

Logical system with negligible probability

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Formalisation of proofs

– Academic significance

Not to prove a new theorem

To analyse the proof

To clarify the essence of inferences

– Industrial significance

Not to provide a new cryptographic function

To make the proof less mistaken and more dependable

To make the proof machine-checkable

To enable the proof to be circulated in non-mathematicians

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The notion of 'negligibly small probability' often occurs in arguments of cryptography.

For instance:

1. The difference of the probabilities of X and Y is negligibly small.
2. The difference of the probabilities of Y and Z is also negligibly small.
3. Therefore, the difference of the probabilities of X and Z is also negligibly small.

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Formal definition of negligibly small probability:

A value ϵ depending on the security parameter is *negligibly small* iff for any positive polynomial $p(\cdot)$, there is a number N such that for any security parameter $n > N$, it holds $\epsilon < 1/p(n)$.

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The argument with negligibly small probability is often like the following:

1. Put an arbitrary polynomial $p(\cdot)$.
2. $|\Pr[X] - \Pr[Y]| < 1/2p(n)$ for large n .
3. Also $|\Pr[Y] - \Pr[Z]| < 1/2p(n)$ for large n .
4. Hence $|\Pr[X] - \Pr[Z]| < 1/p(n)$ for large n .
5. Therefore the difference of probabilities $|\Pr[X] - \Pr[Z]|$ is negligibly small.

This argument uses a method of mathematical analysis.

A method of mathematical analysis is not easy.

It sometimes induces mistakes in proofs.

A method of symbolic processing is better than it.

Negligible probability often appear in the following form:

' $|\Pr[P] - 1/2|$ is negligibly small.'

We regard this as a modality for P .

We propose a formal logical system with this modality,
and prove a useful theorem in the formal system.

Aim: To propose a logical system with negligible probability
which proves privacy in Kawamoto voting protocol

All the other systems deal with only rigid probabilities.

Thus they can formalise the discussion below:

1. $\Pr[X]$ is exactly equal to $\Pr[Y]$.
2. $\Pr[Y]$ is exactly equal to $\Pr[Z]$.
3. Therefore, $\Pr[X]$ is exactly equal to $\Pr[Z]$.

On the other hand, they cannot formalise the following discussion:

1. $\Pr[X]$ is close to $\Pr[Y]$.
2. $\Pr[Y]$ is close to $\Pr[Z]$.
3. Therefore, $\Pr[X]$ is close to $\Pr[Z]$.

Our system can formalise this discussion.

$2 = \{0, 1\}$, $2^* = \cup_{n=0}^{\infty} 2^n$, $2^{<n} = \{x \in 2^* \mid |x| < n\}$,

$() \in 2^0$ denotes the empty word.

$1^n \in 2^n$ denotes a sequence of 1 of length n .

$0^n \in 2^n$ denotes a sequence of 0 of length n .

$x \in 2^m \subset 2^{<n}$ is encoded as $\phi_n(x) = x 1 0^{n-m-1} \in 2^n$

$y \in 2^n$ is decoded as $\psi_n(y) = x \in 2^m$ for $y = x 1 0^{n-m-1}$,

and $\psi_n(y) = ()$ for $y = 0^n$

For a PTIME function f over 2^* , the following holds.

There is polynomials p and q such that,

for each positive integer n ,

there is a sequence of logical circuits $C_1, C_2, \dots, C_{q(n)}$ such that,

the size of C_i is less than $p(n)$ for each $i = 1, 2, \dots, q(n)$,

and

for any $x \in 2^{<n}$,

$$f(x) = \psi_{q(n)}(C_1(\phi_n(x))C_2(\phi_n(x))\dots C_{q(n)}(\phi_n(x))) \in 2^{<q(n)}$$

$Circ_{n_1, n_2, \dots, n_k}(\dots)$ is an emulator of circuit, that is:

Let C be a circuit, and $c \in 2^*$ be the code of C .

For any $x_1 \in 2^{<n_1}, x_2 \in 2^{<n_2}, \dots, x_k \in 2^{<n_k}$,

$$Circ_{n_1, n_2, \dots, n_k}(c, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_k) = C(\phi_{n_1}(x_1)\phi_{n_2}(x_2)\dots\phi_{n_k}(x_k))$$

The code c of a circuit C is as large as a polynomial of the size of C .

$Circ_{\dots}(\)$ is a PTIME function.

