

Openssl Tutorial

Assignment 2

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d. To view the contents of how the keys were generated

```
openssl rsa -in alice_private_key.pem -text -noout
```

```
Enter pass phrase for alice_private_key.pem:  
RSA Private-Key: (2048 bit, 2 primes)  
modulus:  
 00:d6:20:c6:5d:ca:80:46:53:af:ef:48:22:be:14:  
  b4:ce:c6:60:56:e0:19:3f:af:c8:b1:3a:04:ae:9f:  
  88:2d:9e:bb:82:25:76:7f:4d:6b:e7:e4:0a:91:e0:  
  1a:9a:0a:c7:2b:38:72:bb:0a:be:93:44:1d:bf:11:  
  3f:21:ed:b4:d0:2b:35:b6:56:94:25:81:76:03:0d:  
  73:da:a4:e0:c4:9a:65:76:68:a6:bb:16:cd:5a:1e:  
  7e:0f:ea:09:36:a2:fa:3a:4d:b4:4b:c2:84:d2:e3:  
  ad:4d:14:e4:03:2a:30:28:93:e4:de:90:27:ed:1e:  
  03:b5:64:96:ba:1d:e8:d6:9c:ad:24:eb:db:25:68:  
  6d:52:cf:3a:a8:8c:d8:17:34:77:ad:57:53:66:47:  
  96:8d:8b:ec:8b:73:38:82:05:37:7a:b5:b1:f2:f9:  
  ef:65:b4:5e:94:8a:1c:53:e4:54:b5:2e:10:df:b1:  
  b4:2e:2f:49:41:51:d3:88:c6:39:85:39:0e:fb:40:  
  44:73:ec:6a:19:64:4a:c0:ed:78:15:fc:65:73:92:  
  7a:ad:9d:5f:74:74:3b:f7:fa:b3:c6:ae:16:a1:ec:  
  2e:f9:f0:15:e2:e6:17:07:17:28:5a:db:ce:f3:99:  
  04:3e:32:b6:03:e9:e3:10:92:42:65:84:47:ff:c0:
```

```
06:61
publicExponent: 65537 (0x10001)
privateExponent:
  00:b3:66:6a:4c:12:69:3e:82:c7:18:77:1b:84:9d:
  dc:8e:91:6e:0d:db:5b:cc:1b:fe:cd:5d:8a:a6:b3:
  4a:68:ce:60:d3:3d:87:f6:48:6b:6b:b1:87:99:88:
  65:41:42:5e:74:3b:ab:04:42:90:40:da:05:02:1b:
  f5:04:fc:1f:4d:79:a6:5a:ca:56:fc:c5:66:96:50:
  23:0c:c0:af:00:89:4b:10:d5:c5:3b:62:73:52:59:
  d1:cc:8b:8c:84:96:2f:87:c1:aa:98:fe:b4:41:ec:
  37:3a:29:92:8f:84:3d:2d:02:1b:f2:cc:5c:67:31:
  8a:71:e3:80:d5:16:52:09:db:5a:63:0f:9d:45:18:
  f9:36:1f:ae:f8:28:75:5b:2c:66:e5:4e:5b:c5:9b:
  d7:96:a4:90:b7:79:b8:72:25:7e:c0:22:d2:0c:23:
  d9:95:57:38:57:60:be:52:ce:a0:50:b0:2f:c0:ef:
  f1:27:88:ea:53:7e:94:6e:9f:14:6b:65:5a:23:0b:
  87:93:24:53:36:d7:5f:e7:90:45:84:e1:54:0c:88:
  5c:6d:e6:81:d7:7a:83:66:5a:58:25:6c:ea:2b:d0:
  9a:bd:a6:70:4d:41:74:16:32:2f:be:64:06:04:0a:
  c5:3c:69:3c:df:dc:d4:1e:d2:f6:a2:3c:ee:76:5b:
  e1:f1
prime1:
  00:ee:56:97:b5:a2:17:6b:1f:a2:f0:6c:76:a4:55:
  91:57:35:23:c9:fe:2d:b8:c3:cf:89:c4:0c:62:3a:
  b1:9d:79:39:1b:e3:46:a3:07:46:f2:c1:0e:b9:cc:
  dd:f7:a8:6a:e1:3b:e4:1f:70:af:f5:fe:25:75:dc:
  c2:ba:07:26:e7:98:f2:11:62:b8:cd:34:33:49:a4:
```

```
64:cc:c0:05:d5:79:76:cb:77:c3:1c:3b:9c:bf:a8:  
b3:8c:07:a2:39:17:fc:21:60:f5:26:65:2f:3b:37:  
32:28:ce:60:9a:2f:f3:4b:31:a9:48:21:c6:0b:6b:  
78:73:6d:39:74:7d:ad:0b:97
```

prime2:

```
00:e5:fe:e6:a7:8d:3f:00:4d:47:28:9c:51:f7:63:  
dc:25:a0:a0:97:e0:f3:67:e0:05:6b:78:26:2e:14:  
9c:1f:f4:e8:df:78:5a:12:58:58:0f:50:25:e3:60:  
ca:09:6d:e2:d4:ff:a7:14:36:0e:51:ea:f0:5a:40:  
e4:d7:c9:25:21:bb:3c:90:48:71:08:6e:75:19:5c:  
50:5c:9c:84:e3:df:31:f7:47:97:d5:af:5b:5c:4d:  
a5:b6:ef:f0:a8:67:41:6d:55:3d:7c:6d:03:d1:80:  
28:68:1c:f5:86:85:d6:f3:84:c2:01:65:11:c0:a6:  
e0:74:70:b1:d7:93:b4:9c:c7
```

