



# DNSSEC Implementation at .CR

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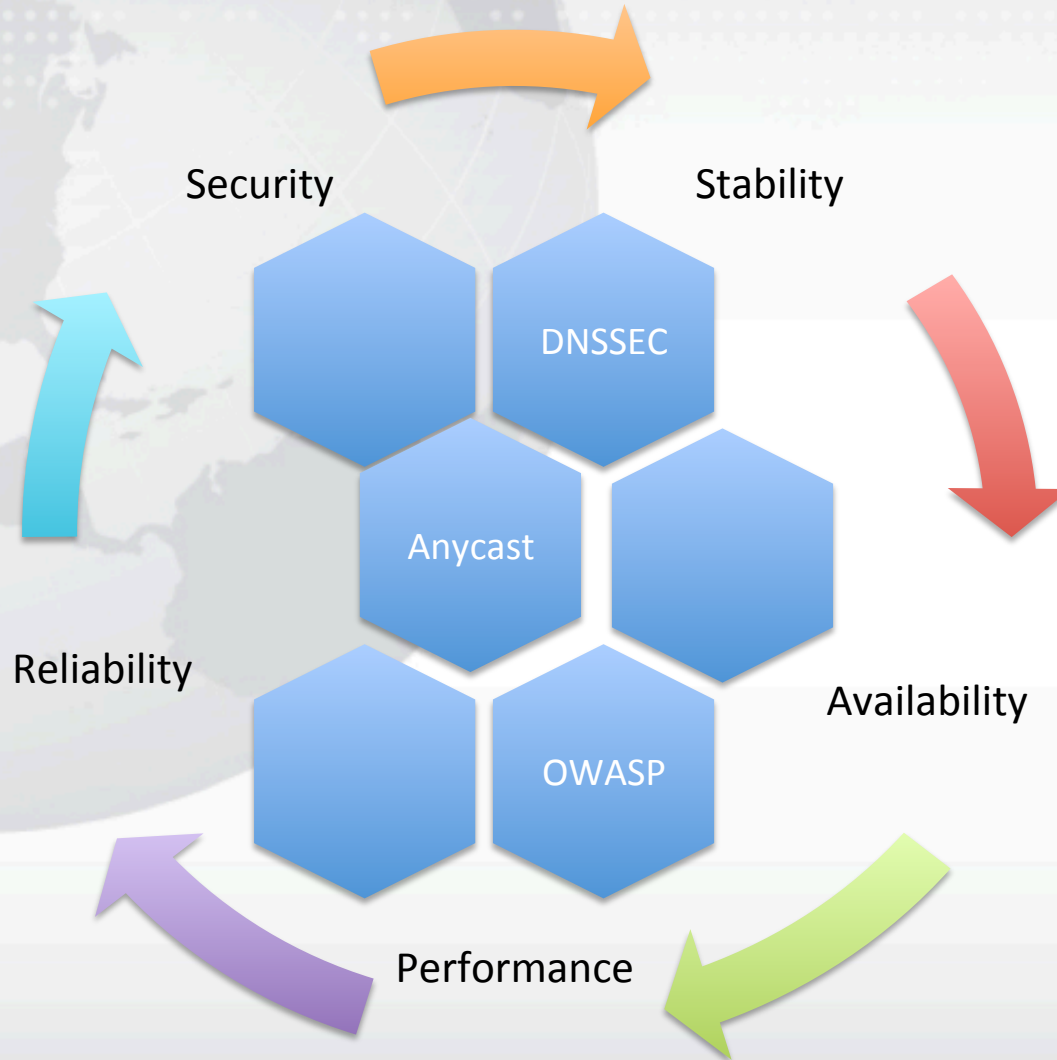
