



z/OS Key Management for non-z/OS Folks

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THE EXCHANGE

Agenda – z/OS Key Management for non-z/OS Folks

- Key Stores
- Master Keys
- Operational Keys
- Tooling







z/OS Key Repositories

- Cryptographic Key Data Set (CKDS)
 - AES keys
 - DES/TDES keys
- PKA Key Data Set (PKDS)
 - ECC keys
 - RSA keys
 - Public and/or public/private key pairs
- Token Key Data Set (TKDS)
 - PKCS #11 objects
- Key stores are 'System data sets'
 - Part of the operating system; backed up and managed by your Systems team as part of normal operations

CKDS

e_{DES-MK}(Application key)

e_{AES-MK}(Application key)

PKDS

e_{RSA-MK}(PKA Privatekey)

e_{ECC-MK}(ECC Privatekey)

TKDS

e_{P11-MK}(Application key)





MKVP Master Key Verification Patterns

Crypto Express (CEX) Card

UD/LPAR	LPAR1	LPAR2	LPARx	LPARx
AES	F03CF42DB933BF1E			
DES	E9572EFFDAA14AA8			
ECC	DA3A14F9F92D5C3F			
RSA	15D7602B7CD493BC			
P11		920989099DA448		

CKDS

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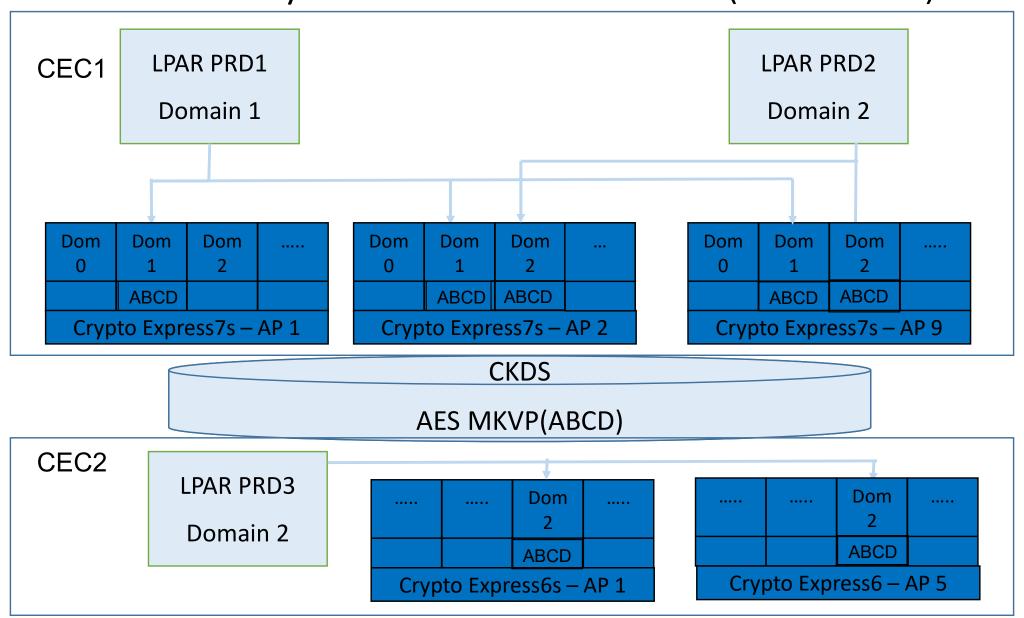
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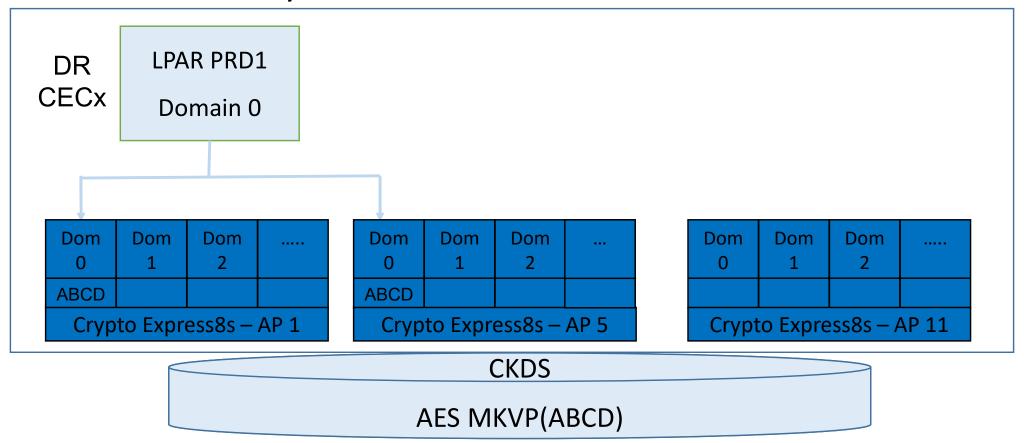
Master Keys reside in the HSM (CEX card)







