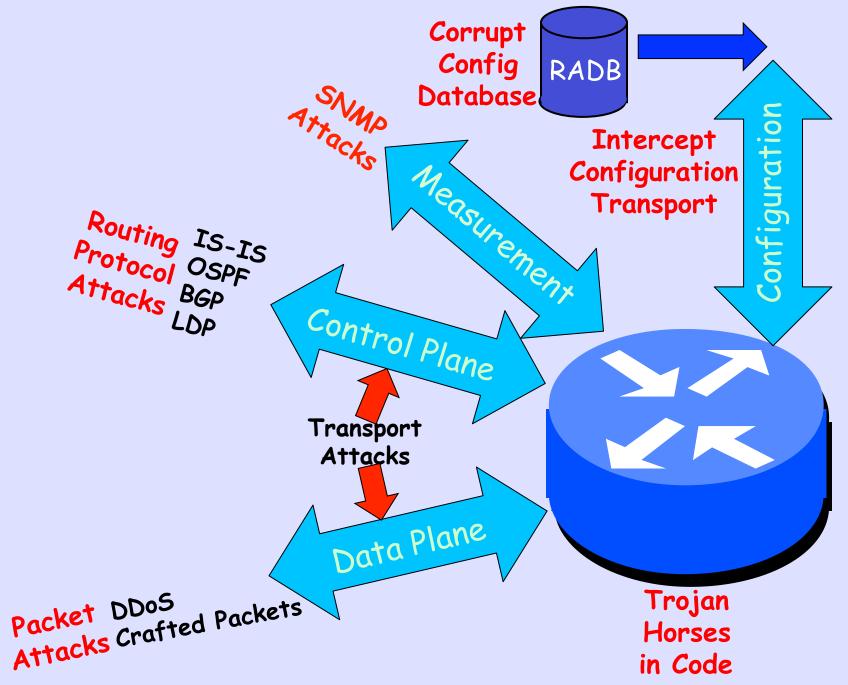
2-3-1 Protecting Network Infrastructure Routers, Switches, etc.



- · Could Spy on Protocols, Data, or Configuration
- · Could Alter Protocols, Data, or Configuration
- Would Require Vendor Collusion
- Nation State Attack
- Considered Unlikely
- Only Protection is Code Audit

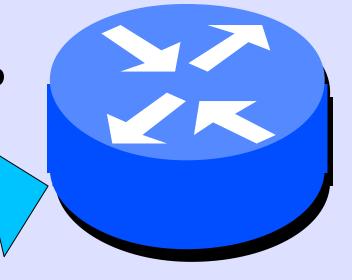


- DDoS is Continual Every Day in Large Networks
- Mitigation Techniques such as Black Hole
- Crafted Packets Exploit Weakness in Vendor Code

Data Plane

E.g. IPv6 HDRO, etc.

· Filter & Patch is all you can do



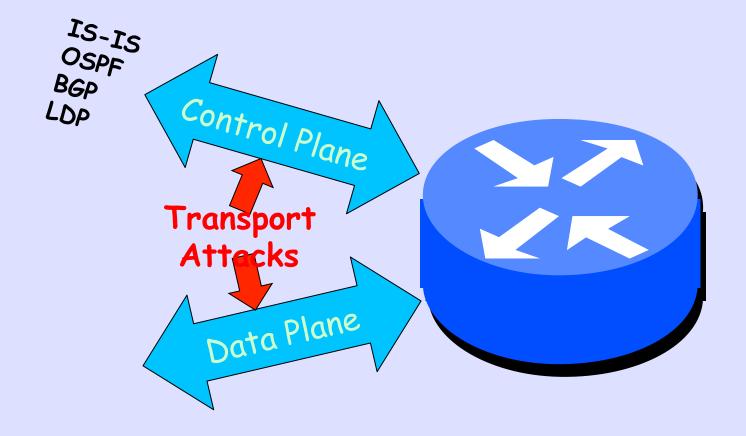
Packet DDos
Attacks Crafted Packets

- Routing was Designed With no Concern for Security
- · Attacks can be Close or Remote, e.g. YouTube Incident



