# MultiChor: Census Polymorphic Choreographic Programming with Multiply Located Values

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#### Abstract

Choreographic programming is a concurrent paradigm in which a single global program called a choreography describes behavior across an entire distributed network of participants. Choreographies are easier to reason about than separate programs running in parallel, and choreographic programming systems can check for deadlocks statically.

We present MultiChor, a library for writing and running choreographies as monadic values in Haskell. Unlike prior Haskell implementations, MultiChor does not require excess communication to handle Knowledge-of-Choice. Unlike all prior general-purpose choreographic languages, MultiChor can express choreographies that are polymorphic over the number of participants.

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#### 1 Introduction

Choreographic programming languages facilitate concurrent programming both by offering excellent ergonomics to programmers, and by statically ensuring deadlock freedom and preventing other errors specific to concurrent settings. Despite decades of evolving and advancing theory, implementations of choreographic programming *per se* are relatively young.

One limitation on the use of choreographies has been that they encode exactly who is doing what, while protocols used in the real world are often parameterized by their participants. Location-polymorphism [10] addressed part of this limitation by letting roles in a choreography be filled by different participants in different cases, but did not enable a choreography to work for different *numbers of* participants. This lack of polymorphism over the number of participants in previous approaches makes it impossible to write general implementations of many important classes of practical protocols, including approaches for federated machine learning [2, 16, 24] and secure computation [3, 4, 9, 14, 15].

Choreographic programming was introduced to the Haskell ecosystem in 2023 in the form of the HasChor library [22]; HasChor's techniques for *implementing* choreographic systems have proven effective and adaptable (*e.g.* the comparable implementation of ChoRus [13]), but the communication efficiency of these approaches can sometimes be worse than previous standalone systems (e.g. Choral [8]).

We present MultiChor, a new library for writing choreographies in Haskell. MultiChor enables efficient communication via *multiply located values* and supports *census polymorphism* to allow variable numbers of participants. Our case studies demonstrate the use of MultiChor to implement general versions of variable-participant protocols, including two for secure computation.

#### Contributions. In summary, our contributions are:

- A working implementation of the multi-local-&-multicast choreographic paradigm in Haskell. Compared to prior implementations, this system allows better communication efficiency and concise expression of parallel computation.
- Novel features for a choreographic system: census polymorphism, fanOut, and fanIn. These allow MultiChor

to express complicated protocols with variable numbers of participants.

 Examples demonstrating how these language features, and MultiChor specifically, can concisely and correctly implement complex choreographies, including the GMW protocol for secure computation [9].

### 2 Choreographic Programming

Choreographic programming is a language paradigm for concurrent programming in which the actions and computations of all participants (locations, parties, or endpoints) are described in a single unified program called a choreography that enables global reasoning about the semantics of the distributed system. A fundamental attribute of choreographic languages is that sending and receiving data are not separate operations; these "two sides of the same coin" are represented as a single action or effect. For example, the MultiChor expression (alice, invitation) ~> bob is interpreted by alice as "send an invitation to bob", and by bob as "receive an invitation from alice". Figure 1 shows a more involved example; a card game with a dealer and many players is described as a single Haskell expression in the Choreo monad. Choreographic languages define endpoint projection (EPP), a compilation step in which an individual party's behavior is extracted from a choreography. For example, a player's EPP of the fanOut loop on line 17 of Figure 1 would ignore all but one of the loop iterations because of the enclaveTo on line 18. The dealer's EPP of the fanOut would have interaction with a player in every iteration.

*Limitations of prior work.* Our work aims to fill two gaps in existing work on choreographic programming:

- 1. Prior library-based implementations of choreographic programming sometimes add unnecessary communication.
- 2. Prior work does not support *census polymorphism* choreographies parameterized by both the quantity and the identities of participants.

The rest of this section describes related work in the context of these limitations; Section 3 introduces MultiChor, our library-based approach for choreographic programming that addresses both limitations.

**Census.** It is common for a choreography to be associated with the list of parties who participate in it; we call such a list a "**census**". When considering a choreography whose census is known, one may *safely pretend* that the census is an exhaustive list of all parties in existence. (We do not consider it problematic if a party is listed in a census but doesn't actually do anything in the respective choreography.) Chorλ [5], Pirouette [11], and  $\mathbb{A}_{\lambda \text{small}}$  [1] track censuses as context in their type systems but HasChor [22] operates without any analogous concept at all. In MultiChor the first type argument to **Choreo** is the census.

We define *census polymorphism* to be polymorphism over both the size and contents of a choreography's census. Many prior approaches support polymorphism over the *identities* of census members, but not over its size [1, 5, 10, 11, 22].

Knowledge of Choice. Part of what makes choreographic programming non-trivial is that every time any party makes a choice in control-flow (i.e. any time a party "branches"), other parties may need to know which branch was taken in order to correctly participate in the rest of the choreography. This is called "Knowledge of Choice" or "KoC". A common KoC strategy in theoretical choreography research is to use explicit select statements to inform parties, as needed, that a branch has been chosen. select is typically paired with a "merge" process during EPP, which allows parties whose role across different branches is invariant to participate without KoC. The select-&-merge paradigm offers optimal communication efficiency, but is difficult to implement as a type-safe library because it requires a custom static analysis during EPP. As a result, existing implementations of this approach for KoC have been via standalone compilers, rather than as libraries for existing mainstream programming languages.

HasChor. Shen et al [22] presented HasChor, a Haskell library for writing and running choreographies. Unlike most earlier systems, HasChor is "just a library", an embedded DSL instead of standalone language like  $\mathfrak{A}_{\lambda \text{small}}$  and Chorλ or a layered system like Choral [8] and Pirouette [11]; This is a significant advantage for industry use; getting started using HasChor is as simple as adding it as a dependency in one's cabal file, and HasChor's Choreo monad can be used with the copious tools Haskell offers for monadic programming. On the other hand, HasChor's KoC strategy was always understood to be inefficient; the guard of every conditional is broadcast to everyone regardless of who actually needs to know it. Furthermore, HasChor doesn't track any kind of census as a property of the choreographies; the broadcasts simply go to every location the branching process knows how to contact.

*ChoRus.* Kashiwa *et al* [13] introduces ChoRus, a Rust library offering similar choreographic programming to Has-Chor, but with explicit census tracking. ChoRus introduces an "enclave" operator to avoid the superfluous communication of HasChor, but Bates & Near [1] show that there are situations where it can not achieve state-of-the-art efficiency.

