

# Double-Authentication-Preventing Signatures from Trapdoor Identification

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## Abstract

This paper presents efficient designs and software implementations of signature schemes that are double authentication preventing. We give a general transform for constructing these double-authentication preventing signatures (DAPS) from a class of identification schemes we call trapdoor. We instantiate this to get specific schemes, namely GQ-DAPS (based on RSA) and CF-DAPS (using claw-free functions). Our implementations, using OpenSSL's crypto library on an Intel Core i7, show that our DAPS schemes are not only significantly more efficient than prior DAPS schemes but competitive with in-use signature schemes that lack the double authentication preventing property.

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# 1 Introduction

DAPS. Double-authentication-preventing signature (DAPS) schemes were introduced by Poettering and Stebila (PS) [25]. In such a signature scheme, the message being signed is a pair  $m = (a, p)$  consisting of an “address”  $a$  and a “payload”  $p$ . Let us say that messages  $(a_0, p_0), (a_1, p_1)$  are *colliding* if  $a_0 = a_1$  but  $p_0 \neq p_1$ . The double-authentication prevention requirement is that there is an efficient extraction algorithm that given a public key  $PK$  and valid signatures  $\sigma_0, \sigma_1$  on colliding messages  $(a, p_0), (a, p_1)$ , respectively, returns the secret signing key  $SK$  underlying  $PK$ . Additionally, the scheme must satisfy standard unforgeability under a chosen-message attack [16], but in light of the first property we must make the restriction that the address components of all messages signed in the attack are different.

WHY DAPS? PS [25] discuss several potential applications. For completeness, let us briefly recall one. The Snowden revelations have shown that the NSA may coerce corporations into measures that compromise security. PS [25] consider, in this light, the subversion of certificate authorities (CAs) and the use of DAPS as a deterrent. Thus, suppose `example.com` has a (legitimate) certificate  $\text{cert}_1 = (\text{example.com}, pk_1, \sigma_1)$  from a particular CA such as Comodo, where  $pk_1$  is the public key of `example.com` and  $\sigma_1$  is the CA’s signature on the pair  $(\text{example.com}, pk_1)$ , computed under the secret key  $SK$  of the CA. Big brother induces the CA to issue another certificate  $\text{cert}_0 = (\text{example.com}, pk_0, \sigma_0)$  in the name of `example.com` where  $pk_0$  is a public key supplied by big brother, so that it knows the corresponding secret key  $sk_0$ , and  $\sigma_0$  is the CA’s signature on the pair  $(\text{example.com}, pk_0)$ , again computed under the secret key  $SK$  of the CA. With this rogue certificate in hand, big brother could impersonate `example.com` in a TLS session with a client, compromising security of the latter. But if the CAs signatures are produced with a DAPS, then  $\sigma_1, \sigma_2$  are valid signatures on the colliding messages  $(\text{example.com}, pk_0), (\text{example.com}, pk_1)$ , respectively, which means that anyone can extract the CA’s signing key  $SK$ . This would lead to public loss of reputation and business for the CA, increasing the CA’s incentive, or giving it an argument, to not comply with big brother’s request to create the rogue certificate.

PRIOR SCHEMES. PS [25] give a factoring-based DAPS that we call PS-DAPS. Its signature contains  $n + 1$  elements in the group  $\mathbb{Z}_N^*$ , where  $n$  is the length of a hash of the address and  $N$  is the modulus in the public key. Specifically, for 80-bit security (1024-bit modulus, 160-bit hash), a signature contains 161 group elements, for a length of 164,864 bits or about 20 Kbytes. This is a factor 161 times longer than a 1024 bit RSA PKCS#1 signature, more than enough to preclude use of the scheme in practice. Furthermore, signing and verifying times are significantly greater than for signature schemes currently used for certificates such as RSA PKCS#1 (cf. Fig. 11.)

If we want DAPS to be a viable practical option, we need DAPS schemes that are competitive with current non-DAPS schemes on *all* cost parameters, meaning signature size, key size, signing time and verifying time. This is what we deliver. We will actually obtain numerous schemes via a new and general paradigm that transforms a class of identification schemes we call *trapdoor* into DAPS schemes. For concreteness let us first sketch two particular DAPS schemes that we obtain in this way. Then we will discuss the transform.

CF-DAPS. In our CF-DAPS, the public key is a pair  $(f_0, f_1)$  of claw-free permutations on a domain  $D$  [16], the secret key being  $(f_0^{-1}, f_1^{-1})$ . To an  $l$ -bit string  $c = c[1] \dots c[l]$  we associate the permutation  $f_c: D \rightarrow D$  defined for  $x \in D$  via  $f_c(x) = f_{c[1]}(f_{c[2]}(\dots(f_{c[l]}(x))\dots))$ , and let  $f_c^{-1}$  denote its inverse. To sign message  $(a, p)$ , pick a random  $sl$ -bit  $s$  —the seed length  $sl$  is a parameter of the scheme— let  $Y = H_2(a) \in D$ , let  $c = H_1(Y || a || p || s) \in \{0, 1\}^l$ , let  $z = f_{0c}^{-1}(Y)$ , and return  $(z, s)$  as the signature, where  $H_1, H_2$  are public, collision-resistant hash functions. We omit

describing verification here; see Fig. 10 for a full description of the scheme. Given valid signatures  $(z_0, s_0), (z_1, s_1)$  on colliding messages  $(a, p_0), (a, p_1)$ , respectively, one can compute a claw for  $f_0, f_1$ —meaning an input  $x \in D$  such that  $f_0(x) = f_1(x)$ —leading to recovery of  $f_0^{-1}, f_1^{-1}$ . This yields double-authentication-prevention. We prove unforgeability assuming the difficulty of finding claws. Using a factoring-based instantiation of the claw-free permutations from [16] and exploiting some clever computational number-theoretic tricks from [15] we get an instance of CF-DAPS that we call MR-DAPS that is efficient on all fronts (cf. Fig. 11).

**GQ-DAPS.** In our GQ-DAPS, the public key is  $(N, e, X, TK)$  and the secret key is  $(x, d)$  where  $N = pq$  is an RSA modulus,  $e$  is an encryption exponent,  $d$  is the corresponding decryption exponent,  $x, X \in \mathbb{Z}_N^*$  satisfy  $X = x^e \bmod N$ , and  $TK = H_1(x) \oplus d$  where  $H_1$  is a public hash function. The keys are thus as in the GQ-ID identification scheme [17] except that we add  $d$  to the secret key and  $TK$  to the public key. To sign message  $(a, p)$ , pick a random  $sl$ -bit  $s$ —the seed length  $sl$  is a parameter of the scheme—let  $Y = H_2(a)$ —the commitment is not picked at random but determined uniquely by the address—let  $y = Y^d \bmod N$ , let  $c = H_3(Y || a || p || s) \in \{0, 1\}^l$ —the challenge—let  $z = yx^c \bmod N$  and return  $(z, s)$  as the signature, where  $H_2, H_3$  are public hash functions. We omit describing verification; see Fig. 9 for a full description of the scheme. Given valid signatures  $(z_0, p_0), (z_1, p_1)$  on colliding messages  $(a, p_0), (a, p_1)$ , respectively, one has GQ [17] conversation transcripts with the same commitment and different challenges—this is why we set the commitment to a hash of the address—and can use the GQ-ID Sigma protocol extractability property to extract  $x$ . This is not quite enough for double-authentication-prevention because we must also extract  $d$ . It was for this that  $TK$  was put in the public key: from  $x$  we can recover  $d = H_1(x) \oplus TK$ . We prove unforgeability under one-wayness of RSA, and efficiency is again good on all fronts (cf. Fig. 11).

**TRAPDOOR IDENTIFICATION.** By an identification scheme we mean a three-move Sigma protocol in which the prover sends a *commitment* computed using private randomness, the verifier sends a random *challenge*, the prover returns a *response* computed using the prior private randomness and its secret key, and the verifier computes a boolean decision from the conversation transcript and public key (see Fig. 2). We call such a scheme *trapdoor* if the prover can pick the commitment directly at random from the space of commitments and then compute the associated private randomness using its secret key. A formal definition is in Section 3.

Not all identification schemes meet our definition of being trapdoor. The GQ-ID of [17] does if we add  $d$  to the secret key as above. With similar changes to the keys, the Fiat-Shamir [14] and Ong-Schnorr [24] identification schemes are trapdoor. Another example is a factoring-based identification scheme mentioned in [22] that we will call MR-ID. But Schnorr’s (discrete-log based) scheme [28] is not trapdoor.

While examples of identification schemes with the trapdoor property exist in the literature as discussed above, no definition to capture and unify them had been given. Our definition of trapdoor identification schemes fills this gap, making visible a sub-class of identification schemes that we will see are powerful tools. We also give a new trapdoor identification scheme CF-ID that generalizes MR-ID.

**DAPS FROM TRAPDOOR IDENTIFICATION.** We present a way to convert any trapdoor identification scheme into a DAPS scheme. Our DAPS sets the commitment to a hash of the address, computes the private randomness via the trapdoor, and then follows a randomized version of the Fiat-Shamir transform [14, 1]. Additionally the public key is enhanced so that recovery of the secret identification key allows recovery of the full DAPS secret key. See Section 4.

GQ-DAPS is obtained by applying our transform to the GQ-ID identification scheme of [17]. CF-

DAPS is obtained by applying our transform to a trapdoor identification scheme based on claw-free permutations that we define and call CF-ID. The special case of the latter in which the claw-free permutations are given by the squaring modulo a composite construction of [16] is exactly the above-mentioned MR-ID identification scheme of [22], and in this case we denote the corresponding CF-DAPS by MR-DAPS. By applying our transform to the Fiat-Shamir [14] or Ong-Schnorr [24] identification schemes we can obtain further DAPS, but they are less efficient than MR-DAPS and GQ-DAPS so we do not pursue this.

Setting the commitment to a hash of the address ensures that the conversation transcripts corresponding to signatures of colliding messages have the same commitment, so that double-authentication prevention of the DAPS can be shown based on the Sigma protocol extractability property of the identification scheme (cf. Theorem 1). Next we discuss the proof of unforgeability.

UNFORGEABILITY OF OUR DAPS. Our proof of unforgeability of our DAPS, following the paradigm of AABN [1], is modular. First we establish unforgeability of our DAPS based on some general security property X of the identification scheme. Next we seek to establish X-security of the identification schemes we use under algebraic assumptions.

The choice we make for X is security against multiple impersonation attempts under passive attack, a notion we define and abbreviate *mimp*. Theorem 2 establishing unforgeability of our DAPS under the *mimp*-security of the identification scheme models the hash functions as random oracles. The proof uses a sequence of six games and appeals to *mimp* security twice. A simple hybrid argument (cf. Theorem 3) reduces *mimp* security to standard *imp*, security against impersonation under passive attack as formalized in [1]. *Imp* security of GQ-ID is established under the one-wayness of RSA by BP [6]. The reset lemma of the latter coupled with techniques from [16] establishes *imp* of CF-ID assuming claw freeness, which in the case of MR-ID reduces to factoring [16]. Putting all this together, unforgeability of GQ-DAPS is proven under the one-wayness of RSA and unforgeability of MR-DAPS under factoring.

The above discussed the reductions at a qualitative level. We now discuss the quantitative aspect, namely reduction tightness. The reduction of Theorem 2, showing unforgeability of our DAPS based on *mimp*-security of the identification scheme, is *tight*. Indeed, this was one reason we worked with *mimp*. However, reductions showing security of identification schemes based on algebraic assumptions are notoriously non-tight. We accordingly see these as qualitative support for the schemes, but will pick parameter sizes for implementations by direct cryptanalytic estimates of *mimp*-security.

The modular approach we use has many advantages over one that seeks to directly reduce unforgeability to algebraic assumptions. In the direct approach, we would need a new proof for each scheme and the proofs would also be significantly more complicated. More importantly, the modular approach allows us to separate the tight and non-tight parts of the reductions. We can then ask questions like whether *mimp* security of the identification scheme could be more tightly established under some different algebraic assumption. Indeed, in the case of GQ-ID, ABP [2] show *imp* security with a tight reduction to the  $\Phi$ -hiding assumption of [10].

