

Fast Actively Secure OT Extension for Short Secrets

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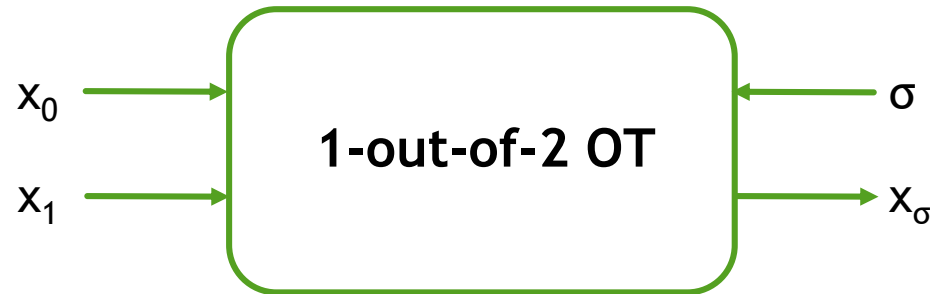
Oblivious Transfer (OT)

✓ Bob does not know σ

✓ Alice does not know $x_{1-\sigma}$



(x_0, x_1)



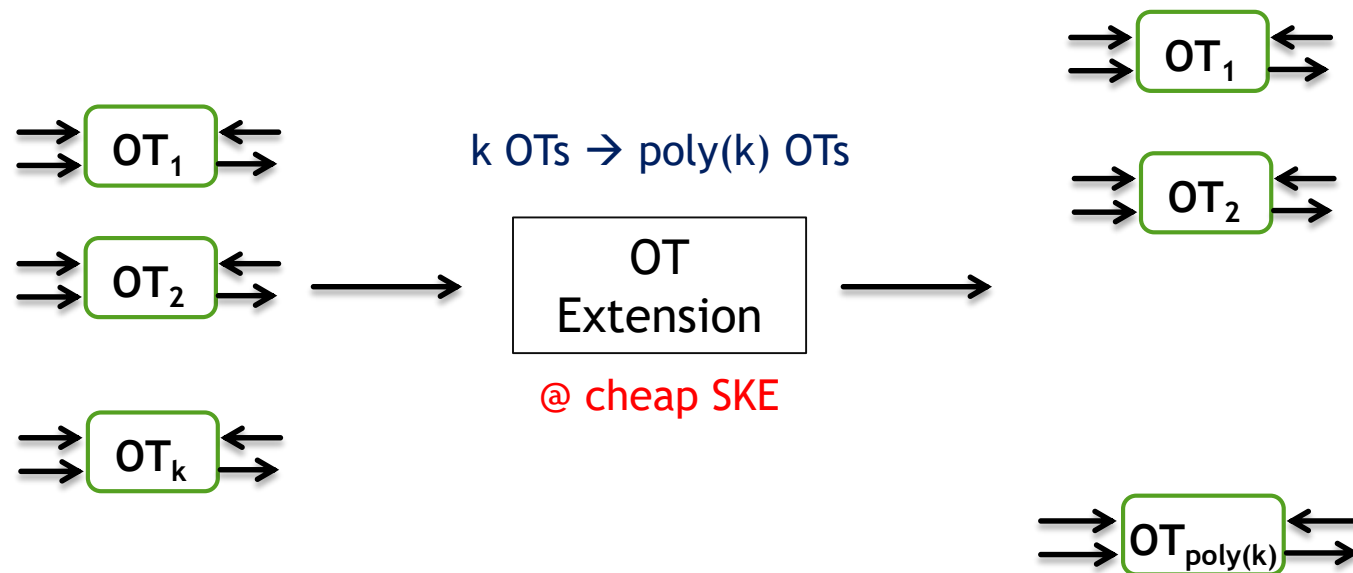
$\sigma = 0$ or 1

✓ 1 out of n OT: The sender has n messages instead of two (Brassard et. al. [87])

OT is complete for MPC (Kilian [88])

