

# Analysis on Sliced Garbling via Algebraic Approach

## How to algebraically represent garbled circuits

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GC is a crypto primitive for secure 2-party computation.

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- Mostly, based on symmetric primitives.
- But, communication cost scales with the circuit size.

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- **Evaluator** can decrypt only the row corresponding to the inputs to the gates.

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# Recent Improvements & Our Contributions

Mostly, devoted to reduce **communication costs**.

	AND	XOR
Yao's GC [Yao86]	$4\kappa$	$4\kappa$
Row reduction [NPS99]	$3\kappa$	$3\kappa$
Free-XOR [KS08]	$3\kappa$	0
Half-gate [ZRE15]	$2\kappa$	0
Three-halves [RR21]	$\approx (3/2)\kappa$	0
Sliced GC [AHS24]	$\approx (4/3)\kappa?$	0

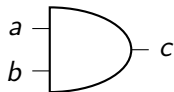
Table:  $\kappa$ : security parameter.

**Our Contribution:** We show that Sliced GC [AHS24] is insecure!

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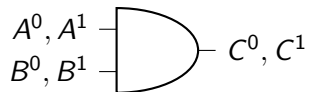
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- **Garbler** assigns  $\kappa$ -bit wire labels for each wires.
  - $(A^0, A^1)$  correspond to  $(0, 1)$  on the wire  $a$ .
  - Similarly for the others.



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- **Basic Idea:** Garbler encrypts  $C^{F(i,j)}$  using  $(A^i, B^j)$  as one-time pad keys.

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$A^0$	$B^0$	$C^0$
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 $\Rightarrow$ 

$$\begin{aligned}
 G^{0,0} &= C^0 \oplus H(A^0, B^0) \\
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- **Basic Idea:** Given  $(A^1, B^0)$ , Evaluator decrypts  $G_{1,0}$  using  $(A^1, B^0)$  as one-time pad keys.

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## GC size – Yao's GC

The number of ctexts is 4.

Thus, the GC size is  $4\kappa$ -bit.

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We assume the point-and-permute & Free-XOR techniques.

Garbler chooses<sup>1</sup>

- **(Global Offset)**  $\Delta \in \{0, 1\}^\kappa$  s.t.  $lsb(\Delta) = 1$ .
- **(Input Labels)**  $A^0 \in \{0, 1\}^\kappa$  corresponding to the truth value 0. Set  $A^1 = A^0 + \Delta$ .
  - $A_x^u$ : where  $u$ : underlying truth value and  $x$ : least significant bit (lsb).
  - If **Evaluator** holds  $A_x^u$ , the *color bit*  $x$  is visible to **Evaluator**, where the underlying value is  $u = x + \alpha$  for the *permute bit*  $\alpha = lsb(A^0)$ .

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<sup>1</sup>Additions below are all over  $\mathbf{F}_2$ .



# Garbling XOR, AND gates

Denote  $u := x + \alpha$  and  $v := y + \beta$ .

**(XOR gates)** Garbling XOR gates requires no ciphertext.

Set  $C := C^0 = A^0 + B^0$  corresponds to 0.

Given  $(A_x^u, B_y^v)$  for some  $x, y \in \{0, 1\}$ , Evaluator knows

$$C^{u+v} = C + (u + v)\Delta = A_x^u + B_y^v.$$

**(AND gates)** Given  $(A_x^u, B_y^v)$ , Evaluator wants to know

$$C^{uv} = C + uv\Delta = C + (x + \alpha)(y + \beta)\Delta.$$

$\Rightarrow$  Recent works focus on improving garbling *AND gates*.

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# Algebraic View on Garbling – Yao's GC

Motivated by linear-algebraic representation of GC equation [RR21], we provide our *algebraic view* on GC.

## Examples (Yao's GC – Evaluator's view)

Given  $(A_x^u, B_y^v)$  for *some*  $x, y \in \{0, 1\}$  and ciphertexts  $G_{0,0}, \dots, G_{1,1}$ , obtain  $C^{uv} = C + uv\Delta$  by computing

$$C + uv\Delta = G_{x,y} + H(A_x, B_y).$$

- Garbler's goal: set  $C$  and  $G_{i,j}$ 's so that the equation holds for *all*  $x, y \in \mathbf{F}_2$ .
- Rearrange the above equation so that  $C$  and  $G$  are on the left-hand side.

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Given  $(A_x, B_y)$  for *all*  $x, y \in \{0, 1\}$ , Garbler should set  $G_{0,0}, \dots, G_{1,1}$  and  $C$  such that

$$\underbrace{C + G_{x,y}}_{\text{should be determined by Garbler}} = H(A_x, B_y) + uv\Delta.$$

- Garbler determine the variables on the left-hand side from the values on the right-hand side.

