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3.6: TLS-Variant

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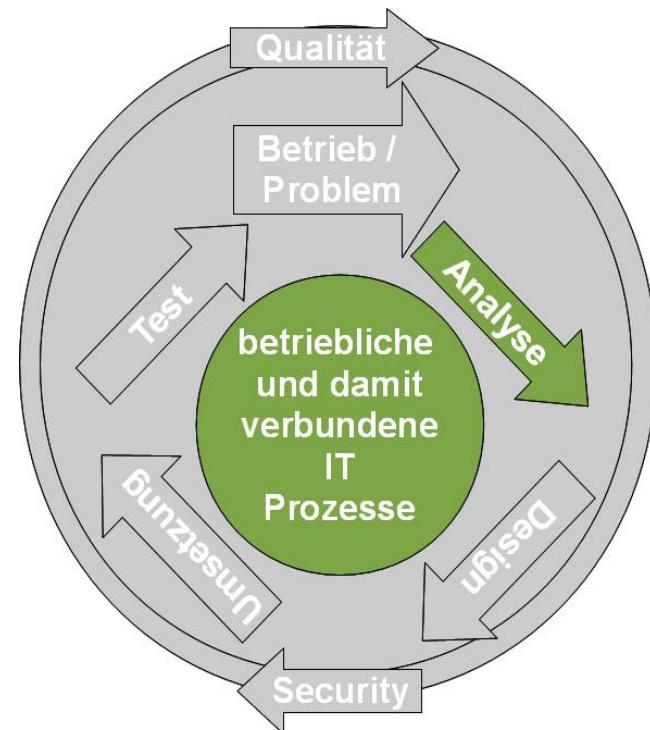
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# Einordnung

## Sicheres Software Design

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- Geschäfts-Prozesse
- Modelbasierte Softwareentwicklung
- **Sicheres Software Design**
  - Sicherheitsanforderungen
  - UMLsec
  - UML-Analysis
  - Design Principles
  - Examples
    - TLS Variant
    - CEPS Purchase



System distributed over untrusted networks.

„Adversary“ intercepts, modifies, deletes, inserts messages.

Cryptography provides security.

Cryptographic Protocol: Exchange of messages for distributing session keys, authenticating principals etc. using cryptographic algorithms

Many protocols have **vulnerabilities** or **subtleties** for various reasons

- weak cryptography
- core message exchange
- interfaces, prologues, epilogues
- deployment
- implementation bugs

Following Dolev, Yao (1982): To analyze system, verify against attacker model from threat scenarios in deployment diagrams who

- may participate in some protocol runs,
- knows some data in advance,
- may intercept messages on some links,
- may inject produced messages in some links
- may access certain nodes.

- Model classes of adversaries.
- May attack different parts of the system according to threat scenarios.
- Example:
  - insider attacker may intercept communication links in LAN.
- To evaluate security of specification, simulate jointly with adversary model.

Keys are symbols, crypto-algorithms are abstract operations.

- Can only decrypt with right keys.
- Can only compose with available messages.
- Cannot perform statistical attacks.

*Exp*: quotient of term algebra generated from sets *Data*, *Keys*, *Var* of symbols using

- $\_ \text{::} \_ \text{}$  (concatenation), *head*( $\_$ ), *tail*( $\_$ ),
- $(\_)^{-1}$  (inverse keys)
- $\{ \_ \} \_ \text{}$  (encryption)
- *Dec*( $\_$ ) (decryption)
- *Sign*( $\_$ ) (signing)
- *Ext*( $\_$ ) (extracting from signature)

under equations ...

- $\forall E, K. \text{Dec}_K^{-1}(\{E\}_K) = E$
- $\forall E, K. \text{Ext}_K(\text{Sign}_K^{-1}(E)) = E$
- $\forall E_1, E_2. \text{head}(E_1 :: E_2) = E_1$
- $\forall E_1, E_2. \text{tail}(E_1 :: E_2) = E_2$
- Associativity for  $::$

Write  $E1 :: E2 :: E3$  for  $E1 :: (E2 :: E3)$  and  $\text{fst}(E1 :: E2)$  for  $\text{head}(E1 :: E2)$  etc.

Can include further crypto-specific primitives and laws (XOR, ...).

## The Handshake Protocol

Goal:

- Establish a secure channel over untrusted communication link between client and server.
  - Supposed to provide secrecy and server authenticity, specified by **{secrecy}** and **{authenticity}** .

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- Set of data values **Data** includes names **C** and **S** for each instance **C**: Client and **S**: Server.
- Assumes: each client **C** is given the server name **S<sub>i</sub>** before the **i**th execution round of the protocol part under consideration.
- Server is not given the client name in advance
  - since no client authenticity is to be provided by the protocol.
- Restrict ourselves to considering the first **I** executions of protocol.
  - **I**: arbitrary but fixed natural number.
- Note:
  - each **C** may be given a different sequence of server names.
  - More precisely: would have to be referred to as **C.S<sub>i</sub>**.
- Omit instance prefixing for readability where no confusion can arise.

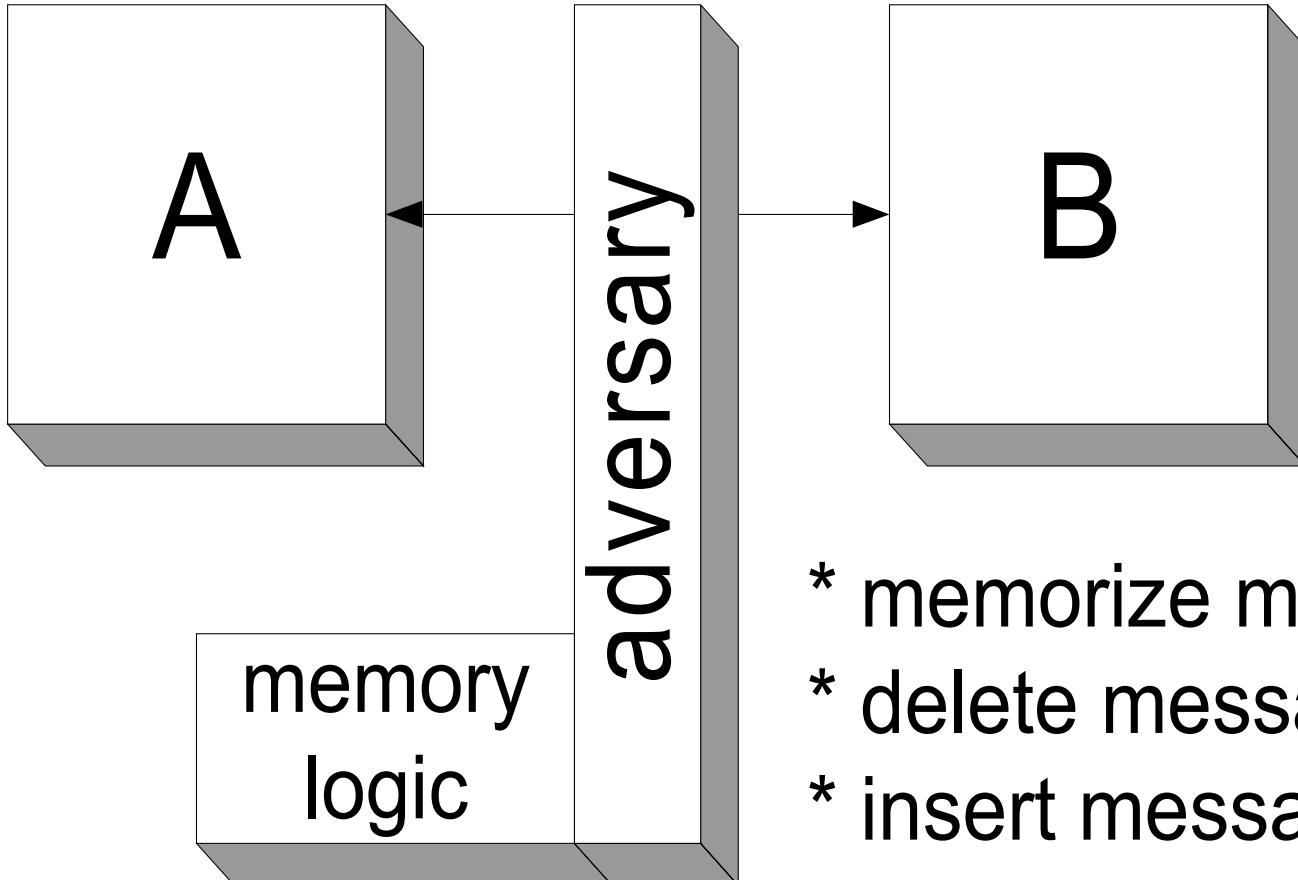
# Variant of the Internet Protocol TLS III

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- **C** and **S**: variables representing arbitrary names.
- Client and server can run protocol with arbitrary servers and clients.
- Adversary controls communication link between client and server.
  - Captured by enabling adversary to **read**, **delete**, and **insert** messages at corresponding link queue.
    - able to insert any message communicated over the link in adversary's current knowledge.
  - Adversary may perform the protocol with either client or server:
    - by taking on the role of server or client.

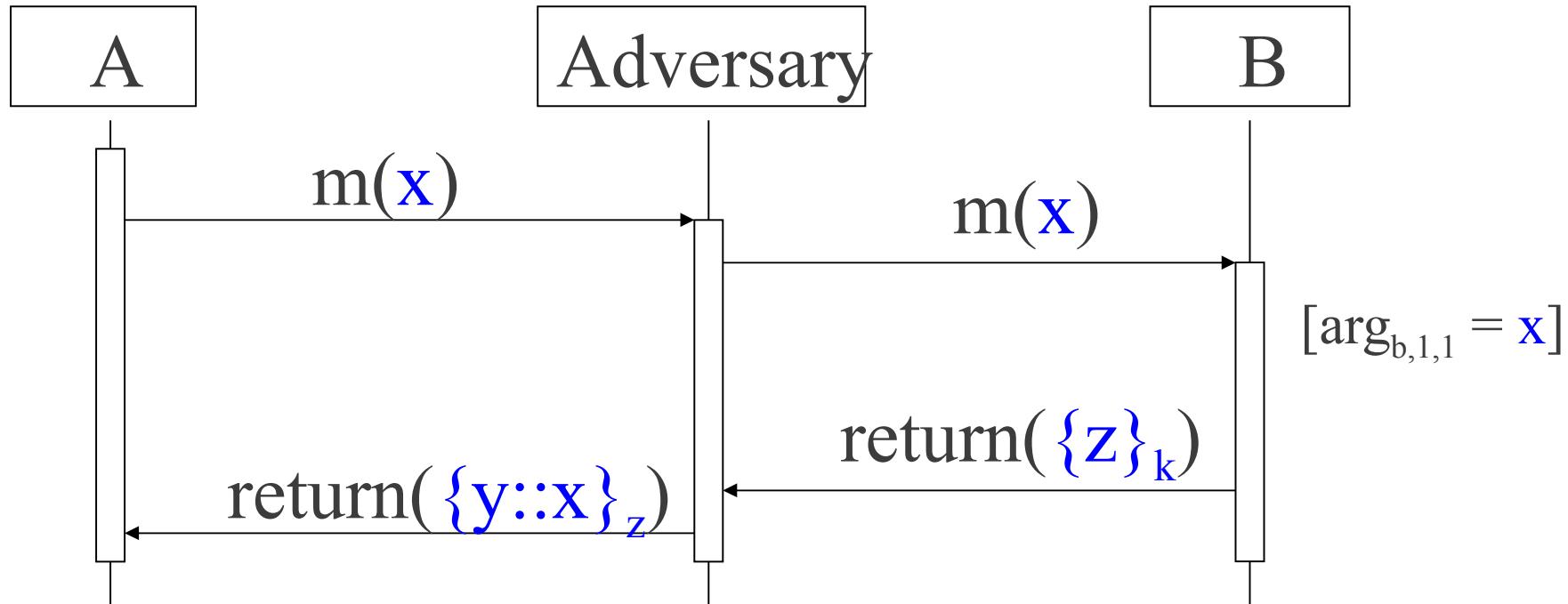
# Adversary Model



- \* memorize message
- \* delete message
- \* insert message
- \* compose own message
- \* use cryptographic primitives

- Note:
  - one may also specify the adversary to actually be a server or client
    - by adding the access threat to a suitable node stereotype attached to relevant object in diagram.
  - Not considered here:
    - we assume all servers and clients are trustworthy.

