

CPA Security, Continued

CS/ECE 407

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Today's objectives

Recall notion of CPA security

Discuss difference between sampling with/
without replacement

Construct CPA-secure schemes

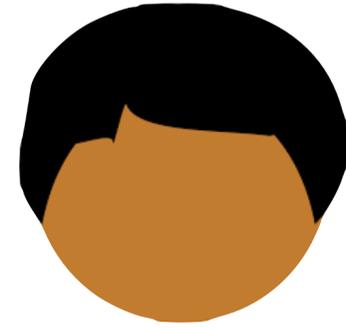
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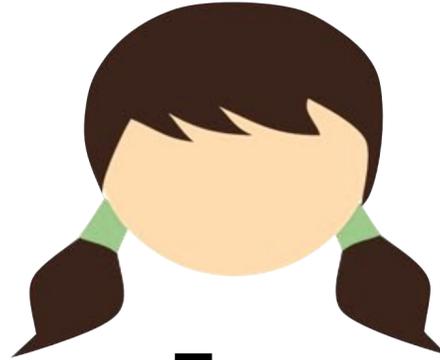
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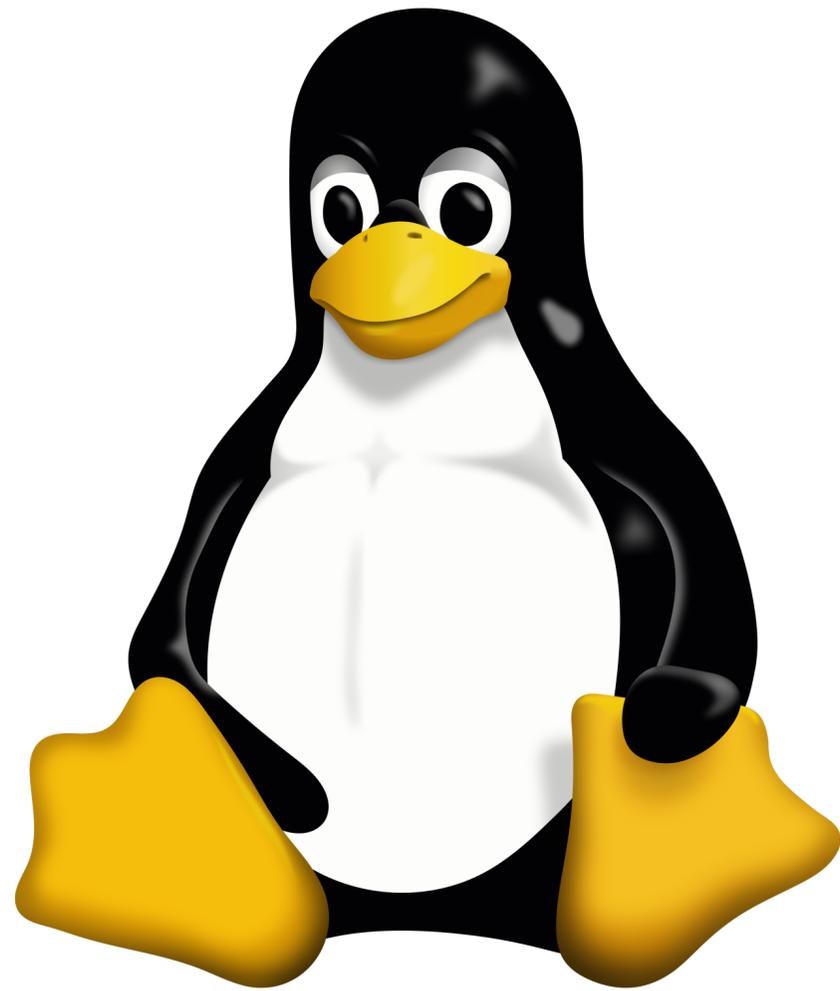
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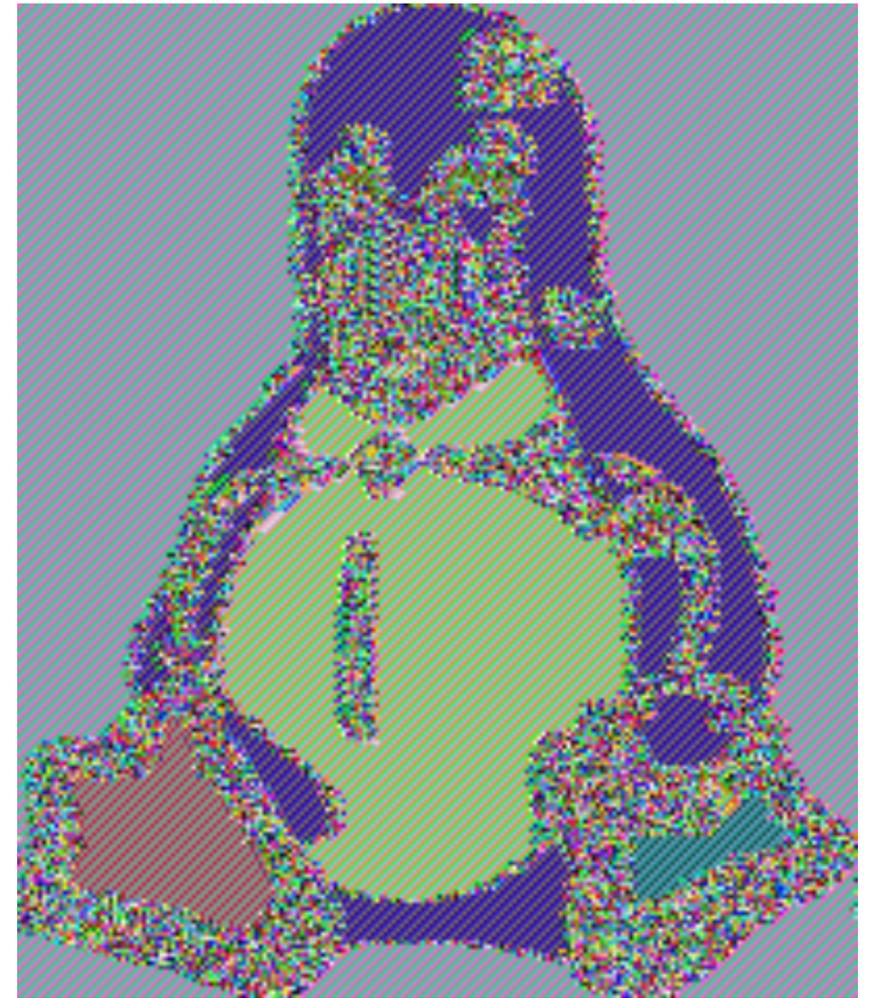
Eve

