

METHOD, SYSTEM AND APPARATUS FOR CROSS-DEVICE LOGIN

TECHNICAL FIELD

[0001] The present disclosure relates to the communications field, and in
5 particular, to a method, a system, and an apparatus for cross-device login.

BACKGROUND

[0002] Currently, users can perform cross-device login by using mobile phones.
An existing method for cross-device login by using a mobile phone mainly includes
the following: A user scans a two-dimensional code by using the mobile phone, and
10 logs in based on the two-dimensional code; or an SMS verification code is sent to the
mobile phone, and then the user logs in based on the SMS verification code; or a
voice verification code is sent to the mobile phone, and then a user is authorized based
on the voice verification code.

[0003] In the existing cross-device login method, secondary user intervention is
15 needed, and consequently login is not intelligent enough. For example, in the login
method based on code scanning, the user needs to operate the mobile phone, open a
code scanning page on the mobile phone, and then scan a two-dimensional code. For
another example, in the login method based on an SMS verification code or a voice
verification code, the user needs to enter a verification code on a login page after
20 receiving the verification code.

SUMMARY

[0004] The present disclosure provides a method, a system, and an apparatus for
cross-device login, to prevent secondary user intervention in an existing cross-device
login method.

25 [0005] To achieve the described objective, the present disclosure provides a
method for cross-device login, including the following: sending, by a device to be

authorized, a login request to a server, where the login request includes login information used for application login; sending, by the server to an authorized device, a verification code used to verify the device to be authorized, where the authorized device is a device that logs in by using the login information and that is authorized by the server; broadcasting, by the authorized device, an audio signal, where the audio signal includes at least the verification code; obtaining, by the device to be authorized, the verification code from the audio signal after sensing the audio signal, and sending the verification code to the server for verification; and allowing, by the server, the device to be authorized to log in after the verification succeeds.

10 **[0006]** To achieve the described objective, the present disclosure provides another method for cross-device login, including the following: sending a login request to a server, where the login request includes login information used for application login; sensing an audio signal that is broadcast by an authorized device, where the audio signal includes at least a verification code, and the authorized device is a device that
15 logs in by using the login information and that is authorized by the server; obtaining the verification code from the audio signal after the audio signal is sensed; and sending the verification code to the server for verification.

[0007] To achieve the described objective, the present disclosure provides another method for cross-device login, including the following: receiving a login request sent
20 by a device to be authorized, where the login request includes login information used for application login; and sending, to an authorized device, a verification code used to verify the device to be authorized, so that the authorized device encodes the verification code into an audio signal for broadcasting, where the authorized device is a device that logs in by using the login information and that is authorized by a server.

25 **[0008]** To achieve the described objective, the present disclosure provides a method for cross-device login, including the following: receiving a verification code that is sent by a server to verify a device to be authorized; encoding the verification code into an audio signal; and broadcasting the audio signal, so that the device to be authorized senses the audio signal.

30 **[0009]** To achieve the described objective, the present disclosure provides a system for cross-device login, including the following: a device to be authorized, configured to send a login request to a server, sense an audio signal that is broadcast by an authorized device; obtain a verification code used for verification from the audio signal after sensing the audio signal, and send the verification code to the server

for verification, where the login request includes login information used for application login, and the authorized device is a device that logs in by using the login information and that is authorized by the server; the server, configured to send, to the authorized device, the verification code used to verify the device to be authorized, verify the verification code, and allow the device to be authorized to log in after the verification succeeds; and the authorized device, configured to receive the verification code, and encode the verification code into the audio signal for broadcasting, where the audio signal includes at least the verification code.

[0010] To achieve the described objective, the present disclosure provides an apparatus for cross-device login, including the following: a sending module, configured to send a login request to a server; a sensing module, configured to sense an audio signal that is broadcast by an authorized device, where the audio signal includes at least a verification code; an acquisition module, configured to obtain the verification code from the audio signal after the audio signal is sensed; and a verification module, configured to send the verification code to the server for verification, where the login request includes login information used for application login, and the authorized device is a device that logs in by using the login information and that is authorized by the server.

[0011] To achieve the described objective, the present disclosure provides an apparatus for cross-device login, including the following: a receiving module, configured to receive a login request sent by a device to be authorized; and a sending module, configured to send, to an authorized device, a verification code used to verify the device to be authorized, so that the authorized device encodes the verification code into an audio signal for broadcasting, where the login request includes login information used for application login, and the authorized device is a device that logs in by using the login information and that is authorized by a server.

[0012] To achieve the described objective, the present disclosure provides an apparatus for cross-device login, including the following: a receiving module, configured to receive a verification code that is sent by a server to verify a device to be authorized; an encoding module, configured to encode the verification code into an audio signal; and a broadcasting module, configured to broadcast the audio signal, so that the device to be authorized senses the audio signal.

[0013] According to the method, the system, and the apparatus for cross-device login provided in the present disclosure, the device to be authorized sends the login

request to the server; the server sends, to the authorized device, the verification code used to verify the device to be authorized; the authorized device broadcasts the audio signal, where the audio signal includes at least the verification code; the device to be authorized obtains the verification code from the audio signal after sensing the audio signal, and sends the verification code to the server for verification; and the server allows the device to be authorized to log in after the verification succeeds. In the present disclosure, after the device to be authorized initiates the login request, an authorized device near the device to be authorized can receive the verification code; then the authorized device broadcasts, based on near-field acoustic communication, the audio signal including the verification code; and the device to be authorized extracts the verification code from the sensed audio signal, and automatically sends the verification code to the server for verification, thereby implementing more intelligent cross-device login authentication without secondary user intervention, reducing authorization costs, and improving operation efficiency and user experience.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS