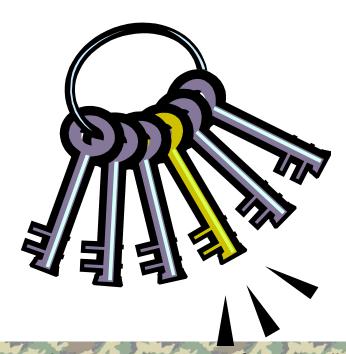
Master Keys reside in the DR HSM





Loading Master Keys

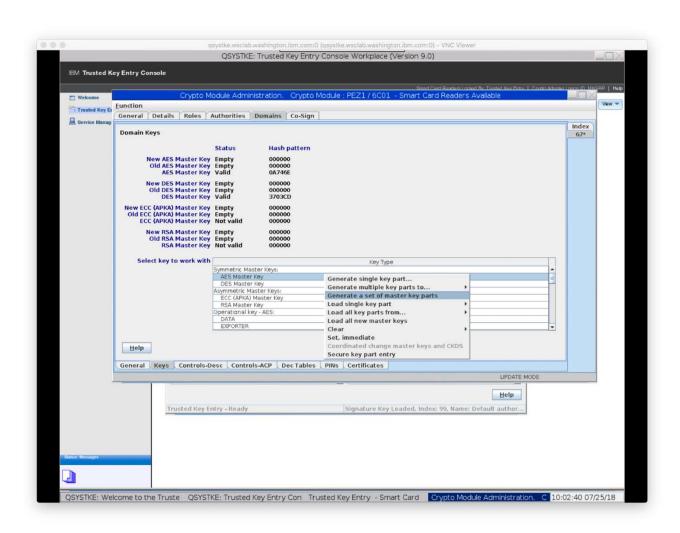
- Passphrase Initialization (aka PPINIT)
- ISPF Panels for ICSF
- From the Trusted Key Entry Workstation







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Operational Keys

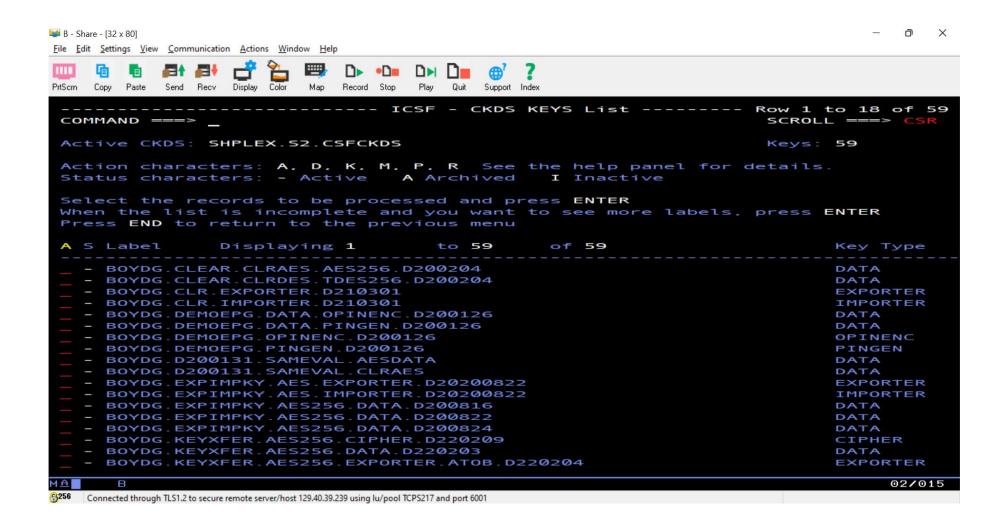
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- CLRAES, CLRDES
- CIPHER
- DECIPHER, ENCIPHER
- CIPHERXI, CIPHERXL, CIPHERXC
- DATAM, DATAMV
- MAC, MACVER
- HMAC
- PINGEN, PINVER

- IPINENC, OPINENC
- PINCALC
- PINPROT
- PINPRW
- EXPORTER/IMPORTER
- IMPPKA
- IKEYXLAT, OKEYXLAT
- KEYGENKY, DKYGENKY
- CVARENC, CVARXCVL, CVARXCVR
- SECMSG