Deterministic Encryption

A cipher (Enc, Dec) is **deterministic** if calling $Enc(k, m)$ on the same inputs twice always produces the same output



“Good” encryption



**Naive use of one-time
semantically-secure
encryption**

A cipher (Enc, Dec) has **ciphertext indistinguishability against a chosen plaintext attack (CPA)** if:

Let $Enc_L(k, m_0, m_1) = Enc(k, m_0)$

Let $Enc_R(k, m_0, m_1) = Enc(k, m_1)$

Where m_0, m_1 are of the same length

$$\left\{ Enc_L(k, \cdot, \cdot) \mid k \leftarrow K \right\} \approx \left\{ Enc_R(k, \cdot, \cdot) \mid k \leftarrow K \right\}$$

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$$\{ \mathit{Enc}(k, \cdot) \mid k \leftarrow K \} \approx \mathit{Samp}(\cdot)$$

Deterministic encryption does not work — what now?

Randomized:

Cipher samples randomness for each encryption

Statefulness:

Cipher keeps internal state to ensure encryptions are different

Nonce-based:

Alice and Bob pass extra “use-once” values to the Enc/Dec function (basically, Alice and Bob maintain a state on behalf of the cipher)

$$F : \{0,1\}^\lambda \times \{0,1\}^n \rightarrow \{0,1\}^m$$

F is called a **pseudorandom function family** if the following indistinguishability holds:

$$\left\{ F(k, \cdot) \mid k \leftarrow \{0,1\}^\lambda \right\} \approx \left\{ f \mid f \leftarrow \text{uniform function from } \{0,1\}^n \rightarrow \{0,1\}^m \right\}$$

Uniformly sampling k “emulates” a huge random table

Randomized CPA-Secure Encryption

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Dec(k, (c₀, r)):

