

## CCITT X.509 (1c)

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**Summary:** Correction of the CCITT X.509 (1) one message protocol.

### Protocol specification (in common syntax)

A, B : principal

Na, Nb : nonce

Ta, Tb : timestamp

Ya, Yb : userdata

Xa, Xb : userdata

PK, SK : principal -> key (keypair)

h : userdata -> userdata (one-way)

1. A -> B : A, {Ta, Na, B, Xa, {Ya, {h(Ya)}SK(A)}PK(B)}SK(A)

### Description of the protocol rules

See CCITT X.509 (1). The solution proposed in [AN96] to correct the authentication flaw in the CCITT X.509 (1) one message protocol is to sign the secret data Ya before it is encrypted.

### Requirements

The protocol must ensure the recipient B of the message that the data Xa and Ya originate from A.

### References

[AN96], [CCI87].

### See also

CCITT X.509 (1), CCITT X.509 (3).

## Citations

- [AN96] Martín Abadi and Roger Needham. Prudent engineering practice for cryptographic protocols. *IEEE Transactions on Software Engineering*, 22(1):6–15, January 1996.
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