

Protecting Yao from Malicious Attacks

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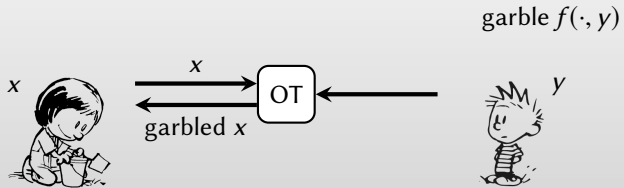


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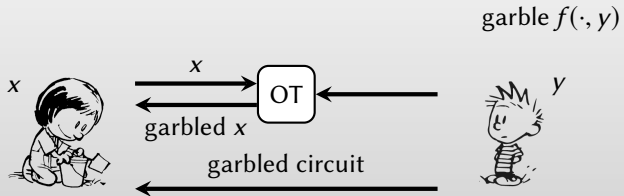
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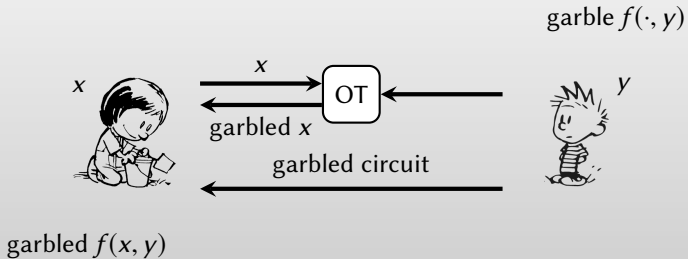
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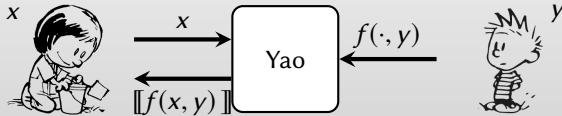
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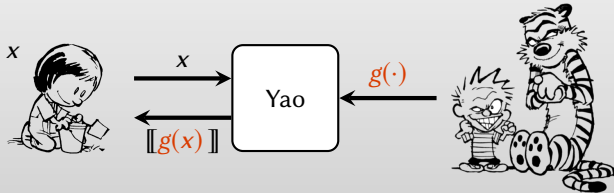
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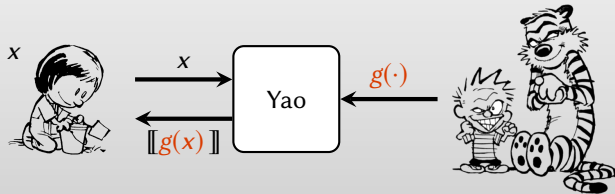


