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# MAYO,

## PRACTICAL POST-QUANTUM SIGNATURES AND A BIT MORE

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**Multivariate Quadratic (MQ) cryptography** is based on the assumed hardness of finding a solution to a **system of multivariate quadratic equations** (over a **finite field**). This problem is called the *MQ problem*.

Known to be *NP-complete*: seems to be hard on average for an extensive range of parameters:

The current record *mod 31* is solving a system of 22 equations in 22 variables.

$$\begin{aligned}x + 5x^2 + 3xy &= 4 \pmod{7} \\x^2 + 5xy + 5y^2 &= 1 \pmod{7}\end{aligned}$$

# General notation

- $n \in \mathbb{N}$  be the number of variables
- $m \in \mathbb{N}$  the number of equations
- For a prime power  $q$ , we denote by  $F_q$  the finite field of order  $q$

# Multivariate Quadratic Polynomials

A system of  $m$  (or  $k$ ) equations ( $f_k$ ) in  $n$  variables in  $\mathbf{F}_q$

$$f_k(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) = \sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq n} a_{i,j}^{(k)} x_i x_j + \sum_{1 \leq i \leq n} b_i^{(k)} x_i + c^{(k)}$$

where:

- First term consists of the quadratic terms with  $a_{i,j}$  as the coefficient
- Second term consists of the linear terms, with  $b_i$  as the coefficient
- $c$  is the constant term
- All the coefficients are in  $\mathbf{F}_q$

$$\begin{cases} y_1 = p_1(x_1, \dots, x_n) \\ y_2 = p_2(x_1, \dots, x_n) \\ \vdots \\ y_m = p_m(x_1, \dots, x_n) \end{cases}$$

# Multivariate quadratic (MQ) problem

$$\mathcal{P} : F_n \rightarrow F_m : x \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(x) = (p_1(x), \dots, p_m(x))$$

The MQ problem asks:

*given a multivariate quadratic map  $P : F_q^n \rightarrow F_q^m$  over a finite field  $F_q$  and a target  $\mathbf{t} \in F_q^m$  to find a solution  $\mathbf{s}$  such that  $\mathbf{P}(\mathbf{s}) = \mathbf{t}$ .*

or

*given  $(y_1, \dots, y_m)$  in  $F_q^m$ , find  $(x_1, \dots, x_n)$  in  $F_q^n$  with  $f_k(x_1, \dots, x_n) = y_k$  for  $1 \leq k \leq m$  if they exist.*

# Multivariate quadratic (MQ) assumption

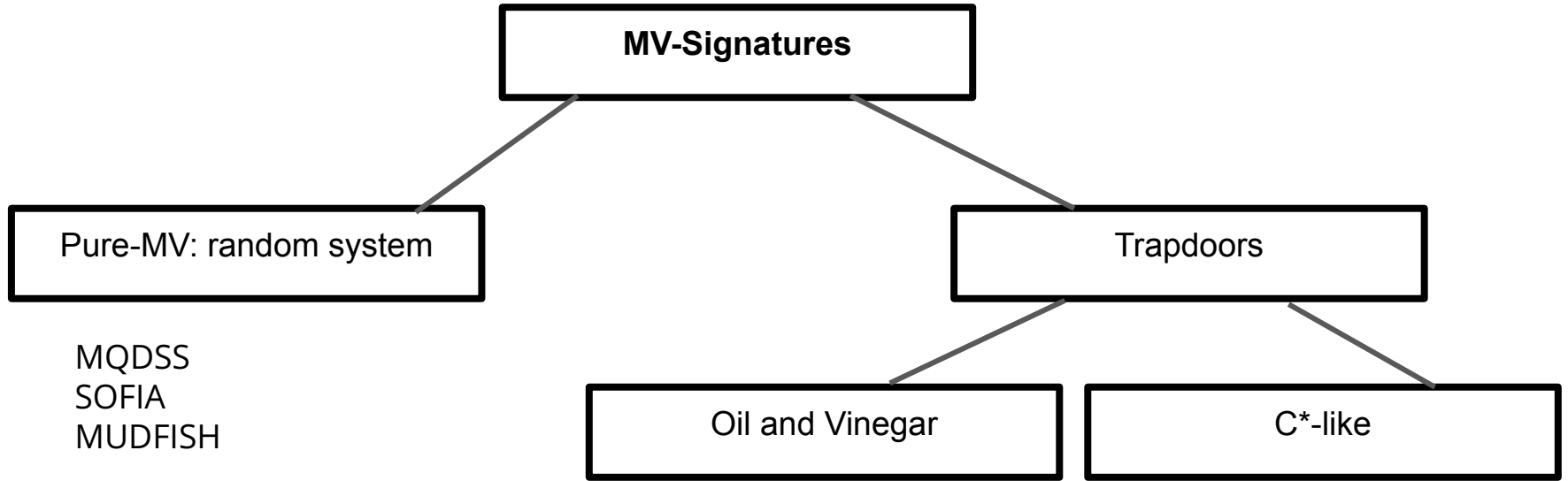
- Can be a decisional problem: does the preimage (the input) exist?
- We are mostly interested in the **computational version**
  
