Sequence-of-games method for cryptographic proofs

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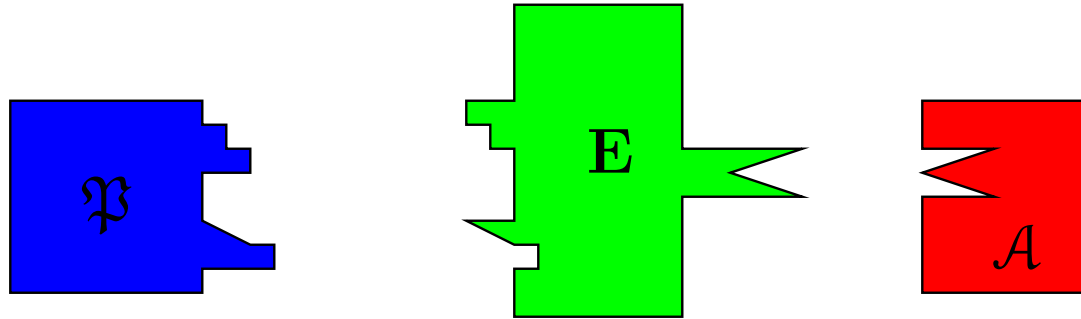
A cryptographic primitive

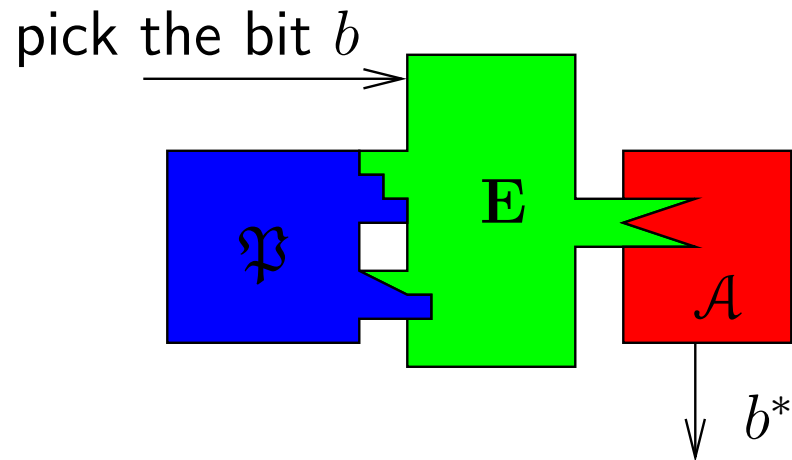A primitive is made up of

- **■** its interface

  - **◆** like an abstract data type
  - **◆** method signatures and invariants (e.g. $\mathcal{D}_k(\mathcal{E}_k(x)) = x$)

- **■** its security definition, made up of

  - **◆** the interface and implementation of an experiment
  - **◆** the success criterion for the adversary

    - **▪** "guess a bit"

(more complex or different security definitions are possible, but reduce to this base case)

Picture

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pick the bit b

$P \in \mathfrak{P}$ is $(\mathfrak{A}, \varepsilon)$-secure if for all $\mathcal{A} \in \mathfrak{A}$:

$$\Pr[b = b^* \,|\, b \text{ chosen uniformly}] \leq \frac{1}{2} + \varepsilon$$

The actual difference of this probability from $1/2$ is the advantage of $\mathcal{A}$.

Example: symmetric encryption

interface SymEnc {
   key *keyGen*();
   bitstring *encrypt*(**key**, **bitstring**);
   bitstring *decrypt*(**key**, **bitstring**);
}

- **key** — bit-strings that can serve as keys.
- Invariant: $k := keyGen()$; $decrypt(k, encrypt(k, x))$ returns x.

IND-CPA security

"indistinguishability under chosen-plaintext attacks"

```
class INDCPA {
    private SymEnc p;                    bitstring enc(bitstring x) {
    private key k;                           bitstring y;
    private bit b;                           y := b ? x : random_string(|x|);
                                             return p.encrypt(k, y);
    INDCPA(SymEnc p0, bit b0)             }
    {                                    }
        p := p0; b := b0;
        k := p.keyGen();
    }
}
```

The adversary has a *guess*-method accepting **class** INDCPA as an argument.

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    {                                }
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    }
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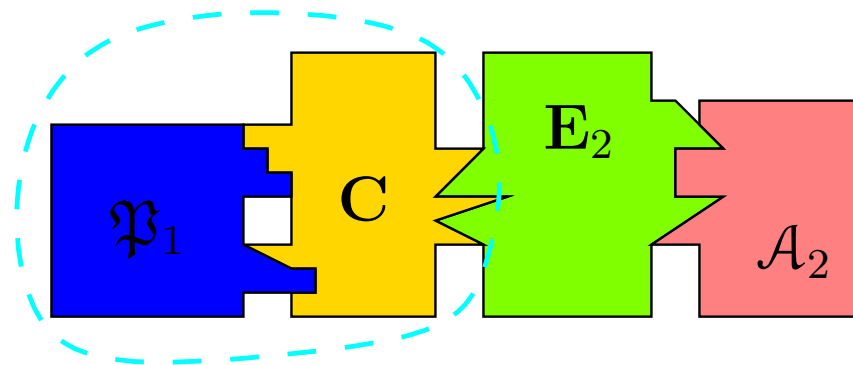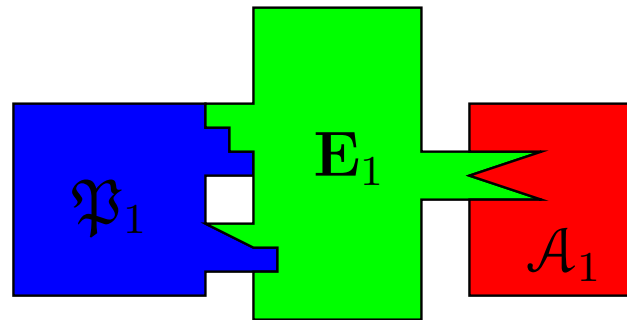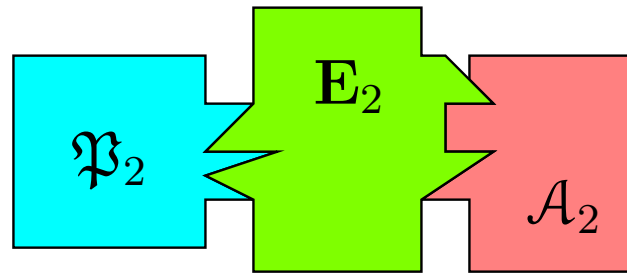
$$\left| \Pr[b \xleftarrow{\text{R}} \{0,1\}; \mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \text{INDCPA}(E,b)) = b] - \frac{1}{2} \right|$$