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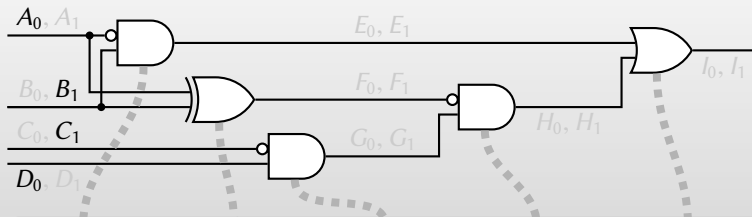
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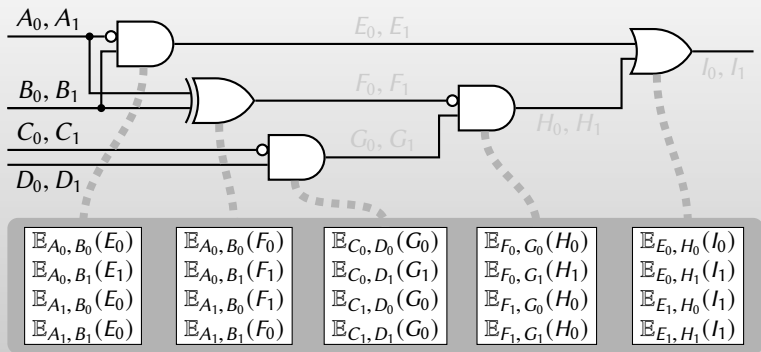
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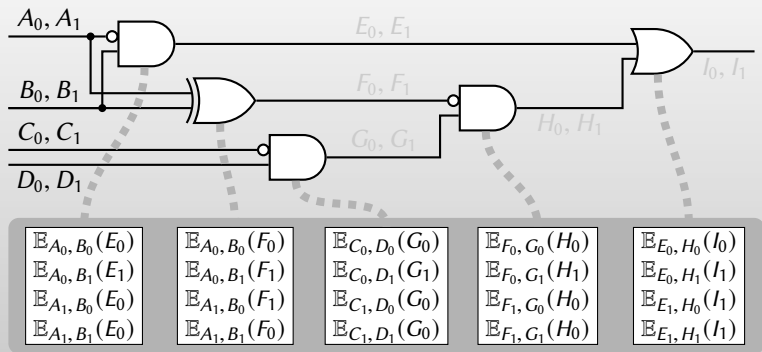
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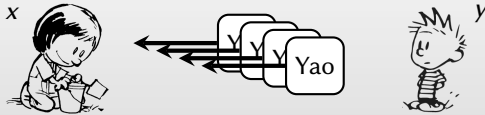
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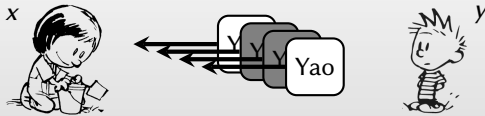
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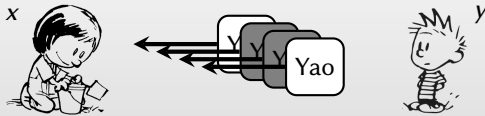
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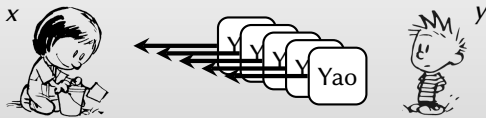
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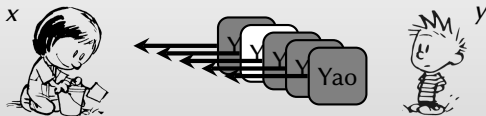
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- ▶ How to actually do this without introducing new security flaws?

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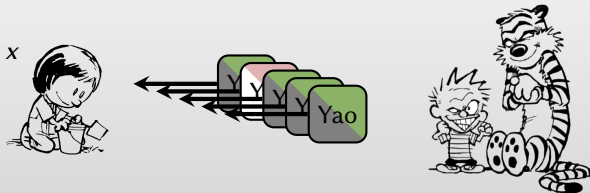
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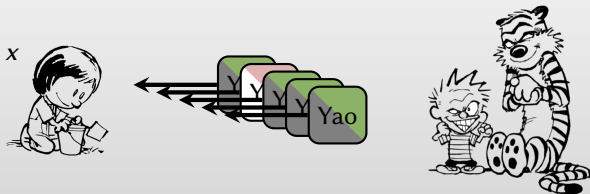
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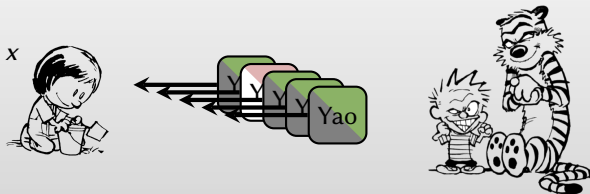


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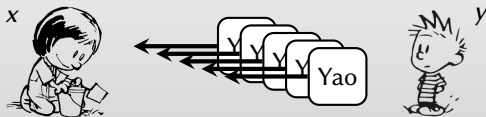
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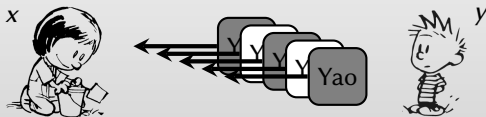
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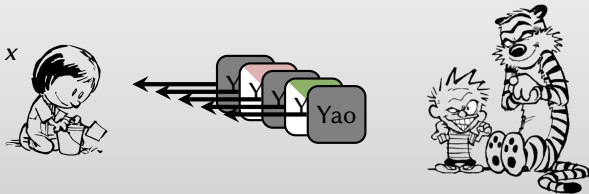
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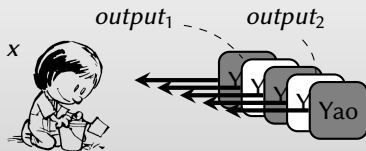


