

NT219- Cryptography

Week 09: Hash Function and Message Authentication Codes

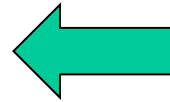
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Security goals

Goals

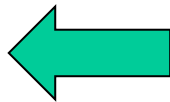
- Confidentiality
- Privacy



Cipher systems

- Symmetric (DES, AES)
- Asymmetric (RSA, ECC, CRYSTALS-KYBER)

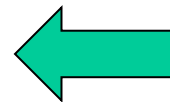
- Integrity
- Authentication
- Non-repudiation (Accountability)



Hash functions

Message authentication code (MAC)
Digital signature (digital certificate)

- Access control
- Availability



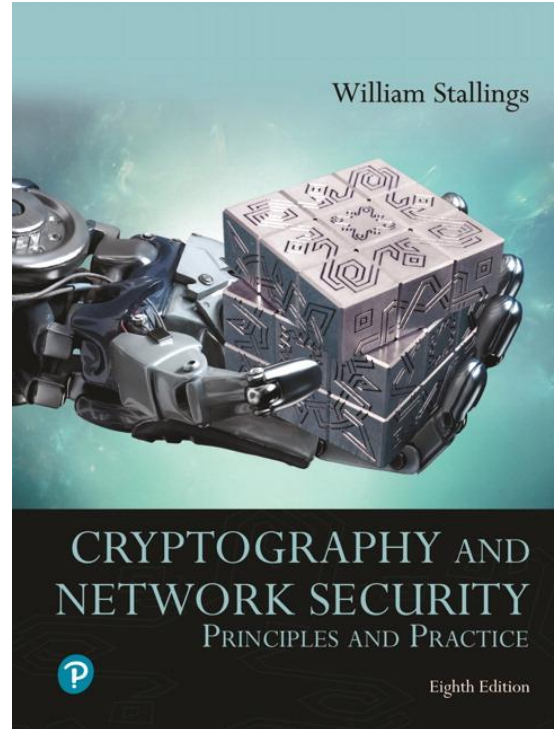
RBAC, ABAC, PBAC

Outline

- Motivations
- Hash function
 - CRC
- Cryptographic Hash function
 - SHA2, SHA3
- Message authentication code

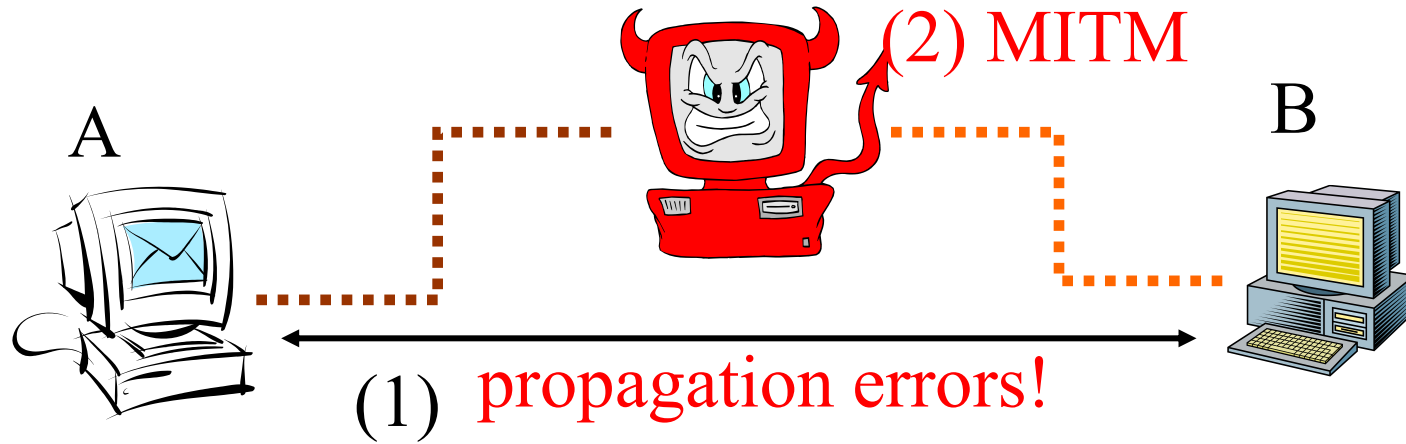
Textbooks and References

- Text books



[1] Chapter 11,12

Motivations



- Who are we communication with?
- Does the destination data original form?

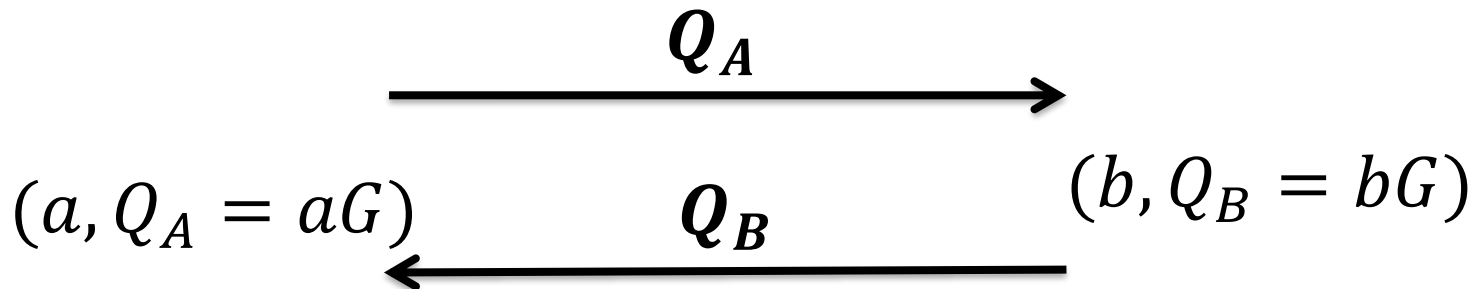
Needs:

- a way to ensure that data arrives at destination in its **original form** sent by the sender;
- it is coming from an **authenticated source** (user, server, mediate node).

