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A Two-Tier Security Model for IoT Based Devices

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ABSTRACT

Internet of things (IoT) is recognized as foremost important areas of future technology and gaining enormous attention from a wide range of industries. Although IoT explosion offers a wide range of opportunities for manufacturers and consumers, it also poses major risks in terms of security being a widespread network. A security mechanism is needed to protect the devices from cyber attacks. This can only be achieved by including security mechanism in the early stages of IoT based device's design to observe privacy and safe transmission of data over network. In existing system, standard protocols were used for data transmission and basic encryption techniques were being applied for ensuring the security of IoT based devices. But it failed in preventing against routing attacks and packet losses in transmission. To overcome these problems, a two tier security model has been proposed in present study. Therefore, this paper proposes a two tier security model for IoT based devices. In this approach the advanced encryption standard (AES) are used with multiplicative inverse encryption algorithm (MIE) to ensure the security of data. A comparative analysis between proposed model and existing model has been performed in the present study. The parameters packet size, transmission time and error rate has been determined in the comparison.

Keywords: IoT, data security, AES, MIE encryption algorithm.

I. INTRODUCTION

Internet of things (IoT) is an upheaval of the internet. It provides a platform for communication between gadgets where gadgets can manage and organize themselves. The IoT allows everyone to be connected anytime and anywhere. IoT has emerged as an area of incredible impact, with the arrival of savvy homes, savvy cities, and savvy everything. For current and future research areas it is one of the hot topics involved by both industry sector and academia. The Internet of Things (IoT) also known as a web of everything. Privacy and security are the major challenges in the Internet of Things (IoT) due to the distributed nature of IoT networks [1].

The framework of IoT consists of three layers that are Perception, Network, and Application layers. A number of security principles should be imposed on each layer to achieve a secure IoT realization.

Providing data security during data transmission is a major issue in IoT. In order to use device communication effectively, thus there is need to improve the security. Cryptography is an effective way to protect the sensitive information. This paper proposes a two tier security model for IoT based devices. This model is providing security to data at many layers. Programming of socket server and corresponding client is made to prevent unauthentic access during data transmission. More complex keys

are used during encryption and decryption by integration of AES and multiplicative inverse encryption (MIE) cryptographic techniques. Encryption techniques used for Security of IoT Based devices. There are different encryption techniques which are used for the security of IoT devices. These are listed below:

1.1 Multiplicative Inverse Technique

Multiplicative inverse is the reciprocal of a number in mathematics. For example the multiplicative of a, is denoted by 1/a. The multiplicative inverse of a portion x/y is y/x. if one wants to get the multiplicative inverse of a real number; divides 1 by the real number. It can be understood by another example as the reciprocal of 10 will be 1/10 whereas 2 will be the multiplicative inverse of 0.5. To get the multiplicative inverse of a number, it is required to divide 1 by the number. The function f (a) that maps a to 1/a, is simple example of a function.

The qualifier multiplicative is often neglected in the phrase multiplicative inverse and inferred understood (in contrast to the additive inverse). Multiplicative inverses can is expressed over different mathematical domains along with numbers. In such conditions, it may be occurs that $xy \neq yx$; therefore "inverse" specially involve that an element is both a left and right inverse.

1.2 Advanced Encryption Standard (AES)

AES is known as a cryptographic algorithm which is used in order to protect different security systems. AES stands for Advanced Encryption Standard. It is a symmetric block cipher which has been selected by government of United State in order to secure the classified data or information. In addition to this, this algorithm has been implemented within software as well as within hardware in overall the world for the encryption of sensitive information. Therefore it has become essential to secure the computer systems, to provide the cyber security. Along with this, there was the need of a secure algorithm which can secure the electronic data. This algorithms is efficient to defenses our system against different type of attacks. In AES, three block ciphers named: AES-128, AES-192 and AES-256 are comprised. In AES-128, 128-bit key length is used in order to make encryption and decryption of a block related to messages. Within, AES-192, 192-bit key length is used for this task. In AES-256, 256-bit key length is required for the encryption and decryption of content [2].

