

# Security Operations for CC<sup>SM</sup>

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## Data Security



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# CC<sup>SM</sup> Certification Examination

<b>Domains</b>	<b>Weights</b>
<b>1. Security Principles</b>	<b>26%</b>
<b>2. Business Continuity (BC), Disaster Recovery (DR), &amp; Incident Response</b>	<b>10%</b>
<b>3. Access Control Concepts</b>	<b>22%</b>
<b>4. Network Security</b>	<b>24%</b>
<b>5. Security Operations</b>	<b>18%</b>



# Security Operations for CC<sup>SM</sup> Certification

## Agenda:

**Data Security**

**Security Operations and  
Administration**

**Security Awareness Training**

**Exam review Tips and  
Techniques**



# Data Protection

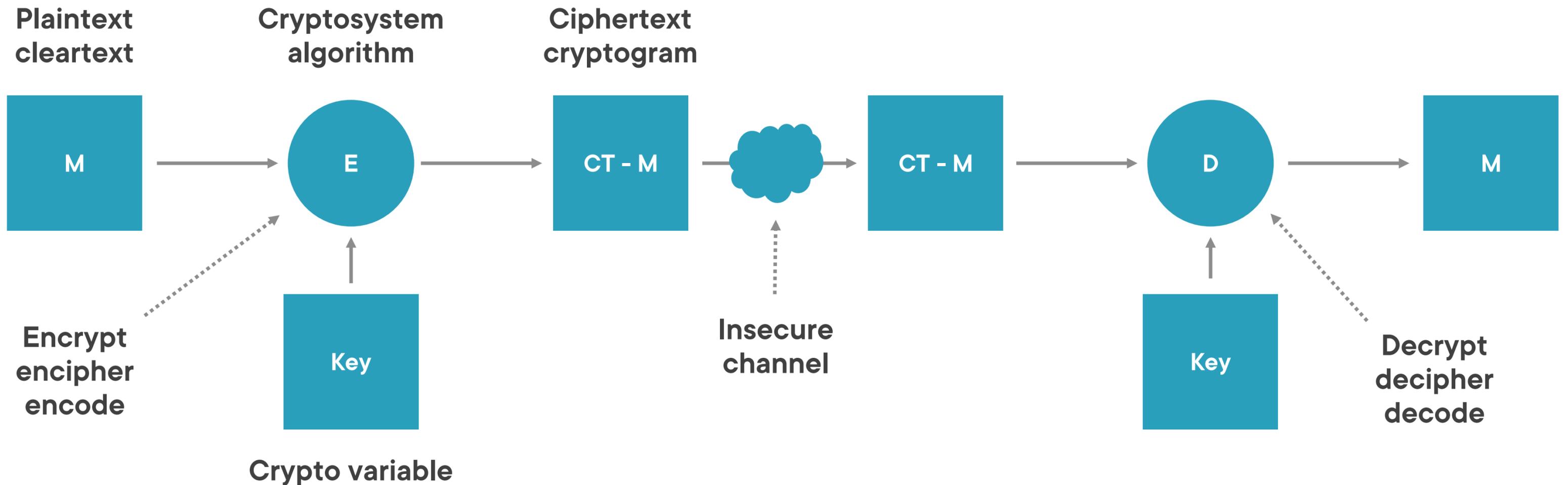


## Data protection requires:

- Ownership
- Classification
- Labels
- Retention policy
- Secure destruction



# Cryptography Terminology



# Symmetric Algorithms

**An algorithm that uses the same key in both the encryption and decryption process**

## **Characteristics:**

- **Good for confidentiality**
- **Relatively fast**
- **Good for encrypting streaming content**