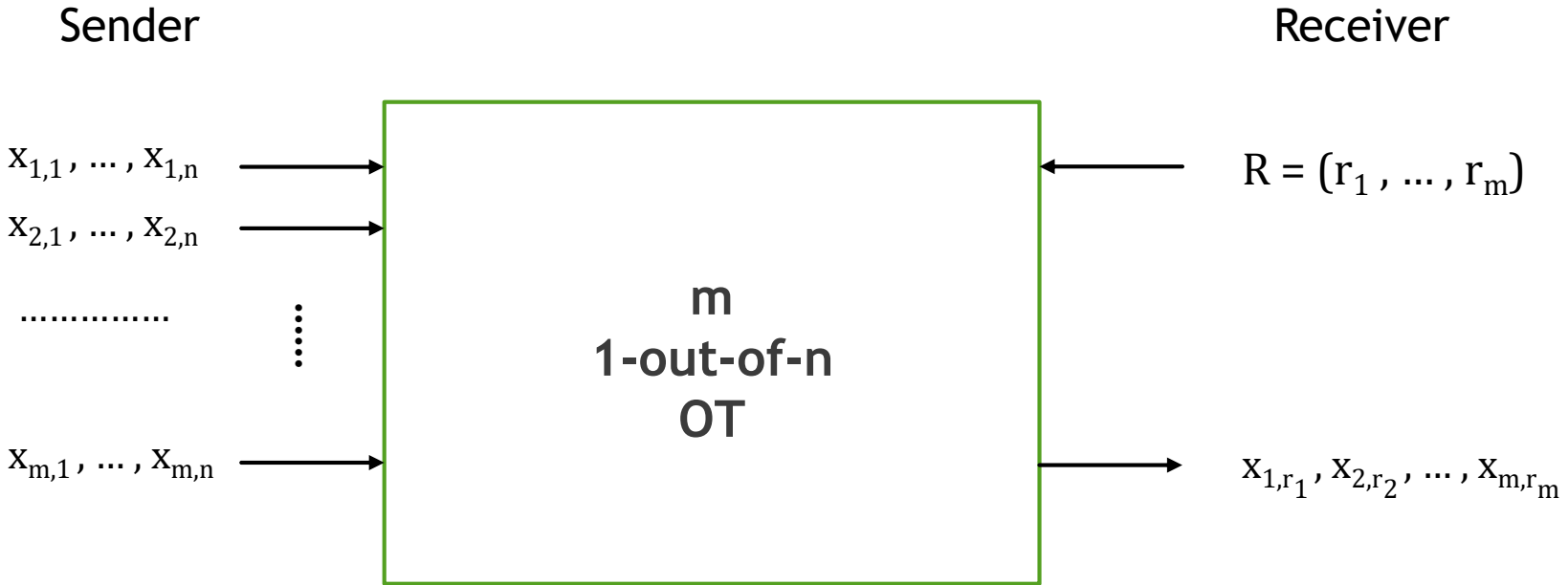
OT Extension [Beaver 96]

- ✓ OT **cannot** be based on symmetric-key primitives alone [IR89]
- ✓ Small no. of "base" OTs + symmetric-key operations = Large no. of OTs

