Non-cryptographic Primitive for Pseudorandom Permutation

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Abstract. Four round Feistel permutation (like DES) is super-pseudorandom if each round function is *random* or a *secret* universal hash function. A similar result is known for five round MISTY type permutation. It seems that each round function must be at least either random or secret in both cases.

In this paper, however, we show that the second round permutation g in five round MISTY type permutation need not be cryptographic at all, i.e., no randomness nor secrecy is required. g has only to satisfy that $g(x) \oplus x \neq g(x') \oplus x'$ for any $x \neq x'$. This is the first example such that a non-cryptographic primitive is substituted to construct the minimum round super-pseudorandom permutation. Further we show efficient constructions of super-pseudorandom permutations by using above mentioned g.

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1 Introduction

1.1 Super-pseudorandomness

A secure block cipher should be indistinguishable from a truly random permutation. Consider an infinitely powerful distinguisher D which tries to distinguish a block cipher from a truly random permutation. It outputs 0 or 1 after making at most m queries to the given encryption and/or decryption oracles. We say that a distinguisher $\mathcal D$ is a pseudorandom distinguisher if it has oracle access to the encryption oracle. We also say that a distinguisher D is a super-pseudorandom distinguisher if it has oracle access to both the encryption oracle and the decryption oracle. Then a block cipher E is called pseudorandom if any pseudorandom distinguisher $\mathcal D$ cannot distinguish E from a truly random permutation. A block cipher E is called super-pseudorandom if any super-pseudorandom distinguisher D cannot distinguish E from a truly random permutation.

1.2 Previous works

The super-pseudorandomness of Feistel permutation (like DES) has been studied extensively so far. Let $\phi(f_1, f_2, f_3)$ denote the three round Feistel permutation such that the *i*-th round function is f_i . Similarly, let $\phi(f_1, f_2, f_3, f_4)$ denote the four round Feistel permutation.

Suppose that each f_i is a random function. Then Luby and Rackoff proved that $\phi(f_1, f_2, f_3)$ is pseudorandom and $\phi(f_1, f_2, f_3, f_4)$ is super-pseudorandom [4]. Lucks showed that the $\phi(h_1, f_2, f_3)$ is pseudorandom even if h_1 is an ϵ -XOR universal hash function [5]. Suppose that h_1 and h_4 are uniform ϵ -XOR universal hash functions. Then Naor and Reingold proved that $h_4 \circ \phi(f_2, f_3) \circ h_1$ is super-pseudorandom [8], and Ramzan and Reyzin showed that $\phi(h_1, f_2, f_3, h_4)$ is super-pseudorandom even if the distinguisher has oracle access to f_2 and f_3 [9].

On the other hand, let $\psi(p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4, p_5)$ denote the five round MISTY type permutation such that the *i*-th round permutation is p_i . Suppose that each p_i is a random permutation. Then Iwata et al. [3] and Gilbert and Minier [2] independently showed that $\psi(p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4, p_5)$ is super-pseudorandom. More than that, let h_i be a uniform ϵ -XOR universal permutation. Iwata et al. proved that

- 1. $\psi(h_1, h_2, p_3, p_4, h_5^{-1})$ is super-pseudorandom even if the distinguisher has oracle access to p_3 , p_3^{-1} , p_4 and p_4^{-1} .
- 2. $\psi(h_1, p_2, p_3, p_4, h_5^{-1})$ is super-pseudorandom even if the distinguisher has oracle access to $p_2, p_2^{-1}, p_3, p_3^{-1}, p_4$ and p_4^{-1} .

1.3 Our contribution

Four round Feistel permutation (like DES) is super-pseudorandom if each round function is random or a secret universal hash function. A similar result is known for five round MISTY type permutation. It seems that each round function must be at least either random or secret in both cases.

In this paper, however, we show that the second round permutation g in five round MISTY type permutation need not be cryptographic at all, i.e., no randomness nor secrecy is required. g has only to satisfy that $g(x) \oplus x \neq g(x') \oplus y'$ x' for any $x \neq x'$. This is the first example such that a non-cryptographic primitive is substituted to construct the minimum round super-pseudorandom permutation. Further we show efficient constructions of super-pseudorandom permutations by using above mentioned g.

One might wonder if five rounds can be reduced to four rounds to obtain super-pseudorandomness of MISTY. However, it is not true because Sakurai and Zheng showed that the four round MISTY type permutation $\psi(p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4)$ is not super-pseudorandom [10].

More precisely, we prove that five round MISTY is super-pseudorandom if it is $\psi(h_1, g, p, p^{-1}, h_5^{-1})$, where g is the above mentioned permutation, h_1 is an ϵ -XOR universal permutation, h_5 is a uniform ϵ -XOR universal permutation, and p is a random permutation. Further, suppose that both h_1 and h_5 are uniform ϵ -XOR universal permutations. Then we prove that it is super-pseudorandom even if the distinguisher has oracle access to p and p^{-1} .

More than that, we study the case such that the third and the fourth round permutations are both p. In this case, we show that it is not super-pseudorandom nor pseudorandom if a distinguisher has oracle access to p . More formally, we show that for any fixed and public g, $\psi(p_1, q, p, p_5)$ is not pseudorandom if a distinguisher has oracle access to p.

2 Preliminaries

2.1 Notation

For a bit string $x \in \{0,1\}^{2n}$, we denote the first (left) *n* bits of x by x_L and the last (right) *n* bits of x by x_R . If S is a probability space, then $s \stackrel{R}{\leftarrow} S$ denotes the process of picking an element from S according to the underlying probability distribution. The underlying distribution is assumed to be uniform (unless otherwise specified).

Denote by F_n the set of all functions from $\{0,1\}^n$ to $\{0,1\}^n$, which consists of $2^{n \cdot 2^n}$ functions in total. Similarly, denote by P_n the set of all permutations from $\{0,1\}^n$ to $\{0,1\}^n$, which consists of $(2^n)!$ permutations in total.

