



PUBLIC KEY INFRASTRUCTURE FOR AIR TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS



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Basic Cryptography Definitions



CRYPTOGRAPHY: It allows two parties to exchange sensitive information in a secure manner via mathematical techniques

CONFIDENTIALITY: Assures the information owner that his/her information is protected

AUTHENTICATION: Assures the information owner that he/she knows with whom the he/she is doing business with

INTEGRITY: Assures the information owner that the information is not being modified or substituted,

NON-REPUDIATION: Assures the information owner that the originator cannot deny originating a message or business transaction



BASIC CRYPTOGRAPHIC TECHNIQUE



Symmetric Cryptography:

It relies on a symmetric encipherment algorithm

It is also called secret key cryptography

Single secret key to encipher and decipher

Used for Encryption or Authentication

Asymmetric Cryptography:

It is also called public key cryptography

Keys comes in pairs – public and private

Public key is available to anyone – like phone number in the phone book

Private key is kept secret by the owner

HASH function:

A mapping from an arbitrarily long input message to short (fixed-length) output

Not feasible to guess an input message that results in a given output

Used for Data Integrity



ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTIONS



Certificate: A digitally signed data structure defined in the X.509 standard that binds the identity of a certificate holder (or subject) to a public key.

Certificate Authority (CA): A trusted entity that issues certificates to end entities and other CAs. CA issues CRLs periodically, and post certificate and CRLs to a repository

Certificate Revocation List (CRL): A list of revoked but unexpired certificates by a CA.

Registration Authority: A set of technical and administrative functions (e.g., enrollment) performed by a component of a CA.



CRYPTOGRAPHIC TECHNIQUE AS APPLIED TO ATN



Encryption Scheme:

A cryptographic scheme for confidentiality

It has an encryption and decryption operation

May use Asymmetric Encipherment (under public key)

Or alternatively may use Symmetric Encipherment

Digital Signature Scheme:

It is used for data origin authentication and data integrity

It has a signing and verification operations

A receiver must be able to validate the sender's signature

The sender of a signed message must not be able to repudiate it latter

Asymmetric Encipherment (under private key)

Hash Function



CRYPTOGRAPHIC TECHNIQUE AS APPLIED TO ATN

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Key Agreement Scheme:

Used for key establishment between two entities

It creates a shared key for two entities

Asymmetric Encipherment (under private key)

Message Authentication Code (MAC) Scheme:

A key-dependent one-way ***hash function*** is called a MAC

MAC is useful to protect authenticity without providing secrecy

Use of hash also provides integrity

Only someone with the identical key can verify the hash



SECURITY SERVICE AND MECHANISM



SECURITY SERVICES

CONFIDENTIALITY

AUTHENTICATION,
INTEGRITY,
NON-REPUDIATION

KEY
ESTABLISHMENT

AUTHENTICATION,
INTEGRITY

SECURITY MECHANISMS

Cryptographic Schemes

Encryption
Scheme

Digital
Signature
Scheme

Key
Agreement
Scheme

Message
Authentication
Code
Scheme

Cryptographic Building Blocks

Asymmetric
Encipherment
(under public key)

Asymmetric
Encipherment
(under private key)

Asymmetric
Encipherment
(under private key)