- [0014]** FIG. 1 is a schematic flowchart illustrating a method for cross-device login, according to Implementation 1 of the present disclosure;
- [0015]** FIG. 2 is a schematic flowchart illustrating a method for cross-device login, according to Implementation 2 of the present disclosure;
- [0016]** FIG. 3 is a schematic flowchart illustrating a method for cross-device login, according to Implementation 3 of the present disclosure;
- [0017]** FIG. 4 is a schematic flowchart illustrating a method for cross-device login, according to Implementation 4 of the present disclosure;
- [0018]** FIG. 5 is a schematic flowchart illustrating a method for cross-device login, according to Implementation 5 of the present disclosure;
- [0019]** FIG. 6 is a schematic structural diagram illustrating a system for cross-device login, according to Implementation 6 of the present disclosure;
- [0020]** FIG. 7 is a schematic structural diagram illustrating an apparatus for cross-device login, according to Implementation 7 of the present disclosure;
- [0021]** FIG. 8 is a schematic structural diagram illustrating an apparatus for cross-device login, according to Implementation 8 of the present disclosure; and
- [0022]** FIG. 9 is a schematic structural diagram illustrating an apparatus for

cross-device login, according to Implementation 9 of the present disclosure.

DESCRIPTION OF IMPLEMENTATIONS

[0023] With reference to the accompanying drawings, the following describes in detail a method, a system, and an apparatus for cross-device login provided in the implementations of the present disclosure.

[0024] Implementation 1

[0025] FIG. 1 is a schematic flowchart illustrating a method for cross-device login, according to Implementation 1 of the present disclosure. As shown in FIG. 1, the method for cross-device login includes the following steps.

10 [0026] S101. A device to be authorized sends a login request to a server, where the login request includes login information used for application login.

[0027] When a user attempts to log in to a certain application on the device to be authorized, the device to be authorized needs to send a login request to a server corresponding to the application, to request the server to allow the device to be authorized to log in to the application, so that the device to be authorized is authorized to use the application. The login request includes at least the login information used for application login. The login information is preferably a login account. In practice, the device to be authorized usually can choose to remember the login account after the user logs in to the application for the first time by using the device to be authorized.

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20 As such, when the user uses the login account to log in to the application on the device to be authorized again, the user can directly select the login account from all login accounts stored on the device to be authorized, thereby reducing user intervention.

[0028] Optionally, to reduce user intervention, before the device to be authorized sends the login request to the server, the method further includes the following: paging, by the device to be authorized, nearby devices through sound waves; after a nearby authorized device responds to the paging sent by the device to be authorized, sending, by the authorized device, login information to the device to be authorized; and adding, by the device to be authorized, the login information to the login request, and sending the login request to the server.

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[0029] Optionally, the login information is information including an account feature that can identify an authorization capability, for example, an association

feature or a superset of the login account.

[0030] The login request can further include information such as a device identifier, a model, and a login request sending time of the device to be authorized.

[0031] S102. The server sends, to an authorized device, a verification code used to
5 verify the device to be authorized.

[0032] The authorized device is a device that logs in by using the login information and that is authorized by the server.

[0033] To log in to the device to be authorized safely, the server usually needs to generate, after receiving the login request, the verification code used to verify the
10 device to be authorized. Preferably, the verification code can be a random number generated by the server. In the present implementation, another device logging in to the server by using the login information corresponding to the device to be authorized such as the login account can be referred to as the authorized device here. To implement cross-device login of the device to be authorized, the server sends, to the
15 authorized device, the verification code used to verify the device to be authorized, to forward the verification code to the device to be authorized by using the authorized device. In other words, in the present implementation, the device to be authorized logs in to the server across authorized devices.

[0034] S103. The authorized device broadcasts an audio signal, where the audio
20 signal includes at least the verification code.

[0035] To implement full-automatic login, the authorized device adds the verification code to the audio signal after receiving the verification code sent by the server, and then broadcasts the audio signal to the device to be authorized. The authorized device can encode the verification code into the audio signal according to
25 an encoding rule agreed on with the server, and then broadcast, based on near-field acoustic communication, the audio signal to the device to be authorized.

[0036] In practice, because the authorized device broadcasts the audio signal to the device to be authorized, to sense the audio signal, a distance between the device to be authorized and the authorized device needs to be within coverage of a transmission
30 distance of the broadcast audio signal.

[0037] S104. The device to be authorized obtains the verification code from the audio signal after sensing the audio signal, and sends the verification code to the server for verification.

[0038] In the present implementation, the device to be authorized can obtain the

audio signal through sensing, and can decode the audio signal according to the encoding rule of the audio signal after sensing the audio signal, to obtain the verification code. Optionally, the encoding rule of the audio signal can be sent in advance to the device to be authorized by the server.

5 **[0039]** Further, the device to be authorized sends the verification code to the server for verification after obtaining the verification code.

[0040] S105. The server allows the device to be authorized to log in after the verification succeeds.

[0041] After receiving the verification code sent by the device to be authorized,
10 the server can compare the verification code with the verification code generated by the server in S102. If two verification codes are the same, it indicates that the device to be authorized can be authorized, and the server allows the device to be authorized to log in. As such, the device to be authorized is authorized to use the application.

[0042] For example, when the user logs in to a certain application on a mobile
15 phone and needs to log in to the application on another setting such as a computer, the user can send a login request to a server corresponding to the application by using the computer; then the server sends a verification code to the authorized mobile phone; the mobile phone encodes the verification code into an audio signal, and then broadcasts the audio signal to the computer; the computer senses the audio signal by
20 using a microphone, obtains the verification code from the audio signal, and then sends the verification code to the server for verification; and the server allows the computer to log in to the application after the verification succeeds. Generally, a distance between the computer and the mobile phone needs to be within coverage of a transmission distance of the broadcast audio signal.

