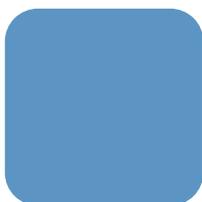
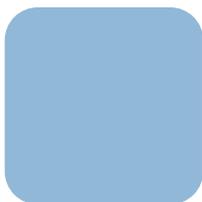


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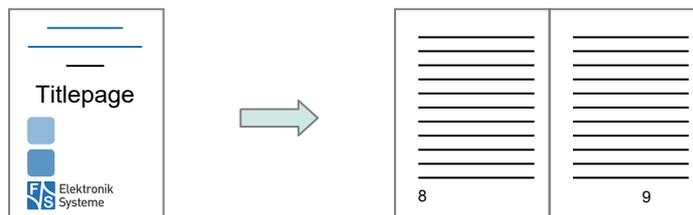
This document is intended to explain the usage of the Secure Boot on F&S Boards.

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## Typographical Conventions

We use different fonts and highlighting to emphasize the context of special terms:

File names

### *Menu entries*

```
Board input/output
```

Program code

```
PC input/output
```

Listings

```
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```

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# 1 Introduction

This document is intended to describe the usage of the F&S implementation of Secure Boot. The F&S Secure Boot package contains some binaries and precompiled images. There is also a so called F&S Secure Boot Tool. This Tool is able to:

- create certificates (used for signing an image)
- sign an image (create unique hash sum for a specific memory range)
- encrypt an image (encrypt a specific memory range with a key)
- create a JTAG response key

The F&S Secure Boot Tool is a collection of shell scripts, which perform their individual task (i.e. create certificates, sign an image, encrypt an image or create a JTAG response key).

## 1.1 Boot Sequence

Figure 1 shows the typical boot sequence of the board.

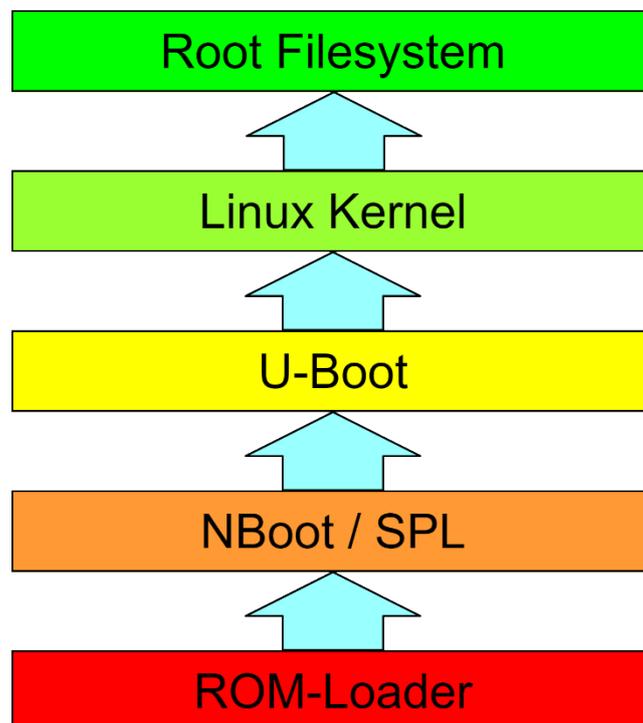


Figure 1: Boot sequence

Let us go through each step one by one, starting at the bottom.

1. The ROM-Loader is code that is located in a ROM inside of the chip. It is usually capable of loading some piece of code from a boot device (NAND flash, SD card, or similar). However at this point of time the dynamic RAM (D-RAM) is not yet initialized. The chip does not even know if there is any D-RAM attached at all. So it can only load this code to some rather small internal RAM (IRAM). A regular U-Boot bootloader with more than 500KB will not fit in there. This means we need a smaller step-stone loader first, which is called NBoot on F&S systems. This step-stone loader is loaded to IRAM and then executed
2. NBoot (short for NAND-Boot), or the SPL (short for secondary program loader), are rather small step-stone bootloaders. They detect and activate the D-RAM and then loads the main bootloader. While the NBoot on fsimx6/ul/sx is the actual Program that is run, on fsimx8mm/mn/mp the NBoot is a Container that includes the SPL. On fsimx6/ul/sx, as long as NBoot is on the board, the Linux system can be re-installed at any time without the need of special software or hardware tools. When erasing the memory, NBoot is supposed to stay on the board. Please note that despite it being named NAND-Boot, it also supports Boards with eMMC Storage.
3. U-Boot is the main bootloader. It is used to load and execute the Linux kernel and the device tree. It is also used to install the Linux images and to configure the boot procedure.
4. The Linux kernel provides the Linux operating system including the device drivers. It will activate the peripherals and finally mounts the root filesystem.
5. The root filesystem contains the code for the init process and all the Userland software. The init process will finalize the boot process, for example it will start the background services, the GUI and probably the main application.

With the F&S Secure Boot package you are able to sign/encrypt the following stages:

- NBoot
- U-Boot
- Linux Kernel (and the device tree)

## 1.2 Secure Boot Scope

The Goal of Secure Boot is to harden the System against attacks during Boot. For this it is necessary to secure the following Images

- NBoot
- U-Boot
- Linux Kernel
- Linux Devicetree

To achieve a Secure Boot, we use NXP's "High Assurance Boot". This allows us to sign Images and prohibit the system from booting Images that can not be verified.

Please note that this does not mean that a system is safe from any attack. The runtime integrity needs to be taken into account to but is out of scope for a regular secure boot process.



## 2 F&S Secure Boot Quickstart Guide

The Quickstart Guide is not meant to substitute the rest of this document. It is advised to first read the document to get a feel for the Software and understand the different components used to secure a Board.. This Guide will go through the necessary steps to sign the precompiled Binaries with the F&S Secure Boot Tool, flash them to the Board and activate Secure Boot permanently on that Board. It will also reference the Chapters with the necessary Informations.

### 2.1 Preparing the Host

- Unpack the F&S Secure Boot release
- Use the setup script
- Download NXPs Code Signing Tool
- Set CST\_DIR

### 2.2 Sign the images

- Enter the F&S Secure Boot Tool
- Use generate.sh to create Certificates
- Use generate.sh to sign the NBoot and UBoot from the binaries directory
- Use generate.sh to sign your Linux Kernel and Devicetree

### 2.3 Prepare the Board

- Install your signed NBoot
- Reset
- Install your signed U-Boot
- Save your signed Linux and Devicetree
- Reset
- Check for HAB Events

### 2.4 Close the Board

- Burn SRKHash.txt to the fuses
- Reset
- Check for HAB Events
- Close the Board
- Reset



## 3 Secure Bootloaders

Since there are differences between Image Types in NBoot and U-Boot between the armv7 platforms (fsimx6, fsimx6ul and fsimx6sx) and the armv8 platforms (fsimx8mm, fsimx8mn and fsimx8mp) there are split chapters on these.

### 3.1 fsimx6, fsimx6ul and fsimx6sx

On the armv7 platforms both the NBoot and the U-Boot are binary programs that are run on the system.

#### 3.1.1 Secure NBoot

The secure NBoot is only available as a binary. The source code will not be published.

Below there is a table which commands are in NBoot available.

NBoot VS (Secure) Commands	
Menu	
\r	re-display menu
\n	re-display menu
?	Show some of the most important commands
E	Erase whole flash, excluded NBoot
r	Reboot hardware
d	Serial Download of bootloader
D	Serial Download of bootloader
f <sup>2</sup>	Save image to flash
l <sup>2</sup>	Loading installed bootloader image (UBoot/EBoot)
L <sup>2</sup>	Loading installed bootloader image (NBoot)
x <sup>2</sup>	execute image
c	Load EBoot/U-Boot from SD card (not implemented yet)
B	Show bad blocks
N	Load NBoot from SD card (not implemented yet)

.	Show fuses menu
<b>Fuses Menu</b>	
1 <sup>1</sup>	Blow fuses to boot from NAND (only allowed if board is in open mode)
7 <sup>1</sup>	Blow fuses Serial Number (only allowed if board is in open mode) and lock serial number
8 <sup>1</sup>	Enable Watchdog (only allowed if board is in open mode)
R <sup>3</sup>	Revoke SRK
s <sup>1</sup>	dump secure fuses: Security Configuration, SRK-Revoke, JTAG Mode, *SRK-HASH
S <sup>1</sup>	Set SRK-HASH (only allowed if board is in open mode) and lock SRK
J <sup>1</sup>	Set JTAG mode fuse, if necessary JTAG responsible key too and lock JTAG
I <sup>1</sup>	HAB Status and Event logging
B <sup>1</sup>	Set Boot Security Settings (only allowed if board is in open mode)

Table 1: NBoot VS commands

**<sup>1</sup> only allowed if board is in open mode**

**<sup>2</sup> Images will be verified**

**<sup>3</sup> If in closed mode only available if CSF is set with feature [Unlock] – Engine = OCOTP, Features = SRK Revoke**

### 3.1.2 Secure U-Boot

The secure U-Boot is available as a binary and in source code. You can find it in the release archive.

The U-Boot has implemented the authentication mechanism. Below is listed when an image will be authenticated.

- If one of the following NAND partitions will be written with the “nand write” command, the images will be verified. Partitions: UBoot, Kernel, FDT and Images.
- If the boot command is executed the images will be verified.

Supported Image types:

- UBoot
- zImage



- Device-Trees

### 3.1.3 Build Secure U-Boot

To build the Secure U-Boot change to extracted U-Boot folder

