Efficient FHEW Bootstrapping with Small Evaluation Keys, and Applications to Threshold Homomorphic Encryption

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Definition (Blind Rotation)

A blind rotation is an algorithm that takes as input a ring element $f \in \mathcal{R}_Q$, an LWE_{2N,s} ciphertext $(\vec{\alpha}, \beta) \in \mathbb{Z}_{2N}^{n+1}$, and blind rotation keys $\operatorname{brk}_{z,s}$ corresponding to secrets z and \vec{s} . It outputs an RLWE ciphertext of the form:

$$\mathsf{RLWE}_{Q,\boldsymbol{z}}\left(\boldsymbol{f}\cdot X^{\beta+\langle \vec{\alpha}, \vec{s} \rangle}\right) \in \mathcal{R}_Q^2.$$

- A crucial component of bootstrapping for FHEW-like HE
- It enables decryption of LWE ciphertext in the exponent of the output
- The constant term of the output is f_{-u} , where $u=eta+\langleec{lpha},ec{s}
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In the toy example:

- $\mathsf{RGSW}(X^{s_i})$ to add s_i to the exponent
- EvalAuto to multiply $lpha_i$ in the exponent
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- Generation of $RGSW_{z_*}(X_{*,i}^s)$:
 - Each participant generates the partial encryption

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- Then, each party sends $brk_{i,i}^{Thr}$ to the computing party.
- The computing party calculates $\mathtt{brk}_i^{Thr} = \mathtt{RGSW}_{\boldsymbol{z}_*}(X^{s_{*,i}})$:

$$\mathtt{brk}_i^{Thr} := \prod_{j \in J} \mathtt{brk}_{j,i}^{Thr} = \prod_{j \in J} \mathsf{RGSW}_{\boldsymbol{z}_*}(X^{s_{j,i}}) = \mathsf{RGSW}_{\boldsymbol{z}_*}(X^{s_{*,i}}).$$

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