25 **[0043]** According to the method for cross-device login provided in the present implementation, the device to be authorized sends the login request to the server; the server sends, to the authorized device, the verification code used to verify the device to be authorized; the authorized device broadcasts the audio signal to the device to be authorized, where the audio signal includes at least the verification code; the device to
30 be authorized obtains the verification code, and sends the verification code to the server for verification; and the server allows the device to be authorized to log in after the verification succeeds. In the present implementation, after the device to be authorized initiates the login request to the server, an authorized device near the device to be authorized can receive the verification code sent by the server; then the

authorized device broadcasts the audio signal including the verification code; and the device to be authorized extracts the verification code from the sensed audio signal, and automatically sends the verification code to the server for verification, thereby implementing more intelligent cross-device login authentication without secondary user intervention, reducing authorization costs, and improving operation efficiency and user experience.

[0044] Implementation 2

[0045] FIG. 2 is a schematic flowchart illustrating a method for cross-device login, according to Implementation 2 of the present disclosure. As shown in FIG. 2, the method for cross-device login includes the following steps.

[0046] S201. A device to be authorized sends a login request to a server.

[0047] For a specific process, references can be made to description of related content in the described implementation. Details are omitted here for simplicity.

[0048] S202. The server processes the login request to obtain a login parameter from the login request.

[0049] The server can parse the login request, and obtain the login parameter from the login request. The login parameter can include a login account and a login time.

[0050] S203. The server verifies the validity of the login request based on the login parameter.

[0051] The server can determine whether the login account and the login time are valid. If the login account is valid, it indicates that the login account has been registered with the server. In practice, all login requests have a time limit. After the time limit expires, the server does not process the login request. In the present implementation, the server needs to determine whether the login time is within a valid period; and in response to determining that the login time is within the valid period, the server can continue to process the login request, in other words, the server can continue to perform a next operation.

[0052] If all the login parameters are valid parameters, S204 is performed.

[0053] S204. The server sends an instruction message and configuration information to the device to be authorized, where the instruction message is used to instruct the device to be authorized to perform audio sensing.

[0054] The server can send the instruction message to the device to be authorized. The instruction message is used to instruct the device to be authorized to start a sensing apparatus of the device to be authorized, and perform audio sensing by using

the sensing apparatus. The sensing apparatus can be a microphone (Mic) device, and audio sensing is performed by using the microphone.

[0055] Further, the server can send the configuration information to the device to be authorized while sending the instruction message. The configuration information
5 can include an encoding rule of an audio signal to be sensed, so that the device to be authorized senses the audio signal and decodes the audio signal according to the encoding rule.

[0056] The configuration information can further include a request number corresponding to the login request sent by the device to be authorized. When a
10 plurality of devices to be authorized send login requests to the server simultaneously, to prevent interference, the server can number the login requests after receiving all the login requests, then add request numbers to the configuration information, and send the configuration information to the device to be authorized, so that the device to be authorized can identify whether the received audio signal matches the login request
15 sent by the device to be authorized.

[0057] S205. The device to be authorized performs configuration based on the configuration information, and starts a sensing apparatus to perform audio sensing.

[0058] S206. The server generates a verification code.

[0059] After instructing the device to be authorized to perform audio sensing, the
20 server can generate the verification code used to verify the device to be authorized. Preferably, the verification code is a random number.

[0060] S207. The server sends the verification code and related information to the authorized device through an authorized channel.

[0061] The authorized device is a device that logs in by using the login account
25 and that is authorized by the server.

[0062] There is an authorized channel between the server and the authorized device. The authorized channel is a downlink communication link established between the server and the authorized device. After receiving the login request, the server can identify the authorized device by using the downlink communication link.
30 The server obtains, by using the login account in the login request, the authorized device having an online login account, and then sends the verification code to the authorized device through the downlink communication link.

[0063] In the present implementation, some related information can be sent while the verification code is sent to the authorized device. The related information includes

the encoding rule for encoding the audio signal, and can further include the request number corresponding to the login request.

[0064] S208. The authorized device encodes the verification code and the related information into an audio signal.

5 **[0065]** The authorized device can encode the verification code into the audio signal according to the received encoding rule. Optionally, the related information can be added to the audio signal, for example, a device identifier of the authorized device and the request number corresponding to the login request.

[0066] S209. The authorized device broadcasts the audio signal based on
10 near-field acoustic communication.

[0067] In the present implementation, the authorized device can broadcast the audio signal based on near-field acoustic communication, so that the device to be authorized senses the audio signal. To enable the device to be authorized to sense the audio signal, the device to be authorized should be within coverage of the broadcast
15 the audio signal.

[0068] S210. The authorized device performs timeout monitoring on sensing of the device to be authorized.

[0069] In the present implementation, after sending the audio signal, the authorized device can monitor, based on a predetermined time interval, the device to
20 be authorized, to ensure the validity of the verification code. The authorized device monitors whether the device to be authorized senses the audio signal within the predetermined time interval. In the present implementation, the device to be authorized can feed back a sensing completion indication to the authorized device after sensing the audio signal, and the authorized device can receive the sensing
25 completion indication within the predetermined time interval. If the authorized device fails to receive the sensing completion indication within the predetermined time interval, it indicates that sensing fails. If the authorized device does not monitor, within the predetermined time interval, that the device to be authorized senses the audio signal, the authorized device returns a timeout indication to the server. As such,
30 the authorized device performs step S216 to stop broadcasting the audio signal.

[0070] S211. The device to be authorized decodes the sensed audio signal.

