



Deep Dive - IBM MQ Latest Security Features

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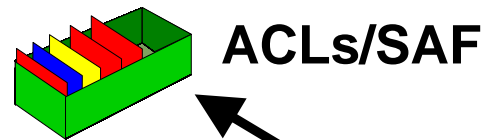
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- Channel Authentication with Hostnames
- MQ Enhancements for Digital Certificates
- Connection Authentication Enhancements

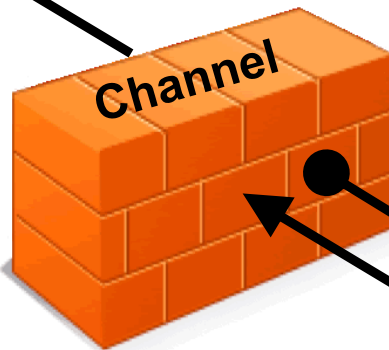
Channel Authentication – V7.1 feature review

- Set rules to control how inbound connections are treated
 - Inbound Clients
 - Inbound QMgr to QMgr channels
 - Other rogue connections causing FDCs
- Rules can be set to
 - Allow a connection
 - Allow a connection and assign an MCAUSER
 - Block a connection
 - Ban privileged access
 - Provide multiple positive or negative SSL Peer Name matching
- Rules can use any of the following identifying characteristics of the inbound connection
 - IP Address
 - SSL/TLS Subject's Distinguished Name
 - Client asserted user ID
 - Remote queue manager name
 - **And with MQv8..... hostname**

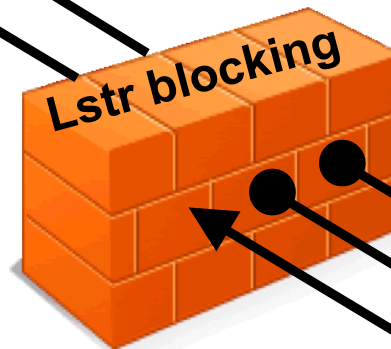
Channel Access Blocking Points



ACLs/SAF



Channel



Lstr blocking



IP Firewall

- Listener Blocking
 - NOT A REPLACEMENT FOR AN IP FIREWALL!!
 - Blocked before any data read from the socket
 - Simplistic avoidance of DoS attack
 - Really the place of the IP firewall
 - Network Pingers if blocked don't raise an alert

- Channel Blocking/Mapping
 - Rules to block channels
 - Rules to map channels to MCAUSER
 - Rules to allow channels as they are
 - Runs before security exit
 - Final check for user ID before allowing through
 - After Security Exit has run and final MCAUSER is assigned
 - Ban privileged users with '*MQADMIN'

Channel Authentication Rules using IP Addresses

- Initial Listener blocking list
 - Should be used sparingly
 - List of IP addresses/range/pattern
 - Not replacing IP firewall
- Channel based *blocking* of IP addresses
 - Single IP address/range/pattern
- Channel *allowed in*, based on IP addresses
 - Single IP address/range/pattern
- Further qualified rule including IP address on another rule type
 - Works with SSLPEER, QMNAME and CLNTUSER

```
SET CHLAUTH('*') TYPE(BLOCKADDR)  
ADDRLIST('9.20.*', '192.168.2.10')
```

```
SET CHLAUTH('APPL1.*')  
TYPE(ADDRESSMAP)  
ADDRESS('9.20.*') USERSRC(NOACCESS)
```

```
SET CHLAUTH('*.SVRCONN')  
TYPE(ADDRESSMAP)  
ADDRESS('9.20-21.*') MCAUSER(HUSER)
```

```
SET CHLAUTH('*') TYPE(SSLPEERMAP)  
SSLPEER('CN="Mitch Johnson"')  
ADDRESS('9.20.*') MCAUSER(MITCHJ)
```

Channel Authentication Rules using Hostnames (new in V8)

- Initial Listener blocking list
 - Hostnames not allowed
- Channel based blocking of Hostnames
 - Single IP address/range/pattern or hostname/pattern
- Channel allowed in, based on Hostnames
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ADDRLIST()~~

SET CHLAUTH('APPL1.*')
TYPE(ADDRESSMAP)
ADDRESS('*.isis.org')
USERSRC(NOACCESS)

SET CHLAUTH('*.SVRCONN')
TYPE(ADDRESSMAP)
ADDRESS('mach123.ibm.com') MCAUSER(HUSER)

SET CHLAUTH('*') TYPE(SSLPEERMAP)
SSLPEER('CN="Joe User"')
ADDRESS('s*.ibm.*') MCAUSER(JUSER)

Precedence Order

DISPLAY CHLAUTH(APPL1.*)

returns ==>

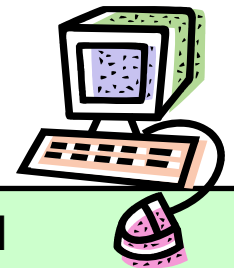
**CHLAUTH(APPL1.*)
TYPE(SSLPEERMAP)
SSLPEER('O="IBM UK"') MCAUSER(UKUSER)**

**CHLAUTH(APPL1.*)
TYPE(USERMAP)
CLNTUSER('mhughson') MCAUSER(HUGHSON)**

**CHLAUTH(APPL1.*)
TYPE(ADDRESSMAP)
ADDRESS('9.180.165.163') MCAUSER(MORAG)**

**CHLAUTH(APPL1.*)
TYPE(ADDRESSMAP)
ADDRESS('*.ibm.com') MCAUSER(IBMUSER)**

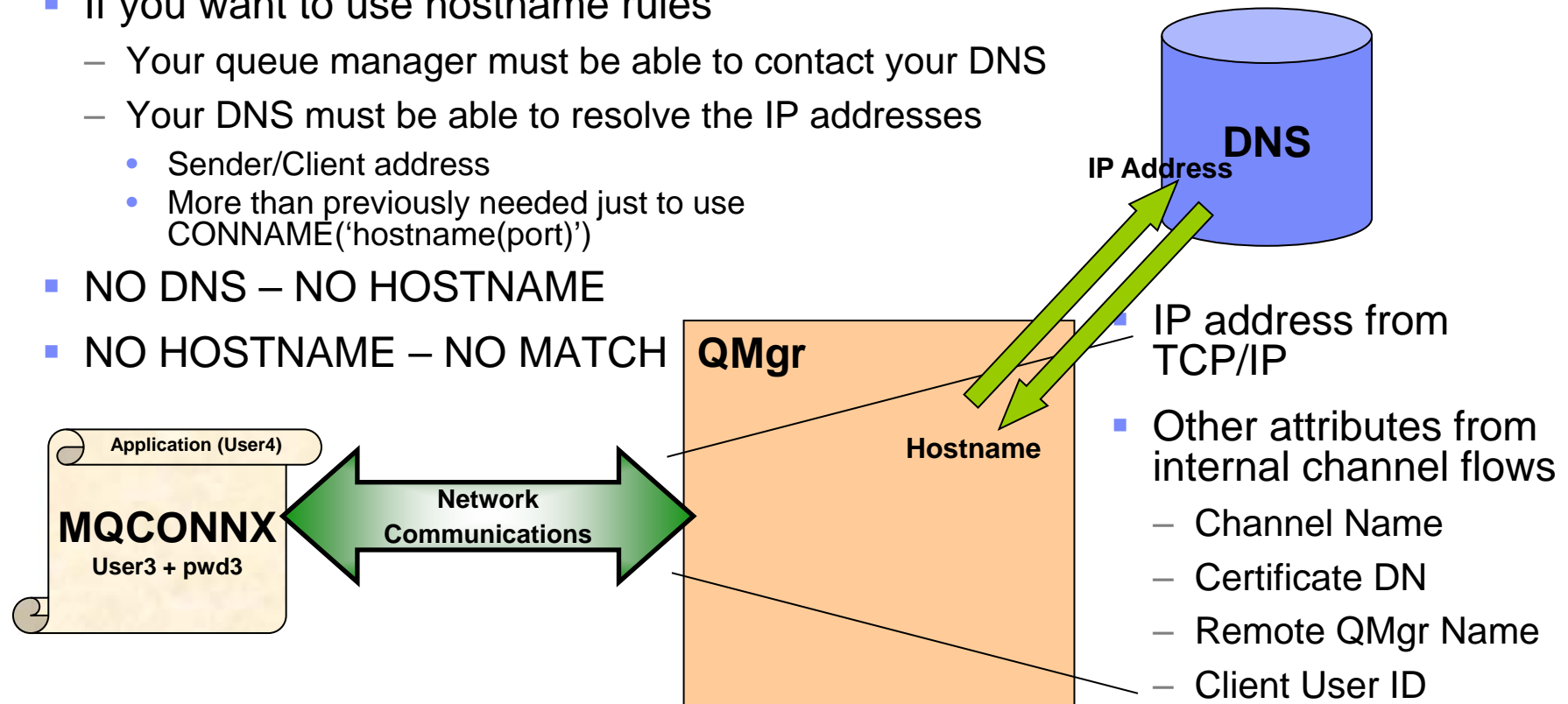
Order	Identity mechanism	Notes
0	Channel Name	
1	SSL Distinguished Name	
2=	Client asserted User ID	Clearly several different user IDs can be running on the same IP address.
2=	Queue Manager Name	Clearly several different queue managers can be running on the same IP address
4	IP address	
5	Hostname	One IP address can have multiple hostnames



