

Performance, standards and testing: current status in biometrics

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Agenda



- From Biometric Rumors to Reality
- Mobile Biometrics
- Mobile Payment Protocol
 - Privacy compliant protocol according to the FIDO Universal Authentication Framework (UAF)
 - a suggestion for a „European derivate of Apple Pay“

Answers on Biometric Rumors

Security ?

Operators **may** think:

*„Biometrics are not as **secure**
as PINs“*



Benchmark of Biometrics and PIN (cont.)



There are striking arguments why biometric authentication is **better** than the PIN

- The **entropy** of a 4 or 6-digit PIN is very **limited**
 - Even for a 6 digit numeric PIN (e.g. with the German eID card) the entropy $H = L * \log_2 N$ is limited to less than **20bit** (with $L=6$, $N=10$)
 - The reported entropy for different biometric characteristics is
 - Fingerprints 84bit [Ratha2001], Iris **249bit** [Daugman2006]
Face 56bit [Adler2006], **Voice 127bit** [Nautsch2015]

[Ratha2001] N. Ratha, J. Connell, R. Bolle: An analysis of minutiae matching strength. In: Audio- and Video-Based Biometric Person Authentication, vol. 2091, pp. 223–228. Springer, (2001)

[Daugman2006] J. Daugman: Probing the uniqueness and randomness of iriscodes: Results from 200 billion iris pair comparisons. Proc. of the IEEE 94(11), 1927–1935 (2006)

[Adler2006] A. Adler, R. Youmaran, S. Loyka: Towards a measure of biometric information. In: Canadian Conference on Electrical and Computer Engineering, (CCECE'06). pp. 210–213 (2006)

[Nautsch2015] A. Nautsch, C. Rathgeb, R. Saeidi, C. Busch: Entropy Analysis of I-Vector Feature Spaces in Duration-Sensitive Speaker Recognition, in 40th IEEE ICASSP Conference, 19-24 April 2015, Brisbane, Australia, (2015)

Benchmark of Biometrics and PIN (cont.)



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- PINs can be **delegated** in violation of the security policy
 - „*This transaction was done by Mr. Popov, who was mis-using my card*“
 - biometric authentication enables **non-repudiation** of transactions



Biometrics are **better** than PINs !

Data Privacy and Data Protection ?

Operators **may** think:

*„Biometric systems are **not compliant**
to data privacy principles“*



Data Protection Requirements



Requirements for data privacy and data protection are **formulated** in:

- Directive 95/46/EC: On the protection of individuals with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data
- EU data protection regulation **under development** - since 2012
http://ec.europa.eu/justice/data-protection/document/review2012/com_2012_11_en.pdf
- Regulation 45/2001: on the protection of individuals with regard to the processing of personal data by the Community institutions and bodies and on the free movement of such data
<http://eur-lex.europa.eu/LexUriServ/LexUriServ.do?uri=OJ:L:2001:008:0001:0022:en:PDF>
- Directive 2002/58/EC: concerning the processing of personal data and the protection of privacy in the electronic communications sector
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Biometric Template Protection



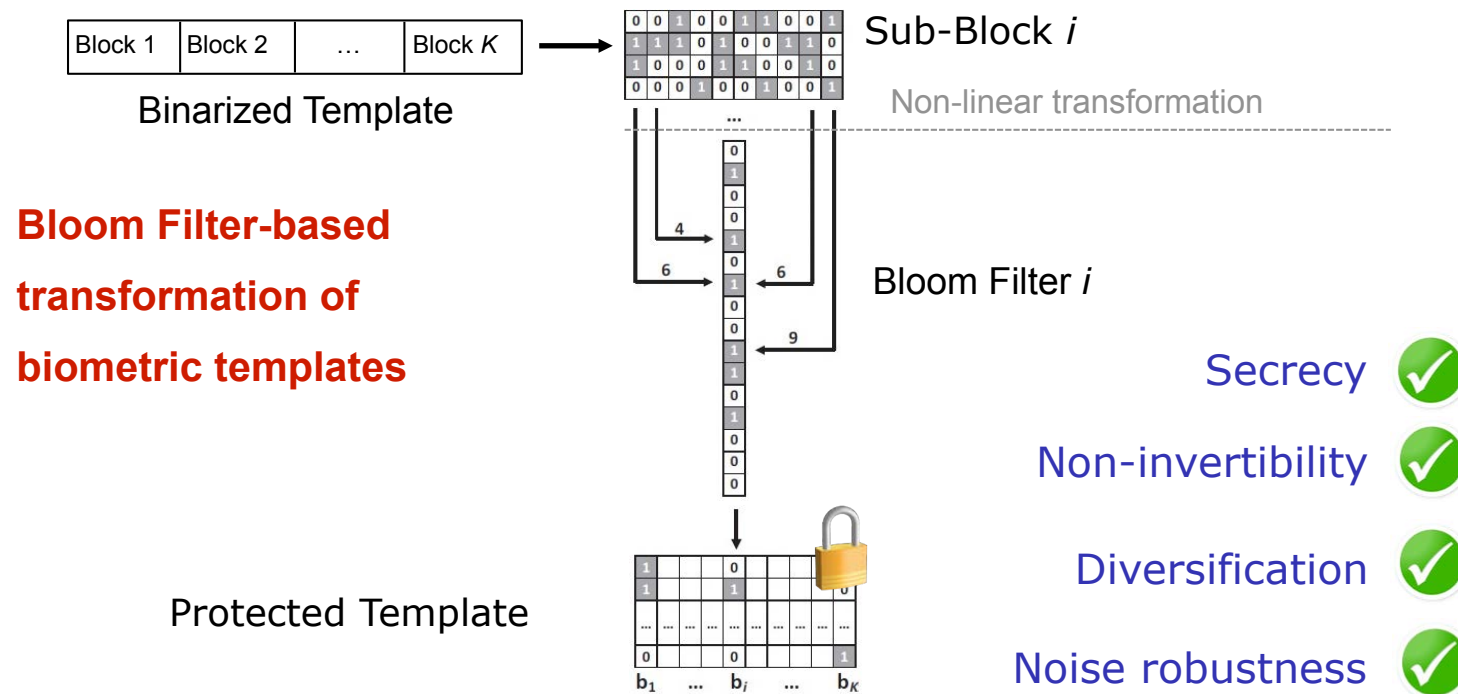
We do **NOT** store fingerprint, iris or face **images**

- we **transform** templates to **pseudonymous identifiers** (PI)
- we reach
 - **Secrecy**: biometric references (PI) can be compared without decryption.
 - **Diversifiability / Unlinkability**: Unique pseudonymous identifier can be created for each application to prevent database cross-comparison
 - **Renewability**: we can revoke and renew template data.
 - **Non-invertibility**: Original biometric sample can not be reconstructed
- [Br2008] J. Breebaart, C. Busch, J. Grave, E. Kindt: "A Reference Architecture for Biometric Template Protection based on Pseudo Identities", in BIOSIG-2008, GI-LNI, (2008)
<http://www.christoph-busch.de/files/Breebaart-BTPReferenceArchitecture-BIOSIG-2008.pdf>
- [RaBBB2013] C. Rathgeb, F. Breiting, C. Busch, H. Baier: "On the Application of Bloom Filters to Iris Biometrics", in IET Journal on Biometrics 3(1), (2014)
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Biometric Template Protection

Protection at the same accuracy level is possible

- Bloom filter-based **pseudonymous identifiers**



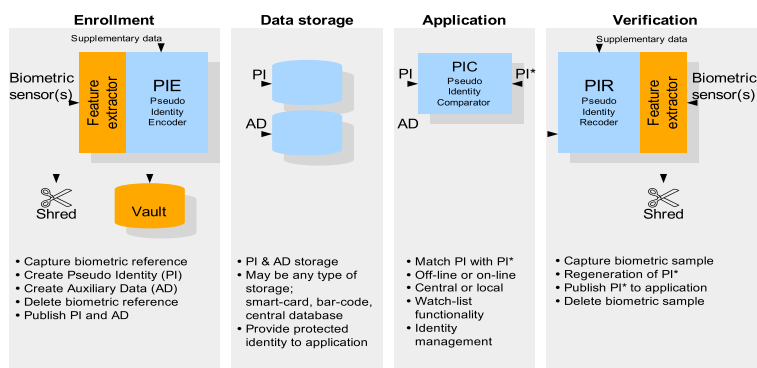
Biometric Template Protection
enables revocability in biometric systems!

