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## 1. Introduction

This document describes the command interface and the content of the Finnish Electronic Identification (FINEID) application.

The file structure is based on PKCS#15 v1.0. The command set supported by the card is based on ISO/IEC 7816-4 and ISO/IEC FDIS 7816-8.

### 1.1. Normative references

The most important specifications are listed below:

- ISO, Information Technology - Identification cards - Integrated circuit(s) cards with contacts
  - Part 1: Physical Characteristics, ISO/IEC 7816-1
  - Part 2: Dimensions and location of the contacts, ISO/IEC 7816-2
  - Part 3: Electronic signals and transmission protocols, ISO/IEC 7816-3
  - Part 4: Interindustry commands for interchange, ISO/IEC 7816-4
  - Part 5: Numbering system and registration procedure for application identifiers, ISO/IEC 7816-5
  - Part 6: Inter-industry data elements, ISO/IEC 7816-6
  - Part 8: Security related interindustry commands, ISO/IEC FDIS 7816-8 (draft)
- PKCS#15 v1.0, Cryptographic Token Information Format Standard, April 23, 1999
- PKCS#15 v1.0 Amendment 1 Draft #1, October 20, 1999

The PKCS Standards are available from

<http://www.rsasecurity.com/rsalabs/pkcs/index.html>

### 1.2. Informative references

The following documents have also influenced this specification:

- PKCS#1 v2.0, RSA Cryptography Standard, October 1, 1998
  - DIN NI-17.4 v1.0, DIN Specification of chipcard interface with digital signature application/function acc. to SigG and SigV, 15.12.1998
  - WAP WIM proposed version 05-Jul-1999, Wireless Application Protocol Identity Module Specification, Part: Security

### 1.3. Related FINEID documentation

Related FINEID specifications are listed below:

- FINEID S2 – VRK (PRC) CA-model and certificate contents, v2.0
- FINEID S4-1 - Implementation Profile 1 for Finnish Electronic ID Card v1.31
- FINEID S4-2 - Implementation Profile 2 for Organizational Usage, v.1.31
- FINEID S5 – Directory Specification, v2.0

FINEID documentation is available from

- <http://www.fineid.fi>

## 2. Abbreviations

|         |                                |
|---------|--------------------------------|
| AID     | Application Identifier         |
| APDU    | Application Protocol Data Unit |
| ASN.1   | Abstract Syntax Notation One   |
| CRDO    | Control Reference Data Object  |
| DF      | Dedicated File                 |
| EF      | Elementary File                |
| FCI     | File Control Information       |
| CLA     | Class byte                     |
| MF      | Master File                    |
| MSE     | Manage Security Environment    |
| PIN     | Personal Identification Number |
| PSO     | Perform Security Operation     |
| RFU     | Reserved for Future            |
| SE      | Security Environment           |
| SW1-SW2 | Status Words                   |

## 3. File structure and contents

The file structure and contents shall be according to PKCS#15 v1.0 standard.

The card should contain at least the following objects:

- private key(s),
- authentication object(s),
- card holder certificate(s) and
- trusted certificate(s).

The reader is advised to read PKCS#15 for additional information on the file structure and contents.

## 4. Command interface

This chapter describes the commands (and their parameters) that shall be supported by FINEID cards. Additional commands may be supported by the card but they are not normally used by host applications utilizing the FINEID cards.

The reader is advised to refer to ISO/IEC 7816-4 and ISO/IEC FDIS 7816-8 for more detailed information about the commands.

