# **CIL Security Proof for a Password-Based Key Exchange**

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**Abstract.** Computational Indistinguishability Logic (CIL) is a logic for reasoning about cryptographic primitives in computational model. It is sound for standard model, but also supports reasoning in the random oracle and other idealized models. We illustrate the benefits of CIL by formally proving the security of a Password-Based Key Exchange (PBKE) scheme, which is designed to provide entities communicating over a public network and sharing a short password, under a session key.

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# **1 Introduction**

Cryptography plays a central role in the design of secure and reliable systems. It consists in the conception and analysis of protocols achieving various aspects of information security such as authentication. In particulary, the *provable cryptography* is defined as the conception of proofs accounting for the exact amount of security supplied by cryptographic protocols.

In the computational model, Computational Indistinguishability Logic (CIL) supports concise and intuitive proofs accross several models of cryptography. This logic features the notion of oracle system, an abstract model of interactive games in which adaptative adversaries play against a cryptographic scheme by interacting with [ora](#page-16-0)cles. Moreover, it states a small set of rules that capture common reasoning patterns and interface rules to connect with external reasoning. To illustrate applicability of CIL, we consider the security proof of the Password-Based Key Exchange (PBKE) protocol.

# **1.1 Related Work**

*About Security of PBKE Protocols:* EKE (Encrypted Key Exchange) was introduced by Bellovin and Merritt, [1]. In their protocol, two users execute an encrypted version of the Diffie-Hellman key exchange protocol, in which each flow is encrypted using the password shared between these two users as the symmetric key. Due to the simplicity of their protocol, other protocols were proposed

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in the literature based on it, each with its own instantiation of the encryption function such that OEKE (One-Encryption Key-Exchange) protocol.

Since 2003, E. Bresson *et al.*, [3], have been working on the analysis of very efficient schemes on password-based authenticated key exchange methods, but for whic[h a](#page-16-1)ctual security was an open problem. In 2012, B. Blanchet have focused on a crytpgraphic protocol verifier, called CryptoVerif, to mechanically prove OEKE.

*About CIL:* DCS (Distributed and Complex Systems) is working on the logic CIL for proving concrete security of cryptographic schemes. It enables reasonning about schemes directly in the computational settings. The main contribution is to support the design of proofs at a level of abstraction which allows to bridge the gap between pencil-[an](#page-16-2)d-pap[er](#page-16-3) fundamental proofs and existing pratical verification tools (see article [7]).

# **1.2 Contributions and Contents**

For the first time, we br[ing](#page-4-0) out the [a](#page-2-0)pplicability of CIL for formalizing computational proofs. The tool CIL allows us to give a new kind of analysis that has advantages over the traditional as in [3] and [9]. As we use a tool based on general and extended logic rules, the proofs are well constructed and easy to understand, and achieve good results.

The paper begins with a recall of the framework to capture cryptographic games(Section 2). The main technical contributions of the paper are: i) an extension of reasoning tools for oracle systems (Section 3); ii) a formal proof in CIL of an efficient PBKE protocol (Section 4).

# **2 Oracle Systems**

## **2.1 Preliminaries**

*ICM:* An ideal block cipher is a totally random permutation from *l*-bit strings to *l*-bit strings.

*ROM:* A random oracle is a mathematical function mapping every possible query to a uniformly random response from its output domain.

*Miscellaneous:* Let **1** to denote the unit type and  $(x, y)$  to denote pairs. For a set  $A, U(A)$  defines the set of uniform distributions over  $A$ . Let  $\Box$  to denote arguments that are not used or elements of tuples whose value is irrevelant in the final distribution.

#### **2.2 Semantics**

The interaction between an oracle system and an adversary proceeds in three successive phases:

**–** the initialization oracle sets the initial memory distributions of the oracle system;

- **–** the adversary performs computations, updates its state and submits a query to the oracle system; the oracle system performs computations, updates its state, and replies to the adversary, which updates its state;
- **–** the adversary outputs a result calling the finalization oracle.

During his attack, the adversary has access to the oracles, which modelize his capacities to obtain (partial) information or to execute some party of the protocol in the reality. His resources are bounded by two parameters: the number of queries he performs to the oracles and his running time.

#### **2.3 Oracle Systems and Adversaries**

Oracle systems and adversaries are modeled as stateful systems meant to interact with each another. An oracle system  $O$  is a stateful system that provides oracle access to adversaries and given by:

- **–** sets of oracle memories and of oracles;
- **–** a query domain, an answer domain and the related implementation;
- **–** a distinguished initial memory, and distinguished oracles *o<sup>I</sup>* for initialization and *o<sup>F</sup>* for finalization.

Oracle systems *O* and *O'* are *compatible* iff they have the same sets of oracle names and the query and the answer domains of each oracle name coincide in both oracle systems. We build compatible systems out of systems we have already defined by modifying the implementation of one of the oracles.

## **2.4 Events**

<span id="page-2-0"></span>The interaction between oracle system and adversary seems as this of the pattern consisting in the query of an oracle, the computation of an answer by the oracle, and the update of its state by the adversary. This is formalized as a transition system, where a step consi[sts in](#page-17-0) one occurence of the pattern.

Security properties abstract away from t[he s](#page-16-4)tate of adversaries and are modeled using traces. A trace is an execution sequence from which the adversary memories have been erased. The subset of traces verifying the predicate is considered to assign a probability to an event defined by a predicate.

For a step-predicate  $\phi$ , let the event "eventually  $\phi$ " be denoted by  $F_{\phi}$  and correspond to  $\phi$  satisfied at one step of the trace. Furthermore, the event "always"  $\phi$ ", denoted by  $G_{\phi}$ , is true iff  $\phi$  is satisfied at every step of the trace. You can find an example of this concept in Appendix A.3.

For more details and examples, you can see the Appendix A or refer to the article [7].

# **3 Computational Indistinguishability Logic**

## **3.1 Statements: Judgments**

For an event **E**, a statement  $O:_{\varepsilon}$  **E** is valid iff for every  $(k,t)$ -adversary *A*,  $Pr(A | O : E) \leq \varepsilon(k, t)$ . For *O* and *O'* compatible oracle systems which expect a

boolean as result, a statement  $O \sim_{\varepsilon} O'$  is valid iff for every  $(k, t)$ -adversary *A*,  $| Pr[A | O : R = \textbf{True}] - Pr[A | O' : R = \textbf{True}] \leq \varepsilon(k, t)$ . Let **E** be an event of compatible systems *O* and *O'*. A state[me](#page-3-0)nt  $O \sim \varepsilon$  *C'* is valid iff for every  $(k, t)$ - $\alpha$ dversary *A*,  $|Pr[A | O : R = \textbf{True} \wedge \mathbf{E}] - Pr[A | O' : R = \textbf{True} \wedge \mathbf{E}] | \le \varepsilon(k, t)$  $|Pr[A | O : R = \textbf{True} \wedge \mathbf{E}] - Pr[A | O' : R = \textbf{True} \wedge \mathbf{E}] | \le \varepsilon(k, t)$  $|Pr[A | O : R = \textbf{True} \wedge \mathbf{E}] - Pr[A | O' : R = \textbf{True} \wedge \mathbf{E}] | \le \varepsilon(k, t)$  . As  $O \sim_{\varepsilon} O' \Leftrightarrow O \xrightarrow{\text{True}} O'$ , we write  $O \sim_{\varepsilon} O'$  for the two statements. See Appendix B.1 for details.

## **3.2 Rules and Their Extensions**

We expose briefly the rules used in our proof on Figure  $(1)$ . You can find more classic and extended rules in Appendix B.1.

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$$
\frac{O:_{\varepsilon_{2}} \mathbf{E}_{2} \quad O':_{\varepsilon_{1}} F_{\neg \varphi} \quad O \equiv_{\mathcal{R},\varphi} O' \quad \mathbf{E}_{1} \mathcal{R} \mathbf{E}_{2}}{O':_{\varepsilon_{1} + \varepsilon_{2}} \mathbf{E}_{1}} \quad U_{P} \text{ToBad}
$$
\n
$$
\frac{O \leq_{\det,\gamma} O' \quad O:_{\varepsilon} \mathbf{E} \circ \pi}{O':_{\varepsilon_{1} + \varepsilon_{2}} \mathbf{E}_{1}} \quad \frac{O:_{\varepsilon} \mathbf{E} \circ C}{O':_{\varepsilon_{2} + \varepsilon_{2}} \mathbf{E}_{1}} \quad \frac{O:_{\varepsilon} \mathbf{E} \circ C}{C(O):_{\varepsilon'} \mathbf{E}} \quad B \text{. Sub}
$$
\n
$$
\frac{O \stackrel{\mathbf{E}_{2}}{\sim_{\varepsilon_{1}}} O' \quad \mathbf{E}_{2} \Rightarrow \mathbf{E}_{1} \quad O:_{\varepsilon_{2}} \mathbf{E}_{1} \land \neg \mathbf{E}_{2} \quad O':_{\varepsilon_{2} + \varepsilon_{2}} \mathbf{E}_{1} \land \neg \mathbf{E}_{2}}{O \stackrel{\mathbf{E}_{2}}{\sim_{\varepsilon_{1} + \varepsilon_{2}}} O' \quad \frac{\mathbf{E}_{1}}{\sim_{\varepsilon_{1} + \varepsilon_{2}}} \quad \frac{O:_{\varepsilon_{1} + \varepsilon_{2}} \mathbf{E}_{1} \land \neg \mathbf{E}_{2}}{O \stackrel{\mathbf{E}_{2}}{\sim_{\varepsilon_{1} + \varepsilon_{2}}} \mathbf{E}_{1}} \quad \frac{O \stackrel{\mathbf{E}_{1}}{\sim_{\varepsilon_{1}}} \mathbf{E}_{1} \land \mathbf{E}_{2}}{\sim_{\varepsilon_{1} + \varepsilon_{2}} \quad \frac{O \stackrel{\mathbf{E}_{1}}{\sim_{\varepsilon_{1}}} \mathbf{E}_{1} \land \mathbf{E}_{2}}{\sim_{\varepsilon_{1} + \varepsilon_{2}}} \quad \frac{O \stackrel{\mathbf{E}_{1}}{\sim_{\varepsilon_{1}}} \mathbf{E}_{1} \bigcup_{\varepsilon_{1} + \varepsilon_{2}} \mathbf{E}_{2} \quad \frac{O \stackrel{\math
$$

**Fig. 1.** Rules used in the proof (classic and extended rules). For compatible oracle systems *O*, *O'* and *O*", events **E**, **E**<sub>1</sub> and **E**<sub>2</sub> of *O*, *O'* and *O*", and step-predicates  $\varphi$ ,  $\varphi_1$  and  $\varphi_2$ .

#### **3.3 Contexts**

A context *C* is an intermediary between an oracle system *O* and adversaries. One can compose a *O*-context *C* with *O* to obtain a new oracle system *C*[*O*] and with a  $C[O]$ -adversary to obtain a new *O*-adversary  $C \parallel A$ . Procedures for contexts differ of these for oracle systems: one that transfers calls from the adversary to the oracles and another one that tranfers answers from the oracles to the adversary. See Appendix B.2.

#### **3.4 Bisimulation**

Game-based proofs proceed by transforming an oracle system into an equivalent one, or in case of imperfect simulation into a system that is equivalent up to <span id="page-4-0"></span>some bad event. The notion of bisimulation-up-to is defined as two probabilistic transition systems are bisimilar until the failure of a condition on their tuple states-transitions. Bisimulations are closely related to obversational equivalence and relational Hoare logic and allow to justify proofs by simulations. Bes[ides,](#page-23-0) bisimulations-up-to subsume the Fundamental Lemma of Victor Shoup. See Appendix B.3.

# **3.5 Determinization**

Using the concept of automata determinization technique, the definition is based on the possibility to decompose states of a system into two components and to exhibit a distribution  $\gamma$  allowing to obtain the second component given the first one. See Appendix B.4.

# **4 CIL Security Proof for an Efficient PBKE**

## **4.1 Preliminaries**

In the computational model, messages are bitstrings, cryptographic primitives are functions from bitstrings to bitstrings and adversary is any Probabilistic Polynomial time Turing Machine.

*Scheme:* We denote objects describing the model:

- **–** two sets *Users* and *Servers* such that *u* ∈ [*Users*] and *s* ∈ [*Servers*];
- **–** for the arithmetic, *G* =*<g>* is a cyclic group of *l*-bit prime order *q* and  $\overline{G} = G \setminus 1_G = \{g^x \mid x \in \mathbb{Z}_q^*\}$  (*g* is a fixed parameter);
- $-$  for  $i = \{0,1\}, l_i$  is the parameter of data size for Hash function  $H_i$ ;
- **–** a set *P assword* as a small dictionary (polynomial in the security parameter), of size *N*, equipped with the uniform distribution.

*Encryption/Decryption: E* is the Encryption and *D* is the Decryption in the Ideal Cipher Model .

*Hash Functions:* There are two hash functions  $H_0$  and  $H_1$  in the Random Oracle Model.

We want to bound the probability for an adversary, within time *t*, and with less than  $N_u$  sessions with a client,  $N_s$  sessions with a server (active attacks), and asking  $q_H$  hash queries and  $q_E$  Encryption/Decryption queries, to distinguish the session key from a random key.

