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Novel efficient lattice-based IBE schemes with CPK for fog computing

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Abstract: The data security of fog computing is a key problem for the Internet of things. Identity-based encryption (IBE) from lattices is extremely suitable for fog computing. It is able to not only simplify certificate management, but also resist quantum attacks. In this paper, firstly, we construct a novel efficient lattice-based IBE scheme with Combined Public Key (CPK) technique by keeping from consumptive trapdoor generation algorithm and preimage sampling algorithm, which is required by the existing lattice-based IBE schemes based on learning with errors (LWE). In addition, its key storage cost is lower and it is IND-ID-CPA secure in the random oracle model. Furthermore, based on this, an enhanced lattice-based IBE scheme with IND-ID-CCA security is developed by employing strong one-time signature. Our schemes only need $O(n^3/\log n)$ additions of vectors, while the existing schemes need at least $O(n^3)$ of additions and multiplications in Setup and Extract phase.

Keywords: fog computing; learning with errors; identity-based encryption; Combined Public Key

1. Introduction

Cloud computing is a mode of centralized processing of big data. Many cryptography technologies, such as homomorphic encryption [1], searchable encryption [2] and so on, have been widely applied in cloud computing [1]. Powered by the advent of the Internet of things, especially the increase of multimedia data [3–5], the constraints of cloud computing center load and transmission bandwidth become more and more prominent. As an emerging technology, fog computing could mitigate the serious burden on cloud-central process of the huge amount of IoT data [6, 7]. In fog computing, data security for distributed nodes is a significant problem [8–12]. Public Key Infrastructure (PKI), is
widely used in fog computing applications [13, 14]. However, the communication cost of certificate transmission and the computation cost of verifying CA signature is too high.

To deal with the shortcomings of certification management in traditional public key cryptosystems, Shamir proposed identity-based encryption (IBE) [15]. In identity based cryptosystems, the sender is able to utilize the receiver’s identification as the public key to encrypt messages. Thus, the receiver’s public key certification is not need to be transmitted to the sender. Boneh et al., put forward the primary efficient IBE scheme based on bilinear maps [16]. IBE is greater suitable for fog computing scenarios, such as [17–20].

In what way, the emergence of quantum computers threatens the routine IBE primarily from traditional RSA or DLP problem. For this, lattice-based encryption, as the maximum crucial quantum-resistant cryptology is starting to catch on. Exceptionally, as Micciancio et al.’s affection, even for quantum adversary, lattice problems are still hard [21]. Fortunately, even in terms of performance, the practical feasibility of lattice operations is proved in implementations.

The first IBE from a lattice problem is proposed by Gentry et al., which is IND-ID-CPA secure based upon learning with errors (LWE) assumption in the random oracle model [22]. Since then, more lattice-based IBE solutions improved it in security or performance [23–28]. It’s a pity that the present LWE-based IBE constructions don’t seem to be efficient sufficient. Mainly in Setup and Extract phase, it costs too much for trapdoor generation algorithm and preimage sampling algorithm. For this reason, Micciancio et al., presented more efficient trapdoor generation algorithm and preimage sampling algorithm [29]. Furthermore, Ye et al., developed them in performance by means of the implicit extension technique [27] and they are the most efficient algorithms so far. Unfortunately, their solutions can be nonetheless not practical sufficient since they still would like \( O(n^3) \) times of multiplication and addition.

Our contributions: There are three main contributions in this paper:

(1) Firstly, we present a variant of LWE assumption, as Twins-Decision-LWE (TDLWE) assumption, and show that it is equivalent to Decision-LWE (DLWE) assumption.

(2) Secondly, based on TDLWE assumption, we construct a novel more practical lattice-based IBE. Our main idea is to utilize Combined Public Key (CPK) technique to keep off the expensive trapdoor generation and preimage sampling algorithm. So it solely desires \( O(n^3 / \log n) \) additions of vectors in Setup and Extract phase, which are even parallelizable. In addition, in our scheme, Public Key Generator (PKG) solely needs to store little-scale key ”seeds” instead of large-scale keys. Our scheme can be shown its IND-ID-CPA security based on TDLWE assumption in the random oracle model. Of course, for balance, the size of public system parameters is larger.

(3) Furthermore, based on this basic scheme, we develop it to an enhanced lattice-based IBE scheme with its IND-ID-CCA security.

2. Preliminaries

2.1. Identity-based encryption (IBE)

Identity-based encryption (IBE) is consisted of following algorithms:

Setup: Private key Generator (PKG) initializes the public system parameters denoted via \( PP \), alone with a master secret key. \( PP \) is public whereas solely PKG is aware of the master secret key.
Extract: Taking the identity $<ID_i>$ of a user, PKG extracts the private key for $<ID_i>$ with the master secret key.

Encrypt: Taking the public system parameters $PP$ and an identity $<ID_i>$ as input, the sender encrypts messages for $<ID_i>$.

Decrypt: Taking the public system parameters $PP$ and the private key as input, the receiver decrypts the ciphertext.

The IND-ID-CPA security model for IBE can be defined as an interactive game played by an adversary and a challenger. [30]

**Setup:** Given a security parameter $n$ as input, the challenger runs Setup$(1^n)$ and sends the result public system parameters $PP$ to the adversary. Meanwhile, it keeps the master secret key.

**Phase 1:** Momentarily, the adversary could send the private key queries $<ID_i>$ for $i = 1, 2, ..., l$. Then the challenger runs Extract to get the corresponding private key for the queries.

**Challenge:** Firstly, the adversary outputs a target identity $ID^*$ which was not queried for the private key in Phase 1. Secondly, it outputs two equal-length messages $M_0$ and $M_1$. Thirdly, the challenger picks a random bit $\sigma \in \{0, 1\}$, computes $C = \text{Encrypt}(PP, ID, M_{\sigma})$, and sends $C$ as the challenge to the adversary.

**Phase 2:** The adversary continues to make more private key queries as in Phase 1, on condition that the target identity $ID^*$’s private key can’t be queried.

**Guess:** At last, the adversary returns a guess $\sigma'$ of $\sigma$, and wins if $\sigma' = \sigma$.

We signify the advantage of that the adversary wins in attacking the IBE scheme as: $Pr^{adv} = |Pr[\sigma' = \sigma] - 1/2|$.

**Definition 2.1.** (IND-ID-CPA secure). An IBE scheme is $(k, \varepsilon)$-semantically secure against IND-ID-CPA if all probabilistic polynomial time (PPT) adversaries making at most $k$ private key queries have at most $\varepsilon$ advantage in breaking the scheme [16].

The IND-ID-CCA game played by an adversary and a challenger is similar to IND-ID-CPA game, except that in both Phase 1 and Phase 2, the adversary can not only query private key extraction queries, but also make ciphertext queries $<ID_i, C_i>$. When receiving a ciphertext query, the challenger answers with the corresponding plaintext.

**Definition 2.2.** (IND-ID-CCA Secure). An IBE scheme is $(k, \varepsilon)$-semantically secure against IND-ID-CCA if all probabilistic polynomial time (PPT) adversaries making at most $k$ private key queries have at most $\varepsilon$ advantage in breaking the scheme [16].

