



Biomedical Security

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Data of thousands of Dutch citizens leaked from government Covid-19 systems

Because of outdated systems and insufficient access control, almost all GGD employees had access to sensitive information, which has been illegally traded on the internet.

The data breach involves data from two GGD systems – CoronIT, which contains the private data of Dutch citizens who have taken a coronavirus test, and HPZone, an electronic file for source-and-contact research performed by the GGD. Addresses, telephone numbers, email addresses and citizen service numbers were accessed.

<https://www.computerweekly.com/news/252495983/Data-of-thousands-of-Dutch-citizens-leaked-from-government-Covid-19-systems> (Feb 2021).

Health Data Breaches Skyrocket During COVID-19 Pandemic

Hacking incidents jump 42% while insider incidents affect 8M patient records

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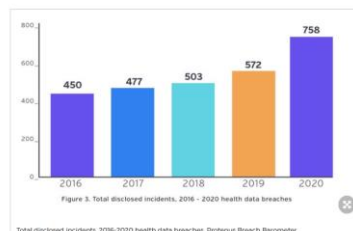


BALTIMORE, March 15, 2021 /PRNewswire/ -- Over 40 million patient records were breached in 2020, according to new data released today in the Protenus Breach Barometer®. Published by Protenus, a healthcare compliance analytics company that protects patient data for the nation's leading health systems, the Breach Barometer is the industry's definitive source for health data breach reporting.

Hospitals and health systems experienced unprecedented challenges as they grappled to get a handle on the varying components and associated effects of COVID-19. One ramification was the increase in breaches to patient data. There were 758 reported health data breaches in 2020, increasing from 572 reported in 2019. A new trend of at least two health data breaches per day has also emerged, increasing from the trend of one breach per day reported since 2016.

To download the full report, or for more information, please visit:


<https://www.prnewswire.com/news-releases/health-data-breaches-skyrocket-during-covid-19-pandemic-301247097.html>




How to Secure Patient Data?



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There are more than a dozen standards in the 27000 family, you can see them [here](#).





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Preventive, detective and corrective controls:

- **Physical controls** e.g. fences, doors, locks ...
- **Procedural controls** e.g. incident response processes, training ...
- **Technical controls** e.g. user authentication (login) and logical access controls, antivirus software, firewalls;
- **Legal and regulatory or compliance controls** e.g. privacy laws, policies and clauses.

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ISO/IEC 27001:2013 clauses and annex:

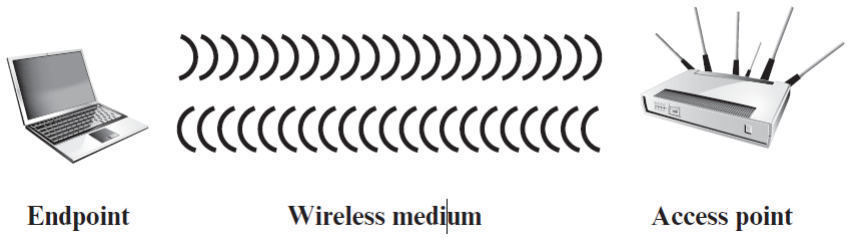
1. Scope of the standard
2. How the document is referenced
3. Reuse of the terms and definitions in ISO/IEC 27000
4. Organizational context and stakeholders
5. Information security leadership and high-level support for policy
6. **Planning an information security management system; risk assessment; risk treatment**
7. **Supporting** an information security management system
8. **Making** an information security management system **operational**
9. **Reviewing** the system's performance
10. **Corrective** action

