



Brief Introduction of CRYPTREC Activities in Japan

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CRYPTREC

- About 12 years ago:
 - H. Imai and A. Yamagishi.

Invited Lecture of
ASIACRYPT 2000,
Kyoto, JAPAN

CRYPTREC Project - Cryptographic Evaluation
Project for the Japanese Electronic Government
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CRYPTREC Project
- Cryptographic Evaluation Project for the
Japanese Electronic Government -

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Abstract. We will describe the outline of the cryptographic technology evaluation project in Japan and those present conditions. The purpose of this project is that the cryptographic technology which the Japanese Government uses is evaluated and listed. Selected cryptographic technology will be used in the information security system which the Japanese Government will use in the future.

Keywords. Cryptographic technology, Symmetric ciphers, Asymmetric ciphers, Evaluation

CRYPTREC (cont.)

- **CRYPT**ography **R**esearch and **E**valuation **C**ommittees.
- Research project in Japan **since 2000**.
- Conducts security evaluations which can contribute to the realization of **e-Government**.
- Makes a list of secure cryptographic techniques which are examined closely by **a lot of experts (domestic and international)**.
- URL `http://www.cryptrec.go.jp/`

Organization

- Divided into two parts:

1. An advisory board is run by two ministries:

- The Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communication (**MIC**, <http://www.soumu.go.jp>),
- the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (**METI**, <http://www.meti.go.jp/>).