# **4.2 One-Encryption Key-Exchange (OEKE), A Password-Based Key Exchange**

On Figure (2) (with a honest execution of the OEKE protocol), the protocol runs between a client *u* and a server *s*. The session key space associated to this protocol is  $\{0,1\}^{l_0}$  equipped with the uniform distribution. *u* and *s* initially share a low-quality string *pw*, the password, from *P assword*.

$$
\begin{array}{ll}\n & \text{Client } u & \text{Server } s \\
 & pw & pw & pw \\
 & \text{accept} \leftarrow \text{false} \text{; terminate} \leftarrow \text{false} \\
 & x \leftarrow [1..(q-1)] & y \leftarrow [1..(q-1)] \\
 & X \leftarrow g^x & u, X & Y \leftarrow g^y \\
 & Y \leftarrow D(pw, Y^*) & \xleftarrow{s, Y^*} Y^* \leftarrow E(pw, Y) \\
 & X \leftarrow \text{true} & Y \leftarrow \text{true} \\
 & x \leftarrow \text{true} & \xleftarrow{s, Y^*} Y^* \leftarrow E(pw, Y) \\
 & Y \leftarrow \text{true} & \xleftarrow{s, Y^*} Y^* \leftarrow E(pw, Y) \\
 & K_s \leftarrow X^y \\
 & \text{accept} \leftarrow \text{true} & \xleftarrow{s, Y} \text{state} & Auth \stackrel{?}{=} H_1(Z \parallel K_s) \text{; if true, accept} \leftarrow \text{true} \\
 & s k_s \leftarrow H_0(Z \parallel K_s) \\
 & \text{ terminate} \leftarrow \text{true} & \text{estimate} \leftarrow \text{true}\n\end{array}
$$

**Fig. 2.** An execution of the protocol OEKE, run by the client *u* and the server *s*. We let  $Z$  be equal to  $u \parallel s \parallel X \parallel Y$ .

*The real game*  $O_0^1$ : This game consists of: initialization and finalization oracles, Encryption/Decryption oracles, Hash oracles, oracles that simulate the protocol (named *U*1, *S*1, *U*<sup>2</sup> and *S*2), Execute oracle, Test oracle and Reveal oracle. In the initialization oracle, the bit *b* is equal to 1 and hence, the Test oracle returns the real value of the session key.

 $\text{Imp}(o_I)( ) =$  $pw \leftarrow$  *Password*;  $L_{H_0} := [ |; L_{H_1} := [];$  $L_E := []$ ;  $L_{pw} := []$ ;  $L_O := []$ ;  $var_X := \perp; var_\theta := \perp; var_\varphi := \perp; var_{\kappa} := \perp;$  $b := 1$ return **1**  $\text{Imp}(E)(pw,x) =$ <br>
if  $(pw,x,...) \notin L_E$  then  $\text{Imp}(D)(pw,y) =$ if  $(pw, \text{ } ,y, \text{ } ) \notin L_E$  then  $y \leftarrow \overline{G}$ ;  $L_E := L_E.(pw, x, y, \perp)$ ;  $\phi \leftarrow \text{endif}$  and  $\phi$  $\phi \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_q^*$ ;  $x = g^{\phi}$ ;  $L_E := L_E.(pw, x, y, \phi)$ ; endif endif return *y* such that  $(pw, x, y, z) \in L_E$  return *x* such that  $(pw, x, y, z) \in L_E$  $\text{Imp}(H_0)(x) =$ <br>
if  $x \notin L_{H_0}$  then <br>
if  $x \notin L_{H_1}$  $x \notin L_{H_0}$  then if  $x \notin L_{H_1}$  then<br>  $y \leftarrow U(l_0); L_{H_0} := L_{H_0}.(x, y);$  if  $x \notin L_{H_1}$  then<br>  $y \leftarrow U(l_1); L_l$  $y \leftarrow U(l_1); L_{H_1} := L_{H_1} \cdot (x, y);$ <br>endif  $y \leftarrow U(l_1); L_{H_1} := L_{H_1} \cdot (x, y);$ endif endif return  $L_{H_0}(x)$  return  $L_{H_1}(x)$  $\text{Imp}(U_1)(u, i) = \text{Imp}(S_1)((s, j), (u, X)) =$  $\theta \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_q^*$ ;  $X = g^{\theta}$ ;  $var_{\theta}[(u, i)] = (\theta, X);$   $\varphi \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_q^*$  $\varphi \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_q^*$ ;  $Y = g^{\varphi}$ ;  $Y^* = E(pw, Y)$ ; return  $(u, X)$   $var_\phi[(s, j)] = (\varphi, Y, Y^*)$ ;  $var_X[(s, j)] = X$ ;  $K_s = X^\varphi$ return  $(s, Y^{\star})$ 

 $\text{Imp}(U_2)((u, i), (s, Y^*)) =$ <br>
if  $var_\theta[(u, i)]! = \perp$  then<br>
if  $var_\theta[(s, j)]! = \perp$  then  $var_{\theta}[(u, i)]! = \perp$  then if  $var_{\varphi}[(s, j)]! = \perp$  then<br>  $Y = D(pw, Y^*)$ ;  $(\theta, X) = var_{\theta}[(u, i)]$ ;  $(\varphi, Y, Y^*) = var_{\varphi}[(s, j)]$  $\begin{aligned}\n\mathit{Auth} &= H_1(u \parallel s \parallel X \parallel Y \parallel K_u); \\
\mathit{var}_{sk}[(u,i)] &= H_0(u \parallel s \parallel X \parallel Y \parallel K_u) \n\end{aligned}$   $\begin{aligned}\nH' &= H_1(u \parallel s \parallel X \\
\text{if } H' &= \text{Auth} \text{ then}\n\end{aligned}$ *var*<sub>*sk*</sub> $[(u, i)] = H_0(u || s || X || Y || K_u)$  endif return *Auth* 

 $\text{Imp}(Revel)(p,k) =$ <br>
if  $var_{sk}[(p,k)]! = \perp$  then  $\text{Imp}(Test^1)(p,k) =$ <br>
if  $var_{sk}[(p,k)]!$  $sk := var_{sk}[(p, k)]$   $sk := var_{sk}[(p, k)]$  endif endif endif return *sk* return *sk*

 $\text{Imp}(Exec)((u, i), (s, j)) =$   $\text{Imp}(o_F)(x) =$  return **1**  $\theta \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_q^*$ ;  $X = g^{\theta}$ ;  $\varphi \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_q^*$ ;  $Y = g^{\varphi}; Y^* = E(pw, Y); K_s = X^{\varphi}; K_u = Y^{\theta};$ *Auth* =  $H_1(u \parallel s \parallel X \parallel Y \parallel K_u);$  $var_{sk}[(u,i)] = H_0(u \parallel s \parallel X \parallel Y \parallel K_u)$ return  $((u, X), (s, Y^{\star}), \text{Aut}h)$ 

*Y* = *D*(*pw,Y*<sup>\*</sup>); (*θ,X*) = *var*<sub>*θ*</sub>[(*u, i*)]; ( $\varphi$ ,*Y,Y*<sup>\*</sup>) = *var*<sub>*Ψ*</sub>[(*s, j*)]; *X* = *varX*[(*s, j*)]; *K*<sub>*u*</sub> = *Y*<sup>*θ*</sup>;  $K_s = X^{\varphi};$ <br>  $H' = H_1(u \parallel s \parallel X \parallel Y \parallel K_s);$  $var_{sk}[(s,j)] = H_0(u \parallel s \parallel X \parallel Y \parallel K_s)$ <br>endif endif return **1**

 $var_{sk}[(p,k)]! = \perp$  then if  $var_{sk}[(p,k)]! = \perp$  then<br>  $sk := var_{sk}[(p,k)]$ <br>  $sk := var_{sk}[(p,k)]$ 

*The real game*  $O_0^0$ : As for  $O_0^1$ , this game consists of exactly the same oracles. The differences are in the initialization oracle where  $b = 0$  and in the Test oracle where is returned a random value for *sk*.

*Summary:* In a first part, we bound the probabilities that two step-predicates occur. The first one, **Cl**, is for formalizing the collisions. The second one,  $\phi_{pw}$ , is for describing the dependence on the password in the oracles. In a second part, we write the general proof in order to obtain the indistinguishability between  $O_0^0$  and  $O_0^1$ , considering that the two previous step-prediactes can not occur. For that, we describe the transformations of the game  $O_0^1$ , step by step, until finding a simplified game. We notice that we obtain the same thing for the game  $O_0^0$ .

<span id="page-6-0"></span>These two parts are very similar: the same tranformations are made in order to obtain the wanted result. Therefore, we explain clearly the first proof and we expose briefly the second one.

*N.B.:* The list *Lpw* is created to simulate the oracles *E* and *D* in ICM. We suppose that the domain of *E* matches with the group generated by *g*. *L<sup>O</sup>* is defined as the list stocking the tuple (oracle  $o$ , query  $q$ , answer  $a$ ), writing as  $L_O = L_O \cdot (o, q, a)$ .

## **4.3 Proof for Bounding the Probability of the Step-Predicate** *φpw*

#### *C.1. Eliminating the Collisions :*

We want to eliminate collisions during Hash and Encryption/Decryption processes. We formalize the small probability of that an inappropriate collision could let the adversary to find a sequence without any required effort.

Let the step-predicate Cl be defined on the triple  $((o,q,a),m)$  as the conjunction of the clauses:

- for 
$$
i = 0, 1, o = H_i \wedge q \notin m \cdot L_{H_i} \wedge (a) \in m \cdot L_{H_i}
$$
  
\n-  $o = E \wedge (pw, q, -1) \notin m \cdot L_E \wedge (-, -a, -) \in m \cdot L_E$ 

$$
- o = D \wedge (pw, \_, q, \_) \notin m \cdot L_E \wedge (l, a, \_, \_) \in m \cdot L_E
$$

To complete and restrict the definition of **Cl**, let us introduce two other clauses:

- if 
$$
(pw, Y, Y_1^*, \varphi)
$$
 and  $(pw, Y, Y_2^*, \varphi)$  then  $Y_1^* = Y_2^*$   
- if  $(pw, Y_1, Y^*, \varphi)$  and  $(pw, Y_2, Y^*, \varphi)$  then  $Y_1 = Y_2$ 

Since **Cl** can only be satisfied when querying  $H_0$ ,  $H_1$ ,  $E$  or  $D$ , applying the rule Fail2 (see Appendix B.1) allows to conclude to:

- on the hash oracles, where 
$$
l = max(l_0, l_1)
$$
 and  $q_H = q_{H_0} + q_{H_1}$ , we obtain  $\varepsilon_0^1 = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{(q_{H_0} + q_{H_1})^2}{2^l} = \frac{q_H^2}{2^{l+1}},$ 

- on the Encryption/Decryption oracles, where 
$$
q_E = q_{Enc} + q_{Dec}
$$
, we get  $\varepsilon_0^2 = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{(q_{Enc} + q_{Dec})^2}{q - 1} = \frac{q_E^2}{2(q - 1)}$ .

Therefore, we obtain that  $O_0^1:_{\varepsilon_0} F_{\text{Cl}}$  where  $\varepsilon_0 = \frac{q_H^2}{2^{l+1}} + \frac{q_E^2}{2(q-1)}$ . We perform the same analysis for the other game obtaining  $O_0^0:_{\varepsilon_0}F_{\mathbf{Cl}}$ .

For further, at each step, we suppose there is no collision when modifying the game  $O_0^1$ . We can introduce a particular equivalence relation under the steppredicate ¬**Cl** in order to avoid the collisions, since it steps in over memories. We use the extented notion of bisimulation (for more details, see Appendix B.3). To conclude the proof, we bound the probability of such collisions (this avoids the repetition of the value  $\varepsilon_0$  at each transformation).

*C.2. Creating the independence from the password in the oracles:*

We want to eliminate dependence on *pw* in all the oracles. We formalize the probability that the adversary guesses the good password and succeeds in the acquisition of the session key.

We define the step-predicate  $\phi_{pw} = \phi_{pw1} \vee \phi_{pw2}$ , where  $\phi_{pw1}$  and  $\phi_{pw2}$  are written as follows:

$$
\phi_{pw1} = \lambda(m, \cdot). (U_2, q, \cdot) \in m \cdot L_O \wedge (m \cdot pw, \cdot, q, \perp) \in m \cdot L_E
$$

$$
\phi_{pw2} = \lambda(m, \Delta). \ (S_1, \Delta, a) \in m \cdot L_O \land (\Delta, a) \in m \cdot S_1 \land (m \cdot pw, Y, a, \Delta) \in m \cdot L_E
$$
  

$$
\land (\Delta \parallel \Delta \parallel \Delta \parallel \Delta \parallel \Delta a') \in m \cdot L_{H_1} \land (S_2, a', \Delta) \in m \cdot L_O
$$

 $\phi_{pw}$  steps in over memories only. We want to find the value  $\varepsilon_1$  such that:  $O_0^1$  : $\varepsilon_1$   $F_{\phi_{pw}} = F_{\phi_{pw1} \vee \phi_{pw2}}$ .

<span id="page-8-0"></span>We transform the game  $O_0^1$  until finding a game wherein the password is sampled in the finalization oracle. Therefore, we can obtain easily the optimal result  $\frac{N_u + N_s}{N}$ . Indeed, this means that the adversary can test at most one password per session.

