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Inspector 4.11

SCA & FI software update

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What's new in 4.11?

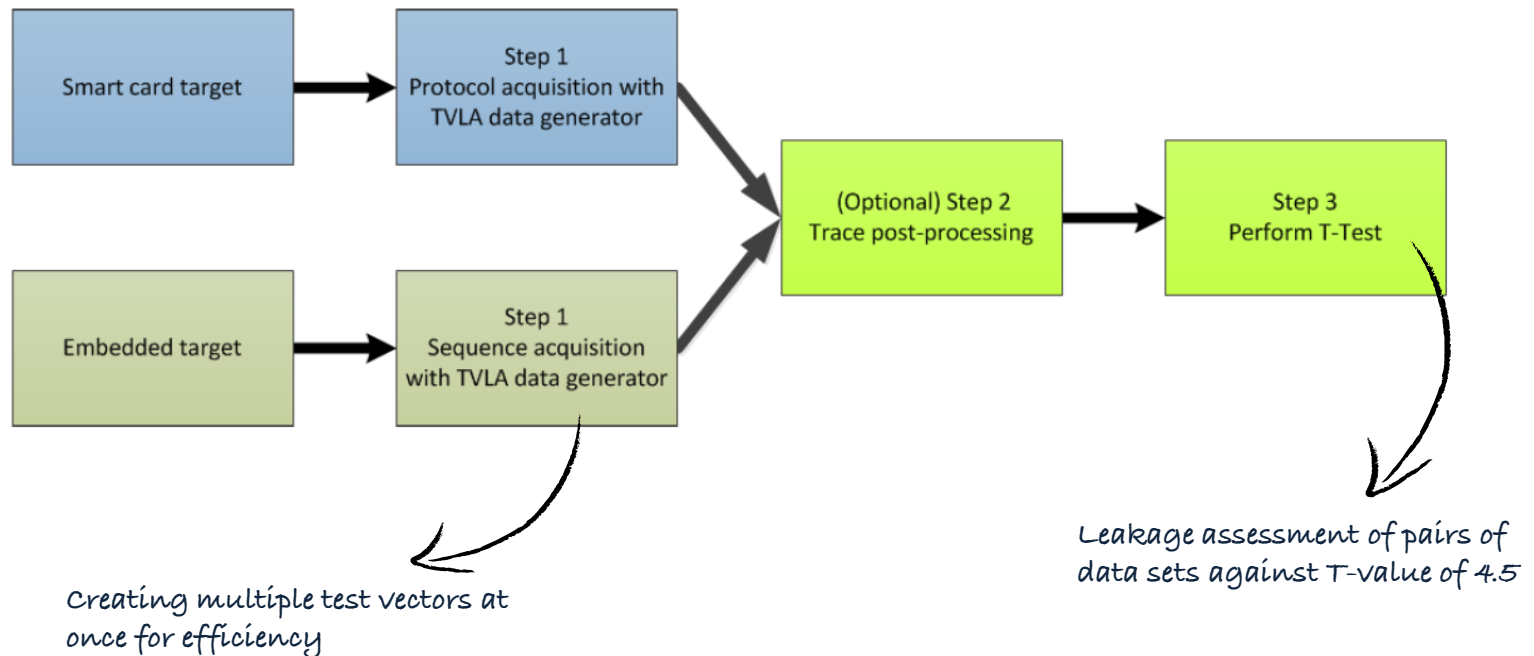


Test Vector Leakage Assessment

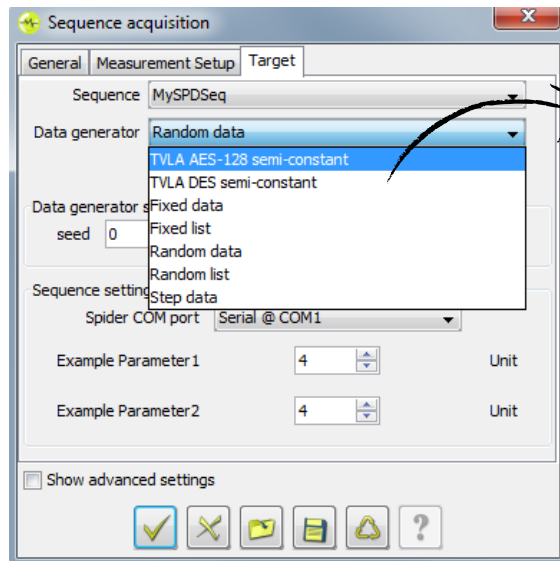
Introducing TVLA in Inspector with

- first order analysis on DES & AES
- semi-constant (a.k.a. semi-fixed) round intermediates
- non-specific T-test

