# Crypto

Week 2

#### Thanks!

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## ToC

- Asymmetric cryptography
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  - o Discrete Log
  - O Elliptic Curve
- Digital Signature
- Lattices

# Asymmetric cryptography (cont.)

#### How to build Public-Key Algorithms

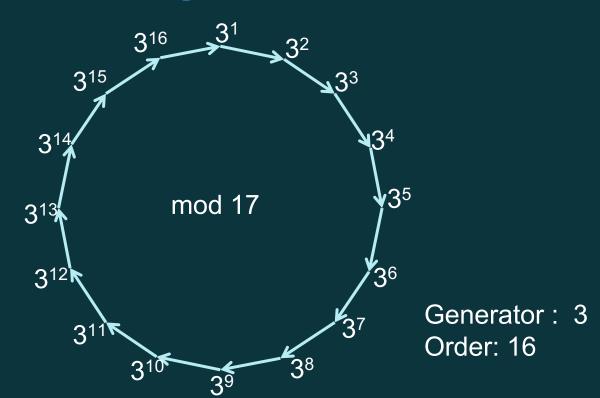
- Asymmetric schemes are based on a "one-way function" f:
  - $\circ$  Computing y = f(x) is computationally easy
  - $\circ$  Computing  $x = f^{-1}(y)$  is computationally infeasible
- One-way functions are based on mathematically hard problems. Three main families:
  - Factoring Integers (RSA): Given a composite integer n, find its prime factors (Multiply two primes: easy)
  - Discrete Logarithm (Diffie-Hellman, Elgamal, DSA): Given a, y and m, find x such that a\* = y mod m (Exponentiation a\* : easy)
  - o Elliptic Curves (ECDH, ECDSA): Generalization of discrete logarithm

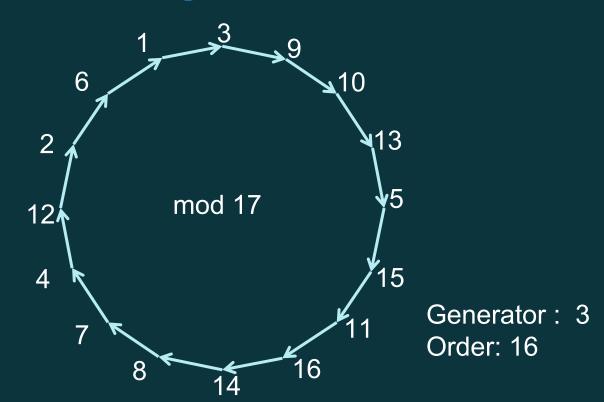
# Discrete Logarithm

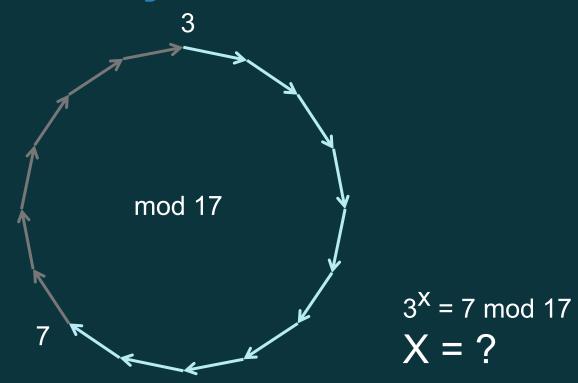
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- Attacks against DLP

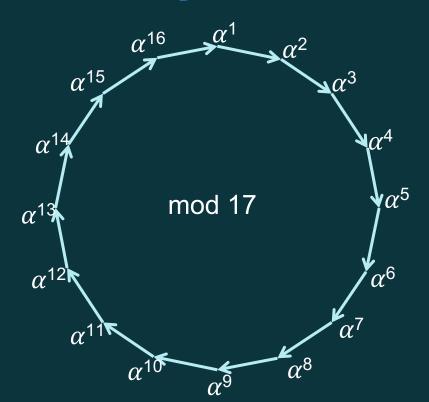
- ullet Given a finite cyclic group  ${\mathbb Z}_{
  m p}^*$  of order p 1 and a primitive element lpha  $\in$   ${\mathbb Z}_{
  m p}^*$  and another element eta  $\in$   ${\mathbb Z}_{
  m p}^*$
- The DLP is the problem of determining the integer  $1 \le x \le p-1$  such that

$$\alpha^{\times} = \beta \pmod{p}$$









Generator : lpha

Order: 16

#### Diffie-Hellman Key Exchange

- Set-up
  - O Choose a large prime p
  - Choose an integer  $\alpha \in \{2, 3, ..., p-2\}$
  - $\circ$  Publish p and lpha

