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- I hate keynotes.
 - (Except those by Fx and Dan Geer.)
- I love proofs of concept.
 - Short, nifty tricks.
 - No grand theories, no unnecessary tables.

Proofs of Concept
are

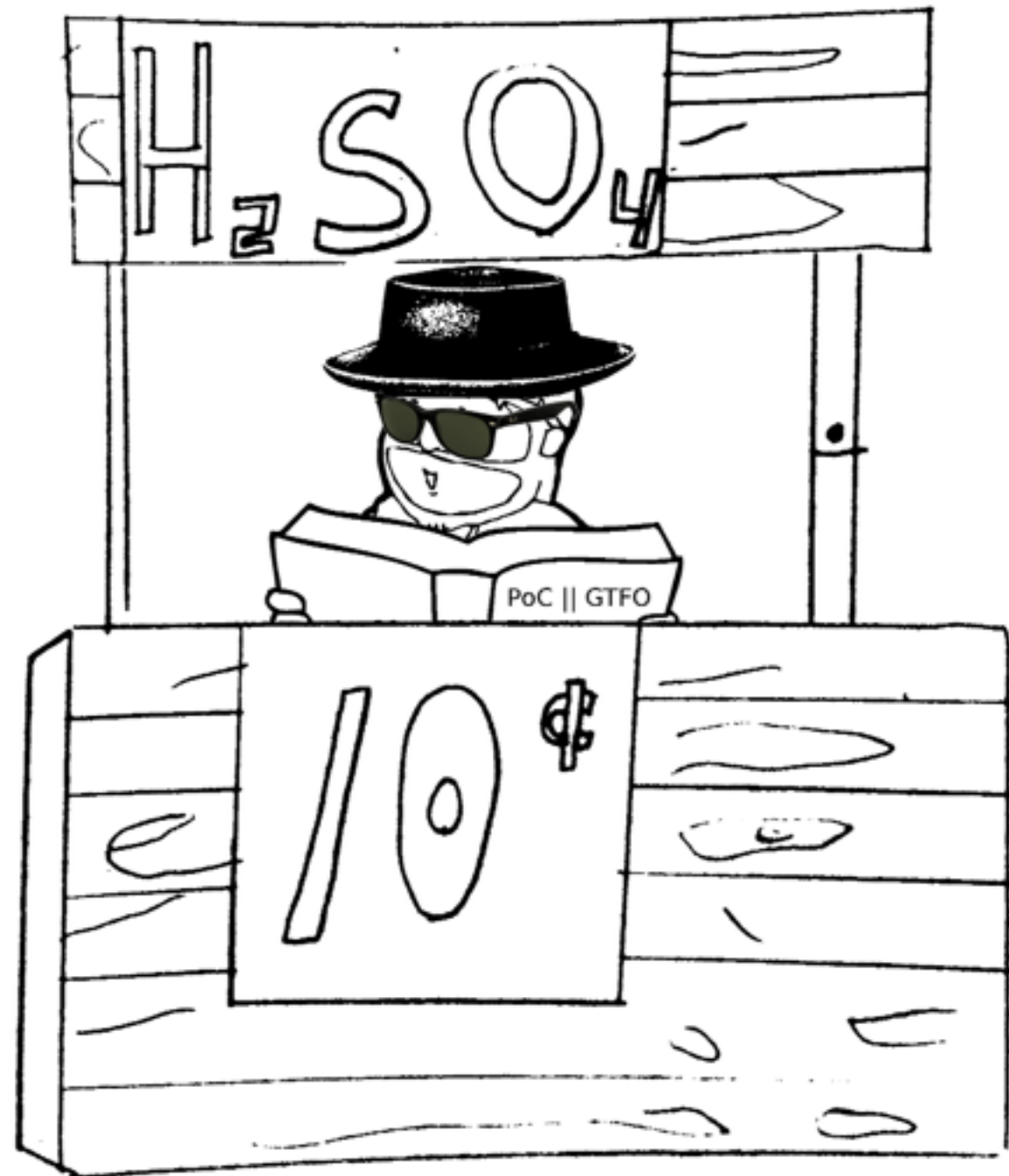
Proofs by Construction

Proofs of Concept are Proofs by Construction

by Travis Goodspeed
to them Ghosts who write History Books
and the Ghosts in my Drink
concerning the Good Works
and the Good Neighbors
of PoC||GTFO.