is the advantage of the adversary $\mathcal{A}$ wrt. the scheme E.

Reductions

- Let $\mathfrak{P}_1$ and $\mathfrak{P}_2$ be two primitives, with security definitions $\mathbf{E}_1$ and $\mathbf{E}_2$.
- Let $\mathbf{C}$ be an algorithm, such that for all $P_1 \in \mathfrak{P}_1$ we have $P_1 \| \mathbf{C} \in \mathfrak{P}_2$.
- A cryptographic reduction is a claim of the form "if P_1 is a $(\mathfrak{A}_1, \varepsilon_1)$-secure instance of $\mathfrak{P}_1$ then $P_1 \| \mathbf{C}$ is a $(\mathfrak{A}_2, \varepsilon_2)$-secure instance of $\mathfrak{P}_2$".
- To prove that claim, we have to show that for any $\mathcal{A}_2 \in \mathfrak{A}_2$,

  - the advantage of $\mathcal{A}_2$ wrt. $P \| \mathbf{C} \| \mathbf{E}_2$ is at most ε_2
  - assuming that the advantage of any $\mathcal{A}_1 \in \mathfrak{A}_1$ wrt. $P \| \mathbf{E}_1$ is at most ε.

Picture

Example: block cipher

```
interface BlockCipher {
    key 𝒦();
    block ℰ(key, block);
    block 𝒟(key, block);
}
```

- **block** — bit-strings of certain, fixed length.
- Invariant — decryption is the inverse of encryption.

Security — pseudorandom permutation

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class PRP implements CiphSec {
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interface ICiph {
   block encb(block);
}

class RP implements ICiph{
   S_block π;
   RP() { π ←R S_block; }
   block encb(block m) {
      return π(m);
   }
}
```

```
class Ciph implements ICiph {
   key k;
   BlockCipher c;
   Ciph(BlockCipher c0) {
      c := c0;
      k := c.K();
   }
   block encb(block m) {
      return c.E(m);
   }
}
```

