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CySDR

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Radioelectric simulation challenge.

a IOT expert team successfully intercept and manipulate transmitted data from wireless camera and from car remote key that works on standard radio frequencies.

The team bypass ip camera and capture the frequency of the car remote key by using a jammer device to disrupt wireless signals.

The camera use common frequency of 2.4 GHz unencrypted transmission.

The car key capture by using signal replay recording data transmission on 434 MHz.

CONCLUSIONS

The security level of the system remained low .

The tested environment was a weak encryption make it easier for unauthorized to intercept the information.

The main exploitation vectors is a common operating frequencies, unencrypted transmission, using standard protocols.

This vulnerability requires low level technical knowledge.

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Vulnerabilities



CONCLUSIONS

VULN-001 Unencrypted wireless communication (HIGH)

Description

Disrupt or disable wireless can be use for legitimate purposes like law enforcement, military operations, and illegal activities like unauthorized interception and intercepting the public safety communication, or invading privacy.

Details

The team use a jammer device that disrupt wireless communication signals. The jammer emits radio frequency (RF) signals of the targeted camera and can overpower or blocking the original signals.

The team exploit the wireless camera using common wellknown frequencies, with unencrypted transmission and using standard protocols.

Which allows to easily jam the camera using one of the common frequencies (2.4GHz)

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Note

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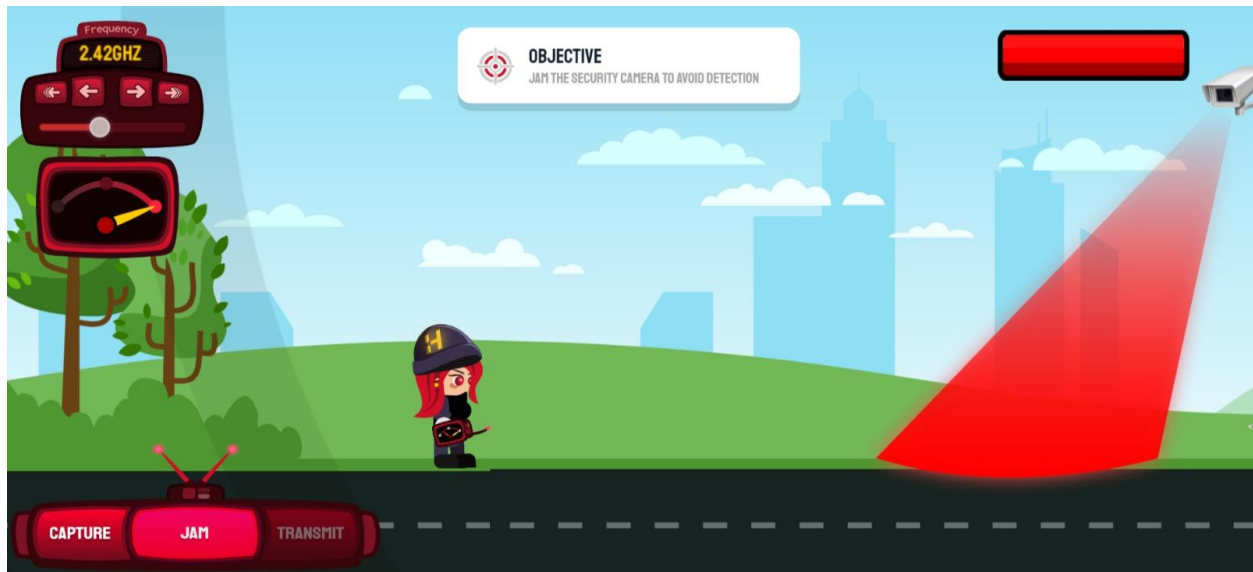


FIGURE 1: jamming camera whit common frequency (2.4GHz)