There are PTIME functions f, f', f'' such that

$$Circ_{\dots}(f(c), x, y) = Circ_{\dots}(c, y),$$

$$Circ_{\dots}(f'(c, y), x) = Circ_{\dots}(c, x, y).$$

$$Circ_{\dots}(f''(c), x, y) = Circ_{\dots}(c, y, x).$$

Encryption Scheme (G^E, G^D, E, D):

– $G^E(x, y)$: encryption key of seed x and nonce y .

– $G^D(x, y)$: the decryption key for $G^E(x, y)$.

– $E(x, y, z)$: encryption function with key x , message y and nonce z .

– $D(x, y)$: decryption function with key x from encrypted message y .

G^E, G^D, E and D are functions over 2^* such that

$$D(G^D(s, r), E(G^E(s, r), m, r')) = m.$$

When nonces are regarded as probabilistic variables,

these G^E, G^D, E and D are regarded as probabilistic algorithm.

An encryption scheme (G^E, G^D, E, D) is

a *Encryption Scheme with Bound p* iff

- All of G^E, G^D, E, D are PTIME functions over 2^* .
- p is a polynomial.
- The computation times of $G^E(x, y), G^D(x, y)$ and $D(x, y)$ are bounded by $p(|x|)$ independently to y .
- The computation time of $E(x, y, z)$ is bounded by $p(\max(|x|, |y|))$ independently to z .

- There is a PTIME function f over 2^* such that the computation time of $f(x, y, z)$ is bounded by

$$p(\max(|x|, |y|, |z|)),$$

and that

for any $c \in 2^*, s, m, r, r' \in 2^{<n}, x \in 2^{<p(n)}$,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Circ}_{n,p(n),p^2(n),p^2(n)}(c, G^E(s, r), E(G^E(s, r), m, r'), x) \\ = \text{Circ}_{p(n),p^2(n)}(f(c, m, r'), G^E(s, r), x) \end{aligned}$$

An encryption scheme (G^E, G^D, E, D) with bound p has *indistinguishable encryption*, or is *ciphertext-indistinguishable*, iff

for any positive polynomials q, q', q'' where $q'(n) \geq n$,

for any sequence $\{c_1, c_2, c_3, \dots\}$ where $|c_n| < q''(n)$,

there is a number N such that,

for any $u > N$, for any $x_1, x_0 \in 2^{< q'(u)}$,

$$\begin{aligned} & \#\{(i, r, r') \in 2 \times 2^{< p(u)} \times 2^{< p(q'(u))} \mid \\ & \quad i = \text{Circ}(c_u, G^E(1^u, r), E(G^E(1^u, r), x_i, r'))\} \\ & < (1/2 + 1/q(u)) \cdot \#(2 \times 2^{< p(u)} \times 2^{< p(q'(u))}) \end{aligned}$$

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Kawamoto Voting Protocol

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & A & \\ e_{A1} = E(k_{V1}, s_{A1}, n_{A1}) & \swarrow \searrow & e_{A2} = E(k_{V2}, s_{A2}, n_{A2}) \\ s_{A1} = D(k_{V1}^{-1}, e_{A1}) & V_1 & V_2 \\ e_1 = E(k_C, \langle v_1, s_{A1} \rangle, n_1) & & s_{A2} = D(k_{V2}^{-1}, e_{A2}) \\ & & e_2 = E(k_C, \langle v_2, s_{A2} \rangle, n_2) \\ e'_1 = E(k_{MIX}, e_1, n'_1) & \searrow \swarrow & e'_2 = E(k_{MIX}, e_2, n'_2) \\ & MIX & \\ e_1 = D(k_{MIX}^{-1}, e'_1) & \Downarrow & e_2 = D(k_{MIX}^{-1}, e'_2) \\ & C & \\ v_1 = \text{left}(D(k_C^{-1}, e_1)) & \Downarrow & v_2 = \text{left}(D(k_C^{-1}, e_2)) \\ & BB & \end{array}$$

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Suppose that the intruder can look at both encrypted messages, but cannot send any message of identity fraud.

The privacy of that votes is provided by the indistinguishability of $E(k_{MIX}, e_1, n'_1)$ from $E(k_{MIX}, e_2, n'_2)$.