*He-Lambda-Small.* Bates & Near [1] presented  $\Re_{\lambda \text{small}}$ , a choreographic lambda calculus whose KoC strategy relies on *multiply located values*. A multiply located value is a single value that's known to multiple parties.  $\Re_{\lambda \text{small}}$  uses case-expressions for branching, and restricts the census inside the case expressions to only the parties who know the guard value. Multiply-located values pair well with a multicast operator; instead of the primitive com operation representing a message from one party to another, in  $\Re_{\lambda \text{small}}$  com represents

```
{- A simple black-jack-style game. The dealer gives everyone a card, face up. Each player may
     - request a second card. Then the dealer reveals one more card that applies to everyone. Each
3
    - player individually wins if the sum of their cards (modulo 21) is greater than 19. -}
   game :: forall players m. (KnownSymbols players) => Choreo ("dealer"': players) (CLI m) ()
     let players = consSuper (allOf @players)
         dealer = listedFirst @"dealer"
     hand1 <- fanOut players \player -> do
          card1 <- dealer `_locally` getInput ("Enter random card for " ++ toLocTm player)</pre>
10
          (dealer, card1) ~> inSuper players player @@ nobody
11
      onTheTable <- fanIn players players \player -> do
12
          (player, players, hand1) ~> players
     wantsNextCard <- players `parallel` \player un -> do
13
          putNote $ "My first card is: " ++ show (un player hand1)
14
          putNote $ "Cards on the table: " ++ show (un player onTheTable)
15
          getInput "I'll ask for another? [True/False]"
16
      hand2 <- fanOut players \((player :: Member player players) -> do
17
          (dealer @@ inSuper players player @@ nobody `enclaveTo` listedSecond @@ nobody) do
18
            choice <- broadcast (listedSecond @player, (player, wantsNextCard))</pre>
19
            if choice then do
20
                cd2 <- dealer `_locally` getInput (toLocTm player ++ "'s second card:")</pre>
21
                card2 <- (dealer, cd2) ~> listedSecond @@ nobody
22
                listedSecond `locally` \un -> pure [un player hand1, un singleton card2]
23
24
              else listedSecond `locally` \un -> pure [un player hand1]
      tblCrd <- dealer `_locally` getInput "Enter a single card for everyone:"
25
      tableCard <- (dealer, tblCrd) ~> players
26
     players `parallel_` \player un -> do
27
          let hand = un player tableCard : un player hand2
28
          putNote $ "My hand: " ++ show hand
29
          putOutput "My win result:" $ sum hand > card 19
30
```

**Figure 1.** A card game expressed as a choreography written in MultiChor. This choreography is polymorphic over the number and identity of the players, but the party named "dealer" is an explicit member. The inner monad **CLI** that all parties have access to is a simple freer monad that can be handled to IO operations, or as **State** for testing purposes. The **newtype Card** encapsulates the modulo operation in its **Num** instance.

a message from a single party to a *set* of parties. Bates & Near show that in theory this can match the communication efficiency of state-of-the-art select-&-merge languages like Chor $\lambda$  [5], and show by several examples that multi-local-&-multicast choreographic programming is expressive and ergonomic. Additionally, the validity of a  $\exists_{\lambda \text{small}}$  choreography is entirely type-directed and EPP is guaranteed to succeed for well-typed choreographies.  $\exists_{\lambda \text{small}}$ 's multiply-located values thus offer a third alternative to the select-&-merge paradigm (which is not amenable to library-based implementation) and HasChor's broadcast paradigm (which does not offer optimal communication).

Other related work. Wysteria [20] and  $\lambda$ -Symphony [23] are purpose-specific languages for working with particular kinds of multi-party cryptography. Programs in these languages are choreographies, and can exhibit census polymorphism, but both of these languages have homomorphic encryption baked into their semantics for communication,

and they cannot be used for general-purpose choreographic programming. Jongmans & van den Bos [12] present a KoC strategy that subsumes  $\mathbb{A}_{\lambda \text{small}}$ 's KoC strategy; their system does not use multiply located values, and instead uses predicate transformers on the semantics of programs to check that distributed decisions are unanimous. Pirouette [11], Chor $\lambda$  [5], and PolyChor $\lambda$  [10] are functional languages for writing select-&-merge choreographies; PolChor $\lambda$  introduces polymorphism over identities of parties. Choral [8] is a choreographic language implementing the select-&-merge paradigm and targeting industrial use; it runs on the JVM and can easily import local Java code.

#### 3 The MultiChor library

We present a new "just a library" choreographic programming system for Haskell: MultiChor.

Our work adapts ideas from  $\mathfrak{A}_{\lambda small}$  to address both limitations of prior work described in Section 2. With MultiChor, we show that multiply-located values simultaneously enable

a library-based implementation and optimal communication, addressing limitation (1). In addition, by representing the census as a type-level variable in Haskell, MultiChor enables polymorphism over both the size and membership of the census, addressing limitation (2).

#### 3.1 Desiderata

The first goal which MultiChor accomplishes is to combine the accessibility of HasChor with the KoC strategy, communication efficiency, and ergonomics, of  $\mathbb{A}_{\text{Asmall}}$ .

A key innovation of  $\mathbb{A}_{\text{Asmall}}$  is that KoC is enforced entirely by type-level management of the census. For implementation in Haskell, it's natural to represent the census as a type-level-list argument to the type of choreographies. Immediately a handful of attributes occur as desirable for such a system:

- 1. Choreographies should have censuses that are statically enforced by the type system.
- 2. It should be possible to write a choreography that's polymorphic over its census.
- It should be possible to broadcast, i.e. to multicast a value to the entire census, and to use values known to the entire census as normal (un-located) values of their type.
- 4. It should be possible to know from an appropriately-written choreography's type that some certain party or parties are not involved, are not in its census. Users should be able to embed such "enclave" choreographies inside choreographies with larger, possibly polymorphic, censuses.
- The type system should be able to reason about parties' membership in a census or ownership-set with normal subset reasoning.

The choreography in Figure 1 showcases all of the above points. The census of the whole program appears in the type (#1) and does not specify who the players are (#2). The enclaveTo on line 18 embeds a choreography whose census is exactly the monomorphic "dealer" and a polymorphic player (#4). The helper-function broadcast on line 19 functions as described in #3. Many examples of #5 are automated or hidden in MultiChor, but on line 19 the function inSuper is applied to players :: Subset players ("dealer": players) and player :: Member player players to attest that player is present in the census.

**Reasoning about location-sets.** To illuminate point 5 above, consider the program in Figure 2, a choreography with a polymorphic census census. For this to be a well-formed choreography, all of the following must be true (to support the parenthesized statements):

- clique must be a subset of census. (enclave on line 3)
- bob must be a member of census. (~> ("send") on line 4)
- bob must be a member of clique. (~> on line 6, as well as ~> on line 4 so they can use theirFoo)

Notice that one of these prerequisites is redundant: if Bob is a member of clique, and clique is a subset of census, then *it follows* that Bob is a member of census. When all the sets of parties are explicitly listed out, memberships and subsets can simply be observed, but reasoning about polymorphic sets is difficult for Haskell's type system. Leveraging the transitivity of subset relations is especially difficult [6], and without such reasoning it's difficult to write reuseable code. We overcome this challenge using Ghosts of Departed Proofs [18]; the proof-objects do double-duty in MultiChor as both proofs that operations are legal *and* as **Proxy**-like identifiers for type-level parties and lists of parties.

Congruent computation. One of the attractive features of multiply-located values is that they allow concise expression of congruent computations. A congruent computation is one that is performed in parallel by multiple parties deterministically on the same values, such that all parties arrive at the same result (e.g. Figure 8 line 37). This is distinct from a parallel computation (e.g. Figure 8 line 26), whose distributed versions are expressed by the same possibly-branching algorithm but might be operating on different data and arrive at different results. Parallel computation is more heavily studied and more widely used; congruent computation is desirable when communication is more expensive (slower) than local computation. We believe a choreography library should support both congruent and parallel computation as part of type-safe use of located values.

#### 3.2 Location-set and census polymorphism

Being a proof-of-concept lambda calculus, \$\frac{3}{\text{small}}\$ doesn't support polymorphism of data-types or of locations. Has-Chor has a blunter API for writing choreographies, but as an eDSL it can apply Haskell's polymorphism "for free". Multi-Chor is a similar eDSL, with some of HasChor's skeleton intact at its heart, and can similarly apply Haskell's polymorphism to its *lists* of parties. (In addition to polymorphism over a census, MultiChor expressions can also be polymorphic over lists of data-owners; it's rarely important to distinguish between these features.) Without complementary features this would be unsatisfying—the only way an unidentified and variable mass of parties in a census could actually participate is as recipients of broadcasts.

