

Protection of Privacy Right in the Digital Age

- How to Protect Privacy Right by the
technology of Information Security-

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Outline

1. Discuss the privacy leakage from our usual life.

Our life has been digitalized.

→ Show 4 common scenarios.

1. through the Internet
2. at a shop
3. In a library
4. In a hospital

Our privacy may be leaked out.

How and Why? – give the reason in the detail.

2. Is there any technological solution to protect privacy?

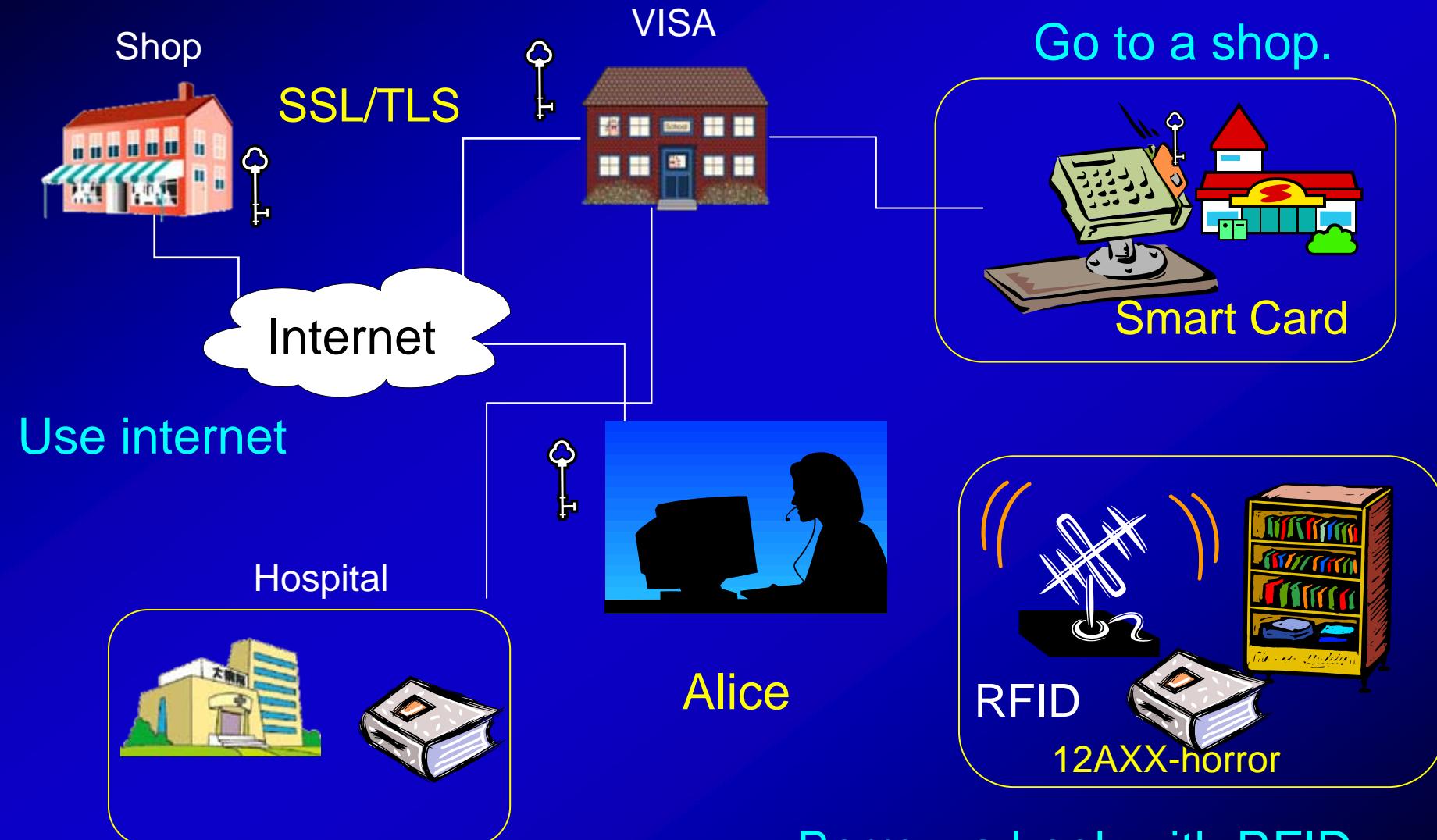
anonymity (pseudonym),

unlink-ability

group identification,

probabilistic encryption

Our life has been digitalized



Go to Hospital for eye checkup.