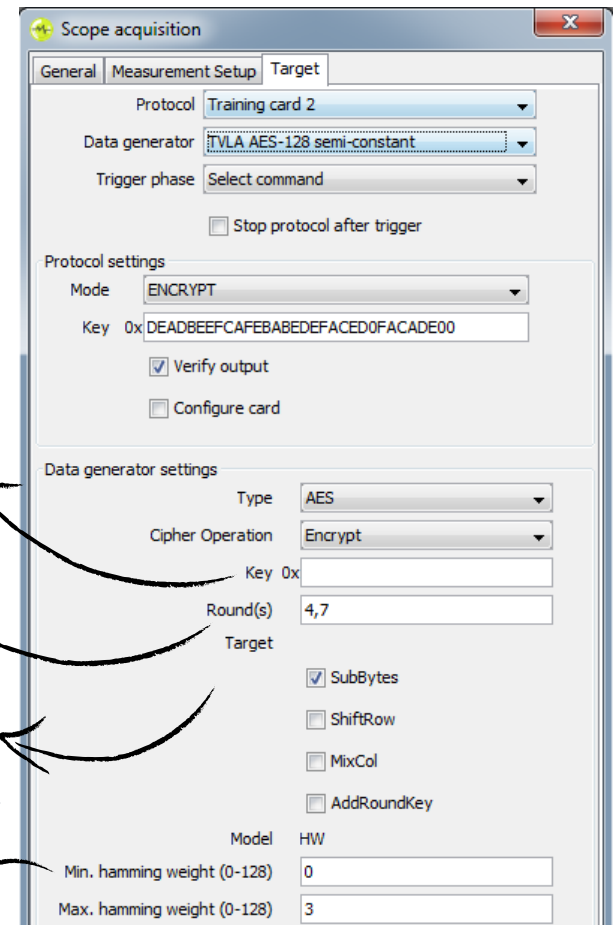
Workflow:



TVLA: acquisition with test vector data sets



Generate semi-constant data set for DES or AES

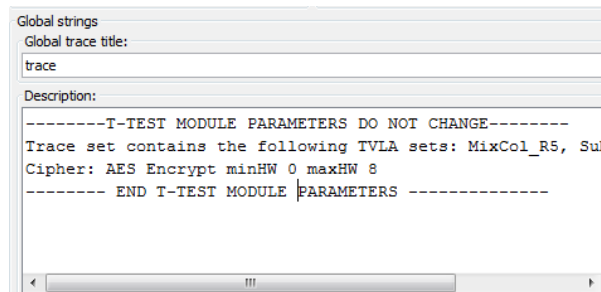


Enter fixed key

Round selection

Creates data sets for each target option (per selected AES round)

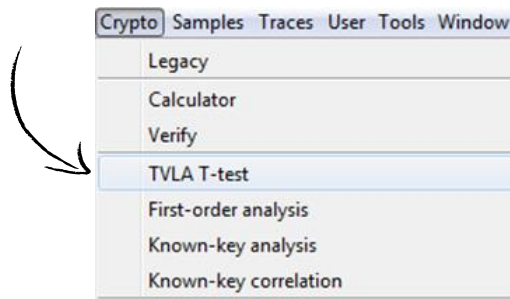
When saving a trace set: info on TVLA data sets



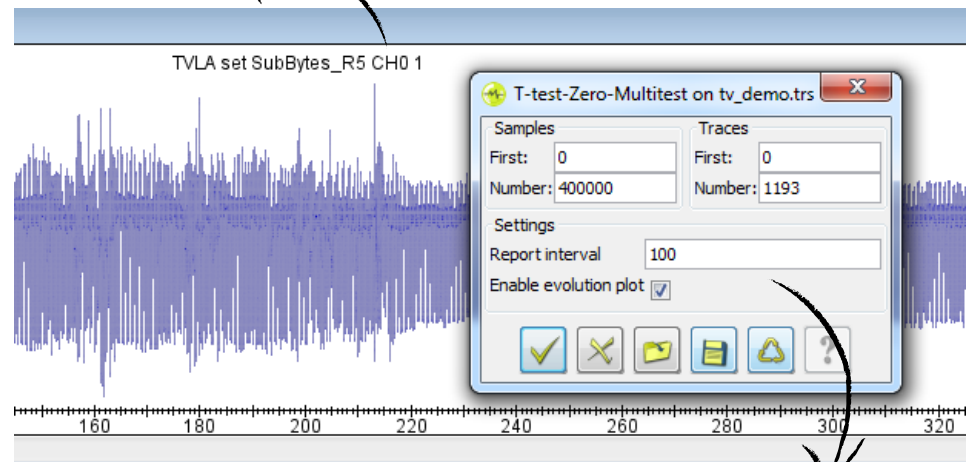
Semi-constant: Limited range ensures optimal variation of constant inputs for a meaningful T-test

