

# Oblivious Transfer and Linear Functions



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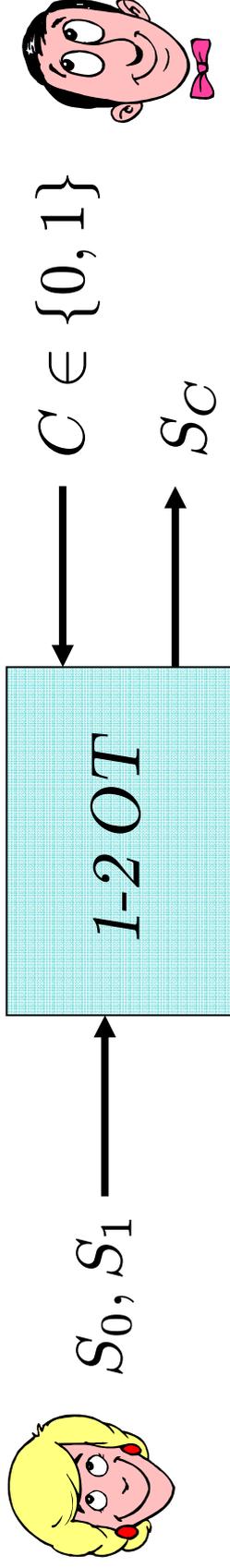
# Agenda

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- OT and Randomized OT
- Characterisation of Sender-Security with Linear Functions
- Application: Universal OT
- Conclusion

