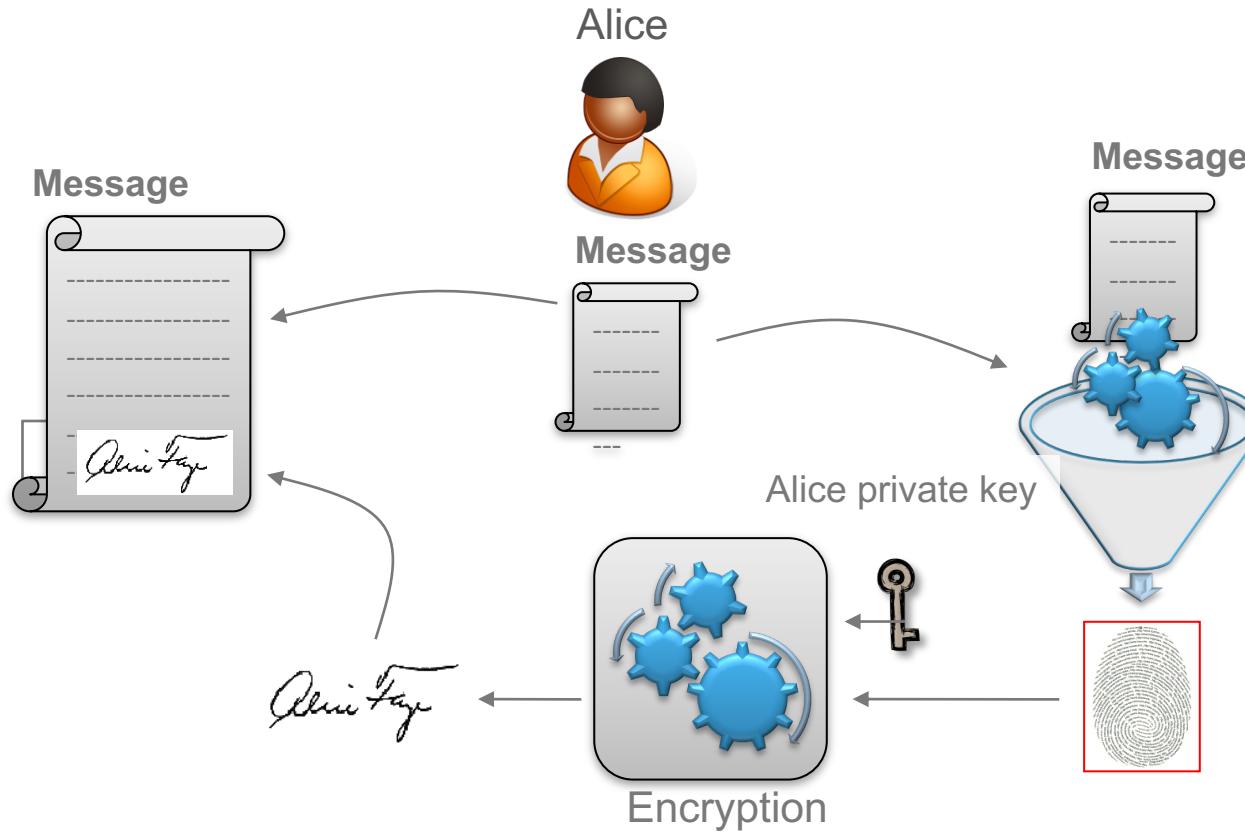


# Asymmetric cipher: signature

- Encrypt with the private key and decrypt with the public key
  - Authenticity, integrity