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That is formalised into that:

for any positive polynomials q, q', q'' where $q'(n) \geq n$,

for any sequence $\{c_1, c_2, c_3, \dots\}$ where $|c_n| < q''(n)$,

there is a number N such that,

for any $u > N$, for any $x_1, x_0 \in 2^{< q'(u)}$,

$\#\{(i, r, r_0, r_1) \in 2 \times 2^{< p(u)} \times (2^{< p(q'(u))})^2 \mid$

$i = \text{Circ}(c_u, G^E(1^u, r),$

$E(G^E(1^u, r), x_i, r_i), E(G^E(1^u, r), x_{1-i}, r_{1-i}))\}$

$< (1/2 + 1/q(u)) \cdot \#(2 \times 2^{< p(u)} \times (2^{< p(q'(u))})^2)$

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Informal proof — Hybrid argument

Each line is indistinguishable to the next:

$$\mathit{Circ}(c_u, G^E(1^u, r), E(G^E(1^u, r), x_1, r_1), E(G^E(1^u, r), x_0, r_0))$$

$$\mathit{Circ}(c_u, G^E(1^u, r), E(G^E(1^u, r), x', r'), E(G^E(1^u, r), x_0, r_0))$$

$$\mathit{Circ}(c_u, G^E(1^u, r), E(G^E(1^u, r), x', r'), E(G^E(1^u, r), x_1, r_1))$$

$$\mathit{Circ}(c_u, G^E(1^u, r), E(G^E(1^u, r), x_0, r_0), E(G^E(1^u, r), x_1, r_1))$$

The target is to formalise this proof.

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Algebra

Types: $\mathbf{b} \subset \mathbf{p}^0 \subset \mathbf{p}^1 \subset \mathbf{p}^2 \subset \dots$

Denotation of Types :

$$D_u(\mathbf{b}) = 2, D_u(\mathbf{p}^0) = 2^{<u}, D_u(\mathbf{p}^1) = 2^{<p(u)},$$

$$D_u(\mathbf{p}^2) = 2^{<p(p(u))}, D_u(\mathbf{p}^3) = 2^{<p(p(p(u)))}, \dots,$$

$$D_u(\mathbf{p}^n) = 2^{<p^n(u)}, \dots$$

where u is the security parameter and p is the bounding polynomial.

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Bivalent algebra

Constants and function symbols:

$$\mathbf{0} : \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{1} : \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{\Pi} : \mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{b} \rightarrow \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{\oplus} : \mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{b} \rightarrow \mathbf{b},$$
$$\mathbf{cond} : \mathbf{b} \times \tau \times \tau \rightarrow \tau.$$

Rules:

$(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{1}, \mathbf{\Pi}, \mathbf{\oplus})$ is a Boolean ring.

(Bivalence) $\mathbf{1} \neq \mathbf{0}$. Either $t = \mathbf{0}$ or $t = \mathbf{1}$ for $t : \mathbf{b}$.

$$\mathbf{cond}(\mathbf{1}, t, u) = t, \mathbf{cond}(\mathbf{0}, t, u) = u.$$

Cryptographic algebra

Function symbols:

$$\mathbf{ge}, \mathbf{gd} : \mathbf{p}^0 \times \mathbf{p}^1 \rightarrow \mathbf{p}^1$$

$$\mathbf{enc} : \mathbf{p}^1 \times \mathbf{p}^n \times \mathbf{p}^{n+1} \rightarrow \mathbf{p}^{n+1}, \mathbf{dec} : \mathbf{p}^1 \times \mathbf{p}^{n+1} \rightarrow \mathbf{p}^n$$

Rules: $\mathbf{dec}(\mathbf{gd}(x, y), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(x, y), m, n)) = m$

Circuit Algebra

Function symbol: $\mathbf{circ} : \tau \times \dots \times \tau' \rightarrow \mathbf{b}$

Semantics: $\llbracket \mathbf{circ}(c, x_1, \dots, x_n) \rrbracket = \mathit{Circ}(c, x_1 x_2 \dots x_n)$

Rules:

– For $c : \mathbf{p}^n$, there is $c' : \mathbf{p}^{n+1}$ depending only on c such that

$$\mathbf{circ}(c', x_1, \dots, x_n) = \mathbf{circ}(c, x_{i(1)}, \dots, x_{i(n)})$$

where $(i(1), \dots, i(n))$ is a permutation of $(1, \dots, n)$

– For $c, y : \mathbf{p}^n$, there is $c' : \mathbf{p}^{n+1}$ depending only on c, y and r such that

$$\mathbf{circ}(c', k, x) = \mathbf{circ}(c, k, x, \mathbf{enc}(k, y, r))$$

Syntax

Variables: V^τ for each type τ , $V = \coprod_\tau V^\tau$: a finite set.

