

Cours Crypto (11)

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1 Public-key encryption with keyword search (PEKS)

First introduced by Boneh-DiCrescenzo-Ostrovsky-Persiazo (2004).

Given a keypair (pk, sk) , sk allows deriving T_w for a specific keyword w (eg. "urgent"). Given T_w , gateway can test if a ciphertext c encrypts w while learning nothing else. Given

$$(\text{Enc}(pk, M), \text{PEKS}(pk, w_1), \dots, \text{PEKS}(pk, w_l)),$$

T_w can test if $w \in \{w_1, \dots, w_l\}$ while learning nothing else (no interaction with the holder of sk is required).

Definition: A PEKS scheme is a tuple $(\text{Keygen}, \text{Enc}, \text{Trapdoor}, \text{Test})$ of efficient algorithms such that:

- **Keygen** (1^λ) : given security parameter λ , outputs a key pair (pk, sk)
- **Enc** (pk, w) : Given pk and a keyword $w \in \{0, 1\}^*$, outputs a ciphertext c .
- **Trapdoor** (sk, w) : Given secret key sk and keyword, outputs a trapdoor T_w .
- **Test** (pk, T_w, c) : Given pk , a ciphertext c and a trapdoor T_w , outputs 0 or 1.

Notion of Correctness: If $(pk, sk) \leftarrow \text{Keygen}(1^\lambda)$, for any w , $c \leftarrow \text{Enc}(pk, w)$ and $T_w \leftarrow \text{Trapdoor}(sk, w)$, we have $\text{Test}(pk, T_w, c) = 1$.

Definition: A PEKS scheme provides semantic security if no PPT adversary has noticeable advantage in this game.

1. Challenger generates $(pk, sk) \leftarrow \text{Keygen}(1^\lambda)$ and gives pk to adversary A.
2. A can adaptively choose keywords w and obtain $T_w \leftarrow \text{Trapdoor}(sk, w)$ from Challenger.
3. A chooses w_0, w_1 such that it did not obtain T_{w_0}, T_{w_1} so far. Challenger flips a coin $d \leftarrow U(\{0, 1\})$ and gives $c \leftarrow \text{Enc}(pk, w_d)$ to A.
4. A can make more queries for keywords $w \notin \{w_0, w_1\}$.
5. A outputs $d' \in \{0, 1\}$ and wins if $d' = d$. $\text{Adv}(A) = |\mathbb{P}[d' = d] - \frac{1}{2}|$

1.1 PEKS implies IBE

Let a PEKS scheme (Keygen, Enc, Trapdoor, Test) we build an IBE out of it.

- **Setup**(1^λ): Run $(pk, sk) \leftarrow \text{PEKS.Keygen}(1^\lambda)$. Outputs $mpk = pk$ and $msk = sk$.
- **Keygen**(msk, ID): Given an identity ID , compute $T_{ID||0} \leftarrow \text{PEKS.Trapdoor}(sk, ID||0)$ and $T_{ID||1} \leftarrow \text{PEKS.Trapdoor}(sk, ID||1)$ output $sk_{ID} = (T_{ID||0}, T_{ID||1})$
- **Encrypt**(mpk, ID, μ): To encrypt $\mu \in \{0, 1\}$ under ID , compute $c \leftarrow \text{PEKS.Enc}(pk, ID||\mu)$
- **Decrypt**(mpk, SK_{ID}, c): Parse SK_{ID} as $(T_{ID||0}, T_{ID||1})$. If $\text{Test}(pk, T_{ID||0}, c) = 1$ output $\mu = 0$. If $\text{Test}(pk, T_{ID||1}, c) = 1$ output $\mu = 1$. In any other case, output \perp .

Lemma: The IBE scheme provides IND-ID-CPA security if the PEKS scheme is semantically secure.

1.2 PEKS from bilinear maps (BDOP, 2004)

Construction based on the Boneh-Franklin IBE.

- **Keygen**(1^λ) :
 1. Choose groups (G, G_T) of prime order $p > 2^\lambda$ with a bilinear map $e : G \times G \rightarrow G_T$, and a generator $g \leftarrow U(G)$.
 2. Choose $\alpha \leftarrow U(\mathbb{Z}_p^*)$ and compute $g_1 = g^\alpha$ and choose a hash function $H : \{0, 1\}^* \rightarrow G$. Output $pk = ((G, G_T), g, g_1, H)$ and $sk = \alpha$.
- **Trapdoor**(sk, w) : Given $sk = \alpha \in \mathbb{Z}_p$ and $w \in \{0, 1\}^*$, compute $T_w = H(w)^\alpha$.
- **Enc**(pk, w) : To encrypt $w \in \{0, 1\}^*$, choose $r \leftarrow U(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ and compute $c = (c_1, c_2) = (g^r, e(g_1, H(w))^r)$.
- **Test**(pk, T_w, c) : Given $c = (c_1, c_2) \in G \times G_T$, return 1 if $c_2 = e(c_1, T_w)$ and 0 otherwise.

