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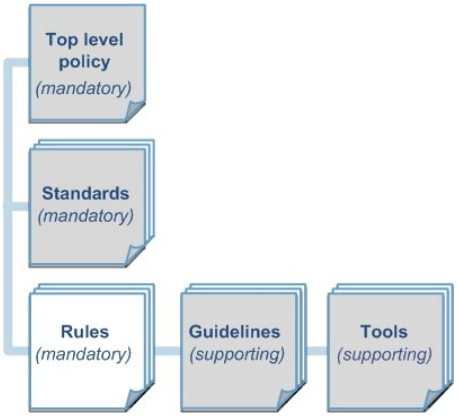

Summary

This document describes the requirements for all cases of encrypted communication, signed communication, use of PKI certificates, and use and management of encryption keys.
This document excludes requirements for when to use cryptography as those are described in other parts of the policy and those parts will refer to this document for the how-to.

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R01
Title	Cryptographic Key Generation, Random Bit Generator
Description	Use a known good entropy source to generate cryptographic keys, identifiers or random seeds. Known good entropy sources for an application combine several random sources. Known good sources are: - On Apple iOS use SecRandomCopyBytes - On Android use java.security.SecureRandom and must not be combined with setSeed(). - On Unix and Linux systems use /dev/random or /dev/urandom - On Windows use CryptGenRandom or RtlGenRandom - In .Net use System.Security.Cryptography.RNGCryptoServiceProvider - In Java use java.security.SecureRandom - In Perl use Math::Random::Secure - In PHP use openssl_random_pseudo_bytes or mcrypt_create_iv - In Python use os.urandom - In Ruby use SecureRandom Random bit generators must be compliant with one of the following standards: - [SP 800-90A] - [ANSI X9.62:2005, Annex D] The use of the following methods or entropy sources are forbidden: - EC_Dual_DRBG - Intel RDRAND
Relating document	NIST Special Publication 800-90A: Recommendation for Random Number Generation Using Deterministic Random Bit Generators

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R02
Title	Cryptographic Key Generation, Cryptographic Module
Description	For high-security services where the entropy source needs to be protected from tampering a cryptographic hardware module must be used. The Cryptography Module of the product used must be compliant with the FIPS-140-2 standard.
Relating document	FIPS PUB 140-2: Security Requirements for Cryptographic Modules

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R03
Title	Registration of Key Pair properties
Description	For each public/private key pair the following must be registered: - The owner - The intended use (infrastructure on which deployed) - Key length - Key Algorithm (including curve if Elliptic Curve is used) - Hash function - CA used for signing - Serial number (if applicable, like for certificates) Registration may be omitted when the certificates are ordered through the central certificate application process.
Relating document	N/A

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R04
Title	Key pair privacy
Description	The private part of the key pair should be generated on the device on which it will be used. To support this: - Certificate signing request must be submitted by CSR (Certificate Signing Request). - Alternatively key pairs must be generated locally by the key-pair owner or a delegated party within KPN.
Relating document	CSR: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Certificate_signing_request Requirement: KSP-FA05-RL07-R06 (Private Key transport and storage)

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R05
Title	Key Compromise
Description	Compromised keys must be regenerated and rekeyed, not updated. During generation the new key must be generated from a new set of data (no re-use of data used to generate the compromised key) to ensure its full independence from the compromised key. For PKI the CA must be informed of the compromise by means of the contract manager. Example keys involved are: • SSH private keys for hosts or users • Private keys associated to PKI, PGP and other types of certificates • Diffie-Hellman param files • Group keys • Key used for symmetric encryption of e.g. files, databases, file-systems or any other type of arbitrary data
Relating document	N/A

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R06
Title	Private key transport and storage
Description	Private keys are one of the foundations for the security of a service and its data. A private key must be protected during both transport and its storage: Storage: - The private key should be stored securely in an Hardware Security Module. - Keys stored on a file system must be protected with the most strict possible file system permissions. - It must be impossible to determine the use and value of the plaintext key. - Physical security steps must be taken to limit access to the key to authorized personnel. Any form of physical security in addition to building access, that allows verification of access (see point below) will do. - If a stored key is accessed this must be verifiable/detectable. Transport: Before transporting a private key between systems the private key must be encrypted and use message integrity rules to provide tamper resistance. For key encryption and integrity the following rules are mandatory requirements: • KSP-FA05-RL07-R14 (Encryption Algorithms) • KSP-FA05-RL07-R18 (Hash Algorithms) • KSP-FA05-RL01-R01 (Password length) – for static passwords • KSP-FA05-RL01-R02 (Password complexity) In addition: • The transport method must be encrypted itself, e.g. use SSH, HTTPS or FTPS. • Use HMAC or Digital Signatures to authenticate the receiver of a private key when the sender and receiver are different entities.
Relating document	Requirements: KSP-FA05-RL07-R14 (Encryption Algorithms) KSP-FA05-RL07-R15 (Digital Signatures Algorithms) KSP-FA05-RL07-R18 (Hash Algorithms) KSP-FA05-RL07-R19 (HMAC)