(Keyed)
Hash
Function

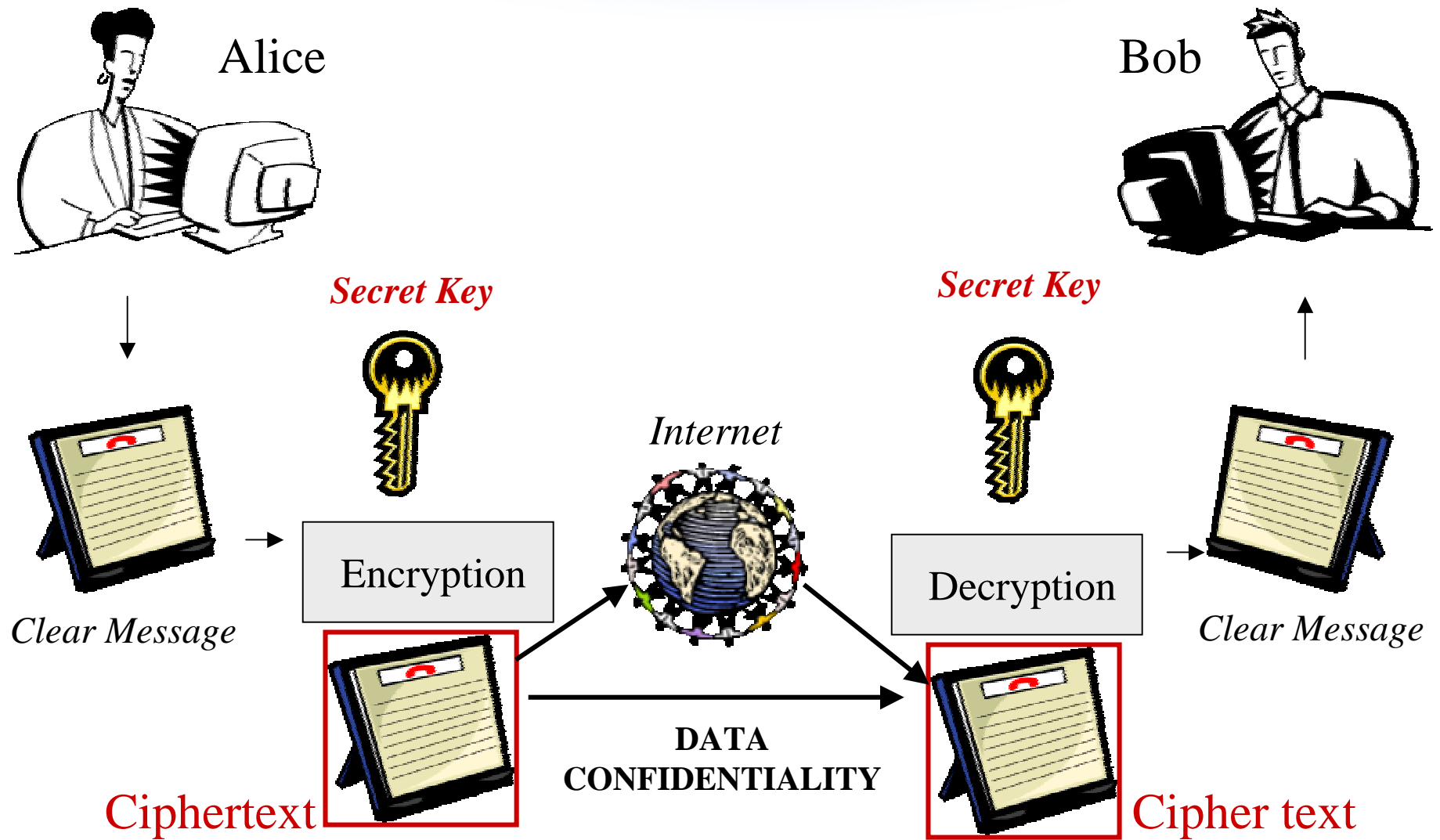
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Symmetric
Encipherment