**Removing the Encryption in the oracle** *S*1**.** The unique way for the adversary to gain something is to correctly guess  $pw$ , by either sending a  $Y^*$  that is really an encryption under it of some well-chosen message or using it to decrypt  $Y^*$ . In  $O_1^1$ , we change  $S_1$  modelizing the Encryption inside this oralce.

$$
\text{Imp}(S_1)((s,j),(u,X)) = \varphi \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_q^*; Y = g^{\varphi}; Y^* \leftarrow \bar{G}; \operatorname{var}_{\varphi}[(s,j)] = (\varphi, Y, Y^*);
$$
\n
$$
L_E := L_E.(\operatorname{pw}, Y, Y^*, \varphi) \; ; \; \operatorname{var}_X[(s,j)] = X; \; K_s = X^{\varphi};
$$
\n
$$
\text{return } (s, Y^*) \text{ such that } (\operatorname{pw}, Y, Y^*, \varphi) \in L_E
$$

In a particular case, we do not receive an exponent  $\varphi$  but  $\perp$ : that happens when  $Y^*$  has been previously obtained as a ciphertext returned by an Encryption query. Let the step-predicate **Exp** be this case:

$$
\mathbf{Exp} = \lambda((o, \_, a), m, \_, o = S_1 \land (pw, \_, a, \bot) \in m \cdot L_E
$$

Therefore,  $O_0^1$  and  $O_1^1$  are in bisimulation-up-to  $\neg$ **Exp**, using as relation  $\mathcal{R}'_1$ the equality on the common components of their states in  $M_{\neg \text{CI}}^{O_i^1}$ . Indeed, states  $m, m'$  are in relation:

- if 
$$
m, m' \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}}^{O_0^1}
$$
 or  $M_{\neg \text{Cl}}^{O_1^1}$ ,  $m\mathcal{R'}_1m'$  iff  $m = m'$   
\n- if  $m \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}}^{O_0^1}$  and  $m' \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}}^{O_1^1}$ ,  $m\mathcal{R'}_1m'$  iff  
\n•  $\forall (pw, x, y, e) \in m \cdot L_E \setminus m' \cdot L_E \Rightarrow e = \bot \land \exists (pw, x, y, \varphi) \in m' \cdot L_E \setminus m \cdot L_E \text{ s.t. } x = g^{\varphi}$   
\n•  $\forall (pw, x, y, e) \in m' \cdot L_E \setminus m \cdot L_E \Rightarrow e = \varphi \text{ s.t. } x = g^{\varphi} \land \exists (pw, x, y, \bot) \in m \cdot L_E \setminus m' \cdot L_E$   
\n $m' \cdot L_E$ 

Hence, we apply the rule I-BisG2 to result in:

<span id="page-8-1"></span>
$$
\frac{O_1^1 :_{\varepsilon_2'} F_{\text{Exp}}(\wedge G_{\neg \text{Cl}}) O_1^1 :_{\varepsilon_1'} F_{\phi_{pw}}(\wedge G_{\neg \text{Cl}}) O_0^1 \stackrel{\neg \text{Cl}}{=} \mathcal{R}'_1, \neg \text{Exp} \wedge \neg \phi_{pw} O_1^1}{O_0^1 :_{\varepsilon_1' + \varepsilon_2'} F_{\phi_{pw}}(\wedge G_{\neg \text{Cl}})}
$$
 I-BisG2

Applying the rule Fail allows to obtain  $O_1^1:_{\varepsilon_2'} F_{\mathbf{Exp}}$ , where  $\varepsilon_2' = \frac{N_s \times q_E}{q-1}$ .

**Splitting the Hash Lists.** We want to be sure that *u* will offer a good Authenticator and *s* will accept it. Therefore, we modify the oracle  $U_2$  in order to get a honest value for *Y*. We split the lists of the two public hash oracles  $H_0$  and  $H_1$  in  $O_2^1$ , introducing two private hash functions  $H_2: \{0,1\}^* \to \{0,1\}^{l_0}$  and  $H_3: \{0,1\}^* \to \{0,1\}^{l_1}$ .  $\text{Imp}(o_I)( ) =$ <br>  $pw \leftarrow \text{Password}$ <br>  $\text{if } var_\theta[(u, i)]! = \perp$  $pw \leftarrow$  *Password* if  $var_{\theta}[(u,i)]! = \perp$  then  $L_{H_0} := [|; L_{H_1} := |]; L_{H_2} := [|; L_{H_3} := |];$   $(\theta, X) = var_{\theta}[(u, i)]$  $L_E := [|; L_{pw} := [|; L_O := [];$  $var_X := \perp; var_\theta := \perp; var_\varphi := \perp; var_{sk} := \perp;$ <br>*h* := 1  $b := 1$  *Auth* = *H*<sub>1</sub>(*u* || return **1**  $var_{sk}[(u,i)] = H_0(u)$ 

$$
\begin{aligned}\n\text{Imp}(U_2)((u, i), (s, Y^*)) &=& \text{if } var_\theta[(u, i)]! = \perp \text{ then} \\
(\theta, X) &= var_\theta[(u, i)] \\
\text{if } \exists Y, \exists \varphi \text{ such that } (pw, Y, Y^*, \varphi) \in L_E \\
K_u &= Y^\theta; \\
\text{with } = H_1(u \parallel s \parallel X \parallel Y \parallel K_u); \\
& var_{sk}[(u, i)] = H_0(u \parallel s \parallel X \parallel Y \parallel K_u) \\
\text{else} \\
& Y \leftarrow \bar{G}; K_u = Y^\theta; \\
& \text{with } = H_3(u \parallel s \parallel X \parallel Y \parallel K_u); \\
& var_{sk}[(u, i)] = H_2(u \parallel s \parallel X \parallel Y \parallel K_u) \\
\text{endif} \\
\text{endif} \\
\text{return } \text{Author: } \text{Output}.\n\end{aligned}
$$

 $O_1^1$  and  $O_2^1$  are  $\mathcal{R}'_2$ -bismilar up to  $\neg \phi_{pw1}$ . The equivalence relation  $\mathcal{R}'_2$  between states  $m$  and  $m'$  is as follows:

- if 
$$
m, m' \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}}^{O_1^1}
$$
 or  $M_{\neg \text{Cl}}^{O_2^1}$ ,  $m\mathcal{R'}_2m'$  iff  $m = m'$   
\n- if  $m \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}}^{O_1^1}$  and  $m' \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}}^{O_2^1}$ ,  $m\mathcal{R'}_2m'$  iff  $m \cdot L_{H_0} = m' \cdot (L_{H_0} \cup L_{H_2})$  and  $m \cdot L_{H_1} = m' \cdot (L_{H_1} \cup L_{H_3})$ 

Then, applying the rule I-BisG2, we find:

<span id="page-9-0"></span>
$$
\frac{O_2^1:_{\varepsilon_3'} F_{\phi_{pw1}}(\wedge G_{\neg \mathbf{Cl}}) O_2^1:_{\varepsilon_4'} F_{\phi_{pw}} \wedge G_{\neg \phi_{pw1}}(\wedge G_{\neg \mathbf{Cl}}) O_1^1 \stackrel{\neg \mathbf{Cl}}{=} \mathcal{R}'_2, \neg \phi_{pw1} O_2^1}{O_1^1:_{\varepsilon_3' + \varepsilon_4'} F_{\phi_{pw}}(\wedge G_{\neg \mathbf{Cl}})}
$$

such that  $\varepsilon_3' + \varepsilon_4' = \varepsilon_1'$ . We notice that:  $F_{\phi_{pw}} \wedge G_{\neg \phi_{pw1}} \Leftrightarrow F_{\phi_{pw2}}$ .

**Randomizing the Hash Oracles.** In  $O_3^1$ , we sample the value of *Y*. Therefore, we no longer use the private hash functions since we internalize the hash functions in another way with the random *Y* . We modify the oracles *U*2 and *S*2.



Let the step-predicate **Auth** be the conjunction of the following clauses:

 $-$  (*pw*,*Y*,*Y*<sup>\*</sup>, $\varphi$ ) ∈ *L<sub>E</sub>* ∧ *X* ∈ *varθ*  $-$  for *u* and *s*,  $u \parallel s \parallel X \parallel Y \parallel CDH(X, Y) \in L_{H_1}$ 

The adversary can not see the link between *Y* and  $Y^*$ , except if he calls  $E(pw, \)$  or  $D(pw, \_)$ .

We notice that the probability that  $F_{\phi p w2}$  occurs is very negligible since we suppose that the adversary can not get the password. Since we have  $F_{\textbf{Auth}\vee\phi_{nw2}} = F_{\textbf{Auth}}\vee$  $(F_{\phi_{pw2}} \wedge G_{\neg \mathbf{Auth}})$ , we expose that  $F_{\phi_{pw2}} \wedge G_{\neg \mathbf{Auth}}$  occurs with the probability  $\varepsilon'_5$  and *F***Auth** with  $\varepsilon_6'$ . Using the rule Fail, we get  $\varepsilon_5' = \frac{N_u + N_s}{q - 1}$ .

We want to establish the indistinguishability between  $O_2^1$  and  $O_3^1$  up to  $\neg$ **Auth**  $\wedge$  $\neg \phi_{pw2}$ . We exhibit two equivalence relations  $\mathcal{R}'_3$  between both systems. Indeed, states  $m$  and  $m'$  are in relation:

- if 
$$
m, m' \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}}^{O_2^1}
$$
 or  $M_{\neg \text{Cl}}^{O_3^1}$ ,  $m\mathcal{R}'_3m'$  iff  $m = m'$   
\n- if  $m \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}}^{O_2^1}$  and  $m' \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}}^{O_3^1}$ ,  $m\mathcal{R}'_3m'$  iff  $m \cdot (L_{H_0} \cup L_{H_2}) = m' \cdot L_{H_0}$  and  $m \cdot (L_{H_1} \cup L_{H_3}) = m' \cdot L_{H_1}$ 

On the left hand, focusing on the step-predicate  $\phi_{pw1}$ , we apply the rule I-BisG2 to result in:

$$
\frac{O_{3}^{1}\cdot{}_{\varepsilon_{5}^{\prime}+\varepsilon_{6}^{\prime}}\ F_{\mathbf{Auth}\vee\phi_{pw2}}(\wedge G_{\neg\mathbf{Cl}})\ O_{3}^{1}\cdot{}_{\varepsilon_{7}^{\prime}}\ F_{\phi_{pw1}}\wedge G_{\neg\mathbf{Auth}\wedge\neg\phi_{pw2}}(\wedge G_{\neg\mathbf{Cl}})\ O_{2}^{1}\ \stackrel{\neg\mathbf{Cl}}{=}{}\mathcal{R'}_{3},\neg\mathbf{Auth}\wedge\neg\phi_{pw2}\ O_{3}^{1}\\ O_{2}^{1}\cdot{}_{\varepsilon_{5}^{\prime}+\varepsilon_{6}^{\prime}}\ F_{\phi_{pw1}}(\wedge G_{\neg\mathbf{Cl}})
$$

such that  $\varepsilon'_5 + \varepsilon'_6 + \varepsilon'_7 = \varepsilon'_3$ .

On the right hand, since we have  $F_{\textbf{Auth}\vee \phi_{pw2}} = [F_{\textbf{Auth}} \wedge G_{\phi_{pw2}}] \vee [F_{\phi_{pw2}} \wedge$  $G_{\textbf{Auth}\wedge \phi_{pw2}}$  and  $O_3^1:0$  *F*<sub> $\phi_{pw2} \wedge G_{\textbf{Auth}\wedge \phi_{pw2}} (\wedge G_{\neg \textbf{Cl}})$ , we simplify the line. Focusing</sub> on the step-predicate  $\phi_{pw2}$ , we apply the ru[le](#page-21-0) [I-B](#page-21-0)isG2 to result in:

$$
\frac{O_3^1:_{\varepsilon_6'}\operatorname{F_{\textbf{Aut}h}}\wedge G_{\phi_{pw2}}(\wedge G_{\neg \textbf{Cl}}) \ O_3^1:_{\varepsilon_8'}\operatorname{F_{\phi_{pw2}}}(\wedge G_{\neg \textbf{Cl}}) \ O_2^1 \overset{\neg \textbf{Cl}}{=} \pi_{3,\neg \textbf{Aut} h \wedge \neg \phi_{pw2}} \ O_3^1 }{\ O_2^1:_{\varepsilon_6'+\varepsilon_8'} \operatorname{F_{\phi_{pw2}}}(\wedge G_{\neg \textbf{Cl}})} \ I\text{-BisG2}
$$

such that  $\varepsilon'_6 + \varepsilon'_8 = \varepsilon'_4$ .

We focus on the CDH problem to obtain the value of  $\varepsilon_6'$  (for more details about the Computational Diffie-Hellman assumption in *G*, see Appendix B.2). Hence, we write the game  $O_4^1$  as a context *C* of *CDH*. The oracle system *CDH* captures the game played by an adversary to find the Diffie-Hellman instance (*A,B*).

- We define the step-predicate **Auth'** as follows:
- **–** *o* = *U*<sup>1</sup> s.t. (*α,X*) ∈ *L<sup>A</sup>* ∧*o* = *S*<sup>1</sup> s.t. (*β,Y* ) ∈ *L<sup>B</sup>*
- $-$  for *u* and *s*,  $u \parallel s \parallel X \parallel Y \parallel CDH(X, Y) \in L_{H_1}$

The adversary has r[eturn](#page-21-0)ed a pair  $(R_1, R_2)$  that is a valid authentication when  $H_1(R_1)$  = *R*<sub>2</sub>. Given  $(\alpha, X) \in L_A$ ,  $(\beta, Y) \in L_B$  and one *CDH* instance  $(A, B)$ , we notice that  $CDH(A, B) = CDH(X, Y)^{\alpha^{-1}\beta^{-1}}$ .

