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Who is verifying their cryptographic protocols?

Computational Model

→ Limited adversary.

→ Involves translating English

proofs to something a machine

can understand.

→ Lot of work needs to be done  
by humans.

## Symbolic Model:

→ Limits the adversary to a  
Dolev-Yao attacker.

→ Leverages full automation.

(Not convinced by this.)

## Challenges.

→ Mostly an academic pursuit.

→ If it isn't the backbone of an  
industrial standard or a novel piece  
of open source crypto it isn't getting  
verified.

1. Understanding and operating the tools
  2. Demonstrating the RoI compared to the cost of verification.
    - ↳ Protocol verification has had a big impact on improving security.  
How? References? Examples?
- ⇒ Each tool does something different,  
and the devil is in the details.
- Reconciling Formal Models and Implementation.

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