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Mobile devices resilient to capture

(MacKenzie & Reiter 2003)

evitare il furto dei dati da PC/tel

Some statistics (@2010)

→ **1 laptop stolen every 12 seconds**

→ **Survey on 329 organizations:**

⇒ 86400 laptop lost; value: 2.1 B\$

→ Data value is greater than PC value!

⇒ 43% stolen at home

→ **FBI data (2001-2005)**

⇒ 160 stolen laptop

⇒ 10+ with critical (classified) data

⇒ 51: unsure whether contained classified data

→ **Famous R&B singer, Ryan Leslie**

⇒ Offered 1M\$ for his stolen laptop in 2010

⇒ New original songs and videos worth A LOT for him

→ (did not get it back)

Capture resilient device

→ A device that **CANNOT** be used by other than the **rightful owner**

→ Assume “**core**” of the device is a **secret key** *→ tutto dipende da lei*
⇒ E.g. to permit decryption, digital signatures, etc
⇒ E.g. SIM card

→ **Possible security approaches**

- ⇒ Lock/Unlock key via **passwd** (e.g. cipher/decipher it)
 - Weak: **dictionary attack likely to succeed**
- ⇒ Store secret in tamper-proof HW box *(hardware costoso!)*
 - Must have it! Must be robust to side channel analysis
- ⇒ Dynamically **download key from network repository**
 - Must trust network repository! *uso provider! (usato oggi)*

→ **Other ideas?**

MacKenzie + Reiter, 2003

→ **Assumption: device is connected when used**

→ **Solution: involve a “capture-protection server” in the network**

⇒ Server confirms that device remains in owner's possession before permitting usage of key

⇒ SW only, no tamper-proof requirements

→ **“capture-protection server” does NOT need to be trusted!**

→ **Two approaches:**

⇒ Basic one, standard protocol

⇒ Extended one, uses (2,2) secret sharing

→ Even if attacker cracks the device (and the user password), device key can be disabled

Scenario

(MacKenzie & Reiter)

me stesso



Password P

Many possible attack scenarios

- password known
- device stolen
- **server cracked (no trusted server!)**

Good: Solution resilient to any crack

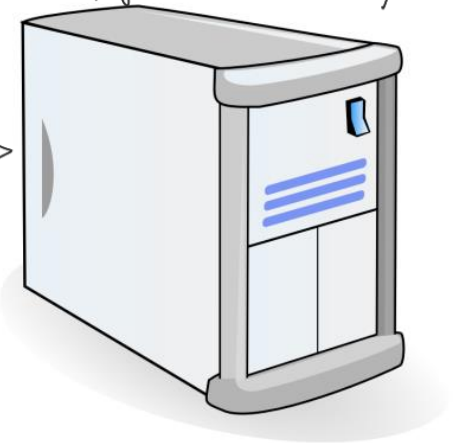
Better: Solution resilient to more than 1 crack!

(ogni combinazione!)



my
Pc

Remote
Server
(untrusted)



Secret Key
Public Key

SKd
PKd

Secret Key
Public Key

SKs
PKs

Basic solution

→ Robust to following attacks:

- ⇒ Server cracked AND password known
 - Attacker cannot sign/decrypt
- ⇒ Device cracked/stolen
 - Attacker can only perform dictionary attack
ONLINE
- ⇒ Device and Server cracked
 - Attacker can only perform dictionary attack
OFFLINE

→ Basic solution **NOT robust to:**

- ⇒ Device AND password cracked
 - Game over... Attacker can do all

Idea: use “tickets”

→ Assumption:

⇒ device has access to network

→ Protection:

⇒ Encrypt device key so that it can be decrypted only via cooperation with server

non manda chiave (server non fidato!) bensì tickets!

→ Idea:

⇒ Send encrypted “ticket” to server

→ Contains authentication material for user!!

→ No need to store on server

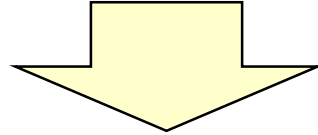
⇒ Use content of ticket to authenticate user

⇒ Use content of ticket to “partially” decrypt device key

→ Final decryption at User – server never sees key!