2.2. Combined public key

In 2004, Nan et al., presented a novel key management technology called Combined Public Key (CPK) to improve efficiency and save storage space. After that, CPK is employed in a variety of different applications [31, 32].
The basic idea for CPK is as follows [33]: Suppose that there’re two matrixes—a public key matrix \((y_1, y_2, ..., y_n')\) together with the corresponding private key matrix \((x_1, ..., x_n')\), where \(y_i = f(x_i)\), and a collision-resistance hash function \(h(\cdot) : \{0,1\}^* \rightarrow \{0,1\}^n\). That’s to mention, if the identity of a user is \(id\), his/her public key is \(y_{id} = \sum_{i=1}^{n'} y_i h_i\) and private key is \(x_{id} = \sum_{i=1}^{n'} h_i x_i\), where \(y_{id} = f(x_{id})\) and \(h(id) = h_1, ..., h_{n'}\).

2.3. Lattices

The formal definition for \(n\)-dimensional lattice of rank \(m\) is:

\[ \Lambda = L(B) = \{ y \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid \exists s \in \mathbb{Z}^m, y = Bs = \sum_{i=1}^{m} s_i b_i \} \]

where \(b_1, ..., b_m\) are \(m(\leq n)\) linearly independent vectors, called basic vectors.

Distinctly, \(L\) is included in \(\mathbb{Z}^m\). The special lattice \(\mathbb{Z}^m\) is principally used in this paper [22].

2.4. Statistically distance

It is defined that two random variables \(X\) and \(Y\) in a finite set \(\Omega\) are statistically close if the statistical distance

\[ \Delta(X; Y) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{t \in \Omega} |Pr[X = t] - Pr[Y = t]| \]

is a negligible function of \(\lambda\) [23].

2.5. Discrete gaussians distribution

Assuming that for a subset \(L\) of \(\mathbb{Z}^m\), a positive parameter \(r \in \mathbb{R}\) and a vector \(c\), a Gaussian-shaped function on \(\mathbb{R}^m\) is defined as:

\[ \rho_{r,c}(x) = \exp(-\pi \|x-c\|^2 / r^2) \]

where \(\|\cdot\|\) is an representation of Euclidean \(l_2\) norm. It is with mean 0 and variance \(r^2\).

The sum of \(\rho_{r,c}\) on \(L\) can be defined as \(\rho_{r,c}(L) = \sum_{x \in L} \rho_{r,c}(x)\).

Then, the discrete Gaussian distribution on \(L\) can be described as:

\[ \forall \tilde{x} \in L, \ D_{L,r,c}(\tilde{x}) = \frac{\rho_{r,c}(\tilde{x})}{\rho_{r,c}(L)} \]

In this paper, we are going to utilize a special case of discrete Gaussian distribution \(D_{\mathbb{Z}^m,r}\), that is, \(L = \mathbb{Z}^m\) and \(c = 0\).

In [22], there is a sampling algorithm-SampleD shown as follows: Given a certain \(n\)-dimensional basis \(B \in \mathbb{Z}^{n \times m}\), with a mean \(c \in \mathbb{R}^n\) and an adequate large Gaussian parameter \(r\), get samples from \(D_{L(B),r,c}\).

In our constructions, we utilize SampleD to sample random values from \(D_{\mathbb{Z}^m,r}\) [22].

2.6. DLWE assumption

In this paper, our schemes are constructed from a variant of decision learning with errors (DLWE) assumption, equivalent to the standard LWE assumption [34]. Here, we tend to introduce DLWE problem.
Definition 2.3. (Distribution $\hat{\Psi}_\alpha$). Take into account a prime $q$ and a real parameter $\alpha = \alpha(n) \in (0, 1)$. $\mathbb{T} = \mathbb{R}/\mathbb{Z}$ represents the group of reals $[0, 1)$ with mod 1 addition. $\lfloor x \rceil = \lfloor x + 1/2 \rceil (x \in \mathbb{R})$ is denoted as a nearest integer to $x$. $\Psi_\alpha$ represents a distribution over $\mathbb{T}$ of a normal variable with mean 0 and standard deviation $\alpha/\sqrt{2\pi}$ then reduced modulo 1. $\hat{\Psi}_\alpha$ represents the discrete distribution over $\mathbb{Z}_q$ of the random variable $\lfloor qX \rceil \mod q$, where variable $X \in \mathbb{T}$ is selected randomly from distribution $\Psi_\alpha$ [23].

For convenience, $\hat{\Psi}_\alpha$ is denoted by $\chi_\alpha$ or $\chi$.

We tend to redescribe the definition of DLWE problem as follows according to [34–36].

Definition 2.4. (Decision – LWE$_{q,\alpha}$ (DLWE$_{q,\alpha}$) problem). (All operations are performed in $\mathbb{Z}_q$) Take into account a positive integer $n$, a large prime modulus $q \leq \text{poly}(n)$, an arbitrary integer $m \leq \text{poly}(n)$, together with a distribution $\hat{\Psi}_\alpha(\chi)$ over $\mathbb{Z}_q$, all public. The challenger independently and uniformly selects a matrix $A \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times m}$, a secret vector $s \in \mathbb{Z}_q^n$, and a bit $\tau \in \{0, 1\}$. If $\tau = 1$, it returns $(A, A^T s + x) \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times m} \times \mathbb{Z}_q^m$, where $x \in \chi_m$; Else, it returns $(A, d) \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times m} \times \mathbb{Z}_q^m$, where $d \in \mathbb{Z}_q^m$ is chosen randomly. Given a tuple, the adversary returns a guess $\tau'$ of $\tau$.

We define the adversary’s advantage in solving DLWE$_{q,\alpha}$ problem as [34]

$$Pr^{adv}(\text{DLWE}_{q,\alpha}) = |Pr[\tau' = \tau] - \frac{1}{2}|$$

If the advantage in solving DLWE$_{q,\alpha}$ problem for any PPT adversary is negligible, we say that DLWE$_{q,\alpha}$ assumption holds.

For the certain noise distributions $\chi$ ($\hat{\Psi}_\alpha$) and a prime $q$, where $\alpha \cdot q > 2 \sqrt{n}$, Even for quantum PPT adversary, DLWE$_{q,\alpha}$ problem is still hard [34]. That’s to say, DLWE$_{q,\alpha}$ assumption holds.

Theorem 2.1. For a prime number $q$, a positive integer $n$, and $m \geq 2n \lg q$, the distribution for $u = Ae \mod q$ is statistically close to uniform distribution over $\mathbb{Z}_q^n$, where $e \leftarrow D_{\mathbb{Z}_q^m}$, for any $r \geq \omega(\sqrt{\log m})$ and all but a $2q^{-n}$ fraction of all $A \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times m}$. Notice that $\omega(\cdot)$ is a function: if $g(n) = \omega(f(n))$, increment speed of $g(n)$ is faster than any $cf(n)(c > 1)$ [21].