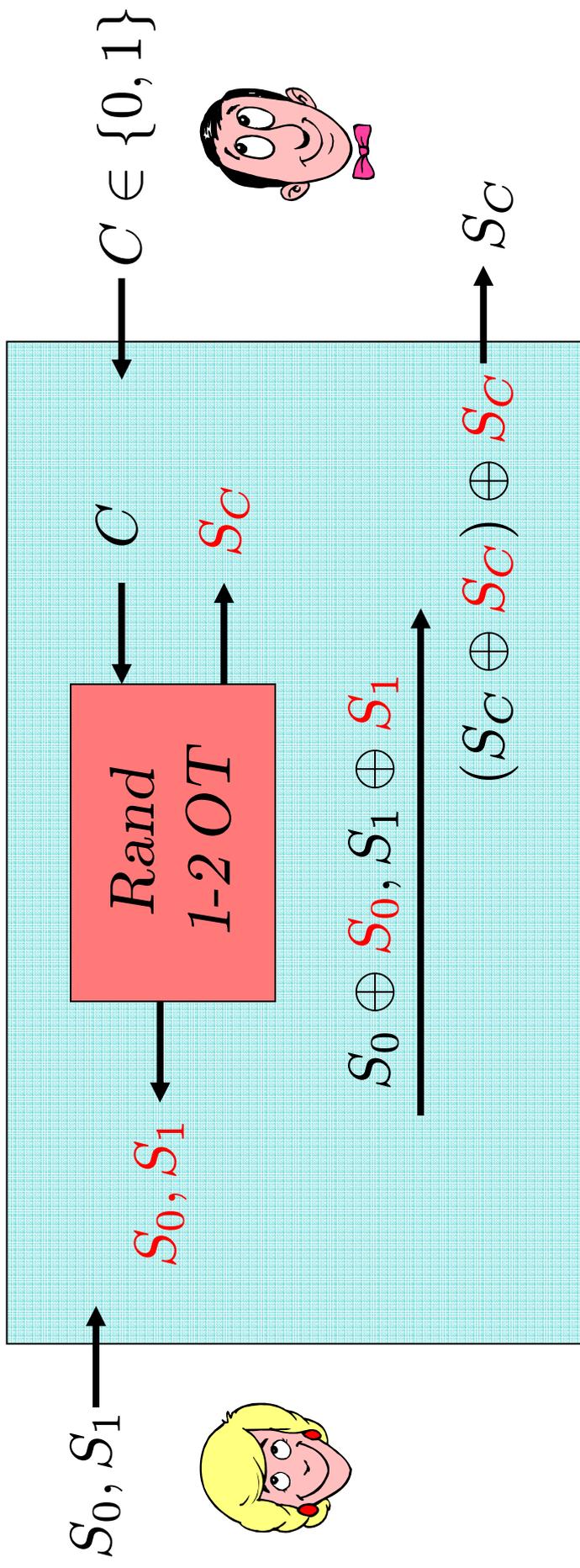
# 1-2 Oblivious Transfer

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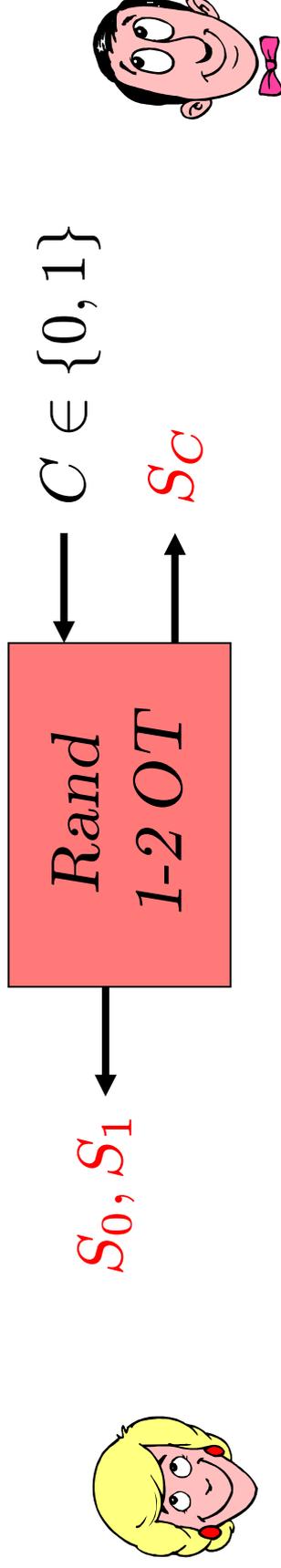
- **correctness:** works for honest players,
- **receiver-security:**  $\forall \tilde{A}$  dishonest senders,  $\tilde{A}$  should not learn  $C$ ,
- **sender-security:**  $\forall \tilde{B}$  dishonest receivers,  $\tilde{B}$  should not learn  $S_{1-C}$ .

# Randomized 1-2 Oblivious Transfer



# Definition Rand 1-2 OT

[Crépeau Savvides Schaffner Wullschleger 06]

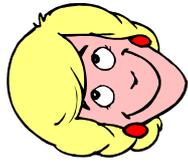


Protocol  $\Pi$  computes **Rand 1-2 OT** securely, if  $\forall$  inputs  $C$   $\Pi$  produces outputs such that

- **correctness:** If A and B honest, A gets  $S_0, S_1$ , B gets  $S_C$ .
- **receiver-security:**  $\forall \tilde{B}$  dishonest senders with view  $U$ ,  $P_{UC} = P_U \cdot P_C$ .
- **sender-security:**  $\forall \tilde{B}$  dishonest receivers with view  $V$ ,  $\exists D \in \{0, 1\}$  s.t.  $d(S_{1-D} \mid VS_{DD}) = 0$ .

$$\|P_{S_{1-D}VS_{DD}} - P_{\text{UNIF}} \cdot P_{VS_{DD}}\| = 0$$

# Sender-Security for Rand OT of Bits



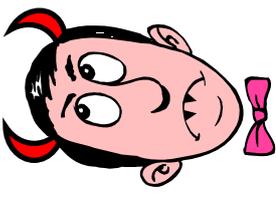
$S_0, S_1 \in \{0, 1\}$



$C$

$S_C$

$V$



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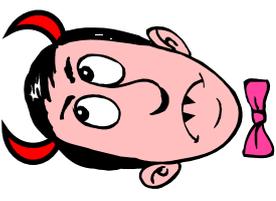
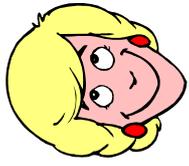
$$\Leftrightarrow d(S_0 \oplus S_1 | V) = 0$$

$S_1$	0	1
$S_0$		
0	$1/2$	$1/4$
1	$1/4$	0

$D ?$

$P_{S_0 S_1 V}(\cdot, \cdot, v)$

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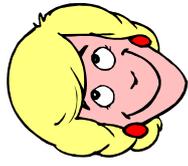
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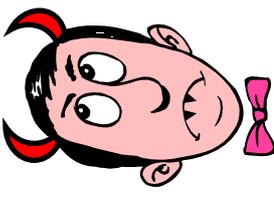
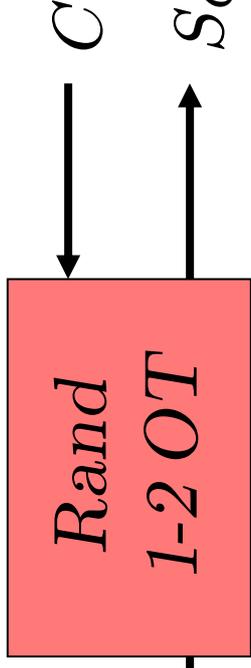
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$V$

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$\Rightarrow \exists D \in \{0, 1\}$  such that  $d(S_{1-D} | VS_D D) = 0$