2.2 MISTY type permutation [6, 7]

Definition 2.1 (The basic MISTY type permutation). Let $x \in \{0,1\}^{2n}$. For any permutation $p \in P_n$, define the basic MISTY type permutation $\psi_p \in P_{2n}$ as $\psi_p(x) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (x_R, p(x_L) \oplus x_R)$. Note that it is a permutation since $\psi_p^{-1}(x) =$ $(p^{-1}(x_L \oplus x_R), x_L).$

Definition 2.2 (The r round MISTY type permutation, ψ). Let $r \geq 1$ be an integer, $p_1, \ldots, p_r \in P_n$ be permutations. Define the r round MISTY type permutation $\psi(p_1,\ldots,p_r) \in P_{2n}$ as $\psi(p_1,\ldots,p_r) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \rho \circ \psi_{p_r} \circ \cdots \circ \psi_{p_1}$, where $\rho(x_L, x_R) = (x_R, x_L)$ for $x \in \{0, 1\}^{2n}$.

See Fig. 1 (the five round MISTY type permutation) for an illustration. Note that p_i in Fig. 1 is a permutation. For simplicity, the left and right swaps are omitted.

2.3 Uniform ϵ -XOR universal permutation

Our definitions follow from those given in [1, 3, 9, 11].

Definition 2.3. Let H_n be a permutation family over $\{0,1\}^n$. Denote by $#H_n$ the size of H_n .

Fig. 1. MISTY type permutation

- 1. H_n is a uniform permutation family if for any element $x \in \{0,1\}^n$ and any element $y \in \{0,1\}^n$, there exist exactly $\frac{\#H_n}{2^n}$ permutations $h \in H_n$ such that $h(x) = y.$
- 2. H_n is an ϵ -XOR universal permutation family if for any two distinct elements $x, x' \in \{0,1\}^n$ and any element $y \in \{0,1\}^n$, there exist at most $\epsilon \# H_n$ permutations $h \in H_n$ such that $h(x) \oplus h(x') = y$.

Let $f_a(x) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} a \cdot x$ over $GF(2^n)$, where $a \neq 0$. Then $\{f_a(x)\}\$ is a $\frac{1}{2^n-1}$ -XOR universal permutation family.

Let $f_{a,b}(x) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} a \cdot x + b$ over $GF(2^n)$, where $a \neq 0$. Then $\{f_{a,b}(x)\}$ is a uniform $\frac{1}{2^n-1}$ -XOR universal permutation family.

We will use the phrase "h is an ϵ -XOR universal permutation" to mean that "h is drawn uniformly from an ϵ -XOR universal permutation family". Similarly, we will use the phrase "h is a uniform ϵ -XOR universal permutation".

3 Improved super-pseudorandomness of MISTY type permutation

We say that a permutation g over $\{0,1\}^n$ is *XOR-distinct* if

$$
g(x) \oplus x \neq g(x') \oplus x'
$$

for any $x \neq x'$. Let $g(x) = a \cdot x$ over $GF(2^n)$, where $a \neq 0, 1$. Then this g is clearly XOR-distinct.

In this section, we prove that $\psi(h_1, g, p, p^{-1}, h_5^{-1})$ is super-pseudorandom even if the second round permutation g is fixed and publicly known. g has only to be XOR-distinct. This means that the five round MISTY type permutation is super-pseudorandom even if the second round permutation has no randomness nor secrecy.

Let H_n^0 be an ϵ -XOR universal permutation family over $\{0,1\}^n$, and H_n^1 be a uniform ϵ -XOR universal permutation family over $\{0, 1\}^n$. Define

$$
\begin{cases} \text{MISTY}_{2n}^{01} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} {\psi(h_1, g, p, p^{-1}, h_5^{-1}) \mid p \in P_n, h_1 \in H_n^0, h_5 \in H_n^1} \\ \text{MISTY}_{2n}^{11} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} {\psi(h_1, g, p, p^{-1}, h_5^{-1}) \mid p \in P_n, h_1, h_5 \in H_n^1} \end{cases}
$$

3.1 Super-pseudorandomness of MISTY_{2n}^{01}

Let $\mathcal D$ be a super-pseudorandom distinguisher for MISTY $_{2n}^{01}$ which makes at most m queries in total. We consider two experiments, experiment 0 and experiment 1 . In experiment 0, $\mathcal D$ has oracle access to ψ and ψ^{-1} , where ψ is randomly chosen from MISTY⁰¹_{2n}. In experiment 1, \mathcal{D} has oracle access to R and R^{-1} , where R is randomly chosen from P_{2n} .

Define the advantage of D as follows.

$$
\text{Adv}(\mathcal{D})\overset{\text{def}}{=}|p_\psi-p_R|
$$

where

$$
\begin{cases} p_{\psi} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \Pr(\mathcal{D}^{\psi, \psi^{-1}}(1^{2n}) = 1 \mid \psi \stackrel{R}{\leftarrow} \text{MISTY}_{2n}^{01}) \\ p_R \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \Pr(\mathcal{D}^{R, R^{-1}}(1^{2n}) = 1 \mid R \stackrel{R}{\leftarrow} P_{2n}) \end{cases}
$$

Lemma 3.1. Fix $x^{(i)} \in \{0,1\}^{2n}$ and $y^{(i)} \in \{0,1\}^{2n}$ for $1 \le i \le m$ arbitrarily in such a way that $\{x^{(i)}\}_{1 \leq i \leq m}$ are all distinct and $\{y^{(i)}\}_{1 \leq i \leq m}$ are all distinct. Then the number of $\psi \in \text{MISTY}_{2n}^{01}$ such that

 $\psi(x^{(i)}) = y^{(i)}$ for $1 \le \forall i \le m$ (1)

is at least

$$
(\#H_n^0)(\#H_n^1)(2^n-2m)!\left(1-2\epsilon\cdot m(m-1)-\frac{2m^2}{2^n}\right) .
$$

A proof is given in Appendix A.

