






# Anamorphic Authenticated Key Exchange: Double Key Distribution under Surveillance

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**Abstract.** Anamorphic encryptions and anamorphic signatures assume a double key pre-shared between two parties so as to enable the transmission of covert messages. How to securely and efficiently distribute a double key under the dictator’s surveillance is a central problem for anamorphic cryptography, especially when the users are forced to surrender their long-term secret keys or even the randomness used in the algorithms to the dictator.

In this paper, we propose Anamorphic Authentication Key Exchange (AM-AKE) to solve the problem. Similar to anamorphic encryption, AM-AKE contains a set of anamorphic algorithms besides the normal algorithms. With the help of the anamorphic algorithms in AM-AKE, the initiator and the responder are able to exchange not only a session key but also a double key. We define robustness and security notions for AM-AKE, and also prove some impossibility results on plain AM-AKE whose anamorphic key generation algorithm only outputs a key-pair. To bypass the impossibility results, we work on two sides.

- On the one side, for plain AM-AKE, the securities have to be relaxed to resist only passive attacks from the dictator. Under this setting, we propose a generic construction of two-pass plain AM-AKE from a two-pass AKE with partially randomness-recoverable algorithms.
- On the other side, we consider (non-plain) AM-AKE whose key generation algorithm also outputs an auxiliary trapdoor besides the key-pairs. We ask new properties from AKE: its key generation algorithm has secret extractability and other algorithms have separability. Based on such a two-pass AKE, we propose a generic construction of two-pass (non-plain) AM-AKE. The resulting AM-AKE enjoys not only robustness but also the strong security against any dictator knowing both users’ secret keys and even the internal randomness of the AKE algorithms and implementing active attacks.

Finally, we present concrete AM-AKE schemes from the popular SIG+KEM paradigm and three-KEM paradigm for constructing AKE.

## 1 Introduction

Cryptography provides fundamental technical tools for achieving authenticity and confidentiality in our daily electronic data communications. For a cryptographic algorithm to work, it is critical that the underlying secret key is not compromised by the adversary. However, an authority dictator may force citizens to surrender their secret keys, and as a result, cryptographic algorithms may completely lose their functionalities of authenticity and confidentiality.

To save cryptographic functionalities in face of dictator, the so-called anamorphic algorithms were introduced [22,15,26,1,5].

**Anamorphic Algorithms Supported by Double Key.** In [22], Persiano, Phan, and Yung proposed the concept of anamorphic encryption (AME), which is partitioned into receiver-AME and sender-AME depending on whether the receivers are forced to surrender their secret keys or the senders are forced to send designated messages. As for receiver-AME, it is a public-key encryption (PKE) deployed either in normal model with (Gen, Enc, Dec) or in the anamorphic mode with (aGen, aEnc, aDec). In the anamorphic mode, the receiver initially generates an anamorphic key-pair ( $\text{ask}, \text{apk}$ ) and a *double key*  $\text{dk}$  via aGen. Any sender who shares  $\text{dk}$  with the receiver is able to use  $\text{apk}$  and  $\text{dk}$  to encrypt not only a normal plaintext  $m$  but also a covert plaintext  $\hat{m}$ . The anamorphic public key  $\text{apk}$  and the resulting anamorphic ciphertext  $\hat{c}$  should be indistinguishable from the normal public key  $\text{pk}$  and normal ciphertext  $c$  to the dictator who also obtains the corresponding secret key. With the knowledge of secret key, the dictator can always decrypt the ciphertext to learn  $m$ , but the covert message  $\hat{m}$  remains hidden owing to the secrecy of the double key  $\text{dk}$ .

Later, Kutyłowski et al. extended anamorphic encryption to anamorphic signature [15], where a signing party can use the anamorphic signing key  $\text{ask}$  and the double key  $\text{dk}$  to send undetectable secure messages using signature tags which are indistinguishable from regular tags for the dictator who sees the signing key  $\text{ask}$  but not the double key  $\text{dk}$ .

The original anamorphic schemes bind  $\text{dk}$  to the anamorphic key pair ( $\text{apk}, \text{ask}$ ). Once the public key is deployed, it is not possible to associate the public key with a double key. This limitation is lifted in [1] by allowing double keys to be created independently of key-pairs, which makes it possible to create double keys at anytime even after the public key is deployed.

**Double Key Distribution.** The double key  $\text{dk}$  is essential to anamorphic encryption and anamorphic signature, whose security relies on the secrecy of  $\text{dk}$  (to the dictator). Now the crucial problem is how to secretly distribute the double key  $\text{dk}$  between sender and receiver in face of the dictator who may obtain the secret key of all users. The offline physical delivery of  $\text{dk}$  is expensive and even infeasible in the Internet era. In [22], a two-step bootstrap method in [12] was suggested for distributing  $\text{dk}$  secretly: Superficially, two parties send to each other abundant ciphertexts generated by a PKE scheme. Covertly, they implement a key-exchange (KE) protocol. Each ciphertext from PKE embeds a tiny piece of the pseudo-random transcript of KE. If they can collect the complete

transcript of KE, they can compute a common  $dk$ . This method is very inefficient, since its embedding rate is very low. Even worse, this method is too fragile to be practical, since the parties have to collect all these ciphertexts (e.g., hundreds or even thousands of ciphertexts) to recover the KE transcripts, and any active attack or transmission disordering will ruin the distribution of  $dk$ . Another possible way for double key distribution might be via sender-AME [26]. However, sender-AME does not allow the dictator to obtain the users' secret keys, which is not compatible to the security settings considered by other anamorphic schemes like receiver-AME or anamorphic signature, and thus this method seems hardly useful for distributing double keys for those anamorphic schemes. Therefore, a natural and important question is:

*How to distribute double keys  $dk$  in a secure and efficient way under the surveillance of the dictator?*

Our answer to the question is *Anamorphic Authenticated Key Exchange*.

### 1.1 Our Contributions

In this paper, we initiate the study of Anamorphic Authenticated Key Exchange (AM-AKE) and formalize security requirements for it, including robustness, indistinguishability of working modes (IND-WM) and pseudo-randomness of double keys (PR-DK). Then we provide impossibility results and possibility results on achieving secure AM-AKE. In particular, we show that two popular paradigms for constructing AKE are good candidates for obtaining AM-AKE: the first one is the signed Diffie-Hellman paradigm [19] which uses a digital signature scheme (SIG) and a key encapsulation mechanism (KEM), referred to as the SIG+KEM paradigm in this paper, and the second one is the three-KEM paradigm [20] which invokes KEM three times. Actually, many existing AKE schemes are designed following these paradigms, such as the IKE protocol [11], the protocol used in TLS 1.3 [23], the 2KEM+Diffie-Hellman protocol [4] and more in [13,17,10,21,27,8]. For efficiency consideration, we focus on two-pass AM-AKE.

**Syntax, Robustness and Security Notions of AM-AKE.** We define two-pass AM-AKE with AKE's normal algorithms and a set of anamorphic algorithms. With the normal algorithms, a session key  $K$  is agreed between the initiator and the responder. With the anamorphic ones, both a session key  $K$  and a double key  $dk$  are agreed between the initiator and the responder.

To make AM-AKE useful, we define initiator-robustness (resp., responder-robustness) as the initiator's (resp., responder's) capability of telling whether its partner is working with the normal or anamorphic algorithms. The robustness helps the party invalidate its double key when its partner works with normal algorithms (i.e., its partner has no intention to share any double key).

As for security, we define indistinguishability between parties' different working modes (IND-WM security) against the dictator who possesses the secret keys of all the parties, the session keys, and even the states of the initiator in any

completed AKE sessions, and is permitted to conduct active attacks. This ensures that the dictator cannot realize that the parties are actually invoking anamorphic algorithms to establish double keys. For such a dictator, we also define pseudo-randomness of the double keys (PR-DK security) to capture that the dictator learns no information about the double keys. This guarantees that the pseudo-random double keys can be later used in anamorphic encryption or signature schemes to transmit covert messages.

We also consider *strong security* notions of IND-WM and PR-DK, denoted by  $\text{sIND-WM}$  and  $\text{sPR-DK}$  respectively.  $\text{sIND-WM}$  and  $\text{sPR-DK}$  are defined similar to IND-WM and PR-DK, but they deal with a stronger dictator who not only implements passive and active attacks, obtains secret keys of the parties, the session keys and the internal states, but also forces the parties to surrender their internal randomness used in AKE sessions.

**Impossibility Results for Plain AM-AKE.** For a *plain* AM-AKE where the output of the anamorphic key generation algorithm  $\text{aGen}$  only contains an anamorphic key-pair  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask})$ , we prove three impossibility results.

- It’s impossible for a two-pass plain AM-AKE to achieve responder-robustness.
- It’s impossible for a plain AM-AKE to achieve both initiator-robustness and IND-WM security, due to the dictator’s active attacks of impersonating the initiator with its secret key to test the working mode of its partner.
- It’s impossible for a plain AM-AKE to achieve PR-DK security under active attacks, since the dictator can impersonate any party with its secret key to agree on a double key.

**Generic Construction of Plain AM-AKE with Relaxed Security.** To bypass the impossibility results, we relax the security requirements for plain AM-AKE by restricting the active attacks by adversary. The relaxed IND-WM security excludes the attacks of impersonating the initiator, while the relaxed PR-DK security excludes the attacks of impersonating either the initiator or the responder. Then we propose a generic construction of plain AM-AKE achieving initiator-robustness, the relaxed IND-WM and PR-DK security from any AKE with partially randomness-recoverable algorithms. We prove that those AKE under the SIG+KEM paradigm and those under the three-KEM paradigm are both good candidates, as long as the underlying SIG and/or KEM schemes are randomness-recoverable.

**Generic Construction of Robust AM-AKE with Strong Security.** Recall that the impossibility results apply to plain AM-AKE, so another possible way of bypassing the impossibility is designing *non-plain* AM-AKE, where the anamorphic key generation algorithm  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask}, \text{aux}) \leftarrow \text{aGen}$  outputs a related auxiliary trapdoor  $\text{aux}$  along with the anamorphic key-pair  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask})$ . We note that  $\text{aux}$  is only kept by the party who generates it and does not need to share it with others. In other words, we do not require the parties pre-share any prior information anyway.

To construct such AM-AKE, we require *secret extractability* for  $\text{aGen}$  which enables the initiator and the responder to agree on a common secret  $s$  computed

from the auxiliary trapdoor  $\text{aux}$  of one party and the public key  $\text{apk}'$  of the other party. Then we propose a generic construction of AM-AKE achieving the strong IND-WM and strong PR-DK security from any AKE whose algorithm  $\text{Gen}$  is secret extractable. We prove that those AKE under the SIG+KEM paradigm and those under the three-KEM paradigm are both good candidates, as long as the underlying SIG and/or KEM schemes have secret extractable key generation algorithm.

## 1.2 Technique Overview

For a two-pass AKE scheme  $\text{AKE} = (\text{Gen}, \text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{DerI})$ , the key generation algorithm  $\text{Gen}$  returns a key-pair  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk})$ , the initialization algorithm  $\text{Init}$  computes the first-pass message  $\text{msg}_i$ , the derivation algorithm  $\text{DerR}$  for responder derives the second-pass message  $\text{msg}_r$  and the session key  $K_r$ , and the derivation algorithm  $\text{DerI}$  for initiator derives the session key  $K_i$ . For AM-AKE, it additionally has a set of anamorphic algorithms  $(\text{aGen}, \text{aInit}, \text{aDerR}, \text{aDerI})$  for deriving double keys (and session keys as well). Let  $P_i$  and  $P_r$  denote the initiator and responder respectively.

**Impossibility Results for Plain AM-AKE.** Roughly speaking, AM-AKE is called a plain one, if the anamorphic key generation algorithm  $\text{aGen}$  only outputs an anamorphic key-pair  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask})$ . For a plain AM-AKE, the parties will have no advantage over the dictator who owns their key-pairs as well, leading to the consequence that the dictator can impersonate any party to conduct active attacks. So we have the following impossibility results on plain AM-AKE.

- It's impossible for a two-pass plain AM-AKE to achieve responder-robustness. The responder-robustness means that  $P_r$  can decide whether  $P_i$  invokes normal algorithms or anamorphic algorithms upon receiving the first-pass message from  $P_i$ . Note that the adversary who obtains the secret key of  $P_r$  can also make the same judgement, thus distinguishing the working mode of  $P_i$  and breaking the security of AM-AKE.
- It's impossible for a plain AM-AKE to achieve both initiator-robustness and IND-WM security. With the secret key of  $P_i$ , the adversary can impersonate  $P_i$  to generate an anamorphic message  $\text{amsmsg}_i$ , send it to  $P_r$ , and receive a second-pass message from  $P_r$ . Note that the initiator-robustness ensures that the adversary who obtains the secret key of  $P_i$  can decide whether  $P_r$  invokes normal algorithms or anamorphic algorithms, thus breaking the IND-WM security of AM-AKE.
- It's impossible for a plain AM-AKE to achieve the PR-DK security under active attacks. Similarly, the adversary can impersonate  $P_i$  by sending  $\text{amsmsg}_i$  to  $P_r$ , and compute its double key  $\text{dk}_i$  upon receiving anamorphic message  $\text{amsmsg}_r$  from  $P_r$ . Note that the correctness of AM-AKE ensures the consistency of double keys  $\text{dk}_i = \text{dk}_r$ , and thus the adversary trivially knows  $P_r$ 's double key  $\text{dk}_r$  ( $= \text{dk}_i$ ) and breaks the PR-DK security of AM-AKE.

**Generic Construction of Plain AM-AKE with Relaxed Security.** Let  $\text{AKE} = (\text{Gen}, \text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{DerI})$  be a two-pass AKE. Let  $\text{KE}$  be a two-pass key

exchange scheme, like the Diffie-Hellman protocol [6] with the first message  $g^a$  and the second message  $g^b$ . In the main body of this paper, this KE is accomplished by a KEM scheme with the pseudo-random KEM public key  $\widetilde{\text{pk}}$  as the first message and the pseudo-random ciphertext  $\psi$  as the second message.

The anamorphic algorithms ( $\text{aGen}$ ,  $\text{aInit}$ ,  $\text{aDerR}$ ,  $\text{aDerI}$ ) of AM-AKE scheme are almost the same as the normal ones, except that KE's two messages  $g^a$  and  $g^b$  are used for the (partial) randomnesses to generate AKE's two anamorphic messages  $\text{amsg}_i, \text{amsg}_r$ :

$$\text{amsg}_i \leftarrow \text{Init}(\underbrace{g^a | \dots}_{\text{randomness}}), \quad (\text{amsg}_r, K_r) \leftarrow \text{DerR}(\text{amsg}_i; \underbrace{g^b | \dots}_{\text{randomness}}),$$

where the public key and secret key are omitted from the input for simplicity.

If  $\text{Init}$  and  $\text{DerR}$  are partially randomness-recoverable, which means there are recovering algorithms for  $P_i$  and  $P_r$  to recover  $g^a$  and  $g^b$  from  $\text{amsg}_i$  and  $\text{amsg}_r$ , respectively, then the double key  $\text{dk} := g^{ab}$  is shared between  $P_i$  and  $P_r$ .

For passive attacks from the dictator, the uniformity of  $g^a$  and  $g^b$  guarantees the (statistical) indistinguishability between normal algorithm  $\text{Init}$  and anamorphic algorithm  $\text{aInit}$ , and the (statistical) indistinguishability between  $\text{DerR}$  and  $\text{aDerR}$ . Meanwhile, the DDH assumption guarantees the pseudo-randomness of  $\text{dk}$ , even if the dictator obtains both  $P_i$  and  $P_r$ 's secret key and even the underlying randomness ( $g^a | \dots$ ) and ( $g^b | \dots$ ).

The initiator-robustness can be achieved if we replace randomness ( $g^b | \dots$ ) with ( $g^b | \sigma := \text{PRF}(g^{ab}, \text{amsg}_i) | \dots$ ) and set  $\text{dk} := \text{PRF}(g^{ab}, \text{amsg}_i | \text{amsg}_r)$  with the help of a PRF. In this case  $P_i$  is able to tell the working mode of  $P_r$  by testing whether  $\sigma = \text{PRF}(g^{ab}, \text{amsg}_i)$ .

In fact, lots of AKE constructions support the partially randomness-recoverable property. For example, in AKE under the SIG+KEM paradigm [19] and that under the three-KEM paradigm [20], the underlying SIG and KEM have instantiations with randomness-recoverable property [3,2,18,9]. Accordingly, such AKE admits AM-AKE schemes with initiator-robustness and relaxed security.

**Generic Construction of Robust AM-AKE with Strong Security.** To achieve (strong) IND-WM and PR-DK security and bypass the impossibility results, we allow the anamorphic key generation algorithm  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask}, \text{aux}) \leftarrow \text{aGen}$  of AM-AKE outputs a related auxiliary trapdoor  $\text{aux}$  along with the anamorphic key-pair  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask})$ . The auxiliary message  $\text{aux}$  is only kept privately by the party who generates it and does not need to share it with others.

To construct such AM-AKE, we require new properties for the two-pass AKE scheme  $\text{AKE} = (\text{Gen}, \text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{DerI})$ , where  $\text{Gen}$  has *secret extractability*, and  $\text{Init}$  and  $\text{DerR}$  have *separable sub-algorithms*.

Roughly speaking, secret extractability of  $\text{Gen}$  asks a simulating key generation algorithm  $\text{SimGen}$  and a secret extracting algorithm  $\text{Extract}$  satisfying the following properties.

- $\text{SimGen}$  outputs not only a key-pair  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk})$  that is indistinguishable to the output of  $\text{Gen}$ , but also a master key  $\text{msk}$  serving as the auxiliary trapdoor.

- $\text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{pk}_r) = s = \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_r, \text{pk}_i)$  for all  $(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_i, \text{msk}_i) \leftarrow \text{SimGen}$  and  $(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_r, \text{msk}_r) \leftarrow \text{SimGen}$ . The extracting algorithm can extract a secret  $s$  from one party's master key and the other party's public key and make sure that two parties can compute the same secret  $s = \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{pk}_r) = \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_r, \text{pk}_i)$ . The extracted secret  $s$  is pseudo-random even in the presence of  $\text{sk}_i$  and  $\text{sk}_r$ .

DOUBLE KEY GENERATION. Now let  $\text{SimGen}$  play the role of  $\text{aGen}$  to generate the anamorphic key-pair  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask})$  and the auxiliary trapdoor  $\text{aux} := \text{msk}$ . Then  $P_i$  and  $P_r$  use their key-pairs to run the AKE protocol and obtain the two pass messages  $(\text{msg}_i, \text{msg}_r)$ . At the same time, they can use  $\text{Extract}$  to compute a common secret  $s = \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{pk}_r) = \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_r, \text{pk}_i)$ , and then use  $s$  as the seed of PRF to compute the double key

$$\text{dk}_i = \text{PRF}(s, (\text{msg}_i, \text{msg}_r)) = \text{dk}_r.$$

ACHIEVING ROBUSTNESS. To achieve robustness,  $P_i$  and  $P_r$  need to decide the working mode of each other. Our method is that the party invoking anamorphic algorithms provides a proof and embeds the proof in the message, and the other party extracts the proof from the message and verifies the proof. If the proof is valid, then the other party validates its double key and achieves its robustness.

Let us work on responder-robustness first. We require that the normal algorithm  $\text{Init}$  can be divided into three sub-algorithms  $(f_{1,1}, f_{1,2}, \overline{\text{Init}})$  which computes the three parts of  $\text{msg}_i = (m_{i,1}, m_{i,2}, m_{i,3})$  respectively. Here  $f_{1,1}, f_{1,2}$  make use of independent randomness  $d_{i,1}, d_{i,2}$  to compute  $m_{i,1} := f_{1,1}(d_{i,1})$  and  $m_{i,2} := f_{1,2}(d_{i,2})$ , and  $\overline{\text{Init}}$  uses independently chosen randomness  $d_{i,3}$  to compute  $m_{i,3} := \overline{\text{Init}}(d_{i,1}, d_{i,2}, d_{i,3})$  together with  $d_{i,1}, d_{i,2}$ . This is captured by the *3-separability* of  $\text{Init}$ .

If  $P_i$  invokes anamorphic algorithm  $\text{alnit}$ , then  $P_i$  can prove it by embedding the PRF value  $\text{PRF}(s, m_{i,1})$  in  $d_{i,2}$ . Then the anamorphic  $\text{alnit}$  works as follows.

- $\text{msg}_i = (m_{i,1}, m_{i,2}, m_{i,3}) \leftarrow \text{alnit} : m_{i,1} := f_{1,1}(d_{i,1}),$   
 $m_{i,2} := f_{1,2}(d_{i,2} = \text{PRF}(s, m_{i,1})), (m_{i,3}, \text{st}) \leftarrow \overline{\text{Init}}(d_{i,1}, d_{i,2}, d_{i,3}).$

Next, upon receiving  $\text{msg}_i$ ,  $P_r$  can check whether  $m_{i,2} = f_{1,2}(\text{PRF}(s, m_{i,1}))$ . If yes,  $P_i$  must have invoked anamorphic algorithm  $\text{alnit}$ , and  $P_r$  will invoke  $\text{aDerR}$  to output  $\text{msg}_r$  and accept its double key  $\text{dk}_r = \text{PRF}(s, (\text{msg}_i, \text{msg}_r))$ , otherwise invalidate it with  $\text{dk}_r := \perp$ . Note that in the normal mode, a uniform  $d_{i,2}$  hardly collides with  $\text{PRF}(s, m_{i,1})$ . We further require that  $f_{1,2}$  returns different outputs on different inputs, which is captured with entropy-preserving property. Then  $m_{i,2} := f_{1,2}(d_{i,2})$  with uniform  $d_{i,2}$  hardly collides with  $f_{1,2}(\text{PRF}(s, m_{i,1}))$ . So  $P_r$  can always correctly decide whether  $P_i$  invokes normal algorithm  $\text{Init}$  or anamorphic algorithm  $\text{alnit}$ , and hence achieve responder-robustness.

In the same way, we can achieve initiator-robustness by requiring that the normal algorithm  $\text{DerR}$  has 3-separability with sub-algorithms  $(f_{R,1}, f_{R,2}, \overline{\text{DerR}})$  computing  $\text{msg}_r = (m_{r,1}, m_{r,2}, m_{r,3})$  and  $f_{R,2}$  has the property of entropy-preserving. More precisely, if  $P_r$  invokes anamorphic algorithm  $\text{aDerR}$ , then  $P_r$

can prove this fact by embedding the PRF value  $\text{PRF}(s, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1}))$  in  $d_{r,2}$ . Consequently, the anamorphic  $\text{aDerR}$  works as follows.

- $\underline{\text{amsgr}} = (m_{r,1}, m_{r,2}, m_{r,3}) \leftarrow \text{aDerR}(\text{amsgi}) : m_{r,1} := f_{R,1}(d_{r,1}),$   
 $m_{r,2} := f_{R,2}(d_{r,2} = \text{PRF}(s, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1}))), (m_{r,3}, K_r) \leftarrow \overline{\text{DerR}}(\text{amsgi}, d_{r,1}, d_{r,2}, d_{r,3}).$

Then upon receiving  $\text{amsgr}$ ,  $P_i$  can check whether  $m_{r,2} = f_{R,2}(\text{PRF}(s, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1})))$ . If yes,  $P_r$  must work in anamorphic mode, and  $P_i$  will accept its double key  $\text{dk}_i = \text{PRF}(s, (\text{amsgi}, \text{amsgr}))$ , otherwise invalidate it with  $\text{dk}_i := \perp$ . Meanwhile,  $P_i$  also computes the session key with  $K_i \leftarrow \text{Derl}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{amsgr}, \text{st})$ . Here the anamorphic  $\text{aDerl}$  is exactly the normal  $\text{Derl}$ . With a similar analysis as above, we have initiator-robustness.

ACHIEVING STRONG SECURITY OF IND-WM AND PR-DK. We note that the dictator does not know the auxiliary trapdoors  $\text{msk}_i, \text{msk}_r$ , and hence the extracted secret  $s$  is pseudo-random even if the dictator obtains the key-pairs  $(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_i)$  and  $(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_r)$ .

Let us first consider strong IND-WM security. The difference between the normal algorithm  $\text{Init}$  and the anamorphic  $\text{alnit}$  lies in that a random  $d_{i,2} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{1,2}$  is used in  $\text{Init}$  while a PRF value  $d_{i,2} := \text{PRF}(s, f_{1,1}(d_{i,1}))$  with  $d_{i,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{1,1}$  is used in  $\text{alnit}$ .

Now we require  $f_{1,1}$  have the property of entropy-preserving, so different inputs to  $f_{1,1}$  will lead to different outputs overwhelmingly. Accordingly, every invocation of  $\text{alnit}$  will result in fresh  $d_{i,1}$  and thus fresh  $f_{1,1}(d_{i,1})$ . Furthermore, the freshness of  $f_{1,1}(d_{i,1})$  makes sure that  $d_{i,2} := \text{PRF}(s, f_{1,1}(d_{i,1}))$  is pseudo-random and indistinguishable to  $d_{i,2} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{1,2}$  used in  $\text{Init}$ . Therefore,  $P_i$ 's invoking  $\text{Init}$  or invoking  $\text{alnit}$  is indistinguishable to the dictator who knows the secret keys  $\text{ask}_i, \text{ask}_r$  and even the randomness  $(d_{i,1}, d_{i,2}, d_{i,3})$ , and does active attacks with  $\text{ask}_i, \text{ask}_r$ .

By requiring entropy-preserving property for  $f_{R,1}$ , we have a similar argument showing that  $P_r$ 's invoking  $\text{DerR}$  or invoking  $\text{aDerR}$  is indistinguishable to the dictator. We stress that the extracted secret  $s$  is pseudo-random to the dictator and the dictator's active attacks with message  $m$  to  $\text{aDerR}$  does not help it to distinguish whether  $d_{r,2} = \text{PRF}(s, f_{R,1}(d_{r,1}))$  or  $d_{r,2} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{R,2}$  due to the freshness of  $f_{1,1}(d_{r,1})$  and the security of PRF.

Together with the fact that  $\text{Derl} = \text{aDerl}$ , we know that the AM-AKE has strong indistinguishability of working mode (strong IND-WM) against the dictator. Here "strong" is reflected in that the dictator is able to implement active attacks with secret keys  $\text{ask}_i, \text{ask}_r$  and also able to obtain the randomness like  $(d_{i,1}, d_{i,2}, d_{i,3})$  and  $(d_{r,1}, d_{r,2}, d_{r,3})$ .

As for strong PR-DK security, we first consider the dictator's passive attacks, the pseudo-randomness  $\text{dk} = \text{PRF}(s, (\text{amsgi}, \text{amsgr}))$  is indistinguishable to a random key  $\text{dk} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{DK}$ , thanks to the freshness of  $(\text{amsgi}, \text{amsgr})$  from the entropy-preserving property of  $f_{1,1}, f_{1,2}, f_{R,1}, f_{R,2}$ . Next we consider the dictator's active attacks with message  $m$ . There are two cases.

- (1) This  $m$  leads to an invalid double key  $\text{dk} = \perp$  (but without  $s$ , the dictator does not realize  $\text{dk} = \perp$ ) due to  $d_{i,2} \neq \text{PRF}(s, m_{i,1})$  or  $d_{r,2} \neq \text{PRF}(s, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1}))$ .



- (2) If  $d_{i,2} = \text{PRF}(s, m_{i,1})$ , then  $\text{dk} = \text{PRF}(s, (m, \text{amsg}_r))$  is a valid one, but is still pseudo-random due to the freshness of  $\text{amsg}_r$  generated by **aDerR**. Similarly, if  $d_{r,2} = \text{PRF}(s, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1}))$ , then  $\text{dk} = \text{PRF}(s, (\text{amsg}_i, m))$  is a valid one, but is still pseudo-random due to the freshness of  $\text{amsg}_i$  generated by **alnit**.

Clearly, the pseudo-randomness of valid  $\text{dk}$  holds even if the dictator additionally knows the randomness like  $(d_{i,1}, d_{i,2}, d_{i,3})$  and  $(d_{r,1}, d_{r,2}, d_{r,3})$ . This yields strong PR-DK security.

### 1.3 Related Works

**Anamorphic Cryptography.** The notion of anamorphic encryption was proposed in [22]. Later works in [15,1,16,26,5] improved and extended this notion in different aspects. To be specific, more approaches to receiver-AME are provided in [16,1]. The work in [1] decouples the generation of the anamorphic key-pair and the double key, and also proposes the notion of robustness for AME. Sender-AME was considered and specific constructions of robust sender-AME were presented in [26]. In [5], anamorphism is associated to homomorphic encryption, and the double key is dismantled with a public part and a secret part. In [15], anamorphism algorithms were extended to anamorphic signature.

**Steganographic Key Exchange.** Steganographic key exchange was firstly proposed in [25]. It aims to share a pseudo-random covert key by exchanging a sequence of seemingly normal messages. However, it only considered weak security where the adversary only implements passive attacks. Later, [12] proposed stronger requirement that permits the adversary to obtain the secret keys of parties. Nevertheless, steganographic key exchange does not allow active attacks in the security model, and hence much weaker than the security notions of AM-AKE defined in our paper.

## 2 Preliminary

Let  $\kappa \in \mathbb{N}$  denote the security parameter and let  $\text{pp}$  denote the public parameter throughout the paper, and all algorithms, distributions, functions and adversaries take  $1^\kappa$  and  $\text{pp}$  as implicit inputs. For  $N \in \mathbb{N}$ , define  $[N] = \{1, 2, \dots, N\}$ . If  $x$  is defined by  $y$  or the value of  $y$  is assigned to  $x$ , we write  $x := y$ . For a set  $\mathcal{X}$ , denote by  $|\mathcal{X}|$  the number of elements in  $\mathcal{X}$ , and denote by  $x \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{X}$  the procedure of sampling  $x$  from  $\mathcal{X}$  uniformly at random. If  $\mathcal{D}$  is distribution,  $x \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}$  means that  $x$  is sampled according to  $\mathcal{D}$ . For an algorithm  $\mathcal{A}$ , let  $y \leftarrow \mathcal{A}(x; r)$  or simply  $y \leftarrow \mathcal{A}(x)$  denote running  $\mathcal{A}$  with input  $x$  and randomness  $r$  and assigning the output to  $y$ . ‘‘PPT’’ abbreviates probabilistic polynomial-time. Denote by  $\text{poly}$  some polynomial function and  $\text{negl}$  some negligible function in  $\kappa$ . Let  $\perp$  denote the empty string/set, and all variables in our experiments are initialized to  $\perp$ .

Due to space limitations, we present the definitions of pseudo-random function (PRF), digital signature (SIG) and its EUF-CMA security, key encapsulation mechanism (KEM) and its IND-CPA security, two-pass authenticated key exchange (AKE) and the DDH assumption in Appendix A.

### 3 Anamorphic Authenticated Key Exchange

In this section, we present the syntax of anamorphic authenticated key exchange (AM-AKE), propose its robustness requirements, and define its security models. We also establish three impossibility results for plain AM-AKE, and define its relaxed security models.

#### 3.1 Syntax of AM-AKE

**Definition 1 ((Plain) Anamorphic Authenticated Key Exchange).** *A two-pass authenticated key exchange scheme  $\text{AKE} = (\text{Gen}, \text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{DerI})$  is called an AM-AKE scheme if there exists a corresponding anamorphic version of algorithms  $(\text{aGen}, \text{alnit}, \text{aDerR}, \text{aDerI})$  with syntax defined below.*

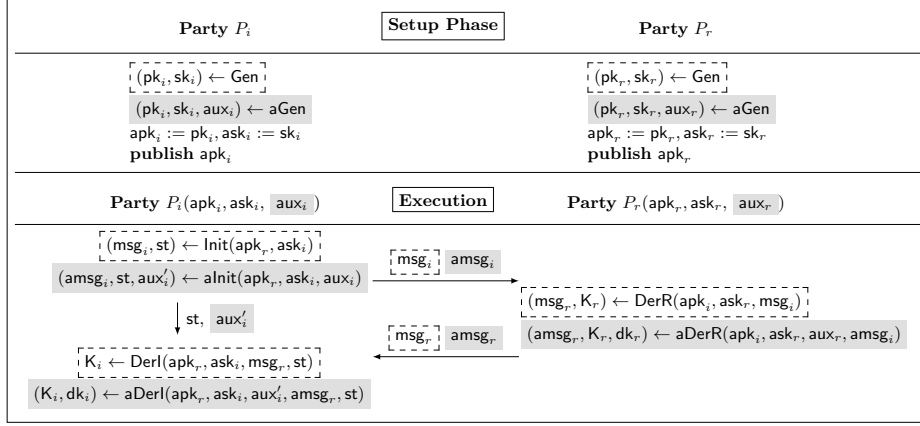
- $(\text{apk}, \text{ask}, \text{aux}) \leftarrow \text{aGen}$ : *The anamorphic key generation algorithm generates a pair of anamorphic public/secret keys  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask})$  as well as an auxiliary message  $\text{aux}$  for storing extra secret information.*
- $(\text{amsg}_i, \text{st}, \text{aux}'_i) \leftarrow \text{alnit}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}_i)$ : *The anamorphic initialization algorithm takes an anamorphic public key  $\text{apk}_r$  of a responder (say  $P_r$ ), an anamorphic secret key  $\text{ask}_i$  and an initiated auxiliary message  $\text{aux}_i$  of an initiator (say  $P_i$ ) as input, and outputs a message  $\text{amsg}_i$ , a state  $\text{st}$  and an updated auxiliary message  $\text{aux}'_i$  for  $P_i$ .*
- $(\text{amsg}_r, \text{K}_r, \text{dk}_r) \leftarrow \text{aDerR}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{aux}_r, \text{amsg}_i)$ : *The derivation algorithm for the responder takes an anamorphic public key  $\text{apk}_i$  of the initiator  $P_i$ , an anamorphic secret key  $\text{ask}_r$  and an initiated auxiliary message  $\text{aux}_r$  of the responder  $P_r$ , and a message  $\text{amsg}_i$  as input, and outputs a message  $\text{amsg}_r$ , a session key  $\text{K}_r$  and a double key  $\text{dk}_r$  for  $P_r$ .*
- $(\text{K}_i, \text{dk}_i) \leftarrow \text{aDerI}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}'_i, \text{amsg}_r, \text{st})$ : *The deterministic derivation algorithm for the initiator takes an anamorphic public key  $\text{apk}_r$  of the responder  $P_r$ , an anamorphic secret key  $\text{ask}_i$  and an updated auxiliary message  $\text{aux}'_i$  of the initiator  $P_i$ , a message  $\text{amsg}_r$  and a state  $\text{st}$  as input, and outputs a session key  $\text{K}_i$  and a double key  $\text{dk}_i$  for  $P_i$ .*

*Then the AM-AKE scheme is denoted by  $\text{AM-AKE} = ((\text{Gen}, \text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{DerI}), (\text{aGen}, \text{alnit}, \text{aDerR}, \text{aDerI}))$  where  $(\text{Gen}, \text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{DerI})$  are called normal algorithms while  $(\text{aGen}, \text{alnit}, \text{aDerR}, \text{aDerI})$  are called anamorphic algorithms.*

*If  $\text{aux} = \perp$  or  $\text{aux}$  is generated independent of  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask})$  in  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask}, \text{aux}) \leftarrow \text{aGen}$ , we call AM-AKE is a plain AM-AKE.*

An execution of an AM-AKE scheme AM-AKE is shown in Fig. 1. Any party can choose normal or anamorphic algorithms to run the AKE protocol, resulting in different working modes.