# Algebraic View on Garbling – Yao's GC

View the equation as a polynomial over  $\mathbf{F}_2^k[x, y]/(x^2 + x, y^2 + y)$  using the Lagrange polynomials.<sup>2</sup>

$$C + \underbrace{G_{x,y}}_{(x+1)(y+1)G_{0,0}+\dots} = \underbrace{H(A_x, B_y)}_{(x+1)(y+1)H(A_0, B_0)+\dots} + (x + \alpha)(y + \beta)\Delta$$

## Observation:

- Both sides are *quadratic* polynomials.
- Garbler determines  $C$  and  $G_{i,j}$  by comparing the coefficients of *four* monomials  $1, x, y, xy$ .
  - Ex.  $C + G_{0,0} = H(A_0, B_0) + \alpha\beta\Delta$  from the constant term.
- (Row reduction) Only *four* variables are enough to determine the equation.
  - $\Rightarrow$  One is for  $C$ , the other three is for ciphertexts.

<sup>2</sup>As  $x, y \in \mathbf{F}_2$ , it holds  $x^2 = x$  and  $y^2 = y$ .

# Algebraic View on Garbling – Half-gate

- Half-gate GC [ZRE15] only requires 2 ciphertexts for garbling AND gates.
- Garbler generates  $C$  and two ciphertexts  $G_1, G_2$  as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}C &= H(A) + H(B) + \alpha\beta\Delta \\G_1 &= H(A) + H(A + \Delta) + \beta\Delta \\G_2 &= H(B) + H(B + \Delta) + A + \alpha\Delta\end{aligned}$$

- Given  $(A_x, B_y)$ , Evaluator gets  $C^{(x+\alpha)(y+\beta)} = C + (x + \alpha)(y + \beta)\Delta$  by computing

$$\underbrace{C + (x + \alpha)(y + \beta)\Delta}_{\text{correspond to } (x+\alpha)(y+\beta)} = \underbrace{xG_1 + yG_2 + H(A_x) + H(B_y) + yA_x}_{\text{computed by Ev}}$$

# Algebraic View on Garbling – Half-gate

How does it work?

Similarly, rearrange and rewrite the previous equation as a polynomial.

$$C + xG_1 + yG_2 = \underbrace{H(A_x)}_{(x+1)H(A_0)+xH(A_1)} + \underbrace{H(B_y)}_{\dots} + \underbrace{yA_x}_{y(A+x\Delta)} + (x + \alpha)(y + \beta)\Delta.$$

## Observation:

- $H(A_x) + H(B_y)$  is a linear polynomial.
- The quadratic term  $(x + \alpha)(y + \beta)\Delta$  is inevitable if we aim to garble AND gates.
- To enforce the right-hand side to be linear, the term  $yA_x$  is introduced so that the quadratic term  $xy\Delta$  cancels out.
- $C$  and  $G_1, G_2$  are determined by comparing the coefficients of the monomials  $1, x, y$ .  
 $\Rightarrow$  *Two* ciphertexts are enough to garble AND gates!

# Construction of GC

In a nutshell, construction of GC is to establish a suitable garbling equation, which mostly follows the direction:

- 1 **Determine the type** of random oracle queries on the input labels.
  - E.g.  $H(A_x, B_y)$  in Yao's GC and  $H(A_x) + H(B_y)$  in half-gate GC.
- 2 It will automatically determine **a polynomial subspace** spanned by these random oracle queries.
  - E.g. the space of quadratic/linear polynomials in Yao's GC/half-gate GC, resp.
- 3 **Adjust the term**  $uv\Delta = (x + \alpha)(y + \beta)\Delta$  in order that it belongs to the same space.
  - E.g. Yao's GC requires no adjustment. In half-gate scheme, the term  $yA_x$  has been introduced to cancel out the quadratic term.
- 4 On the left-hand side, consider the same space generated with the variables  $C$  and  $G$ 's, then **compare the both sides** to set the variables.



# Algebraic View on Garbling – Three-halves

[RR21] further reduces GC size from  $2\kappa$  to  $1.5\kappa$ .

**Clever Ideas:** Slice wire labels into two parts, e.g.  $A = (A^L \| A^R)$ . Let Evaluator compute each half of the output label as<sup>3</sup>

$$\begin{aligned}C^L + (x + \alpha)(y + \beta)\Delta^L &= H(A_x) + H(A_x + B_y) + \dots \\C^R + (x + \alpha)(y + \beta)\Delta^R &= H(B_y) + H(A_x + B_y) + \dots\end{aligned}$$

**Note:** With the Free-XOR,

$$A_0 + B_1 = A_1 + B_0 \text{ and } A_0 + B_0 = A_1 + B_1.$$

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<sup>3</sup> $H$  is now half-sized.