The first step toward *useful* location-set polymorphism is a data type analogous to multiply-located values (**Located** (ps::[LocTy]) a in MultiChor) but without the guarantee that the parties' respective values will all the the same. We call such structures Faceted, after the many facets that form the surface of a cut gem-stone. This language feature immediately enables an operation similar to HasChor's locally, except that MultiChor's parallel is evaluated by a list of locations. The block in Figure 1 lines 13–16 has type Choreo . . . (Faceted players Bool) and yields a single "value" that *represents* the likely-different booleans read from stdin

```
exampleChor :: Choreo census m (Located '["carroll"] Int) -- The inner monad m is not used here.

exampleChor = do

theirFoo <- clique `enclave` foo -- Lift a Choreo of "clique" into a Choreo of "census".

(bob, theirFoo) ~> carroll @@ nobody -- Bob sends `theirFoo` to Carroll (and nobody else).

where foo = do

aliceFoo <- (bob, bobFoo) ~> alice @@ nobody -- Bob sends his value `bobFoo` to Alice.

broadcast (alice, aliceFoo) -- Alice sends it to the census of `foo`,

-- _not_ the census of `exampleChor`.
```

**Figure 2.** An example choreography, written with MultiChor, in which an **Int**, originating at a party bob, is passed back and forth. Ultimately, a version of that value owned only by carroll is returned. Part of the choreography takes place in an enclave involving some collection of parties specified by clique.

by the (polymorphic) parties players. Faceted values can be multicast by their owners and used in future parallel blocks just like Located values.

Fan-Out and Fan-In. Faceted values are still insufficient for two tasks we believe a location-set polymorphic choreography library should support:

- 1. A party should be able to send each member of a polymorphic list a *distinct* value.
- 2. The members of a polymorphic list should be able to *send* messages.

We accomplish these with two subtly different primitives: fanOut and fanIn. Both take as an argument a choreography with a single-location parameter, and instantiate the choreography with each member of the specified location set, like a foreach loop. In the case of fanOut, the loop-body is required to return a value at the subject location; these values get packaged together as a Faceted. For fanIn, the return value must be located at a consistent set of recipients; the values get packaged as a Located recipients [value]. Both of these operations are used in Figure 1.

#### 3.3 The Core API

The MultiChor API features seven primitive monadic operations, from which a collection of utilities can be built. Additionally, there's a suite of pure operations for handing membership and subset proofs, and some limited operations which can manipulate **Located** and **Faceted** values.

Pure operations for proofs. MultiChor's API uses proof objects both to identify parties and sets of parties, and as assurance that those parties will be able to perform the described actions at runtime. In all cases, these are proofs that the identified party is a member of some set or that the identified set is a subset of some other set. The suite of operations for building such proofs is founded on four uses of gdp's Logic.Proof.axiom and instances for Subset of Logic.Classes.Reflexive (which affords the proof refl) and Transitive (which affords the proof transitive) [19]. In situations where the census and all identities are known explicitly, the proofs explicitMember and explicitSubset

may be used indiscriminately. (These rely on respective type classes <code>ExplicitMember/ExplicitSubset</code>, the limitations of which are part of the motivation for using <code>gdp</code>.) A Template Haskell helper <code>mkLoc</code> specializes <code>explicitMember</code> for a given symbol, allowing easy, clear, and precise reference to monomorphic parties.

Specifying a list of parties via subset proof can be finicky. To facilitate, the API offers aliases of two of the axioms than can be used analogously to the empty-list and list-cons constructors:

For example, in Figure 1 line 18, the first argument to the enclaveTo says that the census of the enclave is "dealer" and player and nobody else.

Pure operations for located values. Located and Faceted are both instances of Wrapped, indicating that these values can be un-wrapped in an appropriate context. Almost every operation on Located and Faceted values is dependent on a relevant census, and so must be performed as part of the Choreo monad. Exceptions pertain to reinterpreting the wrapper-type itself, not the contained data. Most of these are uninteresting, but flatten is indispensable and must be considered part of the core API.

flatten un-nests Located layers to parties listed in both layers. In practice, its primary use is inside the helper-function enclaveTo; in Figure 1 line 18 the second argument says "the second party listed in the census (player) knows the return value", and gets passed to flatten so that the result of the enclaved choreography isn't doubly-Located. (An alternative API, in which enclave didn't add a layer of wrapping but required it's return to be located, would be less expressive.)

*Monadic primitives.* The Choreo monad is implemented as a freer monad with an explicit census and an inner-monad type parameter representing the local computational model of all parties individually. The underlying data-type has

seven constructors, each exposed as a function; Figure 3 shows their types and describes their arguments.

- parallel runs a local monadic computation in parallel across a list of parties. This computation can depend on the identity of the party in question, and can use a provided function to unwrap Located and Faceted values. The return type is Faceted across the relevant parties.
- congruently runs a pure computation congruently across a list of parties; since the values represented by a Faceted aren't congruent, congruently can't use them. Since the returned values are congruent, congruently returns a Located value at all of the listed parties.
- comm is the communication operator; it multicasts from a single sender to a list of recipients. The result is **Located**. See Section 3.4 for the more user-friendly ~>.
- enclave embeds a choreography with a smaller census inside one whom's census is a superset. In addition to facilitating code-reuse, this is important when one wants to encode at the type level that certain parties are not involved in some sub-operation, and it interacts with naked.
- naked unwraps a single value that's known to the entire census. Monadic binding of naked with a continuation gives the same behavior as HasChor's cond operation, except that instead of hiding an implicit broadcast it requires that any needed communication have already happened. Frequently, naked will be called inside enclave; this gives the behavior of *Asmall*'s auto-enclaving "case" expressions.
- fanOut performs a given action parameterized by a party for each party in the given subset of the census. Unlike parallel, which describes actions in the local monad, fanOut's body is a choreography over the complete census. Arbitrary choreographic behavior can happen inside fanOut, including branching based on the parameter identity, so long as the returned value is known to that party and has the given type. The return values form a new Faceted
- fanIn is similar to fanOut, but represents *convergence*. The return value must be Located at a given set of "recipients" that do *not* depend on the parameter identity. This doesn't necessarily imply any ~> operations, but the obvious use-case is that each q in qs multicasts to rs. The likely-different return values are combined as a simple Located list; any other scheme for combining them can be implemented in a subsequent congruently.

#### 3.4 Derived functions

We aim for minimalism in engineering MultiChor's core API to facilitate reasoning about (and implementing) the freer monad handlers for the centralized semantics and for EPP. At the same time, we aim for MultiChor to be used in the wild, and based on our experience writing examples we believe

that a suite of helper functions is in order. Appendix A lists all the functions used in examples in this paper. A few are especially common in practice:

- ~> wraps comm. In addition to being a convenient infix operator, it uses a dedicated class to accept different structures as its first argument. When explicit membership can be inferred by the type system, it suffices to identify the sender with a Member sender census. When all owners of the message are present in the census, one can use a Subset owners census and a Member sender owners. Otherwise, the usual proofs of presence and ownership will work.
- ~~> sends the result of a local computation directly to recipients without binding it to an intermediary variable.
- broadcast takes the same argument options as ~> and sends the message to the entire census; the received value is unwrapped by naked.
- locally wraps parallel for use on a single party; since there's only one actor, the return value can be Located instead of Faceted. Both locally and parallel have underscore-prefixed variants for when the action-lambdas would ignore their arguments, and underscore-suffixed variants for discarding Located ps () results.
- singleton is a polymorphic proof that a party is a member of a list containing just themselves.