**Working Modes of AM-AKE and Correctness Requirements.** AM-AKE may work in the following three modes.



**Fig. 1.** The normal algorithms (with dotted boxes) and the anamorphic algorithms (with gray boxes) of AM-AKE.

- **Normal Mode.** Both  $P_i$  and  $P_r$  invoke normal algorithms, i.e., executing the AKE protocol with  $(\text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{Derl})$ . But in the protocol execution,  $P_i$  may use either a normal key-pair  $(pk_i, sk_i)$  generated by  $\text{Gen}$  or an anamorphic key-pair  $(apk_i, ask_i)$  generated by  $\text{aGen}$ , and so does  $P_r$ .
- **Anamorphic Mode.** Both  $P_i$  and  $P_r$  invoke anamorphic algorithms, i.e., executing the protocol with  $(\text{alnit}, \text{aDerR}, \text{aDerl})$ , where both  $P_i$  and  $P_r$  have anamorphic keys  $(apk_i, ask_i, aux_i)$ ,  $(apk_r, ask_r, aux_r)$  generated by  $\text{aGen}$ .
- **Half Mode.** One party invokes normal algorithms while the other invokes anamorphic algorithms. There are two cases described below.
  - **Case I.**  $P_i$  invokes anamorphic algorithms  $(\text{alnit}, \text{aDerl})$  with its anamorphic keys  $(apk_i, ask_i, aux_i)$ , while  $P_r$  invokes normal algorithm  $\text{DerR}$  with either normal key-pair  $(pk_r, sk_r)$  or anamorphic key-pair  $(apk_r, ask_r)$ . In this case,  $P_i$  and  $P_r$  execute the protocol with  $(\text{alnit}, \text{DerR}, \text{aDerl})$ .
  - **Case II.**  $P_i$  invokes normal algorithms  $(\text{Init}, \text{Derl})$  with either normal key-pair  $(pk_i, sk_i)$  or anamorphic key-pair  $(apk_i, ask_i)$ , while  $P_r$  invokes anamorphic algorithm  $\text{aDerR}$  with its anamorphic keys  $(apk_r, ask_r, aux_r)$ . In this case,  $P_i$  and  $P_r$  execute the protocol with  $(\text{Init}, \text{aDerR}, \text{Derl})$ .

For each of the above three working modes,  $P_i$  and  $P_r$  should derive the same session key  $K_i = K_r$ . Meanwhile, in the anamorphic mode, they should also derive the same double key  $dk_i = dk_r$  besides the same session key.

Moreover, AM-AKE always considers adversaries(dictators) who has already obtained secret keys  $sk_i/ask_i$  and  $sk_r/ask_r$  from users, the state  $st$  from the initiator, and the derived session keys  $K_i, K_r$  from both initiator and responder. Therefore, an adversary can always invoke  $\text{Derl}$  to obtain a session key  $K'_i$ . To avoid the detection of using anamorphic algorithms in AM-AKE, a basic requirement is that  $\text{Derl}$  and  $\text{aDerl}$  results in the same session key  $K'_i = K_i$ . These capture the correctness of AM-AKE. For completeness, we provide the formal

definition of correctness in Appendix B.1. We also refer to Table 1 for a summary of correctness requirements in different working modes.

### 3.2 Robustness of AM-AKE

In practice, it is hard for  $P_i$  and  $P_r$  to agree on the working mode beforehand. So it happens AM-AKE works in *half mode*: one party invokes normal algorithms while the other invokes anamorphic algorithms. Accordingly,  $P_i$  and  $P_r$  can hardly agree on consistent double keys, so it is desirable for a party  $P$  invoking anamorphic algorithms to detect this issue and invalidate its double key by setting  $\text{dk} = \perp$ . This is captured by *robustness* of AM-AKE.

Roughly speaking, *robustness* of AM-AKE requires that in the half mode, except for the correctness of  $K_i = K_r$ , the party invoking anamorphic algorithms can detect the half mode of AKE and hence set its double key  $\text{dk} := \perp$ . According to whether the party is the initiator or the responder, we respectively define *initiator-robustness* and *responder-robustness* as follows.

**Definition 2 (Initiator-Robustness).** AM-AKE is called *initiator-robust*, if for any  $(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}_i) \leftarrow \text{aGen}$ , and for any  $(\overline{pk}_r, \overline{sk}_r) := (\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_r)$  generated by Gen or  $(\overline{pk}_r, \overline{sk}_r) := (\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_r)$  generated by aGen, we have

$$\Pr \left[ \text{dk}_i = \perp \left| \begin{array}{l} (\text{msg}_i, \text{st}, \text{aux}'_i) \leftarrow \text{alnit}(\overline{pk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}_i) \\ (\text{msg}_r, K_r) \leftarrow \text{DerR}(\text{apk}_i, \overline{sk}_r, \text{msg}_i) \\ (K_i, \text{dk}_i) \leftarrow \text{aDerl}(\overline{pk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}'_i, \text{msg}_r, \text{st}) \end{array} \right. \right] \geq 1 - \text{negl}(\kappa).$$

**Definition 3 (Responder-Robustness).** AM-AKE is called *responder-robust*, if for any  $(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_r, \text{aux}_r) \leftarrow \text{aGen}$ , and for any  $(\overline{pk}_i, \overline{sk}_i) := (\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_i)$  generated by Gen or  $(\overline{pk}_i, \overline{sk}_i) := (\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_i)$  generated by aGen, we have

$$\Pr \left[ \text{dk}_r = \perp \left| \begin{array}{l} (\text{msg}_i, \text{st}) \leftarrow \text{Init}(\text{apk}_r, \overline{sk}_i) \\ (\text{msg}_r, K_r, \text{dk}_r) \leftarrow \text{aDerR}(\overline{pk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{aux}_r, \text{msg}_i) \\ K_i \leftarrow \text{Derl}(\text{apk}_r, \overline{sk}_i, \text{msg}_r, \text{st}) \end{array} \right. \right] \geq 1 - \text{negl}(\kappa).$$

We stress that robustness is important for an AM-AKE scheme, because it's meaningless for a party to derive an un-agreed double key without the other party realizing it. Indeed, using un-agreed double key in the later anamorphic encryption/signature schemes has no effect at all.

For better illustration, we list all working modes of AM-AKE and the corresponding correctness and robustness requirements in Table 1.

### 3.3 Security Model for AM-AKE

In this subsection, we introduce the security models for AM-AKE. To this end, we need to capture the dictator(government)'s demands and behaviors to formalize the adversary. We consider the setting of multiple parties. In practice, the dictator may force every party involved in AM-AKE to surrender their secret

Working Mode of AM-AKE	Algorithms invoked by		Correctness	Robustness	
	$P_i$	$P_r$		Init-Rob.	Resp-Rob.
Normal	Normal	Normal	$K_i = K_r$	–	–
Half	Normal	Anamorphic	$K_i = K_r$	–	$dk_r = \perp$
	Anamorphic	Normal	$K_i = K_r = K'_i$	$dk_i = \perp$	–
Anamorphic	Anamorphic	Anamorphic	$K_i = K_r = K'_i \wedge dk_i = dk_r$	–	–

**Table 1.** Working modes of AM-AKE and the corresponding correctness and robustness requirements. In column **Algorithms invoked by**, it indicates the type of algorithms invoked by  $P_i$  and  $P_r$ . In column **Correctness**, it shows the correctness requirements, where  $K_i$  and  $dk_i$  (resp.,  $K_r$  and  $dk_r$ ) denote the session key and double key derived by  $P_i$  (resp.,  $P_r$ ), and  $K'_i$  denotes the session key derived from  $\text{Derl}$  when  $P_i$  invokes anamorphic algorithms. In column **Robustness**, it shows the robustness requirements, where **Init-Rob./Resp-Rob.** denotes Initiator-Robustness/Responder-Robustness and “–” means no requirement.

keys, and reveal the session keys along with the state of the initiator in any completed AM-AKE session. Moreover, the dictator may impersonate any party and conduct active attacks because it owns the secret keys of all parties.

Intuitively, the security for AM-AKE requires that such a dictator cannot tell whether AM-AKE is working in the normal mode or in other modes. This is called Indistinguishability of Working Modes (IND-WM). Moreover, the double keys  $dk$  derived from the anamorphic mode will be used later by the anamorphic public-key primitives. To guarantee the security of the anamorphic public-key primitives, we have to require Pseudo-Randomness of Double Keys (PR-DK).

We also define the corresponding *strong* version of IND-WM and PR-DK by allowing the dictator additionally receive the internal randomness that all parties used in the seemingly benign AKE sessions, i.e., receiving the true randomness when normal algorithms are invoked while receiving simulated randomness when anamorphic algorithms are used. Especially, we require that there exists PPT simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{SimI}, \text{SimR})$ , where  $\text{SimI}$  can explain a randomness  $R'_i$  used by  $\text{aInit}$  as a randomness  $R_i$  of  $\text{Init}$ , and similarly,  $\text{SimR}$  can explain a randomness  $R'_r$  used by  $\text{aDerR}$  as a randomness  $R_r$  of  $\text{DerR}$ .<sup>4</sup> These result in strong IND-WM and strong PR-DK, denoted by  $\text{sIND-WM}$  and  $\text{sPR-DK}$  respectively.

More precisely, we define the formal security models with the IND-WM/ $\text{sIND-WM}$  experiments  $\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, N}^{\text{IND-WM}} / \text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{sIND-WM}}$  in Fig. 2 and the PR-DK/ $\text{sPR-DK}$  experiments  $\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, N}^{\text{PR-DK}} / \text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{sPR-DK}}$  in Fig. 3. To be clearer, we explain the local variables used in these security experiments.

- $\text{sID}$ : The identifier of a specific AKE session.
- $\text{init}[\text{sID}]$ : The initiator of session  $\text{sID}$ .
- $\text{resp}[\text{sID}]$ : The responder of session  $\text{sID}$ .
- $\text{mode}_i[\text{sID}]$ : The working mode of the initiator in session  $\text{sID}$ .
- $M_i^{\text{out}}[\text{sID}] / M_i^{\text{in}}[\text{sID}]$ : The message sent and received by the initiator in session  $\text{sID}$ .
- $M_R^{\text{out}}[\text{sID}] / M_R^{\text{in}}[\text{sID}]$ : The message sent and received by the responder in session  $\text{sID}$ .
- $S[\text{sID}]$ : The state of the initiator in session  $\text{sID}$ .

<sup>4</sup> Note that the (anamorphic) derivation algorithms  $\text{Derl}$  and  $\text{aDerl}$  for the initiator are typically deterministic without using any randomness.

- $Aux[sID]$ : The *updated* auxiliary message generated by the initiator in session  $sID$ .
- $K_I[sID]$  (resp.,  $K_R[sID]$ ): The session key generated by the initiator (resp., responder) in session  $sID$ .
- $DK[sID, P \in \{I, R\}]$ : The double key generated by the initiator when  $P = I$  or by the responder when  $P = R$  in session  $sID$ .
- $\mathcal{DK}$ : The key space of double keys.
- $\mathcal{O}_{New}(i, r)$ : The oracle establishes a new session for initiator  $P_i$  and responder  $P_r$ .
- $\mathcal{O}_{Init}(sID)$ : The oracle invokes the initialization algorithm for session  $sID$ .
- $\mathcal{O}_{DerR}(sID, m)$ : The oracle invokes the derivation algorithm with input message  $m$  for the responder of session  $sID$ .
- $\mathcal{O}_{DerI}(sID, m)$ : The oracle invokes the derivation algorithm with input message  $m$  for the initiator of session  $sID$ .
- $\mathcal{O}_{TestDK}(sID, P \in \{I, R\})$ : The oracle provides either the double key generated by  $P$  of session  $sID$  or a random string. Note that this oracle can be invoked only once for each session to avoid trivial attack.

<p> <math>\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, N}^{\text{IND-WM}} / \text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{IND-WM}} /</math>  <span style="border: 1px dashed black; padding: 2px;"><math>\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{relaxed-IND-WM}} / \text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{relaxed-sIND-WM}}</math></span> </p> <p> <math>b \leftarrow_{\mathcal{S}} \{0, 1\}</math>  <math>cnt := 0</math> //session counter  <b>for</b> <math>n \in [N]</math>: <math>(\text{apk}_n, \text{ask}_n, \text{aux}_n) \leftarrow \text{aGen}</math>  <math>b' \leftarrow \mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{O}_{WM}}(\text{apk}_1, \dots, \text{apk}_N, \text{ask}_1, \dots, \text{ask}_N)</math>  <b>return</b> <math>b' = b</math> </p> <p> <math>\mathcal{O}_{New}(i, r)</math>:  <b>if</b> <math>i \notin [N]</math> <b>or</b> <math>r \notin [N]</math> <b>or</b> <math>i = r</math>: <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math>  <math>cnt++</math>  <math>sID := cnt</math>  <math>\text{init}[sID] := i</math>; <math>\text{resp}[sID] := r</math>  <b>return</b> <math>sID</math> </p> <p> <math>\mathcal{O}_{Init}(sID, w_i \in \{\mathbf{N}, \mathbf{A}\})</math>:  <b>if</b> <math>\text{init}[sID] = \perp</math>: <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math> //session not established  <b>if</b> <math>M_i^{\text{out}}[sID] \neq \perp</math>: <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math> //no re-use  <math>(i, r) := (\text{init}[sID], \text{resp}[sID])</math>  <b>if</b> <math>b = 0</math>: //normal working mode  <math>(\text{msg}_i, \text{st}) \leftarrow \text{Init}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i; R_i)</math>  <b>if</b> <math>b = 1</math>: //working mode specified by <math>\mathcal{A}</math>  <b>if</b> <math>w_i = \mathbf{N}</math>:  <math>(\text{msg}_i, \text{st}) \leftarrow \text{Init}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i; R_i)</math>  <b>if</b> <math>w_i = \mathbf{A}</math>:  <math>(\text{msg}_i, \text{st}, \text{aux}'_i) \leftarrow \text{alnit}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}_i; R'_i)</math>  <math>Aux[sID] := \text{aux}'_i</math>  <math>R_i \leftarrow \text{SimI}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}_i, R'_i)</math> </p> <p> <math>\text{mode}_I[sID] := w_i</math>  <math>M_i^{\text{out}}[sID] := \text{msg}_i</math>  <math>S[sID] := \text{st}</math>  <b>return</b> <math>(\text{msg}_i, \text{st}, R_i)</math> </p>	<p> <math>\mathcal{O}_{DerR}(sID, m, w_R \in \{\mathbf{N}, \mathbf{A}\})</math>:  <b>if</b> <math>M_i^{\text{out}}[sID] = \perp</math>: <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math> //initiator not invoked  <b>if</b> <math>M_R^{\text{out}}[sID] \neq \perp</math>: <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math> //no re-use  <b>if</b> <math>m \neq M_i^{\text{out}}[sID] \wedge w_R = \mathbf{A}</math>: <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math> //active attack  <math>(i, r) := (\text{init}[sID], \text{resp}[sID])</math>  <b>if</b> <math>b = 0</math>: //normal working mode  <math>(\text{msg}_r, K_r) \leftarrow \text{DerR}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, m; R_r)</math>  <b>if</b> <math>b = 1</math>: //working mode specified by <math>\mathcal{A}</math>  <b>if</b> <math>w_R = \mathbf{N}</math>:  <math>(\text{msg}_r, K_r) \leftarrow \text{DerR}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, m; R_r)</math>  <b>if</b> <math>w_R = \mathbf{A}</math>:  <math>(\text{msg}_r, K_r, \text{dk}_r) \leftarrow \text{aDerR}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{aux}_r, m; R'_r)</math>  <math>R_r \leftarrow \text{SimR}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{aux}_r, m, R'_r)</math> </p> <p> <math>K_R[sID] := K_r</math>  <math>M_R^{\text{out}}[sID] := \text{msg}_r</math>  <b>return</b> <math>(\text{msg}_r, K_r, R_r)</math> </p> <p> <math>\mathcal{O}_{DerI}(sID, m)</math>:  <b>if</b> <math>M_R^{\text{out}}[sID] = \perp</math>: <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math> //responder not invoked  <b>if</b> <math>K_I[sID] \neq \perp</math>: <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math> //no re-use  <math>(i, r) := (\text{init}[sID], \text{resp}[sID])</math>  <math>w_i := \text{mode}_I[sID]</math>  <math>\text{st} := S[sID]</math>  <b>if</b> <math>b = 0</math>: //normal working mode  <math>K_i \leftarrow \text{DerI}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, m, \text{st})</math>  <b>if</b> <math>b = 1</math>: //working mode specified by <math>\mathcal{A}</math>  <b>if</b> <math>w_i = \mathbf{N}</math>:  <math>K_i \leftarrow \text{DerI}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, m, \text{st})</math>  <b>if</b> <math>w_i = \mathbf{A}</math>:  <math>\text{aux}'_i := Aux[sID]</math>  <math>(K_i, \text{dk}_i) \leftarrow \text{aDerI}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}'_i, m, \text{st})</math> </p> <p> <math>K_I[sID] := K_i</math>  <b>return</b> <math>K_i</math> </p>
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**Fig. 2.** Security experiments for defining IND-WM (without gray and dotted boxes) and sIND-WM (with gray boxes) of AM-AKE, and experiments for defining relaxed IND-WM (with dotted boxes) and relaxed sIND-WM (with both gray and dotted boxes) of plain AM-AKE, where  $\mathcal{O}_{WM} := \{\mathcal{O}_{New}, \mathcal{O}_{Init}, \mathcal{O}_{DerR}, \mathcal{O}_{DerI}\}$ . Here  $R_i$ ,  $R'_i$ ,  $R_r$  and  $R'_r$  are uniformly sampled from the corresponding randomness spaces.

$\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, N}^{\text{PR-DK}} / \text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{sPR-DK}} /$ <div style="border: 1px dashed black; padding: 2px; margin: 2px;"> <math display="block">\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{relaxed-PR-DK}} /</math> </div> <div style="border: 1px dotted black; padding: 2px; margin: 2px;"> <math display="block">\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{relaxed-sPR-DK}} /</math> </div> <p> <math>b \leftarrow_{\mathcal{S}} \{0, 1\}</math>  <math>\text{cnt} := 0</math> //session counter  <b>for</b> <math>n \in [N]</math> :  <math>(\text{apk}_n, \text{ask}_n, \text{aux}_n) \leftarrow \text{aGen}</math>  <math>b' \leftarrow \mathcal{A}^{\text{PRD}}(\text{apk}_1, \dots, \text{apk}_N, \text{ask}_1, \dots, \text{ask}_N)</math>  <b>return</b> <math>b' = b</math> </p> <p> <math>\mathcal{O}_{\text{New}}(i, r)</math>:  <b>if</b> <math>i \notin [N]</math> <b>or</b> <math>r \notin [N]</math> <b>or</b> <math>i = r</math> :  <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math>  <math>\text{cnt}++</math>  <math>\text{sID} := \text{cnt}</math>  <math>\text{init}[\text{sID}] := i</math>  <math>\text{resp}[\text{sID}] := r</math>  <b>return</b> <math>\text{sID}</math> </p> <p> <math>\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}(\text{sID})</math>:  <b>if</b> <math>\text{init}[\text{sID}] = \perp</math> : //session not established  <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math>  <b>if</b> <math>M_R^{\text{out}}[\text{sID}] \neq \perp</math> : //no re-use  <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math>  <math>(i, r) := (\text{init}[\text{sID}], \text{resp}[\text{sID}])</math>  <math>(\text{msg}_i, \text{st}, \text{aux}'_i) \leftarrow \text{aInit}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}_i; R'_i)</math>  <math>R_i \leftarrow \text{SimI}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}_i, R'_i)</math>  <math>M_i^{\text{out}}[\text{sID}] := \text{msg}_i</math>  <math>S[\text{sID}] := \text{st}</math>  <math>\text{Aux}[\text{sID}] := \text{aux}'_i</math>  <b>return</b> <math>(\text{msg}_i, \text{st}, R_i)</math> </p>	<p> <math>\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m)</math>:  <b>if</b> <math>M_i^{\text{out}}[\text{sID}] = \perp</math> : <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math> //initiator not invoked  <b>if</b> <math>M_R^{\text{out}}[\text{sID}] \neq \perp</math> : <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math> //no re-use  <div style="border: 1px dashed black; padding: 2px;"> <b>if</b> <math>m \neq M_i^{\text{out}}[\text{sID}]</math> : <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math> //active attack </div> <math>(i, r) := (\text{init}[\text{sID}], \text{resp}[\text{sID}])</math>  <math>(\text{msg}_r, K_r, \text{dk}_r) \leftarrow \text{aDerR}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{aux}_r, m; R'_r)</math>  <math>R_r \leftarrow \text{SimR}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{aux}_r, m, R'_r)</math>  <math>M_R^{\text{in}}[\text{sID}] := m; M_R^{\text{out}}[\text{sID}] := \text{msg}_r</math>  <math>\text{DK}[\text{sID}, R] := \text{dk}_r</math>  <b>return</b> <math>(\text{msg}_r, K_r, R_r)</math> </p> <p> <math>\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}(\text{sID}, m)</math>:  <b>if</b> <math>M_R^{\text{out}}[\text{sID}] = \perp</math> : <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math> //responder not invoked  <b>if</b> <math>K_i[\text{sID}] \neq \perp</math> : <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math> //no re-use  <div style="border: 1px dashed black; padding: 2px;"> <b>if</b> <math>m \neq M_R^{\text{out}}[\text{sID}]</math> : <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math> //active attack </div> <math>(i, r) := (\text{init}[\text{sID}], \text{resp}[\text{sID}])</math>  <math>\text{st} := S[\text{sID}]</math>  <math>\text{aux}'_i := \text{Aux}[\text{sID}]</math>  <math>(K_i, \text{dk}_i) \leftarrow \text{aDerI}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}'_i, m, \text{st})</math>  <math>M_i^{\text{in}}[\text{sID}] := m</math>  <math>\text{DK}[\text{sID}, I] := \text{dk}_i</math>  <b>return</b> <math>K_i</math> </p> <p> <math>\mathcal{O}_{\text{TestDK}}(\text{sID}, P \in \{I, R\})</math>:  <b>if</b> <math>\text{DK}[\text{sID}, P] = \perp</math> : <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math> //dk not generated or invalid  <b>if</b> <math>\exists (\text{sID}^*, \bar{P}) \in \mathfrak{M}[\text{sID}, P]</math> <b>and</b> <math>\text{test}[\text{sID}^*, \bar{P}] = 1</math>  <b>return</b> <math>\perp</math> //trivial attack  <math>\text{test}[\text{sID}, P] := 1</math>  <b>if</b> <math>b = 1</math> :  <b>return</b> <math>\text{DK}[\text{sID}, P]</math>  <b>else</b> :  <b>return</b> <math>d \leftarrow_{\mathcal{S}} \mathcal{DK}</math> </p>
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**Fig. 3.** Security experiments for defining PR-DK (without gray and dotted boxes) and sPR-DK (with gray boxes) of AM-AKE, and experiments for defining relaxed PR-DK (with dotted boxes) and relaxed sPR-DK (with both gray and dotted boxes) of plain AM-AKE, where  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{PRD}} := \{\mathcal{O}_{\text{New}}, \mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}, \mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}, \mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}, \mathcal{O}_{\text{TestDK}}\}$ . Here  $R'_i$  and  $R'_r$  are uniformly sampled from the corresponding randomness spaces.

Especially, to formalize the IND-WM/sIND-WM security, we first require that the normal key-pair  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk})$  generated by  $\text{Gen}$  and the anamorphic key-pair  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask})$  generated by  $\text{aGen}$  are computationally indistinguishable, and then we can choose the keys of all parties via  $\text{aGen}$ . During the experiments (cf. Fig. 2), the adversary is allowed to designate the working modes of the initiator and the responder by providing additionally variables  $w_I, w_R \in \{\mathbf{N}, \mathbf{A}\}$  to oracles  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}$  and  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$ , respectively. The adversary is asked to tell whether the oracles run the protocols in the normal modes or in the modes specified by the adversary.

As for the PR-DK/sPR-DK security (cf. Fig. 3), all parties work in the anamorphic modes, and the adversary is asked to distinguish real double keys  $\text{dk}$  from uniformly chosen keys via a  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{TestDK}}$  oracle. To avoid trivial attacks, we define the notion of matching sessions as follows, and we require that the adversary cannot test the double keys of matching sessions.

**Definition 4 (Matching Sessions).** For two sessions  $\text{sID}, \text{sID}^*$  and two parties  $P, \bar{P} \in \{I, R\}$ , we say  $(\text{sID}, P)$  and  $(\text{sID}^*, \bar{P})$  match, if the same parties are

involved (i.e.,  $\text{init}[\text{sID}], \text{resp}[\text{sID}] = (\text{init}[\text{sID}^*], \text{resp}[\text{sID}^*])$ ), the messages sent and received are the same (i.e.,  $(M_{\bar{P}}^{\text{in}}[\text{sID}], M_{\bar{P}}^{\text{out}}[\text{sID}]) = (M_{\bar{P}}^{\text{out}}[\text{sID}^*], M_{\bar{P}}^{\text{in}}[\text{sID}^*])$ ), and the parties are of different type (i.e.,  $\bar{P} = \{I, R\} \setminus P$ ). In particular, we define

$$\mathfrak{M}[\text{sID}, P] := \left\{ (\text{sID}^*, \bar{P}) \mid \begin{array}{l} (\text{init}[\text{sID}], \text{resp}[\text{sID}]) = (\text{init}[\text{sID}^*], \text{resp}[\text{sID}^*]) \wedge \bar{P} = \{I, R\} \setminus P \\ \wedge (M_{\bar{P}}^{\text{in}}[\text{sID}], M_{\bar{P}}^{\text{out}}[\text{sID}]) = (M_{\bar{P}}^{\text{out}}[\text{sID}^*], M_{\bar{P}}^{\text{in}}[\text{sID}^*]) \end{array} \right\}$$

as the set of matching sessions with  $(\text{sID}, P)$ .

Now we are ready to present the formal definition of the security of AM-AKE.

**Definition 5 (Security of AM-AKE).** *The security of AM-AKE contains indistinguishability of working modes (IND-WM) and pseudo-randomness of double keys (PR-DK).*

- **Indistinguishability of Working Modes (IND-WM).** *For any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  and any  $N = \text{poly}(\kappa)$ , it holds that  $|\Pr[\mathcal{A}(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) = 1] - \Pr[\mathcal{A}(\text{apk}, \text{ask}) = 1]| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ , where  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}$  and  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask}, \text{aux}) \leftarrow \text{aGen}$ , and*

$$|\Pr[\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, N}^{\text{IND-WM}} = 1] - \frac{1}{2}| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa). \quad (1)$$

- **Pseudo-Randomness of Double Keys (PR-DK).** *For any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  and any  $N = \text{poly}(\kappa)$ , it holds that*

$$|\Pr[\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, N}^{\text{PR-DK}} = 1] - \frac{1}{2}| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa). \quad (2)$$

*The strong security of AM-AKE includes strong indistinguishability of working modes (sIND-WM) and strong pseudo-randomness of double keys (sPR-DK), which require that there exists PPT simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{SimI}, \text{SimR})$  such that the above (1) and (2) hold for  $\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{sIND-WM}}$  and  $\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{sPR-DK}}$  experiments.*

### 3.4 Impossibility Results and Relaxed Security for Plain AM-AKE

In this subsection, we show three impossibility results for (two-pass) plain AM-AKE, and then define proper *relaxed* security to circumvent the impossibility results. More precisely, we show the impossibility results via the following three theorems, whose formal proofs are postponed to Appendix B.2, and we refer to Subsect. 1.2 for a high-level overview of the proofs. Roughly speaking, for a (two-pass) plain AM-AKE, the adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  holds both  $(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_i)$  and  $(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_r)$ , and thus a null  $\text{aux} = \perp$  or independent  $\text{aux}$  does not offer any advantage to  $P_i$  or  $P_r$  over  $\mathcal{A}$ , and  $\mathcal{A}$  is capable of doing whatever  $P_i$  or  $P_r$  can do.

**Theorem 1.** *It is impossible for a two-pass plain AM-AKE scheme AM-AKE to achieve responder-robustness.*

**Theorem 2.** *If a plain AM-AKE scheme AM-AKE is initiator-robust, then it is impossible for AM-AKE to achieve the IND-WM/sIND-WM security.*



**Theorem 3.** *It is impossible for a plain AM-AKE scheme AM-AKE to achieve the PR-DK/sPR-DK security.*

To circumvent the above impossibility results for plain AM-AKE, we weaken the IND-WM/sIND-WM security and PR-DK/sPR-DK security, by restricting the active attacks by adversary. More precisely, we disallow the adversary to query  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m, w_R = \mathbf{A})$  with its own messages  $m$  when  $w_R = \mathbf{A}$  in the IND-WM/sIND-WM experiments, and disallow the adversary to query  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m)$  and  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}(\text{sID}, m)$  with its own messages  $m$  in the PR-DK/sPR-DK experiments, respectively. These yield *relaxed* IND-WM/sIND-WM and *relaxed* PR-DK/sPR-DK securities, with experiments shown in Fig. 2 and Fig. 3 with [dashed boxes].

**Definition 6 (Relaxed Security of Plain AM-AKE).** *The relaxed security of plain AM-AKE contains relaxed IND-WM/sIND-WM and relaxed PR-DK/sPR-DK, which are defined the same as those (non-relaxed versions) of AM-AKE in Def. 5, except that the experiments are replaced by the  $\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{relaxed-IND-WM}}$  /  $\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{relaxed-sIND-WM}}$  /  $\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{relaxed-PR-DK}}$  /  $\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{relaxed-sPR-DK}}$  in Fig. 2 and Fig. 3, respectively.*

In Appendix E, we present a generic construction of plain AM-AKE with relaxed security, which not only achieves relaxed sIND-WM and relaxed sPR-DK security, but also enjoys initiator-robustness. We also discuss how to achieve responder-robustness by relying on more passes to evade the first impossibility result. (See Subsect. 1.2 for a high-level overview of this plain AM-AKE construction and its security analysis.) Then in Appendix F, we show how to instantiate the generic construction from the popular SIG+KEM and three-KEM paradigms for constructing AKE and get the corresponding plain AM-AKE schemes.

## 4 Generic Construction of Robust & Strongly-Secure AM-AKE from AKE

In this section, we present a generic construction of robust and strongly-secure AM-AKE from a basic AKE with the help of a PRF. To make the construction possible, the underlying AKE should be equipped with some new properties, which are defined in Subsect. 4.1. We call such AKE as *qualified AKE*. Then we show the generic construction in Subsect. 4.2 and present its security proof in Subsect. 4.3.

### 4.1 New Properties for Functions and Algorithms

To characterize the conditions on the basic AKE scheme, in this subsection, we first define three new properties for general functions and algorithms. Roughly speaking, the *entropy-preserving* property of a function asks the function output to have negligible guessing probability on uniformly random input. The  *$\eta$ -separable* property of an algorithm means that the first  $\eta - 1$  parts of the output

can be computed publicly and in a way independent of the input. The *secret extractability of a key generation algorithm*  $\text{Gen}$  requires that the key-pair  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk})$  from  $\text{Gen}$  can be perfectly simulated by an algorithm  $\text{SimGen}$  which additionally outputs a master key  $\text{msk}$ , and it enables the extraction of a pseudo-random secret  $s$  from  $\text{msk}$  and  $\text{pk}'$  of another party via an algorithm  $\text{Extract}$ .

**Definition 7 (Entropy-Preserving Function).** *A function  $f : \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}$  is entropy-preserving, if for any  $y \in \mathcal{Y}$ , it holds  $\Pr[f(x) = y | x \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{X}] \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .*

**Definition 8 ( $\eta$ -Separable Algorithm).** *Let  $\eta \in \mathbb{N}$ , and let  $(y, z) \leftarrow \text{Alg}(x)$  be a PPT algorithm which inputs  $x$  and outputs  $(y, z)$ . We say that  $\text{Alg}$  is  $\eta$ -separable for generating  $y$  if  $\text{Alg}$  can be implemented with  $(f_1, \dots, f_{\eta-1}, \overline{\text{Alg}})$  as follows, where  $f_j : \mathcal{D}_j \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^*$  is a publicly and efficiently computable function for  $j \in [\eta - 1]$ , and  $\overline{\text{Alg}}$  is a PPT algorithm.*

- $(y, z) \leftarrow \text{Alg}(x)$ : For  $j \in [\eta - 1]$ , sample  $d_j \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_j$  and compute  $m_j := f_j(d_j)$ ; invoke  $(m_\eta, z) \leftarrow \overline{\text{Alg}}(x, d_1, \dots, d_{\eta-1})$ ; output  $y := (m_1, \dots, m_\eta)$  and  $z$ .

**Definition 9 (Secret Extractability of  $\text{Gen}$ ).** *Let  $\text{Gen}$  be a key generation algorithm that outputs  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk})$ .<sup>5</sup> We say  $\text{Gen}$  supports secret extractability if there exist two PPT algorithms  $\text{SimGen}$  and  $\text{Extract}$  satisfying the following properties.*

- $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}, \text{msk}) \leftarrow \text{SimGen}$  : it is a simulated key generation algorithm that outputs a simulated key-pair  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk})$  together with a master key  $\text{msk}$ .
- $s \leftarrow \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{pk}_r)$  : it is a deterministic extracting algorithm that takes a master key  $\text{msk}_i$  and a public key  $\text{pk}_r$  as input, and outputs a secret  $s \in \mathcal{D}_E$ .