```
[dev@vm ~] cd u-boot-<version>-fssecure-V<year>.<month>
```

After that setup the correct secure defconfig.

```
[dev@vm u-boot-<version>-fssecure-V<year>.<month>]$ make  
<arch>_secure_boot_defconfig
```

Where <arch> can be fsimx8mm, fsimx8mn or fsimx8mp.

Now the correct defconfig is setup and we can build the U-Boot image.

```
[dev@vm u-boot-<version>-fssecure-V<year>.<month>]$ make
```

The output image is called **u-boot.bin** and can be signed now.

**Note:**

F&S has implemented the verification process to U-Boot, but that doesn't mean the whole U-Boot is secure. The access e.g. to write the memory and registers are further granted. So the user has to check his requirements and setup the U-Boot by himself. We recommend preventing access to the U-Boot.

## 3.2 fsimx8mm, fsimx8mn and fsimx8mp

On the armv8 platforms the NBoot is a container that includes Board configuration, Early Bootloaders that will be run and DRAM-Configuration. The U-Boot is a binary programs that are run on the system.

### 3.2.1 Secure U-Boot

The secure U-Boot is available as a binary and in source code. You can find it in the release archive.

The U-Boot has implemented the authentication mechanism. Below is listed when an image will be authenticated.

- If the Secure Images are written with the “fsimage save” command, the images will be verified.
- If the boot command is executed the images will be verified.

### 3.2.2 Build Secure U-Boot

To build the Secure U-Boot change to extracted U-Boot folder

```
[dev@vm ~]$ cd u-boot-<version>-fssecure-V<year>.<month>
```

After then setup the correct secure defconfig.

```
[dev@vm u-boot-<version>-fssecure-V<year>.<month>]$ make  
<arch>_secure_boot_defconfig
```

Where <arch> can be fsimx8mm, fsimx8mn or fsimx8mp.

Now the correct defconfig is setup and we can build the U-Boot image.

```
[dev@vm u-boot-<version>-fssecure-imx8m-V<year>.<month>]$ make
```

The output image is called **uboot.fs**

#### Note:

F&S has implemented the verification process to U-Boot, but that doesn't mean the whole U-Boot is secure. The access e.g. to write the memory and registers are further granted. So the user has to check his requirements and setup the U-Boot by himself. We recommend preventing access to the U-Boot.

### 3.2.3 Secure NBoot

The secure N-Boot is available as a binary and in source code. You can find it in the release archive.

The Security Feature of the N-Boot are integrated into the SPL. The SPL will try to authenticate the following parts of the N-Boot.

- Board Configuration File
- D-RAM Settings
- D-RAM Timings
- ATF

Additionally it will try to verify the U-Boot.

### 3.2.4 Build Secure NBoot

Building the Secure N-Boot yourself requires more steps than the secure U-Boot. Since the N-Boot is made of several Images. Most of these files are already part of the u-boot repository. Some files, especially the firmware files need to be build by yourself.

#### Getting the DRAM Firmware

To get the DRAM Firmware, it must be downloaded from NXP's firmware release. For this open an Terminal and write

```
[dev@vm ~]$ wget  
http://www.nxp.com/lgfiles/NMG/MAD/YOCTO/firmware-imx-8.10.1.bin
```

This will download the firmware as an executable binary. First you need to change its permissions, then execute the file.

```
[dev@vm ~]$ chmod 755 firmware-imx-8.10.1.bin  
[dev@vm ~]$ ./firmware-imx-8.10.1.bin
```



Now there is a directory with the same name, enter the following path and copy all files to the NXP-Firmware directory.

```
[dev@vm ~]$ cd firmware-imx-8.10.1/firmware/ddr/synopsys  
[dev@vm synopsys]$ cp * <u-boot source>/board/F+S/NXP-Firmware/
```

### Building the ATF

To build the ATF change to extracted ATF folder

```
[dev@vm ~]$ cd atf-f+s-V<year>.<month>
```

And execute

```
[dev@vm atf-f+s-V<year>.<month>]$ make bl31 PLAT=<processor>
```

Where <processor> can be imx8mm, imx8mn or imx8mp.

The ATF Image will be under build/<processor>/release/bl31.bin. Copy it into your u-boot directory to board/F+S/NXP-Firmware/bl31-<processor>.bin.

Now go to the u-boot directory

```
[dev@vm ~]$ cd u-boot-<version>-fssecure-V<year>.<month>
```

After setup the correct secure defconfig if you did not do it already.

```
[dev@vm u-boot-<version>-fssecure-V<year>.<month>]$ make  
<arch>_secure_boot_defconfig
```

Where <arch> can be fsimx8mm, fsimx8mn or fsimx8mp.

Now the correct defconfig is setup and we can build the N-Boot image.

```
[dev@vm u-boot-<version>-fssecure-V<year>.<month>]$ make nboot
```

### 3.2.5 Images with OP-TEE Support

To use op-tee the ATF needs to be recompiled. Change into its directory,

```
[dev@vm ~]$ cd atf-f+s-V<year>.<month>
```

It is advised to clean the ATF source code before rebuilding it, since some changes may not be applied when rebuilding from an unclean source. For this write

```
[dev@vm atf-f+s-V<year>.<month>]$ make distclean
```

And rebuild with

```
[dev@vm atf-f+s-V<year>.<month>]$ make bl31 PLAT=<processor>
SPD=opteed
```

Where <processor> can be imx8mm, imx8mn or imx8mp.

Copy the new bl31.bin like shown into chapter 1.3.1.2.

Now change into the op-tee directory.

