

Quelles garanties avec la cryptographie ?

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Security of Communications

One ever wanted to exchange information securely

With the all-digital world, security needs are even stronger. . .

In your pocket



But also at home



Cryptography

3 Historical Goals

- **Confidentiality:** The content of a message is concealed
- **Authenticity:** The author of a message is well identified
- **Integrity:** Messages have not been altered

between a sender and a recipient, against an adversary.

Also within groups, with **insider adversaries**

Cannot address **availability**, but should not affect it!

First Encryption Mechanisms

The goal of encryption is to hide a message



Scytale
Permutation



Alberti's disk
Mono-alphabetical Substitution

Substitutions and permutations
Security relies on the secrecy of the mechanism
 ⇒ **How to widely use them?**



Wheel - M 94 (CSP 488)
Poly-alphabetical Substitution

Use of a (Secret) Key

A shared information (**secret key**) between the sender and the receiver parameterizes the **public** mechanism

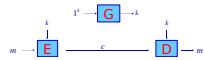
Enigma:
choice of the connectors and the rotors



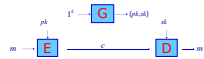
Security **looks** better: but broken (Alan Turing *et al.*)
 ⇒ **Security analysis is required**

Modern Cryptography

Secret Key Encryption
 One **secret key** only shared by Alice and Bob:
 this is a **common** parameter for both **E** and **D**

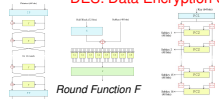


Public Key Cryptography [Diffie-Hellman – 1976]
 • **Bob's public key** is used by Alice as a parameter to **E**
 • **Bob's private key** is used by Bob as a parameter to **D**



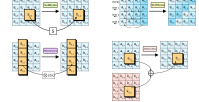
DES and AES

Still substitutions and permutations,
 but considering various classes of attacks (statistic)
DES: Data Encryption Standard



"Broken" in 1998 by **brute force**:
 too short keys (56 bits!)
 ⇒ **No better attack granted a safe design!**

New standard since 2001: **Advanced Encryption Standard**



Longer keys: from 128 to 256 bits
Criteria: Security arguments against many attacks

What does security mean?

Practical Secrecy

Perfect Secrecy vs. Practical Secrecy

- No information about the plaintext m can be extracted from the ciphertext c , even for a powerful adversary (unlimited time and/or unlimited power): **perfect secrecy**
⇒ **information theory**
- In practice: adversaries are limited in time/power
⇒ **complexity theory**

We thus model all the players (the legitimate ones and the adversary) as Probabilistic Polynomial Time Turing Machines:

computers that run programs

Provable Security

Symmetric Cryptography



The secrecy of the key guarantees the secrecy of communications

To be proven

Asymmetric Cryptography



The secrecy of the private key guarantees the secrecy of communications

To be proven

What is a Secure Cryptographic Scheme?

- What does **security** mean?
→ Security notions have to be formally defined
- How to guarantee above security claims for concrete schemes?
→ Provable security

Provable Security

- if an adversary is able to break the cryptographic scheme
- then one can break a well-known hard problem

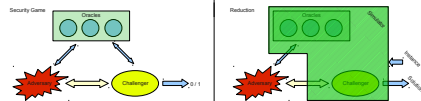


General Method

Computational Security Proofs

To prove the security of a cryptographic scheme, one needs

- a formal security model (security notions)
- a reduction: if one (Adversary) can break the security notions, then one (Simulator + Adversary) can break a hard problem
- acceptable computational assumptions (hard problems)



Proof by contradiction

Integer Factoring

Records

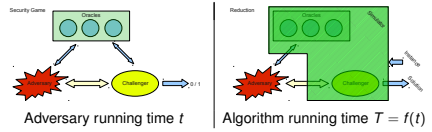
Given $n = pq \rightarrow$ Find p and q

Digits	Date	Bit-Length
130	April 1996	431 bits
140	February 1999	465 bits
155	August 1999	512 bits
160	April 2003	531 bits
200	May 2005	664 bits
232	December 2009	768 bits

Complexity

768 bits $\rightarrow 2^{64}$ op.	3072 bits $\rightarrow 2^{128}$ op.
1024 bits $\rightarrow 2^{80}$ op.	7680 bits $\rightarrow 2^{192}$ op.
2048 bits $\rightarrow 2^{112}$ op.	15360 bits $\rightarrow 2^{256}$ op.