IMPLEMENTATION. In theoretical cryptography, “efficient” often just means “polynomial time,” which is quite divorced from efficiency in practice. Some works measure “efficiency” by counting modular exponentiations or hash operations. Even these estimates can, in our experience, be moot. Implementation is key to gauge and show efficiency. We implement GQ-DAPS, MR-DAPS and the prior PS-DAPS using OpenSSL’s BIGNUM library on an Intel Core i7 machine for both 1024-bit and 2048-bit moduli. (The latter is what commercial CA’s currently use.) Fig. 11 shows the signing time, verifying time, signature size and key sizes for all schemes. GQ-DAPS, MR-DAPS emerge as around 150 times faster than PS-DAPS for signing and verifying while also having signatures

about 140 times shorter. In fact the Figure shows that GQ-DAPS, MR-DAPS are close to RSA PKCS #1v1.5 in all parameters and runtimes. This means that DAPS can replace the signatures currently used for certificates with minimal loss in performance.

NECESSITY OF OUR ASSUMPTION. Trapdoor identification schemes may seem a very particular assumption from which to obtain DAPS. However we show in Appendix B that from *any* DAPS satisfying double-authentication-prevention and unforgeability, one can build a trapdoor identification scheme that is mimp-secure and satisfies the Sigma protocol extractability property. This shows that the assumption we make is effectively necessary for DAPS.

DISCUSSION, RELATED WORK AND OPEN QUESTIONS. As a reader may justifiably point out, various issues must be addressed for PS's application of DAPS to the deterrence of certificate subversion, that we sketched above, to be a full solution. For example, there may be legitimate reasons for a CA to issue a new certificate in the name of `example.com` (the old one may have expired or been revoked) which at first glance is precluded by DAPS. Or, big brother might approach a different CA. (Indeed, the DAPS idea is inherently restricted to a single CA environment.) There are various answers to these questions which in particular are discussed to some extent by PS [25]. One might also ask why a CA would want, or agree, to use DAPS. Recently, we have seen Internet corporations taking steps to make subversion harder. Google's push for end-to-end encryption following the Snowden revelations is one instance. In another, Apple "reworked its encryption in a way that prevents the company ... from getting access to the ... user data stored on smartphones and tablet computers" [29]. A CA might similarly see espousing DAPS. We will not however attempt to address application issues in full here. Our motivation for this work has been theoretical interest (we find the primitive and problem technically intriguing) and the perspective that efficient, secure schemes are a necessary, even if not sufficient, condition for application. Whether DAPS as a concept has true practical utility remains to be seen, but, if it does, our schemes are better choices than prior ones.

MR [22] present a variant of the Fiat-Shamir transform called the swap method that turns their MR-ID scheme into a signature scheme with a tight reduction to factoring. AFLT [3] use a slight variant of the Fiat-Shamir transform to turn lossy identification schemes into signature schemes with a tight security reduction. ABP [2] obtain further schemes by the same method. These signature schemes however are not DAPS. Extending these ideas to obtain DAPS with tight reductions to standard algebraic problems is an interesting direction for future work. An anonymous reviewer of a prior version of this paper asked whether it is possible to instantiate our generic construction with lattice-based identification schemes from [19, 20].

Both our DAPS and that of PS [25] are proven in the random oracle model. This raises the foundational question of what are the minimal assumptions under which DAPS can be built in the standard model. Ordinary signatures are possible from any one-way function [27]. Is it possible to obtain DAPS from any one-way function? Or, can one give some evidence that this will not be true, for example by showing that DAPS implies a primitive like secret-key exchange that is not likely to be possible based on one-way functions [18]?

The DAPS property that the secret key is recoverable from signatures of colliding messages is conceptually similar to the recoverability of the spender's identity from double-spending of an e-coin in offline e-cash [11]. Whether this connection can be exploited to obtain new DAPS schemes is an open question.

<p><u>Game <math>\text{UF}_{\text{DS}}^A</math></u>  <math>(vk, sk) \leftarrow_{\\$} \text{DS.Kg}^{\text{H}}; A, M \leftarrow \emptyset</math>  <math>(m, \sigma) \leftarrow_{\\$} \mathcal{A}^{\text{SIGN}, \text{H}}(vk)</math>  Return <math>(\text{DS.Vf}^{\text{H}}(vk, m, \sigma) \wedge (m \notin M))</math></p> <p><u>Game <math>\text{DAP}_{\text{DS}}^A</math></u>  <math>(vk, sk) \leftarrow_{\\$} \text{DS.Kg}^{\text{H}}; (m_1, m_2, \sigma_1, \sigma_2) \leftarrow_{\\$} \mathcal{A}^{\text{H}}(vk, sk)</math>  <math>v_1 \leftarrow \text{DS.Vf}^{\text{H}}(vk, m_1, \sigma_1); v_2 \leftarrow \text{DS.Vf}^{\text{H}}(vk, m_2, \sigma_2)</math>  <math>(a_1, p_1) \leftarrow m_1; (a_2, p_2) \leftarrow m_2</math>  <math>sk^* \leftarrow_{\\$} \text{DS.Ex}^{\text{H}}(vk, m_1, m_2, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)</math>  Return <math>(sk^* \neq sk) \wedge (a_1 = a_2) \wedge (p_1 \neq p_2) \wedge v_1 \wedge v_2</math></p> <p><u><math>\text{SIGN}(m)</math></u>  <math>(a, p) \leftarrow m</math>  If <math>a \in A</math> then return <math>\perp</math>  <math>A \leftarrow A \cup \{a\}; M \leftarrow M \cup \{m\}</math>  <math>\sigma \leftarrow_{\\$} \text{DS.Sig}^{\text{H}}(vk, sk, m)</math>  Return <math>\sigma</math></p> <p><u><math>\text{H}(x, \text{Rng})</math></u>  If not <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}]</math> then <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}] \leftarrow_{\\$} \text{Rng}</math>  Return <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}]</math></p>
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Figure 1: Games defining unforgeability and extractability conditions of DAPS DS. The SIGN procedure is invoked by game UF while H is invoked by both games.

## 2 DAPS definitions

**SIGNATURES.** In a signature scheme DS, the signer generates signing key  $sk$  and verifying key  $vk$  via  $(vk, sk) \leftarrow_{\$} \text{DS.Kg}^{\text{H}}$  where H is the random oracle [7]. Now it can compute a signature  $\sigma \leftarrow_{\$} \text{DS.Sig}^{\text{H}}(vk, sk, m)$  on any message  $m \in \{0, 1\}^*$ . A verifier can deterministically compute a boolean  $v \leftarrow \text{DS.Vf}^{\text{H}}(vk, m, \sigma)$  indicating whether or not  $\sigma$  is a valid signature of  $m$  relative to  $vk$ . Correctness as usual requires that  $\text{DS.Vf}^{\text{H}}(vk, m, \text{DS.Sig}^{\text{H}}(vk, sk, m)) = \text{true}$  with probability one.

**THE DAP PROPERTY.** In a DAPS [25], a message  $m = (a, p)$  is a pair consisting of an *address*  $a$  and a *payload*  $p$ . Let us say that messages  $m_1 = (a_1, p_1)$  and  $m_2 = (a_2, p_2)$  are *colliding* if  $a_1 = a_2$  but  $p_1 \neq p_2$ . Double authentication prevention [25] requires that signatures on colliding messages allow anyone to extract the signing key. It is captured formally by the advantage  $\text{Adv}_{\text{DS}}^{\text{dap}}(\mathcal{A}) = \Pr[\text{DAP}_{\text{DS}}^A]$  associated to adversary  $\mathcal{A}$ , where game  $\text{DAP}_{\text{DS}}^A$  is in Fig. 1. The adversary produces messages  $m_1, m_2$  and signatures  $\sigma_1, \sigma_2$ , and an extraction algorithm  $\text{DS.Ex}^{\text{H}}$  associated to the scheme then attempts to compute  $sk$ . The adversary wins if the key  $sk^*$  produced by  $\text{DS.Ex}$  is different from  $sk$  yet extraction should have succeeded, meaning the messages were colliding and their signatures were valid. If G is a game, we are denoting by  $\Pr[\text{G}]$ —here and in the rest of the paper—the probability that the game returns **true**. The argument Rng to the random oracle H allows the caller to specify the set from which responses are drawn in a particular scheme, for example  $\mathbb{Z}_N^*$ . The adversary has  $sk$  as input to cover the fact that the signer is the one attempting—due to coercion and subversion, but nonetheless—to produce signatures on colliding messages. (And thus it does not need access to a SIGN oracle.) We note that we are not saying it is hard to produce signatures on colliding messages—it isn’t, given  $sk$ —but rather that doing so will

reveal  $sk$ . We also stress that extraction is not required just for honestly-generated signatures, but for *any*, even adversarially generated signatures that are valid, again because the signer is the adversary here.

UNFORGEABILITY. We also require unforgeability, captured formally by the advantage  $\mathbf{Adv}_{\text{DS}}^{\text{uf}}(\mathcal{A}) = \Pr[\text{UF}_{\text{DS}}^{\mathcal{A}}]$  associated to adversary  $\mathcal{A}$ , where game  $\text{UF}_{\text{DS}}^{\mathcal{A}}$  is in Fig. 1 [25]. This is the classical notion of [16, 7] except that addresses of the messages the signer signs must be all different, as captured through the set  $A$  in the game. This is necessary because the double authentication prevention requirement precludes security if the signer releases signatures of two messages with the same address. In practice it means that the signer must maintain a log of all messages it has signed and make sure that it does not sign two messages with the same address. A CA is likely to maintain such a log in any case so this is unlikely to be an extra burden.

DISCUSSION. Asking that the key  $sk^*$  returned by the extractor  $\text{DS.Ex}^{\text{H}}$  be equal to  $sk$  may seem unnecessarily strong. It would suffice if  $sk^*$  was “functionally equivalent” to  $sk$ , meaning allowed computation of signatures indistinguishable from real ones. Indeed, such a property is formalized in PS [25]. However our schemes achieve the stronger property we have defined, so we adopt it in our definition.

The DAP game chooses the keys  $vk, sk$  honestly. Allowing these to be adversarially chosen would result in a stronger requirement, also formalized in PS [25]. Our view is that our requirement is reasonable because the coercion happens after the CA and its keys are established. If the choice of keys is considered a potential source of vulnerability, one might generate them via secure computation between a few different parties.

### 3 Trapdoor identification schemes

We define a sub-class of identification schemes that we call trapdoor. Later we will show how any such scheme can be transformed into a DAPS. The trapdoor property is present in some known schemes but was not previously abstracted and formalized. We do this here.

IDENTIFICATION. An identification (ID) scheme  $\text{ID}$  operates as depicted in Fig. 2. First, via  $(isk, ivk, tk) \leftarrow_{\$} \text{ID.Kg}$ , the prover generates a private *identification key*  $isk$ , public verification key  $ivk$  and auxiliary information  $tk$ . Via  $(Y, y) \leftarrow_{\$} \text{ID.Cmt}(ivk)$  it generates *commitment*  $Y$  and corresponding private state  $y$ . The verifier sends a random challenge of length  $\text{ID.cl}$ . The prover’s *response*  $z$  and the verifier’s boolean *decision*  $v$  are deterministically computed. An example is the GQ scheme of Fig. 9. We require the obvious correctness condition. We also require the Sigma Protocol [12] extractability condition, which says there is an algorithm  $\text{ID.Ex}$  such that if  $Y_1 \| c_1 \| z_1, Y_2 \| c_2 \| z_2$  are accepting transcripts under  $ivk$  with  $Y_1 = Y_2$  but  $c_1 \neq c_2$  then  $\text{ID.Ex}$  given  $ivk$  and the transcripts returns  $isk$ . Formally we ask that  $\Pr[\text{EX}_{\text{ID}}^{\mathcal{A}}] = 0$  for all adversaries  $\mathcal{A}$ , where the game is in Fig. 2.

The auxiliary information  $tk$  is not used in a basic ID scheme. We use it when we say what it means for the scheme to be *trapdoor*. Namely there is an algorithm  $\text{ID.Cmt}^{-1}$  that produces  $y$  from  $Y$  with the aid of the trapdoor  $tk$ . Formally, the outputs of the following two processes are identically distributed. Both processes generate  $(isk, ivk, tk) \leftarrow_{\$} \text{ID.Kg}$ . The first process then lets  $(Y, y) \leftarrow_{\$} \text{ID.Cmt}(ivk)$ . The second process picks  $Y \leftarrow_{\$} \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk)$  and lets  $y \leftarrow_{\$} \text{ID.Cmt}^{-1}(ivk, tk, Y)$ . Both processes return  $(isk, ivk, tk, Y, y)$ . Here  $\text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk)$  is a space of commitments associated to  $\text{ID}$ . We let  $\text{ID.tl}$  denote the length of  $tk$ .

