

Lecture 5

Application Domains III: (Mobile) Electronic Signatures

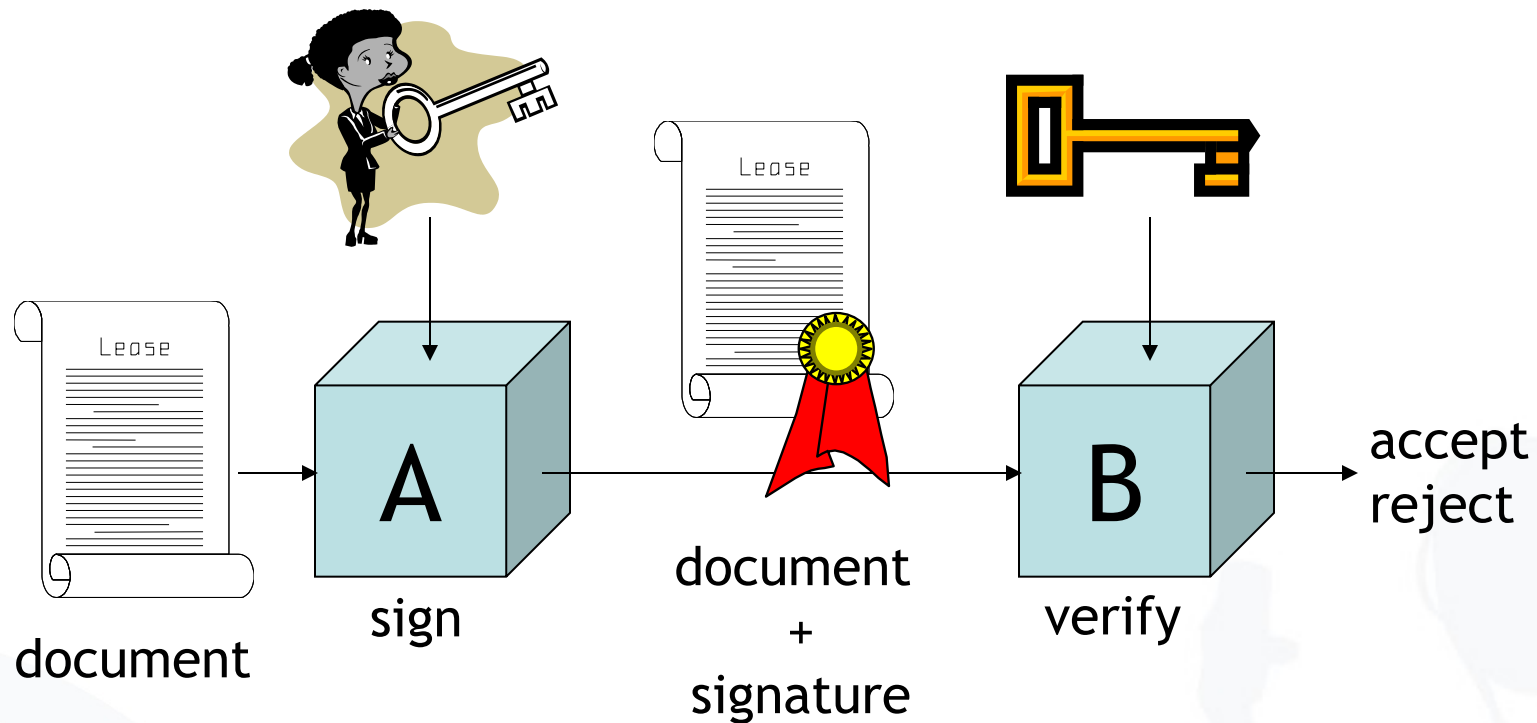


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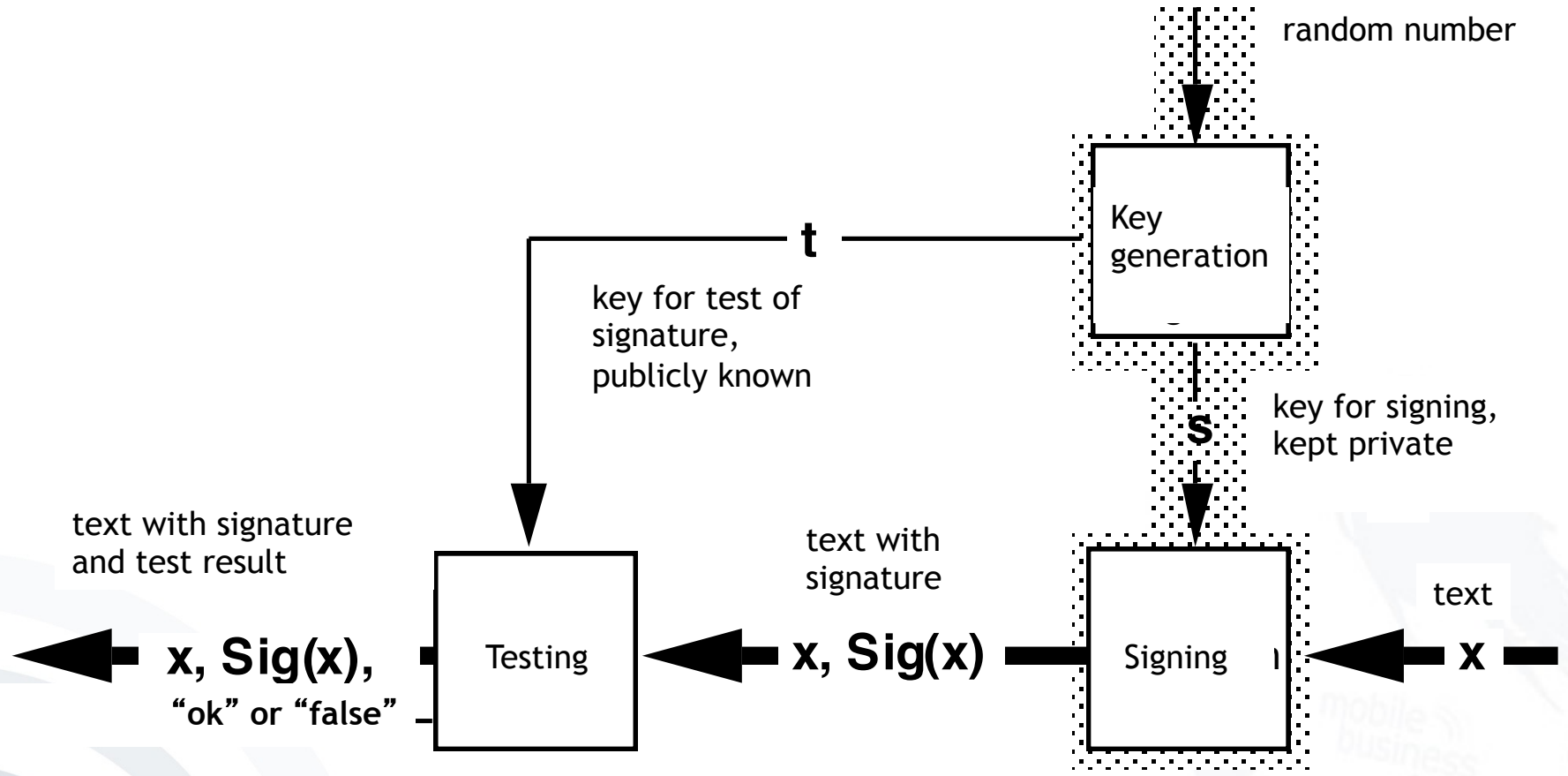
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- ➔ Protect the authenticity and integrity of documents signed by **A**
- ➔ **B** has to get an authentic copy of **A**'s public key.