Theorem 3.1. For any super-pseudorandom distinguisher D that makes at most m queries in total,

$$
\operatorname{Adv}(\mathcal{D}) \leq 2\epsilon \cdot m(m-1) + \frac{2m^2}{2^n} \enspace.
$$

Proof. Let $\mathcal{O} = R$ or ψ . The super-pseudorandom distinguisher \mathcal{D} has oracle access to \mathcal{O} and \mathcal{O}^{-1} .

There are two types of queries $\mathcal D$ can make: either $(+, x)$ which denotes the query "what is $\mathcal{O}(x)$?", or $(-, y)$ which denotes the query "what is $\mathcal{O}^{-1}(y)$?" For the *i*-th query D makes to O or \mathcal{O}^{-1} , define the query-answer pair $(x^{(i)}, y^{(i)}) \in$ $\{0,1\}^{2n} \times \{0,1\}^{2n}$, where either D's query was $(+,x^{(i)})$ and the answer it got was $y^{(i)}$ or D's query was $(-, y^{(i)})$ and the answer it got was $x^{(i)}$. Define view v of \mathcal{D} as $v = ((x^{(1)}, y^{(1)}), \ldots, (x^{(m)}, y^{(m)})).$

Without loss of generality, we assume that $\{x^{(i)}\}_{1 \le i \le m}$ are all distinct, and $\{y^{(i)}\}_{1\leq i\leq m}$ are all distinct.

Since $\mathcal D$ has unbounded computational power, $\mathcal D$ can be assumed to be deterministic. Therefore, the final output of D (0 or 1) depends only on v. Hence denote by $\mathcal{C}_{\mathcal{D}}(v)$ the final output of \mathcal{D} .

Let
$$
\mathbf{v}_{one} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \{v \mid \mathcal{C}_{\mathcal{D}}(v) = 1\}
$$
 and $N_{one} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \# \mathbf{v}_{one}$.

Evaluation of p_R . From the definition of p_R , we have

$$
p_R = \Pr_R(\mathcal{D}^{R,R^{-1}}(1^{2n}) = 1)
$$

=
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\frac{\# \{R \mid \mathcal{D}^{R,R^{-1}}(1^{2n}) = 1\}}{(2^{2n})!}.
$$

For each $v \in v_{one}$, the number of R such that

$$
R(x^{(i)}) = y^{(i)} \text{ for } 1 \le \forall i \le m \tag{2}
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is exactly $(2^{2n} - m)!$. Therefore, we have

$$
p_R = \sum_{v \in v_{one}} \frac{\# \{ R \mid R \text{ satisfying (2)} \}}{(2^{2n})!}
$$

$$
= N_{one} \cdot \frac{(2^{2n} - m)!}{(2^{2n})!}.
$$

Evaluation of p_{ψ} . From the definition of p_{ψ} , we have

$$
p_{\psi} = \Pr_{h_1, p, h_5}(\mathcal{D}^{\psi, \psi^{-1}}(1^{2n}) = 1)
$$

=
$$
\frac{\# \{(h_1, p, h_5) \mid \mathcal{D}^{\psi, \psi^{-1}}(1^{2n}) = 1\}}{(\#H_n^0)(2^n)!(\#H_n^1)}
$$

Similarly to p_R , we have

$$
p_{\psi} = \sum_{v \in \mathbf{v}_{one}} \frac{\#\{(h_1, p, h_5) \mid (h_1, p, h_5) \text{ satisfying (1)}\}}{(\#H_n^0)(2^n)!(\#H_n^1)}
$$

Then from Lemma 3.1, we obtain that

$$
p_{\psi} \ge \sum_{v \in v_{one}} \frac{(2^n - 2m)! \left(1 - 2\epsilon \cdot m(m - 1) - \frac{2m^2}{2^n}\right)}{(2^n)!}
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$$
= N_{one} \frac{(2^n - 2m)!}{(2^n)!} \left(1 - 2\epsilon \cdot m(m - 1) - \frac{2m^2}{2^n} \right)
$$

=
$$
p_R \frac{(2^{2n})!(2^n - 2m)!}{(2^{2n} - m)!(2^n)!} \left(1 - 2\epsilon \cdot m(m - 1) - \frac{2m^2}{2^n} \right)
$$

Since $\frac{(2^{2n})!(2^n-2m)!}{(2^{2n}-m)!(2^n)!} \ge 1$ (This can be shown easily by an induction on m), we have

$$
p_{\psi} \ge p_R \left(1 - 2\epsilon \cdot m(m-1) - \frac{2m^2}{2^n} \right)
$$

$$
\ge p_R - 2\epsilon \cdot m(m-1) - \frac{2m^2}{2^n} . \tag{3}
$$

Applying the same argument to $1 - p_{\psi}$ and $1 - p_R$ yields that

$$
1 - p_{\psi} \ge 1 - p_R - 2\epsilon \cdot m(m - 1) - \frac{2m^2}{2^n} \tag{4}
$$

Finally, (3) and (4) give $|p_{\psi} - p_R| \leq 2\epsilon \cdot m(m-1) + \frac{2m^2}{2^n}$.

3.2 Super-pseudorandomness of MISTY_{2n}^{11}

Let D be a super-pseudorandom distinguisher for MISTY_{2n}. D also has oracle access to p and p^{-1} , where p and p^{-1} are the third and fourth round permutations of MISTY¹¹_{2n} respectively. D makes at most m queries in total. We consider two experiments, experiment 0 and experiment 1 . In experiment 0 , D has oracle access to not only ψ and ψ^{-1} , but also p and p^{-1} , where ψ is randomly chosen from MISTY¹¹_{2n}. In experiment 1, \mathcal{D} has oracle access to R, R^{-1} , p and p^{-1} , where R is randomly chosen from P_{2n} and p is randomly chosen from P_n .

