

MPC-Friendly Symmetric Key Primitives

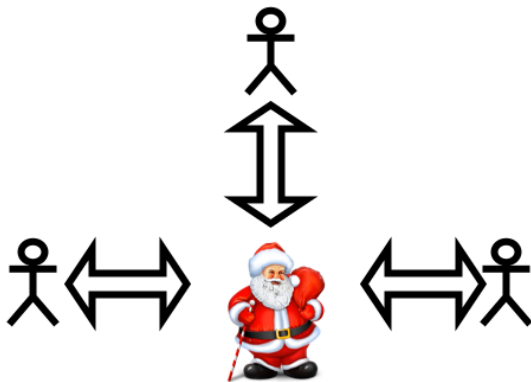
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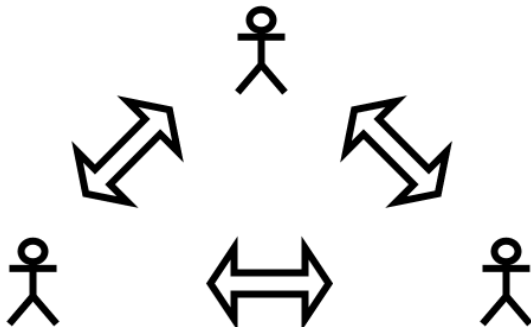
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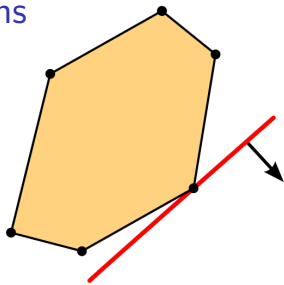
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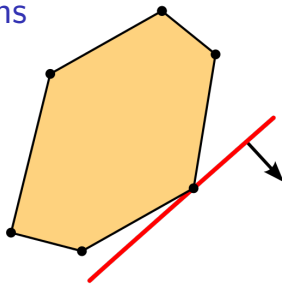


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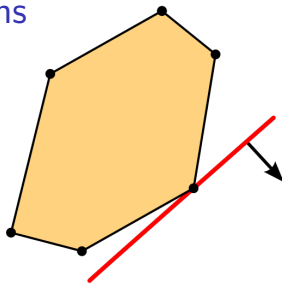


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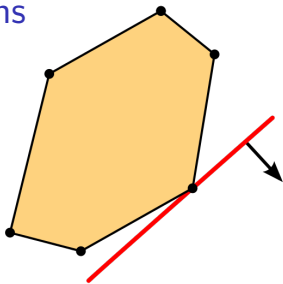


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Easy to implement via
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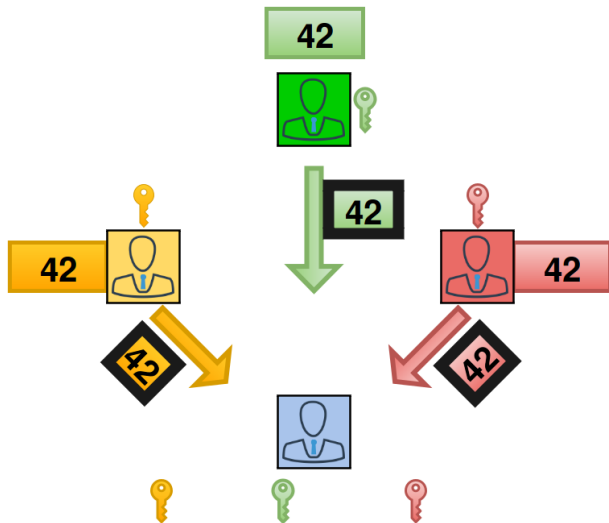