exponent1:

```
00:b9:8c:46:6d:8c:34:69:1c:67:10:7f:90:59:dd:  
97:d9:e9:af:e4:18:72:e5:ed:e3:4b:a0:89:f7:8b:  
34:2d:a1:6b:39:6f:d5:d5:23:dc:33:2e:e3:54:f8:  
ce:31:79:37:44:04:09:54:04:b9:a8:6b:e4:23:fe:  
ea:c6:42:bd:21:fe:6b:2d:e7:ca:71:4e:db:42:d0:  
ad:fc:cc:dd:7d:d5:23:0b:c2:3f:ee:61:e6:65:3b:  
64:14:76:f8:ef:33:e2:00:e6:67:d4:2d:5f:f8:dc:  
be:bb:0f:f8:1a:f1:8b:9a:15:9e:71:5e:81:bc:f0:  
3d:04:b7:9a:cc:3a:ef:16:1f
```

exponent2:

```
00:da:79:6e:45:0e:e9:1f:b2:48:bc:0c:f1:d7:9c:  
66:4c:df:ee:6d:17:64:5f:f1:ef:74:0c:e7:c7:b2:
```

```
10:34:53:02:ba:f4:aa:2a:ee:fc:87:5f:4c:fe:56:  
bc:d4:84:2b:8a:c5:66:c2:ce:2e:80:26:3a:36:a1:  
9a:40:58:74:0b:3c:be:e5:17:cb:37:85:25:7a:f7:  
b3:e6:a5:4f:9e:de:2f:aa:83:b9:79:64:5f:d6:a8:  
73:97:f9:08:94:0f:b1:98:d7:f5:d6:32:00:04:8c:  
46:d5:cf:5c:73:72:c3:a3:03:22:ff:0c:30:f6:de:  
0e:2c:cd:b8:41:dd:af:1d:95
```

coefficient:

```
00:96:8a:e1:ab:75:15:4e:f4:42:cc:80:5b:85:b2:  
b2:78:27:85:9b:e5:6f:ae:a7:7c:b1:f7:82:d4:8e:  
61:ba:cb:9d:75:98:a3:a5:70:02:f0:84:1b:ec:8d:  
ca:31:d3:be:5f:7b:f2:d1:ca:b9:7e:f7:00:5e:b6:  
06:25:88:7a:ee:f7:e6:58:2d:88:7f:ad:d5:48:04:  
9e:74:21:70:f4:42:8f:2c:84:17:f3:cf:bc:64:5e:  
94:15:db:ec:ce:0b:90:cc:b3:6f:65:88:64:dc:6c:  
cc:50:2e:ee:27:f0:50:3e:7f:aa:bc:28:60:c2:ef:  
33:18:4e:9d:bc:ea:fd:e1:bb
```

- e. To view the contents of the public and private key we use the bash “cat” command:

```
cat alice_public_key.pem
```

```
-----BEGIN PUBLIC KEY-----  
MIIBIjANBgkqhkiG9w0BAQEFAAOCAQ8AMIIBCgKCAQEAl1dGXcqAR10v70givhS0zsZgVuAZP6/IsToErp+ILZ67giV2f01r5+QKkeAa  
mgrHKzhyuwq+k0QdvxE/Ie200Cs1t1aUJYF2Aw1z2qTgxJp1dmimuxbNWh5+D+oJNqL60k20S8KE0u0tTRTkAyowKJPK3pAn7R4DtWSW  
uh3o1pytJOvbJWhtUs86qIzYFzR3rVdTZkeWjYvsi3M4ggU3erWx8vvnvZbRelIocU+RUtS4Q37G0Li9JQVHTiMY5hTkO+0BEc+xqGWRK
```

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wO14Ffx1c5J6rZ1fdHQ79/qzxq4Woewu+fAV4uYXBxcoWtv085kEPjK2A+njEJJCZYRH/8AGYQIDAQAB  
-----END PUBLIC KEY-----
```

Similarly for Bob we have:

```
cat bob_public_key.pem
```

```
-----BEGIN PUBLIC KEY-----  
MIIBIjANBgkqhkiG9w0BAQEFAAOCAQ8AMIIBCgKCAQEAE8wK1m2cV6UvAFvhd6B+y9AvELsOF/3teyFvLtPoGL1St5v2yxiTkyxG501z  
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RuCL2qaaffbi2s9tRK3ZrGc5D8M6/O1dmUyB26IIZI80G6yQyCwPg2JHFqiEyRC8+83G+m8Du7Pz9FFKh08DuLX1AV4s+ujUDpSXXAnZq  
hVVPUX1Es7v30T3cQj0+Ffbo48YG+Ed+3V7L+EjFJl0agBZ2iWSC2I80Vf7S7DgOtYtjI6yPjQIDAQAB  
-----END PUBLIC KEY-----
```

So at the end of the first step, each of the communicating subjects has a pair of keys, public and password protected private key and the counter part public key (as described in the figure below as well). The public keys are now exchanged via email.



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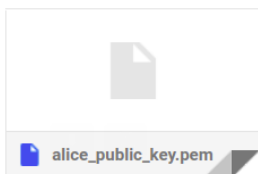
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Hi Bob,

Kindly find the attached public key.

Best regards
Alice

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Dear Alice,

Please find the public key attached herewith the email.

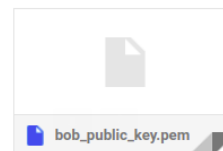
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```
openssl enc -aes-256-cbc -pbkdf2 -k passphrase.txt -P -md sha384  
  
salt=1C522614E5A95E08  
key=05E572E36325669247EC5A59C6368B49FDB3270F24A87CE2C59262F18721B18F  
iv =8D948654B542F218C77224ABBF2F8EE7
```

Each of them have the key, IV and passphrase for each communicating parties, and now will create their respective SA.key/SB.key files to be shared with each other. The files contained the following contents.

