

Finnish Electronic Identification

- Finnish Citizen Card -



Finnish Electronic Identification and Supporting Technologies

General Issues

- The amount of various transactions is increasing rapidly in Internet
- To make it safe we need:
 - both sides identification,
 - digital signature,
 - encrypted: - data
- data transfer
- Field is developing rapidly
- Important part of the information society

General Issues

- **The development of the infrastructure needed is a large operation demanding modern and safe technical solutions based on open standards**
- **There will be huge markets**
- **Finland: One of the leading countries in the field**

Identification, digital signatures and encryption will be based on:

- **open standards:**
 - **Public Key Infrastructure**
 - **chipcards and readers (ISO-standards)**
 - **X.509 v.3 certificates**
 - **X.500- and LDAP-directories**
 - **EID-application (FINEID S1=SEIS S1=SS614330=PKCS#15?)**
- **highly secured environments**
 - **key generation**
 - **face to face identification**
- **voluntary involvning**
- **cards and certificates valid for a certain time (3-5 years max.)**
- **EU-directive draft for digital signature**
- **legislation in Finland**

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**Population Register Centre will be the Certification
Authority In Finland responsible for building up
the infrastructure needed in administration:**

- the cards
 - the keys
 - the certificates
 - directory services
 - certificate revocation list-services
 - timestamp-services
 - help desk services
 - the certificate policy
 - international collaboration
- New electronic ID-cards will be issued in 1999
 - New services must be created for the citizens in 1999-2001

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How to do it ?

A joint project

- pilot projects (4 official)

Legislation

Financing

Everything must be ready during 1999 !

Pilots

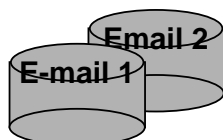
- PRC - CA services, civil servants
 - 7.9.1998
- FinnCity project: Espoo, Vantaa, Oulu ja Pori
 - december 1998
- Ministry of agriculture and forestry
 - 15.9.1998
- Ministry of Social Affairs and Health, ICT macro pilot in Finnish social care and health services 1998-2000
 - 1999
- Other minor pilots



PRC / services



Certificates:
role, server,
judicial etc.
CRL



PRC services



PIS: information

- name
- address
- e-mail address



unique identifier
number 123456782

**Cards
M + P**

**Manufacturing
Personalising**



X.509
certificates

CRL

RA

**Applications
+ card
delivery
PUK**



- Customer support
- CRL-requests

Citizen workstation:

- pin change
- digital signature
- S-MIME e-mail
- authentication
- IPsec Client

FINEID SPECIFICATIONS

- AVAILABLE:** <http://www.vaestorekisterikeskus.fi>
- FINEID-S1: ELECTRONIC ID-APPLICATION
 - FINEID-S3: CERTIFICATE SPECIFICATION
 - FINEID-S4-1: IMPLEMENTATION PROFILE
 - FINEID-S5: X.500 DIRECTORY SPECIFICATION AND CRL
 - FINEID-P18: PILOT CARD AND CERTIFICATE SPECIFICATION

