

# Two Round Oblivious Transfer from CDH or LPN

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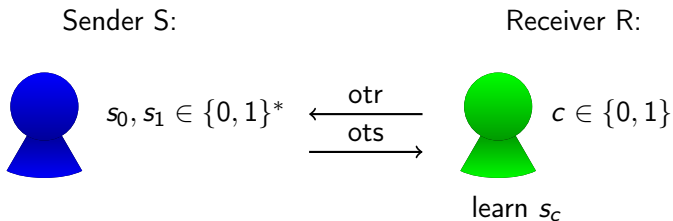
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## Oblivious Transfer (OT)

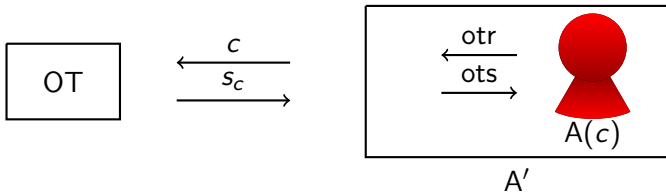
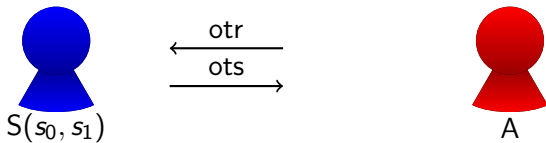


### Security

- ▶ S does not learn  $c$ .
- ▶ R does not learn  $s_{1-c}$

## Simulation based Security (for Sender S)

For any A,



## Security for Receiver R

### Simulation based Security

- ▶ Same as for Sender
- ▶  $A'$  needs to extract  $s_0, s_1$

### Indistinguishability based Security

- ▶ weaker than simulation based
- ▶ malicious  $S$  cannot distinguish  $R(0)$  from  $R(1)$

## Our Results

Sim. Sender, Ind. Receiver Secure OT ( $\tilde{OT}$ )  $\Rightarrow$  Sim. Secure OT

- ▶  $\tilde{OT} \Rightarrow$  2-round ZK
- ▶  $\tilde{OT} +$  2-round ZK  $\Rightarrow$  Sim. Secure OT

CDH or LPN  $\Rightarrow \tilde{OT}$

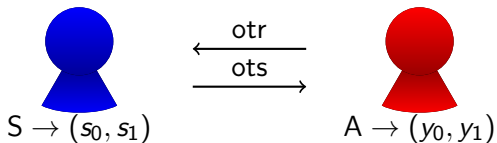
- ▶ weaker OT security notions for the sender
- ▶ CDH or LPN  $\Rightarrow$  weaker notions
- ▶ generic transformation from weaker notions to  $\tilde{OT}$

## Summary

### $\tilde{\text{OT}}$ from CDH

1. CDH or LPN  $\Rightarrow$  Elementary OT (eOT)
2. Elementary OT  $\Rightarrow$  Search OT (sOT)
3. Search OT  $\Rightarrow$  Indistinguishable OT (iOT)
4. Indistinguishable OT  $\Rightarrow \tilde{\text{OT}}$

CDH  $\Rightarrow$  eOT  $\Rightarrow$  sOT  $\Rightarrow$  iOT  $\Rightarrow$   $\tilde{\text{OT}}$



## Elementary OT Security

$$\Pr[(y_0, y_1) = (s_0, s_1)] \leq \text{negl}$$

# CDH $\Rightarrow$ eOT $\Rightarrow$ sOT $\Rightarrow$ iOT $\Rightarrow$ $\tilde{\text{OT}}$

Bellare, Micali [BM90]:

Sender S:

$$h_1 = h_0 X$$

$$s \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_p$$

$$S = g^s$$

CRS :  $(X = g^x)$

$$\longleftarrow \text{otr} = h_0$$

$$\longrightarrow \text{ots} = S$$

Receiver R(c):

$$r \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_p$$

$$h_0 = g^r X^{-c}$$

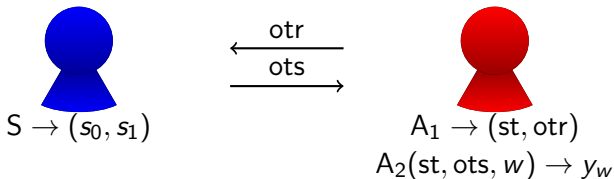
output  $S^r$

## Correctness and Security

- ▶  $s_c = h_c^s = (h_0 X^c)^s = (g^r X^{-c} X^c)^s = S^r$
- ▶  $s_{1-c} = h_{1-c}^s = (h_0 X^{1-c})^s = X^{(1-2c)s} S^r$
- ▶ computing  $s_0/s_1 = g^{xs}$  solves CDH for challenge  $X, S$



CDH  $\Rightarrow$  eOT  $\Rightarrow$  sOT  $\Rightarrow$  iOT  $\Rightarrow$   $\tilde{O}T$



## Search OT Security

With  $1 - \text{negl}$  probability over  $(\text{st}, \text{otr})$ ,  
 $\exists w \in \{0, 1\}$  s.t.  $\Pr_{\text{ots}}[A_2(\text{st}, \text{ots}, w) = s_w] \leq \text{negl}$ .