SA.key

```
Encryption algorithm=AES-256-CBC  
  
salt=6DC46002AADEA0B1  
key=4CAB24F0C3787F8BCEB62E057477AE54AF53B00B705F877A2AD0A4C8DACB2AE2  
iv =D737F2FA6448BDC39DD41FE9D96D4196  
  
Passphrase=Hi! I am Alice
```

SB.key

```
Encryption algorithm: AES-256-CBC  
  
salt=05CC7A860A438ABC  
key=5FD990D370E815AFEF47CC5452DFB610DA8C08D1DBFDF192019EC3EC8D962A50  
iv =069BAE5053B5B297A454600C53E78A9D  
  
Passphrase=Hi! I am Bob
```



```
(:T''x4'
      U'u}b 'N'/'8杏;''']('Q;'T''''
'8!E''''}'%'';1''''%'I'x':''3d~'h''''&'''+>Qh7'q''''%'QWh~''V]'' 8B'U''(M'4['8NC'/O''7t,9''''گج''
-'h0

'='V?'+

hJ''?'Z'A''(t'_''N'M'fZ({}e''''-'c'b'~''''<h*Wj%
```

Now, Alice encrypts the file SA.key using Bob’s Public Key (which was received earlier from mail):

```
openssl pkeyutl -encrypt -in sa.key -inkey bob_public_key.pem -out encrypted_sa.key -pubin
```

Ouput of encrypted_sa.key:

```
37
  ]i''L%'D''''?'?'Y?3'}Hj''P綠
''''T?'C'' .b.'N''F''v~{9'd''|'k'g''D'0'[Mfn''['/'''9q\'m''xW$8'J]'%.jE'Jfsic?'9''['s'D'Aç1/4'wq

'5aK'+''0'c
'Zyz'n'Q'Z''',''k0''vگ|' y%n''R''''Y''deE''''''%
```

These encrypted and signed files from each communicating parties are exchanged over emails.



Srivathsa L Rao

to me ▾

Hi bob,

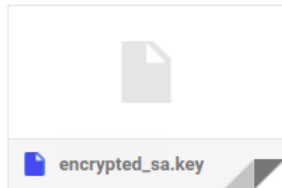
Please find the encrypted sa.key and sa_sign.

Best regards,

Alice

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Dear Alice,

Please find the attached files.

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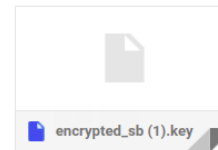
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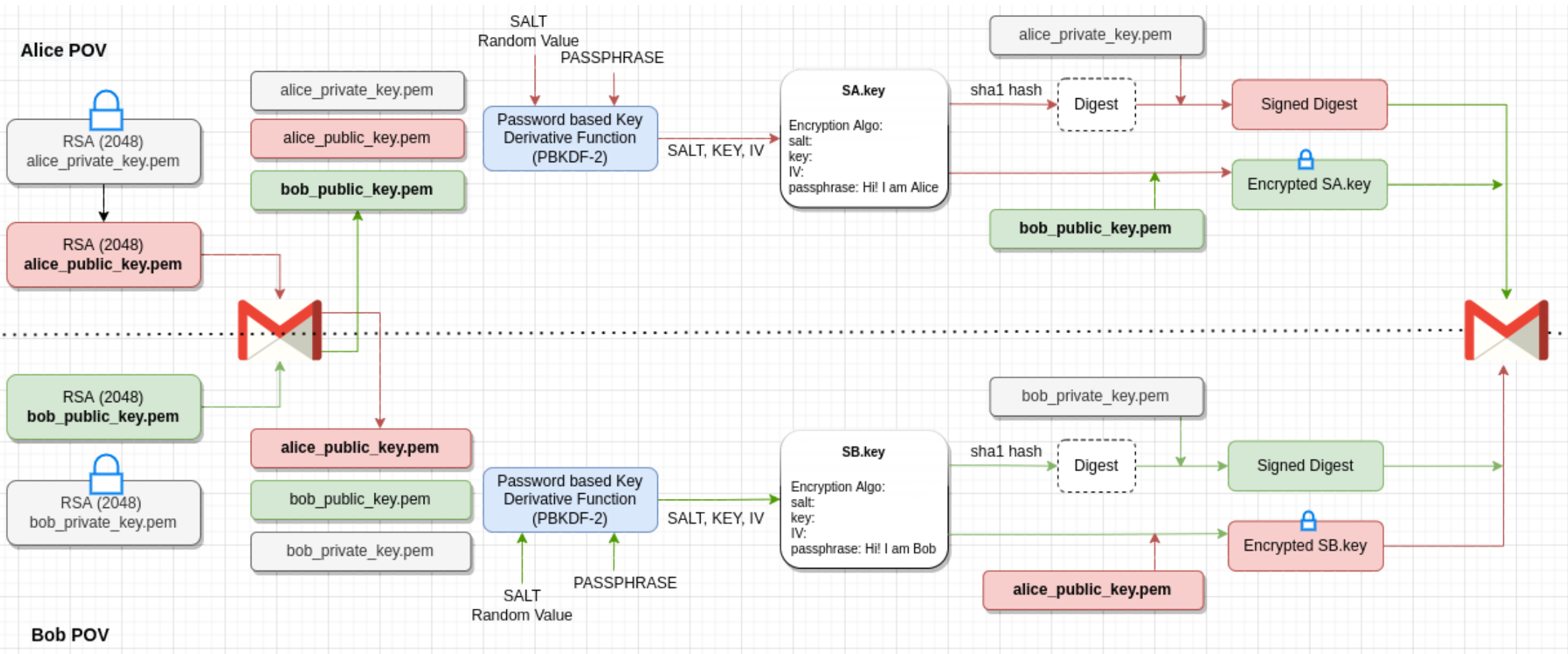
Alice_CS21MTECH12007

```
alice_private_key.pem, alice_public_key.pem, bob_public_key.pem, sa.key, sa_digest, sa_sign, encrypted_sa
```