MIMP SECURITY OF ID SCHEMES. The first proofs of unforgeability of Fiat-Shamir signatures —by this we mean signatures derived from ID schemes via the Fiat-Shamir transform [14]— are



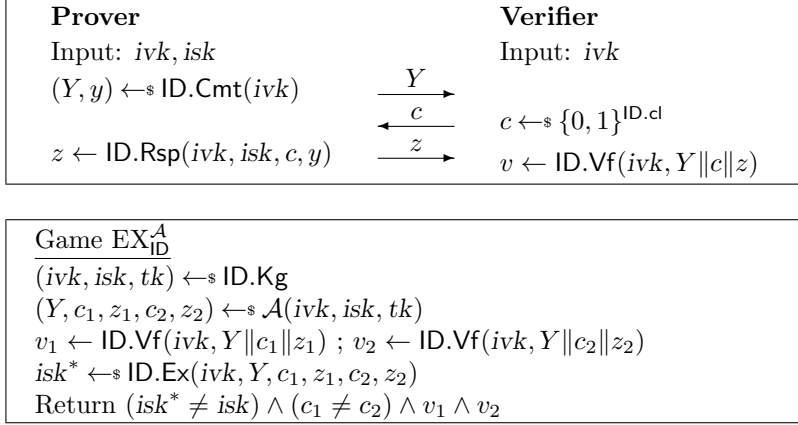


Figure 2: Functioning of an identification scheme ID and game defining its Sigma-Protocol extractability.

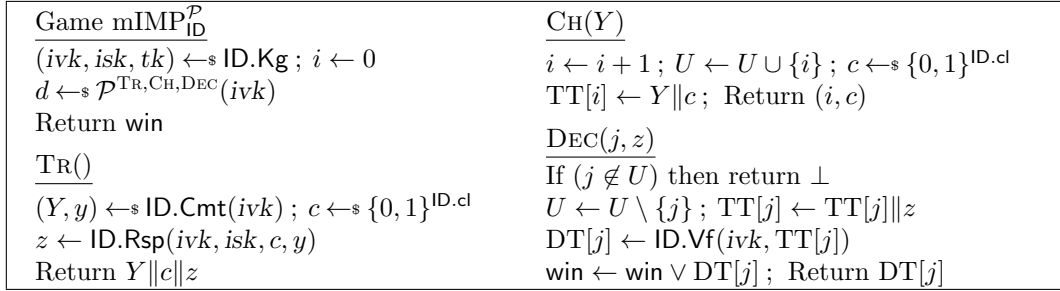


Figure 3: Game defining security of identification scheme ID against multi-impersonation under passive attack.

due to Pointcheval and Stern [26] and used their forking lemma. More general versions of the forking lemma followed [5, 4]. OO [23] and AABN [1] provide an alternative and more modular approach, the latter proving unforgeability assuming security of the identification scheme against impersonation under passive attack (imp). The latter can then be established, separately, via the reset lemma of [6]. We will extend this approach. We will define and use a new property of the ID scheme that we call security against *multiple* impersonations under passive attack (mimp). The gains —compared to using the forking lemma— are a simpler and more modular proof and better concrete security.

Recall that security of an identification scheme ID under impersonation [13, 6] considers an adversary who, given  $ivk$  but not  $isk$ , first attacks the honest,  $isk$ -using prover and then, using the information it gathers, attempts to impersonate the real prover by successfully identifying itself to the verifier. In this impersonation attempt, the adversary, in the role of malicious prover, submits a commitment  $Y$  of its choice, receives an honest verifier challenge  $c$ , submits a response  $z$  of its choice, and wins if  $\text{ID.Vf}(ivk, Y \| c \| z) = \text{true}$ . A hierarchy of possible first-phase attacks is defined in [6], but we will require security only against the weakest, namely passive attacks, where the adversary is just an eavesdropper and gets honestly-generated protocol transcripts. (Stronger active and even concurrent attacks are relevant in other contexts [6].)

However, this classic notion of security [14, 13, 6] allows only one impersonation attempt. Our mimp notion allows multiple attempts. The formalization considers game  $\text{mIMP}_{\text{ID}}^P$  of Fig. 3

associated to identification scheme  $\text{ID}$  and mimp adversary  $\mathcal{P}$ . The transcript oracle  $\text{TR}$  returns upon each invocation a transcript of an interaction between the honest prover and verifier, allowing  $\mathcal{P}$  to mount its passive attack. Adversary  $\mathcal{P}$  can mount an impersonation attempt through its  $\text{CH}$  and  $\text{DEC}$  oracles, winning if any attempt is successful. The integer  $i$  denotes a session id, unique for each impersonation attempt. We let  $\text{Adv}_{\text{ID}}^{\text{mimp}}(\mathcal{P}) = \Pr[\text{mIMP}_{\text{ID}}^{\mathcal{P}}]$ .

We show in Theorem 3 that mimp security is implied by standard single-impersonation security under passive attack ( $\text{imp}$ ) with a loss in the advantage of a factor equal to the number of impersonation attempts. Together with Theorem 4 this implies mimp security can be established under standard assumptions, for example one-wayness of RSA for  $\text{GQ-ID}$ . This means that in assuming mimp we are not incurring extra assumptions. But these reductions, like that of the forking lemma, are not tight. And cryptanalysis indicates that these factors are not real, but artifacts of the proofs. But our reduction of Theorem 2 to mimp security is *tight*. To avoid artificial inflation of security parameters, and corresponding loss in efficiency, when we instantiate and implement our schemes in Section 5, we pick parameters based on direct, cryptanalytic estimates of mimp security rather than on the bounds from Appendix A. This shows the benefit of mimp as a starting point.

## 4 Our general DAPS construction

We show how any trapdoor identification scheme can be transformed into a DAPS. We prove both that our DAPS is double authentication preventing and unforgeable. In the next section we will instantiate this general construction to get specific, efficient DAPS.

**THE CONSTRUCTION.** Let  $\text{ID}$  be a trapdoor identification scheme. Our **Tid2Daps** —trapdoor identification to DAPS— transform associates to it and a seed length  $\text{sl} \in \mathbb{N}$  a DAPS  $\text{DS} = \text{Tid2Daps}[\text{ID}, \text{sl}]$ . The algorithms of  $\text{DS}$  are defined in Fig. 4. Recall that in the Fiat-Shamir transform [14], the signer picks  $(Y, y) \leftarrow_{\$} \text{ID.Cmt}(ivk)$  as per the  $\text{ID}$  scheme and commits to these values by hashing  $Y$  with the message to create a challenge. We instead specify the commitment  $Y$  as a hash of the message address. This is done so that messages with the same address result in transcripts with the same commitment, putting us in a position to use the extractability of  $\text{ID}$  to achieve double authentication prevention. However, doing this means that it is not clear how in general to obtain  $y$ . This is where the trapdoor property comes in, allowing our signer to obtain it as  $y \leftarrow \text{ID.Cmt}^{-1}(ivk, tk, Y)$ . We then proceed as in Fiat-Shamir, except that we need a *randomized* version of the transform as specified in [1]. The randomization is captured by the seed  $s$  whose length  $\text{sl}$  was a parameter of our transform. The introduction of the trapdoor  $tk$  however creates a new difficulty, namely that extraction under the  $\text{ID}$  scheme will only recover  $isk$  and to achieve double authentication prevention we must recover the entire secret key  $sk = (isk, tk)$ . We resolve this by putting in the verification key a particular encryption, denoted  $TK$ , of  $tk$ , under  $isk$ .

**DAP-SECURITY OF OUR CONSTRUCTION.** The following confirms that double authentication prevention is achieved. This is relatively straightforward given the construction; the bigger challenge will be showing unforgeability. The number of (distinct) queries  $q$  of the adversary to  $\text{H}(\cdot, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}})$ , referred to below, is, formally, the number of queries made to this oracle in the execution of the game  $\text{DAP}_{\text{DS}}^{\mathcal{A}}$ , so that queries made not directly by  $\mathcal{A}$  but by game procedures are also counted. As a result it will always be the case that  $q \geq 2$ .

**Theorem 1** *Let DAPS  $\text{DS} = \text{Tid2Daps}[\text{ID}, \text{sl}]$  be obtained from trapdoor identification scheme  $\text{ID}$  and seed length  $\text{sl}$  as above. Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be an adversary making  $q \geq 2$  distinct  $\text{H}(\cdot, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}})$  queries. Then  $\text{Adv}_{\text{DS}}^{\text{dap}}(\mathcal{A}) \leq q(q-1)/2^{\text{ID.cl}+1}$ .*

<p><b>DS.Kg<sup>H</sup></b>  <math>(ivk, isk, tk) \leftarrow_s \text{ID.Kg}</math>  <math>TK \leftarrow tk \oplus H(isk, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}})</math>  <math>vk \leftarrow (ivk, TK); sk \leftarrow (isk, tk)</math>  Return <math>(vk, sk)</math></p> <p><b>DS.Ex<sup>H</sup></b><math>(vk, m_1, m_2, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)</math>  <math>(ivk, TK) \leftarrow vk</math>  For <math>i = 1, 2</math> do  <math>(a_i, p_i) \leftarrow m_i; (z_i, s_i) \leftarrow \sigma_i</math>  <math>Y_i \leftarrow H(a_i, \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk))</math>  <math>c_i \leftarrow H(Y_i \  a_i \  p_i \  s_i, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}})</math>  <math>isk^* \leftarrow \text{ID.Ex}(ivk, Y_1 \  c_1 \  z_1, Y_2 \  c_2 \  z_2)</math>  <math>tk^* \leftarrow H(isk^*, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}}) \oplus TK</math>  Return <math>(isk^*, tk^*)</math></p>	<p><b>DS.Sig<sup>H</sup></b><math>(vk, sk, m)</math>  <math>(a, p) \leftarrow m; s \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}^{\text{sl}}</math>  <math>(ivk, TK) \leftarrow vk; (isk, tk) \leftarrow sk</math>  <math>Y \leftarrow H(a, \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk))</math>  <math>y \leftarrow_s \text{ID.Cmt}^{-1}(ivk, tk, Y)</math>  <math>c \leftarrow H(Y \  a \  p \  s, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}})</math>  <math>z \leftarrow \text{ID.Rsp}(ivk, isk, c, y)</math>  <math>\sigma \leftarrow (z, s);</math> Return <math>\sigma</math></p> <p><b>DS.Vf<sup>H</sup></b><math>(vk, m, \sigma)</math>  <math>(ivk, TK) \leftarrow vk; (a, p) \leftarrow m; (z, s) \leftarrow \sigma</math>  <math>Y \leftarrow H(a, \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk))</math>  <math>c \leftarrow H(Y \  a \  p \  s, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}})</math>  Return <math>\text{ID.Vf}(ivk, Y \  c \  z)</math></p>
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Figure 4: Our construction of a DAPS DS = **Tid2Daps**[ID, sl] from a trapdoor identification scheme ID and a seed length sl  $\in \mathbb{N}$ .

