

ABSTRACT

Embodiments of the present application disclose a method and a device for identity authentication, implemented to a system composed of a server and a terminal device including a preset standard interface configured to communicate with a service application of a dedicated type.

5 By implementing embodiments of the present invention, when identity authentication is required, the server can request service authentication information of an account of the service application of the dedicated type from the terminal device via the preset standard interface, and the terminal device can perform security verification on this process according to a corresponding verification rule, and feed locally pre-stored service authentication information back to the server for
10 subsequent processing only when the verification succeeds. As such, the security of an identity authentication process can be ensured by means of the preset standard interface bound to the service application of the dedicated type and security verification of the terminal device, and a terminal device operator's sense of participation in this process can be enhanced by using the identity authentication information currently stored in the terminal device.