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**Protocol**    DKLs23.Sign

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$t$ -out-of- $n$  threshold signing protocol from [DKLs23], realizing the standard ECDSA functionality with UC security for a group  $\mathbb{G}(q, G)$ . The protocol builds on DKG, Przs, RVOLE<sub>2,q</sub>, a Commitment scheme and a hash function  $H$ .

**Players:** Key share holders:  $\{\mathcal{P}_i\}_{i \in [n]}$  holding  $\{x_i\}_{i \in [n]}$  and public key  $Q$   
Quorum of signers:  $\{\mathcal{P}_i\}_{i \in S}$  for  $S \in [n]^t$  and  $S^* = S \setminus \{i\}$

**Inputs:** A session identifier  $sid$ , and a message  $m$

**Outputs:** A partial signature  $\sigma_i$  per  $\mathcal{P}_i$ . A signature  $\sigma$  after aggregation

$\mathcal{P}_i.\text{Init}() \dashrightarrow (x_i, Q, \zeta_i)$

- 1: Run  $(Q, x_i) \leftarrow \text{DKG}$  to obtain a public and a private key share
- 2: Run  $\text{Przs.Setup1}()$ ,  $\text{Przs.Setup2}()$  and  $\text{Przs.Setup3}()$  to setup zero sharing
- 3: Run  $\text{RVOLE.Setup}()$  as Alice with  $\mathcal{P}_k$  as Bob  $\forall k \in [n] \setminus \{i\}$
- 4: Run  $\text{RVOLE.Setup}()$  as Bob with  $\mathcal{P}_k$  as Alice  $\forall k \in [n] \setminus \{i\}$

$\mathcal{P}_i.\text{Round1}() \dashrightarrow (R_i, \{c'_{ij}, \gamma_{ij}\}_{j \in S^*})$

- 1: Sample  $\phi_i \xleftarrow{\$} \mathbb{Z}_q$  as an inversion mask and  $r_i \xleftarrow{\$} \mathbb{Z}_q$  as an instance key
- 2:  $R_i \leftarrow r_i \cdot G$  as the public instance key
- 3: **for**  $j \in S^*$  **do**
- 4:    Run  $(c'_{ij}, w_{ij}) \leftarrow \text{Commit}(i \parallel j \parallel sid \parallel R_i)$
- 5:    Run  $(\gamma_{ij}, b_{ij}) \leftarrow \text{RVOLE.Round1}()$  as Bob
- 6:     $\text{Send}(c'_{ij}, \gamma_{ij}) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}_j$
- 7:  $\mathcal{F}^{\text{Broadcast}}(R_i)$

$\mathcal{P}_i.\text{Round2}(\{R_j, c'_{ji}, \gamma_{ji}\}_{j \in S^*}) \dashrightarrow (\{\mu_{ij}^{rnd2}, \Gamma_{ij}^u, \Gamma_{ij}^v, b_{ij}, w_{ij}\}_{j \in S^*}, R_i, P_i)$

- 1: Run  $\zeta_i \leftarrow \text{Przs.Sample}()$  to get a zero share
- 2:  $a_i \leftarrow \text{ShamirToAdditive}(i, S, x_i)$
- 3:  $sk_i \leftarrow a_i + \zeta_i$  and  $P_i \leftarrow sk_i \cdot G$  as refreshed instance key shares
- 4: **for**  $j \in S^*$  **do**
- 5:    Run  $(\mu_{ij}^{rnd2}, c \equiv \{c^u, c^v\})_{ij} \leftarrow \text{RVOLE.Round2}(\gamma_{ij}, \mathbf{a} = \{r_i, sk_i\})$  as Alice
- 6:     $\Gamma_{ij}^u \leftarrow c_{ij}^u \cdot G$  and  $\Gamma_{ij}^v \leftarrow c_{ij}^v \cdot G$
- 7:     $\psi_{ij} \leftarrow \phi_i - b_{i,j}$
- 8:     $\text{Send}(\mu_{ij}^{rnd2}, \Gamma_{ij}^u, \Gamma_{ij}^v, b_{ij}, w_{ij}, R_i) \rightarrow \mathcal{P}_j$
- 9:  $\mathcal{F}^{\text{Broadcast}}(P_i)$

$\mathcal{P}_i.\text{Round3}(m, \{\tilde{a}_{ji}, \eta_{ji}, \mu_{ji}, \Gamma_{ji}^u, \Gamma_{ji}^v, b_{ji}, w_{ji}, P_j\}_{j \in S^*}) \dashrightarrow \sigma_i$

- 1: **for**  $j \in S^*$  **do**
  - 2:    Run  $\text{Open}(j \parallel i \parallel sid \parallel R_j, c'_{ji}, w_{ji})$ , **ABORT** if it fails
  - 3:    Run  $(\mathbf{d} \equiv \{d_{ij}^u, d_{ij}^v\}) \leftarrow \text{RVOLE.Round3}(\mu_{ij}^{rnd2} = \{\tilde{a}, \eta, \mu\})$  as Bob
  - 4:    Check if  $b_{ji} \cdot R_j - \Gamma_{ji}^u \stackrel{?}{=} d_{ij}^u \cdot G$  otherwise **ABORT**
  - 5:    Check if  $b_{ji} \cdot P_i - \Gamma_{ji}^v \stackrel{?}{=} d_{ij}^v \cdot G$  otherwise **ABORT**
  - 6: Check if  $\sum_{j \in S} P_j \stackrel{?}{=} Q$ , otherwise **ABORT**
  - 7:  $R \leftarrow \sum_{j \in S} R_j$
  - 8:  $u_i \leftarrow r_i \cdot (\phi_i + \sum_{j \in S^*} \psi_{ji}) + \sum_{j \in S^*} (c_{ij}^u + d_{ij}^u)$
  - 9:  $v_i \leftarrow sk_i \cdot (\phi_i + \sum_{j \in S^*} \psi_{ji}) + \sum_{j \in S^*} (c_{ij}^v + d_{ij}^v)$
  - 10:  $w_i \leftarrow \text{SHA2}(m) \cdot \phi_i + (R_x) \cdot v_i$
  - 11: **return**  $\sigma_i = \{u_i, w_i\}$
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**Aggregate**( $Q, \{u_j, w_j, R_j\}_{j \in S}$ )  $\dashrightarrow \sigma$

- 1:  $R \leftarrow \sum R_j$  and  $r \leftarrow R_x$
- 2:  $s \leftarrow \frac{\sum w_j}{\sum u_j}$
- 3:  $v \leftarrow (R_y \bmod 2) + 2(R_x \stackrel{?}{\geq} q)$  as the recovery identifier  $\in \mathbb{Z}_4$
- 4: **if**  $(-s \bmod q) < s$  **then** *(Normalize to "low s form")*
- 5:      $s \leftarrow (-s) \bmod q$
- 6:      $v \leftarrow (v + 2) \bmod 4$
- 7: Run ECDSA.Verify( $Q, \mathbf{m}, \sigma = (r, s, v)$ ) to check if the signature is valid
- return**  $\sigma = (r, s, v)$  as the signature

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## References

- [DKLs23] Jack Doerner, Yashvanth Kondi, Eysa Lee, and A. shelat. Threshold ecdsa in three rounds. *Cryptology ePrint Archive*, 2023.