

# Diffie-Hellman Key Exchange

Trusted publishes  $p$  and  $g \in \mathbb{F}_p^*$  of large prime order

- **Alice** picks secret  $a \in \mathbb{Z}$ , sends  $A \equiv g^a \pmod{p}$  to Bob  
**Bob** picks secret  $b \in \mathbb{Z}$ , sends  $B \equiv g^b \pmod{p}$  to Alice
- **Alice** computes  $A' \equiv B^a \pmod{p}$   
**Bob** computes  $B' \equiv A^b \pmod{p}$
- Shared key is  $A' = B'$

# Elgamal encryption

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- **Alice** picks private key  $a \in \mathbb{F}_p$  and publishes  $A \equiv g^a \pmod{p}$
- **Bob** has plaintext message  $m \in \mathbb{F}_p^*$ 
  - Picks random  $k \in \mathbb{F}_p$  for ephemeral key
  - Computes  $c_1 \equiv g^k \pmod{p}$  and  $c_2 \equiv mA^k \pmod{p}$
  - Sends ciphertext  $(c_1, c_2)$  to Alice
    - Note  $A^k$  acts as masking key  $k_M$  from last semester
- **Alice** decrypts by  $(c_1^a)^{-1} \cdot c_2 \equiv m \pmod{p}$

1. Build an addition table for  $\mathbb{Z}/4\mathbb{Z}$

Relabel  $\{0, 1, 2, 3\} \rightarrow \{e, a, b, c\}$  and rebuild your table

2. Build a multiplication table for  $\mathbb{F}_5^*$

Relabel  $\{1, 2, 3, 4\} \rightarrow \{e, a, c, b\}$  and rebuild your table

3. Compare your relabeled tables