All variable are regarded as probabilistic variables.

A non-probabilistic variable x is regarded as a probabilistic variable such that $\Pr[x = c] = 1$ for some constant value c .

If the value of a variable x is determined to be $\mathbf{1}$ or $\mathbf{0}$ in a nondeterministic process,

then, we regard that either $\Pr[x = \mathbf{1}] = 1$ or $\Pr[x = \mathbf{0}] = 1$, which is determined nondeterministically

Function symbols: The constants and function symbols of algebras.

Terms: constructed with variables and function symbols.

Unmodalled formulae: $F^U ::= t = u | \neg F^U | F^U \wedge F^U | \forall v F^U$

Modalled formulae:

$F^M ::= \mathbf{N}(t; t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n) | \circlearrowleft F^U | \square F^U | \neg F^M | F^M \wedge F^M | \forall v F^M$

where t and u are terms and $v \in V$.

$\mathbf{N}(t; t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n)$: The probabilistic distributions of t is even and independent to those of t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n .

$\circlearrowleft F$: The difference between 1/2 and the probability of F is negligible.

$\square F$: The probability of F is equal to 1.

Abbreviations:

$$t \sqcup u \equiv t \oplus u \oplus t \sqcap u, \quad \sim t \equiv 1 \oplus t,$$

$$\mathbf{N}(t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n; t'_1, t'_2, \dots, t'_m) \equiv$$

$$\mathbf{N}(t_1; t_2, \dots, t_n, t'_1, \dots, t'_m) \wedge \mathbf{N}(t_2, t_3, \dots, t_n; t'_1, \dots, t'_m) \\ (n \geq 2),$$

$$F \supset G \equiv \neg(F \wedge \neg G), \quad F \vee G \equiv \neg F \supset G,$$

$$F \supset\!\!\!\supset G \equiv (F \supset G) \wedge (G \supset F),$$

$$\exists x F \equiv \neg \forall x \neg F$$

The strength of connective powers is in the order:

$$\neg, \forall, \exists, \circlearrowleft, \square, \wedge, \vee, \supset, \supset\!\!\!\supset.$$

Semantics

An assignment w and a distribution μ
of parameter u and bounding polynomial p

For a type τ , $D_u(\tau)$ is defined as: $D_u(\mathbf{b}) = 2$, $D_u(\mathbf{p}^n) = 2^{<p^n(u)}$.

$w \in W_u = \{w : \prod_{\tau} V^{\tau} \rightarrow D_u(\tau)\}$. Note that W_u is finite.

$\mu : W_u \rightarrow [0, 1]$, $\sum_{w \in W_u} \mu(w) = 1$

We extend the domain of μ into the power set of W_u as:

$$\mu(E) = \sum_{w \in E} \mu(w) \text{ for } E \subset W_u.$$

A model M of polynomial p is

an infinite sequence $M = (\mu_1, \mu_2, \mu_3, \dots)$

where μ_i is a distribution of parameter u_i and bounding polynomial p
for an increasing sequence of integers $u_1 < u_2 < u_3 < \dots$

For $v \in V^\tau$, $e \in D_u(\tau)$, and $w \in W_u$,

the notation $w[e/v] \in W_u$ is defined as

$$w[e/v](v) = e \text{ and } w[e/v](v') = w(v') \text{ for } v' \neq v$$

For $v \in V$ and $w, w' \in W_u$, the relation $w \sim_v w'$ is defined as

$$w = w'[w(v)/v]$$

For $v \in V^\tau$ and $\mu, \mu' : W_u \rightarrow [0, 1]$,

the relation $\mu \sim_v \mu'$ is defined as, for any $w \in D_u$,

$$\sum_{e \in D_u(\tau)} \mu(w[e/v]) = \sum_{e \in D_u(\tau)} \mu'(w[e/v])$$

$$\text{that is, } \mu(\{\omega | \omega \sim_v w\}) = \mu'(\{\omega | \omega \sim_v w\})$$

\sim_v denotes the relation that two behave the same except for v

For $M = (\mu_1, \mu_2, \dots)$ and $M' = (\mu'_1, \mu'_2, \dots)$

$$M \sim_v M' \iff \text{for any } i, \mu_i \sim_v \mu'_i$$

Lemma \sim_v is an equivalence relation.

