

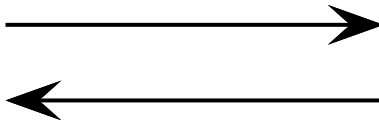
Vérification de protocoles cryptographiques en présence de théories équationnelles

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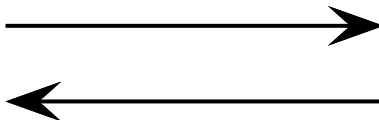
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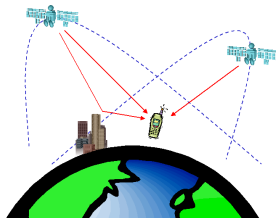
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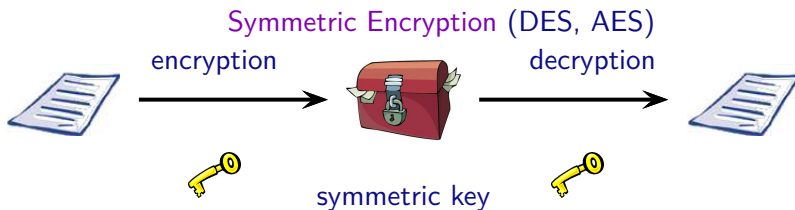
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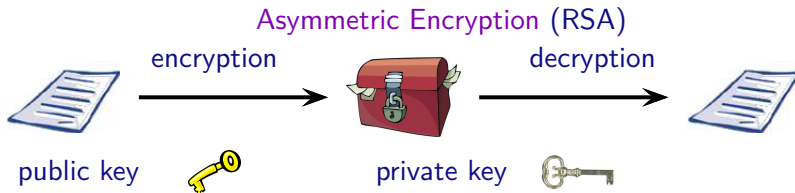
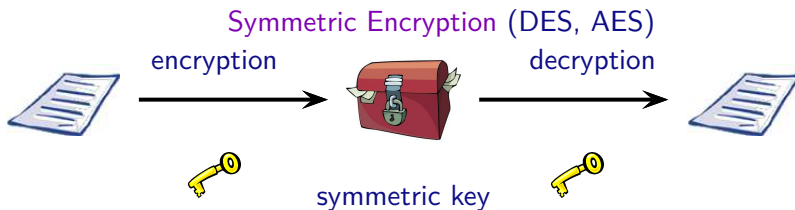
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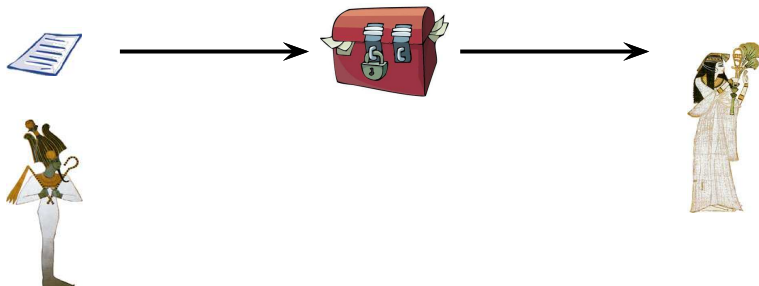
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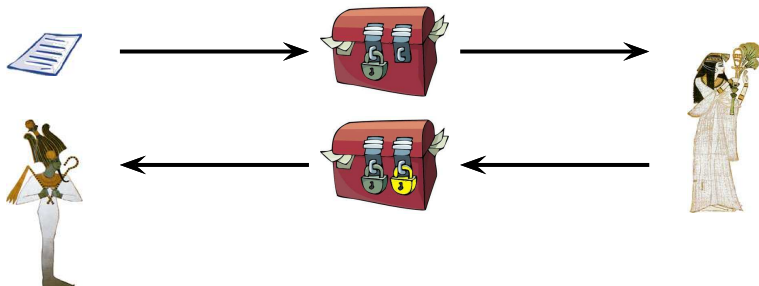
