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Foreword

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The European Recognition Agreement approved by the SOG-IS in April 1999 provides mutual recognition of ITSEC and Common Criteria certificates for all evaluation levels (E6, resp. EAL7). This agreement was originally signed by Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, The Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and the United Kingdom.



1 Executive Summary

This Certification Report states the outcome of the Common Criteria security evaluation of the Fort Fox Hardware Data Diode, version FFHDD2. The developer of the FFHDD2 is Fox-IT BV located in Delft, the Netherlands and they also act as the sponsor of the evaluation and certification. A Certification Report is intended to assist prospective consumers when judging the suitability of the IT security properties of the product for their particular requirements.

The Target of Evaluation – TOE (i.e., Fort Fox Hardware Data Diode) is a hardware-only device that allows data to travel only in one direction. The intention of is to let information be transferred optically from a low security classified network (Low Security Level) to a higher security classified network (High Security Level), without compromising the confidentiality of the information on the High Security Level. Once manufactured, there is no way to alter the function of the TOE.

The TOE has been evaluated by Brightsight B.V. located in Delft, The Netherlands and was completed on 21 August 2009. The certification procedure has been conducted in accordance with the provisions of the Netherlands Scheme for Certification in the Area of IT Security [NSCIB]. The certification was completed on 3 September 2009 with the preparation of this Certification Report.

The scope of the evaluation is defined by the security target [ST], which identifies assumptions made during the evaluation, the intended environment for the Fort Fox Hardware Data Diode, the security requirements, and the level of confidence (evaluation assurance level) at which the product is intended to satisfy the security requirements. Consumers of the Fort Fox Hardware Data Diode are advised to verify that their own environment is consistent with the security target, and to give due consideration to the comments, observations and recommendations in this certification report.

The results documented in the evaluation technical report [ETR]¹ for this product provide sufficient evidence that it meets the Evaluation Assurance Level (EAL) 4 assurance requirements augmented with AVA_VAN.5 and ALC_DVS.2 for the evaluated security functionality. The evaluation was conducted using the Common Methodology for Information Technology Security Evaluation, Version 3.1 Revision 2 [CEM], for conformance to the Common Criteria for Information Technology Security Evaluation, version 3.1 Revision 2 [CC].

TNO Certification, as the NSCIB Certification Body, declares that the Fort Fox Hardware Data Diode, version FFHDD2 evaluation meets all the conditions for international recognition of Common Criteria certificates and that the product will be listed on the NSCIB Certified Products list. It should be noted that the certification results only apply to the specific version of the product as evaluated.

2.2 Assumptions and Definition of Scope

2.2.1 Usage assumptions

The usage assumptions identified in the Security Target that are relevant to the ITSP are:

2.2.2 Environmental assumptions

The following assumptions about the environment are specified by the Security Target [ST] and are the detailed and precise definition of the assumptions for the TOE. Chapter 1.2.2:

- The intended operating environment shall meet and provide the TOE in accordance with the requirements of the High Security Level etc.
- The ITSP is the only method of interconnecting the Low Security Level network and High Security Level network.

¹ The Evaluation Technical Report contains information proprietary to the developer and/or the evaluator, and is not releasable for public review.



2 Certification Results

2.1 Identification of Target of Evaluation

The Target of Evaluation (TOE) for this Evaluation Assurance Level (EAL) 4 augmented with AVA_VAN.5 and ALC_DVS.2 evaluation is the Fort Fox Hardware Data Diode, version FFHDD2 from Fox-IT BV located in Delft, the Netherlands.

This report pertains to the TOE comprised of the following main component:

Item	Identifier	Version	Medium
Hardware	Fort Fox Hardware Data Diode	FFHDD2	single 19-inch rack component

To ensure secure usage a guidance document is provided together with the Fort Fox Hardware Data Diode. Details can be found in section 2.5 of this report.

2.2 Security Policy

The TOE is the Fort Fox Hardware Data Diode (FFHDD) and allows data to travel only in one direction. The intention of is to let information be transferred optically from a low security classified network (Low Security Level) to a higher security classified network (High Security Level), without compromising the confidentiality of the information on the High Security Level. Once manufactured, there is no way to alter the function of the TOE.

