

User's Guide

Kryptofon

Secure VoIP Phone

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Introduction

Welcome to Kryptofon, a Java based application for secured voice and short message communication between internet users.

The desire for secrecy was one of the basic needs through out the centuries of human civilization. Nowadays, in the world of Internet, our voice and text communication can be, more than ever, easily intercepted jeopardizing our privacy. Kryptofon is a cryptographic solution to that remedy. It provides encrypted communication and verification between Kryptofon peers on the Internet.

Setting Up, Starting, and Quitting Kryptofon

Before you install and start using Kryptofon, please take a few minutes to make sure your computer meets the minimum requirements needed to run Kryptofon.

Requirements

Kryptofon is a Java based networking application that uses audio devices for voice capturing and playing sounds.

To use Kryptofon you need the following:

- Java Runtime Environment (JRE) version 1.6 or later (Java SE 6+) with Java Cryptography Extension (JCE)
- Audio device with a headset and a microphone
- Access to public or private IP network and some chat server. A chat server is used as a private branch exchange (PBX) for messaging between Kryptofon peers. Kryptofon uses SU DSV's public chat server `atlas.dsv.su.se:9440` by default.

Delivery

Kryptofon is distributed as a single Java Archive (JAR) file.

Setting Up and Starting Kryptofon

To install Kryptofon

- 1 Create folder where you want Kryptofon installed
- 2 Download and copy of `kryptofon.jar` file into the created folder
- 3 Optionally create a shortcut icon to the JAR file in your desktop environment depending on the Operating System (OS) used

To start Kryptofon

You can start Kryptofon either from your Operating System's (OS) desktop environment or from the OS command line interpreter.

To start Kryptofon from the desktop, it is usually enough to double-click the Kryptofon JAR icon or the shortcut icon you have created during installation steps.

Kryptofon starts and displays the application window, with the short “usage” message.

```

IP1-10: Kryptofon; Connected to atlas.dsv.su.se:9494
<type in message, command or command arguments here> My Name: Administrator

Usage:
:invite <user> -- dial normal phone call
:invite+ <user> -- dial encrypted call
:accept -- accept incoming call
:hangup -- hang-up established call
:list [ <username-regex> ] -- list available kryptofon peers
:open [ <hostname> [ <port> ] ] -- open new chat connection
:close -- close current chat connection
:help -- display more help

18:36:53.906 Connecting to atlas.dsv.su.se:9494...
18:36:53.968 Connected to atlas.dsv.su.se:9494. Ready to communicate...
18:36:54.656 Generated a new key RSA/1024 pair: 'rsa-key-2010-11-30-183654656'
18:36:54.968 Private key 'rsa-key-2010-11-30-183654656' saved to file 'mykf-private-key.txt'
18:36:55.031 Public key 'rsa-key-2010-11-30-183654656' exported to file 'mykf-public-key.txt'

```

Note: If started for the first time, Kryptofon would generate private/public key pairs and save them in files. For more details, see “Key Storage” under the chapter “Key Handling” on page 17.

To start Kryptofon from the OS command line, make sure first that the Java Runtime Environment binaries are in the search path for executables, then issue command:

```
java -jar Kryptofon.jar
```

When started from the OS command line, Kryptofon shows trace and debugging information to standard output stream:

```

Administrator@hagar /c/work/space/ip1/10
$ java -jar kryptofon.jar
18:51:11.109 Trace [AWT-EventQueue-0] Private Key directory: C:\Documents and Settings\Administrator\mykf\
18:51:11.890 Trace [AWT-EventQueue-0] Input Buffer Size = 320
18:51:11.968 Trace [AWT-EventQueue-0] Output Buffer Size = 320
18:51:11.968 Trace [Tick-send] Thread started
18:51:11.984 Trace [AWT-EventQueue-0] Created 8kHz 16-bit PCM audio interface; Sample size = 320 octets
18:51:11.984 Trace [Tick-play] Thread started
18:51:12.000 Trace [Ringer] Thread started
18:51:12.015 Trace [CipherEngine] New local symmetric cipher: Blowfish/CBC/PKCS5Padding
18:51:12.031 Trace [AWT-EventQueue-0] Bound to UDP port 47000
18:51:12.031 Trace [UDP] Thread started
18:51:12.046 Trace [AWT-EventQueue-0] Created instance of the class CryptoPhoneApp
18:51:12.062 Trace [Chat-atlas.dsv.su.se:9494] Thread started
18:51:12.156 Trace [CipherEngine] Instantiated asymmetric cipher: RSA/ECB/PKCS1PADDING
18:51:12.234 Trace [CipherEngine] Serialized Public Key in Base64; length = 812

```

This behavior can be suppressed by redirecting application's standard output stream to OS null device, e.g. to `/dev/null` on Linux or to `NUL:` on Windows.

Command line options

You can customize how Kryptofon starts by using options in the command line. Kryptofon recognizes following command line options:

```
java -jar Kryptofon.jar [ server [ port ] ]
```

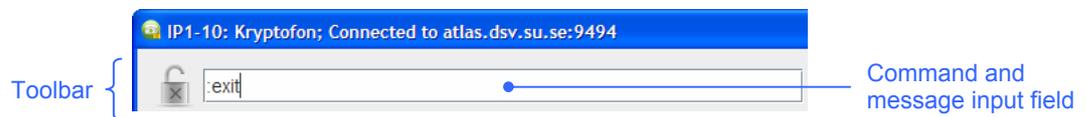
where:

- *server* is the hostname or IP address of the chat server.
The default server is: atlas.dsv.su.se
- *port* is the TCP port where the chat server can be found.
The default TCP port is: 9494

Note: After you have started Kryptofon, you can issue command `:open` to open a new connection to a different chat server. See how “To connect to a chat server” on page 5 for more details.

