

Securing Digital Keys

High Quality Key Generation

Highest Level Key Protection



Implementation of DNSSEC

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Who Are We and What Do We Do?

Provide **trusted security everywhere** and secure data and voice communication regardless of device, environment or location.

Deliver **proven security architectures** to organizations all over the world including governments, enterprises and carriers.

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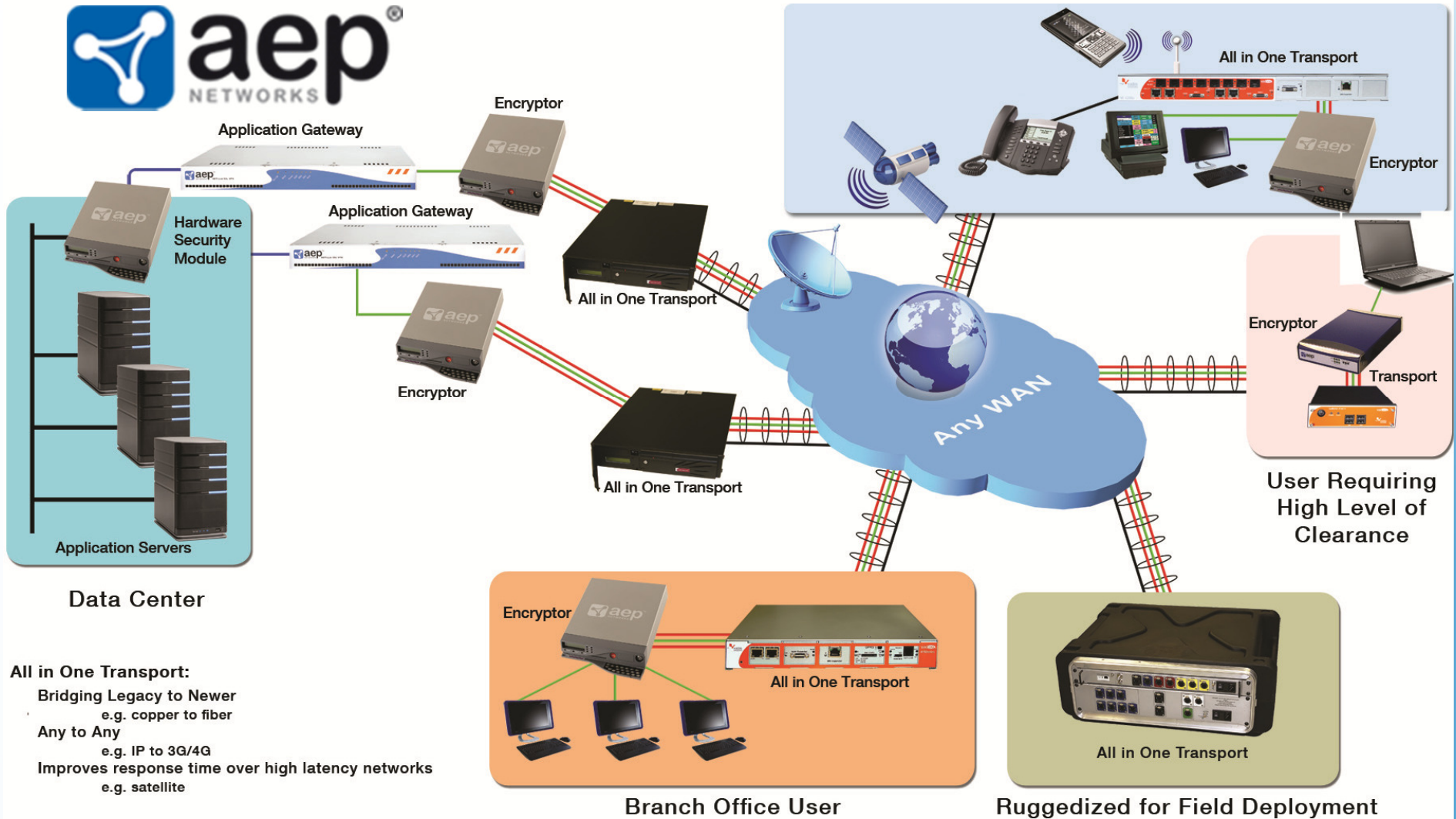


Over 5000 Organisations
are secured
with AEP
Networks



Communicate Securely From Anywhere

Remote Location Using Satellite Communications



Data Center

All in One Transport:

- Bridging Legacy to Newer
e.g. copper to fiber
- Any to Any
e.g. IP to 3G/4G
- Improves response time over high latency networks
e.g. satellite

Branch Office User

Ruggedized for Field Deployment

Ensure the quality and security of digital signing keys used by applications providing security for:

- Government, finance, and telecommunications companies
- Domain Name System Security Extensions (DNSSEC)
- Public Key Infrastructure (PKI) Applications
- Content Providers (music, software, media)
- Electronic Gaming Machines (EGM) Security
- Payment Card Industry (PCI) Compliance
- Supply Chain Security
- Healthcare Electronic Patient Record (EPR) Security

What's DNSSEC ? And Why do I need it?

Phishing



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Millions at risk after one of
biggest data breaches ever

Hooked by a new wave of phishing

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euters in Boston and Washington
ens of millions of customers and
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sophisticated software, said Anup
Ghosh, chief scientist of Virginia se-
curity firm Invincea. Thieves might
then aim for business plans or trade

Given the ph
activity, it fee

- Phishing can be done via email:
 - Attacker makes you think that email is legit
 - Convinces you to click on a link
 - Link looks close to what it's supposed to be:

Bancofamerica.com instead of
Bankofamerica.com

What is DNS?



