Protecting your toys

Attempts at securing the IoT

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Who am I?









What is IoT?



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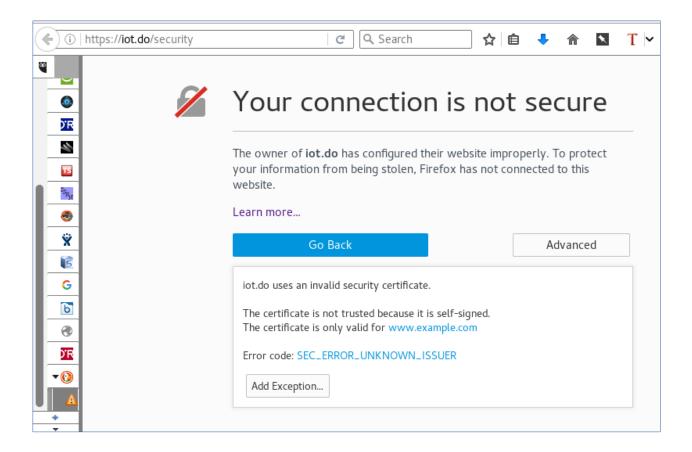
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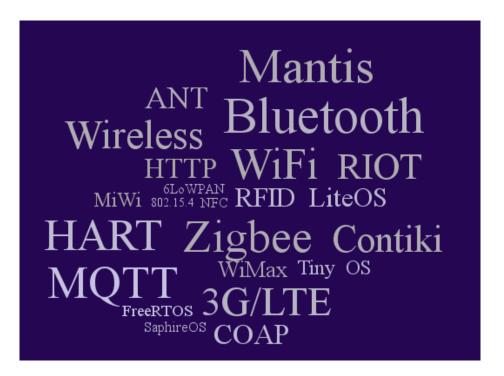


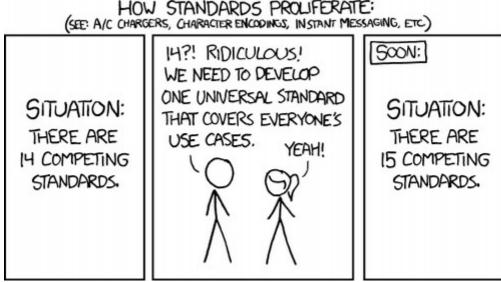


Where to begin?



Standards will help, right?





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Research



Goals of research

- Survey devices
- Find common vulnerabilities
- Identify possible mitigations
- Find unauthorized devices
- Advise the public and regulators on findings

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"to repair with gold"; the art of repairing pottery with gold or silver lacquer and understanding that the piece is more beautiful for having been broken.





Findings











Risks

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Marketing to the rescue!







What could happen...?











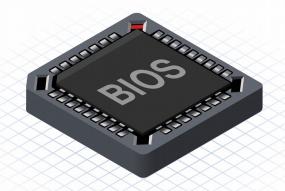
Defence



What can you do?







PASSWORD ENTROPY IS RARELY RELEVANT. THE REAL MODERN DANGER IS PASSWORD REUSE.



SET UP A WEB SERVICE TO DO SOMETHING SIMPLE, LIKE IMAGE HOSTING OR TWEET SYNDICATION, SO A FEW MILLION PEOPLE SET UP FREE ACCOUNTS.



BAM, YOU'VE GOT A FEW MILLION EMAILS, DEFAULT USERNAMES, AND PASSWORDS.





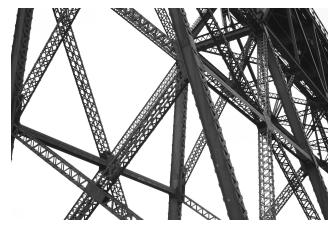


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What can we do?







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