

# Minutiae Record

## Fields 9.003 through 9.012

## *At the July 2010 Workshop*

- Field 9.004 FMT=U User-defined format (To be used)  
FMT=S Standard format (deprecated)
- **Deprecated:** Fields 9.004 - 9.012 to describe  
“standard minutiae – 1993”
- **But there are legacy records that use these fields!!**
- Legacy records may still be transmitted in a transaction conformant to the this version
- Transmitted for legacy data records only – See 2007/2008
- Field 9.003 shall contain “S” for these records
- No new records to be created using these fields

**TO STITCH OR  
NOT TO STITCH**

**THAT IS THE QUESTION!**

# Stitching 4 finger slap from individual images

- Study issues associated with the stitching of live-scan images (from multiple sensors) to form a composite slap-4 image
- Main issue: Consider whether such a composite image should be prohibited by the standard
  - 4 or 5 finger simultaneous capture
  - Multiple 1 or 2 finger sequential captures
- Some of the contributors:

– Scott Swann	Tom Hopper	Mike Garris
– Fred Jaco	Joe Jones	John Lenox
– Behnam Bavarian	Adam Rosefsky	Brad Wing
– Margaret Lepley	Mike Chaudoin	John Mayer-Splain
– John Libert	Shahram Orandi	

# SLAP IMAGE (Familiar Single platen capture)

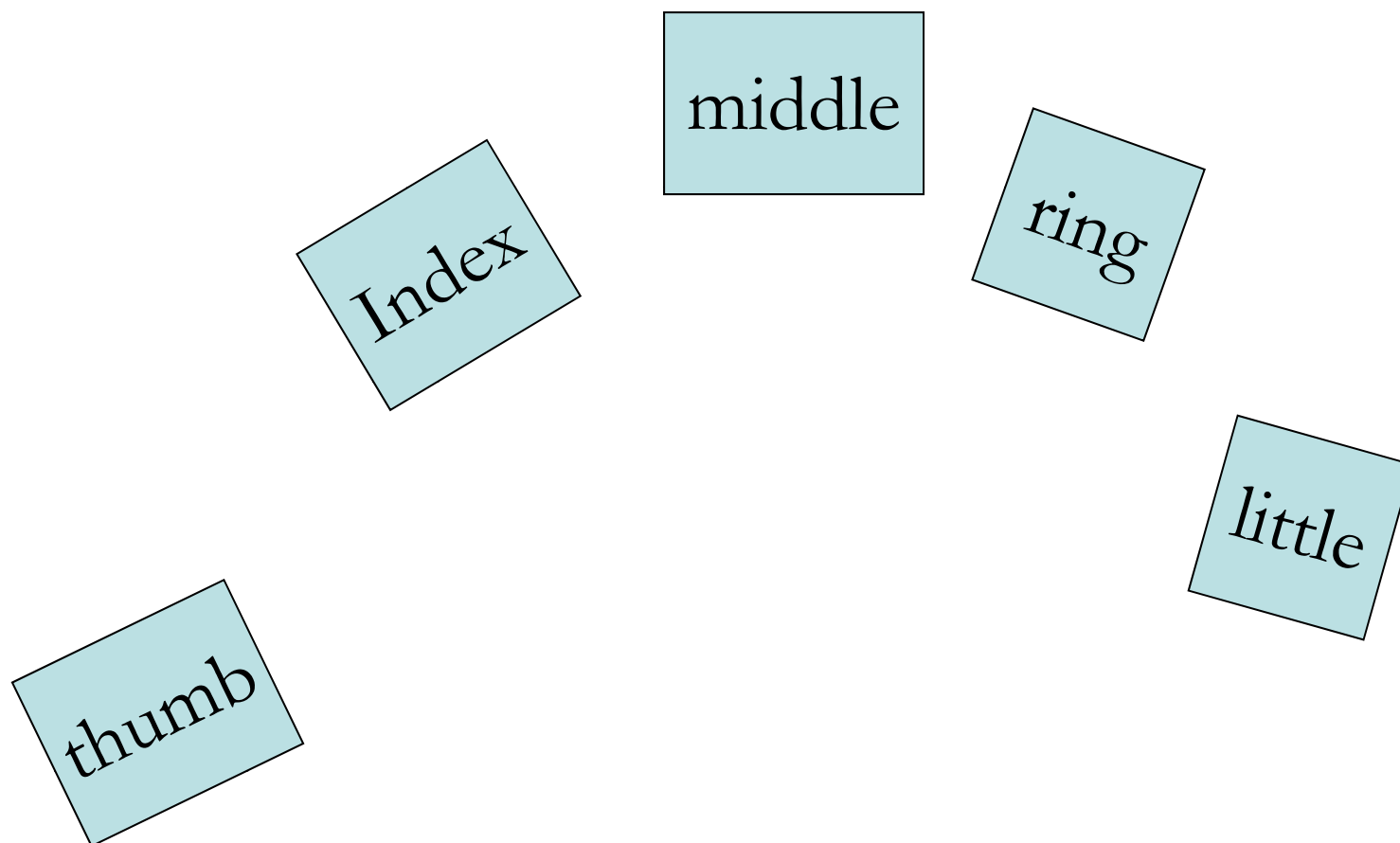
- **Characteristics:**

- Four finger capture
- Simultaneous capture
- Finger adjacency
- Preserves finger sequence
- Every pixel in image is live
- Pass Appendix F IQS requirements

- **Value:**

- Sequence checking
- ID flat processing

# New Live Scan Capture Devices



# Allowable Slap Image?

Thumb

Index

Middle

Ring

Little

# Question

- Can the four finger images be placed in a composite slap image? (Change to ANSI/NIST)

**OR**

- Must the four images be transmitted as four separate fingers (Change to API)



- **PROS:**

- Can be used for ID flat applications requiring a single image of four fingers (not separate images)
- Four finger simultaneous capture

- **CONS:**

- All pixels are not live
- Fingers are non-adjacent
- Preserves finger sequence ???
- Segmentation errors could occur

# Option 1 – Composite NOT ALLOWED

- Must be treated as 4 separate images
- Need to preserve fact that images taken simultaneously
- Field 14.026 – Simultaneous capture/SCF
- Index to be included with all images captured simultaneously, for example:
  - Each of the 4 right hand images would set Field 14.026 = 1
  - Each of the 4 left hand images would set Field 14.026 = 2

# Option 2 – Composite ALLOWED

- Allow the 4 simultaneously captured images to be combined into a composite slap
- Need to know that the slap image was not a conventional single platen image capture
- Provides algorithm with a trigger to potentially alter normal processing (or at least realize multiple platens used)
- Field 14.026 describes stitching and provides information on segmentation
  - Subfield for each finger
  - Seven information items per finger

# Field 14.026 Description

- Number of finger images simultaneously captured and placed in composite image
- Finger number {2-5} {7-10}
- X-coordinate of upper left corner of finger
- Y-coordinate of upper left corner of finger
- X-coordinate of lower right corner of finger
- Y-coordinate of lower right corner of finger
- Orientation of stitched finger image boc in relation to the composite image.

# Mobile ID Devices

- **Devices developed for law enforcement purposes**
- **Viewed as a portable station to capture a subject's biometrics**
  - DoD for verification, access control, checkpoint operations
  - DHS for US VISIT, TWIC, & PIV
- **Allows capture and matching of biometrics in near real time with no transportation of subject and zero transit time**
- **Functions for enrolment, identification, & verification**
- **BPR addresses fingerprint face and iris modalities**
- **SAP level identifies progressively more stringent sets of requirements relevant to the device and modality**
- **Specific SAP levels linked to function, risk level, and modality**

