

Ques 1 PGP packets  $\rightarrow$  pretty good privacy.

$\hookrightarrow$  is used for providing confidentiality in email and file storage literal packets

following are the packets that provide confidentiality are as  $\rightarrow$

- ① compressed data packet
- ② Public-key encrypted packet
- ③ public-key packet
- ④ User ID packet
- ⑤ Signature packet
- ⑥ Literal data packet
- ⑦ Conventional-key-encrypted data packet

Ques 2 Digital Signature Algorithm (DSA)  $\rightarrow$  is based on the modular exponentiation and discrete logarithmic problems.

Verifying a signature  $\rightarrow$  ~~⑦ verify that~~

let a signature  $(r, s)$  be a valid signature for a given message  $m$  when  $\rightarrow$   $q = \text{prime}$

①  $0 < r < q$  and  $0 < s < q$

when  $q$  is the range i.e.  $x \in \{1, q-1\}$

(2) compute  $w \coloneqq S^{-1} \bmod q$

(3) compute  $u_1 \coloneqq H(m) \cdot w \bmod q$

(4) compute  $u_2 \coloneqq r \cdot w \bmod q$

(5) compute  $v \coloneqq (g^{u_1} \cdot y^{u_2} \bmod p) \bmod q$

The signature can be verified iff  $\boxed{v = r}$

correctness of algorithm  $\rightarrow$  we know that

$$g = h^{(p-1)/q} \bmod p,$$

it follows,  $g^p \equiv h^{p-1} \equiv 1 \bmod p$

$g > 0$  &  $q$  is prime  
and  $g$  must have order  $q$

the signer computes

$$S = k^{-1} (H(m) + xr) \bmod q$$

Then

$$k = H(m)S^{-1} + xrS^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow H(m)w + xrw \bmod q$$

Since  $g$  has a order  $q \bmod p$ , we can say that,

$$g^k = g^{H(m)w + xrw} = g^{H(m)w} \cdot g^{xrw} \quad \text{or} \quad g^{H(m)w} \cdot (g^r)^x$$

$$\rightarrow g^{u_1} y^{u_2} \pmod{p} \quad \begin{cases} u_1 = H(m) \cdot w \pmod{q} \\ u_2 = r \cdot w \pmod{q} \end{cases}$$

finally the correctness of the DSA follows from

$$r = (g^k \pmod{p}) \pmod{q}$$

$$\rightarrow (g^{u_1} y^{u_2} \pmod{p}) \pmod{q}$$

$$\boxed{r \Rightarrow v}$$

Therefore Verified

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challenge-response entity authentication

→ is a method where claimant elucidates that she is aware of the secret without sending it. The challenge comes when a time varying number or timestamp is being sent by the verifier, who checks stuff.

The claimant also applies a function to the challenge and forwards the result also known as the response. The response is replied to the verifier. When the verifier receives the response i.e. sent by claimant proves that claimant knows the secret.

