

# Introduction to theoretical quantum CRYPTOGRAPHY

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## Classical Cryptography

# (1.1) Information Theoretical Cryptography

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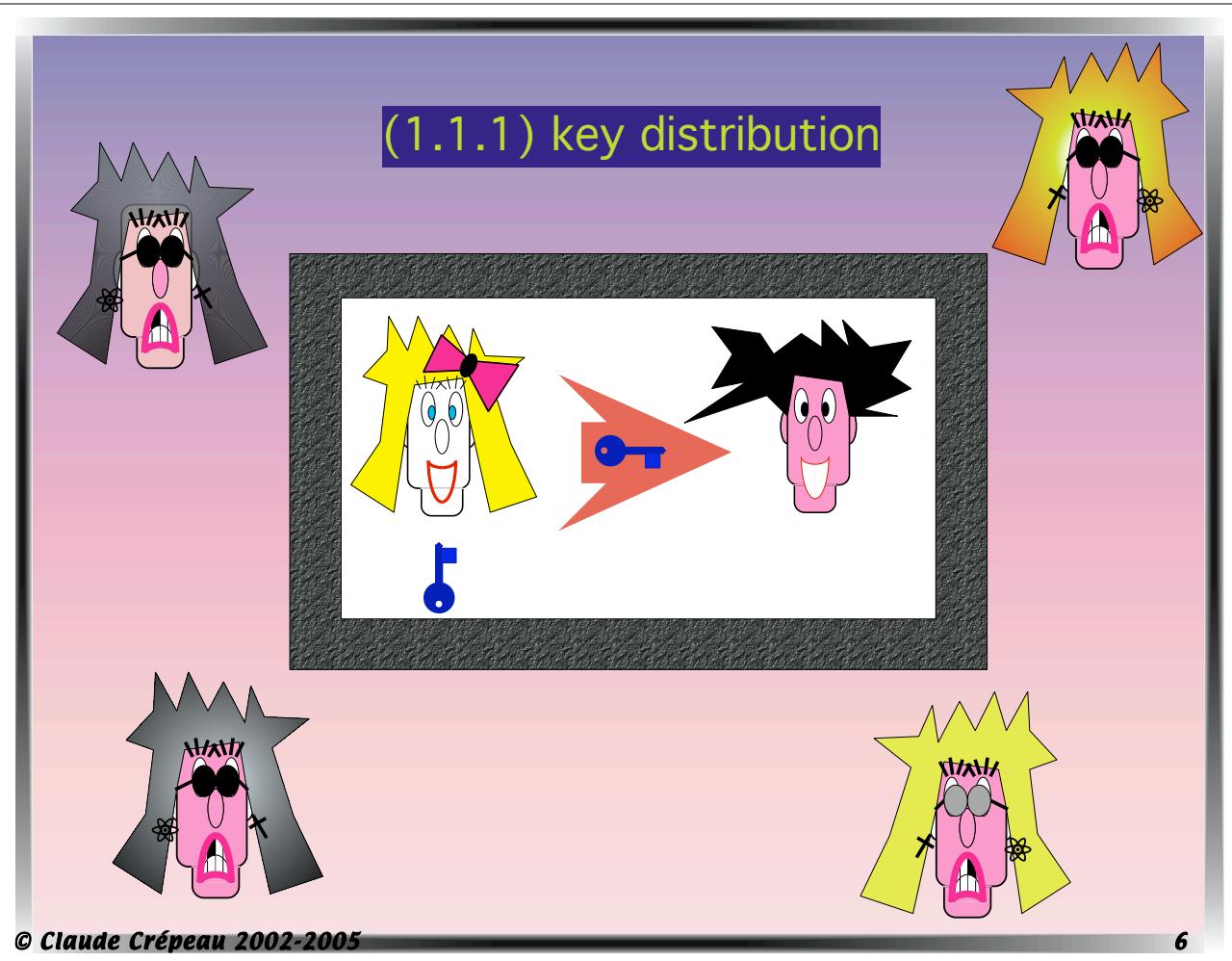
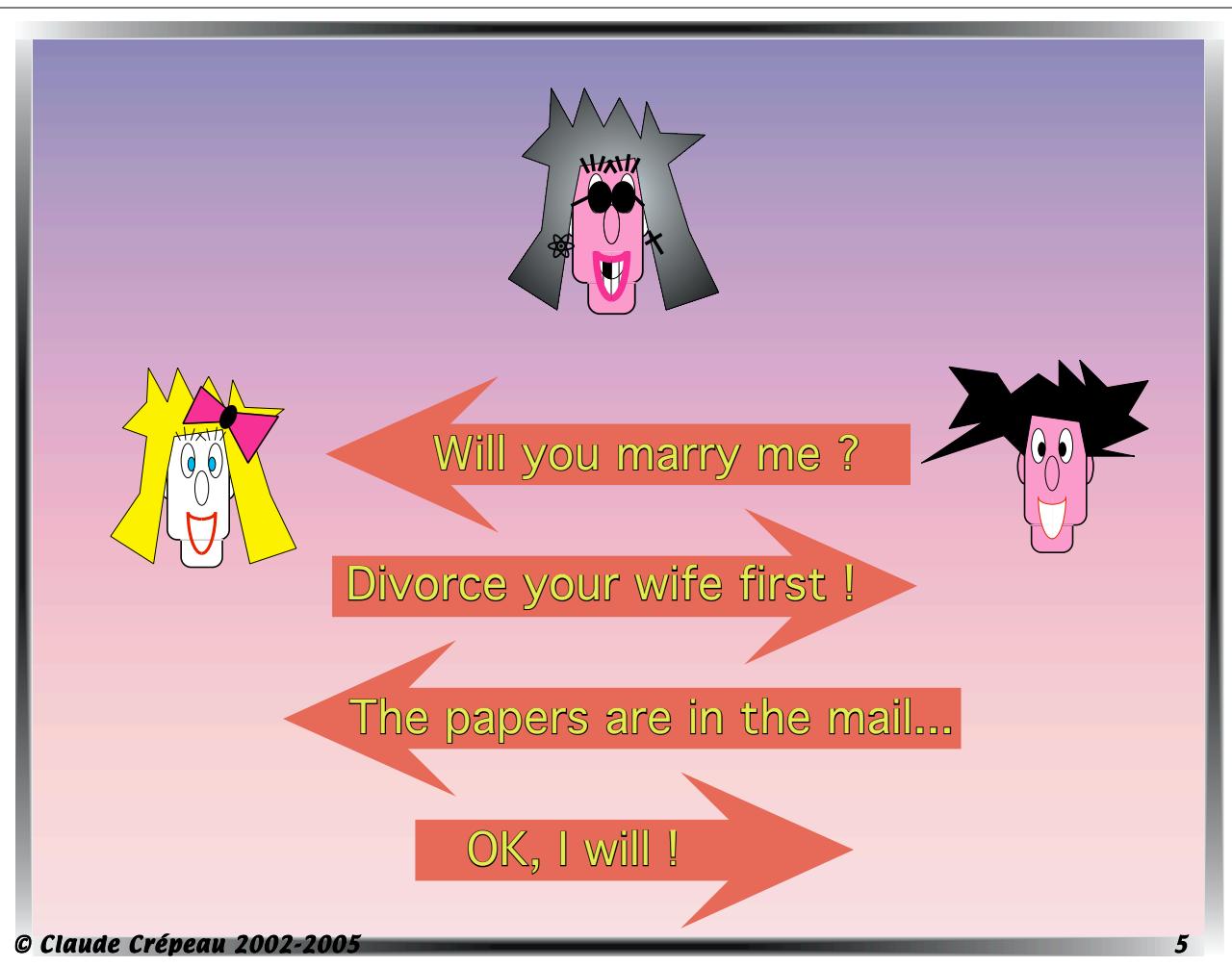


**(1.1.1) key distribution**

**(1.1.2) Encryption**

**(1.1.3) Authentication**

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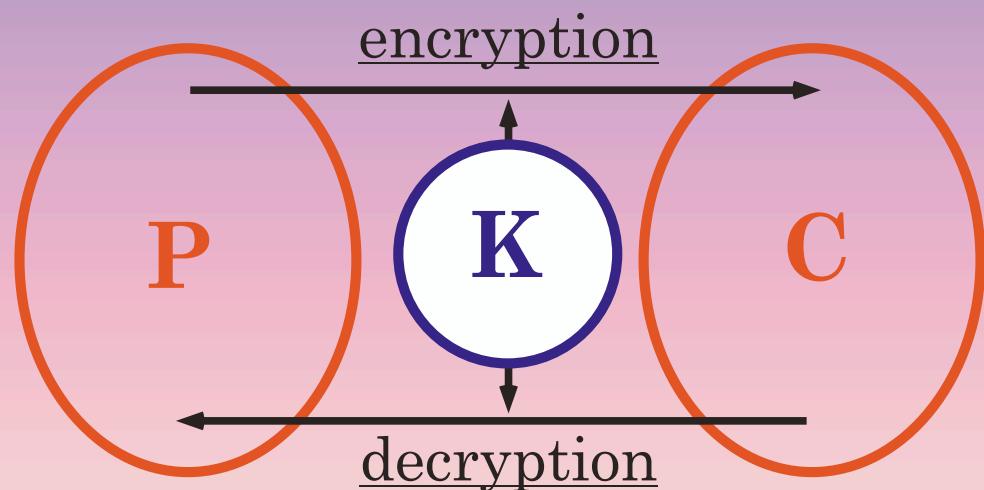
## (1.1.2) Encryption



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## symmetric encryption



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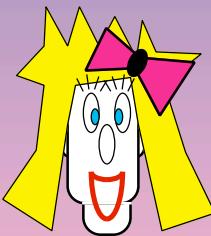
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# Vernam's One-Time-Pad

$$m \oplus k = c$$

1	1	0
0	1	1
1	1	0
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0	0	0
1	1	0
0	1	1
0	0	0
1	1	0
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1	1	0



$$c \oplus k = m$$

0	1	1
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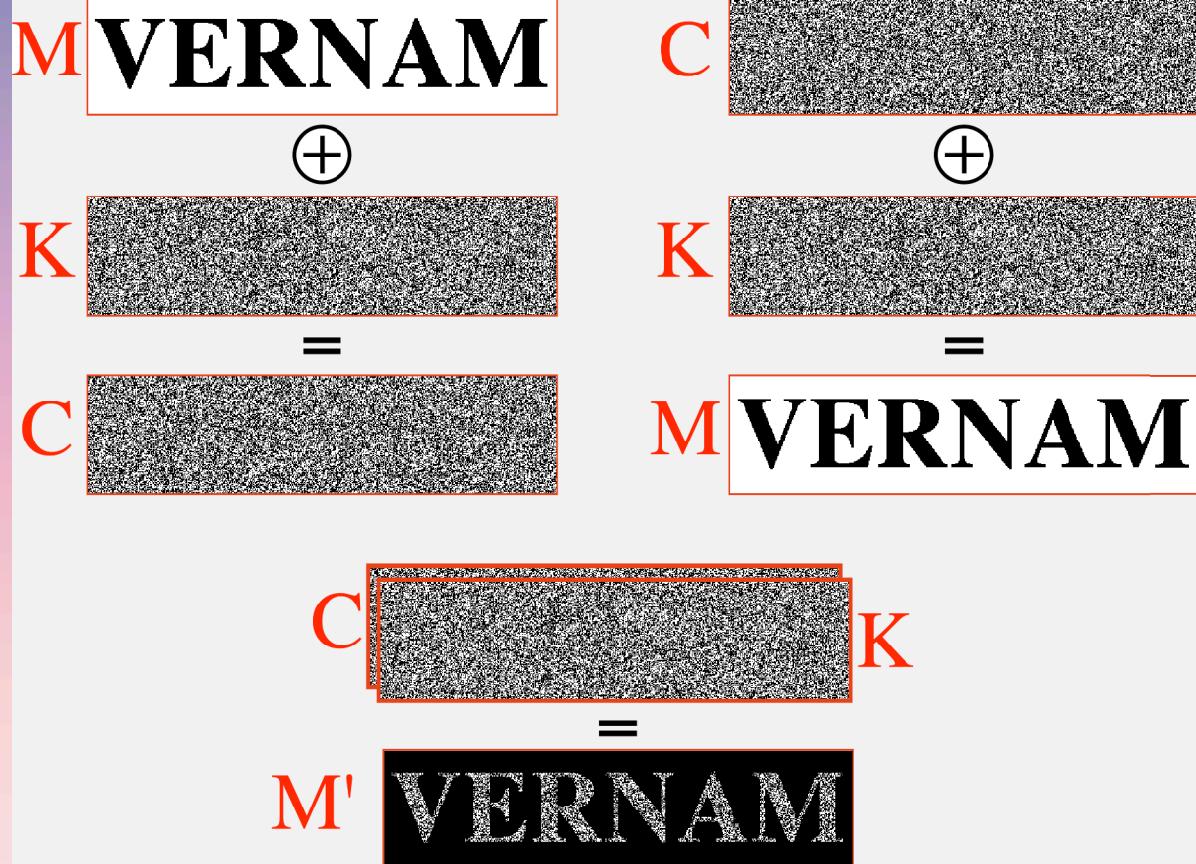