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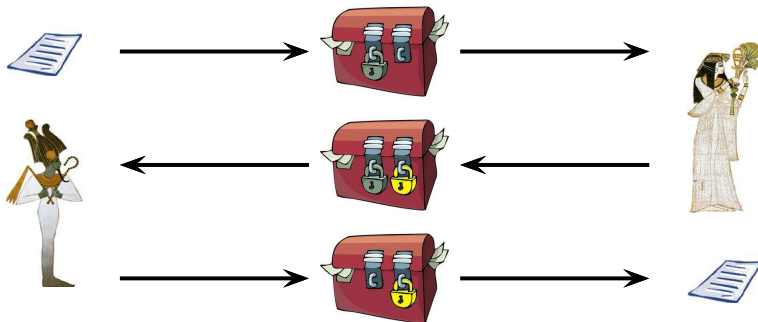
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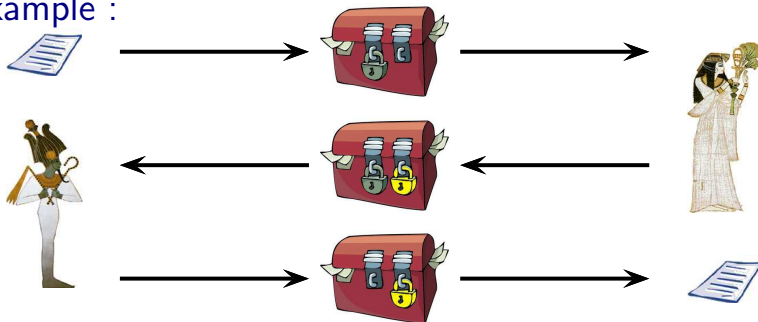
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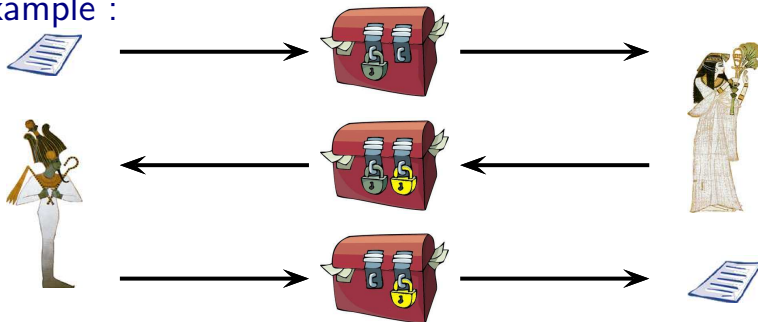
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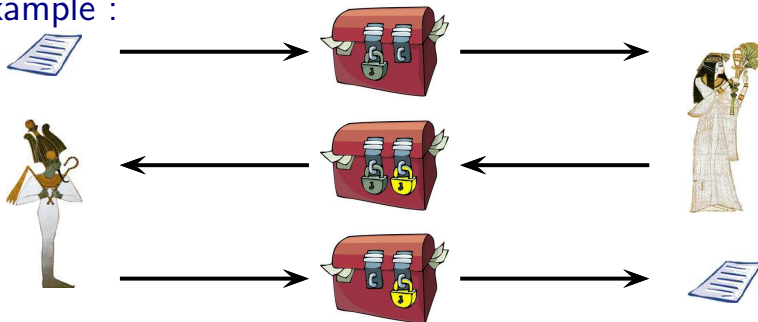
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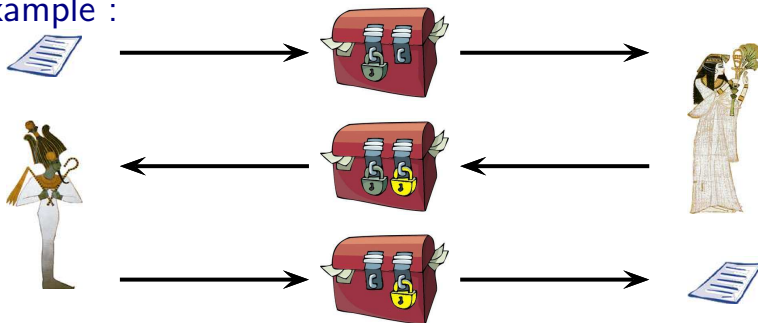
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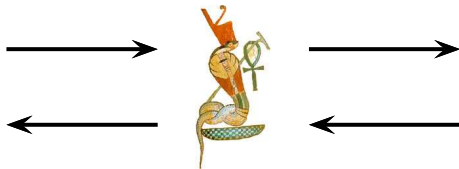
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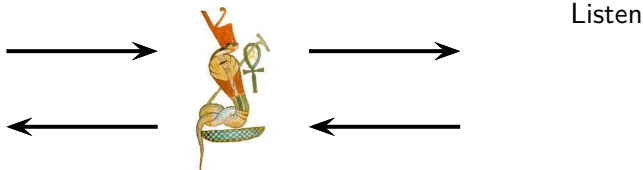
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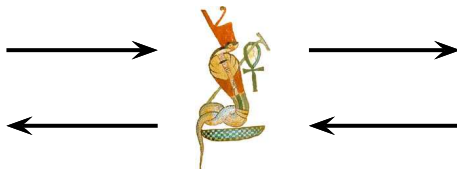