Motivations



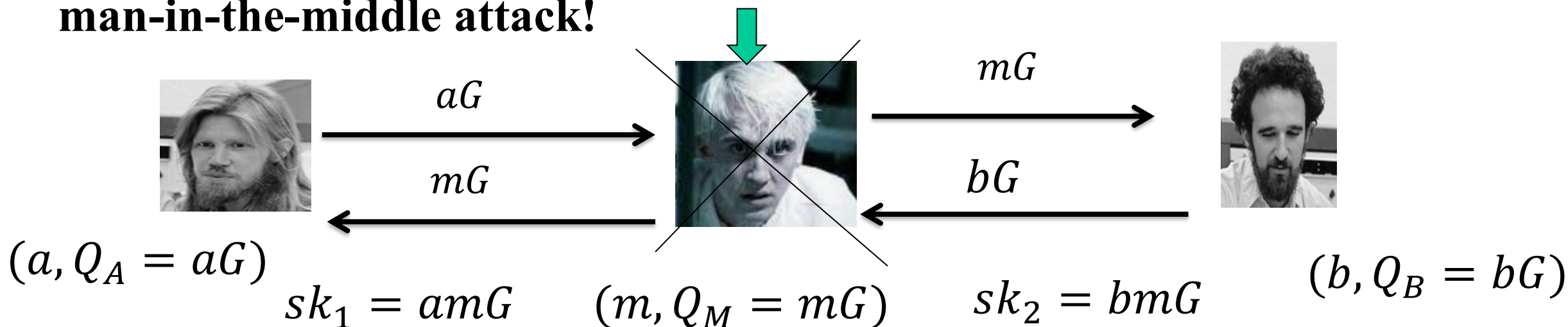
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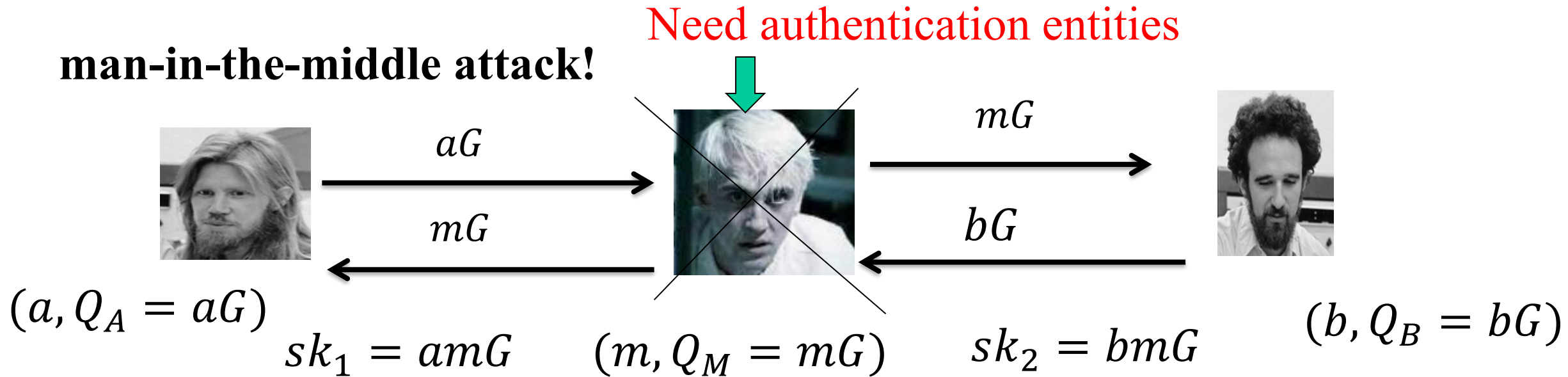
Bob

man-in-the-middle attack!

Need authentication entities



Warmup: Man-in-the-Middle (MiTM) attacks



<https://csrc.nist.gov/csrc/media/projects/cryptographic-standards-and-guidelines/documents/examples/sha256.pdf>

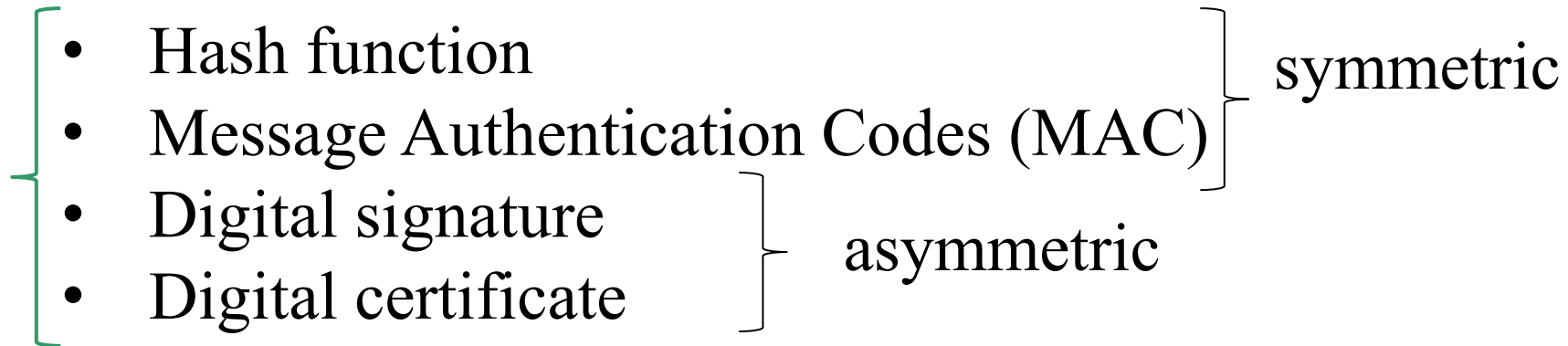
Cryptographic Ciphers

- Symmetric Cipher (DES, AES)
- Asymmetric Cipher (RSA, ECC, ElGamal)

can provide which security services?


- Confidentiality ☒
- Privacy ☒
- Integrity ☐
- Authentication ☐
- Non-repudiation ☐
- Availability ☐