#### Diffie-Hellman Key Exchange

Choose random private key  $K_{prA} = a \in \{1, 2, ..., p-1\}$ 

Choose random private key 
$$K_{prB} = b \in \{1, 2, ..., p-1\}$$

Compute  $A = \alpha^a \pmod{p}$ 

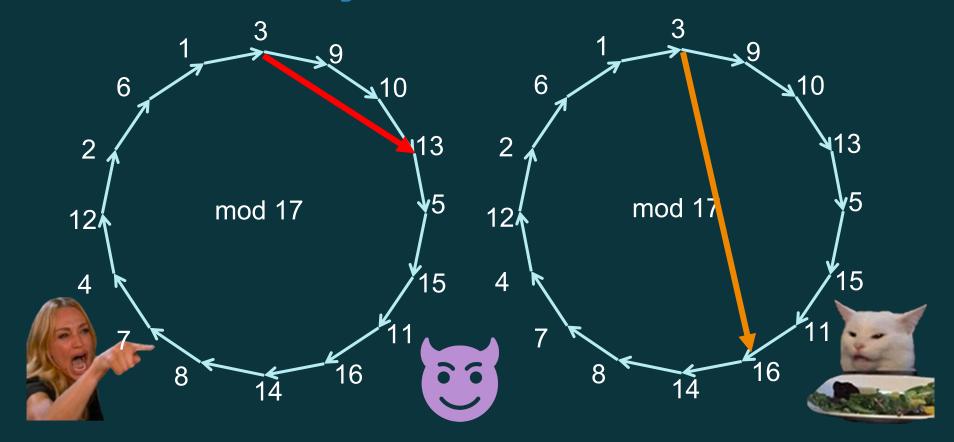
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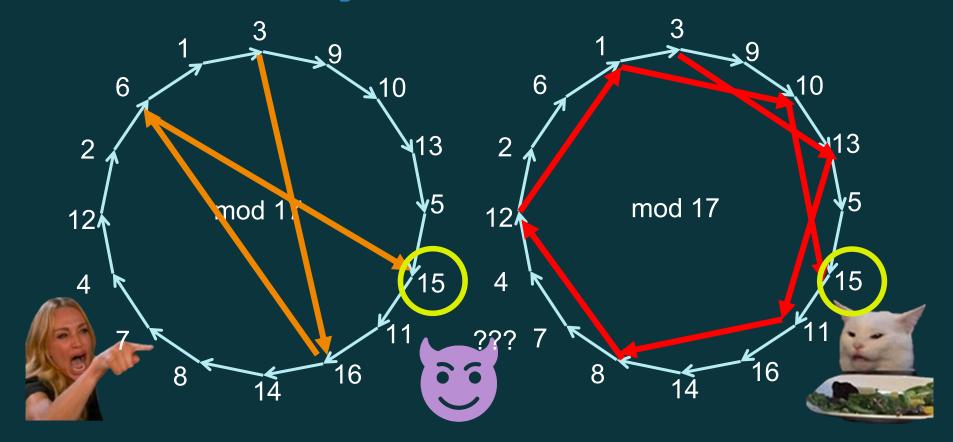
Compute  $B = \alpha^b \pmod{p}$ 

Caluculate common secret  $K = B^a = (\alpha^b)^a \pmod{p}$ 

Caluculate common secret 
$$K = A^b = (\alpha^a)^b \pmod{p}$$

$$y = AES_K(x)$$
  $\longrightarrow$   $x = AES^{-1}_K(y)$ 





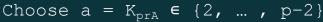
#### The ElGamal Encryption Scheme



 $(p, \alpha, B)$ 

Choose b =  $K_{prB} \in \{2, ..., p-2\}$ 

Compute B =  $K_{\text{pubB}} = \alpha^{\text{b}} \pmod{p}$ 



Compute the ephemeral key  $A = K_E = K_{\text{pub}A} = \alpha^{\text{a}} \pmod{p}$ 

Compute the masking key  $K_M = B^a$  (mod p)

Encrypt the message x  $y = x \times K_M \pmod{p}$ 

(A, y)



Compute the masking key  $K_M = K_E^b$  (mod p)

Decrypt the message  $x = y \times K_{M}^{-1} \pmod{p}$ 

#### The ElGamal Encryption Scheme

- Encryption:  $x * K_M = y \pmod{p}$
- Decryption:  $x = y \times K_M^{-1} \pmod{p}$
- K<sub>M</sub>: Same as Diffie-Hellman Key Exchange

#### Security

 Summary of records for computing discrete logarithms

Digits	Bit length	Date
58	193	1991
68	216	1996
85	282	1998
100	332	1999
120	399	2001
135	448	2006
160	532	2007
180	596	2014
232	768	2016
240	795	2019

#### Generalized DLP

- Generalized DLP
  - Let (G, ∘) be an abelian group
  - Given q,  $h \in G$ , find x (if it exists) such that  $q^x = h$
- The difficulty of this problem depends on the group G
  - o Very easy: polynomial time algorithm
    - $\blacksquare$  e.g.  $(\mathbb{Z}_{N}$  , +)
  - O Rather hard: sub-exponential time algorithm
    - $\blacksquare$  e.g.  $(\mathbb{F}_{p}, \times)$
  - Very hard: exponential time algorithm
    - e.g. Elliptic Curve groups

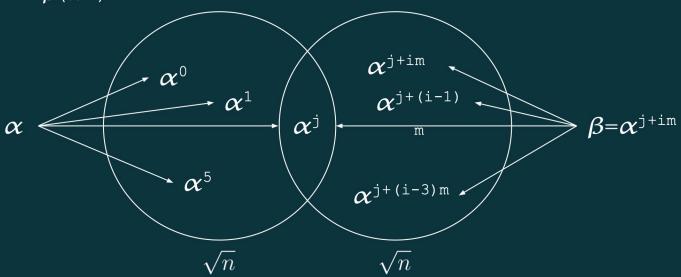
#### Attacks against the DLP

- Generic algorithms: Work in any cyclic group
  - O Brute-Force Search
  - o Baby-Step-Giant-Step
  - o Pollard's Rho Method
  - o Pohlig-Hellman Method

- ullet Non-generic Algorithms: Work only in specific groups, in particular in  ${\mathbb Z}_{\scriptscriptstyle {
  m D}}^{\star}$ 
  - O The Index Calculus Method

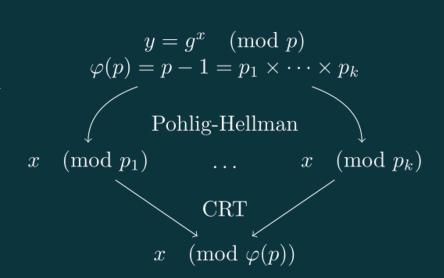
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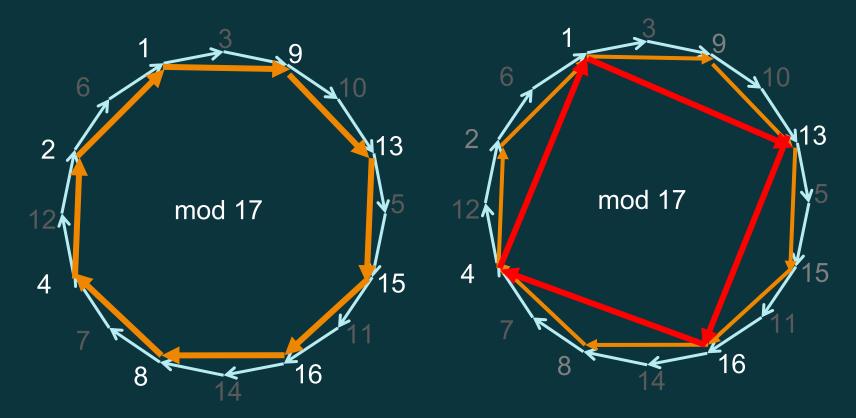
- ullet We want to solve  $oldsymbol{lpha}^{\mathrm{x}}$  =  $oldsymbol{eta}$
- ullet Rewrite x = im + j, where m =  $\lceil \sqrt{n} \rceil$ 
  - $0 \le i < m, 0 \le j < m$
  - $\circ \quad \alpha^{j} = \beta (\alpha^{-m})^{i}$