3. TDLWE assumption

It is shown that for certain parameters $\alpha$ and $q$, DLWE$_{q,\alpha}$ assumption holds. Based on it, we propose a variant of DLWE$_{q,\alpha}$ problem and exhibit that it’s equivalent to DLWE$_{q,\alpha}$ problem.

Definition 3.1. (Twins – Decision – LWE$_{q,m,n,r,\alpha}$ (TDLWE$_{q,m,n,r,\alpha}$) problem). (All operations are performed in $\mathbb{Z}_q$) Take into account a positive integer $n$, a large prime modulus $q \leq \text{poly}(n)$, an arbitrary integer $m \leq \text{poly}(n)$, and a distribution $\hat{\Psi}_\alpha(\chi)$ over $\mathbb{Z}_q$, all public. Firstly, the challenger selects a matrix $A \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times m}$, a vector $e'$ from discrete Gaussian distribution $D_{\mathbb{Z}_q^n}$, together with a secret vector $s' \in \mathbb{Z}_q^n$ at random. Next, the challenger alternatives a bit $\tau \in \{0, 1\}$ independently and uniformly. If $\tau = 1$, it returns $(A, Ae', A^T s' + x', e'^T A^T s' + x) \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times m} \times \mathbb{Z}_q^n \times \mathbb{Z}_q^m \times \mathbb{Z}_q^n$, where $x' \in \chi_m$ and $x \in \chi$. Else, it returns $(A, Ae', A^T s' + x', d) \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times m} \times \mathbb{Z}_q^n \times \mathbb{Z}_q^m \times \mathbb{Z}_q^n$, where $x' \in \chi_m$ and $d$ is selected from $\mathbb{Z}_q$ at random. At last, the adversary returns a guess $\tau'$ of $\tau$. 

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We define the adversary’s advantage in solving $TDLWE_{q,m,n,r,a}$ as

$$Pr^{adv}(TDLWE_{q,m,n,r,a}) = |Pr[\tau' = \tau] - \frac{1}{2}|.$$ 

If $Pr^{adv}(TDLWE_{q,m,n,r,a})$ is negligible for any PPT adversary, we say that $TDLWE_{q,m,n,r,a}$ assumption holds.

We tend to analyze the relationship between $DLWE_{q,a}$ assumption and $TDLWE_{q,m,n,r,a}$ assumption. Firstly, the parameters $m, n, q, r, \alpha$ are adjusted to satisfy: (1) $DLWE_{q,a}$ assumption holds. (2) For $e' \leftarrow D_{\mathbb{Z}_q^m, \alpha}$, $Ae'$ is statistically close to uniform over $\mathbb{Z}_q^n$.

**Theorem 3.1.** For some $m, n, q, r, \alpha$, satisfying $m \geq 2n\log q$ and $r \geq \omega(\sqrt{\log m})$, $TDLWE_{q,m,n,r,a}$ assumption holds if $DLWE_{q,a}$ assumption holds.

**Proof.** For some parameters $m \geq 2n\log q$ and $r \geq \omega(\sqrt{\log m})$, as known in Theorem 2.1, $Ae'$ is statistically close to uniform $B$. Thus, $TDLWE_{q,a}$ assumption tuple $(A, Ae', \alpha^T s' + x', e'^T \alpha^T s' + x)$ can be replaced by $(A, B, A^T s' + x', B^T s' + x)$. In addition, if $DLWE_{q,a}$ assumption holds, the tuple $(A, B, A^T s' + x', B^T s' + x)$ is equivalent to $(A, B, C, B^T s' + x)$, where $C$ is randomly and uniformly selected from $\mathbb{Z}_q^n$. Since both $A$ and $C$ are independent from $(B, B^T s' + x)$, which is equivalent to DLWE assumption. Therefore, for certain parameters, $TDLWE_{q,m,n,r,a}$ assumption holds if $DLWE_{q,a}$ assumption holds. \hfill \Box

### 4. A novel efficient lattice-based IBE construction with CPK

We put forward TDLWE assumption-a variant of DLWE assumption, and then analyzed its reasonableness. In the subsequent part, we’ll present a new efficient lattice-based IBE construction using CPK from TDLWE assumption.

#### 4.1. Construction

**Setup** $(1^l)$ $\mathcal{E}$ Taking $n$ as a security parameter, PKG sets $q, m, r, \alpha$ as described in Section 4.2. Then it arbitrarily chooses a common matrix $A \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{nm}$ randomly. Notice that all operations are performed over $\mathbb{Z}_q$. PKG selects $n'$ secret vectors $e_i (i = 1, 2, ..., n')$ from the discrete Gaussian $D_{\mathbb{Z}_q^n, \omega}$ randomly.

Then PKG sets the master secret key as

$$E = (e_1, e_2, ..., e_{n'})$$

and the corresponding public key as

$$U = (u_1, u_2, ..., u_{n'})$$

where $u_i = Ae_i$.

Moreover, PKG opts for $H : \{0, 1\}^* \rightarrow \{0, 1\}^n$ as a collision-resistant hash function. Finally PKG makes $PP = (n', q, A, U, H)$ as the public system parameters.

**Extract** $(PP, E, id) \mathcal{E}$ Let $h_i$ be the $i$th bit of $H(id)$, $i = 1, 2, ..., n'$. PKG returns the private key as $e_{id} = \sum_{i=1}^{n'} h_i e_i$ for an identity $id$. 

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Encrypt \((PP, id, b) \in \mathbb{F}\) Given the public system parameters \(PP\), the receiver’s identification \(id\), and a bit \(b \in \{0, 1\}\), the sender works:

1. If it’s the first time encrypting the bit \(b\) for \(id\), set \(u_{id} = \sum_{i=1}^{n'} h_i u_i = \sum_{i=1}^{n'} A h_i e_i = A e_{id} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^\ast\).

2. To encrypt \(b \in \{0, 1\}\), select \(s \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_q^\ast\) at uniform and compute \(p = A^T s + x \in \mathbb{Z}_q^\ast\), where \(x \leftarrow \chi^m\). Finally, returns the ciphertext \(C = (c_1, c_2) = (p, u_{id}^T s + \bar{x} + b[q/2]) \in \mathbb{Z}_q^\ast \times \mathbb{Z}_q^\ast\), where \(\bar{x} \leftarrow \chi\).