```
[dev@vm ~]$ cd op-tee-f+s-V<year>-<month>
```

There you build the optee binary with the command

```
[dev@vm op-tee-f+s-V<year>-<month>]$ make PLAT=imx
PLATFORM_FLAVOR=<arch> CFG_DDR_SIZE=0x<amount in hexadecimal>
```

Where <arch> can be fsimx8mm, fsimx8mn or fsimx8mp.

CFG\_DDR\_SIZE can be omitted, since it tells OP-TEE legal DRAM ranges to accept from the Linux Kernel, which will allocate according to the real DRAM on the System.

Copy the resulting Image from op-tee-f+s-V<year>-<month>/out/arm-plat-imx/core/tee.bin to the u-boot to board/F+S/NXP-Firmware/tee-<processor>.bin. Where <processor> can be imx8mm, imx8mn and imx8mp.

Now go into the U-Boot directory

```
[dev@vm ~]$ cd u-boot-<version>-fssecure-V<year>.<month>
```

After set the secure boot defconfig with op-tee support

```
[dev@vm u-boot-<version>-fssecure-V<year>.<month>]$ make
<arch>_secure_boot_optee_defconfig
```

Where <arch> can be fsimx8mm, fsimx8mn or fsimx8mp.



## Secure Bootloaders

Now the correct defconfig is setup and we can build the U-Boot and N-Boot image. The get the Images with op-tee support.

```
[dev@vm u-boot-<version>-fssecure-V<year>.<month>]$ make
```

And build the N-Boot

```
[dev@vm u-boot-<version>-fssecure-V<year>.<month>]$ make nboot
```

And U-Boot

```
[fs-dev@localhost u-boot-<year>-fssecure-V<year>.<month>]$ make
```

Please make sure you installed both images before resetting the board.



## 4 Secure Boot on F&S Boards

### 4.1 Configure your host computer

In order to configure your computer properly (in order to use F&S software) please refer to the “*Linux on F&S Boards*” guide provided by F&S Elektronik Systeme. After you have done this, continue with this guide.

**It is crucial that you install the packages “GNU objcopy” version 2.15 or higher” and “OpenSSL” 1.10 or higher provided from Fedora standard repositories.**

### 4.2 Get the tools and packages

First of all, download the F&S Secure Boot package from the F&S website and get the Code Signing Tool (CST) from NXP's website. The tested version of the CST is “3.3.1”. We recommend you to use this version, older or newer versions may also work but are not tested.

### 4.3 Release Content

This tar archive is compressed with bzip2. So to see the files, you first have to unpack the archive. For this you can either use the setup script or do it by hand.

```
tar xvf fs-secure-boot-V<year>.<month>.tar.bz2
```

This will create a directory `fs-secure-boot-<YEAR>.<MONTH>` that contains all the files of the release, except the CST.

They often use a common naming scheme:

```
<package>-<YEAR>.<MONTH>.<extension>
```

With the following meaning:

<code>&lt;package&gt;</code> .....	The name of the package (e.g. fs-secure-boot).
<code>&lt;year&gt;.&lt;month&gt;</code> .....	The year and month of the release (e.g. 2019.02)
<code>&lt;extension&gt;</code> .....	The extension of the package (e.g. .bin, .tar.bz2, etc.). Please note that some file types do not have an extension, for example the zImage file of the Linux kernel.



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The following table lists the files that you get after unpacking the release archive.

Directory	Description
/	Top Directory
Readme.txt	Release information
setup-fs-secure-boot	Script to unpack F&S Secure Boot source packages to a build directory
binaries/fsimx6/	Images to be used with a fsimx6 board directly
nbootimx6_secure_<v>.bin	NBoot fsimx6 secure bootloader image
u-boot-secure-fsimx6.bin	U-Boot fsimx6 secure image without padding
binaries/fsimx6sx/	Images to be used with a fsimx6sx board directly
nbootimx6sx_secure_<v>.bin	NBoot fsimx6sx secure bootloader image
u-boot-secure-fsimx6sx.bin	U-Boot fsimx6sx secure image without padding
binaries/fsimx6ul/	Images to be used with a fsimx6sx board directly
nbootimx6ul_secure_<v>.bin	NBoot fsimx6ul secure bootloader image for NAND Boards
nbootimx6ul_mmc_secure_<v>.bin	NBoot fsimx6ul secure bootloader image for mmc Boards
u-boot-secure-fsimx6ul.bin	U-Boot fsimx6ul secure image without padding
binaries/fsimx8mm/	Images to be used with a fsimx8mm board directly
nboot-fsimx8mm-secure.fs	NBoot fsimx8mm secure bootloader image
nboot-fsimx8mm-secure-optee.fs	NBoot fsimx8mm secure bootloader image with basic op-tee support
uboot-fsimx8mm-secure.fs	U-Boot Image for fsimx8mm
nboot-fsimx8mm-secure-optee.fs	U-Boot Image for fsimx8mm with basic op-tee support
binaries/fsimx8mn/	Images to be used with a fsimx8mn board directly



nboot-fsimx8mn-secure.fs	NBoot fsimx8mn secure bootloader image
nboot-fsimx8mn-secure-optee.fs	NBoot fsimx8mn secure bootloader image with basic op-tee support
uboot-fsimx8mn-secure.fs	U-Boot Image for fsimx8mn
nboot-fsimx8mn-secure-optee.fs	U-Boot Image for fsimx8mn with basic op-tee support
binaries/fsimx8mp/	Images to be used with a fsimx8mp board directly
nboot-fsimx8mp-secure.fs	NBoot fsimx8mp secure bootloader image
nboot-fsimx8mp-secure-optee.fs	NBoot fsimx8mp secure bootloader image with basic op-tee support
uboot-fsimx8mp-secure.fs	U-Boot Image for fsimx8mm
nboot-fsimx8mp-secure-optee.fs	U-Boot Image for fsimx8mm with basic op-tee support
/sources	Configurations and sources
u-boot-<version>-fssecure-V<year>.<month>.tar.bz2	U-Boot secure source code
fs-secure-boot-tool-V<year>.<month>.tar.bz2	F&S Secure Boot Tool source code
doc/	Documentation
FS_Secure_Boot.pdf	F&S Secure Boot document

Table 2: Content of the created release directory

## 4.4 Install Content

The source code packages are located in the `sources` subdirectory of the release archive. We will assume that you want to create a separate build directory where you extract the source code and build all the software. The easiest way is to extract U-Boot and F&S Secure Boot Tool next to each other, so that the top directories of their source trees are siblings.

We have prepared a shell script called `setup-fs-secure-boot` that does this installation automatically. Just call it when you are in the top directory of the release and give the name of the build directory as argument.



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```
cd <release-dir>
./setup-fs-secure-boot <target-dir>
```

Add option `--dry-run` if you want to check first what this command will do. Then only a list of actions will be output but no actual changes will take place. For further information simply call

```
./setup-fs-secure-boot -help
```

### Note:

Option `--dry-run` was introduced in release `fs-secure-boot-tool-2019.02`. In older versions you also had to create the target build directory by hand before calling the script.

If you prefer to do the installation by hand, well, the script more or less executes the following commands, just with some more checks and directory switching.

```
mkdir <build-dir>
tar xf u-boot-<version>-fssecure-V<year>.<month>.tar.bz2
tar xf fs-secure-boot-tool-V<year>.<month>.tar.bz2
```

After you got both tools, make sure to export an environment variable called `CST_DIR`. This variable is necessary because here you setup the path to the corresponding CST directory. Be sure that the path to the directory ends with and `/`.

```
[dev@vm ~]$ export CST_DIR=/home/dev/release/
[dev@vm ~]$ echo $CST_DIR
/home/dev/release/
```

### Note:

F&S Elektronik Systeme tested the F&S Secure Boot Tool and the CST on a Fedora 36 machine. We do not test other linux distributions neither does the F&S Secure Boot Tool run under Windows.