# Examples of Symmetric Algorithms

**DES – 3DES – withdrawn**

**AES**

**Rijndael**

**MARS, SERPENT,  
RC 4,5,6, Blowfish**



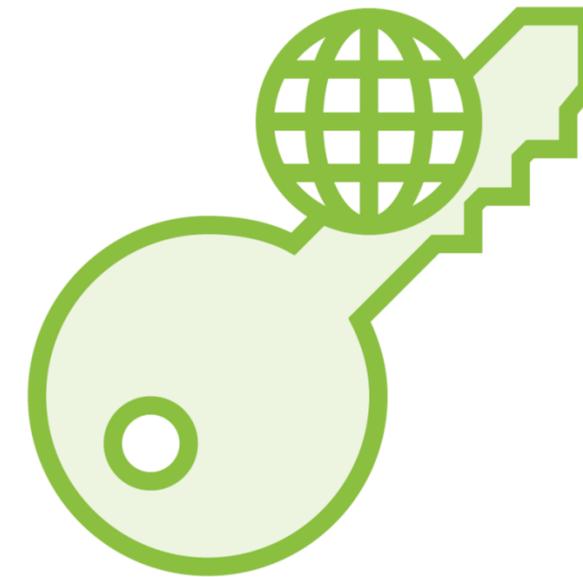
# Asymmetric Algorithms

Based on use of a key pair



**Private key**

Must be kept secret



**Public key**

Computed from the private key

One-way function

Can be shared freely