TVLA: Welch's T-test with real-time evolution plot

Run the non-specific T-test on the trace set with test vectors created with the data generator:



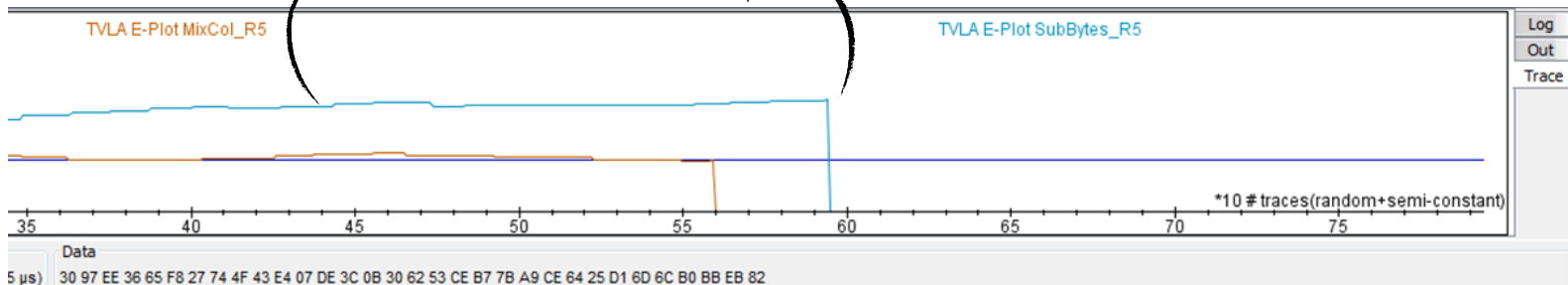
Target: Round 5 and Subbytes (AES)