Bob_CS21MTECH16001

```
bob_private_key.pem, bob_public_key.pem, alice_public_key.pem, sb.key, sb_digest, sb_sign, encrypted_sb
```

The complete steps till now can be visualized in the figure below:



After completing all these steps, each of them now has respective parameters for Symmetric Algorithm (AES-CBC-256) to encrypt and decrypt files and send over a communication channel securely.

Verification of SA.key/SB.key

Now each of them will conduct the verification of SA.key/SB.key on whether it has been tampered with or not and who is it sent by. For that, they will:

- a. Decrypt the SA/SB.key file using their own private key to get the actual SA/SB.key
- b. Generate the Digest from SA/SB.key file
- c. Verify the signed file containing digest with the digest generated using counterpart's public key.

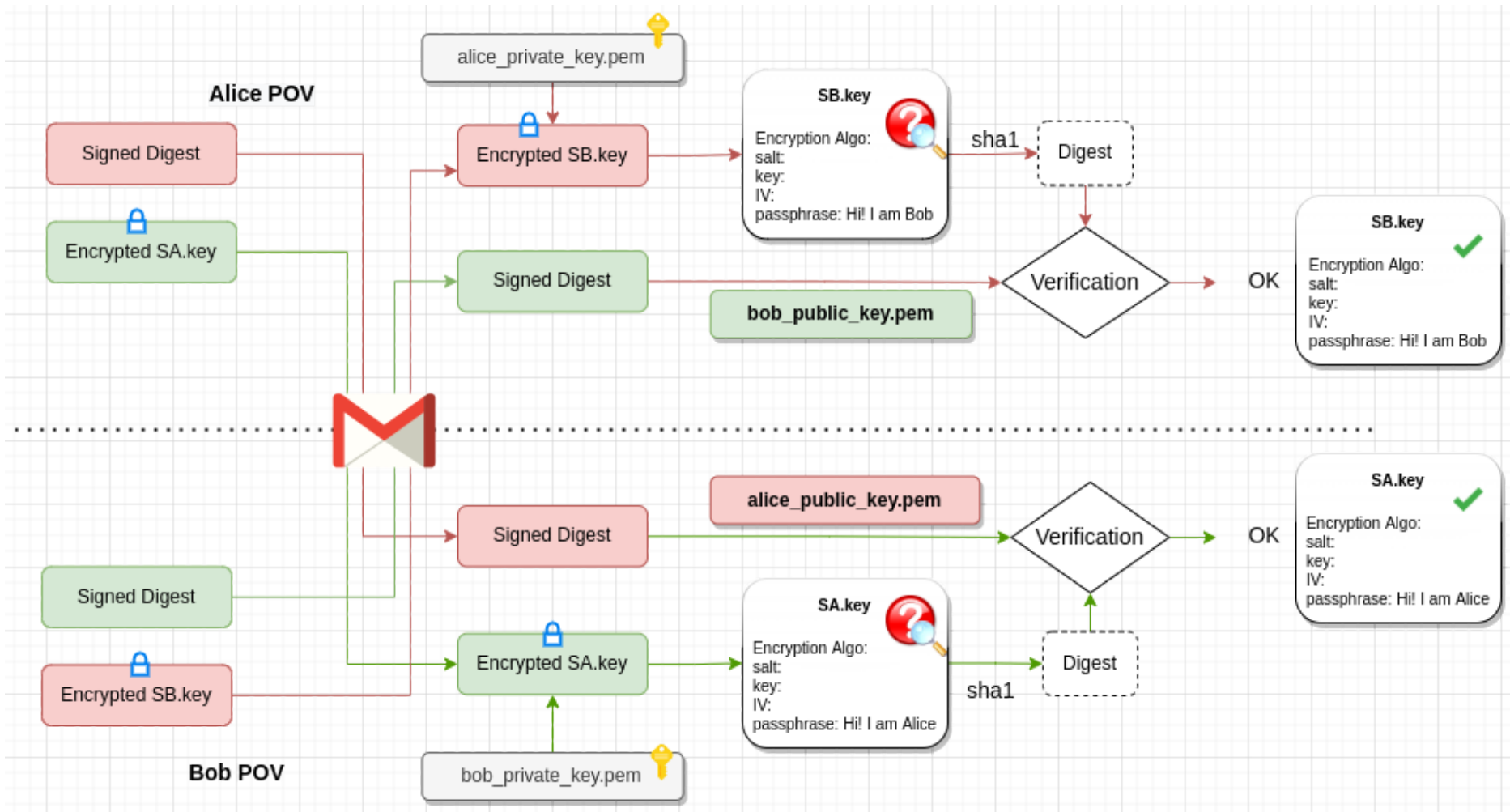
From Alice's point of view:

Decrypt the SA/SB.key file using their own private key to get the actual SA/SB.key

```
openssl pkeyutl -decrypt -in encrypted_sb.key -inkey alice_private_key.pem -out sb.key
```

Output: Contents of sb.key

```
Encryption algorithm: AES-256-CBC  
  
salt=05CC7A860A438ABC  
key=5FD990D370E815AFEF47CC5452DFB610DA8C08D1DBFDF192019EC3EC8D962A50  
iv =069BAE5053B5B297A454600C53E78A9D  
  
Passphrase=Hi! I am Bob
```

At this point, **Alice has verified SB.key and the public key of Bob.** Similarly, **Bob has verified SA.key and public key of Alice.** Now they can proceed to send files encrypting with corresponding SA/SB.key parameters using Symmetric Algorithms like AES in CBC mode.

