Lect. 14. Identification

Authentication

- Entity Authentication (Identification)
 - Over the communication network, one party, Alice, shows to another party, Bob, that she is the real Alice.
 - Authenticate an entity by presenting some identification information
 - Should be secure against various attacks
 - Through an interactive protocols using secret information
- Message Authentication
 - Show that a message was generated by an entity
 - Using digital signature or MAC

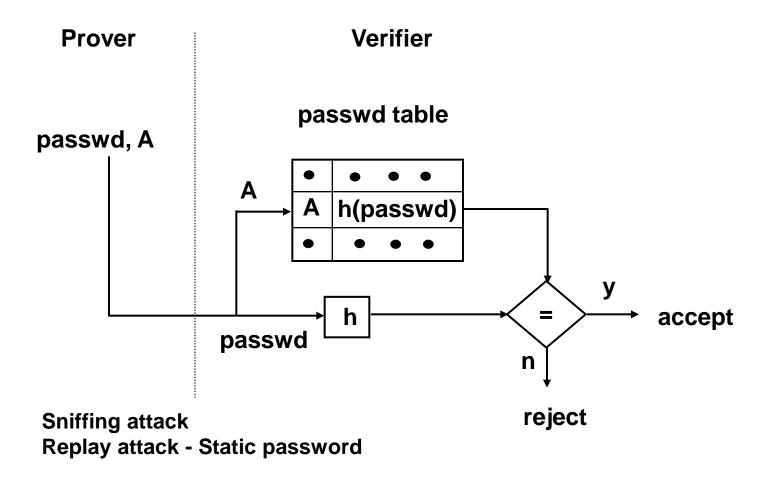
Classification of Identification

| Method | Examples | Reliability | Security | Cost |
|--------------------------------|---|-------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------|
| What you Remember (know) | Password Telephone # Reg. # | M/L | M (theft) L (imperso- nation) | Cheap |
| What you have | Registered Seal Magnetic Card IC Card | M | L (theft) M (imperso- nation) | Reason- able |
| What you are | Bio-metric (Fingerprint, Eye, DNA, face, Voice, <i>etc</i>) | Н | H (theft) H (Imperso- nation) | Expen- sive |

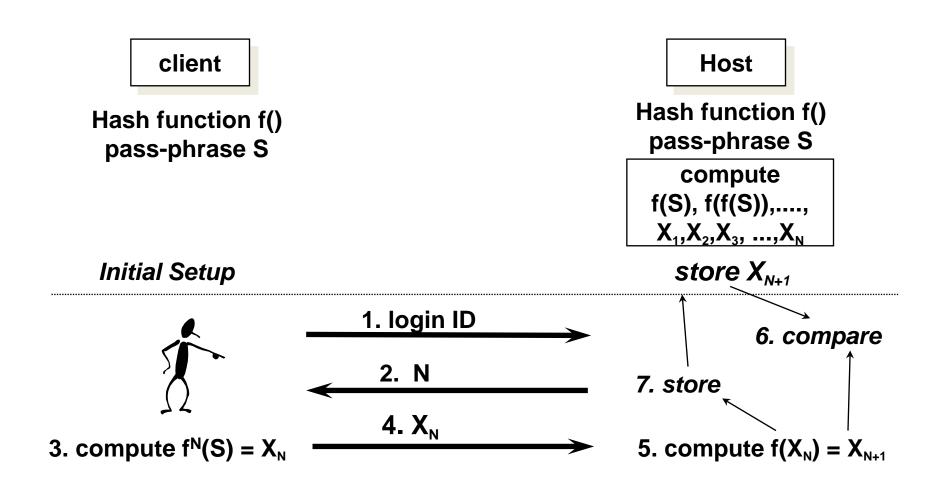
Identification Schemes

- Password-based scheme (weak authentication)
 - crypt passwd under UNIX
 - one-time password
- Challenge-Response scheme (strong authentication)
 - Symmetric cryptosystem
 - MAC (keyed-hash) function
 - Asymmetric cryptosystem
- Using Cryptographic Protocols
 - Fiat-Shamir identification protocol
 - Schnorr identification protocol, etc