Protocol: **device initialization**

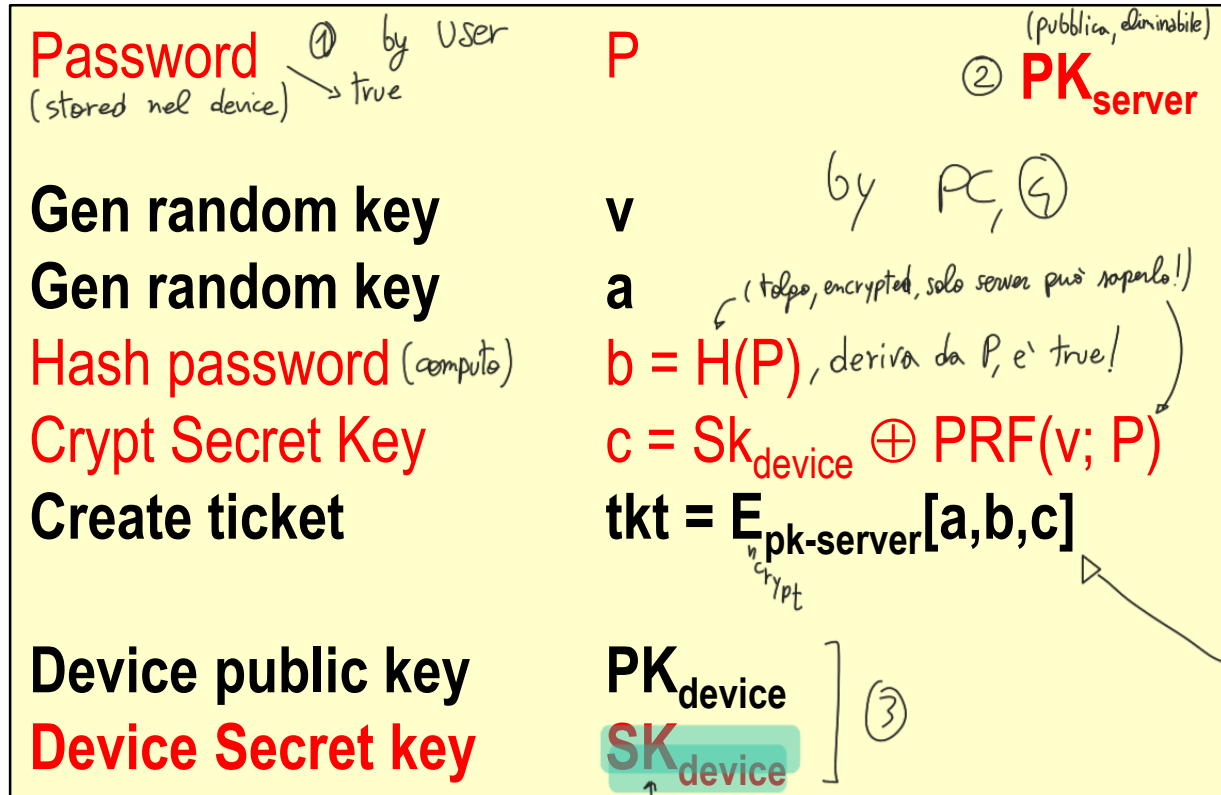
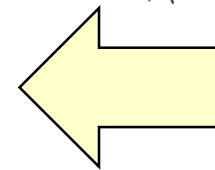
Passwd: P



Non da imparare, e' più a scopo informativo, e' complesso!

Captare sì, non memorizzare

Server Public Key



- PRF e' Key stream
- p by user, v by PC
- no secret sharing

Delete all red ⑤

se c'è qualcosa con input da user diversi ⇒ necessario di tutti input dopo!

- a : random
- b : Hash (real PW)
- c : Crypt secret key

• tkt mantenuta localmente, No nel server, solo dopo il server può decriptarlo (SOLO lui!)

da proteggere!!

Con i valori rimasti, senza $b = H(P)$ NO dictionary attack!!

Protocol: key retrieval

(Se sono veramente io e sono collegato ad internet, voglio accedere!)