# Protocol: Attack Scenario



Adversary  
knowledge:

$k^{-1}, y, x$   
 $\{z\}_k, Z$

- $\forall e, k. \text{Dec}_{k^{-1}}(\{e\}_k) = e$

# Proposed Variant of TLS (SSL)

IEEE Infocom 1999.

Goal:

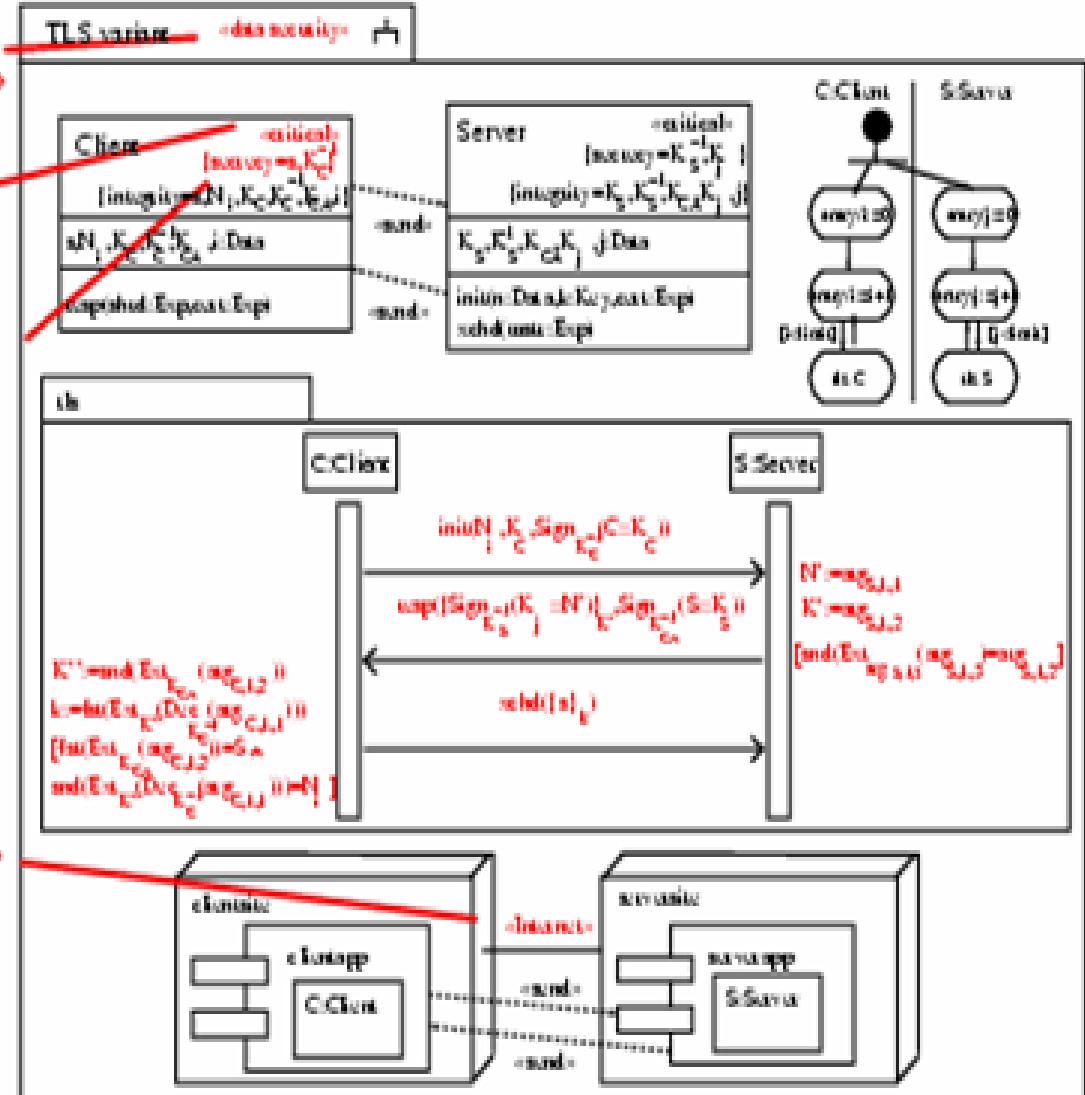
- send secret protected by session key using fewer server resources.

«data security»

«critical»

$\{\text{secrecy} = \{s, K_C^{-1}\}\}$

«Internet»



# Handshake Details I

- Each C/S has
  - public key  $K_C/K_S$  with associated private key  $K^{-1}_C / K^{-1}_S$
- Assume: C able to obtain  $K_{CA}^1$  guaranteeing CAs integrity.
- S securely obtains certificate  $\text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_{CA}}(S :: K_S)$  signed by CA
  - contains its name and public key.
- Each client is given
  - sequence of secrets  $s_1, \dots, s_l \in \text{Data}^s$  to be transmitted
  - nonces  $N_1, \dots, N_l \in \text{Data}$ .
- Write  $s\_ : \text{Data}$  to denote an array with fields  $s_i$  in Data.

<sup>1</sup> public key of the certification authority

- Nonces specified to be created freshly by receiver before protocol execution, as stated by **{fresh}**.
- Values  $N_i$  belong to scope of Client within subsystem specification TLS variant
  - Since expressions  $N_x$ , for any subexpression  $x$ , only appear within Client object and associated view of sequence diagram.
- Similarly: session keys  $k_1, \dots, k_l \in \text{Keys}^s$  given to each server is specified to be fresh.

- Leave out :
  - Explicit assignment of initial values to constant attributes:
    - e.g. keys, the nonces, and the values  $s_x$  and  $S_x$
    - Instead: constants as attribute names.
      - There for, relevant type names are underlined.
  - Not relevant for security requirements under consideration.
    - Time-stamp
    - Session id
    - Choice of cipher suite and compression method
    - Use of temporary key by  $S$

# Enhance Readability

- Recall:
  - For each method **msg** in diagram and each number **n**
    - $\text{msg}_n$  represents **n**th argument of operation call **msg**, most recently accepted according to the sequence diagram.
- Use notation **var ::= exp** to write expression **exp** more shortly as **var**

# Behavioral Specification in Sequence Diagrams

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- Associate behavioral specifications to their context:
  - Add: name of relevant states in activity diagram next to the sequence diagram.
  - Sequence diagram  $\text{tls}$  involving the objects  $C$  and  $S_i$ 
    - used to specify activities  $\text{tls.C}$ ,  $\text{tls.Si}$  for any objects  $C$  and  $S_i$ .
    - Sequence diagram specified w.r.t.  $S_i$ ,
      - this is where  $C$  sends its messages, depending on attr.  $i$ .

In contrast

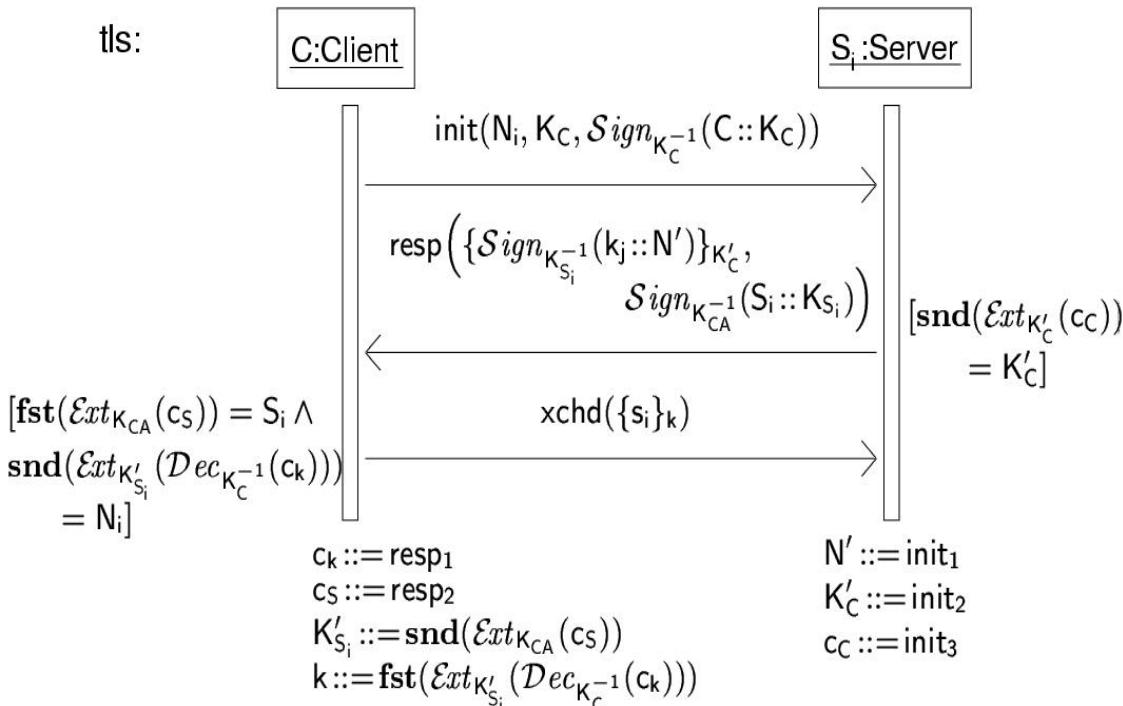
- Activity diagram specified w.r.t.  $S$ , because:
  - all clients and servers are executed in parallel  
(independently of the value of  $i$  in any  $C$ .)

- Well-defined to use a sequence diagram specifying  $S_i$  to specify activity  $\text{tls}.S$ 
  - because  $S_i$ , in the sequence diagram, does not use parameter  $i$ .

# Protocol Procedure I

- Consider
  - $i$ th execution round  $C(i)$  of client  $C$
  - $j$ th execution round  $S_i(j)$  of server  $S_i$
  - assume  $S_i(j) = S$ .
- $C$  aims to communicate with instance  $S_i$  ( $j$ th execution round).
- $C$  initiates the protocol by sending  $\text{init}(\dots)$  to  $S$ .
- Suppose condition  $[\text{snd}(\dots) = K'_C]$  holds:
  - $K_C$  contained in the signature matches the one transmitted in clear.
- $S$  sends message  $\text{resp}(\dots)$  back to  $C$

tls:



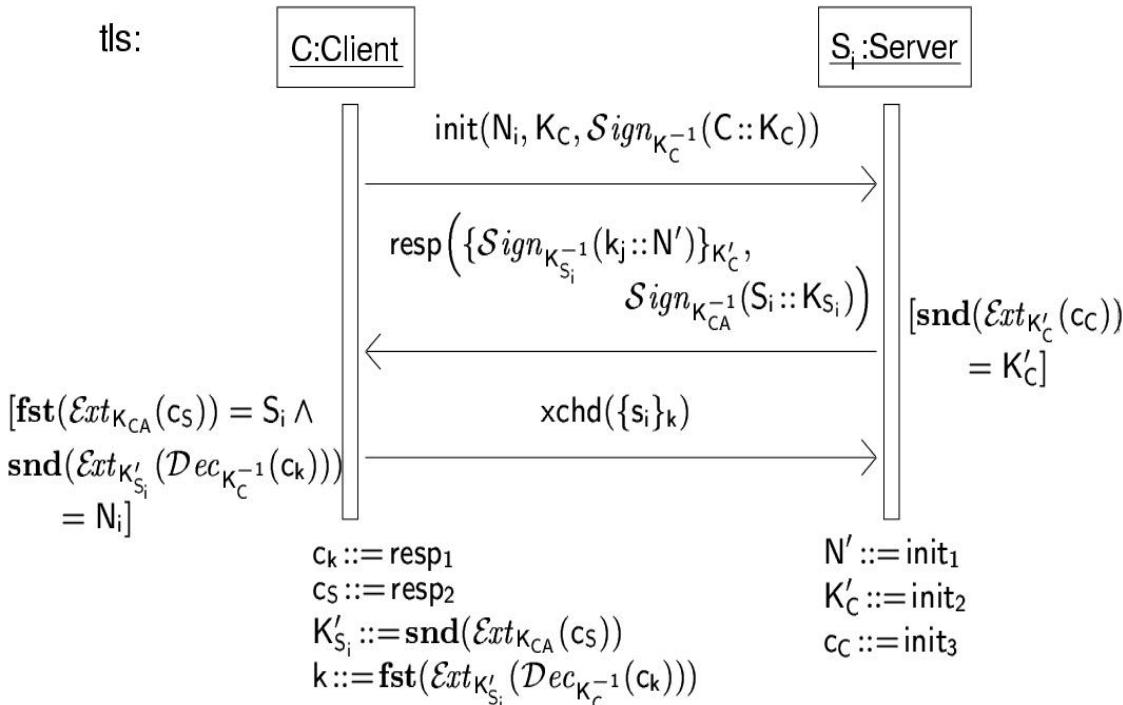
# Protocol Procedure II

- Suppose condition  $[fst(\dots)=S \wedge snd(\dots)=Ni]$  holds
  - Certificate is actually for  $S$  and the correct nonce is returned.

