

# Hierarchical identity-based encryption

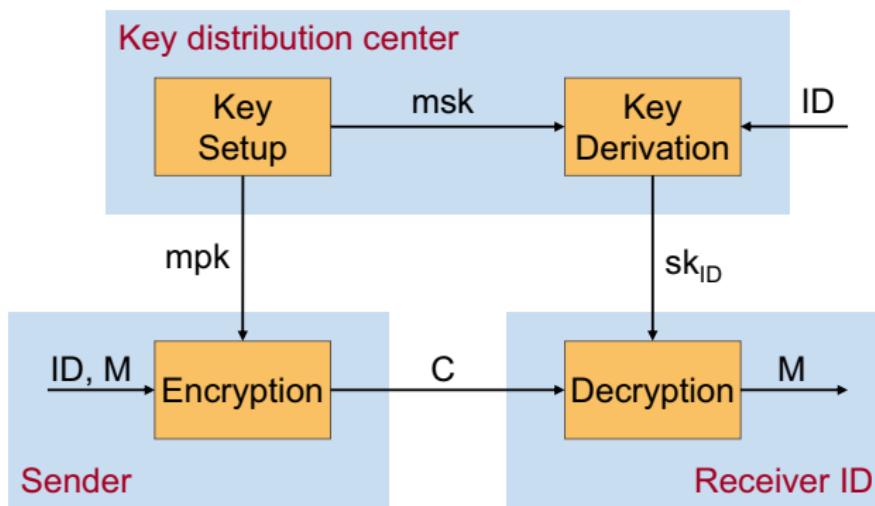
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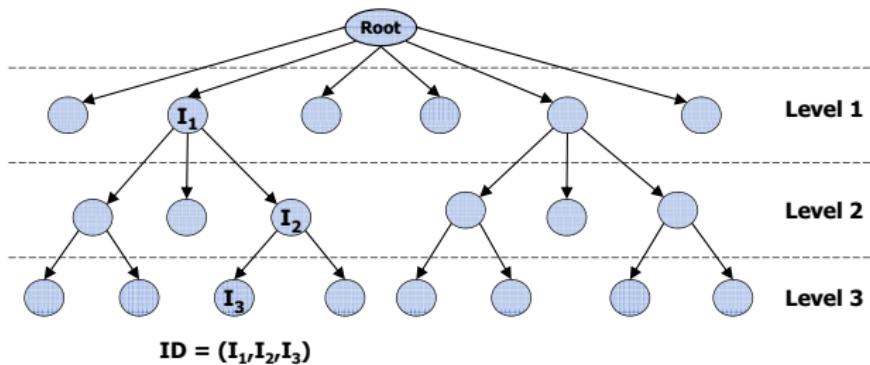
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# Identity-based encryption

**Goal:** Allow senders to encrypt messages based on the receiver's identity.

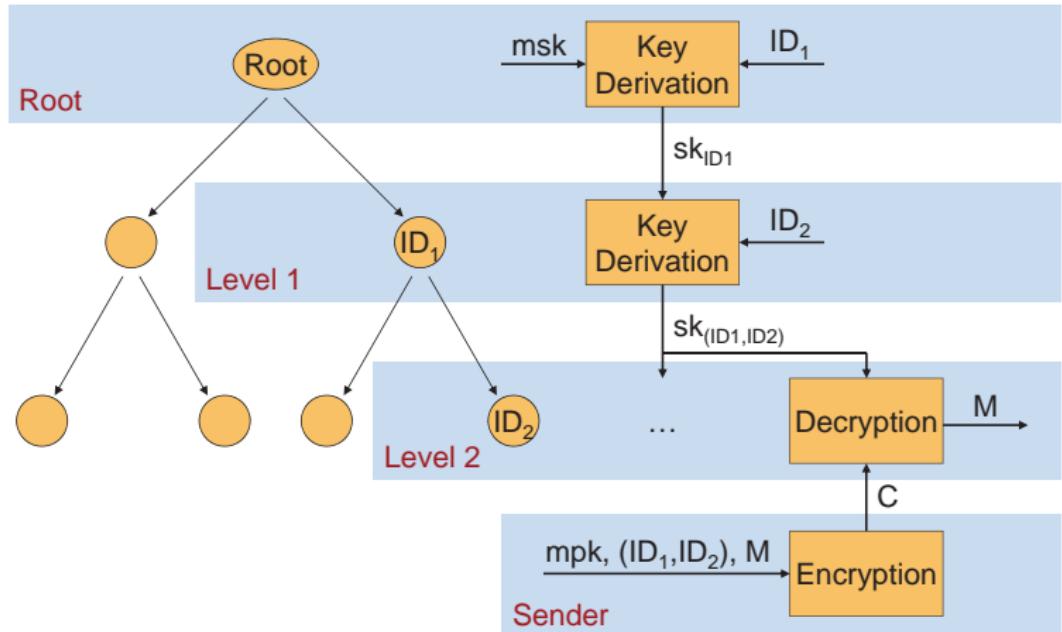


# Hierarchical identity-based encryption (HIBE)



- Identities are vectors of the form  $(id_1, \dots, id_L)$ , where  $L$  is the HIBE depth.
- **Hierarchical key derivation**  
Users with  $(id_1, id_2)$  can derive keys for any user whose identity is of the form  $(id_1, id_1, *, \dots, *)$

# HIBE key derivation



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# Hierarchical Identity-based encryption (HIBE)

- Identity at level  $1 \leq \ell \leq L$  is a vector  $id = (id_1, \dots, id_\ell) \in \text{ID}^\ell$ .
- Root identity is represented by  $\varepsilon$ .

