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## LATTICE-BASED PRIVATE-STREAM AGGREGATION

*“REVISITING PRIVATE-STREAM AGGREGATION: LATTICE-BASED PSA”*

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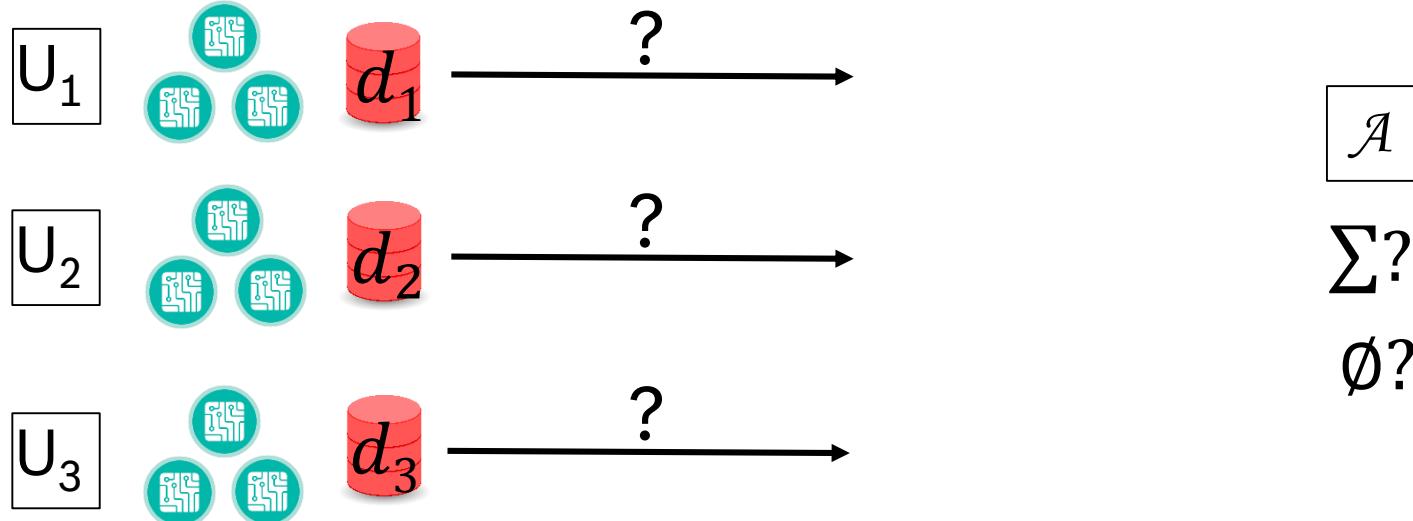
## 3. Lattice-Based PSA: LaPS

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- ▶ *LaPS instantiation & Experimental Results.*

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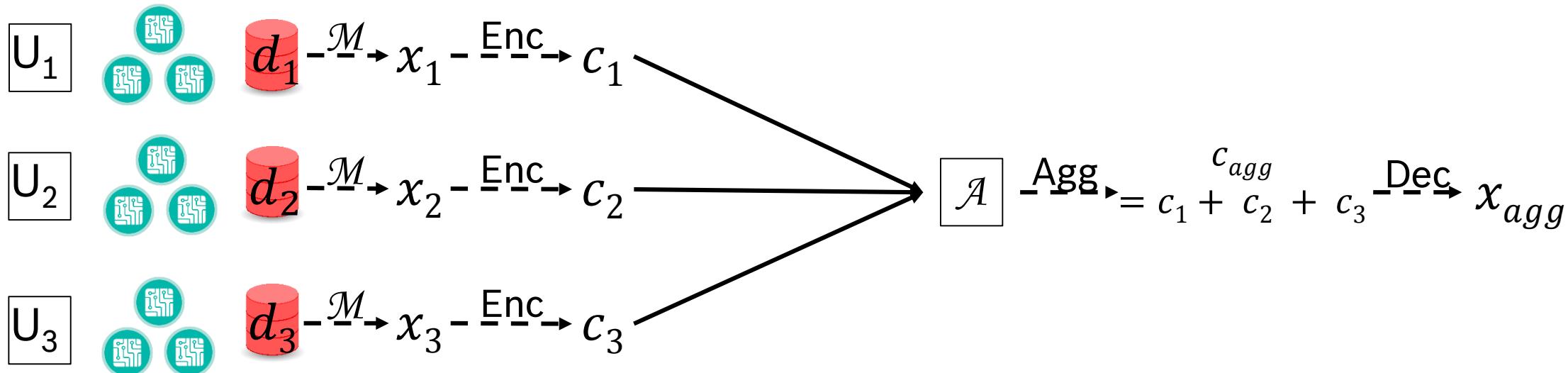
# Private Stream Aggregation (PSA) Problem

- **Distributed** set of users ( $\{U_i\}$ ) want to compute **sum** of their sensitive data ( $\{d_i\}$ )
- **No** information must be leaked about individual user  $U_i$
- **Untrusted** aggregator ( $\mathcal{A}$ ), i.e. honest-but-curious



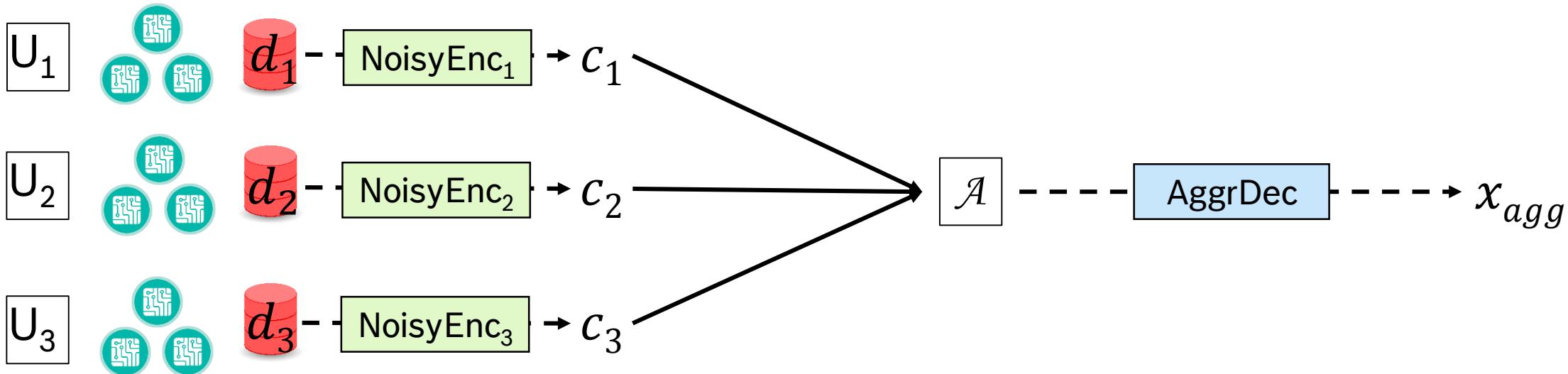
# Private Stream Aggregation (PSA) Solution

- ▶ Apply **differential privacy** mechanism  $\mathcal{M}$  to each  $d_i \Rightarrow$  create **noisy** version  $x_i$
- ▶ Send **encrypted**  $x_i$  to aggregator  $\mathcal{A}$
- ▶  $\mathcal{A}$  aggregates ciphertexts and decrypts – learns nothing but noisy sum  $x_{agg}$