$S_1 \backslash S_0$	0	1
0	a	b
1	c	d

$$P_{S_0 S_1} V(\cdot, \cdot, v)$$

$$a + d = c + b$$

wlog:  $b \geq a$

$S_1 \backslash S_0$	0	1
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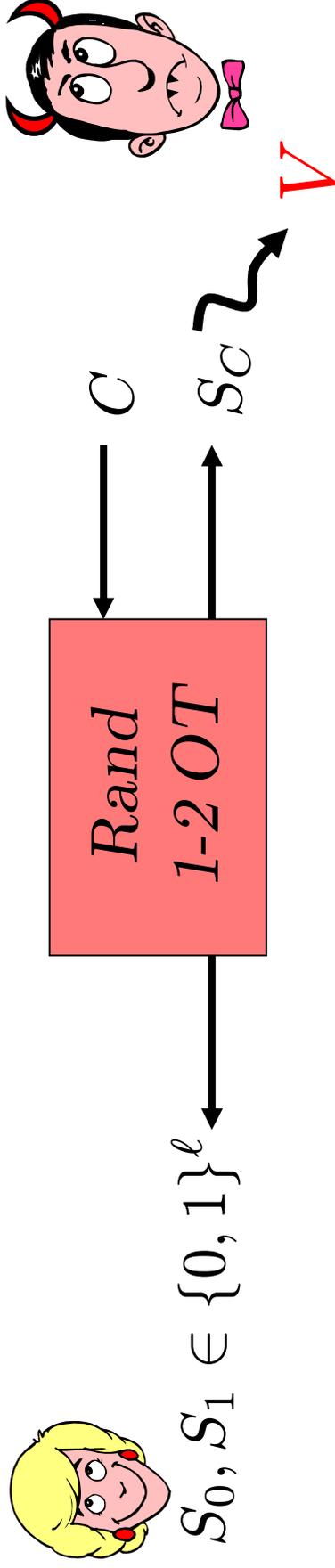
$$P_{S_0 S_1} DV(\cdot, \cdot, 0, v)$$

$$c + (b - a) = d$$

$S_1 \backslash S_0$	0	1
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1	0	b-a

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# Characterisation of Sender-Security



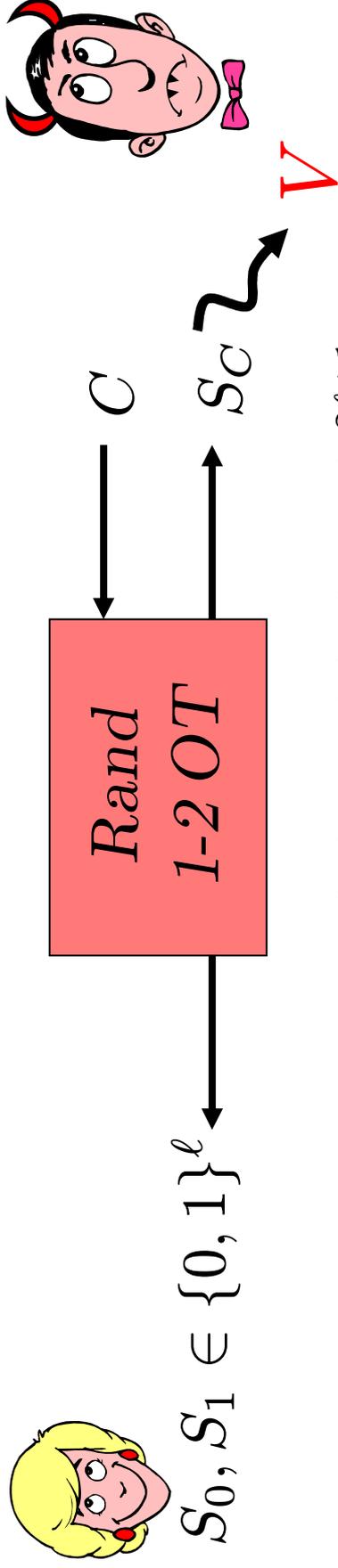
$$\begin{aligned} \exists D \in \{0, 1\} \text{ such that } d(S_{1-D} \mid VS_D D) \leq \varepsilon. \\ \Rightarrow \forall \text{NDLFF } \beta : d(\beta(S_0, S_1) \mid V) \leq \varepsilon \end{aligned}$$

**Def:** A *non-degenerate linear function (NDLFF)* is a function

$$\begin{aligned} \beta : \{0, 1\}^\ell \times \{0, 1\}^\ell &\rightarrow \{0, 1\} \\ (s_0, s_1) &\mapsto \langle a_0, s_0 \rangle \oplus \langle a_1, s_1 \rangle \end{aligned}$$

for *non-zero*  $a_0, a_1 \in \{0, 1\}^\ell$ , i.e., it is *linear* and *non-trivially depends on both inputs*.

# Characterisation of Sender-Security



$$\forall \text{NDLFF } \beta : d(\beta(S_0, S_1) \mid V) \leq \varepsilon / 2^{2\ell+1}$$

$\Rightarrow \exists D \in \{0, 1\}$  such that  $d(S_{1-D} \mid VS_D D) \leq \varepsilon$ .

