

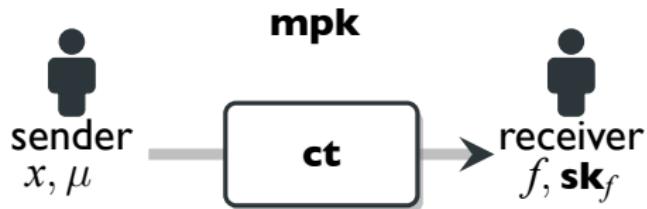
Circuit ABE with poly(depth, λ)-sized Ciphertexts and Keys from Lattices



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attribute-based encryption

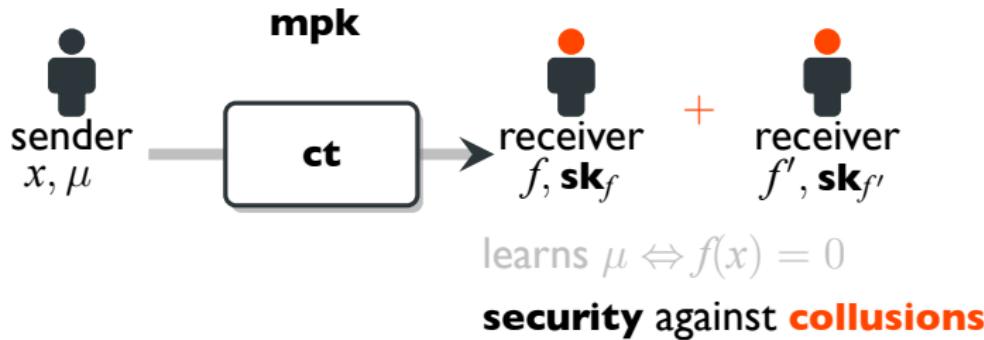
[GPSW06,SW05]



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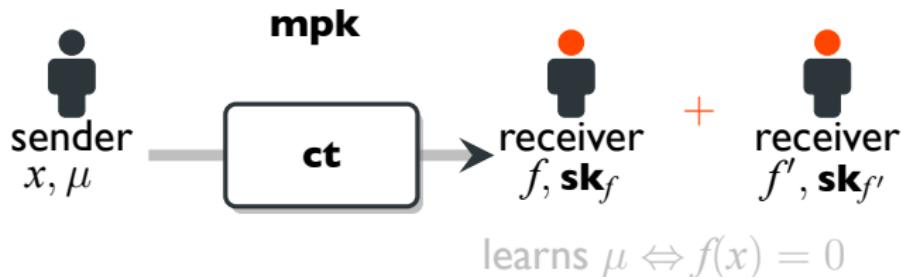
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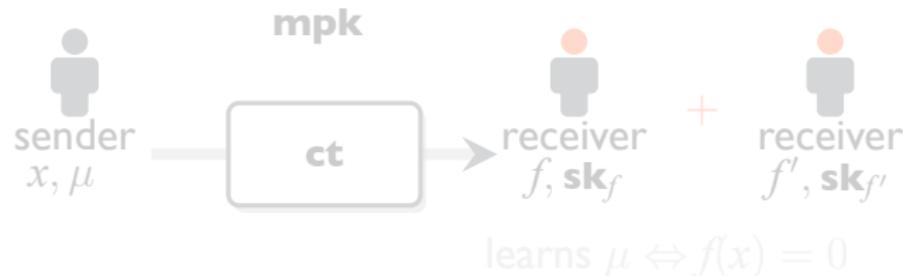


[BGGHNSVVI4, GVW13]

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[GKPVZ13, GVW15, GVW15, BV15, QWW18, PS19, CJJ21, ...]

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ℓ -succinct LWE

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proof. $\mathbf{B}_1 + \sum x_i \mathbf{W}_i = \mathbf{B}\mathbf{U} \Rightarrow \mathbf{A}_f = \mathbf{B}\mathbf{U}' - f(x)\mathbf{G}$

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