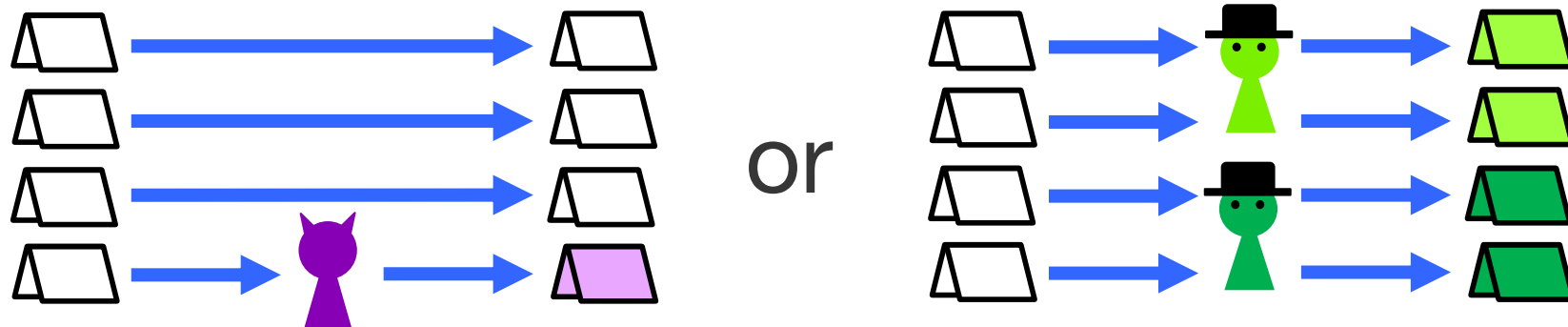


すべての通信路が敵に支配されても ゲーム理論的には安全な通信ができる

Game-Theoretically Secure Message Transmission
against Adversaries who Corrupt All Channels