Then  $C$  sends  $xchd(\dots)$  to  $S$ .

- If any check fails:
  - Respective protocol participant stops execution of the protocol.

tls:



# Alternative Notation

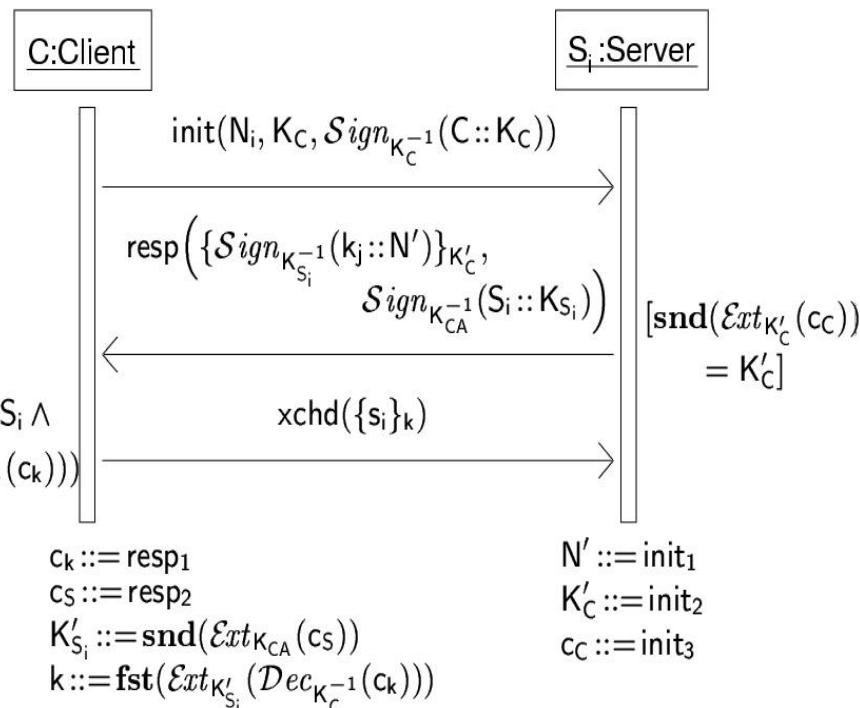
- Traditional informal notation e.g. in [NS78]
- Protocol would be written as follows:

- $C \rightarrow S : N_i, K_C, \text{Sign}_{K_C^{-1}}(C :: K_C)$
- $S \rightarrow C : \{\text{Sign}_{K_S^{-1}}(k_j :: N_i)\}_{K_C}, \text{Sign}_{K_{CA}^{-1}}(S :: K_S)$
- $C \rightarrow S : \{s_i\}_{k_j}$ .

- May seem simpler
- Needs to be interpreted with care [Aba00].

tls:

$$[\text{fst}(\text{Ext}_{K_{CA}}(c_S)) = S_i \wedge \\ \text{snd}(\text{Ext}_{K_{S_i}}(\text{Dec}_{K_C^{-1}}(c_k))) \\ = N_i]$$



[NS78] R. Needham and M. Schroeder. Using encryption for authentication in large networks of computers. Communications of the ACM, 21(12):993-999, 1978.

[Aba00] M. Abadi. Security protocols and their properties. In F. L. Bauer and R. Steinbrüggen, editors, Foundations of Secure Computation, pages 39-60. IOS Press, Amsterdam, 2000. 20th International Summer School, Marktoberdorf, Germany.

# Alternative Notation Example Interpretation

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1.  $C \rightarrow S : N_i, K_C, \text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_C}(C :: K_C)$
2.  $S \rightarrow C : \{\text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_S}(k_j :: N_i)\}_{K_C}, \text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_{CA}}(S :: K_S)$
3.  $C \rightarrow S : \{s_i\}_{k_j}$

(1) **C** sends  $N_i, K_C, \text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_C}(C :: K_C)$  to the network,

- intended recipient **S**

(2) **S** expects a message of form  $N, K_1, \text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_3}(X :: K_2)$ ,

- seemingly coming from **C**.

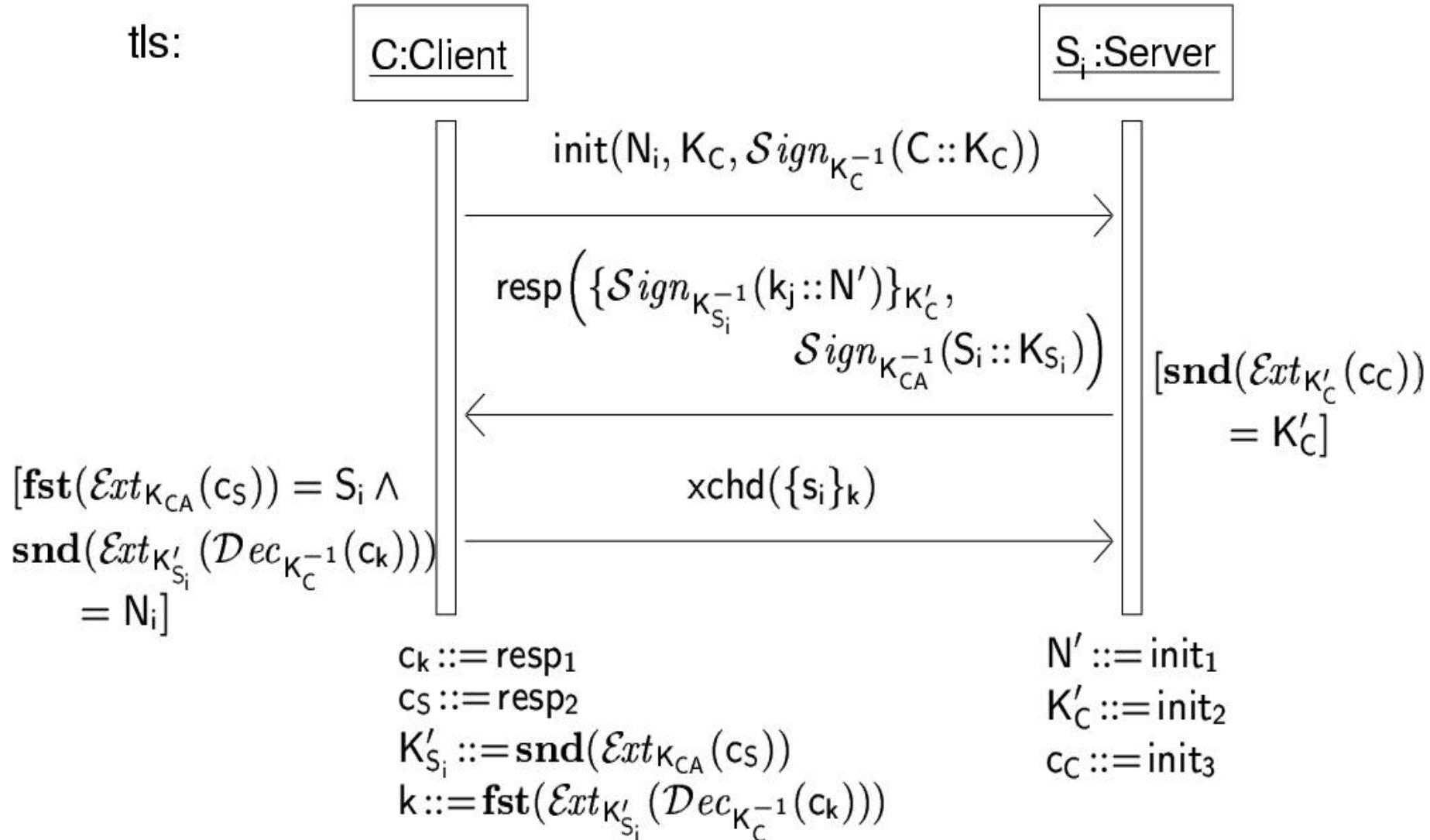
Message sent over untrusted network: cannot conclude e.g.  $K_1 = K_C$ .

Therefore, need to make assumptions: e.g. **S** checks that occurrences of  $K_C$  do indeed coincide ( $K_1 = K_2 = K_3$ ).

- Major source of security weaknesses in practice: Misinterpretation of protocol specifications.
  - Assure assumptions are understood by implementor of a protocol
- Aim: Use UML as a notation that is widely used among software developers beyond the community of security experts
  - without deviating from its standard definition any more than necessary.
- UML sequence diagram semantics does not entail the assumptions.
  - Include assumptions explicitly
    - By referring to sent and received values in different ways, and
    - Including checks in sequence diagram
    - To ensure that they actually coincide.

# Protocol

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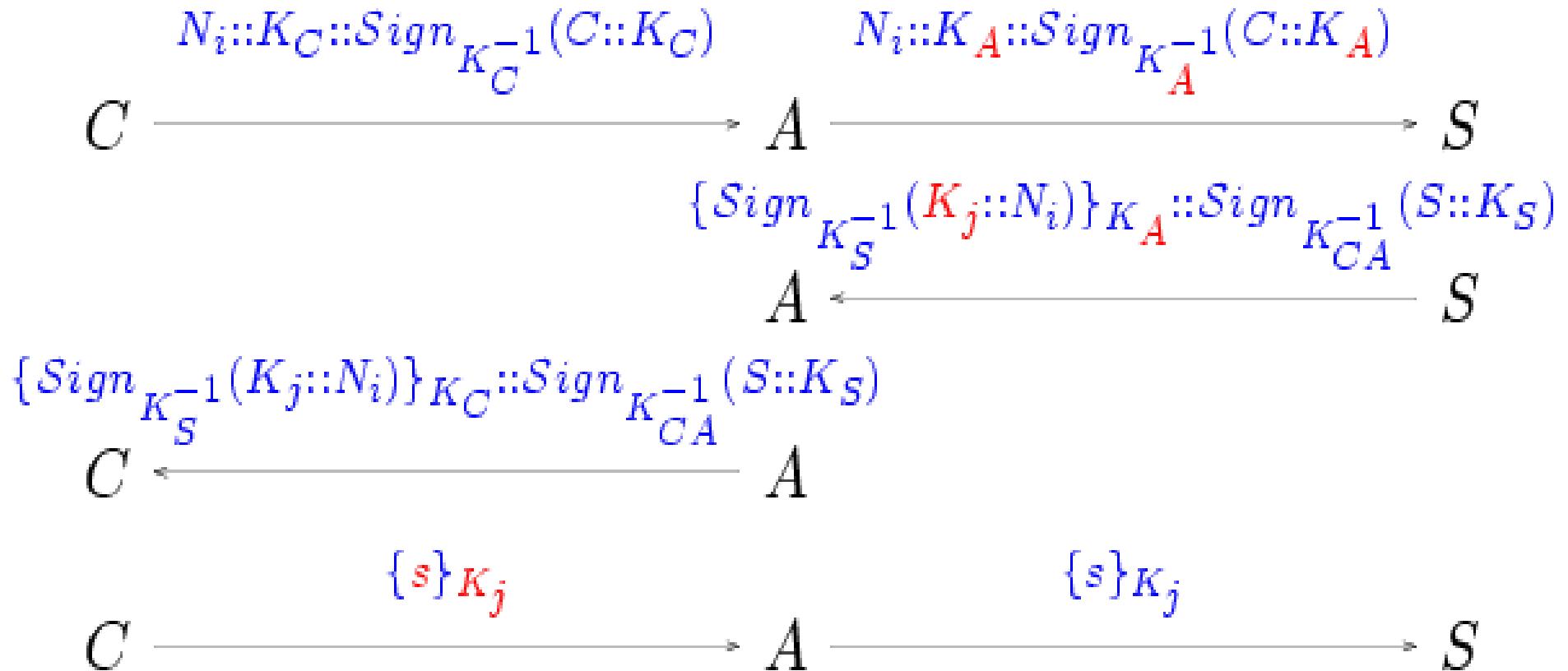


- Analyzing the specified protocol for relevant security requirements using the automated analysis tools<sup>1</sup>:
  - Observed Man-in-the-middle-attack.
- Theorem: For given  $C$  and  $i$ , the UML subsystem  $T$ , given in IEEE Infocom 1999, does not preserve the secrecy of  $s_i$  from adversaries of type  $A = \text{default}$  with  $\{K_S, K_A, K_A^{-1}\} \subseteq K_A^p$ .
  - Protocol does not provide secrecy of  $s_i$ , against a realistic adversary.

