

# Simulation Secure Multi-Input Quadratic Functional Encryption

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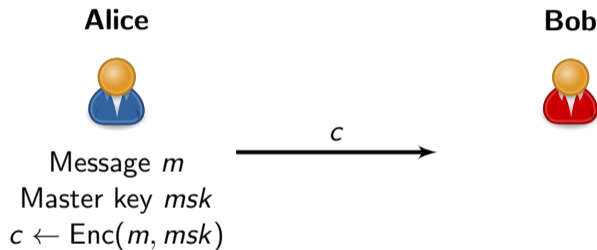
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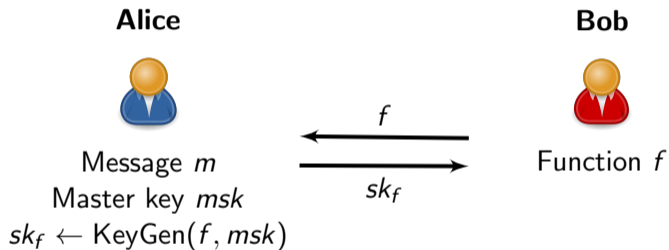
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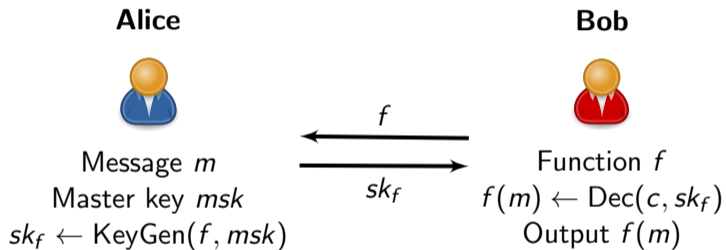
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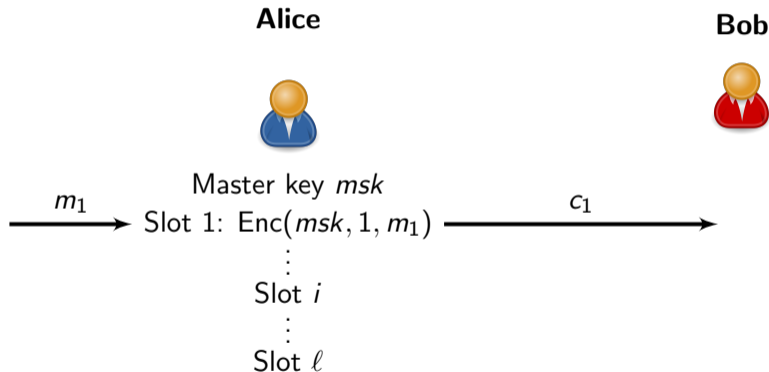
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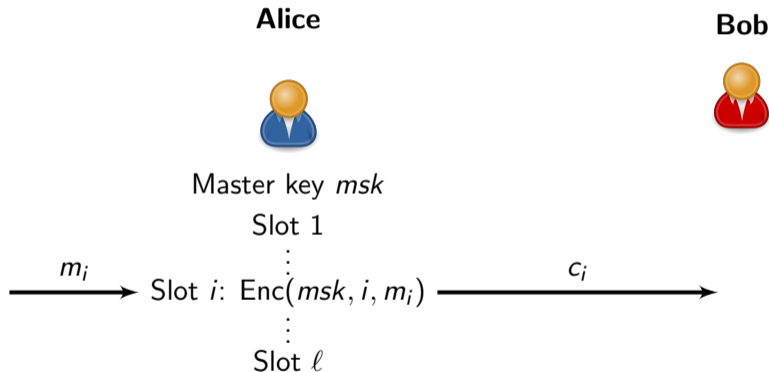
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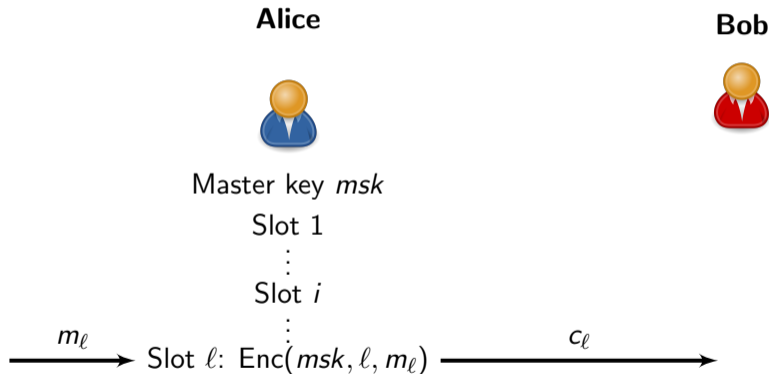
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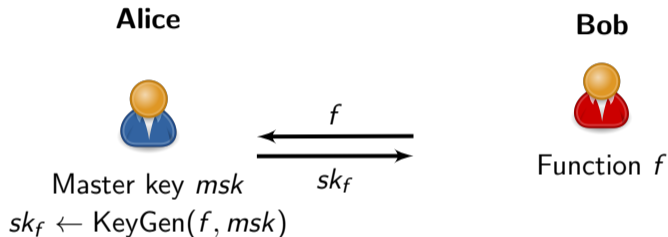
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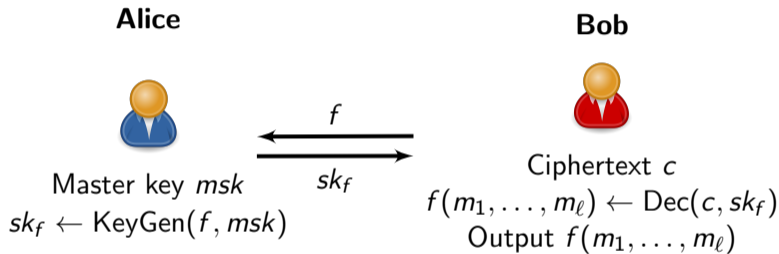