Asymmetric Signature System



➔ locked glass show-case; just one key to put something in

Von: Heiko Rossnagel
Betreff: Klausur MC1

An: Jan Muntermann
Cc:

-----BEGIN PGP MESSAGE-----
Version: PGP 8.0 - not licensed for commercial use: www.pgp.com

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=hC09

-----END PGP MESSAGE-----

heiko rossnagel
frankfurt direkt:
-25306 D-60054 frankfurt

PGPTray - Enter Passphrase

Message was encrypted to the following public key(s):

Heiko Rossnagel <heiko.rossnagel@m-lehrstuhl.de> (DH/2048)
Jan Muntermann <munterma@wiwi.uni-frankfurt.de> (RSA/1024)

Enter passphrase for your private key: Hide Typing

OK Cancel

Text Viewer

*** PGP SIGNATURE VERIFICATION ***

*** Status: Good Signature from Valid Key

*** Signer: Heiko Rossnagel <heiko.rossnagel@m-lehrstuhl.de>
(0x85964FC9)

*** Signed: 26.02.2004 11:40:49

*** Verified: 26.02.2004 11:45:25

*** BEGIN PGP DECRYPTED/VERIFIED MESSAGE ***

Hallo Jan.
My exercises for the "MC1" test are enclosed:

*** END PGP DECRYPTED/VERIFIED MESSAGE ***

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- **RSA: Rivest, Shamir, Adleman**

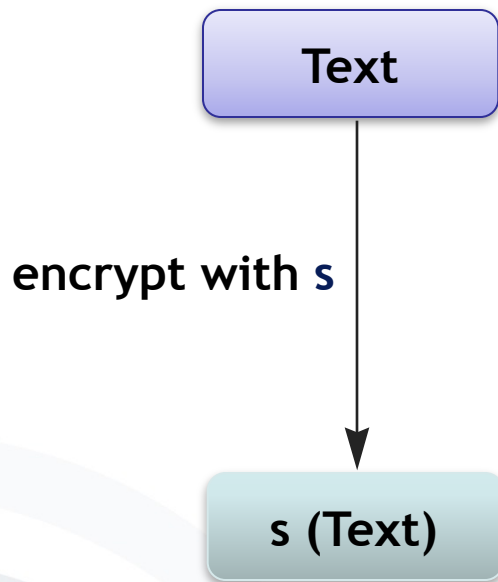
- Asymmetric encryption system which also can be used as a signature system via “inverted use”,
- Message encrypted with the private key (= signing key) gives the signature,
- Decoding with the public key (=testing key) has to produce the message.

[Rivest et al. 1978]

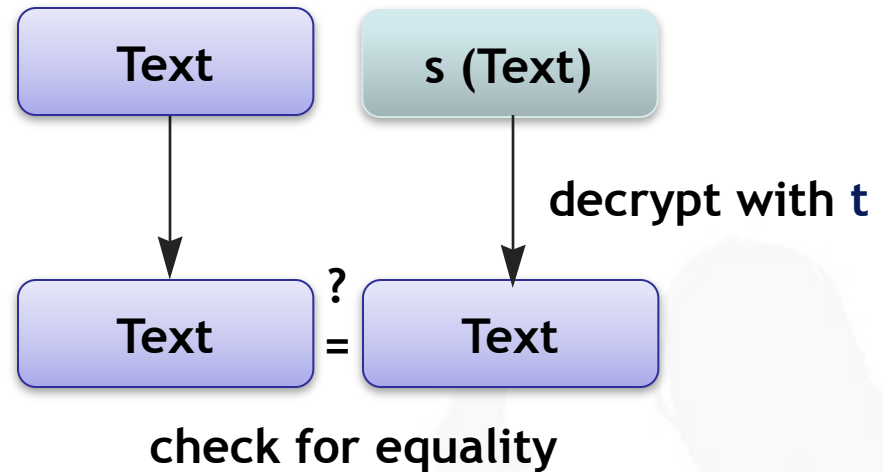
- **DSA: Digital Signature Algorithm**

- Determined in the Digital Signature Standard of the NIST (USA),
- Based on discrete logarithms (Schnorr, ElGamal),
- Key length is set to 1024 bit.

