

BIO-CRYPTOGRAPHIC AUTHENTICATION

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HASHING/CRYPTOGRAPHY IS GREAT FOR PROTECTING PASSWORDS.

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Hash is 417363bc44bf5fa42adb1d06eea011e

Fire Only SOUPS attendees

Hash is dd95e74883a289147db10d98f4cece4b

1 Bit change results in radically different Cryptostring

Since biometrics always change a little
cannot just hash biometrics



EXAMPLES OF PRIVACY ENHANCING TECHNOLOGIES FOR BIOMETRIC DATA

- Biometric Encryption (BE)
- Fuzzy Vaults (FV)
- Fuzzy Commitment (FC)
- Fuzzy Extractors (FE)
- Cancelable Templates (CT)
- Secure Sketch (SS)
- Biotopes and Vaulted Verification (VV)



EXAMPLE: BIOMETRIC FUZZY VAULTS

- Alice places a secret κ in a fuzzy vault
 - κ is locked using a set of elements from some public universe U
 - κ is encoded in the coefficients of a d-degree polynomial p
 - Let V be points $((v_0, p(v_0)), \dots, (v_n, p(v_n)))$
 - Chaff point pairs (c_i, C_i) are randomly generated and inserted into V ; then V is shuffled.
 - To unlock user must find at least d values v_i to recover p & κ .
- Each v_i must match exactly!



CRACKING FUZZY VAULTS AND BE

- In our 2008 paper "Cracking Fuzzy Vaults and Biometric Encryption" we showed three new attacks that break FV and BE.
 - Attacks via Record Multiplicity (ARM)
 - Surreptitious Key-Inversion Attack (SKI)
 - Blended Substitution Attack
- For FV the problem stem from storing v_i & $p(v_i)$, e.g. ARM implies v_i reused so easily matched.
- Others have extended attacks to FC, FE, SS.
- Also, note that false accept rate (FAR) limits security/privacy – need high accuracy too.



THE BIOTOPE INSIGHT....

→ Break data into two parts,
Stable and unstable!

- Stable part is transformed & encrypted/hashed to provide security/privacy and revocability
- Two parts together provide robust distance measure which we can prove will not decrease accuracy!



175 (stable) 165 (stable)
+1 unstable - 4 unstable
- Can use stable data to embed keys.



BIPARTITE BIOTOPE (W. SCHEIRER AND T. BOULT, "BIPARTITE BIOTOKENS: DEFINITION, IMPLEMENTATION, AND ANALYSIS," ICB 2009.)

	112 Bits		128 Bits		160 Bits	
	GAR	FAR	GAR	FAR	GAR	FAR
F.P. Fuzzy Vaults ¹	89	0.13	89	0.01	84	0
Password Vault ²	88	?	86	?	79	?
Bipartite Biotokens	97	0	97	0	97	0

Comparison with Fuzzy Vaults on standard test (known)

	192 Bits	256 Bits	512 Bits
	GAR	GAR	GAR
FVC02 DB1	97	94	95
FVC02 DB2	97	97	92

Larger Key Sizes: tests with FAR in >1Billion trials

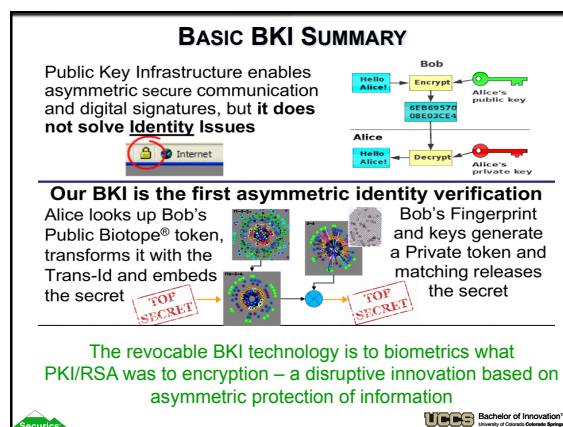
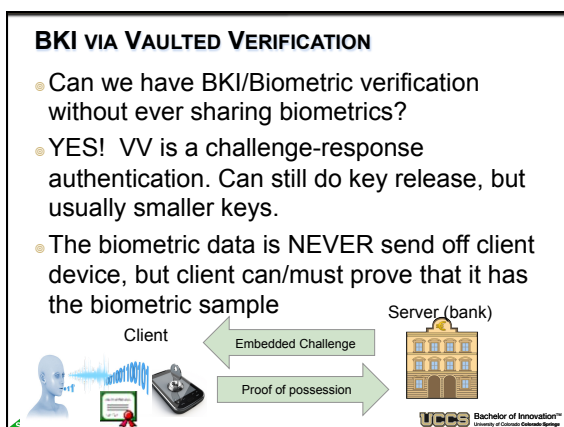
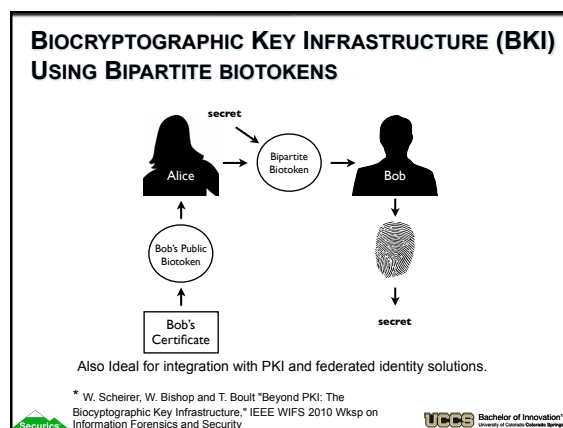
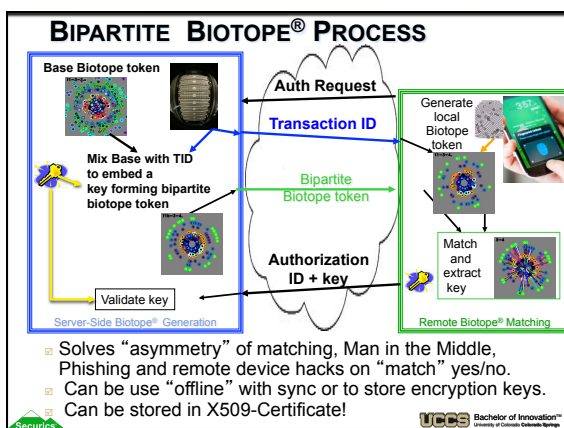
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BIPARTITE BIOTOPES AS A "FIXED FUZZY VAULT"