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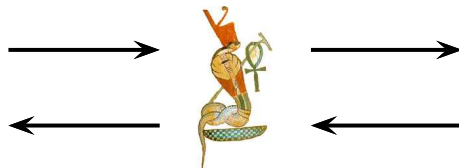
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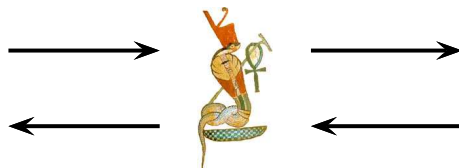
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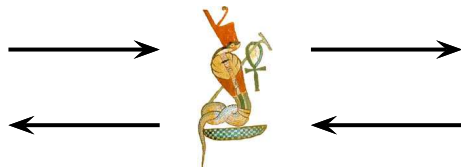
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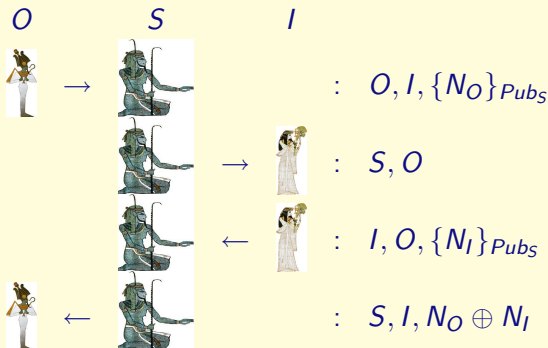
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TMN Protocol: Distribution of a fresh symmetric key

[Tatebayashi, Matsuzuki, Newmann 89]:

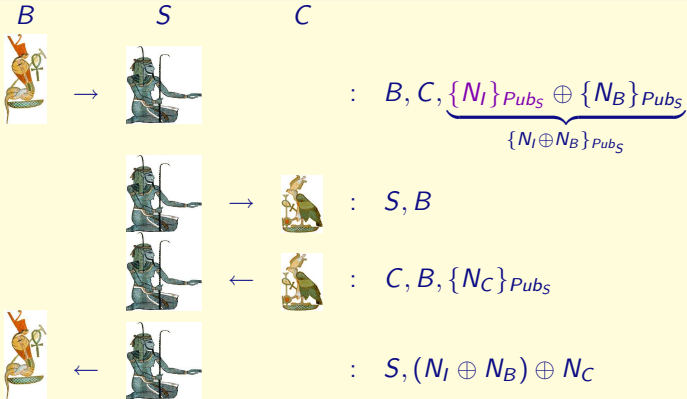


Osiris retrieves N_I :

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Attack on TMN Protocol [Simmons'94]

With homomorphic encryption $\{a\}_k \oplus \{b\}_k = \{a \oplus b\}_k$



Buto Learns:

Using $x \oplus x \oplus y = y$, knowing N_B and N_C , he deduces N_I .

Relaxing the perfect encryption hypothesis.

[Journal of Computer Security'06]

	Examples of Protocols	Intruder Deduction Problem	Security Problem
Commutative encryption	Shamir	<i>P-TIME</i> [CKRT'04]	<i>NP-Complete</i> [CKRT'04]
ACUN	Bull, Gong	<i>P-TIME</i> [CS'03,CKRT'03]	<i>NP-Complete</i> [CS03,CKRT'03]
AG + Exp	IKA.1	<i>P-TIME</i> [CKRTV'03]	<i>Decidable</i> [MS'03]
ACUNh	WEP	?	?
AGh	TMN	?	?