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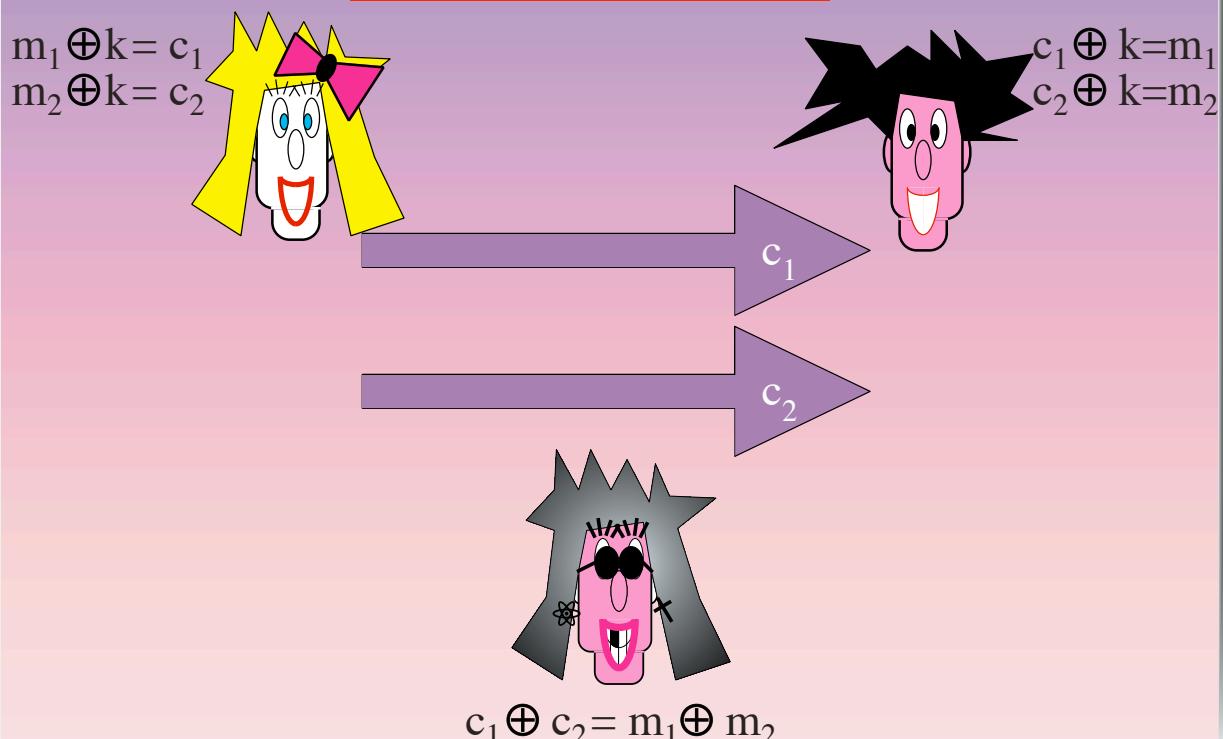


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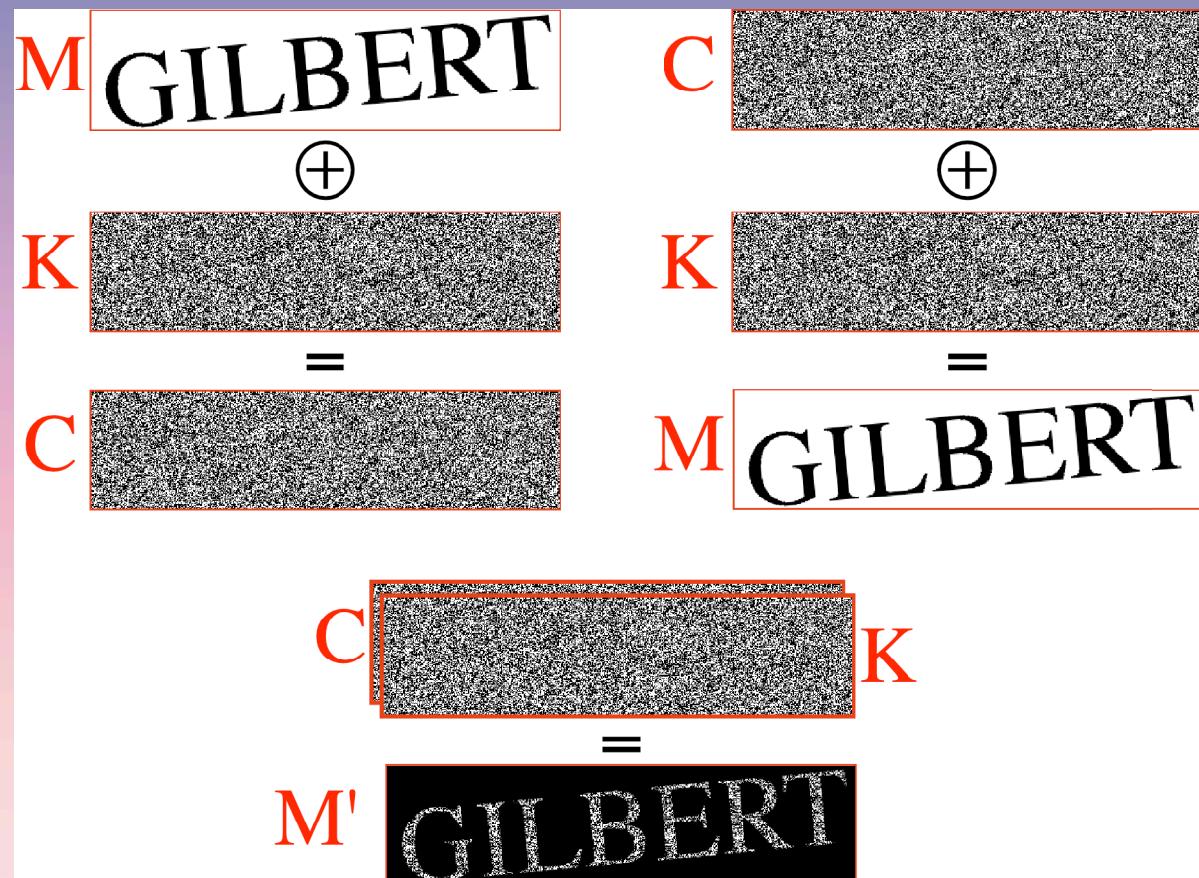
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DEMO



## Vernam's One-Time-Pad



# VISUAL DEMO



# VISUAL DEMO

$M_0$  **VERNAM**

$\oplus$

$M_1$  **GILBERT**

=

**X** **VERBNEAM**

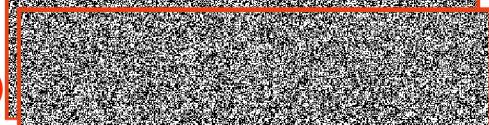
$C_0$  

$\oplus$

$C_1$  

=

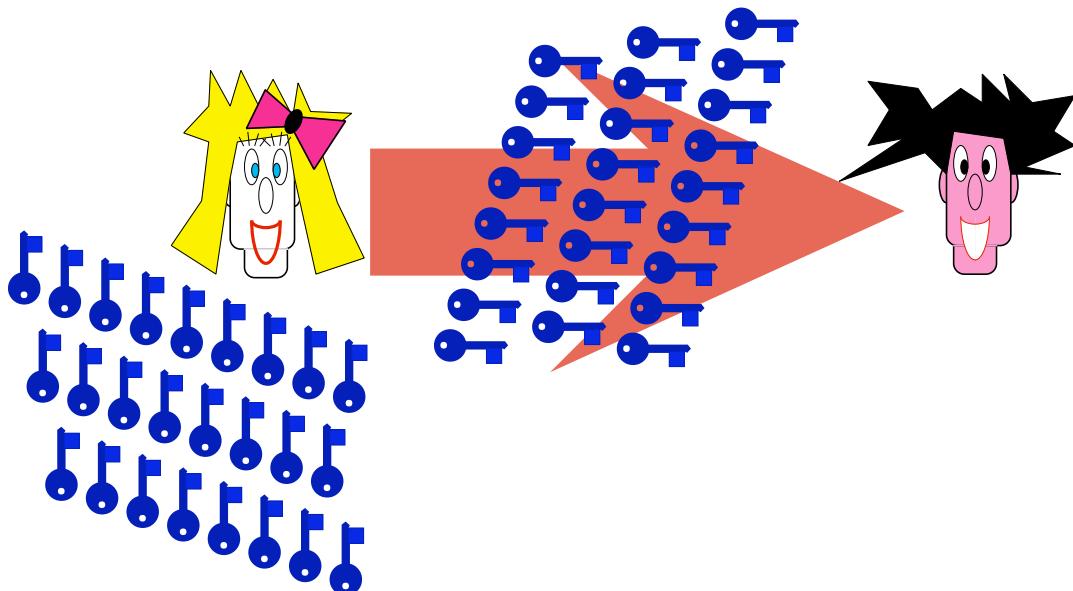
**X** **VERBNEAM**

$C_0$    $C_1$

=

**X'** **VERBNEAM**

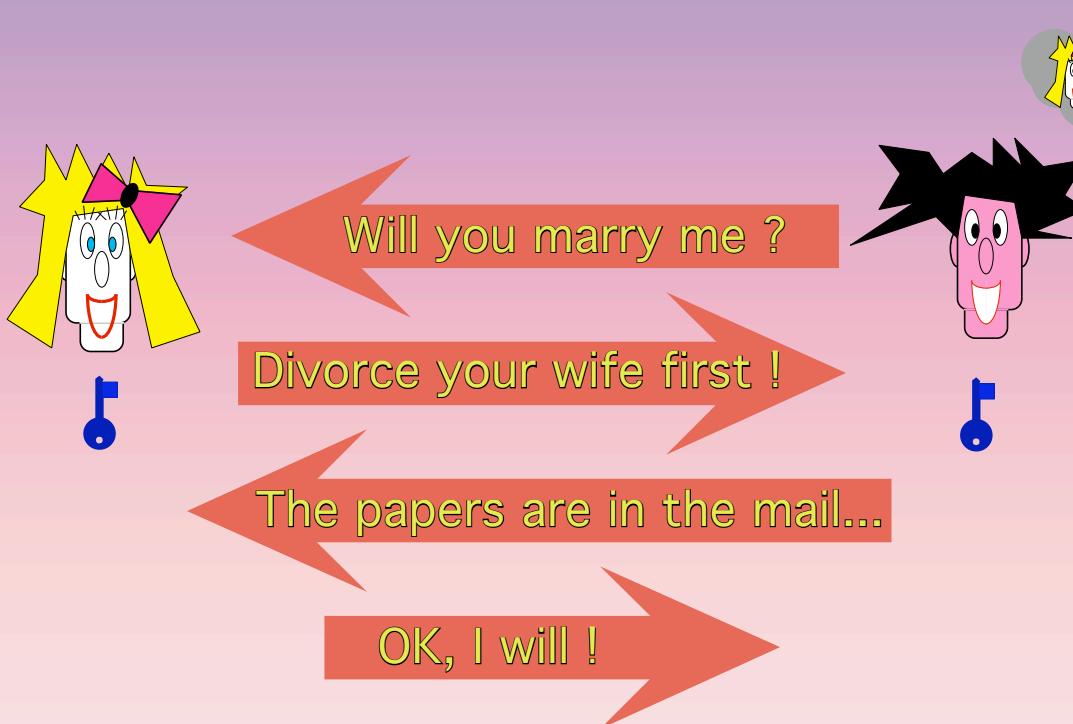
## (1.1.1) key distribution PROBLEM



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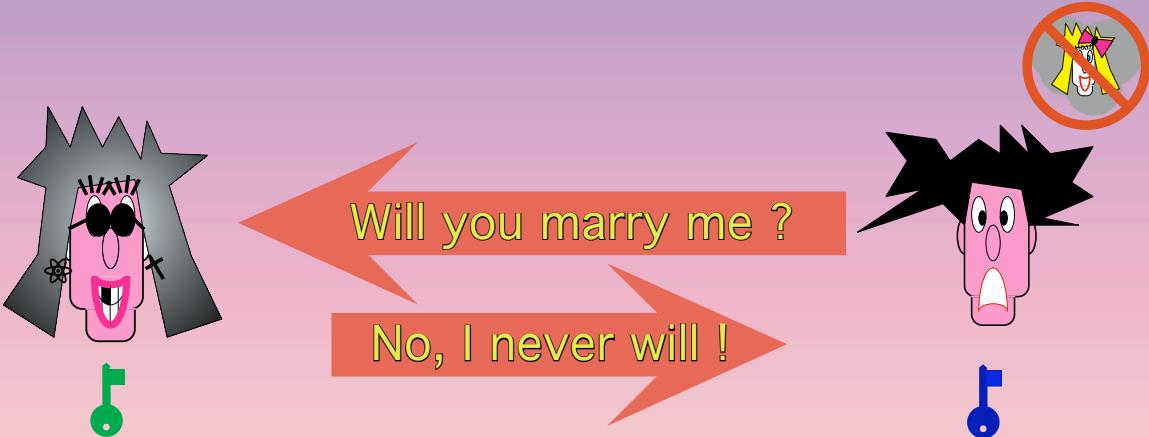
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## (1.1.3) Authentication