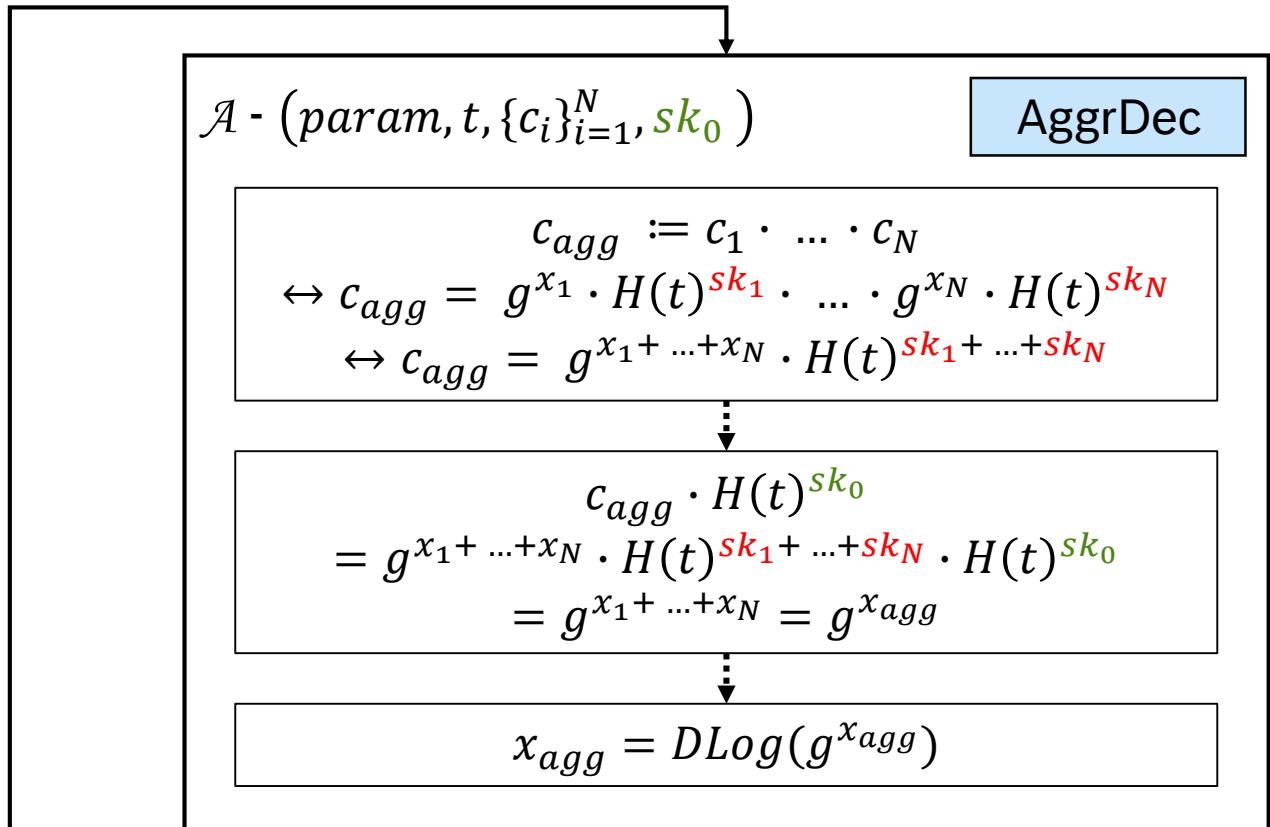
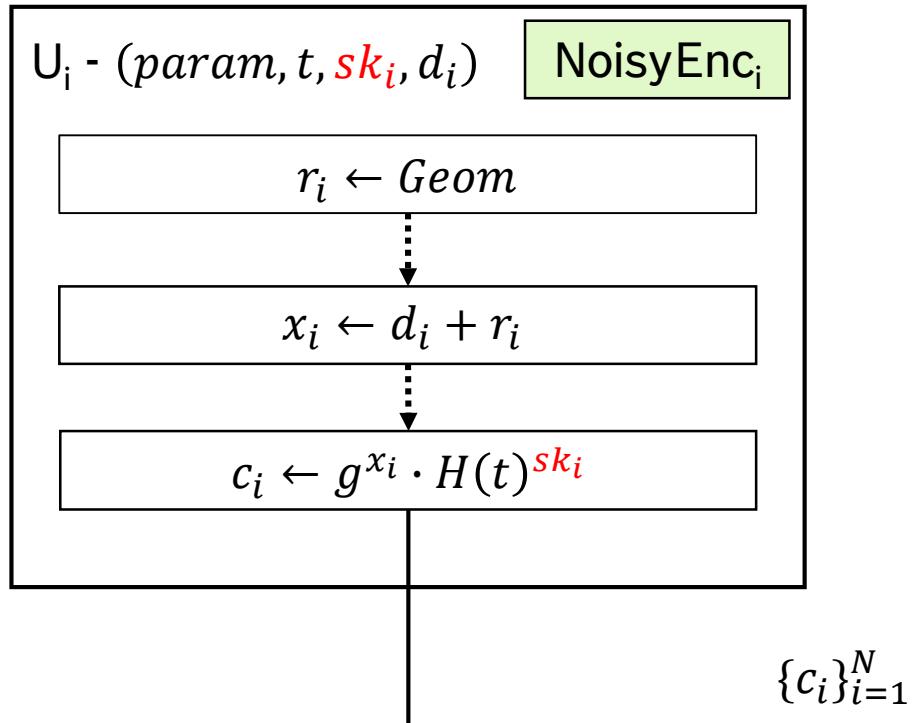
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- Aggregator **obliviousness**  $\leftrightarrow \mathcal{A}$  learns **nothing but** noisy sum  $\Rightarrow x_{agg}$  differentially private