Sender / Signer

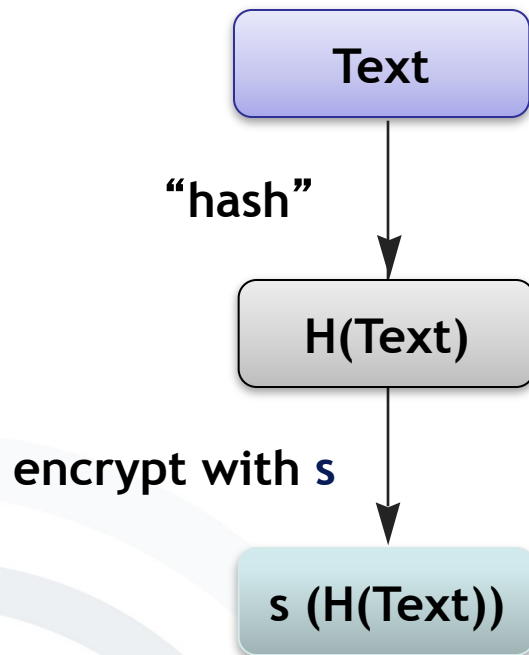


Addressee / Verifier

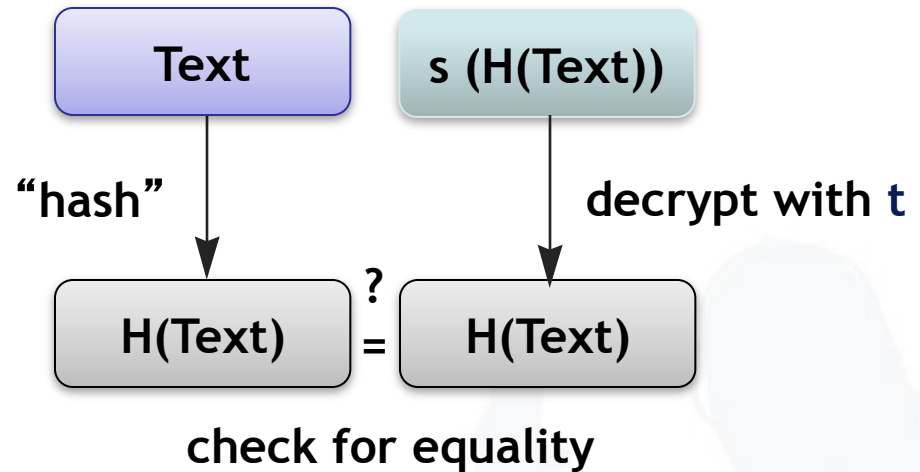


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- ⇒ Example is often mistakenly generalized.

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- **General hash functions ($H(s)$)**
 - Transformation of an **input string s** into an **output string h of fixed length** which is called hash value.
 - Example: mod 10 in the decimal system
- **Cryptographic hash functions**
 - Generally require further characteristics
 - $H(s)$ is easily to compute for each s .
 - $H(s)$ must be difficult to invert: In terms of figures it is difficult to compute s from h .
 - Virtual collision freedom: In terms of figures it is difficult to create collisions $H(s_1) = H(s_2)$.
 - Examples: SHA-1, MD5, MD4

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- The EU REGULATION (EU) No 910/2014 on electronic signatures refers to the concept of an **electronic signature** as:

"data in electronic form which is attached to or logically associated with other data in electronic form and which is used by the signatory to sign"

The advanced electronic signature requirements

Directive 1999/93/EC

- Uniquely linked to the signatory;
- Capable of identifying the signatory;
- Created using means that the signatory can maintain under their sole control;
- Linked to the data to which it relates in such a manner that any subsequent change in the data is detectable.

[EC Directive 1999]

REGULATION (EU) No 910/2014 repealing directive 1999/93/EC

- Uniquely linked to the signatory;
- Capable of identifying the signatory;
- Created using electronic signature creation data that the signatory can, **with a high level of confidence**, use under his sole control;
- Linked to the data signed therewith in such a way that any subsequent change in the data is detectable.

[EU eIDAS Regulation 2014]

▪ Objective and Area of Application

(1) The purpose of this law is to create general conditions for digital signatures under which they may be deemed secure and forgeries of digital signatures or falsifications of signed data may be reliably ascertained.

Example: display of data (§ 17(2)) [SigG01]

The signature component must:

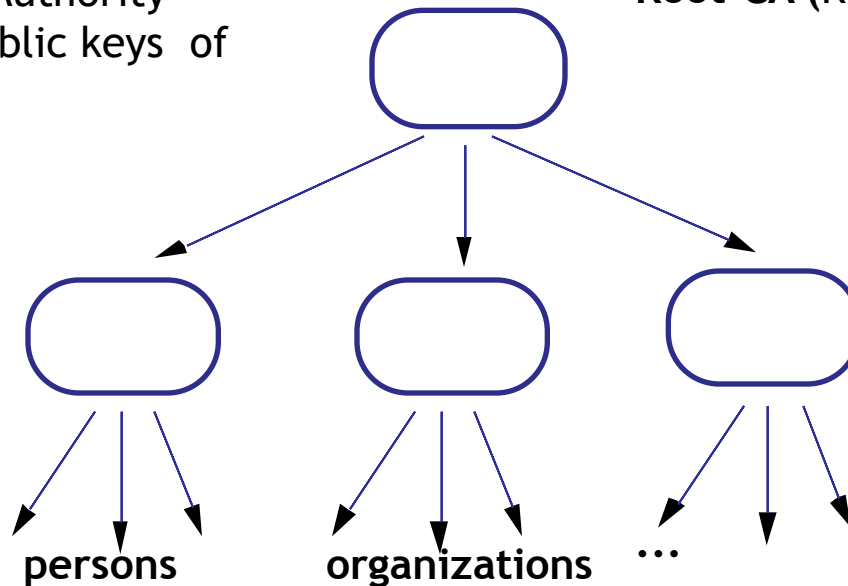
- Clearly notify the signer that a signature is to be created *before* the signature is created
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- Secure the accordance of displayed data and signed data (“What you see is what you sign.”)