Correctness : $e(g_1, H(w))^r = e(g^\alpha, H(w))^r = e(g^r, H(w)^\alpha)$

Théorème 1. *The scheme provides semantic security in the ROM under the Decision Bilinear Diffie-Hellman assumption.*

Proof. Let A a PEKS adversary with advantage ε we build a DBDA distinguisher with $\Omega(\frac{\varepsilon}{Q_T})$, where Q_T is the number of trapdoor queries. Algorithm B inputs (g, g^a, g^b, g^c, T) and uses A to decide if $T = e(g, g)^{abc}$ or $T \sim U(G_T)$. B defines $g_1 = g^a$ and runs A on input of $pk = (g, g_1 = g^a, H)$ and simulates A's view.

- **H-queries** : on a query $H(w_r)$, B returns the previously defined value if it exists. Otherwise, B flips a biased coin $\delta_{w_r} \in \{0, 1\}$ such that $\mathbb{P}[\delta_{w_i} = 0] = \frac{1}{Q_T + 1}$, where Q_T is the number of trapdoor queries.
 1. If $\delta_{w_i} = 0$, B returns $H(w_r) = (g^b) \cdot g^{\gamma_i}$ for a random $\gamma_i \leftarrow U(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ and keeps γ_i for later use.
 2. If $\delta_{w_i} = 1$, B returns $H(w_i) = g^{\gamma_i}$ for a random $\gamma_i \leftarrow U(\mathbb{Z}_p)$ kept for later use.
- **Trapdoor queries:** When A queries T_{w_i} , we assume w.l.o.g. that $H(w_i)$ was asked before.

1. If $H(w_i) = (g^b) \cdot g^{\gamma_i}$ (ie. $\delta_{w_i} = 0$), B fails and outputs random bit.
 2. If $H(w_i) = g^{\gamma_i}$ (ie. $\delta_{w_i} = 1$), B returns $T_{w_i} = H(w_i)^a = (g^a)^{\gamma_i}$.
- **Challenge:** A chooses $w_0, w_1 \in \{0, 1\}^*$ such that T_{w_0}, T_{w_1} were not revealed. We assume that $H(w_0), H(w_1)$ were asked.
 1. If B replied to $H(w_0), H(w_1)$ by setting $\delta_{w_0} = \delta_{w_1} = 1$, B fails and outputs a random bit.
 2. Let a random $d \in \{0, 1\}$ such that $\delta_{w_d} = 0$. We have $H(w_d) = (g^b) \cdot g^{\gamma^*}$ for some $\gamma^* \in \mathbb{Z}_p$ known to B. Then, B computes and returns $c = (g^c, T \cdot e(g^c, g^a)^{\gamma^*})$.
 - **Output:** A outputs $d' \in \{0, 1\}$. If $d' = d$, B returns 1 (meaning $T = e(g, g)^{abc}$) else : B returns 0 (meaning $T \sim U(G_T)$).

Let events E_1 : B does not abort on Trapdoor queries and E_2 : B does not abort in Challenge phase.

Claim 1 : $\mathbb{P}[E_1] \geq \frac{1}{\exp(1)}$

Proof. (claim 1) δ_{w_i} are independent and identically distributed variables with binomial distribution $\rightarrow \mathbb{P}[E_1] \geq (1 - \frac{1}{Q_T+1})^{Q_T} \geq \frac{1}{\exp(1)}$ \square

Claim 2 : $\mathbb{P}[E_2] \geq \frac{1}{Q_T}$.

If B does not abort and $T = e(g, g)^{abc}$, then $c = (g^c, e(g_1, H(w_d))^c)$ is a valid encryption of w_d . If B does not abort and $T \sim U(G_T)$, then $c \sim U(G \times G_T)$ is independent of $d \in \{0, 1\}$. \square

Remark : The scheme uses and anonymity property in the Boneh-Franklin IBE.

1.3 Consistency notions

Right keyword consistency: For all $\lambda \in \mathbb{N}$, $w \in \{0, 1\}^*$, $\mathbb{P}[\text{Test}(p_k, \text{Trapdoor}(s_k, w), \text{Enc}(p_k, w))=1] = 1$, where proba is taken over the randomness of Keygen, Trapdoor, Enc and Test.

Perfect Consistency: For all $\lambda \in \mathbb{N}$ and distinct $w, w' \in \{0, 1\}^r$, $\mathbb{P}[\text{Test}(p_k, \text{Trapdoor}(s_k, w'), \text{Enc}(p_k, w))=1]=0$ where the probability is taken over the randomness of Keygen, Trapdoor, Enc and Test.

Lemma 1. *The BDOP PEKS is not perfectly consistent.*

Proof. There exist $w, w' \in \{0, 1\}^*$ such that $w \neq w'$ and $H(w) = H(w')$ and thus $H(w)^\alpha = H(w')^\alpha$. \square

Computational consistency: A PEKS is computationally consistent if no PPT adversary has noticeable advantage in this game:

1. Challenger generates $(pk, sk) \leftarrow \text{Keygen}(1^\lambda)$, gives pk to A.

2. A chooses $w, w' \in \{0, 1\}^*$, Challenger computes $c \leftarrow \text{Enc}(pk, w)$ and $T_{w'} \leftarrow \text{Trapdoor}(sk, w')$. If $w \neq w'$ and $\text{Test}(pk, T_{w'}, c) = 1$, A wins. $\text{Adv}^{\text{consistent}}(\text{A}) = \mathbb{P}[\text{A wins}]$.

