

Tresorit password authentication

Notation

- u – user's unique identifier (e.g. e-mail address)
- p – user password
- x – secret derived from user password
- s – salt of a message, uniformly randomly generated by the client
- n – a freshly generated, uniformly random number (nonce)
- $H(p,s,i)$ – a password derivation function, where p password, s salt, i is the number of iterations. Current function is PBKDFv2_HMAC_SHA1

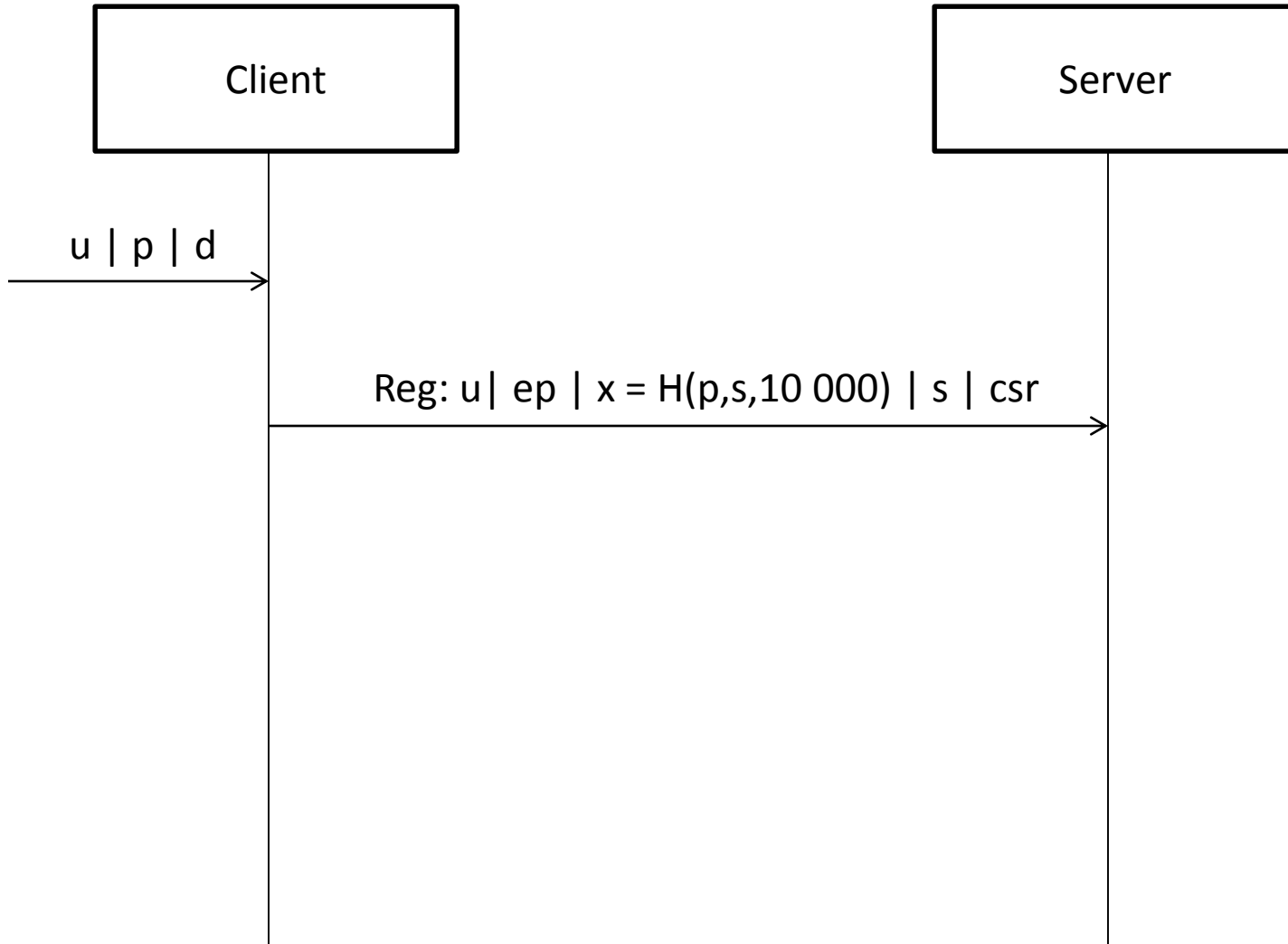
Minimal assumption

- All communication is over TLS (!!)
 - Server MUST be authenticated
 - User is not authenticated
 - Encryption is not required
 - Integrity protection is required
 - All steps should be proceeded in one session