**Table 1. EID application related commands**

| Command   | Standard            | Functionality  |
|---|---------------------|--|
| SELECT FILE   | ISO/IEC 7816-4      | Select a file from the card's file system  |
| GET RESPONSE  | ISO/IEC 7816-4      | Read response data from the card (in T=0 protocol)   |
| READ BINARY   | ISO/IEC 7816-4      | Read binary data from a transparent (binary) file  |
| VERIFY  | ISO/IEC 7816-4      | Verify reference data presented by user (e.g. PIN) with the reference data stored inside the card.<br>The current verification status can be also queried with this command. |
| MANAGE SECURITY ENVIRONMENT:<br><b>RESTORE</b>                  | ISO/IEC FDIS 7816-8 | Restore a predefined (or empty) security environment.  |
| MANAGE SECURITY ENVIRONMENT:<br><b>SET</b>                      | ISO/IEC FDIS 7816-8 | Set the security environment (algorithms, keys) that shall be used in the following PERFORM SECURITY OPERATION commands.   |
| PERFORM SECURITY OPERATION:<br><b>COMPUTE DIGITAL SIGNATURE</b> | ISO/IEC FDIS 7816-8 | Compute a digital signature with a private key. The algorithm and key are specified with the MSE command.  |
| PERFORM SECURITY OPERATION:<br><b>DECIPHER</b>                  | ISO/IEC FDIS 7816-8 | Decrypt data with a private key. The algorithm and key are specified with the MSE command.   |
| CHANGE REFERENCE DATA   | ISO/IEC FDIS 7816-8 | Change the current reference data (e.g. PIN)   |
| RESET RETRY COUNTER   | ISO/IEC FDIS 7816-8 | Unlock locked reference data (e.g. PIN)  |
| UPDATE BINARY   | ISO/IEC 7816-4      | Update the contents of a transparent (binary) file   |
| ERASE BINARY  | ISO/IEC 7816-4      | Erase the contents of a transparent (binary) file  |

## 4.1. SELECT FILE

The SELECT FILE command selects a file from the card's file system according to file identifier, file path or application identifier (AID).

**Table 2. SELECT FILE command APDU**

| Byte | Value   |
|------|---|
| CLA  | 0Xh   |
| INS  | A4h   |
| P1   | 00h - select EF, DF or MF by file identifier<br>04h - select DF by Application IDentifier (AID)<br>08h - select file by absolute path from MF<br>09h - select file by relative path from current DF |
| P2   | 00h - FCI returned in response  |
| Lc   | Empty or length of subsequent data field  |
| Data | P1 = 00h<br>- EF, DF or MF file identifier (or empty = MF)<br>P1 = 04h  |

|    |   |
|----|---|
|    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- AID value</li> </ul> P1 = 08h <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- absolute path from MF without the identifier of MF (3F00h)</li> </ul> P1 = 09h <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- relative path from the current DF without the identifier of the current DF</li> </ul> |
| Le | Empty or maximum length of data expected in response  |

**Table 3. SELECT FILE response APDU**

| Byte    | Value                    |
|---------|--------------------------|
| Data    | File Control Information |
| SW1-SW2 | Status bytes             |

## 4.2. GET RESPONSE

The GET RESPONSE command returns response data from the card in T=0 protocol.

This command is used in to get response data from commands

- SELECT FILE,
- PERFORM SECURITY OPERATION: COMPUTE DIGITAL SIGNATURE and
- PERFORM SECURITY OPERATION: DECIPHER.

**Table 4. GET RESPONSE command APDU**

| Byte | Value                                       |
|------|---|
| CLA  | 0Xh   |
| INS  | C0h   |
| P1   | 00h   |
| P2   | 00h   |
| Lc   | Empty                                       |
| Data | Empty                                       |
| Le   | Maximum length of data expected in response |

**Table 5. GET RESPONSE response APDU**

| Byte    | Value                 |
|---------|-----------------------|
| Data    | Value of the response |
| SW1-SW2 | Status bytes          |

## 4.3. READ BINARY

The READ BINARY command is used to read consecutive bytes from the current (transparent) elementary file.

**Table 6. READ BINARY command APDU**

| Byte | Value |
|------|-------|
| CLA  | 0Xh   |

|      |  |
|------|--|
| INS  | B0h  |
| P1   | XXh - MSB of the offset to the first byte to read (bit 8 = 0), or SFID (bit 8 = 1) |
| P2   | YYh - LSB of the offset to the first byte to read                                  |
| Lc   | Empty  |
| Data | Empty  |
| Le   | Number of bytes to read  |

**Table 7. READ BINARY response APDU**

| Byte    | Value                   |
|---------|-------------------------|
| Data    | Data read from the file |
| SW1-SW2 | Status bytes            |

#### 4.4. VERIFY

The VERIFY command is used to authenticate the user. Verification data (e.g. PIN) is compared with the reference data stored internally by the card.

**Table 8. VERIFY command APDU**

| Byte | Value   |
|------|---|
| CLA  | 0Xh   |
| INS  | 20h   |
| P1   | 00h   |
| P2   | XXh - PIN reference number (according to PKCS#15).  |
| Lc   | Empty or length of subsequent data field  |
| Data | Empty or verification data (padded to the correct length).<br>Padding is done according to PKCS#15. |
| Le   | Empty   |

**Table 9. VERIFY response APDU**

| Byte    | Value  |
|---------|--|
| Data    | Empty  |
| SW1-SW2 | Status bytes<br>If Lc = 00h, status bytes indicate the number X of further allowed retries (SW1-SW2 = 63CXh) or to check whether the verification is not required (SW1-SW2 = 9000h). |

#### 4.5. MANAGE SECURITY ENVIRONMENT: RESTORE

The MANAGE SECURITY ENVIRONMENT: **RESTORE** command is used to restore a predefined (or empty) SECURITY ENVIRONMENT.

