Modern Cryptography

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Homework 14

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To get credit for this homework it must be submitted no later than Tuesday, January 29th via email to michael.walter@ist.ac.at, please use "MC18 Homework 14" as subject. Please put your solutions into a single pdf file and name this file Yourlastname_HW14.pdf.

- 1. Naor's Transformation: Signatures from Identity-Based Encryption (IBE)
 - (2 Points) In the lecture, we have sketched the Naor transformation. Provide a formal description of the signature scheme $\Sigma = (\mathsf{Gen}, \mathsf{Sig}, \mathsf{Vrfy})$ with message space \mathcal{M}_{Σ} resulting from applying the Naor transform to an IBE scheme $\Xi = (\mathsf{IBE}.\mathsf{Gen}, \mathsf{IBE}.\mathsf{Ext}, \mathsf{IBE}.\mathsf{Enc}, \mathsf{IBE}.\mathsf{Dec})$ with identity space \mathcal{ID}_{Ξ} and message space \mathcal{M}_{Ξ} . Show the correctness of Σ .
 - (1 Point) Apply the Naor transformation to the explicit Boneh-Franklin IBE scheme Ξ_{BF} with identity and message spaces \mathcal{ID}_{BF} and \mathcal{M}_{BF} , respectively, from the lecture. (Assume that a group generator $g \in \mathcal{G}$ with order p, a random-oracle instantiation $H: \mathcal{ID} \mapsto \mathcal{G}$, and a suitable pairing $\mathbf{e}: \mathcal{G} \times \mathcal{G} \mapsto \mathcal{G}_T$ is given as input to all algorithms.)
- 2. Identity-Based Encryption (IBE) from Attribute-Based Encryption (ABE)
 - (2 Points) Formally construct an IBE scheme $\Xi = (\mathsf{IBE.Gen}, \mathsf{IBE.Ext}, \mathsf{IBE.Enc}, \mathsf{IBE.Dec})$ with identity and messages spaces \mathcal{ID}_{Ξ} and \mathcal{M}_{Ξ} , respectively, from a CP-ABE scheme $\Omega = (\mathsf{ABE.Gen}, \mathsf{ABE.Ext}, \mathsf{ABE.Enc}, \mathsf{ABE.Dec})$ with attribute space \mathcal{A}_{Ω} , policy space \mathcal{P}_{Ω} , and message space \mathcal{M}_{Ω} . Show the correctness of Ξ .

¹If you don't know how to do it, you can use e.g. https://www.pdfmerge.com/