- If  $p-1 = p_1p_2...p_k$ o  $(g^{(p-1)/p_i})^{p_i} = 1$ o  $g_i = g^{(p-1)/p_i}$  has order  $p_i$ o  $(g_i)^x = (g_i)^{(x \text{ mod } p_i)} = y^{(p-1)/p_i} = h_i$
- Find  $x_i$  such that  $(g_i)^x = h_i$ • e.x. BSGS •  $x_i = x \pmod{p_i}$
- Use CRT to recover x

• Runtime:  $O(\sum_i (logn + \sqrt{p_i}))$ 





- $3^{x} = y \pmod{17}$
- $(3^x)^2 = (3^2)^x = 9^x = y^2 \pmod{17}$

- Order 16 -> Order 8
- However, if  $x \ge 8$ , using  $9^x = y^2$ , we can only recover x % 8

**Input**: A cyclic group G of order  $n = p_1...p_r$ , having a generator g and an element h.

**Output**: A value x satisfying  $g^x = h$ 

- 1. For all i where  $1 \le i \le r$ :
  - 1. Compute  $q_i = q^{n/p_i}$
  - 2. Compute  $h_i = h^{n/p_i}$
  - 3. Use BSGS to compute  $x_i$  such that  $g_i^{x_i} = h_i$
- 2. Solve the CRT

$$x \equiv x_i \pmod{p_i} \quad \forall i \in \{1, \dots, r\}.$$

1. Return x

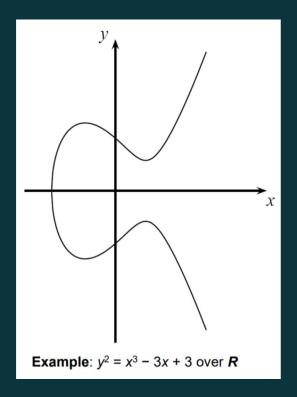
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 Elliptic curves are polynomials that define points based on the (simplified) Weierstraß equation:

$$y^2 = x^3 + ax + b$$

for parameters a, b that specify the exact shape of the curve

• On the real numbers and with parameters a, b  $\in \mathbb{R}$ , an elliptic curve looks like this

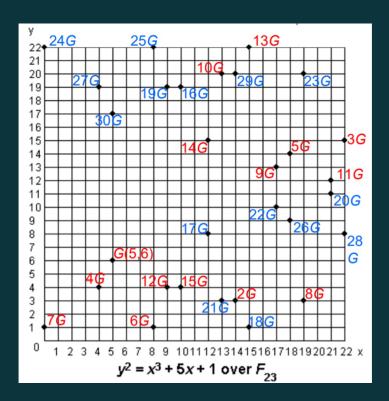


- In cryptography, we are interested in elliptic curves modulo a prime p
- The elliptic curve over  $\mathbb{Z}_p$ , p > 3 is the set of all pairs  $(x,y) \in \mathbb{Z}_p$  which fulfill

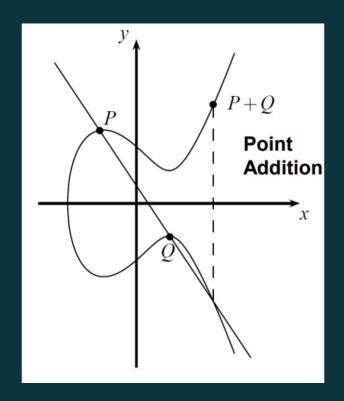
$$y^2 = x^3 + ax + b \pmod{p}$$

together with an imaginary point at infinity  $\theta$ , where

$$4a^3 + 27b^2 \neq 0 \pmod{p}$$

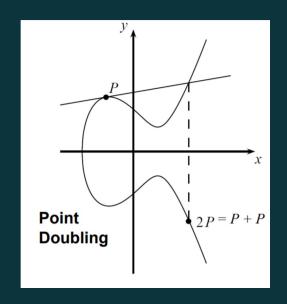


- Generating a group of points on elliptic curves based on point addition operation P + Q = R, i.e., (x<sub>P</sub>, y<sub>P</sub>) + (x<sub>O</sub>, y<sub>O</sub>) = (x<sub>R</sub>, y<sub>R</sub>)
- Geometric Interpretation of point addition operation
  - o Draw straight line through P and Q; if P = Q use tangent line instead
  - Mirror third intersection point of drawn line with the elliptic curve along the x-axis



ullet Elliptic Curve Point Addition and Doubling Formulas

$$s = \begin{cases} \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} \mod p \text{ (addition)} \\ \frac{3x_1^2 + a}{2y_1} \mod p \text{ (doubling)} \end{cases}$$
$$x_3 = s^2 - x_1 - x_2$$
$$y_3 = s(x_1 - x_3) - y_1$$



