

The Optimal MISTY-Type Tweakable Transformations

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Abstract—In order to improve the blockcipher's efficiency and reduce its operating costs, we propose some optimal structures of tweakable blockciphers without using pre-existing block cipher on the basis of MISTY-Type transformation. We optimize the 5-round structure by using the XOR-universal permutation to replace the first three random permutation. Finally, we give the concrete cryptanalysis for the CPA-secure 5 round Optimal MISTY-Type tweakable blockciphers.

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1. INTRODUCTION

In cryptography, a blockcipher, regarded as of permutations on a message space indexed by a secret key, is a symmetric key cipher. When encrypting, the encryption algorithm E takes two inputs—a secret key K and a message block M and outputs a corresponding length block of ciphertext. The decryption algorithm D reverse the process. We call a blockcipher pseudorandom permutation if no attacker with polynomially many encryption queries can distinguish between the block cipher and a random permutation. A tweakable blockcipher is a blockcipher which takes an extra input, the tweak T , that is used only to provide variation and is easy to be changed without more cost. A tweakable blockcipher is secure if it is indistinguishable from a family of random permutation indexed by the tweak T . The notion of tweakable blockcipher was formalized by Liskov et al.[1], they describe two levels of security: a CPA-secure tweakable blockcipher is one that is indistinguishable from a random permutation family under chosen plaintext attack; a CCA-secure tweakable blockcipher is one that is indistinguishable from a random permutation family under chosen ciphertext attack.

Tweakable blockcipher has many practical application in the field of computer science. An important application is that of disk encryption as has been pointed out by Halevi and Rogaway in [2]. Here the disk sectors are separately encrypted and the sector addresses are taken to be the tweaks. Thus, if the plaintext block P is encrypted twice under the same key, the output ciphertext blocks will not be the same.

MISTY-Type structure was firstly introduced by Matsui[3]. It was applied to the block cipher MISTY[4], so we call it as MISTY-Type structure. It has many good property. Matsui showed that MISTY-Type structure was faster and more robust than Feistel structure on linear cryptanalysis and differential cryptanalysis. It has been an actively studied class of construction. Ju-Sung Kang et al.[5] prove that the four round MISTY-Type transformations are pseudorandom permutation ensembles for non-adaptive distinguishers. Wen[6]proved that the four round tweakable MISTY-Type transformations were not pseudorandom permutation ensembles and some 5 round round tweakable MISTY-Type transformations were CPA-secure.

2. PRELIMINARIES

Let I_n denote the set of n -bit strings and $Perm_n$ be the set of all permutations from I_n to itself where n is positive integer.

Definition 1. $Perm_n$ is called a TPE if all permutations in $Perm_n$ are uniformly distributed.

Definition 2.[1] Tweakable blockcipher is a triple of algorithms $(G;E;D)$ for key generation, encryption and decryption, respectively. The algorithms, $G(\cdot), E(\cdot, \cdot), D(\cdot, \cdot)$, are all efficiently computable, and where the correctness property holds: that is, for all M, T and $K \in G(1^n)$, $DK(EK(M; T); T) = M$. Over all adversaries with access to an encryption oracle, the maximum advantage is defined as:

$$ADV_K(E, q, t) = \max_K : |p(A^{E_K}(1^n) = 1) - |p(A^\Pi(1^n) = 1|$$

where (1) Π is a random permutation family indexed by T ; (2) A is allowed to make at most q oracle queries. A tweak-able blockcipher is CPA-secure if for all n , for q queries and time t , $ADV_K(E, q, t)$ is negligible in n .

Definition 3.(MISTY-Type Structure). For some input (L, R) ,

$$L_{i+1} = R_i; R_{i+1} = f_{i+1}(L_i) \oplus R_i, 1 \leq i \leq n$$

where the input is $M = (L_0, R_0) = (L, R)$, the output after n round is (L_n, R_n) , each $f_i \in Perm_n$ is a random permutation.