1.3 Multilayer Encryption

Traditional data transmission modules are not efficient to secure the data during it transmission. There is need to have a secure and efficient module for data transmission securely. It is not enough to secure the data on single layer. In addition to this, it has become essential to avoid weak encryption key. Therefore there are chances of data loss. It is not sufficient to decrypt the data only one layer using single encryption technique.

Our data transmission module must consist of more than one technique. Data must be encrypted on multiple layers. Keeping in mind the issue of security, it has become vital to provide a multi techniques integrated module which can secure the data during its transmission over a network. To resolve this issue, Multiplicative and AES Encryption based module is proposed here. Such system is providing security to data at many layers.

This system is securing content using multiplicative inverse and AES approach. Session layer security would be enhanced by introducing multilayer security mechanism.

The process flow of proposed work is made here such as; Network security might be enhanced by

customizing encryption techniques, Loopholes of existing security mechanisms are considered and security of network is enhanced. Programming of socket server and corresponding client is made to prevent unauthentic access during data transmission. More complex key are used during encryption and decryption by integration of AES and multiplicative inverse cryptographic techniques.

1.4 CONTRIBUTION OF PAPER

To enhance the security of IoT based devices by suitable encryption security model leading to encrypt data before sending to the receiver. Following are the major contribution of this paper.

- To study the existing security mechanism.
- To propose a two tier security model using Multiplicative Inverse and AES to resolve the issues and threats related to security of IoT based devices.
- To design a simulator for comparison of securing of IoT based devices of proposed and existing system in terms of packet size, error rate and time consumption.

1.5 STRUCTURE OF PAPER

The remainder of paper is organized as follows: Section 2 describes brief study of literature review of related work. Section 3 defines the research methodology adopted for the analysis. Section 4 describes the proposed model for the security of IoT based devices. Section 5 describes the result and implementation of proposed model. Section 6 concludes the paper.

II. REVIEW OF LITERATURE

Mahalakshmi et.al (2019) proposed the approach of combined two existing encryption algorithms and implemented their model in simulation tool named Matlab. It is very difficult to provide security to IoT based devices using traditional encryption technique. They explained that a hacker can know the cipher key. After that a plaintext image can easily get using private key. This proposed algorithm has the feature of robustness. In addition to this, it is able to offer better security than existing algorithm [3].

Marek and Ogiela (2019) proposed a new security solutions based on cognitive approaches. In this paper they considered innovative computing paradigm which is also known as cognitive cryptography. These modules have been formulated in order to semantic evaluate the encrypted data. Furthermore, they also select most appropriate and efficient mechanism or techniques for encryption process. This research work has presented a feasible application related to these mechanisms in order to resolve security tasks like authentication, secret sharing, secure data management etc [4].

Irosh and Malka (2019) considered the remote monitoring of health should be made trustworthy by incorporating WBAN, IoT, and cloud computing. These are beneficial for intelligent healthcare setting. Cloud computing also provides real-time data storage and processing for IoT devices like WBAN devices. These results can be improved and cost effective healthcare remote monitoring paradigms. The key uses of an IoT healthcare system has been enhanced the clinical care. In addition to this, the remote monitoring as well as the physiological assistance is provided to patients [5].

Yusfrizal et.al (2018) proposed a cryptographic application to secure the data during its transmission over network. Diffie-Hellman key exchange as well

as AES algorithm is used in order to protect its transmission. First of all, the sender generates the key for encrypted file with the help of Diffie-Hellman key exchange. After that, this file is encrypted applying AES algorithm. On receiver hand, sender used AES and Diffie-Hellman key exchange to decrypt this content. In this way, the receiver gets the original content and can use it easily [6].

Srilakshmi and Manikandan (2018) used technologies for smart agriculture. In their research they considered the soil monitoring, water monitoring, irrigation technologies etc. They also considered a smart nitrate sensor in order to monitor amount related to nitrate. It is present in surface as well as on ground water. IoT based devices are easily monitored from a distance. Several fields are there in which the IoT based devices are used and performing very well such as Home Automation, Industry Automation. The communication between these devices could be wired and wireless. The IoT based devices use different protocols as OSI/TCP protocols because IoT devices are small and low power [7].

III. RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

Research Methodology stands for a pattern or method which is followed in a research by the researchers. A research is the systematic approach rationalization and conceptualization of a theory. In this study Experimental research method has been used in which data processing model are executed to draw conclusion. The Experimental Research is used for testing the feasibility of a solution. In order to perform simulation the model has been developed in and run in MATLAB. In this model, user defined port number and IP address are considered in order to enhance the security of packets during data transmission over cloud. Due to two tier protection of packet during data transmission, the probability of hacking gets reduce.

IV. PROPOSED APPROACH

This paper proposed a two tier security model for IoT based devices and the algorithm for integration of Multiplicative Inverse encryption (MIE) with AES are also explained .The purpose of the proposed model is to secure the data transmission between the IoT based devices. In this approach, two tier encryption (advanced encryption standard (AES) used with multiplicative inverse encryption (MIE)).

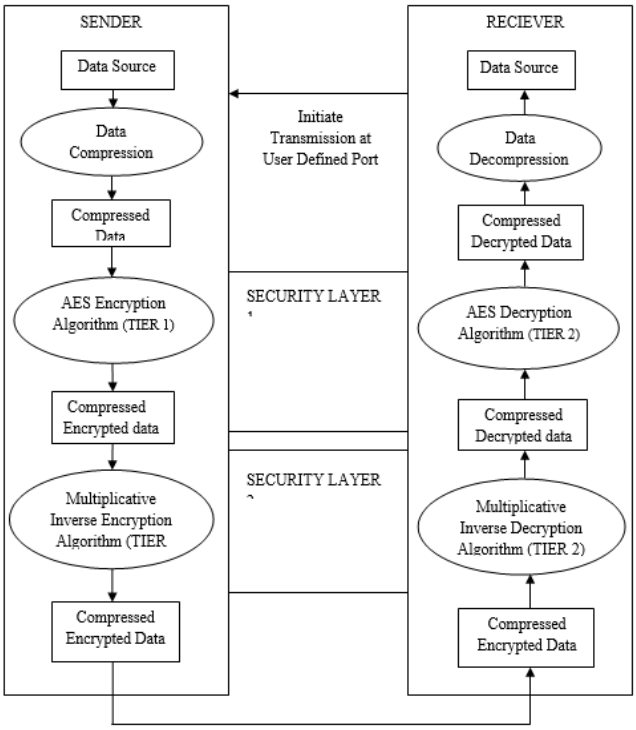

Figure 4.1. Two Tier Encryption Security Model

Figure 4.1 represents the two tier encryption security model for IoT based devices. On sender side, first of all the port number is initialized for transmission. In next step, file is selected which is required to send by sender. After that the data compression is performed using replacement table. The Multiplicative inverse encryption (MIE) technique is used to compress and encrypt data using key K. in addition to this; AES is used in order to make data more secure.

On Sender side

Step 1: Initialize the port number from receiver for transmission.
Step 2: Set the file for transmission.
Step 3: data compression is performed on data using replacement table.
Step 4: Perform multiplicative encryption of the compressed data using K
Step 5: Perform AES in order to make data more secure.

On Receiver Side

Step 1: Wait for the data from sender
Step 2: Receive data from sender
Step 3: Apply AES to decrypt data.
Step 4: Perform multiplicative decryption of data using K.
Step 5: Decompress data using common replacement table
Step 6: Receive the plain data and store in file.

4.1 Proposed Algorithm for Integration of Multiplicative Inverse with AES

1. Input: Get compressed data for encryption d1 and shift key sh for multiplicative inverse.
2. Processing:
(Apply multiplicative inverse to encrypt data at first level)
2.1 en1=multiplicativeinvenc (d1, sh);
(Get key k1 for AES)
2.2 en2=AESenc (en1, k1);
(Transmit en2 from sender to receiver)
2.3 dec1=AESdec (en2, k1);
2.4 dec2=multiplicativeinvenc (dec1, k1);
2.5 compressed data dec2 using replacement table and store in dec3.
3. Output: Store dec3 as decrypted, decompressed and received data on receiver.

