

Analyse des API de sécurité

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First Half

- What is a Security API
- Crypto 101
- Use of APIs in the cash machine network
- Attacks on the Visa security module
- Formal modelling



Security APIs

Host machine



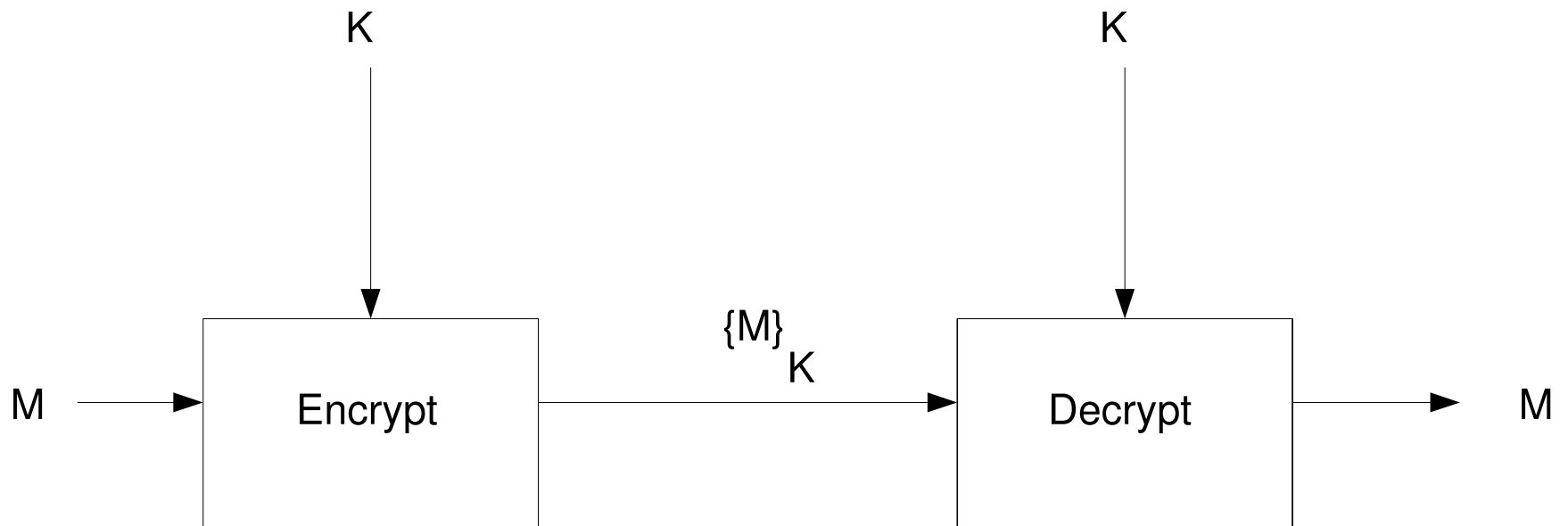
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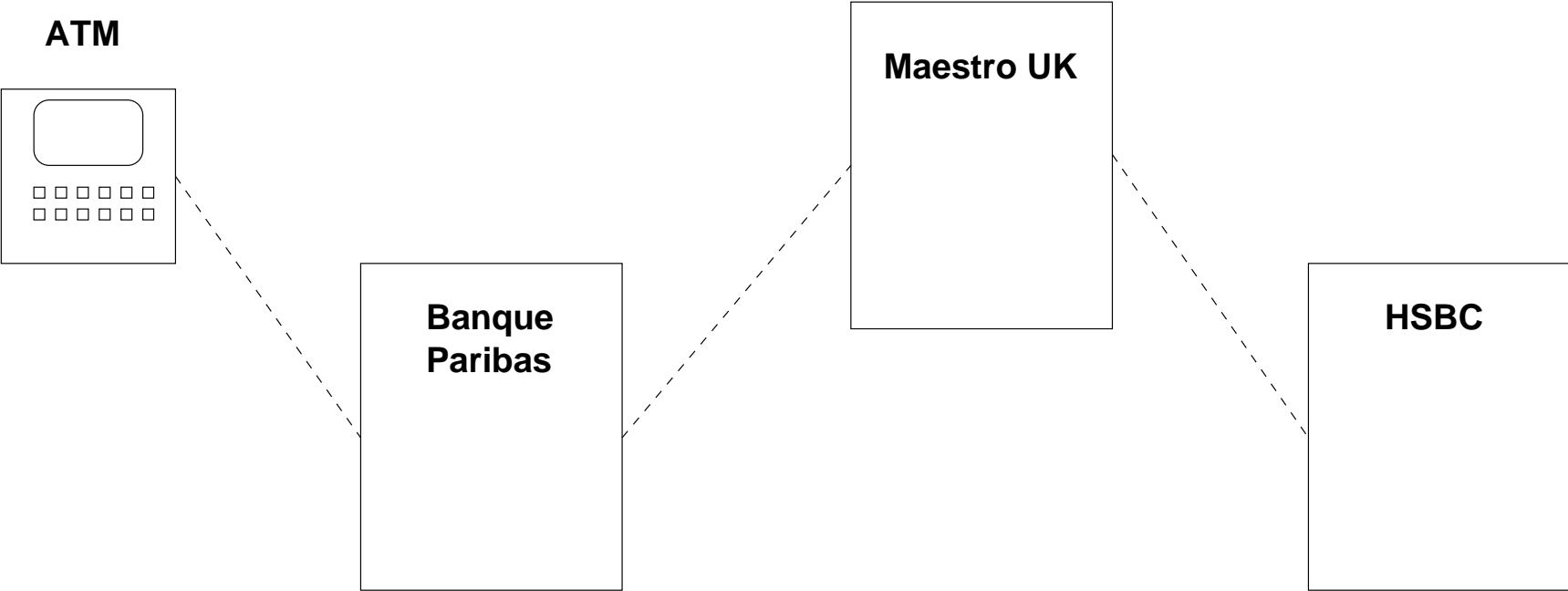
Crypto Basics

