# Multiparty Computation from Somewhat Homomorphic Encryption

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# Multiparty Computation

#### The problem

- n parties:  $P_1, \ldots, P_n$
- for all  $i P_i$  has private input  $x_i$
- a function  $f:(x_1,\ldots,x_n)\mapsto (y_1,\ldots,y_n)$

#### Outcome

- for all i  $y_i$  to be delivered to  $P_i$
- no more info revealed

## Applications – Examples

• The millionaire problem [Yao82]:

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n=2, x_i=P_i's income, f(x_1,x_2)=(b,b), where x_b=\max\{x_1,x_2\}
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- Keywords search
- Set intersection
- Auctions (e.g. the sugar beet auction, Denmark 2008)
- Dominik's dating problem
- . . .

# Multiparty Computation - Ideal

The ideal solution: A trusted party!



 $P_2$ 

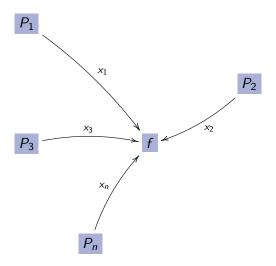
 $P_3$ 

f

 $P_n$ 

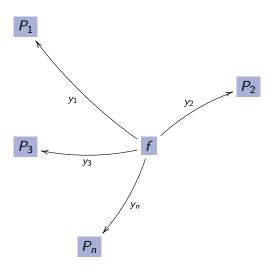
# Multiparty Computation - Ideal

Players send their inputs..



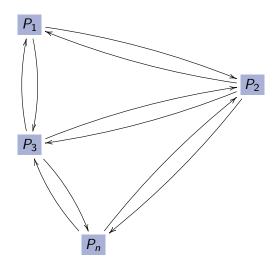
# Multiparty Computation - Ideal

..and get their result.



# Multiparty Computation - Real

The trusted party: useful?



# Multiparty Computation - Dealing with Players

Ideal scenario  $\Rightarrow$  concrete protocol?

#### The setup – Real world

- n parties:  $P_1, \ldots, P_n$
- for all  $i P_i$  has private input  $x_i$
- f replaced by interaction between players and local computation

#### Outcome

- for all i  $y_i$  to be delivered to  $P_i$
- no more info revealed

## Multiparty Computation – Those Annoying Players

Some players may cheat (to get more info)!

Secure Protocol? Real world indistinguishable from Ideal world.

Adversarial entity who controls dishonest players.

#### Adversarial Behavior

Dishonest players *follow* the protocol: Passive Adversary

Dishonest players deviate from the protocol: Active Adversary

#### Security Requirements

$$View(P_i)_{Ideal} \equiv_{Stat/Comp} View(P_i)_{Real}$$

in presence of passive/active Adversary

## Our Target

#### Construction of a protocol for:

- Secure Multiparty Computation
- Active Adversary
- Dishonest Majority ( $P_i$  honest, for all  $j \neq i$ ,  $P_j$  controlled by the Adversary)

# Modern Approaches - High Level

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Online phase: very fast - no PKE!

# Modern Approaches - High Level

#### Fully Homomorphic Encryption [Gen09]

Use an encryption scheme (KeyGen, Enc, Dec) such that for any arithmetic circuit C:

$$\mathsf{Dec}_{sk}(C'(\mathsf{Enc}_{pk}(m_1),\ldots,\mathsf{Enc}_{pk}(m_n))) = C(m_1,\ldots,m_n),$$

where C' acts as C on encrypted data.

If so, 
$$\operatorname{Enc}_{pk_i}(y_i) = \operatorname{Enc}_{pk_i}(f_i(x_1, \dots, x_n)) = f_i(\operatorname{Enc}_{pk_i}(x_1), \dots, \operatorname{Enc}_{pk_i}(x_n)).$$
  
Drawback: FHE is impractical (nowadays)!

## Our Approach

Take the best of the two previous methods! 2-phases approach with Somewhat Homomorphic Encryption.

#### Somewhat Homomorphic Encryption Scheme

An encryption scheme (KeyGen, Enc, Dec) such that:

$$\operatorname{Dec}_{sk}(C'(\operatorname{Enc}_{pk}(m_1),\ldots,\operatorname{Enc}_{pk}(m_n)))=C(m_1,\ldots,m_n),$$

where C is an arithmetic circuit in a specific set S.