Definition 4.(MISTY-Type Tweakable Blockcipher). It is a MISTY-Type structure with adding a tweak in some location. The concrete scheme is defined as: for some input (L, R, T)

$$L_{i+1} = R_i; R_{i+1} = f_{i+1}(L_i \oplus T) \oplus R_i$$

or

$$L_{i+1} = R_i; R_{i+1} = f_{i+1}(L_i) \oplus R_i \oplus T$$

for some $i(1 \leq i \leq n)$. where the tweak is a half-block in length; that is, on input $M = (L_0, R_0) = (L, R)$ of size $2n$, the tweak is of size n .

Definition 5[7]. ε -XOR universal permutation ensemble. Let H be a permutation family over I_n , H is ε -XOR universal permutation ensemble if the following condition satisfied: for any two distinct element, $x \neq y \in I_n$ and any element $z \in I_n$,

$$P[h \xleftarrow{R} H : h(x) \oplus h(y) = z] \leq \varepsilon$$

Lemma 1. Let H be ε -XOR universal permutation ensemble. h_1, h_2 are independently chosen from H . Then for any $a, b, c, d, y \in I_n$, such that $a \neq b, c \neq d$

$$P[h_1(a) \oplus h_1(b) \oplus h_2(c) \oplus h_2(d) = y] \leq 2^n \varepsilon^2$$

Proof. Let A be the event of $h_1(a) \oplus h_1(b) \oplus h_2(c) \oplus h_2(d) = y$ and A_j be the event of $h_1(a) \oplus h_1(b) = w_j$ for $1 \leq j \leq 2^n$, where $I_n = \{w_1, \dots, w_{2^n}\}$. Then by definition 5, we obtain that

$$P(A \cap A_j) = P(h_1(a) \oplus h_1(b) = w_j) P(h_2(c) \oplus h_2(d) = y \oplus w_j) \leq \varepsilon^2$$

Therefore, $P(A) = \sum_{j=1}^{2^n} P(A \cap A_j) \leq 2^n \varepsilon^2$

Lemma 2. Let H be ε -XOR universal permutation ensemble. h_1, h_2, h_3 are independently chosen from H . Then for any $a \neq b, c \neq d, p \neq q, y \in I_n$

$$P[h_1(a) \oplus h_1(b) \oplus h_2(c) \oplus h_2(d) \oplus h_3(p) \oplus h_3(q) = y] \leq 2^{2n} \varepsilon^3$$

3. OPTIMAL MISTY-TYPE TWEAKABLE BLOCKCIPHERS WITH CPA SECURITY

In this section, we will discuss the CPA security of 5 round optimal tweakable MISTY-Type structure. In the optimal structure, in order to improve its efficiency and reduce its running costs, we use the XOR-universal permutation to replace the first three random permutation of the 5 round MISTY-Type tweakable structure. A concrete scheme is defined as: for some input (L, R, T) ,

$$\begin{aligned} R_1 &= h_1(L_0) \oplus R_0, L_1 = R_0; R_2 = h_2(L_1 \oplus T) \oplus R_1, L_2 = R_1 \\ R_3 &= h_3(L_2) \oplus R_2, L_3 = R_2; R_4 = f_4(L_3) \oplus R_3, L_4 = R_3 \\ R_5 &= f_5(L_4) \oplus R_4, L_5 = R_4 \end{aligned}$$

where the input is $M = (L_0, R_0) = (L, R)$, $f_4, f_5 \in Perm_n$, are random permutation. h_1, h_2, h_3 are XOR universal permutation

Theorem 1. Let H be ε -XOR universal permutation ensemble, $h_1, h_2, h_3 \in H$, f_4, f_5 be chosen from TPE $Perm_n$, they are independent each other. Then the above 5 round optimal MISTY-Type tweakable transformation Γ is indistinguishable (in a CPA attack) from a random $2n$ -bit permutation Π_{2n} indexed by T .