- DNS is the internet's phone book
- Translates website name to an IP address
- Distributed and hierarchical
- Relies on thousands of DNS servers at different domains and zones.
- At the top of the pyramid (root of the tree) is the root zone
- DNS is inherently trusted

- Imagine if the phone book got hacked?
- Imagine if someone slipped a new phone book on your driveway?
- Some important numbers were different, like banks.
- Next time you look up your Bank's phone number, you get a fake number.
- Call that number, it duplicates the phone tree.
- You can imagine the rest...

Why DNSSEC ?



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Dan Kaminsky

Why DNSSEC ?



- 2008 Black Hat Conference
- Dan Kaminsky demonstrated live how you can exploit a critical flaw in DNS and hijack a website.
- He is credited for developing DNSSEC as the solution to prevent DNS exploits.
- The US Government mandated that all Federal websites implement DNSSEC by end of 2009.

RECENT DNS ATTACKS

- January 2010, websites of **Amazon.com** and **Walmart.com** were brought down due to DNS attacks.
- Not talked about much publicly...
- Their DNS servers were compromised.
- DNS supplier Neustar - UltraDNS

Why DNSSEC ?

Dell Australia customer details
stolen in major global data
breach

Asher Moses
April 7, 2011 - 12:29PM



- Cyber raids 'threaten British, US stock markets' January 31, 2011 - 8:39PM
- EU halts trading after hacking - **Sydney Morning Herald**
- Nasdaq acknowledges hit by hackers February 7, 2011 - 12:01AM NYT
- More than 400 cyber attacks have affected Australian government networks in the past year, figures reveal.

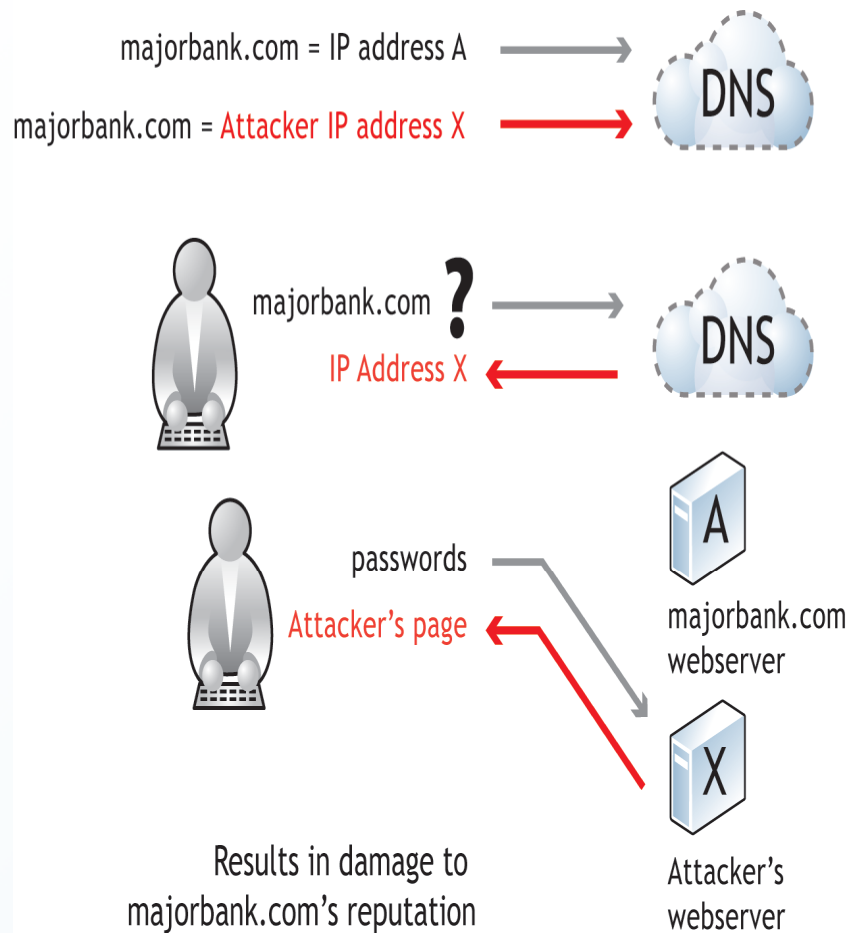
- April 26, 2011: Sony admits that 77 million customer emails and private information compromised on PlayStation worldwide network.
- Network out for several months!
- 25 Million user private information published on the internet.