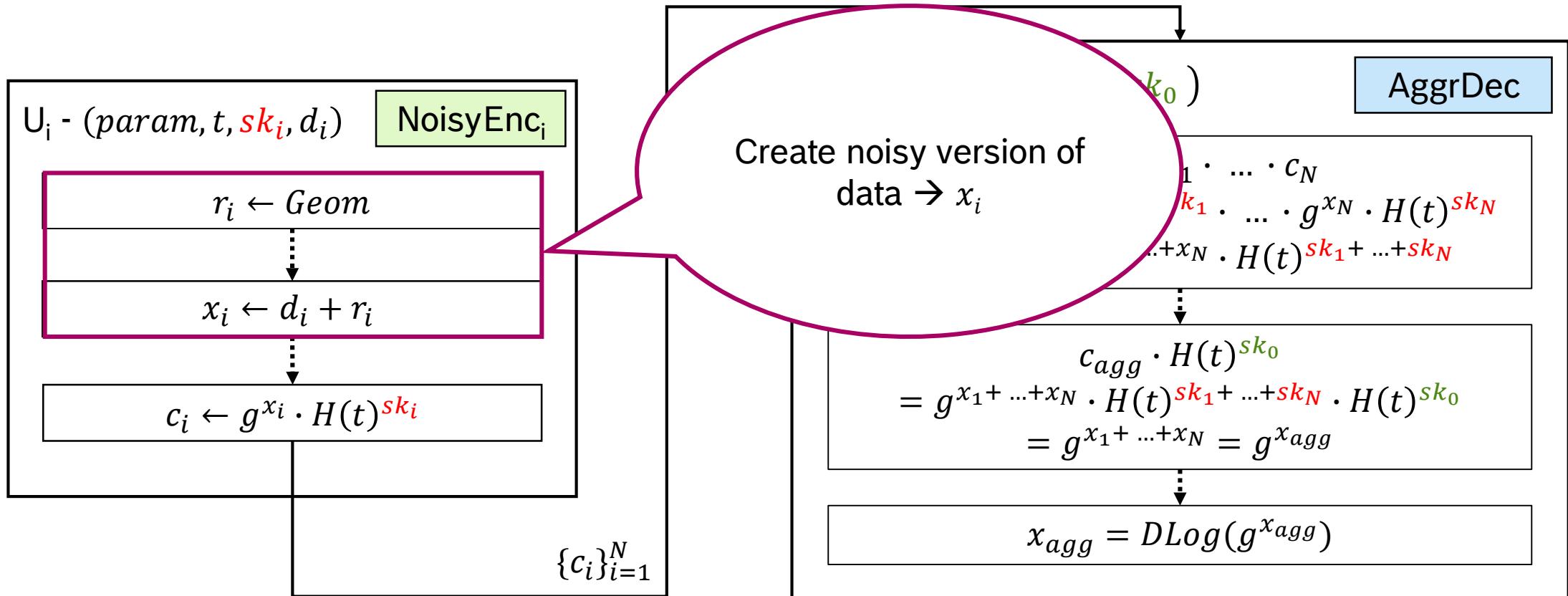
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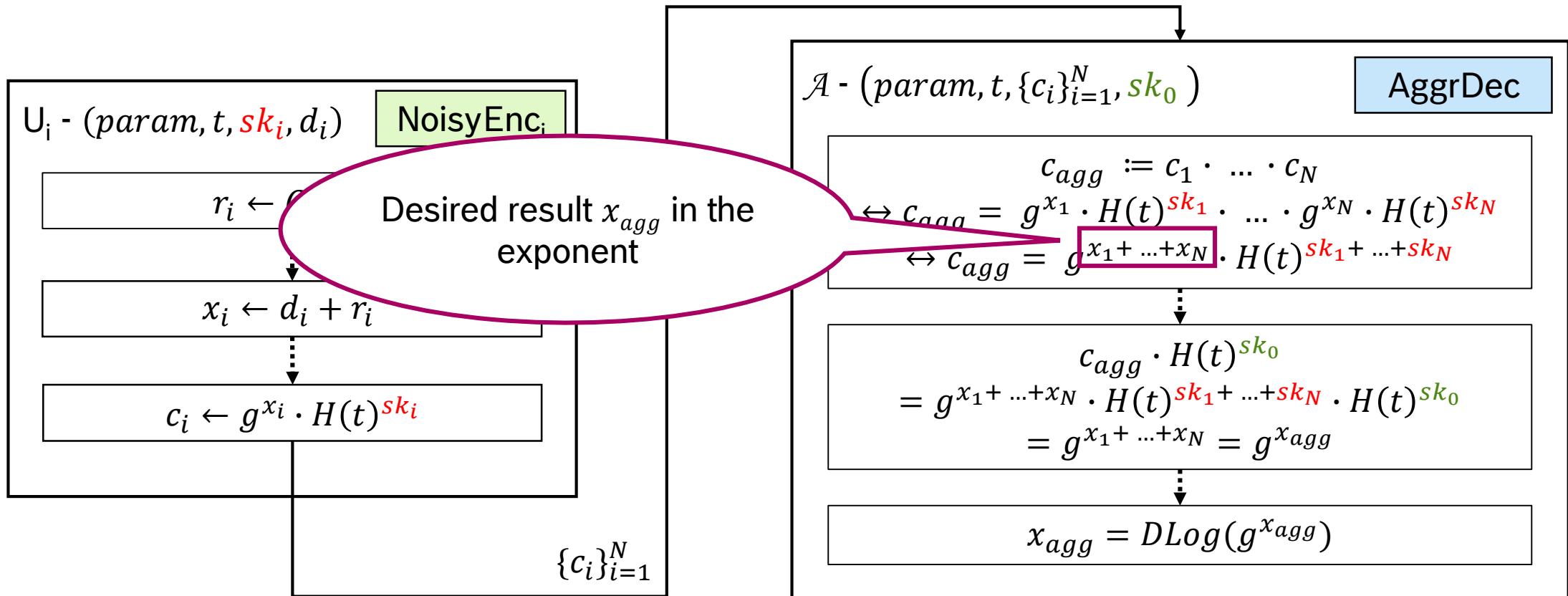
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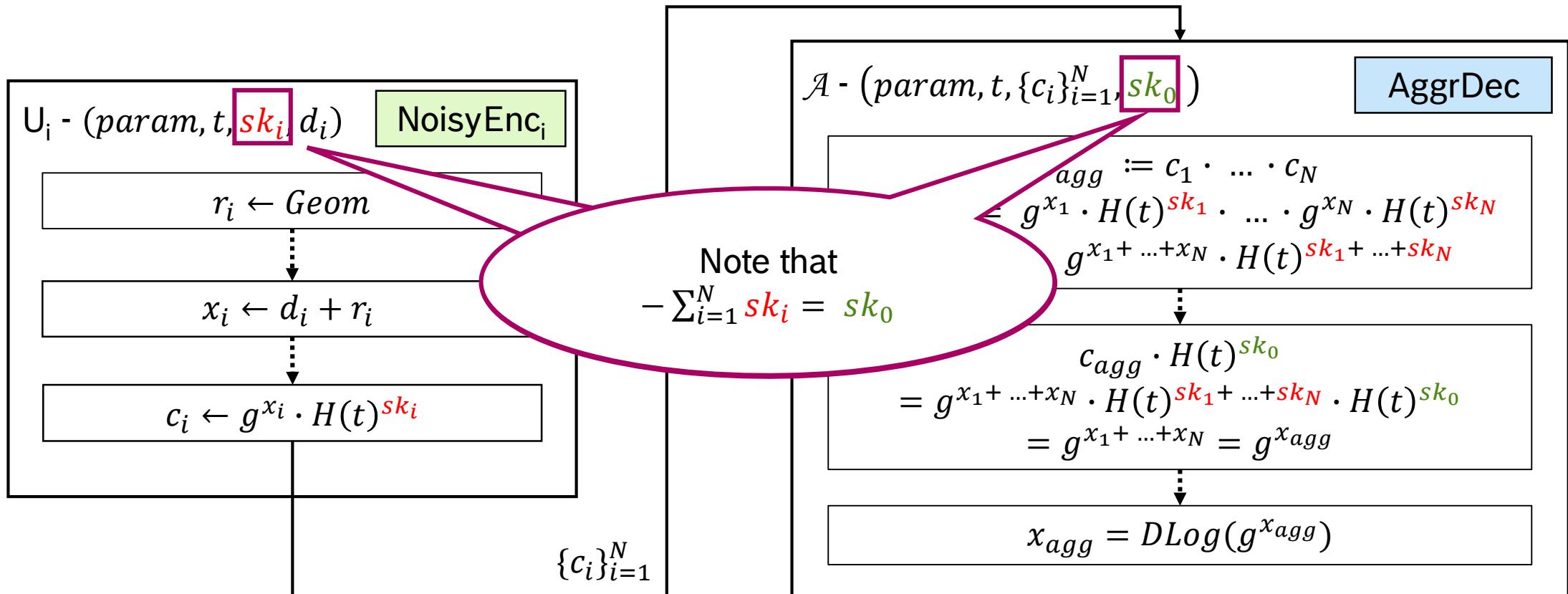
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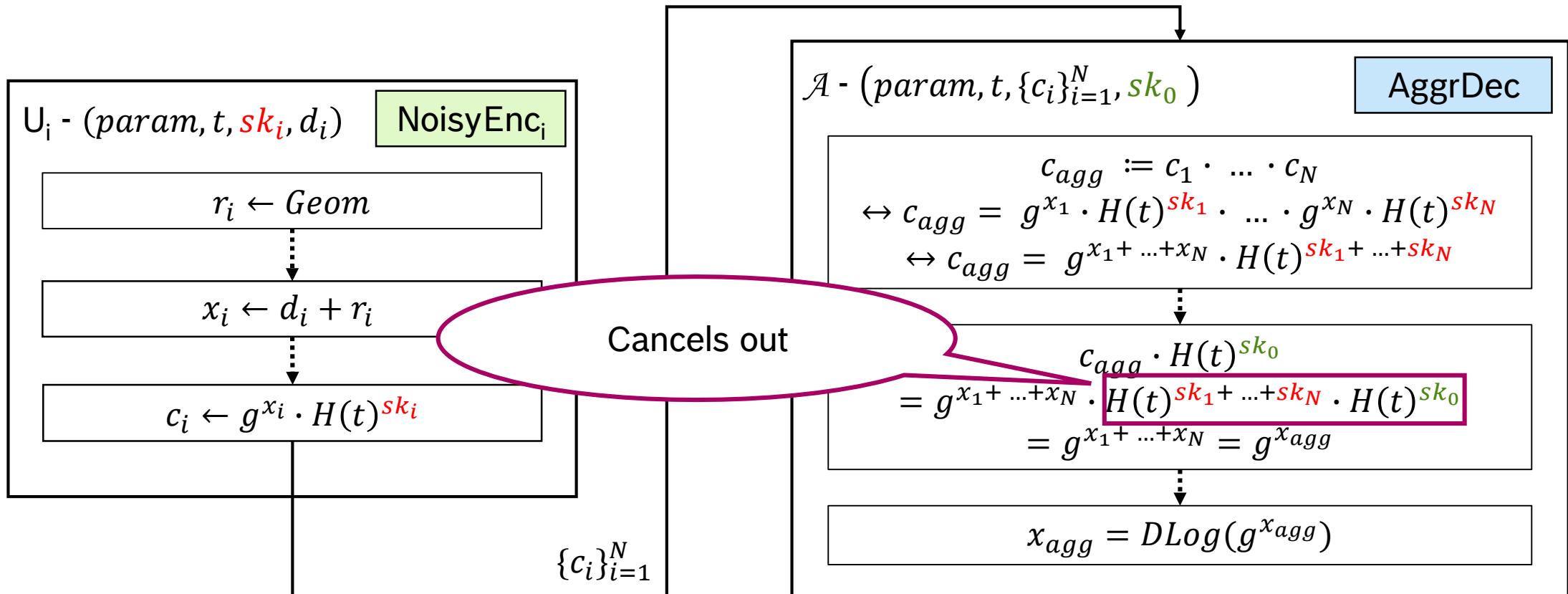
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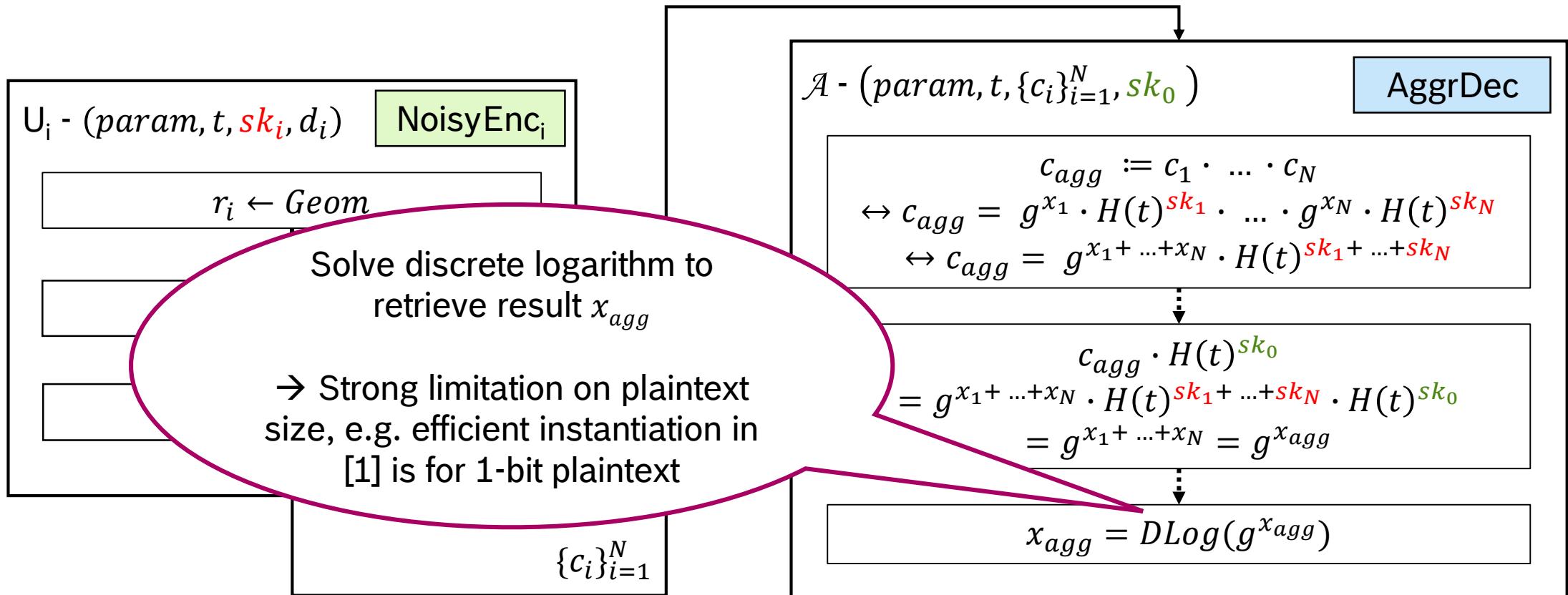
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# Lattice-based PSA (LaPS)

## Goals

- ▶ Overcome previous input limitation [1] of 1 bit for 1000 users
- ▶ Improve security guarantee

Imagine, each user can only send value 0 or 1.