Decrypt \((PP, e_{id}, C) \in \mathbb{F}\) Given the public system parameters \(PP\), the receiver’s private key \(e_{id}\) and a ciphertext \(C = (c_1, c_2)\), the receiver will do:

1. Calculate \(b' = c_2 - e_{id}^T c_1 \in \mathbb{Z}_q^\ast\).

2. If \(b'\) is closer to 0 than to \([q/2]\) modulo \(q\), output 0; else, output 1.

4.2. Parameters setting

Refer to Gentry et al.’s description for concerning parameters, we tend to set \(r \geq \omega(\sqrt{\log m})\), \(q \geq 5 r \sqrt{n'(m+1)}\), \(\alpha \leq 1/(r \sqrt{n'(m+1)}) \cdot \omega(\sqrt{\log n})\), \(q \cdot \alpha > 2 \sqrt{n}\), and \(m \geq 2n \log q\) [22]. In line with Theorem 2.1 and Theorem 3.1, on this condition: (1) The public keys \(u_{id}\)’s distribution is statistically close to uniform over \(\mathbb{Z}_q^\ast\). (2) \(TDLWE_{q, m, r, x, \alpha}\) assumption holds. (3) The ciphertext is decrypted properly with the receiver’s private key. (It will be shown in Section 4.3)

4.3. Completeness

The correctness is similar to that in [22]. It is known that the linear combination of independent normal variables is still a normal variable, \(e_{id} = \sum_{i=1}^{n'} h_i e_i\) is similarly chosen from \(D_{\mathbb{Z}_q^\ast, r}\), where \(r' = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^{n'} h_i^2} \leq \sqrt{n'} r \leq q/(8(m+1))\).

Decryp algorithm computes \(c_2 - e_{id}^T c_1 = \bar{x} - e_{id}^T x + b[q/2] = \bar{x} - e_{id}^T x + b[q/2]\), then outputs \(b\) if \(\bar{x} - e_{id}^T x\) is at distance at most \(q/5\) from 0 [22]. \(\bar{x} - e_{id}^T x\) can be represented as \(x'^T \tilde{e}_{id} = x'^T \left(\frac{1}{1 - e_{id}}\right)\), where \(x' \leftarrow \chi^{m+1}\).

On the basis of the characteristic of Gaussian distribution, we get \(\|\tilde{e}_{id}\| \geq \sqrt{1 + \|e_{id}\|^2} \leq \sqrt{1 + r^2 m} \leq r' \sqrt{m + 1}(\text{with overwhelming probability})\) [22]. Since \(x' \sim \chi\), \(x_i = (q \cdot y_i) \mod q\), \(\|x' - qy\| \leq \sqrt{(\frac{1}{2})^2(m + 1) = \sqrt{m + 1}/2}\). With Cauchy-Schwarz inequality, we know that \(|(x' - qy)^T \tilde{e}_{id}|\) is no more than \(r'(m + 1)/2 \leq q/10\) and \(|x'^T \tilde{e}_{id}| \leq |(x' - qy)^T \tilde{e}_{id}| + q|y^T \tilde{e}_{id}|\).

\(y^T \tilde{e}_{id}\) is a normal variable, with mean 0 and standard deviation \(\|\tilde{e}_{id}\| \leq r' \sqrt{m + 1} \leq \sqrt{n'} r \sqrt{m + 1} \leq 1/\omega(\sqrt{\log n})\). By the tail inequality on normal variables, we knows that the probability for \(|y^T \tilde{e}_{id}| > 1/10\) is negligible.

Thus, \(|x'^T \tilde{e}_{id}| \leq |x' - qy)^T \tilde{e}_{id}| + q|y^T \tilde{e}_{id}| \leq q/10 + q/10 = q/5\), in other words, \(\bar{x} - e_{id}^T x\) is at distance is no more than \(q/5\) from 0 (mod q).
4.4. Multi-bit encryption

In common with [22, 23], It’s able to reuse the same ephemeral encryption randomness $s$ to encrypt more than one bits message. Assume that the same ephemeral $s \in \mathbb{Z}_q^n$ is used for encrypting a $K$-bit message, throughout, the overall ciphertext size is $(2m + 1 \times K = 2m + K)$ elements of $\mathbb{Z}_q$.

4.5. Efficiency analysis

This scheme is rather more efficient by means of keeping off complex trapdoor generation algorithm and preimage sampling algorithm. Specifically, in step with Section 4.2, we will set $q \approx n^3$ and $n' = O(n^3/\log n)$. In Setup phase, it just runs SampleD algorithm once to supply $n'$ samples from $D_{\mathbb{Z}^n}$. Meanwhile, in [22, 23, 27], both the public system parameters and the master secret key must be created by complex trapdoor generation algorithm. Furthermore, in Extract phase of our new solution, for every $id$, it solely requires parallelizable $n'/2$ additions of vectors on the average, whereas in [22, 23], complex preimage sampling algorithm that is with projection and orthogonalization in time $O(m^3 \times \text{length}(msk, H(id)))$ is required, and in [27], for each $id$, $O(n^3)$ times of addition and multiplication are needed.

Moreover, thanks to the low computing cost of keys, PKG only needs to storage little-scale key “seeds” instead of large-scale keys.

4.6. Security

As shown in Section 3, for certain parameters, $TDLWE_{q,m,n,r,a}$ problem is hard. During the following part, it will prove the security for our scheme based on $TDLWE_{q,m,n,r,a}$ problem.

Theorem 4.1. If $\varepsilon(1 - 1/e - 2^{k-n'})/2 - TDLWE_{q,m,n,r,a}$ assumption holds, our scheme is $(k, \varepsilon)$-semantically secure against IND-ID-CPA in the random oracle model.

Proof. Assume that there is a probabilistic polynomial time (PPT) adversary $\mathcal{A}$ in the IND-ID-CPA game. It makes not more than $k$ queries and gets a minimum of advantage $\varepsilon$. If we’re able to build a PPT simulator $\mathcal{B}$, given $(A, B = A\epsilon', C = A^T s' + x', Z)$ by the challenger in $TDLWE_{q,m,n,r,a}$ game, playing the IND-ID-CPA game with $\mathcal{A}$ and $TDLWE_{q,m,n,r,a}$ game with the challenger, can get a minimum of advantage $\varepsilon(1 - 1/e - 2^{k-n'})/2$ to guess $\tau$ in $TDLWE_{q,m,n,r,a}$ game, the proof is completed.

Suppose that:

In $TDLWE_{q,m,n,r,a}$ game,

- if $\tau = 1$, $Z = e^{T}A^T s' + x$, where $x \in \chi_a$;
- if $\tau = 0$, $Z = d$, where $d \in \mathbb{Z}_q$ is uniformly selected at random.

Next, the IND-ID-CPA game will be introduced in detail. Based on it, the advantage of $\mathcal{B}$ guessing $\tau$ will be exhibited.

Setup First, $\mathcal{B}$ selects $n'$ vectors $v_1, v_2, \ldots, v_{n'}$ from $D_{\mathbb{Z}^n}$ severally. And then it selects $k$ $n'$-dimensional binary vectors $V_i = (h_{1i}, h_{2i}, \ldots, h_{n'i})^T, i = 1, 2, \ldots, k$ at random, where each $V_i$ is selected independently and uniformly.