```
   private ICiph c;
   PRP(BlockCipher c0, bit b) {
      c := b ? new Ciph(c0) : new RP();
   }
   block encrypt(block m) {
      return c.encb(m);
   }
}
```

Block cipher $\rightarrow$ symm. encryption

class CBC **implements** SymEnc {
  private BlockCipher bc;

  CBC(BlockCipher bc_0) { $bc := bc_0$ }

  key *keyGen*() { **return** $bc.\mathcal{K}()$; }

  block[] *encrypt*(**key** k, **block** $m[1..l]$){
    int i;
    block $c[0..l]$;
    $c[0] := random\_block()$;
    for $i := 1$ **to** l {
      $c[i] := bc.\mathcal{E}(k, c[i-1] \oplus m[i])$
    }
    return c;
  }

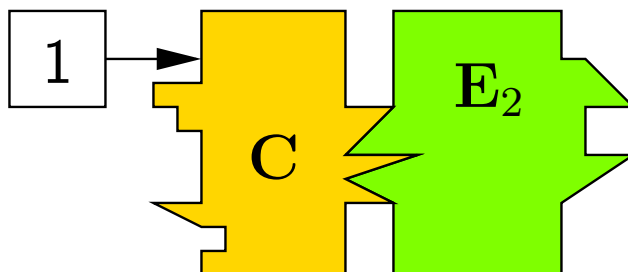 **block**[] *decrypt*(**key** k, **block**[] c) {...}
}

Proving security

"Classical way" :

- Consider the games

and

- Argue about the probability distributions (mutual, conditional, etc.) of the variables of $\mathbf{C}$ and $\mathbf{E}_2$ (and $\mathbf{E}_1$).
- Show that if the construction is insecure then the primitive was insecure, too. . .
- Err somewhere in the process. . .

Proving security
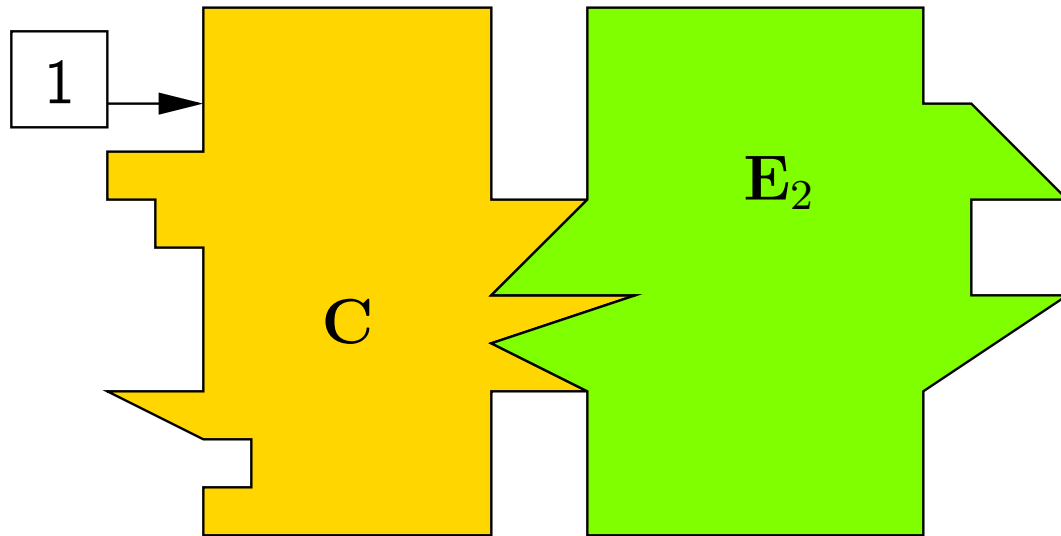
We start with the game

and perform "small" modifications on it, until we end up with
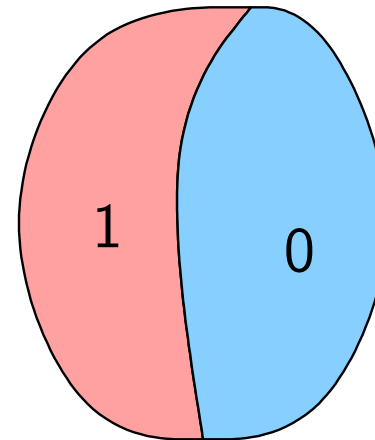

We count, how much the adversary's advantage in distinguishing the original and the current game may increase because of these modifications.
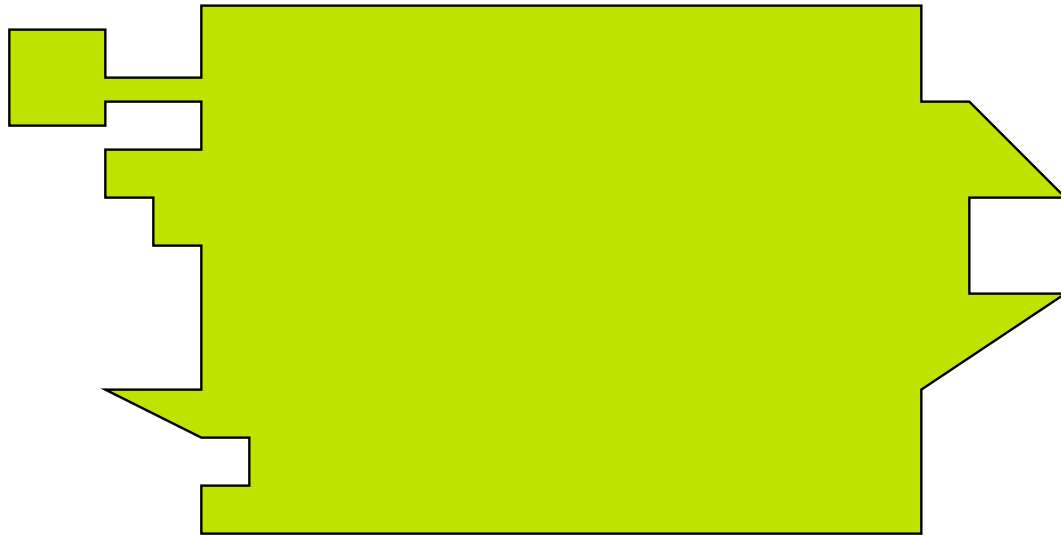
Modifying a game

Starting with
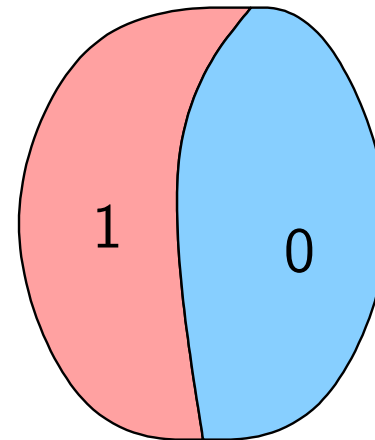

Probability space for some $\mathcal{A}$, P_1

Modifying a game

Modify, without changing semantics

Probability space for some $\mathcal{A}$, P_1

Modifying a game

Until $\mathbf{E}_1$ appears

Probability space for some $\mathcal{A}$, P_1

Verify that the rest , together with any adversary from $\mathfrak{A}_2$, gives an adversary in $\mathfrak{A}_1$

Modifying a game

Change the bit b for $\mathbf{E}_1$

Probability space for some $\mathcal{A}$, P_1

record the potential decrease of $\mathcal{A}$'s advantage, and keep going, until...

Modifying a game

End with

Probability space for some $\mathcal{A}$, P_1

Important: each step is <u>small</u>.

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- Modify it...

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- Modify it...
- Let us first consider the code of the PRP experiment.

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```
    interface ICiph {
        block encb(block);
    }
```

```
    class RP implements ICiph{
        S_block π;
        RP() { π ← S_block; }
        block encb(block m) {
            return π(m);
        }
    }
```

```
    class Ciph implements ICiph {
        key k;
        BlockCipher c;
        Ciph(BlockCipher c_0) {
            c := c_0;
            k := c.K();
        }
        block encb(block m) {
            return c.E(m);
        }
    }
```

```
    private ICiph c;
    PRP(BlockCipher c_0, bit b) {
        c := b ? new Ciph(c_0) : new RP();
    }
    block encrypt(block m) {
        return c.encb(m);
    }
}
```

Lazy random permutation

```
class RP implements ICiph {
    FiniteMap f;
    RP() { f := empty_map }
    block encb(block m) {
        block c;
        if m ∉ domain(f) then {
            do {c := random_block();} while(c ∈ range(f));
            f := f{m ↦ c};
        }
        return f(m);
    }
}
```

The outputs of *encb* are distributed identically to the previous slide.