In our case: S = circuits of mult depth one.

Further requirement: a distributed decryption.

# Our Approach - Showing off

- (much) More practical than the FHE-approach.
- Preprocessing phase: similar to [BDOZ11], but less protocols needed.
- **Online** phase: Better scalability  $(O(n) \text{ vs } O(n^2) \text{ mults to compute a secure mult)}$

Note: msgs in  $(\mathbb{F}_{p^k})^s$ : a vector space of dim s over a field of size  $p^k$ ... but for simplicity we set s=1 (more details later!)

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## Online Phase - Digression

Suppose  $x, y \in \mathbb{F}_{p^k}$ . We write [x], [y] if x, y are additively secret shared among the players:

$$x = \sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i, \qquad y = \sum_{i=1}^{n} y_i, \qquad P_i \text{ has } x_i, y_i.$$

Easy to compute [x + y]:

 $P_i$  locally computes  $a_i = x_i + y_i$ .

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_i = \sum_{i=1}^{n} (x_i + y_i) = x + y.$$

Addition: easy.

#### Online Phase

Multiplication? Not as easy as addition!

Want to compute  $[x \cdot y]$  from [x], [y].

Using [Bea91]: easy if players have a "multiplicative triple" [a], [b],  $[a \cdot b]$ :

- **1** Compute [x + a], [y + b] (easy).
- 2 Reconstruct  $\varepsilon = x + a, \delta = y + b$
- Compute

$$[z] = [a \cdot b] - \varepsilon \cdot [b] - \delta \cdot [a] + \varepsilon \cdot \delta.$$

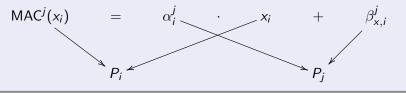
[z] is a secret sharing of  $x \cdot y$ :

$$z = a \cdot b - \varepsilon \cdot b - \delta \cdot a + \varepsilon \cdot \delta$$
  
=  $a \cdot b - (x + a) \cdot b - (y + b) \cdot a + (x + a) \cdot (y + b)$   
=  $xy$ 

#### Online Phase

#### Security? MACs!

#### Message Authentication Codes (à la [BDOZ11])



We require 
$$P_i$$
 to have:  $x_i$ ,  $\left\{\mathsf{MAC}^j(x_i)\right\}_{j=1,j\neq i}^n$ ,  $\left\{\left(\alpha_j^i,\beta_{x,j}^i\right)\right\}_{j=1,j\neq i}^n$ 

Above situation: [x] ("bracket notation").

Notice: each player has O(n) MACs, O(n) keys for each secret value.

Result: for each secret value  $O(n^2)$  keys and MACs to insure security.

## Summary

$$\left. \begin{array}{c} \text{Multiplicative Triples} \\ \text{Additive Secret Sharing} \\ \text{MACs} \end{array} \right\} \Longrightarrow \text{Secure MPC}.$$

How to obtain multiplicative triples? Preprocessing!

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# Preprocessing Phase

Target: generate [a], [b], [c] with c = ab.

#### Setup

- Generate keys for the SHE scheme
- **2** Generate the  $\alpha_i^i$ 's (first half of the MACs' keys)
- **3** Broadcast  $\operatorname{Enc}_{pk}(\alpha_i^i)$
- Invoke a Zero-Knowledge Proof of Knowledge ( $\Pi_{ZKPoPK}$ ) on ( $Enc_{pk}(\alpha_i^i), \alpha_i^i$ )

Setup: independent from values to generate.