Data Protection Requirements

A technical guideline, how to implement requirements for data privacy and data protection is **formulated** in:



- ISO/IEC 24745: Biometric Information Protection, (2011)
http://www.iso.org/iso/home/store/catalogue_tc/catalogue_detail.htm?csnumber=52946



ISO/IEC 24745
Biometric Information Protection !



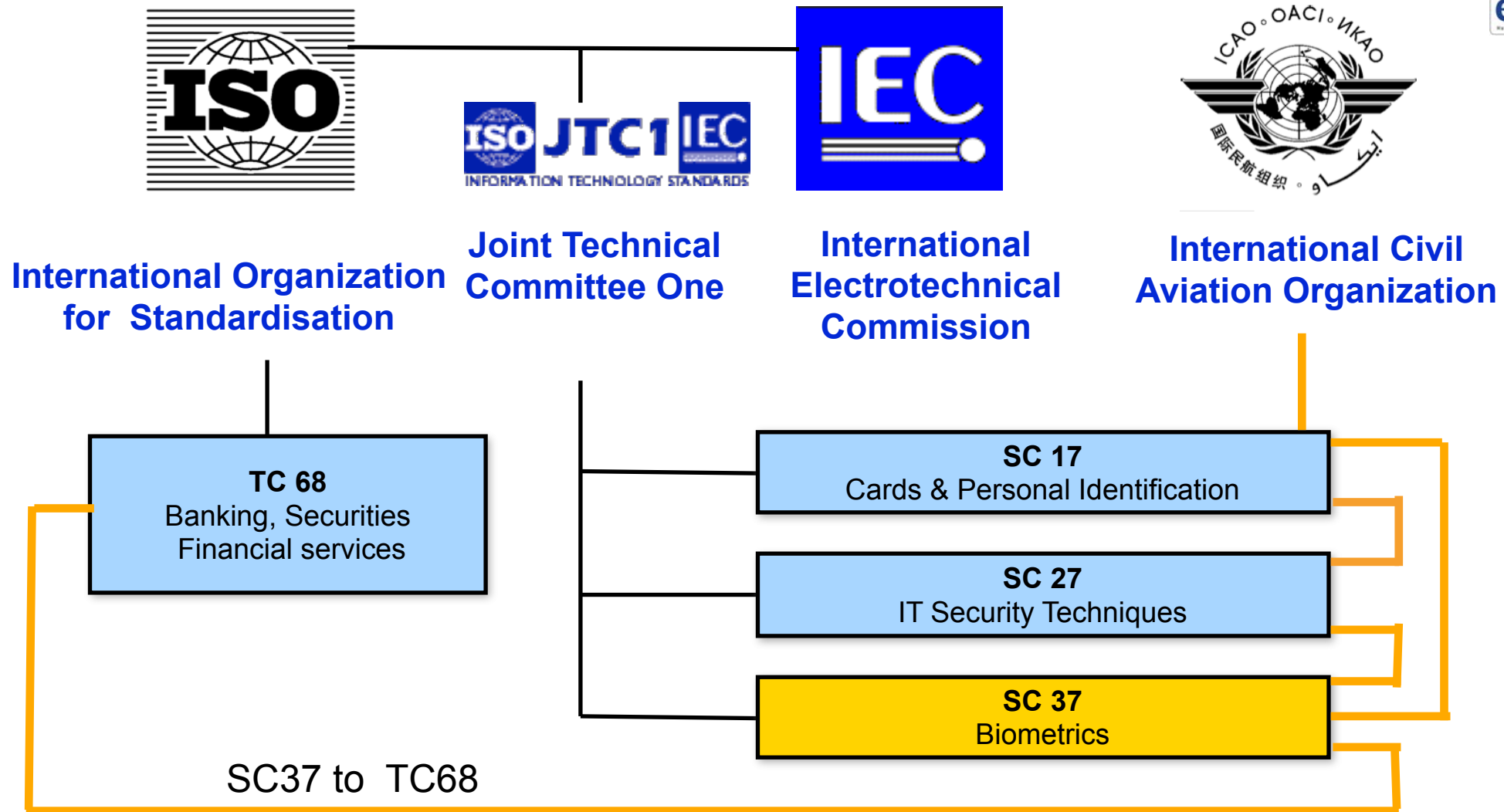
Standards ?

Operators **may** think:

*„There are no **standards** on
biometrics“*

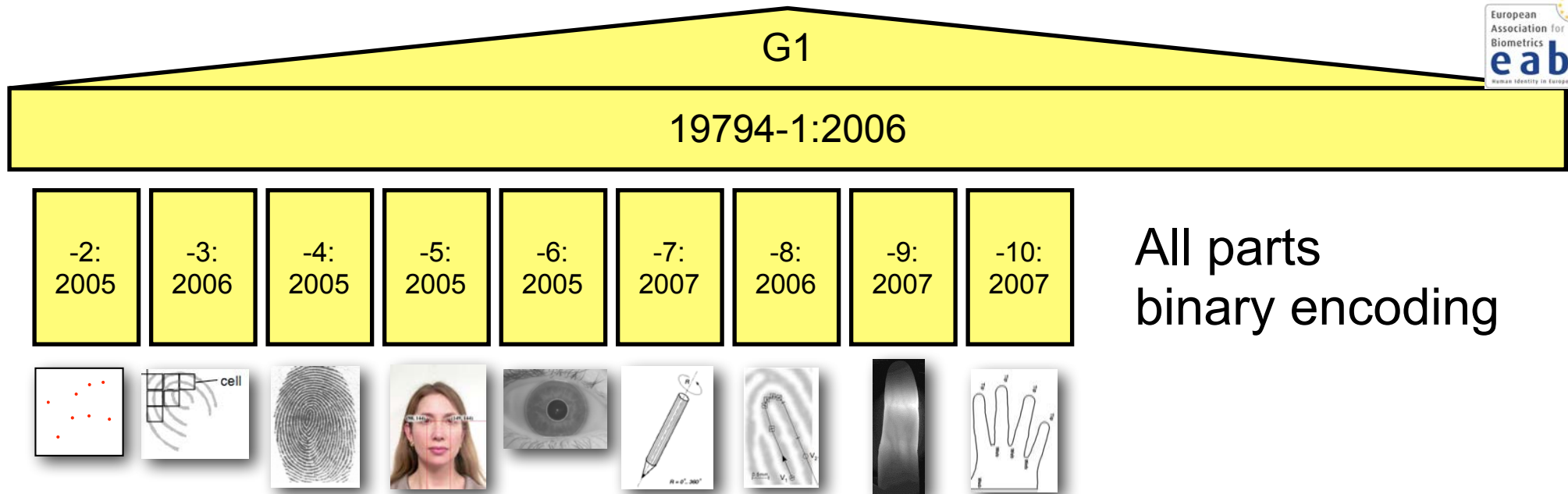


Biometric Standardisation



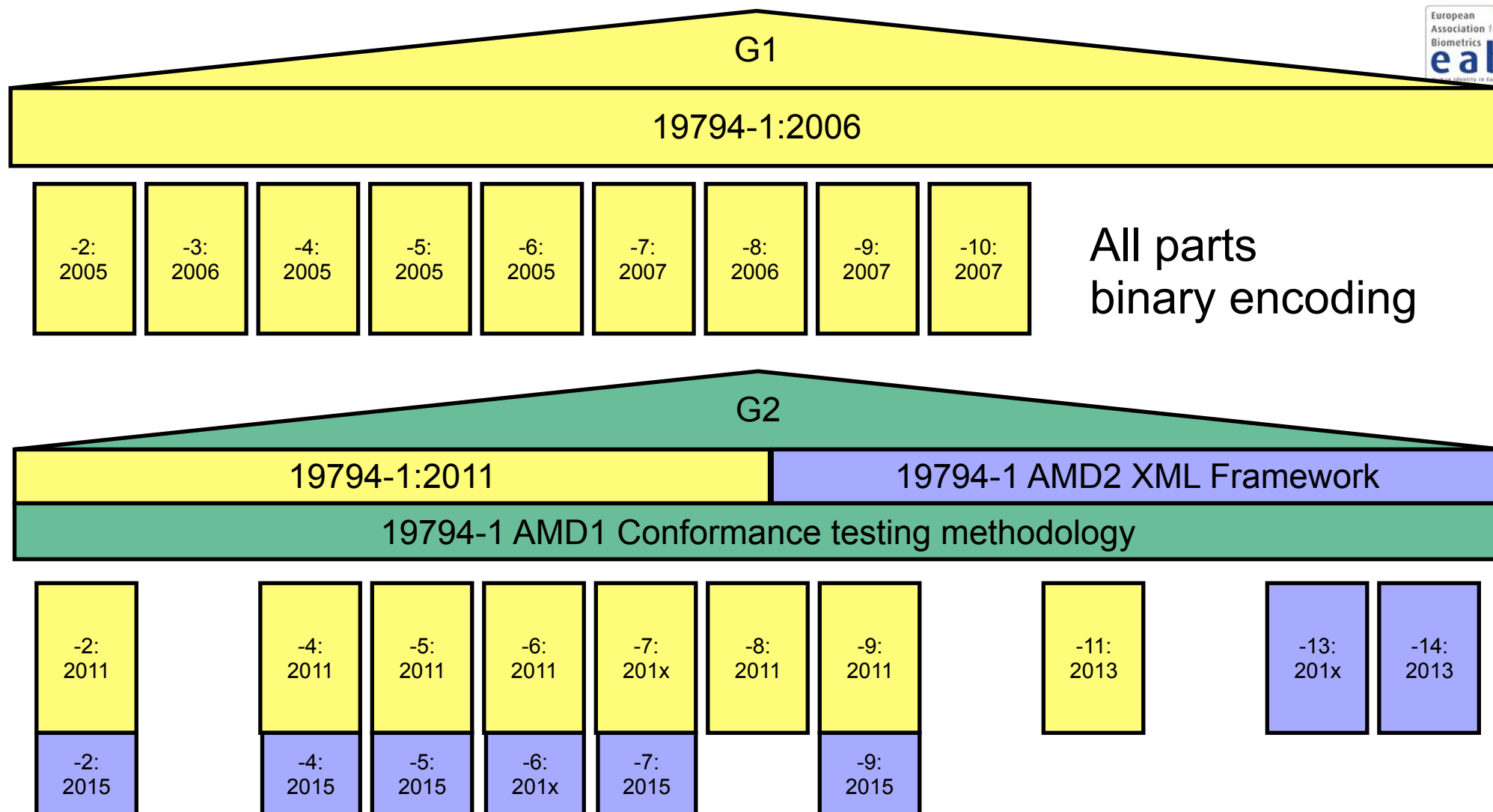
— SC 37 Formal Liaisons

ISO/IEC Interchange Format Standards



The 19794-Family: Biometric data interchange formats

Generation 2 of ISO/IEC 19794



the semantic is equivalent for binary encoded and XML encoded records

Biometric Performance Testing Standard



ISO/IEC 19795-x, Information technology - Biometric performance testing and reporting

- Part 1: Principles & Framework
 - Guidance applicable to the broad range of tests
- Part 2: Testing Methodologies for Technology and Scenario Evaluation
 - Multiple visits, habituation, enrolment
- Part 3: Modality-Specific Testing
 - Modality (& application) specific methodologies
- Part 4: Interoperability Performance Testing
 - Performance on other vendors data
- Part 5: Framework for biometric device performance evaluation for access control
- Part 6: Testing Methodologies for Operational Evaluation
- Part 7: Testing of ISO/IEC 7816-based Verification Algorithms

Categorization

- Technology testing
 - **Algorithmic level** verification error
 - False-Match-Rate (FMR) - algorithm accepts „zero-effort“ impostor
 - False-Non-Match-Rate (FNMR) - algorithm rejects true identity
- Scenario testing and operational testing
 - **System level** verification error
 - False-Accept-Rate (FAR)
 - False-Reject-Rate (FRR)
 - System level error requires observation of:
 - Sample generation: Failure-to-Capture (FTC)
 - Enrolment: Failure-to-Enrol (FTE) - no reference for this subject
 - Verification: Failure-to-Acquire (FTA) - no probe feature vector

Performance Metrics

Probability Density Distribution Function (PDF)

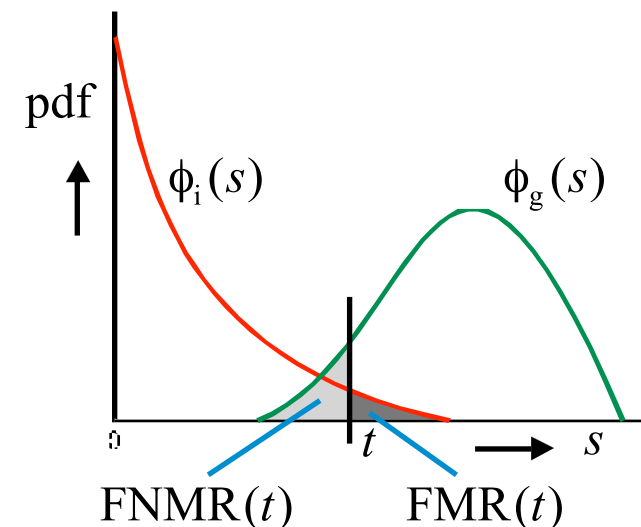
$\Phi_g(s)$: PDF of genuine similarity score $s(Q, R)$

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False-Match-Rate (FMR)

- **Def in ISO/IEC 2382-37:** *proportion of the completed biometric **non-mated comparison trials** that result in a **false match***
- Note: non-mated comparison trials are also referred to as **impostor** trials

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Performance Metrics

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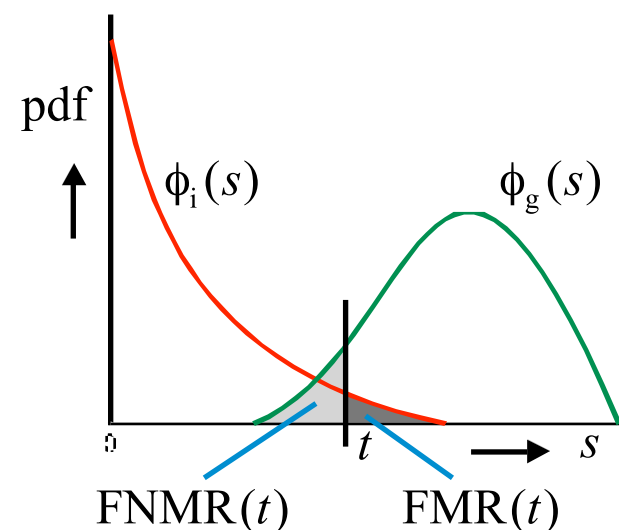
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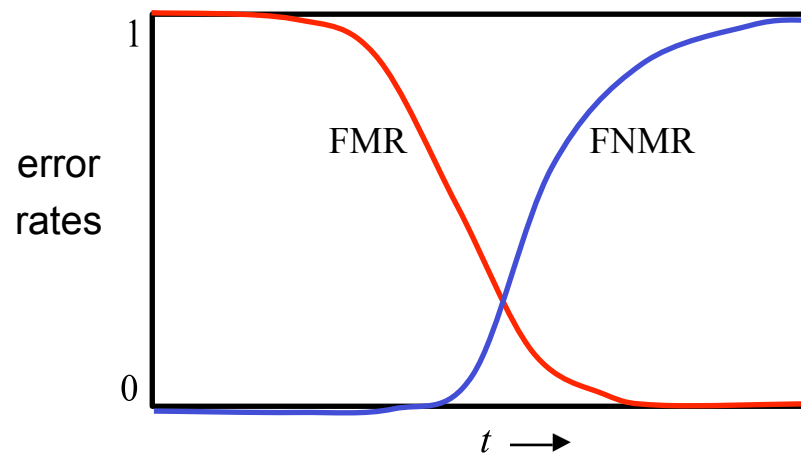
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Performance Metrics