Hierarchical Certification of Public Keys

(Example: German Signature Law)

Regulatory Authority
confirms public keys of
the CAs

Root-CA (Regulatory Authority)

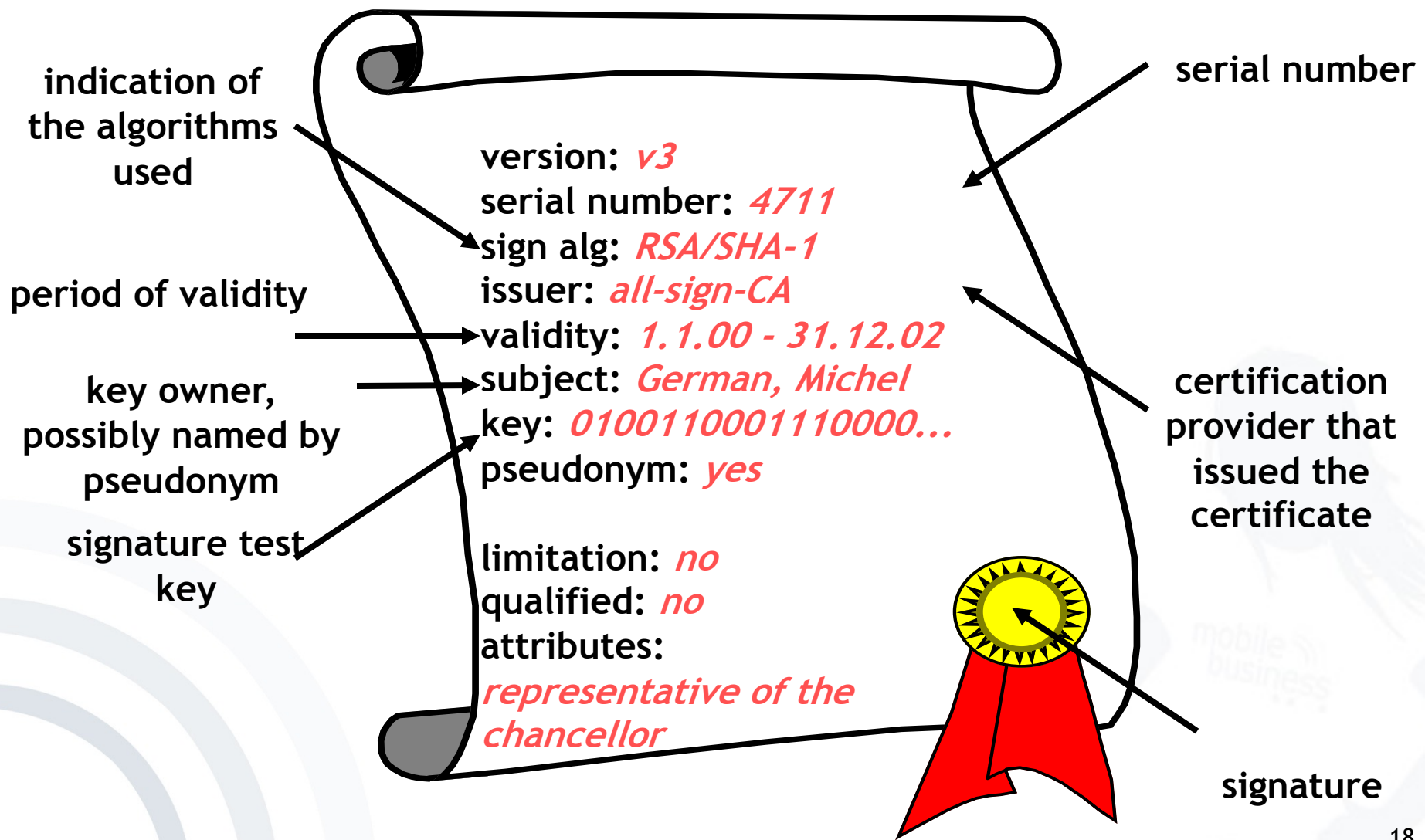


Certification
Authorities (CA)

TeleSec, D-Trust,
TC TrustCenter, ...

- The actual checking of the identity of the key owner takes place at so called Registration Authorities (e.g. notaries, bank branches, T-Points, ...)
- Security of the infrastructure depends on the reliability of the CAs.

Content of a Key Certificate (according to German Signature Law and Regulation)



Tasks of a Certification Authority

(according to German Signature Law and Regulation)

- Reliable identification of persons who apply for a certificate
- Information on necessary methods for fraud resistant creation of a signature
- Provision for secure storage of the private key
 - At least Smartcard (protected with PIN)
- Publication of the certificate (if wanted)
- Barring of certificates
- If necessary emission of time stamps
 - For a fraud resistant proof that an electronic document has been at hand at a specific time

- Checking of the following items by certain confirmation centers (BSI, TÜVIT, ...)
 - Concept of operational security
 - Reliability of the executives and of the employees as well as of their know-how
 - Financial power for continuous operation
 - Exclusive usage of licensed technical components according to SigG and SigV
 - Security requirements as to operating premises and their access controls
- Possibly license of the regulation authority

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- Legal and technical framework exists for years.
- So far qualified electronic signatures are not successful in the market.
- Circa 0.4 million qualified certificates in total have been issued in Germany from 2001 to 2010 [Sommer 2011].
- ➔ Expectations have not been fulfilled.