**Table 10. MANAGE SECURITY ENVIRONMENT: RESTORE command APDU**

| Byte | Value  |
|------|--|
| CLA  | 0Xh  |
| INS  | 22h - MSE  |
| P1   | 11110011b = F3h - RESTORE                            |
| P2   | Number of the SE to be restored (00h is an empty SE) |



|      |       |
|------|-------|
| Lc   | Empty |
| Data | Empty |
| Le   | Empty |

**Table 11. MANAGE SECURITY ENVIRONMENT: RESTORE response APDU**

| Byte    | Value        |
|---------|--------------|
| Data    | Empty        |
| SW1-SW2 | Status bytes |

## 4.6. MANAGE SECURITY ENVIRONMENT: SET

The MANAGE SECURITY ENVIRONMENT: **SET** command is used to set attributes in the current SECURITY ENVIRONMENT.

**Table 12. MANAGE SECURITY ENVIRONMENT: SET command APDU**

| Byte | Value  |
|------|--|
| CLA  | 0Xh  |
| INS  | 22h  |
| P1   | XY000001b<br>The bits XY specify the operation that relates to the CRDOs in the data field.<br>- X is set = computation<br>- Y is set = decryption |
| P2   | P1 = SET<br>- P2 = B6h, value of DST in data field<br>- P2 = B8h, value of CT in data field  |
| Lc   | Empty or length of subsequent data field   |
| Data | Concatenation of CRDOs   |
| Le   | Empty  |

**Table 13. MANAGE SECURITY ENVIRONMENT:SET response APDU**

| Byte    | Value        |
|---------|--------------|
| Data    | Empty        |
| SW1-SW2 | Status bytes |

The table below describes the Control Reference Data Objects (CRDO) that are supported in Digital Signature Templates (DST) and Confidentiality Templates (CT).

**Table 14. Control Reference Data Objects (CRDO)**

| Tag | Value   | DST | CT |
|-----|---|-----|----|
| 80h | Algorithm reference   | +   | +  |
| 81h | File reference (file identifier or a path)<br>- only file identifiers shall be used in FINEID context<br>- used to identify the <b>key file</b> to be used in cryptographic operations<br>- value specified in PKCS#15 private key object's PKCS15Path.path | +   | +  |

|     |   |   |   |
|-----|---|---|---|
| 84h | Key reference (for referencing a private key in asymmetric cases) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- used to identify the <b>key</b> to be used in cryptographic operations (e.g. if a key file contains multiple keys)</li> <li>- value (single byte) specified in PKCS#15 private key object's PKCS15CommonKeyAttributes.keyReference (optional)</li> </ul> | + | + |
|-----|---|---|---|

The supported values for the CRDO algorithm reference (tag 80h) are specified in the table below. The coding is taken from DIN NI-17.4 version 1.0 specification (annex F table F.2) with some modifications. The high nibble of the algorithm reference specifies the hash algorithm used (if hashing is relevant for the algorithm). The low nibble specifies the rest of the details about the algorithm.