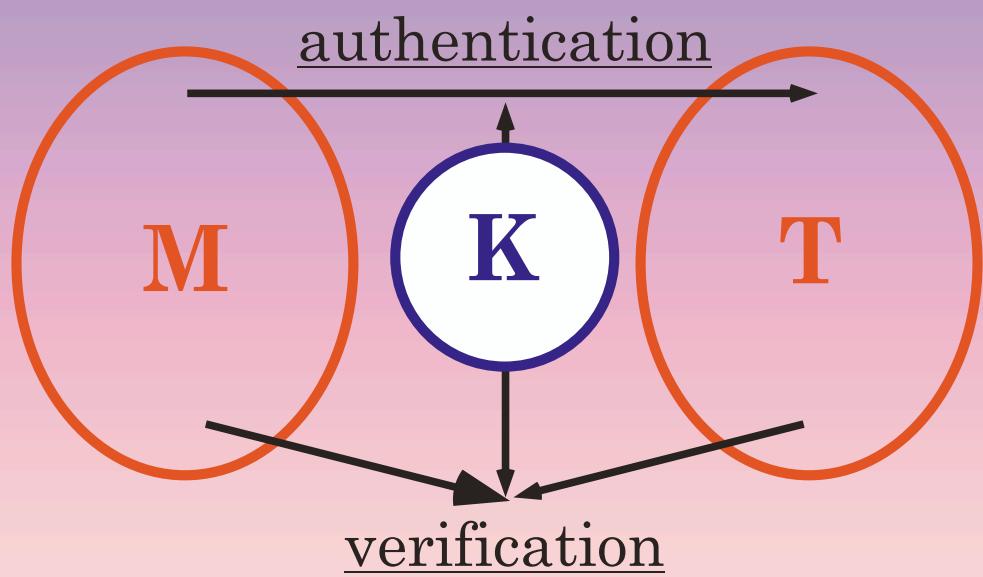


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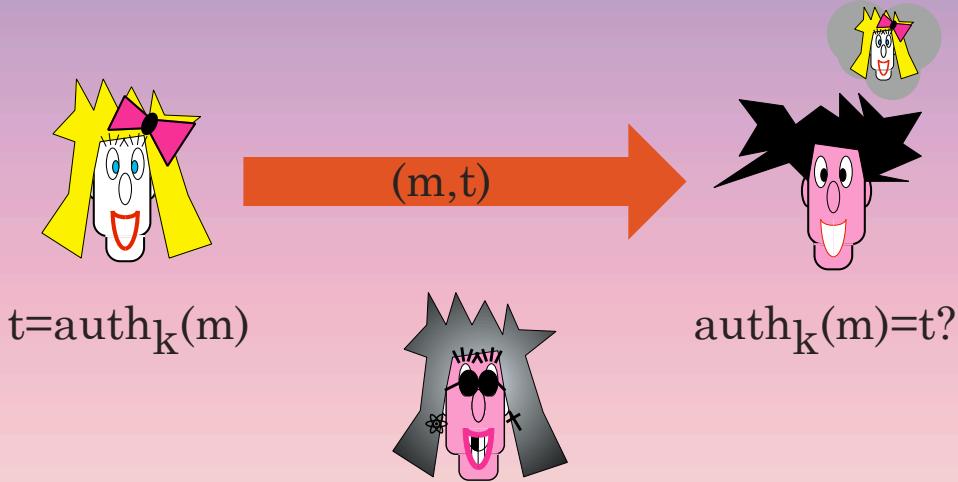


### symmetric authentication



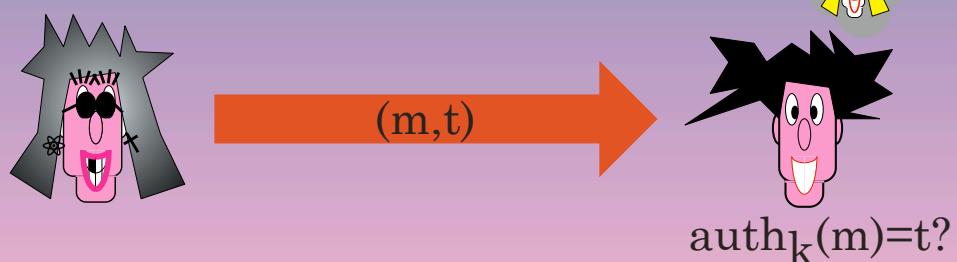
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## Authentication

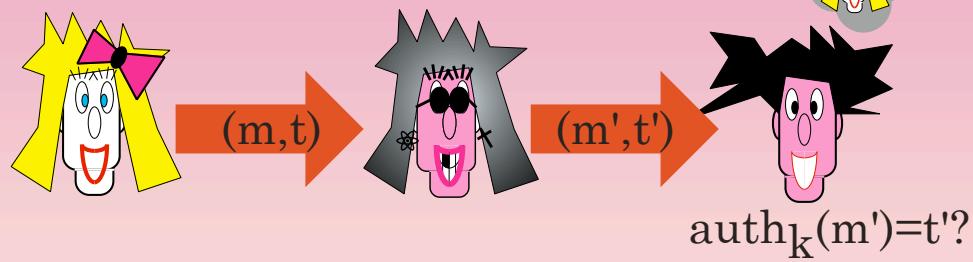


## Information Theoretical Security

## Impersonation



## Substitution



## Information Theoretical Security

# WC One-Time-Authentication

$$\text{auth}_{\mathbf{M}, b}(x) = \mathbf{M}x \oplus b$$

$$|x| = n, |\mathbf{M}| = n \cdot n', |b| = n'$$

$$\forall m \in M, \forall t \in T$$

$$\Pr(\text{auth}_{\mathbf{M}, b}(m) = t) = 1/|T| = 1/2^{n'}$$

$$\forall m \neq m' \in M, \forall t, t' \in T$$

$$\Pr(\text{auth}_{\mathbf{M}, b}(m') = t' \mid \text{auth}_{\mathbf{M}, b}(m) = t) = 1/|T| = 1/2^{n'}$$

# WC One-Time-Authentication and (linear) error correction

$$\text{auth}_{\mathbf{M}, b}(x) = \mathbf{M}x \oplus b$$

$$[\mathbf{I}: \mathbf{M}]m \oplus [0:b] = [m:t]$$

$G = [\mathbf{I}: \mathbf{M}]$  (systematic) generating matrix  
of error correcting code

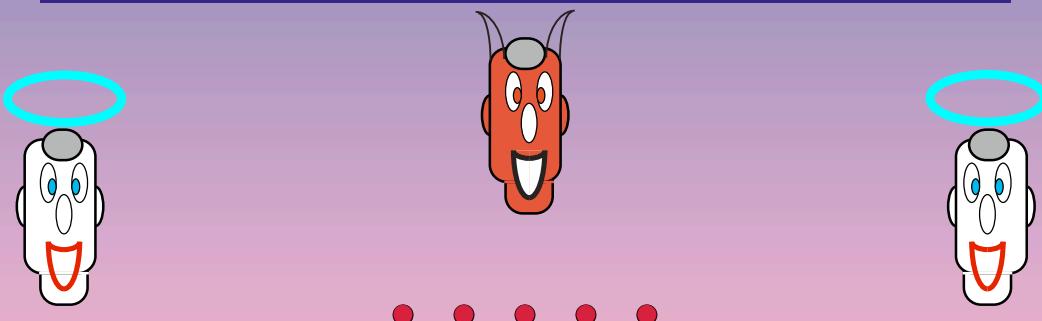
[0:b] error pattern = one-time pad  
encryption of tag

[m:t] systematic form of (message,tag)

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## Complexity Theoretical Cryptography

### (1.2) Complexity Theoretical Cryptography

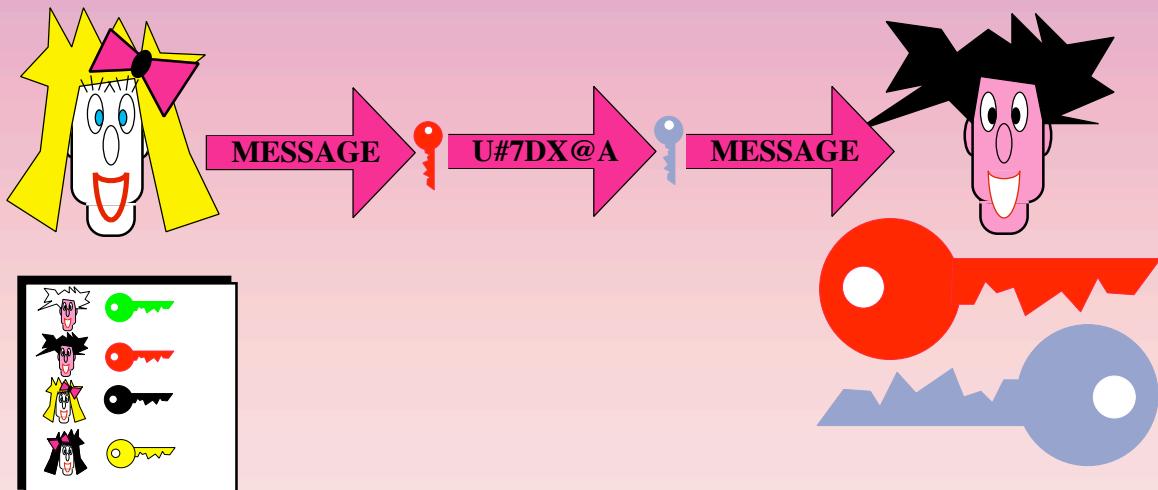


**(1.2.1) Public key cryptosystem**

**(1.2.2) Digital signature scheme**



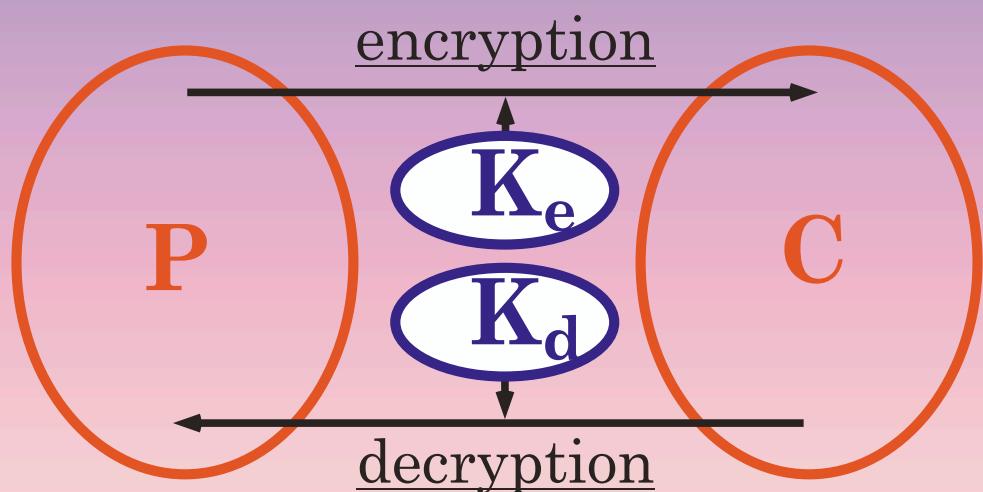
### (1.2.1) Public key cryptosystem



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### asymmetric encryption (public-key cryptography)



### Complexity Theoretical Security

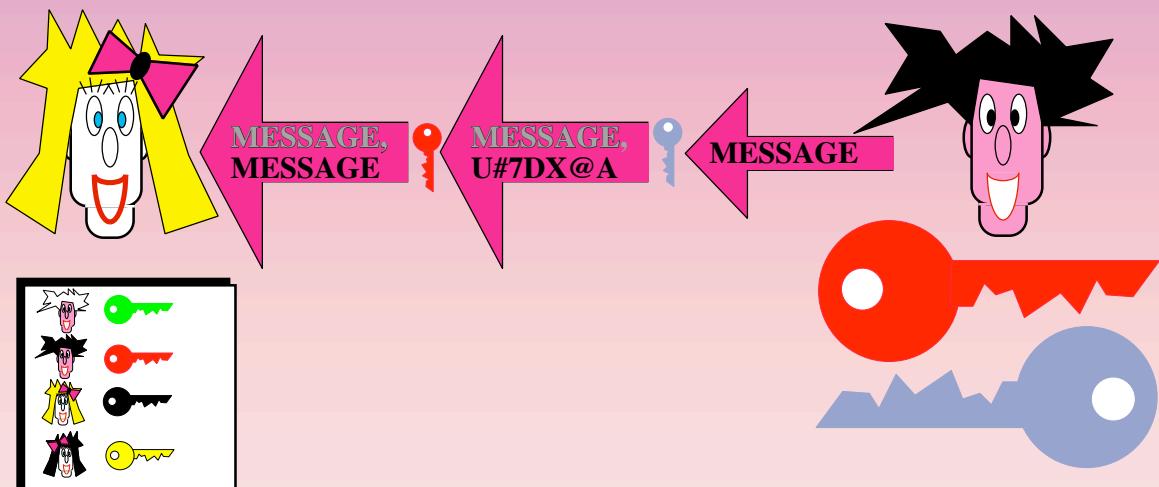
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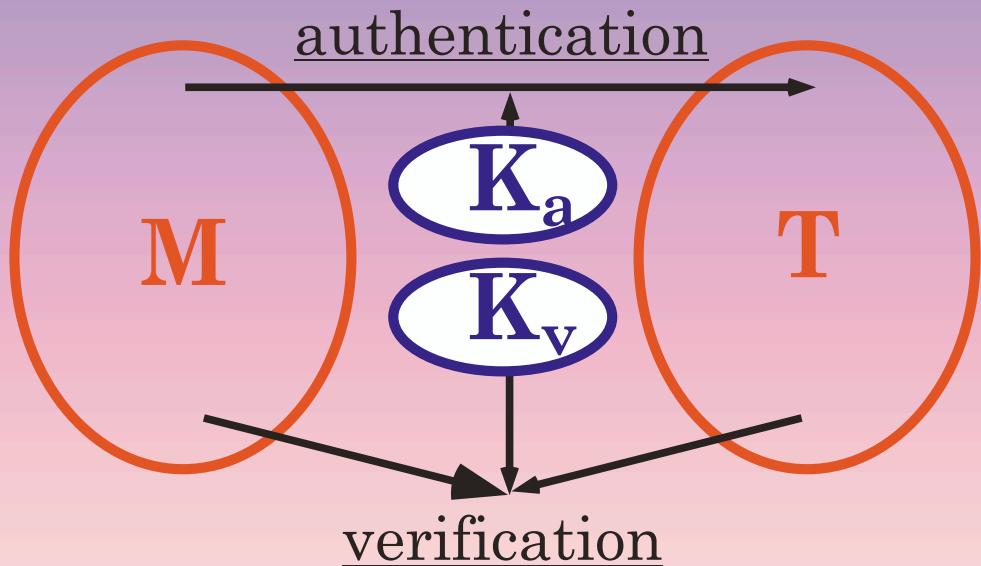
# RSA public-key cryptosystem