## 4.5 Encrpyt/Sign Images

F&S support different kind of images which can be signed or encrypted. Here is a list which images can be signed or encrypted:

- NBoot Images
- UBoot Images
- zImages
- Device Tree Images

### 4.5.1 Signed Images

Here is a small overview which parts of the images will be signed by default.

Image Types	Signed areas	
	Offset	Length
NBoot Images <sup>1</sup> (6,6sx, 6ul)	0x0 0x14	0x10 end of Image
NBoot-sub Images <sup>2</sup> (8mm, 8mn, 8mp)	0x0	end of Image
U-Boot Images	0x0	end of Image
zImages	0x0	end of Image
Device Tree	0x0	end of Image

<sup>1</sup> There are 4 Bytes in NBoot which will dynamically setup while transferring it. So that's the reason why these 4 Bytes can't be signed.

<sup>2</sup> Certain F&S Headers that group Images are not signed. Each sub Image that is loaded is checked individually during boot.

## 4.5.2 Encrypted Images

Here is a small overview which parts of the images will be signed by default.

Image Types	Signed areas		Encrypted areas	
	Offset	Length	Offset	Length
NBoot Images <sup>1,2</sup> (6, 6ul, 6sx)	0x0 0x14	0x10 0x41c	0x430	end of Image
U-Boot Images <sup>3</sup> (6, 6ul, 6sx)	0x0	0x80	0x80	end of Image
zImages <sup>4</sup>	0x0	0x68	0x68	end of Image
Device Tree <sup>5</sup>	0x0	0x68	0x68	end of Image

<sup>1</sup> There are 4 Bytes in NBoot which will dynamically setup while transferring it. So that's the reason why these 4 Bytes can't be signed.

<sup>2</sup> The signing goes from beginning of the Image to the IVT and Boot Data Header. Everything else is encrypted.

<sup>3</sup> The signing goes from beginning of the Image to the Magic Number of the UBoot. Everything else is encrypted.

<sup>4</sup> The signing goes from beginning of the Image to the Magic Number of the zImage. Everything else is encrypted.

<sup>5</sup> The signing goes from beginning of the Image to the whole header of the Image. Everything else is encrypted.

## 5 F&S Secure Boot Tool usage

In this chapter the general usage of the F&S Secure Boot Tool is illustrated.

### 5.1 Creating Certificates

First of all we need to open a terminal (preferably bash). After the terminal started navigate to the F&S Secure Boot Tool directory using the “cd” command.

```
cd "path_to_fs-secure-boot-tool-V<year>.<month>"
```

When you entered the directory, execute the “generate.sh” script.

```
./generate.sh
```

Press 'c' and 'enter' in order to create the certificates. After that, you have to enter a serial number and a passphrase. Use the recommended setting for the certificates:

- create a new CA (certificate authority) key
- key length in bits for PKI tree is 2048
- PKI (Public Key Infrastructure) tree duration is 5 years (doesn't matter if it expires)
- SRKs (Super Root Keys) are generated as CA keys

#### Creating certificates:

```
[dev@vm fs-secure-boot-tool-V<year>.<month>]$ ./generate.sh
Do you want to create certificates, create jtag response key, sign
an image or encrypt an image (c/j/s/e)?
Note: When an image is encrypted it's also signed!
c

Please enter a serial number (8 digits!):12345678
Please enter a passphrase (no blanks!):FS_Elektronik
```

**Note:**

These are sample inputs, you want to use your own specifications.

Creating the SRKs (super root keys) as CA (certificate authority) certificates is recommended. Not all NXP CPUs including HAB (high assurance boot) support SRKs as non CA certificates. Furthermore using a different key length isn't recommended. NBoot doesn't support a greater value yet.

Also the **Elliptic Curve Cryptography** and **fast authentication tree** isn't tested yet.

After this, the "hab4\_pki\_tree.sh" script developed by NXP is called. Please refer to the "CST\_UG.pdf" for more information about this script and about the signing/encryption process. Below is an example configuration.

```
+++++
This script is a part of the Code signing tools for Freescale's
High Assurance Boot. It generates a basic PKI tree. The PKI
tree consists of one or more Super Root Keys (SRK), with each
SRK having two subordinate keys:
    + a Command Sequence File (CSF) key
    + Image key.
Additional keys can be added to the PKI tree but a separate
script is available for this. This this script assumes openssl
is installed on your system and is included in your search
path. Finally, the private keys generated are password
protected with the password provided by the file key_pass.txt.
The format of the file is the password repeated twice:
    my_password
    my_password
All private keys in the PKI tree are in PKCS #8 format will be
protected by the same password.
+++++
Do you want to use an existing CA key (y/n)? : n
Do you want to use Elliptic Curve Cryptography (y/n)? : n
Enter key length in bits for PKI tree: 2048
Enter PKI tree duration (years): 5
How many Super Root Keys should be generated? 4
```



```
Do you want the SRK certificates to have the CA flag set? (y/n)?:  
Y
```

```
++++  
+ Generating CA key and certificate +  
++++
```

```
++++  
+ Generating SRK key and certificate 1 +  
++++
```

```
++++  
+ Generating CSF key and certificate 1 +  
++++
```

```
++++  
+ Generating IMG key and certificate 1 +  
++++
```

```
++++  
+ Generating SRK key and certificate 2 +  
++++
```

```
++++  
+ Generating CSF key and certificate 2 +  
++++
```

```
++++
```



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```
+ Generating IMG key and certificate 2 +
+++++

+++++
+ Generating SRK key and certificate 3 +
+++++

+++++
+ Generating CSF key and certificate 3 +
+++++

+++++
+ Generating IMG key and certificate 3 +
+++++

+++++
+ Generating SRK key and certificate 4 +
+++++

+++++
+ Generating CSF key and certificate 4 +
+++++

+++++
+ Generating IMG key and certificate 4 +
+++++

Certificate(s) sucessfully created
```



```
checksum is: 4278
srkhash.txt is ready!
```

After the certificates are generated, the F&S Secure Boot Tool outputs a text file called `srkhash.txt`. This file contains a checksum and the hash value (which are meant to be burned into the fuses).

**Note:**

You can only create once certificates. If you have done something wrong delete the CST and unpack it again.

When you want to use several keys for different products then you have to create several CST folder to handle the keys.

If you want to verify the values to fuse to your board you can format your “SRK\_fuse.bin” from your CSTs `crts/` directory. Use the following command for the values. These Values should be the same as the ones proposed by the fusing commands.

```
[dev@vm fs-secure-boot-tool-V<year>.<month>]$ hexdump -e '/4 "0x"'
-e '/4 "%X""\n"' < SRK_1_2_3_4_fuse.bin
```

## 5.2 Signing an image

Again, execute the “`generate.sh`” script. After that press 's', 'enter' and 'd', 'enter'. You will be reeted with an enumeration of CPU architectures. Select the architecture that suits your board by pressing '1', '2', '3', '4' or '5' and 'enter'.

```
[dev@vm fs-secure-boot-tool-V<year>.<month>]$ ./generate.sh
Do you want to create certificates, create jtag response key, sign
an image or encrypt an image (c/j/s/e)?
Note: When an image is encrypted it's also signed!
s
Do you want to use the default or custom settings (d/c)?
d
1) FSIMX6SDQ
2) FSIMX6SX
3) FSIMX6UL
4) FSIMX6ULL
5) FSVYBRID
```



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```
6) FSIMX8MM
7) FSIMX8MN
8) FSIMX8MP
#? 1
```

Now you need to enter the path (**absolute path!**) to the image you want to sign and press 'enter'.

```
Enter image path (absolute path!)
/home/fs-dev/u-boot.bin

Signed image (uboot_sdq_signed.nb0) successfully generated.
```

Now the signed image (in this example the signed U-Boot “uboot\_sdq\_signed.nb0”) is created and is placed in the subdirectory bin/ of your current directory.

```
[dev@vm fs-secure-boot-tool-V<year>.<month>]$ ls
bin/                encryptImage.sh*    README.txt
boot_raw            generate.sh*         release/
boot_raw_edited    History-F+S-UserTool.txt  signImage.sh*
createCertificates.sh*  jtag.sh*           srkhash.txt
cst-3.2.0.tgz       makeAction.sh*
```

Repeat this with all images (except the root file system).