#### 4 Case studies

The attached artifact contains over twenty example choreographies, including translations into MultiChor of all the examples in the HasChor git repository [21], key examples from Bates & Near [1], and the examples in this paper. We present three use-cases here. Most of our examples have MonadIO m => CLI m as their local monad. CLI is perpendicular to the goals of MultiChor; it lets a choreography both run in simultaneous shells with human interaction and run inside of QuickCheck tests.

#### 4.1 Key-Value Store

Shen *et al* present four different "key-value store" choreographies of increasing sophistication. We continue directly from their forth version to write an "*N-ary replicated KVS*", presented in Figure 4.

Like HasChor's examples, our key-value-store is polymorphic on the identities of all parties involved, and higher-order in the sense that it takes as an argument some choreographies that specify how the store should be replicated. It also features recursive interaction with the client and the ability to report corruption (de-synchronization) of servers. A non-replicated system with a single server (or a fake replication scheme where humans interactively report key-value pairs on the command line) can also fit in this scheme. Figure 4 showcases an N-ary replication scheme that abstracts

```
-- | Access to the inner "local" monad.
   parallel :: Subset ls ps -- A set of parties who will all perform the action(s) in parallel.
             -> (forall 1. Member 1 ls -- The "loop variable", a party 1 in ls.
                                      -- A function for unwrapping Located or Faceted values
                                       -- known to 1.
5
                        -> m a) -- The local action(s).
6
             -> Choreo ps m (Faceted ls a)
   -- | Congrunet computation.
   congruently :: Subset ls ps -- The set of parties who will perform the computation.
10
11
                -> (Unwraps ls -> a) -- The computation does not depend on who's performing it.
                                      -- Unwraps doesn't work on Faceted values, unlike Unwrap.
12
                -> Choreo ps m (Located 1s a)
13
14
   -- | Communication between a sender and some receivers.
15
   comm :: (Show a, Read a, Wrapped w) -- Both Located and Faceted are instances of Wrapped.
16
                                         -- Show and Read are the ad-hoc serializaiton system.
17
         => Member 1 ps
                                   -- ^ The sender, who is present in the census.
18
         -> (Member 1 ls, w ls a) -- ^ Proof the sender knows the value, the value.
19
         -> Subset ls' ps
                                   -- ^ The recipients, who are present in the census.
20
         -> Choreo ps m (Located ls' a)
21
22
   -- | Lift a choreography of involving fewer parties into the larger party space.
23
24
   enclave :: Subset ls ps -- The sub-choreography's census must be in the outer census.
            -> Choreo ls m a -- The sub-choreography.
25
           -> Choreo ps m (Located 1s a)
26
27
   -- | Un-locates a value known to the entire census.
28
   naked :: Subset ps qs -- Proof that everyone knows the value.
29
          -> Located qs a -- The value.
30
         -> Choreo ps m a
31
32
   -- | Perform a choreographic action for each of several parties,
33
        gathering their return values as a `Faceted`.
34
   fanOut :: (Wrapped w)
35
           => Subset qs ps -- The parties to loop over.
36
           -> (forall q. Member q qs -- The "loop variable", a party q in qs.
37
                      -> Choreo ps m (w '[q] a)) -- The "loop body", returns a value at q.
38
           -> Choreo ps m (Faceted qs a)
39
40
   -- | Perform a given choreography for each of several parties;
41
        the return values are aggregated as a list located at the invariant recipients.
42
   fanIn :: Subset qs ps -- The parties who are fanning-in, or over whom we're looping.
43
          -> Subset rs ps -- The recipients, the parties who know the results.
44
          -> (forall q. Member q qs -- The "loop variable", a party q in qs.
45
                     -> Choreo ps m (Located rs a)) -- The "loop body", returns a value at rs.
46
          -> Choreo ps m (Located rs [a])
47
                       Figure 3. The monadic functions for constructing Choreo expressions.
```

over the number of backup servers; prior systems cannot represent this abstraction.

The choreography kvs on line 2 is short; it sets up the replication system and then recursively passes requests through it until a **Stop** request has been handled. singleton on line 5 indicates that only primary owns request; the type

of handle on line 31 leaves open the possibility that other parties may also know the **Request** by taking an argument **Member** primary starts. Note that the existence of any backup servers is entirely hidden from kvs, but the possibility of such unseen participants is left open by the polymorphic census ps. In the fanIn on line 20 all the servers

```
kvs :: (KnownSymbol client) => ReplicationStrategy ps (CLI m) -> Member client ps -> Choreo ps (CLI m) ()
   kvs ReplicationStrategy{setup, primary, handle} client = do
     rigging <- setup
     let go = do request <- (client, readRequest) -~> primary @@ nobody
4
                  response <- handle rigging singleton request
5
                  case response of Stopped -> return ()
6
                                   _ -> do client `_locally_` putOutput "Recieved:" response
     go
10
11
   naryReplicationStrategy :: (KnownSymbol primary, KnownSymbols backups, KnownSymbols ps, MonadIO m)
                            => Member primary ps -> Subset backups ps -> ReplicationStrategy ps m
12
   naryReplicationStrategy primary backups = ReplicationStrategy{
13
14
         primary
        , setup = servers `_parallel` newIORef (Map.empty :: State)
15
        , handle = \stateRef pHas request -> do
16
              request' <- (primary, (pHas, request)) ~> servers
17
              localResponse <- servers `parallel` \server un ->
18
                  handleRequest (un server stateRef) (un server request')
19
              responses <- fanIn servers (primary @@ nobody) \server ->
20
                  (server, servers, localResponse) ~> primary @@ nobody
21
              response <- (primary @@ nobody) `congruently` \un ->
22
                  case nub (un refl responses) of [r] -> r
23
24
                                                  rs -> Desynchronization rs
              broadcast (primary, response)
25
     where servers = primary @@ backups
26
27
   data ReplicationStrategy ps m = forall primary rigging. (KnownSymbol primary) =>
28
     ReplicationStrategy { primary :: Member primary ps
29
                          , setup :: Choreo ps m rigging
30
                          , handle :: forall starts w. (Wrapped w)
31
                                   => rigging -> Member primary starts -> w starts Request
32
                                   -> Choreo ps m Response }
33
34
   data Request = Put String String | Get String | Stop deriving (Eq, Ord, Read, Show)
35
36
37
   data Response = Found String | NotFound | Stopped | Desynchronization [Response]
                    deriving (Eq. Ord, Read, Show)
38
39
   -- | PUT returns the old stored value; GET returns whatever was stored.
40
   handleRequest :: (MonadIO m) => IORef State -> Request -> m Response
41
   handleRequest stateRef (Put key value) = mlookup key <$> modifyIORef stateRef (Map.insert key value)
   handleRequest stateRef (Get key) = mlookup key <$> readIORef stateRef
43
   handleRequest _
                            Stop = return Stopped
44
45
   mlookup :: String -> State -> Response
46
   mlookup key = maybe NotFound Found . Map.lookup key
47
48
   type State = Map String String
```

**Figure 4.** A system for building key-value-store choreographies, including an example backup strategy that's polymorphic on the number of backup servers.

including primary send their responses to primary for collation; these kinds of self-sends are typical and do not incur communication costs. The broadcast on line 25 is necessary because everyone needs to know whether to break recursion on line 6 or not.