Then $\mathcal{B}$ selects one of tuples $(w_1, w_2, \ldots, w_{n'})$, $w_i \in \mathbb{Z}$, which satisfies as follows:

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Phase 1: H recorded in that the identity set for private key queries is a subset of the identity set for HqA above. When <q>set once the query is responded by B queries, a list of Private key extraction queries A returned by B is maintained by B, where IDi is a user’s identity and ξi ∈ {0, 1} is set once the query is responded by B. We tend to use an initially empty H-list to represent a tuple list. When <IDi> is queried by Φ, Φ will answer it in the following situations:

1. If <IDi> is within the H-list before now, H(IDi) is returned by Φ immediately.
2. If <IDi> is the i’th newest H-query and i’ ∈ VH, Φ sets H(IDi) = h1i′...hn′i′ and ξi = 1; finally, H(IDi) is returned by Φ and the tuple <IDi, H(IDi), ξi > is recorded in H-list.
3. If <IDi> is the i’th newest H-query and i’ ∉ VH, it selects a binary string h1i,h2i,...,hn−1i ∈ {0, 1}n′ randomly, not listed in H-list yet. And it assigned H(IDi) = h1i,h2i,...,hn′i and ξi = 0. lastly, H(IDi) is returned by Φ and the tuple <IDi, H(IDi), ξi > is recorded in H-list.

Random oracle queries The adversary Φ is permitted to query Random Oracle H to obtain the hash values. In the IND-ID-CPA game played by the adversary Φ and the simulator Ψ, Ψ could respond at most qH times of random oracle queries for Φ.(Here we let qH be the polynomial upper bound of H-query number.) Ψ chooses VH ∈ {1, 2, ..., qH} so that |VH| = k. While not loss of generality, suppose that the identity set for private key queries is a subset of the identity set for H-queries. To handle the queries, a list of <IDi, H(IDi), ξi > is maintained by Ψ, where IDi is a user’s identity and ξi ∈ {0, 1} is set once the query is responded by Ψ. We tend to use an initially empty H-list to represent a tuple list. When <IDi > is queried by Φ, Ψ will answer it in the following situations:

1. If <IDi > is within the H-list before now, H(IDi) is returned by Ψ immediately.
2. If <IDi > is the i’th newest H-query and i’ ∈ VH, Ψ sets H(IDi) = h1i′...hn′i′ and ξi = 1; finally, H(IDi) is returned by Ψ and the tuple <IDi, H(IDi), ξi > is recorded in H-list.
3. If <IDi > is the i’th newest H-query and i’ ∉ VH, it selects a binary string h1i,h2i,...,hn−1i ∈ {0, 1}n′ randomly, not listed in H-list yet. And it assigned H(IDi) = h1i,h2i,...,hn′i and ξi = 0. lastly, H(IDi) is returned by Ψ and the tuple <IDi, H(IDi), ξi > is recorded in H-list.

Private key extraction queries Φ is permitted to additionally query different private keys for <ID1 >, <ID2 >, ..., <IDk >, where i ≤ k. Ψ will answer it according to the following three cases for each query <IDi >(i = 1, 2, ..., k):

1. If IDi is already in H-list and ξi = 1, calculate ei(IDi) = ∑′ hiei and return ei(IDi), where hiei is the ith bit of the record value H(IDi).
2. If IDi is already in H-list and ξi ≠ 1, or IDi is not in H-list and all of V/Φ (which are generated during Setup phase) have already been utilized for answering queries, the IND-ID-CPA game will be restarted by Ψ. As it should be, in the rebooted game, Ψ must re-select the set VH ∈ {1, 2, ..., qH}. Nevertheless, it should be aware that the game can be restarted up to CqH − 1 times. If the number of restarts is over CqH − 1, Ψ will abort and output a random bit as τ′ uniformly.
3. If IDi is not in H-list, firstly Ψ queries Random Oracle for <IDi >. And then a new related
record in $H$-list is generated. If $\xi_i = 1$, $\mathcal{B}$ calculates $e_{ID_i} = \sum_{i=1}^{n'} h_i v_i$; Otherwise, it executes similar to (2).

**Challenge** Firstly, the adversary $\mathcal{A}$ selects a target identity $ID^*$, never queried in Phase 1. It sends $(ID^*, b_0 = 0, b_1 = 1)$ to the simulator $\mathcal{B}$. Secondly, $\mathcal{B}$ queries Random Oracle for $ID^*$ to obtain the binary string $h_1^* h_2^* ... h_n^* \in \{0, 1\}^n$. Check whether the binary vector $V^* = (h_1^*, h_2^*, ..., h_n^*)^T$ is a linear combination of $V_i (i = 1, 2, ..., k)$. If it is, $\mathcal{B}$ aborts and returns an bit as $\tau$ uniformly and randomly. Else, $\mathcal{B}$ calculates $w = \sum_{i=1}^{n'} h_i^* v_i$, and $u_{ID^*} = wB + Av = A(we' + v)$. After that, $\mathcal{B}$ uniformly selects a bit $\sigma \in \{0, 1\}$ randomly. Then $\mathcal{B}$ sets $C^* = (c_1^*, c_2^*) = (C, wZ + v^T C + b_{\sigma} \lfloor \frac{q}{2} \rfloor)$, and sends it as a challenge to $\mathcal{A}$.

**Phase 2** $\mathcal{A}$ keeps on making Random oracle queries and private key queries $< ID_{t+1} >, < ID_{t+2} >, ..., < ID_k >$, where $k \leq k$. Notice that $< ID^* >$ can not be directly be queried by $\mathcal{A}$. Also, $\mathcal{B}$ responds the queries similar to that in Phase 1.

**Guess** $\mathcal{A}$ returns the guess $\sigma'$ of $\sigma$. If $\sigma' = \sigma$, the simulator $\mathcal{B}$ outputs $\tau' = 1$; Else it outputs $\tau' = 0$.

We tend to give the analysis for security of our scheme above.

Firstly, we discuss when the event $\text{abort}$ does not occur, how much advantage the simulator $\mathcal{B}$ has. Then the probability $\text{abort}$ occurs will be analyzed.

**Claim 4.1.** Under the condition $\text{abort}$ doesn't occur, $\mathcal{B}$'s advantage is not less than $\frac{1}{2} \varepsilon$.

**Proof.** (1) If $\tau = 1$, i.e. $Z = e^T A^T s' + x$, then $C^* = (C, wZ + v^T C + b_{\sigma} \lfloor \frac{q}{2} \rfloor) = (A^T s' + x', [A(we' + v)]^T s' + b_{\sigma} \lfloor \frac{q}{2} \rfloor - wx - v^T x')$.

Observe $c_2^* - (we' + v)c_1^* = [A(we' + v)]^T s' + b_{\sigma} \lfloor \frac{q}{2} \rfloor - wx - v^T x' - (we' + v)^T (A^T s' + x') = wx - we'x' + b_{\sigma} \lfloor \frac{q}{2} \rfloor$.

Since $wx - we'x'$ is not more than $w(r(m + 1)/2) \leq \sqrt{(\sum w_i)^2 + \sum (r(m + 1)/2)^2} \leq q/10$ away from $q/10$, which is similar to Section 4.3.

Thus, there's no difference between $C^*$ and the real ciphertext of IBE scheme.

