CSCI971 Modern Cryptography Assignment 8

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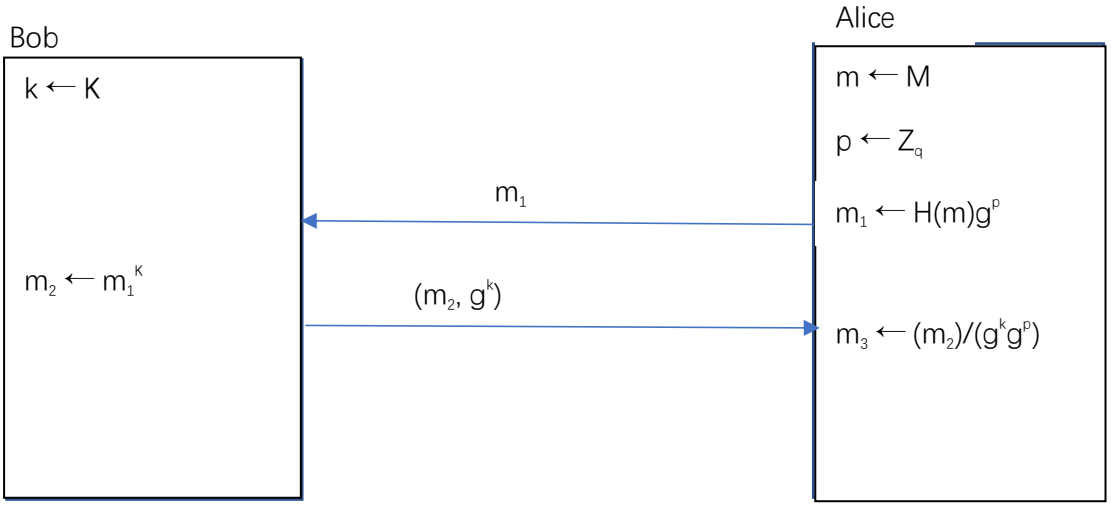

$m_3 = [H(m)g^p]^k/(g^k g^p) = H(m)^k$

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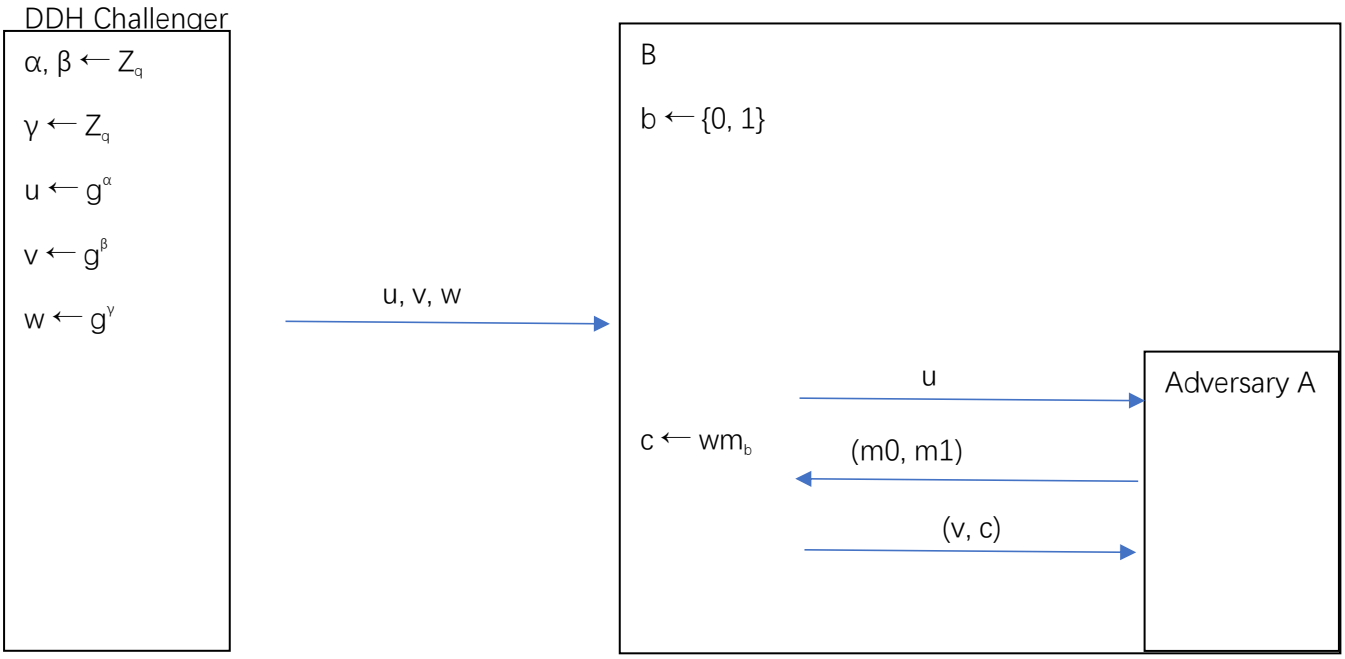

Between A and B, there is $SSadv^*[A, E_{MEG}] = | Pr[W_0] - 1/2|$

Between DDH challenger and B, there is $DDHadv[B_{ddh}, G] = |Pr[W_0] - Pr[W_1]|$

There is also $Pr[W_1] = ½$

According to equations above, $SSadv^*[A, E_{MEG}] = DDHadv[_{Bddh}, G]$

Thus, E_{MEG} is semantically secure if DDH assumption holds in G.

(2)

$|Pr[W0] – Pr[W1]| = DDHadv[B_{ddh}, G]$

If DDH assumption does not hold in G, $DDHadv[B_{ddh}, G]$ is not negligible.

Thus, adversary can distinguish whether a tuple (u, v, w) is DH-triple or not.

Therefore, $SSadv[A, E_{MEG}] = 1$.

(3)

$c_1 \leftarrow E(pk, m_1) = u^{\alpha}m_1$

$c_2 \leftarrow E(pk, m_2) = u^{\beta}m_2$

Thus $c_1c_2 = u^{\alpha}m_1u^{\beta}m_2 = u^{\alpha+\beta}\, m_1m_2$

$c \leftarrow E(pk, m_1m_2) = u^{\alpha+\beta}m_1m_2$

Therefore c_1c_2 equals to c.

(4)

According to the solution in the previous question, we already have a solution for $E(pk, m_1) * E(pk, m_2) = E(pk, m_1 * m_2)$. We then replace m with g^m.

$c_1 \leftarrow E(pk, g^{m1}) = u^{\alpha}g^{m1}$

$c_2 \leftarrow E(pk, g^{m2}) = u^{\beta}g^{m2}$

With this transformation, $E(pk, g^{m1})E(pk, g^{m2}) = E(pk, g^{m1}g^{m2}) = E(pk, g^{m1+m2})$. Now we have an additive homomorphic property.