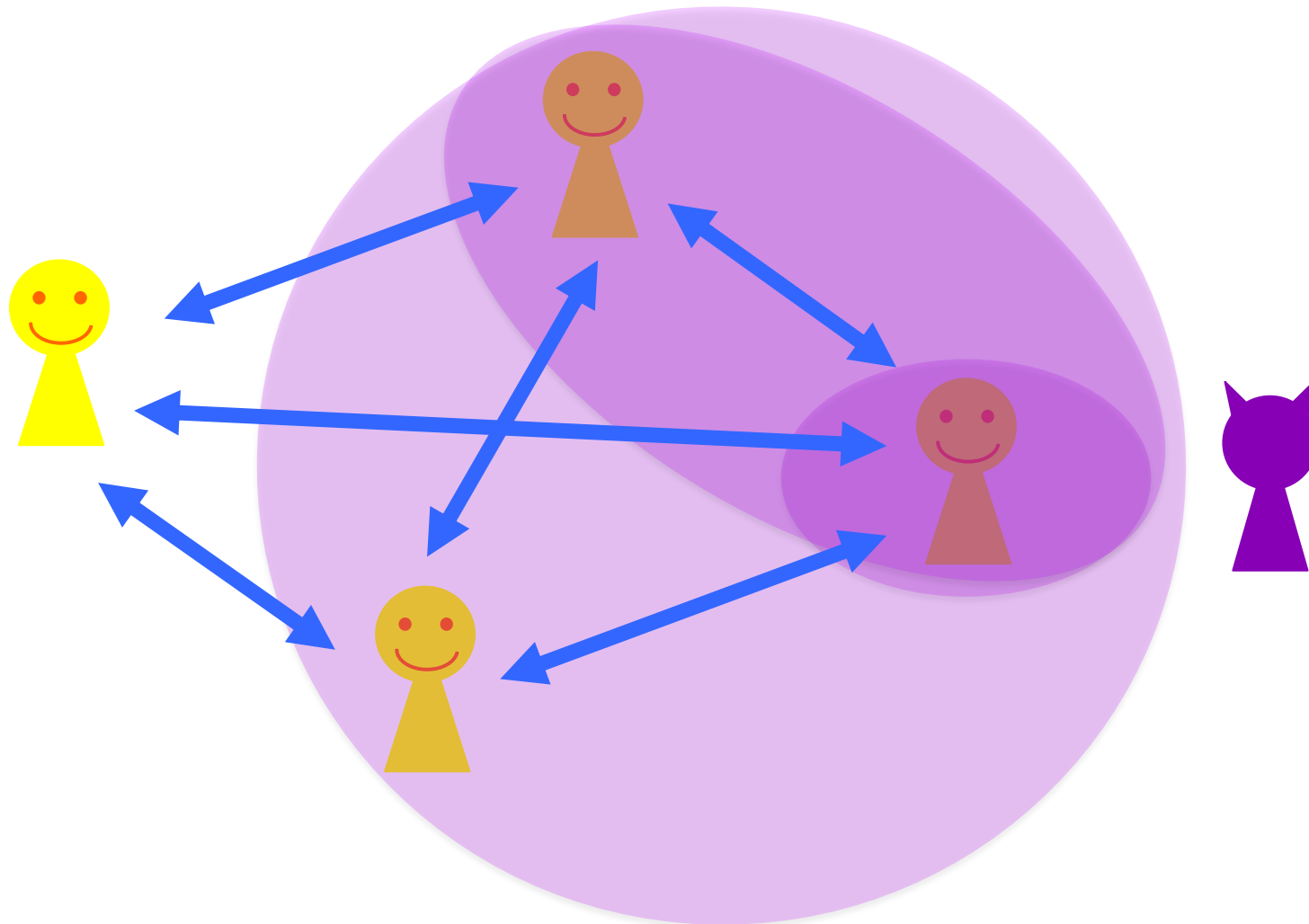


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Cryptography

- Protect honest users from malicious adversaries



Cryptography

- Q. What security is achieved if t out of n resources are corrupted?
- Resources = Parties / Channels / etc.

Ex) Typical Results of Crypto Protocols

Resilience	Achieved Security
$t < n/3$	Perfect
$t < n/2$	Almost Perfect
$t < n$	Moderate

Impression of the Results

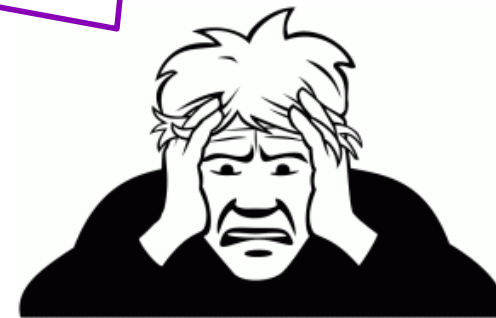
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Secure even if $t = n - 1$. Optimal!



Protocol Designer

How to guarantee one resource is NEVER corrupted?



System Manager

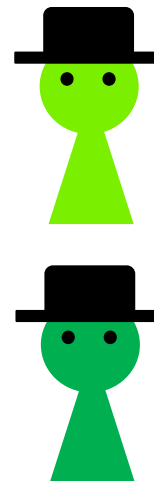
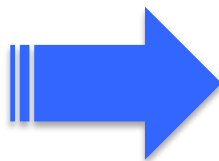
Research Question

Resilience	Achieved Security
$t < n/3$	Perfect
$t < n/2$	Almost perfect
$t < n$	Moderate
$t = n$	No security (?)

Can we achieve non-trivial security when $t = n$?

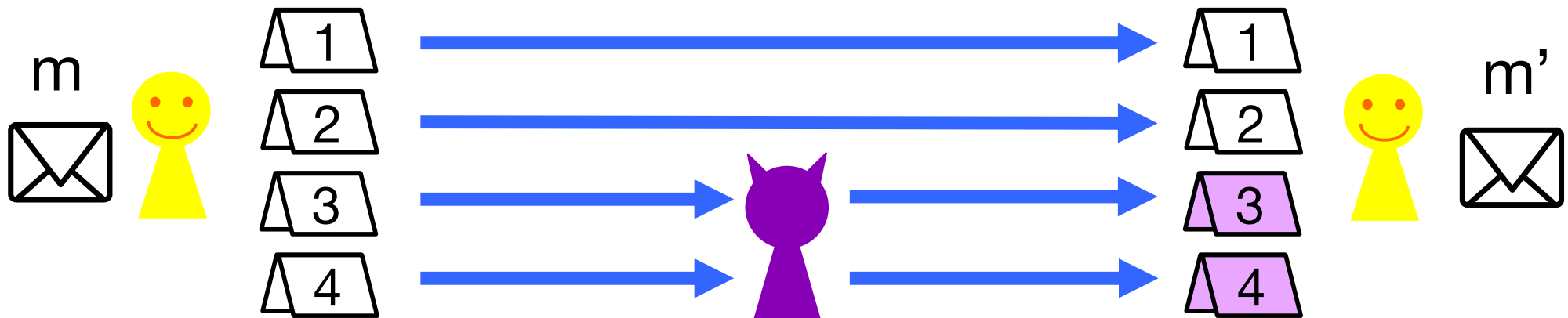
Our Results — Overview

- Achieve **game-theoretic** security when $t = n$
 - Target: Secure Message Transmission (SMT)
 - Assumption: There are **multiple** adversaries who are **rational**



Secure Message Transmission (SMT)