**Identically Distributed Key-Pairs.** *The simulated key-pair has the same distribution as the normal pair, i.e., the following two distributions are identical:*

$$\{(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \mid (\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}\} \equiv \{(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \mid (\text{pk}, \text{sk}, \text{msk}) \leftarrow \text{SimGen}\}.$$

**Extracting Correctness.** *For any  $(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_i, \text{msk}_i) \leftarrow \text{SimGen}$  and  $(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_r, \text{msk}_r) \leftarrow \text{SimGen}$ , it holds that  $\text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{pk}_r) = \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_r, \text{pk}_i)$ .*

**Pseudo-Randomness of the Extracting.** *For any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$ , we have*

$$\text{Adv}_{\text{Gen}, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{PR-Ext}}(\kappa) := \left| \Pr[\mathcal{A}(\text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, \text{sk}_r, s_0) = 1] - \Pr[\mathcal{A}(\text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, \text{sk}_r, s_1) = 1] \right| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa),$$

where  $(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_i, \text{msk}_i) \leftarrow \text{SimGen}$ ,  $(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_r, \text{msk}_r) \leftarrow \text{SimGen}$ ,  $s_0 := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{pk}_r)$ , and  $s_1 \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_E$ .

Based on the three new properties, we are ready to describe the requirements on the basic AKE and present the generic construction of AM-AKE from it.

<sup>5</sup>  $\text{Gen}$  can be the key generation algorithm of any public-key primitive, like AKE, SIG, KEM, etc.

## 4.2 Construction of AM-AKE from AKE and PRF

Let  $\text{AKE} = (\text{Gen}, \text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{DerI})$  be a two-pass AKE scheme that satisfies:

- $\text{Gen}$  has *secret extractability*, supported by algorithms  $(\text{SimGen}, \text{Extract})$  and secret space  $\mathcal{D}_E$  as per Def. 9;
- $\text{Init}$  is *3-separable for generating  $\text{msg}_i$* , supported by  $(f_{1,1}, f_{1,2}, \overline{\text{Init}})$  as per Def. 8, i.e.,  $\text{Init}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i)$  generates  $(\text{msg}_i, \text{st})$  by sampling  $d_{i,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{1,1}$ ,  $d_{i,2} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{1,2}$ , computing  $m_{i,1} := f_{1,1}(d_{i,1})$ ,  $m_{i,2} := f_{1,2}(d_{i,2})$ , invoking  $(m_{i,3}, \text{st}) \leftarrow \overline{\text{Init}}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, d_{i,1}, d_{i,2})$ , and setting  $\text{msg}_i := (m_{i,1}, m_{i,2}, m_{i,3})$ ;
- $\text{DerR}$  is *3-separable for generating  $\text{msg}_r$* , supported by  $(f_{R,1}, f_{R,2}, \overline{\text{DerR}})$  as per Def. 8, i.e.,  $\text{DerR}(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_r, \text{msg}_i)$  generates  $(\text{msg}_r, \text{K}_r)$  by sampling  $d_{r,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{R,1}$ ,  $d_{r,2} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{R,2}$ , computing  $m_{r,1} := f_{R,1}(d_{r,1})$ ,  $m_{r,2} := f_{R,2}(d_{r,2})$ , invoking  $(m_{r,3}, \text{K}_r) \leftarrow \overline{\text{DerR}}(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_r, \text{msg}_i, d_{r,1}, d_{r,2})$ , and setting  $\text{msg}_r := (m_{r,1}, m_{r,2}, m_{r,3})$ ;
- The functions  $f_{1,1}, f_{1,2}, f_{R,1}, f_{R,2}$  associated with  $\text{Init}$  and  $\text{DerR}$  are *entropy-preserving* as per Def. 7.

We call such AKE as *qualified AKE*, with requirements summarized in Table 2. Moreover, let  $\text{PRF} : \mathcal{D}_E \times \{0, 1\}^* \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_{1,2} \times \mathcal{D}_{R,2} \times \{0, 1\}^\kappa$  be a pseudo-random function. For ease of exposition, we parse the output of  $\text{PRF}$  as three parts, i.e.,  $\text{PRF}_I/\text{PRF}_R/\text{PRF}_D : \mathcal{D}_E \times \{0, 1\}^* \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_{1,2}/\mathcal{D}_{R,2}/\{0, 1\}^\kappa$ , such that  $\text{PRF}(s, m) = (\text{PRF}_I(s, m), \text{PRF}_R(s, m), \text{PRF}_D(s, m))$  for all  $s \in \mathcal{D}_E$ ,  $m \in \{0, 1\}^*$ .

Qualified AKE	Gen	Init	DerR
Requirements	<i>secret extractability</i>	<i>3-separable for <math>\text{msg}_i</math> with entropy-preserving <math>f_{1,1}, f_{1,2}</math></i>	<i>3-separable for <math>\text{msg}_r</math> with entropy-preserving <math>f_{R,1}, f_{R,2}</math></i>
Supportive Func./Alg.	$(\text{SimGen}, \text{Extract})$	$(f_{1,1}, f_{1,2}, \overline{\text{Init}})$	$(f_{R,1}, f_{R,2}, \overline{\text{DerR}})$

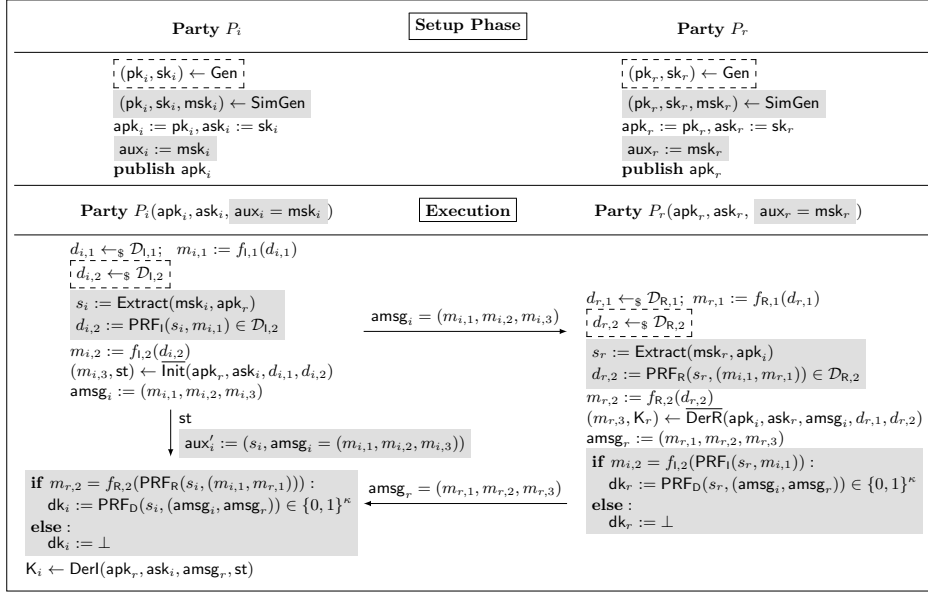
**Table 2.** Requirements for  $\text{AKE} = (\text{Gen}, \text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{DerI})$  to be *qualified* for constructing AM-AKE.

Now we convert AKE to an AM-AKE scheme  $\text{AM-AKE} = ((\text{Gen}, \text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{DerI}), (\text{aGen}, \text{alnit}, \text{aDerR}, \text{aDerI}))$  with the help of  $\text{PRF}$ , where the anamorphic algorithms are described below. (See also Fig. 4 for an illustration of AM-AKE.)

- $(\text{apk}, \text{ask}, \text{aux}) \leftarrow \text{aGen}$ : it invokes the simulated key generation algorithm  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}, \text{msk}) \leftarrow \text{SimGen}$ , and sets  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask}) := (\text{pk}, \text{sk})$  and  $\text{aux} := \text{msk}$ .
- $(\text{ams}_i, \text{st}, \text{aux}'_i) \leftarrow \text{alnit}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}_i = \text{msk}_i)$ : it first extracts a secret  $s_i := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{apk}_r)$ . Next it randomly chooses  $d_{i,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{1,1}$  and computes  $m_{i,1} := f_{1,1}(d_{i,1})$ . Then it computes  $d_{i,2} := \text{PRF}_I(s_i, m_{i,1}) \in \mathcal{D}_{1,2}$ ,  $m_{i,2} := f_{1,2}(d_{i,2})$ , and invokes  $(m_{i,3}, \text{st}) \leftarrow \overline{\text{Init}}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, d_{i,1}, d_{i,2})$ . Finally, it returns  $(\text{ams}_i := (m_{i,1}, m_{i,2}, m_{i,3}), \text{st}, \text{aux}'_i := (s_i, \text{ams}_i))$ .
- $(\text{ams}_r, \text{K}_r, \text{dk}_r) \leftarrow \text{aDerR}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{aux}_r = \text{msk}_r, \text{ams}_i = (m_{i,1}, m_{i,2}, m_{i,3}))$ : it first randomly chooses  $d_{r,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{R,1}$  and computes  $m_{r,1} := f_{R,1}(d_{r,1})$ . Next it extracts a secret  $s_r := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_r, \text{apk}_i)$ , and computes  $d_{r,2} := \text{PRF}_R(s_r, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1})) \in \mathcal{D}_{R,2}$ ,  $m_{r,2} := f_{R,2}(d_{r,2})$ , invokes  $(m_{r,3}, \text{K}_r) \leftarrow \overline{\text{DerR}}$

$(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{amsg}_i, d_{r,1}, d_{r,2})$ , and sets  $\text{amsg}_r := (m_{r,1}, m_{r,2}, m_{r,3})$ . Afterwards, it checks whether  $m_{i,2} = f_{1,2}(\text{PRF}_1(s_r, m_{i,1}))$  holds. If the check passes, then it sets  $\text{dk}_r := \text{PRF}_D(s_r, (\text{amsg}_i, \text{amsg}_r)) \in \{0, 1\}^\kappa$  as the double key; otherwise, it sets  $\text{dk}_r := \perp$ . Finally, it returns  $(\text{amsg}_r, K_r, \text{dk}_r)$ .

- $(K_i, \text{dk}_i) \leftarrow \text{aDerl}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}'_i = (s_i, \text{amsg}_i), \text{amsg}_r = (m_{r,1}, m_{r,2}, m_{r,3}), \text{st})$ : it first checks whether  $m_{r,2} = f_{R,2}(\text{PRF}_R(s_i, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1})))$  holds. If yes, it sets  $\text{dk}_i := \text{PRF}_D(s_i, (\text{amsg}_i, \text{amsg}_r)) \in \{0, 1\}^\kappa$  as the double key; else,  $\text{dk}_i := \perp$ . Finally, it invokes  $K_i \leftarrow \text{Derl}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{amsg}_r, \text{st})$ , and returns  $(K_i, \text{dk}_i)$ .



**Fig. 4.** Generic construction of the AM-AKE scheme AM-AKE based on AKE and PRF, where dotted boxes appear only in normal algorithms (Gen, Init, DerR, Derl), and gray boxes appear only in anamorphic algorithms (aGen, alnit, aDerR, aDerl).

Let us compare the normal algorithms and the anamorphic ones.

- The anamorphic algorithm **aGen** invokes **SimGen** to produce a simulated key-pair  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask}) := (\text{pk}, \text{sk})$  as well as a master secret  $\text{aux} := \text{msk}$ . By the property of secret extractability of the normal algorithm **Gen**, the anamorphic key-pair has the same distribution as the normal key-pair generated by **Gen**.
- The normal algorithm **Init** makes use of random coins  $d_{i,1}$  and  $d_{i,2}$  for the generation of  $\text{msg}_i$ . The anamorphic algorithm **alnit** can be regarded as the normal **Init** taking random coins  $d_{i,1}$  and specific coins  $d_{i,2} = \text{PRF}_1(s_i, m_{i,1})$ , with  $s_i$  a secret extracted from the master secret  $\text{msk}_i$  of  $P_i$  and  $\text{apk}_r$  of  $P_r$ .
- The normal algorithm **DerR** makes use of random coins  $d_{r,1}, d_{r,2}$  for the generation of  $\text{msg}_r$  and the session key  $K_r$ . The anamorphic algorithm **aDerR**

has two parts: one part can be regarded as the normal DerR taking random coins  $d_{r,1}$  and specific coins  $d_{r,2} = \text{PRF}_R(s_r, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1}))$  to output  $\text{msg}_r$  and key  $K_r$ ; the other part is in charge of generating the double key  $\text{dk}_r := \text{PRF}_D(s_r, (\text{amsg}_i, \text{amsg}_r))$  or  $\text{dk}_r := \perp$  depending on whether  $m_{i,2} = f_{1,2}(\text{PRF}_1(s_r, m_{i,1}))$  holds, with  $s_r$  a secret derived from the master secret  $\text{msk}_r$  of  $P_r$  and  $\text{apk}_i$  of  $P_i$ .

- The normal algorithm Der1 is deterministic and outputs the session key  $K_i$ . The anamorphic algorithm aDer1 functions identically as Der1 for the generation of key  $K_i$ , but it is also in charge of generating the double key  $\text{dk}_i := \text{PRF}_D(s_i, (\text{amsg}_i, \text{amsg}_r))$  or  $\text{dk}_i := \perp$  depending on whether  $m_{r,2} = f_{R,2}(\text{PRF}_R(s_i, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1})))$  holds.

Note that the correctness of the underlying AKE guarantees that  $K_i = K_r$  for every possible choices of  $d_{i,1}, d_{i,2}, d_{r,1}, d_{r,2}$ . Thus even using specific coins in the anamorphic algorithms, we also have  $K_i = K_r$ . This shows the correctness of  $K_i = K_r$  in all working modes. Moreover, in the anamorphic mode, we have  $\text{dk}_i = \text{PRF}_D(s_i, (\text{amsg}_i, \text{amsg}_r)) = \text{PRF}_D(s_r, (\text{amsg}_i, \text{amsg}_r)) = \text{dk}_r$  since  $s_i = \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{apk}_r) = \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_r, \text{apk}_i) = s_r$  holds by the extracting correctness of Gen's secret extractability, and thus the correctness of double key holds.

Below we analyze the robustness of our AM-AKE.

**Initiator-Robustness.** Suppose that  $P_i$  invokes anamorphic algorithms  $\text{alnit}$  and  $\text{aDerl}$  while  $P_r$  invokes normal algorithm DerR, then  $P_r$  computes  $m_{r,2} := f_{R,2}(d_{r,2})$  by using a uniformly chosen  $d_{r,2} \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_{R,2}$ . When  $P_i$  invokes the anamorphic algorithm aDerl to check whether  $m_{r,2} = f_{R,2}(\text{PRF}_R(s_i, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1})))$  holds, we know that here  $f_{R,2}(\text{PRF}_R(s_i, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1})))$  is independent of  $m_{r,2} := f_{R,2}(d_{r,2})$  since  $d_{r,2} \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_{R,2}$  is chosen independently of  $s_i, m_{i,1}, m_{r,1}$  by  $P_r$ . Thus for every possible value of  $f_{R,2}(\text{PRF}_R(s_i, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1})))$ , the check  $m_{r,2} := f_{R,2}(d_{r,2}) = f_{R,2}(\text{PRF}_R(s_i, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1})))$  can pass with only a negligible probability by the entropy-preserving property of  $f_{R,2}$  and due to the randomness of  $d_{r,2} \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_{R,2}$ , and consequently,  $P_i$  will set  $\text{dk}_i := \perp$  with overwhelming probability.

**Responder-Robustness.** Suppose that  $P_i$  invokes normal algorithms  $\text{lnit}$  and Derl while  $P_r$  invokes anamorphic algorithm aDerR, then  $P_i$  computes  $m_{i,2} := f_{1,2}(d_{i,2})$  by using a uniformly chosen  $d_{i,2} \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_{1,2}$ . When  $P_r$  invokes the anamorphic algorithm aDerR to check whether  $m_{i,2} = f_{1,2}(\text{PRF}_1(s_r, m_{i,1}))$  holds, we know that here  $f_{1,2}(\text{PRF}_1(s_r, m_{i,1}))$  is independent of  $m_{i,2} := f_{1,2}(d_{i,2})$  since  $d_{i,2} \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_{1,2}$  is chosen independently of  $s_r, m_{i,1}$  by  $P_i$ . Thus for every possible value of  $f_{1,2}(\text{PRF}_1(s_r, m_{i,1}))$ , the check  $m_{i,2} := f_{1,2}(d_{i,2}) = f_{1,2}(\text{PRF}_1(s_r, m_{i,1}))$  can pass with only a negligible probability by the entropy-preserving property of  $f_{1,2}$  and due to the randomness of  $d_{i,2} \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_{1,2}$ , and consequently,  $P_r$  will set  $\text{dk}_r := \perp$  overwhelmingly.

### 4.3 Security Proofs

We show the strong security of the AM-AKE proposed in Subsect. 4.2.

**Theorem 4 (Strong Security of AM-AKE).** *Let AKE be a qualified two-pass AKE scheme satisfying the requirements listed in Table 2, and let PRF be a pseudo-random function. Then the AM-AKE constructed in Subsect. 4.2 achieves both the sIND-WM and sPR-DK security.*

The proof of Theorem 4 consists of two parts: the sIND-WM security follows from Lemma 1 and Lemma 2, and the sPR-DK security follows from Lemma 3.

**Lemma 1.** *For any adversary  $\mathcal{A}$ , it holds that  $|\Pr[\mathcal{A}(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) = 1] - \Pr[\mathcal{A}(\text{apk}, \text{ask}) = 1]| = 0$ , where  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}$  and  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask}, \text{aux}) \leftarrow \text{aGen}$ .*

**Proof of Lemma 1.** In AM-AKE, the anamorphic key-pair  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask})$  is generated by  $\text{SimGen}$ , and thus has the same distribution as the norm pair  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk})$  generated by  $\text{Gen}$ , according to the secret extractability of  $\text{Gen}$ .  $\square$

**Lemma 2.** *There exists PPT simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{Siml}, \text{SimR})$ , such that for any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $N = \text{poly}(\kappa)$ ,  $|\Pr[\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{sIND-WM}} = 1] - \frac{1}{2}| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .*

**Lemma 3.** *There exists PPT simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{Siml}, \text{SimR})$ , such that for any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $N = \text{poly}(\kappa)$ ,  $|\Pr[\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{sPR-DK}} = 1] - \frac{1}{2}| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .*

Due to space limitations, the proofs of Lemma 2 and Lemma 3 are postponed to Appendix C.1 and Appendix C.3, respectively. Here we only present the description of the simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{Siml}, \text{SimR})$  used in these proofs, and we refer to Subsect. 1.2 for an overview of the proofs.

- $R_i \leftarrow \text{Siml}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}_i = \text{msk}_i, R'_i)$ : Here  $R'_i$  is an internal randomness used in  $\text{alnit}$ , and thus includes  $d_{i,1}$  as well as the randomness used in  $\overline{\text{Init}}$ , denoted by  $d_{i,3}$ , i.e.,  $R'_i = (d_{i,1}, d_{i,3})$ . This algorithm aims to explain  $R'_i$  as a randomness  $R_i$  for  $\text{Init}$ . To this end, it computes  $s_i := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{apk}_r)$ ,  $m_{i,1} := f_{i,1}(d_{i,1})$ ,  $d_{i,2} := \text{PRF}_1(s_i, m_{i,1})$ , and outputs  $R_i := (d_{i,1}, d_{i,2}, d_{i,3})$ .
- $R_r \leftarrow \text{SimR}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{aux}_r = \text{msk}_r, m, R'_r)$ : Here  $R'_r$  is an internal randomness used in  $\text{aDerR}$ , and thus includes  $d_{r,1}$  as well as the randomness used in  $\overline{\text{DerR}}$ , denoted by  $d_{r,3}$ , i.e.,  $R'_r = (d_{r,1}, d_{r,3})$ . This algorithm aims to explain  $R'_r$  as a randomness  $R_r$  for  $\text{DerR}$ . To this end, it parses  $m = (m_{i,1}, m_{i,2}, m_{i,3})$ , computes  $s_r := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_r, \text{apk}_i)$ ,  $m_{r,1} := f_{R,1}(d_{r,1})$ ,  $d_{r,2} := \text{PRF}_R(s_r, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1}))$  and outputs  $R_r := (d_{r,1}, d_{r,2}, d_{r,3})$ .

## 5 Instantiations of Robust and Strongly-Secure AM-AKE

To instantiate the AM-AKE generic construction proposed in Sect. 4, we can employ any pseudo-random function PRF, and thus we only need to instantiate the underlying *qualified* AKE, i.e., AKE satisfying the requirements in Table 2.

In this section, we will show that the popular SIG+KEM paradigm [19] and three-KEM paradigm [20] for constructing AKE yield *qualified* AKE schemes,

as long as the underlying SIG and/or KEM satisfy certain conditions. Then by plugging them into the generic construction in Sect. 4, we immediately obtain concrete AM-AKE schemes achieving initiator-robustness, responder-robustness and strong security. More precisely, in Subsect. 5.1, we show how to obtain qualified AKE and AM-AKE via the SIG+KEM paradigm, and in Subsect. 5.2, we show how to obtain them via the three-KEM paradigm.

### 5.1 Instantiation from The SIG+KEM Paradigm

**Qualified AKE via The SIG+KEM Paradigm.** We first recall the SIG+KEM paradigm of constructing two-pass AKE according to [19]. Let  $\text{KEM} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}, \text{Encap}, \text{Decap})$  be a KEM scheme,  $\text{SIG} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{SIG}}, \text{Sign}, \text{Vrfy})$  a signature scheme and  $H$  a suitable hash function. The resulting  $\text{AKE}_{\text{KS}} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KS}}, \text{Init}_{\text{KS}}, \text{DerR}_{\text{KS}}, \text{DerL}_{\text{KS}})$  is described as follows (see also Fig. 5 with dotted boxes for the paradigm).

- $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KS}}$ : Invoke  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{SIG}}$  and return  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk})$ .
- $(\text{msg}_i, \text{st}) \leftarrow \text{Init}_{\text{KS}}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i)$ : Invoke  $(\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \widetilde{\text{sk}}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}, \sigma_i \leftarrow \text{Sign}(\text{sk}_i, \widetilde{\text{pk}})$ , and output  $\text{msg}_i := (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \sigma_i)$  and the state  $\text{st} := (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \widetilde{\text{sk}})$ .
- $(\text{msg}_r, K_r) \leftarrow \text{DerR}_{\text{KS}}(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_r, \text{msg}_i = (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \sigma_i))$ : If  $\text{Vrfy}(\text{pk}_i, \widetilde{\text{pk}}, \sigma_i) = 0$ : output  $\perp$ ; if  $\text{Vrfy}(\text{pk}_i, \widetilde{\text{pk}}, \sigma_i) = 1$ , invoke  $(K, \psi) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\widetilde{\text{pk}}), \sigma_r \leftarrow \text{Sign}(\text{sk}_r, (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \psi))$ , and output  $\text{msg}_r := (\psi, \sigma_r)$  and session key  $K_r := H(K, \text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{msg}_i, \text{msg}_r)$ .
- $K_i \leftarrow \text{DerL}_{\text{KS}}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, \text{msg}_r = (\psi, \sigma_r), \text{st} = (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \widetilde{\text{sk}}))$ : If  $\text{Vrfy}(\text{pk}_r, (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \psi), \sigma_r) = 0$ : output  $\perp$ ; if  $\text{Vrfy}(\text{pk}_r, (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \psi), \sigma_r) = 1$ : invoke  $K \leftarrow \text{Decap}(\widetilde{\text{sk}}, \psi)$  and output  $K_i := H(K, \text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{msg}_i, \text{msg}_r)$ .

Qualified $\text{AKE}_{\text{KS}}$	SIG		KEM	
	$\text{Gen}_{\text{SIG}}$	Sign	$\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}$	Encap
Requirements	<i>secret extract.</i>	<i>2-separable with entropy-preserv. <math>f_S</math></i>	<i>entropy-preserv.</i>	<i>entropy-preserv.</i>
Supportive Func./Alg.	(SimGen, Extract)	$(f_S, \text{Sign})$	$\text{pk} := \overline{\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}(d_G)}$	$\psi := \overline{\text{Encap}(d_K)}$

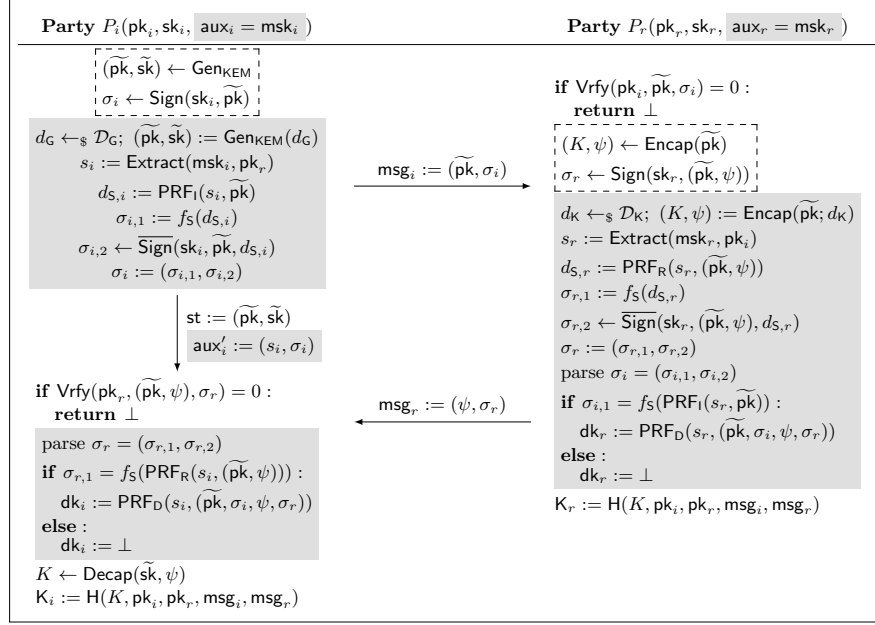
**Table 3.** Requirements for the building blocks  $\text{SIG} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{SIG}}, \text{Sign}, \text{Vrfy})$  and  $\text{KEM} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}, \text{Encap}, \text{Decap})$  of the KEM-SIG paradigm in order to get a qualified  $\text{AKE}_{\text{KS}}$ .

Below we will show that the  $\text{AKE}_{\text{KS}}$  is *qualified* for constructing AM-AKE, if the underlying SIG and KEM satisfy the following requirements (see also Table 3).

Requirements for  $\text{SIG} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{SIG}}, \text{Sign}, \text{Vrfy})$ :

- $\text{Gen}_{\text{SIG}}$  has secret extractability, supported by (SimGen, Extract) as per Def. 9;
- Sign is 2-separable for generating  $\sigma$ , supported by  $(f_S, \text{Sign})$  as per Def. 8, i.e.,  $\text{Sign}(\text{sk}, m)$  generates  $\sigma$  by sampling  $d_S \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_S$ , computing  $\sigma_1 := f_S(d_S)$ , invoking  $\sigma_2 \leftarrow \text{Sign}(\text{sk}, m, d_S)$ , and setting  $\sigma := (\sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ ;
- The function  $f_S$  is entropy-preserving as per Def. 7.

Requirements for  $\text{KEM} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}, \text{Encap}, \text{Decap})$ :



**Fig. 5.** The SIG+KEM paradigm for AKE (with [dotted boxes]) and the resulting robust and strongly-secure AM-AKE via our generic construction in Sect. 4 (with normal algorithms in [dotted boxes] and anamorphic ones in gray boxes).

- The function  $\overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}(\cdot) : \mathcal{D}_G \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^*$  is entropy-preserving, where  $\overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}$  functions the same as  $\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}$  that takes a randomness  $d_G \in \mathcal{D}_G$  as input but outputs only  $\text{pk}$  (and does not output  $\text{sk}$ ).
- For any public key  $\text{pk}$ , the function  $\overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}; \cdot) : \mathcal{D}_K \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^*$  is entropy-preserving, where  $\overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}; \cdot)$  functions the same as  $\text{Encap}(\text{pk})$  that takes a randomness  $d_K \in \mathcal{D}_K$  as input but outputs only  $\psi$  (and does not output  $K$ ).

With such SIG and KEM, we prove that the resulting  $\text{AKE}_{\text{KS}}$  is a qualified AKE via the following Lemma 4. Then by plugging the qualified  $\text{AKE}_{\text{KS}}$  into our generic construction in Sect. 4, we immediately get a robust and strongly-secure two-pass AM-AKE scheme, as shown in Fig. 5 with gray boxes.

**Lemma 4.** *If SIG and KEM meet the above requirements, then the  $\text{AKE}_{\text{KS}}$  yielded by the SIG+KEM paradigm is a qualified AKE for constructing AM-AKE.*

*Proof.* To prove that  $\text{AKE}_{\text{KS}} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KS}}, \text{Init}_{\text{KS}}, \text{DerR}_{\text{KS}}, \text{DerI}_{\text{KS}})$  is a qualified one, we show that all requirements listed in Table 2 are satisfied, i.e.,  $\text{Gen}_{\text{KS}}$  has secret extractability,  $\text{Init}_{\text{KS}}$  is 3-separable with entropy-preserving functions  $(f_{1,1}, f_{1,2})$ , and  $\text{DerR}_{\text{KS}}$  is 3-separable with entropy-preserving functions  $(f_{R,1}, f_{R,2})$ .

- Since  $\text{Gen}_{\text{KS}} = \text{Gen}_{\text{SIG}}$ , the secret extract. of  $\text{Gen}_{\text{KS}}$  follows from that of  $\text{Gen}_{\text{SIG}}$ .
- The process of  $\text{Init}_{\text{KS}}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i)$  for generating  $(\text{msg}_i = (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \sigma_i = (\sigma_{i,1}, \sigma_{i,2})), \text{st} = (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \widetilde{\text{sk}}))$  can be decomposed into three steps, since  $\text{Sign}$  is 2-separable:



1.  $d_G \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_G$  and  $\widetilde{\text{pk}} := \overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}(d_G)$ . So we can define  $f_{1,1} := \overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}$ , and then the entropy-preserving property of  $f_{1,1}$  follows from that of  $\overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}$ .
2.  $d_{S,i} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_S$  and  $\sigma_{i,1} := f_S(d_{S,i})$ . So we can define  $f_{1,2} := f_S$ , and then the entropy-preserving property of  $f_{1,2}$  follows from that of  $f_S$ .
3.  $(\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \widetilde{\text{sk}}) := \overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}(d_G)$ ,  $\sigma_{i,2} \leftarrow \overline{\text{Sign}}(\text{sk}_i, \widetilde{\text{pk}}, d_{S,i})$ , and set  $\text{st} := (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \widetilde{\text{sk}})$ . This process can be defined as  $(\sigma_{i,2}, \text{st}) \leftarrow \overline{\text{Init}}_{\text{KS}}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, d_G, d_{S,i})$ .

Consequently,  $\overline{\text{Init}}_{\text{KS}}$  is 3-separable with two entropy-preserving functions ( $f_{1,1} = \overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}$ ,  $f_{1,2} = f_S$ ) and an algorithm  $\overline{\text{Init}}_{\text{KS}}$ .

- Similarly, the process of  $\overline{\text{DerR}}_{\text{KS}}(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_r, \text{msg}_i = (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \sigma_i))$  for generating  $(\text{msg}_r = (\psi, \sigma_r = (\sigma_{r,1}, \sigma_{r,2})), K_r)$  can be decomposed into three steps:
    1.  $d_K \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_K$  and  $\psi := \overline{\text{Encap}}(\widetilde{\text{pk}}; d_K)$ . So we can define  $f_{R,1} := \overline{\text{Encap}}(\widetilde{\text{pk}}; \cdot)$ , and then the entropy-preserving of  $f_{R,1}$  follows from that of  $\overline{\text{Encap}}(\widetilde{\text{pk}}; \cdot)$ .
    2.  $d_{S,r} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_S$  and  $\sigma_{r,1} := f_S(d_{S,r})$ . So we can define  $f_{R,2} := f_S$ , and then the entropy-preserving property of  $f_{R,2}$  follows from that of  $f_S$ .
    3. If  $\text{Vrfy}(\text{pk}_i, \widetilde{\text{pk}}, \sigma_i) = 1$ :  $(K, \psi) := \overline{\text{Encap}}(\widetilde{\text{pk}}; d_K)$ ,  $\sigma_{r,2} \leftarrow \overline{\text{Sign}}(\text{sk}_r, (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \psi), d_{S,r})$ , and set  $K_r := \text{H}(K, \text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{msg}_i, \text{msg}_r)$ . Otherwise output  $\perp$ . This process can be defined as  $(\sigma_{r,2}, K_r) \leftarrow \overline{\text{DerR}}_{\text{KS}}(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_r, \text{msg}_i = (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \sigma_i), d_K, d_{S,r})$ .
- Consequently,  $\overline{\text{DerR}}_{\text{KS}}$  is 3-separable with two entropy-preserving functions ( $f_{R,1} = \overline{\text{Encap}}(\widetilde{\text{pk}}; \cdot)$ ,  $f_{R,2} = f_S$ ) and an algorithm  $\overline{\text{DerR}}_{\text{KS}}$ .  $\square$

**Concrete Instantiations.** To obtain concrete qualified AKE scheme via the SIG+KEM paradigm, it remains to present concrete SIG and KEM schemes satisfying the requirements described above (cf. Table 3). More precisely, we will show that any IND-CPA secure KEM suffices, and then for SIG, we present a concrete instantiation over asymmetric pairing groups.

Concrete KEM. In fact, any IND-CPA secure KEM has entropy-preserving  $\overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}$  and  $\overline{\text{Encap}}$ , which output only  $\text{pk}$  and  $\psi$  respectively. Intuitively, if an independently generated  $(\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \widetilde{\text{sk}}) \leftarrow \overline{\text{Gen}}$  or  $(\widetilde{K}, \widetilde{\psi}) \leftarrow \overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk})$  leads to  $\widetilde{\text{pk}} = \text{pk}$  or  $\widetilde{\psi} = \psi$  with non-negligible probability for a target  $\text{pk}$  or  $\psi$ , an adversary can use the accompanying  $\text{sk}$  or  $\widetilde{K}$  to break the IND-CPA security of KEM easily. More precisely, we have the following lemma with proof postponed to Appendix D.1.