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R07
Title	Public Key Exchange
Description	To authenticate a service, host, machine or user a public key must be exchanged to the peer using a key exchange method listed in KSP-FA05-TL02 document. Proper key exchange methods prevent identity spoofing by enabling the peer to verify the authenticity of the public key and challenge the ownership of the private key.
Relating document	Key exchange mechanisms (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Key_exchange) KSP-FA05-TL02 - Cryptographic algorithms and cipher suites

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R08
Title	Certificate Authority
Description	Public Key Infrastructure builds trust relationships using trusted third parties, the Certificate Authorities. All used Certificate Authorities: - Must comply with the European Telecommunications Standards Institute (ETSI) standard "ETSI TS 101 456". - Are FIPS 140-2 level 3 compliant or better. - Have a published CPS (Certification Practice Statement), this also means that our use of the certificate must follow the CPS.
Relating document	ETSI: http://www.etsi.org/deliver/etsi_ts/101400_101499/101456/01.04.03_60/ts_101456v010403p.pdf FIPS: http://csrc.nist.gov/publications/fips/fips140-2/fips1402.pdf

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R09
Title	Certificates
Description	Certificates identify hosts, services, users, etc. and must comply with: - RFC5280, in particular path validation and revocation checks; - Domain validation when used for identification.
Relating document	RFC 5280: Internet X.509 Public Key Infrastructure Certificate and Certificate Revocation List (CRL) Profile Requirement: KSP-FA05-RL07-R08 (Certificate Authority)

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R10
Title	Use of certificates
Description	The certificate and the applications in which they are used must support the relevant RFC extensions describing use of certificates in combination with application or transport protocols. For instance RFC2818 to bind the identity of a peer to a session.
Relating document	Some much used examples include: RFC 2818: HTTP Over TLS RFC 2595: Using TLS with IMAP, POP3 and ACAP

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R11
Title	Binding Certificates
Description	Each certificate must be bound to use for an as small as possible set of identities, example one host, virtual machine, one service, person or department. An SSL off-loader or load-balancer MAY hold the certificate and private key to serve/off-load the SSL sessions for one cluster of nodes serving the same service.
Relating document	N/A

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R12
Title	Wildcard Certificates
Description	Wildcard certificates must be scoped as possible to specific subdomains and are not allowed to be effective for the first subdomain. This is to limit the impact of a compromise. (example: *.webmail.cm.kpn.com is better than *.cm.kpn.com for consumer market webmail servers and *.kpn.com is never allowed). To limit impact in case of compromise the use of wildcard certificate is: - limited to a single service-type and purpose, i.e. exclusively for mail servers or another specific service-type; - must be scoped to the most specific subdomain possible, i.e. *.webmail.cm.kpn.com is better than *.cm.kpn.com for the consumer market webmail servers; - not allowed to be used for the first subdomain, i.e. it is not allowed to be used as *.kpn.com or *.kpn.net. Possible exception: if the first subdomain is limited to a single service-type and purpose. Example: *.kpnxchange.com as a mail-cluster environment.
Relating document	http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wildcard_certificate Requirement: KSP-FA05-RL07-R04 (Key pair privacy)

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R13
Title	Lifetimes for keys
Description	Keys used must have a maximum lifetime of 36 months. Examples of keys are: - Keys belonging to certificates - Diffie-Hellman keys - Static passwords - pre-shared keys (PSK) - master keys - SSH keys for systems and administrators - PGP keys Exception to this is the key pairs used by a Certificate Authority.
Relating document	Baseline Requirements for the Issuance and Management of Publicly-Trusted Certificates