Certificate Service Providers (CSP)	Fee for Issuing of a certificate	Basic fee per year of use	Total fee for 2-year usage
D-Trust GmbH	41	29	99
Deutsche Post Signtrust	0	39	78
TC Trust Center	8	62	132
T-TeleSec	23,57	42,95	109,47

Discontinued Certificate Service Providers

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[BNetzA 2015]

Prices incl. 19% VAT

Certificate Service Providers (CSP)	Total costs Certificate validity of				
	1 year	2 years	3 years	4 years	5 years
D-Trust GmbH (100% subsidiary of Bundesdruckerei GmbH) d-trust.de	n/a	129,71	n/a	213,01	n/a
Medisign GmbH (for health care professionals) medisign.de	82,80	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
TeleSec - Trust Center der Deutschen Telekom AG telesec.de	n/a	99,00	129,00	n/a	199,00
Bundesnotarkammer zertifizierungsstelle.bnotk.de/	n/a	49,90	n/a	n/a	n/a

Fees in 2021 (in €)

Prices incl. 19% VAT

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D-Trust GmbH (100% subsidiary of Bundesdruckerei GmbH) d-trust.de	119,99	n/a	159,00	n/a	n/a
Medisign GmbH (for health care professionals) medisign.de	n/a	234,00	n/a	n/a	n/a
TeleSec - Trust Center der Deutschen Telekom AG telesec.de	n/a	99,00	129,00	n/a	199,00
Bundesnotarkammer zertifizierungsstelle.bnotk.de/	55,00	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a

Costs and Benefits

	Private Customers		Companies		Public Administration	
	Costs	Benefits	Costs	Benefits	Costs	Benefits
Electronic bid invitations			■	■		■
Electronic tax declaration	■		■			■
Access to public archives	■		■	■		■
Electronic elections	■					■
Application for public documents	■					■
Notifying change of residence	■					■
Electronic dunning procedures			■	■		■
Electronic marketplaces	■	■	■	■	■	■
Automated orderings			■	■	■	■
Online-Banking	■		■	■	■	
Alteration of contracts online	■			■		
Electronic billing			■	■		
Archiving			■	■	■	■
Total	8	1	9	9	4	10

[Lippmann and Roßnagel 2005]

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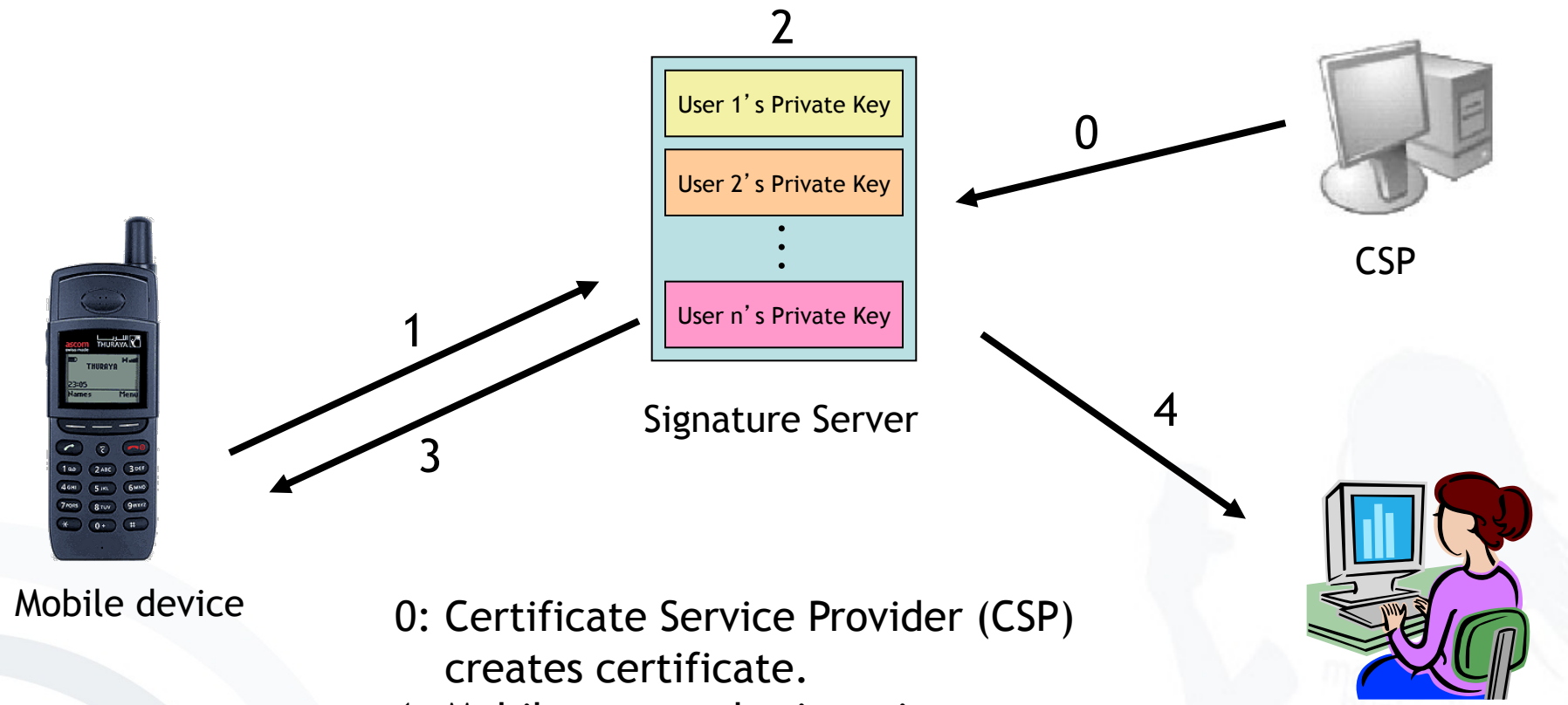
- Advanced electronic signatures:
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 - Capable of identifying the signatory
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- Qualified certificates:
 - Can be issued for advanced signatures by CSPs if they meet the requirements of Annex I of the EC Directive

