

Cryptography

CS 555

Week 13:

- More Plain RSA Attacks
- Secure Multi-Party Computation (Garbled Circuits)

Reminder: Quiz 5 due tonight (4/14) at 11:30PM on Brightspace

Readings: Chapter 11.1-11.2, 11.4

Plain RSA Attacks: Related Messages

- Sender encrypts m and $m + \delta$, where offset δ is known to attacker
- Attacker intercepts

$$c_1 = \text{Enc}_{pk}(m) = m^e \text{ mod } N$$

and

$$c_2 = \text{Enc}_{pk}(m + \delta) = (m + \delta)^e \text{ mod } N$$

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More Attacks: Encrypting Related Messages

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- Both polynomials have a root at $x=m$, thus $(x-m)$ is a factor of both polynomials
- The GCD operation can be extended to operate over polynomials ☺
 - Polynomial time in $\log N$ and degree e
 - Attack on Plain RSA only works when e is small (often true in practice)
- $\text{GCD}(f_1(x), f_2(x))$ reveals the common factor $(x-m)$
 - Can easily extract m from $g(x)=(x-m)=\text{GCD}(f_1(x), f_2(x))$

Factor N given $\phi(N)$

- Suppose we are given $N = pq$ and $\phi(N) = (p - 1)(q - 1)$

- **Idea:** Solve for p using quadratic formula!

$$\phi(N) = (p - 1)(q - 1) = (p - 1) \left(\frac{N}{p} - 1 \right)$$

$$p\phi(N) = (p - 1)(N - p) \quad (\text{Multiply by } p)$$

$$p^2 + p(\phi(N) - 1 - N) + N = 0 \quad (\text{Algebra})$$

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$$p = \frac{-(\phi(N) - 1 - N) \pm \sqrt{(\phi(N) - 1 - N)^2 - 4N}}{2}$$

(Quadratic Formula) $a = 1, b = (\phi(N) - 1 - N), c = N$

Dependent Keys Part 1

- Suppose an organization generates $N=pq$ and a pair (e_i, d_i) for each employee i subject to the constraints $e_i d_i = 1 \pmod{\phi(N)}$.
- **Question:** Is this secure?
- **Answer:** No, given $e_i d_i$ employee i can factor N (and then recover everyone else's secret key).
- See Theorem 8.50 in the textbook

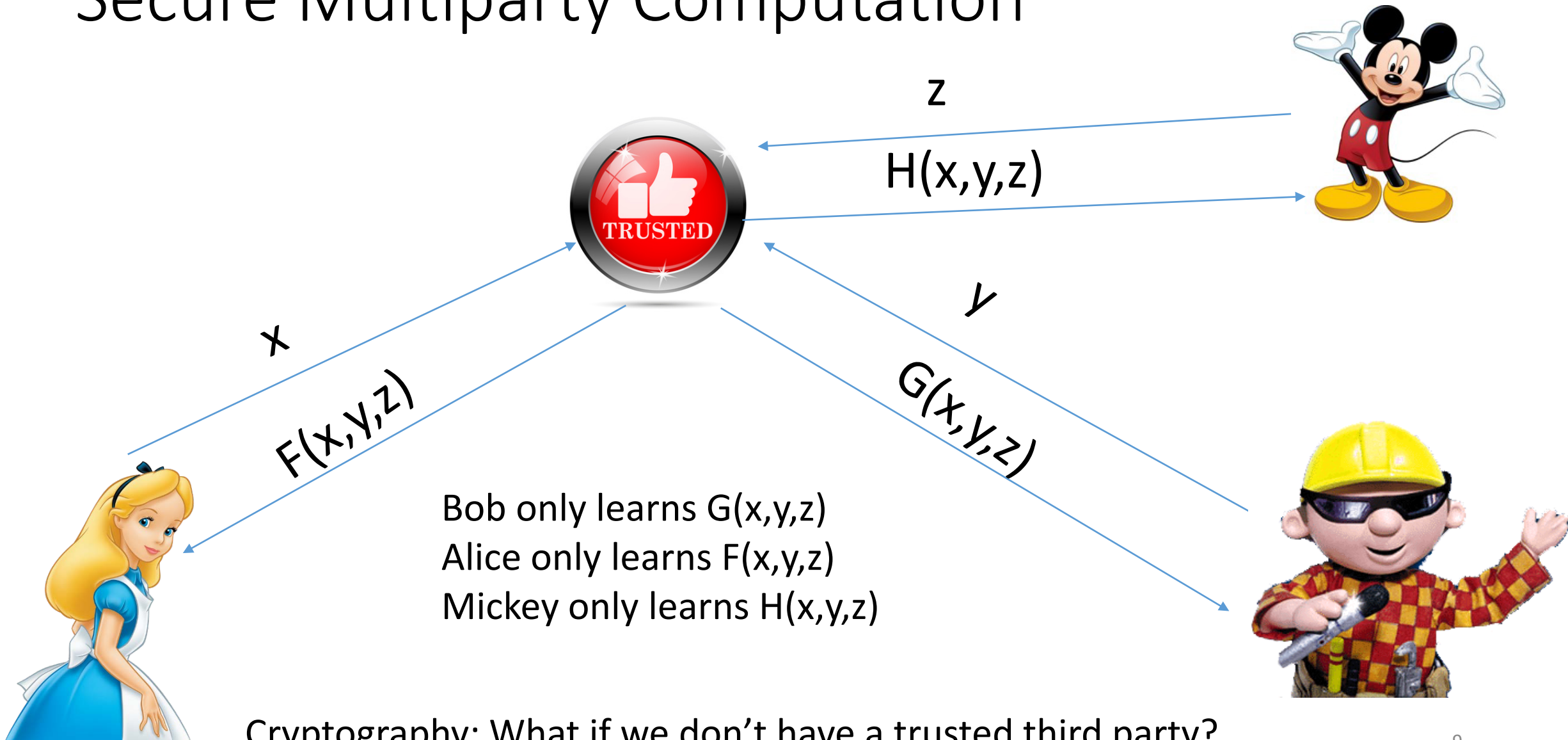
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- Suppose that each employee is trusted (so it is ok if employee i factors N)
- Suppose that a message m is encrypted and sent to employee 1 and 2.
- Attacker intercepts $c_1 = [m^{e_1} \pmod N]$ and $c_2 = [m^{e_2} \pmod N]$

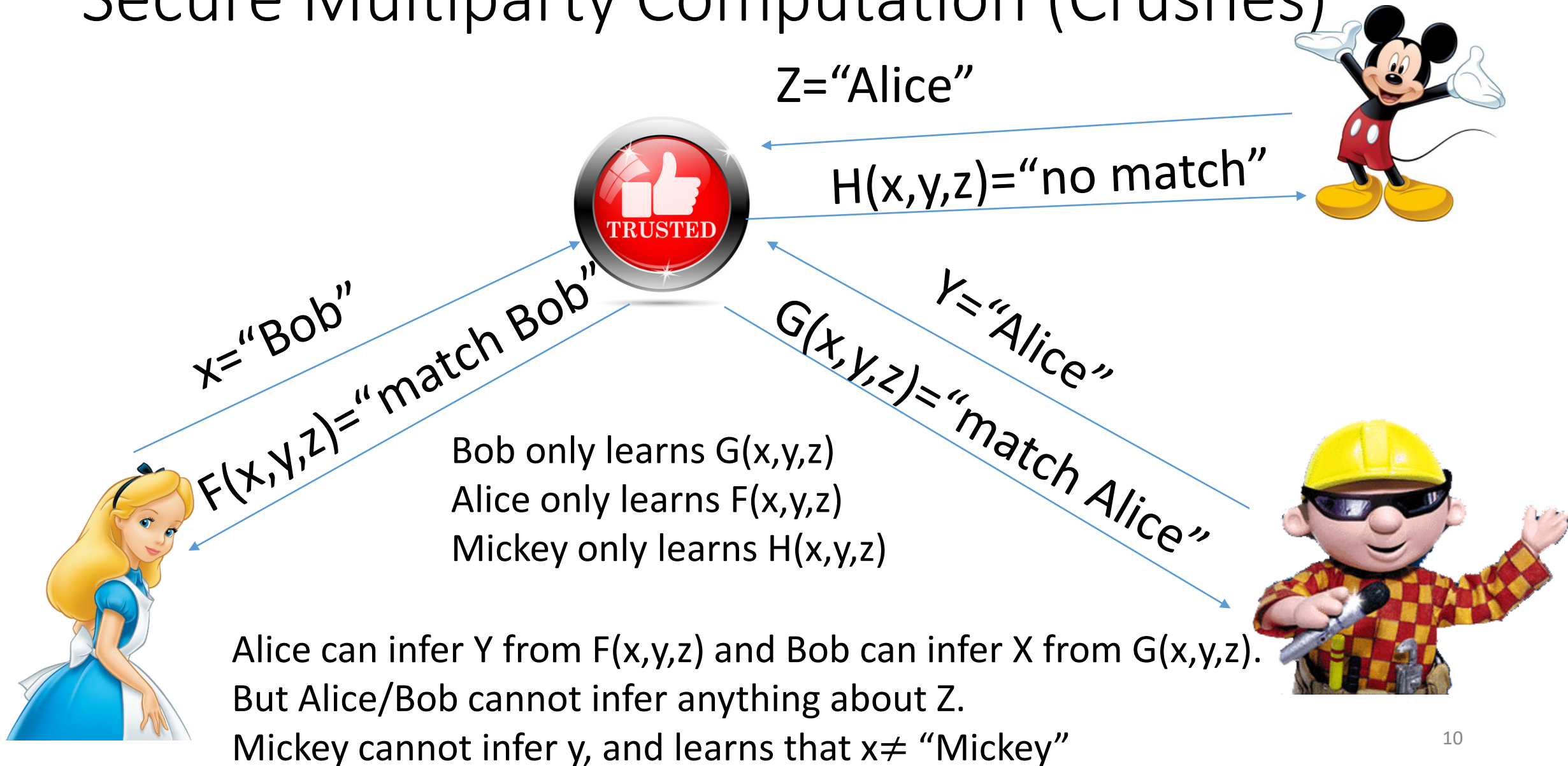
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- If $\mathbf{gcd}(e_1, e_2) = 1$ (which is reasonably likely) then attacker can run extended GCD algorithm to find X, Y such that $Xe_1 + Ye_2 = 1$.
 $[c_1^X c_2^Y \pmod N] = [m^{Xe_1} m^{Ye_2} \pmod N] = [m^{Xe_1 + Ye_2} \pmod N] = m$

Secure Multiparty Computation



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Key Point: The output $H(x,y,z)$ may leak info about inputs. Thus, we cannot prevent Mickey from learning anything about x,y but Mickey should not learn anything else besides $H(x,y,z)$!

