

CSCI471/971

Modern Cryptography

Workshop

Question-1

Question 1. Consider the padded RSA Encryption scheme, where the public key is $\langle N, e \rangle$ as usual, an encryption of an l -bit message m is computed by choosing uniform r and outputting $c = (m \parallel r)^e \bmod N$, and the decryption of a ciphertext c first computes $m' = c^d \bmod N$ and outputs the first l bits of m' . Please show that the scheme is not IND-CCA secure.

This scheme is a variant of PKCS #1 v1.5, which was replaced by RSA-OAEP.

Question-2

Question 2. Consider the padded RSA Signature scheme, where the public key is $\langle N, e \rangle$ as usual, a signature on a l -bit message m is computed by choosing uniform r and outputting $s = (m \parallel r)^d \bmod N$, and the verification algorithm checks if the first l bits of $s^e \bmod N$ is m . Please show that the scheme is not secure.

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