

# Efficient Homomorphic Evaluation of Arbitrary Bivariate Integer Functions

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# Introduction

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# Fully Homomorphic Encryption (FHE)

## ■ FHE: encryption scheme allows addition and multiplication on ciphertexts

- $[[a]] \oplus [[b]] = [[a + b]]$

$[[a]]$ : Ciphertext of plaintext  $a$

- $[[a]] \otimes [[b]] = [[a \times b]]$

## ■ We focus on BFV with packing method [SV14]:

- Supports integer-wise operations

- Easily calculate  $\oplus$  and  $\otimes$  without bit/digit encryption

- Supports packing method (i.e., SIMD, slot-wise computation)

- Non-trivial to compute arbitrary non-linear functions

- Polynomial evaluation by representing  $f$  as a polynomial via polynomial interpolation is one standard approach

# Contributions

## ■ Existing work

- [OCHK18] achieves homomorphic evaluation of arbitrary bivariate integer functions
- Inefficient when input domain size is relatively large
  - About 59Days for 15-bit integer division in our environment

## ■ Our Contributions

- Proposed two new methods for homomorphic evaluation of arbitrary bivariate integer functions
  - ① An improved method of prior work [OCHK18]
  - ② A new approach for relatively large input domain size instead of enabling the SIMD operation

# Prior Work

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# Prior Work [OCHK18]

Okada et al. shows how to homomorphically compute an arbitrary bivariate integer function based on polynomial evaluation.

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## Algorithm 1 Homomorphic Division $\llbracket \frac{a}{d} \rrbracket$

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**Input:**  $\llbracket a \rrbracket, \llbracket d \rrbracket (a, d \in Z_{t'})$

**Output:**  $\llbracket \frac{a}{d} \rrbracket$

- 1:  $S \leftarrow \llbracket 0 \rrbracket$
- 2:  $C_a^{pow} \leftarrow \text{Pows}(\llbracket a \rrbracket, t'), C_d^{pow} \leftarrow \text{Pows}(\llbracket d \rrbracket, t')$
- 3: **for**  $i = 0$  to  $t' - 1$  **do**
- 4:    $\llbracket \frac{a}{i} \rrbracket = \text{ConstDiv}(C_a^{pow}, i)$
- 5:    $\llbracket i = d \rrbracket = \text{ConstEq}(C_d^{pow}, i)$
- 6:    $S \leftarrow S \oplus \llbracket \frac{a}{i} \rrbracket \otimes \llbracket i = d \rrbracket$
- 7: **end for**

**Output:**  $S = \llbracket \frac{a}{d} \rrbracket$

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- $\text{Pows}(\llbracket a \rrbracket, t'): \{\llbracket a \rrbracket, \llbracket a^2 \rrbracket, \dots, \llbracket a^{t'-1} \rrbracket\}, \text{Pows}(\llbracket d \rrbracket, t')$ 
  - $t'$  invocations of  $ct \otimes ct$ , respectively

- $\text{ConstDiv}(\llbracket \frac{a}{i} \rrbracket), \text{ConstEq}(\llbracket i = d \rrbracket)$ 
  - Polynomial evaluation using powers

- $\llbracket \frac{a}{i} \rrbracket \otimes \llbracket i = d \rrbracket = \begin{cases} \llbracket \frac{a}{d} \rrbracket, & (\text{if } i = d) \\ \llbracket 0 \rrbracket, & (\text{otherwise}) \end{cases}$

- $\sum_{i=0}^{t'} \llbracket \frac{a}{i} \rrbracket \otimes \llbracket i = d \rrbracket = \llbracket \frac{a}{d} \rrbracket$

# Our Algorithm

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# Proposal 1

Proposal 1 halves # of polynomial evaluations compared to [OCHK18]

**Input:**  $\llbracket a \rrbracket, \llbracket d \rrbracket$  ( $a, d \in \mathbb{Z}_{t'}$ )

**Output:**  $\llbracket \frac{a}{d} \rrbracket$

- If  $d$  is fixed, we can precompute coefficients  $(c_{0,d}, c_{1,d}, \dots, c_{t'-1,d})$  of  $f_d(x): \mathbb{Z}_{t'} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_{t'}$  via polynomial interpolation.