We consider only symmetric key crypto



Problem is now the security of key K

Cash Machine Network



HSMs



- Manufacturers include IBM, VISA, nCipher, Thales, Utimaco, HP
- Cost around \$10 000

Master Key Scheme

Host machine

HSM

{ TMK1 }
KM

KM

{ PDK1 }
KM

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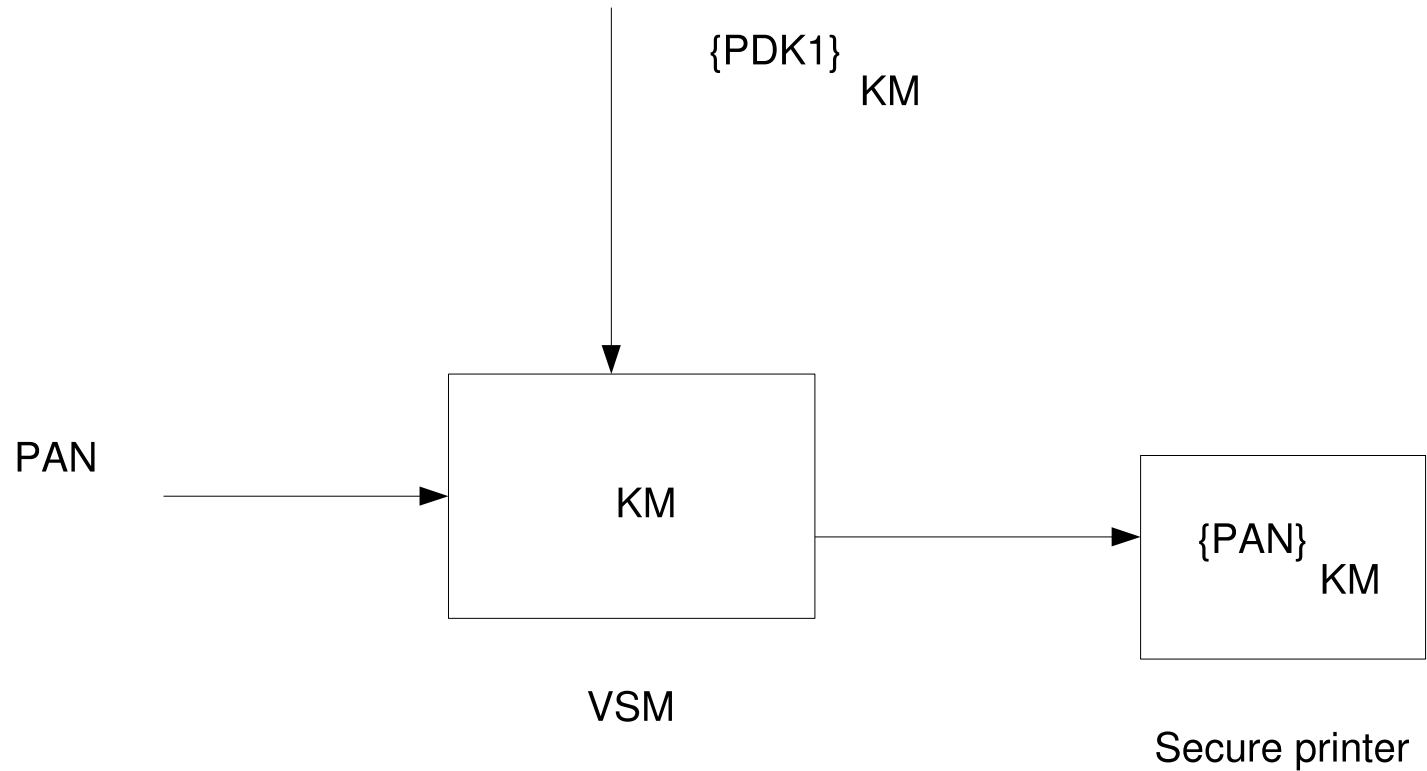
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$\text{PIN} = \text{IPIN} + \text{Offset (modulo 10 each digit)}$

Offset NOT secure!

