



Understanding the Duplex and Its Security

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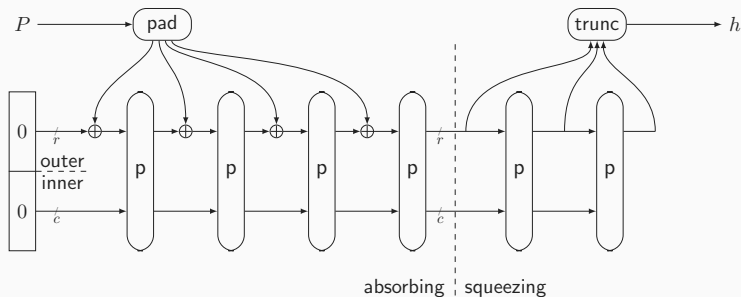
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History on Sponges and Duplexes



- p is a b -bit permutation, with $b = r + c$
 - r is the rate
 - c is the capacity (security parameter)
- SHA-3, XOFs, lightweight hashing, ...
- Behaves as RO up to query complexity $\approx 2^{c/2}$ [BDPV08]

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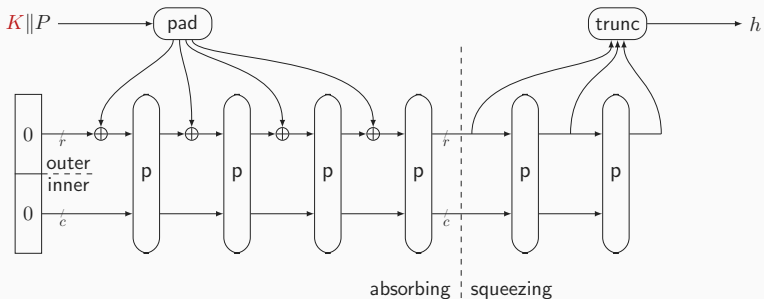
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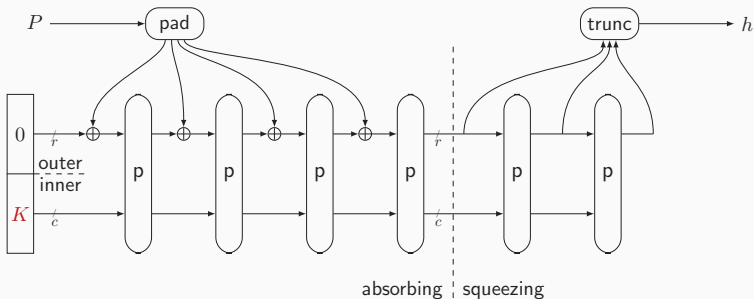
- Authenticated encryption
- Multiple CAESAR and NIST LWC submissions

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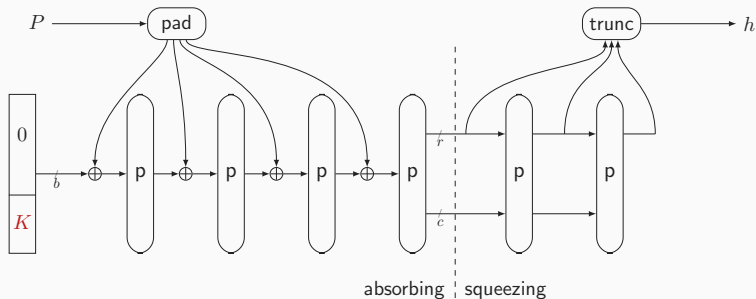
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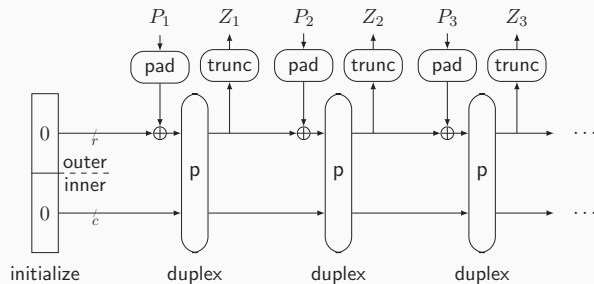
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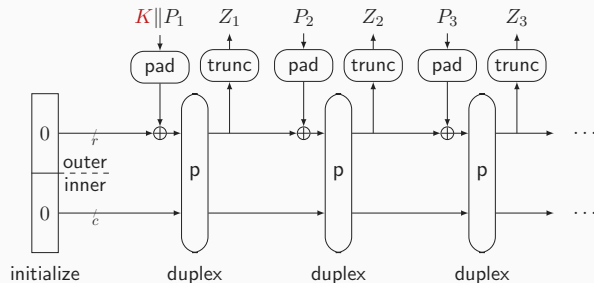
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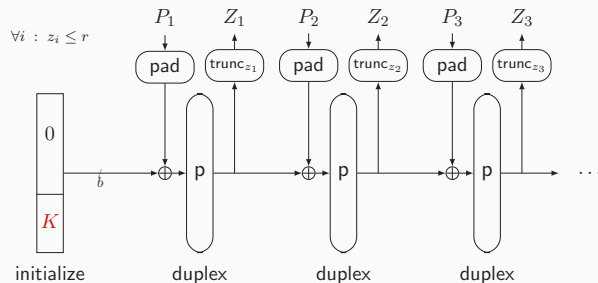
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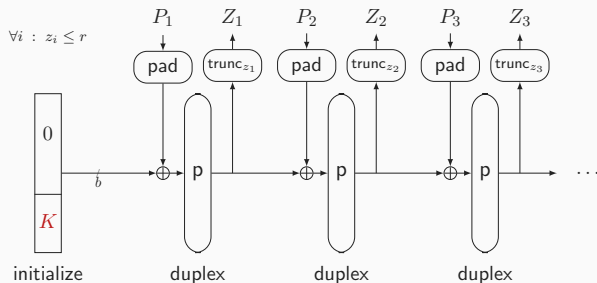
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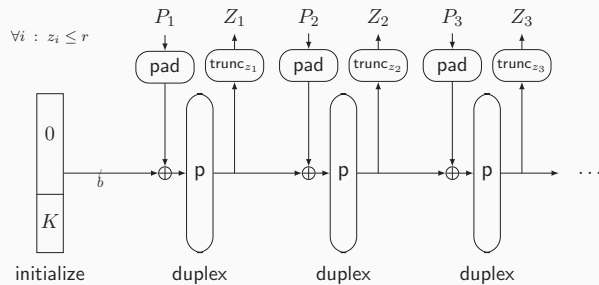
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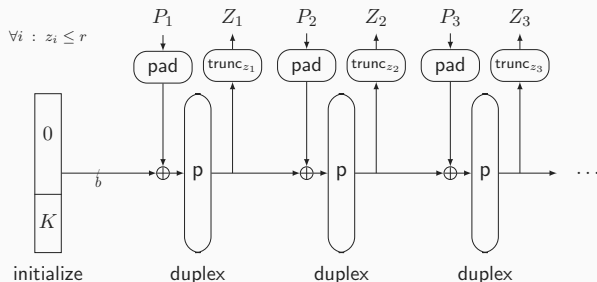