Hash function and MACs



can provide

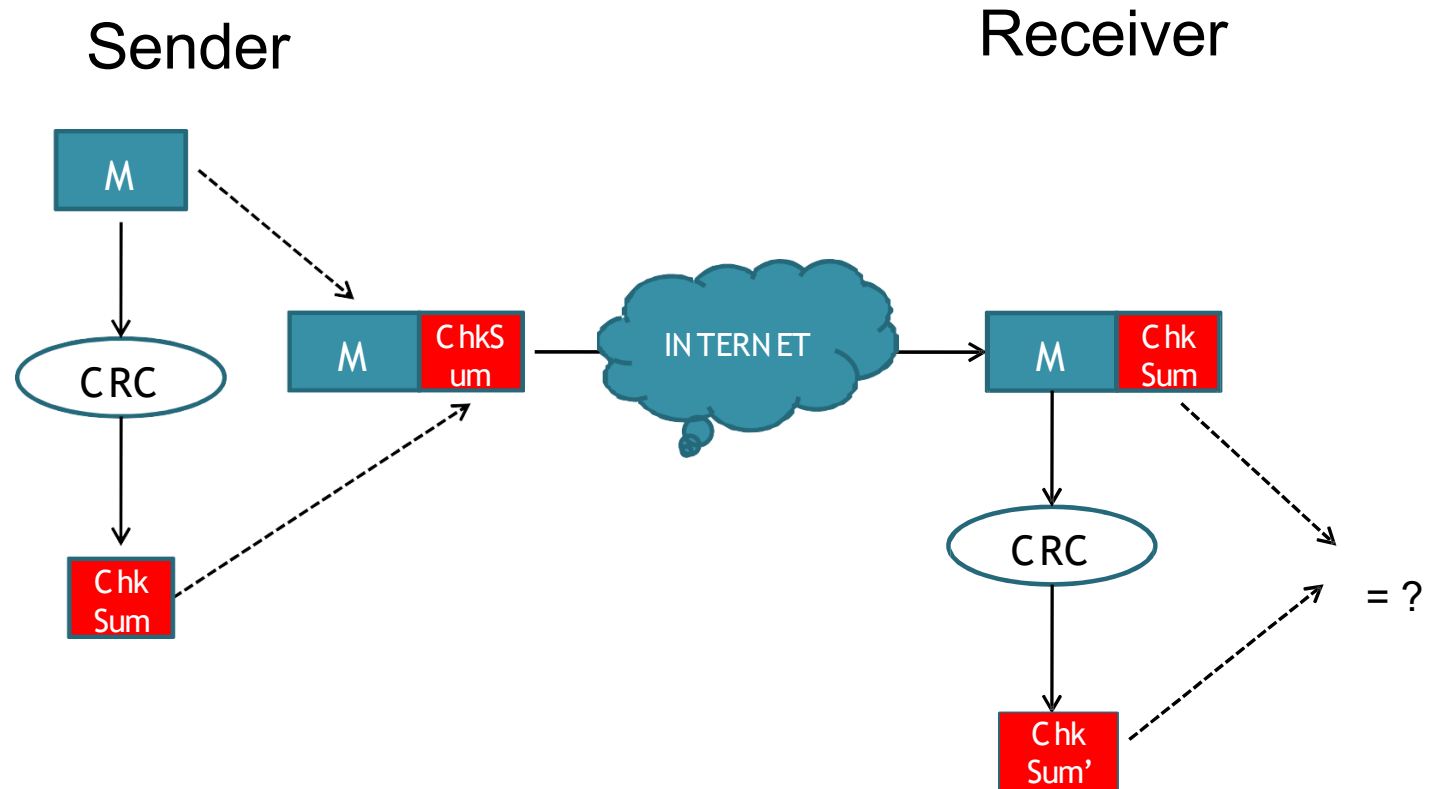


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- Integrity ✓
 - Authentication ✓
 - Availability ✓
 - Non-repudiation ✓

- Further reading (Wikipedia)
 - [Cryptographic Hash Functions](#)
 - [Message Authentication Code](#)

Hash function: An example

CRC Checksum in Networking



Message: $M = 11010011101100$

Checksum: $M(x)/x^3 + x + 1$

Hash function: An example

➤ CRC Checksum in Networking $H: \{0,1\}^* \rightarrow \{0,1\}^3$

Message: $M = 11010011101100$ (14 bits)

$M' = 11010011101100$ **000**

$$M'(x) = x^{16} + x^{15} + x^{13} + x^{10} + x^9 + x^8 + x^6 + x^5$$

Checksum: $\frac{M'(x)}{x^3+x+1}$

Quotient: $Q(x) = x^{13} + x^{12} + x^{11} + x^{10} + x^6 + x^5 + x^4 + x^3 + x^2$

Remider: $R(x) = x^2$

$$R(x) \rightarrow RCR = 100$$

Sender

(M||**CRC**)

11010011101100 **100**

Receiver

11010011101100 **100**

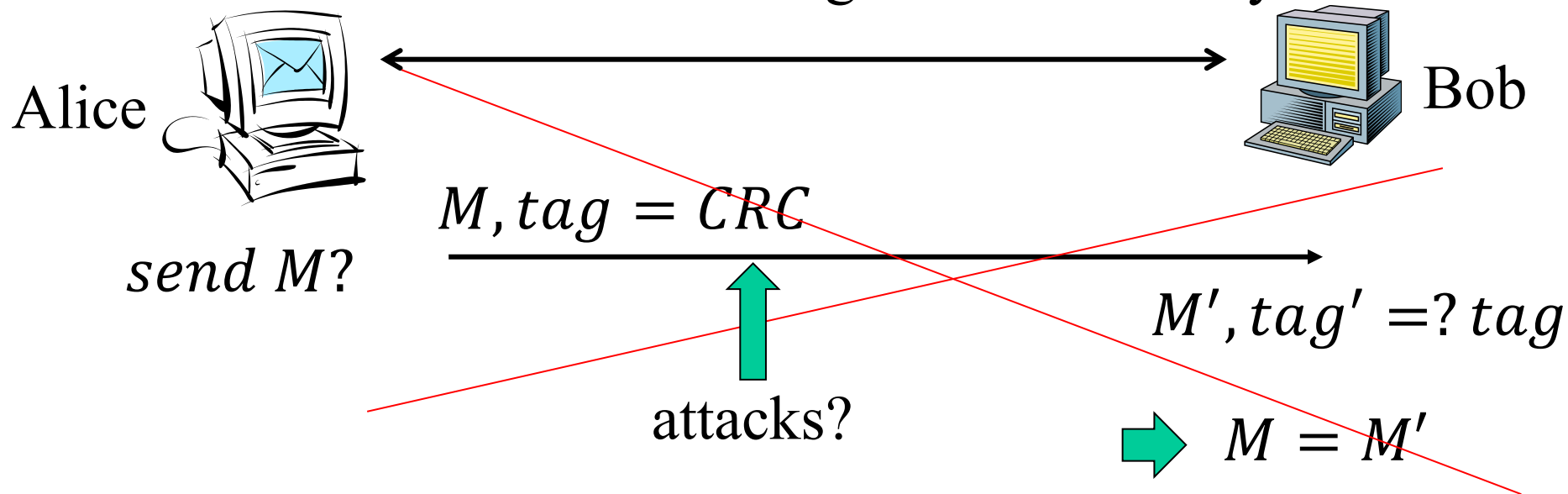
(M'||**CRC**)

Check: $\frac{M'(x)}{x^3+x+1} = \text{CRC?}$

Motivations

- How to ensure that the message is the original one?
 - Integrity?
 - How to verify that a message comes from the claimed sender?
 - Authentication?
- Message Authentication Code (MAC)

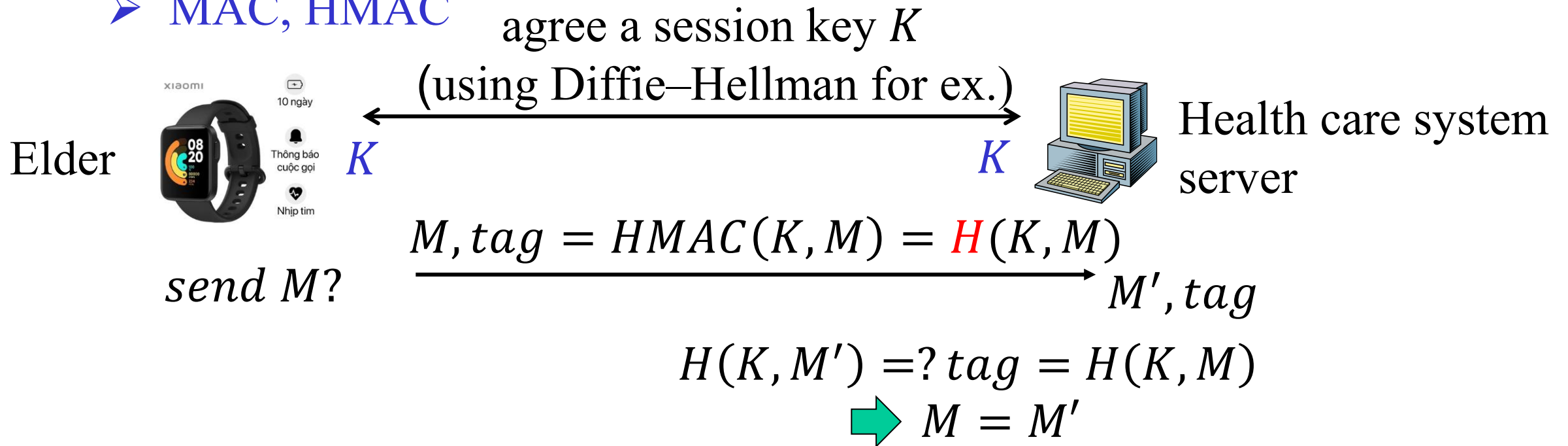
If A and B can not agree a session key K ?