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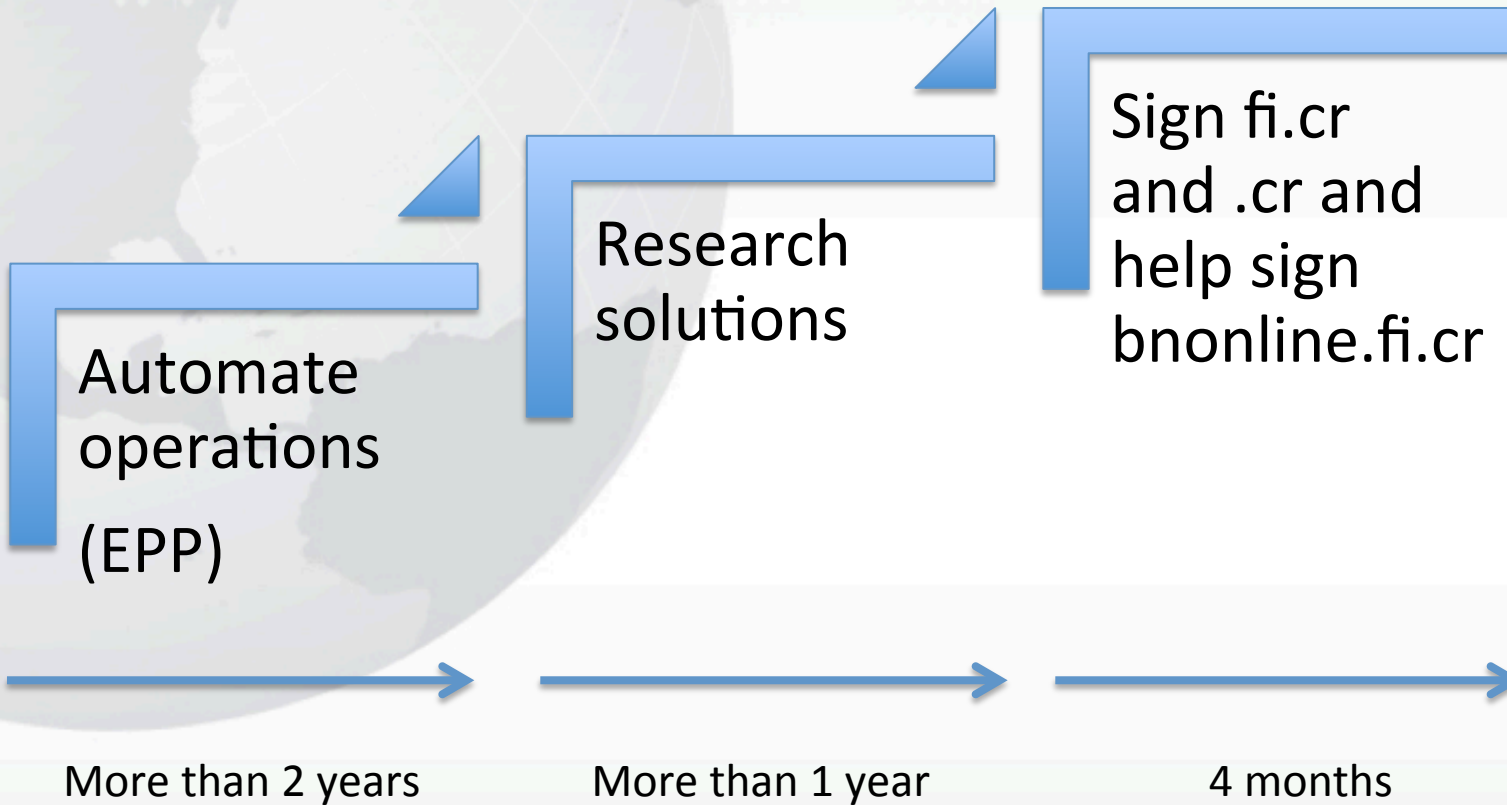
# Agenda