Monitor evolution plot real time

Abort without losing the results

Select samples and report interval for T-test

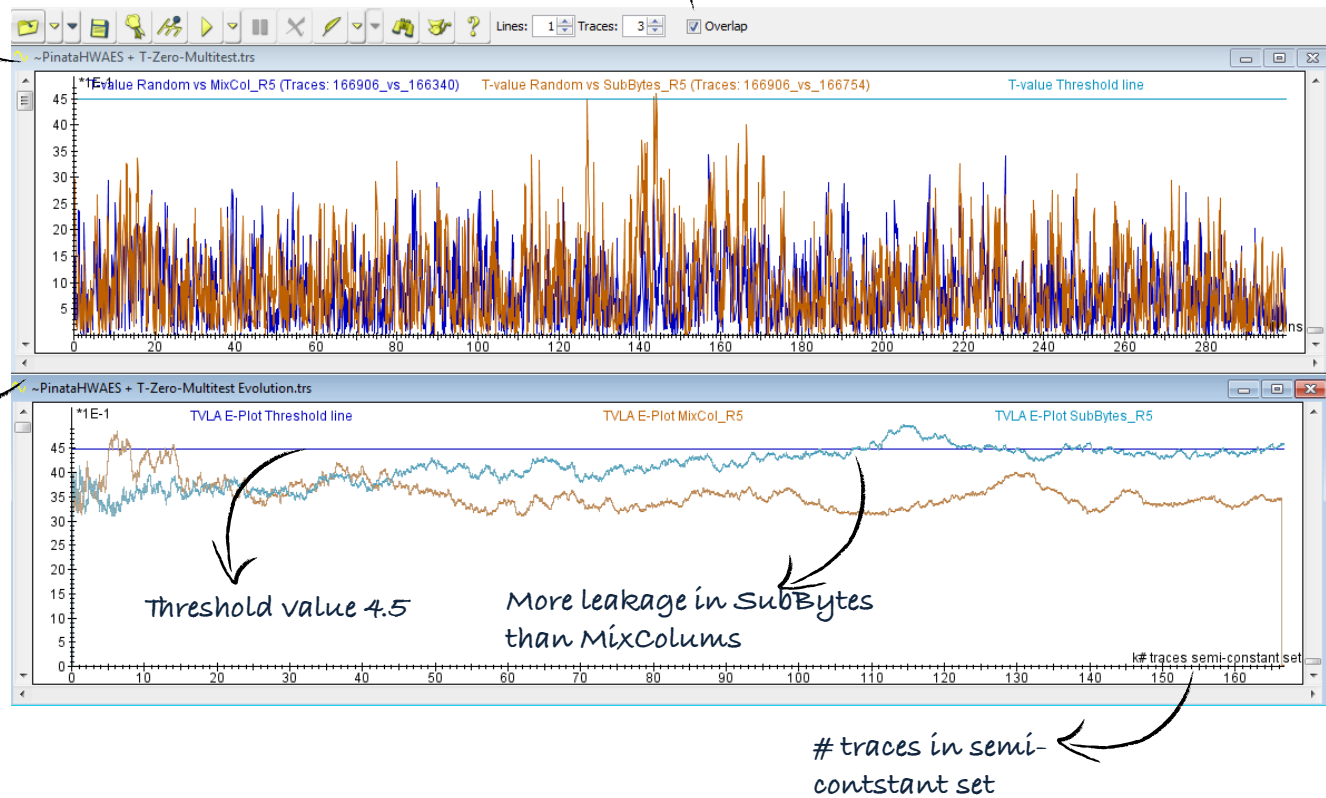


TVLA – dual output

1. T-value trace set

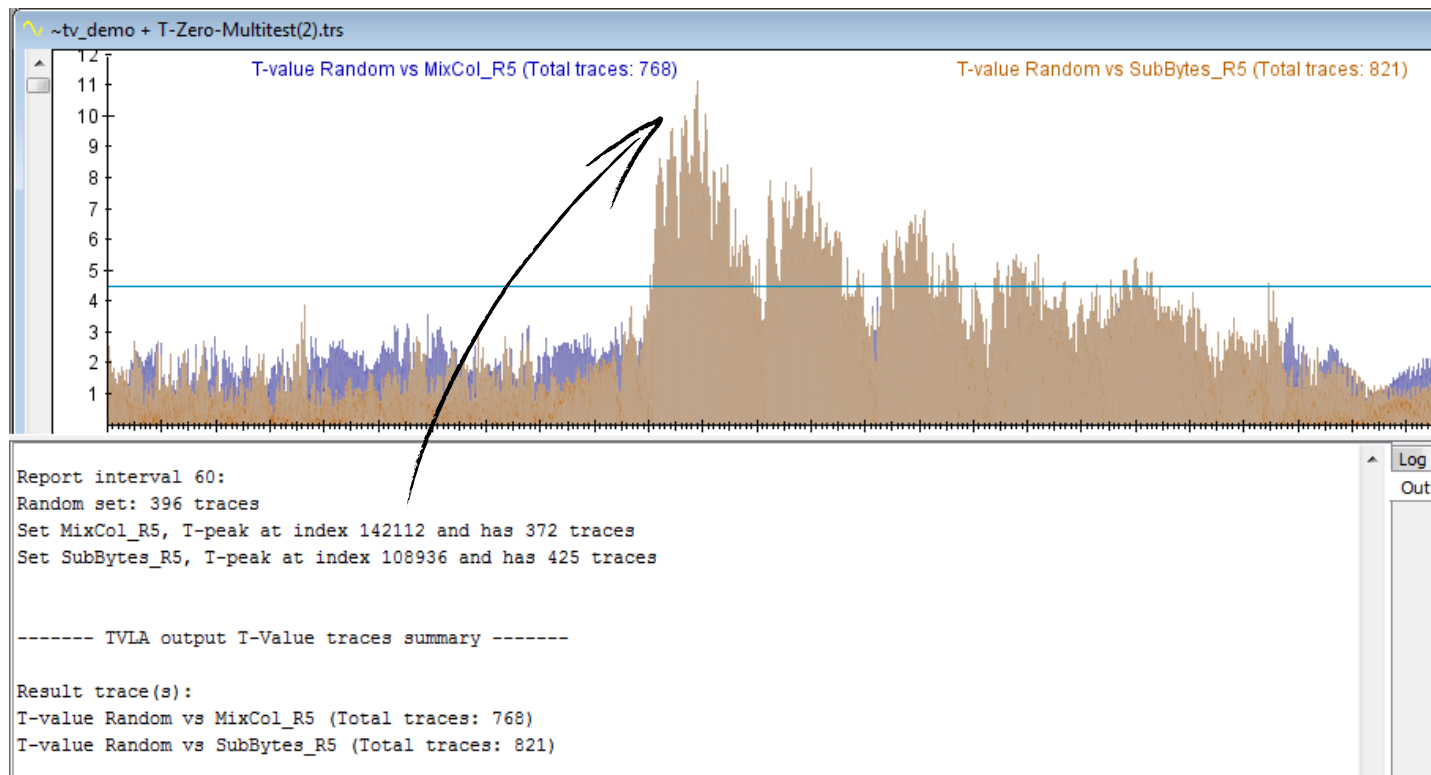
Automatically overlapped for all test vector data sets

2. Evolution plot



TVLA – cross check and conclude

Verify for several report intervals if chosen T-value peaks are not ghost peaks (user interpretation):



TA on DES Key Scheduling

New technique

Template Analysis on DES Key Scheduling is a new method which is pending publication by Mathias Wagner (it has been shared with small groups).