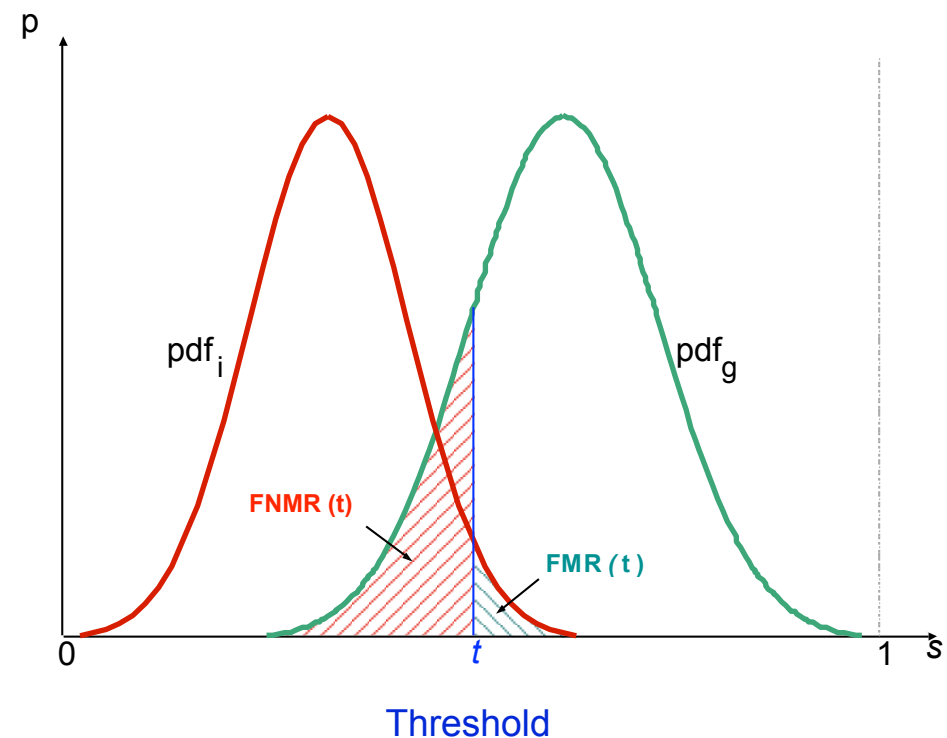
Algorithm error rates

- Equal-Error-Rate (EER)
 - both errors (FMR and FNMR) are equal
 - single number
- FNMR @ FMR=0,001
 - more reasonable single number
- Constraints:



$$FMR(0) = 1, FMR(1) = 0$$

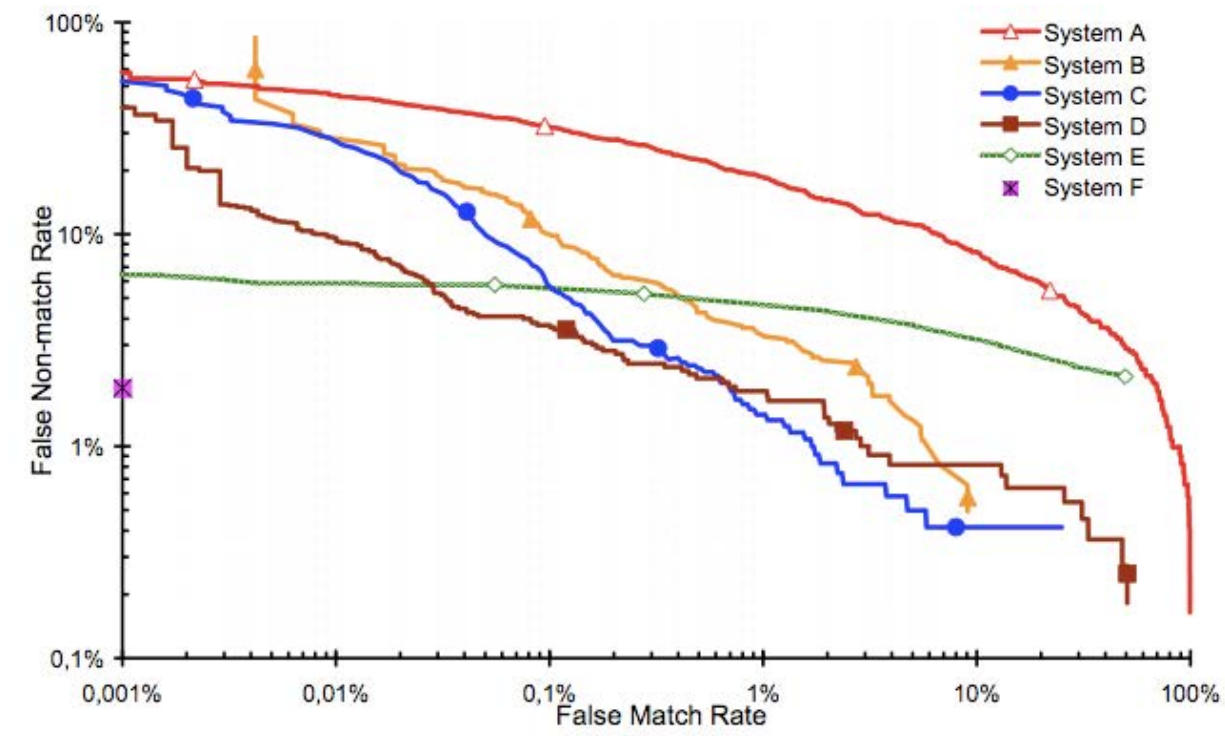
$$FNMR(0) = 0, FNMR(1) = 1$$



Graphical Presentation

DET curve (detection error trade-off curve)

- modified ROC curve which plots error rates on both axes
(**false positives** on the x-axis
and **false negatives** on the y-axis)



- Extensive test results: <http://www.nist.gov/itl/iad/ig>

Gummy Finger Production in 2000 !

Attack **without** support of an enrolled individual

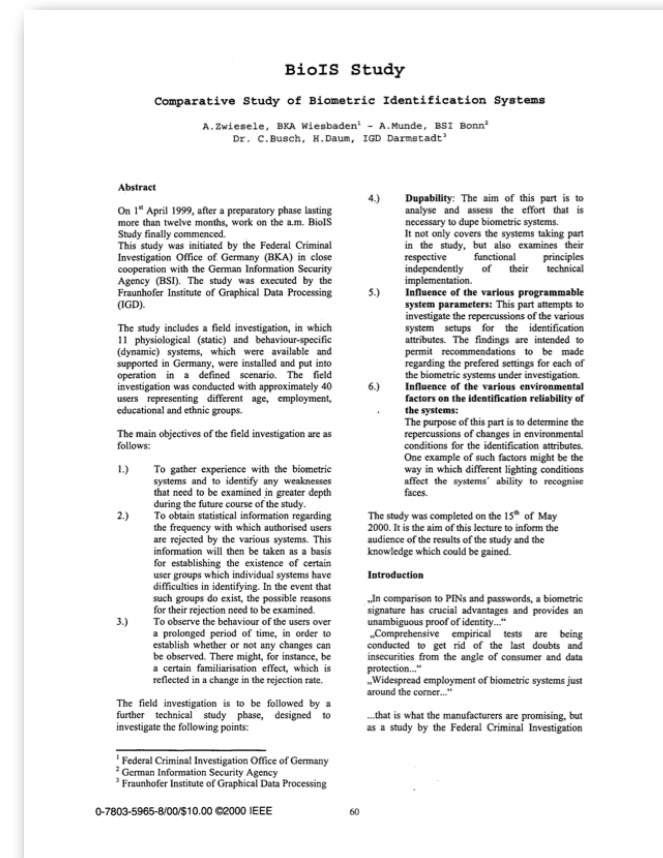
- Recording of an analog fingerprint from flat surface material
 - z.B. glass, CD-cover, etc.
with iron powder and tape
- Scanning and post processing:
 - Correction of scanning errors
 - Closing of ridge lines (as needed)
 - Image inversion
- Print on transparent slide
- Photochemical production of a platine



Gummy Finger Production in 2000 !