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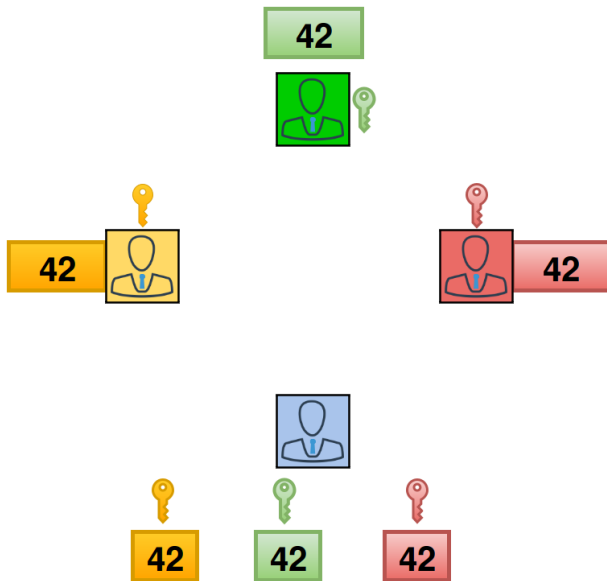
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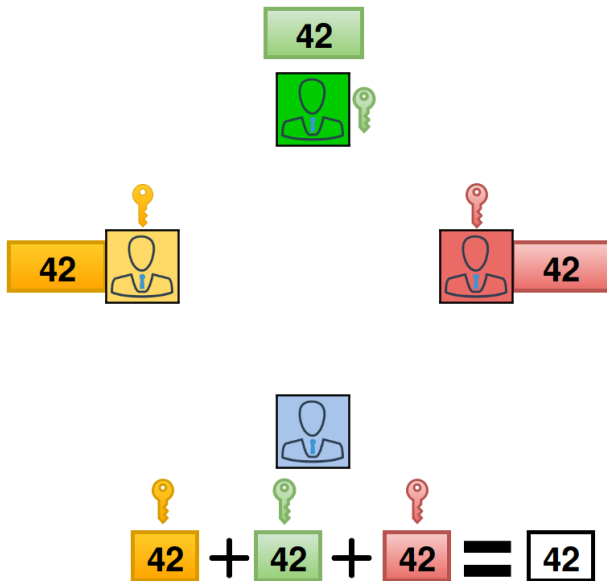
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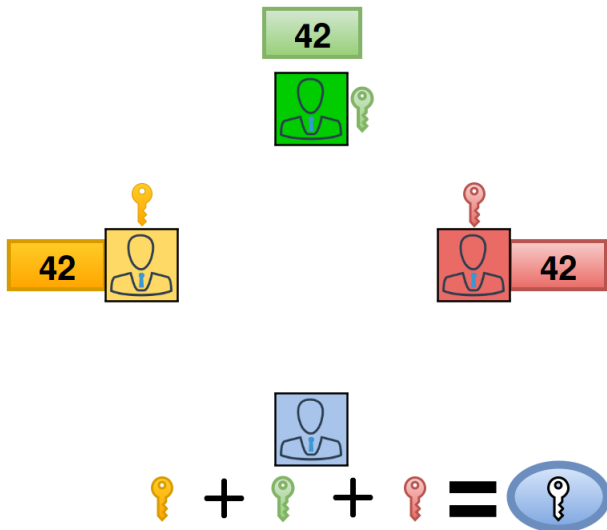
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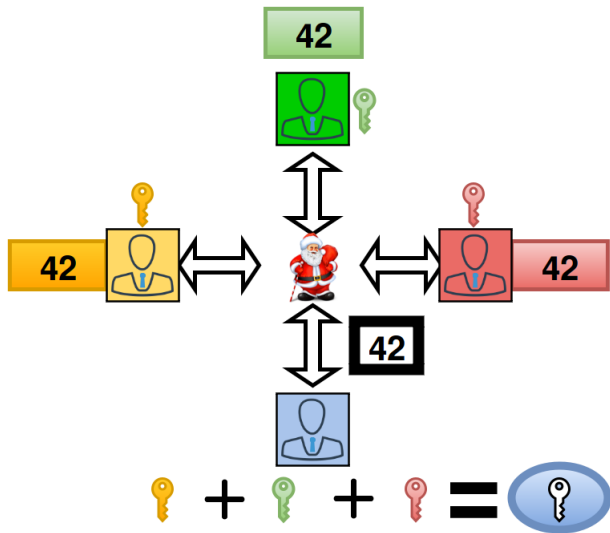
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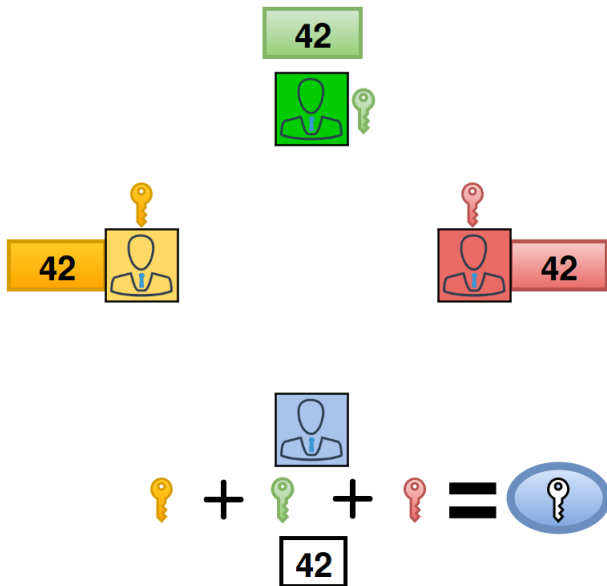
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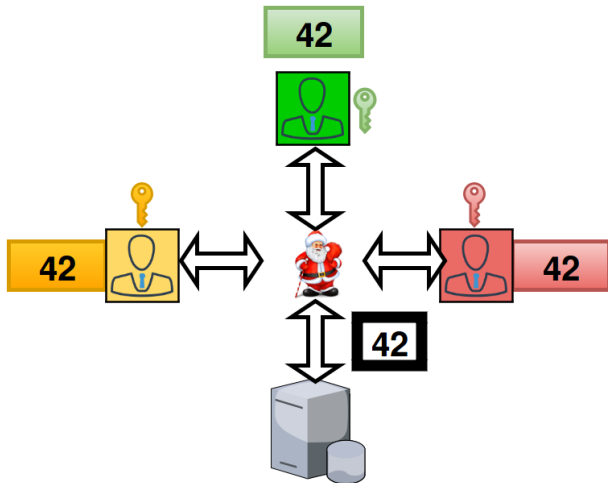
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Take home message