(Lazy) random function

```
class RF implements ICiph {
    FiniteMap f;
    RF() { f := empty_map }
    block encb(block m) {
        block c;
        if m ∉ domain(f) then {
            do {c := random_block();} while(c ∈ range(f));
            f := f{m ↦ c};
        }
        return f(m);
    }
}
```

- No adversary querying *encb* at at most t blocks can distinguish it from RP with advantage greater than $t(t-1)/2^{n+1}$

  - ◆ n — block length

CBC + IND-CPA

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {        class CBC implements SymEnc {
    private SymEnc p;                        private BlockCipher bc;
    private key k;
    private bit b;                           CBC(BlockCipher bc₀) { bc := bc₀ }
```

```
    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {              key keyGen() { return bc.𝒦(); }
        p := p₀; b := b₀;
        k := p.keyGen();                     block[] encrypt(key k, block m[1..l]){
    }                                            int i;
    block[] enc(block[] x) {                     block c[0..l];
        block[] y;                               c[0] := random_block();
        y := b ? x : random_string(|x|);         for i := 1 to l {
        return p.encrypt(k, y);                      c[i] := bc.ℰ(k, c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i])
    }                                            }
}                                                return c;
                                             }
                                         }
```

- Let $q_1 = \Pr[\mathcal{A}.\textit{guess}(\textbf{new INDCPA}(\textbf{new CBC}(C),1)) = 1]$.

  - We track the change of q_1 through the sequence of games.

- Let ε be the PRP-advantage of C if the adversary queries at most t blocks. (with a reasonable bound on running time)

remove dead code; inline; propagate copies

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \text{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \text{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    private SymEnc p;
    private key k;
    private bit b;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        p := p₀; b := b₀;
        k := p.keyGen();
    }
    block[] enc(block[] x) {
        block[] y;
        y := b ? x : random_string(|x|);
        return p.encrypt(k, y);
    }
}
```

```
class CBC implements SymEnc {
    private BlockCipher bc;

    CBC(BlockCipher bc₀) { bc := bc₀ }

    key keyGen() { return bc.𝒦(); }

    block[] encrypt(key k, block m[1..l]){
        int i;
        block c[0..l];
        c[0] := random_block();
        for i := 1 to l {
            c[i] := bc.ℰ(k, c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i])
        }
        return c;
    }
}
```

Result

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \mathsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    private key k;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        k := C.𝒦();
    }
    block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
        int i;
        block c[0..l];
        c[0] := random_block();
        for i := 1 to l {
            c[i] := C.ℰ(k, c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i])
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Recall the PRP criterion

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      return c;
   }
}


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   private ICiph c;
   PRP(BlockCipher c₀, bit b) {
      c := b ? new Ciph(c₀) : new RP();
   }
   block encrypt(block m) { return c.encb(m); }
}
```

```
interface ICiph {
   block encb(block);
}


class RP implements ICiph{ . . . }

class Ciph implements ICiph {
   key k;
   BlockCipher c;
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      c := c₀;
      k := c.𝒦();
   }
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}
```

Use the class Ciph

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \text{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \text{CBC}(C),1))$

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Result

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    ICiph bc;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        bc := new Ciph(C);
    }
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        block c[0..l];
        c[0] := random_block();
        for i := 1 to l {
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    }
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    }
}
```

Recognize PRP$(\cdot, 1)$

$\mathcal{A}.guess($**new** INDCPA(**new** CBC(C),1$))$

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  ICiph bc;

  INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
    bc := new Ciph(C);
  }
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    int i;
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  CiphSec prp;

  INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
    bc := new PRP(C, 1);
  }
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    int i;
    block c[0..l];
    c[0] := random_block();
    for i := 1 to l {
      c[i] := prp.encrypt(c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i])
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Apply the PRP-security of C

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      c[0] := random_block();
      for i := 1 to l {
         c[i] := prp.encrypt(c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i])
      }
      return c;
   }
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Result

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```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
  CiphSec prp;

  INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
    bc := new PRP(C, 0);
  }
  block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
    int i;
    block c[0..l];
    c[0] := random_block();
    for i := 1 to l {
      c[i] := prp.encrypt(c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i])
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        c := random_block();
      } while(c ∈ range(f));
      f := f{m ↦ c};
    }
    return f(m);
  }
}

class Ciph implements ICiph { …}
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q_1 **may have changed**

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  - Assuming that at most t calls to PRP::*encrypt* are made.

- A call to PRP::*encrypt* is made for each plaintext block submitted to INDCPA::*enc* by $\mathcal{A}$.
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■ If the total length of all plaintexts queried by $\mathcal{A}$ is at most t blocks, then q_1 changes by at most ε.

■ We also have to consider the complexity of the code between $\mathcal{A}$ and class PRP.

  ◆ This is small.

