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Standardisation supporting sectorial certification –
The eIDAS stories

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Certification of QSCDs under eIDAS – Where are we ?

>What we have

- **Recognized protection profiles** for « user managed » QSCDs (e.g. smart cards)
- **Mutual recognition** of certified QSCDs

>What we need

- **Recognized standards** (*and a slight review of the regulation*) for « remote signing » QSCDs
- **Rules for managing the security during the lifecycle** of QSCDs

Managing the security over the lifecycle of QSCDs

- > **Limit the duration** of a QSCD's conformity certificate
- > Enforce **periodic vulnerability assessment**
- > Take into account that **the QSCD may need to be updated** (e.g. by having in scope of evaluation the patch mechanisms & processes)
- > **Require commitment from the developer** to
 - monitoring CVEs & published vulnerabilities,
 - performing impact analysis on changes,
 - communicating with CBs, SBs, CERTs and customers,
 - etc...

Going further than QSCDs

> **Other areas of the eIDAS regulation** where mandatory certification would help :

- **trustworthy systems and products** used by QTSPs (notably cryptographic devices)
- **electronic identification means** (especially for level of assurance high)

> *Considerations on managing the security over the lifecycle of QSCDs apply there as well*



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