Combination Result [CR'06]

My contributions : Homomorphism property

Passive Intruder

- $h(x \oplus y) = h(x) \oplus h(y)$ [RTA'05]
 - ACh
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- $\{x \oplus y\}_k = \{x\}_k \oplus \{y\}_k$
 - Distributive Encryption [I&C] Submitted
(ACUN{.}. , AG{.}.)
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Active Intruder [ICALP'05]

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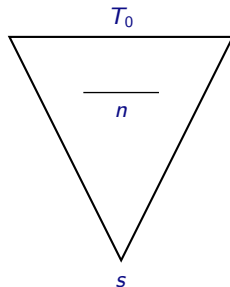
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Definition of S-Locality

- A proof P of $T_0 \vdash s$ is S-local :

$$\forall n \in P, n \in S(T_0 \cup \{s\})$$



Extended McAllester's Theorem

Let P be a proof system, if:

- P is S-local,
- the size of $S(T)$ is computable with complexity K_2 ,
- one-step deducibility is decidable with complexity K_1 ,

then provability in the proof system P is decidable in $\max(K_1, K_2)$.

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$$(M_E) \quad \frac{T_0 \vdash u_1 \quad \dots \quad T_0 \vdash u_n}{T_0 \vdash C[u_1, \dots, u_n]} \quad C \text{ is a context made with } \{h, \oplus\}$$

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Modeling a protocol as a system of constraints

The Intruder is the network, he can listen, build, send and replay messages.

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T_0 initial Intruder knowledge.

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If this system has a solution σ then the secret s can be obtained by the Intruder.

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Our Procedure

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Idea of the proof:

Let $\mathcal{C}$ be a W-D constraints system

- 1 From $\text{W-D } \Vdash$ to $\text{W-D } \Vdash_1$
- 2 From $\text{W-D } \Vdash_1$ to $\text{W-D } \Vdash_{ME}$
- 3 From $\text{W-D } \Vdash_{ME}$ to W-D equations systems
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From $W-D \Vdash$ to $W-D \Vdash_1$

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From $W-D \Vdash_1$ to $W-D \Vdash_{M_E}$

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(consider all the possible applications of rules (C) (P) (D) (UR) (UL))

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$$\mathcal{C} := \begin{cases} \langle a, b \rangle & \Vdash_1 \langle X, b \rangle \\ \langle a, b \rangle, X \oplus b & \Vdash_1 Y \oplus \langle a, b \rangle \end{cases}$$

Guess $\{\langle X, b \rangle = \langle a, b \rangle\}$, compute ACUNh m.g.u. $\theta : \{X \mapsto a\}$ [UNIF'06]

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Idea

Abstraction ρ to get a constraint system on signature: $\oplus$, h , and constant symbols.

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Lemma

Restriction to systems where abstraction preserves Well-Definedness is sufficient for completeness.

Example:

$$\mathcal{C} := \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} a, b & \Vdash_{M_E} X \\ a, b, \langle X, b \rangle & \Vdash_{M_E} \langle X, b \rangle \oplus Z \end{array} \right.$$

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- ② Guess equality on subterms $\Rightarrow$ WD M_E Constraints
- ③ Abstraction $\Rightarrow$ System of equations WD
- ④ Solve system of equations $\Rightarrow$ Attack on Protocol.

Conclusions & Future Works

	Complexity	
	Intruder Deduction Problem	Security Problem
ACUN_h	<i>EXP-TIME</i> [RTA'05]	<i>Decidable</i> [ICALP'06]
AG_h	<i>EXP-TIME</i> [RTA'05]	<i>Undecidable</i>
ACUN{.}. & AG{.}.	<i>EXP-TIME</i> Submitted	?
ACUN{.}. & AG{.}. Commutative	<i>2EXP-TIME</i> [Secret'06]	?

Future Works

Extensions

- Active case for distributive encryption.
- Complexity of our procedure (Active Case).
- General procedure for monoidal theories (AG, ACUN).

Applications

- Web Services.
- Elliptic curves.
- Others properties on new protocols:
Authentication, Fairness, Timestamps...
 - E-auction
 - Wireless

Thank you for your attention.



Questions ?