- Mobile signatures are signatures, which are created using a mobile device and which rely on signature or certification services in a location independent telecommunication environment.
- Usage: signatory mobility beyond fixed, secure desktop workstation with trusted, personal signing equipment.

- Server based electronic signatures are signatures, that are created by a service provider for a user.
- Client signatures are electronic signatures created only by means of the mobile device.

Server Signatures Infrastructure



- 0: Certificate Service Provider (CSP) creates certificate.
- 1: Mobile user authorizes signature on server.
- 2: Server creates signature for mobile user.
- 3: Signature sent to mobile user
- 4: Signature sent to relying party

[Roßnagel 2004]

Directive 1999/93/EC

- This violates article 2,2 (c) of EC directive for advanced signatures:
“...by means the signatory can maintain under his sole control.”

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- Article 26 (c) of REGULATION (EU) No 910/2014 for advanced signatures:
“...by means the signatory, **with high level of confidence**, can maintain under his sole control.”

[EU eIDAS Regulation 2014]

Use of separate smart cards for telephony and signature:

- Dual Card

Exchange of SIM against Secure Signature Creation Device (SSCD)

- Dual Slot

Mobile device carries two card readers for SIM and SSCD



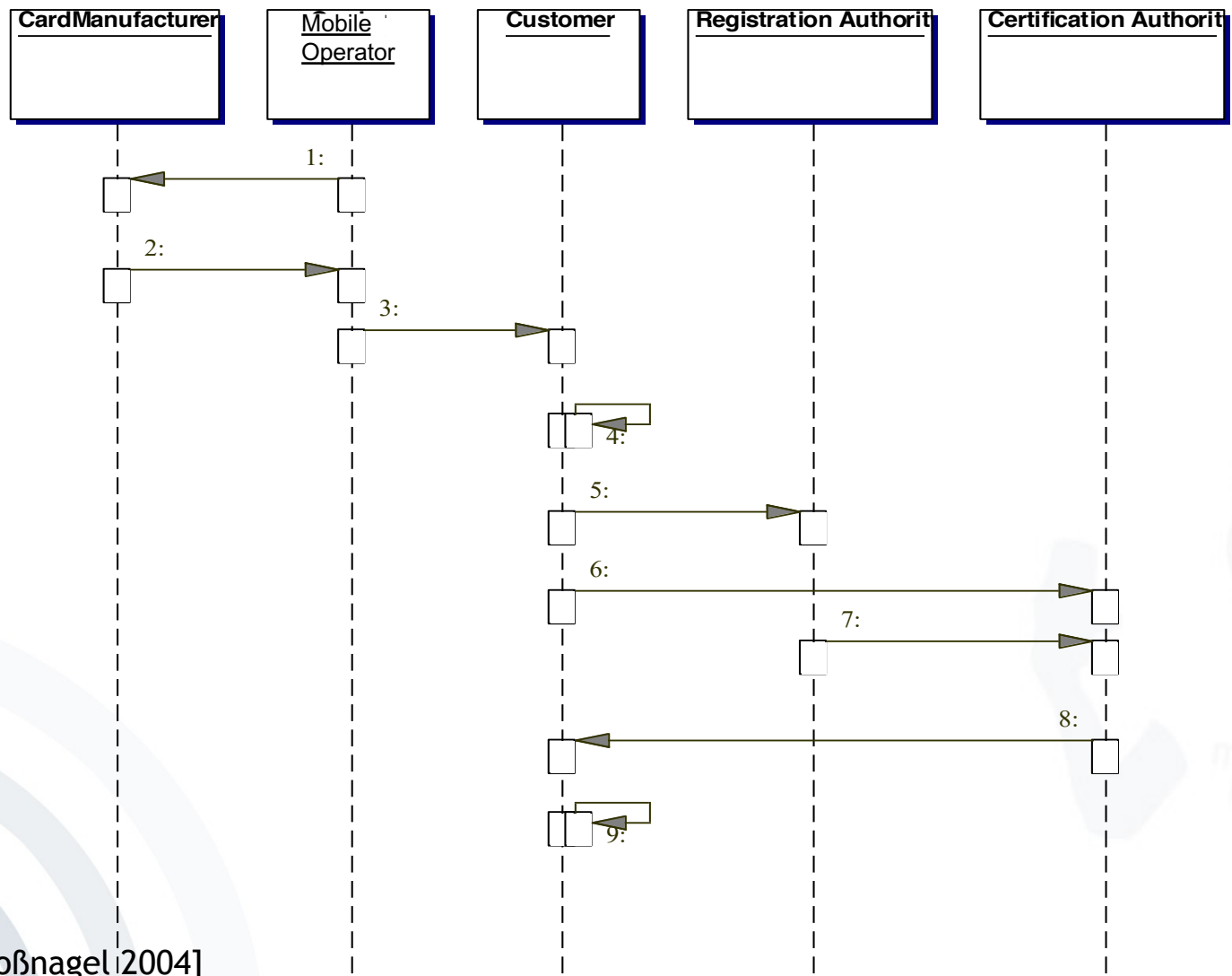
COVER für
2 oder 3 Simkarten

- One smart card with both functions
 - Can be equivalent to established SSCDs
 - Can be certified according to security evaluation criteria
 - Under control of the user
- Needs two different PIN codes!