**Table 15. Values for the algorithm reference**

| Algorithm reference | Details   |
|---------------------|---|
| 0Xh                 | No hash algorithm   |
| 1Xh                 | SHA-1 hash algorithm (id-sha1)  |
| 2Xh                 | RFU   |
| X0h                 | <p><b>'Raw' RSA algorithm</b> (card does not do any input or output formatting i.e. padding or hash encapsulation)</p> <p><u>Signature generation operation (PSO: COMPUTE DIGITAL SIGNATURE):</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Input data size must equal modulus length i.e. hash is <b>NOT</b> encapsulated or padded by the card. Modulus length shall be a multiple of eight for this algorithm.</li> <li>2. RSASP1 signature primitive is applied (RSA private key operation)</li> </ol> <p><u>Decryption operation (PSO: DECIPHER):</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. RSADP decryption primitive is applied (RSA private key operation)</li> <li>2. Padding is <b>NOT</b> removed by the card.</li> </ol>  |
| X1h                 | RFU   |
| X2h                 | <p><b>RSASSA-PKCS1-v1_5 signature scheme</b> (according to PKCS#1 v2.0 with RSA algorithm, compatible with PKCS#1 v1.5)</p> <p><u>Signature generation operation (PSO: COMPUTE DIGITAL SIGNATURE):</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The hash code is encapsulated into DigestInfo ASN.1 structure according to selected hash algorithm. If no hash algorithm is selected (02h), the hash encapsulation is <b>not</b> done by the card.</li> <li>2. DigestInfo is padded to modulus length according to PKCS#1 v1.5 (block type 01h). The size of the DigestInfo shall not be more than 40% of modulus length.</li> <li>3. RSASP1 signature primitive is applied (RSA private key operation)</li> </ol> <p><b>RSAES-PKCS1-v1_5 encryption scheme</b> (according to PKCS#1 v2.0 with RSA algorithm, compatible with PKCS#1 v1.5)</p> <p><u>Decryption operation (PSO: DECIPHER):</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. RSADP decryption primitive is applied (RSA private key operation)</li> <li>2. PKCS#1 v1.5 padding is removed</li> </ol> |
| X3h                 | RFU   |
| X4h                 | RFU   |

## 4.7. PERFORM SECURITY OPERATION: COMPUTE DIGITAL SIGNATURE

The PSO: COMPUTE DIGITAL SIGNATURE command calculates a digital signature. The private key and algorithm to be used must be specified using the MANAGE SECURITY ENVIRONMENT command.

The input to the command may be either

- a hash code (e.g. SHA-1 hash value 20 bytes),
- a DigestInfo ASN.1 structure encapsulating the hash code, or
- a full modulus size input buffer (padding done by host application)

according to the selected algorithm reference value.

**Table 16. PSO: COMPUTE DIGITAL SIGNATURE command APDU**

| Byte | Value  |
|------|--|
| CLA  | 0Xh  |
| INS  | 2Ah  |
| P1   | 9Eh - digital signature data object is returned in response  |
| P2   | 9Ah - data field contains data to be signed  |
| Lc   | Length of subsequent data field  |
| Data | <p>If algorithm reference in SE = 00h</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Data to be signed (e.g. encapsulated hash code). Padding is done to the full modulus length by the host application.</li> </ul> <p>If algorithm reference in SE = 02h:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Hash code encapsulated by the host application into DigestInfo structure. Padding is done internally by the card.</li> </ul> <p>If algorithm reference in SE = 12h or 22h</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Hash code. Card encapsulates the hash into DigestInfo structure and pads it internally according to PKCS#1 v1.5 into full modulus length.</li> </ul> |
| Le   | Empty or maximum length of data expected in response   |

**Table 17. PSO: COMPUTE DIGITAL SIGNATURE response APDU**

| Byte    | Value             |
|---------|-------------------|
| Data    | Digital signature |
| SW1-SW2 | Status bytes      |

## 4.8. PERFORM SECURITY OPERATION: DECIPHER

The PSO: DECIPHER command decrypts an encrypted message (cryptogram). The private key and algorithm to be used must be specified using the MANAGE SECURITY ENVIRONMENT command.

**Table 18. PSO: DECIPHER command APDU**

| Byte | Value |
|------|-------|
| CLA  | 0Xh   |

|      |   |
|------|---|
| INS  | 2Ah   |
| P1   | 80h - decrypted value is returned in response   |
| P2   | 86h - data field contains padding indicator byte (00h according to ISO/IEC 7816-4) followed by the cryptogram |
| Lc   | Length of subsequent data field   |
| Data | 00h (padding indicator byte)    cryptogram  |
| Le   | Empty or maximum length of data expected in response  |

**Table 19. PSO: DECIPHER response APDU**

| Byte    | Value  |
|---------|--|
| Data    | If algorithm reference in SE = 00h<br>- Decrypted cryptogram. Padding is not removed by the card.<br>If algorithm reference in SE = 02h:<br>- Decrypted cryptogram. PKCS#1 v1.5 padding is removed by the card and only the actual data is returned. |
| SW1-SW2 | Status bytes   |

## 4.9. CHANGE REFERENCE DATA

The CHANGE REFERENCE DATA command is used to change the current internally stored reference data into a new value. Current reference data is first compared with verification data presented by the user.