Reported in a publication by BKA

- A. Zwiesele et al. „BioIS Study - Comparative Study of Biometric Identification Systems“, In: 34th Annual 2000 IEEE International Carnahan Conference on Security Technology, Ottawa, pp. 60-63, (2000)



Attacks on the Biometric Sensor



ISO/IEC 30107 - Biometric Presentation Attack Detection

Scope

- terms and **definitions** that are useful in the specification, characterization and evaluation of presentation attack detection methods;
- a common **data format** for conveying the type of approach used and the assessment of presentation attack in data formats;
- principles and **methods** for performance **assessment** of presentation attack detection algorithms or mechanisms; and

Outside the scope are

- standardization of specific PAD detection methods;
- detailed information about countermeasures (i.e. anti-spoofing techniques), algorithms, or sensors;
- overall system-level security or vulnerability assessment.

Presentation Attack Detection



Definitions in ISO/IEC 30107 PAD - Part 1: Framework

- **presentation attack**
*presentation to the biometric capture subsystem with the goal of **interfering** with the operation of the biometric system*
- **presentation attack detection (PAD)**
*automated **determination of** a presentation **attack***

Definitions in ISO/IEC 2382-37: Vocabulary

<http://www.christoph-busch.de/standards.html>

- **impostor**
*subversive biometric capture subject who attempts to being matched to **someone else's** biometric reference*
- **identity concealer**
*subversive biometric capture subject who attempts to **avoid being matched** to their own biometric reference*

Presentation Attack Detection

ISO/IEC 30107 - Definitions

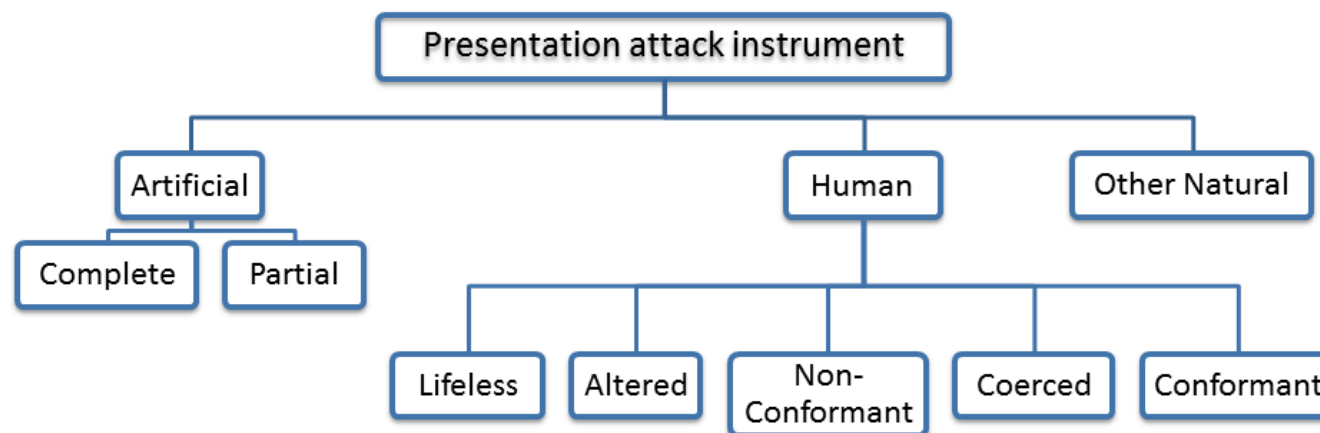
- **presentation attack instrument (PAI)**
*biometric characteristic or **object used** in a presentation attack*
- **artefact**
*artificial object or representation presenting a **copy** of biometric characteristics or synthetic biometric patterns*

Types of presentation attacks

(General Noun)

(Adjectives describing categories)

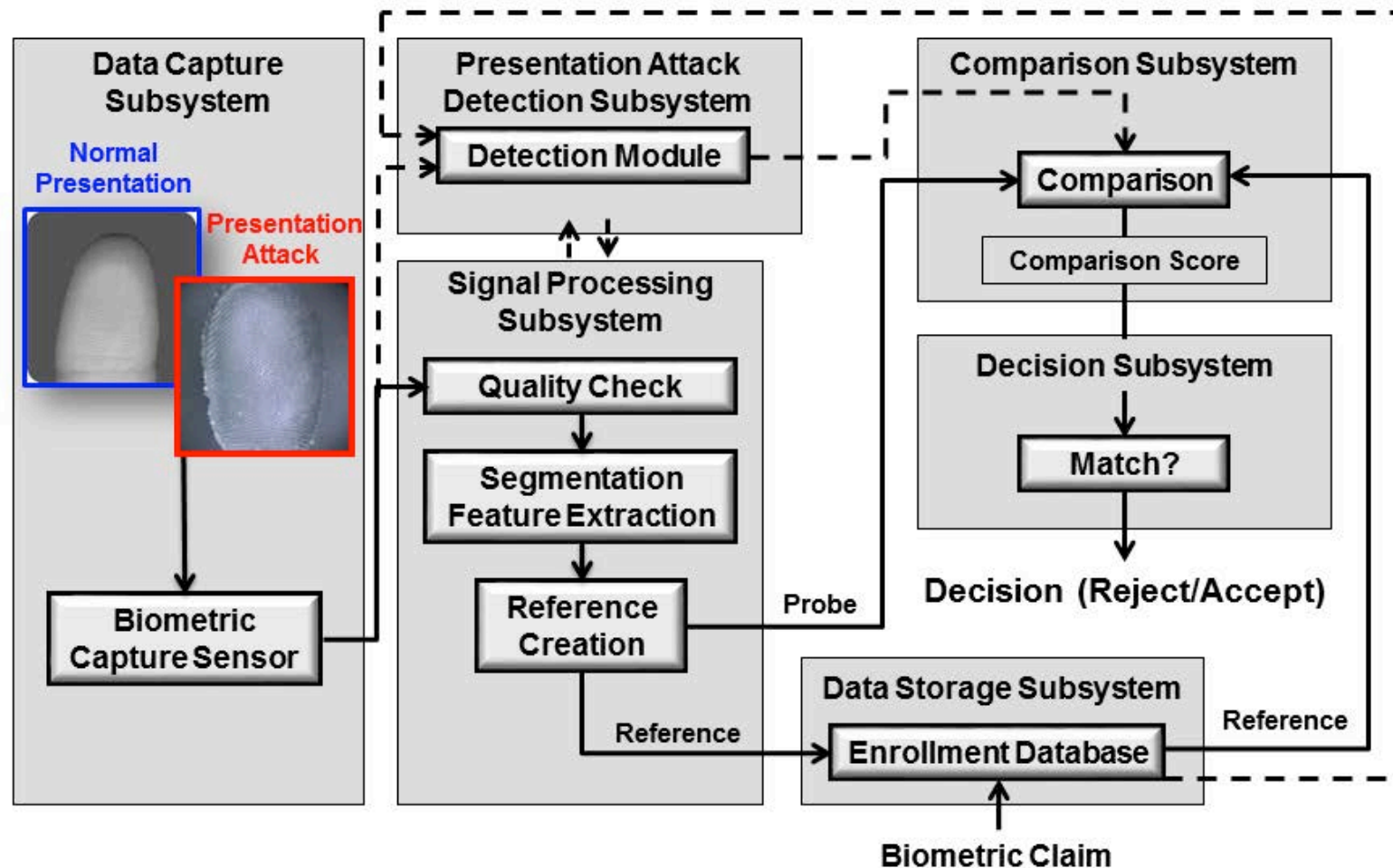
(Qualifying adjectives)



