Strong Mobile Authentication in Finland (MPKI, WPKI)

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Agenda

- National ID
- Commercial Identity Providers in Finland
- Mobile ID
 - History
- Questions / Discussion



Finnish Personal Identification Number

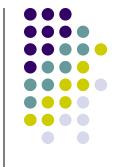


- National ID number
- Widely used incorrectly for identification
- Format YYMMDD?123X
- Exposes both date of birth and gender



elD in Finland

- eID card contains
 - name
 - optionally email address
 - SATU (electronic identification number)
- Not mandatory
- Price 51€
- The SATU number can be converted to a personal identity number through a web services query to the population register





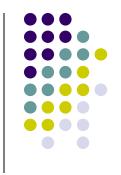


eID Statistics

- End of November 2010
 - 341,800 certificates issued to date
 - 272,200 currently valid



Population Registry



- Provides Web Service interface to population registry data to authorized parties (VTJKysely)
- Interface provides
 - Citizen, building and real estate information
 - Over 80 different types of attributes available
 - Web service interface authentication at connection level using client certificates



Banks as Commercial IdPs for eGov



- TUPAS is a joint bank specification for electronic authentication by the Federation of Finnish Financial Services
- Proprietory protocol
- User must be strongly authenticated
- Typically PIN/TAN list
- Banks provide limited financial liability
- User approves and certifies the personal data released



Banks as Commercial IdPs



- 10+ banks
- Commercial service
 - Contracts between SP and each bank required including typically
 - Establishment fees
 - Monthly fees
 - Transaction fees
 - Similar process to Verified By Visa etc



Familiar process



User accesses service provider



Redirect, authenticates at bank

Redirect, returns to service



Bank authentication



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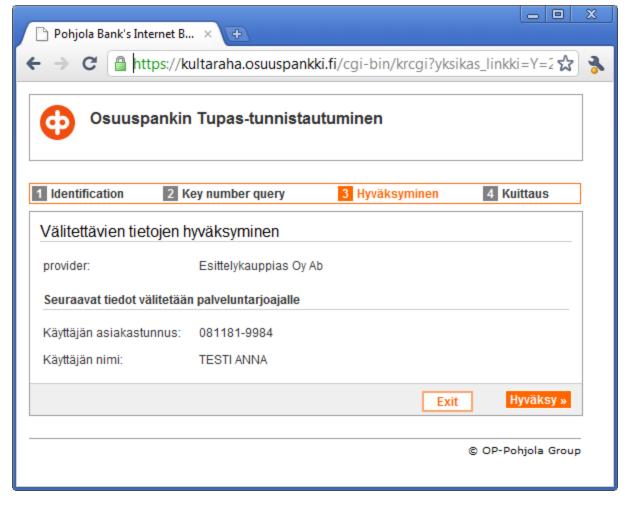
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Attribute release consent







Telcos as Commercial IdPs for eGov



- Commercial Wireless PKI (MPKI, WPKI) service launched 30.11.2010
- Named "Mobilivarmenne" Mobile Certificate
- http://www.mobiilivarmenne.fi/en/en_2.html
- Supported by 3 out of 4 national telcos
- Competing with TUPAS service



Telcos as Commercial IdPs



- Long history previous studies and commercial trials commencing around 2003 to use national ID in the mobile had failed
- New business model, purely commercial
- Requires government-issued CA license with stringent auditing
- Application embedded in SIM (application toolkit application)



Two Profiles

- Authentication
- Signing (non-repudiation)

- Unique PIN codes for each type
- PIN codes distributed on SIM package behind scratch layer
- User can change own PINs through SIM menu



Old and new phones alike













Changing PIN codes

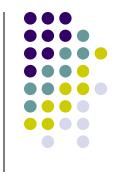








Telcos as Commercial IdPs



- Works while roaming (SMS based transport)
- Pricing for end users
 - Elisa: 0.09 per transaction (Free until Nov 2011)
 - Other telco pricing unknown
- Pricing for SP services
 - Unpublished
- Expected adoption for C2G services in 2011