To quit Kryptofon

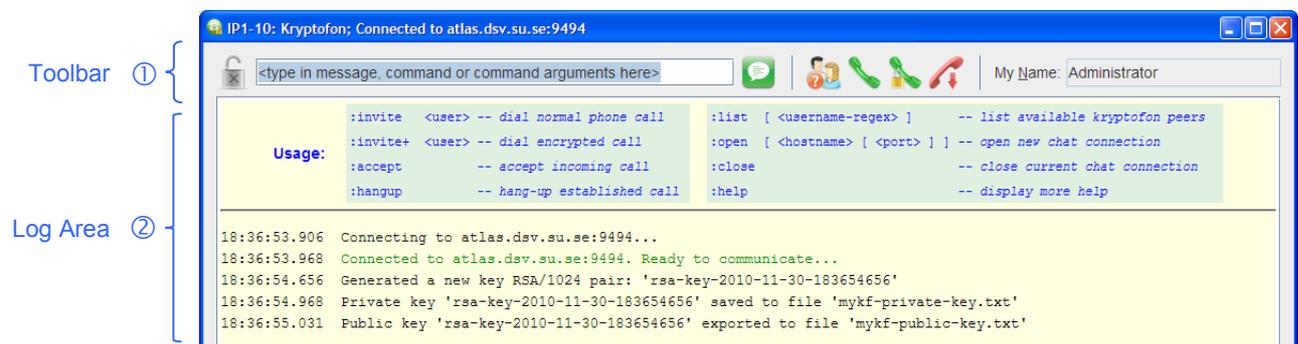
- 1 Enter command `:exit` in the command and message input field in the Toolbar
- 2 Press ENTER



Alternatively, you can close Kryptofon clicking on the close button in windows title bar or pressing `Alt+F4` or similar shortcut key depending on the OS you are using.

Application Window

Kryptofon application window consist of two major parts: Toolbar ① and Log Area ②.



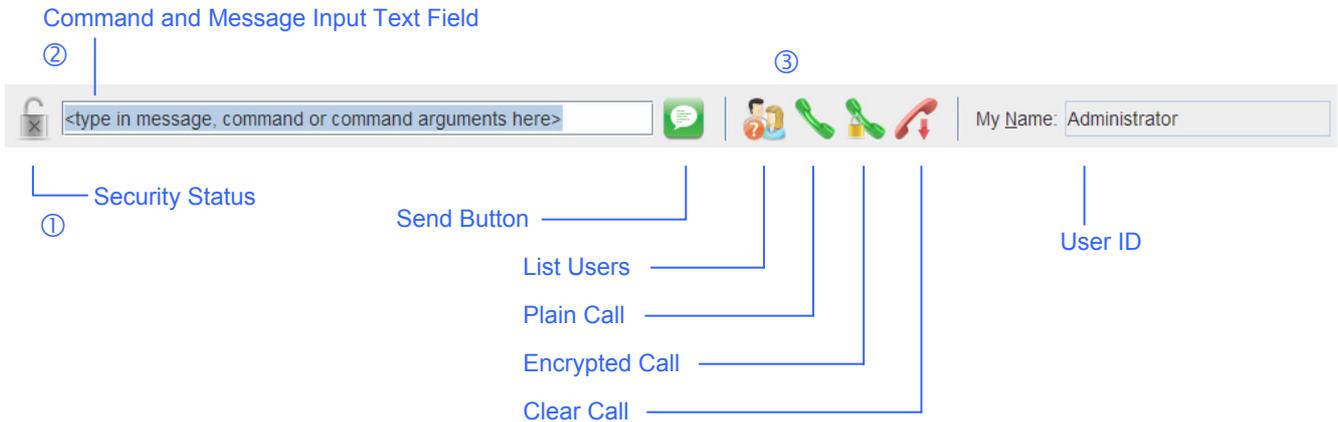
Log Area

Log Area contains both messages from the Kryptofon application and messages received from remote chat users and/or Kryptofon peers.

All messages shown in Log Area are stamped with the current time (with millisecond resolution) and highlighted using different color to emphasize different significance of the message contents. Generally, the red color is used for error and warning messages, while the green signals positive announcements.

Toolbar

Toolbar contains ① security status icon image, ② command and message input text field and ③ a number of buttons performing common functions. Buttons related to call establishment are grouped together and divided from the rest of the buttons.



Security Status

The security status icon shows current security state of the application, which may be:

-  × Unsecured communication
-  ? Secured (encrypted) communication but with an unauthenticated peer
-  ✓ Secured communication with a verified (trusted) peer

Note: Encrypted communication is possible only during an established call between Kryptofon peers. However, the call between peers doesn't automatically assume that the communication is secured; peers may agree that the call is established without any encryption (unsecured).

Messaging

To communicate with other Kryptofon users you need a connection to some chat server. The only requirement imposed on the chat server is that it broadcasts unmodified incoming messages to all participants.

Kryptofon uses `atlas.dsv.su.se` as the default chat server.

However, beside the chat server, you will also need a username to identify yourself and distinguish yourself from other users, otherwise the others won't be able to reach you.

Identifying Yourself to Other Kryptofon Users

Kryptofon sets your initial username to be the same name you have chosen to identify yourself to your OS, i.e. your OS login name is your Kryptofon user ID by default.