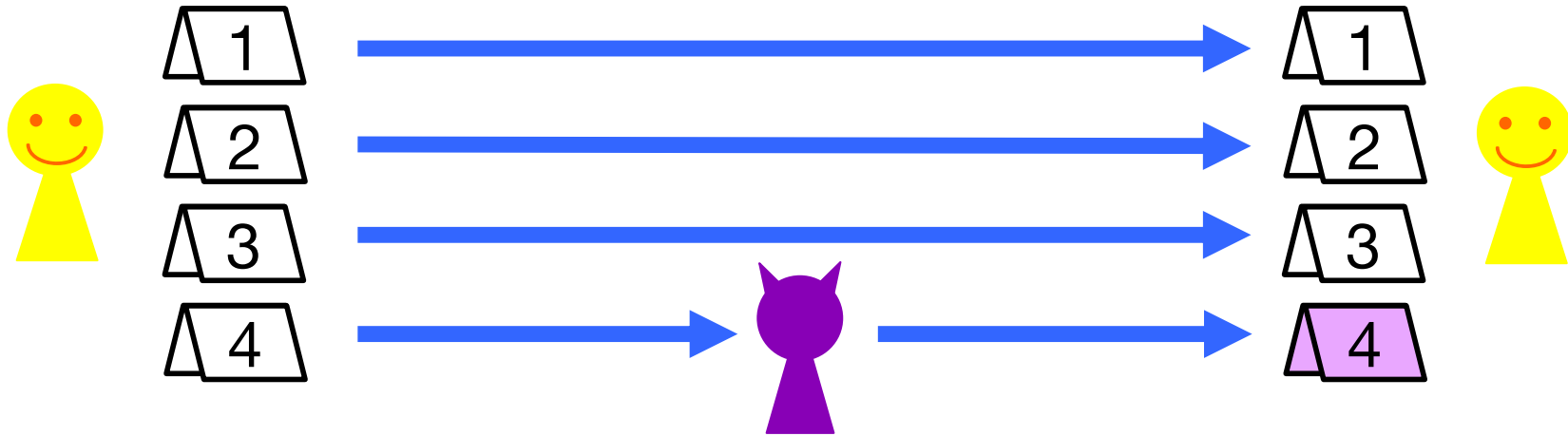
- Send messages “securely” and “reliably” through n channels
- Adversary corrupts t channels



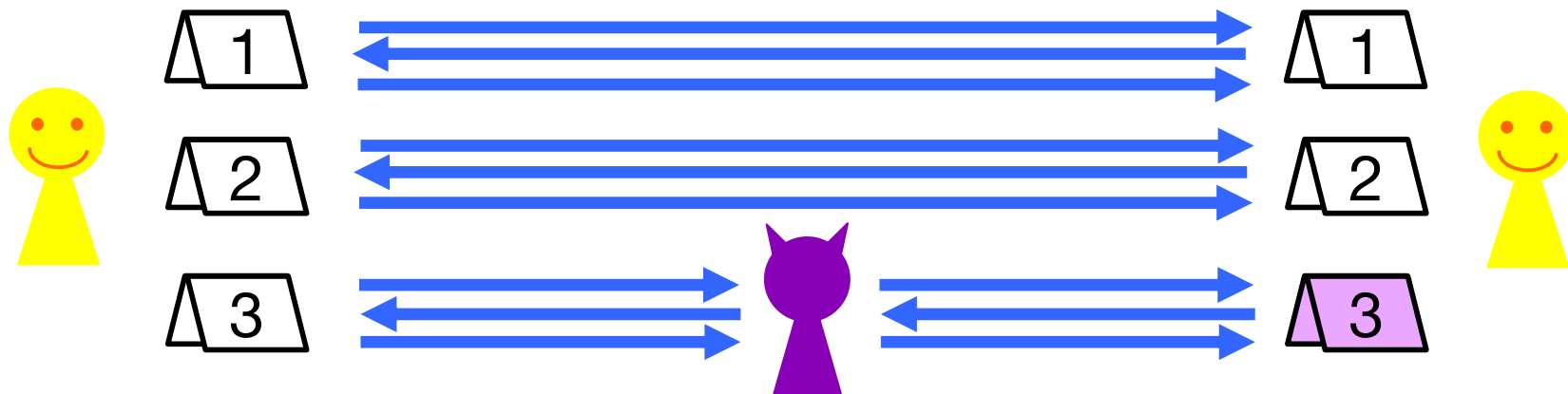
- **Secrecy:** m is hidden from Adversary
- **Reliability:** $m' = m$
- **Perfect SMT** \Leftrightarrow Perfect Secrecy & Reliability

Known Facts of Perfect SMT (PSMT)

