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Rights Management with NFC Smartphones and Electronic ID Cards: A Proof of Concept for Modern Car Sharing

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Contactless Smartcards (and NFC)

- defined in **ISO/IEC 14443** standard
- large scale applications:
 - access control systems
 - electronic passports
 - payment systems
 - ticketing / public transport
- Near Field Communication (NFC) is compatible to ISO/IEC 14443



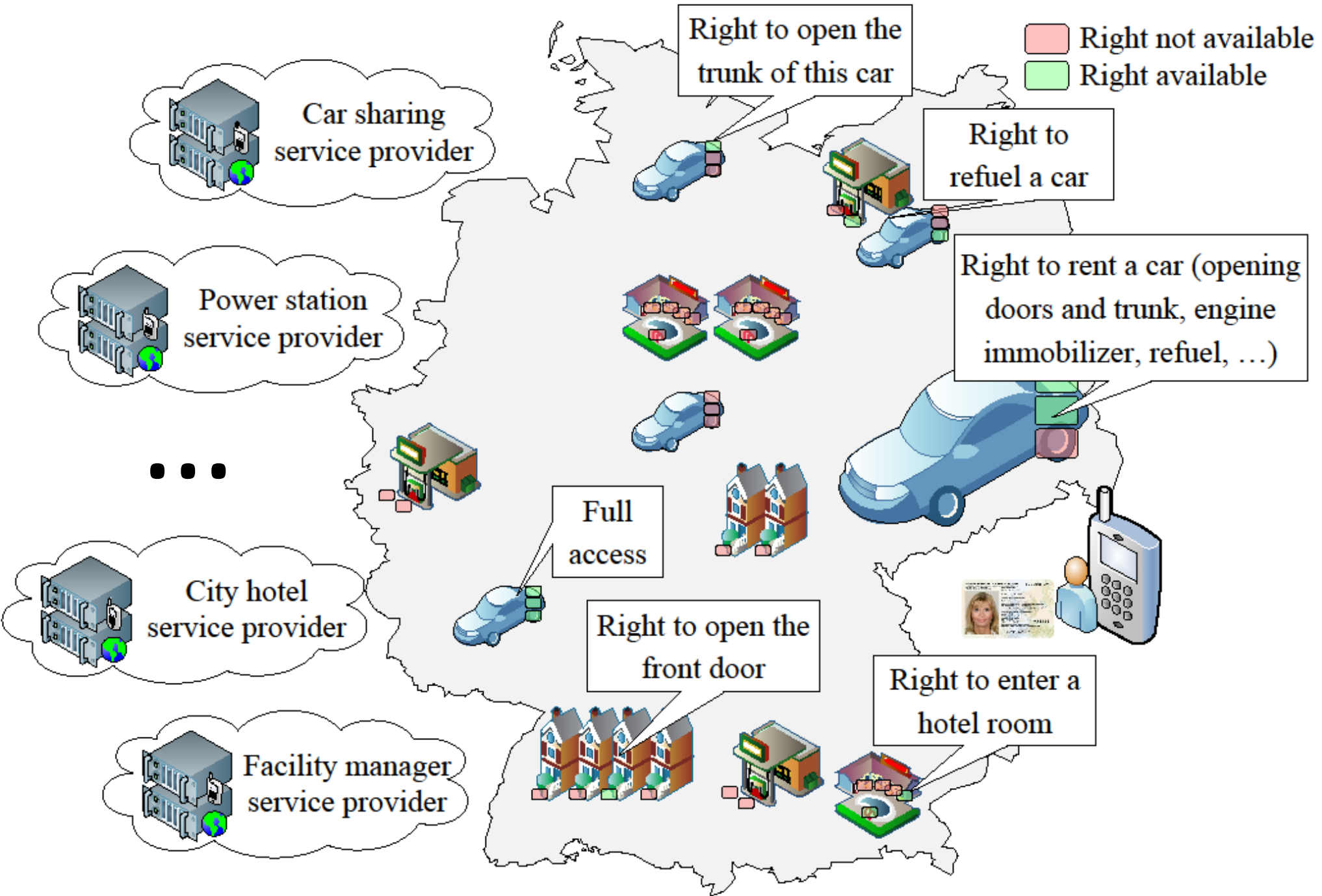
NFC

The infrastructure (cards, readers, ...) is out there

→ Let's use it!