Therefore, applying the rule B-Sub, we get:

$$
\frac{CDH:_{\varepsilon(1_k,t)} F_{\text{Author}} \circ C}{O_4^1 = C[CDH]:_{\varepsilon'_6} F_{\text{Author}}}
$$
 *B-Sub*

where  $\varepsilon'_6 = q_H \times \varepsilon(\mathbf{1}_k, t)$  (see Appendix B.2).

Moreover, the games  $O_3^1$  and  $O_4^1$  are in perfect bisimulation. We define the equivalence relation  $\mathcal{R}'_4$  between states m and  $m'$  as follows:

- $-$  if  $m, m' \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}}^{O_3^1}$  or  $M_{\neg \text{Cl}}^{O_4^1}$ ,  $m \mathcal{R'}_4 m'$  iff  $m = m'$
- $-$  if *m* ∈ *M*<sup>O<sub>1</sub><sup>3</sup></sup><sub>→Cl</sub>, *m*<sup>O<sub>1</sub><sup>4</sup><sub>→Cl</sub>, *m*R<sup>'</sup><sub>4</sub>*m*<sup>'</sup> iff there is the equality on the common</sup> components of their states, knowing that the added lists *L<sup>A</sup>* and *L<sup>B</sup>* are completely determinated using the other common tables.

Then, we check the compatibility of  $F_{\text{Auth}} \cup F_{\text{Auth}}$  with  $\mathcal{R}'_4$ , i.e. that given two states  $m \in M_{\text{--CI}}^{O_4^1}$  and  $m' \in M_{\text{--CI}}^{O_4^1}$  in relation by  $\mathcal{R}'_4$ ,  $F_{\text{Auth}}$  holds in state  $m$  iff  $F_{\text{Auth}}$ <sup>1</sup> holds in state  $m'$ , which is obvious by the definition of the relation. Thus, applying the rule UpToBad, we find:

$$
\begin{array}{cc} O_{4}^1:_{\varepsilon_6'} F_{\pmb{Auth}^{\prime}}(\wedge G_{\neg \textbf{Cl}}) & O_{3}^1:_{0}F_{\neg \textbf{True}} & O_{3}^1 \stackrel{\neg \textbf{Cl}}{=} \pi_{'4,\textbf{True}} & O_{4}^1 \;\; F_{\pmb{Auth}} \mathcal{R'}_{4} F_{\pmb{Auth}^{\prime}} \\ & O_{3}^1:_{\varepsilon_6'} F_{\pmb{Auth}}(\wedge G_{\neg \textbf{Cl}}) & & UpToBad \end{array}
$$

**Sorting the Password in the Finalization Oracle.** We a simplified game such that all the oracles are independent of *pw*. We modify the finalization oracle in order to draw the password only at the end of  $O_5^1$ .

 $\text{Imp}(o_F)(x) = x = pw$ ; return 1

The event  $F_{\phi_{pw}} \circ \pi$  on  $O_5^1$ -traces is defined by  $F_{\phi_{pw}} \circ \pi(\tau) = \textbf{True}$  iff  $\pi(\tau)$  verifies  $F_{\phi_{pw}}$ , where *τ* is any  $O_5^1$ -trace. Therefore, using the rule Fail, we get  $O_5^1:_{\varepsilon_1} F_{\phi_{pw}}$ , where  $\varepsilon'_{9} = \frac{N_u + N_s}{N}$ . Then, applying the rule B-Det-Left, we find:

$$
\frac{O_3^1 \leq_{\det,\gamma} O_5^1 O_5^1 :_{\varepsilon_9'} (F_{\phi_{pw}} \circ \pi) \wedge G_{\neg \text{Cl}}}{O_3^1 :_{\varepsilon_9'} F_{\phi_{pw}} (\wedge G_{\neg \text{Cl}})} \ B\text{-}Det\text{-}Left
$$

such that  $\varepsilon_9' = \varepsilon_7' + \varepsilon_8' = \frac{N_u}{N} + \frac{N_s}{N}$ . More precisely, we get  $O_3^1 :_{\varepsilon_7'} F_{\phi_{pw1}}$  and  $O_3^1 :_{\varepsilon_8'} F_{\phi_{pw2}}$ .

To conclude, we obtain that  $O_0^1:_{\varepsilon_1} F_{\phi_{pw}}$  where  $\varepsilon_1 = \frac{N_u + N_s}{N} + \frac{N_u + N_s}{q-1} + \frac{N_s q_E}{q-1} +$  $2q_H \times \varepsilon(1_k, t)$ . We perform the same analysis for the other game obtaining that  $O_0^0:_{\varepsilon_1}$  $F_{\phi_{pw}}$ .

For further, at each step, we suppose there is no dependence on the password when modifying the game  $O_0^1$ . We can introduce a particular equivalence relation under the step-predicate  $\neg \phi_{pw}$  in order to avoid a query from the adversary with the good  $pw$ , since it steps in over memories using the list  $L<sub>O</sub>$ . From that,  $E$  and  $D$  no longer give some evidence about the password to the adversary. This process enables to avoid the repetition of the value  $\varepsilon_1$  at each transformation in the general proof.

*Proof Tree:* We illustrate the proof tree for bounding the probability of the steppredicate  $\phi_{pw}$  on Figure (3). For convenience, we understand that each event *F***Predicate** is associated to the event  $G_{\neg \text{Cl}}$  and *b* is the bit randomly sampled in the initialization oracle.

*N.B.:* Defining the step-predicate  $\phi_{pw}$  allows us to construct a proof which seems the more general possible. Indeed, we notice that it can be applied in another passwordbased protocol proof. From that, we hope to get security proofs more easily since we have already met the concept.

 $I\text{-}BisG2 \xrightarrow{\overbrace{O_0^b} G} \overline{\equiv}^c \mathcal{R}_1, \neg \text{Exp} \land \neg \phi_{pw} \xrightarrow{O_1^b} \cdots \overbrace{O_1^b : \varepsilon_2^{\prime}}^c F_{\text{Exp}}$   $I\text{-}BisG2 \xrightarrow{\overbrace{O_1^b : \varepsilon_1^{\prime}}^c} \overline{\overline{O_1^b : \varepsilon_1^{\prime}}^c}$  $O_1^b:_{\varepsilon' 1} F_{\phi_{pw}}$  $O_0^b:_{\varepsilon_1'+\varepsilon_2'} F_{\phi_{pw}}$ 

**Tree'**1:

$$
I\text{-}BisG2 \ \frac{O_1^b \overset{G=\text{Cl}}{=}\pi_{2, \neg \phi_{pw1}} O_2^b \frac{I\text{-}BisG2}{O_2^b :\varepsilon'_3 F_{\phi_{pw1}}} I\text{-}BisG2 \ \frac{\text{Tree'}_3}{O_2^b :\varepsilon'_4 F_{\phi_{pw}} \wedge G_{\neg \phi_{pw1}}}{O_1^b :\varepsilon'_1 F_{\phi_{pw}}}
$$

**Tree'**2:

$$
I\text{-}BisG2\ \frac{O_2^b \overset{G_{\neg\text{Cl}}}{=} \mathcal{R}_3, \neg \text{Auth} \land \phi_{pw2} O_3^b}{O_3^b \cdot \phi_{pw1}} I\text{-}BisG2\ \frac{\text{Tree'}_4}{O_3^b \cdot \phi_{pw2}} I\text{-}BisG2\ \frac{O_2^b \cdot \phi_{pw1} \land G_{\neg \text{Auth} \land \neg \phi_{pw2}}}{O_2^b \cdot \phi_{pw1}}
$$

**Tree'**3:

<span id="page-12-0"></span>
$$
\begin{array}{ccc}\nI\text{-}BisG2 & \xrightarrow{\mathbf{Tree}^2} & \textbf{Tree}^2 & \xrightarrow{\mathbf{Tree}^2} & \textbf{Tree}^25 \\
I\text{-}BisG2 & \xrightarrow{\mathbf{O}_2^b} & \xrightarrow{\mathbf{O}_3^b} & \xrightarrow{\mathbf{O}_3^b} & \xrightarrow{\mathbf{C}^b} & \xrightarrow{\mathbf{C}^b} & \xrightarrow{\mathbf{O}_3^b} & \xrightarrow{\mathbf{C}^b} & \xrightarrow{\mathbf{O}_3^b} & \xrightarrow{\mathbf{C}^b} & \xrightarrow{\mathbf
$$

**Tree'**4:

$$
Up\text{-}To\text{-}Bad\ \frac{O_3^b\overset{G=\text{Cl}}{=}\mathcal{R}_4,\text{True}\ O_4^b\ O_3^b\cdot_0 F\text{-}\text{True}\quad F_\text{Auth}\mathcal{R}_4F_\text{Auth},}{O_3^b\cdot_{\varepsilon'_6}F_\text{Auth},\qquad\qquad O_3^b\cdot_{\varepsilon'_6}F_\text{Auth},}{O_3^b\cdot_{\varepsilon'_6}F_\text{Auth}}
$$

**Tree'**5:

$$
B\text{-}Det\text{-}Left \frac{O_3^b \leq_{\text{det},\gamma} O_5^b \quad O_5^b :_{\varepsilon_7'} F_{\phi_{pw1}} \circ \pi}{O_3^b :_{\varepsilon_7'} F_{\phi_{pw1}}}
$$

**Tree'**6:

$$
B\text{-}Det\text{-}Left \frac{O_3^b \leq_{\det,\gamma} O_5^b \quad O_5^b :_{\varepsilon_8'} F_{\phi_{pw2}} \circ \pi}{O_3^b :_{\varepsilon_8'} F_{\phi_{pw2}}}
$$

**Fig. 3.** Proof Tree for the probability that the step-predicate  $\phi_{pw}$  occurs

# **4.4 General Proof for the Indistinguishability between the Games**  $O_0^0$  and  $O_0^1$ .

Since the two co[ndi](#page-8-0)tions we described previously seem revelant, we transform the game  $O_0^1$  in several steps under  $G_{\neg \mathbf{Cl}} \wedge G_{\neg \phi_{pw}}$ . The description of the general proof is less developed since we use the same transformations than for the proof for bounding the probability of  $\phi_{pw}$ . Indeed, except the last game  $O_5^1$  using the concept of determinization, we will apply in the same order each step using in the previous proof.

**Removing the Encryption in the Oracle**  $S_1$ . In  $O_1^1$ , modified  $S_1$  modelizes the Encryption inside (refer to page 67). If  $Y^*$  exists already then the exponent is equal to ⊥. The step-predicate **Exp** defines this case (see pagerefexp).

Therefore,  $O_0^1$  and  $O_1^1$  are in bisimulation-up-to  $\neg$ **Exp**, using as relation  $\mathcal{R}_1$  the equality on the common components of their states in  $M_{\neg\mathbf{Cl}\wedge\neg\phi_{pw}}^{O_i^1}$ . Indeed, states  $m, m'$  are in relation:

- if 
$$
m, m' \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}\wedge \neg \phi_{pw}}^{O_{0}^{1}}
$$
 or  $m, m' \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}\wedge \neg \phi_{pw}}^{O_{1}^{1}}$ ,  $m\mathcal{R}_1m'$  iff  $m = m'$   
\n- if  $m \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}\wedge \neg \phi_{pw}}$ ,  $m' \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}\wedge \neg \phi_{pw}}$ ,  $m\mathcal{R}_1m'$  iff  
\n•  $\forall (pw, x, y, e) \in m \cdot L_E \setminus m' \cdot L_E \Rightarrow e = \bot \wedge \exists (pw, x, y, \varphi) \in m' \cdot L_E \setminus m \cdot L_E \text{ s.t. } x = g^{\varphi}$   
\n•  $\forall (pw, x, y, e) \in m' \cdot L_E \setminus m \cdot L_E \Rightarrow e = \varphi \text{ s.t. } x = g^{\varphi} \wedge \exists (pw, x, y, \bot) \in m \cdot L_E \setminus m' \cdot L_E$   
\n $m' \cdot L_E$ 

Hence, using the rule Fail, we get  $O_1^1:_{\varepsilon_2=\frac{N_s\times q_E}{q-1}}F_{\text{Exp}}$  and we apply the rule I-BisCd to result in:

$$
\frac{O_1^1 :_{\varepsilon_2} F_{\textbf{Exp}}(\wedge G_{\neg \textbf{Cl}} \wedge G_{\neg \phi_{pw}}) O_0^1 \overset{\neg \textbf{Cl} \wedge \neg \phi_{pw}}{\equiv} \mathcal{R}_1, \neg \textbf{Exp } O_1^1}{O_0^1 \overset{G_{\neg \textbf{Cl}} \wedge G_{\neg \phi_{pw}}}{\sim_{\varepsilon_2}} O_1^1} I \cdot Bis C_0^1
$$

**Splitting the Hash Lists.** In  $O_2^1$ , we split the lists of the hash functions. For that, we create two private hash functions  $H_2$  and  $H_3$  (refer to page 67).

