ABSTRACT:
The wide application of E-commerce has put forward the new demands on the modes of Web payment. Recently Credit card is more popular on web for purchasing. To maximize the security of transactions, credit card providers use secure processing services to encrypt the credit card information. But if an unauthorized person knows the credit card information, he can still perform any payment illegally. To address this problem, we design a Alert System to handle the notification and confirmation. Through a SMS and Email Alert System component, the Alert System systematically integrates the communications among the merchants, banks or credit card service providers, and mobile service providers through Web services for this purpose. Messages are sent through SMS and simultaneously send an Email to notify the cardholder as an alert in order to get the confirmation for placing the order and provide a security code. In this case study, we demonstrate the effectiveness of the use of Web services and alerts in e-Commerce process integration.

KEYWORDS: Fraud resistant, credit card, and e-transactions, Alert system.

I. INTRODUCTION:
Electronic commerce is buying and selling of goods and services across the internet. Commercial activities over the internet has been growing in an exponential manner over the last few years. When it comes to payment, one needs to establish a sense of security. Customers must be able to select a mode of payment and the software must verify their ability to pay. This can involve credit cards, electronic cash, encryption, and/or purchase orders. The major different types of e-commerce are: business-to-business (B2B); business-to-consumer (B2C); business-to-government (B2G); consumer-to-consumer (C2C); and mobile commerce (m-commerce). Our proposed Alert System is suitable for B2C Ecommerce. Business-to-consumer e-commerce, or commerce between companies and consumers, involves customers gathering information; purchasing physical goods (i.e., tangibles such as books or consumer products) or information goods (or goods of electronic material or digitized content, such as software, or e-books); and, for information goods, receiving products over an electronic network. It is the second largest and the earliest form of e-commerce. Its origins can be traced to online retailing (or e-tailing).[2] The more common applications of this type of e-commerce are in the areas of purchasing products and information, and personal finance management, which pertains to the management of personal investments and finances with the use of online banking tools Figure 1.show the process of online transaction in Ecommerce. Banks like HSBC (The biggest bank in Hong Kong) now offers payment gateway services to provide more online security, such as using the Secure Socket Layer (SSL) industry standard to encrypt the payment information. To increase the security, SMS confirmation can be used. There are many possibilities of credit cards frauds, one can steal your card or some times the hawkers steal credit cards files. By using the SMS confirmation we can alert to the card user, so that he can take the appropriate action within time.

II. LITERATURE SURVEY
Electronic commerce (E-commerce) is having a profound effect on the Government, the industry, and the community on the way that people live and work. The Internet offers a convenient means for e-commerce activities as transactions can be conducted
almost anywhere and anytime. E-commerce can occur at any stage of the supply.

**Credit Card Based E-payment Protocols**

Current e-business is often used in Secure Sockets Layer SSL (Secure Sockets Layer) protocol, Secure Electronic Transaction SET (Secure Electronic Transaction) protocol, iKP and Micropayments based e-payment protocols.

A. Secure Socket Layer SSL protocol

Netscape's SSL protocol is on top of the network transport layer to provide a key based on RSA and confidentiality for the browser and Web server, a secure connection between the technology. SSL protocol is a guarantee that any installation of the Secure Sockets Layer client and server protocol between the transaction-safe, this agreement is based on TCP/IP client server applications the client and server authentication, data integrity and information security measures such as Confidentiality. The purpose is to provide users with Internet and Intranet security of communications services. SSL protocol handshake process consists of two phases: server authentication and user authentication. SSL uses public key and know-how key two kinds of encryption: the establishment of the connection process, use of public key, during a session using proprietary keys. The type and strength of encryption in the process of establishing a connection between two ends of the judge decided. It ensures that transactions between the client and server security.

The steps and figure below illustrate how SSL works:

**Step1:** Signer creates its own public key and private key.

**Step2:** Signer requests certificate from certification authority (CA).

**Step3:** CA issues a certificate of signer's public key, signed by CA’s private key.

**Step4:** Singer uses one-way hash function to create message digest from plaintext and encrypts message digest with private key to create signature.

**Step5:** Signer sends plaintext and signature to recipient.

**Step6:** Recipient uses one-way hash function to create message digest from plaintext, decrypts signature with public key to create message digest, and compares the two message digests.

B. Secure Electronic Transaction SET protocol

SET protocol is an open network for the safe, effective and bank card transactions by Visa (Visa) and MasterCard (MasterCard), co-developed for the Internet card payment transactions on the high-level security and anti-fraud guarantees.

![Diagram of SSL](image)

**Fig:2 Working of SSL**

Because it has been IBM, HP, Microsoft and many other big companies to support, has become the de facto industry standard, the current IETF standards has been recognized. This is an on-line transaction for the Internet set up an open, e-money-based electronic payment standard. SET retain customer credit card under the premise of certification, but also increased its business identity authentication, for the need to pay in terms of currency trading is essential. SET will be able to establish a safe use of Internet, bank cards standards. Secure Electronic Transaction specification is a credit card-based electronic transaction carried out to provide security rules, SET protocol guarantees the confidentiality of electronic transactions, data integrity, identity, legitimacy and anti-repudiation, and the SET protocol using a dual signatures to ensure that all participants of information isolated from each other, so that businesses can only see the cardholder ordering the data, while banks can only obtain the cardholder's credit card information. Therefore, it is a widely used Internet on a secure electronic payment agreement, it can be widely used credit card use from the current shop premises extended to the consumer at home, extending to the consumer personal computer.