These encrypted and signed files are now shared via the communication channel, mail.



Srivathsa L Rao

to me ▾

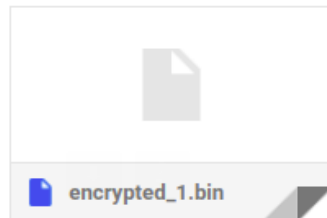
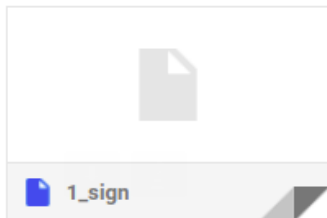
Hi Bob,

Kindly find the attached encrypted lecture file and signature.

Best Regards,
Alice

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Hi Alice,

Kindly find the attached encrypted lecture file and signature.

Best Regards,
Bob

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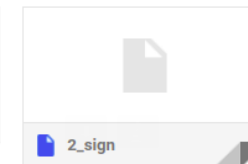
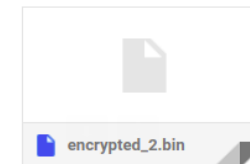
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DECRYPTION

Alice will be using SA.key to decrypt a PDF format file named: L3.pdf

Reference: Output of SA.key

```
Encryption algorithm=AES-256-CBC  
  
salt=6DC46002AADEA0B1  
key=4CAB24F0C3787F8BCEB62E057477AE54AF53B00B705F877A2AD0A4C8DACB2AE2  
iv =D737F2FA6448BDC39DD41FE9D96D4196  
  
Passphrase=Hi! I am Alice
```

Decryption

```
openssl aes-256-cbc -d -K 4CAB24F0C3787F8BCEB62E057477AE54AF53B00B705F877A2AD0A4C8DACB2AE2 -iv  
D737F2FA6448BDC39DD41FE9D96D4196 -in encrypted_L3.bin -out L3.pdf
```

Generating the digest

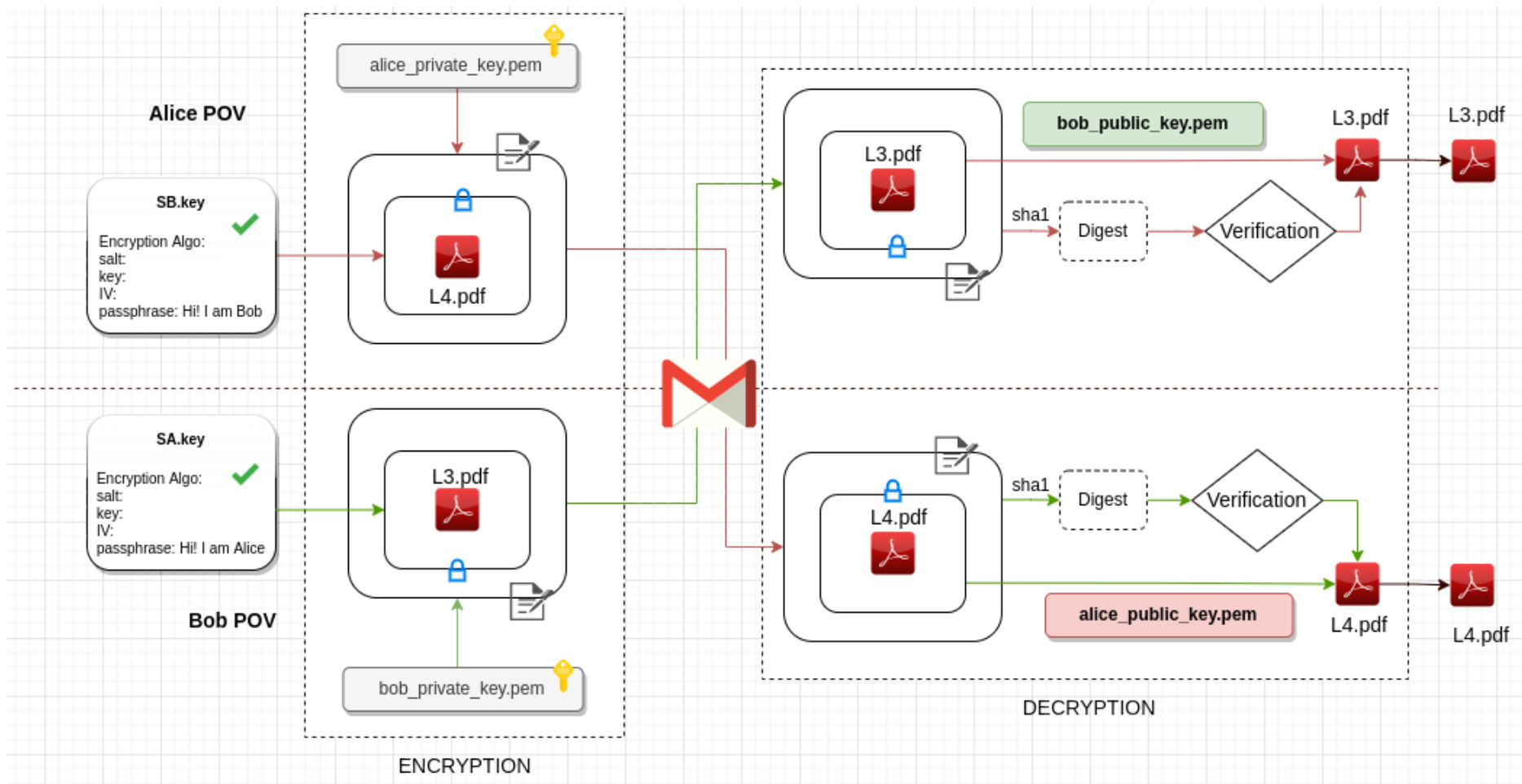
```
openssl dgst -sha1 -out L3_digest L3.pdf
```

