
Scheme BLS

The pairing-based signing scheme from [BLS01] over curve BLS 123 81 [BGW⁺22], instantiated with short keys *wlog* and with all rogue key prevention schemes. It uses hash functions $H_{\mathbb{G}_1}$ and $H_{\mathbb{G}_2}$ over \mathbb{G}_1 and \mathbb{G}_2 respectively. **BLS123-81.Verify**(m, σ) is a pairing-based verification function returning $(H_{\mathbb{G}_1}(m) \times Y^{-1}) \cdot (G_1 \times \sigma) \stackrel{?}{=} 1$.

Inputs: A unique session identifier sid , a message \mathbf{m} to be signed, a public key Y_i , and a private key x_i for each signer $\mathcal{P}_i \forall i \in [t]$.

Outputs: A partial signature σ_i for each player $\mathcal{P}_i \forall i \in [t]$ after round 1, and a signature σ after aggregation,

Sign _{i} (\mathbf{m}) $\dashrightarrow \sigma_i$

- 1: If MessageAug, $\mathbf{m} \leftarrow Y_i \parallel \mathbf{m}$.
- 2: If PoP, $\pi_i \leftarrow x_i \times H_{\mathbb{G}_2}(Y_i)$.
- 3: $\sigma_i \leftarrow x_i \times H_{\mathbb{G}_2}(\mathbf{m})$
- 4: **return** σ_i as the partial signature, attaching π_i to it if PoP.

Verify($\{\sigma_i\}_{i \in [t]}$) $\dashrightarrow valid$

- 1: **for** $i \in [t]$ **do**
 - 2: If Basic, ensure all $m_{(i)}$ are unique. **ABORT** otherwise.
 - 3: If PoP, check if **BLS123-81.Verify**(Y_i, π_i) is *valid*. **ABORT** otherwise.
 - 4: If MessageAug, $\mathbf{m} \leftarrow Y_i \parallel \mathbf{m}$.
 - 5: Check if **BLS123-81.Verify**(Y_i, σ_i) is *valid*. **ABORT** otherwise.
- return** *valid*.
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