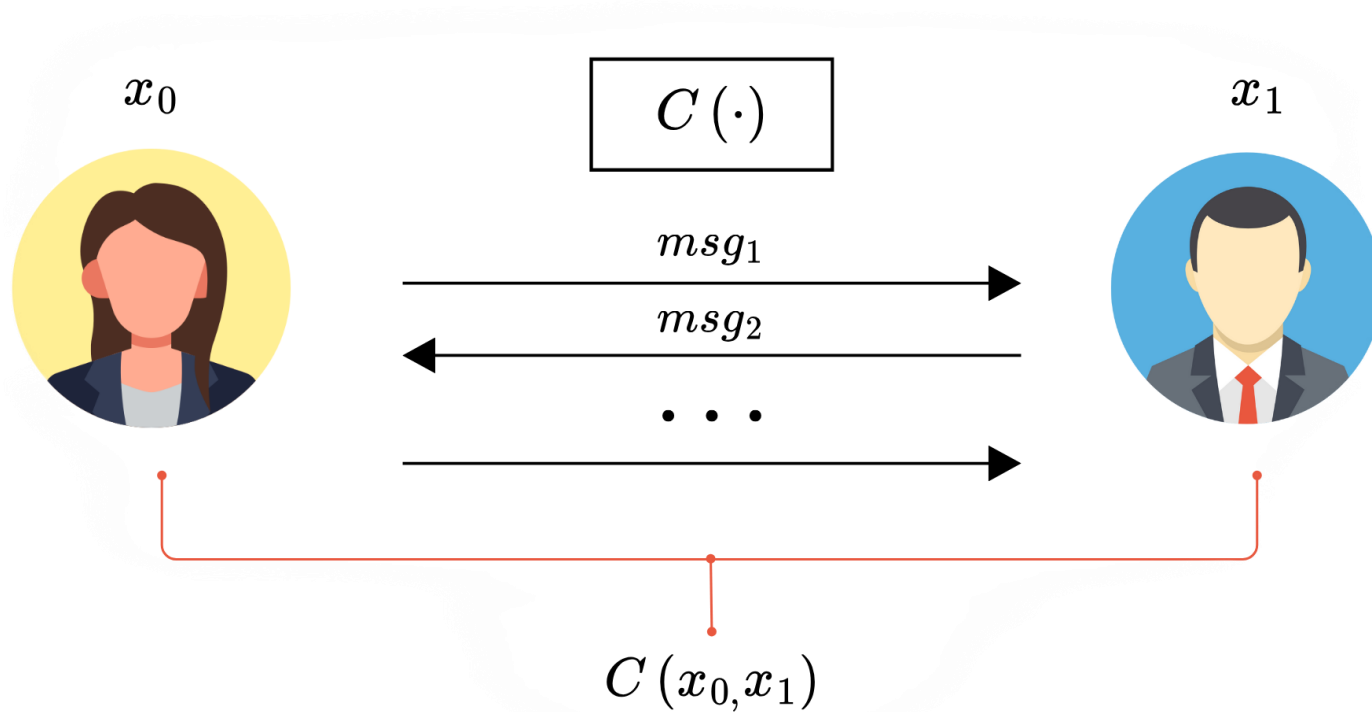


# 10-Party Sublinear Secure Computation from Standard Assumptions

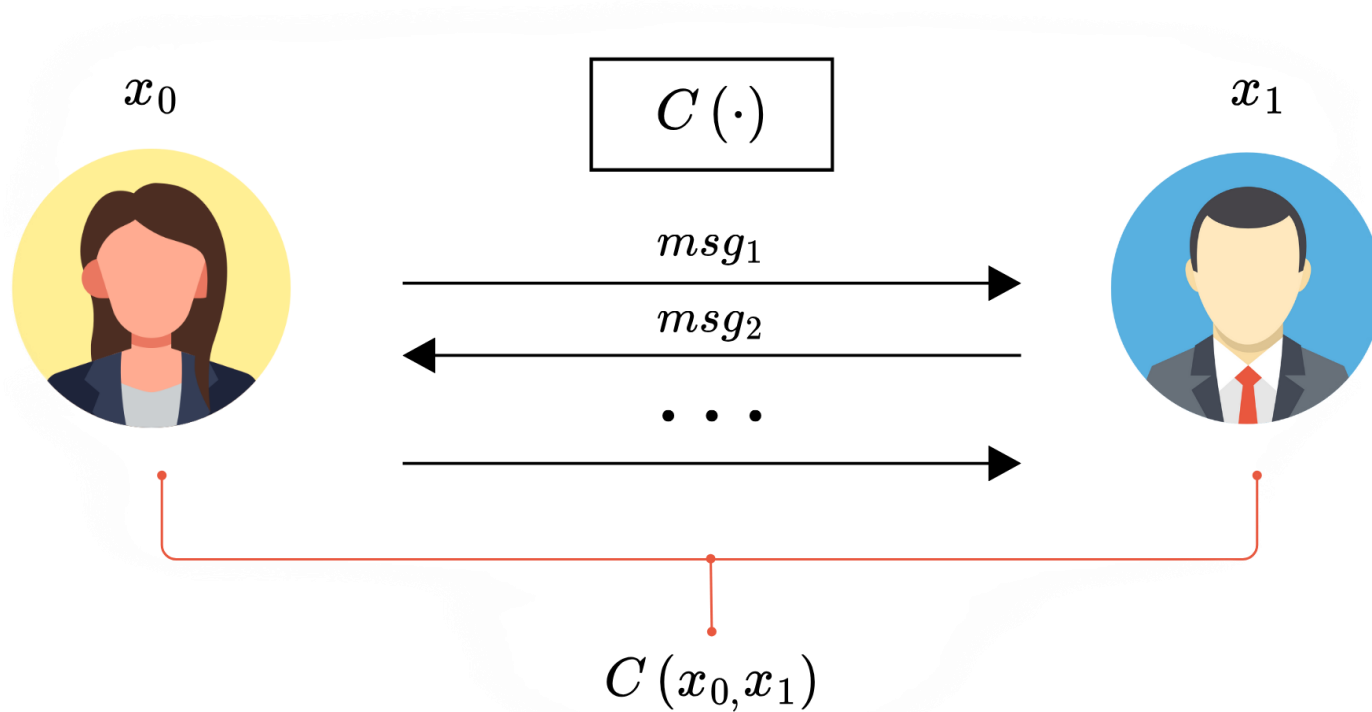
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# Sublinear Secure Computation - Motivation

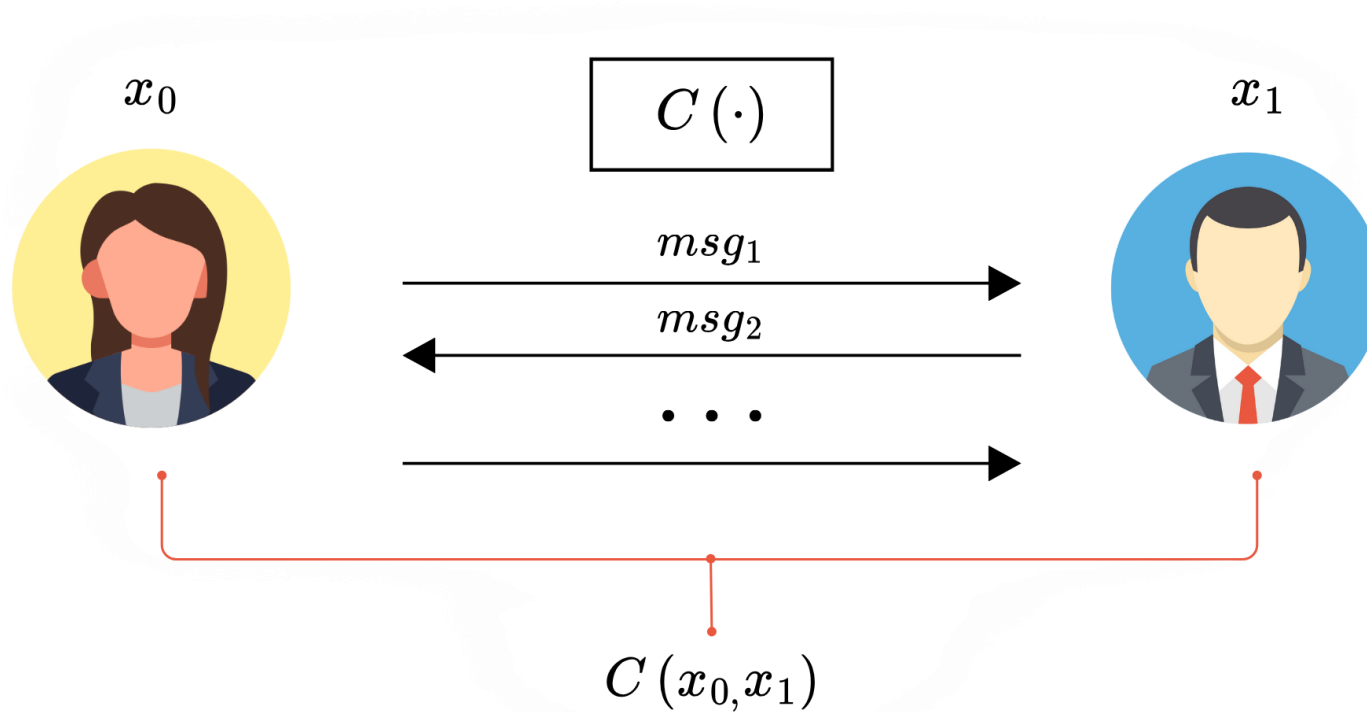


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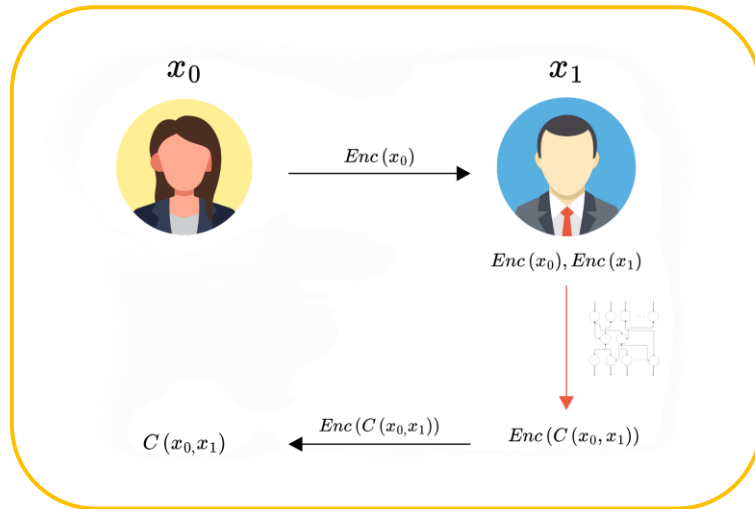
- Semi-Honest
- Dishonest Majority
- Static
- Multi-Party Setting

Circuit class:

- P/Poly (goal)
- Layered circuits

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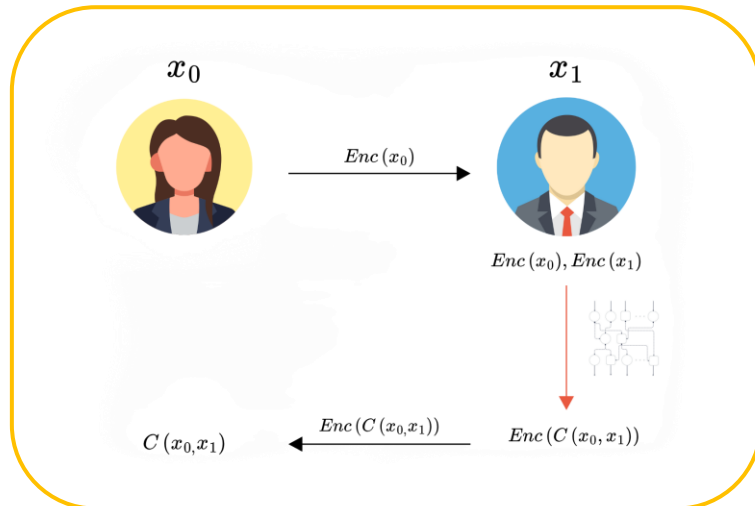
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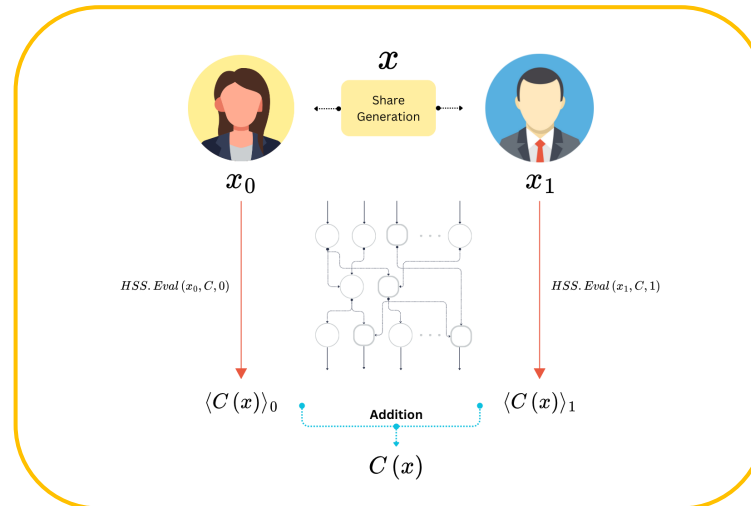
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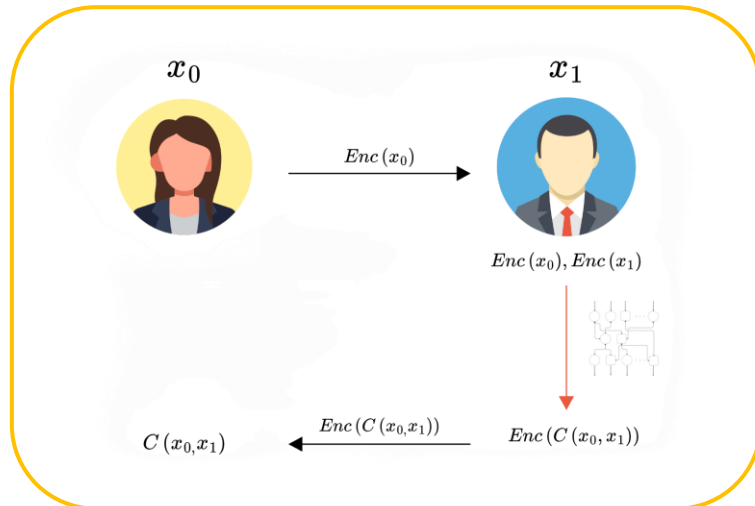
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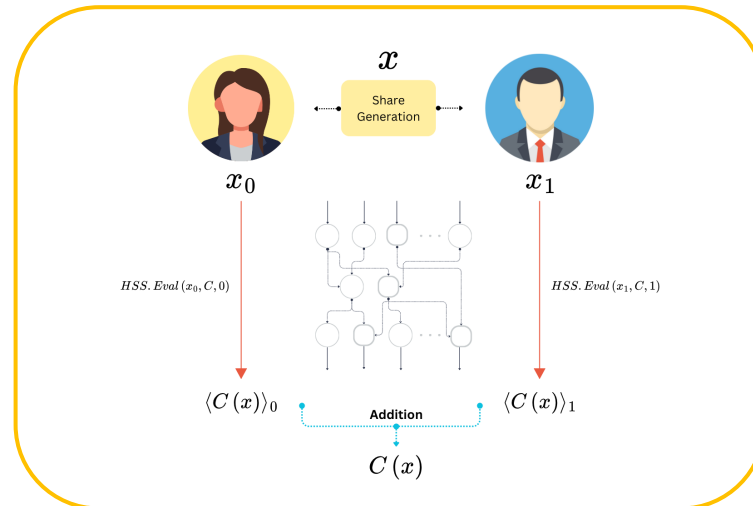
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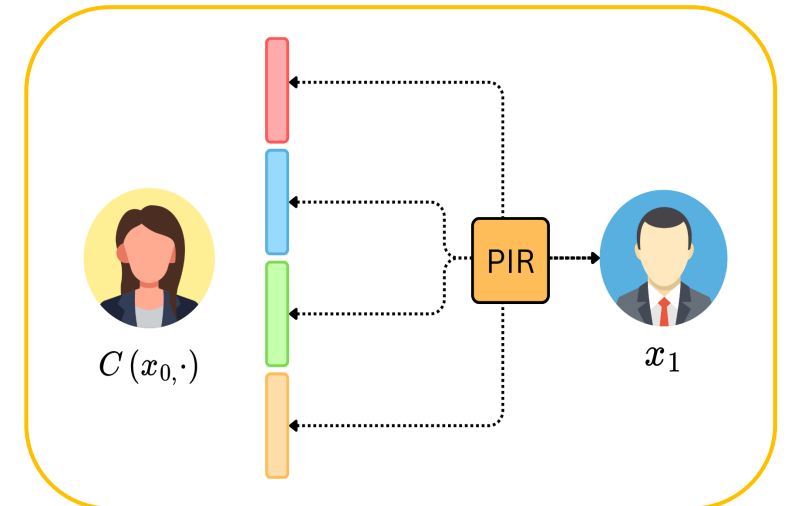
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## Correlated SPIR

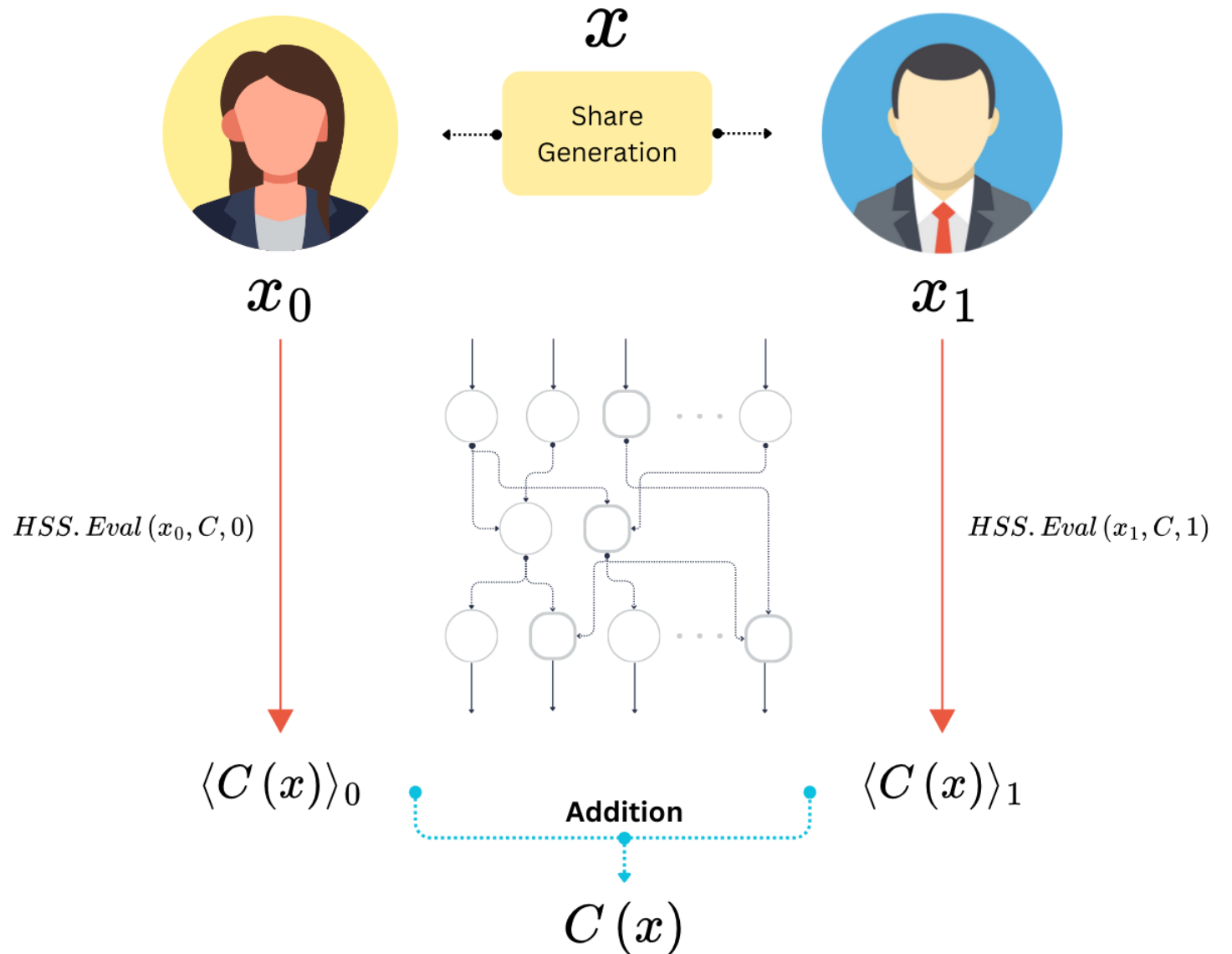
- QR/DDH + LPN
- Loglog depth, layered circuits
- Comm.  $O(n/\log \log n)$

# Homomorphic Secret Sharing

- Correctness:

$$\langle C(x) \rangle_0 + \langle C(x) \rangle_1 = C(x)$$

- Privacy:  $x_0$  and  $x_1$  hide  $x$ .





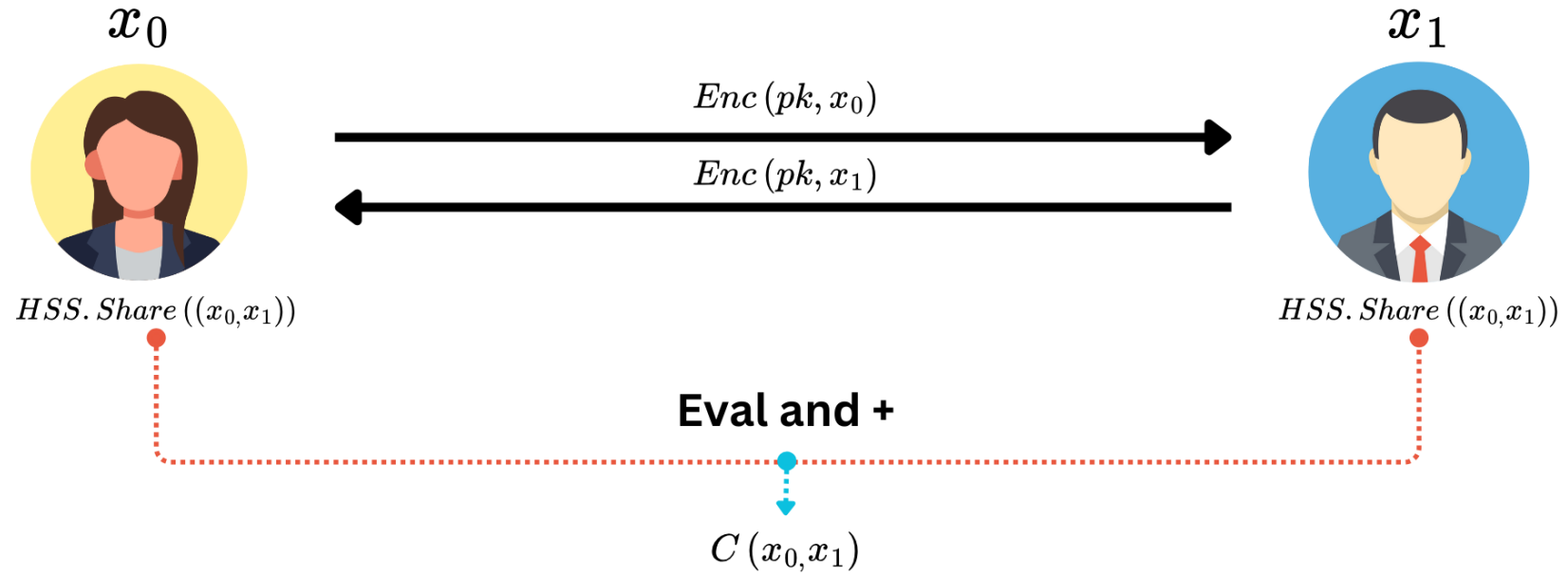
# Homomorphic Secret Sharing

	Assumptions	Circuit Class	Error Probability	Message Space
[DHRW15], [BGI15]	LWE (Spooky Encryption)	P/Poly	negligible	exponential
[BGI16]	DDH, DCR	RMS Programs*	$1/poly$	polynomial
[BKS19]	LWE	RMS Programs*	negligible	exponential
[BCGIKS19], [CM21]	(superpoly) LPN	Low-Degree Polynomials**	negligible	exponential
[OSY21], [RS21]	DCR	RMS Programs*	negligible	exponential

\*RMS Programs encapsulate branching programs as well as  $NC^1$  (log-depth) circuits.