Suppose that $\mathcal{A}$'s advantage of breaking our IBE scheme is $\varepsilon$, i.e.

$$|Pr[\sigma = \sigma' | \tau = 1 \land \text{abort}]| = \frac{1}{2} + \varepsilon$$

(2) If $\tau = 0$, i.e. $Z = d$, $C^*$ is a random element from $\mathbb{Z}_q$.

Thus, $|Pr[\sigma \neq \sigma' | \tau = 0 \land \text{abort}]| = \frac{1}{2}$.

Consequently, the simulator $\mathcal{B}$'s advantage is

$$|Pr[\tau = \tau' \land \text{abort}]| - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= |Pr[\tau = 1 \land \tau' = 1 \land \text{abort}] + Pr[\tau = 0 \land \tau' = 0 \land \text{abort}]| - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= |Pr[\tau = 1 \land \tau' = 1 \land \text{abort}] + Pr[\tau = 0 \land \tau' = 0 \land \text{abort}]| - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= |Pr[\sigma = \sigma' | \tau = 1 \land \text{abort}] + Pr[\sigma \neq \sigma' | \tau = 0 \land \text{abort}]Pr[\tau = 1 \land \text{abort}] + Pr[\sigma \neq \sigma' | \tau = 0 \land \text{abort}]Pr[\tau = 0 \land \text{abort}]| - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\geq \frac{1}{2} (\varepsilon + \frac{1}{2}) + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \varepsilon$$
However, the event *abort* perhaps occurs within the IND-ID-CPA game. Thus the probabilities of *abort* should be investigated. Clearly, $\mathcal{B}$ may abort with two reasons: (1) In Phase 1 or Phase 2, $\mathcal{B}$ restarts the game more than $C_{\mu}^k - 1$ times ; (2) In the Challenge phase, the binary vector $V^* = (V_1^*, ..., V_n^*)^T$ is a linear combination of $V_i (i = 1, 2, ..., k)$.

**Claim 4.2.** The probability that the simulator $\mathcal{B}$ aborts due to reason (1) is not more than $\frac{1}{\epsilon}$.

**Proof.** For our selected $V_\mu$, a private key query resulting in the IND-ID-CPA Game restarting is with the probability not more than $1 - \frac{1}{C_{\mu}^k}$. For convenience, let $t = \frac{1}{C_{\mu}^k}$. Since the simulator $\mathcal{B}$ can restart not more than $1/t$ times, all of $t$ choices of $V_\mu$ giving rise to restarting is with the probability not more than $(1 - t)^{1/t} \approx \frac{1}{\epsilon}$. Thus, that $\mathcal{B}$ aborts due to reason(1) has the probability not more than $\frac{1}{\epsilon}$. □

**Claim 4.3.** The probability that the simulator $\mathcal{B}$ aborts for reason (2) is not more than $2^{k-n'}$.

**Proof.** We construct a matrix $M_{n'k} = (V_1, V_2, ..., V_k)$ with the rank $k' \leq k$, where $k < n'$. Obviously, there are $k'$ linearly independent rows of $M_{n'k}$. For convenience, here we assume the first $k'$ rows of $M_{n'k}$ are linearly independent. $M_{k'k}$ denotes as a matrix consisting of $k'$ linearly independent vectors, and each vector is composed of the first $k'$ elements of $V_i$. Denote $V_i'$ as the $k'$-dimensional vector composed of the first $k'$ elements of $V_i$. Therefore, there are not more than $2^{k'}$ choices of $V_i'$ which may be a linear combination of combination of $V_i'(i = 1, 2, ..., k)$, where $2^{k'} \leq 2^k$. And because there are a total of $2^n' - n'$-dimensional binary vectors. For this reason, $\mathcal{B}$ aborts due to reason(2) with the probability at most $\frac{2^n}{2^{n'}}$. □

Consequently, in combination with the above two claims, that the simulator $\mathcal{B}$ aborts has the probability no more than $\frac{1}{\epsilon} + 2^{k-n'}$. That’s to say, the PPT simulator’s advantage in solving $TDLWE_{q,m,n,a}$ problem is at least $\frac{\epsilon}{2}(1 - \frac{1}{\epsilon} - 2^{k-n'})$. By now, Theorem 4.1 has been proved completely. □

5. An enhanced CCA-secure lattice-based IBE construction with CPK

On the basis of the above scheme, we utilize strong one-time signature to develop an enhanced IND-ID-CCA secure construction.

5.1. Strong one-time signature

Strong one-time signature is defined by the game played by an adversary $\mathcal{A}$ and a challenger as follows:

Step 1: The challenger executes $G(1^k)$ and outputs $(vk, sk)$, then sends $1^k$ and $vk$ to $\mathcal{A}$

Step 2: $\mathcal{A}$ may do one of following steps:

1. Output a pair $(C^*, \theta^*)$ and terminate.

2. Send a signature query $C$ to challenger. The challenger responses the $\theta = \text{Sign}_{sk}(C)$ to $\mathcal{A}$.

With this knowledge, $\mathcal{A}$ outputs $(C^*, \theta^*)$.

It is said that $\mathcal{A}$ succeeds if $\text{Verify}_{vk}(C^*, \theta^*) = 1$ when $(C^*, \theta^*) \neq (C, \theta)$.

**Definition 5.1.** (Strong one-time signature):A signature scheme Sig is a strong one-time signature scheme if the probability that any PPT adversary $\mathcal{A}$ succeeds in above game is negligible [37].

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5.2. Construction

Refer. [37], we construct our scheme.

Noted that in this construction, we suppose each \( id \in \{0, 1\}^r \). (Then we can ensure \( (id||vk) = (id'||vk') \) if and only if \( id = id' \) and \( vk = vk' \).)

Setup (1)  Same as in Section 4.1.

Extract \((PP, E, id, vk)\)  Assume that \( h_i \) is the \( ith \) bit of \( H(id||vk), i = 1, 2, ..., n'\); return \( e_{id||vk} = \sum_{i=1}^{n'} h_i e_i \).

Encrypt \((PP, id, b)\)  1). Run \( G(1^k) \) of \( \text{Sig(a strong one-time signature scheme)} \) and generate the signing key \( sk \) and the corresponding verification key \( vk \).

2). Construct \( u_{id||vk} = \sum_{i=1}^{n'} h_i u_i = \sum_{i=1}^{n'} Ah_i e_i = A e_{id||vk} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^n \), where \( h_i \) is the \( ith \) bit of \( H(id||vk) \).

3). To encrypt \( b \in \{0, 1\} \), select \( s \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_q^n \) uniformly and compute \( p = A^T s + x \in \mathbb{Z}_q^m \), where \( x \leftarrow \chi^m \). We let \( c_1 = p, c_2 = u_{id||vk}' s + \tilde{x} + b |q/2| \), where \( \tilde{x} \leftarrow \chi \). Let \( C = (c_1, c_2) \in \mathbb{Z}_q^n \times \mathbb{Z}_q \).

4). Sign the \( C \) using \( \text{Sign}_{sk} \), output the ciphertext \((vk, C, \theta = \text{Sign}_{sk}(C))\).