Verifying the digest

```
openssl pkeyutl -verify -sigfile L3_sign -in L3_digest -inkey bob_public_key.pem -pubin
```

```
Signature Verified Successfully
```


The following figure shows the process of encryption and decryption of a large file between two parties after the SA/SB.key is verified.



The complete workflow for PART A can be found here: [PART A](#)

Part B: Alice (Browser), Bob (webserver), and Charlie (Root CA)

Charlie (one of the TAs of this course) generates a self-signed certificate named charlie-ca.pem or charlie-ca.crt as s/he is the root CA.

Alice (Kamal Shrestha), has received the self-signed certificate from Charlie (Root CA/ TA).

CA's certificate > Inbox x

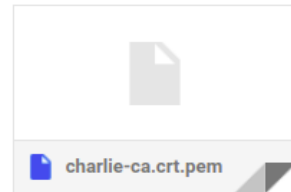


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Bob generates CSR named bob-browser.csr and emails it to Charlie for getting the end-user cert named bob-browser.crt. Note that CSR should contain all relevant details of Bob (Student B) like Country, Organization, CN/SAN/etc. Bob verifies bob-browser.crt is valid and signed by the root CA, Charlie.

Generating Certificate Signing Request

```
openssl req -newkey rsa:2048 -nodes -keyout bob_public_key.key -out bob.csr -config cacnfig.cnf -reqexts v3_req
```

Output: Contents of CSR

```
-----BEGIN CERTIFICATE REQUEST-----  
MIIDJDCCAkwCAQAwYIxCzAJBgNVBAYTAK1OMRIwEAYDVQQIDAlLYXJuYXRha2Ex  
EjAQBgNVBACMCUJhbmdhbG9yZTEUMBIGA1UECgwLSU1USCB0UyBzdGQxCzAJBgNV  
BAMMAktWMSgwJgYJKoZIhvcNAQkBFh1jczIxbXRlY2gxMjAwN0BpaXR0LmFjLm1u  
MIIBIjANBgkqhkiG9w0BAQEFAAOCAQ8AMIIBCgKCAQE7cuzhUBIRPPYWPUpGQFr  
wkP3wsx2bMnLTpjsJO9QWJy7R3CZbuZp2RQPn5rEbBBvI0c0IQaynIA8BdmeAMJ1  
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-----END CERTIFICATE REQUEST-----
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This CSR is now sent to the CA to get it certified and Bob will be receiving the certificate signed by CA.


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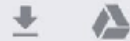
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Hello,
Our group number is #4 in the google sheets. I am Srivathsa and my teammate is Kamal. I have attached the csr. Kindly let us know about any changes.

Best Regards

Srivathsa L Rao

 bob.csr



 **Snigdha Snigdha** Yesterday
to me ▾


Kindly find the certificate.
Also share the email id of your teammate

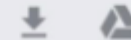
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 bob-browser.crt



Contents of the bob-browser.crt

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-----END CERTIFICATE-----
```

Screenshot of the bob-browser.crt

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KV
Identity: KV
Verified by: Root_CA
Expires: 3/2/32
▼ Details

Subject Name
C (Country): IN
ST (State): Karnataka
L (Locality): Bangalore
O (Organization): IITH NS std
CN (Common Name): KV
EMAIL (Email Address): cs21mtech12007@iith.ac.in

Issuer Name
C (Country): IN
ST (State): Telangana
L (Locality): Sangareddy
O (Organization): IITH
OU (Organizational Unit): CSE
CN (Common Name): Root_CA
EMAIL (Email Address): charlie@email.com

Issued Certificate
Version: 3
Serial Number: 6D 23 87 12 5A 29 1D 63 F0 07 AE 48 ED EB 4D 51 D0 BE 8B 6C
Not Valid Before: 2022-02-05
Not Valid After: 2032-02-03

Certificate Fingerprints
SHA1: 03 DA E0 35 03 80 25 72 B3 3B 8E 5C 0F 10 2C CC 6C 7D E0 BD
MD5: 67 7B DD 9E A1 86 2D 42 47 3F 1D C6 BD 95 EA 57