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- A neighbor and I started a journal.
- No peer review, just a benevolent dictatorship.
- Pastor Manul Laphroaig, Amateur Tyrant

International Journal of PoC || GTFO

Issue 0x00, a CFP with PoC

An epistle from the desk of Rt. Revd. Pastor Manul Laphroaig

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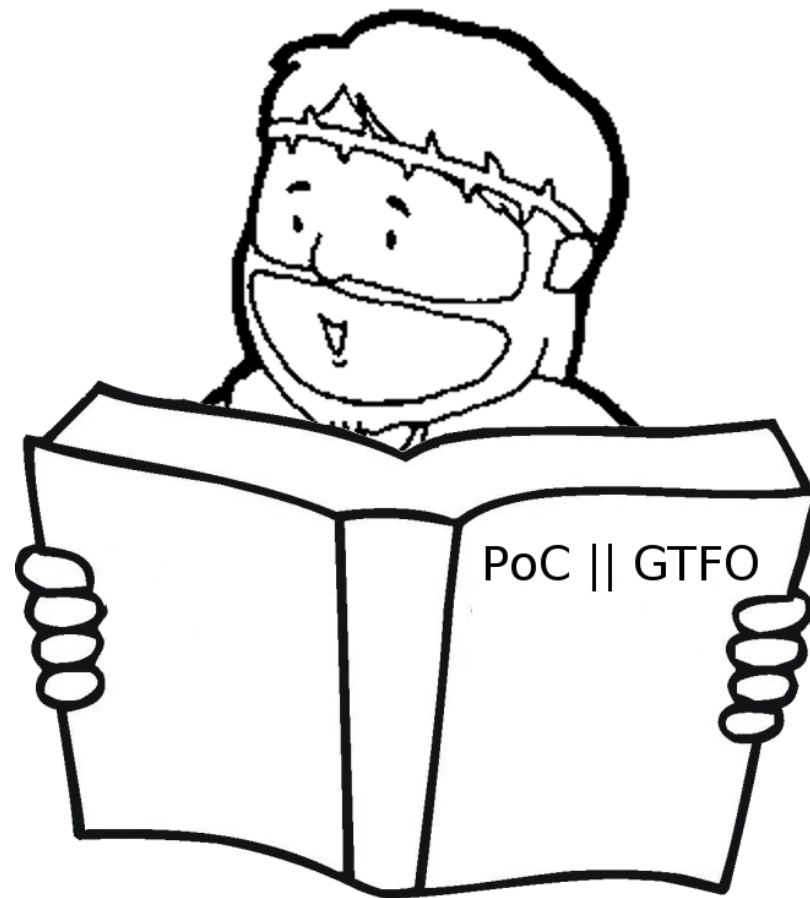
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Children's Bible Coloring Book of PoC || GTFO

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to the

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of

POC || GTFO

concerning

THE GOSPEL OF THE WEIRD MACHINES

and also

THE SMASHING OF IDOLS TO BITS AND BYTES

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sur

L'ÉVANGILE DES MACHINES ÉTRANGES

et autres

SUJETS TECHNIQUES

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Let's hear some stories!



Nifty Tricks for Today

- Active Disk Antiforensics
- PGP Matryoshka Doll
- PDF+Zip Polyglot
- Angecrypton
- Strange Python Encodings

Active Disk Antiforensics

PoC||GTFO 0:2



Active Disk Antiforensics

- You think of a disk as a block device.
 - Blocks are written, then read back intact.
 - Sometimes they are damaged.
- A disk is really a server.
 - Host makes requests by SCSI or ATA.
 - Software in the disk responds.

