

SQL Injection

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Abstract: *SQL Injection (SQLi) could also be a kind of an injection attack that makes it possible to execute malicious SQL statements. These statements control a database server behind an internet application. Attackers can use SQL Injection vulnerabilities to bypass application security measures. They can go around authentication and authorization of an internet page or web application and retrieve the content of the entire SQL database. They can also use SQL Injection to feature, modify, and delete records within the database.*

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I. INTRODUCTION

Code Injection attacks such as SQL Injection and Cross-Site Scripting (XSS) are among the major threats for today's web applications and systems. This paper proposes our project, a deep learning-based intrusion detection systems against web-based code injection attacks. Our projects main novelty consists in adopting a Convolutional Deep Neural Network and in improving its effectiveness via a tailored pre-processing stage which encodes SQL/XSS-related symbols into type/value pairs. Numerical experiments performed on real-world datasets for both SQL and XSS attacks show that, with an identical training and with a same neural network shape, our projects type/value encoding improves the detection rate.

II. PROPOSED METHODOLOGY

The code injection attack can be split into two groups: Binary attack and Source Code attack. Most well-known types of the Source Code injection vulnerabilities are the SQL Injection, PHP injection, and JavaScript injection. The code can be injected through visible or hidden input fields, manually, automatically, or through uploaded or addressed files. If the code is injected into the system command line, this attack will be defined as the command injection. Binary Code injection can happen via shell code injection into the executable file input and cause stack or heap overflow.

III. LITERATURE SURVEY

Every smallest service on the web is formed available through web applications. Services like online shopping, online banking industry, e-booking system for railways or airlines and lots of more are all available at the doorstep with the assistance of internet. With these numerous applications comes the majority amount of knowledge they store on day to day in their backend databases. The issue is the way to store the info in an efficient and secure manner in order that it shouldn't be misused. Nowadays most of the applications use Cloud storage for this purpose. But is that the data really secured on Cloud? With the increasing cases of cyber-attacks one can find out the solution to the present question. The attacks like code injection attacks, denial of service attack, spoofing, phishing attack, http flood attack et al. are a number of the main attacks challenging the protection of those applications. One of the main harmful attacks is SQL injection attacks (SQLinAs). There are several detection and prevention techniques for an equivalent yet the applications are highly susceptible to SQLin As in links used that spread to her own page making it seem as she liked it.

3.1 Algorithm

A. Twofish Encryption Algorithm

Twofish is a symmetric block cipher with a size of 128 bits and key size length up to 256 bits. Twofish is connected to the earlier block cipher Blowfish. Two fish's characteristic features are the use of pre-computed key-dependent S-boxes, and a comparatively complex key schedule. One half of an n-bit key is use as the definite key of encryption and the other

part of the n-bit key is used to adjust the encryption algorithm (key-dependent S-boxes). Twofish borrows some elements from other intends, Twofish has a Feistel structure like Data Encryption Standard. Twofish also utilizes a Maximum Distance divisible matrix. Twofish is a Feistel network. It means that in each round, half of the text block is driven through an F function, and next XORed with the further part of the text block.

$$F: \{0, 1\}^{n/2} \times \{0, 1\}^N \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^{n/2}$$

B. Figure



that the proposed technique was able to successfully detect and prevent the attacks, log the attack entry the database, block the system using its mac address.

3.2 Mathematical Model

A. Static Analysis

Static analysis analyzes the SQL query sentences of web applications to detect and Prevent SQL injection attacks. It also requires rewriting of web applications. The focus of the static analysis method is to validate the user input type in order to reduce the chances of SQL(JSA) library to validate the user input type dynamically and prevent SQL injection attacks.

B. Dynamic Analysis

Dynamic analysis analyzes the response from a web application after scanning it. A scan means to send every kind of input to the target and receive the response. Unlike static analysis, it can locate vulnerabilities from SQL injection attacks without making any modifications to web applications. Paros [10], which is an open source program, finds not only SQL injection attacks, but also other vulnerabilities within the web application. Paros is not effective because it uses predetermined attack codes to scan and determines the success or fail with the HTTP response.

3.3 Implementation

Test with and without Protection:



The screenshot shows a web form titled "SQL Injection Test". It has two radio buttons: "Without Protection" (selected) and "With Protection". Below the radio buttons are two input fields: "User Name: xie' or '1' --'" and "User Pass:". There is a "Submit" button at the bottom of the form.

Response from MySQL DB:
User Name: xie User Pass: darren1 Type: Manager Account Balance: 10000

Output SQL Injection without Protection



Output Record SQL Injection with Protection

3.4 Advantages

- Retrieving hidden data, where you can modify an SQL query to return additional results.
- Subverting application logic, where you can change a query to interfere with the application's logic.
- UNION attacks, where you can retrieve data from different database tables.
- Examining the database, where you can extract information about the version and structure of the database.
- Blind SQL injection, where the results of a query you control are not returned in the application's responses.

3.5 Disadvantages

SQL injection attacks pose a serious security threat to organizations. A successful SQL injection attack can result in confidential data being deleted, lost or stolen; websites being defaced; unauthorized access to systems or accounts and, ultimately, compromise of individual machines or entire networks. Twenty years after its discovery, SQL injection remains a top database security concern.

IV. CONCLUSION

We have presented a survey and comparison of current techniques for detecting and preventing SQLIAs. To perform this evaluation, we first identified the various types of SQLIAs known to date. We then evaluated the considered techniques in terms of their ability to detect and/or prevent such attacks. We also studied the different mechanisms through which SQLIAs can be introduced into an application and identified which techniques were able to handle which mechanisms. Lastly, we summarized the deployment requirements of each technique and evaluated to what extent its detection and prevention mechanisms could be fully automated. Our evaluation found several general trends in the result.

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