Recent Attacks

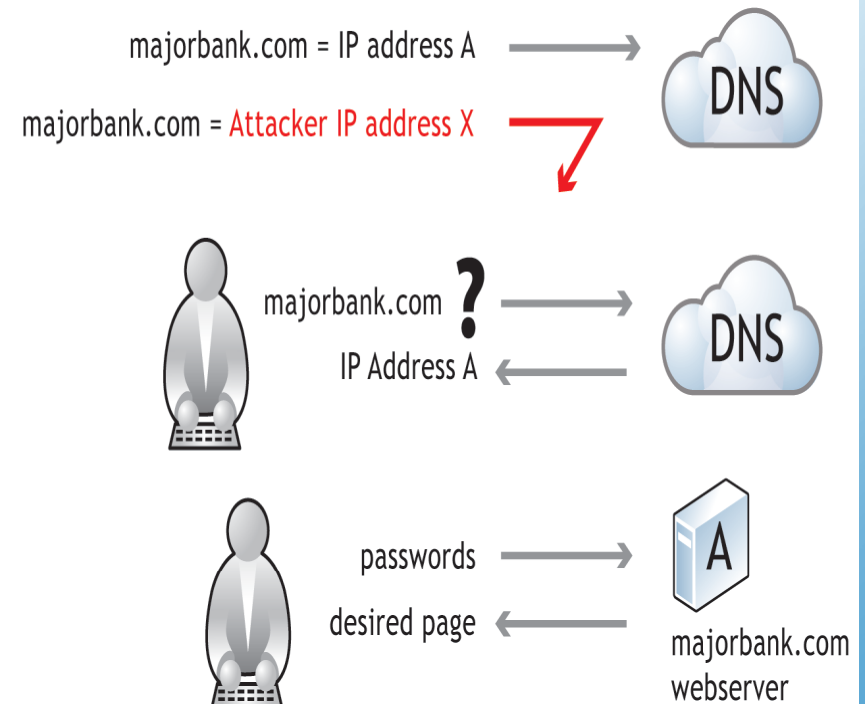


- Recently, the targets have been Certification Authorities (CA).
- This is the new international warfare
- Comodo CA attacked
- DigiNotar CA in the Netherlands attacked
- Both performed by Iranian hackers!
- A hacker who gets a certificate for Bankofamerica.com will be able to steal people's passwords and hijack their accounts.

Without DNSSEC



With DNSSEC



What are DNSSEC benefits?

- DNS lookup can be modified in transit to redirect an end user to an imposter or malicious site for password collection.
- Modification attacks carried out en masse at ISP/enterprise = cache poisoning.
- A lookup secured with DNSSEC is protected against modification = primary benefit.
- Greatest benefits may be yet to come. Why not securely distribute more than just DNS info? Other keys? Identification info?
- DNSSEC deployment at root and TLDs set the stage

ICANN DNSSEC Implementation





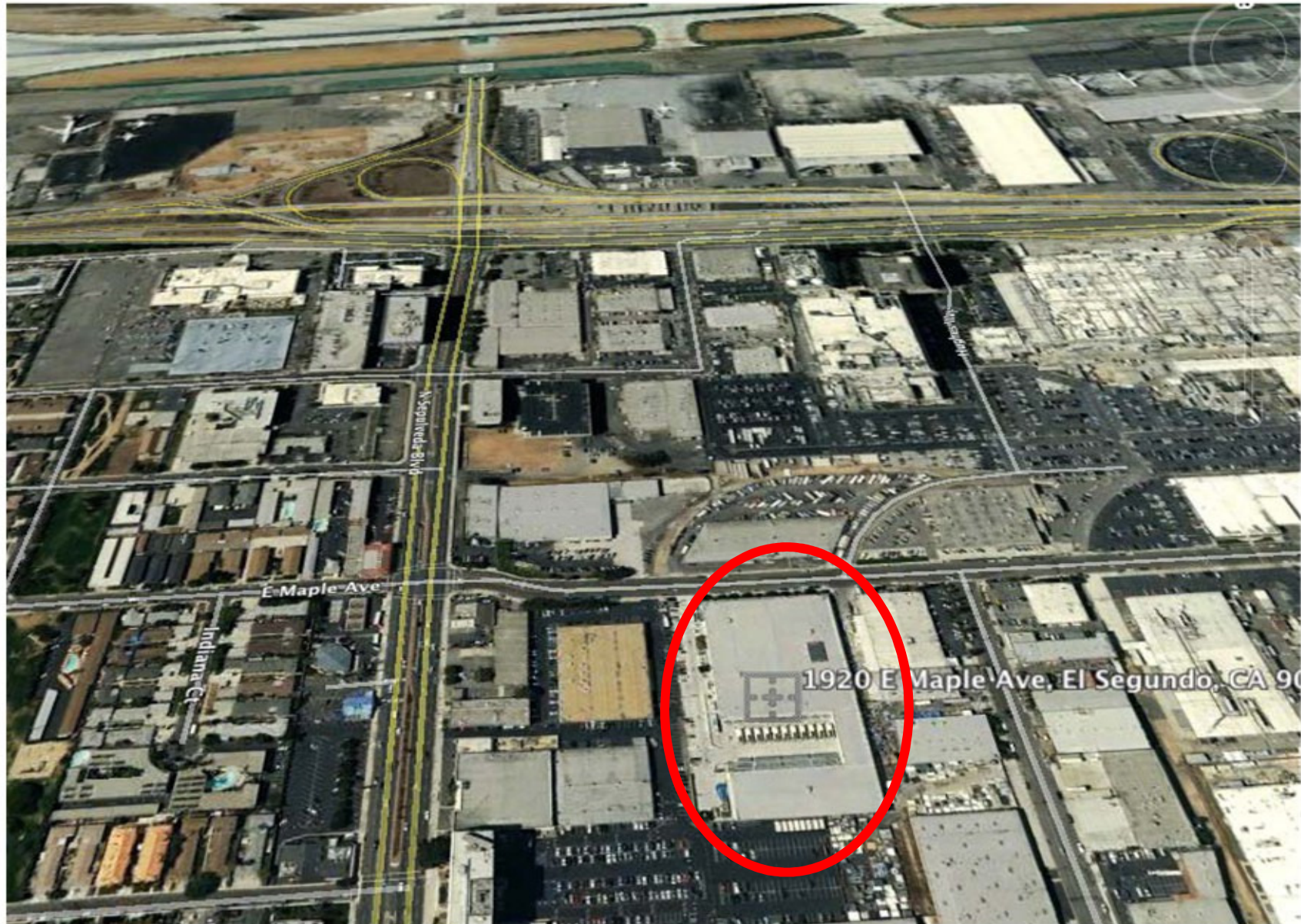
July 15, 2010 ICANN goes live with
AEP & ISC DNSSEC solution