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 \end{aligned}$$

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$$\beta(s_0, s_1) = 1$$

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$$\beta(s_0, s_1) = 1$$

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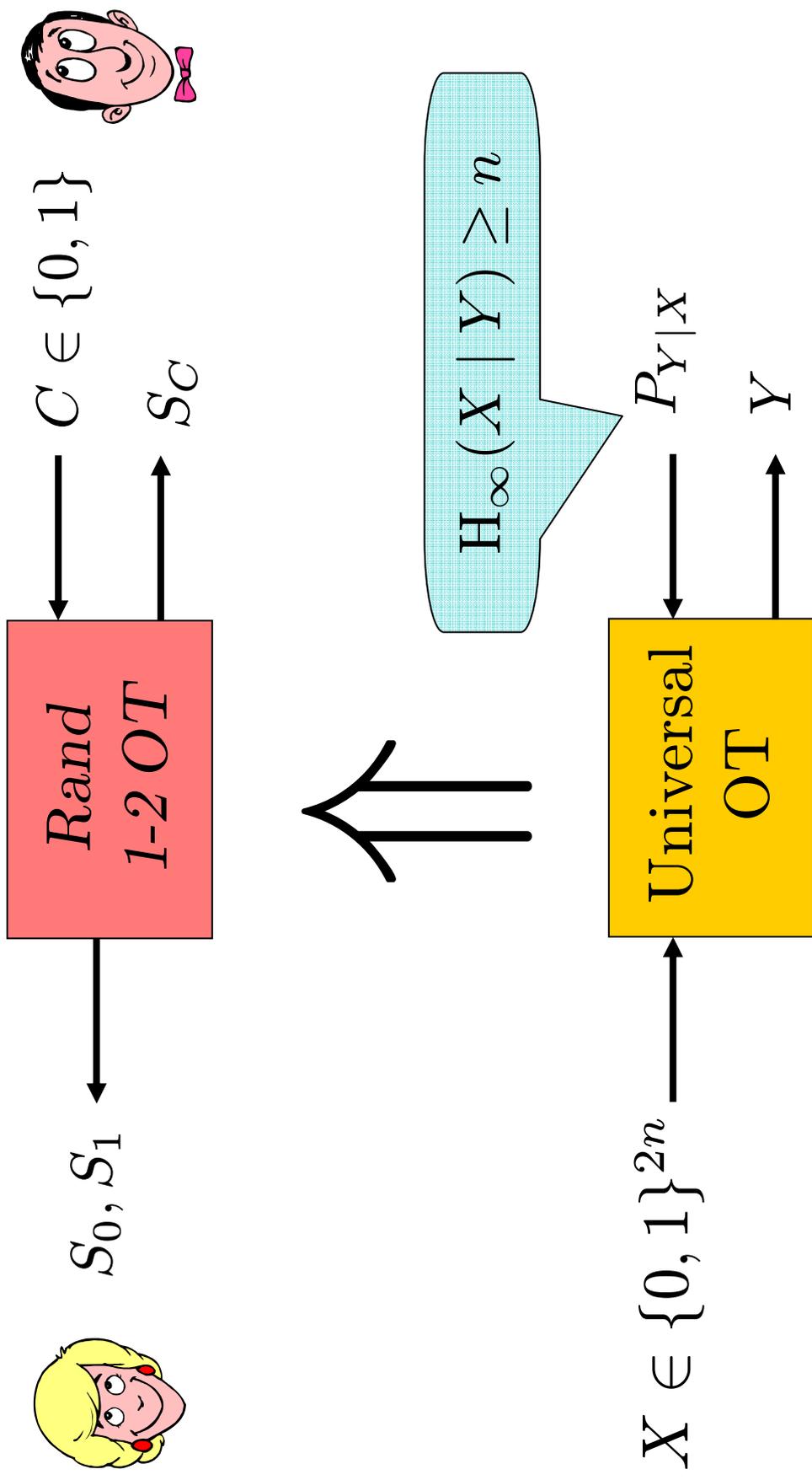