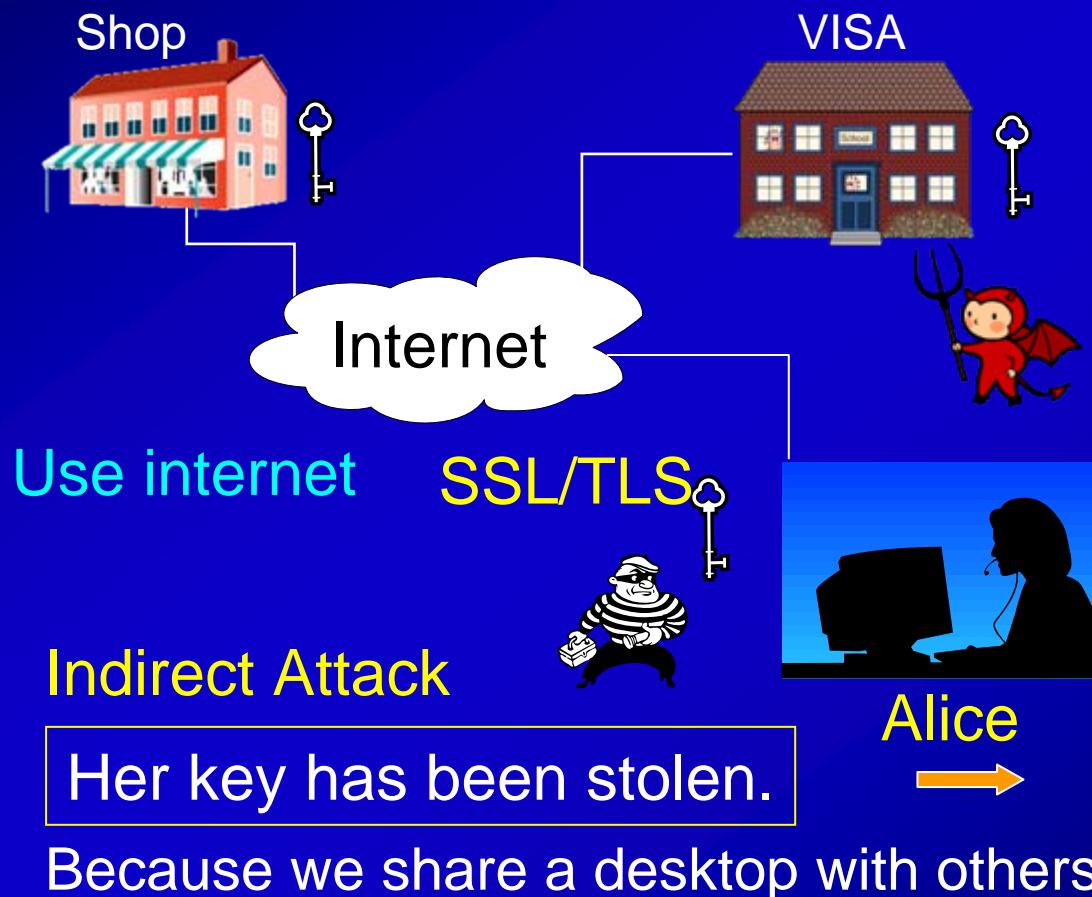
Borrow a book with RFID
(Radio Frequency Identification)

Our privacy is leaked out 1

It seems secure by encryption.

→ Keep security analysis against algorithm.

Need a fault tolerance system that stands if a key is stolen.



Our privacy may be leaked out without awareness!!

Our privacy is leaked out 2

It seems secure: face-to-face communication without Internet, a smart card, assured theoretically, and a card never stolen.

→ Pay attention to realistic analysis as well as theoretical analysis.



Indirect Attack Side-channel attack

Use the leaked device information like power consumption during process and guess a key easily than a direct (theoretical) attack.