Define the advantage of D as follows.

$$
\text{Adv}(\mathcal{D}) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} |p_{\psi} - p_R|
$$

where

$$
\begin{cases} p_{\psi} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \Pr(\mathcal{D}^{\psi,\psi^{-1},p,p^{-1}}(1^{2n}) = 1 \mid \psi \stackrel{R}{\leftarrow} \text{MISTY}_{2n}^{11}) \\ p_R \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \Pr(\mathcal{D}^{R,R^{-1},p,p^{-1}}(1^{2n}) = 1 \mid R \stackrel{R}{\leftarrow} P_{2n}, p \stackrel{R}{\leftarrow} P_n) \end{cases}
$$

Lemma 3.2. Let m_0 and m_1 be integers. Fix $x^{(i)} \in \{0,1\}^{2n}$ and $y^{(i)} \in \{0,1\}^{2n}$ $for 1 \leq i \leq m_0$ arbitrarily in such a way that $\{x^{(i)}\}_{1 \leq i \leq m_0}$ are all distinct and $\{y^{(i)}\}_{1\leq i\leq m_0}$ are all distinct. Similarly, fix $X^{(i)} \in \{0,1\}^n$ and $Y^{(i)} \in \{0,1\}^n$ for $1 \leq i \leq m_1$ arbitrarily in such a way that $\{X^{(i)}\}_{1 \leq i \leq m_1}$ are all distinct and ${Y^{(i)}}_{1 \leq i \leq m_1}$ are all distinct.

Then the number of $\psi \in \text{MISTY}_{2n}^{11}$ such that

$$
\psi(x^{(i)}) = y^{(i)} \text{ for } 1 \le \forall i \le m_0 \text{ and } p(X^{(i)}) = Y^{(i)} \text{ for } 1 \le \forall i \le m_1 \qquad (5)
$$

is at least

$$
(\#H_n^1)^2(2^n - 2m_0 - m_1)!\left(1 - 2\epsilon \cdot m_0(m_0 - 1) - \frac{4m_0m_1}{2^n} - \frac{2m_0^2}{2^n}\right) .
$$

A proof is given in Appendix B.

Theorem 3.2. For any super-pseudorandom distinguisher D that also has oracle access to p and p^{-1} and makes at most m queries in total,

$$
\text{Adv}(\mathcal{D}) \leq 2\epsilon \cdot m(m-1) + \frac{6m^2}{2^n}
$$

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Proof. Let $\mathcal{O} = R$ or ψ . The super-pseudorandom distinguisher \mathcal{D} has oracle access to $\mathcal{O}, \mathcal{O}^{-1}, p$ and p^{-1} . Assume that $\mathcal D$ makes m_0 queries to $\mathcal O$ or $\mathcal{O}^{-1},$ and m_1 queries to p or p^{-1} , where $m = m_0 + m_1$.

There are four types of queries $\mathcal D$ can make: either $(+, x)$ which denotes the query "what is $\mathcal{O}(x)$?", $(-, y)$ which denotes the query "what is $\mathcal{O}^{-1}(y)$?", $(+, X)$ which denotes the query "what is $p(X)$?", or $(-, Y)$ which denotes the query "what is $p^{-1}(Y)$?" For the *i*-th query D makes to O or O^{-1} , define the query-answer pair $(x^{(i)}, y^{(i)}) \in \{0, 1\}^{2n} \times \{0, 1\}^{2n}$, where either D's query was $(+, x^{(i)})$ and the answer it got was $y^{(i)}$ or D's query was $(-, y^{(i)})$ and the answer it got was $x^{(i)}$. Similarly for the *i*-th query D makes to p or p^{-1} , define the queryanswer pair $(X^{(i)}, Y^{(i)}) \in \{0,1\}^n \times \{0,1\}^n$, where either D's query was $(+, X^{(i)})$ and the answer it got was $Y^{(i)}$ or \mathcal{D} 's query was $(-, Y^{(i)})$ and the answer it got was $X^{(i)}$. Define view v and V of D as $v = ((x^{(1)}, y^{(1)}), \ldots, (x^{(m_0)}, y^{(m_0)}))$ and $V = ((X^{(1)}, Y^{(1)}), \ldots, (X^{(m_1)}, Y^{(m_1)}))$. Without loss of generality, we assume that $\{x^{(i)}\}_{1 \leq i \leq m_0}$ are all distinct, $\{y^{(i)}\}_{1 \leq i \leq m_0}$ are all distinct, $\{X^{(i)}\}_{1 \leq i \leq m_1}$ are all distinct and $\{Y^{(i)}\}_{1 \leq i \leq m_1}$ are all distinct.

Then similarly to the proof of Theorem 3.1, denote by $\mathcal{C}_{\mathcal{D}}(v, V)$ the final output of D.

Let
$$
(v, V)_{one} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \{(v, V) | C_{\mathcal{D}}(v, V) = 1\}
$$
 and $N_{one} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \#(v, V)_{one}$.

Evaluation of p_R . From the definition of p_R , we have

$$
p_R = \Pr_{R,p}(\mathcal{D}^{R,R^{-1},p,p^{-1}}(1^{2n}) = 1)
$$

=
$$
\frac{\# \{(R,p) \mid \mathcal{D}^{R,R^{-1},p,p^{-1}}(1^{2n}) = 1\}}{(2^{2n})!(2^n)!}.
$$

For each $(v, V) \in (\boldsymbol{v}, V)_{one}$, the number of (R, p) such that

$$
R(x^{(i)}) = y^{(i)} \text{ for } 1 \le \forall i \le m_0 \text{ and } p(X^{(i)}) = Y^{(i)} \text{ for } 1 \le \forall i \le m_1 \qquad (6)
$$

is exactly $(2^{2n} - m_0)!(2^n - m_1)!$. Therefore, we have

$$
p_R = \sum_{(v,V)\in(v,V)_{one}} \frac{\#\{(R,p) \mid (R,p) \text{ satisfying } (6)\}}{(2^{2n})!(2^n)!}
$$

$$
= N_{one} \cdot \frac{(2^{2n} - m_0)!}{(2^{2n})!} \cdot \frac{(2^n - m_1)!}{(2^{2n})!}.
$$

