

CS6846 – Quantum Algorithms and Cryptography

RSA Encryption



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Recap: RSA Assumption

GenRSA

Input: Security parameter 1^n

Output: N, e, d as described in the text

$(N, p, q) \leftarrow \text{GenModulus}(1^n)$

$\phi(N) := (p-1)(q-1)$

find e such that $\gcd(e, \phi(N)) = 1$

compute $d := [e^{-1} \bmod \phi(N)]$

return N, e, d

$N = p \cdot q$

Recap: RSA Assumption

Given $y \in \mathbb{Z}_N^*$, together
with (N, e) , hard to
compute x s.t.

The RSA experiment $\text{RSA-inv}_{\mathcal{A}, \text{GenRSA}}(n)$

1. Run $\text{GenRSA}(1^n)$ to obtain (N, e, d) .
2. Choose $y \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_N^*$.
3. \mathcal{A} is given N, e, y , and outputs $x \in \mathbb{Z}_N^*$.
4. The output of the experiment is defined to be 1 if $x^e = y \pmod N$, and 0 otherwise.

$x^e \equiv y \pmod N$.
CT
msg

DEFINITION 7.46 We say the RSA problem is hard relative to GenRSA if for all probabilistic, polynomial-time algorithms \mathcal{A} there exists a negligible function negl such that

$$\Pr[\text{RSA-inv}_{\mathcal{A}, \text{GenRSA}}(n) = 1] \leq \text{negl}(n).$$

RSA Assumption: Is GenRSA s.t. RSA problem
is hard relative to it.

"TextBook" RSA

Gen(1^{λ}) : Run Gen RSA (1^{λ}) \rightarrow N, e, d

Enc(PK = (N, e), m):
Msg space: \mathbb{Z}_N^*

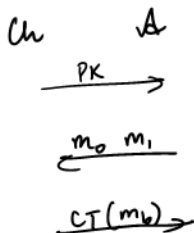
Idea: Compute $m^e \bmod N \triangleq CT$

Dec(CT, d): $CT^d \bmod N$
 $= m^{e \cdot d} = m^1 \bmod N = m$

Recap: IND-CPA Security

The CPA indistinguishability experiment $\text{PubK}_{\mathcal{A}, \Pi}^{\text{cpa}}(n)$:

1. $\text{Gen}(1^n)$ is run to obtain keys (pk, sk) .
2. Adversary \mathcal{A} is given pk as well as oracle access to $\text{Enc}_{pk}(\cdot)$. The adversary outputs a pair of messages m_0, m_1 with $|m_0| = |m_1|$. (These messages must be in the plaintext space associated with pk .)
3. A random bit $b \in \{0, 1\}$ is chosen, and then the ciphertext $c \leftarrow \text{Enc}_{pk}(m_b)$ is computed and given to \mathcal{A} . We call c the challenge ciphertext. \mathcal{A} continues to have access to $\text{Enc}_{pk}(\cdot)$.
4. \mathcal{A} outputs a bit b' .
5. The output of the experiment is defined to be 1 if $b' = b$, and 0 otherwise.



Guess b

DEFINITION 10.4 Public-key encryption scheme $\Pi = (\text{Gen}, \text{Enc}, \text{Dec})$ has indistinguishable encryptions under chosen-plaintext attacks (or is CPA secure) if for all probabilistic, polynomial-time adversaries \mathcal{A} , there exists a negligible function negl such that:

$$\Pr[\text{PubK}_{\mathcal{A}, \Pi}^{\text{cpa}}(n) = 1] \leq \frac{1}{2} + \text{negl}(n).$$

What goes wrong?

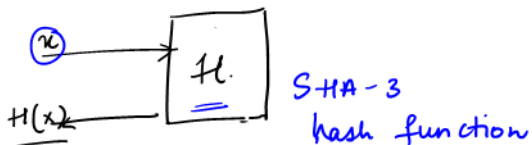
Enc is deterministic

IND-CPA cannot be satisfied.

\mathcal{A} can itself encrypt m_0 and m_1 ,
& test which is equal to CT .

Randomizing Encryption

Random Oracle.



$$H : \{0, 1\}^{l_1} \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^{l_2}$$

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RSA Encryption in ROM

$H : \{0, 1\}^{2n} \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^l$ be hash fn
(modelled as a random oracle)

Key Generation (gen) : As before

output $N, e, d.$
Public \rightarrow Private.

Enc (m, N, e) : $m \in \{0, 1\}^l.$

- Pick $r \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_N^*$

- Compute $r^e \bmod N \triangleq c_1$

- Compute $H(r) \oplus m \triangleq c_2.$

Dec:

$c_1^d \bmod N$ to

get $r.$

$H(r) \oplus c_2$

to get $m.$

Is this Secure: Intuition

H vs PRG / PRF.

$H(i/p)$.



Random

PRG $G(\text{seed})$



Random