

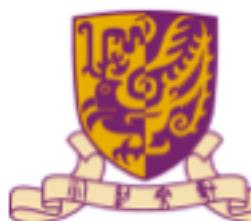


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# Encrypted Video Search: Scalable, Modular, and Content-similar

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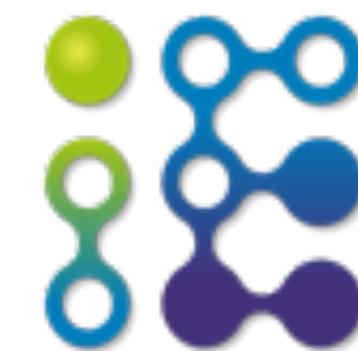


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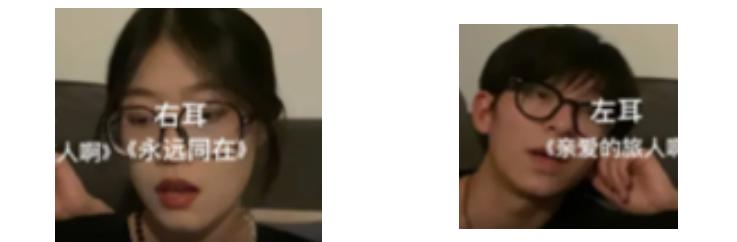
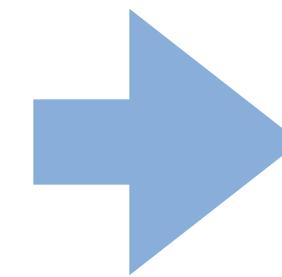
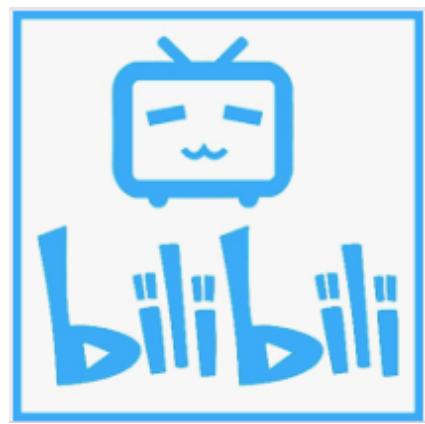


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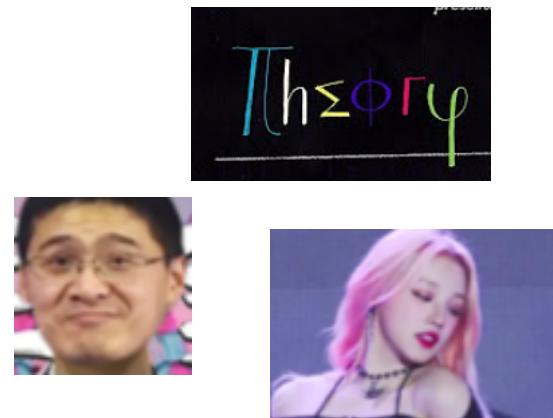


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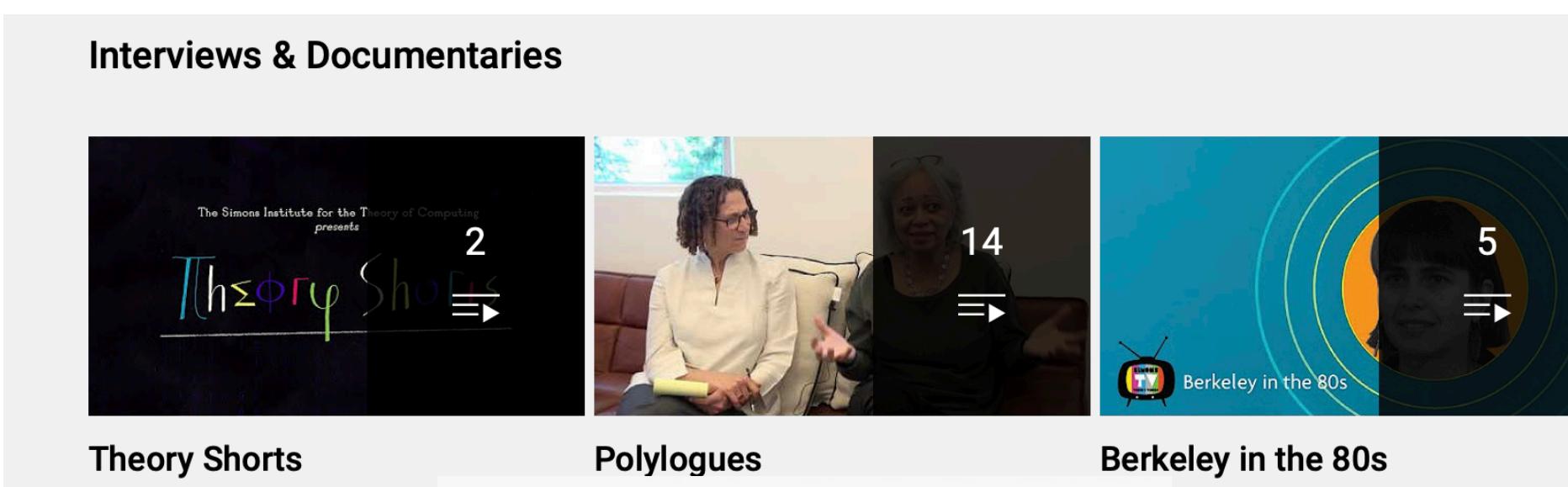
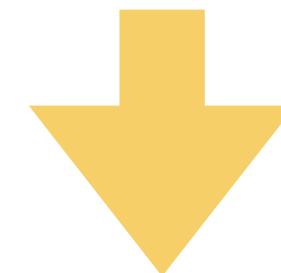
# Popular Public Video Sharing



