Research on Vehicle Network Security Technology

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ABSTRACT. The security risks of the Internet of Vehicles have become increasingly prominent. Information tampering and virus intrusion have been used by hackers in cyber attacks on smart cars. The car network attack incident is mainly concentrated on the TSP server attack. Therefore, the establishment of the car network TSP server attack monitoring system has a general significance for the domestic vehicle network security risk situation. This paper studies the design of the vehicle network TSP server attack monitoring system program, collects and analyzes the status and intelligence of the networked car, realizes the security monitoring of the vehicle-to-TSP cloud data, finds the vulnerabilities contained in the vehicle, and improves the security of the car network TSP platform. It is of great significance.

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1. Introduction

The security risks of the Internet of Vehicles have become increasingly prominent. Information tampering and virus intrusion have been used by hackers in cyber attacks on smart cars. As an important infrastructure, the Internet of Vehicles has become the focus of widespread attention at home and abroad. In recent years, the risk of attack on the Internet of Vehicles worldwide has intensified. There have been many cyber attacks against the Internet of Vehicles. In some cases, attackers can control the vehicle's power system, causing the driver's safety to be threatened. In 2015, Chrysler's Jeep model was invaded to reduce the speed of the car, shut down the engine suddenly or disable the brakes without the user's knowledge. In 2017, the safety weather vane of the Internet of Vehicles was urgently transferred to the data security and privacy of customers. A database of dealers in the United States was attacked, involving sales data leaks from more than 10 million vehicles in multiple brands. In 2017, Nissan Motor officially announced
that its financial company database data information was stolen by hackers, and customers’ personal information and loan information were in the process of stealing.

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2. Related research

The attack detection system mainly performs network attack detection for Web services and TSP platforms in the Internet of Vehicles network. It mainly includes server attack detection module, web platform attack detection module, attack result analysis and traceability module.

The deployment mode of the server attack detection module and the web platform attack detection module are both bypassed. That is, the communication data of the target TSP server or the web platform is mirrored or split, and the module is connected to the detection module. Incoming data for analysis and testing will not have any impact on the original server business.

![Figure. 1 Attack detection module bypass deployment mode](image)

2.1 Server Attack Detection Module

The server attack detection module mainly performs attack detection on the TSP platform server in the car network network, and through real-time monitoring and
analysis of the network data of the communication, the attack against the TSP server can be found in time, and the suspicious behavior is recorded. And alarms, form an attack behavior log, providing first-hand information for further disposal.

The attack detection mechanism of the server attack detection module mainly includes two parts:

(1) Attack feature pattern matching

Pattern matching analysis compares various network traffic characteristics information collected with known network intrusion and system misuse pattern databases to discover behaviors that violate security policies and mark and record them. Through the built-in rich attack behavior feature database, attack detection using pattern matching method can efficiently detect suspicious network attack behavior. At the same time, by regularly upgrading the database of attack behavior characteristics, the ability to discover new types of attacks can be continuously enhanced.

(2) Statistical analysis of network traffic

Attack detection using network traffic statistics analysis first creates a statistical description of the traffic information object, and collects measurement attributes (such as IP range, traffic size, time characteristics, number of accesses, number of operation failures, and Delay, etc.), to construct the statistical characteristics of the normal operating flow of the system. This feature will be used to compare the behavior of the network and system. Any observations outside the normal deviation are considered to have an intrusion. This method can be used to early warning and discover unknown attack behavior.

(3) malicious code monitoring

Through the analysis of network traffic acquisition, the malicious code automation analysis module is built. Attack behavior was discovered through four processes: sample acquisition, sample detection, comprehensive analysis, and visual display.

In the sample acquisition phase, the module actively crawls the sample file of the car network TSP platform in the public network, receives the server monitoring port traffic analysis and restores the sample file and the propagation log, obtains the required monitoring data, and flows to the sample detection engine. Basic detection, static analysis, dynamic analysis process, obtain file program name, file MD5, operating system, compiler version and other information, and connect third-party analysis engine to detect sample process operation, file operation, system permission operation, network connection, etc.; Through the analysis process of sample comprehensive identification analysis, sample threat association mining, homology analysis, etc., comprehensive identification of sample threats and discovery of related attack organizations.

Through the above detection and analysis process, the code epidemic situation, propagation dimension and popular virus situation of the malicious network of the TSP platform server of the country can be visualized, and a real-time attack
monitoring module is formed for the important TSP platform. Response, emergency response.