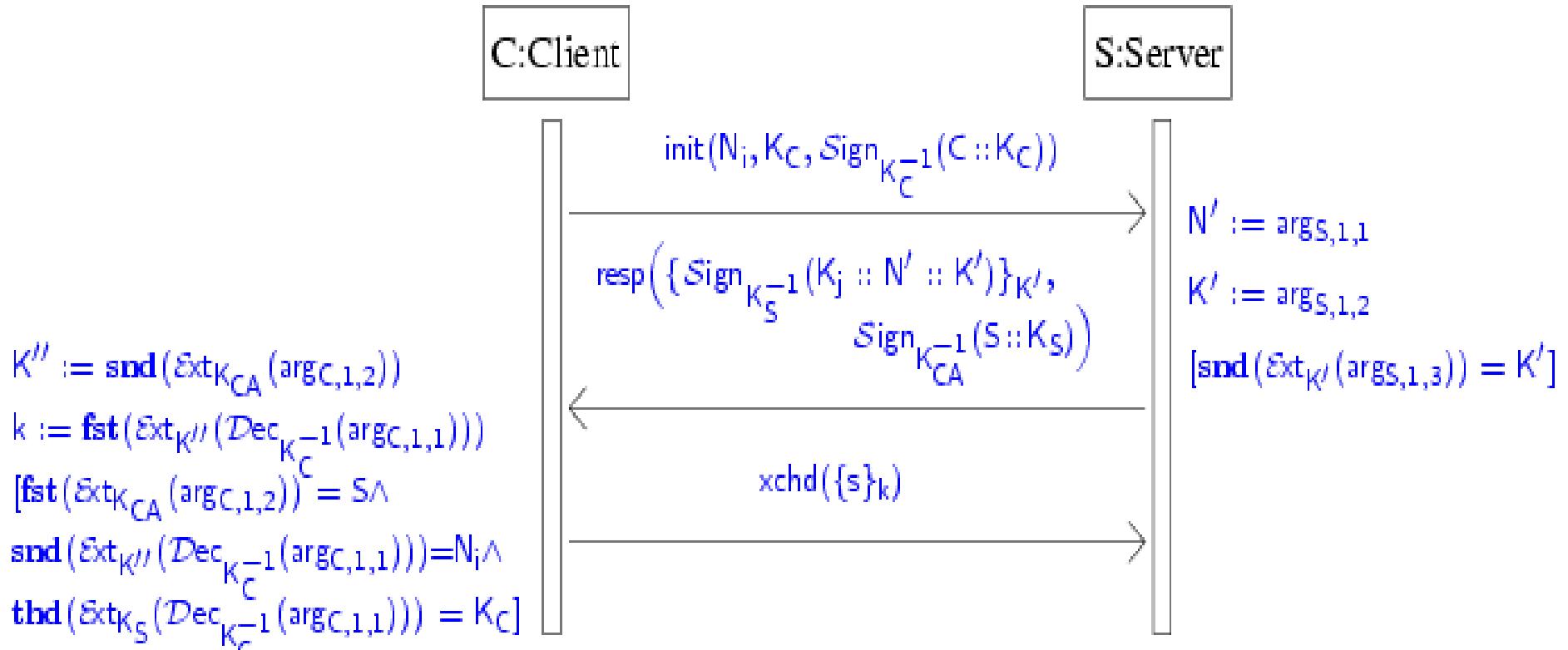
<sup>1</sup> Jan Jürjens, Secure Systems Development with UML, Springer 2004. Sect. 6.2.1

# Man-in-the-Middle Attack

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# The Fix



Can prove that secure.

# The Flaw Proof I

- Show existence of successful attacker  $\text{adv}$ .
- Fix instances  $C$  and  $S$  with execution rounds  $i$  and  $j$  ( $S_i = S$ )
  - Denote link between  $C$  and  $S$  as  $I_{CS}$ .
- Adversary  $\text{adv}$  proceeds as follows:
  - Message of form  $S.\text{init}(N_i, K_C, \text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_C}(C :: K_C))$  in  $I_{CS}$ 
    - replaced by  $S.\text{init}(N_i, K_C, \text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_A}(C :: K_A))$ ;
      - Public key  $K_C$  of  $C$  replaced by public key  $K_A$  of  $A$  at each occurrence and as signature key.

# The Flaw Proof II

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- When  $S$  sends message  $\text{resp}(\{\text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_S}(k_j :: \text{init}_1)\}_{K_A}, \text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_{CA}}(S :: K_S))$  using  $K_A$  to encrypt session key  $k_j$ ,
  - $\text{adv}$  can obtain  $k_j$  and replace message by  $\text{resp}(\{\text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_S}(k_j :: \text{init}_1)\}_{K_C}, \text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_{CA}}(S :: K_S))$
- When  $C$  subsequently returns  $\{s_i\}_{k_j}$ ,  $\text{adv}$  can extract secret  $s_i$ 
  - And forward message.
- Adversary machine that achieves this is defined as follows:

# The Flaw Proof: Adversary Machine

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Rule Exec *adv* :

do – in – parallel

if  $\text{linkQu}_T(l_{CS}) = \{\{e\}\} \wedge \text{msgnm}(e) = S.\text{init}$   
then  $\text{linkQu}_T(l_{CS}) := \{\{S.\text{init}(\text{Arg}_1(e), K_A,$   
 $\text{Sign}_{K_A^{-1}}(\text{fst}(\mathcal{E}xt_{\text{Arg}_2(e)}(\text{Arg}_3(e))) :: K_A)\}\}$

if  $\text{linkQu}_T(l_{CS}) = \{\{e\}\} \wedge \text{msgnm}(e) = C.\text{resp}$  then

do – in – parallel

$\text{linkQu}_T(l_{CS}) := \{\{C.\text{resp}(\{\text{Sign}_{K_A^{-1}}(\text{Arg}_1(e))\}_{K_C}, \text{Arg}_2(e))\}\}$

$local := \{\{\text{fst}(\mathcal{E}xt_{K_S}(\mathcal{D}ec_{K_A^{-1}}(\text{Arg}_1(e))))\}\}$

enddo

if  $\text{linkQu}_T(l_{CS}) = \{\{e\}\} \wedge \text{msgnm}(e) = S.xchd$  then

$secret := \{\{\mathcal{D}ec_{local}(\text{Arg}_1(e))\}\}$

enddo

- Thus adversary gets to know secrets  $C.s_i$ .

- Change protocol to get a specification  $T'$ 
  - Substituting  $k_j :: N_i$  in message **resp** by  $k_j :: N_i :: K_C$  and
  - Including a check regarding this new message part at client.
- Public key  $K_C$  of **C** is representatively for identity of **C**.
- One could also use  $k_j :: N_i :: C$  instead.
- Traditional informal notation, of modified protocol:
  - (1)  $C \rightarrow S : N_i, K_C, \text{Sign}_{K_C^{-1}}(C :: K_C)$
  - (2)  $S \rightarrow C : \{\text{Sign}_{K_S^{-1}}(k_j :: N_i :: K_C)\}_{K_C}, \text{Sign}_{K_{CA}^{-1}}(S :: K_S)$
  - (3)  $C \rightarrow S : \{s_i\}_{k_j}$ .

- C will only send the secret under the session key received if signed by the server concatenated with public key of C.
- This certificate, S only sends out encrypted under the same public key
  - adversary cannot decrypt.
- Essential:
  - session keys differ for different iterations of the protocol.

## Certificate sent in first message

- Self-signed
- Does not provide full client authenticity.
- Adversary can still send certificate to **S** claiming that public key of the adversary belongs to **C**.
- However:
  - When adversary forwards the response from **S** to **C**.
  - Server signed certificate contains the public key received by **S** in first message.
  - If adversary again forwards this certificate to the **C**.
    - **C** will notice a false public key has been submitted on **C**'s behalf and stop execution because the newly introduced check fails.

- Arguments may convince that the particular attack is prevented by the modification
- Little confidence that the modified protocol is immune against all other possible attacks.
- To give confidence
  - Prove formally that Protocol specification is secure with regards to adversary model.
- More specifically:
  - show that the protocol specification fulfills constraints associated with <>**data security**<> w.r.t. adversary.
  - Proving this for {secrecy}.
    - {integrity} and {authenticity} can be established similarly.

- **{integrity}** goals
  - Adversary should not be able to make the attributes take on values previously known only to him
  - Straightforward to verify
    - Only concerns attributes that remain constant
      - apart from  $i$  and  $j$ , simply counted upwards.
    - Could formulate other integrity requirements.
      - e.g. value  $C.k$  coincides with  $S.k_j$ , we do not consider this here.

# Theorem TLS Variant Is Secure

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- Theorem: Given a particular execution of repaired TLS variant subsystem  $T'$  including all client/server instances, a client  $C$ , and number  $I$  with  $S=S_I$ .
- Suppose server  $S$ , is in  $J$ th execution round(ER) in the current execution when  $C$ ,  $I$ th ER, initiates the protocol ( $C.i = I$  and  $S.j = J$ ).
- Then this execution of  $T'$  preserves secrecy of  $C.s_I$  against adversaries of type  $A = \text{default}$  whose previous knowledge  $K_A^p$  fulfills:
- We have:
$$\left( \{C.s_I, K_C^{-1}, K_S^{-1}\} \cap \{S.k_j : j \geq J\} \cup \{\{\text{Sign}_{K_S^{-1}}(X :: C.N_I :: K_C)\}_{K_C} : X \in \text{Keys}\} \right) \cap K_A^p = \emptyset;$$
  - for any  $X \in \text{Exp}$ ,  $\text{Sign}_{K_C^{-1}}(C :: X) \in K_A^p$  implies  $X = K_C$ , and
  - for any  $X \in \text{Exp}$ ,  $\text{Sign}_{K_{CA}}(S :: X) \in K_A^p$  implies  $X = K_S$ .

# Theorem In Detail I

- Condition means:
  - Previous adversary knowledge  $K_A^p$  may not contain
    - Current secret  $C.s_I$
    - Secret keys  $K_C^{-1}; K_S^{-1}$  of sender and receiver,
    - Current and future session keys  $S.k_j$ ,
    - Any encryptions of form  $\{Sign_{K_S^{-1}}(X :: C.N_I :: K_C)\}_{K_C}$ ,
    - Any signatures  $Sign_{K_S^{-1}}(C :: X)$  (except for  $X = K_C$ ) and  $Sign_{K_{CA}^{-1}}(C :: X)$  (except for  $X = K_S$ ).
- Result covers possibility: adversary may gain information from previous or parallel executions of protocol,
  - possibly with other instances of  $C$  or  $S$ .