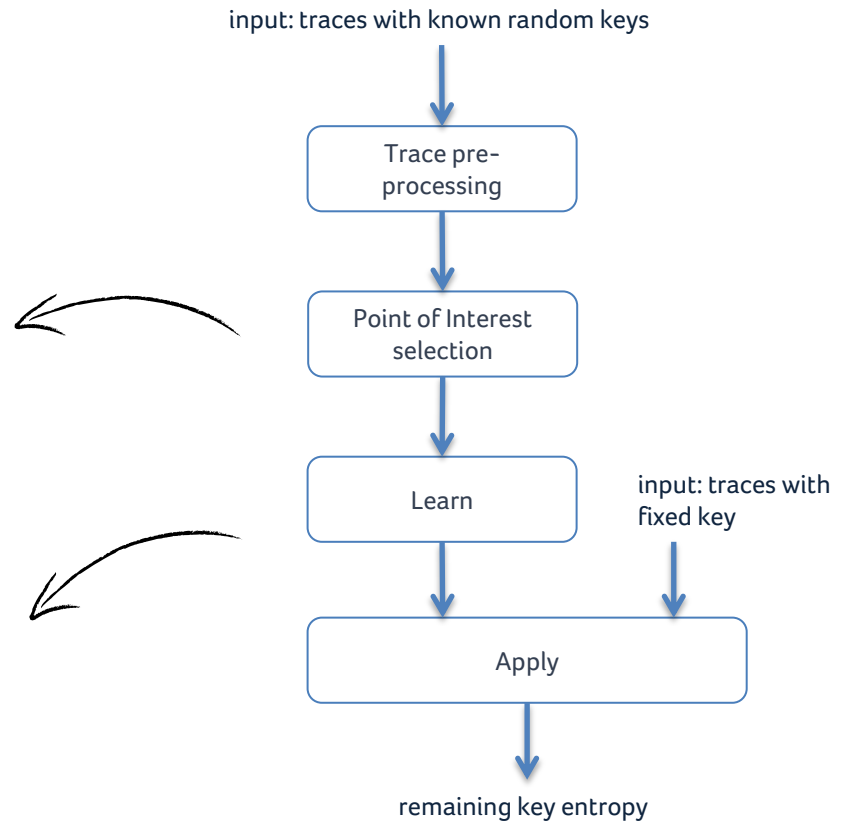
Features supported in Inspector SCA

Acquisition & POI selection:

- Known-key TA
- Target: leakage of XOR operations on key bits in the DES key scheduling function. The XOR operations are grouped together in four rings of 14 bits (A) and two rings of 28 bits (B) [pending publication]
- Rings: A & B applied, less sensitive to noise in POI selection than ring C

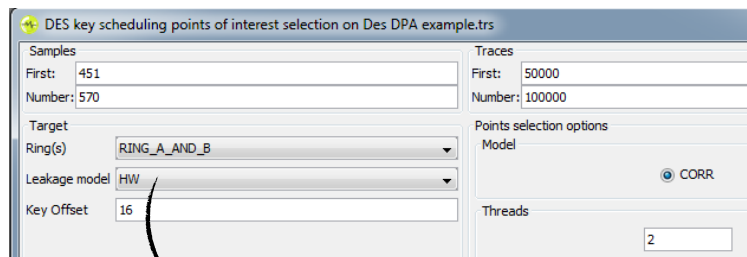
Learn & Apply:

- Probability models: Mean, +Var, +Cov with options Pooled and Centered
- Rings: Ring C applied, which combines Ring A and B and improves results for Template Analysis
- Template size: configurable.
- Note: when using +Cov the memory usage grows exponentially with the template bit size and number of POIs.



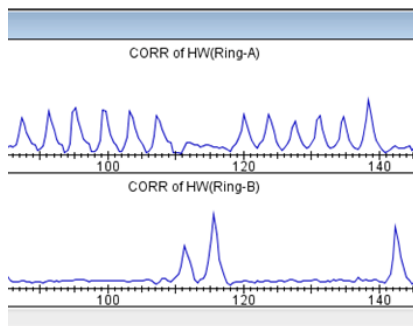
POI selection and learn phase

On the trace set with random known keys, perform POI selection:

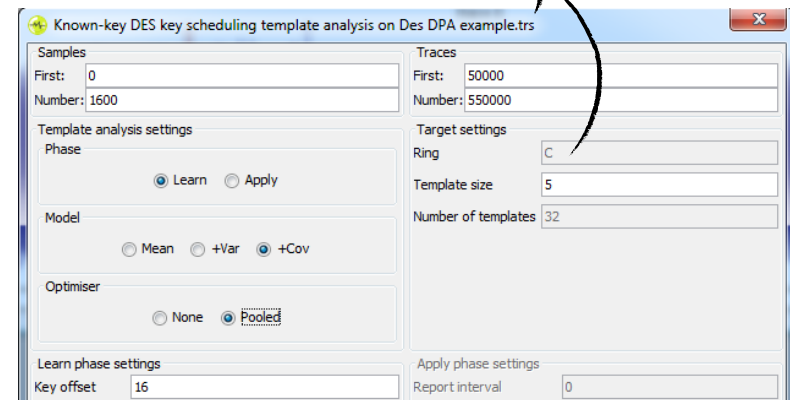


Ring A and B combined
is best for POI selection

Example POI selection results for Ring A and Ring B:



Learn phase:



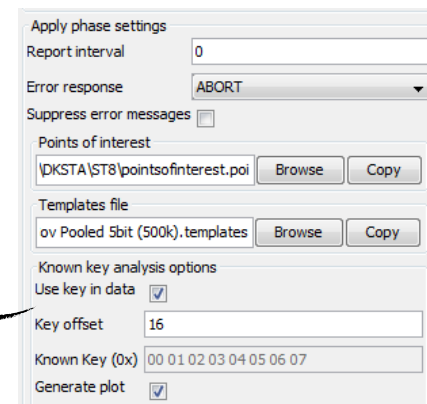
Ring C is optimal for
Template Analysis

Key offset

Select template size

Apply phase:

Option to use
key in data




Template Analysis – unknown key

Added unknown key analysis

Earlier this year several Template Analysis techniques for AES and DES were added to Inspector. Since then many users also asked us for the unknown key variant.

unknown key results
as you are used to it



```
Best score Round 0: Key: Column 3, Row 2:
rank: 1, candidate: 14 (0x0E), confidence: -13.293722113893184000
rank: 2, candidate: 233 (0xE9), confidence: -14.19176877514716600
rank: 3, candidate: 91 (0x5B), confidence: -14.278738999098866000
rank: 4, candidate: 227 (0xE3), confidence: -14.31481114627983000
Best score Round 0: Key: Column 3, Row 3:
rank: 1, candidate: 15 (0x0F), confidence: -16.941290111737565000
rank: 2, candidate: 9 (0x09), confidence: -17.0058294156447970000
rank: 3, candidate: 74 (0x4A), confidence: -17.007164824342585000
rank: 4, candidate: 244 (0xF4), confidence: -17.02126220978316000
Unverified key: 000000000000000100000001000000011000000100000001010
Searching for keys...(this could take several minutes)
Correct key found: 000102030405060708090a0b0c0d0e0f
Detailed key info: 000000000000000100000001000000011000000100000001
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Status	Traces	Samples
Ready	available:2000 displayed:0 selected:0	available:47326 (47.33 µs) displayed:

Note: for hamming weight option in TA Key Loading, the unknown key output is different.

The candidates are hamming weights:

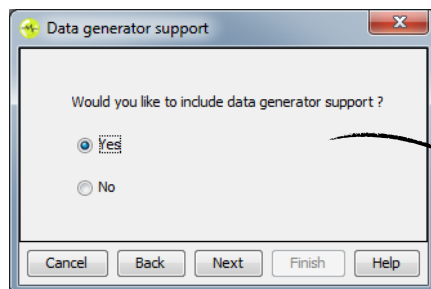
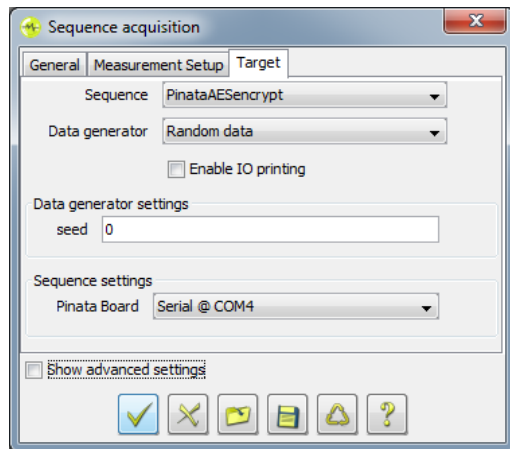


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Best score HW(8bG14):
rank: 1, candidate: 4 (0x04), confidence: -33.81862525700555000000 at positions: [6026-6027, 6025, 6
rank: 2, candidate: 5 (0x05), confidence: -41.88137731343407000000 at positions: [6026-6027, 6025, 6
rank: 3, candidate: 3 (0x03), confidence: -42.28938466785271000000 at positions: [6026-6027, 6025, 6
rank: 4, candidate: 2 (0x02), confidence: -65.12117573022948000000 at positions: [6026-6027, 6025, 6
Best score HW(8bG15):
rank: 1, candidate: 4 (0x04), confidence: -34.62767215540583000000 at positions: [6352-6353, 6351, 6
rank: 2, candidate: 5 (0x05), confidence: -42.23475353624275000000 at positions: [6352-6353, 6351, 6
rank: 3, candidate: 3 (0x03), confidence: -43.67012590537975000000 at positions: [6352-6353, 6351, 6
rank: 4, candidate: 6 (0x06), confidence: -64.31553371100657000000 at positions: [6352-6353, 6351, 6
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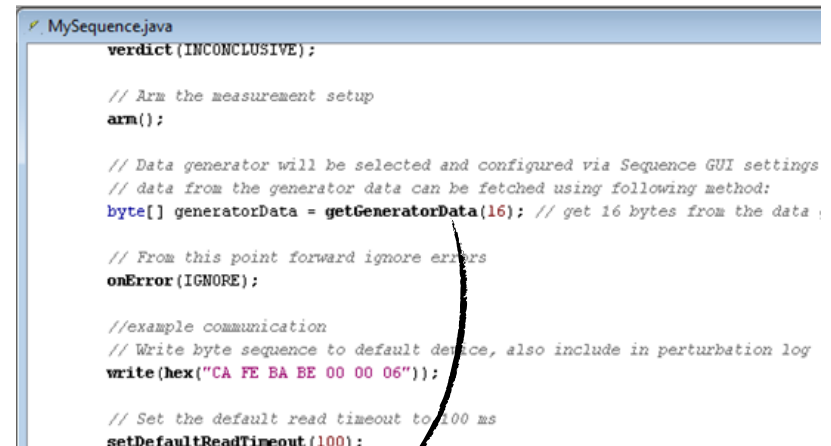