2.2 Web Platform Attack Detection Module

In some car networking networks, there are Web platforms that provide Web services for administrators or users, which facilitates users to conduct Web-based management and operations. However, as a type of service that is extremely vulnerable to attacks on the Internet, the Web platform has great security risks. To ensure the security of the Web service in the TSP platform, the Web platform attack detection module provides a detection form different from the server attack detection, that is, a dedicated Web attack detection.

The web platform attack detection module works at the application layer and can detect attacks specific to the web platform. These attacks are normal web application traffic from the network layer, but the security vulnerabilities of the web services are carefully constructed and can be used on the web. The platform creates a huge hazard.

The web platform attack detection module provides attack detection and protection through the following functions:

(1) Protocol anomaly detection

The web platform attack detection module performs anomaly detection on HTTP requests and rejects requests that do not conform to the HTTP standard. Moreover, it can also allow only some of the options of the HTTP protocol to pass, thereby reducing the scope of the attack.

The RFC has a clear definition of the HTTP packet format. Under normal circumstances, the HTTP packets received by the application should meet the requirements of this specification. In addition, in the specific application, the data type and parameter length of the fields in the HTTP header are clearly defined. This category also creates security problems.

(2) Enhanced input verification

Most of the input-based security issues such as XSS, SQL injection, etc. can be discovered in advance by enhancing the validation from user input. Specific verification rules include:

Use the whitelist input validation at the application input layer to verify that all user input matches the content that the app is to receive. The app only accepts input that matches the desired format

Perform whitelist filtering policies on the client browser (saving round-trip traffic)

Use blacklist and whitelist input validation (in the form of vulnerability "signature" and "experience" behavior) to provide intrusion detection/blocking and surveillance application attacks
Use parameterized statements from start to finish in the application to ensure safe SQL execution.

Use escaping techniques in database queries (note the inter-system coding problem, defense based on character encoding bit width bypass: wide byte injection).

Encode the data before sending it to the UI.

(3) Rule-based protection and exception-based protection

Rule-based protection can provide security rules for various web applications. By constantly upgrading the rule base, timely protection against new types of attacks can be achieved.

(4) Condition monitoring

This module can determine if the user is accessing for the first time and redirects the request to the default login page and logs the event. By detecting the user's overall operational behavior, we can more easily identify the attack. The state management mode can also detect anomalous events (such as login failures) and process them when they reach the limit. Effective discovery of violent attacks can be achieved.

2.3 Attack Result Analysis and Traceability Module

The attack behavior recorded by the server attack check module and the web platform attack detection module may be only a tentative attack. To ensure the reliability verification of the attack result, comprehensive analysis of the attack behavior result, environment, and scenario is needed to determine whether it is an effective attack. The attack result analysis and traceability module mainly performs comprehensive review and traceability of the attack behavior marked by the server attack detection module and the web platform attack check module.

(1) Analysis of attack results

The attack behavior recorded by the server attack check module and the web platform attack detection module is only a log record of a single attack. Whether the attack itself is successful and whether there are vulnerabilities that can be exploited by the attack cannot be determined. Further analysis of the attack results. Through the verification of the specific attack behavior and the query of the access record before and after the attack behavior, the nature of the attack behavior can be determined. For the attack behavior characterized as successful and dangerous, it needs to be further traced and timely implemented on the system repair.

(2) Attack traceback

For the attack behavior that has been determined to be successful, a further comprehensive analysis of its related IP and related behaviors can achieve its behavioral traceability and source tracing.
Cross-analysis of the access record of the target resource accessed by an attack behavior and the attack record can be used to comb the entire step of the attack and track the complete behavior path of the attacker. Combined with the attack source IP recorded by the system for comprehensive analysis of behavior and IP, the source of the attacker can be traced, and the resulting data can be used for subsequent protection and related departments to enforce the law.

### 3. Scenario deployment and test simulation

#### 3.1 System software and hardware physical deployment plan

![Figure. 2 System deployment scenario](image)

#### 3.2 System simulation platform display

![System simulation platform display](image)
According to the system data analysis, the simulated test results can be obtained. The IP address distribution of the foreign attack source is TOP10:

![Top 10 Foreign Attack Source IP Address Distribution](image)

4. Conclusion

This paper studies the security of the vehicle-to-TSP platform data, collects and analyzes the status and intelligence of the networked car, and deploys the design of the TSP server attack monitoring system in detail, and develops the simulation system to derive the test results. The establishment of the TSP server attack monitoring system of the Internet of Vehicles makes up for the gaps that cannot be monitored by the TSP server in the fixed network. It can provide effective data supplement for the big data analysis of the Internet of Vehicles, and has a significant significance for the security risk situation of the domestic vehicle network.

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