New Trends – New Threats – New Services in CyberSecurity

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It is estimated that the future of this globally connected cyber world will include the following trends:

- The Internet will continue to be a fundamental element of the business mindset
- Flexible working practices facilitated by the explosion of mobile devices will be a basic lifestyle option
- The effective use of Internet, cloud computing and big data will enable business and mankind to further leverage the global wisdom of men and machines
- The increase in globalization of cyber relation will generate new risks that will have to be addressed based on the realities of our world.

Today

"There is widespread agreement that advanced attacks are bypassing our traditional signature-based security controls and persisting undetected on our systems for extended periods of time. The threat is real. You are compromised; you just don't know it" – Gartner Inc. (2012)

Impacts	Top Recommendations
The failure of traditional security tools to stop targeted attacks requires security organizations to balance technology investments and processes in all four stages of the security life cycle.	Balance investments across the security life cycle. Invest in hardening endpoints with policyand process-based controls. Invest in continuous monitoring tools and processes to reduce dwell time.
Security organizations must assume they are compromised and invest in detective capabilities that provide continuous infection monitoring.	Track dwell time and time to recovery as key performance metrics. Create infrastructure to store baseline information. Create systems to monitor suspect changes in endpoints and the network.
Policy-based controls are highly effective and should be considered as the first line of defense against malware attacks.	Invest in proactive application management. Invest in "default-deny" application control solutions.

Source: Gartner whitepaper, "Malware Is Already Inside Your Organization; Deal With It" (2014)

Why use Managed Security Services

- Fast track to legal/regulatory compliance and risk management
- Import of skills and capabilities a dedicated tiger team to intervene
- Focus your IT resources on support for core functions and competencies

- Visibility understand what happens, why, and what can you do about it.
- **Actionability** operations and data driven intelligence, for better decisions
- Smarter investment all those technologies are yours, as a service

What we do



Technology Solutions

Complete cyber defenses projects

Cisco, Juniper, FireEye, IBM, Symantec, Websense, SkyBox, Microsoft, BAE Systems, Rapid7 and others.

MSSP Portfolio

Security Consulting
Audit & Pentest
Security Management
Managed Network
Security
Managed Endpoint
Security
Network Security
Monitoring

UTI CERT

Incident Response Data Forensics Malware analysis & more





Training: EC-Council, (ISC)², ISACA, Mile2, Mandiant, CompTIA + Microsoft, Cisco, Fortinet and others.

CSIRT Services

Security Management

Risk Analysis

Security Consulting

Security Validation

Education/Training

BC & DR Plans



Proactive Services

Announcements

Technology Watch

Configuration Management

Network Security Management

Intrusion Detection Services

Security Tools Development

Security Analytics



Alerts and warnings

Incident Handling

Incident analysis

IR on site, support, coordination

Vulnerability Handling

Vuln analysis

Vuln response, coordination

Data Forensics

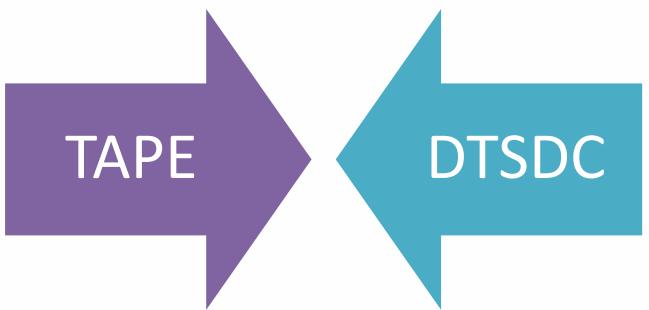
Artifact analysis

DF response, coordination



Research

certSIGN already managed to include in its services mechanisms developed from two major research projects:



TAPE - Technologies for processing and assuring electronic content

CONTEXT

- Third Trusted Party service aiming:
 - Guaranteeing the web-content
 - Web-content non-repudiation
 - Web-content authenticity
 - Web-content source certification
 - Long-term archiving of the web content
 - Collecting and archiving the web-content
 - Preservation of content integrity
 - Long-term availability (keeping of the original presentation form)
 - Usage of advanced security techniques
 - EU ETSI's advanced signatures (CAdES-A)
 - Time-stamps from secured Trusted Timestamping Authorities (TTAs)
 - Secure archiving mechanisms (Trusted Archive Protocol)