Demotivation.us



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iPod is a Computer

- Low-end ARM with hardware MP3 decoding.
- Custom operating systems
 - iPod Linux, Rockbox
- Disk Mode is implemented in software.
 - C code translates USB Mass Storage to ATA.

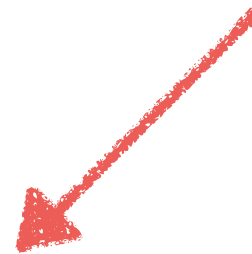
iPod Disk Layout

- First sector is MBR.
- Then comes the iPod Firmware.
- Finally, there is a FAT32 or HFS+ partition for music.

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This is **NEVER** legitimately
read by the host!

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Fingerprinting a Host OS

- Windows
Reads the Master Boot Record (MBR) 9 times.
- FreeBSD
Speaks some antique SCSI requests.
- OpenBSD
Doesn't delay on SCSI errors.
- Linux
Varies by automounter.

Fingerprinting Disk Imaging

- `tar -cf mnt.tar /mnt`
Follows the filesystem structures,
never reading empty space,
or deleted files, or orphaned inodes.
- `dd if=/dev/sdc of=forensics.img`
This reads from the beginning to the end,
in order, as large blocks, without reading ahead,
and without following filesystem or partition structs.

So let's make a trap!

- Pick an unused sector early in the disk.
- The sector must be one that is *NEVER* read.
- If this sector is read anyways,
 - Erase all future sectors.
 - Reply with legitimate-looking garbage.

Disk Imaging my iPod

```
//These sectors are for 2048-byte sectors.  
//Multiply by 4 for devices with 512-byte sectors.  
if(cur_cmd.sector>=10000 && cur_cmd.sector<48000)  
    tamperdetected=true;
```

```
Terminal
File Edit View Search Terminal Help

0555c000 4e 65 76 65 72 20 67 6f 6e 6e 61 20 6c 65 74 20 | Never gonna let |
0555c010 79 6f 75 20 64 6f 77 6e 2e 00 ff ff ff ff ff ff | you down..... |
0555c020 ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff | ..... |
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0556c000 4e 65 76 65 72 20 67 6f 6e 6e 61 20 67 69 76 65 | Never gonna give |
0556c010 20 79 6f 75 20 75 70 2e 00 ff ff ff ff ff ff ff | you up..... |
0556c020 ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff | ..... |
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0558a010 20 79 6f 75 20 75 70 2e 00 ff ff ff ff ff ff ff | you up..... |
0558a020 ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff | ..... |
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05598010 79 6f 75 20 64 6f 77 6e 2e 00 ff ff ff ff ff ff | you down..... |
05598020 ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff ff | ..... |
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```

Beyond a PoC

- ACSAC 2014, Seagate Disk Backdoor
 - Talk to Aurélien Francillon. He's here!
- Sprites Mods, Western Digital Reverse Engineering
 - He booted Linux on a WD hard disk!

Myron Aub's PGP Matryoshka Doll



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PGP Matryoshka Doll

- RFC 4880, 'OpenPGP Message Format' by Phil Zimmerman
- Messages are compressed or encrypted.
 - These are just containers, and they can be nested!
 - You can required more than one key for decrypt.
 - You can compress more than once.

Lempel-Ziv (LZ) Compression

- A dictionary is used as shorthand for a larger file.
- The output of the decompression can be the same as the input.

PGP Quine

- Message, when decompressed, is itself.
- After decompression, the parser tries to go deeper.
 - And deeper.
 - And deeper.
 - And deeper!

PGP Quine