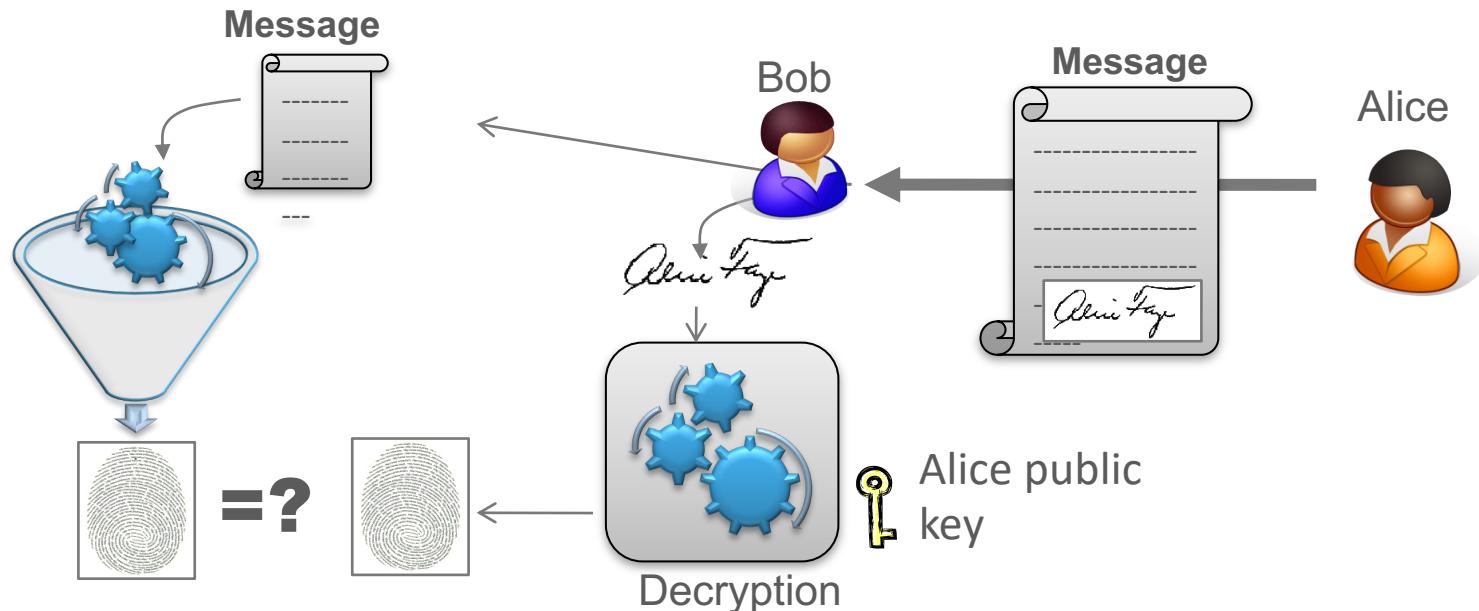


# Digital signature



# Digital signature

- In order to check a signature:
  - Bob uses the Alice public key
  - Bob computes the message finperprint
  - Bob compares the two results.



# Check a new package

When a new package is downloaded, it is required to check origin and integrity of the package.  
Often the packages are signed by the program **pgp** (Pretty Good Privacy, Linux command gpg)

Example with CentOS: Download the package, the signature

On the PC, these files are downloaded in the same directory

- CentOS-7.tar.gz    CentOS-7 package
  - CentOS-7.tar.gz.asc                                    CentOS-7 package signature
- 
- Use **gpg** in order to check the package integrity

```
gpg --verify CentOS-7.tar.gz.asc // check the signature  
gpg: armor header: Version: GnuPG v2  
gpg: assuming signed data in `CentOS-7.tar.gz'  
gpg: Signature made Fri 21 Aug 2018 07:10:03 AM CEST using RSA key ID 6D920D30  
gpg: using PGP trust model  
gpg: Good signature
```

If gpg don't known public key
  - Import public key:  
Command gpg --verify CentOS-7.tar.gz.asc indicates a **key ID number**  
Import the key: gpg --keyserver hkp://keys.gnupg.net --search-keys 6D920D30  
                        gpg --keyserver hkp://keys.gnupg.net --recv-keys 6D920D30
  - List public keys:  
gpg --list-keys

# Configure a new package

When you install a new package, it is necessary to check and configure different options.

Configure the package “package1”

```
tar xvzf package1.tar.gz
cd package1
less INSTALL or less README          // Analyze the different options
./configure --help                      // Analyze the different options
```

It is very important to check the different configuration options, compilation-link options in order to improve the security and the robustness code

# Cross-compile a new package

Configure package1 for cross compilation and change the default install directory

```
./configure --host=aarch64-none-linux-gnu --prefix=/home/lmi/install  
          (--prefix option is important)  
make  
make install
```

--host: cross compiler name

-- prefix: change the directory installation of the executable, libraries, ...

Sometime cross compilation is **not easy to configure** and it is necessary to modify directly the Makefile

**Example, mosquitto mqtt:** In order to modify the compilation options, it is necessary to modify the config.mk file (which is used by the Makefile)

# Configure a new package

OpenSSH has been configured with the following options:

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```
User binaries: /home/schuler/work/1_nanopi_lab0/master/5_openssh/install_arm/bin
System binaries: /home/schuler/work/1_nanopi_lab0/master/5_openssh/install_arm/sbin
Configuration files: /home/schuler/work/1_nanopi_lab0/master/5_openssh/install_arm/etcAskpass
program: /home/schuler/work/1_nanopi_lab0/master/5_openssh/install_arm/libexec/ssh-askpass
Manual pages: /home/schuler/work/1_nanopi_lab0/master/5_openssh/install_arm/share/man/manX
PID file: /var/run
Privilege separation chroot path: /var/empty
sshd default user PATH:
/usr/bin:/bin:/usr/sbin:/sbin:/home/schuler/work/1_nanopi_lab0/master/5_openssh/install_arm/bin
    Manpage format: doc
        PAM support: no
        OSF SIA support: no
    ...
Host: aarch64-none-linux-gnu
Compiler: aarch64-none-linux-gcc
Compiler flags: -g -O2 -pipe -Wno-error=format-truncation -Wall -Wextra -Wpointer-arith -
-Wuninitialized -Wsign-compare -Wformat-security -Wssizeof-pointer-memaccess -Wno-pointer-sign -Wno-
unused-parameter -Wno-unused-result -Wimplicit-fallthrough -fno-strict-aliasing -
D_FORTIFY_SOURCE=2 -ftrapv -fno-builtin-memset -fstack-protector-strong -fPIE
Preprocessor flags: -D_XOPEN_SOURCE=600 -D_BSD_SOURCE -D_DEFAULT_SOURCE
Linker flags: -Wl,-z,relro -Wl,-z,now -Wl,-z,noexecstack -fstack-protector-strong -pie
Libraries: -lcrypto -ldl -lutil -lz -lcrypt -lresolv
```



# Minimum services

Example for nanoPi. Startup scripts are in directory /etc/init.d/

```
# ls /etc/init.d/
S01syslogd    S02sysctl      S20urandom     S40network     S50sshd       rck
S02klogd       S10mdev        S21haveged    S50dropbear   rcs
```

- Script `rcS` starts other scripts (`S01..`, `S02..`, not `rck`) in alphabetical order
- Minimum number of services must be started
- It is necessary to create a new script in order to start automatically a new service
- Delete a script → service will not be started (ex.: `rm S50sshd` → sshd service will not be started)

# Service privileges

ps command shows the processes