Annex A: List of controls and their objectives

Wireless Network Security

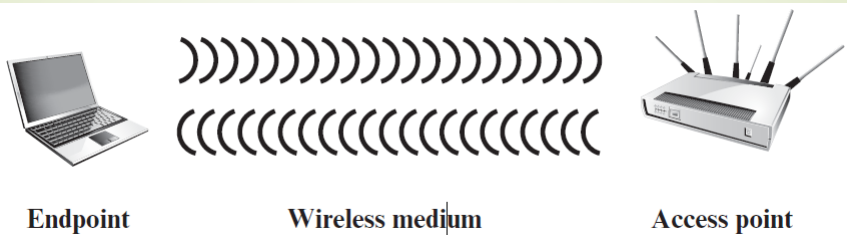
- Channel: broadcast communications
 - eavesdropping and jamming
 - active attacks that exploit vulnerabilities in communications protocols.
- Mobility
 - gives extra risks.
- Resources
 - Clients have often limited memory and processing resources with which to counter threats, including denial of service and malware.
- Accessibility
 - Wireless devices, such as sensors and robots, may be left unattended in remote and/or hostile locations. This greatly increases their vulnerability to physical attacks.

Wireless Network Security: threats



- **Accidental association**
- **Malicious association:** In this situation, a wireless device is configured to appear to be a legitimate access point, enabling the operator to steal passwords
- **Ad hoc networks:** These are peer-to-peer networks between wireless computers
- **Nontraditional networks:** Nontraditional networks and links, I
- **Identity theft (MAC spoofing):** This occurs when an attacker is able to eavesdrop
- **Man-in-the middle attacks:** ... see Diffie and Hellman Key Exchange protocol

Wireless Network Security: Threats



- **Denial of Service (DoS)**
 - Bombarding the network with protocol messages
- **Network injection**
 - If Nonfiltered network traffic exists, attackers can inject routing protocol messages, network management messages, etc.
 - Bogus reconfiguration messages to degrade performance of routers and switches.

Wireless Network Security Measures



Endpoint



Wireless medium



Access point

Securing the Wireless Transmissions

■ Signal-hiding techniques

- Turn off Service Set Identifier (SSID) broadcasting
- Reduce signal strength, location of access points, directional antennas

■ Encryption

- Encrypt all transmissions.

Wireless Network Security Measures



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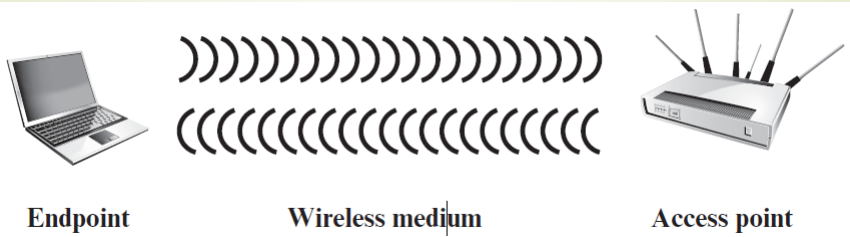
Access point

Securing the Wireless Access Points

■ Prevent unauthorized access to the network by using **the IEEE 802.1X standard**