- Introduction
- Planning
- Research and development
- Implementation
- The results.

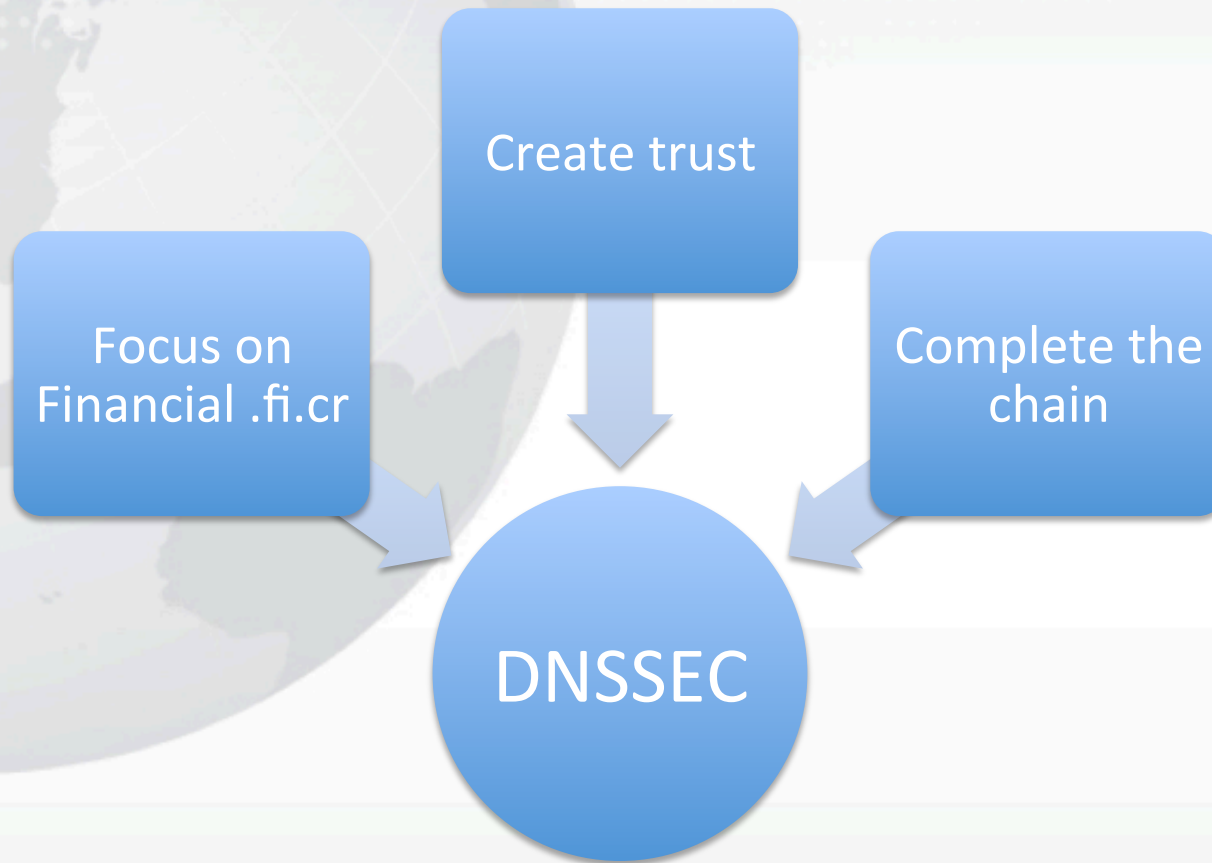
# Introduction



# Planning DNSSEC Deploy



# Implementation



# Implementation details

- Look for an important Bank under .fi.cr to present a pilot project – Banco Nacional de Costa Rica.
- Implement DNSSEC for .fi.cr and chain with .cr, then chain with root-servers.
- Use hardware based solution (new low cost solution based on TPM).
- DNSSEC Policy Statement

