ENGAGE BLACK Black·Vault HSM·RAS

The **Black•Vault HSM·RAS** is an Ethernet attached **H**ardware **S**ecurity **M**odule that combines a cryptographically advanced **HSM** with a Smart Card Reader.

Independently Certified

The **Black•Vault HSM·RAS** is an independently certified standards based security module that performs key management and cryptographic operations for: application data, regulatory compliance and critical security systems employed by governments, PKI, enterprises...

Two-factor authentication and administrator roles with M of N prevents unauthorized access to critical security parameters.

Portable / Embeddable Form Factor

The compact "hard drive" form-factor and battery backed solid state key storage makes it possible to secure cryptographic keys in an HSM appliance that easily fits in a safe. The small form factor with Ethernet connection also supports mounting the **Black•Vault HSM·RAS** within application servers and other compact environments.

Military Grade Tamper Reactive

The Cryptographic Boundary is within Secure CPU's silicon. The Die Shield has dynamic fault detection with real time environmental and active tamper detection circuitry.

- Achieves Active Level 3+ Tamper
- Eliminates Inadvertent Tamper
- Transport Safe

Affordable Commercial Grade

The BlackVault HSM.RAS is an affordable commercial grade model with an integrated Smart Card reader that utilizes an extruded aluminum case that has flanged end plates for securely mounting: within a 1U shelf/locking drawer; on DIN rail or wall mount.

Benefits

- Overcomes Vulnerabilities of Soft Crypto
- Protects Intellectual Property
- Expedites Regulatory Compliance Audits
- Compact Size Fits in Safe Deposit Box
- Embeddable: Ethernet Attached
      - Hard Drive Form Factor
- Secure Key Management:
    - Generation, Storage, and Backup
- Protects Registration Authority keys
- Efficient offline root CA
- Code and Document Signing
- Remote Management

Features

- Solid State Design
- Certified Security Architecture
- Tamper Reactive Die Shield
- Suite B Accelerators
- Support for NIST ECC Curves
- Secure Authentication/Access
- Role Based Multi factor authentication
- Backup through Key Cloning
- M of N per role

PUBLIC KEY INFRASTRUCTURE

The **Black•Vault HSM.RAS** is used by commercial and private Certificate Authorities (CAs) and registration authorities (RAs) to generate, store, and manage key pairs.
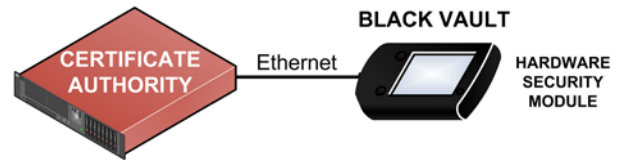
The **Black•Vault HSM.RAS** ensures that the Private key associated with a Certificate's public key is kept private. All cryptographic operations are executed within a 7 year battery backed semiconductor with a tamper reactive die shield.

The **Black•Vault HSM.RAS** provides:
- Logical and physical protection
- Multi-factor user authorization
- Full audit and log traces
- Secure key backup

SECURING SENSITIVE AND SECRET DATA

Encrypting and Decrypting data using secret keys generated and retained within the **Black•Vault HSM.RAS** provides a certifiable level of assurance. Performing cryptographic operations in software within a general purpose operating system has proven exploits.
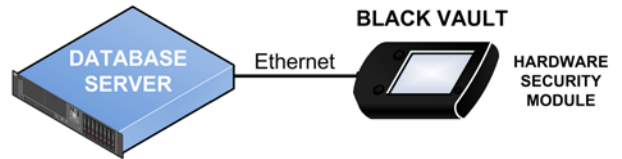
The vast majority of an enterprise's information is sensitive or secret and must be protected to prevent serious risk to operational continuity.

Employment of the **Black•Vault HSM.RAS** isolates and shields the critical security parameters and cryptographic operations.

CODE AND DOCUMENT SIGNING

Software Developers need to deliver Code, Patches, Scripts, and Libraries that are readily verifiable by installers as being authentic and unmodified. Similarly, electronic transfer and storage of documents increasingly requires that the validity of those documents can be ascertained.
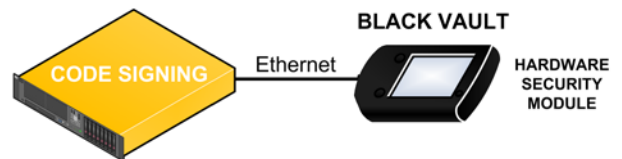
Digital signatures provide a proven cryptographic process for code installers and document users to validate the authenticity of the publisher and content.

The critical security parameter of a code or document signing process is the private signing key. The theft of a private code or document signing key by a person or organization with malicious intent could result in the introduction of attacks, malware, and corruption from what appears to be a "validated source".

Keys stored on the same servers used for code development or document generation are susceptible to unauthorized access and compromise.