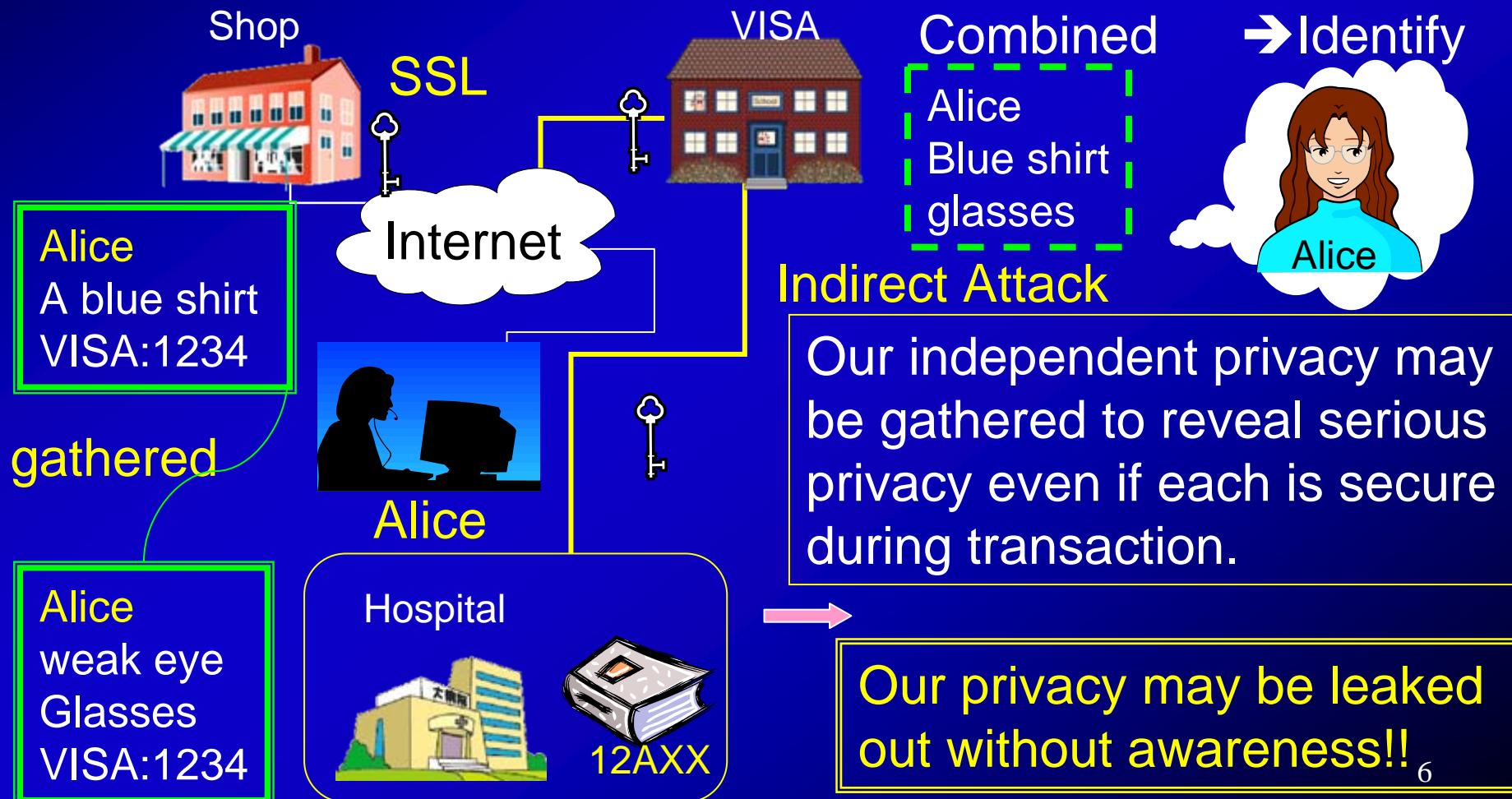
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Our privacy is leaked out 3

It seems secure by end to end encryption based on SSL/TLS.

→ Encryption is not enough.

Anonymity (or pseudonym) is necessary.



Our privacy may be leaked out 4

What is privacy? – name, address and income are all?

→ Our simple & various privacy such as location, opinion, idea, etc have been digitalized.

Anonymity is not enough.

Unlink-ability between information is necessary

Back to home



A person who loves horror lives here.

Go to a shop.



A person who loves horror stopped here.

