

Cryptographic Protocols

Spring 2020

MPC Part 3

CTP/CMP Homomorphic Commitments

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Commitment Transfer

0. P_i committed to $a \Rightarrow P_j$ committed to a .
1. P_i sends opening information to P_j .

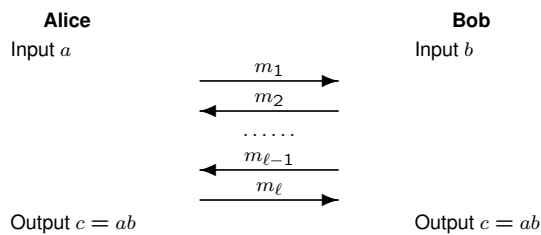
Commitment Multiplication

0. P_i com. to $A = [a, \alpha]$, $B = [b, \beta] \Rightarrow P_i$ com. to $C = [ab, \gamma]$.
1. P_i computes ab and commits to it.
2. P_i proves knowledge of a, α, ξ s.t. $A = [a, \alpha]$, $C = B^a \cdot [0, \xi]$.

Cryptographic Active MPC – Impossibility

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Two Parties ($n = 2, t = 1$)



Analysis

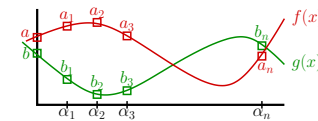
- ℓ is the minimal length secure protocol.
- The protocol where m_ℓ is not sent is insecure (for Bob).
- Alice can cheat by withholding m_ℓ .

Generic Commitment Multiplication Proof

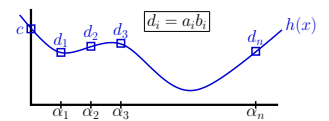
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0. **Starting point:** D is committed to a, b, c by $[a]$, $[b]$, and $[c]$.

1. **CSP of a, b with degree t**
 $\Rightarrow f(x), g(x)$



2. **CSP of c with degree $2t$**
use $h(x) = f(x)g(x)$



3. **Checks**

$\forall P_i: d_i \stackrel{?}{=} a_i b_i$, broadcast accusation bit.

On accusation: Open $[a_i]$, $[b_i]$, $[d_i]$, check $a_i b_i \stackrel{?}{=} d_i$.

Commit State

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Open Protocol

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1. **Open**

D broadcasts $g(x)$.

2. **Check consistency**

P_i accuses dealer if $g(\alpha_i) \neq s_i$.

3. **Compute secret**

If $\leq t$ accusations: $s = g(0)$.

If $> t$ accusations: disqualify dealer.

Proof:

Facts about two-dimensional polynomials (1/3)

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Given: $f(x, y) = f_{00} + f_{10}x + f_{01}y + f_{11}xy + \dots + f_{tt}x^t y^t \in \mathbb{F}[x, y]$

Fact 1: $f_{y_0}(x) := f(x, y_0)$ is a one-dimensional polynomial of degree t .

Proof: $f(x, y_0) = (f_{00} + f_{01}y_0 + \dots + f_{0t}y_0^t) + (f_{10} + f_{11}y_0 + \dots + f_{1t}y_0^t)x + \dots + (f_{t0} + f_{t1}y_0 + \dots + f_{tt}y_0^t)x^t$

Facts about two-dimensional polynomials (2/3)

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Given: $f(x, y) = f_{00} + f_{10}x + f_{01}y + f_{11}xy + \dots + f_{tt}x^t y^t \in \mathbb{F}[x, y]$

Fact 2: Let $X = \{x_1, \dots, x_{t+1}\}$ and $Y = \{y_1, \dots, y_{t+1}\}$. Then $f(x, y)$ is uniquely defined by $W := \{(x_i, y_j, z_{ij}) \mid (x_i, y_j) \in X \times Y\}$.