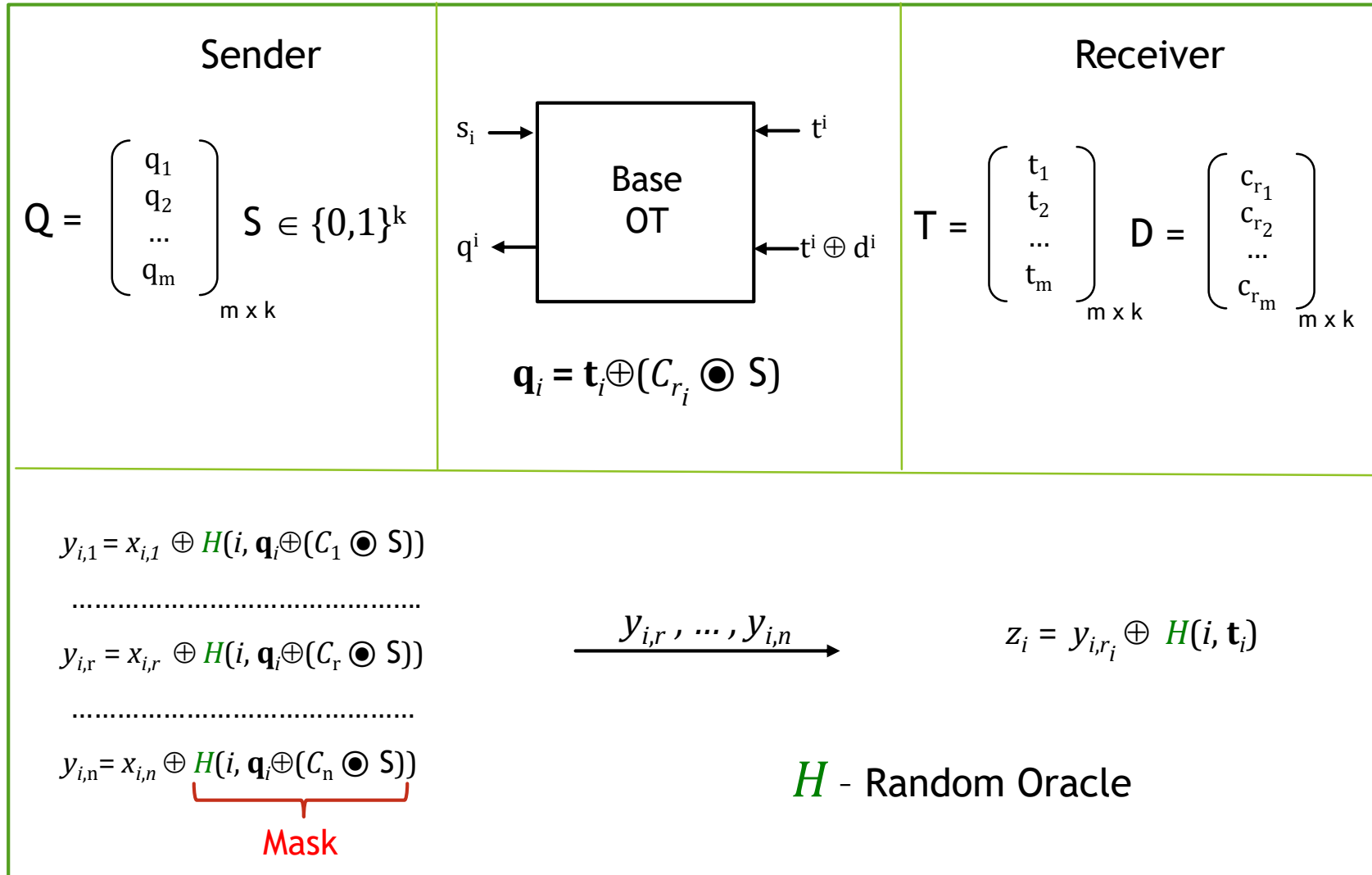


- ✓ Minimizes the cost of OT in an amortized sense.

KK13 OT Extension



KK13 OT Extension



$$R = (r_1, \dots, r_m)$$

C_i : i^{th} WH Codeword

Matrix A

a_i : i^{th} row

a^j : j^{th} column

Malicious Attack in KK13

- ✓ Adversary sets the D matrix as follows :

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{c}_{11} & c_{12} & c_{13} & \dots & \dots & \dots & c_{1k} \\ c_{21} & \bar{c}_{22} & c_{23} & \dots & \dots & \dots & c_{2k} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ c_{j1} & c_{j2} & c_{j3} & \dots & \bar{c}_{jj} & \dots & c_{jk} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ c_{m1} & c_{m2} & c_{m3} & \dots & \dots & \dots & c_{mk} \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow c_1 \text{ with first bit flipped}$$

- ✓ The 1st mask in the 1st OT will be of the form:

$$\begin{aligned} H(1, \mathbf{q}_1 \oplus (C_1 \odot S)) &= H(1, \mathbf{t}_1 \oplus (D_1 \oplus C_1) \odot S) \\ &= H(1, \mathbf{t}_1 \oplus ([1, 0, \dots, 0] \odot S)) \\ &= H(1, \mathbf{t}_1 \oplus [s_1, 0, \dots, 0]) \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathbf{q}_i = \mathbf{t}_i \oplus (C_{r_i} \odot S)$$