Key Label and Key Type







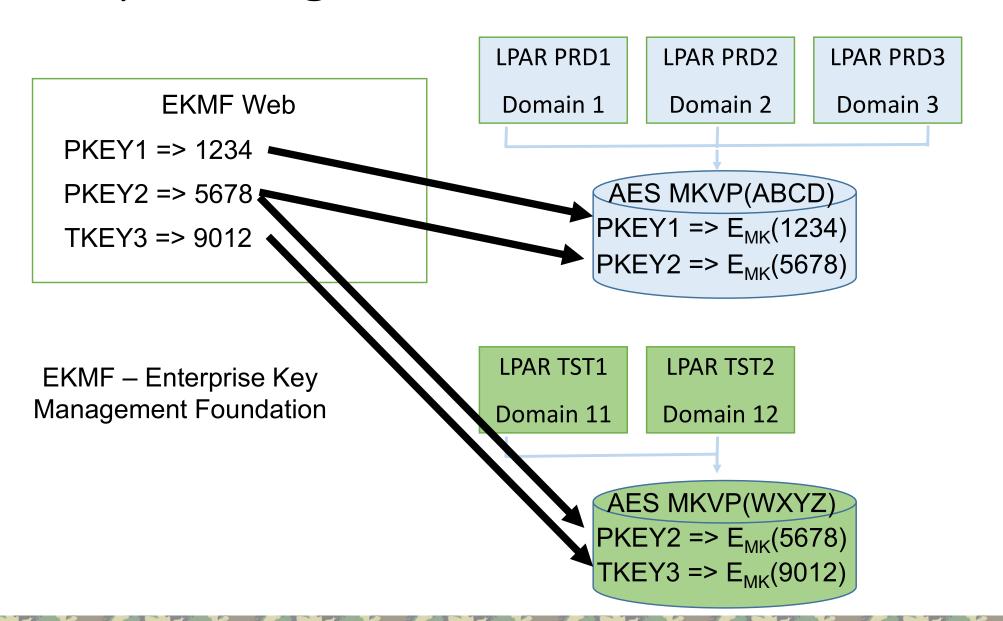
Key Labels

- 64 byte character string, left justified, right padded with blanks
- 1st character alphabetic or national (#, \$, @)
- The rest can be alphabetic, national or period (.)
- All alphabetic are upper case
- Used, along with the key type, to find the specific key in the key store
- Used to identify the security profile that controls who and what access authority an individual has to the key