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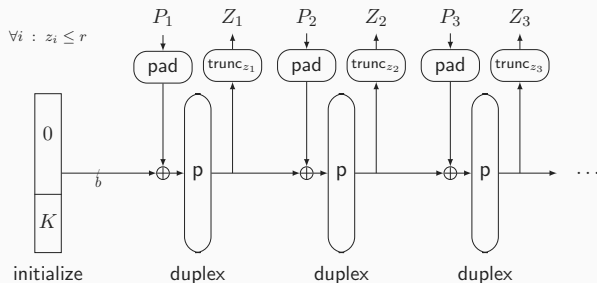


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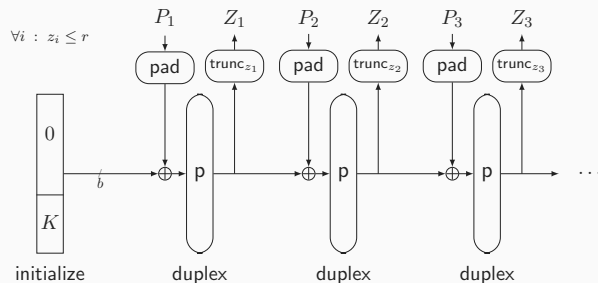
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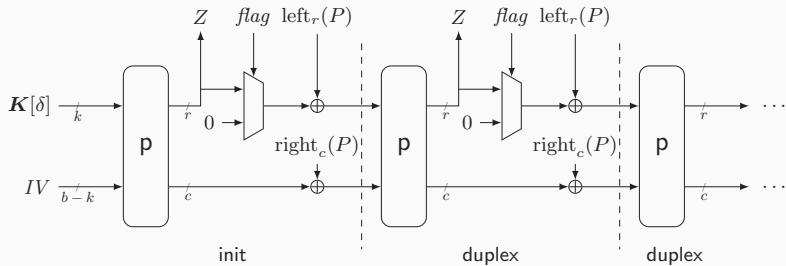
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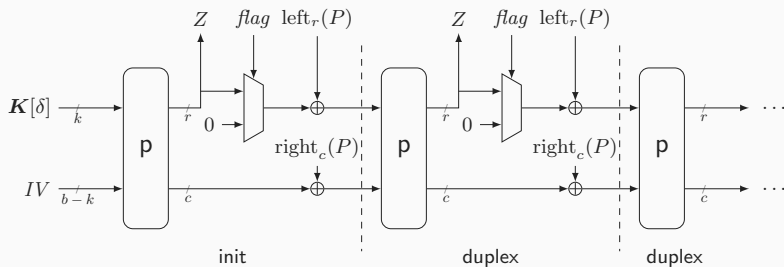
Limitations

- Multiplicity μ only known a posteriori
- Dominating term $\mu N/2^k$ rather than $\mu N/2^c$
- Limited flexibility in modeling adversarial power (multi-user security, blockwise adaptive behavior, nonces, ...)

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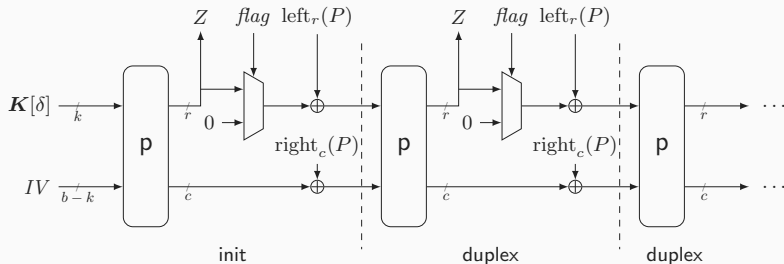
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- Initial state: concatenation of $K[\delta]$ and IV
- Full-state absorption, no padding
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- Refined adversarial strength

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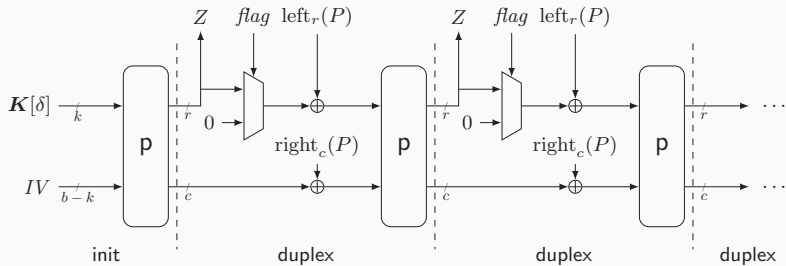


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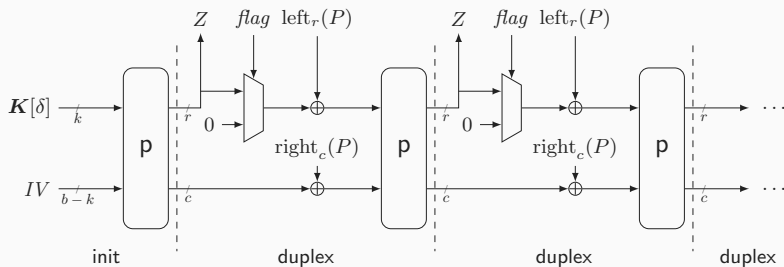
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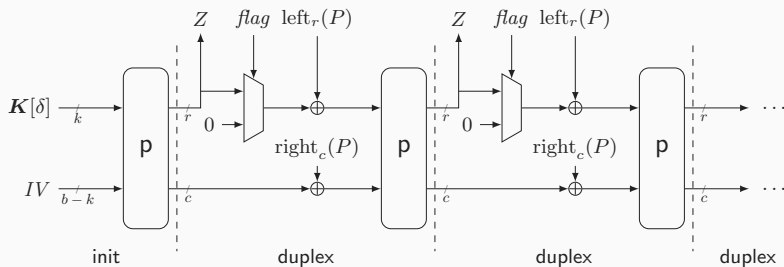
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- Another rephrasing: Z, P, p instead of p, Z, P instead of P, p, Z
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- Even further refined adversarial strength
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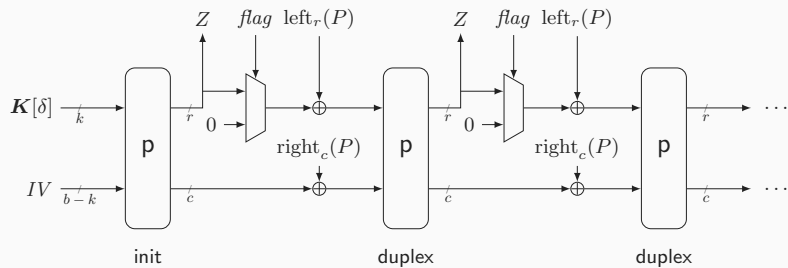
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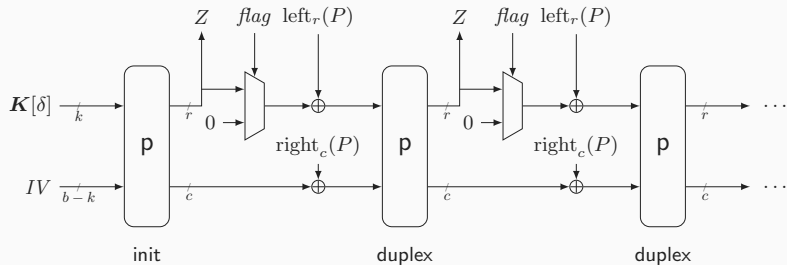