- Authentication mechanism
- Prevent rogue access points

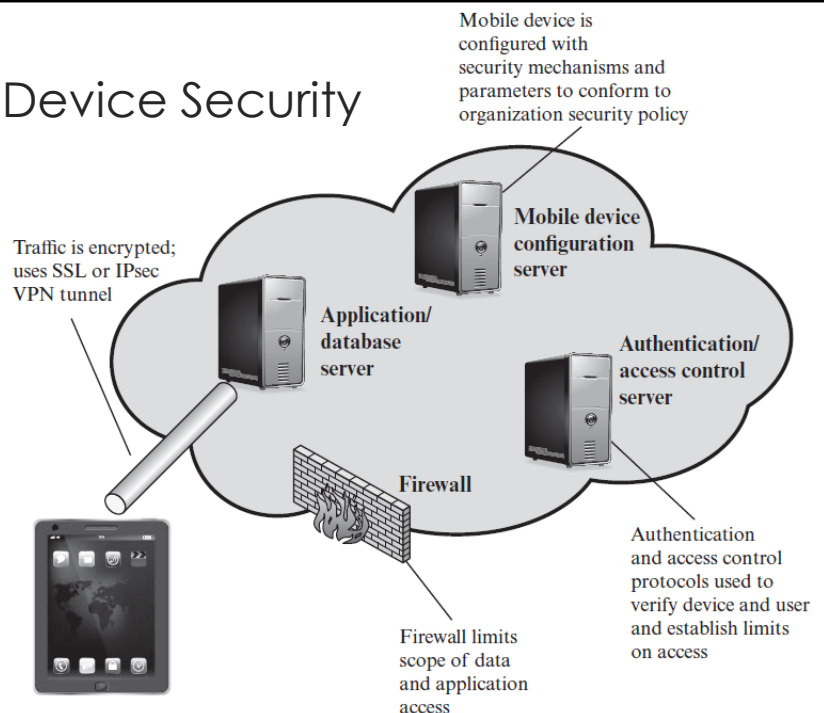
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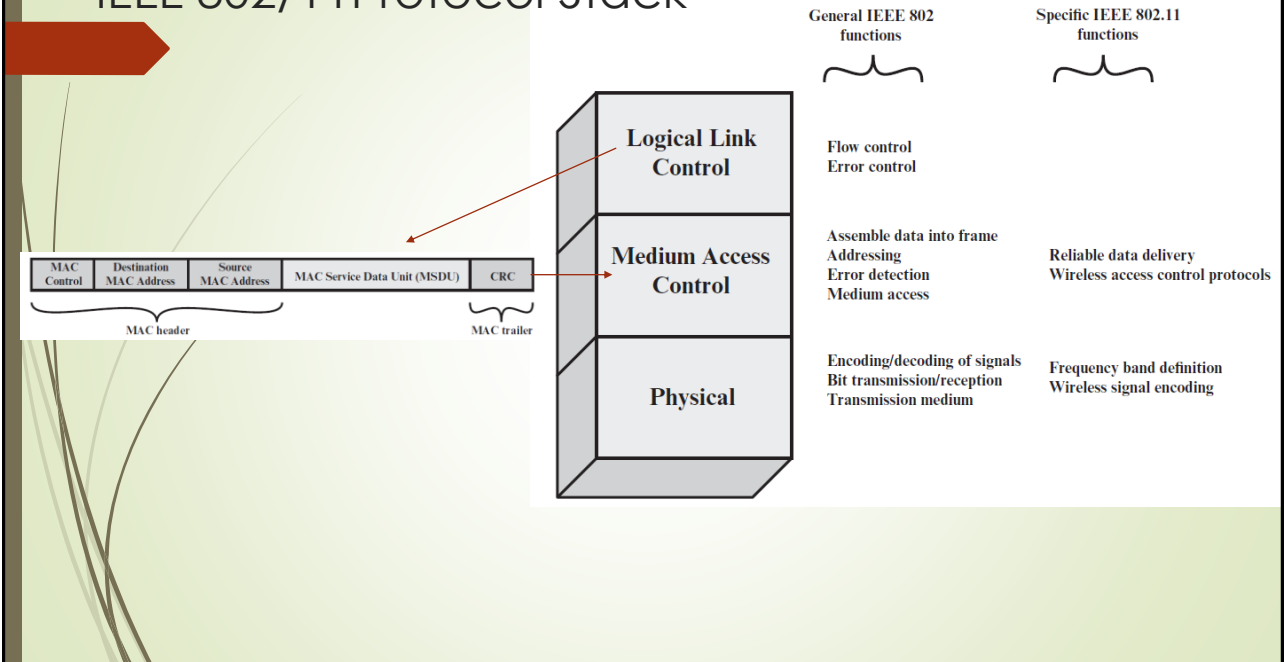
Securing Wireless Networks

1. **Use encryption.** Wireless routers are typically equipped with built-in encryption mechanisms for router-to-router traffic.
2. **Use antivirus and antispyware software,** and a firewall on all wireless network endpoints.
3. **Turn off identifier broadcasting.** If a network is configured so that authorized devices know the identity of routers, this capability can be disabled, so as to thwart attackers.
4. **Change the identifier on your router from the default.** Again, this measure thwarts attackers who will attempt to gain access to a wireless network using default router identifiers.
5. **Change your router's pre-set password for administration.**
6. **Allow only specific computers to access your wireless network.** A router can be configured to only communicate with approved MAC addresses. Of course, MAC addresses can be spoofed, so this is just one element of a security strategy.