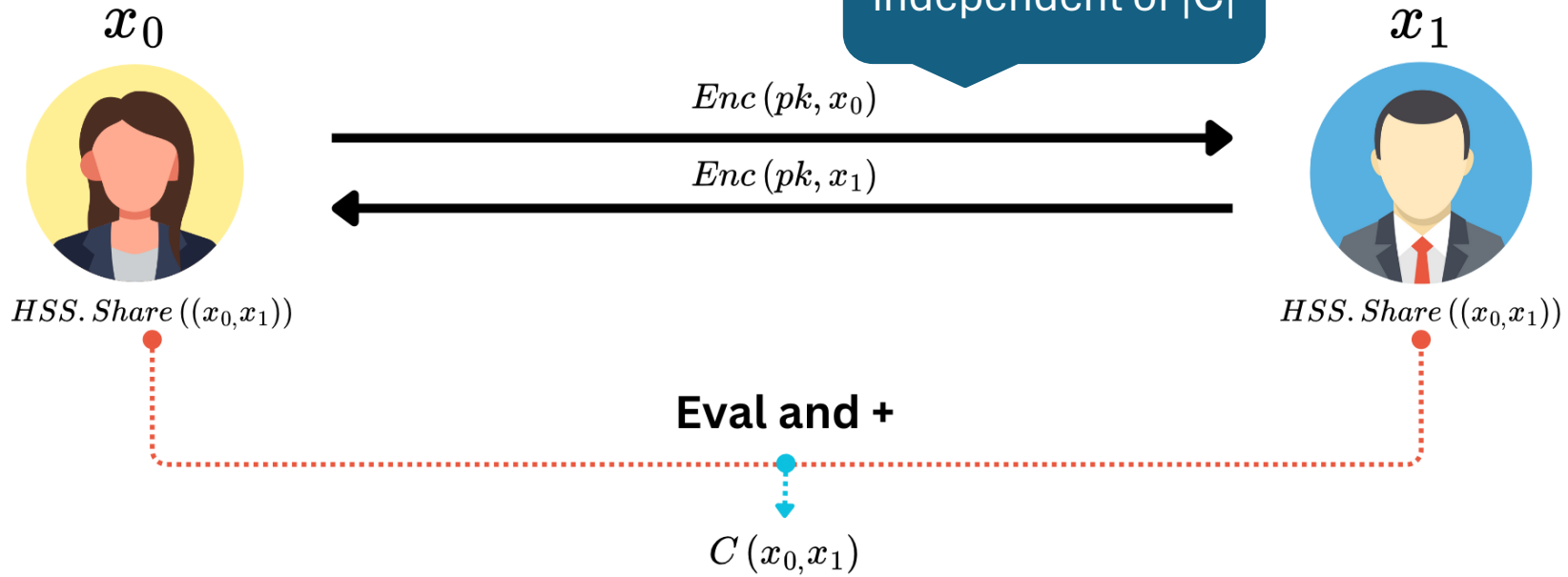
\*\* Via complexity leveraging, it is possible to gain slightly superconstant (loglog-degree) polynomials assuming superpolynomial LPN.

# Sublinear MPC from HSS



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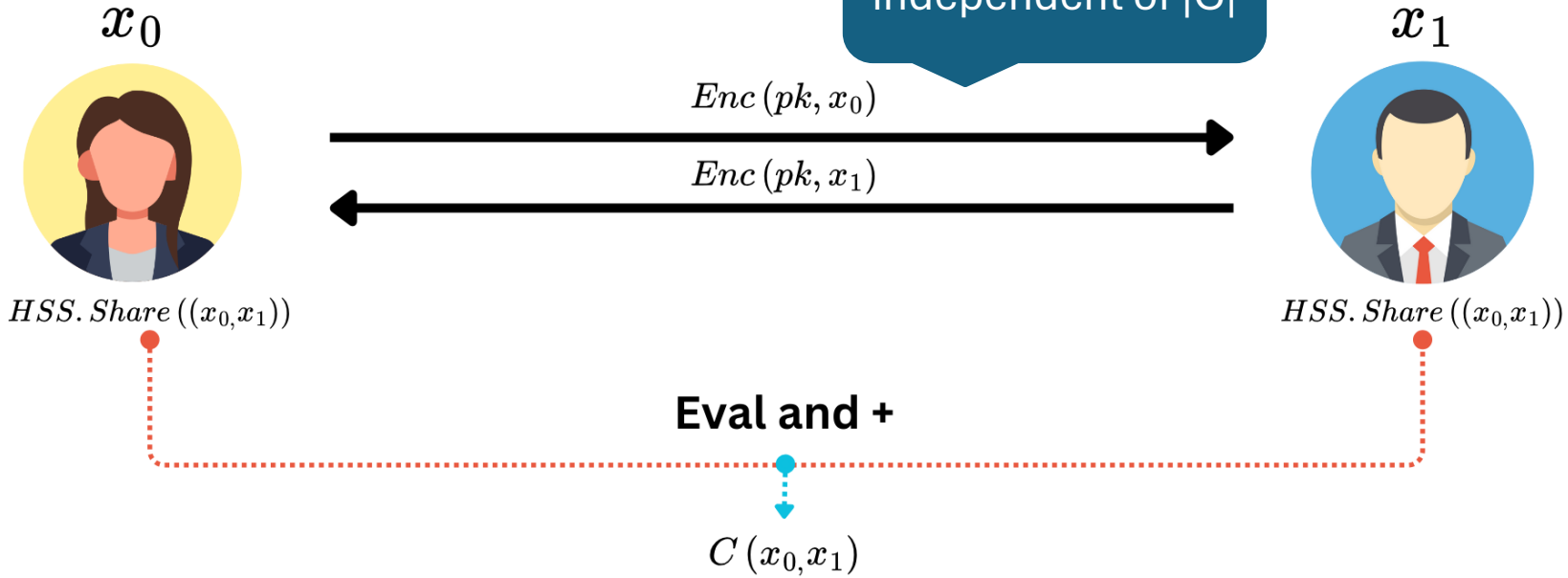
HSS for circuit class  
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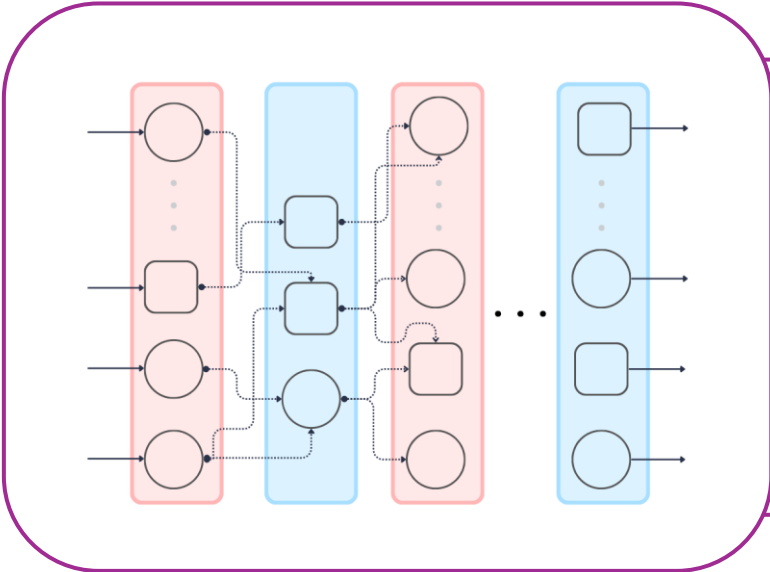
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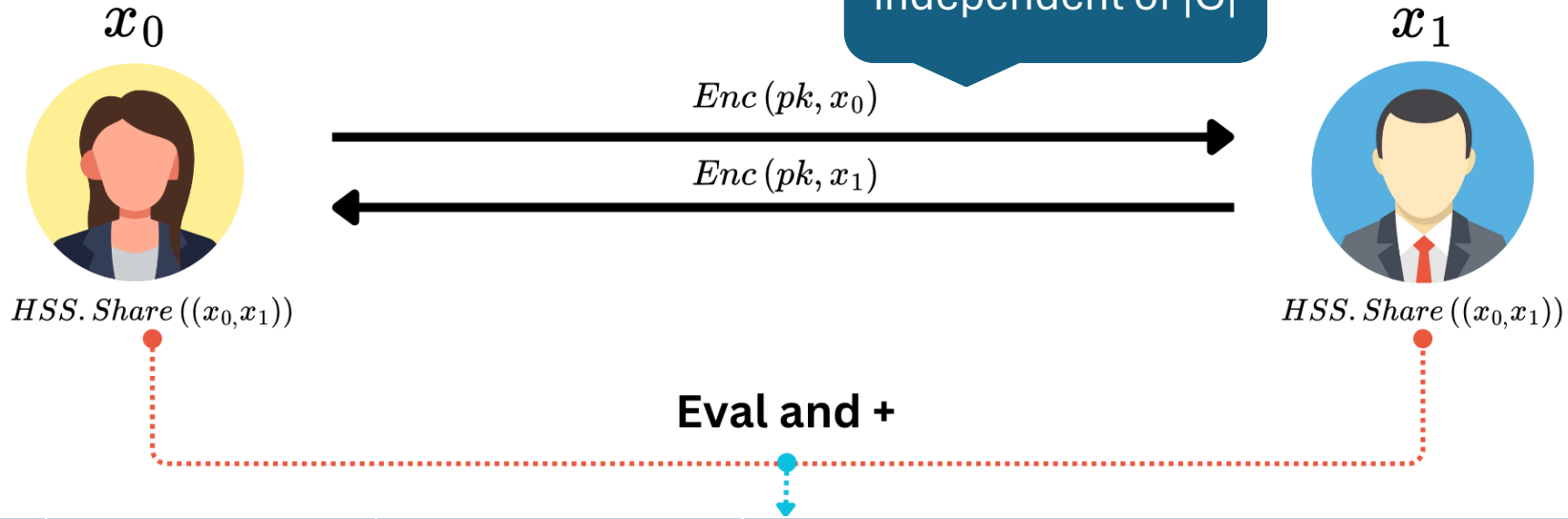
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- Extends to **Layered Circuits**
- Let depth of each layer be  
$$d = \omega(1)$$
- Then refresh after each layer
- Total communication =  $s/d$

# Sublinear MPC from HSS

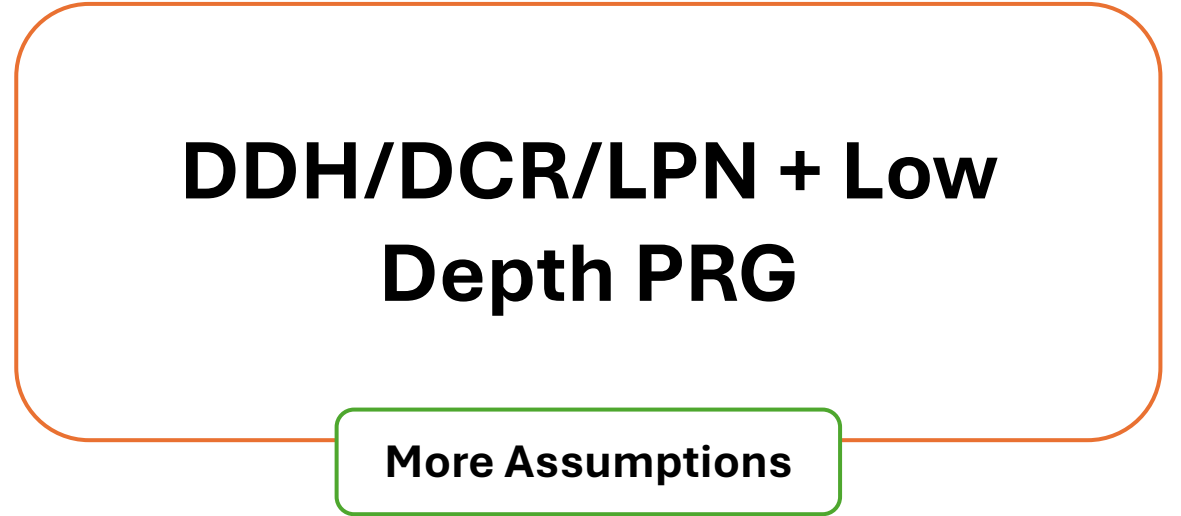
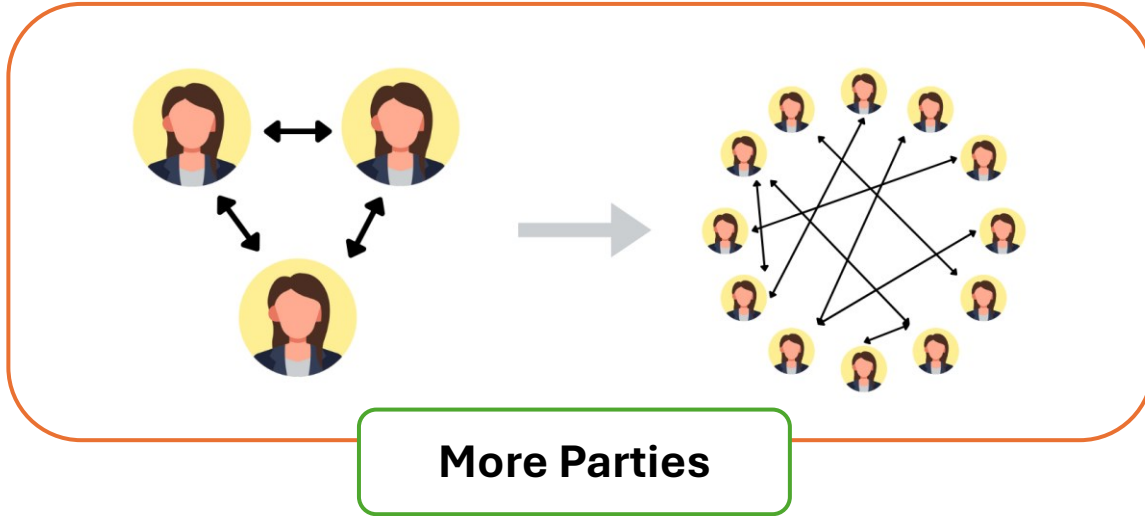
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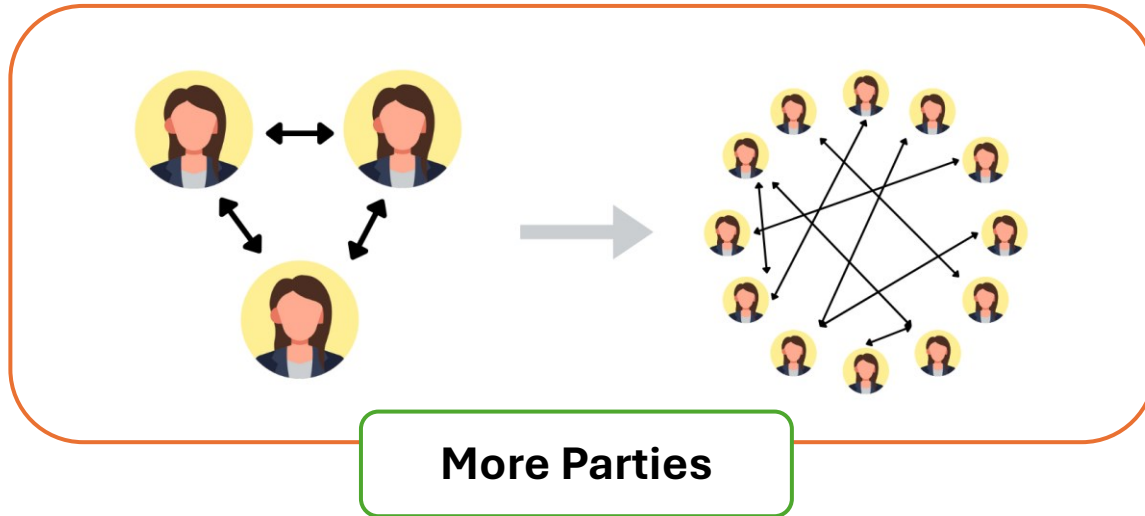
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	Assumptions	Circuit Class	Communication	No. of Parties
[Gen09]	LWE	P/Poly	$O(n + m) + poly(\lambda)$	Arbitrary
[BG16]	DDH	Layered Circuits	$O(n + m) + O(s/\log s)$	2
[OSY21], [RS21]	DCR	Layered Circuits	$O(n + m) + O(s/\log s)$	2
[CM21]	Superpoly LPN	Layered Circuits	$O(n + m) + O(s/\log \log s)$	2
[BCM22]	QR+LPN	Layered Circuits	$O(n + m + d^{\frac{1}{3}} s^{\frac{2(1+\epsilon)}{3}} \cdot poly(\lambda) + s/\log \log s)$	2
<b>[BCM23]</b>	<b>DDH/DCR + LPN</b>	<b>Layered Circuits</b>	$O(n + m + d^{\frac{1}{3}} s^{\frac{2(1+\epsilon)}{3}} \cdot poly(\lambda) + s/\log \log s)$	<b>3 / 5</b>