Evaluation of p_{ψ} . From the definition of p_{ψ} , we have

$$
p_{\psi} = \Pr_{h_1, p, h_5}(\mathcal{D}^{\psi, \psi^{-1}, p, p^{-1}}(1^{2n}) = 1)
$$

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= \frac{\#\{(h_1,p,h_5) \mid \mathcal{D}^{\psi,\psi^{-1},p,p^{-1}}(1^{2n}) = 1\}}{(\#H_n^1)^2(2^n)!} .
$$

Similarly to p_R , we have

$$
p_{\psi} = \sum_{(v,V)\in(\mathbf{v},\mathbf{V})_{one}} \frac{\#\{(h_1,p,h_5) \mid (h_1,p,h_5) \text{ satisfying (5)}\}}{(\#H_n^1)^2(2^n)!}.
$$

Then from Lemma 3.2, we obtain that

$$
p_{\psi} \geq \sum_{(v,V)\in(v,V)_{one}} \frac{(2^n - 2m_0 - m_1)! \left(1 - 2\epsilon \cdot m_0(m_0 - 1) - \frac{4m_0m_1}{2^n} - \frac{2m_0^2}{2^n}\right)}{(2^n)!}
$$

=
$$
N_{one} \frac{(2^n - 2m_0 - m_1)!}{(2^n)!} \left(1 - 2\epsilon \cdot m_0(m_0 - 1) - \frac{4m_0m_1}{2^n} - \frac{2m_0^2}{2^n}\right)
$$

=
$$
p_R \frac{(2^{2n})!(2^n - 2m_0 - m_1)!}{(2^{2n} - m_0)!(2^n - m_1)!} \left(1 - 2\epsilon \cdot m_0(m_0 - 1) - \frac{4m_0m_1}{2^n} - \frac{2m_0^2}{2^n}\right).
$$

Since $\frac{(2^{2n})!(2^n-2m_0-m_1)!}{(2^{2n}-m_0)!(2^n-m_1)!} \ge 1$ (This can be shown easily by an induction on m_0), we have

$$
p_{\psi} \ge p_R \left(1 - 2\epsilon \cdot m_0(m_0 - 1) - \frac{4m_0m_1}{2^n} - \frac{2m_0^2}{2^n} \right)
$$

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$$
\ge p_R - 2\epsilon \cdot m_0(m_0 - 1) - \frac{4m_0m_1}{2^n} - \frac{2m_0^2}{2^n}
$$

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$$
\ge p_R - 2\epsilon \cdot m(m - 1) - \frac{6m^2}{2^n} . \tag{7}
$$

Applying the same argument to $1 - p_{\psi}$ and $1 - p_R$ yields that

$$
1 - p_{\psi} \ge 1 - p_R - 2\epsilon \cdot m(m - 1) - \frac{6m^2}{2^n} \tag{8}
$$

Finally, (7) and (8) give $|p_{\psi} - p_R| \leq 2\epsilon \cdot m(m-1) + \frac{6m^2}{2^n}$.

4 Negative result

Let g be a fixed and publicly known XOR-distinct permutation. In Theorem 3.2, we showed that $\psi(h_1, g, p, p^{-1}, h_5^{-1})$ is super-pseudorandom even if the distinguisher has oracle access to p and p^{-1} , where h_1 and h_5 are uniform ϵ -XOR universal permutations, and p is a random permutation.

One might think that $\psi(h_1, g, p, p, h_5^{-1})$ is super-pseudorandom even if the distinguisher has oracle access to p and p^{-1} . In this section, however, we show that this is not true. We can distinguish $\psi(h_1, g, p, p, h_5^{-1})$ from a random permutation with advantage very close to 1.

More generally, let $p_1, p_2, p, p_5 \in P_n$ be random permutations and $\psi =$ $\psi(p_1, p_2, p, p, p_5)$. We prove that ψ is not pseudorandom if the distinguisher has oracle access to p_2 , p_2^{-1} and p. This proof implies that for any fixed and public g, $\psi(p_1, g, p, p, p_5)$ is not super-pseudorandom nor pseudorandom if the distinguisher has oracle access to p .

Define the advantage of D as follows.

$$
\text{Adv}(\mathcal{D}) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} |p_{\psi} - p_R|
$$

where

$$
\begin{cases} p_{\psi} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \Pr(\mathcal{D}^{\psi, p_2, p_2^{-1}, p}(1^{2n}) = 1 \mid p_1, p_2, p, p_5 \stackrel{R}{\leftarrow} P_n, \psi = \psi(p_1, p_2, p, p, p_5)) \\ p_R \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \Pr(\mathcal{D}^{R, p_2, p_2^{-1}, p}(1^{2n}) = 1 \mid R \stackrel{R}{\leftarrow} P_{2n}, p_2, p \stackrel{R}{\leftarrow} P_n) \end{cases}
$$

Theorem 4.1. There exists a pseudorandom distinguisher D that has oracle access to p_2 , p_2^{-1} and p and makes 6 queries in total,

$$
\mathrm{Adv}(\mathcal{D}) \geq 1 - \frac{2}{2^n} \enspace.
$$

Proof. Let $\mathcal{O} = R$ or ψ . Our distinguisher \mathcal{D} has oracle access to $\mathcal{O}, p_2, p_2^{-1}$ and p. Consider the following \mathcal{D} :

- 1. Ask $(0, ..., 0) \in \{0, 1\}^n$ to p_2^{-1} and obtain A.
- 2. Pick $X, A' \in \{0, 1\}^n$ such that $A \neq A'$ arbitrarily.
- 3. Ask (X, A) to $\mathcal O$ and obtain (Y, B) .
- 4. Ask $A \oplus A'$ to p_2 and obtain C.
- 5. Ask $A' \oplus B$ to p and obtain D.
- 6. Ask $A' \oplus B \oplus C$ to p and obtain E.
- 7. Ask $(X, A \oplus A')$ to $\mathcal O$ and obtain (Z, F) .
- 8. Output "1" if and only if $F = A' \oplus B \oplus C \oplus D \oplus E$.