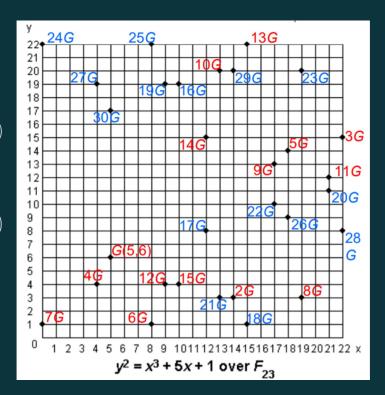
• Example: Compute  $2G = G + G = (5, 6) + (5, 6) = (x_3, y_3)$ 

$$s = \frac{3x_1^2 + a}{2y_1} = (3 \cdot 5^2 + 5)(2 \cdot 6)^{-1} = 1 \cdot 2 = 22 \pmod{23}$$

$$x_3 = s^2 - x_1 - x_2 = 22^2 - 5 - 5 = 14 \pmod{23}$$

$$y_3 = s(x_1 - x_3) - y_1 = 22(5 - 14) - 6 = 3 \pmod{23}$$

- The points on an elliptic curve and the point at infinity θ form cyclic groups
- This elliptic curve has order
  #E = |E| = 31



#### Number of Points on an Elliptic Curve

- Hasse's Theorem:
  - Given an elliptic curve modulo p, the number of points on the curve is denoted by #E and is bounded by

$$p+1-2\sqrt{p} \le \#E \le p+1+2\sqrt{p}$$

- ullet The number of points is "close to" the prime p
  - $\circ$  To generate a curve with about  $2^{160}$  points, a prime with a length of about 160 bits is required

#### **ECDLP**

- Cryptosystems rely on the hardness of the Elliptic Curve Discrete Logarithm Problem (ECDLP)
  - O Given an element P and another element Q on an elliptic curve E. The ECDLP problem is finding the integer d, where  $1 \le d \le \#E$  such that

$$P + P + ... + P = dP = Q$$

- Cryptosystems are based on the idea that d is large and kept secret, and attackers cannot compute it easily
- If d is known, an efficient method to compute the point multiplication dP is required to create a reasonable cryptosystem

#### Double-and-Add Algorithm

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• Example 25P = (11001_2)P

o \theta + \theta = \theta #DOUBLE

o \theta + P = P #ADD

o P + P = 2P

o 2P + P = 3P

o 3P + 3P = 6P

o #NO ADD

o 6P + 6P = 12P

o #NO ADD
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o 24P + P = 25P

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def Double_and_Add(d, P):
    bits = bin(d)[2:]
    Q = 0
    for bit in bits:
        Q = Q + Q
        if bit == "1":
        Q = Q + P
    return Q
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#### Elliptic Curve Diffie-Hellman Key Exchange

#### ECDH

Given a prime p, a suitable elliptic curve E and a point  $P = (x_p, y_p)$ 

Α

Choose random private key 
$$K_{prA} = a \in \{1, 2, ..., \#E-1\}$$

Choose random private key  $K_{prB} = b \in \{1, 2, ..., \#E-1\}$ 

Compute

$$A = aP = (x_A, y_A)$$

В

Compute 
$$B = bP = (x_B, y_B)$$

Caluculate common secret

$$K = aB = a(bP)$$

Caluculate common secret K = bA = b(aP)

#### Parameter Choice

- E has smooth order
  - o Pohlig-Hellman
- E has order equal to p (anomalous curve)
  - $\circ$  Transform the DLP to  $(\mathbb{F}_{p}, +)$
  - o Smart's Attack
- E is singular
  - $\circ$  Node: Transform the DLP to  $(\mathbb{F}_p,\;\;\mathsf{x})$
  - $\circ$  Cusp: Transform the DLP to  $(\mathbb{F}_{p}, +)$

# Pohlig-Hellman (on ECC)

**Input**: Elliptic Curve *E* of order  $n = p_1...p_r$ , having a generator *G* and an element *P*.

Output: A value d satisfying dG = P

- 1. For all i where  $1 \le i \le r$ :
  - 1. Compute  $G_i = (n/p_i)G$
  - 2. Compute  $P_i = (n/p_i)P$
  - 3. Use BSGS to compute  $d_i$  such that  $d_iG_i = P_i$
- 2. Solve the CRT

$$d \equiv d_i \pmod{p_i} \quad \forall i \in \{1, \dots, r\}.$$

1. Return d

## Singular Curve

- A curve is singular if  $4a^3 + 27b^2 = 0$  (mod p)
  - ECDLP becomes much easier if curve is singular
- There are two types of singular point
  - o Node:  $y^2 = (x \alpha)^2 (x \beta)$
  - o Cusp:  $y^2 = x^3$

#### Node

•  $y^2 = (x - \alpha)^2 (x - \beta)$ • Define  $\varphi(P(x, y)) = \frac{y + \sqrt{\alpha - \beta}(x - \alpha)}{y - \sqrt{\alpha - \beta}(x - \alpha)}$ • If we have homomorphism  $\varphi(P + Q) = \varphi(P) \times \varphi(Q)$ •  $\varphi(dP) = \varphi(P)^d$ • Reduce to DLP on  $(\mathbb{F}_p, \times)$ 

## Cusp

- Define  $\varphi(P(x, y)) = x/y$
- If we have homomorphism  $\varphi(P + Q) = \varphi(P) + \varphi(Q)$ 
  - $\circ \varphi(dP) = d\varphi(P)$
  - $\circ$  Reduce to DLP on  $(\mathbb{F}_{p}, +)$
  - o  $Q = dP \Rightarrow d = \phi(Q)\phi(P)^{-1}$

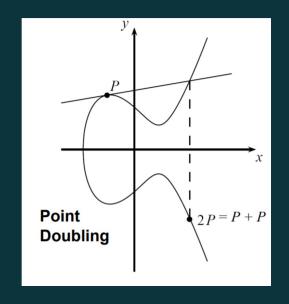
#### Invalid Curve Attack

- Lack of checking whether the Point is actually on the Curve
- Giving a Point outside the Curve with shorter Order (or maybe "smoother" order) will make the ECDLP problem easier.

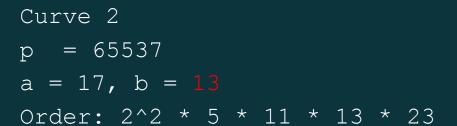
#### Recall that.....