→ max. aggregation value  $\leq 1000$

Note: current schemes are breakable by *quantum* computers

Use LWE-based construction

## Contributions

- ▶ Resolve open problem from [1]
- ▶ Post-quantum security
- ▶ First implementation of PSA scheme: 150 times faster aggregation compared to [1]

Encrypt values up to  $65537 \approx 2^{16}$

→ max. aggregation value  $\lesssim 66$  million  
→  $\approx 66$  thousand times bigger values

# Learning With Errors (LWE) [2]

$$A \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{\lambda \times \kappa}$$
$$s \in \mathbb{Z}_q^\kappa$$
$$b \in \mathbb{Z}_q^\lambda$$
$$(mod q)$$

$A = \begin{pmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} & A_{13} & \dots & A_{1\kappa} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} & A_{23} & \dots & A_{2\kappa} \\ A_{31} & A_{32} & A_{33} & \dots & A_{3\kappa} \\ A_{41} & A_{42} & A_{43} & \dots & A_{4\kappa} \\ \vdots & & & & \\ A_{\lambda 1} & A_{\lambda 2} & A_{\lambda 3} & \dots & A_{\lambda \kappa} \end{pmatrix}$

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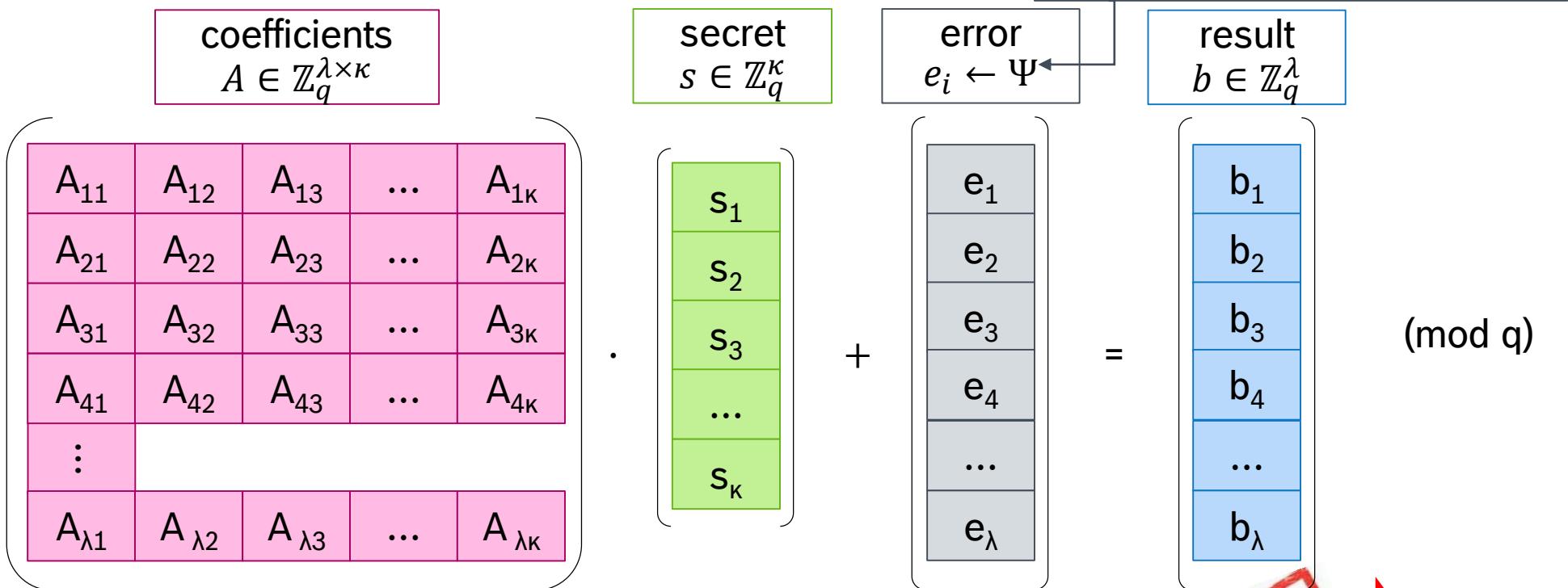
$b = \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \\ b_4 \\ \dots \\ b_\lambda \end{pmatrix}$

$A \cdot s = b$

Given  $(A, b)$ : find  $s$

**SIMPLE**

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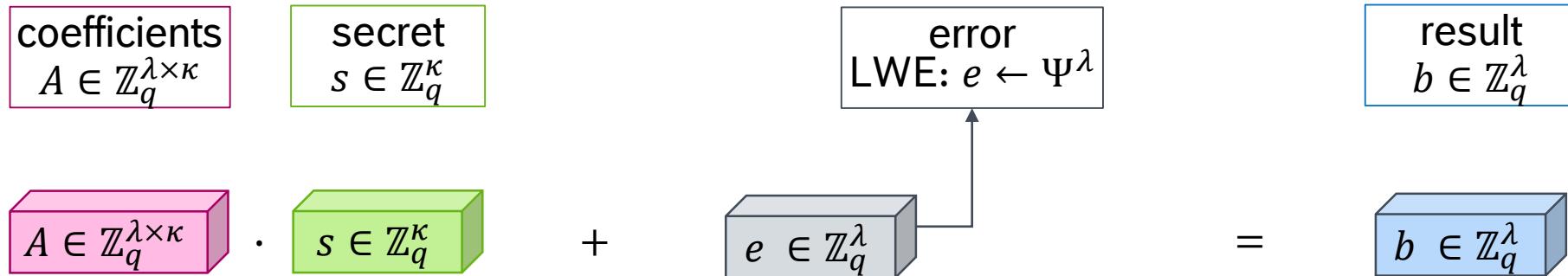
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as hard as worst-case lattice problems\*

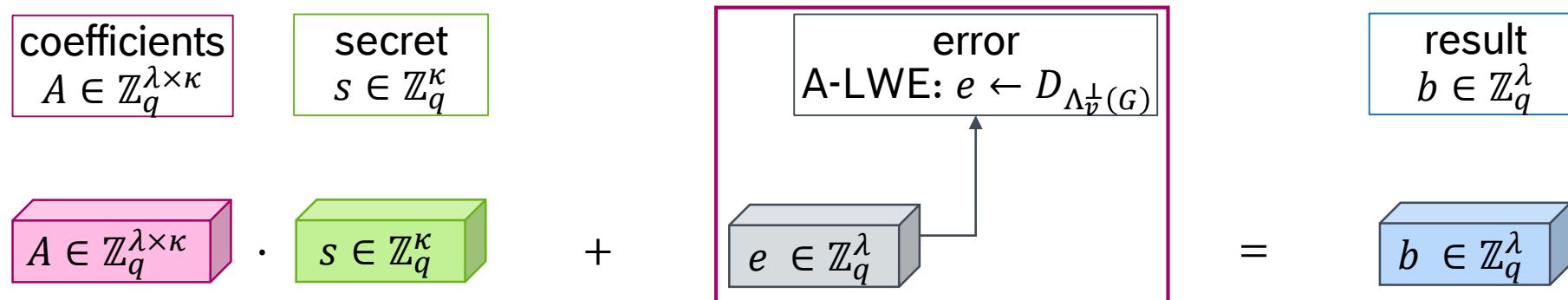
post-quantum secure

\*) relevant parameters:  $(q, \kappa, \Psi)$

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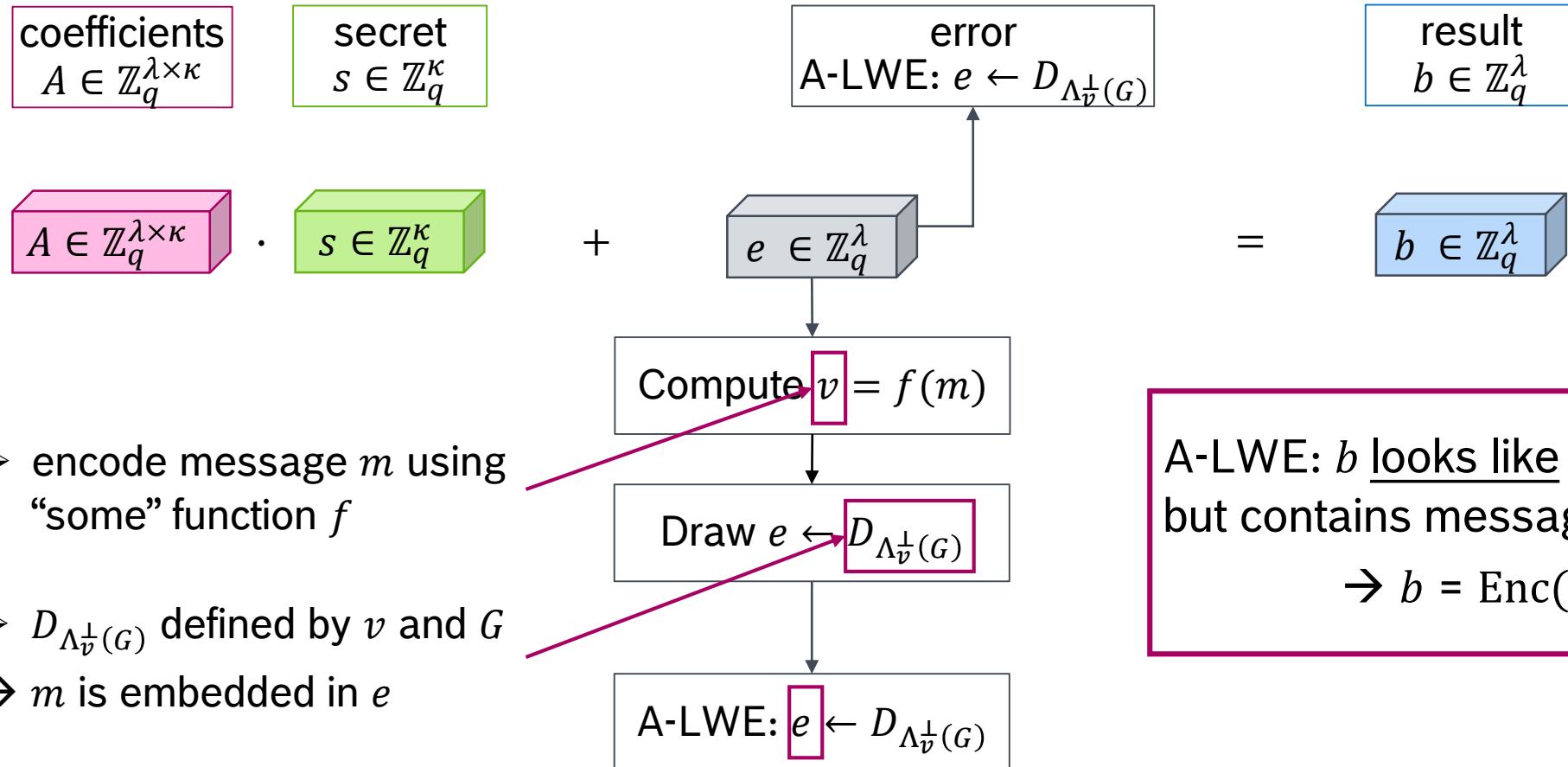