V. IMPLEMENTATION AND RESULTS

In two tier security model with AES and multiplicative inverse encryption (MIE) has been designed in the present paper. This model is implemented on java platform. In this research work, IP filter is considered for the rejection of unauthenticated data transmission between server and client. Port no is specified to enhance the security of data. After that, the data is encrypted with the help of Multiplicative Inverse Cryptographic technique. In next step, the packet of data is encrypted applying AES technique. In the proposed work, own socket server and client side data sender and receiver module is proposed which are coded in Net beans in order to enhance the security of data and avoid unauthentic access during data transmission. Following are the implementation result of two tier model:

Figure 5.1 Snapshot of the Input File along With defined Code Word

Figure 5.1 shows the snapshot of input file along with their defined code word. In this figure a list of string is represented with their code word. A code word _P1_ is assigned to the performance and codeword _S1_is assigned to service-oriented.

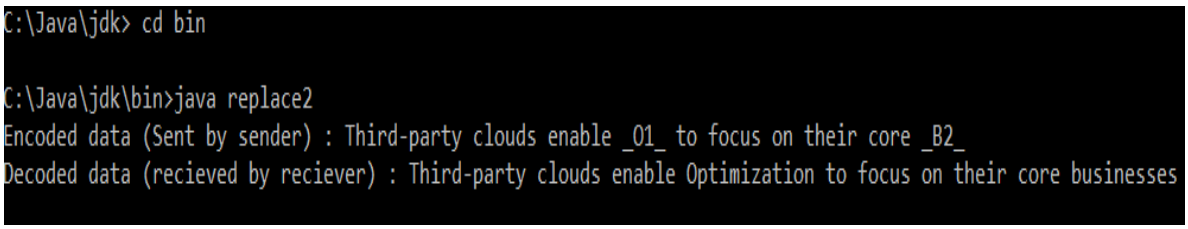

Figure 5.2 Snapshot of Compressed File

Figure 5.2 represents the output of replace2.java file. In this a compression technique is performed. In this figure selected string is replaced with their code word. During the compression optimization string is replaced with their code word _O1_ and business string is replaced with their code word_B2_.

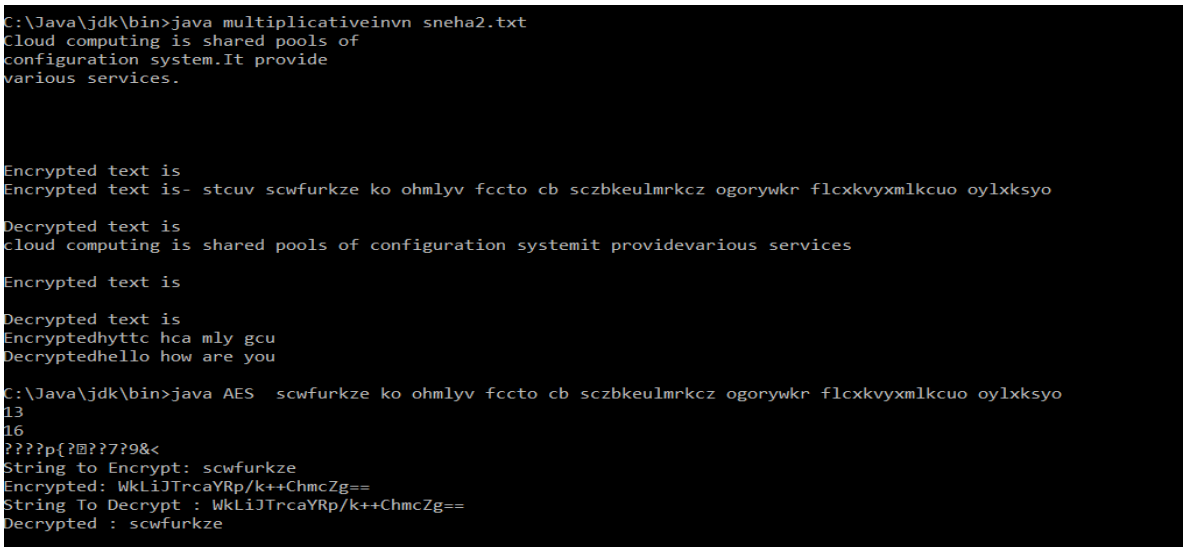

Figure 5.3 Snapshot of Encryption process

Figure 5.3 represents the snapshot of encryption process. In this Multiplicative Inverse encryption algorithm (MIE) key k is used with advanced encryption standard algorithm (AES).