# Examples of Asymmetric Algorithms

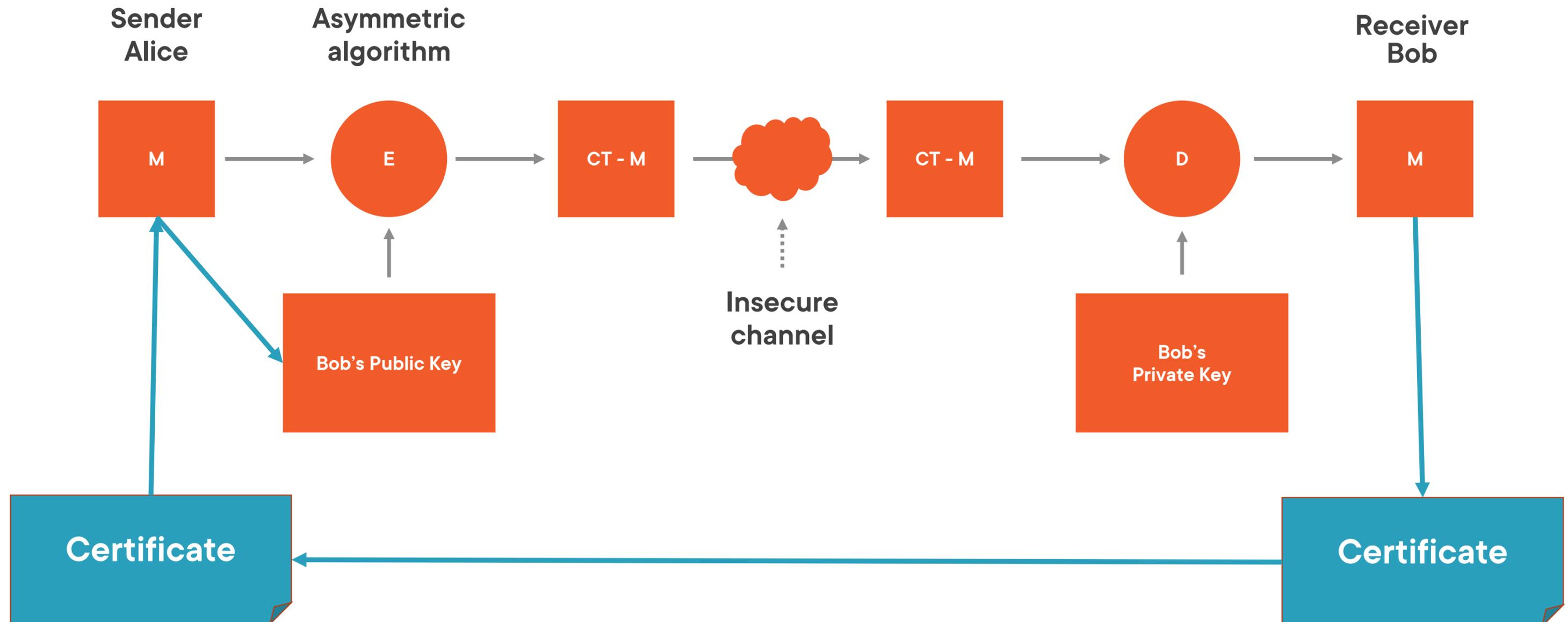
**Diffie-Hellman**

**Rivest Shamir  
Adelman (RSA)**

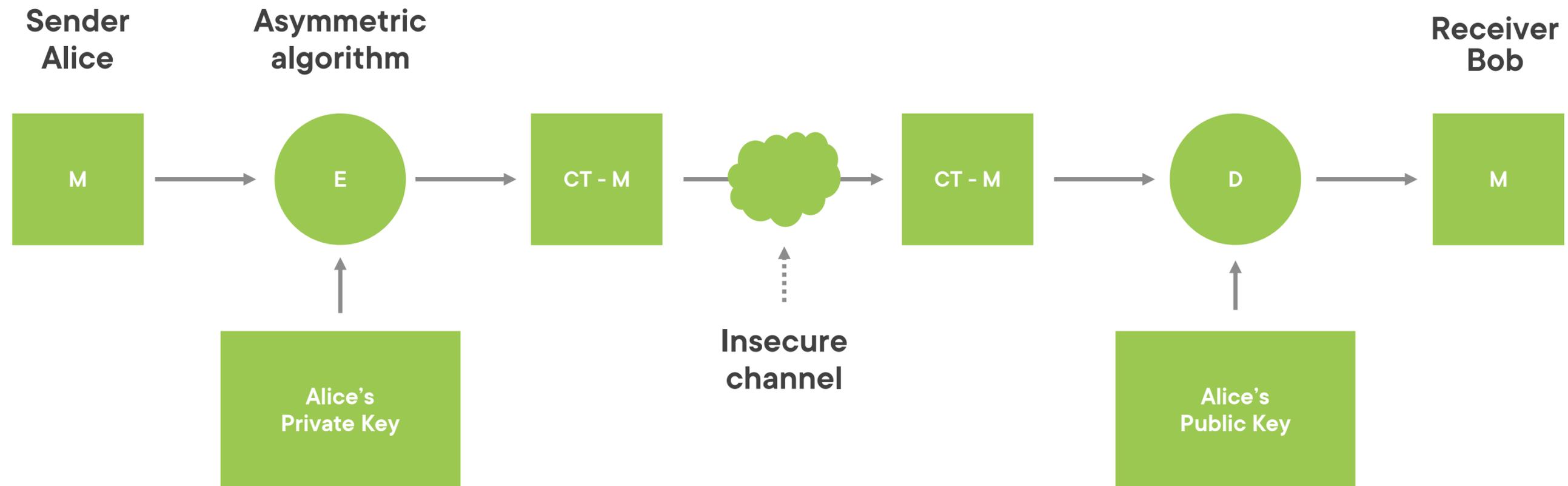
**Elliptic Curve  
Cryptography**



# Confidentiality Using Asymmetric



# Proof of Origin Using Asymmetric



# Message Integrity

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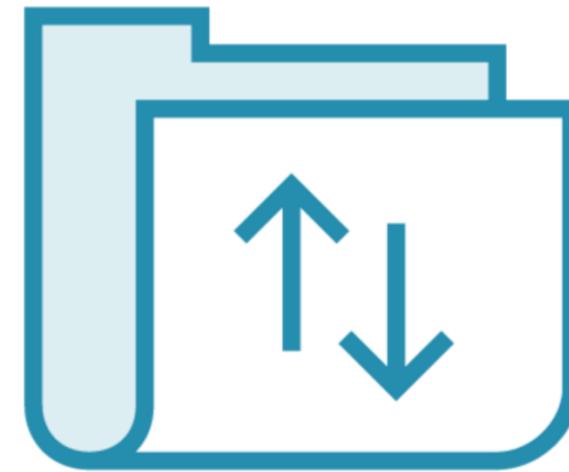