**Lemma 5 (Any IND-CPA Secure KEM has Entropy-Preserving  $\overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}$  and  $\overline{\text{Encap}}$ ).** *If KEM = ( $\overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}$ ,  $\overline{\text{Encap}}$ ,  $\overline{\text{Decap}}$ ) is a IND-CPA secure KEM scheme, then the function  $\overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}(\cdot)$  that outputs only  $\text{pk}$  and the function  $\overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}; \cdot)$  that outputs only  $\psi$  are entropy-preserving.*

Concrete SIG. Let  $\text{pp} = (\mathbb{G}_1, \mathbb{G}_2, \mathbb{G}_T, p, e, g_1, g_2, g_T)$  be a description of asymmetric pairing group, where  $\mathbb{G}_1, \mathbb{G}_2, \mathbb{G}_T$  are cyclic groups of prime order  $p$ ,  $e : \mathbb{G}_1 \times \mathbb{G}_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{G}_T$  is a non-degenerated bilinear pairing, and  $g_1, g_2, g_T$  are generators of  $\mathbb{G}_1, \mathbb{G}_2, \mathbb{G}_T$  respectively. Moreover, let  $\text{H} : \{0, 1\}^* \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_p$  be a hash function. We present a concrete scheme  $\text{SIG}_{\text{DDH}} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{DDH}}, \text{Sign}, \text{Vrfy})$  as follows.

- $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{DDH}}$  : it picks  $x \leftarrow_{\$} \mathbb{Z}_p$ , and sets  $(\text{pk} := e(g_1, g_2)^x, \text{sk} := g_2^x)$ .

- $\sigma \leftarrow \text{Sign}(\text{sk} = g_2^x, m)$ : it chooses  $r \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$  randomly, then computes  $\sigma_1 := g_1^r$ ,  $d := \text{H}(m, \sigma_1) \in \mathbb{Z}_p$ ,  $\sigma_2 := g_2^{x \cdot d + r}$ , and outputs  $\sigma := (\sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ .
- $0/1 \leftarrow \text{Vrfy}(\text{pk} = e(g_1, g_2)^x, m, \sigma = (\sigma_1, \sigma_2))$ : it computes  $d := \text{H}(m, \sigma_1) \in \mathbb{Z}_p$ , and outputs 1 if and only if  $e(g_1, \sigma_2) = e(g_1, g_2)^{x \cdot d} \cdot e(\sigma_1, g_2)$  holds.

Intuitively, the scheme  $\text{SIG}_{\text{DDH}}$  can be viewed as a variant of the Schnorr signature scheme [24], by lifting it from  $(\mathbb{Z}_p, \mathbb{G})$  of a cyclic group to  $(\mathbb{G}_2, \mathbb{G}_T)$  of the asymmetric pairing group. It is routine to check the correctness of  $\text{SIG}_{\text{DDH}}$ . Next we show its EUF-CMA security with proof appeared in Appendix D.2, since the proof is essentially the same as that for the Schnorr scheme.

**Theorem 5 (Security of  $\text{SIG}_{\text{DDH}}$ ).** *If the DDH assumption holds over  $\mathbb{G}_1$  and  $\text{H}$  is a random oracle, then the proposed  $\text{SIG}_{\text{DDH}}$  achieves EUF-CMA security.*

Below we show that  $\text{SIG}_{\text{DDH}}$  satisfies the requirements listed in Table 3 via the following two lemmas.

**Lemma 6 (Secret Extractability of  $\text{Gen}_{\text{DDH}}$ ).** *The key generation algorithm  $\text{Gen}_{\text{DDH}}$  has secret extractability based on the DDH assumption over  $\mathbb{G}_2$ .*

*Proof.* We first describe the supportive algorithms  $\text{SimGen}_{\text{DDH}}$  and  $\text{Extract}_{\text{DDH}}$  as follows, which take  $\text{pp}$  as an implicit input, the same as  $\text{Gen}_{\text{DDH}}$ .

- $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}, \text{msk}) \leftarrow \text{SimGen}_{\text{DDH}}$ : it picks  $x \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$ , and sets  $(\text{pk} := e(g_1, g_2)^x, \text{sk} := g_2^x, \text{msk} := x)$ .
- $s \leftarrow \text{Extract}_{\text{DDH}}(\text{msk}_i = x_i, \text{pk}_r = e(g_1, g_2)^{x_r})$ : it computes  $s := \text{pk}_r^{\text{msk}_i} = e(g_1, g_2)^{x_r x_i}$ .

Next we show that the proposed  $(\text{SimGen}_{\text{DDH}}, \text{Extract}_{\text{DDH}})$  satisfy the requirements of secret extractability (cf. Def. 9). It is easy to see that the key-pair  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk})$  generated by  $\text{SimGen}_{\text{DDH}}$  has the same distribution as the normal pair generated by  $\text{Gen}_{\text{DDH}}$ , and check that the extraction correctness holds, i.e.,  $\text{Extract}_{\text{DDH}}(\text{msk}_i, \text{pk}_r) = e(g_1, g_2)^{x_i x_r} = \text{Extract}_{\text{DDH}}(\text{msk}_r, \text{pk}_i)$ .

It remains to prove the pseudo-randomness of  $\text{Extract}_{\text{DDH}}(\text{msk}_i, \text{pk}_r) = e(g_1, g_2)^{x_i x_r}$  conditioned on  $(\text{pk}_i = e(g_1, g_2)^{x_i}, \text{pk}_r = e(g_1, g_2)^{x_r}, \text{sk}_i = g_2^{x_i}, \text{sk}_r = g_2^{x_r})$ . More precisely, for any adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  against the pseudo-randomness of the extracting, we construct an algorithm  $\mathcal{B}$  against the DDH assumption over  $\mathbb{G}_2$  as follows.

Given a DDH challenge  $(\text{pp}, g_2^{x_i}, g_2^{x_r}, T)$ ,  $\mathcal{B}$  wants to distinguish  $T = g_2^{x_i x_r}$  from  $T \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{G}_2$ , where  $x_i, x_r \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$ . To this end,  $\mathcal{B}$  sets  $\text{sk}_i := g_2^{x_i}$ ,  $\text{sk}_r := g_2^{x_r}$ , computes  $\text{pk}_i := e(g_1, g_2^{x_i}) = e(g_1, g_2)^{x_i}$ ,  $\text{pk}_r := e(g_1, g_2^{x_r}) = e(g_1, g_2)^{x_r}$ ,  $s^* := e(g_1, T)$ , gives  $(\text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, \text{sk}_r, s^*)$  to  $\mathcal{A}$ , and returns the output of  $\mathcal{A}$  to its own challenger. It is easy to see that  $\mathcal{B}$ 's simulation of  $(\text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, \text{sk}_r)$  is perfect. If  $T = g_2^{x_i x_r}$ , then  $s^* := e(g_1, T) = e(g_1, g_2)^{x_i x_r} = \text{Extract}_{\text{DDH}}(\text{msk}_i, \text{pk}_r)$ ; if  $T \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{G}_2$ , then  $s^* := e(g_1, T)$  is uniformly distributed over  $\mathbb{G}_T$ . Consequently,  $\mathcal{B}$  is able to distinguish  $T = g_2^{x_i x_r}$  from  $T \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{G}_2$ , as long as  $\mathcal{A}$  can distinguish  $(\text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, \text{sk}_r, s^* = \text{Extract}_{\text{DDH}}(\text{msk}_i, \text{pk}_r))$  from  $(\text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, \text{sk}_r, s^* \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{G}_T)$ , and we have  $\text{Adv}_{\text{Gen}_{\text{DDH}}, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{PR-Ext}}(\kappa) \leq \text{Adv}_{\mathbb{G}_2, \mathcal{B}}^{\text{DDH}}(\kappa)$ , which is negligible under the DDH assumption over  $\mathbb{G}_2$ . This shows the pseudo-randomness of the extracting.  $\square$

**Lemma 7 (2-Separability of  $\text{Sign}_{\text{DDH}}$  with Entropy-Preserving  $f_S$ ).**  $\text{Sign}_{\text{DDH}}$  is 2-separable for generating  $\sigma$ , and the supportive function  $f_S$  is entropy-preserving.

*Proof.* It is easy to see that the process of  $\text{Sign}(\text{sk} = g_2^x, m)$  generating  $\sigma = (\sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  can be decomposed into two parts: the first part includes  $r \leftarrow_{\mathcal{S}} \mathbb{Z}_p$  and  $\sigma_1 := g_1^r$ , and the second part computes  $\sigma_2 := g_2^{x \cdot \text{H}(m, \sigma_1) + r}$ . Consequently,  $\text{Sign}$  is 2-separable for generating  $\sigma = (\sigma_1, \sigma_2)$ , supported by  $(f_S, \text{Sign})$ , where  $f_S$  is defined by  $f_S(r) := g_1^r$  for  $r \in \mathbb{Z}_p$  and  $\text{Sign}$  is defined by  $\text{Sign}(\text{sk} = g_2^x, m, r) := g_2^{x \cdot \text{H}(m, g_1^r) + r}$ . Moreover,  $f_S$  is entropy-preserving since for any  $h \in \mathbb{G}_1$ , the probability  $\Pr[f_S(r) = g_1^r = h | r \leftarrow_{\mathcal{S}} \mathbb{Z}_p] = 1/p$  is negligible.  $\square$

## 5.2 Instantiation from The Three-KEM Paradigm

**Qualified AKE via The Three-KEM Paradigm.** We first recall the three-KEM paradigm of constructing two-pass AKE according to [20]. Let  $\text{KEM} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}, \text{Encap}, \text{Decap})$  and  $\text{KEM}_0 = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}_0}, \text{Encap}_0, \text{Decap}_0)$  be two KEM schemes, and  $\text{H}$  a suitable hash function. The resulting  $\text{AKE}_{3\text{K}} = (\text{Gen}_{3\text{K}}, \text{Init}_{3\text{K}}, \text{DerR}_{3\text{K}}, \text{DerL}_{3\text{K}})$  is described as follows (see also Fig. 6 with dotted boxes).

- $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{3\text{K}}$ : Invoke  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}$  and return  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk})$ .
- $(\text{msg}_i, \text{st}) \leftarrow \text{Init}_{3\text{K}}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i)$ : Invoke  $(\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \widetilde{\text{sk}}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}_0}$ ,  $(K_i, \psi_i) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\text{pk}_r)$ , and output  $\text{msg}_i := (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \psi_i)$  and the state  $\text{st} := (\widetilde{\text{sk}}, K_i)$ .
- $(\text{msg}_r, K_r) \leftarrow \text{DerR}_{3\text{K}}(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_r, \text{msg}_i = (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \psi_i))$ : Invoke  $K_i \leftarrow \text{Decap}(\text{sk}_r, \psi_i)$ ,  $(\widetilde{K}, \widetilde{\psi}) \leftarrow \text{Encap}_0(\widetilde{\text{pk}})$  and  $(K_r, \psi_r) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\text{pk}_i)$ . Output  $\text{msg}_r := (\widetilde{\psi}, \psi_r)$  and session key  $K_r := \text{H}(\text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{msg}_i, \text{msg}_r, K_i, K_r, \widetilde{K})$ .
- $K_i \leftarrow \text{DerL}_{3\text{K}}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, \text{msg}_r = (\widetilde{\psi}, \psi_r), \text{st} = (\widetilde{\text{sk}}, K_i))$ : Invoke  $\widetilde{K} \leftarrow \text{Decap}_0(\widetilde{\text{sk}}, \widetilde{\psi})$ ,  $K_r \leftarrow \text{Decap}(\text{sk}_i, \psi_r)$ , and output  $K_i := \text{H}(\text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{msg}_i, \text{msg}_r, K_i, K_r, \widetilde{K})$ .

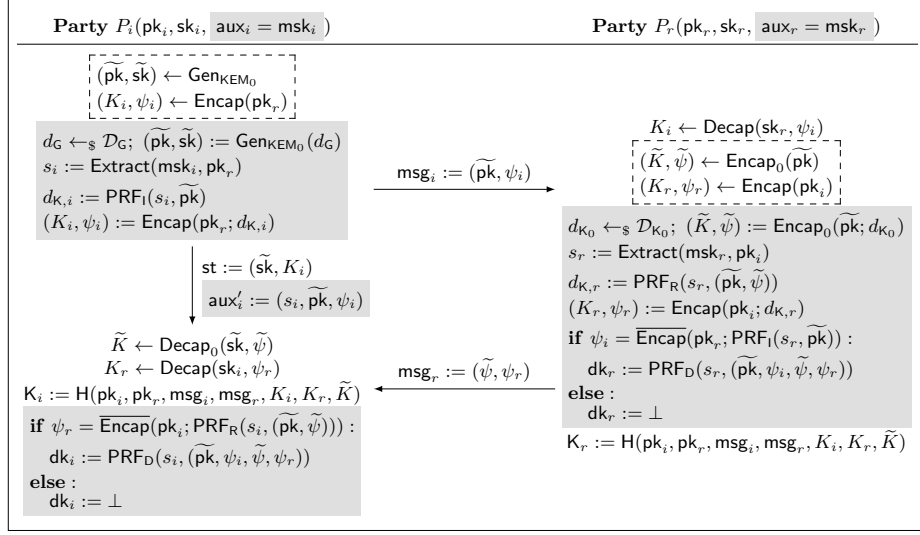
Qualified $\text{AKE}_{3\text{K}}$	KEM		KEM <sub>0</sub>	
	Gen <sub>KEM</sub>	Encap	Gen <sub>KEM<sub>0</sub></sub>	Encap <sub>0</sub>
Requirements	<i>secret extract.</i>	<i>entropy-preserv.</i>	<i>entropy-preserv.</i>	<i>entropy-preserv.</i>
Supportive Func./Alg.	(SimGen, Extract)	$\psi := \overline{\text{Encap}}(d_K)$	$\widetilde{\text{pk}} := \overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}(d_G)$	$\widetilde{\psi} := \overline{\text{Encap}}(d_{K_0})$

**Table 4.** Requirements for the building blocks  $\text{KEM} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}, \text{Encap}, \text{Decap})$  and  $\text{KEM}_0 = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}_0}, \text{Encap}_0, \text{Decap}_0)$  of the three-KEM paradigm in order to get a qualified  $\text{AKE}_{3\text{K}}$ .

Below we will show that  $\text{AKE}_{3\text{K}}$  is *qualified* for constructing AM-AKE, if the underlying KEM and  $\text{KEM}_0$  satisfy the following requirements (see also Table 4).

Requirements for  $\text{KEM} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}, \text{Encap}, \text{Decap})$ :

- $\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}$  has secret extractability, supported by (SimGen, Extract) as per Def. 9;
- For any public key  $\text{pk}$ , the function  $\overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}; \cdot) : \mathcal{D}_K \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^*$  is entropy-preserving, where  $\overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}; \cdot)$  functions the same as  $\text{Encap}(\text{pk})$  that takes a randomness  $d_K \in \mathcal{D}_K$  as input but outputs only  $\psi$  (and does not output  $K$ ).



**Fig. 6.** The three-KEM paradigm for AKE (with dotted boxes) and the resulting robust and strongly-secure AM-AKE via our generic construction in Sect. 4 (with normal algorithms in dotted boxes and anamorphic ones in gray boxes).

Requirements for  $\text{KEM}_0 = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}_0}, \text{Encap}_0, \text{Decap}_0)$ :

- The function  $\overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}_0}(\cdot) : \mathcal{D}_G \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^*$  is entropy-preserving, where  $\overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}_0}$  functions the same as  $\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}_0}$  that takes a randomness  $d_G \in \mathcal{D}_G$  as input but outputs only  $\tilde{\text{pk}}$  (and does not output  $\tilde{\text{sk}}$ ).
- For any public key  $\tilde{\text{pk}}$ , the function  $\overline{\text{Encap}}_0(\tilde{\text{pk}}; \cdot) : \mathcal{D}_{K_0} \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^*$  is entropy-preserving, where  $\overline{\text{Encap}}_0(\tilde{\text{pk}}; \cdot)$  is the same as  $\text{Encap}_0(\tilde{\text{pk}})$  that takes a randomness  $d_{K_0} \in \mathcal{D}_{K_0}$  as input but outputs only  $\tilde{\psi}$  (and does not output  $\tilde{K}$ ).

With such KEM and  $\text{KEM}_0$ , we prove that the resulting  $\text{AKE}_{3K}$  is a qualified AKE via the following Lemma 8. The proof of Lemma 8 is quite similar to that of Lemma 4 in Subsect. 5.1, and thus we postpone it to Appendix D.3.

**Lemma 8.** *If KEM and  $\text{KEM}_0$  meet the above requirements, the  $\text{AKE}_{3K}$  yielded by the three-KEM paradigm is a qualified AKE for constructing AM-AKE.*

Then by plugging the qualified  $\text{AKE}_{3K}$  into our generic construction in Sect. 4, we immediately get a robust and strongly-secure two-pass AM-AKE scheme, as shown in Fig. 6 with gray boxes.

**Concrete Instantiations.** To obtain concrete qualified AKE scheme via the three-KEM paradigm, it remains to present concrete KEM schemes KEM and  $\text{KEM}_0$  satisfying the requirements described above (cf. Table 4). Specially, as shown in Lemma 5 in Subsect. 5.1, any IND-CPA secure KEM has entropy-preserving  $\overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}$  and  $\overline{\text{Encap}}$ , so we can instantiate  $\text{KEM}_0$  with any IND-CPA secure KEM scheme. For KEM, we present a concrete instantiation over asymmetric pairing groups.

Concrete KEM scheme KEM. Let  $\text{pp} = (\mathbb{G}_1, \mathbb{G}_2, \mathbb{G}_T, p, e, g_1, g_2, g_T)$  be a description of asymmetric pairing group. We present a concrete KEM scheme  $\text{KEM}_{\text{DDH}} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{DDH}}, \text{Encap}, \text{Decap})$  as follows:

- $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{DDH}}$  : it picks  $x \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$ , and sets  $(\text{pk} := e(g_1, g_2)^x, \text{sk} := g_2^x)$ .
- $(K, \psi) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\text{pk} = e(g_1, g_2)^x)$  : it chooses  $r \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$  randomly, then computes  $\psi := g_1^r$ ,  $K := (e(g_1, g_2)^x)^r = e(g_1, g_2)^{xr}$ , and outputs  $(K, \psi)$ .
- $K \leftarrow \text{Decap}(\text{sk} = g_2^x, \psi = g_1^r)$  : it computes  $K := e(g_1^r, g_2^x)$  and outputs  $K$ .

It is routine to check the correctness of  $\text{KEM}_{\text{DDH}}$ . Next we show its IND-CPA security based on the DDH assumption over  $\mathbb{G}_1$  via the following theorem. The proof is quite straightforward and thus we postpone it to Appendix D.4.

**Theorem 6 (Security of  $\text{KEM}_{\text{DDH}}$ ).** *If the DDH assumption holds over  $\mathbb{G}_1$ , then the proposed  $\text{KEM}_{\text{DDH}}$  achieves IND-CPA security.*

Below we show that  $\text{KEM}_{\text{DDH}}$  satisfies the requirements listed in Table 4, i.e., its key generation algorithm  $\text{Gen}_{\text{DDH}}$  has secret extractability, and the function  $\overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}; \cdot)$  that outputs only  $\psi$  is entropy-preserving. Since  $\text{Gen}_{\text{DDH}}$  is identical to that of  $\text{SIG}_{\text{DDH}}$  in Subsect. 5.1, as shown in Lemma 6,  $\text{Gen}_{\text{DDH}}$  has secret extractability under the DDH assumption over  $\mathbb{G}_2$ . Moreover, by Lemma 5, the function  $\overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}; \cdot)$  is entropy-preserving by the IND-CPA security of  $\text{KEM}_{\text{DDH}}$ .

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# Supplementary Material

## A Additional Preliminaries

**Definition 10 (Pseudo-Random Function).** A function  $\text{PRF} : \mathcal{K} \times \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathcal{Y}$  is a pseudo-random function, if for any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$ , it holds that  $\text{Adv}_{\text{PRF}, \mathcal{A}}(\kappa) := |\Pr[\mathcal{A}^{\text{PRF}(k, \cdot)} = 1] - \Pr[\mathcal{A}^{\text{TRF}(\cdot)} = 1]| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ , where  $k \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{K}$  and  $\text{TRF}$  is truly random function from  $\mathcal{X}$  to  $\mathcal{Y}$ .

**Definition 11 (Digital Signature).** A digital signature scheme  $\text{SIG} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{SIG}}, \text{Sign}, \text{Vrfy})$  consists of three PPT algorithms:

- $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{SIG}}$ : The key generation algorithm generates a pair of public key and secret key  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk})$ .
- $\sigma \leftarrow \text{Sign}(\text{sk}, m)$ : The signing algorithm takes a secret key  $\text{sk}$  and a message  $m$  as input, and outputs a signature  $\sigma$ .
- $0/1 \leftarrow \text{Vrfy}(\text{pk}, m, \sigma)$ : The verification algorithm takes a public key  $\text{pk}$ , a message  $m$  and a signature  $\sigma$  as input, and outputs 1 (accepted) or 0 (rejected) indicating whether  $\sigma$  is a valid signature for  $m$ .

**Correctness.** For any  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{SIG}}$ , any message  $m$ , and any  $\sigma \leftarrow \text{Sign}(\text{sk}, m)$ , it holds that  $\text{Vrfy}(\text{pk}, m, \sigma) = 1$ .

**EUFCMA Security.** We consider the standard security of existential unforgeability against chosen message attacks (EUFCMA) for  $\text{SIG}$ . More precisely, for any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$ , it holds that

$$\text{Adv}_{\text{SIG}, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{EUFCMA}}(\kappa) := \Pr \left[ \begin{array}{l} m^* \notin \mathcal{Q}_{\text{sig}} \wedge \\ \text{Vrfy}(\text{pk}, m^*, \sigma^*) = 1 \end{array} \middle| \begin{array}{l} (\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{SIG}}, \\ (m^*, \sigma^*) \leftarrow \mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{O}_{\text{Sign}(\cdot)}}(\text{pk}) \end{array} \right] \leq \text{negl}(\kappa), \quad (3)$$

where the oracle  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Sign}}(m)$  computes  $\sigma \leftarrow \text{Sign}(\text{sk}, m)$  and returns  $\sigma$  to  $\mathcal{A}$ , and the set  $\mathcal{Q}_{\text{sig}}$  consists of all messages  $m$  that  $\mathcal{A}$  queries to  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Sign}}(\cdot)$ .

**Definition 12 (Key Encapsulation Mechanism).** A key encapsulation mechanism  $\text{KEM} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}, \text{Encap}, \text{Decap})$  consists of three PPT algorithms:

- $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}$ : The key generation algorithm generates a pair of public key and secret key  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk})$ .
- $(K, \psi) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\text{pk})$ : The encapsulation algorithm takes a public key  $\text{pk}$  as input, and outputs a symmetric key  $K$  and a ciphertext  $\psi$ .
- $K \leftarrow \text{Decap}(\text{sk}, \psi)$ : The decapsulation algorithm takes a secret key  $\text{sk}$  and a ciphertext  $\psi$  as input, and outputs a symmetric key  $K$ .

**Correctness.** For any  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}$  and any  $(K, \psi) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\text{pk})$ , it holds that  $\text{Decap}(\text{sk}, \psi) = K$ .



**IND-CPA Security.** We consider the standard indistinguishability under chosen-plaintext attacks (IND-CPA) for KEM. More precisely, for any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$ , it holds that

$$\text{Adv}_{\text{KEM}, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{IND-CPA}}(\kappa) := \left| \Pr \left[ b' = b \mid \begin{array}{l} (\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}, \\ (K_0^*, \psi^*) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\text{pk}), K_1^* \leftarrow_{\mathcal{S}} \mathcal{K} \\ b \leftarrow_{\mathcal{S}} \{0, 1\}, b' \leftarrow \mathcal{A}(\text{pk}, \psi^*, K_b^*) \end{array} \right] - \frac{1}{2} \right| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa),$$

where  $\mathcal{K}$  denotes the space of symmetric keys.

**Definition 13 (Authenticated Key Exchange).** A two-pass authenticated key exchange protocol  $\text{AKE} = (\text{Gen}, \text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{DerI})$  consists of four PPT algorithms:

- $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}$ : The key generation algorithm generates a pair of public key and secret key  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk})$ .
- $(\text{msg}_i, \text{st}) \leftarrow \text{Init}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i)$ : The initialization algorithm takes a public key  $\text{pk}_r$  of a responder (say  $P_r$ ) and a secret key  $\text{sk}_i$  of an initiator (say  $P_i$ ) as input, and outputs an initiated message  $\text{msg}_i$  and a state  $\text{st}$  for  $P_i$ .
- $(\text{msg}_r, K_r) \leftarrow \text{DerR}(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_r, \text{msg}_i)$ : The derivation algorithm for the responder takes a public key  $\text{pk}_i$  of the initiator  $P_i$ , a secret key  $\text{sk}_r$  of the responder  $P_r$  and an initiated message  $\text{msg}_i$  as input, and outputs a message  $\text{msg}_r$  and a session key  $K_r$  for  $P_r$ .
- $K_i \leftarrow \text{DerI}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, \text{msg}_r, \text{st})$ : The deterministic derivation algorithm for the initiator takes a public key  $\text{pk}_r$  of the responder  $P_r$ , a secret key  $\text{sk}_i$  of the initiator  $P_i$ , a message  $\text{msg}_r$  and a state  $\text{st}$  as input, and outputs a session key  $K_i$  for  $P_i$ .

We illustrate an execution of a two-pass AKE protocol in Fig. 7, where the key-pairs of  $P_i$  and  $P_r$  are generated at the beginning via  $(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_i) \leftarrow \text{Gen}$  and  $(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_r) \leftarrow \text{Gen}$ . Note that the initiator  $P_i$  invokes two algorithms  $\text{Init}$  and  $\text{DerI}$ , so  $P_i$  has to transmit a state  $\text{st}$  from  $\text{Init}$  to  $\text{DerI}$ . Correctness of AKE requires that for any distinct parties  $P_i$  and  $P_r$ , they share the same session key  $K_i = K_r \neq \perp$  after the execution of the AKE protocol according to Fig. 7.

**Definition 14 (DDH Assumption).** Let  $\text{pp} = (\mathbb{G}_1, \mathbb{G}_2, \mathbb{G}_T, p, e, g_1, g_2, g_T)$  be a description of asymmetric pairing group, and let  $s \in \{1, 2\}$ . The DDH assumption holds over group  $\mathbb{G}_s$ , if for any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$ , it holds that  $\text{Adv}_{\mathbb{G}_s, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{DDH}}(\kappa) := \left| \Pr[\mathcal{A}(\text{pp}, g_s^x, g_s^y, g_s^{xy}) = 1] - \Pr[\mathcal{A}(\text{pp}, g_s^x, g_s^y, g_s^z) = 1] \right| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ , where the probability is over  $x, y, z \leftarrow_{\mathcal{S}} \mathbb{Z}_p$ .

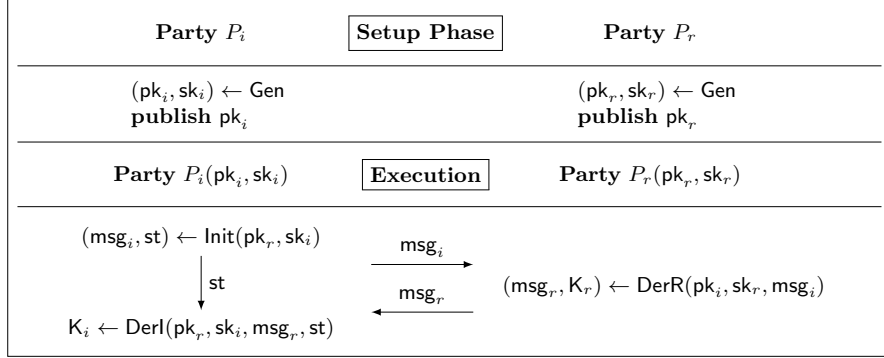


Fig. 7. An execution of two-pass AKE.

## B Missing Details in Sect. 3

### B.1 Correctness Requirements of AM-AKE

In this subsection, we define the correctness requirements of an AM-AKE scheme. Different requirements serve for different working modes of AM-AKE.

**Definition 15 (Correctness of AM-AKE).** *Let  $\text{AM-AKE} = ((\text{Gen}, \text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{Derl}), (\text{aGen}, \text{alnit}, \text{aDerR}, \text{aDerl}))$  be an AM-AKE scheme. We consider the correctness for its three modes.*

**Correctness for the normal mode.** *If both  $P_i$  and  $P_r$  invoke normal algorithms in the AKE protocol, then it results in the same session key  $K_i = K_r$ , no matter  $P_i$  (and  $P_r$ ) uses normal key-pair or anamorphic key-pair. More precisely, for any  $(\overline{pk}_i, \overline{sk}_i) := (pk_i, sk_i)$  generated by Gen or  $(\overline{pk}_i, \overline{sk}_i) := (\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_i)$  generated by aGen, and for any  $(\overline{pk}_r, \overline{sk}_r) := (pk_r, sk_r)$  generated by Gen or  $(\overline{pk}_r, \overline{sk}_r) := (\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_r)$  generated by aGen, we have*

$$\Pr \left[ K_i = K_r \neq \perp \mid \begin{array}{l} (msg_i, st) \leftarrow \text{Init}(\overline{pk}_r, \overline{sk}_i) \\ (msg_r, K_r) \leftarrow \text{DerR}(\overline{pk}_i, \overline{sk}_r, msg_i) \\ K_i \leftarrow \text{Derl}(\overline{pk}_r, \overline{sk}_i, msg_r, st) \end{array} \right] = 1.$$

**Correctness for the anamorphic mode.** *If both  $P_i$  and  $P_r$  invoke anamorphic algorithms in the AKE protocol, then it results in the same session key  $K_i = K_r$  and the same double key  $dk_i = dk_r$ . Meanwhile, the normal derivation by Derl using  $ask_i$  should also result in the same session key  $K'_i = K_i = K_r$ . More precisely, for any  $(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}_i) \leftarrow \text{aGen}$  and any  $(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_r, \text{aux}_r) \leftarrow \text{aGen}$ , we have*

$$\Pr \left[ \begin{array}{l} K_i = K_r = K'_i \neq \perp \\ \wedge dk_i = dk_r \neq \perp \end{array} \mid \begin{array}{l} (\text{ams}_i, st, \text{aux}'_i) \leftarrow \text{alnit}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}_i) \\ (\text{ams}_r, K_r, dk_r) \leftarrow \text{aDerR}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{aux}_r, \text{ams}_i) \\ (K_i, dk_i) \leftarrow \text{aDerl}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}'_i, \text{ams}_r, st) \\ K'_i \leftarrow \text{Derl}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{ams}_r, st) \end{array} \right] = 1.$$

**Correctness for the half mode.** *If one party invokes normal algorithms and the other invokes anamorphic algorithms, then the half mode still results in the same session key  $K_i = K_r$ . Moreover, the normal derivation  $\text{Derl}$  using  $\text{ask}_i$  should also result in the same session key  $K'_i = K_i = K_r$ . More precisely, for any  $(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}_i) \leftarrow \text{aGen}$ , and for any  $(\overline{pk}_r, \overline{sk}_r) := (\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_r)$  generated by  $\text{Gen}$  or  $(\overline{pk}_r, \overline{sk}_r) := (\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_r)$  generated by  $\text{aGen}$ , we have*

$$\Pr \left[ K_i = K_r = K'_i \neq \perp \left| \begin{array}{l} (\text{msg}_i, \text{st}, \text{aux}'_i) \leftarrow \text{alnit}(\overline{pk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}_i) \\ (\text{msg}_r, K_r) \leftarrow \text{DerR}(\text{apk}_i, \overline{sk}_r, \text{msg}_i) \\ (K_i, \text{dk}_i) \leftarrow \text{aDerl}(\overline{pk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}'_i, \text{msg}_r, \text{st}) \\ K'_i \leftarrow \text{Derl}(\overline{pk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{msg}_r, \text{st}) \end{array} \right. \right] = 1.$$

*On the other hand, for any  $(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_r, \text{aux}_r) \leftarrow \text{aGen}$ , and for any  $(\overline{pk}_i, \overline{sk}_i) := (\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_i)$  generated by  $\text{Gen}$  or  $(\overline{pk}_i, \overline{sk}_i) := (\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_i)$  generated by  $\text{aGen}$ , we have*

$$\Pr \left[ K_i = K_r \neq \perp \left| \begin{array}{l} (\text{msg}_i, \text{st}) \leftarrow \text{Init}(\text{apk}_r, \overline{sk}_i) \\ (\text{msg}_r, K_r, \text{dk}_r) \leftarrow \text{aDerR}(\overline{pk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{aux}_r, \text{msg}_i) \\ K_i \leftarrow \text{Derl}(\text{apk}_r, \overline{sk}_i, \text{msg}_r, \text{st}) \end{array} \right. \right] = 1.$$

## B.2 Proof of Impossibility Results for Plain AM-AKE

In this subsection, we present the formal proofs of the three impossibility results for (two-pass) plain AM-AKE.

**Theorem 1** *It is impossible for a two-pass plain AM-AKE scheme AM-AKE to achieve responder-robustness.*

**Proof of Theorem 1.** For a two-pass plain AM-AKE scheme AM-AKE, to achieve responder-robustness,  $P_r$  has to make the decision whether  $\text{dk}_r \neq \perp$  or  $\text{dk}_r = \perp$  upon receiving the first pass message  $\text{msg}_i$  from  $P_i$ .

We first claim that  $P_r$  cannot achieve robustness only with the help of  $(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_r)$ . Note that the basic requirement for AM-AKE is that any adversary obtaining secret keys of  $P_i$  and  $P_r$  and seeing the transcripts of AM-AKE cannot tell whether AM-AKE works in the normal mode or in the anamorphic mode or in the half mode<sup>6</sup>.

Suppose on the contradiction, with only  $(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_r)$ ,  $P_r$  can output  $\text{dk}_r \neq \perp$  when  $\text{msg}_i$  is an anamorphic first-pass message and output  $\text{dk}_r = \perp$  when  $\text{msg}_i$  is a normal one, with overwhelming probability. Then the adversary who obtains  $\text{ask}_r$  is also able to do that, and thus determine  $\text{msg}_i$  is a normal one if  $\text{dk}_r = \perp$  and an anamorphic one if  $\text{dk}_r \neq \perp$ , breaking the security of AM-AKE.

Therefore,  $P_r$  must also resort to  $\text{aux}_r$  for deciding  $\text{dk}_r \neq \perp$  or  $\text{dk}_r = \perp$ . However, the generation of  $\text{msg}_i$  does not involve  $\text{aux}_r$  and is independent of  $\text{aux}_r$  when  $\text{apk}_r$  is independent of  $\text{aux}_r$ . If  $\text{aux}_r$  can be generated independently from  $(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_r)$ , then the adversary can generate an auxiliary message  $\widetilde{\text{aux}}_r$ .