- It is known to be NP-hard [1] in its decisional form over any finite field  $F_q$
- If  $n > m(m + 1)$  (underdetermined) or  $m > n(n - 1)/2$  (overdetermined) the problem can be solved in polynomial time [2], but when  $n \sim m$  the problem is believed to be exponentially hard on average (even for quantum algorithms)
- Best algorithms to solve: F4/F5 or XL that use a Gröbner-basis-like approach

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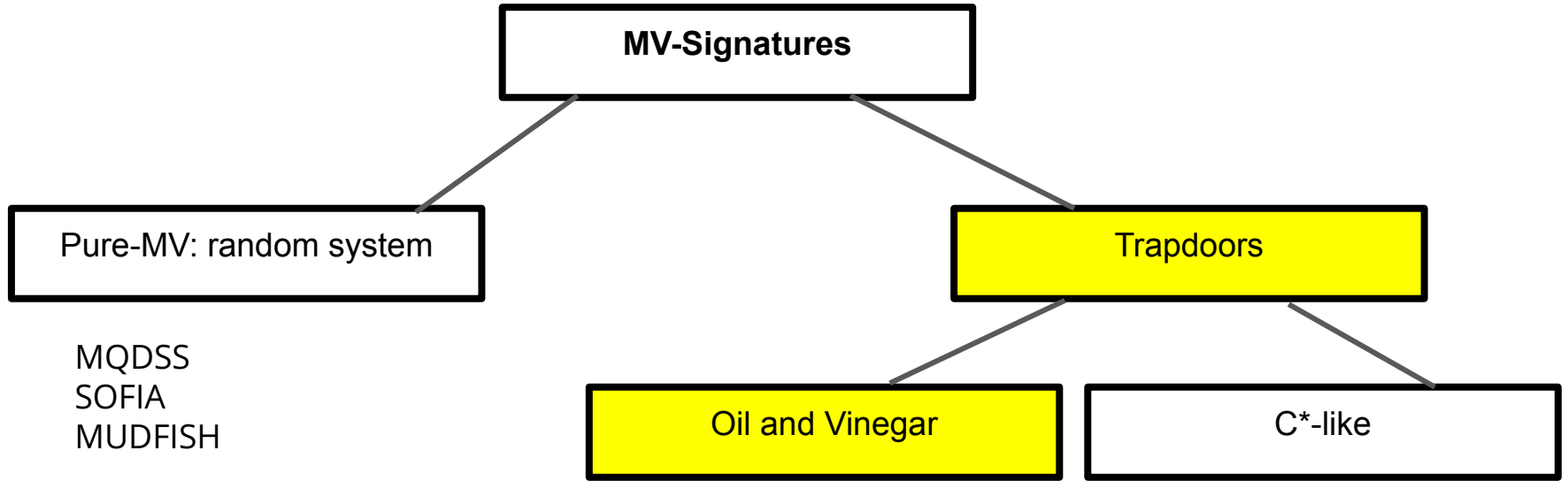
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# Signatures?



