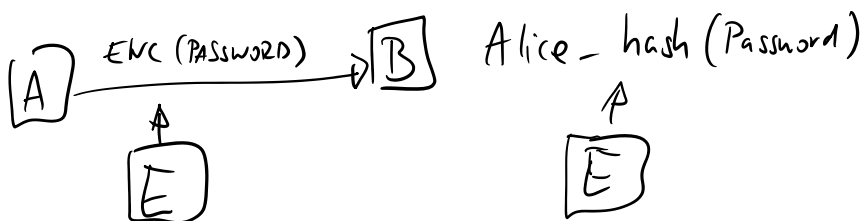
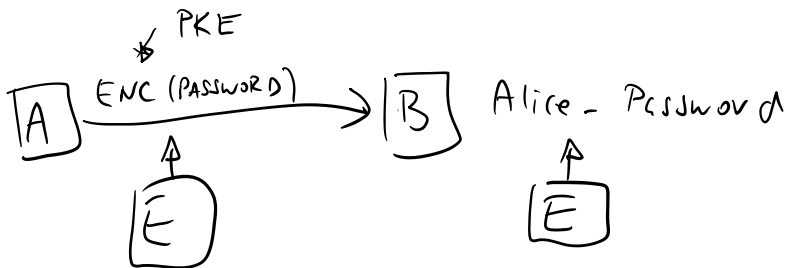
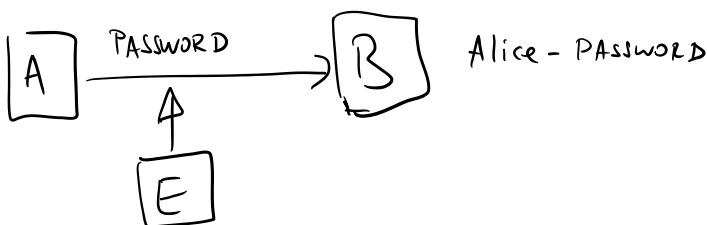


Identification

Secret sharing

Message authentication \rightarrow Orthogonal arrays

Identification



These \uparrow work only for trusted B (he knows the password)

Here \downarrow we learn about zero-knowledge identification protocols

Alice can prove knowledge of her password to Bob without revealing it.

Alice - Password

Alice - Prover

Bob - Verifier

Eve - Evesdropper

1.) Commitment $A \rightarrow B$

2.) Challenge $B \rightarrow A$

3.) Response $A \rightarrow B$

4.) Verification

Fiat-Shamir identification

↳ based on hardness of calculating square roots
i.e. $\sqrt{C} \pmod{n}$, where $n = p \cdot q$, without knowledge
of p and q .

PRIVATE: $S \in \{1, \dots, n-1\}$, $(p, q, \text{ with } n = p \cdot q)$

PUBLIC: $n, V = S^2 \pmod{n}$

1.) commitment: Alice chooses random $1 \leq r < n$ and sends
 $x = r^2 \pmod{n}$ to Bob

2.) challenge: Bob chooses a random bit b and sends it
to Alice

3.) response: Alice sends $y = r \cdot s^b \pmod n$ to Bob

4.) verification: Bob verifies whether $y^2 = x \cdot v^b \pmod n$

→ r needs to be random and unknown to Bob. Why?

if Bob knew r , in step 2.) he can choose $b=1$, then

$$y = r \cdot s \pmod n \text{ and he can calculate } s = y \cdot r^{-1} \pmod n$$

→ b needs to be random and unknown to Alice before her commitment. Why?

• If a Prover knows $b=0$ can she pass the protocol?
perhaps they don't know s

$$\text{Verification will be } y^2 = x \pmod n$$

Can you find two such numbers?