An HIBE scheme is defined by four algorithms:

- **Setup( $1^k, L$ ):**  
Outputs a master public key  $mpk$  for a HIBE of depth  $L$  along with master secret key  $msk$ .
- **KeyDer( $sk_{(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)}, id_{\ell+1}$ ):**  
Uses the secret key  $sk$  for identity  $id = (id_1, \dots, id_\ell)$  to compute a secret key  $sk_{id}$  for the user with identity  $id$ .
- **Enc( $mpk, id, m$ ):**  
Generates a ciphertext  $C$  for identity  $id = (id_1, \dots, id_\ell)$  and message  $m$  using master public key  $mpk$ .
- **Dec( $C, sk_{id}$ ):**  
Allows the user in possession of  $sk_{id}$  for identity  $id = (id_1, \dots, id_\ell)$  to decrypt the ciphertext  $C$  and get back a message  $m$ .

# HIBE security notions

Just as in the IBE case, we can consider different attacks (*adaptive-identity* vs. *selective-identity*) and goals (*indistinguishability* and *anonymity*) for HIBE schemes.

- **Indistinguishability**

The adversary's goal is to distinguish  $\text{Enc}(\text{mpk}, id^*, m_0^*)$  from  $\text{Enc}(\text{mpk}, id^*, m_1^*)$  for values  $id^*, m_0^*, m_1^*$  of its choice.

- **Anonymity**

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- **Adaptive-identity chosen-plaintext attacks**

In this model, the adversary is allowed to choose the challenge identity values at the time that it asks the challenge query.

- **Selective-identity chosen-plaintext attacks**

In this model, the adversary has to choose the challenge identity values before seeing the public key.

# IND-HID-CPA: Indistinguishability under chosen-plaintext attacks

- Let HIBE = (Setup, KeyDer, Enc, Dec) be a hierarchical identity-based encryption scheme of depth  $L$ .
- Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be an adversary against the IND-HID-CPA security of HIBE.

| <b>Game <math>\text{Exp}_{\text{HIBE}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{ind-cpa-}\beta}(k)</math></b>                   |  |
|---|--|
| <b>proc Initialize(<math>k, L</math>)</b><br>$(mpk, msk) \xleftarrow{R} \text{Setup}(1^k, L)$<br>Return $mpk$ | <b>proc LR(<math>id^*, m_0^*, m_1^*</math>)</b><br>$C^* \xleftarrow{R} \text{Enc}(mpk, id^*, m_\beta^*)$<br>Return $C^*$ |
| <b>proc KeyDer(<math>id</math>)</b><br>$sk_{id} \xleftarrow{R} \text{KeyDer}(msk, id)$<br>Return $sk_{id}$    | <b>proc Finalize(<math>\beta'</math>)</b><br>Return $\beta'$   |

The advantage of  $\mathcal{A}$  against the IND-HID-CPA security of HIBE is defined as

$$\mathbf{Adv}_{\text{HIBE}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{ind-cpa}}(k) = \Pr \left[ \mathbf{Exp}_{\text{HIBE}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{ind-cpa-1}}(k) = 1 \right] - \Pr \left[ \mathbf{Exp}_{\text{HIBE}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{ind-cpa-0}}(k) = 1 \right]$$

# IND-HID-CPA: An alternative definition

- Let HIBE = (Setup, KeyDer, Enc, Dec) be a hierarchical identity-based encryption scheme of depth  $L$ .
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|---|---|
| <b>proc Initialize(<math>k, L</math>)</b>   | <b>proc LR(<math>id^*, m_0^*, m_1^*</math>)</b>         |
| $\beta \xleftarrow{R} \{0, 1\}$   | $C^* \xleftarrow{R} \text{Enc}(mpk, id^*, m_{\beta}^*)$ |
| $(mpk, msk) \xleftarrow{R} \text{Setup}(1^k, L)$                                      | Return $C^*$  |
| Return $mpk$  |   |
| <b>proc KeyDer(<math>id</math>)</b>   | <b>proc Finalize(<math>\beta'</math>)</b>               |
| $sk_{id} \xleftarrow{R} \text{KeyDer}(msk, id)$                                       | Return $(\beta' = \beta)$                               |
| Return $sk_{id}$  |   |

The advantage of  $\mathcal{A}$  against the IND-HID-CPA security of HIBE is defined as

$$\mathbf{Adv}_{\text{HIBE}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{ind-cpa}}(k) = 2 \cdot \Pr \left[ \text{Exp}_{\text{HIBE}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{ind-cpa}}(k) = \text{true} \right] - 1$$

# IND-sHID-CPA: Indistinguishability under selective-identity chosen-plaintext attacks

- Let HIBE = (Setup, KeyDer, Enc, Dec) be a hierarchical identity-based encryption scheme of depth  $L$ .
- Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be an adversary against the IND-sHID-CPA security of HIBE.