Motivation

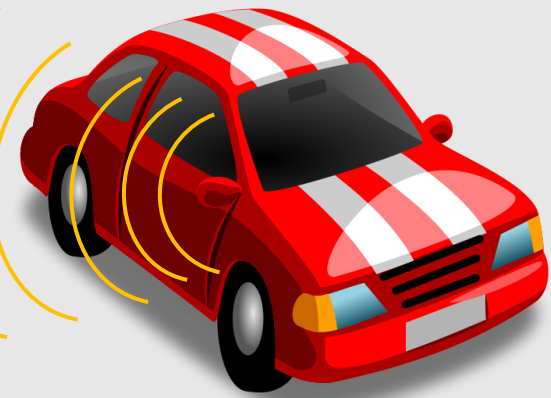


Goals of the Project

- on-line booking application
- correctly identify the customer (billing, ...)
- transfer booked rights to phone
- access booked NFC objects with phone
(including scenarios *without* permanent Internet)
- enable alternatives based on contactless cards
- **proof-of-concept implementation (!)**

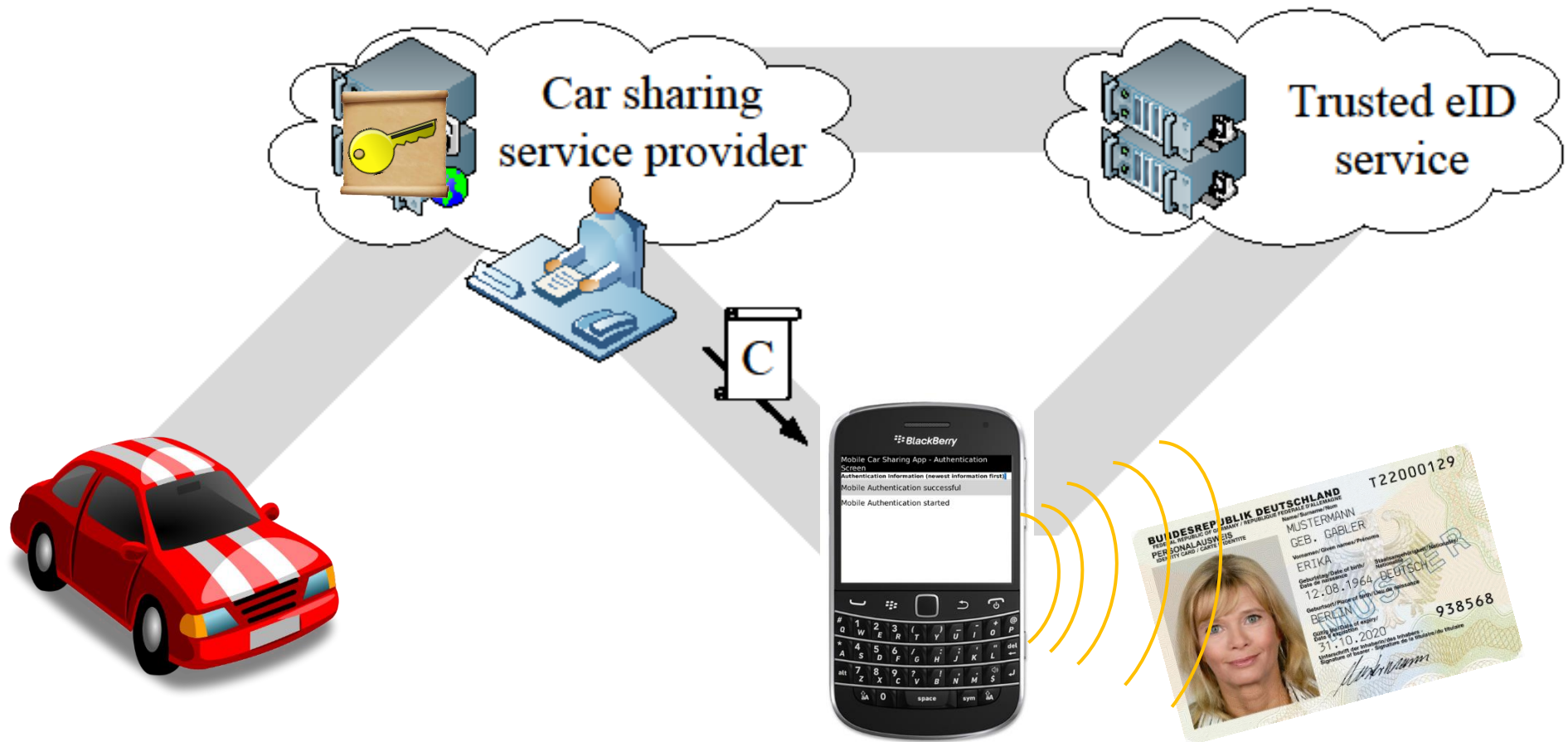
Ingredients

- 1. NFC-smartphone with Internet access (UMTS, GSM, ...)**
here: BlackBerry Bold 9900
- 2. Contactless card with e-ID function**
here: new German electronic identity card (nPA)
- 3. NFC-enabled object(s)**
here: red car with NFC interface



Phase 1: Booking (NFC phone acts as RFID reader)

- use e-ID card to prove customer's identity to service provider (*PACE with PIN and EAC*)
- credential is generated and *securely* transferred to the phone



Phase 2: Execute Booked Rights (NFC phone emulates Mifare DESfire)

- car acts as NFC reader, phone emulates Mifare DESfire card
- secure channel: 3DES-based mutual authentication scheme
- car obtains and checks credential
- if credential is valid, access is given



Thank you!