# Theorem In Detail II

- Parallel executions of other instances:
  - Restrictions on adversary knowledge allow adversary to simulate other instances of the two classes.
    - by giving adversary access to their private keys and certificates.
- Previous executions,
  - Note: previous adversary knowledge  $K_A^p$  refers to knowledge of the adversary before overall execution of the system,
    - Not at the point of the system execution where  $C.i=I$  and  $S.j=J$  (see the definition<sup>1</sup> or discussion and corollary later on).

<sup>1</sup> Jan Jürjens, Secure Systems Development with UML, Springer 2004. Sect. 3.3.4

# Theorem Conditions

In particular:

Condition

- Doesn't prevent adversary from remembering information gained from earlier iterations or Current iteration of the protocol and use it in later iterations.
- It does assume: adversary doesn't know  $\{\text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_S}(k_j :: N_i :: K_C)\}_{K_C}$  of server in the current protocol run **before** current protocol.
  - Assumption is necessary, otherwise the attack would still work:
    - Adversary would already have the certificate the client expects (which includes the client's key  $K_C$ ) and can in addition still get the current session key from the server
      - as in earlier attack by sending  $N_i :: K_A :: \text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_A}(C :: K_A)$  containing adversary's key  $K_A$  to  $S$ .

# Theorem “forward security”

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- Since we allow
  - $S.k_j$  for  $j < J$  to be included in previous adversary knowledge  $K_A^p$
- Theorem establishes a form of “forward security”
  - Compromise of a current key doesn't necessarily expose future traffic.
- Not sufficient to only require  $S.k_j \notin K_A^p$ .
  - because adversary may initiate an intermediate interaction with  $S$  to increase its counter  $j$ .

# Theorem "rely-guarantee"

- Statement of theorem concerns particular instances of Client and Server and particular execution rounds.
- Formulated in a "rely-guarantee" way,
  - Stating that if the knowledge previously acquired by adversary satisfies the conditions, then this execution preserves secrecy.
  - Allows to consider security mechanisms such as security protocols in system context.
    - To do this: Specify explicitly which values the remaining part of the system has to keep secret to function securely.
    - e.g.: Theorem needs to assume that the CA doesn't issue any false certificates,
      - Third pre-condition in the theorem.

- Conditions only concern previous knowledge of the adversary before overall execution of the system,
  - Follows: adversary knowledge before each iteration of the system satisfies conditions as well.
  - Each iteration of execution of the system preserves conditions on the adversary knowledge:
    - If conditions on adversary knowledge were violated in iterations before the one under consideration:  
Result of the theorem would not be valid.
      - For each “current” iteration.
      - Since theorem holds: cannot be the case.

# Proof

## Theorem: TLS Variant Is Secure

Proof: Use Theorem 7.27<sup>1</sup>. We show the following claim:

- For each knowledge set  $K_{\text{adv}}^e(A)$  for adversary  $\text{adv}$  of type  $A$ , after overall execution  $e$  of  $T'$ , whose previous knowledge  $K_A^p$  satisfies the conditions in the statement of the theorem,
    - there exists a subalgebra  $X_0$  that is minimal w.r.t. the subset relation among subalgebras  $X$  of  $\text{Exp}$  fulfilling the following two conditions,\* such that  $X_0$  contains  $K_{\text{adv}}^e(A)$ .
- \*  $K_{\text{adv}}^e(A)$  is not contained in every such subalgebra  $X$ , because the actual messages exchanged may differ depending on the adversary behavior.

<sup>1</sup> Jan Jürjens, Secure Systems Development with UML, Springer 2004. Sect. 7.5.2

# Proof

## Claim: Condition (1)

Condition (1) is required to hold:

- $K_A^p \cup \{c.N_i, K_c, \text{Sign}_{K_{CA}^{-1}}(c :: K_c) : i \in \mathbb{N} \wedge c \in \text{Client}\}$   
 $\cup \{ \text{Sign}_{K_{CA}^{-1}}(s :: K_s) : s \in \text{Server} \wedge (s = S \Rightarrow K_s = K_S)\}$   
 $\cup \{ \{c.s_i\}_k : k \in \text{Keys} \wedge i \in \mathbb{N} \wedge c \in \text{Client}$   
 $\wedge \exists K \in \text{Keys}, E \in \text{Exp}, E' \in X$   
 $(\text{Sign}_{K_{CA}^{-1}}(E) \in X \wedge \text{fst}(E) = c.S_i \wedge \text{snd}(E) = K$   
 $\wedge \text{Ext}_K(\text{Dec}_{K_C^{-1}}(E')) = (k, c.N_i, K_c) X) \}$   
 $\subseteq X.$

# Proof

## Claim: Condition (2)

Requires that

- For each  $j \in N$  and  $s$  : Server and  
For an associated fixed key  $k_{j,s} \in \text{Keys} \cap X$ ,
  - a fixed expression  $x_{j,s} \in \text{Exp}$ , and
  - a fixed nonce  $n_{j,s} \in \text{Data} \cap X$  with  $\text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_{j,s}}(x_{j,s} :: k_{j,s}) \in X^*$

We have

- $\{\text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_s}(s.k_j :: n_{j,s} :: k_{j,s})\}k_{j,s} \in X$ .

\* Condition (1) guarantees existence of these unique expressions associated with each  $j \in N$  and  $s$  : Server.

# Proof

## Claim: Note On Condition (2)

- Possible that  $k_{j,s}^{-1} \in K_{\text{adv}}^e(A)$ ,
  - But then  $k_{j,s} \neq K_c$  for any client  $c$ 
    - because  $K_c^{-1} \notin K_{\text{adv}}^e(A)$  since  $K_c^{-1} \notin K_A^p$  and  $K_c^{-1}$  is never sent out.
  - $c$  will notice something is wrong in the corrected protocol
    - because counter  $j$  is increased, adversary **cannot** make the server publish another signature with the same  $k_j$  and correct  $K_c$ .

# Proof of Claim: Intuitively I

- Claim holds because each knowledge set  $K_{\text{adv}}^e(A)$  is by definition the subalgebra of the algebra of expressions  $\text{Exp}$  built up from  $K_A^p$  in interaction with the protocol participants during the protocol run  $e$ .
- What knowledge adversary can gain from interaction with the protocol participants.
  - From first message of  $c$ , adversary can learn expressions  $c.N_i$ ,  $K_c$ , and  $\text{Sign}_{K_c^{-1}}(c :: K_c)$ .
  - From first message of  $s$ , the adversary can firstly learn  $\text{Sign}_{K_{CA}^{-1}}(s :: K_s)$ .

Secondly,

- For each encryption key  $K \in \text{Keys}$  in the knowledge of the adversary
  - such that adversary knows  $\text{Sign}_{K^{-1}}(x :: K)$  for some  $x \in \text{Exp}$ ,

and for each  $N$  known to the adversary, adversary learns

$$\{\text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_s}(s.k_j :: vN :: K)\}_K \in X,$$

but only a unique such expression for a given

- server  $s$ ,
- protocol run  $e$ , and
- transaction number  $j$ ,

because transaction number  $j$  is increased as long as protocol is iterated (reflected by the fact that  $X_0$  is required to be minimal).

# Proof of Claim: Intuitively III

- From second message from  $c$ , for each encryption key  $K \in \text{Keys}$  such that,
  - $\text{Sign}_{K^{-1}cA}(E)$  is known to adversary for  $E \in \text{Exp}$  with  $\text{fst}(E) = c.s_i$  and  $\text{snd}(E) = K$ , such that
    - $\exists E' \in \text{Exp}$  which is known to adversary such that  $\text{Ext}_K(\text{Dec}_{K^{-1}c}(E')) = (k, c.N_i, K_c)$  for some  $k \in \text{Keys}$ ,
- Adversary learns  $\{c.s_i\}_K \in X$ .

- Since no other messages are sent out by the system
  - Claim holds by definition of the adversary knowledge as the algebra generated by exchanged messages and initial adversary knowledge.
- Completes proof.

- Sufficient to show:  $C.s_I \notin X_0$  for every  $X_0$  defined above,
  - Because  $K_A(A) := \bigcup_{adv,e} K_{adv}^e(A)$  is contained in union of all such  $X_0$  by the above argument.
- Proof by contradiction:
  - Fix such an  $X_0$
  - Assume:
    - $C.s_I \in X_0$ .
    - $X_0$  is defined to be a minimal subalgebra
      - satisfying conditions (1) and (2)

- Recall Algebra of expressions  $\text{Exp}^1$ :
    - as a free algebra it follows that  $C.s_I$  is different from any other expression not containing it
      - since no equation with such an expression is defined.
  - We have  $C.s_I \neq c.s_i$  for any client  $c$  and number  $i$  with  $c \neq C$  or  $i \neq I$ .
    - Only occurrence in conditions defining  $X_0$  in a minimal way,
      - where  $C.s_I$  may be introduced as a subterm,  
is in the requirement that  $X_0$  contains  $\{C.s_I\}_k$  for each key  $k \in \text{Keys}$  for which there exist  $K \in \text{Keys}$ ,  $E \in \text{Exp}$ ,  $E' \in X_0$  such that
        - $\text{Sign}_{K^{-1}CA}(E) \in X_0 \wedge \text{fst}(E) = S \wedge \text{snd}(E) = K$   
 $\wedge \text{Ext}_K(\text{Dec}_{K^{-1}c}(E')) = (k, C.N_I, K_C)$
- in condition (1).

<sup>1</sup> Jan Jürjens, Secure Systems Development with UML, Springer 2004. Sect. 3.3.3

# Proof of Claim: Contradiction III

Assumption  $C.s_I \in X_0$  implies

- $\exists k \in \text{Keys}$  for which there exist  $K \in \text{Keys}$ ,  $E \in \text{Exp}$ ,  $E' \in X_0$  such that
  - $\text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_{CA}}(E) \in X_0 \wedge \text{fst}(E) = S \wedge \text{snd}(E) = K$   
 $\wedge \text{Ext}_K(\text{Dec}_{K^{-1}_C}(E')) = (k, C.N_I, K_C)$ .
- By definition of  $X_0$  and assumption on  $K^p_A$   
 $\text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_{CA}}(E) \in X_0 \wedge \text{fst}(E) = S \wedge \text{snd}(E) = K$   
implies  $K = K_S$ 
  - (since any expression of this form in  $K^p_A$  must satisfy this, and any such expression introduced in  $X_0$ ).

# Proof of Claim: Contradiction IV

- Similarly,  $E' \in X_0$  with  $\text{Ext}_{K_S}(Dec_{K^{-1}_C}(E')) = (k, C.N_I, K_C)$  implies  $k = S.k_j$  for some  $j$ 
  - $E' \notin K_A^p$  by assumption on adversary knowledge  $K_A^p$ 
    - because  $K_S^{p-1}$  never communicated, and
    - $\{\text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_S}(S.k_j :: n_{j,s} :: k_{j,s})\}_{k_{j,s}}$  (condition (2)) only expression with sub-term of form  $\text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_S}(k :: n_{j,s} :: k_{j,s})$  introduced (in this term  $n_{j,s} = C.N_I$  and  $k_{j,s} = K_C$ ).
  - Conclude  $j \geq J$ 
    - by assumption:  $S$  is in its  $J$ th execution round when  $C$  is in its  $I$ th.
    - by requirement:  $C.N_I$  should be fresh (each value distinct from any other).
  - By assumption on  $K_A^p$ , we have
    - $S.k_j \notin K_A^p$  since  $j \geq J$ ,
  - Thus adversary must have learned  $S.k_j$  in protocol interaction.