To change username

- 1 Select the User ID field in the Toolbar (click to field or press `Alt+N`)
- 2 Enter new username
- 3 Press `ENTER`



Kryptofon parses your text making it a proper username by removing leading and trailing white spaces and replacing inner spaces with a dashes; e.g. " Alice The User " parses as "Alice-The-User".

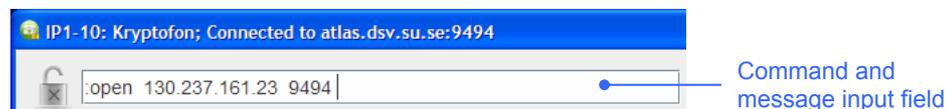
Note: You can change your username at any time except during the call.

Connecting and Disconnecting from the Chat Server

As mentioned earlier, Kryptofon uses `atlas.dsv.su.se` as the default chat server. To set up different chat server before Kryptofon starts, see "Command line options" on page 3.

To connect to a chat server

- 1 Select the Command and Message Input field in the Toolbar (click or press `Alt+I`)



- 2 Enter `:open host port`, where *host* is the name or IP address of the chat server and *port* is the TCP port chat server listens to.
- 3 Press ENTER

Example

To connect to chat server at IP address 130.237.161.23 and TCP port 9494, issue command:

```
:open 130.237.161.23 9494
```

The result may look like:

```
12:31:06.359 Connection lost!
12:31:06.359 java.net.SocketException: socket closed
12:31:06.359 Closing connection atlas.dsv.su.se:9494...
12:31:06.359 ... connection closed atlas.dsv.su.se:9494
12:31:06.359 Connecting to 130.237.161.23:9494...
12:31:06.359 Connected to 130.237.161.23:9494. Ready to communicate...
```

To handle lost connection

In case of lost connection to the chat server, Kryptofon will try three times to reconnect, with 2-seconds delay between retries.

```
Reconnecting in 2 seconds...
Retry #2 of max 3:
13:07:32.109 Connecting to localhost:2000...
```

After failing for the third time, Kryptofon will require from you to manually open connection to some other chat server or to quit.

```
Retry #3 of max 3:
13:07:36.109 Connecting to localhost:2000...
13:07:37.296 I/O exception while connecting
13:07:37.296 java.net.ConnectException: Connection refused: connect
13:07:37.296 Closing connection localhost:2000...
13:07:37.296 ... connection closed localhost:2000

Press ENTER to quit or type

    :open [ <hostname> [ <port> ] ]

to open new connection...
```

To close connection

- 1 Select the Command and Message Input field in the Toolbar (click or press Alt+I)
- 2 Enter `:close` command
- 3 Press ENTER.

Kryptofon closes connection to current chat server.

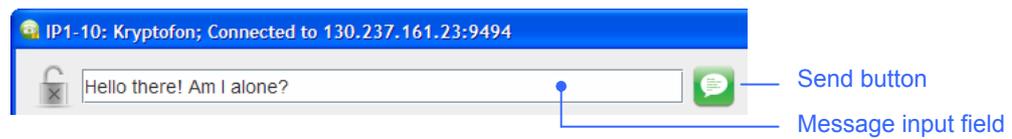
```
12:40:19.343 Connection lost!
12:40:19.343 java.net.SocketException: socket closed
12:40:19.343 Closing connection 130.237.161.23:9494...
12:40:19.343 ... connection closed 130.237.161.23:9494
```

Note: To send messages, you need a connection to some chat server. After closing current connection, if you try to send a message you will quit Kryptofon – you must enter some command not to quit.

Sending Text Messages

To send text message

- 1 Select the Message Input field in the Toolbar (click the field or press Alt+I)
- 2 Type in your message. Beware not begin the message with colon ':', otherwise the input text will be parsed as command.
- 3 Press ENTER or click the Send button.



Kryptofon sends your message to chat server, which broadcasts the message to all connected users.

```
13:05:07.593 Connecting to 130.237.161.23:9494...
13:05:07.593 Connected to 130.237.161.23:9494. Ready to communicate...
13:05:12.125 Alice: Hello there! Am I alone?
```

Note: To be sure that the message is broadcasted, you can use `:broadcast` command. See how “To broadcast non-encrypted message” on page 16.

To send encrypted text message

You must have established secured (encrypted) call with remote Kryptofon peer to be able to send encrypted messages.

For more information see how “To invite user to encrypted call” on page 11, and how “To send encrypted message” on page 15.

Receiving Text Messages

Krytofon displays all incoming messages prefixed with the current time stamp and remote username.

```

13:05:07.593 Connecting to 130.237.161.23:9494...
13:05:07.593 Connected to 130.237.161.23:9494. Ready to communicate...
13:05:12.125 Alice: Hello there! Am I alone?
13:05:24.812 Bob: You're not alone, Alice!
  
```

Timestamp —

Username —

Non-encrypted messages (blue)

Non-encrypted broadcast messages are highlighted in **blue** color, while encrypted messages are highlighted in **cyan**.

```

15:23:49.000 User 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 is inviting us...
15:23:49.000 Invite from 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 authenticat
15:23:49.000 Respond with :accept to answer the call!
15:23:49.968 ***** Encrypted call established *****
15:25:13.171 Alice [encrypted]: This is encrypted. Isn't it?
15:25:22.671 Bob [encrypted]: Yes it is !!!
  
```

Encrypted messages (cyan)

Note: Messages from non-Krytofon peers are tagged with username anonymous.