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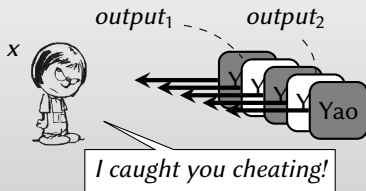
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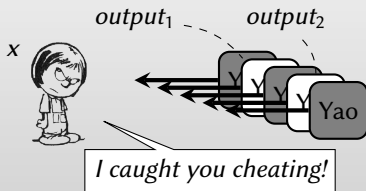
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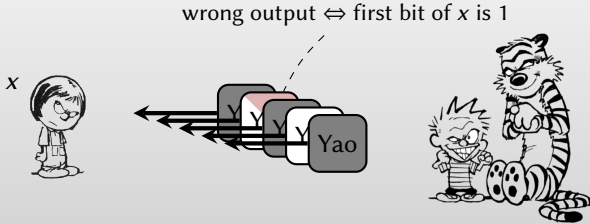


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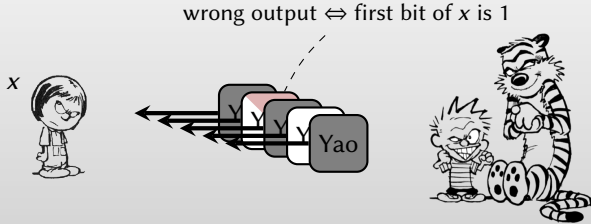
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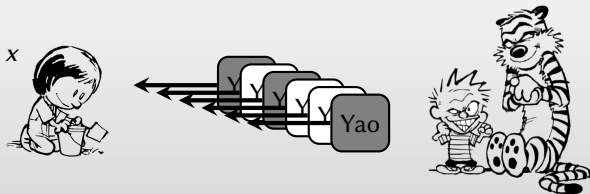
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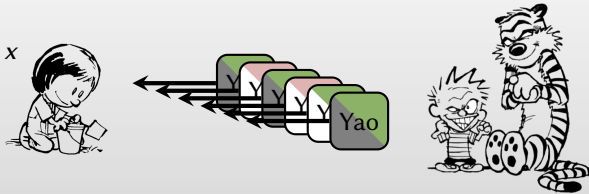
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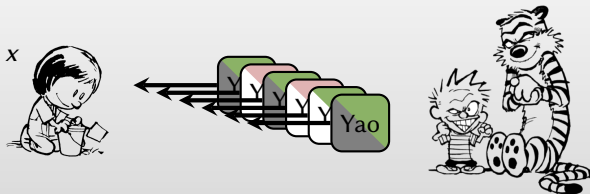
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[ShelatShen11]: To ensure $\Pr[\text{Adv wins}] < 2^{-s}$:

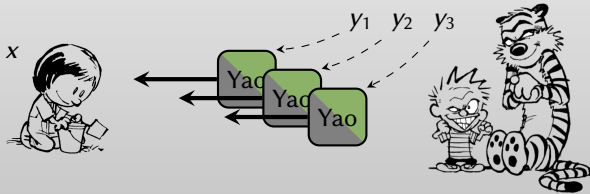
- ▶ Generate $\sim 3.12s$ circuits (replication factor)
- ▶ Open random subset of $\approx 60\%$ of circuits
- ▶ For $s = 40$: generate 125 circuits and check 75

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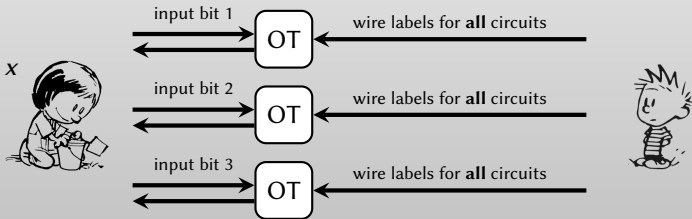
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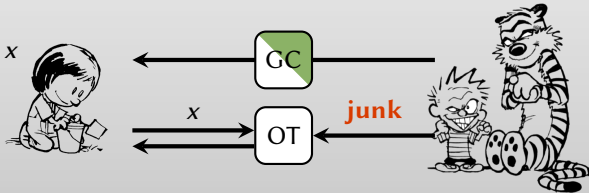
- ▶ Can use simple 2-universal function H
- ▶ Example: $H(y) =$ multiplication by random (public) 0/1-matrix
⇒ computation of H free using Free-XOR garbling