$x = \text{"Bob"}$

$F(x,y,z) = \text{"match Bob"}$

Bob o
Alice o
Mickey

Thought Question: How can we formalize this property?

Mickey cannot infer y , and learns that $x \neq \text{"Mickey"}$

Adversary Models

- Semi-Honest (“honest, but curious”)
 - All parties follow protocol instructions, but...
 - dishonest parties may be curious to violate privacy of others when possible
- Fully Malicious Model
 - Adversarial Parties may deviate from the protocol arbitrarily
 - Quit unexpectedly
 - Send different messages
 - It is much harder to achieve security in the fully malicious model
- Convert Secure Semi-Honest Protocol into Secure Protocol in Fully Malicious Mode?
 - Tool: Zero-Knowledge Proofs
- Current Focus: Semi-Honest Protocols

Computational Indistinguishability

Definition: We say that an ensemble of distributions $\{X_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ and $\{Y_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ are computationally indistinguishable if for all PPT distinguishers D , there is a negligible function $\text{negl}(n)$, such that we have

$$\text{Adv}_{D,n} = \left| \Pr_{s \leftarrow X_\ell} [D(s) = 1] - \Pr_{s \leftarrow Y_\ell} [D(s) = 1] \right| \leq \text{negl}(n)$$

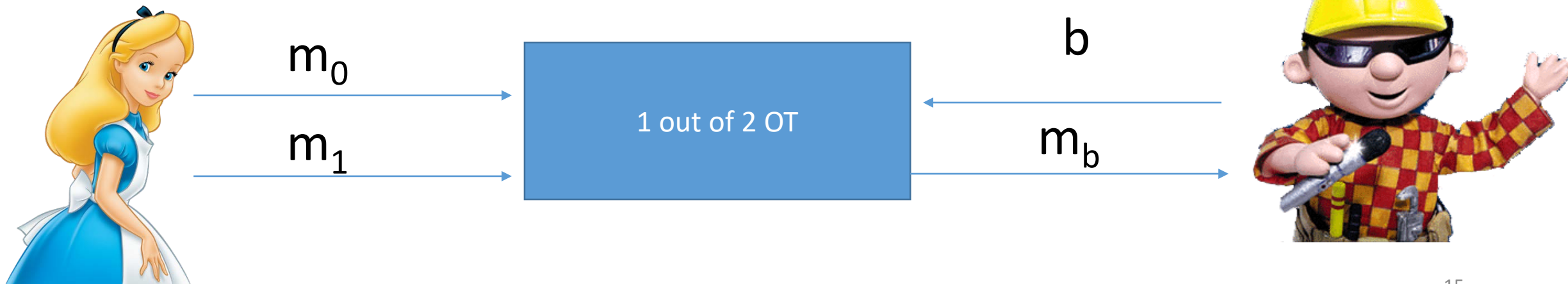
Notation: $\{X_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \equiv_C \{Y_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$ means that the ensembles are computationally indistinguishable.

Security (Semi-Honest Model)

- Let $B_n = \text{trans}_B(n, x, y)$ (resp. $A_n = \text{trans}_A(n, x, y)$) be the protocol transcript from Bob's perspective (resp. Alice's perspective) when his input is y and Alice's input is x (assuming that Alice follows the protocol).
- **Security:** Assuming that Alice and Bob are both semi-honest (follow the protocol) then there exist PPT simulators S_A and S_B s.t.
$$\{A_n\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \equiv_C \{S_A(n, x, f_A(x, y))\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$$
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- **Remark:** Simulator S_A is only shown Alice's input y and Alice's output $f_A(x, y)$ (similarly, S_B is only shown Bob's input x and Bob's output $f_B(x, y)$)

Building Block: Oblivious Transfer (OT)

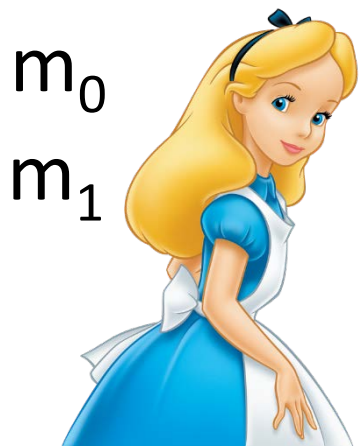
- 1 out of 2 OT
 - Alice has two messages m_0 and m_1
 - At the end of the protocol
 - Bob gets exactly one of m_0 and m_1
 - Alice does not know which one, and Bob learns nothing about other message
- Oblivious Transfer with a Trusted Third Party



Bellare-Micali 1-out-of-2-OT protocol

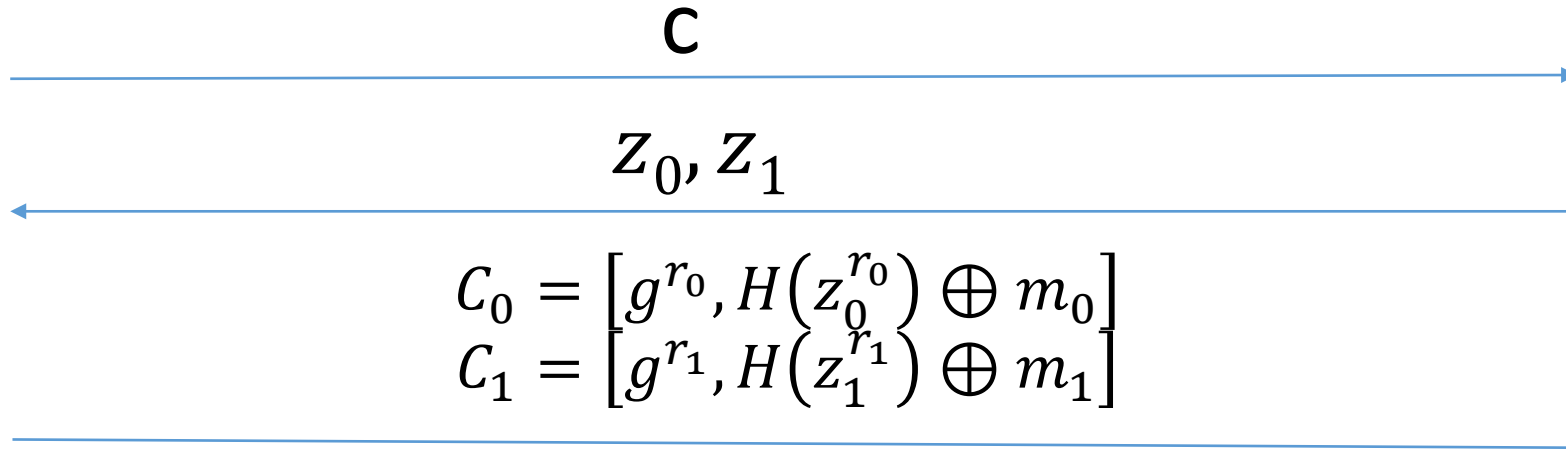
- Oblivious Transfer without a Trusted Third Party

- g is a generator for a prime order group G_q in which CDH problem is hard



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 m_1

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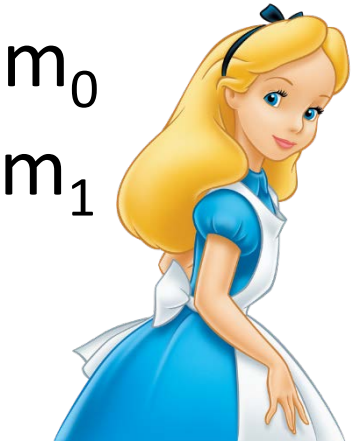
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$$z_b^{r_b} = g^{kr_b}$$

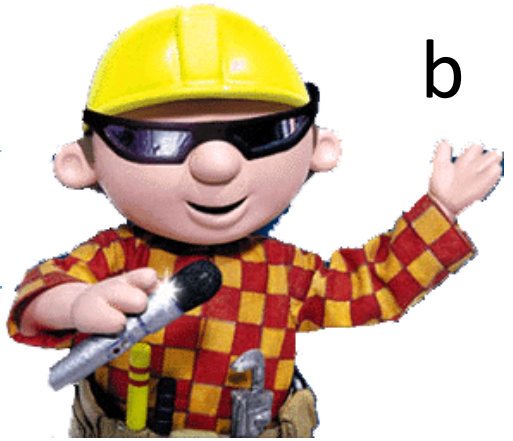
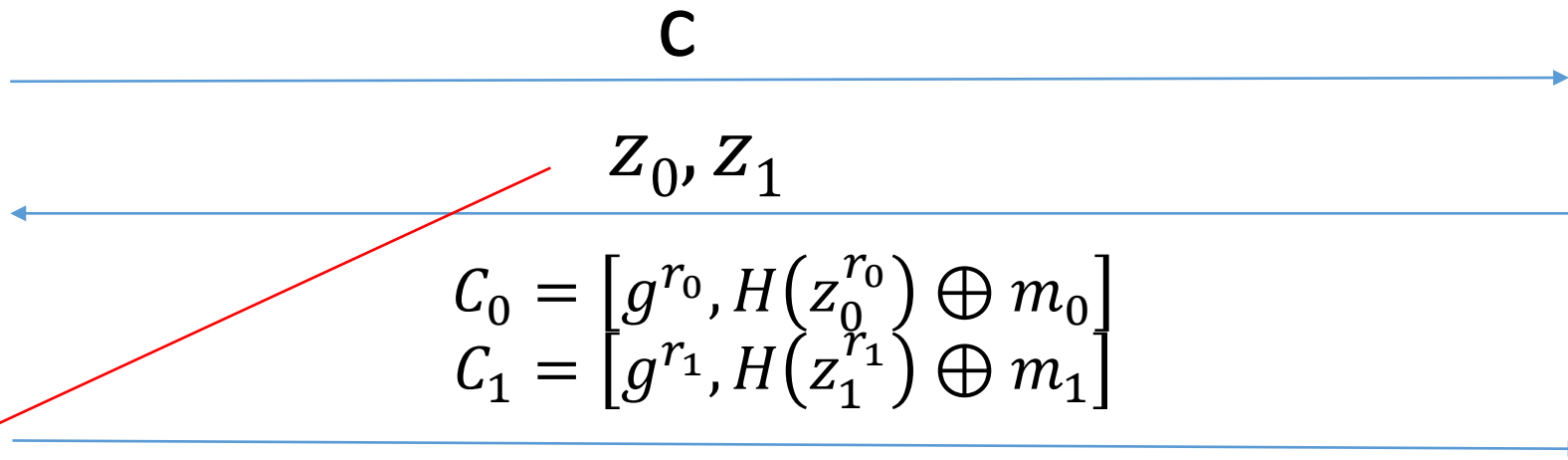
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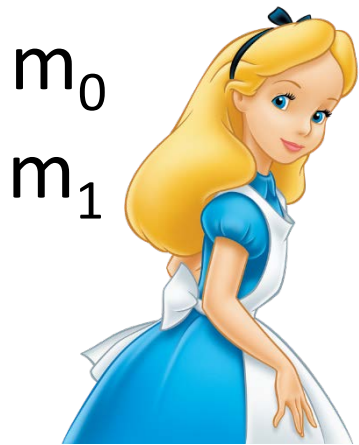
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$$C_0 =$$

$$C_1 =$$

Alice does not learn b because

- $z_1 = c(z_0)^{-1}$ and
- $z_0 = c(z_1)^{-1}$ and
- z_1, z_0 are distributed uniformly at random subject to these condition.