## 5.3 Encrypting an image

At the moment we only support OTPMK as master key.

Execute the “generate.sh” script. After that enter 'e', 'enter' and 'd', 'enter'. You will be greeted with an enumeration of CPU architectures. Select the architecture you have on your board by pressing '1', '2', '3', '4' or '5' and 'enter'.



```
[dev@vm fs-secure-boot-tool-V<year>.<month>]$ ./generate.sh
Do you want to create certificates, create jtag response key, sign
an image or encrypt an image (c/j/s/e)?
Note: When an image is encrypted it's also signed!
e
Do you want to use the default or custom settings (d/c)?
d
1) FSIMX6SDQ
2) FSIMX6SX
3) FSIMX6UL
4) FSIMX6ULL
5) FSVYBRID
#? 1
```

Now you need to enter the path to the image (**absolute path!**) you want to encrypt and press 'enter'. After you have done this, you need to enter the key length (128/192/256 bits).

```
Enter image path (absolute path!)
/home/fs-dev/u-boot.bin
Enter key length (128/192/256):
256
Insert key
```

The F&S Secure Boot Tool asks you for your key "Insert key". Before we can do this, we need to generate the key (so called dek blob) on the board. The private key called dek.bin was created by the tool and automatically copied to the /tftpboot folder.

After entering the U-Boot, transfer the "dek.bin" to the board using tftp and generate the key by running:

```
U-Boot 2014.07-ga8061e6 (Dec 07 2017 - 09:25:44) for F&S

CPU:      Freescale i.MX6DL rev1.3 at 792 MHz
RESET:    POR
Board:    efusA9 Rev. 1.20 (LAN, eMMC, 2x DRAM)
DRAM:     512 MiB
```



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```
NAND:      256 MiB
MMC:      FSL_SDHC: 0, FSL_SDHC: 1
In:       serial
Out:      serial
Err:      serial
Net:      FEC [PRIME]
USB EHCI 1.00
Hit any key to stop autoboot: 0
efusA9 # tftp dek.bin
Using FEC device
TFTP from server 10.0.0.109; our IP address is 10.0.0.252
Filename 'dek.bin'.
Load address: 0x10800000
Loading:
 *
 2.9 KiB/s
done
Bytes transferred = 32 (0x20)
efusA9 # dek_blob $loadaddr 0x10800100 256
SEC: RNG instantiated

Encapsulating provided DEK to form blob
DEK Blob
8100584166552000CC526D82F83EB075FF0228052EA1B3E2E502F436B142CDE30F
08053DD00C4397DCCB3E2DBC350260A46BC3EDC07E15A5538DFA9FFAF9C6B64902
35D332CFEE6B8E9B9B4F22B5C7F2CA081466553C03EB
efusA9 #
```

The key in the red box is the key we need to attach to the image. This is done by marking the key and copy it into the terminal where the F&S Secure Boot Tool is currently running and hit 'enter'.

```
Enter key length (128/192/256) :
256
Insert key
```



```
8100584166552000CC526D82F83EB075FF0228052EA1B3E2E502F436B142CDE30F
08053DD00C4397DCCB3E2DBC350260A46BC3EDC07E15A5538DFA9FFAF9C6B64902
35D332CFEE6B8E9B9B4F22B5C7F2CA081466553C03EB
```

**Encrypted image (uboot\_sdq\_enc\_otpmk.nb0) successfully generated.**

### Note:

Your generated key looks different! This is just a sample key. Furthermore from time to time the key won't generate on the board (means there is no key outputted). The best practice is to perform a hardware reset and try again.

Below is the full example output log again.

```
[dev@vm fs-secure-boot-tool-V<year>.<month>]$ ./generate.sh
Do you want to create certificates, create jtag response key, sign
an image or encrypt an image (c/j/s/e)?
Note: When an image is encrypted it's also signed!
e
Do you want to use the default or custom settings (d/c)?
d
1) FSIMX6SDQ
2) FSIMX6SX
3) FSIMX6UL
4) FSIMX6ULL
5) FSVYBRID
#? 1
Enter image path (absolute path!)
/home/fs-dev/u-boot.bin
Enter key length (128/192/256):
256
Insert key
8100584166552000CC526D82F83EB075FF0228052EA1B3E2E502F436B142CDE30F
08053DD00C4397DCCB3E2DBC350260A46BC3EDC07E15A5538DFA9FFAF9C6B64902
35D332CFEE6B8E9B9B4F22B5C7F2CA081466553C03EB
Encrypted image (uboot_sdq_enc_otpmk.nb0) successfully generated.
```

Now, the encrypted image is ready and is placed in the subdirectory `bin/` of your current directory.



**Note:**

Since the CST from NXP uses the “/dev/random” device, it can take some time until the images are encrypted.

**Note:**

Encryption is not possible with the NBoot for fsimx8mm, fsimx8mn and fsimx8mp

## 5.4 Creating a JTAG response key

If you want to setup the JTAG mode to secure then you have to create a JTAG response key. Execute the “generate.sh” script. After that enter ‘j’, ‘enter’ and then enter the JTAG response key 7 Bytes and Little-Endian.

```
[dev@vm fs-secure-boot-tool-V<year>.<month>]$ ./generate.sh
Do you want to create certificates, create jtag response key, sign
an image or encrypt an image (c/j/s/e)?
Note: When an image is encrypted it's also signed!
j
Please enter the response key (7 Bytes) (Little-Endian) and con-
firm it with enter
123456789abcde
checksum is: 840
jtag_resp_key.txt is ready!
```

Now the JTAG response key called `jtag_resp_key.txt` is created and is placed in the current directory.

## 5.5 Using custom settings

### Creating certificates

Since we at F&S Elektronik Systeme can't distribute the CST (developed from NXP) we can't feature default settings for the certification generation. But we highly recommend using the following settings:

- create a new CA (certificate authority) key
- key length in bits for PKI tree is 2048
- PKI (public key infrastructure) tree duration is 5 years (doesn't matter if it expires)
- SRKs (super root keys) are generated as CA keys

#### Note:

Creating the SRKs as CA certificates is recommended. Not all NXP CPUs including HAB support SRKs as non CA certificates. Furthermore using a different key length isn't recommended. NBoot doesn't support a greater value yet. Furthermore NBoot doesn't support keys larger than 2048 yet.

### Signing an image

The steps are fairly the same as when you use the default settings. The only thing that changes is that enter an output name and the load address (in hexadecimal).

#### Note:

The load address is entered without the leading '0x'.

```
[dev@vm fs-secure-boot-tool-V<year>.<month>]$ ./generate.sh
Do you want to create certificates, create jtag response key, sign
an image or encrypt an image (c/j/s/e)?
Note: When an image is encrypted it's also signed!
e
Do you want to use the default or custom settings (d/c)?
c
Enter output name:
my_output_binary.bin
Enter Loadaddress (Hex):
Note: Type your Loadaddress without 0x at the beginning!
```

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```
10800000
1) FSIMX6SDQ
2) FSIMX6SX
3) FSIMX6UL
4) FSIMX6ULL
5) FSVYBRID
#? 1
Enter image path (absolute path!)
/home/fs-dev/u-boot.bin

Signed image (my_output_binary.bin) successfully generated.
```

## Encrypting an image

The steps are fairly the same as when you use the default settings. The only difference is, that you enter an output name and the load address (in hexadecimal).