| <b>Game <math>\text{Exp}_{\text{HIBE}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{s-ind-cpa-}\beta}(k)</math></b>               |  |
|---|--|
| <b>proc Initialize</b> ( $k, L, id^*$ )<br>$(mpk, msk) \xleftarrow{R} \text{Setup}(1^k, L)$<br>Return $mpk$ | <b>proc LR</b> ( $m_0^*, m_1^*$ )<br>$C^* \xleftarrow{R} \text{Enc}(mpk, id^*, m_\beta^*)$<br>Return $C^*$ |
| <b>proc KeyDer</b> ( $id$ )<br>$sk_{id} \xleftarrow{R} \text{KeyDer}(msk, id)$<br>Return $sk_{id}$          | <b>proc Finalize</b> ( $\beta'$ )<br>Return $\beta'$   |

The advantage of  $\mathcal{A}$  against the IND-sHID-CPA security of HIBE is defined as

$$\mathbf{Adv}_{\text{HIBE}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{s-ind-cpa}}(k) = \Pr \left[ \mathbf{Exp}_{\text{HIBE}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{s-ind-cpa-}1}(k) = 1 \right] - \Pr \left[ \mathbf{Exp}_{\text{HIBE}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{s-ind-cpa-}0}(k) = 1 \right]$$

# IND-sHID-CPA: An alternative definition

- Let HIBE = (Setup, KeyDer, Enc, Dec) be a hierarchical identity-based encryption scheme of depth  $L$ .
- Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be an adversary against the IND-sHID-CPA security of HIBE.

| Game $\text{Exp}_{\text{HIBE}}^{\text{s-ind-cpa}[L]}$ |   |
|---|---|
| <b>proc Initialize(<math>k, L, id^*</math>)</b>       | <b>proc LR(<math>m_0^*, m_1^*</math>)</b>             |
| $\beta \xleftarrow{R} \{0, 1\}$                       | $C^* \xleftarrow{R} \text{Enc}(mpk, id^*, m_\beta^*)$ |
| $(mpk, msk) \xleftarrow{R} \text{Setup}(1^k)$         | Return $C^*$  |
| Return $mpk$  |   |
| <b>proc KeyDer(<math>id</math>)</b>                   | <b>proc Finalize(<math>\beta'</math>)</b>             |
| $sk_{id} \xleftarrow{R} \text{KeyDer}(msk, id)$       | Return $(\beta' = \beta)$                             |
| Return $sk_{id}$                                      |   |

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# ANO-HID-CPA: Anonymity under chosen-plaintext attacks

- Let HIBE = (Setup, KeyDer, Enc, Dec) be a hierarchical identity-based encryption scheme of depth  $L$ .
- Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be an adversary against the ANO-HID-CPA security of HIBE.

| <b>Game <math>\text{Exp}_{\text{HIBE}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{ano-cpa-}\beta}(k)</math></b> |   |
|---|---|
| <b>proc Initialize(<math>k, L</math>)</b>   | <b>proc LR(<math>id_0^*, id_1^*, m^*</math>)</b>      |
| $(mpk, msk) \xleftarrow{R} \text{Setup}(1^k)$   | $C^* \xleftarrow{R} \text{Enc}(mpk, id_\beta^*, m^*)$ |
| Return $mpk$  | Return $C^*$  |
| <b>proc KeyDer(<math>id</math>)</b>   | <b>proc Finalize(<math>\beta'</math>)</b>             |
| $sk_{id} \xleftarrow{R} \text{KeyDer}(msk, id)$   | Return $\beta'$                                       |
| Return $sk_{id}$  |   |

The advantage of  $\mathcal{A}$  against the ANO-HID-CPA security of HIBE is defined as

$$\mathbf{Adv}_{\text{HIBE}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{ano-cpa}}(k) = \Pr \left[ \mathbf{Exp}_{\text{HIBE}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{ano-cpa-}1}(k) = 1 \right] - \Pr \left[ \mathbf{Exp}_{\text{HIBE}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{ano-cpa-}0}(k) = 1 \right]$$

# ANO-sHID-CPA: Anonymity under *selective-identity* chosen-plaintext attacks

- Let HIBE = (Setup, KeyDer, Enc, Dec) be a hierarchical identity-based encryption scheme of depth  $L$ .
- Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be an adversary against the ANO-sHID-CPA security of HIBE.

| <b>Game <math>\text{Exp}_{\text{HIBE}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{s-ano-cpa-}\beta}(k)</math></b> |   |
|---|---|
| <b>proc Initialize(<math>k, L, id_0^*, id_1^*</math>)</b>                                     | <b>proc LR(<math>m^*</math>)</b>                      |
| $(mpk, msk) \xleftarrow{R} \text{Setup}(1^k, L)$  | $C^* \xleftarrow{R} \text{Enc}(mpk, id_\beta^*, m^*)$ |
| Return $mpk$  | Return $C^*$  |
| <b>proc KeyDer(<math>id</math>)</b>   | <b>proc Finalize(<math>\beta'</math>)</b>             |
| $sk_{id} \xleftarrow{R} \text{KeyDer}(msk, id)$   | Return $\beta'$                                       |
| Return $sk_{id}$  |   |