- Fact 1. \exists 1-round PSMT $\Leftrightarrow t < n/3$

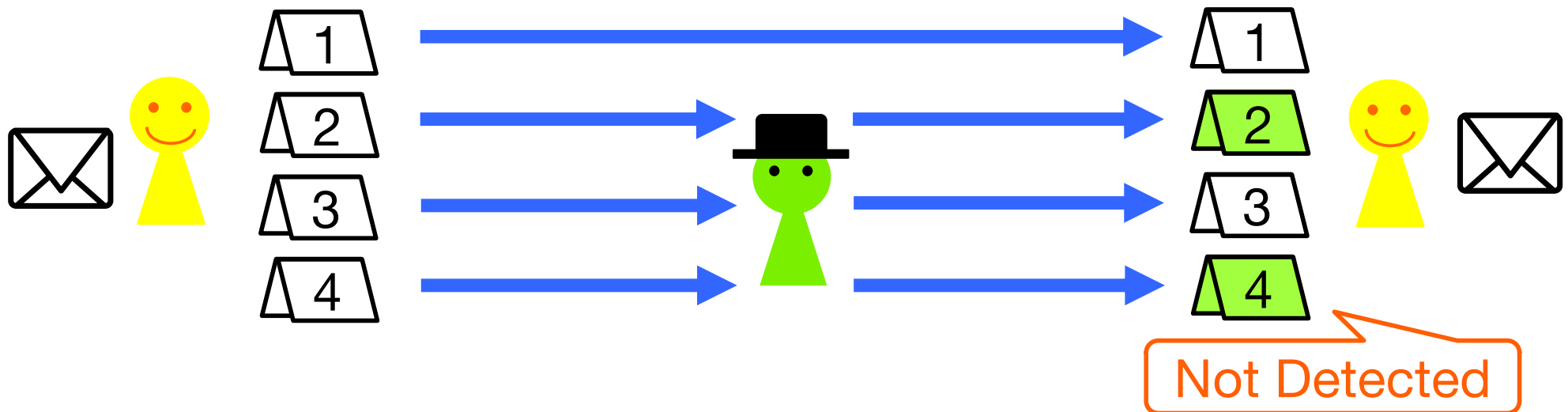


- Fact 2. \exists multi-round PSMT $\Leftrightarrow t < n/2$



Previous Work on GT security of PSMT

- Fujita, Yasunaga, Koshihara (GameSec 2018)
 - “Timid” adversary, who avoid being detected

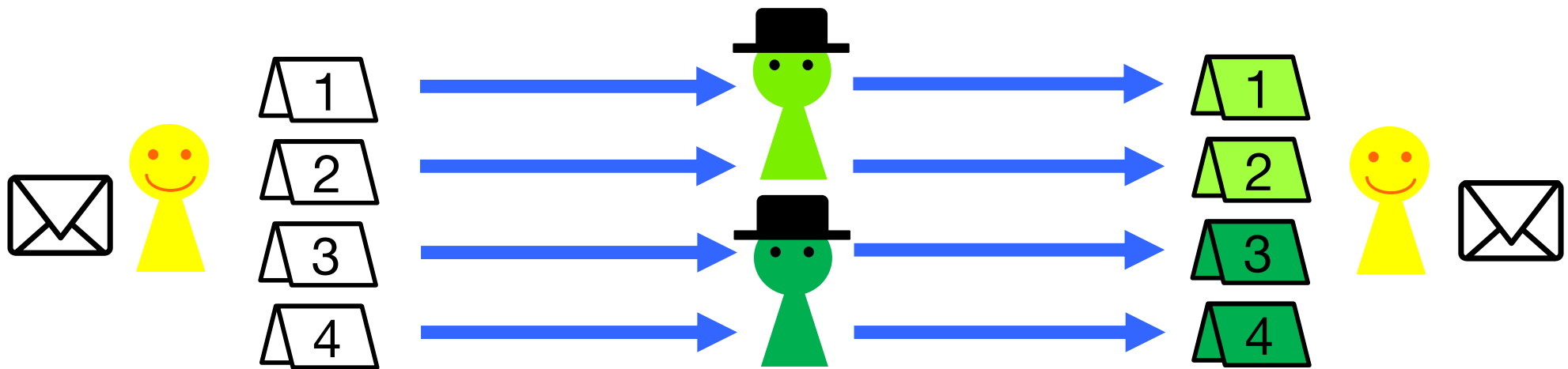


- Construct PSMT against a timid adversary corrupting $t < n$ channels

This Work

- PSMT against **multiple timid** adversaries
 - Each adversary does not cooperate
 - **All channels** can be corrupted

Impossible against a single adversary



Our Results

- Construct three PSMT protocols π_1, π_2, π_3

	Additional Assumption	t	# round	Construction Idea
π_1	—	$< n/2$	1	CISS of [Hayashi, Koshihara (2018)]
π_2	Strictly-timid adversaries	$< n$	1	π_1 & Punishment
π_3	Mixing of rational/malicious	$< n/6$	1	π_1 & Error Correction


