

# SmartCard

---

*Source:*

<http://www.tech-archive.net/Archive/DotNet/microsoft.public.dotnet.framework.compactframework/2006-10/msg003>

---

- *From:* "unwantedspam" <[unwantedspam@xxxxxxxxxx](mailto:unwantedspam@xxxxxxxxxx)>
  - *Date:* 14 Oct 2006 00:21:09 -0700
- 

Hi All,

Thank you in advance. I have a windows CE 4.2 device. I need to be able to insert a smartcard into the reader, prompt the user for a PIN and validate that PIN against what is on the card. Is this something that can be done in VB.net or C#. I have read many documents stating the CF supports smartcards but I can't find any examples that do what I am looking for. I have tried to use the X509Certificates but I can't seem to specify the smart card store like I could when I used CAPICOM in vb6.

Could you please try and point me in the right direction or give me some information on what needs to be done?

Thanks again.

.