**ChI: APPL1.SVRCONN
DN: CN=M Hughson.O=IBM UK
UID: mhughson
IP: 9.180.165.163**

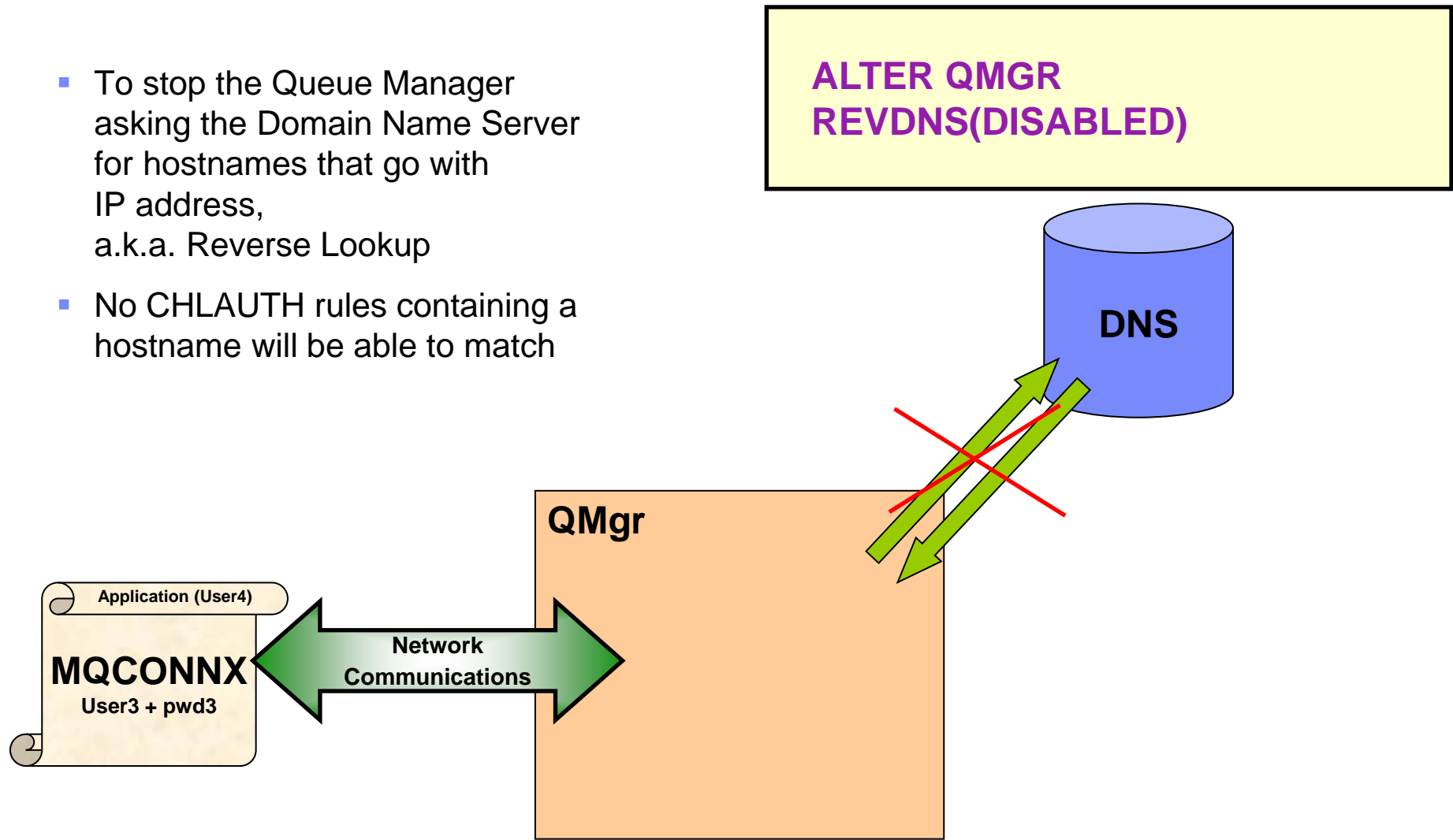
Obtaining a hostname

- Hostname is not 'sent' from the other end of the channel
- IP address is obtained from TCP/IP socket
- We must ask the Domain Name Server what the hostname is, a.k.a. Reverse Lookup
- If you want to use hostname rules
 - Your queue manager must be able to contact your DNS
 - Your DNS must be able to resolve the IP addresses
 - Sender/Client address
 - More than previously needed just to use CONNAME('hostname(port)')
- NO DNS – NO HOSTNAME
- NO HOSTNAME – NO MATCH



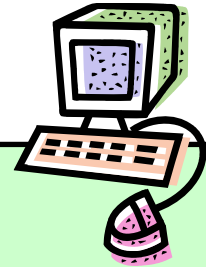
Avoiding obtaining a hostname

- To stop the Queue Manager asking the Domain Name Server for hostnames that go with IP address, a.k.a. Reverse Lookup
- No CHLAUTH rules containing a hostname will be able to match



Diagnosing hostname look-up failures

- WebSphere MQ V7.1



AMQ9777: Channel was blocked

EXPLANATION:

The inbound channel 'SYSTEM.DEF.SVRCONN' was blocked from address '**9.180.165.163**' because the active values of the channel matched a record configured with USERSRC(NOACCESS). The active values of the channel were 'CLNTUSER(hughson)'.

- WebSphere MQ V8

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Using MATCH(RUNCHECK) with hostnames

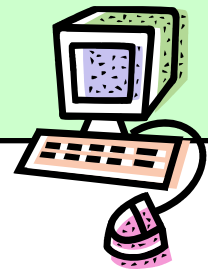
```
DISPLAY CHLAUTH(SYSTEM.ADMIN.SVRCONN) MATCH(RUNCHECK)
        SSLPEER('CN="Morag Hughson", O="IBM UK"')
        CLNTUSER('mhughson') ADDRESS('9.180.165.163')
```

returns ==>

```
CHLAUTH(SYSTEM.ADMIN.SVRCONN)
TYPE(ADDRESSMAP)
ADDRESS('*.ibm.com') MCAUSER(HUGHSON)
```

- Just as before, MATCH(RUNCHECK) mandates an IP address is provided
- Then the queue manager will employ DNS to find the hostname
- MATCH(RUNCHECK) thus also tests whether your DNS is correctly set up.

```
ChI: SYSTEM.ADMIN.SVRCONN
DN: CN=Morag Hughson.O=IBM UK
UID: mhughson
IP: 9.180.165.163
```

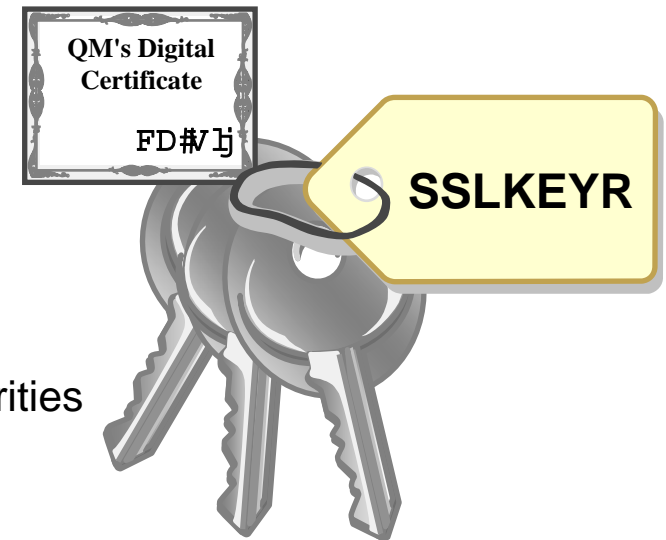


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Key Repository (nothing new here!)