5.2 Comparison of proposed model and existing model

To show the efficiency of proposed model, it is compared with existing model. For this comparative analysis, a Matlab tool is used. The comparative analysis is clearly showing the applicability and efficiency of proposed work.

Table 5.1 Comparative analysis of Existing and Proposed Model on the basis of time

Number of Packets	Time Consumed by Existing model	Time Consumed by Proposed model
10	1	0.7
20	1.8	1.4
30	2.4	1.9
40	3.2	2.6
50	4	3.1
60	5	3.7

Table 5.1 shows the how much time taken by the existing model and how much time taken by the proposed model after applying the multiple encryptions. The existing and proposed models are also differentiated on the base of time consumption. As the packet size is decreased with the use of replacement method, the proposed model takes less time to reach on it destination which is indicated by given table.

5.2.1 Packet Size

For secure data transmission of IoT devices over cloud, the content of packets is decreased using Replacement method. In addition to this, Multiplicative Inverse and AES are used to encrypt the data. As a result the packet of data becomes small in size.

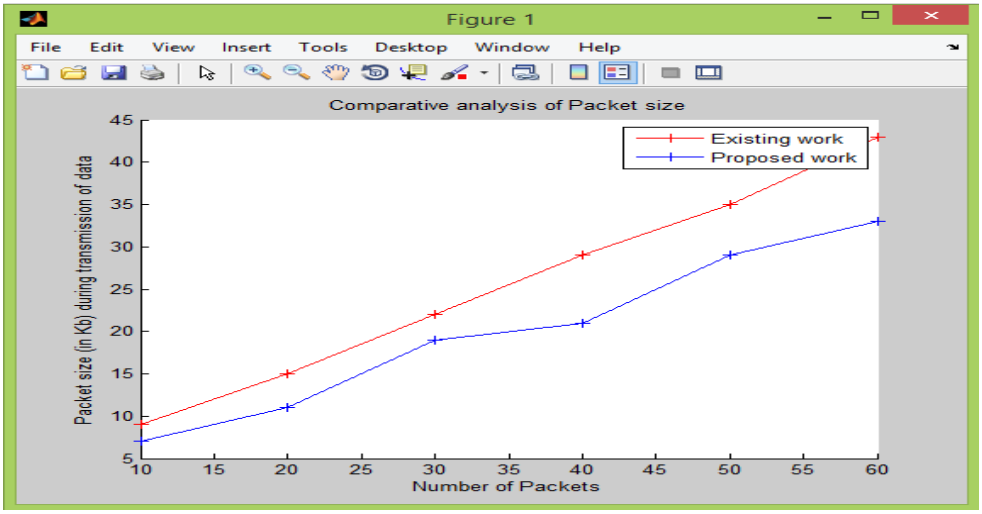

Figure 5.4 Comparative Analysis of Packet Size

In Figure 5.4 graph represents the packet size during the transmission of existing one and proposed system. X-axis represents the number of packets and y-axis represents Packet size during transmission. During the transmission of 10 packets the packets size is 5.5 kb in proposed model but in case of existing model packet size is 5.9 kb.

5.2.2 Time Consumption

The existing and proposed systems are also differentiated on the base of time consumption. As the packet size is decreased with the use of Replacement method, the proposed System takes less time to reach on it destination.

