

PV204 Security technologies



JavaCard - programming secure elements

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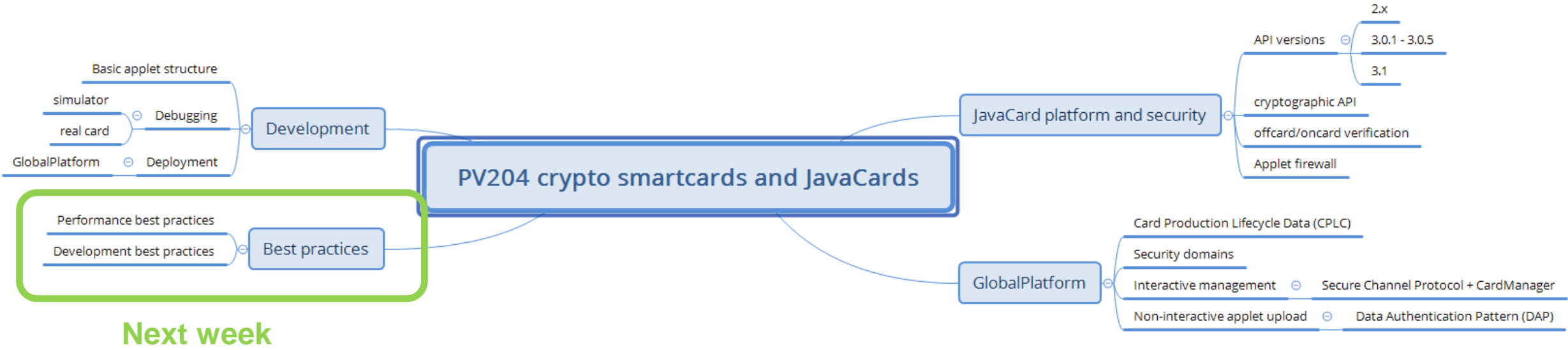
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Phase II

- Study the selected security technology
- Design your project
 - Describe the architecture and explain your choices (what attacks is it preventing, ...)
- Start working on the implementation
 - You should have a prototype ready by the end of this phase
- Prepare 3-4 page report
 - Brief description of the selected security technology
 - Project design (architecture, intended use of the selected technology, design choices, ...)
 - Current progress (+ individual contribution of each team member)
- Deadline: **24. 3. 2024**
 - Submit the report to IS

Prerequisites

- Knowledge of basic smartcards technology is assumed (PV079)
- If you are not familiar yet, please read slides PV204_03___PV079_2023_smartcards.pdf from IS (uploaded for this course)



Motivation

- Usage security-relevant scenarios
 - Subscriber modules (SIMs), merchant payments, hardware wallets, authentication tokens, electronic IDs...
- Why not as another software application on your laptop?
 - Laptop not well portable, large trusted code base, many other applications (malware), lack of secure storage for cryptographic keys, user/attacker control platform, expensive to own...
- Mobile phone fixes only some of these issues
 - Is portable, some have better platform security (but not all!), still somewhat expensive...

Properties of “Ideal” platform

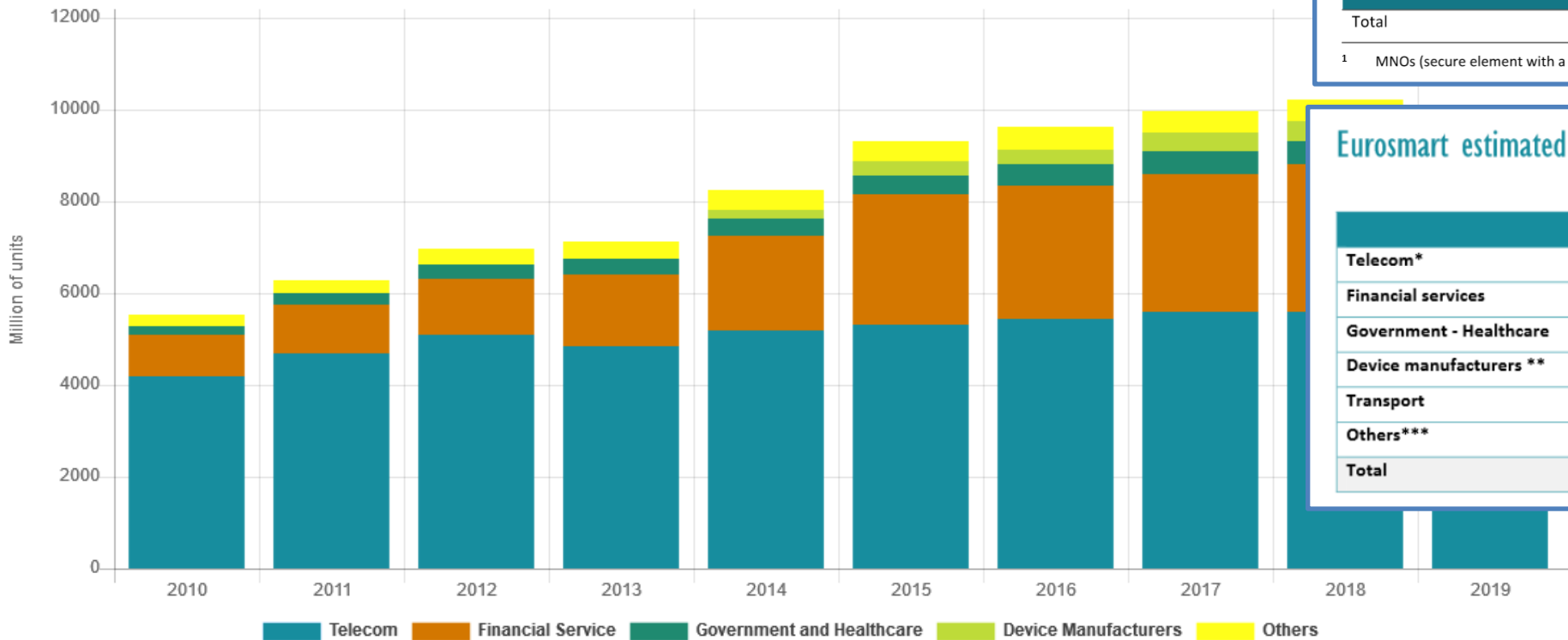
- Cheap, portable, no battery
- Good support from outer environment
- Fast enough for a task
- Easy to develop (securely)
- Apps portable between platform manufacturers
- Secure, even with physical access (keys extraction)
- Multiple apps from distrusting providers securely
- Secure remote management (new apps, update)
- ...

Technology

crypto smartcards
PC/SC, phones with NFC
main CPU + crypto coprocessors
JavaCard API, tools, best practices
JavaCard bytecode, JCVM
tamper resistant, CC, FIPS140-2/3
Applet firewall, Security Domains
GlobalPlatform, SCP, DAP

Primary markets for smartcards

Secure Elements Shipments From 2010 To 2019



Eurosmart estimated WW μ P market size - (Mu)

	2020	2021
Telecom ¹	5100	4900
Financial services	3170	3250
Government- Healthcare	425	490
Device manufacturers ²	450	490
Transport	230	220
Pay-TV	75	65
Others ³	90	90
Total	9540	9505

¹ MNOs (secure element with a SIM application)

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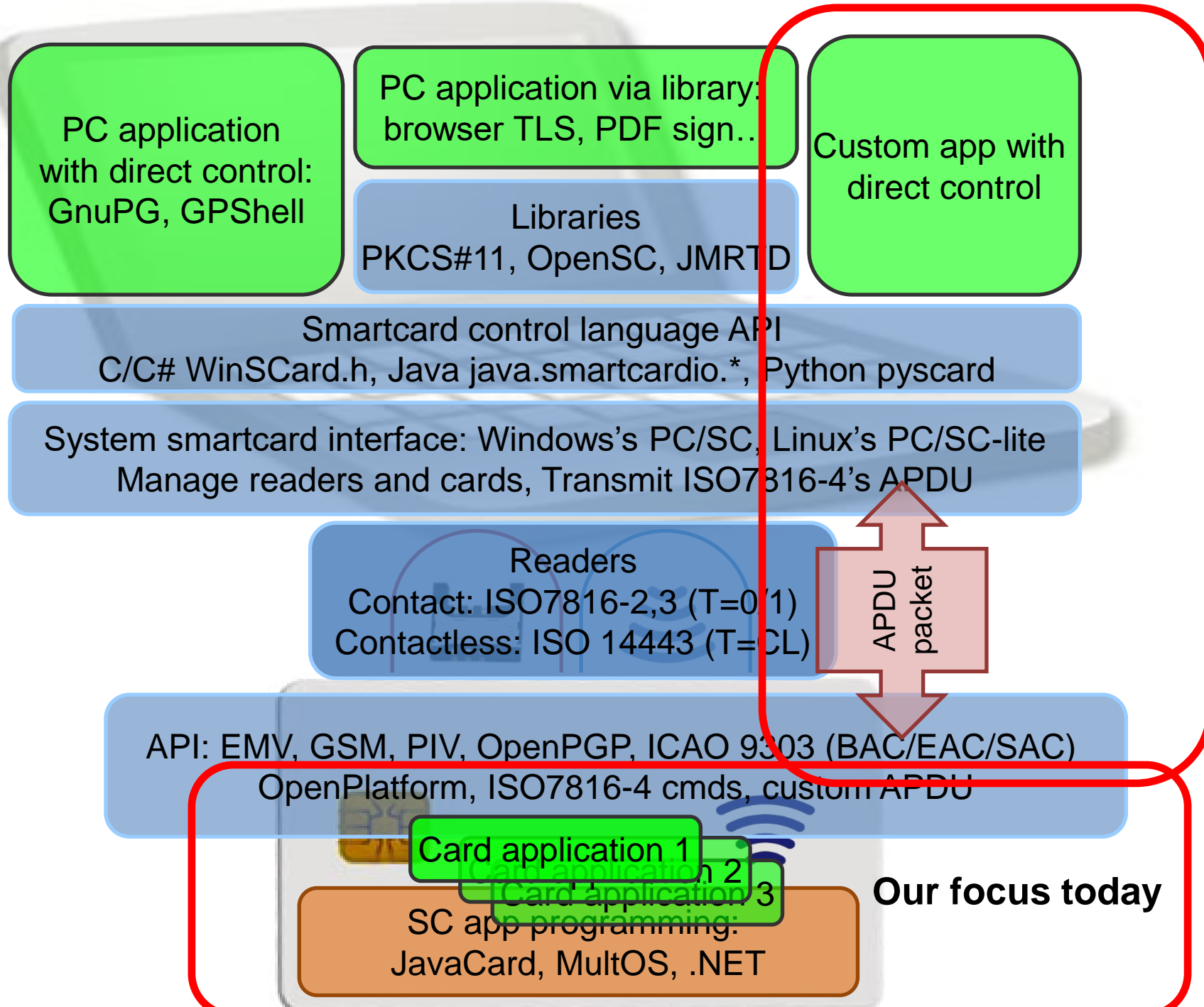
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Telecom*	4700	4600
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Total	9325	9.240 - 9.360

<https://www.eurosmart.com/eurosmarts-secure-elements-market-analysis-and-forecasts/>

<https://www.eurosmart.com/2021-secure-elements-global-market-and-2022-estimates/>

Old vs. current multi-application smart cards

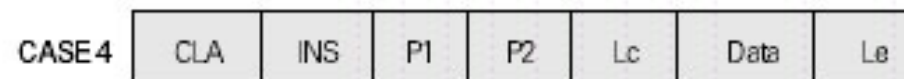
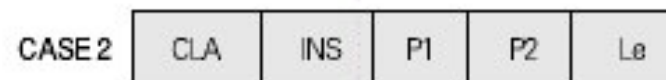
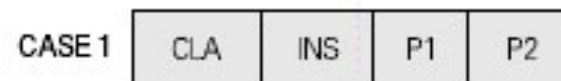
- One program only
- Stored persistently in ROM or EEPROM
- Written in machine code
 - Chip specific
- Multiple applications at the same time
- Stored in EEPROM
- Written in higher-level language
 - Interpreted from bytecode
 - Portable
- Application can be later managed (remotely)



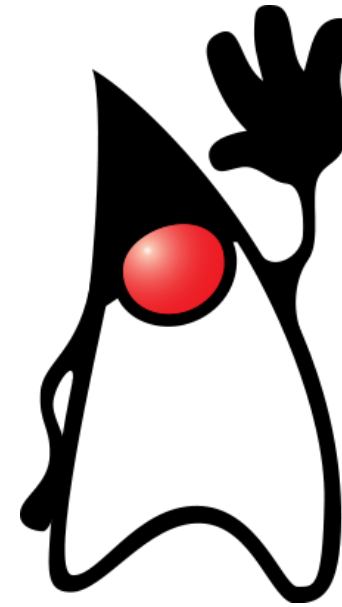
APDU (Application Protocol Data Unit)

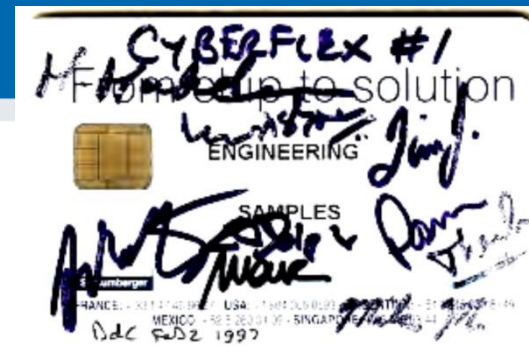
- APDU is basic logical communication datagram
 - header (5 bytes) and up to ~256 bytes of user data
- Format specified in ISO7816-4
- Header/Data format
 - CLA – instruction class
 - INS – instruction number
 - P1, P2 – optional data
 - Lc – length of incoming data
 - Data – user data
 - Le – length of the expected output data
- Some values of CLA/INS/P1/P2 standardized (better interoperability)
 - <https://web.archive.org/web/20180721010834/http://techmeonline.com/most-used-smart-card-commands-apdu/>
- Custom values used by application developer (your own API)

Command	Function	Instruction (INS)	Standard
ACTIVATE FILE	Reversibly unblock a file.	'44'	ISO/IEC 7816-9
APPEND RECORD	Insert a new record in a file with a linear fixed structure.	'E2'	ISO/IEC 7816-4
APPLICATION BLOCK	Reversibly block an application.	'1E'	EMV
APPLICATION UNBLOCK	Unblock an application.	'18'	EMV
ASK RANDOM	Request a random number from the smart card.	'84'	EN 726-3
		'24'	TS 51.011
		'24'	ISO/IEC 7816-8
		'AC'	EN 726-3
		'56'	EN 1546-3
		'E0'	ISO/IEC 7816-9
		'E2'	EN 726-3
		'52'	EN 1546-3
CREDIT PSAM	Pay from IEP to the PSAM.	'72'	EN 1546-3
DEACTIVATE FILE	Reversibly block a file.	'04'	ISO/IEC 7816-9
DEBIT IEP	Pay from the purse	'54'	EN 1546-
DECREASE	Reduce the value of a counter in a file.	'30'	EN 726-3
DECREASE STAMPED	Reduce the value of a counter in a file that is stamped using a	'34'	EN 726-3



