

The background is a complex digital collage. It features a central, glowing pink and red heart shape. Overlaid on this are various geometric patterns, including a grid of light blue hexagons and swirling, wavy lines in shades of blue and green. Faint binary code (0s and 1s) is scattered across the lower portion of the image. The overall aesthetic is high-tech and futuristic.

Heart Attack: Homomorphic Encryption

Project Type 3

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Project Type 3: Goal

- Allow Alice to outsource her dataset using partially homomorphic encryption to a cloud server Carol
- Allow Alice to query Carol for a function to be computed over the stored encrypted data. This will be done by:
 - 1) Alice specifies query function to Carol
 - 2) Carol evaluates function over encrypted data
 - 3) Alice obtains output of the function returned by Carol and decrypts the data



General Plan

- 1) **Alice's Dataset:** Heart.csv
- 2) **Alice's Desired Query Function:** Dataset entries matching a keyword (chosen by Alice)
- 3) **Method:**
 - a) Create a program called "Alice" that encrypts input data using the homomorphic encryption scheme
 - b) Create a program called "Carol" that computes matching on homomorphic encrypted data on query from a user i.e. age:42
 - c) Create a program called "Darryl" that computes matching on non-encrypted data on query from a user and compare its performance against "Carol"



Heart.csv

age	sex	cp	trtbps	chol	fb	restecg	thalachh	exng	oldpeak
63	1	3	145	233	1	0	150	0	2.3
37	1	2	130	250	0	1	187	0	3.5
41	0	1	130	204	0	0	172	0	1.4
56	1	1	120	236	0	1	178	0	0.8
57	0	0	120	354	0	1	163	1	0.6
57	1	0	140	192	0	1	148	0	0.4
56	0	1	140	294	0	0	153	0	1.3
44	1	1	120	263	0	1	173	0	0
52	1	2	172	199	1	1	162	0	0.5
57	1	2	150	168	0	1	174	0	1.6
54	1	0	140	239	0	1	160	0	1.2
48	0	2	130	275	0	1	139	0	0.2
49	1	1	130	266	0	1	171	0	0.6
64	1	3	110	211	0	0	144	1	1.8
58	0	3	150	283	1	0	162	0	1
50	0	2	120	219	0	1	158	0	1.6
58	0	2	120	340	0	1	172	0	0
66	0	3	150	226	0	1	114	0	2.6
43	1	0	150	247	0	1	171	0	1.5
69	0	3	140	239	0	1	151	0	1.8
59	1	0	135	234	0	1	161	0	0.5
44	1	2	130	233	0	1	179	1	0.4
42	1	0	140	226	0	1	178	0	0



Homomorphic Encryption - Paillier

- Sum homomorphic → used for calculating matching
 - $\text{match} = \text{matched data} - \text{query data} = 0$
 - $\text{cell} + \text{match} * \text{random_value}$ obfuscates rows that do not match
- IND-CPA secure
- Extremely usable and secure library for python implementation - PHE



Alice

```
1 import pandas as pd
2 import numpy as np
3 from phe import paillier
4 import pickle
5
6 def gen_keys():
7     # generate paillier keys
8     pubkey, prikey = paillier.generate_paillier_keypair()
9
10    # save private and public keys
11    with open('pubkey.pickle', 'wb') as handle:
12        pickle.dump(pubkey, handle)
13    with open('prikey.pickle', 'wb') as handle:
14        pickle.dump(prikey, handle)
15    return pubkey, prikey
16
17 # Read from csv
18 # store as numpy array, df_np
19 df = pd.read_csv("test.csv")
20 df = df.dropna()
21 df_np = df.to_numpy()
22
23 # create private and public keys
24 public_key, private_key = gen_keys()
25
26 cipher_vect = list()
27 for row in df_np:
28     # encrypt each item and append row
29     cipher_row = [public_key.encrypt(x) for x in row]
30     cipher_vect.append(cipher_row)
31
32 # pickle data and columns
33 mydf = pd.DataFrame(cipher_vect, columns=df.columns)
34 pd.to_pickle(mydf, "encrypted.pickle")
```

Encrypts input data using Paillier homomorphic encryption scheme.