[0071] After sensing the audio signal, the device to be authorized can decode the audio signal according to the encoding rule in the configuration information, and obtain the verification code from the audio signal. Optionally, the audio signal can

further include the related information, for example, the request number of the login request.

[0072] There are many encoding rules for the audio signal. A segment of signals with different frequencies represent one code, and then some start-stop flag bits, etc.
 5 are added to implement encoding. For example, it can be set that a sine wave of 1500 Hz corresponds to 1, a sine wave of 1600 Hz corresponds to 2, and a sine wave of 1700 Hz corresponds to 3. As such, a digital string 3123 corresponds to four sine waves. If it is specified that each sine wave lasts 100 ms, 3123 corresponds to a voice segment of 400 milliseconds. The device to be authorized records the audio signal by
 10 using the sensing apparatus, parses the received audio signal, identifies four sine wave frequencies: 1700 Hz, 1500 Hz, 1600 Hz, and 1700 Hz, and then searches a codebook. A number obtained through decoding is 3123.

[0073] S212. The device to be authorized sends the verification code and the related information to the server for verification.

15 **[0074]** S213. The server verifies the verification code and the related information.

[0075] The device to be authorized can send the verification code and the related information to the server for verification. The server determines whether the request number extracted from the audio signal is consistent with a request number corresponding to the locally stored login request; and in response to determining that
 20 the request number extracted from the audio signal is consistent with the request number corresponding to the locally stored login request, the server verifies the verification code. In other words, the server determines whether the received verification code is consistent with a verification code that corresponds to the login request locally stored in the server; and in response to determining that the received
 25 verification code is consistent with the verification code that corresponds to the login request locally stored in the server, it indicates that the verification succeeds.

[0076] Optionally, after the related information includes the device identifier of the authorized device, the server can further identify the device identifier, and determine whether the authorized device identified by the device identifier is a legal
 30 device authorized by the server.

[0077] In another implementation of determining the consistency of request numbers, the server can add the request number corresponding to the login request to the configuration information when sending the configuration information to the device to be authorized. As such, after extracting the request number from the audio

signal, the device to be authorized determines whether the request number is consistent with the request number in the configuration information. In response to determining that the request number is consistent with the request number in the configuration information, the device to be authorized sends the verification code to the server for verification.

[0078] Further, after obtaining a verification result the server can send the verification result to the authorized device and the device to be authorized.

[0079] S214. The server sends login completion a verification result to the device to be authorized and the authorized device.

[0080] S215. The device to be authorized logs in after the verification succeeds.

[0081] S216. The authorized device stops broadcasting the audio signal.

[0082] In the present implementation, after the device to be authorized initiates the login request to the server, an authorized device near the device to be authorized can receive the verification code sent by the server; then the authorized device broadcasts, based on near-field acoustic communication, the audio signal including the verification code; and the device to be authorized extracts the verification code from the sensed audio signal, and automatically sends the verification code to the server for verification, thereby implementing more intelligent cross-device login authentication without secondary user intervention, reducing authorization costs, and improving operation efficiency and user experience.

[0083] Further, when a plurality of devices to be authorized initiate a plurality of login requests to the server simultaneously, the server can send different encoding information to different devices to be authorized, and correspondingly set a request number for one login request of each device to be authorized, thereby preventing interference.

[0084] Implementation 3

[0085] FIG. 3 is a schematic flowchart illustrating a method for cross-device login, according to Implementation 3 of the present disclosure. As shown in FIG. 3, the method for cross-device login includes the following steps.

[0086] S301. Send a login request to a server, where the login request includes login information used for application login.

[0087] In the present implementation, the method for cross-device login is performed by a device to be authorized. When a user attempts to log in to a certain application on the device to be authorized, the device to be authorized sends a login

request to a server corresponding to the application, to request the server to allow the device to be authorized to log in to the application, so that the device to be authorized is authorized to use the application. The login request includes at least a login account. Optionally, the login request can further include information such as a device
 5 identifier, a model, and a login request sending time of the device to be authorized.

[0088] S302. Sense an audio signal that is broadcast by an authorized device, where the audio signal includes at least a verification code.

[0089] The authorized device is a device that logs in by using the login information and that is authorized by the server.

10 **[0090]** After the login request is sent to the server, the server can send, to the authorized device, the verification code used to verify the device to be authorized. The authorized device can encode the verification code into the audio signal. The device to be authorized can start a sensing apparatus such as a microphone, to sense the audio signal that is broadcast by the authorized device. The audio signal includes at least the
 15 verification code.

[0091] Optionally, the audio signal can further include related information such as a request number corresponding to the login request or a device identifier of the authorized device.

[0092] Before sensing the audio signal that is broadcast by the authorized device,
 20 the device to be authorized can receive an instruction message sent by the server, and the instruction message is used to instruct the device to be authorized to perform audio sensing.

[0093] Optionally, when receiving the instruction message, the device to be authorized can further receive configuration information sent by the server, and the
 25 configuration information includes an encoding rule of the audio signal.

[0094] S303. Obtain the verification code from the audio signal after the audio signal is sensed.

[0095] After sensing the audio signal, the device to be authorized decodes the audio signal according to the encoding rule in the configuration information, and
 30 obtains the verification code from the audio signal.

[0096] Optionally, when the audio signal includes related information such as an encoding request corresponding to the login request and/or a device identifier of the authorized device, the device to be authorized can extract the related information from the decoded audio signal.

[0097] S304. Send the verification code to the server for verification.

[0098] To complete login authentication, the device to be authorized sends the verification code to the server for verification after obtaining the verification code.

