



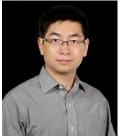
Secure and Efficient Encrypted Image Search with Access Control

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Abstract

Image search has been widely used in many applications for the rich content that images contain. As a viable solution, outsourcing image search services to cloud appears to be an economic choice especially for small organizations. However, privacy shall be well protected for image outsourcing because many images contain sensitive and/or private information. To this end, several attempts have been made towards secure image search over encrypted dataset. Promising as they are, these attempts are mostly limited by either search accuracy or search efficiency. In this talk, we introduce a new encrypted image search scheme, namely SEISA. SEISA is featured by its lightweightness and security. Even compared with state-of-the-art search techniques over unprotected images, SEISA is only about 9% slower and loses about 3% of search accuracy. It also efficiently supports access control of the search capabilities by employing a novel polynomial based design, which enables data owners to define who can search a specific image.

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