#### 4.2 Secure Multiparty Computation: GMW

Secure multiparty computation [7] (MPC) is a family of techniques that allow a group of parties to jointly compute an agreed-upon function of their distributed data without revealing the data or any intermediate results to the other parties. We consider an MPC protocol named Goldreich-Micali-Widgerson (GMW) [9] after its authors. The GMW protocol requires the function to be computed to be specified as a binary circuit, and each of the parties who participates in the protocol may provide zero or more inputs to the circuit. At the conclusion of the protocol, all participating parties learn the circuit's output.

The GMW protocol is based on two important building blocks: *additive secret sharing*, a method for encrypting distributed data that still allows computing on it, and *oblivious transfer* (OT) [17], a building-block protocol in applied cryptography. The GMW protocol starts by asking each party to secret share its input values for the circuit. Then, the parties iteratively evaluate the gates of the circuit while keeping the intermediate values secret shared. Oblivious transfer is used to evaluate AND gates. When evaluation finishes, the parties reveal their secret shares of the output to decrypt the final result.

**Additive secret sharing.** We begin by describing additive secret sharing, an extremely common building block in MPC protocols. A secret bit x can be secret shared by generating n random shares  $s_1, \ldots, s_n$  such that  $x = \sum_{i=1}^n s_i$ . If n-1 of the shares are generated uniformly and independently randomly, and the final share is chosen to satisfy the property above, then the shares can be safely distributed to the n parties without revealing x—recovering x requires access to all n shares. Importantly, secret shares are additively homomorphic—adding together shares of secrets x and y produces a share of x + y.

MultiChor choreograpies for performing secret sharing in the arithmetic field of booleans appear in Figure 5. The function secretShare takes a single secret bit located at party p and returns a Faceted bit located at all parties, such that the bits held by the parties sum up to the original secret. reveal takes such a shared value and broadcasts all the shares so everyone can reconstruct the plain-text.

**Oblivious transfer.** The other important building block of the GMW protocol is oblivious transfer (OT) [17]. OT is a 2-party protocol between a *sender* and a *receiver*. In the simplest variant (1 out of 2 OT, used in GMW), the sender inputs two secret bits  $b_1$  and  $b_2$ , and the receiver inputs a single secret *select bit s*. If s = 0, then the receiver receives

 $b_1$ . If s = 1, then the receiver receives  $b_2$ . Importantly, the sender does *not* learn which of  $b_1$  or  $b_2$  has been selected, and the receiver does *not* learn the non-selected value.

The type for the MultiChor choreography for 1-of-2 oblivious transfer is:

The complete definition appears in Figure 10 in Appendix B. Importantly, oblivious transfer is a *two-party protocol*, it would be a type-error for any third-parties to be involved in the implementation. MultiChor's **Faceted** values and utilities for type-safe embedding of enclaved sub-protocols within arbitrarily large censuses make it possible to embed the use of pairwise oblivious transfer between parties in a general version of multi-party GMW.

The GMW protocol. The complete GMW protocol operates as summarized earlier, by secret sharing input values and then evaluating the circuit gate-by-gate. Our implementation as a MultiChor choreography appears in Figure 6, defined as a recursive function over the structure of the circuit. The choreography returns a Faceted value, representing the secret-shared output of the circuit. For "input" gates (lines 4-6), the choreography runs the secret sharing protocol in Figure 5 to distribute shares of the secret value. For XOR gates (lines 14-16), the parties recursively run the GMW protocol to compute the two inputs to the gate and then each party computes one share of the gate's output by XORing their shares of the inputs. This approach leverages the additive homomorphism of additive secret shares. For AND gates (lines 11–13), the parties compute shares of the gate's inputs, then use the fAnd protocol to perform multiplication of the two inputs. Since additive secret shares are not multiplicatively homomorphic, this operation leverages the oblivious transfer protocol to perform the multiplication.

Computing secret-shared AND via OT. To compute the result of an AND gate, the parties compute pair-wise ANDs using their respective shares of the input values, then use the results to derive shares of the gate's output. The fAnd choreography (Figure 7) takes Faceted values holding the parties' shares of the input values, and returns a Faceted value representing each party's share of the output. On line 7, the parties perform a fanOut to begin the pairwise computation; the fanIn on line 9 completes the pairing for each computation, and uses enclaveTo (line 16) to embed pairwise OTs (via ot2) in the larger set of parties.

Our implementation of GMW leverages MultiChor's Faceted values and utilities for type-safe parallel, enclaved, and pairwise choreographies to build a fully-general implementation of the protocol that works for an arbitrary number of parties.

```
genShares :: (MonadIO m) => [LocTm] -> Bool -> m [(LocTm, Bool)]
   genShares partyNames x = do
     freeShares <- replicateM (length partyNames - 1) $ liftIO randomIO -- generate n-1 random shares
     return $ zip partyNames $ xor (x : freeShares) : freeShares
                                                                         -- make the sum equal to x
4
5
   secretShare :: forall parties p m. (KnownSymbols parties, KnownSymbol p, MonadIO m)
6
               => Member p parties -> Located '[p] Bool -> Choreo parties m (Faceted parties Bool)
   secretShare p value = do
     shares <- p `locally` \un -> genShares (toLocs $ allOf @parties) (un singleton value)
10
     allOf @parties `fanOut` \q ->
11
        (p, \un -> return $ fromJust $ toLocTm q `lookup` un singleton shares) ~~> q @@ nobody
12
   reveal :: forall ps m. (KnownSymbols ps) => Faceted ps Bool -> Choreo ps m Bool
13
   reveal shares = let ps = allOf @ps
14
                    in xor \ll ((fanIn ps ps p \rightarrow (p, (p, shares)) \sim ps) \gg naked ps)
15
```

**Figure 5.** Choreographies for secret sharing p's secret value among parties and for revealing a secret-shared value. p constructs secret shares locally (line 9), then sends one share to each party (lines 10–11), including themselves. The result is a **Faceted** value—each party has one secret share of the secret.

```
gmw :: forall parties m. (KnownSymbols parties, MonadIO m, CRT.MonadRandom m)
        => Circuit parties -> Choreo parties (CLI m) (Faceted parties Bool)
2
   gmw circuit = case circuit of
3
                                -- process a secret input value from party p
     InputWire p -> do
4
        value :: Located '[p] Bool <- p `_locally` getInput "Enter a secret input value:"</pre>
5
        secretShare p value
     LitWire b -> do
                                -- process a publicly-known literal value
7
        let partyNames = toLocs (allOf @parties)
8
            shares = partyNames `zip` (b : repeat False)
        allOf @parties `fanOut` p \rightarrow p `_locally` pure (fromJust $ toLocTm p `lookup` shares)
10
     AndGate 1 r -> do
                               -- process an AND gate
11
        lResult <- gmw 1; rResult <- gmw r;</pre>
12
        fAnd lResult rResult
13
14
      XorGate 1 r -> do
                                -- process an XOR gate
        lResult <- gmw l; rResult <- gmw r</pre>
15
        allOf @parties `parallel` \p un -> pure $ xor [un p lResult, un p rResult]
16
```

**Figure 6.** A choreography for the GMW protocol. The choreography works for an arbitrary number of parties, and leverages the fAnd choreography defined in Figure 7 to compute the results of AND gates.