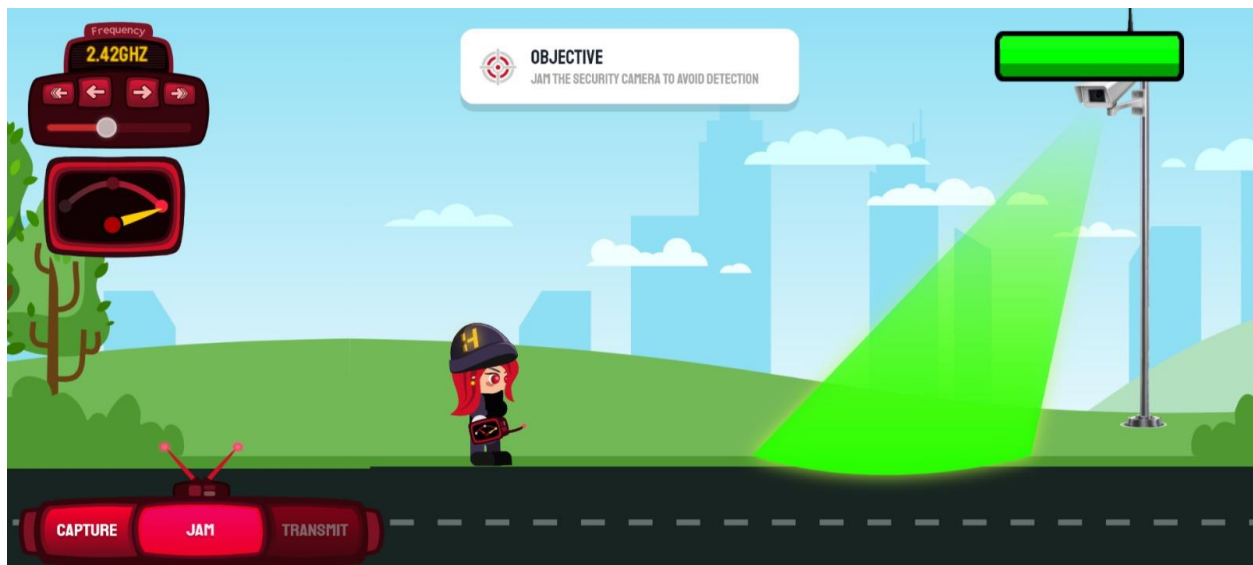


FIGURE 2: bypassing the security camera.

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- Interception allows unauthorized access to private videos footage.
- an attacker can be MITM and intercept data and modify it.
- attacker can replace a live feed with recorded video and blind the surveillance system.
- attacker can use the weakness of the camera to connect to larger network and exploit with other cyber attacks.

Remediation

- it is recommended to improve authentication and encryption mechanisms so that unauthorized devices cannot connect or interfere.
- it is recommended to update the firmware and software.
- it is recommended to perform security audits and penetration testing to find the weak points in the system.
- it is recommended to use FHSS technology to minimize the impact of blockages and interference.

VULN-002 Capture wireless signal for using a replay attack (HIGH)

Description

Capturing a wireless signal can be used by an attacker to intercept and record data transmission from the remote control key then replay the signals to trick the system.

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Details

The team was able to capture frequency signals transmitted by the car remote control key. Using SDR to intercept and record the radio frequency signals used for communication.

Replay attack allows attackers to impersonate valid entities by reusing captured data.

The team was able to exploit this by using common operating frequencies together with unencrypted transmission and using standard protocols. That allows the team to easily capture the signals using a common remote control operating frequency (4.34MHz).

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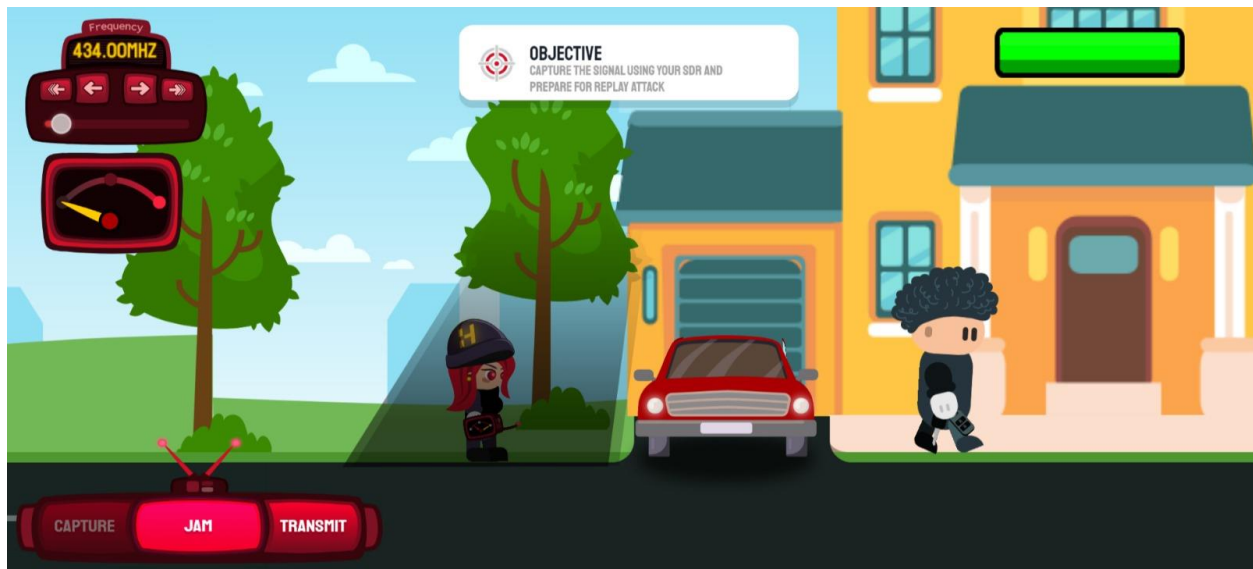


FIGURE 3: capture the car remote control signals at 4.34MHz

This involves sending the recorded signals back to the car as if they were originate from a legitimate remote key



FIGURE 4: replay attack using the capture signals.

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Remediation

--it is recommended to implement timestamps and nonces in the communication protocol and include these in each signal transmission.

-- the receiver should reject signals with timestamps that are too old or nonces that were used previously.

-- educate about the importance of security awareness and risks associated with replay attacks.

GOOD LUCK!