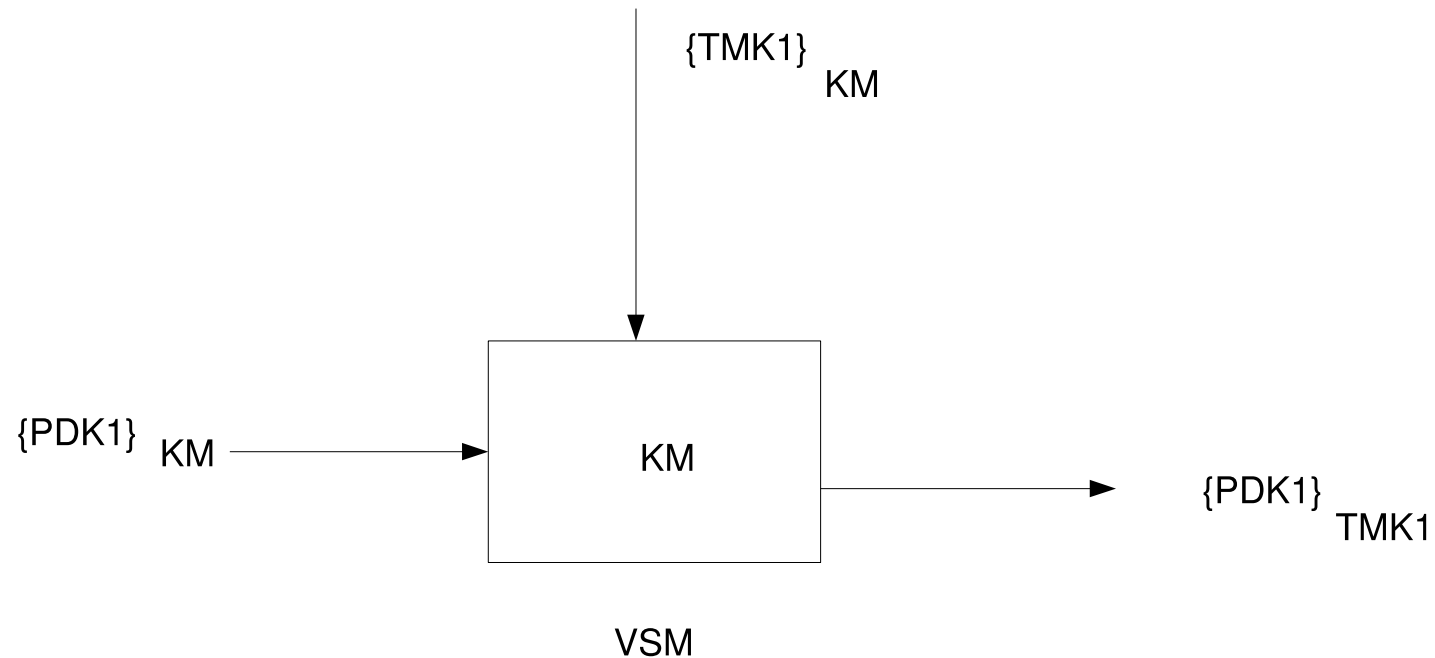
Example: Print Customer PIN



Host → HSM : PAN, { PDK1 } Km

HSM → Printer : { PAN } PDK1

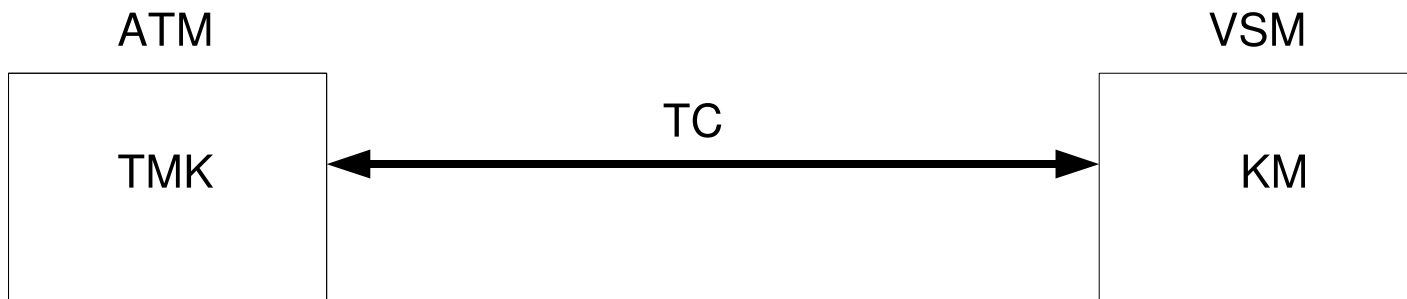
Example: Send PDK to Terminal



Host \rightarrow HSM : $\{ PDK1 \}_{K_m}, \{ TMK1 \}_{K_m}$