- $n = p * q$ , two large primes
- $e$  s.t.  $\gcd(e, (p-1)(q-1))=1$
- $d$  s.t.  $e^*d \equiv 1 \pmod{(p-1)(q-1)}$
- $K_e = (n, e)$ ,  $K_d = (n, d)$
- **encryption**  $E(m) = m^e \pmod{n}$
- **decryption**  $D(c) = c^d \pmod{n}$

## (1.2.2) Digital signature scheme



## asymmetric authentication (digital signature schemes)



### Complexity Theoretical Security

## RSA digital signature

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- $d$  s.t.  $e * d \equiv 1 \pmod{(p-1)(q-1)}$
- $K_a = (n, d)$ ,  $K_v = (n, e)$
- **authentication**  $A(m): m^d \pmod{n}$
- **verification**  $V(m, t): t^e \equiv m \pmod{n} ?$

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## Quantum Information & Computations

### Bits & QuBits

0:

1:

$$\theta = \cos\theta \text{ (horizontal)} + \sin\theta \text{ (vertical)}$$

$$|\Psi\rangle = C_0 \text{ (horizontal)} + C_1 \text{ (vertical)}$$

$$C_i, C_{ij} \in \mathbb{C}$$

00:

01:

10:

11:

$$|\Psi\rangle = C_{00} \text{ (two horizontal)} +$$

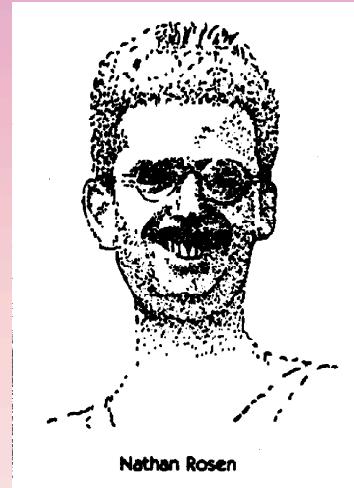
$$C_{01} \text{ (one horizontal, one vertical)} +$$

$$C_{10} \text{ (one vertical, one horizontal)} +$$

$$C_{11} \text{ (two vertical)}$$



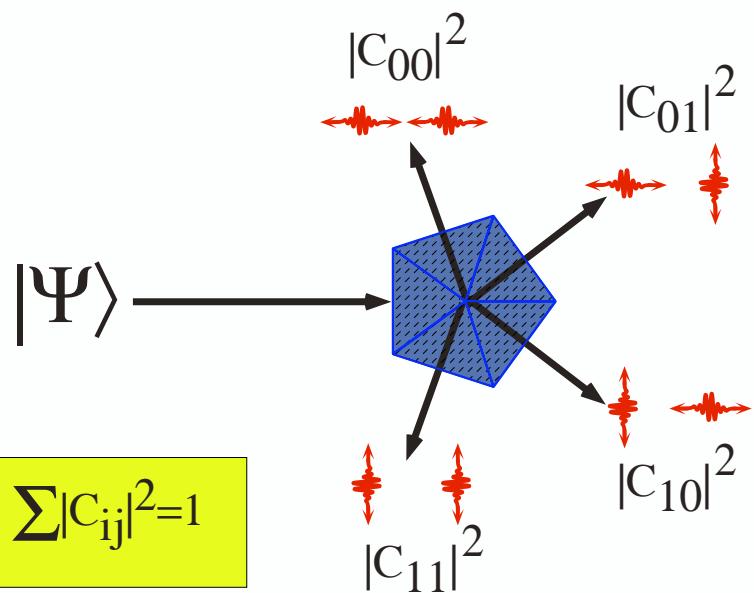
$$|\downarrow ?\rangle = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |\mathbf{01}\rangle - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} |\mathbf{10}\rangle$$



## EPR

## Quantum Measurements

$$|\Psi\rangle = C_{00} \xrightarrow{\text{red double arrow}} + C_{01} \xrightarrow{\text{red double arrow}} \xrightarrow{\uparrow} + C_{10} \xrightarrow{\uparrow} \xrightarrow{\text{red double arrow}} + C_{11} \xrightarrow{\uparrow} \xrightarrow{\uparrow}$$



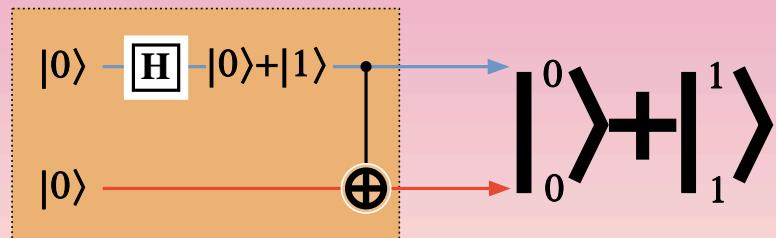
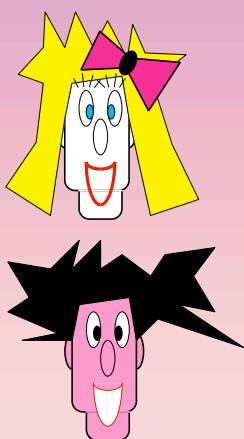
# Quantum Evolution: Unitary Operators

$$|\Psi\rangle \xrightarrow{U} |\Psi'\rangle$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{---} \xrightarrow{U} |\Psi_0\rangle \\ & \text{---} \xrightarrow{U} |\Psi_1\rangle \\ C_0 & \leftarrow \text{---} + C_1 \text{---} \xrightarrow{U} C_0|\Psi_0\rangle + C_1|\Psi_1\rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |0\rangle & \xrightarrow{H} |0\rangle + |1\rangle \\ |1\rangle & \xrightarrow{H} |0\rangle - |1\rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |x\rangle & \xrightarrow{\quad} |x\rangle \\ |y\rangle & \xrightarrow{+} |y\oplus x\rangle \end{aligned}$$



$|? ? \rangle$

# Classical & Quantum Information

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Quantum



Copying: Yes

NO

Measuring: Yes

partial

Broadcasting: Yes

NO

Superposing: NO

Yes

Interfering: NO

Yes

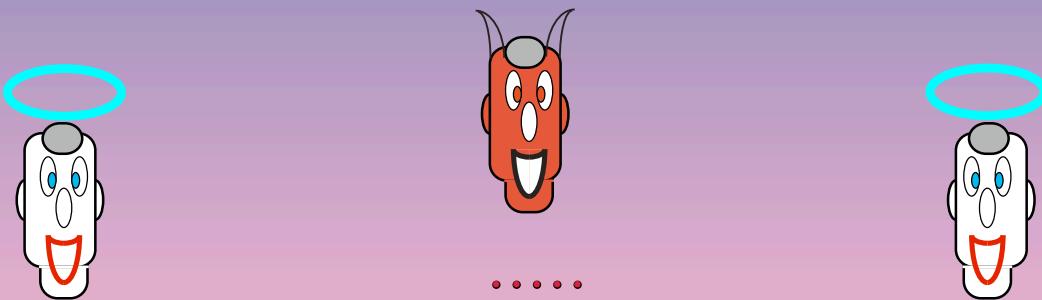
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## Quantum Cryptography

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## Information Theoretical Quantum Cryptography

### (3.1) Information Theoretical Cryptography



(3.1.1) Key distribution :  $\text{Q}$ -key distribution +  
 $\text{Q}$ -distillation (formerly purification)

(3.1.2) One-time pad : one-time  $\text{Q}$ -pad ( $\text{Q}$ -teleportation)  
Vernam  $\text{Q}$ -cipher

(3.1.3) one-time authentication : authenticated  $\text{Q}$ -teleportation +  
one-time  $\text{Q}$ -authentication

### (3.1.1) Key distribution

Classical key : **Q**-distribution of keys(BB84)



+ error-correction

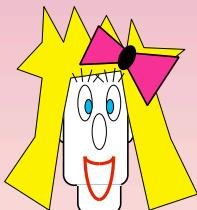
+ privacy amplification

Quantum key : **Q**-key distribution(Ekert/Lo-Chau)



+ **Q**-error-correction (CSS) or

+ **Q**-Distillation (Purification)



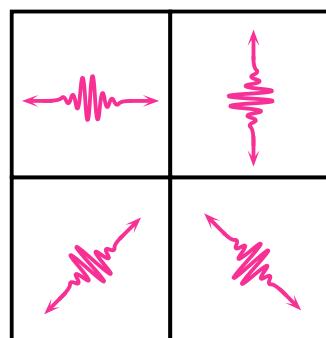
### (3.1.1) Key distribution

## Ambiguous Coding Scheme

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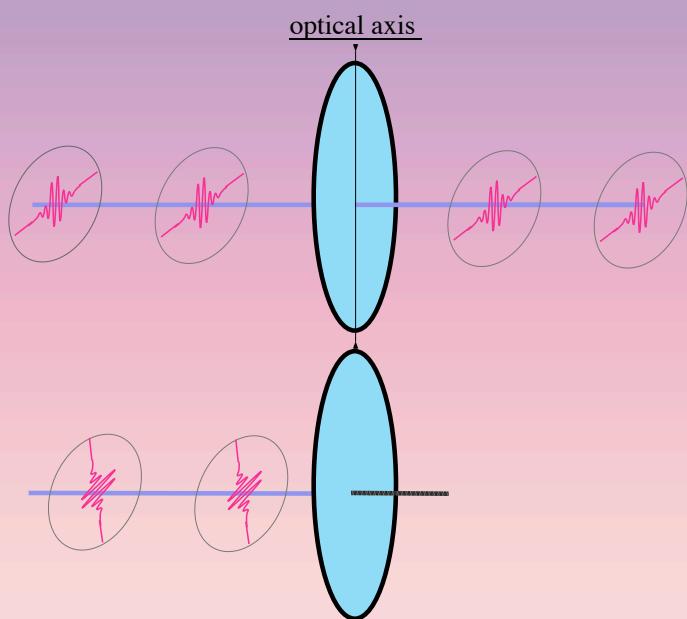
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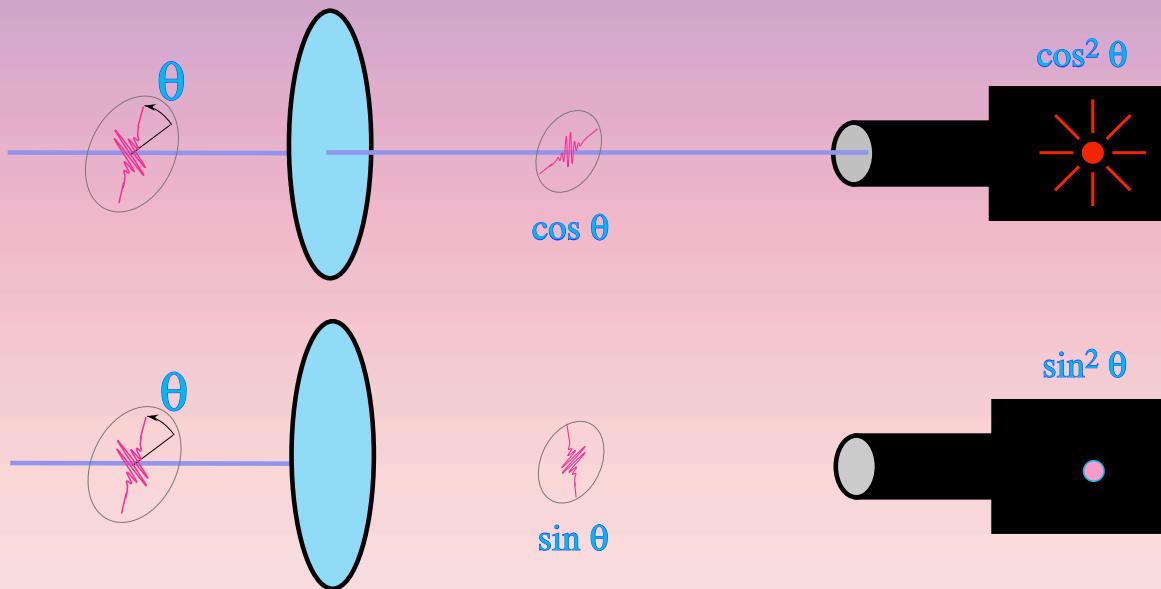