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Order of my curve is not smooth.
It is really safe.



Her curve may be safe.

But it is no use if the point is

not on her curve.





#### Some resources

- Standard curve database: https://neuromancer.sk/std/
- https://wstein.org/edu/2010/414/projects/novotney.pdf

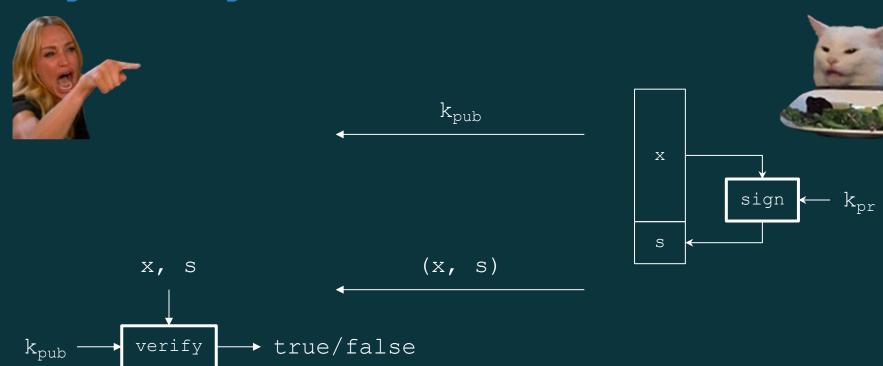
# Lab: dlog

# Digital Signature

#### Motivation

- Bob orders an Iphone15 from Alice
- After seeing the Iphone15, Bob states that he has never ordered it
- How can Alice prove towards a judge that Bob has ordered an Iphone15? (And that she did not fabricate the order herself)
  - Symmetric cryptography fails because both Alice and Bob can be malicious
  - o Can be achieved with public-key cryptography

# Digital Siganture



#### Main Idea

- For a given message x, a digital signature is appended to the message (just like a conventional signature)
- Only the person with the private key should be able to generate the signature
- The signature must change for every document
  - The signature is realized as a function with the message x and the private key as input
  - The public key and the message x are the inputs to the verification function

# Objectives

- Integrity
  - Ensures that a message has not been modified in transit.
- Message Authentication
  - Ensures that the sender of a message is authentic. An alternative term is data origin authentication.
- Non-repudiation
  - Ensures that the sender of a message can not deny the creation of the message. (e.x. order of a GPU)

# RSA Signature

- ullet To generate the signature
  - O Sign (encrypt) the message x with the private key

$$s = sig_{Kpr}(x) = x^d \mod n$$

- O Append s to message x
- To verify the signature
  - O Verify (decrypt) the signature with the public key

$$x' = ver_{Kpub}(s) = s^e mod n$$

 $\circ$  If x = x', the signature is valid

# RSA Signature Protocol





$$k_{pub} = (n, e)$$
  
 $k_{pr} = d$ 

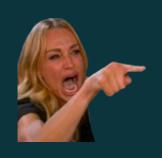


$$(x, s) \qquad s = x^d \mod n$$

$$s = x^d \mod n$$

 $x' = s^e \mod n$ 

# Existential Forgery



(n, e)

(x, s)



Choose signature  $s \in \mathbb{Z}_n$ Compute message  $x = s^e \mod n$ 

 $k_{\text{pub}} = (n, e)$  (n, e)  $k_{\text{pr}} = d$ 



Verification:

$$x' = s^e = x \mod n$$

 $\rightarrow$  Signature is valid

# Existential Forgery

- An attacker can generate valid message-signature pairs (x, s)
- But an attack can only choose the signature s and NOT the message x
- Formatting the message x according to a padding scheme can be used to make sure that an attacker cannot generate valid (x, s) pairs

# Digital Signature Algorithm (DSA)

- Key generation of DSA:
  - $\circ$  Generate a prime p with  $2^{1023}$  2^{1024}
  - $\circ$  Find a prime divisor q of p 1 with  $2^{159} < q < 2^{160}$
  - $\circ$  Find an integer  $\alpha$  with ord( $\alpha$ ) = q
    - $\square$   $\alpha = q^{(p-1)/q} \neq 1 \mod p$
  - Choose a random integer d with 0 < d < q
  - $\circ$  Compute  $\beta = \alpha^d \mod p$
- The keys are:  $k_{pub} = (p, q, \alpha, \beta)$  and  $k_{pr} = (d)$

# Digital Signature Algorithm (DSA)

- Signature (message: H < q)
  - $\circ$  Choose an integer  $k_E$  as a random ephemeral key with  $0 < k_E < q$
  - Compute  $r = (\alpha^{k_E} \mod p) \mod q$
  - Compute  $s = k_E^{-1}(H + d \times r) \mod q$ 
    - In practice, H is hash of the message
- Verification
  - Compute auxiliary value  $u_1 = s^{-1} \times H \mod q$
  - Compute auxiliary value  $u_2 = s^{-1} \times r \mod q$
  - Compute  $v = (\alpha^{u_1} \times \beta^{u_2} \mod p) \mod q$ 
    - $\blacksquare$  if  $v = r \rightarrow siganature$  is valid
    - $\blacksquare$  if  $v \neq r \rightarrow signature is invalid$

#### Correctness

$$s = (H + d \times r) k_{E}^{-1} \mod q$$

$$\Leftrightarrow k_{E} = s^{-1} \times H + d(s^{-1} \times r) \mod q$$

$$\Leftrightarrow k_{E} = u_{1} + du_{2} \mod q$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \alpha^{k_{E}} \mod p = \alpha^{u_{1} + du_{2}} \mod p$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (\alpha^{k_{E}} \mod p) \mod q = (\alpha^{u_{1}} \times \beta^{u_{2}} \mod p) \mod q$$

$$\Leftrightarrow r = v$$

# Security

 DSA can achieve same security level as RSA scheme with less siganture length

р	q	length	security
1024	160	320	80
2048	224	448	112
3072	256	512	128

#### **ECDSA**

- Key generation of ECDSA:
  - O Find a generator G on an elliptic curve E with prime order n
  - O Choose a random integer d with 0 < d < n</p>
  - O Compute P = dG
- The keys are:  $k_{pub} = (E, G, n, P)$  and  $k_{pr} = (d)$ 
  - O Shorter private key and higher speed than DSA