# Proof of Claim: Contradiction

- By Freshness on  $S.k_j$ :
  - Only message containing  $S.k_j$  is a term of form  $\{\text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_S}(S.k_j :: n_{j,s} :: k_{j,s})\}_{k_{j,s}}$ .
- By condition (2) and minimality of  $X_0$ ,
  - We know  $n_{j,s} = C.N_I$  and  $k_{j,s} = K_C$  for any such term.
  - Term has to be decrypted with  $K_c^{-1}$  to get  $S.k_j$ .
  - Only participant possessing  $K_c^{-1}$  and could provide this service for the adversary is  $C$ .
    - other's don't have  $K_c^{-1}$  in initial knowledge, and it is never exchanged.
- None value in  $\{\text{Sign}_{K^{-1}_S}(S.k_j :: n_{j,s} :: k_{j,s})\}_{k_{j,s}}$  sent out by  $C$ .
- Thus  $K_c^{-1} \in K_A^p$ : contradicts initial assumption about  $K_A^p$  

# Proof of Claim: Satisfied Conditions I

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- Adversary knowledge before each iteration satisfies conditions as well:

## (1) $I$ th execution round of client $C$

- no data of form  $X.s_i$  is output except  $C.s_I$  (is kept secret from adversary)
- Secret keys  $K_C^{-1}, K_S^{-1}$  ( $\forall C, S$ ) are never output.
- Key  $S.K_j$ : only sent out during  $J$ th executing round of  $S$ .
  - Above theorem: in that round key is not leaked to adversary
    - Otherwise adversary would gain knowledge of  $C.s_I$  by decrypting contents of  $xchd$  message.
- Expression of form  $\{\text{Sign}_{K_S^{-1}}(X :: C.N_I :: K_C)\}_{K_C}$  (for  $X \in \text{Keys}$ ) is only output in  $I$ th execution round of  $C$  (and is of no use in any later round).

# Proof of Claim: Satisfied Conditions I

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Adversary knowledge before each iteration satisfies conditions as well:

(2) For any  $X \in \text{Exp}$ ,  $\text{Sign}_{K_s^{-1}}(X :: C)$  is sent out only for  $X = K_c$

- $K_c^{-1}$  not sent out at all.

(3) For any  $X \in \text{Exp}$ ,  $\text{Sign}_{K_{CA}^{-1}}(X :: C)$  is sent out only for  $X = K_s$

- $K_{CA}^{-1}$  not sent out at all.

# Generalization of Theorem

Assume: clients and servers are finite:

- Any execution of  $T'$  (over all clients, servers and all execution rounds) preserves secrecy of each  $C.s_I$  ( $C : \text{Client}, 1 \leq I \leq l$ )
  - against adversaries of type  $A = \text{default}$  with previous knowledge  $K_A^p$  before overall execution  $T'$

fulfills the following conditions:

We have:  $(\{K_C^{-1}; K_S^{-1}, c.s_i; s.k_j; \{\text{Sign}_{K_S^{-1}}(k_j :: N_i :: K_C)\}_{K_C} : c:\text{Client} \wedge s:\text{Server} \wedge 1 \leq i \leq l \wedge 1 \leq j \wedge X \in \text{Keys}\}) \cap K_A^p = \emptyset$

- for any  $X \in \text{Exp}$  and any  $c : \text{Client}$ ,  $\text{Sign}_{K_C^{-1}}(c :: X) \in K_A^p$  implies  $X = K_C$ .
- for any  $X \in \text{Exp}$  and any  $s : \text{Server}$ ,  $\text{Sign}_{K_{CA}^{-1}}(s :: X) \in K_A^p$  implies  $X = K_S$ .

- Given an execution  $e$  of  $T'$ , a client  $C$ , and a number  $I$ .
- $S_I = S$  for a server  $S$
- Within  $e$ , when  $C.i = I$ ,
  - we have  $S.j = J$  for a number  $J$ .
- Conditions on previous adversary knowledge in the generalization imply those of previous theorem
  - Can directly apply theorem.  $\square$

# Generalization of Theorem Explanation

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- Condition generalizes that of Theorem to arbitrary clients, servers.
- Protocol rounds of each client  $c$  and server  $s$  do not have to correspond in any particular way.
  - Any combination of  $c, s$ , secrets  $c.s_i$ , and session keys  $s.k_j$  may occur.
  - Same session key is not to be used repeatedly.
    - In particular,  $C.s_I$  under consideration could be transmitted encrypted under  $s.k_j$  for any  $s$  and server round  $j$ .
    - Need to assume  $s.k_j \notin K_A^p$  for any  $s$  and  $j$ .
    - Again:  $K_A^p$  denotes knowledge of adversary prior to even the first execution round of the protocol.
    - Session keys: not leaked during any of the protocol runs between trustworthy participants follows from our result.

# Automated Security Analysis: Adversary Knowledge

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- Specify set  $K_A^0$ 
  - initial knowledge of an adversary of type  $A$ .
- Let  $K_A^{n+1}$  be the  $\text{Exp}$ -subalgebra
  - generated by  $K_A^n$  and expressions received after  $n+1$ st protocol iteration.

Definition (Dolev, Yao 1982).

$S$  keeps secrecy of  $M$  against attackers of type  $A$  if there is no  $n$  with  $M \in K_A^n$ .

Idea:

- approximate set of possible data values flowing through system from above.
- Predicate **knows(E)**
  - adversary may get to know **E** during execution of the protocol.
- For any secret **s**, check whether can derive **knows(s)** using automated theorem prover.

Initial adversary knowledge ( $K^0$ ):

- Define  $\text{knows}(E)$  for any  $E$  initially known to the adversary (protocol-specific, e.g.  $K_A$ ,  $K_A^{-1}$ ).

- Define above equations.

- For evolving knowledge ( $K^n$ ) define

$$\forall E_1, E_2. (\text{knows}(E_1) \wedge \text{knows}(E_2) \implies$$

$$\text{knows}(E_1 :: E_2) \wedge \text{knows}(\{E_1\}_{E_2}) \wedge$$

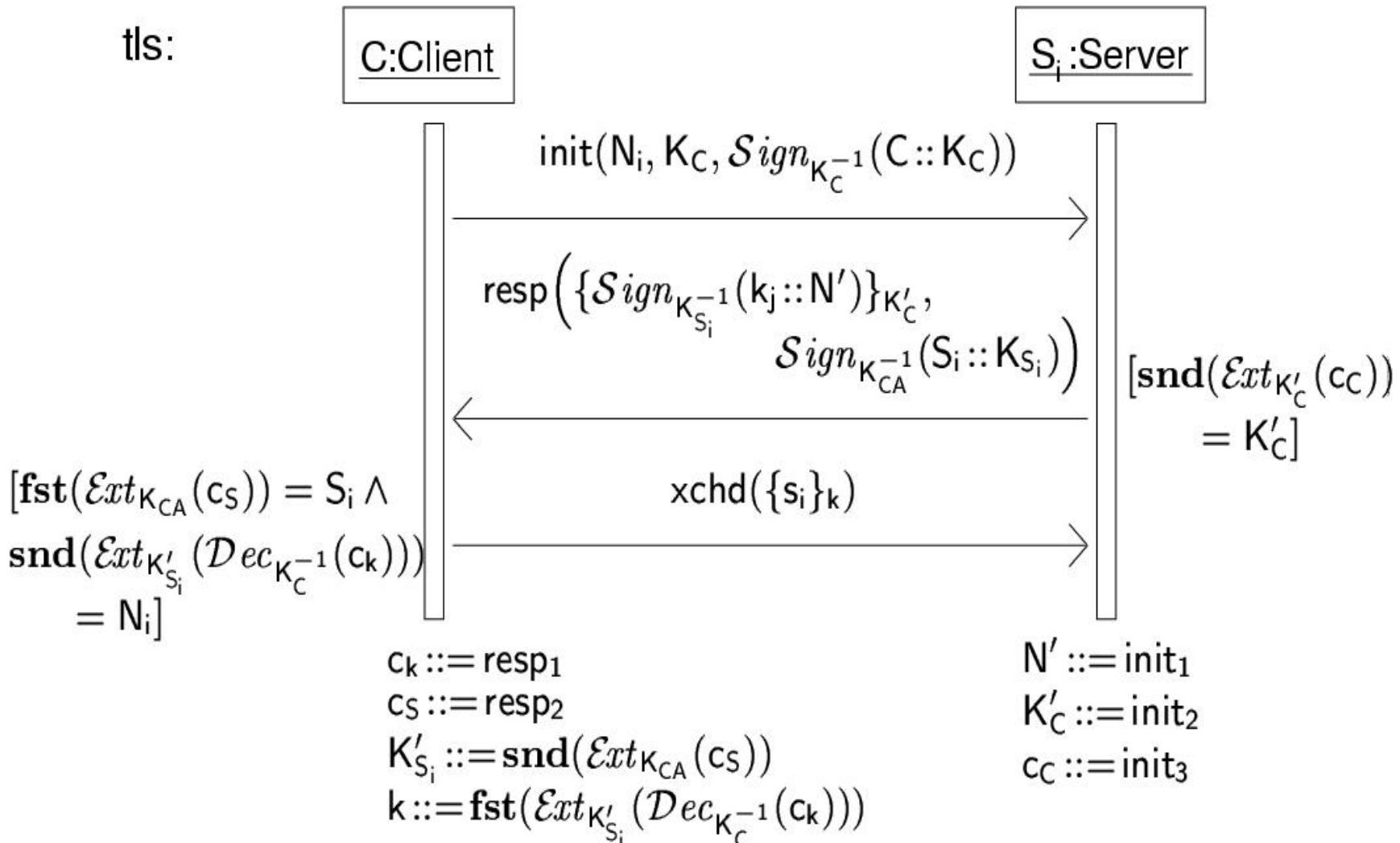
$$\text{knows}(\text{Dec}_{E_2}(E_1)) \wedge \text{knows}(\text{Sign}_{E_2}(E_1)) \wedge$$

$$\text{knows}(\text{Ext}_{E_2}(E_1)))$$

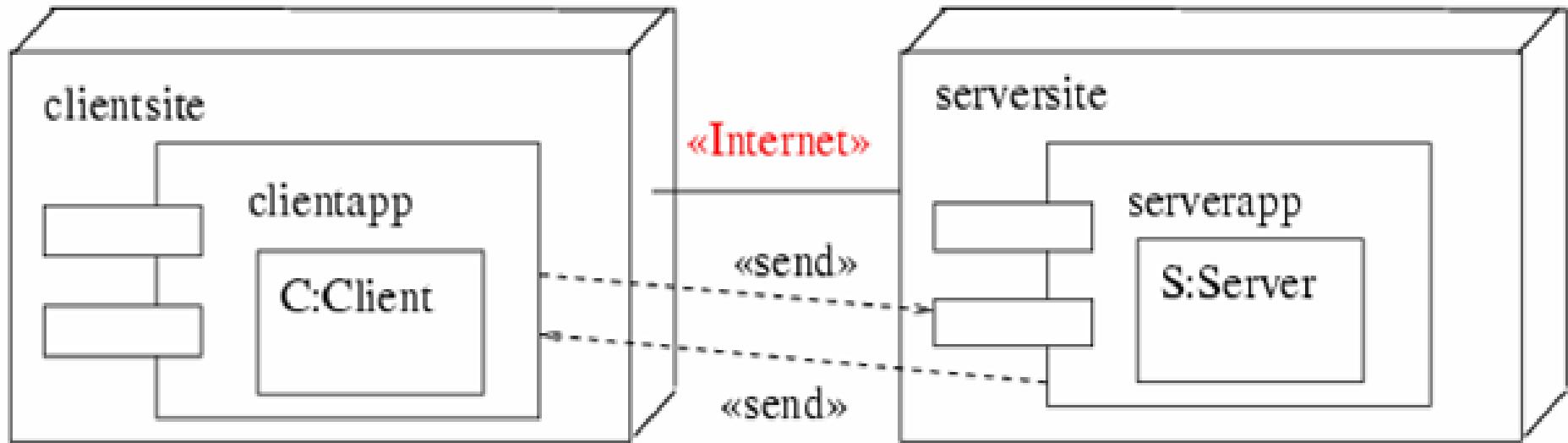
$$\forall E. (\text{knows}(E) \implies$$

$$\text{knows}(\text{head}(E)) \wedge \text{knows}(\text{tail}(E)))$$

# Given Sequence Diagram ...



# ... and Physical Layer Model ...



Deployment diagram.

