

Diffie-Hellman Protocol. (DH)

- Fix a finite cyclic group G of order n (e.g. $G = (\mathbb{Z}_p)^*$).
- Fix a generator g in G (e.g. $G = \{1, g, g^2, g^3, \dots, g^{n-1}\}$).

Alice

choose a random a in $\{1, \dots, n\}$

$$A = g^a \text{ mod } p$$

Bob

Choose a random b in $\{1, \dots, n\}$

$$B = g^b \text{ mod } p$$

$$B^a \text{ mod } p = (g^b)^a = \boxed{k_{AB} = g^{ab} \text{ mod } p} = (g^a)^b = A^b \text{ mod } p$$

Computational Diffie-Hellman (CDH)

- G : finite cyclic group of order n .
- CDH assumption holds if: $g, g^a, g^b \Rightarrow g^{ab}$.

For all efficient algorithms A :

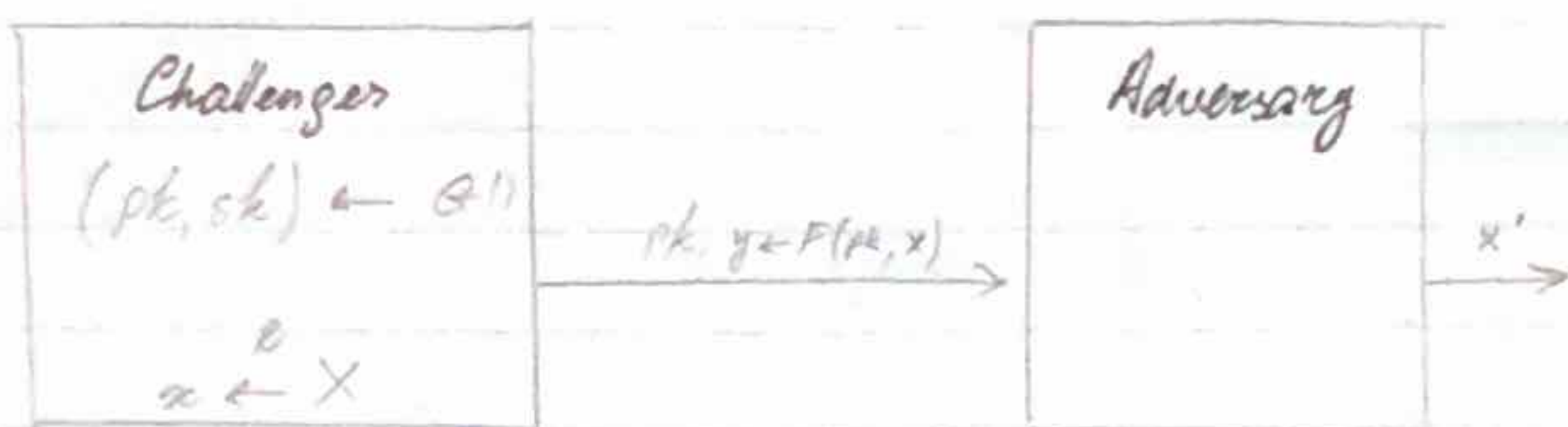
$$\Pr[A(g, g^a, g^b) = g^{ab}] < \text{negligible}$$

where $g \leftarrow \{\text{generators of } G\}$
 $a, b \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_n$

- Some Trapdoor Permutations (TRDPs) are constructed directly from CDH

Secure Trapdoor Functions (TFs)

- (G, F, F^{-1}) is a secure TDF which can be evaluated but cannot be inverted without sk .



Def: (G, F, F^{-1}) is a secure TDF if for all A :

$$\text{Adv}_A[A, F] = P_2[x = x'] < \text{negl.}$$

- (G, F, F^{-1}) - secure TDF $X \rightarrow Y$.
- (E_s, D_s) - sym. auth enc scheme over (k, m, c) .
- $H: X \rightarrow K$ - a hash function.

$E(pk, m)$:

$x \leftarrow X, y \leftarrow F(pk, x)$
 $k \leftarrow H(x), c \leftarrow E_s(k, m)$
 output (y, c)

$D(sk, (y, c))$:

$x \leftarrow F^{-1}(sk, y)$
 $k \leftarrow H(x), m \leftarrow D_s(k, c)$
 output m

- Can't apply F directly to plaintext (deterministic)
 \hookrightarrow Incorrect. $E(pk, m)$: output $c \leftarrow F(pk, m)$

Arithmetic mod

- let $N = p \cdot q$ where p, q are prime
- $\mathbb{Z}_N = \{0, 1, 2, \dots, N-1\}$ $(\mathbb{Z}_N)^* = \{\text{invertible elements in } \mathbb{Z}_N\}$
- Fact $x \in \mathbb{Z}_N$ is invertible iff $\gcd(x, N) = 1$.
- Num of elements in $(\mathbb{Z}_N)^*$ is $\phi(N) = (p-1)(q-1) = N - p - q + 1$
- Euler's theorem: $\forall x \in (\mathbb{Z}_N)^* : x^{\phi(N)} = 1$

RSA TDP

- $G()$: choose random primes $p, q \approx 1024$ bits.
generation algorithm set $N = pq$
choose integers e, d such that $e \cdot d = 1 \pmod{\phi(N)}$
 \Rightarrow output $pk = (N, e)$
 $sk = (N, d)$
- $F(pk, x) : \mathbb{Z}_N^* \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_N^*$; $RSA(x) = x^e \pmod{N}$
complete trapdoor permutation
- $F^{-1}(sk, y)$; $y^d = RSA(x)^d = x^{ed} = x^{\phi(N)+1}$
inverting the permutation $= \underbrace{(x^{\phi(N)})^d}_{=1} \cdot x = 1 \cdot x = x$

Def. (RSA assumption) RSA is a one way permutation.

For all eff. algorithms A :

$$Pr[A(N, e, y) = y^{1/e}] < \text{negl.}$$

where $p, q \xleftarrow{R} n$ bit primes,
 $N \leftarrow pq$
 $y \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_N^*$ Victory