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R14
Title	Encryption Algorithms
Description	One of the following encryption primitives must be used for encryption and decryption: - AES-256, AES-192 and AES-128 - XSalsa20/20 - Salsa20/20, Salsa20/12 and Salsa20/8 For AES use known good AES-modes only: - GCM - CCM - CTR - XTS The following encryption primitives should not be used. Use only for legacy support or explicit compatibility requirements: - AES-256-CBC, AES-192-CBC and AES-128-CBC - Three-key Triple DES All not explicitly mentioned encryption algorithms are not allowed. Example are: - RC4 - All EXPORT ciphers - All encryption algorithms resulting in less than 112 security bits The use of a random nonce or initialisation vector (IV) is mandatory with each of these encryption algorithms. To generate a good nonce or IV use a good random bit generator.
Relating document	NIST Special Publication 800-131A: Transitions: Recommendation for Transitioning the Use of Cryptographic Algorithms and Key Lengths KSP-FA05-TL02 - Cryptographic algorithms and cipher suites Requirement: KSP-FA05-RL07-R01 (Cryptographic Key Generation, Random Bit Generator)

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R15
Title	Digital Signatures Algorithms
Description	One of the following digital signature algorithms must be used: - ECDSA - RSA - DSA These algorithms can be used in authentication fazes or integrity checks.
Relating document	NIST Special Publication 800-131A: Transitions: Recommendation for Transitioning the Use of Cryptographic Algorithms and Key Lengths KSP-FA05-TL02 - Cryptographic algorithms and cipher suites Requirement: KSP-FA05-RL07-R27 (Choosing safe curves for elliptic curve cryptography)

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R16
Title	Digital Signature Generation and Verification
Description	Digital signatures must have at least 112 bits of security strength. This means: - For EC: key length ≥ 224 - For RSA: key length ≥ 2048 - For DSA: key length ≥ 2048 and hash length ≥ 224
Relating document	NIST Special Publication 800-131A: Transitions: Recommendation for Transitioning the Use of Cryptographic Algorithms and Key Lengths KSP-FA05-TL02 - Cryptographic algorithms and cipher suites

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R17
Title	Key Agreement
Description	For Key agreement one of the following must be used: - DH (Diffie-Hellman) - MQV (Menezes-Qu-Vanstone) - For both key length = 2048 and hash length is 224 or 256
Relating document	NIST Special Publication 800-131A: Transitions: Recommendation for Transitioning the Use of Cryptographic Algorithms and Key Lengths KSP-FA05-TL02 - Cryptographic algorithms and cipher suites

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R18
Title	Hash Algorithms
Description	One of the following hash algorithms must be used: - SHA-2: SHA-512, SHA-384, SHA-256 or better - SHA-3 - WHIRLPOOL-T - HAVAL, using >= 160 bit with 3 rounds The following hash algorithms should not be used. Use only for legacy support or explicit compatibility requirements: - SHA-1: for Non-digital signature generation applications only, not for Digital signature verification nor Digital signature generation after 2013 - SHA-224: for Non-digital signature generation applications only, not for Digital signature verification nor Digital signature generation after 2014 The following hash algorithms must not be used: - SHA-0 - HAVAL, using 128 bit with 3 rounds - RIPEMD - MD5 - MD4 - MD2 Exception: the use of MS-CHAPv2 is allowed.
Relating document	NIST Special Publication 800-131A: Transitions: Recommendation for Transitioning the Use of Cryptographic Algorithms and Key Lengths KSP-FA05-TL02 - Cryptographic algorithms and cipher suites

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R19
Title	HMAC
Description	HMAC is a keyed-hash message authentication code and must use: - A hash algorithm as defined in KSP-FA05-RL07-R18 - A key with a length ≥ 112 bits - The key should be generated using a known good random bit generator
Relating document	http://csrc.nist.gov/publications/nistpubs/800-107-rev1/sp800-107-rev1.pdf Requirements: KSP-FA05-RL07-R01 (Cryptographic Key Generation, Random Bit Generator) KSP-FA05-RL07-R18 (Hash Algorithms)

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R20
Title	Salt use
Description	The length of the randomly-generated portion of the salt must be at least 128 bits. The salt must be generated using a known good random bit generator. Example uses for a salt: • KSP-FA05-RL01-R11 (Password storage) • KSP-FA05-RL07-R14 (Encryption Algorithms) • KSP-FA05-RL07-R28 (Password hashing) • KSP-FA05-RL07-R29 (Key stretching algorithms)
Relating document	Requirement: KSP-FA05-RL07-R01 (Cryptographic Key Generation, Random Bit Generator)

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R21
Title	Mixed Content
Description	To ensure the proper level of trust with a recipient content must not mix encrypted and unencrypted content. This includes encrypted web pages.
Relating document	Mozilla Developer Network: Mixed Content

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R22
Title	Maximum token lifetime
Description	Authentication tickets/tokens, e.g. Kerberos, AFS and Windows logon, must have a maximum lifetime of 6 hours. During their period of validity tokens may be refreshed automatically.
Relating document	N/A