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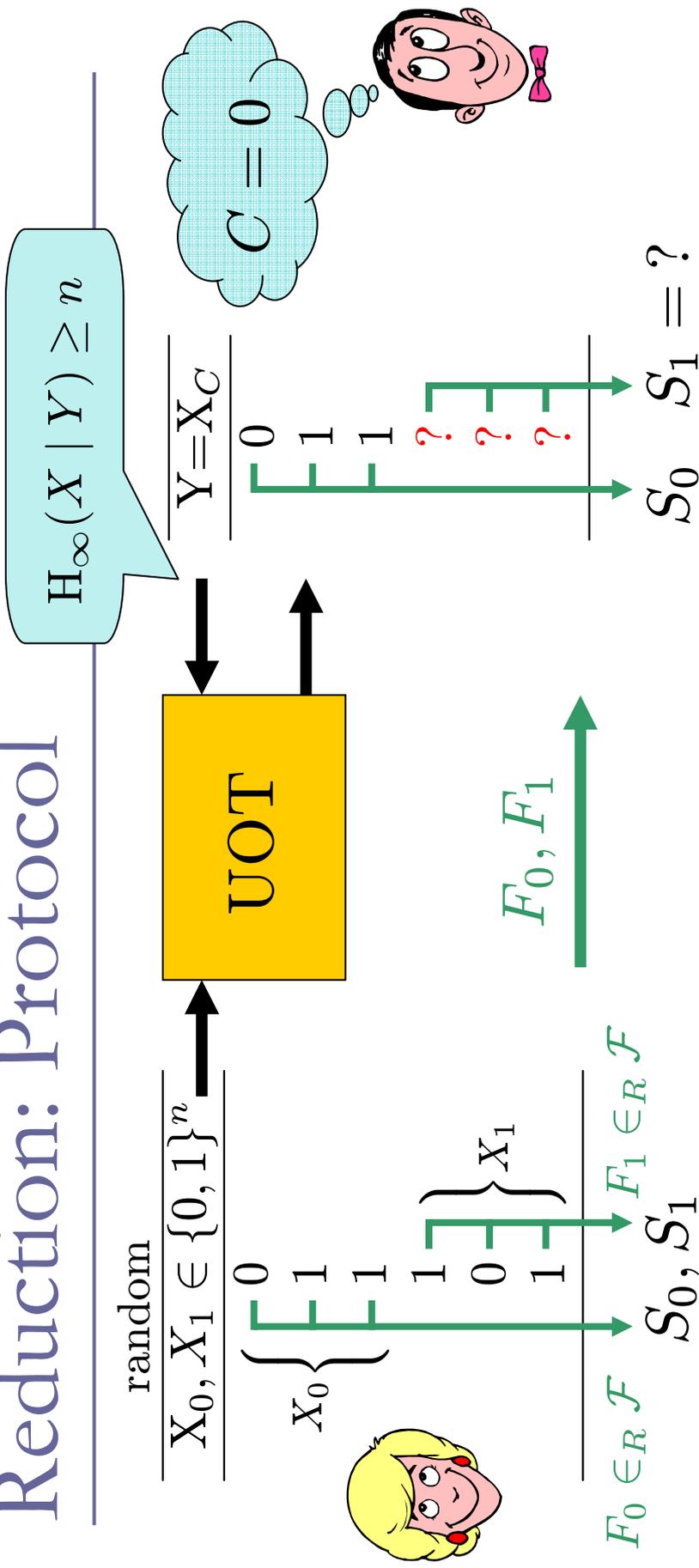
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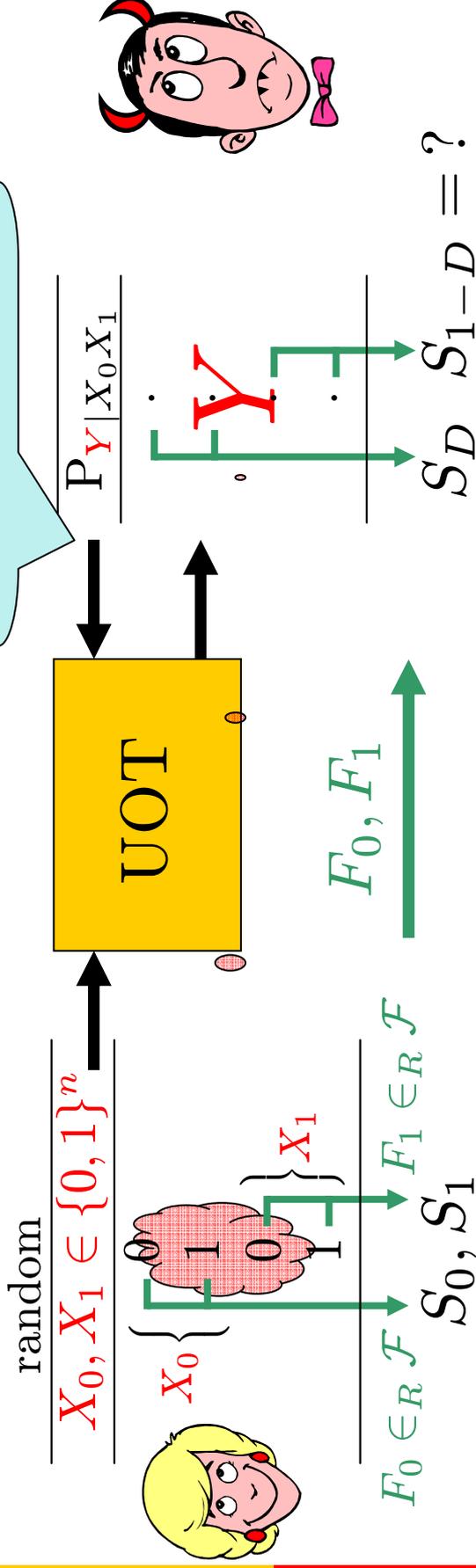
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# Reduction: Protocol