Lemma For $v, v' \in V$ and $\mu_1, \mu_2 : W_u \rightarrow [0, 1]$,

if $\mu_1 \sim_v \mu_3 \sim_{v'} \mu_2$ for some μ_3 ,

then $\mu_1 \sim_{v'} \mu_4 \sim_v \mu_2$ for some μ_4 .

Put an encryption scheme $S = (G^E, G^D, E, D)$

Function symbols **ge**, **gd**, **enc** and **dec** are interpreted into G^E , G^D , E and D .

Other constants and function symbols are interpreted in the standard way.

For a term $t : \tau$ and $w \in D_u$,

the interpretation $\llbracket t \rrbracket(w) \in D_u(\tau)$ is defined in the usual way.

The interpretation of an unmodalled formula

$$w \models F^U$$

is defined as follows, where $w \in W_u = \prod_{\tau} V^{\tau} \rightarrow D_u(\tau)$

$$w \models t = t' \iff \llbracket t \rrbracket(w) = \llbracket t' \rrbracket(w)$$

$$w \models \neg F \iff w \not\models F$$

$$w \models F \wedge G \iff w \models F \ \& \ w \models G$$

$$w \models \forall x F \iff w' \models F \text{ for any } w' \sim_x w$$

The interpretation of a modalled formula

$$M \models F^M$$

is defined as follows, where $M = (\mu_1, \mu_2, \dots)$ is a model:

$$M \models \neg F \iff M \not\models F$$

$$M \models F \wedge G \iff M \models F \ \& \ M \models G$$

$$M \models \forall x F \iff M' \models F \text{ for any } M' \sim_x M$$

$$M \models \mathbf{N}(t; t', t'', \dots) \iff$$

For any j , the following holds:

Let $\tau, \tau', \tau'' \dots$ be the types of t, t', t'', \dots .

For any $e \in D_{u_j}(\tau), e' \in D_{u_j}(\tau'), e'' \in D_{u_j}(\tau''), \dots$,

$$\begin{aligned} & \mu_j(\{\omega \in W_{u_j} \mid \llbracket t \rrbracket(\omega) = e, \llbracket t' \rrbracket(\omega) = e', \llbracket t'' \rrbracket(\omega) = e'', \dots\}) \\ & = (1/\#D_{u_j}(\tau)) \cdot \mu_j(\{\omega \in W_{u_j} \mid \llbracket t' \rrbracket(\omega) = e', \llbracket t'' \rrbracket(\omega) = e'', \dots\}) \end{aligned}$$

$$M \models \bigcirc F \iff$$

for any polynomial $q(\)$,

there is an integer N such that,

for any $j \geq N$,

$$\left| \mu_j(\{w \in W_{u_j} \mid w \models F\}) - 1/2 \right| < 1/q(j).$$

$$M \models \square F \iff$$

for any j and any $w \in W_{u_j}$, $w \models F$.

$$S \models F \iff$$

$M \models F$ for any M

where the function symbols **ge**, **gd**, **enc**, **dec** are interpreted into S .

Axioms

Detachment: $F \supset G, F \vdash G$.

Generalisation: $F \vdash \forall xF$.

Substitution: $t = t' \vdash F^M[t/x] \supset F^M[t'/x]$.

Necessity: $F^U \vdash \Box F^U$.

Variable generation: $\mathbf{N}(x; x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \supset F^M \vdash F^M$,

where all the probabilistic variables in F^M are listed in x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n .

Initial formulae:

Tautologies,

Axioms on equation: $t = t,$

$$t = t' \supset F^U[t/x] \supset F^U[t'/x],$$

Axioms on quantification:

$\forall x(F \supset G) \supset F \supset \forall xG$, where x does not appear in F ,

$$\forall xF \supset F[t/x].$$

Initial formulae:

Rules of algebras, where we formalise informal rules such as bivalence.

