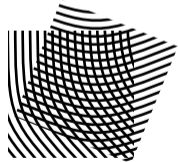


Ultrametric Integral Cryptanalysis

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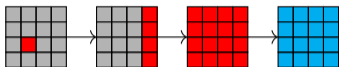
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Integral Cryptanalysis

Structural approach

Integral cryptanalysis
[Knudsen and Wagner, 2002]



Algebraic approach

Higher order differentials [Knudsen, 1995]

$$\sum_{x \in V} f(x + a) = 0$$

where $\deg(f) < \dim(V)$

Partial consolidation

- Division property [Todo, 2015]
- Parity sets [Boura and Canteaut, 2016]
- Monomial trails [Hu et al., 2020]
- Algebraic trails [Beyne and Verbauwhede, 2023]

$$\{x \mid x \preceq u\} \quad \sum_{x \preceq u} x^v \stackrel{\delta^u(v)}{=} \sum_{v \in \mathbb{F}_2^n} \lambda_v x^v$$

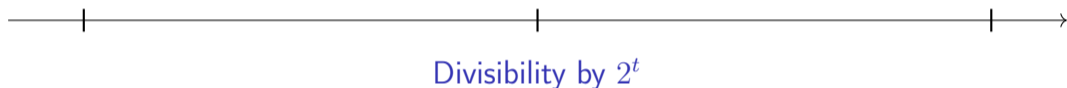
Divisibility Properties

Zero-sum over \mathbb{F}_2

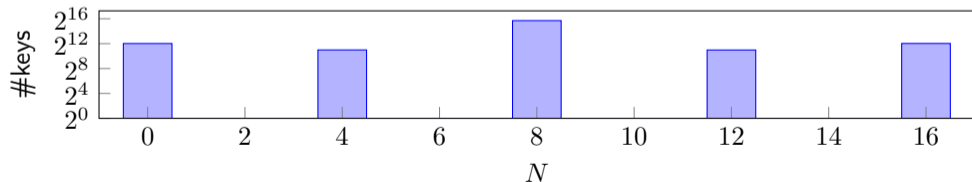
$$\sum_{x \in X} f(x) = 0$$

Saturation

$f(x) = 1$ has $|X|/2$ solutions in X



Experiment on 4-round PRESENT:



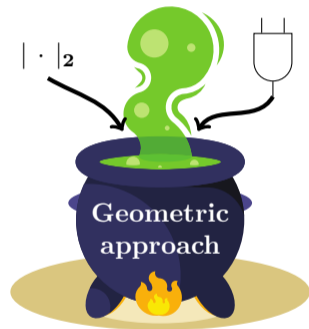
Overview

Goals

- Understand and analyze divisibility properties
- Improve understanding of integral cryptanalysis

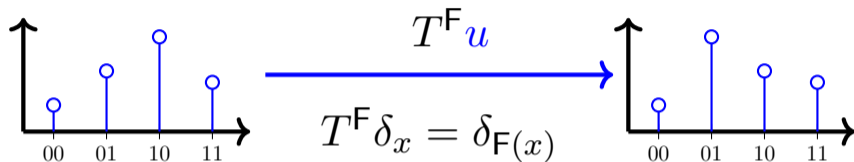
Ultrametric integral cryptanalysis in the geometric approach

- 2-adic absolute value on \mathbb{Q}
- Multiplicative analog of linear cryptanalysis





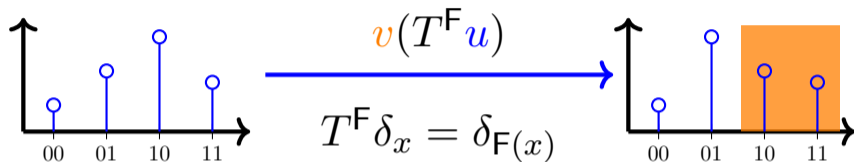
Geometric Approach



Properties

- $T^{F_2 \circ F_1} = T^{F_2} T^{F_1}$
- $T^{F_1 \parallel F_2} = T^{F_1} \otimes T^{F_2}$

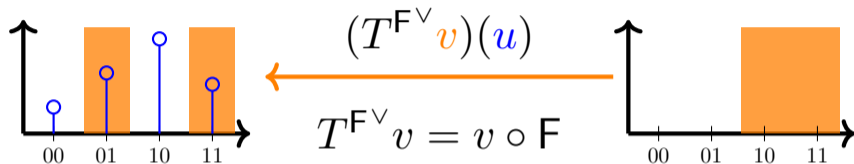
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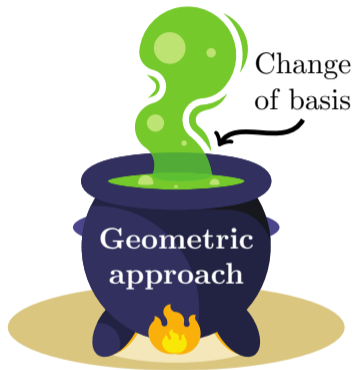
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Linear Cryptanalysis