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Assume $q \leq \sqrt{2N}$. Then:

$$0.632 \frac{q(q-1)}{2N} \leq \textit{Birthday}(q, N) \leq \frac{q(q-1)}{2N}$$

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Note that $\sqrt{2N} = \sqrt{2 \cdot 2^\lambda} = 2^{(\lambda+1)/2}$, which is exponential.
Therefore no polytime adversary can issue $\sqrt{2N}$ queries, so we can apply the bound

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Stateful CPA-Secure Encryption

Enc(k, m):

global counter $\leftarrow 0$

$c_0 \leftarrow F(k, \text{counter}) \oplus m$

$c \leftarrow (c_0, \text{counter})$

counter $\leftarrow \text{counter} + 1$

return c

Dec($k, (c_0, \text{counter})$):

return $F(k, \text{counter}) \oplus c_0$

Nonce-based CPA-Secure Encryption

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Enc(k, nonce, m):  
  c0 ← F(k, nonce) ⊕ m  
  c ← (c0, nonce)  
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Dec(k, (c0, nonce)):  
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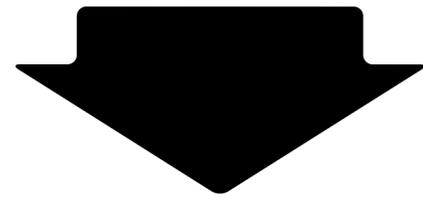
Requires changing slightly the definition of CPA security:

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Nonce — “number used once”

Nonce-based definition requires slight change to CPA security definition

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EncL(k, m0, m1):  
  return Enc(k, m0)
```