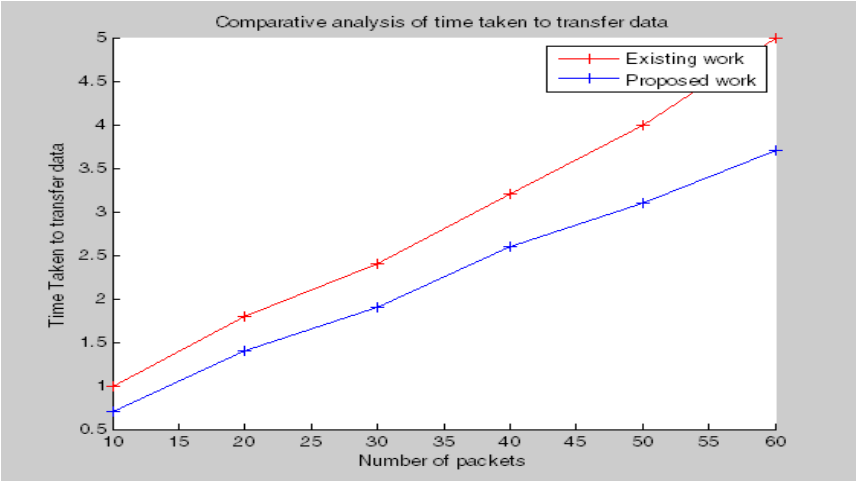

Figure 5.5 Comparative analysis of time taken during transmission

Figure 5.5 graph shows in which x-axis represents the number of packets and y-Axis represents the time taken to transfer data. For transmission of 10 packets proposed model takes 0.7 seconds while existing model takes 1 second. It has been observed that the proposed model has saved approximately 30% of time.

5.2.3 Error Rate

As the packets of small size travel on cloud, the chances of error are also less. As a result, along with less error, there would be less probability of data hacking. Triple layer security would be capable to avoid unauthentic access of data. Therefore, it would be impossible to encrypt this data. Following figure is representing the error rate in case existing and proposed work.

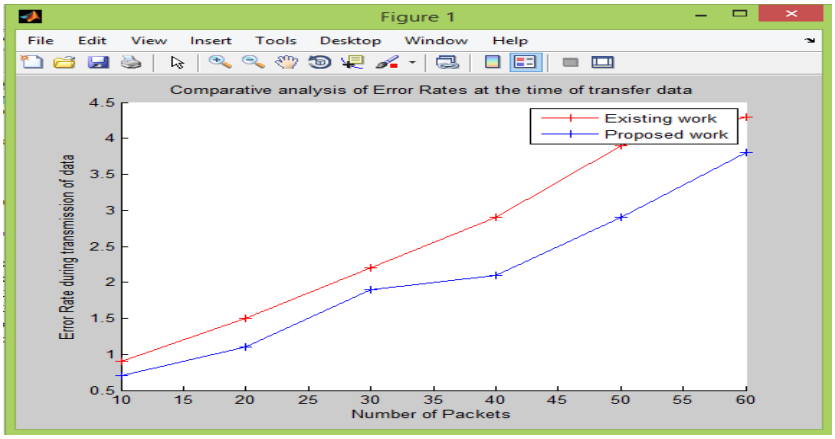

Figure 5.6 Comparative analyses of error rates at time of transfer data

Figure 5.6 illustrates the graph is representing the error rate in case of existing and proposed model. In this graph x-Axis represents the number of packets and y-Axis represents the Error Rate. During the transmission of 10 packets the Error rate in proposed model is 0.7 and in existing model the error rate is 1.This error rate reduction is depending on the compression percentage.

VI. CONCLUSION

In existing system, standard protocols were used for data transmission and basic encryption techniques were being applied for ensuring the security of IoT based devices. But it failed in preventing against routing attacks and packet losses in transmission. The objective of the proposed work is to improve the security of IoT based devices. This is achieved by proposes a Two Tier Security Model for IoT based devices. The data is encrypted on the sender side before sending it to the receiver. Encryption of data is performed in two stages. In first stage, advanced encryption standard (AES) is used to encrypt the data. In second stage, the encrypted data is act as an input for Multiplicative inverse encryption (MIE). Finally, obtained cipher text is sent to the receiver. This approach ensures the security of the data and also provides an efficient, secure data transmission and less time consuming module.

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