Los Angeles Datacenter



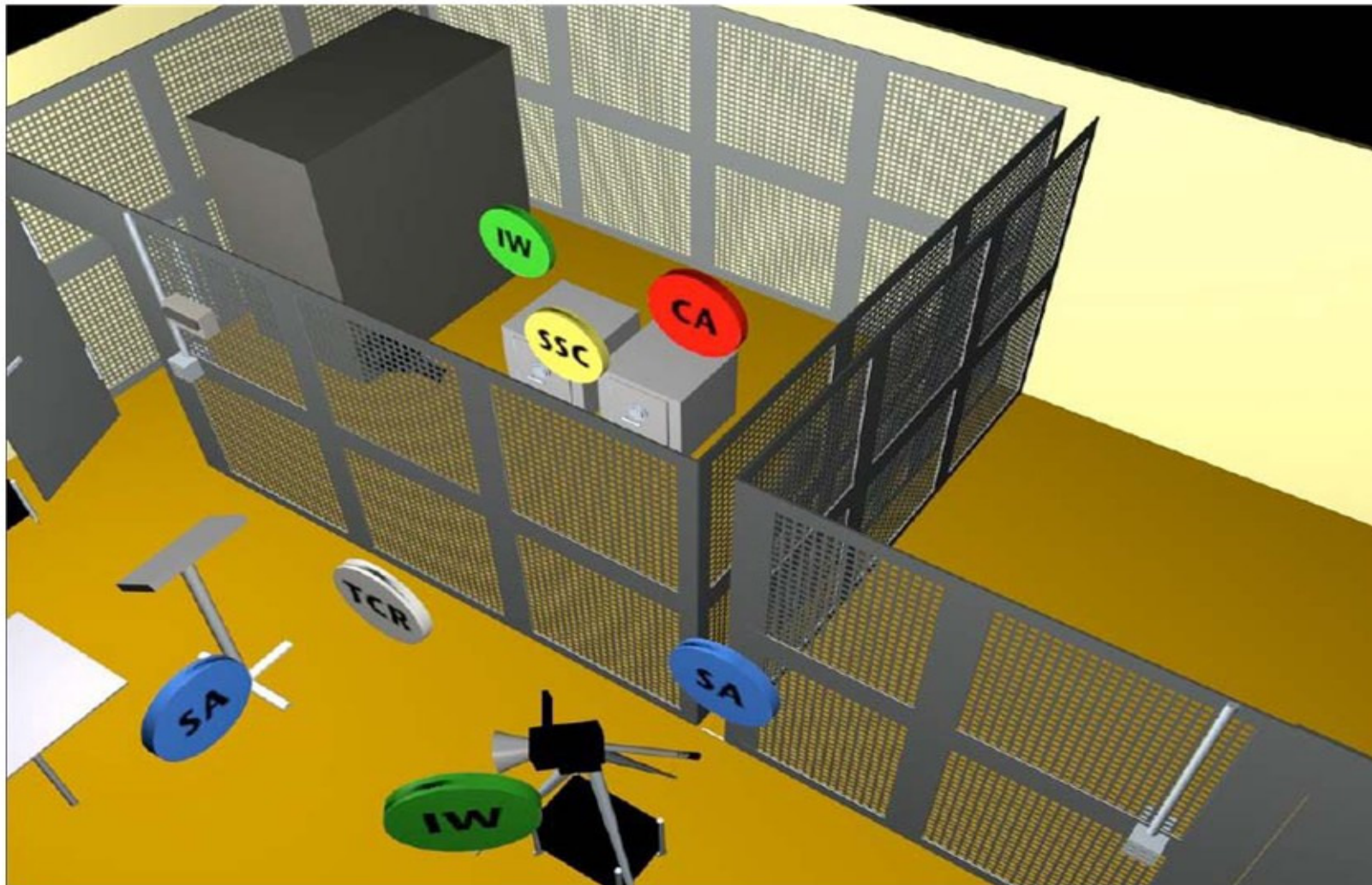
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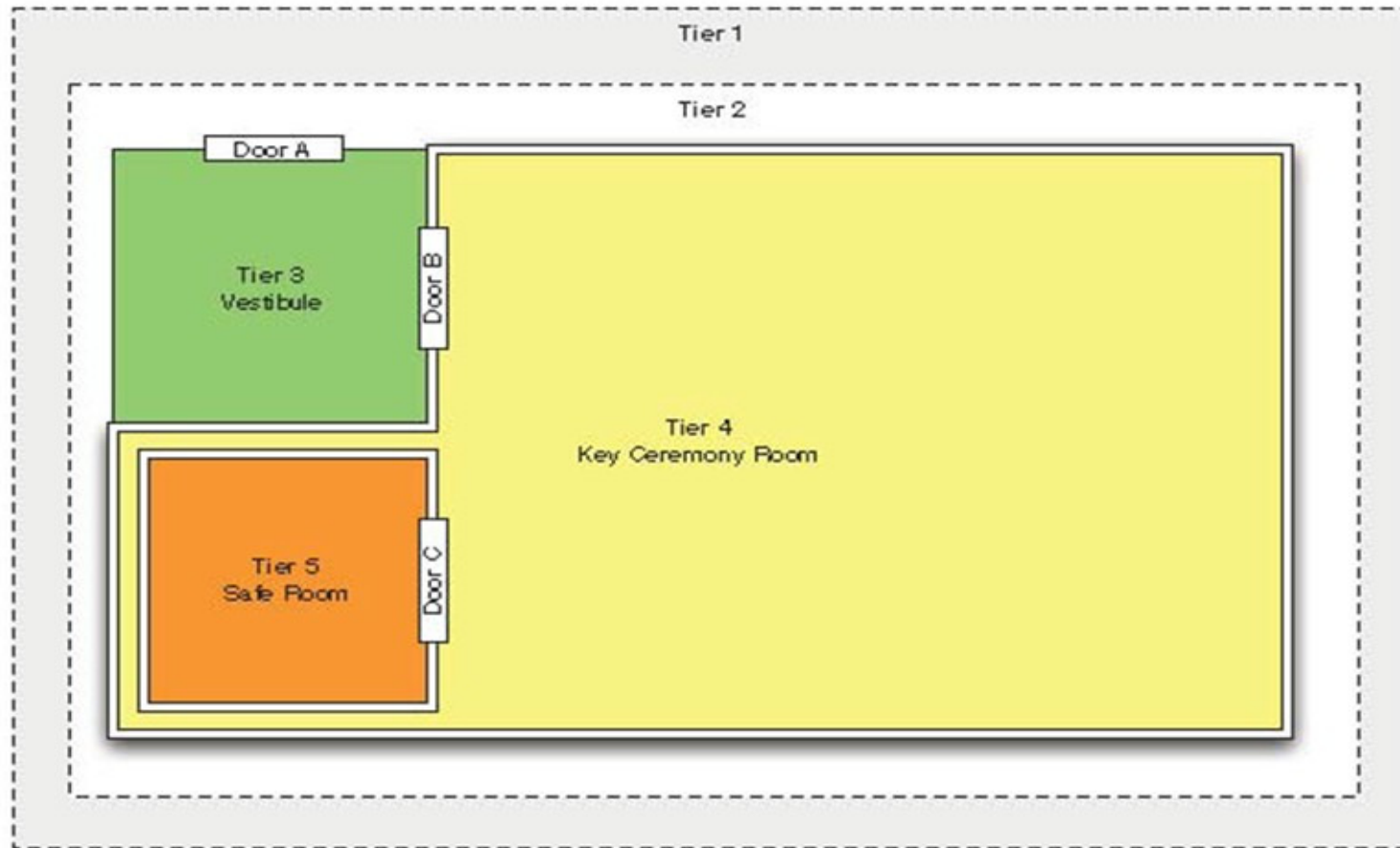
Secure Cage in Datacenter