Simplifying key addition

- Basis, $\{\chi_u\}$, diagonalizes T^{+t} , i.e. $x \mapsto x + t$
- Dual basis of characters, $\{\chi^v\}$, where $\chi^v(\chi_u) = \delta^v(u)$
- Correlation matrix: $C^F = \mathcal{F}T^F\mathcal{F}^{-1}$

$$C^{+t} = \mathcal{F}T^{+t}\mathcal{F}^{-1}$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & (-1)^t \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1-t & t \\ t & 1-t \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$


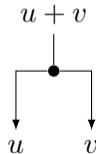
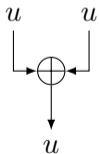
Orthogonal

Linear Cryptanalysis

Properties

- $C^{F_2 \circ F_1} = C^{F_2} C^{F_1}$
- $C^{F_1 \parallel F_2} = C^{F_1} \otimes C^{F_2}$
- If F is a linear map, then

$$C_{v,u}^F = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } \chi^v \circ F = \chi^u \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



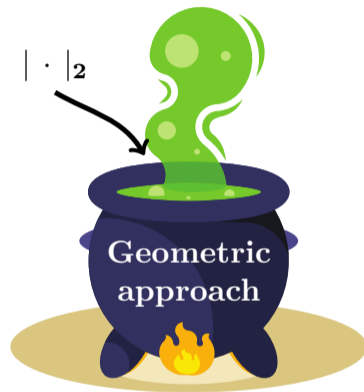
Linear Cryptanalysis

Dominant trail approximation

$$C^{F_r \circ \dots \circ F_1} = C^{F_r} \dots C^{F_1}$$
$$C_{u_{r+1}, u_1}^{F_r \circ \dots \circ F_1} = \sum_{\underbrace{u_2, \dots, u_r}_{\text{trail}}} \underbrace{\prod_{i=1}^r C_{u_{i+1}, u_i}^{F_i}}_{\text{correlation}} = \sum_{u \in \Lambda} \prod_{i=1}^r C_{u_{i+1}, u_i}^{F_i} + \underbrace{\sum_{u \in \Omega \setminus \Lambda} \prod_{i=1}^r C_{u_{i+1}, u_i}^{F_i}}_{|\cdot| \approx 0}$$

Zero-correlation linear cryptanalysis

$$\prod_{i=1}^r C_{u_{i+1}, u_i}^{F_i} = 0 \text{ for all } u \in \Omega \implies C_{u_{r+1}, u_1}^{F_r \circ \dots \circ F_1} = 0$$



Metric Structure

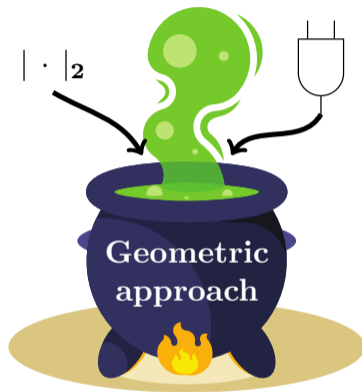
Divisibility property in the geometric approach

$$v(T^F u) \equiv 0 \pmod{2^\nu}$$

- u is indicator of input set
- v maps output bit to $\{0, 1\} \subset \mathbb{Q}$


2-adic absolute value

- 2-adic absolute value $|x|_2 = 2^{-\nu}$ where 2^ν is the largest power of 2 dividing $x \in \mathbb{Z}$
- $|v(T^F u)|_2 \leq 2^{-\nu}$
- Ultrametric triangle inequality $|x + y|_2 \leq \max\{|x|_2, |y|_2\}$



Simplifying Bit-wise AND with Constants

- Character basis diagonalizes $T^{\wedge t}$, i.e. $x \mapsto x \wedge t$
- $\tau : \mathbb{F}_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{Q}$, where $\tau(0) = 0$, $\tau(1) = 1$
- $\mu^v(x) = \tau(x^v)$ and $\mu_u(x) = \sum_{x \preceq u} (-1)^{\text{wt}(x+u)} \delta_x$
- Ultrametric integral transition matrix: $A^{\text{F}} = \mathcal{U} T^{\text{F}} \mathcal{U}^{-1}$

$$A^{\wedge t} = \mathcal{U} T^{\wedge t} \mathcal{U}^{-1}$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \tau(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 - \tau(t) \\ 0 & \tau(t) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$


Non-orthogonal

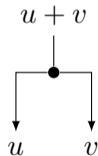
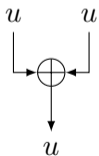
- $A^{\text{F}} \pmod 2$ is the algebraic transition matrix

Ultrametric Integral Transition Matrices

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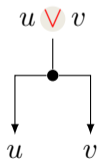
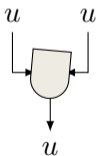
- $A^{F_2 \circ F_1} = A^{F_2} A^{F_1}$

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- If F is **multiplicative**, then

$$F(x \wedge y) = F(x) \wedge F(y)$$

$$A_{v,u}^F = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } \mu^v \circ F = \mu^u \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