**Table 20. CHANGE REFERENCE DATA command APDU**

| Byte | Value  |
|------|--|
| CLA  | 0Xh  |
| INS  | 24h  |
| P1   | 00h - exchange reference data  |
| P2   | XXh - PIN reference number (according to PKCS#15).   |
| Lc   | Length of subsequent data field  |
| Data | Existing reference data (padded to the correct length) followed by new reference data (padded to the correct length).<br>Padding is done according to PKCS#15. |
| Le   | Empty  |

**Table 21. CHANGE REFERENCE DATA response APDU**

| Byte    | Value        |
|---------|--------------|
| Data    | Empty        |
| SW1-SW2 | Status bytes |

## 4.10. RESET RETRY COUNTER

The RESET RETRY COUNTER command is used when a PIN code has been locked due to too many consecutive unsuccessful verifications. Unlocking a PIN requires a resetting code (a.k.a. PIN Unlocking Key, PUK) to be presented to the card by the user.

**Table 22. RESET RETRY COUNTER command APDU**

| Byte | Value  |
|------|--|
| CLA  | 0Xh  |
| INS  | 2Ch  |
| P1   | 00h - reset retry counter and set new verification data  |
| P2   | XXh - PIN reference number (according to PKCS#15).   |
| Lc   | Empty or length of subsequent data field   |
| Data | Empty or resetting code (padded to the correct length) followed by new reference data (padded to the correct length).<br>Padding is done according to PKCS#15. |
| Le   | Empty  |

**Table 23. RESET RETRY COUNTER response APDU**

| Byte    | Value   |
|---------|---|
| Data    | Empty   |
| SW1-SW2 | Status bytes<br>If Lc = 00h, status bytes indicate the number X of further allowed retries (SW1-SW2 = 63CXh). |

## 4.11. UPDATE BINARY

The UPDATE BINARY command is used update the contents of a transparent (binary) file.

**Table 24. UPDATE BINARY command APDU**

| Byte | Value  |
|------|--|
| CLA  | 0Xh  |
| INS  | D6h  |
| P1   | XXh - MSB of the offset to the first byte to update (bit 8 = 0), or SFID (bit 8 = 1) |
| P2   | YYh - LSB of the offset to the first byte to update                                  |
| Lc   | Length of subsequent data field  |
| Data | Data to be updated   |
| Le   | Empty  |

**Table 25. UPDATE BINARY response APDU**

| Byte    | Value        |
|---------|--------------|
| Data    | Empty        |
| SW1-SW2 | Status bytes |

## 4.12. ERASE BINARY

The ERASE BINARY command is used erase the contents of a transparent (binary) file. Erasing is done starting from the address specified in bytes P1 and P2 until the end of file.

**Table 26. ERASE BINARY command APDU**

| Byte | Value   |
|------|---|
| CLA  | 0Xh   |
| INS  | 0Eh   |
| P1   | XXh - MSB of the offset to the first byte to erase (bit 8 = 0), or SFID (bit 8 = 1) |
| P2   | YYh - LSB of the offset to the first byte to erase                                  |
| Lc   | Empty   |
| Data | Empty   |
| Le   | Empty   |

**Table 27. ERASE BINARY response APDU**

| Byte    | Value        |
|---------|--------------|
| Data    | Empty        |
| SW1-SW2 | Status bytes |

## 5. Implementation guidelines for software developers

### 5.1. Resource management

The FINEID card will be used by multiple host applications running simultaneously in the same PC. Because the FINEID card is internally a simple state machine, these host applications share the state of the FINEID card also (current file, security status etc.). This sets some fundamental requirements for the host applications accessing the shared resource (i.e. the FINEID card and reader device):

1. Host applications must protect the command sequences they send to the FINEID card by locking the card exclusively to themselves (and blocking access from others) while doing these transactions.
2. The length of each transaction should be minimized.
3. Host applications should not assume that the state of the card (e.g. current file or security status) stays unmodified between transactions. The only exception to that rule is that the verification status of a successfully verified global PIN should be unaffected between transactions. Check PKCS#15 for additional information on global PINs.