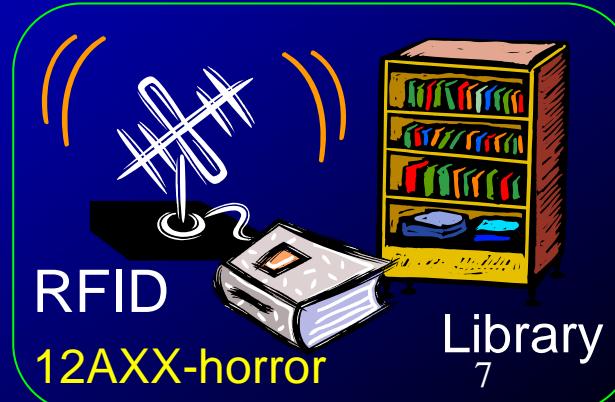
Go to a hospital.



linkable

A person who loves horror is here.

Borrow a book with RFID



Why our privacy may be leaked out? Because

- Weak algorithm or implementation
- We've lost a key (human fault)
- Independent information are combined
- Linkage among information

What technology protects our privacy?

- Analyze a secure algorithm & implementation.
- Key evolving algorithm: minimize damage of a lost key
- Group Identification: authenticate without revealing private inf.
- **Probabilistic Encryption**: randomize information

Probabilistic Encryption

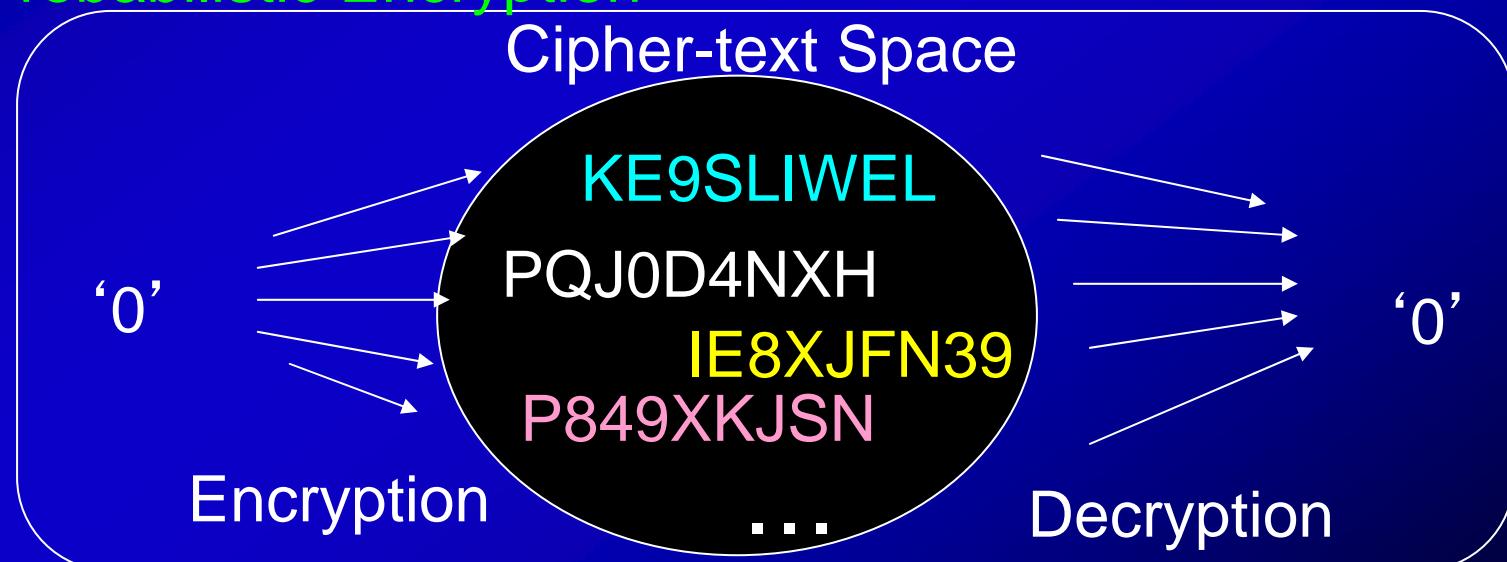
Deterministic Enc: A plaintext is encrypted to **one** cipher-text.

Probabilistic Enc: A plaintext is encrypted to **two and more** different cipher-texts.