#### 4.3 Federated lottery

DPrio [14] is a recent variation on a secure-aggregation protocol called Prio [4]. DPrio supports all of the same security guarantees as Prio and adds a layer of differential privacy (DP) so that client inputs cannot be inferred by the receiving analyst. To avoid summarizing the polynomial-based zero-knowlege-proofs used in Prio, we excerpt part of DPrio as a stand-alone protocol for this case study. The key mechanism of DPrio is that all clients generate noise for DP and the servers randomly choose whose noise to actually use. The choreography in Figure 8 implements this process, except that instead of adding a selected "noise" to their shares of an earlier aggregation, a value selected from those submitted by the clients is forwarded directly to the analyst to be revealed.

In Figure 8 lines 10–20 the clients choose their inputs and secret-share them to the servers. This process is basically the same as in GMW, except that the field is larger and the parties generating and receiving shares are distinct subsets of the census. Lines 21–38 implement the lottery itself. Finally, the analyst receives shares of the chosen client's secret and sums them together to learn the final result on line 43.

A more casual lottery could be implemented by having one server choose a client-index at random and inform the other servers of the choice, but then everyone would have to trust that the choice truly was random. DPrio ensures the fairness of the lottery in two steps: First, *all* the servers independently generate random values up to some multiple of the number of clients. Second, before the clients reveal their

```
fAnd :: forall parties m. (KnownSymbols parties, MonadIO m, CRT.MonadRandom m)
         => Faceted parties Bool -> Faceted parties Bool -> Choreo parties (CLI m) (Faceted parties Bool)
2
3
   fAnd uShares vShares = do
     let partyNames = toLocs (allOf @parties)
4
         genBools = mapM (\name -> (name,) <$> randomIO)
5
     a_j_s :: Faceted parties [(LocTm, Bool)] <- allof @parties `_parallel` genBools partyNames
6
     bs :: Faceted parties Bool <- allof @parties `fanOut` \p_j -> do
         let p_j_name = toLocTm p_j
         b_{i_s} \leftarrow fanIn (all Of @parties) (p_j @@ nobody) \p_i \rightarrow
10
            if toLocTm p_i == p_j_name
11
              then p_j `_locally` pure False
              else do
12
                  bb <- p_i `locally` \un -> let a_ij = fromJust $ lookup p_j_name (un p_i a_j_s)
13
                                                  u_i = un p_i uShares
14
                                              in pure (xor [u_i, a_ij], a_ij)
15
                  enclaveTo (p_i @@ p_j @@ nobody) (listedSecond @@ nobody) (ot2 bb $ localize p_j vShares)
16
         p_j `locally` \un -> pure $ xor $ un singleton b_i_s
17
     allOf @parties `parallel` \p_i un ->
18
        let name = toLocTm p_i
19
            ok p_j = p_j /= name
20
            computeShare u v a_js b = xor [u \& v, b] ++ [a_j | (p_j, a_j) <- a_js, ok p_j]
21
        in pure $ computeShare (un p_i uShares) (un p_i vShares) (un p_i a_j_s) (un p_i bs)
22
```

**Figure 7.** A choreography for computing the result of an AND gate on secret-shared inputs using pairwise oblivious transfer. The choreography works for an arbitrary number of parties, and leverages the 1 out of 2 OT defined earlier.

randomness to each other, they *commit* to their randomness by broadcasting salted hashes. The actual client-index used is the modulo of the sum of these random values. The commitment process just prevents any server from waiting until the end to select their value; without it the last server would be able to calculate their "random" value to result in any index they wanted. We represent the result of a failed commitment check with an **10** error at any parties that detect it, which will prevent the choreography from completing.

The three parallel blocks on lines 22, 24, and 26 of Figure 8 could be combined into one without changing the semantics of the choreography, but a **Faceted** tuple can't be unpacked by pattern matching, so using  $\rho$ ,  $\psi$ , and  $\alpha$  would become more complicated. In contrast, it would not be safe to combine the fanIn on line 27 with the ones on lines 29 and 30; it's precisely this sequential separation that ensures no server sends their  $\rho$  until they've received all the  $\alpha$ '.

#### 5 Conclusions

We have presented MultiChor, an eDSL library for choreographic programming with multiply located values, multicast, enclaving, and census polymorphism. MultiChor has type-safe KoC management while avoiding performance penalties due to extra communication. MultiChor uses proof objects both to ensure that choreographies are projectable and as identifiers for communicating parties. MultiChor offers new operations such as congruently, fanOut, and fanIn. We've presented several example choreographies to

show how MultiChor can implement real distributed computations including the GMW protocol for secure multi-party computation. We believe MultiChor is expressive and an appropriate tool for writing type-safe choreographic programs in the wild.