- **correctness:** If A and B honest, A gets  $S_0, S_1$ , B gets  $S_C$ . ✓
- **receiver-security:**  $\forall \tilde{A}$  dishonest senders with view  $U$ , ✓  
 $P_{UC} = P_U \cdot P_C$ .

# Reduction: Problem

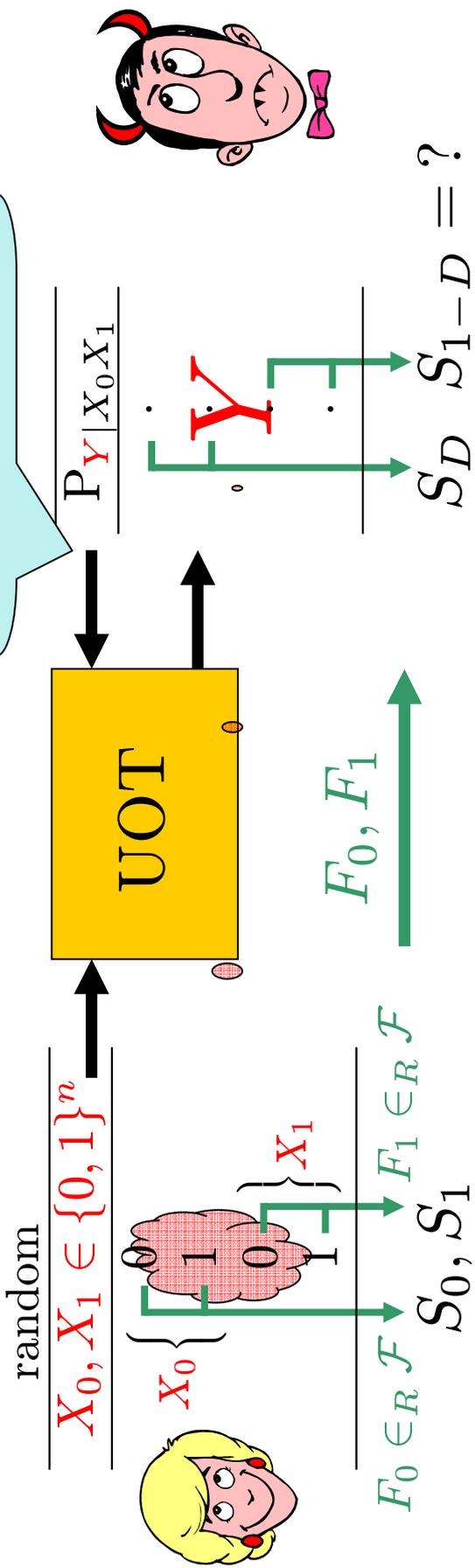


**sender-security:**  $\exists D$  s.t.  $d(S_{1-D} | VDS_D) \leq \epsilon$

$X_0 \in \{0, 1\}^n \xrightarrow{F_0 \in_R \mathcal{F}} S_0 \in \{0, 1\}^\ell$   
 $x \neq x' \Rightarrow F(x), F(x')$  independent and uniform.

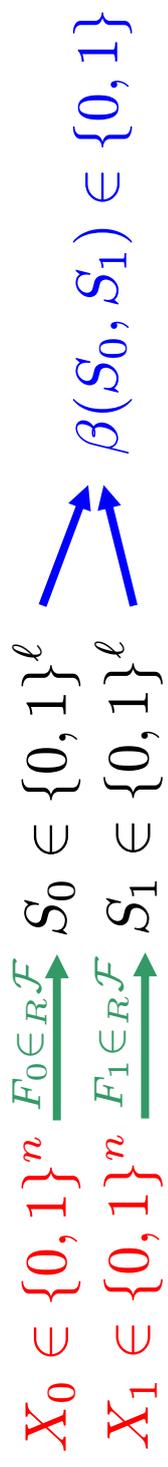
$H_\infty(X_0 | V)$  big  $\Rightarrow d(S_0 | VF)$  small **Privacy Amplification**

# Reduction: Problem



**Theorem:**  $\forall$  NDLF  $\beta : d(\beta(S_0, S_1) | V)$  small

$\Rightarrow$  sender-security:  $\exists D$  s.t.  $d(S_{1-D} | V D S_D) \leq \epsilon$



**Observe:** The class  $\mathcal{F}^\beta := \{\beta(F_0(\cdot), F_1(\cdot)) \mid F_0 \in \mathcal{F}, F_1 \in \mathcal{F}\}$  is strongly two-universal.