# Algebraic View on Garbling – Three-halves

Consider the space spanned by (again using the Lagrange polynomials)

$$\begin{pmatrix} H(A_x) + H(A_x + B_y) \\ H(B_y) + H(A_x + B_y) \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{M} \begin{pmatrix} H(A_0) \\ H(A_1) \\ H(B_0) \\ H(B_1) \\ H(A_0 + B_0) \\ H(A_0 + B_1) \end{pmatrix},$$

where

$$\mathbf{M} := \begin{pmatrix} x+1 & x & 0 & 0 & x+y+1 & x+y \\ 0 & 0 & y+1 & y & x+y+1 & x+y \end{pmatrix}.$$

**Observation:**  $\dim(\text{col.sp}(\mathbf{M})) = 5$ .

$\Rightarrow$  Two variables for  $C^L$  and  $C^R$ , and three variables for ciphertexts.

Each ciphertexts is of  $\kappa/2$ -bit. Thus the total GC size would be  $(3/2)\kappa$ .

# Algebraic View on Garbling – Three-halves

Let the both sides of GC equation be in the same space as  $\text{span}(\mathbf{M})$ . And write the GC equation (from the garbler's view) as follows:

$$\underbrace{\mathbf{W} \begin{pmatrix} C^L \\ C^R \\ G_1 \\ G_2 \\ G_3 \end{pmatrix}}_{\text{span}(\mathbf{W})=\text{span}(\mathbf{M})} = \underbrace{\mathbf{M} \begin{pmatrix} H(A_0) \\ H(A_1) \\ H(B_0) \\ H(B_1) \\ H(A_0 + B_0) \\ H(A_0 + B_1) \end{pmatrix}}_{\in \text{span}(\mathbf{M})} + \underbrace{\mathbf{R}_A \vec{A}_x + \mathbf{R}_B \vec{B}_y + (x + \alpha)(y + \beta) \vec{\Delta}}_{(*)}.$$

For the correctness,

- $\mathbf{W}$  is a column-reduced matrix of  $\mathbf{M}$ , i.e.  $\text{span}(\mathbf{W}) = \text{span}(\mathbf{M})$ .
- The matrices  $\mathbf{R}_A, \mathbf{R}_B$  control the term  $(*)$  containing  $(x + \alpha)(y + \beta) \vec{\Delta}$  belongs to  $\text{span}(\mathbf{M})$ .

# Algebraic View on Garbling – Three-halves

- We have

$$\mathbf{W} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & x & 0 & x+y \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & y & x+y \end{pmatrix}$$

- The term (\*) also belongs to  $\text{span}(\mathbf{M}) = \text{span}(\mathbf{W})$ , i.e.

$$\mathbf{R}_A \vec{A}_x + \mathbf{R}_B \vec{B}_y + (x + \alpha)(y + \beta) \vec{\Delta} \in \text{span}(\mathbf{W}) \quad (1)$$

Completing the GC equation amounts to find  $\mathbf{R}_A$  and  $\mathbf{R}_B$ .

**Notes:** With their linear-algebraic view in [RR21], they find  $\mathbf{R}_A$  and  $\mathbf{R}_B$  (which are  $8 \times 6$  binary matrix for each) by exhaustive computer search. Our algebraic view simplifies this task.

# Algebraic View on Garbling – Three-halves

**Notes on  $\text{span}(\mathbf{W})$ :** Observe that

$$\mathbf{W} \begin{pmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \\ z_3 \\ z_4 \\ z_5 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} z_1 + (z_3 + z_5)x + z_5y \\ z_2 + z_5x + (z_4 + z_5)y \end{pmatrix}.$$

We see that

- It consists of only *linear* polynomials.
- ( $y$ -coefficient on the top) = ( $x$ -coefficient on the bottom)

We shall use these relations to find a correct GC equation.