$$f_d(x) = \left\lfloor \frac{x}{d} \right\rfloor = c_{0,d} + c_{1,d}x + \dots + c_{t'-1,d}x^{t'-1} \pmod{t}$$

- **Also,** for  $0 \leq j \leq t' - 1$  we define  $g_j(x): \mathbb{Z}_{t'} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_{t'}$  that, given  $d$  as  $x$ , returns  $j$ -th coefficient  $c_{j,d}$  of  $f_d(x)$ .

$$g_j(x) = c'_{0,j} + c'_{1,j}x + \dots + c'_{t'-1,j}x^{t'-1} \pmod{t}$$



# Proposal 1

$$\left[ \frac{a}{d} \right] = f_d(a)$$

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$$\left\lfloor \frac{a}{d} \right\rfloor = f_d(a)$$

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$$g_1(x) = c'_{0,1} + c'_{1,1}x + \cdots + c'_{t'-1,1}x^{t'-1} \pmod{t}$$

$$g_2(x) = c'_{0,2} + c'_{1,2}x + \cdots + c'_{t'-1,2}x^{t'-1} \pmod{t}$$

$$g_{t'-1}(x) = c'_{0,t'-1} + c'_{1,t'-1}x + \cdots + c'_{t'-1,t'-1}x^{t'-1} \pmod{t}$$

Total:  $t'$  Polynomial Evaluations

# Proposal 1

- Proposal 1 requires  **$t'$  polynomial evaluations**, which **halves** the computational cost of [OCHK18]
  - [OCHK18] computes  $2t'$  polynomial evaluations ( $t'$  invocations of equality check and division)
  - Overall execution time is also halved

## But...

- The larger domain size, the slower computation
  - Run-time of each operation is small, but total # of these is quadratic in  $t'$ 
    - Each polynomial evaluation includes  $t'$  invocations of  $pt \otimes ct$  and  $ct \oplus ct$
  - **When  $t' = 2^{15}$** , estimation of total computation is **about 59 days** in our experimental environment
    - Details will be discussed later
- Packing method allows SIMD-style parallel processing of bivariate functions, but it needs huge time to get all the results

# Overview of Proposal 2

Efficient way to compute bivariate functions **for relatively large input domain size** instead of enabling SIMD operation

## ■ Building Blocks

- **EvalSum**: computes sum of values in each slot
- **One-HotSlot**: given  $\llbracket d \rrbracket$ , computes a packed ciphertext in which only the  $d$ -th slot is 1 and the others are 0

## ■ Rough Overview of Proposal 2 (Case of Homomorphic Division $\llbracket \frac{a}{d} \rrbracket$ )

$$\underbrace{\llbracket \begin{pmatrix} \lfloor \frac{a}{0} \rfloor \\ \lfloor \frac{a}{1} \rfloor \\ \vdots \\ \lfloor \frac{a}{d} \rfloor \\ \vdots \\ \lfloor \frac{a}{N-1} \rfloor \end{pmatrix} \rrbracket}_{\text{Polynomial Evaluation}} \otimes \underbrace{\llbracket \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \rrbracket}_{\text{Only } d\text{-th slot is 1 One-HotSlot}} = \llbracket \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ \lfloor \frac{a}{d} \rfloor \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \rrbracket$$

$\xrightarrow{\text{EvalSum}}$

$$\text{EvalSum} \left( \llbracket (0, 0, \dots, \lfloor \frac{a}{d} \rfloor, \dots, 0) \rrbracket \right)$$

$$\llbracket (\lfloor \frac{a}{d} \rfloor, \lfloor \frac{a}{d} \rfloor, \dots, \lfloor \frac{a}{d} \rfloor, \dots, \lfloor \frac{a}{d} \rfloor) \rrbracket = \llbracket \frac{a}{d} \rrbracket$$

# EvalSum

**Input:**  $\llbracket (a'_0, a'_1, \dots, a'_{N-1}) \rrbracket$ : Packed ciphertext of polynomial  $f(X)$

**Output:**  $\llbracket S \rrbracket = \llbracket (S, S, \dots, S) \rrbracket$  ( $S = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} a'_i$ )

- Invokes  $\log_2(N)$  automorphism mappings and  $ct \oplus ct$  to compute  $N \times f(0)$