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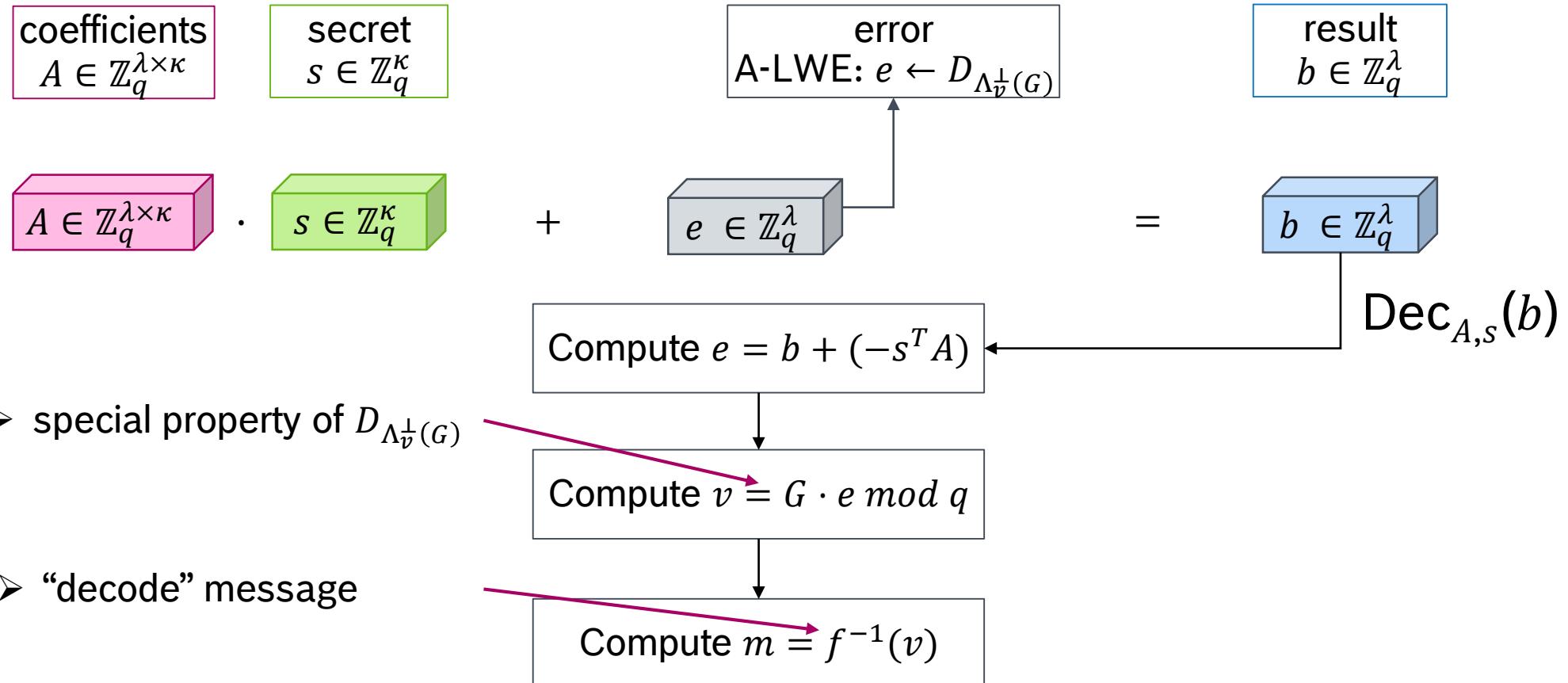
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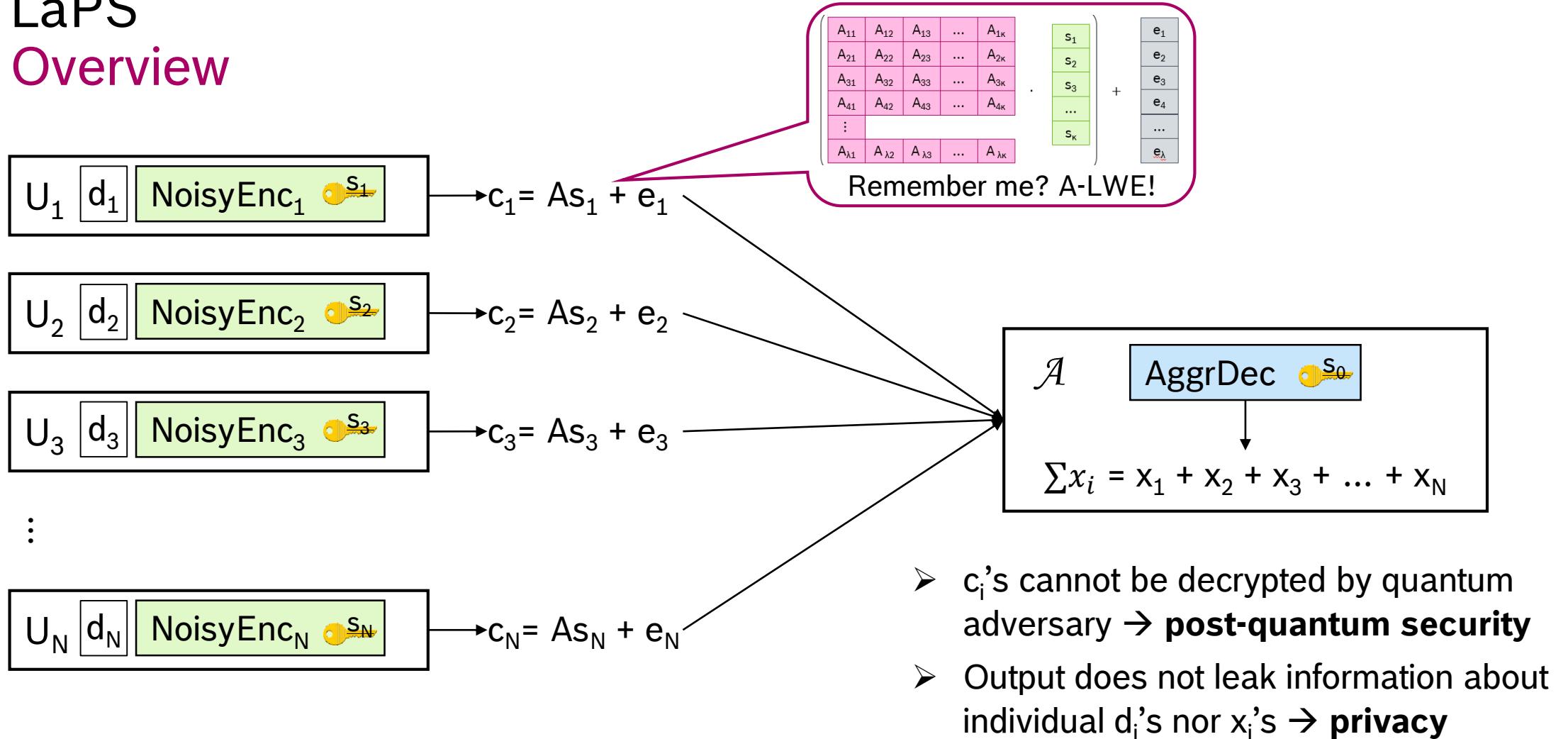