This is an information theoretic guarantee!

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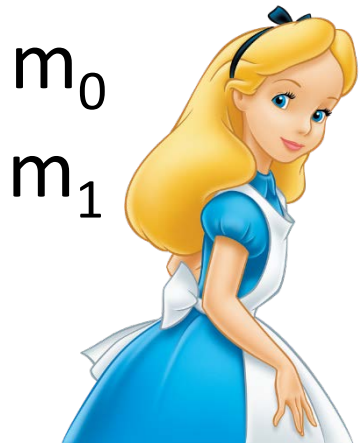
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Bob cannot decrypt C_{1-b}
 Unless he queries random oracle at

- $c^{r_{1-b}} g^{-kr_{1-b}}$
- Given this value we can obtain $c^{r_{1-b}}$
- Thus, we can break CDH assumption

given random $c = g^m$ and $g^{r_{1-b}}$ it is hard to find $c^{r_{1-b}} = g^{mr_{1-b}}$

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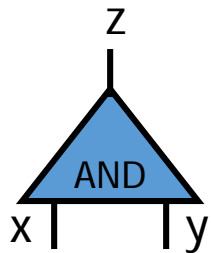
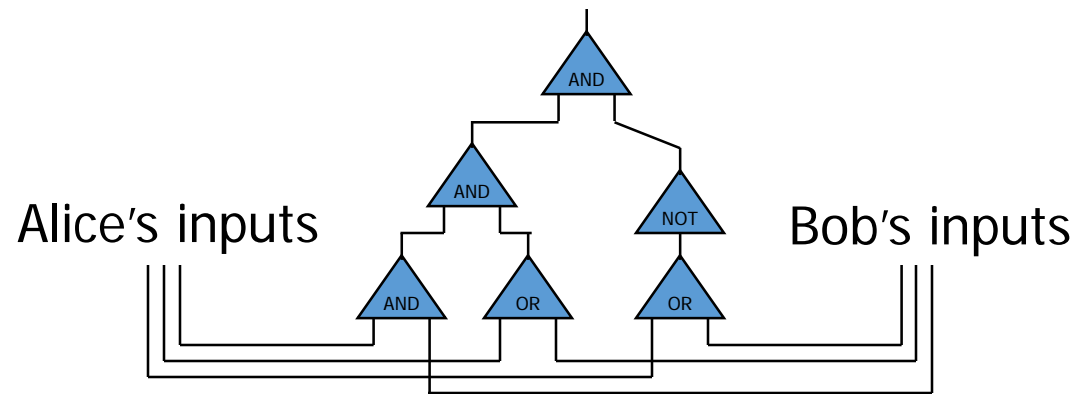
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Yao's Protocol

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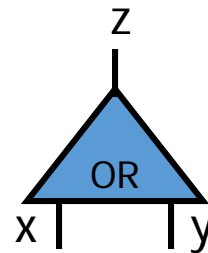
Yao's Protocol

- Compute **any** function securely
 - ... in the semi-honest model
- First, convert the function into a **boolean circuit**



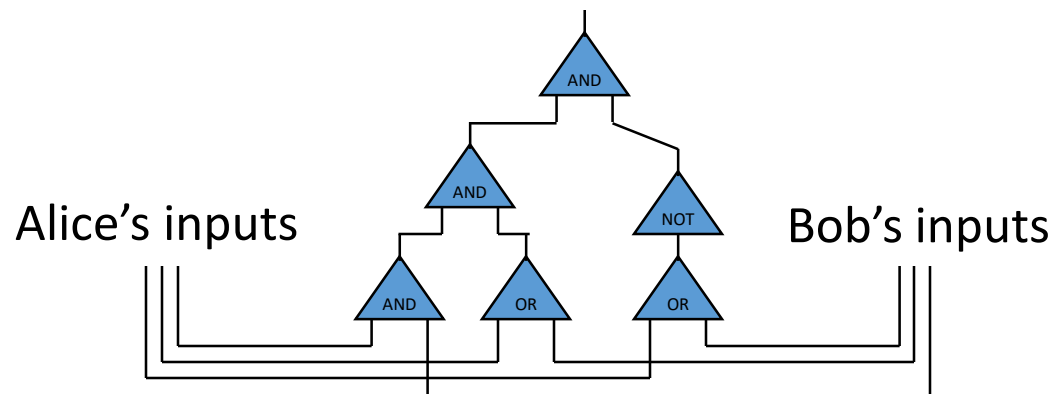
Truth table:

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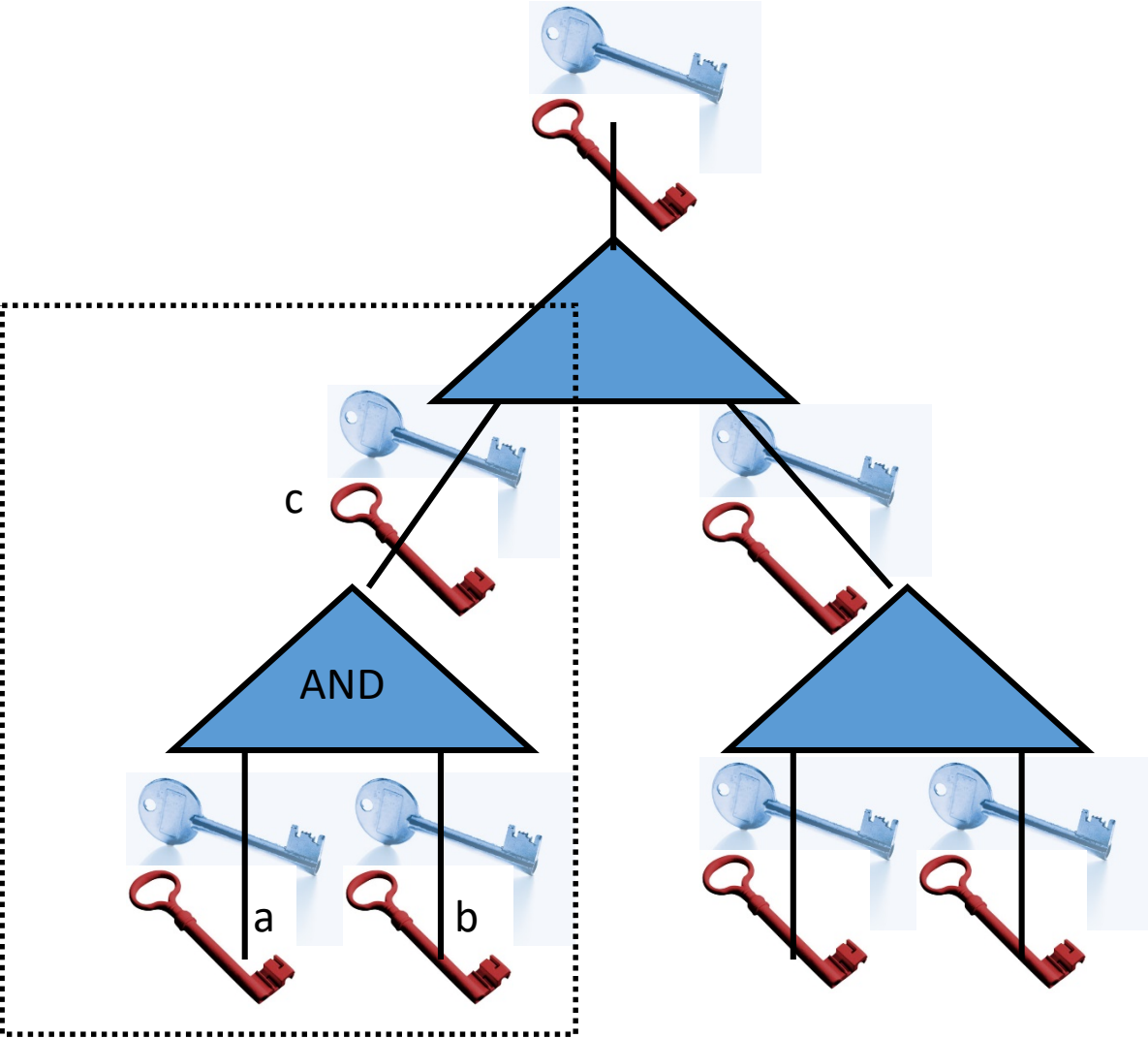
Overview:

1. Alice prepares “garbled” version C' of C
2. Sends “encrypted” form x' of her input x
3. Allows Bob to obtain “encrypted” form y' of his input y via OT
4. Bob can compute from C', x', y' the “encryption” z' of $z=C(x,y)$
5. Bob sends z' to Alice and she decrypts and reveals to him z