# Message Authentication Codes (MAC)

**Used to verify integrity of a message**



**Storage**



**Transmission**



# Examples of MAC



**Parity bits**

**Checksums**

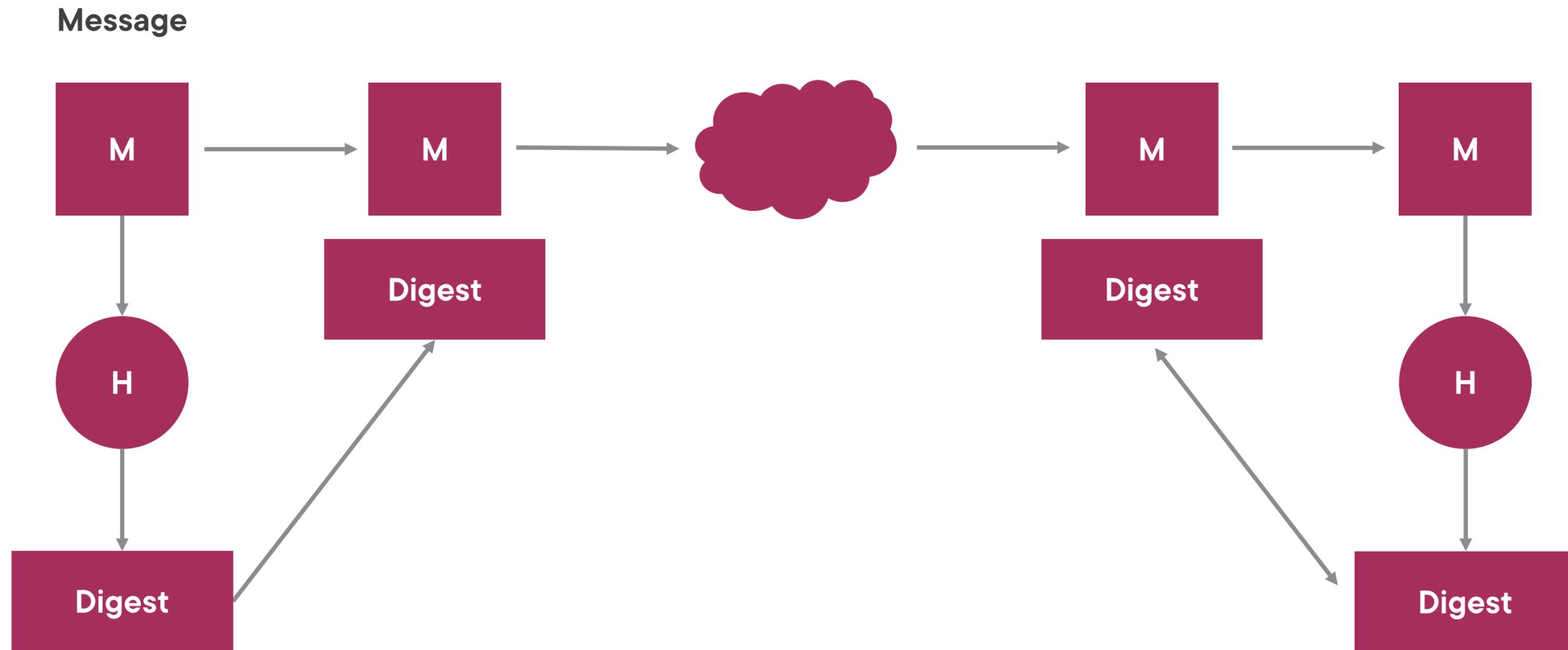
**Cyclic Redundancy Checks (CRC)**

**Hash Functions**

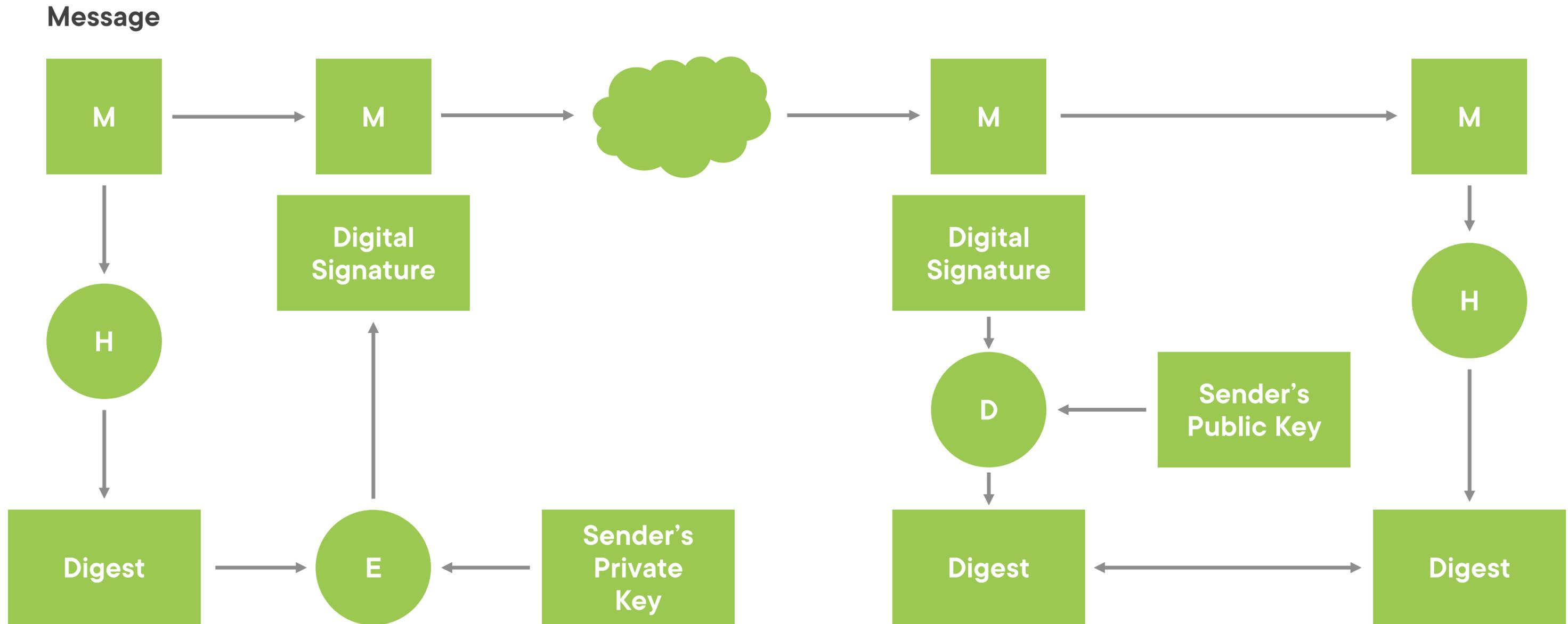
- MD5, SHA-1, SHA-2, SHA-3, RIPEMD-160
- HMAC
- Digital Signatures