**Proof of Theorem 1:** Consider the  $\text{DAP}_{\text{DS}}^{\text{A}}$  game of Fig. 1. Within this, consider the execution of the algorithm  $\text{DS.Ex}^{\text{H}}$  of Fig. 4 on  $vk, m_1, m_2, \sigma_2, \sigma_2$  where  $(m_1, m_2, \sigma_1, \sigma_2) \leftarrow_s \mathcal{A}^{\text{H}}(vk, sk)$ . Let  $Y_1 \| c_1 \| z_1, Y_2 \| c_2 \| z_2$  be the transcripts computed within. Assume  $\sigma_1, \sigma_2$  are valid signatures of  $m_1, m_2$ , respectively, relative to  $vk = (ivk, TK)$ . As per the verification algorithm  $\text{DS.Vf}^{\text{H}}$  of Fig. 4 this means that the transcripts  $Y_1 \| c_1 \| z_1, Y_2 \| c_2 \| z_2$  are valid under the ID scheme, meaning  $\text{ID.Vf}(ivk, Y_1 \| c_1 \| z_1) = \text{ID.Vf}(ivk, Y_2 \| c_2 \| z_2) = \text{true}$ . If the messages  $m_1 = (a_1, p_1)$  and  $m_2 = (a_2, p_2)$  output by  $\mathcal{A}$  are colliding then we also have  $Y_1 = Y_2$ . This is because verification ensures that  $Y_1 = H(a_1, \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk))$  and  $Y_2 = H(a_2, \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk))$ . So if  $c_1 \neq c_2$  then the extraction property of ID ensures that  $isk^* = isk$ . If so, we also have  $tk^* = tk$ , so that the full secret key  $sk = (isk, tk)$  is recovered. So  $\text{Adv}_{\text{DS}}^{\text{dap}}(\mathcal{A})$  is at most the probability that the challenges are equal even though the payloads are not. But the challenges are outputs of  $H(\cdot, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}})$ , to which the game makes at most  $q$  queries. So the probability that these challenges collide is at most  $q(q-1)/2^{\text{ID.cl}+1}$ .  $\blacksquare$

**UNFORGEABILITY OF OUR CONSTRUCTION.** The following shows that the unforgeability of our DAPS tightly reduces to the mimp security of the underlying ID scheme. As before, the number of queries by  $\mathcal{A}$  to some oracle includes the number made in the game, and similarly the running time of an adversary is the total execution time of the game, the time used by oracles included.

**Theorem 2** *Let DAPS DS = **Tid2Daps**[ID, sl] be obtained from trapdoor identification scheme ID and seed length sl as above. Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be a uf-adversary against DS. Suppose the number of queries that  $\mathcal{A}$  makes to its  $H(\cdot, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}})$ ,  $H(\cdot, \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk))$ ,  $H(\cdot, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}})$ , SIGN oracles are, respectively,  $q_1, q_2, q_3, q_s$ , where  $ivk$  is as in game  $\text{UF}_{\text{DS}}^{\text{A}}$ . Then from  $\mathcal{A}$  we can construct mimp adversaries  $\mathcal{P}_1, \mathcal{P}_2$  such that*

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{Adv}_{\text{DS}}^{\text{uf}}(\mathcal{A}) \\ & \leq \text{Adv}_{\text{ID}}^{\text{mimp}}(\mathcal{P}_1) + \text{Adv}_{\text{ID}}^{\text{mimp}}(\mathcal{P}_2) + \frac{q_s(2q_3 + q_s - 1)}{2^{\text{sl}+1}}. \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

*Adversaries  $\mathcal{P}_1, \mathcal{P}_2$  make  $q_2 + q_s + 1$  queries to TR. Adversary  $\mathcal{P}_1$  makes  $q_3$  queries to CH and one query to DEC. Adversary  $\mathcal{P}_2$  makes  $q_1$  queries to CH and DEC. The running time of adversaries*

<p>Game <math>G_0/\boxed{G_1}</math></p> <p><math>(ivk, isk, tk) \leftarrow_s \text{ID.Kg}</math>  <math>TK \leftarrow tk \oplus H(isk, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}})</math>  <math>vk \leftarrow (ivk, TK); sk \leftarrow (isk, tk)</math>  <math>(m, \sigma) \leftarrow_s \mathcal{A}^{\text{SIGN}, H}(vk)</math>  Return <math>\text{DS.Vf}^H(vk, m, \sigma)</math></p> <p><math>\overline{H(x, \text{Rng})}</math>  If not <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}]</math> then  <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}] \leftarrow_s \text{Rng}</math>  Return <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}]</math></p>	<p><math>\text{SIGN}(m)</math></p> <p><math>(a, p) \leftarrow m; s \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}^{\text{sl}}</math>  <math>(ivk, TK) \leftarrow vk; (isk, tk) \leftarrow sk</math>  <math>Y \leftarrow H(a, \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk))</math>  <math>y \leftarrow_s \text{ID.Cmt}^{-1}(ivk, tk, Y)</math>  If (not <math>\text{HT}[Y  a  p  s, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}]</math>) then  <math>\text{HT}[Y  a  p  s, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}] \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}</math>  Else  <math>\text{bad} \leftarrow \text{true};</math>  <math>\boxed{\text{HT}[Y  a  p  s, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}] \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}}</math>  <math>c \leftarrow \text{HT}[Y  a  p  s, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}]</math>  <math>z \leftarrow \text{ID.Rsp}(ivk, isk, c, y)</math>  <math>\sigma \leftarrow (z, s); \text{Return } \sigma</math></p>
<p>Game <math>\boxed{G_2}/G_3</math></p> <p><math>(ivk, isk, tk) \leftarrow_s \text{ID.Kg}</math>  <math>TK \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}}</math>  <math>vk \leftarrow (ivk, TK); sk \leftarrow (isk, tk)</math>  <math>(m, \sigma) \leftarrow_s \mathcal{A}^{\text{SIGN}, H}(vk)</math>  Return <math>\text{DS.Vf}^H(vk, m, \sigma)</math></p> <p><math>\overline{H(x, \text{Rng})}</math>  If not <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}]</math> then  <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}] \leftarrow_s \text{Rng}</math>  If <math>((\text{Rng} = \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}}) \wedge (x = isk))</math> then  <math>\text{bad} \leftarrow \text{true}; \boxed{\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}] \leftarrow TK \oplus tk}</math>  Return <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}]</math></p>	<p><math>\text{SIGN}(m)</math></p> <p><math>(a, p) \leftarrow m; s \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}^{\text{sl}}</math>  <math>(ivk, TK) \leftarrow vk; (isk, tk) \leftarrow sk</math>  <math>Y \leftarrow H(a, \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk))</math>  <math>y \leftarrow_s \text{ID.Cmt}^{-1}(ivk, tk, Y)</math>  <math>c \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}</math>  <math>\text{HT}[Y  a  p  s, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}] \leftarrow c</math>  <math>z \leftarrow \text{ID.Rsp}(ivk, isk, c, y)</math>  <math>\sigma \leftarrow (z, s); \text{Return } \sigma</math></p>

Figure 5: Games for proof of Theorem 2. Games  $G_1, G_2$  include the boxed code and games  $G_0, G_3$  do not.

$\mathcal{P}_1, \mathcal{P}_2$  is that of  $\mathcal{A}$  plus some small overhead. In the case of  $\mathcal{P}_2$  the overhead amounts to  $q_1$  executions of the ID protocol.

**Proof of of Theorem 2:** We assume that  $\mathcal{A}$  avoids certain pointless behavior that would only cause it to lose. Thus, we assume that, in the messages it queries to  $\text{SIGN}$ , the addresses are all different. Also we assume it did not query to  $\text{SIGN}$  the message  $m$  in the forgery  $(m, \sigma)$  that it eventually outputs. The two together mean that the sets  $A, M$  in game  $\text{UF}_{\text{DS}}^A$ , and the code and checks associated with them, are redundant and can be removed. We will work with this simplified form of the game.

When procedure  $\text{SIGN}$  is replying to signing query  $m = (a, p)$ , it first computes  $Y$  and picks  $s$ . We would like that, at this point, it can define the table entry  $\text{HT}[Y||a||p||s, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}]$  without caring whether it was already defined. (This is to allow an eventual impersonation adversary to program this RO response with a challenge emanating from a transcript obtained from the transcript oracle.) In general, of course, this would be wrong, but intuitively the random choice of  $s$  means it is usually right. (This indeed is why we have the seed in the scheme.) To show this formally we consider the games  $G_0, G_1$  of Fig. 5. Game  $G_0$  excludes the boxed code, so that its  $\text{SIGN}$  procedure defines  $\text{HT}[Y||a||p||s, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}]$  only when this entry was not already defined, but game  $G_1$  includes the boxed code, so that  $\text{SIGN}$  defines this entry always, as we would like. But these games are identical-

until-bad [8], meaning differ only in code that follows the setting of the boolean flag `bad` to `true`. So we have

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{Adv}_{\text{DS}}^{\text{uf}}(\mathcal{A}) &= \Pr[G_0] = \Pr[G_1] + \Pr[G_0] - \Pr[G_1] \\ &\leq \Pr[G_1] + \Pr[G_0 \text{ sets bad}] , \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

where the inequality is by the Fundamental Lemma of Game Playing of [8]. The random choice of  $s$  made by procedure `SIGN` ensures

$$\Pr[G_0 \text{ sets bad}] \leq \sum_{i=0}^{q_s-1} \frac{q_3 + i}{2^{sl}} = \frac{q_s(2q_3 + q_s - 1)}{2^{sl+1}} . \quad (3)$$

Now we need to bound  $\Pr[G_1]$ . We start by considering whether the ciphertext  $TK \leftarrow tk \oplus H(isk, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}})$  helps  $\mathcal{A}$  over and above access to `SIGN`. Consider the games  $G_2, G_3$  of Fig. 5. They pick  $TK$  directly at random rather than as prescribed in the scheme. However, via the boxed code that it contains, game  $G_2$  compensates, replying to  $H(\cdot, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}})$  queries in such a way that  $TK = tk \oplus H(isk, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}})$ . Thus  $G_2$  is equivalent to  $G_1$ . Game  $G_3$  omits the boxed code, but the games are identical-until-bad. So we have

$$\begin{aligned} \Pr[G_1] &= \Pr[G_2] = \Pr[G_3] + \Pr[G_2] - \Pr[G_3] \\ &\leq \Pr[G_3] + \Pr[G_3 \text{ sets bad}] , \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

where again the inequality is by the Fundamental Lemma of Game Playing of [8]. Now we have two tasks, namely to bound  $\Pr[G_3]$  and to bound  $\Pr[G_3 \text{ sets bad}]$ . The first corresponds to showing that  $\mathcal{A}$  cannot forge if the ciphertext  $TK$  is random, and the second corresponds to showing that changing the ciphertext to random makes little difference. Both bounds will rely on the assumed mimp security of `ID`.

To bound  $\Pr[G_3]$ , consider game  $G_4$  of Fig. 6. Towards using mimp, this game refrains from using  $isk$  directly in procedure `SIGN`. Instead, it begins by generating conversation transcripts  $Y_i \| c_i \| z_i$  and has `SIGN` use these. To make this possible,  $H(\cdot, \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk))$  values are set to the transcript commitments. Then `SIGN` retrieves the corresponding commitment  $Y$ , sets  $\text{HT}[Y \| a \| p \| s, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}]$  to the challenge from the same transcript, and puts the corresponding response in the signature. Since the signatures are correctly distributed we have

$$\Pr[G_3] = \Pr[G_4] . \quad (5)$$

We build mimp adversary  $\mathcal{P}_1$  so that

$$\Pr[G_4] \leq \mathbf{Adv}_{\text{ID}}^{\text{mimp}}(\mathcal{P}_1) . \quad (6)$$

Game  $G_4$  was crafted exactly to make the construction of adversary  $\mathcal{P}_1$  quite direct. The construction is described in detail in Fig. 7. Adversary  $\mathcal{P}_1$  has access to oracles `TR`, `CH`, `DEC` as per game  $\text{mIMP}_{\text{ID}}^{\mathcal{P}_1}$  in which it is executing. It runs  $\mathcal{A}$ , simulating answers to  $\mathcal{A}$ 's queries to `SIGN` and `H` as shown. It obtains conversation transcripts using its `TR` oracle to play the role of the ones generated in  $G_4$ . Using these, `SIGN` can be simulated as per game  $G_4$ . Oracle  $H(\cdot, \text{Rng})$  is simulated as in  $G_4$  when  $\text{Rng} = \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}}$  or  $\text{Rng} = \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk)$ . When a query  $x$  is made to  $H(\cdot, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}})$ , adversary  $\mathcal{P}_1$  parses  $x$  as  $Y \| a \| p \| s$ , sends  $Y$  to its challenge oracle `CH` to get back a challenge, and returns this challenge as the response to the oracle query. Finally when  $\mathcal{A}$  produces a forgery, the session id corresponding to the commitment and challenge in the forgery is retrieved via `Ind3`. Now this session is completed by querying the response in the forged signature to the decision oracle `DEC`. We need to show that the impersonation is successful as long as the forgery was valid. A