Mobile Device Security

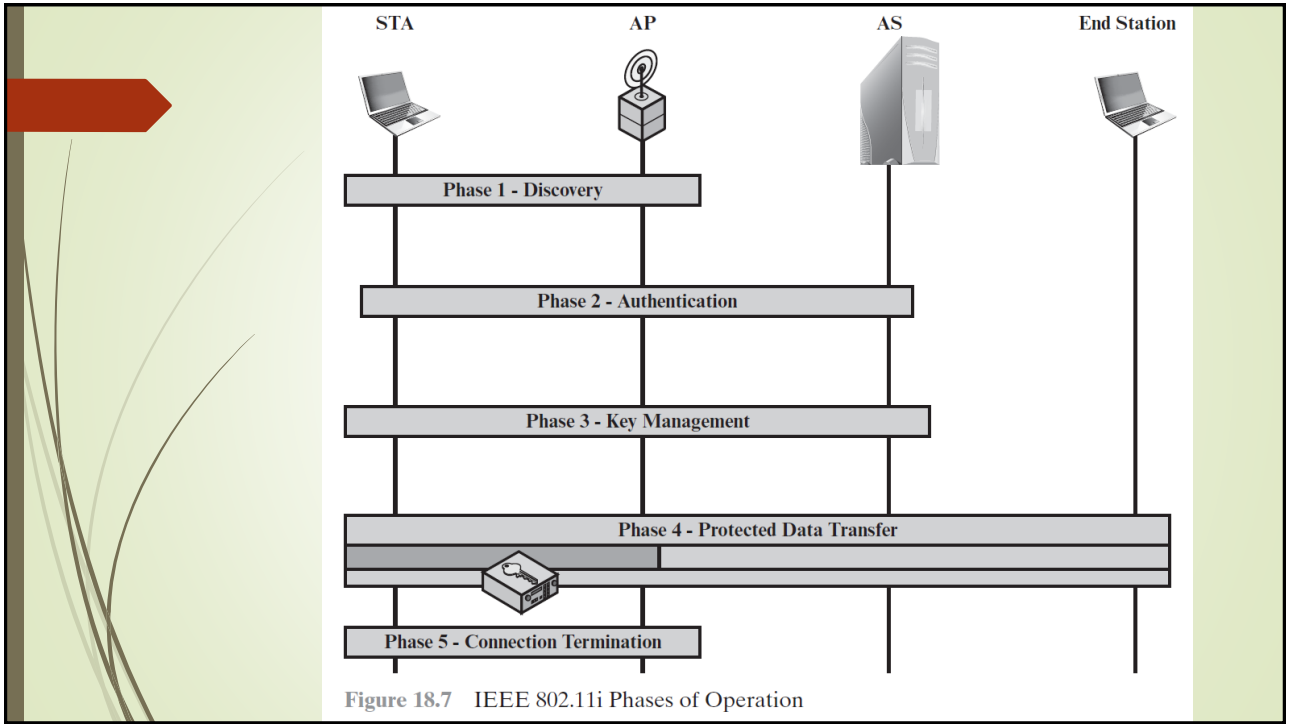
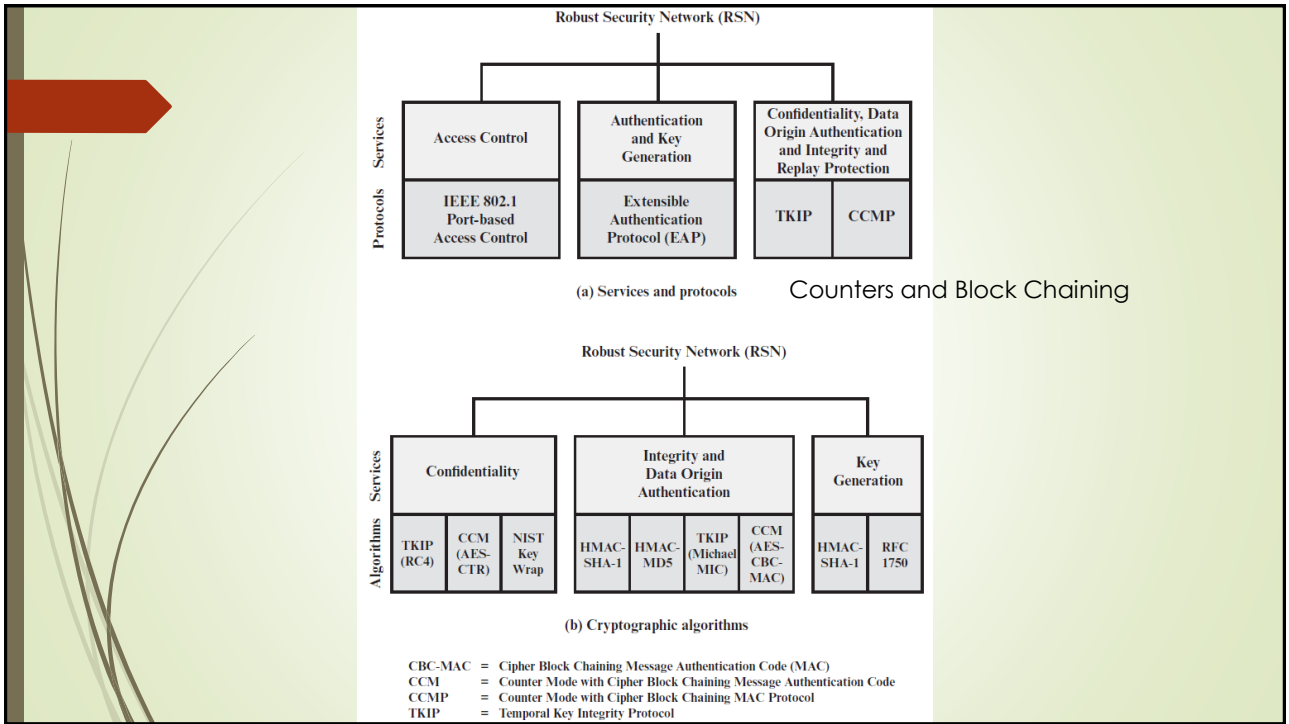