Share between targeted friends via public network



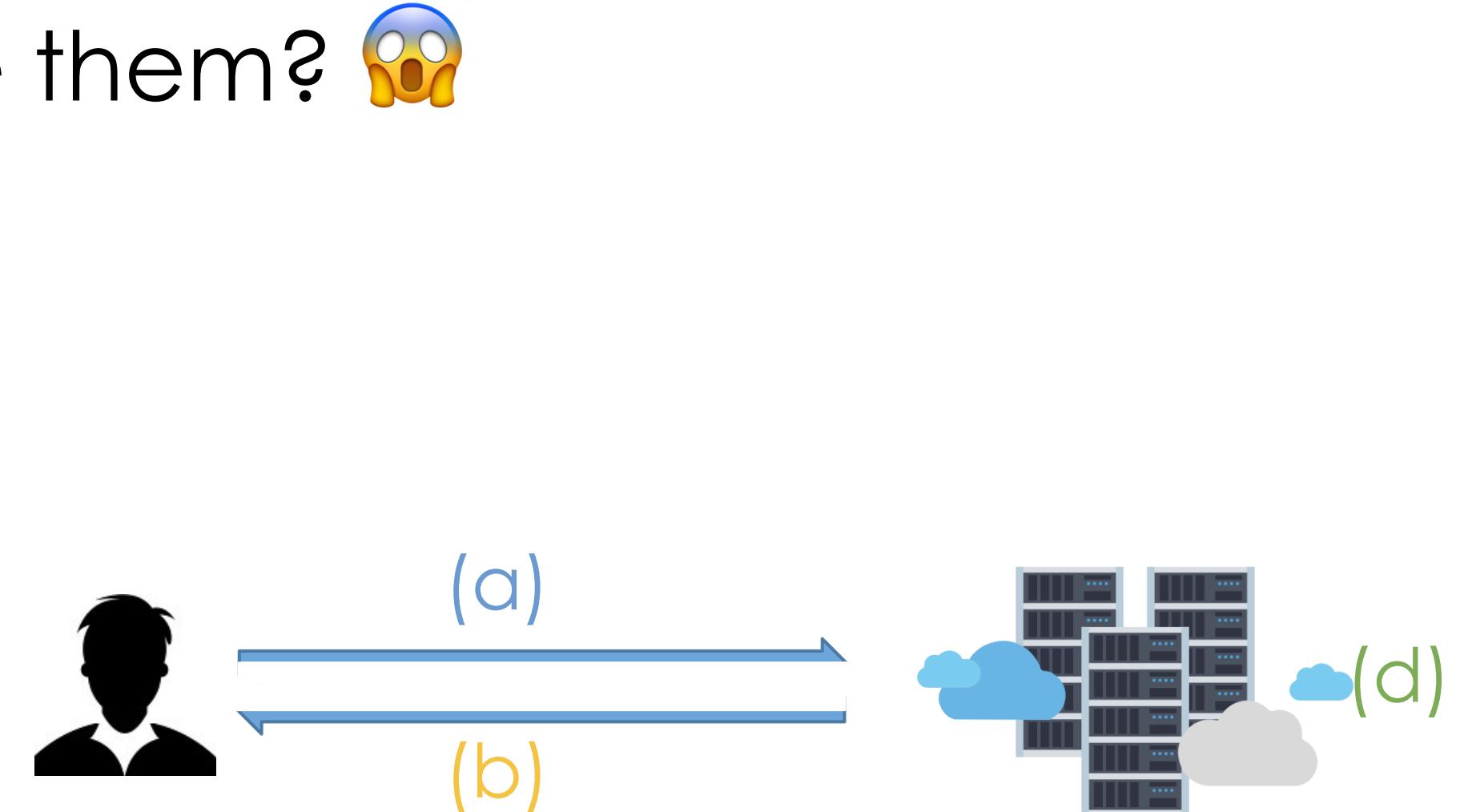
Sensitive information  
(Face, knowledge, identifiable records, etc)



Encrypted?  
Searchable?

# Trivial Retrieval of Encrypted Videos

- Download all encrypted videos (**EVdio**), then decrypt:
  - $O(N)$  communication;  $N$ : #documents
  - If have storage for EVdio, why outsource them? 😱
    - $O(\text{ctxt}) > O(\text{Ptxt})$
- Index EVdio, then download and decrypt
  - $O(N)$  storage (Still large)



- Ideally, download  $n$  videos matching keyword  $w$  😊
  - (a) | token |
  - (b)  $O(n)$  communication ( $n \ll N$ )
  - (d) Sub-linear search

# Symmetric Searchable Encryption (SSE)

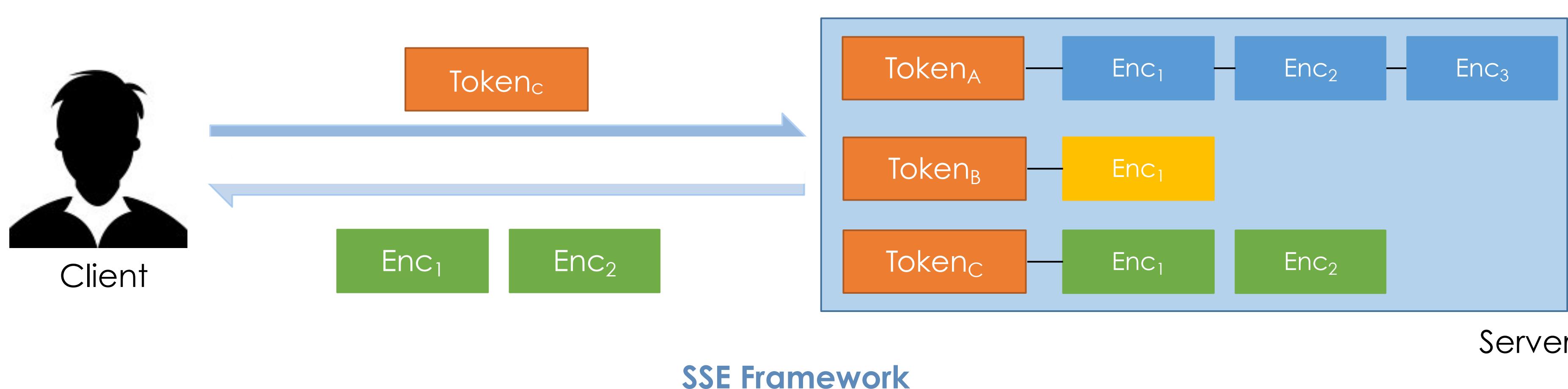
- Client: upload EVdio to an *untrusted* server

Which files contain keyword  $w$  ???