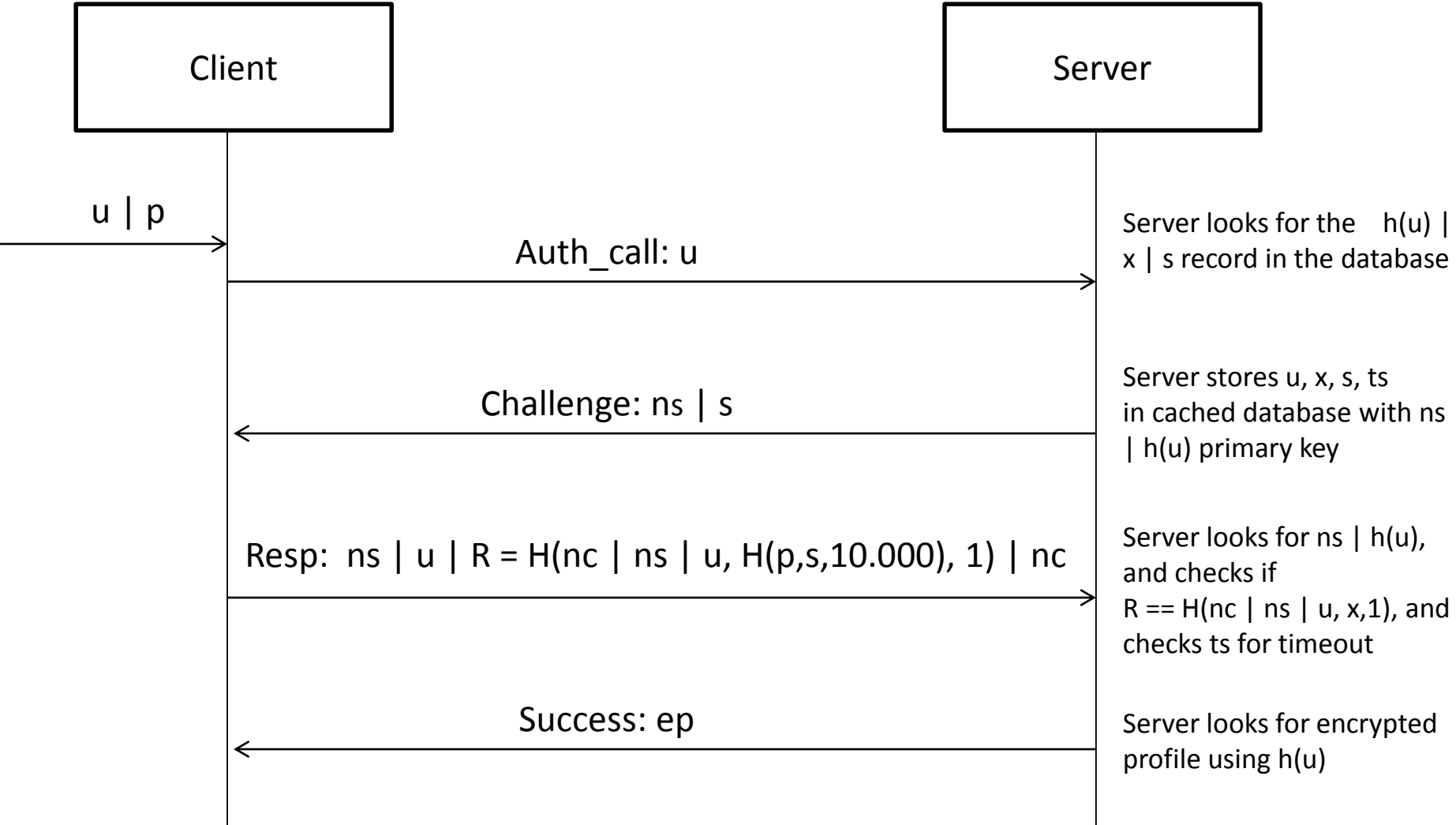
Actual setup

- All communication is over TLS
 - Server MUST be authenticated with valid certificate
 - User is not authenticated with certificate
 - Encryption is set up with AES-128
 - Integrity protection is set up
 - All steps are proceeded in one session