Reduction



- Lossy reduction: $T = k^3 \times t$

Modulus Bit-length	Adversary Complexity	Algorithm Complexity	Best Known Complexity	
$k = 1024$	$t < 2^{80}$	$T < 2^{110}$	2^{80}	✗
$k = 2048$	$t < 2^{80}$	$T < 2^{113}$	2^{112}	✗
$k = 3072$	$t < 2^{80}$	$T < 2^{115}$	2^{128}	✓

- Tight reduction: $T \approx t$
With $k = 1024$ and $t < 2^{80}$, one gets $T < 2^{80}$ ✓

One-Way Functions

One-Way Functions

- $\mathcal{F}(1^k)$ generates a function $f : X \rightarrow Y$
- From $x \in X$, it is easy to compute $y = f(x)$
- Given $y \in Y$, it is hard to find $x \in X$ such that $y = f(x)$

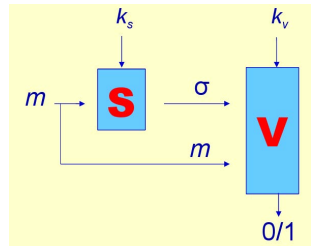
RSA Problem [Rivest-Shamir-Adleman 1978]

- Given $n = pq$, e and $y \in \mathbb{Z}_n^*$
- Find x such that $y = x^e \pmod n$

This problem is hard without the prime factors p and q
It becomes easy with them: if $d = e^{-1} \pmod{\varphi(n)}$, then $x = y^d \pmod n$

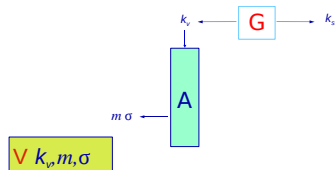
This problem is assumed as hard as integer factoring:
the prime factors are a **trapdoor** to find solutions
 \Rightarrow **trapdoor one-way permutation**

Signature



Goal: Authentication of the sender

EUf – NMA: Security Game



$\text{Succ}_{SG}^{\text{euF}}(\mathcal{A}) = \Pr[(k_s, k_v) \leftarrow \mathcal{G}(); (m, \sigma) \leftarrow \mathcal{A}(k_v) : \mathcal{V}(k_v, m, \sigma) = 1]$
should be negligible.

\mathcal{A} knows the public key only \Rightarrow **No-Message Attack (NMA)**

EUf – NMA

One-Way Function

- $\mathcal{G}(1^k): f \xleftarrow{R} \mathcal{F}(1^k)$ and $x \xleftarrow{R} X$, set $y = f(x)$,
 $k_s = x$ and $k_v = (f, y)$
- $S(x, m) = k_s = x$
- $\mathcal{V}((f, y), m, x')$ checks whether $f(x') = y$

Under the one-wayness of \mathcal{F} , $\text{Succ}^{\text{euF-nma}}(\mathcal{A})$ is small.

But given one signature, one can "sign" any other message!