- Who owns the smart card?
 - SIM issued by Mobile Operator (MO)
 - SSCD issued by CSP
 - SIM stores keys that belong to MO & user.
 - What happens to signature when user changes Mobile Operator?
- Challenge:
Provide a shipment model for SIM cards within the MO distribution scheme that gives users a choice of their CSP.

- Customer wants to use SIM right away, but certification for signature takes time.
- Solution:
 - Handing out the signature capable SIM Card and
 - adding signing functionality later on request.
- Is this still an advanced signature based on a qualified certificate?

Certification on Demand



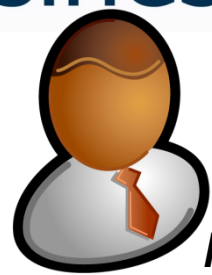
[Roßnagel 2004]

1. The MO gives IMSI/Ki pairs to a card manufacturer (or lets them be generated there based on information from the MO).
2. The card manufacturer returns (or provides) a SIM card containing an IMSI/Ki pair, a key generator for the signature application and the public key of the RootCA to the Mobile Operator.
3. The SIM card is sold to the customer and the Mobile Operator provides a nullpin, that is used to activate the signing functionality.
4. The customer activates the signing functionality by entering the nullpin.
5. The customer registers at a Registration Authority of his choice, providing identification information and his public key.
6. The customer sends his identification information signed with his private key over the air to the Certification Authority.
7. The Registration Authority sends the public key and the identification information to the Certification Authority.
8. If the information provided by the customer and the Registration Authority match the Certification Authority issues a certificate for the customer and sends it over the air to his mobile phone.
9. The user can verify the validity of his certificate by checking the certificate issued by the RootCA for the Certification Service Provider

- Distribution scheme of Mobile Operator stays intact.
- Signature capable SIM will be more expensive but MO can create revenue with:
 - Increase in traffic
 - Selling signature capable SIM cards at a higher price
- CSP gains large potential customer base

- Restrictions in mobile devices
 - Visualization of complex “Document To Be Signed” (DTBS) on mobile device’s small display is tricky.
 - Online-verification of certification paths with low-band data rates is not always feasible.
 - Limited memory may hinder the proper processing of revocation lists.
- Platform security
 - Mobile phones are becoming open platforms
 - A trusted device is necessary (➔ TCG/Perseus)

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Mr. Schulz

Presentation Problems

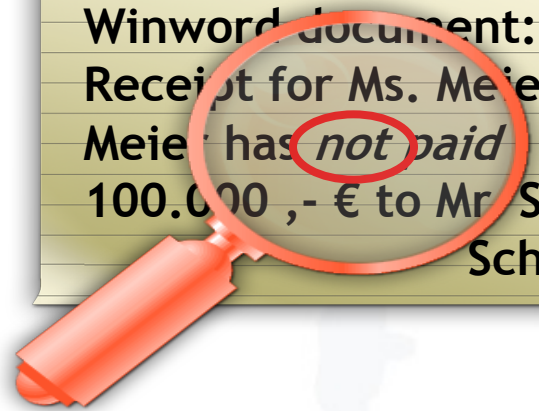
Winword document
Receipt for Ms. Meier:
Ms. Meier has paid
100.000 ,- € to Mr. Schulz.
Schulz



Ms. Meier



Winword document:
Receipt for Ms. Meier: Ms.
Meier has *not paid*
100.000 ,- € to Mr. Schulz.
Schulz



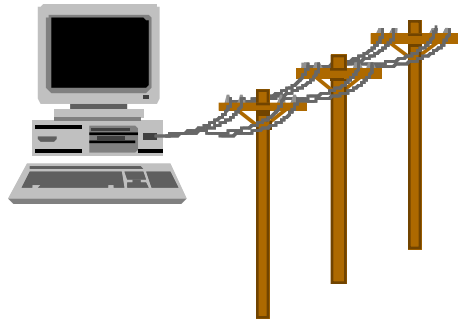
But check for hidden text !!!!

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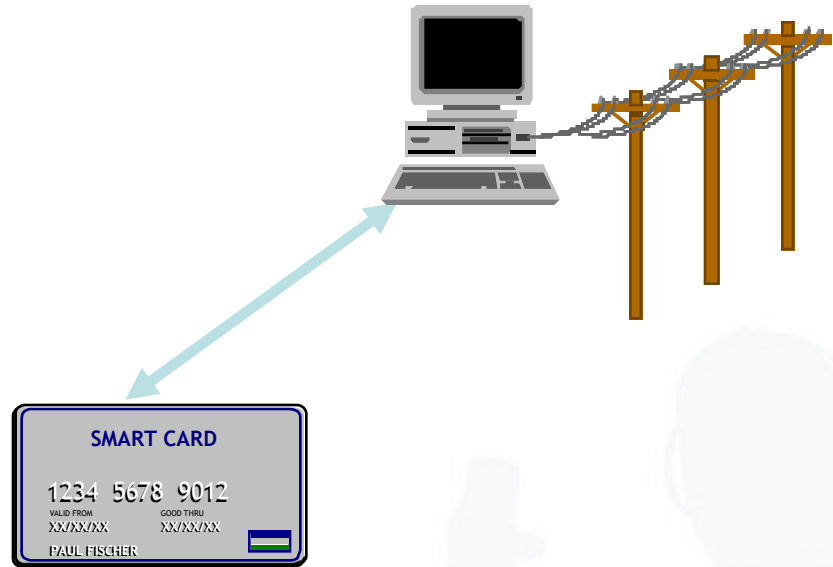
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Secure Equipment: Threats from Trojan Horses