Questions?

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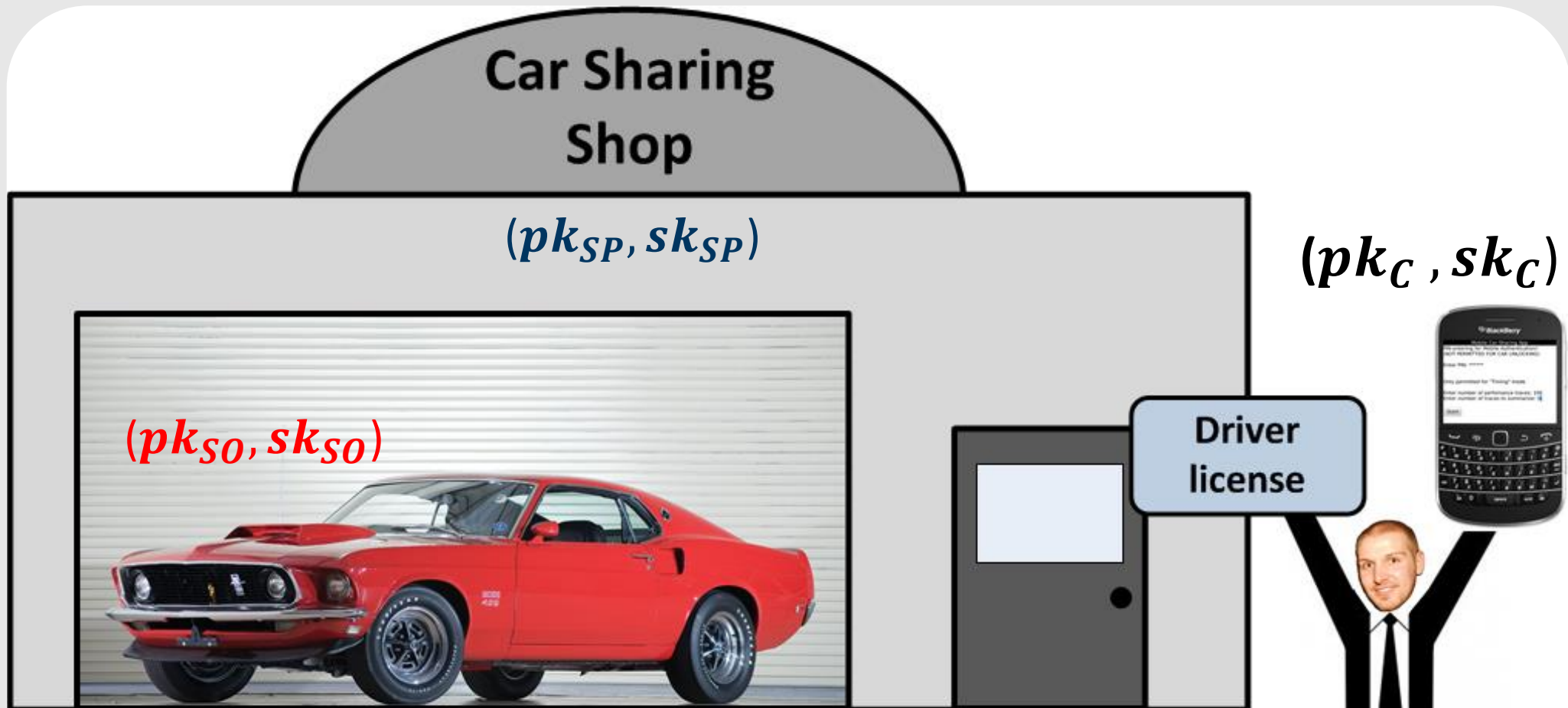
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OK, some more details