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```
lottery
      :: forall clients servers analyst census m _serv1 _serv2 _servTail _client1 _client2 _clientTail
       . ( KnownSymbols clients, KnownSymbols servers, KnownSymbol analyst, MonadIO m
          , (_serv1 ': _serv2 ': _servTail) ~ servers -- There must be at least be two servers
          , (_client1 ': _client2 ': _clientTail) ~ clients -- There must be at least be two clients
5
6
      => Subset clients census -> Subset servers census -> Member analyst census
      -> Choreo census (CLI m) ()
   lottery clients servers analyst = do
      secret <- _parallel clients (getInput @Fp "secret:")</pre>
10
11
      clientShares <- clients `parallel` \client un -> do
12
          freeShares <- liftIO $ replicateM (length serverNames - 1) $ randomIO @Fp</pre>
          return $ serverNames `zip` (un client secret - sum freeShares)
13
      serverShares <- fanOut servers (\server ->
14
          fanIn clients (inSuper servers server @@ nobody) (\client -> do
15
               serverShare <- inSuper clients client `locally` \un ->
                                 pure $ fromJust $ lookup (toLocTm server) $ un client clientShares
17
               (inSuper clients client, serverShare) ~> inSuper servers server @@ nobody
18
            )
19
        )
20
      -- 1) Each server selects a random number; \tau is some multiple of the number of clients.
21
      \rho \leftarrow _parallel servers (getInput "A random number from 1 to \tau:")
22
23
      -- Salt value
24
      \psi \leftarrow \text{parallel servers (randomRIO (2^(18::Int), 2^(20::Int)))}
25
      -- 2) Each server computes and publishes the hash \alpha = H(\rho, \psi) to serve as a commitment
      \alpha \leftarrow \text{parallel servers } \text{server un } \rightarrow \text{pure } \text{shash (un server } \phi) \text{ (un server } \rho)
26
      \alpha' <- fanIn servers servers ( \server -> (server, servers, \alpha) \sim servers )
27
      -- 3) Every server opens their commitments by publishing their \psi and \rho to each other
28
      \psi' <- fanIn servers servers (\server -> (server, servers, \psi) \sim servers )
29
      ρ' <- fanIn servers servers (\server -> (server, servers, ρ) ~> servers )
30
      -- 4) All servers verify each other's commitment by checking \alpha = H(\rho, \psi)
31
      parallel_ servers (\server un ->
32
          unless (un server \alpha' == zipWith hash (un server \psi') (un server \rho'))
33
                  (liftIO $ throwIO CommitmentCheckFailed)
34
        )
35
      -- 5) If all the checks are successful, then sum random values to get the random index.
36
37
      \omega \leftarrow \text{servers `congruently` (\un -> sum (un refl p') `mod` length (toLocs clients))}
      chosenShares <- servers `parallel` (\server un -> pure \$ un server serverShares !! un server \omega)
38
      -- Servers forward shares to an analyist.
39
      allShares <- fanIn servers (analyst @@ nobody) (\server ->
40
          (server, servers, chosenShares) ~> analyst @@ nobody
41
        )
42
      analyst `locally_` \un -> putOutput "The answer is:" $ sum $ un singleton allShares
43
     where serverNames = toLocs servers
44
           hash :: Int -> Int -> Digest Crypto.SHA256
45
           hash \rho \psi = Crypto.hash $ toStrict (Binary.encode \rho \Leftrightarrow Binary.encode \psi)
46
```

**Figure 8.** A federated-lottery protocol. One of the secret values chosen by the clients is revealed to the analyst; as long as at least one server acts honestly (randomly generates their  $\rho$  on line 22), the choice of which value to reveal will be random. Only the analyst learns any of the clients' secrets; they only learn the one secret, and they do not learn which one it was. The algorithm-step numbers and the unicode variable names align with the instructions in Section 6.2 of Keller *et al* [14]. Client secrets are chosen at-will from a finite field (the type **Fp**); we used the finite field of size 999983.

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#### A Additional functions

Figure 3 showed the foundational monadic functions parallel, congruently, comm, enclave, naked, fanOut, and fanIn. Figure 9 shows type signatures for the entire library (as exported), in alphabetical order. Some functions are "core" in the sense that they can't be written without reference to MultiChor's internal machinery. Other functions are "helper functions", which are implemented entirely using the exposed core functions.

## B Additional Choreographies for the GMW Protocol

**Oblivious transfer.** Our implementation of oblivious transfer leverages a common strategy for building OT from public-key encryption. First, the receiver generates two public keys and one secret key (line 23); one of the public keys is real, and corresponds to the secret key, while the other is chosen at random from the space of public keys and has no corresponding secret key. The select bit determines the ordering of the public keys. The receiver sends the public keys to the sender (lines 24–25); the sender encrypts both  $b_1$  and  $b_2$  with the corresponding public keys and sends the ciphertexts back to the receiver (lines 26–27). Finally, the receiver decrypts the selected value (lines 28–30).

The sender treats both  $b_1$  and  $b_2$  in the same way, and cannot tell which public key is real and which one is fake—so the sender does not learn which value was selected. The receiver gets both encrypted values, but can only decrypt one of them, since only one of the public keys used has a corresponding secret key (the other public key is totally random). This version of OT is secure only against *honest but curious* or *passive* adversaries, who observe network communications but do not change the behavior of the parties, since an actively malicious receiver could create two actual key pairs in the first step of the protocol and thus be able to decrypt both  $b_1$  and  $b_2$  at the end. More complicated variants of the protocol can defend against this kind of attack.

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```
(-~>) :: forall a l ls' m ps. (Show a, Read a, KnownSymbol l, KnownSymbols ls')
         => (Member 1 ps, m a) -> Subset 1s' ps -> Choreo ps m (Located 1s' a)
   infix 4 -~>
3
   (~~>) :: forall a l ls' m ps. (Show a, Read a, KnownSymbol l, KnownSymbols ls')
         => (Member 1 ps, Unwrap 1 -> m a) -> Subset 1s' ps -> Choreo ps m (Located 1s' a)
   infix 4 ~~>
   (@@) :: Member x ys -> Subset xs ys -> Subset (x ': xs) ys
10
11
12
   (~>) :: (Show a, Read a, KnownSymbol 1, KnownSymbols ls', CanSend s l a ls ps w)
        ⇒ s -- ^ The message argument can take three forms:
13
                     `(Member sender census, wrapped owners a)` where
14
                          the sender is explicitly listed in owners,
15
                      `(Member sender owners, Subset owners census, wrapped owners a)`, or
16
                      '(Member sender census, (Member sender owners, wrapped owners a)'.
17
         -> Subset ls' ps -> Choreo ps m (Located ls' a)
18
   infix 4 ~>
19
20
   allof :: forall ps. Subset ps ps
21
22
   Backend :: Type -> Constraint -- A phonebook for running Network monad expressions.
23
24
25
   broadcast :: forall l a ps ls w m s.
                 (Show a, Read a, KnownSymbol 1, KnownSymbols ps, CanSend s l a ls ps w)
26
              => s -> Choreo ps m a
27
28
   Choreo :: [LocTy] -> (Type -> Type) -> Type -> Type
29
   type Choreo ps m = Freer (ChoreoSig ps m)
30
31
   comm :: (Show a, Read a, KnownSymbol 1, KnownSymbols ls', Wrapped w)
32
        => Member l ps -> (Member l ls, w ls a) -> Subset ls' ps
33
        -> Choreo ps m (Located ls' a)
34
   infix 4 comm`
35
36
37
   cond :: (KnownSymbols ls)
        => (Subset ls ps, (Subset ls qs, Located qs a)) -> (a -> Choreo ls m b)
38
        -> Choreo ps m (Located 1s b)