<p><u>Game <math>G_4</math></u>  <math>(ivk, isk, tk) \leftarrow_s \text{ID.Kg}</math>  <math>TK \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}}</math>  <math>vk \leftarrow (ivk, TK)</math>  For <math>i = 1, \dots, q_2 + q_s + 1</math> do  <math>(Y_i, y_i) \leftarrow_s \text{ID.Cmt}(ivk)</math>  <math>c_i \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}</math>  <math>z_i \leftarrow \text{ID.Rsp}(ivk, isk, c_i, y_i)</math>  <math>i_2 \leftarrow 0</math>  <math>(m, \sigma) \leftarrow_s \mathcal{A}^{\text{SIGN}, \text{H}}(vk)</math>  <math>(a, p) \leftarrow m; (z, s) \leftarrow \sigma</math>  <math>Y \leftarrow \text{H}(a, \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk))</math>  <math>c \leftarrow \text{H}(Y \  a \  p \  s, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}})</math>  Return <math>\text{ID.Vf}(ivk, Y \  c \  z)</math></p> <p><u>Game <math>G_5</math></u>  <math>(ivk, isk, tk) \leftarrow_s \text{ID.Kg}</math>  <math>TK \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}}</math>  <math>vk \leftarrow (ivk, TK)</math>  For <math>i = 1, \dots, q_2 + q_s + 1</math> do  <math>(Y_i, y_i) \leftarrow_s \text{ID.Cmt}(ivk)</math>  <math>c_i \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}</math>  <math>z_i \leftarrow \text{ID.Rsp}(ivk, isk, c_i, y_i)</math>  <math>i_2 \leftarrow 0; T \leftarrow \emptyset</math>  <math>(m, \sigma) \leftarrow_s \mathcal{A}^{\text{SIGN}, \text{H}}(vk)</math>  Return <math>(isk \in T)</math></p>	<p><u><math>\text{SIGN}(m)</math> // <math>G_4, G_5</math></u>  <math>(a, p) \leftarrow m; s \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}^{\text{sl}}</math>  <math>Y \leftarrow \text{H}(a, \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk))</math>  <math>i \leftarrow \text{Ind}_2(a)</math>  <math>\text{HT}[Y \  a \  p \  s, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}] \leftarrow c_i</math>  <math>\sigma \leftarrow (z_i, s); \text{Return } \sigma</math></p> <p><u><math>\text{H}(x, \text{Rng})</math> // <math>G_4</math></u>  If (not <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}]</math>) then    If <math>((\text{Rng} = \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}}) \vee (\text{Rng} = \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}))</math> then      <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}] \leftarrow_s \text{Rng}</math>    If <math>(\text{Rng} = \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk))</math> then      <math>i_2 \leftarrow i_2 + 1; \text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}] \leftarrow Y_{i_2}; \text{Ind}_2(x) \leftarrow i_2</math>  Return <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}]</math></p> <p><u><math>\text{H}(x, \text{Rng})</math> // <math>G_5</math></u>  If (not <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}]</math>) then    If <math>(\text{Rng} = \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}})</math> then      <math>T \leftarrow T \cup \{x\}; \text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}] \leftarrow_s \text{Rng}</math>    If <math>(\text{Rng} = \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}})</math> then      <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}] \leftarrow_s \text{Rng}</math>    If <math>(\text{Rng} = \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk))</math> then      <math>i_2 \leftarrow i_2 + 1; \text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}] \leftarrow Y_{i_2}; \text{Ind}_2(x) \leftarrow i_2</math>  Return <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}]</math></p>
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Figure 6: More games for the proof of Theorem 2.

somewhat delicate point is that we use the fact that the message  $m$  in the forgery was not a SIGN query. This is what ensures that a session corresponding to the forgery conversation exists.

To bound  $\Pr[\mathcal{G}_3 \text{ sets bad}]$ , consider game  $G_5$  of Fig. 6. It answers SIGN queries just like  $G_4$ , and the only modification in answering H queries is to keep track of queries to  $\text{H}(\cdot, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}})$  in the set  $T$ . The game ignores the forgery, returning true if  $isk$  was queried to  $\text{H}(\cdot, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}})$ . We have

$$\Pr[\mathcal{G}_3 \text{ sets bad}] = \Pr[\mathcal{G}_5]. \quad (7)$$

We build  $\mathcal{P}_2$  so that

$$\Pr[\mathcal{G}_5] \leq \text{Adv}_{\text{ID}}^{\text{mimp}}(\mathcal{P}_2). \quad (8)$$

The idea is simple, namely that if the adversary queries  $isk$  to  $\text{H}(\cdot, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}})$  then we can obtain  $isk$  by watching the oracle queries of  $\mathcal{A}$ , and this will allow us to break the mimp security of ID. The difficulty is that, to run  $\mathcal{A}$ , one first has to simulate answers to SIGN queries using transcripts, and it is to enable this that we moved to  $G_5$ . Again the game was crafted to make the construction of adversary  $\mathcal{P}_2$ , described in detail Fig. 7, quite direct. The simulation of the SIGN oracle is as before. The simulation of H is more direct, following game  $G_5$  rather than invoking the CH oracle. When  $\mathcal{A}$  returns its forgery, the set  $T$  contains candidates for the identification secret key  $isk$ . Adversary  $\mathcal{P}_2$  now makes an impersonation attempt for each  $x \in T$  in which it runs the prover using  $x$  as the identification key. In the case  $x = isk$ , the impersonation succeeds. ■

NECESSITY OF TRAPDOOR ID SCHEMES FOR DAPS. Trapdoor identification may seem a very particular assumption as a starting point for DAPS. However in Appendix B we show that from

<p>Adversary <math>\mathcal{P}_1^{\text{TR,CH,DEC}}(ivk)</math></p> <p><math>TK \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}}</math></p> <p><math>vk \leftarrow (ivk, TK)</math></p> <p>For <math>i = 1, \dots, q_2 + q_s + 1</math> do</p> <p style="padding-left: 2em;"><math>(Y_i, c_i, z_i) \leftarrow_s \text{TR}()</math></p> <p><math>i_2 \leftarrow 0</math></p> <p><math>(m, \sigma) \leftarrow_s \mathcal{A}^{\text{SIGN,H}}(vk)</math></p> <p><math>(a, p) \leftarrow m; (z, s) \leftarrow \sigma</math></p> <p><math>Y \leftarrow \text{H}(a, \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk))</math></p> <p><math>c \leftarrow \text{H}(Y \  a \  p \  s, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}})</math></p> <p><math>i \leftarrow \text{Ind}_3(Y \  c)</math></p> <p><math>d \leftarrow \text{DEC}(i, z)</math></p> <p>Adversary <math>\mathcal{P}_2^{\text{TR,CH,DEC}}(ivk)</math></p> <p><math>TK \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}}</math></p> <p><math>vk \leftarrow (ivk, TK)</math></p> <p>For <math>i = 1, \dots, q_2 + q_s + 1</math> do</p> <p style="padding-left: 2em;"><math>(Y_i, c_i, z_i) \leftarrow_s \text{TR}()</math></p> <p><math>i_2 \leftarrow 0; T \leftarrow \emptyset</math></p> <p><math>(m, \sigma) \leftarrow_s \mathcal{A}^{\text{SIGN,H}}(vk)</math></p> <p>For all <math>x \in T</math> do</p> <p style="padding-left: 2em;"><math>(Y, y) \leftarrow_s \text{ID.Cmt}(ivk)</math></p> <p style="padding-left: 2em;"><math>(i, c) \leftarrow_s \text{CH}(Y)</math></p> <p style="padding-left: 2em;"><math>z \leftarrow \text{ID.Rsp}(ivk, x, c, y)</math></p> <p style="padding-left: 2em;"><math>d \leftarrow \text{DEC}(i, z)</math></p>	<p><math>\text{SIGN}(m) \ // \ \mathcal{P}_1, \mathcal{P}_2</math></p> <p><math>(a, p) \leftarrow m; s \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}^{\text{sl}}</math></p> <p><math>Y \leftarrow \text{H}(a, \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk))</math></p> <p><math>i \leftarrow \text{Ind}_2(a)</math></p> <p><math>\text{HT}[Y \  a \  p \  s, \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}] \leftarrow c_i</math></p> <p><math>\sigma \leftarrow (z_i, s); \text{Return } \sigma</math></p> <p><math>\text{H}(x, \text{Rng}) \ // \ \mathcal{P}_1</math></p> <p>If (not <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}]</math>) then</p> <p style="padding-left: 2em;">If (<math>\text{Rng} = \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}}</math>) then</p> <p style="padding-left: 4em;"><math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}] \leftarrow_s \text{Rng}</math></p> <p style="padding-left: 2em;">If (<math>\text{Rng} = \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}</math>) then</p> <p style="padding-left: 4em;"><math>Y \  a \  p \  s \leftarrow x; (i, c) \leftarrow_s \text{CH}(Y)</math></p> <p style="padding-left: 4em;"><math>\text{Ind}_3(Y \  c) \leftarrow i; \text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}] \leftarrow c</math></p> <p style="padding-left: 2em;">If (<math>\text{Rng} = \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk)</math>) then</p> <p style="padding-left: 4em;"><math>i_2 \leftarrow i_2 + 1; \text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}] \leftarrow Y_{i_2}; \text{Ind}_2(x) \leftarrow i_2</math></p> <p>Return <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}]</math></p> <p><math>\text{H}(x, \text{Rng}) \ // \ \mathcal{P}_2</math></p> <p>If (not <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}]</math>) then</p> <p style="padding-left: 2em;">If (<math>\text{Rng} = \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.tl}}</math>) then</p> <p style="padding-left: 4em;"><math>T \leftarrow T \cup \{x\}; \text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}] \leftarrow_s \text{Rng}</math></p> <p style="padding-left: 2em;">If (<math>\text{Rng} = \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}</math>) then</p> <p style="padding-left: 4em;"><math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}] \leftarrow_s \text{Rng}</math></p> <p style="padding-left: 2em;">If (<math>\text{Rng} = \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk)</math>) then</p> <p style="padding-left: 4em;"><math>i_2 \leftarrow i_2 + 1; \text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}] \leftarrow Y_{i_2}; \text{Ind}_2(x) \leftarrow i_2</math></p> <p>Return <math>\text{HT}[x, \text{Rng}]</math></p>
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Figure 7: Adversaries for proof of Theorem 2.

<p>Game <math>\text{OW}_{\text{RSA}}^A</math></p> <p><math>(N, p, q, e, d) \leftarrow_s \text{RSA}</math></p> <p><math>x \leftarrow_s \mathbb{Z}_N^*</math>; <math>X \leftarrow x^e \text{ mod } N</math></p> <p><math>x' \leftarrow_s \mathcal{A}(N, e, X)</math></p> <p>Return <math>(x' = x)</math></p>	<p>Game <math>\text{CF}_{\text{CFTDF}}^A</math></p> <p><math>(f_0, f_1, f_0^{-1}, f_1^{-1}, D, D') \leftarrow_s \text{CFTDF}</math></p> <p><math>(x_0, x_1) \leftarrow_s \mathcal{A}(f_0, f_1, D, D')</math></p> <p>If <math>(x_0 \notin D)</math> or <math>(x_1 \notin D)</math> then return false</p> <p><math>y_0 \leftarrow f_0(x_0); y_1 \leftarrow f_1(x_1)</math></p> <p>Return <math>(y_0 = y_1)</math></p>	<p>Game <math>\text{FAC}_{\text{MOD}}^A</math></p> <p><math>(N, p, q) \leftarrow_s \text{MOD}</math></p> <p><math>r \leftarrow_s \mathcal{A}(N)</math></p> <p>Return <math>(r \in \{p, q\})</math></p>
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Figure 8: Games defining one-wayness of RSA generator RSA, claw-freeness of claw-free TDF generator CFTDF and factoring security of modulus generator MOD.

any DAPS satisfying double-authentication-prevention and unforgeability we can build a simple trapdoor identification scheme satisfying mimp-security and Sigma-protocol extractability. These being exactly the assumptions for our transform, it shows that these sufficient assumptions are in fact also necessary. The link between trapdoor identification and DAPS is thus quite strong.

## 5 Instantiation and implementation

We instantiate our general transform of Section 4 to obtain GQ-DAPS and CF-DAPS. We then make parameter choices and discuss our implementation and performance results.