- Client: send a token (of  $w$ )
- Server: search after obtaining the token



- Security (semi-honest)
  - Only allow a few Leakages (e.g., encryption size)
  - Adaptively secure, forward and backward secure



# Why Non-trivial to Integrate SSE and Video Retrieval

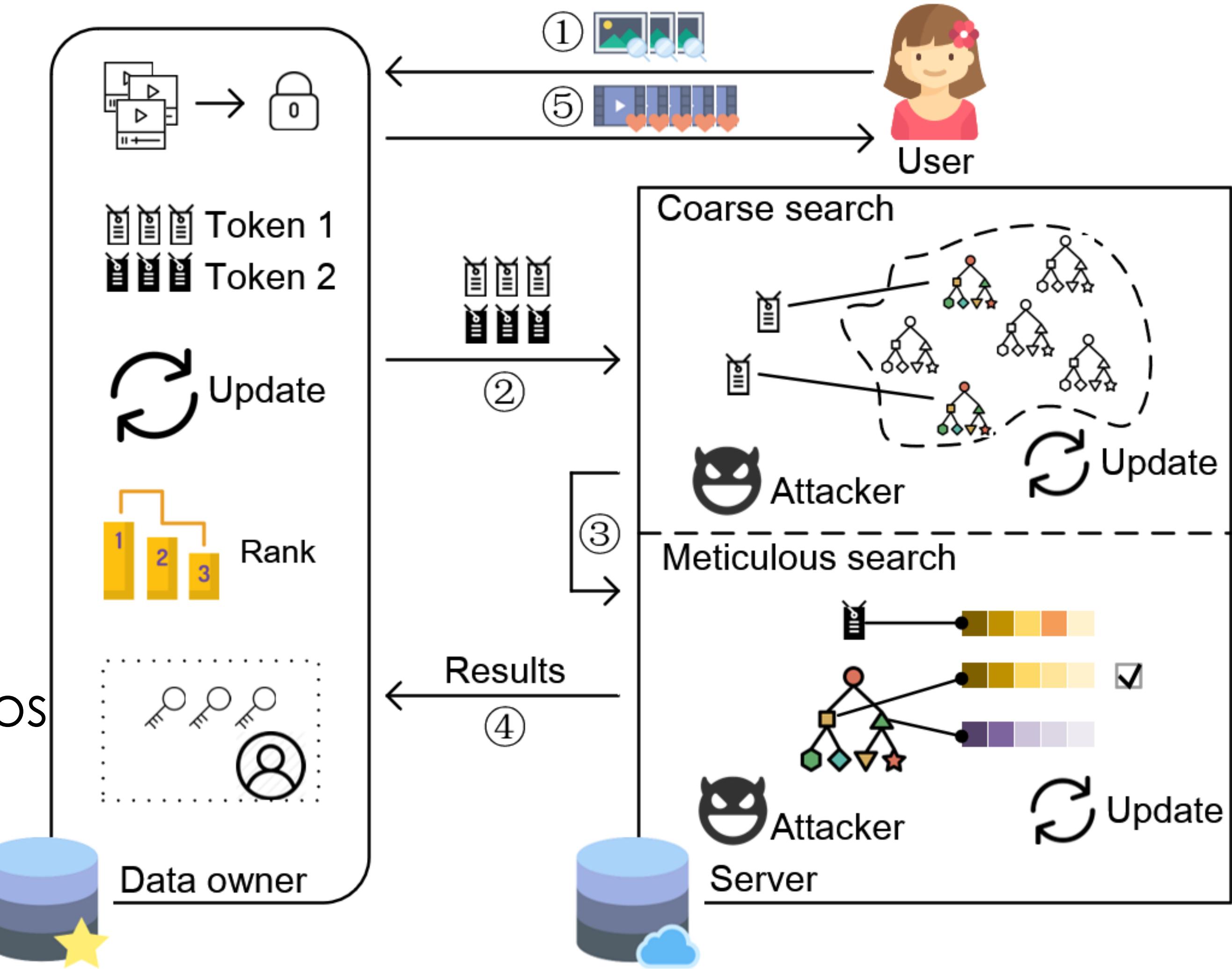
- Scalable for large database
  - Heavy computation on ctxt (>> computation on ptxt)
    - fully/somewhat HE: primitive operations (+ / \*) only
  - Employ lightweight crypto. building on pseudorandom function (PRF)
- Content-similar videos to a given query
  - Meaningless to search a video exact to another one
  - Standard SSE tailored for textual data
- Modular design for easy adoption
  - The first framework for searching EVdio
  - Encapsulate algorithms/protocols
  - Strategically integrate SSE with video retrieval techniques

# State of Arts

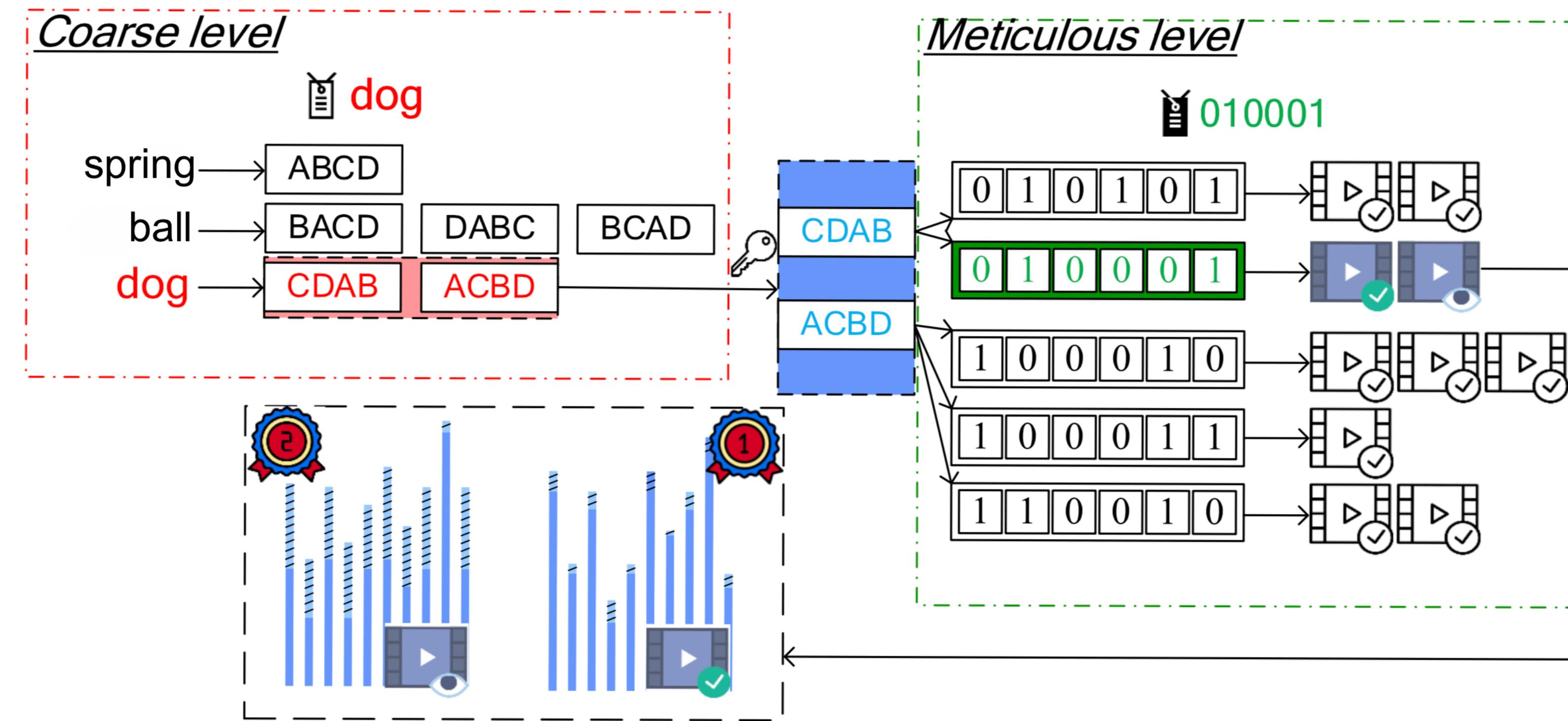
- Keyword SSE [KPR12][LC17]
  - Descriptive enough to match a video
  - Large #w
- Similarity search [LZW+18][WHD+18]
  - Search linearly over entire database
  - Heavy computing using homomorphic encryption
- ORAM-based SSE [GMP16]
  - Large communication overhead
- Weak security [LZW+18][WHD+18]
  - Leakage-abuse attack [CGPR15], File-injection attack [ZKP16]
  - Need forward/backward privacy

