

# Using IoT devices as Attack Vectors



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## **What can we do with a ESP32?**

**Probably you are familiar or have seen some devices from Espressif, we can also include modules on it to make a infinity of attacks, but by default the majority of the ESPs lets you handle 2.4Ghz networks such as Wi-Fi and Bluetooth (LE), a lot of automations are possible with it but there is so much attacks we can do in these also.**

**Also these devices are so tiny and cheap you can let it somewhere and come back, or never come back**

### **XIAO ESP32C3:**

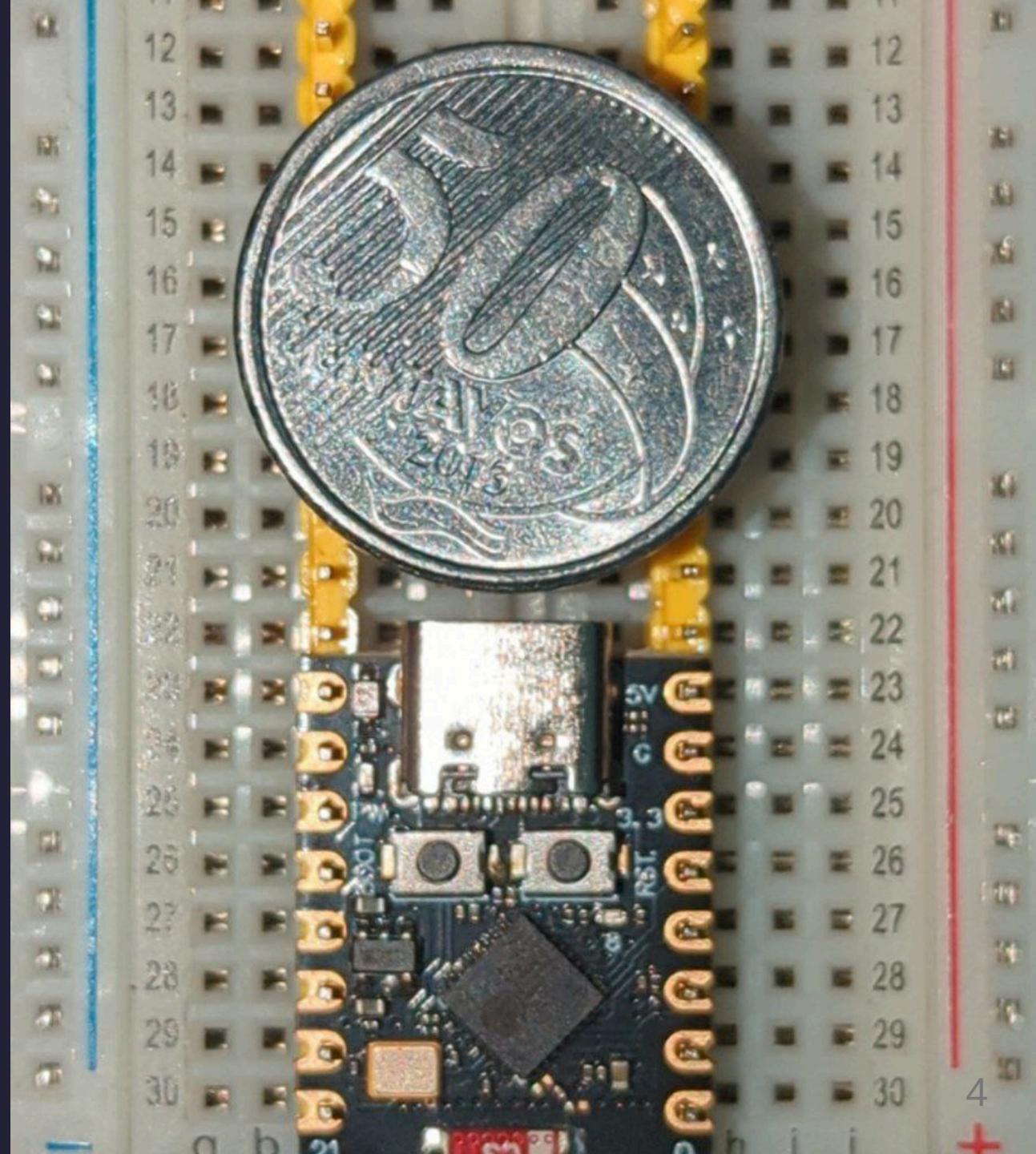