Replace class RP with class RF

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \mathsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{CBC}(C),1))$

class INDCPA **implements** RoREnv {
  CiphSec prp;

  INDCPA(SymEnc p_0, **bit** b_0) {
    $bc :=$ **new** PRP$(C, 0)$;
  }
  block[] $enc(\textbf{block } m[1..l])$ {
    int i;
    block $c[0..l]$;
    $c[0] := random\_block()$;
    for $i := 1$ **to** l {
      $c[i] := prp.encrypt(c[i-1] \oplus m[i])$
    }
    return c;
  }
}

class PRP **implements** CiphSec {
  private ICiph c;
  PRP(BlockCipher c_0, **bit** b) {
    $c := b\,?\,\textbf{new } \mathsf{Ciph}(c_0) : \textbf{new } \mathsf{RP}()$;
  }
  block $encrypt(\textbf{block } m)$ { **return** $c.encb(m)$; }
}

interface ICiph {
  block $encb(\textbf{block})$;
}

class RP **implements** ICiph{
  FiniteMap f;
  RP() { $f := empty\_map$ }
  block $encb(\textbf{block } m)$ {
    block c;
    if $m \notin \mathbf{domain}(f)$ **then** {
      do {
        $c := random\_block()$;
      } **while**$(c \in \mathbf{range}(f))$;
      $f := f\{m \mapsto c\}$;
    }
    return $f(m)$;
  }
}

class Ciph **implements** ICiph { $\ldots$ }

Result

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \mathsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
  CiphSec prp;

  INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
    bc := new PRP(C, 0);
  }
  block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
    int i;
    block c[0..l];
    c[0] := random_block();
    for i := 1 to l {
      c[i] := prp.encrypt(c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i])
    }
    return c;
  }
}
```

```
class PRP implements CiphSec {
  private ICiph c;
  PRP(BlockCipher c₀, bit b) {
    c := b ? new Ciph(c₀) : new RF();
  }
  block encrypt(block m) { return c.encb(m); }
}
```

```
interface ICiph {
  block encb(block);
}
```

```
class RF implements ICiph{
  FiniteMap f;
  RF() { f := empty_map }
  block encb(block m) {
    block c;
    if m ∉ domain(f) then {
      c := random_block();
      f := f{m ↦ c};
    }
    return f(m);
  }
}
```

```
class Ciph implements ICiph { . . . }
```

q_1 may again have changed

- RP::encb resp. RF::encb is queried at most t times.
- Hence the change is at most $t(t-1)/2^{n+1}$.

remove dead code; inline; propagate copies

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \textsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \textsf{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
  CiphSec prp;

  INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
    bc := new PRP(C, 0);
  }
  block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
    int i;
    block c[0..l];
    c[0] := random_block();
    for i := 1 to l {
      c[i] := prp.encrypt(c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i])
    }
    return c;
  }
}


class PRP implements CiphSec {
  private ICiph c;
  PRP(BlockCipher c₀, bit b) {
    c := b ? new Ciph(c₀) : new RF();
  }
  block encrypt(block m) { return c.encb(m); }
}
```

```
interface ICiph {
  block encb(block);
}

class RF implements ICiph{
  FiniteMap f;
  RF() { f := empty_map }
  block encb(block m) {
    block c;
    if m ∉ domain(f) then {
      c := random_block();
      f := f{m ↦ c};
    }
    return f(m);
  }
}

class Ciph implements ICiph { . . . }
```

Result

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \text{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \text{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    FiniteMap f;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        f := empty_map
    }
    block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
        int i;
        block c[0..l];
        block x;
        c[0] := random_block();
        for i := 1 to l {
            if c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ∉ domain(f) then {
                x := random_block();
                f := f{c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ↦ x};
            } else skip
            c[i] := f(c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i]);
        }
        return c;
    }
}
```

Move **this line** to both branches of "if"

$\mathcal{A}.\textit{guess}(\textbf{new } \textsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \textsf{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    FiniteMap f;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        f := empty_map
    }
    block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
        int i;
        block c[0..l];
        block x;
        c[0] := random_block();
        for i := 1 to l {
            if c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ∉ domain(f) then {
                x := random_block();
                f := f{c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ↦ x};
            } else skip
            c[i] := f(c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i]);
        }
        return c;
    }
}
```

Result

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \mathsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    FiniteMap f;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        f := empty_map
    }
    block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
        int i;
        block c[0..l];
        block x;
        c[0] := random_block();
        for i := 1 to l {
            if c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ∉ domain(f) then {
                x := random_block();
                f := f{c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ↦ x};
                c[i] := f(c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i]);
            } else {
                c[i] := f(c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i]);
            }
        }
        return c;
    }
}
```

$c[i]$ is the same as x

$\mathcal{A}.\mathit{guess}(\textbf{new }\textsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new }\textsf{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    FiniteMap f;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        f := empty_map
    }
    block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
        int i;
        block c[0..l];
        block x;
        c[0] := random_block();
        for i := 1 to l {
            if c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ∉ domain(f) then {
                x := random_block();
                f := f{c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ↦ x};
                c[i] := f(c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i]);
            } else {
                c[i] := f(c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i]);
            }
        }
        return c;
    }
}
```

Result

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \mathsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
  FiniteMap f;

  INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
    f := empty_map
  }
  block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
    int i;
    block c[0..l];
    c[0] := random_block();
    for i := 1 to l {
      if c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ∉ domain(f) then {
        c[i] := random_block();
        f := f{c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ↦ c[i]};
      } else {
        c[i] := f(c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i]);
      }
    }
    return c;
  }
}
```

Introduce some dead code. . .

$\mathcal{A}.\text{guess}(\textbf{new } \text{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \text{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    bool bad := false;
    FiniteMap f;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        f := empty_map
    }
}
```

```
block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
    int i;
    block c[0..l];
    c[0] := random_block();
    for i := 1 to l {
        if c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ∉ domain(f) then {
            c[i] := random_block();
            f := f{c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ↦ c[i]};
        } else {
            bad := true;
            c[i] := f(c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i]);
        }
    }
    return c;
}
```

Now watch this...