<sup>6</sup> See the security requirements of AM-AKE formalized in Subsect. 3.3.

independently by itself and use  $\widetilde{\text{aux}}_r$  to decide  $\text{dk}_r \neq \perp$  or  $\text{dk}_r = \perp$ , which breaks the security of AM-AKE as well.

In conclusion, it is impossible to achieve responder-robustness in a two-pass plain AM-AKE where  $(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_r)$  and  $\text{aux}_r$  are generated independently.  $\square$

**Remark.** Theorem 1 does *not* apply for initiator-robustness, because  $P_i$  can hide some information of  $\text{aux}_i$  into  $\text{msg}_i$ , from which  $\text{msg}_r$  is computed, and thus  $\text{msg}_r$  may carry some information of  $\text{aux}_i$ . In this way,  $P_i$  can use  $\text{aux}_i$  to judge whether  $\text{msg}_r$  is a normal message or an anamorphic one, while an adversary may not be able to use this method to detect the using of anamorphic algorithms, thus initiator-robustness can be achieved. However, our next theorem shows that it is impossible for a plain AM-AKE to achieve initiator-robustness and IND-WM security simultaneously.

**Theorem 2** *If a plain AM-AKE scheme AM-AKE is initiator-robust, then it is impossible for AM-AKE to achieve the IND-WM/sIND-WM security.*

**Proof of Theorem 2.** For a (two-pass) plain AM-AKE scheme AM-AKE that has initiator-robustness, we construct an adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  to break its IND-WM/sIND-WM security as follows. At the beginning of the experiment,  $\mathcal{A}$  receives public/secret key-pairs of all parties  $(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_i)$  from the challenger. Then  $\mathcal{A}$  chooses an arbitrary pair of parties  $(P_i, P_r)$  and generates the auxiliary message  $\widetilde{\text{aux}}_i$  of party  $P_i$  by itself, since AM-AKE is a plain one. Next,  $\mathcal{A}$  uses  $(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_i, \widetilde{\text{aux}}_i)$  to impersonate  $P_i$  and interacts with  $P_r$  as follows:

- Firstly,  $\mathcal{A}$  queries  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{New}}(i, r)$  to start a session  $\text{sID}$ .
- Then  $\mathcal{A}$  queries  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}(\text{sID}, \mathbf{w}_I = \mathbf{A})$  but discards the answer, and instead,  $\mathcal{A}$  generates another  $\text{amsg}_i$  itself by invoking  $(\text{amsg}_i, \text{st}, \text{aux}'_i) \leftarrow \text{alnit}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \widetilde{\text{aux}}_i)$ .
- Next,  $\mathcal{A}$  queries  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, \text{amsg}_i, \mathbf{w}_R = \mathbf{A})$  and receives a message  $\text{amsg}_r$ .
- Finally,  $\mathcal{A}$  invokes  $(K_i, \text{dk}_i) \leftarrow \text{aDerl}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}'_i, \text{amsg}_r, \text{st})$ , and outputs  $b' = 1$  to its own challenger if and only if  $\text{dk}_i \neq \perp$  holds.

Note that in the IND-WM/sIND-WM experiment (cf. Fig. 2), if  $b = 1$ , then  $\mathcal{A}$  will receive an anamorphic message  $\text{amsg}_r$  generated by  $\text{aDerR}$  from its  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$  query, so both  $\mathcal{A}$  (impersonating  $P_i$ ) and  $P_r$  invoke anamorphic algorithms, and consequently,  $\text{dk}_i \neq \perp$  holds with probability 1 by the correctness of the anamorphic mode of AM-AKE. If  $b = 0$ , then  $\mathcal{A}$  will receive a normal message generated by  $\text{DerR}$  from the  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$  query, so  $\mathcal{A}$  (impersonating  $P_i$ ) invokes anamorphic algorithms while  $P_r$  invokes normal algorithm, and consequently,  $\text{dk}_i = \perp$  holds with overwhelming probability according to the initiator-robustness of AM-AKE.

Overall,  $\mathcal{A}$  guesses the value of  $b$  correctly with overwhelming probability by checking whether  $\text{dk}_i \neq \perp$ , and thus breaks the IND-WM/sIND-WM security.  $\square$

**Theorem 3** *It is impossible for a plain AM-AKE scheme AM-AKE to achieve the PR-DK/sPR-DK security.*

**Proof of Theorem 3.** For a (two-pass) plain AM-AKE scheme AM-AKE, we construct an adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  to break its PR-DK/sPR-DK security as follows. At

the beginning of the experiment,  $\mathcal{A}$  receives public/secret key-pairs of all parties  $(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_i)$  from the challenger. Then  $\mathcal{A}$  chooses an arbitrary pair of parties  $(P_i, P_r)$  and generates the auxiliary message  $\widetilde{\text{aux}}_i$  of party  $P_i$  by itself, since AM-AKE is a plain one. Next,  $\mathcal{A}$  uses  $(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_i, \widetilde{\text{aux}}_i)$  to impersonate  $P_i$  and interacts with  $P_r$  as follows:

- Firstly,  $\mathcal{A}$  queries  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{New}}(i, r)$  to start a session  $\text{sID}$ .
- Then  $\mathcal{A}$  queries  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}(\text{sID})$  but discards the answer, and instead,  $\mathcal{A}$  generates another  $\text{amsg}_i$  itself by invoking  $(\text{amsg}_i, \text{st}, \text{aux}'_i) \leftarrow \text{alnit}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \widetilde{\text{aux}}_i)$ .
- Next,  $\mathcal{A}$  queries  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, \text{amsg}_i)$  and receives a message  $\text{amsg}_r$ .
- Moreover,  $\mathcal{A}$  queries  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{TestDK}}(\text{sID}, \text{R})$  and receives a double key  $\text{dk}_r^*$ , which is either the real double key generated in the above  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, \text{amsg}_i)$  oracle or a uniformly random double key.
- Finally,  $\mathcal{A}$  invokes  $(K_i, \text{dk}_i) \leftarrow \text{aDerl}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}'_i, \text{amsg}_r, \text{st})$ , and outputs  $b' = 1$  to its own challenger if and only if  $\text{dk}_i = \text{dk}_r^*$  holds.

Note that in the PR-DK/sPR-DK experiment (cf. Fig. 3), the oracle  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$  generates  $\text{amsg}_r$  by invoking  $\text{aDerR}$ , so both  $\mathcal{A}$  (impersonating  $P_i$ ) and  $P_r$  invoke anamorphic algorithms. If  $b = 1$ , the  $\text{dk}_r^*$  outputted by  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{TestDK}}$  is the real double key generated in the above  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$  oracle, and then the  $\text{dk}_i$  derived by  $\mathcal{A}$  satisfies  $\text{dk}_i = \text{dk}_r^*$  with probability 1 by the correctness of the anamorphic mode of AM-AKE. If  $b = 0$ ,  $\text{dk}_r^*$  is uniformly chosen from  $\mathcal{DK}$ , then  $\text{dk}_i = \text{dk}_r^*$  holds with probability at most  $1/|\mathcal{DK}|$  where  $\mathcal{DK}$  is the double key space.

Overall,  $\mathcal{A}$  guesses the value of  $b$  correctly with probability at least  $\frac{1}{2} \cdot (1 - 1/|\mathcal{DK}|)$ , which is non-negligible for  $|\mathcal{DK}| \geq 2$ , by checking whether  $\text{dk}_i = \text{dk}_r^*$ , and thus breaks the PR-DK/sPR-DK security.  $\square$

## C Missing Proofs in Sect. 4 (Generic Construction of AM-AKE)

### C.1 Proof of Lemma 2 (sIND-WM Security of AM-AKE)

**Lemma 2** *There exists PPT simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{Siml}, \text{SimR})$ , such that for any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $N = \text{poly}(\kappa)$ ,  $|\Pr[\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{sIND-WM}} = 1] - \frac{1}{2}| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .*

**Proof of Lemma 2.** We first describe the simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{Siml}, \text{SimR})$ .

- $R_i \leftarrow \text{Siml}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}_i = \text{msk}_i, R'_i)$ : Here  $R'_i$  is an internal randomness used in  $\text{alnit}$ , and thus includes  $d_{i,1}$  as well as the randomness used in  $\overline{\text{Init}}$ , denoted by  $d_{i,3}$ , i.e.,  $R'_i = (d_{i,1}, d_{i,3})$ . This algorithm aims to explain  $R'_i$  as a randomness  $R_i$  for  $\overline{\text{Init}}$ . To this end, it computes  $s_i := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{apk}_r)$ ,  $m_{i,1} := f_{1,1}(d_{i,1})$ ,  $d_{i,2} := \text{PRF}_1(s_i, m_{i,1})$ , and outputs  $R_i := (d_{i,1}, d_{i,2}, d_{i,3})$ .
- $R_r \leftarrow \text{SimR}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{aux}_r = \text{msk}_r, m, R'_r)$ : Here  $R'_r$  is an internal randomness used in  $\text{aDerR}$ , and thus includes  $d_{r,1}$  as well as the randomness used in  $\overline{\text{DerR}}$ , denoted by  $d_{r,3}$ , i.e.,  $R'_r = (d_{r,1}, d_{r,3})$ . This algorithm aims to explain  $R'_r$  as a randomness  $R_r$  for  $\overline{\text{DerR}}$ . To this end, it parses  $m = (m_{i,1}, m_{i,2}, m_{i,3})$ , computes  $s_r := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_r, \text{apk}_i)$ ,  $m_{r,1} := f_{R,1}(d_{r,1})$ ,  $d_{r,2} := \text{PRF}_R(s_r, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1}))$  and outputs  $R_r := (d_{r,1}, d_{r,2}, d_{r,3})$ .

We prove the lemma via a sequence of games  $G_0$ - $G_3$ , where the differences between adjacent games are highlighted in gray boxes .

**Game  $G_0$ :** This is the  $\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{sIND-WM}}$  experiment (cf. Fig. 2). Then we have  $\Pr[\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{sIND-WM}} = 1] = \Pr[G_0 = 1]$ .

In this game, the challenger samples a challenge bit  $b \leftarrow_{\$} \{0, 1\}$ , and answers the  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}, \mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}, \mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}$  queries for  $\mathcal{A}$  in the following way:

- If  $b = 0$ , the challenger invokes the normal algorithms  $\text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{DerI}$ ;
- If  $b = 1$  and  $\mathcal{A}$  designates normal mode (i.e.,  $\mathbf{N}$ ), the challenger also invokes the normal algorithms;
- If  $b = 1$  and  $\mathcal{A}$  designates anamorphic mode (i.e.,  $\mathbf{A}$ ), the challenger invokes the anamorphic algorithm  $\text{ainit}/\text{aDerR}/\text{aDerI}$  and the simulator  $\text{SimI}/\text{SimR}$ .

The adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  succeeds if it guesses  $b$  correctly. Overall, there are differences between  $b = 0$  and  $b = 1$  only if  $\mathcal{A}$  designates anamorphic mode (i.e.,  $\mathbf{A}$ ).

We note that the oracles  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}, \mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}, \mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}$  output  $(\text{msg}_i, \text{st}, R_i)$ ,  $(\text{msg}_r, K_r, R_r)$  and  $K_i$ , respectively, but do not output the double keys  $\text{dk}_i, \text{dk}_r$ . The differences between the normal algorithms and the anamorphic algorithms and simulator in generating these values only lie in the distributions of  $d_{i,2}$  and  $d_{r,2}$ :

- The normal algorithms  $\text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{DerI}$  use uniformly chosen coins  $d_{i,2} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{1,2}$  and  $d_{r,2} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{R,2}$ .
- The anamorphic algorithms  $\text{ainit}, \text{aDerR}, \text{aDerI}$  and simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{SimI}, \text{SimR})$  involve specific coins  $d_{i,2} := \text{PRF}_I(s_i, m_{i,1}) \in \mathcal{D}_{1,2}$  and  $d_{r,2} := \text{PRF}_R(s_r, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1})) \in \mathcal{D}_{R,2}$ , where  $s_i := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{apk}_r)$ ,  $m_{i,1} := f_{1,1}(d_{i,1})$  for  $d_{i,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{1,1}$ ,  $s_r := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_r, \text{apk}_i)$ ,  $m_{r,1} := f_{R,1}(d_{r,1})$  for  $d_{r,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{R,1}$ .

**Game  $G_1$ :** It is the same as  $G_0$ , except that at the beginning of the game, the challenger samples  $s_{i,r}^* = s_{r,i}^* \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_E$  for each pair of parties  $(i, r) \in [N] \times [N]$  with  $i \neq r$ . Then in the case of  $b = 1$  and the mode designated by  $\mathcal{A}$  is anamorphic (i.e.,  $\mathbf{A}$ ), the challenger answers the oracle queries  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}(\text{sID}, w_I = \mathbf{A}), \mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m, w_R = \mathbf{A}), \mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}(\text{sID}, m)$  for  $\mathcal{A}$  as follows:

- The challenger invokes anamorphic algorithms  $\text{ainit}, \text{aDerR}, \text{aDerI}$  and the simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{SimI}, \text{SimR})$ , by using specific coins  $d_{i,2} := \text{PRF}_I(s_i, m_{i,1}) \in \mathcal{D}_{1,2}$  and  $d_{r,2} := \text{PRF}_R(s_r, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1})) \in \mathcal{D}_{R,2}$ , where  $s_i := s_{i,r}^*$ ,  $m_{i,1} := f_{1,1}(d_{i,1})$  for  $d_{i,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{1,1}$ ,  $s_r := s_{r,i}^*$ ,  $m_{r,1} := f_{R,1}(d_{r,1})$  for  $d_{r,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{R,1}$ . Here  $(i, r) := (\text{init}[\text{sID}], \text{resp}[\text{sID}])$  denote the initiator and responder of  $\text{sID}$ .

By the secret extractability of  $\text{Gen}$  (cf. Def. 9), the secrets  $s_i := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{apk}_r)$  and  $s_r := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_r, \text{apk}_i)$  generated in  $G_0$  are computationally indistinguishable from the  $s_i := s_{i,r}^*$ ,  $s_r := s_{r,i}^*$  with  $s_{i,r}^* = s_{r,i}^* \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_E$  in  $G_1$ . More precisely, we have the following claim via hybrid arguments over all pair of parties  $(i, r) \in [N] \times [N]$  with  $i \neq r$ , and we postpone its formal proof to Appendix C.2.

*Claim 1.* By the secret extractability of  $\text{Gen}$ ,  $|\Pr[G_0 = 1] - \Pr[G_1 = 1]| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .

**Game  $G_2$ :** It is the same as  $G_1$ , except that the challenger replaces the pseudo-random function  $\text{PRF} = (\text{PRF}_1, \text{PRF}_R, \text{PRF}_D)$  with truly random function  $\text{TRF} = (\text{TRF}_1, \text{TRF}_R, \text{TRF}_D)$ , where  $\text{TRF}_1/\text{TRF}_R/\text{TRF}_D : \{0, 1\}^* \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_{1,2}/\mathcal{D}_{R,2}/\{0, 1\}^\kappa$ . More precisely, when  $b = 1$  and the mode designated by  $\mathcal{A}$  is anamorphic (i.e.,  $\mathbf{A}$ ), the challenger answers the oracle queries  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}(\text{sID}, w_1 = \mathbf{A})$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m, w_R = \mathbf{A})$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}(\text{sID}, m)$  for  $\mathcal{A}$  as follows:

- The challenger invokes anamorphic algorithms  $\text{aInit}$ ,  $\text{aDerR}$ ,  $\text{aDerI}$  and the simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{SimI}, \text{SimR})$ , by using specific coins  $d_{i,2} := \text{TRF}_1(s_{i,r}^*, m_{i,1}) \in \mathcal{D}_{1,2}$  and  $d_{r,2} := \text{TRF}_R(s_{r,i}^*, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1})) \in \mathcal{D}_{R,2}$ , where  $m_{i,1} := f_{1,1}(d_{i,1})$  for  $d_{i,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{1,1}$ ,  $m_{r,1} := f_{R,1}(d_{r,1})$  for  $d_{r,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{R,1}$ .

Since  $\text{PRF} = (\text{PRF}_1, \text{PRF}_R, \text{PRF}_D)$  is a pseudo-random function, its outputs are computationally indistinguishable from the outputs of truly random function  $\text{TRF} = (\text{TRF}_1, \text{TRF}_R, \text{TRF}_D)$ . Consequently, this change is unnoticeable to  $\mathcal{A}$ , and by a standard hybrid argument over the PRF keys  $s_{i,r}^*, s_{r,i}^*$ , we have  $|\Pr[G_1 = 1] - \Pr[G_2 = 1]| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .

**Game  $G_3$ :** It is the same as  $G_2$ , except that in the case of  $b = 1$  and the mode designated by  $\mathcal{A}$  is anamorphic (i.e.,  $\mathbf{A}$ ), the challenger answers the oracle queries  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}(\text{sID}, w_1 = \mathbf{A})$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m, w_R = \mathbf{A})$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}(\text{sID}, m)$  for  $\mathcal{A}$  as follows:

- The challenger invokes anamorphic algorithms  $\text{aInit}$ ,  $\text{aDerR}$ ,  $\text{aDerI}$  and the simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{SimI}, \text{SimR})$ , by using uniformly chosen coins  $d_{i,2} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{1,2}$  and  $d_{r,2} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{R,2}$ .

Clearly, in  $G_3$ , the anamorphic algorithms  $\text{aInit}$ ,  $\text{aDerR}$ ,  $\text{aDerI}$  and the simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{SimI}, \text{SimR})$  using uniformly chosen coins  $d_{i,2} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{1,2}$  and  $d_{r,2} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{R,2}$  are essentially the same as the normal algorithms  $\text{Init}$ ,  $\text{DerR}$ ,  $\text{DerI}$  in generating the responses  $(\text{msg}_i, \text{st}, R_i)$ ,  $(\text{msg}_r, K_r, R_r)$  and  $K_i$ , so the challenge bit  $b$  is perfectly hidden to  $\mathcal{A}$ , and we have  $\Pr[G_3 = 1] = 1/2$ .

It remains to show that  $G_2$  and  $G_3$  are computationally indistinguishable for  $\mathcal{A}$ . Let  $E_1$  denote the event that in  $G_2$ , all invocations of  $d_{i,2} := \text{TRF}_1(s_{i,r}^*, m_{i,1}) \in \mathcal{D}_{1,2}$  are on different inputs  $m_{i,1}$ , and let  $E_R$  denote the event that all invocations of  $d_{r,2} := \text{TRF}_R(s_{r,i}^*, (m_{i,1}, m_{r,1})) \in \mathcal{D}_{R,2}$  are on different inputs  $(m_{i,1}, m_{r,1})$ . If both  $E_1$  and  $E_R$  occur, then in  $G_2$ ,  $\text{TRF}_1$  and  $\text{TRF}_R$  are always computed on different inputs, so their outputs  $d_{i,2}, d_{r,2}$  are uniformly and independently distributed, the same as those in  $G_3$ . Consequently, we have

$$|\Pr[G_2 = 1] - \Pr[G_3 = 1]| \leq \Pr[\neg E_1 \vee \neg E_R] \leq \Pr[\neg E_1] + \Pr[\neg E_R].$$

On the other hand, in  $G_2$ , each input  $m_{i,1}$  of  $\text{TRF}_1$  is generated by  $m_{i,1} := f_{1,1}(d_{i,1})$  for  $d_{i,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{1,1}$ , so the inputs can hardly collide by the entropy-preserving property of  $f_{1,1}$  (cf. Def. 7), and we have  $\Pr[\neg E_1] \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ . Similarly, each input  $(m_{i,1}, m_{r,1})$  of  $\text{TRF}_R$  involves  $m_{r,1} := f_{R,1}(d_{r,1})$  for  $d_{r,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{R,1}$ , so

the inputs can hardly collide by the entropy-preserving property of  $f_{R,1}$ , and we have  $\Pr[\neg E_R] \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ . This shows that  $|\Pr[G_2 = 1] - \Pr[G_3 = 1]| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .

Finally, by taking all things together, Lemma 2 follows.  $\square$

## C.2 Proof of Claim 1

*Claim 1.* By the secret extractability of Gen,  $|\Pr[G_0 = 1] - \Pr[G_1 = 1]| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .

*Proof.* We first define an intermediate hybrid game  $G_{0.5}$ , where it makes the same change as that from  $G_0$  to  $G_1$ , except that the change is made only for a single pair of parties  $(i, r) \in [N] \times [N]$  with  $i \neq r$ . We will show that  $G_{0.5}$  is indistinguishable from  $G_0$ , and then by a hybrid argument over all pair of parties, it follows that  $G_1$  is also indistinguishable from  $G_0$ .

More precisely, let  $(i, r) \in [N] \times [N]$  with  $i \neq r$  be an arbitrary and fixed pair of parties. In  $G_{0.5}$ , we make the following changes:

- Sample  $s_{i,r}^* = s_{r,i}^* \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_E$  at the beginning of the game and store it.
- In the case of  $b = 1$  and the mode designated by  $\mathcal{A}$  is anamorphic (i.e.,  $\mathbf{A}$ ), the adversary queries the oracle  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}(\text{sID}, \mathbf{w}_I = \mathbf{A})$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m, \mathbf{w}_R = \mathbf{A})$  or  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Derl}}(\text{sID}, m)$  where  $(i, r) = (\text{init}[\text{sID}], \text{resp}[\text{sID}])$ , then the challenger answers as follows:
  - The challenger invokes anamorphic algorithms  $\text{aInit}, \text{aDerR}, \text{aDerl}$  and the simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{Siml}, \text{SimR})$  by using specific coins  $d_{i,2} := \text{PRF}_I(s_i, m_{i,1}) \in \mathcal{D}_{I,2}$  and  $d_{r,2} := \text{PRF}_R(s_r, m_{i,1}, m_{r,1}) \in \mathcal{D}_{R,2}$ , where  $s_i := s_{i,r}^*$ ,  $m_{i,1} := f_{I,1}(d_{i,1})$  for  $d_{i,1} \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_{I,1}$ ,  $s_r := s_{r,i}^*$ ,  $m_{r,1} := f_{R,1}(d_{r,1})$  for  $d_{r,1} \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_{R,1}$ .

Notice that the only difference between  $G_{0.5}$  and  $G_0$  lies in the choices of  $s_i$  and  $s_r$ , so we make the following analysis centered on the generation of  $s_i$  and  $s_r$ . Suppose there exists an adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  who can distinguish  $G_{0.5}$  from  $G_0$ , then we construct an adversary  $\mathcal{B}$  to break the secret extractability (specifically, the property of the pseudo-random of the extracting) of Gen as per Definition 9.

At the beginning,  $\mathcal{B}$  receives  $(\text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, \text{sk}_r, s^*)$  from its challenger where  $s^*$  equals to either  $\text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{pk}_r)$  or a random value from  $\mathcal{D}_E$ . To simulate for  $\mathcal{A}$ ,  $\mathcal{B}$  generates  $N-2$  anamorphic key-pairs itself by  $(\text{apk}_n, \text{ask}_n, \text{aux}_n = \text{msk}_n) \leftarrow \text{aGen}$  for  $n \in [N] \setminus \{i, r\}$ , and sets  $(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_i) := (\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_i)$ ,  $(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_r) := (\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_r)$ , then sends the  $N$  anamorphic key-pairs to  $\mathcal{A}$ . When  $\mathcal{A}$  queries  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{New}}(i, r)$ ,  $\mathcal{B}$  can perfectly follow all the steps and simulate the response to  $\mathcal{A}$ .

In the case of  $b = 1$ , suppose the mode designated by  $\mathcal{A}$  is anamorphic (i.e.,  $\mathbf{A}$ ), and  $\mathcal{A}$  queries the oracle  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}(\text{sID}, \mathbf{w}_I = \mathbf{A})$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m, \mathbf{w}_R = \mathbf{A})$  or  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Derl}}(\text{sID}, m)$ , then let  $(i', r') := (\text{init}[\text{sID}], \text{resp}[\text{sID}])$ . We have the following cases to consider.

- Suppose  $\mathcal{A}$  queries oracle  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}(\text{sID}, \mathbf{w}_I = \mathbf{A})$  or  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Derl}}(\text{sID}, m)$ :
  1. If  $i \neq i'$ , then  $\mathcal{B}$  can perfectly simulate the response, because it owns  $\text{msk}_i$ , and successfully generates  $s_i := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{apk}_r)$ .



2. If  $i = i'$  and  $r \neq r'$ , then  $\mathcal{B}$  follows the process except for setting  $s_i := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_{r'}, \text{apk}_i)$ . By the extracting correctness requirement of the secret extractability of  $\text{Gen}$ , it always holds that  $\text{Extract}(\text{msk}_{r'}, \text{apk}_i) = \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{apk}_{r'})$ , so this change is perfectly unknown to  $\mathcal{A}$ .
  3. If  $i = i'$  and  $r = r'$ , then  $\mathcal{B}$  follows the whole process except for setting  $s_i := s^*$ .
- Suppose  $\mathcal{A}$  queries oracle  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m, \mathbf{w}_R = \mathbf{A})$  :
1. If  $r \neq r'$ , then  $\mathcal{B}$  can perfectly simulate the response, because it owns  $\text{msk}_r$ , and successfully generates  $s_r := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_r, \text{apk}_i)$ .
  2. If  $r = r'$  and  $i \neq i'$ , then  $\mathcal{B}$  follows the process except for setting  $s_r := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_{i'}, \text{apk}_r)$ . Still by the extracting correctness requirement of the secret extractability of  $\text{Gen}$ , it always holds that  $\text{Extract}(\text{msk}_{i'}, \text{apk}_r) = \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_r, \text{apk}_{i'})$ , so this change is perfectly unknown to  $\mathcal{A}$ .
  3. If  $r = r'$  and  $r = i'$ , then  $\mathcal{B}$  follows the whole process except for setting  $s_r := s^*$ .

Now, if  $s^*$  equals to  $\text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{pk}_r)$ , by the extracting correctness requirement of the secret extractability of  $\text{Gen}$ ,  $s^*$  also equals to  $\text{Extract}(\text{msk}_r, \text{pk}_i)$ , then  $\mathcal{B}$  simulates  $\mathsf{G}_0$  for  $\mathcal{A}$ . If  $s^*$  equals to a random string, then  $\mathcal{B}$  simulates  $\mathsf{G}_{0.5}$  for  $\mathcal{A}$ . Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left| \Pr[\mathsf{G}_0 = 1] - \Pr[\mathsf{G}_{0.5} = 1] \right| \\
= & \left| \Pr[\mathcal{B}(\text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, \text{sk}_r, \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{pk}_r)) = 1] - \Pr[\mathcal{B}(\text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, \text{sk}_r, s^* \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_E) = 1] \right| \\
\leq & \text{negl}(\kappa). \blacksquare
\end{aligned}$$

### C.3 Proof of Lemma 3 (sPR-DK Security of AM-AKE)

**Lemma 3** *There exists PPT simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{Siml}, \text{SimR})$ , such that for any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $N = \text{poly}(\kappa)$ ,  $\left| \Pr[\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{sPR-DK}} = 1] - \frac{1}{2} \right| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .*

**Proof of Lemma 3.** We adopt the same simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{Siml}, \text{SimR})$  defined in the proof of Lemma 2. We prove the lemma via a sequence of games  $\mathsf{G}'_0$ - $\mathsf{G}'_3$ , which are defined similarly as those  $\mathsf{G}_0$ - $\mathsf{G}_3$  in the proof of Lemma 2.

**Game  $\mathsf{G}'_0$ :** This is the  $\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{sPR-DK}}$  experiment (cf. Fig. 3). Then we have  $\Pr[\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{sPR-DK}} = 1] = \Pr[\mathsf{G}'_0 = 1]$ .

In this game, the challenger samples a challenge bit  $b \leftarrow_{\S} \{0, 1\}$ , and answers the  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Derl}}$  queries for  $\mathcal{A}$  by invoking the anamorphic algorithms  $\text{aInit}$ ,  $\text{aDerR}$ ,  $\text{aDerl}$  and the simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{Siml}, \text{SimR})$ . Moreover, the challenger answers the  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{TestDK}}$  queries for  $\mathcal{A}$ , by returning the real double keys  $\text{dk}_r$  (resp.,  $\text{dk}_i$ ) generated in  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$  (resp.,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Derl}}$ ) if  $b = 1$  while returning uniformly chosen  $\text{dk} \leftarrow_{\S} \{0, 1\}^\kappa$  if  $b = 0$ . Note that if the  $\text{dk}_r$  (resp.,  $\text{dk}_i$ ) generated in  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$  (resp.,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Derl}}$ ) is invalid (i.e., equals  $\perp$ ), then the challenger will output  $\perp$  directly for the  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{TestDK}}$  query regardless of the value of  $b$ . The adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  succeeds if it guesses  $b$  correctly.

We note that the oracles  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$  and  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}$  generate the real *valid* double keys  $\text{dk}_r$  and  $\text{dk}_i$  according to  $\text{aDerR}$  and  $\text{aDerI}$  as follows:

- $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m)$  generates *valid*  $\text{dk}_r$  by setting  $\text{dk}_r := \text{PRF}_D(s_r, (m, \text{amsg}_r)) \in \{0, 1\}^\kappa$ , where  $s_r := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_r, \text{apk}_i)$  and  $\text{amsg}_r := (m_{r,1}, m_{r,2}, m_{r,3})$  with  $m_{r,1} := f_{R,1}(d_{r,1})$  for  $d_{r,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{R,1}$ .
- $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}(\text{sID}, m)$  generates *valid*  $\text{dk}_i$  by setting  $\text{dk}_i := \text{PRF}_D(s_i, (\text{amsg}_i, m)) \in \{0, 1\}^\kappa$ , where  $s_i := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{apk}_r)$  and  $\text{amsg}_i := (m_{i,1}, m_{i,2}, m_{i,3})$  with  $m_{i,1} := f_{I,1}(d_{i,1})$  for  $d_{i,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{I,1}$ , which are generated during the  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}(\text{sID})$  query and stored in  $\text{Aux}[\text{sID}] = \text{aux}'_i = (s_i, \text{amsg}_i)$ .

Here  $(i, r) := (\text{init}[\text{sID}], \text{resp}[\text{sID}])$  denote the initiator and responder of  $\text{sID}$ .

**Game  $G'_1$ :** It is the same as  $G'_0$ , except that at the beginning of the game, the challenger samples  $s_{i,r}^* = s_{r,i}^* \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_E$  for each pair of parties  $(i, r) \in [N] \times [N]$  with  $i \neq r$ . Then the challenger answers the oracle queries  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}, \mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}, \mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}$  by using  $s_i := s_{i,r}^*$  and  $s_r := s_{r,i}^*$  as the secrets, instead of  $s_i := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_i, \text{apk}_r)$  and  $s_r := \text{Extract}(\text{msk}_r, \text{apk}_i)$ . Especially, now the oracles  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$  and  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}$  generate the real valid double keys  $\text{dk}_r$  and  $\text{dk}_i$  as follows:

- $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m)$  generates valid  $\text{dk}_r$  by setting  $\text{dk}_r := \text{PRF}_D(s_r, (m, \text{amsg}_r))$ , where  $s_r := s_{r,i}^*$  and  $\text{amsg}_r := (m_{r,1}, m_{r,2}, m_{r,3})$  with  $m_{r,1} := f_{R,1}(d_{r,1})$  for  $d_{r,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{R,1}$ .
- $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}(\text{sID}, m)$  generates valid  $\text{dk}_i$  by setting  $\text{dk}_i := \text{PRF}_D(s_i, (\text{amsg}_i, m))$ , where  $s_i := s_{i,r}^*$  and  $\text{amsg}_i := (m_{i,1}, m_{i,2}, m_{i,3})$  with  $m_{i,1} := f_{I,1}(d_{i,1})$  for  $d_{i,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{I,1}$ .

Similar to the game transition from  $G_0$  to  $G_1$  in the proof of Lemma 2,  $G'_0$  and  $G'_1$  are indistinguishable by the secret extractability of  $\text{Gen}$ , and we have the following claim whose proof is essentially the same as that for Claim 1.

*Claim 2.* By the secret extractability of  $\text{Gen}$ ,  $|\Pr[G'_0 = 1] - \Pr[G'_1 = 1]| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .

**Game  $G'_2$ :** It is the same as  $G'_1$ , except that the challenger replaces the pseudo-random function  $\text{PRF} = (\text{PRF}_I, \text{PRF}_R, \text{PRF}_D)$  with truly random function  $\text{TRF} = (\text{TRF}_I, \text{TRF}_R, \text{TRF}_D)$ , where  $\text{TRF}_I/\text{TRF}_R/\text{TRF}_D : \{0, 1\}^* \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_{I,2}/\mathcal{D}_{R,2}/\{0, 1\}^\kappa$ . Especially, now the oracles  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$  and  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}$  generate the real valid double keys  $\text{dk}_r$  and  $\text{dk}_i$  as follows:

- $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m)$  generates valid  $\text{dk}_r$  by setting  $\text{dk}_r := \text{TRF}_D(s_{r,i}^*, (m, \text{amsg}_r))$ , where  $\text{amsg}_r := (m_{r,1}, m_{r,2}, m_{r,3})$  with  $m_{r,1} := f_{R,1}(d_{r,1})$  for  $d_{r,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{R,1}$ .
- $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}(\text{sID}, m)$  generates valid  $\text{dk}_i$  by setting  $\text{dk}_i := \text{TRF}_D(s_{i,r}^*, (\text{amsg}_i, m))$ , where  $\text{amsg}_i := (m_{i,1}, m_{i,2}, m_{i,3})$  with  $m_{i,1} := f_{I,1}(d_{i,1})$  for  $d_{i,1} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{I,1}$ .

Similar to the game transition from  $G_1$  to  $G_2$  in the proof of Lemma 2,  $G'_1$  and  $G'_2$  are computationally indistinguishable since  $\text{PRF} = (\text{PRF}_I, \text{PRF}_R, \text{PRF}_D)$  is a pseudo-random function, and we have  $|\Pr[G'_1 = 1] - \Pr[G'_2 = 1]| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .

**Game  $G'_3$ :** It is the same as  $G'_2$ , except that now the oracles  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$  and  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}$  generate the real valid double keys  $\text{dk}_r$  and  $\text{dk}_i$  as follows:

- $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m)$  generates valid  $\text{dk}_r$  by picking  $\text{dk}_r \leftarrow_{\S} \{0, 1\}^{\kappa}$  uniformly.
- $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}(\text{sID}, m)$  generates valid  $\text{dk}_i$  by picking  $\text{dk}_i \leftarrow_{\S} \{0, 1\}^{\kappa}$  uniformly.