Process Flow (A)

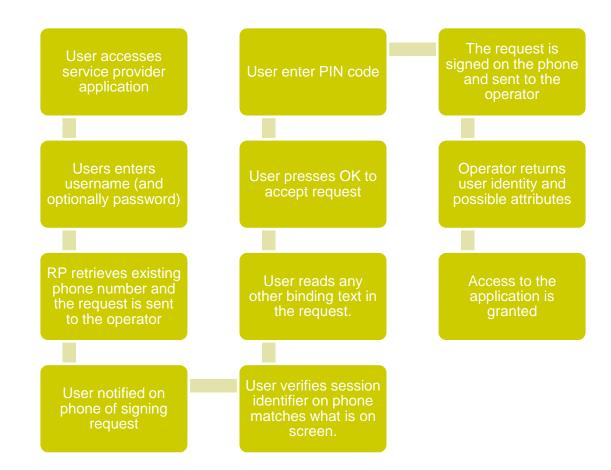


The request is User accesses User enter PIN signed on the phone and sent to the operator Users enters a Operator returns telephone number User presses OK to accept request and optional antipossible attributes User reads any The request is Access to the sent to the other binding text operator User verifies User notified on session identifier on phone matches what is on screen.

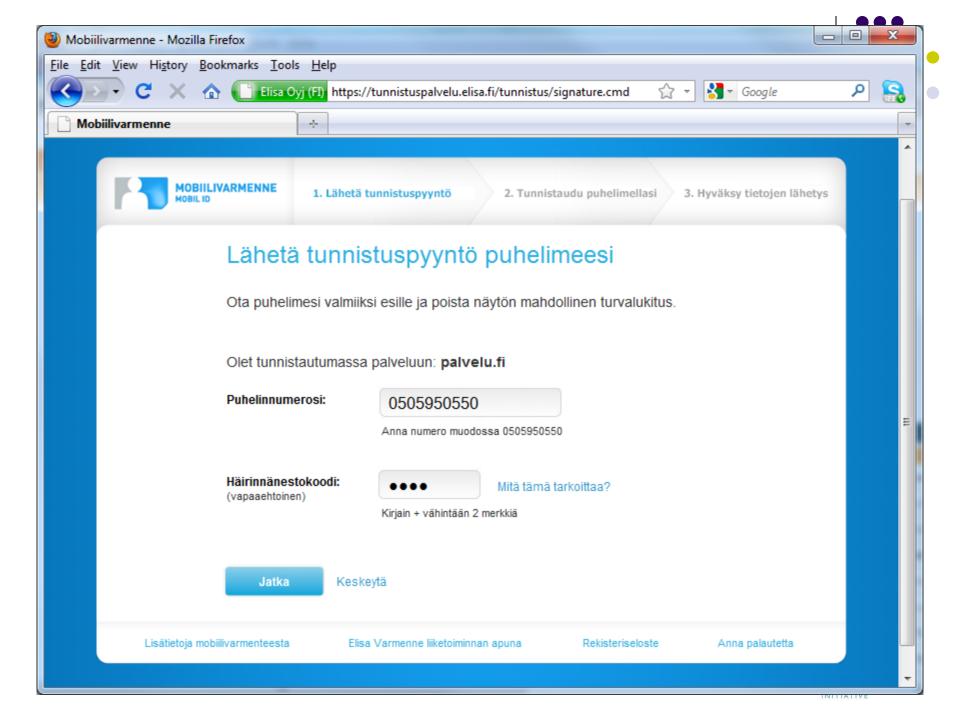


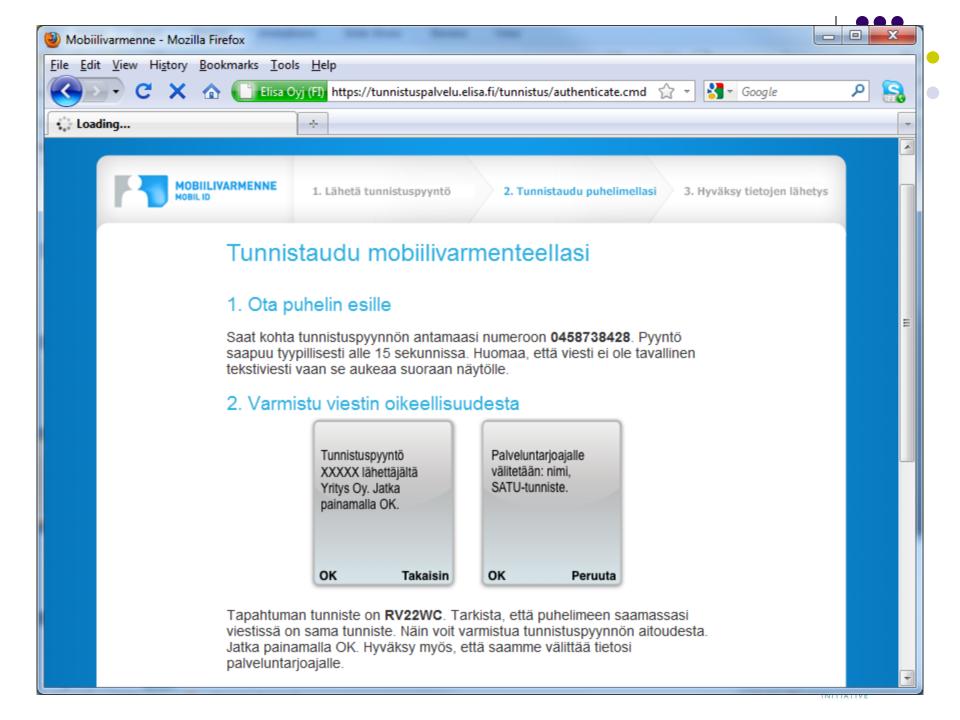
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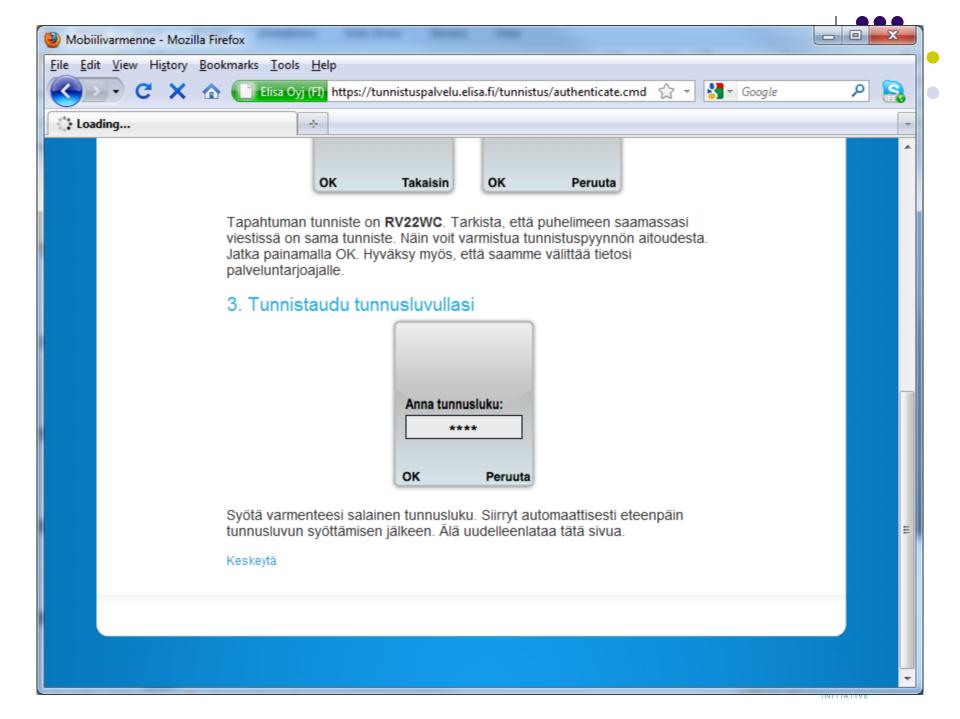