#### **ECDSA**

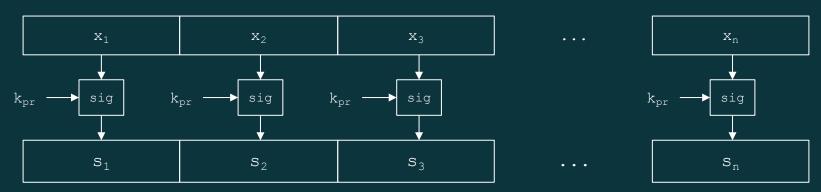
- Signature (message: H < n)
  - $\circ$  Choose an integer  $k_{\scriptscriptstyle E}$  as a random ephemeral key with 0 <  $k_{\scriptscriptstyle E}$  < n
  - $\circ$  Calculate the curve point  $(x_1, y_1) = k_E \times G$
  - $\circ$  Compute  $r = x_1 \mod n$
  - Compute  $s = k_E^{-1}(H + d \times r) \mod n$
- Verification
  - Compute auxiliary value  $u_1 = s^{-1} \times H \mod n$
  - Compute auxiliary value  $u_2 = s^{-1} \times r \mod n$
  - $\circ \quad \text{Compute } (x_1, y_1) = u_1G + u_2P$ 
    - $\blacksquare$  if  $x_1 = r \mod n \rightarrow signature is valid$
    - $\blacksquare$  if  $x_1 \neq r \mod n \rightarrow signature is invalid$

# Sensitivity

- $\bullet$  The entropy of the random value  $k_E$  are critical
- ullet Example: sign two different messages,  $k_1 = k_2$ 
  - $\circ$   $k_1 = s_1^{-1}H_1 + d(s_1^{-1}r_1) \mod q$
  - $o k_2 = s_2^{-1}H_2 + d(s_2^{-1}r_2) \mod q$
  - o d =  $(s_1^{-1}H_1 s_2^{-1}H_2) / (s_2^{-1}r_2 s_1^{-1}r_1)$

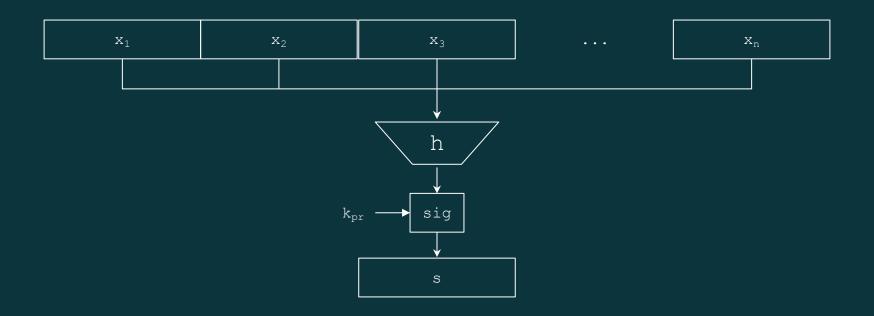
#### Hash - Motivation

• Naive signing of long messages generates a signature of same length.



- Solution
  - o Instead of signing the whole message, sign only a digest (hash)

# Digital Signature with Hash Function



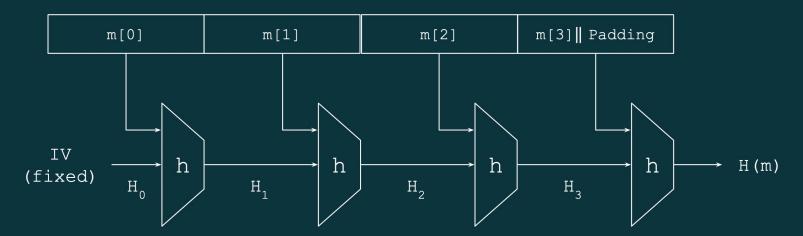
# Hash - Properties

MD5, SHA-1, SHA-256, SHA-512 .....

- Collision Resistance
- One-wayness
- Input arbitrary length message, always output same length result

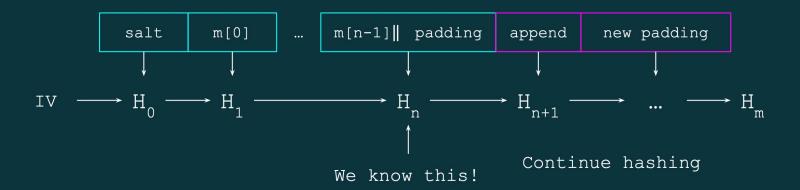
# Merkle-Damgård construction

 Used in the design of many popular hash algorithms such as MD5, SHA-1 and SHA-2



# Length Extension Attack

- Continue calculating hash after appending extra message
- New plaintext is message | padding | append



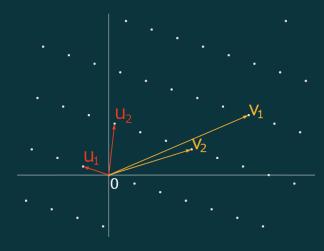
# Lab: Signature

# Lattices

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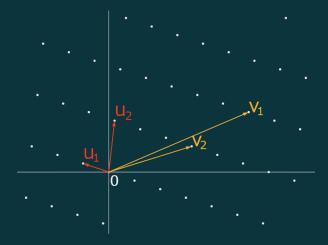
- ullet Let  ${f v}_1$ ,  ${f v}_2$ , …,  ${f v}_{
  m n}$  ullet  ${\Bbb R}^{
  m m}$  be a set of linearly independent vectors
- The **lattice** L generated by  $\mathbf{v}_1$ ,  $\mathbf{v}_2$ , ...,  $\mathbf{v}_n$  is the set of linear combinations with coefficients in  $\mathbb{Z}_r$ ,

$$L = \{a_1\mathbf{v}_1 + a_2\mathbf{v}_2 + ... + a_n\mathbf{v}_n \mid a_1, a_2, ..., a_n \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$