# Simple Hash Function Operations



# Digital Signatures



# Key Points Review



## **Hashing is primarily used to ensure the integrity of data**

- It is a one-way function - computationally infeasible to be reversed
- Very accurate to even the smallest changes to the original message



# Security Monitoring

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# Continuous Monitoring

**Automated**

**Tools**

**SIEM**



# Traditional Monitoring



**Log analysis**



**Challenges:**

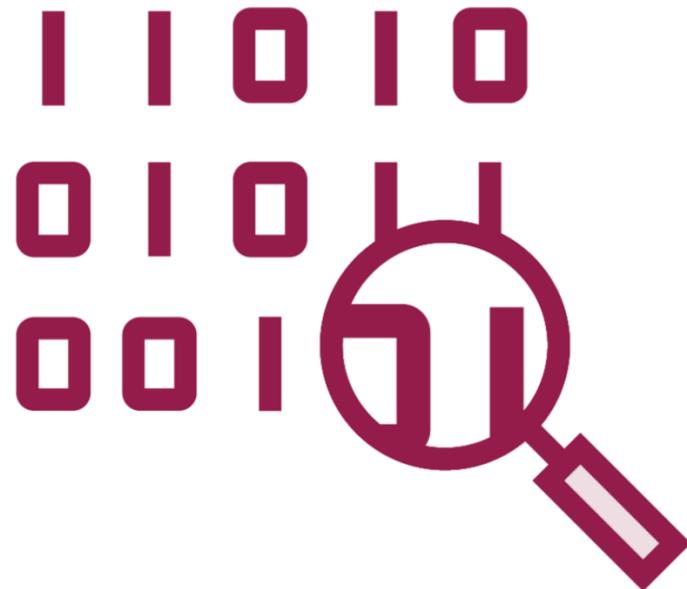
**Time**  
**Tools**  
**Skills**  
**Volume**



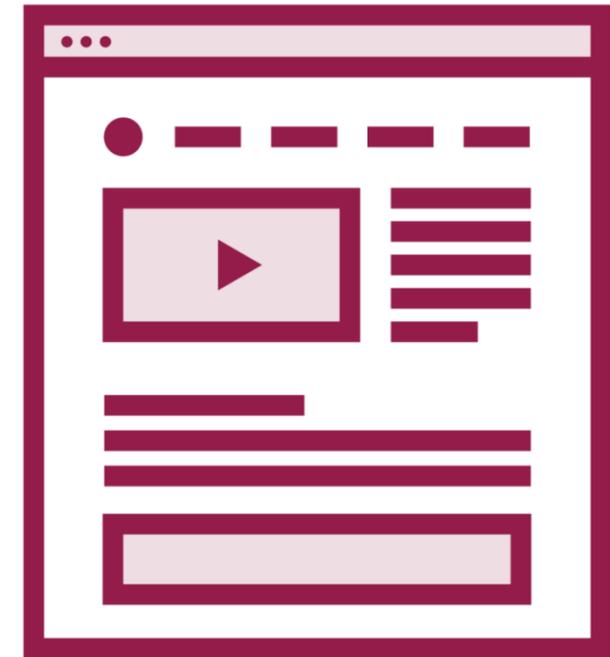
# Threat Intelligence



**Commercial feeds**



**Open Source  
Intelligence  
(OSINT) feeds**



**Blogs**



# Key Points Review



**Controls can fail – fail to be effective – not be suitable for new threats**

**Therefore, monitoring is necessary to ensure that risk is identified and managed adequately**