# VISUAL DEMO

## Polarizing Filter

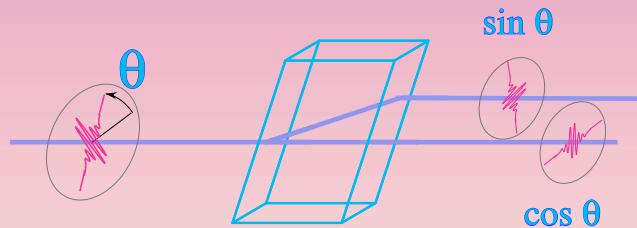


## Polarizing Filter and photodetectors

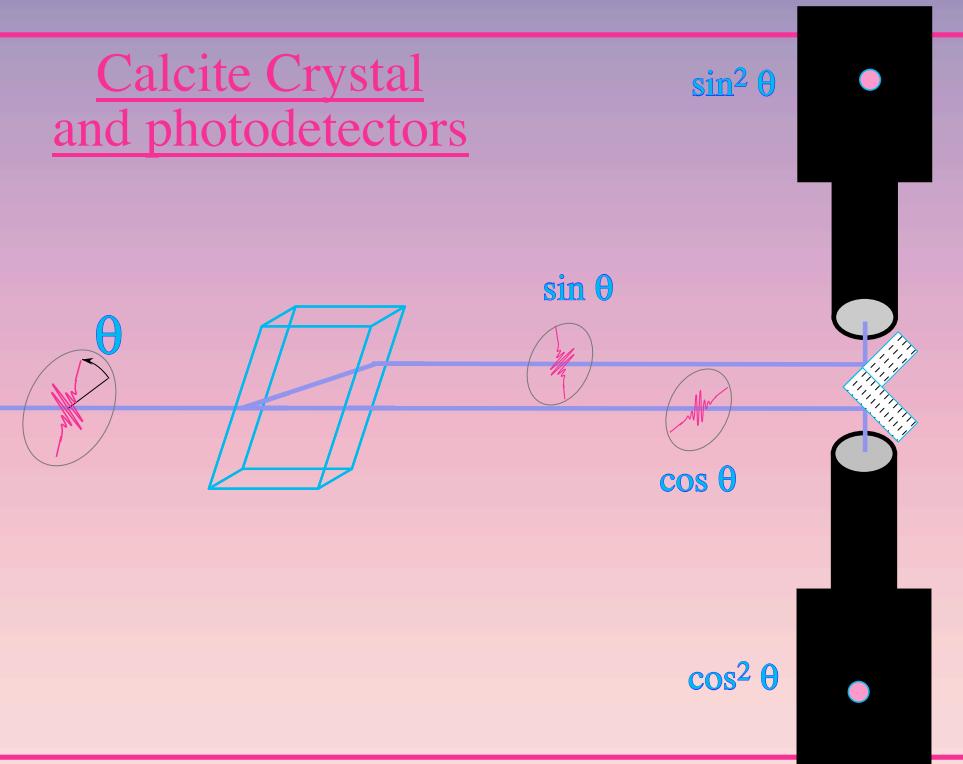


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DEMO

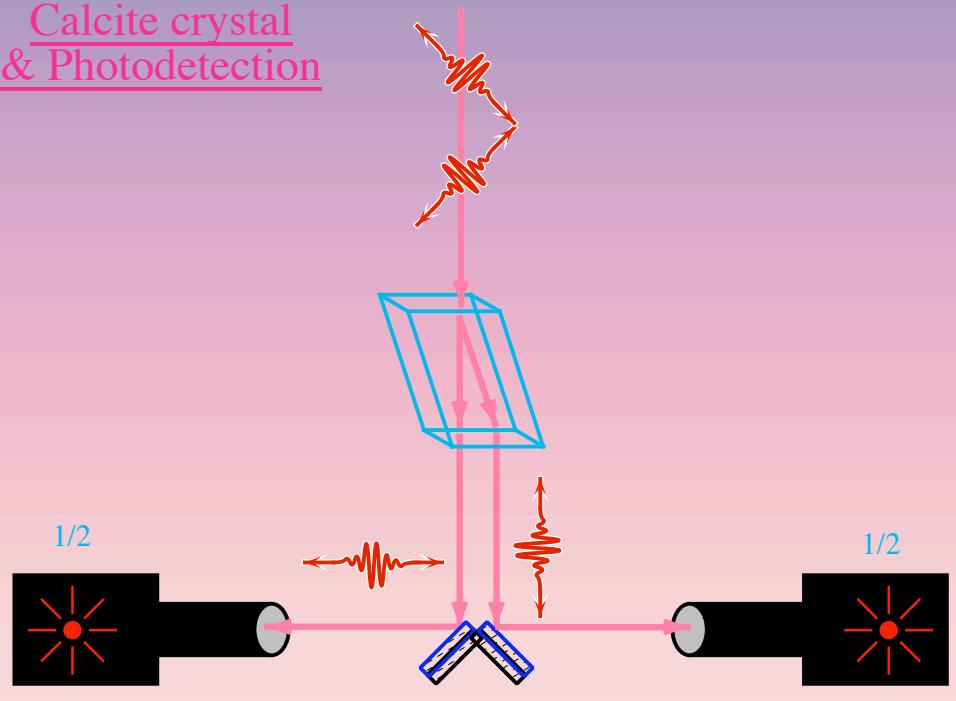
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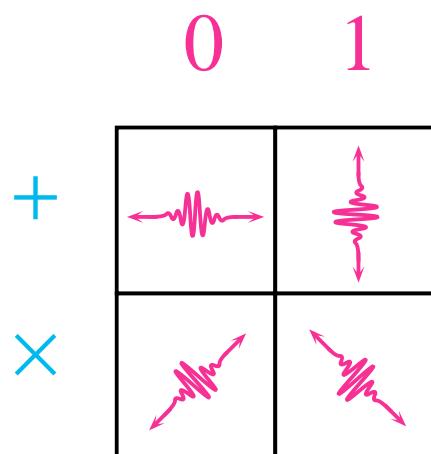
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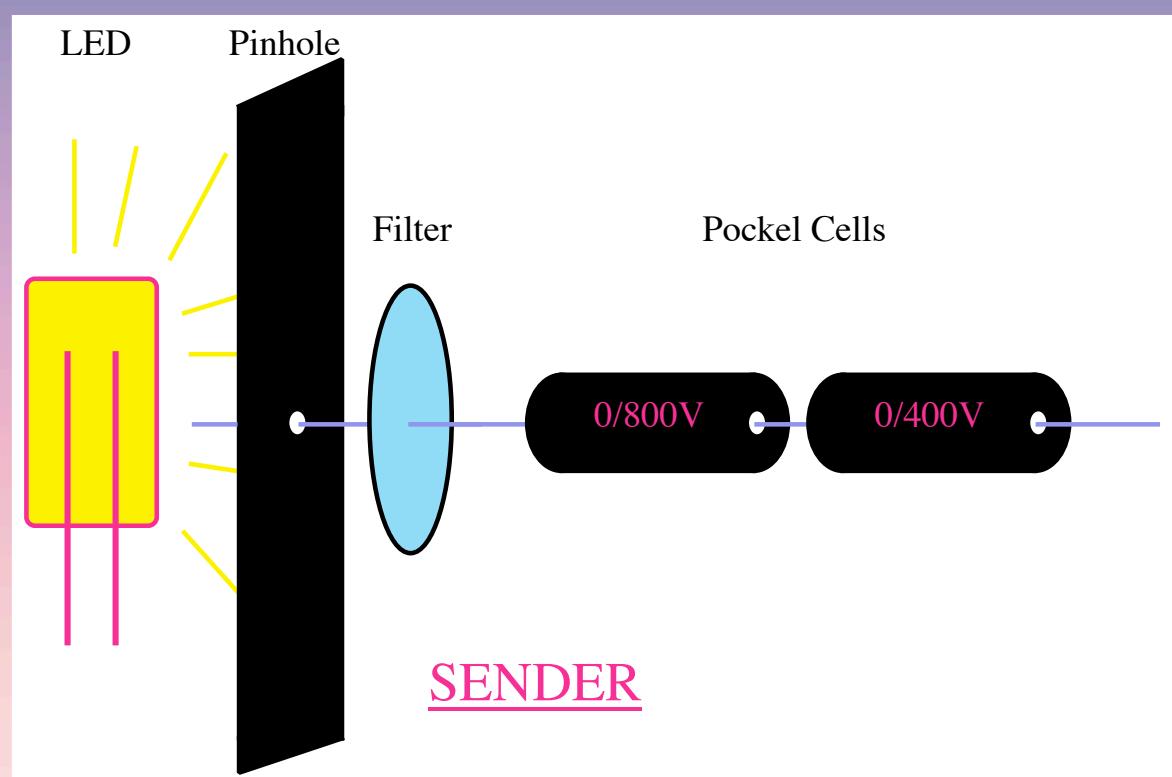
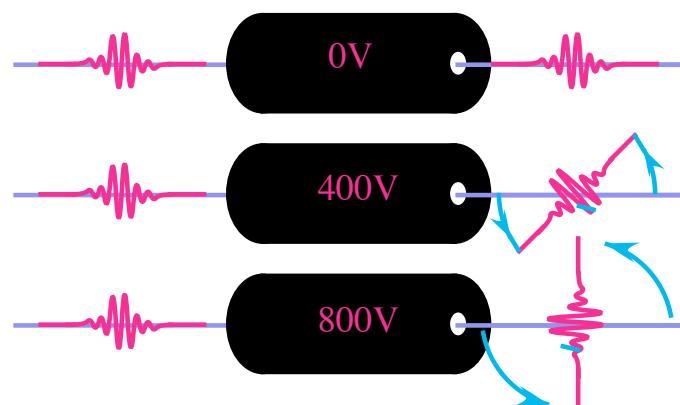
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& Photodetection