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# Applications of Multi-input Functional Encryption

- Searching over encrypted data [GGG<sup>+</sup>14, Goldwasser et al. EUROCRYPT'14]
- Federated learning [XBZ<sup>+</sup>19, Xu et al. AISEC'19]
- Differential Privacy [AECLP24, Alborch Escobar et al. PETS'24]

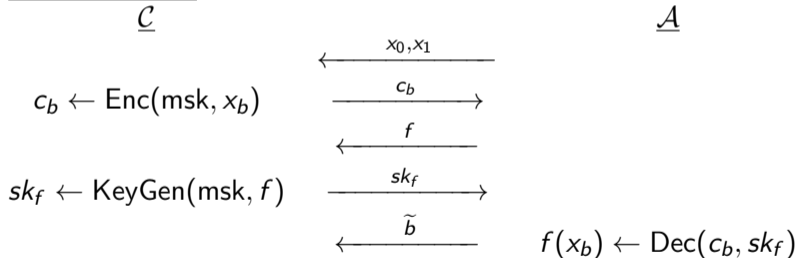
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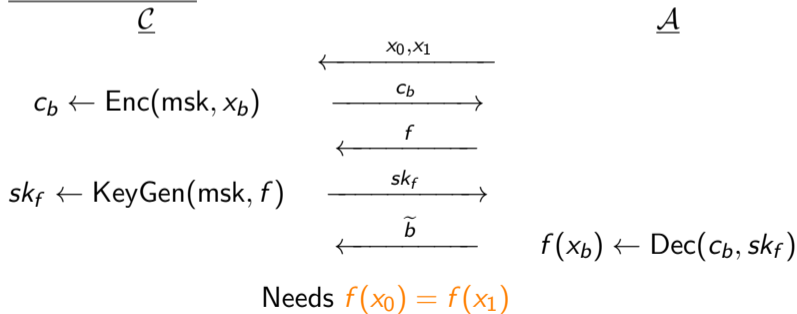


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Show real and ideal experiments are indistinguishable

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- Function-hiding functional encryption [SSW09, Shen et al. TCC'09]
  - ▶ Additional security property
  - ▶ Indistinguishability and simulation-based variants
  - ▶ Only in secret-key

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**Setup**<sup>MIQFE</sup>( $1^\kappa$ ) :

$\mathcal{PG} \leftarrow \text{PGGen}(1^\kappa)$

$\mathbf{u}_i \xleftarrow{\$} \mathbb{Z}_p^n, c_i \xleftarrow{\$} \mathbb{Z}_p, \mathbf{w}_{i,j} \xleftarrow{\$} \mathbb{Z}_p^{2n} \quad i, j \in [\ell]$   
 $(\text{param}_{i,j}^{\text{IPFE}}, \text{msk}_{i,j}^{\text{IPFE}}) \leftarrow \text{Setup}^{\text{IPFE}}(1^\kappa, \mathcal{PG})$   
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$\text{msk}^{\text{MIQFE}} = (\mathbf{u}_i, c_i, \mathbf{w}_{i,j}, \text{msk}_{i,j}^{\text{IPFE}})$