Physical Security



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Root Key Generation



The Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers

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Starting: kskgen (at Wed Jun 16 21:19:06 2010 UTC)
Use HSM /opt/dnssec/aep.hsmconfig?
HSM /opt/dnssec/aep.hsmconfig activated.
setenv KEYPER_LIBRARY_PATH=/opt/dnssec
setenv PKCS11_LIBRARY_PATH=/opt/Keyper/PKCS11Provider/pkcs11.GCC4.0.2.so.4.07
Found 1 slots on HSM /opt/Keyper/PKCS11Provider/pkcs11.GCC4.0.2.so.4.07
HSM slot 0 included
Loaded /opt/Keyper/PKCS11Provider/pkcs11.GCC4.0.2.so.4.07 Slot=0
HSM Information:
  Label:          ICANNKSK
  ManufacturerID: AEP Networks
  Model:          Keyper Pro 0405
  Serial:         K6002013

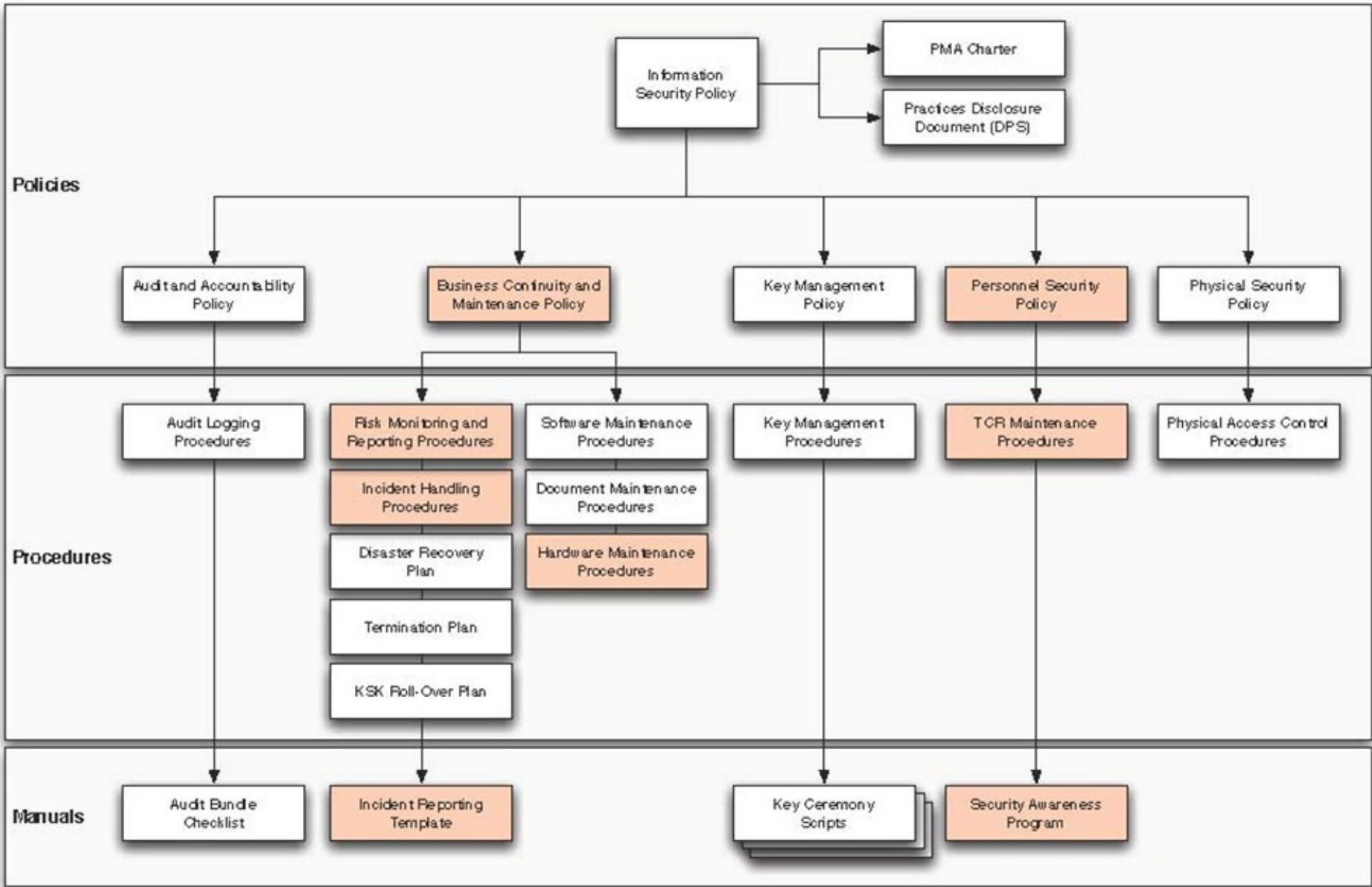
Generating 2048 bit RSA keypair...
Created keypair labeled "Kjqmt7v"

SHA256 DS resource record and hash:
. IN DS 19036 8 2 49AAC11D7B6F6446702E54A1607371607A1A41855200FD2CE1CDDE32F24E8FB5
>> deckhand pedigree snapline breakaway kickoff hemisphere flytrap detergent guidance c
oherece eating outfielder facial hurricane hamlet fortitude keyboard Bradbury cranky l
eprony Dupont adroitness willow Chicago tempest sandalwood tactics component uproot dis
tortion payday positive <<

Created CSR file "Kjqmt7v.csr":
O: ICANN
OU: IANA
CN: ROOT Zone KSK 2010-06-16T21:19:24+00:00
1.3.6.1.4.1.1000.53: . IN DS 19036 8 2 49AAC11D7B6F6446702E54A1607371607A1A41855200FD2C
E1CDDE32F24E8FB5

Kjqmt7v.csr SHA256 thumbprint and hash:
401120C1721BA109B2D9ABF2D01332399535BA0F9C71DBD9F97232C5EBD608D2
>> crackdown Babylon bison recover highchair bravado ratchet adroitness sawdust support