- ✓ Given prior knowledge on $x_{1,1}$, adversary can find s_1 with two queries to H

Formulating the problem



- ✓ 1st mask in the 1st 1-out-of-n OT :

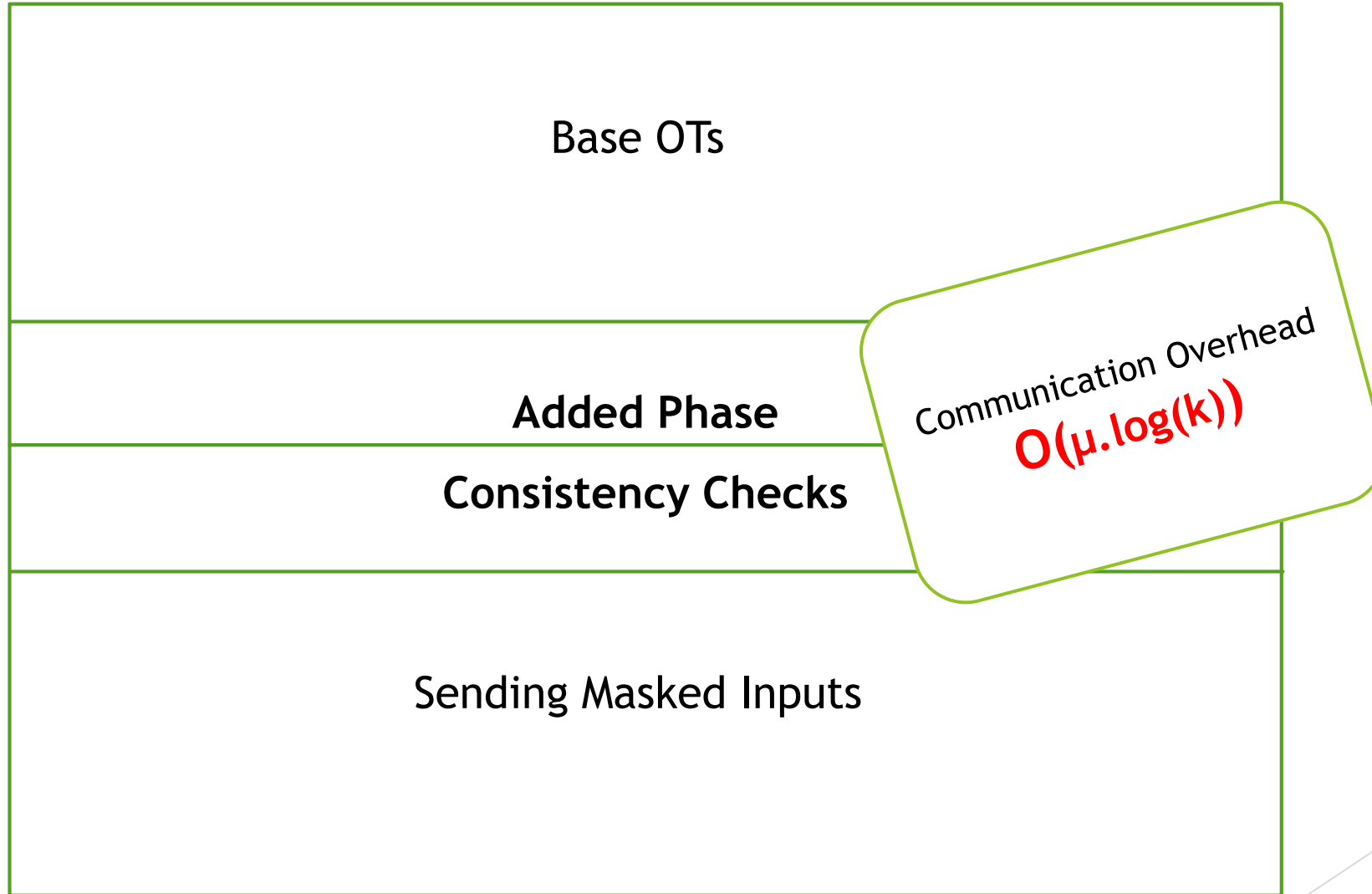
$$H(\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{q}_1 \oplus (\mathbf{C}_1 \odot \mathbf{S})) = H(\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{t}_1 \oplus (\underbrace{\mathbf{D}_{r_1} \oplus \mathbf{C}_1}_{\text{Hamming weight } \geq k/2}) \odot \mathbf{S})$$