**KeyGen**<sup>MIQFE</sup>( $\text{msk}^{\text{MIQFE}}, \mathbf{F}$ ) :

$sk_{i,j} \leftarrow \text{KeyGen}^{\text{IPFE}} \left( \text{msk}_{i,j}^{\text{IPFE}}, \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{u}_j^\top \mathbf{F}_{j,i} \\ \mathbf{F}_{i,j} \mathbf{u}_j \end{pmatrix} \right)$

$zk_{\mathbf{F}} \leftarrow \sum_{i,j \in [\ell]} \mathbf{w}_{i,j}^\top \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{u}_j^\top \mathbf{F}_{j,i} \\ \mathbf{F}_{i,j} \mathbf{u}_j \end{pmatrix}$

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**Enc**<sup>MIQFE</sup>( $\text{msk}^{\text{MIQFE}}, i, \mathbf{x}_i$ ) :

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$c_{i,j} \leftarrow \text{Enc}^{\text{IPFE}} \left( \text{msk}_{i,j}^{\text{IPFE}}, \mathbf{w}_{i,j} + c_j \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{ct}_{\mathbf{x}_i} \\ \mathbf{x}_i \end{pmatrix} \right)$

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**Dec**<sup>MIQFE</sup>( $c_{\mathbf{x}_1}, \dots, c_{\mathbf{x}_\ell}, sk_{\mathbf{F}}$ ) :

$[d_{i,j}]_T \leftarrow \text{IPFE.Dec}(\text{IPFE}.c_{i,j}, \text{IPFE}.sk_{i,j})$

$[v]_T := \left( \sum_{i,j \in [\ell]} [\mathbf{ct}_{\mathbf{x}_i}^\top \mathbf{F}_{i,j} \mathbf{ct}_{\mathbf{x}_j}]_T - [d_{i,j}]_T \right) + [zk_{\mathbf{F}}]_T$

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One-time pad  $\mathbf{ct}_{x_i}$

Compute the quadratic function over  $\mathbf{ct}_{x_i}$

Extra noise terms:

$$c_i \mathbf{u}_i^\top \mathbf{F}_{i,j} \mathbf{x}_j + \mathbf{x}_i^\top \mathbf{F}_{i,j} c_j \mathbf{u}_j + c_i \mathbf{u}_i^\top \mathbf{F}_{i,j} c_j \mathbf{u}_j$$

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Use IPFE to compute extra terms

“Interweave” terms from  $\mathbf{F}_{i,j}$  and  $\mathbf{F}_{j,i}$ , in  $d_{i,j}$ :

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### Theorem

*The MIQFE scheme is one selective multi-input simulation secure, if the underlying inner-product functional encryption scheme is one selective function-hiding simulation secure. In other words, for any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  there exist PPT adversaries  $\mathcal{B}$  such that*

$$\text{Adv}_{\text{MIQFE}}^{\text{MI-SIM}}(\mathcal{A}) \leq \ell^2 \cdot \text{Adv}_{\text{IPFE}}^{\text{FH-SIM}}(\mathcal{B}) + \frac{\ell}{p}.$$

- ▶ Proof intuition: First simulate  $\mathbf{ct}_{\mathbf{x}_i}$  with uniformly at random and modify the rest accordingly. Then swap for the  $\ell^2$  function-hiding IPFE simulators. Finally use that  $\mathbf{w}_{i,j}$  are uniformly at random to simulate  $d_{i,j}$ .

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$$[v]_T := e(ct_1, sk_1) + e(ct_2, sk_2)$$

$$s \leftarrow \log([v]_T)$$

## Results II: function-hiding IPFE

- Pairing-based from nesting twice an IPFE scheme

### Theorem

The IPFE scheme is one selective function-hiding simulation secure, if the DDH assumption holds in group  $\mathbb{G}_2$ . In other words, for any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  there exists a PPT adversary  $\mathcal{B}$  such that

$$\text{Adv}_{\text{IPFE}}^{\text{FH-SIM}}(\mathcal{A}) \leq 2Q_{sk} \cdot \text{Adv}_{\mathbb{G}_2}^{\text{DDH}}(\mathcal{B}) + \frac{1}{p} + \frac{2Q_{sk}}{p-1}.$$

where  $Q_{sk}$  denotes the number of queries performed to KeyGen.

- ▶ Proof intuition: First simulate  $ct_2$  with uniformly at random. Then use the  $n$ -fold DDH assumption for each functional key query to simulate the functional keys.



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Open problems:

- Improving ciphertext size to  $O(n\ell)$
- Transformation directly from QFE

Thank you for your attention

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