## Proposition

Let  $\llbracket (a'_0, a'_1, \dots, a'_{N-1}) \rrbracket$  as packed ciphertext of  $\llbracket f(X) \rrbracket$ .

$$\llbracket \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} a'_i \rrbracket = \llbracket N \times f(0) \rrbracket$$

✓ No additional  $ct \otimes ct$

- does not consume multiplicative depth

✗ About 6 times slower than run-time of  $ct \otimes ct$  in our environment

Notation	Description
$t, N$	$t$ : plaintext modulus s.t. $2N t-1$ . Typical settings: $N = 2^{15}, t = 2N + 1$
$\sigma_i(\cdot)$	Automorphism mapping for $i \in \mathbb{Z}_{2N}^*$
$\llbracket (a'_0, a'_1, \dots, a'_{N-1}) \rrbracket$	Packed ciphertext of $\llbracket f(X) \rrbracket$

## Algorithm 3 EvalSum

**Input:**  $\llbracket f(X) \rrbracket = \llbracket (a'_0, a'_1, \dots, a'_{N-1}) \rrbracket$

1:  $c \leftarrow \llbracket f(X) \rrbracket$

2: **for**  $k = 0$  to  $\log_2(N) - 1$  **do**

3:      $c' \leftarrow \sigma_{\frac{N}{2^k}+1}(c)$

4:      $c \leftarrow c \oplus c'$

5: **end for**

**Output:**  $c (= \llbracket N \cdot f(0) \rrbracket = \llbracket \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} a'_i \rrbracket$   
 $= \llbracket (\sum_{i=0}^{N-1} a_i, \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} a_i, \dots, \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} a_i) \rrbracket$ )

# One-HotSlot

**Input:**  $\llbracket a \rrbracket = \llbracket (a, a, \dots, a) \rrbracket$  ( $a \in \mathbb{Z}_N$ )

**Output:**  $\llbracket (0, \dots, 0, 1, 0, \dots, 0) \rrbracket$   
only  $a$ -th slot is 1

- $\ell^{t-1}$ : computed by repeated squaring modulo  $t$ 
  - Multiplicative depth =  $\log_2(t - 1)$ 
    - fixed regardless of input domain size
- One-Hot packed ciphertext can be used for table lookup

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## Algorithm 2 One-HotSlot

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**Input:** Packed ciphertext  $\llbracket a \rrbracket = \llbracket (a, a, \dots, a) \rrbracket$

1:  $T = \llbracket (0, 1, 2, \dots, N - 1) \rrbracket$

2:  $\ell \leftarrow \llbracket a \rrbracket \ominus T$

$= \llbracket (a, a - 1, a - 2, \dots, 0, \dots, a - N + 1) \rrbracket$

Only  $a$ -th slot is 0

3:  $m \leftarrow \ell^{t-1}$

$= \llbracket (1, 1, \dots, 0, 1, \dots, 1) \rrbracket$

4:  $n \leftarrow \llbracket (1, 1, \dots, 1) \rrbracket \ominus m$

$= \llbracket (0, 0, \dots, 1, 0, \dots, 0) \rrbracket$

Only  $a$ -th slot is 1

**Output:**  $n$

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# Homomorphic Evaluation of Arbitrary Univariate Function

**Input:**  $\llbracket a \rrbracket$ ,  $T = [f(0), f(1), \dots, f(N-1)]$  ( $a \in \mathbb{Z}_N$ )

**Output:**  $\llbracket f(a) \rrbracket$

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**Algorithm 4** Homomorphic Evaluation of Arbitrary Univariate Function

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**Input:**  $\llbracket a \rrbracket = \llbracket (a, a, \dots, a) \rrbracket$  and packed plaintext  $T = [f(0), f(1), \dots, f(N-1)]$  representing a lookup table of function  $f: \mathbb{Z}_N \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_N$

1:  $\ell \leftarrow \text{One-HotSlot}(\llbracket a \rrbracket)$

2:  $m \leftarrow \ell \otimes T = \ell \otimes [f(0), f(1), \dots, f(N-1)]$

3:  $n \leftarrow \text{EvalSum}(m)$

**Output:**  $n = \llbracket f(a) \rrbracket$

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$$\underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} f(0) \\ f(1) \\ \vdots \\ f(a) \\ \vdots \\ f(N-1) \end{pmatrix}}_T \otimes \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}}_{\text{One-HotSlot}(a)} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ f(a) \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The equation shows the element-wise multiplication of the function lookup table T and a one-hot vector for input a. The result is a vector where only the a-th element is non-zero, equal to f(a). Red boxes highlight the row containing f(a) in both the input vectors and the resulting vector.