```
# ps -ale      // Show all process
  F S   UID     PID   PPID   C PRI  NI ADDR SZ WCHAN TTY          TIME CMD
  4 S     0       1     0  80    0 -    492 wait   ?          00:00:05 init
  1 S     0       2     0  80    0 -     0 kthrea ?          00:00:00 kthreadd
  1 S     0       3     2  80    0 -     0 smpboo ?          00:00:00 ksoftirqd/0

# ps -axjf      // Show all process tree
  PPID   PID   PGID   SID TTY          TPGID STAT   UID   TIME COMMAND
    0     2     0     0 ?          -1 S     0   0:00 [kthreadd]
    2     3     0     0 ?          -1 S     0   0:00 \_ [ksoftirqd/0]
    2     4     0     0 ?          -1 S     0   0:00 \_ [kworker/0:0]
    2     5     0     0 ?          -1 S<    0   0:00 \_ [kworker/0:0H]

# ps aux      // Show privileges processes
root     1514  0.0  0.0  1968   520 ?          S     0:00  0:00 /sbin/syslogd -n
root     1517  0.0  0.0  1968   532 ?          S     0:00  0:00 /sbin/klogd -n
root     1557  0.0  0.0  4232   756 ?          Ss    0:00  0:00 0:00 /usr/sbin/sshd

# lsof | grep sshd      // Show open files and privileges
sshd     1557 root    3u      IPv4          7164    0t0    TCP *:ssh (LISTEN)
sshd     1557 root    4u      IPv6          7166    0t0    TCP *:ssh (LISTEN)
```



# Check open ports

netstat command shows the open tcp and udp ports

```
# netstat -atun  
Active Internet connections (servers and established)  
Proto Recv-Q Send-Q Local Address           Foreign Address     State  
tcp      0      0 0.0.0.0:22                0.0.0.0:*          LISTEN  
tcp      0      0 :::22                      ::::*             LISTEN
```

lsof command shows open files

```
# lsof | grep IP  
sshd    1557 root    3u      IPv4            7164      0t0    TCP  *:ssh (LISTEN)  
sshd    1557 root    4u      IPv6            7166      0t0    TCP  *:ssh (LISTEN)
```

nmap command scans open ports for another hosts

```
nmap -Pn -p 1-65535 192.168.0.11          // scan all tcp ports for the host 192.168.0.11  
nmap -sU -Pn -p 1-65535 192.168.0.11          // scan all udp ports for the host 192.168.0.11
```

# File system, partitions

- By separating file systems into various partitions, it is possible to fine tune permissions and functionalities.
- A journaling file system must be installed (e.g. ext3, ext4) and activated
- Areas where users have “**write privileges**” should be kept on their own partition.
- LVM (Logical Volume Manager) can be used when more than four partitions are required.
- Partitions are configured to the file /etc/fstab
- Example:

/dev/root	/	ext2	rw,noauto	0	1		
proc	/proc	proc	defaults	0	0		
devpts	/dev/pts	devpts	defaults,gid=5,mode=620,ptmxmode=0666	0	0		
tmpfs	/dev/shm	tmpfs	mode=0777	0	0		
tmpfs	/tmp	tmpfs	mode=1777	0	0		
tmpfs	/run	tmpfs	mode=0755,nosuid,nodev	0	0		
sysfs	/sys	sysfs	defaults	0	0		

# File Permissions

Every file or folder in Linux has access permissions. There are three types of permissions (the file or directory rights):

- read access (r)
- write access (w)
- execute access (x)

Permissions are defined for three types of users:

- the owner of the file
- the group(s) that the owner belongs to
- other users

Example:

```
-rw-rw-r--. user1 grp1 292 Sep 27 17:55 Config.in
```

# File Permissions

- Access to log directories (/var/log ...) and syslog files for normal users must be denied.
- No world writable files and directories must exist, except for temporary directories: /tmp, /usr/tmp, /var/tmp.

```
# find / -type d -perm -0002 -print // -0002: - is important
```
- Files in /etc must not have group and other bits writable.

```
# find /etc -type f -perm -0020 -print  
# find /etc -type f -perm -0002 -print
```
- SUID or SGID binaries should be disabled

```
# find / -perm -4000 -print  
# find / -perm -2000 -print
```
- It must be enforced that /tmp is cleaned during shutdown. If technically possible by the use of /tmp on a ramdisk.

# Network stack hardening

- Several network options that are enabled by default offer too much information about the system to an attacker, or may lead to system failure under a heavy network load.
- It is possible to tune some parameters in order to increase the security of the network stack.
- The details of these options are in the file [linux-source-code/Documentation/networking/ip-sysctl.txt](#)
- Disable IPv6

```
echo 1 > /proc/sys/net/ipv6/conf/all/disable_ipv6
echo 1 > /proc/sys/net/ipv6/conf/default/disable_ipv6
Or sysctl -w /net/ipv6/conf/default/disable_ipv6=1
```
- IP source routing must be disabled

```
echo 0 > cat /proc/sys/net/ipv4/conf/all/accept_source_route
Or sysctl -w net/ipv4/conf/all/accept_source_route=0
```

# Network stack hardening

- Forwarding (Routing) of normal and multicast packets should also be deactivated unless expressively needed

```
echo 0 > /proc/sys/net/ipv4/conf/all/forwarding  
echo 0 > /proc/sys/net/ipv6/conf/all/forwarding  
echo 0 > /proc/sys/net/ipv4/conf/all/mc_forwarding  
echo 0 > /proc/sys/net/ipv6/conf/all/mc_forwarding  
Or sysctl -w net/ipv4/conf/all/forwarding=0  
sysctl -w net/ipv6/conf/all/forwarding=0  
sysctl -w net/ipv4/conf/all/mc_forwarding=0  
sysctl -w net/ipv6/conf/all/mc_forwarding=0
```

# Network stack hardening

- Block ICMP redirect messages