 $O_1^1$  and  $O_2^1$  are  $\mathcal{R}_2$ -bismilar up to  $\neg \phi_{pw1}$  (see page 66). We define the equivalence relation  $\mathcal{R}_2$  between states *m* and *m'* as follows:

- if 
$$
m, m' \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}\wedge \neg \phi_{pw}}^{O_1^1}
$$
 or  $m, m' \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}\wedge \neg \phi_{pw}}^{O_2^1}$ ,  $m\mathcal{R}_2m'$  iff  $m = m'$   
\n- if  $m \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}\wedge \neg \phi_{pw}}^{O_1^1}$ ,  $m' \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}\wedge \neg \phi_{pw}}^{O_2^1}$ ,  $m\mathcal{R}_2m'$  iff  $m \cdot L_{H_0} = m' \cdot (L_{H_0} \cup L_{H_2}) \wedge m \cdot L_{H_1} = m' \cdot (L_{H_1} \cup L_{H_3})$ 

[W](#page-9-0)e obtain  $O_2^1$ :<sub>0</sub>  $F\phi_{pw1}$  since we consider the independence of the password in the oracl[es.](#page-9-0) Then, applying [the](#page-6-0) rule I-BisCd, we find:

$$
\frac{O_2^1: {}_0F_{\phi_{pw1}}(\wedge G_{\neg\mathbf{Cl}} \wedge G_{\neg\phi_{pw}}) O_1^{1} \overset{\neg\mathbf{Cl}\wedge \neg\phi_{pw}}{=} R_2,\neg\phi_{pw1} O_2^1}{O_1^1 \overset{G_{\neg\mathbf{Cl}\wedge G_{\neg\phi_{pw}}}}{\sim_0} O_2^1} I\text{-}BisCd
$$

**Randomizing the Hash Oracles.** In  $O_3^1$ , sampling *Y* modifies the oracles  $U_2$  and *S*2 (refer to page 68).

**Auth** is defined page 68 and  $\phi_{pw2}$  page 66. We notice that the event  $F_{\phi_{pw2}}$  do not occur since we suppose that the adversary can not get the password. Using the equality  $F_{\textbf{Auth}\vee \phi_{pw2}} = F_{\textbf{Auth}} \vee (F_{\phi_{pw2}} \wedge G_{\textbf{-Auth}}) = F_{\textbf{Auth}}$ , we calculate the value  $\varepsilon_3$  of the probability that the event  $F_{\textbf{Auth}}$  occurs.

We want to establish the indistinguishability between  $O_2^1$  and  $O_3^1$  up to  $\neg$ **Auth**  $\land$  $\neg \phi_{pw2}$ . We exhibit an equivalence relation  $\mathcal{R}_3$  between both systems. Indeed, states *m* and  $m'$  are in relation:

- if 
$$
m, m' \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}\wedge \neg \phi_{pw}}^{O_2^1}
$$
 or  $m, m' \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}\wedge \neg \phi_{pw}}^{O_3^1}$ ,  $m\mathcal{R}_3m'$  iff  $m = m'$   
\n- if  $m \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}\wedge \neg \phi_{pw}}^{O_2^1}$ ,  $m' \in M_{\neg \text{Cl}\wedge \neg \phi_{pw}}^{O_3^1}$ ,  $m\mathcal{R}_3m'$  iff  $m \cdot (L_{H_0} \cup L_{H_2}) = m' \cdot L_{H_2} \wedge m \cdot (L_{H_1} \cup L_{H_3}) = m' \cdot L_{H_3}$ 

Hence, we apply the rule I-BisCd to result in:

$$
\frac{O_3^1:_{\varepsilon_3} F_{\text{Auth}\vee\phi_{pw2}}(\wedge G_{\neg \text{Cl}} \wedge G_{\neg \phi_{pw}}) O_2^1 \overset{\neg \text{Cl}\wedge \neg \phi_{pw}}{=} \mathcal{R}_3, \neg \text{Auth}\wedge \neg \phi_{pw2} O_3^1}{O_2^1 \overset{G_{\neg \text{Cl}\wedge G_{\neg \phi_{pw}}}}{\sim} \mathcal{C}_3^1} I\text{-}BisCd
$$

In the previous proof, we obtained that  $O_3^1:_{\varepsilon'_6} F_{\textbf{Auth}}(\wedge G_{\neg \textbf{Cl}})$ . We use classic rule of Logic  $O:_{\varepsilon} \mathbf{A} \to O:_{\varepsilon} \mathbf{A} \wedge \mathbf{B}$  such that  $\mathbf{A} = F_{\textbf{Auth}}(\wedge G_{\neg \textbf{Cl}})$  and  $\mathbf{B} = G_{\neg \phi_{pw}}$ . Therefore, we obtain that  $O_3^1:_{\varepsilon'_6} F_{\textbf{Auth}}(\wedge G_{\neg \textbf{Cl}} \wedge G_{\neg \phi_{pw}})$  where  $\varepsilon_3 \leq \varepsilon'_6$ .

## **4.5 Digest**

Using four steps and the rule TrCd, we find  $O_0^{1} \stackrel{G_{\neg \text{Cl}} \wedge \neg \phi_{pw}}{\sim} \varepsilon_{2+\varepsilon_3} O_3^1$ . Similarly, we get  $O_0^{0} \stackrel{G_{\neg \text{Cl}} \wedge \neg \phi_{pw}}{\sim} \varepsilon_2 + \varepsilon_3 O_3^0.$ 

To achieve the conclusion, we compare the games  $O_3^0$  and  $O_3^1$ . At present, the adversary can not discern a random value from a real value for the session key *sk*. From that, he can not guess what was the bit sampled in the initialization oracle. Consequently, the latter discussion implies that the two last modified games  $O_3^0$  and  $O_3^1$  are in perfect bisimulation, with as a relation  $\mathcal{R}_5$  the equality on the common components of their states. To conclude, we use the rule I-BisCd:

$$
\frac{O_3^0: {}_0F_{{\rm \neg True}}(\wedge G_{{\rm \neg Cl}} \wedge G_{{\rm \neg \phi_{pw}}}) \ O_3^1: {}_0F_{{\rm \neg True}}(\wedge G_{{\rm \neg Cl}} \wedge G_{{\rm \neg \phi_{pw}}}) \ O_3^0 \overset{{\rm \neg Cl} \wedge \neg \phi_{pw}}{=} \mathcal{R}_5, \text{True} \ O_3^1 }{\displaystyle O_3^0 \overset{G_{{\rm \neg Cl}} \wedge G_{{\rm \neg \phi_{pw}}}}{\sim} O_3^1} \ I\text{-} BisCd
$$

We use the rule TrCd to conclude to:  $O_0^0 \stackrel{G_{\neg \text{Cl}} \wedge G_{\neg \phi_{pw}}}{\sim} 2\varepsilon_2 + 2\varepsilon_3 O_0^1$ . Having  $O_0^b :_{\varepsilon_1} F_{\phi_{pw}}$ and using the rule FTr, we get:  $O_0^0 \stackrel{G_{\sim \text{Cl}}}{\sim} \varepsilon_1 + 2\varepsilon_2 + 2\varepsilon_3 O_0^1$ . Since  $O_0^b : \varepsilon_0 F_{\text{Cl}_2}$  applying the rule FTr, we obtain:  $O_0^0 \sim_{\varepsilon_0 + \varepsilon_1 + 2\varepsilon_2 + 2\varepsilon_3} O_0^1$ , where  $\varepsilon_0 + \varepsilon_1 + 2\varepsilon_2 + 2\varepsilon_3 = \frac{q_H^2}{2^{l+1}} + \frac{q_E^2}{2(q-1)} + \frac{N_u + N_s}{N} + \frac{N_u + N_s}{q-1} + \frac{N_s q_E}{q-1} + 2q_H \times \varepsilon(\mathbf{1}_k, t) + \frac{2N_s q_E}{q-1} + 2q_H \times \varepsilon(\mathbf{$ 

use the rules I-BisCd and TrCd under the condition  $G_{\neg \mathbf{Cl}} \wedge G_{\neg \phi_{pw}}$ . For convenience, we understand that each event  $F_{\text{Predicte}}$  is associated to the event  $G_{\neg \text{Cl}} \wedge G_{\neg \phi_{nm}}$ and *b* is the bit randomly sampled in the initialization oracle.

## **4.6 Conclusion**

We gave a manual formal proof of the OEKE protocol, as the first application of the tool CIL. This proof is well contructed under two parts; The first proof seems complicated

$$
FTr \frac{\text{Tree}_1}{O_0^{0. G - c_1 \wedge G - \phi_{pw}} \sum_{z_2 + 2\epsilon_3 + 2\epsilon_4} O_0^1} \frac{Fail}{O_0^b :_{\epsilon_1} F_{\phi_{pw}} \wedge G - \text{CI}}}{O_0^{0. G_{\infty}^{-1} c_1 + 2\epsilon_2 + 2\epsilon_3 + 2\epsilon_4} O_0^1} \frac{Fail}{O_0^b :_{\epsilon_0} F_{\text{CI}}}}{Fail2} \frac{C_{\epsilon_0}^{0. G_{\epsilon_1}^{-1} c_2 + 2\epsilon_3 + 2\epsilon_4} O_0^1}{O_0^{0. G_{\infty}^{-1} c_1 + 2\epsilon_2 + 2\epsilon_3 + 2\epsilon_4} O_0^1}
$$

**Tree**1:

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$$
\text{Tr}\text{Cd} \xrightarrow{\text{Tree}_2} \text{I-Bis}\text{Cd} \xrightarrow{O_0^b G_{\neg \text{Cl}\wedge G_{\neg \phi_{pw}}} \text{I-Bis}\text{Cd}} \frac{O_3^b :_0 F_{\neg \text{True}} O_3^{0} \xrightarrow{\neg \text{Cl}\wedge \text{C}_{\neg \phi_{pw}}} \text{R}_5, \text{True} \text{O}_3^1}{O_3^{0} \xrightarrow{\text{C}_3 \wedge G_{\neg \phi_{pw}}} O_3^1} \xrightarrow{O_3^{0} G_{\neg \text{Cl}\wedge G_{\neg \phi_{pw}}} \text{O}_3^1} \text{O}_3^{0} \xrightarrow{\text{C}_3 \wedge G_{\neg \phi_{pw}}} O_3^1}
$$

Tree<sub>2</sub>:

$$
TrCd \frac{\text{Tree3}}{O_0^{b}}\frac{I\text{-}Big}\frac{O_3^b:_{\varepsilon_3+\varepsilon_4}F\text{Auth}\vee_{\phi_{pw_2}}O_2^b\stackrel{\neg Ch\wedge\phi_{pw}}{\equiv}r_{3,\neg\text{Aut}h\wedge\phi_{pw_2}}O_3^b}{O_2^b\frac{O_2^b\neg Cl\wedge G\to_{\phi_{pw_2}}O_3^b}{\sim}O_2^b}\frac{O_2^b\frac{\neg Cl\wedge\phi_{pw_2}}{\equiv}r_{3,\neg\textbf{Aut}h\wedge\phi_{pw_2}}O_3^b}{O_0^b\frac{G\to Cl\wedge G\to_{\phi_{pw_2}}O_3^b}{\sim}c_{3+\varepsilon_4}O_3^b}
$$

**Tree**3:

$$
I\text{-}BisCd \frac{O_1^b:_{\varepsilon_2}F_{\text{Exp}}}{O_0^b} \frac{O_0^b \xrightarrow{-Cl_0 \to \phi_{pw}} \pi_1, \text{-}E\textrm{exp } O_1^b}{O_0^b} I\text{-}BisCd \frac{O_2^b:_{0}F_{\phi_{pw}}}{O_1^b} \frac{O_1^b \xrightarrow{-Cl_0 \to \phi_{pw}} \pi_2, \text{-} \phi_{pw}O_2^b}{O_1^b} \frac{O_1^b \xrightarrow{G_1 \land G \to \phi_{pw}} \pi_2, \text{-} \phi_{pw}O_2^b}{O_1^b} \frac{O_1^b \xrightarrow{G_1 \land G \to \phi_{pw}} \pi_2O_2^b}{O_2^b} \frac{O_2^b \xrightarrow{G_1 \land G \to \phi_{pw}} \pi_2O_2^b}{O_2^b}
$$

**Fig. 4.** Proof Tree for OEKE

to find the probability of one-step predicate but stays clear. As this proof is similar to the general proof, therefore the latter is concise, precise and easy to understand. We obtained a new kind of security proof for OEKE based on general and extended logic rules, instead of "writing" proofs or "rewriting" proof using CryptoVerif.

**Theorem 1.** Let us consider the OEKE protocol, where Password is a finite dictio*nnary of size N equipped with the uniform distribution. Let A be a* (*k,t*)*-adversary against the security of OEKE within a time bound t, with less than*  $N_u + N_s$  *interactions with the parties a[nd](#page-16-2) asking q<sup>H</sup> hash queries and q<sup>E</sup> Encryption/Decryption queries. Then we have:*

$$
Adv_{oeke}(A) \le \frac{N_u + N_s}{N} + \frac{N_u + N_s}{q - 1} + \frac{q_E^2}{2(q - 1)} + \frac{3N_s q_E}{q - 1} + \frac{q_H^2}{2^{l+1}} + 4q_H \times \varepsilon(\mathbf{1}_k, t)
$$

We stayed careful of putting realistic hypothesis for elements of the proof, as for functions in ROM and ICM. We obtained the optimal term  $\frac{N_u + N_s}{N}$ .

*N.B.:* In 2003, the autors of the paper [3] recognized that their results of the reductions proof were not optimal. For technical reasons, they used a collision-resistant hash function  $H_1$ . After we began our article, in the paper [9], they proved the security of OEKE using the tool CryptoVerif. The boundary was improved relative to the former proof since they reached the optimal result  $\frac{N_u + N_s}{N}$ . As in these papers, we obtained the optimal term but using a new kind of analysis under CIL.