Remark :

- Perfect consistency : $\text{Adv}(\text{A}) = 0$ for any unbounded A.
- Statistical consistency : $\text{Adv}(\text{A}) \leq \text{negl}(\lambda)$, for any unbounded A.

Théorème 2. *The BDOP PEKS is computationally consistent.*

Proof. Let w_1, \dots, w_{Q_H} the keywords queried to $\text{H}(\cdot)$. Let $\text{WSET} = \{w_1, \dots, w_{Q_H}\} \cup \{w, w'\}$. Let E the event that there exist $\bar{w}, \bar{w}' \in \text{WSET}$ such that $\text{H}(\bar{w}) = \text{H}(\bar{w}')$.

$\text{Adv}^{\text{consistent}}(\text{A}) = \mathbb{P}[\text{A wins} \wedge \text{E}] + \mathbb{P}[\text{A wins} \wedge \bar{\text{E}}] \leq \mathbb{P}[\text{E}] \leq \frac{(Q_H+2)^2}{|G|} < \frac{(Q_H+2)^2}{2^\lambda} \implies \text{H}(\bar{w}) \neq \text{H}(\bar{w}')$ so $\text{H}(\bar{w})^\alpha \neq \text{H}(\bar{w}')^\alpha$ and so $e(g^r, \text{H}(\bar{w})^\alpha) \neq e(g^r, \text{H}(\bar{w}')^\alpha)$. \square

1.4 PEKS and anonymous IBE

Definition: An IBE provides anonymity (ANON-ID-CPA) if no PPT adversary has noticeable advantage of this game:

1. Challenger generates $(mpk, msk) \leftarrow \text{Setup}(1^\lambda)$ and gives mpk to A.
2. A makes key queries: it chooses ID and obtains $SK_{ID} \leftarrow \text{Keygen}(msk, ID)$.
3. A chooses M and ID_0, ID_1 that were not submitted to $\text{Keygen}(msk, \cdot)$. Challenger flips a coin $d \leftarrow U(\{0, 1\})$ and returns $c \leftarrow \text{IBE}(mpk, ID_d, M)$.
4. A makes more queries for identities $ID \notin \{ID_0, ID_1\}$.
5. A outputs $d' \in \{0, 1\}$ and wins if $d' = d$.

Anonymous IBE implies PEKS:

Failed attempt :

- **Keygen** (1^λ) : Run $(mpk, msk) \leftarrow \text{IBE.Setup}(1^\lambda)$. Output $(pk, sk) = (mpk, msk)$.
- **Trapdoor** (sk, w) : Output $T_w \leftarrow \text{IBE.Keygen}(msk, w)$.
- **Enc** (pk, w) : Compute $c \leftarrow \text{IBE.Encrypt}(mpk, w, 0^\lambda)$.
- **Test** (pk, T_w, c) : Return 1 if $\text{IBE.Decrypt}(mpk, T_w, c) = 0$

Problem: Does not ensure computational consistency in general.

Solution: Encrypt a random string instead of 0^λ .

- **Keygen** (1^λ) : Run $(mpk, msk) \leftarrow \text{IBE.Setup}(1^\lambda)$. Output $(pk, sk) = (mpk, msk)$.

- **Trapdoor**(sk, w): Output $T_w \leftarrow \text{IBE.Keygen}(msk, w)$.
- **Enc**(pk, w): To encrypt $w \in \{0, 1\}^*$,
 1. Compute $R \leftarrow U(\{0, 1\}^\lambda)$.
 2. Compute $c^{IBE} \leftarrow \text{IBE.Encrypt}(mpk, w, R)$.
 output $c = (R, c^{IBE})$
- **Test**(pk, T_w, c): Given $c = (R, c^{IBE})$ and T_w , return 1 if $R = \text{IBE.Decrypt}(mpk, T_w, c)$. Otherwise, return 0.

Théorème 3. *If the IBE scheme is IND-ID-CPA, the PEKS is computationally consistent. If the IBE scheme is ANON-ID-CPA, the PEKS is semantically secure.*

Proof. Let a consistency adversary A. We build an IND-ID-CPA adversary B against the IBE. B receives mpk from its IBE challenger and gives $pk = mpk$ to A. A outputs w, w' . B chooses $R_0, R_1 \leftarrow U(\{0, 1\}^\lambda)$ and sends (w, R_0, R_1) to its challenger who replies $c^* \leftarrow \text{IBE.Encrypt}(mpk, w, R_d)$ for a random bit $d \in \{0, 1\}$. B obtains $T_{w'} \leftarrow \text{IBE.Keygen}(msk, w')$ from its challenger.

If $R_1 = \text{IBE.Decrypt}(mpk, T_{w'}, c^*)$, then B returns 1 (guess for $d \in \{0, 1\}$), else B returns 0. So, $\text{Adv}(B) = \varepsilon - 2^{-\lambda}$. □ □