One-Time Registration at the Service Provider

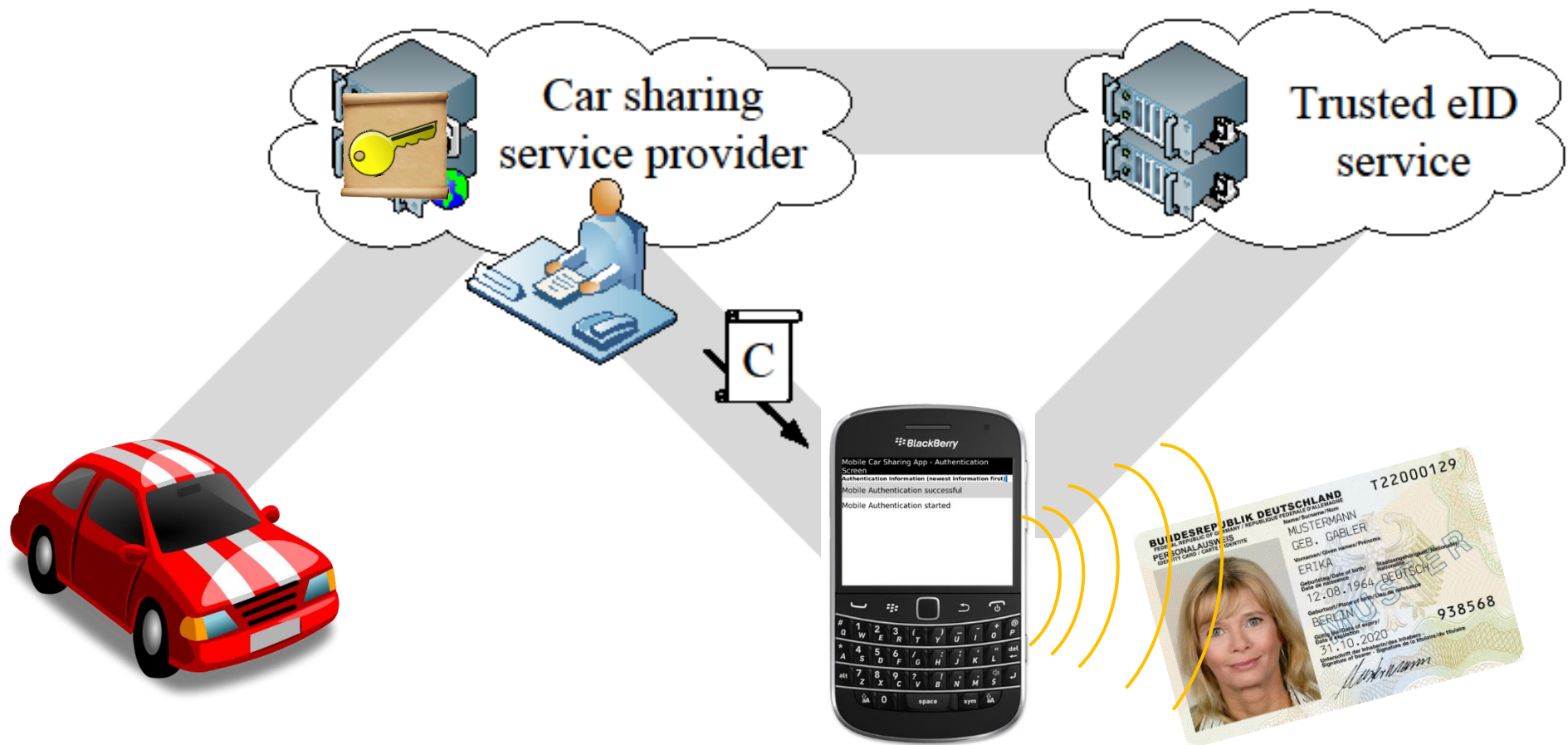


1. generate customer's public key pk_C and secret key sk_C
2. shop stores pk_C , customer ID ID_C , and MRZ of nPA
3. phone stores sk_C , and pk_{SP} of the service provider