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \textsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \textsf{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    bool bad := false;
    FiniteMap f;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        f := empty_map
    }
```

```
block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
    int i;
    block c[0..l];
    c[0] := random_block();
    for i := 1 to l {
        if c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ∉ domain(f) then {
            c[i] := random_block();
            f := f{c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ↦ c[i]};
        } else {
            bad := true;
            c[i] := f(c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i]);
        }
    }
    return c;
}
}
```

. . .

$\mathcal{A}.\textit{guess}(\textbf{new INDCPA}(\textbf{new CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {                    block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
   bool bad := false;                                    int i;
   FiniteMap f;                                          block c[0..l];
                                                         c[0] := random_block();
   INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {                           for i := 1 to l {
      f := empty_map                                        if c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ∉ domain(f) then {
   }                                                           c[i] := random_block();
                                                               f := f{c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ↦ c[i]};
                                                            } else {
                                                               bad := true;
                                                               c[i] := random_block();
                                                            }
                                                         }
                                                         return c;
                                                      }
                                                   }
```
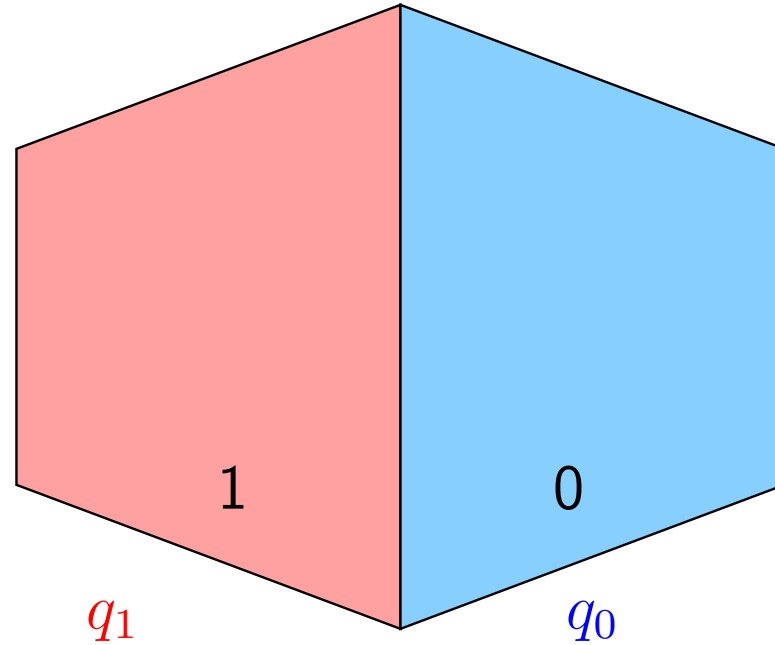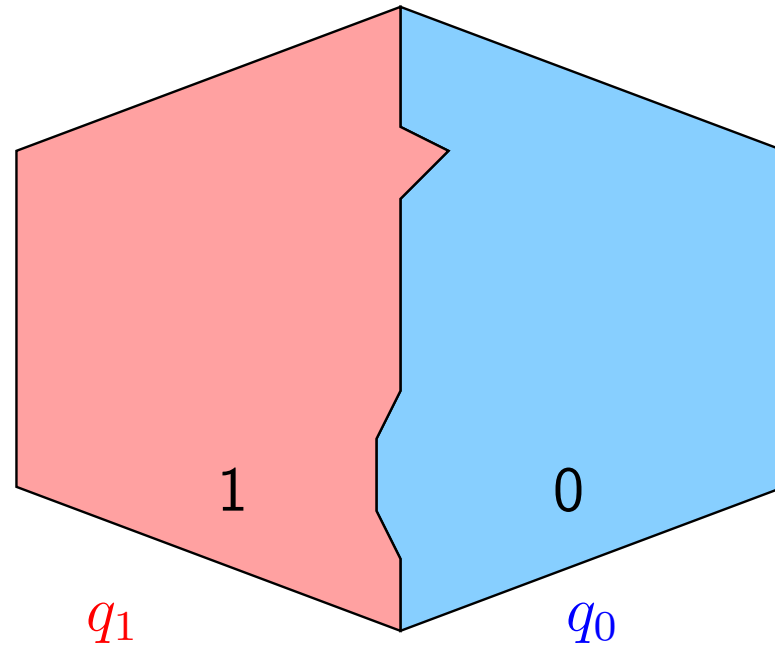
No change to q_1, while things not bad.

Using the flag *bad*

Using the flag *bad*

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Using the flag *bad*

Using the flag *bad*

Will not try to keep track of changes inside the black ellipse

Using the flag *bad*

- Change inside the ellipse $\leq$ area of the ellipse
- A transformation may always increase the event *bad*.
- The price of decreasing the event *bad*, is the increase of the possible change in the probability q_1.
- In the end, must get rid of *bad*.

We changed **this line**

$\mathcal{A}.\textit{guess}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    bool bad := false;
    FiniteMap f;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        f := empty_map
    }
```