Device

random key
random key

ticket

Device public key

inserisco P

v

a

$\text{tk} = E_{\text{pk-server}}[a, b, c]$

$\text{PK}_{\text{device}}$

solo se rubano PC lo hanno
(se non sono io)

solo server lo
apre!

Se sono veramente io
nel ticket ci sono loro, ma
non posso ancora vederli!

$$b = H(P)$$

$$c = \text{Sk}_{\text{device}} \oplus \text{PRF}(v; P)$$

User input password P

Compute hash

$$\beta = H(P) \quad (\text{localmente})$$

• Gen random
(for encryption,
non ci interessa)

ρ

send

$$\text{mac}_a[\text{tk}, E_{\text{pk-server}}[\beta, \rho]]$$

è uguale a
quella nel ticket?

estraggo

tk

→ a, b, c

a (msg autentico?)

→ check MAC

(auth device!)

decrypt

→ β, ρ

→ dice nulla
sull'USER

Check

→ $b = \beta$

(auth user!)

Decrypt key

$$(\rho \oplus c) \oplus \rho \oplus \text{PRF}(v, P) \rightarrow \text{Sk}_{\text{device}}$$

da conoscere !!

$$\rho \oplus c \quad (\approx \text{key transfer})$$

protegge TRANSPORT

protegge STORAGE

return

Attacks

→ Server cracked AND password known

- ⇒ Key v in device, still secret
 - SK encrypted with $PFR(v, \text{passwd})$
 - SK cannot be obtained

→ Device cracked/stolen

- ⇒ Attacker must send valid passwd hash
- ⇒ can only perform dictionary attack ONLINE
 - Easy to detect!
 - MAC verified (attacker knows a), but passwd fails many times

la pw è inviata
online al server!

→ Device and Server cracked

- ⇒ Passwd still missing
- ⇒ Dictionary attack OFFLINE against $b = H(\text{Passwd})$

↑ espongo lui

Can we do better?

→ **Limitation**

⇒ device stolen and passwd known

→ Attacker can get SK and use it from now on

→ **Solution:**

⇒ Must NOT reveal SK to the device itself!

⇒ Easy (now ☺): use secret sharing!

→ **Following example:**

⇒ RSA signature

⇒ Analogous for encryption

Secret sharing (2,2) for RSA

$$n = p \cdot q$$

$d \leftarrow$ random, secret key

$d_1 \leftarrow$ random, share 1

$d_2 = d - d_1 \bmod \phi(n) \leftarrow$ share 2

integer value, no problem
col modulo.

↙ No Lagrange

$$H(m)^{d_1} \cdot H(m)^{d_2} = H(m)^{d_1+d_2} = H(m)^{d_1+d-d_1} = H(m)^d \bmod n$$

Case (2,2): use trivial secret share

NO Shoup's problem to overcome in reconstruction (no Lagrange now!!!)

Protocol2: device initialization

Password

P

PK_{server}

Server
Public
Key

NOTO LW , HO SK

Gen random key

v

Gen random key

a

Gen share 1

$d_1 = \text{PRF}(v; P)$

Gen share 2

$d_2 = d - d_1 \mod \phi(n)$

Gen disabling key

t

Gen disabling val

$u = H(t)$

Hash password

$b = H(P)$

~~Crypt Secret Key~~

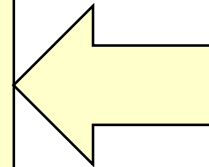
~~$c = SK_{\text{device}} \oplus \text{PRF}(v; P)$~~

Create ticket

$\text{tk} = E_{pk\text{-server}}[a, b, u, d_2, N]$

Device public RSA key (N,e)

Device Secret RSA key d $[SK]$ [and $\phi(N)$]



- PRIMA : $SK \oplus \text{PRF}(v, P)$
- ora crea share pseudo-RAND:
devo avere V, P per computer,
quando ottengo COMPITO il mio share,
cioè d info, al massimo sono
uno dei due players!