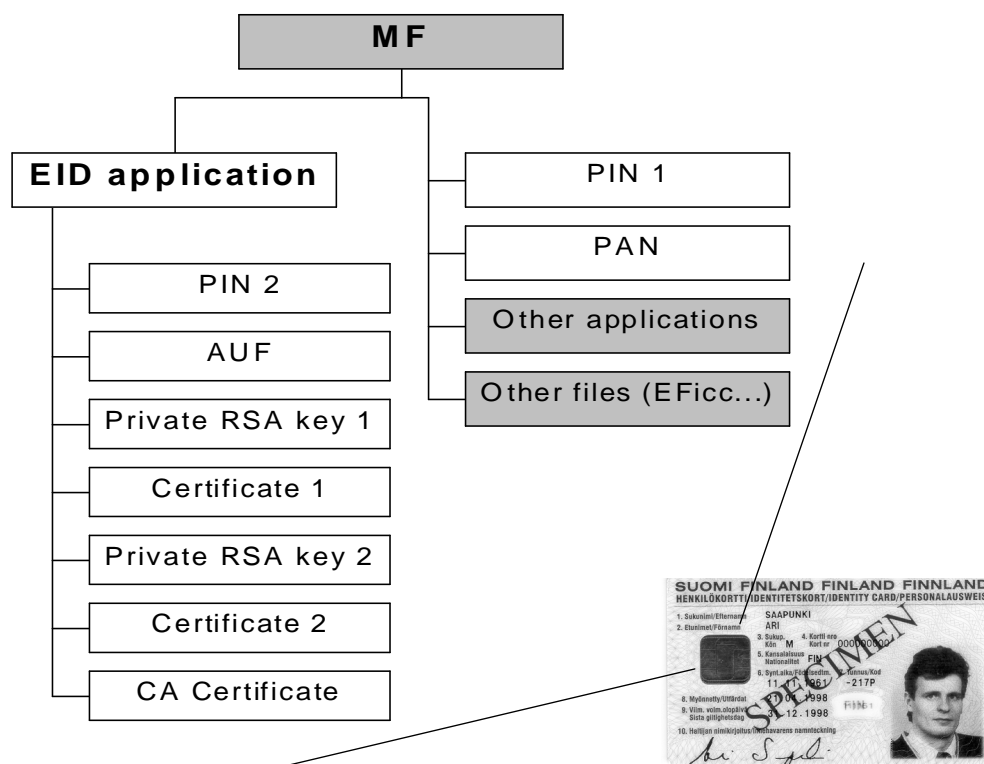
FOR THE PILOT USE ONLY:

- FINEID-S10: CERTIFICATE POLICY FOR THE PILOT
- FINEID-P11: GENERAL ISSUES OF FINEID
- FINEID-P12: FINNISH CITIZEN CARD CONTENTS
- FINEID-P13: CARD MANUFACTURING AND INDIVIDUALIZING
- FINEID-P14: CA SERVICES
- FINEID-P15: DUTIES OF THE REGISTRATION AUTHORITY
- FINEID-P16: TIME STAMPING
- FINEID-P17: HELP DESK SERVICES
- TELECOMMUNICATIONS SECURITY
- CPS

Technology elements:
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- **Electronic ID-application**
 - FINEID S1
- **FINEID-certificate**
 - FINEID S3
- **FINEID-implementation profile**
 - FINEID S4-1
- **Directory and CRL**
 - FINEID S5
- **Pilot card**
 - FINEID P18



