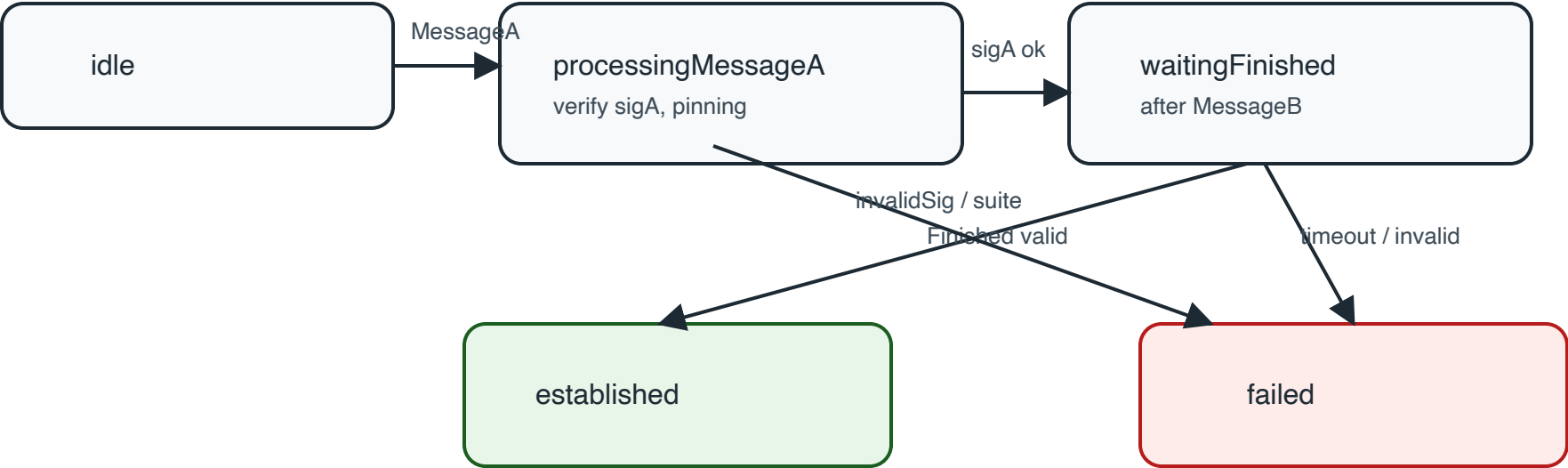


# Responder State Machine (Policy-Aware)



## Policy Gates on Failure Edges

strictPQC: suiteNotSupported / pqcUnavailable ⇒ fail (no classic fallback)  
default: allowed fallback only for explicit whitelist errors  
All failure edges emit SecurityEvent.handshakeFailed