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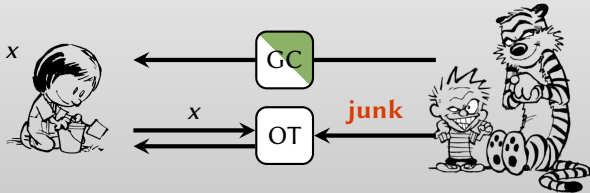
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Selective failure attack: Garbler sends bad **input wire labels**

- ... conditioned on receiver's OT choice bits (her *private input!*)
- ▶ E.g.: junk wire label \Leftrightarrow first bit of x is 1

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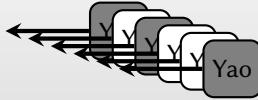
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- ▶ Garbler “poisons” $< k$ OTs \Rightarrow evaluator failure probability independent of x
- ▶ Garbler “poisons” $\geq k$ OTs \Rightarrow evaluator failure probability $\geq 1 - 2^{-k}$

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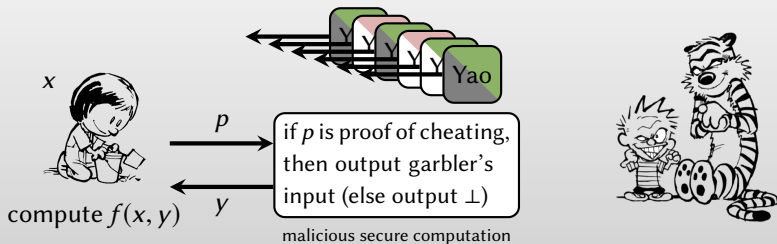


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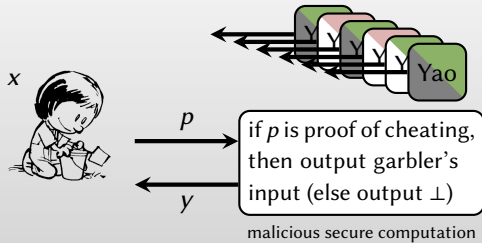
- ▶ **Contradictory output wire labels** are **proof** of cheating
- ▶ **However**, evaluator cannot reveal whether she has such proof!

Cheating punishment: details



- ▶ Auxiliary secure computation uses majority-cut-and-choose
- ▶ Auxiliary computation depends only on **input length** of f
- ▶ **Many** many many optimizations to make aux computation small
- ▶ Must ensure **same input** y to both main & aux computations
- ▶ Evaluator can learn $f(x, y)$ in two ways, but can't reveal which!

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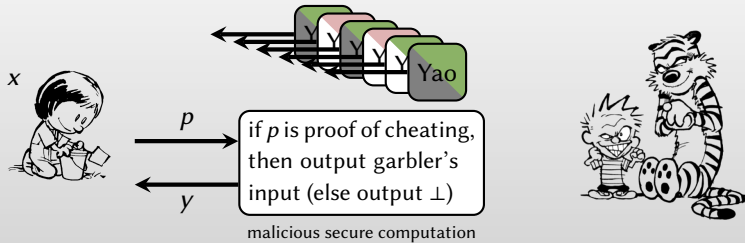