Moreover, the logic CIL is sufficiently developed: it can be used easily and efficiently to construct computational proofs.

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# **A Oracle Systems**

#### **A.1 Oracle Systems and Adversaries**

An oracle system is a stateful system that provides oracle access to adversaries.

**Definition 1.** *An oracle system O is given by:*

- **–** *sets Mo of oracle memories and No of oracles,*
- **–** *for each o* ∈ *No, a query domain In*(*o*)*, an answer domain Out*(*o*) *and an implementation*  $O_o: In(o) \times M_o \rightarrow D(Out(o) \times M_0)$ *,*
- $-$  *a distinguished initial memory*  $\bar{m}_o \in M_o$ , and distinguished oracles  $o_I$  for initializa*tion and*  $o_F$  *for finalization, such that*  $In(o_I) = Out(o_F) = 1$ *. We let*  $Res = In(o_F)$ *.*

Two oracle systems *O* and *O'* are *compatible* iff they have the same sets of oracle names, and the query and the answer domains of each oracle name coincide in both oracle systems. When building a compatible oracle system from another one, it is thus sufficient to provide its set of memories, its initial memory and the implementation of its oracles.

Adversaries interact with oracle systems by making queries and receiving answers. An exchange for an oracle system *O* is a triple  $(o,q,a)$  where  $o \in N_o$ ,  $q \in In(o)$  and  $a \in$ *Out*(*o*). We let *Xch* be the set of exchanges. Initial and final exchanges are defined in the obvious way, by requiring that *o* is an initialization and finalization oracle respectively (the sets of these exchanges are denoted by *Xch<sup>I</sup>* and *Xch<sup>F</sup>* respectively). The sets *Que* of queries and *Ans* of answers are respectively defined as  $\{(o,q) | (o,q,a) \in Xch\}$ and  $\{(o, a) | (o, q, a) \in Xch\}.$ 

**Definition 2.** *An adversary A for an oracle system O is given by a set Ma of adversary memories, an initial memory*  $\bar{m}_a \in M_a$  *and functions for querying and updating A*:  $M_a \rightarrow D(Que \times M_a)$  *and*  $A_{\perp}: Xch \times M_a \rightarrow D(m_a)$ *.* 

Informally, the interaction between an oracle system and an adversary proceeds in three successive phases: the initialization oracle sets the initial memory distributions of the oracle system and of the adversary. Then, *A* performs computations, updates its state and submits queries to *O*. In turn, *O* performs computations, updates its state, and replies to *A*, which updates its state. Finally, *A* outputs a result by calling the finalization oracle.

### **A.2 Semantics**

**Definition 3.** *A transition system S consists of:*

- **–** *a (countable non-empty) set M of memories (states) with a distinguished initial memory*  $\bar{m}$ *,*
- $-$  *a set*  $\sum$  *of actions with distinguished subsets of*  $\sum_I$  *and*  $\sum_F$  *of initialization and finalization actions,*
- $-$  *a* (partial) transition function step :  $M \rightarrow D(\sum \times M)$ .

A partial execution sequence of *S* is a sequence of  $\zeta$  of the form  $m_0 \xrightarrow{x_1} m_1 \xrightarrow{x_2}$  $\cdots \xrightarrow{x_k} m_k$  such that  $Pr[\text{step}(m_{k-1}) = (a_k, m_k)] > 0$  for  $i = 1..k$  and  $x_i = (o_i, q_i, a_i)$ . If  $k = 1$  then  $\zeta$  is a step. If  $m_0 = \overline{m}$ ,  $x_1 \in \sum_I$  and  $x_k \in \sum_F$  then  $\zeta$  is an execution sequence of length *k*. A probabilistic transition system *S* induces a sub-distribution on executions, denoted *S*, such that the probability of a finite execution sequence  $\zeta$  is  $Pr[S = \zeta] = \prod_{i=1}^{k} Pr[\text{step}(m_{i-1}) = (a_i, m_i)]$ . A transition system is of height  $k \in \mathbb{N}$  if all its executions have length at most  $k$ : in this case,  $S$  is a distribution.

**Definition 4.** *Let O be an oracle system and A be an O-adversary. The composition*  $A \mid O$  *is a transition system such that*  $M = M_a \times M_o$ *, the initial memory is*  $(\bar{m_a}, \bar{m_o})$ *, the set of actions is*  $\sum$  = *Xch*,  $\sum$ <sub>*I*</sub> = *Xch*<sub>*I*</sub> and  $\sum$ <sub>*F*</sub> = *Xch*<sub>*F*</sub>, and

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$$
step_{A|O}(m_a, m_o) = \n( (o,q), m'_a) \leftarrow A(m_a); (a, m'_o) \leftarrow O_o(q, m_o); m''_a \leftarrow A_{\downarrow}( (o,q,a), m'_a);
$$
\n
$$
return ((o,q,a), (m''_a, m'_o))
$$

An adversary is called *k*-bounded if *A* | *O* is of height *k*. This means that *A* calls the finalization oracle after less than *k* interactions with *O*. *A* | *O* may be ill-defined for unbounded adversaries, since  $\text{step}_{A|O}(m_a, m_o)$  may be a sub-distribution. Throughout the paper, we only consider bounded adversaries, i.e. that are *k*-bounded for some *k*.

#### **A.3 Events**

Security properties abstract away from the state of adversaries and are modeled using traces. Informally, a trace  $\tau$  is an execution sequence  $\eta$  from which the adversary memories have been erased.

**Definition 5.** *Let O be an oracle system.*

 $-$  *A* partial trace is a sequence  $\tau$  of the form  $m_0 \xrightarrow{x_1} m_1 \xrightarrow{x_2} \cdots \xrightarrow{x_k} m_k$  where  $m_0...m_k \in M_o$  and  $x_1...x_k \in Xch$  such that  $Pr[O_{o_i}(q_i, m_{i-1}) = (a_i, m_i)] > 0$  for  $i = 1..k$  *and*  $x_i = (o_i, q_i, a_i)$ *. A trace is a partial trace*  $\tau$  *such that*  $m_0 = \bar{m_o}$ ,  $x_1 = (o_1, \ldots)$  *and*  $x_k = (o_F, \ldots).$ 

**–** *An O-event E is a predicate over O-traces, whereas an extended O-event E is a predicate over partial O-traces.*

The probability of an (extended) event is derived directly from the definition of *A* | *O*: since each execution sequence  $\eta$  induces a trace  $\mathcal{T}(\eta)$  simply by erasing the adversary memory at each step, one can define for each trace  $\tau$ , the set  $\mathcal{T}^{-1}(\tau)$  of execution sequences that are erased to  $\tau$ , and for every (generalized) event **E**, the probability:  $Pr[A \mid O : \mathbf{E}] = Pr[A \mid O : \mathcal{T}^{-1}(\mathbf{E})] = \sum_{\{\eta \in Excel(A \mid O)| \mathbf{E}(\mathcal{T}(\eta)) = \mathbf{True}\}} Pr[A \mid O : \eta].$ 

Constructions and proofs in CIL use several common operations on (extended) events and traces. First, one can define the conjunction, the disjunction, etc, of events. Moreover, one can define for every predicate P over  $Xch \times M_0 \times M_0$  the events "eventually *P*" *F<sup>P</sup>* and "always *P*" *G<sup>P</sup>* that correspond to *P* being satisfied by one step and all steps of the trace respectively.

Reduction-based arguments require that adversaries can partially simulate behaviors. In some cases, adversaries must test whether a predicate  $\varphi \subseteq Xch \times M_0 \times M_0$  holds for given values. Since the adversary has no access to the oracle memory, we say that  $\varphi$  is *testable* iff for all  $x, m_1, m'_1, m_2, m'_2$ , we have  $\varphi(x, m_1, m'_1)$  iff  $\varphi(x, m_2, m'_2)$  (that is  $\varphi$  depends only on the exchange).

Given two traces  $\tau$  and  $\tau'$ , we write  $\tau \mathcal{R} \tau'$  iff for every  $i \in [1, k]$ , we have  $m_i \mathcal{R} m'_i$ , where:  $\tau = m_0 \xrightarrow{x_1} m_1 \xrightarrow{x_2} \cdots \xrightarrow{x_k} m_k$  and  $\tau' = m'_0 \xrightarrow{x_1} m'_1 \xrightarrow{x_2} \cdots \xrightarrow{x_k} m'_k$ .

Moreover, we say that two events **E** and **E'** are R-compatible, written **E**R**E'**, iff  $\mathbf{E}(\tau)$  is equivalent to  $\mathbf{E}'(\tau')$  for every traces  $\tau$  and  $\tau'$  such that  $\tau \mathcal{R} \tau'$ .

# **B Computational Indistinguishability Logic**

#### **B.1 Statements and Rules**

As cryptographic proofs rely on assumptions, CIL manipulates sequents of the form  $\Delta \Rightarrow \omega$ , where  $\Delta$  is a set of statements (the assumptions) and  $\omega$  is a statement (the conclusion). Validity extends to sequents  $\Delta \Rightarrow \omega$  in the usual manner. Given a set  $\Delta$  of statements,  $\models \Delta$  iff  $\models \psi$  for every  $\psi \in \Delta$ . Then  $\Delta \models \omega$  iff  $\models \Delta$  implies  $\models \omega$ . For clarity and brevity, our presentation of CIL omits hypotheses and the standard structural and logical rules for sequent calculi.

**Theorem 2.** *Every sequent*  $\Delta \Rightarrow \varphi$  *provable in CIL is also valid, i.e.*  $\Delta \models \varphi$ *.* 

**Judgments.** CIL considers negligibility statements of the form  $O:_{\varphi}$  **E**, where **E** is an event. A statement  $O:_{\varphi} \mathbf{E}$  is valid, written  $\models O:_{\varphi} \mathbf{E}$ , iff for every  $(k, t)$ -adversary  $A, Pr(A | O : E) \leq \varepsilon(k,t).$ 

We also consider indistinguishability statements of the form  $O \sim_{\varepsilon} O'$ , where  $O$  and *O*' are compatible oracle systems which expect a boolean as result. A statement  $O ∼_ε O'$ is valid, written  $\models O \sim_{\varepsilon} O'$ , iff for every  $(k, t)$ -adversary *A*,

$$
|Pr[A | O: R = \text{True}] - Pr[A | O': R = \text{True}] | \le \varepsilon(k, t)
$$

where  $R = \textbf{True}$  is shorthand for  $F_{\lambda(\textit{o},q,a) \cdot \textit{o}=o_F \land q = \textbf{True}}$ .

Therefore, we formalize the indistinguishability of distributions yielded by systems under condition, the latter being written as an event of systems. Let **E** be an event of *O*

<span id="page-19-0"></span>a[nd](#page-19-1) *O'*[.](#page-19-2) A stat[em](#page-19-3)ent  $O \stackrel{\mathbf{E}}{\sim} _{\varepsilon} O'$  is valid, written  $\models O \stackrel{\mathbf{E}}{\sim} _{\varepsilon} O'$ , iff for every  $(k, t)$ -adversary *A*,

<span id="page-19-1"></span> $| Pr[A | O : R = \text{True} \wedge \mathbf{E} | - Pr[A | O' : R = \text{True} \wedge \mathbf{E} | | \leq \varepsilon(k,t)$ 

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**Rules.** On Figures (5), (6) and (7), we expose rules that support equational reasoning and consequence in Hoare logic, rules that were extended rules found during the conception of the proofs in this article, and rules that are used mainly in the proofs in this article. Let *O*, *O'* and *O*" be compatible oracle systems, **E**, **E**<sub>1</sub> and **E**<sub>2</sub> be events of *O*, *O'* and *O*", and  $\varphi$ ,  $\varphi_1$  and  $\varphi_2$  be step-predicates.

