
Algorithm 4 Round protocol of a mix server for round r of epoch e .

Input: $state, e, r, roundTimer, isEntry, isExit$

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1: if  $isEntry$  then
2:   while  $roundTimer$  not yet fired do
3:      $recvMsg \leftarrow$  receive from any client that has not yet sent a message this round
4:      $k \leftarrow \text{DH}(recvMsg.pk, state.sk_{rcv}^{(e)})$ 
5:      $msg, hasValidTag \leftarrow dec_k(recvMsg.payload)$ 
6:     if  $hasValidTag$  then
7:        $state.FirstPool \leftarrow state.FirstPool \cup msg$ 
8:     end if
9:   end while
10: else
11:    $recvMsgBatch \leftarrow$  allow receive only from preceding mix
12:   for  $i \leftarrow 1 \dots \text{len}(recvMsgBatch)$  do
13:      $k \leftarrow \text{DH}(recvMsgBatch_i.pk, state.sk_{rcv}^{(e)})$ 
14:      $msg, hasValidTag \leftarrow dec_k(recvMsgBatch_i.payload)$ 
15:     if  $hasValidTag$  then
16:        $state.FirstPool \leftarrow state.FirstPool \cup msg$ 
17:     end if
18:   end for
19: end if
20:  $state.OutPool, state.ThirdPool, state.SecPool \leftarrow state.ThirdPool, state.SecPool, state.FirstPool$ 
21:  $state.FirstPool \leftarrow state.NextPool$  ➤  $state.NextPool$  contains prepared cover messages.
22:  $state.SecPool \leftarrow \text{Perm}_{\text{CSPRNG}}(state.SecPool)$  ➤ Break relationships of set indices and receipt times.
23:  $state.OutPool \leftarrow state.OutPool \cup \{ msg_i \in state.SecPool \mid 1 \leq i \leq \lceil (\text{len}(state.SecPool)/2) \rceil + r \}$ 
24:  $state.OutPool \leftarrow state.OutPool \cup \{ msg_i \in state.ThirdPool \mid 1 \leq i \leq \lceil (\text{len}(state.ThirdPool)/2) \rceil + r \}$ 
25:  $state.OutPool \leftarrow \text{Perm}_{\text{CSPRNG}}(state.OutPool)$  ➤ Break relationships of set indices and pool origins.
26: if  $isExit$  then
27:   for  $i \leftarrow 1 \dots \text{len}(state.OutPool)$  do
28:      $peer, payload \leftarrow state.OutPool_i.pk, state.OutPool_i.payload$ 
29:     send out  $payload$  to client  $peer$ 
30:   end for
31: else
32:   forward message batch  $state.OutPool$  to succeeding mix
33: end if
34:  $state.NextPool \leftarrow \text{genCoverMsgs}(state.Clients^{(e)})$  ➤ Onion-encrypted (cf. lines 6–18, Alg. 3).
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