<u>GQ-ID.Kg</u> $(N, p, q, e, d) \leftarrow_s \text{RSA}$ $x \leftarrow_s \mathbb{Z}_N^*$ $X \leftarrow x^e \pmod N$ Return $((N, e, X), x, d)$	<b>Prover</b> Input: $(N, e, X), x$ $y \leftarrow_s \mathbb{Z}_N^*$ $Y \leftarrow y^e \pmod N$  $z \leftarrow yx^c \pmod N$	$\xrightarrow{Y}$ $\xleftarrow{c}$ $\xrightarrow{z}$	<b>Verifier</b> Input: $(N, e, X)$  $c \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}^l$  $v \leftarrow (z^e \equiv YX^c \pmod N)$
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<u>GQ-DAPS.Kg<sup>H</sup></u> $((N, e, X), x, d) \leftarrow_s \text{GQ-ID.Kg}$ $TK \leftarrow d \oplus \text{H}(x, \{0, 1\}^k)$ Return $((N, e, X, TK), (x, d))$ <u>GQ-DAPS.Ex<sup>H</sup><math>((N, e, X, TK), m_1, m_2, \sigma_1, \sigma_2)</math></u> For $i = 1, 2$ do $(a_i, p_i) \leftarrow m_i; (z_i, s_i) \leftarrow \sigma_i$ $Y_i \leftarrow \text{H}(a_i, \mathbb{Z}_N^*)$ $c_i \leftarrow \text{H}(Y_i \  a_i \  p_i \  s_i, \{0, 1\}^l)$ $z \leftarrow z_1 z_2^{-1} \pmod N$ $c \leftarrow c_1 - c_2; (a, b) \leftarrow \text{egcd}(e, c)$ $x \leftarrow X^a z^b \pmod N$ $d \leftarrow \text{H}(x, \{0, 1\}^k) \oplus TK$ Return $(x, d)$	<u>GQ-DAPS.Sig<sup>H</sup><math>((N, e, X, TK), (x, d), m)</math></u> $(a, p) \leftarrow m; s \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}^{\text{sl}}$ $Y \leftarrow \text{H}(a, \mathbb{Z}_N^*)$ $y \leftarrow_s Y^d \pmod N$ $c \leftarrow \text{H}(Y \  a \  p \  s, \{0, 1\}^l)$ $z \leftarrow yx^c \pmod N$ $\sigma \leftarrow (z, s); \text{Return } \sigma$ <u>GQ-DAPS.Vf<sup>H</sup><math>((N, e, X, TK), m, \sigma)</math></u> $(a, p) \leftarrow m; (z, s) \leftarrow \sigma$ $Y \leftarrow \text{H}(a, \mathbb{Z}_N^*)$ $c \leftarrow \text{H}(Y \  a \  p \  s, \{0, 1\}^l)$ Return $(z^e \equiv YX^c \pmod N)$
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Figure 9: **Top:** Identification scheme GQ-ID associated to RSA generator RSA with modulus length  $k$ , and challenge length  $l$ . **Bottom:** GQ-DAPS = **Tid2Daps**[GQ-ID, sl] derived via our transform.

GQ-DAPS. An RSA generator with modulus length  $k$  is an algorithm  $\text{RSA}$  that returns a tuple  $(N, p, q, e, d)$  where  $p, q$  are distinct, odd primes,  $N = pq$  is the modulus, in the range  $2^{k-1} < N < 2^k$ , encryption and decryption exponents  $e, d$  are in  $\mathbb{Z}_{\varphi(N)}^*$  and  $ed \equiv 1 \pmod{\varphi(N)}$ . The assumption is one-wayness, formalized by defining the ow-advantage of an adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  against RSA by  $\text{Adv}_{\text{RSA}}^{\text{ow}}(\mathcal{A}) = \Pr[\text{OW}_{\text{RSA}}^{\mathcal{A}}]$  where the game is in Fig. 8.

Fig. 9 shows the GQ-ID associated to RSA and a challenge length  $l < k$ . The commitment space is  $\mathbb{Z}_N^*$ . We claim that this scheme is trapdoor. The  $\text{GQ-ID.Cmt}^{-1}$  algorithm, on input  $((N, e, X), d, Y)$ , returns  $y \leftarrow Y^d \pmod N$ . This means we can apply our transform. The resulting GQ-DAPS is shown at the bottom of Fig. 9. It is parameterized by RSA (and thus  $k$ ), the challenge length  $l < k$  and a seed length sl. By  $\text{egcd}$  we denote the extended gcd algorithm that given relatively-prime inputs  $e, c$  returns  $a, b$  such that  $ae + bc = 1$ .

To estimate security for a given modulus length  $k$  we use Theorem 2 and estimate that a time  $t$  mimp adversary  $\mathcal{P}$  making  $q_c$  queries to CH, DEC has advantage

$$\text{Adv}_{\text{ID}}^{\text{mimp}}(\mathcal{P}) \leq \frac{q_c}{2^l} + \text{Adv}_{\text{RSA}}^{\text{ow}}(\mathcal{A}) \quad (9)$$

where  $\mathcal{A}$  is the best known time  $t$  adversary against the one-wayness of RSA. We can estimate  $\text{Adv}_{\text{RSA}}^{\text{ow}}(\mathcal{A})$  under the assumption that the NFS is the best factoring method. Then taking into account Equation (1), our implementation uses a 1024-bit modulus, a 160-bit hash and a seed length of 160 for the usual expected 80 bits of security. Since CA's now use 2048-bit moduli, we also implement the scheme with a 2048-bit modulus and 256-bit hashes and seeds. See below and Fig. 11 for implementation and performance information.

CF-DAPS. A claw-free TDF generator [16] is an algorithm  $\text{CFTDF}$  that returns a tuple  $(f_0, f_1, f_0^{-1}, f_1^{-1}, D, D')$  consisting of (descriptions of) finite sets  $D \subseteq D'$ , functions  $f_0, f_1: D' \rightarrow D$  that



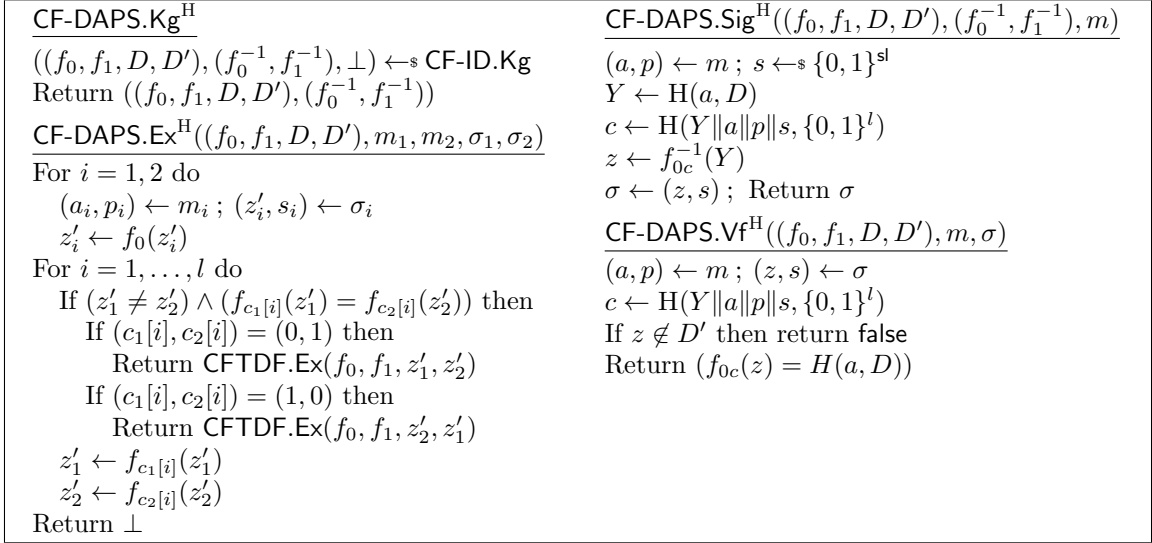
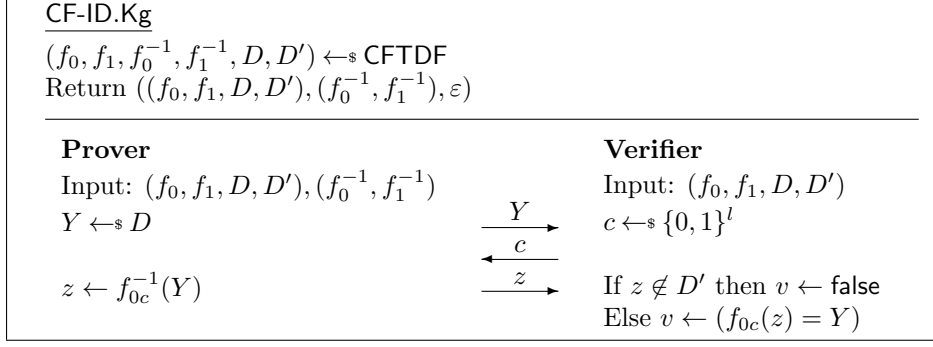


Figure 10: **Top:** Identification scheme CF-ID associated to claw-free TDF generator CFTDF and challenge length  $l$ . **Bottom:** CF-DAPS = **Tid2Daps**[CF-ID, sl] derived via our transform.

are permutations on  $D$  with respective inverses  $f_0^{-1}, f_1^{-1}: D \rightarrow D$ . Membership in  $D'$  must be efficiently testable. Membership in  $D$  may not be efficiently testable, but it should be possible to efficiently pick random elements of  $D$ . The assumption is claw-freeness, formalized by defining the cf-advantage of an adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  against CFTDF by  $\text{Adv}_{\text{CFTDF}}^{\text{cf}}(\mathcal{A}) = \Pr[\text{CF}_{\text{CFTDF}}^{\mathcal{A}}]$  where the game is in Fig. 8. The game tests membership in  $D$  and hence may not be efficient but that's ok.

A modulus generator with security parameter  $k$  is an algorithm MOD that returns a tuple  $(N, p, q)$  where  $p, q$  are primes satisfying  $p \equiv 3 \pmod{8}$  and  $q \equiv 7 \pmod{8}$  and  $N = pq$  is the modulus, in the range  $2^{k-1} < N < 2^k$ . The assumption is hardness of factoring, formalized by defining the factoring-advantage of an adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  against MOD by  $\text{Adv}_{\text{MOD}}^{\text{fac}}(\mathcal{A}) = \Pr[\text{FAC}_{\text{MOD}}^{\mathcal{A}}]$  where the game is in Fig. 8.

We associate to a modulus generator MOD the particular claw-free TDF generator CFTDF[MOD] that runs MOD to get  $(N, p, q)$  and then returns  $(f_0, f_1, f_0^{-1}, f_1^{-1}, D, D')$  defined as follows. We let  $D' = \mathbb{Z}_N^*$ , in which membership is efficiently testable. We let  $D = \{z^2 \pmod{N} : z \in \mathbb{Z}_N^*\}$  be the subset of quadratic residues. Membership in  $D$  is not known to be efficiently testable, but one can sample a random point in  $D$  by picking  $z \leftarrow_s \mathbb{Z}_N^*$  and returning  $z^2 \pmod{N}$ . For  $x \in D'$  let  $f_0(x) = x^2 \pmod{N}$  and  $f_1(x) = 4x^2 \pmod{N}$ . Note that, since  $p \equiv 3 \pmod{8}$  and  $q \equiv 7 \pmod{8}$ , we have that neither  $\pm 2$  is a quadratic residue mod  $N$ . For  $y \in D$  the inverses are defined as

$f_0^{-1}(y) = \sqrt{y} \pmod N$  and  $f_1^{-1}(y) = \sqrt{4^{-1}y} \pmod N$  where  $\sqrt{z}$  denotes the square root of  $z$  that is itself a quadratic residue mod  $N$ .