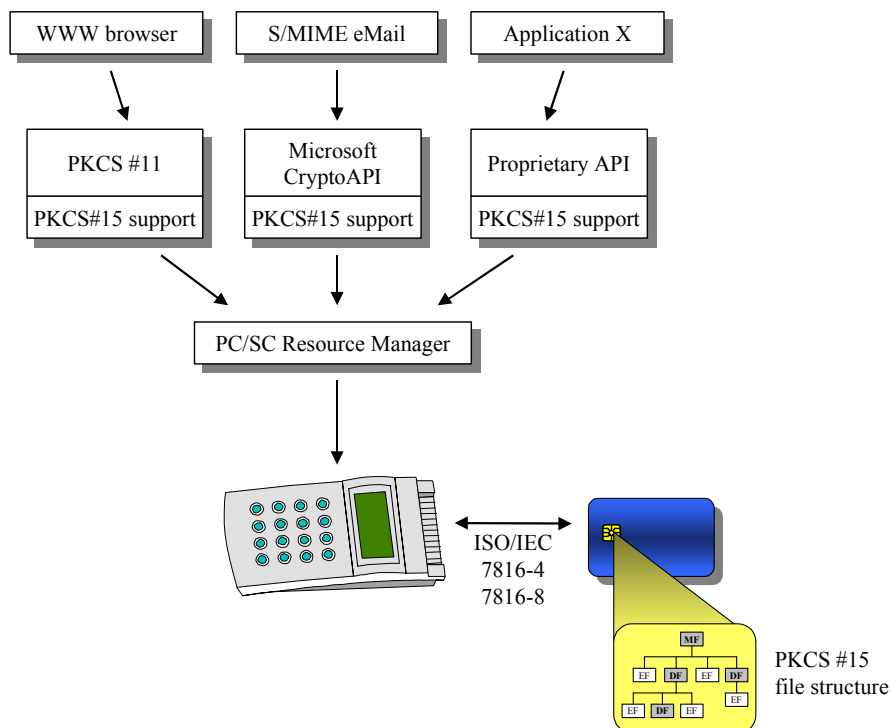


Figure 1. Example scenario of multiple host applications - single card

## 5.2. Resetting the card

Unnecessary resetting of the card should be avoided. When using PC/SC interface the card is resetted automatically by the Resource Manager so there is no need for the host application to explicitly reset the card before starting to use it.

## 5.3. File selection

### 5.3.1. PKCS#15 application

PKCS#15 application is selected using either

- PKCS#15 Application Identifier (AID) specified in PKCS#15 v1.0 or
- path.

Selection by Application identifier:

| Command | CLA | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data                                | Le |
|---------|-----|-----|----|----|----|-------------------------------------|----|
| SELECT  | 00  | A4  | 04 | 00 | 0C | A0 00 00 00 63 50 4B 43 53 2D 31 35 | -  |

Selection by path specified in EF(DIR) (example path OCTET STRING = 3F 00 11 22 AA BB):

| Command | CLA | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data  | Le |
|---------|-----|-----|----|----|----|---|----|
| SELECT  | 00  | A4  | 08 | 00 | 04 | 11 22 AA BB<br>(MF file identifier 3F 00 removed) | -  |

### 5.3.2. PKCS15Path

PKCS#15 uses PKCS15Path ASN.1 structure to reference various files. The PKCS15Path.path octet string contains:

- a file identifier if the length of the octet string is two bytes
- an absolute path if the octet string is longer than two bytes and starts with the file identifier of MF = 3F 00
- a relative path if the octet string is longer than two bytes and starts with the file identifier of the current DF (which is not 3F 00)

Selection of a file using a relative path or a file identifier must be done after having selected the PKCS#15 application first to make sure that the scope for selection is correct. This should be ensured for each transaction. Absolute paths can be selected without first selecting the PKCS#15 application.

## 5.4. Authentication objects

In PKCS#15 all objects (private keys, certificates etc.) can be protected with authentication objects (i.e. PINs). Each object may contain a pointer to an authentication object e.g. a private key object may contain a pointer to a PIN object. This means that the private key operation (decrypt or sign) can be done only after successful verification of the PIN code.

An object can not be protected with multiple authentication objects in PKCS#15. Furthermore, the specific access type (operation on the object) can not be specified. The following table lists the operations that can be protected with authentication objects in the PKCS#15 sense.