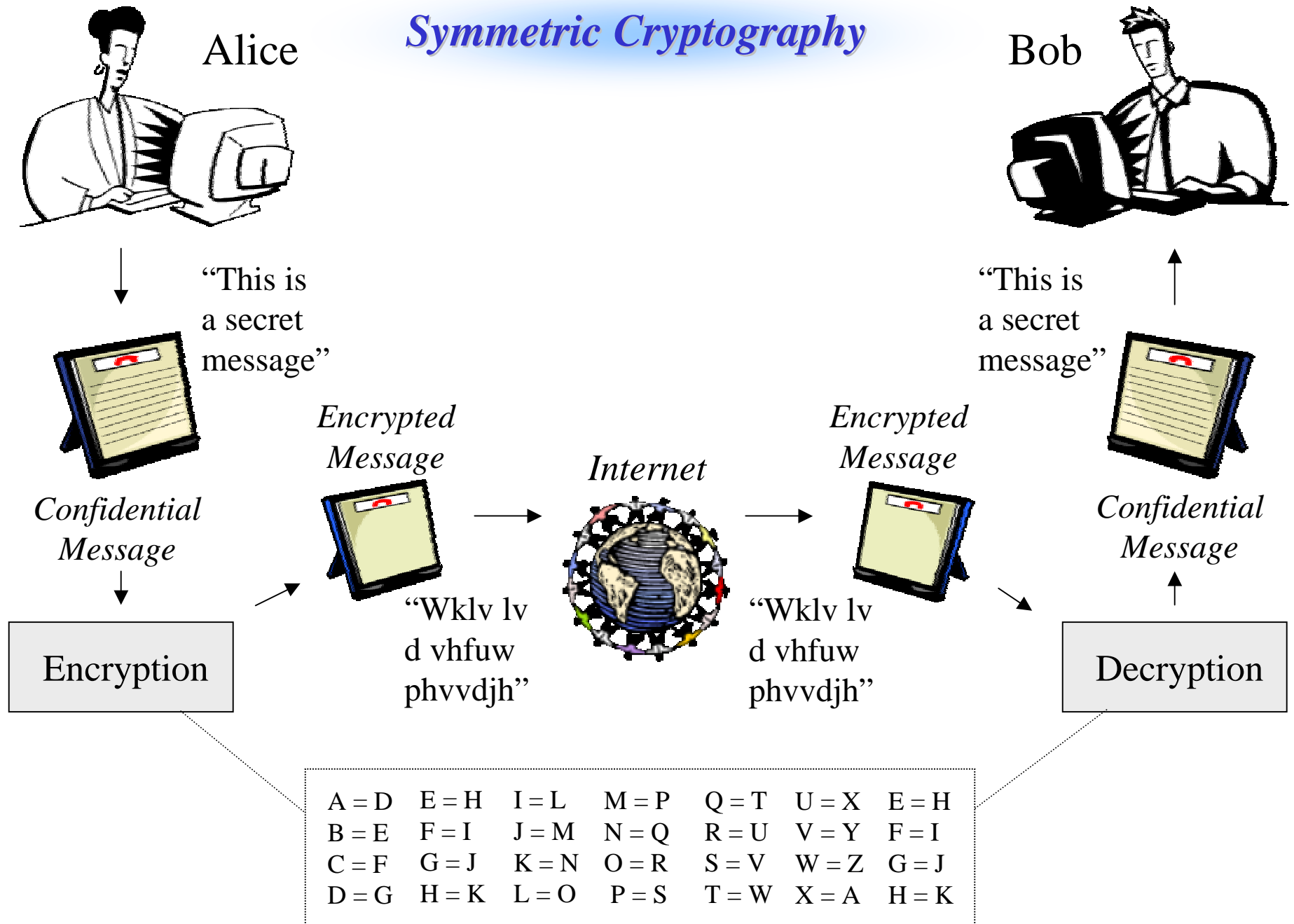
AND

Hash
Function

Symmetric Cryptography



Symmetric Cryptography





SYMMETRIC CRYPTOGRAPHY



- Shared Symmetric key or PRIVATE KEY used
- Provides data confidentiality (or authentication)
- Fast, easy to implement in hardware, widely used
- Works well for a small group of authorized parties, where keys may be pre-distributed and challenge for a large scale environment secure distribution
- E.g., DES, AES, 3DES, IDEA