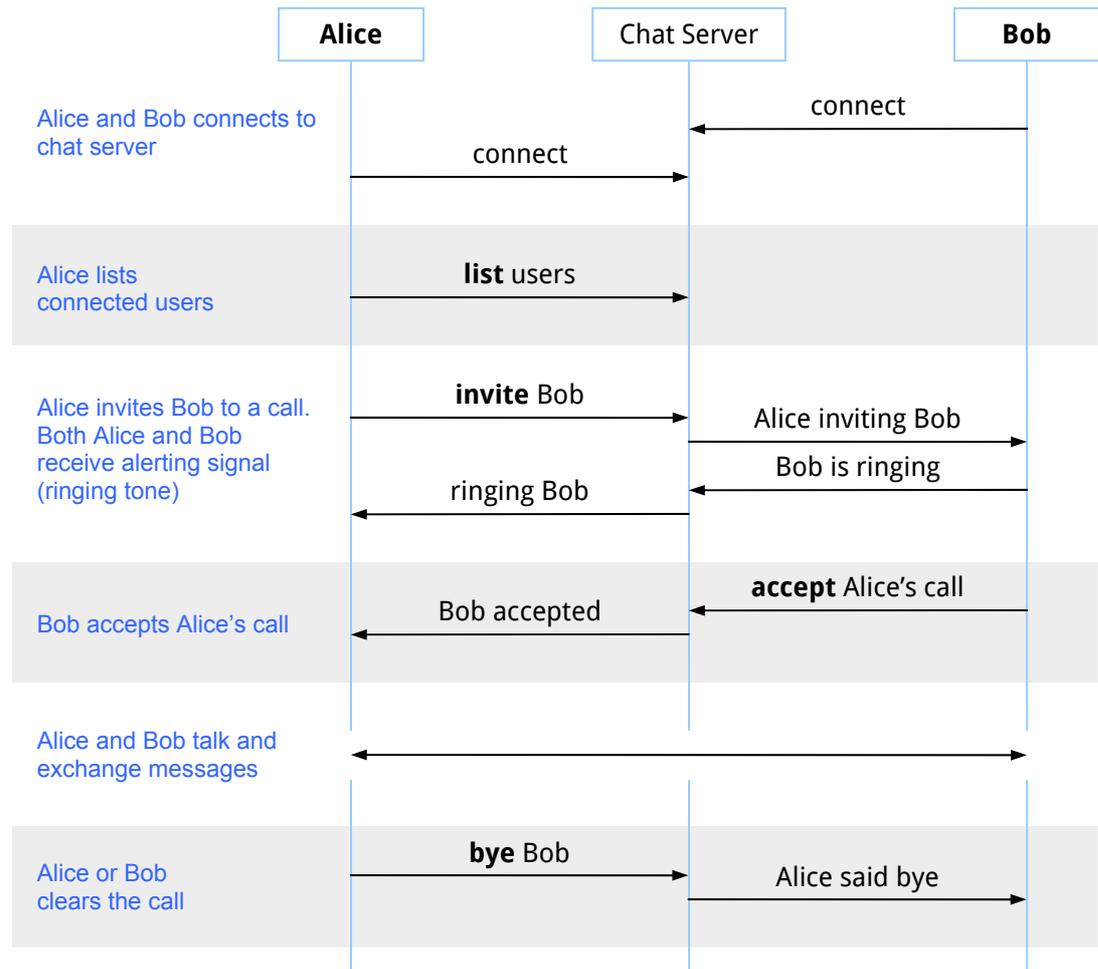
```

15:42:09.281 [Anonymous]: CLIENT CONNECTED: c-62-220-185-161.
15:42:14.625 [Anonymous]: Hi there
  
```

Voice Calls

The following schematic diagram shows typical call scenario between two Kryptofon users, Alice and Bob.

In this scenario Alice initiates call to Bob, and Bob answers the call. (More details about the protocol can be found in the separate document “Kryptofon System Internals”.)



Reminder: Status icon displays current security state of the call:

-  × Unsecured communication
-  ? Secured (encrypted) communication but with unverified (unauthorized) peer
-  ✓ Secured communication with verified (trusted) peer

Listing Users

To list Kryptofon peers connected to chat server

- 1 Click the List Users button or press Alt+L.



Kryptofon broadcasts poll request to all users on the chat server, but only Kryptofon peers responds to this poll with “I’m alive” reply.

```
18:49:10.049 Listing users...
18:49:10.049 -- User 'Alice' is alive.
18:49:10.189 -- User 'Bob' is alive.
18:49:10.189 -- User 'Mallory' is alive.
18:49:10.189 -- User 'Eve' is alive.
```

Note: To list users matching some regular expression criteria, you may issue `:list` command with parameters. For example, to poll all users with names beginning with “mal”, enter command `:list ^mal.*`

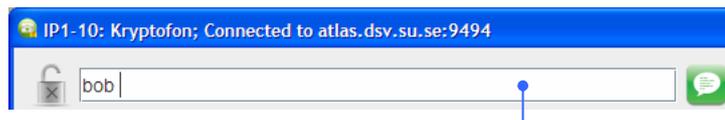
In the previous example, only Mallory’s Kryptofon will answer the poll:

```
18:58:39.455 Listing users...
18:58:39.596 -- User 'Mallory' is alive.
```

Making Calls

To invite user to plain (non-secured) call

- 1 Select the Message and Command Input field in the Toolbar (click or press Alt+I)
- 2 Enter the ID of the user you want to invite to a call.



- 3 Click the Plain Call button or press Alt+C.



Kryptofon sends invitation to remote peer. The peer should respond that remote user is alerted (ringing).