Motivations

- How to ensure that the message is the original one?
 - Integrity?
- How to verify that a message comes from the claimed sender?
 - Authentication?

➤ MAC, HMAC



Hash Functions

- A hash function maps a message of an arbitrary length to a l – *bit* output

$$H: \{0,1\}^* \rightarrow \{0,1\}^l$$

- output known as the **fingerprint** or the **message digest**
- What is an example of hash functions?
 - Give a hash function that maps Strings to integers in $[0, 2^{32} - 1]$
- **Cryptographic hash functions** are hash functions with additional security requirements

Some terminology

- A short representation of M generated **without using secret** key is referred to as a *digital digest* or a *digital fingerprint*
- Digital fingerprint can be obtained using a *cryptographic hash function*, also called *one-way hash function*
- A short representation of M generated using a **secret key** is referred to as a *message authentication code (MAC)* or a *tag*
- MAC can be obtained using an *encrypted checksum algorithm*
- *Hash-based message authentication code (HMAC)* is the combination of cryptographic hash function and encrypted checksum algorithm

$$HMAC = H(K, M)$$

Given a function $h: X \rightarrow Y$, then we say that h is:

- **preimage resistant (one-way):**

if given $y \in Y$, it is **computationally infeasible** to find a value $x \in X$ s.t. $h(x) = y$

- **2-nd preimage resistant (weak collision resistant):**

if given $x \in X$, it is computationally infeasible to find a value $x' \in X$, s.t. $x' \neq x$ and $h(x') = h(x)$

- **collision resistant (strong collision resistant):**

if it is computationally infeasible to find two distinct values $x', x \in X$, s.t. $h(x') = h(x)$

Usages of Cryptographic Hash Functions

■ Software integrity

File: windows_10_enterprise_x64_dvd_9058303.iso / Ubuntu 20.04

SHA1:0629BF04AA2A61E125EE6EDDF917DB471DCB8535

UBUNTO 20 ISO

■ Timestamping

- How to prove that you have discovered a secret on an earlier date without disclosing it?

$T, h(T, S)?$

■ Covered later

- Message authentication
- One-time passwords
- Digital signature, Digital certificate

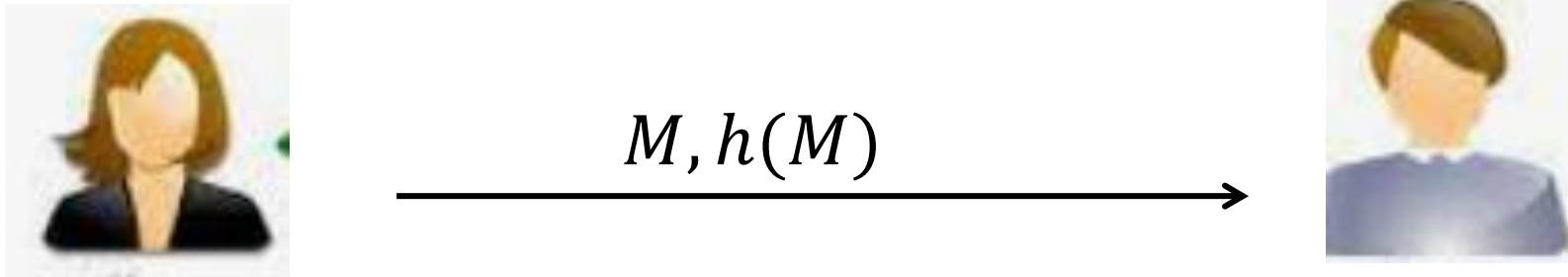
Further reading

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cryptographic_hash_function

Using Hash Functions for Message Integrity

- Is this secure scheme (M cannot be modified)?

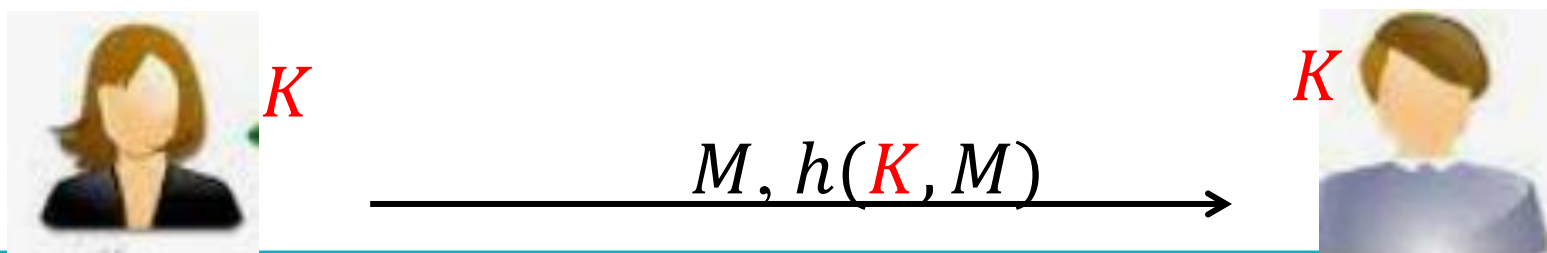
- Case 1:



- Case 2:



- Case 3:



Well Known Hash Functions

- MD5 (phased out)
 - output 128 bits
 - collision resistance completely broken
- SHA1 (phased out)
 - output 160 bits
 - collision attacks; length extension attacks
- SHA2 (SHA-224, SHA-256, SHA-384, SHA-512)
 - outputs 224, 256, 384, and 512 bits, respectively
 - collision attacks; length extension attacks
- SHA3