1.) choose y 2.) calculate x (order is important
- in the protocol x is sent first
and y second)

• — || — $b=1$ — || —

$$\text{Verification will be } y^2 = x \cdot v \pmod n$$

Can you find such x and y ?

$$x = y^2 \cdot v^{-1} \pmod n$$

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TRANSCRIPT

(x, b, y) valid iff

$$n=15 \quad v=4$$

$$(x, 0, y) \rightsquigarrow (1, 0, 11) \quad 11^2 = 1 \pmod{15}$$

$$(x, 1, y) \rightsquigarrow (6, 1, 3) \quad 3^2 = x \cdot 4 \pmod{15}$$

$$4 \cdot 3^2 = x \pmod{15}$$

$$4 \cdot 9 = x \pmod{15}$$

$$36 = x \pmod{15}$$

$$6 = x \pmod{15}$$

b

$$(x, 0, y_0)$$

$$(x, 1, y_1)$$

calculating these two transcripts is as hard as finding S

$$y_0^2 = x \pmod{n}$$

$$y_1^2 = x \cdot v \pmod{n}$$

$$y_0 = \sqrt{x} \pmod{n}$$

$$y_1 = \sqrt{x} \cdot s \pmod{n}$$

$$y_1 = y_0 \cdot s \pmod{n}$$

$$s = y_1 \cdot y_0^{-1} \pmod{n}$$

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Shor's identification

↳ based on discrete logarithm


Public: p - large prime

q - a prime dividing $(p-1)$ [q - is 140 bit]

$d \in \mathbb{Z}_p^*$ of order q [$d^q = 1 \pmod p$]

Security parameter t s.t. $2^t < q$ (how hard it is to guess a challenge)

$$v = d^{-a} \pmod p$$

 $\text{Sig}_{TA}(\text{ALICE}, v, p, q, d)$

PRIVATE: $1 \leq a \leq q-1$

1.) Commitment: Alice randomly chooses $0 \leq k \leq q-1$
and sends 

2.) challenge: Bob chooses randomly $1 \leq v \leq 2^t - 1$
and sends it to Alice

3.) response: Alice sends 

4.) Verification: Bob checks $y = d^k \cdot v^r \pmod p$
 $d = d^k \cdot d^{(k+ar)-ak} \pmod p$

$$d^k = d^k \pmod{p}$$

→ k should be random and unknown to Bob

if Bob knows k then $a = (y - z) \cdot r^{-1} \pmod{p}$

→ r should be random and unknown to Prover

otherwise anyone can identify as Alice.

Two numbers x and y for which [REDACTED] can be used as commitment and response

With knowledge of r , how hard is it to find such numbers?

EASY: 1.) choose y 2.) calculate x

TRANSCRIPTS:

(x, r, y) valid iff $y = d^x v^r \pmod{p}$

$\left. \begin{array}{l} (x_1, r_1, y_1) \\ (x_2, r_2, y_2) \end{array} \right\}$ calculating is equivalent to calculation of a

$$d^{y_1} v^{r_1} = d^{y_2} v^{r_2} \pmod{p}$$

$$d^{y_1 - a r_1} = d^{y_2 - a r_2} \pmod{p}$$

$$y_1 - a r_1 = y_2 - a r_2 \pmod{q}$$

$$a = (y_1 - y_2) (r_1 - r_2)^{-1}$$

$$a = (b_2 - b_1) \cdot (r_2 - r_1)^{-1} \pmod q$$

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Secret Sharing

U - user set $U = \{1, \dots, n\}$

A - access structure $A \subseteq \mathcal{P}(U) = 2^U$

$$\mathcal{P}(U) = \{\emptyset, \{1\}, \{2\}, \dots, \{n\}, \{1,2\}, \{1,3\}, \dots, U\}$$

$$|\mathcal{P}(U)| = 2^{|U|}$$

$$U = \{A, B, C, D\}$$

$$A = \{\{A, B\}, \{B, C, D\}, \{A, C, D\}\}$$

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Oversets are always included by default.

Threshold scheme (n, t)

n - number of users

t - the number of users required to recover the secret

$(4, 2)$ - scheme

$$U = \{A, B, C, D\}$$

$$A = \{AB, AC, AD, BC, BD, CD\}$$

How to construct threshold schemes

- 1.) choose a (large) prime p
- 2.) to each user send $x_i \in \mathbb{Z}_p$ (typically $x_i = i$)
- 3.) to share a secret $S \in \mathbb{Z}_p$ send secretly to each user $y_i = a(x_i)$