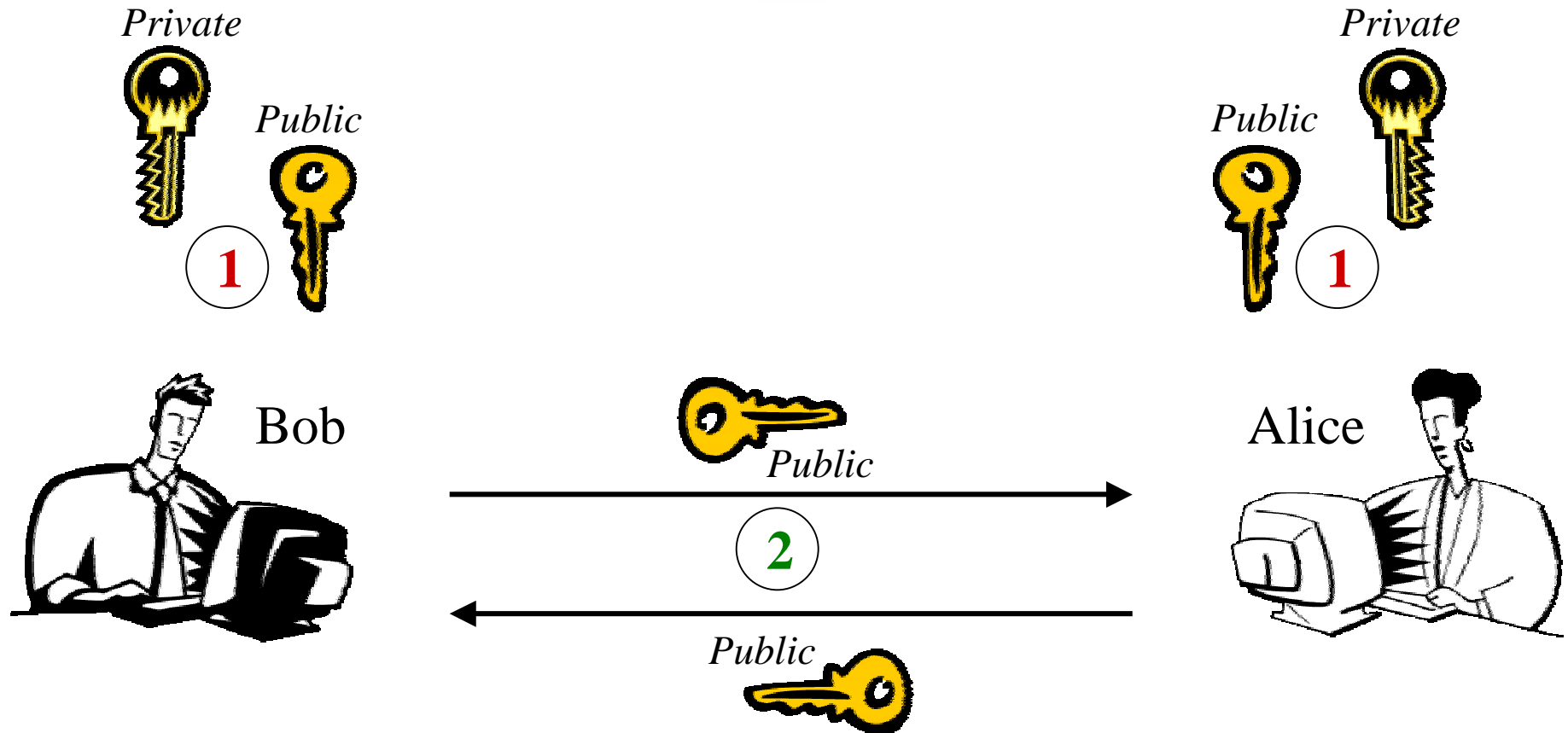


SYMMETRIC CRYPTOGRAPHY



- Pro:
 - Fast, easy to implement in hardware, Widely used
- Cons:
 - Key management very difficult
 - Key must be exchanged via a trusted channel
 - Fixed length
 - Can be stolen
 - Difficult to administer

