

EZSSH SSH Made Easy!



PROBLEM OVERVIEW



Stolen SSH credential attacks are on the rise.





Companies are spending millions of dollars on improving their corporate identity.

Linux servers do not use Active Directory Accounts.

Thousands of keys are leaked on GitHub each day.²

IN THE NEWS

SSH KEY EXPOSURE: LAPSES IN SERVER ACCESS SECURITY



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SSH (Secure Shell) is a secure way to remotely connect to and communicate with servers, but the way in which the keys are handled can lead to access security issues and the potential exposure of sensitive data.

SSH keys are used to log into servers (more secure than just a username and password). These keypairs include a public key and private key that are cryptographically secure and used to authenticate a client to an SSH server. The private key should be kept secret - if compromised the private key alone can allow attackers to log into servers or

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WHY GO PASSWORD LESS?





Compromised passwords are responsible for 81% of hacking-related breaches, according to the Verizon Data Breach Investigations Report.



Microsoft recently announced that a staggering 44 million accounts were vulnerable to account takeover due to compromised or stolen passwords.

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Passwords are no longer secure due to brute force attacks.



72% of individuals reuse passwords in their personal life while nearly half (49%) of employees simply change or add a digit or character to their password when updating their company password every 90 days.

ARE SSH KEYS THE SOLUTION?

- → Linux servers in large corporations have between 50 and 200 SSH keys.
 - o 90% of those keys are not used.
 - SSH keys never expire.
 - \circ 50-200 keys per server.
- -> Keys must be manually life cycled.
- → No Advance Identity Protection
 - Conditional Access
 - Smart Alerting
 - o Just in Time Access







CURRENT WORKFLOW

Each User Gets an Account



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Each User Gets an Account



Security team adds it to the server.

Engineer gets access to the server and now can start their work. When engineer no longer needs access, is the account removed?



EACH ENGINEER CREATES AN ACCOUNT PROBLEMS



Engineer goes to a site and learns how to create an SSH key.



Poor key hygiene, no key clean up since it is hard to keep track of who still needs access.



Long and tedious access reviews.





High price to onboard new team member



Key reuse over different scopes.

Keys are not properly protected by users.



CURRENT WORKFLOW

Shared Accounts



Many of these keys are reused between test and production.



ONE ACCOUNT FOR ALL ENGINEERS





Usually, keys are shared in unsecure ways such as: email, file shares, wikis, git.



Hard to rotate since all engineers would have to get the new key.



When an employee leaves, they can maintain access to servers.



Big insider threat opportunity (61% of CIS0s worry about insider threats).



Not possible to know who did which change since all server logs show being done by the same account.



No approval flows to get access to server



Reuse of "team keys" for many services.



YOUR CURRENT COST

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SSH key inventory and access reviews for all your servers

Added risk for life cycling accounts out of the environment when no longer needed

Added risk for having engineers manage key and access

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Security team time adding and removing keys

Engineering time creating and passing the keys

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SSH CERTIFICATES





HOW CERTIFICATES WORK



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OUR SOLUTION



Seamlessly integrates with Azure

- Works with Azure Security tools such as Azure JIT and Azure PIM.
 Integrates with Azure RBAC for automatic access management.
 Automatically adds Azure Servers to your policies.
- Works with hybrid and multi-cloud.



Easy setup for all your servers.



Uses your secure corporate account to create time bound certificates.





Makes security transparent to the user



Automatically onboards new team members



Approval workflow for critical environments



Automatically removes access when no longer needed



EZSSH ADVANTAGES



Designed for Zero Trust networks



Reduce Onboarding time and cost by removing need to manage SSH keys



Remove key management overhead from engineers.



Reduce insider threat by having Just In Time Access with appropriate approval workflows.



Reduce audit costs with easy to Audit access logs



Reduce offboarding time and risk.



Native Linux Authentication no custom PAM module or code runs on your servers.



Bring your own Certificate Authority support



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KEYTOS EZGIT Protecting GitHub with SSH Certificates



PROBLEM OVERVIEW

- Hackers are targeting developer credentials to steal code.
- SSH Keys are not properly managed by users.
- SSH Certificates are supported but there is no infrastructure to issue them.
- Need Secure infrastructure to run your own Certificate Authority.
- Conditional Access does not apply to the most critical operations



GitHub Breaches

GitHub leaks exposed up to 200,000 medical records: 4 details



Report: Microsoft's GitHub Account Gets Hacked

Home > News > Security > Source code from dozens of companies leaked online

Compromised SSH keys used to access popular GitHub repositories June 3, 2015 By Pierluigi Paganini

Security experts Ben Cox explained that the official Github repositories of the UK Government, Spotify, and Python were accessed using compromised SSH keys.

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OPPORTUNITY

- GitHub is forcing you to go password-less in 2021.
 - Gives you an opportunity to modernize your development security stack.



Reduce surface area with shortterm SSH Certificates



Make audits easier with easy to audit logs





Reduce engineer onboarding time



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EZCA PKI Management Made Easy!

Running PKI In-House is Complex & Expensive

- ➤ Expensive Infrastructure
 - Unlike other services, PKI requires far more than a server. From HSMs in secure locations, to external services. PKI costs can add up quickly
- Keeping a secure and compliant PKI requires skill, knowledge, and discipline.
- Having a geo-redundant PKI deployment requires multiple secure locations across the world.
- Current solutions do not scale to current cloud needs.