Hamming weight $\geq k/2$
(Walsh - Hadamard Codes)

Requirement : Ensure that rows of \mathbf{D} matrix are codewords

$$\mathbf{q}_i = \mathbf{t}_i \oplus (\mathbf{C}_{r_i} \odot \mathbf{S})$$

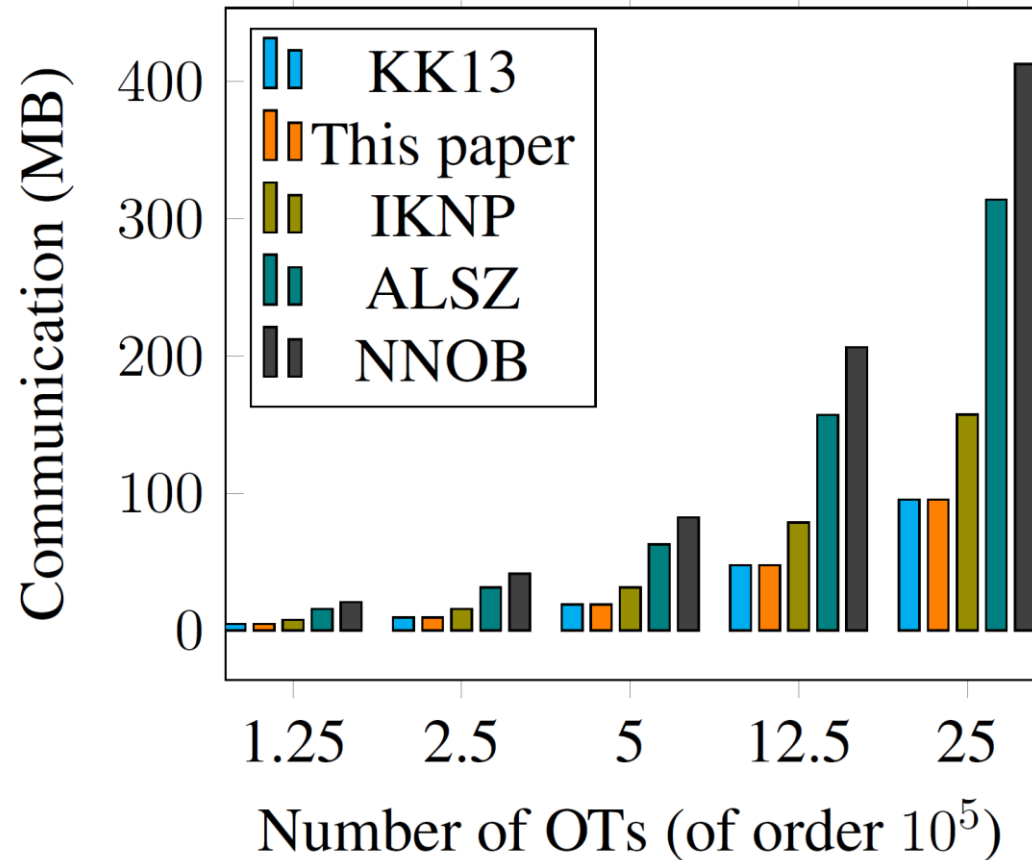
Our Actively Secure OT Extension Protocol



Implementation Results

Comparison with KK13

- Communication Complexity : **0.028%** overhead
- Runtime : **3% - 6%** overhead (in both LAN and WAN)



THANK YOU



Questions ??

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