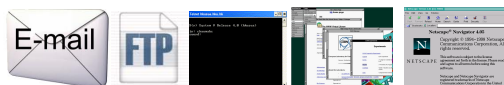
Recall problem stemmed from storing v_i & $p(v_i)$,
 Bipartite NEVER ever stores v_i the value is secure and known attacks fail. However, user can generate v_i from raw biometric then while matching we associate with $p(v_i); P$ and hence decode the bipartite vault.

Revocable + nesting + embedding = Asymmetric ID

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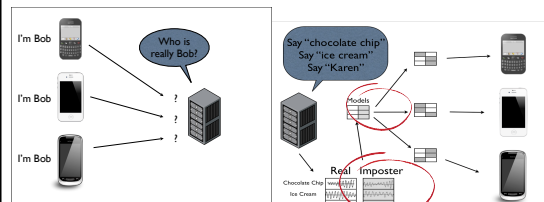
REMEMBER THE 80s AND 90s?



- Huge explosion in new Internet protocols
 - Email, Remote Connections, The Web,...
- Security of these protocols was an afterthought!
 - We need cryptography to protect insecure channels
 - How can Alice verify a server?
 - How do we share encryption keys?

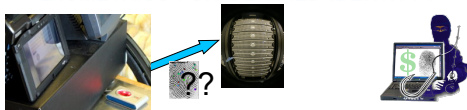
Solution: Public Key Infrastructure

Vaulted Voice Verification



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BIOMETRICS FOR VERIFIED IDENTITY?

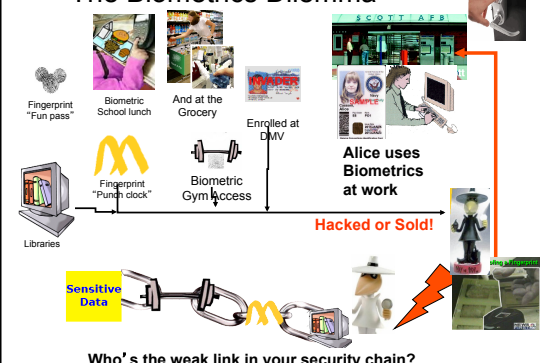


Biometrics provide identity assurance, convenient & low cost but

- Cannot revoke a fingerprint like a password or credit card!
- Like symmetric encryption both sides need the "secret"
- Only matching party can really trust match happened, other party must trust the matcher with their data!
- Doppelganger Attacks not impacted by "liveness" so data must be protected.

How can we address privacy/security concerns to achieve truly usable biometrics?

The Biometrics Dilemma

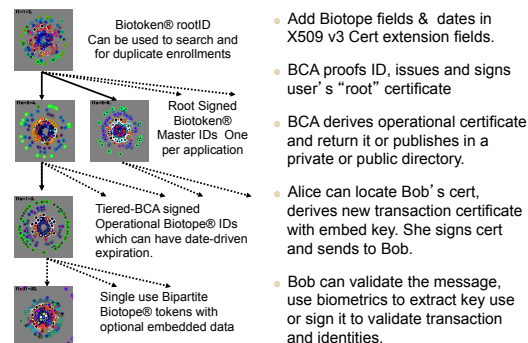


Who's the weak link in your security chain?

BKI ADVANTAGES

- Reduce user friction by addressing privacy concerns while improving security
- Cloud-stored strong identities
- Asymmetric identity modeling
- Move "identity" into the digital signature/key management space
- New models for secure payment

BKI: BIOCRYPTOGRAPHIC KEY INFRASTRUCTURE



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