Signatures are public! \Rightarrow **Known-Message Attacks (KMA)**

The adversary has access to a list of messages-signatures

EUf – KMA

One-Way Functions

- $\mathcal{G}(1^k): f \xleftarrow{R} \mathcal{F}(1^k)$, and $\vec{x} = (x_{1,0}, x_{1,1}, \dots, x_{k,0}, x_{k,1}) \xleftarrow{R} X^{2k}$,
 $y_{i,j} = f(x_{i,j})$ for $i = 1, \dots, k$ and $j = 0, 1$,
 $k_s = \vec{x}$ and $k_v = (f, \vec{y})$
- $S(\vec{x}, m) = (x_{i,m_i})_{i=1,\dots,k}$
- $\mathcal{V}((f, \vec{y}), m, (x'_i))$ checks whether $f(x'_i) = y_{i,m_i}$ for $i = 1, \dots, k$

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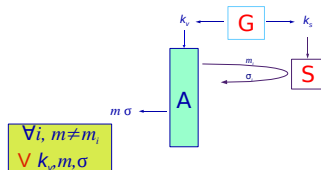
With the signature of $m = 0^k$, I cannot forge any other signature.

With the signatures of $m = 0^k$ and $m' = 1^k$, I learn \vec{x} : the secret key

Messages can be under the control of the adversary!

\Rightarrow **Chosen-Message Attacks (CMA)**

EUf – CMA



The adversary has access to any signature of its choice:

Chosen-Message Attacks (oracle access):

$$\text{Succ}_{SG}^{\text{euF-cma}}(\mathcal{A}) = \Pr \left[(k_s, k_v) \leftarrow \mathcal{G}(); (m, \sigma) \leftarrow \mathcal{A}^{S(k_v, \cdot)}(k_v) : \forall i, m \neq m_i \wedge \mathcal{V}(k_v, m, \sigma) = 1 \right]$$

The RSA Signature [Rivest-Shamir-Adleman 1978] **Full-Domain Hash Signature** [Bellare-Rogaway – Eurocrypt '96]

The RSA Signature

The RSA signature scheme \mathcal{RSA} is defined by

- $\mathcal{G}(1^k)$: p and q , two random primes, and an exponent v
 $n = pq$, $k_S \leftarrow s = v^{-1} \bmod \varphi(n)$ and $k_v \leftarrow (n, v)$
- $\mathcal{S}(k_S, m)$: the signature is $\sigma = m^s \bmod n$
- $\mathcal{V}(k_v, m, \sigma)$ checks whether $m = \sigma^v \bmod n$

Theorem (The Plain RSA is not EUF – NMA)

The plain RSA signature is not secure at all!

Proof.

Choose a random $\sigma \in \mathbb{Z}_n^*$, and set $m = \sigma^v \bmod n$.
 By construction, σ is a valid signature of m □

Full-Domain Hash RSA Signature

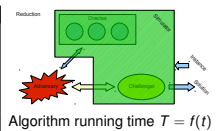
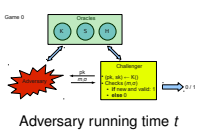
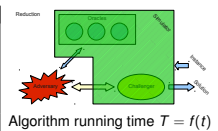
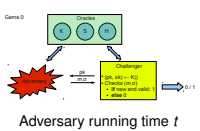
The FDH-RSA signature scheme is defined by

- $\mathcal{G}(1^k)$: p and q , two random primes, and an exponent v
 $n = pq$, $k_S \leftarrow s = v^{-1} \bmod \varphi(n)$ and $k_v \leftarrow (n, v)$
- \mathcal{H} is a hash function onto \mathbb{Z}_n^*
- $\mathcal{S}(k_S, m)$: the signature is $\sigma = \mathcal{H}(m)^s \bmod n$
- $\mathcal{V}(k_v, m, \sigma)$ checks whether $\mathcal{H}(m) = \sigma^v \bmod n$

Theorem (Security of the FDH-RSA)

The FDH-RSA is EUF – CMA under appropriate assumptions on \mathcal{H} , and assuming the RSA problem is hard

FDH-RSA Security **Improved Security**



Initial reduction: $T \approx q_H \times t$ [Bellare-Rogaway – Eurocrypt '96]
 (where q_H is number of Hashing queries $\approx 2^{60}$)

$k = 1024$	(2^{80})	$t < 2^{80}$	$T < 2^{140}$	✗
$k = 2048$	(2^{112})	$t < 2^{80}$	$T < 2^{140}$	✗
$k = 3072$	(2^{128})	$t < 2^{80}$	$T < 2^{140}$	✗

⇒ large modulus required!