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## Decryption

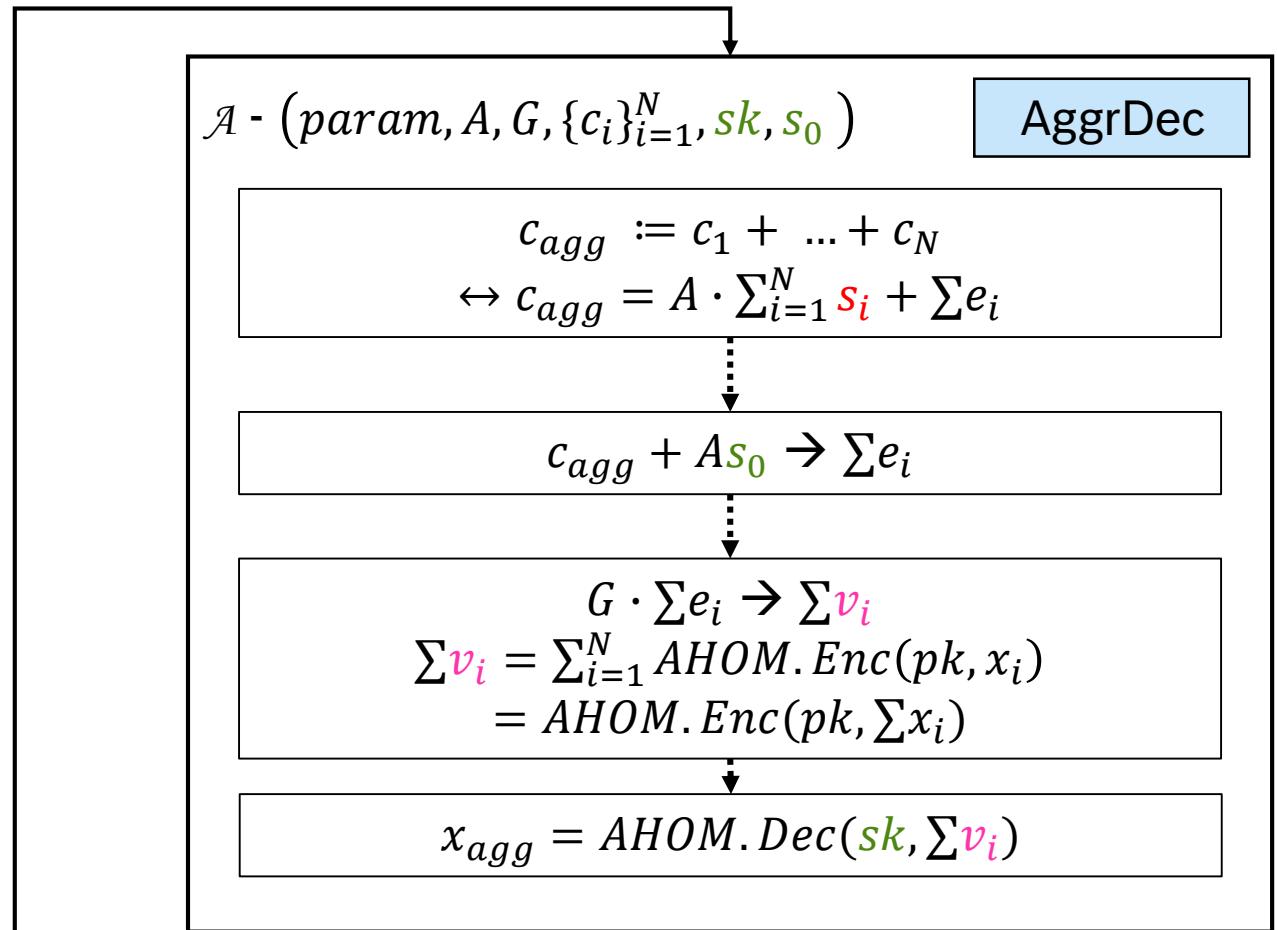
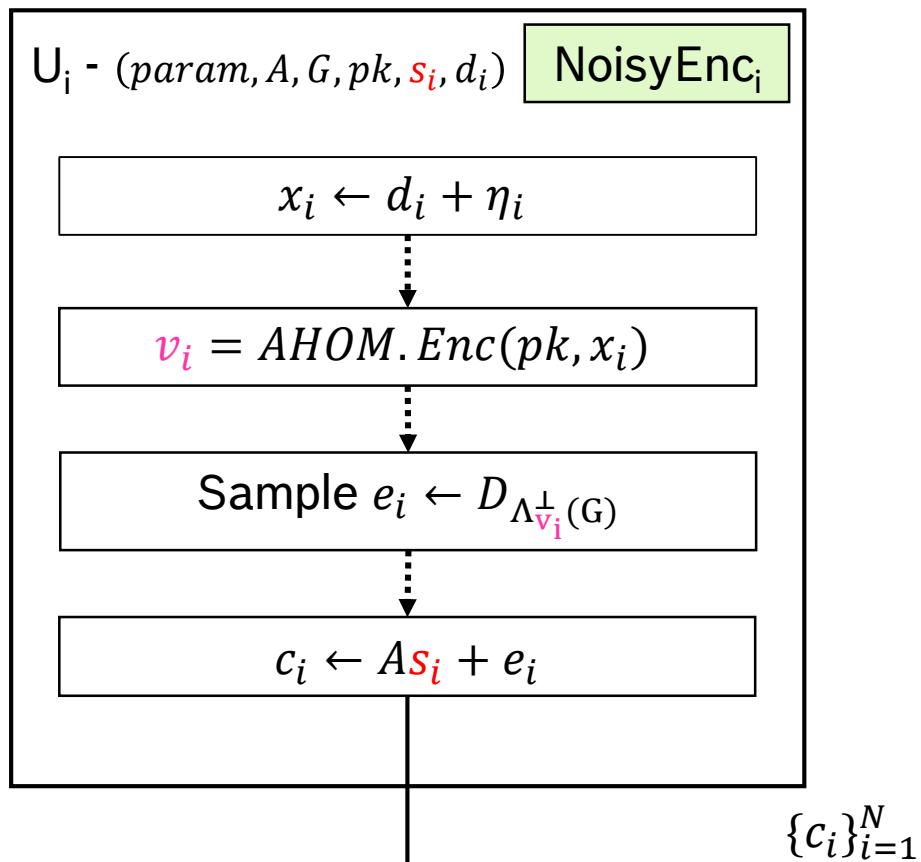