Decrypt \((PP, id, vk, C, \theta)\)  Given public parameters \( PP \), the identity \( id \), and \((vk, C, \theta)\) as input, do:

1). If \( \text{Verify}_{vk}(C, \theta) \neq 1 \), abort.

2). Run Extract\((PP, E, id, vk)\) and get \( e_{id||vk} \), compute \( b' = c_2 - e_{id||vk}' c_1 \in \mathbb{Z}_q \).

Output 0 if \( b' \) is closer to 0 than to \([q/2]\) modulo \( q \); Otherwise output 1.

If the ciphertext is valid, the Decrypt algorithm is the same as our IND-ID-CPA secure construction. So this construction is also completeness.

5.3. Correctness and efficiency

The correctness and efficiency analysis are similar to Sections 4.3 and 4.5.

5.4. Multi-bit encryption

Multi-bit encryption scheme construction is as same as that of the basic scheme. We can reuse the randomness \( s \in \mathbb{Z}_q^n \) throughout, then if a \( K \)-bit message is encrypted, the ciphertext size is \( 2m + K \) elements of \( \mathbb{Z}_q \) addition to \( \text{len}(vk) + \text{len}(\theta) \).

5.5. Security analysis

**Theorem 5.1.** If \( e(1 - 2|e - 2^{k-n'} - \epsilon|)/2 - TDLWE_{q,m,n,r,a} \) assumption holds and \((G(1^k), \text{Sign, Verify})\) is a strong one-time signature scheme, our scheme is \((k, \epsilon)\)-secure against IND-ID-CCA in the random oracle model.

**Proof.** The proof of Theorem 5.1 is similar to Theorem 4.1. Assuming that there is a PPT adversary \( \mathcal{A} \) in the IND-ID-CCA game. It makes not more than \( k \) queries and gets a minimum of advantage \( \epsilon \). Based on this, if we’re able to build a PPT simulator \( \mathcal{Z} \), given \((A, B = Ae', C = A^T s' + x', Z)\) by the
challenger in \( TDLWE_{q,m,n,r,a} \) game, playing the IND-ID-CCA game with \( \mathcal{A} \) and \( TDLWE_{q,m,n,r,a} \) game with the challenger, can get a minimum of advantage \( \varepsilon (1 - 2/e - 2^{k - \alpha'} - e)/2 \) to guess \( \tau \), then the theorem is completed.

Same as Theorem 4.1, the IND-ID-CCA game will be introduced in detail. Based on it, we exhibit the advantage of \( \mathcal{B} \) guessing \( \tau \).

**Setup** Same as in theorem 4.1.

**Phase 1:**

**Random oracle queries** Same as in theorem 4.1 except that we replace \(< ID_i >\) with \(< ID_i || vk_i >\).

**Private key extraction queries** Same as in theorem 4.1 except that \( \mathcal{A} \) makes \( l (l \leq k) \) different queries \(< ID_i, vk_i >\) instead of \(< ID_i >\).

**Decryption queries** For each decryption query \(< ID_i, vk_i, C_i, \theta_i >\) issued by adversary \( \mathcal{A} \), \( \mathcal{B} \) answers as follows:

- If \( Verify_{vk_i}(C_i, \theta_i) \neq 1 \), it responds with \( \bot \). If \( Verify_{vk_i}(C_i, \theta_i) = 1 \),
  - (1) If \( (ID_i || vk_i) \) is already in \( H \)-list and \( \xi_i = 1 \), then \( \mathcal{B} \) computes \( e_{ID_i || vk_i} \), decrypts \( C_i \) using \( e_{ID_i || vk_i} \), and replies the answer to \( \mathcal{A} \).
  - (2) If \( (ID_i || vk_i) \) is already in \( H \)-list and \( \xi_i = 0 \), or \( (ID_i || vk_i) \)’s isn’t in \( H \)-list and all of \( V_j (1 \leq j \leq k) \)’s created in the Setup have been utilized, \( \mathcal{B} \) restarts the IND-ID-CCA game. Noted that \( \mathcal{B} \) must re-select the set \( V_H \). Same as private key extraction queries phase, \( \mathcal{B} \) can restart the game up to \( C_{qu}^k - 1 \) times. If the number of restarting exceeds \( C_{qu}^k - 1 \), \( \mathcal{B} \) will abort and output a uniformly random bit as \( \tau' \).
  - (3) If \( (ID_i || vk_i) \) isn’t in \( H \)-list, firstly \( \mathcal{B} \) queries Random Oracle for \(< ID_i || vk_i >\). And a new related record in \( H \)-list is generated. If \( \xi_i = 1 \), \( \mathcal{B} \) does the same as (1), else it executes similar to (2).

**Challenge** Firstly, the adversary \( \mathcal{A} \) selects a target identity \( ID^* \in \{0, 1\}^\ell \), never queried for private key in Phase 1. Secondly, it sends \((ID^*, b_0 = 0, b_1 = 1)\) to \( \mathcal{B} \). \( \mathcal{B} \) runs \( G(1^k) \) of the strong one-time signature scheme to produce the signing key \( sk^* \) and the corresponding verification key \( vk^* \). Then it queries Random Oracle for \(< ID^* || vk^* >\) to obtain the binary string \( h_1^* h_2^* ... h_n^* \in \{0, 1\}^\ell \). If the binary vector \( V^* = (h_1^*, h_2^*, ..., h_n^*)^T \) is a linear combination of \( V_i (i = 1, 2, ..., k) \), \( \mathcal{B} \) aborts and returns a bit as \( \tau' \) uniformly at random; Else, \( \mathcal{B} \) calculates \( w = \sum_{i=1}^{n'} h_i^* w_i, v = \sum_{i=1}^{n'} h_i^* v_i \) and \( u_{ID^* || vk^*} = wB + Av = A(w \ell' + v) \). After that, \( \mathcal{B} \) uniformly selects a random bit \( \sigma \in \{0, 1\} \), and obtains \( C^* = (c_1^*, c_2^*) = (C, wZ + v^TC + b_v[\frac{\sigma}{2}]) \).

Then, it signs \((C^*)\) using \( sk^* \) and sends \((vk^*, C^*, \theta^* = Sign_{sk^*}(C^*))\) as the challenge to \( \mathcal{A} \).

**Phase 2:**

**Random oracle queries** Same as in Phase 1.
Private key extraction queries \( \mathcal{A} \) can continue to make queries \(< ID_i, vk_i >\) where \( i = l + 1, \ldots, m'(m' \leq k) \).

**Decryption queries** For each decryption query \(< ID_i, vk_i, C_i, \theta_i >\) (\( \neq < ID^*, vk^*, C^*, \theta^* >\)) issued by adversary \( \mathcal{A} \), \( \mathcal{B} \) answers as follows:

1. If \( \text{Verify}_{vk_i}(C_i, \theta_i) \neq 1 \), it responds with \( \bot \). If \( \text{Verify}_{vk_i}(C_i, \theta_i) = 1 \) and \( (ID_i||vk_i) = (ID^*||vk^*) \), \( \mathcal{B} \) aborts and returns a random bit \( \tau' \). If \( \text{Verify}_{vk_i}(C_i, \theta_i) = 1 \) and \( (ID_i||vk_i) \neq (ID^*||vk^*) \),

   (1) If \( (ID_i||vk_i) \) is already in \( H \)-list and \( \xi_i = 1 \), \( \mathcal{B} \) calculates \( e_{ID_i||vk_i} \), decrypts \( C_i \) using \( e_{ID_i||vk_i} \), and replies the answer to \( \mathcal{A} \).