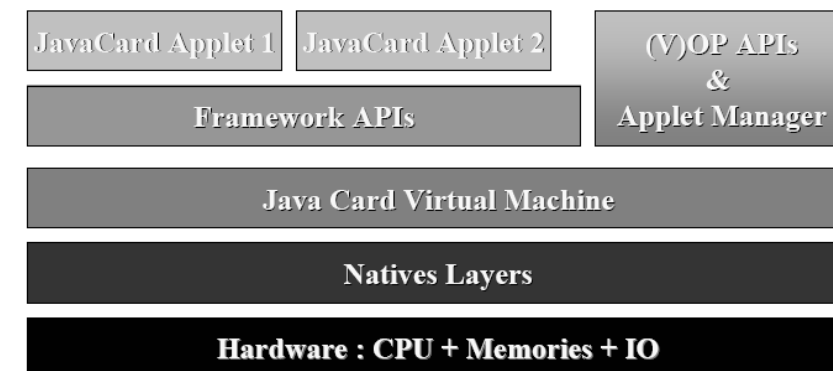
JavaCard basics





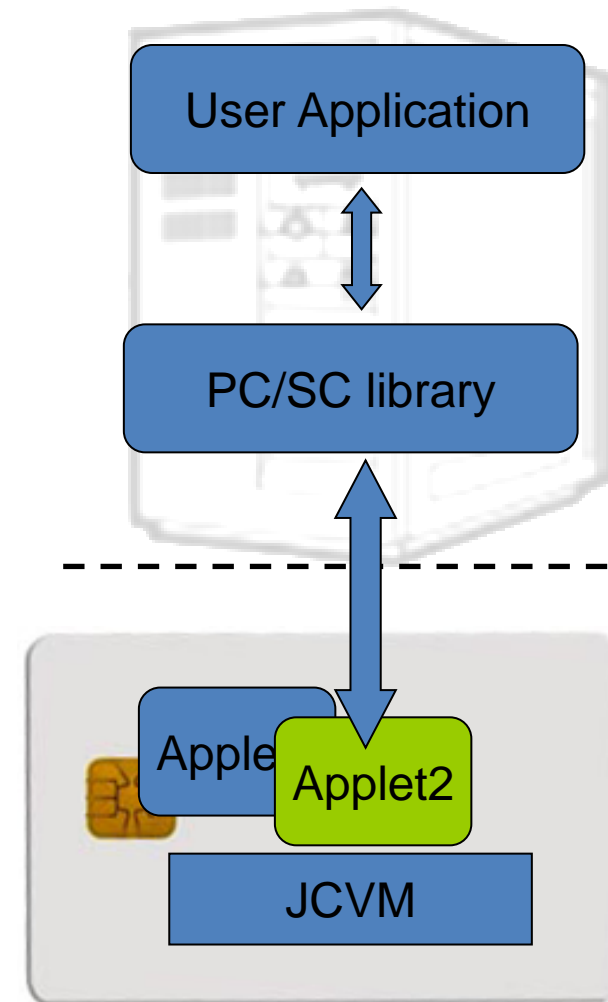
JavaCard

- Maintained by Java Card Forum (since 1997)
- Cross-platform and cross-vendor applet interoperability
- Freely available specifications and development kits
 - <http://www.oracle.com/technetwork/java/javacard/index.html>
- JavaCard applet is Java-like application
 - uploaded to a smart card
 - executed by the JCVM



JavaCard applets

- Written in restricted Java syntax
 - byte/short (int) only, missing most of Java objects
- Compiled using standard Java compiler
- Converted using JavaCard converter
 - check bytecode for restrictions
 - can be signed, encrypted...
- Uploaded and installed into smartcard
 - executed in JC Virtual Machine (JCVM)
- Communication using APDU commands
 - small packets with header

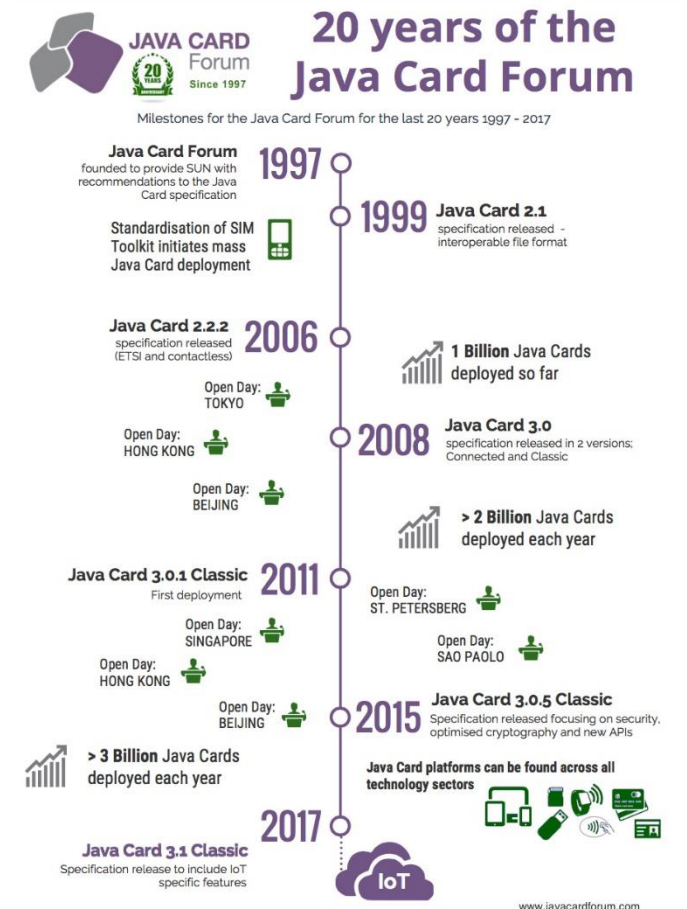


JavaCard versions

- JavaCard 2.1.x/2.2.x (2001-2003)
 - widely supported versions
 - basic symmetric and asymmetric cryptography algorithms
 - PIN, hash functions, random number generation
 - transactions, utility functions
- JavaCard 2.2.2 (2006)
 - last version from 2.x series
 - significantly extended support for algorithms and new concepts
 - long “extended” APDUs, BigInteger support, biometrics
 - external memory usage, fast array manipulation methods...
- JavaCard 3.x (2009)
 - classic and connected editions, later

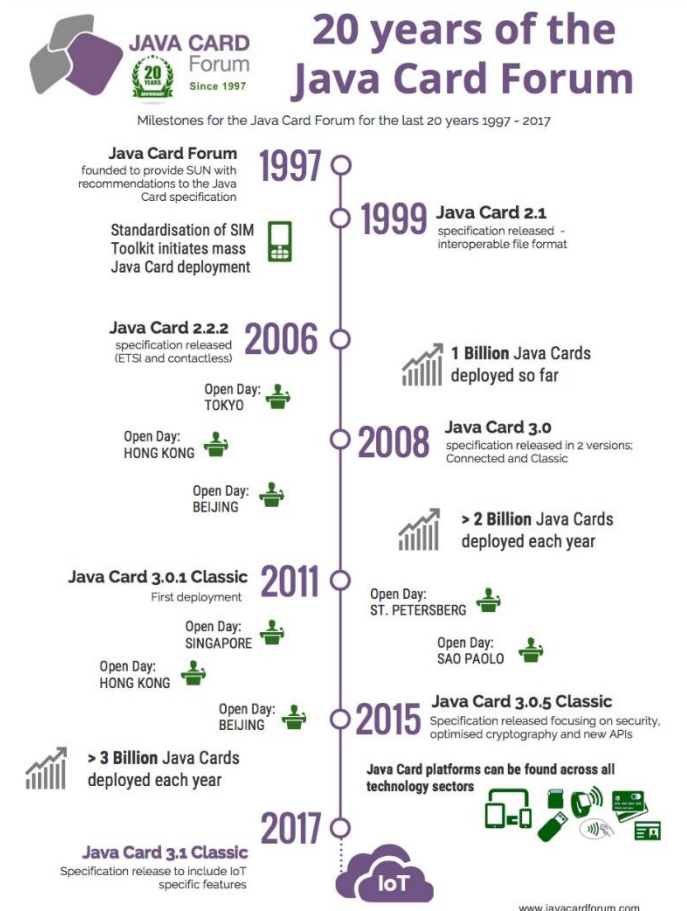
JavaCard 2.x is like Java but not supporting...

- No dynamic class loading
- No Security manager
- No Threads and synchronization
- No Object cloning, finalization
- No Large primitive data types
 - float, double, long and char
 - usually not even int (4 bytes) data type by default
 - specialized package `javacardx.framework.util.intx` for support
- Most of std. classes missing
 - most of `java.lang`, `Object` and `Throwable` in limited form
- Limited garbage collection
 - Newer cards supports, but slow and not always reliable



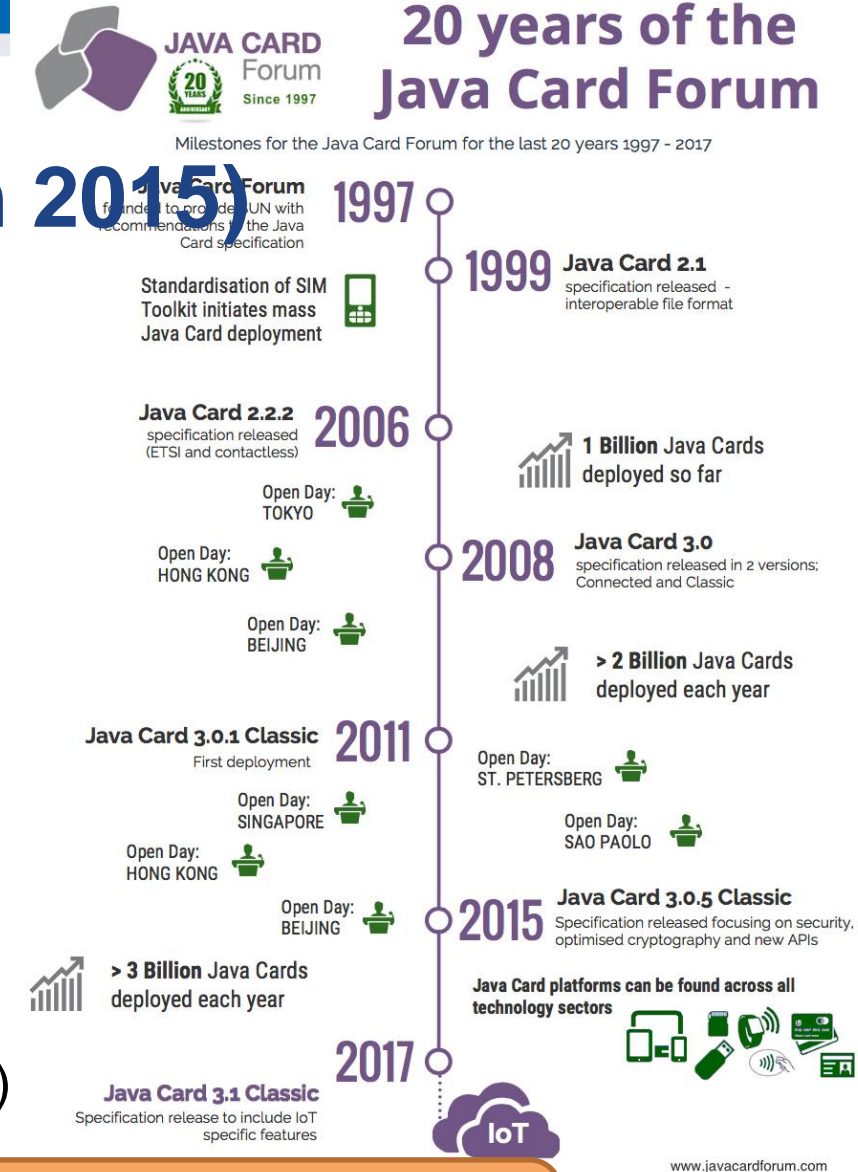
JavaCard 2.x supports

- Standard benefits of the Java language
 - data encapsulation, safe memory management, packages, etc.
- Applet isolation based on the JavaCard firewall
 - applets cannot directly communicate with each other
 - special interface (Shareable) for cross applets interaction
- Atomic operations using transaction mode
- Transient data (buffer placed in RAM)
 - fast and automatically cleared
- A rich cryptography API
 - accelerated by cryptographic co-processor
- Secure (remote) communication with the terminal
 - if GlobalPlatform compliant (secure messaging, security domains)



JavaCard 3.0.x (most recent 3.0.5 from 2015)

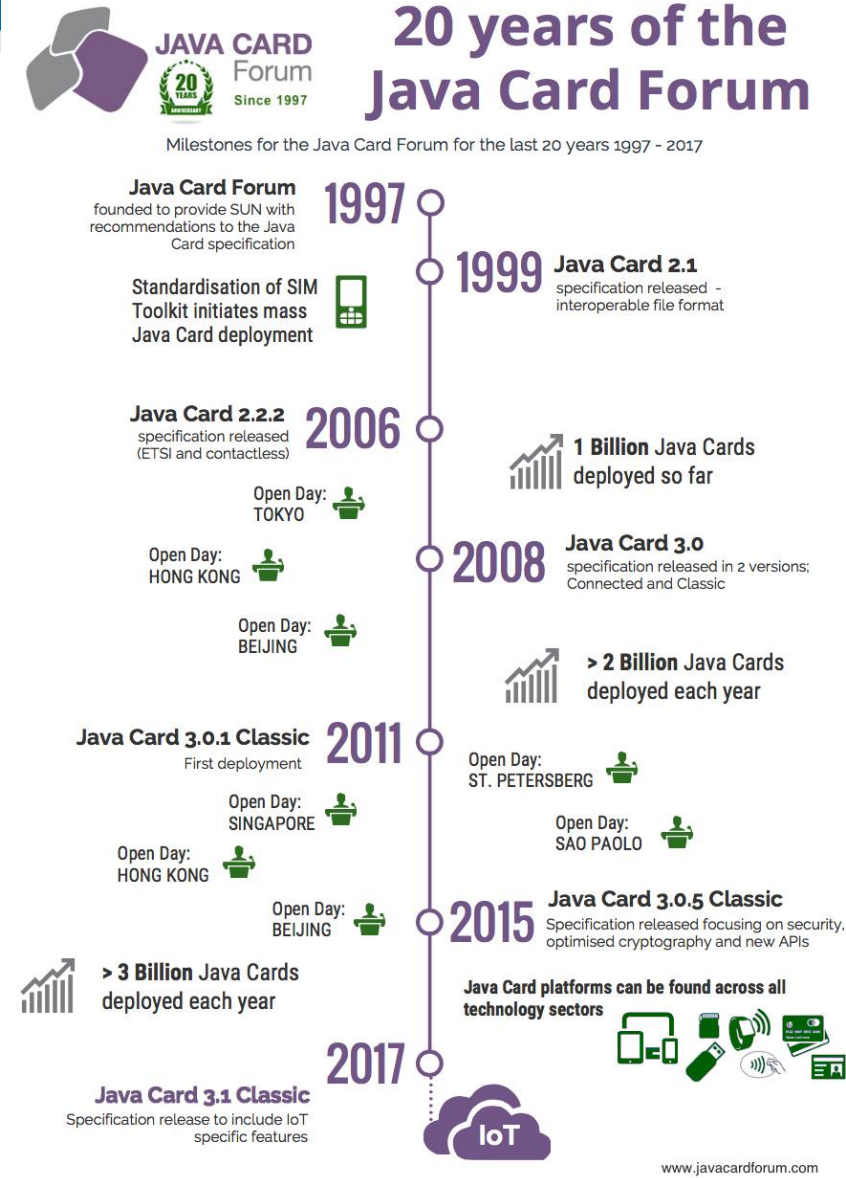
- Major release of JavaCard specification
 - significant changes in development logic
 - two separate branches – Classic and Connected edition
- JavaCard 3.x Classic Edition
 - legacy version, extended JC 2.x
 - APDU-oriented communication
- JavaCard 3.x Connected Edition
 - smart card perceived as web server (Servlet API)
 - TCP/IP network capability, HTTP(s), TLS
 - supports Java 6 language features (generics, annotations...)
 - move towards more powerful target devices
 - focused on different segment than classic smart cards



Connected edition is not used so far (likely dead)

JavaCard 3.1 (2018) and 3.2 (2023)

- JavaCard 3.1
 - Focus on IoT
 - Additional cryptographic algorithms, named curves
 - Not much experience yet (no devices available)
 - Some certified end of 2022
- JavaCard 3.2
 - Ext. EdDSA (edwards25519, edwards448 curves)
 - TLS1.3 and DTLS1.3 key schedule operations
 - Configuration for RSA-OAEP/PSS
- Conservative development
 - Only what is “widely” requested
 - Lacking behind state of the art



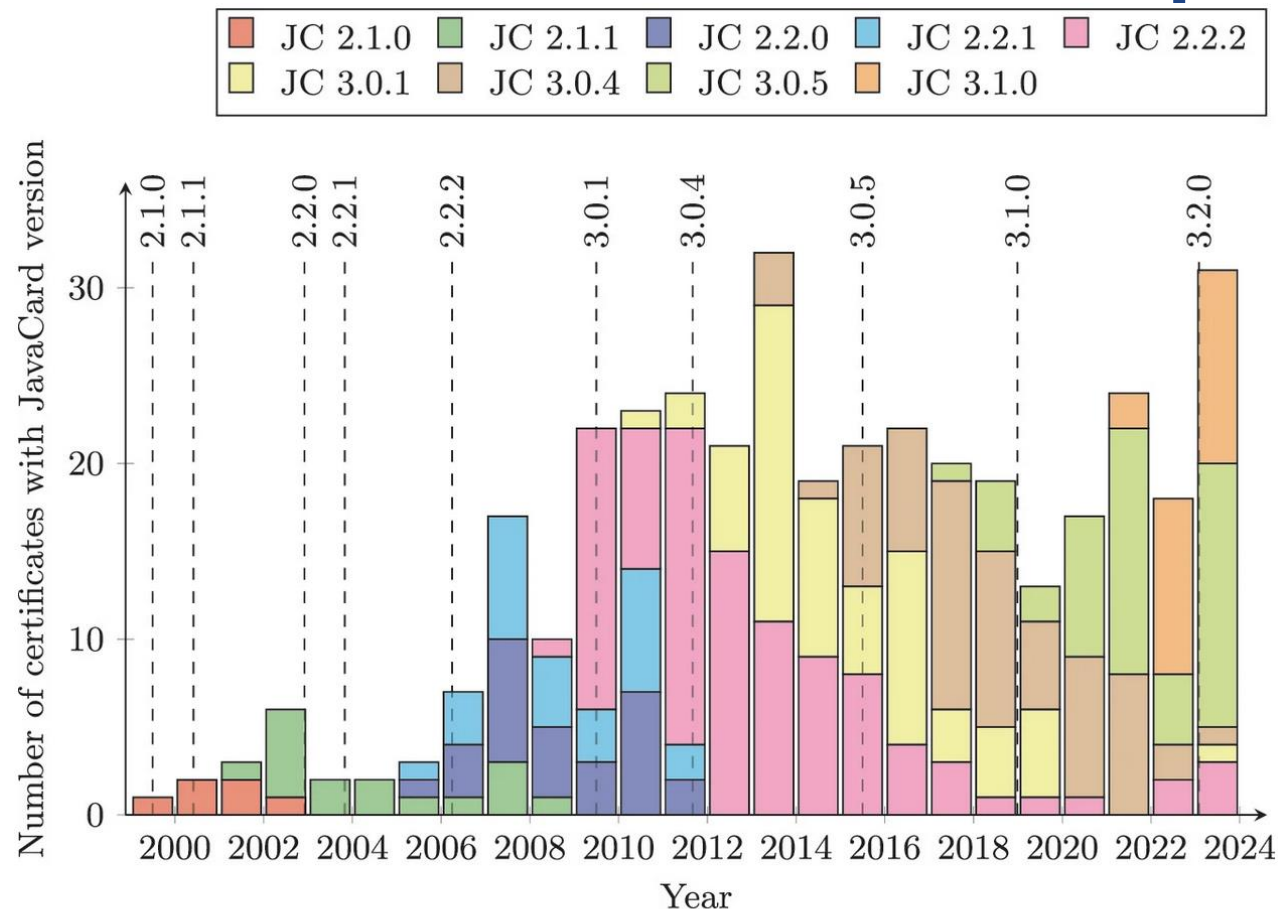
How to analyze real-world usage of technology X?