# Image-to-Video Encrypted Search Framework

- User, Data owner, Server
- Hierarchical search
  - Coarse: general topics
  - Meticulous: visual similarity
- Rank for top-k similar videos
- Database → Multiple subsets
  - Identified by topics
- Subsets → Multiple visual representations to group videos
- New syntax: **secure image-to-video framework (SItVF)**
- **VidStp(D); HichSrch(q; EDB); Rank(Dq, SmMm); VidUpdt(EDB)**



# An Illustrative Example for SItVF



- Given  $q \rightarrow$  subset identifiers  $\rightarrow$  file identifiers (matching similar videos)
- Ranking: measuring similarity between feature representations

# Security of Our Framework

- Security for standard SSE — adaptive security
- SItVF security: adopt adaptive security twice
  - Both coarse/meticulous searches satisfy adaptive security
  - No extra leakage when subsets are located
- Correctness of SItVF
  - Correct subset identifies + correct top-k similar videos

# Modularization for Various Instantiations

## ▪ **VidStp(D)**

- $W \leftarrow \text{SemExtra}(D)$ ,  $G \leftarrow \text{VisExtra}(D)$ ,  $R_i \leftarrow \text{VisRepGen}(G, D_i)$
- $((K, K^*, \sigma, \sigma^*); EDB) \leftarrow \text{Setup}(\lambda, DB; \perp)$

## ▪ **HichSrch(q; EDB)**

- $(w_q, r_q) \leftarrow \text{WRquery}(q)$
- $((\sigma', DB(w_q)); EDB') \leftarrow \text{CoarSearch}(K, \sigma, w_q; EDB)$
- $((\sigma'^*, DB(r_q)); EDB'^*) \leftarrow \text{MetSearch}(K^*, \sigma^*, r_q; EDB')$

## ▪ **Rank(D<sub>q</sub>, SmMm)**

- $\text{Sim} = \text{SmMm}(D_q, G_q)$ ;  $D_q^{\text{top-}k} = \text{Sort}(D_q, \text{Sim})$

## ▪ **VidUpdt(EDB)**

- While op:  $(\sigma', \sigma'^*; EDB') \leftarrow \text{Update}(K, K^*, \sigma, \sigma^*, \text{op}, \text{in}; EDB)$

**No instantiation is perfect, but rational one exists for particularity.**

It is effected by media types, computational resource, communication tolerance, client storage, and desirable security.

Cooking speciality whatever you expect

Method	Common Use	Work
Keyword split	texts, emails	[3, 7, 32, 36]
Traditional hash	texts, images	
Method	Recomm. Type	
Feature extract	images, audios	
Deep hashing	images, audios, video	
Cross-modal	text↔image/video image↔video	

Table 2: Multimedia Process

Measurement	Formula	E.g.
Hamming Distance	$\sum_i U_i \oplus V_i$	[38]
Jaccard Coefficient	$ U \cap V  /  U  +  V  -  U \cap V $	Sec. 5
Cosine Similarity	$(\sum_i U_i V_i) / (\sqrt{\sum_i U_i^2} \cdot \sqrt{\sum_i V_i^2})$	[25]
Dice's Coefficient	$\frac{2 \cdot  U \cap V }{ U  +  V }$	[10]
Euclidean Distance	$\sqrt{\sum_i (U_i - V_i)^2}$	

Table 4

Security Type	Leakage Function
FP	$L_{\text{Search}}(sp(w), UpHist(w))$
FP + BP Type-I	$L''(\text{TimeDB}(w), a_w)$
FP + BP Type-II	$L''(\text{TimeDB}(w), \text{Updates}(w))$
FP + BP Type-III	$L''(\text{TimeDB}(w), \text{DelHist}(w))$