Move data **securely** between clients and MPC engines.

Need a PRF mod p

- ▶ Enc / Dec in CTR mode use only PRF calls.
- ▶ Avoid the n fold database/key blowup by secret share the key and use a PRF mod p in MPC!
- ▶ Why mod p ? Conversion between binary and arithmetic shares is expensive.

Other use cases for PRF's in MPC

- ▶ Secure database joins [LTW13].
- ▶ Oblivious RAM [LO13].
- ▶ Searchable symmetric encryption, order-revealing encryption [BCO'N11, BLRSZZ15, CLWW16, BBO'N07, CJKRS13].

What we have done

Benchmark and **create new protocols** using PRF's within SPDZ protocol.

Why SPDZ?

- ▶ MPC protocol with active security.
- ▶ 200 times faster pre-processing phase [KOS16].
- ▶ It is open source!
<https://github.com/bristolcrypto/SPDZ-2>.

MPC with secret sharing 101

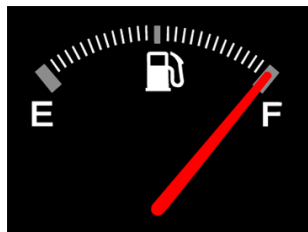
- ▶ Each party P_i has $[a] \leftarrow a_i$
s.t. $a = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i$.
- ▶ Triples generation:
 $[a] = [b] \cdot [c]$
- ▶ Random bits and squares:
 $[b], [s^2]$.



Preprocessing Phase

MPC with secret sharing 101

- ▶ Use 1 triple for each multiplication gate.
- ▶ Number of communication rounds is given by the multiplicative depth.