For a binary string  $c = c[1] \dots c[n] \in \{0, 1\}^n$ , let  $f_c: D' \rightarrow D$  and  $f_c^{-1}: D \rightarrow D'$  be defined for  $x \in D'$  and  $y \in D$  by

$$\begin{aligned} f_c(x) &= f_{c[1]}(\dots(f_{c[n]}(x))\dots) \\ f_c^{-1}(y) &= f_{c[n]}^{-1}(\dots(f_{c[1]}^{-1}(y))\dots). \end{aligned}$$

In Fig. 10 we show an identification scheme we call CF-ID. It is associated to CFTDF and a challenge length  $l < k$ . The commitment space is  $D$ . When  $\text{CFTDF} = \text{CFTDF}[\text{MOD}]$ , this is the MR-ID identification scheme mentioned in [22] as underlying the MSA signature scheme of [21]. Following the latter, the prefixing of the challenge with a 0 bit is to ensure that  $f_0(z) \in D$ . This scheme is trivially trapdoor:  $\text{CF-ID.Cmt}^{-1}$  is just the identity function. This means we can apply our transform. The resulting CF-DAPS is shown at the bottom of Fig. 10. In the case that  $\text{CFTDF} = \text{CFTDF}[\text{MOD}]$ , we call the scheme MR-DAPS, and it is parameterized by MOD (and thus  $k$ ), the challenge length  $l < k$  and a seed length  $sl$ . In the CF-DAPS.Ex algorithm, we reference the claw-free TDF extraction algorithm CFTDF.Ex. This algorithm takes  $f_0, f_1, x_0, x_1$  such that  $x_0, x_1 \in D$  and  $f_0(x_0) = f_1(x_1)$ , and computes  $f_0^{-1}$  and  $f_1^{-1}$ . For  $\text{CFTDF}[\text{MOD}]$ , this is done as follows. We have  $x_0^2 \equiv 4x_1^2 \pmod N$  and thus  $r = \gcd(x_0 - 2x_1, N)$  divides  $N$ . However  $x_0, x_1 \in D$  and hence  $x_0 \not\equiv \pm 2x_1 \pmod N$ , so  $r$  is a non-trivial factor of  $N$ . For the parameter choices for implementations, we use the same estimates for a time  $t$  mimic adversary in breaking CF-DAPS as in GQ-DAPS above.

**IMPLEMENTATION.** We implemented our MR-DAPS and GQ-DAPS schemes. For comparison purposes we also implemented the original PS-DAPS and used an implementation of the standard RSA PKCS#1v.5 currently used for signing certificates. Our implementation is in C, using OpenSSL's BIGNUM library for number theoretic operations.<sup>1</sup>

For the implementation of the claw-free TDF for MR-DAPS, we need to compute  $f_c^{-1}(x)$  for a  $c$  of length  $l$ . The naive approach requires computing  $l$  square roots modulo  $N$ , which takes  $O(lk^3)$  time. Instead, we use the following technique suggested by Goldreich [15] which computes  $f_c^{-1}(x)$  with a constant number of exponentiations (assuming a small amount of pre-computation which can be reused), thereby achieving an overall runtime of  $O(k^3)$ . Compute

$$f_c^{-1}(x) = \frac{R_N(2^l, x)}{(R_N(2^l, 4))^{i(c)}} \pmod N$$

where  $R_N(2^l, x)$  denotes the  $2^l$ -th square root of  $x$  modulo  $N$ ,  $l$  is the bit-length of  $c$ , and  $i(c)$  denotes the integer representation of  $c$ .  $R_N(2^l, x)$  can be computed quickly by computing  $R_p(2^l, x)$  and  $R_q(2^l, x)$  and using the Chinese remainder theorem.  $R_p(2^l, x)$  can be computed by precomputing  $a = (p+1)/4$  (the “inverse” of 2 modulo  $\varphi(p)$ ) and  $b = a^l \pmod{\varphi(p)}$  (the “inverse” of  $2^l$  modulo  $\varphi(p)$ ), and then computing  $R_p(2^l, x)$  as  $x^b \pmod p$ .

To hash onto quadratic residues we follow the framework of Brier et al. for indifferentiable hashing [9] as described by Poettering and Stebila [25]: we first hash onto  $\mathbb{Z}_N$  to obtain an element  $r$ . With high probability, randomly chosen elements of  $\mathbb{Z}_N$  are also in  $\mathbb{Z}_N^*$ . If  $r$  has Jacobi symbol  $-1$ , we set  $r \leftarrow rt \pmod N$  where  $t$  is a fixed element with Jacobi symbol  $-1$ , in our case  $t = 2$  always suffices. Exactly one of  $r$  and  $N - r$  will be a quadratic residue mod  $N$ .

For the implementation of GQ-DAPS, we use encryption exponent  $e = 65537$  as this is the default RSA public key exponent in OpenSSL, allowing for fair comparisons with RSA PKCS#1v1.5.

<sup>1</sup>The implementation source code can be downloaded from the anonymous URL <https://173.203.208.70:54242/npfTVfFK/src.zip>.

Scheme	1024-bit modulus, 160-bit hash				2048-bit modulus, 256-bit hash			
	Runtime (ms)		Size (bits)		Runtime (ms)		Size (bits)	
	sign	verify	pub.	sig.	sign	verify	pub.	sig.
PS-DAPS [25]	208.30	71.33	1024	164864	1009.88	271.36	2048	528384
GQ-DAPS (Fig. 9)	0.76	0.15	2048	1184	5.10	0.68	4096	2304
MR-DAPS (Fig. 10)	1.26	1.00	1024	1184	3.00	2.34	2048	2304
RSA PKCS#1v1.5	0.21	0.02	1024	1024	1.32	0.05	2048	2048

Figure 11: Average runtime in milliseconds and public key/signature sizes for double-authentication preventing signatures and standard RSA signatures. Secret key sizes are the same as the modulus size for all schemes.

PERFORMANCE EXPERIMENTS. Timings were run on an Intel Core i7 (3720QM) with 4 cores each running at 2.6 GHz; the tests were run on a single core with TurboBoost and hyper-threading disabled. Software was compiled for the x86\_64 architecture with `-O3` optimizations using `llvm 6.0 (clang 600.0.56)`. The OpenSSL version used was `v1.0.2`.

Table 11 shows average runtimes and key sizes using 1024-bit moduli and 160-bit hashes and using 2048-bit moduli and 256-bit hashes. For DAPS schemes, address is 15 bytes and payload is 33 bytes; for RSA PKCS#1v1.5, message is 48 bytes. Times reported are an average over 30 seconds. For RSA sign and verify operations, standard deviation was between 3% and 44%. For all other operations, standard deviation was less than 4%.

The table omits runtimes for key generation, as this is a one-time operation. Key generation times are fairly similar across schemes, as for all schemes the main cost is the generation of an RSA modulus. For all schemes with 1024-bit keys, key generation times, from the top row to the bottom row, are 29.9ms, 24.2ms, 31.5ms, and 23.7ms; with 2048-bit keys, generation times are 156.5ms, 135.6ms, 167.8ms, and 125.5ms. For all key generation operations, standard deviation was between 64% and 74% (this is to be expected, as key generation involves generating primes, a probabilistic process with high variance in runtime). While key generation is substantially more expensive than signing or verification, it is still less than a second, and each signer needs to do it only once.

Compared with the existing PS-DAPS, our MR-DAPS and GQ-DAPS are several orders of magnitude faster for both signing and verification. When using 2048-bit moduli, MR-DAPS signatures can be generated  $336\times$  and verified  $116\times$  faster, and GQ-DAPS signatures can be generated  $198\times$  and verified  $399\times$  faster; moreover our signatures are much smaller, both just 2304 bits, compared with 528384 bits for PS-DAPS, and nearly the same size as RSA PKCS#1v1.5 signatures. Signing times for our schemes are competitive with RSA PKCS#1v1.5 signatures. Using MR-DAPS or GQ-DAPS for signatures in digital certificates would incur little computational or size overhead relative to currently used signatures.

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<u>Adversary <math>\mathcal{P}_1^{\text{Tr,CH,DEC}}(ivk)</math></u> $j^* \leftarrow_{\$} \{1, \dots, q\}; i \leftarrow 0$ $d \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{P}^{\text{Tr,CHS,DECS}}(ivk)$ <u>CHS(<math>Y</math>)</u> $i \leftarrow i + 1; U \leftarrow U \cup \{i\}$ If $i \neq j^*$ then $c \leftarrow_{\$} \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}$ Else $(1, c) \leftarrow_{\$} \text{CH}(Y)$ $\text{TT}[i] \leftarrow Y  c$ ; Return $(i, c)$	<u>DECS(<math>j, z</math>)</u> If $j \notin U$ then return $\perp$ If $j = j^*$ then $d \leftarrow \text{DEC}(1, z)$ Else $d \leftarrow \text{ID.Vf}(ivk, \text{TT}[j]  z)$ $U \leftarrow U \setminus \{j\}$ Return $d$
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Figure 12: Adversary for proof of Theorem 3.

<u>Game <math>\text{OW}_{\text{ID}}^{\mathcal{I}}</math></u> $(ivk, isk, tk) \leftarrow_{\$} \text{ID.Kg}$ ; $isk' \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{I}(ivk)$ ; Return $(isk' = isk)$
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Figure 13: Game defining one-wayness of the (key-generation process of) an identification scheme ID.

## A Mimp from one wayness

We establish mimp security of an identification scheme based on the one-wayness of the key-generation process. All proofs are omitted.

**MIMP SECURITY FROM IMP.** In the first step we show that mimp security reduces to standard imp security with a factor in loss equal to the number of CH, DEC queries of the adversary. We do not need to define imp security separately; it is simply mimp security for adversaries making only one query to each of their CH, DEC oracles. The result is thus captured by the following.

**Theorem 3** *Let ID be an identification scheme. Let  $\mathcal{P}$  be a mimp-adversary against ID making  $q$  queries to its CH oracle and  $q$  queries to its DEC oracle. Then from  $\mathcal{P}$  we can construct mimp adversary  $\mathcal{P}_1$  making only one query to its CH oracle and only one query to its DEC oracle such that*

$$\mathbf{Adv}_{\text{ID}}^{\text{mimp}}(\mathcal{P}) \leq q \cdot \mathbf{Adv}_{\text{ID}}^{\text{mimp}}(\mathcal{P}_1).$$

*Adversary  $\mathcal{P}_1$  makes as many queries to its TR oracle as  $\mathcal{P}$  does. The running time of  $\mathcal{P}_1$  is that of  $\mathcal{P}$  plus some small overhead.*

**Proof:** Adversary  $\mathcal{P}_1$  is shown in Fig. 12. It has access to oracles TR, CH, DEC as per game  $\text{mIMP}_{\text{ID}}^{\mathcal{P}_1}$  in which it is executing, but makes only make one query to each of the second and third oracles. It guesses an instance  $j^*$  uniformly from  $\{1, \dots, q\}$  and runs  $\mathcal{P}$ . Adversary  $\mathcal{P}_1$  passes  $\mathcal{P}$ 's TR queries directly to its own TR oracle.  $\mathcal{P}_1$  simulates answers to  $\mathcal{P}$ 's queries to its CH, DEC oracles via the shown subroutines CHS, DECS, calling its own oracles inside these. Adversary  $\mathcal{P}_1$ 's simulation is perfect. Since  $\mathcal{P}_1$  will guess the instance  $j^*$  which  $\mathcal{P}$  successfully impersonates with probability  $1/q$ , adversary  $\mathcal{P}_1$ 's success probability is at least  $1/q$  times that of  $\mathcal{P}$ . ■

**IMP SECURITY FROM OW.** If ID is an identification scheme and  $\mathcal{I}$  an adversary then we let  $\mathbf{Adv}_{\text{ID}}^{\text{ow}}(\mathcal{I}) = \Pr[\text{OW}_{\text{ID}}^{\mathcal{I}}]$  where the game is in Fig. 13. This simply measures the one-wayness of the key-generation algorithm, meaning how hard it is to recover the secret identification key from the public verification key. For GQ-ID this is the one-wayness of the underlying RSA generator. For CF-ID it is the hardness of factoring the modulus. Now for identification schemes satisfying

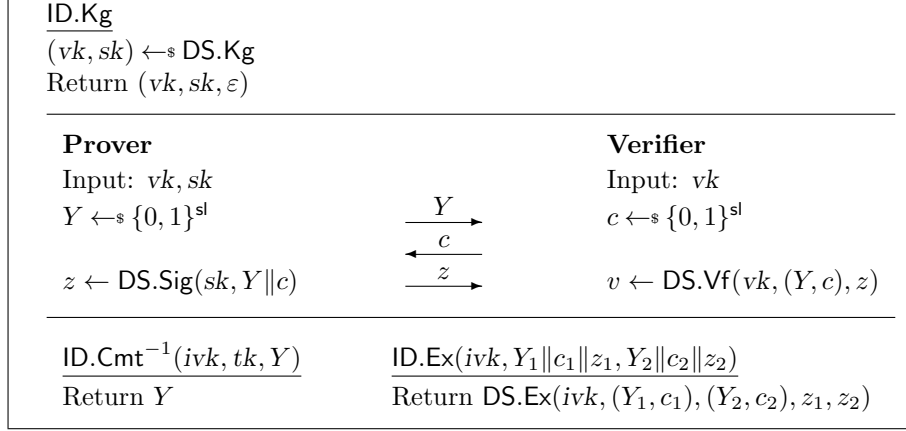


Figure 14: Our construction of a trapdoor identification scheme  $\text{ID} = \mathbf{Daps2Tid}[\text{DS}, \text{sl}]$  from a DAPS  $\text{DS}$  and a seed length  $\text{sl} \in \mathbb{N}$ .  $\text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk) = \{0, 1\}^{\text{sl}}$  for all  $ivk$ .

the Sigma protocol extractability and honest-verifier zero-knowledge conditions, one can use the reset lemma of [6] to show that imp security follows from this one-wayness:

**Theorem 4** *Let ID be an identification scheme satisfying the Sigma protocol extractability and honest-verifier zero-knowledge conditions. Let  $\mathcal{P}$  be a mimp-adversary against ID making one query to its CH oracle and one query to its DEC oracle. Then from  $\mathcal{P}$  we can construct an adversary  $\mathcal{I}$  such that*

$$\mathbf{Adv}_{\text{ID}}^{\text{mimp}}(\mathcal{P}) \leq \frac{1}{2^{\text{ID.cl}}} + \sqrt{\mathbf{Adv}_{\text{ID}}^{\text{ow}}(\mathcal{I})} \quad (10)$$

The running time of  $\mathcal{I}$  is about twice that of  $\mathcal{P}$  plus the time for an execution of the extraction algorithm of ID.