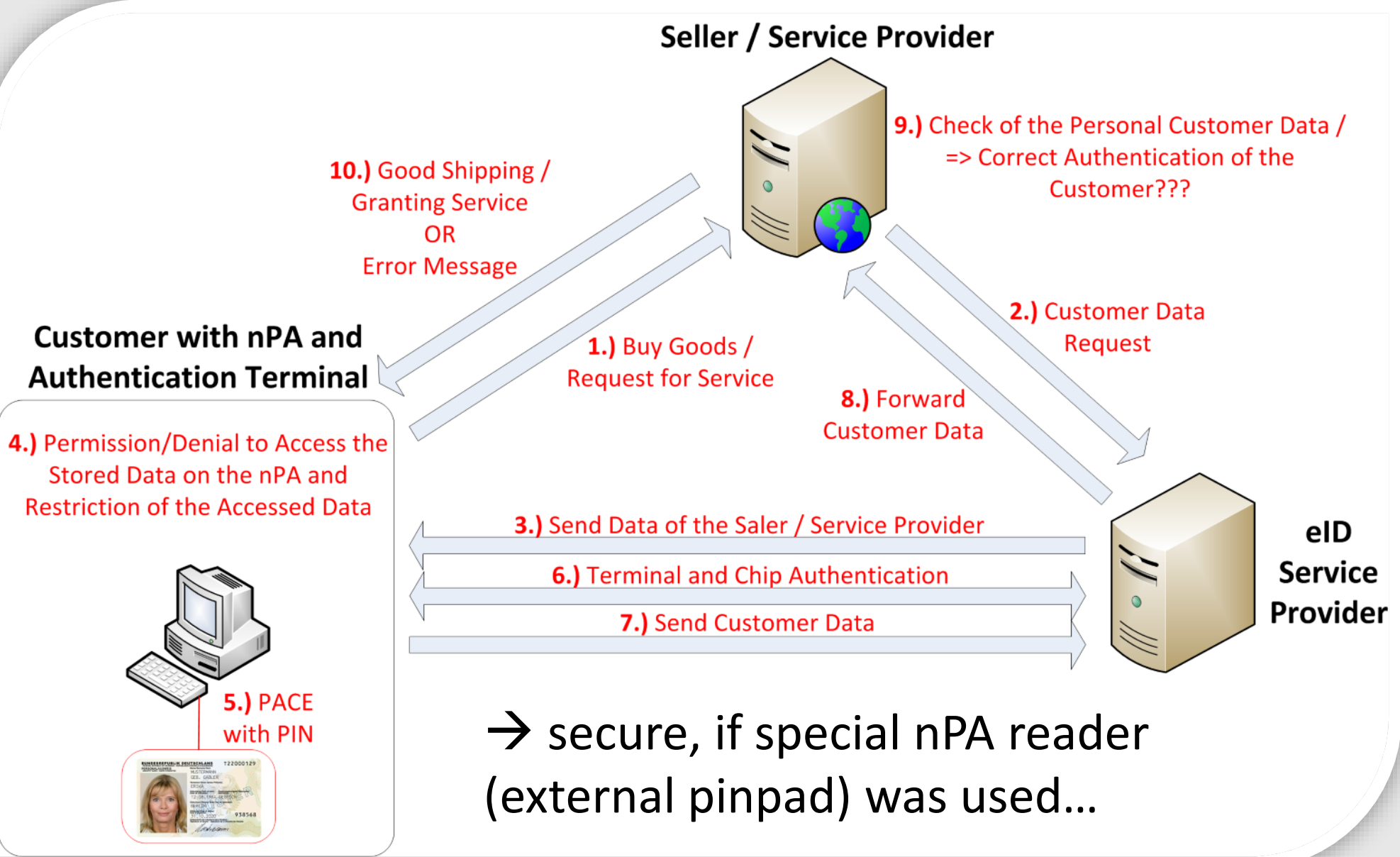
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Two steps:

1. customer identification
2. obtaining a right (credential)