Public Key Info
Key Algorithm: RSA
Key Parameters: 05 00
Key Size: 2048
Key SHA1 Fingerprint: B3 B5 DF 65 85 68 F7 B9 AD 32 31 4D 50 E9 9F 50 5E DE 11 FE
Public Key: 30 82 01 0A 02 82 01 01 00 ED CB B3 85 40 48 44 F3 D8 58 F5 29 19 01 6B C2 43 F7 C2 CC 76 6C C9 CB 4E 98 EC 24 EF 50 58 9C BB 47 70 99 6E E6 69 D9 14 0F 9F 9A C4 6C 10 6F 23 47 0E 21
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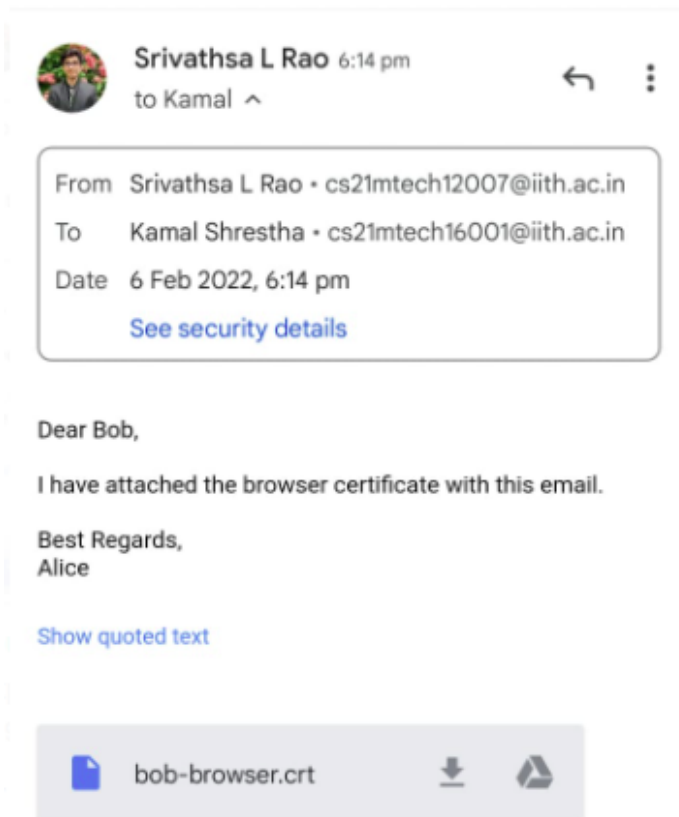
Extended Key Usage
Allowed Purposes: Server Authentication ↕
Client Authentication ↕
Code Signing ↕
Email Protection

Critical: No

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Alice (Student A) gets charlie-ca.crt over email from Charlie and bob-browser.crt over email from Bob and verify that Bob's certificate is valid and signed by the root CA, Charlie. Comment on whether Bob's cert is of type X.509 V3, what is the serial no assigned, and what are the key usages/constraints associated with the cert.

Alice (Kamal Shrestha) receives the certificate (bob-browser.crt) from Bob (Sri Vathsa L. Rao) and CA's Certificate from TA.



Srivathsa L Rao 6:14 pm
to Kamal ^




From Srivathsa L Rao · cs21mtech12007@iith.ac.in
To Kamal Shrestha · cs21mtech16001@iith.ac.in
Date 6 Feb 2022, 6:14 pm
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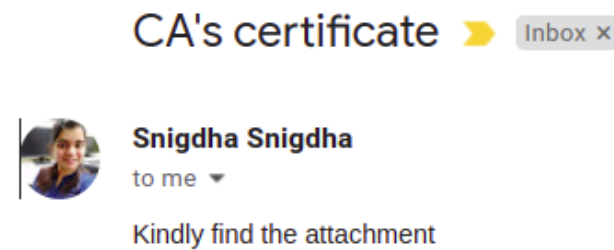
Dear Bob,


I have attached the browser certificate with this email.


Best Regards,
Alice

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 bob-browser.crt  

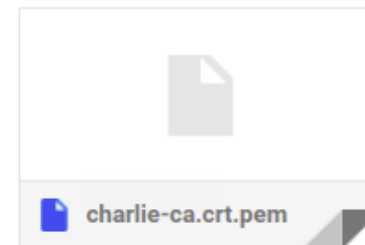




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 charlie-ca.crt.pem

Verification of Certificate

```
openssl x509 -verify -CAfile charlie-ca.crt.pem bob-browser.crt
```

Output:

```
bob-browser.crt: OK
```

Contents of bob-browser.crt

```
openssl x509 -text -noout -in bob-browser.crt
```

Output:

```
Certificate:
  Data:
    Version: 3 (0x2)
    Serial Number:
      6d:23:87:12:5a:29:1d:63:f0:07:ae:48:ed:eb:4d:51:d0:be:8b:6c
    Signature Algorithm: sha256WithRSAEncryption
    Issuer: C = IN, ST = Telangana, L = Sangareddy, O = IITH, OU = CSE, CN = Root_CA, emailAddress = charlie@email.com
    Validity
      Not Before: Feb  5 04:25:05 2022 GMT
      Not After  : Feb  3 04:25:05 2032 GMT
    Subject: C = IN, ST = Karnataka, L = Bangalore, O = IITH NS std, CN = KV, emailAddress = cs21mtech12007@iith.ac.in
    Subject Public Key Info:
      Public Key Algorithm: rsaEncryption
      RSA Public-Key: (2048 bit)
      Modulus:
        00:ed:cb:b3:85:40:48:44:f3:d8:58:f5:29:19:01:
        6b:c2:43:f7:c2:cc:76:6c:c9:cb:4e:98:ec:24:ef:
```



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50:58:9c:bb:47:70:99:6e:e6:69:d9:14:0f:9f:9a:
c4:6c:10:6f:23:47:0e:21:06:b2:9c:80:3c:05:d9:
9e:00:c2:75:68:b6:f8:24:71:ed:6c:94:59:3d:ec:
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48:40:97:a0:e6:30:30:38:04:f7:0c:cc:13:00:49:
05:57
```

Exponent: 65537 (0x10001)

X509v3 extensions:

X509v3 Extended Key Usage:

TLS Web Server Authentication, TLS Web Client Authentication, Code Signing, E-mail Protection

X509v3 Basic Constraints:

CA:FALSE

X509v3 Key Usage:

Digital Signature, Non Repudiation, Key Encipherment

Signature Algorithm: sha256WithRSAEncryption