ive rhythm vagabond stagnate barbecue checkup corporate preclude conformist shadow atmo
sphere python hideaway suspense supportive waffle holiness checkup resistor trouble spe
culate aimless sensation <<

Unloaded /opt/Keyper/PKCS11Provider/pkcs11.GCC4.0.2.so.4.07 Slot=0
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Algorithm / Key Length

- Cryptanalysis from NIST: *2048 bit RSA SHA256*

Recommended Minimum Cryptographic Strength for DNSSEC			
Year	Min. Bit Strength	Algorithm Suites	Key Sizes
Now->2010	80	DSA/SHA-1 RSA/SHA-1	Both: 1024 bits
2010->2029	112	DSA/SHA-256 RSA/SHA-256	Both: 2048 bits
2030 and Beyond	128	DSA/SHA-256 RSA/SHA-256	Both: 3072 bits

http://csrc.nist.gov/publications/nistpubs/800-57/sp800-57_PART3_key-management_Dec2009.pdf

- Split KSK and ZSK
- KSK is 2048-bit RSA
 - Rolled as required
 - RFC 5011 for automatic key rollovers
- Signatures made using SHA-256
- ZSK is 1024-bit RSA
 - Rolled once a quarter (four times per year)
- Zone signed with NSEC
- Signatures made using SHA-256

Crypto Officer (CO)

- Have physical keys to safe deposit boxes holding smartcards that activate the HSM
- ICANN cannot generate new key or sign ZSK without 3 of 7 COs
- Able to travel 4 times to US

Recovery Key Shareholder (RKSH)

- Have smartcards holding pieces (M of N) of the key used to encrypt KSK inside HSM
- If both key management facilities fall into the ocean, 5 of 7 RKSH smartcards and an encrypted KSK smartcard can reconstitute KSK in a new HSM
- Backup KSK encrypted on smartcard held by ICANN
- Able to travel to US on relatively short notice. Hopefully never.
- Annual Inventory.

