Jinyeong Seo

Overview

I am a Ph.D. student at Seoul National University, advised by Prof. Yongsoo Song. My research interest lies in (but is not limited to) the practical instantiation of cryptographic protocols using techniques from lattice-based cryptography. Specifically, my recent research focuses on improving the performance of lattice-based proof systems and homomorphic encryption schemes. I also have broad interests in the theoretical foundations of cryptographic proofs.

Education

Seoul National University

Seoul, South Korea

Ph.D. in Computer Science

Mar. 2022 - Present

Advisor: Prof. Yongsoo Song

KAIST

Daejeon, South Korea

B.S. in Mathematical Science

Mar. 2016 - Aug. 2021

(double major: computer science)

Publications

Authors are listed in alphabetical order by last name, unless an asterisk (*) is indicated.

Conferences

[C08] TopGear 2.0: Accelerated Authenticated Matrix Triple Generation with Scalable Prime Fields via Optimized HE Packing

Hyunho Cha, Intak Hwang, Seonhong Min, Jinyeong Seo
, Yongsoo Song To appear in IEEE S&P 2025

[C07] Simpler and faster BFV Bootstrapping for Arbitrary Plaintext Modulus from CKKS

Jaehyung Kim, <u>Jinyeong Seo</u>, Yongsoo Song *ACM CCS 2024*

[C06] Concretely Efficient Lattice-based Polynomial Commitment from Standard Assumptions

Intak Hwang, <u>Jinyeong Seo</u>, Yongsoo Song. *CRYPTO 2024*

[C05] Optimizing HE operations via Level-aware Key-switching Framework

Intak Hwang, <u>Jinyeong Seo</u>, Yongsoo Song. *WAHC 2023*

[C04] Asymptotically faster multi-key homomorphic encryption from homomorphic gadget decomposition

Taechan Kim, Hyesun Kwak, Dongwon Lee, <u>Jinyeong Seo</u>, Yongsoo Song. *ACM CCS 2023*

$[{\rm C03}]$ Toward Practical Lattice-based Proof of Knowledge from Hint-MLWE

Duhyeong Kim, Dongwon Lee, <u>Jinyeong Seo</u>, Yongsoo Song. *CRYPTO 2023*

[C02] Accelerating HE Operations from Key Decomposition Technique Miran Kim, Dongwon Lee, Jinyeong Seo, Yongsoo Song.

CRYPTO 2023

[C01] Faster TFHE Bootstrapping with Block Binary Keys

Changmin Lee, Seonhong Min, <u>Jinyeong Seo</u>, Yongsoo Song. *ACM ASIACCS 2023*

Journals

[J01] *HEaaN-STAT: a privacy-preserving statistical analysis toolkit for large-scale numerical, ordinal, and categorical data

Younho Lee, <u>Jinyeong Seo</u>, Yujin Nam, Jiseok Chae, Jung Hee Cheon *IEEE TDSC 2023*

Preprints

[P02] On the Security and Privacy of CKKS-based Homomorphic Evaluation Protocols

Intak Hwang, Seonhong Min, Jinyeong Seo, Yongsoo Song

[P01] Practical Zero-Knowledge PIOP for Public Key and Ciphertext Generation in (Multi-Group) Homomorphic Encryption

Intak Hwang, Hyeonbum Lee, Jinyeong Seo, Yongsoo Song

Experiences

CryptoLab Inc.

Seoul, South Korea

- Researcher

Sep. 2019 - Mar. 2020

- Intern

Jun. 2019 – Aug. 2019

 $\hbox{-} Developed HE aaN-STAT, homomorphic encryption-based statistical analysis toolkit. \\$

eWBM Inc.

Seoul, South Korea

- Intern

Jun. 2018 - Aug. 2018

- Developed ECDH PKI protocols for secure communication on LoRa devices.

Presentations

Simpler and faster BFV Bootstrapping for Arbitrary Plaintext Modulus from CKKS Oct. 2024

ACM CCS 2024

Concretely Efficient Lattice-based Polynomial Commitment from **Standard Assumptions** Aug. 2024

CRYPTO 2024

Practical Lattice-based Private Stream Aggregation and Application to **Federated Learning** Aug. 2023

The 5th Privacy-Preserving Machine Learning Workshop 2023

Honors & Awards

Korea Cryptography Contest

Oct. 2024

2nd Place (\$3,000)

National Security Research Institute

Student Travel Grants

Oct. 2024

Travel Grant (\$1,000)

ACM CCS 2024

Korea Cryptography Contest

Oct. 2023

1st Place (\$10,000)

National Security Research Institute

29th Samsung Humantech Paper Award

Feb. 2023

Silver Award (\$7,000)

Samsung Electronics

Korea Cryptography Contest

Oct. 2022

3rd Place (\$2,000)

National Security Research Institute

GitHub Repositories

https://github.com/SNUCP/level-aware-ksw PoC Implementation of [C05]

https://github.com/SNUCP/snu-mghe PoC Implementation of [C04] https://github.com/SNUCP/fast-ksw PoC Implementation of [C02] https://github.com/SNUCP/blockkey-tfhe PoC Implementation of [C01]

Skills **Programming**: C, C++, Go, Python