1. Collect representative sample of users / projects (ideally “all”)
 - E.g., all open-source JavaCard projects on GitHub
2. Establish significance of projects
 - E.g., Number of developers/forks/stars, search trends on Google, sales stats...
3. Analyze projects for the level and style of use of technology X
 - E.g., static code analysis of JavaCard keywords and constants
 - Ideally trends in time if possible (e.g., code state in time via git commits)

“The adoption rate of JavaCard features by certified products and open-source projects”, L. Zaoral, A. Dufka, P.Svenda, CARDIS’23

https://link.springer.com/chapter/10.1007/978-3-031-54409-5_9

Certified smartcards and JavaCard-related projects



The number of certification documents mentioning specific JavaCard API version per year (the year 2023 only till the end of October). In case multiple versions were detected in a document, only the latest one was included in the chart.

- Number of (expensively) certified JavaCard devices is increasing

Activity of open-source JavaCard applets in time

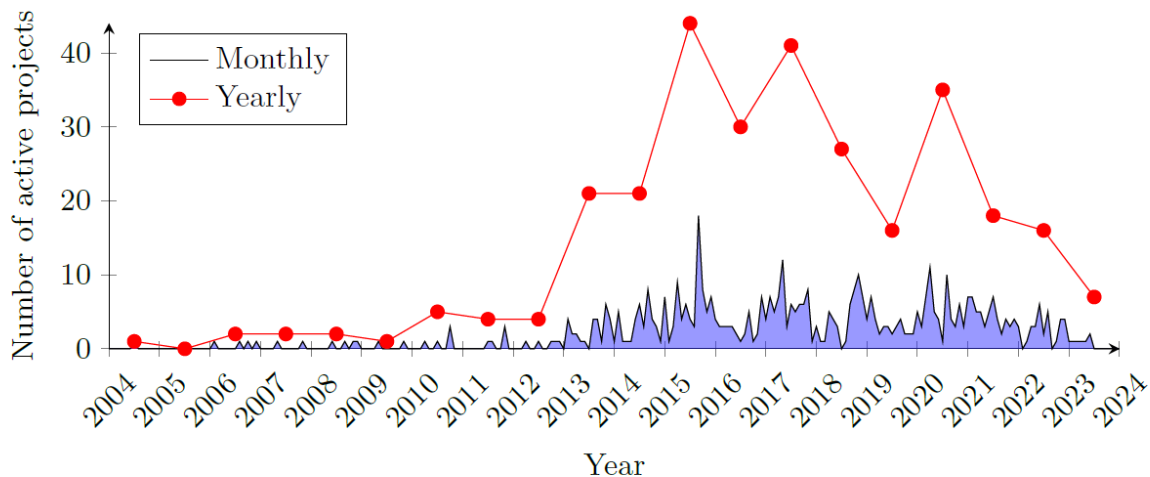
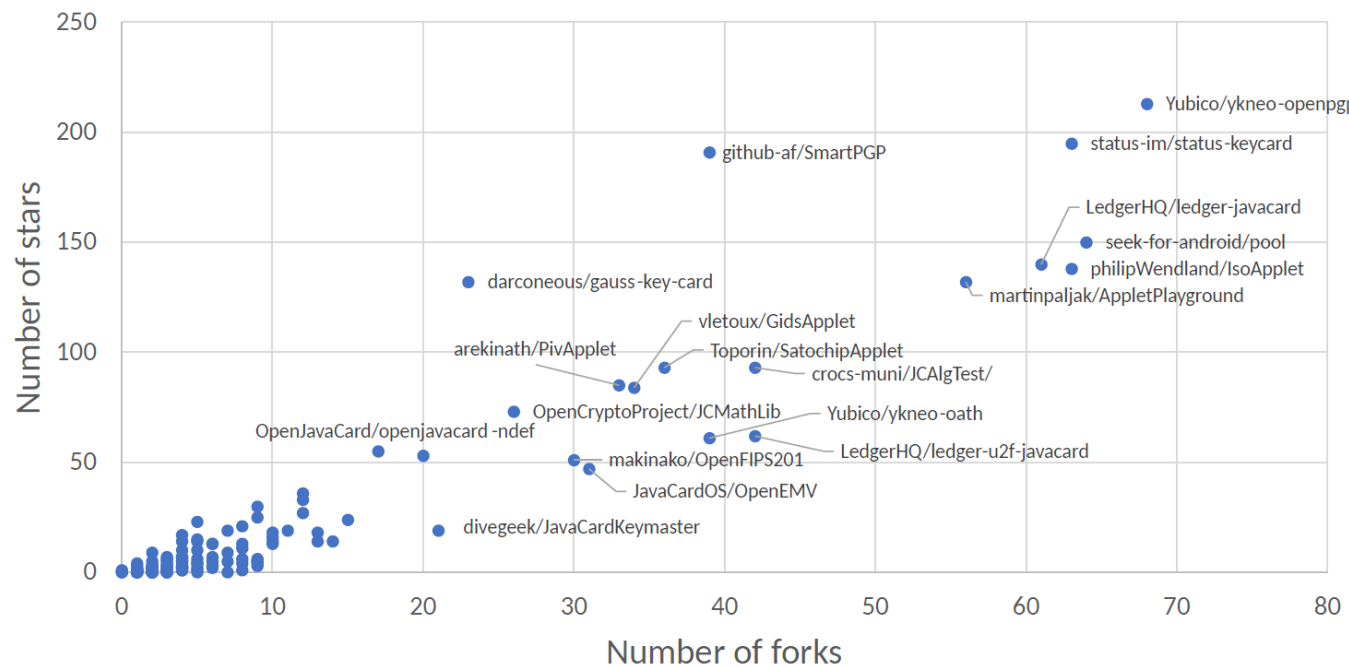


Fig. 3. Number of open-source projects with at least one commit per month (black line) or per year (red line) respectively. The year 2023 is only till end of June.

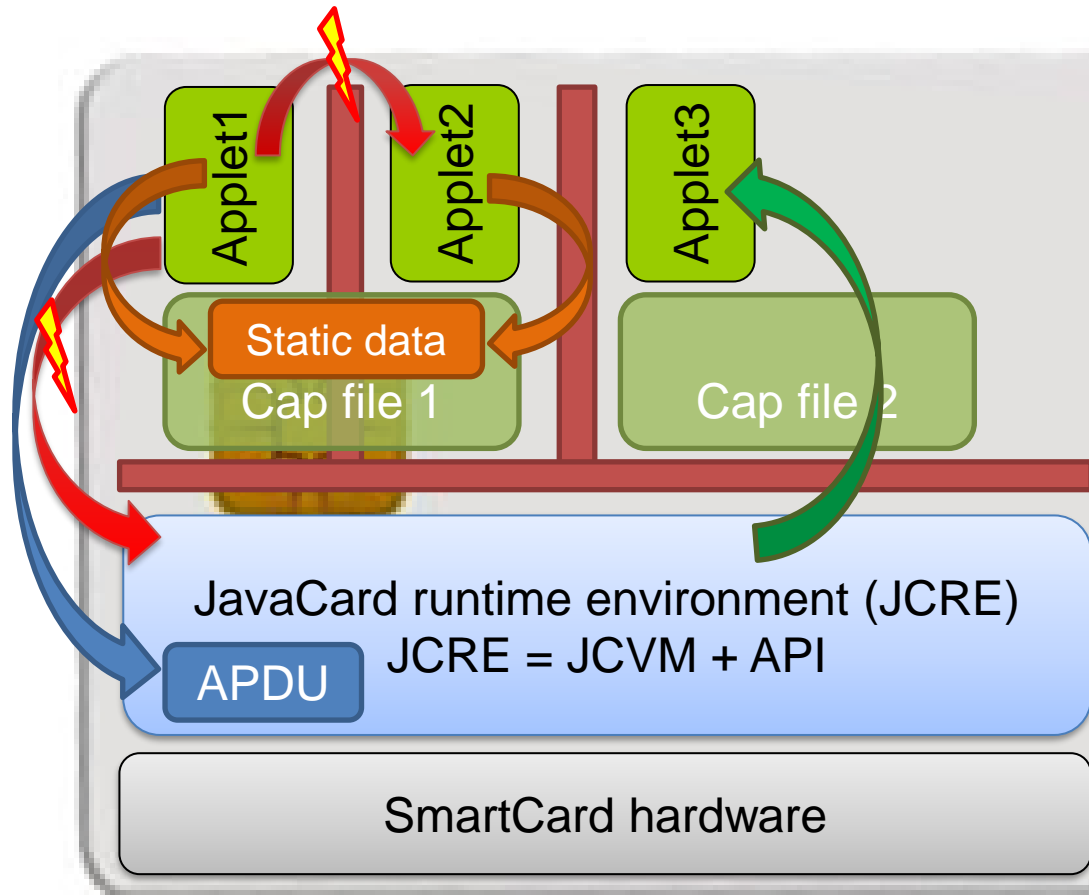


- Is open-source ecosystem representative of the whole domain?
 - Likely two orders of magnitude more developers in **non**-open source domain
 - Proprietary applets with access to proprietary API may be different

Version support

- Need to know supported version for your card
 - convertor adds version identification of packages used to binary cap file
 - If converted with unsupported version, upload to card fails
- Supported version can be (somewhat) obtained from card
 - `JCSystem.getVersion()` → [Major.Minor]
 - <https://github.com/petrs/jcAIDScan>
 - See <https://www.fi.muni.cz/~xsvenda/jcsupport.html>
- Available cards supports mostly 2.x specification or 3.0.x (newer cards)

JavaCard applet firewall – runtime checks



- **Access** to other applet's methods and attributes **prevented**
 - Even if **public**
- Applets **can access specific JCRE objects**
- **JCRE can access all applets** (no restriction)
- **Static attributes** of package accessible by **all its applets!**

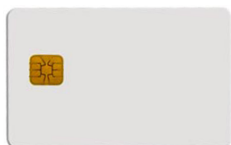
Inspired by http://ekldata.com/IHWNXUB-yernbID2sdiK1zxxQco/5_javacard.pdf

Desktop vs. smart card

- Following slides will be marked with icon based on where it is executed



Process executed on host (PC/NTB...)



Process executed inside smart card

On-card, off-card code verification

- How to upload only “correct” applets?
- Off-card verification
 - Basic JavaCard constraints
 - Possibly additional checks (e.g., type consistency when using Shareable interface)
 - Full-blown static analysis possible
 - Applet can be digitally signed (and enforced by DAP – shown later)
- On-card verification
 - Limited resources available
 - Proprietary checks by JC platform implementation



DEVELOPING JAVACARD APPS

```

package example;
import javacard.framework.*;

public class HelloWorld extends Applet {
    protected HelloWorld() {
        register();
    }
    public static void install(byte[] bArray, short bOffset, byte bLength) {
        new HelloWorld();
    }
    public boolean select() {
        return true;
    }
    public void process(APDU apdu) {
        // get the APDU buffer
        byte[] apduBuffer = apdu.getBuffer();
        // ignore the applet select command dispatched to the process
        if (selectingApplet()) return;
        // APDU instruction parser
        if (apduBuffer[ISO7816.OFFSET_CLA] == CLA_MYCLASS) &&
            apduBuffer[ISO7816.OFFSET_INS] == INS_MYINS) {
            MyMethod(apdu);
        }
        else ISOException.throwIt( ISO7816.SW_INS_NOT_SUPPORTED);
    }
    public void MyMethod(APDU apdu) { /* ... */ }
}

```

include packages from javacard.*

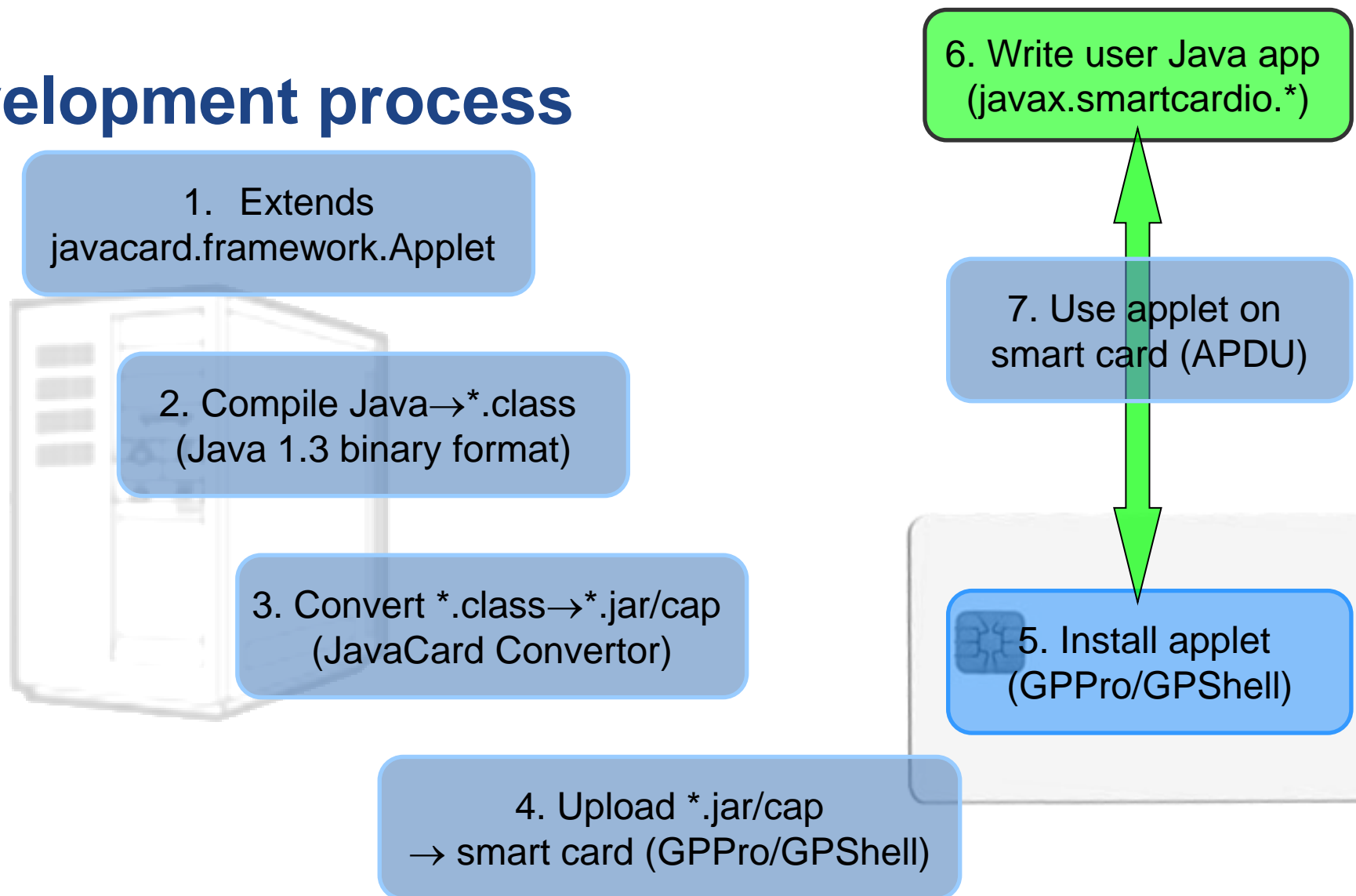
extends Applet

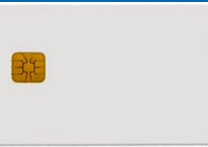
Called only once, do all allocations&init HERE