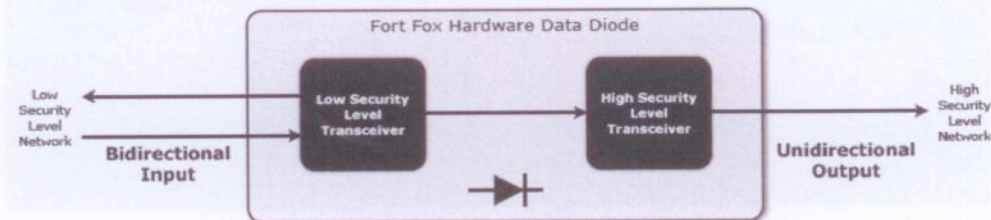


Figure 1, Overview of the TOE.

2.3 Documentation

2.3 Assumptions and Clarification of Scope

2.3.1 Usage assumptions

There are no usage assumptions identified in the Security Target that are of relevance to the TOE.

2.3.2 Environmental assumptions

The following assumptions about the environmental aspects defined by the Security Target have to be met (for the detailed and precise definition of the assumptions refer to the [ST], chapter 3.3):

- The intended operation environment shall store and operate the TOE in accordance with the requirements of the High Security Level side.
- The TOE is the only method of interconnecting the Low Security Level network and High Security Level network. This prevents a threat agent from circumventing the security being provided by the TOE through an untrustworthy product.

2.3.3 Clarification of scope

There are no defined threats for the TOE that require additional measures in the environment, they are all met by the TOE. The Security Target [ST] assumes an operational environment such that threats could come only from the attached networks. The evaluation did not reveal any functionality in the TOE that was excluded from the TOE evaluated configuration.

2.4 Architectural Information

The TOE is a single 19" rack component, a hardware-only device. To ensure signals can only pass in one direction, but not vice versa, the TOE deploys a light source and corresponding photocell. The data transfer is implemented in hardware, of the physical Open System Interconnection (OSI) reference model, to guarantee complete unidirectionality. Fiber-optic cables are used to minimize the electromagnetic radiation when the TOE input is connected to the Low Security Level Server and the TOE output is connected to the High Security Level Server.

The TOE has two operational interfaces to establish one-way communication, the Bidirectional Input and Unidirectional Output port. At the Low Security Level Transceiver light is carried into the Bidirectional Input port and converted, with the aid of a photocell, into an electrical signal. The electrical signal spreads through the TOE to the High Security Level Transceiver. The High Security Level Transceiver receives the electrical signal and converts this, using a light source, into light. Finally, the light is offered, through the Unidirectional Output port, to the High Security Level Network.

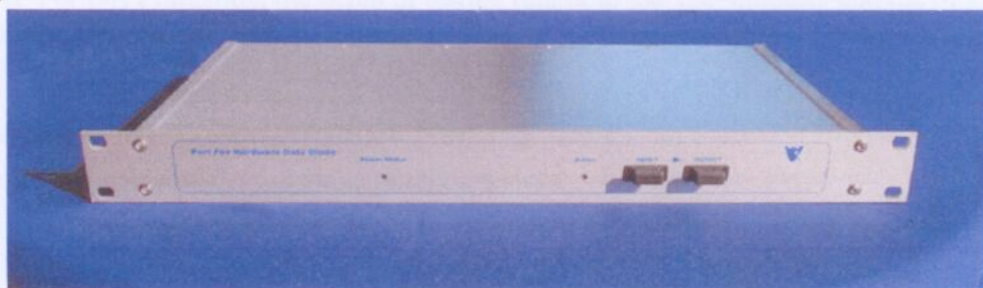


Figure 2 The TOE

2.5 Documentation

The following documentation is provided with the product by the developer to the customer:

Identifier	Version
Fox-IT BV, FFHDD, Delivery Procedures, Preparative Procedures and Operational User Guidance, CC EAL4+	1.04, May 7, 2009

2.6 IT Product Testing

Testing (depth, coverage, functional tests, independent testing): The evaluators examined the developer's testing activities documentation and verified that the developer has met their testing responsibilities.

2.6.1 Testing approach

The independent testing comprised of:

- Sample testing (4:ATE_IND.2-4) to validate the developer testing by repeating 2 developer's tests



at the evaluator's site. The selected subset covers all significant aspects of the SFRs at least once.

- Independent testing (4:ATE_IND.2-6) was performed based on 3 new tests defined by the evaluator for the validation of the correct information flow.

Before these tests were conducted it was verified that the TOE was suitable for testing and has a unique reference number as identified in the ST introduction.

