

Other Public Key encryption systems

Rabin encryption

- Chinese remainder theorem
- Quadratic residues
- Euler's criterion

El Gamal encryption

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Security definition for PKC

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Chinese remainder theorem

$$x \equiv a_1 \pmod{n_1} \quad \forall_{i,j} \gcd(n_i, n_j) = 1$$

$$x \equiv a_2 \pmod{n_2}$$

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$$x \equiv a_k \pmod{n_k}$$

$$N = n_1 \cdot n_2 \cdot \dots \cdot n_k \quad x = \sum_{i=1}^k a_i N_i M_i \pmod{N}$$

$$N_i = N / n_i$$

$$M_i = N_i^{-1} \pmod{n_i}$$

$$x, x+N, x+2N, \dots$$

P

$$x \pmod{n_j}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^k a_i N_i M_i \pmod{n_j}$$

$$= a_j \overbrace{N_j M_j}^{=1} \pmod{n_j} \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{because } \forall i \neq j, N_i \text{ is} \\ \text{a multiple of } n_j \end{array} \right)$$

$$= a_j \pmod{n_j}$$

Example

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 x \equiv 0 \pmod{3} & N_1 = 4 \cdot 5 = 20 \quad M_1 \equiv 20^{-1} \equiv 2^{-1} \pmod{3} = 2 \\
 x \equiv 3 \pmod{4} & N_2 = 3 \cdot 5 = 15 \quad M_2 \equiv 15^{-1} \equiv (-1)^{-1} \pmod{4} = 3 \\
 x \equiv 4 \pmod{5} & N_3 = 3 \cdot 4 = 12 \quad M_3 \equiv 12^{-1} \equiv 2^{-1} \pmod{5} = 3
 \end{array}$$

$$N = 3 \cdot 4 \cdot 5$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 x &= 0 \cdot 20 \cdot 2 + 3 \cdot 15 \cdot 3 + 4 \cdot 12 \cdot 3 \\
 &= 0 + 135 + 144 \pmod{60} \\
 &= 279 \pmod{60} \\
 &= 39 \quad \checkmark
 \end{aligned}$$

Quadratic residues in $(\mathbb{Z}_p^* = \{1, \dots, p-1\})$

$a \in \mathbb{Z}_p^*$ is a QR if $\exists x$ s.t. $x^2 \equiv a \pmod{p}$

$x \equiv \sqrt{a} \pmod{p}$ notation for square

$$\mathbb{Z}_5^* = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$$

$$1^2 = 1 \pmod{5}$$

$$2^2 = 4 \pmod{5}$$

$$3^2 = 4 \pmod{5}$$

$$4^2 = 1 \pmod{5}$$

$$x \equiv \sqrt{a} \pmod{p} \quad \text{notation for square root}$$

$$x \equiv a^{\frac{1}{2}} \pmod{p}$$

There are $\frac{p-1}{2}$ QRs in \mathbb{Z}_p^* (p prime)

Euler's criterion

integer division

$$a^{\frac{p-1}{2}} \begin{cases} = 1 \pmod{p} & \Leftrightarrow a \text{ is a QR} \\ = -1 \pmod{p} & \Leftrightarrow a \text{ is a QNR} \end{cases}$$

$$a^{p-1} \equiv 1 \pmod{p} \quad (\text{Fermat's little theorem})$$

$$a^{p-1} - 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{p}$$

$$\begin{matrix} (a^{\frac{p-1}{2}} - 1) & (a^{\frac{p-1}{2}} + 1) & \equiv 0 \pmod{p} & (a-b)(a+b) = a^2 - b^2 \\ \text{P} & \text{V} & \text{Q} & \end{matrix}$$

$$a = x^2$$

$$(x^2)^{\frac{p-1}{2}} - 1$$

$$x^{p-1} - 1$$

$$x^{p-1} - 1 \equiv 0 \pmod{p} \quad (\text{Fermat's little theorem})$$

How do I find square roots mod p?

