

Encryption in Industrial HiVision

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1. Data in Transit

- Within Industrial HiVision:
 - GUI – Kernel: Corba over SSL (encrypted)
 - Kernel – Kernel: Corba over SSL (encrypted)
- Industrial HiVision – Devices (dependent on the device / the configuration of the device):
 - Unencrypted:
 - SNMP V1, HTTP, Telnet, HiDiscoveryV1, HiDiscoveryV2, EtherNet/IP
 - Encrypted:
 - SNMP V3, HTTPS, SSH

2. Data at Rest

- Most data is stored unencrypted in the Industrial HiVision database
 - All passwords and community strings (SNMP V1) are encrypted in the database
- Some data is stored unencrypted in files, for example the IP address of the server to which the GUI is connected
- Industrial HiVision User Management: stored in an unencrypted file, passwords saved as a hash

3. Authentication and Management of Security Services

- User Management in Industrial HiVision: configurable:
 - None
 - LDAP (secure or unsecure)
 - RADIUS (unsecure)
 - Local (Industrial HiVision User Management)
- Password to protect Edit Mode (optional and configurable)

4. Protocol Security

- SNMP V3: depending on the settings: MD5, SHA / DES, AES128
- All passwords and community strings in the database: DES