

Differentiated Services

- Problem with IntServ: scalability
- Idea: segregate packets into a small number of classes
 - e.g., premium vs best-effort
- Packets marked according to class at edge of network
- Core routers implement some per-hop-behavior (PHB)
- Example: Expedited Forwarding (EF)
 - rate-limit EF packets at the edges
 - PHB implemented with class-based priority queues or Weighted Fair Queue (WFQ)

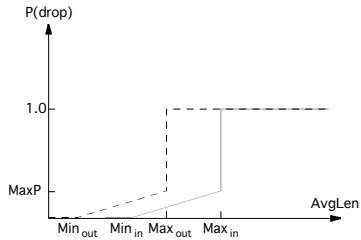


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DiffServ (cont)

- Assured Forwarding (AF)
 - customers sign service agreements with ISPs
 - edge routers mark packets as being "in" or "out" of profile
 - core routers run RIO: RED with in/out



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- <http://www.debone.com/videoLinks.html>

- <http://www.earthcam.com/usa/newyork/timesquare/livestream.html>



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Chapter 8: Security

- Outline
 - Encryption Algorithms
 - Authentication Protocols
 - Message Integrity Protocols
 - Key Distribution
 - Firewalls

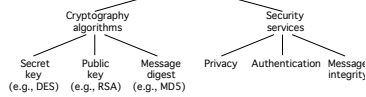


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Overview

- Cryptography functions
 - Secret key (e.g., DES)
 - Public key (e.g., RSA)
 - Message digest (e.g., MD5)
- Security services
 - Privacy: preventing unauthorized release of information
 - Authentication: verifying identity of the remote participant
 - Integrity: making sure message has not been altered



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Secret Key (DES)



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Public Key (RSA)

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      P1[Plaintext] --> E([Encrypt with public key])
      E --> C[Ciphertext]
      C --> D([Decrypt with private key])
      D --> P2[Plaintext]
    
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- Encryption & Decryption

$$c = m^e \bmod n$$

$$m = c^d \bmod n$$

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Message Digest

- Cryptographic checksum
 - just as a regular checksum protects the receiver from accidental changes to the message, a cryptographic checksum protects the receiver from malicious changes to the message.
- One-way function
 - given a cryptographic checksum for a message, it is virtually impossible to figure out what message produced that checksum; it is not computationally feasible to find two messages that hash to the same cryptographic checksum.
- Relevance
 - if you are given a checksum for a message and you are able to compute exactly the same checksum for that message, then it is highly likely this message produced the checksum you were given.

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IP Security

- Payload is in the clear text - anyone in the middle can see it
- No way of knowing who the sender is - just trust the header
- No way of knowing if the data was modified - checks protect against network errors, not malicious attacks
- Solution: Virtual Private Network (VPN)
 - Make node appear in the same network as say a company, while actually outside the network
 - IPSEC is a secure VPN technology

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IPSEC

- Authentication - Know the sender
- Encryption - Cannot eaves drop
- Operates in host-to-host or host-to-network or network-to-network modes
- With Two Major modes
 - Tunnel
 - Transport
 - AH (Authentication Header)
 - ESP (Encapsulating Security Protocol)
 - AH + ESP



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Exchanging Keys

- Exchange keys between client and server
 - Manual Keying
 - Internet Security Association and Key Management Protocol (ISAKMP)
 - Certificates
- IPSEC:
 - Works for all IP datagrams (UDP, TCP, RTSP, etc.)
 - Complicated to setup and not interoperable (yet)
- Application level:
 - SSL, SSH tunnels

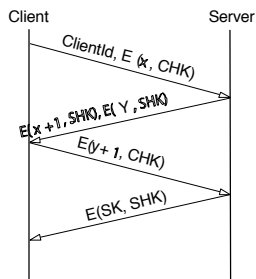


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Authentication Protocols

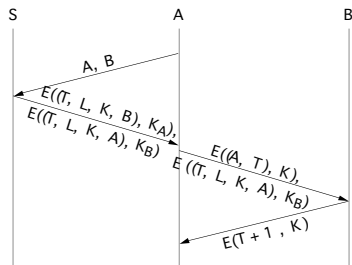
- Three-way handshake



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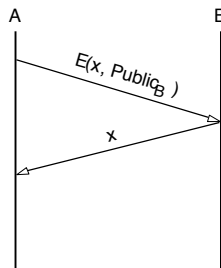
• Trusted third party (Kerberos)



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• Public key authentication



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Message Integrity Protocols

- Digital signature using RSA
 - special case of a message integrity where the code can only have been generated by one participant
 - compute signature with private key and verify with public key
- Keyed MD5
 - sender: $m + MD5(m + k) + E(k, \text{private})$
 - receiver
 - recovers random key using the sender's public key
 - applies MD5 to the concatenation of this random key message
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Key Distribution

- Certificate
 - special type of digitally signed document:
 - "I certify that the public key in this document belongs to the entity named in this document, signed X."
 - the name of the entity being certified
 - the public key of the entity
 - the name of the certified authority
 - a digital signature
- Certified Authority (CA)
 - administrative entity that issues certificates
 - useful only to someone that already holds the CA's public key.



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Key Distribution (cont)

- Chain of Trust
 - if X certifies that a certain public key belongs to Y, and Y certifies that another public key belongs to Z, then there exists a chain of certificates from X to Z
 - someone that wants to verify Z's public key has to know X's public key and follow the chain
- Certificate Revocation List



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Firewalls

- Filter-Based Solution
 - example
 - (192.12.13.14, 1234, 128.7.6.5, 80)
 - (*, *, 128.7.6.5, 80)
 - default: forward or not forward?
 - how dynamic?
 - stateful

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Proxy-Based Firewalls

- Problem: complex policy
- Example: web server

- Solution: proxy

- Design: transparent vs. classical
- Limitations: attacks from within

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Denial of Service

- Attacks on end hosts
 - SYN attack
- Attacks on routers
 - Christmas tree packets
 - pollute route cache
- Authentication attacks
- Distributed DoS attacks

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