Source: ISO/IEC 30107-1

Presentation Attack Detection

Biometric framework with PAD



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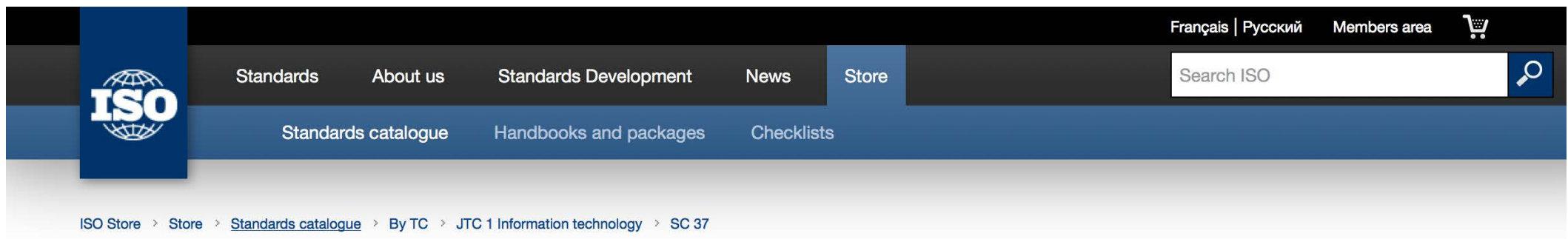
Presentation Attack Detection



ISO/IEC IS 30107-1 Standard

- **soon available in the ISO-Portal**

http://www.iso.org/iso/home/store/catalogue_tc/catalogue_detail.htm?csnumber=53227



ISO/IEC IS 30107-1

Information Technology -- Biometric presentation attack detection -- Part 1: Framework

Presentation Attack Detection - Testing



Methodology in ISO/IEC 30107 Presentation Attack Detection - Part 3: Testing and reporting

- Security Evaluation
 - for evaluations using the **Common Criteria** Framework
 - Protection Profile (PP) (e.g. from German BSI)
 - Security Target (ST)
 - Evaluation Assurance Level (EAL)
 - Assessment of the attack potential
 - „if there is at least **one** aretefact that can **reproducibly successful** attack the PAD-component - then the PAD failed the test“
- Other approaches
 - for evaluations in **academic** and technology development
 - tolerating the **limited statistical significance** of small test set
 - the statistical distribution is unknown and for sure not **normal**
 - „a **score based metric** can tell us, if the method improved“

Presentation Attack Detection - Testing



Definition of harmonized metrics in ISO/IEC 30107-3

- **Attack presentation classification error rate (APCER)**
proportion of attack presentations incorrectly classified as normal presentations at the component level in a specific scenario
- **Normal presentation classification error rate (NPCER)**
proportion of normal presentations incorrectly classified as attack presentations at the component level in a specific scenario

FIDO - on 9th September 2015

What about rubber fingers?

- Protection methods in FIDO
 1. Attacker needs access to the Authenticator and have swipe rubber finger on it. This makes it a non-scalable attack.
 2. Authenticators might implement presentation attack detection methods.

Remember:

Creating hundreds of millions of rubber fingers + stealing the related authenticators is expensive.
Stealing hundreds of millions of passwords from a server is not.

Mobile Biometrics

Smartphone Access Control

Foreground authentication (user **interaction**)

- Deliberate decision to capture (willful act)
- **Camera**-Sensor
 - **Fingerprint** recognition
 - Apples iPhone 5S / Samsung Galaxy 5
 - Finger**photo** analysis
 - Face recognition
 - Iris recognition
- Touchpad: allows signature recognition



Image Source: Apple 2013

Background authentication (**observation** of the user)

- Microphone
 - **Speaker** recognition
- Accelerometer
 - **Gait** recognition
 - concurrent - unobtrusive



Smartphone Access Control - with PAD

Capture process

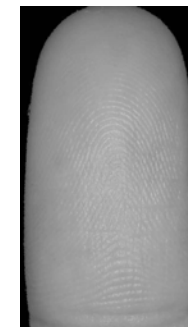
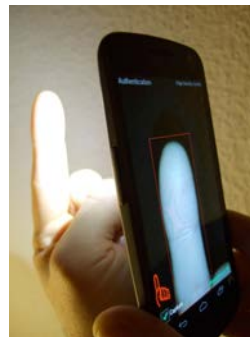
- Camera operating in **macro** modus



Preview image of the camera with LED on (left) and LED off (right)

- LED permanent on

Finger illuminated

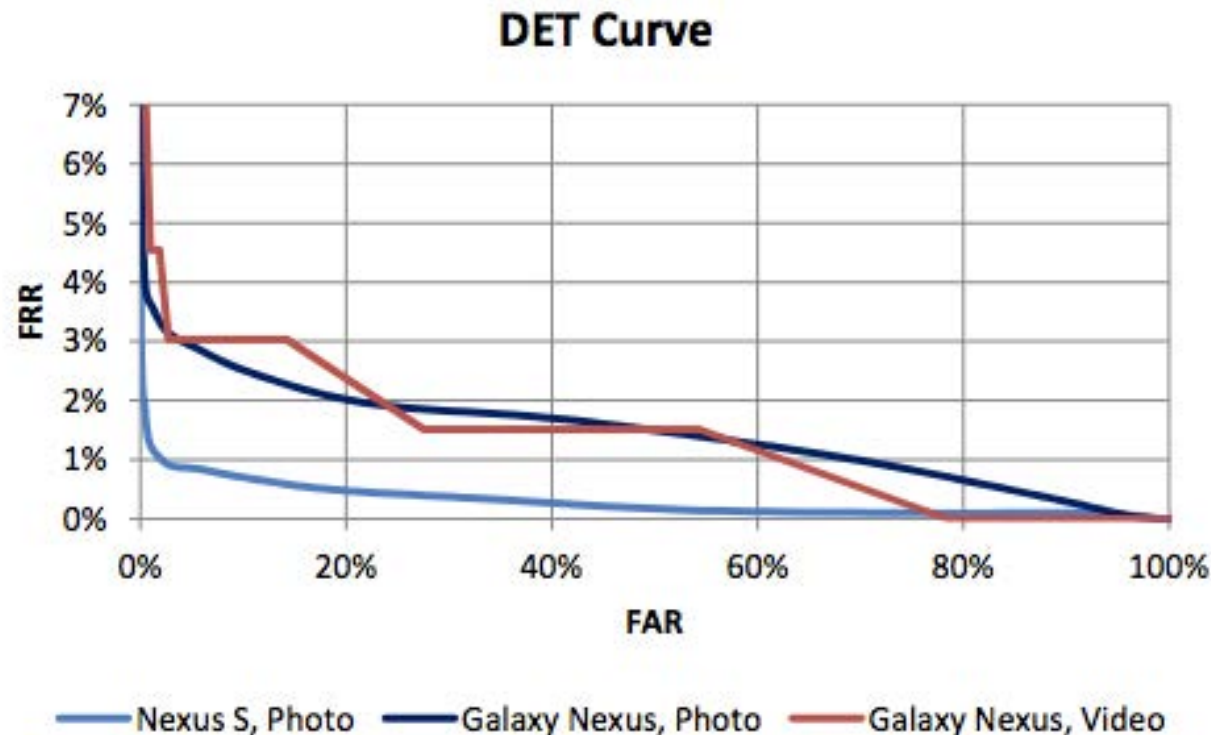


[SNB12] C. Stein, C. Nickel, C. Busch, „Fingerphoto Recognition with Smartphone Cameras“, Proceedings 11th Intern. Conference of the Biometrics Special Interest Group (BIOSIG 2012)