# Conclusion

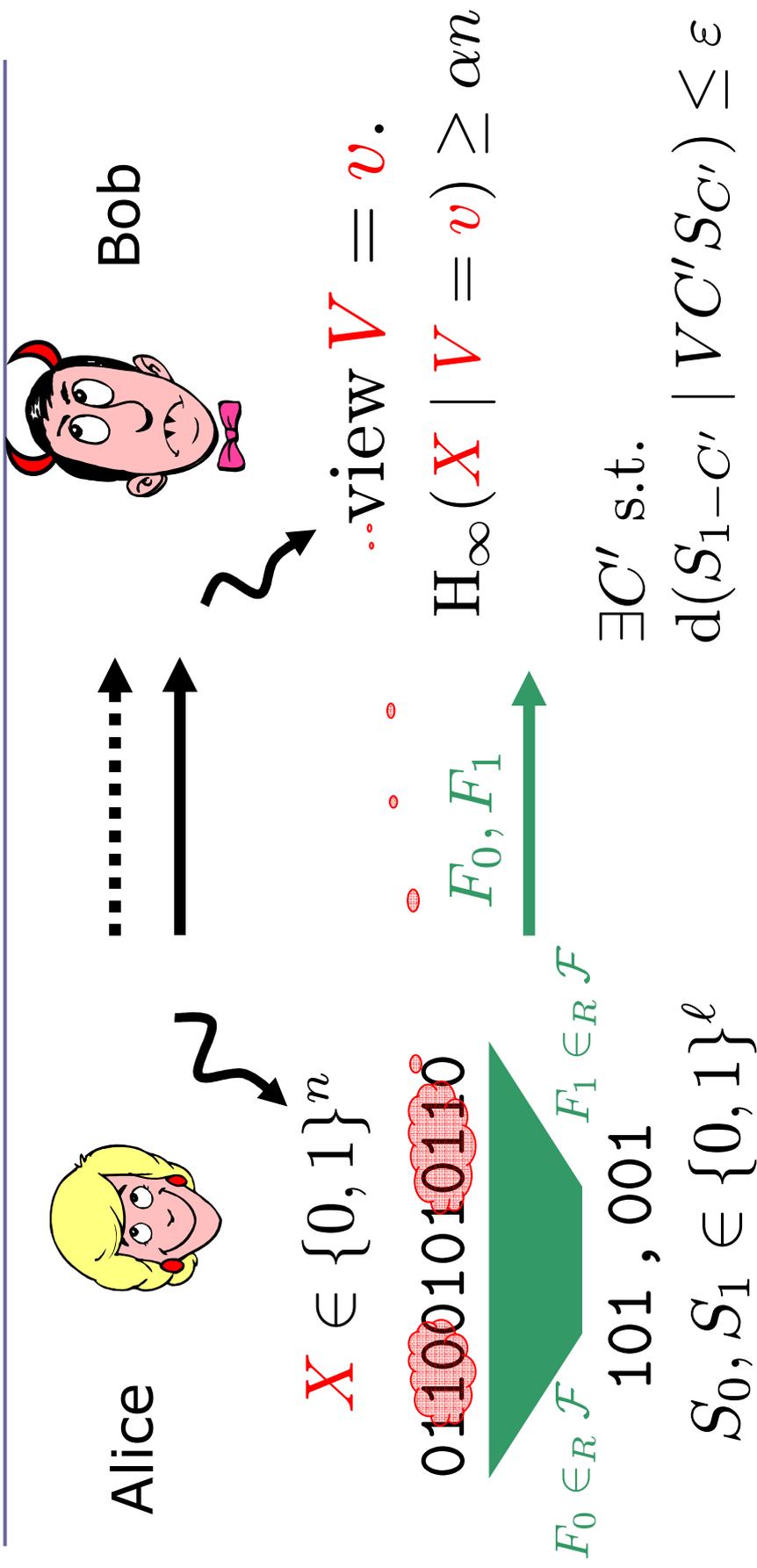
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- **Characterisation of sender-privacy:**  
A protocol for Rand-OT is secure against a cheating receiver, iff he gets no information about any **non-degenerate linear function**.
- **Observation:**  
**NDLF** compose well with strongly two-universal hash functions.
- **yields powerful technique:**  
Enough min-entropy suffices to get an OT via (strongly) two-universal hashing, also works in **quantum settings**.
- **Reductions:**  
**Simpler analyses** of reductions from String-OT to weaker primitives, **better parameters**.