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# Trapdoor-based

- Trapdoor-based:
  - Maps look random but have a “hidden structure” that allows one (a signer) to compute the pre-images
  - They are based in the *Hash-and-Sign with Retries* approach

**PK:**  $P$

**SK:** trapdoor information

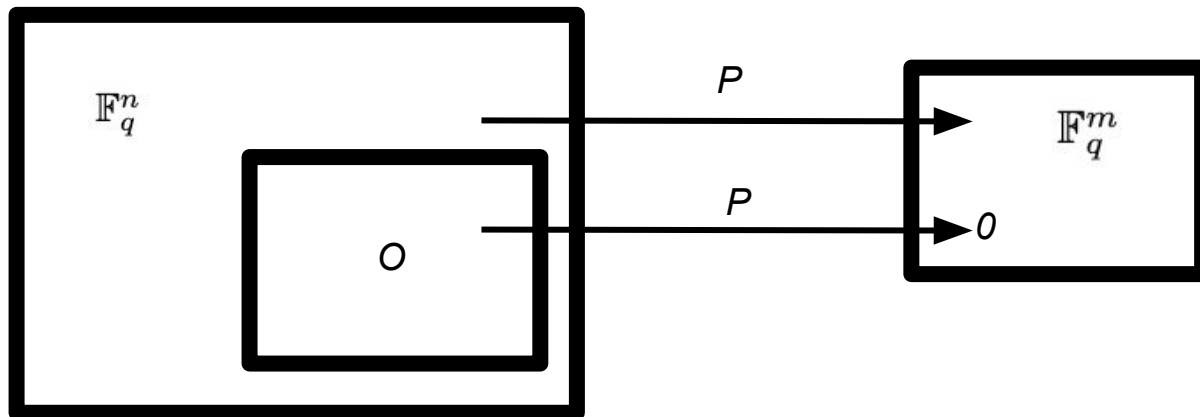
**Signature:** input  $s$  from  $P(s) = H(m)$

```
proc sign(sk : skey, m : msg) : signature = {
  var i1, i2, z, salt, sol, s;

  (i1, i2) <- sk;
  z < $ i1;
  (* repeat until *)
  salt < $ dsalt;
  sol < @ H.get(m, salt);
  s <- i2 z sol;
  while (s = None) {
    salt < $ dsalt;
    sol < @ H.get(m, salt);
    s <- i2 z sol;
  }
  return (salt, oget s);
}
```

# Trapdoor-based: *Unbalanced Oil and Vinegar*

**Trapdoor:** linear subspace  $O \subset \mathbb{F}_q^n$  (oil space) of dimension  $m$  on which  $P$  vanishes (for every vector:  $P(o) = 0 \forall o \in O$ )



# ***Unbalanced Oil and Vinegar: yet another look***

Given this description of the trapdoor, we can simplify the description

We define the differential as:

$$\Delta(x) : \mathbb{F}_q^n \rightarrow \mathbb{F}_q^m : y \rightarrow \mathcal{P}(x + y) - \mathcal{P}(x) - \mathcal{P}(y) + \mathcal{P}(0)$$

which is symmetric and bilinear in both  $x$  and  $y$  (we eliminate the linear and constant terms). It shows the purely **quadratic interactions**.

Each component can be written as a bilinear form:  $xGy^\top$ , with a symmetric matrix  $G$

# Unbalanced Oil and Vinegar: yet another look

*Key generation:*

$P^{(1)}$  → square upper triangular matrices, random

$P^{(2)}$  → rectangular matrices, random

Solve for  $P^{(3)}$ :

$$P_i^{(3)} := \text{Upper} \left( -O^T P_i^{(1)} O - O^T P_i^{(2)} \right), \quad \forall i \in [m].$$

$$P_i = \begin{bmatrix} P_i^{(1)} & P_i^{(2)} \\ \mathbf{0} & P_i^{(3)} \end{bmatrix}$$



$$[O^T \quad I_m] P_i \begin{bmatrix} O \\ I_m \end{bmatrix} = O^T P_i^{(1)} O + O^T P_i^{(2)} + P_i^{(3)} \in \mathbb{F}_q^{n \times n}$$

is skew symmetric

# Unbalanced Oil and Vinegar: yet another look

Problem:  $P(s) = t$

- Pick random  $v \in F_q^n$  (the vinegar)
- Solve for  $o \in O$  (the oil), such that  $P(v, o) = t$ :

$$\mathcal{P}(o + v) = \mathcal{P}(v) + \mathcal{P}(o) + \Delta_v(o) = t$$

$$\mathcal{P}(o + v) = \cancel{\mathcal{P}(v)} + \overset{\text{a constant}}{\cancel{\mathcal{P}(o)}} + \Delta_v(o) = t$$

linear system of  $m$  equations in  $m$  variables.