Identification by Password



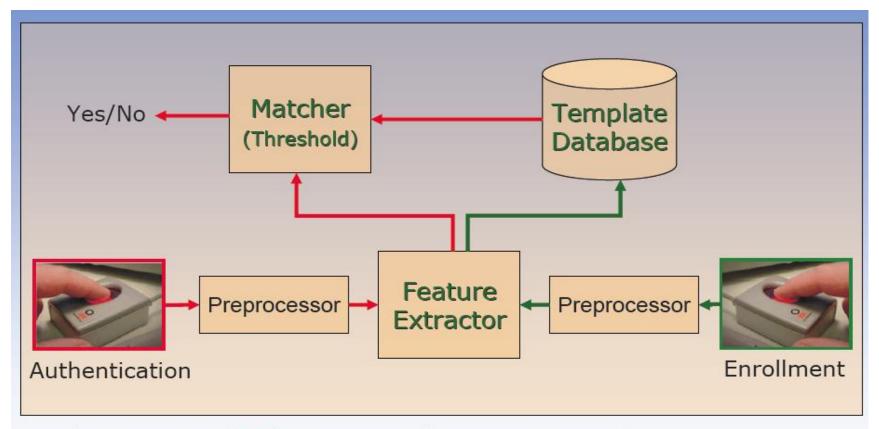
S/Key (One-Time Password System)



Bio-identification

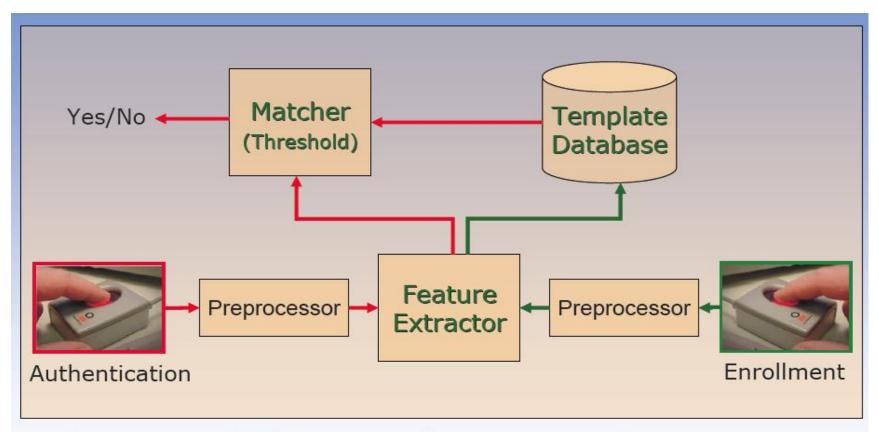


Biometric Recognition System



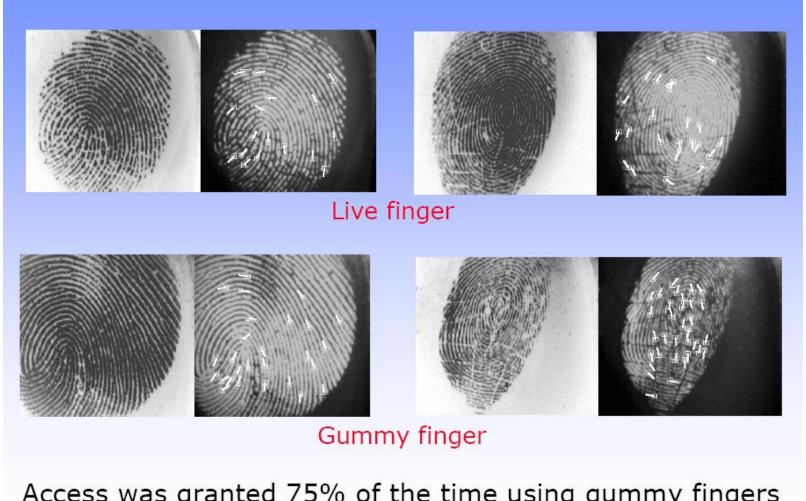
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Fake Fingerprint



Access was granted 75% of the time using gummy fingers

Applications

Goal: Automatic & reliable person identification in unattended mode, often remotely



Iris matching: Heathrow Airport



US-VISIT Program



Cellular phone: Siemens



Grocery store payment: Indivos



Automobile: Audi A8



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