<span id="page-19-2"></span> $O \sim_{\varepsilon_i} \mathbf{E}_i (i \in I) \qquad \mathbf{E} \Rightarrow \bigvee$ *i*∈*I* **E***i*  $\overline{O}$  :  $\sum_{i \in I} \varepsilon_i$  **E** *UR*  $\frac{O : \varepsilon F_{\neg \varphi} \quad O \equiv_{\mathcal{R},\varphi} O'}{O \sim_{\varepsilon} O'} I \cdot Bis$  $\frac{O \leq_{\det,\gamma} O' \quad O:_\varepsilon \mathbf{E} \circ \pi}{O':_{\varepsilon} \mathbf{E}} \ B\text{-}Det\text{-}Left} \frac{O:_\varepsilon \mathbf{E} \circ C}{C[O]:_{\varepsilon'} \mathbf{E}} \ B\text{-}Sub} \frac{O:_\varepsilon \mathbf{E}_1 \wedge G_\varphi \quad O \equiv_{\mathcal{R},\varphi} O' \quad \mathbf{E}_1 \mathcal{R}\mathbf{E}_2}{O':_{\varepsilon} \mathbf{E}_2 \wedge G_\varphi}$  $O'$ :<sub>ε</sub> **E**<sub>2</sub>  $\wedge$  *G*<sub> $\varphi$ </sub> *B-BisG*  $O:_{\varepsilon_2}$  **E**<sub>2</sub>  $O':_{\varepsilon_1} F_{\neg \varphi}$   $O \equiv_{\mathcal{R}, \varphi} O'$  **E**<sub>1</sub> $\mathcal{R}$ **E**<sub>2</sub>  $O'$ :<sub> $\varepsilon_1+\varepsilon_2$ </sub> **E**<sub>1</sub> *UpToBad* **Fig. 5.** Classic rules

$$
\underbrace{O \xrightarrow{\mathbf{E}_2} O'}_{O \xrightarrow{\mathbf{E}_2} \to \mathbf{E}_1} O :_{\varepsilon_2} \mathbf{E}_1 \wedge \neg \mathbf{E}_2 \qquad O' :_{\varepsilon_2} \mathbf{E}_1 \wedge \neg \mathbf{E}_2 \qquad \text{URCd} \xrightarrow{O :_{\varepsilon'} F_{\varphi'}} \text{Fail2} \xrightarrow{O \xrightarrow{\mathbf{E}_1} O' \qquad O' \xrightarrow{\mathbf{E}_2} O''} \text{TrCd}
$$

<span id="page-19-3"></span>**Fig. 6.** Extended rules

$$
\frac{O:_{\varepsilon_1} F_{\varphi_1} \wedge G_{\varphi_2} O:_{\varepsilon_2} F_{\neg \varphi_2} O \equiv_{\mathcal{R}, \varphi_2} O'}{O':_{\varepsilon_1 + \varepsilon_2} F_{\varphi_1}} \xrightarrow{O \equiv_{\mathcal{R}, \varphi_2} O'} B \cdot Bis \cdot G \xrightarrow{O' :_{\varepsilon} F_{\neg \varphi_2} \wedge G_{\varphi_1} O \equiv_{\mathcal{R}, \varphi_2} O'} I \cdot Bis \cdot Cd
$$
\n
$$
\frac{O^{E_1 \wedge E_2} \varepsilon_2 O'}{O^{E_2 \wedge E_2} \varepsilon_2 O'} \xrightarrow{O :_{\varepsilon_1} \neg E_1 \wedge E_2} O' :_{\varepsilon_1} \neg E_1 \wedge E_2} \text{FTr}
$$

**Fig. 7.** Rules used in the proof (extended rules)

More precisely, CIL features a rule to compute an upper-bound on the probability of an event from the number of oracle calls, and from the probability that a single oracle call triggers that event. Let  $\varphi$  be a predicate on  $Xch \times M_0 \times M_0$  and define, for every  $o \in N_o$ , the probability  $\varepsilon_o$  as  $a \in Ans, m' \in M_o$  $Pr[O_o(q,m) = (a, m') \wedge \varphi((o,q,a), m, m')]$ .

For every  $o \in N_o$ , let  $k_o$  be the maximal number of queries to *o* and let  $\varepsilon = \sum_{o \in N_o} k_o \varepsilon_o$ . CIL features the rule  $\overline{O:_{\varepsilon} F_{\varphi}}$  *Fail*. But sometimes, this upper-bound is not enough convenient for the proof. We introduce another rule which keeps all the previous oracles calls triggerring the event when considering a single oracle call. CIL features the rule  $\overline{O:_{\varepsilon'} F_{\varphi}}^{\text{fail2}}$ , where  $\varepsilon' = \varepsilon \times \frac{(\sum_{o \in I} k_o)^2}{2}$  such that:

- **–** *ko* is the maximal number of queries of the oracle *o* and *n* is the cardinal of the set *No*
- $\sim$  *I* is the family of oracles that can ensure that the step-predicate  $\varphi$  can be satisfied: *o* can be an oracle in  $N_o \setminus I$  such that  $\varepsilon_o(k_{o_1}, \dots, k_{o_n}) = 0$  or an oracle in *I* such that  $\exists \varepsilon, \, \varepsilon_o(k_{o_1}, \dots, k_{o_n}) = \varepsilon \times \sum_{o' \in I} k_{o'}$

## **B.2 Contexts**

Informally, a context *C* is an intermediary between an oracle system *O* and adversaries. One can compose a *O*-context *C* with *O* to obtain a new oracle system *C*[*O*] and with a  $C[O]$ -adversary to obtain a new  $O$ -adversary  $C \parallel A$ . Moreover, one can show that the systems  $C \parallel A \parallel O$  and  $A \parallel C \parallel O \parallel$  coincide in a precise mathematical sense. Despite its seemingly naivety, the relationship captures many reduction arguments used in cryptographic proofs and yields CIL rules that allow proving many schemes.

The definition of contexts is very similar to that of oracle systems, except that procedures are implemented by two functions: one that transfers calls from the adversary to the oracles and another one that tranfers answers from the oracles to the adversary (possibly after some computations).

#### **Definition 6.** *An O-context C is given by:*

- $-$  *sets*  $M_c$  *of context memories, an initial memory*  $\bar{m}_c$  *and*  $N_c$  *of procedures*
- $-$  *for every*  $c \in N_c$ , a query domain  $In(c)$ , an answer domain  $Out(c)$  and two func*tions*  $C_{\vec{\sigma}}$  :  $In(c) \times M_c \rightarrow D(Que \times M_c)$  and  $C_{\vec{\sigma}}$  :  $In(c) \times Xch \times M_c \rightarrow D(Out(c) \times$ *Mc*)*.*
- $-$  *distinguished initialization and finalization procedures*  $c_I$  *and*  $c_F$  *such that*  $In(c_I)$  $Out(c_F) = 1$ , and for all x and  $m_c$ , range $(C_{\overrightarrow{C}}(x,m_c))(\lambda((o,-),\overrightarrow{c}).\sigma = o_I)$  and  $range(C_{\overrightarrow{CF}}(x, m_c))(\lambda((o, \_), \_).o = o_F).$  We let  $Res_c = In(c_F).$

*An indistinguishability context is an <i>O*-context *C* such that  $Res_{c} = Res$  and  $C_{\overrightarrow{CF}}(r,m) =$  $\delta$ <sub>((r,oF)</sub>,*m*) *for all r and m*.

The sets *Quec* of context queries, *Ansc* of context answers and *Xchc* of context exchanges are defined similarly to oracle systems. An *O*-context can be composed with the oracle system *O* or with any *O*-adversary *A*, yielding a new oracle system *C*[*O*] or a new adversary  $C \parallel A$ . We begin by defining the composition of a context and an oracle system.

**Definition 7.** *The application of an O-context C to O defines an oracle system C*[*O*] *such that:*

- $-$  *the set of memories is*  $M_c \times M_o$  *and the initial memory is*  $(\bar{m}_c, \bar{m}_o)$
- **–** *the oracles are the procedures of C and their query and answer domains are given by C. The initialization and finalization oracles are the initialization and finalization procedures of C*
- **–** *the implementation of an oracle c is:*  $\lambda(q_c, (m_c, m_o))$ .  $((o, q_o), m'_c) \leftarrow C_{\overrightarrow{C}}(q_c, m_c)$ ;  $(a_o, m'_o) \leftarrow O_o(q_o, m_o)$ ;  $(a_c, m''_c) \leftarrow C_{\overleftarrow{C}}(q_c, (o, q_o, a_o), m'_c)$ ; *return*  $(a_c, (m''_c, m'_o))$

*where* ·←· *notation is used for monadic composition and "return" is used for returning the result of the function.*

The composition of an adversary with a context is slightly more subtle and requires that the new adversary stores the current query in its state.

**Definition 8.** *The application of an O-context C to a C*[*O*]*-adversary A defines an*  $O$ *-adversary*  $C \parallel A$  *such that:* 

- <span id="page-21-0"></span> $-$  *the set of memories is*  $M_c \times M_a \times Q$ *ue<sub>c</sub> and the initial memory is*  $(\bar{m}_c, \bar{m}_a, \bar{m}_a)$
- **–** *the transition function is:*  $\lambda(m_c, m_a, ...)$ .  $((c, q_c), m'_a) \leftarrow A(m_a)$ ;  $((o, q), m'_c) \leftarrow C_{\overrightarrow{c}}(q_c, m_c)$ ; return  $((o, q), (m'_c, m'_a, (o, q)))$
- **–** *the update function is:*  $\lambda((m_c, m_a, (o_c, q_c)), (o_o, q_o, a_o))$ .  $(a_c, m_c') \leftarrow C_{\overleftarrow{c}}(q_c, (o_o, q_o, a_o), m_c)$ ; return  $(m_c', A_{\downarrow}((o_c, q_c, a_c), m_a), -)$

#### **Context** *CDH* **Used in the Proofs**

*CDH Assumption in G*

Let  $G = \langle q \rangle$  be a finite cyclic group of order a *l*-bit prime number q, where the operation is denoted multiplicatively. We give an oracle system *CDH* such that:

- **–** the memories map the variable *g* to the values in *G* and the variables *α* and *β* to the values  $[1..(q-1)]$ ;
- **–** for one such variable *g*, the initialization oracle draws uniformly at random values for  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  and outputs  $(g^{\alpha}, g^{\beta})$ ;
- **–** the finalization oracle takes as input an element of *G* (in addition to a memory).

Bounding the number of calls of the adversary to the oracles is irrevelant. Let  $\mathbf{1}_k$  be the function mapping  $o_I$  and  $o_F$  to 1. Given a negligible function  $\varepsilon$ , the  $\varepsilon$  − *CDH* assumption holds for the group *G* iff for all  $(\mathbf{1}_k, t)$ -adversary, we have  $\varepsilon$  – *CDH*  $\vdash$ oracle  $CDH:_{\varepsilon(1_k,t)} R = 1$ .

*Notation:* Given  $g, x \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_q^*$  and  $y \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_q^*$ , let  $CDH(g^x, g^y) = g^{xy}$ .

*Formalization of CDH assumption:* We define an oracle system *CDH* to capture the game played by an adversary to find the Diffie-Hellman instance  $(A, B)$ . We implement this oracle as follows:

 $\text{Imp}_{CDH}(o_I)(g) =$   $\text{Imp}_{CDH}(o_F)(x) =$  $\alpha_0 \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_q^*$   $\beta_0 \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_q^*$ *if*  $x = CDH(A, B)$  then return **1** return (*A,B*) else return **0** endif

# *Context of CDH Assumption*

For this part, we write the game  $O_4^1$  as a context *C* of *CDH*. We simulate the oracles using the random self-reducibility of the Diffie-Hellman problem, given one *CDH* instance (*A,B*).



#### **B.3 Bisimulation**

Game-based proofs often proceed by transforming an oracle system into an equivalent one, or in case of imperfect simulation into a system that is equivalent up to some bad event. We reason in terms of probabilistic transition systems, using a mild extension of the standard notion of bisimulation. More specifically, we define the notion of bisimulation-up-to, where two probabilistic transition systems are bisimilar until the failure of a condition on their transitions. The definition of bisimulation is recovered by considering bisimulation-up-to the constant predicate **True**.

Let *O* and *O'* be two compatible oracle systems. For every oracle name, we let  $\hat{M}$ be  $M_o + M'_o$  and for every  $o \in N_o$ , we let  $\hat{O}_o$  be the disjoint sum of  $O_o$  and  $O'_o$ , i.e.  $\hat{O}_o$ :  $In(o) \times \hat{M} \to D(Out(o) \times \hat{M})$ . We write  $m \xrightarrow{(x,y)} > 0$  *m'* iff  $Pr[\hat{O}_o(q, m_i) = (a, m'_i)] > 0$ .

**Definition 9.** Let  $\varphi \subseteq Xch \times \hat{M} \times \hat{M}$  and let  $\mathcal{R} \subseteq \hat{M} \times \hat{M}$  be an equivalence relation. O  $and$  *O*  $'$  are bisimilar-up-to  $\varphi$ , written  $O \equiv_{\mathcal{R},\varphi} O'$ , iff  $\bar{m} \mathcal{R} \bar{m'}$ , and for all  $m_1 \xrightarrow{(o,q,a)} > 0$  $m'_1$  and  $m_2 \xrightarrow{(o,q,a)}_{\geq 0} m'_2$  such that  $m_1 \mathcal{R} m_2$ :

- $\rightarrow$  *Stability: if*  $m'_1 \mathcal{R}m'_2$  then  $\varphi((o,q,a),m_1,m'_1) \Leftrightarrow \varphi((o,q,a),m_2,m'_2)$ ;
- $P$  *Compatibility: if*  $\varphi((o,q,a),m_1,m'_1)$  *then*  $Pr[\hat{O}_o(q,m_1) \in (a,C)] = Pr[\hat{O}_o(q,m_2) \in (a,C)]$  $(a, C)$  where *C* is the equivalence class of  $m'_1$  under  $\mathcal{R}$ .

Bisimulations are closely related to obversational equivalence and relational Hoare logic, and allow to justify proofs by simulations. Besides, bisimulations-up-to subsume the Fundamental Lemma of Victor Shoup. Then, we introduce an extension of this concept, taking account of a particular equivalence relation included in a more restricted set of memories.

**Definition 10.** Let  $\varphi' \subseteq \hat{M}$  and let  $\hat{M}_{\varphi'} = \{m \in \hat{M} \mid \varphi'(m)\}\)$ . Let  $\varphi \subseteq Xch \times \hat{M} \times \hat{M}$ *and let*  $\mathcal{R} \subseteq \hat{M}_{\varphi} \times \hat{M}_{\varphi}$  *be an equivalence relation.* 

<span id="page-23-0"></span> $O$  *and*  $O'$  *are bisimilar-up-to*  $\varphi$ *, written*  $O \equiv R, \varphi O'$ *, iff for all*  $\bar{m}, \bar{m'}, m_1, m_2, m'_1, m'_2$  $\hat{M}_{\varphi'}$  such that  $\bar{m}R\bar{m'}$ , and for  $m_1 \xrightarrow{(o,q,a)}$  >  $\sim 0$   $m'_1$  and  $m_2 \xrightarrow{(o,q,a)}$  >  $\sim 0$   $m'_2$  such that  $m_1Rm_2$ 

- $\rightarrow$  *Stability: if*  $m'_1 \mathcal{R}m'_2$  then  $\varphi((o,q,a),m_1,m'_1) \Leftrightarrow \varphi((o,q,a),m_2,m'_2)$ ;
- *Compatibility: if*  $\varphi((o,q,a),m_1,m'_1)$  *then*  $Pr[\hat{O}_o(q,m_1) \in (a,C)] = Pr[\hat{O}_o(q,m_2) \in$  $(a, C)$  where *C* is the equivalence class of  $m'_1$  under  $\mathcal{R}$ .

