

Lecture 6

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1 GMW Protocol, cont'd

Recall that the GMW protocol for securely computing any circuit proceeds in three phases:

1. Input sharing
2. Circuit evaluation (using 1-out-of-4 OT)
3. Output recovery

1.1 Security (in the semi-honest OT-hybrid model)

OT-hybrid model means we have ideal functionalities computing the 1-out-of-4 OT's. Security here is information theoretic. To show security, we construct the following two simulators that simulate respectively each player's view. A simulator of P_1 's view is indistinguishable from P_1 's view during a correct protocol execution, however it is defined independently of P_2 's private inputs, therefore demonstrating that the protocol leaks no information. Likewise for P_2 's view.

1.1.1 $Sim_1(x_1, y_1)$:

- 1a) generate random values r_1, \dots, r_ℓ (P_1 's randomness)
- 1b) generate random values s_1, \dots, s_ℓ (initial message)
- 2) for each non-input wire of the circuit, generate random r_i
- 3) for each output wire of P_1 let $\hat{r}_1, \dots, \hat{r}_\ell$ be P_1 's shares of the wires
- let $sh_i = \hat{r}_i \oplus y_{1,i}$
- place sh_1, \dots, sh_ℓ in the view

1.1.2 $Sim_2(x_2, y_2)$:

- 1) same as Sim_1
- 2) for each non-input wire of the circuit, choose uniform r_i as the output of the functionality
- 3) same

Note: For Sim_1 , x_1 is P_1 's input, while y_1 is player P_2 's output. However, for Sim_2 , x_2 is P_1 's output, and y_2 is P_2 's input.

1.2 Randomized Computations

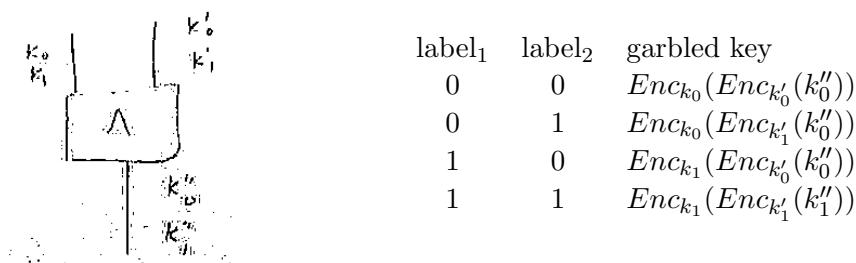
If we can securely compute any deterministic function, then we can securely compute any randomized functionality. Let $g(x, y)$ be a randomized function; we can construct a deterministic equivalent $\hat{g}(x, y, r) = g(x, y)$ where the random coins r are chosen uniformly at random. Then we can securely compute $\bar{g}((x, r_1), (y, r_2)) = \hat{g}(x, y, r_1 \oplus r_2)$ using GMW.

- 1) Each player P_i chooses uniform r_i
- 2) parties compute \bar{g} on inputs (x, r_1) and (y, r_2) respectively

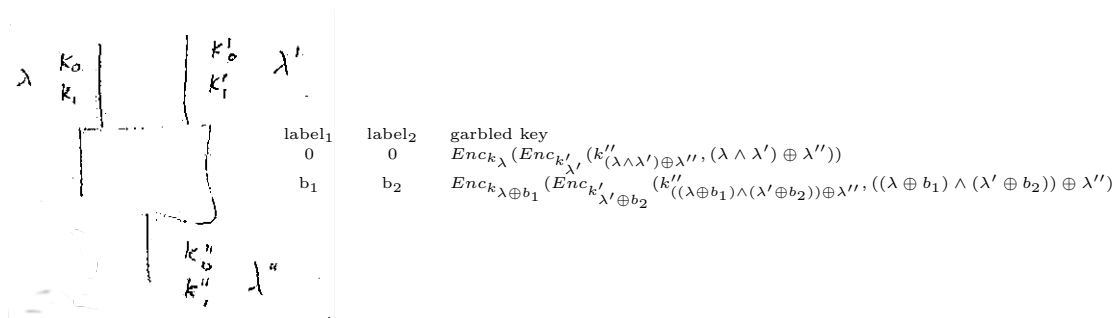
2 Yao's Garbled-Circuits

Motivation: GMW protocol has round complexity linear in the depth of the circuit. Yao's garbled-circuit approach has $O(1)$ round complexity, with a pretty small constant.

One party acts as a garbled circuit generator. For each wire, she generates a pair of symmetric encryption keys, corresponding to a possible value (0 or 1). For each gate (assume two input wires, one output wire), she constructs a garbled table representing the truth table for the gate. (Note: the table should be randomly permuted). The following example is for an AND gate:



Instead of having to decrypt every row, evaluation can be simplified if the garbled circuit generator also chooses a random bit λ . Thus the label of k_b will be $\lambda \oplus b$. Then the circuit evaluator can use the label to immediately access the correct row of the table.



2.1 Garbled-circuit protocol

- 1) Input-preparation phase
 - 1a) P_1 sends the input-wire keys corresponding to his inputs
 - 1b) P_2 obtains the input-wire keys for its inputs using 1-out-of-2 OT
- 2) Garbled-circuit evaluation
- 3) Output determination:
 - - P_1 send λ -values on output wires, P_2 sends output keys
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