



Leakage-Resilient Chosen-Ciphertext Secure Public-Key Encryption from Hash Proof System and One-Time Lossy Filter

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Bounded Leakage Model

Inspired by "cold-boot" attack/memory attack [Halderman et al.08]

➢Not only computation leaks information

➢ Model: leakage oracle

 $\mathcal{O}_{SK}^{\lambda,\kappa}$:

- $f_i: \{0,1\}^* \to \{0,1\}^{\lambda_i}$
- $\sum_i \lambda_i \leq \lambda$
- Leakage rate: $\lambda / |SK|$



Public-Key Encryption

Semantic security against key leakage and CCA [NS09] $\mathsf{PKE}.\mathsf{Enc}(PK, M_0) \stackrel{c}{\approx} \mathsf{PKE}.\mathsf{Enc}(PK, M_1)$ PKAdversary $(PK, SK) \leftarrow \mathsf{PKE}.\mathsf{Gen}(1^{\kappa})$ CT $M \leftarrow \mathsf{PKE}.\mathsf{Dec}(SK, CT)$ Decryption queries f(SK)Leakage M_0, M_1 $b \leftarrow \{0, 1\}$ queries CT^* $CT^* \leftarrow \mathsf{PKE}.\mathsf{Enc}(PK, M_b)$ $CT \neq CT^*$ $M \leftarrow \mathsf{PKE}.\mathsf{Dec}(SK, CT)$ output b'

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- \succ Low leakage rate (e.g. 1/4-o(1)), but
 - very practical construction via hash proof system [NS09,Li et al.12, Liu et al.13]
 - > has short ciphertext size (for reasonable leakage rate)
 - ► Instantiations under DDH, DCR etc. (without pairing)

Question

From [Dodis et al. Asiacrypt 2010]

..., it seems that the hash proof system approach to building CCA encryption is inherently limited to leakage-rates below 1/2: this is because the secret-key consists of two components (one for verifying that the ciphertext is well-formed and one for decrypting it) and the proofs break down if either of the components is individually leaked in its entirety.

However, no HPS-based PKEs are known achieving leakagerate 1/2-o(1), especially under DDH or DCR assumptions.

Question: can we find a new way to construct LR-CCA secure PKEs which are as practical as HPS with reasonable high leakage-rates, like 1/2-o(1)?

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One-Time Lossy Filter

Similar to (chameleon) all-but-one lossy trapdoor functions [PW08,LDL11]

 \succ not require efficient inversion.

- Simplified version of lossy algebraic filter (for CIRC-CCA security) [Hof13]
 - > not require any algebraic property,
 - but require that lossy function reveals constant information of its input even for larger domain (by adapting some public parameters).

$$\begin{array}{c} \blacktriangleright \text{Tag space: } \mathcal{T} = \{0,1\}^* \times \mathcal{T}_c = \mathcal{T}_{loss} \cup \mathcal{T}_{inj} \\ \hline \\ \text{ ore tag part } & \text{ lossy tags } \end{array}$$

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Lossy tag is generated via a trapdoor Ftd.
 For any auxiliary input t_a, it is easy to compute a core tag t_c, such that (t_a,t_c) is a lossy tag via the trapdoor.
 Without the trapdoor, it is hard to generate a new non-injective tag even seen one lossy tag.

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Construction Idea

One entropy source used in two purposes.
 Mask the plaintext (applying an extractor)
 Verify the well-formedness of the ciphertext (applying a special injective function: one-time lossy filter)



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Proof Summary

Encryption query



Decryption queries

HPS OT-LF	valid	invalid
injective	\checkmark	×
lossy	X	X

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Instantiation: <q, G, g>

 $F(x, t^*)$

➢ n-fold parallelization of [CS02] construction.



 $\begin{cases} |\mathcal{K}| = q^n \\ |\mathcal{S}\mathcal{K}| = q^{2n} \implies \text{leakage-rate is } 1/2 - o(1) \\ & \mathbf{\mathcal{O}}\mathsf{T}\mathsf{-}\mathsf{L}\mathsf{F}\mathsf{, similar to DDH-based lossy trapdoor} \\ & \text{function: Domain: } \mathbb{Z}_q^n \ \text{, image values: } |q| \end{cases}$

Chameleon hash

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Efficiency Comparison

Table 1: Relations between leakage-rate and ciphertext overhead (# 80-bit)

Leakage-rate Schemes	1/8	1/6	1/4	1/3	3/8	2/5	1/2	1
DHLW10 [11]	94	95.2	98	101.5	103.6	105	112	-
GHV12 [16]	32	32	36	36	40	40	44	-
NS12 [28]	36	-	_	-	-	-	-	-
LZSS12 [25]	18	27	_	-	-	-	-	-
Ours	12	12	14	20	24	30	-	-

> Advantages:

≻Achieve 1/2-o(1) under DDH/DCR

> shorter ciphertext overhead (when leakage rate $\leq 2/5$)

➢ better than HPS-based construction [28,25]

Disadvantages: below 1/2.

Conclusion and Further Work

- > A new primitive: one-time lossy filter
- > A generic construction of LR-CCA-secure PKE
- Efficient instantiations under DDH and DCR assumptions (with better leakage-rate 1/2-o(1))
- Further work:
- Improve the leakage-rate to [1/2, 1) without loss the practicality.
- Leakage-flexible CCA-secure PKE without pairing.





Thank You!