## **B.4 Determinization**

Bisimulation is stronger than language equivalence, and can not always be used to hope from one game to another. In particular, bisimulation can not be used for eager/lazy sampling, or for extending the internal state of the oracle system. The goal of this section is to introduce a general construction, inspired from the subset construction for determinizing automata, to justify such transitions. We consider two oracles systems *O* and *O*<sup> $\prime$ </sup> and assume that states  $m' \in M_{o'}$  can be seen as pairs  $(m, m'') \in M_o \times M_{o''}.$ 

There are two ways to compute the probability to end up  $(m, m)$  for a fixed  $m$ " knowing that the step starts with a state of first component *m*. The first is to perform the exchange in *O* and then draw  $m^{\prime\prime}$  according to a distribution  $\gamma$ . The second is to look at all possible  $m$ " which  $\gamma$  map to  $m$  and then to perform the exchange in  $O'$ . Imposing the equality between these two ways of computing probabilities is going to compel the same equality to hold for steps, which in turn propagates to traces.

**Definition 11.** Let *O* and *O'* be compatible oracle systems. *O* determinizes *O'* by  $\gamma$ :  $M_o \to D(M_o)$ , written  $O \leq_{det,\gamma} O'$ , iff  $M_o \times M_o$ " =  $M'_o$  and there exists  $\bar{m}_o$ " such that  $(\bar{m}_o, \bar{m}_o) = \bar{m}'_o$ , and  $\gamma(\bar{m}_o) = \delta_{\bar{m}_o}$ , and  $Pr[\gamma(m_2 = m_2)]p_1 = \sum_{m_1, m_2 \in M_0} Pr[\gamma(m_1 = m_1)]$  $m_1$ "] $p_2(m_1$ ") *for all*  $m_1, m_2 \in M_o$ ,  $m_1$ ",  $m_2$ "  $\in M_o$ ", where  $p_1 = Pr[O(o_c, q, m_1) =$  $(a, m_2)$ ] *and*  $p_2(m_1") = Pr[O'(o_c, q, (m_1, m_1")) = (a, (m_2, m_2"))].$ 

We define a projection function  $\pi$  from  $O'$ -traces to  $O$ -traces by extending the projection from  $M_0 \times M_0$ " to  $M_0$ .

# **C Proofs for Extended Rules**

## **C.1 Proof of the Rule Fail2**

Lemma 1. *Rule Fail2 defined as follows is sound: Fϕ Fail2 where*  $\varepsilon' = \varepsilon \times \frac{(\sum_{o \in I} k_o)^2}{2}$  *and* 

- **–** *ko is the maximal number of queries of the oracle o and n is the cardinal of the set No*
- $\overline{\phantom{a}}$  *I* is the family of oracles that can ensure that the step-predicate  $\varphi$  can be satisfied: *o can be an oracle in*  $N_o \setminus I$  *such that*  $\varepsilon_o(k_{o_1}, \dots, k_{o_n}) = 0$  *or an oracle in I such that*  $\exists \varepsilon, \varepsilon_o(k_{o_1}, \dots, k_{o_n}) = \varepsilon \times \sum_{o' \in I} k_{o'}$
- **Proof.** Let *A* be a  $(k, t)$ -adversary for oracle system *O*. Let  $\varphi$  be a step-predicate in  $Xch \times \hat{M} \times \hat{M}$ . We denote by *T* the set of traces satisfying  $F_\varphi$ . We recall that the event "eventually  $\varphi$ ", written  $F_{\varphi}$ , means  $\varphi$  being satisfied at *one* step of a trace. Let *I* be the family of oracles *o* that can ensure that the step-predicate  $\varphi$  can be satisfied,  $I \subseteq N_o$ . We define *n* as the cardinal of the set  $N_o$  and for one oracle  $o \in N_o$ ,  $k_o$  is the maximal number of its queries.

Let the trace  $\tau$  in *T* be the sequence of the form  $m_0 \xrightarrow{x_1} m_1 \xrightarrow{x_2} \cdots \xrightarrow{x_l} m_l$  where  $m_0, \dots, m_l \in M_o$  and  $x_1, \dots, x_l \in Xch$  such that  $Pr[O_{o_i}(q_i, m_{i-1}) = (a_i, m_i)] > 0$ for  $i = 1, \dots, l$  and  $x_i = (o_i, q_i, a_i)$ . Therefore, there exists one  $m_{i_0}$  such that  $\varphi$ becomes satisfied, where  $i_0 \in [1, \dots, l].$ 

We write two hypothesis:

- **–** let *o* be an oracle in *N*<sub>*o*</sub></sub> $\setminus$ *I* such that  $\exists \epsilon$ *,*  $\cdot \cdot \cdot$  *ko*<sub>1</sub>  $\cdot \cdot \cdot$  *ko*<sub>*n*</sub>  $\cdot \cdot \cdot$  *ko*<sub>*n*</sub>
- **–** let *o* be an oracle in *I* such that ∃*ε*, *εo*(*ko*<sup>1</sup> *,*··· *, ko<sup>n</sup>* ) =  $\max_{k_o \text{ queries}} Pr[O_o(q, m_{l-1}) = (a, m_l)] = \varepsilon \times \sum_{o' \in I} k_{o'}$  s.t. we denote {*τ*∈*T*|*k<sup>o</sup>* queries} *ε* as the maximal number common to all oracles in *I*

First, we divide traces of set *T* in subgroups using equivalence relation. Two traces are related iff  $\varphi$  is true *for the first time* at step *i* for a query to oracle *o*. Classes are denoted  $C(i, o, j)$ , where  $j = \sum_{o' \in I} k_{o'}$  is the number of good queries (i.e. the queries to oracles in *I*), and realize a partition of *T*.

Second, we let  $\mathcal T$  be the projection mapping sequences of steps to partial traces (see for more details Section 2.4). Then, by definition, the probability that a system yields a trace  $\tau$  is the sum of the probabilities that the system yields execution  $\eta$ projecting to  $\tau$ , which we write  $Pr[A | O : \tau] = \sum_{\{\eta \in Excel(A|O) | \mathcal{T}(\eta) = \tau\}} Pr[A | O : \eta]$ . Let  $\tau \in C(i, o, j)$ . We define Pref $(\eta, i)$  as the prefix of length *i* of partial execution *η*, and  $\eta[i]$  its *i*-th step. Then, we have:

$$
\sum_{\tau \in C(i, o, j)} Pr[A \mid O : \tau] = \sum_{\{\tau \in C(i, o, j)\mid \mathcal{T}(\eta) = \tau\}} Pr[A \mid O : \eta] \le \sum_{\{\tau \in C(i, o, j)\mid \mathcal{T}(\eta) = \tau\}} Pr[A \mid O : \text{Pref}(\eta, i)]
$$
\n
$$
= \sum_{\{\tau \in C(i, o, j)\mid \mathcal{T}(\eta) = \tau\}} Pr[A \mid O : \text{Pref}(\eta, i-1)]. Pr[A \mid O : \eta[i]]
$$
\n
$$
= \sum_{\{\tau \in C(i, o, j)\mid \mathcal{T}(\eta) = \tau\mid \mathcal{T}(\eta[i]) = ((o, q, a), m, m')\}} Pr[A \mid O : \text{Pref}(\eta, i-1)]. Pr[O_o(q, m) = (a, m')]
$$
\neither\n
$$
\le \sum_{\{\tau \in C(i, o, j)\mid \mathcal{T}(\eta) = \tau\mid \mathcal{T}(\eta[i]) = ((o, q, a), m, m')\}} Pr[A \mid O : \text{Pref}(\eta, i-1)] \times j \in \mathcal{S} \text{ is if } o \in I
$$
\n
$$
\le \sum_{\{\tau \in C(i, o, j)\mid \mathcal{T}(\eta) = \tau\mid \mathcal{T}(\eta[i]) = ((o, q, a), m, m')\}} Pr[A \mid O : \text{Pref}(\eta, i-1)] \times 0 = 0 \text{ if } o \notin I
$$

Then, we use the fact that equivalence class forms a partition to conclude:

$$
Pr[A \mid O: F_{\varphi}] = \sum_{\tau \in T} Pr[A \mid O: \tau] \sum_{i, o, j} \sum_{\tau \in C(i, o, j)} Pr[A \mid O: \tau] \leq \sum_{o \in I, j} j \cdot \varepsilon = \sum_{o \in I} \left( \sum_{o' \in I} k_{o'} \right) \cdot \varepsilon \leq \varepsilon \times \frac{(\sum_{o \in I} k_{o})^2}{2}
$$

## **C.2 Proof of the Rule I-BisCd**

**Lemma 2.** We consider two compatible oracle systems O and  $O'$ . Let  $\varphi_1$  and  $\varphi_2$  be *two step-predicates in*  $\hat{M}$  *and*  $Xch \times \hat{M} \times \hat{M}$  respectively. The following rule is sound:

$$
\frac{O':\varepsilon F_{\neg \varphi_2} \wedge G_{\varphi_1} \qquad O \stackrel{\varphi_1}{\equiv} \mathcal{R},\varphi_2 O'}{O \stackrel{G_{\varphi_1}}{\sim} \varepsilon O'} I\text{-}BisCd
$$

**Proof.** We introduce the equivalence relation  $\mathcal{R}$  such that for two states  $m$  and  $m'$  in  $\hat{M}_{\varphi_1}$ , we have  $m\mathcal{R}m'$  and  $\varphi_1(m) \wedge \varphi_1(m')$ , where the step-predicate  $\varphi_1$  is in  $\hat{M}$  (i.e.  $\varphi_1$  steps in over the memories but not over the actions in *Xch*). We recall that  $R = \textbf{True} \land G_{\varphi_1} \land G_{\varphi_2}$  is a compatible event. We decompose the set of traces created by *A* | *O* and *A* | *O'* and verifying  $G_{\varphi_1} \wedge G_{\varphi_2}$  into distinct classes of equivalence of a finite number of executions  $\sigma_1, \cdots, \sigma_m$ , resulting in  $Pr[A \mid O:$  $R = \textbf{True} \wedge G_{\varphi_1} \wedge G_{\varphi_2} = \sum_{i=1}^m Pr[A \mid O : C_O(\sigma_i)] = \sum_{i=1}^m Pr[A \mid O' : C_{O'}(\sigma_i)] =$  $Pr[A \mid O': R = \text{True} \land G_{\varphi_1} \land G_{\varphi_2}].$  Then, we conclude the rule I-BisCd since:

$$
Pr[A | O : R = \text{True} \land G_{\varphi_1}] - Pr[A | O' : R = \text{True} \land G_{\varphi_1}]
$$
  
= 
$$
Pr[A | O : R = \text{True} \land G_{\varphi_1} \land F_{\neg \varphi_2}] - Pr[A | O' : R = \text{True} \land G_{\varphi_1} \land F_{\neg \varphi_2}]
$$
  

$$
\leq max(Pr[A | O : R = \text{True} \land G_{\varphi_1} \land F_{\neg \varphi_2}], Pr[A | O' : R = \text{True} \land G_{\varphi_1} \land F_{\neg \varphi_2}])
$$

## **C.3 Proof of the Rule B-BisG2**

**Lemma 3.** *We consider two compatible oracle systems O and O . Let ϕ*1 *and ϕ*2 *be two step-predicates in*  $Xch \times \hat{M} \times \hat{M}$ . The following rule is sound:

$$
\frac{O:_{\varepsilon_1} F_{\varphi_1} \wedge G_{\varphi_2} O:_{\varepsilon_2} F_{\neg \varphi_2} O \equiv_{\mathcal{R}, \varphi_2} O'}{O':_{\varepsilon_1 + \varepsilon_2} F_{\varphi_1}} \, B \cdot Bis G \mathcal{Z}
$$

**Proof.** Let  $\varphi_1$  and  $\varphi_2$  be step-predicates in  $Xch \times \hat{M} \times \hat{M}$ . The rule B-BisG2 is obtained from the combination of the rule B-BisG and a variation of this latter rule:

$$
\frac{O:_{\varepsilon_1} F_{\varphi_1} \wedge G_{\varphi_2} O \equiv_{\mathcal{R}, \varphi_2} O'}{O':_{\varepsilon_1} F_{\varphi_1} \wedge G_{\varphi_2}} B \text{-} BisG \frac{O:_{\varepsilon_2} \text{True} \wedge F_{\neg \varphi_2} O \equiv_{\mathcal{R}, \varphi_2} O'}{O':_{\varepsilon_2} \text{True} \wedge F_{\neg \varphi_2}} B \text{-} BisG\text{-}variation}
$$

We are allowed to conclude since  $O' : \varepsilon_1 F_{\varphi_1} \wedge G_{\varphi_2}$  and  $O' : \varepsilon_2 F_{\neg \varphi_2}$ .