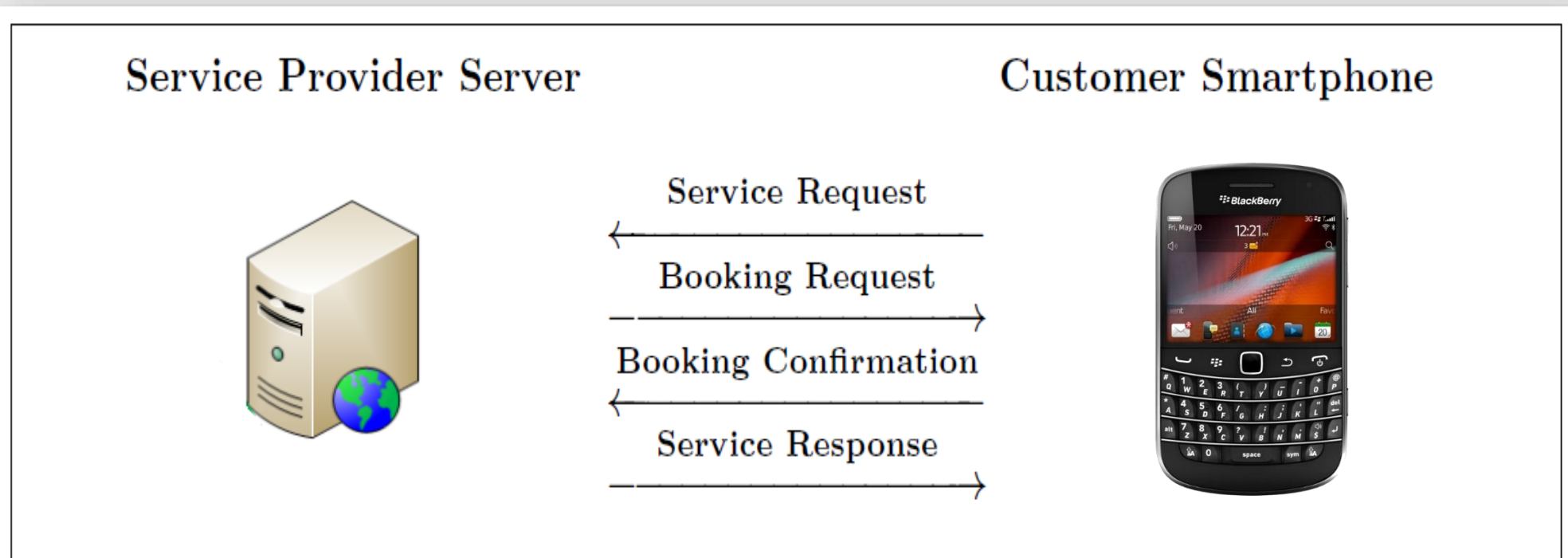
Booking 1/2 Customer Identification



Booking 2/2

Obtaining a Right (Credential)

- customer is identified, let's book s.th. !
- communication secured with TLS
(assumption: TLS is secure ...)
- four steps:



Booking 2/2

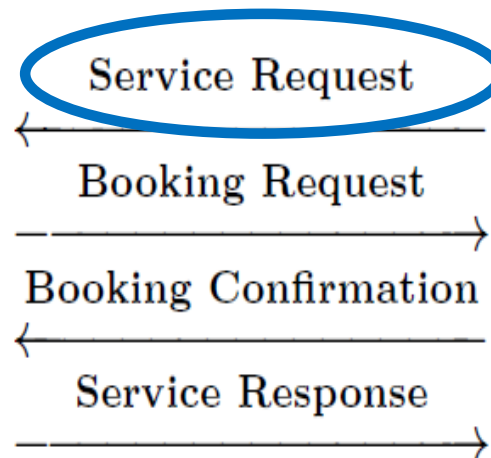
Obtaining a Right (Credential)

- service information I_{SReq} (e.g., GPS position of phone)
- customer ID ID_C
- random nonce N_C
- time stamp t_{SReq}

Service Provider Server



Customer Smartphone



Booking 2/2

Obtaining a Right (Credential)

- service information I_{SReq} (e.g., GPS position of phone)
- customer ID ID_C
- random nonce N_C
- time stamp t_{SReq}

$$h_{SReq} := \text{hash}(I_{SReq} \parallel ID_C \parallel N_C \parallel t_{SReq})$$

$$t_{SReq} := \text{sign}_{sk_C}(h_{SReq})$$

$$p_{SReq} := \text{encrypt}_{pk_{SP}}(I_{SReq} \parallel N_C \parallel t_{SReq} \parallel t_{SReq})$$

Booking 2/2

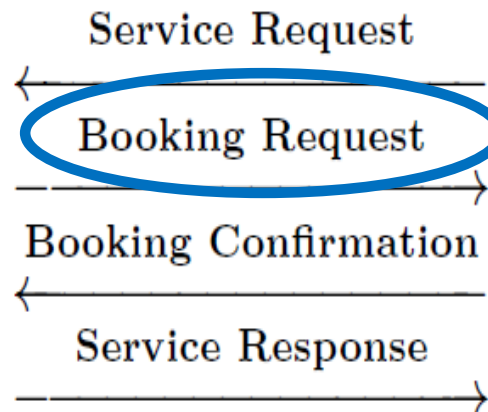
Obtaining a Right (Credential)

- service information I_{BReq} (e.g., GPS position of car ...)
- unique service object information UI_{BReq} (e.g., car ID)
- modified nonce N_C'
- time stamp tS_{BReq}

Service Provider Server



Customer Smartphone



Booking 2/2

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Booking 2/2

Obtaining a Right (Credential)

- service information I_{BReq}
- unique service object information UI_{BReq}
- (more) modified nonce N_C
- time stamp tS_{BCon}

Service Provider Server



Customer Smartphone



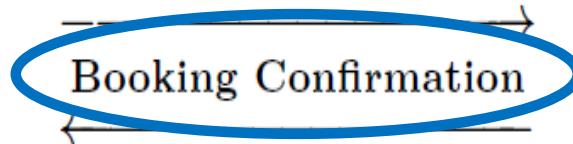
Service Request



Booking Request



Booking Confirmation



Service Response



Booking 2/2

Obtaining a Right (Credential)

