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# Secure Payment Confirmation Update

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# Agenda

- Secure Payment Confirmation Overview
- Live Demo
- API at a Glance
- Pilot Roadmap
- Open Discussion

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# Secure Payment Confirmation

## Goal:

Enable **strong customer authentication** during checkout that works at scale for **all payment methods** and **across all merchants**.

## Design Principles:

1. Great consumer experience (fast and low-friction)
2. Ease of adoption for merchants and issuers
3. Strong technology that satisfies PSD2 SCA, including dynamic linking
4. Privacy preserving by default

# Consumer, Merchant, Issuer



SPC allows issuers or its representatives (e.g. ACS, DS) to directly authenticate the consumer via FIDO

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# Secure Payment Confirmation

## Approach:

- FIDO + Payment Request API: [explainer](#)
- Pilot use case: drop-in upgrade of 3D Secure step-up challenge

## API Superpowers:

- Cryptographic binding of transaction details into the authentication assertion
- Allow any merchant to exercise Payment Credential owned by any issuer

## Stripe Pilot (2020H2): validate UX

- Chrome 86 + macOS with user-verifying platform authenticator

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# Live Demo: Stripe

Merchant checkout

merchant.com/cart

T-shirt (Blue / M)

€2.00

Use Touch ID to verify and complete your purchase?