The advantage of  $\mathcal{A}$  against the ANO-sHID-CPA security of HIBE is defined as

$$\mathbf{Adv}_{\text{HIBE}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{s-ano-cpa}}(k) = \Pr \left[ \mathbf{Exp}_{\text{HIBE}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{s-ano-cpa-}1}(k) = 1 \right] - \Pr \left[ \mathbf{Exp}_{\text{HIBE}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{s-ano-cpa-}0}(k) = 1 \right]$$

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# Boneh-Boyen HIBE scheme (BB)

Setup( $1^k, L$ ):

$(\mathbb{G}, \mathbb{G}_T, p, \hat{e}) \xleftarrow{R} \mathcal{G}(1^k)$   
 $g \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{G}$   
 $a \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; A \leftarrow g^a$   
 $b \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; B \leftarrow g^b$   
for  $i = 1, \dots, L$ ;  $b = 0, 1$  do  
     $h_{i,b} \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; H_{i,b} \leftarrow g^{h_{i,b}}$   
 $mpk \leftarrow (g, A, B, H_{1,0}, \dots, H_{L,1}, \mathbb{G}, \mathbb{G}_T, p, \hat{e})$   
 $msk \leftarrow g^{ab}$   
return  $(mpk, msk)$

Enc( $mpk, id, m$ ):

parse  $id$  as  $(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)$   
 $t \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; C_1 \leftarrow g^t$   
for  $i = 1, \dots, \ell$  do  
     $C_{2,i} \leftarrow (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^t$   
 $K \leftarrow \hat{e}(A, B)^t$   
 $C_3 \leftarrow m \cdot K$   
return  $(C_1, (C_{2,1}, \dots, C_{2,\ell}), C_3)$

KeyDer( $sk_{(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)}, id_{\ell+1}$ ):

parse  $sk_{(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)}$  as  $(sk_0, \dots, sk_\ell)$   
 $r_{\ell+1} \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p$   
 $sk'_0 \leftarrow sk_0 \cdot (H_{1,0}^{id_{\ell+1}} H_{1,1})^{r_{\ell+1}}$   
 $sk'_{\ell+1} \leftarrow g^{r_{\ell+1}}$   
return  $(sk'_0, sk_1, \dots, sk_\ell, sk'_{\ell+1})$

Dec( $sk, C$ ):

parse  $sk_{(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)}$  as  $(sk_0, \dots, sk_\ell)$   
parse  $C$  as  $(C_1, C_{2,1}, \dots, C_{2,\ell}, C_3)$   
 $K' \leftarrow \hat{e}(sk_0, C_1) / \prod_{i=1}^\ell \hat{e}(sk_i, C_{2,i})$   
 $m' \leftarrow C_3 / K'$   
return  $m'$

# Additional comments about the BB HIBE scheme

- The secret key  $sk_{(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)} = (sk_0, \dots, sk_\ell)$  for identity  $(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)$  has the form:
  - $sk_0 = g^{ab} \prod_{i=1}^{\ell} (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^{r_i}$
  - $sk_i = g^{r_i}$  for  $i = 1, \dots, \ell$
- The secret key outputted by KeyDer can be re-randomized via

Randomize( $sk_{(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)}$ ):

parse  $sk_{(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)}$  as  $(sk_0, \dots, sk_\ell)$

for  $i = 1, \dots, \ell$  do

$$r_i \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p$$

$$sk'_i \leftarrow sk_i \cdot g^{r_i}$$

$$sk'_0 \leftarrow sk_0 \cdot \prod_{i=1}^{\ell} (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^{r_i}$$

return  $(sk'_0, sk'_1, \dots, sk'_\ell)$

# Correctness of BB HIBE scheme

For a valid ciphertext, we have:

$$\begin{aligned} K' &= \hat{e}(sk_0, C_1) / \prod_{i=1}^{\ell} \hat{e}(sk_i, C_{2,i}) \\ &= \hat{e}(g^{ab} \prod_{i=1}^{\ell} (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^{r_i}, g^t) / \prod_{i=1}^{\ell} \hat{e}(g^{r_i}, (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^t) \\ &= \hat{e}(g^{ab}, g^t) \cdot \prod_{i=1}^{\ell} \hat{e}((H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^{r_i}, g^t) / \prod_{i=1}^{\ell} \hat{e}(g^{r_i}, (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^t) \\ &= \hat{e}(g^a, g^b)^t \\ &= \hat{e}(A, B)^t \\ &= K \end{aligned}$$

# Boneh-Boyen-Goh HIBE scheme (BBG-HIBE)

Setup:

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 $g_1, g_2 \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{G}$ ;  $\alpha \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p$ 
 $h_1 \leftarrow g_1^\alpha$ ;  $h_2 \leftarrow g_2^\alpha$ 
 $u_i \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{G}$  for  $i = 1, \dots, L$ 
 $mpk \leftarrow (g_1, g_2, h_1, u_0, \dots, u_L)$ 
 $sk_0 \leftarrow h_2$ 
For  $i = 1, \dots, L + 1$  do
     $sk_i \leftarrow 1$ 
 $msk \leftarrow (sk_0, sk_1, \dots, sk_L, sk_{L+1})$ 
Return ( $mpk, msk$ )
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KeyDer( $sk_{(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)}, id_{\ell+1}$ ):

```
Parse  $sk_{(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)}$  as  $(sk_0, sk_{\ell+1}, \dots, sk_L, sk_{L+1})$ 
 $r_{\ell+1} \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p$ 
 $sk'_0 \leftarrow sk_0 \cdot sk_{\ell+1}^{id_{\ell+1}} \cdot (u_0 \prod_{i=1}^{\ell} u_i^{id_i})^{r_{\ell+1}}$ 
For  $i = \ell + 2, \dots, L$  do
     $sk'_i \leftarrow sk_i \cdot u_i^{r_{\ell+1}}$ 
 $sk'_{L+1} \leftarrow sk_{L+1} \cdot g_1^{r_{\ell+1}}$ 
Return  $(sk'_0, sk'_{\ell+2}, \dots, sk'_L, sk'_{L+1})$ 
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Enc( $mpk, id, m$ ):