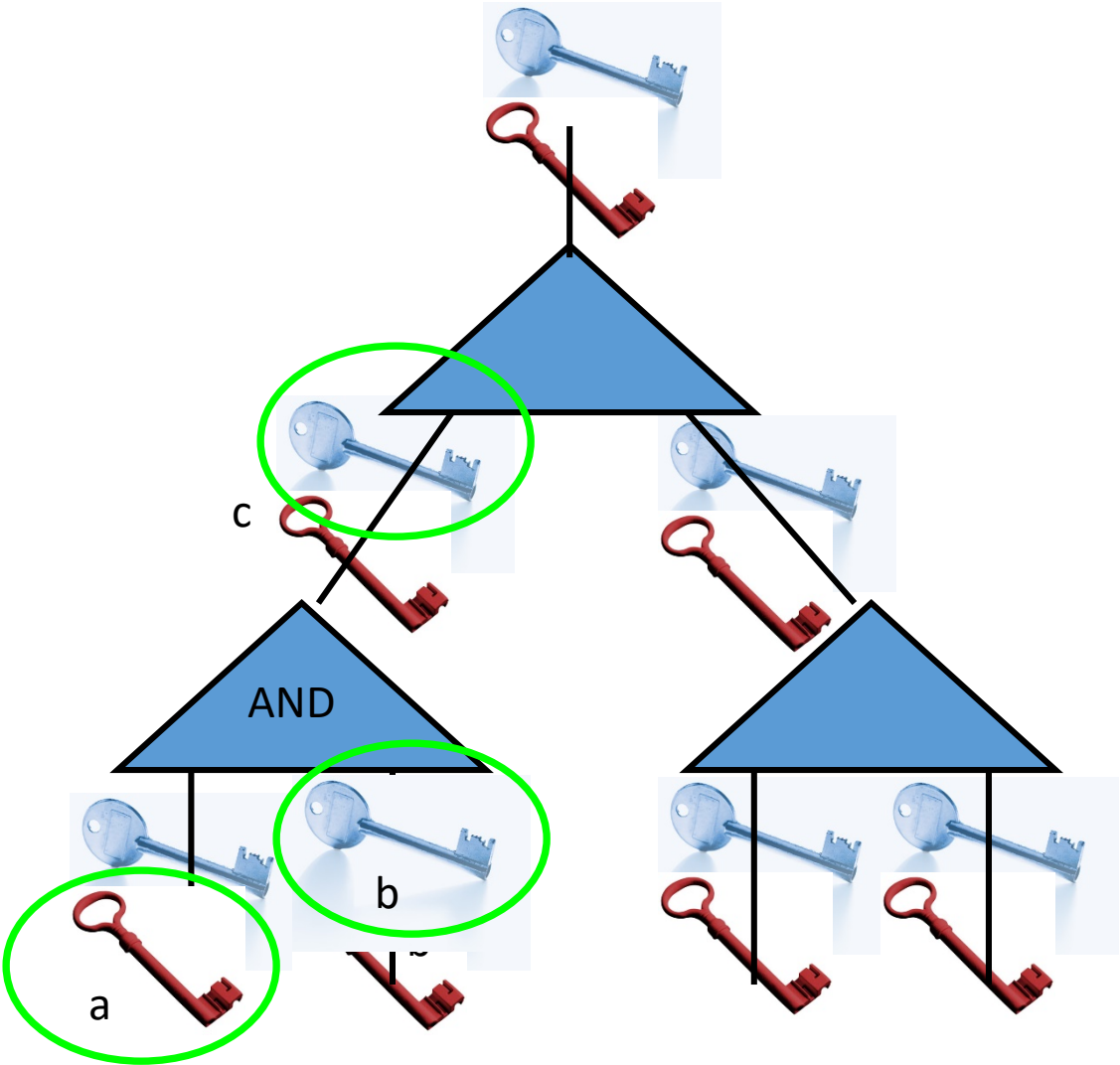
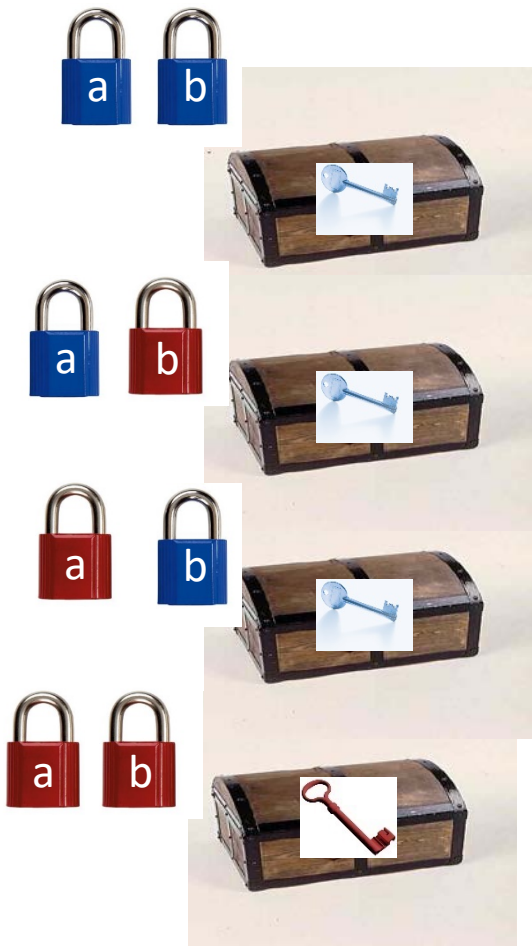
Crucial properties:

1. Bob never sees Alice's input x in unencrypted form.
2. Bob can obtain encryption of y without Alice learning y .
3. Neither party learns intermediate values.
4. Remains secure even if parties try to cheat.

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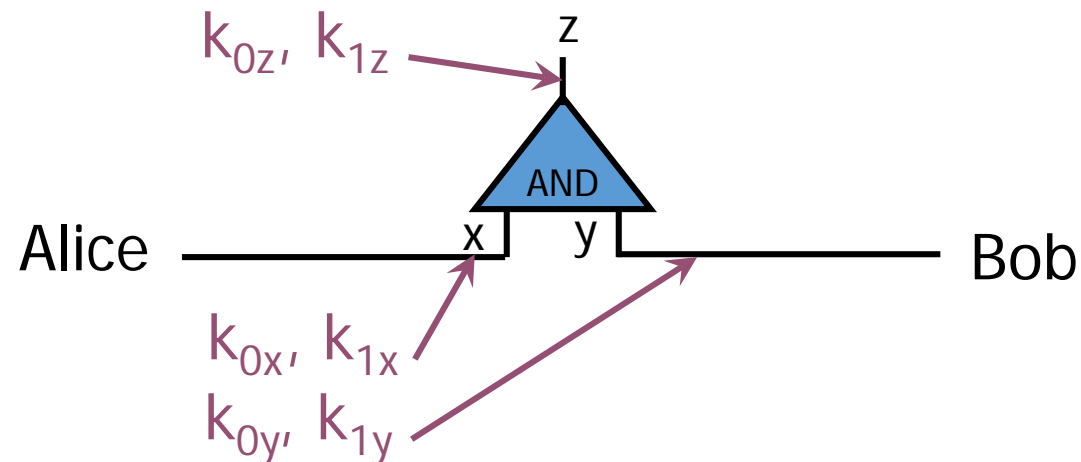


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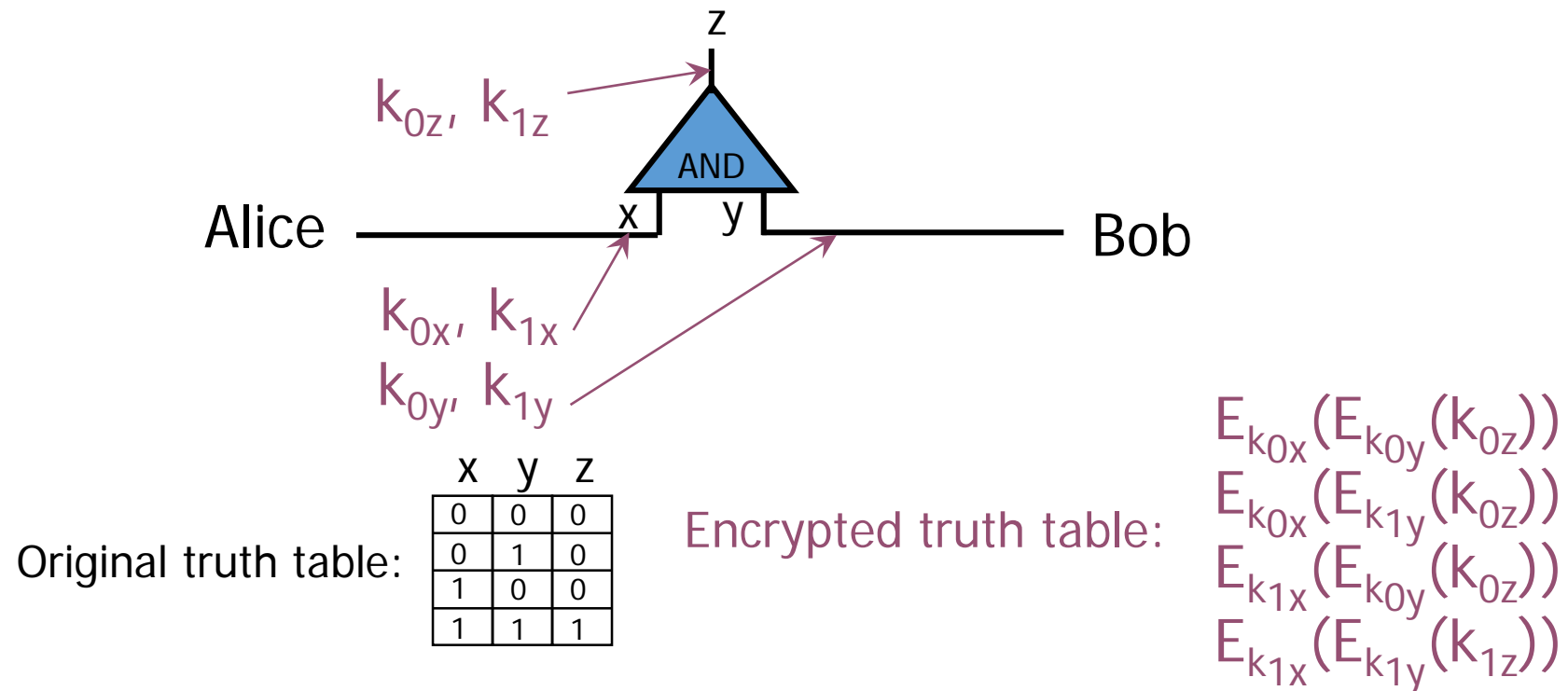
1: Pick Random Keys For Each Wire

- Next, evaluate one gate securely
 - Later, generalize to the entire circuit
- Alice picks two **random keys** for each wire
 - One key corresponds to “0”, the other to “1”
 - 6 keys in total for a gate with 2 input wires