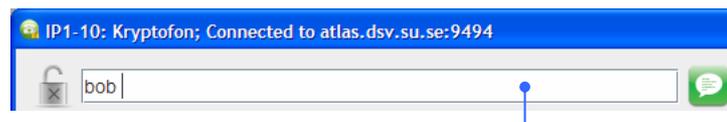
```
19:33:42.611 Inviting 'bob' to un-encrypted voice call...
19:33:42.767 User 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 is alerted... ←
19:33:42.767 Reply from 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 authenticated with public key
'rsa-key-2010-11-30-183654656'
```

In case that user is not present, invite fails with in the timeout of ~3 sec.

```
19:42:26.674 Inviting 'Mary' to un-encrypted voice call...
19:42:30.392 It seems that kryptofon user 'Mary' is not connected.
19:42:30.392 Use :list to query available users...
```

To invite user to encrypted call

- 1 Select the Message and Command Input field in the Toolbar (click or press Alt+I)
- 2 Enter the ID of the user you want to invite to a call.



Message and
command input field

- 3 Click the Encrypted Call button or press Alt+S.



Kryptofon sends invitation to encrypted voice call to remote peer. The peer responds that remote user is alerted (ringing).

```
19:49:43.908 Inviting 'Bob' to encrypted voice call...
19:49:44.064 User 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 is alerted... ←
19:49:44.064 Reply from 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 authenticated with public key
'rsa-key-2010-11-30-183654656'
```

In case that user is not present, invite fails with in the timeout of ~3 sec.

```
19:52:04.549 Inviting 'Mary' to encrypted voice call...
19:52:08.392 It seems that kryptofon user 'Mary' is not connected. ←
19:52:08.392 Use :list to query available users...
```

Note: Remote user may force your encrypted invite into the plain (non-encrypted) call.

Kryptofon warns you in such case and displays “unsecured” status image  (see “Security Status” section on page 4).

```

20:03:38.205 Inviting 'bob' to encrypted voice call...
20:03:38.330 User 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 is alerted...
20:03:38.330 Reply from 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 authenticated with public key
'rsa-key-2010-11-30-183654656'
20:03:43.017 User 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 has accepted our invite
20:03:43.033 ***** Un-encrypted call established *****

```

Receiving Calls

You may receive three types of call invitations:

- Invitation to a plain call without encryption

```

19:58:23.814 User 'Alice' at 192.168.5.50:47000 is inviting us...
19:58:23.814 The call will be without encryption.
19:58:23.814 Respond with :accept to answer the call!

```

- Invitation to a secured (encrypted) call from an unverified peer

```

20:23:04.142 User 'Mallory' at 192.168.5.50:47003 is inviting us...
20:23:04.158 Invite from 'Mallory' at 192.168.5.50:47003 could not be authenticated.
20:23:04.158 Respond with :accept to answer the call!

```

- Invitation to a secured (encrypted) call from a verified peer

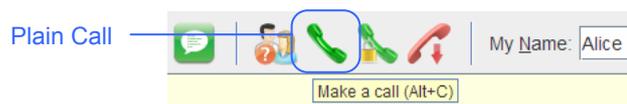
```

20:01:46.377 User 'Alice' at 192.168.5.50:47000 is inviting us...
20:01:46.377 Invite from 'Alice' at 192.168.5.50:47000 authenticated with public
key 'rsa-key-2010-11-30-183654656'
20:01:46.377 Respond with :accept to answer the call!

```

To answer non-encrypted call

- 1 Click the Plain Call button or press Alt+C.



Kryptofon answers the call and informs you of the security status of the established call.

```

19:58:23.814 User 'Alice' at 192.168.5.50:47000 is inviting us...
19:58:23.814 The call will be without encryption.
19:58:23.814 Respond with :accept to answer the call!
19:59:38.236 ***** Un-encrypted call established *****

```

To answer encrypted call

- 1 Click the Encrypted Call button or press Alt+S.



Kryptofon answers the call and informs you of the security status of the established call.

```
20:41:39.361 User 'Alice' at 192.168.5.50:47000 is inviting us...
20:41:39.361 Invite from 'Alice' at 192.168.5.50:47000 authenticated with public key
'rsa-key-2010-11-30-183654656'
20:41:39.361 Respond with :accept to answer the call!
20:41:42.017 ***** Encrypted call established *****
```

In case of unverified remote peer, Kryptofon displays warning.

```
20:44:10.830 User 'Mallory' at 192.168.5.50:47003 is inviting us...
20:44:10.830 Invite from 'Mallory' at 192.168.5.50:47003 could not be authenticated.
20:44:10.830 Respond with :accept to answer the call!
20:44:14.674 ***** Encrypted call established *****
```

However, the call will be still considered secured (encrypted). Kryptofon leaves to you responsibility to verify authenticity of the remote peer during the (encrypted) conversation.

Note: If you click the Encrypted Call when invited to non-encrypted call, the call will be still answered as non-encrypted.

To answer encrypted call forcing it to be non-encrypted

To accept invitation to encrypted call and force the call to be non-encrypted:

- 1 Click the Plain Call button or press Alt+C.



Kryptofon answers the call and informs you of the “non-encrypted” security status of the established call.

Example

In the following example Alice invites ① Bob to encrypted call, but the Bob accepts ② the call as non-encrypted.