```
echo 0 > /proc/sys/net/ipv4/conf/all/accept_redirects  
echo 0 > /proc/sys/net/ipv6/conf/all/accept_redirects  
echo 0 > /proc/sys/net/ipv4/conf/all/secure_redirects  
echo 0 > /proc/sys/net/ipv4/conf/all/send_redirects  
Or sysctl -w net/ipv4/conf/all/accept_redirects=0  
      sysctl -w net/ipv6/conf/all/accept_redirects=0  
      sysctl -w net/ipv4/conf/all/secure_redirects=0  
      sysctl -w net/ipv4/conf/all/send_redirects =0
```

- Enable source route verification in order to prevent spoofing

```
echo 1 > /proc/sys/net/ipv4/conf/default/rp_filter  
Or sysctl -w net/ipv4/conf/default/rp_filter=0
```

# Network stack hardening

- Log all malformed packed and ignore icmp bogus ones:

```
echo 1 > /proc/sys/net/ipv4/conf/all/log_martians  
echo 1 > /proc/sys/net/ipv4/icmp_ignore_bogus_error_responses  
Or sysctl -w net/ipv4/conf/all/log_martians=1  
sysctl -w net/ipv4/icmp_ignore_bogus_error_responses=1
```

- Disable ICMP echo and timestamp responses sent via broadcast or multicast

```
echo 1 > /proc/sys/net/ipv4/icmp_echo_ignore_broadcasts  
Or sysctl -w net/ipv4/icmp_echo_ignore_broadcasts=1
```

- Increase resilience under heavy TCP load by increasing backlog buffer and by enabling syn cookies:

```
echo 4096 > /proc/sys/net/ipv4/tcp_max_syn_backlog  
echo 1 > /proc/sys/net/ipv4/tcp_syncookies  
Or sysctl -w net/ipv4/tcp_max_syn_backlog=4096  
sysctl -w net/ipv4/tcp_syncookies=1
```

# Network stack hardening

`sysctl -p` command reads the file `/etc/sysctl.conf` and configure kernel parameters

Example:

```
cat /etc/sysctl.conf
net/ipv6/conf/default/disable_ipv6=1
net/ipv4/conf/all/accept_source_route=0
net/ipv4/conf/all/forwarding=0
net/ipv6/conf/all/forwarding=0
net/ipv4/conf/all/mc_forwarding=0
net/ipv6/conf/all/mc_forwarding=0
net/ipv4/conf/all/accept_redirects=0
net/ipv6/conf/all/accept_redirects=0
net/ipv4/conf/all/secure_redirects=0
net/ipv4/conf/all/send_redirects=0
net/ipv4/conf/default/rp_filter=0
net/ipv4/conf/all/log_martians=1
net/ipv4/icmp_ignore_bogus_error_responses=1
net/ipv4/icmp_echo_ignore_broadcasts=1
net/ipv4/tcp_max_syn_backlog=4096
net/ipv4/tcp_syncookies=1
```

# Account

- User passwords must be saved in the `/etc/shadow` file (the password is encrypted)
- The umask (user file creation right) must be 0027 (and not the default = 0022)  
`# umask 0027`  
Or insert the `umask` command in the `$HOME/.bash_profile` file or `/etc/profile`

## Umask rules:

```
umask = user file-creation rights  
[root]#umask          // default umask  
0022
```

	User	Group	Other	
Default umask 0022				
Creation rights	111	111	111	//example
Umask	000	010	010	//umask = 0022
Not umask	111	101	101	//= 755
Rights=777 & 755:	111	101	101	= 755

	User	Group	Other	
Secure umask 0027				
Creation rights	111	111	111	example
Umask	000	010	111	
Not umask	111	101	000	= 750
Rights=777 & 750:	111	101	000	= 750

# Account

- Insert in the file `/etc/issue` a warning banner before the login

WARNING: Accessing a protected computer system without authorization constitutes a criminal offence and may be punished by imprisonment (Swiss penal Law StGB Art. 143bis). Unauthorized access to this system is logged and will be reported to the relevant authorities for prosecution under penal law. The right for compensation of damages under civil law is reserved. If you are not authorized to access this system, disconnect now.



# Root login

- Direct root logins must be restricted to the console (emergency situations usually require hands at the console). This can be achieved by modifying the `/etc/securetty` file.  
Example for NanoPi: `echo "ttyS0" > /etc/securetty`
- Only root can access to the root directory: `chmod 700 /root`
- Use `su` or `sudo` commands in order to have the root rights
- The root PATH must not contain the current directory or writable directories (`PATH not equal .:/tmp:/var/tmp: etc`)

# Kernel hardening

- ASLR (Adresse Space Layout Randomization) randomize\_va\_space: 1: shared libraries will be loaded to random addresses, echo 2 = echo1 plus heap randomization

make linux-menuconfig:

General Setup → [ ] Disable Heap randomization

Kernel feature → [\*] Randomize the address of the kernel image

echo 1 > /proc/sys/kernel/randomize\_va\_space

echo 2 > /proc/sys/kernel/randomize\_va\_space

Or

sysctl -w kernel.randomize\_va\_space=1

sysctl -w kernel.randomize\_va\_space=2

- Write protect kernel text section, kernel configuration:

make linux-xconfig:

Kernel Feature → [\*] Apply r/o permissions of VM areas also to their linear aliases

General Setup → [\*] Set loadable kernel module data as NX and text as RO

# Kernel hardening

- Strip assembler-generated symbols during link, kernel configuration

make linux-menuconfig:

Kernel Hacking → Compile time check and compiler options  
→ [ ] Compile the kernel with debug info  
→ [\*] Strip assembler-generated symbols during link

- Enable -fstack-protector buffer overflow detection , kernel configuration

make linux-menuconfig:

General architecture-dependent options → [\*] Stack Protector buffer  
overflow detection  
[\*] Strong Stack Protector

- Only root can access to the kernel system logs (through dmesg).

make linux-xconfig: Security options → [\*] Restrict unprivileged access to  
the kernel syslog

# Application hardening, 1

- It is possible to use options below in order to improve the security of an application during the compilation and link phases

- Makefile:

```
CFLAGS="-fPIE -fstack-protector-all -D_FORTIFY_SOURCE=2 -ftrapv"
```

```
LDFLAGS="-Wl,-z,now,-z,relro -z,noexecstack, -pie "
```

- Command line

```
gcc -Wall -Wextra -z noexecstack -pie -fPIE -fstack-protector-all -Wl,-z,relro,-z,now -O -D_FORTIFY_SOURCE=2 -ftrapv -o test test.c
```

# Application hardening, 2: noexecstack

- Modern systems do not allow execution of instructions stored on the stack. These abbreviations: NX –PaX- DEP, describe the same thing but for different constructors or processors
- **NX bit** means *No-eXecute*. An operating system and/or hardware which supports the NX bit may mark certain areas of memory as non-executable (stack, heap). The NX bit has different names:
  - Intel: XD bit (eXecute Disable)
  - AMD: Enhanced Virus Protection
  - ARM: XN (eXecute Never)
- The PaX technology can emulate a NX bit (if the NX bit does not exist, ex.: x86 32 bit)
- On Microsoft Windows, the NX bit is called DEP (Data Execution Prevention)
- The execstack option can be used with the Linker flags:  
LDFLAGS: -z execstack : allow executable stack, disable the NX protection  
                  -z noexecstack : not allow executable stack, enable the NX protection

# Application hardening, 2: noexecstack

- Example: compile and link the test.c file

```
gcc -Wall -z noexecstack -o test test.c
```

```
readelf -l test
```

Program Headers:

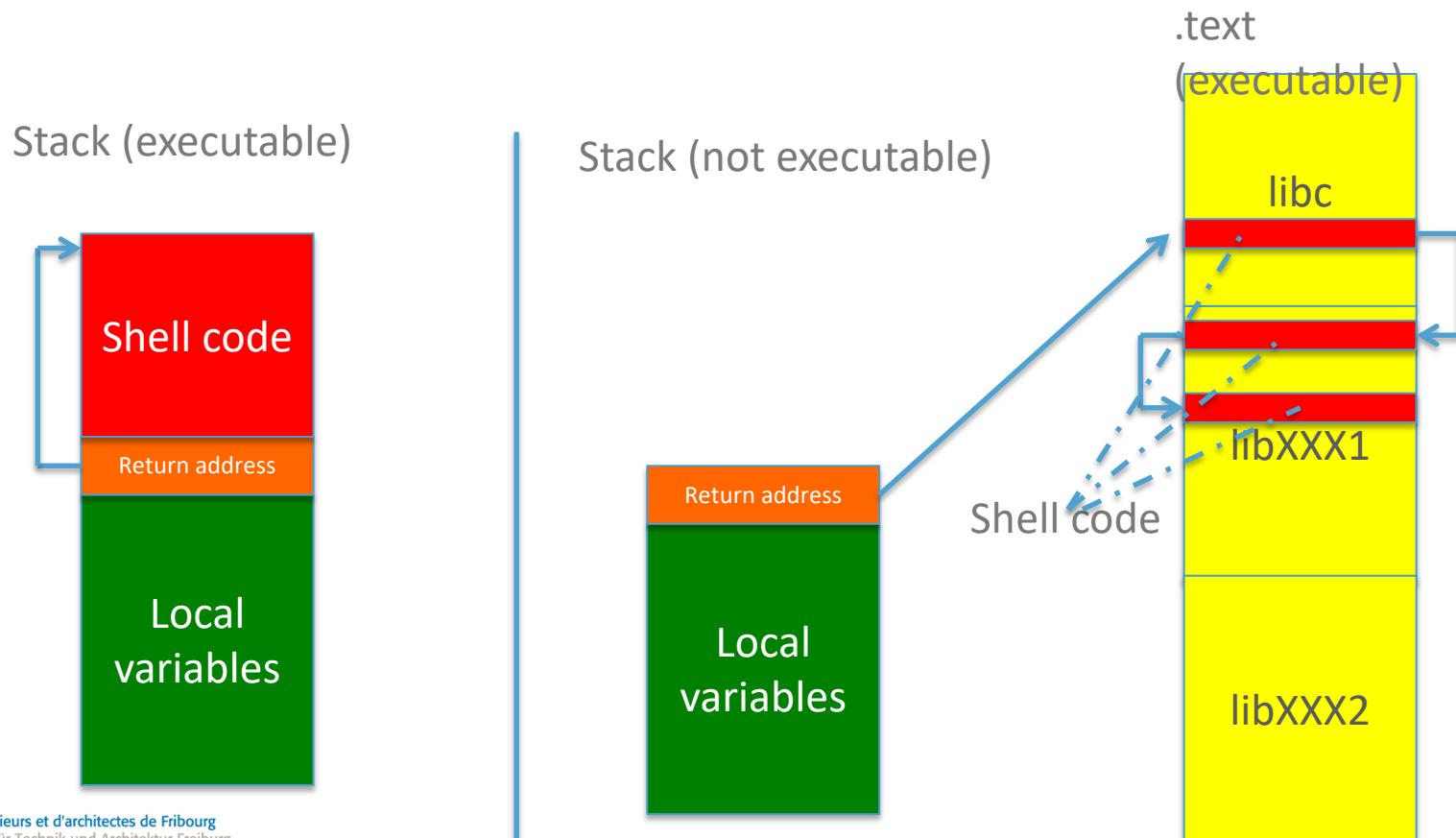
Type	Offset	VirtAddr	PhysAddr	Flags	Align
	FileSiz	MemSiz			
PHDR	0x0000000000000040	0x00000000000400040	0x00000000000400040		
	0x000000000000001f8	0x000000000000001f8		R E	8
INTERP	0x00000000000000238	0x00000000000400238	0x00000000000400238		
	0x0000000000000001c	0x0000000000000001c		R	1
	[Requesting program interpreter: /lib64/ld-linux-x86-64.so.2]				
LOAD	0x0000000000000000	0x00000000000400000	0x00000000000400000		
	0x0000000000000714	0x00000000000714		R E	200000
LOAD	0x00000000000e10	0x0000000000600e10	0x0000000000600e10		
	0x000000000000021c	0x0000000000000220		RW	200000
DYNAMIC	0x00000000000e28	0x0000000000600e28	0x0000000000600e28		
	0x00000000000001d0	0x00000000000001d0		RW	8
NOTE	0x0000000000000254	0x00000000000400254	0x00000000000400254		
	0x0000000000000044	0x0000000000000044		R	4
GNU_EH_FRAME	0x00000000000005c0	0x000000000004005c0	0x000000000004005c0		
	0x000000000000003c	0x000000000000003c		R	4
GNU_STACK	0x0000000000000000	0x0000000000000000	0x0000000000000000		
	0x0000000000000000	0x0000000000000000		RW	10
GNU_RELRO	0x0000000000000e10	0x0000000000600e10	0x0000000000600e10		
	0x00000000000001f0	0x00000000000001f0		R	1

The stack segment is only RW



# Application hardening, 2: noexecstack

- However, a technique called **ret2libc** could be used to bypass non executable memory. The main idea is to execute code in an executable memory like `libc()` or other libraries.
- Another technique called **ROP**, or Return-Oriented Programming allows also to bypass this protection. The main idea is to execute code in the program itself
- **ASLR** (Address Space Layout Randomization) randomize\_va\_space is used in order **avoid the ret2lib** (because stack and heap addresses change)
- The **PIE** (Position Independent Executable) **avoids the ROP problem** (because code addresses change)



# Application hardening, 3: pie

- Pie: Position Independent Executable
- Functions and variables addresses of an executable are not static and are computed during the program execution → this option avoids the ROP problem
- The load of this program is slower than another program with static addresses
- Example: test.c file