- Alice(Encrypt): Generates 3 files: public and private key files, and an encrypted csv
- Using Paillier, create public and private keys.
- Encrypt every column and row using our public key.
- Store it as a pickled csv.

left: Alice Encrypt



Alice (cont'd)

Alice (Decrypt):

Takes the results from Carol,
decrypts them, and then prints
them out.

right: Alice Encrypt

```
1 import pandas as pd
2 import numpy as np
3 from phe import paillier
4 import pickle
5
6 def get_keys():
7     # open paillier keys from files
8     with open("pubkey.pickle", 'rb') as handle:
9         public_key = pickle.load(handle)
10    with open("prikey.pickle", 'rb') as handle:
11        private_key = pickle.load(handle)
12    return public_key, private_key
13
14 # read pickle file from carol
15 df = pd.read_pickle("encrypted_carol.pickle")
16 df = df.dropna()
17
18 # get valid index
19 validIndex = df.columns.get_loc('valid')
20
21 # convert to np
22 df_np = df.to_numpy()
23
24 # retrieve keys
25 public_key, private_key = get_keys()
26
27 # decrypt each cell in row and return if the row is valid
28 decrypt_vect = list()
29 for row in df_np:
30     decrypt_row = [private_key.decrypt(cell) for cell in
31                    if int(decrypt_row[validIndex]) == 1:
32                        decrypt_vect.append(decrypt_row)
33
34 # print all valid rows
35 for valid_row in decrypt_vect:
36     print(valid_row)
```



Carol

Computes matching on homomorphically encrypted data on query from a user i.e. (age:42).

Returns encrypted data that matches the query in a pickled file.

```
1 ''' Carol will compute matching on encrypted data on query
2 from Alice and compare'''
3 import argparse
4 import copy
5 import csv
6 import math
7 import pandas as pd
8 import phe.encoding
9 from phe import paillier
10 import pickle
11 import random
12 import sys
13
14 def randomize():
15     pos_or_neg = 1 if random.random() < 0.5 else -1
16     return random.randint(0, 10000000000)*pos_or_neg
17
18 def get_rows(pkfile):
19     # get csv as dataframe
20     df = pd.read_pickle(pkfile)
21     df = df.dropna()
22     header = df.columns
23     rows = df.to_numpy()
24
25     return header, rows
26
27 def compute_matching(header, rows, category, data):
28     if category not in header:
29         sys.stderr.write('Error: "{}" is not a valid category\n'.format(category))
30         sys.exit(1)
31
32     # get index to apply to
33     catIndex = header.get_loc(category)
34
35     # apply subtracting method to identify matching row
36     for i in range(0, len(rows)):
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36         for i in range(0, len(rows)):
37             catcell = rows[i][catIndex]
38
39             # subtract to extract correct answer
40             temp = catcell - float(data)
41
42             # multiply by random number to hide values (also ruins the 'valid' cell)
43             rows[i] = [temp*randomize() + cell for cell in rows[i]]
44
45     return rows, header
46
47 # Carol finding Alice's query in the encrypted data without leaking any additional info to Alice
48 def Carol (category, data):
49     header, rows = get_rows('encrypted.pickle')
50     return compute_matching(header, rows, category, data)
51
52 def parse(category, data):
53     # create parser for data and category
54     parser = argparse.ArgumentParser(description='Given a category and data, query with carol and
55     # parse if no input
56     if not category:
57         parser.add_argument('--category', help='The category to match. "valid" cannot be searched
58     if not data:
59         parser.add_argument('--data', help='The data to match')
60     cmdline = parser.parse_args()
61
62     if not category:
63         # check for category
64         if cmdline.category:
65             category = cmdline.category
66         else:
67             category = input('Enter category: ')
68
69     if not data:
70         # check for data
71         data = ''
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69     if not data:
70         # check for data
71         data = ''
72         if cmdline.data:
73             data = cmdline.data
74         else:
75             data = input('Enter data: ')
76
77     # prevent 'valid' from being searched as a category
78     if category in ['valid']:
79         sys.stderr.write('Error: "valid" cannot be searched\n')
80         parser.print_help()
81         sys.exit(1)
82
83     # prevent invalid data from being searched
84     try:
85         float(data)
86     except ValueError:
87         sys.stderr.write('Error: "{}" is not a float or int\n'.format(data))
88         parser.print_help()
89         sys.exit(1)
90
91     return category, data
92
93 # This is mimic Alice asking Carol for information
94 def main(category=None, data=None):
95     pkfile = 'encrypted_carol.pickle'
96
97     category, data = parse(category, data)
98
99     # search category and data on alice's encrypted pickle file
100     rows, header = Carol(category, data)
101
102     # write to carol's encrypted pickle file
103     mydf = pd.DataFrame(rows, columns=header)
104     pd.to_pickle(mydf, pkfile)
105
106 if __name__ == '__main__':
107     main()
```




Darryl

- Performs matching on unencrypted data
 - **insecure, leakage of information**

```
# Darryl finding Alice's query in the unencrypted data
def Darryl (category, data):
    answer = list()
    csvfile = 'Heart.csv'

    # read csvfile
    with open(csvfile, newline='') as csvhandle:
        reader = csv.reader(csvhandle)
        rows = list(reader)

    header = rows[0]

    if category not in header:
        sys.stderr.write('Error: "{}" is not a valid category\n'.format(category))
        sys.exit(1)

    # get index
    catIndex = rows[0].index(category)

    rows = rows[1:]
    for row in rows:
        # append if string matches
        if float(row[catIndex]) == float(data):
            answer.append(row)
    return answer
```