Online Phase

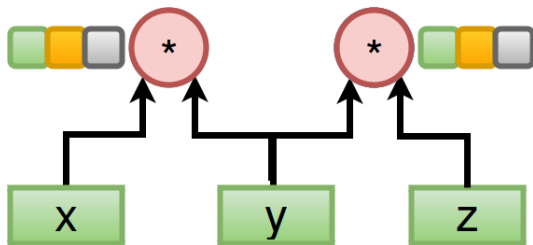
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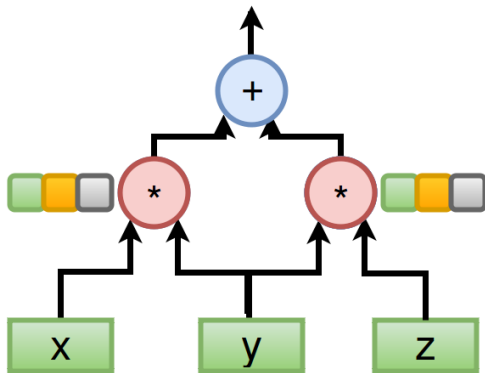
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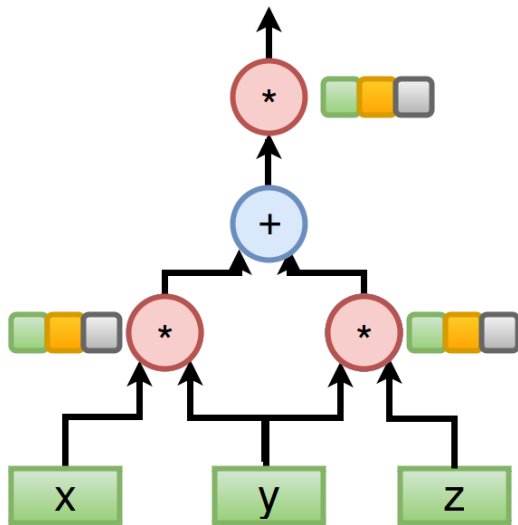
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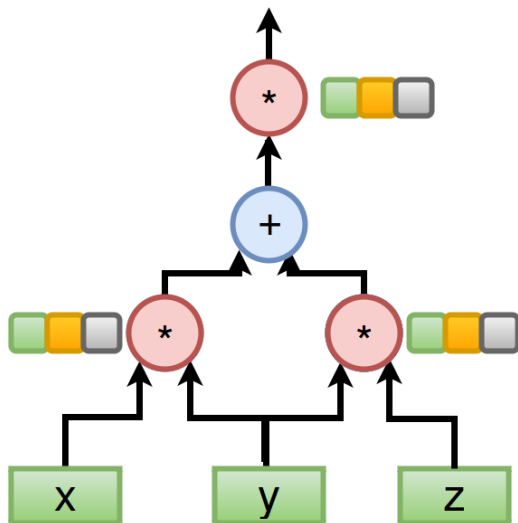
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3 triples; 2 rounds.

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8ms latency

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530 blocks/s throughput

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- ▶ Compare the PRF's mod p with AES only for benchmarking purposes.
- ▶ In real world we want to keep all data in \mathbb{F}_p .

Naor-Reingold PRF

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Fortunately, in some applications the output must be public!

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- ▶ $3 + \log n + 1$ rounds.



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Results have shown that over 70% of the time was spent on EC computations.
Computation is the bottleneck, not communication!

MiMC - How does it work?

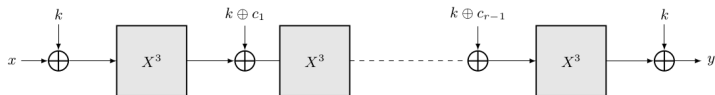


Fig. 1: r rounds of MiMC- n/n

[AGR⁺16]

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6ms latency

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9000 blocks/s throughput - **16x** AES

Legendre PRF

In 1988, Damgård conjectured that this sequence is pseudorandom starting from a random seed k .

$$\left(\frac{k}{p}\right), \left(\frac{k+1}{p}\right), \left(\frac{k+2}{p}\right), \dots$$

Legendre PRF - 1 bit output

- ▶ $\log p$ multiplications.
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1225 evals/s - **250x** AES

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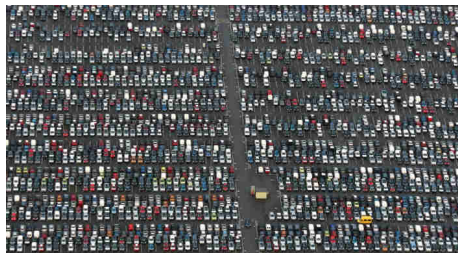
0.3ms latency - **25x** faster AES

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202969 blocks/s throughput - **380x**
AES

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Yes, we give a reduction to the SLS problem: Given $\left(\frac{k+x}{p}\right)$,
find x .

Summary

- ▶ We have **efficiently** solved the problem of sending data between MPC engines.
- ▶ PRF's mod p in MPC are fast! Can you find other applications built on top of these?
- ▶ For proofs, WAN timings, other details, check out our paper!

Thank you!