Dependencies are described as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{N}(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_m; c, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, z_1, z_2, \dots, z_l) \supset \\ & \exists c'. \mathbf{N}(y_1, y_2, \dots, y_m; c, c', x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m, z_1, z_2, \dots, z_l) \\ & \quad \wedge \mathbf{circ}(c, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = \mathbf{circ}(c', x_{i_1}, x_{i_2}, \dots, x_{i_n}) \end{aligned}$$

Where (i_1, i_2, \dots, i_n) is a permutation of $(1, 2, \dots, n)$

Initial formulae:

And that,

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{N}(z_1, \dots, z_l; c, x_1, \dots, x_m, y_1, \dots, y_n, r, z'_1, \dots, z'_k) \supset \\ & \exists c'. \mathbf{N}(z_1, \dots, z_l; c, c', x_1, \dots, x_m, y_1, \dots, y_n, r, z'_1, \dots, z'_k) \\ & \quad \wedge \forall kx. \mathbf{circ}(c', x_1, \dots, x_m) = \mathbf{circ}(c, x_1, \dots, x_m, y_1, \dots, y_n) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{N}(z_1, z_2, \dots, z_l; c, y, r, z'_1, z'_2, \dots, z'_m) \supset \\ & \exists c'. \mathbf{N}(z_1, z_2, \dots, z_l; c, c', y, r, z'_1, z'_2, \dots, z'_m) \\ & \quad \wedge \forall kx. \mathbf{circ}(c', k, x) = \mathbf{circ}(c, k, x, \mathbf{enc}(k, y, r)) \end{aligned}$$

Initial formulae:

Rules on independence:

$$\mathbf{N}(t; t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n) \supset \mathbf{N}(t; t_{i_1}, t_{i_2}, \dots, t_{i_n}),$$

$$\text{where } \{i_1, i_2, \dots, i_n\} \subset \{1, 2, \dots, n\}.$$

$$\mathbf{N}(t; t', t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n) \supset \mathbf{N}(t'; t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n) \supset$$

$$\mathbf{N}(t'; t, t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n)$$

Initial formulae:

Rules on Probability:

$$\Box(F \supset G) \supset \Box F \supset \Box G$$

$$\Box(F \supset G) \supset \Box F \supset \Box G$$

Calculation of probability:

$$\mathbf{N}(i; t, u) \supset$$

$$(\Box 1 = \mathbf{cond}(i, t, u) \supset \Box 1 = \mathbf{cond}(i, t \sqcup u, t \sqcap u)),$$

$$\mathbf{N}(i; t) \supset \mathbf{N}(i; u) \supset \Box 1 = u \supset$$

$$(\Box 1 = t \supset \Box 1 = \mathbf{cond}(i, t, u)).$$

Soundness

This axiomatic system is sound for the semantics.

It seems that this system is incomplete,

because the system mentions nothing on the behaviour of **circ**().

The system which proves useful theorems is useful,
even if it is not complete.

The proof of privacy of Kawamoto protocol

The followings are equivalent:

– $S = (G^E, G^D, E, D)$ has indistinguishable encryption.

– $S \models \mathbf{N}(i, r_1, r_0; c, x_1, x_0) \supset$

$$\bigotimes i = \mathbf{circ}(c, \mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), \mathbf{cond}(i, \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0)))$$

where $x_1, x_0 \in V^{p^1}$, $i \in V^b$, $r, r_1, r_0 \in V^{p^2}$, and $c \in V^{p^n}$.

We name this formula **IND**.

The indistinguishability supporting Kawamoto protocol's privacy is formalised as the following:

$$\mathbf{N}(i, r, r_1, r_0; c, x_1, x_0) \supset \bigcirc i = \mathbf{circ}(c, \mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), \\ \mathbf{cond}(i, \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0))), \\ \mathbf{cond}(i, \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1)))) \\ \text{where } x_1, x_0, c \in V^{\mathbf{p}^1}, i \in V^{\mathbf{b}}, r, r_1, r_0 \in V^{\mathbf{p}^2}.$$

We name this formula **IND-Priv**.

We will show that we can derive **IND-Priv** from **IND** in our axiomatic system.