# Goals Achieved

DNSSEC  
awareness

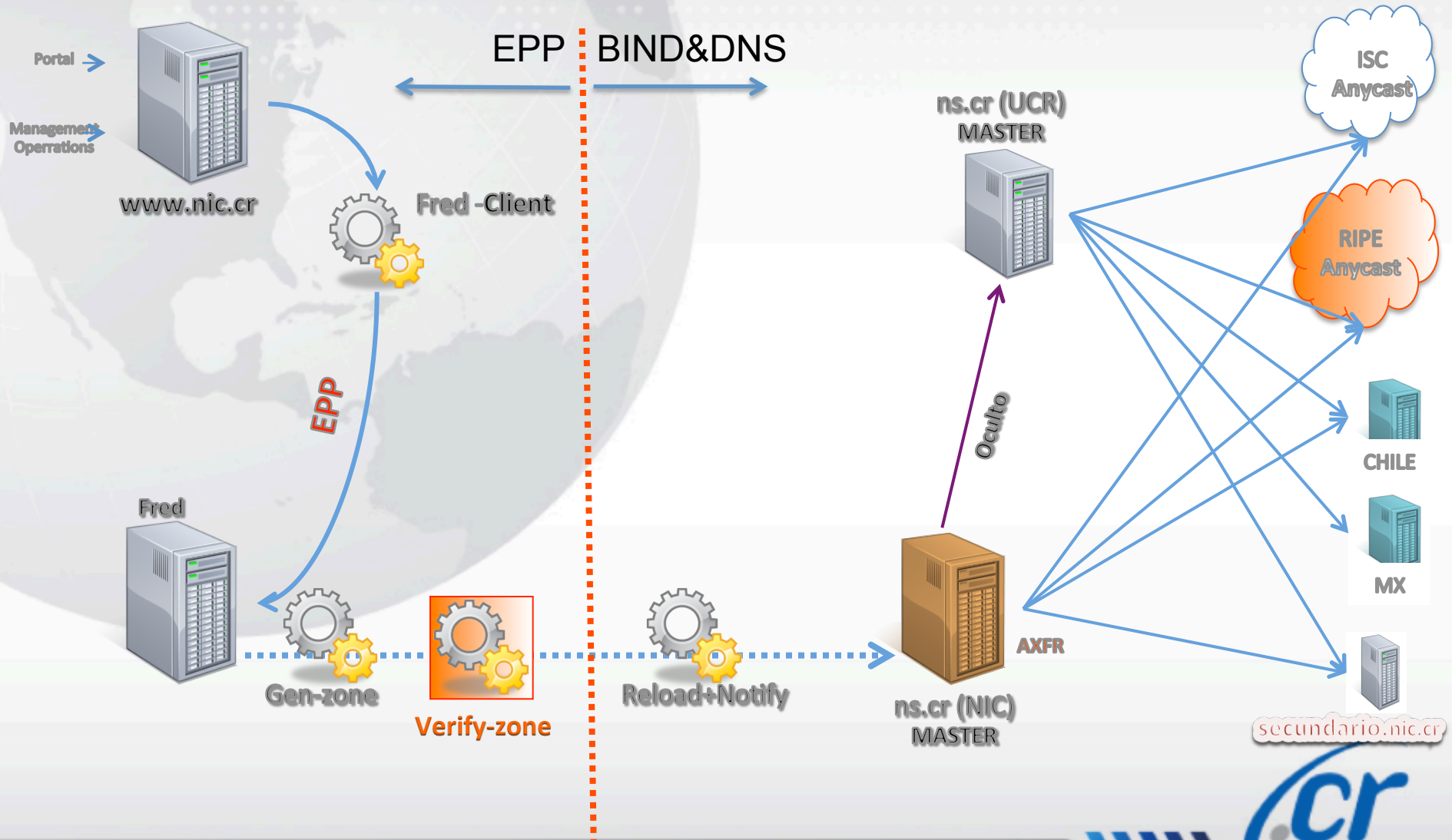
- Banco Nacional embrace DNSSEC

Implement

- Signer using TPM
- Signing and re-signing integrated within flow
- DPS in Spanish



