This Kids' Toy Can Hack Garage Doors in Seconds

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All it takes to hack and open some remotely-controlled garage doors is a slightly modified pink texting toy—and less than ten seconds.

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work, the KU Leuven team discovered in the summer of 2017 that the Tesla Model S keyless entry system, built by a manufacturer called Pektron, used only a weak 40-bit cipher to encrypt those key fob codes.

The researchers believe their attack might also work against cars sold by McLaren and Karma and motorcycles sold by Triumph, which also use Pektron's key fob system.

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