Clearly, in  $G'_3$ , the real valid double keys  $\text{dk}_r$  (resp.,  $\text{dk}_i$ ) are uniformly sampled, so the challenge bit  $b$  is perfectly hidden to  $\mathcal{A}$ , and we have  $\Pr[G'_3 = 1] = 1/2$ .

It remains to show that  $G'_2$  and  $G'_3$  are computationally indistinguishable for  $\mathcal{A}$ . We define three events in  $G'_2$  as follows:

- Let  $E_{\text{DR}}$  denote the event that all invocations of  $\text{dk}_r := \text{TRF}_{\text{D}}(s_{r,i}^*, (m, \text{amsg}_r))$  in  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m)$  are on different inputs  $(m, \text{amsg}_r)$ , where  $m$  is provided by  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $\text{amsg}_r := (m_{r,1}, m_{r,2}, m_{r,3})$  has  $m_{r,1} := f_{\text{R},1}(d_{r,1})$  for  $d_{r,1} \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_{\text{R},1}$ .
- Let  $E_{\text{DI}}$  denote the event that all invocations of  $\text{dk}_i := \text{TRF}_{\text{D}}(s_{i,r}^*, (\text{amsg}_i, m))$  in  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}(\text{sID}, m)$  are on different inputs  $(\text{amsg}_i, m)$ , where  $m$  is provided by  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $\text{amsg}_i := (m_{i,1}, m_{i,2}, m_{i,3})$  has  $m_{i,1} := f_{i,1}(d_{i,1})$  for  $d_{i,1} \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_{\text{R},1}$ .
- Let  $E_{\text{DM}}$  denote the event that there is no pair of invocations of  $\text{dk}_r := \text{TRF}_{\text{D}}(s_{r,i}^*, (m, \text{amsg}_r))$  in  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m)$  and  $\text{dk}_i := \text{TRF}_{\text{D}}(s_{i,r}^*, (\text{amsg}_i, m'))$  in  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}(\text{sID}', m')$  on same key and same input, i.e.,  $(s_{r,i}^*, (m, \text{amsg}_r)) = (s_{i,r}^*, (\text{amsg}_i, m'))$ .

If the above three events  $E_{\text{DR}}$ ,  $E_{\text{DI}}$  and  $E_{\text{DM}}$  occur simultaneously, then in  $G'_2$ ,  $\text{TRF}_{\text{D}}$  is always computed on different inputs, so its outputs  $\text{dk}_r, \text{dk}_i$  are uniformly and independently distributed, the same as those in  $G'_3$ . Besides, if  $E_{\text{DM}}$  does not happen, i.e., there exists a pair of invocations of  $\text{dk}_r := \text{TRF}_{\text{D}}(s_{r,i}^*, (m, \text{amsg}_r))$  and  $\text{dk}_i := \text{TRF}_{\text{D}}(s_{i,r}^*, (\text{amsg}_i, m'))$  with same key and same input  $(s_{r,i}^*, (m, \text{amsg}_r)) = (s_{i,r}^*, (\text{amsg}_i, m'))$ , then it implies that this pair of  $\text{dk}_r$  and  $\text{dk}_i$  are double keys of matching sessions, and thus  $\mathcal{A}$  cannot test both of them (in order to avoid trivial attacks, cf. Def. 4), and consequently, the behaviour of  $G'_2$  and  $G'_3$  are also the same in this case. Overall,  $G'_2$  is identical to  $G'_3$  unless  $E_{\text{DR}}$  or  $E_{\text{DI}}$  does not happen, and we have

$$|\Pr[G'_2 = 1] - \Pr[G'_3 = 1]| \leq \Pr[\neg E_{\text{DR}} \vee \neg E_{\text{DI}}] \leq \Pr[\neg E_{\text{DR}}] + \Pr[\neg E_{\text{DI}}].$$

On the other hand, similar to the analysis in the proof of Lemma 2, we have  $\Pr[\neg E_{\text{DR}}] \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$  and  $\Pr[\neg E_{\text{DI}}] \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$  since those  $m_{r,1}$  in  $\text{amsg}_r$  (resp., those  $m_{i,1}$  in  $\text{amsg}_i$ ) can hardly collide according to the entropy-preserving property of  $f_{\text{R},1}$  (resp.,  $f_{i,1}$ ). This shows that  $|\Pr[G'_2 = 1] - \Pr[G'_3 = 1]| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .

Finally, by taking all things together, Lemma 3 follows.  $\square$

## D Missing Proofs in Sect. 5 (Instantiations of AM-AKE)

### D.1 Proof of Lemma 5 (Any IND-CPA Secure KEM has Entropy-Preserving $\overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}$ and $\overline{\text{Encap}}$ )

**Lemma 5** *If  $\text{KEM} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}, \text{Encap}, \text{Decap})$  is a IND-CPA secure KEM scheme, then the function  $\overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}(\cdot)$  that outputs only  $\text{pk}$  and the function  $\overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}; \cdot)$  that outputs only  $\psi$  are entropy-preserving.*

*Proof of Lemma 5.* We will construct two PPT algorithms  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $\mathcal{B}$ , such that for any public key  $\text{pk}$  and any ciphertext  $\psi^*$ , it holds that

$$\Pr[\overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}(d_G) = \text{pk} \mid d_G \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_G] \leq 4 \cdot \text{Adv}_{\text{KEM}, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{IND-CPA}}(\kappa), \quad (4)$$

$$\Pr[\overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}; d_K) = \psi^* \mid d_K \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_K] \leq 4 \cdot \text{Adv}_{\text{KEM}, \mathcal{B}}^{\text{IND-CPA}}(\kappa), \quad (5)$$

both of which are negligible under the IND-CPA security of KEM, and consequently, the entropy-preserving of  $\overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}(\cdot)$  and  $\overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}; \cdot)$  follows.

We first describe the construction of  $\mathcal{A}$ . Given a challenge  $(\text{pk}, \psi^*, K_b^*)$ , where  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}, (K_0^*, \psi^*) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\text{pk}), K_1^* \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{K}$  and  $b \leftarrow_{\S} \{0, 1\}$ ,  $\mathcal{A}$  aims to guess the value of  $b$ . To this end,  $\mathcal{A}$  invokes  $(\text{pk}, \tilde{\text{sk}}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}(d_G)$  by itself with randomness  $d_G \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_G$  to generate another key-pair  $(\tilde{\text{pk}}, \tilde{\text{sk}})$ , and checks whether  $\tilde{\text{pk}} = \text{pk}$ . If the check passes,  $\mathcal{A}$  uses  $\tilde{\text{sk}}$  to decrypt  $\psi^*$ , i.e.,  $\tilde{K} \leftarrow \text{Decap}(\tilde{\text{sk}}, \psi^*)$ , and returns  $b' = 0$  to its own challenger if and only if  $\tilde{K} = K_b^*$ . Otherwise,  $\mathcal{A}$  returns a uniformly chosen  $b' \leftarrow_{\S} \{0, 1\}$  to its own challenger.

Let PKCol denote the event that  $\tilde{\text{pk}} = \text{pk}$  holds, where  $\text{pk}$  is the public key in  $\mathcal{A}$ 's input and  $(\tilde{\text{pk}}, \tilde{\text{sk}}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}(d_G)$  with  $d_G \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_G$  is generated by  $\mathcal{A}$ . Since  $\overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}$  is the function that only outputs  $\tilde{\text{pk}}$ , we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \Pr[\text{PKCol}] &= \Pr[\tilde{\text{pk}} = \text{pk} \mid d_G \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_G, (\tilde{\text{pk}}, \tilde{\text{sk}}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}(d_G)] \\ &= \Pr[\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}(d_G) = \text{pk} \mid d_G \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_G]. \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

On the other hand, when  $\tilde{\text{pk}} = \text{pk}$  holds, i.e., PKCol occurs,  $\tilde{\text{sk}}$  has the same functionality with  $\text{sk}$  when decrypting  $\psi^*$ , and in this case, for  $\tilde{K} \leftarrow \text{Decap}(\tilde{\text{sk}}, \psi^*)$ ,  $\tilde{K} = K_0^*$  holds with probability 1 by the correctness of KEM, while  $\tilde{K} = K_1^*$  holds with probability  $1/|\mathcal{K}|$  since  $K_1^* \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{K}$ . Consequently, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Adv}_{\text{KEM}, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{IND-CPA}}(\kappa) &= |\Pr[b' = b] - \frac{1}{2}| \\ &= |\Pr[\text{PKCol}] \cdot \Pr[b' = b \mid \text{PKCol}] + \Pr[\neg \text{PKCol}] \cdot \Pr[b' = b \mid \neg \text{PKCol}] - \frac{1}{2}| \\ &= |\Pr[\text{PKCol}] \cdot \Pr[b' = b \mid \text{PKCol}] + (1 - \Pr[\text{PKCol}]) \cdot \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}| \\ &= \Pr[\text{PKCol}] \cdot |\Pr[b' = b \mid \text{PKCol}] - \frac{1}{2}| \\ &= \Pr[\text{PKCol}] \cdot |\Pr[b = 0] \cdot \Pr[b' = 0 \mid b = 0 \wedge \text{PKCol}] \\ &\quad + \Pr[b = 1] \cdot \Pr[b' = 1 \mid b = 1 \wedge \text{PKCol}] - \frac{1}{2}| \\ &= \Pr[\text{PKCol}] \cdot |\frac{1}{2} \cdot 1 + \frac{1}{2} \cdot (1 - 1/|\mathcal{K}|) - \frac{1}{2}| \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \Pr[\text{PKCol}] \cdot (1 - 1/|\mathcal{K}|) \geq \frac{1}{4} \cdot \Pr[\text{PKCol}], \end{aligned} \quad (7)$$

where the last inequality holds for  $|\mathcal{K}| \geq 2$ . Then (4) follows from (6) and (7).

Next we describe the construction of  $\mathcal{B}$ , which is similar to that of  $\mathcal{A}$ . Given a challenge  $(\text{pk}, \psi^*, K_b^*)$ , where  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}$ ,  $(K_0^*, \psi^*) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\text{pk})$ ,  $K_1^* \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{K}$  and  $b \leftarrow_{\S} \{0, 1\}$ ,  $\mathcal{B}$  also aims to guess the value of  $b$ . To this end,  $\mathcal{B}$  invokes  $(\tilde{K}, \tilde{\psi}) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\text{pk}; d_{\mathcal{K}})$  by itself with randomness  $d_{\mathcal{K}} \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{K}}$ , and checks whether  $\tilde{\psi} = \psi^*$ . If the check passes, then  $\mathcal{B}$  returns  $b' = 0$  to its own challenger if and only if  $\tilde{K} = K_b^*$ . Otherwise,  $\mathcal{B}$  returns a uniformly chosen  $b' \leftarrow_{\S} \{0, 1\}$  to its own challenger.

Let  $\text{CTCol}$  denote the event that  $\tilde{\psi} = \psi^*$  holds, where  $\psi^*$  is the ciphertext in  $\mathcal{B}$ 's input and  $(\tilde{K}, \tilde{\psi}) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\text{pk}; d_{\mathcal{K}})$  with  $d_{\mathcal{K}} \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{K}}$  is generated by  $\mathcal{B}$ . Since  $\overline{\text{Encap}}$  is the function that only outputs  $\tilde{\psi}$ , we have that

$$\begin{aligned} \Pr[\text{CTCol}] &= \Pr[\tilde{\psi} = \psi^* \mid d_{\mathcal{K}} \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{K}}, (\tilde{K}, \tilde{\psi}) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\text{pk}; d_{\mathcal{K}})] \\ &= \Pr[\overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}; d_{\mathcal{K}}) = \psi^* \mid d_{\mathcal{G}} \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_{\mathcal{G}}]. \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

On the other hand, when  $\tilde{\psi} = \psi^*$  holds, i.e.,  $\text{CTCol}$  occurs, both  $\tilde{K}$  and  $K_0^*$  are the symmetric keys encapsulated in  $\tilde{\psi} = \psi^*$ , and in this case,  $\tilde{K} = K_0^*$  holds with probability 1 by the correctness of KEM, while  $K = K_1^*$  holds with probability  $1/|\mathcal{K}|$  since  $K_1^* \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{K}$ . With a similar analysis to (7), we can get that

$$\text{Adv}_{\text{KEM}, \mathcal{B}}^{\text{IND-CPA}}(\kappa) \geq \frac{1}{4} \cdot \Pr[\text{CTCol}]. \quad (9)$$

Then (5) follows from (8) and (9).

Overall, (4) and (5) hold, and consequently, the entropy-preserving of  $\overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}}(\cdot)$  and  $\overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}; \cdot)$  follow from the IND-CPA security of KEM.  $\square$

## D.2 Proof of Theorem 5 (Security of $\text{SIG}_{\text{DDH}}$ )

**Theorem 5** *If the DDH assumption holds over  $\mathbb{G}_1$  and  $\mathbf{H}$  is a random oracle, then the proposed  $\text{SIG}_{\text{DDH}}$  achieves EUF-CMA security.*

**Proof of Theorem 5.** The proof is very similar to the security proof of the Schnorr signature scheme [24] (see, e.g., [14, Subsect. 12.5], for a proof of the Schnorr scheme). Here we provide a proof for completeness. More precisely, our proof goes with two steps. We will first describe an identification protocol (denoted by  $\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}}$ ) derived from  $\text{SIG}_{\text{DDH}}$ , and prove its security based on the DDH assumption holds over  $\mathbb{G}_1$ . Then we will prove the EUF-CMA security of  $\text{SIG}_{\text{DDH}}$  based on the security of  $\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}}$  in the random oracle model.

**The Identification Protocol  $\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}}$  and Its Security Definition.** The protocol is played between two parties, say Alice and Bob. Alice generates her own key-pair via  $(\text{pk} = e(g_1, g_2)^x, \text{sk} = g_2^x) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{DDH}}$  and publishes  $\text{pk}$ . Through the protocol, Alice aims to prove to Bob that she owns the  $\text{sk}$  corresponding to  $\text{pk}$ . To this end, Alice and Bob process in three steps:

1. Alice chooses a randomness  $r \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$ , and sends  $\sigma_1 := g_1^r$  to Bob.

2. After receiving  $\sigma_1$ , Bob sends a uniform  $d \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$  to Alice as a challenge.
3. After getting  $d$ , Alice computes  $\sigma_2 := g_2^{x \cdot d + r}$  with her  $\text{sk} = g_2^x$  and the randomness  $r$  chosen in step 1, and sends  $\sigma_2$  to Bob.

Finally, Bob checks whether  $e(g_1, \sigma_2) = e(g_1, g_2)^{x \cdot d} \cdot e(\sigma_1, g_2)$  holds, and outputs 1 if and only if the check passes.

The security of the protocol  $\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}}$  asks the hardness to impersonate Alice, even if an adversary gets  $\text{pk}$  and many transcripts of the protocol. More precisely, it requires that for any stateful PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$ , the advantage  $\text{Adv}_{\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}}, \mathcal{A}}(\kappa) :=$

$$\Pr \left[ \begin{array}{l} e(g_1, \sigma_2^*) = \\ e(g_1, g_2)^{x \cdot d^*} \cdot e(\sigma_1^*, g_2) \end{array} \mid \begin{array}{l} (\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{DDH}}, \sigma_1^* \leftarrow \mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{O}_{\text{IP}}}(\text{pk}) \\ d^* \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p, \sigma_2^* \leftarrow \mathcal{A}^{\mathcal{O}_{\text{IP}}}(d^*) \end{array} \right] \leq \text{negl}(\kappa), \quad (10)$$

where the oracle  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{IP}}$  gets no input and returns a freshly generated transcript  $(\sigma_1, d, \sigma_2)$  of the protocol to  $\mathcal{A}$ , i.e.,  $r \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$ ,  $\sigma_1 := g_1^r$ ,  $d \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$ ,  $\sigma_2 := g_2^{x \cdot d + r}$ .

Next we will prove the following two claims, and then Theorem 5 directly holds.

*Claim 3.* *If the DDH assumption holds over  $\mathbb{G}_1$ , then the identification protocol  $\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}}$  is secure.*

*Claim 4.* *If the identification protocol  $\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}}$  is secure, and  $\text{H}$  is a random oracle, then the signature scheme  $\text{SIG}_{\text{DDH}}$  achieves EUF-CMA security.*

*Proof of Claim 3.* For any adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  against the security of the identification protocol  $\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}}$ , we construct an algorithm  $\mathcal{B}$  against the DDH assumption over  $\mathbb{G}_1$  as follows.

Given a DDH challenge  $(\text{pp}, g_1^x, g_1^y, T)$ ,  $\mathcal{B}$  wants to compute distinguish  $T = g_1^{xy}$  from  $T \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{G}_1$ , where  $x, y \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$ . To this end,  $\mathcal{B}$  simulates the security experiment as described in (10) for  $\mathcal{A}$  as follows as follows.  $\mathcal{B}$  will sample a randomness  $r_{\mathcal{A}}$  for  $\mathcal{A}$ , and invoke  $\mathcal{A}$  twice with the same randomness  $r_{\mathcal{A}}$  as follows.

- $\mathcal{B}$  computes  $\text{pk} := e(g_1^x, g_2) = e(g_1, g_2)^x$ , sends  $\text{pk}$  to  $\mathcal{A}$ . Then  $\mathcal{B}$  answers the  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{IP}}$  queries for  $\mathcal{A}$  by sampling  $w \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$ ,  $d \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$ , computing  $\sigma_2 := g_2^w$ ,  $\sigma_1 := g_1^w \cdot (g_1^x)^{-d} = g_1^{w - x \cdot d}$ , and returning  $(\sigma_1, d, \sigma_2)$ . In particular, for each  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{IP}}$  query made by  $\mathcal{A}$ ,  $\mathcal{B}$  will use the same randomness to answer the query for the two invocations.
- At some point  $\mathcal{A}$  outputs  $\sigma_1^*$ .
- $\mathcal{B}$  picks  $d^* \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$  and sends  $d^*$  to  $\mathcal{A}$  in the first invocation of  $\mathcal{A}$ , while  $\mathcal{B}$  picks another  $d'^* \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$  and sends  $d'^*$  to  $\mathcal{A}$  in the second invocation of  $\mathcal{A}$ .
- $\mathcal{B}$  continues to answer the  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{IP}}$  queries for  $\mathcal{A}$ , the same as the above.
- At the end of the first invocation,  $\mathcal{A}$  outputs  $\sigma_2^*$ , while at the end of the second invocation,  $\mathcal{A}$  outputs  $\sigma_2'^*$ .

Finally, if  $d^* \neq d'^*$ , then  $\mathcal{B}$  computes  $h := (\sigma_2^*/\sigma_2'^*)^{(d^* - d'^*)^{-1}}$ , uses  $h$  to check whether  $e(g_1^y, h) = e(T, g_2)$  holds, and outputs 1 if and only if the check passes; otherwise,  $\mathcal{B}$  outputs 0.

Below we analyze the simulation by  $\mathcal{B}$ . Clearly,  $\mathcal{B}$ 's simulation of  $\mathbf{pk}$  is perfect, and  $\mathcal{B}$ 's answers for  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{IP}}$  queries are also perfect, since the real transcripts  $(\sigma_1 := g_1^r, d \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p, \sigma_2 := g_2^{x \cdot d+r})$  and the simulated transcripts  $(\sigma_1 := g_1^{w-x \cdot d}, d \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p, \sigma_2 := g_2^w)$  are identically distributed for  $r, w \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$ .

For each  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{IP}}$  query made by  $\mathcal{A}$ ,  $\mathcal{B}$  will use the same randomness to answer the query for the two invocations, so that  $\mathcal{A}$ 's views in these two invocations are the same. Consequently,  $\mathcal{A}$  will output the same  $\sigma_1^*$  in the two invocations.

Suppose that  $d^* \neq d'^*$  and  $\mathcal{A}$  succeeds in both of the two invocations, i.e., both  $e(g_1, \sigma_2^*) = e(g_1, g_2)^{x \cdot d^*} \cdot e(\sigma_1^*, g_2)$  and  $e(g_1, \sigma_2'^*) = e(g_1, g_2)^{x \cdot d'^*} \cdot e(\sigma_1^*, g_2)$  hold. Then by dividing these two equations, we get that  $e(g_1, \sigma_2^*/\sigma_2'^*) = e(g_1, g_2)^{x \cdot (d^* - d'^*)}$ , which implies that  $\sigma_2^*/\sigma_2'^* = g_2^{x \cdot (d^* - d'^*)}$ . Consequently, the  $h$  computed by  $\mathcal{B}$  is in fact  $h := (\sigma_2^*/\sigma_2'^*)^{(d^* - d'^*)^{-1}} = g_2^x$ , and it is clear to see that the check of  $e(g_1^y, h) = e(T, g_2)$  passes if and only if  $T = g_1^{xy}$ . Overall,  $\mathcal{B}$  is able to distinguish  $T = g_1^{xy}$  from  $T \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{G}_1$ , as long as  $d^* \neq d'^*$  and  $\mathcal{A}$  succeeds in both of the two invocations. More precisely, let  $r_{\text{exp}}$  denote all messages  $\mathcal{A}$  received in the experiment except  $d^*$  and  $d'^*$ . As we explained above,  $r_{\text{exp}}$  is the same for the two invocations since  $\mathcal{B}$  uses the same randomness. Then we have

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Adv}_{\mathbb{G}_1, \mathcal{B}}^{\text{DDH}}(\kappa) &\geq \Pr[d^* \neq d'^* \wedge \mathcal{A}(r_{\text{exp}}, d^*; r_{\mathcal{A}}) \text{ succeeds} \wedge \mathcal{A}(r_{\text{exp}}, d'^*; r_{\mathcal{A}}) \text{ succeeds}] \\
&\geq \Pr[\mathcal{A}(r_{\text{exp}}, d^*; r_{\mathcal{A}}) \text{ succeeds} \wedge \mathcal{A}(r_{\text{exp}}, d'^*; r_{\mathcal{A}}) \text{ succeeds}] - \Pr[d^* = d'^*] \\
&= \sum_{r_0} \sum_{r_1} \Pr[r_{\text{exp}} = r_0] \cdot \Pr[r_{\mathcal{A}} = r_1] \cdot \Pr[\mathcal{A}(r_0, d^*; r_1) \text{ succeeds} \wedge \mathcal{A}(r_0, d'^*; r_1) \text{ succeeds}] - \frac{1}{p} \\
&= \sum_{r_0} \sum_{r_1} \Pr[r_{\text{exp}} = r_0] \cdot \Pr[r_{\mathcal{A}} = r_1] \cdot \Pr[\mathcal{A}(r_0, d^*; r_1) \text{ succeeds}] \cdot \Pr[\mathcal{A}(r_0, d'^*; r_1) \text{ succeeds}] - \frac{1}{p} \\
&= \sum_{r_0} \sum_{r_1} \Pr[r_{\text{exp}} = r_0] \cdot \Pr[r_{\mathcal{A}} = r_1] \cdot \Pr[\mathcal{A}(r_0, d^*; r_1) \text{ succeeds}]^2 - \frac{1}{p} \\
&= \mathbb{E}_{r_{\text{exp}}} \mathbb{E}_{r_{\mathcal{A}}} \Pr[\mathcal{A}(r_{\text{exp}}, d^*; r_{\mathcal{A}}) \text{ succeeds}]^2 - \frac{1}{p} \\
&\geq (\mathbb{E}_{r_{\text{exp}}} \mathbb{E}_{r_{\mathcal{A}}} \Pr[\mathcal{A}(r_{\text{exp}}, d^*; r_{\mathcal{A}}) \text{ succeeds}])^2 - \frac{1}{p} \tag{11} \\
&= \left( \sum_{r_0} \sum_{r_1} \Pr[r_{\text{exp}} = r_0] \cdot \Pr[r_{\mathcal{A}} = r_1] \cdot \Pr[\mathcal{A}(r_0, d^*; r_1) \text{ succeeds}] \right)^2 - \frac{1}{p} \\
&= \Pr[\mathcal{A}(r_{\text{exp}}, d^*; r_{\mathcal{A}}) \text{ succeeds}]^2 - \frac{1}{p} = \text{Adv}_{\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}}, \mathcal{A}}(\kappa)^2 - \frac{1}{p},
\end{aligned}$$

where the summations  $\sum_{r_0}$  and  $\sum_{r_1}$  are over all possible values of  $r_{\text{exp}}$  and  $r_{\mathcal{A}}$ , respectively,  $\mathbb{E}$  denotes the mathematical expectation, (11) follows from the fact that  $\mathbb{E} X^2 \geq (\mathbb{E} X)^2$  holds for any variable  $X$ . Putting differently, it holds that

$$\text{Adv}_{\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}}, \mathcal{A}}(\kappa) \leq \sqrt{\text{Adv}_{\mathbb{G}_1, \mathcal{B}}^{\text{DDH}}(\kappa) + \frac{1}{p}},$$

which is negligible under the DDH assumption over  $\mathbb{G}_1$ . This shows the security of the identification protocol  $\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}}$ .  $\blacksquare$

*Proof of Claim 4.* For any adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  against the EUF-CMA security of the signature scheme  $\text{SIG}_{\text{DDH}}$ , we construct an algorithm  $\mathcal{B}$  against the security of the

identification protocol  $\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}}$  as follows. The reduction is in the random oracle model.

$\mathcal{B}$  is constructed by simulating the EUF-CMA security experiment as described in (3) for  $\mathcal{A}$ . Let  $Q$  denote the number of  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Sign}}$  queries made by  $\mathcal{A}$ .

- Firstly,  $\mathcal{B}$  receives  $\text{pk} = e(g_1, g_2)^x$  from its own challenger, and passes  $\text{pk}$  to  $\mathcal{A}$ . Moreover,  $\mathcal{B}$  samples an index  $j^* \leftarrow_{\S} [Q]$  uniformly.
- Then  $\mathcal{B}$  needs to answer the  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Sign}}(m)$  queries for  $\mathcal{A}$ . To this end,  $\mathcal{B}$  asks its own  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{IP}}$  oracle to obtain a fresh transcript  $(\sigma_1 = g_1^r, d, \sigma_2 = g_2^{x \cdot d + r})$  of the protocol  $\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}}$ , where  $r, d \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$ , then sets the hash value  $\text{H}(m, \sigma_1) := d$ , and returns  $\sigma := (\sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  as a signature of  $m$  to  $\mathcal{A}$ . It is clear to see that the simulation of  $\sigma = (\sigma_1, \sigma_2)$  is perfect.
- Meanwhile,  $\mathcal{B}$  needs to answer the random oracle queries  $\text{H}(m', \sigma'_1)$  for  $\mathcal{A}$ .
  - If this is the  $j^*$ -th random oracle query made by  $\mathcal{A}$ , denoted by  $(m'^{(j^*)}, \sigma_1'^{(j^*)})$ , then  $\mathcal{B}$  returns  $\sigma_1'^{(j^*)}$  to its own challenger and receives  $d^* \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$  from its own challenger (cf. (10) for the security experiment of  $\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}}$ ). Then  $\mathcal{B}$  sets the hash value  $\text{H}(m'^{(j^*)}, \sigma_1'^{(j^*)}) := d^*$ , and returns  $d^*$  to  $\mathcal{A}$ .
  - If  $\text{H}(m', \sigma'_1)$  is already defined,  $\mathcal{B}$  returns the value of  $\text{H}(m', \sigma'_1)$  to  $\mathcal{A}$ .
  - Otherwise,  $\mathcal{B}$  samples  $d' \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$  uniformly, sets the hash value  $\text{H}(m', \sigma'_1) := d'$ , and returns  $d'$  to  $\mathcal{A}$ .
- Finally,  $\mathcal{B}$  receives a forgery  $(m^*, \sigma^* = (\sigma_1^*, \sigma_2^*))$  from  $\mathcal{A}$ , and outputs  $\sigma_2^*$  to its own challenger.

Clearly,  $\mathcal{B}$ 's simulation of  $\text{pk}$  is perfect, and  $\mathcal{B}$ 's answers for  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Sign}}$  and  $\text{H}$  queries are perfect as well, since  $\mathcal{B}$  always sets the hash values as uniformly random elements.

We note that  $\mathcal{B}$  breaks the security of the identification protocol  $\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}}$  if the following three events occur simultaneously:

- Event I:  $\mathcal{A}$  made a random oracle query  $\text{H}(m^*, \sigma_1^*)$  to  $\mathcal{B}$ .
- Event II:  $\mathcal{A}$ 's random oracle query  $\text{H}(m^*, \sigma_1^*)$  happened to be the  $j^*$ -th query.
- Event III:  $\mathcal{A}$  breaks the EUF-CMA security of  $\text{SIG}_{\text{DDH}}$  by providing a fresh and valid forgery  $(m^*, \sigma^* = (\sigma_1^*, \sigma_2^*))$ , i.e., satisfying

$$e(g_1, \sigma_2^*) = e(g_1, g_2)^{x \cdot d'^*} \cdot e(\sigma_1^*, g_2) \quad (12)$$

for  $d'^* := \text{H}(m^*, \sigma_1^*) \in \mathbb{Z}_p$ .

This is because that when  $\mathcal{A}$ 's random oracle query  $\text{H}(m^*, \sigma_1^*)$  is the  $j^*$ -th query, i.e.,  $(m'^{(j^*)}, \sigma_1'^{(j^*)}) = (m^*, \sigma_1^*)$ , then  $\mathcal{B}$  actually returns  $\sigma_1'^{(j^*)} = \sigma_1^*$  to its own challenger and sets the hash value of  $\text{H}(m^*, \sigma_1^*)$  as the obtained  $d^*$ , i.e.,  $d'^* = \text{H}(m^*, \sigma_1^*) = d^*$ , and thus  $\mathcal{B}$ 's final output  $\sigma_2^*$  breaks the security of  $\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}}$  as long as  $\mathcal{A}$ 's forgery satisfies (12). Consequently, we get that

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Adv}_{\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}}, \mathcal{B}}(\kappa) &\geq \Pr[\text{Event I} \wedge \text{Event II} \wedge \text{Event III}] \\ &= \Pr[\text{Event I} \wedge \text{Event III}] \cdot \Pr[\text{Event II} \mid \text{Event I} \wedge \text{Event III}] \\ &= (\Pr[\text{Event III}] - \Pr[\neg \text{Event I} \wedge \text{Event III}]) \cdot \Pr[\text{Event II} \mid \text{Event I} \wedge \text{Event III}] \\ &\geq (\text{Adv}_{\text{SIG}_{\text{DDH}}, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{EUF-CMA}}(\kappa) - \frac{1}{p}) \cdot \frac{1}{Q}, \end{aligned} \quad (13)$$



where (13) follows from the three facts that  $\Pr[\text{Event III}] = \text{Adv}_{\text{SIG}_{\text{DDH}, \mathcal{A}}}^{\text{EUF-CMA}}(\kappa)$ ,  $\Pr[\neg\text{Event I} \wedge \text{Event III}] \leq \frac{1}{p}$  (if  $\mathcal{A}$  never queries  $\text{H}(m^*, \sigma_1^*)$ , then the value of  $d'^* := \text{H}(m^*, \sigma_1^*) \in \mathbb{Z}_p$  is uniformly random to  $\mathcal{A}$ , and thus  $\mathcal{A}$ 's forgery can satisfy (12) with probability at most  $\frac{1}{p}$ ), and  $\Pr[\text{Event II} \mid \text{Event I} \wedge \text{Event III}] \geq \frac{1}{Q}$  (if  $\mathcal{A}$  made a random oracle query  $\text{H}(m^*, \sigma_1^*)$ , then for  $j^* \leftarrow_{\$} [Q]$ , the query happened to be the  $j^*$ -th query with probability at least  $\frac{1}{Q}$ ).

Putting differently, it holds that

$$\text{Adv}_{\text{SIG}_{\text{DDH}, \mathcal{A}}}^{\text{EUF-CMA}}(\kappa) \leq Q \cdot \text{Adv}_{\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}, \mathcal{B}}}(\kappa) + \frac{1}{p},$$

which is negligible assuming the security of the identification protocol  $\text{IP}_{\text{DDH}}$ . This shows the EUF-CMA security of the signature scheme  $\text{SIG}_{\text{DDH}}$ .  $\blacksquare$

Finally, by combining Claim 3 and Claim 4 together, Theorem 5 follows.  $\square$

### D.3 Proof of Lemma 8 (Qualified $\text{AKE}_{3\text{K}}$ via The Three-KEM Paradigm)

**Lemma 8** *If KEM and  $\text{KEM}_0$  meet the requirements listed in Table 2, then the  $\text{AKE}_{3\text{K}}$  yielded by the three-KEM paradigm is a qualified AKE for constructing AM-AKE.*

**Proof of Lemma 8.** To prove that  $\text{AKE}_{3\text{K}} = (\text{Gen}_{3\text{K}}, \text{Init}_{3\text{K}}, \text{DerR}_{3\text{K}}, \text{DerI}_{3\text{K}})$  is a qualified one, we show that all requirements listed in Table 2 are satisfied, i.e.,  $\text{Gen}_{3\text{K}}$  has secret extractability,  $\text{Init}_{3\text{K}}$  is 3-separable with entropy-preserving functions  $(f_{1,1}, f_{1,2})$ , and  $\text{DerR}_{3\text{K}}$  is 3-separable with entropy-preserving functions  $(f_{R,1}, f_{R,2})$ .

- Since  $\text{Gen}_{3\text{K}} = \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}$ , the secret extractability of  $\text{Gen}_{3\text{K}}$  follows directly from that of  $\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}$ .
- The process of  $\text{Init}_{3\text{K}}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i)$  for generating  $(\text{msg}_i = (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \psi_i), \text{st} = (\widetilde{\text{sk}}, K_i))$  can be decomposed into three steps:
  1.  $d_G \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_G$  and  $\widetilde{\text{pk}} := \overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}_0}(d_G)$ . So we can define  $f_{1,1} := \overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}_0}$ , and then the entropy-preserving of  $f_{1,1}$  follows from that of  $\overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}_0}$ .
  2.  $d_{K,i} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_K$  and  $\psi_i := \overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}_r; d_{K,i})$ . So we can define  $f_{1,2} := \overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}_r; \cdot)$ , and then the entropy-preserving of  $f_{1,2}$  follows from that of  $\overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}_r; \cdot)$ .
  3.  $(\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \widetilde{\text{sk}}) := \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}_0}(d_G)$ ,  $(K_i, \psi_i) := \text{Encap}(\text{pk}_r; d_{K,i})$ , and set  $\text{st} := (\widetilde{\text{sk}}, K_i)$ . This process can be defined as  $(\varepsilon, \text{st}) \leftarrow \overline{\text{Init}}_{3\text{K}}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, d_G, d_{K,i})$ . Consequently,  $\text{Init}_{3\text{K}}$  is 3-separable with two entropy-preserving functions  $(f_{1,1} = \overline{\text{Gen}}_{\text{KEM}_0}, f_{1,2} = \overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}_r; \cdot))$  and an algorithm  $\overline{\text{Init}}_{3\text{K}}$ .
- Similarly, the process of  $\text{DerR}_{3\text{K}}(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_r, \text{msg}_i = (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \psi_i))$  for generating  $(\text{msg}_r = (\widetilde{\psi}, \psi_r), K_r)$  can be decomposed into three steps:
  1.  $d_{K_0} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_{K_0}$  and  $\widetilde{\psi} := \overline{\text{Encap}}_0(\widetilde{\text{pk}}; d_{K_0})$ . So we can define  $f_{R,1} := \overline{\text{Encap}}_0(\widetilde{\text{pk}}; \cdot)$ , and then the entropy-preserving of  $f_{R,1}$  follows from that of  $\overline{\text{Encap}}_0(\widetilde{\text{pk}}; \cdot)$ .
  2.  $d_{K,r} \leftarrow_{\$} \mathcal{D}_K$  and  $\psi_r := \overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}_i; d_{K,r})$ . So we can define  $f_{R,2} := \overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}_i; \cdot)$ , and then the entropy-preserving of  $f_{R,2}$  follows from that of  $\overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}_i; \cdot)$ .

