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## Willkommen!

**Mit dem Handy das Auto aufschliessen? Hardware Protected Confirmation macht es möglich**

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# Class 4 Reader



## Class 1 Reader

- Keys generated on Hardware, non-extractable
- Keys are protected against cloning



## Class 2 Reader

- PIN entry on dedicated HW
- Credentials cannot easily be sniffed



## Class 3 Reader

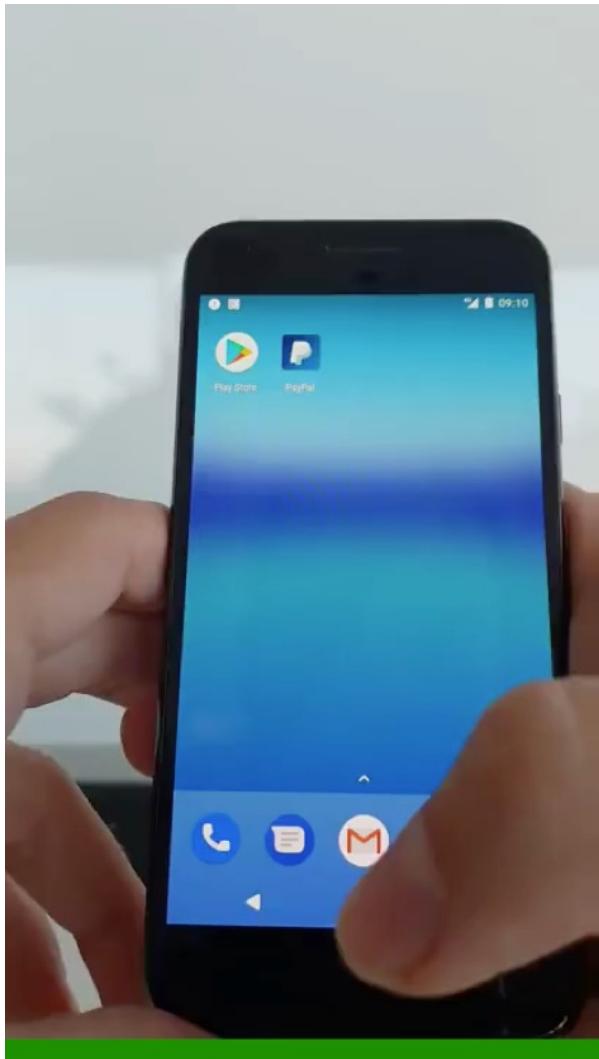
- Trusted User Interface
- Prevents overlay attacks



## Class 4 Reader

- Device attestation
- The integrity of the device / environment can be verified.

# Remote Control Device



- ▶ Automate user input via Accessibility
- ▶ Attacker can sniff user input such as clicks, text input, voice input etc.
- ▶ Attacker can automate user input:
  - ▶ Auto-confirm granting privileges
  - ▶ Auto-confirm approving payments
  - ▶ Entering fraudulent payments
  - ▶ Prevent removing privileges
  - ▶ Prevent removing malware

EventBot Sample

# Our Vision: Global «Protected Confirmation » API

Joint InnoSuisse Project: University of Applied Science Bern & UBS Business Solutions AG



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Practical Business Use Cases  
Payments,  
Signing, Voting,  
Remote Control, ...