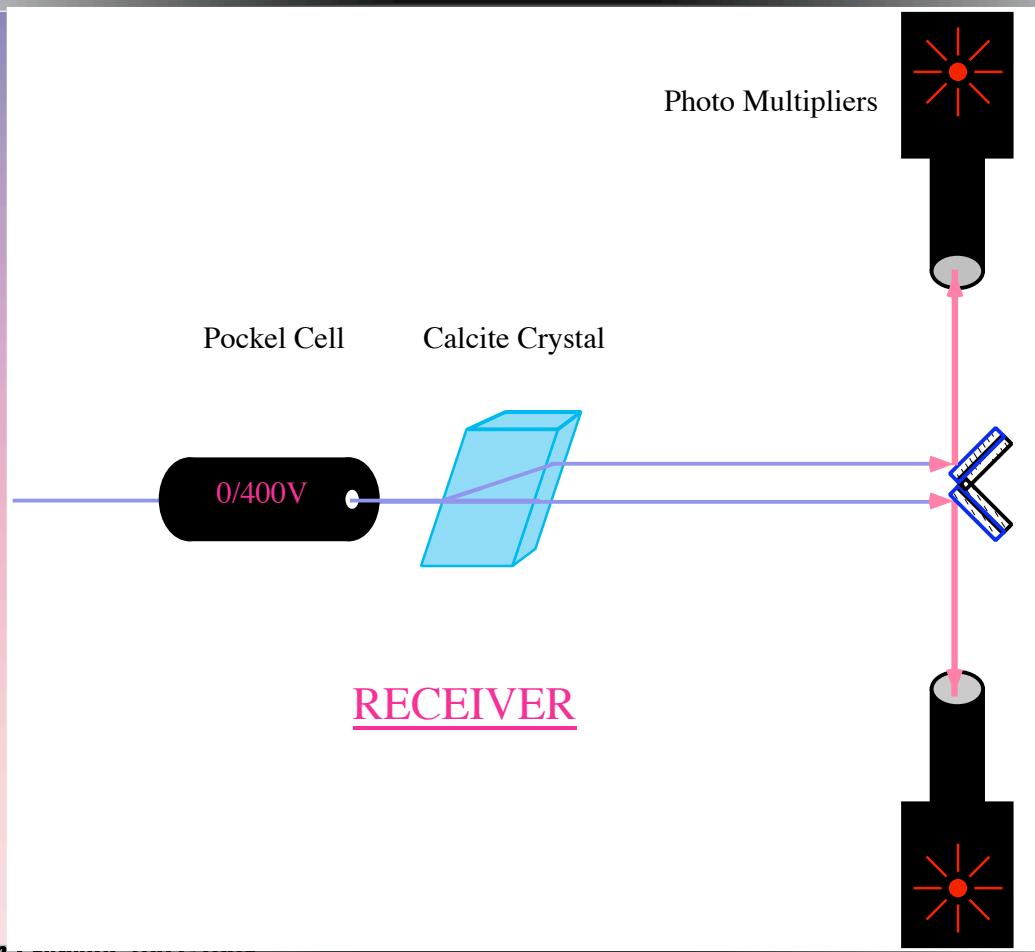
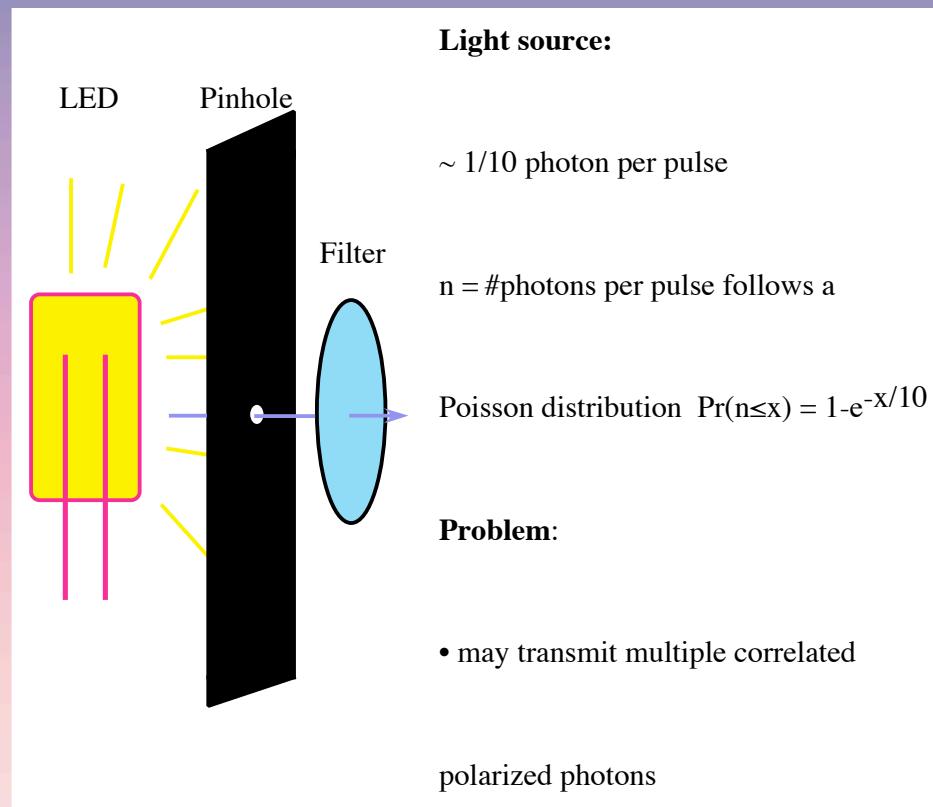


## Ambiguous Coding Scheme



## Pockel Cells





# Q-distribution of keys



A:	0 1 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 0 1 1 0 0 0
	x + x + + + x x x x + + + + x x x + x + + + x +
B:	x x + + x + + + x + + x x x + x x x + + x + x +
	0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0
A:	x + x + + + x x x x + + + + x x x + x + + + x +
B:	0 □ □ 0 □ 1 □ □ 1 □ 0 □ □ □ □ 1 0 □ □ 1 □ 0 0 0
B:	0 0 1 1 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0
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B:	= = = ≠ =
B:	0 1 1 1 0 0 0
A:	0 1 1 1 0 0 0

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## Bennett- Brassard

# Q-distribution of keys



A:	0 1 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 0 1 1 0 0 0
	x + x + + + x x x x + + + + x x x + x + + + x +

# Q-distribution of keys



A: 0 1 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 1 0 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 0 1 1 0 0 0  
x + x + + + x x x x + + + + x x x + x + + + x +

B: x x + + x + + + x + + x x x + x x x + + x + x +  
0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 1 1 0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0

# Q-distribution of keys



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# Q-distribution of keys



A:	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0		
	x	+	x	+	+	+	x	x	x	x	+	+	+	+	x	x	x	x	+	+	+	+
B:	x	x	+	+	x	+	+	x	+	+	x	x	x	x	+	x	x	x	+	+	x	+
	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	
A:	x	+	x	+	+	+	x	x	x	x	+	+	+	+	x	x	x	x	+	+	+	+
B:	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
B:	0	0	1	1	0							1	0			1	0	0	0			
A:	0	0	1	1	0							1	1			1	0	0	0			

# Q-distribution of keys



B:	0	0	1	1	0			1	0			1	0	0	0
A:	0	0	1	1	0			1	1			1	0	0	0

# Q-distribution of keys



B:	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
A:	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
A:	0		1		0		1		0		0
B:	=	=	=	=	=	≠			=		

20%

# Q-distribution of keys



B:	=	=	=	=	≠	=
B:	0		1		1	1
A:	0		1		1	1

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# Q-distribution of keys



B:	0	1	1	1	0	0
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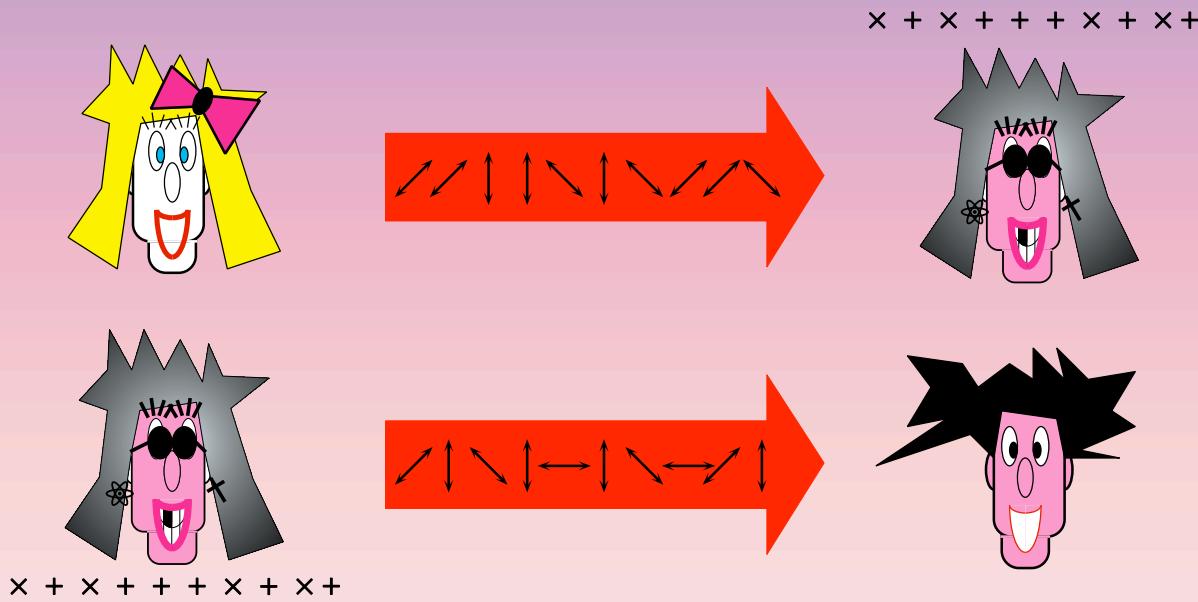
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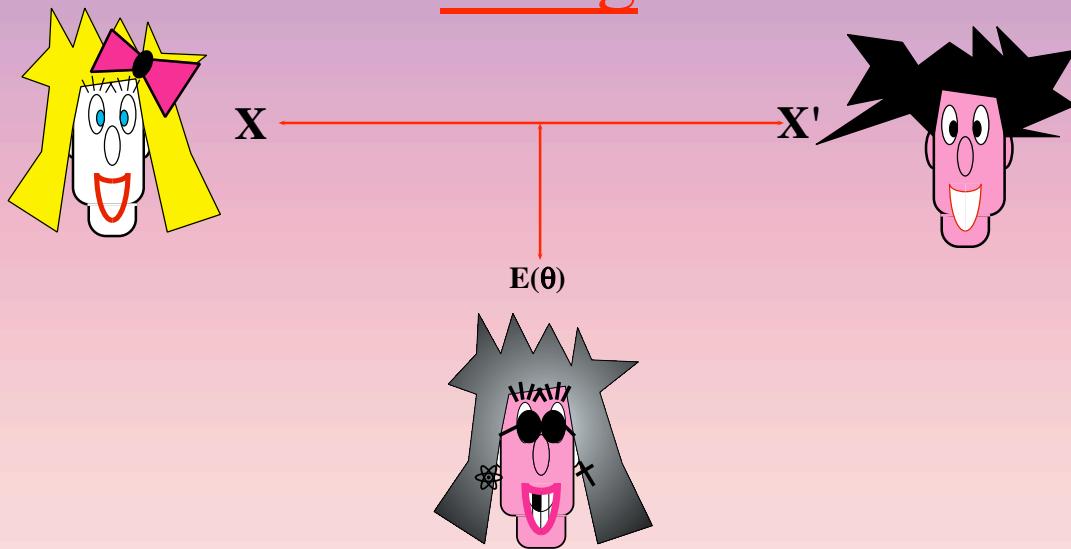
- Produces raw classical key
- Observed error rate indicates amount of eavesdropper information
- Error-correction is used to fix errors
- Random hash function is used to distill a smaller secret classical key

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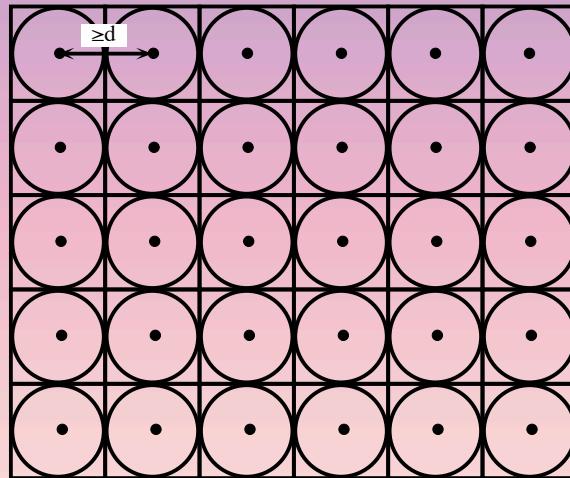
## Information <-> Errors