HSM \rightarrow Host : $\{ PDK1 \}_{TMK1}$

Terminal Comms Key



Managing Key Types

Host machine

VSM

{ TMK1 }
KM

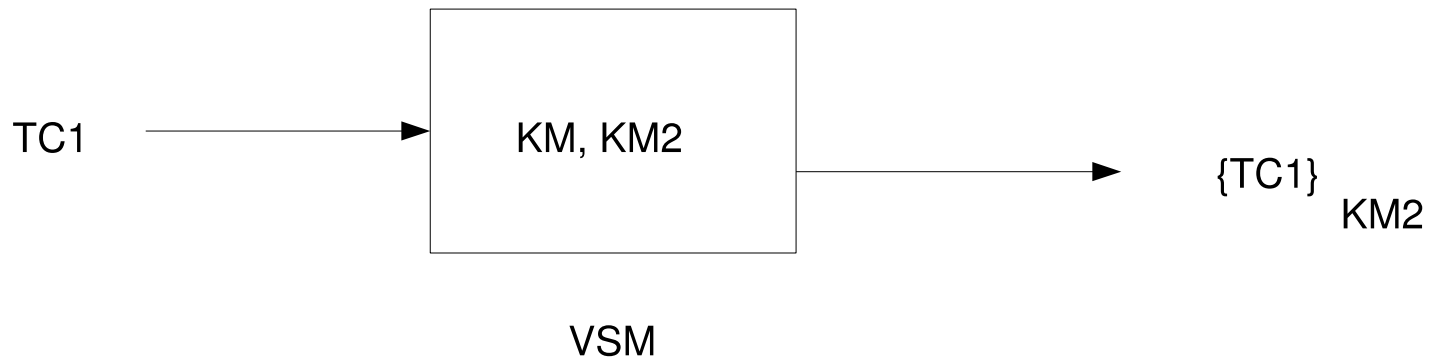
KM

{ PDK1 }
KM

{ TC1 }
KM2

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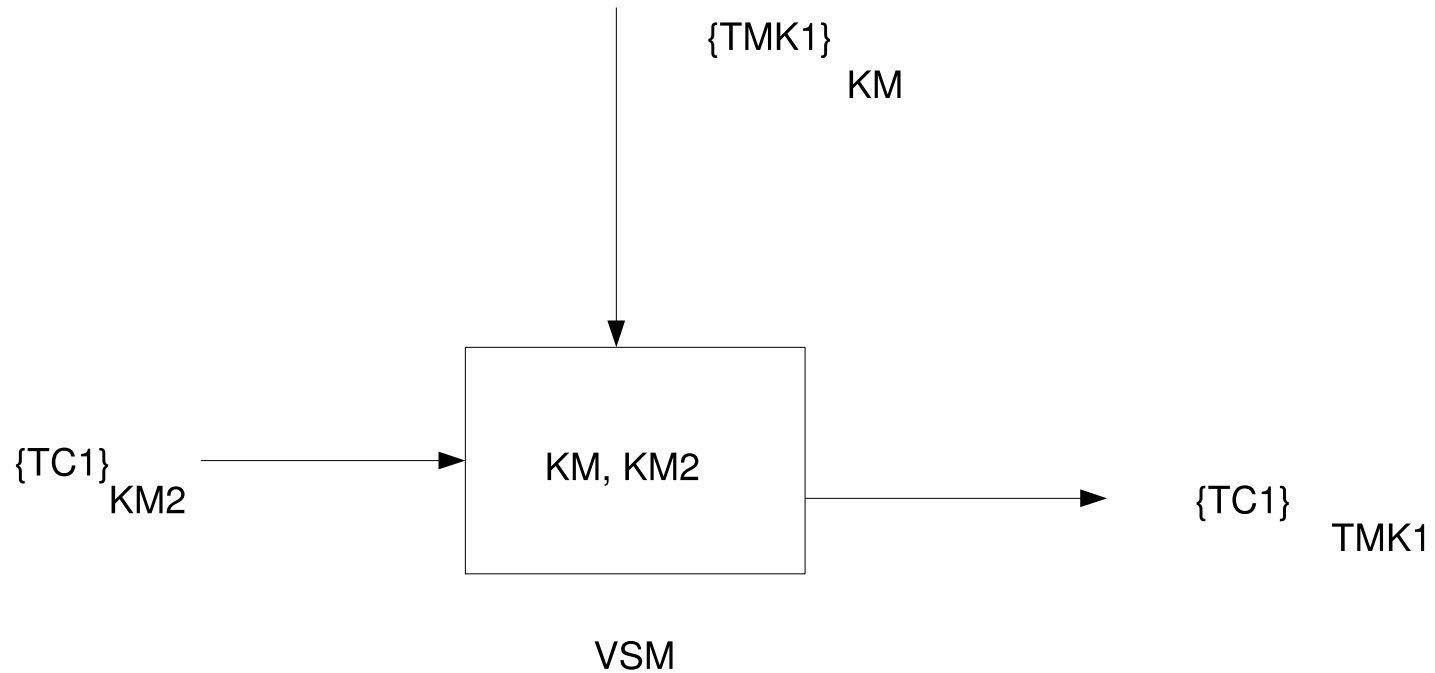
Example: Enter TC key