Combing this with Theorem 3 we have a proof of the mimp security of an identification scheme based on the one-wayness of its key-generation process. In particular, this proves mimp-security of GQ-ID based on the one-wayness of RSA and mimp-security of CF-ID based on the hardness of factoring.

This establishes that mimp security of the identification schemes, and thus unforgeability of our DAPSs, can be based on standard assumptions. However, the reduction emanating from the combination of Theorems 4 and 3 is not tight. Furthermore, cryptanalytic information says that this lack of tightness does not reflect real security losses but is rather an artifact of the proofs. Accordingly, we do not use these formulas to pick parameter sizes in Section 5. Instead we cryptanalytically and directly estimate mimp security and then use Theorem 2.

## B From DAPS to trapdoor ID

Here we show that DAPS implies trapdoor identification. Given any DAPS satisfying double-authentication-prevention and unforgeability, we build a trapdoor identification scheme, via the construction  $\mathbf{Daps2Tid}$  in Fig. 14, that is mimp-secure and satisfies the Sigma protocol extractability condition. This shows that the assumption we make to obtain DAPS is effectively necessary. All proofs are omitted.

The basic idea of the construction is as follows. The ID scheme's keys are just the keys of a DAPS. A commitment is a random string, as is a challenge; the response is generated as a DAPS

signature with the commitment as the address and challenge as the payload. Verification in the ID scheme is just verification in the DAPS. The ID scheme is trapdoor because the commitment “secret” is just the commitment itself, and the extractability of the Sigma protocol comes from the double-signature extractability of the DAPS.

We now make and prove three claims about the identification scheme: (1) it is trapdoor (2) It is mimp-secure, and (3) It satisfies Sigma-protocol extractability as defined in Appendix 3. These are exactly the properties assumed of the identification scheme for our transform to work, so that our result here shows that the sufficient assumptions we make in Section 4 on the identification scheme to obtain DAPS are in fact also necessary.

**Theorem 5** *Let DS be a DAPS and let  $sl \in \mathbb{N}$ . Then  $ID = \mathbf{Daps2Tid}[DS, sl]$  is trapdoor.*

**Proof:** Recall that for an ID scheme to be trapdoor, the following two processes must be identically distributed:

1.  $(isk, ivk, tk) \leftarrow \text{ID.Kg} ; (Y, y) \leftarrow \text{ID.Cmt}(ivk) ; \text{Return } (isk, ivk, tk, Y, y)$ .
2.  $(isk, ivk, tk) \leftarrow \text{ID.Kg} ; Y \leftarrow \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk) ; y \leftarrow \text{ID.Cmt}^{-1}(ivk, tk, Y) ; \text{Return } (isk, ivk, tk, Y, y)$ .

For  $ID = \mathbf{Daps2Tid}[DS, sl]$ , since  $\text{ID.Cmt}(ivk)$  simply selects  $Y \leftarrow \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk)$  and  $Y = y$ , we have that both processes above are equivalent to:

$$(isk, ivk, tk) \leftarrow \text{ID.Kg} ; Y \leftarrow \text{ID.CmtSp}(ivk) ; \text{Return } (isk, ivk, tk, Y, Y)$$

This completes the proof. ■

Next we show that our constructed identification scheme is mimp secure.

**Theorem 6** *Let DS be a DAPS and let  $sl \in \mathbb{N}$ . Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be a mimp-adversary against  $ID = \mathbf{Daps2Tid}[DS, sl]$  making  $q$  queries to its TR oracle. Then from  $\mathcal{A}$  we can construct uf-adversary  $\mathcal{A}_1$  such that  $\mathbf{Adv}_{ID}^{\text{mimp}}(\mathcal{A}) \leq \mathbf{Adv}_{DS}^{\text{uf}}(\mathcal{A}_1)$ .  $\mathcal{A}_1$  makes  $q$  queries to its SIGN oracle and the running time of  $\mathcal{A}_1$  is that of  $\mathcal{A}$  plus some small overhead, including one execution of  $DS.Vf$  for each call by  $\mathcal{A}$  to its DEC oracle.*

**Proof:** Adversary  $\mathcal{A}_1$  is shown in Fig. 15.  $\mathcal{A}_1$  directly simulates the mimp experiment for  $\mathcal{A}$ ; to create transcripts,  $\mathcal{A}_1$  uses its SIGN oracle. If  $\mathcal{A}$  submits an accepting transcript to its DECS oracle, this immediately gives  $\mathcal{A}_1$  a forgery for DS.  $\mathcal{A}_1$ 's simulation of game  $UF_{DS}^A$  is perfect. The bound follows. ■

Finally we show that our constructed identification scheme satisfies Sigma-protocol extractability.

**Theorem 7** *Let DS be a DAPS and let  $sl \in \mathbb{N}$ . Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be a ex-adversary against  $ID = \mathbf{Daps2Tid}[DS, sl]$ . From  $\mathcal{A}$  we can construct dap-adversary  $\mathcal{A}_1$  such that  $\mathbf{Adv}_{ID}^{\text{ex}}(\mathcal{A}) \leq \mathbf{Adv}_{DS}^{\text{dap}}(\mathcal{A}_1)$ . The running time of  $\mathcal{A}_1$  is that of  $\mathcal{A}$ .*

**Proof:** Adversary  $\mathcal{A}_1$  is shown in Fig. 16.  $\mathcal{A}_1$  directly calls  $\mathcal{A}$  which is an ex adversary against the identification scheme ID. Note that, for  $ID = \mathbf{Daps2Tid}[DS, sl]$ , the trapdoor key  $tk = \varepsilon$ , so this is a perfect simulation of  $EX_{ID}^A$ . If  $\mathcal{A}$  returns two accepting transcripts  $Y||c_1||z_1$  and  $Y||c_2||z_2$  with  $c_1 \neq c_2$ , then  $(Y, c_1)$  and  $(Y, c_2)$  are a pair of colliding messages for DS and  $z_1$  and  $z_2$ , respectively, are valid signatures.  $ID.Ex$  fails to return the correct secret key from this part of transcripts exactly when  $DS.Ex$  fails. The bound in the theorem statement follows. ■



<u>Adversary <math>\mathcal{A}_1^{\text{SIGN}}(vk)</math></u> $d \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{A}^{\text{TRS,CHS,DECS}}(vk)$ <u>TRS()</u> $Y \leftarrow_{\$} \text{ID.CmtSp}(vk)$ $c \leftarrow_{\$} \{0, 1\}^{\text{sl}}$ $z \leftarrow_{\$} \text{SIGN}((Y, c))$ Return $Y \  c \  z$	<u>CHS(<math>Y</math>)</u> $i \leftarrow i + 1$ ; $U \leftarrow U \cup \{i\}$ ; $c \leftarrow_{\$} \{0, 1\}^{\text{ID.cl}}$ $\text{TT}[i] \leftarrow Y \  c$ ; Return $(i, c)$ <u>DECS(<math>j, z</math>)</u> If $(j \notin U)$ then return $\perp$ $U \leftarrow U \setminus \{j\}$ ; $Y \  c \leftarrow \text{TT}[j]$ $v \leftarrow \text{DS.Vf}(vk, (Y, c), z)$ If $v$ then $\mathcal{A}_1$ returns $((Y, c), z)$ to its uf-challenger Return $v$ (to $\mathcal{A}$ )
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Figure 15: Adversary for proof of Theorem 6.

<u>Adversary <math>\mathcal{A}_1(vk, sk)</math></u> $(Y, c_1, z_1, c_2, z_2) \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{A}(vk, sk, \varepsilon)$ Return $((Y, c_1), (Y, c_2), z_1, z_2)$
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Figure 16: Adversary for proof of Theorem 7.

## C DPRFs

Here we define a new primitive we call a DPRF. It can be used to build a DAPS. We would like to construct this without random oracles but do not know how at this point.

DEFINITIONS. A DPRF  $F$  specifies the following. Key generation algorithm  $F.\text{Kg}$  takes input a string  $s$  called the message and returns a key pair  $(pk, sk)$ , where  $pk$  is a public key and  $sk$  is a secret key. Deterministic evaluation algorithm  $F.\text{Ev}$  takes  $sk, a, p, s$  and returns an output  $y$ . Extraction algorithm  $F.\text{Ex}$  takes  $pk, a, p_1, p_2, y_1, y_2$  and returns a string.

Define the advantage  $\text{Adv}_F^{\text{ex}}(\mathcal{A}) = \Pr[\text{EX}_F^{\mathcal{A}}]$  associated to adversary  $\mathcal{A}$ , where game  $\text{EX}_F^{\mathcal{A}}$  is in Fig. 17. We require that this advantage be negligible for all polynomial time  $\mathcal{A}$ . This measures extraction.

We also require pseudo-randomness. Define the advantage  $\text{Adv}_F^{\text{dprf}}(\mathcal{A}) = 2\Pr[\text{DPRF}_F^{\mathcal{A}}] - 1$  where game  $\text{DPRF}_F^{\mathcal{A}}$  is in Fig. 17. We require that this advantage be negligible for all polynomial time  $\mathcal{A}$ . This says that the outputs look random as long as addresses do not repeat.

<p><u>Game <math>\text{DPRF}_F^A</math></u>  <math>(s, St) \leftarrow_s \mathcal{A}</math>  <math>(pk, sk) \leftarrow_s \text{F.Kg}(s); A \leftarrow \emptyset</math>  <math>b \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}</math>  <math>b' \leftarrow_s \mathcal{A}^{\text{SMP}}(pk, St)</math>  Return <math>(b' = b)</math></p> <p><u>SMP(<math>a, p</math>)</u>  If <math>a \in A</math> then return <math>\perp</math>  <math>A \leftarrow A \cup \{a\}</math>  <math>y_1 \leftarrow_s \text{F.Ev}(sk, a, p, s)</math>  <math>y_0 \leftarrow_s \{0, 1\}^{ y_1 }</math>  Return <math>y_b</math></p>	<p><u>Game <math>\text{EX}_F^A</math></u>  <math>(s, St) \leftarrow_s \mathcal{A}</math>  <math>(pk, sk) \leftarrow_s \text{F.Kg}(s)</math>  <math>(a, p_1, p_2) \leftarrow_s \mathcal{A}(pk, sk, St)</math>  <math>y_1 \leftarrow \text{F.Ev}(sk, a, p_1, s)</math>  <math>y_2 \leftarrow \text{F.Ev}(sk, a, p_2, s)</math>  <math>(sk^*, s^*) \leftarrow_s \text{F.Ex}(pk, a, p_1, p_2, y_1, y_2)</math>  Return <math>((sk^*, s^*) \neq (sk, s)) \wedge (p_1 \neq p_2)</math></p>
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Figure 17: Games defining security of DPRF  $F$ .