   (2) If \( (ID_i||vk_i) \) is already in \( H \)-list and \( \xi_i = 0 \), or \( (ID_i||vk_i) \) is not in \( H \)-list and all of \( V_i(1 \leq j \leq k) \)s (which are generated in the Setup) have already been utilized for answering queries, the IND-ID-CCA game will be restarted by the simulator \( \mathcal{B} \). Noted that \( \mathcal{B} \) must re-select \( V_H \). Same as private key extraction queries phase, the game can be restarted up to \( C^k_{qu} - 1 \) times. If the number of restarting is over \( C^k_{qu} - 1 \), \( \mathcal{B} \) aborts and returns a random bit as \( \tau' \) uniformly.

   (3) If \( (ID_i||vk_i) \) is not in \( H \)-list, firstly \( \mathcal{B} \) makes a Random Oracle query for \(< ID_i||vk_i >\). And then a new related record is generated in \( H \)-list. If \( \xi_i = 1 \), \( \mathcal{B} \) does the same as (1), else it does the same as (2).

**Guess** Same as in theorem 4.1.

In the next part, the security of our enhanced scheme is analyzed as Theorem 4.1.

Firstly, same as Claim 4.1, we know that under the condition the event \( \text{abort} \) does not occur, \( \mathcal{B} \)'s advantage in solving \( TDLWE_{q,m,n,r,a} \) problem is not less than \( \frac{1}{2} \epsilon \).

Next, we investigate the probabilities that \( \mathcal{B} \) aborts. Observed that, the simulator \( \mathcal{B} \) may abort in three situations:

1. In phase 1 or Phase 2, private key extraction query may cause aborting if the times of restarting exceeds \( C^k_{qu} - 1 \);
2. In phase 1 or phase 2, decryption query may cause aborting if the times of restarting is over \( C^k_{qu} - 1 \);
3. In phase 1 or phase 2, decryption query may cause aborting if the adversary makes a query \(< ID_i, vk_i, C_i, \theta_i >\) such that \( (ID_i||vk_i) = (ID^*||vk^*) \) and \( \text{Verify}_{vk_i}(C_i, \theta_i) = 1 \);
4. In challenge phase, the binary vector \( V^* = (h_1^*, \ldots, h_n^*)^T \) is a linear combination of \( V_i(i = 1, 2, \ldots, k) \).

   Same as Claim 4.2 and Claim 4.3, the probability that the simulator \( \mathcal{B} \) aborts due to reason (1) is not more than \( \frac{1}{2} \epsilon \) and aborts due to reason (4) is not more than \( 2^{k-n'} \).

**Claim 5.1.** The simulator \( \mathcal{B} \) aborts for reason (2) with the probability not more than \( \frac{1}{2} \epsilon \).

The proof is similar to that of Claim 4.2.

**Claim 5.2.** The simulator \( \mathcal{B} \) aborts for reason (3) with probability not more than \( \epsilon \).

**Proof.** Firstly, we show that in Phase 2, the probability that \( \mathcal{A} \) makes a query \( (ID_i, vk_i, C_i, \theta_i) \) such that \( (ID_i||vk_i) = (ID^*||vk^*) \) and \( \text{Verify}_{vk_i}(C_i, \theta_i) = 1 \) is negligible (\( \epsilon \)). Suppose the adversary’s target identity is \( ID^*||vk^* \), and the target ciphertext is \( (vk^*, C^*, \theta^*) \). Because for \( ID \in [0, 1]^l \), \( (ID_i||vk_i) = (ID^*||vk^*) \) if and if only \( ID_i = ID^* \) and \( vk_i = vk^* \). However, according to the definition of strong one-time signature, when \( (C_i, \theta_i) \neq (C^*, \theta^*) \), the adversary can forge the valid ciphertext such that \( \text{Verify}_{vk^*(vk_i)}(C_i, \theta_i) = 1 \)
Table 1. Property summary for lattice-based IBE constructions from LWE in the literature and our schemes. (n is the security parameter.)

| Schemes             | Computation complexity | Security Properties | Security Assumptions |
|---------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Scheme1             | $O(n^3/\log n)$ additions of vectors (in parallel) | IND-ID-CPA          | TDLWE                |
| Scheme2             | $O(n^3/\log n)$ additions of vectors (in parallel) | IND-ID-CPA          | TDLWE                |
| Gentry et al.'s scheme [22] | $O(n^3)$ additions and multiplications | IND-ID-CPA          | LWE                  |
| Agrawal et al.'s scheme [23] | $O(n^3)$ additions and multiplications | IND-sID-CPA         | LWE                  |
| Ye et al.'s scheme [27] | $O(n^3)$ additions and multiplications | IND-sID-CPA         | DLWE                 |

with negligible probability $\epsilon$. That’s to say, the simulator $B$ aborts for reason (3) with probability not more than $\epsilon$.

Combining Claims 4.1–4.3, Claim 5.1 and 5.2, the advantage of $B$ is at least $\frac{\epsilon}{2}(1 - 2^{k-k'} - \frac{2}{\epsilon} - \epsilon)$. We have proved Theorem 5.1 successfully.

6. Comparisons

In sections 4.5 and 5.3, we evaluated the asymptotic complexities of Setup and Extract phase for our schemes. Here, we list the complexities, security properties and security assumptions for our schemes and related schemes in the literature in Table 1. Notice that all of the operations are over $\mathbb{Z}_q$. We denote our IND-ID-CPA secure solution as "Scheme1" and our IND-ID-CCA secure solution as "Scheme2".

As shown in Table 1, $n$ is the security parameter, $n' = O(n^3/\log n)$. In Setup phase, it just supplies $n'$ samples from $D_{2n',r}$, and in Extract phase, it solely requires $n'/2 = O(n^3/\log n)$ additions of vectors (which can be parallelizable) on the average. While in Gentry et al.’s or Agrawal et al.’s, they requires $O(n^3)$ additions and multiplications, and in Ye et al.’s, it needs $O(n^3)$ additions and multiplications.

As we have analyzed, our schemes are much more practical than the existing lattice-based IBE constructions based on LWE(or its variant).

7. Conclusions

In this paper, for data security in fog computing, a novel efficient lattice-based IBE construction with CPK is proposed. It is shown IND-ID-CPA secure in the random oracle model under a variant of DLWE assumption-TDLWE assumption. Based on this, we developed an enhanced construction with strong one-time signature, and showed its IND-ID-CCA security in the random oracle model. Moreover, how to develop CPK to fit the ideal lattice construction is still an open problem.

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