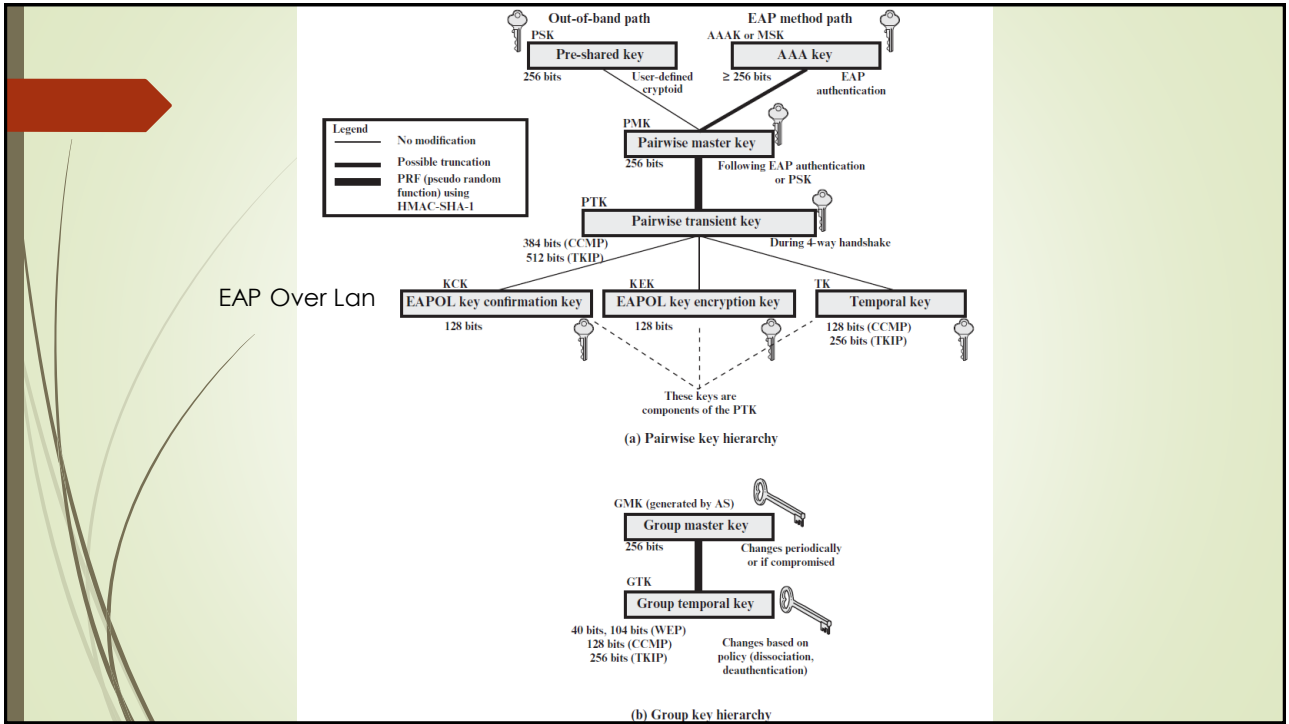