t = # corrupted channels per adversary

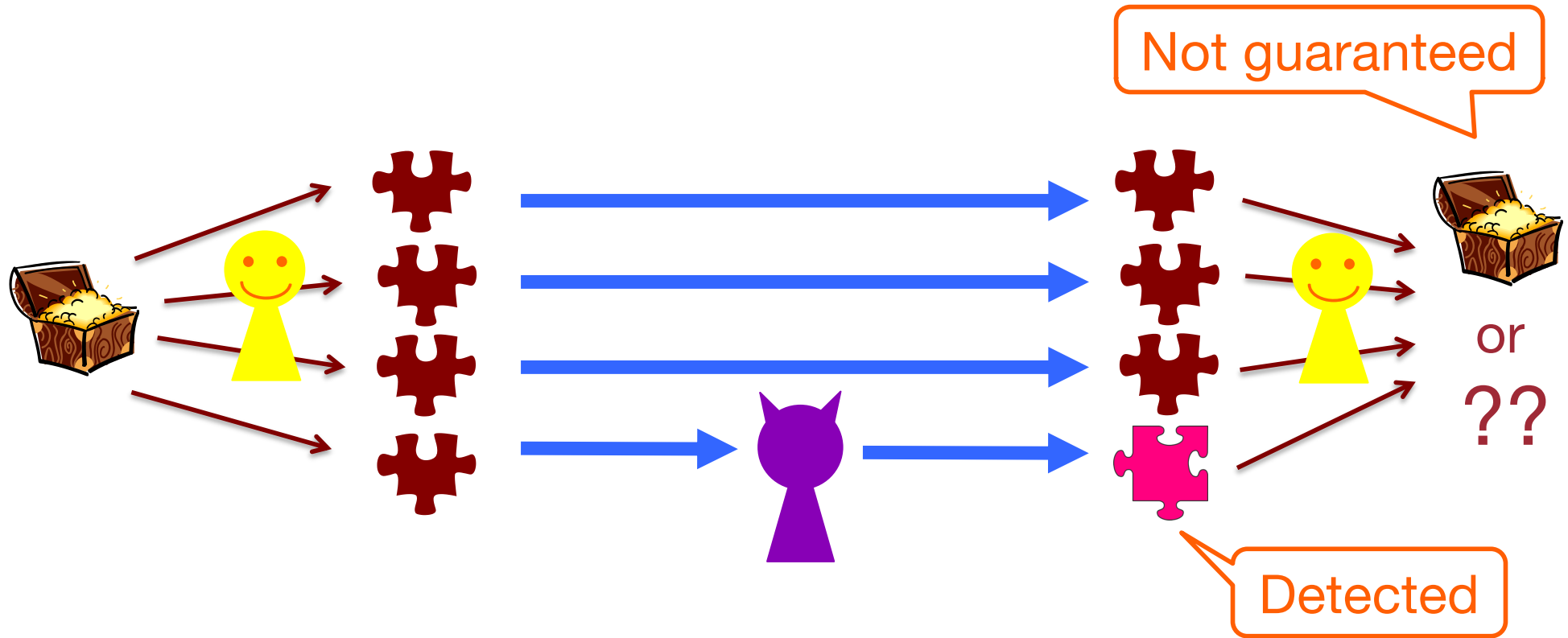
CISS = Cheater-Identifiable Secret Sharing

GT Security & Adversary's Utility

- Game-Theoretic Security:
 - Define SMT game G for rational adversaries
 - Protocol π is GT secure
 - ↔ To “do nothing” is a **Nash equilibrium** in G
- **Utility:** Timid adversaries want
 1. to violate the security requirements of SMT
 2. their actions to be undetected by π
 3. other adversaries' actions to be detected

(t, n) Secret Sharing and CISS

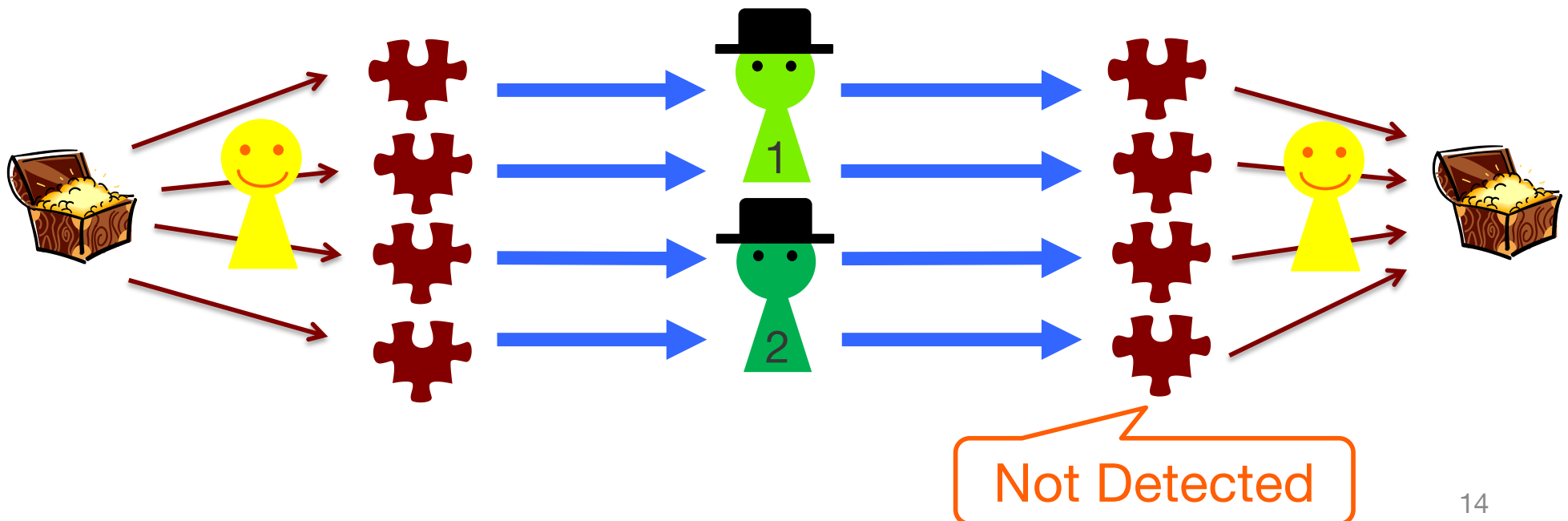
- (t, n) Secret Sharing: $\leq t$ shares reveal no info. on 
- CISS: SS that can identify the cheated shares