KEYTOS Advantages of Adopting EZCA

➤ Lower up to 30% of PKI cost.

- Free Up Your Security Team: Focus your security team on more pressing issues.
- Secure and Compliant: Run a PKI meeting and exceeding the highest levels of security and compliance.
- Highly available and scalable infrastructure: Take advantage of our geo-redundant infrastructure to run a highly available and scalable PKI
- Full visibility into your organization: maintain full visibility of the health of your organization's certificates with our dashboards.



Automate Certificate Operations

- Monitor your organization's certificate lifecycle: Our advance dashboards and logs give you full visibility to all the certificates issued by EZCA.
- Automate Certificate Issuance and Lifecycle: Leverage our integrations with Key Management systems to automate the creation and lifecycle of your certificates.
- Coding Best Practices: EZCA offers sample code for authenticating using certificates.



IoT Ready

EZCA was design with the growing IoT field in mind

Stop Hardcoding Credentials

- IoT ready samples for creating and rotating certificates.
- Manufacturing integration for Root of Trust establishment.
- Free design assessments with industry leading architects.



Our Solution

- Seamlessly integrates with Azure Key Vault
- Makes security transparent to the user
 - Works with hybrid and multi-cloud
 - Automates certificate lifecycle.
 - Supports Bring your own CA and bring your own HSM.
- Gives you visibility into your Organization's SSL Health





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EZMonitor Alerts

- Monitor unauthorized certificate issuance.
- > Alert on not renewed expiring certificates.
- Alert on renewed certificates that were not installed.
- Monitor new subdomains.
- Alert on subdomains containing your domain.
- > Alert on certificates issued by new CA.
- > New vulnerabilities monitoring.



ADCS Current Needs (Per Geo)

Secure Rack

- HSM
- HSM Management Cards
- HSM Management Cards Management System
- Windows PKI Server
- Multiple CRL Web Servers
- Monitoring Solution for Certificate Uptime
- Monitoring Solution for CRL Uptime



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Remote work due to COVID-19 increased cost

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Security AI had the biggest cost-mitigating effect



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A zero trust approach helped reduce cost

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The most common initial attack vector, compromised credentials, was responsible for 20% of breaches at an average breach cost of USD4.37 million.

Cloud migration impacted costs and containment



Organizations further along in their cloud modernization strategy contained the breach on average 77 days faster than those in the early stage of their modernization journey.

Problem Overview

Current PKI solutions were designed 20 years ago and does not scale to current cloud scale needs.

Running ADCS securely requires a very advance set of skills. On-premises Certificate Issuing and Management tools cannot scale to Cloud Scale Management

Having a geo-redundant PKI deployment requires a lot of upfront investmet

Automate Certificate Rotation HSMs are expensive and hard to set up

HISTORY OF SSH AUTHENTICATION



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\$4.24 Million Average cost of a cyber attack in 2020.



90% Not Used

90% of SSH keys registered in a server are no longer used.

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\$3.5 Million

Companies with 10,000 employees save 3.5 million over 3 years when automating identity provisioning.



SSH Security By the Numbers

AZURE USERS NEED A SOLUTION

Posted by u/blucifer_jr 1 month ago

linux VM ssh key rotation strategies?

Security

Curious how folks are managing key rotation for linux VMs.

Had hoped to leverage terraform but changing azurerm_linux_virtual_machine.admin_ssh_key value forces a re-create of the VM and associated resources. That'd be fine for most things but I'd like to avoid doing for long-running database VMs.

Can see some other ways like scripting and updating in CLI or powershell, which I suppose i could also run after creating new VM in terraform. Just seems like a bad path to start down.

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ENGINEERS MAKE MISTAKES

The bulk of insider data breaches



IDENTITY LIFE CYCLE





SSH UNDER ATTACK

- https://blog.ssh.com/ssh-key-scan-attack-honeypot
- <u>https://www.zdnet.com/article/linux-under-attack-compromised-ssh-keys-lead-to-rootkit/</u>
- <u>https://securityaffairs.co/wordpress/37459/cyber-crime/compromised-ssh-keys.html</u>
- <u>https://www.beckershospitalreview.com/cybersecurity/github-leaks-exposed-up-to-200-000-medical-records-4-details.html</u>
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- https://www.lightreading.com/security/t-mobile-admits-breach-after-epic-hacking-claims/d/d-id/771524



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OTHER TOOLS

Tool Name	How It Works	Key Drawbacks
Thycotic Secret Server	It is a shared password manager that allows teams to centralize their password manager.	 Requires an admin account with password to run as a high privilege user to rotate the passwords and keys.
Hashicorp Vault	Hashicorp vault is a vault service that allows you to store and create secrets for your endpoints. It also has an SSH CA feature that allows you to create SSH certificates.	 While vault offers SSH Certificates that is the same tech that we use, the process for the user is still manual (they must go to vault, create the certificate and then install it on their PCs). Vault also lacks the advance access management that EZSSH offers.
Key Factor	Key factor allows companies to centralize their SSH key management into one portal.	 Requires admin privileges to manage SSH credentials. While key management is centralized, input from administrators is required for lifecycle credentials.



UNIQUE EZSSH FEATURES



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