```
int b;
int func(int a) {
    b=a;
    return (0);
}
int main (void) {
int a=1;
    a = func (a);
    b = 10;
    return (0);
}
```

```
gcc -Wall -pie -fPIE -o test test.c
// -pie: used by the linker, -fPIE used by the compiler
```



# Application hardening, 3: pie

```
readelf -a test
ELF Header:
  Magic: 7f 45 4c 46 02 01 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
  Class: ELF64
  Data: 2's complement, little endian
  Version: 1 (current)
  OS/ABI: UNIX - System V
  ABI Version: 0
  Type: DYN (Shared object file)
  Machine: Advanced Micro Devices X86-64
  Version: 0x1
  Entry point address: 0x620
```

```
objdump -d test
0000000000000738 <main>:
74c: e8 17 00 00 00
751: 89 45 fc
754: 48 8d 05 dd 08 20 00
75b: c7 00 0a 00 00 00
```

Not the real execution addresses

```
callq 768 <func>
       mov    %eax,-0x4(%rbp)
       lea    0x2008dd(%rip),%rax
       movl   $0xa,(%rax)
```

# Application hardening, 3: pie

Same example but without pie and fPIE options

```
readelf -a test
```

ELF Header:

Magic:	7f 45 4c 46 02 01 01 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00
Class:	ELF64
Data:	2's complement, little endian
Version:	1 (current)
OS/ABI:	UNIX - System V
ABI Version:	0
Type:	<b>EXEC (Executable file)</b>
Machine:	Advanced Micro Devices X86-64
Version:	0x1
Entry point address:	<b>0x400400</b>

