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# NFC TECHNOLOGIES FOR SECURE MOBILE PAYMENT

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#### **Session Objectives**

- NFC Basics and Market
- Crypto Introduction
- Secure Mobile Payments with NFC
- Questions
- Closing Thoughts



#### What is NFC

- Set of short-range wireless technologies, usually requiring a distance of 1 inch or less
- Operates at 13.56 MHz on ISO/IEC 18000-3 air interface and at rates ranging from 106 kbit/s to 424 kbit/s
- Very simple form factors such as tags or key fobs that do not require batteries
- Communication modes
  - Peer-to-peer
  - Tag reading/writing
  - Card emulation



#### Why NFC?: "Single Tap" Action



- 5-6 second "single tap" check in/launch
- Connects online and physical experience
- Promotes mobile app downloads
- Showcases features in upcoming millions NFC phones
- Attribution for NFC innovation with consumers
- Leverage growing "NFC education" by ecosystem

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### Cryptology = Cryptography

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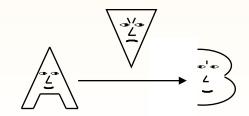
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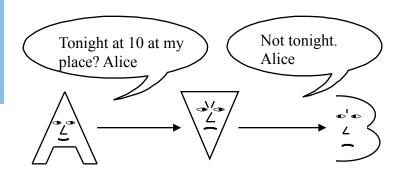
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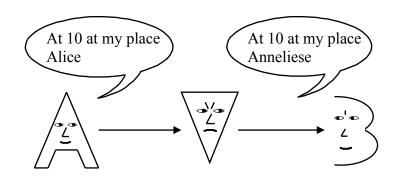
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- The mathematical science of establishing trust
- Goal: Confidentiality
- Threat: Passive attacker eavesdrops a communication



- Goals: Authenticity and Integrity
- Threat: Active Attacker influences







#### How to Achieve It

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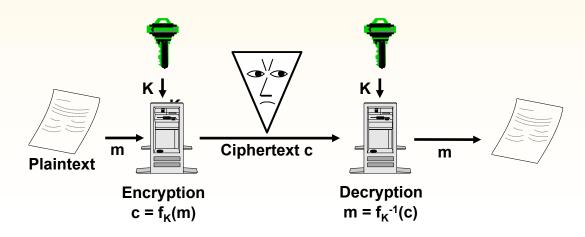
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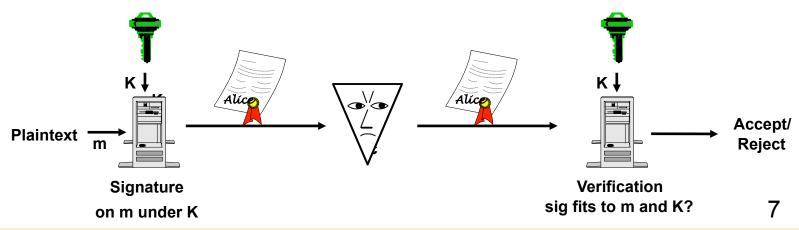
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Confidentiality by Encryption



Authenticity and Integrity by Signatures (Message Authentication Codes)



#### Scope of Cryptography

- Other goals
  - Non-repudiability (signatures)
  - Anonymity Privacy Protection
- Not in scope
  - Hiding the existence of a message (e.g., in a picture or music file)
  - Coding of messages
  - Loss of data
  - Denial of Service



## Ways to Implement Security in NFC

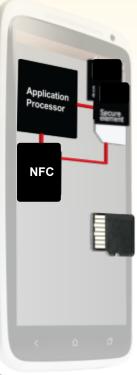
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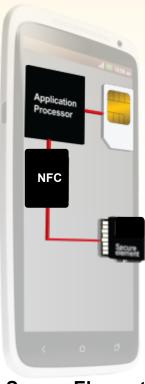




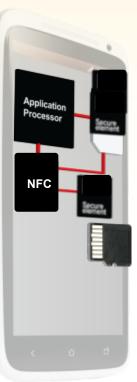
Secure Element Secure Element **Embedded** (eSE)



in the SIM socket (SWP-SIM)



**Secure Element** in the microSD (μSD)



**Multiple Secure Elements** 

4 in 10 phones will have multiple SEs

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### Embedded Secure Element (eSE)

- Chip component provides a tamper-proof environment for storing data and performing cryptographic functions
- Applications include payment services from banks, transit, ticketing, access control, and credential identifications
  - Highly secure environment needed for storing data and performing contactless transactions
- eSE plays an important role in non-NFC use cases
  - Protecting sensitive credentials for online payments
  - Authenticating enterprise applications



#### Benefits of eSE

attract customers and use

SIM features on top if needed





available secure NFC and

trusted look-and-feel

# How eSE Secures Mobile Transactions

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- Mobile transactions occur in Card Emulation mode
  - NFC device appears to an external reader much the same as a traditional contactless smart card
- This mode is secure
  - Supported by the Contactless Communication API
- Physical smart card is typically implemented as an applet and is installed in the Secure Element in either the Embedded Secure Element or UICC
- Service Provider Applications will interact with the applets in the Secure Element using ISO7816 APDU commands
- Applets will interact with the external contactless reader using ISO14443 APDU commands



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## Questions





#### **Closing Thoughts**

- NFC technology continues to be adopted by consumers
- Pervasive mobile lifestyle
- Payment transactions made with NFC need to be secure
- Importance of secure element



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