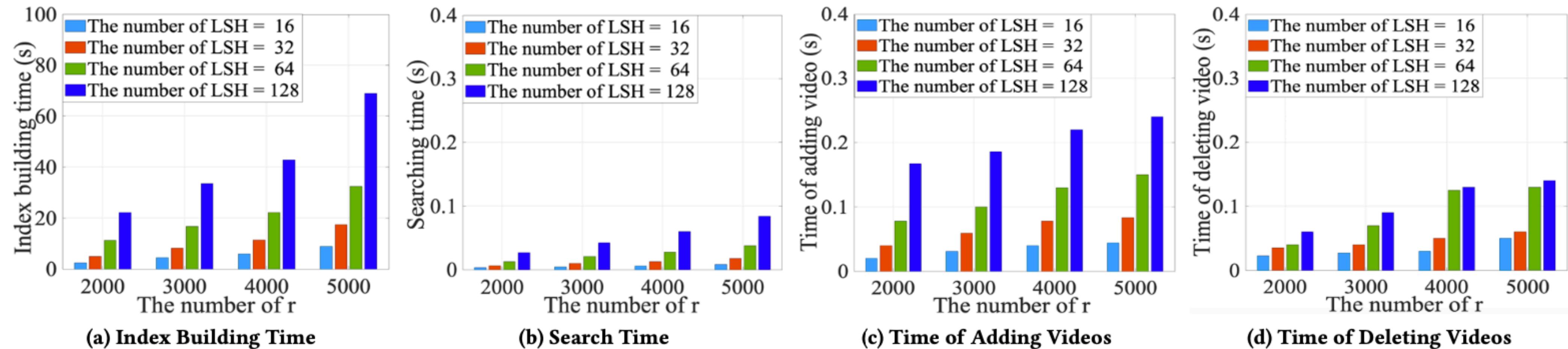
Table 5: Leakages for Updatable Database. FP is forward privacy, BP is backward privacy.  $L'$ ,  $L''$  are stateless functions.  $\text{TimeDB}(w)$  denotes all timestamps of updating  $w$  excluding deleted ones.  $\text{Updates}(w)$  returns all timestamps of update queries to  $w$ .  $\text{DelHist}(w)$  returns all deletion operations to  $w$  and timestamp of the inserted entry it removes.

# Our Basic Instantiation

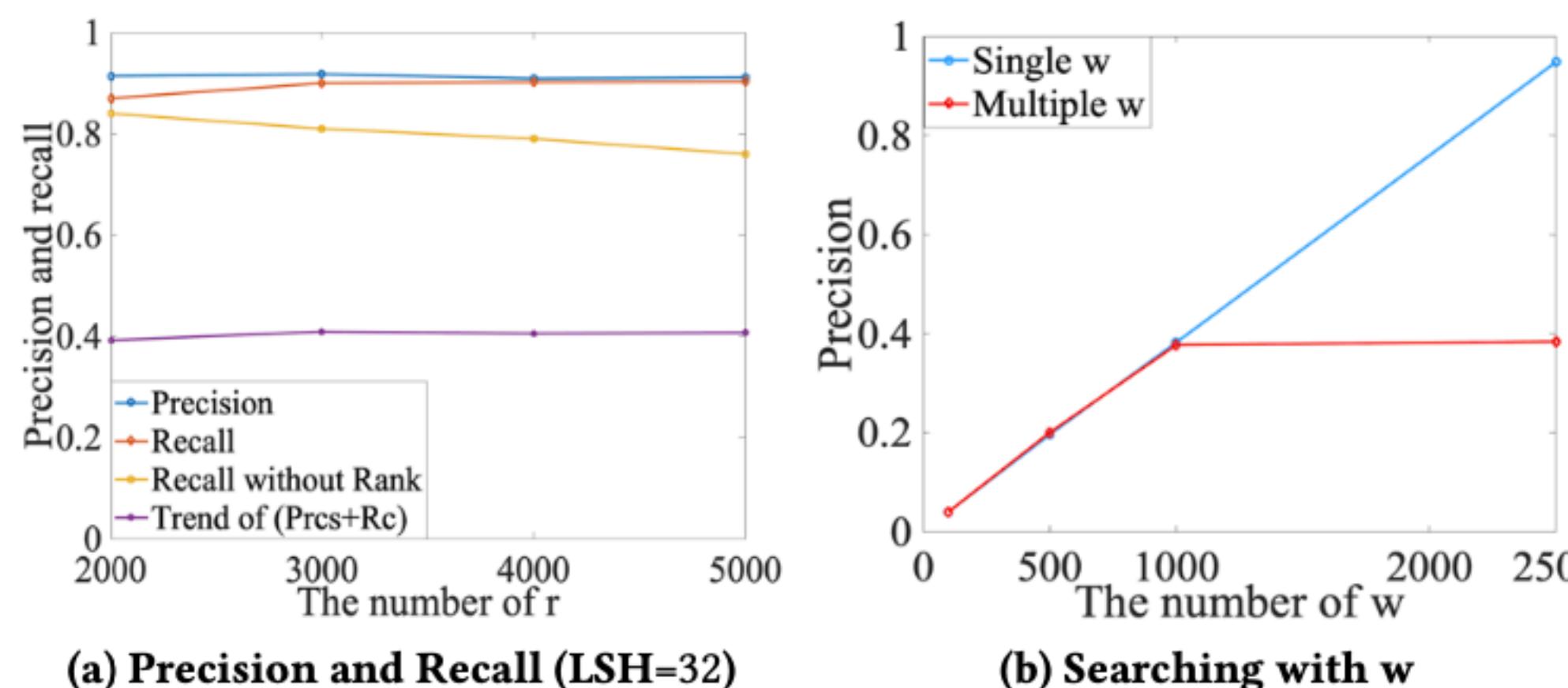
- Low computation + adaptive security
- SIFT[L04], BoVW[CDF+04], LSH[IM98] → **W** and **R**
  - **W**: semantic keyword set; **R**: visual representation set
- DSSE[KPR12] → first coarse search, then meticulous search
  - Standard PRF
- Jaccard similarity[WSS+14] → ranking for top-k
- Search complexity with  $O\left(\sum \#I_q \#D_r\right)$
- Storage with  $O\left(\#I + \#W + \sum \#I \#D_I + \#R\right)$