Deterministic Encryption

‘0’ → SJAJIWE54S → ‘0’
encryption decryption

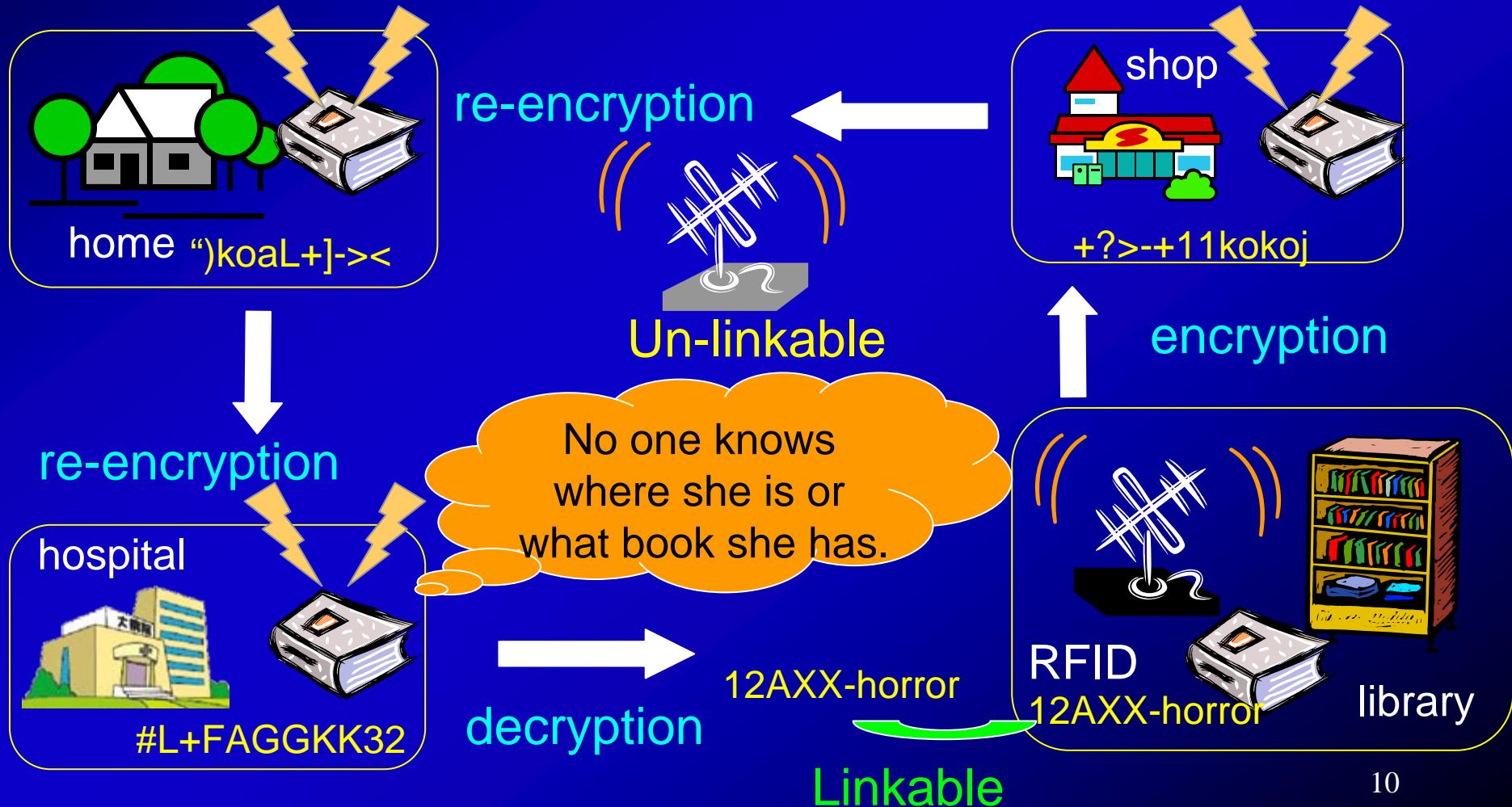
Probabilistic Encryption



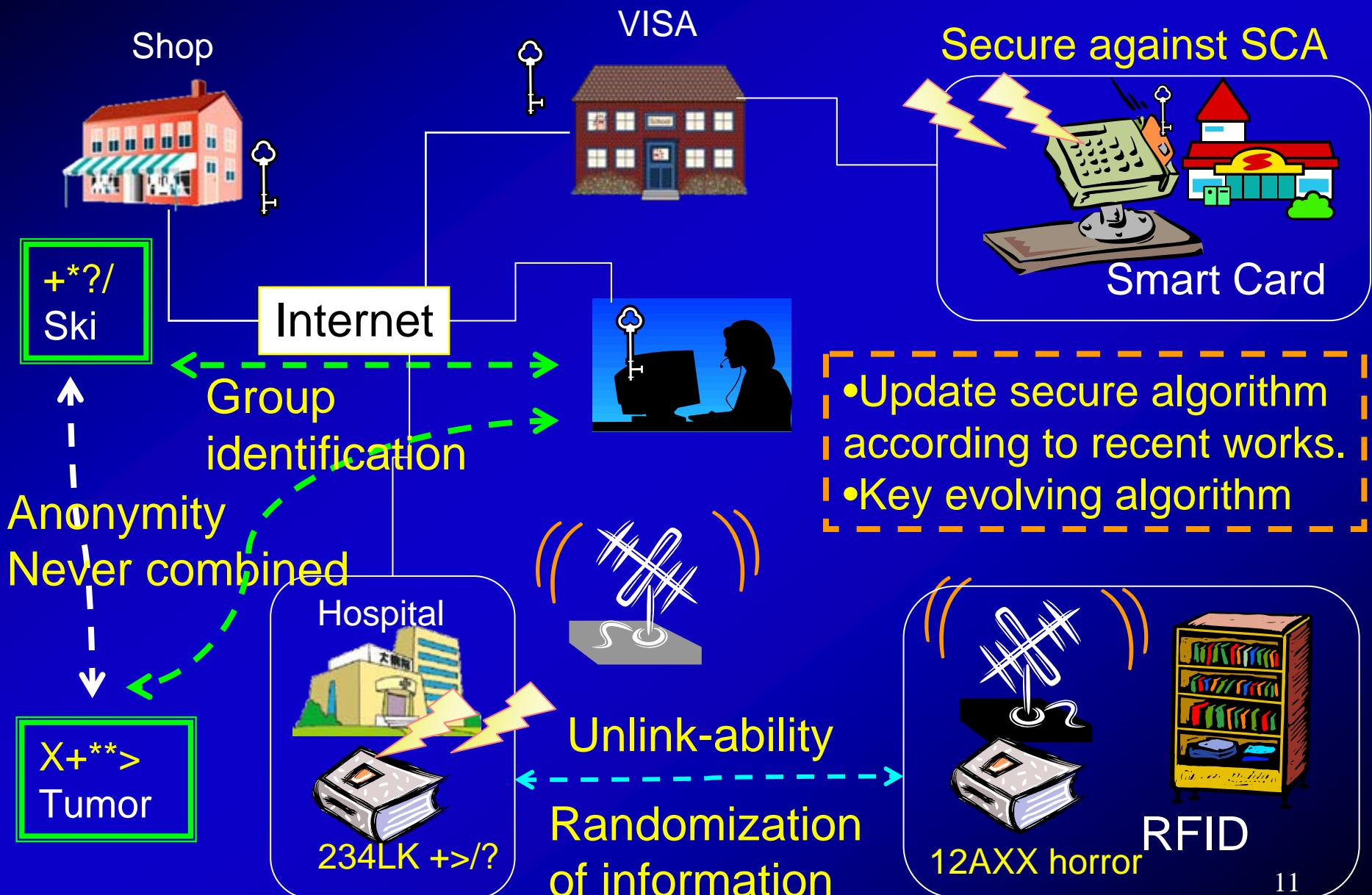
Privacy Protection by Probabilistic Enc

Encrypt ID information
by a probabilistic enc.

Realize unlink-ability
among privacies.



Protect Privacy by Security Integration



Concluding Remarks

We have shown how information security protects our privacy.

- Analyze a secure algorithm & implementation.
- Key evolving algorithm ensures the security of a lost key.
- Group identification realizes anonymous authentication.
- Probabilistic encryption randomizes information.

Is there another key technology?

- Public verification realizes the transparency even if it is executed anonymously.

In future work, more flexible security integration will be required.

- Give a way that a user can control the privacy level.
 - Security requirement depends on people or case.
- Provide the minimum integration to various privacy level.
 - Each work is done independently and simple combination makes system huge and inconvenient.

Question or Comment?

Thank you for your attention