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	Assumptions	Circuit Class	Communication	No. of Parties
[BCM23]	(DDH + LPN) / (DCR + LPN)	Layered Circuits	$O(s / \log \log s)$	3 / 5
This Work	DCR/DDH + LD-PRG*	Layered Circuits	$O(s / \log \log s)$	4
This Work	DCR/DDH + LPN + LD-PRG*	Layered Circuits	$O(s / \log \log s)$	5
This Work	DCR/DDH + superpoly LPN + LD-PRG*	Layered Circuits	$O(s / \log \log s)$	8
This Work	Superpoly (DCR/DDH + LPN) + LD-PRG*	Layered Circuits	$O(s / \log \log \log s)$	9
This Work	Superpoly (DCR/DDH + LPN) + LD-PRG*	Layered Circuits	$O(s / \log \log \log s)$	<b>10</b>

\* Low-Depth PRG in the class XOR-AND of constant-degree polynomials, which can be instantiated based on the security of Goldreich's PRG, one-wayness of random local functions or from the multivariate quadratic family of assumptions.

# Concurrent Work

- Dao, Ishai, Jain, Lin [DIJL23] – CRYPTO 2023
  - **N-party HSS** from **Sparse-LPN**
  - **N-party sublinear MPC** for layered circuits –  $O(s/\log \log s)$  communication
  - $1/\text{poly}$  **error!**
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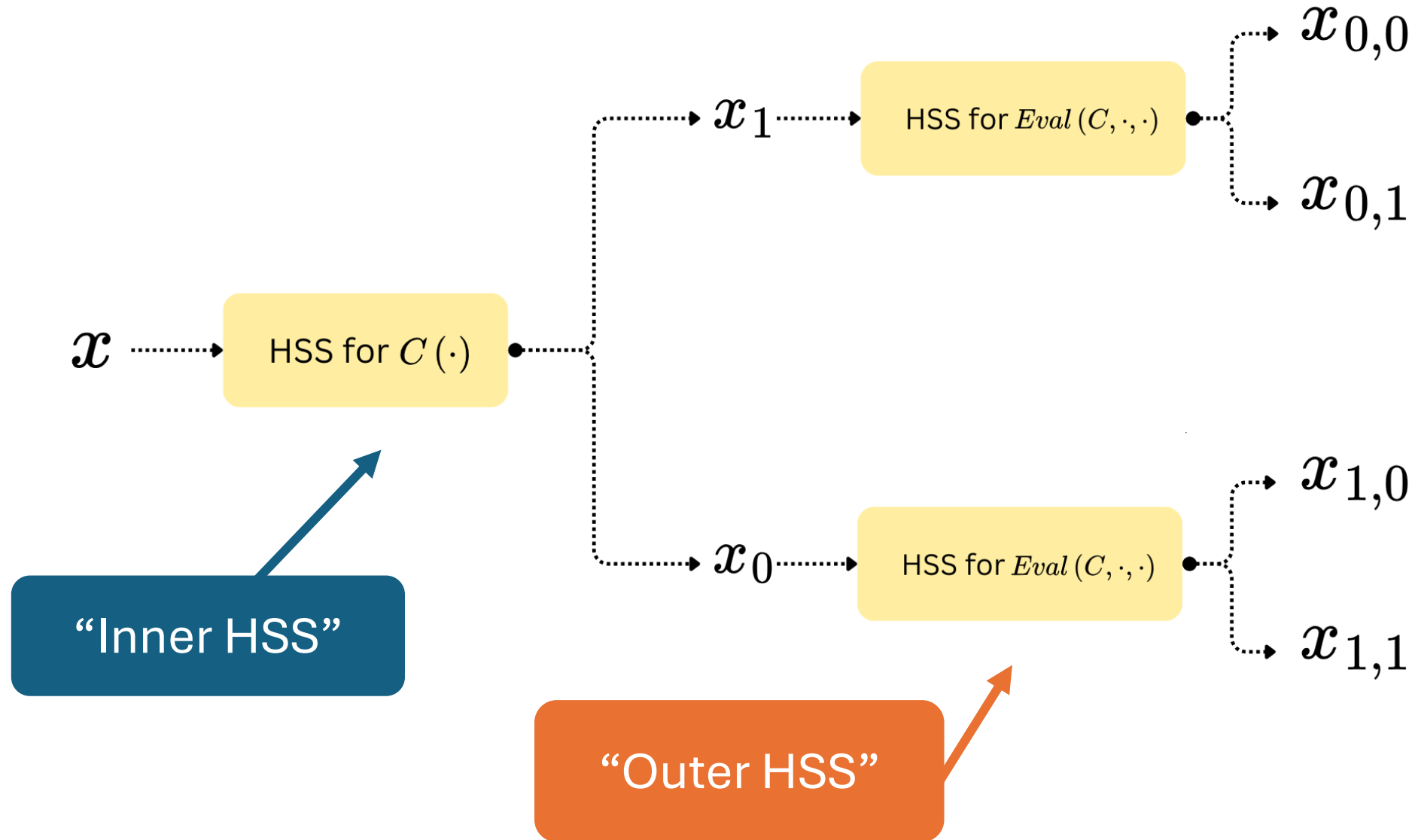