Host → HSM : TC

HSM → Host : { TC }_{Km2}

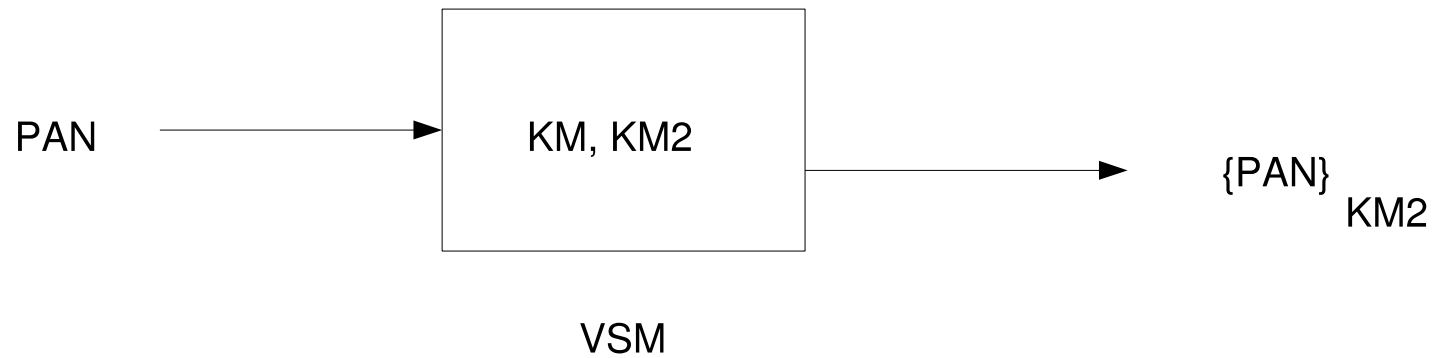
Example: Send TC to Terminal



Host \rightarrow HSM : $\{ TC \}_{ KM2}, \{ TMK1 \}_{ KM}$

HSM \rightarrow Host : $\{ TC \}_{ TMK1}$

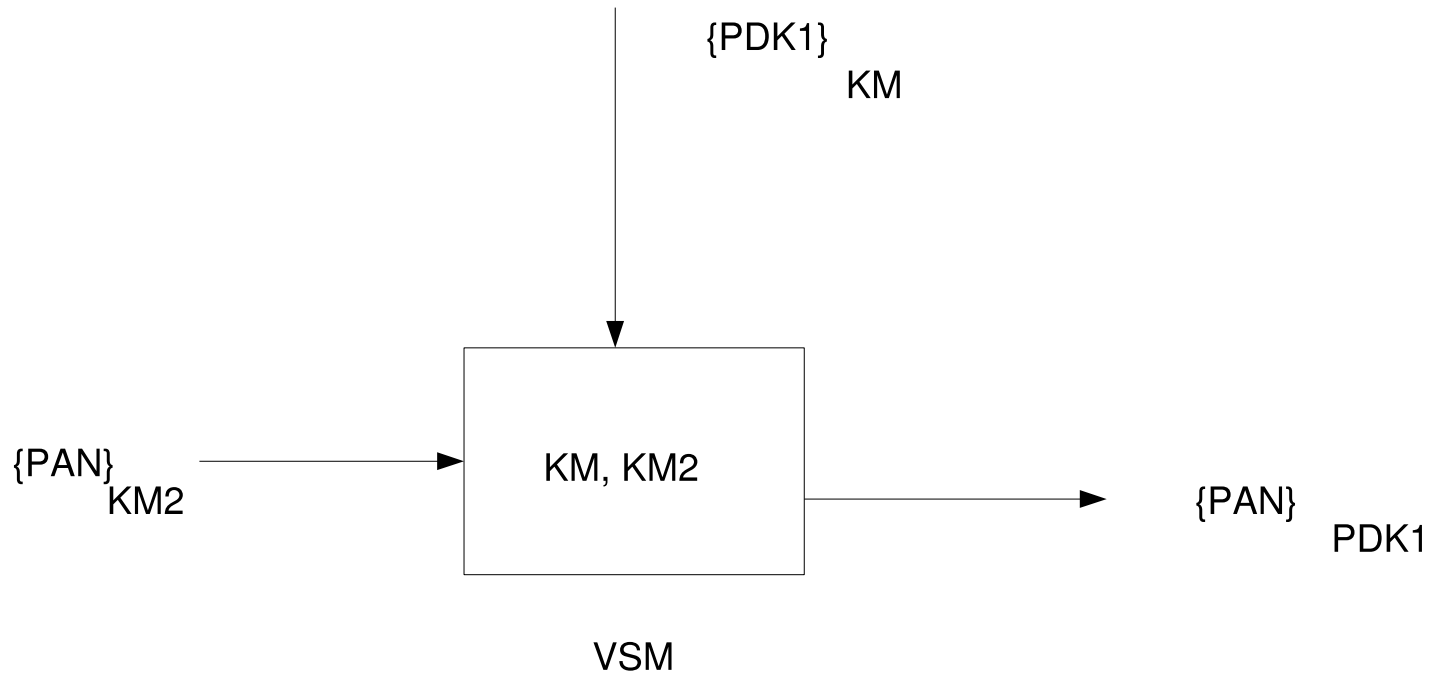
Attack - Step 1



Spy \rightarrow HSM : PAN

HSM \rightarrow Spy : { PAN } _{Km2}

Attack - Step 2



Spy \rightarrow HSM : $\{ PAN \}_{K_{m2}}, \{ PDK1 \}_{K_m}$

HSM \rightarrow Host : $\{ PAN \}_{PDK1}$

Dolev-Yao Modelling

Bitstrings modelled as terms in an abstract algebra

Cryptographic algorithms modelled as function on terms

Attack modelled as derivation of secret term

Dolev-Yao Modelling 2

Atomic terms: $\text{pdk1}, \text{km}, \text{km2}, \text{pan}, \dots$

Functions: $\{.\}$.

Intruder rules:

e.g. $x, y \rightarrow \{x\}_y$

API rules:

e.g. $\{x\}_{\text{km}}, \{y\}_{\text{km}} \rightarrow \{x\}_y$

Attack Search

Start with 'initial knowledge' of intruder

e.g. pan , $\{\text{pdk1}\}_{\text{km}}$, $\{\text{tmk1}\}_{\text{km}}$

apply rules

Note: intruder knowledge increases monotonically, no need to backtrack in search

Goal is to derive term $\{\text{pan}\}_{\text{pdk1}}$

Can automate search with model checker, theorem prover, or custom tool

Example - using First Order Theorem Provers

API and intruder modelled in 13 FOL rules (Horn clauses), 12 terms in initial knowledge

Appears as problem SWV237 (www.tptp.org)

Attack found in < 1 sec by several provers (Vampire, E,...)

VSM now has clear TC entry instruction disabled - problem SWV238

Only E can find a model (problem has no finite models)

Next half

- A much more complex API - IBM 4758 CCA
- Modelling XOR
- More attacks
- Proving decidability of security for certain APIs
- PKCS#11

IBM 4758 CCA API



CCA Types

Host machine

HSM

{ TC1 }
KM + data

KM

{ PDK1 }
KM + pin

CCA API - Examples

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Verify PIN:

Host → HSM : { PINBlock } p1, PAN, { pdk1 } $km \oplus pin$,
OFFSET, { p1 } $km \oplus ipinenc$

HSM → Host : yes/no

Importing Key Parts

'Separation of duty'

Key $k = k_1 \oplus k_2$

Host \rightarrow HSM : k_1, TYPE

HSM \rightarrow Host : $\{ k_1 \}_{k_m \oplus k_p \oplus \text{TYPE}}$

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HSM \rightarrow Host : $\{ k1 \oplus k2 \}_{km \oplus TYPE}$

Usually used to import a ‘key encrypting key’ ($\{ KEK \}_{km \oplus imp}$)

Importing Encrypted Keys

Exported from another 4758 encrypted under $\text{KEK} \oplus \text{TYPE}$

Key Import:

Host \rightarrow HSM : $\{ \text{KEY1} \}_{\text{KEK} \oplus \text{TYPE}}, \text{TYPE}, \{ \text{KEK} \}_{\text{km} \oplus \text{imp}}$

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Encrypt data

Host \rightarrow HSM : $\{ \text{pdk} \}_{\text{km} \oplus \text{data}}$, pan

HSM \rightarrow Host : $\{ \text{pan} \}_{\text{pdk}}$ (= PIN!)