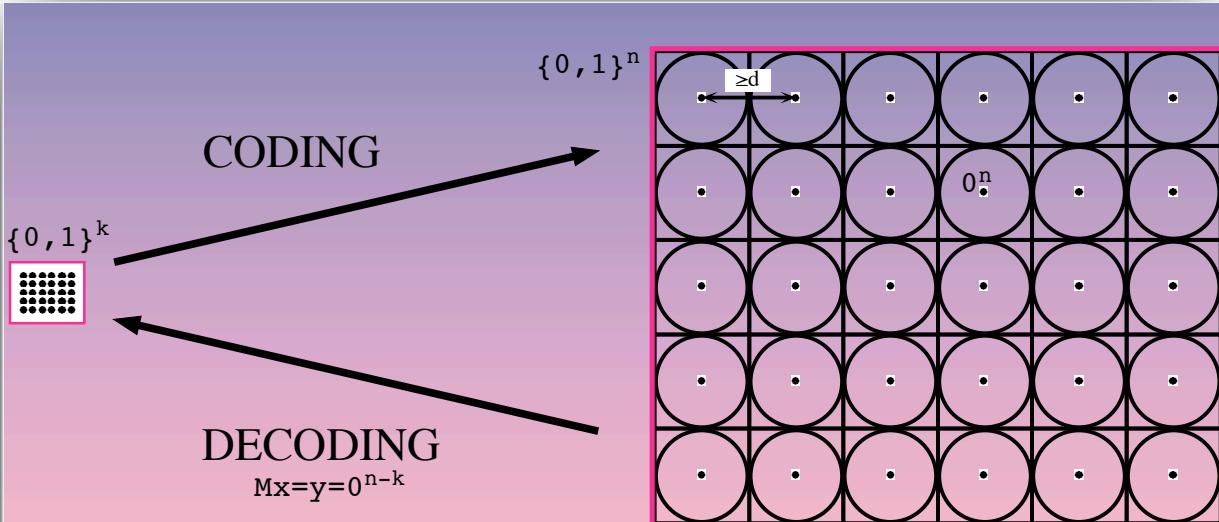


## Mostly Identical Partly Secret String



# (classical) error-correcting codes



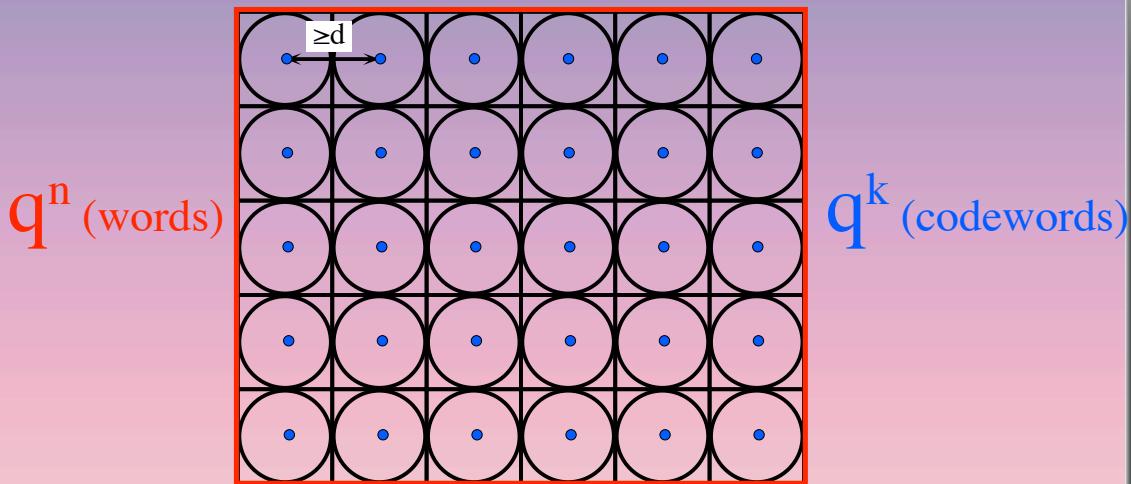


## [n, k, d] linear code

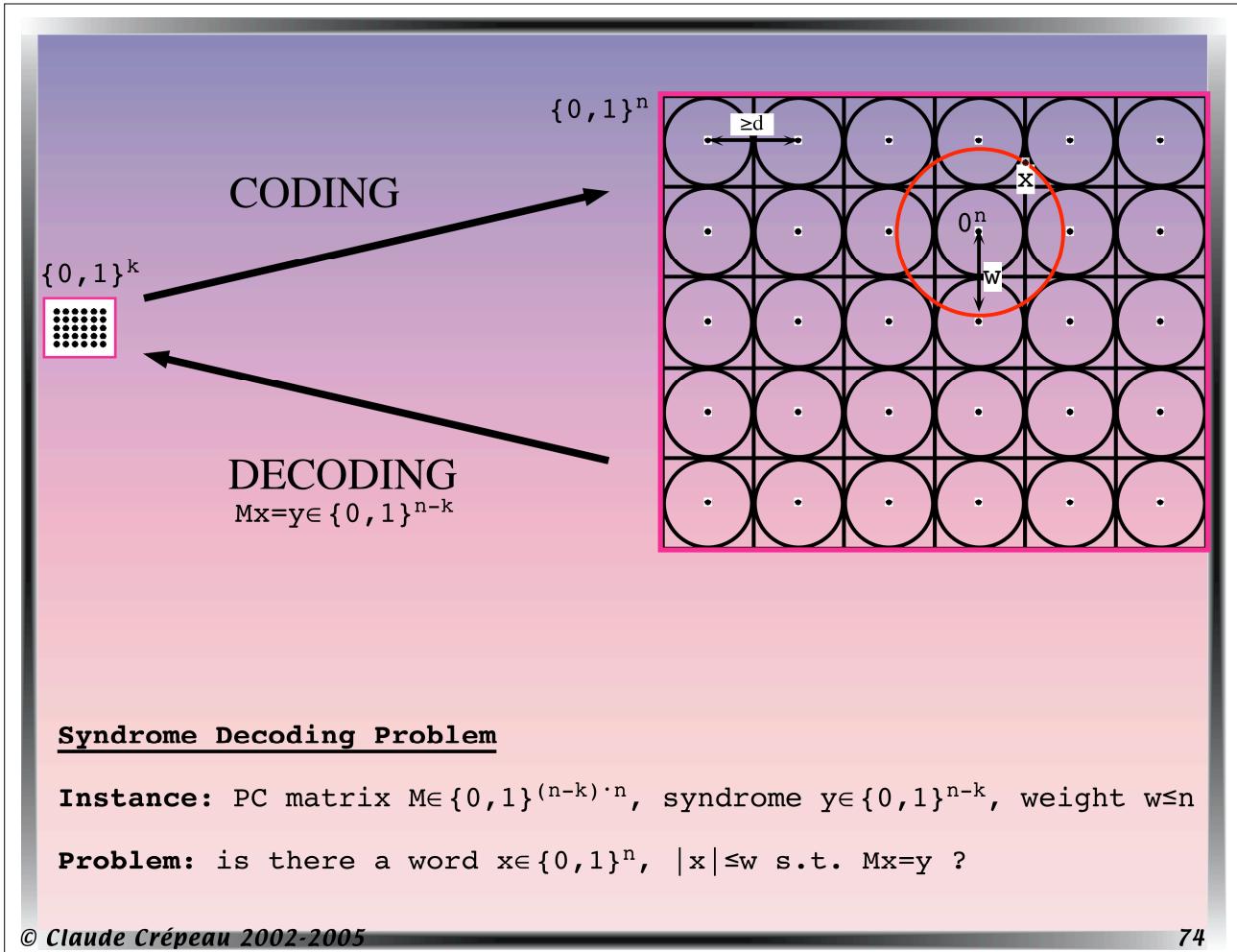
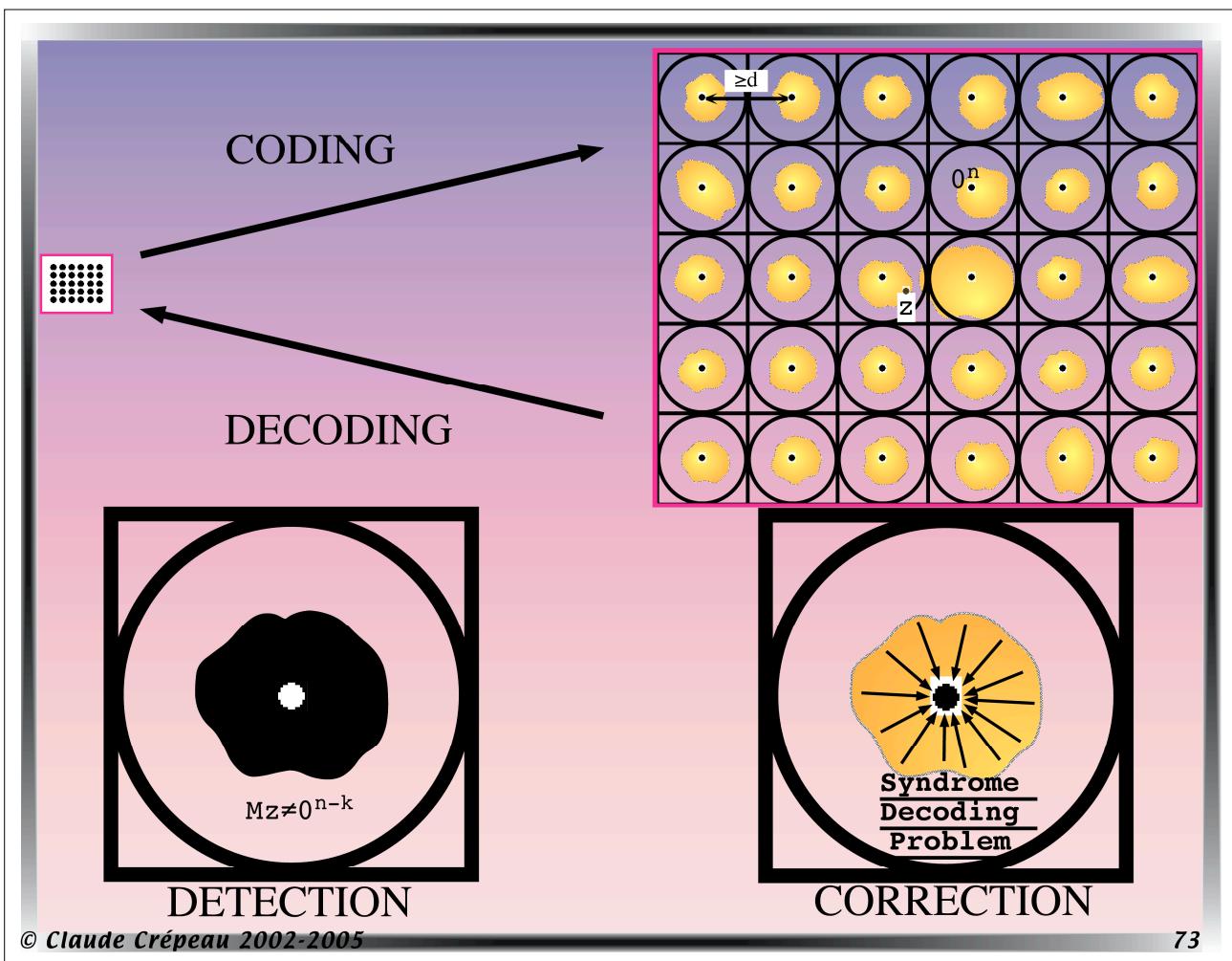
$M \in \{0, 1\}^{(n-k) \times n}$  is a Parity Check matrix

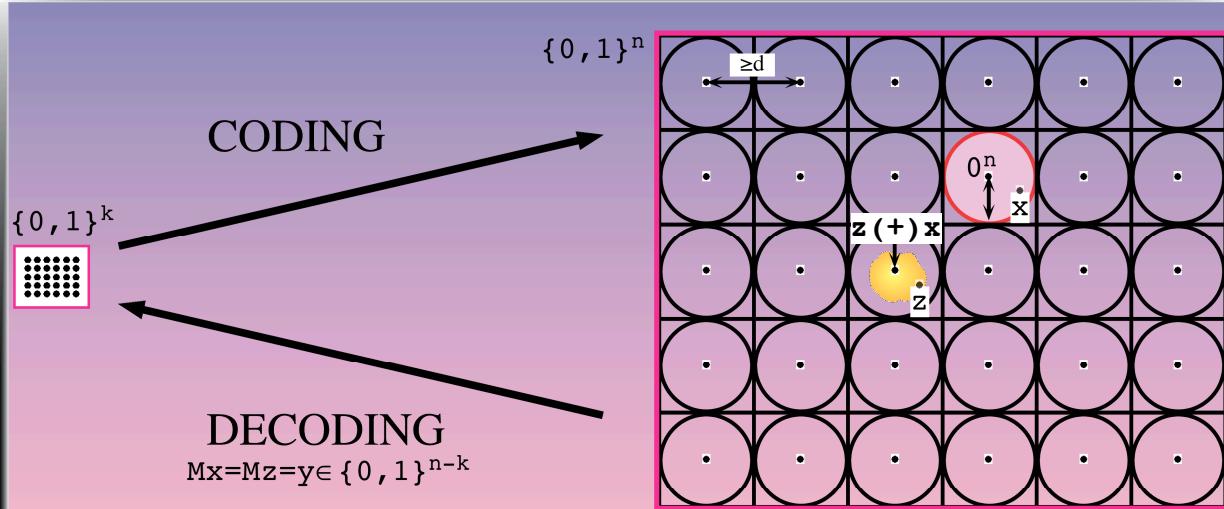
$$C = \{ x \mid Mx = 0^{n-k} \}$$

## (classical) error-correcting codes



[n, k, d] linear error-correcting code  
 length n, dimension k,  
 corrects  $d-1$  erasures,  $(d-1)/2$  errors





CORRECTING( $M, z$ ) <= Syndrome Decoding Problem ( $M, w=(d-1)/2, y=Mz$ )

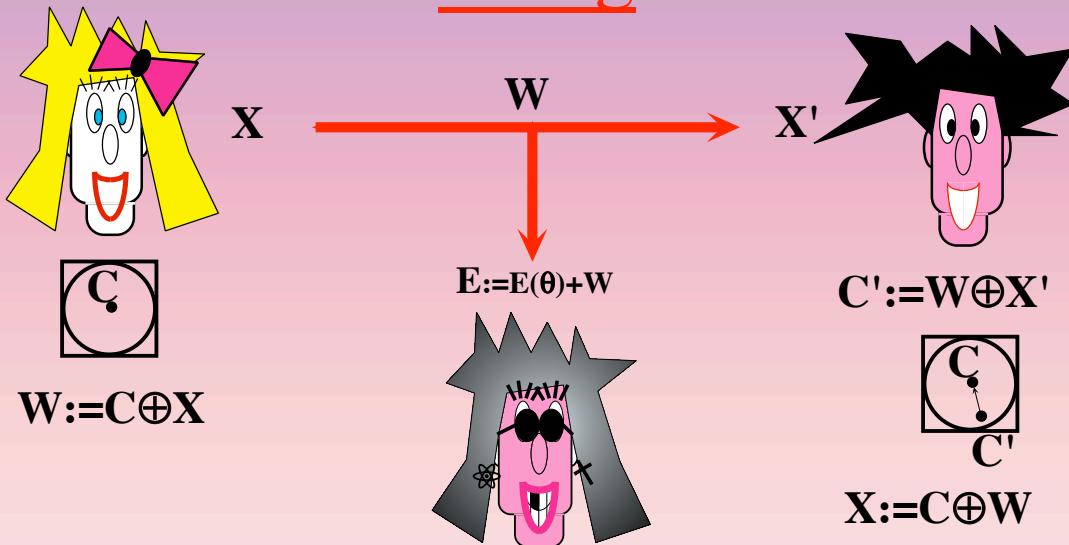
**Instance:** PC matrix  $M \in \{0,1\}^{(n-k) \times n}$ ,  $y = Mz \in \{0,1\}^{n-k}$ ,  $w = (d-1)/2$