If no solution, **re-try** for another  $v$ .

- Signature:  $s = o + v$

# Unbalanced Oil and Vinegar: yet another look

*Signature:*

The message is the solution to the system of equations ( $t$ )

In detail, how  $P(x) = t$  ( $t = \text{Hash}(m \parallel \text{salt})$ )?

$$p'(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) := p(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{y}) - p(\mathbf{x}) - p(\mathbf{y})$$

$$P(\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{o}) = \underbrace{P(\mathbf{v})}_{\text{fixed by choice of } \mathbf{v}} + \underbrace{P(\mathbf{o})}_{=0} + \underbrace{P'(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{o})}_{\text{linear function of } \mathbf{o}} = t.$$



# Unbalanced Oil and Vinegar

- Unbalanced:  $n > m$
- Good performance
- Good signature sizes
- Large public keys

# Let's make it practical! MAYO

- Make the oil space smaller:  $\dim(O) < m$
- Vanishes on space dimension  $o$ , and it is “whipped-up”™ to vanish on  $ko$

*Mix the oils and vinegars to get something™  
add emulsifiers and you get MAYO™ (kinda of)*

non-polar

polar

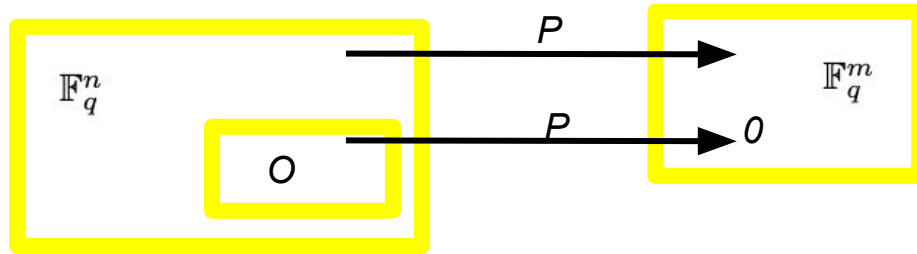
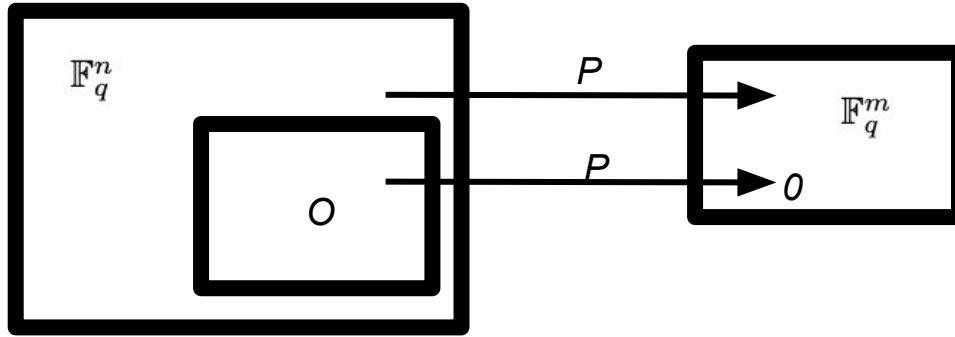
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# MAYO



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- Make the oil space smaller:  $\dim(O) < m$
- We can use a smaller  $n \rightarrow$  smaller parameters and faster computation

## Why can't this be used as is?

**Remember:** 
$$\mathcal{P}(\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{o}) = \underbrace{\mathcal{P}(\mathbf{v})}_{\text{fixed by choice of } \mathbf{v}} + \underbrace{\mathcal{P}(\mathbf{o})}_{=0} + \underbrace{\mathcal{P}'(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{o})}_{\text{linear function of } \mathbf{o}} = \mathbf{t}.$$

