

DDH & attacks from genus theory

E/\mathbb{F}_q

$\text{end}(E) = \mathcal{O}$ order in $\mathcal{O}(\sqrt{t^2 - 4q})$

\mathbb{F}_q

$\#E(\mathbb{F}_q) = q + 1 - t$

$t^2 - 4q$ disc of $x^2 - tx + q$ ←

$\mathcal{O} \cong \mathbb{Z}[\pi]$ π Frobenius, root of

$\text{Ell}_q(\mathcal{O}, t) = \{ E' / \mathbb{F}_q : \text{end}(E') = \mathcal{O}$

$\text{tr}(E') = t$

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} \mathbb{F}_q -iso

$G = \mathcal{O}^\times$ acts on the set $X = \text{Ell}_q(\mathcal{O}, t)$

Group G acting on a set X , free and transitive

Alice

E

Bob

$E_A = a * E$

$E_B = a * E$

$E_B = b * E$

$a \in G$

$b \in G$

$a * E$

$a * E$

$b * E$

$b * E$

$a * (b * E)$

$b * (a * E)$



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Secure if Alice and Bob are the only ones
who know E_{AB}

↳ CDH assumption

Problem $E, E_A, E_B \rightsquigarrow$ we can derive
information about E_{AB}

$$y^2 = x^3 + Ax^2 + x$$

$j(E_{AB})$ as shared key

DDH: there's nothing predictable about E_{AB}
if we only see E, E_A, E_B .

CSV: ^{sometimes} there exist characters χ st.

$$\chi(E_{AB}) = \chi(E_A) \cdot \chi(E_B)$$

χ character on $\mathcal{O}(\mathcal{D})$

χ quadratic character

$$\S 7 \quad \frac{\text{Pairings}}{E \times E} \quad E/\mathbb{F}_q \rightarrow \mathbb{F}_q$$

bilinear maps Weil pairing $E[\mathbb{N}] \times E[\mathbb{N}] \rightarrow \mu_{\mathbb{N}}$

$$e_{\mathbb{N}}(P, Q) = \sum_{\mathbb{N}} \in \mathbb{F}_q$$

m odd prime

$$E \rightarrow E' = [a] * E$$

$$[a] \in \mathcal{O}(\mathcal{O})$$

for every $a \in [a]$, we have an isogeny

$$\varphi_a: E \rightarrow E' \quad \deg \varphi_a = \text{norm}(a)$$

If we can say anything about $\deg \varphi_a \pmod m$

we get information about every $a \in [a]$

$$(\deg \varphi_a \pmod m)_{a \in [a]}$$

E, E' isogenous curves $\text{val}_m(\#E(\mathbb{F}_2)) = 1$

$$P \in E(\mathbb{F}_2)[m]$$

$$P' \in E'(\mathbb{F}_2)[m]$$

then degree of any isogeny

$$\varphi: E \rightarrow E'$$

is, up to squares mod m

$$\deg \varphi = \left(\log_{T_m(P, \rho)} \log |T_m(P', \rho')| \right)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} E & \xrightarrow{a} & E_A \\ b \downarrow & & \downarrow b \\ E_B & \xrightarrow{a} & E_{AB} \cong E_C \end{array}$$