# LaPS Overview



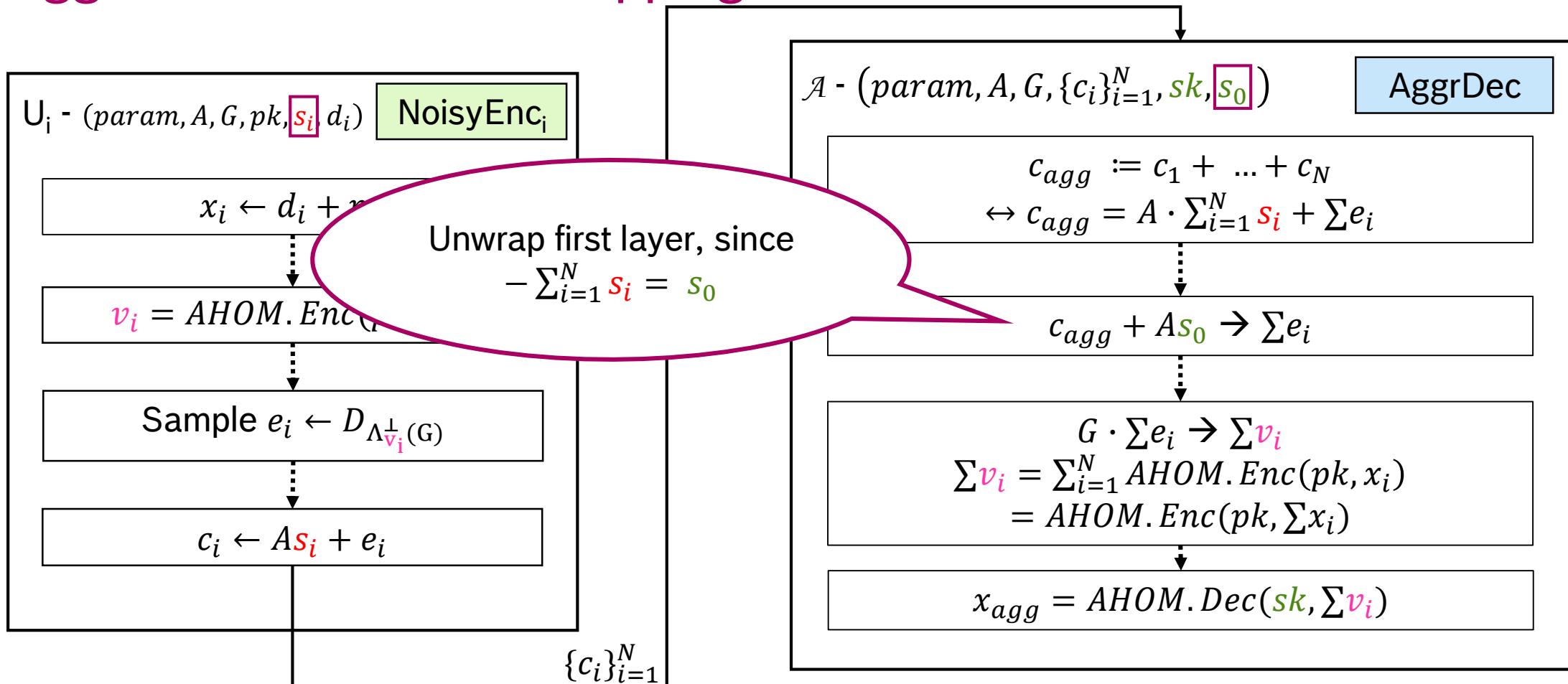
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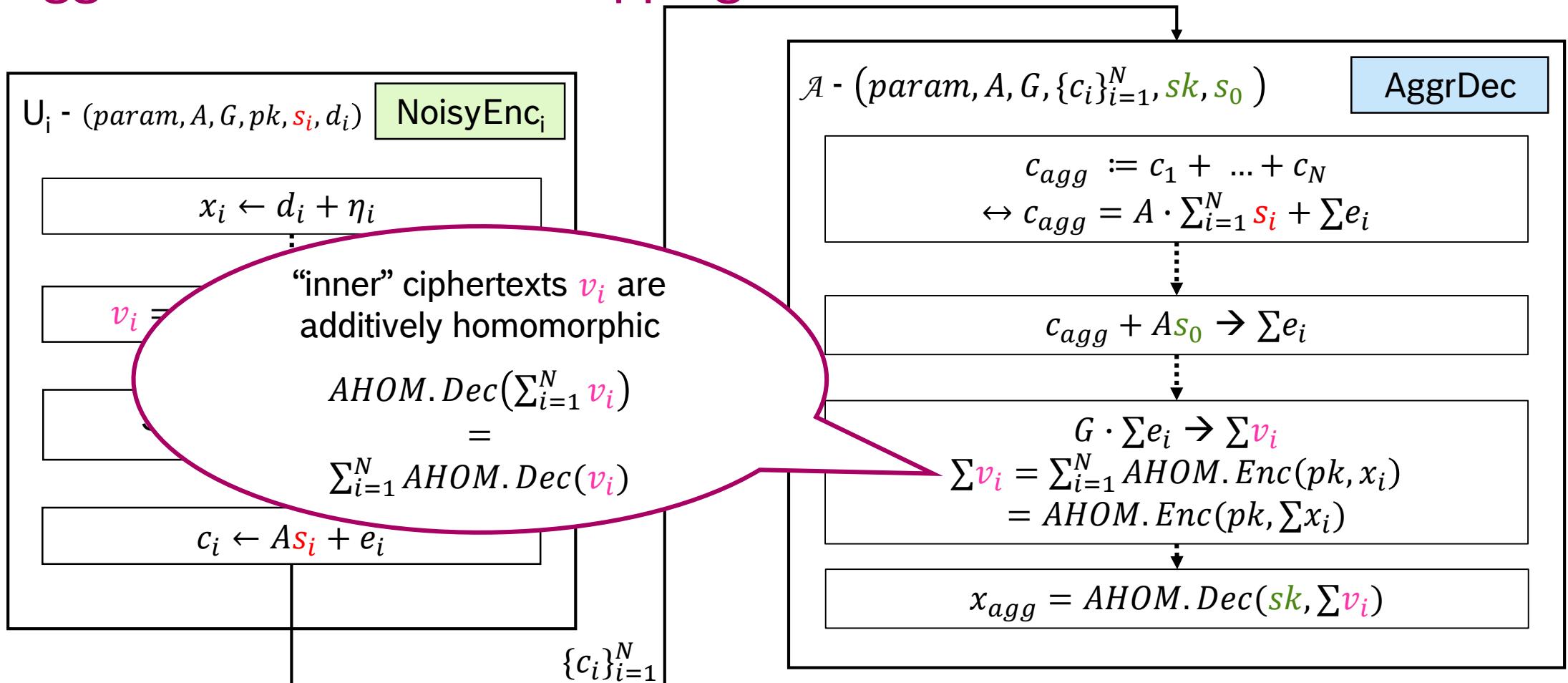
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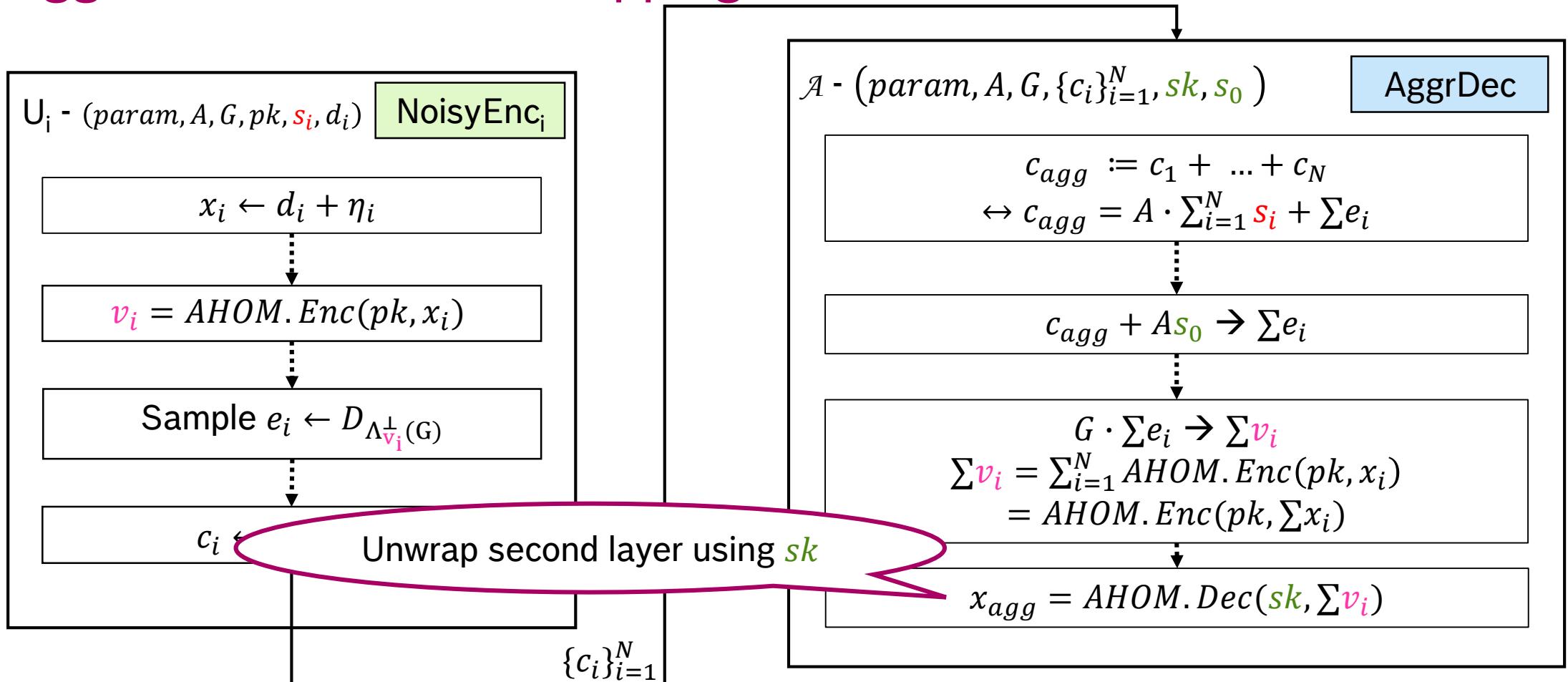
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### Correctness:

As long as

$$\triangleright AHOM.Dec\left(\sum_{i=1}^N v_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^N x_i$$

and since

$$\triangleright G \cdot e_i \bmod q = v_i, \text{ where } e_i \leftarrow D_{\Lambda_{v_i}}^\perp(G),$$

the aggregator indeed outputs the noisy sum aggregate of the users' values. We require *AHOM* to be additively homomorphic - therefore the sum of the homomorphic ciphertexts  $\sum_{i=1}^N v_i$  corresponds to an encryption of the sum of the underlying plaintexts  $\sum_{i=1}^N x_i$ .

$\mathcal{A} - (param, A, G, \{c_i\}_{i=1}^N, sk, s_0)$

AggrDec

$$c_{agg} := c_1 + \dots + c_N \\ \Leftrightarrow c_{agg} = A \cdot \sum_{i=1}^N s_i + \sum e_i$$

$$c_{agg} + A s_0 \rightarrow \sum e_i$$

$$G \cdot \sum e_i \rightarrow \sum v_i \\ \sum v_i = \sum_{i=1}^N AHOM.Enc(pk, x_i) \\ = AHOM.Enc(pk, \sum x_i)$$