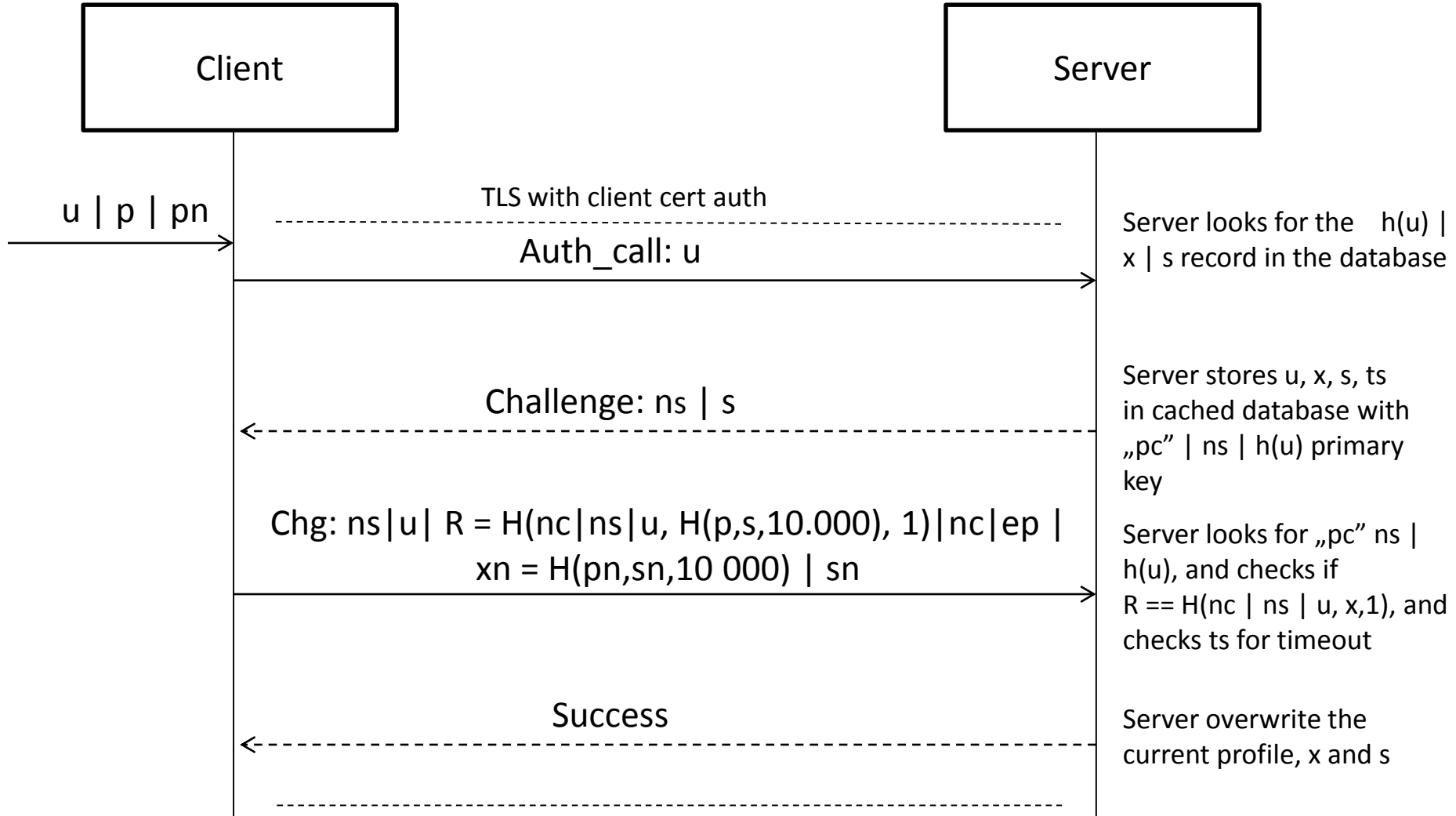
Registration



Authentication



Password change with Device Cert



Password change with User Cert

