Tutorial XI

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TWO PARTY CRYPTOGRAPHY (part 2)

→ Coin tossing

→ Rabin OT

↳ Rabin-OT $\Leftrightarrow$ 1-out-of-2-OT

→ Example of practical use of 1-out-of-n OT

Coin tossing (slide 9)

Element: two large primes p and q, $n = p \cdot q$

Alice keeps private p and q and reveals n

1.) Bob chooses $x_B \leq \frac{n}{2}$ and sends $y = x^2 \bmod n$ to Alice

2.) Alice calculates $x_i \in \{x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4 \mid x_i^2 = y \bmod n\}$

$x_1 < x_2 < x_3 < x_4$ $\quad$ x $\quad$ $n-x$

$\leq n/2$

3.) Alice chooses $x_A \in \{x_1, x_2\}$ at random and discloses to Bob the least significant bit in which

x_1 and x_2 differ. ←

4.) Alice and Bob reveal all their information

$A = \{x_1, x_2\}$ $B = \{x_B\}$. They use it to verify whether Alice guessed x correctly.

5.) if Alice guessed correctly outcome is 1 (heads)
if Bob guessed correctly outcome is 0 (tails)

Assume in step 3 Alice discloses x_A in full.

→ $x_A = x_B$ Bob can't cheat
(he cannot calculate the other square root)

→ $x_A \neq x_B$ Bob can cheat

He can say she guessed correctly
and in step 6 reveal $x_B = x_A$

He can say she didn't guess correctly
and in step 4 reveal $x_B = x_A$

Revealing only LSB of Alice's choice can be used to verify her guess in step 4, without revealing x_A.

Security against cheating Alice – IT

Security against cheating Bob – computational

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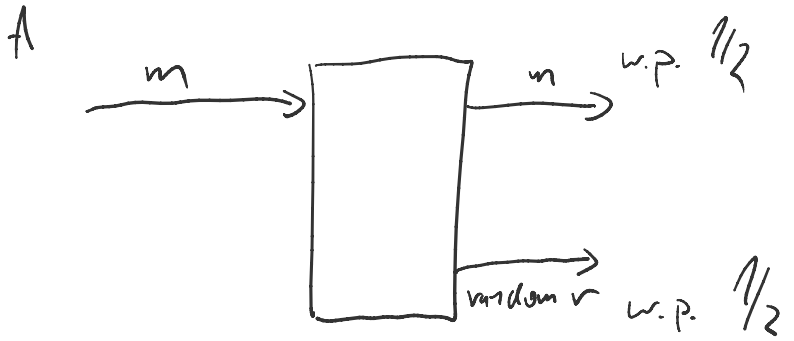
Rabin – OT



→ Alice doesn't learn which option happened

→ Bob knows whether he got r or m.

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2.) Bob chooses x and sends $y = x^2 \bmod n$ to Alice

3.) Alice calculates $\{x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4 \mid x_i^2 = y\}$, chooses one at random and sends it to Bob.

1.) Information Alice is sending is the factorization of n (p, q)

2.) After step 2 Bob knows two of four square roots of y $(x, n-x)$ and he doesn't know the remaining 2.

3.) After step 3 Bob know all the roots w.p. $1/2$ and thus factors p, q. And w.p. $1/2$ he doesn't learn anything new

4.) Alice doesn't know if she disclosed the factors

5.) With RSA: Alice calculates $m^e \bmod n$

6.) if Bob learns how to factor n, he can calculate $e^{-1} \bmod (p-1)(q-1)$ and recover m.

$\Leftarrow$

Rabin $\Leftrightarrow$ 1-out-of-2

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1.) Alice sends $\boxed{3n}$ randomly chosen bit messages $(x_1, \dots, x_{3n})$ to Bob using Rabin OT

$x_1 x_2 x_3 x_4 \dots x_5$

$\downarrow$

$x_1 ? ? x_4$

2.) Bob chooses n indices of the messages he received I and n indices of the messages he did not receive J