# Preprocessing Phase

#### **Triples**

Getting  $a \cdot b + r$ :

- **1**  $P_i$  generates uniform values  $a_i, b_i, r_i \in \mathbb{F}_{p^k}$
- ②  $P_i$  generates uniform values  $\beta^i_{a,j}, \beta^i_{b,j}, \beta^i_{r,j} \in \mathbb{F}_{p^k}$
- lacktriangledown  $P_i$  computes and broadcasts encryptions of all the above values
- $P_i$  Invokes  $\Pi_{ZKPoPK}$  on the above ciphertexts
- $\bullet$  local comp.: get  $\operatorname{Enc}_{pk}(a), \operatorname{Enc}_{pk}(b), \operatorname{Enc}_{pk}(r)$

E.g.: 
$$\operatorname{Enc}_{pk}(a) = \operatorname{Enc}_{pk}\left(\sum_{j=1}^n a_j\right) \leftarrow \sum_{j=1}^n \operatorname{Enc}_{pk}(a_j)$$

- **6** local comp.: get  $\operatorname{Enc}_{pk}(r + a \cdot b) \leftarrow \operatorname{Enc}_{pk}(r) + \operatorname{Enc}_{pk}(a) \cdot \operatorname{Enc}_{pk}(b)$
- **1** agreement on decrypting: everyone gets  $a \cdot b + r$

# Preprocessing Phase

#### **Triples**

from  $a \cdot b + r$  to  $[c] = [a \cdot b]$  & MACs on it:

- **3**  $P_1$  sets  $c_1 \leftarrow (r+c) r_1$ ,  $P_i$  sets  $c_i \leftarrow -r_i$ , for  $(i \neq 1)$
- **9** All players compute  $\operatorname{Enc}_{pk}(c_1) \leftarrow \operatorname{Enc}_{pk}(r+c,\mathbf{0}) \operatorname{Enc}_{pk}(r_1)$
- **1** All players set  $\operatorname{Enc}_{pk}(c_i) \leftarrow -\operatorname{Enc}_{pk}(r_i)$ , for  $(i \neq j)$
- **1**  $P_i$  computes encryptions on MACs for  $a_j$  (sim.  $b_j, c_j$ ):

$$\mathsf{Enc}_{pk}(\mathsf{MAC}^i(a_j)) \leftarrow \mathsf{Enc}_{pk}(\alpha^i_j) \cdot \mathsf{Enc}_{pk}(a_j) + \mathsf{Enc}_{pk}(\beta^i_{a,j})$$

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## Not Happy with the Current Online Phase?

As said, [x] means  $O(n^2)$  keys and MACs to compute securely.

$$[x] = \left( (x_i)_{i=1}^n, \left( \mathsf{MAC}^j(x_i) \right)_{i,j=1}^n, \left( \left( \alpha_j^i, \beta_{x,j}^i \right) \right)_{i,j=1}^n \right)$$

- Additive secret sharing of x
- MACs on shared values
- Keys for the MACs

MACs on shares  $\Rightarrow$  Authentication on secret values.

Why not MACs on secret values?

#### There you go

Assuming  $\alpha$  obtained by the players in bracket notation  $[\alpha]$ ,

$$\langle x \rangle := (\delta, (x_i)_{i=1}^n, (\gamma(x)_i)_{i=1}^n)$$

- $\delta$ : a public value (dependent of x)
- additive secret sharing of x
- additive secret sharing of  $\gamma(x) = \alpha \cdot (x + \delta)$  (MAC on x)

Note: "partial openings" during computation (value reconstructed, MAC not reconstructed), in order to keep  $\alpha$  secret!

Note: MACs not reconstructed during computation  $\Rightarrow$  values may be incorrect.

#### Usage – Sketch

Preproc.: Generate  $[\alpha]$ 

Generate [x]'s

Compute  $[\alpha \cdot x]$ 's – killing one bracket-triple

Set  $\langle x \rangle \leftarrow (0, (x_i)_{i=1}^n, ((\alpha \cdot x)_i)_{i=1}^n)$  for all x's

Add.: As in bracket notation! (local addition)

Mult.: Using [Bea91], but partially opening  $\langle x \rangle - \langle a \rangle, \langle y \rangle - \langle b \rangle$ 

Output: Generate comb. of MACs of opened values,

Commit, reconstruct the key,

Comb. was valid?  $\Rightarrow$  output.

# Usage - Output

Setting: 
$$\langle y \rangle = (\delta, (y_i)_{i=1}^n, (\gamma(y)_i)_{i=1}^n)$$
 to be output to  $P_h$ ,  $\langle a_j \rangle = (\delta_j, (a_{j,l})_{l=1}^n, (\gamma(a_j)_l)_{l=1}^n)$ ,  $1 \le j \le T$  opened.