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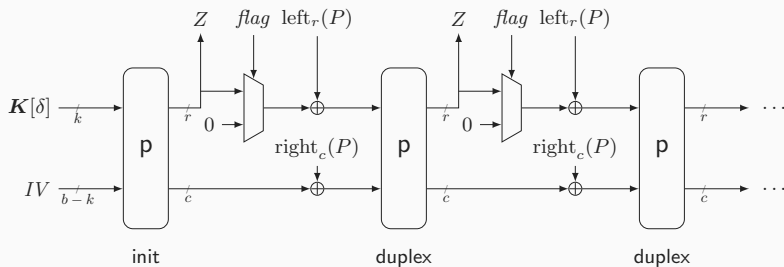
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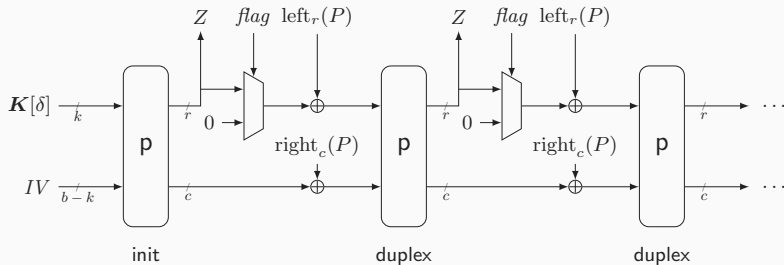


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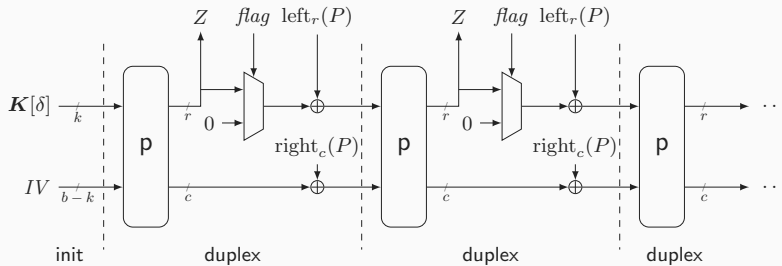
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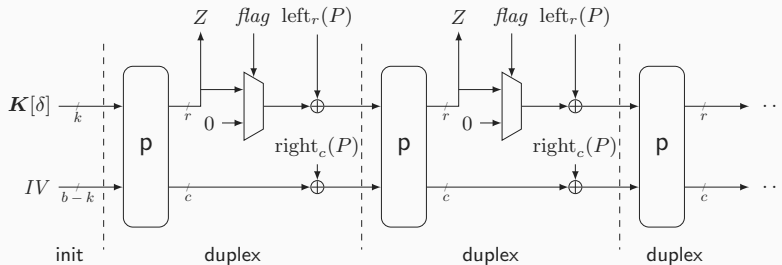
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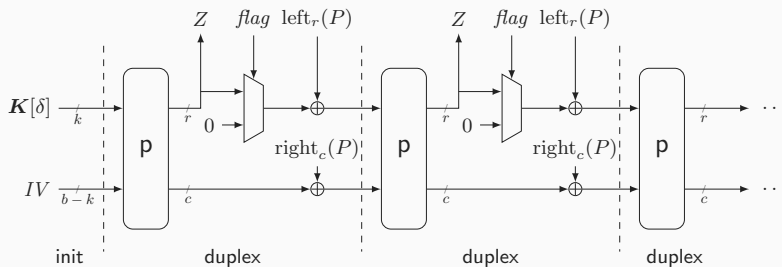
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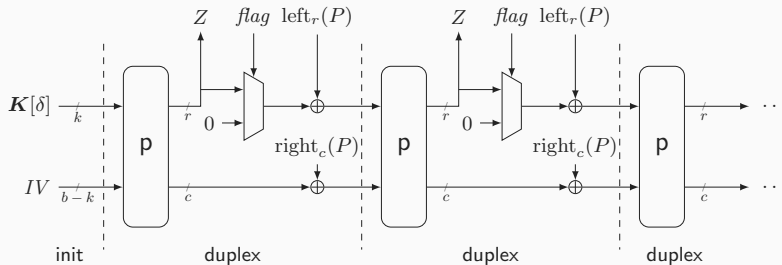
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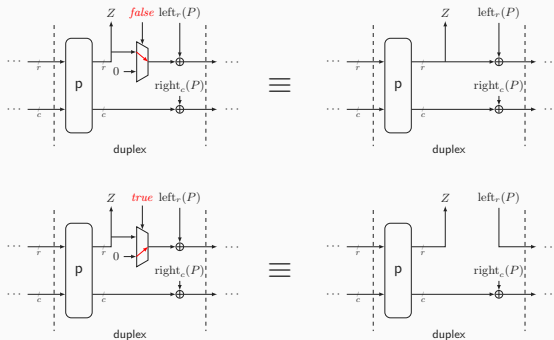
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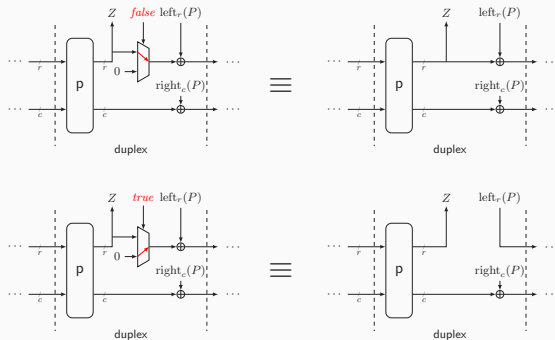
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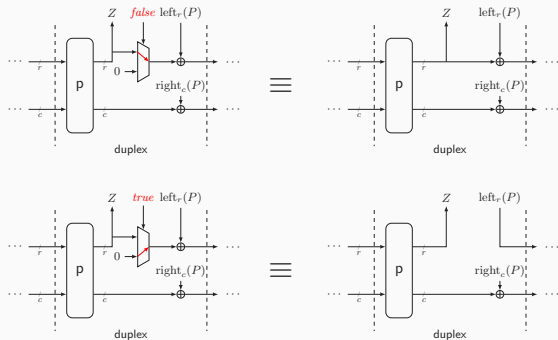