This is a system of linear equations:  $m$  equations,  $o < m$  degrees of freedom  $\rightarrow$  with high probability the system does not have solutions

# Whipping up MAYO

Make the oil space smaller... and now whip it up (with a param  $k$ )!

$$\mathcal{P}(x) : \mathbb{F}_q^n \rightarrow \mathbb{F}_q^m \quad \longrightarrow \quad \mathcal{P}^*(x) : \mathbb{F}_q^{kn} \rightarrow \mathbb{F}_q^m$$

- Parameter  $k \rightarrow$  the “scaler” ( $ko \geq m$ ):
  - $k = 1$  and  $o = m \rightarrow$  UOV signature
  - Larger  $k$ , reduces  $o$  to  $\text{ceil}(m/k)$
- A public operation so that  $P^*$  vanishes on  $O^k$
- How can we whip it up?

# Whipping up MAYO

Easy way that “works”:

$$\mathcal{P}^*(x_1, \dots, x_k) = \mathcal{P}(x_1) + \dots + \mathcal{P}(x_k)$$

Dimension  $o < m \rightarrow$  whipping up gives us  $ko \geq m$

**Not preimage resistant:** for  $k \geq 2$  and  $\alpha$  in  $F_q$ , which is  $\alpha^2 = -1$ , and  $\delta$  is at random:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{P}^*(\mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_k) &= \mathcal{P}(\mathbf{x}_1) + \mathcal{P}(\alpha\mathbf{x}_1 + \delta) \\ &= \mathcal{P}(\mathbf{x}_1) + \mathcal{P}(\alpha\mathbf{x}_1) + \mathcal{P}(\delta) + \mathcal{P}'(\alpha\mathbf{x}_1, \delta) \\ &= \mathcal{P}(\delta) + \mathcal{P}'(\alpha\mathbf{x}_1, \delta),\end{aligned}$$

which is linear in  $x$  (there is an “additional oil space”)  $\Rightarrow$  collapses into a linear map

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$P$  is homogenous,  $P(\alpha x_1) = -P(x_1)$

What remains is linear in  $x$  (there is an “additional oil space”)  $\Rightarrow$  collapses into a linear map

You can use this attack to attack **SNOVA: Improved Cryptanalysis of SNOVA** by Ward Beullens

# Whipping up MAYO

Add “emulsifiers”:

$$\mathcal{P}^*(\mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_k) = \mathbf{E}_1 \mathcal{P}(\mathbf{x}_1) + \dots + \mathbf{E}_k \mathcal{P}(\mathbf{x}_k).$$

**Note:** Avoids the previous “collapsing” attack:

$$P(\alpha_i x_1) = \alpha_i^2 P(x_1)$$

$$P(\alpha_i x_1 + \delta_i) = P(\alpha_i x_1) + P(\delta_i) + P'(\alpha_i x_1, \delta_i)$$

$$E_i P(x_i) = E_i P(\alpha_i x_1 + \delta_i) = E_i (\alpha_i^2 P(x_1) + \text{other terms})$$

$$P^*(x_1, \dots, x_k) \approx E_1 P(x_1) + \alpha_2^2 E_2 P(x_1) + \dots + \alpha_k^2 E_k P(x_1)$$

$$P^*(x_1, \dots, x_k) \approx \left( E_1 + \sum_{i=2}^k \alpha_i^2 E_i \right) P(x_1)$$

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$$\mathcal{P}^*(\mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_k) = \mathbf{E}_1 \mathcal{P}(\mathbf{x}_1) + \dots + \mathbf{E}_k \mathcal{P}(\mathbf{x}_k).$$

**But how to choose  $E_s$ ?**

- Avoid the probability of any linear combination with rank lower than  $n$
- Choose the  $E_s$  from a set of  $q^m$  matrices such that any non-zero linear combination of these matrices has full rank  $\rightarrow$  no extra “oil” spaces
- Make them public and part of the parameters