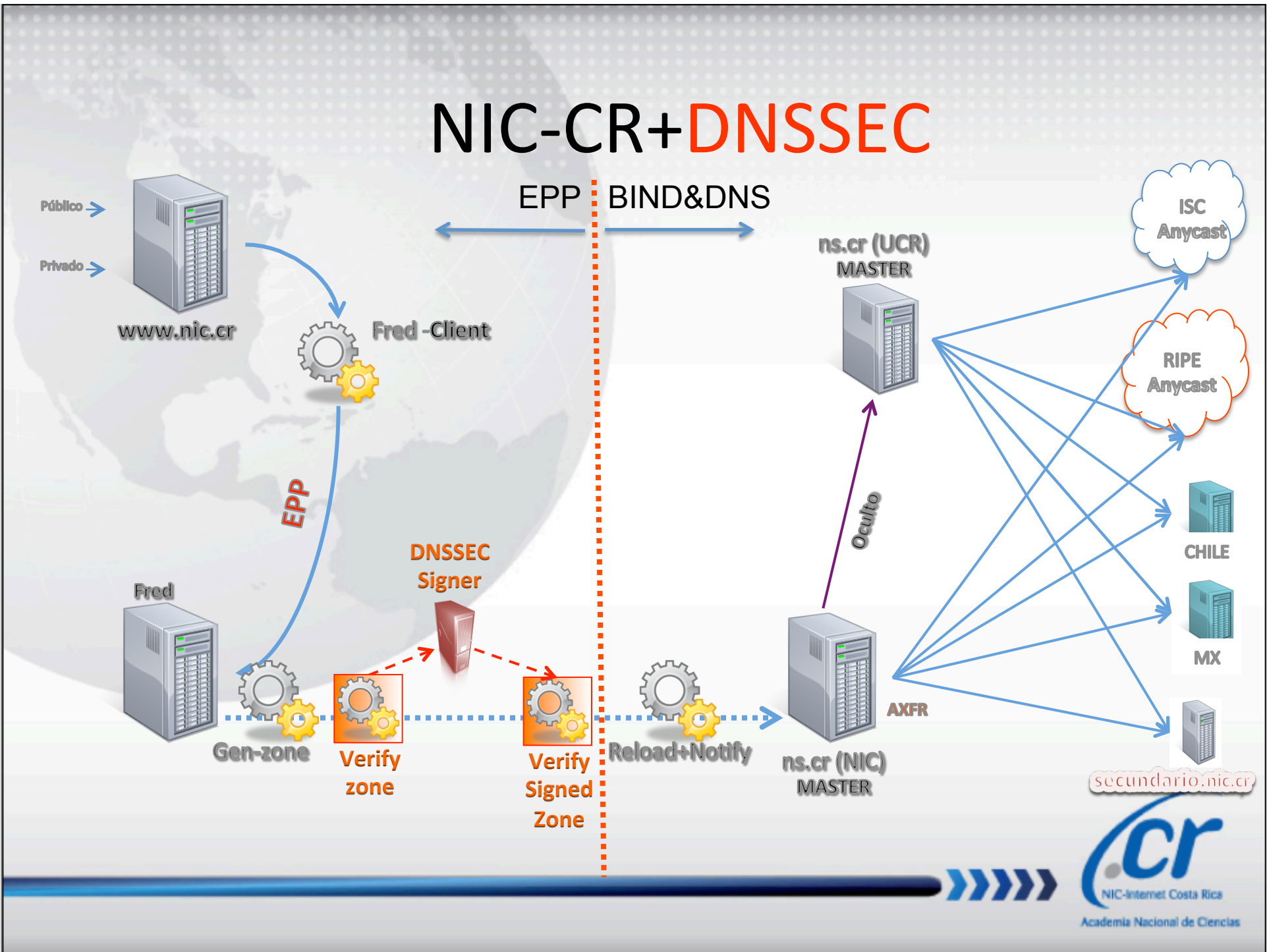
# EPP - Architecture NIC-CR





# NIC-CR+DNSSEC

EPP BIND&DNS



# DNSSEC Signer



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/etc/init.d/bind9 reload
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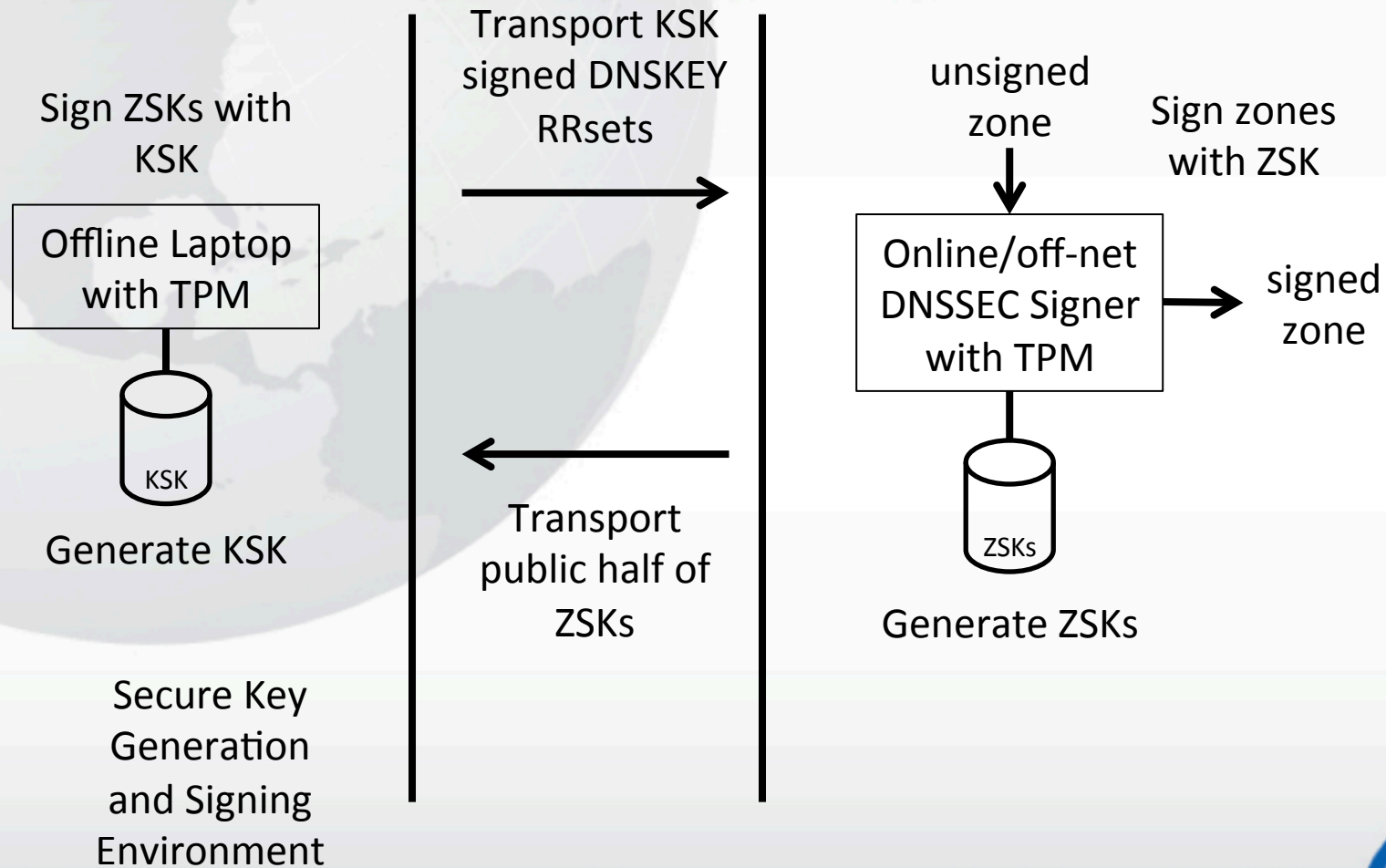
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export PKCS11_LIBRARY_PATH=/usr/lib/openssl/libopenssl.so.0
export PKCS11_LIBRARY_PIN="$zpin"
# Generate salt for NSEC3 (do rarely)
salt=`printf %04x%04x $RANDOM $RANDOM`
/usr/local/dnssec/dnssec-signzone -K /usr/local/dnssec -v 3 -A -3 $salt -x -s now
-e +1446000 -o $tmpfile