- Dimensions: 21 x 17.5 x 3.5 mm

### **ESP32-S3 Super Mini (USB HID):**

- Dimensions: 22.52 x 18 x 2.54 mm

### **ESP32-C5-WROOM-1U-N8R4:**

- Dimensions: 18.0 x 21.2 x 3.3 mm



## ESPs on 5Ghz

- > **ESP32-C5 2.4/5GHz**
- < **ESP32-S5 2.4GHz**

## Wi-Fi attacks (not authenticated)

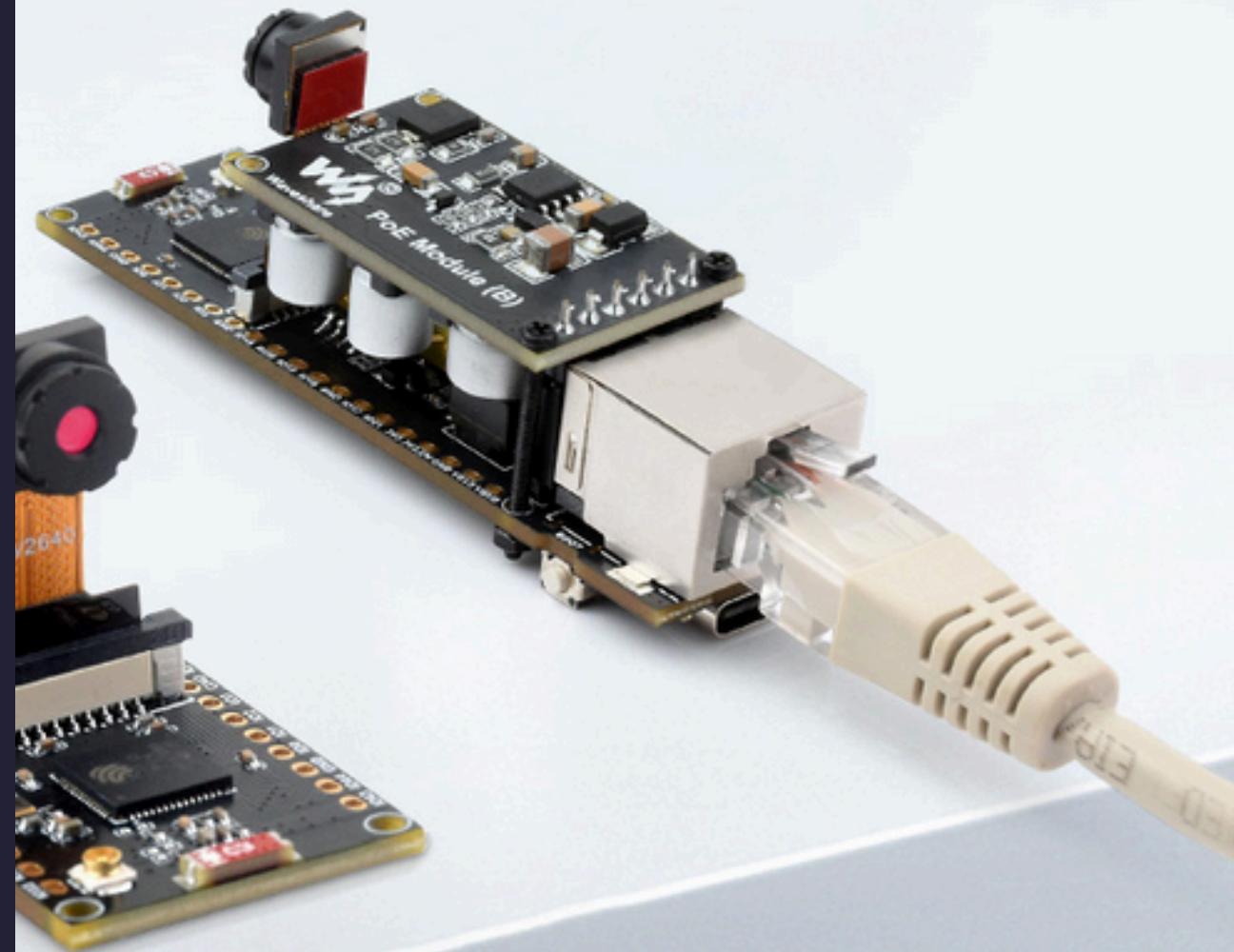
- Collect EAPOL Handshakes
- Evil Twin
- KARMA attacks
- PEAP Relay Attack (MGT)
- WPS Pixie Dust
- DPWO or any router exploit

## **Authenticated Network attacks**

**If you are inside a network, one of the first things you would do is discover other hosts. The technique you gonna use depends on how many "noise" you can/want to make.**