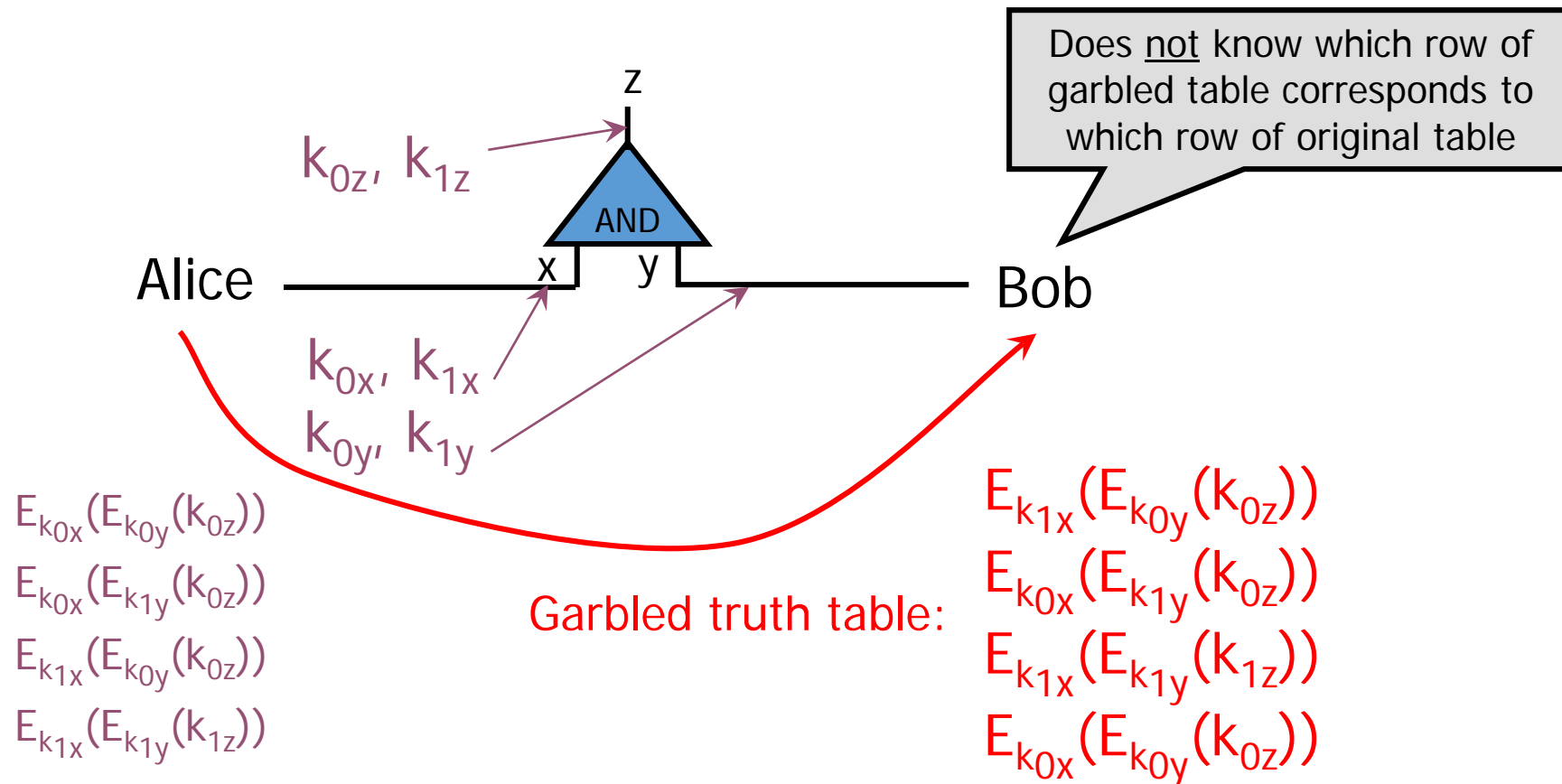
2: Encrypt Truth Table

- Alice encrypts each row of the truth table by encrypting the output-wire key with the corresponding pair of input-wire keys



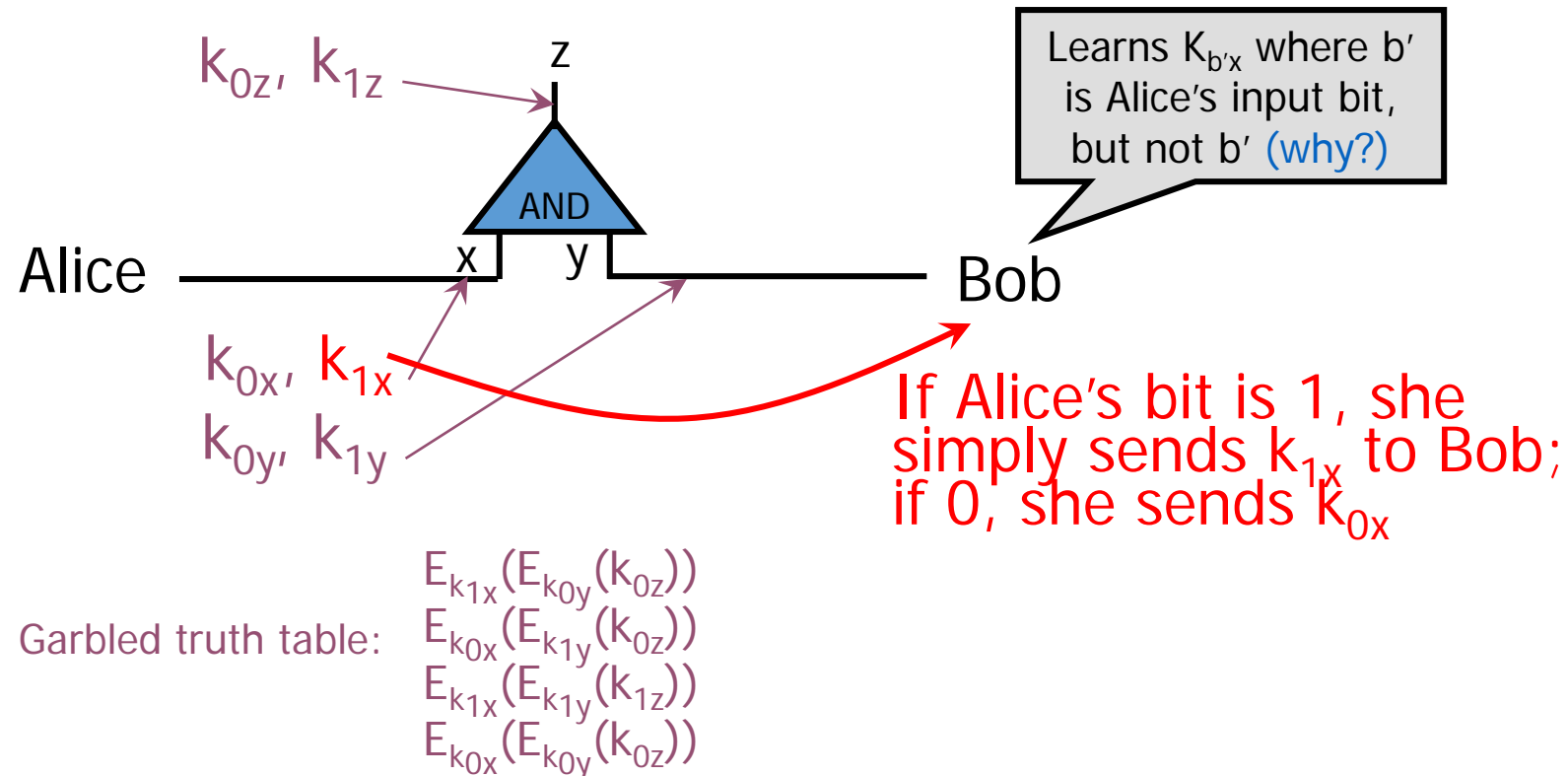
3: Send Garbled Truth Table

- Alice randomly permutes (“garbles”) encrypted truth table and sends it to Bob



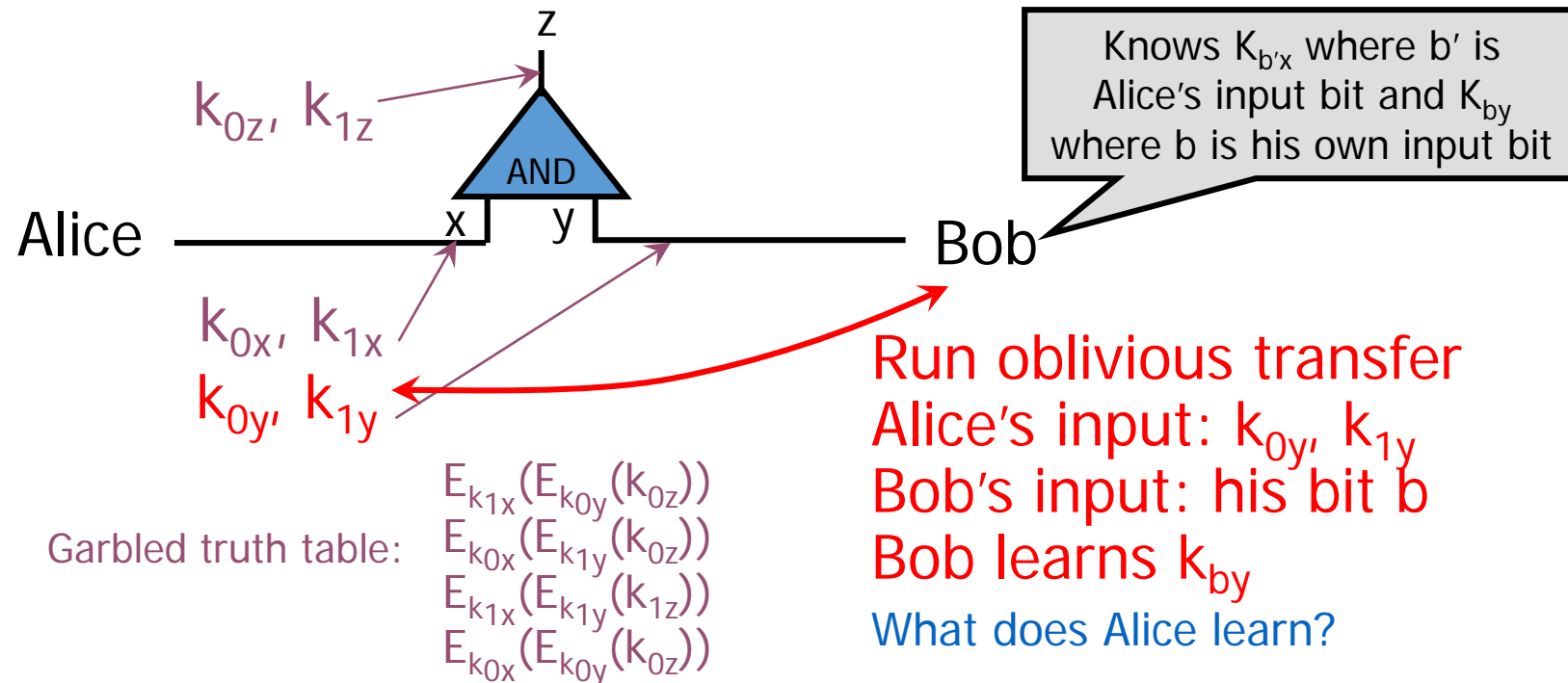
4: Send Keys For Alice's Inputs

- Alice sends the key corresponding to her input bit
 - Keys are random, so Bob does not learn what this bit is