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This equation is derivable:

$$\mathbf{circ}(c, \mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), \\ \mathbf{cond}(i, \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0))), \\ \mathbf{cond}(i, \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1)))) \\ = \mathbf{cond}(i, \mathbf{circ}(c, \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0)), \\ \mathbf{circ}(c, \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1))))$$

Therefore, the target formula is:

$$\mathbf{N}(i, r, r_1, r_0; c, x_1, x_0) \supset \bigcirc i = \mathbf{cond}(i, \\ \mathbf{circ}(c, \mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0)), \\ \mathbf{circ}(c, \mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1))))$$

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This equivalence is derivable:

$$i = \mathbf{cond}(i, t, u) \supset \mathbf{1} = \mathbf{cond}(i, t, \sim u).$$

Therefore, the target formula is:

$$\mathbf{N}(i, c; r, r_1, r_0) \supset \mathbf{1} = \mathbf{cond}(i, \mathbf{circ}(c, \mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0)), \sim \mathbf{circ}(c, \mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1)))$$

$$\mathbf{N}(i; t, u) \supset \mathbf{1} = \mathbf{cond}(i, t, \sim u)$$

denotes that t is indistinguishable to u .

This relation

$$\mathbf{N}(i; t, u) \supset \mathbf{1} = \mathbf{cond}(i, t, \sim u)$$

between t and u is an equivalence relation, thus transitive.

As preparation, this is derivable:

$$- \mathbf{N}(j; i, t_1, t_2, t_3) \wedge \circlearrowleft j = 1$$

$$\wedge \circlearrowleft 1 = \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1, \sim t_2) \wedge \circlearrowleft 1 = \mathbf{cond}(i, t_2, \sim t_3)$$

$$\supset \circlearrowleft 1 = \mathbf{cond}(j, \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1, \sim t_2), \mathbf{cond}(i, t_2, \sim t_3))$$

These equations are derivable:

$$- \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1, \sim t_2) \sqcup \mathbf{cond}(i, t_2, \sim t_3) = \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1 \sqcup t_2, \sim t_2 \sqcup \sim t_3)$$

$$= \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1, \sim t_3) \sqcup \mathbf{cond}(i, t_2, \sim t_2)$$

$$- \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1, \sim t_2) \sqcap \mathbf{cond}(i, t_2, \sim t_3) = \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1 \sqcap t_2, \sim t_2 \sqcap \sim t_3)$$

$$= \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1, \sim t_3) \sqcap \mathbf{cond}(i, t_2, \sim t_2)$$

Therefore, this is derivable:

$$- \mathbf{N}(j; i, t_1, t_2, t_3) \wedge \circlearrowleft j = 1 \supset$$

$$(\circlearrowleft 1 = \mathbf{cond}(j, \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1, \sim t_2), \mathbf{cond}(i, t_2, \sim t_3)))$$

$$\supset \circlearrowleft 1 = \mathbf{cond}(j, \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1, \sim t_3), \mathbf{cond}(i, t_2, \sim t_2)))$$

On the other hand, these are derivable:

$$- \mathbf{N}(i; t_2) \wedge \emptyset i = 1 \supset \emptyset 1 = \mathbf{cond}(i, 1, 0)$$

$$- \mathbf{N}(i; t_2) \wedge \emptyset i = 1 \supset$$

$$(\emptyset 1 = \mathbf{cond}(i, 1, 0) \supset \emptyset 1 = \mathbf{cond}(i, t_2, \sim t_2))$$

Therefore, these are derivable:

$$- \mathbf{N}(i; t_2) \wedge \emptyset i = 1 \supset \emptyset 1 = \mathbf{cond}(i, t_2, \sim t_2)$$

$$- \mathbf{N}(i, j; t_1, t_2, t_3) \wedge \emptyset i = 1 \wedge \emptyset j = 1 \supset$$

$$(\emptyset 1 = \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1, \sim t_3)$$

$$\supset \emptyset 1 = \mathbf{cond}(j, \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1, \sim t_3), \mathbf{cond}(i, t_2, \sim t_2))))$$

As the consequence, these are derivable:

$$- \mathbf{N}(i, j; t_1, t_2, t_3) \wedge \emptyset i = 1 \wedge \emptyset j = 1 \supset$$

$$(\emptyset 1 = \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1, \sim t_3)$$

$$\supset \emptyset 1 = \mathbf{cond}(j, \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1, \sim t_2), \mathbf{cond}(i, t_2, \sim t_3))))$$

$$- \mathbf{N}(j, i; t_1, t_2, t_3) \wedge \emptyset i = 1 \wedge \emptyset j = 1$$

$$\wedge \emptyset 1 = \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1, \sim t_2) \wedge \emptyset 1 = \mathbf{cond}(i, t_2, \sim t_3)$$

$$\supset \emptyset 1 = \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1, \sim t_3)$$