Formal Modelling

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Also need

$$x \oplus (y \oplus z) = (x \oplus y) \oplus z$$

$$x \oplus y = y \oplus x$$

$$x \oplus x = 0$$

Using TPTP

Problem SWV234 in TPTP

Only 11 rules, 15 items in knowledge set

However, only most recent version of Vampire can find the attack

'Combinatorial explosion' caused by XOR is the problem

Cannot verify fixes using TPTP provers (yet..)

Characterisation of Class

Finite set of atoms (km, imp, data, pin, ...)

XOR term ::= atom

atom \oplus XOR term

Encryption term ::= { XOR term } XOR term

Well Formed Term ::= Encryption term

XOR term

Well Formed Rule ::= WFT, ..., WFT \rightarrow WFT

Theorem

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R finite set of well-formed rules

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Corollary:

The question of whether $S \vdash_R u$ is decidable

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$$f_2 : [x_{\text{key}}|x], x_{\text{type}}, [x_{\text{kek}}|q] \rightarrow [x_{\text{key}}|q \oplus x_{\text{type}}] \quad \text{IF} \quad x = x_{\text{kek}} \oplus x_{\text{type}}$$

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Now we can verify fixes..

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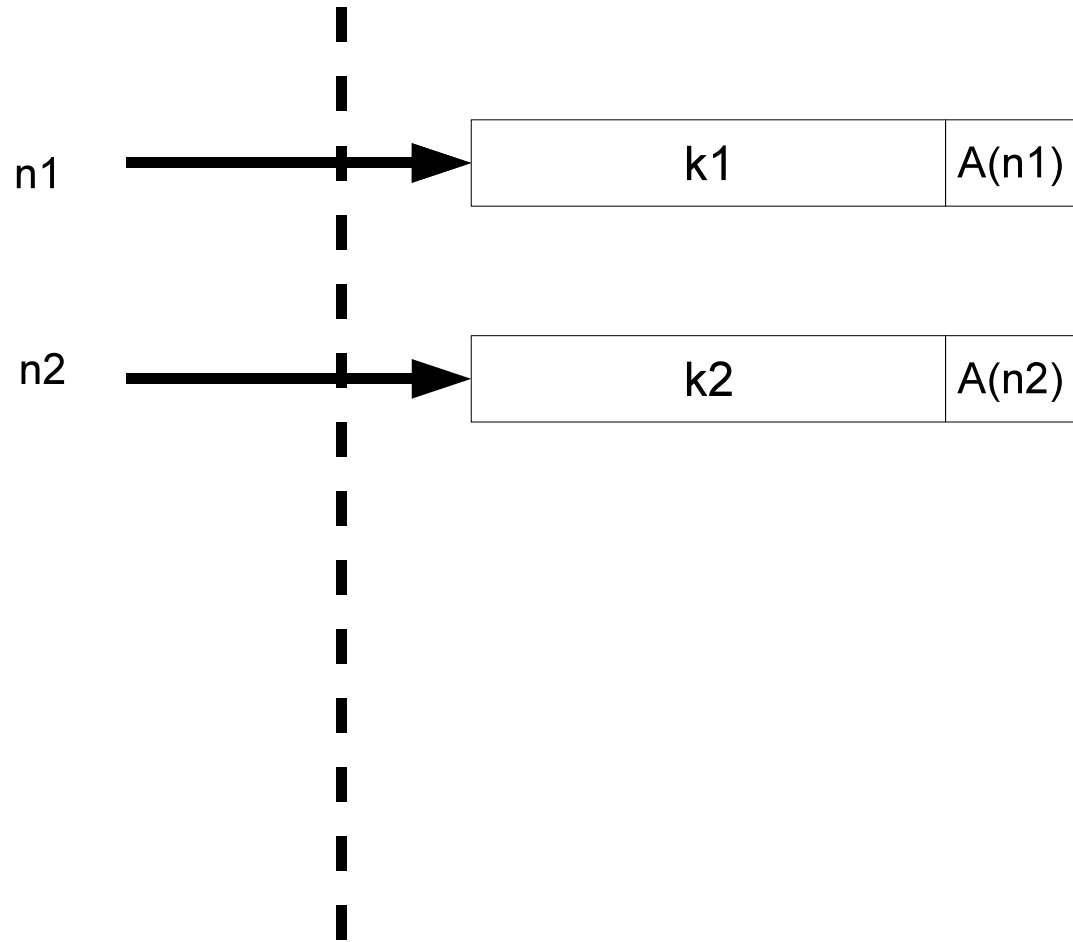
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2 and 3 verified in a few seconds, but 1 has a simple attack (see [CKS 07])

Host machine

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PKCS #11

Key Management - 1

KeyGenerate :

$\xrightarrow{\text{new } n, k}$ $h(n, k); L$

Where $L = \neg\text{extractable}(n), \neg\text{wrap}(n), \neg\text{unwrap}(n),$
 $\neg\text{encrypt}(n), \neg\text{decrypt}(n), \neg\text{sensitive}(n)$

Key Management - 2

Wrap :

$$h(x_1, y_1), h(x_2, y_2); \text{wrap}(x_1), \quad \rightarrow \quad \{y_2\}_{y_1}$$
$$\text{extract}(x_2)$$

Unwrap :