Smart Phone Access Control - with PAD

Finger recognition study - 2012/2013

- Result: **biometric performance** at 1.2% EER



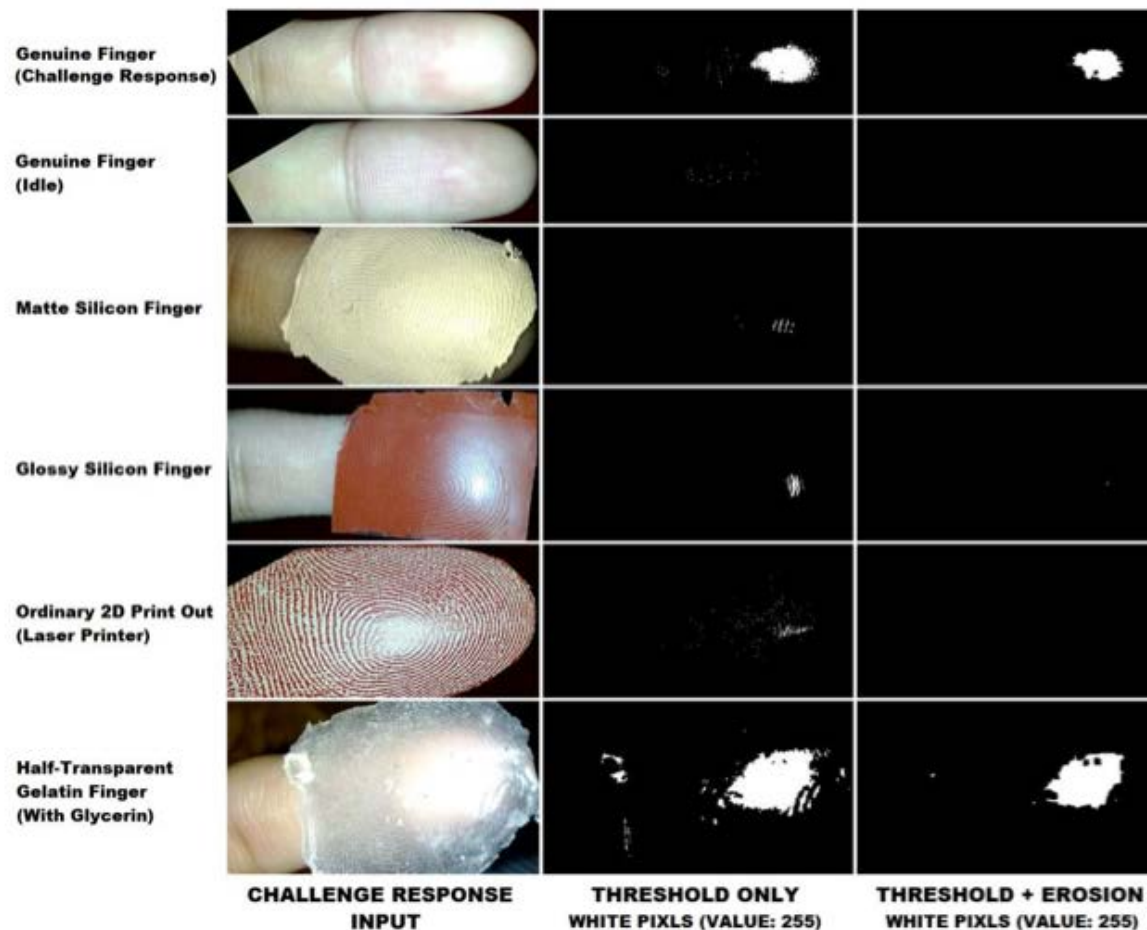
Capture Method and Device	EER from [SC-2012]	EER	FRR (FAR=0.1%)
Photo, Nexus S	22.3%	1.2%	2.7%
Photo, Galaxy Nexus	19.1%	3.1%	6.7%
Video, Galaxy Nexus	-	3.0%	12.1%

[SBB2013] C. Stein, V. Bouatou, C. Busch, „Video-based Fingerphoto Recognition with Anti-spoofing Techniques with Smartphone Cameras“, Proceedings 12th Intern. Conference of the Biometrics Special Interest Group (BIOSIG 2013)

Smart Phone Access Control - with PAD

Finger recognition study - 2012/2013

- Results: Presentation Attack Detection (PAD)



- Conclusion:
better **Presentation Attack Detection** than capacitive sensors

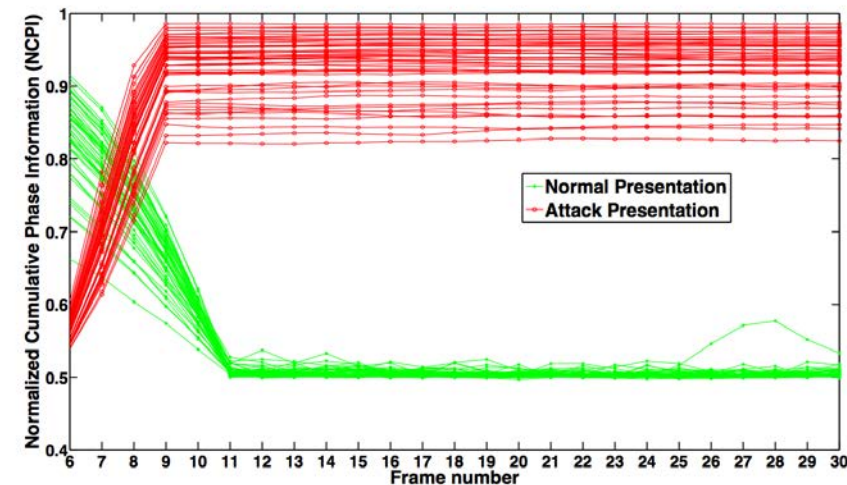
Smart Phone Access Control - with PAD

Eye recognition study - 2015

- Presentation Attack Detection (PAD) videos on iPhone 5 S and Nokia 1020



- Method based on Eulerian Video Magnification (EVM)
 - Normalized Cumulative Phase Information
- Error Rates:
 - APCER = 0 %
 - NPCER = 0 %



[RRB2015] K. Raja, R. Raghavendra, C. Busch: "Video Presentation Attack Detection in Visible Spectrum Iris Recognition Using Magnified Phase Information", in IEEE Transactions on Information Forensics and Security (TIFS), June, (2015)

Mobile Biometric Payment - Biometric Transaction and Authentication Protocol (BTAP)

Transaction-Authentication-Protocol

Biometric Transaction Authentication Protocol (BTAP)

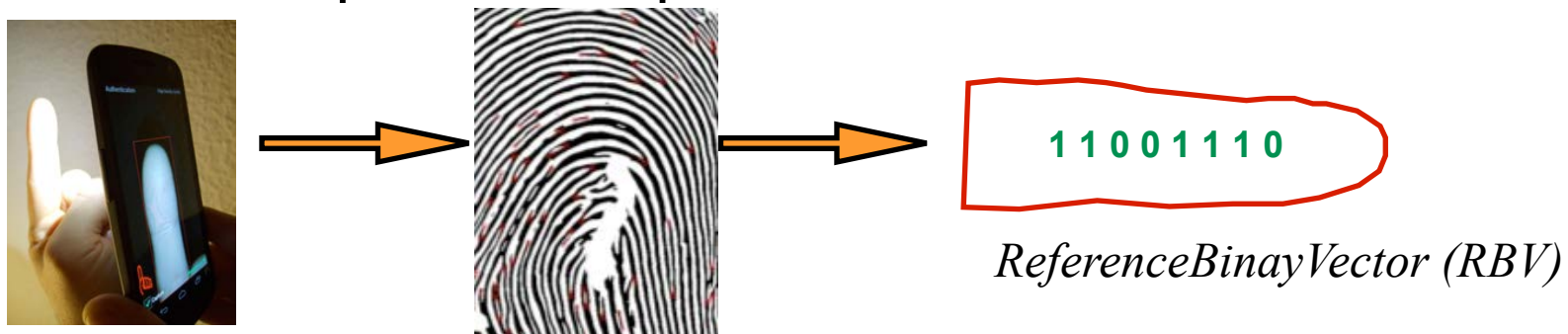
1.) Shared **secret**

- received via subscribed letter from the bank
- entered **once** to the smartphone
 - hash over the secret constitutes a **Pseudonymous Identifier** (PI)