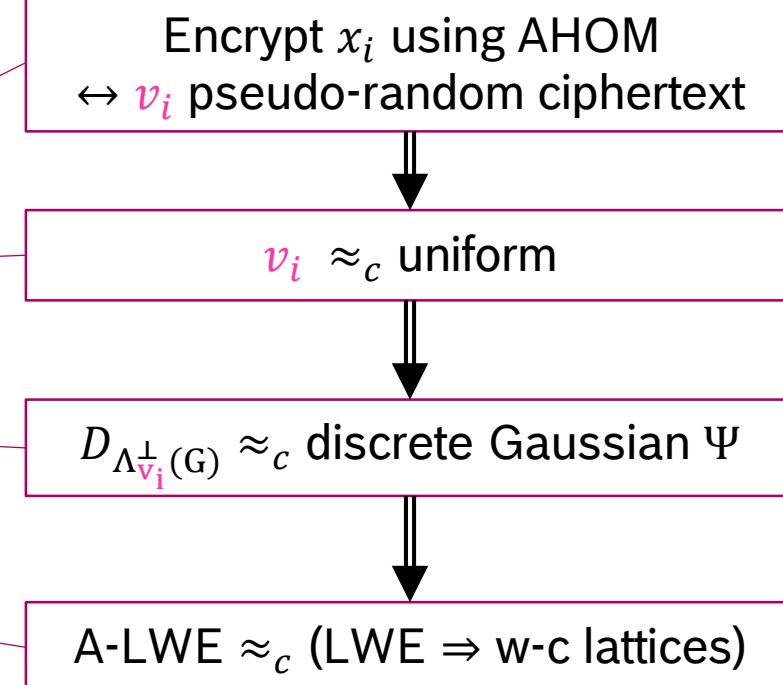
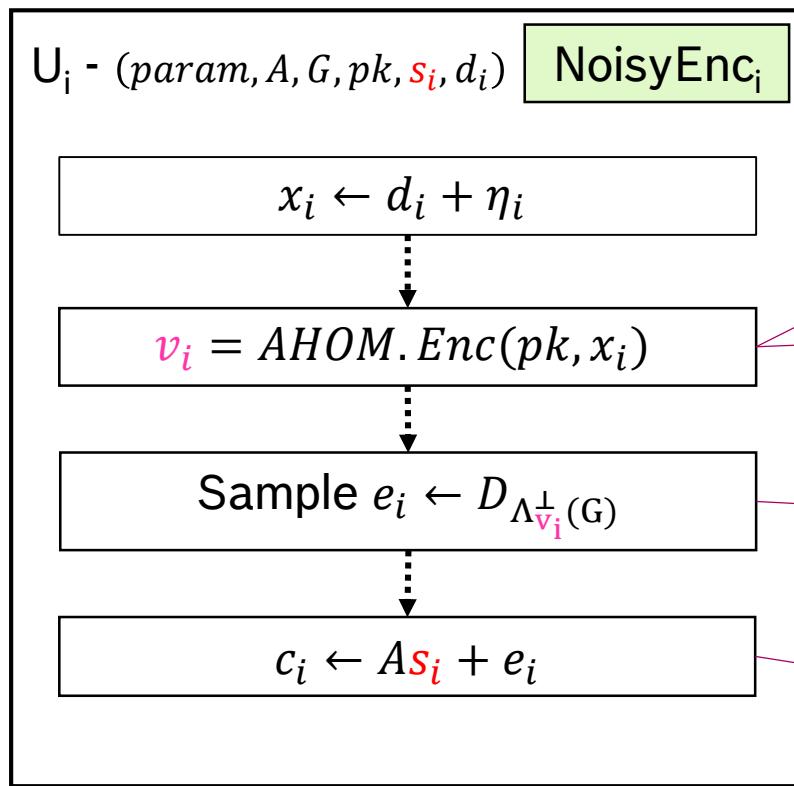
$$x_{agg} = AHOM.Dec(sk, \sum v_i)$$

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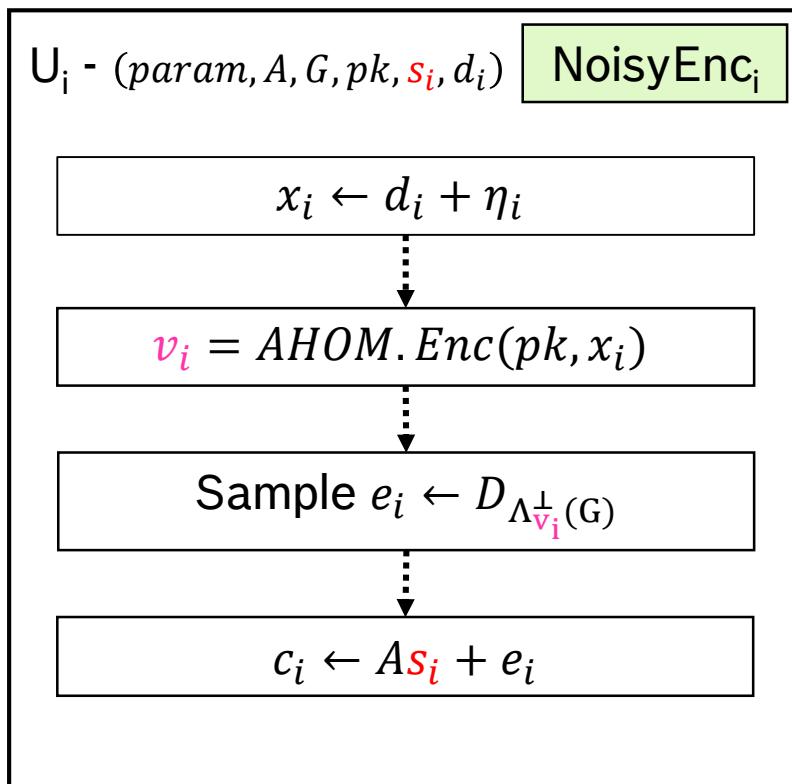


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Theorem 1 (Semantic Security):

Let the output of  $AHOM.Enc$  be indistinguishable from random [...]. Then, the ciphertexts generated by NoisyEnc in are *semantically secure* assuming the hardness of worst case lattice problems.

Theorem 2 (Aggregator Obliviousness Security):

Let the output of  $AHOM.Enc$  be indistinguishable from random [...]. LaPS satisfies *aggregator oblivious security* assuming the hardness of worst case lattice problems.

# LaPS Instantiation Experimental Results

Instantiation using  $\mathcal{M}_\chi \rightarrow$  discrete Laplace mechanism and  $AHOM \rightarrow$  reduced\* BGV encryption scheme

	BEFORE [1]		AFTER (this work)**	
NoisyEnc <sub>i</sub>	$p \in \{0,1\}$ :	0.6 ms	$p \leq 5$ : $p \leq 37$ : $p \leq 65537$ :	3.58 ms 3.62 ms 3.73 ms
AggrDec	$p \in \{0,1\}$ :	300 ms	$p \leq 5$ : $p \leq 37$ : $p \leq 65537$ :	1.87 ms 1.88 ms 1.96 ms

\*) Original BGV Scheme [4], adapted from [5] and reduced to homomorphic addition (, i.e. no multiplication)

\*\*) Runtime results [ms] for LaPS instance for 1000 users, 80-bit security

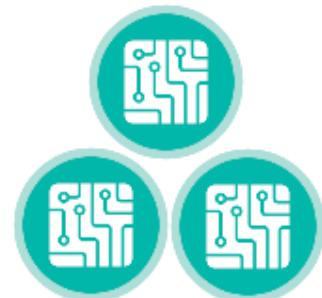
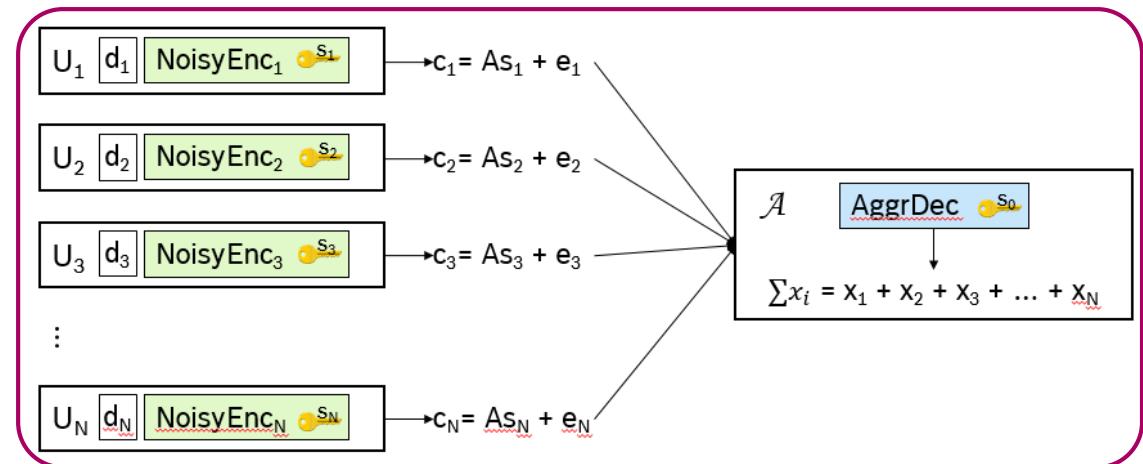
MacBook, macOS Sierra, single 2.5 GHz Intel Core i7 and 16GB memory; averaged over 1000 runs

[4] Z. Brakerski and V. Vaikuntanathan, *Efficient Fully Homomorphic Encryption from (Standard) LWE*. ECCC 2011.

[5] I. Damgård, M. Keller, E. Larraia, V. Pastro, P. Scholl, and N. P. Smart. *Practical Covertly Secure MPC for Dishonest Majority or: Breaking the SPDZ Limits*. ESORICS 2013.

# Summary

- ▶ Lattice-based Private Stream Aggregation
  - ▶ Plug-and-play deployment of additively homomorphic encryption
- ▶ Strong security & privacy guarantees
  - ▶ (Augmented) LWE-assumption provides post-quantum security
  - ▶ Formal Differential Privacy analysis
- ▶ Significant efficiency improvements compared to previous work
  - ▶ 150 times faster decryption
  - ▶  $\approx 66000$  times larger plaintext space

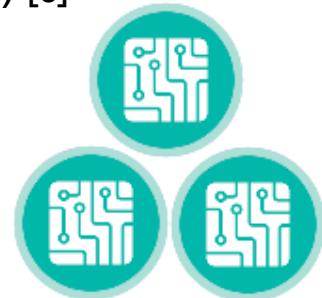


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# Outlook

- ▶ Dynamic joins and leaves / user failures
- ▶ Enhance scheme to aggregator unforgeability / public verifiability of aggregate result
  - ▶ E.g. by combining with Homomorphic Aggregate Signature scheme (HAS) [6]



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