**Problem:** is there a word  $x \in \{0,1\}^n$ ,  $|x| \leq w$  s.t.  $Mx = y$  ?

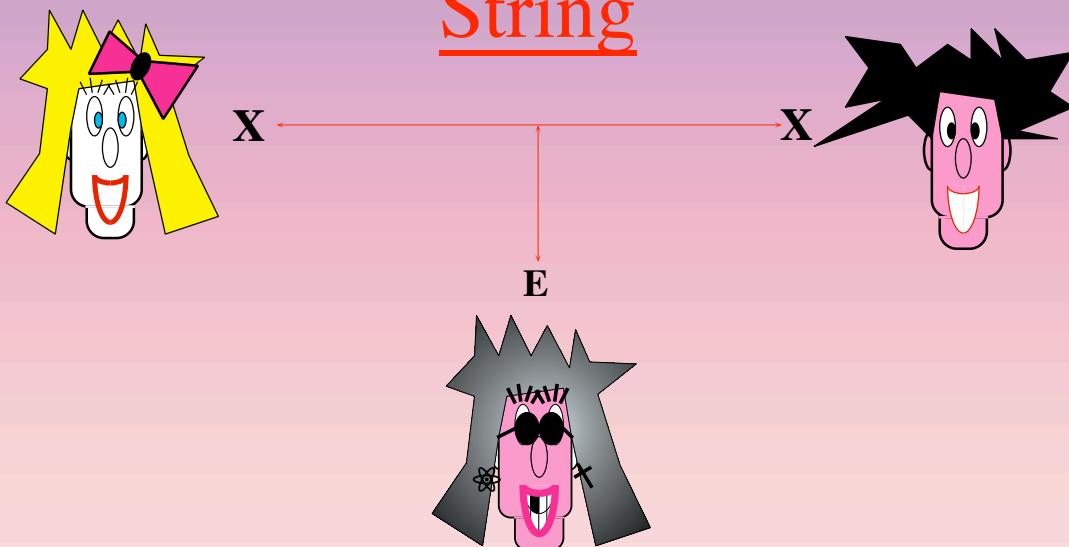
CORRECTING( $M, z$ ) =  $z (+) x$



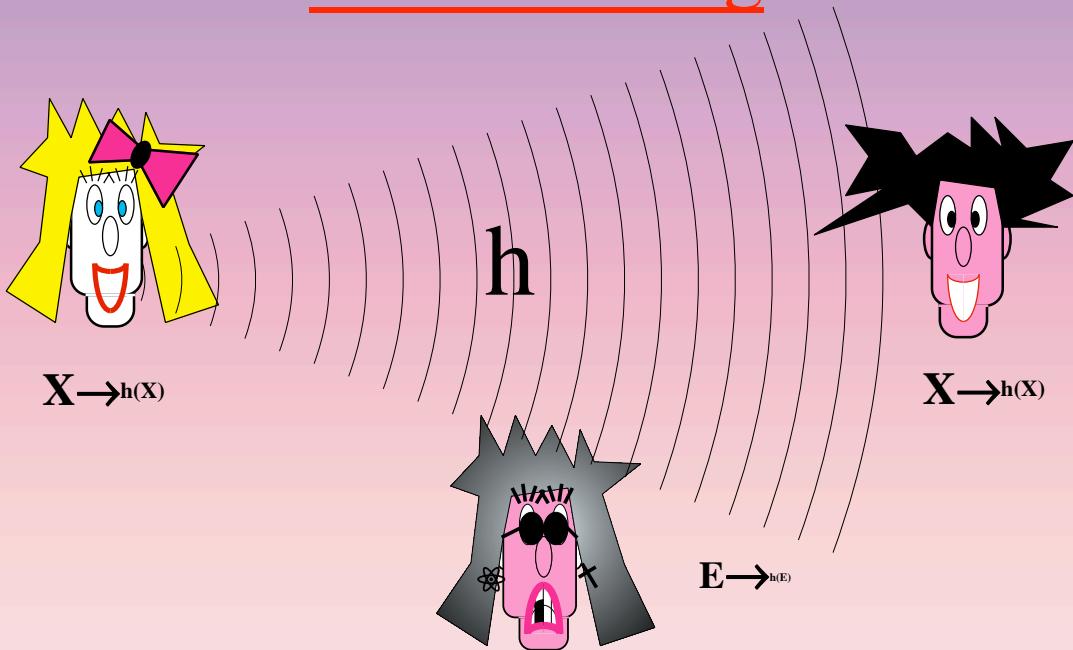
## Identical Partly Secret String



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# Identical Secret Shorter String

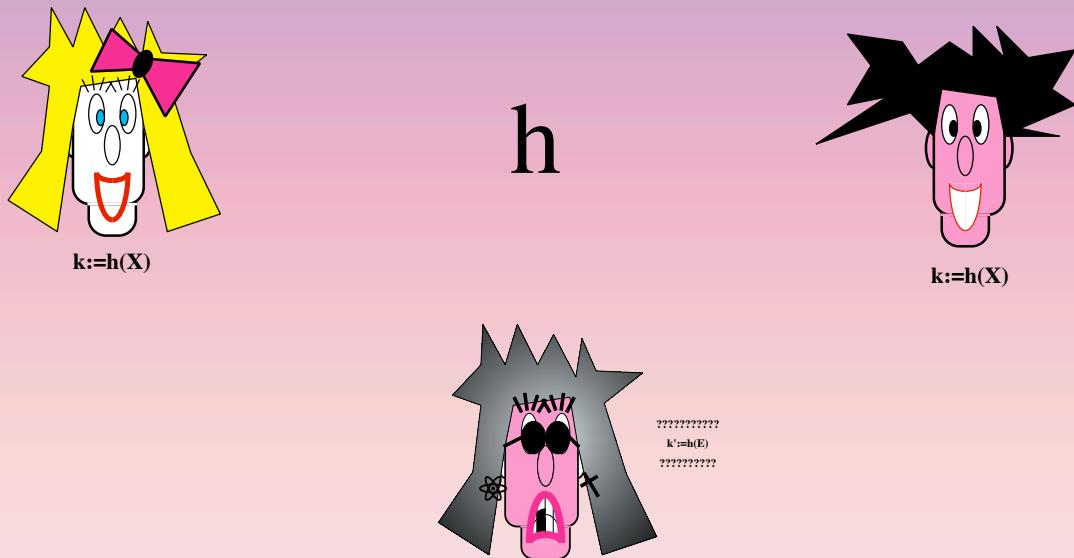


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# BBCM

$$H(h(X) | E, h) > |h(X)| - 2^{(|h(X)| - H_\infty(X))}$$



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# Q-distribution of keys



A:	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?
B:	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?	?
	x	+	x	+	+	+	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
A:	i	i	i	i	i	i	?	i	i	i	i	i	i	i	i	i	i	i	i	i	i	i
B:	x	x	+	+	+	+	x	+	+	+	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
A:	x	+	x	+	+	+	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
B:	0	?	?	0	?	1	?	1	?	0	?	?	?	?	1	0	?	?	1	?	0	0
A:	1		1		0		0		1		0		0		0		0		1		1	
A:	1		0		1		0		1		0		0		0		0		1		1	
B:	≠		≠		≠		≠		≠		≠		=		≠		=		≠		≠	
B:	0		1		1		1		1		1		0		1		0		0		0	
A:	1		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		0		1		1	

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### (3.1.1) Key distribution

**Quantum key** : **Q**-key distribution(Ekert/Lo-Chau)  
→ + **Q**-error-correction (CSS) or  
    **Q**-Distillation (Purification)



# Quantum-Key Distribution



$$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccc} \textbf{A:} & ? \\ & \times & \textcolor{red}{\cancel{-}} & \textcolor{red}{\cancel{-}} & + & \textcolor{red}{\cancel{-}} & + & \textcolor{red}{\cancel{-}} & \times & \textcolor{red}{\cancel{-}} & + & \textcolor{red}{\cancel{-}} & \textcolor{red}{\cancel{-}} & \times & \textcolor{red}{\cancel{-}} & \times & \textcolor{red}{\cancel{-}} & + & \textcolor{red}{\cancel{-}} & + & \times & + \end{array}$$

B:    ?

A:	x	+	x	+	x	+	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x
B:	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20

A: 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1

A: 1 1 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 1 1 1

B: ≠ ↓ ↓ ≠ ↓ ≠ ↓ ≠ ↓ ≠ ↓ ≠ ↓ ≠ ↓ ≠ = ↓ ↓ ≠ ↓ ≠ ≠ ≠

B:      ?      ?      ?      ?      ?      ?      ?      ?

A:      ? ?    ?    ? ?    ?    ? ? ? ?    ? ?    ?

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# Quantum-Key Distribution



$$A: \quad 1 \ ? \ ? \ 1 \ ? \ 0 \ ? \ ? \ 0 \ ? \ 1 \ ? \ ? \ ? \ ? \ 0 \ 0 \ ? \ ? \ 0 \ ? \ 1 \ 1 \ 1$$

$$\times \textcolor{red}{z} \textcolor{red}{z} + \textcolor{red}{z} + \textcolor{red}{z} \textcolor{red}{z} \times \textcolor{red}{z} + \textcolor{red}{z} \textcolor{red}{z} \textcolor{red}{z} \textcolor{red}{z} \times \times \textcolor{red}{z} \textcolor{red}{z} + \textcolor{red}{z} + \times +$$

B: \ i i | i = ? i / i | i i i i / / i i = i | \ |

A: 1 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 1 1

A: 1 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 1 1 1

B: - ↓ ↓ - ↓ - ↓ - ↓ - ↓ - ↓ - ↓ - ↓ - ↓ - ↓ -

B:      ?      ?      ?      ?      ?      ?      ?      ?      ?

A: ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ? ?

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# Quantum-Key Distribution

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- Produces raw quantum key (EPR states)
- Observed error rate indicates amount of impurity of EPR states
- Quantum error-correction (CSS) is used to purify raw EPR states into a smaller pure set

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## Q: (over GF(3))

$$\begin{aligned} |0\rangle &\rightarrow |000\rangle + |111\rangle + |222\rangle \\ |1\rangle &\rightarrow |012\rangle + |120\rangle + |201\rangle \\ |2\rangle &\rightarrow |021\rangle + |102\rangle + |210\rangle \end{aligned}$$

$$Q|\Psi\rangle = H_1 \otimes H_2 \otimes H_3$$

$Q = [[3, 1, 2]]$  corrects 2-1=1 erasure.

$$\begin{aligned} |0\rangle \otimes H_2 \otimes H_3 &\rightarrow (-H_2 - H_3 \bmod 3) \otimes H_2 \otimes H_3 \\ H_1 \otimes |0\rangle \otimes H_3 &\rightarrow H_1 \otimes (-H_3 - H_1 \bmod 3) \otimes H_3 \\ H_1 \otimes H_2 \otimes |0\rangle &\rightarrow H_1 \otimes H_2 \otimes (-H_1 - H_2 \bmod 3) \end{aligned}$$

## Calderbank-Shor-Steane $\mathbf{Q}$ -ECCs

Let  $C_1, C_2$  be two linear codes such that

$$\{0\} \subseteq C_2 \subseteq C_1 \subseteq F^n$$

For  $v \in C_1$  define

$$v \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{|C_2|}} \sum_{w \in C_2} |v+w\rangle$$

$$Q = \left\{ \frac{1}{\sqrt{|C_2|}} \sum_{w \in C_2} |w+v\rangle : v \in C_1 \right\}$$

$$\{0\} \subseteq C_1^\perp \subseteq C_2^\perp \subseteq F^n$$

For  $v \in C_2^\perp$  define

$$v \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{|C_1^\perp|}} \sum_{w \in C_1^\perp} |v+w\rangle$$

$$Q^* = \left\{ \frac{1}{\sqrt{|C_1^\perp|}} \sum_{w \in C_1^\perp} |w+v\rangle : v \in C_2^\perp \right\}$$

## CSS **Q-ECCs**

Let  $C_1 = [n, k_1, d_1]$ ,  $C_2^\perp = [n, n-k_2, d_2]$  be two linear codes

$$\begin{aligned}\dim(Q) &= \dim(C_1) - \dim(C_2^\perp) \\ &= k_1 - k_2 \\ &= \dim(C_2^\perp) - \dim(C_1) = \dim(Q^*)\end{aligned}$$

$$d(Q) = d(Q^*) = \min\{d(C_1), d(C_2^\perp)\} = \min\{d_1, d_2\}$$

$$Q = [[n, k_1 - k_2, \min\{d_1, d_2\}]] = Q^*$$

## CSS **Q-ECCs**

EXAMPLE: Quantum Reed-Solomon codes  
(Aharonov-BenOr)

Let  $q=4t$

$C_1 = [4t, 2t+1, 2t]$  ERS-code over  $\text{GF}(q)$   
 $C_2 = [4t, 2t, 2t+1]$  ERS-code over  $\text{GF}(q)$

$$\begin{aligned}\dim(Q) &= \dim(Q^*) = 1 \\ d(Q) &= d(Q^*) = 2t\end{aligned}$$

$Q, Q^* = [[4t, 1, 2t]]$  QRS-code over  $\text{GF}(q)$

$Q, Q^* = [[n, 1, n/2]]$  QRS-code over  $\text{GF}(q)$ ,  $q=n$