Called repeatedly on application select, do all temporaries preparation HERE

Called repeatedly for every incoming APDU, parse and call your code HERE

JC development process





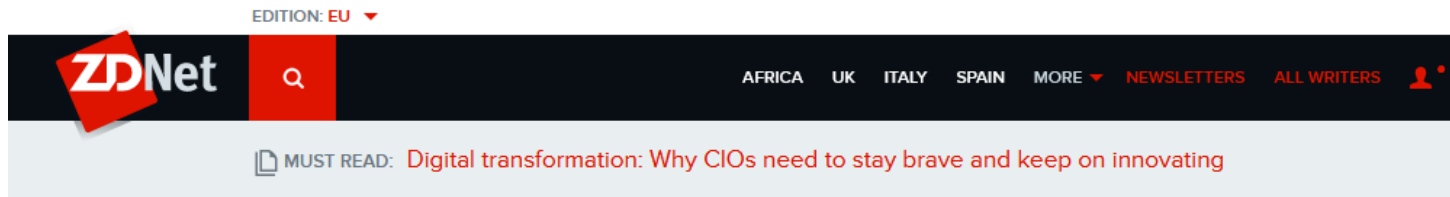
JavaCard application running model

1. Uploaded package – application binary
2. Installed applet from package – running application
3. Applet is “running” until deleted from card
4. Applet is suspended when power is lost
 - Transient data inside RAM are erased
 - Persistent data inside EEPROM remain
 - Currently executed method is interrupted
5. When power is resumed
 - Unfinished transactions are rolled back
 - Applet continues to run with the same persistent state
 - Applet waits for new command (does *not* continue with interrupted method)
6. Applet is deleted by service command

Managing applets on card



Motivation: Fix bug in electronic IDs for half of population



Estonia's ID card crisis: How e-state's poster child got into and out of trouble

Estonia is built on secure state e-systems, so the world was watching when it hit a huge ID-card problem.

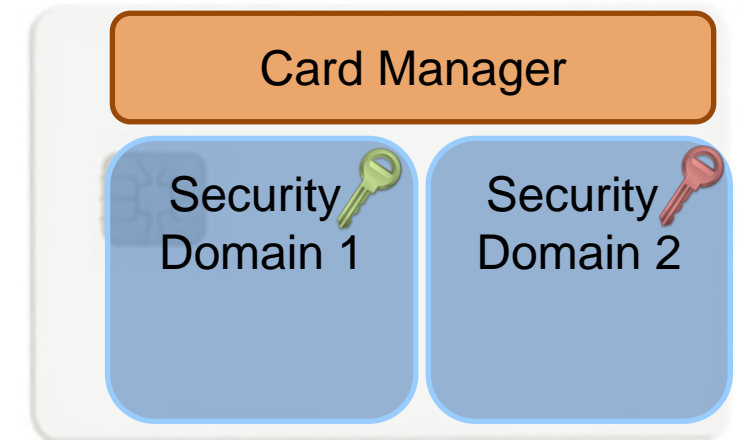
- Problem: how to remotely manage administrative access to token?
 - Smartcards, TEE (TrustZone) - same basic issues, but also some specifics
- Local/remote upload, configuration and removal of applications
- Authentication of manager, online vs. offline operations

GlobalPlatform

- Specification of API for card administration
 - Upload/install/delete applications
 - Card lifecycle management
 - Card security management
 - Security mechanisms and protocols
- Newest is GlobalPlatform Card Specification v2.3.1
 - March 2018
 - Previous versions also frequently used
 - <http://www.globalplatform.org/specificationscard.asp>
- Primary open API for Trusted Execution Environment (TEE)
 - ARM TrustZone...

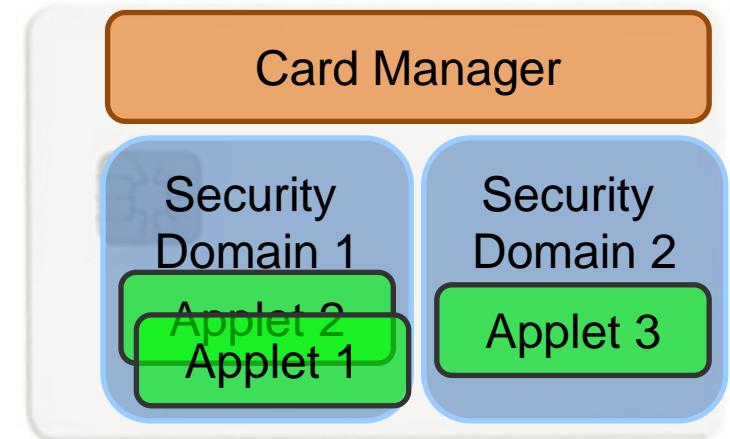
GlobalPlatform – main terms

- Smart card life cycle
 - OP_READY, INITIALIZED (prepared for personalization)
 - SECURED (issued to user, use phase)
 - CARD_LOCKED (temporarily locked (attack), unlock to SECURED)
 - TERMINATED (logically destroyed)
- Card Manager (CM)
 - Special card component responsible for administration and card system service functions (cannot be removed)
- Security Domain (SD)
 - Logically separated area on card with own access control
 - Enforced by different authentication keys



GlobalPlatform – main terms

- Card Content (apps,data) Management
 - Content verification, loading, installation, removal
- Security Management
 - Security Domain locking, Application locking
 - Card locking, Card termination
 - Application privilege usage, Security Domain privileges
 - Tracing and event logging
- Command Dispatch
 - Application selection
 - (Optional) Logical channel management



Smart card life cycles

- The smart card passes various logical life cycle states between manufacture and final destruction
- Life cycle states define which operations can be performed with the card
- The card Life Cycle States `OP_READY` and `INITIALIZED` are intended for use during the Pre-Issuance phases of the card's life.
- The states `SECURED`, `CARD_LOCKED` and `TERMINATED` are intended for use during the Post-Issuance phase of the card although it is possible to terminate the card at any point during its life.

Smart card life cycles

- OP_READY – card is ready for uploading of key diversification data, any application and issuer specific structures.
- INITIALIZED – card is fully prepared but not yet issued to card holder.
- SECURED – card is issued to card holder. Card management is possible only through Security domain (installation of signed applets etc.).
- CARD_LOCKED – card is locked due to some security policy and no data management can be performed. Card can be locked by Security domain and later unlocked as well (switch back to SECURED state).
- TERMINATED – card is logically “destroyed” due to card expiration or detection of the severe security thread.

Global Platform APDU commands

- DELETE – delete uniquely identifiable object (e.g. JavaCard applet)
- STORE_DATA – upload content of single data object
- GET_DATA - used to retrieve a single data object
- SET_STATUS – set Life Cycle status
- GET_STATUS – return Life Cycle status
- INSTALL – initiate installation, typically (JavaCard) applet
- LOAD – upload file from PC to smart card, e.g. JavaCard cap file
- PUT_KEY – update value of specified key

Card Production Life Cycle (CPLC)

- Manufacturing metadata
- Dates (OS, chip)
- Circuit serial number
- (not mandatory)
- GlobalPlatform APDU
 - 80 CA 9F 7F 00
 - gppro --info
- ISO7816 APDU
 - 00 CA 9F 7F 00

CPLC info

IC Fabricator: 4790

IC Type: 5167

OS ID: 4791

OS Release Date: 2081

OS Release Level: 3b00

IC Fabrication Date ((Y DDD) date in that year): 4126

IC Serial Number: 00865497

IC Batch Identifier: 3173

IC Module Fabricator: 4812

IC Module Packaging Date: 4133

IC Manufacturer: 0000

IC Embedding Date: 0000

IC Pre Personalizer: 1017

IC Pre Personalization Equipment Date: 4230

IC Pre Personalization Equipment ID: 38363534

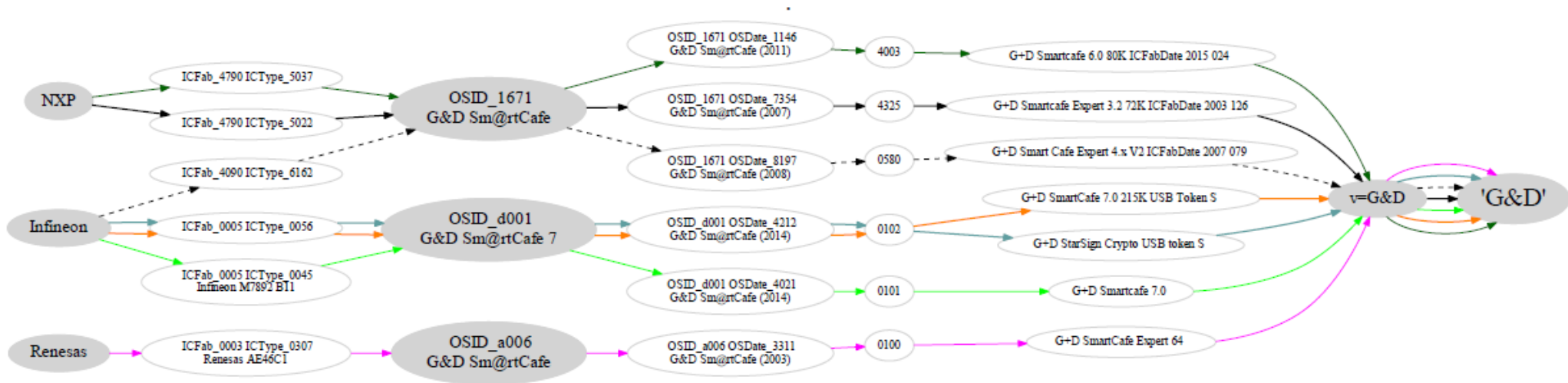
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IC Personalization Date: 0000

IC Personalization Equipment ID: 00000000

Example CPLC results from several G&D cards

ICFabricator → ICFab_ICType → OperatingSystemID → OperatingSystemID_OSReleaseDate → OSReleaseLevel → CardName → Original vendor → Current vendor





GlobalPlatform package/applet upload - SCP

- A. Security domain selection
 - B. Secure channel establishment (SCP) – security domain
 - C. Package (cap file) upload
 - Local upload in trusted environment
 - Remote upload with relayed secure channel
 - D. Applet installation
 - Separate instance from package binary with unique AID
 - Applet privileges and other parameters passed
 - Applet specific installation data passed
- **`gp --install file_with_applet.cap`**



GlobalPlatform package/applet upload - Data Authentication Pattern (DAP)

- Generate cap signing keypair (RSA, OpenSSL)
- Sign applet (file with cap, capfile tool)
- Create policy domain (SSD) with MandatedDAPVerification
- Set personalization keys for the SSD (secret symmetric crypto keys)
- Upload verification key for this domain (key version 0x73, public key of your signing keypair)
- Verify that SSD is prepared (DOM, DAPVerification privilege)
- Upload signed applet (*.cap file)
- <https://github.com/martinpaljak/GlobalPlatformPro/blob/next/tests/sce70.sh>

GlobalPlatformPro – DAP example

Warning: Once created, policy domain cannot be removed

- // Sign cap file
- `java -jar capfile.jar -s priv.pem file.cap`
- // Create policy domain with dap verification (DAPVerification) - will contain public key and will be used to authorize cap loading
- `set DOM5=050505050505`
- `gp -key default -domain %DOM5% -privs MandatedDAPVerification`
- // Lock with visa2 KDF
- `gp -connect %DOM5% -key default -lock emv:default`
- // Put pub key
- `gp -connect %DOM5% --put-key pub.pem --new-keyver 0x73 -key emv:default`
- // Try to install unsigned cap files (shall fail)
- `gp -key default --sha256 --install file_unsigned.cap`
- // Load applet into ISD with DAP policy domain used
- `gp -key default --sha256 --install file.cap --dap-domain %DOM5%`

DEVELOPING SIMPLE APPLET



JavaCard – My first applet

- Desktop Java vs. JavaCard
 - PHP vs. C 😊
- No modern programming features
 - No threads, no generics, no iterators...
- Limited type system
 - Usually no ints (short int and byte only), no floats, no Strings
- Fun with signed 16-bits values
 - JavaCard is usually 16-bit platform (short)
 - (short) typecast must be performed on intermediate results
 - Shorts are signed => to obtain unsigned byte
 - Convert to short with `& 0x00ff`



Necessary tools

- Several tool chains available
 - both commercial (RADIII, JCOPTools, G&D JCS Suite)
 - and free (Sun JC SDK, AppletPlayground...)
- We will use:
 - Java Standard Edition Development Kit 1.3 or later
 - ant-javacard ant task for building JC applets
 - Apache Ant 1.7 or later, JavaCard Development Kit 2.2.2
 - NetBeans 6.8 or later as IDE
 - GlobalPlatformPro for applets management

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            MyMethod(apdu);
        }
        else ISOException.throwIt( ISO7816.SW_INS_NOT_SUPPORTED);
    }
    public void MyMethod(APDU apdu) { /* ... */ }
}

```

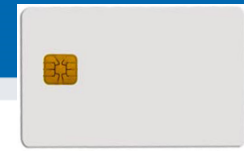
include packages from
javacard.*

extends Applet

Called only once, do
all allocations&init
HERE

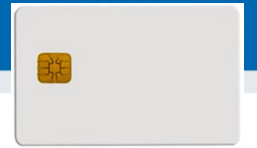
Called repeatedly on
application select, do
all temporaries
preparation HERE

Called repeatedly for
every incoming APDU,
parse and call your
code HERE



Simple JavaCard applet - code

1. Subclass `javacard.framework.Applet`
2. Allocate all necessary resources in constructor
3. Select suitable CLA and INS for your method
4. Parse incoming APDU in `Applet.process()` method
5. Call your method when your CLA and INS are set
6. Get incoming data from APDU object (`getBuffer()`, `setIncomingAndReceive()`)
7. Use/modify data
8. Send response (`setOutgoingAndSend()`)

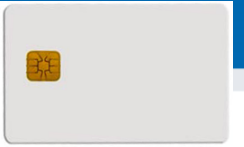


select() method

- Method called when applet is set as active
 - for subsequent APDU commands
 - begin of the session
 - use for session data init (clear keys, reset state...)

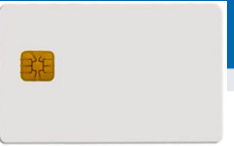
```
public void select() { // CLEAR ALL SESSION DATA
    chv1.reset(); // Reset OwnerPIN verification status
    remainingDataLength = 0; // Set states etc.
    // If card is not blocked, return true.
    // If false is returned, applet is not selectable
    if (!blocked) return true;
    else return false;
}
```

- deselect()
 - similar, but when applet usage finish
 - may not be called (sudden power drop) => clear in select



Sending and receiving data

- `javacard.framework.APDU`
 - incoming and outgoing data in APDU object
- Obtaining just apdu header
 - `APDU.getBuffer()`
- Receive data from terminal
 - `APDU.setIncomingAndReceive()`
- Send outgoing data
 - `APDU.setOutgoingAndSend()`



Sending and receiving data – source code