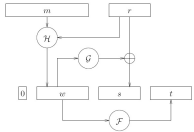
By exploiting the random self-reducibility of RSA: $(xr)^e = x^e r^e \bmod n$
 ⇒ Improved reduction: $T \approx q_S \times t$ [Coron – Crypto '00]
 (where q_S is the number of Signing queries $\leq 2^{30}$)

With $k = 2048$ and $t < 2^{80}$, one gets $T < 2^{110}$ ✓
 (Best algorithm in 2^{112})

RSA-PSS (PKCS #1 v2.1)

[Bellare-Rogaway – Eurocrypt '96]

Public-Key Encryption



- m is the message to encrypt
- r is the additional randomness to make encryption probabilistic

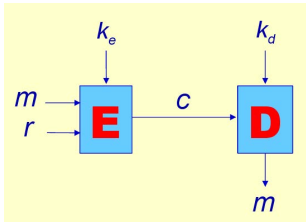
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Theorem (EUF-CMA Security) [Bellare-Rogaway – Eurocrypt '96]
 RSA-PSS is EUF-CMA secure under the RSA assumption

Security reduction between EUF – CMA and the RSA assumption:

$T \approx t$

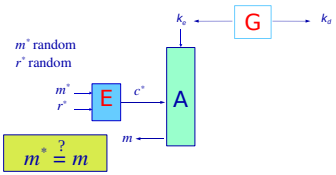
⇒ 1024-bit RSA moduli provide 2^{90} security



Goal: Privacy/Secrecy of the plaintext

OW – CPA: Security Game

OW – CPA: Is it Enough?



$$\text{Succ}_S^{\text{ow-cpa}}(A) = \Pr \left[(k_d, k_e) \leftarrow G(); m^* \xleftarrow{R} \mathcal{M}; c = \mathcal{E}(k_e, m^*, r^*); A(k_e, c^*) \rightarrow m^* \right]$$

should be negligible.

The RSA Encryption

[Rivest-Shamir-Adleman 1978]

- $G(1^k)$: p and q , two random primes, and an exponent e : $n = pq, sk \leftarrow d = e^{-1} \pmod{\varphi(n)}$ and $pk \leftarrow (n, e)$
- $\mathcal{E}(pk, m) = c = m^e \pmod{n}$; $\mathcal{D}(sk, c) = m = c^d \pmod{n}$

RSA encryption is OW – CPA, under the RSA assumption

OW – CPA Too Weak

- $G' = G$; $\mathcal{E}'(pk, m = m_1 || m_2) = \mathcal{E}(pk, m_1) || m_2 = c_1 || c_2$
- $\mathcal{D}'(sk, c_1 || c_2) = m_1 = \mathcal{D}(sk, c_1)$, $m_2 = c_2$, output $m = m_1 || m_2$

If $(G, \mathcal{E}, \mathcal{D})$ is OW – CPA: then $(G', \mathcal{E}', \mathcal{D}')$ is OW – CPA too

But this is clearly not enough: **half or more of the message leaks!**

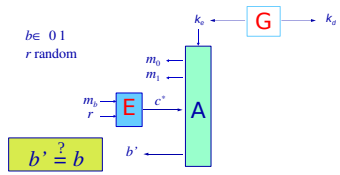
OW – CPA: Is it Enough?

IND – CPA: Security Game

For a "yes/no" answer or "sell/buy" order, one bit of information may be enough for the adversary!
How to model that no bit of information leaks?