<https://csrc.nist.gov/publications/detail/fips/202/final>

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Secure_Hash_Algorithm

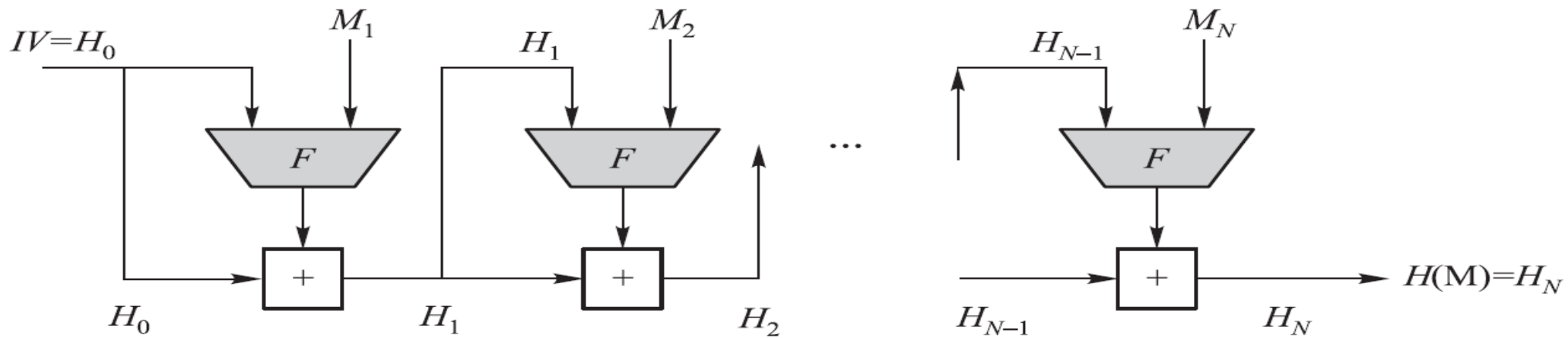
SHA-1, SHA-2, SHA-3

Algorithm and variant		Output size (bits)	Internal state size (bits)	Block size (bits)	Rounds	Operations	Security (in bits) against collision attacks	Capacity against length extension attacks
MD5 (as reference)		128	128 (4 × 32)	512	64	And, Xor, Rot, Add (mod 2 ³²), Or	≤18 (collisions found) ^[2]	0
SHA-0		160	160 (5 × 32)	512	80	And, Xor, Rot, Add (mod 2 ³²), Or	<34 (collisions found)	0
SHA-1							<63 (collisions found) ^[3]	
SHA-2	SHA-224	224	256 (8 × 32)	512	64	And, Xor, Rot, Add (mod 2 ³²), Or, Shr	112	32
	SHA-256	256					128	0
	SHA-384	384	512 (8 × 64)	1024	80	And, Xor, Rot, Add (mod 2 ⁶⁴), Or, Shr	192	128 (≤ 384)
	SHA-512	512					256	0
	SHA-512/224	224					112	288
		SHA-512/256	256			128	256	
SHA-3	SHA3-224	224	1600 (5 × 5 × 64)	1152	24 ^[4]	And, Xor, Rot, Not	112	448
	SHA3-256	256		1088			128	512
	SHA3-384	384		832			192	768
	SHA3-512	512		576			256	1024
	SHAKE128	d (arbitrary)		1344			min(d/2, 128)	256
	SHAKE256	d (arbitrary)	1088	min(d/2, 256)			512	

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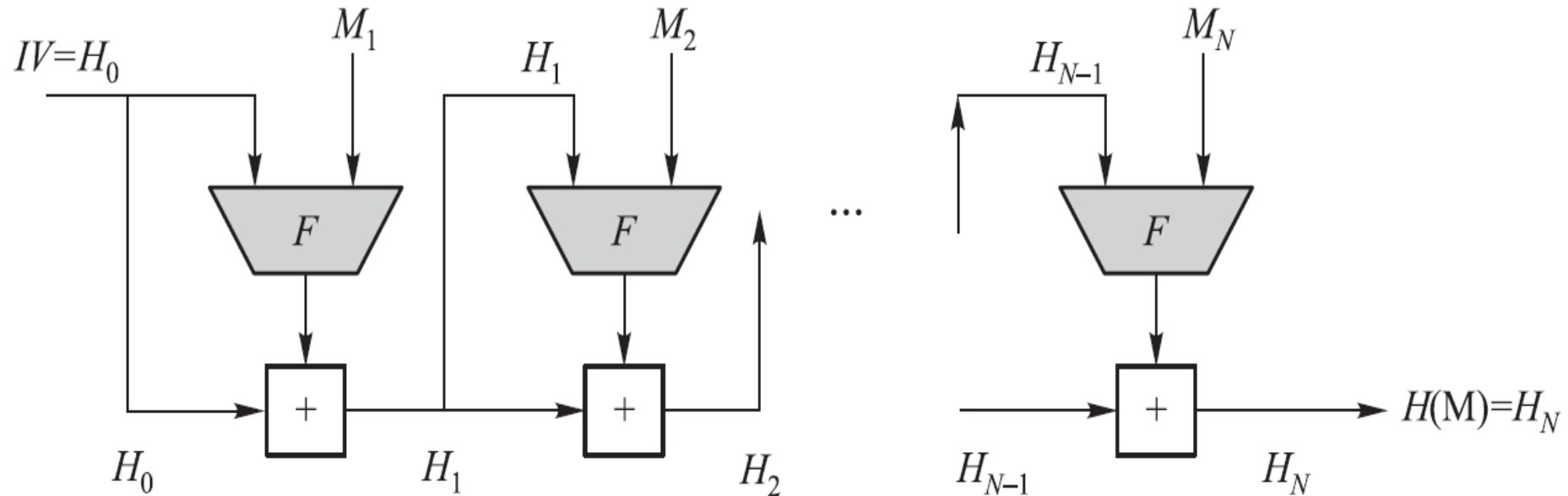
Merkle-Damgard Construction for Hash Functions

- SHA-1, SHA-2 (a series of hash functions), and WHIRLPOOL all have the same basic structure
- The heart of this basic structure is a *compression function F*
 - Different hash algorithms use different compression functions
 - Use a CBC mode of repeated applications of F without using secret keys



M is a plaintext block, IV is an initial vector, F is a compression function, and “+” is some form of modular addition operation

Merkle-Damgard Construction for Hash Functions



- The M 's digital fingerprint is $H(M) = H_N$, where

$$H_0 = IV,$$

$$H_i = H_{i-1} \oplus_{64} F(M_i, H_{i-1}), \quad \text{SHA-512}$$

$$i = 1, 2, \dots, N.$$

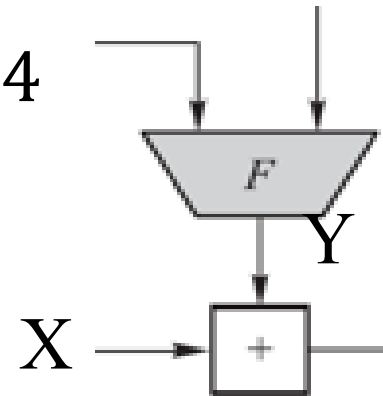
SHA-512 Algorithm

- Let $X = X_1X_2\dots X_k$, $Y = Y_1Y_2\dots Y_k$ be binary strings, where each X_i, Y_i is an l -bit binary string. Generalize the bitwise-XOR operation to an l -bitwise-XOR operation as follows:

$$X \oplus_l Y = [(X_1 + Y_1) \bmod 2^l][(X_2 + Y_2) \bmod 2^l] \cdots [(X_k + Y_k) \bmod 2^l]$$

For SHA-512: $l = 64$

- Padding?
- Initial vector $IV = H_0$?
- Function F ?