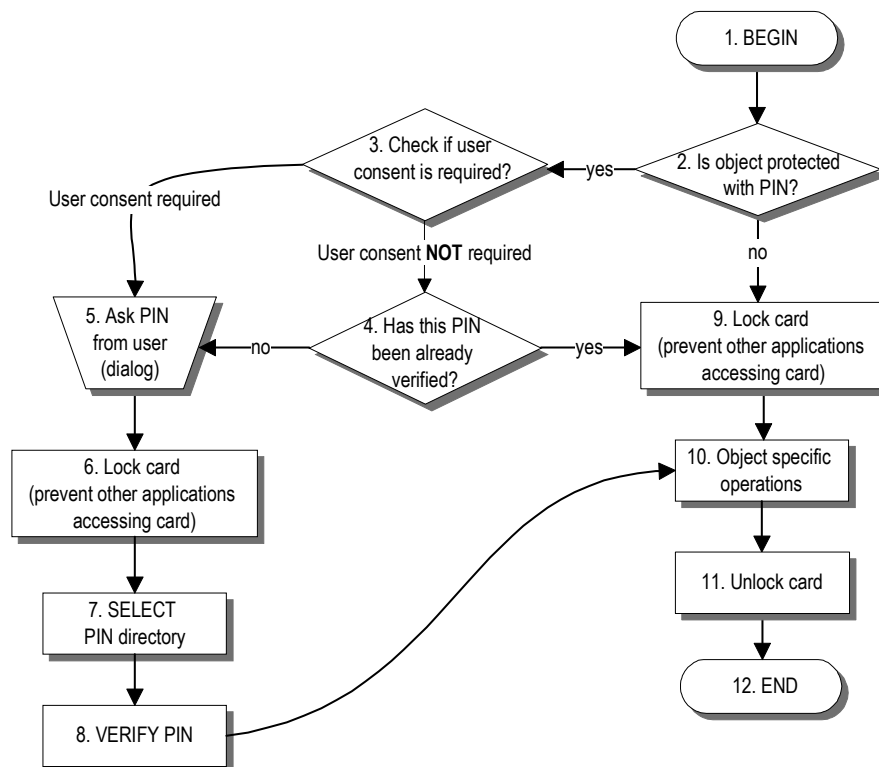


**Table 28. Objects and protected operations**

| Object type           | Operations protected with the authentication object  |
|-----------------------|--|
| Private key           | Private key operations<br>- sign (PSO: COMPUTE DIGITAL SIGNATURE)<br>- decrypt (PSO: DECIPHER)                                       |
| Public key            | Public key operations ( <b>not used in FINEID context</b> )<br>- verify (PSO: VERIFY DIGITAL SIGNATURE)<br>- encrypt (PSO: ENCIPHER) |
| Secret key            | Secret key operations ( <b>not used in FINEID context</b> )<br>- encrypt<br>- decrypt  |
| Certificate           | Reading the contents of the certificate  |
| Data object           | Reading the contents of data the object  |
| Authentication object | The authentication object can be used to unblock this authentication object (e.g. unblocking PIN is used).                           |

**5.4.1. Accessing objects**

The flowchart below describes one possible solution for accessing objects and fulfilling the authentication requirements (PIN verifications) of these objects.



**Figure 2. Example of PIN logic**

The command sequence in PIN verification consists of two commands described below.

Select PIN directory specified in PKCS15PinAttributes.path (example path OCTET STRING = 3F 00 11 22):

| Command | CLA | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data  | Le |
|---------|-----|-----|----|----|----|---|----|
| SELECT  | 00  | A4  | 08 | 00 | 02 | 11 22<br>(MF file identifier 3F 00 removed) | -  |

Verify PIN. Padding is done according to PKCS15PinAttributes (storedLength, padChar). The P2 value is taken from PKCS15PinAttributes.pinReference (example value 01)

| Command | CLA | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data   | Le |
|---------|-----|-----|----|----|----|--|----|
| VERIFY  | 00  | 20  | 00 | 01 | 08 | 31 32 33 34 00 00 00 00<br>(PIN = 1234 in ASCII with 00 padding) | -  |

The verification status of a PIN may be dropped automatically to state ‘not verified’ by the card operating system after performing e.g. a private key operation. This is indicated by the **userConsent** element of the private key object (this feature was introduced in PKCS#15 v1.0 Amendment 1 Draft #1). E.g. **userConsent** value set to one for a private key object indicates that the card holder must manually enter the PIN for each private key operation. Requiring user interaction for all operations done with a specific private key is a trade-off between usability and security. It is anticipated that this feature will be used for performing legally binding non-repudiable digital signatures only.

The object specific operations in step 10 include the ones in the Table 28. Objects and protected operations.

#### 5.4.2. Login required flag

In addition to the ‘on demand’ access control of objects in PKCS#15 it is also possible to protect some of the object directory files. The EF(TokenInfo) contains a PKCS15TokenFlags.loginRequired flag indicating that the first authentication object in the AODF is used to protect other object directory files than ODF and AODF (PKCS#15 chapter 7.9 and annex B).