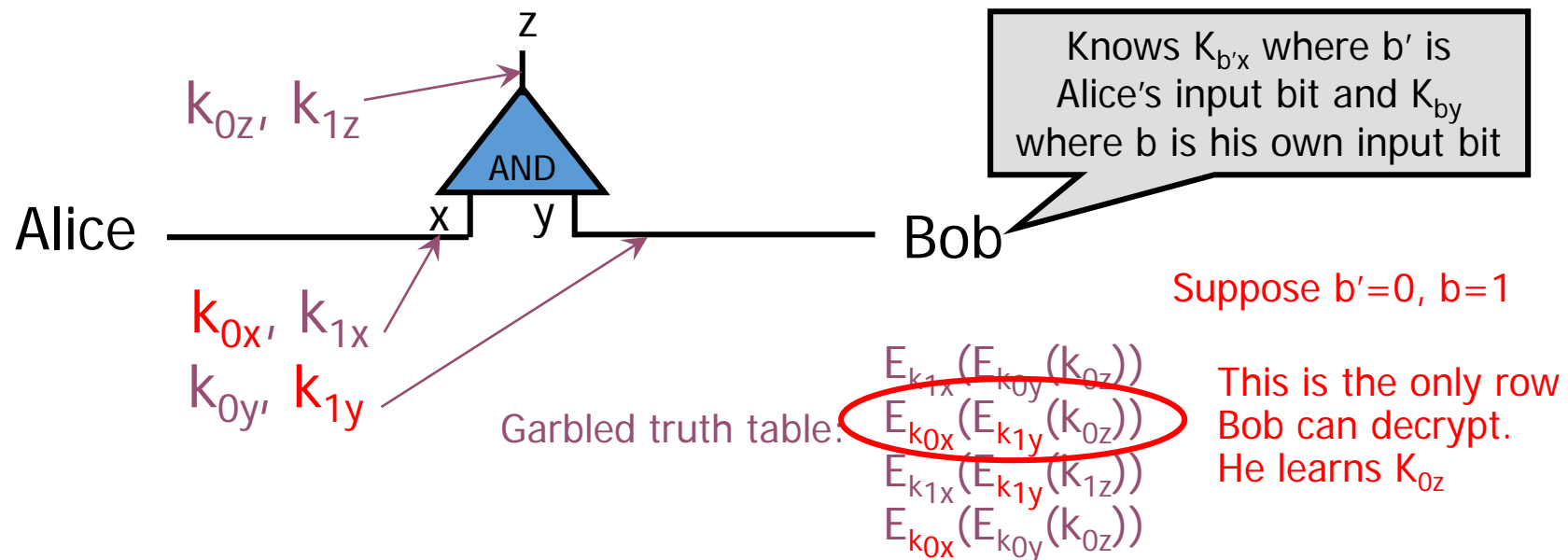
5: Use OT on Keys for Bob's Input

- Alice and Bob run oblivious transfer protocol
 - Alice's input is the two keys corresponding to Bob's wire
 - Bob's input into OT is simply his 1-bit input on that wire



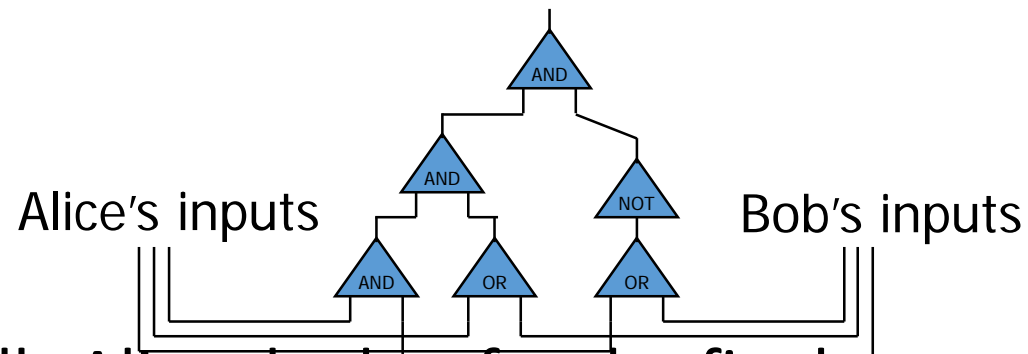
6: Evaluate Garbled Gate

- Using the two keys that he learned, Bob decrypts exactly one of the output-wire keys
 - Bob does not learn if this key corresponds to 0 or 1
 - Why is this important?



7: Evaluate Entire Circuit

- In this way, Bob evaluates entire garbled circuit
 - For each wire in the circuit, Bob learns only one key
 - It corresponds to 0 or 1 (Bob does not know which)
 - Therefore, Bob does not learn intermediate values (why?)



- Bob tells Alice the key for the final output wire and she tells him if it corresponds to 0 or 1
 - Bob does not tell her intermediate wire keys (why?)

Security (Semi-Honest Model)

- **Security:** Assuming that Alice and Bob are both semi-honest (follow the protocol) then there exist PPT simulators S_A and S_B s.t.

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Theorem (informal): If the oblivious transfer protocol is secure, and the underlying encryption scheme is CPA-secure then Yao's protocol is secure in the semi-honest adversary model.

Brief Discussion of Yao's Protocol

- Function must be converted into a circuit
 - For many functions, circuit will be huge
- If m gates in the circuit and n inputs from Bob, then need $4m$ encryptions and n oblivious transfers
 - Oblivious transfers for all inputs can be done in parallel
- Yao's construction gives a constant-round protocol for secure computation of any function in the semi-honest model
 - Number of rounds does not depend on the number of inputs or the size of the circuit!

Fully Malicious Security?

1. Alice could initially garble the wrong circuit $C(x,y)=y$.
2. Given output of $C(x,y)$ Alice can still send Bob the output $f(x,y)$.
3. Can Bob detect/prevent this?

Fix: Assume Alice and Bob have both committed to their input: $c_A = \text{com}(x, r_A)$ and $c_B = \text{com}(y, r_B)$.

- Alice and Bob can use zero-knowledge proofs to convince other party that they are behaving honestly.
- **Example:** After sending a message A Alice proves that the message she just sent is the same message an honest party would have sent with input x s.t. $c_A = \text{com}(x, r_A)$
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 - Alice has c_B and can unlock c_A
 - Bob has c_A and can unlock c_B
- 1. Alice sets $C_f = \text{GarbleCircuit}(f, r)$.
 1. Alice sends to Bob.
 2. Alice convinces Bob that $C_f = \text{GarbleCircuit}(f, r)$ for some r (using a zero-knowledge proof)
- 2. For each original oblivious transfer if Alice's inputs were originally x_0, x_1
 1. Alice and Bob run OT with y_0, y_1 where $y_i = \text{Enc}_K(x_i)$
 2. Bob uses a zero-knowledge proof to convince Alice that he received the correct y_i (e.g. matching his previous commitment c_B)
 3. Alice sends K to Bob who decrypts y_i to obtain x_i

Zero-Knowledge Proofs

Computational Indistinguishability

- Consider two distributions X_ℓ and Y_ℓ (e.g., over strings of length ℓ).
- Let D be a distinguisher that attempts to guess whether a string s came from distribution X_ℓ or Y_ℓ .

The advantage of a distinguisher D is

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$$Adv_{D,n} \leq negl(n)$$

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P vs NP

- **P** problems that can be solved in polynomial time
- **NP** --- problems whose solutions can be **verified** in polynomial time
 - Examples: SHORT-PATH, COMPOSITE, 3SAT, CIRCUIT-SAT, 3COLOR,
 - DDH
 - **Input:** $A = g^{x_1}$, $B = g^{x_2}$ and Z
 - **Goal:** Decide if $Z = g^{x_1x_2}$ or $Z \neq g^{x_1x_2}$.
 - **NP-Complete** --- hardest problems in NP (e.g., all problems can be reduced to 3SAT)
- **Witness**
 - A short (polynomial size) string which allows a verify to check for membership
 - DDH Witness: x_1, x_2 .

Zero-Knowledge Proof

Two parties: Prover P (PPT) and Verifier V (PPT)

(P is given witness for claim e.g.,)

- **Completeness:** If claim is true honest prover can always convince honest verifier to accept.
- **Soundness:** If claim is false then Verifier should reject with probability at least $\frac{1}{2}$. (Even if the prover tries to cheat)
- **Zero-Knowledge:** Verifier doesn't learn anything about prover's input from the protocol (other than that the claim is true).
- Formalizing this last statement is tricky
- **Zero-Knowledge:** should hold even if the attacker is dishonest!

Zero-Knowledge Proof

$\text{Trans}(1^n, V', P, x, w, r_p, r_v)$ transcript produced when V' and P interact

- V' is given input X (the problem instance e.g., $X = g^x$)
- P is given input X and w (a witness for the claim e.g., $w=x$)
- V' and P use randomness r_p and r_v respectively
- Security parameter is n e.g., for encryption schemes, commitment schemes etc...

$X_n = \text{Trans}(1^n, V', P, x, w)$ is a distribution over transcripts (over the randomness r_p, r_v)

(Blackbox Zero-Knowledge): There is a PPT simulator S such that for every V' (possibly cheating) S , with oracle access to V' , can simulate X_n without a witness w . Formally,

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- S is given x and the claim e.g., $A = g^{x_1}$ and $B = g^{x_2}$ and encryption schemes, E and D

X_n is the transcript produced over transcript

Simulator S is not given witness w

Oracle $V'(x, \text{trans})$ will output the next message V' would output given current transcript trans

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Zero-Knowledge Proof for Discrete Log Solution



Bob (verifier);

A

$$B = g^y, C = g^{x+y}$$

challenge $c \in \{0, 1\}$

$$\text{Response } r = \begin{cases} y & \text{if } c = 0 \\ y + x & \text{if } c = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Decision } d = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } c = 0 \text{ and } B = g^r \text{ and } AB = C \\ 1 & \text{if } c = 1 \text{ and } C = g^r \text{ and } AB = C \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



Alice (prover);

x s.t.

$$\begin{aligned} A &= g^x, \\ B &= g^y, \\ &(\text{random } y) \end{aligned}$$

Claim: There is some integer x such that $A = g^x$

Zero-Knowledge Proof for Discrete Log Solution



Bob (verifier);

$$A = g^x,$$

$$\text{Decision } d = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } c = 0 \text{ and } B = g^r \text{ and } AB = C \\ 1 & \text{if } c = 1 \text{ and } C = g^r \text{ and } AB = C \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$B = g^y, C = g^{x+y}$$

challenge $c \in \{0, 1\}$

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Alice (prover);

x
 $A = g^x,$
 $B = g^y,$
(random y)