# Experimental Results for Basic Instantiation

**Figure 10: Time of Basic Instantiation**



**Figure 12: Searching Results**

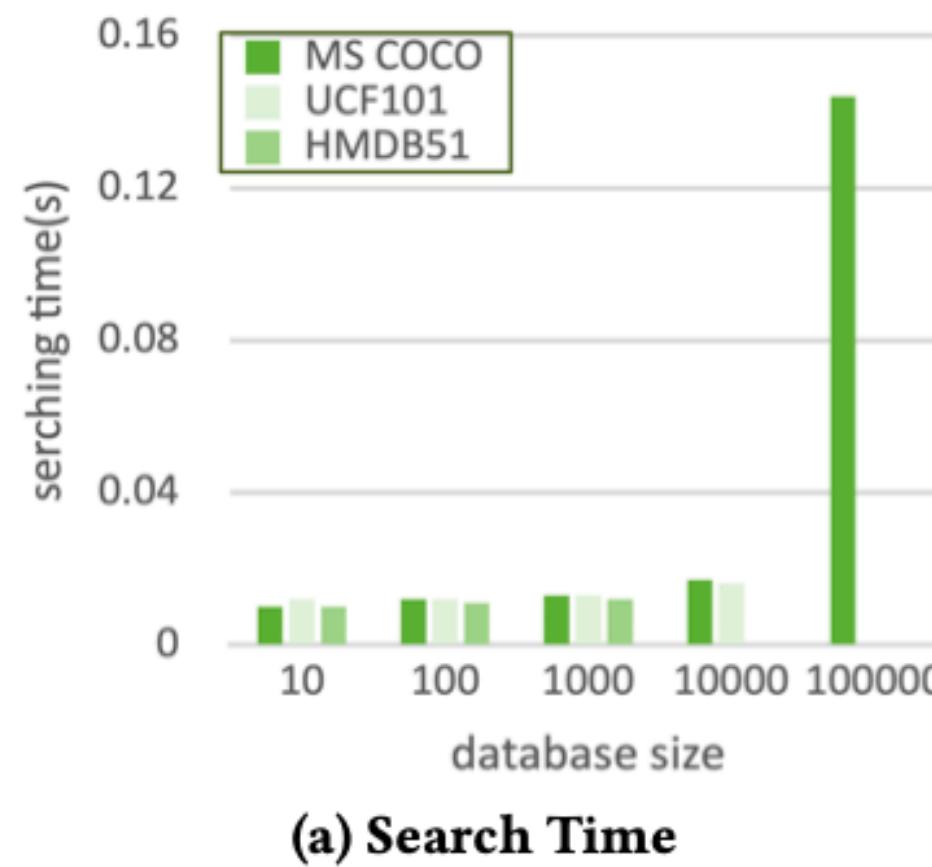


- CPU 64-bit 3.4GHz
- Search time: << 0.1s
- Precision: 90+%

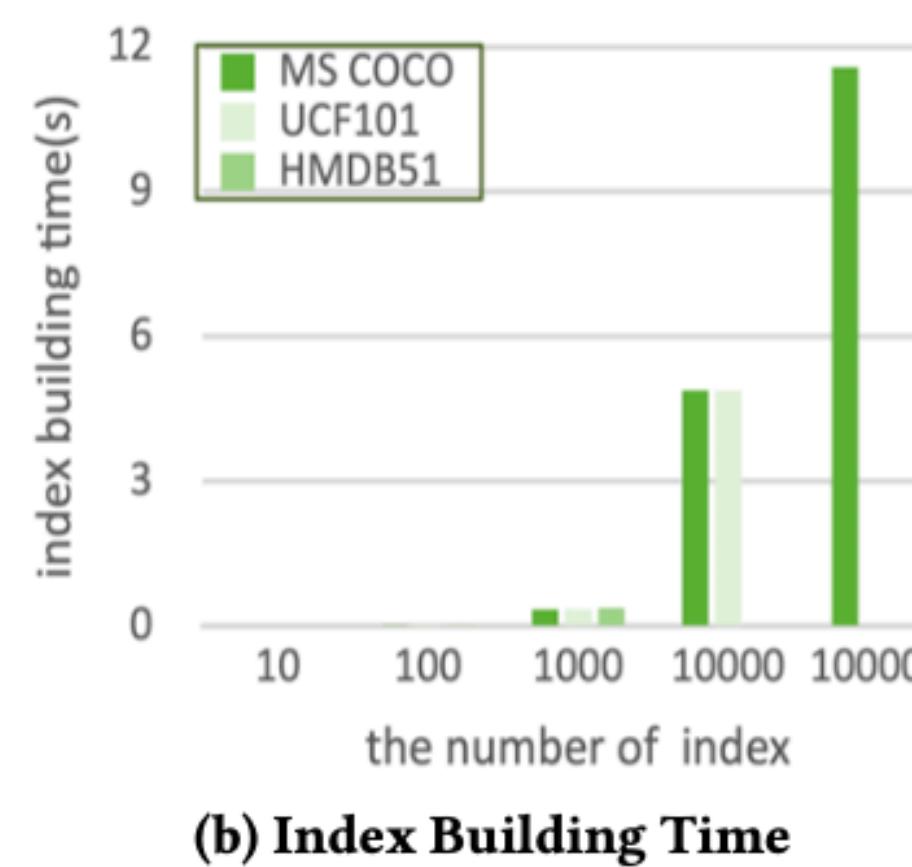
# Our Advanced Instantiation

- Better similarity + forward and backward privacy (strong enough)
- CSQ[YZW+20] → **W** and **R**
- DSSE[BMO17] → first coarse search, then meticulous search
  - Range-constrained PRF
- Computational complexity
- $O(a_w + a_w * a_r)$  for search;  $O(\log(a_r) + \log(a_w) * \log(a_r))$  for update
  - $a_{@}$ : #inserted entries matching @
- Communication
  - $O(n_w + d_w * \log(a_w) + d_r * \log(a_r))$  for search;  $O(1)$  for update
    - $d$ : #deleted entries;  $n$ : |search results|