[0099] The device to be authorized can further send the related information
 5 extracted from the audio signal to the server for verification. The server can compare a request number in the related information with a request number of the locally stored login request, to determine whether two request numbers are consistent, thereby improving the login security, preventing mutual interference between a plurality of devices to be authorized, and improving the validity of authorization
 10 authentication.

[0100] Optionally, the configuration information received by the device to be authorized can further include a request number corresponding to the login request. The request number extracted from the audio signal by the device to be authorized is compared with a request number in the configuration information, to determine
 15 whether two request numbers are consistent.

[0101] In the present implementation, after the device to be authorized initiates the login request to the server, an authorized device near the device to be authorized can receive the verification code sent by the server; then the authorized device broadcasts, based on near-field acoustic communication, the audio signal including
 20 the verification code; and the device to be authorized extracts the verification code from the sensed audio signal, and automatically sends the verification code to the server for verification, thereby implementing more intelligent cross-device login authentication without secondary user intervention, reducing authorization costs, and improving operation efficiency and user experience.

[0102] Further, when a plurality of devices to be authorized initiate a plurality of login requests to the server simultaneously, the server can send different encoding information to different devices to be authorized, and correspondingly set a request number for one login request of each device to be authorized, thereby preventing interference.

30 [0103] Implementation 4

[0104] FIG. 4 is a schematic flowchart illustrating a method for cross-device login, according to Implementation 4 of the present disclosure. As shown in FIG. 4, the method for cross-device login includes the following steps.

[0105] S401. Receive a login request sent by a device to be authorized, where the

login request includes login information used for application login.

[0106] In the present implementation, the method for cross-device login is performed by a server.

[0107] For related description of the login request, references can be made to
5 description of related content in the described implementation. Details are omitted here for simplicity.

[0108] Further, login parameters can be obtained from the login request after the login request is obtained, such as a login account and a login time. The server can verify the validity of these login parameters. For a specific verification process,
10 references can be made to description of related content in the described implementation. Details are omitted here for simplicity.

[0109] Further, after the verification succeeds, the server sends, to the device to be authorized, an instruction message for performing audio sensing, and sends configuration information to the device to be authorized. The configuration
15 information includes at least an encoding rule of an audio signal. Optionally, the configuration information can further include a request number corresponding to the login request.

[0110] S402. Send, to an authorized device, a verification code used to verify the device to be authorized, so that the authorized device encodes the verification code
20 into an audio signal for broadcasting.

[0111] The authorized device is a device that logs in by using the login information and that is authorized by the server.

[0112] The server generates the verification code used to verify the device to be authorized, where the verification code can be a random number; and sends the
25 verification code to the authorized device through an authorized channel established between the server and the authorized device.

[0113] The server can further send some related information to the authorized device while sending the verification code, such as the request number corresponding to the login request, and the encoding rule of the audio signal.

[0114] Further, the server receives the verification code sent by the device to be authorized, and verifies the verification code. Optionally, when receiving the verification code, the server can further receive related information sent by the device
30 to be authorized, for example, the request number extracted from the audio signal and a device identifier of the authorized device. The server can further verify the related

information sent by the device to be authorized, thereby improving the authorization security, and preventing mutual interference between a plurality of devices to be authorized. For a process of verifying the verification code and related information by the server, references can be made to description of related content in the described implementation. Details are omitted here for simplicity.

[0115] Further, after obtaining a verification result, the server can send the verification result to the authorized device and the device to be authorized. After the verification succeeds, the server allows the device to be authorized to log in.

[0116] In the present implementation, after the device to be authorized initiates the login request to the server, an authorized device near the device to be authorized can receive the verification code sent by the server; then the authorized device broadcasts, based on near-field acoustic communication, the audio signal including the verification code; and the device to be authorized extracts the verification code from the sensed audio signal, and automatically sends the verification code to the server for verification, thereby implementing more intelligent cross-device login authentication without secondary user intervention, reducing authorization costs, and improving operation efficiency and user experience.

[0117] Further, when a plurality of devices to be authorized initiate a plurality of login requests to the server simultaneously, the server can send different encoding information to different devices to be authorized, and correspondingly set a request number for one login request of each device to be authorized, thereby preventing interference.

[0118] Implementation 5

[0119] FIG. 5 is a schematic flowchart illustrating a method for cross-device login, according to Implementation 5 of the present disclosure. As shown in FIG. 5, the method for cross-device login includes the following steps.

[0120] S501. Receive a verification code that is sent by a server to verify a device to be authorized.

[0121] In the present implementation, the method for cross-device login is performed by an authorized device. The authorized device is a device that is authorized by the server and that logs in by using login information in a login request sent by the device to be authorized.

[0122] After the authorized device is authorized by the server, an authorized channel is established between the authorized device and the server, and the

authorized device receives, through the authorized channel, the verification code sent by the server. For a process of generating the verification code by the server, references can be made to description of related content in the described implementation. Details are omitted here for simplicity.

5 **[0123]** S502. Encode the verification code into an audio signal.

[0124] After the verification code is obtained, the authorized device can encode the verification code into the audio signal according to an agreed-on encoding rule. The encoding rule can be sent by the server to the authorized device.

10 **[0125]** The audio signal can further include a device identifier of the authorized device and a request number corresponding to the login request. The verification code and the request number that corresponds to the login request can be simultaneously sent by the server.

[0126] S503. Broadcast the audio signal, so that the device to be authorized senses the audio signal.

15 **[0127]** After the audio signal is obtained through encoding, the authorized device can broadcast, based on near-field acoustic communication, the audio signal to the device to be authorized, so that the device to be authorized senses the audio signal.