$$\text{EvalSum}(\llbracket (0, 0, \dots, \underbrace{f(a)}_{\text{a-th slot}}, \dots, 0) \rrbracket) \parallel \llbracket (f(a), f(a), \dots, f(a)) \rrbracket = \llbracket f(a) \rrbracket$$

The EvalSum operation sums the elements of the vector. Since only the a-th slot contains f(a), the result is a vector of N copies of f(a), which is then summed to produce the final output.

## Why using One-HotSlot & EvalSum?

- One-hot Packed ciphertext looks simple at glance
  - It is actually a complex polynomial
- By applying EvalSum, we can get a polynomial with only a constant term
  - I.e., ciphertext of just an integer

# Proposal 2

**Input:**  $[[a]], [[d]]$  ( $a, d \in \mathbb{Z}_N$ )

**Output:**  $[[\frac{a}{d}]]$

0. Define polynomial  $f_d(x) = \left\lfloor \frac{x}{d} \right\rfloor = c_{0,d} + c_{1,d}x + \dots + c_{N-1,d}x^{N-1} \pmod t$  and coefficients  $c_{i,d}$  can be precomputed via polynomial interpolation

1. Precompute all the coefficients of  $f_0(x), \dots, f_{N-1}(x)$  and make packed plaintexts<sup>1)</sup>  $c_i$  as follows:

$$c_0 = \left[ \left( c_{0,0}, c_{0,1}, \dots, c_{0,d}, \dots, c_{0,N-1} \right) \right] \leftarrow \text{0-th coefficients of all the polynomials } f_0(x)$$

$$c_1 = \left[ \left( c_{1,0}, c_{1,1}, \dots, c_{1,d}, \dots, c_{1,N-1} \right) \right] \leftarrow \text{1-st coefficients of all the polynomials } f_1(x)$$

$\vdots$

$$c_{N-1} = \left[ \left( c_{N-1,0}, c_{N-1,1}, \dots, c_{N-1,d}, \dots, c_{N-1,N-1} \right) \right] \leftarrow \text{N - 1-th coefficients of all the polynomials } f_{N-1}(x)$$

1) To make packed plaintext, MakePackedPlaintext() function can be used in PALISADE library.

# Proposal 2

## Lemma (Paterson-Stockmeyer method)

Polynomial of degree  $N$  can be computed by using  $O(\sqrt{N})$  mult.

2. Compute polynomial evaluation  $f_0(x), \dots, f_{N-1}(x)$  **in parallel** using PS-method where  $p, s \approx \sqrt{N}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \llbracket (f_0(a), \dots, f_{d_i}(a), \dots, f_{N-1}(a)) \rrbracket \leftarrow \\
 & (c_0 + c_1 \llbracket a \rrbracket + \dots + c_{p-1} \llbracket a^{p-1} \rrbracket) \\
 & + (c_p + c_{p+1} \llbracket a \rrbracket + \dots + c_{2p-1} \llbracket a^{p-1} \rrbracket) \times \llbracket a^p \rrbracket \\
 & + (c_{2p} + c_{2p+1} \llbracket a \rrbracket + \dots + c_{3p-1} \llbracket a^{p-1} \rrbracket) \times \llbracket (a^p)^2 \rrbracket \\
 & \quad \vdots \\
 & + (c_{(s-1)p} + c_{(s-1)p+1} \llbracket a \rrbracket + \dots + c_{(s-1)p+p-1} \llbracket a^{p-1} \rrbracket) \times \llbracket (a^p)^{s-1} \rrbracket
 \end{aligned}
 \quad \Rightarrow \quad
 \begin{aligned}
 & \llbracket \begin{pmatrix} f_0(a) \\ f_1(a) \\ \vdots \\ f_d(a) \\ \vdots \\ f_{N-1}(a) \end{pmatrix} \rrbracket = \llbracket \begin{pmatrix} \llbracket \frac{a}{0} \rrbracket \\ \llbracket \frac{a}{1} \rrbracket \\ \vdots \\ \llbracket \frac{a}{d} \rrbracket \\ \vdots \\ \llbracket \frac{a}{N-1} \rrbracket \end{pmatrix} \rrbracket
 \end{aligned}$$