If $\mathcal{O} = \psi$, then B is the input to p in both third round and fourth round at step 3 since $p_2(A) = (0, \ldots, 0)$. Therefore we have $p_1(X) \oplus A = B$. Now the input to p in the third round at step 7 is $p_1(X) \oplus A \oplus A'$ which is equivalent to $A' \oplus B$. Next the input to p in the fourth round at step 7 is $A' \oplus B \oplus C$ since $p_2(A \oplus A') = C$. Then we always have $F = A' \oplus B \oplus C \oplus D \oplus E$ at step 8. Hence we have $p_{\psi} = 1$.

If $\mathcal{O} = R$, we have $p_R = \frac{2^n}{2^{2n}}$ $\frac{2^n}{2^{2n}-1} \leq \frac{2}{2^n}.$

Corollary 4.1. For any fixed and public g, $\psi(p_1, g, p, p, p_5)$ is not super-pseudorandom if the distinguisher has oracle access to p.

Proof. From the proof of Theorem 4.1.

5 Conclusion

In this paper, we proposed more efficient constructions of super-pseudorandom permutations based on the five round MISTY type permutation than those given in [3] .

In particular, we showed that the second round permutation q need not be cryptographic at all, i.e., no randomness nor secrecy is required.

More precisely, let p and p_i be random permutations, then we proved that

- 1. $\psi(h_1, g, p, p^{-1}, h_5^{-1})$ is super-pseudorandom, where h_1 is an ϵ -XOR universal permutation, g is a (publicly known and fixed) XOR-distinct permutation, and h_5 is a uniform ϵ -XOR universal permutation (Theorem 3.1),
- 2. $\psi(h_1, g, p, p^{-1}, h_5^{-1})$ is super-pseudorandom, even if the adversary has oracle access to p and p^{-1} , where h_1 and h_5 are uniform ϵ -XOR universal permutations, and g is a (publicly known and fixed) XOR-distinct permutation (Theorem 3.2),
- 3. but $\psi(p_1, p_2, p, p, p_5)$ is not pseudorandom nor super-pseudorandom, if the adversary has oracle access to p_2 , p_2^{-1} and p (Theorem 4.1).

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Appendix A. Proof of Lemma 3.1

In ψ , we denote by $I_3^{(i)} \in \{0,1\}^n$ the input to p in the third round, and denote by $O_3^{(i)} \in \{0,1\}^n$ the output of it. Similarly, $I_4^{(i)}$, $O_4^{(i)} \in \{0,1\}^n$ are the input and output of p in the fourth round, respectively. That is, $p(I_3^{(i)}) = O_3^{(i)}$ and $p(I_4^{(i)}) = O_4^{(i)}$.

Number of h_1 . First, for any fixed i and j such that $1 \le i < j \le m$:

- if $x_L^{(i)} = x_L^{(j)}$, then there exists no h_1 such that

$$
h_1(x_L^{(i)}) \oplus x_R^{(i)} = h_1(x_L^{(j)}) \oplus x_R^{(j)}
$$
(9)

since $x_L^{(i)} = x_L^{(j)}$ implies $x_R^{(i)} \neq x_R^{(j)}$;

– if $x_L^{(i)} \neq x_L^{(j)}$, then the number of h_1 which satisfies (9) is at most $\epsilon \# H_n^0$ since h_1 is an ϵ -XOR universal permutation.

Therefore, the number of h_1 such that

$$
h_1(x_L^{(i)}) \oplus x_R^{(i)} = h_1(x_L^{(j)}) \oplus x_R^{(j)} \text{ for } 1 \le \exists i < \exists j \le m \tag{10}
$$

is at most $\epsilon {m \choose 2} \# H_n^0$.

Next, for any fixed i and j such that $1 \leq i < j \leq m$:

- if $x_L^{(i)} = x_L^{(j)}$, then there exists no h_1 such that

$$
h_1(x_L^{(i)}) \oplus g(x_R^{(i)}) \oplus x_R^{(i)} = h_1(x_L^{(j)}) \oplus g(x_R^{(j)}) \oplus x_R^{(j)}
$$
(11)

since $x_L^{(i)} = x_L^{(j)}$ implies $x_R^{(i)} \neq x_R^{(j)}$, and our XOR-distinct g guarantees $g(x_R^{(i)}) \oplus x_R^{(i)} \neq g(x_R^{(j)}) \oplus x_R^{(j)};$

– if $x_L^{(i)} \neq x_L^{(j)}$, then the number of h_1 which satisfies (11) is at most $\epsilon \# H_n^0$ since h_1 is an ϵ -XOR universal permutation.

Therefore, the number of h_1 such that

$$
h_1(x_L^{(i)}) \oplus g(x_R^{(i)}) \oplus x_R^{(i)} = h_1(x_L^{(j)}) \oplus g(x_R^{(j)}) \oplus x_R^{(j)} \text{ for } 1 \le \exists i < \exists j \le m \quad (12)
$$

is at most $\epsilon \binom{m}{2} \# H_n^0$.

