

Defcon 27 Badge NFMI- replay attack

Hacking the badge using Software Define Radio

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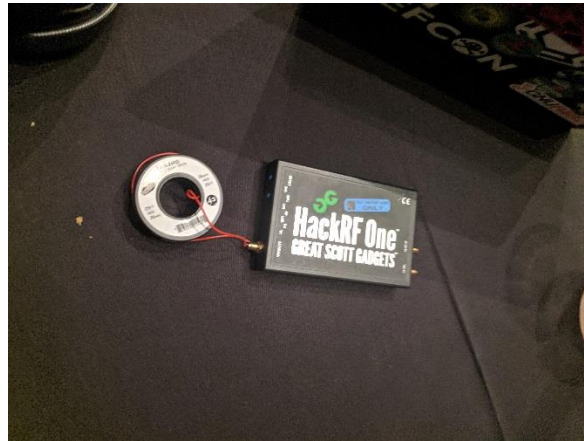
What we used

- Laptop running Ubuntu 19.x
- GNU Radio / GNU Radio Companion
- HackRF One SDR (\$330 in the Vendor Village)
- RF Explorer H-Loop Near field Antenna part number RFEAN25 (\$40 in the Vendor Village)
 - Or small spool of wire plugged into the HackRF One (less than \$10)

NFMI source signal is approximately 10.25MHz to 10.9MHz



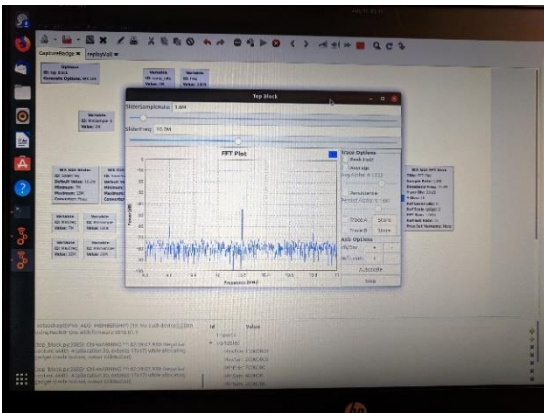
2 Our RFEAN25 antenna



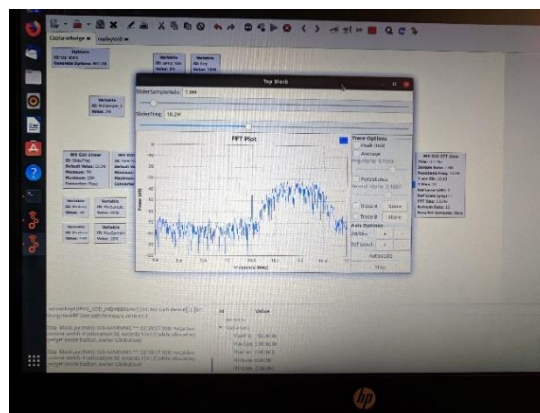
1 Another groups' successful loop antenna

Capture: Settings in GNU Radio Companion

1. Osmocom source
 - a. Frequency: set to 10.2MHz
 - b. Sample Rate: set to 1.6M



3 View of no active transmission



4 Badge actively transmitting

Replay: Settings in GNU Radio Companion

1. File source data with throttle
 - a. Sample Rate 1.6M
2. Multiply throttled data by generated Signal
 - a. Sample Rate 1.6m
 - b. Cosine: -350kHz
3. Low Pass Filter
 - a. Cutoff Frequency: 185kHz
4. Multiply filtered data by Generated Signal
 - a. Sample Rate 1.6m
 - b. Cosine: 350kHz
5. Multiply the broadcast signal (to amplify for retransmission)
 - a. Value 50
6. Osmocom sink
 - a. Sample Rate: 1.6M
 - b. Frequency 10.2MHz