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$$\mathcal{P}^*(\mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_k) = \mathbf{E}_1 \mathcal{P}(\mathbf{x}_1) + \dots + \mathbf{E}_k \mathcal{P}(\mathbf{x}_k).$$

*m*-by-*m* invertible linear matrices  $E_i$

- Small chance of extra oil spaces, but this is still **not preimage resistant**:
- $P^*$  is now the sum of  $k$  functions with independent inputs, which reduces to the  $k$ -SUM problem:
  - The attacker constructs  $k$  lists of evaluations of  $E_i(P(x))$  respectively, and searches for one value in each list such that their sum is  $t \Rightarrow$  Wagner’s  $k$ -tree algorithm ( $q^{m/\lceil \log k \rceil}$ ) [6].

## Expanding this attack to SNOVA

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[8] David Wagner. A generalized birthday problem. In Moti Yung, editor, CRYPTO 2002, volume 2442 of LNCS, pages 288–303, Santa Barbara, CA, USA, August 18–22, 2002. Springer, Heidelberg, Germany.



# Whipping up MAYO

Add invertible linear “emulsifiers”:

$m$ -by- $m$  matrices  $E_{i,j}$  
$$\mathcal{P}^*(\mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_k) := \sum_{i=1}^k \mathbf{E}_{ii} \mathcal{P}(\mathbf{x}_i) + \sum_{i=1}^k \sum_{j=i+1}^k \mathbf{E}_{ij} \mathcal{P}'(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}_j)$$

- No K-Tree attacks apply  $\rightarrow$  presence of cross terms
- But are there attacks?
- We call this the *Multi-Target Whipped MQ problem*

$$\mathcal{P}^*(\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{o}) = \sum_{i=1}^k \mathbf{E}_{ii} \mathcal{P}(\mathbf{v}_i + \mathbf{o}_i) + \sum_{1 \leq i < j \leq k} \mathbf{E}_{ij} \mathcal{P}'(\mathbf{v}_i + \mathbf{o}_i, \mathbf{v}_j + \mathbf{o}_j)$$

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$$\text{Adv}_{\{\mathbf{E}_{ij}\}, n, m, k, q}^{\text{MTW MQ}}(\mathcal{A}) = \Pr \left[ \sum_{i=1}^k \mathbf{E}_{ii} \mathcal{P}(s_i) + \sum_{i=1}^k \sum_{j=i+1}^k \mathbf{E}_{ij} \mathcal{P}'(s_i, s_j) = \mathbf{t}_I \mid \begin{array}{l} \mathcal{P} \xleftarrow{\$} \text{MQ}_{n, m, q} \\ \{\mathbf{t}_i\} \xleftarrow{\$} \mathbb{F}_q^{m \times N} \\ (I, s_1, \dots, s_k) \leftarrow \mathcal{A}^{t_i}(\mathcal{P}) \end{array} \right]$$

Assumed hard. How hard, though?

- Oil-and-Vinegar maps  $P$  are indistinguishable from random MQ maps.
- Whipping up a random map  $P$ , results in a (multi-target) preimage resistant MQ map  $P^*$
- My current interest

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# MAYO WITH NEW BITS



# New representation of public key

- We use now a “nibble-sliced” representation
- Good for AVX2 shuffle-based arithmetic on “big” CPUs and table-lookup-based multiplication on embedded platforms
- Upcoming work in Jan. for Arm/NEON

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*Nibbling MAYO: Optimized Implementations for AVX2 and Cortex-M4* by Ward Beullens, Fabio Campos, Sofia Celi, Basil Hess and Matthias J.Kannwischer.