#### Output

- **1** Public values  $e_1, \ldots, e_T \in \mathbb{F}_{p^k}$  are generated
- 2 Players compute  $a \leftarrow \sum_{j} e_{j} \cdot a_{j}$
- **3**  $P_i$  commits to  $\gamma_i \leftarrow \sum_j e_j \gamma(a_j)_i, y_i, \gamma(y)_i$
- $oldsymbol{0}$  [ $\alpha$ ] is reconstructed
- $P_i$  opens  $\gamma_i$
- **1** Players check  $\alpha \left( \mathbf{a} + \sum_{j} \mathbf{e}_{j} \cdot \delta_{j} \right) = \sum_{i} \gamma_{i}$
- **O** Commitments to  $y_i, \gamma(y)_i$  are opened to  $P_h$
- **3**  $P_h$  computes  $y \leftarrow \sum_i y_i$  and checks  $\alpha(y + \delta) = \sum_i \gamma(y)_i$

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# Packing Stuff

In this talk: how to squeeze messages into one value. More details on the cryptoscheme? Check the paper!

#### Our SHE scheme

A variant of [BV11],

- with distributed decryption,
- specialized for parallel operations on multiple data.

Plaintexts live in  $(\mathbb{F}_{p^k})^s$ , while ciphertexts in  $(A_q)^3$  (for a convenient algebra  $A_q$ ).

# Packing Stuff – Choose your Angle

First task: thinking of  $\mathbf{m} \in (\mathbb{F}_{p^k})^s$  as an element in  $A_q$ .  $F = \Phi_m \in \mathbb{Z}[X]$ : cyclotomic polynomial of degree  $N = \phi(m)$ .

#### Choice of m?

Such that  $F \mod p$  factors into at least s irreducible factors, each with degree divisible by k.

Concretely:  $F \mod p = f_1 \cdots f_{s'} \in \mathbb{F}_p[X]$ ,  $\deg(f_i) = k_i \cdot k$ .

# Packing Stuff – The Final Deal

#### **Facts**

- $\mathbb{F}_p[X]/(f_i)$  is an extension field of  $\mathbb{F}_{p^k}$
- $\mathbb{F}_p[X]/(f_i)$  is a direct summand of  $\mathbb{F}_p[X]/(F)$
- $\mathbb{Z}^N$  projects onto  $\mathbb{F}_p[X]/(F)$
- for large q: computation on elements in  $\mathbb{Z}^N$  with small infinity norm can be thought as in  $A_a := (\mathbb{Z}/q\mathbb{Z})[X]/(F)$

#### **Encoding Messages?**

$$\mathbf{m} \in (\mathbb{F}_{p^k})^{s_i} \longrightarrow \bigoplus_{i=1}^{s_i} \mathbb{F}_p[X]/(f_i) \stackrel{\sim}{\longrightarrow} \mathbb{F}_p[X]/(F) \stackrel{\longleftarrow}{\longrightarrow} \mathbb{Z}^N \longrightarrow A_q$$

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## Preprocessing – the Numbers

#### Comparison to previous work:

- *u*: security parameter
- $\kappa$ : size of encryption

	[BDOZ11]	Our work
Encryption Type	Semi-Homomorphic	SHE, mult. depth 1
ZKPoPK amortized complexity	$O(\kappa + u)$ bits	$O(\kappa + u)$ bits
Correct Mult. amortized complexity	$O(\kappa \cdot u)$ bits	0
offline benchmark (2-party case)	2-4sec (Paillier 1024-bit)	8msec (sec.: RSA 1024-bit*)

<sup>\*:</sup> using a SHE scheme based on [BV11].

#### Online – the Numbers

#### Comparison to previous work:

- n: #players
- $m_f$ : #multiplications in the circuit to compute

	[BDOZ11]	Our work
Complexity for one secure mult	$\mathit{O}(\mathit{n}^2)~\mathbb{F}_{\mathit{p}}$ -mults	$\mathit{O}(\mathit{n})\;\mathbb{F}_{\mathit{p}}$ -mults
Preprocessed data needed	$\Theta(m_f \cdot n^2)$	$O(m_f \cdot n)$

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