# Our Goals

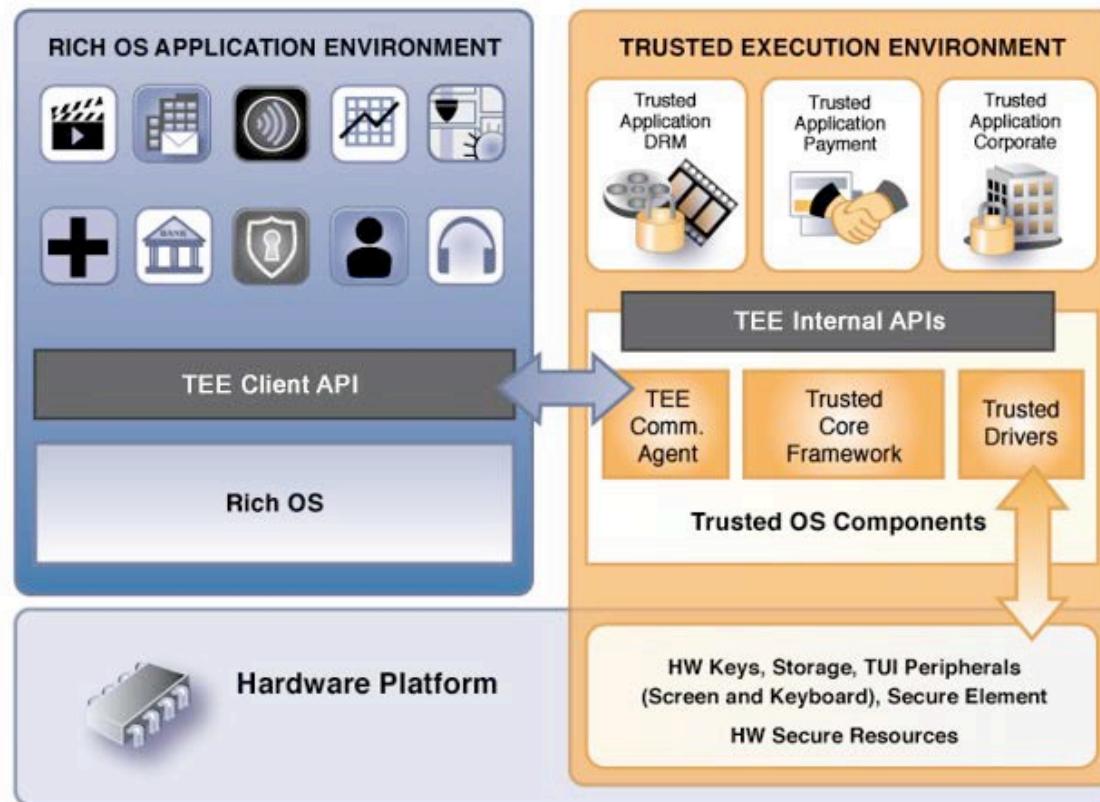
## Put end users back into sole control



- ▶ Put end users back into **sole control** over their mobile-device
  - ▶ Leverage TUI for protected confirmation
  - ▶ Leverage TEE signatures for legally-binding evidence
  - ▶ Consider biometrics for stronger user binding
  
- ▶ Liaise with int' card schemes, int' banking regulators to strengthen the **demand** for a global protected confirmation API
  - ▶ Implement compelling payment business cases (3DS payment confirmation, PSD2 authentication with linking, ...)
  - ▶ Motivate OEMs to implement the API *optional* standard set by Android

# Our Implementation Security Architecture

## Trusted Execution Environment – Prerequisites at our fingertips

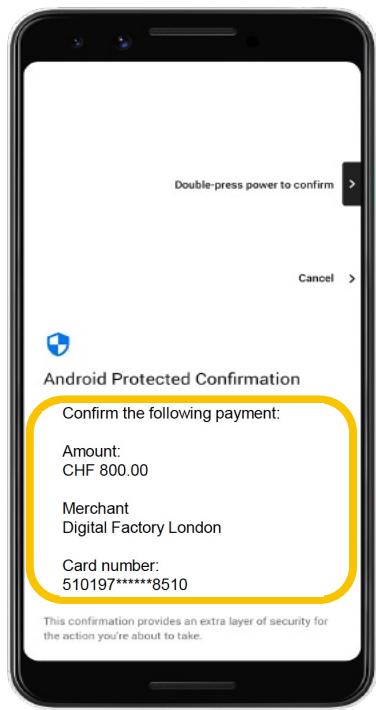


- ▶ Separation between 2 security domains
- ▶ Device attestation
- ▶ Hardware backed key on Hardware Storage Module (HSM) FIPS 140-3 (Level 3+) certified
- ▶ Trusted UI

*Source: GlobalPlatform, The Trusted Execution Environment: Delivering Enhanced Security at a Lower Cost to the Mobile Market, February 2011.*

# Implementation Standard

## Trusted User Interface



## Android Protected Confirmation

- ▶ Transaction details displayed on a Trusted User Interface (TUI)
- ▶ Physical presence enforced via power button
- ▶ Protected confirmation evidenced through a TEE electronic signature
- ▶ Security context & device integrity proven by TEE key attestation
- ▶ Enhancement with device biometrics enforced via TEE

# Attestation - Also Used By OEM Checks

The integrity of the environment is certified by attestation.



**«Attested APC key pair»:** Can only be used for the attested purpose. Provides comprehensive information about the environment and the possible use of the key-pair.