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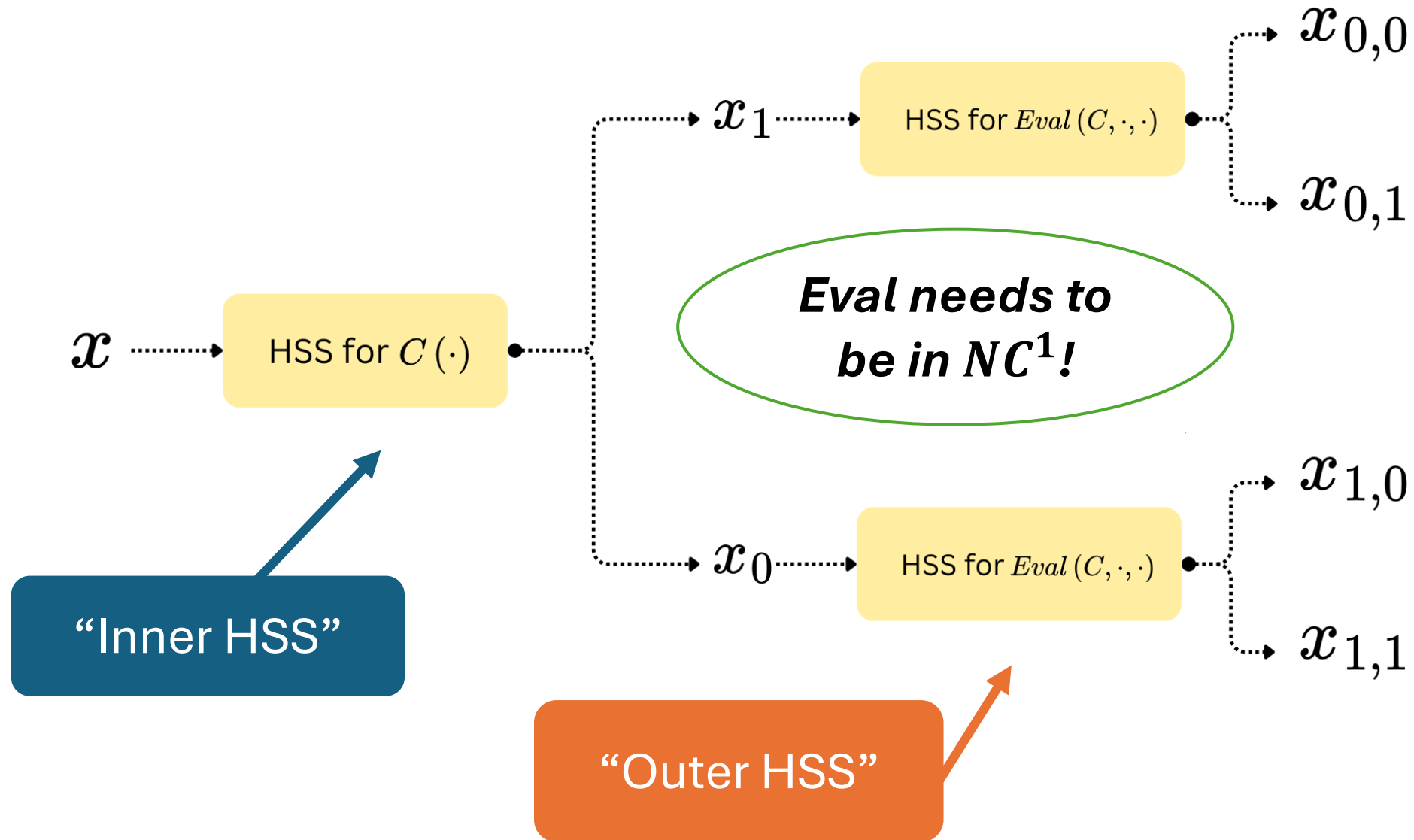
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We show  
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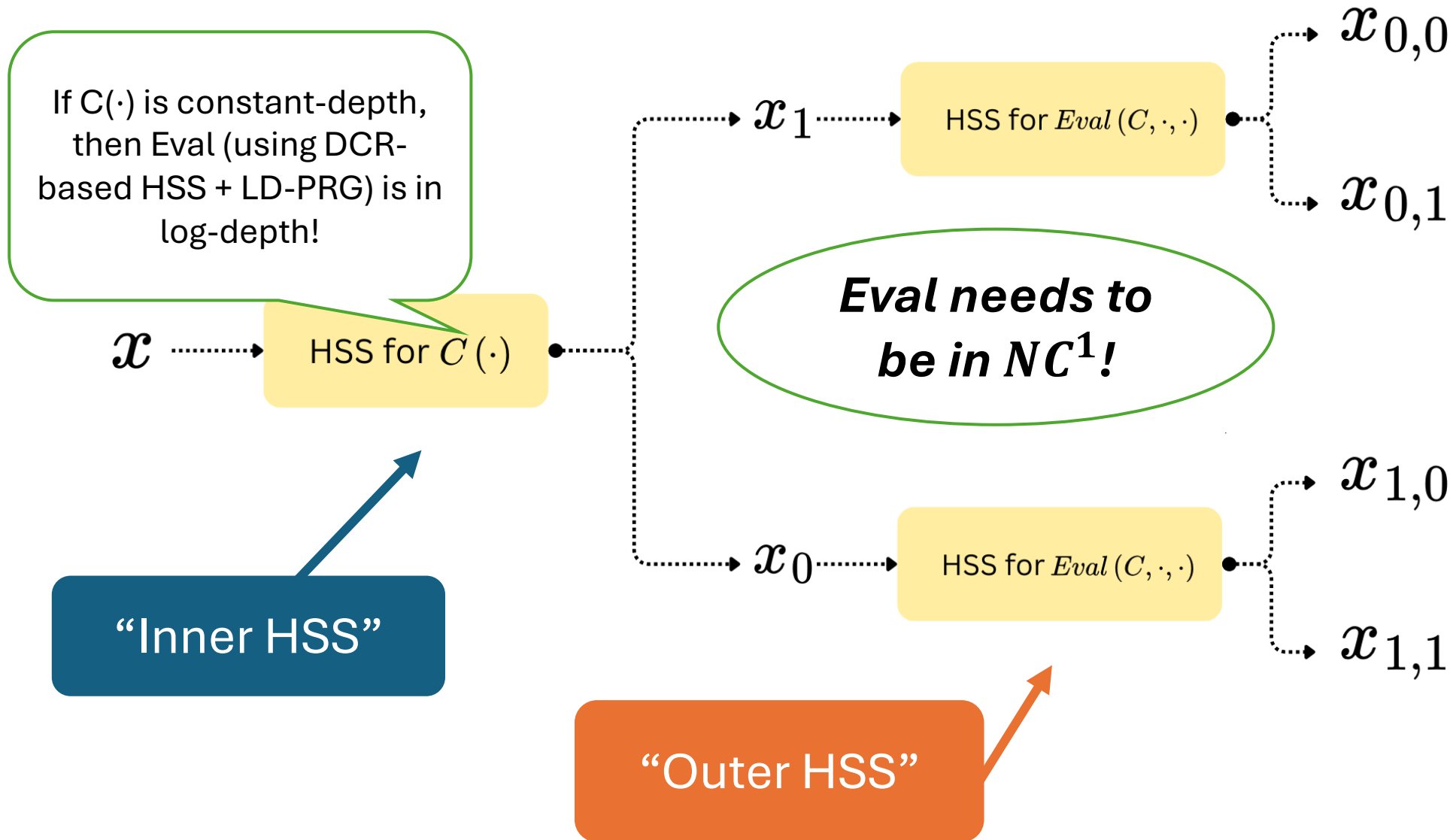
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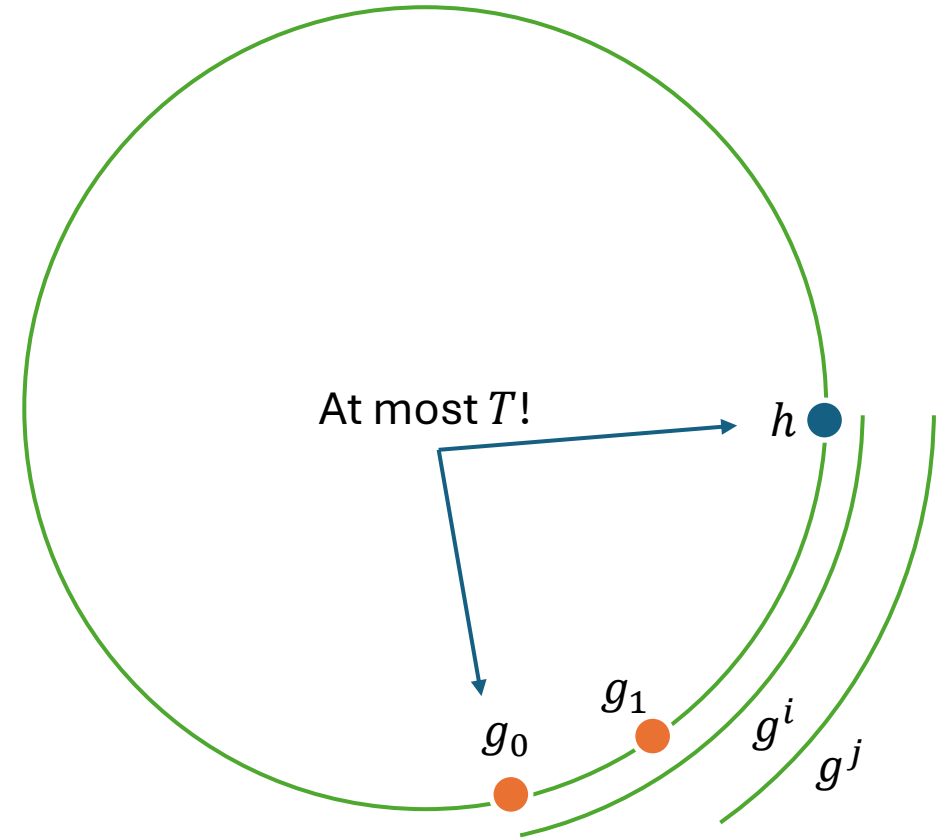


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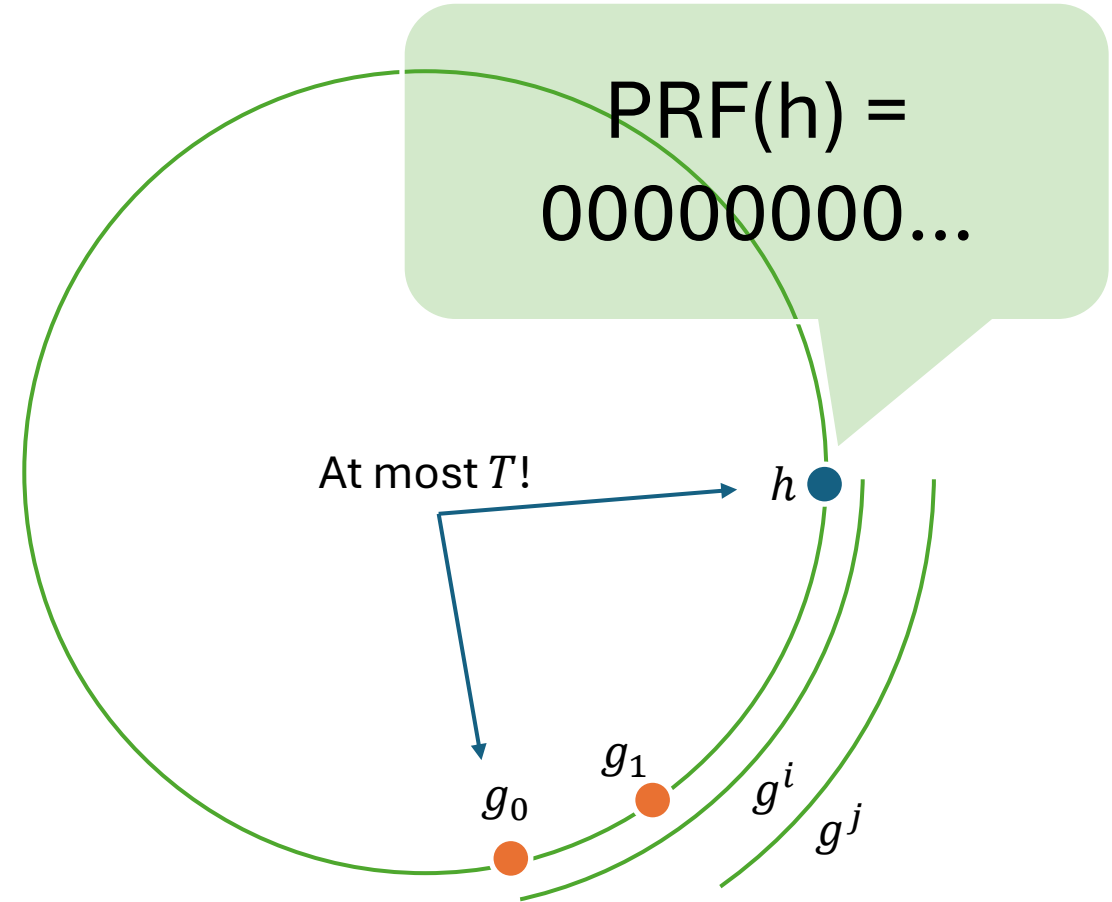
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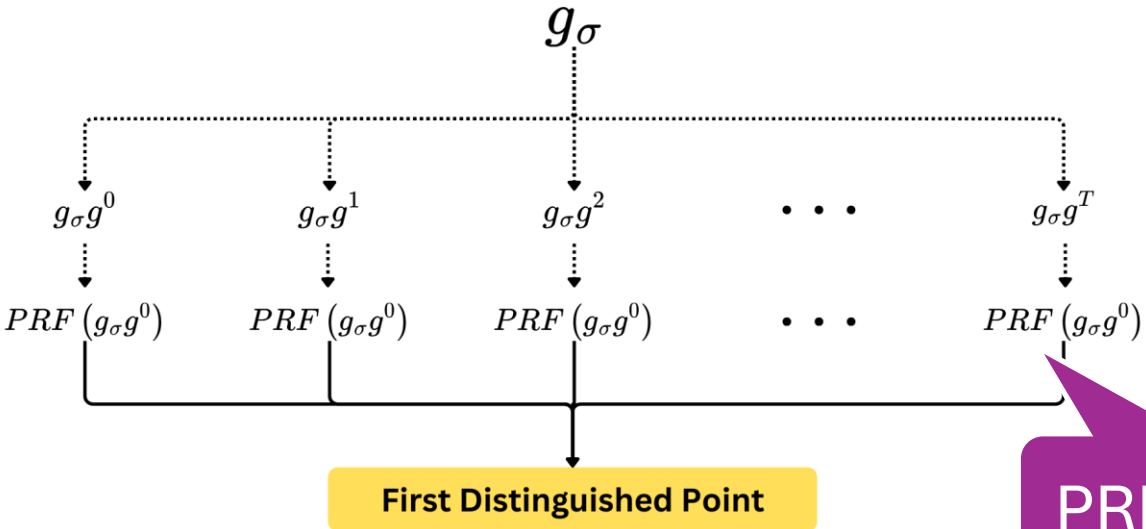
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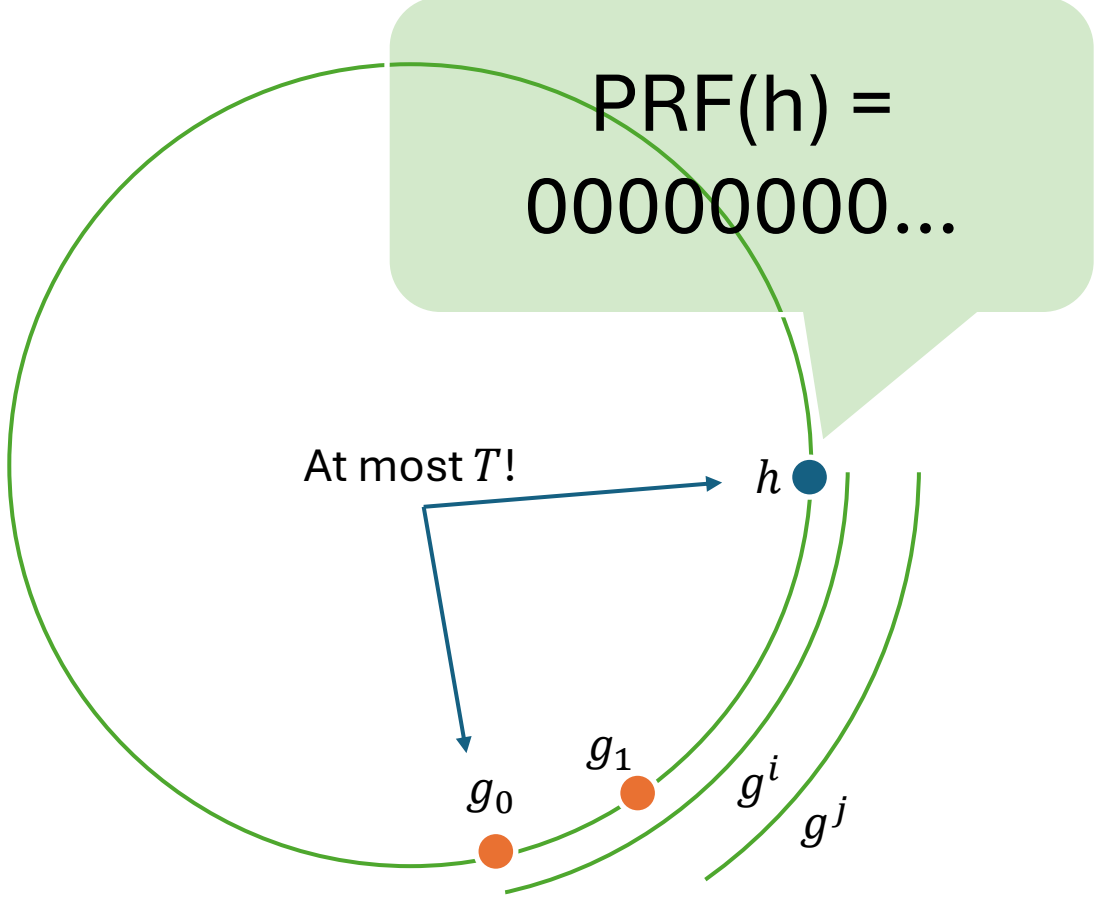