39
40
   congruently :: (KnownSymbols ls)
41
                  => Subset 1s ps -> (Unwraps 1s -> a) -> Choreo ps m (Located 1s a)
42
   infix 4 congruently
43
44
   consSet :: Subset xs (x ': xs)
45
46
   consSub :: Subset xs ys -> Member x ys -> Subset (x ': xs) ys
47
   consSuper :: forall xs ys y. Subset xs ys -> Subset xs (y ': ys)
                                      Figure 9. The MultiChor API, part 1/4.
```

```
enclave :: (KnownSymbols ls)
51
            ⇒ Subset ls ps → Choreo ls m a → Choreo ps m (Located ls a)
    infix 4 enclave
52
53
54
    enclaveTo :: forall ls a rs ps m. (KnownSymbols ls)
              => Subset ls ps -> Subset rs ls -> Choreo ls m (Located rs a)
55
              -> Choreo ps m (Located rs a)
56
    infix 4 `enclaveTo`
57
58
59
    enclaveToAll :: forall ls a ps m. (KnownSymbols ls)
60
                  => Subset ls ps -> Choreo ls m (Located ls a) -> Choreo ps m (Located ls a)
61
    infix 4 `enclaveToAll`
62
    epp :: (Monad m) => Choreo ps m a -> LocTm -> Network m a
63
64
    ExplicitMember :: forall k. k -> [k] -> Constraint
65
    explicitMember :: forall k (x :: k) (xs :: [k]). ExplicitMember x xs => Member x xs
66
67
    ExplicitSubset :: forall {k}. [k] -> [k] -> Constraint
68
    explicitSubset :: forall {k} (xs :: [k]) (ys :: [k]). ExplicitSubset xs ys => Subset xs ys
69
70
    Faceted :: [LocTy] -> Type -> Type
71
72
73
    fanIn :: (KnownSymbols qs, KnownSymbols rs)
           => Subset gs ps -> Subset rs ps
74
           -> (forall q. (KnownSymbol q)
75
               => Member q qs -> Choreo ps m (Located rs a))
76
           -> Choreo ps m (Located rs [a])
77
78
    fanOut :: (KnownSymbols qs, Wrapped w)
79
           => Subset as ps
80
           -> (forall q. (KnownSymbol q) => Member q qs -> Choreo ps m (w '[q] a))
81
           -> Choreo ps m (Faceted qs a)
82
83
    flatten :: Subset ls ms -> Subset ls ns -> Located ms (Located ns a)
84
            -> Located ls a
85
    infix 3 `flatten`
86
87
    fracture :: forall ls a. (KnownSymbols ls) => Located ls a -> Faceted ls a
88
89
    inSuper :: Subset xs ys -> Member x xs -> Member x ys
90
91
    IsMember :: forall k. k -> [k] -> Type
92
93
    IsSubset :: forall k. [k] -> [k] -> Type
94
95
    KnownSymbols :: [Symbol] -> Constraint -- lift KnownSymbol to type-level lists
96
97
    listedFifth :: forall p5 p4 p3 p2 p1 ps. Member p5 (p1 ': p2 ': p3 ': p4 ': p5 ': ps)
98
    listedFirst :: forall p1 ps. Member p1 (p1 ': ps)
100
101
    listedForth :: forall p4 p3 p2 p1 ps. Member p4 (p1 ': p2 ': p3 ': p4 ': ps)
102
103
    listedSecond :: forall p2 p1 ps. Member p2 (p1 ': p2 ': ps)
                                       Figure 9. The MultiChor API, part 2/4.
```

```
listedSixth :: forall p6 p5 p4 p3 p2 p1 ps. Member p6 (p1 ': p2 ': p3 ': p4 ': p5 ': p6 ': ps)
    listedThird :: forall p3 p2 p1 ps. Member p3 (p1 ': p2 ': p3 ': ps)
107
108
    localize :: (KnownSymbol 1) => Member 1 ls -> Faceted ls a -> Located '[1] a
109
110
    locally :: (KnownSymbol (1 :: LocTy))
111
             => Member 1 ps -> (Unwrap 1 -> m a) -> Choreo ps m (Located '[1] a)
112
    infix 4 `locally`
113
114
115
    locally_ :: (KnownSymbol 1) => Member 1 ps -> (Unwrap 1 -> m ()) -> Choreo ps m ()
    infix 4 locally_
116
117
    _locally :: (KnownSymbol 1) => Member 1 ps -> m a -> Choreo ps m (Located '[1] a)
118
    infix 4 _locally`
119
120
    _locally_ :: (KnownSymbol 1) => Member 1 ps -> m () -> Choreo ps m ()
121
    infix 4 `_locally_`
122
123
    Located :: [LocTy] -> Type -> Type
124
125
126
    LocTm :: Type
127
    type LocTm = String
128
129
    LocTy :: Type
    type LocTy = Symbol
130
131
    Member :: forall {k}. k -> [k] -> Type
132
    type Member x xs = Proof (IsMember x xs)
133
134
    mkLoc :: String -> 0 [Dec] -- Template Haskell
135
136
    naked :: Subset ps qs -> Located qs a -> Choreo ps m a
137
    infix 4 `naked`
138
139
    Network :: (Type -> Type) -> Type -> Type
140
141
    NetworkSig :: (Type -> Type) -> Type -> Type
142
143
    nobody :: Subset '[] ys
144
145
    parallel :: (KnownSymbols ls)
             => Subset ls ps -> (forall 1. (KnownSymbol 1) => Member 1 ls -> Unwrap 1 -> m a)
147
             -> Choreo ps m (Faceted 1s a)
148
149
    parallel_ :: forall ls ps m. (KnownSymbols ls)
150
               => Subset 1s ps -> (forall 1. (KnownSymbol 1) => Member 1 1s -> Unwrap 1 ->m ())
151
               -> Choreo ps m ()
152
153
154
    _parallel :: forall ls a ps m. (KnownSymbols ls)
               ⇒ Subset ls ps → m a → Choreo ps m (Faceted ls a)
155
156
    recv :: forall a (m :: Type -> Type). Read a => LocTm -> Network m a
157
158
    run :: forall (m :: Type -> Type) a. m a -> Network m a
                                        Figure 9. The MultiChor API, part 3/4.
```

```
runChoreo :: forall ps b m. Monad m => Choreo ps m b -> m b
161
    runNetwork :: (Backend c, MonadIO m) => c -> LocTm -> Network m a -> m a
162
163
    send :: forall a (m :: Type -> Type). Show a => a -> [LocTm] -> Network m ()
164
165
    singleton :: forall p. Member p (p ': '[])
166
167
    Subset :: forall {k}. [k] -> [k] -> Type
168
169
    type Subset xs ys = Proof (IsSubset xs ys)
170
    toLocs :: forall (ls :: [LocTy]) (ps :: [LocTy]). KnownSymbols ls => Subset ls ps -> [LocTm]
171
172
    toLocTm :: forall (1 :: LocTy) (ps :: [LocTy]). KnownSymbol 1 => Member 1 ps -> LocTm
173
174
   Unwrap :: LocTy -> Type
175
    type Unwrap (1 :: LocTy) = forall ls a w. (Wrapped w) => Member 1 ls -> w ls a -> a
176
177
    Unwraps :: [LocTy] -> Type
178
    type Unwraps (qs :: [LocTy]) = forall ls a. Subset qs ls -> Located ls a -> a
179
    Wrapped :: ([Symbol] -> Type -> Type) -> Constraint
                                       Figure 9. The MultiChor API, part 4/4.
```

```
genKeys :: (CRT.MonadRandom m) => Bool -> m (RSA.PublicKey, RSA.PublicKey, RSA.PrivateKey)
   genKeys s = do -- Generate keys for OT. One key is real, and one is fake - select bit decides
     (pk, sk) <- genKeyPair
     fakePk <- generateFakePK</pre>
4
     return $ if s then (pk, fakePk, sk) else (fakePk, pk, sk)
   encryptS :: (CRT.MonadRandom m) => -- Encryption based on select bit
                (RSA.PublicKey, RSA.PublicKey) -> Bool -> Bool -> m (ByteString, ByteString)
   encryptS (pk1, pk2) b1 b2 = do c1 <- encryptRSA pk1 b1; c2 <- encryptRSA pk2 b2; return (c1, c2)
10
   decryptS :: (CRT.MonadRandom m) => -- Decryption based on select bit
11
           (RSA.PublicKey, RSA.PublicKey, RSA.PrivateKey) -> Bool -> (ByteString, ByteString) -> m Bool
12
   decryptS (_, _, sk) s (c1, c2) = if s then decryptRSA sk c1 else decryptRSA sk c2
13
14
   -- One out of two OT
15
   ot2 :: (KnownSymbol sender, KnownSymbol receiver, MonadIO m, CRT.MonadRandom m) =>
16
     Located '[sender] (Bool, Bool) -> Located '[receiver] Bool
17
     -> Choreo '[sender, receiver] (CLI m) (Located '[receiver] Bool)
18
   ot2 bb s = do
19
     let sender = listedFirst :: Member sender '[sender, receiver]
20
     let receiver = listedSecond :: Member receiver '[sender, receiver]
21
22
     keys <- receiver `locally` \un -> liftIO $ genKeys $ un singleton s
23
24
     pks <- (receiver, \un -> let (pk1, pk2, _) = un singleton keys
                               in return (pk1, pk2)) ~~> sender @@ nobody
25
     encrypted <- (sender, \un -> let (b1, b2) = un singleton bb
26
                                   in liftIO $ encryptS (un singleton pks) b1 b2) ~~> receiver @@ nobody
27
     receiver `locally` \un -> liftIO $ decryptS (un singleton keys)
28
29
                                                                (un singleton s)
30
                                                                (un singleton encrypted)
```

**Figure 10.** A choreography for performing 1 out of 2 oblivious transfer (OT) using RSA public-key encryption. The choreography involves exactly two parties, sender and receiver.