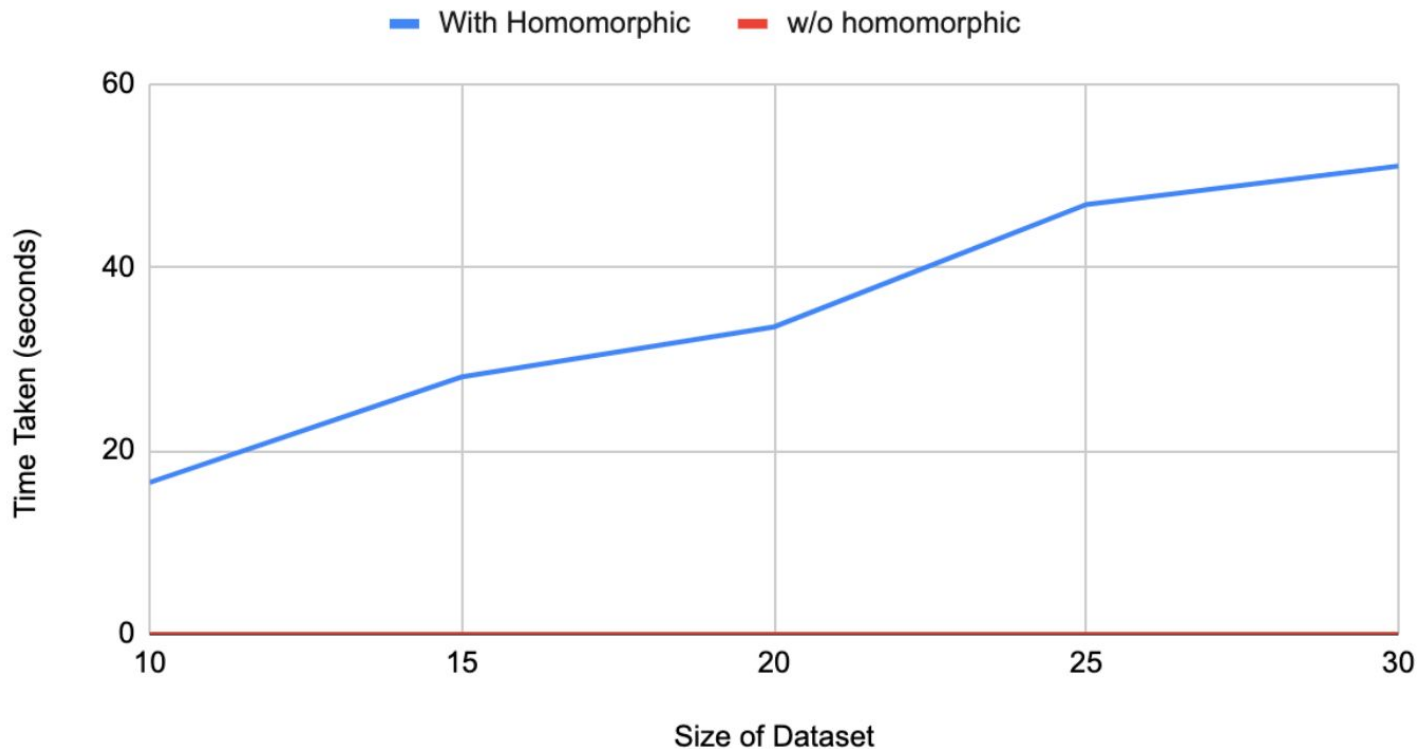


Demonstration



Carol (with homomorphic) vs Darryl (no homomorphic) Performance

Time Taken to Encrypt, Process, Decrypt vs Size of data



n	With Homomorp	w/o homomorph	alice_enc	alice_dec	carol	darryl
10	16.55061483	0.000486135482	12.51676798	3.532279015	0.5015678406	0.000486135482
15	28.06184602	0.000483274459	21.17903304	6.074609041	0.8082039356	0.000483274459
20	33.49507999	0.000452041626	25.40655494	7.133583069	0.954941988	0.000452041626
25	46.84245682	0.000530958175	35.08054996	10.44200802	1.319898844	0.000530958175
30	51.03205252	0.000551939010	38.77906609	10.78343225	1.469554186	0.000551939010



Conclusion

Successes:

- Encryption and string matching were successful
- Team Doughnut was amazing

Improvements:

- Decryption takes too long - could decrypt first column, filter data, and decrypt just the necessary rows
- Encryption should be signed



Sources:

PHE: Python 3 Library For Partially Homomorphic Encryption Using Paillier:
<https://python-paillier.readthedocs.io/en/develop/usage.html#role-1>