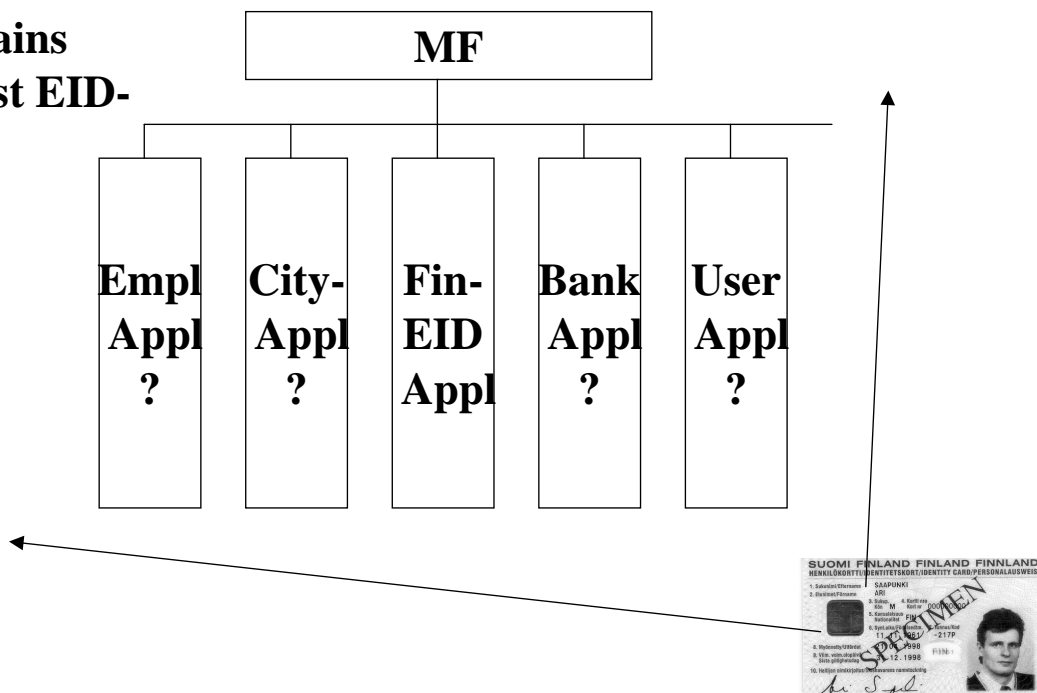


SS 61 43 30 (v0.7) versus FINEID S1

- New Certificate Index File (CIF) added
 - for each private key there is a CIF-file (file ID told in the AUF file)
 - CIF file contains:
 - certificate label
 - path to certificate file or URL
- All labels is now BMPString
- CAKeyIdentifier added to the CAInfo (AUF)

Future Citizen Card possibly contains more than just EID-application

It allows wide range of usage with high security

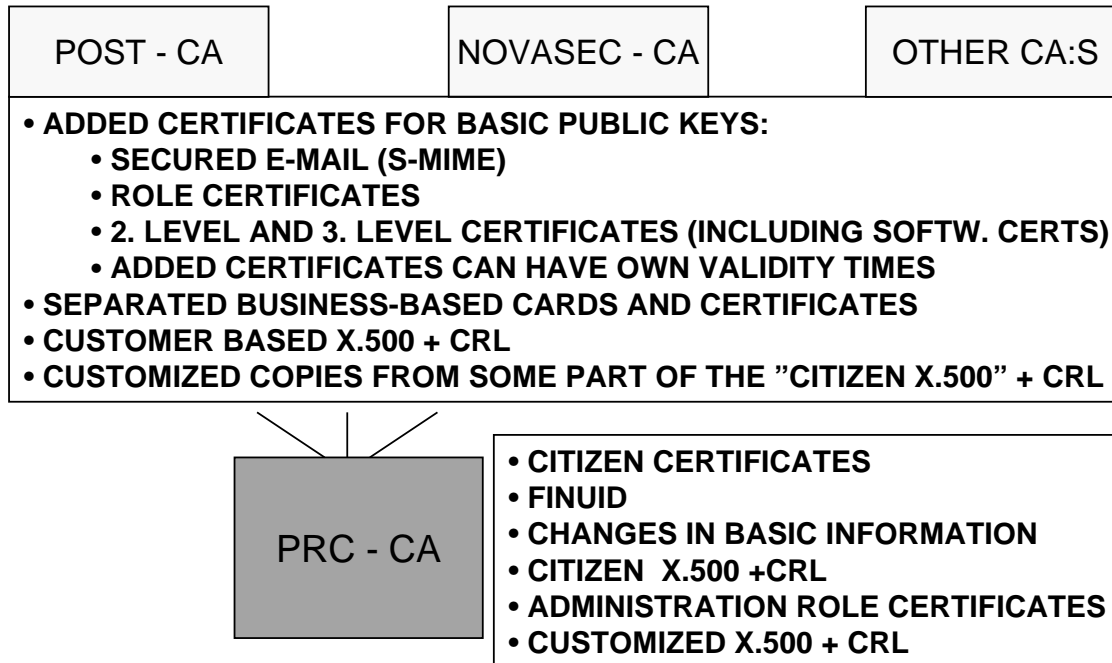


Certificate

Basic fields: Certificate

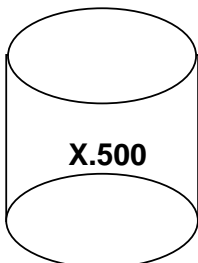
- **version:** value 2 = x.509 v.3 certificate (Internet X.509 Public Key Infrastructure Certificate and CRL Profile“, IETF PKIX, ISO/IEC 9594-8: 1997 X.509)
 - **serial number:** unique within an issuer
 - **signature :** the algorithm identifier for the algorithm used by the CA to sign the certificate
 - **issuer:** country = FI, organisation = 123456-1234 (unique within a country, CommonName = Väestörekisterikeskus)
 - **validity:** YYMMDDHHMMSSZ
 - **subject:** country=FI, Surnamei=Meikäläinen, Given name=Maija, Finuid=123456786
 - **subject public key:** The algorithm identifier of the subject's public key
- Extensions:** Key usage , Certificate policies , Authority and Subject key identifier