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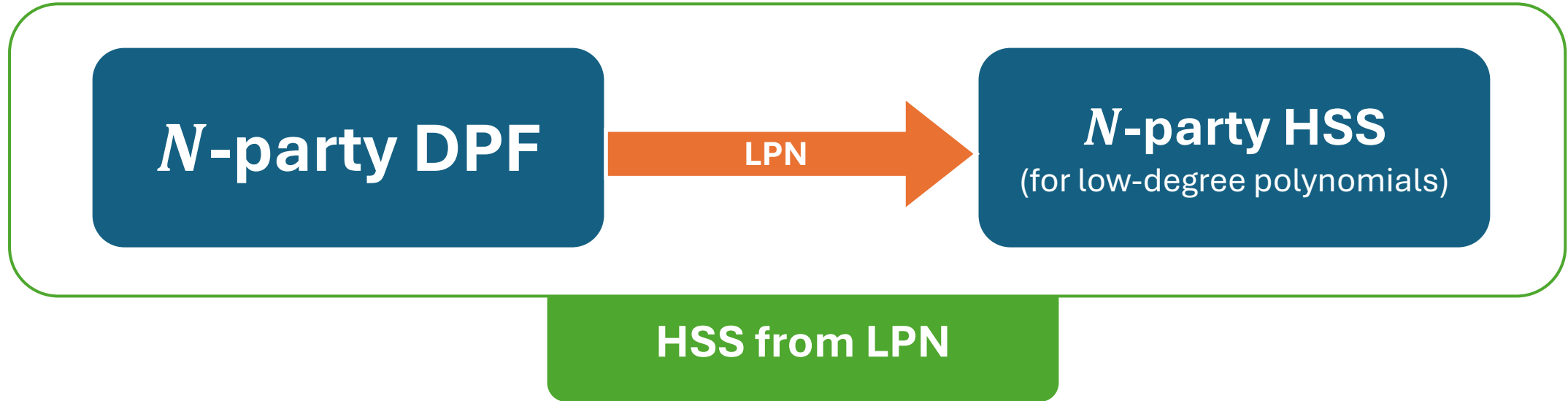
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PRF in  $NC^1$ !

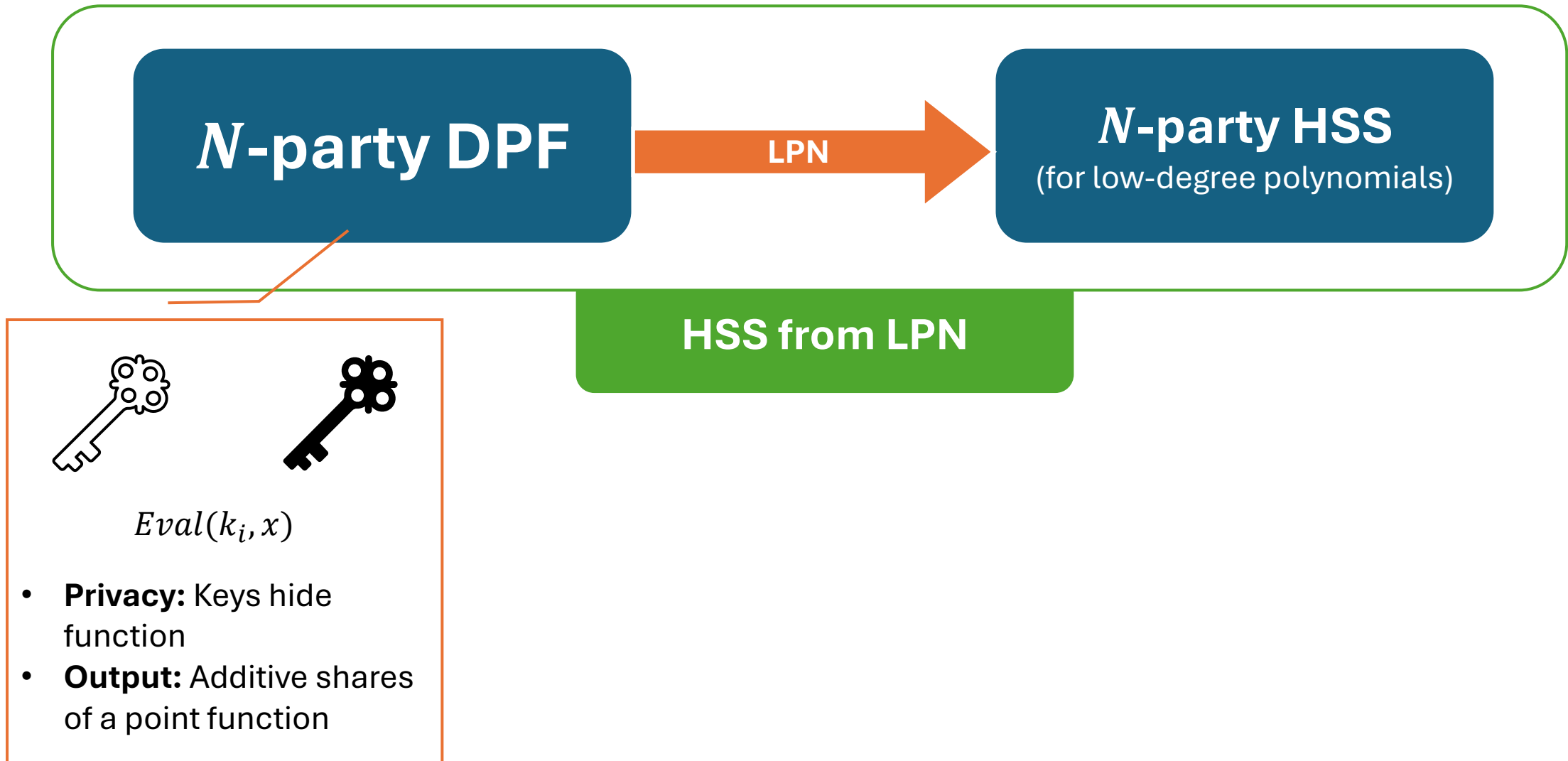


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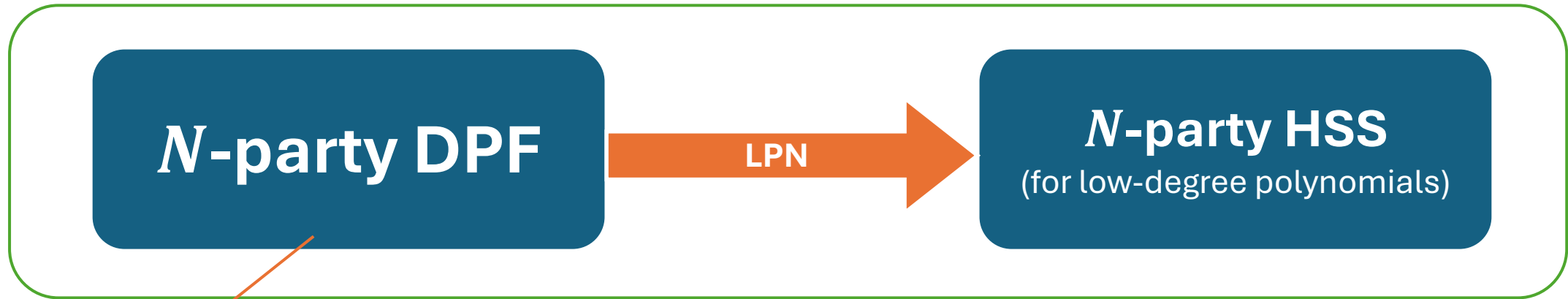




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## HSS from LPN

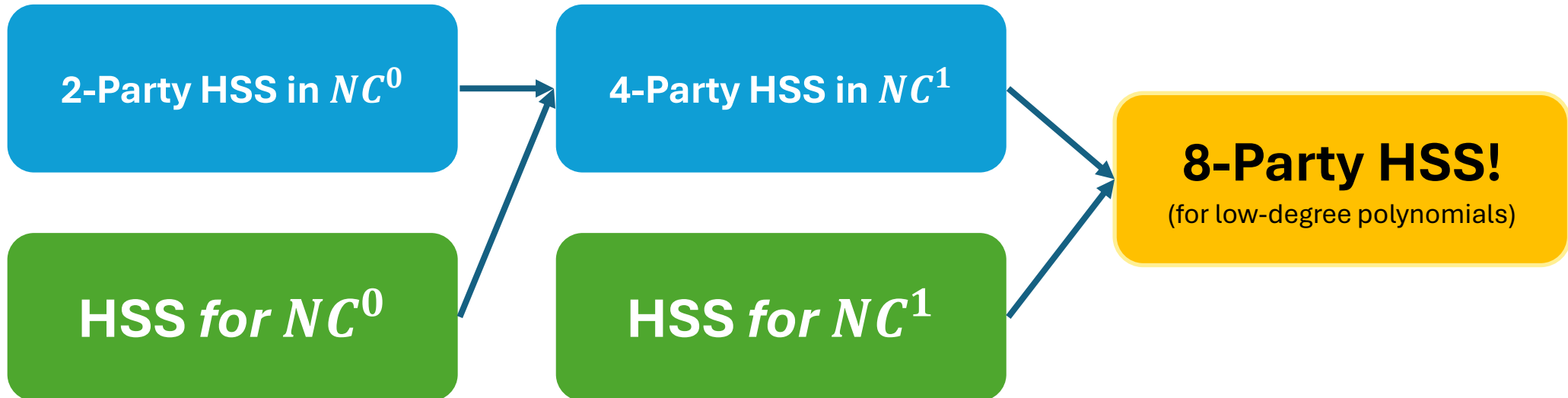
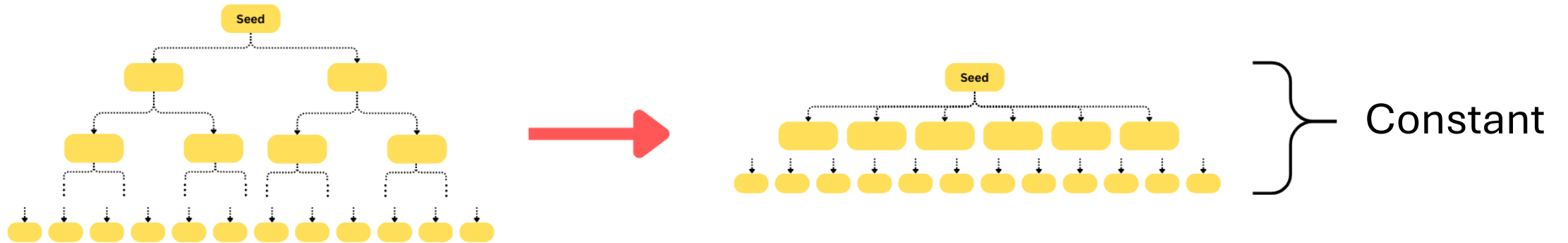
$Eval(k_i, x)$

- **Privacy:** Keys hide function
- **Output:** Additive shares of a point function