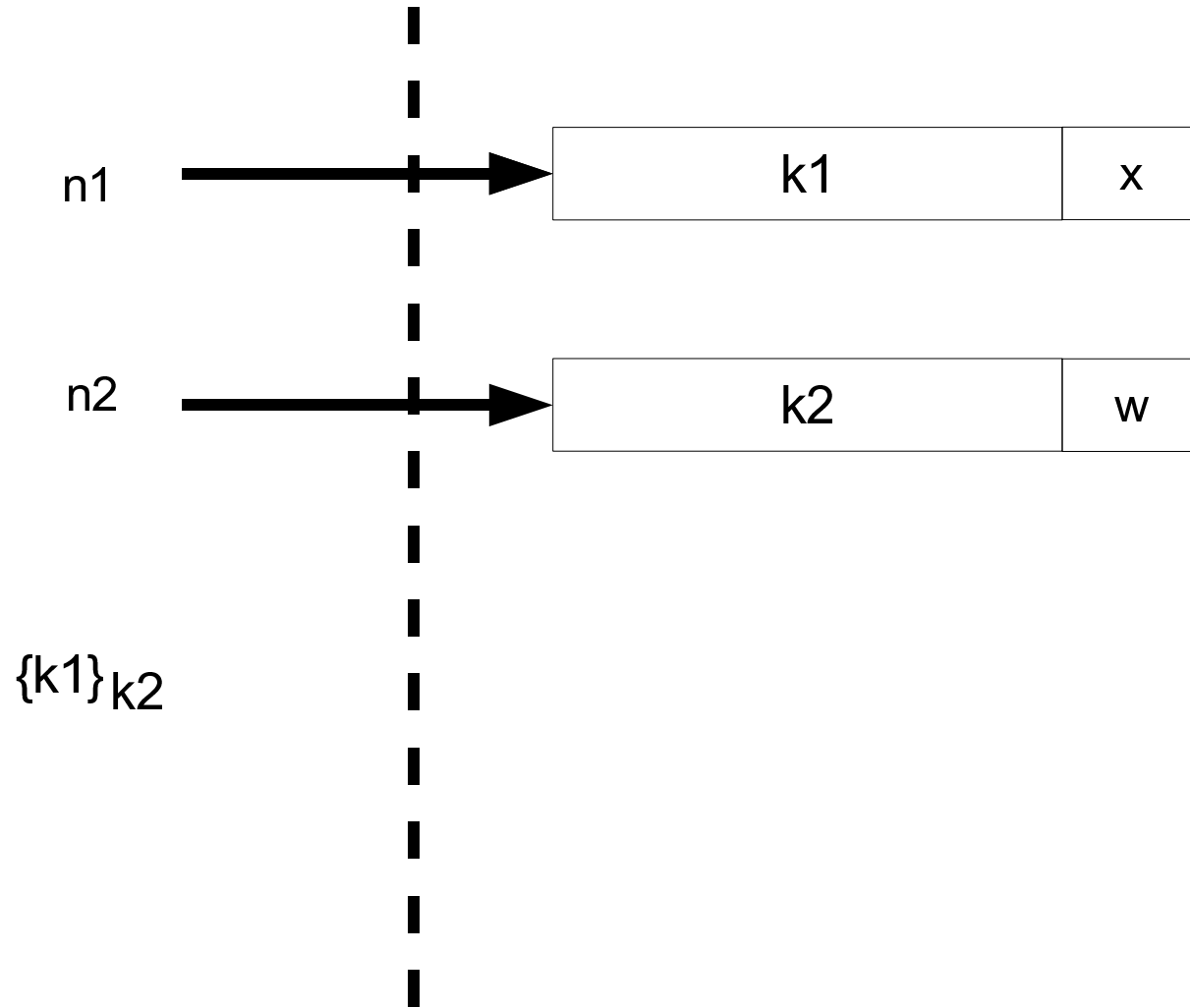
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PKCS #11

Key Management - 3

Set_Wrap : $h(x_1, y_1); \neg \text{wrap}(x_1) \rightarrow ; \text{wrap}(x_1)$

Set_Encrypt : $h(x_1, y_1); \neg \text{encrypt}(x_1) \rightarrow ; \text{encrypt}(x_1)$

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UnSet_Wrap : $h(x_1, y_1); \text{wrap}(x_1) \rightarrow ; \neg \text{wrap}(x_1)$

UnSet_Encrypt : $h(x_1, y_1); \text{encrypt}(x_1) \rightarrow ; \neg \text{encrypt}(x_1)$

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Some restrictions, e.g. can't unset sensitive

Key Usage

Encrypt :

$$h(x_1, y_1), y_2; \text{encrypt}(x_1) \rightarrow \{y_2\}_{y_1}$$

Decrypt :

$$h(x_1, y_1), \{y_2\}_{y_1}; \text{decrypt}(x_1) \rightarrow y_2$$

Key Separation Attack (Clulow, 2003)

Intruder knows: $h(n_1, k_1)$, $h(n_2, k_2)$.

