#### SOLUTION OVERVIEW



# VoiceKey.IVR

A Reliable and Cost-Effective Solution for Voice Verification using IVR

**VoiceKey.IVR** allows fast and reliable automatic customer verification via IVR without the need for contact center operators. It is an effective solution that lowers the workload for operators and reduces the cost of handling incoming calls.



# **Reduced Time for Authentication**

When operators handle customers through a call center, each operator usually spends from 20 to 30 seconds per client to confirm the caller's identity using traditional methods of verification, such as password prompt, entering a PIN, etc. This approach leads to an increase in the cost of service for each client and in overall costs for the organization.

VoiceKey.IVR provides a cost-effective alternative featuring reliable, fully-automatic user authentication before any conversation with an operator takes place. A VoiceKey.IVR system can reliably determine the identity of the caller and provide this verification directly to the operator workstation, greatly simplifying and speeding up the process of handling calls.

# **Secure Verification for Customers**

VoiceKey.IVR turns user verification into a quick, simple and practical process. For each incoming call, the IVR system automatically requests that the caller speak a passphrase in order to analyze the voice and compare it with a voice sample stored in the system. This verification ensures a safe and reliable result, because the voice of each person is unique and cannot be forged. Both the operator and the client can be certain that through VoiceKey technology, all personal data will remain safe. "Speaker verification is more than an enhancement to voice self-service applications. It is an extension of an organization's security policies. While speech recognition limits itself as live agent replacement, speaker verification becomes the necessary authentication process to front-end every security-conscious conversation."

> Dan Miller, Senior Analyst & Founder

> > opusresearch

"The adoption of biometrics in everyday life will be seen as the most significant development in the next few years."

> Isabelle Moeller, Chief Executive,



#### Technologies:

VoiceKey.IVR uses unique patentpending algorithms for ensuring text-independent voice verification. Passwords can include both static and dynamic generated phrases, further increasing the reliability and safety of the solution. To further enhance its effectiveness, VoiceKey is language independent and compatible with all communication channels.



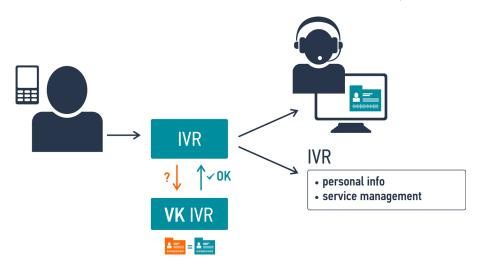
# Areas of Use

VoiceKey.IVR solutions can be used to access personal information or for personal account management in the following fields:

- Finance (banking, insurance, asset management, pension funds, etc.)
- Telecom (mobile, fixed line, broadband access, cable networks)
- Healthcare

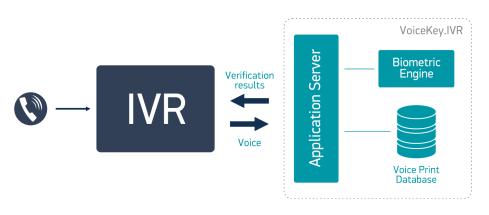
# How Does It Work?

For each incoming call, VoiceKey.IVR requires the client to speak a passphrase. It collects data on the caller's voice and sends it to the server for handling and comparison with a voice sample previously stored in the system . The client has no need to further confirm his identity by any other means. After successful validation, the user is directed to the secure section of the IVR or to the call center operator.



## Architecture

VoiceKey.IVR has client-server architecture and supports integration with various call centers and CRM.



## Features:

**Cost-effectiveness** – verification of the client is performed automatically with no live operator

**Universality** – able to integrate with other VoiceKey solutions

**Scalability** – works with any size IVR system

**Speed** – only six seconds of clear speech required to sign in

**Multilingual operation** – responds to any language accurately

## System requirements

- OS support: Linux, Windows
- Oracle, MySQL or other database for voiceprint storage
- 64-bit hardware platform
- Support for integration with Avaya, Genesis, Cisco, Voxeo

### Technical highlights

- 2.5 second passphrase length
- Voiceprint size from 3 KB
- Voice analysis by 74 biometric parameters
- IVR integration through MRCP
- Signal-to-noise ratio from 7 dB; reverberation time up to 500 ms

#### Awards:



#### Best product of the year for call centers

CCG Call Center Awards, 2013



#### «Star Performers Award»

Speech Industry Awards, 2012

### Accuracy of algorithms verified by The National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), USA

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