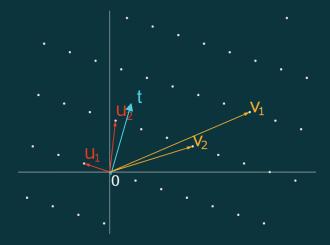
# Shortest Vector Problem (SVP)

- The basis of lattice is not unique
- Given a basis of L, find the shortest vector in L
   SVP is NP-hard



# Closest Vector Problem (CVP)

- Given a basis of L, and an arbitrary vector t.
- Find the closest vector to t in L
  - o CVP is also NP-hard



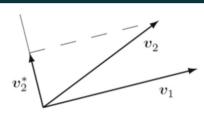
#### Gaussian Lattice Reduction

- Suppose that L  $\subset$   $\mathbb{R}^2$  is a 2-dimensional lattice with basis vectors  $\mathbf{v}_1$ ,  $\mathbf{v}_2$ 
  - o May assume  $\| \mathbf{v}_1 \| < \| \mathbf{v}_2 \|$
- ullet If allowed to subtract any multiple of  ${f v}_1$ , then replace  ${f v}_2$  with the vector

$$v_2^* = v_2 - \frac{v_1 \cdot v_2}{\|v_1\|^2} v_1$$

- $\circ$   $\mathbf{v}_2^*$  is orthogonal to  $\mathbf{v}_1$
- $\circ$  But  $\mathbf{v}_2^*$  is unlikely to be in L
- lacktriangle So the best is to replace  $oldsymbol{ extsf{v}}_2$  with the vector  $oldsymbol{ extsf{v}}_2$   $oldsymbol{ extsf{w}}_1$  with

$$m = \left| \frac{v_1 \cdot v_2}{\left\| v_1 \right\|^2} \right|$$



## Gaussian Lattice Reduction (cont.)

- If  $\|\mathbf{v}_1\| < \|\mathbf{v}_2\|$ , then stop
- ullet Otherwise, swap  ${f v}_1$  and  ${f v}_2$  and repeat the process

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Loop  \begin{aligned} & \text{If } \|v_2\| < \|v_1\|, \text{ swap } v_1 \text{ and } v_2. \\ & \text{Compute } m = [ v_1 \cdot v_2 / \|v_1\|^2 ]. \\ & \text{If } m = 0, \text{ return the basis vectors } v_1 \text{ and } v_2. \\ & \text{Replace } v_2 \text{ with } v_2 - mv_1. \end{aligned}  Continue Loop
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- When the algorithm terminates
  - $\circ$  The vector  $\mathbf{v}_1$  is a shortest nonzero vector in L
  - o The algorithm solves SVP

# Lenstra-Lenstra-Lovász Algorithm (LLL)

- Given a lattice L, LLL solves approximated SVP in polynomial time
- The shortest vector **v** it found satisfies
   || v || ≤ 2<sup>(n-1)/4</sup> | det L|<sup>1/n</sup>
- On average, LLL achieves  $\|\mathbf{v}\| \le 1.02^{n} |\det L|^{1/n}$

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INPUT
        a lattice basis \mathbf{b}_0, \mathbf{b}_1, \dots, \mathbf{b}_n \in \mathbb{Z}^m
        a parameter \delta with \frac{1}{4} < \delta < 1, most commonly \delta = \frac{3}{4}
        \mathbf{B}^* \leftarrow \operatorname{GramSchmidt}(\{\mathbf{b}_0, \dots, \mathbf{b}_n\}) = \{\mathbf{b}_0^*, \dots, \mathbf{b}_n^*\}; and do not normalize
        \mu_{i,j} \leftarrow \frac{\langle \mathbf{b}_i, \mathbf{b}_j^* \rangle}{\langle \mathbf{b}_j^*, \mathbf{b}_j^* \rangle}; \quad \textit{using the most current values of } \mathbf{b}_i \text{ and } \mathbf{b}_j^*
        k \leftarrow 1:
        while k \leq n do
                for j from k-1 to 0 do
                        if |\mu_{k,j}| > \frac{1}{2} then
                                \mathbf{b}_k \leftarrow \mathbf{b}_k - \lfloor \mu_{k,i} \rfloor \mathbf{b}_i;
                               Update \mathbf{B}^* and the related \mu_{i,i}'s as needed.
                               (The naive method is to recompute \mathbf{B}^* whenever \mathbf{b}_i changes:
                                \mathbf{B}^* \leftarrow \operatorname{GramSchmidt}(\{\mathbf{b}_0, \dots, \mathbf{b}_n\}) = \{\mathbf{b}_0^*, \dots, \mathbf{b}_n^*\};
                        end if
                end for
               if \langle \mathbf{b}_k^*, \mathbf{b}_k^* 
angle \geq \left(\delta - \mu_{k,k-1}^2 \right) \langle \mathbf{b}_{k-1}^*, \mathbf{b}_{k-1}^* 
angle then
                        k \leftarrow k + 1:
                else
                        Swap \mathbf{b}_{k} and \mathbf{b}_{k-1}:
                        Update \mathbf{B}^* and the related \mu_{i,j}'s as needed.
                        k \leftarrow \max(k-1,1);
                 end if
        end while
        return B the LLL reduced basis of \{b_0, \ldots, b_n\}
        the reduced basis \mathbf{b}_0, \mathbf{b}_1, \dots, \mathbf{b}_n \in \mathbb{Z}^m
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# Babai's nearest plane algorithm

- ullet Find reduced Basis  ${f B} = \{{f b}_1, ..., {f b}_n\}$
- for k in range (n, 0, -1):
  - Consider the hyperplane generated by the first k 1 lattice vectors.
  - Make the k<sup>th</sup> vector as close as possible to the target vector t.