```
private void ReceiveSendData(APDU apdu) {
    byte[]  apdubuf = apdu.getBuffer();    // Get just APDU header (5 bytes)
    short   dataLen = apdu.setIncomingAndReceive(); // Get all incoming data
    // DO SOMETHING WITH INPUT DATA
    // STARTING FROM apdubuf[ISO7816.OFFSET_CDATA]
    // ...
    // FILL SOMETHING TO OUTPUT (apdubuf again)
    Util.arrayFillNonAtomic(apdubuf, ISO7816.OFFSET_CDATA, 10, (byte) 1);
    // SEND OUTGOING BUFFER
    apdu.setOutgoingAndSend(ISO7816.OFFSET_CDATA, 10);
}
```

COMMUNICATION WITH SMART CARD



JavaCard communication lifecycle

1. (Applet is already installed, APPLET_AID)
2. PC: Reset card (plug smart card in, software reset)
3. PC: Send SELECT command (00 a4 04 00 APPLET_AID)
 - received by Card Manager application
 - SC: sets our applet active, select() method is always called
4. PC: Send any APDU command (any of your choice)
 - SC: received by process() method
5. SC: Process incoming data on card, prepare outgoing data
 - encryption, signature...
6. PC: Receive any outgoing data
 - additional special readout APDU might be required
7. PC: Repeat again from step 4
8. PC: (Send DESELECT command)
 - SC: deselect() method might be called



Java `javax.smartcardio.*` API

- List readers available in system
 - `TerminalFactory.terminals()`
 - identified by index `CardTerminal.get(index)`
 - readable string (`Gemplus GemPC Card Reader 0`)
- Connect to target card
 - Check for card (`CardTerminal.isCardPresent()`)
 - connect to Card (`CardTerminal.connect("*")`)
 - get channel (`Card.getBasicChannel()`)
 - reset card and get ATR (`Card.getATR()`)



Already used in labs last week –
SimpleAPDU project



Java javax.smartcardio.* API (2)

- Select applet on card
 - send APDU with header 00 a4 04 00 LC APPLET_AID
- Send APDU to invoke method
 - prepare APDU buffer (byte array)
 - create CommandAPDU from byte array
 - send CommandAPDU via CardChannel.transmit()
 - check for response data (getSW1() == 0x61)
 - read available response data by 00 C0 00 00 SW2
- Process response
 - status should be ResponseAPDU.getSW() == 0x9000
 - returned data ResponseAPDU.getData()



Response APDU (R-APDU)

- Response data + status word (2 bytes)
 - 0x9000 - SW_NO_ERROR, OK
 - 0x61** - SW_BYTES_REMAINING_**
 - see javacard.framework.ISO7816 interface
 - other status possible (GlobalPlatform, user defined)
- May require special command to read out
 - first response is just status word (0x61**)
 - 00 C0 00 00 ** or C0 C0 00 00 ** APDU
 - ** is number of bytes to read out

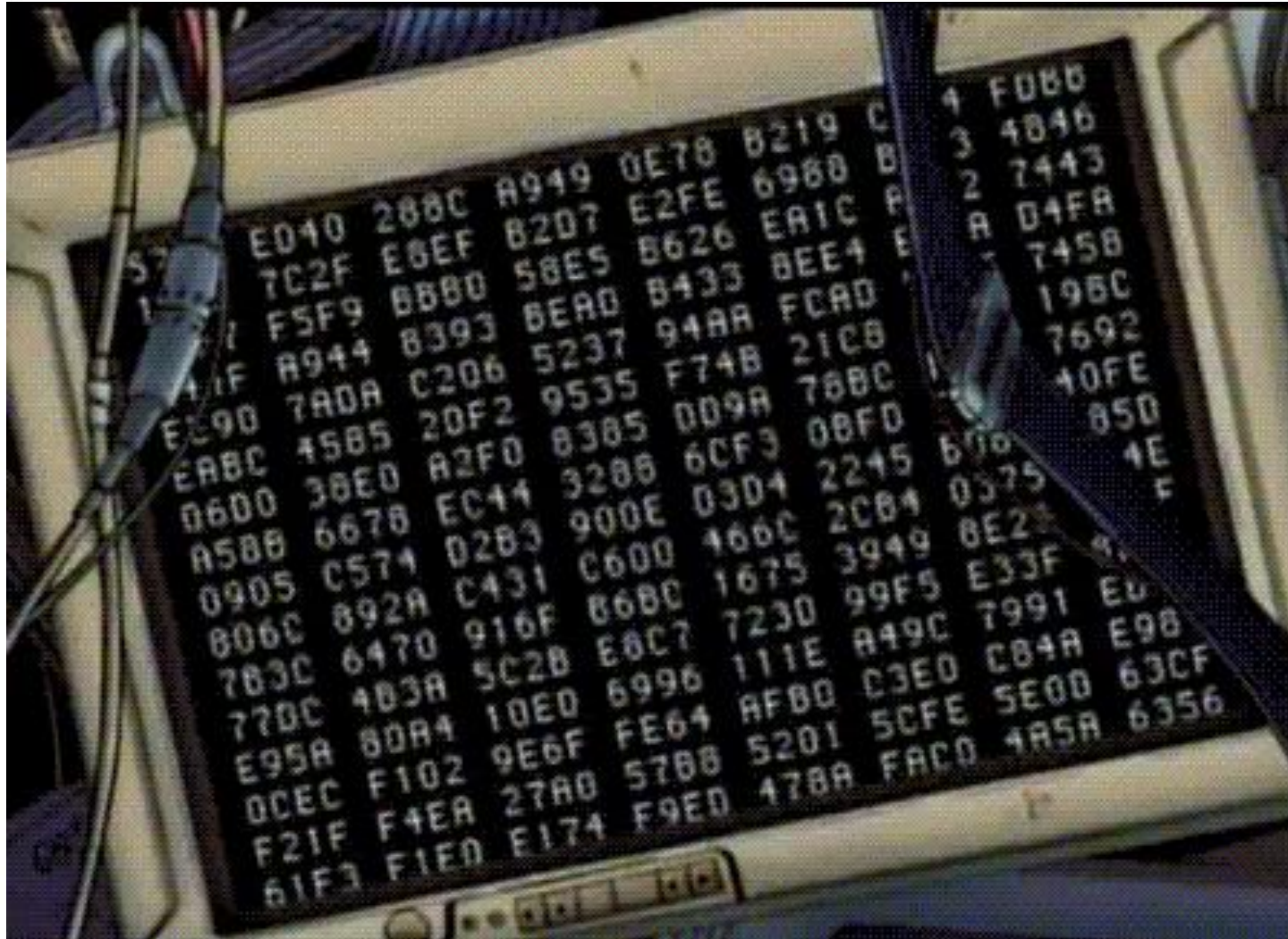
DEBUGGING APPLET

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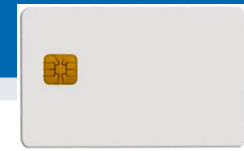
How does smart card programming look like in real life? Here's a typical scenario...





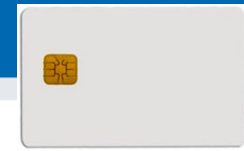
1. Debugging applets: simulator

- The smartcard is designed to protect application
 - Debugger cannot be connected to running application
- Option 1: use card simulator (jcardsim.org)
 - Simulation of JavaCard 3.0.5 (based on BouncyCastle)
 - Very helpful, allows for direct debugging (will be covered in labs)
 - Catch of logical flaws etc.
 - Allows to write automated unit and integration tests!
- Problem: Real limitations of cards are missing
 - supported algorithms, memory, execution speed...



2. Debugging applets: real cards

- Option 2: use real cards
 - Cannot directly connect debugger, no logging strings...
- Debugging based on error messages
 - Use multiple custom errors rather than ISO7816 errors
 - Distinct errors tell you where problem (might) happened
- Problem: operation may end with unspecific 0x6f00
 - Any uncaught exception on card (other than ISOException)
 - Solution1: Capture on card, translate to ISOException
 - Solution2: Locate problematic command by insertion of `ISOException.throwIt(0x666)`; and recompile



Possible causes for exception on card

- Writing behind allocated array
- Using Key that was Key.clear() before
- Insufficient memory to complete operation
- Cipher.init() with uninitialized Key
- Import of RSA key into real card generated by software outside card (e.g., getP() len == 64 vs. 65B for RSA1024)
- Storing reference of APDU object localAPDU = origAPDU;
- Decryption of value stored in byte[] array with raw RSA with most significant bit == 1 (set first byte of array to 0xff to verify)
- Set CRT RSA key using invalid values for given part - e.g. setDP1()
- Too many nested calls, no free space on stack for arguments
- ... and many more 😊

```

public void process(javacard.framework.APDU apdu) {
    // ignore the applet select command dispatched to the process
    if (selectingApplet()) return;
    try {
        //
        // ... Standard APDU command dispatching...
        //
    } catch (ISOException e) {
        throw e; // Our exception from code, just re-emit
    } catch (ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException e) {
        ISOException.throwIt(SW_ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException);
    } catch (ArithmeticException e) {
        ISOException.throwIt(SW_ArithmeticException);
    } catch (ArrayStoreException e) {
        ISOException.throwIt(SW_ArrayStoreException);
    } catch (NullPointerException e) {
        ISOException.throwIt(SW_NullPointerException);
    } catch (NegativeArraySizeException e) {
        ISOException.throwIt(SW_NegativeArraySizeException);
    } catch (CryptoException e) {
        ISOException.throwIt((short) (SW_CryptoException_prefix | e.getReason()));
    } catch (SystemException e) {
        ISOException.throwIt((short) (SW_SystemException_prefix | e.getReason()));
    } catch (PINException e) {
        ISOException.throwIt((short) (SW_PINException_prefix | e.getReason()));
    } catch (TransactionException e) {
        ISOException.throwIt((short) (SW_TransactionException_prefix | e.getReason()));
    } catch (CardRuntimeIOException e) {
        ISOException.throwIt((short) (SW_CardRuntimeIOException_prefix | e.getReason()));
    } catch (Exception e) {
        ISOException.throwIt(Constants.SW_Exception_prefix | e.getReason());
    }
}

```

Our exception, just re-emit

Some exceptions provide additional information (code). Propagate it further

final short SW_Exception	= (short) 0xff01;
final short SW_ArrayIndexOutOfBoundsException	= (short) 0xff02;
final short SW_ArithmeticException	= (short) 0xff03;
final short SW_ArrayStoreException	= (short) 0xff04;
final short SW_NullPointerException	= (short) 0xff05;
final short SW_NegativeArraySizeException	= (short) 0xff06;
final short SW_CryptoException_prefix	= (short) 0xf100;
final short SW_SystemException_prefix	= (short) 0xf200;
final short SW_PINException_prefix	= (short) 0xf300;
final short SW_TransactionException_prefix	= (short) 0xf400;
final short SW_CardRuntimeIOException_prefix	= (short) 0xf500;

Debugging using custom commands

- Addition of custom commands to “dump” interesting parts of data
 - Intermediate values of internal arrays, unwrapped keys...
- Should obey to *Secure by default principle*
 - Debugging possibility should be enabled only on intention
 - E.g., specific flag in installation data which cannot be enabled later (by an attacker)
 - Don't let debugging code into release!

**NEXT WEEK:
BEST PRACTICES FOR JAVACARD
(SECURE MULTIPARTY COMPUTATION)**

Summary

- Smart cards are programmable (JavaCard)
 - reasonable cryptographic API
 - coprocessor for fast cryptographic operations
 - multiple applications coexist securely on single card
 - Secure execution environment
- Standard Java 6 API for communication exists
- PKI applet can be developed with free tools
 - PIN protection, on-card key generation, signature...
- JavaCard is not full Java – optimizations, security

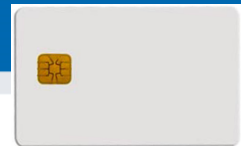
Mandatory reading

- Mandatory
 - IS, Gemalto_JavaCard_DevelGuide.pdf
- Optional
 - Java Card lecture, Erik Poll, Radboud Uni
 - http://ekladata.com/IHWNXUB-yernbID2sdiK1zxxQco/5_javacard.pdf

BEST PRACTICES (FOR APPLET DEVELOPERS)

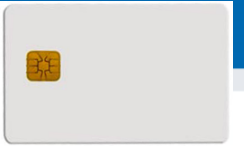
Quiz

1. Expect that your device is leaking in time/power channel. Which option will you use?
 - AES from hw coprocessor or software re-implementation?
 - Short-term sensitive data stored in EEPROM or RAM?
 - Persistent sensitive data in EEPROM or encrypted object?
 - Conditional jumps on sensitive value?
2. Expect that attacker can successfully induct faults (random change of bit(s) in device memory).
 - Suggest defensive options for applet's source code
 - Change in RAM, EEPROM, instruction pointer, CPU flags...



Security hints (1)

- Use API algorithms/modes rather than your own
 - API algorithms fast and protected in cryptographic hardware
 - general-purpose processor leaks more information (side-channels)
- Store session data in RAM
 - faster and more secure against power analysis
 - EEPROM has limited number of rewrites (10^5 - 10^6 writes)
- Never store keys, PINs or sensitive data in primitive arrays
 - use specialized objects like OwnerPIN and Key
 - better protected against power, fault and memory read-out attacks
 - If not possible, generate random key in Key object, encrypt large data with this key and store only encrypted data
- Make checksum on stored sensitive data (=> detect fault)



Security hints (2)

- Erase unused keys and sensitive arrays
 - use specialized method if exists (`Key.clearKey()`)
 - or overwrite with random data (`Random.generate()`)
 - Perform always before start of new session
- Use transactions to ensure atomic operations
 - power supply can be interrupted inside code execution
 - be aware of attacks by interrupted transactions - rollback attack
- Do not use conditional jumps with sensitive data
 - branching after condition is recognizable with power analysis => timing/power leakage



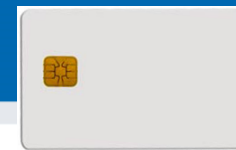
Security hints (3)

- Allocate all necessary resources in constructor
 - applet installation usually in trusted environment
 - prevent attacks based on limiting available resources
- Don't use static attributes (except constants)
 - Static attribute is shared between multiple instances of applet (bypass applet firewall)
 - Static ptr to array/engine filled by dynamic allocation cannot be removed until package is removed from card (memory “leak”)
- Use automata-based programming model
 - well defined states (e.g., user PIN verified)
 - well defined transitions and allowed method calls



Security hints (4)

- Treat exceptions properly
 - Do not let uncaught native exceptions to propagate from the card
 - Do not let your code to cause basic exceptions like `OutOfBoundsException` or `NullPointerException`s...



Security hints: fault induction (1)

- Cryptographic algorithms are sensitive to fault induction
 - Single signature with fault from RSA-CRT may leak the private key
 - Perform operation twice and compare results
 - Perform reverse operation and compare (e.g., verify after sign)
- Use constants with large hamming distance
 - Induced fault in variable will likely cause unknown value
 - Use 0xA5 and 0x5A instead of 0 and 1 (correspondingly for more)
 - Don't use values 0x00 and 0xff (easier to force all bits to 0 or 1)
- Check that all sub-functions were executed [Fault.Flow]
 - Fault may force program stack or stack to skip some code
 - Idea: Add defined value to flow counter inside target sub-function, check later for expected sum. Add also in branches.



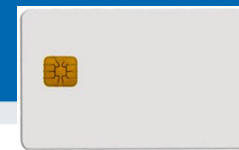
Security hints: fault induction (2)

- Replace single condition check by complementary check
 - `conditionalValue` is sensitive value
 - Do not use boolean values for sensitive decisions

```
if (conditionalValue == 0x3CA5965A) { // enter critical path
    // ...
    if (~conditionalValue != 0xC35A69A5) {
        faultDetect(); // fail if complement not equal to 0xC35A69A5
    }
    // ...
}
```

- Verify number of actually performed loop iterations

```
int i;
for ( i = 0; i < n; i++ ) { // important loop that must be completed
    // ...
}
if ( i != n ) { // loop not completed
    faultDetect();
}
```



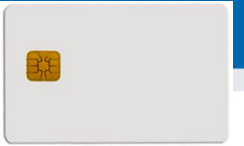
Security hints: fault induction (3)

- Insert random delays around sensitive operations
 - Randomization makes targeted faults more difficult
 - for loop with random number of iterations (for every run)
- Monitor and respond to detected induced faults
 - If fault is detected (using previous methods), increase fault counter.
 - Erase keys / lock card after reaching some threshold (~10)
 - Natural causes may occasionally cause fault => > 1

How and when to apply protections

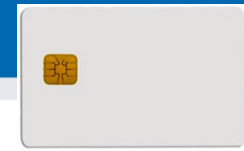
- ✓ Does the device need protection?
- ✓ Understand the resistance of the hardware
- ✓ Identify potential weakness in design
- ✓ Select patterns to use
- ✓ Understand your compiler
- ✓ Code it
- ✓ Test the resistance of the device

Riscure



Execution speed hints (1)

- Big difference between RAM and EEPROM memory
 - new allocates in EEPROM (persistent, but slow)
 - do not use EEPROM for temporary data
 - do not use for sensitive data (keys)
 - `JCSys.getTransientByteArray()` for RAM buffer
 - local variables automatically in RAM
- Use algorithms from JavaCard API and utility methods
 - much faster, cryptographic co-processor
- Allocate all necessary resources in constructor
 - executed during installation (only once)
 - either you get everything you want or not install at all



Execution speed hints (2)

- Garbage collection limited or not available
 - do not use `new` except in constructor
- Use copy-free style of methods
 - `foo(byte[] buffer, short start_offset, short length)`
- Do not use recursion or frequent function calls
 - slow, function context overhead
- Do not use OO design extensively (slow)
- Keep Cipher or Signature objects initialized
 - if possible (e.g., fixed master key for subsequent derivation)
 - initialization with key takes non-trivial time

JCPROFILERNEXT – PERFORMANCE PROFILING, NON-CONSTANT TIME DETECTION

JCProfilerNext: on-card performance profiler

- Open-source on-card performance profiler (L. Zaoral)
 - <https://github.com/lzaoral/JCProfilerNext>
- Automatically instrumentation of provided JavaCard code
 - Conditional exception emitted on defined line of code
 - Spoon tool used <https://spoon.gforge.inria.fr/>
- Measures time to reach specific line (measured on client-side)
- Fully automatic, no need for special setup (only JavaCard + reader)
- Goals:
 - Help developer to identify parts for performance optimizations
 - Help to detect (significant) timing leakages
 - Insert “triggers” visible on side-channel analysis
 - Insert conditional breakpoints...

Instrumented code (Spoon)