```
Parse  $id$  as  $(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)$ 
 $r \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p$ ;  $C_1 \leftarrow g_1^r$ 
 $C_2 \leftarrow (u_0 \prod_{i=1}^{\ell} u_i^{id_i})^r$ 
 $C_3 \leftarrow m \cdot \hat{e}(h_1, g_2)^r$ 
Return  $(C_1, C_2, C_3)$ 
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Dec( $sk_{(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)}, C$ ):

```
Parse  $sk_{(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)}$  as  $(sk_0, sk_{\ell+1}, \dots, sk_{L+1})$ 
Parse  $C$  as  $(C_1, C_2, C_3)$ 
 $m' \leftarrow C_3 \cdot \frac{\hat{e}(C_2, sk_{L+1})}{\hat{e}(C_1, sk_0)}$ 
Return  $m'$ 
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# Waters HIBE scheme (Wa-HIBE)

Setup:

$$g_1, g_2 \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{G}; \alpha \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p$$

$$h_1 \leftarrow g_1^\alpha; h_2 \leftarrow g_2^\alpha$$

$$u_{i,j} \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{G} \text{ for } i = 1, \dots, L; j = 0 \dots n$$

$$mpk \leftarrow (g_1, g_2, h_1, u_{1,0}, \dots, u_{L,n})$$

$$msk \leftarrow h_2$$

Return  $(mpk, msk)$

KeyDer( $sk_{(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)}, id_{\ell+1}$ ):

Parse  $sk_{(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)}$  as  $(sk_0, \dots, sk_\ell)$

$$r_{\ell+1} \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p$$

$$sk'_0 \leftarrow sk_0 \cdot F_{\ell+1}(id_{\ell+1})^{r_{\ell+1}}$$

$$sk'_{\ell+1} \leftarrow g_1^{r_{\ell+1}}$$

Return  $(sk'_0, sk_1, \dots, sk_\ell, sk'_{\ell+1})$

Enc( $mpk, id, m$ ):

Parse  $id$  as  $(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)$

$$r \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p; C_1 \leftarrow g_1^r$$

For  $i = 1, \dots, \ell$  do

$$C_{2,i} \leftarrow F_i(id_i)^r$$

$$C_3 \leftarrow m \cdot \hat{e}(h_1, g_2)^r$$

Return  $(C_1, C_{2,1}, \dots, C_{2,\ell}, C_3)$

Dec( $sk_{(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)}, C$ ):

Parse  $sk_{(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)}$  as  $(sk_0, \dots, sk_\ell)$

Parse  $C$  as  $(C_1, C_{2,1}, \dots, C_{2,\ell}, C_3)$

$$m' \leftarrow C_3 \cdot \frac{\prod_{i=1}^{\ell} \hat{e}(sk_i, C_{2,i})}{\hat{e}(C_1, sk_0)}$$

Return  $m'$

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# BDDH security of BB HIBE scheme

## Theorem

Let

- BB refer to the Boneh-Boyen HIBE scheme described above,
- $\mathcal{G}$  be a pairing parameter generator, and
- $\mathcal{A}$  be an adversary against IND-sHID-CPA security of BB, making at most a single query to the **LR** procedure.

Then, there exists an adversary  $\mathcal{B}$  against the BDDH problem relative to  $\mathcal{G}$ , whose running time is that of  $\mathcal{A}$  and such that

$$\mathbf{Adv}_{\text{BB}, L, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{s-ind-cpa}}(k) \leq 2 \cdot \mathbf{Adv}_{\mathcal{G}, k}^{\text{bddh}}(\mathcal{B}).$$

# Security proof of BB scheme

- Proof will define a sequence of five games ( $G_0, \dots, G_4$ ).
- For simplicity, we omit the pairing parameter generation in **Initialize**.
- We assume that  $id^*$  has length  $L$ .
- $j$  denotes the smallest index such that  $id_j \neq id^*$  in **LR** procedure.
  - $G_0$ : This game is the real attack game against BB.
  - $G_1$ : We change the computation of  $H_{i,b}$  so that  $H_{i,0}^{id^*} H_{i,1} = g^{\alpha_i}$  for a random  $\alpha_i$ .
  - $G_2$ : We change the simulation of the key derivation procedure **KeyDer** so that the game answers these queries without the knowledge of the master secret key.
  - $G_3$ : We change the simulation of the **LR** procedure so that  $C_{2,i}^* = C_1^{*\alpha_i}$ . That is, we don't need to know  $t$  to compute it.
  - $G_4$ : We change the simulation of the **LR** procedure so that  $K$  is chosen uniformly at random.

# Game $G_0$

## Game $G_0^A$

**proc Initialize( $k, L, id^*$ )**

$\beta \xleftarrow{R} \{0, 1\}$

$g \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{G}$

$a \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; A \leftarrow g^a$

$b \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; B \leftarrow g^b$

for  $i = 1, \dots, L$ ;  $b = 0, 1$  do

$h_{i,b} \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; H_{i,b} \leftarrow g^{h_{i,b}}$

$mpk \leftarrow (g, A, B, H_{1,0}, \dots, H_{L,1})$

$msk \leftarrow g^{ab}$

Return  $mpk$

**proc Finalize( $\beta'$ )**

Return  $(\beta' = \beta)$

**proc LR( $m_0^*, m_1^*$ )**

parse  $id^*$  as  $(id_1^*, \dots, id_\ell^*)$

$t \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; C_1 \leftarrow g^t$

for  $i = 1, \dots, \ell$  do

$C_{2,i} \leftarrow (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^t$

$K \leftarrow \hat{e}(A, B)^t$

$C_3^* \leftarrow m_\beta^* \cdot K$

Return  $(C_1, (C_{2,1}, \dots, C_{2,\ell}), C_3)$

**proc KeyDer( $id$ )**

parse  $id$  as  $(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)$

for  $i = 1, \dots, \ell$  do

$r_i \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; sk_i \leftarrow g^{r_i}$

$sk_0 \leftarrow g^{ab} \prod_{i=1}^\ell (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^{r_i}$