Derived adversary model: **read, delete, insert** data.

# ... Translate to 1st Order Logic

Connection (or statechart transition)

$\text{TR1} = (\text{in}(\text{msg\_in}), \text{cond}(\text{msg\_in}), \text{out}(\text{msg\_out}))$

followed by  $\text{TR2}$  gives predicate

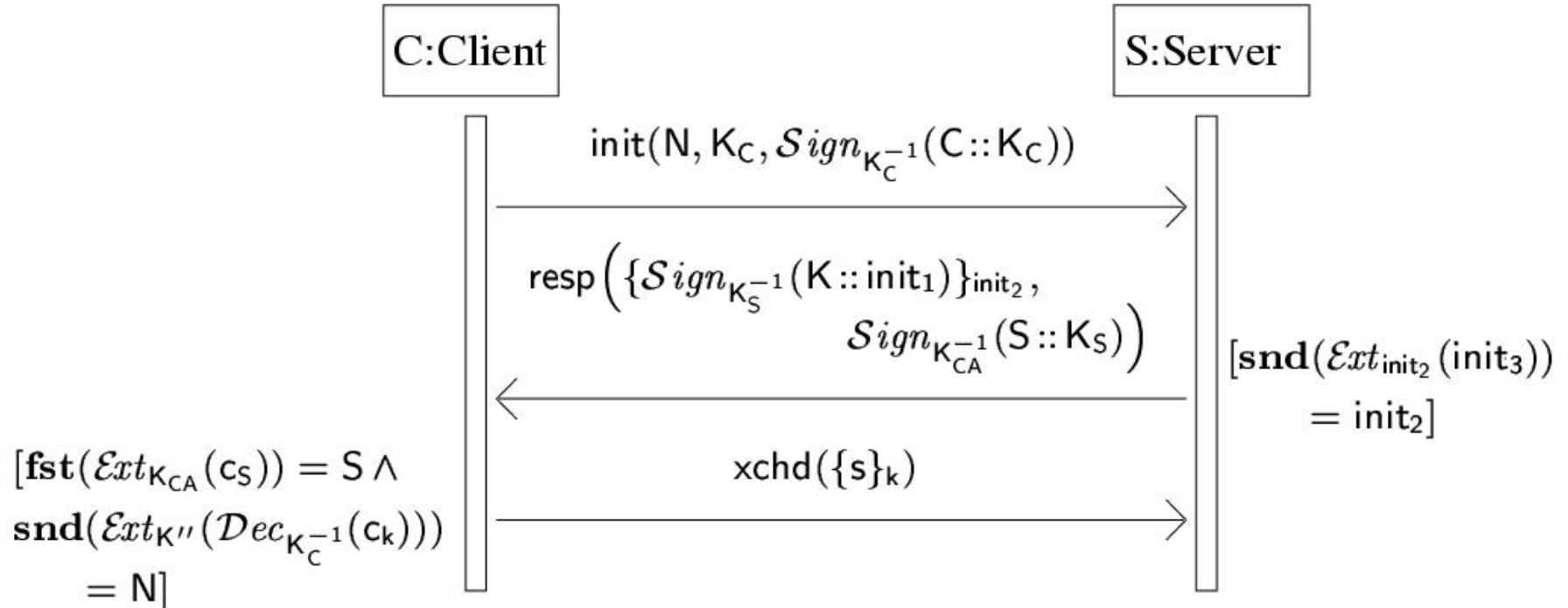
- $\text{PRED}(\text{TR1}) = \forall \text{ msg\_in. } [\text{knows}(\text{msg\_in}) \wedge \text{cond}(\text{msg\_in}) \Rightarrow \text{knows}(\text{msg\_out}) \wedge \text{PRED}(\text{TR2})]$

(Assume: order enforced (!).)

Can include senders, receivers in messages.

Abstraction: find all attacks, may have false positives.

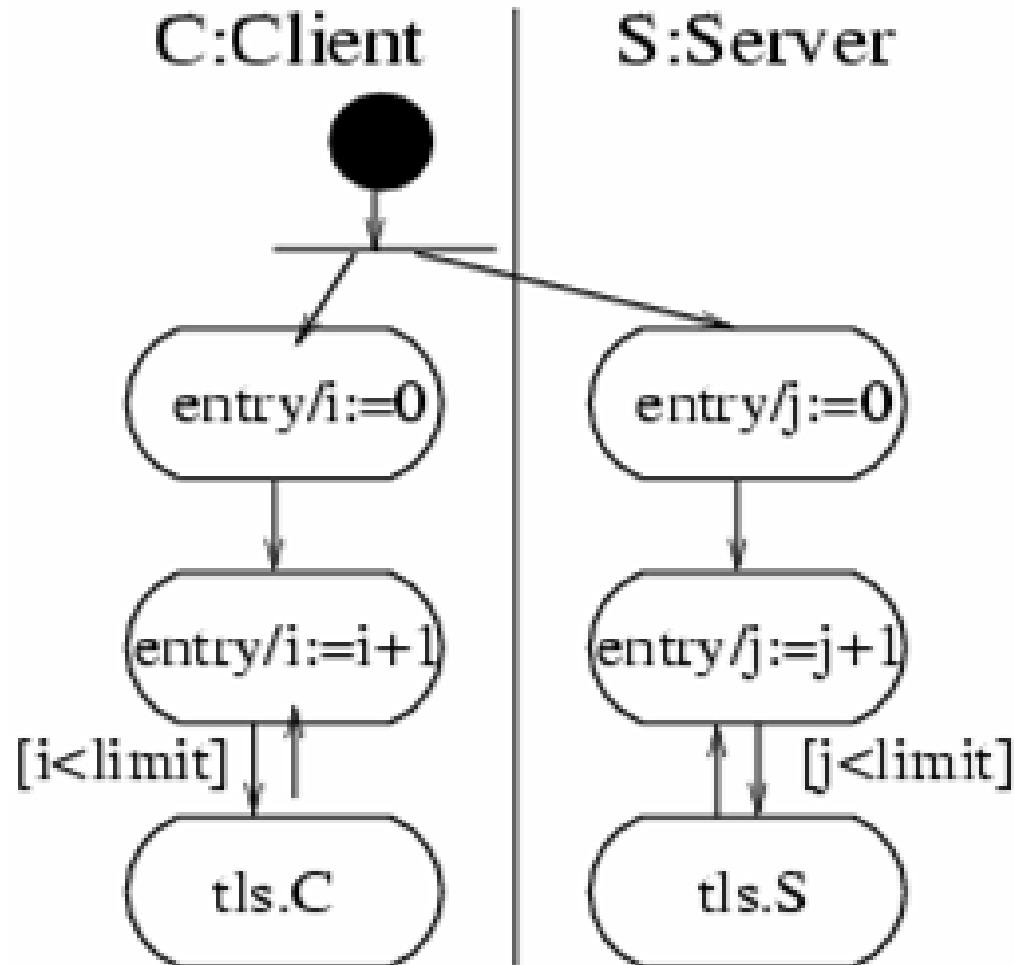
# Example



$\text{knows}(N) \wedge \text{knows}(K_C) \wedge \text{knows}(\text{Sign}_{K_C^{-1}}(C::K_C)) \wedge$   
 $\forall init_1, init_2, init_3 [\text{knows}(init_1) \wedge \text{knows}(init_2) \wedge \text{knows}(init_3) \wedge$   
 $\text{snd}(\text{Ext}_{init_2}(init_3)) = init_2 \Rightarrow \text{knows}(\{\text{Sign}_{K_S^{-1}}(\dots)\}_{init_2}) \wedge [\text{knows}(\text{Sign}\dots)] \wedge$   
 $. \forall resp_1, resp_2. [... \Rightarrow ...]]$

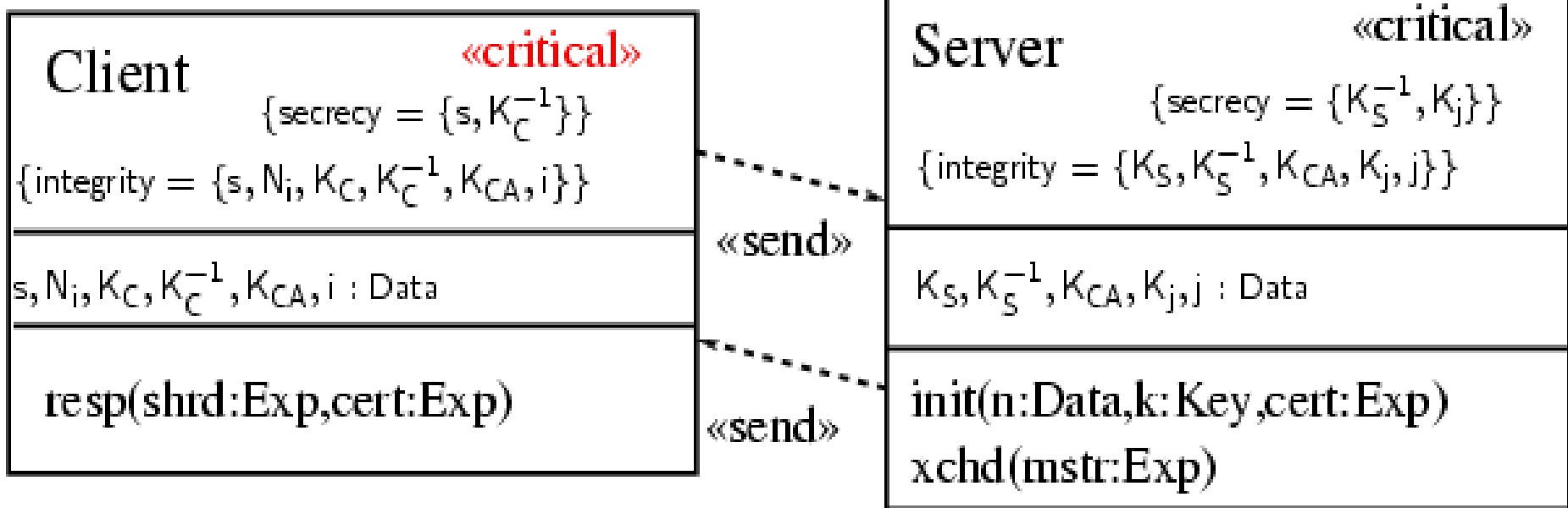
# Execute in System Context

Activity diagram.



# Formulate Data Security Requirements

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Class diagram.

Gives conjecture: *knows(s)* derivable ?

# Proposed Variant of TLS (SSL)

IEEE Infocom 1999.