2.6.2 Test Configuration

The test configuration for the independent testing comprised of two configurations. The non-TOE servers for the High Security Level side and Low Security Level side were included in both test setups.

- Test configuration 1 was the configuration as delivered to a customer and was used for testing the external interfaces for all TSFI.
- Test configuration 2 was using an additional Fort Fox Hardware Data Diode of which the output side was connected to the output of the TOE. This setup was used to test the interfaces of the SFR-enforcing module.

2.6.3 Depth

The evaluator has chosen to test all of the interfaces of the TOE as the TOE is a simple TOE with only four TSFIs. For this evaluation, the depth of testing relates to the TSF modules and the SFR-enforcing module in the TOE design. The TOE design is described at the module level only. There is only one SFR-enforcing module and this module has been tested.

2.6.4 Independent Penetration Testing

The evaluators considered the following possible attacks:

1. Attack from the low security level network trying to compromise the TOE such that it passes information through from the high security level network;
2. Attack from the high security level network trying to compromise the TOE such that it passes information through from the high security level network;
3. Attack from bystanders by the TOE to eavesdrop information passing through the TOE;
4. Trying to cause TOE failure such that the TOE comes in a state that it passes information through from the high security level to the low security level.

The TOE design shows that one electronic component is essential in the realisation of ensuring that signals can only pass in one direction, and not vice versa. The evaluators have chosen to test the resistance of the TOE against the introduction of light signals at the Output port. If these signals would pass through the TOE, they could influence the signals as emitted by the bi-directional Input. This attack relates to the possible attacks 1, 3 and 4 listed above. Attack 2 is out of scope due to the objectives of the environment.

2.6.5 Testing Results

The testing activities, including configurations, procedures, test cases, expected results and observed results are summarised in the [ETR], with references to the documents containing the full details.

The developer's tests and the independent functional tests produced the expected results, giving assurance that the TOE behaves as specified in its ST and functional specification.



No exploitable vulnerabilities were found with the independent penetration tests. No residual vulnerabilities were found.

2.7 Evaluated Configuration

The TOE is defined uniquely by its name and version number Fort Fox Hardware Data Diode, version FFHDD2 and can be identified by its identification at the backside.

The TOE needs no specific configuration settings because there is only one configuration defined.

2.8 Results of the Evaluation

The evaluation lab documented their evaluation results in the [ETR]² which references several Intermediate Reports. The verdict of each claimed assurance requirement is given in the following table:

Security Target		Pass
Development		
Development		Pass
Security architecture	ADV_ARC.1	Pass
Functional specification	ADV_FSP.4	Pass
TOE design	ADV_TDS.3	Pass
Implementation representation	ADV_IMP.1	Pass
Guidance documents		
Guidance documents		Pass
Operational	AGD_OPE.1	Pass
Preparative	AGD_PRE.1	Pass
Life cycle support		
Life cycle support		Pass
Configuration Management Capabilities	ALC_CMC.4	Pass
Configuration Management Scope	ALC_CMS.4	Pass
Delivery	ALC_DEL.1	Pass
Development Security	ALC_DVS.2	Pass
Lifecycle definition	ALC_DEL.1	Pass
Tools and Techniques	ALC_TAT.1	Pass
Tests		
Tests		Pass
Coverage	ATE_COV.2	Pass
Depth	ATE_DPT.2	Pass
Functional	ATE_FUN.1	Pass
Independent	ATE_IND.2	Pass

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Vulnerability assessment		Pass
Vulnerability analysis	AVA_VAN.5	Pass

Based on the above evaluation results the evaluation lab concluded the Fort Fox Hardware Data Diode, version FFHDD2, to be **CC Part 2 conformant**, **CC Part 3 conformant**, and to meet the requirements of **EAL 4 augmented with AVA_VAN.5 and ALC_DVS.2**. This implies that the product satisfies the security technical requirements specified in Security Target FFHDD, CC EAL4+, version 1.06, August 21, 2009. The Security Target does not claim conformance to any Protection Profile.

2.9 Evaluator Comments/Recommendations

2.9.1 Obligations and hints for the developer

Based on the insights gained during the evaluation the evaluator recommends for the protection of configuration items at Fox-IT to extend the current anti-virus measures in a similar way to non-Windows platforms.

2.9.2 Recommendations and hints for the customer

The TOE is normally delivered together with the two servers. These servers are connected to the network that the TOE connects. These servers are not considered during the evaluation.