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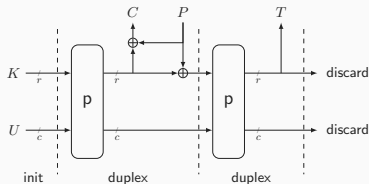
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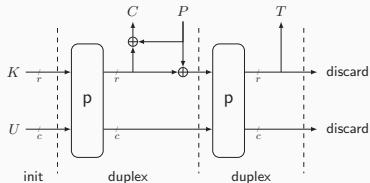
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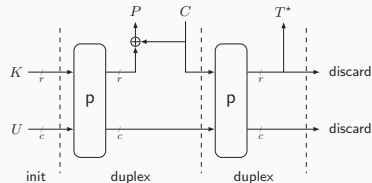
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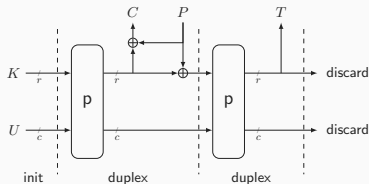
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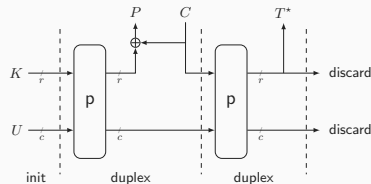
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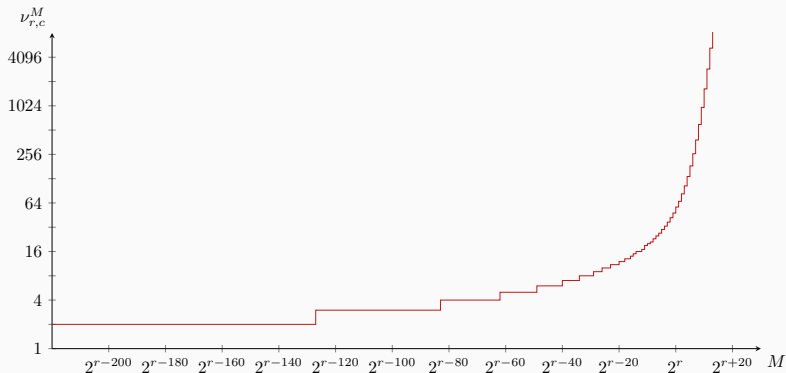
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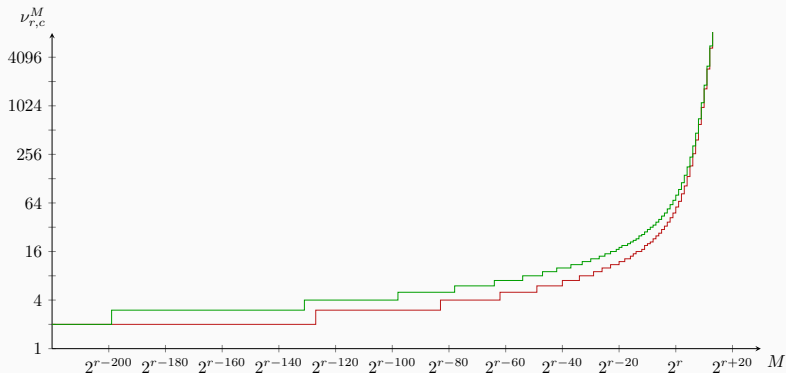
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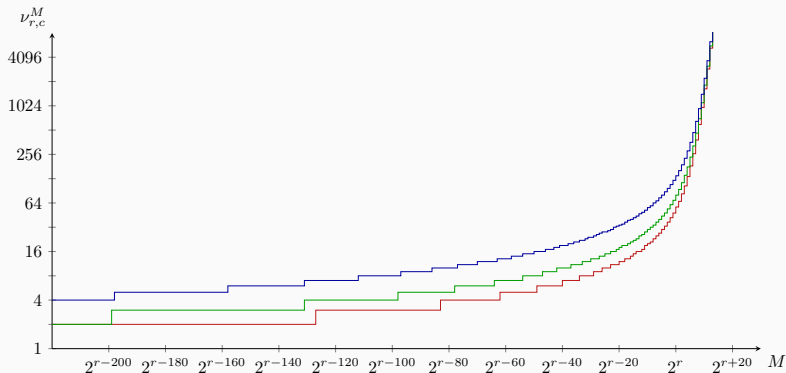
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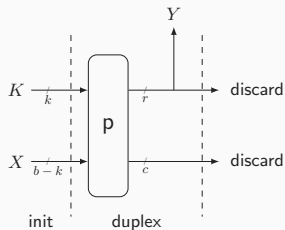
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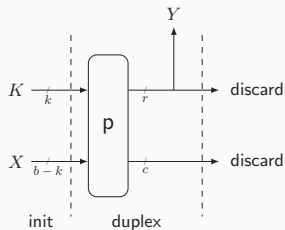
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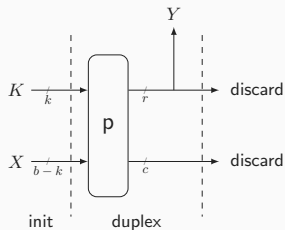
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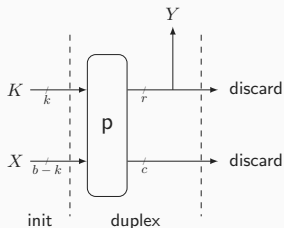
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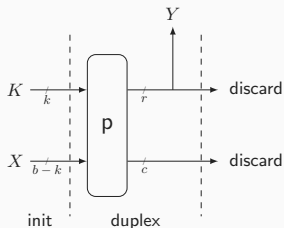
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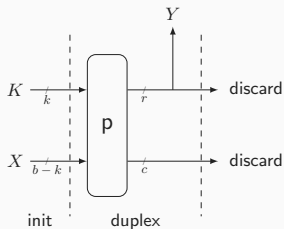
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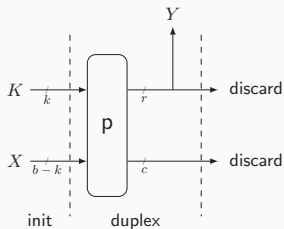
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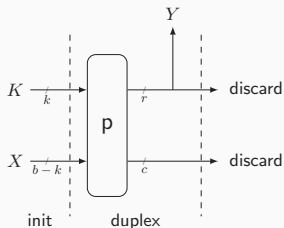
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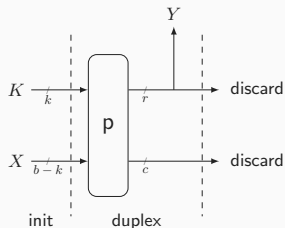
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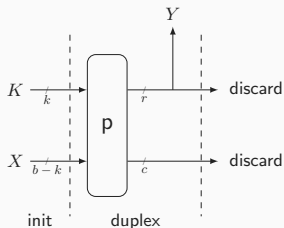
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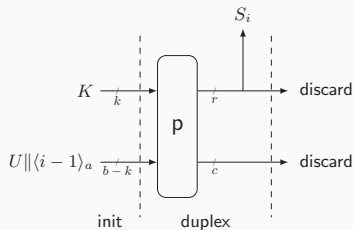
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Use Case 2: Parallel Keystream Generation