3.  $K_i \leftarrow \text{Decap}(\text{sk}_r, \psi_i), (\widetilde{K}, \widetilde{\psi}) := \text{Encap}_0(\widetilde{\text{pk}}; d_{K_0}), (K_r, \psi_r) := \text{Encap}(\text{pk}_i; d_{K,r}),$   
and sets  $K_r := \text{H}(\text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{msg}_i, \text{msg}_r, K_i, K_r, \widetilde{K})$ . This process can be  
defined as  $(\varepsilon, K_r) \leftarrow \overline{\text{DerR}_{\text{KS}}}(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_r, \text{msg}_i = (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \psi_i), d_{K_0}, d_{K,r}),$  with  $\varepsilon$   
denoting the empty string.

Consequently,  $\overline{\text{DerR}_{\text{3K}}}$  is 3-separable with two entropy-preserving functions  
 $(f_{R,1} = \overline{\text{Encap}}_0(\widetilde{\text{pk}}; \cdot), f_{R,2} = \overline{\text{Encap}}(\text{pk}_i; \cdot))$  and an algorithm  $\overline{\text{DerR}_{\text{3K}}}$ .  $\square$

#### D.4 Proof of Theorem 6 (Security of $\text{KEM}_{\text{DDH}}$ )

**Theorem 6** *If the DDH assumption holds over  $\mathbb{G}_1$ , then the proposed  $\text{KEM}_{\text{DDH}}$  achieves IND-CPA security.*

**Proof of Theorem 6.** The proof is quite straightforward. For any adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  against the IND-CPA security of  $\text{KEM}_{\text{DDH}}$ , we construct an algorithm  $\mathcal{B}$  against the DDH assumption over  $\mathbb{G}_1$  as follows.

Given a DDH challenge  $(\text{pp}, g_1^x, g_1^r, T)$ ,  $\mathcal{B}$  wants to distinguish  $T = g_1^{xr}$  from  $T \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{G}_1$ , where  $x, r \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$ . To this end,  $\mathcal{B}$  computes  $\text{pk} := e(g_1^x, g_2) = e(g_1, g_2)^x$ ,  $\psi^* := g_1^r$ ,  $K^* := e(T, g_2)$ , gives  $(\text{pk}, \psi^*, K^*)$  to  $\mathcal{A}$ , and returns the output of  $\mathcal{A}$  to its own challenger. It is easy to see that  $\mathcal{B}$ 's simulation of  $(\text{pk}, \psi^*)$  is perfect. If  $T = g_1^{xr}$ , then  $K^* = e(T, g_2) = e(g_1, g_2)^{xr}$ , which is the real symmetric key encapsulated in  $\psi^* = g_1^r$ ; if  $T \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{G}_1$ , then  $K^* = e(T, g_2)$  is uniformly distributed over  $\mathbb{G}_T$ . Consequently,  $\mathcal{B}$  is able to distinguish  $T = g_1^{xr}$  from  $T \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{G}_1$ , as long as  $\mathcal{A}$  can distinguish the real symmetric key  $K^* = e(g_1, g_2)^{xr}$  encapsulated in  $\psi^*$  from a uniformly chosen  $K^* \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{G}_T$ , and we have  $\text{Adv}_{\text{KEM}_{\text{DDH}}, \mathcal{A}}^{\text{IND-CPA}}(\kappa) \leq \text{Adv}_{\mathbb{G}_1, \mathcal{B}}^{\text{DDH}}(\kappa)$ , which is negligible under the DDH assumption over  $\mathbb{G}_1$ . This shows the IND-CPA security of  $\text{KEM}_{\text{DDH}}$ .  $\square$

## E Generic Construction of Plain AM-AKE with Relaxed Security from AKE

As shown in Subsect. 3.4, it is impossible for a plain (two-pass) AM-AKE scheme to achieve responder-robustness, achieve IND-WM/sIND-WM if it is initiator-robust, and achieve PR-DK/sPR-DK. The best security for it is the relaxed security notions defined in Def. 6 in Subsect. 3.4.

In this section, we propose a generic construction of plain AM-AKE with relaxed security from a basic AKE, with the help of a KEM and a PRF. The resulting plain AM-AKE achieves initiator-robust, relaxed sIND-WM security and relaxed sPR-DK security, simultaneously. To make the construction possible, we require the underlying AKE and KEM to meet some new requirements, which are defined in Appendix E.1. Then we will show the generic construction in Appendix E.2, and prove its security in Appendix E.3. Finally, in Appendix E.4, we discuss how to achieve responder-robustness for plain AM-AKE by relying on more passes.

## E.1 Requirements for The Underlying AKE and KEM

To construct a plain AM-AKE scheme from AKE and KEM, we require the underlying AKE have partially randomness-recoverable algorithms  $\text{Init}$  and  $\text{DerR}$ , and the underlying KEM have pseudo-random public keys, encapsulated keys and ciphertexts, which are defined as follows.

**Definition 16 (AKE with Partially Randomness-Recoverable  $\text{Init}$  and  $\text{DerR}$ ).** Let  $\text{AKE} = (\text{Gen}, \text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{DerI})$  be a two-pass AKE scheme, with  $\mathcal{D}_1^* \times \overline{\mathcal{D}}_1$  the randomness space of  $\text{Init}$  and  $\mathcal{D}_R^* \times \overline{\mathcal{D}}_R$  the randomness space of  $\text{DerR}$ . We say that the algorithms  $\text{Init}$  and  $\text{DerR}$  are partially randomness-recoverable, if there exist PPT algorithms  $\text{Rec}_{\text{Init}}$  and  $\text{Rec}_{\text{DerR}}$ , such that for any  $(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_i) \leftarrow \text{Gen}$ ,  $(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_r) \leftarrow \text{Gen}$ ,  $d_i^* \in \mathcal{D}_1^*$ ,  $\overline{d}_i \in \overline{\mathcal{D}}_1$ ,  $d_r^* \in \mathcal{D}_R^*$ ,  $\overline{d}_r \in \overline{\mathcal{D}}_R$ ,  $(\text{msg}_i, \text{st}) \leftarrow \text{Init}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i; (d_i^*, \overline{d}_i))$ ,  $(\text{msg}_r, K_r) \leftarrow \text{DerR}(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_r, \text{msg}_i; (d_r^*, \overline{d}_r))$ , it holds that

$$d_i^* = \text{Rec}_{\text{Init}}(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_r, \text{msg}_i) \quad \text{and} \quad d_r^* = \text{Rec}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, \text{msg}_r, \text{st}).$$

**Definition 17 (Fully Pseudo-Random KEM).** Let  $\text{KEM} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}, \text{Encap}, \text{Decap})$  be a KEM scheme with public key space  $\mathcal{PK}$ , encapsulated key space  $\mathcal{K}$  and ciphertext space  $\mathcal{CT}$ . We say that KEM is fully pseudo-random, if for any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$ , it holds that

$$\left| \Pr[\mathcal{A}(\text{pk}, K, \psi) = 1] - \Pr[\mathcal{A}(\text{pk}', K', \psi') = 1] \right| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$$

where  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}$ ,  $(K, \psi) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\text{pk})$ ,  $\text{pk}' \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{PK}$ ,  $K' \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{K}$  and  $\psi' \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{CT}$ .

Based on the properties defined above, we are ready to present the generic construction of plain AM-AKE.

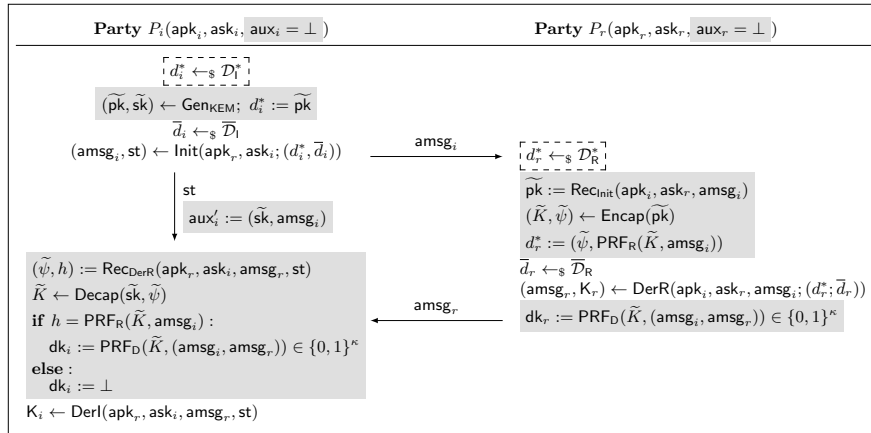
## E.2 Construction of Plain AM-AKE from AKE, KEM and PRF

Let  $\text{KEM} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}, \text{Encap}, \text{Decap})$  be a fully pseudo-random KEM as per Def. 17, with public key space  $\mathcal{PK}$ , encapsulated key space  $\mathcal{K}$  and ciphertext space  $\mathcal{CT}$ . Let  $\text{AKE} = (\text{Gen}, \text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{DerI})$  be a two-pass AKE scheme with partially randomness-recoverable  $(\text{Init}, \text{DerR})$  supported by  $(\text{Rec}_{\text{Init}}, \text{Rec}_{\text{DerR}})$  as per Def. 16, where the randomness space of  $\text{Init}$  is  $\mathcal{D}_1^* \times \overline{\mathcal{D}}_1$  with  $\mathcal{D}_1^* = \mathcal{PK}$ , and the randomness space of  $\text{DerR}$  is  $\mathcal{D}_R^* \times \overline{\mathcal{D}}_R$  with  $\mathcal{D}_R^* = \mathcal{CT} \times \{0, 1\}^{\kappa}$ . Moreover, let  $\text{PRF} : \mathcal{K} \times \{0, 1\}^* \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^{2\kappa}$ . For ease of exposition, we parse the output of PRF as two parts, i.e.,  $\text{PRF}_R/\text{PRF}_D : \mathcal{K} \times \{0, 1\}^* \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^{\kappa}$ , such that  $\text{PRF}(K, m) = (\text{PRF}_R(K, m), \text{PRF}_D(K, m))$  for all  $K \in \mathcal{K}$  and  $m \in \{0, 1\}^*$ .

Now we convert AKE to a plain AM-AKE scheme  $\text{AM-AKE} = ((\text{Gen}, \text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{DerI}), (\text{aGen}, \text{aInit}, \text{aDerR}, \text{aDerI}))$  with the help of KEM and PRF, where the anamorphic algorithms are described below. (See also Fig. 8 for an illustration of the resulting plain AM-AKE.)

- $(\text{apk}, \text{ask}, \text{aux}) \leftarrow \text{aGen}$ : it invokes AKE's key generation algorithm  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}$ , and sets  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask}, \text{aux}) := (\text{pk}, \text{sk}, \perp)$ .

- $(\text{amsg}_i, \text{st}, \text{aux}'_i) \leftarrow \text{alnit}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}_i = \perp)$ : it invokes  $(\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \widetilde{\text{sk}}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}$ , sets  $d_i^* := \widetilde{\text{pk}}$ , chooses  $\bar{d}_i \leftarrow_{\S} \bar{\mathcal{D}}_1$ , and invokes  $(\text{msg}_i, \text{st}) \leftarrow \text{Init}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i; (d_i^*, \bar{d}_i))$ . Then, it returns  $(\text{amsg}_i := \text{msg}_i, \text{st}, \text{aux}'_i := (\widetilde{\text{sk}}, \text{amsg}_i))$ .
- $(\text{amsg}_r, K_r, \text{dk}_r) \leftarrow \text{aDerR}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{aux}_r = \perp, \text{amsg}_i)$ : it first recovers the partial randomness used by  $\text{Init}$  via computing  $\widetilde{\text{pk}} := \text{Rec}_{\text{Init}}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{amsg}_i)$ . Then it invokes  $(\widetilde{K}, \widetilde{\psi}) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\widetilde{\text{pk}})$  and computes  $h := \text{PRF}_R(\widetilde{K}, \text{amsg}_i)$ . Next it sets  $d_r^* := (\widetilde{\psi}, h)$ , chooses  $\bar{d}_r \leftarrow_{\S} \bar{\mathcal{D}}_R$ , invokes  $(\text{msg}_r, K_r) \leftarrow \text{DerR}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{amsg}_i; (d_r^*, \bar{d}_r))$ , and sets  $\text{amsg}_r := \text{msg}_r$ . Finally, it computes  $\text{dk}_r := \text{PRF}_D(\widetilde{K}, (\text{amsg}_i, \text{amsg}_r))$  as the double key, and returns  $(\text{amsg}_r, K_r, \text{dk}_r)$ .
- $(K_i, \text{dk}_i) \leftarrow \text{aDerI}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}'_i = (\widetilde{\text{sk}}, \text{amsg}_i), \text{amsg}_r, \text{st})$ : it first recovers the partial randomness used by  $\text{DerR}$  via computing  $d_r^* := \text{Rec}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{amsg}_r, \text{st})$  and parses  $d_r^* = (\widetilde{\psi}, h)$ . Then it decrypts  $\widetilde{\psi}$  to obtain  $\widetilde{K} \leftarrow \text{Decap}(\widetilde{\text{sk}}, \widetilde{\psi})$ , and checks whether  $h = \text{PRF}_R(\widetilde{K}, \text{amsg}_i)$  holds. If the check passes, it sets  $\text{dk}_i := \text{PRF}_D(\widetilde{K}, (\text{amsg}_i, \text{amsg}_r))$  as the double key; otherwise,  $\text{dk}_i := \perp$ . Finally, it invokes  $K_i \leftarrow \text{DerI}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{amsg}_r, \text{st})$ , and returns  $(K_i, \text{dk}_i)$ .



**Fig. 8.** Generic construction of the *plain* AM-AKE scheme AM-AKE based on AKE, KEM and PRF, where [dotted boxes] appear only in normal algorithms ( $\text{Gen}, \text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{DerI}$ ), and [gray boxes] appear only in anamorphic algorithms ( $\text{aGen}, \text{alnit}, \text{aDerR}, \text{aDerI}$ ).

Let us compare the normal algorithms and the anamorphic ones.

- The anamorphic algorithm  $\text{aGen}$  is identical to the normal algorithm  $\text{Gen}$ , so are the key-pairs  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask})$  and  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk})$  they generate.
- The normal algorithm  $\text{Init}$  makes use of random coins  $d_i^*$  and  $\bar{d}_i$  for the generation of  $\text{msg}_i$  and  $\text{st}$ . The anamorphic algorithm  $\text{alnit}$  can be regarded as the normal  $\text{Init}$  taking specific coins  $d_i^* = \widetilde{\text{pk}}$  and random coins  $\bar{d}_i$ , with  $\widetilde{\text{pk}}$  an ephemeral public key of KEM.

- The normal algorithm  $\text{DerR}$  makes use of random coins  $d_r^*$  and  $\bar{d}_r$  for the generation of  $\text{msg}_r$  and  $K_r$ . The anamorphic algorithm  $\text{aDerR}$  has two parts: one part can be regarded as the normal  $\text{DerR}$  taking specific coins  $d_r^* = (\tilde{\psi}, h)$  and random coins  $\bar{d}_r$  to output  $\text{msg}_r$  and  $K_r$ , where  $(\tilde{K}, \tilde{\psi}) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\text{pk})$  and  $h = \text{PRF}_R(\tilde{K}, \text{amsg}_i)$ ; the other part is in charge of generating the double key  $\text{dk}_r := \text{PRF}_D(\tilde{K}, (\text{amsg}_i, \text{amsg}_r))$ .
- The normal algorithm  $\text{DerI}$  is deterministic and outputs  $K_i$ . The anamorphic algorithm  $\text{aDerI}$  functions identically as  $\text{DerI}$  for the generation of  $K_i$ , but it is also in charge of generating the double key  $\text{dk}_i := \text{PRF}_D(\tilde{K}, (\text{amsg}_i, \text{amsg}_r))$  or  $\text{dk}_i := \perp$  depending on whether  $h = \text{PRF}_R(\tilde{K}, \text{amsg}_i)$ .

Below we analyze the correctness and robustness of our plain AM-AKE.

**Correctness.** It is easy to see that the correctness of plain AM-AKE follows from the correctness of AKE, the partially randomness-recoverable property of  $(\text{Init}, \text{DerR})$  and the correctness of KEM. In particular, the correctness of AKE guarantees  $K_i = K_r$  for every possible choices of  $d_i^*, \bar{d}_i, d_r^*, \bar{d}_r$ , so even using specific coins in the anamorphic algorithms, we also have  $K_i = K_r$ . Moreover, by the correctness of KEM, we have  $\text{dk}_i = \text{PRF}_D(\tilde{K}, (\text{amsg}_i, \text{amsg}_r)) = \text{dk}_r$ .

**Initiator-Robustness.** Suppose that  $P_i$  invokes anamorphic algorithms  $\text{alnit}$  and  $\text{aDerI}$  while  $P_r$  invokes normal algorithm  $\text{DerR}$ , then the randomness  $d_r^* \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_R^*$  used in  $\text{DerR}$  is uniformly chosen. When  $P_i$  invokes the anamorphic algorithm  $\text{aDerI}$  to recover the partial randomness  $d_r^*$  and parse  $d_r^* = (\tilde{\psi}, h)$ , we know that  $\tilde{\psi}$  and  $h$  are independently and uniformly distributed. Therefore for  $\tilde{K} \leftarrow \text{Decap}(\text{sk}, \tilde{\psi})$ , the check  $h = \text{PRF}_R(\tilde{K}, \text{amsg}_i)$  can pass with only a negligible probability  $1/2^\kappa$  due to the uniformity of  $h$ , and consequently,  $P_i$  will set  $\text{dk}_i := \perp$  with overwhelming probability.

### E.3 Security Proofs

We show the relaxed security of the plain AM-AKE proposed in Appendix E.2.

**Theorem 7 (Relaxed Security of Plain AM-AKE).** *Let AKE be a two-pass AKE scheme with partially randomness-recoverable algorithms  $(\text{Init}, \text{DerR})$ , let KEM be a fully pseudo-random KEM, and let PRF be a pseudo-random function. Then the plain AM-AKE scheme AM-AKE constructed in Appendix E.2 achieves relaxed sIND-WM and relaxed sPR-DK security.*

The proof of Theorem 7 consists of two parts: the relaxed sIND-WM security follows from Lemma 9 and Lemma 10, while the relaxed sPR-DK security follows from Lemma 11.

**Lemma 9.** *For any adversary  $\mathcal{A}$ , it holds that  $|\Pr[\mathcal{A}(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) = 1] - \Pr[\mathcal{A}(\text{apk}, \text{ask}) = 1]| = 0$ , where  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}$  and  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask}, \text{aux}) \leftarrow \text{aGen}$ .*

**Proof of Lemma 9.** Since both the anamorphic key-pair  $(\text{apk}, \text{ask})$  and the normal key-pair  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk})$  are generated by  $\text{Gen}$ , they have the same distribution.  $\square$

**Lemma 10.** *There exists PPT simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{Siml}, \text{SimR})$ , such that for any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $N = \text{poly}(\kappa)$ ,  $|\Pr[\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{relaxed-sIND-WM}} = 1] - \frac{1}{2}| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .*

**Proof of Lemma 10.** We first describe the simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{Siml}, \text{SimR})$ .

- $R_i \leftarrow \text{Siml}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}_i = \perp, R'_i)$ : Here  $R'_i$  is an internal randomness used in  $\text{alnit}$ , and thus includes the randomness used in  $\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}$  which is denoted by  $d_G$ , as well as  $\bar{d}_i$  used in  $\text{Init}$ , i.e.,  $R'_i = (d_G, \bar{d}_i)$ . This algorithm aims to explain  $R'_i$  as a randomness  $R_i$  for  $\text{Init}$ . To this end, it computes  $(\tilde{\text{pk}}, \tilde{\text{sk}}) := \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}(d_G)$ , sets  $d_i^* := \tilde{\text{pk}}$ , and outputs  $R_i := (d_i^*, \bar{d}_i)$ .
- $R_r \leftarrow \text{SimR}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{aux}_r = \perp, m, R'_r)$ : Here  $R'_r$  is an internal randomness used in  $\text{aDerR}$ , and thus includes the randomness used in  $\text{Encap}$  denoted by  $d_K$ , as well as  $\bar{d}_r$  used in  $\text{DerR}$ , i.e.,  $R'_r = (d_K, \bar{d}_r)$ . This algorithm aims to explain  $R'_r$  as a randomness  $R_r$  for  $\text{DerR}$ . To this end, it computes  $(\tilde{K}, \tilde{\psi}) := \text{Encap}(\tilde{\text{pk}}; d_K)$ , sets  $d_r^* := (\tilde{\psi}, \text{PRF}_R(\tilde{K}, m))$ , and outputs  $R_r := (d_r^*, \bar{d}_r)$ .

We prove the lemma via a sequence of games  $G_0$ - $G_3$ , where the differences between adjacent games are highlighted in gray boxes.

**Game  $G_0$ :** This is the  $\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{relaxed-sIND-WM}}$  experiment (cf. Fig. 2). Then we have  $\Pr[\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{relaxed-sIND-WM}} = 1] = \Pr[G_0 = 1]$ .

In this game, the challenger samples a challenge bit  $b \leftarrow_{\S} \{0, 1\}$ , and answers the  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}, \mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}, \mathcal{O}_{\text{Derl}}$  queries for  $\mathcal{A}$  in the following way:

- If  $b = 0$ , the challenger invokes the normal algorithms  $\text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{Derl}$ ;
- If  $b = 1$  and  $\mathcal{A}$  designates normal mode (i.e.,  $\mathbf{N}$ ), the challenger also invokes the normal algorithms;
- If  $b = 1$  and  $\mathcal{A}$  designates anamorphic mode (i.e.,  $\mathbf{A}$ ), the challenger invokes the anamorphic algorithm  $\text{alnit}/\text{aDerR}/\text{aDerl}$  and the simulator  $\text{Siml}/\text{SimR}$ .

The adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  succeeds if it guesses  $b$  correctly. Overall, there are differences between  $b = 0$  and  $b = 1$  only if  $\mathcal{A}$  designates anamorphic mode (i.e.,  $\mathbf{A}$ ).

We note that the oracles  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}, \mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}, \mathcal{O}_{\text{Derl}}$  output  $(\text{msg}_i, \text{st}, R_i)$ ,  $(\text{msg}_r, K_r, R_r)$  and  $K_i$ , respectively, but do not output the double keys  $\text{dk}_i, \text{dk}_r$ . The differences between the normal algorithms and the anamorphic algorithms and simulator in generating these values only lie in the distributions of  $d_i^*$  and  $d_r^*$ :

- The normal algorithms  $\text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{Derl}$  use uniformly chosen coins  $d_i^* \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_1^*$  and  $d_r^* \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_R^*$ .
- The anamorphic algorithms  $\text{alnit}, \text{aDerR}, \text{aDerl}$  and simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{Siml}, \text{SimR})$  involve specific coins  $d_i^* := \tilde{\text{pk}} \in \mathcal{D}_1^*$  and  $d_r^* := (\tilde{\psi}', \text{PRF}_R(\tilde{K}', m)) \in \mathcal{D}_R^*$ , where  $(\tilde{\text{pk}}, \tilde{\text{sk}}) := \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}, \tilde{\text{pk}} := \text{Rec}_{\text{Init}}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, m)$ ,  $(\tilde{K}, \tilde{\psi}) := \text{Encap}(\tilde{\text{pk}})$ , and  $m$  is chosen by  $\mathcal{A}$  as the input of  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$ .

Notice that for any session  $\text{sID}$ ,  $\mathcal{A}$  always queries  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m)$  with  $m = \text{msg}_i$  to obtain valid result where  $\text{msg}_i$  is outputted by  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}(\text{sID})$ , otherwise

$\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$  will return  $\perp$ . In this case,  $\widetilde{\text{pk}} = \widetilde{\text{pk}}'$  because  $\text{Init}$  is partially randomness-recoverable.

**Game  $G_1$ :** It is the same as  $G_0$ , except that at the beginning of the game, the challenger samples  $\widetilde{\text{pk}}_j \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{PK} = \mathcal{D}_1^*$ ,  $\widetilde{K}_j \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{K}$ ,  $\widetilde{\psi}_j \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{CT}$  for every  $j \in Q_{\text{New}}$  where  $Q_{\text{New}}$  is the maximum number of the queries for  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{New}}$  by  $\mathcal{A}$ . Then in the case of  $b = 1$  and the mode designated by  $\mathcal{A}$  is anamorphic (i.e.,  $\mathbf{A}$ ), the challenger answers the oracle queries  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}(\text{sID}, w_1 = \mathbf{A})$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m, w_R = \mathbf{A})$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}(\text{sID}, m)$  for  $\mathcal{A}$  as follows:

- Let  $j := \text{sID}$ . The challenger invokes anamorphic algorithms  $\text{aInit}$ ,  $\text{aDerR}$ ,  $\text{aDerI}$  and the simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{SimI}, \text{SimR})$ , by using specific coins  $d_i^* := \widetilde{\text{pk}} \in \mathcal{D}_1^*$  and  $d_r^* := (\widetilde{\psi}, \text{PRF}_R(\widetilde{K}, m)) \in \mathcal{D}_R^*$ , where  $\widetilde{\text{pk}} := \widetilde{\text{pk}}_j$ ,  $\widetilde{K} := \widetilde{K}_j$ ,  $\widetilde{\psi} := \widetilde{\psi}_j$ .

By the fully pseudo-random property of KEM (cf. Def. 17), for every  $j \in Q_{\text{New}}$ , the  $j$ -th tuple  $(\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \widetilde{K}, \widetilde{\psi})$  generated in  $G_0$  with  $(\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \widetilde{\text{sk}}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}$ ,  $(\widetilde{K}, \widetilde{\psi}) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\widetilde{\text{pk}})$  is computationally indistinguishable from  $(\widetilde{\text{pk}}_j, \widetilde{K}_j, \widetilde{\psi}_j)$  with  $\widetilde{\text{pk}} := \widetilde{\text{pk}}_j$ ,  $\widetilde{K} := \widetilde{K}_j$ ,  $\widetilde{\psi} := \widetilde{\psi}_j$  in  $G_1$ , which is unknown to  $\mathcal{A}$ . By a standard hybrid argument, we conclude that  $|\Pr[G_1 = 1] - \Pr[G_0 = 1]| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .

**Game  $G_2$ :** It is the same as  $G_1$ , except that the challenger replaces the pseudo-random function  $\text{PRF} = (\text{PRF}_R, \text{PRF}_D)$  with truly random function  $\text{TRF} = (\text{TRF}_R, \text{TRF}_D)$ , where  $\text{TRF}_R/\text{TRF}_D : \{0, 1\}^* \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_R^*/\{0, 1\}^\kappa$ . More precisely, when  $b = 1$  and the mode designated by  $\mathcal{A}$  is anamorphic (i.e.,  $\mathbf{A}$ ), the challenger answers the oracle queries  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m, w_R = \mathbf{A})$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}(\text{sID}, m)$  for  $\mathcal{A}$  as follows:

- Let  $j := \text{sID}$ . The challenger invokes anamorphic algorithms  $\text{aDerR}$ ,  $\text{aDerI}$  and the simulator  $\text{SimR}$ , by using specific coins  $d_r^* := (\widetilde{\psi}_j, \text{TRF}_R(\widetilde{K}_j, m)) \in \mathcal{D}_R^*$ .

Since  $\text{PRF} = (\text{PRF}_R, \text{PRF}_D)$  is a pseudo-random function, its outputs are computationally indistinguishable from the outputs of truly random function  $\text{TRF} = (\text{TRF}_R, \text{TRF}_D)$ . Consequently, this change is unnoticeable to  $\mathcal{A}$ , and by a standard hybrid argument over the PRF keys  $\widetilde{K}_j$ , we have  $|\Pr[G_1 = 1] - \Pr[G_2 = 1]| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .

**Game  $G_3$ :** It is the same as  $G_2$ , except that in the case of  $b = 1$  and the mode designated by  $\mathcal{A}$  is anamorphic (i.e.,  $\mathbf{A}$ ), the challenger answers the oracle queries  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}(\text{sID}, w_1 = \mathbf{A})$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m, w_R = \mathbf{A})$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}(\text{sID}, m)$  for  $\mathcal{A}$  as follows:

- The challenger invokes anamorphic algorithms  $\text{aDerR}$ ,  $\text{aDerI}$  and the simulator  $\text{SimR}$ , by using uniformly chosen coins  $d_r^* \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_R^*$ .

Clearly, in  $G_3$ , the anamorphic algorithms  $\text{aInit}$ ,  $\text{aDerR}$ ,  $\text{aDerI}$  and the simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{SimI}, \text{SimR})$  using uniformly chosen coins  $d_i^* \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_1^*$  and  $d_r^* \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{D}_R^*$ ,

which are essentially the same as the normal algorithms  $\text{Init}, \text{DerR}, \text{DerI}$  in generating the responses  $(\text{msg}_i, \text{st}, R_i)$ ,  $(\text{msg}_r, K_r, R_r)$  and  $K_i$ , so the challenge bit  $b$  is perfectly hidden to  $\mathcal{A}$ , and we have  $\Pr[G_3 = 1] = 1/2$ .

It remains to show that  $G_2$  and  $G_3$  are computationally indistinguishable for  $\mathcal{A}$ . Notice that every invocation of  $\text{TRF}_R(\tilde{K}_j, \text{amsg}_i)$  uses a different input instance  $\tilde{K}_j$ , then  $d_r^* := (\tilde{\psi}_j, \text{TRF}_R(\tilde{K}_j, \text{amsg}_i)) \in \mathcal{D}_R^*$  is always mapped to a uniformly random value in  $\mathcal{CT} \times \{0, 1\}^\kappa = \mathcal{D}_R^*$ . This shows that  $|\Pr[G_2 = 1] - \Pr[G_3 = 1]| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .

Finally, by taking all things together, Lemma 10 follows.  $\square$

**Lemma 11.** *There exists PPT simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{SimI}, \text{SimR})$ , such that for any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  and  $N = \text{poly}(\kappa)$ ,  $|\Pr[\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{relaxed-sPR-DK}} = 1] - \frac{1}{2}| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .*

**Proof of Lemma 11.** We adopt the same simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{SimI}, \text{SimR})$  defined in the proof of Lemma 10. We prove the lemma via a sequence of games  $G'_0$ - $G'_3$ , which are defined similarly as those  $G_0$ - $G_3$  in the proof of Lemma 10.

**Game  $G'_0$ :** This is the  $\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{relaxed-sPR-DK}}$  experiment (cf. Fig. 3). Then we have  $\Pr[\text{Exp}_{\text{AM-AKE}, \mathcal{A}, \text{Sim}, N}^{\text{relaxed-sPR-DK}} = 1] = \Pr[G'_0 = 1]$ .

In this game, the challenger samples a challenge bit  $b \leftarrow_{\mathcal{S}} \{0, 1\}$ , and answers the  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}, \mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}, \mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}$  queries for  $\mathcal{A}$  by invoking the anamorphic algorithms  $\text{aInit}, \text{aDerR}, \text{aDerI}$  and the simulator  $\text{Sim} = (\text{SimI}, \text{SimR})$ . Moreover, the challenger answers the  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{TestDK}}$  queries for  $\mathcal{A}$ , by returning the real double keys  $\text{dk}_r$  (resp.,  $\text{dk}_i$ ) generated in  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$  (resp.,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}$ ) if  $b = 1$  while returning uniformly chosen  $\text{dk} \leftarrow_{\mathcal{S}} \{0, 1\}^\kappa$  if  $b = 0$ . Note that if the  $\text{dk}_r$  (resp.,  $\text{dk}_i$ ) generated in  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$  (resp.,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}$ ) is invalid (i.e., equals  $\perp$ ), then the challenger will output  $\perp$  directly for the  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{TestDK}}$  query regardless of the value of  $b$ . The adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  succeeds if it guesses  $b$  correctly.

We note that the oracles  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$  and  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}$  generate the real *valid* double keys  $\text{dk}_r$  and  $\text{dk}_i$  according to  $\text{aDerR}$  and  $\text{aDerI}$  as follows:

- $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m)$  generates *valid*  $\text{dk}_r$  by setting  $\text{dk}_r := \text{PRF}_D(\tilde{K}, (m, \text{amsg}_r)) \in \{0, 1\}^\kappa$  where  $\tilde{\text{pk}}'_r := \text{Rec}_{\text{Init}}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, m)$ ,  $(\tilde{K}, \tilde{\psi}) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\tilde{\text{pk}}'_r)$ , and  $\text{amsg}_r := \text{DerR}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, m; (d_r^*, \bar{d}_r))$  with  $d_r^* := (\tilde{\psi}, \text{PRF}_R(\tilde{K}, m))$  and  $\bar{d}_r \leftarrow_{\mathcal{S}} \bar{\mathcal{D}}_R$ .
- $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}(\text{sID}, m)$  generates *valid*  $\text{dk}_i$  by setting  $\text{dk}_i := \text{PRF}_D(\tilde{K}', (\text{amsg}_i, m)) \in \{0, 1\}^\kappa$ , where  $(\tilde{\psi}', h) := \text{Rec}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, m, \text{st} := S[\text{sID}])$ ,  $\tilde{K}' \leftarrow \text{Decap}(\tilde{\text{sk}}, \tilde{\psi}')$  and  $\text{amsg}_i := \text{Init}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i; (d_i^*, \bar{d}_i))$  with  $d_i^* := \tilde{\text{pk}}$  for  $(\tilde{\text{pk}}, \tilde{\text{sk}}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}$  and  $\bar{d}_i \leftarrow_{\mathcal{S}} \bar{\mathcal{D}}_I$ . Notice that  $\tilde{\text{sk}}$  is generated during the  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}(\text{sID})$  query and stored in  $\text{Aux}[\text{sID}] = \text{aux}'_i = (\tilde{\text{sk}}, \text{amsg}_i)$ .

