

## Problem 1.

**Part A.** WLOG assume that  $l = 1$ , otherwise we just send each bit separately. For each  $i \in \{1, \dots, t\}$ , the receiver chooses  $b = 1$  if  $i = x$  and  $b = 0$  otherwise; the sender chooses  $\hat{m}_0 = 0$  and  $\hat{m}_1 = m_i$ . Then the receiver uses the 1-out-of-2 OT to get  $v_i = \hat{m}_b$ . The result is  $v_1 \vee \dots \vee v_t$ .

To simulate the view of sender, we just call  $\text{OT.Sim}_S((0, m_i), \perp)$  for  $i \in \{1, \dots, t\}$ . To simulate the view of receiver, we just call  $\text{OT.Sim}_T(0, 0)$  for  $i \neq x$  and  $\text{OT.Sim}_T(1, m_x)$  for  $i = x$ . Therefore the scheme is secure.

**Part B.** The protocol goes like this:

- The sender prepares  $t$  random messages  $r_1, \dots, r_t$  uniformly sampled from  $\{0, 1\}^\ell$ .
- The given 1-out-of-2 OT protocol is used for  $t$  rounds. In round  $i$ , the sender prepares the following two inputs for the OT protocol:

$$\left( r_i, \bigoplus_{j < i} r_j \oplus m_i \right)$$

- If the receiver wants to learn  $m_x$ , he or she requires the former message in the first  $x - 1$  rounds, and the later message in round  $x$ , which means he or she can learn

$$r_1, \dots, r_{x-1}, \bigoplus_{j < x} r_j \oplus m_x$$

helping him or her reveal  $m_x$ .

The correctness for this protocol is obvious. The view of the sender can be simulated by  $t$   $\text{OT.Sim}_S$ , which runs  $\text{OT.Sim}_S$  on  $t$  pairs of inputs prepared by the sender independently.

The view of the receiver can also be simulated by  $t$   $\text{OT.Sim}_R$ . In the first  $x - 1$  rounds, the (semi-honest) receiver can only require the former message, and  $t$   $\text{OT.Sim}_R$  simply samples  $r \leftarrow \$$  and returns  $\text{OT.Sim}_R(r, 0)$  to the receiver. Of course it should remember all  $r$ -s. When round  $x$  comes, the receiver requires the later message, the  $t$   $\text{OT.Sim}_R$  will return  $\text{OT.Sim}_R(m_x \oplus R, 1)$ , where  $R$  denotes the XOR sum of all  $r$ -s. In the remaining rounds, it simply returns  $\text{OT.Sim}_R(\$, b)$  for the require bit  $b$  from the receiver. Thus, the protocol is secure against semi-honest sender and semi-honest receiver.

## Problem 2.

**Part A, Solution 1.** Define  $f$  as  $f((k_1, k_2), x) = f_2(k_2, f_1(k_1, x))$ , where  $f_1 : \{0, 1\}^{\ell_{\text{key}1}} \times \{0, 1\}^* \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^n$  is a UHF and  $f_2 : \{0, 1\}^{\ell_{\text{key}2}} \times \{0, 1\}^n \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^{2n}$  is a PRF. (In short, we want  $f : \{0, 1\}^{\ell_{\text{key}}} \times \{0, 1\}^* \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^{2n}$  be a PRF for arbitrary length input.)

The output of  $f$  is interpreted as two field elements in  $\mathbb{F}_{2^n}$ .

**Gen**( $1^n, i$ ) samples a random PRF key for  $f$ .

**MAC**(( $k_1, \dots, k_n$ ),  $m$ ) computes  $(x_i, y_i) = f(k_i, m)$  for each  $i \in [n]$ , finds the degree- $(n - 1)$  polynomial  $t$  such that  $t(x_i) = y_i$  for all  $i \in [n]$ .

**Verify**( $i, k, m, t$ ) computes  $(x, y) = f(k, m)$ , and accepts the tag if and only if  $t(x) = y$ .

**Part A, Solution 2.** Define  $f$  as  $f((k_1, k_2), x) = f_2(k_2, f_1(k_1, x))$ , where  $f_1 : \{0, 1\}^{\ell_{\text{key}1}} \times \{0, 1\}^* \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^n$  is a UHF and  $f_2 : \{0, 1\}^{\ell_{\text{key}2}} \times \{0, 1\}^n \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^{n(n+1)}$  is a PRF. (In short, we want  $f : \{0, 1\}^{\ell_{\text{key}}} \times \{0, 1\}^* \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^{n(n+1)}$  be a PRF for arbitrary length input.)

The output of  $f$  is interpreted as a dimension- $(n + 1)$  vector in  $(\mathbb{F}_{2^n})^{n+1}$ .

**Gen**( $1^n, i$ ) samples a random PRF key for  $f$ .

**MAC**(( $k_1, \dots, k_n$ ),  $m$ ) computes  $v_i = f(k_i, m)$  for each  $i \in [n]$ , a vector  $t$  which is orthogonal to all of  $v_1, \dots, v_n$ .

**Verify**( $i, k, m, t$ ) computes  $v_i = f(k, m)$ , and accepts the tag if and only if  $v_i$  is orthogonal to  $t$ .

**Part B.** For one-time security,  $f_2$  can be replaced by a 2-universal hash function.

## Problem 3.

Use the following protocol to compute a function  $f$

- Let  $(\text{Gen}, \text{MAC}, \text{Verify})$  be a one-time MAC scheme. The  $i$ -th party samples key  $k_i \leftarrow \text{Gen}(1^\lambda)$ .
- Use a PKO secure protocol to compute  $f'$ , which is defined as

$$f'((x_1, k_1), \dots, (x_n, k_n)) = ((y_1, \text{MAC}(k_1, y_1), \dots, (y_n, \text{MAC}(k_n, y_n))),$$

where  $(y_1, \dots, y_n) = f(x_1, \dots, x_n)$ . By assumption, such PKO secure protocol exists, denote the protocol by  $\Pi'$ . All honest parties learn  $(\hat{y}, \hat{t})$  from  $\Pi'$ .

- The  $i$ -th party outputs  $\hat{y}$  if  $\text{Verify}(k_i, \hat{y}, \hat{t})$  accepts. Otherwise, the  $i$ -th party aborts (i.e., outputs  $\perp$ ).