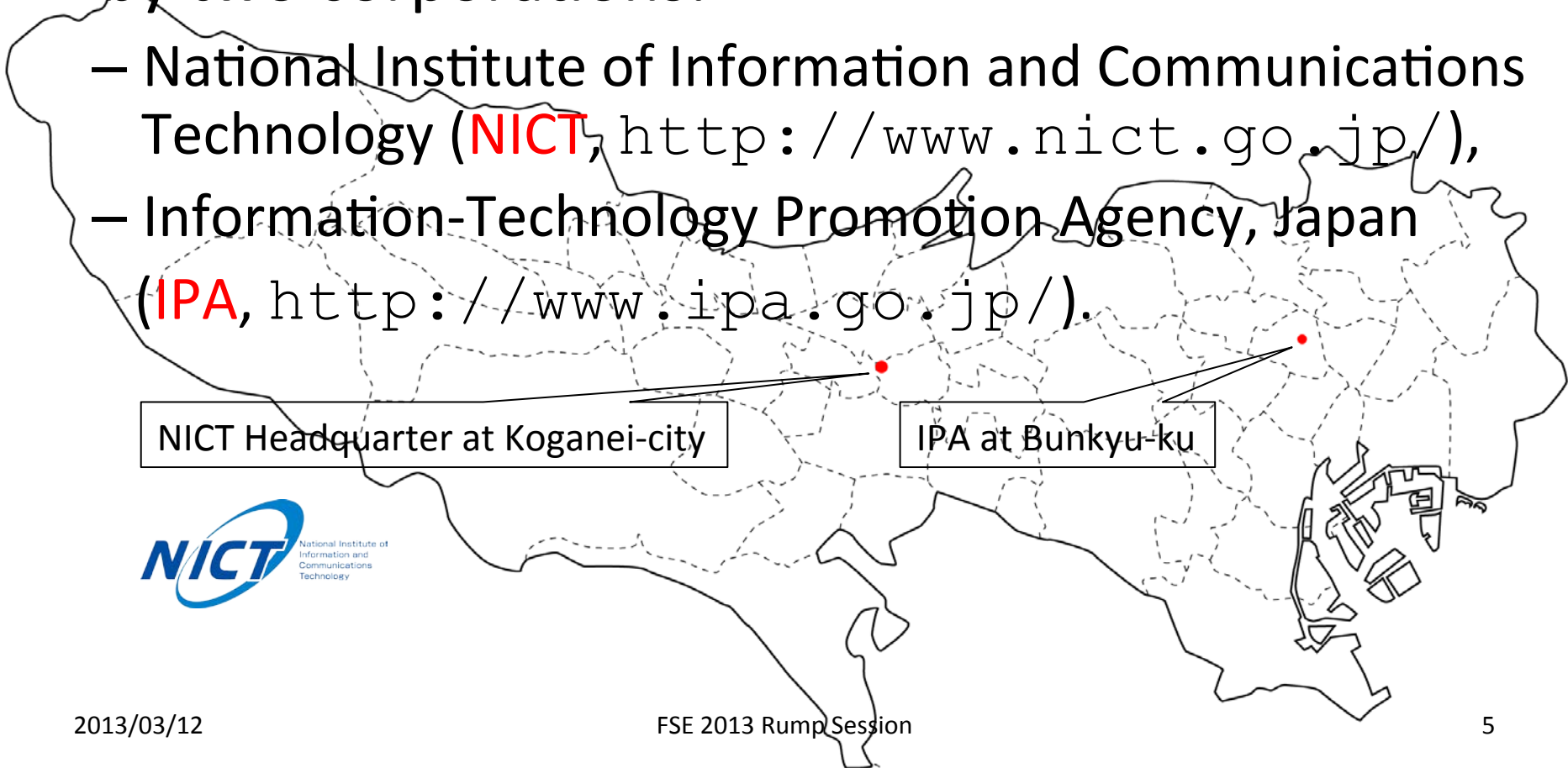


Kasumigaseki, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo

Organization (cont.)

2. Several committees and working groups are run by two corporations:

- National Institute of Information and Communications Technology (**NICT**, <http://www.nict.go.jp/>),
- Information-Technology Promotion Agency, Japan (**IPA**, <http://www.ipa.go.jp/>).