Store merchant.com

Payment Mastercard ....4444

Total \$20.00 USD

Cancel Verify

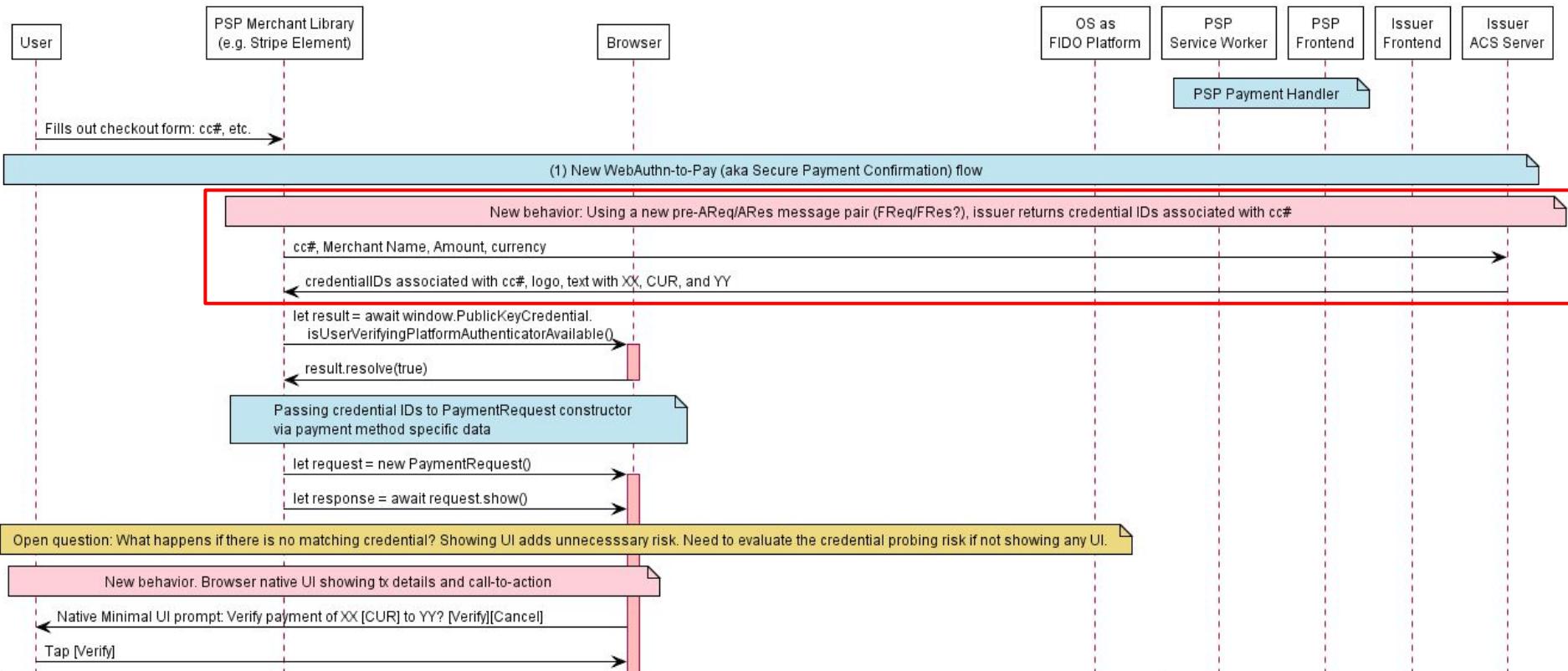
Powered by stripe | Terms Privacy

Pay \$20.00

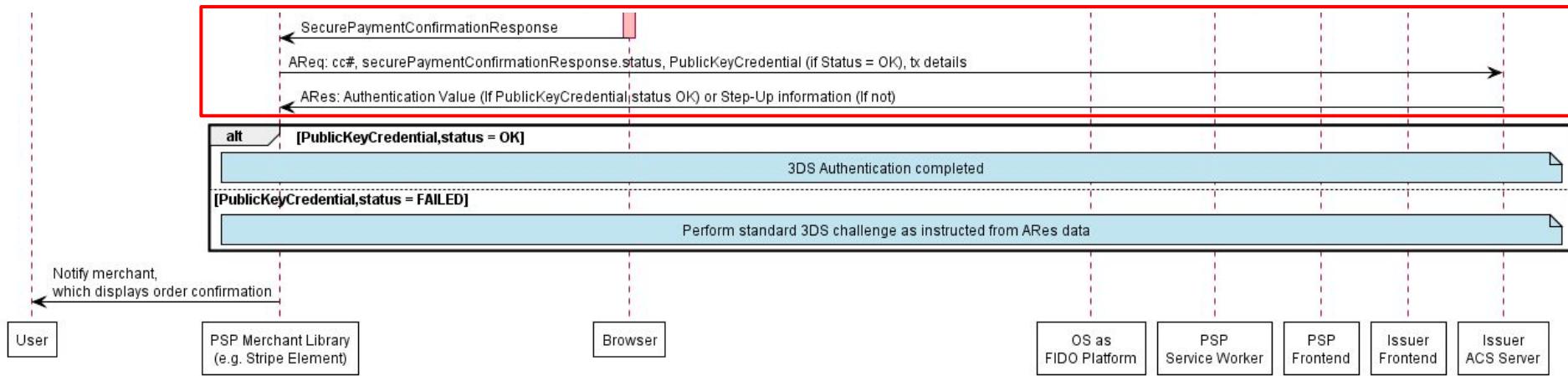
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# High Level Flows

- **Enrollment**
  - User starts on an issuer/ACS page as part of an existing step-up challenge
  - Issuer/ACS is the Relying Party
  - User registers a PaymentCredential to their device, which consists of:
    - A vanilla PublicKeyCredential -> private key in authenticator
    - Payment instrument metadata in Browser storage
- **Checkout**
  - Merchant uses a new 3DS message pair (details TBD) to exchange PAN for credential IDs
  - Merchant submits credential IDs to Browser via PR API to initiate SPC
  - Browser binds transaction details into the WebAuthn challenge and prompts the user to confirm transaction.
  - Browser returns the generated Web Payment Assertion to Merchant.
  - Merchant submits the Web Payment Assertion to ACS via AReq/ARes (details TBD).



Tentative 3DS Flow Proposal (credit: Christian Aabye, Dough Fisher)



Tentative 3DS Flow Proposal (cont'd)



# Enrollment

```
const instrument = {  
  displayName: 'FancyCard ··· 1234',  
  icon: 'https://fancybank.com/card-art.png',  
};  
  
const rp = {  
  id: 'fancybank.com',  
  name: 'Fancy Bank',  
};  
  
const publicKeyCredParams = [{  
  type: 'public-key',  
  alg: -7,  
}];
```

```
const payment = {  
  rp,  
  instrument,  
  challenge,  
  publicKeyCredParams,  
};  
  
const publicKeyCredential = await  
navigator.credentials.create({payment});  
  
console.log(publicKeyCredential.rawId);
```



