

## Anonymous Identity-Based Broadcast Encryption

Let  $k$  denote the security parameter given to the setup algorithm such that a security level of 256 bits is achieved. Let  $G$  be some BDH parameter generator.

**Setup**( $k$ ): Given a security parameter  $k \in \mathbb{Z}^+$  the algorithm works as follows:

1. Run  $G$  on input  $k$  to generate a prime  $q$ , two groups  $\mathbb{G}_1, \mathbb{G}_2$  of order  $q$ , and an admissible bilinear map  $e : \mathbb{G}_1 \times \mathbb{G}_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{G}_T$ . Choose a random generator  $P \in \mathbb{G}$ .
2. Pick a random  $s \in \mathbb{Z}_q^*$  and set  $P_{pub} = sP$
3. Choose a cryptographic hash function  $H_1 : \{0, 1\}^* \rightarrow \mathbb{G}_1^*$ . The security analysis will view  $H_1$  as a random oracle.

The symmetric key space is  $K = \{0, 1\}^{256}$ . The ciphertext space is  $C_i = \mathbb{G}_1^* \times \{0, 1\}^{256}$

**Extract**: For a given

$$d_{ID} = \{(r_{ID,i}, h_{ID,i}) : i \in \{1, 2, 3\}\}, \text{ where } h_{ID,i} = \left(h_i q_2^{-r_{ID,i}}\right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha-ID}} \in \mathbb{G}_2$$

If  $ID = \alpha$ , the PKG aborts. As before, we require that the PKG always use the same random values  $\{r_{ID,i}\}$  for  $ID$ .

**Encrypt**: To encrypt  $m \in \{1, 0\}^n$  using identity  $ID \in \mathbb{Z}_p$ , the sender generates random  $s \in \mathbb{Z}_p$ , and sends the ciphertext

$$\begin{aligned} C &= \left(g_1^s p_1^{-s \cdot ID}, e(p_1, q_2)^s, m \oplus H_2\{e(p_1, h_1)^s\}, e(p_1, h_2)^s e(p_1, h_3)^{s\beta}\right) \\ &= (u, v, w, y) \end{aligned}$$

Note that  $u \in \mathbb{G}_1, v \in \mathbb{G}_T, w \in \{1, 0\}^n$  and  $y \in \mathbb{G}_T$ . We set  $\beta = H_1\{u, v, w\}$ . Encryption does not require any pairing computations once  $e(p_1, q_2)$ , and  $\{e(p_1, h_i)\}$  have been pre-computed or alternatively included in *params*.

**Decrypt**: To decrypt ciphertext  $C = (u, v, w, y)$  with  $ID$ , the recipient sets  $\beta = H_1\{u, v, w\}$  and tests whether

$$y = e\left(u, h_{ID,2} h_{ID,3}^\beta\right) v^{r_{ID,2} + r_{ID,3}\beta}$$

If the check fails, the recipient outputs  $\perp$ . Otherwise, it outputs

$$m = w \oplus H_2\{e(u, h_{ID,1}) v^{r_{ID,1}}\}$$

**Correctness**: Assuming the ciphertext is well-formed for  $ID$ :

$$\begin{aligned} &e\left(u, h_{ID,2} h_{ID,3}^\beta\right) v^{r_{ID,2} + r_{ID,3}\beta} \\ &= e\left(p_1^{s(\alpha-ID)}, \left(h_2 h_3^\beta\right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha-ID}} q_2^{\frac{-(r_{ID,2} + r_{ID,3}\beta)}{\alpha-ID}}\right) e(p_1, q_2)^{s(r_{ID,2} + r_{ID,3}\beta)} \\ &= e\left(p_1^{s(\alpha-ID)}, \left(h_2 h_3^\beta\right)^{\frac{1}{\alpha-ID}}\right) = e(p_1, h_2)^s e(p_1, h_3)^{s\beta} \end{aligned}$$

Thus, the check passes. Moreover, as in the ANON-IND-ID CPA scheme,

$$e(u, h_{\text{ID}}) v^{r_{\text{ID},1}} = e\left(p_1^{s(\alpha-\text{ID})}, h^{\frac{1}{\alpha-\text{ID}}} q_2^{\frac{-r_{\text{ID},1}}{\alpha-\text{ID}}}\right) e(p_1, q_2)^{sr_{\text{ID},1}} = e(p_1, h)^s,$$

as required.