Delete all red & orange

↑
cose cambiate
rispetto prima

per RSA signature,
mando l'ALTRO share, serve
anche il mio!

core
tecniche

②

Protocol2: key retrieval

Device – while signing m

random key	v
random key	a
disabling key	t
ticket	$\text{tk} = E_{\text{pk-server}}[a, b, u, d_2, N]$
Device public key	(e, N)

reference

$$b = H(P)$$

$$d_1 = \text{PRF}(v; P)$$

Se rubo device + pw
 ho $v, p \rightarrow d_1 = \text{PRF}(v, p)$
 ma manca d_2 mai comunicato!!
 Come capisce il server se device è rubato?
 NON PUO'. *Also Key disabling*

User input password P in device

Compute hash

$\beta = H(P)$

computato dal device

Gen random

ρ

msg da firmare
 $H(PW)$

$\text{mac}_a[\text{tk}, E_{\text{pk-server}}[H[m], \beta, \rho]]$

send

transazione ha interazione col server! No solo per device activation!

Server

tk decrypt $\rightarrow a, b, d_2, u, N$

a check \rightarrow check MAC
 (auth device!)

decrypt $\rightarrow H[m], \beta, \rho$

Check $\rightarrow b = \beta$
 (auth user!)

Decrypt key

$(\rho \oplus H[m]^{d_2}) \oplus \rho$

Complete signature

$d_1 = \text{PRF}[v, P]$

$H[m]^{d_2} H[m]^{d_1} \bmod N$

Giuseppe Bianchi

signed with share
 $\rho \oplus H[m]^{d_2}$

return

mai rubato S_k . Prima sign con shares, poi ricostruisco signature (threshold enc)

Signature key d NEVER retrieved in clear!

If attacker gets passwd AND device, cannot get key d

Protocol2: key disabling

comunico al server che mi hanno rubato il PC (uso Key_t). $U = H(t)$, sta nel ticket
da controllare, per bloccare signature

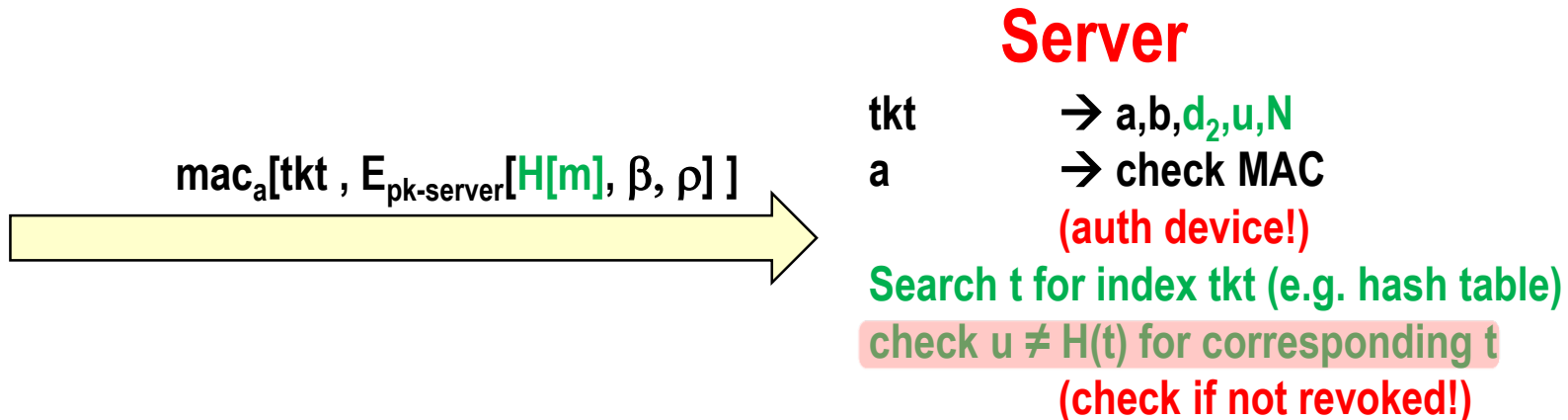
→ Suffices to keep backup of

⇒ t

⇒ tk

→ If device stolen, send them to server

⇒ Server keeps blacklist



Abbiamo visto sistema distribuito con diversi livelli di sicurezza!

in RSA : threshold easy
(tutto diretto / secret sharing)
in ECDSA : harder!