```
a0 b0 01 00 03 00 fc ff a0 b0 01 00 0d 00 f2 ff |.....|
00 03 00 fc ff a0 b0 01 00 0d 00 f2 ff 82 70 a0 |.....p.|
1c 00 00 05 00 fa ff 82 70 a0 1c 00 00 05 00 fa |.....p.....|
ff 00 05 00 fa ff 00 14 00 eb ff 82 70 a0 1c 00 |.....p...|
00 05 00 fa ff 00 05 00 fa ff 00 14 00 eb ff 42 |.....B|
88 21 c4 00 00 14 00 eb ff 42 88 21 c4 00 00 14 |.!......B.!.|
00 eb ff 42 88 21 c4 00 00 14 00 eb ff 42 88 21 |...B.!......B.!.|
c4 00 00 14 00 eb ff 42 88 21 c4 00 00 00 00 ff |.....B.!.|
ff 00 00 00 ff ff 00 0a 00 f5 ff 42 88 21 c4 00 |.....B.!.|
00 00 00 ff ff 00 00 00 ff ff 00 0a 00 f5 ff 02 |.....|
b3 c0 2c 40 00 00 00 ff ff 02 b3 c0 2c 40 00 00 |..,@.....,@..|
00 ff ff |...|
```

- GnuPG fixed this bug.
- Symantec PGP didn't fix this bug.

PDF that's a ZIP File

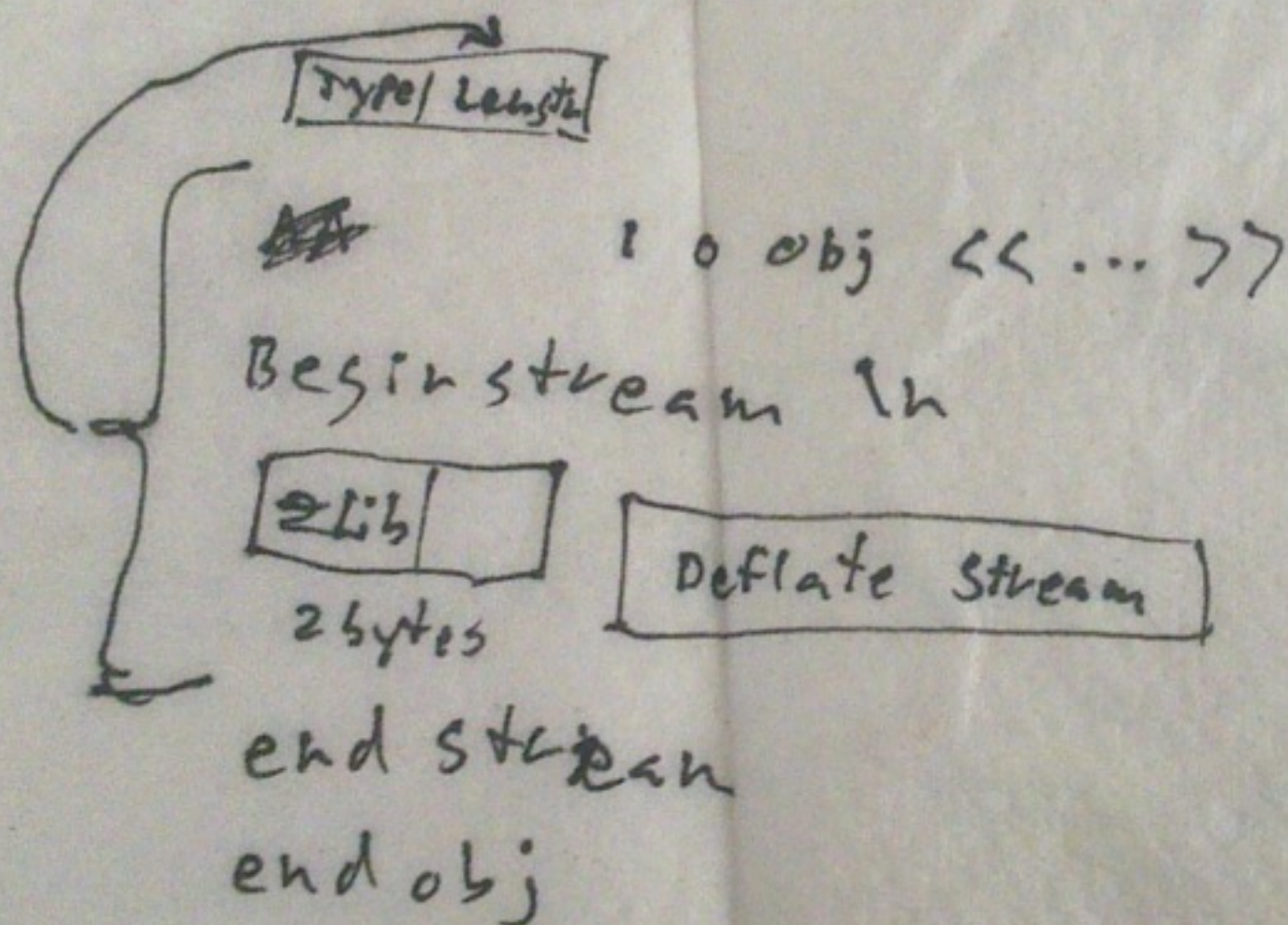
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- Zip files begin with a footer near the end of a file.