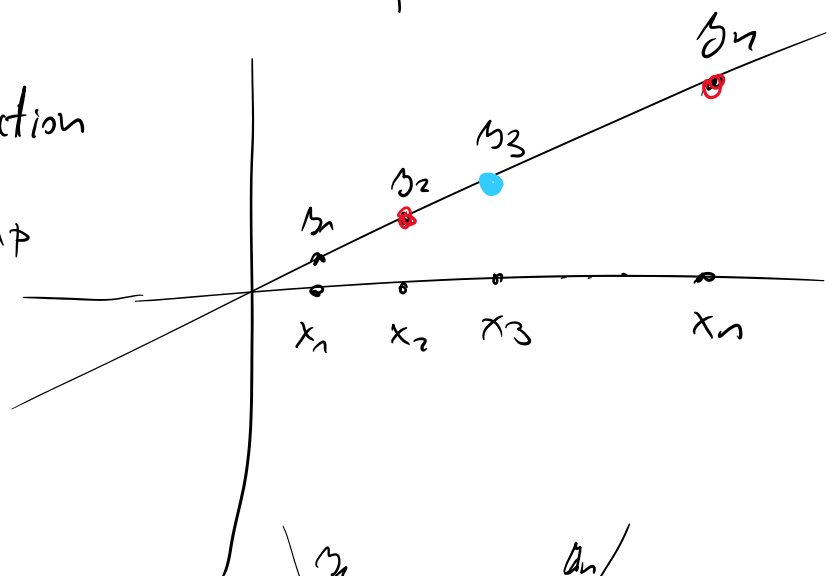
where

$$a(x) = \left(\sum_{j=0}^{t-1} a_j x^j \right) + S \pmod{p}$$

and a_j are chosen at random and kept secret

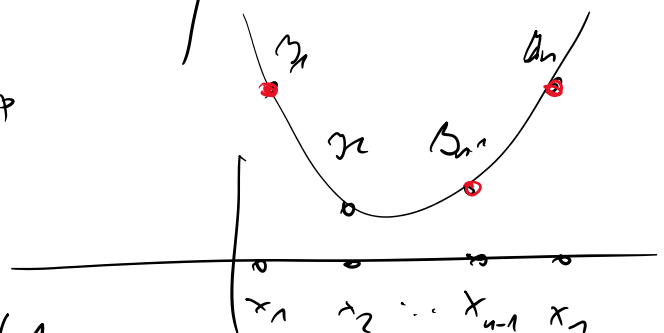
for $t=2$ a is a linear function

$$a(x) = a_1 x + S \pmod{p}$$



for $t=3$ a is quadratic

$$a(x) = a_2 x^2 + a_1 x + S \pmod{p}$$



for t the degree of $a(x)$ is $t-1$

and t points are required to reconstruct a and find S .

Example of $(3,3)$ -scheme

$$f(1) = 9 \pmod{11}$$

$$f(2) = 9 \pmod{11}$$

$$f(3) = 4 \pmod{11}$$

degree of f is 2. _{secret}

$$f(x) = ax^2 + bx + c$$

$$a + b + c = 9 \pmod{11}$$

$$4a + 2b + c = 9 \pmod{11}$$

$$9a + 3b + c = 4 \pmod{11}$$

ORTHOGONAL ARRAYS

$OA(n, k, \lambda)$ is a $\lambda n^2 \times k$ array of n symbols s.t. in any two columns of the array each of the n^2 possible pairs of symbols appear exactly λ times.

$OA(3, 3, 1)$
 Symbols \rightarrow columns \leftarrow repetition

$$\lambda n^2 \times k$$

$$1 \cdot 3^2 \times 3$$

$$9 \times 3$$

assume Alice sent $(m_2, 1)$

	m_1	m_2	
h_1	0	0	0
h_2	1	1	1
h_3	2	2	2
h_4	0	1	2
h_5	1	2	0
h_6	2	0	1
h_7	0	2	1

1.) An adversary wants to send message to Bob without seeing a message-tag pair sent by Alice

2.) Alice sent a valid pair $(m, h(m))$

Eve wants to send

h_2	<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>
h_8	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>
h_9	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>

Eve wants to send
 $m', h(m')$
 instead
 $m \neq m'$

In authentication

$m, h(m)$

φ
hash

$m', h(m')$

A $m, h(m)$
 $\xrightarrow{\hspace{2cm}}$

B
 \leftarrow