

Universal Compostible Secure Broadcast based on Commutative Random Algebraic Partitions

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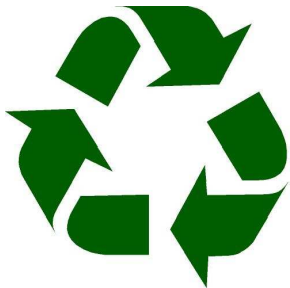
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Call For Paper

Contributions must adhere to the strict criteria:

- ▶ Craptologic research
- ▶ Funny and amusing
- ▶ Controversial
- ▶ Non-offending (unless...)



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Manik Lal Das

Comment — Practical Data Protection.

Arxiv preprint arXiv:0804.4628 —

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- ▶ “Weak Pseudorandom Functions in Minicrypt” by Pietrzak and Sjödin [PS10] (citing Dent, “Cryptography in a hitchhikers universe” Vol. 4).



Krzysztof Pietrzak and Johan Sjödin

Weak Pseudorandom Functions in Minicrypt.

Automata, Languages and Programming, 2010 (ICALP 2010).

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Michael Naehrig, Ruben Niederhagen, and Peter Schwabe
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[LatinCrypt 2010.](#)

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- ▶ Back in 2005!



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An Algebraic Framework for Cipher Embeddings.
Cryptography and Coding, 10th IMA International
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Summary

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<http://www.anagram.com/~jcrap>