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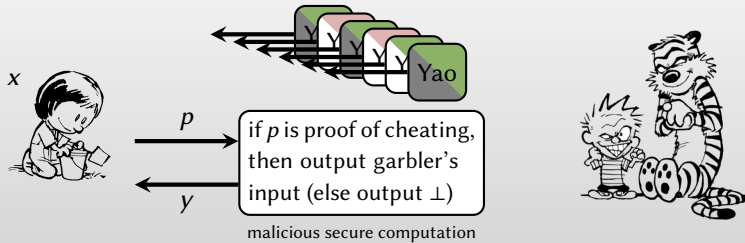
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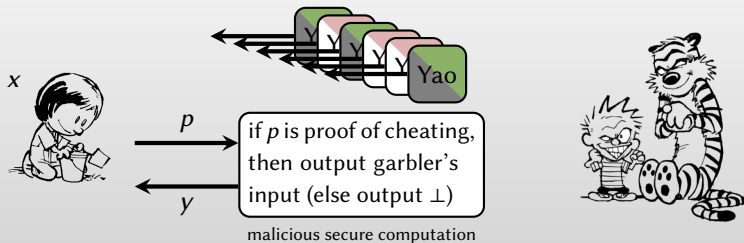
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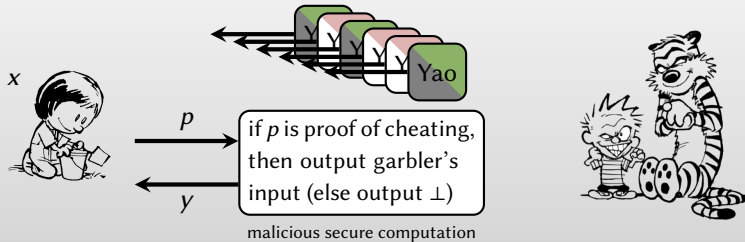
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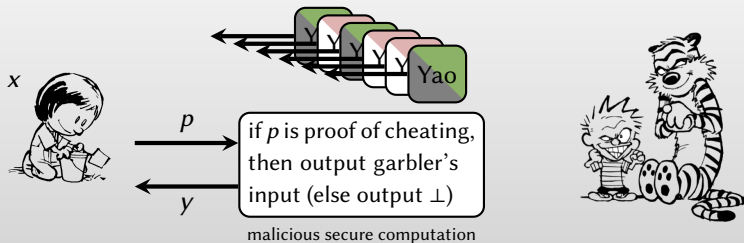
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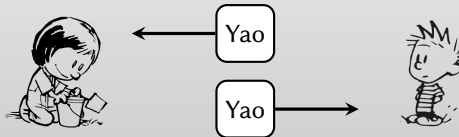
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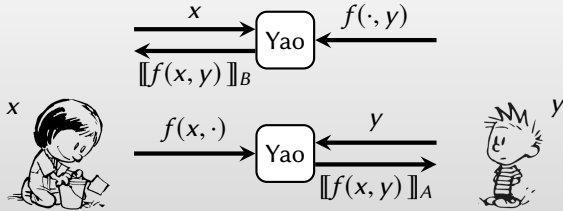
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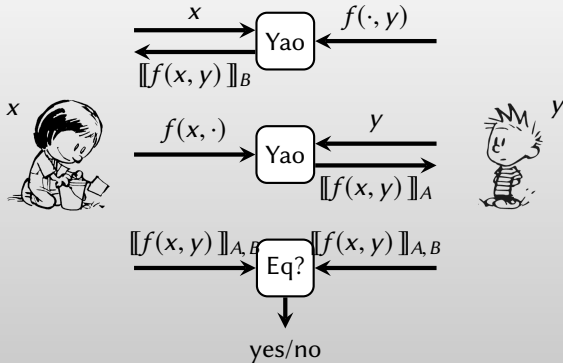


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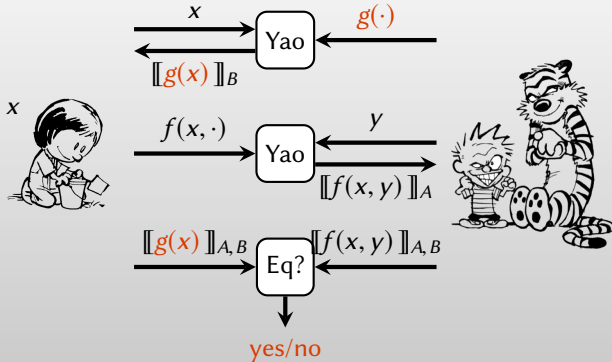