Note: key candidates are Hamming Weights, therefore remaining key bits are too large to brute force. Remaining key search space can be computed based on the recovered Hamming Weights.

Data generator in Sequence

The data generator function is now also available in Sequence for embedded chip testing:



When using the
Sequence wizard



Method in Sequence for
data generator

Note : Pinata chip example modules were also changed to include the data generator in the GUI.

Miscellaneous

New Picoscope

Picoscope 3206D is now also supported. We deliver it with:

- Bandwidth 200 MHz
- Sample rate at 1 Gs/s
- Memory 512 MS
- 2 Channels



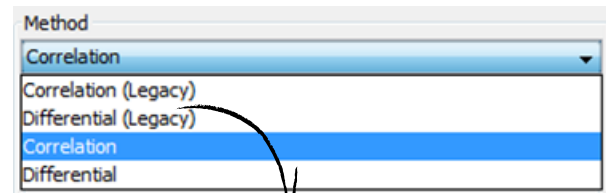
Faster power control DPSS

Changing the power level of the DPSS laser is much faster with a new DPSS attenuator controlled from Inspector.



Multi-threaded correlation

Introduced successfully in 4.10, the legacy method was now ready for removal.



Removed legacy
single-threaded

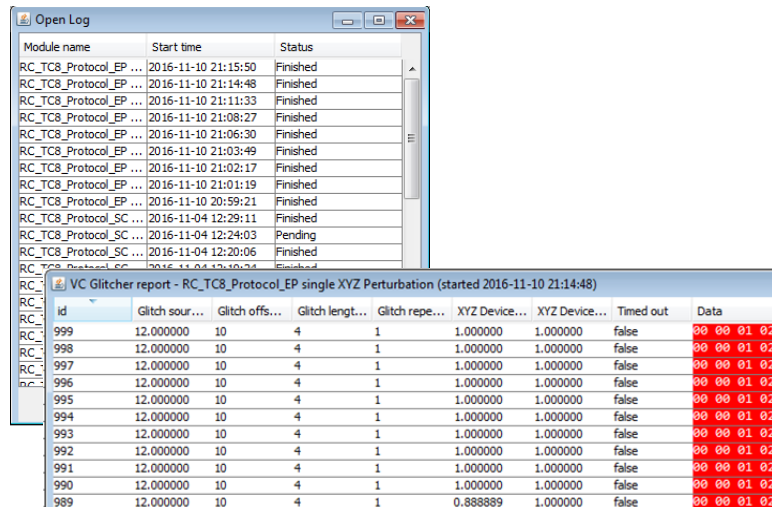
Crashes with “disk compression”

Hard disks that have “disk compression” enabled cause problems with large trace set acquisition and processing. This is a low level Windows issue and not related to Inspector software. An instruction not to enable disk compression has been added to the manual.

Miscellaneous

Perturbation log panel

The perturbation log history panel is now kept open when inspecting an individual perturbation record.



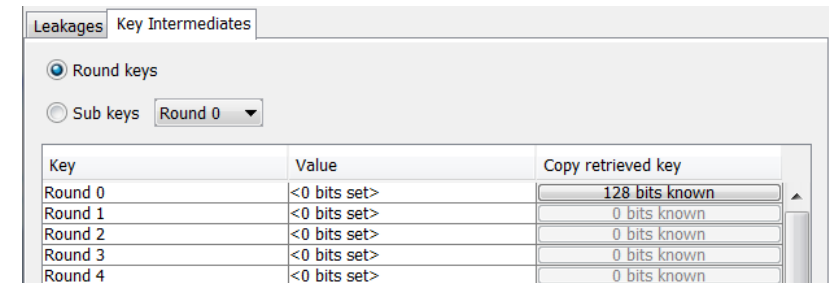
VC Glitcher report - RC_TC8_Protocol_EP single XYZ Perturbation (started 2016-11-10 21:14:48)

id	Glitch sour...	Glitch offs...	Glitch lengt...	Glitch repe...	XYZ Device...	XYZ Device...	Timed out	Data
999	12.000000	10	4	1	1.000000	1.000000	false	00 00 01 02
998	12.000000	10	4	1	1.000000	1.000000	false	00 00 01 02
997	12.000000	10	4	1	1.000000	1.000000	false	00 00 01 02
996	12.000000	10	4	1	1.000000	1.000000	false	00 00 01 02
995	12.000000	10	4	1	1.000000	1.000000	false	00 00 01 02
994	12.000000	10	4	1	1.000000	1.000000	false	00 00 01 02
993	12.000000	10	4	1	1.000000	1.000000	false	00 00 01 02
992	12.000000	10	4	1	1.000000	1.000000	false	00 00 01 02
991	12.000000	10	4	1	1.000000	1.000000	false	00 00 01 02
990	12.000000	10	4	1	1.000000	1.000000	false	00 00 01 02
989	12.000000	10	4	1	0.888889	1.000000	false	00 00 01 02

Remembering key previous round

In first order analysis if you forgot to copy across the retrieved key, you would loose this key when running the next round. And, you would have to re-run the complete analysis!

Now the retrieved key is kept in memory so you can still copy it across.



Key	Value	Copy retrieved key
Round 0	<0 bits set>	128 bits known
Round 1	<0 bits set>	0 bits known
Round 2	<0 bits set>	0 bits known