- Contains Entity's own Digital Certificate
 - z/OS Queue Manager
 - ibmWebSphereMQ<QMgr Name> (mixed case) label
 - Distributed Queue Manager
 - ibmwebsphermq<qmgr name> (lower case) label
 - Client
 - ibmwebsphermq<logon userid> (lower case) label
 - Digital Certificates from various Certification Authorities
- On z/OS Queue Managers
 - Keyring name
- On Unix®, Windows®, iSeries® QMgrs
 - Key database path
- Clients: mqclient.ini file
 - SSL Stanza – SSLKeyRepository
- MQCONN (MQSCO structure)
 - SSLKeyRepository
- Environment variable
 - export MQSSLKEYR=/var/mqm/ssl/key



ALTER QMGR SSLKEYR(CSQ1RING) (z/OS)

ALTER QMGR
SSLKEYR('/var/mqm/qmgrs/QM1/ssl/key') (Distrib)

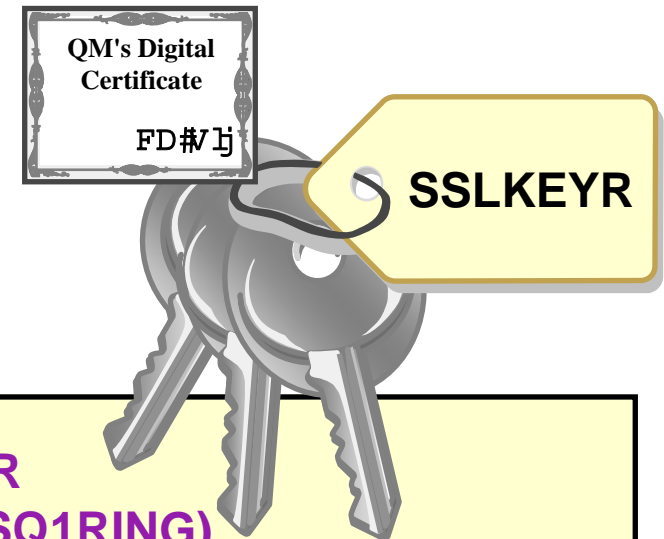
mqclient.ini (MQ Client)
SSL:
SSLKeyRepository=C:\key

Single Queue Manager Certificate

- Name Queue Manager Certificate
 - Using CERTLABL attribute
- Name Client Certificate
 - mqclient.ini file SSL Stanza
 - CertificateLabel
 - MQCONNX (MQSCO structure)
 - CertificateLabel
- Environment variable
 - export MQCERTLABL=MyCert

```
MQCNO cno    = {MQCNO_DEFAULT};
MQSCO sco    = {MQSCO_DEFAULT};

cno.Version = MQCNO_VERSION_4;
sco.Version = MQSCO_VERSION_5;
memcpy(sco.KeyRepository, ... );
memcpy(sco.CertificateLabel,...);
cno.SSLConfigPtr = &sco;
MQCONNX( QMName,
         &cno,
         &hConn,
         &CompCode,
         &Reason );
```



**ALTER QMGR
SSLKEYR(CSQ1RING)
CERTLABL('CSQ1Certificate')
CERTQSG('SharedCert')** (z/OS)

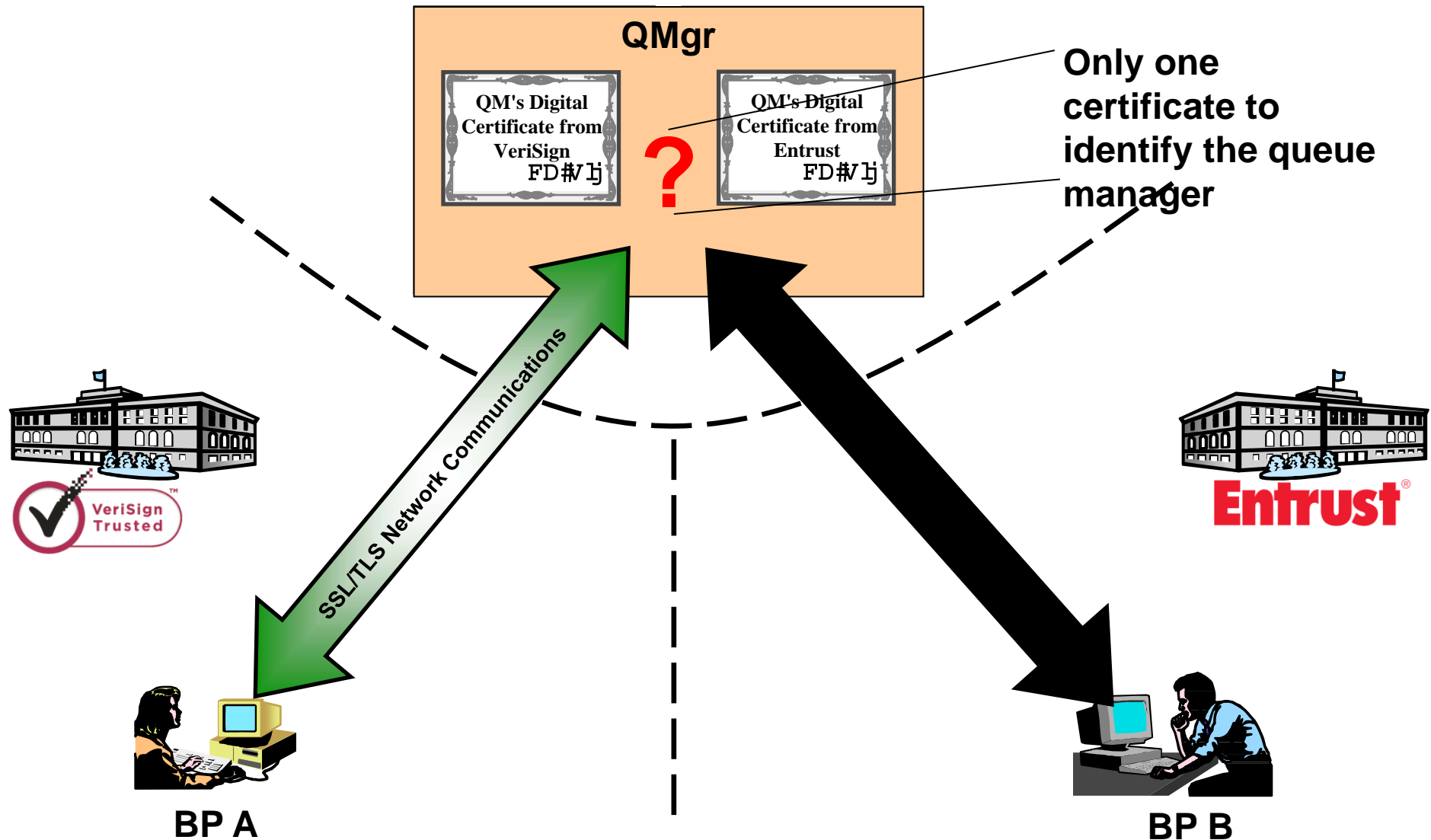
**ALTER QMGR
SSLKEYR('var/mqm/qmgrs/QM1/
ssl/key') CERTLABL('QM1Certificate')** (Distrib)