Asymmetric Cryptography



- 1 Create public / private key pairs
- 2 Exchange only public keys

1 Public / private key pair



Alice

2

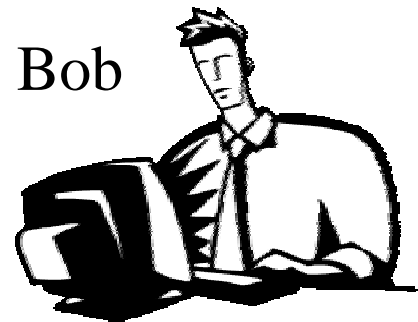
Alice's Public Key

Bob's Public Key

2

Bob

Public / private key pair 1



CONFIDENTIALITY

3

Bob's Public Key

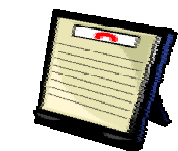
Encryption

Internet

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Bob's Private Key

Decryption



Original Message



Original Message



Alice's Private Key

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Decryption

Internet



Alice's Public Key

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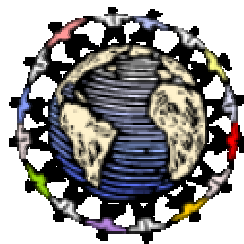
Encryption



Bob's Reply



Bob's Reply



1 Public / private
key pair

Asymmetric Key

Public / private
key pair 1

Private



Public



Alice

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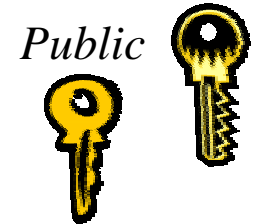
Alice's
Public Key

Bob's
Public Key

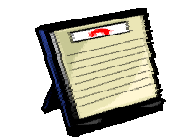
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Bob

Private



Public



Original
Message



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Alice's
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Encryption



Internet



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Alice's
Public Key

Decryption



Original
Message



Bob's
Reply



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Bob's
Public Key

Decryption



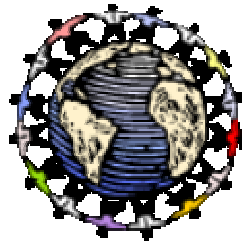
Internet



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Bob's
Private Key

Encryption



Bob's
Reply



ASYMMETRIC CRYPTOGRAPHY



- Use of two distinct but related keys
- Provides data confidentiality and authentication
- Works well for a small group of authorized parties, where keys may be pre-distributed and challenge for a large scale environment secure distribution
- For example RSA