[0128] Optionally, after broadcasting the audio signal, the authorized device can perform timeout monitoring on sensing of the device to be authorized; and after
20 monitoring expires, stop broadcasting the audio signal. For a specific monitoring process, references can be made to description of related content in the described implementation. Details are omitted here for simplicity.

[0129] In the present implementation, after the device to be authorized initiates the login request to the server, an authorized device near the device to be authorized
25 can receive the verification code sent by the server; then the authorized device broadcasts, based on near-field acoustic communication, the audio signal including the verification code; and the device to be authorized extracts the verification code from the sensed audio signal, and automatically sends the verification code to the server for verification, thereby implementing more intelligent cross-device login
30 authentication without secondary user intervention, reducing authorization costs, and improving operation efficiency and user experience.

[0130] Further, when a plurality of devices to be authorized initiate a plurality of login requests to the server simultaneously, the server can send different encoding information to different devices to be authorized, and correspondingly set a request

number for one login request of each device to be authorized, thereby preventing interference.

[0131] Implementation 6

[0132] FIG. 6 is a schematic structural diagram illustrating a system for cross-device login, according to Implementation 6 of the present disclosure. As shown in FIG. 6, the system for cross-device login includes a device 1 to be authorized, a server 2, and an authorized device 3.

[0133] The device 1 to be authorized is configured to send a login request to the server 2; sense an audio signal that is broadcast by the authorized device 3; obtain a verification code used for verification from the audio signal after sensing the audio signal; and send the verification code to the server 2 for verification. The login request includes login information used for application login, and the authorized device 3 is a device that logs in by using the login information and that is authorized by the server 2.

[0134] The server 2 is configured to send, to the authorized device 3, the verification code used to verify the device 1 to be authorized; verify the verification code; and allow the device 1 to be authorized to log in after the verification succeeds.

[0135] The authorized device 3 is configured to receive the verification code, and encode the verification code into the audio signal for broadcasting.

[0136] Before sending, to the authorized device 2, the verification code used to verify the device 1 to be authorized, the server 2 is further configured to instruct the device 1 to be authorized to perform audio sensing.

[0137] The server 2 is further configured to generate the verification code; and send the verification code to the authorized device 3 through an authorized channel between the server 2 and the authorized device 3.

[0138] The authorized device 3 is further configured to encode the verification code into the audio signal; and broadcast the audio signal based on near-field acoustic communication.

[0139] The authorized device 3 is further configured to monitor, after broadcasting the audio signal based on near-field acoustic communication, whether the device 1 to be authorized senses the audio signal within a predetermined time interval; and return a timeout indication to the server 2 if the authorized device does not monitor, within the predetermined time interval, that the device 1 to be authorized senses the audio signal.

[0140] The server 2 is further configured to send configuration information to the device 1 to be authorized, where the configuration information includes an encoding rule of the audio signal.

[0141] The device 1 to be authorized is further configured to decode the audio signal according to the encoding rule; obtain the verification code; and send the verification code to the server 2 for verification.

[0142] The audio signal further includes a request number corresponding to the login request. As such, the device 1 to be authorized is further configured to extract the request number from the audio signal; determine whether the request number extracted from the audio signal is consistent with a request number in the configuration information; and in response to determining that the request number extracted from the audio signal is consistent with the request number in the configuration information, send the verification code to the server for verification.

[0143] The audio signal further includes a request number corresponding to the login request. As such, the device 1 to be authorized is further configured to extract the request number from the audio signal; and send the request number to the server 2.

[0144] The server 2 is further configured to determine whether the request number extracted from the audio signal is consistent with the request number corresponding to the locally stored login request; and in response to determining that the request number extracted from the audio signal is consistent with the request number corresponding to the locally stored login request, verify the received verification code.

[0145] The server 2 is further configured to send the encoding rule to the authorized device when sending the verification code to the authorized device 3 through the authorized channel.

[0146] The audio signal further includes a device identifier of the authorized device 3.

[0147] In the present implementation, after the device to be authorized initiates the login request to the server, an authorized device near the device to be authorized can receive the verification code sent by the server; then the authorized device broadcasts, based on near-field acoustic communication, the audio signal including the verification code; and the device to be authorized extracts the verification code from the sensed audio signal, and automatically sends the verification code to the server for verification, thereby implementing more intelligent cross-device login

authentication without secondary user intervention, reducing authorization costs, and improving operation efficiency and user experience.

[0148] Further, when a plurality of devices to be authorized initiate a plurality of login requests to the server simultaneously, the server can send different encoding information to different devices to be authorized, and correspondingly set a request number for one login request of each device to be authorized, thereby preventing interference.

[0149] Implementation 7

[0150] FIG. 7 is a schematic structural diagram illustrating an apparatus for cross-device login, according to Implementation 7 of the present disclosure. As shown in FIG. 7, the apparatus for cross-device login includes a sending module 71, a sensing module 72, an acquisition module 73, and a verification module 74.

[0151] The sending module 71 is configured to send a login request to a server.

[0152] The sensing module 72 is configured to sense an audio signal that is broadcast by an authorized device, where the audio signal includes at least a verification code.

[0153] The acquisition module 73 is configured to obtain the verification code from the audio signal after the audio signal is sensed.

[0154] The verification module 74 is configured to send the verification code to the server for verification.

[0155] The login request includes login information used for application login, and the authorized device is a device that logs in by using the login information and that is authorized by the server.

[0156] The apparatus for cross-device login further includes a receiving module 75 and an initiating module 76.

[0157] The receiving module 75 is configured to receive an instruction message that is sent by the server to instruct to perform audio sensing.

[0158] The initiating module is configured to start a sensing apparatus according to the instruction message to perform audio sensing.