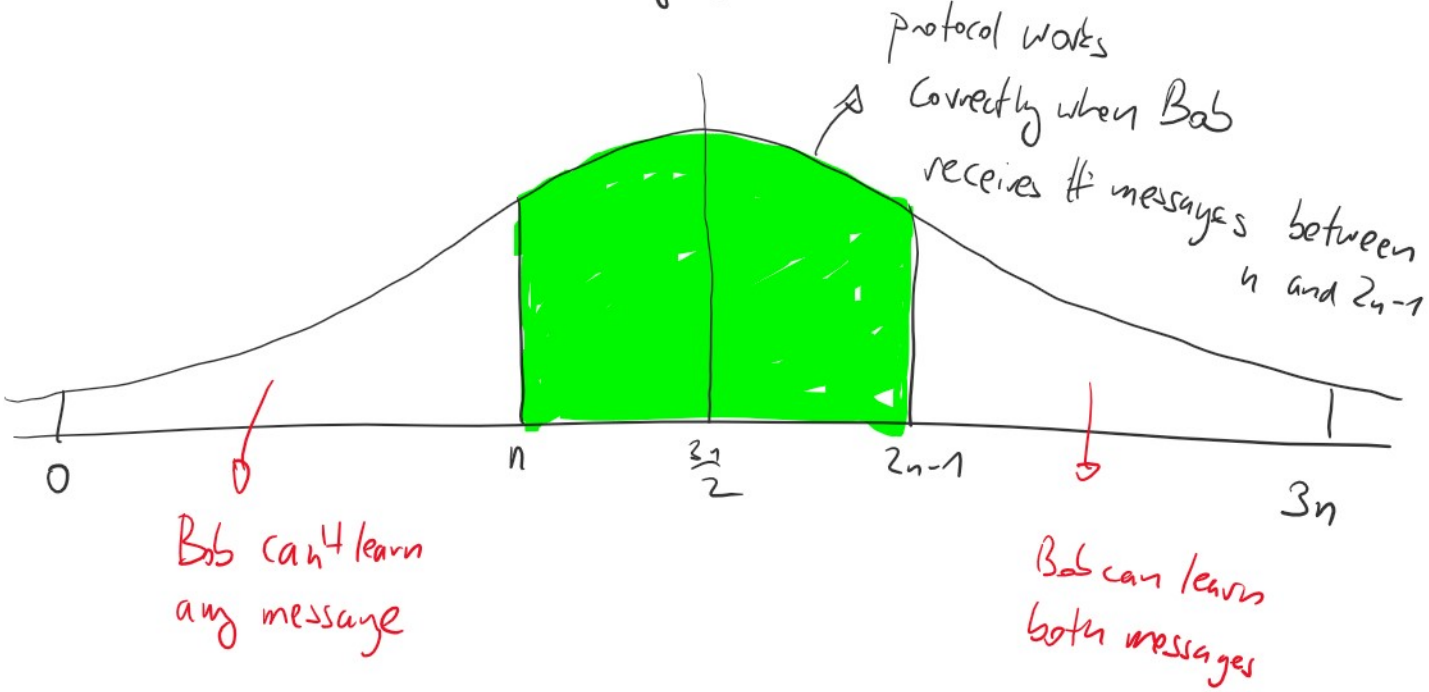
$\downarrow$

3.) Bob sends (I, J) if he wants to learn m_1

(S_1, I) if he wants to learn m_2

4.) Alice receives (S_1, S_2) and sends

$m_1 \oplus_{i \in S_1} x_i$ and $m_2 \oplus_{j \in S_2} x_j$



Pr that Bob receives $< n$ or $> 2n-1$ decreases exponentially with security parameter n (Chernoff tail inequalities)

Example of interesting use of 1-out-of-n OT

Scenario: Alice has an online shop in customers can buy vouchers which can be used to pay for services

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1.) Alice creates a message

$x =$ "Voucher for 100 Kč"

And the voucher is (x, s) where s is Alice's signature.

Problem: Vouchers can be copied!

2.) Alice creates a voucher (id is a counter)

$x_i =$ "Voucher for 100 Kč, id: i"

Voucher (x_i, s_i) s_i is a signature of x_i

Problem: id can be to it's buyer.

3.) 1-of-n OT

Alice creates a large database of vouchers $(x_1, s_1), \ldots, (x_n, s_n)$

If someone buys a voucher Alice sends it via 1-out-of-n OT

Later if the voucher is used, it is removed from the database.

PROBLEM: Alice can sell the same voucher twice.