Proof. A can query an oracle O , O chose a permutation from

Γ or Π_{2^n} . We assume that the attacker A makes q different queries $(L^1, R^1, T^1), \dots, (L^q, R^q, T^q)$ to the oracle O . Let $(L_j^i, R_j^i), i=1, \dots, q; j=1, 2, 3, 4, 5$ be the j -th round output in the i -th oracle query. Let A_L denote the event that $L_3^1, L_3^2, \dots, L_3^q$ are all distinct. A_R denote the event that $R_3^1, R_3^2, \dots, R_3^q$ are all distinct. If A_L occurs, then we can see that $L_5^1, L_5^2, \dots, L_5^q$ are completely random, since $L_5^i = R_4^i = R_3^i \oplus f_4(L_3^i), i=1, \dots, q$ and f_4 is a random permutation. Similarly, if A_R occurs, then $R_5^1, R_5^2, \dots, R_5^q$ are completely random. So $(L_5^1, R_5^1), (L_5^2, R_5^2), \dots, (L_5^q, R_5^q)$ are completely random since f_4 and f_5 are independently random permutation. Therefore, if A_L and A_R occur, then $ADVA$ is bounded above as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} ADV_A &= |P[A \rightarrow 1 | O \leftarrow \Gamma] - P[A \rightarrow 1 | O \leftarrow \Pi_{2^n}]| \\ &= |P[(A \rightarrow 1 | O \leftarrow \Gamma) | A_L \cap A_R] P(A_L \cap A_R) + P[(A \rightarrow 1 | O \leftarrow \Gamma) | \overline{A_L \cap A_R}] P(\overline{A_L \cap A_R}) \\ &\quad - P[(A \rightarrow 1 | O \leftarrow \Pi_{2^n}) | A_L \cap A_R] P(A_L \cap A_R) - P[(A \rightarrow 1 | O \leftarrow \Pi_{2^n}) | \overline{A_L \cap A_R}] P(\overline{A_L \cap A_R})| \\ &= |P[(A \rightarrow 1 | O \leftarrow \Gamma) | \overline{A_L \cap A_R}] P(\overline{A_L \cap A_R}) - P[(A \rightarrow 1 | O \leftarrow \Pi_{2^n}) | \overline{A_L \cap A_R}] P(\overline{A_L \cap A_R})| \\ &\leq P(\overline{A_L \cap A_R}) \leq \sum_{1 \leq i \leq j \leq q} P(L_3^i = L_3^j) \oplus \sum_{1 \leq i \leq j \leq q} P(R_3^i = R_3^j) \end{aligned}$$

Now we estimate $P(L_3^i = L_3^j), P(R_3^i = R_3^j), 1 \leq i \leq j \leq q$. Let

$(L_0, R_0, T) = (L, R, T)$. We have the following four cases.

Case1. $L_0^i = L_0^j, R_0^i \neq R_0^j$. In this case it is easy to see that $P(L_3^i = L_3^j) = P(h_2(R_0^i \oplus T^i) \oplus R_0^i = h_2(R_0^j \oplus T^j) \oplus R_0^j) \leq \varepsilon$ (by Definition5), since h_2 is a ε -XOR universal permutation. We can obtain by lemma 1 and definition5 that

$$\begin{aligned} P(R_3^i = R_3^j) &= P(h_3(R_0^i \oplus h_1(L_0^i)) \oplus R_0^i \oplus h_2(R_0^i \oplus T^i) \\ &= h_3(R_0^i \oplus h_1(L_0^i)) \oplus R_0^i \oplus h_2(R_0^j \oplus T^j)) \leq \max(2^n \varepsilon^2, \varepsilon) \end{aligned}$$

