

Secure Computation - III

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- **Today:** Goldreich-Micali-Wigderson (GMW) solution. Highly interactive. But extends naturally to $n > 2$ parties (where up to $n - 1$ parties may be corrupted).

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A (k, n) secret-sharing consists of a pair of PPT algorithms $(\text{Share}, \text{Reconstruct})$ s.t.:

- $\text{Share}(s)$ produces an n tuple (s_1, \dots, s_n)
- $\text{Reconstruct}(s'_{i_1}, \dots, s'_{i_k})$ is s.t. if $\{s'_{i_1}, \dots, s'_{i_k}\} \subseteq \{s_1, \dots, s_n\}$, then it outputs s
- For any two s and \tilde{s} , and for any subset of at most $k - 1$ indices $X \subset [1, n]$, $|X| < k$, the following two distributions are statistically close:

$$\left\{ (s_1, \dots, s_n) \leftarrow \text{Share}(s) : (s_i | i \in X) \right\},$$
$$\left\{ (\tilde{s}_1, \dots, \tilde{s}_n) \leftarrow \text{Share}(\tilde{s}) : (\tilde{s}_i | i \in X) \right\}.$$

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Additional Reading: Shamir's (k, n) secret-sharing using polynomials

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- **Output reconstruction:** Finally, the parties exchange the secret shares of the output wires. Each party then, on its own, combines the secret shares to compute the output of the circuit

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Protocol Invariant: For every wire in $C(x, y)$ with value $w \in \{0, 1\}$, A and B have shares w^A and w^B , respectively, s.t.
 $\text{Reconstruct}(w^A, w^B) = w$

GMW Protocol: Details (contd.)

Protocol $\Pi = (A, B)$:

Input Sharing: A computes $(x_i^A, x_i^B) \leftarrow \text{Share}(x_i)$ for every $i \in [n]$ and sends (x_1^B, \dots, x_n^B) to B . B acts analogously.

Circuit Evaluation: Run the **CircuitEval** sub-protocol. A obtains out_i^A and B obtains out_i^B for every output wire i .

Output Phase: For every output wire i , A sends out_i^A to B , and B sends out_i^B to A . Each party computes

$$\text{out}_i = \text{Reconstruct}(\text{out}_i^A, \text{out}_i^B)$$

The output is $\text{out} = \text{out}_1, \dots, \text{out}_n$

CircuitEval: NOT Gate

NOT Gate: Input u , output w

- A holds u^A , B holds u^B
- A computes $w^A = u^A \oplus 1$
- B computes $w^B = u^B$

Observe: $w^A \oplus w^B = u^A \oplus 1 \oplus u^B = \bar{u}$

CircuitEval: AND Gate

AND Gate: Inputs u, v , output w

- A holds u^A, v^A , B holds u^B, v^B
- A samples $w^A \xleftarrow{\$} \{0, 1\}$ and computes w_1^B, \dots, w_4^B as follows:

u^B	v^B	w^B
0	0	$w_1^B = w^A \oplus ((u^A \oplus 0) \cdot (v^A \oplus 0))$
0	1	$w_2^B = w^A \oplus ((u^A \oplus 0) \cdot (v^A \oplus 1))$
1	0	$w_3^B = w^A \oplus ((u^A \oplus 1) \cdot (v^A \oplus 0))$
1	1	$w_4^B = w^A \oplus ((u^A \oplus 1) \cdot (v^A \oplus 1))$

- A and B run $\text{OT} = (S, R)$ where A acts as sender S with inputs (w_1^B, \dots, w_4^B) and B acts as receiver R with input $b = 1 + 2u^B + v^B$

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Exercise: Construct Simulator for Π using Simulator for OT and prove indistinguishability