Correctness: If Alice and Bob are honest then Bob will always accept

Zero-Knowledge Proof for Discrete Log Solution



Case 1: Challenge (c=0)

$$B = g^y, C = g^{x+y}$$

challenge $c \in \{0, 1\}$

$$\text{Response } r = \begin{cases} y & \text{if } c = 0 \\ y + x & \text{if } c = 1 \end{cases}$$

Bob (verifier);

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$$B = g^y, C = g^{x+y}$$

challenge $c \in \{0, 1\}$

$$Response\ r = \begin{cases} y & \text{if } c = 0 \\ y + x & \text{if } c = 1 \end{cases}$$

Case 2: Challenge (c=1)

Alice (prover);

x
 $A = g^x,$
 $B = g^y,$
 (random y)

Correctness: If Alice and Bob are honest then Bob will always accept

Zero-Knowledge Proof for Discrete Log Solution



Bob (verifier);

$$A = g^x,$$

$$B = g^y, C = g^{x+y}$$

challenge $c \in \{0, 1\}$

$$\text{Response } r = \begin{cases} y & \text{if } c = 0 \\ y + x & \text{if } c = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Decision } d = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } c = 0 \text{ and } B = g^r \text{ and } AB = C \\ 1 & \text{if } c = 1 \text{ and } C = g^r \text{ and } AB = C \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



Alice (prover);

x

$$A = g^x,$$

$$B = g^y,$$

(random y)

(even if

Soundness: If $A \neq g^x$ for some x then (honest) Bob will reject w.p. $\frac{1}{2}$ (Alice cheats)

Zero-Knowledge Proof for

Assume that $AB=C$, now
 if $B = g^y$ and $C = g^{x+y}$ for
 some x,y then $A = g^x$



Bob (verifier);

$$A = g^x,$$

$$B = g^y, C = g^{x+y}$$

challenge $c \in \{0, 1\}$

$$\text{Response } r = \begin{cases} y & \text{if } c = 0 \\ y + x & \text{if } c = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Decision } d = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } c = 0 \text{ and } B = g^r \text{ and } AB = C \\ 1 & \text{if } c = 1 \text{ and } C = g^r \text{ and } AB = C \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



Alice (prover);

x
 $A = g^x,$
 $B = g^y,$
 (random y)

(even if)

Soundness: If $A \neq g^x$ for some x then (honest) Bob will reject w.p. $\frac{1}{2}$ (Alice cheats)

Case 1: for all r $B \neq g^r$

$$\rightarrow \Pr[\text{reject}] \geq \Pr[c = 0] = \frac{1}{2}$$

Assume that $AB=C$, now

if $B = g^y$ and $C = g^{x+y}$ for some x, y then $A = g^x$

$$B = g^y, C = g^{x+y}$$

challenge $c \in \{0, 1\}$

$$\text{Response } r = \begin{cases} y & \text{if } c = 0 \\ y + x & \text{if } c = 1 \end{cases}$$

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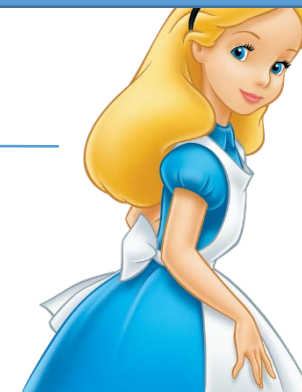
Bob (verifier);

$$A = g^x,$$

Alice (prover);

x
 $A = g^x,$
 $B = g^y,$
 (random y)

Soundness: If $A \neq g^x$ for some x then (honest) Bob will reject w.p. $\frac{1}{2}$ (even if Alice cheats)



Case 2: for all r $C \neq g^r$
 $\rightarrow Pr[reject] \geq Pr[c = 1] = \frac{1}{2}$

Assume that $AB=C$, now
 If $B = g^y$ and $C = g^{x+y}$ for
 some x,y then $A = g^x$



$$B = g^y, C = g^{x+y}$$

challenge $c \in \{0, 1\}$

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Bob (verifier);
 $A = g^x,$

$$\text{Decision } d = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } c = 0 \text{ and } B = g^r \text{ and } AB = C \\ 1 & \text{if } c = 1 \text{ and } C = g^r \text{ and } AB = C \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Alice (prover);
 x
 $A = g^x,$
 $B = g^y,$
 (random y)

Soundness: If $A \neq g^x$ for some x then (honest) Bob will reject w.p. $\frac{1}{2}$ (even if Alice cheats)

Zero-Knowledge Proof for Discrete Log Solution



Dishonest (verifier);

$$A = g^x,$$

$$B = g^y, C = g^{x+y}$$

$$\text{challenge } c = V'(A, (B, C)) \in \{0, 1\}$$

$$\text{Response } r = \begin{cases} y & \text{if } c = 0 \\ y + x & \text{if } c = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Decision } d = V'(A, (B, C), c, r)$$



Alice (honest);

x
 $A = g^x,$
 $B = g^y,$
(random y)

Transcript: $View_V = (A, (B, C), c, r, d)$

Zero-Knowledge Proof for Discrete Log Solution



Dishonest (verifier);

$$A = g^x,$$

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Alice (honest);

x
 $A = g^x,$
 $B = g^y,$
(random y)

Zero-Knowledge: For all PPT V' exists PPT Sim s.t $\text{View}_{V'} \equiv_C \text{Sim}^{V'(\cdot)}(A)$

Zero-Knowledge Proof for Discrete Log Solution



Dishonest (verifier);

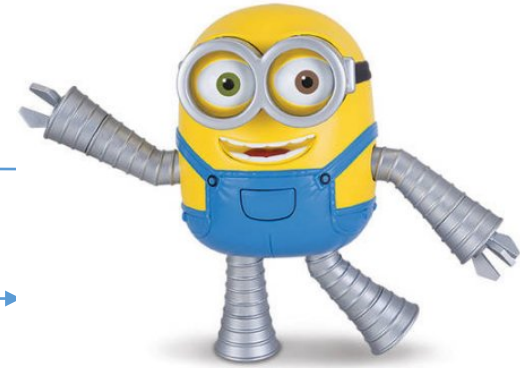
$$A = g^x,$$

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$$\text{challenge } c = V'(A, (B, C)) \in \{0, 1\}$$

$$\text{Response } r = \begin{cases} y & \text{if } c=b \\ \perp & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Decision } d = V'(A, (B, C), c, r)$$



Simulator

Cheat bit b ,
 $A = g^x$,
 $B = g^y$,
 (random y)

Zero-Knowledge: For all PPT V' exists PPT Sim s.t $\text{View}_{V'} \equiv_C \text{Sim}^{V'(\cdot)}(A)$

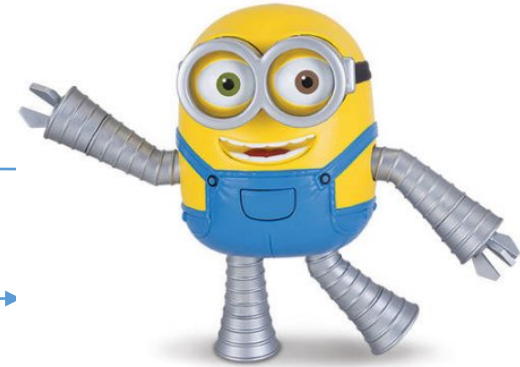
Zero-Knowledge Proof for Discrete Log Solution

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Dishonest (verifier);

$$A = g^x,$$



Simulator

Cheat bit b ,

$$A = g^x,$$

$$B = g^y,$$

(random y)

challenge $c = V'(A, (B, C)) \in \{0, 1\}$

$$\text{Response } r = \begin{cases} y & \text{if } c=b \\ \perp & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Decision $d = V'(A, (B, C), c, r)$

Zero-Knowledge: Simulator can produce identical transcripts (Repeat until $r \neq \perp$)

Zero-Knowledge Proof for Discrete Log Solution



Dishonest (verifier);

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$$\begin{cases} B = g^y, C = AB & \text{if } b=0 \\ B = \frac{C}{A}, C = g^y & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



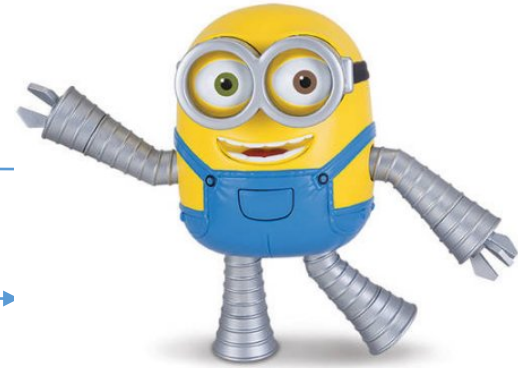
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Decision $d = V'(A, (B, C), c, r)$



Simulator

Cheat bit b ,
 $A = g^x$,
 $B = g^y$,
 (random y)

Zero-Knowledge: If $A = g^x$ for some x then $\text{View}_V \equiv_C \text{Sim}^{V'(\cdot)}(A)$

Zero-Knowledge Proof for Square Root mod N



Bob (verifier);

z

$$\text{Decision } d = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } c = 0 \text{ and } M = zr^2 \\ 1 & \text{if } c = 1 \text{ and } M = r^2 \text{ mod } N \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$M = zy^2 \text{ mod } N$$

challenge $c \in \{0, 1\}$

$$\text{Response } r = \begin{cases} y & \text{if } c = 0 \\ yx & \text{if } c = 1 \end{cases}$$



Alice (prover);

X

$z = x^2 \text{ mod } N$
(random y)

Completeness: If Alice knows x such $z = x^2 \text{ mod } N$ then Bob will always accept

Zero-Knowledge Proof for Square Root mod N



Bob (verifier);

z

$$\text{Decision } d = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } c = 0 \text{ and } M = zr^2 \\ 1 & \text{if } c = 1 \text{ and } M = r^2 \text{ mod } N \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

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Alice (prover);

X

$z = x^2 \text{ mod } N$
(random y)

Soundness: If $z \neq x^2$ for some x then (honest) Bob will reject w.p. $\frac{1}{2}$ (even if Alice cheats)

Zero-Knowledge Proof for Square Root mod N



Bob (verifier);

z

$$\text{Decision } d = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } c = 0 \text{ and } M = zr^2 \text{ mod } N \\ 1 & \text{if } c = 1 \text{ and } M = r^2 \text{ mod } N \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

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challenge $c \in \{0, 1\}$

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Alice (prover);

X

$z = x^2 \text{ mod } N$
(random y)

Zero-Knowledge: How does the simulator work?

