

# MTCOS<sup>®</sup> PRODUCT BRIEF

MTCOS 2.5 on ST31G480 | Version 1.2

**MTCOS 2.5**

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## Introduction

MTCOS Pro is a fully interoperable multi-application smart card operating system compliant to ISO/IEC 7816 [1]. It provides public and secret key cryptography and supports a variety of security-sensitive applications like

**Travel Documents** ICAO application compliant to ICAO Doc 9303 and TR-03110 [2, 3]

**National ID** ICAO application complemented by digital signature, certificates and strong PKI authentication for eGovernment usage

**Health Care** supporting modern health infrastructures, e.g. by Card-to-Card authentication

**Driving License** compliant to ISO/IEC 18013-3 [4]

**Payment** including Secure-Authentication-Module support

**Residence Permit** compliant to the EU Council Regulation Standards

**Customized Applications** for tailor-made solutions, e.g. for public transport

To meet the requirements of evolving regulations and standards as well as to counter the continuously increasing potential of attackers, MTCOS Pro undergoes a proactive and ongoing software development. Furthermore, the operating system implementation is a made-to-measure product on the ST31G480 chip in order to exploit the hardware functionality as best as possible. MTCOS 2.5 on ST31G480 has been developed with continuous feedback from STMicroelectronics.

This document gives an overview over the supported features, security mechanisms and relevant technical details of MTCOS 2.5 / ST31G480. For detailed information an extensive **MTCOS product manual** is provided, please contact MASKTECH for further support (note that a *Non-Disclosure Agreement* is required to obtain the documentation).

## Common Criteria Certification

MTCOS 2.5 / ST31G480 is subject to the following procedures (EAC: EAL5+, BAC: EAL4+):

Compliant to protection profile	Certification-ID	Certification date
BSI-CC-PP-0056-V2-2012 (incl. BSI-CC-PP-0068-V2-2011)	BSI-DSZ-CC-1064	expected Q3/2020
BSI-CC-PP-0055-2009	BSI-DSZ-CC-1065	expected Q3/2020

# Application Features

**Authentication Mechanisms** as used for *ePassports*, *eDriving Licenses* and other access control applications:

**Basic Access Control** according to [2]

**Basic Access Protection** (configurations 1 - 4) as used for eDLs according to [4]

**Password Authenticated Connection Establishment** (PACEv2) according to [3, 5] using ECDH for key agreement

- with Generic Mapping (GM) and Chip Authentication Mapping (CAM)
- including PIN and PUK user authentication »New Feature in MTCOS Pro 2.5«

**Extended Access Control** (EACv1) [3] including

- Chip Authentication (DH with key lengths up to 2048 bits and ECDH for key agreement with all supported curves and key sizes)
- Terminal Authentication using RSA with key lengths up to 3072 bit and ECDSA with all supported curves and key sizes

**Extended Access Protection** for eDLs according to [4]

**Card-to-Card Authentication** as used for *eHealth* applications according to [6] using RSA with key lengths up to 2048 bits

**Active Authentication** according to [2] or [4] for eDL, respectively

- using RSA with key lengths up to 3072 bit
- ECDSA with all supported curves and key sizes

**Hashed One-Time-Password** (HOTP) as specified in [7] »New Feature in MTCOS Pro 2.5«

**Digital Signature** as used for *Secure Signature Creation Devices* (SSCD), *eHealth Cards* or *eCitizen Cards* supporting:

**RSA** as specified in [8] with key lengths up to 3072 bit

**ECDSA** as specified in [9] with all supported curves and key sizes

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**Key- and PIN-Management** a number of security features and configuration possibilities enhance the protection level of secret files:

**Usage limit** for key files and for session keys »New Feature in MTCOS Pro 2.5«

**Minimum length** for passwords

**Reset limit** for the retry counter of key and password files

**Failed authentication delay** for non-blocking secrets

**Suspended-state support** for PACE-PIN and PACE-PUK »New Feature in MTCOS Pro 2.5«

**Miscellaneous** Further applications are available:

**ePurse** for *ePayment* according to [10]

**1Purse** MaskTech proprietary *ePayment* solution

**Global Platform** SCP02 for key transfer

## Security Features

**Hardware Functionality** The platform ST31G480 is certified according to Common Criteria with an assurance level of EAL5 augmented (certification ID: ANSSI-CC-2019/12).

- Active Shield
- Monitoring of environmental parameter
- Three-key Triple DES accelerator
- AES accelerator
- AIS-31 Class PTG.2 compliant true random number generator (TRNG)
- NESCRYPT coprocessor for public key cryptography algorithm
- ISO/IEC 13239 CRC calculation block
- Jamming smoothing current regulator (JSCR)
- Watchdog timer (WDT)
- Clock random jitter
- ARM® SecurCore® SC000 memory protection unit (MPU)
- Library Protection Unit (LPU)
- Memory scrambling and encrypting
- Error Detection Code (EDC) mechanism
- Data bus encryption

### Software Functionality

- AIS-31 Class PTG.2 compliant random number generator
- Flow control against manipulation
- Transport key protection

# Technical Details

## Communication and File System Features

<b>Communication</b>	
Interfaces	Contact based (T=1) according to [11]
	Contactless type A and B according to [12]
APDU	Supporting extended APDUs up to 64 kbytes
	Buffer size up to 2039 bytes
<b>Memory</b>	
NVM size (available for file system)	Up to 188 kbytes
<b>Miscellaneous</b>	
	VHBR support

## Cryptography

<b>Symmetric</b>	
DES/3DES	ECB or CBC mode with CBC-MAC (Retail-MAC) or CMAC
AES-128, -192, -256	ECB or CBC mode with CBC-MAC or CMAC
<b>Asymmetric</b>	
EC (ECDH, ECDSA)	Key generation is supported
	Supported EC-curves: Brainpool P160r1, Brainpool P192r1, Brainpool P224r1, Brainpool P256r1, Brainpool P320r1, Brainpool P384r1, Brainpool P512r1, NISTP192 (SEC P192r1), NISTP224 (SEC P224r1), NISTP256 (SEC P256r1), NISTP384 (SEC P384r1), NISTP521 (SEC P521r1)
RSA	Key generation is supported
	Private key operations (CRT) with a maximum key length of 3072 bits
	Public key operations with a maximum key length of 3072 bits
DH	Maximum key length of 2048 bits
<b>Hash functions</b>	
	SHA-1, SHA-224, SHA-256, SHA-384, SHA-512

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