C is a QR, find x , st. $x^2 \equiv C \pmod{p}$
 $x \equiv \sqrt{C} \pmod{p}$

1.) $p \equiv 3 \pmod{4} \rightarrow$ easy

$\rightarrow p \equiv 1 \pmod{4} \rightarrow$ a bit harder but efficient

$$\sqrt{C} \equiv \pm C^{\frac{p+1}{4}} \pmod{p} \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Integer division} \\ \text{1 by Euler's criterion} \end{array} \right)$$

$$\left(C^{\frac{p+1}{4}} \right)^2 \equiv C^{\frac{p+1}{2}} \equiv C \cdot C^{\frac{p-1}{2}} \equiv C \pmod{p}$$

Rabin cryptosystem

Elements: $n = p \cdot q$, p, q are large primes ($p, q \equiv 3 \pmod{4}$)

Public: n

Private: p, q

Encrypt $1 < w < p-1$: $C = w^2 \pmod{n}$

Decryption of C : $w = \sqrt{C} \pmod{n}$

1.) How to decrypt with the knowledge of p and q

You can find solution

$$x^2 \equiv C \pmod{n}$$

from

$$x^2 \equiv c \pmod{p} \Rightarrow k \cdot p + c \equiv x^2$$

$$x^2 \equiv c \pmod{q} \Rightarrow l \cdot q + c \equiv x^2$$

$$m \cdot p \cdot q + c \equiv x^2$$

$$z = m \cdot q$$

$$e = m \cdot p$$



these are different integers

$$X \equiv \sqrt{c} \pmod{p}$$

$$X \equiv \sqrt{c} \pmod{q}$$

P

$$m_p \equiv \sqrt{c} \equiv \pm c^{\frac{p+1}{4}} \pmod{p} \rightarrow 2 \text{ solutions}$$

$$m_q = \sqrt{c} \equiv \pm c^{\frac{q+1}{4}} \pmod{q} \rightarrow 2 \text{ solutions}$$

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$$y_q \equiv a^{-1} \pmod{p} \quad b_p \equiv a^{-1} \pmod{q}$$

$$a_1 \quad N_1 \quad M_1 \quad a_2 \quad N_2 \quad M_2$$

Four different CRT instances $\Rightarrow 4$ solutions

$$X_1 \equiv m_p \cdot q \cdot y_q + m_q \cdot p \cdot b_p$$

$$X_2 \equiv m_p \cdot q \cdot y_q - m_q \cdot p \cdot b_p$$

$$X_3 \equiv -m_p \cdot q \cdot y_q + m_q \cdot p \cdot b_p$$

$$X_4 \equiv -m_p \cdot q \cdot y_q - m_q \cdot p \cdot b_p$$

$$X_1 + X_2 = 2m_p q y_q$$

$$\gcd(X_1 + X_2, n) = q$$

Exercise 6.1

decrypt $c = 56$

with $n = 143 = 11 \cdot 13 = p \cdot q$

$$m_p \equiv \sqrt{c} \pmod{p} = \sqrt{56} \pmod{11}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 m_p \equiv \sqrt{c} \pmod{p} &= \sqrt{56} \pmod{11} \\
 &= 56^{\frac{12}{4}} \pmod{11} \\
 &= 56^3 \pmod{11} \\
 &= (1)^3 \pmod{11} \\
 &= 1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 m_q \equiv \sqrt{c} \pmod{q} &= \sqrt{56} \pmod{13} \\
 &= \sqrt{4} \pmod{13} \\
 &= \pm 2 \pmod{13}
 \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{array}{c|c|c|c}
 x_1 \equiv 1 \pmod{11} & x_2 \equiv 1 \pmod{11} & x_3 \equiv -1 \pmod{11} & x_4 \equiv -1 \pmod{11} \\
 x_1 \equiv 2 \pmod{13} & x_2 \equiv -2 \pmod{13} & x_3 \equiv 2 \pmod{13} & x_4 \equiv -2 \pmod{13}
 \end{array}$$

$$y_p = 11^{-1} \pmod{13} = 6$$

$$y_q = 13^{-1} \pmod{11} = 6$$

$$x_1 = \overset{m_p}{1} \cdot \overset{q}{13} \cdot \overset{y_q}{6} + \overset{m_q}{2} \cdot \overset{p}{11} \cdot \overset{y_p}{6} = 13 \cdot 6 + 22 \cdot 6 \pmod{143}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 x_1 &\equiv 78 + 132 \pmod{143} \\
 x_2 &\equiv 78 - 132 \pmod{143} \\
 x_3 &\equiv -78 + 132 \pmod{143} \\
 x_4 &\equiv -78 - 132 \pmod{143}
 \end{aligned}$$

How to attack this cryptosystem?

- 1.) Factor n , then using p and q decrypt
- 2.) Is there an algorithm that calculates x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4 without factoring?
if yes, it is as hard as factoring because $\gcd(x_1 + x_2, n) = q$ can be calculated efficiently.