- service information I_{BReq}
- unique service object information UI_{BReq}
- (more) modified nonce N_C''
- time stamp tS_{BCon}

$$h_{BCon} := \text{hash}(I_{BReq} \parallel UI_{BReq} \parallel N_C'' \parallel tS_{BCon})$$

$$t_{BCon} := \text{sign}_{sk_C}(h_{BCon})$$

$$p_{BCon} := \text{encrypt}_{pk_{SP}}(I_{BReq} \parallel UI_{BReq} \parallel N_C'' \parallel tS_{BCon} \parallel t_{BCon})$$

Booking 2/2

Obtaining a Right (Credential)

- Create **service credential** from:
information I_{SC} , (even more) modified nonce N_C “, unique
service object information UI_{SC} , time stamp ts_{SC} ,
Authentication Key, and encrypted user rights credential

Service Provider Server



Customer Smartphone



Service Request



Booking Request



Booking Confirmation



Service Response



Booking 2/2

Obtaining a Right (Credential)

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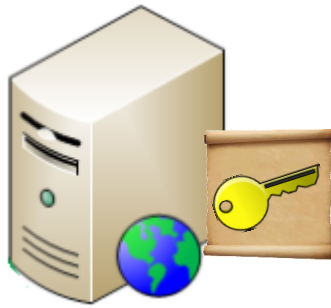
$$h_{sc} := \text{hash}(\text{Service Credential})$$
$$t_{sc} := \text{sign}_{sk_{SP}}(h_{sc})$$
$$p_{sc} := \text{encrypt}_{pk_C}(\text{Service Credential} \parallel t_{sc})$$

Booking 2/2

Obtaining a Right (Credential)

very easy!

Service Provider Server



Customer Smartphone



Service Request



Booking Request



Booking Confirmation



Service Response



Phase 2: Execute Booked Rights (NFC phone emulates Mifare DESfire)

- *Authentication Key* from service credential is used to secure wireless link (DESfire mutual authentication)
- Decrypt *User Rights Credential* with sk_{SO} and verify its signature with pk_{SP}



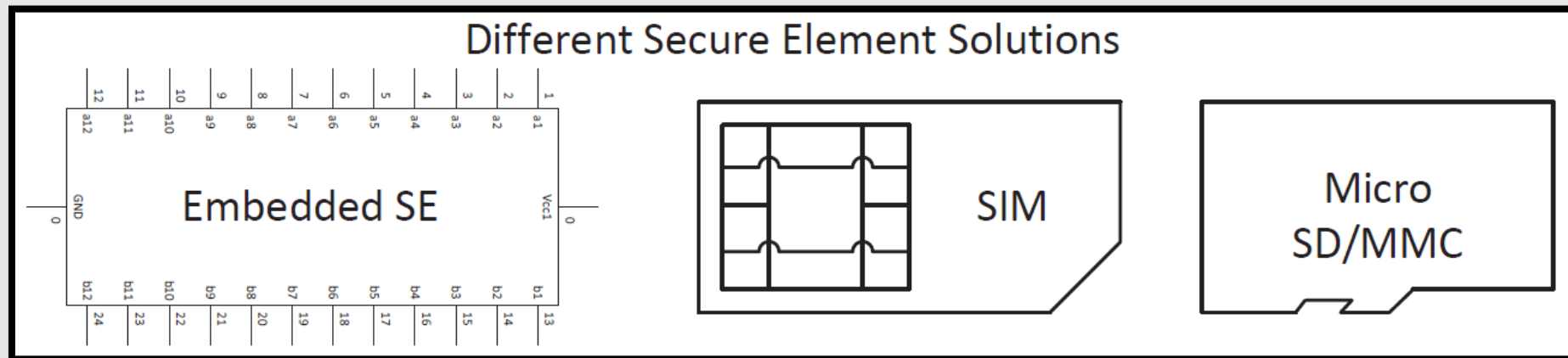
Homework:

Read our paper and find out how the Authentication Key is generated and updated in case of no Internet.

Secure Elements

In Theory: Several options

- Embedded Secure Element (eSE)
- SIM card issued by communication provider
- SE integrated in a (Micro) SD card



In Practice:

- slow (8-bit) and Java
- no access granted ☹️

Implementation Obstacles and Security Issues

Software on Smartphone:

- no access to SE → no secure storage
- program main CPU in Java (☹ !!)
- RIM API doesn't support nPA elliptic curve (brainpoolP256r1)

nPA:

- No certificate for Terminal Authentication (TA)
- No external pinpad / secure nPA reader

→ Trojan in smartphone OS poses a security threat

Run-Time of PACE

PACE Step / Time	Minimum	Maximum	Average
Communication buildup & MSE:Set AT	124 ms	408 ms	262.11 ms
Encrypt Nonce	68 ms	138 ms	105.17 ms
Map Nonce	1558 ms	1763 ms	1695.32 ms
Perform Key Agreement	1185 ms	1396 ms	1291.57 ms
Mutual Authentication	118 ms	189 ms	147.32 ms
Total PACE	3268 ms	3712 ms	3501.49 ms