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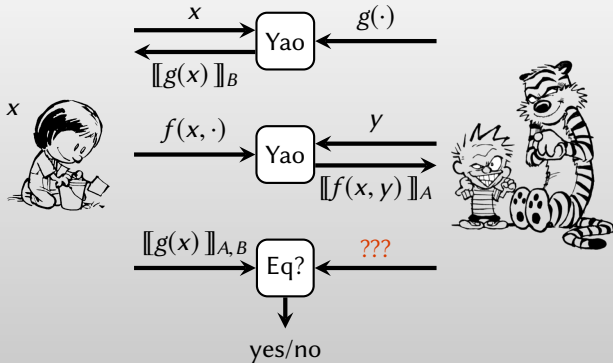
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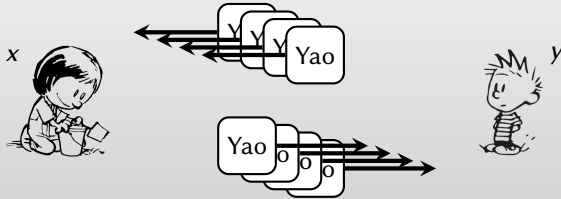
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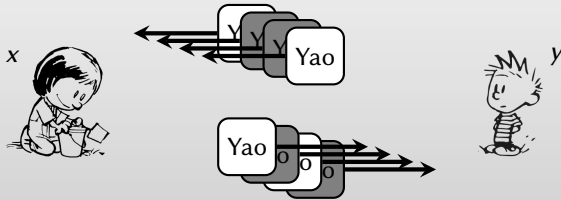
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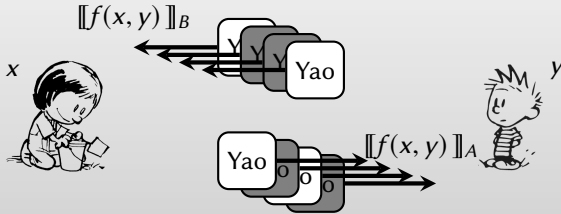
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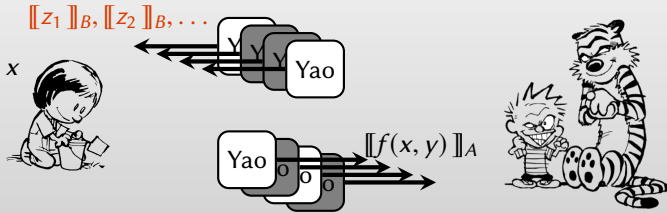
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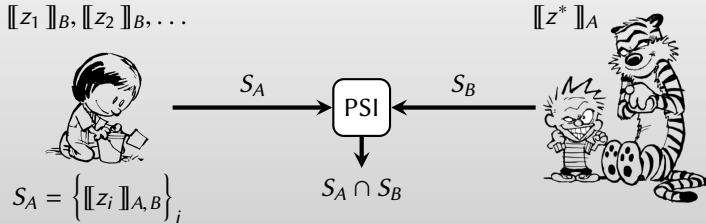
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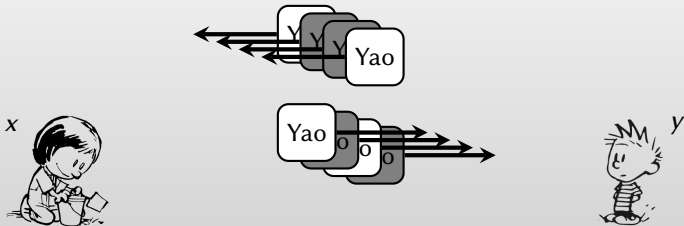
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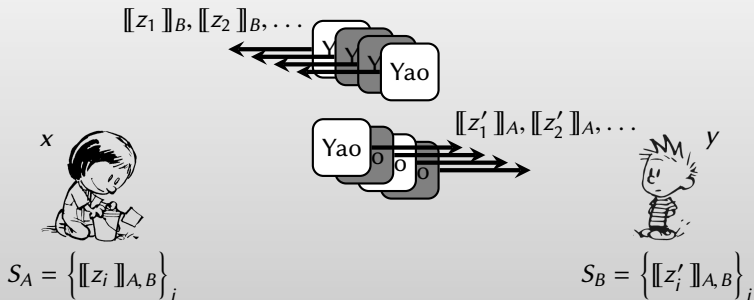
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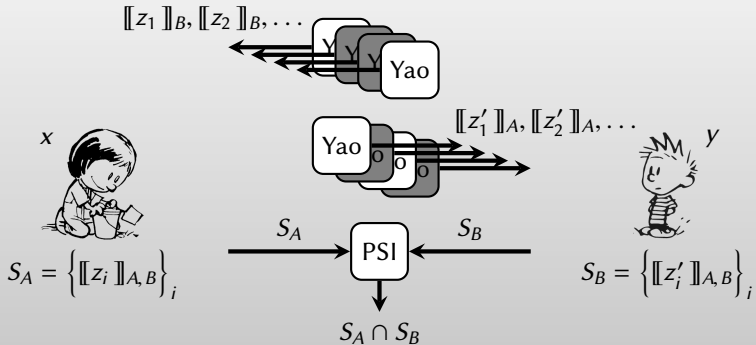
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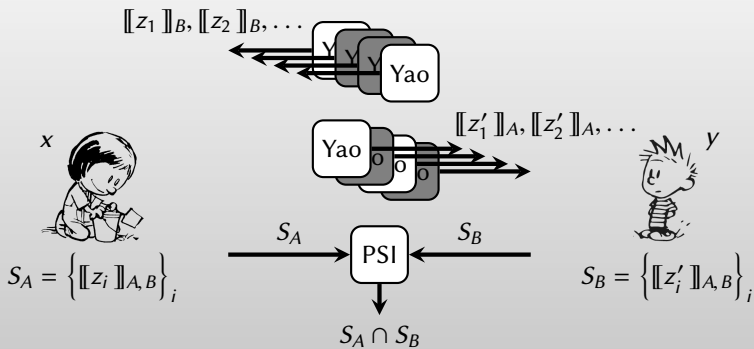
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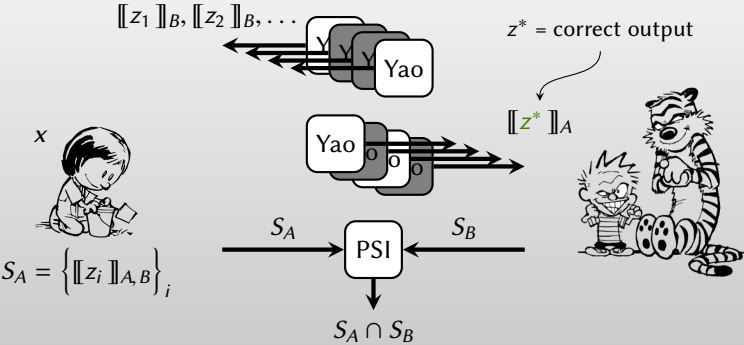