Proof (existence): $\exists \geq 1$ such $f(x, y)$: **Lagrange-Interpolation**

Find $L_{ij}(x, y)$ with $\begin{cases} L_{ij}(x_i, y_j) = 1 \\ L_{ij}(x_{i'}, y_{j'}) = 0 \text{ for } (i', j') \neq (i, j) \end{cases}$

$\Rightarrow L_{ij}(x, y) := \prod_{\substack{i'=1 \\ i' \neq i}}^{t+1} \frac{x - x_{i'}}{x_i - x_{i'}} \prod_{\substack{j'=1 \\ j' \neq j}}^{t+1} \frac{y - y_{j'}}{y_j - y_{j'}}$

and define

$f(x, y) := \sum_{i,j=1}^{t+1} L_{ij}(x, y) z_{ij}$.

Facts about two-dimensional polynomials (3/3)

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Proof (uniqueness): $\exists \leq 1$ such $f(x, y)$

- Let $f_1(x, y)$ and $f_2(x, y)$ degree- t -polynomials through W .
- $f_\Delta(x, y) := f_1(x, y) - f_2(x, y)$ is a degree- t -polynomial.
- $\forall (x_i, y_j) \in X \times Y : f_\Delta(x_i, y_j) = 0$.
- $\forall y_j \in Y : f_{y_j}(x) := f_\Delta(x, y_j)$ is a polynomial of degree t (Fact 1).
- $\forall y_j \in Y : f_{y_j}(x_1) = f_{y_j}(x_2) = \dots = f_{y_j}(x_{t+1}) = 0$; thus $f_{y_j} \equiv 0$.
- Thus: $\forall (x, y_j) \in \mathbb{F} \times Y : f_\Delta(x, y_j) = 0$.
- $\forall x \in \mathbb{F} : f_x(y) := f_\Delta(x, y)$ is a polynomial of degree t (Fact 1).
- $\forall x \in \mathbb{F} : f_x(y_1) = f_x(y_2) = \dots = f_x(y_{t+1}) = 0$; thus $f_x \equiv 0$.
- Thus: $\forall (x, y) \in \mathbb{F} \times \mathbb{F} : f_\Delta(x, y) = 0$; thus $f_\Delta \equiv 0$.

Commit Protocol

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1. Distribution

D selects random polynomial

$f(x, y) = \sum_{i=0}^t \sum_{j=0}^t f_{ij} x^i y^j$, with $f_{0,0} = s$,

and sends $h_i(x) = f(x, \alpha_i)$, $k_i(y) = f(\alpha_i, y)$ to P_i .

2. Consistency checks

$\forall P_i, P_j$: P_i sends $k_i(\alpha_j)$ to P_j , P_j complains if $k_i(\alpha_j) \neq h_j(\alpha_i)$. D broadcasts $f(\alpha_i, \alpha_j)$.

3. Accusation

$\forall P_i$: if P_i has received contradicting values from D : **accuse D** . D broadcasts $h_i(x)$ and $k_i(y)$.

Repeat until no further accusation.

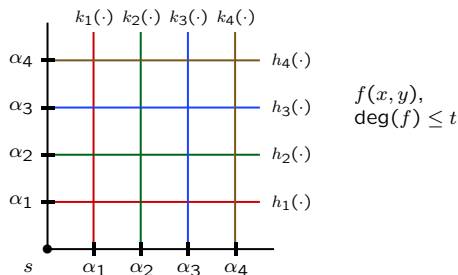
4. Compute share

If $> t$ accusing players: disqualify dealer.

If $\leq t$ accusing players: $s_i = k_i(0)$.

Commit Protocol

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MPC Operations: Overview

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	Passive	Active (commitment scheme)	Crypt. (normal commitments)	Inf.-Theo. (distributed commitments)
Input	Shamir sharing	+commit/CTP		
Add	linearity	+homomorph		
Mult.	mult.prot. $[n/2]$	+CMP/CTP	$B^a \sim C$	generic $[n/3]$
Output	interpolate	+CTP		$[n/3]$