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R23
Title	Application data encryption
Description	For encryption of transported application data applications: • TLSv1.2 must be enabled and selected by the server as the preferred TLS version. • TLSv1.1 may also be enabled and selected by the server when TLSv1.2 is not supported as the preferred TLS version yet. The solution must be software updatable to support TLSv1.2. • TLSv1.1 and TLSv1.0 may be enabled and selected by the server for compatibility with legacy systems purposes. • SSLv2 and SSLv3 are not allowed to be enabled nor offered during an SSL handshake. Downgrade attacks must be prevented.
Relating document	http://tools.ietf.org/html/rfc5246 KSP-FA05-TL02 - Cryptographic algorithms and cipher suites

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R24
Title	Use Perfect Forward Secrecy
Description	Perfect Forward Secrecy must be used when setting up encrypted connections with any of the following protocols: - IPSEC (Internet Protocol Security) - SSH (Secure Shell) - TLS (Transport Layer Security for web traffic) - OTR (Off-The-Record messaging for instant messaging) Non-perfect forward secrecy protocols are allowed for legacy support and compatibility only. TLS cipher suite configuration should explicitly prefer ECDHE and DHE/EDH cipher suites above other cipher suites.
Relating document	http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Forward_secrecy KSP-FA05-TL02 - Cryptographic algorithms and cipher suites

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R25
Title	Use of multi-domain certificates
Description	Certificates must be scoped to only one application. The application may use multiple FQDNs (Fully Qualified Domain Names) to be identified. The FQDNs must share the same domain name. Example: • "www.kpn.com" and "kpn.com" can be combined • "www.kpn.com" and "kpninternational.com" cannot be combined • "reporting.kpn.com" and "www.kpn.com" and "kpn.com" may be combined in one certificate when the "reporting" hostname is explicitly part of the overall application.
Relating document	N/A

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R26
Title	Use of untrusted certificates
Description	The use of untrusted certificates is not allowed. Untrusted certificates are: - Self-signed certificates, i.e. certificates which have self-vetted and self-validated their own information and key material by signing itself. - Certificates signed by an untrusted, unknown or vendor supplied CA, i.e. certificates which have not been vetted and validated by an open or known process. - Certificates using key material not generated nor controlled by KPN.
Relating document	Requirements: KSP-FA05-RL07-R09 (Certificates) KSP-FA05-RL07-R10 (Use of certificates) KSP-FA05-RL07-R11 (Binding Certificates)

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R27
Title	Choosing safe curves for elliptic curve cryptography
Description	The use of safe elliptic curves is mandatory. Specific elliptic curves are safe after having passed (cryptographic) peer review. A known good source for information is: http://safecurves.cr.yp.to/ Exception: If no safe curves are supported, the following elliptic curves are acceptable for usage: - P-256 - P-384
Relating document	KSP-FA05-TL02 - Cryptographic algorithms and cipher suites

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R28
Title	Password hashing
Description	Passwords must be hashed and stored using known good salted password hashing methods. Known good methods: • Use a good random salt, see KSP-FA05-RL07-R20 • Use a known good hash algorithm, see KSP-FA05-RL07-R18 • Use a random salt per password • In client/server scenarios, like web applications, always hash on the server side • To make cracking harder use key stretching to protect the passwords Exception for high-volume environments where key stretching is not applicable for performance reasons: use HMAC to protect the passwords with a key per password stored securely in an HSM solution.
Relating document	Requirements: KSP-FA05-RL07-R18 (Hash Algorithms) KSP-FA05-RL07-R19 (HMAC) KSP-FA05-RL07-R20 (Salt use) KSP-FA05-RL07-R29 (Key stretching algorithms)

ID	KSP-FA05-RL07-R29
Title	Key stretching algorithms

Description	Apply known good key-stretching algorithms:
	• PBKDF2, when FIPS certification or enterprise support on many platforms is required.
	  ○ On mobile devices
	  ▪ Minimum: 5.000 rounds
	  ▪ Norm: 10.000 rounds
	  ○ On servers:
	  ▪ Minimum: 50.000 rounds
	  ▪ Norm: 100.000 rounds
	• Scrypt, where resisting any/all hardware accelerated attacks is necessary but support isn't.
	  ○ On mobile devices
	  ▪ Norm: N = 2^14, r = 8, p = 1
	  ○ On servers
	  ▪ Norm: N = 2^20,r = 8, p = 1
	• Bcrypt, where PBKDF2 or scrypt support is not available
	  ○ On mobile devices
	  ▪ Norm: cost = 11
	  ○ On servers
	  ▪ Norm: cost = 16

Relating document	N/A