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Zero Knowledge Security



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Four Horsemen of the Privacy Apocalypse

My Government

#RSAC

US, British intelligence agencies tried hacking systems: SIM maker

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Data and computer security

UK's Drip law: cynical, misleading and an affront to democracy
Julia Powles



Books

← Friday Squid Blogging: Squid Exhibit at the Monterey Bay Aquarium

Silk Road Author Arrested Due to Bad Operational
Security →

Schedule

How the NSA Attacks Tor/Firefox Users With QUANTUM and FOXACID

Essays

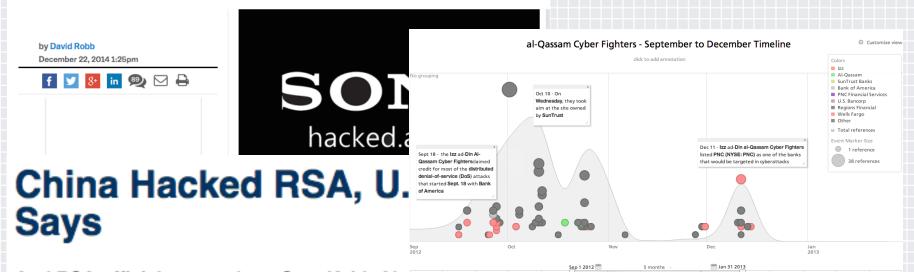
Crypto

About Me

Their Government



Sony Hack: A Timeline



And RSA official responds to Gen. Keith Alexander a tening congress this week that Chinese attackers were behind the SecurID breach last year



Criminals

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                  23:31 -!- Irssi: Connecting to 193.178,229,220 [193.178,229,220] port 6667
                       -!- Irssi: Connection to 193,178,229,220 established
version", "use
GBR | XP | SP2 | 6: 23:31
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-aanlvz", "Ago
                           timeouts, please type /quote pong 8425445A or /raw pong 8425445A now.
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                        -!- This server was created Sun Feb 8 18:58:31 2004
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52907", "emwoo
                           NETWORK=KPAJNHA CASEMAPPING=ascii are supported by this server
70900842","ta
                        -!- Mode change [+i] for user GBRIXPISP21644982
55634510452".
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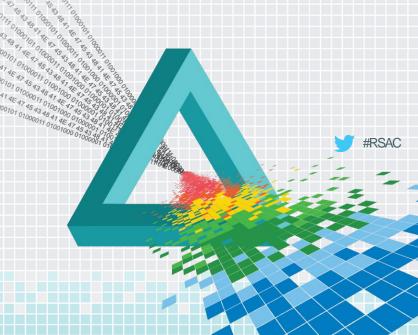


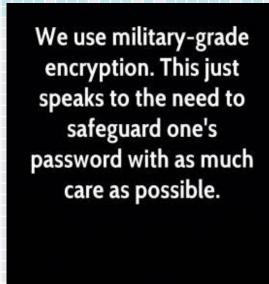
If you're not paying for the product, you are the product.

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Definitions







Jargon we love to hate

Military-grade NSA-proof

Vincent Sollitto

Bullet-proof APT Proprietary technology PCI



Zero Knowledge Proof

A Zero-Knowledge Proof is a method by which one party can prove to another party that a statement is true, without conveying information apart from the fact that the statement is indeed true.



Zero Knowledge Encryption

A method of encryption where the organization providing the encryption can store and manage the encrypted data without access to the encryption keys.



CALEA

47 US Code 1002(a)(3)

"A telecommunications carrier shall not be responsible for decrypting, or ensuring the government's ability to decrypt, any communication encrypted by a subscriber or customer, unless the encryption was provided by the carrier and the carrier possesses the information necessary to decrypt the communication."



Able to decrypt by design

- Mail
 - Gmail
 - MSN
 - Hotmail
- Online file services
 - Dropbox Deduplication

Phones



Online Mail Services





Cloud Storage



Vs.





Cell phones





Weak or insecure cryptography





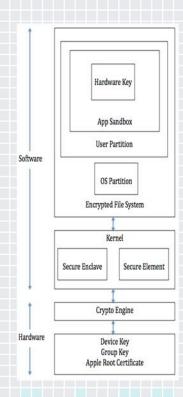


Encrypted phones

- ♦ IOS
 - Key only stored on phone as of 8.0
 - 256-bit AES
- Android
 - aes-cbc-essiv:SHA256 (In other words, 256-bit AES)
 - Older versions weakened by PIN strength
 - Backpedaled on encryption by default
- It doesn't work if you don't turn it on!

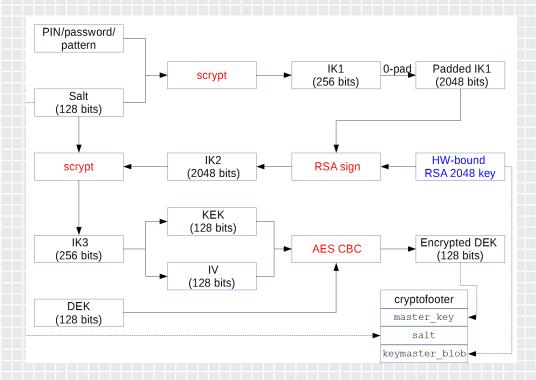


iOS Encryption





Android Encryption







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Not just for your personal life

- More important for business!
- ◆ 5% of the data is worth 95% of the value
- Stopping the data from leaving is almost impossible, so make sure it's as secure as possible while it's out there

- Use your own keys
- Many products allow you to encrypt outside the application
- Read the fine print, don't believe the marketing
- Ask for products that give you the power



Apply

Review the technical documentation

Understand where the keys are and who has access to them

- Request more control of keys from vendors
- Vote with your wallet (personally and as a corporation)

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