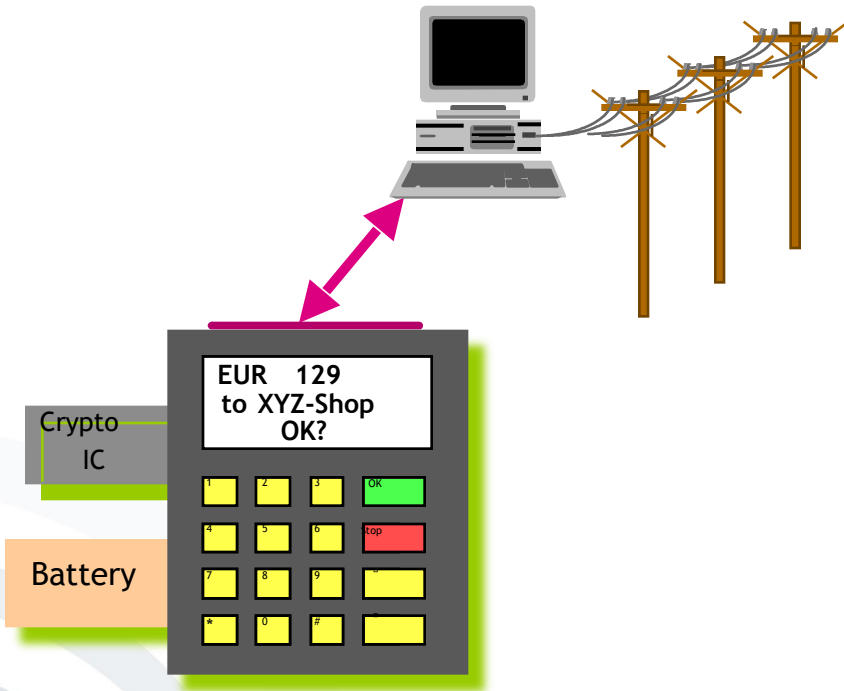


**Private key
on HD, in memory**



**Private key and
signature function in chip card**

Secure Equipment: Avoiding Threats from Trojan Horses



Wallet with
private key and
signature function

Secure Equipment: How to view a document

Order

- Buyer's organization, address, country*
- Tel./fax/email/URL*
- Company registration no.*
- VAT-No.*
- Buyer's name*
- Certificate*
- Seller's organization, address, country*
- Seller's name*
- Date*
- Buyer's reference number*
- Content description*
- Seller's article number*
- Buyer's article number*
- Number of items*
- Unit of item*
- Item price*
- Tax*
- Freight and delivery*
- Total*
- Currency*
- Shipping address*
- Comments*
- Appended files*
- Applicable Law*
- Agreed means of payment*
- Payment agreed by*
- Buyer's signature*

Split User Interface

← All fields on normal screen

Essential fields on secure hardware

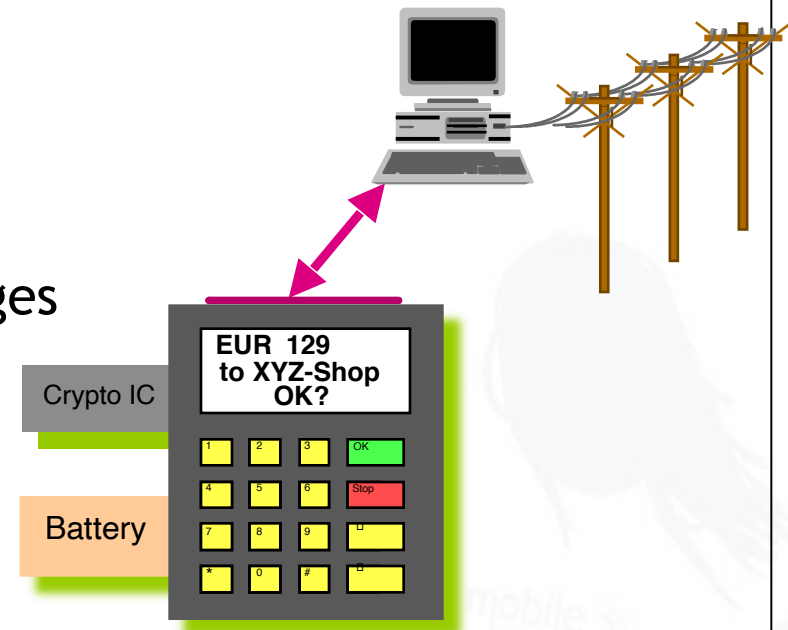


Order

- Buyer
- Certificate
- Date
- Description
- Total
- Currency
- Signature

A popular vision: Security Assistants

- Storing personal data
 - Addresses, calendars
 - Money, keys
 - Preferences ...
- Performs sensitive processes
 - Decoding of confidential messages
 - Signature creation
 - Contract confirmation
- Assists negotiations
 - Documents which are accepted by other parties
 - Methods of payment
 - Reachability



- Usability
 - Portability
 - Good visibility of important information (“new network”)
 - Adequate representation of the functionality
- Protection from
 - Unauthorized access to stored data
 - Manipulation of the functionality (e.g. “Trojan Horses”)
 - Denial-of-Service attacks
- Trust (of non-experts)
 - Does the equipment what it shall do?
 - How (much) can I trust it?

- Personal digital assistants
- Mobile phones
- Watches
- Pens
- Chip cards
- ...



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