CO

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- Signed root published 15 July, 2010
- 88 TLDs out of 312 total have been signed
- Details:
http://stats.research.icann.org/dns/tld_report/
- 8 of 16 gTLD registries are signed: .com, .net, .org, .asia, .biz, .cat, .info, .museum
- 2 of 3 US TLDs are signed: .edu, .gov
- Biggest change to Internet in 20+ years
- Security applications built on DNSSEC



ICANN's HSM Crypto requirements:

- ⇒ Generate, store and manage cryptographic keys to the highest level of assurance
 - Highest level of security (FIPS 140-2 Level 4) required
 - Never been compromised
 - High quality RNG
 - Keys can be backed up
- ⇒ Track record and customer credibility
- ⇒ 10 year support for products

Types of HSMs

PCI card

- Limited platform and operating system support due to requirement for drivers
- Tamper evident only protection: does not erase keys if tampered with
- Typically FIPS 140-2 Level 2 or 3 validated

Network-attached PC containing PCI card

- Uses standard general purpose operating systems (FreeBSD, GNU Linux etc) with attendant vulnerabilities
- Contains PCI Card (FIPS 140-2 Level 2 or 3 validated)
- No tamper protection
- No FIPS 140-2 certification

Standalone, network attached HSM

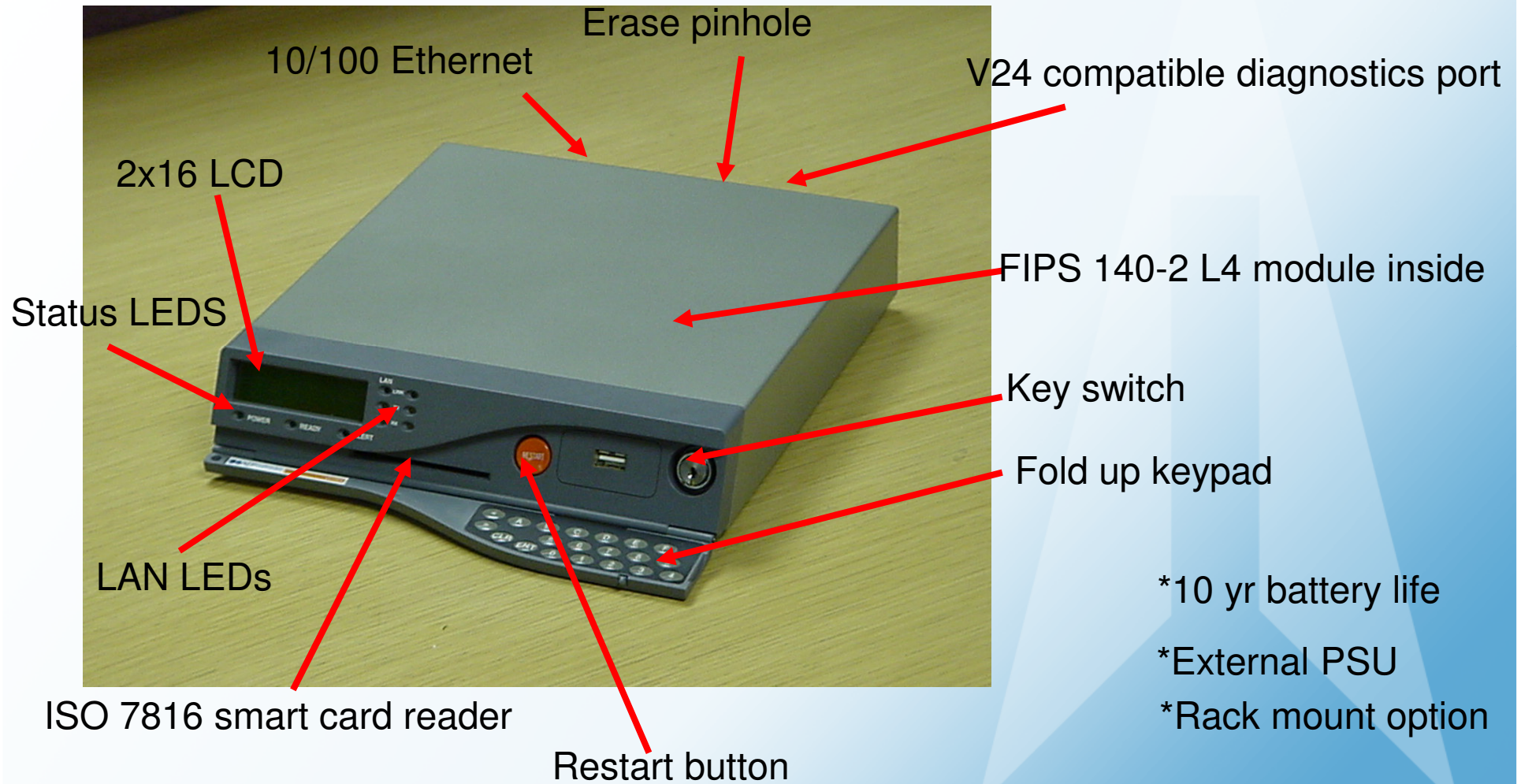
- Hardware/firmware is designed for purpose
- Tamper reaction protection: automatically, positively erases keys if tampered
- FIPS 140-2 Level 4 validated



FIPS 140-2 Level 4 Hardware



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Why Choose a FIPS 140-2 L4 HSM?