*Whipping the Multivariate-based MAYO Signature Scheme using Hardware Platforms* by Florian Hirner, Michael Streibl, Florian Krieger, Ahmet Can Mert, Sujoy Sinha Roy

# New parameters

Improved method for solving underdetermined systems by Hashimoto (2023) reduced security margin by between 14 bits (MAYO1) and 2 bits (MAYO2)

	MAYO1	MAYO2	MAYO3	MAYO5
<b>Security Level</b>	1	1	3	5
<b>(n,m,o,k)</b>	(86,78,8,10)	(81,64,17,4)	(117, 107, 10, 11)	(153,141,12,12)
<b>Signature size</b>	454 B	186 B	676 B	958 B
<b>Pk size</b>	1420 B	4912 B	2959 B	5515 B
<b>Restart Prob</b>	$2^{-12}$	$2^{-20}$	$2^{-16}$	$2^{-16}$
<b>Forgery Attacks</b>	156	155*	222	295
<b>Key Recovery</b>	197	167	260	332

# Security proof

with *Matthew Swann* and *Fraçoise Dupressoir*: *EUFCMA Security of MAYO in the Random Oracle Model*

- Prove that the randomization  $R$  is optional  $\rightarrow$  provided by the adversary
- Tightened bound on *EUFCMA*

$$\text{SHAKE256}(\text{seed}_{\text{sk}}) \sim \mathcal{K}(\text{seed})$$

$$\text{SHAKE256}(M) \sim \mathcal{G}(M)$$

$$\text{SHAKE256}(M_{\text{digest}} \parallel R \parallel \text{seed}_{\text{sk}}) \sim \mathcal{H}(M_{\text{digest}}, R, \text{seed})$$

$$\text{SHAKE256}(M_{\text{digest}} \parallel \text{salt}) \sim \mathcal{I}(M_{\text{digest}}, \text{salt})$$

$$\text{SHAKE256}(M_{\text{digest}} \parallel \text{salt} \parallel \text{seed}_{\text{sk}} \parallel \text{ctr}) \sim \mathcal{J}(M_{\text{digest}}, \text{salt}, \text{seed}, \text{ctr})$$

# Threshold MAYO

Thresholdizing UOV-based algorithms is *not that hard*:

- The crux is in the restart probability of the algorithm to solve systems of equations

## Protocol 1: $\Pi_{\text{Solve}}$

The protocol is set in the  $\mathcal{F}_{\text{ABB}}$ -hybrid. All the commands except for (solve) are forwarded directly to  $\mathcal{F}_{\text{ABB}}$ .

On input (solve,  $[\mathbf{A}]$ ,  $[\mathbf{b}]$ ), where  $\mathbf{A}$  has dimensions  $s \times t$  and  $[\mathbf{b}]$  has dimension  $s$ , the parties proceed as follows:

1. Parties call  $[\mathbf{R}] \leftarrow \text{rand}(\mathbb{F}_q^{s \times s})$  and  $[\mathbf{S}] \leftarrow \text{rand}(\mathbb{F}_q^{t \times t})$ .
2. Parties call  $[\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{S}] \leftarrow [\mathbf{A}] \cdot [\mathbf{S}]$ .
3. Parties call  $[\mathbf{T}] \leftarrow [\mathbf{R}] \cdot [\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{S}]$ .
4. Parties open  $\mathbf{T} \leftarrow [\mathbf{T}]$ . If  $r = \text{rank}(\mathbf{T}) < s$  then the parties output (rank-defect,  $r$ ).
5. Otherwise, let  $\mathbf{T}^{-1} \in \mathbb{F}_q^{t \times s}$  be a right inverse of  $\mathbf{T}$ , that is,  $\mathbf{T}\mathbf{T}^{-1} = \mathbf{I}_{s \times s}$ . The parties call  $[\mathbf{A}^{-1}] \leftarrow [\mathbf{S}] \cdot \mathbf{T}^{-1} \cdot [\mathbf{R}]$ . It can be checked that  $\mathbf{A}^{-1} \in \mathbb{F}_q^{t \times s}$  satisfies  $\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{A}^{-1} = \mathbf{I}_{s \times s}$ .
6. Let  $\beta_1, \dots, \beta_{t-s} \in \mathbb{F}_q^{t-s}$  be a basis for  $\ker(\mathbf{T})$ . The parties call  $([z_1], \dots, [z_{t-s}]) \leftarrow \text{rand}(\mathbb{F}_q^{t-s})$ .
7. Parties compute locally  $[\mathbf{z}] \leftarrow \sum_{i=1}^{t-s} [z_i] \cdot \beta_i$ .
8. Parties call  $[\mathbf{x}] \leftarrow [\mathbf{A}^{-1}] \cdot [\mathbf{b}] + [\mathbf{S}] \cdot [\mathbf{z}]$ .
9. Output  $[\mathbf{x}]$ .