Dominant Trail Approximation

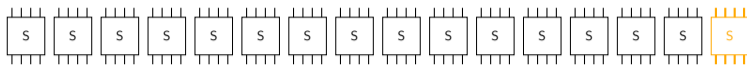
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$$A_{u_{r+1}, u_1}^{F_r \circ \dots \circ F_1} = \sum_{u \in \Lambda} \prod_{i=1}^r A_{u_{i+1}, u_i}^{F_i} + \underbrace{\sum_{u \in \Omega \setminus \Lambda} \prod_{i=1}^r A_{u_{i+1}, u_i}^{F_i}}_{|\cdot|_2 \approx 0} \equiv \sum_{u \in \Lambda} \prod_{i=1}^r A_{u_{i+1}, u_i}^{F_i} \pmod{2^\nu}$$

Approximate zero-correlation

$$\left| \sum_{u \in \Omega \setminus \Lambda} \prod_{i=1}^r A_{u_{i+1}, u_i}^{F_i} \right|_2 \leq \max_{u \in \Omega \setminus \Lambda} \left| \prod_{i=1}^r A_{u_{i+1}, u_i}^{F_i} \right|_2 \leq 2^{-\nu}$$

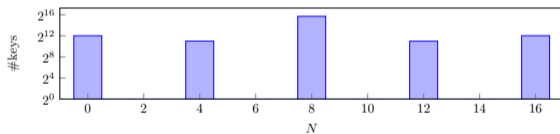
- Show that correlation is small for all non-dominant trails

Example



$$[\mathcal{U} \delta_X]_v = \begin{cases} 2^{\text{wt}(u) - \text{wt}(v)} & \text{if } v \preceq u, \\ 0 & \text{else.} \end{cases}$$

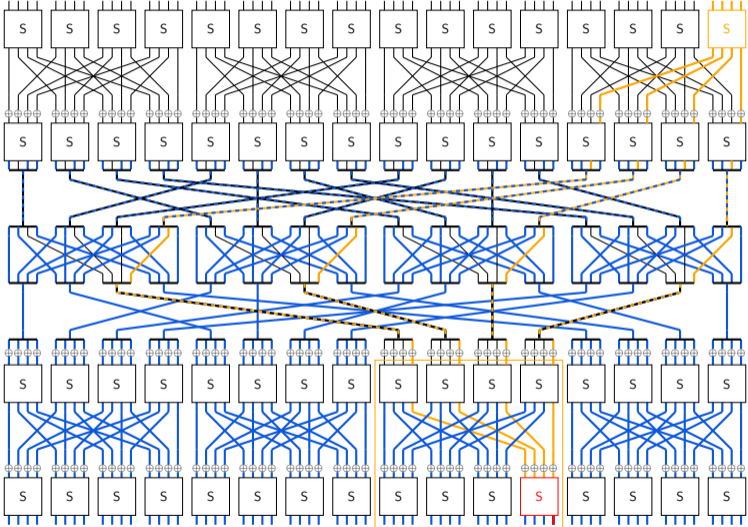
with $u = 00 \dots 01111$



$$\text{with } w = \underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{\times 47} 1 \underbrace{0 \dots 0}_{\times 16}$$



Approximate Miss-in-the-Middle



Automated Ultrametric Integral Cryptanalysis of PRESENT and SIMON

- SAT-based implementation
- Higher divisibility for properties from [Todo, 2015, Boura and Canteaut, 2016, Wang et al., 2019]

rounds	u	$\log_2(\text{data})$	ν_i for bit i			
			1	2	3	4
4	0000000000000000f	4	3	2	2	2
5	000000000000ff0	12	5	5	5	5
6	00000000ffffffffff	32	7	4	4	4
7	ffffffffffffffff000	52	9	5	5	5
8	ffffffffffffffffffe	63	8	5	5	5
9	ffffffffffffffffffe	63	2	1	1	1

- No improvements on minimal data properties [Todo and Morii, 2016, Xiang et al., 2016]
- Reduce data complexity in key-recovery attack

Linear cryptanalysis

Ultrametric integral cryptanalysis

Field of
definition

\mathbb{Q} or \mathbb{R}
Archimedean
ordinary absolute value $|\cdot|$

\mathbb{Q} or \mathbb{Q}_2
non-Archimedean
2-adic absolute value $|\cdot|_2$

Geometric
theory

'diagonalizes' additions
 $x \mapsto x + k$

'diagonalizes' multiplications
 $x \mapsto x \wedge k$

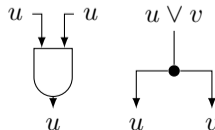
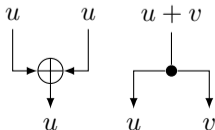
additive characters χ^u
Fourier transformation \mathcal{F}
 $C^F = \mathcal{F}T^F\mathcal{F}^{-1}$




multiplicative characters μ^u
ultrametric integral change-of-basis \mathcal{U}
 $A^F = \mathcal{U}T^F\mathcal{U}^{-1}$





Theory of
trails



masks u_1, u_2, \dots
correlation $\prod_{i=1}^r C_{u_{i+1}, u_i}^{F_i}$
linear functions
linear diffusion, nonlinear confusion

exponents u_1, u_2, \dots
correlation $\prod_{i=1}^r A_{u_{i+1}, u_i}^{F_i}$
multiplicative functions
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