## Organization

- LLMNR Poisoning (responder)
- ARP Spoofing
- DNS Spoofing
- DHCP Poisoning
- Bruteforce
- Scan Hosts range (TCP/UDP)
- Weak Cryptografy



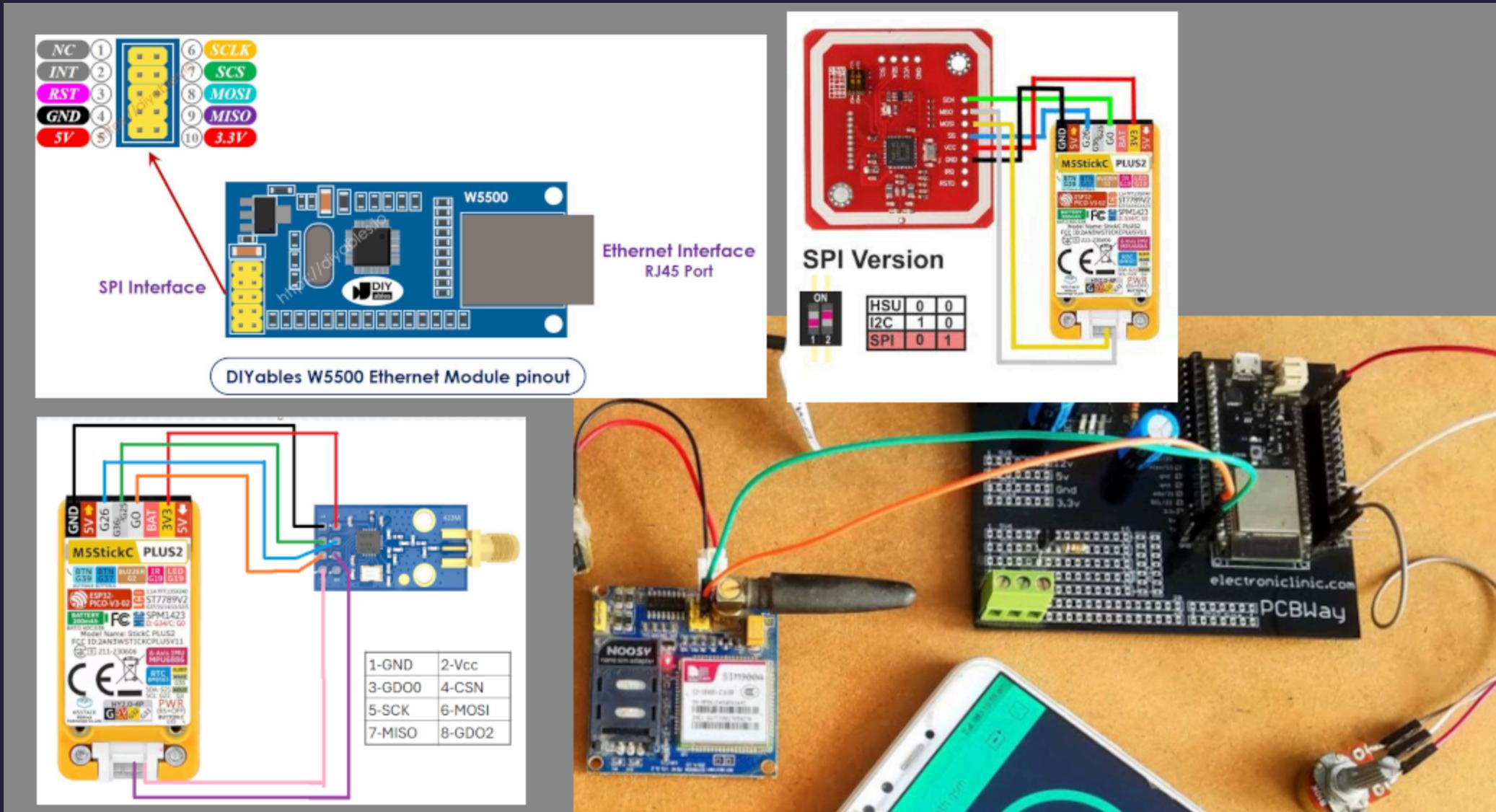
# Bluetooth

**ESP32-S3 supports Bluetooth 5.0 (LE) and its certificated for Bluetooth LE 5.4.**

- Openhaystack/Device tracking
- Bluejacking
- BLE Spoofing
- Passive eavesdropping