mqclient.ini (MQ Client)
SSL:
SSLKeyRepository=C:\key
CertificateLabel=MyCert

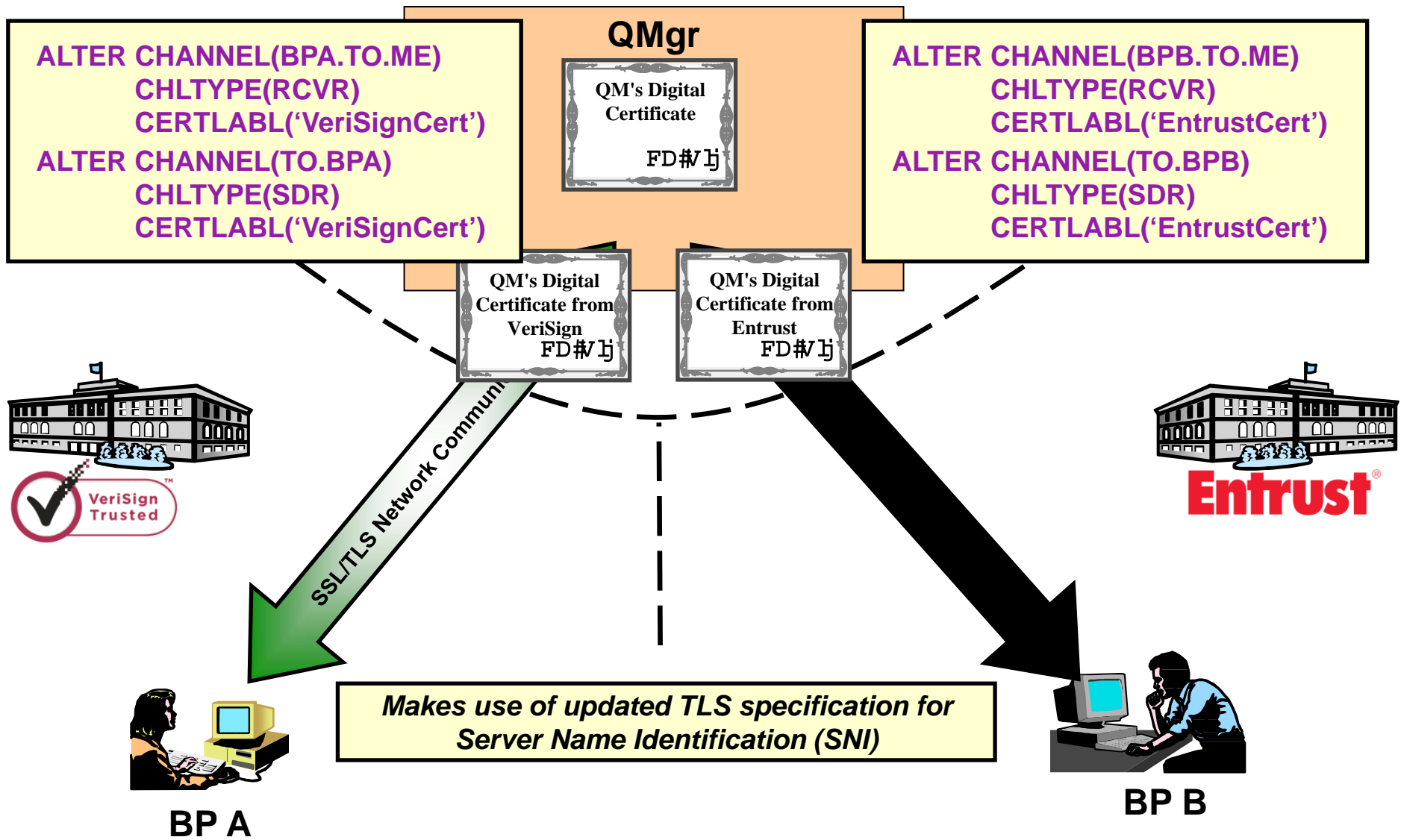
Use Cases

- Following company policy on certificate labelling
- Using the same certificate for more than one queue manager
 - Not that this would condoned!
- Migrating over to a new certificate when main certificate is ready to expire
 - Used to have to issue GSKit/RACF commands to rename certificate
 - ibmwebspheremqqm1 -> ibmwebspheremqqm1old
 - ibmwebspheremqqm1new -> ibmwebspheremqqm1
 - REFRESH SECURITY TYPE(SSL)
 - Now just MQ commands when the time comes
 - Current label is 'QM1 Cert 2013'
 - ALTER QMGR CERTLABL('QM1 Cert 2014')
 - REFRESH SECURITY TYPE(SSL)

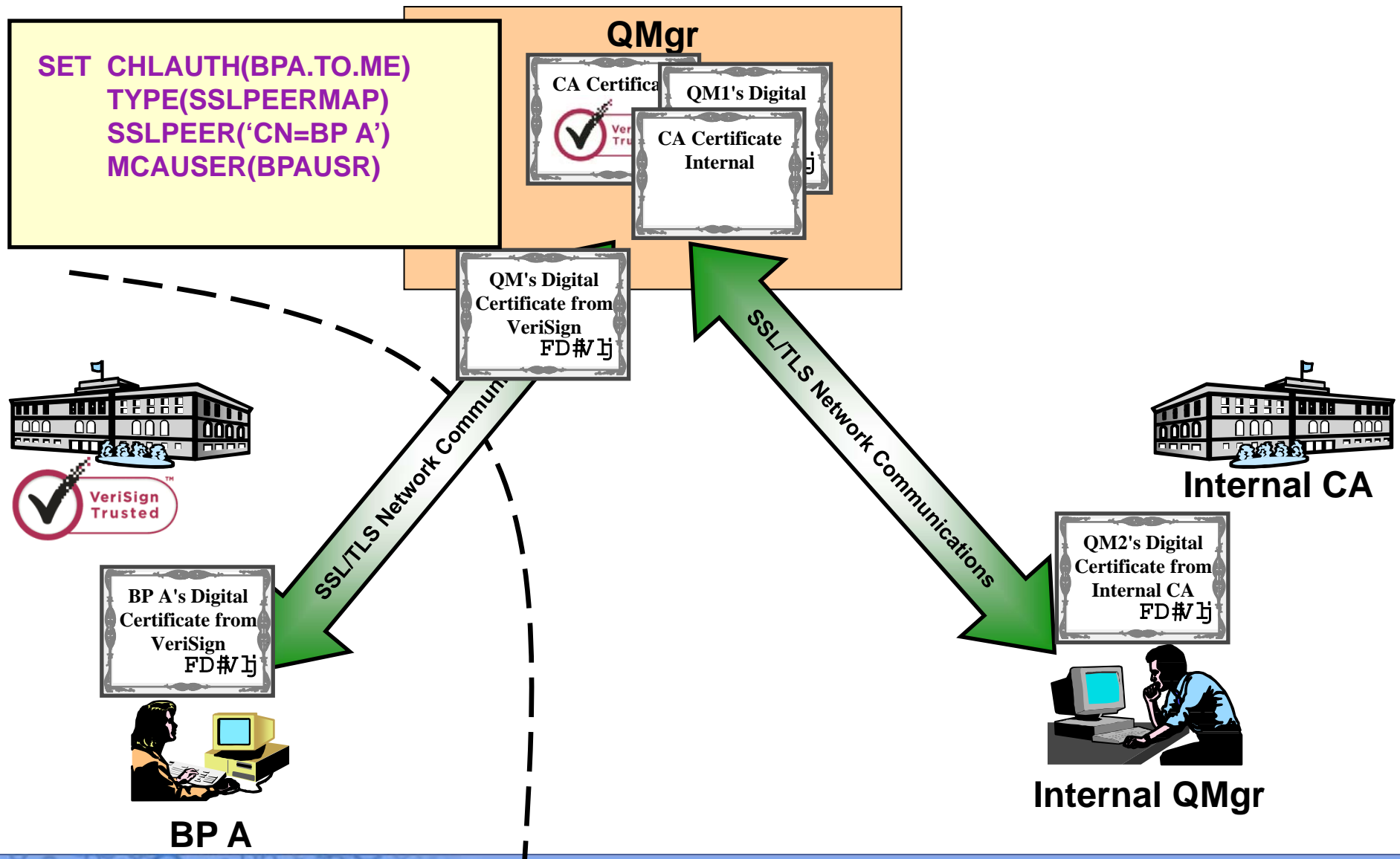
Business Partners with different CA requirements (pre V8)