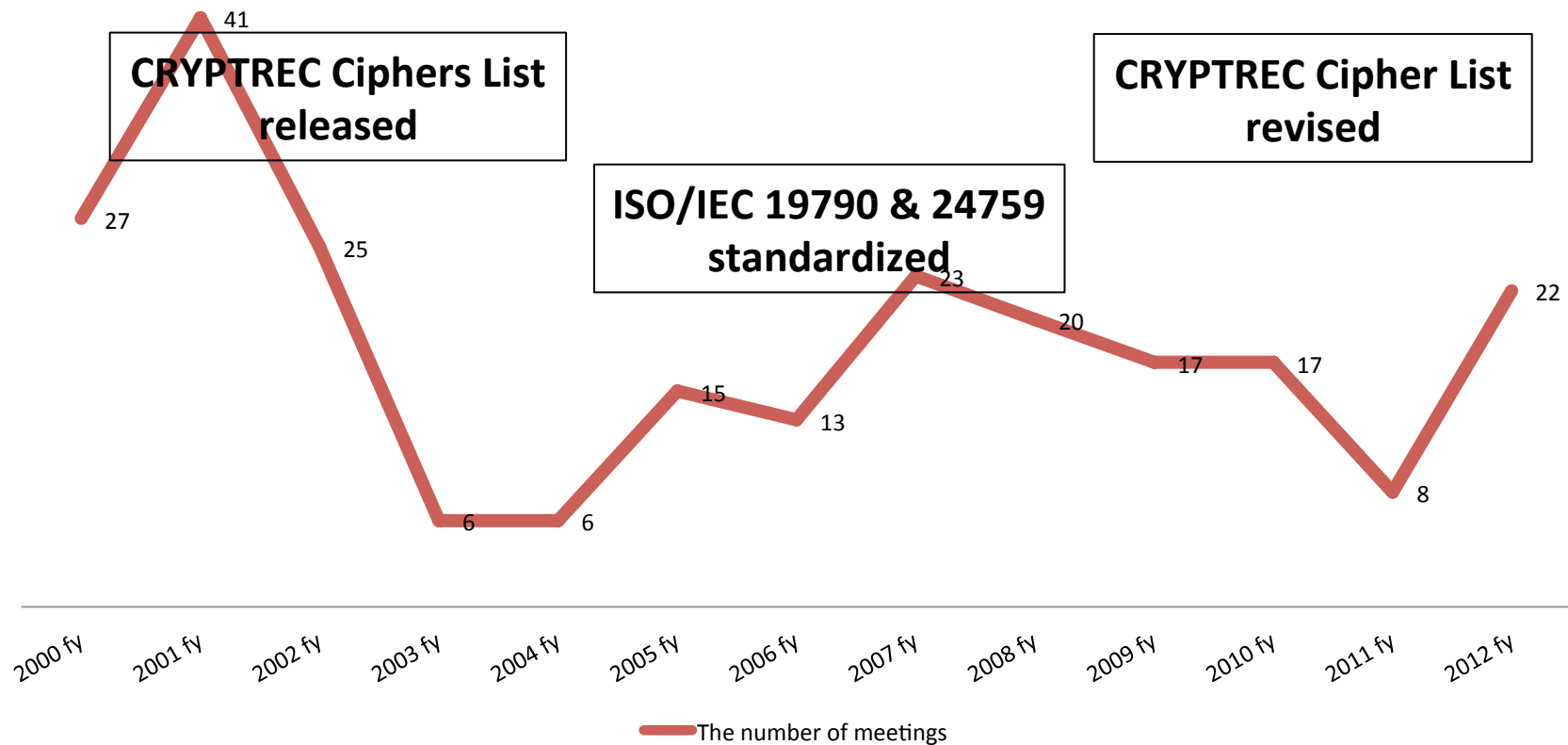


NICT Headquarter at Koganei-city

IPA at Bunkyo-ku

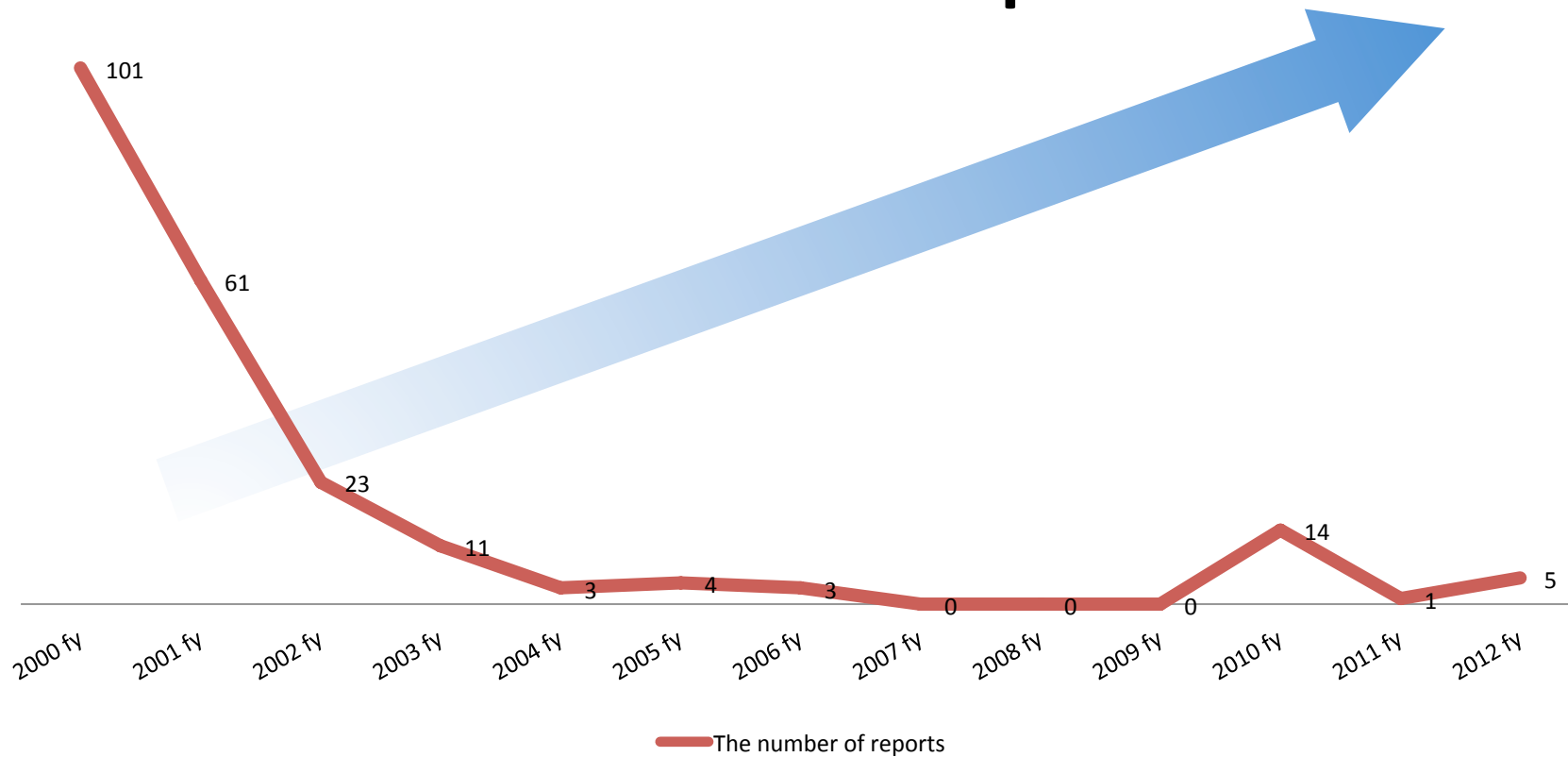
Statistics

The number of meetings



Statistics (cont.)