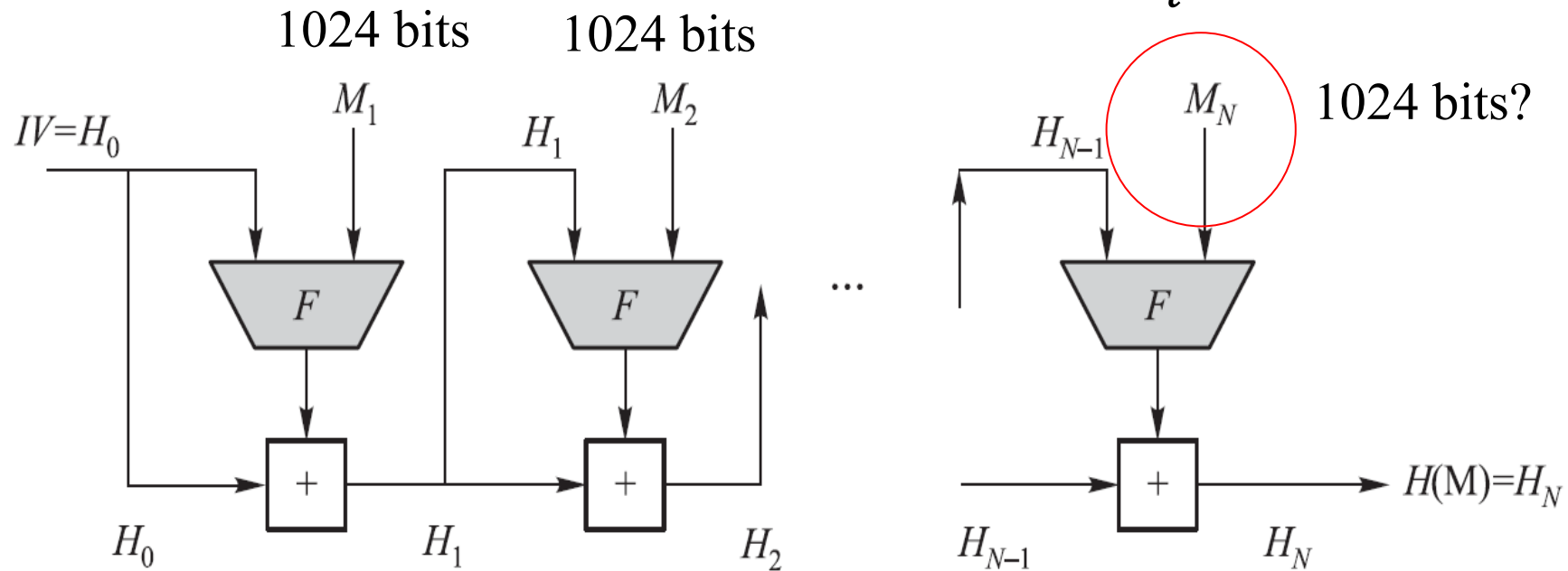


SHA-512 Initial Process (I)

Padding process

$$\mathbf{M} \longrightarrow \mathbf{M}' = M_1 M_2 \dots M_N$$

M_i : 1024-bit block



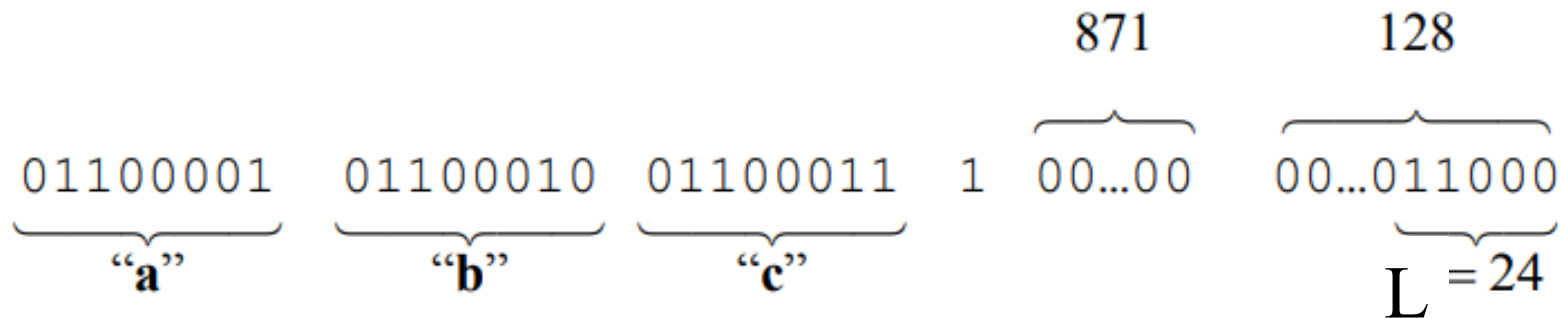
- $\text{Length}(\mathbf{M}) = L$
- $\mathbf{M}' = \mathbf{M} \parallel 1(0^\ell) \parallel \mathbf{b}_{128}(L)$, where $\ell \geq 0$

SHA-512 Initial Process (I)

Padding process

Example: $M=abc \longrightarrow M' (1024 \text{ bits})$

- $\text{Length}(M)=24$
- $M' = M \parallel 1(0^\ell) \parallel b_{128}(L)$, where $\ell = 1024 - 24 - 1 - 128 = 871$



SHA-512 Initial Process (II)

- Set $\Gamma = 2^{128} - 1$ and $\gamma = 512$
- M is a binary with $|M| = L \leq \Gamma$
- Represent L as a 128-bit binary string, denoted by $b_{128}(L)$
- Pad M to produce a new binary string M' as follows:

$$M' = M \parallel 1(0^\ell) \parallel b_{128}(L), \text{ where } \ell \geq 0$$

such that $|M'|$ (denoted by L') is divisible by 1024. We have

$$L' = L + (1 + \ell) + 128 = L + \ell + 129 = L + (1024 - 895) + \ell$$

- L can be represented as

$$L = 1024 \cdot \left\lfloor \frac{L}{1024} \right\rfloor + [L \bmod 1024]$$

- Hence, ℓ can be determined as follows:

$$\ell = \begin{cases} 895 - L \bmod 1024, & \text{if } 895 \geq L \bmod 1024, \\ 895 + (1024 - L \bmod 1024), & \text{if } 895 < L \bmod 1024. \end{cases}$$