[0159] The receiving module 75 is further configured to receive, when receiving the instruction message, configuration information sent by the server, where the configuration information includes an encoding rule of the audio signal.

[0160] The acquisition module 73 is further configured to decode the audio signal according to the encoding rule, to obtain the verification code.

[0161] The configuration information further includes a request number corresponding to the login request. As such, the verification module is configured to extract a request number from the audio signal; determine whether the request number extracted from the audio signal is consistent with the request number in the configuration information; and in response to determining that the request number
5 extracted from the audio signal is consistent with the request number in the configuration information, send the verification code to the server for verification.

[0162] The audio signal further includes a request number corresponding to the login request. As such, the verification module 74 is further configured to: when
10 sending the verification code to the server for verification, send the request number extracted from the audio signal to the server for verification.

[0163] The apparatus for cross-device login provided in the present implementation is disposed on a device to be authorized. The device to be authorized and the authorized device can be interchangeable with each other. As such, the
15 apparatus for cross-device login provided in the present implementation can also be disposed on the authorized device.

[0164] In the present implementation, after the device to be authorized initiates the login request to the server, an authorized device near the device to be authorized can receive the verification code sent by the server; then the authorized device
20 broadcasts, based on near-field acoustic communication, the audio signal including the verification code; and the device to be authorized extracts the verification code from the sensed audio signal, and automatically sends the verification code to the server for verification, thereby implementing more intelligent cross-device login authentication without secondary user intervention, reducing authorization costs, and
25 improving operation efficiency and user experience.

[0165] Further, when a plurality of devices to be authorized initiate a plurality of login requests to the server simultaneously, the server can send different encoding information to different devices to be authorized, and correspondingly set a request number for one login request of each device to be authorized, thereby preventing
30 interference.

[0166] Implementation 8

[0167] FIG. 8 is a schematic structural diagram illustrating an apparatus for cross-device login, according to Implementation 8 of the present disclosure. As shown in FIG. 8, the apparatus for cross-device login includes a receiving module 81 and a

sending module 82.

[0168] The receiving module 81 is configured to receive a login request sent by a device to be authorized.

[0169] The sending module 82 is configured to send, to an authorized device, a
5 verification code used to verify the device to be authorized, so that the authorized device encodes the verification code into an audio signal for broadcasting.

[0170] The login request includes login information used for application login, and the authorized device is a device that logs in by using the login information and that is authorized by a server.

10 **[0171]** The sending module 82 is further configured to send the verification code to the authorized device through an authorized channel between the server and the authorized device.

[0172] The apparatus for cross-device login further includes the following: a verification module 83, configured to: before sending, to the authorized device, the
15 verification code used to verify the device to be authorized, verify the validity of the login request based on a login parameter included in the login request, where the login parameter includes at least a login account and a login time.

[0173] The sending module 82 is further configured to: when the login request is valid, send an instruction message to the device to be authorized, where the
20 instruction message is used to instruct the device to be authorized to perform audio sensing.

[0174] The sending module 82 is further configured to: when sending the instruction message to the device to be authorized, send configuration information to the device to be authorized, where the configuration information includes an encoding
25 rule of the audio signal.

[0175] The audio signal further includes a request number corresponding to the login request.

[0176] The receiving module 81 is further configured to receive the verification code sent by the device to be authorized and the request number extracted from the
30 audio signal.

[0177] The verification module 83 is further configured to verify the verification code and the request number that is extracted from the audio signal.

[0178] The sending module 82 is further configured to send a verification result to the device to be authorized and the authorized device.

[0179] The apparatus for cross-device login provided in the present implementation is disposed on the server.

[0180] In the present implementation, after the device to be authorized initiates the login request to the server, an authorized device near the device to be authorized
 5 can receive the verification code sent by the server; then the authorized device broadcasts, based on near-field acoustic communication, the audio signal including the verification code; and the device to be authorized extracts the verification code from the sensed audio signal, and automatically sends the verification code to the server for verification, thereby implementing more intelligent cross-device login
 10 authentication without secondary user intervention, reducing authorization costs, and improving operation efficiency and user experience.

[0181] Further, when a plurality of devices to be authorized initiate a plurality of login requests to the server simultaneously, the server can send different encoding information to different devices to be authorized, and correspondingly set a request
 15 number for one login request of each device to be authorized, thereby preventing interference.

[0182] Implementation 9

[0183] FIG. 9 is a schematic structural diagram illustrating an apparatus for cross-device login, according to Implementation 9 of the present disclosure. As shown
 20 in FIG. 9, the apparatus for cross-device login includes a receiving module 91, an encoding module 92, and a broadcasting module 93.

[0184] The receiving module 91 is configured to receive a verification code that is sent by a server to verify a device to be authorized.

[0185] The encoding module 92 is configured to encode the verification code into
 25 an audio signal.

[0186] The broadcasting module 93 is configured to broadcast the audio signal, so that the device to be authorized senses the audio signal.

[0187] The apparatus for cross-device login further includes the following: a monitoring module 94, configured to monitor, after the audio signal is broadcast, whether the device to be authorized senses the audio signal within a predetermined
 30 time interval; and return a timeout indication to the server if the monitoring module does not monitor, within the predetermined time interval, that the device to be authorized senses the audio signal.

[0188] The receiving module 91 is further configured to receive, when receiving

the verification code, an encoding rule of the audio signal sent by the server.

[0189] The audio signal further includes a device identifier of the authorized device.

5 **[0190]** The apparatus for cross-device login provided in the present implementation is disposed on the authorized device. Because the device to be authorized and the authorized device can be interchangeable with each other, the apparatus for cross-device login provided in the present implementation can also be disposed on the device to be authorized.