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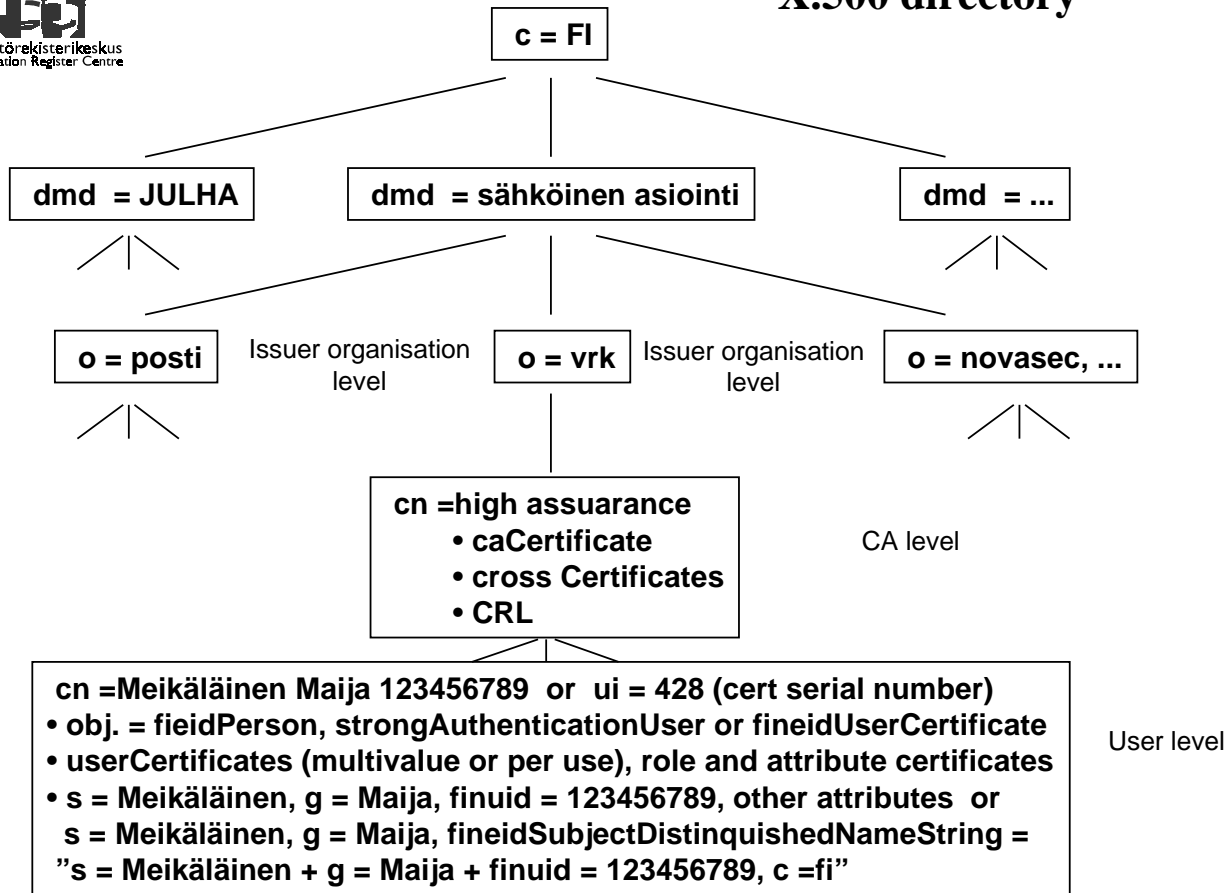
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DIRECTORY SERVICE

