

# Introduction to Cryptography, 2021 Fall

## Homework 5, due 4pm, 12/20/2021 (Monday)

### Part 1: Written Problems

1. Let the hash function be  $H(M)$  = the last 6 bits of sha256(M) for a message M. Then, the last 6 bits are treated as a binary number for computing signature, such as, 100011 (binary) is 35 (decimal). To hash a decimal number x, we treat it as the ASCII string. For example, x=47 is treated as the ASCII string "47" or 3437 (Hex). For each of the following methods of specified parameters, sign "Hello!" with random k=13 (if needed), compute the verification key, and verify correctness of the signature.

**Note:** You must provide reasonably detailed computation steps, not just the answers.

$$H(M) = 110111_2 = 55_{10} = m$$

- a) RSA:  $n=493=17 \times 29$ , private key = (493, 369)

$$\Phi(493) = (17-1)(29-1) = 16 \times 28 = 448$$

$$PU = (e, n) = (369^{-1} \bmod 448, 493) = (17, 493)$$

$$\text{Sign: } S = m^d \bmod n = H(W)^{369} \bmod 493 = 395$$

$$\text{Verify: } (H(W), S^e \bmod n)$$

$$395^{17} \bmod 493 = 55 = H(W), \text{ Pass.}$$

- b) ElGamal:  $q=113$ ,  $\alpha=17$ , private key = (113, 17, 37)

$$PR = (q, \alpha, X_A) = (113, 17, 37)$$

$$Y_A = \alpha^{X_A} \bmod q = 17^{37} \bmod 113 = 79$$

$$PU = (q, \alpha, Y_A) = (113, 17, 79)$$

Sign:

$$S_1 = \alpha^k \bmod q = 17^{13} \bmod 113 = 92$$

$$S_2 = k^{-1}(m - X_A S_1) \bmod (q-1) = 13^{-1}(55 - 37 \times 92) \bmod 112 = 87$$

$$\text{Verify: } (\alpha^m \bmod q, Y_A^{S_1} S_2^{S_2} \bmod q)$$

$$\alpha^m = 17^{55} = 93 = 79^{92} \times 92^{87} \bmod 113, \text{ Pass.}$$

- c) Schnorr:  $p=293$ ,  $q=73$ ,  $a=53$ , private key = (293, 73, 53, 29)

$$v = a^{-s} \bmod p = 53^{-29} \bmod 293 = 140$$

$$PU = (p, q, a, v) = (293, 73, 53, 140)$$

Sign:

$$x = a^r \bmod p = 53^{13} \bmod 293 = 39$$

$$e = H(M \parallel x) = 110001_2 = 49_{10}$$

$$y = (r + se) \bmod q = (13 + 29 \times 49) \bmod 73 = 47$$

$$\text{Verify: } (a^y v^e \bmod p, x)$$

$$a^y v^e \bmod p = 53^{47} 140^{49} \bmod 293 = 39 = x, \text{ Pass.}$$

d) DSA:  $p=293$ ,  $q=73$ ,  $g=53$ , private key =  $(293, 73, 53, 61)$

$$y = g^x \bmod p = 53^{61} \bmod 293 = 84$$

$$PU = (p, q, g, y) = (293, 73, 53, 84)$$

Sign:

$$r = (g^k \bmod p) \bmod q = (53^{13} \bmod 293) \bmod 73 = 39$$

$$s = k^{-1} (H(M) + xr) \bmod q = 13^{-1}(55 + 61 \cdot 39) \bmod 73 = 30$$

Verify:  $(r, ((g^{H(M)}y^r) (s^{-1} \bmod q) \bmod p) \bmod q)$

$$((g^{H(M)}y^r) (s^{-1} \bmod q) \bmod p) \bmod q = (53^{55}84^{39})^{56} \bmod 293 \bmod 73 = 39 = r, \text{ Pass.}$$