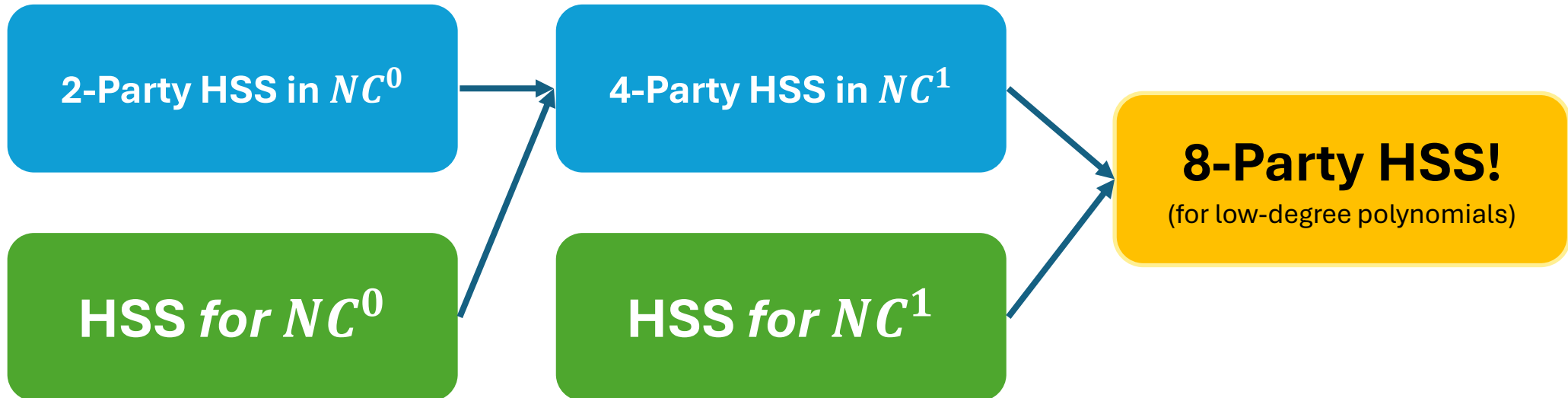
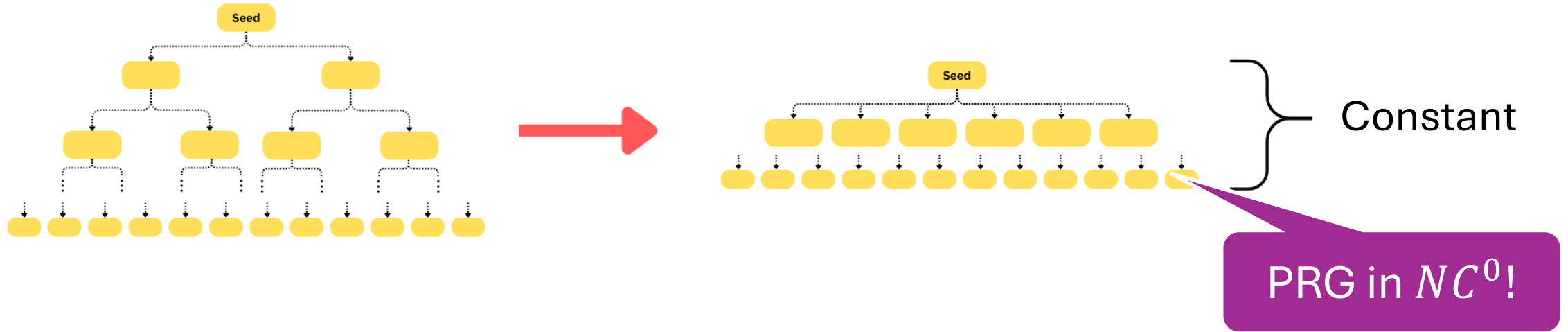
- 2-Party DPF can be constructed from OWF
- **Complexity of HSS.Eval = Complexity of DPF!**

$$DPF \text{ in } NC^0 \Rightarrow HSS.Eval \text{ in } NC^0!$$

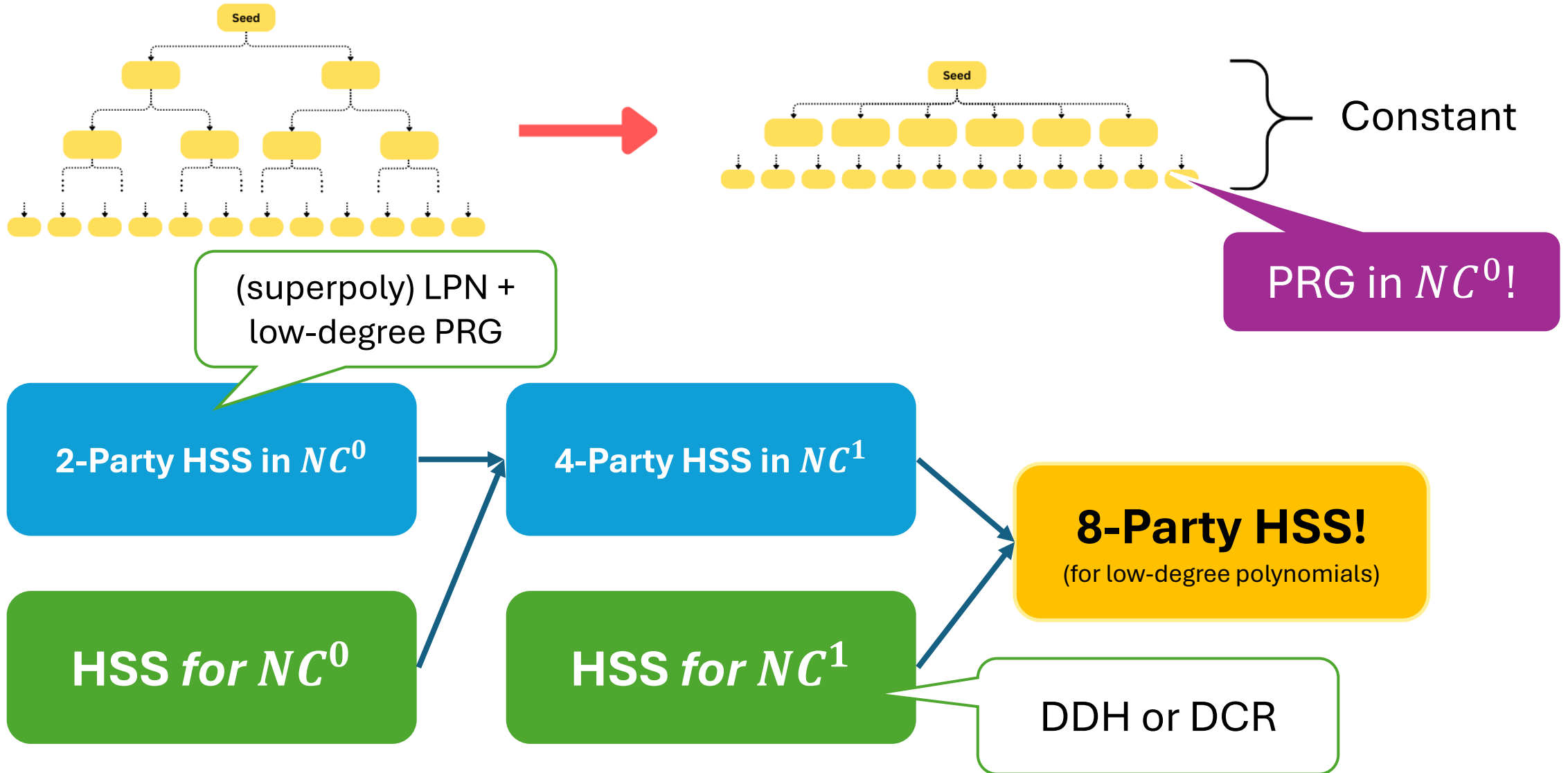
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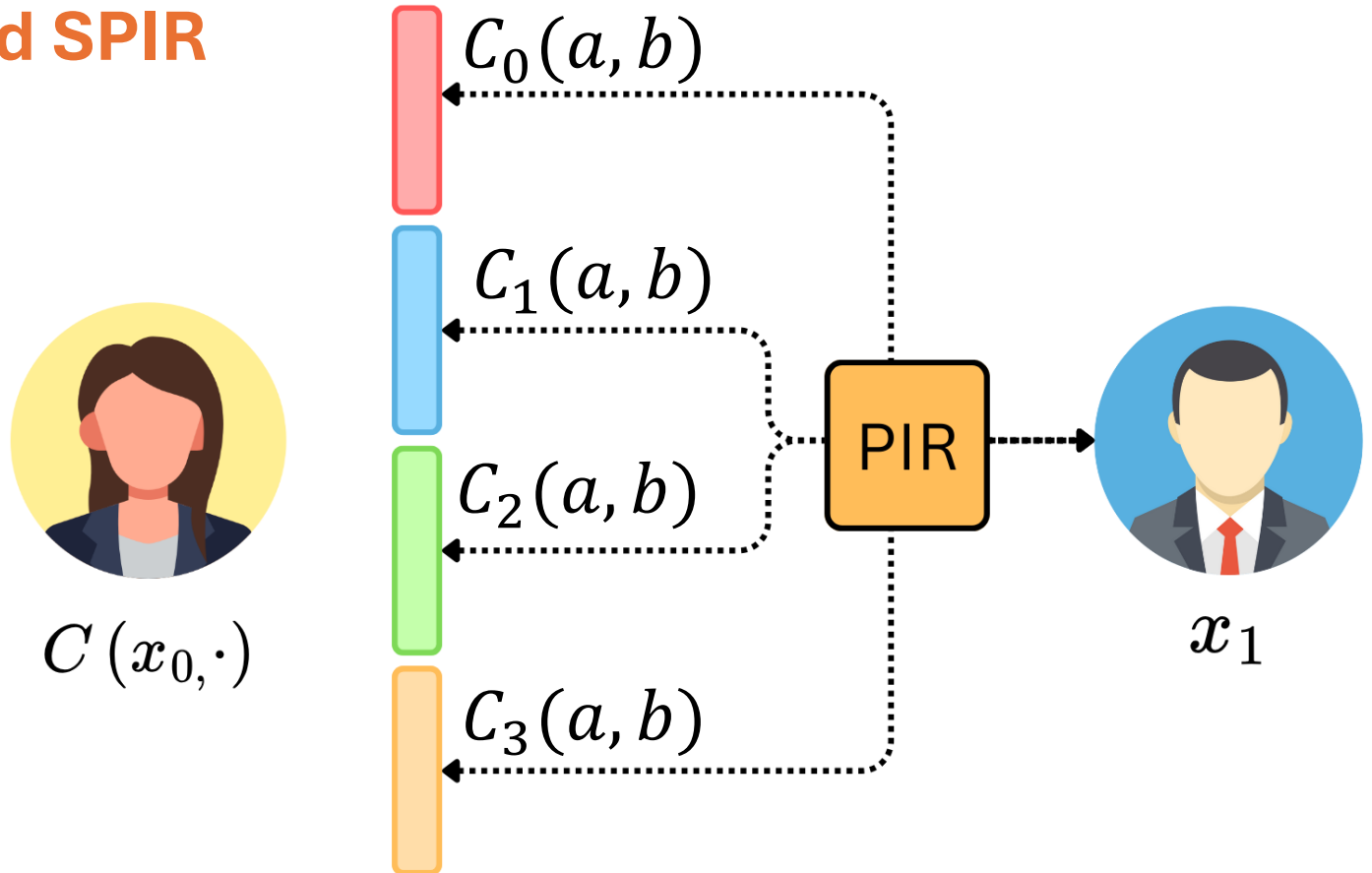
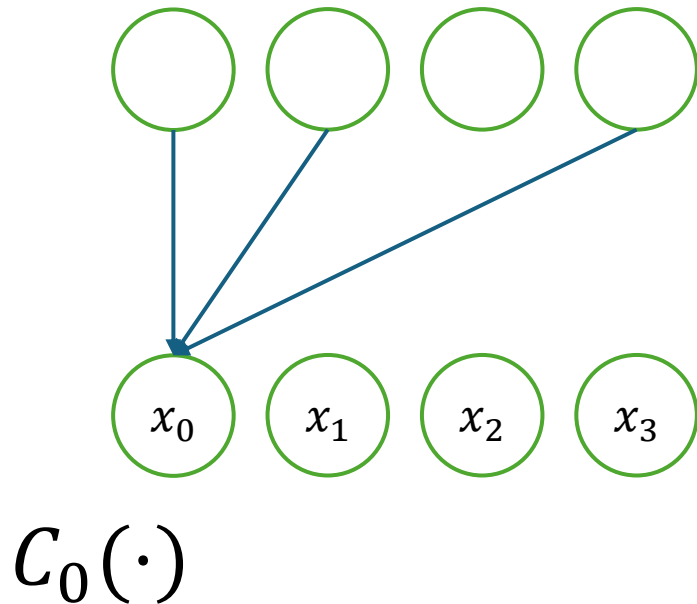