### 5.5. Private key operations (sign and decrypt)

There may be multiple private keys in the same PKCS#15 card. The host application must first determine which one of these private keys to use. This can be done e.g. based on the information inside card holder certificates according to application specific criteria (e.g. key usage bits and CA policy OIDs). Each certificate contains a pointer to the corresponding private key object.

Private keys are accessed like any other objects according to Figure 2. The command sequence of step 10 of that flowchart is described below.

#### 5.5.1. Signature operation

It is assumed that PIN verification is already done and current DF is the PKCS#15 DF.

Restore the empty SE:

| Command         | CLA | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data | Le |
|-----------------|-----|-----|----|----|----|------|----|
| MSE:<br>RESTORE | 00  | 22  | F3 | 00 | -  | -    | -  |

Set the following properties into the SE Digital Signature Template:

- algorithm reference (= 12 i.e. RSASSA-PKCS1-v1\_5 signature with SHA-1, card does padding and DigestInfo encapsulating of the hash)
- key file path (= 1122 from PKCS15PrivateRSAKeyAttributes.value path)
- key reference (= 00 from PKCS15CommonKeyAttributes.keyReference)

| Command  | CLA | INS | P1                | P2                         | Lc | Data  | Le |
|----------|-----|-----|-------------------|----------------------------|----|---|----|
| MSE: SET | 00  | 22  | 81<br>computation | B6<br>DST in data<br>field | 0A | 80 01 12<br>(algorithm reference = 12)<br>81 02 11 22<br>(private key file identifier)<br>84 01 00<br>(key reference) | -  |

Sign the hash calculated by the host application:

| Command                                 | CLA | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data   | Le |
|---|-----|-----|----|----|----|--|----|
| PSO:<br>COMPUTE<br>DIGITAL<br>SIGNATURE | 00  | 2A  | 9E | 9A | 14 | 4B 52 16 5B 4A B6 54 C3 E5 4F<br>64 B5 F1 EE A6 45 D4 6B 65 C8 | XX |

XX is the maximum length of the digital signature returned in response.

Get the response in T=0 protocol:

| Command         | CLA | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data   | Le |
|-----------------|-----|-----|----|----|----|--|----|
| GET<br>RESPONSE | 00  | C0  | 00 | 00 | -  | 53 B7 FF 19 A4 ... A3 90 8E 4A<br>(e.g. 128 bytes of digital signature if 1024<br>bit modulus) | XX |

### 5.5.2. Decrypt operation

It is assumed that PIN verification is already done and current DF is the PKCS#15 DF.

Restore the empty SE:

| Command         | CLA | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data | Le |
|-----------------|-----|-----|----|----|----|------|----|
| MSE:<br>RESTORE | 00  | 22  | F3 | 00 | -  | -    | -  |

Set the following properties into the SE Confidentiality Template:

- algorithm reference (= 02 i.e. RSAES-PKCS1-v1\_5 decryption, card removes padding)
- key file path (= 33 44 from PKCS15PrivateRSAKeyAttributes.value path)
- key reference (= 00 from PKCS15CommonKeyAttributes.keyReference)

| Command  | CLA | INS | P1               | P2                        | Lc | Data  | Le |
|----------|-----|-----|------------------|---------------------------|----|---|----|
| MSE: SET | 00  | 22  | 41<br>decryption | B8<br>CT in data<br>field | 0A | 80 01 02<br>(algorithm reference = 02)<br>81 02 33 44<br>(private key file identifier)<br>84 01 00<br>(key reference) | -  |

Decrypt the modulus size (example 1024 bits) cryptogram:

| Command          | CLA | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data   | Le |
|------------------|-----|-----|----|----|----|--|----|
| PSO:<br>DECIPHER | 00  | 2A  | 80 | 86 | 81 | 00 (padding indicator byte)<br>4B 52 16 ... 54 C3 E5<br>(cryptogram) | XX |

XX is the maximum length of the decrypted cryptogram. PKCS#1 v1.5 padding is removed by the card when using the algorithm 02.

Get the response in T=0 protocol:

| Command         | CLA | INS | P1 | P2 | Lc | Data   | Le |
|-----------------|-----|-----|----|----|----|--|----|
| GET<br>RESPONSE | 00  | C0  | 00 | 00 | -  | 11 22 33 44 55 66 77 88 99 00 11 22<br>(decrypted payload) | XX |