- Perfect Secrecy vs. Computational Secrecy**
- **Perfect secrecy:** the distribution of the ciphertext is **perfectly** independent of the plaintext
 - **Computational secrecy:** the distribution of the ciphertext is **computationally** independent of the plaintext

Idea: No adversary can distinguish a ciphertext of m_0 from a ciphertext of m_1 .
Probabilistic encryption is required!



$$(k_d, k_e) \leftarrow \mathcal{G}(); (m_0, m_1, \text{state}) \leftarrow \mathcal{A}(k_e);$$

$$b \xleftarrow{R} \{0, 1\}; c^* = \mathcal{E}(k_e, m_b, r); b' \leftarrow \mathcal{A}(\text{state}, c^*)$$

$$\text{Adv}_{\mathcal{S}}^{\text{ind-cpa}}(\mathcal{A}) = 2 \times \Pr[b' = b] - 1 \text{ should be negligible.}$$

EIGamal Encryption

[ElGamal 1985]

EIGamal is IND – CPA: Proof

- The ElGamal Encryption (\mathcal{EG})**
- $\mathcal{G}(1^k): \mathbb{G} = \langle g \rangle$ of order q , $sk = x \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_q$ and $pk \leftarrow y = g^x$
 - $\mathcal{E}(pk, m, r) = (c_1 = g^r, c_2 = y^r m)$
 - $\mathcal{D}(sk, (c_1, c_2)) = c_2 / c_1^x$

The ElGamal encryption is **IND – CPA**, under the **DDH** assumption

- Decisional Diffie-Hellman Problem**
- For $\mathbb{G} = \langle g \rangle$ of order q , and $x, y \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_q$,
- Given $X = g^x, Y = g^y$ and $Z = g^z$, for either $z \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_q$ or $z = xy$
 - Decide whether $z = xy$

This problem is assumed hard to decide in appropriate groups \mathbb{G} !

Let \mathcal{A} be an adversary against \mathcal{EG} ; \mathcal{B} is an adversary against **DDH**: let us be given a **DDH** instance ($X = g^x, Y = g^y, Z = g^z$)

- \mathcal{A} gets $pk \leftarrow X$ from \mathcal{B} , and outputs (m_0, m_1)
- \mathcal{B} sets $c_1 \leftarrow Y$
- \mathcal{B} chooses $b \xleftarrow{R} \{0, 1\}$, sets $c_2 \leftarrow Z \times m_b$, and sends $c = (c_1, c_2)$
- \mathcal{B} receives b' from \mathcal{A} and outputs $d = (b' = b)$
- $2 \times \Pr[b' = b] - 1 = \text{Adv}_{\mathcal{EG}}^{\text{ind-cpa}}(\mathcal{A})$, if $z = xy$
= 0, if $z \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_q$

EIGamal is IND – CPA: Proof

As a consequence,

- $2 \times \Pr[b' = b | z = xy] - 1 = \text{Adv}_{\mathcal{E}_G}^{\text{ind-cpa}}(\mathcal{A})$
- $2 \times \Pr[b' = b | z \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_q] - 1 = 0$

If one subtracts the two lines:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Adv}_{\mathcal{E}_G}^{\text{ind-cpa}}(\mathcal{A}) &= 2 \times \left(\Pr[d = 1 | z = xy] - \Pr[d = 1 | z \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_q] \right) \\ &= 2 \times \text{Adv}_G^{\text{ddh}}(\mathcal{B}) \leq 2 \times \text{Adv}_G^{\text{ddh}}(t) \end{aligned}$$

IND – CPA: Is it Enough?

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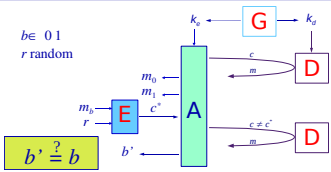
Private Auctions

All the players P_i encrypt their bids $c_i = \mathcal{E}(pk, b_i)$ for the authority; the authority opens all the c_i ; the highest bid b_i wins

- IND – CPA guarantees privacy of the bids
- Malleability: from $c_i = \mathcal{E}(pk, b_i)$, without knowing b_i , one can generate $c' = \mathcal{E}(pk, 2b_i)$: **an unknown higher bid!**