```
EncL(k, nonce, m0, m1):  
  global S ← empty-set  
  if nonce in S: return "FAIL"  
  else:  
    S ← S ∪ { nonce }  
  return Enc(k, nonce, m0)
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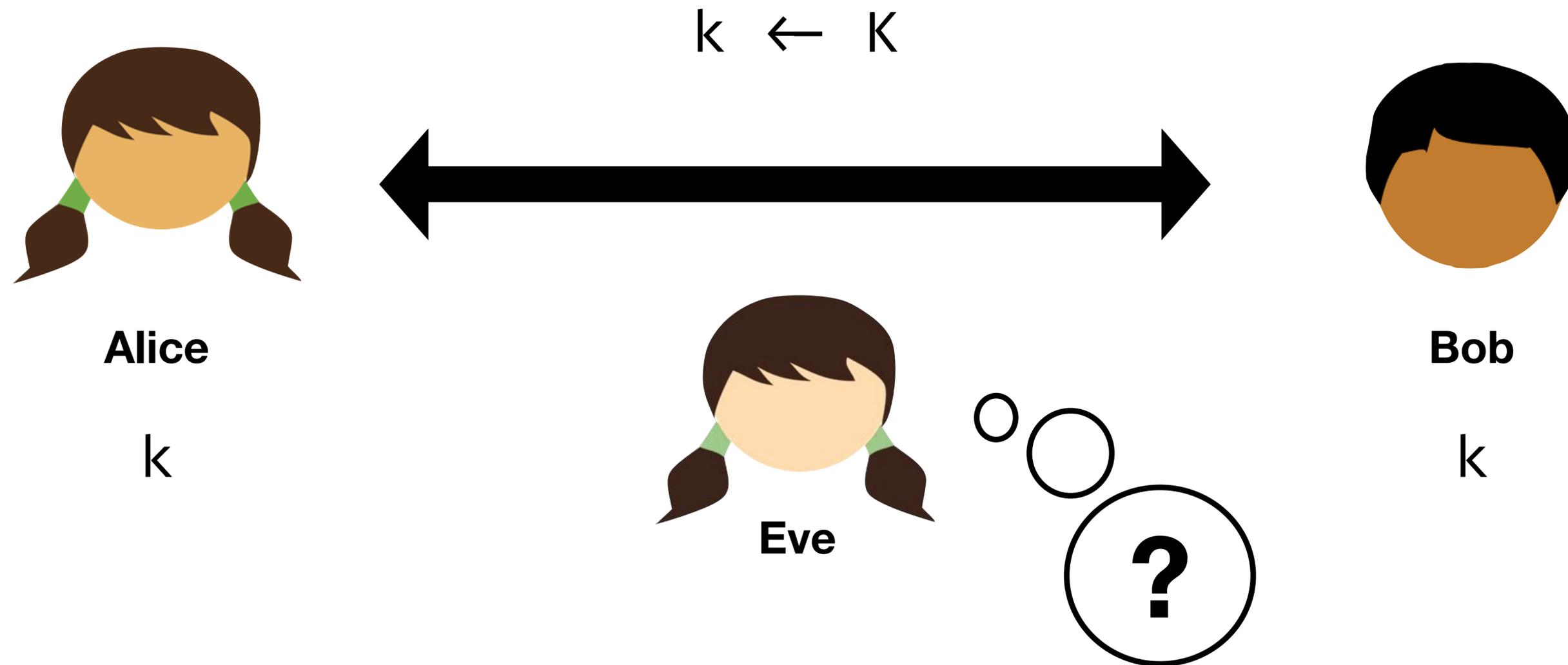
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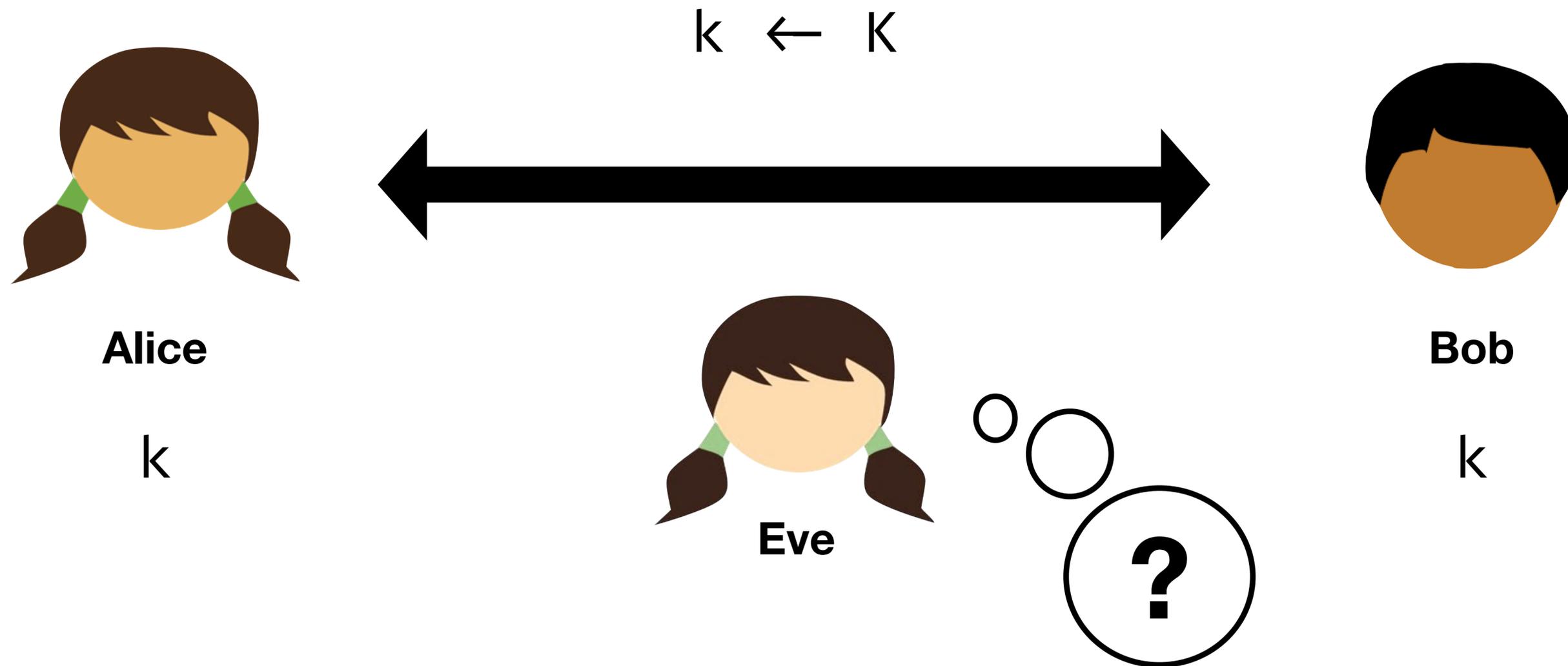
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If F is indeed a PRF, and Alice and Bob have a shared key k , they can indeed communicate essentially without limit in the presence of passive Eve



Next steps:

Efficiency for long messages — “block cipher modes”

Authenticity

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