El Gamal encryption

- 1.) based on discrete logarithms
- 2.) has randomized encryptions

Elements:

- p - a large prime
- g - primitive element in \mathbb{Z}_p^*
- x - secret exponent
- $y \equiv g^x \pmod{p}$

$$\{g, g^2, \dots, g^{p-1}\} = \mathbb{Z}_p^*$$

PUBLIC: p, g, y

PRIVATE: x

ENC: $w \in \mathbb{Z}_p^*$

1.) (choose random $r \in \{1, \dots, p-1\}$)

2.) $a \equiv g^r \pmod{p}$

3.) $b \equiv w \cdot y^r \pmod{p}$

$w \rightarrow (a, b)$

Dec: $(a, b) \rightarrow w$

$$w \equiv b \cdot a^{-x} \equiv b (a^x)^{-1} \pmod{p}$$

$$\equiv w \cdot g^r \cdot a^{-x} \pmod{p}$$

$$\equiv w (g^x)^r \cdot (g^r)^{-x}$$

$$\equiv w \cdot g^{rx} \cdot g^{-rx} \pmod{p}$$

$$\equiv w \pmod{p}$$

1.) Knowing x can be used to decrypt

2.) Knowing r can be used to decrypt

$$b \cdot g^{-r} \equiv w \pmod{p}$$

Vulnerabilities of El Gamal

$$(a, b) \rightarrow w \quad b \cdot a^{-x} = w \cdot g^r \cdot a^{-x} = w$$

$$(a, 2b) \rightarrow \quad 2b \cdot a^{-x} = 2w \cdot g^r \cdot a^{-x} = 2w$$

$$(a, kb) \rightarrow \quad = kw$$

$$(a_1, b_1) \rightarrow \boxed{w_1}$$

$$(a_1 a_2, b_1 b_2) \rightarrow b_1 b_2 \cdot (a_1 a_2)^{-x}$$

$$(a_2, b_2) \rightarrow w_2$$

$$\rightarrow w_1 \cdot g^{rx_1} w_2 \cdot g^{rx_2} \cdot (g^{rx_1})^{-x} \cdot (g^{rx_2})^{-x}$$

$$\rightarrow w_1 w_2$$

Shank's algorithm - calculates discrete logarithm.

$$g^x \equiv g \pmod{p} \quad - \text{find } x$$

Naive solution requires $p-1$ exponentiations (in the worst case)

Shank's algorithm requires $2 \cdot \sqrt{p-1}$ exponentiations

Shank's algorithm requires $2 \cdot \lceil \sqrt{p-1} \rceil$ exponentiations

Giant step-baby step paradigm

$$m = \lceil \sqrt{p-1} \rceil$$

$$0 \leq j \leq m-1$$

Giant step

| j | $g^{mj} \pmod p$ |
|-------|------------------|
| 0 | 1 |
| 1 | g^m |
| ⋮ | ⋮ |
| $m-1$ | z |

Baby step

$$0 \leq i \leq m-1$$

| i | $g^{-i} \pmod p$ |
|-------|------------------|
| 0 | z |
| 1 | g^{-1} |
| ⋮ | g^{-2} |
| ⋮ | ⋮ |
| $m-1$ | z |

$$g^{mj} = z = M g^{-i} \pmod p$$

$$g^{mj} = g^{-i} \pmod p$$

$$g^{mj+i} = g \pmod p$$

$j=0$ iterate i

$$mj+i \in \{0, \dots, m-1\}$$

$$j=1$$

$$mj+i \in \{m, \dots, 2m-1\}$$

Security of PKC

$$\forall m, c$$

$$\Pr(M=m) = \Pr(M=m | C=c)$$

$$\Pr(A[e(m), h(m)] = f(M)) \leq \Pr(B[e(m)] = f(M))$$

$$\Pr(A[e(m), h(m)] = f(m)) \leq \Pr(B[e(m)] = t(m)) + \eta(n)$$

$\eta(n)$

A, B are efficient algorithms

e - encryption function $e(m)$ - distribution of ciphertext

M - plaintext distribution $\eta(n)$ is a negligible function

h, f are functions $\{0,1\}^* \rightarrow \{0,1\}^n$

$A[e(m), h(m)] \rightarrow$ something we can efficiently calculate from distribution of plaintexts and ciphertexts

$B[h(m)] \rightarrow$ something that we can calculate from M

$\eta(n)$ is a negligible function $\therefore \exists n_0$, s.t. $\forall n > n_0$
 $\eta(n) < \frac{1}{p(n)}$ for an arbitrary polynomial $p(n)$