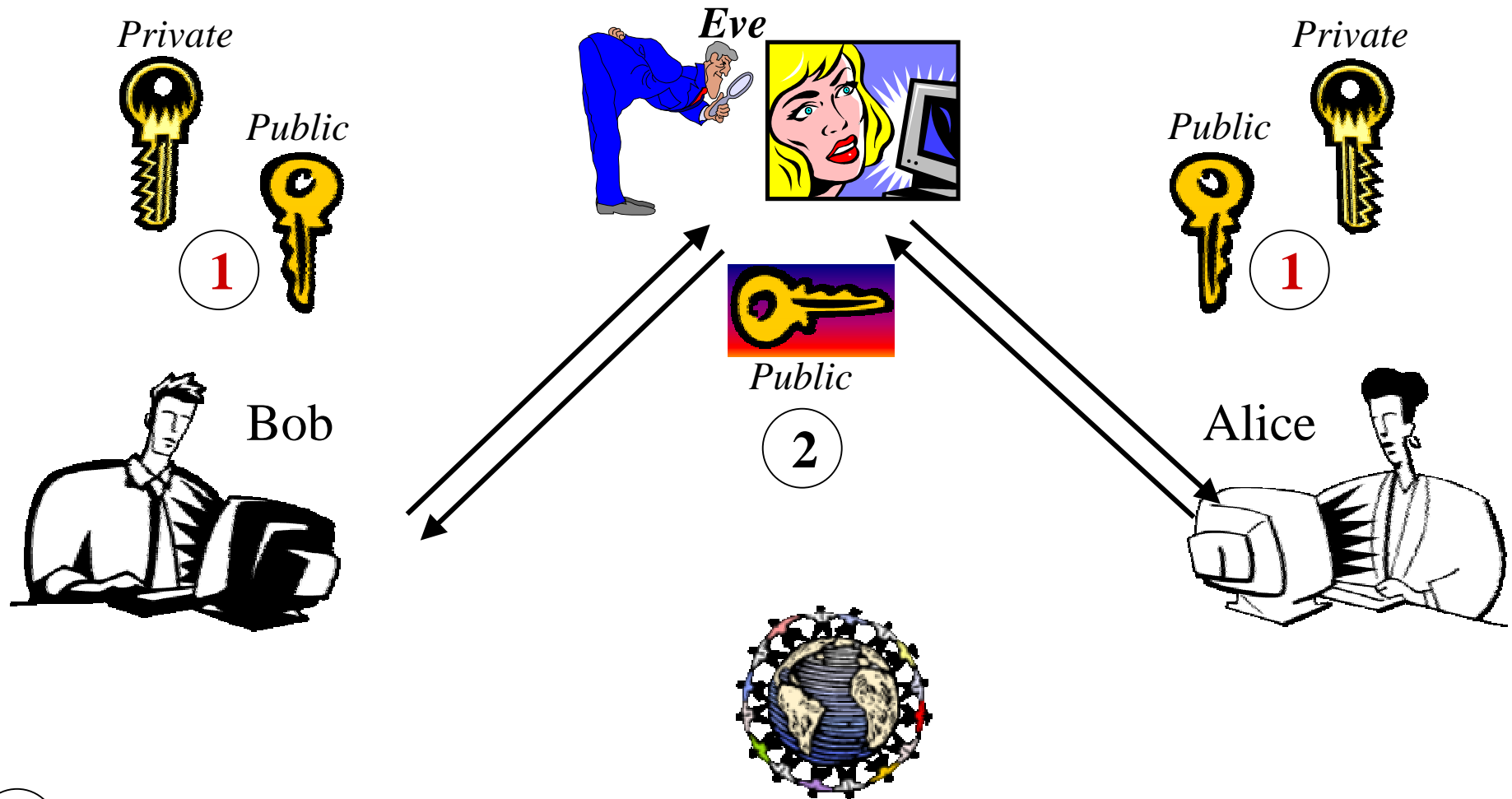


ASYMMETRIC CRYPTOGRAPHY



- Pros:
 - Scales easily and easy key management is possible
 - Provides authentication of sender
 - Variable key sizes
 - Can be used for both encryption and digital signature
- Cons:
 - Relatively slow
 - Inefficient for encrypting lots of data
 - Authentication of public keys