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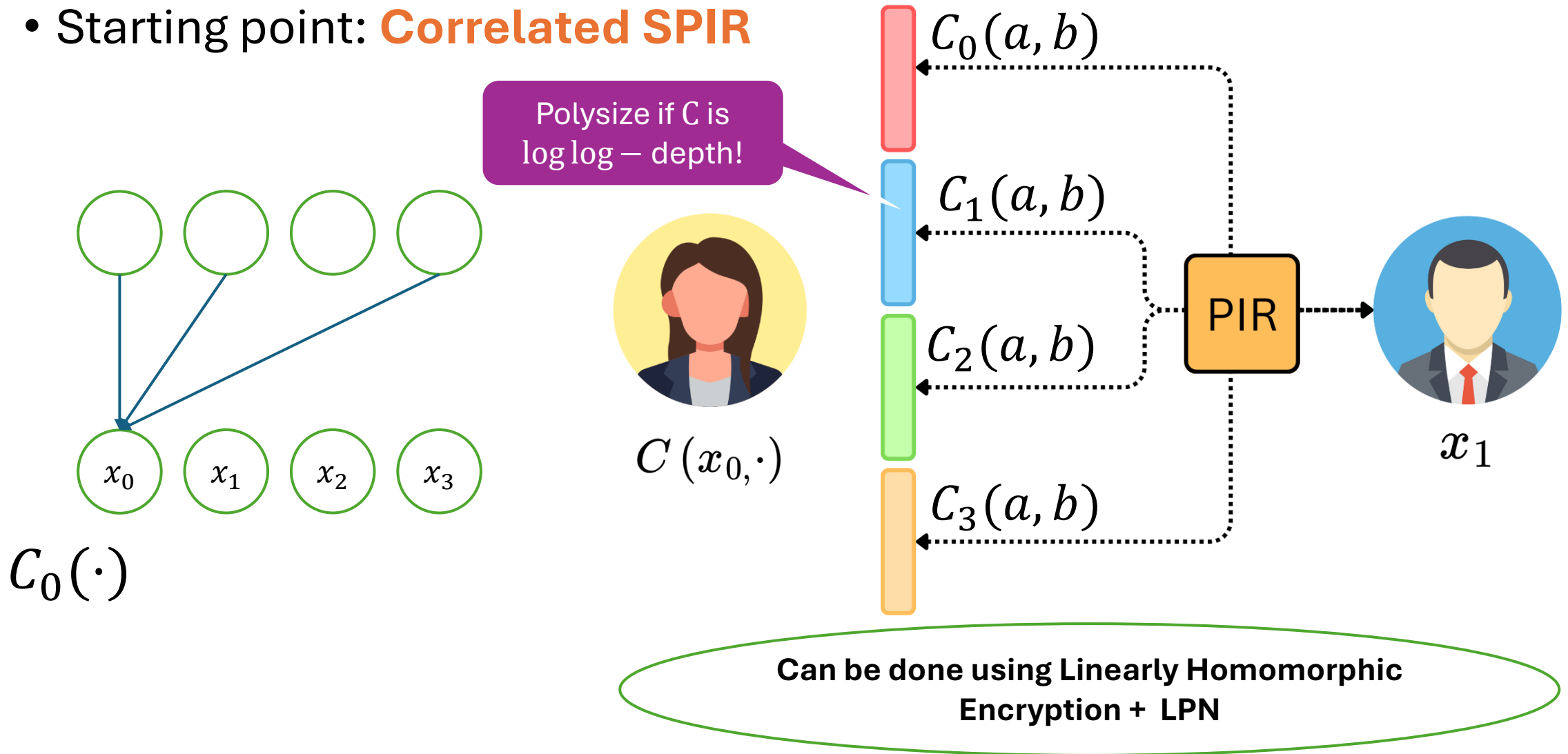
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Can be done using Linearly Homomorphic Encryption + LPN

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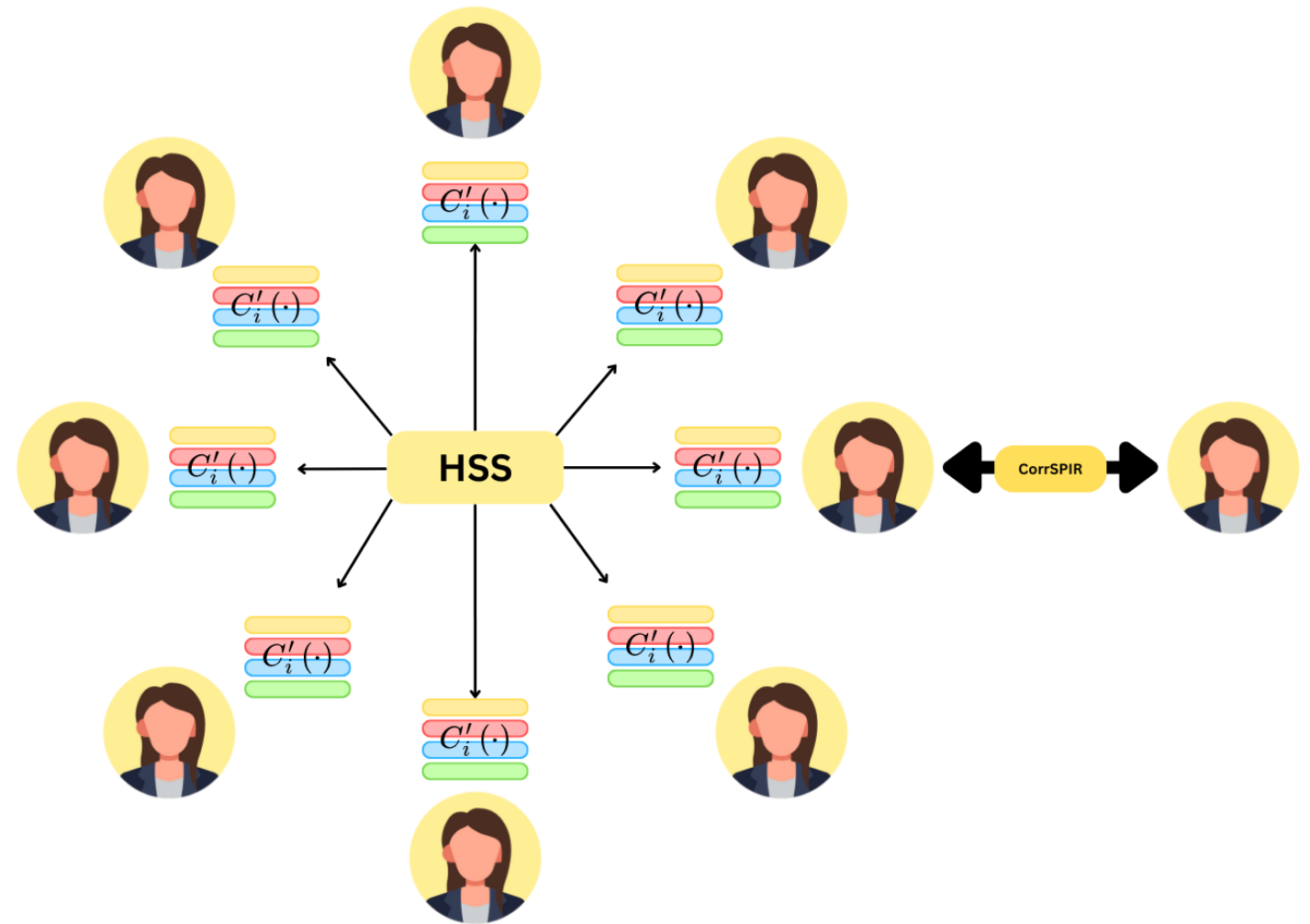
# N+1 Party MPC

- Consider the function

$$C'(\cdot) = C(\cdot, x_0, x_1, \dots, x_N)$$

- Parties use HSS to evaluate shares of **truth table of  $C'$**
- Perform SPIR with each party
- Total communication:

$$O(Ns / \log \log s)$$





# N+2 Parties

• *CorrSPIR* = (Query, Answer, Decode)

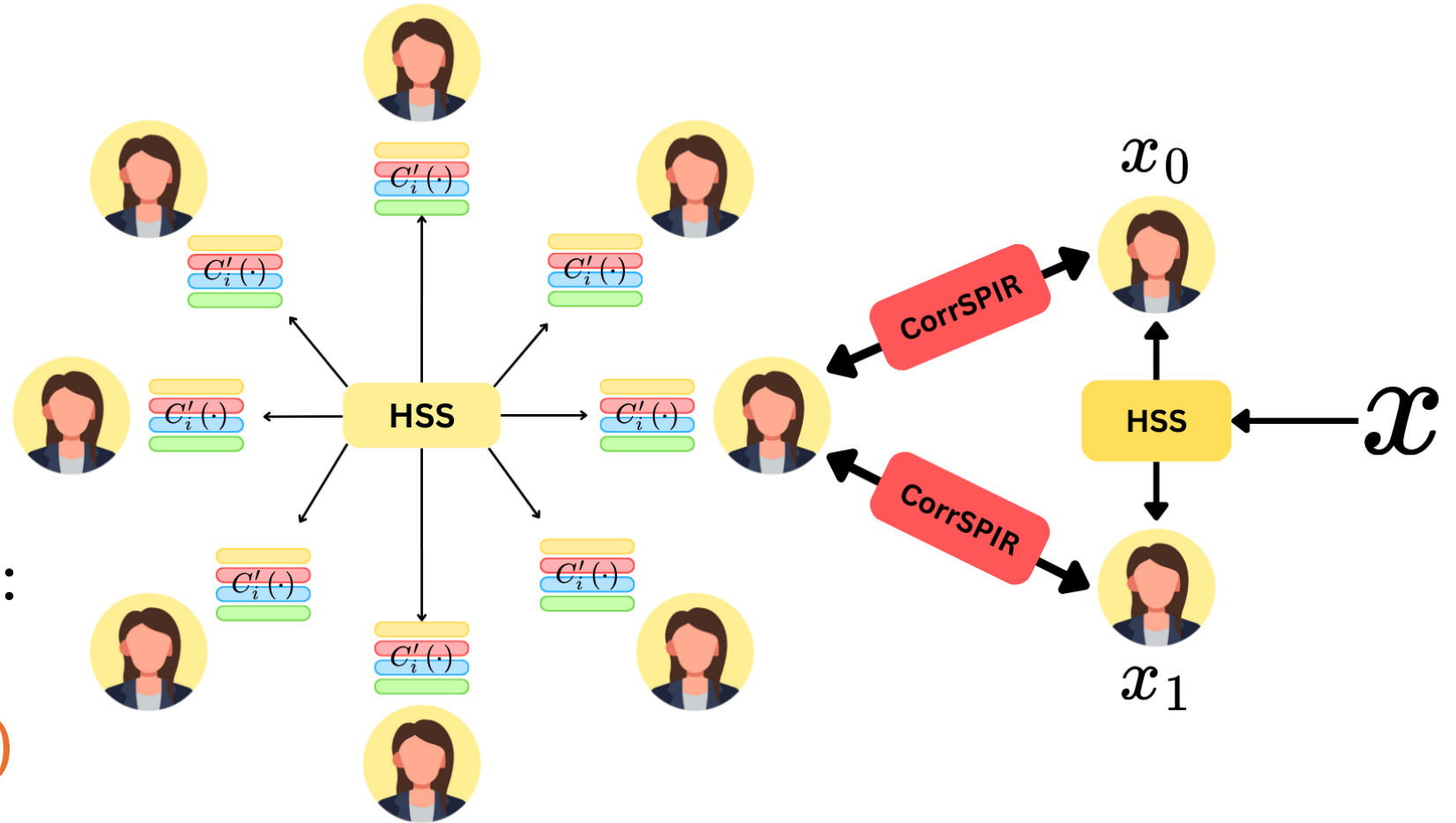
• Superpolynomial Assumptions

• Even smaller database size

• Total Communication:

$O(Ns / \log \log \log s)$

In  $NC^1$ !



# Wrapping up: putting the schemes together

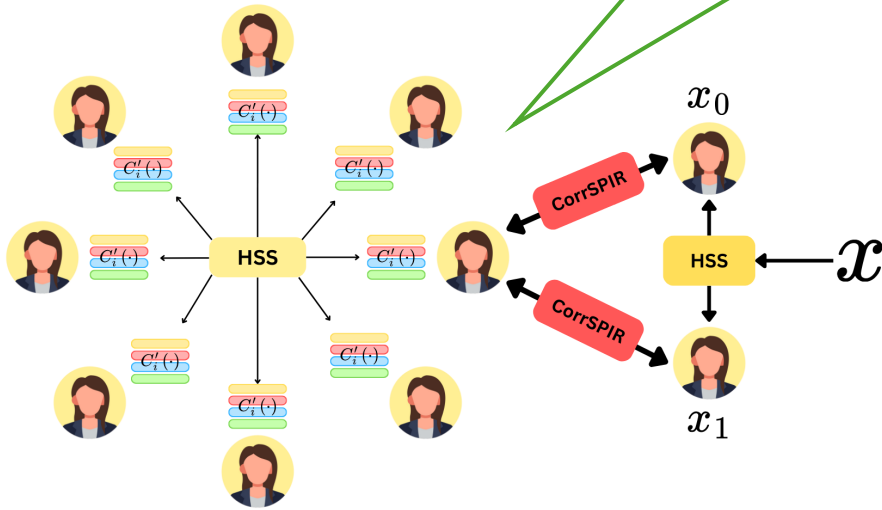
## 8-Party HSS

(for low-degree polynomials)

DDH/DCR + (superpoly) LPN + Low-Degree PRG



(superpoly) DDH/DCR + LPN



## 10-Party Sublinear MPC

with communication:

$$O(s / \log \log \log s)$$

**Thank You!**