Thank you



# The Bottom Line

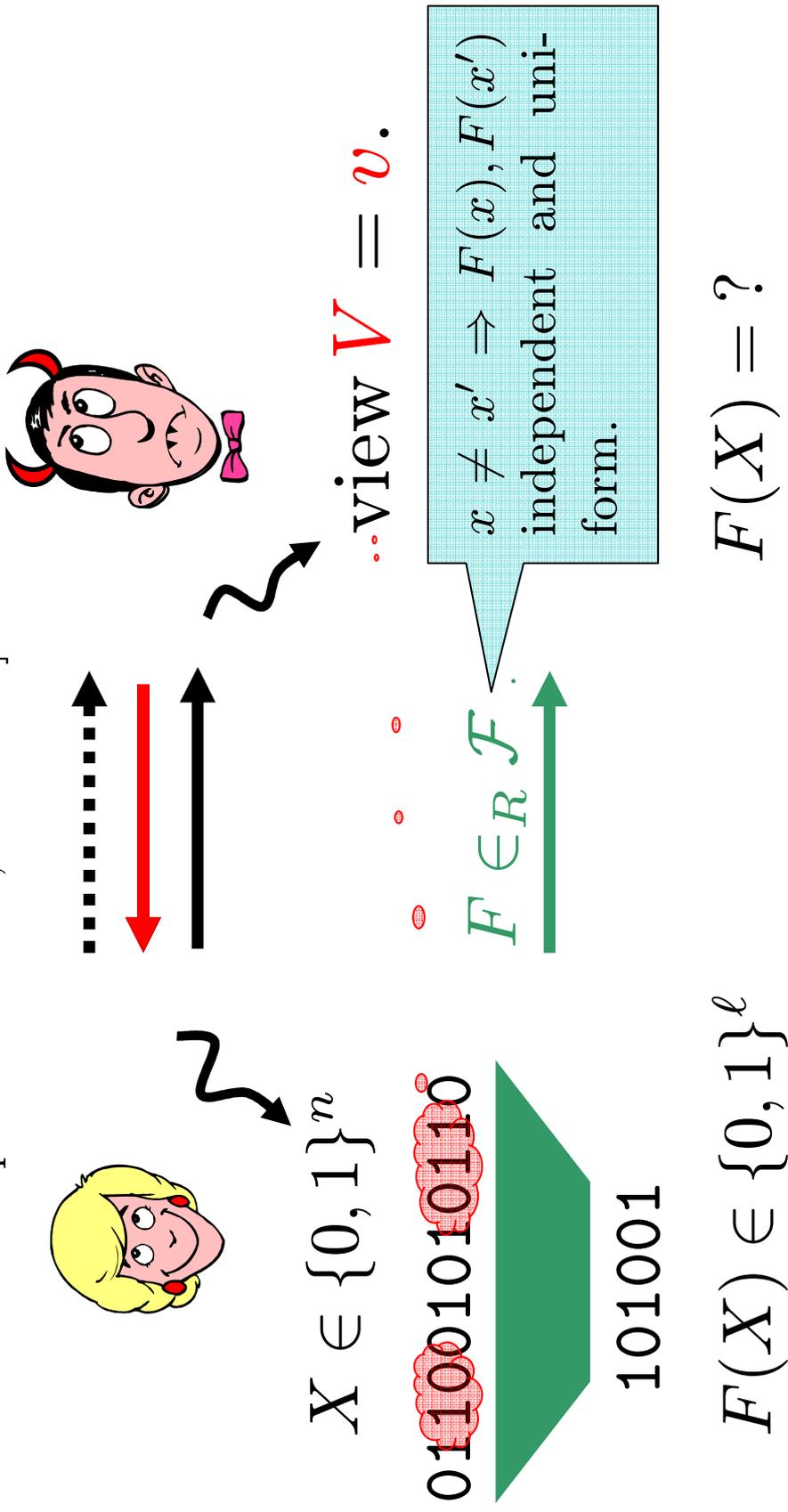


$$F \in_R \mathcal{F}^\beta := \{\beta(F_0(\cdot), F_1(\cdot)) \mid F_0 \in \mathcal{F}_0, F_1 \in \mathcal{F}_1\}$$

$$\text{PA: } d(\underbrace{F(X)}_{\beta(S_0, S_1)} \mid \underbrace{F, V = v}_V) \leq 2^{-\frac{1}{2} \left( H_\infty(X | V = v) - 1 \right)} \leq \epsilon \cdot 2^{-2\ell - 1}$$

# Privacy Amplification (PA)

[Impagliazzo Levin Luby 89, Håstad ILL 99,  
Bennett Brassard Crépeau Maurer 95, Renner 06]



$F(X) = ?$

Thm:  $d(F(X) | F, V = v) \leq 2^{-\frac{1}{2}} \left( H_\infty(X | V = v) - \ell \right)$