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- Input: key K , nonce U
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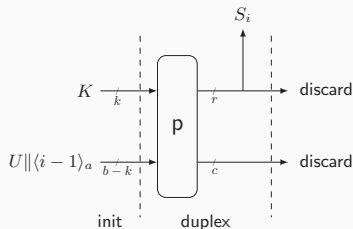
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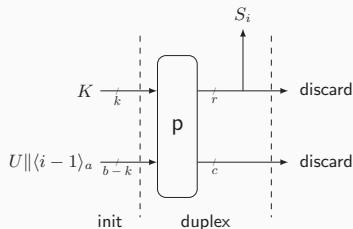
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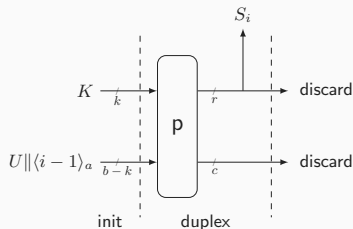
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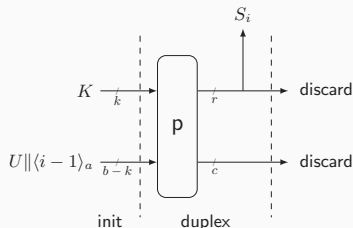
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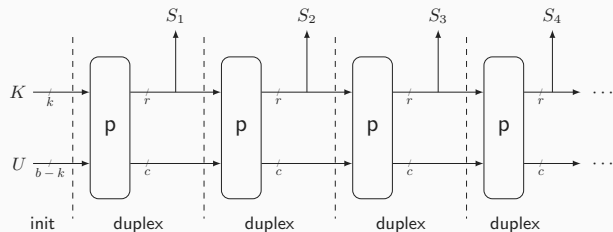
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Use Case 3: Sequential Keystream Generation

Sequential Keystream Generation



- Input: key K , nonce U
- Output: keystream S of requested length

Algorithm Sequential keystream generation S-SC[p]

Input: $(K, U, \ell) \in \{0, 1\}^k \times \{0, 1\}^{b-k} \times \mathbb{N}$

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Underlying keyed duplex: $\text{KD}[p]_{(K)}$

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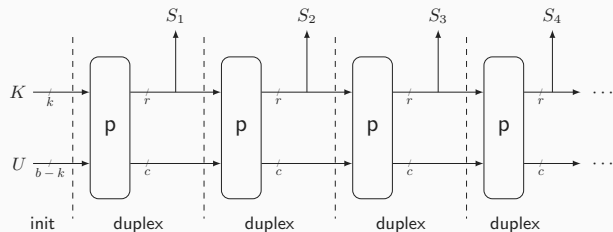
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Sequential Keystream Generation



- Input: key K , nonce U
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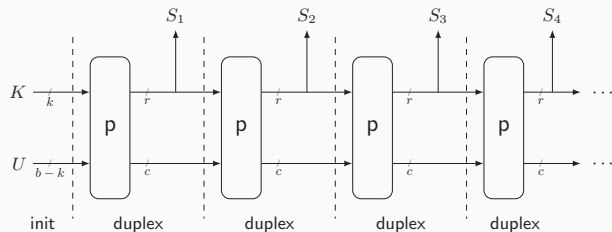
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Sequential Keystream Generation



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 - Resources of D' slightly differ

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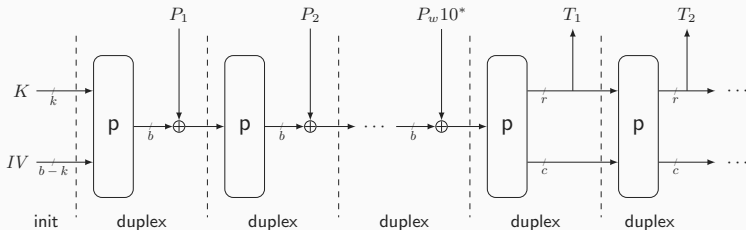
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From [DMV17] (in single-user setting):

$$\text{Adv}_{\text{KD}}(D') \leq \frac{2\nu_{r,c}^{2\sigma}(N+1)}{2^c} + \frac{(\sigma-q)q}{2^{b-q}} + \frac{2\binom{\sigma}{2}}{2^b} + \frac{q(\sigma-q)}{2^{\min\{c+k,b\}}} + \frac{N}{2^k}$$

Use Case 4: Message Authentication

Full-State Keyed Sponge [BDPV12]