Zero-Knowledge Proof vs. Digital Signature

- Digital Signatures are transferrable
 - E.g., Alice signs a message m with her secret key and sends the signature σ to Bob. Bob can then send (m, σ) to Jane who is convinced that Alice signed the message m .
- Are Zero-Knowledge Proofs transferable?
 - Suppose Alice (prover) interacts with Bob (verifier) to prove a statement (e.g., z has a square root modulo N) in Zero-Knowledge.
 - Let \mathbf{View}_V be Bob's view of the protocol.
 - Suppose Bob sends \mathbf{View}_V to Jane.
 - Should Jane be convinced of the statement (e.g., z has a square root modulo N)>

Non-Interactive Zero-Knowledge Proof (NIZK)



Bob (verifier);

$$z$$

$$\text{Decision } d = \prod_i d_i \text{ where } d_i = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } c_i = 0 \text{ and } M_i = r_i^2 z \pmod N \\ 1 & \text{if } c_i = 1 \text{ and } M_i = r_i^2 \pmod N \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Simulator Power: Can program the random oracle

$$M_1, \dots, M_k \text{ where } M_i = y_i^2 z \pmod N$$

$$\text{challenges } c = (c_1, \dots, c_k) = H(M_1, \dots, M_k)$$

$$\text{Responses } r_1, \dots, r_k \text{ where } r_i = \begin{cases} y_i & \text{if } c_i = 0 \\ y_i x & \text{if } c_i = 1 \end{cases}$$



Alice (prover);

X
 $z = x^2 \pmod N$
 (random
 y_1, \dots, y_k)

NIZK Security (Random Oracle Model)

- Simulator is given statement to proof (e.g., z has a square root modulo N)
- Simulator must output a proof π'_z and a random oracle H'
- Distinguisher D
 - World 1 (Simulated): Given z , π'_z and oracle access to H'
 - World 2 (Honest): Given z , π_z (honest proof) and oracle access to H
 - Advantage: $ADV_D = |Pr[D^H(z, \pi_z) = 1] - Pr[D^{H'}(z, \pi'_z) = 1]|$
- **Zero-Knowledge:** Any PPT distinguisher D should have negligible advantage.
- NIZK proof π_z is transferrable (contrast with interactive ZK proof)

Zero-Knowledge Proof for all NP

- CLIQUE

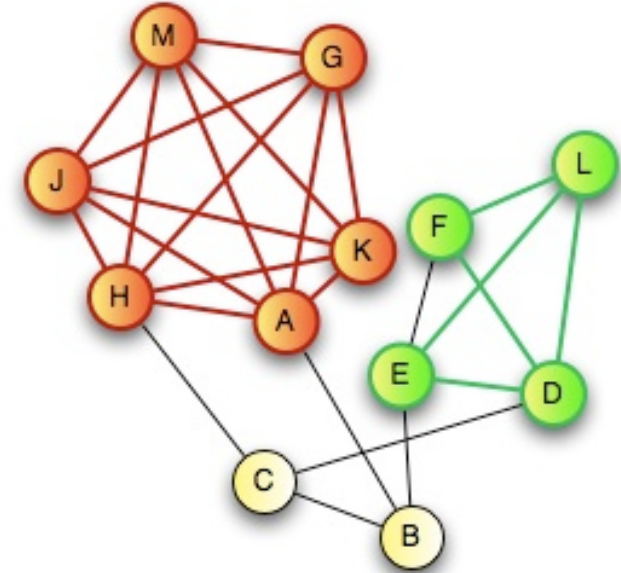
- Input: Graph $G=(V,E)$ and integer $k>0$
- Question: Does G have a clique of size k ?

- CLIQUE is NP-Complete

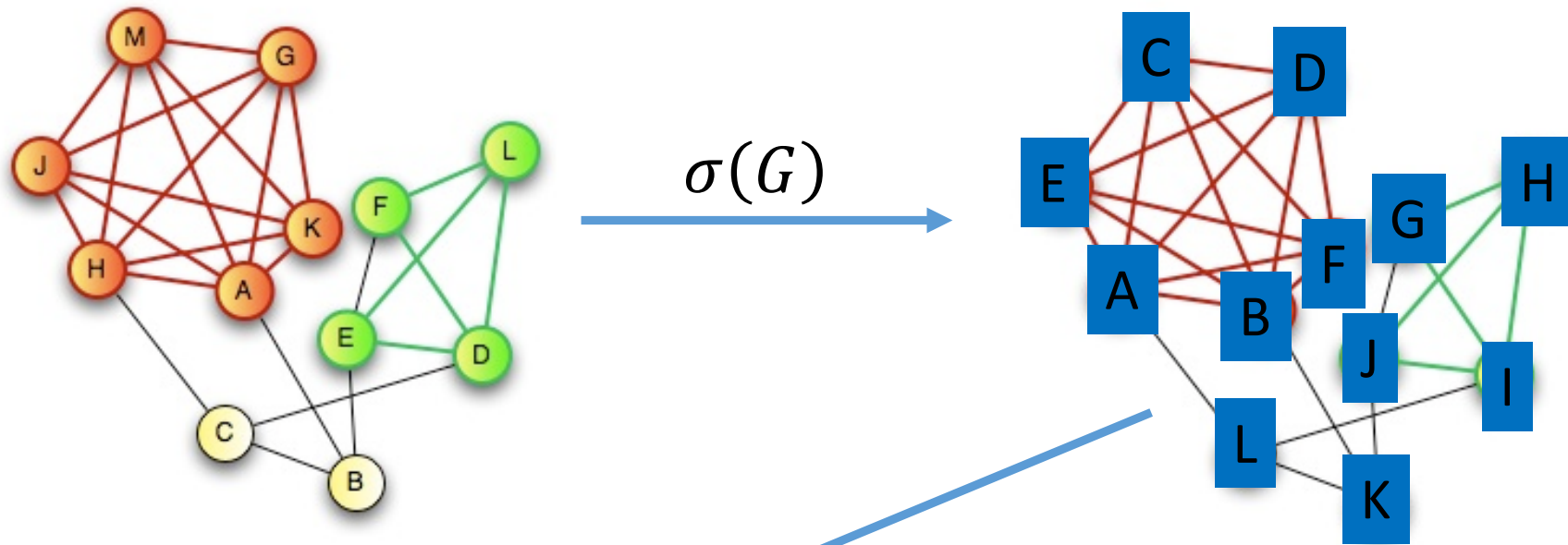
- Any problem in NP reduces to CLIQUE
- A zero-knowledge proof for CLIQUE yields proof for all of NP via reduction

- Prover:

- Knows k vertices v_1, \dots, v_k in $G=(V,E)$ that form a clique



Zero-Knowledge Proof for all NP



Adjacency matrix $A_{\sigma(G)}$

$$\begin{matrix} & \mathbf{A} & & \mathbf{L} \\ \mathbf{A} & \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \dots & 1 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & \dots & 0 \end{pmatrix} & & \\ \mathbf{L} & & & \end{matrix}$$

Commitment to $A_{\sigma(G)}$

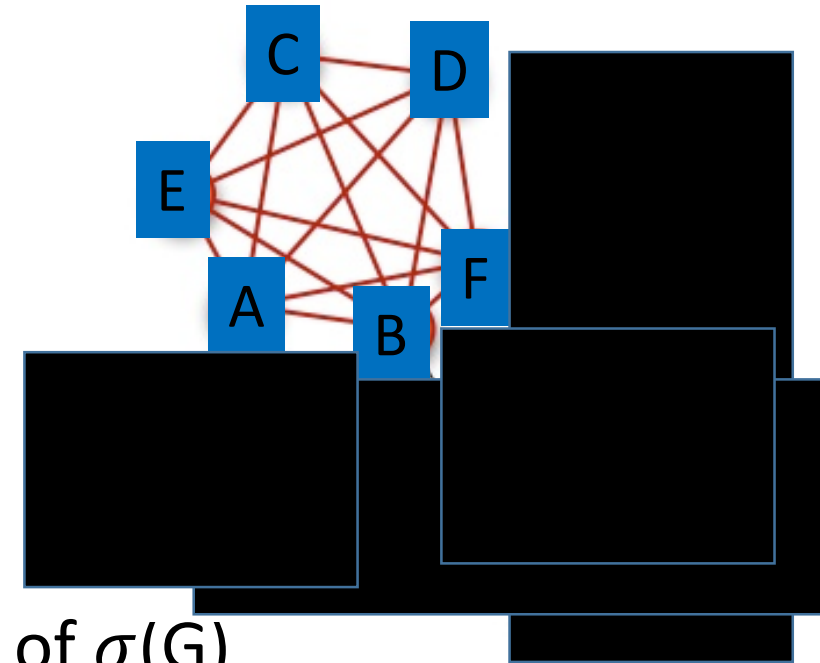
$$\begin{matrix} & \mathbf{A} & & \mathbf{L} \\ \mathbf{A} & \begin{pmatrix} Com(0, r_{A,A}) & \dots & Com(1, r_{A,L}) \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ Com(1, r_{L,A}) & \dots & Com(0, r_{L,L}) \end{pmatrix} & & \\ \mathbf{L} & & & \end{matrix}$$

Zero-Knowledge Proof for all NP

- Prover:

- Knows k vertices v_1, \dots, v_k in $G=(V,E)$ that form a clique

1. Prover commits to a permutation σ over V
2. Prover commits to the adjacency matrix $A_{\sigma(G)}$ of $\sigma(G)$
3. Verifier sends challenge c (either 1 or 0)
4. If $c=0$ then prover reveals σ and adjacency matrix $A_{\sigma(G)}$
 1. Verifier confirms that adjacency matrix is correct for $\sigma(G)$
5. If $c=1$ then prover reveals the submatrix formed by first rows/columns of $A_{\sigma(G)}$ corresponding to $\sigma(v_1), \dots, \sigma(v_k)$
 1. Verifier confirms that the submatrix forms a clique.



Zero-Knowledge Proof for all NP

- **Completeness:** Honest prover can always make honest verifier accept
- **Soundness:** If prover commits to adjacency matrix $A_{\sigma(G)}$ of $\sigma(G)$ and can reveal a clique in submatrix of $A_{\sigma(G)}$ then G itself contains a k -clique. Proof invokes binding property of commitment scheme.
- **Zero-Knowledge:** Simulator cheats and either commits to wrong adjacency matrix or cannot reveal clique. Repeat until we produce a successful transcript. Indistinguishability of transcripts follows from hiding property of commitment scheme.

Secure Multiparty Computation (Adversary Models)

- Semi-Honest (“honest, but curious”)
 - All parties follow protocol instructions, but...
 - dishonest parties may be curious to violate privacy of others when possible
- Fully Malicious Model
 - Adversarial Parties may deviate from the protocol arbitrarily
 - Quit unexpectedly
 - Send different messages
 - It is much harder to achieve security in the fully malicious model
- Convert Secure Semi-Honest Protocol into Secure Protocol in Fully Malicious Mode?
 - Tool: Zero-Knowledge Proofs
 - Prove: My behavior in the protocol is consistent with honest party