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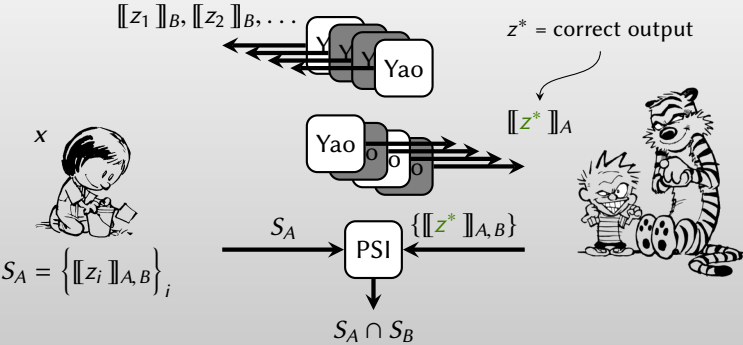
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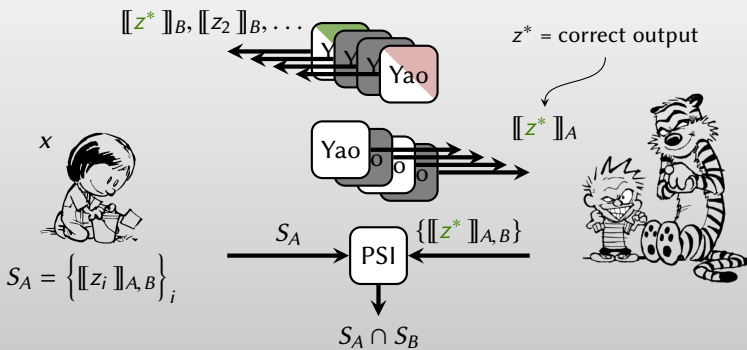