```
objdump -d test
```

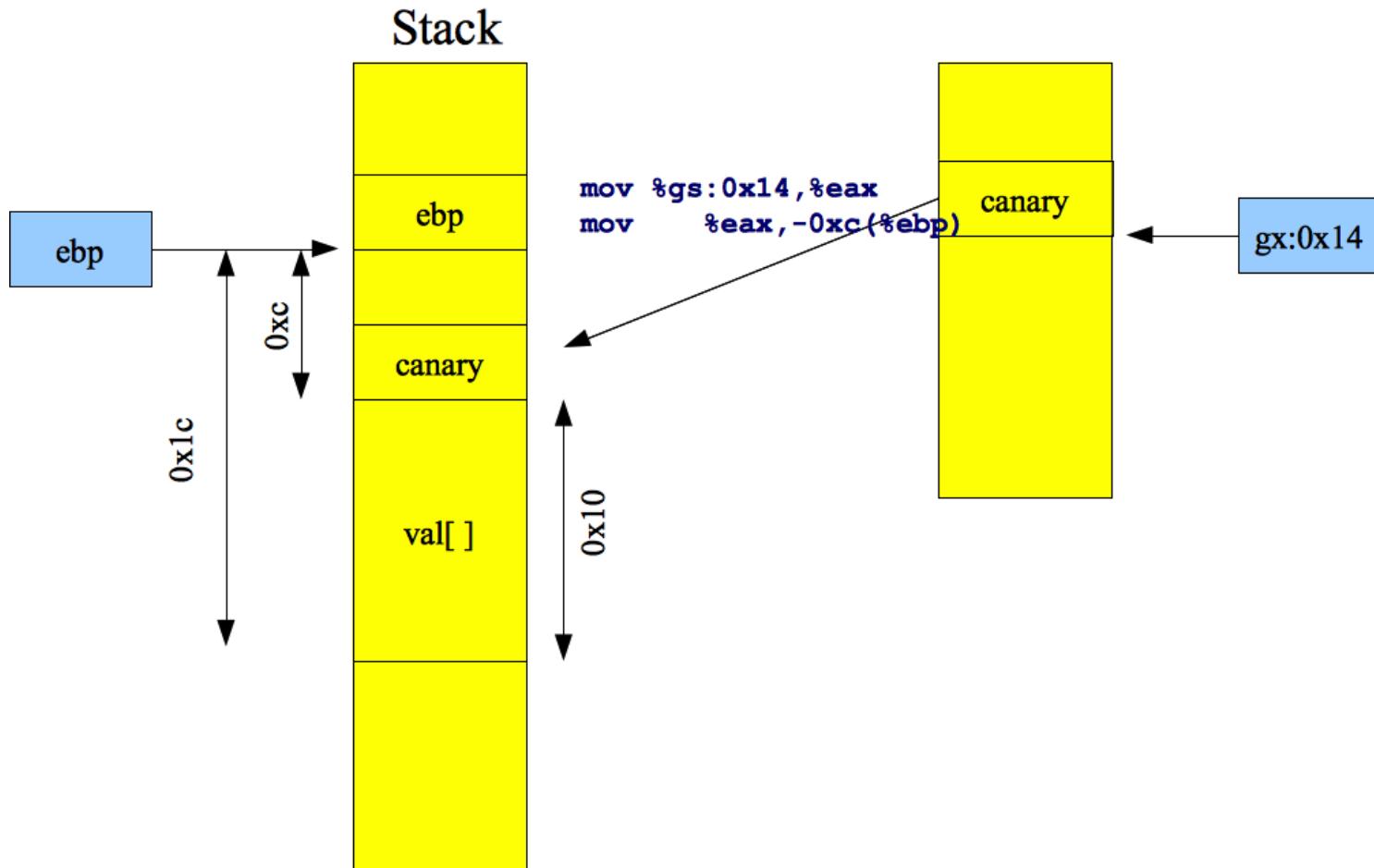
00000000004004f0 <main>:	
400504: e8 14 00 00 00	
400509: 89 45 fc	
40050c: c7 05 1a 0b 20 00 0a	

Real excution addresses

```
callq 40051d <func>
mov    %eax,-0x4(%rbp)
movl   $0xa,0x200b1a(%rip) # 601030 <__TMC_END__>
```

# Application hardening, 4: stack-protector-all

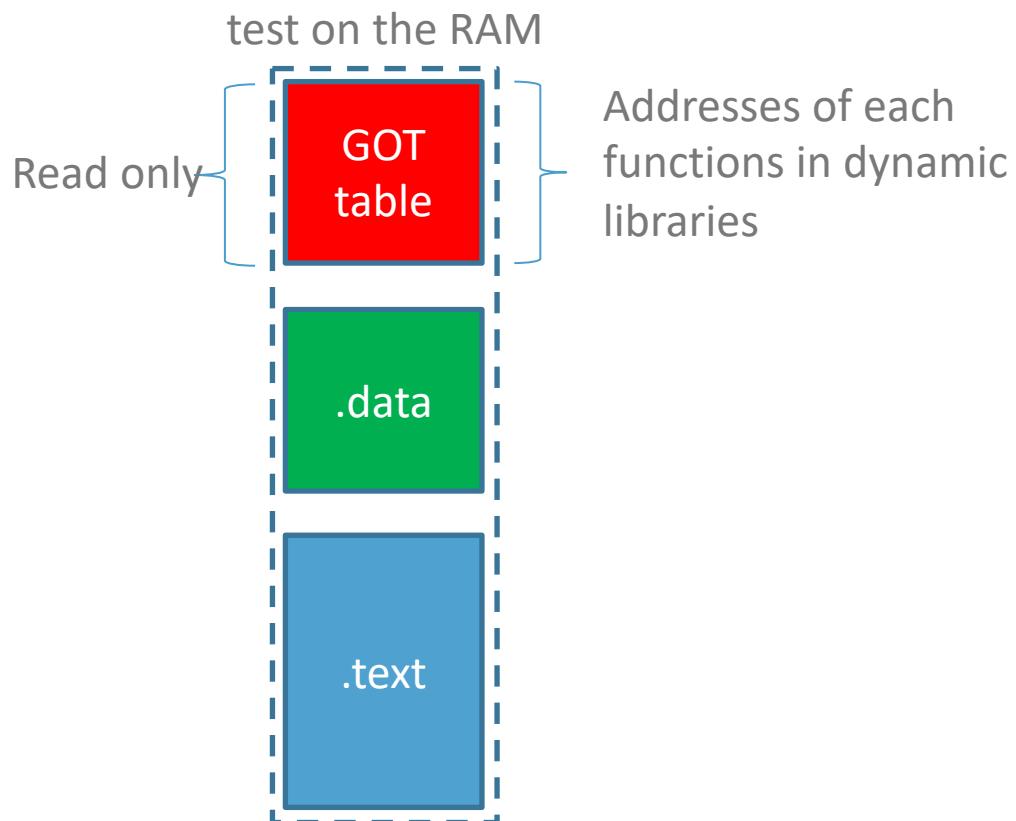
- Stack smashing protection is a way to protect programs from stack buffer overflows by adding random values (canaries) between the function's local variables and the saved instruction pointer.



# Application hardening, 5: relro, now

- All dynamic symbols must be resolved during the program startup → the GOT (Global Offset Table) table is initialized and next it is marked read-only.
- This prevents GOT overwrite attacks.

