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Fare collection solutions Cybersecurity and account based systems

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Security breaches – some facts

In a more and more connected world, a proliferation of sophisticated and targeted cyber attacks e.g. against

- > Governments,
- > Critical infrastructures
- Industrial control system

Consequences of Cyber attacks:

Financial fraud, disrupted reputation, industrial espionage, etc.

Examples of 2015:



Cause/Type of Breach (2007 - 2014)

- > Carbanak, a cyberheist worth 1b\$ over 100 banks worldwide
- > Kaspersky revealed infiltration of its internal systems

Source: crn.com



Fare collection changes over the last few years

Technology moved very quickly over the past few years

- Smart mobility raised needs new technological needs
- Public transport industry had to catch up with the new paradigm



Increasing exposure to security issues

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Key areas where security is at stake

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- Security design national standards (ITSO, Calypso, SDOA...)
- > Media and fare intrinsic security

Network/IT

- Identity protection & privacy
 - Compliance to national privacy rules

Payment standard compliance

> EMV, PCI...



What are we trying to achieve by managing security?

To be evaluated in case of security exposure

- > What the financial consequences can be
- How the communication and company image can be damaged
- > How the company organization would react
- How resistant is the infrastructure, how fast would it recover
- > What level of service it would possible to deliver...

Awareness leads to taking actions and build TRUST



Examples of threat sources in new fare collection solutions



Typical attack scenario

Initial > USB key or e	d-user computer system email attachment vare vulnerability to download .exe sktop control
Intrusion in depth	 Target: authentication servers Get progressive access to global information system Back Door opening
Search for strategic data	 Target : application servers & end user terminals Keyword based document search VIP mailbox scan
Data exfiltrated	Information gatheringMassive or discrete data exfiltration
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Tips to manage security risks

Tip 1: Standardized security services and processes



Tip 2: Security by design

- > For existing solutions, set up basics like:
 - pen testing,
 - reinforced network & IT infrastructure, use probes & logs
 - hardened execution environment,
 - robust identity management...

> For new solutions: software architecture, coding rules, certified building blocks...



Tips to manage security risks

Tip 3: Communication: Cloud to end-point security

Use appropriately security hardware (HSM) and a security broker for critical credentials (keys, identity management...)

Tip 4: Data storage: encrypt stored privacy-sensitive data

Tip 5: Consider outsourcing security

ISO 20000/27000 certified « Security-as-a-Service »: 24/7 alert monitoring, incident, problem & crisis management, access control, disaster recovery...

Do not take cyberthreats lightly,

- > prepare organization, processes and tools accordingly
- Avoid silos and "CSO-as-a-guru"
 - > integrate smart and affordable security for everyone in your company

Mobile, cloud and big data are here and will last

> don't refuse them because of security but design security accordingly

There are now suitable data/identity protection solutions using encryption

consider them seriously

Use external help for design, review, audits...