Return  $(sk_0, \dots, sk_\ell)$

# Game G<sub>1</sub>

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$\beta \xleftarrow{R} \{0, 1\}$

$g \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{G}$

$a \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; A \leftarrow g^a$

$b \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; B \leftarrow g^b$

for  $i = 1, \dots, L$ ; do

$\alpha'_i \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; H_{i,0} \leftarrow B^{\alpha'_i}$

$\alpha_i \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; H_{i,1} \leftarrow g^{\alpha_i} B^{-id^* \alpha'_i}$

$mpk \leftarrow (g, A, B, H_{1,0}, \dots, H_{L,1})$

$msk \leftarrow g^{ab}$

Return  $mpk$

**proc Finalize( $\beta'$ )**

Return  $(\beta' = \beta)$

**proc LR( $m_0^*, m_1^*$ )**

parse  $id^*$  as  $(id_1^*, \dots, id_\ell^*)$

$t \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; C_1 \leftarrow g^t$

for  $i = 1, \dots, \ell$  do

$C_{2,i} \leftarrow (H_{i,0}^{id_i^*} H_{i,1})^t$

$K \leftarrow \hat{e}(A, B)^t$

$C_3^* \leftarrow m_\beta^* \cdot K$

Return  $(C_1, (C_{2,1}, \dots, C_{2,\ell}), C_3)$

**proc KeyDer( $id$ )**

parse  $id$  as  $(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)$

for  $i = 1, \dots, \ell$  do

$r_i \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; sk_i \leftarrow g^{r_i}$

$sk_0 \leftarrow g^{ab} \prod_{i=1}^\ell (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^{r_i}$

Return  $(sk_0, \dots, sk_\ell)$

# Game $G_2$

**proc Initialize( $k, L, id^*$ )**

$$\beta \xleftarrow{R} \{0, 1\}$$

$$g \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{G}$$

$$a \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p; A \leftarrow g^a$$

$$b \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p; B \leftarrow g^b$$

for  $i = 1, \dots, L$ ; do

$$\alpha'_i \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p; H_{i,0} \leftarrow B^{\alpha'_i}$$

$$\alpha_i \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p; H_{i,1} \leftarrow g^{\alpha_i} B^{-id_i^* \alpha'_i}$$

$$mpk \leftarrow (g, A, B, H_{1,0}, \dots, H_{L,1})$$

$$msk \leftarrow g^{ab}$$

Return  $mpk$

**proc Finalize( $\beta'$ )**

Return  $(\beta' = \beta)$

## Game $G_2^A$

**proc LR( $m_0^*, m_1^*$ )**

parse  $id^*$  as  $(id_1^*, \dots, id_\ell^*)$

$$t \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p; C_1 \leftarrow g^t$$

for  $i = 1, \dots, \ell$  do

$$C_{2,i} \leftarrow (H_{i,0}^{id_i^*} H_{i,1})^t$$

$$K \leftarrow \hat{e}(A, B)^t$$

$$C_3^* \leftarrow m_\beta^* \cdot K$$

Return  $(C_1, (C_{2,1}, \dots, C_{2,\ell}), C_3)$

**proc KeyDer( $id$ )**

parse  $id$  as  $(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)$

for  $i = 1, \dots, j-1, j+1, \dots, \ell$  do

$$r_i \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p; sk_i \leftarrow g^{r_i}$$

$$r_j \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p; sk_i \leftarrow g^{r_j} A^{-1/(\alpha'_j(id_j - id_j^*))}$$

$$sk_0 \leftarrow A^{-\alpha_j / (\alpha'_j(id_j - id_j^*))} \prod_{i=1}^{\ell} (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^{r_i}$$

Return  $(sk_0, \dots, sk_\ell)$

# Game $G_3$

**proc Initialize( $k, L, id^*$ )**

$\beta \xleftarrow{R} \{0, 1\}$

$g \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{G}$

$a \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; A \leftarrow g^a$

$b \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; B \leftarrow g^b$

for  $i = 1, \dots, L$ ; do

$\alpha'_i \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; H_{i,0} \leftarrow B^{\alpha'_i}$

$\alpha_i \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; H_{i,1} \leftarrow g^{\alpha_i} B^{-id^* \alpha'_i}$

$mpk \leftarrow (g, A, B, H_{1,0}, \dots, H_{L,1})$

$msk \leftarrow g^{ab}$

Return  $mpk$

**proc Finalize( $\beta'$ )**

Return  $(\beta' = \beta)$

## Game $G_3^A$

**proc LR( $m_0^*, m_1^*$ )**

parse  $id^*$  as  $(id_1^*, \dots, id_\ell^*)$

$t \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; C_1 \leftarrow g^t$

for  $i = 1, \dots, \ell$  do

$C_{2,i} \leftarrow C_1^{*\alpha_i}$

$K \leftarrow \hat{e}(A, B)^t$

$C_3^* \leftarrow m_\beta^* \cdot K$

Return  $(C_1, (C_{2,1}, \dots, C_{2,\ell}), C_3)$

**proc KeyDer( $id$ )**

parse  $id$  as  $(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)$

for  $i = 1, \dots, j-1, j+1, \dots, \ell$  do

$r_i \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; sk_i \leftarrow g^{r_i}$

$r_j \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; sk_i \leftarrow g^{r_j} A^{-1/(\alpha'_j(id_j - id_j^*))}$

$sk_0 \leftarrow A^{-\alpha_j/(\alpha'_j(id_j - id_j^*))} \prod_{i=1}^{\ell} (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^{r_i}$

Return  $(sk_0, \dots, sk_\ell)$

# Game $G_4$

**proc Initialize( $k, L, id^*$ )**

$\beta \xleftarrow{R} \{0, 1\}$

$g \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{G}$

$a \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; A \leftarrow g^a$

$b \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; B \leftarrow g^b$

for  $i = 1, \dots, L$ ; do

$\alpha'_i \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; H_{i,0} \leftarrow B^{\alpha'_i}$