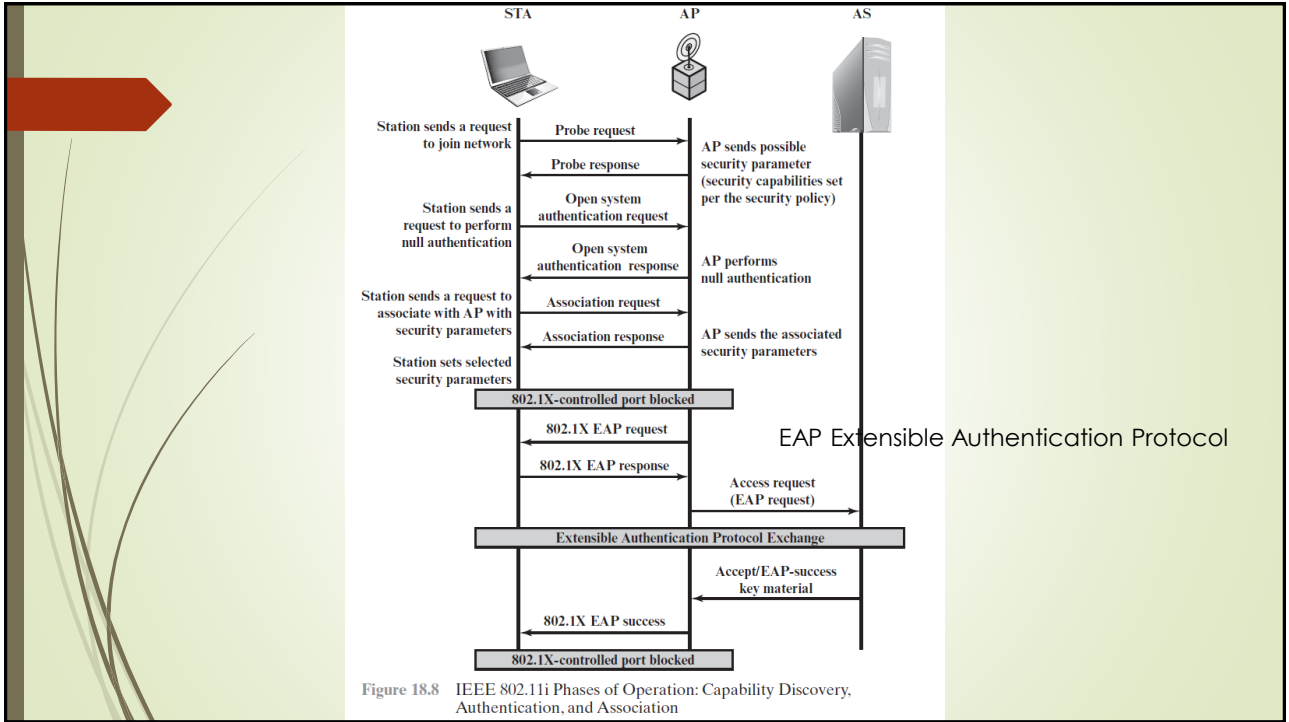
IEEE 802/11 Protocol Stack