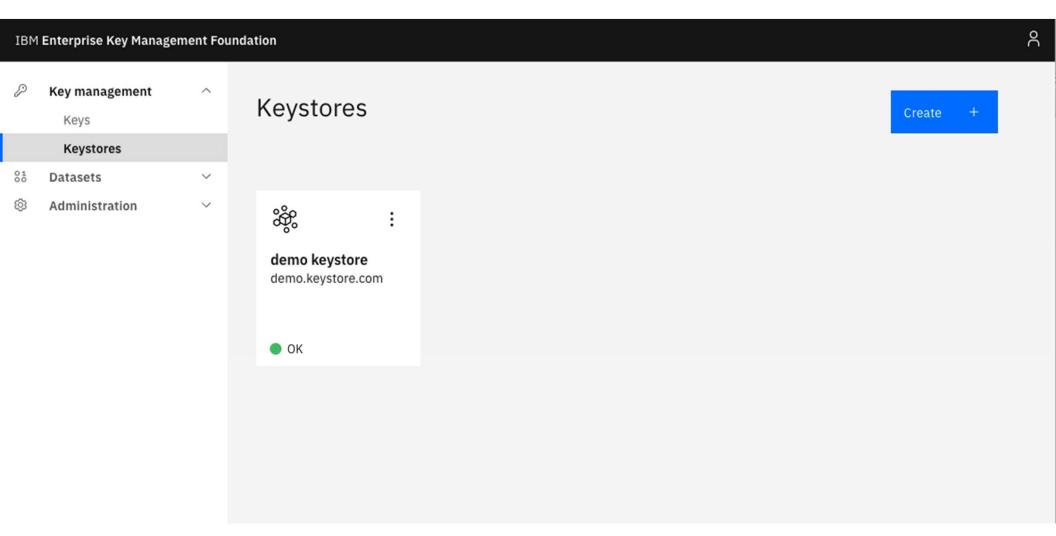




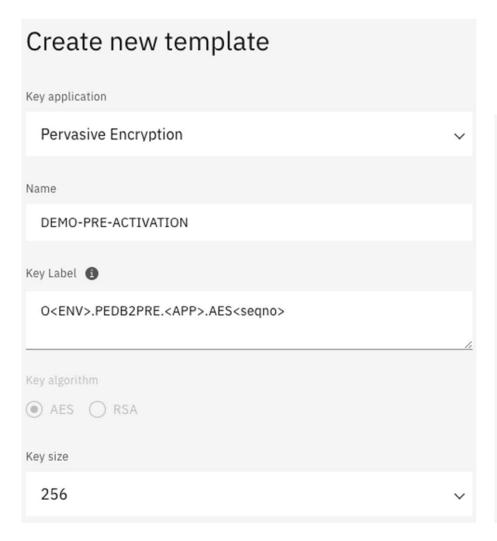
Key Management and Distribution

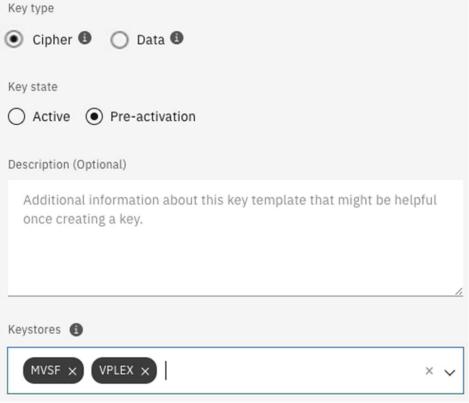




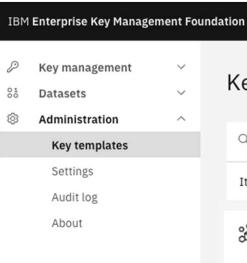




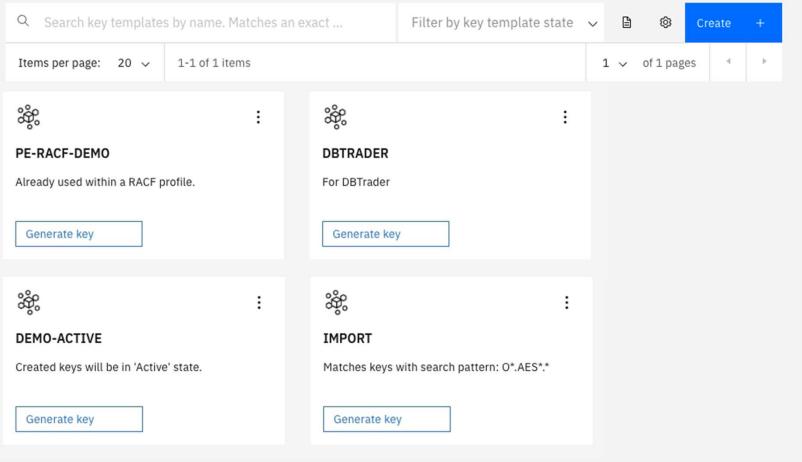






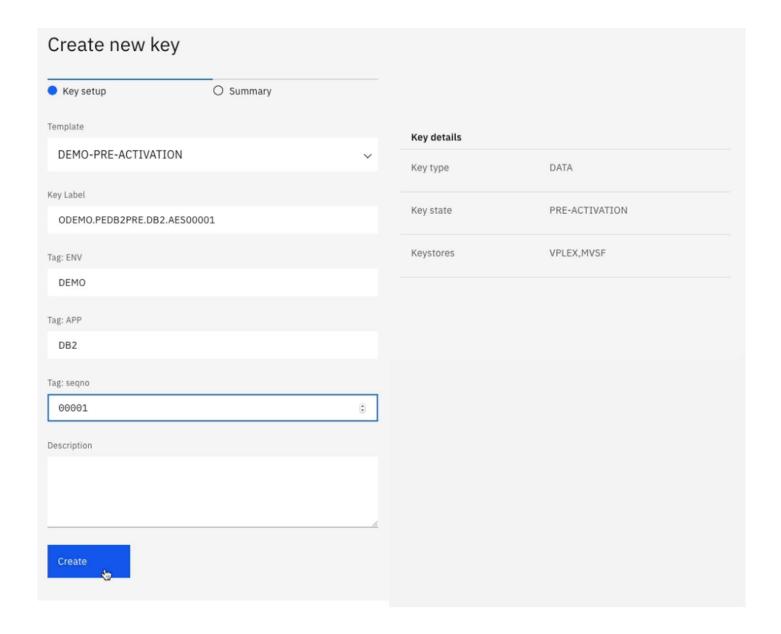


Key Templates











Summary

- Master keys protect your operational keys
- Operational keys are stored in your key stores
- Master keys are managed differently and independently from operational keys





Questions?







Definitions

- Master keys only exist in the Crypto cards and protect your operational keys
- Operational keys encrypt your data
- CEX Crypto Express card, IBM's Hardware Security Module (HSM) available on the IBM mainframes and inside the Trusted Key Entry Workstation
- Data Set Encryption (DSE) the operating system function that will encrypt individual data sets on the mainframe
- EKMF Enterprise Key Management Foundation a tool for managing operational keys
- Hardware Security Module (HSM) tamper recognizing, tamperresponding technology to protect crypto key material
- TKE Trusted Key Entry Workstation, an appliance for managing the crypto hardware and loading master keys on the mainframe