# 0 CPA-Security

Describe the game for CPA-Security.

$$Priv_{A,\Pi}^{CPA}(n)$$

- 1. Generate a key as  $k \stackrel{\$}{\leftarrow} \{0,1\}^n$
- 2. Training Phase
  - (a)  $Enc(k,m_i)$
  - (b) return  $c_i$
- 3. Challenge Phase
  - (a)  $Enc(k,m_0)$  and  $Enc(k,m_1)$
  - (b) **return**  $c_0, c_1$

In the Game for CPA Security, First a random key is generated as k.

**Training Phase:** The adversary A sends messages  $(m_i)$  to the Oracle, (Drawn above), which encrypts these messages and sends back the ciphertext  $(c_i)$  to the adversary. The adversary now has a mapping for the messages to their cipher texts.

**Challenge Phase:** The adversary A now sends a pair of messages  $m_0, m_1$  to the Oracle. The Oracle generates a bit  $b \stackrel{\$}{\leftarrow} \{0,1\}$  and chooses randomly one of the received messages to encrypt as  $c*\leftarrow \operatorname{Enc}(k,m_b)$ . This c\* is then returned to the A as a challenge. A guesses a bit b' where  $b' \in \{0,1\} \implies \{m_0,m_1\}$  that the A thinks is actually encrypted as c\*.

The adversary A wins if b' = b

An encryption scheme  $\Pi$  is said to be CPA secure if the following holds true.

$$\Pr[A \text{ wins } Priv_{A,\Pi}^{CPA}(n)] = \frac{1}{2} + \varepsilon(n)$$

where  $\varepsilon(n)$  is a negligible function.

## 1 PRP

Suppose F is a PRP where  $K = M = \{0, 1\}^{\lambda}$  and  $C = (\{0, 1\}^{\lambda})^2$ ). For each

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**Theorem:** If F is a secure PRP then the given scheme  $\Pi(Gen, Enc, Dec)$  is a secure encryption scheme

**Proof by contradiction:** We will prove the following statement. If  $\Pi$  is not a secure encryption scheme then, F is not a secure PRP.

Step 1: Real Scheme If  $\Pi$  is not a secure encryption scheme, it means that  $\exists PPT$  algorithm  $A^{CPA}$  which wins the CPA game with probability  $\frac{1}{2} + \varepsilon(n)$  where  $\varepsilon(n)$  is a non-negligible function. For  $Priv_{A,\Pi}^{CPA}$  we have the following steps

- 1. Pick  $k \stackrel{\$}{\leftarrow} \{0,1\}^n$
- 2. Training Phase
  - (a) Adversary  $A^{CPA}$  would send messages  $m_i$
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# **Step 2: Ideal Scheme** For $Priv_{A,\Pi'}^{CPA}$ we have the following steps

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$$Pr[A \ wins \ Priv_{A,\Pi'}^{CPA}] = \frac{1}{2} + p(n) \text{ where } p(n) \text{ is negligible } \Longrightarrow \frac{q}{2^{\lambda}}$$

where  $\frac{q}{2\lambda}$  is the collision probability in picking r over q queries.

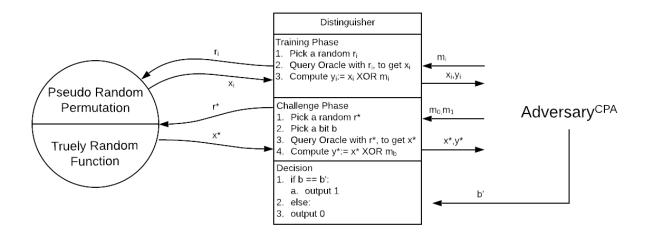


Figure 1: Reduction

**Step 3: Reduction** We now define a distinguisher D that would activate/simulate  $A^{CPA}$  tp break the PRP.

### 1. Training Phase

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 (2)

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# Homework 2

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Suppose F is a PRP where  $K = M = \{0,1\}^{\lambda}$  and  $C = (\{0,1\}^{\lambda})^2$ ). For each

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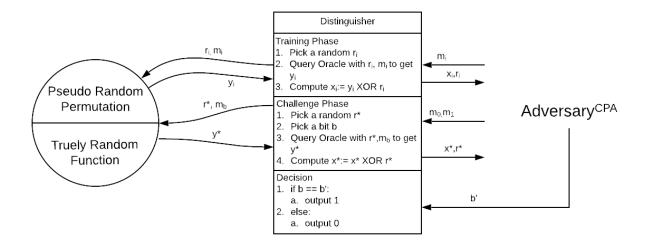


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The given encryption scheme  $\Pi(Gen, Enc, Dec)$  is not CPA secure. We show the attack as follows.