10 **[0191]** Because the device to be authorized and the authorized device can be interchangeable with each other, the device to be authorized and the authorized device can be simultaneously provided with the apparatuses for cross-device login provided in Implementation 7 to Implementation 9.

15 **[0192]** In the present implementation, after the device to be authorized initiates the login request to the server, an authorized device near the device to be authorized can receive the verification code sent by the server; then the authorized device broadcasts, based on near-field acoustic communication, the audio signal including the verification code; and the device to be authorized extracts the verification code from the sensed audio signal, and automatically sends the verification code to the server for verification, thereby implementing more intelligent cross-device login authentication without secondary user intervention, reducing authorization costs, and improving operation efficiency and user experience.

20 **[0193]** Further, when a plurality of devices to be authorized initiate a plurality of login requests to the server simultaneously, the server can send different encoding information to different devices to be authorized, and correspondingly set a request number for one login request of each device to be authorized, thereby preventing interference.

30 **[0194]** A person of ordinary skill in the art can understand that all or some of the steps of the method implementations can be implemented by a program instructing relevant hardware. The program can be stored in a computer readable storage medium. When the program runs, the steps of the method implementations are performed. The described storage medium includes: any medium that can store program code, such as a ROM, a RAM, a magnetic disk, or an optical disc.

[0195] Finally, it is worthwhile to note that the described implementations are merely intended to describe the technical solutions of the present disclosure, but not to

limit the present disclosure. Although the present disclosure is described in detail with reference to the described implementations, a person of ordinary skill in the art should understand that modifications can be still made to the technical solutions described in the described implementations or equivalent replacements can be made to some or all
5 technical features of the technical solutions, without departing from the scope of the technical solutions of the implementations of the present disclosure.

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1. A method for cross-device login, the method comprising:
 - sending, by a device to be authorized, a login request to a server, wherein the login request comprises login information used for an application login;
 - sending, by the server to the device to be authorized, a message instructing the device to be authorized to perform audio sensing;
 - after sending the message, sending, by the server to an authorized device, a verification code used to verify the device to be authorized, wherein the authorized device is a device that logs in by using the login information and that is authorized by the server;
 - broadcasting, by the authorized device, an audio signal, wherein the audio signal comprises at least the verification code;
 - obtaining, by the device to be authorized, the verification code from the audio signal after sensing the audio signal, and sending the verification code to the server for verification; and
 - allowing, by the server, the device to be authorized to log in after the verification succeeds.
2. The method for cross-device login according to claim 1, wherein before the sending, by the server to an authorized device, the verification code used to verify the device to be authorized, the method comprises:
 - instructing, by the server, the device to be authorized to perform audio sensing.
3. The method for cross-device login according to claim 2, wherein sending, by the server to the authorized device, the verification code used to verify the device to be authorized comprises:
 - generating, by the server, the verification code, and sending the verification code to the authorized device through an authorized channel between the server and the authorized device.
4. The method for cross-device login according to claim 3, wherein broadcasting, by the authorized device, the audio signal comprises:
 - encoding, by the authorized device, the verification code into the audio signal; and

broadcasting, by the authorized device, the audio signal based on near-field acoustic communication.

5. The method for cross-device login according to claim 4, wherein after the broadcasting, by the authorized device, the audio signal based on near-field acoustic communication, the method comprises:

monitoring, by the authorized device, whether the device to be authorized senses the audio signal within a predetermined time interval; and

returning, by the authorized device, a timeout indication to the server if the authorized device fails to monitor, within the predetermined time interval, that the device to be authorized senses the audio signal.

6. The method for cross-device login according to claim 2, further comprising:

sending, by the server, configuration information to the device to be authorized, wherein the configuration information comprises an encoding rule of the audio signal.

7. The method for cross-device login according to claim 6, wherein obtaining, by the device to be authorized, the verification code from the audio signal after sensing the audio signal comprises:

decoding, by the device to be authorized, the sensed audio signal according to the encoding rule, to obtain the verification code; and

sending, by the device to be authorized, the verification code to the server for verification.

8. The method for cross-device login according to claim 6, wherein the audio signal further comprises a request number corresponding to the login request.

9. The method for cross-device login according to claim 8, wherein sending, by the device to be authorized, the verification code to the server for verification comprises:

extracting, by the device to be authorized, the request number from the audio signal;

determining, by the device to be authorized, whether the request number extracted from the audio signal is consistent with a request number in the configuration information; and

in response to determining that the request number extracted from the audio signal is consistent with the request number in the configuration information, sending, by the device to be authorized, the verification code to the server for verification.

10. The method for cross-device login according to claim 6, wherein the encoding rule defines codes based on frequencies and one or more start-stop flags.

11. The method for cross-device login according to claim 6, further comprising:
 sending, by the server, the encoding rule to the authorized device when sending the verification code to the authorized device through the authorized channel.

12. The method for cross-device login according to claim 1, wherein the audio signal further comprises a request number corresponding to the login request; and

the sending, by the device to be authorized, the verification code to the server for verification comprises:

extracting, by the device to be authorized, the request number from the audio signal;

sending, by the device to be authorized, the request number extracted from the audio signal to the server;

determining, by the server, whether the request number extracted from the audio signal is consistent with a request number corresponding to the locally stored login request; and

in response to determining that the request number extracted from the audio signal is consistent with the request number corresponding to the locally stored login request, verifying, by the server, the received verification code.

13. The method for cross-device login according to any one of claims 1 to 12, wherein the audio signal further comprises a device identifier of the authorized device.

14. The method for cross-device login according to any one of claims 1 to 13, wherein the verification code comprises a random number generated by the server.

15. A system for cross-device login, the system comprising a plurality of modules configured to perform the method of any one of claims 1 to 14.