

# Digital Certificate

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A **Digital Certificate**, also known as **Public Key Certificates** or **Identity Certificates**, authenticates the Web credentials of the sender and lets the recipient of an [Encrypted](#) message know that the data is from a trusted source (or a sender who claims to be one). A **Digital Certificate** is issued by a [Certificate Authority \(CA\)](#).

Digital certificates are used with self-signatures and message encryption.

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