Two scenarios

Trusted Third
Party rendering

Content is rendered by an application on the *TTP* site

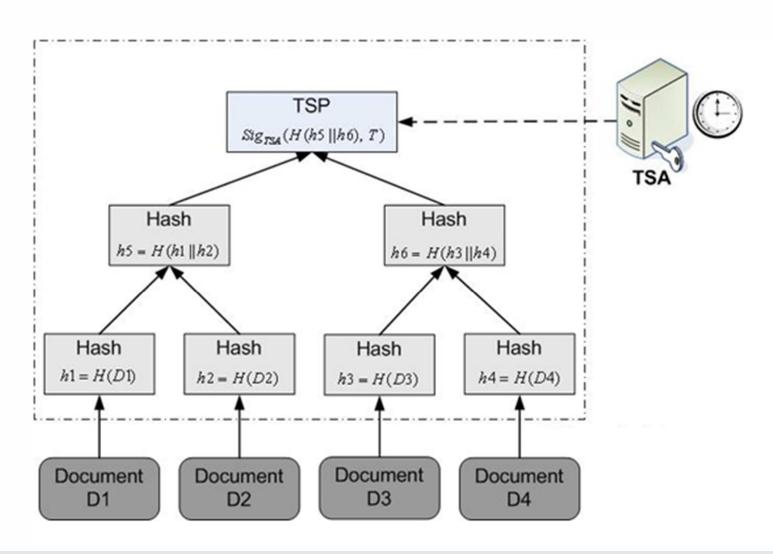
Proxy (web gateway) rendering

All information is passing through a web-gateway managed by the *TTP* allowing traffic capture

Content is rendered on demand by the client (browser plugin)

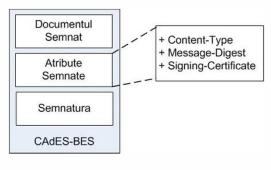
Security mechanisms

- Hash-trees and Timestamping: ensuring integrity

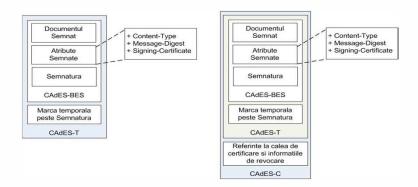


Security mechanisms (cont.)

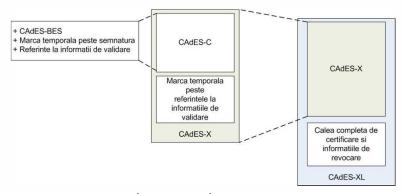
- Advanced signatures: long-times security



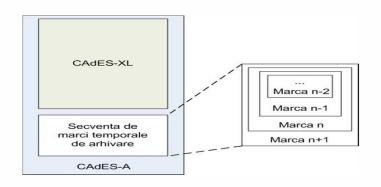
CAdES-BES



CAdES-T, CAdES-C



CAdES-X, CAdES-XL



CAdES-A

DTSDC - Technologies to protect information stored in cloud

Protecting stored data. Current situation

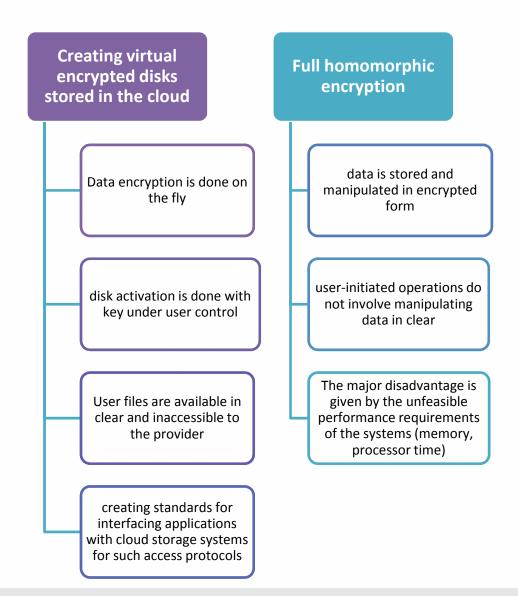
encryption
mechanisms
implemented by the
service provider
cloud storage

- symmetric encryption. keys stored at the provider
- encryption of communication channels
- disadvantage: data provider access is not restricted

encryption
mechanisms
implemented on
the client
application

- symmetric and asymmetric encryption
- We must secure the communication channel but is not critical
- Data provider access is impossible
- drawback: the user should make the management of cryptographic keys for each of the files stored

Technology development directions



Thank you.



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