### Note:

The load address is entered without the leading '0x'.

```
[dev@vm fs-secure-boot-tool-V<year>.<month>]$ ./generate.sh
Do you want to create certificates, create jtag response key, sign
an image or encrypt an image (c/j/s/e)?
Note: When an image is encrypted it's also signed!
e
Do you want to use the default or custom settings (d/c)?
c
Enter output name:
my_output_binary.bin
Enter Loadaddress (Hex):
Note: Type your Loadaddress without 0x at the beginning!
10800000
1) FSIMX6SDQ
2) FSIMX6SX
3) FSIMX6UL
```



```
4) FSIMX6ULL
5) FSVYBRID
#? 1
Enter image path (absolute path!)
/home/fs-dev/u-boot.bin
Enter key length (128/192/256):
256
Insert key
8100584166552000CC526D82F83EB075FF0228052EA1B3E2E502F436B142CDE30F
08053DD00C4397DCCB3E2DBC350260A46BC3EDC07E15A5538DFA9FFAF9C6B64902
35D332CFEE6B8E9B9B4F22B5C7F2CA081466553C03EB

Encrypted image (my_output_binary.bin_enc_otpmk) successfully generated.
```

## 5.6 Advanced F&S Secure Boot Tool usage

Instead of calling “generate.sh”, you can call “makeAction.sh” and give this script the transfer parameters.

### Available parameters:

--output .....output name  
--cpu .....CPU architecture  
--action .....create certificates, sign image or encrypt image  
--image-path .....absolute image path  
--key-length .....key length in bits  
--master-key .....master key otpmk  
--jtag-resp-key .....jtag responsible key  
--cst-dir .....absolute path to the CST directory

### --output=...

Any string can be entered as an output name.

### --cpu=...

Possible parameters:

1 .....FSIMX6SDQ  
2 .....FSIMX6SX  
3 .....FSIMX6UL  
4 .....FSIMX6ULL  
5 .....FSVYBRID

### --action=...

Possible parameters:

c.....create  
s.....sign  
e .....encrypt  
j.....JTAG response key

### --image-path=...

Absolute path to the image



**--key-length=...**

Possible parameters:

128 .....128 bit key  
192 .....192 bit key  
256 .....256 bit key

**--master-key=...**

Possible parameters:

o .....master key is otpmk

**--jtag-resp-key=...**

Possible parameters:

hex-value .....jtag responsible key 7 Bytes, Little-Endian



## 6 Setting up a new board

### 6.1 Preconditions

You read the documentation “*Linux on F&S Boards*” and installed all the necessary packages and set up a tftp service. Furthermore you downloaded the Code Signing Tool from NXP.com and the F&S Secure Boot Tool from F&S Elektronik Systeme. It should be mentioned that you also need the N- and U-Boot with security features.

### 6.2 Install secure images

The first step is to install the secure images, which corresponds to the architecture which you are using. We assume that our architecture is *fsimx6*.

- nbootimx6\_secure\_<v>.bin
- uboot-secure-fsimx6.bin

To install these images on your board please take a look to the document Linux on F&S Boards. You can find this document on our homepage.

### 6.3 fsimx6, fsimx6ul, fsimx6sx

#### 6.3.1 Burn SRK Hash

In order to burn the SRK hash value into the fuses, you first need to enter the NBoot.

After you entered the NBoot press '.' to show the hidden menu. In this hidden menu there is an entry called “Set SRK-HASH”. You enter this function by pressing 'S'.

Now you must enter the hash value. This is simply done by transferring the “srkhash.txt” to the board (after you pressed 'S!'). The hash sum will be printed in order to verify it. After you verified the hash sum, press 'y'. Now the hash sum is burned into the fuses which means, that when we close the board (done in the next step) the ROM functions uses this value to verify an image.

**Note:**

When you burned the hash value to the fuses be very careful, since this value can't be changed. A wrong value means that the board won't boot anymore when it's closed.

```
Please select action
'd' -> Serial download of bootloader
'E' -> Erase flash
'B' -> Show bad blocks
Use NetDCUUsbLoader for USB download

Select fuse settings
'l' -> Boot from NAND (64 pages)
'S' -> Set SRK-HASH
'B' -> Set Boot Security Settings
'J' -> Set JTAG mode
's' -> dump secure fuses
'l' -> HAB events
'R' -> Revoke SRK
THIS IS A PERMANENT CHANGE
please enter the Hash-Value and confirm it with enter

CRC-Check successful!
The following fuses will be blown:
  address 0x18 value 0x12e61558
  address 0x19 value 0xd4023941
  address 0x1a value 0xf69b56a7
  address 0x1b value 0x3457b2b4
  address 0x1c value 0xe86dad80
  address 0x1d value 0xe755cc48
  address 0x1e value 0xf2ca8c01
  address 0x1f value 0x3655f33c
  address 0x00 value 0x00004000

Enter 'y' to proceed, any other key to exit

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```

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```
address 0x18 value 0x12e61558 ...blown
address 0x19 value 0xd4023941 ...blown
address 0x1a value 0xf69b56a7 ...blown
address 0x1b value 0x3457b2b4 ...blown
address 0x1c value 0xe86dad80 ...blown
address 0x1d value 0xe755cc48 ...blown
address 0x1e value 0xf2ca8c01 ...blown
address 0x1f value 0x3655f33c ...blown
address 0x00 value 0x00004000 ...blown
Finished blowing fuses
```

### 6.3.2 Set JTAG mode

An important and powerful interface is JTAG. JTAG is by default activated so everybody can use this interface to debug the system. That's why JTAG is a Security vulnerability if you are using Secure Boot. You have the possibility to disabled the JTAG interface or using JTAG secure, which means you can use the JTAG interface with a private key. It is necessary to setup the JTAG mode before you enable the Secure Boot, because afterwards there is a write protect on the fuses so can't change the bits for JTAG.

#### Disable JTAG:

Disable JTAG is done by entering the hidden menu again and press 'J' after that you need to press 'd' and confirm with 'y'. The board has now disabled the JTAG interface.

```
Please select action
'd' -> Serial download of bootloader
'E' -> Erase flash
'B' -> Show bad blocks
Use NetDCUUsbLoader for USB download

Select fuse settings
'l' -> Boot from NAND (64 pages)
'S' -> Set SRK-HASH
'B' -> Set Boot Security Settings
```



```
\J' -> Set JTAG mode
's' -> dump secure fuses
'l' -> HAB events
'R' -> Revoke SRK

THIS IS A PERMANENT CHANGE!

please enter 's' to set secure JTAG or 'd' to set disable JTAG de-
bugging
The following fuses will be blown:
  address 0x06 value 0x00100000
  address 0x06 value 0x00c00000

Enter 'y' to proceed, any other key to exit

Blowing fuses
  address 0x06 value 0x00100000
  address 0x06 value 0x00c00000
Finished blowing fuses
```

### Secure JTAG:

Secure JTAG is done by entering the hidden menu again and press 'J' after that you need to press 's' and enter the response key which you have created with the User Tool. After that confirm it with 'y'. The JTAG interface is now set to secure JTAG.

```
Please select action
'd' -> Serial download of bootloader
'E' -> Erase flash
'B' -> Show bad blocks
Use NetDCUUsbLoader for USB download

Select fuse settings
'l' -> Boot from NAND (64 pages)
's' -> Set SRK-HASH
'B' -> Set Boot Security Settings
```