Alice's Kryptofon:

```
21:06:56.877 Inviting 'Bob' to encrypted voice call... ← ①
21:06:57.033 User 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 is alerted...
21:06:57.033 Reply from 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 authenticated with public key
'rsa-key-2010-12-01-202231111'
21:06:58.658 User 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 has accepted our invite
21:06:58.674 ***** Un-encrypted call established ***** ← ②
```

Bob's Kryptofon:

```
21:06:56.892 User 'Alice' at 192.168.5.50:47000 is inviting us...
21:06:56.908 Invite from 'Alice' at 192.168.5.50:47000 authenticated with public key
'rsa-key-2010-12-01-202231111'
21:06:56.908 Respond with :accept to answer the call!
21:06:58.674 ***** Un-encrypted call established ***** ← ②
```

Clearing Calls

To clear existing call

- 1 Click the Clear Call button or press Alt+H.



Kryptofon clears existing call and informs you of the call status.

```
21:28:18.080 Reply from 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 authenticated with public key
'rsa-key-2010-12-01-202231111'
21:28:19.158 User 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 has accepted our invite
21:28:19.267 Secret key from 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 authenticated with public key
'rsa-key-2010-12-01-202231111'
21:28:19.267 ***** Encrypted call established *****
21:28:23.986 ***** Call Ended ***** ←
```

To reject incoming invitation

- 1 Click the Clear Call button or press Alt+H.



Kryptofon rejects invitation and informs you about that, and the remote Kryptofon informs also its user about the rejection.

Example

Alice invites Bob to encrypted call. Bob rejects invitation ① from Alice.

```
21:30:07.283 User 'Alice' at 192.168.5.50:47000 is inviting us...
21:30:07.299 Invite from 'Alice' at 192.168.5.50:47000 authenticated with public key
'rsa-key-2010-12-01-202231111'
21:30:07.299 Respond with :accept to answer the call!
21:30:09.971 Rejecting invite from 'Alice' at 192.168.5.50:47000 ← ①
```

Alice receives rejection ② from Bob.

```
21:30:07.283 Inviting 'Bob' to encrypted voice call...
21:30:07.471 User 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 is alerted...
21:30:07.471 Reply from 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 authenticated with public key
'rsa-key-2010-12-01-202231111'
21:30:09.971 User 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 rejected our invite ← ②
21:30:09.971 ***** Call Ended *****
```

Sending Messages during the Call

To send encrypted message

- 1 Verify that Status Icon in the Toolbar indicates secured communication.
Icon image must be either  or  (see “Security Status” on page 4)
- 2 Select the Message Input field in the Toolbar (click the field or press Alt+I)
- 3 Type in your message. Beware that message doesn't begin with colon ':', otherwise the input text will be parsed as command.
- 4 Press ENTER or click the Send button.



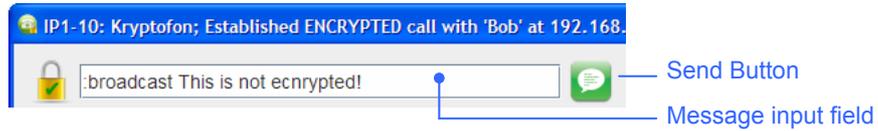
Kryptofon sends your message encrypted to remote peer via chat server.

```
15:23:49.000 User 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 is inviting us...
15:23:49.000 Invite from 'Bob' at 192.168.5.50:47001 authenticated
15:23:49.000 Respond with :accept to answer the call!
15:23:49.968 ***** Encrypted call established *****
15:25:13.171 Alice [encrypted]: This is encrypted. Isn't it? ←
15:25:22.671 Bob [encrypted]: Yes it is !!!
```

Note that encrypted messages are highlighted in cyan (see “Receiving Text Messages” on page 8).

To broadcast non-encrypted message

- 1 Select the Message Input field in the Toolbar (click the field or press Alt+I)
- 2 Enter `:broadcast` command followed by your message
- 3 Press ENTER or click the Send button.



Kryptofon broadcasts your message (with no encryption) to all remote chat clients.

```

21:37:12.705 ***** Encrypted call established *****
21:54:24.424 Alice [encrypted]: This is encrypted. Isn't it?
21:54:30.642 Bob [encrypted]: Yes it is!
21:55:17.846 Alice: This is not encrypted! ←

```

Note that received broadcasts are highlighted in blue (see “Receiving Text Messages” on page 8).

Key Handling

To ensure secured communication, Kryptofon uses two types of ciphering:

Symmetric ciphering with a common secret key. Kryptofon uses symmetric ciphering for encryption of voice protocol data units (PDUs) and text messages.

Asymmetric ciphering with a private/public key pair. Kryptofon uses asymmetric ciphering for verification of the remote peer and secure exchange (encrypted transfer) of secret keys used for ciphering of voice and text.

Note: Kryptofon could also use, in principle, asymmetric ciphering for encryption of voice PDUs and text messages. However, in reality, asymmetric ciphering algorithms are slower and more CPU consuming than symmetric counterparts, which is an essential drawback when it comes to transferring voice in real time.

A random secret key is generated every time you launch Kryptofon. A new secret key may be generated at any time on your request e.g. just before answering invitation to a call.

Your private/public key pair is usually generated only once: when you start Kryptofon for the first time.

Key Storage

Kryptofon stores your private/public key pair in `mykf-private-key.txt` file and your public key in file `mykf-public-key.txt`. Both keys are stored in your home directory under the subdirectory `.mykf`

On Linux, access rights for `.mykf` directory and the private key file are adjusted so that no one but you (the owner) may read the contents.

Authorized Public Keys

Kryptofon loads authorized public keys from `mykf-authorized-keys.txt` file found in `.mykf` subdirectory of your home directory. If the file cannot be found, Kryptofon creates an empty file and adjusts (if possible) file's permissions so that no one but you may read the content.

Kryptofon loads authorized public keys from the file on the startup, so if you change its contents while Kryptofon is running, you will need to reload new contents with `:reauth` command.