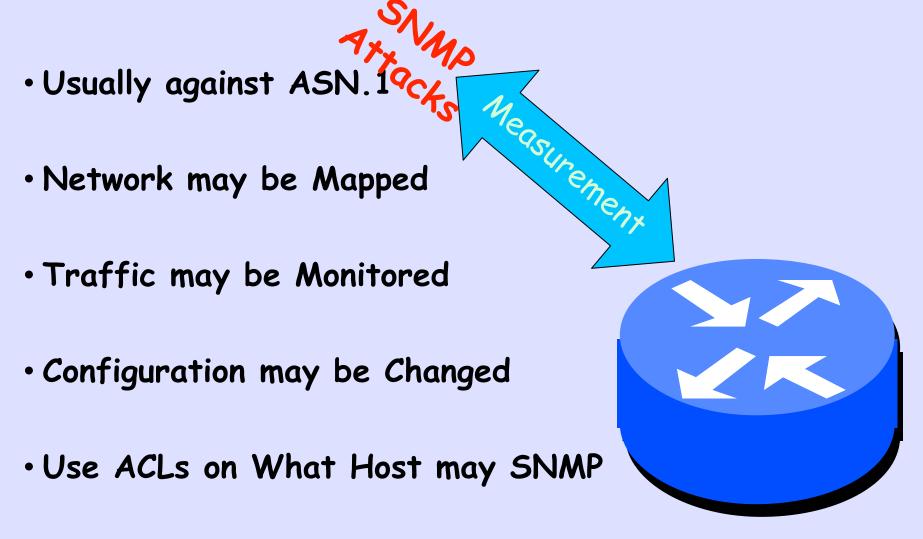
- IS-IS a bit Less Vulnerable as it is not Over IP, it is CLNP
- Use MD5 Auth for Authenticity
- Other Protections Very Active in IETF

- · Assume Monkeys are in the Middle
- · Authenticate all Control Traffic, MD5 or Stronger
- Teach Customers to Encrypt: https, imaps, ssh, ...
- · WPA2 on WiFi



Occasional New Ones

Defense is Using SNMPv3 which is Encrypted

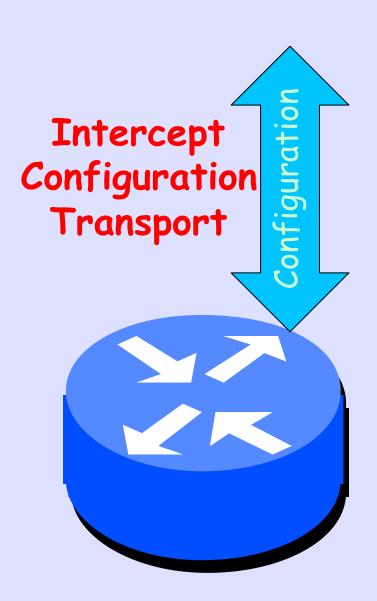


- Tapping Configuration Session
 - Stealing Password
 - Stealing Configuration

· DO NOT USE Telnet

· Configure Over ssh

Restrict ssh to Special Hosts

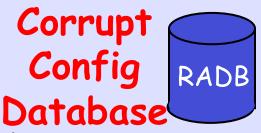


ssh Access Control List

```
ip access-list standard vty4
line vty 0 4
password 7 071C205F4600140C5C permit 147.28.0.0
                                                        0.0.7.255
                                  permit 198.180.150.0
                                                        0.0.0.255
 exec-timeout 0 0
                                  permit 198.180.152.0
                                                        0.0.0.255
 transport input ssh
access-class vty4 in
                                 ipv6 access-list vty6
 ipv6 access-class vty6 in
                                  permit ipv6 2001:418:1::/48 any
 transport preferred none
```

Cisco password 'encryption' is trivial to attack
So protect your configurations!





· Against Intrusion and Employees

Isolate and Protect Servers

· Secure All Inter-System Communication

· Two-Factor Authenticate all Access