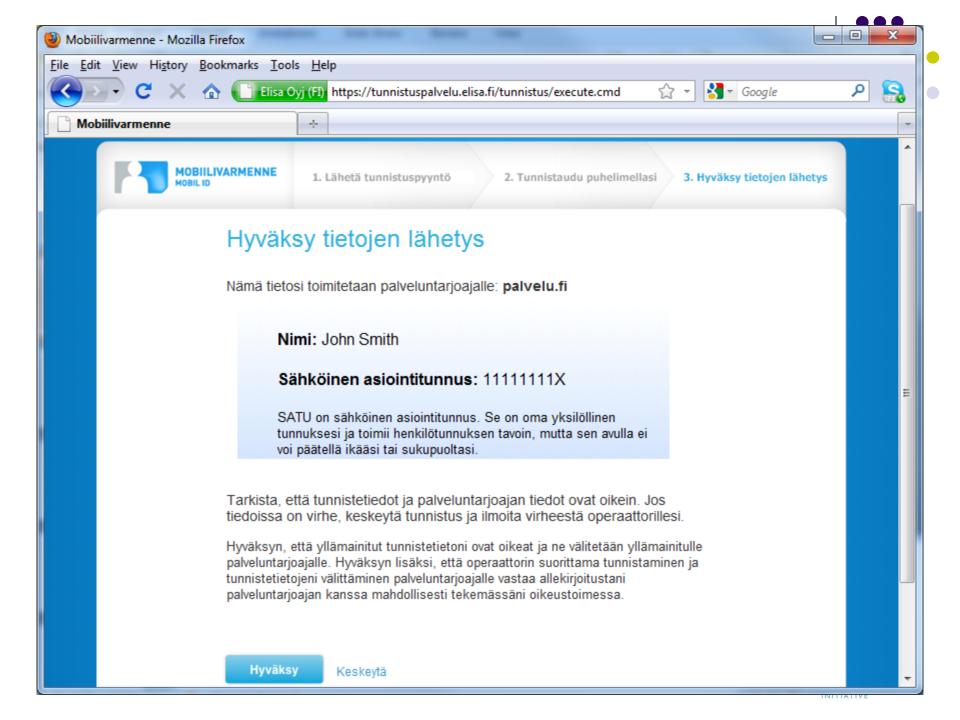




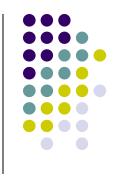








Standards



- Ficom Finnish Federation for Communications and Teleinformatics
- ETSI MSS Mobile Signature Service
- ETSI MSS
 - TS 102 204, TR 102 206, TS 102 207



Service Provider Integration

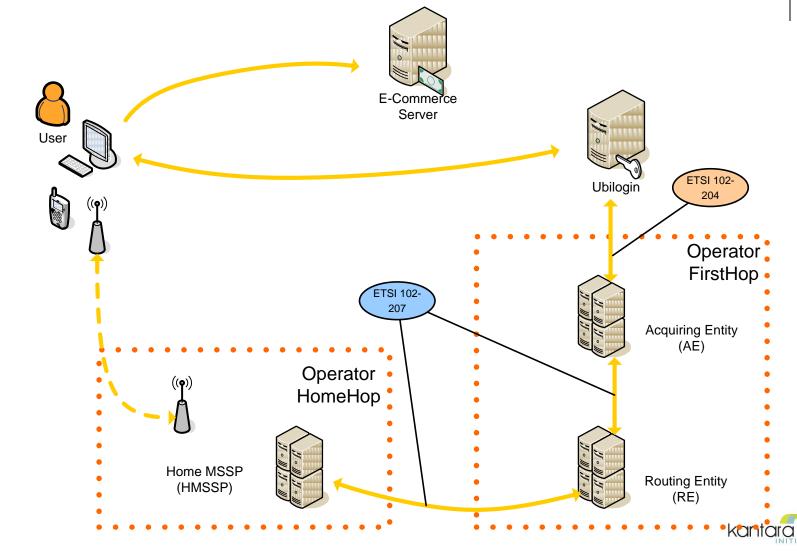


- Operator provided API
- ETSI MSS interface
- TUPAS Proxy (Emulate banking protocol)
 - Hosted by Service Provider
 - Operated by Telco
- SAML IdP Proxy
 - Hosted by Service Provider
 - Operated by Telco