**Attack:** Since the encryption scheme  $\Pi(Gen, Enc, Dec)$  is not CPA secure, it means that  $\exists$  algorithm that would work as follows.

## Training Phase:

- 1.  $A^{CPA}$  would play the CPA game by sending query message  $m_i = 0^n$  to the challenger.
- 2. Gets back  $x_i$ ,  $y_i$  to  $A^{CPA}$

### Challenge Phase:

- 1.  $A^{CPA}$  will query a pair of messages  $m_0 = 0^n, m_1 = 1^n$  to the challenger
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### **Decision:**

1.  $A^{CPA}$  would output bit 1 if  $y* \oplus x* = m_0$  else it would output 0

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### Analysis of A's success:

- 1. Case b=1
  - (a)  $m_0 = 0^n$

(b) 
$$y*, x* = Enc_k(0^n) \implies y* := x* \oplus m_0 \implies y* := x* \oplus 0^n$$

- (c)  $0^n := y * \oplus x * \implies m_0 := y * \oplus x *$
- (d)  $A^{CPA}$  will output 1 with probability 1
- 2. Case b = 0
  - (a)  $m_1 = 1^n$
  - (b)  $y*, x* = Enc_k(1^n) \implies y* := x* \oplus m_1 \implies y* := x* \oplus 1^n$
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Conclusion: We see that the distinguisher wins with probability 1 when the bit chosen is 1 or 0, therefore the given encryption scheme is not CPA secure.

# 2 Block Ciphers

Consider the following block cipher modes for encryption, applied to a PRP F, where

$$F: \{0,1\}^{\lambda} \times \{0,1\}^{\lambda} \to \{0,1\}^{\lambda}.$$

For each

- 1. Describe what the corresponding Dec procedure looks like.
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$$egin{aligned} &\operatorname{Enc}(k,m_1||\dots||m_\ell) \ & \overline{r_0 \leftarrow_{\$}\{0,1\}^{\lambda}} \ & c_0 \coloneqq r_0 \ & \mathbf{for} \ i = 1 \ to \ \ell \ \mathbf{do} \ & | \ r_i \coloneqq c_i \oplus r_{i-1} \ & | \ m_i \coloneqq F^{-1}(k,r_i) \ & \mathbf{end} \ & \mathbf{return} \ c_0||\dots||c_\ell \end{aligned}$$

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- 2. Gets back  $c^b := c_0^b || \dots || c_\ell^b$

### Decision:

1. Output bit 1 if  $c_i^b \oplus c_{i-1}^b = c_i^m \oplus c_{i-1}^m$  else it would output 0

### Analysis of D's success:

- 1. Case b = 1
  - (a)  $m_0 = 0^n$
  - (b)  $c^b := c_0^b || \dots || c_\ell^b$
  - (c)  $c_i^b \oplus c_{i-1}^b = F_k(m_i) = c_i^m \oplus c_{i-1}^m$
  - (d) D will output 1 with probability 1
- 2. Case b = 0
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# 3 CPA Security

Suppose  $\Sigma$  is an encryption scheme and  $\mathcal{A}$  is a program which can recover the key from a chosen plaintext attack. In other words the game for  $\mathcal{A}$  looks like:

For polynomially many i.

- 1.  $\mathcal{A}$  queries the challenger on  $m_i$ .
- 2. challenger returns  $c_i := \Sigma.\mathsf{Enc}(k, m_i)$ .

Finally,  $\mathcal{A}$  outputs k.

Prove that  $\Sigma$  does not have CPA security.

We assume that the Encryption scheme works like this

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### Training Phase:

- 1. Query Oracle  $\mathcal{O}$  with messages  $m_i$
- 2. Gets back  $c_i$ ,  $x_i$
- 3. Get the key k

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