C. iKP Family Of Secure E-payment Protocols.

The iKP protocols were first developed in 1995 by a group of researchers at the IBM research labs. It is a multi-party secure scheme where no party is forced to trust other parties with no reason. iKP protocols are based on public-key cryptography. The protocols are named 1KP, 2KP, and 3KP depending on the number of public key-pairs used in each payment system involving the merchant, subscriber and Payment Gateway (PG) that processes e-payment details of the subscriber. In the 1KP, the PG alone possesses a public key while subscribers and merchants only
need to have authentic copies of the PG’s public key, reflected in a public key certificate. This protocol does not provide non-repudiation for the messages exchanged between subscriber and merchant. In the 2KP protocol, both the merchant and the PG possess public key-pairs, where e-payments are authorized only after verifying the credit card number (CC#). In the 3KP protocol, all the three players possess public key-pairs, where e-payments are authorized only after validating both the CC# and the digital signature of the subscriber.

D. Micropayments Based E-payment Protocols.
The Micropayments based e-payment protocols are being developed to support low-cost transactions. A few examples that use Micropayments based payment protocols are µ-iKP, Compaq’s Millicent, NetCard, PayWord, PayTree, and W3C’S MPTP. Although there are many exiting methods to protect the credit card online transaction, many consumers still lost money annually worldwide due to credit card crimes. Stealing or hijacking of the Internet identity (such as pass-word) of another person is still a common way to get the information for unauthorized online payment. So, this paper proposes an SMS and Email alert mechanism to be added in the credit card online payment process to reduce such loss.

Table 1. Comparison of SSL, SET and iKP

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III. Proposed System

This is the core issue and also the biggest obstacle of the development process of online payment. When the traders enjoy the convenience of online payments, they are more worried about the sensitive information transmitted over the Internet (such as account number, password, transaction orders, etc.) being intercepted or tampered in the communication process, leaving their own interests being infringed. With the increasing proliferation of hacking, the crimes of network attacks against online payment are nothing new; especially the emergence of Internet Banking viruses, fake bank sites and leaking of credit card information makes security become the primary consideration when people choose the online payment.

Based on the above situation, on one hand, the consumers’ security awareness of online payment should be increased to recognize the risks of online transactions and the level of computer skills should be raised to strengthen the security protection of online payment. When using of bank card to pay, the consumers should fully know the merchants, sign a purchase contract to confirm the authorization fax and safely keep a deposit certificates, etc. By this way, the customers can avoid the network fraud in a greater degree and ensure the smooth progress of network transactions. On the other hand, the investment of facilities to prevent attacks of the software and hardware in corporation’s Web site should be more increased to provide the necessary security protection to e-commerce. To avoid the mention problem we have proposed an Alert System that is placed between traders and consumer.

Fig 3. Show the working of the Alert system

Authorization Process in Alert System

The authorization takes place in real time, as the transaction occurs. Authorization is a process through which a card issuing bank can approve or decline a payment card transaction. The exact processing activities during authorization may vary from one acquiring bank to another but the process goes through the following stages:

1. Customer Places Order with Merchant. The authorization, and transaction, process begins when the cardholder places an order on the ecommerce merchant’s website and provides his or her credit or debit card account details: name, address, card account number, card's expiration date, Card Security Verification number (the 3- or 4-digit number on the back or front of credit and debit cards), payment amount (if not
estimated by the merchant and automatically provided).
2. **Payment Data Transmission.** The payment information provided by the cardholder is SSL-encrypted and transmitted to the merchant’s web server. The ecommerce payment processing gateway receives the data, encrypts it again and transmits it to the acquiring bank (merchant processing bank).
3. **Acquiring Bank Sends Authorization Request to Visa or MasterCard.** The acquiring bank sends the received payment information on to the respective Credit Card Association, requesting transaction authorization.
4. **Credit Card Association Sends Authorization Request to Card Issuer.**
5. **Card Issuer Approves or Declines Transaction.** Once the card issuer makes its authorization decision the response is sent back to the merchant through the same channels.
6. **Merchant invoke the Alert system to avoid the credit card fraud.**
7. **Alert system** sends a security code through SMS and Email to the Customer.
8. Again Customer sends that received security code to the Merchant. If there is a fraud then customer gets alert and immediate report to the merchant or other authority.
9. Merchant receive the security code that give the double confirmation.
10. Authorization completed.

**CONCLUSION**
After investigating the available e-payment protocols, the boundaries of their applicability to e-payments in e-commerce environment are well understood. These platforms and protocols nevertheless have laid a strong foundation on how they can be used in B2C e-commerce environment. The main motivation of the Alert System is to further improve the integration and security of the current credit card online payment system. Merchant can easily request for payment with a integrated method. When a customer cannot be reached by mobile phone, he/she can confirm the payment by an Email also. A new credit card can be issued to customer to prevent further illegal payment. All payment transactions going through the Alert system help reinforce privacy and security, because the information is sent directly to the relevant parties with security protections. With the increasing number of credit card online payment, our proposed method is expected to be particular useful. This is because the number of credit card online crime is increasing too. Another important approach of our method is to reuse existing design and software as much as possible. At the same time, the Alert system is an existing prototype that is highly coherent and loosely coupled module for process integration with time constraints.

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