# Checkout

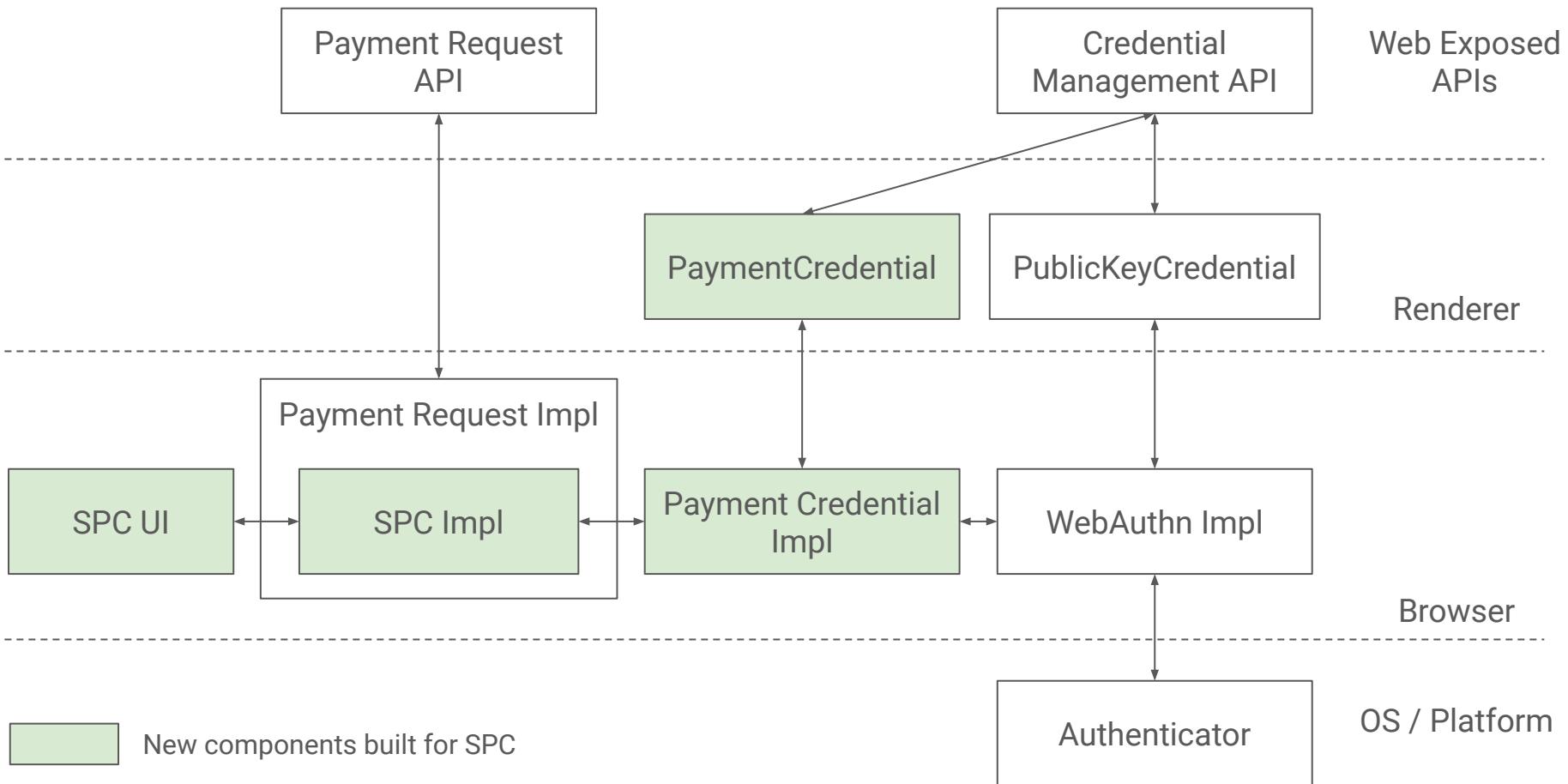
```
let request = new PaymentRequest([{
  supportedMethods:
  'secure-payment-confirmation',
  data: {
    action: 'authenticate',
    credentialIds,
    networkData,
    timeout: 60000
  },
  total: {
    label: 'Total',
    amount: { currency: 'USD', value: '0.01' },
  },
});
```

```
let response = await request.show();
console.log(response);
```



# Sample Response

```
{  
  "requestId": "3183fbc3-fbbe-43b2-938e-a289af16af66",  
  "methodName": "secure-payment-confirmation",  
  "details": {  
    "challenge":  
      "{\"merchantData\":{\"merchantOrigin\":\"https://fancybank.com\"}, \"total\":{\"currency\":\"USD\", \"value\":\"0.01\"}}, \"networkData\":\"bmV0d29ya19kYXRh\"}",  
    "signature":  
      "MEUCIAuUeARWZRB8yu9yCqN3cZp4k1UOWCY8hulJN2SZYcChAiEAmGaofxIUVPpBPqmKoR6IujAWeWa+aeK7SVMX6JWCmvk=",  
  },  
}
```





# Pilot Roadmap

- **Oct 6:** SPC released in Chrome 86, behind an Origin Trial
- **End of Oct:** Stripe starts production experiment (~8 weeks)
- **Nov 2020:** early data
- **January 2021:** full analysis

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# Next Steps in 2021

## 1. Productionize SPC for 3D Secure

- EMVCo 3DSWG: adoption into 2.3 & backward compatibility
- ACS Implementation
- Exit Origin Trial

## 2. SPC on more platforms (Windows, Android)

- Exploring interoperability with Android native SDK
- Standardization @ W3C

## 3. SPC for other payment methods



Looking for more developer feedback on priorities & adoption partners, and browser interests for standardization.

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# FAQ

**Q. Does SPC require 3D Secure?**

A. No. Parties that use SPC can leverage WebAuthn credentials from other sources.

**Q. Can enrollment happen on the bank's website?**

A. Yes! “Inline” and “direct” enrollments are complementary to each other.

**Q. Is SPC a payment method?**

A. It is so for simplicity of the pilot. If there is a need, it can be turned into a feature available to other payment methods.

**Q. Will payment apps be able to use SPC?**

A. We'd like to support that, but it's not yet implemented. Please talk to us!

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# Open Discussion

- Merchant & issuer developers:
  - Can this API be adopted into your existing 3DS and/or SCA flows?
  - What is missing? What can be improved?
  - What should we work on first?
- Browser vendors:
  - Would you be interested in implementing SPC? If not, why not?
- Feedback? Please file [issues on GitHub](#).