Computing with Encrypted Data 6.857 Lecture 26



Encryption for Secure Communication



Encryption for Cloud Computing



Need: **Privacy** + **Functionality**

Fully Homomorphic Encryption



Compute arbitrary functions on encrypted data?

[Rivest, Adleman and Dertouzos'78]

ON DATA BANKS AND PRIVACY HOMOMORPHISMS

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$Enc(data), F \rightarrow Enc(F(data))$

(fully = any function F)

(additive = only additions)

(multiplicative = only mult)

(somewhat = circuits of small depth)

[Gentry'09, BV'11, LTV'12]: Constructions of FHE

Outline

- Homomorphic Encryption
 - Multiplicative Homomorphism: El Gamal
 - Additive Homomorphism: Goldwasser-Micali
 - Fully Homomorphic Encryption: based on NTRU
- What I didn't tell you (and how to learn more)

FHE: The Big Picture

Function



Arithmetic Circuit



If we had:

- $\operatorname{Enc}(x_1)$, $\operatorname{Enc}(x_2) \Rightarrow \operatorname{Enc}(x_1 + x_2)$
- $\operatorname{Enc}(x_1)$, $\operatorname{Enc}(x_2) \Rightarrow \operatorname{Enc}(x_1 \cdot x_2)$

then we are done.

Multiplicative Homomorphism

El Gamal Encryption

Setup: Group G of prime order p (e.g., set of quadratic residues mod q where q = 2p+1) Private key: $x \in Z_p$ Public key: generator g, $y = g^x \in G$ Enc(m₁): $(g^{r_1}, y^{r_1} \bullet m_1)$ Dec(m): Observe that $(g^{r_1})^x = y^{r_1}$

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Additive Homomorphism

Goldwasser Micali Encryption

Public key: N, y: non-square mod N

Secret key: factorization of N

Enc(0): $r^2 \mod N$, Enc(1): $y * r^2 \mod N$

square (0) * square (0) = square (0)
non-square (1) * square (0) = non-square (1)
square (0) * non-square (1) = square (1)
non-square (1) * non-square (1) = non-square (0)

XOR-homomorphic: Just multiply the ciphertexts

Other HE Schemes

•Additively Homomorphic:

- Paillier
- Damgard-Jurik (both addition of large numbers)

•Additions + a single Multiplication:

- Boneh-Goh-Nissim (based on gap groups)
- Gentry-Halevi-V. (based on lattices)

•HE with Large ciphertext blowup:

- Sander-Young-Yung

How to Construct an FHE Scheme



STEP 1

"Somewhat Homomorphic" (SwHE) Encryption [Gen09,DGHV10,SV10,BV11a,BV11b,BGV12,LTV12,GHS'12]

Evaluate arithmetic circuits of depth $d = \varepsilon \log n^*$



* ($0 < \varepsilon < 1$ is a constant, and n is the security parameter)

STEP 2

"Bootstrapping" Theorem [Gen09] (Qualitative)

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"Homomorphic enough" Encryption \Rightarrow FHE



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Decryption Circuit



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The NTRU Encryption Scheme [Hofstein-Pipher-Silverman'97]

Central characters: Polynomials mod q

- Polynomials of degree less than n (think n = 256) - Coefficients over Z_q (think q = small prime)
- Addition: coefficient-wise $(6x^2+5x+10) + (5x^2+x+2) = 6$ (mod 11)
- Multiplication: polynomial mult, modulo an irreducible (6x²+5x+10) X (5x²+x+2) = 9x³+x²+9x+((mod 11, x⁴+1)

Ring $R_q \coloneqq Z_q[x] / (x^n+1)$ (xⁿ+1 cyclotomic, q = 1 mod 2n prime)

The NTRU Encryption Scheme

•KeyGen:

- Sample "small" polynomials $f, g \in R_q$ (s.t. f=1 mod 2)

coefficients ≤ B

- Secret key SK=f and Public key PK=h=2g/f

•Encryption Enc_{pk}(m), Multiplying by f "kills" h

- Sample "small" polynomials **s**, $e \in \mathbf{R}_q$,

- output $C = hs + 2e + m \pmod{q, x^n+1}$

•**Decryption** $Dec_{sk}(C)$: Output (fC (mod q,xⁿ+1)) mod 2.