# Algebraic View on Garbling – Three-halves

Let us write  $\mathbf{R}_A = \mathbf{R}_{A,0} + x\mathbf{R}_{A,1} + y\mathbf{R}_{A,2}$  and similarly for  $\mathbf{R}_B$ .  
Finding  $\mathbf{R}_A$  and  $\mathbf{R}_B$  satisfying Eq. (1) yields

$$\mathbf{R}_{A,1} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & a_2 \\ a_3 & a_4 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{R}_{A,2} = \begin{bmatrix} a_3 & a_4 \\ b_3 & b_4 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{R}_{A,0} = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 & c_2 \\ c_3 & c_4 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$\mathbf{R}_{B,1} = \begin{bmatrix} a_3 + 1 & a_4 \\ b_3 & b_4 + 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{R}_{B,2} = \begin{bmatrix} b_3 & b_4 + 1 \\ e_3 & e_4 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{R}_{B,0} = \begin{bmatrix} f_1 & f_2 \\ f_3 & f_4 \end{bmatrix},$$

where  $f_1 = a_3 + b_3 + c_3 + \alpha$  and  $f_2 = a_4 + b_4 + c_4 + \beta + 1$ .

**Note:** We only need some algebra to solve  $\mathbf{R}_A$  and  $\mathbf{R}_B$  instead of the exhaustive computer search as in RR21.

# Algebraic View on Garbling – Three-halves

**Dicing Technique:** Note that  $\mathbf{R}_A$  and  $\mathbf{R}_B$  contain information on  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  that leaks information on the private inputs!

What **Evaluator** indeed needs is the values of  $\mathbf{R}_A$  and  $\mathbf{R}_B$  at  $(x, y) = (i, j)$  for her input  $(A_i, B_j)$ .

**Garbler** generates *additional* ciphertexts in a way that Evaluator only obtains  $\mathbf{R}_A(i, j)$  and  $\mathbf{R}_B(i, j)$ .

For instance, consider the first column of  $\mathbf{R}_A$ , the additional ciphertexts satisfy

$$\mathbf{W} \begin{pmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \\ z_3 \\ z_4 \\ z_5 \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{M}\vec{H} + \begin{pmatrix} c_1 + a_1x + a_3y \\ c_3 + a_3x + b_3y \end{pmatrix}.$$

# Algebraic View on Garbling – Three-halves

**Note:** The dicing technique in RR21 does not leak information on the inputs:

I.e. from  $\mathbf{R}_A(i,j)$  and  $\mathbf{R}_B(i,j)$ , Evaluator cannot infer information on  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ .

But, this is not the case for AHS24 construction.



**Sliced Garbling:** A main feature of AHS24 is as follows:

- **(3-sliced)** It uses 3-sliced wire labels, i.e.  $A = (A^1 \| A^2 \| A^3)$ .
- **(target gates)** It targets garbling the 3-input gate  $g(u, v, w) = u(v + w)$ .
- **(oracle queries)** It uses

$$\begin{aligned} D^1 + g(u, v, w)\Delta^1 &= H(A_x) + H(B_y) + H(A_x + B_y + C_z) + \dots \\ D^2 + g(u, v, w)\Delta^2 &= H(B_y) + H(C_z) + H(A_x + B_y + C_z) + \dots \\ D^3 + g(u, v, w)\Delta^3 &= H(A_x) + H(C_z) + H(A_x + B_y + C_z) + \dots, \end{aligned}$$

where  $(u, v, w) = (x + \alpha, y + \beta, z + \gamma)$ .

# Overview on AHS24 – Sliced Garbling

**Sliced Garbling:** A main feature of AHS24 is as follows:

- The  $\vec{H}$  is defined as:

$$\vec{H} := \left( H(A_0) \ H(A_1) \ H(B_0) \ H(B_1) \ H(C_0) \ H(C_1) \ H(A_0+B_0+C_0) \ H(A_0+B_0+C_1) \right)^T.$$

- Then the matrix  $\mathbf{M}$  for AHS24 is of the form:

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{pmatrix} x+1 & x & y+1 & y & 0 & 0 & x+y+z+1 & x+y+z \\ 0 & 0 & y+1 & y & z+1 & z & x+y+z+1 & x+y+z \\ x+1 & x & 0 & 0 & z+1 & z & x+y+z+1 & x+y+z \end{pmatrix}$$

- The column-reduced matrix  $\mathbf{W}$  is of the form:

$$\mathbf{W} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & x & y & 0 & x+y+z \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & y & z & x+y+z \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & x & 0 & z & x+y+z \end{pmatrix}$$

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- Thus,  $\dim(\text{span}(\mathbf{M})) = \dim(\text{span}(\mathbf{W})) = 7$ .
- Among them, 4 will contribute to the ciphertexts, and each of ctexts is  $\kappa/3$ -bit.
- If the construction works, then its cost will be  $(4/3)\kappa$ -bit, smaller than  $(3/2)\kappa$ .
- But, AHS24 leaks information on  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ .

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# Analysis on Sliced Garbling: Main Results

From our algebraic view, we write the GC equation for AHS24 as follows:

$$\mathbf{W}\vec{G} = \mathbf{M}\vec{H} + \underbrace{\mathbf{R}_A\vec{A}_x + \mathbf{R}_B\vec{B}_y + \mathbf{R}_C\vec{C}_z + g(x + \alpha, y + \beta, z + \gamma)\vec{\Delta}}_{\text{should belong to } \text{span}(\mathbf{M})},$$

where  $\vec{G} := (D^1, D^2, D^3, G_1, G_2, G_3, G_4)^\top$ .

# Analysis on Sliced Garbling: Main Results

**Notes on  $\text{span}(\mathbf{W})$ :** Observe that

$$\mathbf{W} \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \\ v_4 \\ v_5 \\ v_6 \\ v_7 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} v_1 + x(v_4 + v_7) + y(v_5 + v_7) + z v_7 \\ v_2 + x v_7 + y(v_5 + v_7) + z(v_6 + v_7) \\ v_3 + x(v_4 + v_7) + y v_7 + z(v_6 + v_7) \end{pmatrix}$$
$$:= \vec{v}_0 + \vec{v}_1 x + \vec{v}_2 y + \vec{v}_3 z.$$

# Analysis on Sliced Garbling: Main Results

More formally, we interpret this condition with linear algebra:

$$\vec{v} = \vec{v}_0 + \vec{v}_1x + \vec{v}_2y + \vec{v}_3z \in \text{span}(\mathbf{W})$$

if and only if

$$\mathbf{P}_1\vec{v}_1 + \mathbf{P}_2\vec{v}_2 + \mathbf{P}_3\vec{v}_3 = 0,$$

where

$$(\mathbf{P}_1 \mid \mathbf{P}_2 \mid \mathbf{P}_3) = \left( \begin{array}{ccc|ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{array} \right).$$

# Analysis on Sliced Garbling: Main Results

We can provide explicit formulas for  $\mathbf{R}_A$ ,  $\mathbf{R}_B$  and  $\mathbf{R}_C$ .

$$\mathbf{R}_A = \begin{pmatrix} a_0 & b_0 & c_0 \\ a_1 & b_1 & c_1 \\ a_0 + \beta + \gamma & b_0 c_0 + \beta + \gamma & \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} a_3 & b_3 & c_3 \\ a_4 & b_4 & c_4 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 \end{pmatrix} x$$
$$+ \begin{pmatrix} a_4 + 1 & b_4 & c_4 + 1 \\ a_4 + 1 & b_4 & c_4 + 1 \\ a_4 & b_4 & c_4 \end{pmatrix} y + \begin{pmatrix} a_4 & b_4 & c_4 \\ a_4 + 1 & b_4 & c_4 + 1 \\ a_4 + 1 & b_4 & c_4 + 1 \end{pmatrix} z$$

$$\mathbf{R}_B = \begin{pmatrix} d_0 & e_0 & f_0 \\ d_0 + \alpha & e_0 + \alpha & f_0 + 1 \\ a_1 + 1 & b_1 + \beta + \gamma + 1 & c_1 + \alpha + 1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} a_4 & b_4 & c_4 + 1 \\ a_4 + 1 & b_4 + 1 & c_4 + 1 \\ a_4 & b_4 & c_4 + 1 \end{pmatrix} x$$
$$+ \begin{pmatrix} d_5 & e_5 & f_5 \\ d_5 & e_5 & f_5 \\ a_4 + 1 & b_4 + 1 & c_4 + 1 \end{pmatrix} y + \begin{pmatrix} a_4 + 1 & b_4 + 1 & c_4 + 1 \\ a_4 + 1 & b_4 + 1 & c_4 + 1 \\ a_4 + 1 & b_4 + 1 & c_4 + 1 \end{pmatrix} z$$

$$\mathbf{R}_C = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 + \alpha + 1 & b_1 + \beta + \gamma + 1 & c_1 + 1 \\ g_1 & h_1 & i_1 \\ g_1 & h_1 + \alpha & i_1 + \alpha \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} a_4 + 1 & b_4 & c_4 \\ a_4 + 1 & b_4 + 1 & c_4 + 1 \\ a_4 + 1 & b_4 & c_4 \end{pmatrix} x$$
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**Note:** It leaks information on  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$ .

For instance, if Ev holds  $(A_0, B_0, C_0)$ , then he will know the constant terms of each matrix. We can generalize this to arbitrary choice of inputs.



**Concurrent work:** Recently, Fan, Lu, and Zhou also observed that Sliced Garbling is not secure. Their approach is based on a different methodology, and it only discusses the case when the color bits are  $(0, 0, 0)$ .

Thank you!  
Any question?