```
private void example(APDU apdu) {
```

```
PM.check(PMC.TRAP_example_Example_example_argb_javacard_framework_APDU_arge_1);
short count = Util.getShort(apdu.getBuffer(), ISO7816.OFFSET_CDATA);
PM.check(PMC.TRAP_example_Example_example_argb_javacard_framework_APDU_arge_2);
for (short i = 0; i < count; i++) {
    PM.check(PMC.TRAP_example_Example_example_argb_javacard_framework_APDU_arge_3);
    short tmp = 0;
    PM.check(PMC.TRAP_example_Example_example_argb_javacard_framework_APDU_arge_4);
    for (short k = 0; k < 50; k++) {
        PM.check(PMC.TRAP_example_Example_example_argb_javacard_framework_APDU_arge_5);
        tmp++;
        PM.check(PMC.TRAP_example_Example_example_argb_javacard_framework_APDU_arge_6);
    }
    PM.check(PMC.TRAP_example_Example_example_argb_javacard_framework_APDU_arge_7);
}
PM.check(PMC.TRAP_example_Example_example_argb_javacard_framework_APDU_arge_8);
}
```

```
// if m_perfStop equals to stopCondition, exception is thrown (trap hit)
public static void check(short stopCondition) {
    if (PM.m_perfStop == stopCondition) {
        ISOException.throwIt(stopCondition);
    }
}
```

JCProfilerNext – timing profile of target line of code

example.Example.example2(javacard.framework.APDU)

TRAP_example_Example_example2_argb_javacard_framework_APDU_argc_12

Card ATR: [3BFA1800008131FE454A434F50333315632333298](#)
 Number of rounds: 1000
 APDU header: 80010000
 Input regex: 00[0-9A-F]{2}
 Elapsed time: 0 days 00:00:02.814
 Source measurements: [measurements.csv](#)

Show explicit traps

```

1 private void example2(APDU apdu) {
2     byte[] apdubuf = apdu.getBuffer();
3     short dataLen = apdu.getIncomingAndReceive();
4     // SET KEY VALUE
5     m_aesKey.setKey(apdubuf, ISO7816.OFFSET_CDATA);
6     // INIT CIPHERS WITH NEW KEY
7     m_encryptCipher.init(m_aesKey, Cipher.MODE_ENCRYPT);
8     m_decryptCipher.init(m_aesKey, Cipher.MODE_DECRYPT);
9     m_encryptCipher.doFinal(apdubuf, ISO7816.OFFSET_CDATA, ((short) (0x10)), m_ramArray, ((short) (0)));
10    m_decryptCipher.doFinal(apdubuf, ISO7816.OFFSET_CDATA, ((short) (0x10)), m_ramArray, ((short) (0)));
11    // Hash input
12    m_hash.doFinal(apdubuf, ISO7816.OFFSET_CDATA, dataLen, m_ramArray, ((short) (0)));
13    // GENERATE DATA
14    m_secureRandom.generateData(apdubuf, ISO7816.OFFSET_CDATA, ((short) (0x10)));
15    // Sign data
16    short signLen = m_sign.sign(apdubuf, ISO7816.OFFSET_CDATA, ((byte) (dataLen)), m_ramArray, ((byte) (0)));
17    // Generate fresh key pair on-card
18    m_keyPair.genKeyPair();
19    m_publicKey = m_keyPair.getPublic();
20    m_privateKey = m_keyPair.getPrivate();
21    // INIT WITH PRIVATE KEY
22    m_sign.init(m_privateKey, Signature.MODE_SIGN);
23 }
    
```

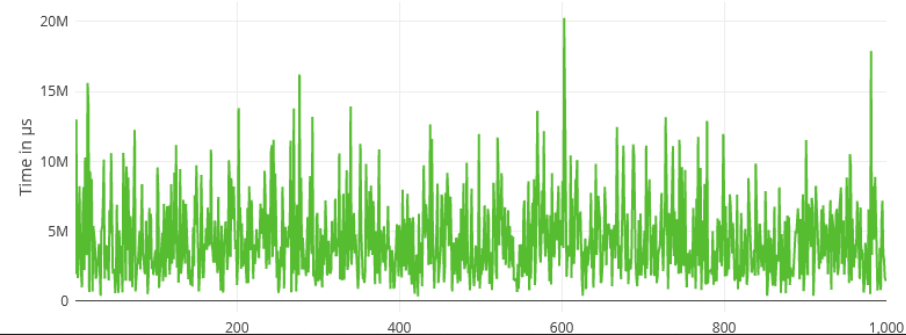
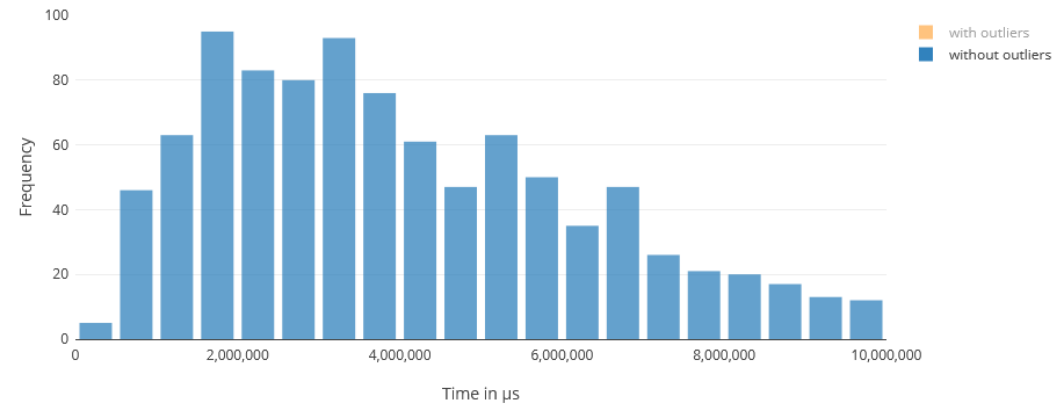
Colour explanation

Currently selected trap

Trap was never reached

Trap was reached only sometimes

Click on a bin to get a list of corresponding inputs.



JCProfilerNext – memory consumption

opencrypto.jcmathlib.OCUnitTests()

TRAP_opencrypto_jcmathlib_OCUnitTests_argb_arge_6

Mode: memory

Card ATR: [3B80800101](#)

APDU header: measured during installation

Input: measured during installation

Elapsed time: 0 days 00:00:00.294

Source measurements: [measurements.csv](#)

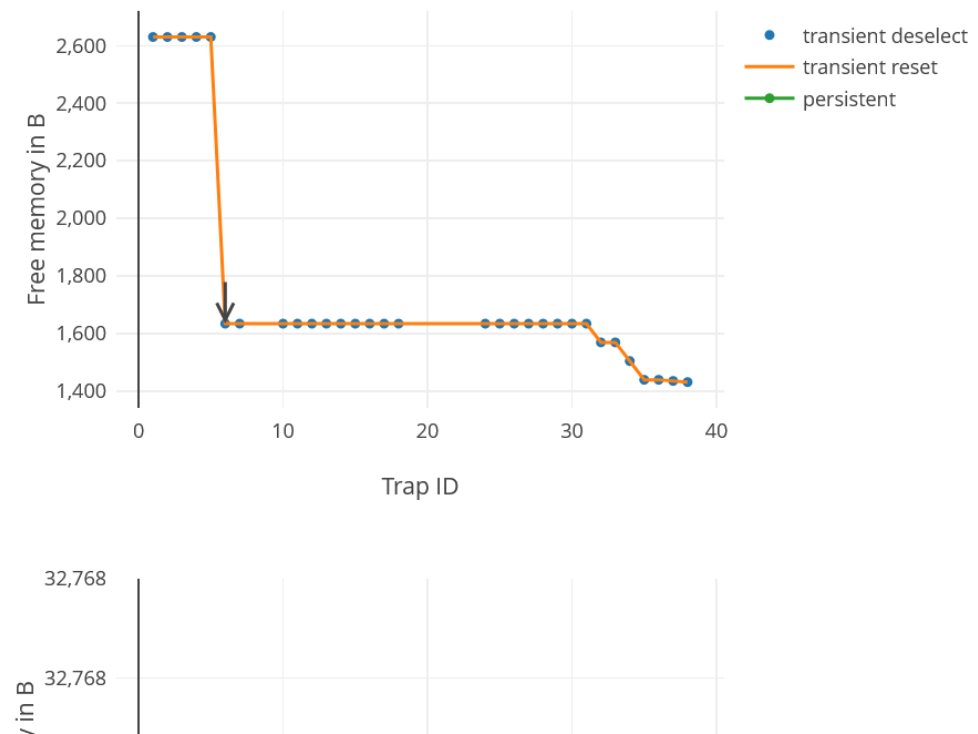
Show explicit traps

Diff in B

```

1 public OCUnitTests() {
2     OperationSupport.getInstance().setCard(OperationSupport.SIMULATOR); // Tr
3     m_memoryInfo = new short[ ((short) (7 * 3)) ]; // Contains RAM and EEPROM i
4     m_memoryInfoOffset = snapshotAvailableMemory( ((short) (1)), m_memoryInfo
5     if (bTEST_256b_CURVE) {
6         m_ecc = new ECCConfig( ((short) (256)) );
7     }
8     if (bTEST_512b_CURVE) {
9         m_ecc = new ECCConfig( ((short) (512)) );
10    }
11    m_memoryInfoOffset = snapshotAvailableMemory( ((short) (2)), m_memoryInfo
12    // Pre-allocate test objects (no new allocation for every tested operat
13    if (bTEST_256b_CURVE) {
14        m_testCurve = new ECCurve(false, SecP256r1.p, SecP256r1.a, SecP256r
15        m_memoryInfoOffset = snapshotAvailableMemory( ((short) (3)), m_memory
16        // m_testCurveCustom and m_testPointCustom will have G occasionally
17        m_customG = new byte[ ((short) (SecP256r1.G.length)) ];
18        Util.arrayCopyNonAtomic(SecP256r1.G, ((short) (0)), m_customG, ((sh
19        m_testCurveCustom = new ECCurve(false, SecP256r1.p, SecP256r1.a, Sec
20    }
21    if (bTEST_512b_CURVE) {

```



JCProfilerNext – checking for non-constant behavior

opencrypto.jcmlib.OCUnitTests#test_BN_MOD(javacard.framework.APDU,short)

TRAP_opencrypto_jcmlib_OCUnitTests_hash_test_BN_MOD_argb_javacard_framework_APDU__short_arge_10

Mode: time

Card ATR: [3B80800101](#)

Number of rounds: 1000

APDU header: B0252100

Input regex: 00[0-9A-F]{64}[4-7][0-9A-F]{63}

Elapsed time: 0 days 00:58:39.803

Source measurements: [measurements.csv](#)

Show explicit traps

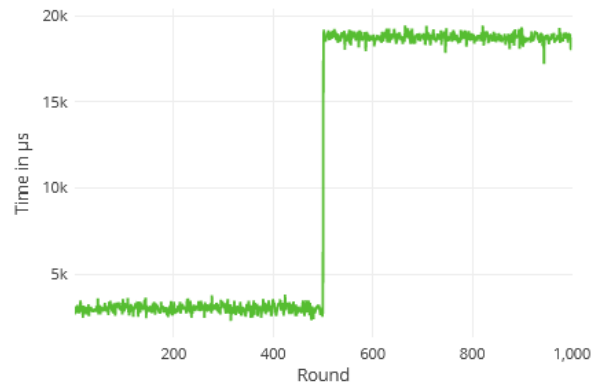
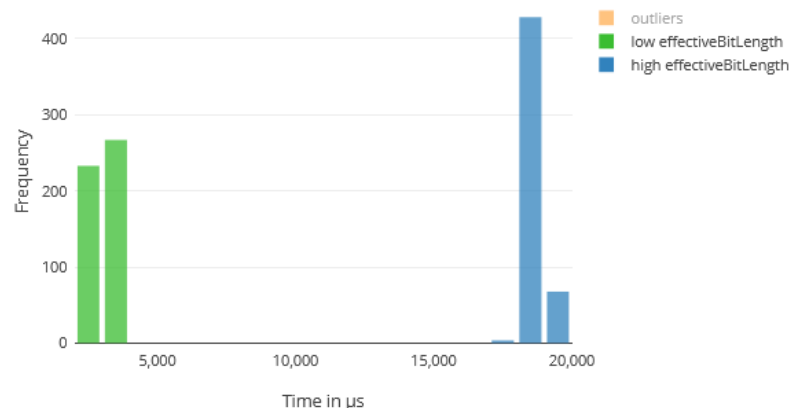
```

Avg µs
1 void test_BN_MOD(APDU apdu, short dataLen) {
2   byte[] apdubuf = apdu.getBuffer();
3   short p1 = ((short) (apdubuf[ISO7816.OFFSET_P1] & 0xff));
4   Bignat num = m_testBN1;
5   num.set_size(p1);
6   Bignat mod = m_testBN2;
7   mod.set_size(((short) (dataLen - p1)));
8   num.from_byte_array(p1, ((short) (0)), apdubuf, ISO7816.OFFSET_CDATA);
9   mod.from_byte_array(((short) (dataLen - p1)), ((short) (0)), apdubuf,
10  num.mod(mod);
11  short len = num.copy_to_buffer(apdubuf, ((short) (0)));
12  apdu.setOutgoingAndSend(((short) (0)), len);
13 }
    
```

Colour explanation

- Currently selected trap
- Trap was never reached
- Trap was reached only sometimes

Click on a graph item to get a list of corresponding inputs.

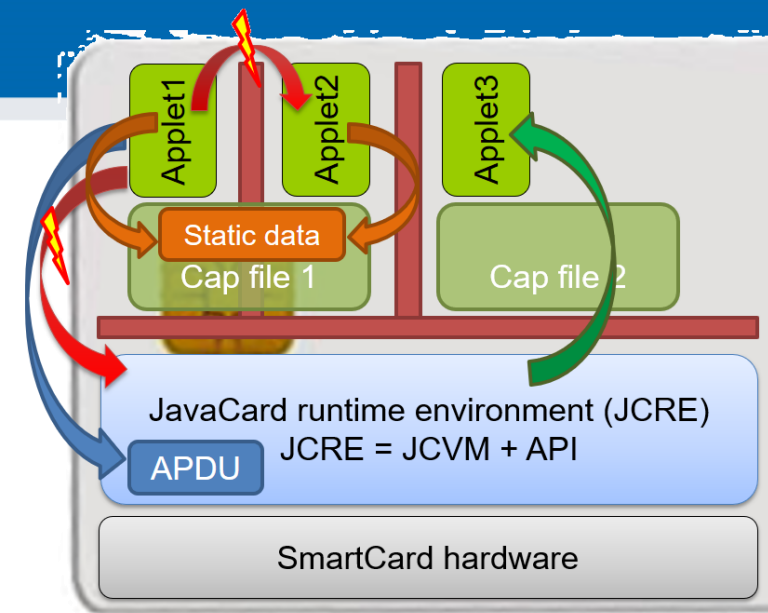


JCProfilerNext – profiling via power measurement

- The default measurement option is host-based timer => imprecise
 - Exception thrown after every line of code, measured with whole roundtrip
- Idea: insert distinct operation visible in powertrace after every line
 - Original code is instrumented with `3xRNG.generateData()` instead of exception
 - Powertrace of whole method is captured
 - RNG operations are detected and used as separators
 - Precise timing of operation is obtained
 - Visualization is performed using standard JCProfilerNext pipeline
- More elaborate setup (oscilloscope), but very precise measurement
 - better detection of non-constant-time operations

JavaCard applet firewall issues

- Main defense for separation of multiple applets
- Platform implementations differ
 - Usually due to the unclear and complex specification
- If problem exists then is out of developer's control
- Firewall Tester project (W. Mostowski)
 - Open and free, the goal is to test the platform
 - <http://www.sos.cs.ru.nl/applications/smartcards/firewalltester/>