Summary

- Concept for secure rights management with NFC
- Smartphone application for booking via TLS
- NFC phone as RFID reader realizes eID function of nPA
(ECDHKE *in Java ...*)
- NFC phone emulates Mifare DESfire card to open car
- some remaining security issues discussed

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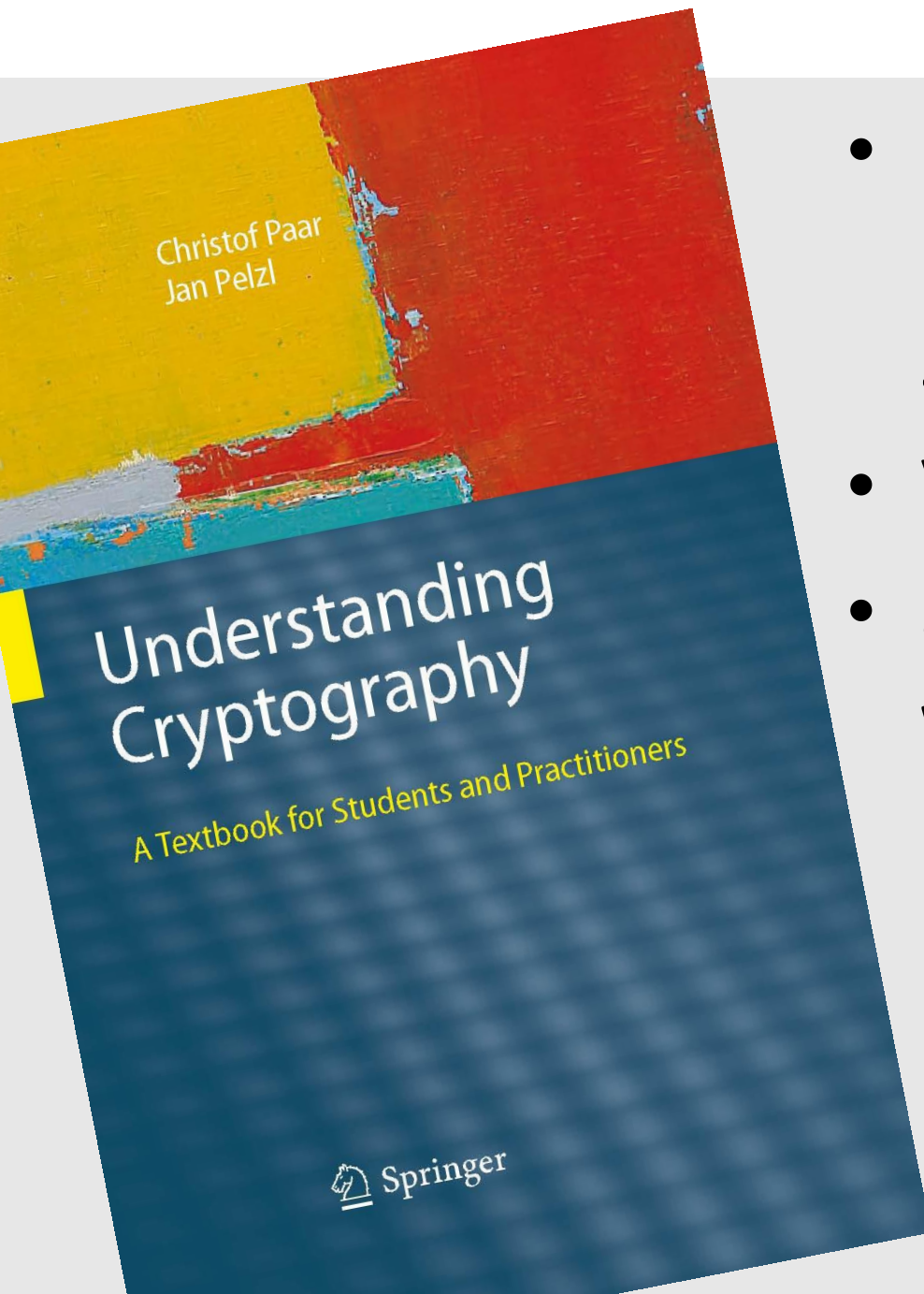
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- development of a secure energy sensor
- tamper-proof smart metering
- standardized security architecture for electric cars



- privacy and data security for end-users and suppliers

Introduction to Cryptography and Data Security



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- Videos of 2 semesters
- all online:
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