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```
`J' -> Set JTAG mode
```

```
`s' -> dump secure fuses
```

```
`l' -> HAB events
```

```
`R' -> Revoke SRK
```

THIS IS A PERMANENT CHANGE!

please enter `s` to set secure JTAG or `d` to set disable JTAG debugging

please enter the response key and confirm it with enter

CRC-Check successful!

The following fuses will be blown:

address 0x20 value 0x789abcde

address 0x21 value 0x00123456

Enter `y` to proceed, any other key to exit

Blowing fuses

address 0x20 value 0x789abcde

address 0x21 value 0x00123456

Finished blowing fuses

The following fuses will be blown:

address 0x06 value 0x00100000

address 0x06 value 0x00c00000

Enter `y` to proceed, any other key to exit

Blowing fuses

address 0x06 value 0x00100000

address 0x06 value 0x00c00000

Finished blowing fuses



### 6.3.3 Enable Secure Boot

Before you enable Secure Boot be sure you have installed a correctly signed image. Once burned this fuse you are not able to revoke the fuse. Also you have to check the JTAG mode. By default the JTAG mode is open. So be sure you setup JTAG secure or disable the interface. If not anybody are able to connect the board to JTAG and debug the system.

To set the board configuration to “closed”. This is done by entering the hidden menu again and press 'B' after that you need to press 'c' and confirm with 'y'. The board is now in closed configuration and will only accept correct signed/encrypted images.

```

Please select action
'd' -> Serial download of bootloader
'E' -> Erase flash
'B' -> Show bad blocks
Use NetDCUUsbLoader for USB download

Select fuse settings
'l' -> Boot from NAND (64 pages)
's' -> Set SRK-HASH
'B' -> Set Boot Security Settings
'J' -> Set JTAG mode
's' -> dump secure fuses
'l' -> HAB events
'R' -> Revoke SRK
testing NBoot ...
found CSF
successfully authenticated

THIS IS A PERMANENT CHANGE!

HAB STATUS: Open
please enter 'c' to set HAB-Mode: Closed
The following fuses will be blown:
  address 0x06 value 0x00000002
  address 0x08 value 0x00100000
  address 0x06 value 0x00060000

```



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```
address 0x00 value 0x0000000c

Enter 'y' to proceed, any other key to exit

Blowing fuses
address 0x06 value 0x00000002 ...blown
address 0x08 value 0x00100000 ...blown
address 0x06 value 0x00060000 ...blown
address 0x00 value 0x0000000c ...blown
Finished blowing fuses
```

### 6.3.4 Dek blob creation

If you want to create an encrypted image, it is required that you have installed secure U-Boot.

After entering the U-Boot, transfer the key from User Tool “dek.bin” to the board e.g. using TFTP.

```
U-Boot 2014.07-ga8061e6 (Dec 07 2017 - 09:25:44) for F&S

CPU:      Freescale i.MX6DL rev1.3 at 792 MHz
RESET:    POR
Board:    efusA9 Rev. 1.20 (LAN, eMMC, 2x DRAM)
DRAM:     512 MiB
NAND:     256 MiB
MMC:      FSL_SDHC: 0, FSL_SDHC: 1
In:       serial
Out:      serial
Err:      serial
Net:      FEC [PRIME]
USB EHCI 1.00
Hit any key to stop autoboot: 0
efusA9 # tftp dek.bin
Using FEC device
TFTP from server 10.0.0.109; our IP address is 10.0.0.252
```



```

Filename `dek.bin'.
Load address: 0x10800000
Loading:
  *
  2.9 KiB/s
done
Bytes transferred = 32 (0x20)
efusA9 #

```

Now you can call the dek\_blob function in U-Boot. The dek\_blob function expect 3 parameters

1. Source RAM address which points to the key
2. Destination RAM address which points to the dek blob
3. Key length, is the length which you have entered during the F&S Secure Boot Tool execution.

Now generate the key by running:

```

efusA9 # dek_blob $loadaddr 0x10800100 256
SEC: RNG instantiated

Encapsulating provided DEK to form blob
DEK Blob
8100584166552000CC526D82F83EB075FF0228052EA1B3E2E502F436B142CDE30F
08053DD00C4397DCCB3E2DBC350260A46BC3EDC07E15A5538DFA9FFAF9C6B64902
35D332CFEE6B8E9B9B4F22B5C7F2CA081466553C03EB
efusA9 #

```

The key in the red box is the output key and is known as dek blob.

## 6.4 fsimx8mm, fsimx8mn, fsimx8mp

### 6.4.1 Burn SRK Hash

**Note:**

When you burn the hash value to the fuses be very careful, since this value can't be changed. A wrong value means that the board won't boot anymore when it's closed.

In order to burn the SRK hash value into the fuses, you first need to enter the Secure U-Boot. Now you must enter the hash value. This is simply done by substituting the values below with those of your "SRK\_fuse.bin". First you need to format the values with a "hexdump" like it is shown below. The "srkhash.txt" is located in your F&S Secure Boot Tools top directory after creating certificates.

Now you need to load your SRKHash.txt to your Board and execute the hab\_fuse command.

```
# tftp srkhash.txt
sing ethernet@30be0000 device
TFTP from server 10.0.0.113; our IP address is 10.0.0.252
Filename 'srkhash.txt'.
Load address: 0x40480000
Loading:
 *
 2 KiB/s
done
Bytes transferred = 70 (0x46)
# hab_fuse
CRC check successfull
The following fuses will be blown:
    word 6 fuse 0: 0x12e61558
    word 6 fuse 1: 0xd4023941
    word 6 fuse 2: 0xf69b56a7
    word 6 fuse 3: 0x3457b2b4
    word 7 fuse 0: 0xe86dad80
    word 7 fuse 1: 0xe755cc48
    word 7 fuse 2: 0xf2ca8c01
```



```

word 7 fuse 3: 0x3655f33c
THIS IS A PERMANENT CHANGE!!!
Are you sure? [Y/n]
Y

Blowing fuse 6, word 0 with value 0x12e61558... Blown!
Blowing fuse 6, word 1 with value 0xd4023941... Blown!
Blowing fuse 6, word 2 with value 0xf69b56a7... Blown!
Blowing fuse 6, word 3 with value 0x3457b2b4... Blown!
Blowing fuse 7, word 0 with value 0xe86dad80... Blown!
Blowing fuse 7, word 1 with value 0xe755cc48... Blown!
Blowing fuse 7, word 2 with value 0xf2ca8c01... Blown!
Blowing fuse 7, word 3 with value 0x3655f33c... Blown!

```

## 6.5 Enable Secure Boot

Now that the hash is burned into the device it is ready to be closed. To do this another fuse needs to be burned. This can be done with `hab_close`

```

# hab_close
THIS IS A PERMANENT CHANGE!!!
Are you sure? [Y/n]
Y

Blowing fuse 1, word 3 with value 0x02000000... Blown!

```

Reset the Board and wait a few seconds.

### Note:

If you don't see anything after 15 seconds at maximum, there was something wrong and the image cannot be verified. So the board is now broken. If the Hash was burned into the fuses correctly, it is possible to recover the Board with the F&S recovery tool and correctly signed Images.