```
short[] array1, array2; // persistent variables
short[] localArray = null; // local array
JCSysytem.beginTransaction();
    array1 = new short[1];
    array2 = localArray = array1; // dangling reference!
JCSysytem.abortTransaction();
```

Relevant open-source projects

- Easy building of applets
 - <https://github.com/martinpaljak/ant-javacard>
 - <https://github.com/ph4r05/javacard-gradle-template>
- AppletPlayground (ready to “fiddle” with applets)
 - <https://github.com/martinpaljak/AppletPlayground>
- Card simulator <https://jcardsim.org>
- Profiling performance
 - <https://github.com/crocs-muni/JCAIlgTest>
 - <https://github.com/OpenCryptoProject/JCProfiler>
- Curated list of JavaCard applets
 - <https://github.com/crocs-muni/javacard-curated-list>
- Low-level ECPoint library
 - <https://github.com/OpenCryptoProject/JCMathLib>

Summary

- Smart cards are programmable (JavaCard)
 - reasonable cryptographic API
 - coprocessor for fast cryptographic operations
 - multiple applications coexist securely on single card
 - Secure execution environment
- Standard Java 6 API for communication exists
- PKI applet can be developed with free tools
 - PIN protection, on-card key generation, signature...
- JavaCard is not full Java – optimizations, security

SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIALS

QUICK AND DIRTY START



Quick and dirty start – OpenPGP applet

1. Get JavaCard smart card and reader
2. Install Java SDK and ant build environment
 - Don't forget to set proper paths (javac, ant)
3. Download AppletPlayground project
 - <https://github.com/martinpaljak/AppletPlayground>
4. Download GlobalPlatformPro uploader
 - <https://github.com/martinpaljak/GlobalPlatformPro>



1. Compile and convert applets

- > ant toys
 - ‘toys’ is *ant* build target inside build.xml
 - Compiles source with Java compiler (javac)
 - Convert with javacard convertor
- (use > ant simpleapplet to build only our applet)

PLAID.cap	03/10/2015 14:27	CAP File	5 KB
PKIApplet.cap	03/10/2015 14:27	CAP File	10 KB
PassportApplet.cap	03/10/2015 14:27	CAP File	18 KB
OpenPGPApplet.cap	03/10/2015 14:26	CAP File	13 KB
OpenEMV.cap	03/10/2015 14:27	CAP File	7 KB
OATH.cap	03/10/2015 14:27	CAP File	7 KB
NDEF.cap	03/10/2015 14:27	CAP File	4 KB
MuscleApplet.cap	03/10/2015 14:26	CAP File	17 KB
ISOApplet.cap	03/10/2015 14:27	CAP File	47 KB
FluffyPGPApplet.cap	03/10/2015 14:27	CAP File	9 KB
DriversLicense.cap	03/10/2015 14:27	CAP File	16 KB



2. Manage applets on smart card

- GlobalPlatformPro tool
 - Authenticates against CardManager
 - Establish secure channel with CM
 - Manage applets (list/upload/delete)

Auto-detected ISD AID: A000000003000000

Host challenge: BD525E5585006202

Card challenge: 05211C9591C58232

Card reports SCP02 with version 255 keys

Master keys:

Version 0

ENC: Ver:0 ID:0 Type:DES3 Len:16 Value:404142434445464748494A4B4C4D4E4F

MAC: Ver:0 ID:0 Type:DES3 Len:16 Value:404142434445464748494A4B4C4D4E4F

KEK: Ver:0 ID:0 Type:DES3 Len:16 Value:404142434445464748494A4B4C4D4E4F

Sequence counter: 0521



>gp -list -verbose

Reader: Gemplus USB SmartCard Reader 0
 ATR: 3BF81300008131FE454A434F5076323431B7
 More information about your card:
<http://smartcard-atr.appspot.com/parse?ATR=3BF81300008131FE454A434F5076323431B7>

Auto-detected ISD AID: A000000003000000
 Host challenge: 10FFA96848D9EB62
 Card challenge: 0520E372F35B4818
 Card reports SCP02 with version 255 keys
 Master keys:
 Version 0
 ENC: Ver:0 ID:0 Type:DES3 Len:16 Value:404142434445464748494A4B4C4D4E4F
 MAC: Ver:0 ID:0 Type:DES3 Len:16 Value:404142434445464748494A4B4C4D4E4F
 KEK: Ver:0 ID:0 Type:DES3 Len:16 Value:404142434445464748494A4B4C4D4E4F
 Sequence counter: 0520
 Derived session keys:
 Version 0
 ENC: Ver:0 ID:0 Type:DES3 Len:16 Value:654E72AAADA31F0A7B5567160DE4C5A7
 MAC: Ver:0 ID:0 Type:DES3 Len:16 Value:C6883A00AB6E56384B845A5A6F68CA6C
 KEK: Ver:0 ID:0 Type:DES3 Len:16 Value:3875213C9F2123EB01AA420DC83C18F0
 Verified card cryptogram: 62CBE443B3F4FB80
 Calculated host cryptogram: 9AAC671F9B1E0630

AID: A000000003000000 (|.....|)

ISD OP_READY: Security Domain, Card lock, Card terminate, Default selected, CVM (PIN) management

AID: A0000000035350 (|.....SP|)

ExM LOADED: (none)

A000000003535041 (|.....SPA|)



3. Upload applet to smart card

- (already converted applet *.cap is assumed)
- > gp --instal OpenPGPApplet.cap --verbose

```
CAP file (v2.1) generated on Sat Oct 03 15:13:58 CEST 2015
By Sun Microsystems Inc. converter 1.3 with JDK 1.8.0_60 (Oracle Corporation)
Package: openpgpcard v0.0 with AID D27600012401
Applet: OpenPGPApplet with AID D2760001240102000000000000000010000
Import: A0000000620101 v1.3
Import: A0000000620201 v1.3
Import: A0000000620102 v1.3
Import: A0000000620001 v1.0
Cap loaded
```

- Hint: test with gpg --card-edit



OpenPlatform Package/applet upload

- A. Security domain selection
- B. Secure channel establishment – security domain
- C. Package upload
 - Local upload in trusted environment
 - Remote upload with relayed secure channel
- D. Applet installation
 - Separate instance from package binary with unique AID
 - Applet privileges and other parameters passed
 - Applet specific installation data passed



4. Communicate with smart card

- > gp --apdu apdu_in_hex --debug
- Example for SimpleApplet.java
 - gp --apdu B0541000 -d (generate random numbers)

```
>gp --apdu B0541000 -d
[*] Gemplus USB SmartCard Reader 0
SCardConnect("Gemplus USB SmartCard Reader 0", T=*) -> T=1, 3BF81300008131FE454A
434F5076323431B7
SCardBeginTransaction("Gemplus USB SmartCard Reader 0")
A>> T=1 (4+0000) B0541000
A<< (0016+2) (32ms) 801D52307393AC0AB1CC242F6905B7C5 9000
```



5. Delete applet

- `> gp --delete D27600012401 --deletedeps`
- (Verify that applet was deleted by `gp -list`)

DEVELOPING SIMPLE PKI APPLET



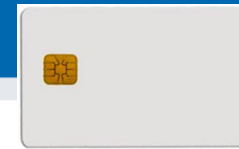
PKI-relevant JavaCard API

- Access controlled by PIN
 - `javacard.security.OwnerPIN`
- Asymmetric cryptography keys
 - `javacard.security.KeyPair`, `PublicKey`, `PrivateKey`
- Digital signatures
 - `javacard.security.Signature`
- Asymmetric encryption
 - `javacard.security.Cipher`



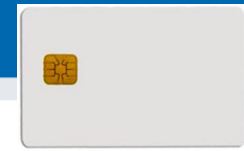
PIN verification functionality

- `javacard.framework.OwnerPIN`
- Management functions (available for “admin”)
 - Create PIN (`new OwnerPIN()`)
 - Set initial PIN value (`OwnerPIN.update()`)
 - Unblock PIN (`OwnerPIN.resetAndUnblock()`)
- Common usage functions (available to user)
 - Verify supplied PIN (`OwnerPIN.check()`)
 - Check if was verified (`OwnerPIN.isValidated()`)
 - Get remaining tries (`OwnerPIN.getTriesRemaining()`)
 - Set new value (`OwnerPIN.update()`)



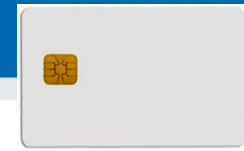
PIN code

```
// CREATE PIN OBJECT (try limit == 5, max. PIN length == 4)
OwnerPIN m_pin = new OwnerPIN((byte) 5, (byte) 4);
// SET CORRECT PIN VALUE
m_pin.update(INIT_PIN, (short) 0, (byte) INIT_PIN.length);
// VERIFY CORRECTNESS OF SUPPLIED PIN
boolean correct = m_pin.check(array_with_pin, (short) 0, (byte)
array_with_pin.length);
// GET REMAING PIN TRIES
byte j = m_pin.getTriesRemaining();
// RESET PIN RETRY COUNTER AND UNBLOCK IF BLOCKED
m_pin.resetAndUnblock();
```



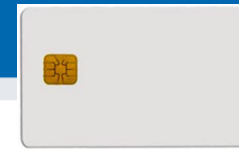
Digital signature

- Management functions
 - Generate new key pair (`KeyPair().genKeyPair()`)
 - Export public key (`KeyPair().getPublic()`)
 - (export private key) (`KeyPair().getPrivate()`)
 - create Signature object (`Signature.getInstance()`)
 - init with public/private key (`Signature.init()`)
- Common usage functions
 - sign message (`Signature.update()`, `Signature.sign()`)
 - verify signature (`Signature.update()`, `verify()`)



On-card asymmetric key generation

- `javacard.security.KeyPair`
- Key pair is generated directly on smart card
 - very good entropy source (TRNG)
 - private key never leaves the card (unless you allow in code)
 - fast sign/verify operation
- But who is sending data to sign/decrypt?
 - protect signature method by `PIN.isValidated()` check
 - use secure channel to prevent injection of attacker's message
 - terminal still must be trustworthy



Key generation - source code

```
// CREATE RSA KEYS AND PAIR
m_keyPair = new KeyPair(KeyPair.ALG_RSA_CRT, KeyBuilder.LENGTH_RSA_1024);

// STARTS ON-CARD KEY GENERATION PROCESS
m_keyPair.genKeyPair();

// OBTAIN REFERENCES TO PRIVATE AND PUBLIC KEY OBJECT
m_publicKey = m_keyPair.getPublic();
m_privateKey = m_keyPair.getPrivate();
```



Example shows RSA 1024b – not recommended
Use `KeyBuilder.LENGTH_RSA_2048` instead
(But 2 APDUs are required to transmit signature back)



Public (private) key export/import

- Obtain algorithm-specific key object from `KeyPair`
 - e.g., `RSAPublicKey pubKey = keyPair.getPublic();`
 - get exponent and modulus
 - `getExponent()` & `getModulus()` methods
 - send it back to terminal via APDU
- Similar situation with key import
 - `setExponent()` & `setModulus()` methods
- Private key export
 - It is up to you if your code will allow private key export (usually not)
 - Otherwise similar as for `RSAPublicKey`
 - more parameters with `RSAPrivateCrtKey` (CRT mode)



javacard.security.Signature

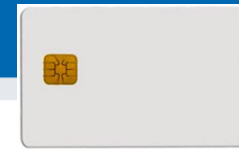
- Both symmetric and asymmetric crypto signatures
 - RSA_SHA_PKCS1 (always), ECDSA_SHA, DSA (less common)
 - DES_MAC8_NOPAD (always), ISO9797 (common), AES (common)
 - check in advance what your card supports (JCAAlgTester)
- Message hashing done on card (asymmetric sign)
 - message received in single or multiple APDUs
 - Signature.update(), Signature.sign()
- If you need just sign of message hash
 - use Cipher object to perform asymmetric crypto operation



Signature – source code

```
// CREATE SIGNATURE OBJECT
Signature m_sign = Signature.getInstance(Signature.ALG_RSA_SHA_PKCS1, false);
// INIT WITH PRIVATE KEY
m_sign.init(m_privateKey, Signature.MODE_SIGN);

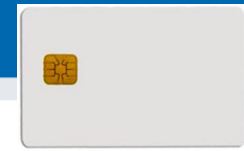
// SIGN INCOMING BUFFER
signLen = m_sign.sign(apdubuf, ISO7816.OFFSET_CDATA, (byte) dataLen,
                    m_ramArray, (byte) 0);
```



Asymmetric encryption

- `javacardx.crypto.Cipher`
- Usage similar to `Signature` object
 - generate key pair
 - export/import public key
 - initialize `Key` and set mode (`MODE_ENCRYPT/DECRYPT`)
 - process incoming data (`Cipher.update()`, `doFinal()`)
- Supported algorithms
 - `RSA_NOPAD` (always), `RSA_PKCS1` (almost always)

DEMO - SYMMETRIC CRYPTOGRAPHY APPLET



Random numbers

- `javacard.security.RandomData`
- Two versions of random generator
 - `ALG_SECURE_RANDOM` (truly random)
 - `ALG_PSEUDO_RANDOM` (deterministic from seed)
- Generate random block
 - `RandomData.generateData()`
- Very fast and high quality output
 - bottleneck is usually card-to-terminal link



RandomData – source code

```
private RandomData m_rngRandom = null;  
// CREATE RNG OBJECT  
m_rngRandom = RandomData.getInstance(RandomData.ALG_SECURE_RANDOM);  
// GENERATE RANDOM BLOCK WITH 16 BYTES  
m_rngRandom.generateData(array, (short) 0, ARRAY_ONE_BLOCK_16B);
```



Key generation and initialization

- Allocation and initialization of the key object (`KeyBuilder.buildKey()`)
- Receive (or generate random) key value
- Set key value (`AESKey.setKey()`)

```
// .... INICIALIZATION SOMEWHERE (IN CONSTRUCT)
// CREATE AES KEY OBJECT
AESKey m_desKey = (AESKey) KeyBuilder.buildKey(KeyBuilder.TYPE_AES,
    KeyBuilder.LENGTH_AES_256, false);
// Generate random data to be used as key
m_rngRandom.generateData(array, (short) 0,
    (short) KeyBuilder.LENGTH_AES_256/8);

// SET KEY VALUE
m_aesKey.setKey(array, (short) 0);
```



Symmetric cryptography encryption

- `javacard.security.Cipher`
- Allocate and initialize cipher object
 - `Cipher.getInstance()`, `Cipher.init()`
- Encrypt or decrypt data
 - `Cipher.update()`, `Cipher.doFinal()`



Encryption with 3DES – source code

```
// INIT CIPHER WITH KEY FOR ENCRYPT DIRECTION
m_encryptCipher.init(m_desKey, Cipher.MODE_ENCRYPT);
//....