Hacker and virus proof

- Signed downloads
- Separation of code and data
- No PC-based vulnerabilities (not a general purpose OS)
- Never had a vulnerability in its 10+ years history

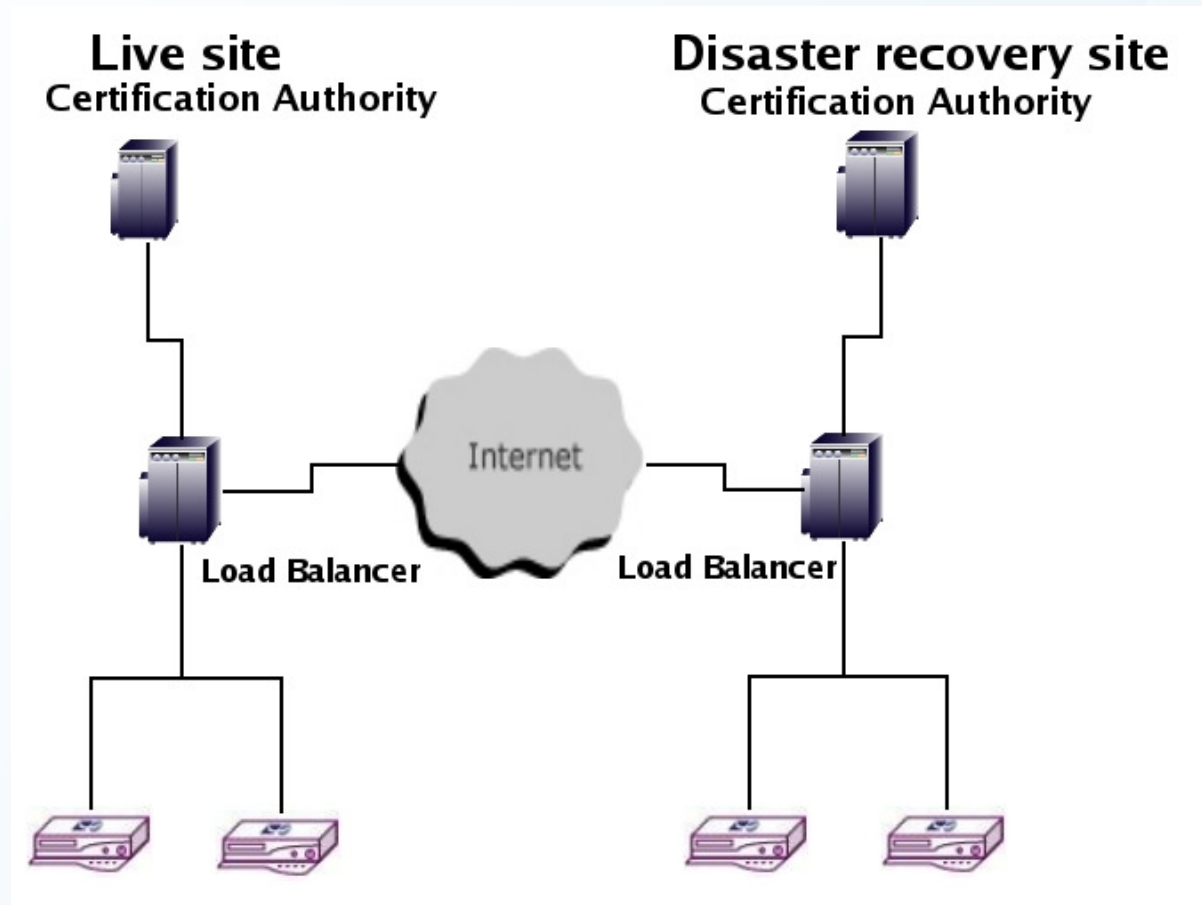
High reliability and redundancy

- Fully solid state
- No moving parts
- No PC-based vulnerabilities (no general purpose OS)
- High availability
- Load Balancing (up to 16)
- Fault tolerance using all AEP Keyper live (up to 16)
- Hot swappable (up to 16)

HA + Disaster Recovery



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FIPS 140-2 L4 HSM Performance

- 1200 Signing Transactions per Second (1024-bit RSA)
- 500 TPS (2048-bit RSA)
- **100 Million Signing Transactions per Day**
- 42 Million TPD (2048-bit RSA)
- Clustering up to 16 Load Balanced HSM's
- **1.6 Billion Signing Transactions per Day**
- 700 Million TPD (2048-bit RSA)
- Verisign signs **96 Million Domains** under .com and 6 Million domains under .net.

FIPS 140-2 L4 HSM secures Internet DNS Root Zone

```
HSM /opt/dnssec/aep.hsmconfig activated.  
[debug] setenv KEYPER_LIBRARY_PATH=/opt/dnssec  
[debug] setenv PKCS11_LIBRARY_PATH=/opt/Keyper/PKCS11Provider  
.2.so.4.07  
Found 1 slots on HSM /opt/Keyper/PKCS11Provider/pkcs11.GCC4  
HSM slot 0 included  
Loaded /opt/Keyper/PKCS11Provider/pkcs11.GCC4.0.2.so.4.07 S  
HSM Information:  
Label: ICANNKSK  
ManufacturerID: AEP Networks  
Model: Keyper Pro 0405  
Serial: K6002013  
  
Generating 2048 bit RSA keypair...
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*“Security is a critical factor for ICANN’s DNSSEC deployment,
... FIPS Level 4 was an easy choice,”*

– Richard Lamb, ICANN

**If you want to be as secure as the
Root of the Internet, then deploy
what ICANN implemented for
security, a FIPS 140-2 Level 4 HSM**