# (EC) DSA - Known High Bits of k

- Two singature  $(r_1, s_1)$ ,  $(r_2, s_2)$ , both use small nonces k
  - $\circ$   $s_1 \equiv k_1^{-1}(h_1 + dr_1) \mod n$
  - $\circ s_2 \equiv k_2^{-1}(h_2 + dr_2) \mod n$
- Eliminate the variable d
  - $\circ k_1 s_1^{-1}s_2r_1r_2^{-1}k_2 + s_1^{-1}r_1h_2r_2^{-1} s_1^{-1}h_1 \equiv 0 \mod n$
- Let  $t = -s_1^{-1}s_2r_1r_2^{-1}$ ,  $u = s_1^{-1}r_1h_2r_2^{-1} s_1^{-1}h_1$ 
  - $o k_1 + tk_2 + u \equiv 0 \mod n$
- ullet We wish to solve  $k_1$  and  $k_2$ , both small.
  - Let  $|k_1|$ ,  $|k_2|$  < K

# (EC) DSA - Known High Bits of k

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} n & 0 & 0 \\ t & 1 & 0 \\ u & 0 & K \end{bmatrix}$$

- The vector  $\mathbf{v} = (-k_1, k_2, K)$  is in this lattice  $(-q, k_2, 1)B = (-k_1, k_2, K)$
- Can find **v** when
  - $\circ \quad \overline{K < (nK)^{1/3}}$
  - $o \Rightarrow K < n^{1/2}$

# Coppersmith's Method

- Input:  $f(x) \in \mathbb{Z}[x]$ ,  $N \in \mathbb{Z}$
- Output: r s.t.  $f(r) \equiv 0 \mod N$
- Intermediate output: Q(x) such that Q(r) = 0 over  $\mathbb{Z}$ 
  - $\circ Q(x) = s(x)f(x) + t(x)N$
  - $\circ$  Q(r)  $\equiv$  0 mod N by construction
  - o If  $|r| \le R$ , then we can bound

$$|Q(r)| = |Q_n r^n + ... + Q_3 r^3 + Q_2 r^2 + Q_1 r + Q_0|$$
  
 $\leq |Q_n| R^n + ... + |Q_3| R^3 + |Q_2| R^2 + |Q_1| R + |Q_0|$ 

- o If |Q(r)| < N and  $Q(r) \equiv 0 \mod N$ , then Q(r) = 0
- We want a Q in our lattice with short coefficient vector!

# Coppersmith's Method

- 1. Construct a matrix of coefficient vectors of elements of  $\langle f(x), N \rangle$
- 2. Run LLL algorithm on this matrix
- 3. Construct a polynomial Q from the shortest vector output
- 4. Factor Q to find its roots

#### Theorem (Coppersmith)

Given a polynomial f of degree d and N, we can efficiently find all roots r satisfying  $f(r) \equiv 0 \mod N$  when  $|r| < N^{1/d}$ .

# RSA - Stereotyped Messages

- Known most of the message, ex: padding
  - $o m = a + x_0, x_0 \le R$
  - $o c = m^3 = (a + x_0)^3 \mod n$
- $x_0$  is a small root of  $f(x) = (a + x)^3 c \pmod{n}$
- Let the biggest degree of Q be 3
  - $\circ$  Q(x) =  $c_3$ (x<sup>3</sup> + 3ax<sup>2</sup> + 3a<sup>2</sup>x + (a<sup>3</sup> c)) +  $c_2$ Nx<sup>2</sup> +  $c_1$ Nx +  $c_0$ N
  - $o Q(x_0) \le c_3(R^3 + 3aR^2 + 3a^2R + (a^3 c)) + c_2NR^2 + c_1NR + c_0N$

## RSA - Stereotyped Messages (cont.)

- o dim L = 4, det  $L = N^3R^6$
- Ignoring approximation factor, we can solve when
  - $\circ$   $|Q(x_0)| \le |\mathbf{v}| \le |\det L|^{1/4} < N$
  - $\circ \Rightarrow (N^3R^6)^{1/4} < N$
  - $o \Rightarrow R < N^{1/6}$

# RSA - Stereotyped Messages (cont.)

$$\begin{bmatrix} R^3 & 3aR^2 & 3a^2R & a^3 - c \\ NR^2 & & \\ NR & & \\ N & & \end{bmatrix}$$

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# Achieving the Coppersmith Bound

- Generate lattice from subset of  $\langle f(x), N \rangle^k$
- Allow higher degree polynomials

$$(R^{21}N^9)^{1/7} < N^2 \Rightarrow R < N^{5/21}$$

# RSA - Known High Bits of p

- Known large portion of MSBs of one factor
  - $\circ$  n = pq, p = a +  $x_0$ , known a,  $x_0 \le R$
- $x_0$  is a small roots of  $f(x) = a + x \pmod{p}$
- Construct  $Q(x) = 0 \pmod{p}$ 
  - $\circ$  Q(x) =  $c_1$ x(a + x) +  $c_2$ (a + x) + N
  - $o Q(x_0) \le c_1(R^2 + aR) + c_2(R + a) + N$

#### Theorem (Howgrave-Graham)

Given degree d polynomial f, integer N, we can find roots r modulo divisors B of N satisfying f(r)  $\equiv$  0 mod B for |B| >  $N^{\beta}$  , when |r| <  $N^{\beta 2/d}$ 

# RSA - Known High Bits of p

$$\begin{bmatrix} R^2 & Ra & \\ & R & a \\ & & N \end{bmatrix}$$

- o dim L = 3, det  $L = NR^3$
- Can find the root when
  - $0 (NR^3)^{1/3}$
  - $o \Rightarrow R < N^{1/6}$

# RSA - Partial Key Recovery

- Can factor given 1/2 bits of p [Coppersmith 96]
- Can factor given 1/4 bits of d [Boneh Durfee Frankel 98]
- ullet Can factor given 1/2 bits of d mod (p-1) [Blömer May 03]

### Some Resources

• <a href="https://github.com/josephsurin/lattice-based-cryptanalysis/blob/main/tutorial.pdf">https://github.com/josephsurin/lattice-based-cryptanalysis/blob/main/tutorial.pdf</a>

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