Goal:

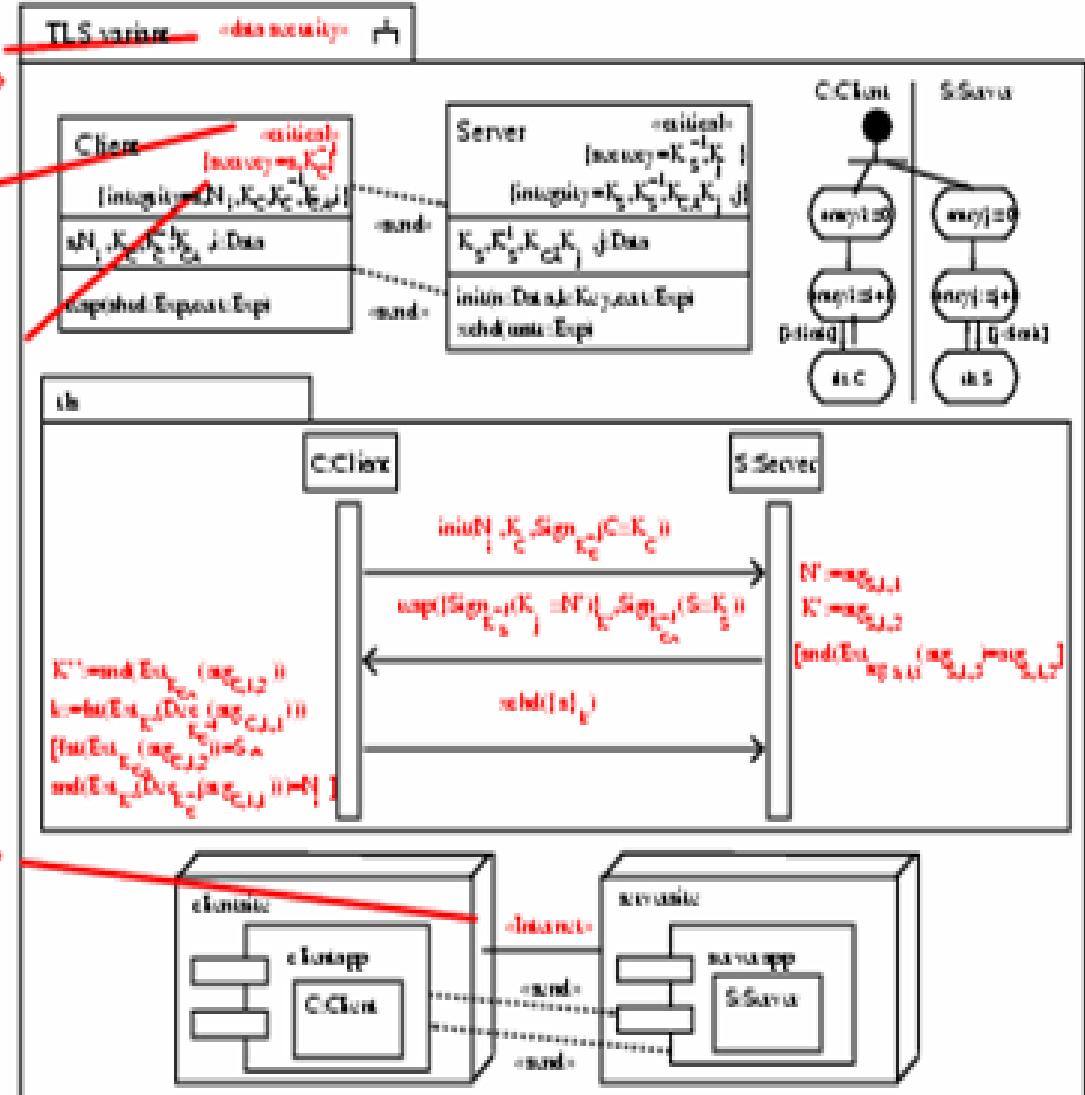
- send secret protected by session key using fewer server resources.

«data security»

«critical»

$\{\text{secrecy} = \{s, K_C^{-1}\}\}$

«Internet»



# TLS Variant in TPTP Notation I

```
input_formula(tls_abstract_protocol, axiom, (
  ! [ArgS_11, ArgS_12, ArgS_13, ArgC_11, ArgC_12] : (
    ! [DataC_KK, DataC_k, DataC_n] : (
      % Client -> Attacker (1. message)
      ( knows(n)
        & knows(k_c)
        & knows(sign(conc(c, k_c), inv(k_c)) ) )
    & % Server -> Attacker (2. message)
    ( ( knows(ArgS_11)
      & knows(ArgS_12)
      & knows(ArgS_13)
      & ( ? [X] : equal( sign(conc(X, ArgS_12), inv(ArgS_12)), ArgS_13 ) )
    => ( knows(enc(sign(conc(kgen(ArgS_12), ArgS_11), inv(k_s)), ArgS_12))
      & knows(sign(conc(s, k_s), inv(k_ca)) ) ) ) )
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# TLS Variant in TPTP Notation II

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```
& % Client -> Attacker (3. message)
( ( knows(ArgC_11)
  & knows(ArgC_12)
  & equal(sign(conc(s, DataC_KK), inv(k_ca)), ArgC_12 )
  & equal(enc(sign(conc(DataC_k, DataC_n), inv(DataC_KK) ),
              k_c), ArgC_11 )
  & ( ? [DataC_ks] : equal(sign(conc(s, DataC_ks), inv(k_ca) ),
                            ArgC_12 ) )
  & equal(enc(sign(conc(DataC_k, n), inv(DataC_KK) ), k_c),
         ArgC_11 )
  & equal(enc(sign(conc(DataC_k, DataC_n), inv(DataC_KK) ), k_c),
         ArgC_11 )
)
=> ( knows(symenc(secret, DataC_k)) ) )
) ) ).
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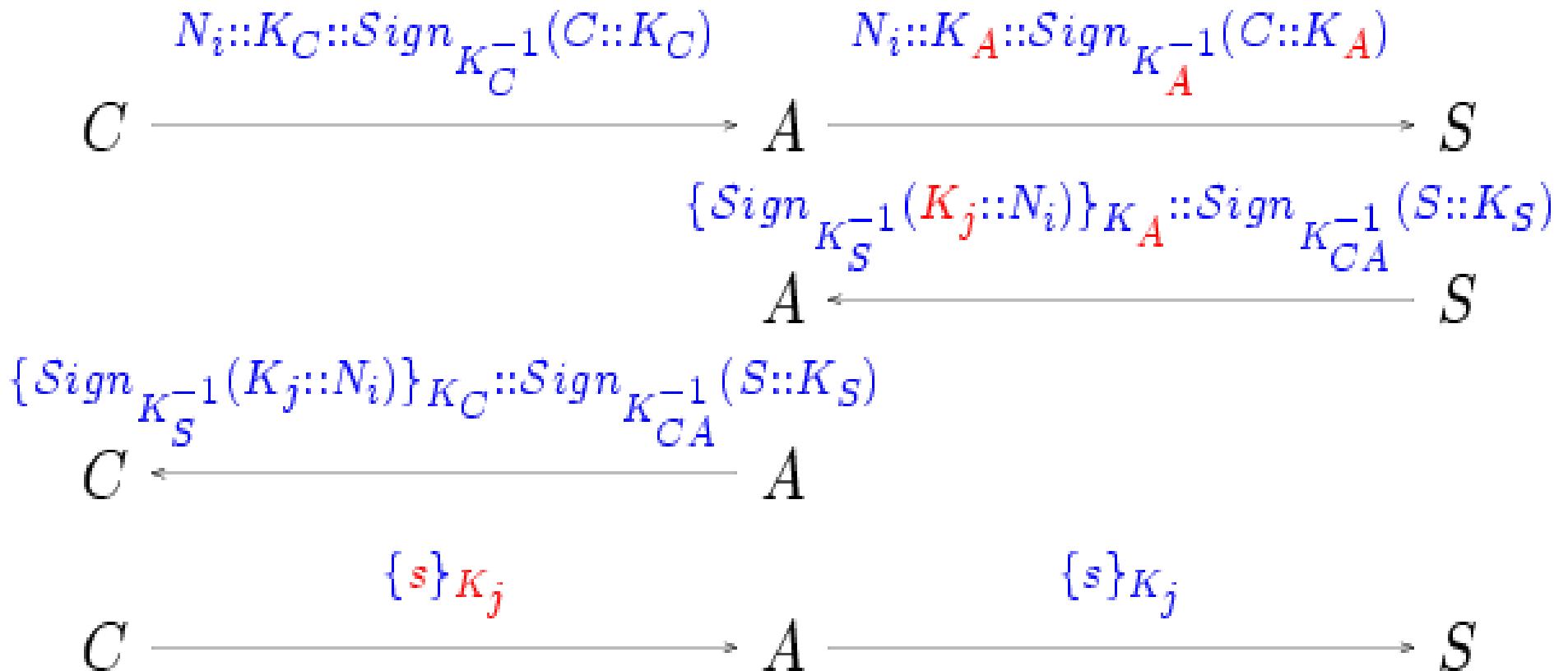
# Result

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E-SETHEO csp03 single processor running on host ...
(c) 2003 Max-Planck-Institut fuer Informatik and
Technische Universitaet Muenchen
Surprise ...

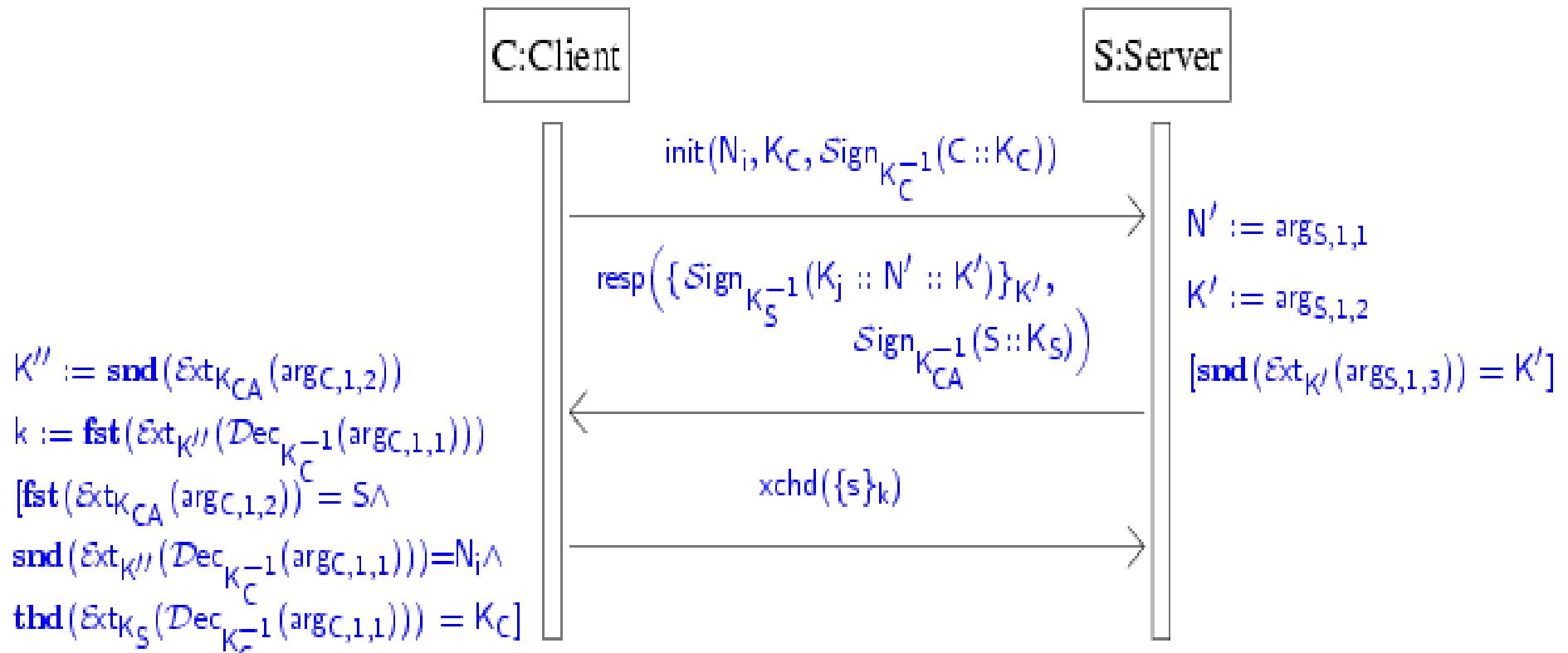
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...
time limit information: 300 total (entering statistics module).
problem analysis ...
testing if first-order ...
first-order problem
...
statistics: 19 0 7 46 3 6 2 0 1 2 14 8 0 2 28 6
...
schedule selection: problem is horn with equality (class he).
schedule:605 3 300 597
...
entering next strategy 605 with resource 3 seconds.
...
analyzing results ... Attack
proof found
time limit information: 298 total / 297 strategy (leaving wrapper).
...
e-SETHEO done. exiting
```

- Can derive *knows(s)* (!).
- Protocol does **not** preserve secrecy of **s** against adversaries.  
→ Completely insecure w.r.t. stated goals.
- But why ?
- Could look at proof tree.
- Or: use prolog-based attack generator.

# Man-in-the-Middle Attack



# The Fix



- E-Setheo<sup>1</sup>: *knows(s)* not derivable  
→ secure.

1 E-SETHEO is a strategy-parallel compositional theorem prover for first-order logic with equality.

# Summary

- Example security analysis
  - Practical use of UMLsec
  - Formal proof
  - Apply fix for vulnerability

# Zusammenfassung

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