- PS-method decreases # of powers for polynomial evaluation

- $N \rightarrow 2\sqrt{N}$

# Proposal 2

3. By exploiting One-HotSlot, we can compute a bivariate function similarly to a **uni**variate function

$$\begin{aligned} \left[ \begin{array}{c} \left[ \frac{a}{1} \right] \\ \vdots \\ \left[ \frac{a}{d} \right] \\ \vdots \\ \left[ \frac{a}{N-1} \right] \end{array} \right] \otimes \underbrace{\left[ \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{array} \right]}_{\text{One-HotSlot}(d)} &= \left[ \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ \left[ \frac{a}{d} \right] \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{array} \right] \\ &\xrightarrow{\text{EvalSum}} \text{EvalSum} \left( \left[ \begin{array}{c} (0, 0, \dots, \left[ \frac{a}{d} \right], \dots, 0) \end{array} \right] \right) \\ &\quad \parallel \\ &\quad \left[ \begin{array}{c} \left( \left[ \frac{a}{d} \right], \left[ \frac{a}{d} \right], \dots, \left[ \frac{a}{d} \right], \dots, \left[ \frac{a}{d} \right] \right) \end{array} \right] = \left[ \begin{array}{c} \left[ \frac{a}{d} \right] \end{array} \right] \end{aligned}$$

Here we focused on division, but arbitrary bivariate integer functions can be computed by modifying the part of polynomial interpolation.

# Complexity Analysis

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# Complexity Comparison of Computing $f: \mathbb{Z}_{t'} \times \mathbb{Z}_{t'} \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_{t'}$

	# of each operation		
	[OCHK18]	Proposal 1	Proposal 2
$pt \times ct$	$2t'^2$	$t'^2$	$t'$
$ct + ct$	$2t'^2 + t'$	$t'^2 + t'$	$t' + \log_2(N) + s$
$ct \times ct$	$3t'$	$3t'$	$\log_2(t - 1) + p + 2s$
MakePackedPlaintext	$2t'^2$	$t'^2$	$t'$

( $p, s \approx \sqrt{t'}$  for PS method)

- In [OCHK18] and Proposal 1, each polynomial evaluation includes  $t'^2$  invocations of  $pt \otimes ct, ct \oplus ct$ , and MakePackedPlaintext
  - The number of these operations in Proposal 1 is half compared to [OCHK18]
  - When  $t' = 2^{15}$ , # of these operation becomes quite large
- No  $O(t'^2)$  operations in Proposal 2
  - Computed with PS method, One-HotSlot, and EvalSum
  - Leading to the efficiency gap among the schemes

# Implementation Results

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# Experiment Environment

- PC: Ryzen 5 3600@3.6GHz and 128GB RAM
- Library: PALISADE (ver.1.10.6) multi-threads
- FHE Scheme: BFVrns
- Security Parameter: SecurityLevel = HEStd\_128\_classic



# Implementation

- $\ell$ : input domain size  $2^\ell$
- $L_i$ : Level parameter for
  - $L_0$ : [OCHK18]
  - $L_1$ : Proposal 1
  - $L_2$ : Proposal 2

$\ell$	$L_0$	$L_1$	$L_2$	[OCHK18](sec)	Proposal 1(sec)	Proposal 2(sec)
3	4	4	17	0.65	0.61	10.74
4	5	5	17	1.75	1.27	11.00
5	6	6	17	6.44	3.76	11.74
6	7	7	17	18.89	10.96	12.56
7	8	8	17	69.62	36.35	14.52
8	9	9	17	268.33	131.82	16.01
9	10	10	17	1083.41	537.65	20.79
10	11	11	17	4236.46	2140.61	25.90
11	12	12	17	43703.7	21499.1	38.86
12	-	-	17	-	-	57.49
13	-	-	17	-	-	98.72
14	-	-	17	-	-	163.28
15	-	-	17	-	-	306.93

58.7 days  
EST

- Proposal 1 can support SIMD, so achieve higher throughput, but its latency (response time) is prohibitively high with large input domain size
  - Proposal 2 cannot support SIMD, but its latency is much lower

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