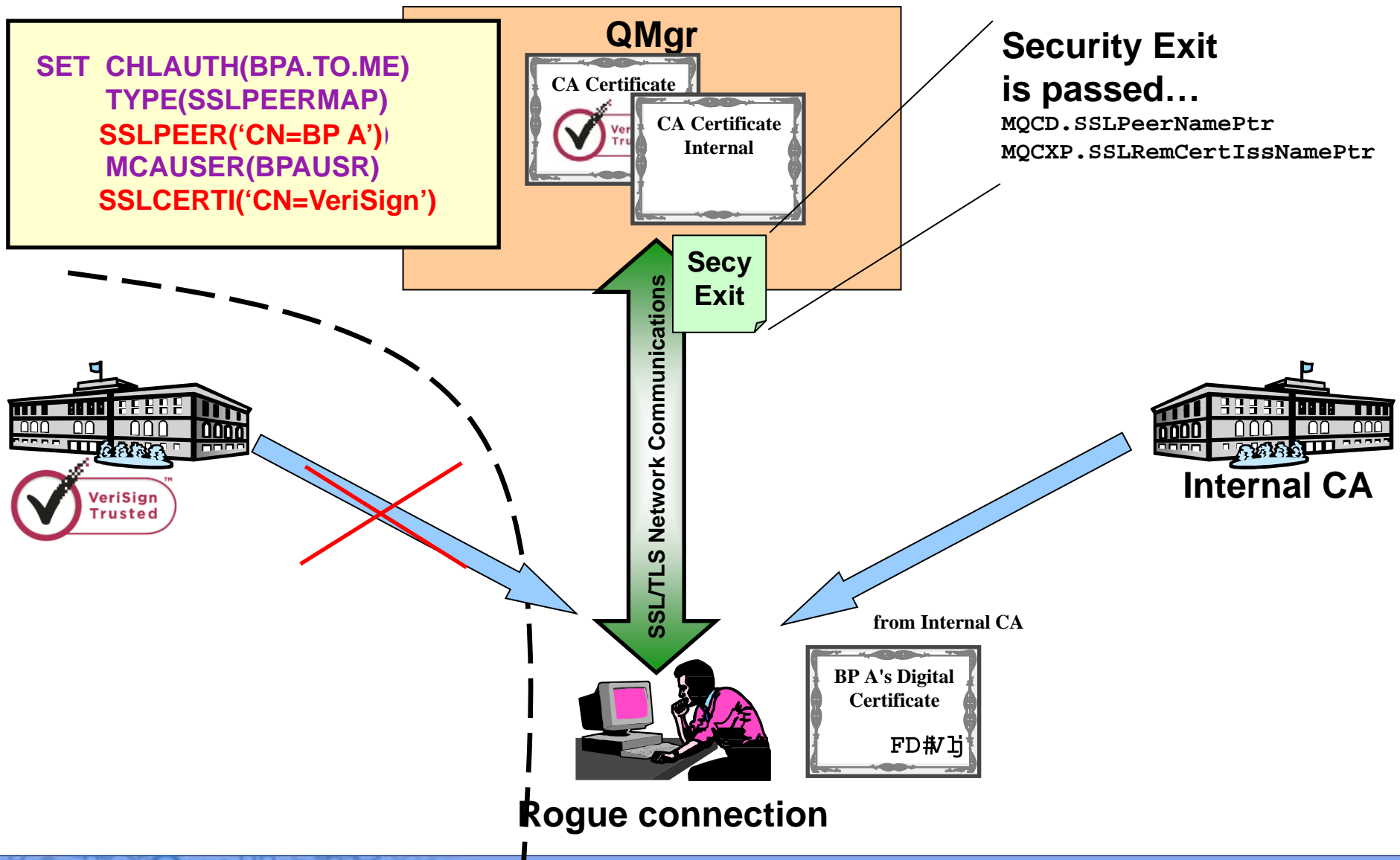
Certificate per Channel (new with V8)



Our Business Partner Scenario again



Ensuring the Correct Certificate



Summary

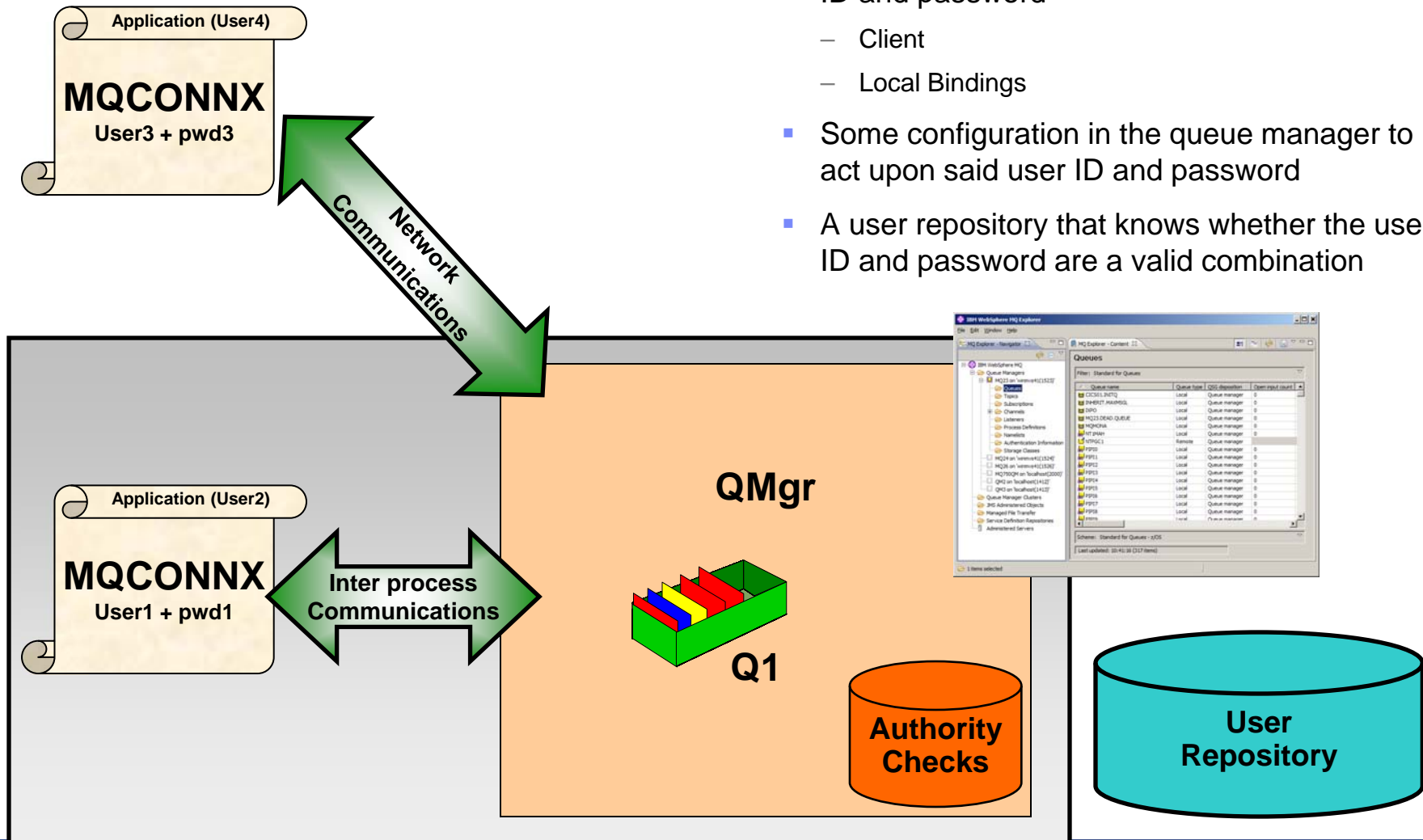
- Changes for Channels using SSL/TLS Certificates
 - Single Queue Manager Certificate
 - `ALTER QMGR CERTLABL('My certificate name')`
 - Per Channel Certificate
 - `ALTER CHANNEL ... CERTLABL('This channel certificate')`
 - Certificate Matching
 - `SET CHLAUTH('*')`
`TYPE(SSLPEERMAP)`
`SSLPEER('CN=Morag Hughson')`
`SSLCERTI('CN=IBM CA')`
`MCAUSER('hughson')`