- Input: key K , initial value IV , message P
- Output: tag T

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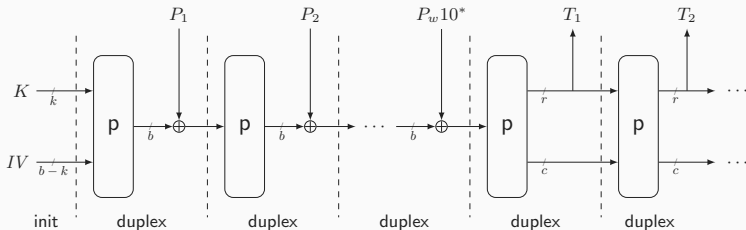
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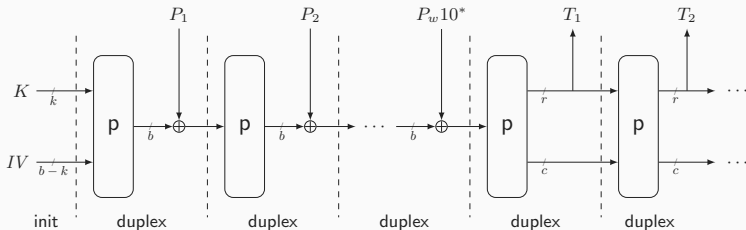
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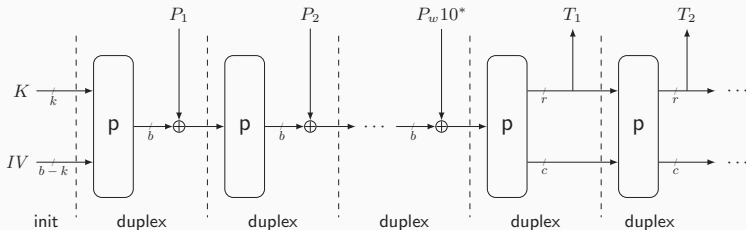
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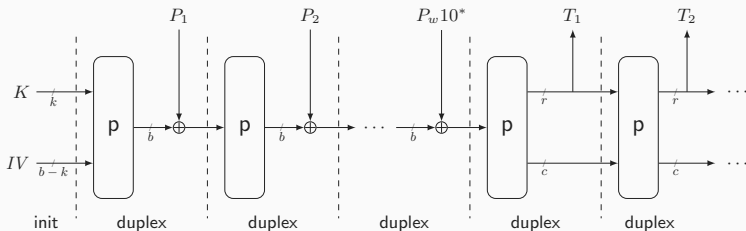
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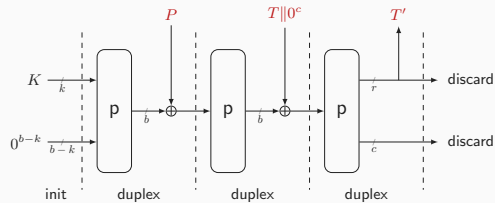
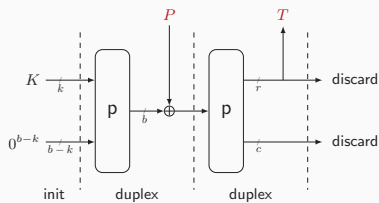
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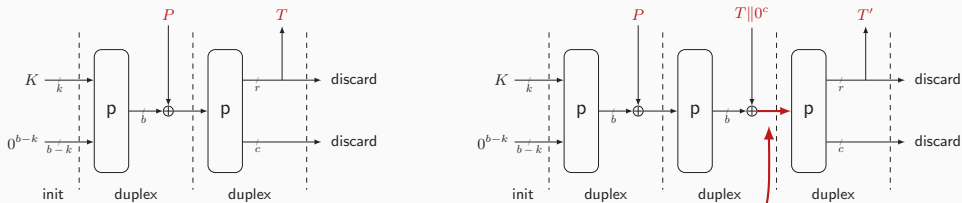
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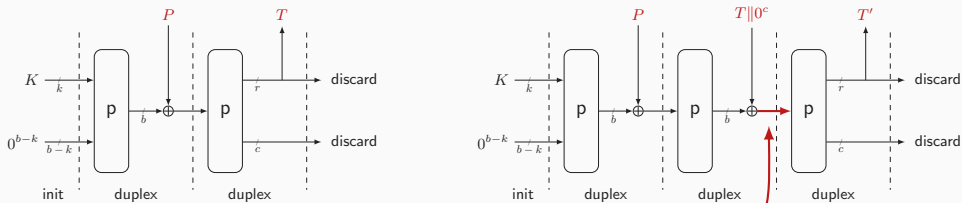
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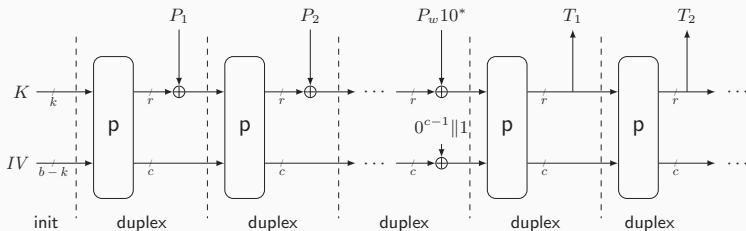
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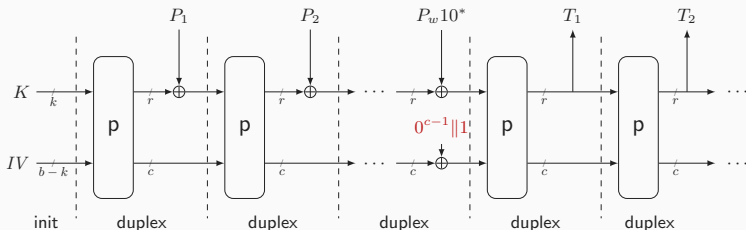
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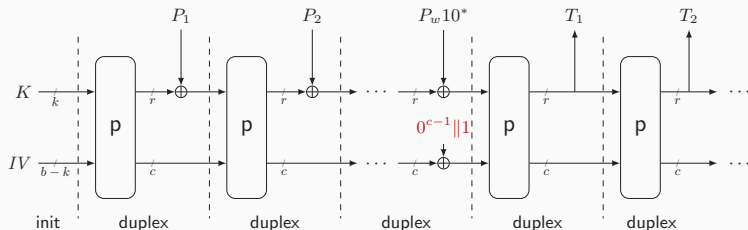
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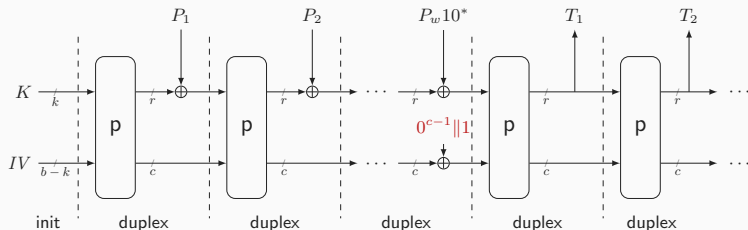
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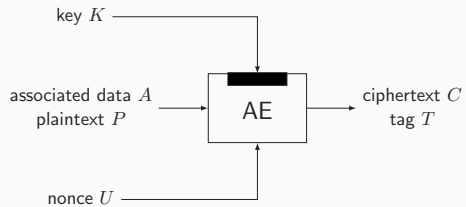