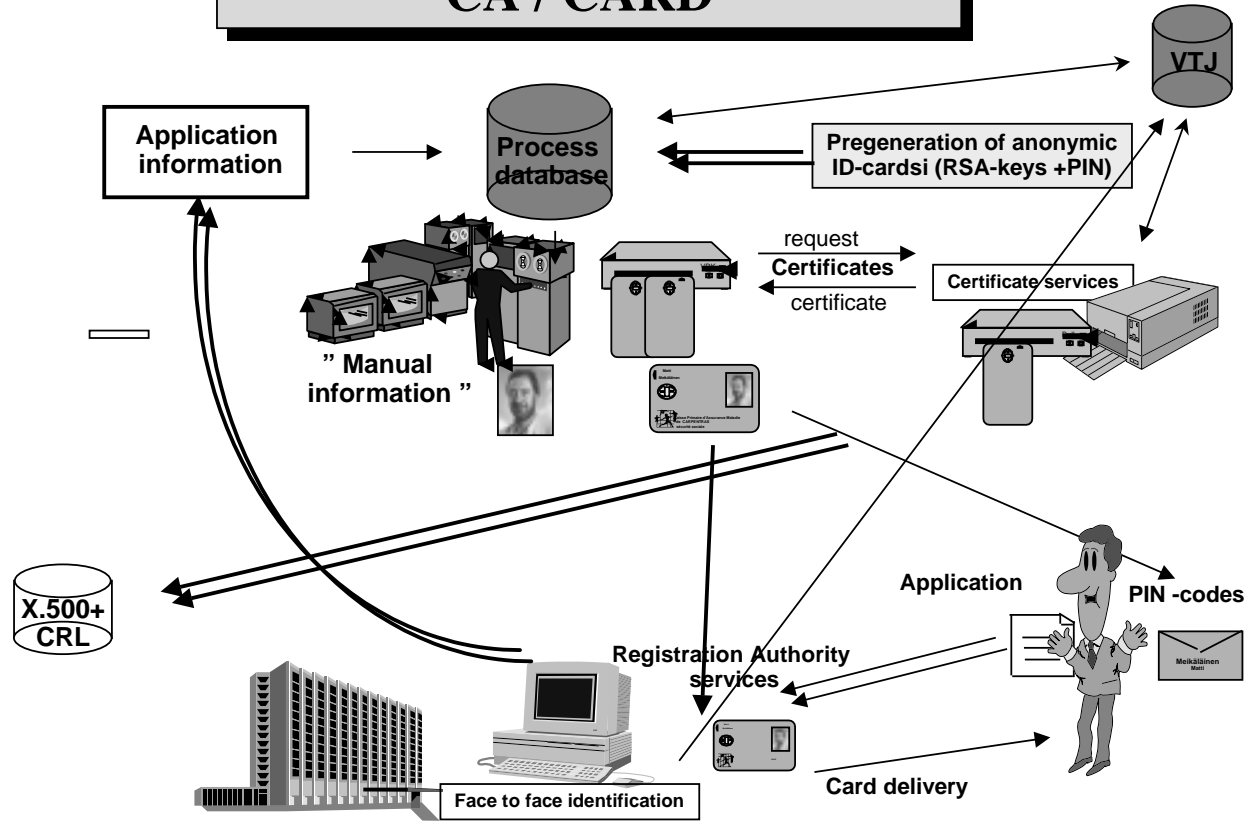


- PEOPLE X.500, OPEN DIRECTORY SERVICE
- CLOSED ENVIRONMENTS -> CLOSED DIRECTORIES (LDAP ETC.)
- PERSONAL CERTIFICATES:
 - CERTIFICATE 1: AUTHENTICATION AND ENCRYPTION
 - CERTIFICATE 2: DIGITAL SIGNATURE
- JUDICIAL AND SERVER CERTIFICATES
- CRL (Certificate Revocation List)
- DIRECTORY REQUESTS : LDAP V.2.0 OR 3.0