- CISS does not imply PSMT

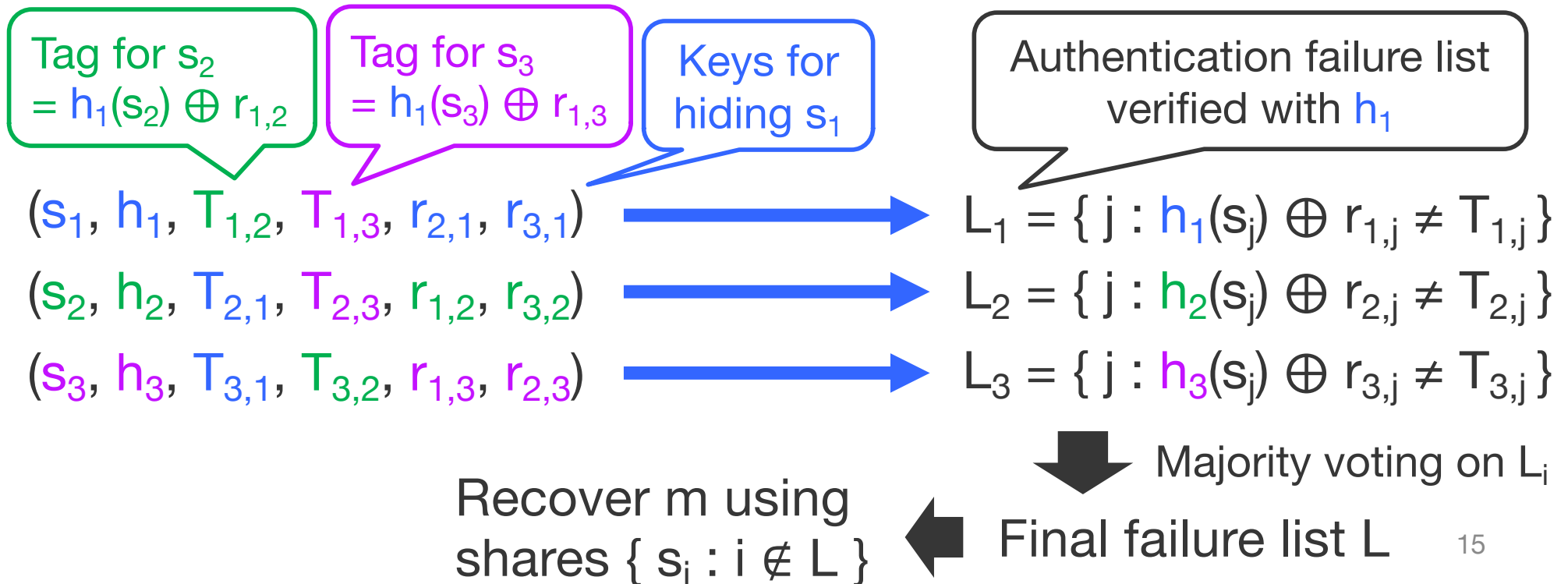
Our Idea for Protocol π_1

- CISS works as PSMT against **timid** adversaries
 - To do nothing is a Nash equilibrium
 - Use CISS of [HK18] w/ stronger hash functions



Protocol π_1

- (s_1, \dots, s_n) : shares of $((n - 1)/2, n)$ -secret sharing for $m \in \{0,1\}^s$
- $H = \{ h_i : \{0,1\}^s \rightarrow \{0,1\}^k \}$: a family of pairwise ind. hash func. h_i
 - $h_i(s_j)$: the authentication tag for s_j using h_i
- $r_{i,j} \in \{0,1\}^k$: random key for encrypting $h_i(s_j)$
 - $T_{i,j} = h_i(s_j) \oplus r_{i,j}$: encrypted tag for s_j



Security Proof of π_1

Theorem 1. π_1 is PSMT against multiple timid adversaries, each corrupting $< n/2$ channels by choosing sufficiently large k

Proof sketch:

- Suppose there exist two adversaries A_1 & A_2
- u^* = Utility when doing nothing
- To get higher utility than u^* , A_1 needs either
 1. **Violating reliability**
 - Detected w.h.p. on majority ($\geq 1 - t$) lists L_i
 2. **Cheating detection of A_2**
 - Impossible due to majority voting & $t < n/2$

Our Idea for Protocol π_2

- Fact: CISS exists $\Leftrightarrow t < n/2$
- CISS can work as PSMT even for $t \geq n/2$ against **strictly timid** adversaries

Avoiding detection is the most important

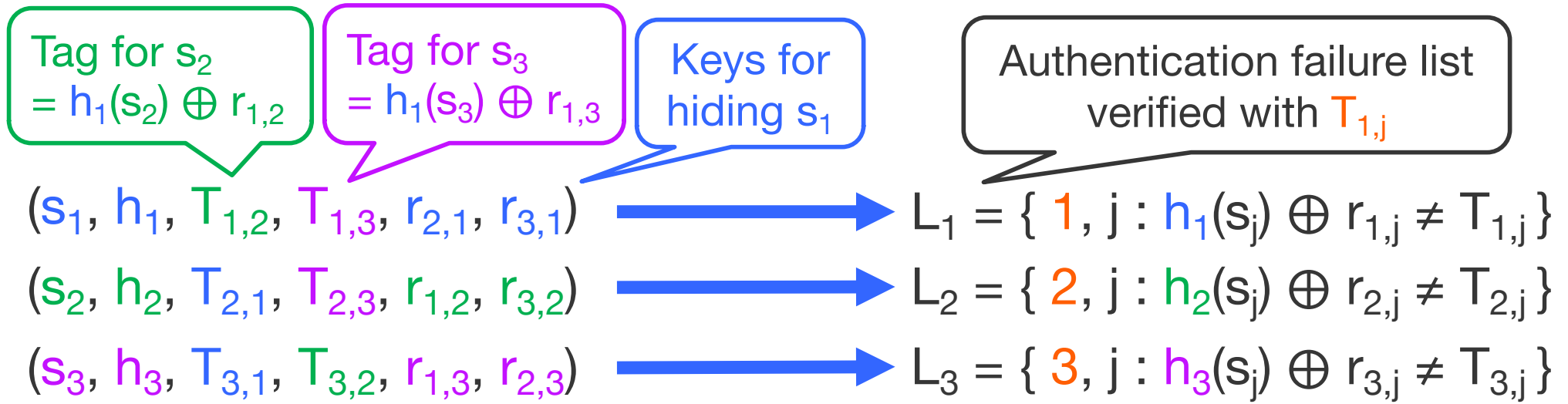
- Construct $(n - 1, n)$ -type CISS such that if cheating is detected at channel i for share s_j , then both i & j are punished (regarded cheating)

Strictly timid adversaries will not cheat

Protocol π_2

- (s_1, \dots, s_n) : shares of $(n - 1, n)$ -secret sharing for $m \in \{0,1\}^s$
- $h_i \in H$, $r_{i,j} \in \{0,1\}^k$, $T_{i,j} = h_i(s_j) \oplus r_{i,j}$ are the same as π_1
- If $T_{i,j}$ verification fails, L_i includes both i and j