Therefore, by eliminating the variable j :

$$- \mathbf{N}(i; t_1, t_2, t_3) \wedge \emptyset i = 1$$

$$\wedge \emptyset 1 = \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1, \sim t_2) \wedge \emptyset 1 = \mathbf{cond}(i, t_2, \sim t_3)$$

$$\supset \emptyset 1 = \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1, \sim t_3)$$

By repeating the same discussion:

$$- \mathbf{N}(i; t_1, t_2, \dots, t_n) \wedge \circlearrowleft i = \mathbf{1}$$

$$\wedge \circlearrowleft \mathbf{1} = \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1, \sim t_2)$$

$$\wedge \circlearrowleft \mathbf{1} = \mathbf{cond}(i, t_2, \sim t_3)$$

...

$$\wedge \circlearrowleft \mathbf{1} = \mathbf{cond}(i, t_{n-1}, \sim t_n) \supset \circlearrowleft \mathbf{1} = \mathbf{cond}(i, t_1, \sim t_n)$$

We will show the indistinguishability of each line to the next:

1. $\mathbf{circ}(c, \mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0))$
2. $\mathbf{circ}(c, \mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x', r'), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0))$
3. $\mathbf{circ}(c, \mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x', r'), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1))$
4. $\mathbf{circ}(c, \mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1))$

It is sufficient to show the first.

We have

$$\begin{aligned} \exists c'. \forall kxy. \mathbf{N}(\vec{z}; c, x, y, \vec{z}') \supset \mathbf{N}(\vec{z}; c, c', k, x, y, \vec{z}') \wedge \\ \square \text{circ}(c', k, x) = \text{circ}(c, k, x, \text{enc}(k, y, r)) \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \exists c'. \forall x_1 x' r_1 r'. \mathbf{N}(r, r_1, r'; c', x_1, x_0, x', r_0) \supset \\ \mathbf{N}(r, r_1, r'; c', x_1, x_0, x', r_0) \\ \wedge \square \text{circ}(c', \text{ge}(1^u, r), \text{enc}(\text{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1)) \\ = \text{circ}(c, \text{ge}(1^u, r), \text{enc}(\text{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1), \text{enc}(\text{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0)) \\ \wedge \square \text{circ}(c', \text{ge}(1^u, r), \text{enc}(\text{ge}(1^u, r), x', r')) \\ = \text{circ}(c, \text{ge}(1^u, r), \text{enc}(\text{ge}(1^u, r), x', r'), \text{enc}(\text{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0)) \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \exists c'. \forall x_1 x' r_1 r'. \mathbf{N}(r, r_1, r'; c', x_1, x_0, x', r_0) \supset \\ \mathbf{N}(c'; x_1, x', r_1, r', r) \\ \wedge \square \text{cond}(i, \text{circ}(c, \text{enc}(\text{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1), \text{enc}(\text{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0)), \\ \sim \text{circ}(c, \text{enc}(\text{ge}(1^u, r), x', r'), \text{enc}(\text{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0))) \\ = \text{cond}(i, \text{circ}(c', \text{ge}(1^u, r), \text{enc}(\text{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1)), \\ \sim \text{circ}(c', \text{ge}(1^u, r), \text{enc}(\text{ge}(1^u, r), x', r'))) \end{aligned}$$

By IND,

$$\mathbf{N}(r, r_1, r'; c'', x_1, x') \supset$$

$$\begin{aligned} \circledast 1 = & \mathbf{cond}(i, \mathbf{circ}(c'', \mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1)), \\ & \sim \mathbf{circ}(c', \mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x', r'))) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\mathbf{N}(r, r_1, r'; c', x_1, x_0, x', r_0) \supset$$

$$\begin{aligned} \circledast 1 = & \mathbf{cond}(i, \mathbf{circ}(c', \mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1), x_0, r_0), \\ & \sim \mathbf{circ}(c', \mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x', r'), x_0, r_0)) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\mathbf{N}(r, r_1, r'; c, x_1, x_0, x', r_0) \wedge \circledast 1 =$$

$\mathbf{cond}(i,$

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{circ}(c, \mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_1, r_1), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0)), \\ & \sim \mathbf{circ}(c, \mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x', r'), \mathbf{enc}(\mathbf{ge}(1^u, r), x_0, r_0)) \\ &) \end{aligned}$$

Conclusion

We formalised the inferences on negligibly small probability.

Especially, we formalise the dependency of variables by the predicate **N**(;).