X.500 directory



CA / CARD



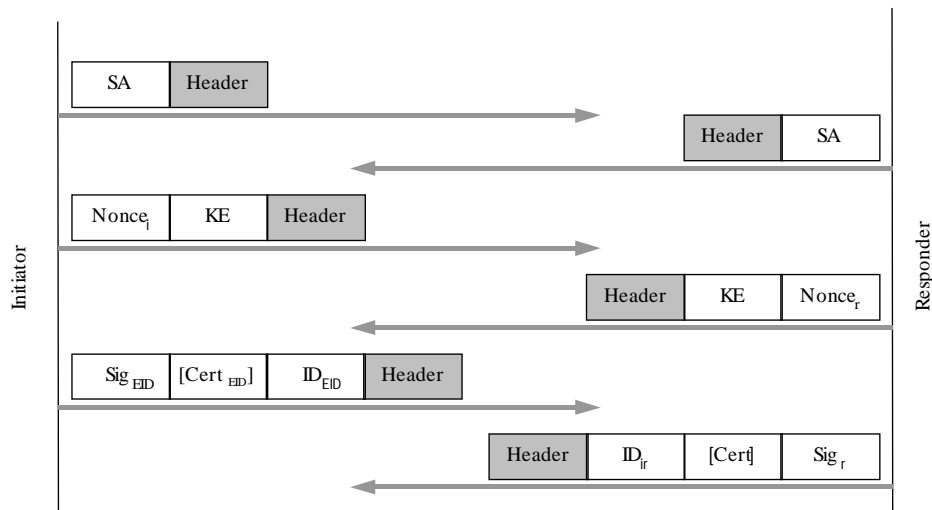
Secured data transfer

- **secured data transfer based on open standards is needed**
- **you need to be able to use strong encryption with the partners who allows it and weaker where only weak encryption is available**
- **you should be able to use your electronic identity as a starting point, not ip-address of your terminal**

Secured data transfer

- **Asymmetric encryption provided by a ID-card is too "heavy" to calculate when we are securing data transfer**
- **PKI solution with RSA encryption allows a good way of carrying the symmetric session time key**
- **What we need is a sort of X.509 certificate tool that includes all the necessary components required for checking:**
 - **the validity of a certificate,**
 - **requesting new certificates,**
 - **retrieving certificates from Certificate Authority directories,**
 - **and checking Certificate Revocation Lists**

IKE in Main Mode: EID and Service



Header - an ISAKMP header corresponding to the used mode
SA - the negotiated Security Association
Nonce - a random number sent for signing
KE - Key Exchange data for Diffie-Hellman key exchange
Sig - signature payload used for authentication
Cert - a certificate for the public key
ID - identity payload (ii is initiator and ir responder in phase I)

□ denotes an optional

This figure is based on authentication by using
 The payloads are slightly different when other
 methods are used. The main difference is that the
 is replaced by a hash.

Secured data transfer

The ISAKMP/Oakley (=Internet Key Exchange Protocol IKE):

- tool for negotiating the terms of the communication before the actual encryption and secure session can begin
- communication security parameters includes, for example:
 - which encryption algorithms to use
 - the lifetime of the encryption,
 - and the encryption keys themselves
 - negotiation process has to be made automatic and secure to allow scaling to the global Internet
- Summary : ISAKMP/Oakley with FINEID support is a one way to accomplish the elements needed when securing data transfer