Round 3	<0 bits set>	0 bits known
Round 4	<0 bits set>	0 bits known

Miscellaneous

icWaves parameters

When counting multiple patterns, several parameters need the right combined configuration. Several suggestions are dynamically given to help in this, for example:

SAD Threshold: 10 ± 1

Delay: 0 ± 10 ns

Holdoff: 300 ± 10 ns

Count: 10 ± 1

Count timeout: 0 ± 10 ns

Arming: Always (Armed)

Graph: sum of absolute amplitudes, SAD th, trigger out, count = 1

Message: A too low SAD Threshold value may result in no pattern matching.

tip for SAD Threshold

Holdoff: 300 ± 10 ns

Count: 10 ± 1

Count timeout: 40000 ± 10 ns

Arming: Always (Armed)

Graph: trigger out, count = 1

Message: Increase Holdoff parameter to achieve stable counting of pattern.

tip for Holdoff

Release notes & bug fixes

For the full list of bug fixes, please refer to the release notes:

<https://www.riscure.com/security-tools/inspector-sca/#support>

Issue key	Custom field (Release Note)
INS-6634	Fixed a too high joystick speed in XYZ perturbation and properly persist it now
INS-6694	Improved performance of AdvancedDifferentialAnalysis by making it more cache friendly
INS-6761	Added support for the PicoScope 3206D
INS-6783	Fixed behavior of dummy XY table in framework 2
INS-6814	Update the user manual with a section explaining icWaves 3 live tuning procedure.
INS-6821	Support new VCGlitcher FIFO mode in Perturbation 1 driver
INS-6822	Increased read timeout for the VCGlitcher in perturbation1 to avoid exceptions
INS-6847	Introduced unknown-key for Template Analysis DPA for AES and DES
INS-6874	Updated manual with section explaining perturbation log timeout status.
INS-6926	Bug fix for the error "Not a multiple of 0.0002" which was caused by spinners inside the
INS-6927	Fixed the issue that previous result keys from First Order Analysis could have been lost

Upgrade procedure & SDK changes



Inspector 4.11 installation

Where

- Customers with Support Contract receive download link
- Download from Riscure download portal

SDK and firmware updates

- None

Installation guidance

- Inspector software can be installed on the same PC workstation next to your previous version. You can still revert back to the previous version if you want to.
- API is backwards compatible with Inspector 4.7 and onwards.

Your own modules & traces

- Inspector software points by default to the same user module folder as previous versions.
- Your own modules and traces from Inspector 4.7 and onwards are compatible with this Inspector release.
- In case you have trouble porting an older module to this Inspector version, please contact our support portal for assistance.

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