Pipelineable On-Line Encryption with Tag (POET)

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Section 1

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 - High throughput (40 100 Gbit/s)
 - Low latency (few clock cycles)
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- Drawbacks:
 - Plaintext information would leak if authentication tag invalid
 - Literature calls this setting *decryption-misuse* [Fleischmann, Forler, and Lucks 12]

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Decryption-misuse is not covered by existing CCA3-security proofs

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- The security notion of OPRP-CCA covers this behaviour [Bellare et al. 01]

On-Line Permutation



On-Line Pseudo Random Permutation (OPRP)

Like a PRP with the following property: Plaintexts with common prefix \rightarrow ciphertexts with common prefix

(Bellare et al.; "Online Ciphers and the Hash-CBC Construction"; CRYPTO'01)

OPRP-CCA

Definition (OPRP-CCA Advantage)

Let P be a random on-line permutation, $\Pi = (K, E, D)$ an on-line encryption scheme, $k \stackrel{\$}{\leftarrow} K()$, and A be an adversary. Then we have

$$\mathbf{Adv}_{\Pi}^{\mathsf{OPRP-CCA}}(\mathcal{A}) = \left| \mathsf{Pr} \left[\mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{E}_{k}(.), \mathcal{D}_{k}(.)} \implies 1 \right] - \left[\mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{P}(.), \mathcal{P}^{-1}(.)} \implies 1 \right] \right|$$

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Common network packets (TCP/IP, UDP/IP) have a checksum
 OTN: 16-bit integrity for free (per packet)

Section 2

CAESAR Submission POET

Pipeline On-Line Encryption (POE)



POE is a OPRP-CCA secure enc scheme [Abed et al. 14]

- Actually, it provides birthday bound security
- POE is used to process a message or ciphertext

POET Header Processing



We just borrowed the PMAC design [Black & Rogaway 02]Nonce is (part of) the header

POET



- Well pipelineable
- 1 BC + 2 AXU hash-function (*F*) calls per block
- Borrows tag-splitting procedure from McOE
- Robust against nonce- and decryption-misuse

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Nandi will give your more details about this in the next talk :-)

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Withdrawn Recommendation: GF-128 multiplication

Reason: Weak-Key Analysis of POET

Abdelraheem, Bogdanov and Tischhauser applied the observations of Cid and Procter [CidP13] to POET

https://eprint.iacr.org/2014/226

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We are looking for developers for high speed implementations (https://github.com/cforler/poet)

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$$\mathsf{Adv}_{\Pi}^{\mathsf{OPRP}\text{-}\mathsf{CCA}}(q,\ell,t) \leq 4\ell^2\epsilon + \tfrac{9\ell^2}{2^n-3\ell} + \mathsf{Adv}_{E,E^{-1}}^{\mathsf{IND}\text{-}\mathsf{SPRP}}(\ell+2q,O(t))$$

POET: INT-CTXT-Security

- INT-CTXT proof is game-based
- Combines the ideas from its OPRP-CCA proof and the INT-CTXT proof from McOE
- Details (→ CAESAR submission)

INT-CTXT Advantage

$$\mathsf{Adv}_{\mathsf{POET}}^{\mathsf{INT-CTXT}}(q,\ell,t) \leq (\ell+2q)^2/2^n + rac{q}{2^n-q} + \mathsf{Adv}_{\Pi}^{\mathsf{OPRP-CCA}}(q,\ell,t)$$

Restated Security Claims

	Dits of Security
Confidentiality for the plaintext	$\log_2(2^{128} - c \cdot \epsilon \cdot \ell^2)$
Integrity for the plaintext	$\log_2(2^{128} - c \cdot \epsilon \cdot \ell^2)$
Integrity for the associated data	$\log_2(2^{128} - c \cdot \epsilon \cdot \ell^2)$
Integrity for the public message number	$\log_2(2^{128} - c \cdot \epsilon \cdot \ell^2)$
Security against key recovery	128
Security against tag guessing	128

Yu Sasaki pointed out that *our stated security claims had been confusing*

Rite of Socurity

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Final Remark: Cryptanalysis, fruitful remarks and third party implementation etc. will be rewarded!



The End

Thank you for your attention!

POET Homepage

http://www.uni-weimar.de/de/medien/professuren/
mediensicherheit/research/poet/

Key Derivation



POET needs five 128-bit keys: K, K₁, and K₂, L, and L_T
They are derived from a 128 bit master key SK

$K = E_{SK}(0),$	$L = E_{SK}(1)$
$K_1 = E_{SK}(2)$	$K_2 = E_{SK}(3),$
$L_T = E_{SK}(4)$	

(currently I am analysing the case: $K_1 = K_2$ and $L_T = 7L$)