Case2 $L_0^i \neq L_0^j, R_0^i \neq R_0^j$. Observe that

$$\begin{aligned} P(L_3^i = L_3^j) &= P(h_2(R_0^i \oplus T^i) \oplus R_0^i \oplus h_1(L_0^i) = h_2(R_0^j \oplus T^j) \oplus R_0^j \oplus h_1(L_0^j)) \leq \varepsilon \end{aligned}$$

then we obtain by definition 5 and lemma 1, we obtain that

$$\begin{aligned} P(L_3^i = L_3^j) &\leq \max(2^n \varepsilon^2, \varepsilon) \\ P(R_3^i = R_3^j) &= P(h_3(R_0^i \oplus h_1(L_0^i)) \oplus h_1(L_0^i) \oplus R_0^i \oplus h_2(R_0^i \oplus T^i) \\ &= h_3(R_0^j \oplus h_1(L_0^j)) \oplus h_1(L_0^j) \oplus R_0^j \oplus h_2(R_0^j \oplus T^j)) \end{aligned}$$

Then by definition 5, lemma 1,2, we obtain that

$$P(R_3^i = R_3^j) \leq \max(2^n \varepsilon^2, \varepsilon, 2^{2n} \varepsilon^3)$$

Case3. $L_0^i \neq L_0^j, R_0^i = R_0^j$. Then we obtain by definition

5, lemma 1 that

$$\begin{aligned} P(L_3^i = L_3^j) &= P(h_2(R_0^i \oplus T^i) \oplus h_1(L_0^i) = h_2(R_0^j \oplus T^j) \oplus h_1(L_0^j)) \\ &\leq \max(\varepsilon, 2^n \varepsilon^2) \\ P(R_3^i = R_3^j) &= P(h_3(R_0^i \oplus h_1(L_0^i)) \oplus h_1(L_0^i) \oplus h_2(R_0^i \oplus T^i) \\ &= h_3(R_0^j \oplus h_1(L_0^j)) \oplus h_1(L_0^j) \oplus h_2(R_0^j \oplus T^j)) \leq \max(2^n \varepsilon^2, \varepsilon, 2^{2n} \varepsilon^3) \end{aligned}$$

Case4. $L_0^i = L_0^j, R_0^i = R_0^j$. Then $P(L_3^i = L_3^j) = P(R_3^i = R_3^j) = 0$

Hence, for any case,

$$\begin{aligned} P(L_3^i = L_3^j) &\leq \max(2^n \varepsilon^2, \varepsilon) = \varepsilon' \\ P(R_3^i = R_3^j) &\leq \max(2^n \varepsilon^2, \varepsilon, 2^{2n} \varepsilon^3) = \varepsilon'' \end{aligned}$$

Therefore we obtain that

$$\begin{aligned}
\sum_{1 \leq i \leq j \leq q} P(L_3^i = L_3^j) &\leq C_q^2 \epsilon' = \frac{q(q-1)}{2} \epsilon' \\
\sum_{1 \leq i \leq j \leq q} P(R_3^i = R_3^j) &\leq C_q^2 \epsilon'' = \frac{q(q-1)}{2} \epsilon'' \\
ADV_A &\leq \sum_{1 \leq i \leq j \leq q} P(L_3^i = L_3^j) \oplus \sum_{1 \leq i \leq j \leq q} P(R_3^i = R_3^j) \\
&\leq q(q-1) \max(\epsilon', \epsilon'')
\end{aligned}$$

which is negligible.

Using the same methods, we can prove that the following optimal schemes are CPA-secure.

Theorem 2. Let H be ϵ -XOR universal permutation ensemble, $h_1, h_2, h_3 \in H$, f_4, f_5 be chosen from TPE $Perm_n$, they are independent each other. If (1) the tweak T is XORed with R_1 or (3) the tweak T is XORed with R_2 and $L_3 = R_2 \oplus T, R_3 = R_2 \oplus T \oplus h_3(L_2)$, Then the above 5 round optimal MISTY-Type tweakable transformation Γ is indistinguishable (in a CPA attack) from a random $2n$ -bit permutation Π_{2n} indexed by T .

4. CONCLUSION

In this paper, on the basis of MISTY-type transformations, we propose some optimal CPA-secure tweakable blockciphers directly and solve an open problem, that is, how to construct tweakable blockciphers without using a pre-existing blockcipher proposed by Liskov et.al. we use less random permutation in the optimal structure. We prove that the 5 round optimal tweakable MISTY-type blockciphers are CPA-secure.

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