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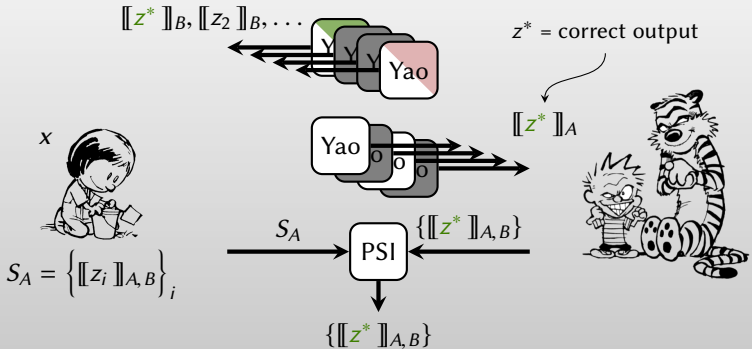
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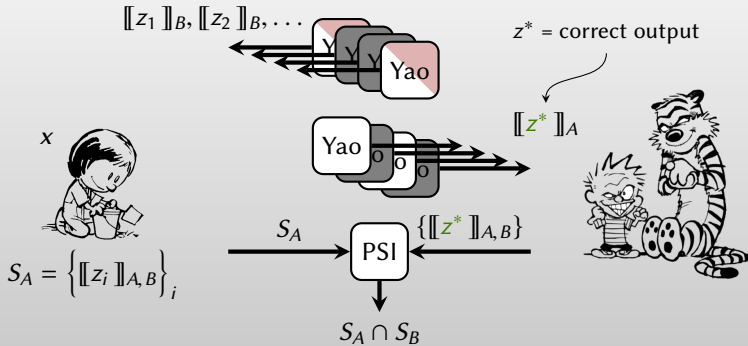
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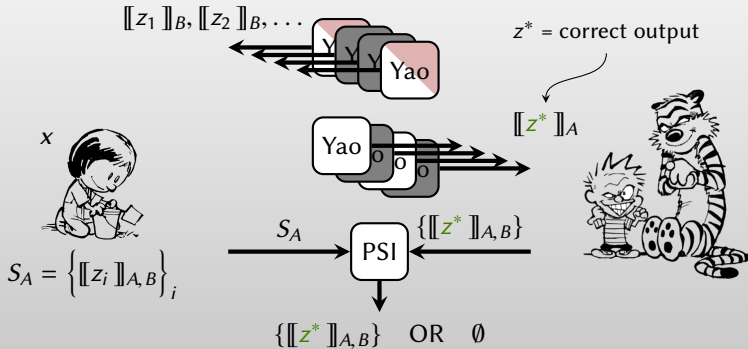
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“dual-ex+PSI” summary

s garbled circuits in each direction (can be done simultaneously)

Adversary cannot violate output correctness

Adversary learns a single bit **with probability** 2^{-s} — only when:

- ▶ All opened circuits are correct
- ▶ All evaluated circuits are incorrect

Example: only **10 circuits** for 0.1% chance of single-bit leakage

- ▶ all other security properties hold with overwhelming probability

Roadmap

1

Cut-and-choose:

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- ▶ Security pitfalls & challenges

2

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3

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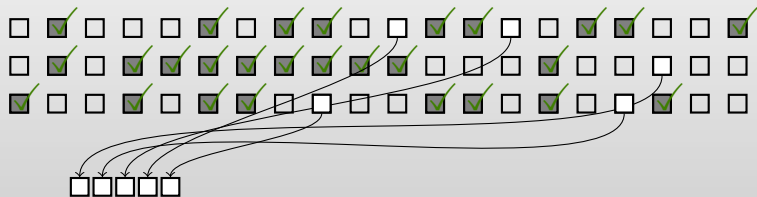


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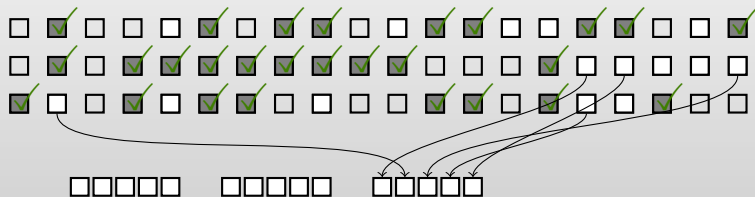


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Adversary **wins** \Leftrightarrow $\begin{cases} \text{all opened circuits are good} \\ \text{some bucket has all/maj bad} \end{cases}$

- ▶ for security $1/2^s$, need $2 + O(s/\log N)$ circuits per execution
- ▶ example: $N = 1024, s = 40 \implies$ **only 4** circuits per execution

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Other approaches:

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 - ▶ Replication factor $2 + O(s/\log N)$ but now $N = \# \text{ gates}$
 - ▶ Extra costs needed to connect gates together
- ▶ **DUPLO:** [KolesnikovNielsenRosulekTrieuTrifiLetti17] cut-and-choose on **medium-size components** (between single gate and entire circuit)
- ▶ **Pool:** [ZhuHuangCassel17] maintain large fixed-size collection of garbled circuits to support **unlimited** number of evaluations