

Documentation of Xoodyak Software Implementations

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1. Masked Xoodyak Software Implementations

This repository contains first-order masked Xoodyak software implementations, written in C. The masked software interface follows the Call for Protected Software Implementations of Finalists in the NIST Lightweight Cryptography Standardization Process. The Values of share number (NUM_SHARES_M, NUM_SHARES_C, NUM_SHARES_AD, NUM_SHARES_NPUB, and NUM_SHARES_KEY) is defined in the file api.h.

2. Protection Methods

- (a) Name of the applied countermeasures: **ISW Scheme, t-SNI Refresh**
- (b) Primary reference: **[ISW03] [RP10] [GGR11] [CPRR14] [BBE⁺18]**

3. Results of the Preliminary Security Evaluation

- (a) Attack/leakage assessment type: Test Vector Leakage Assessment with fixed key, fixed nonce, fixed adata, fixed plaintext (ciphertext) vs. fixed key, random nonce, random adata, random plaintext (ciphertext)
- (b) Experimental setup:
 - i. Measurement platform and device-under-evaluation: ChipWhisperer, CW308 with STM32F303 UFO target
 - ii. Description of measurements:
 - Oscilloscope: Teledyne LECROY 8404M Digital
 - Oscilloscope Sampling rate: 200MS
 - Oscilloscope bandwidth: 4GHz
 - Oscilloscope resolution: 8-bit
- (c) Attack/leakage assessment characteristics
 - i. Data inputs and performed operations: plaintext/ciphertext and ad are generated by python file Xookyak_1st.ipynb. generate_shares_encrypt and generate_shares_decrypt are written in C which implemented on STM32F303 UFO target. combine_shares_encrypt and combine_shares_decrypt are written in C which implemented on STM32F303 UFO target.
 - ii. Source of random and pseudorandom inputs: STM32F303 UFO target: custom randombytes.c function using salsa20 (from supercop) whose seed gets from python file Xookyak_1st.ipynb. All random bytes are generated before the execution of encryption/decryption, and the randombytes function is not called during the execution.
 - iii. Trigger location relative to the execution start time of the algorithm: Prior and after the call to crypto_aead_encrypt_shared and crypto_aead_decrypt_shared

4. Attack Specific Data

- (a) Attack point: trigger prior and after crypto_aead_encrypt_shared, trigger prior and after crypto_aead_decrypt_shared
- (b) Attack/leakage assessment type: Test Vector Leakage Assessment with fixed key, fixed nonce, fixed adata, fixed plaintext (ciphertext) vs. fixed key, random nonce, random adata, random plaintext (ciphertext)

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