Then, from (10) and (12), the number of h_1 such that

$$
h_1(x_L^{(i)}) \oplus x_R^{(i)} \neq h_1(x_L^{(j)}) \oplus x_R^{(j)} \text{ for } 1 \le \forall i < \forall j \le m, \text{ and}
$$

\n
$$
h_1(x_L^{(i)}) \oplus g(x_R^{(i)}) \oplus x_R^{(i)} \neq h_1(x_L^{(j)}) \oplus g(x_R^{(j)}) \oplus x_R^{(j)} \text{ for } 1 \le \forall i < \forall j \le m
$$

\n(13)

is at least $\#H_n^0-2\epsilon\binom{m}{2}\#H_n^0$. Fix h_1 which satisfies (13) arbitrarily. This implies 2 that $I_3^{(1)}, \ldots, I_3^{(m)}$ and $O_4^{(1)}, \ldots, O_4^{(m)}$ are fixed in such a way that:

$$
- I_3^{(i)} \neq I_3^{(j)} \text{ for } 1 \leq \forall i < \forall j \leq m \text{, and}
$$

$$
- O_4^{(i)} \neq O_4^{(j)} \text{ for } 1 \le \forall i < \forall j \le m.
$$

Number of h_5 **.** Similarly, the number of h_5 such that

$$
h_5(y_L^{(i)} \oplus y_R^{(i)}) \oplus y_R^{(i)} \neq h_5(y_L^{(j)} \oplus y_R^{(j)}) \oplus y_R^{(j)}
$$
 for $1 \leq \forall i < \forall j \leq m$,
\n
$$
h_5(y_L^{(i)} \oplus y_R^{(i)}) \oplus O_4^{(i)} \neq h_5(y_L^{(j)} \oplus y_R^{(j)}) \oplus O_4^{(j)}
$$
 for $1 \leq \forall i < \forall j \leq m$,
\n
$$
h_5(y_L^{(i)} \oplus y_R^{(i)}) \oplus O_4^{(i)} \neq O_4^{(j)}
$$
 for $1 \leq \forall i, \forall j \leq m$, and
\n
$$
h_5(y_L^{(i)} \oplus y_R^{(i)}) \oplus y_R^{(i)} \neq I_3^{(j)}
$$
 for $1 \leq \forall i, \forall j \leq m$, (14)

is at least $\#H_n^1 - 2\epsilon {m \choose 2} \#H_n^1 - \frac{2m^2 \#H_n^1}{2^n}$. Fix h_5 which satisfies (14) arbitrarily. This implies that $O_3^{(1)}, \ldots, O_3^{(m)}$ and $I_4^{(1)}, \ldots, I_4^{(m)}$ are fixed in such a way that:

$$
- I_4^{(i)} \neq I_4^{(j)} \text{ for } 1 \leq \forall i < \forall j \leq m,
$$

\n
$$
- O_3^{(i)} \neq O_3^{(j)} \text{ for } 1 \leq \forall i < \forall j \leq m,
$$

\n
$$
- O_3^{(i)} \neq O_4^{(j)} \text{ for } 1 \leq \forall i, \forall j \leq m, \text{ and}
$$

\n
$$
- I_4^{(i)} \neq I_3^{(j)} \text{ for } 1 \leq \forall i, \forall j \leq m.
$$

Number of p. Now h_1 and h_5 are fixed in such a way that

$$
I_3^{(1)}, \ldots, I_3^{(m)}, I_4^{(1)}, \ldots, I_4^{(m)}
$$

(which are inputs to p) are all distinct and

$$
O_3^{(1)}, \ldots, O_3^{(m)}, O_4^{(1)}, \ldots, O_4^{(m)}
$$

(which are corresponding outputs of p) are all distinct. In other words, for p , the above $2m$ input-output pairs are determined. The other $2ⁿ - 2m$ input-output pairs are undetermined. Therefore we have $(2^{n} - 2m)!$ possible choice of p for any such fixed h_1 and h_5 .

To summarize, we have:

- − at least $#H_n^0 2\epsilon \binom{m}{2} \#H_n^0$ choice of h_1 , 2
- − at least $#H_n^1 2\epsilon {m \choose 2} #H_n^1 \frac{2m^2#H_n^1}{2^n}$ choice of h_5 when h_1 is fixed, and – $(2^n - 2m)!$ choice of p when h_1 and h_5 are fixed.

Then the number of $\psi \in \text{MISTY}_{2n}^{01}$ which satisfy (1) is at least

$$
(\#H_n^0)(\#H_n^1)(2^n - 2m)!\left(1 - 2\epsilon \binom{m}{2}\right)\left(1 - 2\epsilon \binom{m}{2} - \frac{2m^2}{2^n}\right)
$$

$$
\geq (\#H_n^0)(\#H_n^1)(2^n - 2m)!\left(1 - 2\epsilon \cdot m(m-1) - \frac{2m^2}{2^n}\right)
$$

This concludes the proof of the lemma.

Appendix B. Proof of Lemma 3.2

We use the same definition of $I_3^{(i)}$, $O_3^{(i)}$, $I_4^{(i)}$ and $O_4^{(i)}$ as in the proof of Lemma 3.1.

Number of h_1 **.** First, similarly to the proof of Lemma 3.1, the number of h_1 such that

$$
h_1(x_L^{(i)}) \oplus x_R^{(i)} \neq h_1(x_L^{(j)}) \oplus x_R^{(j)}
$$
 for $1 \leq \forall i < \forall j \leq m_0$,
\n
$$
h_1(x_L^{(i)}) \oplus x_R^{(i)} \neq X^{(j)}
$$
 for $1 \leq \forall i \leq m_0$ and $1 \leq \forall j \leq m_1$,
\n
$$
h_1(x_L^{(i)}) \oplus g(x_R^{(i)}) \oplus x_R^{(i)} \neq h_1(x_L^{(j)}) \oplus g(x_R^{(j)}) \oplus x_R^{(j)}
$$
 for $1 \leq \forall i < \forall j \leq m_0$,
\n
$$
h_1(x_L^{(i)}) \oplus g(x_R^{(i)}) \oplus x_R^{(i)} \neq Y^{(j)}
$$
 for $1 \leq \forall i \leq m_0$ and $1 \leq \forall j \leq m_1$ (15)

is at least $\#H_n^1-2\epsilon\binom{m_0}{2}\#H_n^1-\frac{2m_0m_1\#H_n^1}{2^n}$. Fix h_1 which satisfies (15) arbitrarily. This implies that $I_3^{(1)}, \ldots, I_3^{(m_0)}$ and $O_4^{(1)}, \ldots, O_4^{(m_0)}$ are fixed in such a way that:

-
$$
I_3^{(i)} \neq I_3^{(j)}
$$
 for $1 \leq \forall i < \forall j \leq m_0$,
\n- $I_3^{(i)} \neq X^{(j)}$ for $1 \leq \forall i \leq m_0$ and $1 \leq \forall j \leq m_1$,
\n- $O_4^{(i)} \neq O_4^{(j)}$ for $1 \leq \forall i < \forall j \leq m_0$, and
\n- $O_4^{(i)} \neq Y^{(j)}$ for $1 \leq \forall i \leq m_0$ and $1 \leq \forall j \leq m_1$.

Number of h_5 **.** Similarly, the number of h_5 such that

$$
h_5(y_L^{(i)} \oplus y_R^{(i)}) \oplus y_R^{(i)} \neq h_5(y_L^{(j)} \oplus y_R^{(j)}) \oplus y_R^{(j)}
$$
 for $1 \leq \forall i < \forall j \leq m_0$,
\n
$$
h_5(y_L^{(i)} \oplus y_R^{(i)}) \oplus y_R^{(i)} \neq X^{(j)}
$$
 for $1 \leq \forall i \leq m_0$ and $1 \leq \forall j \leq m_0$,
\n
$$
h_5(y_L^{(i)} \oplus y_R^{(i)}) \oplus O_4^{(i)} \neq h_5(y_L^{(j)} \oplus y_R^{(j)}) \oplus O_4^{(j)}
$$
 for $1 \leq \forall i < \forall j \leq m_0$,
\n
$$
h_5(y_L^{(i)} \oplus y_R^{(i)}) \oplus O_4^{(i)} \neq Y^{(j)}
$$
 for $1 \leq \forall i \leq m_0$ and $1 \leq \forall j \leq m_0$,
\n
$$
h_5(y_L^{(i)} \oplus y_R^{(i)}) \oplus O_4^{(i)} \neq O_4^{(j)}
$$
 for $1 \leq \forall i, \forall j \leq m_0$, and
\n
$$
h_5(y_L^{(i)} \oplus y_R^{(i)}) \oplus y_R^{(i)} \neq I_3^{(j)}
$$
 for $1 \leq \forall i, \forall j \leq m_0$, (16)

is at least $\#H_n^1 - 2\epsilon \binom{m_0}{2} \#H_n^1 - \frac{2m_0m_1 \#H_n^1}{2^n} - \frac{2m_0^2 \#H_n^1}{2^n}$. Fix h_5 which satisfies (16) arbitrarily. This implies that $O_3^{(1)}, \ldots, O_3^{(m_0)}$ and $I_4^{(1)}, \ldots, I_4^{(m_0)}$ are fixed in such a way that:

$$
I_4^{(i)} \neq I_4^{(j)} \text{ for } 1 \leq \forall i < \forall j \leq m_0, - I_4^{(i)} \neq X^{(j)} \text{ for } 1 \leq \forall i \leq m_0 \text{ and } 1 \leq \forall j \leq m_1, - O_3^{(i)} \neq O_3^{(j)} \text{ for } 1 \leq \forall i < \forall j \leq m_0, - O_3^{(i)} \neq Y^{(j)} \text{ for } 1 \leq \forall i \leq m_0 \text{ and } 1 \leq \forall j \leq m_1, - O_3^{(i)} \neq O_4^{(j)} \text{ for } 1 \leq \forall i, \forall j \leq m_0, \text{ and } - I_4^{(i)} \neq I_3^{(j)} \text{ for } 1 \leq \forall i, \forall j \leq m_0.
$$

Number of p. Now h_1 and h_5 are fixed in such a way that

$$
I_3^{(1)}, \ldots, I_3^{(m_0)}, I_4^{(1)}, \ldots, I_4^{(m_0)}, X^{(1)}, \ldots, X^{(m_1)}
$$

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(which are inputs to p) are all distinct and

$$
O_3^{(1)}, \ldots, O_3^{(m_0)}, O_4^{(1)}, \ldots, O_4^{(m_0)}, Y^{(1)}, \ldots, Y^{(m_1)}
$$

(which are corresponding outputs of p) are all distinct. Then we have $(2ⁿ 2m_0 - m_1$)! possible choice of p for any such fixed h_1 and h_5 .

To summarize, we have:

- − at least $#H_n^1 2\epsilon \binom{m_0}{2} \#H_n^1 \frac{2m_0m_1 \#H_n^1}{2^n}$ choice of h_1 ,
- at least $#H_n^1 2\epsilon {m_0 \choose 2} #H_n^1 \frac{2m_0m_1 \#H_n^1}{2^n} \frac{2m_0^2 \#H_n^1}{2^n}$ choice of h_5 when h_1 is fixed, and
- $(2^n 2m_0 m_1)!$ choice of p when h_1 and h_5 are fixed.

Then the number of $\psi \in \text{MISTY}_{2n}^{11}$ which satisfy (5) is at least

$$
(\#H_n^1)^2 (2^n - 2m_0 - m_1)!
$$

\n
$$
\times \left(1 - 2\epsilon {m_0 \choose 2} - \frac{2m_0m_1}{2^n}\right) \left(1 - 2\epsilon {m_0 \choose 2} - \frac{2m_0m_1}{2^n} - \frac{2m_0^2}{2^n}\right)
$$

\n
$$
\geq (\#H_n^1)^2 (2^n - 2m_0 - m_1)!\left(1 - 2\epsilon \cdot m_0(m_0 - 1) - \frac{4m_0m_1}{2^n} - \frac{2m_0^2}{2^n}\right)
$$

This concludes the proof of the lemma.