Here  $(i, r) := (\text{init}[\text{sID}], \text{resp}[\text{sID}])$  denote the initiator and responder of  $\text{sID}$ .

Notice that for any session  $\text{sID}$ ,  $\mathcal{A}$  always queries  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m)$  with  $m = \text{amsg}_i$  to obtain valid result where  $\text{amsg}_i$  is outputted by  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}(\text{sID})$ , otherwise  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m)$  will return  $\perp$ . Similarly,  $\mathcal{A}$  always queries  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}(\text{sID}, m')$  with  $m' = \text{amsg}_r$  to obtain valid result where  $\text{amsg}_r$  is outputted by  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m)$ ,



otherwise  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Derl}}(\text{sID}, m')$  will return  $\perp$ . In this case, we have  $\widetilde{\text{pk}}' = \widetilde{\text{pk}}$  because  $\text{Init}$  is partially randomness-recoverable, and  $(\widetilde{K}', \widetilde{\psi}') = (\widetilde{K}, \widetilde{\psi})$  because  $\text{DerR}$  is partially randomness-recoverable.

**Game  $G'_1$ :** It is the same as  $G'_0$ , except that at the beginning of the game, the challenger samples  $\widetilde{\text{pk}}_j \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{PK}$ ,  $\widetilde{K}_j \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{K}$ ,  $\widetilde{\psi}_j \leftarrow_{\S} \mathcal{CT}$  for every  $j \in Q_{\text{New}}$  where  $Q_{\text{New}}$  is the maximum number of the queries for  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{New}}$  by  $\mathcal{A}$ . When  $\mathcal{A}$  queries the oracles  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$ ,  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Derl}}$ , the challenger answers as follows:

- For  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Init}}(j := \text{sID})$ , use  $\widetilde{\text{pk}} := \widetilde{\text{pk}}_j$  instead of  $\widetilde{\text{pk}} := \widetilde{\text{pk}}'$  where  $(\widetilde{\text{pk}}', \widetilde{\text{sk}}') \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}$ .
- For  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(j := \text{sID}, m = M_1^{\text{out}}[\text{sID}])$ : Set  $\widetilde{K} := \widetilde{K}_j$  and  $\widetilde{\psi} := \widetilde{\psi}_j$ . Especially, now  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m)$  generates valid  $\text{dk}_r$  by  $\text{dk}_r := \text{PRF}_{\text{D}}(\widetilde{K}_j, (m, \text{amsg}_r))$  where  $\text{amsg}_r := (\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, m; (d_r^*, \bar{d}_r))$  with  $d_r^* := (\widetilde{\psi}_j, \text{PRF}_{\text{R}}(\widetilde{K}_j, m))$ ,  $\bar{d}_r \leftarrow_{\S} \bar{\mathcal{D}}_{\text{R}}$ . Set  $M_{\text{R}}^{\text{out}}[\text{sID}] := \text{amsg}_r$  and  $\text{DK}[\text{sID}, \text{R}] := \text{dk}_r$ .
- For  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Derl}}(j := \text{sID}, m = M_{\text{R}}^{\text{out}}[\text{sID}])$ : Set  $\widetilde{K} := \widetilde{K}_j$  and  $\widetilde{\psi} := \widetilde{\psi}_j$ . Especially, now  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Derl}}(\text{sID}, m)$  generates valid  $\text{dk}_i$  by setting  $\text{dk}_i := \text{PRF}_{\text{D}}(\widetilde{K}_j, (\text{amsg}_i, m))$  where  $\text{amsg}_i := \text{Init}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i; (d_i^*, \bar{d}_i))$  with  $d_i^* := \widetilde{\text{pk}}_j$ ,  $\bar{d}_i \leftarrow_{\S} \bar{\mathcal{D}}_1$ . Set  $\text{DK}[\text{sID}, \text{I}] := \text{dk}_i$ .

Now similar to the game transition from  $G_0$  to  $G_1$  in the proof of Lemma 10,  $G'_0$  and  $G'_1$  are computationally indistinguishable by the fully pseudo-random property of KEM, and we have  $|\Pr[G'_0 = 1] - \Pr[G'_1 = 1]| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .

**Game  $G'_2$ :** It is the same as  $G'_1$ , except that the challenger replaces the pseudo-random function  $\text{PRF} = (\text{PRF}_{\text{R}}, \text{PRF}_{\text{D}})$  with truly random function  $\text{TRF} = (\text{TRF}_{\text{R}}, \text{TRF}_{\text{D}})$ , where  $\text{TRF}_{\text{R}}/\text{TRF}_{\text{D}} : \{0, 1\}^* \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^{\kappa}$ . Especially, now the oracles  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$  and  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Derl}}$  work as follows:

- $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(j := \text{sID}, m)$  generates valid  $\text{dk}_r$  by setting  $\text{dk}_r := \text{TRF}_{\text{D}}(\widetilde{K}, (m, \text{amsg}_r)) = \text{TRF}_{\text{D}}(\widetilde{K}, (\text{amsg}_i, \text{amsg}_r))$ , where  $\widetilde{K} := \widetilde{K}_j$ ,  $\text{amsg}_r := (\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, m; (d_r^*, \bar{d}_r))$  with  $d_r^* := \text{TRF}_{\text{R}}(\widetilde{K}_j, m)$  and  $\bar{d}_r \leftarrow_{\S} \bar{\mathcal{D}}_{\text{R}}$ . Set  $M_{\text{R}}^{\text{out}}[\text{sID}] := \text{amsg}_r$  and  $\text{DK}[\text{sID}, \text{R}] := \text{dk}_r$ .
- $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Derl}}(j := \text{sID}, m)$  generates valid  $\text{dk}_i$  by setting  $\text{dk}_i := \text{TRF}_{\text{D}}(\widetilde{K}, (\text{amsg}_i, m)) = \text{TRF}_{\text{D}}(\widetilde{K}, (\text{amsg}_i, \text{amsg}_r))$ , where  $\widetilde{K} := \widetilde{K}_j$ ,  $\text{amsg}_i := \text{Init}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i; (d_i^*, \bar{d}_i))$  with  $d_i^* := \widetilde{\text{pk}}_j$  and  $\bar{d}_i \leftarrow_{\S} \bar{\mathcal{D}}_1$ . Set  $\text{DK}[\text{sID}, \text{I}] := \text{dk}_i$ .

Similar to the game transition from  $G_1$  to  $G_2$  in the proof of Lemma 10,  $G'_1$  and  $G'_2$  are computationally indistinguishable since  $\text{PRF} = (\text{PRF}_{\text{R}}, \text{PRF}_{\text{D}})$  is a pseudo-random function, and we have  $|\Pr[G'_1 = 1] - \Pr[G'_2 = 1]| \leq \text{negl}(\kappa)$ .

**Game  $G'_3$ :** It is the same as  $G'_2$ , except that now the oracles  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}$  and  $\mathcal{O}_{\text{Derl}}$  generate the real valid double keys  $\text{dk}_r$  and  $\text{dk}_i$  as follows:

- $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{sID}, m)$  generates valid  $\text{dk}_r$  by picking  $\text{dk}_r \leftarrow_{\S} \{0, 1\}^\kappa$  uniformly. Set  $\text{DK}[\text{sID}, R] := \text{dk}_r$ .
- $\mathcal{O}_{\text{DerI}}(\text{sID}, m)$  generates valid  $\text{dk}_i$  by picking  $\text{dk}_i := \text{DK}[\text{sID}, R]$  uniformly.

Clearly, in  $G'_3$ , for the same session, only one of  $\text{dk}_r$  and  $\text{dk}_i$  is tested, so the real valid double keys  $\text{dk}_r$  (resp.,  $\text{dk}_i$ ) are uniformly sampled, and then the challenge bit  $b$  is perfectly hidden to  $\mathcal{A}$ , and we have  $\Pr[G'_3 = 1] = 1/2$ .

It remains to show that  $G'_2$  and  $G'_3$  are computationally indistinguishable for  $\mathcal{A}$ . Note that for each  $\text{sID}$ , the underlying  $\tilde{K}_{\text{sID}}$  is chosen uniformly and independently. Then for all  $\text{sID}$ ,  $\text{DK}[\text{sID}, R] := \text{dk}_r = \text{TRF}_D(\tilde{K}_{\text{sID}}, (\text{amsg}_i, \text{amsg}_r))$  is uniformly distributed and independent of each other.

This shows that  $|\Pr[G'_2 = 1] - \Pr[G'_3 = 1]| = 0$ .

Finally, by taking all things together, Lemma 11 follows.  $\square$

#### E.4 On Achieving Responder-Robustness for Plain AM-AKE

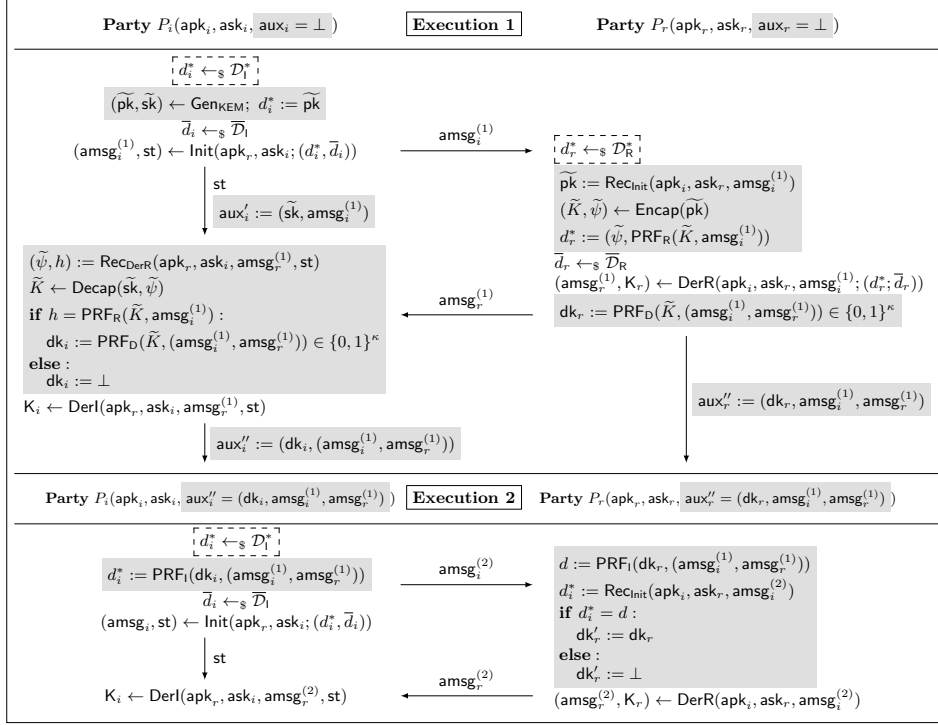
As shown by the first impossibility result (i.e., Theorem 1) in Subject. 3.4, it is impossible for two-pass plain AM-AKE to achieve responder-robustness. To evade this impossibility result and achieve responder-robustness for the plain AM-AKE constructed in Appendix E.2, we have to rely on more passes.

For example, we can conduct an additional execution of AM-AKE, where we make some changes for the  $\text{alnit}$  and  $\text{aDerR}$  algorithms (denoted by  $\text{alnit}^*$  and  $\text{aDerR}^*$  in the following description), and the second execution of AM-AKE is conducted by  $(\text{alnit}^*, \text{aDerR}^*, \text{DerI})$ .

Now for the second execution, the  $\text{alnit}^*$  and  $\text{aDerR}^*$  algorithms can take  $\text{aux}_i := (\text{dk}_i, \text{amsg}_i^{(1)}, \text{amsg}_r^{(1)})$  and  $\text{aux}_r := (\text{dk}_r, \text{amsg}_i^{(1)}, \text{amsg}_r^{(1)})$  as auxiliary inputs, respectively, where  $\text{dk}_i$  (resp.,  $\text{dk}_r$ ) is the double key computed by  $P_i$  (resp.,  $P_r$ ) in the first execution of AM-AKE, and  $\text{amsg}_i^{(1)}$  (resp.,  $\text{amsg}_r^{(1)}$ ) is the message sent by  $P_i$  (resp.,  $P_r$ ) in the first execution of AM-AKE. Moreover, we need another pseudo-random function  $\text{PRF}_1 : \{0, 1\}^\kappa \times \{0, 1\}^* \rightarrow \mathcal{D}_1^*$  as building block. The algorithms  $\text{alnit}^*$  and  $\text{aDerR}^*$  are described as follows.

- $(\text{amsg}_i^{(2)}, \text{st}) \leftarrow \text{alnit}^*(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i, \text{aux}_i = (\text{dk}_i, \text{amsg}_i^{(1)}, \text{amsg}_r^{(1)}))$ : it first computes  $d_i^* := \text{PRF}_1(\text{dk}_i, (\text{amsg}_i^{(1)}, \text{amsg}_r^{(1)}))$ , then randomly picks  $\bar{d}_i \leftarrow_{\S} \bar{\mathcal{D}}_1$ , and invokes  $(\text{msg}_i, \text{st}) \leftarrow \text{Init}(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_i; (d_i^*, \bar{d}_i))$ . Finally, it returns  $(\text{amsg}_i^{(2)} := \text{msg}_i, \text{st})$ .
- $(\text{amsg}_r^{(2)}, K_r, \text{dk}'_r) \leftarrow \text{aDerR}^*(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{amsg}_i^{(2)}, \text{aux}_r = (\text{dk}_r, \text{amsg}_i^{(1)}, \text{amsg}_r^{(1)}))$ : it first computes  $d := \text{PRF}_1(\text{dk}_r, (\text{amsg}_i^{(1)}, \text{amsg}_r^{(1)}))$ , and recovers the partial randomness used by  $\text{Init}$  via computing  $d_i^* := \text{Rec}_{\text{Init}}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{amsg}_i^{(2)})$ . Next, it checks whether  $d_i^* = d$  holds. If the check passes, it sets  $\text{dk}'_r := \text{dk}_r$ ; otherwise, it sets  $\text{dk}'_r := \perp$ . Finally, it invokes  $(\text{msg}_r, K_r) \leftarrow \text{DerR}(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_r, \text{amsg}_i^{(2)})$ , and returns  $(\text{amsg}_r^{(2)} := \text{msg}_r, K_r, \text{dk}'_r)$ .

See Fig. 9 for an illustration of twice executions of the plain AM-AKE.



**Fig. 9.** Generic construction of the *plain* AM-AKE scheme AM-AKE based on AKE, KEM and PRF, where dotted boxes appear only in normal algorithms (Gen, Init, DerR, Derl), and gray boxes appear only in anamorphic algorithms (aGen, aInit, aDerR, aDerl) for the first execution and (aInit\*, aDerR\*) for the second execution.

It is easy to check the correctness for the second execution of AM-AKE.

Now we can show responder-robustness of the plain AM-AKE with twice executions. Suppose that  $P_i$  invokes normal algorithm Init in the second execution, while  $P_r$  invokes anamorphic algorithm aDerR\*. We know that  $P_i$  invokes Init with uniformly chosen randomness  $(d_i^*, \bar{d}_i)$ , and  $P_r$  can recover  $d_i^*$  by invoking Rec<sub>Init</sub>. Since  $d_i^*$  is uniformly distributed over  $\mathcal{D}_i^*$ , and in particular, it is independent of  $d := \text{PRF}_i(\text{dk}_r, (\text{amsg}_i^{(1)}, \text{amsg}_r^{(1)}))$ , thus the check  $d_i^* = d$  can pass with only a negligible probability, and consequently,  $P_r$  will set  $\text{dk}'_r := \perp$  with overwhelming probability.

Nevertheless, we note that the plain AM-AKE cannot achieve (non-relaxed) IND-WM/sIND-WM security or PR-DK/sPR-DK security even if it is executed twice. This is because the (initial) auxiliary message is  $\text{aux} = \perp$ , and the adversary owning  $(\text{apk}_i, \text{ask}_i)$  and  $(\text{apk}_r, \text{ask}_r)$  is capable of doing whatever  $P_i$  or  $P_r$  can do. Indeed, the second and third impossibility results (i.e., Theorem 2 and Theorem 3) in Subsect. 3.4 apply to plain AM-AKE even with more passes.

## F Instantiation of Plain AM-AKE with Relaxed Security

To instantiate the generic construction of plain AM-AKE proposed in Appendix E, we can employ any pseudo-random function PRF, and thus we only need to instantiate the underlying AKE and KEM, i.e., AKE with partially randomness-recoverable `Init` and `DerR` (cf. Def. 16) and fully pseudo-random KEM (cf. Def. 17).

In this section, we will show that the popular SIG+KEM paradigm [19] and three-KEM paradigm [20] for constructing AKE yield the desired AKE with partially randomness-recoverable `Init` and `DerR`, as long as the underlying SIG and/or KEM are randomness-recoverable. Moreover, the ElGamal-KEM [7] turns out to be fully pseudo-random under the DDH assumption. Then by plugging them into the generic construction in Appendix E, we immediately obtain concrete plain AM-AKE schemes with initiator-robustness and relaxed security.

More precisely, in Appendix F.1, we show that the ElGamal-KEM is fully pseudo-random. Then in Appendix F.2, we show how to instantiate AKE with partially randomness-recoverable `Init` and `DerR` via the SIG+KEM paradigm, and in Appendix F.3, we show how to instantiate it via the three-KEM paradigm.

### F.1 Concrete KEM with Fully Pseudo-Random Property

In this subsection, we recall the ElGamal-KEM [7] and show that it is a fully pseudo-random KEM under the DDH assumption.

Let  $\mathbf{pp} = (\mathbb{G}, p, g)$  be a description of cyclic group, where  $\mathbb{G}$  is a cyclic group of prime order  $p$  and generator  $g$ . The ElGamal-KEM  $\text{KEM}_{\text{ElG}} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{ElG}}, \text{Encap}_{\text{ElG}}, \text{Decap}_{\text{ElG}})$  is described as follows.

- $(\mathbf{pk}, \mathbf{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{ElG}}$ : it randomly picks  $x \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$ , and sets  $(\mathbf{pk} := g^x, \mathbf{sk} := x)$ .
- $(K, \psi) \leftarrow \text{Encap}_{\text{ElG}}(\mathbf{pk} = g^x)$ : it randomly picks  $r \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$  and outputs  $(K := (g^x)^r = g^{xr}, \psi := g^r)$ .
- $K \leftarrow \text{Decap}_{\text{ElG}}(\mathbf{sk} = x, \psi = g^r)$ : it computes  $K := (g^r)^x = g^{xr}$ .

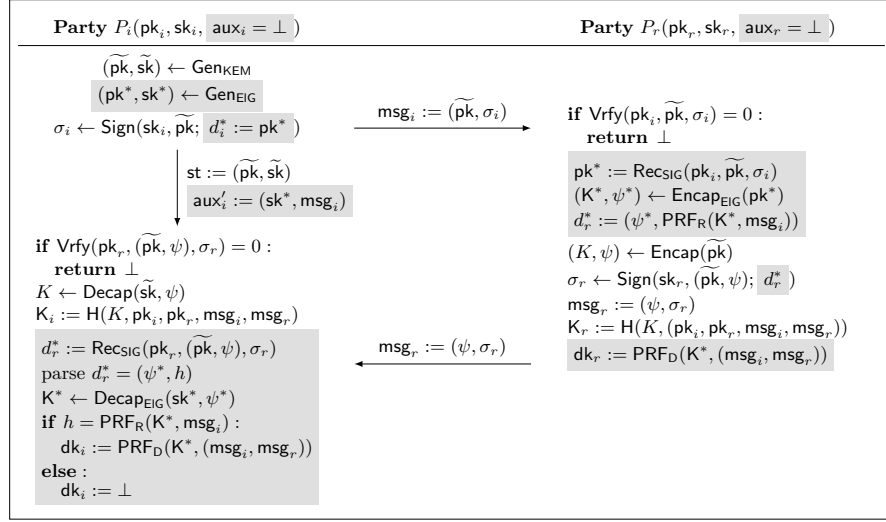
It is straightforward to prove the full pseudo-randomness of  $\text{KEM}_{\text{ElG}}$ . Note that the honestly generated  $(\mathbf{pk}, K, \psi) = (g^x, g^{xr}, g^r)$  with  $x, r \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$  is exactly a DDH tuple, and thus it is computationally indistinguishable from a random tuple  $(\mathbf{pk}', K', \psi') \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{G}^3$  under the DDH assumption.

### F.2 Concrete AKE via The SIG+KEM Paradigm

**AKE with Partially Randomness-Recoverable `Init` and `DerR` via The SIG+KEM Paradigm.** We first recall the SIG+KEM paradigm of constructing two-pass AKE according to [19]. Let  $\text{KEM} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}, \text{Encap}, \text{Decap})$  be a key encapsulation mechanism,  $\text{SIG} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{SIG}}, \text{Sign}, \text{Vrfy})$  a signature scheme and  $\text{H}$  a suitable hash function. The resulting  $\text{AKE}_{\text{KS}} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KS}}, \text{Init}_{\text{KS}}, \text{DerR}_{\text{KS}}, \text{DerL}_{\text{KS}})$  is described as follows (see also Fig. 10 without gray boxes).

- $(\mathbf{pk}, \mathbf{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KS}}$ : Invoke  $(\mathbf{pk}, \mathbf{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{SIG}}$  and return  $(\mathbf{pk}, \mathbf{sk})$ .

- $(\text{msg}_i, \text{st}) \leftarrow \text{Init}_{\text{KS}}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i)$ : Invoke  $(\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \widetilde{\text{sk}}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}$ ,  $\sigma_i \leftarrow \text{Sign}(\text{sk}_i, \widetilde{\text{pk}})$ , and output  $\text{msg}_i := (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \sigma_i)$  and the state  $\text{st} := (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \widetilde{\text{sk}})$ .
- $(\text{msg}_r, K_r) \leftarrow \text{DerR}_{\text{KS}}(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_r, \text{msg}_i = (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \sigma_i))$ : If  $\text{Vrfy}(\text{pk}_i, \widetilde{\text{pk}}, \sigma_i) = 0$ : output  $\perp$ ; if  $\text{Vrfy}(\text{pk}_i, \widetilde{\text{pk}}, \sigma_i) = 1$ , invoke  $(K, \psi) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\widetilde{\text{pk}})$ ,  $\sigma_r \leftarrow \text{Sign}(\text{sk}_r, (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \psi))$ , and output  $\text{msg}_r := (\psi, \sigma_r)$  and session key  $K_r := \text{H}(K, \text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{msg}_i, \text{msg}_r)$ .
- $K_i \leftarrow \text{DerL}_{\text{KS}}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, \text{msg}_r = (\psi, \sigma_r), \text{st} = (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \widetilde{\text{sk}}))$ : If  $\text{Vrfy}(\text{pk}_r, (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \psi), \sigma_r) = 0$ : output  $\perp$ ; if  $\text{Vrfy}(\text{pk}_r, (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \psi), \sigma_r) = 1$ : invoke  $K \leftarrow \text{Decap}(\widetilde{\text{sk}}, \psi)$  and output  $K_i := \text{H}(K, \text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{msg}_i, \text{msg}_r)$ .



**Fig. 10.** The SIG+KEM paradigm for AKE (without gray boxes) and the resulting plain AM-AKE with initiator-robustness and relaxed security via our generic construction in Appendix E (with anamorphic algorithms in gray boxes).

*Remark 1.* In Fig. 10,  $d_i^*$  and  $d_r^*$  can be padded to a same length, so that they are compatible with the same space (i.e., the randomness space of the signing algorithm Sign).

Below we will show that the  $\text{AKE}_{\text{KS}}$  has partially randomness-recoverable Init and DerR, if the underlying SIG is publicly randomness-recoverable.

**Definition 18 (Publicly Randomness-Recoverable SIG).** We say that a signature scheme  $\text{SIG} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{SIG}}, \text{Sign}, \text{Vrfy})$  is publicly randomness-recoverable, if there exists a PPT algorithm  $\text{Rec}_{\text{SIG}}$ , such that for any  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{SIG}}$ , any message  $m$  and any  $\sigma \leftarrow \text{Sign}(\text{sk}, m; r)$ , it holds that

$$r = \text{Rec}_{\text{SIG}}(\text{pk}, m, \sigma).$$

With such SIG, it is easy to check that the Init and DerR algorithms of  $\text{AKE}_{\text{KS}}$  are partially randomness-recoverable, supported by the following  $\text{Rec}_{\text{Init}}$  and  $\text{Rec}_{\text{DerR}}$  as per Def. 16.

- $\underline{d_i^*} \leftarrow \text{Rec}_{\text{Init}}(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_r, \text{msg}_i = (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \sigma_i))$ : it sets  $d_i^* := \text{Rec}_{\text{SIG}}(\text{pk}_i, \widetilde{\text{pk}}, \sigma_i)$ .
- $\underline{d_r^*} \leftarrow \text{Rec}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, \text{msg}_r = (\psi, \sigma_r), \text{st} = (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \widetilde{\text{sk}}))$ : it sets  $d_r^* := \text{Rec}_{\text{SIG}}(\text{pk}_r, (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \psi), \sigma_r)$ .

The correctness of  $\text{Rec}_{\text{Init}}$  and  $\text{Rec}_{\text{DerR}}$  directly follows from the property of publicly randomness-recoverable SIG.

Then by plugging the  $\text{AKE}_{\text{KS}}$  and the ElGamal-KEM  $\text{KEM}_{\text{ElG}}$  into our generic construction in Appendix E, we immediately get a plain AM-AKE scheme with initiator-robustness and relaxed security, as shown in Fig. 10 with gray boxes.

**Concrete SIG.** Finally, it remains to present concrete publicly randomness-recoverable SIG scheme. Here we use the Boneh-Boyen signature scheme [3], which is publicly randomness-recoverable as noted in [15].

Let  $\text{pp} = (\mathbb{G}_1, \mathbb{G}_2, \mathbb{G}_T, p, e, g_1, g_2, g_T)$  be a description of asymmetric pairing group, where  $\mathbb{G}_1, \mathbb{G}_2, \mathbb{G}_T$  are cyclic groups of prime order  $p$ ,  $e : \mathbb{G}_1 \times \mathbb{G}_2 \rightarrow \mathbb{G}_T$  is a non-degenerated bilinear pairing, and  $g_1, g_2, g_T$  are generators of  $\mathbb{G}_1, \mathbb{G}_2, \mathbb{G}_T$  respectively. The Boneh-Boyen signature scheme  $\text{SIG}_{\text{BB}} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{BB}}, \text{Sign}, \text{Vrfy})$  is recalled as follows.

- $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{BB}}$ : it randomly picks  $x \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p, y \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$ , sets  $\text{sk} := (x, y)$ ,  $\text{pk} := (g_2^x, g_2^y)$ , and outputs  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk})$ .
- $\underline{\sigma} \leftarrow \text{Sign}(\text{sk} = (x, y), m \in \mathbb{Z}_p)$ : it randomly selects  $r \leftarrow_{\S} \mathbb{Z}_p$ . If  $r = -(x + m)/y$ , then it re-samples  $r$ ; otherwise, it computes  $s := g_1^{1/(x+yr+m)}$ , and outputs  $\sigma := (r, s)$ .
- $0/1 \leftarrow \text{Vrfy}(\text{pk} = (g_2^x, g_2^y), m, \sigma = (r, s))$ : it checks whether  $e(s, g_2^x \cdot g_2^{m \cdot (g_2^y)^r}) = e(g_1, g_2)$  holds. If the check passes, then return 1; otherwise return 0.

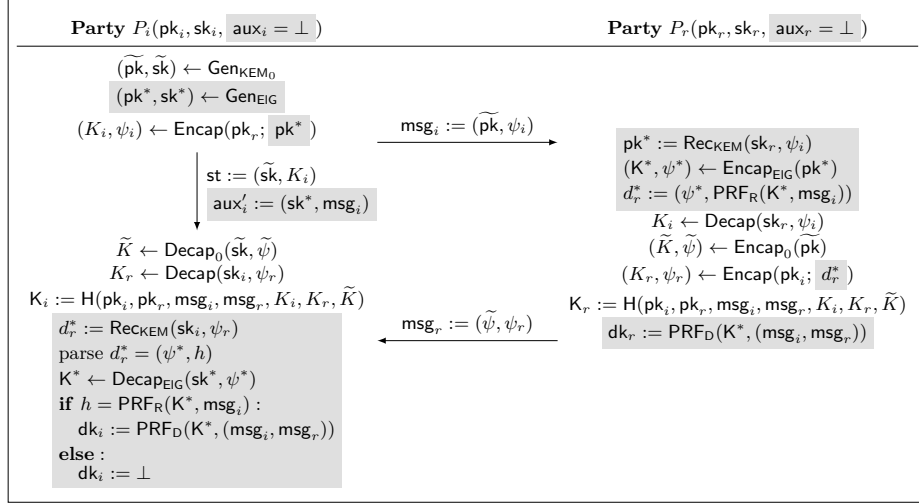
It is easy to check that the Boneh-Boyen scheme is publicly randomness-recoverable, because the signature  $\sigma$  already contains the randomness  $r$ , which is trivially recoverable.

### F.3 Concrete AKE via The Three-KEM Paradigm

**AKE with Partially Randomness-Recoverable Init and DerR via The Three-KEM Paradigm.** We first recall the three-KEM paradigm of constructing two-pass AKE according to [20]. Let  $\text{KEM} = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}, \text{Encap}, \text{Decap})$  and  $\text{KEM}_0 = (\text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}_0}, \text{Encap}_0, \text{Decap}_0)$  be two KEM schemes, and  $H$  a suitable hash function. The resulting  $\text{AKE}_{3\text{K}} = (\text{Gen}_{3\text{K}}, \text{Init}_{3\text{K}}, \text{DerR}_{3\text{K}}, \text{DerI}_{3\text{K}})$  is described as follows (see also Fig. 11 without gray boxes).

- $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{3\text{K}}$ : Invoke  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}$  and return  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk})$ .
- $(\text{msg}_i, \text{st}) \leftarrow \text{Init}_{3\text{K}}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i)$ : Invoke  $(\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \widetilde{\text{sk}}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}_0}, (K_i, \psi_i) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\text{pk}_r)$ , and output  $\text{msg}_i := (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \psi_i)$  and the state  $\text{st} := (\widetilde{\text{sk}}, K_i)$ .

- $(\text{msg}_r, K_r) \leftarrow \text{DerR}_{3K}(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_r, \text{msg}_i = (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \psi_i))$ : Invoke  $K_i \leftarrow \text{Decap}(\text{sk}_r, \psi_i)$ ,  $(\widetilde{K}, \widetilde{\psi}) \leftarrow \text{Encap}_0(\widetilde{\text{pk}})$  and  $(K_r, \psi_r) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\text{pk}_i)$ . Output  $\text{msg}_r := (\widetilde{\psi}, \psi_r)$  and session key  $K_r := H(\text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{msg}_i, \text{msg}_r, K_i, K_r, \widetilde{K})$ .
- $K_i \leftarrow \text{DerI}_{3K}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, \text{msg}_r = (\widetilde{\psi}, \psi_r), \text{st} = (\widetilde{\text{sk}}, K_i))$ : Invoke  $\widetilde{K} \leftarrow \text{Decap}_0(\widetilde{\text{sk}}, \widetilde{\psi})$ ,  $K_r \leftarrow \text{Decap}(\text{sk}_i, \psi_r)$ , and output  $K_i := H(\text{pk}_i, \text{pk}_r, \text{msg}_i, \text{msg}_r, K_i, K_r, \widetilde{K})$ .



**Fig. 11.** The three-KEM paradigm for AKE (without gray boxes) and the resulting plain AM-AKE with initiator-robustness and relaxed security via our generic construction in Appendix E (with anamorphic algorithms in gray boxes).

Below we will show that the  $\text{AKE}_{3K}$  has partially randomness-recoverable Init and DerR, if the underlying KEM is randomness-recoverable.

**Definition 19 (Randomness-Recoverable KEM).** *We say that a KEM scheme  $\text{KEM} = (\text{Gen}, \text{Encap}, \text{Decap})$  is randomness-recoverable, if there exists a PPT algorithm  $\text{Rec}_{\text{KEM}}$ , such that for any  $(\text{pk}, \text{sk}) \leftarrow \text{Gen}_{\text{KEM}}$  and  $(K, \psi) \leftarrow \text{Encap}(\text{pk}; r)$ , it holds that*

$$r = \text{Rec}_{\text{KEM}}(\text{sk}, \psi).$$

With such KEM, it is easy to check that the Init and DerR algorithms of  $\text{AKE}_{3K}$  are partially randomness-recoverable, supported by the following  $\text{Rec}_{\text{Init}}$  and  $\text{Rec}_{\text{DerR}}$  as per Def. 16.






- $d_i^* \leftarrow \text{Rec}_{\text{Init}}(\text{pk}_i, \text{sk}_r, \text{msg}_i = (\widetilde{\text{pk}}, \psi_i))$ : it sets  $d_i^* := \text{Rec}_{\text{KEM}}(\text{sk}_r, \psi_i)$ .
- $d_r^* \leftarrow \text{Rec}_{\text{DerR}}(\text{pk}_r, \text{sk}_i, \text{msg}_r = (\widetilde{\psi}, \psi_r), \text{st} = (\widetilde{\text{sk}}, K_i))$ : it sets  $d_r^* := \text{Rec}_{\text{KEM}}(\text{sk}_i, \psi_r)$ .

The correctness of  $\text{Rec}_{\text{init}}$  and  $\text{Rec}_{\text{DerR}}$  directly follows from the property of randomness-recoverable KEM.

Then by plugging the  $\text{AKE}_{3K}$  and the ElGamal-KEM  $\text{KEM}_{\text{ElG}}$  into our generic construction in Appendix E, we immediately get a plain AM-AKE scheme with initiator-robustness and relaxed security, as shown in Fig. 11 with gray boxes .  
**Concrete KEM.** Finally, it remains to present concrete randomness-recoverable KEM scheme. Randomness-recoverable KEM can be constructed from randomness-recoverable PKE by setting the message to be uniformly chosen encapsulated key. In fact, there are many existing randomness-recoverable PKE schemes [2,18,9], where the randomness-recoverable property are proved in [16].



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