- Thus, L' is divisible by 1024. Let $L' = 1024N$ and write as a sequence of 1024-bit blocks:

$$M' = M_1 M_2 \dots M_N$$

Padding process

$$M \longrightarrow M'$$

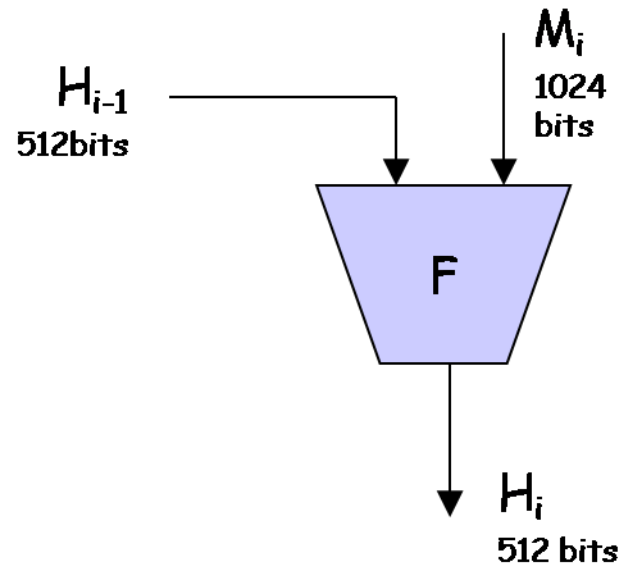
$$M' = M \parallel 1(0^\ell) \parallel b_{128}(L),$$

where $\ell \geq 0$

$$M' = M_1 M_2 \dots M_N$$

$$\text{len}(M_i) = 1024$$

SHA-512 Initial Process (II)



- SHA-512 uses a 512-bit IV
- Let $r_1, r_2, r_3, r_4, r_5, r_6, r_7,$ and r_8 be eight 64-bit registers
 - Initially they are set to, respectively, the 64-bit binary string in the prefix of the fractional component of the **square root** of the first 8 prime numbers:

$\sqrt{2}, \sqrt{3}, \sqrt{5}, \sqrt{7}, \sqrt{11}, \sqrt{13}, \sqrt{17}, \sqrt{19}$

$H_0^{(0)} = 6a09e667f3bcc908$

$H_4^{(0)} = 510e527fade682d1$

$H_1^{(0)} = bb67ae8584caa73b$

$H_5^{(0)} = 9b05688c2b3e6c1f$

$H_2^{(0)} = 3c6ef372fe94f82b$

$H_6^{(0)} = 1f83d9abfb41bd6b$

$H_3^{(0)} = a54ff53a5f1d36f1$

$H_7^{(0)} = 5be0cd19137e2179$

SHA-512 Compression Function (III)

\wedge	Bitwise AND operation.
\vee	Bitwise OR (“inclusive-OR”) operation.
\oplus	Bitwise XOR (“exclusive-OR”) operation.
\neg	Bitwise complement operation.
$+$	Addition modulo 2^w .
\ll	Left-shift operation, where $x \ll n$ is obtained by discarding the left-most n bits of the word x and then padding the result with n zeroes on the right.
\gg	Right-shift operation, where $x \gg n$ is obtained by discarding the right-most n bits of the word x and then padding the result with n zeroes on the left.

SHA-512 Compression Function (III)

Bitwise operations

Define :

logical conjunction : $X \wedge Y = (x_1 \wedge y_1)(x_2 \wedge y_2) \cdots (x_l \wedge y_l)$

logical disjunction : $X \vee Y = (x_1 \vee y_1)(x_2 \vee y_2) \cdots (x_l \vee y_l)$

logical negation : $\bar{X} = \bar{x}_1 \bar{x}_2 \cdots \bar{x}_l$

conditional predicate : $ch(X, Y, Z) = (X \wedge Y) \vee (\bar{X} \wedge Z)$

majority predicate : $maj(X, Y, Z) = (X \wedge Y) \oplus (X \wedge Z) \oplus (Y \wedge Z)$

$$\Delta_0(r) = (r \ggg 28) \oplus (r \ggg 34) \oplus (r \ggg 39)$$

$$\Delta_1(r) = (r \ggg 14) \oplus (r \ggg 18) \oplus (r \ggg 41)$$

SHA-512 Compression Function (III)

Two inputs:

- a 1024-bit plaintext block M_i
- a 512-bit string H_{i-1} , where $1 \leq i \leq N$

$$H_{i-1} = r_1 r_2 r_3 r_4 r_5 r_6 r_7 r_8$$

$$M_i = W_0 \cdot W_1 \cdots W_{15}, |W_i| = 64$$

generate $W_{16} \cdot W_{17} \cdots W_{79}$ as follows

$$W_t = [\sigma_1(W_{t-2}) + W_{t-7} + \sigma_0(W_{t-15}) + W_{t-16}] \bmod 2^{64}$$

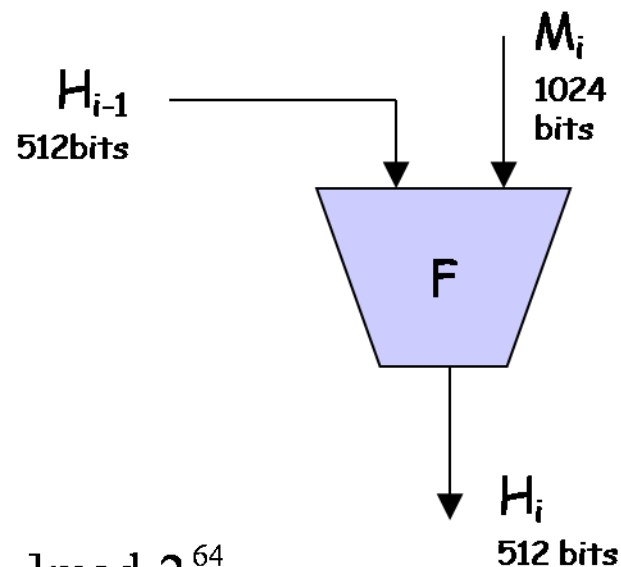
$$t = 16, \dots, 79,$$

$$\sigma_0(W) = (W \ggg 1) \oplus (W \ggg 8) \oplus (W \ll 7)$$

$$\sigma_1(W) = (W \ggg 19) \oplus (W \ggg 61) \oplus (W \ll 6)$$

$W \ggg n$: **circularly right shift** W for n times

$W \ll n$: **linearly left shift** W for n times (with the n -bit suffix of filled with 0's)



SHA-512 Compression Function (III)

$K_0^{\{512\}}, K_1^{\{512\}}, \dots, K_{79}^{\{512\}}$: first sixty-four bits of the fractional parts of the cube roots of the first eighty prime numbers

428a2f98d728ae22	7137449123ef65cd	b5c0fbcfec4d3b2f	e9b5dba58189dbbc
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SHA-512 Compression Function (III)

$$H_{i-1} = r_1 r_2 r_3 r_4 r_5 r_6 r_7 r_8, W_0, W_1, \dots, W_{79}, K_0, K_1, \dots, K_{79}$$