2.) Biometric enrolment

- Biometric samples are captured

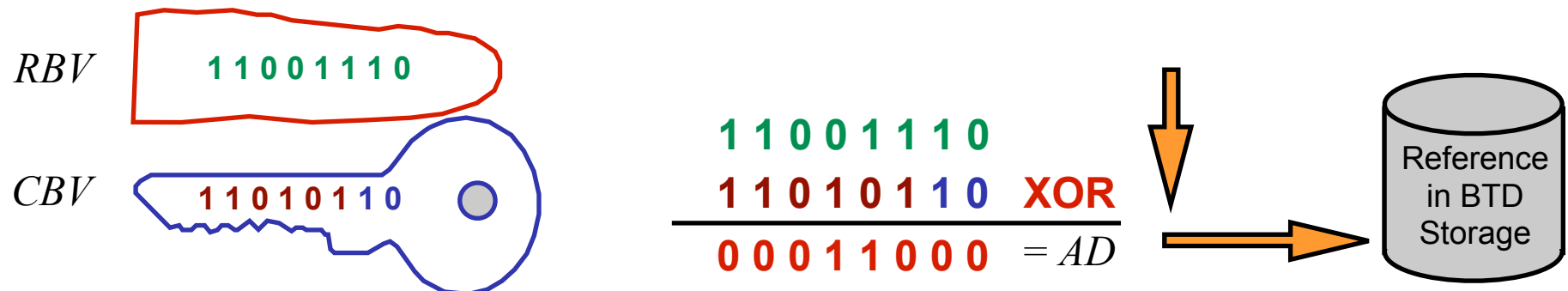


Transaction-Authentication-Protocol

Biometric Transaction Authentication Protocol (BTAP)

3.) Secure storage of **auxilliary data**

- we neither store the confidential secret nor the sensitive biometric data (i.e. feature vector)
- the secret and biometric data are **merged**



- Auxiliary data (AD) stored in the Smartphone
 - Biometric Transaction Device = FIDO Authenticator

Transaction-Verification

BTAP - Transaction

1.) Operations of the **Online-Banking-Software** (BSW)


- Customer generates by interacting with the BSW-Software a new Transaction-Order-Record (TOR)

Transaction-Order 	
ORA: 2.9 Mio EURO	
RAN:	
Bankleitzahl:	500 403 40
Kontonummer:	4538

This TOR consist of:

- Transaction-Identifier (TID), Sender-Account-Number (SAN)
Receiver-Account-Number (IBAN), **Ordered Amount** (ORA)

- BSW transfers TOR to the Online-Banking-Server (OBS)

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Online-Banking
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- BSW transfers TOR to Smartphone (BTD / FIDO Authenticator)

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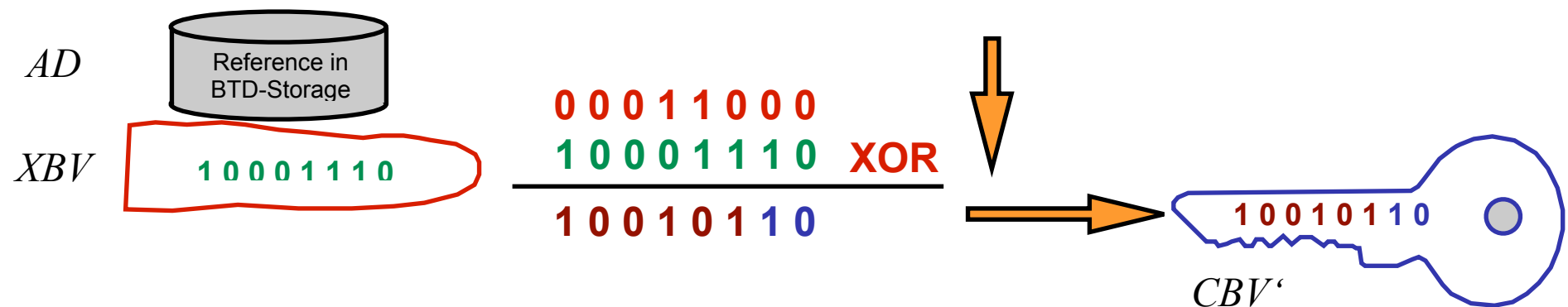


Transaction-Verification

BTAP - Transaction

2.) Operations on the Smartphone (BTD)

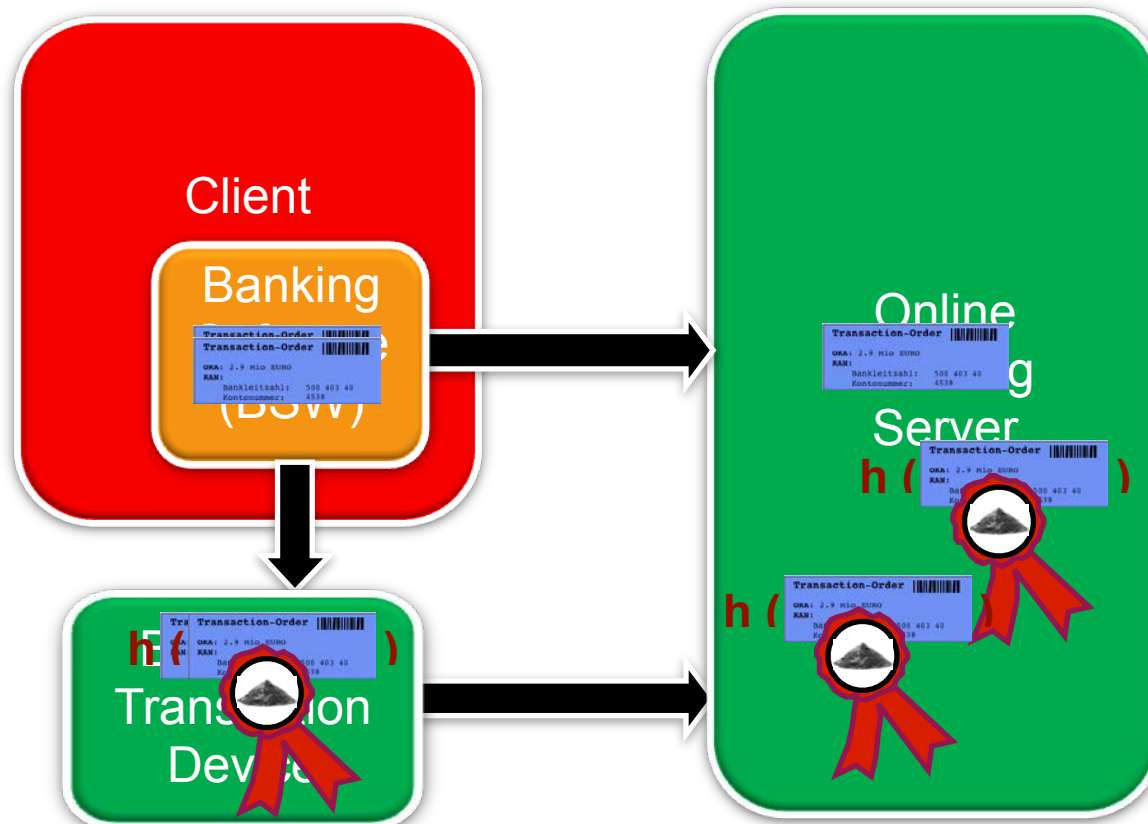
- **Approval** of the intended transaction by capturing a probe sample
- A secret vector CBV' is reconstructed with **XOR** operation from the Auxilliary Data AD that was stored in the BTD and from the binarized feature vector XBV



Transaction-Verification

Key features of BTAP

- independent **two channel** verification
- **reconstruction** of shared secret
- the Pseudonymous Identifier (PI) constitutes a seal
- **seal operation** over the TOR to authenticate the transaction



Transaction-Verification

BTAP-Video

- <http://christoph-busch.de/files/BTAP.mp4>



Conclusion



Biometrics is possible with today's smartphones

- a **multi-biometric** authentication scheme with **scaling factors** is a good choice with respect to security threats

Biometric **standards** are **available**

- financial transaction schemes should follow **technical** standards
- financial transaction schemes should follow **privacy** standards

BTAP follows the two channel concept

- is based on international ISO/IEC **standards**
- is **privacy friendly** as no biometric reference is stored on a banking server

More and detailed information on BTAP at:

<http://www.christoph-busch.de/projects-btap.html>



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