

Improvement on a Batch Authenticated Key Agreement Scheme

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Problems & Ideas

- Problems of Yao et al.'s scheme (abbreviated as YC-BAKA scheme)

- Potential risk of master key disclosure.
- No perfect forward secrecy.

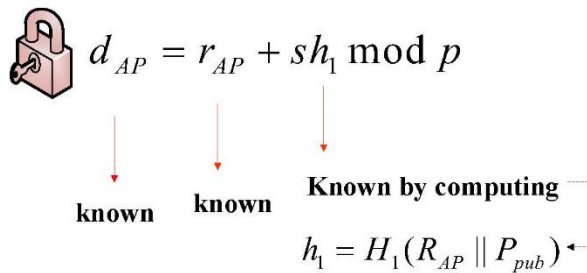


Fig.1 Potential risk of master key disclosure

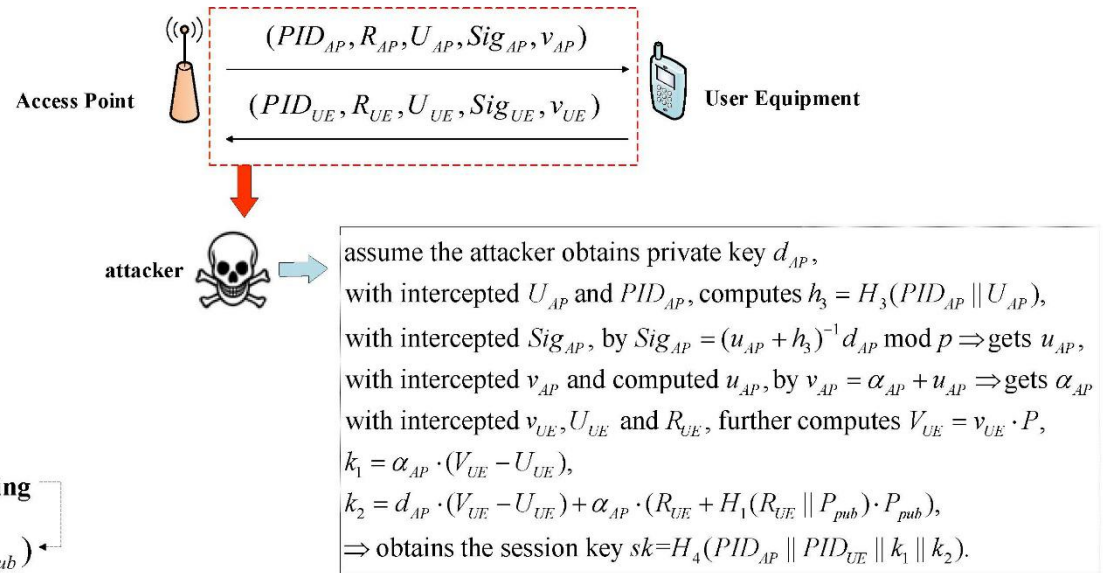


Fig.2 Explanation of no perfect forward secrecy

- Ideas: Designing a batch authenticated key agreement scheme
 - Protocol entities generate signatures and authenticate mutually.
 - After authentication, protocol entities share a session key one-to-one.

Main Contributions

- **Realize perfect forward secrecy**
 - Protect α_{AP} and the session key by adopting some computational hard problems, shown in Fig.3.
- **Fix the potential risk of master key disclosure**
 - Protect the master key by adopting elliptic curve discrete logarithm problem, i.e. do not use the master key directly but use its corresponding public key.

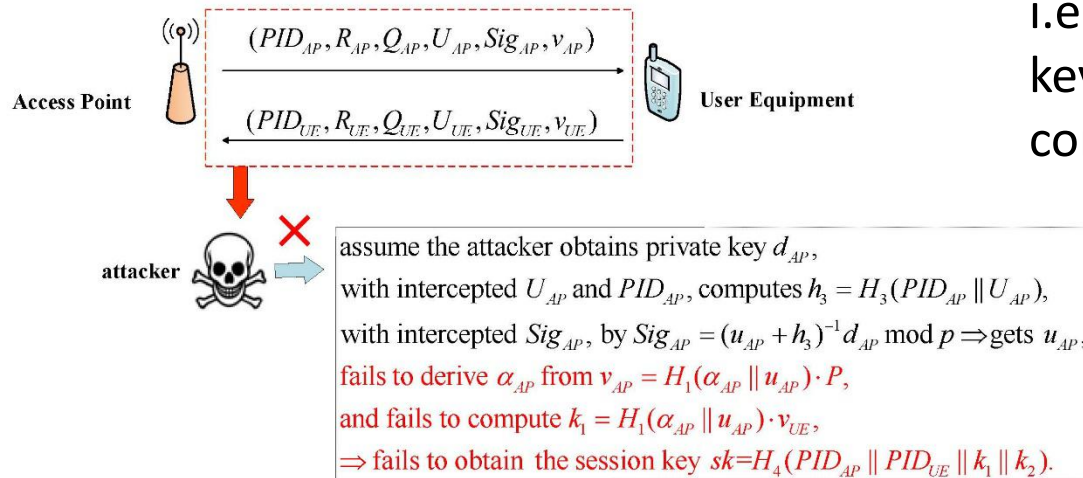


Fig.3 Realizing perfect forward secrecy