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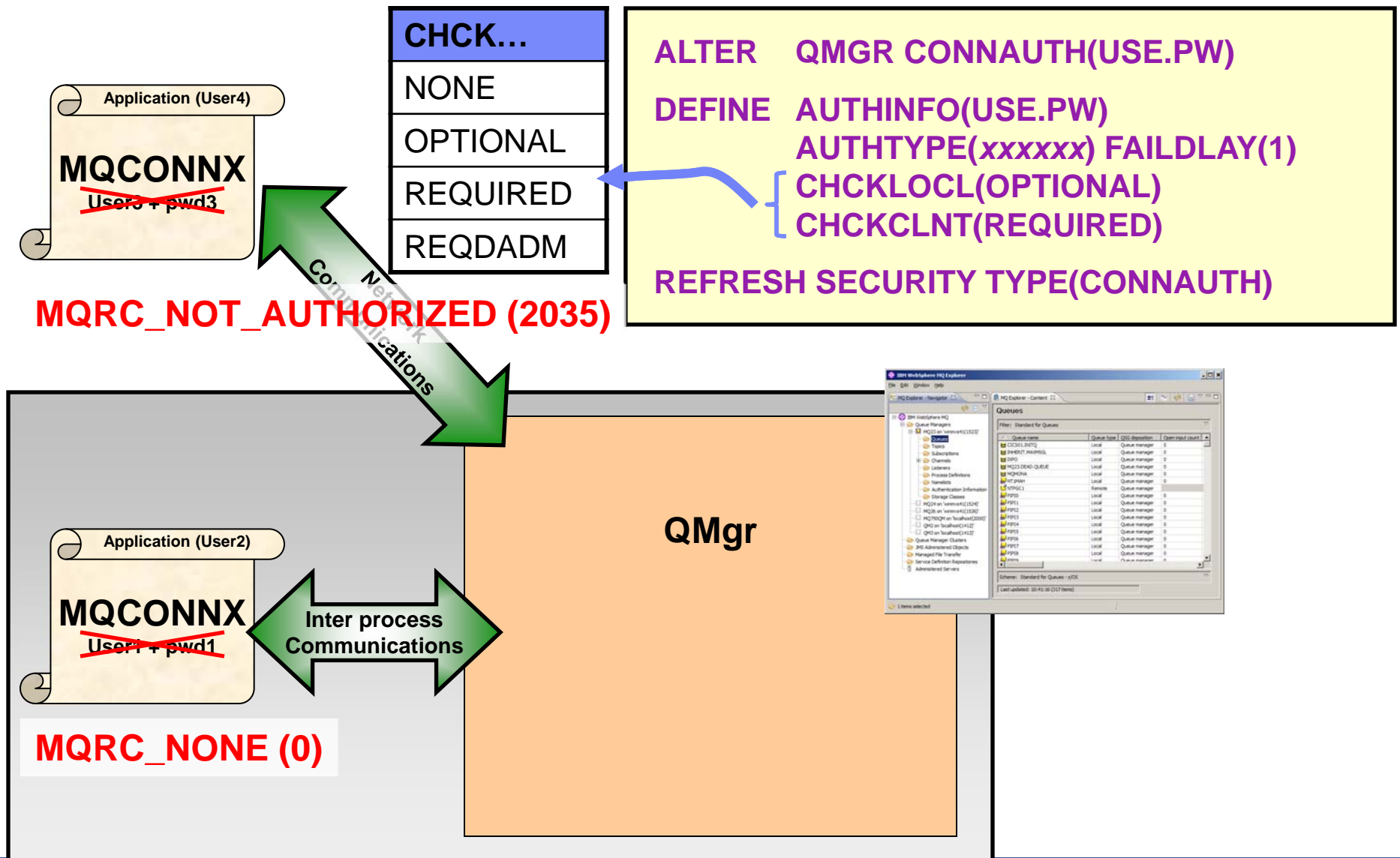
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Connection Authentication – What is it?

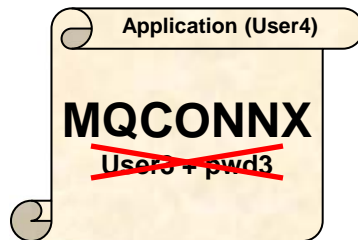
- The ability for an application to provide a user ID and password
 - Client
 - Local Bindings
- Some configuration in the queue manager to act upon said user ID and password
- A user repository that knows whether the user ID and password are a valid combination



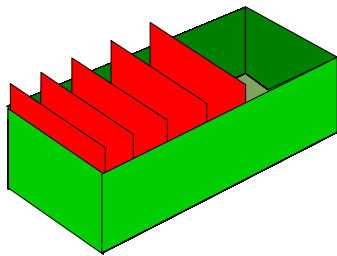
Connection Authentication – Configuration



Connection Authentication – Error notification



MQRC_NOT_AUTHORIZED (2035)



SYSTEM.ADMIN.QMGR.EVENT

ALTER QMGR AUTHOREV(ENABLED)

- Application
 - MQRC_NOT_AUTHORIZED (2035)
- Administrator
 - Error message
- Monitoring Tool
 - Not Authorized Event message (Type 1 – Connect)
 - MQRQ_CONN_NOT_AUTHORIZED (existing)
 - Connection not authorized.
 - MQRQ_CSP_NOT_AUTHORIZED (new)
 - User ID and password not authorized.
 - Additional field to existing connect event
 - MQCACF_CSP_USER_IDENTIFIER

Connection Authentication – Configuration Granularity

```
ALTER QMGR CONNAUTH(USE.PW)
```

```
DEFINE AUTHINFO(USE.PW)
  AUTHTYPE(xxxxxx)
  CHCKCLNT(OPTIONAL)
```

```
SET CHLAUTH('*') TYPE(ADDRESSMAP)
  ADDRESS('*') USERSRC(CHANNEL)
  CHCKCLNT(REQUIRED)
```

```
SET CHLAUTH('*') TYPE(SSLPEERMAP)
  SSLPEER('CN=*) USERSRC(CHANNEL)
  CHCKCLNT(ASQMGR)
```

CHCKCLNT

ASQMGR

REQUIRED

REQDADM

Application (User4)

MQCONN

~~User3 + pwd3~~

Clear Network Communications

MQRC_NOT_AUTHORIZED (2035)

User's Digital Certificate

Application (User2)