```
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df:48:29:0e:26:64:cc:c5:d7:cf:f4:d5:84:e9:fc:f3:bb:8e:
a0:09:2c:1a:d7:df:0e:bf:79:19:1b:96:cd:c3:bf:66:9d:94:
09:f8:59:7c:99:aa:f4:09:7b:df:8f:67:bb:2e:bf:bd:e8:91:
a4:c8:ed:2c:16:b9:fb:0a:c3:42:a2:7d:74:51:ae:b8:52:8b:
12:df:fe:9d:63:62:96:6f:ca:34:9b:09:fd:14:f6:8c:80:63:
```

```
24:d1:5d:e8:42:b7:b1:3d:5e:d9:37:8b:f5:80:39:be:f1:8b:
88:e3:a8:28:51:82:7d:4c:54:fc:88:17:c9:90:83:62:3c:83:
a4:f3:39:7f:c4:81:00:99:c5:33:18:46:b3:fa:12:2f:f7:e1:
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16:45:1f:bc:84:0a:fa:00
```

As we can see from the above output, the version of Bob's certificate is:

```
Version: 3 (0x2)
```

assigned serial number is :

```
6d:23:87:12:5a:29:1d:63:f0:07:ae:48:ed:eb:4d:51:d0:be:8b:6c
```

and key usages and the constraints associated are:

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X509v3 extensions:
```

```
  X509v3 Extended Key Usage:
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```
    TLS Web Server Authentication, TLS Web Client Authentication, Code Signing, E-mail Protection
```

```
  X509v3 Basic Constraints:
```

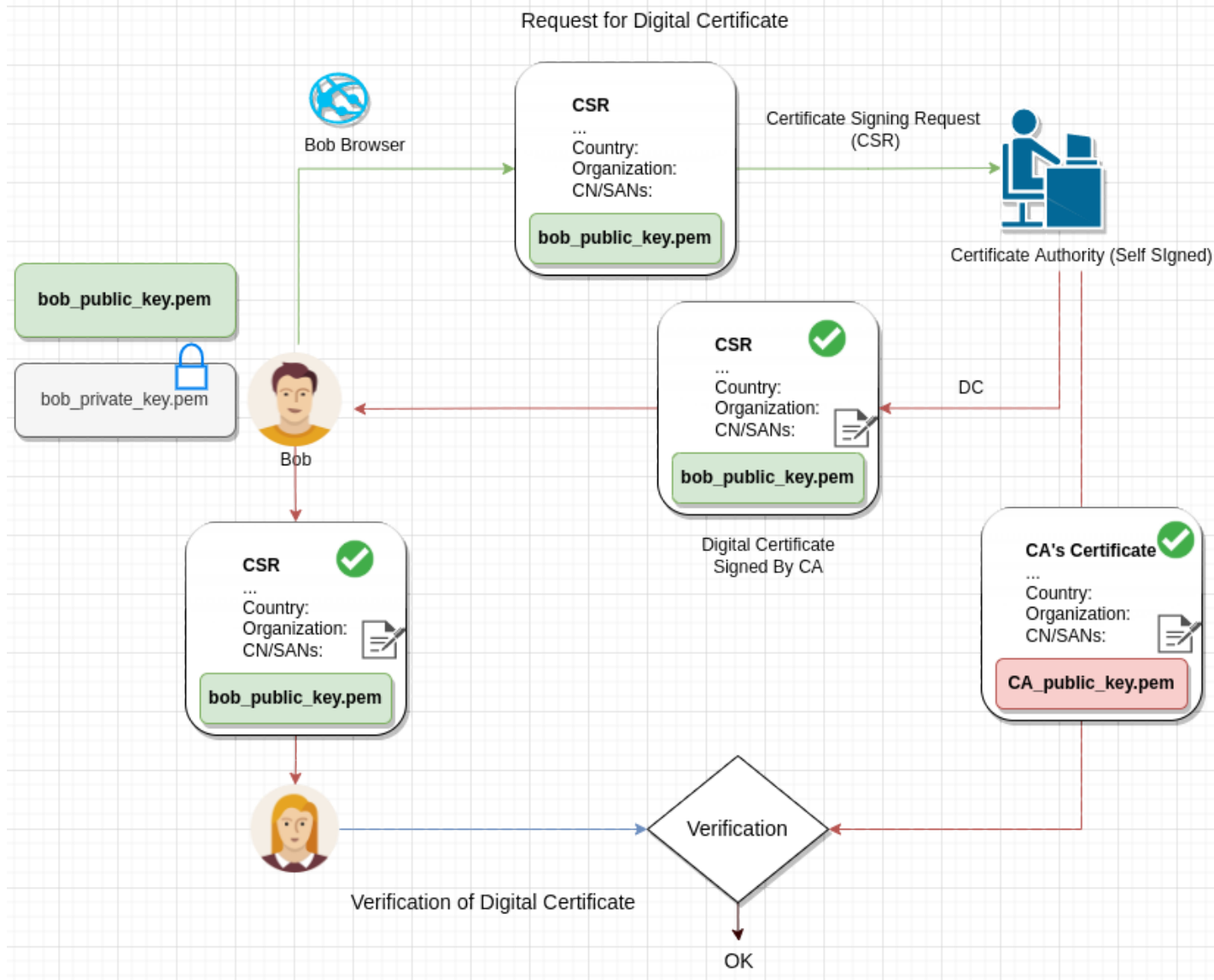
```
    CA:FALSE
```

```
  X509v3 Key Usage:
```

```
    Digital Signature, Non Repudiation, Key Encipherment
```

The entire process of requesting for a certificate and its verification is shown in the figure below:

The complete workflow for PART B can be found here: [PART B](#)



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