```
block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
    int i;
    block c[0..l];
    c[0] := random_block();
    for i := 1 to l {
        if c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ∉ domain(f) then {
            c[i] := random_block();
            f := f{c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ↦ c[i]};
        } else {
            bad := true;
            c[i] := random_block();
        }
    }
    return c;
}
}
```

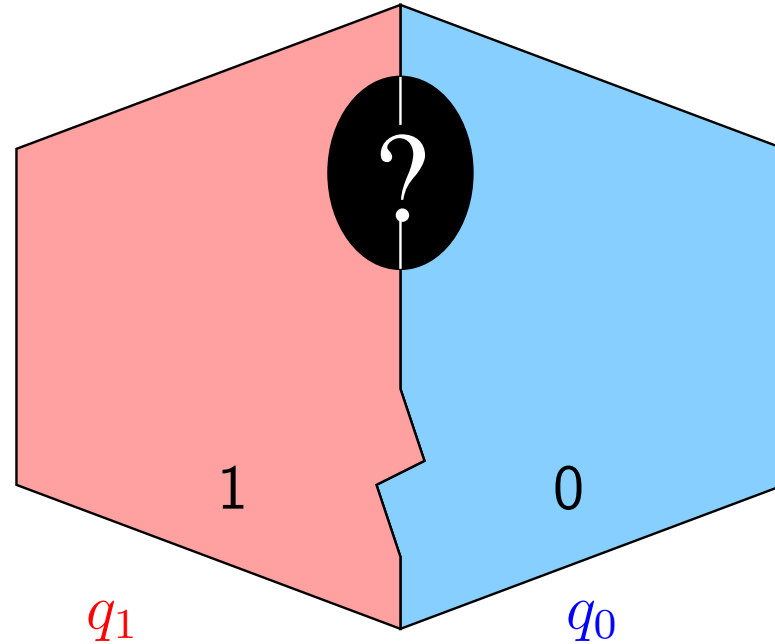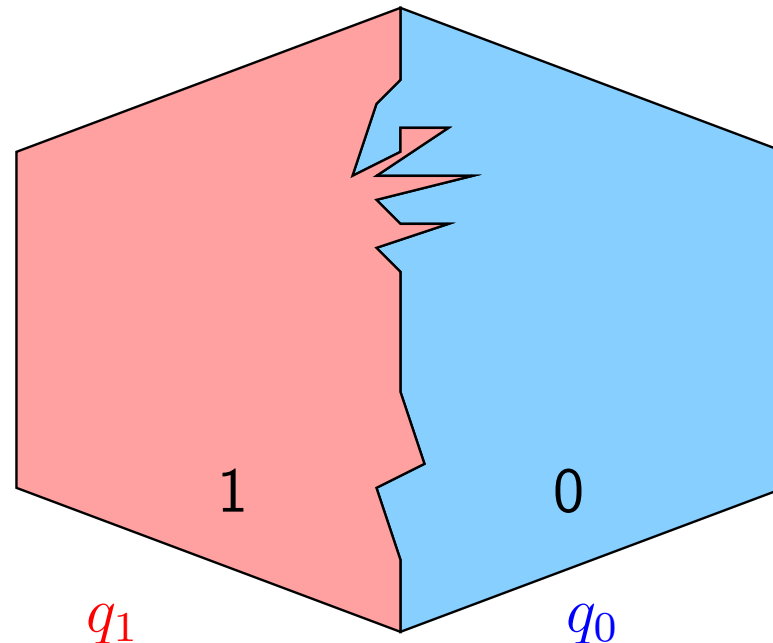It is executed only if bad is set

Move out of the branches

$\mathcal{A}.\mathit{guess}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    bool bad := false;
    FiniteMap f;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        f := empty_map
    }
```

```
block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
    int i;
    block c[0..l];
    c[0] := random_block();
    for i := 1 to l {
        if c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ∉ domain(f) then {
            c[i] := random_block();
            f := f{c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ↦ c[i]};
        } else {
            bad := true;
            c[i] := random_block();
        }
    }
    return c;
}
}
```

Result

$\mathcal{A}.\textit{guess}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    bool bad := false;
    FiniteMap f;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p0, bit b0) {
        f := empty_map
    }
```

```
block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
    int i;
    block c[0..l];
    c[0] := random_block();
    for i := 1 to l {
        c[i] := random_block();
        if c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ∉ domain(f) then {
            f := f{c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ↦ c[i]};
        } else {
            bad := true;
        }
    }
    return c;
}
}
```

The values of f are dead

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \text{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \text{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    bool bad := false;
    FiniteMap f;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        f := empty_map
    }
```

```
block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
    int i;
    block c[0..l];
    c[0] := random_block();
    for i := 1 to l {
        c[i] := random_block();
        if c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ∉ domain(f) then {
            f := f{c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ↦ c[i]};
        } else {
            bad := true;
        }
    }
    return c;
}
}
```

Result

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \mathsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    bool bad := false;
    FiniteSet S;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        S := ∅
    }
```

$S := \emptyset$

```
block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
    int i;
    block c[0..l];
    c[0] := random_block();
    for i := 1 to l {
        c[i] := random_block();
        if c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ∉ S then {
            S := S ∪ {c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i]};
        } else {
            bad := true;
        }
    }
    return c;
}
}
```

Split the loop

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \textsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \textsf{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    bool bad := false;
    FiniteSet S;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p_0, bit b_0) {
        S := ∅
    }
```

```
block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
    int i;
    block c[0..l];
    c[0] := random_block();
    for i := 1 to l {
        c[i] := random_block();
    ─────────────────────────────────
        if c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ∉ S then {
            S := S ∪ {c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i]};
        } else {
            bad := true;
        }
    }
    return c;
}
}
```

Result

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \mathsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    bool bad := false;
    FiniteSet S;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        S := ∅
    }
```

```
block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
    int i;
    block c[0..l];
    c[0] := random_block();
    for i := 1 to l {
        c[i] := random_block();
    }
    for i := 1 to l {
        if c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ∉ S then {
            S := S ∪ {c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i]};
        } else {
            bad := true;
        }
    }
    return c;
}
}
```

The probability of setting bad

- bad is set if
  $c[i-1] \oplus m[i] = c[j-1] \oplus m[j]$ for
  some $1 \leq i < j \leq l$.
- $c[0], \ldots, c[l-1]$ are uniformly distributed and mutually independent.
- $c[i-1] \oplus c[j-1]$ is uniformly distributed.