- This makes them easy to combine with other files.
 - `cat foo.gif foo.zip >zipgif.bin`
- PDF also ends near the end.

% PDF-1. etc \n

% PK \003 \004 etc... Not CR, LF, or NUL

Zip metadata

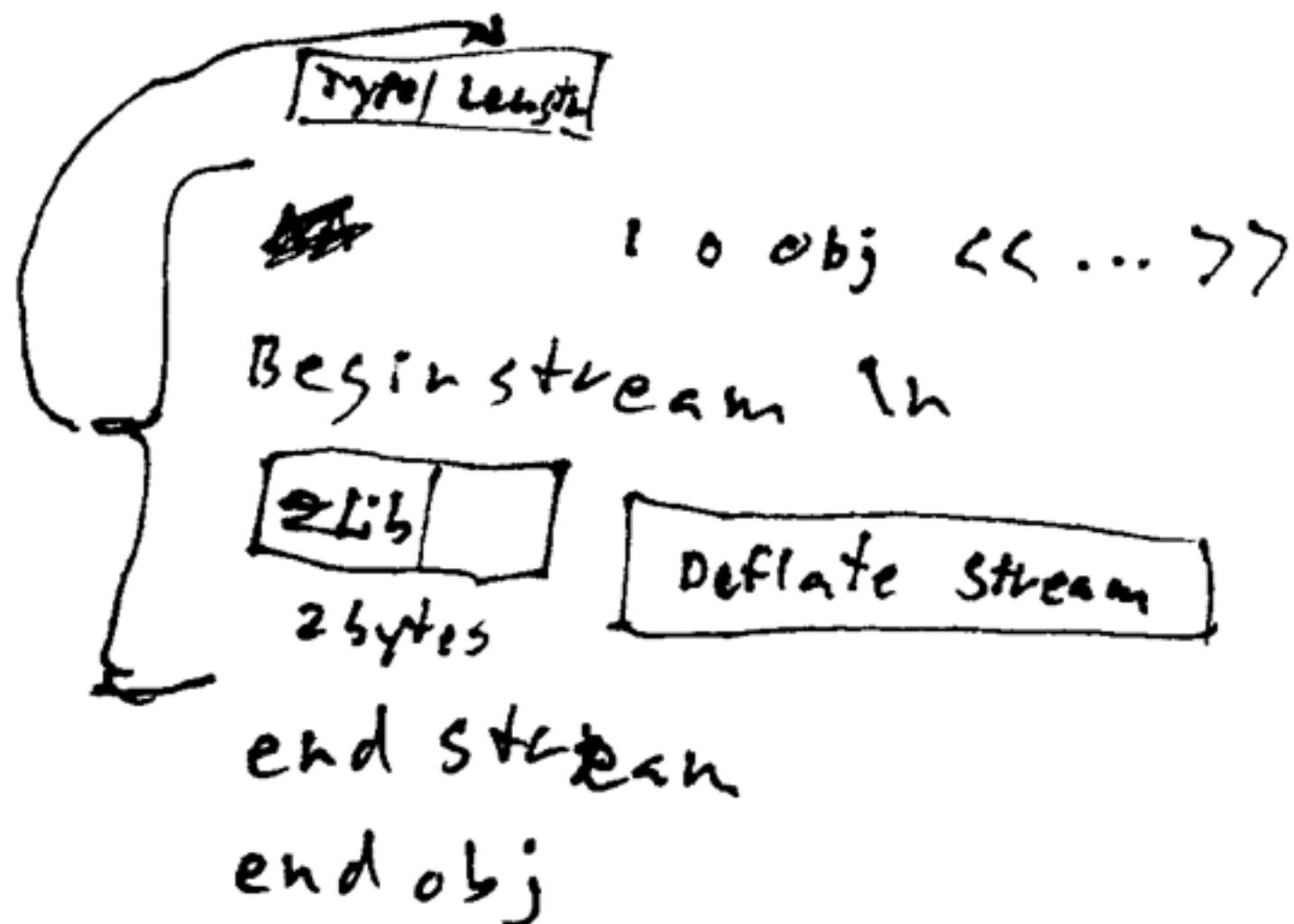


% PK \003 \004 (see above)
(Repeat)

% PDF-1. etc \n

% PK \003 \004 etc... Not CR, LF, or NUL

Zip metadata



% PK \003 \004 (see above)
(Repeat)

END

Probably

OPTION 1

← Best

OPTION 2

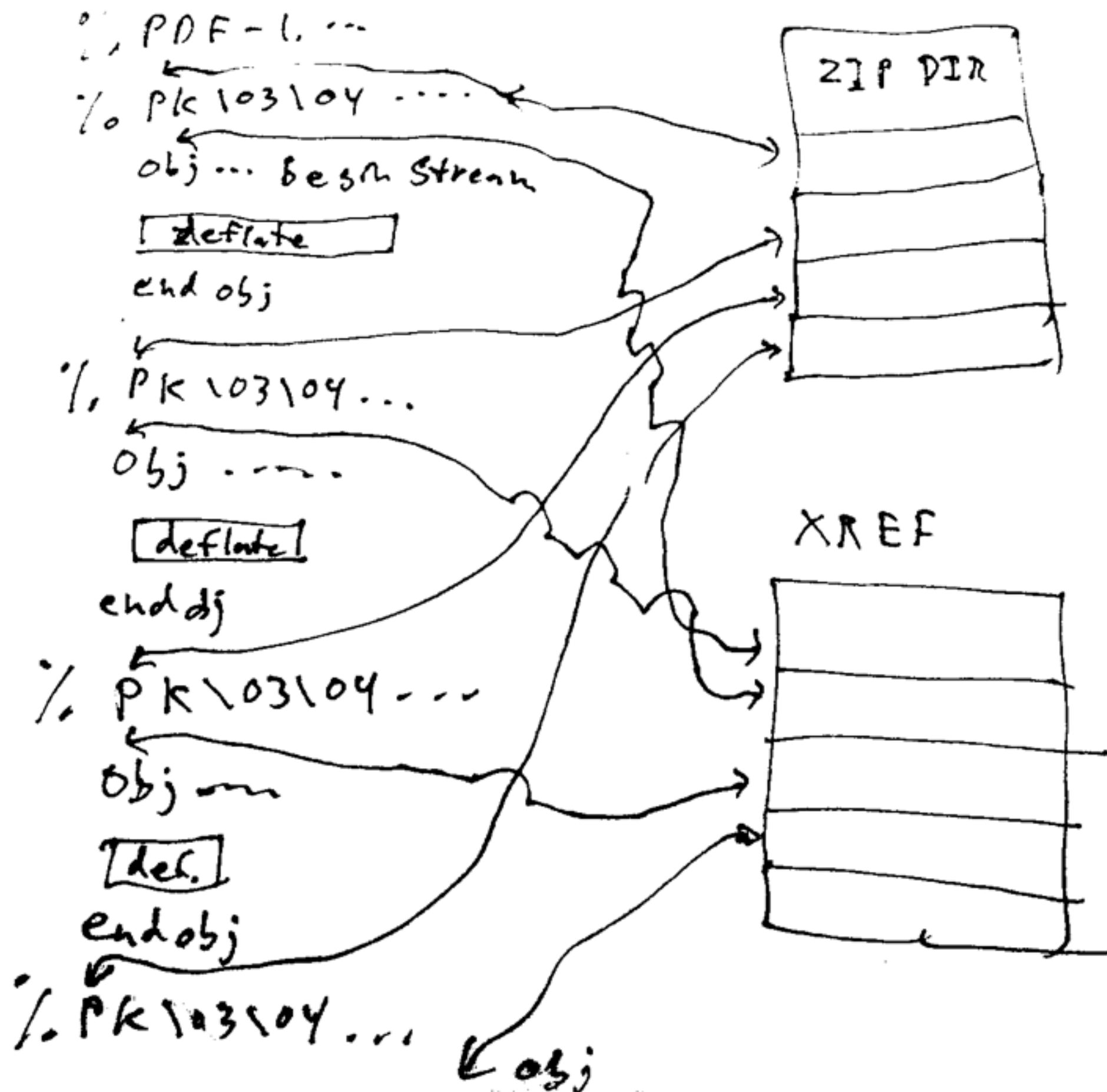
Zip Dir

Zip Dir Rec
ZIP COMMENT
Trailer
XREF
%.eof

Trailer
XREF
%.eof
%

zip DIR

Zip Dir Rec



cat foo.pdf bar.zip > buz.pdf^{4/3}

Zip -A buz.pdf

or ...

cat foo.pdf bar.zip foo.pdf > buz.pdf

Zip -A buz.pdf

Or ...

echo -e "trailer << /root /.... >> /xref\n oooo!"
etc. "% EOF" > comment.txt

cat foo.pdf bar.zip > buz.pdf

Zip -z comment.txt ~~bar.zip~~ ~~A buz.pdf~~ stuff

Zip -A buz.pdf

PDF+ZIP

- For very small Zips, just
`cat foo.pdf foo.zip >bar.pdf`