# Customizing the ESP32

- SIM-900A
- CC1101
- PN532
- W5500



## RF (SubGhz)

- Scan/Copy to file
- Send frequencies from files
- Spectrum

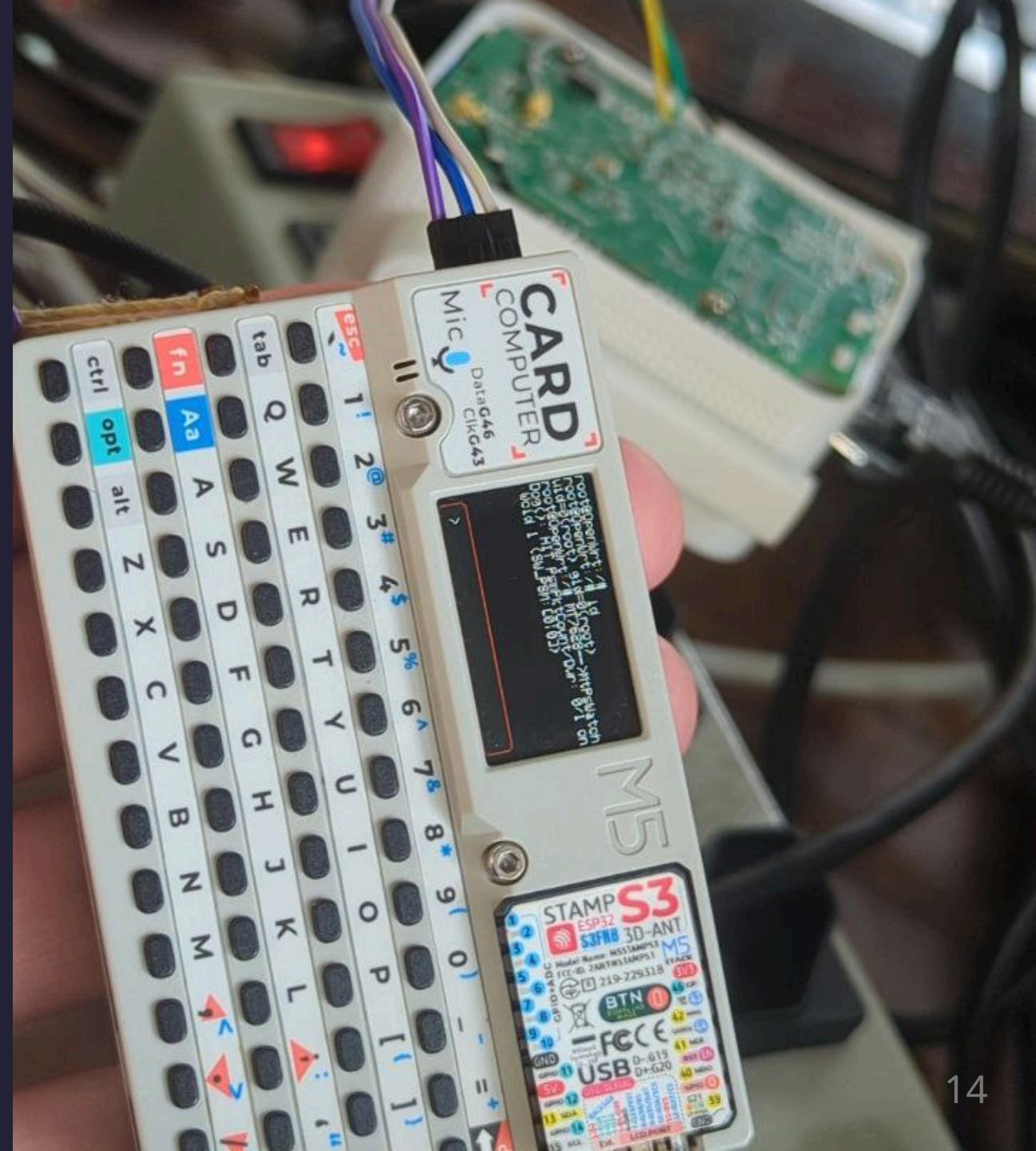
# RFID

- Read tag
- Read 125kHz
- Clone tag
- Write NDEF records
- Amiibolink
- Chameleon
- Write data
- Erase data
- Save file
- Load file