-Correctness: $fC = f(hs+2e+m) = 2(gs+fe) + fm \pmod{q, x^n+1}$

If |2(gs+fe) + fm| < q/2, taking mod 2 gives m.

The NTRU Encryption Scheme

The "Small Polynomial Ratios" (SPR) Assumption:

Choose two polynomials f and g with "small" coefficients (of magnitude at most B). Then,

g/f $\cong_{\mathbf{c}}$ uniform over R_q

The key security parameter: The signal-to-noise ratio q/B If q/B is too large (> 2^n), we can break NTRU in poly time. Therefore, typical setting: q/B = $2^{n^{\epsilon}}$ (for some $\epsilon << 1$)

Theorem: The encryption scheme is secure under the SPR assumption

Additive Homomorphism

 $c_1 = hs_1 + 2e_1 + m_1$ f.c₁ = 2E₁ + fm₁

 $c_2 = hs_2 + 2e_2 + m_2$ f.c₂ = 2E₂ + fm₂

Add the ciphertexts:

$$c_{add} = c_1 + c_2 \text{ (over } R_q)$$

$$f.c_{1} = 2E_{1} + fm_{1}$$

$$f.c_{2} = 2E_{2} + fm_{2}$$

$$f.(c_{1}+c_{2}) = 2(\underbrace{E_{1}+E_{2}}_{E'}) + f.(m_{1}+m_{2})$$

 $\Rightarrow \text{Dec}_{f}(c_{\text{add}}) = 2E' + f_{.}(m_{1} + m_{2}) \pmod{2} = f_{.}(m_{1} + m_{2}) \pmod{2}$

 $-m \perp m \pmod{2}$

Multiplicative Homomorphism

 $c_1 = hs_1 + 2e_1 + m_1$ f.c₁ = 2E₁ + fm₁

Multiply the ciphertexts:

$$c_2 = hs_2 + 2e_2 + m_2$$

f.c₂ = 2E₂ + fm₂

 $\boldsymbol{c}_{mlt} = \boldsymbol{c}_1 \cdot \boldsymbol{c}_2$ (over \boldsymbol{R}_q)

$$\begin{aligned} f.c_1 &= 2E_1 + fm_1 \\ f.c_2 &= 2E_2 + fm_2 \end{aligned} \\ f^2.(c_1c_2) &= 2(E_1m_2 + E_2m_1 + 2E_1E_2) + f^2(m_1m_2) \\ E' \end{aligned}$$

 $\Rightarrow \mathsf{Dec}_{f^2}(\mathbf{c}_{\mathsf{mlt}}) = 2E' + f^2 m_1 m_2 \pmod{2} = f^2 m_1 m_2 \pmod{2}$

 $= m m \pmod{2}$

Noise Growth

- Assume the input ciphertext noise is at most B.

- Addition: norm of E_1+E_2 is at most 2B
- Multiplication: noise $\approx E_1E_2$
 - Norm of E_1E_2 is at most nB_2

How Homomorphic is this: The Reservoir Analogy

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Bootstrapping Theorem [Gen09]

- If you can homomorphically evaluate depth d circuits and
- the depth of your decryption cicuit < d</p>
- $\Rightarrow^{\star} \mathbf{FHE}$



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Next Best = Homomorphic Decryption!



Assume Enc(SK) is public.

(OK assuming the scheme is "circular secure")



Wrap Up: Bootstrapping

Assume Circular Security: Public key contains Enc_{sk}(SK)





Each Gate g → Gadget G:









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Boosting Depth from log n to n^ε (in one slide)

- The culprit: Multiplication
- Increases noise from B to $nB^2 \gg B$

- Let us pause for a moment. Is $nB^2 > B$?
- − … Not if B < 1
- Why not scale everything by q, and work over (0,1)?
 Quite amazingly, this works out and gives us an error growth of nB (no squaring)



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What We Didn't Do A Lot!

- Functional Encryption
- Software Obfuscation: how to encrypt programs
- Practical techniques for computing on encrypted data: searchable encryption, deterministic encryption,...
- Secure Multiparty protocols, ...

Come to 6.892!



Good luck with the project write-ups!