i is also punished



If $L = \emptyset$, recover m
 Otherwise, output \perp

$L = L_1 \cup L_2 \cup L_3$

Security Proof of π_2

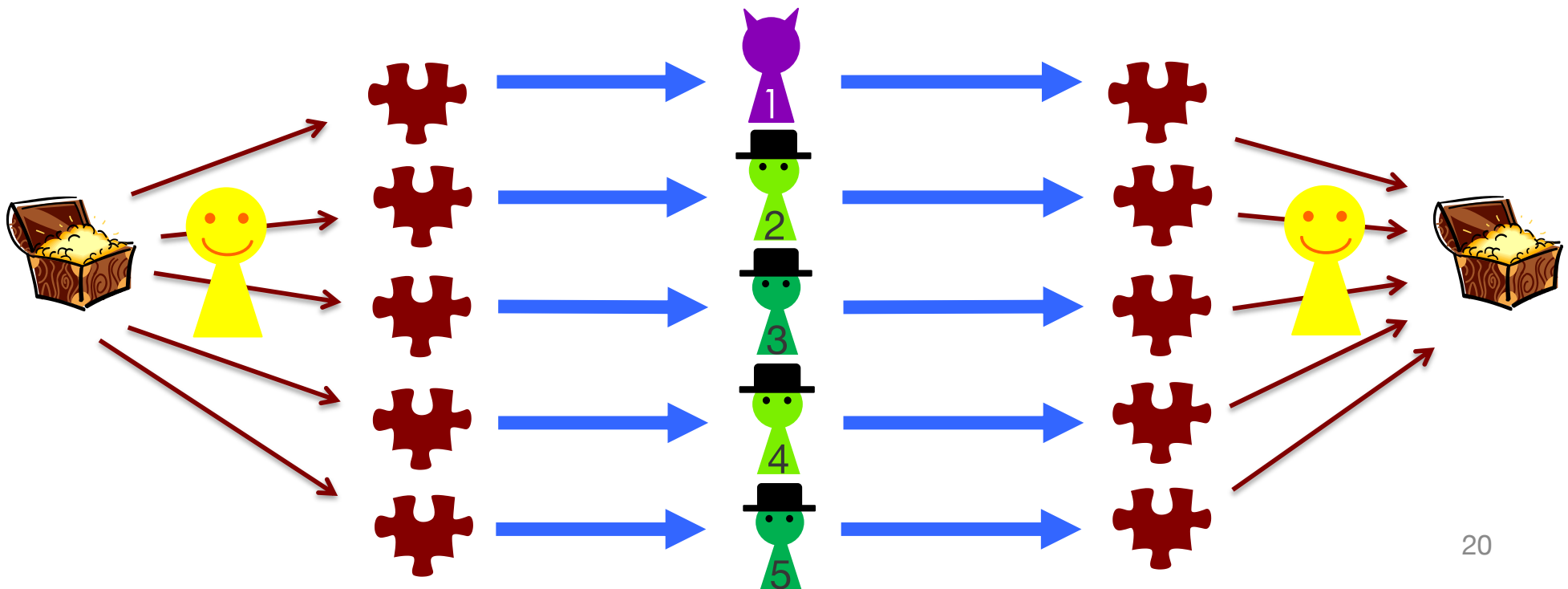
Theorem 2. π_2 is PSMT against strictly-timid adversaries, each corrupting $< n$ channels by choosing sufficiently large k

Proof sketch:

- Suppose there exist two adversaries A_1 & A_2
- u^* = Utility when doing nothing
- To get higher utility than u^* , A_1 needs either
 1. **Violating reliability**
 - Detected w.h.p., implying cheating detection of A_1
 2. **Cheating detection of A_2**
 - Also cause tampering detection of A_1

Our Idea for Protocol π_3

- What if a **malicious** adversary exists?
 - PSMT for $t < n/3$: SS with **error correction**
- Protocol π_1 works as PSMT against **malicious** A_1 and **timid** A_i 's if $t_1, t_i < n/3$, $t_1 + t_i < n/2$



Protocol π_3 and Security Proof

Protocol π_3

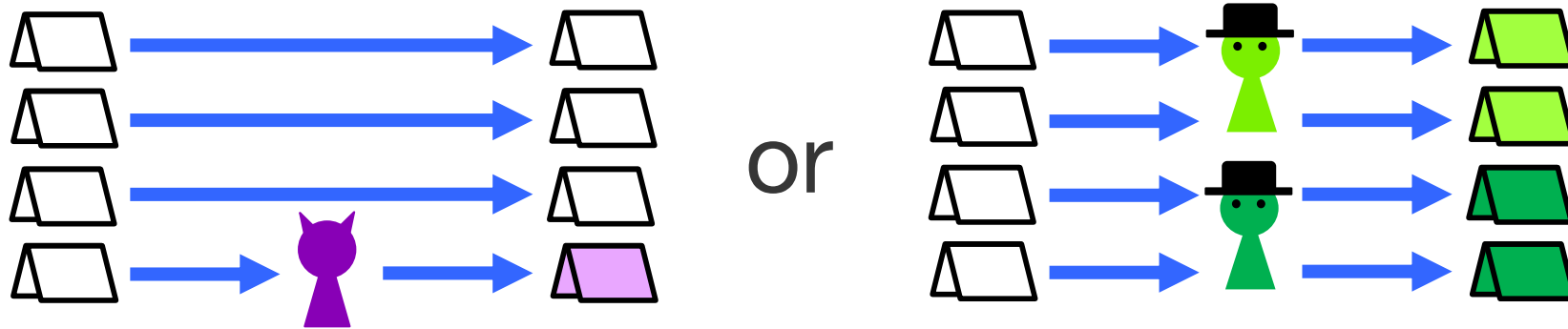
- (s_1, \dots, s_n) : shares of $((n - 1)/3, n)$ -SS with **error correction**
 - Secret recovery even if $< (n - 1)/3$ shares are erroneous
- Other parts are the same as π_1

Theorem 3. π_3 is PSMT against **malicious** adversary A_1 and **timid** adversaries A_i , each corrupting t_1 and t_i channels, where $t_1, t_i < n/3$, $t_1 + t_i < n/2$

Proof sketch:

- To get higher utility, timid adversary A_i need either
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Conclusions



This Work

- GT security of PSMT when $t = n$
- Assumption: \exists multiple timid adversaries
- See [Yasunaga, Koshihara (GameSec 2019)] for details

Secure even
if $t = n!$ Wow!



Future Work

- Stronger GT security (e.g., unique NE)
- GT security of other protocols when $t = n$

What if adversaries
are not that rational?