Users

Finland

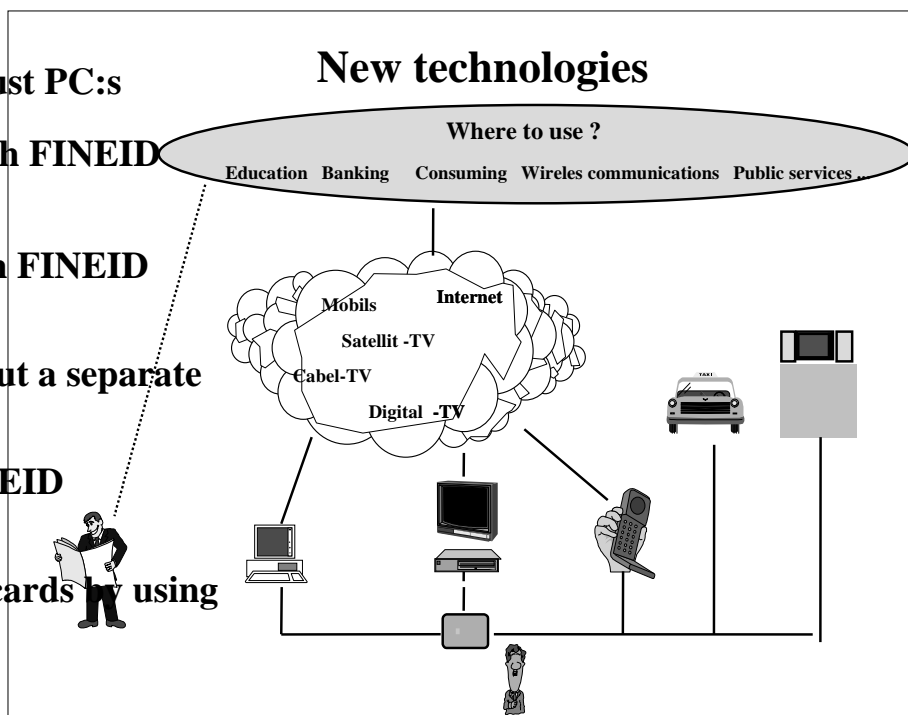
- **Public administration (100 ongoing projects)**
 - **State authorities and municipalities (0,5 mill. employees)**
- **Private sector**
 - **banks**
 - **telecommunication operators**
 - **large firms**
 - **commerce**
- **Citizens 5 millions**
- **Sweden SEIS interoperability, both public and private sector,**
- **Norway SEIS interoperability in administration, citizens**
- **Estonia ?, EU ?, PKCS#15 --> global market !**

What is needed ?

- **Testing and evaluating of FINEID-products
(starting project with SEIS)**
- **Software and a card reader package for end users**
- **New technical solutions for service providers**
- **Citizen terminals and kiosks**
- **Notariat and time stamp service**
- **The chains of certificates, role certificates, judicial
and service certificates**
- **New terminals**

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- We need more than just PC:s
- WWW-television with FINEID compatibility
- Digital television with FINEID compatibility
- GSM with and without a separate card reader
- Telephones with FINEID compatibility
- Identification to the cards by using biometrics



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Where to start?

- www.vaestorekisterikeskus.fi
- ari.saapunki@vrk.intermin.fi
- www.seis.se

Endusers software package and smart card reader

- S-MIME based e-mail client
- Software for digital signature
- Client software for authentication
- Secured data transfer client (IpSec, ISAKMP/Oakley)
- Encryption of files or data
- Certificate cheque (validity, CRL-cheque)



End users basic software package and a card reader

- Time Stamp client
- Software for changing PINs
- Client for reading open information from the card
- Card reader as a device or as a part of a computer (keyboard)
- Virusprotection, etc



Citizen terminals and kiosks



- We need proper terminals as many as possible
- We need them available
- There will be terminals in working places and in homes
- There will be terminals in libraries and other public buildings
- We need them available in the streets and other open environments
- We need kiosks: internet connection, videoconferencing etc.

Notariat and time stamp service



- We need the exact time for transactions coming from a reliable third party
- We need a system for maintaining the history of information
- So, there is a need for Notariat and time stamp service and
- there is a global market

Chains of certificates, directory and crl

- **There is a need for full FINED interoperability and for added certificates, role, judicial and server certificates**
- **That can mean chains of certificates based on same public keys**
- **We need a database maintaining information (cards, users and certificates)**
- **We need support for different directory services (x.500, ldap)**
- **We need added services for existing softwares**

Softwares for service providers

- **New web-server services (electronic forms, IpSec, ldap etc.)**
- **Server end authentication, certificate- and CRL-check**
- **Connection to the existing databases**
- **Civil servant product for managing digitally signed forms**
- **Application to application connections etc.**

Employee usage

- **User authentication, SingleSignOn solutions**
- **Data and data transfer encryption**
- **Remote acces with FINEID-compatibility**
- **Workstation protection**
- **Application to application connections etc.**