The 802.11i RSN security specification

- Authentication:** A protocol is used to define an exchange between a user and an AS that provides mutual authentication and generates temporary keys to be used between the client and the AP over the wireless link.
- Access control:** This function enforces the use of the authentication function, routes the messages properly, and facilitates key exchange. It can work with a variety of authentication protocols.
- Privacy with message integrity:** MAC-level data (e.g., an LLC PDU) are encrypted along with





Biometrics Security



Security based on

- Fingerprints,
- Retina scans
- Face recognition
- Voice recognition
- Gait analysis
- EEG scan
- DNA
- ...

Forensics

A good idea?



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New Data Breach Has Exposed Millions Of Fingerprint And Facial Recognition Records: Report



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Hacker fakes German minister's fingerprints using photos of her hands

Jan Krissler used high resolution photos, including one from a government press office, to successfully recreate the fingerprints of Germany's defence minister



▲ The hacker used commercial Photograph: A. T. Willett / Alamy/Alamy



▲ German Defence Minister Ursula von der Leyen Photograph: Hambrovi Henschel/Reuters

Jan Krissler, known in hacker circles as Starbug, used commercial software called VeriFinger and several close-range photos of von der Leyen, including one gleaned from a press release issued by her own office and another he took himself from three meters away, to reverse-engineer the fingerprint.

Hackers Make a Fake Hand to Bypass Vein Authentication

January 1, 2019 Aytekin D. Cyber Magazine, Security 0

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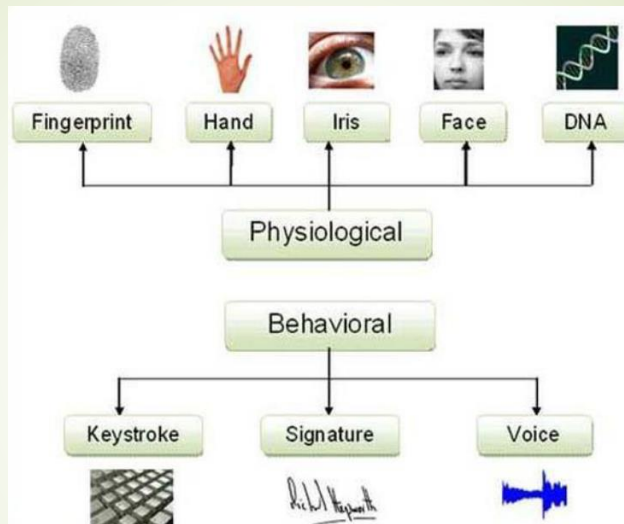


Vein pattern



Security researchers worked out a study at the Chaos Communication Congress to show how hackers can pass vein-based authentication.

Hackers use a fake wax hand to fool vein authentication security



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A Study of Age and Ageing in Fingerprint Biometrics by J. Galbally, R. Haraksim

IEEE Transactions on Information Forensics and Security · October 2018

Abstract—Thanks to Mr James Bond we are aware that diamonds are forever but, are fingerprints?


It is well known that biometrics brings to the security field a new paradigm: unlike traditional systems, **individuals are not identified by something that they have or they know, but by what they are.**

While such an approach entails some clear advantages, an important question remains: **Is what we are today the same as what we will be tomorrow?**

The present paper addresses such a key problem in the fingerprint modality based on a database of over 400K impressions coming from more than 250K different fingers.

Final Tasks

- Presentation 12 minutes + 3 minutes questions
 - Time your presentation: 10 – 12 minutes!
- A Technical Survey
 - See pdf on the web site.



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