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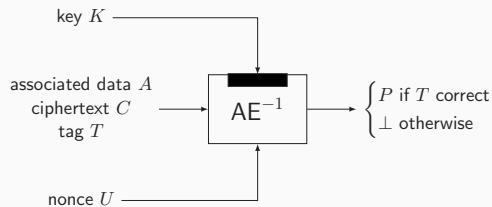
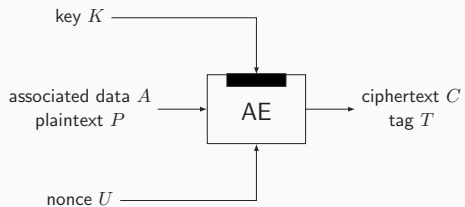
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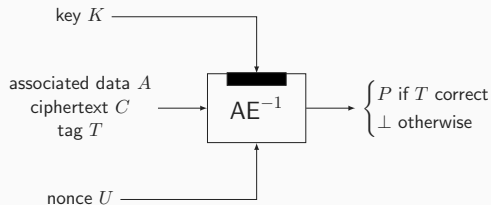
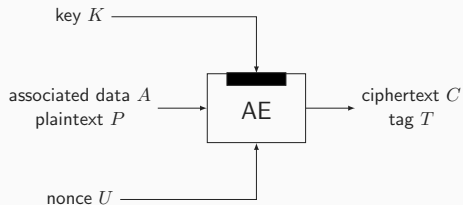
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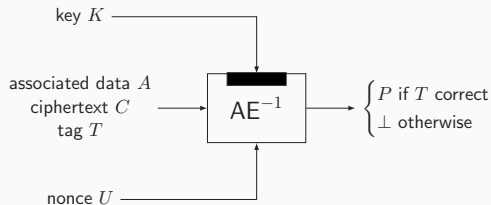
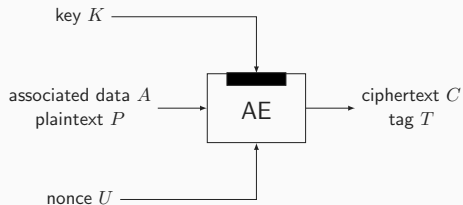
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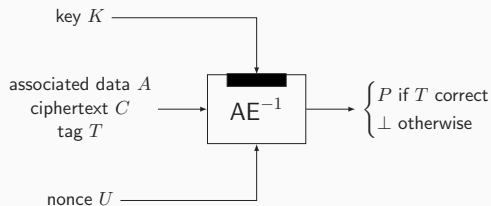
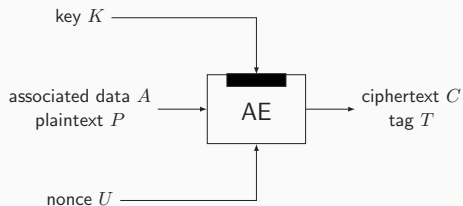
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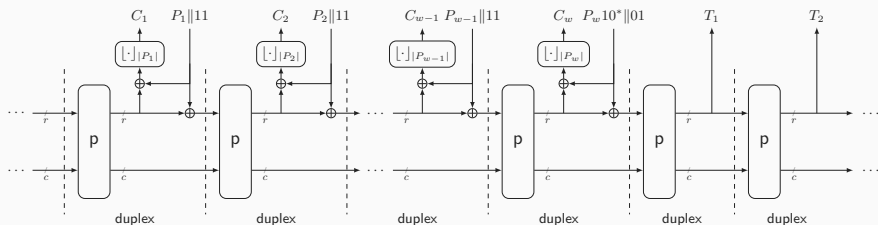
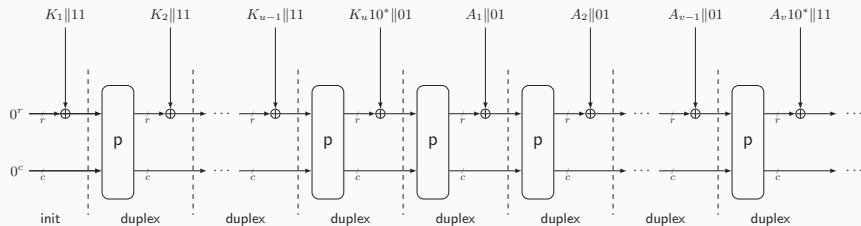
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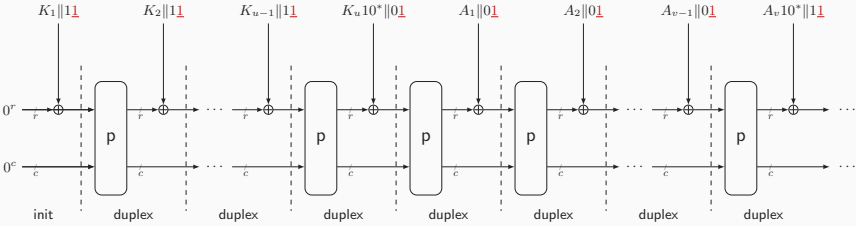
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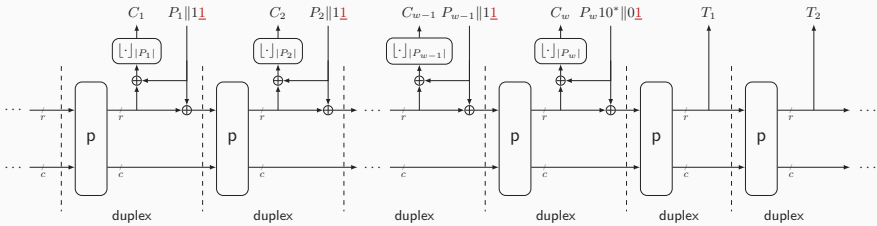
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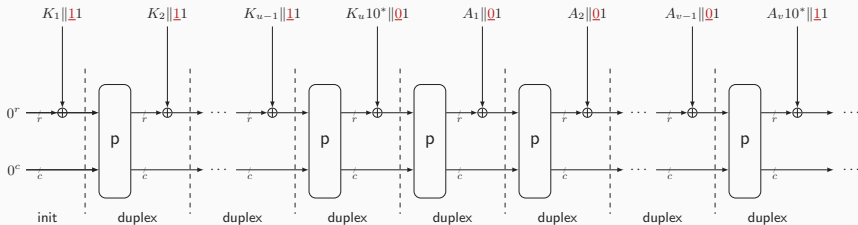
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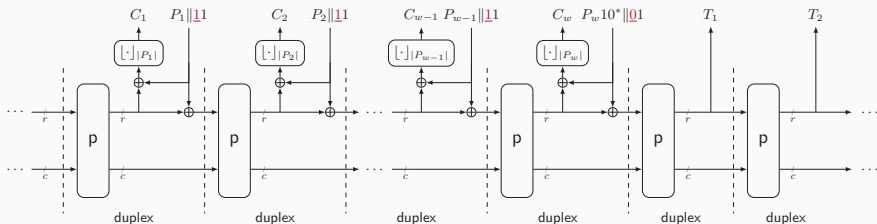
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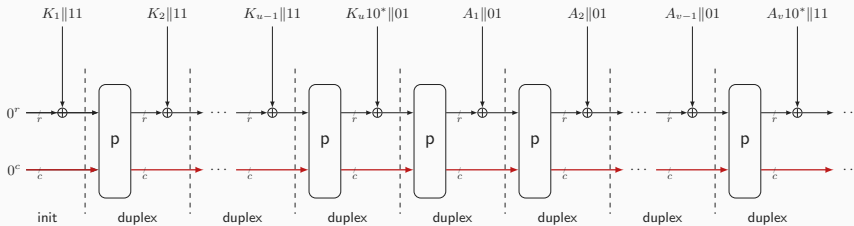
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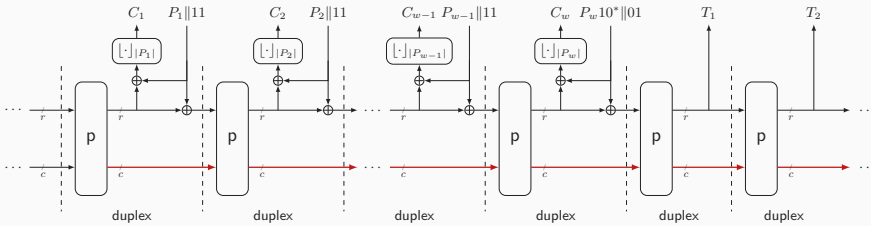