# p. ej.: ./firma.zona co.cr db..co.cr dnskeyrrset.co.cr
cat /etc/bind/db.cr /etc/bind/dsset-??..cr. /etc/bind/dsset-nic.cr. /etc/bind/dsset-
-crnet.cr. /usr/local/dnssec/dnskeyrrset > $tmpfile

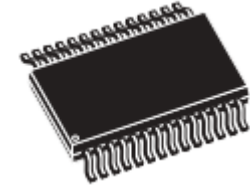
# Sign it with ZSK
export PKCS11_LIBRARY_PATH=/usr/lib/openssl/libopenssl.so.0
export PKCS11_LIBRARY_PIN="$zpin"
# Generate salt for NSEC3 (do rarely)
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/usr/local/dnssec/dnssec-signzone -K /usr/local/dnssec -v 3 -A -3 $salt -x -s now
-e +1446000 -o cr $tmpfile
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57 /usr/local/bin/integridad.zonas.2
31 /usr/local/dnssec/firma.zona.cr
31 /usr/local/dnssec/firma.zona.sub
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# Key Management



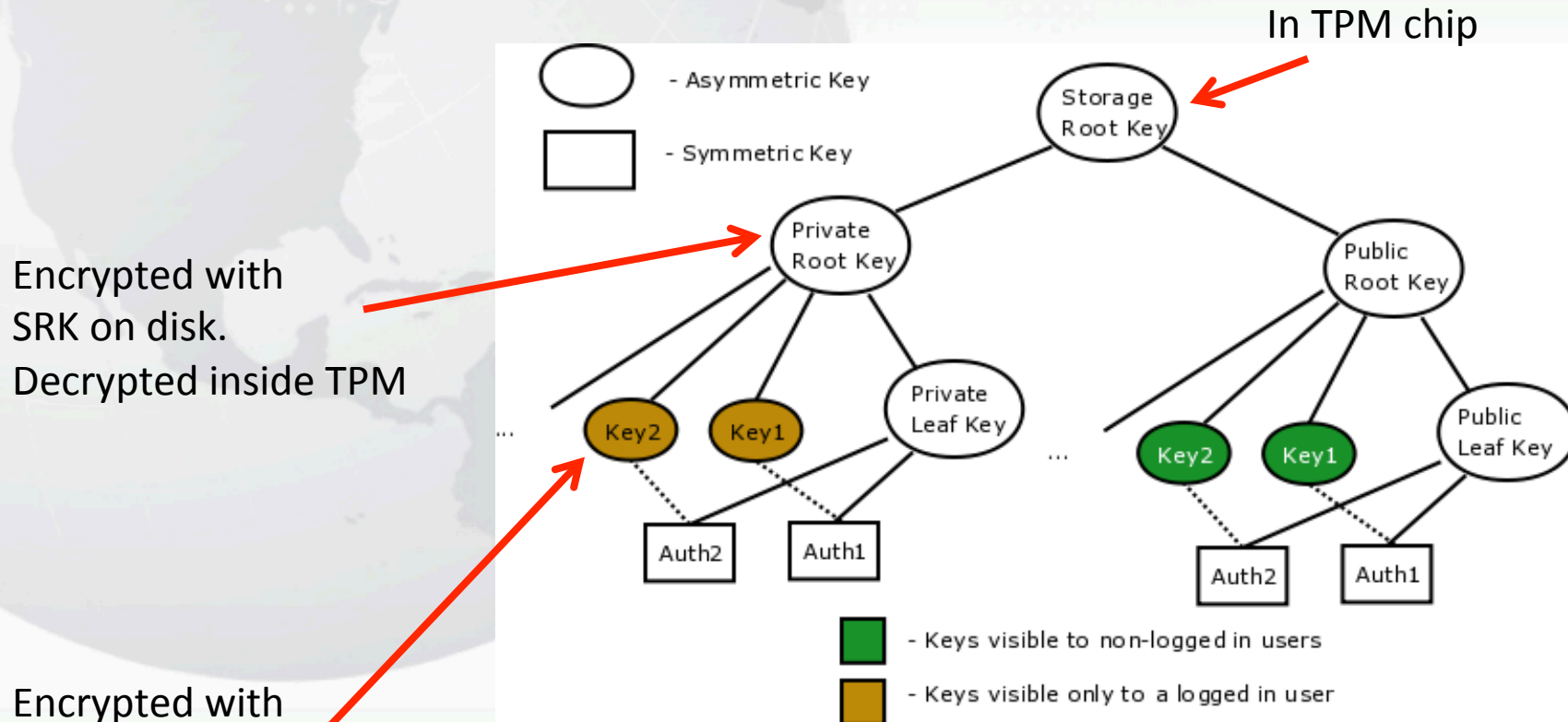
# A little about the Trusted Platform Module (TPM)