The number of reports



e-Government Recommended Ciphers List (FY 2002 Edition)





Category of technique		Name
Public-key cryptographic techniques	Signature	DSA
		ECDSA
		RSASSA-PKCS1-v1_5
		RSA-PSS
	Confidentiality	RSA-OAEP
		RSAES-PKCS1-v1_5 ^(Note 1)
	Key agreement	DH
		ECDH
		PSEC-KEM ^(Note 2)
Symmetric-key cryptographic techniques	64-bit block ciphers ^(Note 3)	CIPHERUNICORN-E
		Hierocrypt-L1
		MISTY1
		3-key Triple DES ^(Note 4)
		AES
	128-bit block ciphers	Camellia
		CIPHERUNICORN-A
		Hierocrypt-3
		SC2000
		MUGI
	Stream ciphers	MULTI-S01
		128-bit RC4 ^(Note 5)
		RIPMD-160 ^(Note 6)
		SHA-1 ^(Note 6)
		SHA-256
Hash functions	SHA-384	
	SHA-512	
	PRNG based on SHA-1 in ANSI X9.42-2001 Annex	
Other		

<http://www.cryptrec.go.jp/english/list.html>

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CRYPTREC Ciphers List (FY 2012 Edition)



- Revised and released **this March!**
- Divided into **three parts**:
 - e-Government Recommended Ciphers List
 - Candidate Recommended Ciphers List 
 - **Expect to be popular in the near future!**
 - Monitored Ciphers List 
 - **Backward compatibility or deprecated**
- Three standard categories are added.
- Website in English will be updated **soon.**

e-Government Recommended Ciphers List (FY 2012 Edition)


NEW!

技術分類		名称
公開鍵暗号	署名	DSA
		ECDSA
		RSA-PSS
		RSASSA-PKCS1-v1_5
	守秘	RSA-OAEP
	鍵共有	DH
共通鍵暗号	64ビットブロック暗号	3-key Triple DES
	128ビットブロック暗号	AES
		Camellia
	ストリーム暗号	KCipher-2 NEW!!
ハッシュ関数		SHA-256
		SHA-384
		SHA-512
暗号利用 モード	秘匿モード	CBC
		CFB
		CTR
		OFB
	認証付き秘匿モード	CCM
		GCM
メッセージ認証コード	CMAC	
	HMAC NEW!!	
エンティティ認証	ISO/IEC 9798-2 NEW!!	
	ISO/IEC 9798-3	

(In Japanese)

Candidate Recommended Ciphers List (FY 2012 Edition)

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技術分類		名称
公開鍵暗号	署名	該当なし
	守秘	該当なし
	鍵共有	PSEC-KEM
共通鍵暗号	64 ビットブロック暗号	CIPHERUNICORN-E
		Hierocrypt-L1
		MISTY1
	128 ビットブロック暗号	CIPHERUNICORN-A
		CLEFIA 
		Hierocrypt-3
		SC2000
	ストリーム暗号	Enocoro-128v2 
		MUGI
MULTI-S01		
ハッシュ関数		該当なし
暗号利用 モード	秘匿モード	該当なし
	認証付き秘匿モード	該当なし
メッセージ認証コード		PC-MAC-AES 
エンティティ認証		ISO/IEC 9798-4 

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Monitored Ciphers List

NEW!



技術分類		名称
公開鍵暗号	署名	該当なし
	守秘	RSAES-PKCS1-v1_5
	鍵共有	該当なし
共通鍵暗号	64ビットブロック暗号	該当なし
	128ビットブロック暗号	該当なし
	ストリーム暗号	128-bit RC4
ハッシュ関数		RIPEND-160
		SHA-1
暗号利用 モード	秘匿モード	該当なし
	認証付き秘匿モード	該当なし
メッセージ認証コード		CBC-MAC NEW!!
エンティティ認証		該当なし

(In Japanese)

Last but not least

- We would like to take this opportunity to thank all of the reviewers who have helped make our lists.