Note: You can have encrypted calls with remote users that you didn't authenticate.

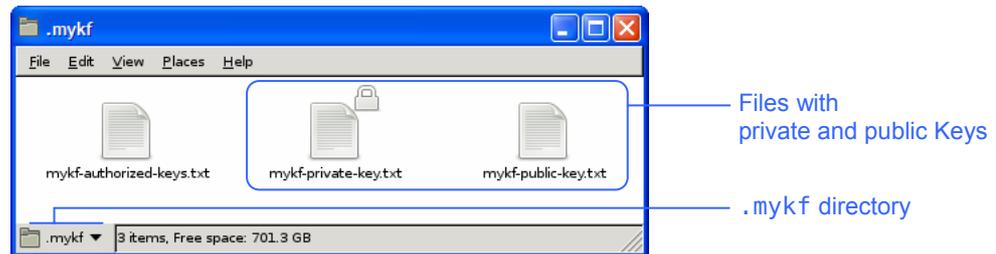
Kryptofon warns you in this case for an unauthenticated user, however, you can, contrary to other non-interactive cryptographic solutions, try to verify identity of the peer during the (encrypted) conversation.

Generating Keys

To generate new private/public key pair

To force Kryptofon to generate a new private/public key pair, you have to remove the file with the saved private key.

- 1 Quit Kryptofon (see how “To quit Kryptofon” on page 3)
- 2 Open file manager and navigate to your home directory, then to `.mykf` subdirectory



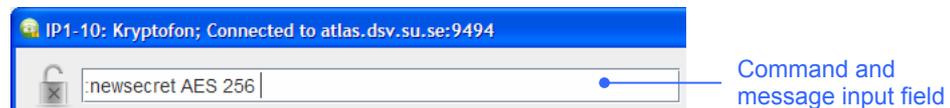
- 3 Remove file `mykf-private-key.txt`
- 4 Remove file `mykf-public-key.txt`
- 5 Start Kryptofon (see how “To start Kryptofon” on page 2)

Kryptofon generates your new private/public key pair on startup.

```
17:02:31.125 Generated a new key RSA/1024 pair: 'rsa-key-2010-12-02-170231125'
17:02:31.400 Private key saved to file '/home/h10/mikica/.mykf/mykf-private-key.txt'
17:02:31.443 Public key exported to file '/home/h10/mikica/.mykf/mykf-public-key.txt'
```

To generate new secret key

- 1 Select the Command and Message Input field in the Toolbar (click or press `Alt+I`)



- 2 Enter `:newsecret algorithm keysize`, where *algorithm* is a name of symmetric ciphering algorithm supported by JCE (e.g. Blowfish or AES) and *keysize* is the used key size for the algorithm. If you do not specify any of parameters, the defaults are Blowish and 32-bit key size.
- 3 Press `ENTER`

Kryptofon sets new algorithm and generates random secret key.

Example

To generate new symmetric secret key with 256-bit AES algorithm, issue command:

```
:newsecret AES 256
```

The result may look like:

```
17:50:56.031 Connecting to atlas.dsv.su.se:9494...
17:50:56.031 Connected to atlas.dsv.su.se:9494. Ready to communicate...
17:50:56.343 Loaded private key 'rsa-key-2010-12-02-145437625' from file 'mykf-private-key.txt'
17:50:59.718 New symmetric cipher: AES/256
```

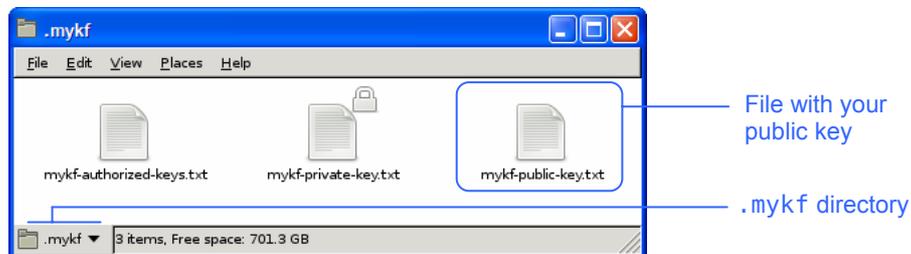
Authorizing Public Keys

Kryptofon exports your public key every time it generates new public/private key pair. You may send your public key to remote user either using Kryptofon or using some external encryption/decryption computer program such as PGP.

To find your public key

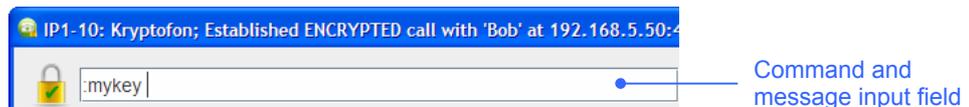
- 1 Open file manager and navigate to your home directory
- 2 Open `.mykf` subdirectory

You will find your public key stored in file `mykf-public-key.txt`.



To send your public key using Kryptofon

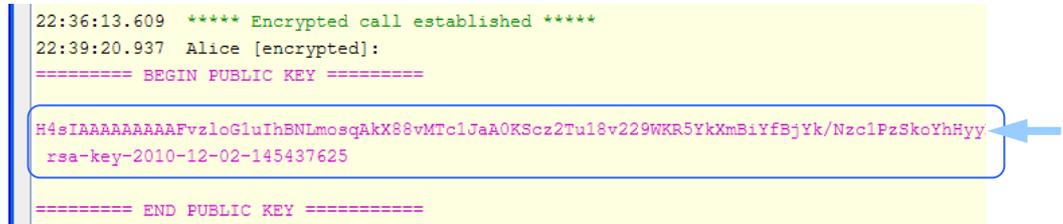
- 1 Select the Command and Message Input field (click the field or press `Alt+I`)
- 2 Enter command `:mykey`
- 3 Press `ENTER`



Outside a call (or during unsecured call), Kryptofon broadcasts your public key to all connected users. However, during the secured call, Kryptofon sends your public key as encrypted message visible only to your peer.