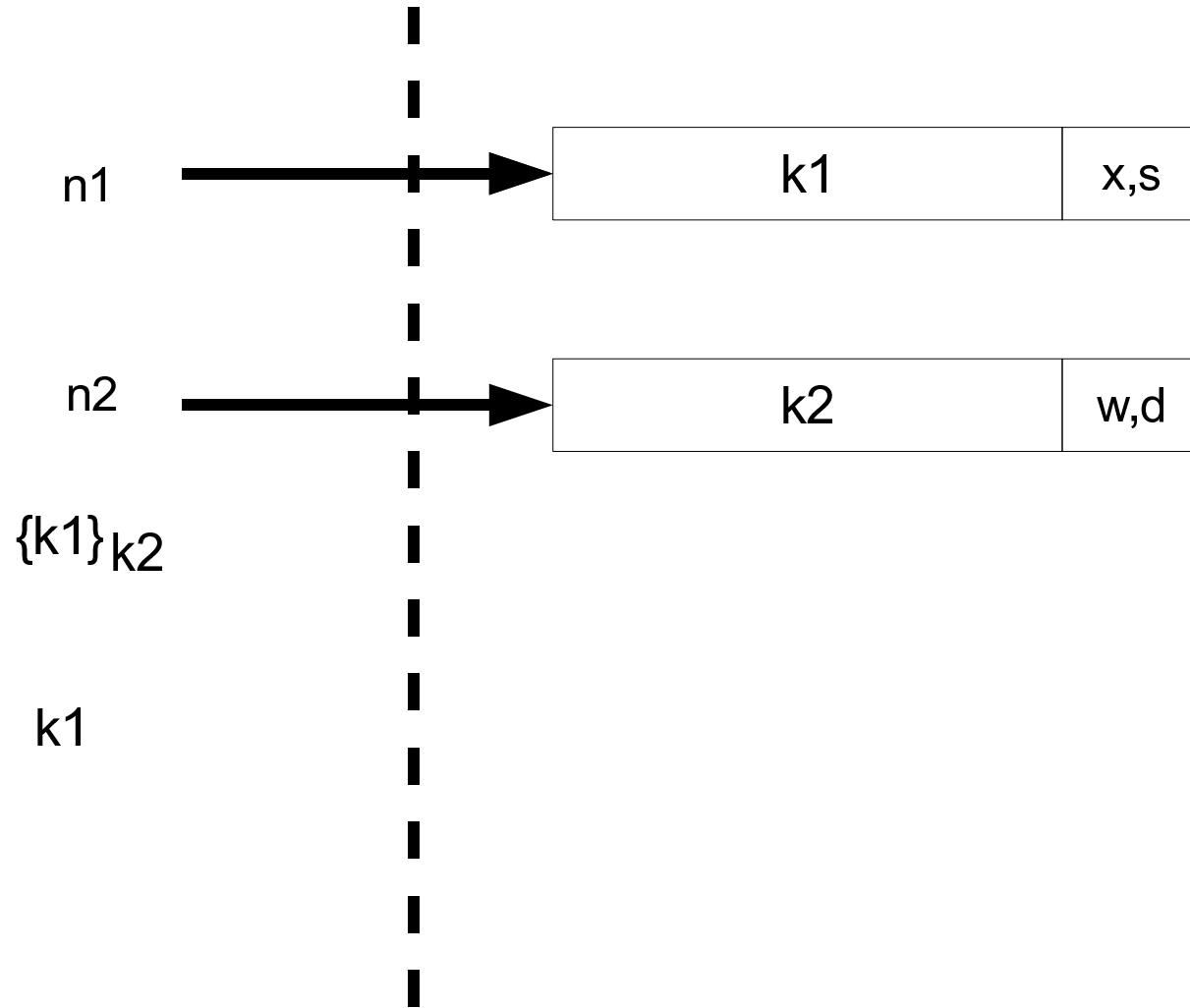
State: $\text{wrap}(n_2)$, $\text{decrypt}(n_2)$, $\text{sensitive}(n_1)$, $\text{extract}(n_1)$

Wrap: $h(n_2, k_2), h(n_1, k_1) \rightarrow \{k_1\}_{k_2}$

Decrypt: $h(n_2, k_2), \{k_1\}_{k_2} \rightarrow k_1$

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Formal Model

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Important difference between this and previous and APIs:

State L, L', L'', \dots not monotonic, and may contain loops

Modes

h : Nonce \times Key \rightarrow Handle

senc : Key \times Key \rightarrow Cipher

aenc : Key \times Key \rightarrow Cipher

pub : Seed \rightarrow Key

priv : Seed \rightarrow Key

a : Nonce \rightarrow Attribute for all $a \in \mathcal{A}$

x_1, x_2, n_1, n_2 : Nonce

y_1, y_2, k_1, k_2 : Key

z, s : Seed

Implementation

- Bound fresh material
 - finite vocabulary of terms for acyclic modes
- Propositional encoding
 - one prop each $I(\text{term})$, $\text{att}(\text{nonce})$
- NuSMV
 - search for $I(k)$ for sensitive k

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Unset_Wrap

Unset_Decrypt

Another Attack

Intruder knows: $h(n_1, k_1)$, $h(n_2, k_2)$, k_3

State: $\text{sensitive}(n_1)$, $\text{extract}(n_1)$, $\text{unwrap}(n_2)$, $\text{encrypt}(n_2)$

SEncrypt: $h(n_2, k_2), k_3 \rightarrow \text{senc}(k_3, k_2)$

Unwrap: $h(n_2, k_2), \text{senc}(k_3, k_2) \xrightarrow{\text{new } n_3} h(n_3, k_3)$

Set_wrap: $h(n_3, k_3) \rightarrow \text{wrap}(n_3)$

Wrap: $h(n_3, k_3), h(n_1, k_1) \rightarrow \text{senc}(k_1, k_3)$

Intruder: $\text{senc}(k_1, k_3), k_3 \rightarrow k_1$

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Set_unwrap: $h(n_2, k_2) \rightarrow \text{unwrap}(n_2)$

Unwrap: $h(n_2, k_2), \text{senc}(k_2, k_2) \xrightarrow{\text{new } n_4} h(n_4, k_2)$

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SDecrypt: $h(n_2, k_2), \text{senc}(k_1, k_2) \rightarrow k_1$

Trusted Keys

Introduced in V2.20 of PKCS#11 (after Clulow's attacks)

SO can mark keys as trusted

Keys can be marked `wrap_with_trusted`

Can show security of this in our model

Full story in [Delaune, Kremer, Steel, CSF'08]

Summary

- Security APIs critical part of system design
- Have seen attacks on VSM, CCS, PKCS#11
- Formal analysis can find attacks, verify fixes
- More info at:

<http://www.lsv.ens-cachan.fr/~steel/>

(links to publications, security APIs FAQ, ASA Workshop, other researchers in API analysis, etc.)