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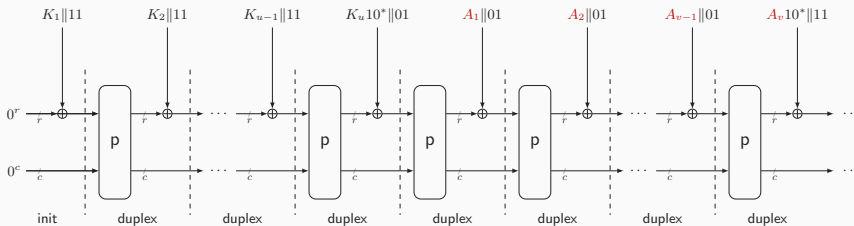
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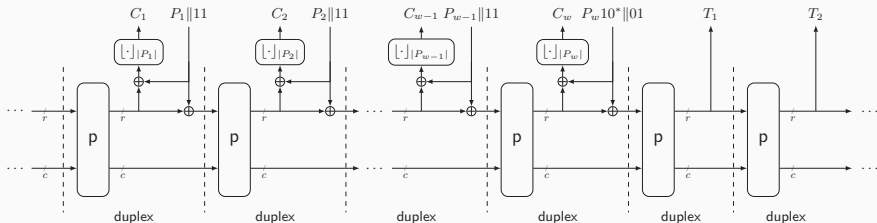
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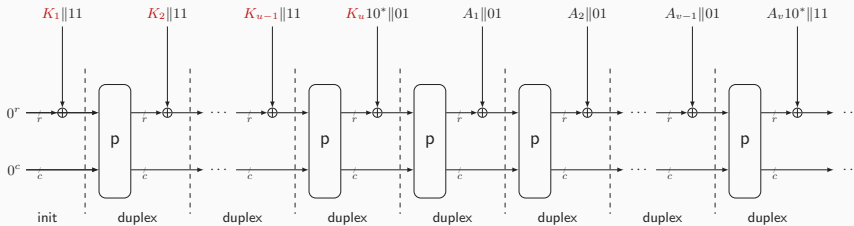
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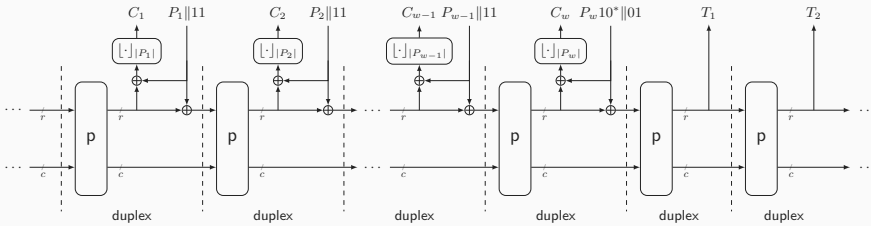
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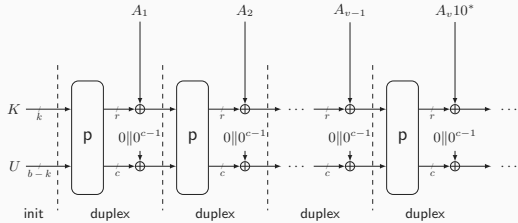
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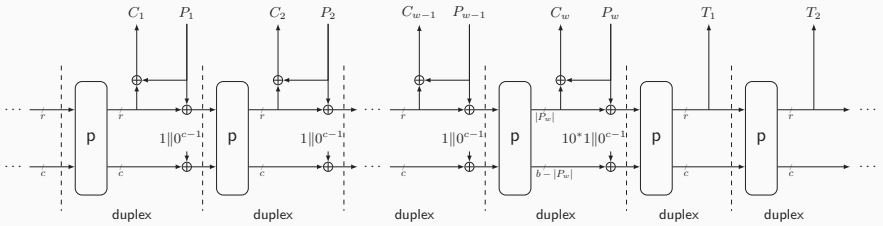
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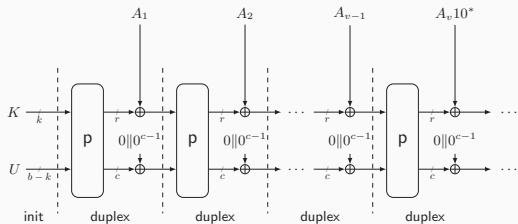
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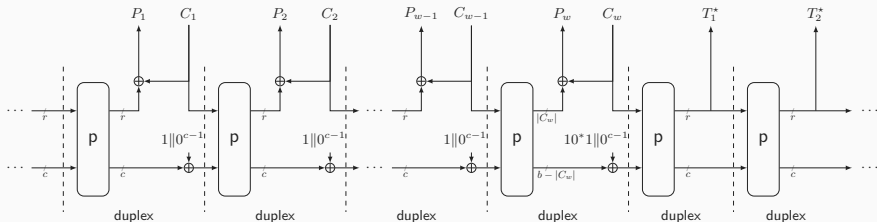
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- Cleaned-up and synchronized domain separation
- Spill-over into inner part
- Used in Xoodyak and Gimli (a.o.)



MonkeySpongeWrap: Decryption



- Decryption similar to encryption
- Notable difference:
 - Processing of C
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MonkeySpongeWrap: Algorithm

Algorithm MonkeySpongeWrap[p]: ENC

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