Remote user can cut-and-paste the line with the public key from the Log Area into personal authorized keys file.

```
22:36:13.609 **** Encrypted call established ****
22:39:20.937 Alice [encrypted]:
===== BEGIN PUBLIC KEY =====
H4sIAAAAAAAAAAFvzloGluIhBNLmosqAkX88vMTclJaA0KScz2Tul8v229WKR5YkXmBiYfBjYk/NzclPzSkoYhHyy
rsa-key-2010-12-02-145437625
===== END PUBLIC KEY =====
```



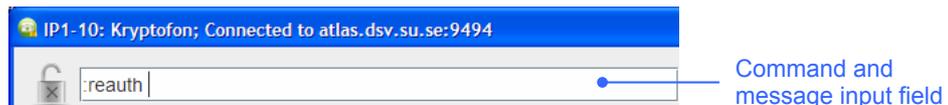
To authorize other user's public key

- 1 Open file manager and navigate to your home directory
- 2 Open .mykf subdirectory
- 3 Edit file mykf-authorized-keys.txt
- 4 Append the contents of the received public key to the file (only the line with the key and the comment)

Note: Kryptofon, when started for the first time, creates an empty mykf-authorized-keys.txt file and adjusts file permissions so that no one but you can read file contents. You should be careful not to accidentally blot the file permissions while editing the file.

To reload authorized keys

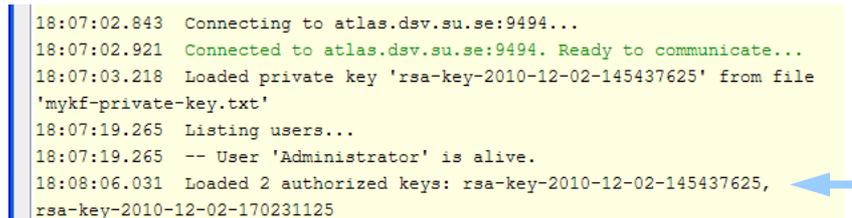
- 1 Select the Command and Message Input field in the Toolbar (click or press Alt+I)



- 2 Enter :reauth
- 3 Press ENTER

Kryptofon reloads file with authorized public keys and informs you about loaded keys.

```
18:07:02.843 Connecting to atlas.dsv.su.se:9494...
18:07:02.921 Connected to atlas.dsv.su.se:9494. Ready to communicate...
18:07:03.218 Loaded private key 'rsa-key-2010-12-02-145437625' from file
'mykf-private-key.txt'
18:07:19.265 Listing users...
18:07:19.265 -- User 'Administrator' is alive.
18:08:06.031 Loaded 2 authorized keys: rsa-key-2010-12-02-145437625,
rsa-key-2010-12-02-170231125
```



Miscellaneous

Getting Help

To display help

- 1 Press F1

Kryptofon displays command line reference.

```
Kryptofon Help
VoIP Calls
:inv[ite] <user> -- dial normal phone call; alias: :ca[ll]
:inv[ite]+ <user> -- dial encrypted call; alias: :ca[ll]+
:acc[ept] -- accept incoming call; alias: :ans[wer]
```

Clearing Log and Saving Log Dumps

To clear screen

- 1 Select the Command and Message Input field in the Toolbar (click or press Alt+I)
- 2 Enter `:cls` command
- 3 Press ENTER

Kryptofon clears Log Area and displays initial “usage” info.

To save log into file

- 1 Select the Command and Message Input field in the Toolbar (click or press Alt+I)
- 2 Enter `:dump` command
- 3 Press ENTER.

Kryptofon saves the contents of the log area into `mykf-log-area-timestamp.html` file in the current directory (where *timestamp* is the current date and time).

```
12:46:30.046 Alice:
12:46:31.140 Dumped log area into 'mykf-log-area-2010-12-02-124631125.html'
12:46:32.500 Alice:
```

Note: The `:dump` command accepts a filename as argument. To save log area into specific file, for example `test.html`, enter command `:dump test.html`

Commands Cheat Sheet

Chat Server Connection

:op[en] [<i>host</i> [<i>port</i>]]	open new chat connection
:clo[se]	close current chat connection

Instant Messages

:br[oadcast] <i>message</i>	broadcast (always un-encrypted) message
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Krytofon Peers

:who	send "wwhhoo" message to chat server to list all connected clients to chat server
:li[st] [<i>username-regex</i>]	list Krytofon users connected to chat server

VoIP Calls

:inv[ite] <i>user</i> :ca[ll]	invite user to a normal (non-encrypted) voice call
:inv[ite]+ <i>user</i> :ca[ll]+	invite user to secured (encrypted) voice call
:acc[ept] :ans[wer]	accept incoming invitation
:by[e] :ha[ngup]	clear established call or reject incoming invitation

Key Handling

:my[key]	if in the call, display my public key to remote peer; otherwise, broadcast my public key to everyone
:reauth	reload authorized public keys
:newsecret [<i>algorithm</i> [<i>keysize</i>]]	initialize symmetric ciphery and generate new secret

Application

:du[mp]	save what you see (log area) as HTML file
:qu[it] :exit	quit application
:help	display command line reference
:cls	clear screen and display short usage info