IND – CPA does not imply Non-Malleability

IND – CCA: Security Game



The adversary can ask any decryption of its choice:

\Rightarrow **Chosen-Ciphertext Attacks (CCA)**

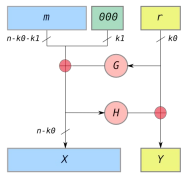
Theorem (NM vs. CCA) [Bellare-Desai-Pointcheval-Rogaway – Crypto '98]

The chosen-ciphertext security implies non-malleability \Rightarrow the highest security level

RSA-OAEP (PKCS #1 v2.1)

[Bellare-Rogaway – Eurocrypt '94]

The RSA encryption is OW – CPA, under the RSA assumption, but even not IND – CPA: **need of randomness and redundancy**



- m is the message to encrypt
- r is the additional randomness to make encryption probabilistic
- $00 \dots 00$ is redundancy to be checked at decryption time

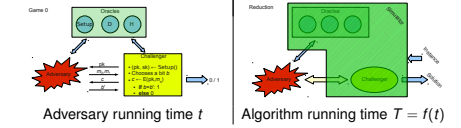
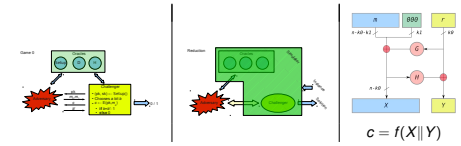
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Theorem (IND-CCA Security) [Fujisaki-Okamoto-Pointcheval-Stern – Crypto '01]

RSA-OAEP is IND-CCA secure under the RSA assumption

RSA-OAEP Security Proof [Fujisaki-Okamoto-Pointcheval-Stern - Crypto '01]

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More precisely, to get information on m , encrypted in $c = f(X \| Y)$, one must have asked $\mathcal{H}(X) \Rightarrow$ partial inversion of f

If there is an adversary that distinguishes, within time t , the two ciphertexts with overwhelming advantage (close to 1), one can break RSA within time $T \approx 2t + 3q_H^2 k^3$ (where q_H is number of Hashing queries $\approx 2^{60}$)

For RSA: partial inversion and full inversion are equivalent (but at a computational loss)

$k = 1024$	(2^{80})	$t < 2^{80}$	$T < 2^{152}$	\times	\Rightarrow large modulus: > 4096 bits!
$k = 2048$	(2^{112})	$t < 2^{80}$	$T < 2^{155}$	\times	
$k = 3072$	(2^{128})	$t < 2^{80}$	$T < 2^{158}$	\times	

REACT-RSA Security [Okamoto-Pointcheval - CT-RSA '01]

Conclusion

REACT-RSA

- $\mathcal{G}(1^k)$: p and q , two random primes, and an exponent e : $n = pq, sk \leftarrow d = e^{-1} \pmod{\varphi(n)}$ and $pk \leftarrow (n, e)$
- $\mathcal{E}(pk, m, r) =$
 $(c_1 = r^e \pmod n, c_2 = G(r) \oplus m, c_3 = H(r, m, c_1, c_2))$
- $\mathcal{D}(sk, (c_1, c_2, c_3))$: $r = c_1^d \pmod n, m = c_2 \oplus G(r)$, if $c_3 = H(r, m, c_1, c_2)$ then output m , else output \perp .

With provable security, one can precisely get:

- the security games one wants to resist against any adversary
- the security level, according to the resources of the adversary

But, it is under some assumptions:

- the best attacks against famous problems (integer factoring, etc)
- no leakage of information excepted from the given oracles

Cryptographers' goals are thus

- to analyze the intractability of the underlying problems
- to define realistic and strong security notions (games)
- to correctly model the leakage of information (oracle access)
- to design schemes with tight security reductions

Implementations and uses must satisfy the constraints!

Security reduction between IND - CCA and the RSA assumption:
 $T \approx t$
 \Rightarrow 1024-bit RSA moduli provide 2^{80} security