```
gcc -Wall -Wl,-z,relro,-z,now -o test test.c
```



# Application hardening, 6: FORTIFY\_SOURCE

- FORTIFY\_SOURCE macros provide buffer overflow checks for the following functions:

```
memcpy, mempcpy, memmove, memset, strcpy, stpcpy, strncpy,  
strcat,  
strncat, sprintf, vsprintf, snprintf, vsnprintf, gets.
```

- Example: test.c file

```
int main(int argc, char **argv) {  
    char buffer[4];  
    strcpy(buffer, argv[1]);  
    return (0);  
}  
  
gcc -Wall -O -D_FORTIFY_SOURCE=1 -o test test.c  
  
. ./test dddd  
*** buffer overflow detected ***: ./test terminated  
===== Backtrace: =====  
/lib64/libc.so.6(__fortify_fail+0x37)[0x3dc090d4f7]  
/lib64/libc.so.6[0x3dc090b6b0]
```

# Application hardening, 6: FORTIFY\_SOURCE

- If `_FORTIFY_SOURCE` is set to 1, with compiler optimization level 1 (`gcc -O1`) and above, checks that shouldn't change the behavior of conforming programs are performed.
- With `_FORTIFY_SOURCE` set to 2 some more checking is added, but some conforming programs might fail.
- Some of the checks can be performed at compile time, and result in compiler warnings; other checks take place at run time, and result in a run-time error if the check fails.

# Application hardening, 7: ftrapv

Integer overflow:

- gcc has the option `-ftrapv` which activates the signal SIGABRT.
- This signal can be catched.
- This option works only with `int` value (**not short or unsigned int**)
- Example:

```
// gcc -Wall -ftrapv -o file file.C -lstdc++
int main(void) {
    int a, b, c;
    createCatchSignal ();
    a=200000;
    b=200000;
    c=a*b;
    printf ("c=%d\n", c);
    return 0;
}
static void createCatchSignal(void) {
    struct sigaction act;
    memset (&act, 0, sizeof (act));
    act.sa_handler = catchSignal;
    sigaction (SIGABRT, &act, 0);
}
static void catchSignal (int signal) {
    printf ("Integer error, signal = %d\n", signal);
    _exit (0);
}
```



# Application hardening, 8: strnXXX functions

- Replace strcat, strcpy by strn.... Functions
- man **strncpy**:  
`char *strncpy(char *dest, const char *src, size_t n)`
- The **strncpy()** function is similar to strcpy(), except that at most n bytes of src are copied. Warning: If there is no null byte among the first n bytes of src, the string placed in dest will not be null-terminated.
- If the length of src is less than n, strncpy() pads the remainder of dest **with null bytes**.
- It is necessary **to initialize the buffer to 0** and **n must be = sizeof(buffer)-1**

```
int main (void)
{
    char buffer[16];
    const char *p="AAAAAAAAAAAAAAA"; //17bytes

    memset (&buffer[0], 0x0, sizeof(buffer));
    strncpy (&buffer[0], p, sizeof (buffer)-1);
    return (0);
}
```

# Application hardening, 8: strnXXX functions

- Some C functions such as gets(), strcpy(), strcat(), printf() are known to be insecure because they don't check the size of the destination buffers.
- The following command may be used in order to detect these particular functions in source code.

```
find . -name "*.c" | xargs egrep 'gets|strcpy|strcat|printf|scanf'
```

# Nmap commands



192.168.0.4

192.168.0.11



From 192.168.0.4:

nmap -sV -PN -p 1-65535 192.168.0.11

// scan all tcp ports, with software version

nmap -sU -PN -p 1-65535 192.168.0.11

// scan all udp ports, with software version

# Nmap scripts

“script man pages” are here: nmap.org/book/man-nse.html

Scripts are listed to: nmap.org/nsedoc/.

On computer, scripts are saved to **/usr/share/nmap/scripts**

## Example: ssh

```
ls /usr/share/nmap/scripts/ssh
    ssh2-enum-algos.nse  ssh-hostkey.nse      sshv1.nse
```

```
nmap --script-help ssh2-enum-algos
    ssh2-enum-algos
Categories: safe discovery
http://nmap.org/nsedoc/scripts/ssh2-enum-algos.html
```

```
nmap --script ssh2-enum-algos 192.168.0.11
PORT      STATE SERVICE
22/tcp    open  ssh
| ssh2-enum-algos:
|   kex_algorithms: (6)
|     curve25519-sha256@libssh.org
|     ecdh-sha2-nistp521
|     diffie-hellman-group-exchange-sha256
|     ...
|     ...
```