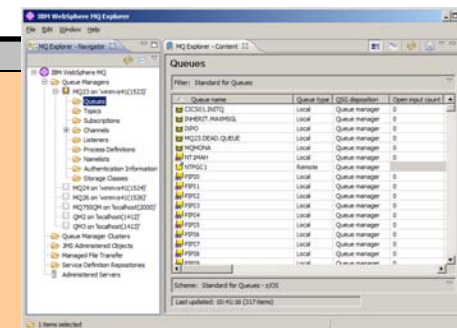
MQCONN

~~User1 + pwd1~~

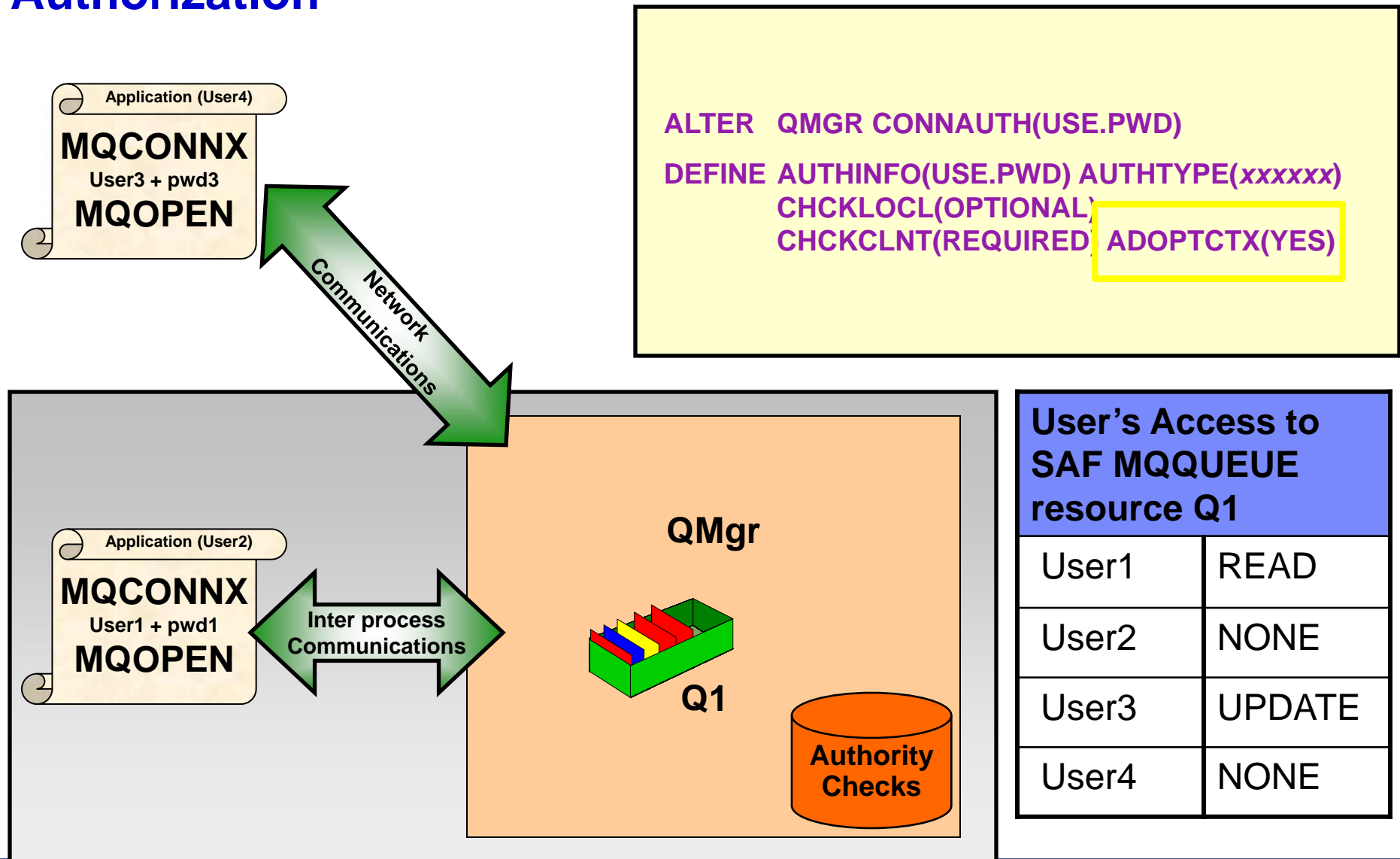
SSL/TLS Network Communications

MQRC_NONE (0)

QMgr

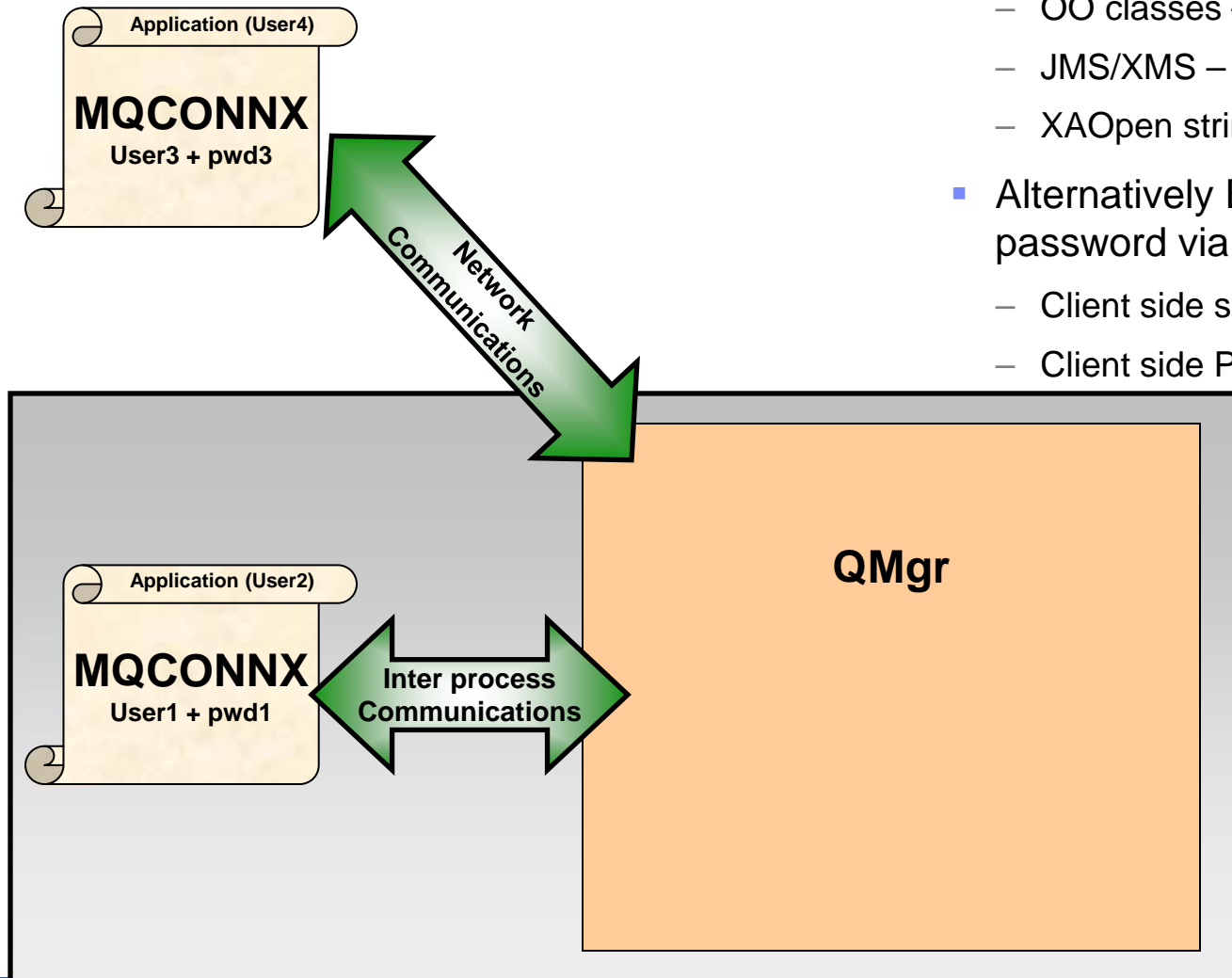


Connection Authentication – Relationship to Authorization



Connection Authentication – Application changes

- Code changes
 - Procedural – MQCSP on MQCONN
 - OO classes – MQEnvironment
 - JMS/XMS – createConnection
 - XAOpen string
- Alternatively Exits can provide userid and password via the MQCSP
 - Client side security exit (provided)
 - Client side Pre-conn exit



Procedural MQI changes

- MQCSP structure
 - Connection Security Parameters
 - User ID and password
- MQCNO structure
 - Connection Options
- WebSphere MQ V6
 - Passed to OAM (Dist only)
 - Also passed to Security Exit
 - Both z/OS and Distributed
 - MQXR_SEC_PARMS
- WebSphere MQ V8
 - Acted upon by the queue manager (all platforms)

```
MQCNO cno = {MQCNO_DEFAULT};

cno.Version = MQCNO_VERSION_5;

cno.SecurityParmsPtr = &csp;

MQCONN (QMName,
        &cno,
        &hConn,
        &CompCode,
        &Reason);
```

```
MQCSP csp = {MQCSP_DEFAULT};

csp.AuthenticationType = MQCSP_AUTH_USER_ID_AND_PWD;
csp.CSPUserIdPtr       = "johnson";
csp.CSPUserIdLength    = 7;           /* Max: MQ_CLIENT_USER_ID_LENGTH */
csp.CSPPasswordPtr     = "passw0rd";
csp.CSPPasswordLength  = 8;           /* Max: MQ_CSP_PASSWORD_LENGTH */
```

Object Oriented MQ classes changes

```
MQEnvironment.properties = new Hashtable();  
MQEnvironment.userID = "hughson";  
MQEnvironment.password = "passw0rd";  
  
System.out.println("Connecting to queue manager");  
MQQueueManager qMgr = new MQQueueManager(QMName);
```

JMS/XMS classes changes

```
cf = getCF();  
  
System.out.println("Creating the Connection with UID and Password");  
Connection conn = cf.createConnection("hughson", "passw0rd");
```