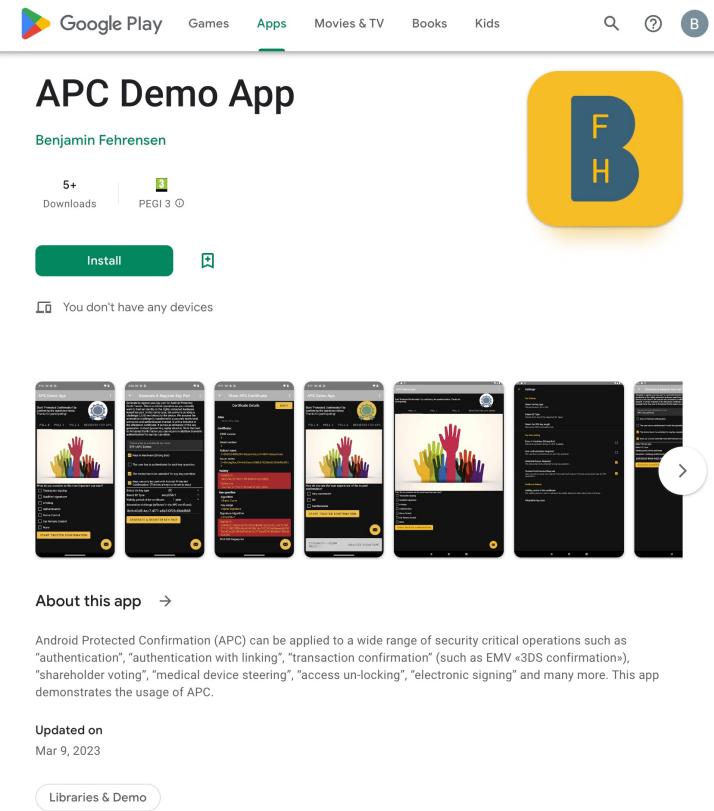
One or multiple **intermediate device key(s)** identifying the keystore such as «StrongBox», «TEE», etc. .

**Attestation root key (Trust Anchor)** injected into the hardware-backed keystore by the device manufacturer.

# Attestation Attributes

Root Of Trust	TEE Enforced Authorization	Attestation Application	Global Attestation Parameters
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ Device Locked</li><li>▶ Verified Boot State</li><li>▶ OS Version</li><li>▶ OS Patch Level</li><li>▶ Boot Patch Level</li><li>▶ Brand</li><li>▶ Device</li><li>▶ Product</li><li>▶ Serial Number</li><li>▶ IMEI</li><li>▶ MEID</li><li>▶ Manufacturer</li><li>▶ ...</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ Purpose(s)</li><li>▶ User Auth Type</li><li>▶ Trusted Confirmation Required</li><li>▶ Trusted User Presence Required</li><li>▶ Unlocked Device Required</li><li>▶ Rollback Resistance</li><li>▶ Creation DateTime</li><li>▶ Algorithm</li><li>▶ Digest(s)</li><li>▶ ...</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ Package Infos</li><li>▶ Signature Digests</li><li>▶ Attestation Application ID Bytes</li><li>▶ Attestation ID Brand</li><li>▶ Attestation ID Device</li><li>▶ Attestation ID Product</li><li>▶ Attestation ID Serial</li><li>▶ ...</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ KeyStore</li><li>▶ Attestation Challenge</li><li>▶ Attestation Version</li><li>▶ Keymaster Version</li><li>▶ Unique ID</li></ul>

# APC Demo App – Try it



The screenshot shows the Google Play Store listing for the "APC Demo App". At the top, there's a navigation bar with "Google Play", "Games", "Apps" (which is underlined), "Movies & TV", "Books", and "Kids". Below the title "APC Demo App" by "Benjamin Fehrensen", there are download statistics: "5+" Downloads and "PEGI 3". A large yellow square icon with a blue "F" and "H" logo is displayed. A green "Install" button is prominent. Below the button, a message says "You don't have any devices". There are five thumbnail images showing different screens of the app, including a splash screen with colorful hands and various menu and confirmation screens. At the bottom, there are links for "About this app", "Updated on Mar 9, 2023", and "Libraries & Demo".

<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=ch.bfh.securevote>



The screenshot shows the Bern University of Applied Sciences website header. It features the BFH logo, a search bar with "EN" and a magnifying glass icon, and a navigation menu icon.

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## Android Protected Confirmation: Confirm and sign messages dis- played on a Trusted User Interface

Put end users back into sole control over their mobile-device.

Android Protected Confirmation (APC) is basically a Class-4-Reader. The message is displayed on a Trusted User Interface. The confirmation and authentication takes place on a Trusted Execution Environment (TEE). The keys are generated and stored on hardware. The state of the trusted environment is certified by attestation. I.e. APC meets security requirements that are set for POS (Point Of Sales) terminals.

Try it.

### Motivation

<https://www.bfh.ch/en/>

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**4.5.2023 | TPV 5000 – Beitrag zur Defossilisierung des Verkehrs** Dr. Albrecht Tribukait, CEO ad int., Silent-Power AG

**25.5.2023 am Jlcoweg 1 | What is High Voltage Engineering about?** Prof. Dr. Roman Grinberg, Institute for Energy and Mobility Research IEM, BFH-TI

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