For each i is executed 80 rounds: $t=0,1,2,\dots,79$

$$T_1 \leftarrow [r_8 + ch(r_5, r_6, r_7) + \Delta_1(r_5) + W_t + K_t] \bmod 2^{64},$$

$$T_2 \leftarrow [\Delta_0(r_1) + maj(r_1, r_2, r_3)] \bmod 2^{64},$$

$$r_8 \leftarrow r_7,$$

$$r_7 \leftarrow r_6,$$

$$r_6 \leftarrow r_5,$$

$$r_5 \leftarrow (r_4 + T_1) \bmod 2^{64},$$

$$r_4 \leftarrow r_3,$$

$$r_3 \leftarrow r_2,$$

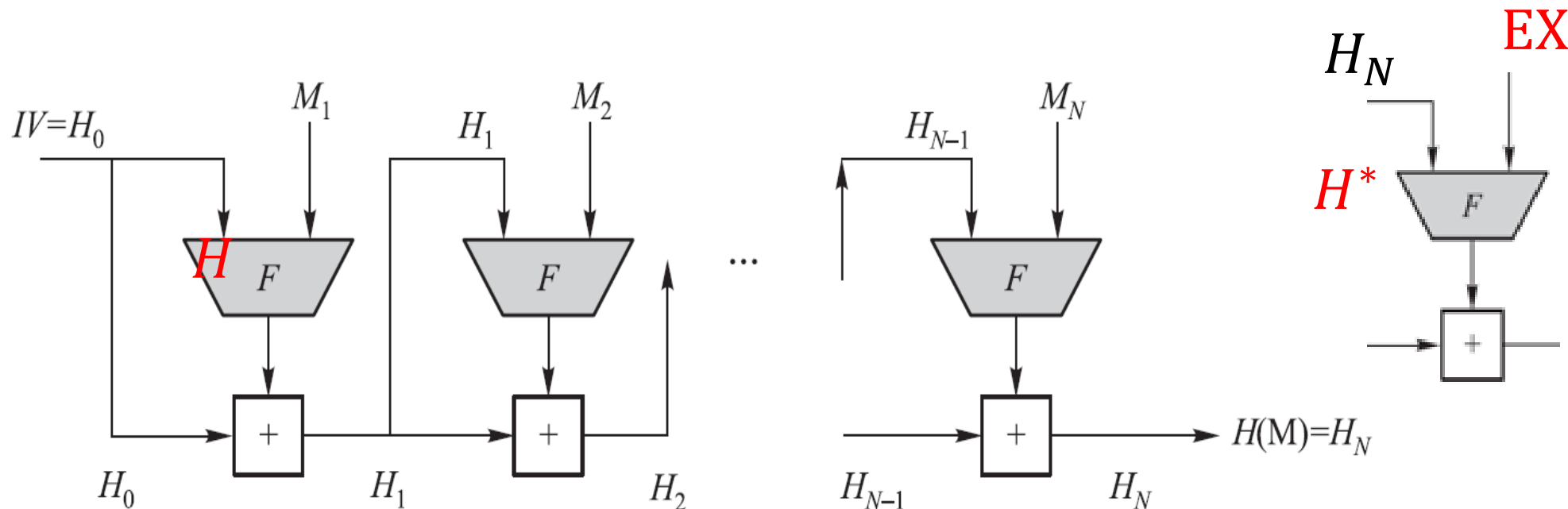
$$r_2 \leftarrow r_1,$$

$$r_1 \leftarrow (T_1 + T_2) \bmod 2^{64}.$$

After 80 rounds of executions, the output is 512-bit string

$$F(M_i, H_{i-1}) = r_1 r_2 r_3 r_4 r_5 r_6 r_7 r_8$$

Length extension attack on SHA2



$$H(K||M) = H(K||M||padded)$$

$$\rightarrow H(K||M||padded||EX) = H^*(EX)$$

can compute $H(M||padded||EX)$ without knowing the input M

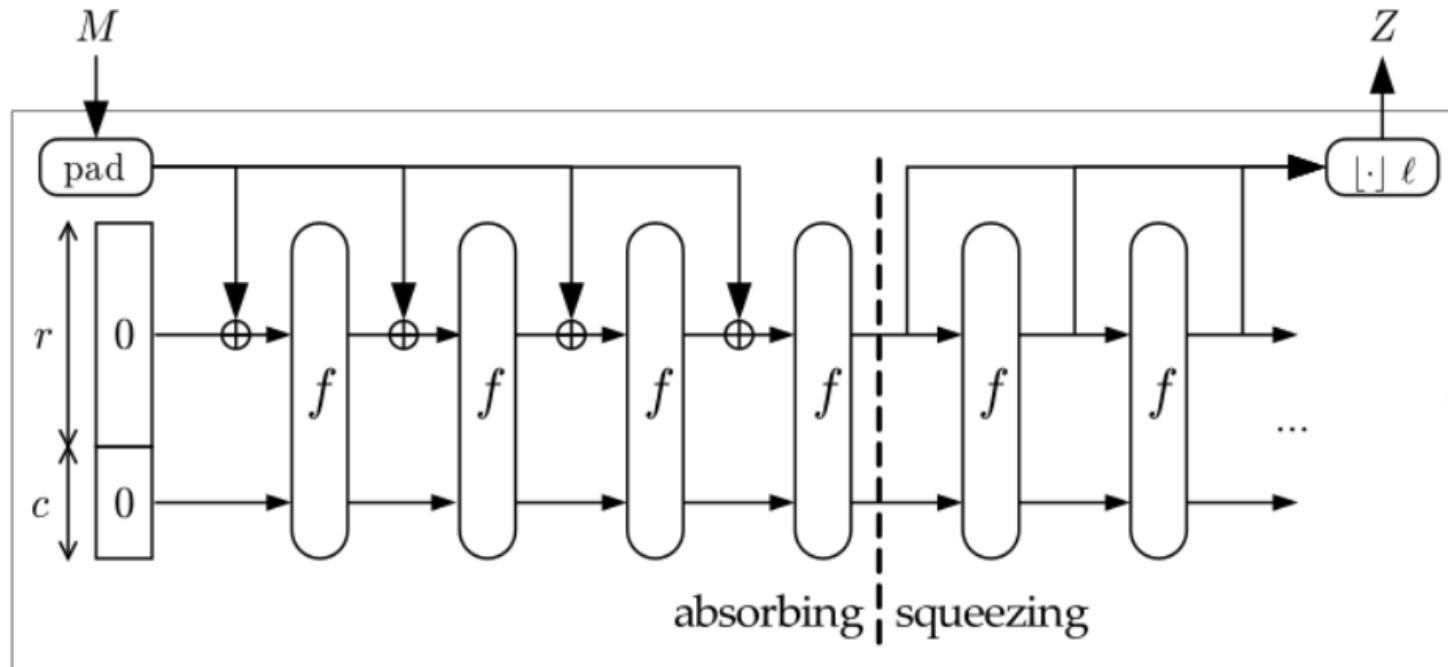
$$H(M||K) \rightarrow OK$$

SHA3 Standard

- SHA-3 provides an alternative to SHA-2, and is drop-in compatible with any system using SHA-2
- SHA-3 uses a **sponge construction**, instead of the CBC mode of repeated compressions used by SHA-1, SHA-2, and Whirlpool

<https://nvlpubs.nist.gov/nistpubs/FIPS/NIST.FIPS.202.pdf>

SHA3 Standard



Sponge construction



- Let M be the input string; γ = the hash length.
- $b = r + c$, where $c = 2\gamma$
 - ✓ r is called **rate** and c **capacity**
- Where $b = 25 \times 2^l$ with $0 \leq l \leq 6$

$$b \in \{25, 50, 100, 200, 400, 800, 1600\}$$