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**Scheme**    **BIP340**

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The BIP340 signature scheme [WNR18] for *secp256k1* ( $\mathbb{G}, q, G, I$ ) and hash function *sha256* [Dan15]. Signer holds private key  $x \in \mathbb{Z}_q$  and public key  $Q = x \cdot G$

**Inputs:**  $m$ , a message to sign.

**Sign**( $m, x \in \mathbb{Z}_q, Q \in \mathbb{G}$ )  $\dashrightarrow \sigma$

- 1: Sample  $a \xleftarrow{\$} \{0, 1\}^{256}$  (Nonce generation)
  - 2:  $d \leftarrow -x$  if  $(Q_y \bmod 2 \neq 0)$  else  $d \leftarrow x$
  - 3:  $t \leftarrow d \oplus \text{Sha256}(\text{"BIP0340/aux"} \parallel \text{"BIP0340/aux"} \parallel a)$
  - 4:  $k' \leftarrow \text{Sha256}(\text{"BIP0340/nonce"} \parallel \text{"BIP0340/nonce"} \parallel t \parallel Q_x \parallel m)$
  - 5:  $R \leftarrow k' \cdot G$  (Commitment)
  - 6:  $e \leftarrow \text{Sha256}(\text{"BIP0340/challenge"} \parallel \text{"BIP0340/challenge"} \parallel R_x \parallel Q_x \parallel m)$  (Challenge)
  - 7:  $k' \leftarrow -k'$  if  $(Q_y \bmod 2 \neq 0)$
  - 8:  $s \leftarrow k' + e \cdot d$  (Signature composition)
- return**  $\sigma = (R, s)$  as the signature

**Verify**( $m, \sigma = (R \in \mathbb{G}, s \in \mathbb{Z}_{q^*}, Q \in \mathbb{G})$ )  $\dashrightarrow \text{valid}$

- 1:  $Q' \leftarrow -Q$  if  $(Q_{y(i)} \bmod 2 \neq 0)$ , otherwise  $Q' \leftarrow Q$
  - 2:  $e \leftarrow \text{Sha256}(\text{"BIP0340/challenge"} \parallel \text{"BIP0340/challenge"} \parallel R_x \parallel Q_x \parallel m)$
  - 3:  $R' \leftarrow s \cdot G - e \cdot Q'$
  - 4: Check if  $R_x \stackrel{?}{=} R'_x$ . Otherwise **ABORT**
- return** *valid*

**VerifyBatch** $_{\forall i \in [n]}$ ( $m = \{m_{(i)}\}, Q = \{Q_{(i)} \in \mathbb{G}\}, \sigma = \{R_{(i)} \in \mathbb{G}, s_{(i)} \in \mathbb{Z}_{q^*}^n\}$ )  $\dashrightarrow \text{valid}$

- 1: Set  $a_{(1)} \leftarrow 1$  and  $C \leftarrow I$
  - 2: Sample  $\{a_{(2)}, \dots, a_{(n)}\} \xleftarrow{\$} \mathbb{Z}_{q^*}^{n-1}$  and compute  $l \leftarrow \sum_{i=1}^n a_{(i)} \cdot s_{(i)}$
  - 3: **for**  $i \in [n]$  **do**
  - 4:      $Q' \leftarrow -Q_{(i)}$  if  $(Q_{y(i)} \bmod 2 \neq 0)$ , otherwise  $Q' \leftarrow Q_{(i)}$
  - 5:      $e \leftarrow \text{Sha256}(\text{"BIP0340/challenge"} \parallel \text{"BIP0340/challenge"} \parallel R_{x(i)} \parallel Q_{x(i)} \parallel m_{(i)})$
  - 6:      $C \leftarrow C + a_i \cdot (R_i + e) \cdot Q'$
  - 7: Check if  $C \stackrel{?}{=} l \cdot G$ . Otherwise **ABORT**.
- return** *valid*
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## References

- [Dan15] Quynh Dang. Secure hash standard, 2015-08-04 2015.
- [WNR18] Pieter Wuille, Jonas Nick, and Tim Ruffing. Schnorr signatures for secp256k1, 2018.