Client side Security Exit

mqccred.ini

```
AllQueueManagers:
  User=abc
  password=newpw
QueueManager:
  Name=QMA
  User=user1
  password=passw0rd
```

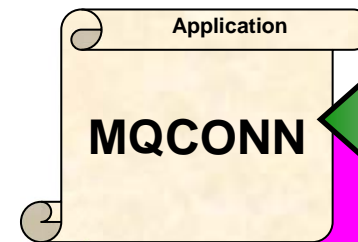


Tool: runmqccred

mqccred.ini

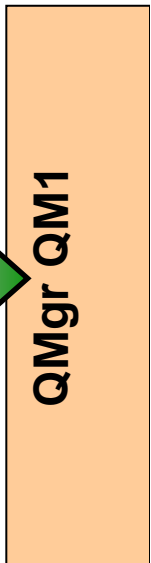
```
AllQueueManagers:
  User=abc
  OPW=%^&aervrgtsr
QueueManager:
  Name=QM1
  User=user1
  OPW=H&^dbgfh
```

**File
permissions**



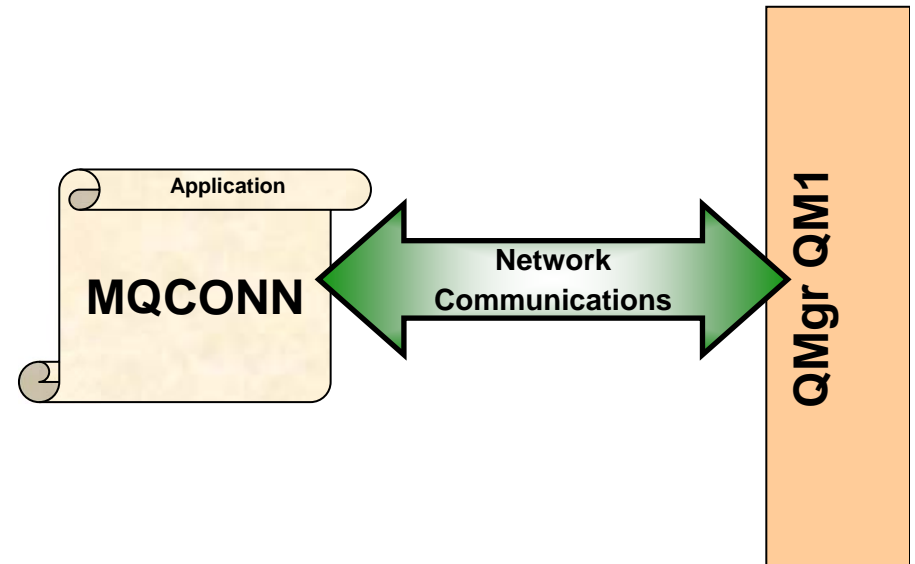
Exit: mqccred

Exit can be used by
clients from V7.0.1
and later (by
copying from a V8
installation)

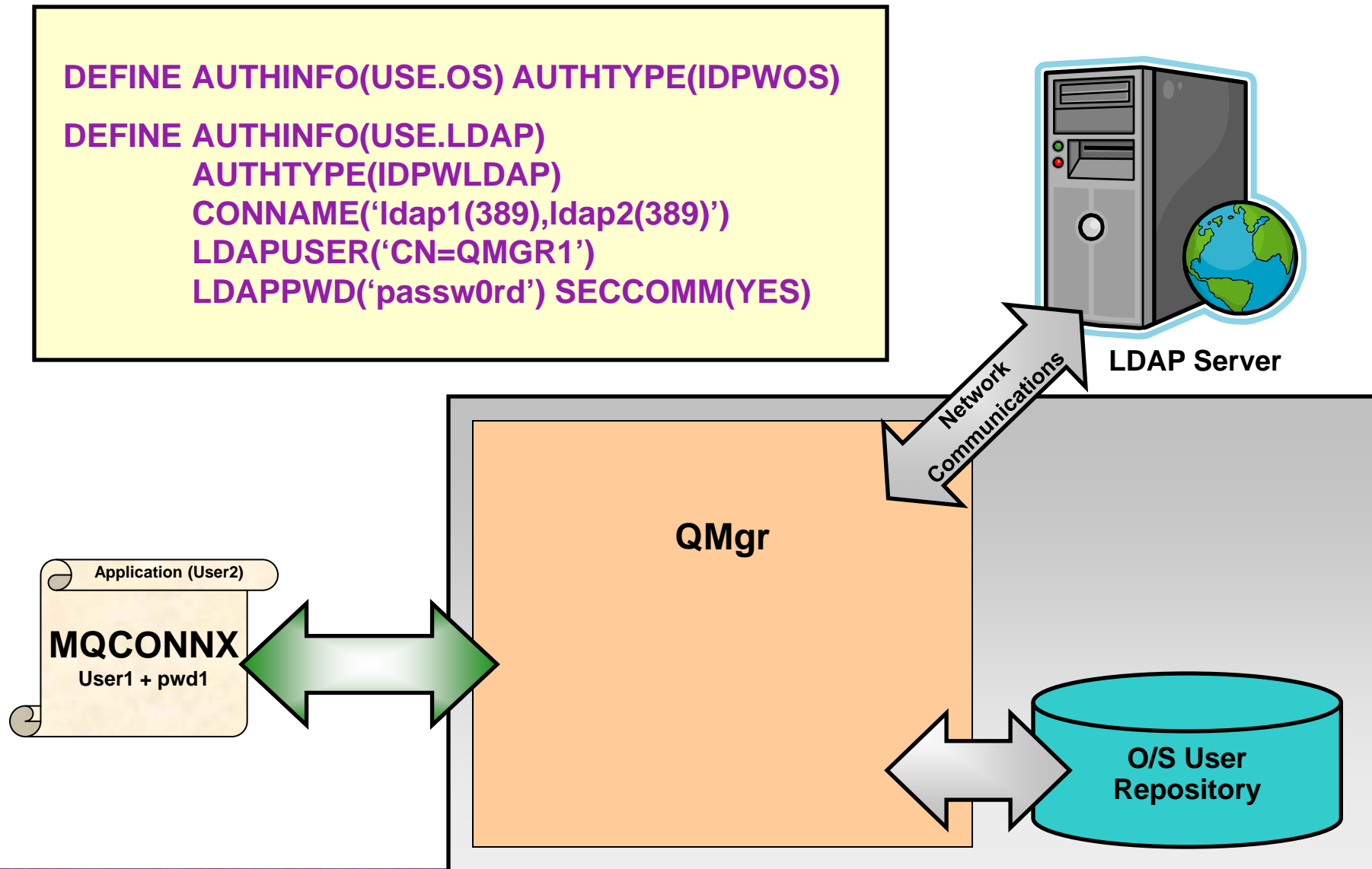


Protecting your password across a network

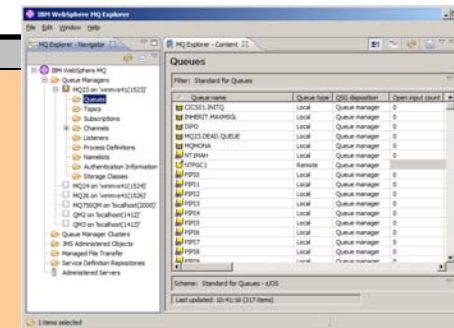
- Use SSL/TLS
 - Perhaps with anonymous clients
- If no SSL/TLS
 - If both ends are V8
 - MQ Code will protect the password – so not sent in the clear
- If client is < V8
 - No MQ password protection
 - Consider SSL/TLS



Connection Authentication – User Repositories



- Defaults
 - Migrated queue manager
 - CONNAUTH(' ')
 - New queue manager
 - CONNAUTH(SYSTEM.DEFAULT.AUTHINFO.IDPWOS)



Summary

- Channel Authorization (CHAUTH) Rules now support hostnames and domains
 - **SET CHLAUTH('APPL1.*') TYPE(ADDRESSMAP) ADDRESS('*.matahari.com') USERSRC(NOACCESS)**
- Queue Managers now support digital certificates labels at the queue manager and channel levels
- Connection Authentication enhanced to support userid and password checking with the local OS
 - User exits (e.g. CSQ4BCX3) may no longer be required

Questions?