

Let us consider confidentiality, integrity and availability

Design of a cryptography protocol

The hypothesis on the system

- What is the network model? bandwidth, latency, reliability, message ordering, synchronous vs asynchronous
- What trusted setup is assumed?
 pre-shared keys, key generation
- How powerful are the parties vs. attacker?
 computing power, source of randomness
- Which adversary model is considered? outsider vs insider, passive vs active, man-in-the-middle, man-at-the-end, corruption
- What kinds of failures are tolerated?
 crash faults, byzantine faults
- What exact security properties are being claimed? confidentiality, integrity, authentication, non-repudiation, forward secrecy