- Easy to obtain crypto. Built in standard H/W
- Supported by open source software
- Not fast (~1 RSA 1024 sig/s) but may be sufficient and theoretically capable ~10x
- Built in H/W RNG
- PKCS11 interface simplifies upgrade to HSM



# TPM Trousers/opencryptoki Framework



Encrypted with SRK on disk.  
Decrypted inside TPM

Encrypted with Root Key on disk.  
Decrypted inside TPM

Diagram courtesy Kent Yoder

From <http://trousers.sourceforge.net/pkcs11.html>



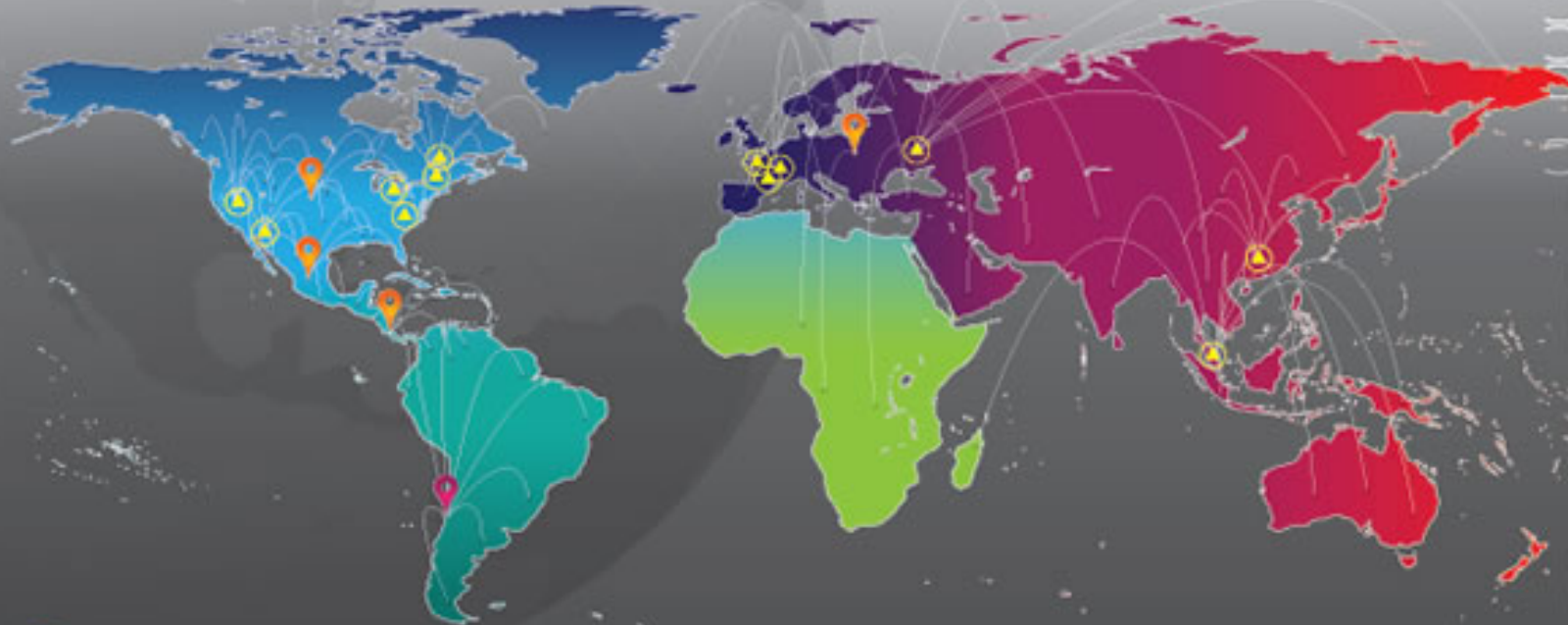
# Pros and Cons

- Cons
  - Key “migration” (i.e., backup) complexity
  - H/W Driver support
  - Slow speed
  - Non-obvious key management framework
- Pros
  - Easy to obtain
  - “free”

# Main issues

- Cisco firewall:
  - policy-map type inspect dns preset\_dns\_map
    - Parameters
    - message-length maximum 4096.
- Find how to backup TPM keys before place sign in production environment.
- Process to approve and publish DPS.
- TPM is slow. Total process time 15 minutes.

## Secondary Name Servers distribution for .cr



-  Basic Coverage: May 2011 - Mexico, USA, RIPE (EU), C.R.
-  New coverage: Chile
-  New coverage - Anycast: East Coast, West Coast, Asia, Europe.

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# bnonline.fi.cr

- Face to face meeting to awareness about the benefits of DNSSEC.
- Technical work session to explain concepts.
- Self signing process and email send of the DS.
- Incorporation of DS of bnonline.fi.cr within db..fi.cr via hourly script (don't use Fred for this yet).

# Checking with dnsviz.net

## Notices

### RRset status

#### Secure (1)

- bnonline.fi.cr/SOA

### DNSKEY/DS/NSEC status

#### Secure (11)

- ./DNSKEY (alg 8, id 19036)
- ./DNSKEY (alg 8, id 51201)
- bnonline.fi.cr/DNSKEY (alg 5, id 25080)
- bnonline.fi.cr/DNSKEY (alg 5, id 39938)
- bnonline.fi.cr/DS
- cr/DNSKEY (alg 8, id 29890)
- cr/DNSKEY (alg 8, id 30964)
- cr/DS
- fi.cr/DNSKEY (alg 8, id 40691)
- fi.cr/DNSKEY (alg 8, id 62674)
- fi.cr/DS

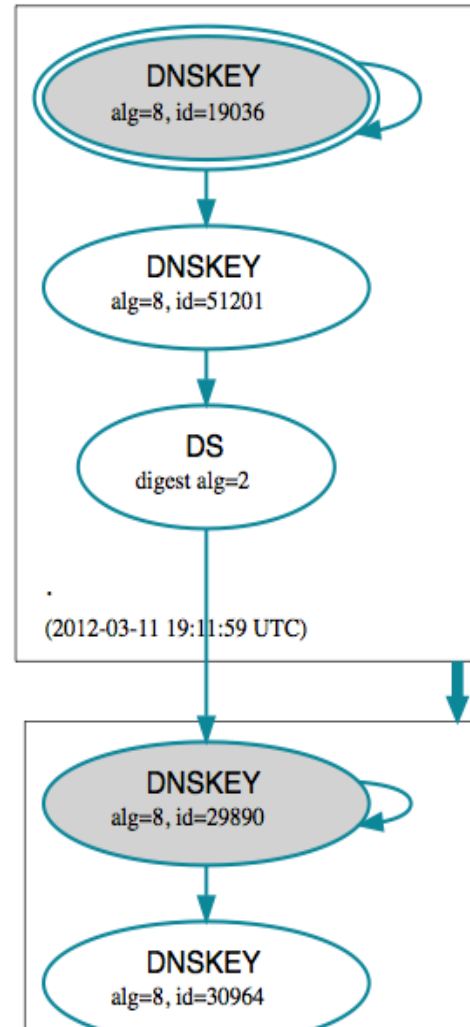
### Delegation status

#### Secure (3)

- . to cr
- cr to fi.cr
- fi.cr to bnonline.fi.cr

## DNSSEC Authentication Chain

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Questions?

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# Key management room



Security  
Camera

Offline PC  
with TPM

# Key backup and custody

Tamper evidence bags labeled

3 USB flashdrives with copies of Keys. Local and remote (bank) in safeboxes