```
block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
  . . .
  for i := 1 to l {
    if c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ∉ S then {
      S := S ∪ {c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i]};
    } else {
      bad := true;
    }
  }
}
```

- The probability of $c[i-1] \oplus c[j-1]$ being equal to a fixed value
  $m[i] \oplus m[j]$ is $1/2^n$.
- There are $l(l-1)/2$ pairs of i and j.
- If there are r calls to *enc*, then the total probability of setting bad is
  at most
  $$\frac{l_1(l_1-1)}{2^{n+1}} + \cdots + \frac{l_r(l_r-1)}{2^{n+1}} \quad .$$

- This is at most $t(t-1)/2^{n+1}$ because $l_1 + \cdots + l_r \leq t$.

Remove *bad* and dead code

$\mathcal{A}.\mathit{guess}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {            block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
    bool bad := false;                          int i;
    FiniteSet S;                                block c[0..l];
                                                c[0] := random_block();
    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {                 for i := 1 to l {
        S := ∅                                      c[i] := random_block();
    }                                           }
                                                for i := 1 to l {
                                                    if c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i] ∉ S then {
                                                        S := S ∪ {c[i − 1] ⊕ m[i]};
                                                    } else {
                                                        bad := true;
                                                    }
                                                }
                                                return c;
                                            }
                                        }
```

Result

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \mathsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
  INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
  }

  block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
    int i;
    block c[0..l];
    c[0] := random_block();
    for i := 1 to l {
      c[i] := random_block();
    }
    return c;
  }
}
```

Result

$\mathcal{A}.\textit{guess}(\textbf{new } \textsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \textsf{CBC}(C),1))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
    }

    block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
        int i;
        block c[0..l];
        c[0] := random_block();
        for i := 1 to l {
            c[i] := random_block();
        }
        return c;
    }
}
```

Let us now transform INDCPA(...,0)

remove dead code; inline; propagate copies

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new}\ \textsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new}\ \textsf{CBC}(C),0))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    private SymEnc p;
    private key k;
    private bit b;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        p := p₀; b := b₀;
        k := p.keyGen();
    }
    block[] enc(block[] x) {
        block[] y;
        y := b ? x : random_string(|x|);
        return p.encrypt(k, y);
    }
}
```

```
class CBC implements SymEnc {
    private BlockCipher bc;

    CBC(BlockCipher bc₀) { bc := bc₀ }

    key keyGen() { return bc.𝒦(); }

    block[] encrypt(key k, block m[1..l]){
        int i;
        block c[0..l];
        c[0] := random_block();
        for i := 1 to l {
            c[i] := bc.ℰ(k, c[i−1] ⊕ m[i])
        }
        return c;
    }
}
```

Result

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \textsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \textsf{CBC}(C),0))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    private key k;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        k := C.𝒦();
    }
    block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
        int i;
        block c[0..l];
        block r[1..l];
        for i := 1 to l {
            r[i] := random_block();
        }
        c[0] := random_block();
        for i := 1 to l {
            c[i] := C.ℰ(k, c[i − 1] ⊕ r[i])
        }
        return c;
    }
}
```

Fuse the loops

$\mathcal{A}.\textit{guess}(\textbf{new } \text{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \text{CBC}(C),0))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    private key k;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        k := C.𝒦();
    }
    block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
        int i;
        block c[0..l];
        block r[1..l];
        for i := 1 to l {
            r[i] := random_block();
        }
        c[0] := random_block();
        for i := 1 to l {
            c[i] := C.ℰ(k, c[i − 1] ⊕ r[i])
        }
        return c;
    }
}
```

Result

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \mathsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{CBC}(C),0))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    private key k;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        k := C.𝒦();
    }
    block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
        int i;
        block c[0..l];
        block r[1..l];
        c[0] := random_block();
        for i := 1 to l {
            r[i] := random_block();
            c[i] := C.ℰ(k, c[i − 1] ⊕ r[i])
        }
        return c;
    }
}
```

$$(R, C \oplus R) \equiv (C \oplus R', R') \text{ if } C \perp R$$

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \textsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \textsf{CBC}(C),0))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    private key k;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        k := C.𝒦();
    }
    block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
        int i;
        block c[0..l];
        block r[1..l];
        c[0] := random_block();
        for i := 1 to l {
            r[i] := random_block();
            c[i] := C.ℰ(k, c[i − 1] ⊕ r[i])
        }
        return c;
    }
}
```

Result

$\mathcal{A}.guess(\textbf{new } \mathsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{CBC}(C),0))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    private key k;

    INDCPA(SymEnc p₀, bit b₀) {
        k := C.𝒦();
    }
    block[] enc(block m[1..l]) {
        int i;
        block c[0..l];
        block r[1..l], r'[1..l];
        c[0] := random_block();
        for i := 1 to l {
            r'[i] := random_block();
            r[i] := c[i − 1] ⊕ r'[i];
            c[i] := C.ℰ(k, r'[i])
        }
        return c;
    }
}
```

remove dead code; propagate copies

$\mathcal{A}.\textit{guess}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{INDCPA}(\textbf{new } \mathsf{CBC}(C),0))$

```
class INDCPA implements RoREnv {
    private key k;

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We've been here already

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Total change of q_1

- q_1 changed in the following places:

  - block cipher $\rightarrow$ random permutation: at most ε;
  - rand. permutation $\rightarrow$ rand. function: at most $t(t-1)/2^{n+1}$;
  - removal of bad: at most $t(t-1)/2^{n+1}$.

Theorem. If C is a block cipher that is ε-PRP, if no more that t blocks are queried, then $\mathrm{CBC}(C)$ is at least $\varepsilon + t(t-1)/2^n$-IND-CPA-secure, if the total length of plaintext is at most t blocks.

Conclusions

■ Main value of sequence-of-games-based proofs: verification is tractable (by humans).

    ◆ Even by students ☺

■ Other perks of being mechanizable are on the horizon, too.