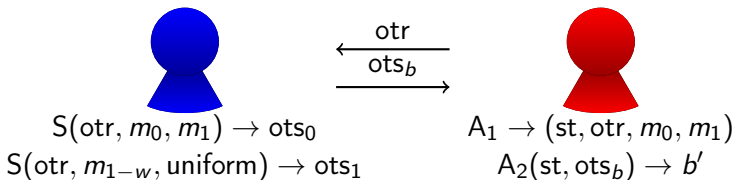
## Elementary OT $\Rightarrow$ Search OT

Amplify hardness (Canetti, Halevi, Steiner [CHS05]) s.t.

$\Pr_{\text{ots}}[A_2(\text{st}, \text{ots}, w) = s_w] > \frac{3}{4}$ , i.e.

$\Pr_{\text{ots}}[\forall w, A_2(\text{st}, \text{ots}, w) = s_w] > \text{negl}$ .

CDH  $\Rightarrow$  eOT  $\Rightarrow$  sOT  $\Rightarrow$  iOT  $\Rightarrow$   $\tilde{\text{OT}}$



## Indistinguishable OT Security

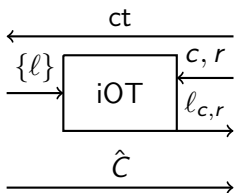
With  $1 - \text{negl}$  probability over  $(st, otr)$ ,  $\exists w \in \{0, 1\}$  s.t.  
 $|\Pr_{ots}[A_2(st, ots_0) = 1] - \Pr_{ots}[A_2(st, ots_1) = 1]| \leq \text{negl}$ .

## Search OT $\Rightarrow$ Indistinguishable OT

Goldreich Levin hardcore predicates [GL89], hybrid argument.

CDH  $\Rightarrow$  eOT  $\Rightarrow$  sOT  $\Rightarrow$  iOT  $\Rightarrow$   $\tilde{O}T$

Sender  $S(m_0, m_1)$ :      CRS = (CRS<sub>iOT</sub>, pk)  
 $C[ct, CRS, m_0, m_1](c, r)$ :  
 If (ct = Enc(pk, c; r))  
 Then output  $m_c$   
 Else output  $\perp$   
 $(\hat{C}, \{l\}) \leftarrow \text{Garble}(C)$



Receiver  $R(c)$ :  
 $ct = \text{Enc}(pk, c; r)$

$$m_c = \hat{C}(l_{c,r})$$

## Receiver Ind., Sender Sim. Security

- ▶ ct and iOT do not leak  $c$
- ▶ Given sk,  $c$  can be extracted
- ▶ Can iOT and  $\hat{C}$  be simulated without  $m_{1-c}$ ?

## Sender's Simulation based Security

### Garbled Circuits; Yao [Yao82]

- ▶  $\{l\}$  and  $\hat{C}$  leak  $m_0$  and  $m_1$ .
- ▶  $l_{c,r}$ ,  $\hat{C}$  only leak  $m_c$ .

Solution: Use independent  $\{l\} \setminus l_{c,r}$  for  $\hat{C}$  and iOT.

### Distinguisher Dependent Simulation; Jain, Kalai, Khurana, Rothblum [JKKR17]

- ▶ Indistinguishable OT:  $\exists w \in \{0, 1\}$  s.t.  $l_w \approx_c$  uniform.
- ▶ We test run the adversary to learn  $w \in \{0, 1\}$ .
- ▶ In the actual simulation,  $w$  is consistent with good probability.
- ▶ We can replace  $l_w \in \{l\} \setminus l_{c,r}$  with uniform.

## Summary

Our Results, [eprint.iacr.org/2019/414](http://eprint.iacr.org/2019/414)

1. CDH or LPN  $\Rightarrow$  Elementary OT
2. Elementary OT  $\Rightarrow$  Search OT  
(Hardness Amplification; Canetti, Halevi, Steiner [CHS05])
3. Search OT  $\Rightarrow$  Indistinguishable OT  
(Hardcore Predicates; Goldreich, Levin [GL89])
4. Indistinguishable OT  $\Rightarrow \tilde{\text{OT}}$   
(Distinguisher Dependent Simulation; Jain, Kalai, Khurana, Rothblum [JKKR17], Garbled Circuits; Yao [Yao82])
5.  $\tilde{\text{OT}} + 2\text{-round ZK} \Rightarrow \text{Sim. Secure OT}$   
( $\tilde{\text{OT}} \Rightarrow 2\text{-round ZK}$ )