# Experimental Results for Advanced Instantiation



(a) Search Time



(b) Index Building Time

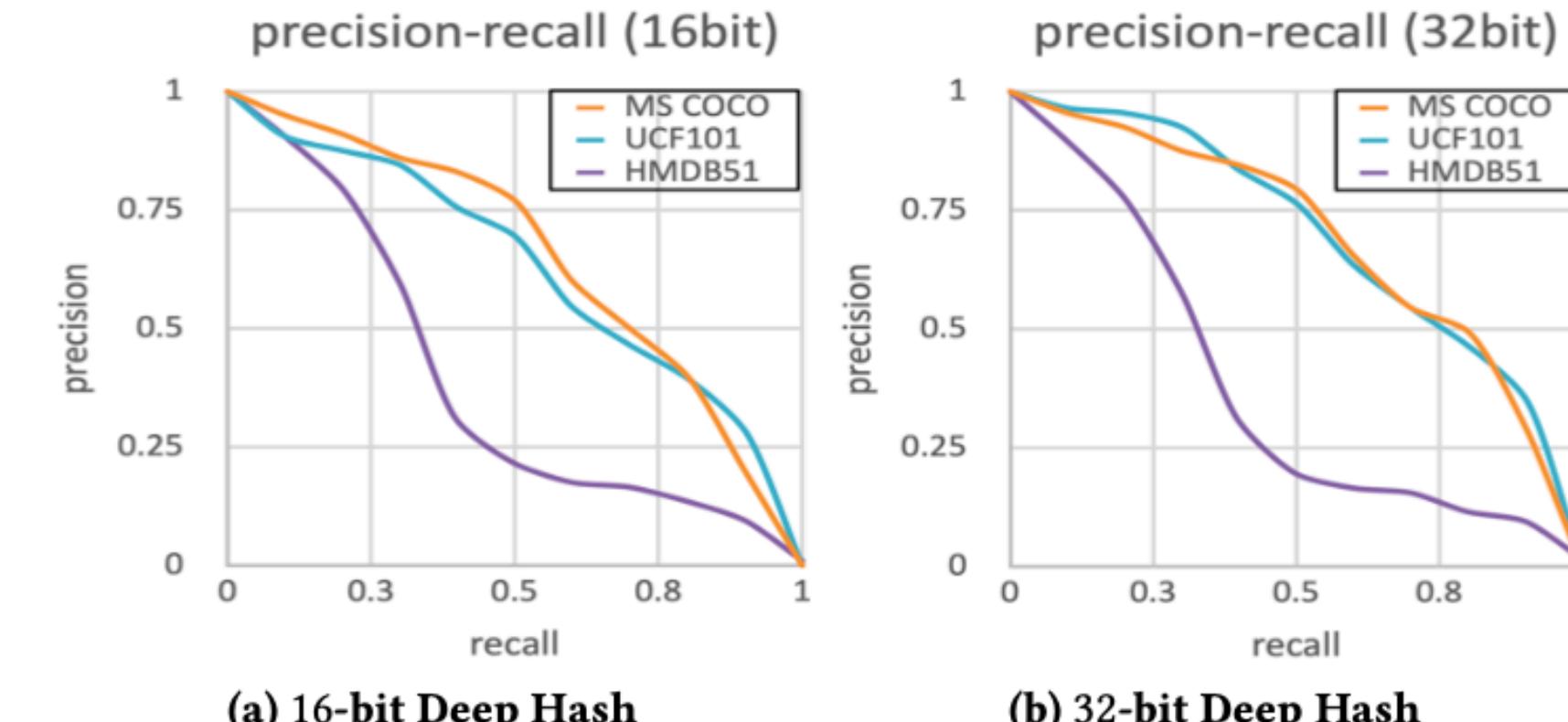
Size of D		10	100	1k	10k	100k
MS COCO	Add	0.017	0.018	0.024	0.023	0.035
	Del	0.010	0.011	0.014	0.015	0.024
UCF101	Add	0.017	0.019	0.024	0.027	n/a
	Del	0.011	0.012	0.016	0.016	n/a
HMDB51	Add	0.014	0.015	0.025	n/a	n/a
	Del	0.010	0.010	0.013	n/a	n/a

Table 9: Time of Addition and Deletion in Advanced Instantiation

Time(s)	16-bit hash		32-bit hash		64-bit hash	
	Add	Del	Add	Del	Add	Del
MS COCO	0.010	0.010	0.023	0.018	0.032	0.024
UCF101	0.008	0.007	0.017	0.014	0.022	0.015
HMDB51	0.006	0.006	0.013	0.011	0.020	0.013

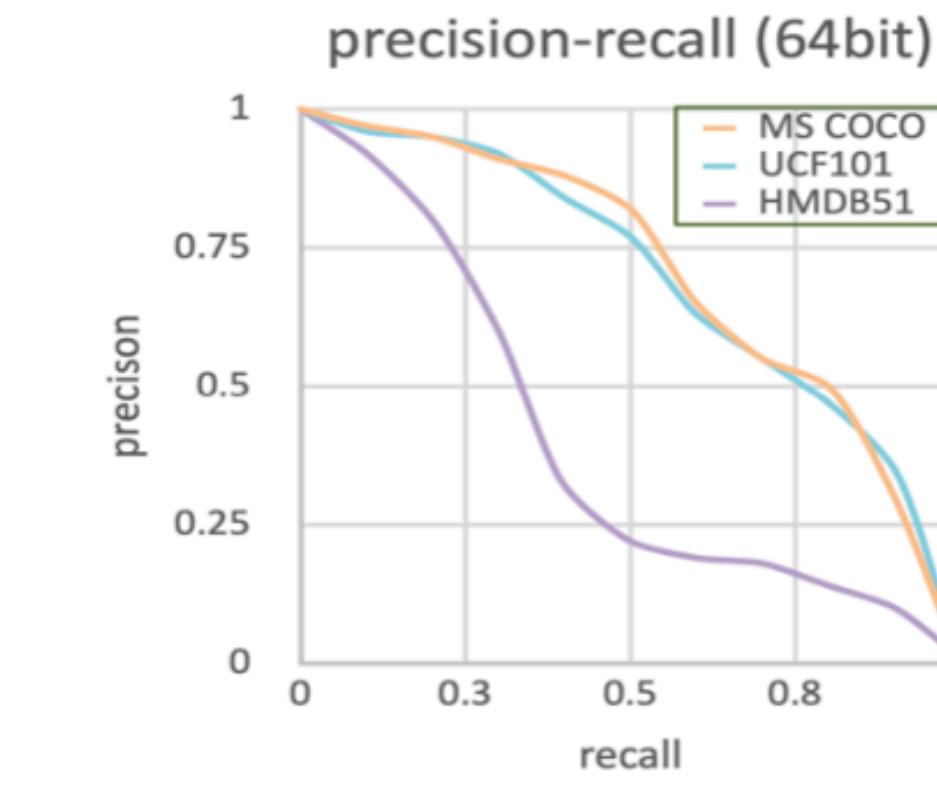
Table 8: Addition/Deletion Time for Advanced Instantiation

Figure 14: Precision and Recall in Advanced Instantiation



(a) 16-bit Deep Hash

(b) 32-bit Deep Hash



(c) 64-bit Deep Hash

Dataset	16-bit hash	32-bit hash	64-bit hash
MS COCO	0.747	0.795	0.833
HMDB51	0.834	0.872	0.872