# Hardware vulns

## TP-Link RE305

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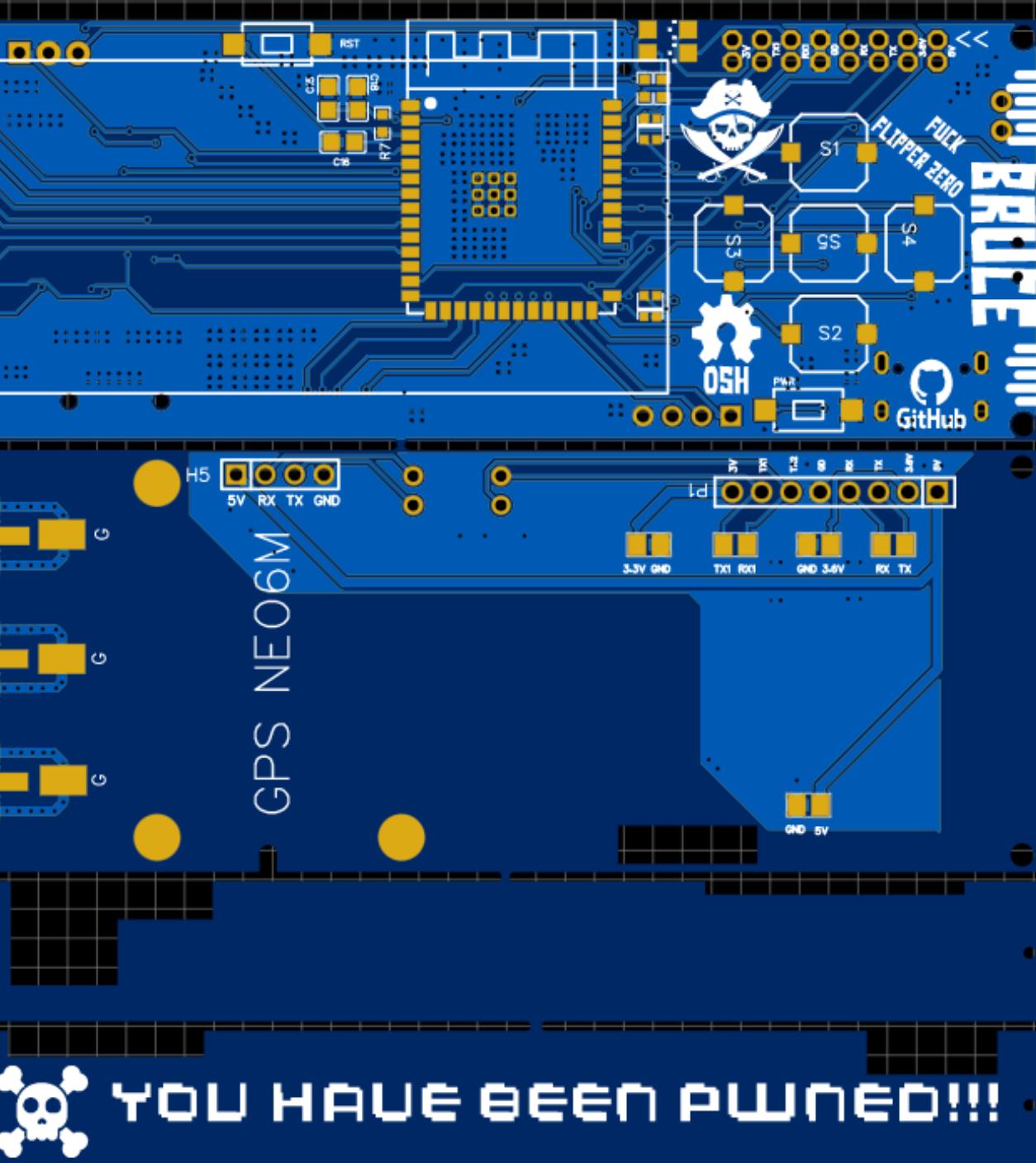


**Install it everywhere**

**If it has a ESP32, you can install  
Bruce someway**

**kawai ca701**

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## How i get rid of it?

- Dont use weak passwords (Use password manager)
- Avoid connecting on WiFi you dont trust
- Monitor your network and use DNSSEC (use too VLANs)
- Dont auto-connect to Wi-Fi
- Use controls with rolling key
- Use only WPA3 without WPS

# Getting Started

Ok, Lets go!

The firmware recording of Bruce on the board can be done through the website  
<https://bruce.computer/flasher>

You can also install Bruce using the Official Bruce App for Android via USB OTG!  
(Soon on playstore and Fdroid)

## **Flashing the board**

1. Go to <https://bruce.computer/flasher>

## **Flashing the board**

2. Select “Cardputer” (or any other device)

## Flashing the board

3. After clicking in "*Connect*" and "*Install*" we are done!

# **Greetz/Gracias**

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**bmorcelli, IncursioHack e r3ck!**

**All the Bruce community!**

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