## 7 Flowcharts

### 7.1 Create certificates and burn SRK hash

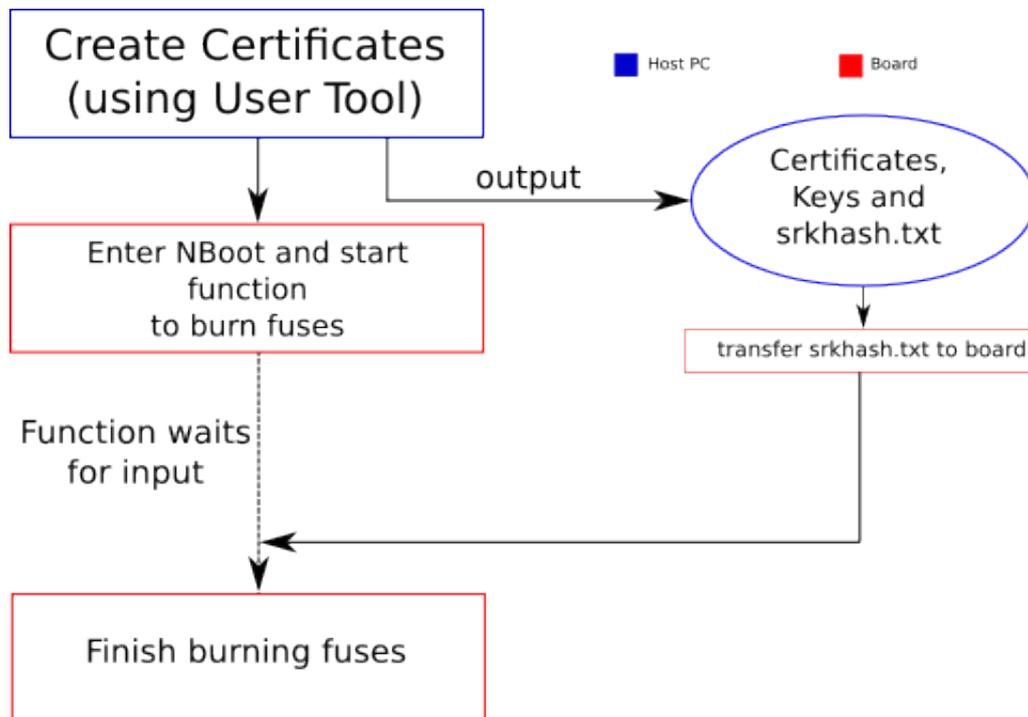


Figure 2: Creating certificates and blow fuses (new board)

**Note:**

You have to create your certificates only once! Furthermore you have to blow the fuses on every board!

## 7.2 Sign an image

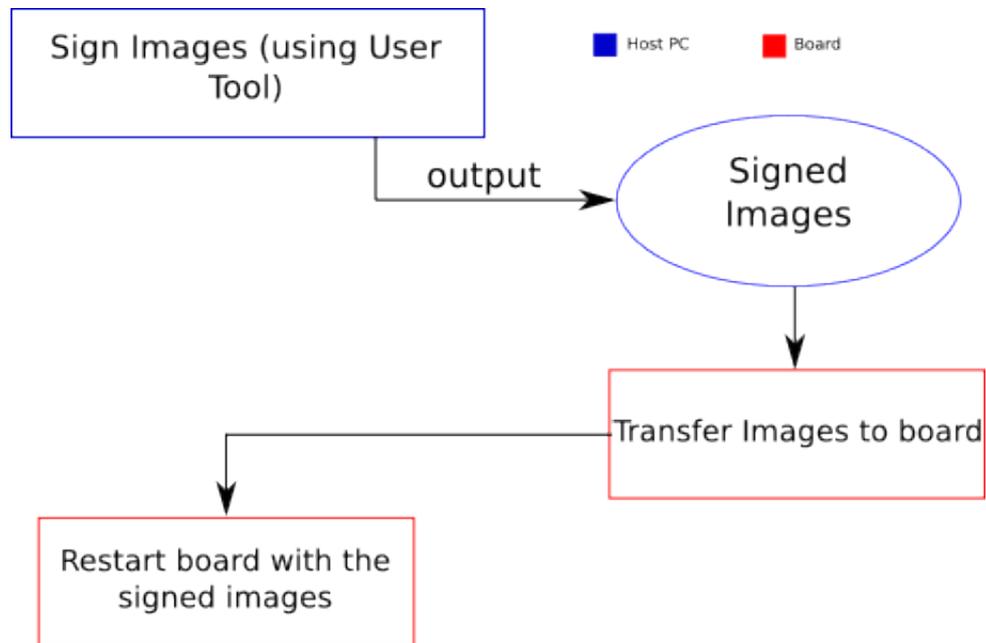


Figure 3: Signing images

**Note:**

You have to sign your images only once.

### 7.3 Encrypt an image

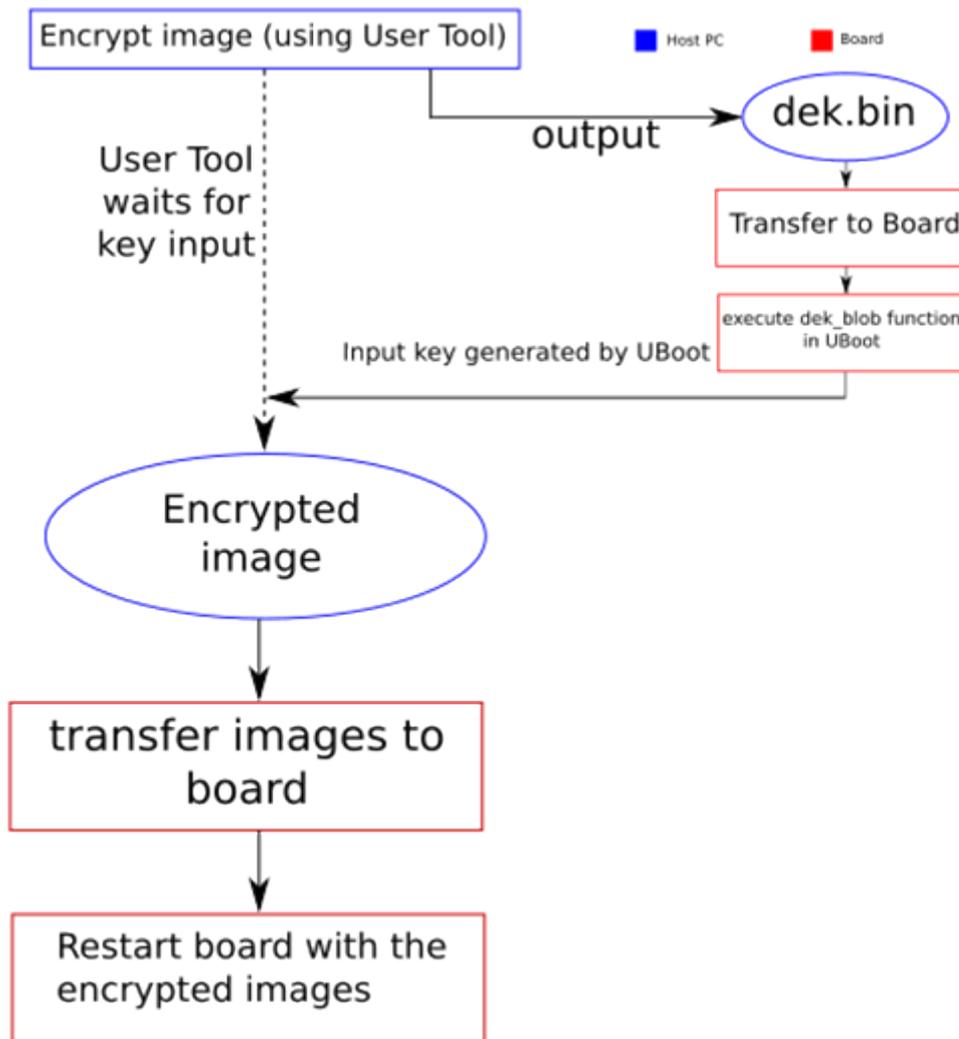


Figure 4: Encrypting images

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