Table 6: Mean Average Precision for Video Preprocessing

GPU  
GeForce  
RTX1080Ti

# Comparison with [KPR12][LZW+18]

## ■ Keyword SSE

- [KPR12] for textual messages (CCS)
- Avoid linear scan of searching

Figure 13: Examples of Search Results

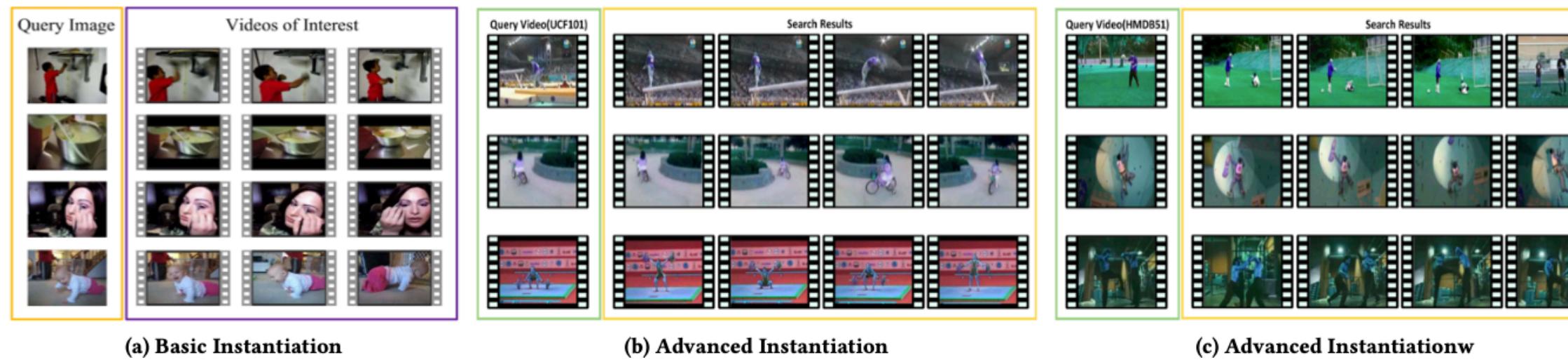
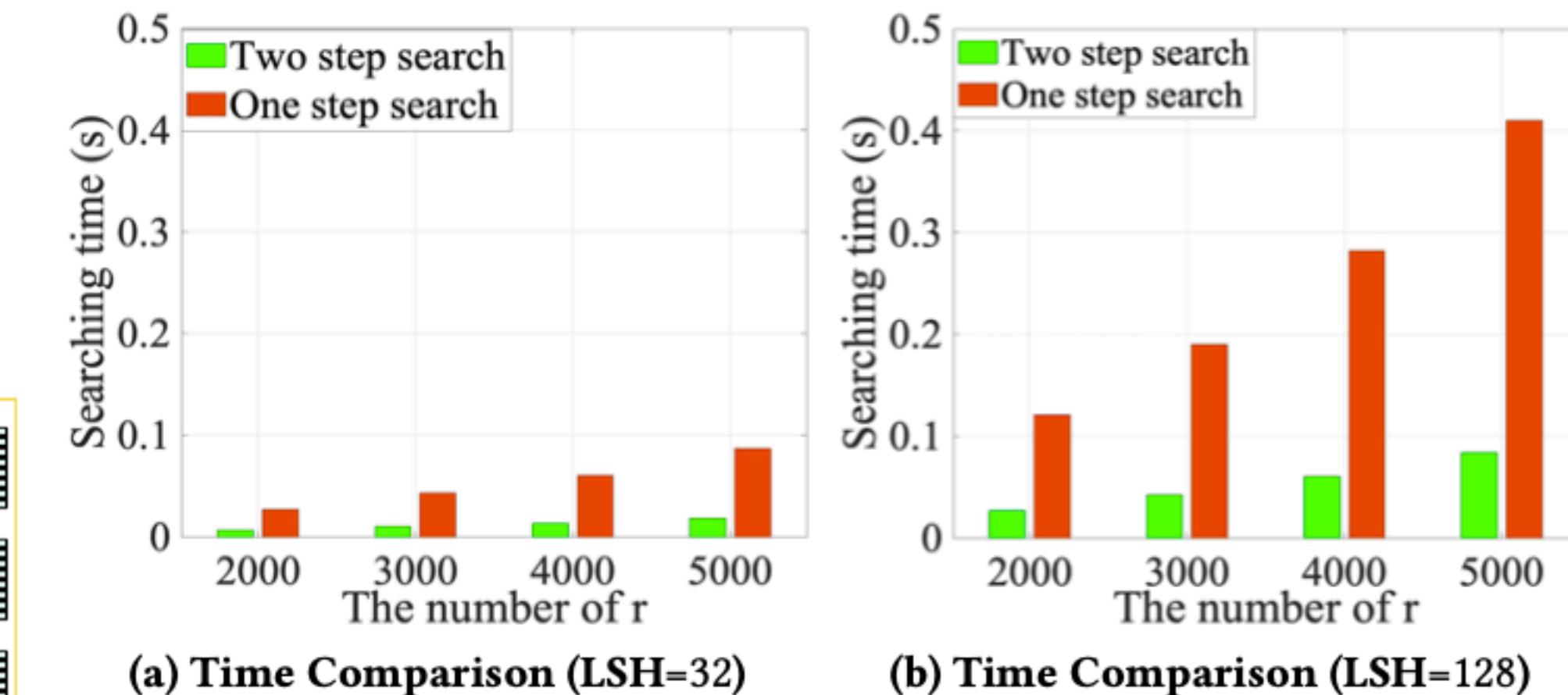


Figure 11: Comparison of One/Two-Step Search



(a) Time Comparison (LSH=32)

(b) Time Comparison (LSH=128)

## ■ Similarity search

- [LZW+18] for images (Infocom)
- Additionally support  $\text{Test} \not\subseteq \text{Train}$
- Much higher accuracy (75% for 128-bit hashing reported by [LZW+18])
- Motivate further works that integrate deep hashing and SSE

Test $\subset$ Train	Test = Train	Test $\not\subseteq$ Train	Counterpart [38]
100.00%	100.00%	96.71%	75%

Table 7: Precision Comparison

# Concluding Remarks

- The first framework for searching over EVdio
  - Using SSE twice for searching semantics and visuals
- Generic and modular for integrating up-to-date primitives/techniques
  - New syntax; potential ingredients
- Two concrete instantiations for balancing efficiency and security
  - Extensive experimental evaluations
  - Security proof



Paper here

We expect our work can  
build the bridge and stimulate further research  
in processing encrypted data and video retrieval.