- For larger files, insert the zip just before the PDF's closing xref table.
- This is reliable, and we've shipped it in every release since the first.



Angecrypton
PoC||GTFO 3:11

Ange Albertini
Jean-Philippe Aumasson

Angeecryption

- pocorgtfo03.pdf was a valid PDF file.
- Encrypt it with AES CBC to get a valid PNG file.
key="Manul Laphroaig!"
IV=5B F0 15 E2 04 8C E3 D3 8C 3A 97 E7 8B 79 5B C1
- Ain't that nifty?

Angecryption

- It's easy to control ECB-mode data before or after encryption.
- $\text{AES}(\text{controlled}) = \text{uncontrolled}$
- $\text{controlled} = \text{AES}(\text{uncontrolled})$
 $\text{AES}^{-1}(\text{controlled}) = \text{uncontrolled}$
- Angecryption lets us make a file valid before and after encryption, with different contents!

The Nifty Trick

- In ECB mode, we control each block before or after encryption.
- In CBC mode, the same is true, *except*
 - The very first block is XOR'ed with the IV,
 - and we control the IV, so
 - we control Block 0 before *and after* encryption!

Weird Python Encoding

PoC||GTFO 3:10

Frederik Baun

```
% cat poc.py
#! /usr/bin/python
#encoding: rot13
cevag 'Hello World'
% ./poc.py
Hello World
%
```

Proofs of Concept
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Proofs by Construction

Proof of Concept is Proof by Construction

- A proof by construction is the best kind of proof.
 - See Euclid's proof that there are infinitely many prime numbers.
- Stop calling them unscientific!
Stop demanding statistics!
- ``You can't argue with a root shell.''

Go now in peace.

- Read your scripture.
 - PoC||GTFO, Phrack, and SSTIC proceedings!
- Preach the good news!
 - Conference talks, soap box.
 - ``Hey, want to learn a cool trick?''

Credits

- Antiforensic iPod, PoC||GTFO 0:2
Travis Goodspeed
- PGP Matryoshka, PoC||GTFO 2:3
Myron Aub
- PDF Zip File, PoC||GTFO 1:5
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