Asymmetric Cryptography

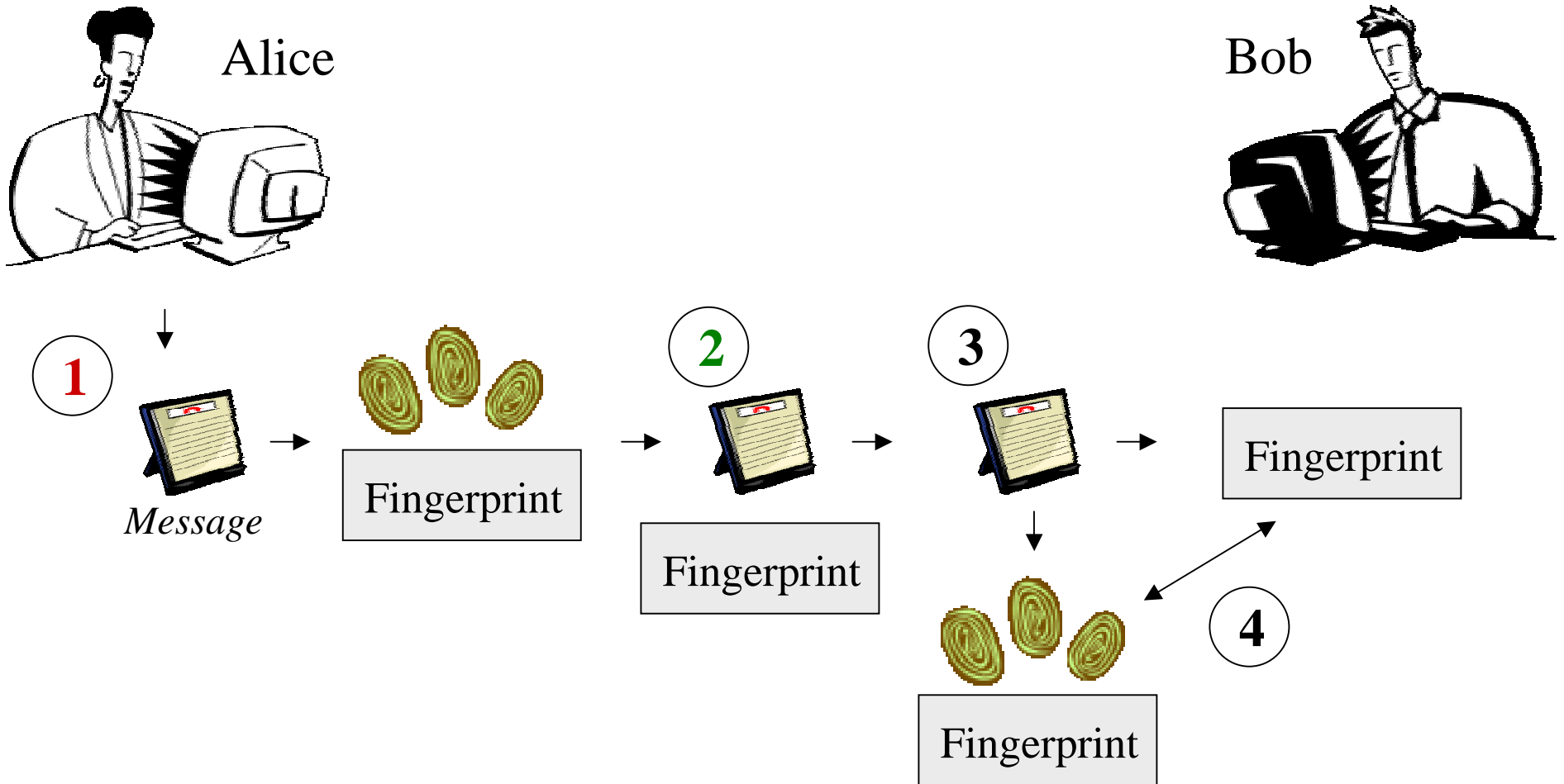


1 Create public / private key pairs

2 Exchange only public keys **Eve intercepted and substituted Bob's Public Key**

One-Way HASH Function

DATA INTEGRITY



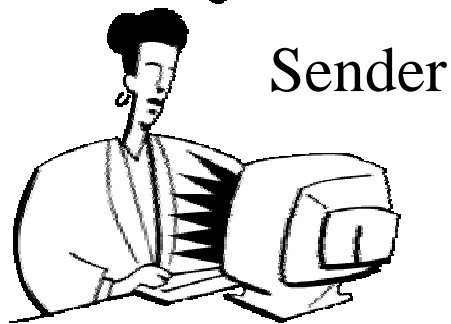
1 Public / private key pair

Creating DIGITAL SIGNATURE

Private



Public



Sender

2



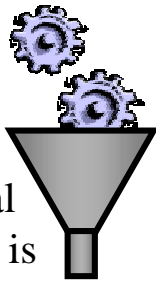
Public Key

Receiver



Message

Original message is input to a one-way hash function



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Output is the hash of the message