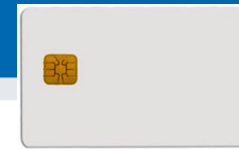
// ENCRYPT INCOMING BUFFER
void Encrypt(APDU apdu) {
    byte[] apdubuf = apdu.getBuffer();
    short dataLen = apdu.setIncomingAndReceive();

    // CHECK EXPECTED LENGTH (MULTIPLY OF 64 bites)
    if ((dataLen % 8) != 0) ISOException.throwIt(SW_CIPHER_DATA_LENGTH_BAD);

    // ENCRYPT INCOMING BUFFER
    m_encryptCipher.doFinal(apdubuf, ISO7816.OFFSET_CDATA, dataLen, m_ramArray, (short) 0);

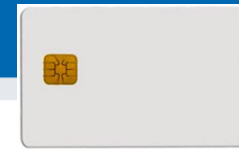
    // COPY ENCRYPTED DATA INTO OUTGOING BUFFER
    Util.arrayCopyNonAtomic(m_ramArray, (short) 0, apdubuf, ISO7816.OFFSET_CDATA, dataLen);

    // SEND OUTGOING BUFFER
    apdu.setOutgoingAndSend(ISO7816.OFFSET_CDATA, dataLen);
}
```



Message authentication code (MAC)

- `javacard.security.Signature`
- Usage similar to asymmetric signatures
- Create signature object for target MAC algorithm
- Initialize with symmetric cryptography key
- Supported algorithms
 - DES_MAC8 (always), AES_MAC8 (increasingly common)



MAC – source code

```
private Signature    m_sessionCBCMAC = null;
private DESKey      m_session3DesKey = null;

// CREATE SIGNATURE OBJECT
m_sessionCBCMAC = Signature.getInstance(Signature.ALG_DES_MAC8_NOPAD, false);
// CREATE KEY USED IN MAC
m_session3DesKey = (DESKey) KeyBuilder.buildKey(KeyBuilder.TYPE_DES,
KeyBuilder.LENGTH_DES3_3KEY, false);

// INITIALIZE SIGNATURE DES KEY
m_session3DesKey.setKey(m_ram, (short) 0);
// SET KEY INTO SIGNATURE OBJECT
m_sessionCBCMAC.init(m_session3DesKey, Signature.MODE_SIGN);

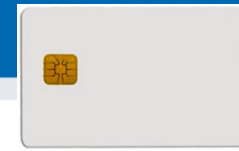
// GENERATE SIGNATURE OF buff ARRAY, STORE INTO m_ram ARRAY
m_sessionCBCMAC.sign(buff, ISO7816.OFFSET_CDATA, length, m_ram, (short) 0);
```

- Example based on 3DES, can be AES as well



Data hashing

- `javacard.security.MessageDigest`
- Create hashing object for target algorithm
 - `MessageDigest.getInstance()`
- Reset internal state of hash object
 - `MessageDigest.reset()`
- Process all parts of data
 - `MessageDigest.update()`
- Compute final hash digest
 - `MessageDigest.doFinal()`
- Supported algorithms
 - MD5, SHA-1 (always), SHA-256 (increasingly common)
 - related to supported Signature algorithms



Data hashing – source code

```
// CREATE SHA-1 OBJECT
MessageDigest m_sha1 = MessageDigest.getInstance(
    MessageDigest.ALG_SHA, false);

// RESET HASH ENGINE
m_sha1.reset();

// PROCESS ALL PARTS OF DATA
while (next_part_to_hash_available) {
    m_sha1.update(array_to_hash, (short) 0, (short) array_to_hash.length);
}

// FINALIZE HASH VALUE (WHEN LAST PART OF DATA IS AVAILABLE)
// AND OBTAIN RESULTING HASH VALUE
m_sha1.doFinal(array_to_hash, (short) 0, (short) array_to_hash.length,
    out_hash_array, (short) 0);
```


GPPro – M. Paljak

gp.exe -install applet.cap -verbose

Reader: OMNIKEY AG Smart Card Reader USB 0

ATR: 3BF81800008031FE450073C8401300900092

More information about your card:

<http://smartcard-atr.appspot.com/parse?ATR=3BF81800008031FE450073C8401300900092>

Auto-detected ISD AID: A000000003000000

Host challenge: 764D6A0982DC5E17

Card challenge: 0005112D5C02E152

Card reports SCP02 with version 1 keys

Master keys:

Version 0

ENC: Ver:0 ID:0 Type:DES3 Len:16 Value:404142434445464748494A4B4C4D4E4F

MAC: Ver:0 ID:0 Type:DES3 Len:16 Value:404142434445464748494A4B4C4D4E4F

KEK: Ver:0 ID:0 Type:DES3 Len:16 Value:404142434445464748494A4B4C4D4E4F

Diversified master keys:

Version 0

ENC: Ver:0 ID:0 Type:DES3 Len:16 Value:8D16CDB90D9A1BCB9C3B208FB491DFF6

MAC: Ver:0 ID:0 Type:DES3 Len:16 Value:D3A3DD0DB2C1F84F79E3BC0EF4B0A78E

KEK: Ver:0 ID:0 Type:DES3 Len:16 Value:F80C3E807D4C57293B651693ED999448

Sequence counter: 0005

Derived session keys:

Version 0

ENC: Ver:0 ID:0 Type:DES3 Len:16 Value:6BCC8856C64D5A6090A603C5FFBA7F4F

MAC: Ver:0 ID:0 Type:DES3 Len:16 Value:3BDCE52AE932EFF43E506C498BAC9F21

KEK: Ver:0 ID:0 Type:DES3 Len:16 Value:FFC30797EFA7EC37A28E4485052EA21D

Verified card cryptogram: 37C4139407A2F0DD

Calculated host cryptogram: A9376B4721194AFA

CAP file (v2.1) generated on Tue Aug 04 14:34:51 CEST 2015

By Sun Microsystems Inc. converter 1.3 with JDK 1.8.0_31 (Oracle Corporation)

Package: AlgTest v1.0 with AID 6D797061636B616731

Applet: JCAlgTestApplet with AID 6D7970616330303031

Import: A0000000620001 v1.0

Import: A0000000620102 v1.2

Import: A0000000620101 v1.2

CAP loaded

GPShell script – another tool for upload

```
# Install & configure script for Gemalto TOP IM GX4, mother key
```

```
mode_201
gemXpressoPro
enable_trace
establish_context
card_connect
```

```
select -AID A000000018434D00
open_sc -security 3 -keyind 0 -keyver 0 -key 47454d5850524553534f53414d504c45
```

```
delete -AID ${jc.applet.AID_GPSHELL}
delete -AID ${jc.package.AID_GPSHELL}
```

```
install -file ${jc.package.shortName}.cap -sdAID A000000018434D00
-nvCodeLimit 4000 -priv 0
```

```
# test selection
```

```
select -AID ${jc.applet.AID_GPSHELL}
```

```
card_disconnect
release_context
```

Connect to reader and card

Select Card Manager application

Authenticate and establish secure channel (OpenPlatform)

Delete previous version of our applet (instance first, package second)

Upload and install file *.cap with applet

Try to select newly installed applet

DEMO: OPENPGP APPLET

OpenPGP

- Standard for PGP/GPG compliant applications
- Includes specification for card with private key(s)
 - openpgp-card-1.0.pdf
- Supported (to some extent) in GnuPG
- Pre-personalized OpenPGP cards available
 - <http://www.g10code.de/p-card.html>
- Open source Java Card applet available
 - JOpenPGPCard
 - <http://sourceforge.net/projects/jopenpgpcard/>
 - our card can be used

JOpenPGPCard applet


- Main parts
 - two level of PIN protection
 - on-card keys generation, public key export
 - on-card encryption/signature
- Compilation and upload
 - Project settings (preconfigured)
 - AID (given in OpenPGP specification)
 - GPShell script
- Compile and upload applet to card

Compilation and upload

- `gpg --card-edit`
- `Command> admin`
- `Command> help`
- `Command> generate`
 - follow the instructions (default PINs)
 - signature, decryption and authentication key
 - private keys generated directly on the card
 - public keys exported to GPG keyring
- Change your PIN by `Command> passwd`

GPG --card-edit

```
europen@europen: ~  
File Edit View Search Terminal Help  
europen@europen:~$ gpg --card-edit  
gpg: detected reader `SCM SDI 010 [Vendor Interface] (21120837200398) 00 00'  
gpg: detected reader `SCM SDI 010 [Vendor Interface] (21120837200398) 00 01'  
Application ID ...: D276000124010101FFFF000000010000  
Version .....: 1.1  
Manufacturer ..: test card  
Serial number ..: 00000001  
Name of cardholder: [not set]  
Language prefs ...: [not set]  
Sex .....: unspecified  
URL of public key : [not set]  
Login data .....: [not set]  
Signature PIN ....: forced  
Key attributes ...: 1024R 1024R 1024R  
Max. PIN lengths ..: 32 32 32  
PIN retry counter : 3 3 3  
Signature counter : 0  
Signature key ....: [none]  
Encryption key....: [none]  
Authentication key: [none]  
General key info..: [none]  
gpg/card> |
```



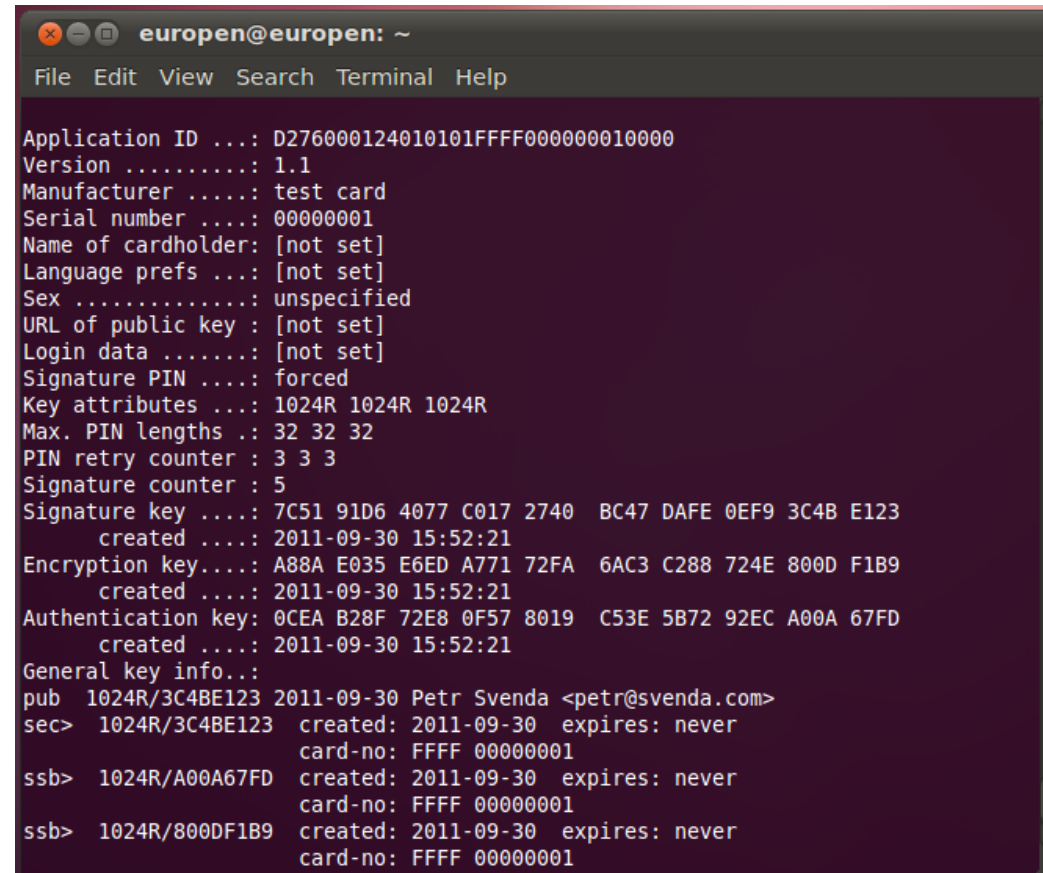
GPG – keys generation finished

```
europen@europen: ~  
File Edit View Search Terminal Help  
gpg: generating new key  
gpg: please wait while key is being generated ...  
gpg: key generation completed (1 seconds)  
gpg: signatures created so far: 1  
gpg: signatures created so far: 2  
gpg: generating new key  
gpg: please wait while key is being generated ...  
gpg: key generation completed (2 seconds)  
gpg: signatures created so far: 3  
gpg: signatures created so far: 4  
gpg: key 3C4BE123 marked as ultimately trusted  
public and secret key created and signed.  
  
gpg: checking the trustdb  
gpg: 3 marginal(s) needed, 1 complete(s) needed, PGP trust model  
gpg: depth: 0 valid: 1 signed: 0 trust: 0-, 0q, 0n, 0m, 0f, 1u  
pub 1024R/3C4BE123 2011-09-30  
    Key fingerprint = 7C51 91D6 4077 C017 2740 BC47 DAFE 0EF9 3C4B E123  
uid                               Petr Svenda <petr@svenda.com>  
sub 1024R/A00A67FD 2011-09-30  
sub 1024R/800DF1B9 2011-09-30  
  
gpg/card>
```


What we have...

- Card with OpenPGP-compliant applet
- GPG generated private&public keypairs
 - sign, enc, auth
- Public keys exported from card and imported to local keyring
- Can be used to sign, encrypt message on command line
- Can be further integrated into applications
 - Thunderbird + Enigmail + GPG

(gpg –card-edit) Command> list



```
europen@europen: ~  
File Edit View Search Terminal Help  
Application ID ...: D276000124010101FFFF000000010000  
Version .....: 1.1  
Manufacturer ..: test card  
Serial number ..: 00000001  
Name of cardholder: [not set]  
Language prefs ...: [not set]  
Sex .....: unspecified  
URL of public key : [not set]  
Login data .....: [not set]  
Signature PIN ....: forced  
Key attributes ...: 1024R 1024R 1024R  
Max. PIN lengths ..: 32 32 32  
PIN retry counter : 3 3 3  
Signature counter : 5  
Signature key ....: 7C51 91D6 4077 C017 2740 BC47 DAFE 0EF9 3C4B E123  
  created ....: 2011-09-30 15:52:21  
Encryption key....: A88A E035 E6ED A771 72FA 6AC3 C288 724E 800D F1B9  
  created ....: 2011-09-30 15:52:21  
Authentication key: 0CEA B28F 72E8 0F57 8019 C53E 5B72 92EC A00A 67FD  
  created ....: 2011-09-30 15:52:21  
General key info..  
pub 1024R/3C4BE123 2011-09-30 Petr Svenda <petr@svenda.com>  
sec> 1024R/3C4BE123  created: 2011-09-30  expires: never  
      card-no: FFFF 00000001  
ssb> 1024R/A00A67FD  created: 2011-09-30  expires: never  
      card-no: FFFF 00000001  
ssb> 1024R/800DF1B9  created: 2011-09-30  expires: never  
      card-no: FFFF 00000001
```

Using GPG with smart card

- `gpg --clearsign --output myfile.sig --sign myfile`
 - our public key is already imported to keyring
 - PIN is required to sign (notice signature count so far)
 - `--clearsign` causes output in BASE64
- `gpg --verify myfile.sig`
 - smart card not required, public key in keyring
- `gpg --output gpshell.log.gpg --recipient petr@svenda.com --encrypt gpshell.log`
 - smart card not required, public key in keyring
- `gpg --decrypt gpshell.log.gpg`

MORE DETAILS ABOUT JAVACARD

JavaCard – more to be discovered

- Recursion is slooow...
- Memory allocation issues
 - EEPROM vs. RAM allocations, *new* operator
 - No (real-time) garbage collector!
- Persistent objects
- Transactions, atomic operations
- JavaCard applet firewall

```
function f(...) {  
    byte a[] = new byte[10];  
    byte b[] = JCSYSTEM.makeTransientByteArray(...);  
    byte c;  
}
```

GPShell upload&install

- Upload and install converted *.cap file
 - GPShell tool with script specific for target card
 - GP SCP channel version (mode_201, mode_211)
 - select CardManager by AID (various AIDs)
 - authenticate and open secure channel (open_sc)
 - delete previous applet version (1. applet, 2. package)
 - load and install (install command, many params)
 - install may pass personalization data (master key...)
- Check applet functionality
 - from GPShell script, no need for secure channel
 - select your applet by AID (select -AID xxx)
 - send test APDU (send_apdu -APDU xxx)

JavaCard – PIN verification

- Image/code for PIN verification
 - Vulnerable to transaction rollback

```
public class OwnerPIN implements PIN {
    byte triesLeft; // persistent counter

    boolean check(...) {
        ...
        triesLeft--;
        ...
    }
}
```

JavaCard – PIN verification done better

- Non-atomic operations

```
public class OwnerPIN implements PIN {
    byte[] triesLeft = new byte[1]; // persistent counter
    byte[] temps =
        JCSysyem.makeTransientByteArray(1,
            JCSysyem.CLEAR_ON_RESET);

    boolean check(...) {
        ...
        temps[0] = triesLeft[0] - 1;
        // update the try counter non-atomically:
        Util.arrayCopyNonAtomic(temps, 0, triesLeft, 0, 1);
        ...
    }
}
```


JavaCard – Atomic vs. Non-Atomic

- Persistent memory updates
 - Two ways of updating
 - FillArrayNonAtomic, CopyArrayNonAtomic
- Code refactoring
 - Original short/byte values have to be converted to arrays[1]

JavaCard – Atomic vs. Non-Atomic

- Non-deterministic variable rollback

```
a[0] = 0
beginTransaction()
  a[0] = 1;
  arrayFillNonAtomic(a,0,1,2);
  // a[0] = 2;
abortTransaction()
```

```
a[0] = 0;
beginTransaction();
  arrayFillNonAtomic(a,0,1,2);
  // a[0] = 2;
  a[0] = 1;
abortTransaction();
```

- Result dependency on the commands order
 - **a[0] == 0 vs. a[0] == 2**