Generating and Storing the private code signing keys in the tamper-reactive, independently FIPS certified **Black•Vault HSM.RAS** hardware security module eliminates this organization crushing vulnerability.

Proven interoperability with:
- Microsoft Authenticode
- Java Jarsigner
- Adobe Signature

BV•GUI

Black•Vault HSM.RAS utilizes an intuitive iconic graphical user interface. A structured menu system facilitates straight forward configuration via remote management.

The user interface presents Crypto Officers with a sequence of dialog boxes that lead through a series of well-defined steps to initiate the HSM and provision cards and keys.

Integrated Smart Card Reader

Black•Vault HSM.RAS's Smart Card reader connects to industry standard smart cards via PKCS#11. Two-factor authentication (2FA) solutions secure Crypto Officer and Operator access.

Crypto Officer and User Card Creation

Straight forward setup of Security Officer(s) and Users cards with "m of n" multifactor authentication.

BV•Tool

Powerful, easy to use, **PKCS#11 CLI** tool able to perform many different cryptographic operations that works on Windows/Linux/MacOS both physical and virtualized. Some of the functions are:
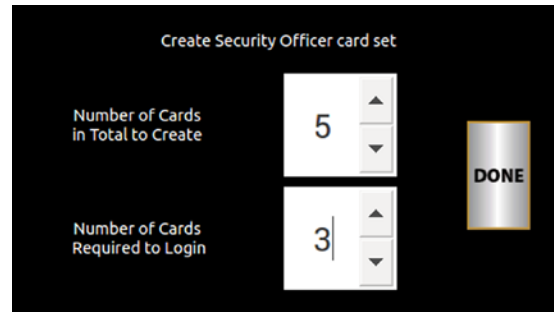
SDK comes with purchase of an **HSM** designed to help you integrate your application with the BlackVault through its **PKCS#11** interface

- Includes example code of Python and C++

Simple easy to use integration guides with step-by step walkthroughs to get you up and running with a variety of applications including:

Key Management

- Create Keys
- Delete Keys
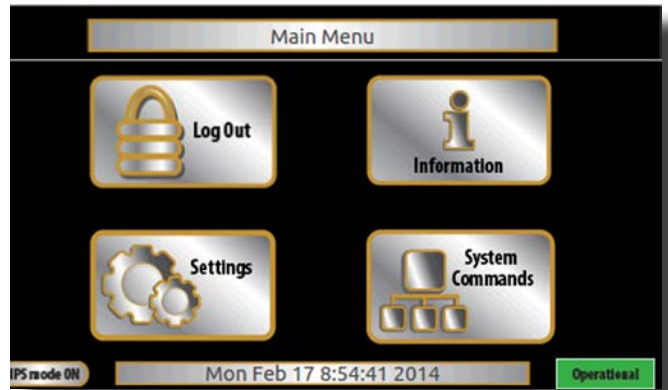- Key Import/Export
  Wrap/Unwrap

Create Certificates

- CSRs
- Certificates
- Self-Signed Certificates

As well as...

- Sign/Verify Files
- Encrypt/Decrypt Files

Able to utilize AES, RSA EC, and DSA key types. Sign using various hashes including but not limited to SHA256, SHA384, and SHA512.

- Authenticode
- Eclipse
- Android Dev Studio
- Java
- Microsoft Active Directory
  Certificate Services

Technical Specifications

Supported Operating Systems
• Physical: Windows, Linux
• VMWare: Windows and Linux

Application Program Interfaces (APIs)
• PKCS#11, Java (JCE), Microsoft Authenticode CNG

Host Connectivity
• Ethernet 10/100 Copper; Optional SFP
• TLS

Cryptography
• Asymmetric public key algorithms:
   - RSA (1024, 2048, 4096)
   - Diffie-Hellman ECDH, DSA, ECDSA
• Symmetric algorithm: AES 128, 192, 256
• Hash/message digest:
   SHA-1, SHA-2 (224, 256, 384, 512bit)
• Full Suite B implementation with
   Elliptic Curve Cryptography (ECC)
• NIST SP 800-90 compliant DRBG

Certification
• FIPS 140-2 Level 3

Management and Monitoring
• Graphical User Interface
• Remote Management
• Command Line Interface
• Syslog diagnostics support

Physical Characteristics
• Portable/Embeddable (Server Hard Drive Mechanics)
• Integrated Smart Card Reader
• Dimensions 102 x 153 x 26 mm (4 x 6 x 1in)
• Weight: 454g (1lb)
• Temperature: operating 0 to 50°C,
                    storage   -20 to 60°C
• Humidity: operating 10 to 90%
                 storage 0 to 95%

Safety, and Environmental Compliance
• UL, CE, FCC • RoHS

Power
• DB9 Connector: Dual Hot Standby 5 to 30 VDC
• Power consumption: 4W