Encryption

Hash is encrypted with sender's private key

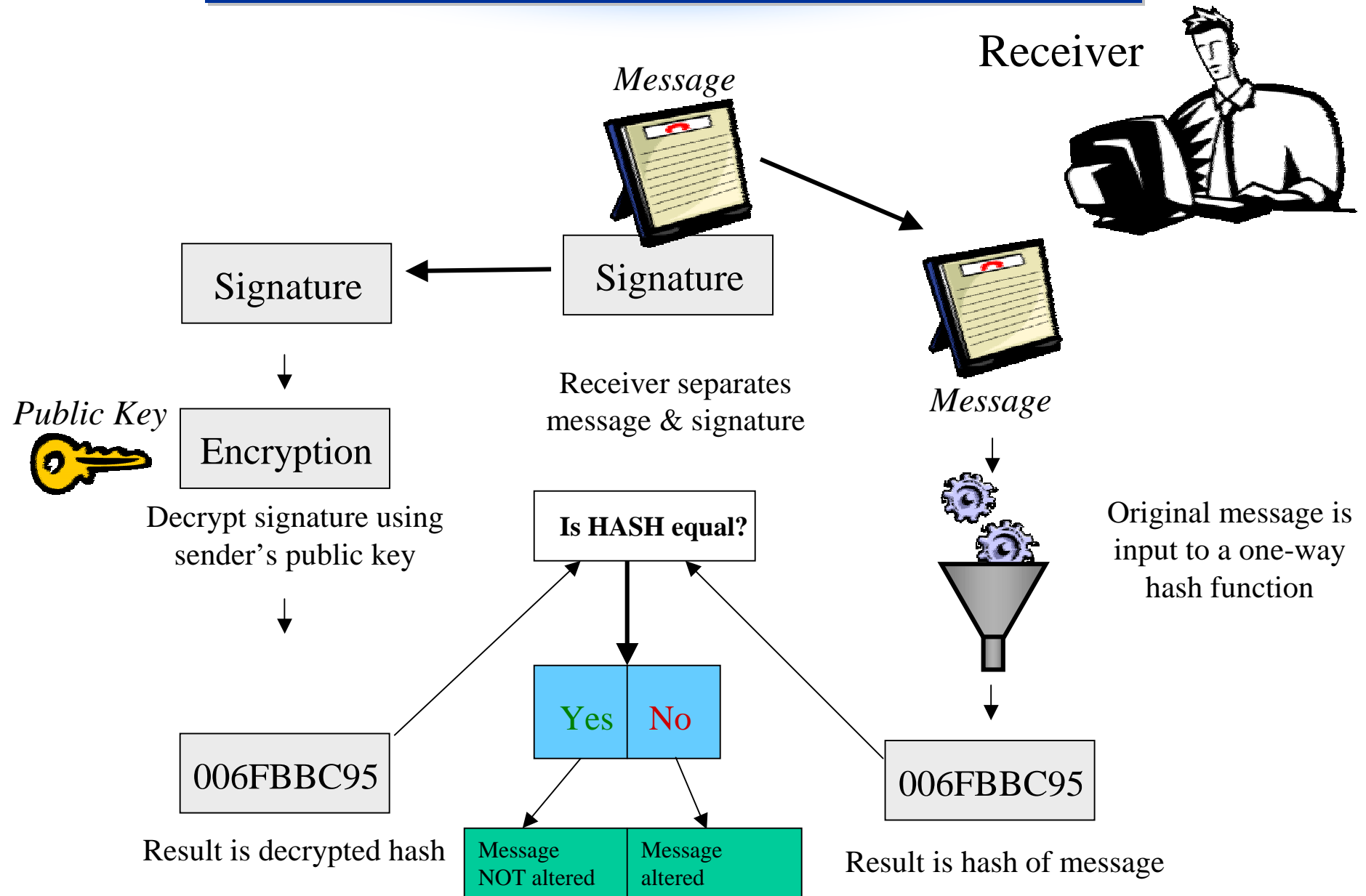
Message Signature

Digital signature is the encrypted hash

1 Create public / private key pair

2 Sender sends its public key to receiver

Verifying DIGITAL SIGNATURE



Digital Certificate Through a Certificate Authority