$\alpha_i \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; H_{i,1} \leftarrow g^{\alpha_i} B^{-id^* \alpha'_i}$

$mpk \leftarrow (g, A, B, H_{1,0}, \dots, H_{L,1})$

$msk \leftarrow g^{ab}$

Return  $mpk$

**proc Finalize( $\beta'$ )**

Return  $(\beta' = \beta)$

## Game $G_4^A$

**proc LR( $m_0^*, m_1^*$ )**

parse  $id^*$  as  $(id_1^*, \dots, id_\ell^*)$

$t \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; C_1 \leftarrow g^t$

for  $i = 1, \dots, \ell$  do

$C_{2,i} \leftarrow C_1^{*\alpha_i}$

$K \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{G}$

$C_3^* \leftarrow m_\beta^* \cdot K$

Return  $(C_1, (C_{2,1}, \dots, C_{2,\ell}), C_3)$

**proc KeyDer( $id$ )**

parse  $id$  as  $(id_1, \dots, id_\ell)$

for  $i = 1, \dots, j-1, j+1, \dots, \ell$  do

$r_i \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; sk_i \leftarrow g^{r_i}$

$r_j \xleftarrow{R} \mathbb{Z}_p ; sk_i \leftarrow g^{r_j} A^{-1/(\alpha'_j(id_j - id_j^*))}$

$sk_0 \leftarrow A^{-\alpha_j/(\alpha'_j(id_j - id_j^*))} \prod_{i=1}^{\ell} (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^{r_i}$

Return  $(sk_0, \dots, sk_\ell)$

# Probability analysis

**Claim 1**  $\mathbf{Adv}_{\text{BB},L,\mathcal{A}}^{\text{s-ind-cpa}}(k) = 2 \cdot \Pr [ G_0^{\mathcal{A}} = \text{true} ] - 1$

**Claim 2**  $\Pr [ G_1^{\mathcal{A}} = \text{true} ] = \Pr [ G_0^{\mathcal{A}} = \text{true} ]$

**Claim 3**  $\Pr [ G_2^{\mathcal{A}} = \text{true} ] = \Pr [ G_1^{\mathcal{A}} = \text{true} ]$

**Claim 4**  $\Pr [ G_3^{\mathcal{A}} = \text{true} ] = \Pr [ G_2^{\mathcal{A}} = \text{true} ]$

**Claim 5**  $|\Pr [ G_4^{\mathcal{A}} = \text{true} ] - \Pr [ G_3^{\mathcal{A}} = \text{true} ]| \leq \mathbf{Adv}_{\mathcal{G},k}^{\text{bddh}}(\mathcal{B})$

**Claim 6**  $\Pr [ G_4^{\mathcal{A}} = \text{true} ] = 1/2$

It's straightforward to verify that the security theorem follows from the claims above.

## Proof of Claims 1, 2, 4, and 6

- Claim 1 follows the security definition.
- Claim 2 follows from the fact that  $H_{i,b}$  is still uniformly distributed in  $\mathbb{G}$ .
- Claim 4 follows from the fact that  $C_2^*$  is still being correctly computed.

$$\begin{aligned} C_{2,i}^* &= (H_{i,0}^{id_i^*} H_{i,1})^t \\ &= ((B^{\alpha'_i})^{id_i^*} g^{\alpha_i} B^{-id_i^* \alpha'_i})^t \\ &= g^{\alpha_i t} \\ &= C_1^{*\alpha_i} \end{aligned}$$

- Claim 6 follows from the fact that  $\mathcal{A}$  has no information about  $\beta$  in  $G_4$ .

## Proof of Claim 3

Claim 3 follows from the fact that  $(sk_0, \dots, sk_\ell)$  is still a valid random secret key for user  $id = (id_1, \dots, id_\ell)$ , where  $\tilde{r}_j = r_j - a/(\alpha'_j(id_j - id_j^*))$  is the randomness being used to generate  $sk_j$ .

$$\begin{aligned} sk_j &= g^{\tilde{r}_j} = g^{r_j - a/(\alpha'_j(id_j - id_j^*))} \\ &= g^{r_j} g^{-a/(\alpha'_j(id_j - id_j^*))} \\ &= g^{r_j} A^{-1/(\alpha'_j(id_j - id_j^*))} \\ sk_0 &= g^{ab} (H_{j,0}^{id_j} H_{j,1})^{\tilde{r}_j} \prod_{i=1}^{j-1} (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^{r_i} \prod_{i=j+1}^{\ell} (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^{r_i} \\ &= g^{ab} ((B^{\alpha'_j})^{id_j} g^{\alpha_j} B^{-id_j^* \alpha'_j})^{-a/(\alpha'_j(id_j - id_j^*))} \prod_{i=1}^{\ell} (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^{r_i} \\ &= g^{ab} ((g^{b\alpha'_j})^{id_j} g^{\alpha_j} g^{-b id_j^* \alpha'_j})^{-a/(\alpha'_j(id_j - id_j^*))} \prod_{i=1}^{\ell} (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^{r_i} \\ &= g^{ab} (g^{b\alpha'_j(id_j - bid_j^*)} g^{\alpha_j})^{-a/(\alpha'_j(id_j - id_j^*))} \prod_{i=1}^{\ell} (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^{r_i} \\ &= g^{ab} g^{-ab} (g^{\alpha_j})^{-a/(\alpha'_j(id_j - id_j^*))} \prod_{i=1}^{\ell} (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^{r_i} \\ &= A^{-\alpha_j/(\alpha'_j(id_j - id_j^*))} \prod_{i=1}^{\ell} (H_{i,0}^{id_i} H_{i,1})^{r_i} \end{aligned}$$

## Proof of Claim 5

In order to prove Claim 5, we need to build an adversary  $\mathcal{B}$  against the BDDH problem.

- Let  $(\mathbb{G}, g, A, B, C, Z)$  be the input of  $\mathcal{B}$ .
- To simulate procedure **Initialize**,  $\mathcal{B}$  sets  $H_{i,0} = B^{\alpha'_i}$  and  $H_{i,1} = g^{\alpha_i} B^{-id_i^* \alpha'_i}$  for random  $\alpha_i, \alpha'_i$  and returns  $mpk = (g, A, B, H_{1,0}, \dots, H_{L,1})$  as the public key.
- When simulating procedure **LR**,  $\mathcal{B}$  sets  $C_1^* = C$ ,  $C_{2,i}^* = C_1^{*\alpha_i}$ , and  $K = Z$ .
- $\mathcal{B}$  simulates procedures **KeyDer** and **Finalize** exactly as in  $G_3$ .
- When  $\mathcal{B}$  is being executed in Game  $\text{Exp}_{\mathcal{G}, k}^{\text{bddh-0}}(\mathcal{B})$ ,  $\mathcal{B}$  simulates  $G_3$  to  $\mathcal{A}$ . That is,  $\Pr[G_3^{\mathcal{A}} = \text{true}] = \Pr[\text{Exp}_{\mathcal{G}, k}^{\text{bddh-0}}(\mathcal{B}) = \text{true}]$ .
- When  $\mathcal{B}$  is being executed in Game  $\text{Exp}_{\mathcal{G}, k}^{\text{bddh-1}}(\mathcal{B})$ ,  $\mathcal{B}$  simulates  $G_4$  to  $\mathcal{A}$ . That is,  $\Pr[G_4^{\mathcal{A}} = \text{true}] = \Pr[\text{Exp}_{\mathcal{G}, k}^{\text{bddh-1}}(\mathcal{B}) = \text{true}]$ .
- The claim follows.