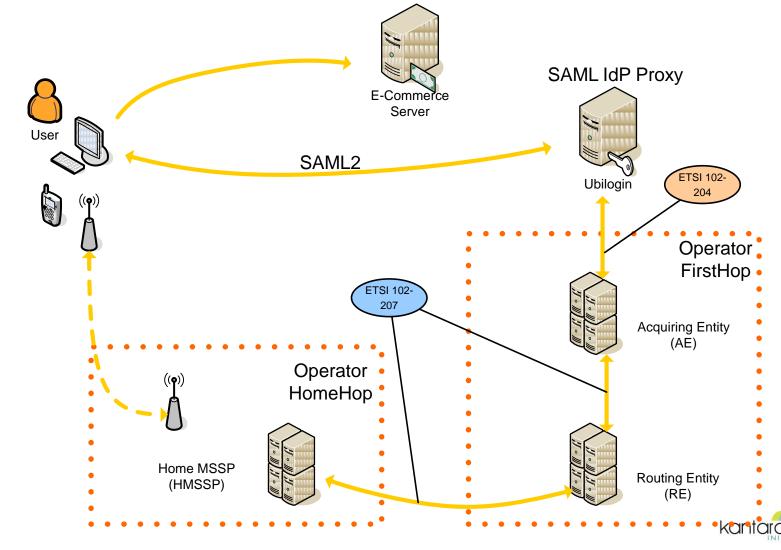
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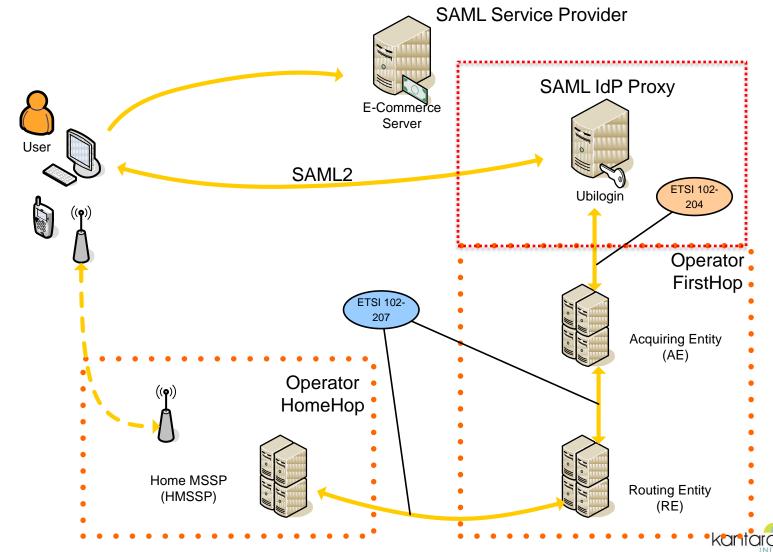
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Authentication during a call



- System permits a telephone operator (or automated IVR system) to perform an authentication request during a voice call
- Simtoolkit application does not interrupt call

• Eg, obtaining blood test results from a clinic



Commercial Identity Providers



Banks

TUPAS

Telcos

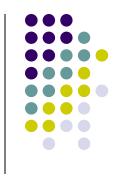
Mobile Certificate

Government

eID Card



Summary



- Commercial rollout of mobile certificates has begun
- Standards-based architecture (ETSI MSS)
- "Operator roaming" thanks to federation
- One service agreement for relying party
- Leveraging existing identity value
- Ready market of existing services ready to adopt
- Competitive identity market





Questions / Discussion

