Protocol Valid Paillier Public Key(PaillierPKPoK)

ZKP from [Lin17] of n being a Paillier public key for an undisclosed $\phi(n)$ s.t. $gcd(n, \phi(n)) = 1$, based on NthRoot, a ZKPoK of N-th root of $n^n \mod n^2$

Players: A verifier $\mathcal{V}$, and a prover $\mathcal{P}$.
Inputs: $\mathcal{P}, \mathcal{V} \to pk \equiv n$, a Paillier public key,
$\mathcal{P} \to sk \equiv \phi(n)$, the corresponding Paillier private key.

$\mathcal{V}$.**Round1**(n)--→$\boldsymbol{x}$

1: Sample challenge $\boldsymbol{y} \leftarrow \{y_{(i)} \xleftarrow{\$} \mathbb{Z}_n\}_{\forall i \in [\sigma]}$
2: $\boldsymbol{x} \leftarrow \{(y_{(i)})^n \mod n^2\}_{\forall i}$
3: Run NthRoot$(x_{(i)})$ $\forall i \in [\sigma]$ as prover with $\mathcal{P}$ as verifier. ABORT if it fails.

$\mathcal{P}$.**Round2**$(n, \phi(n), \boldsymbol{x})$--→$\boldsymbol{y'}$

return challenge response $\boldsymbol{y'} = \{y'_{(i)}\}_{i \in [\sigma]}$ using $\phi(n)$ s.t. $y'_{(i)} \leftarrow (x_{(i)})^n$

$\mathcal{V}$.**Round3**$(\boldsymbol{y'})$--→*valid*

1: Verify if every $y_{(i)} \stackrel{?}{=} y'_{(i)}$, ABORT if not.

return *valid*

References

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