Share the MAYO: thresholdizing MAYO by Sofia Celi, Daniel Escudero, and Guilhem Niot

# Threshold MAYO

Thresholdizing UOV-based algorithms is *not that hard*:

- We extend for other threshold functionality as:
  - Distributed Key Generation (DKG)
  - Threshold verification
- We provide a “complete” matrix representation of UOV-based systems
- We have not define the security model or implementation
- Already making it more optimal with Giacomo Borin

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# Jasmin and Easycrypt for MAYO

*With Fraçoise Dupressoir, Manuel Barbosa and Pierre-Yves Strub*

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proc sign(sk : skey, m : msg) : signature = {
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  }
  return (salt, oget s);
}
```

```
export
fn m_vec_mul_add_x(reg u64[m_legs] in acc) {
  inline int i;
  stack u64[m_legs * 2] mul_res;
  reg u64 tmp, t;
  reg u8 a;

  // Precompute multiplication results
  for i = 0 to m_legs * 2 {
    t = in[i];
    a = 0x2;
    tmp = gf16v_mul_u64(t, a);
    mul_res[i] = tmp;
  }

  // Now apply XOR using the precomputed results
  for i = 0 to m_legs * 2 {
    acc[i] ^= mul_res[i];
  }
}
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# The amazing team

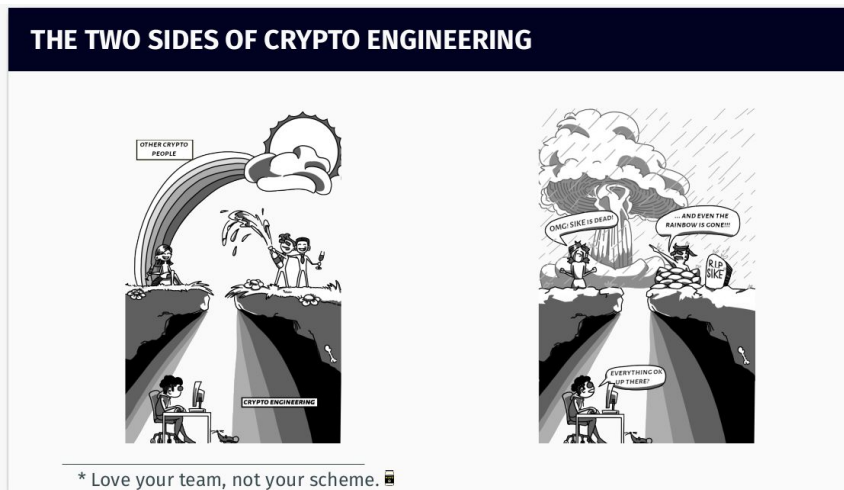


# My fav papers/thesis

- “Improved cryptanalysis of UOV and Rainbow” by Ward Beullens
- “MAYO: Practical Post-Quantum Signatures from Oil-and-Vinegar Maps” by Ward Beullens
- “An Estimator for the Hardness of the MQ Problem” by Emanuele Bellini, Rusydi H. Makarim, Carlo Sanna, and Javier Verbel
- “Cryptanalysis of the Oil and Vinegar Signature Scheme” by Aviad Kipnis, Adi Shamir
- “A Study of the Security of Unbalanced Oil and Vinegar Signature Schemes” by An Braeken, Christopher Wolf, and Bart Preneel
- “Selecting and Reducing Key Sizes for Multivariate Cryptography” by Albrecht Petzoldt

# References

- For quick learning: <https://github.com/PQCMayo/MAYO-sage>
- Our C implementation: <https://github.com/PQCMayo/MAYO-C>
- Our website: <https://pqmayo.org/>



Ask not what MAYO can do for you,  
but what you can do for MAYO!

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if you want to help with:

- Design
- Cryptanalysis
- Implementations
- Security Proofs
- Side-channel security
- Saucy puns
- ...

"90's" version: MAYO'nAES

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# THANK YOU!

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