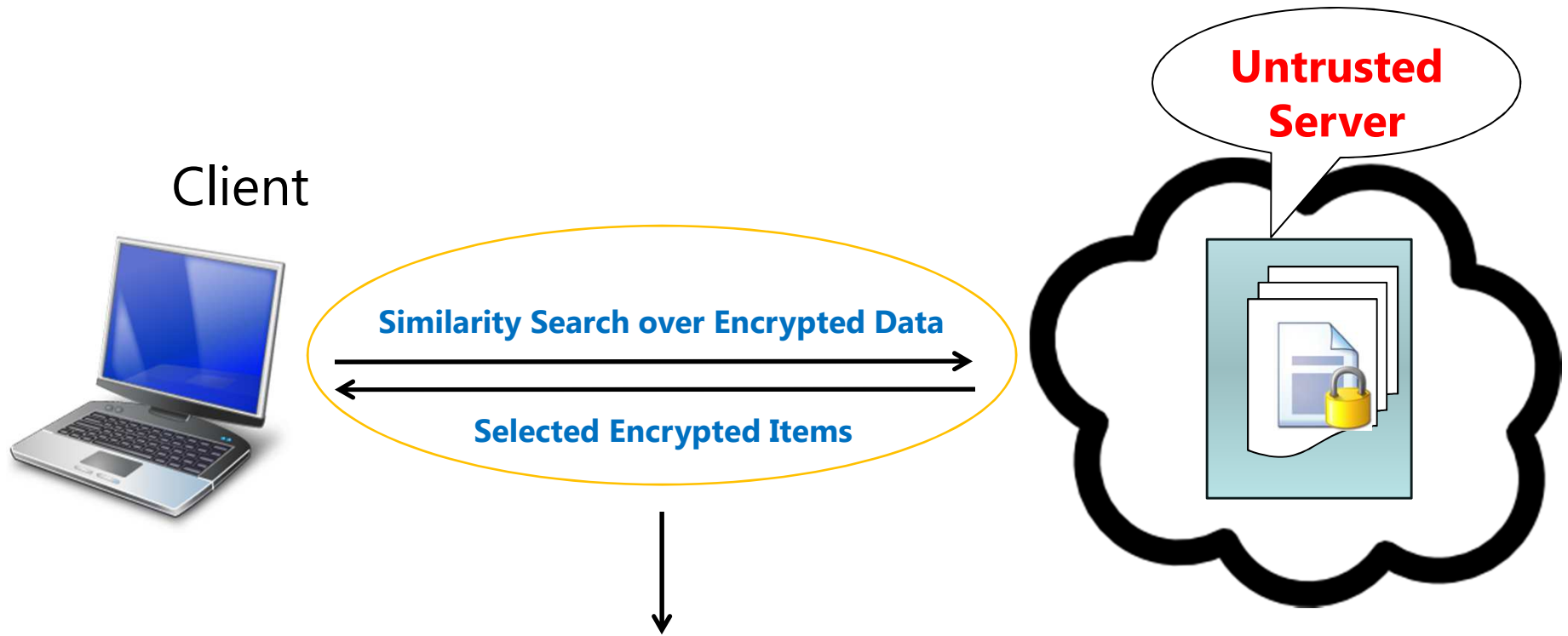


Efficient Similarity Search over Encrypted Data

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Introduction



Requires: **Efficient and Secure**
Similarity Searchable Encryption Protocols

Problem Formulation

- **BuildIndex(K, D):** Extract feature set for each data item in D and form secure index I with key K.
- **Trapdoor (K, f):** Generate a trapdoor for a specific feature f with key K and output T.
- **Search(I,T):** Perform search on I with trapdoor of feature f (T) and output encrypted collection C:

$$C_j \in C \text{ if } \exists(f_i \in F_j) [dist(f_i, f) \leq \alpha]$$

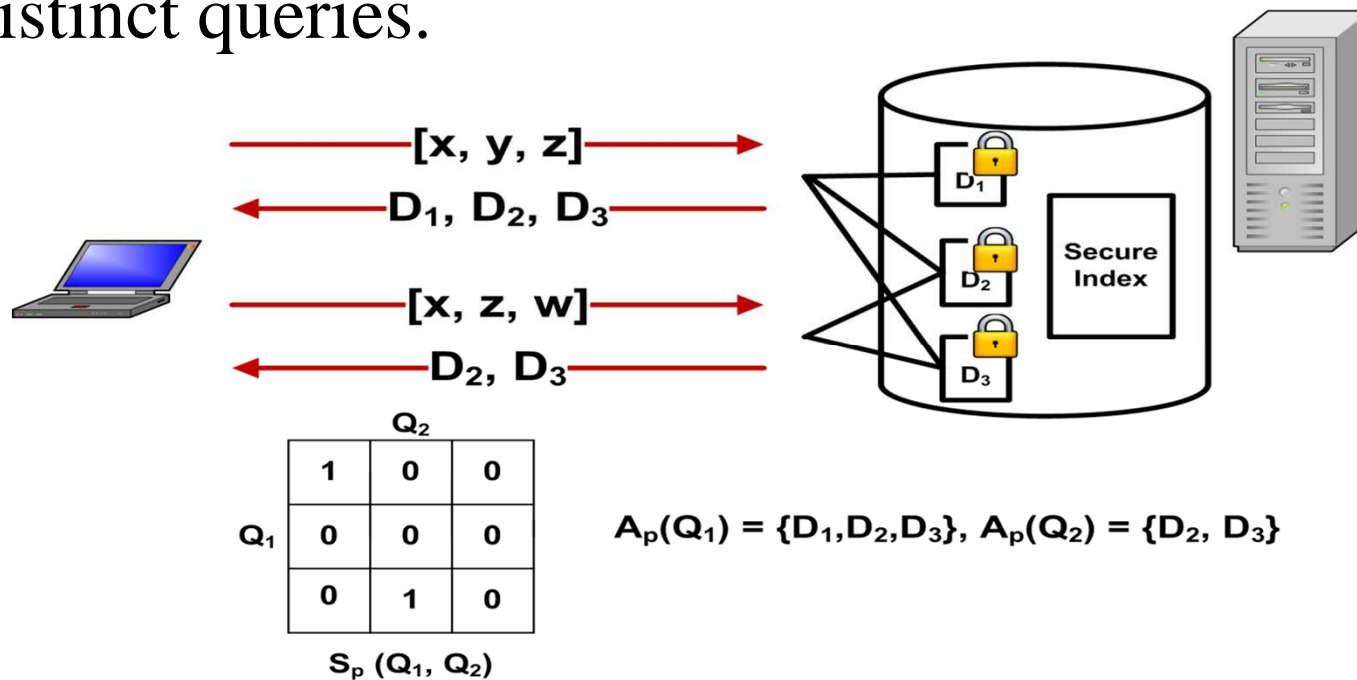
$$C_j \notin C \text{ if } \forall(f_i \in F_j) [dist(f_i, f) \geq \beta]$$

Locality Sensitive Hashing

- Family of functions is said to be (r_1, r_2, p_1, p_2) -sensitive if for any $x, y \in F$ and for any $h \in H$.
 - if $dist(x, y) \leq r_1$, then $Pr[h(x) = h(y)] \geq p_1$
 - if $dist(x, y) \geq r_2$, then $Pr[h(x) = h(y)] \leq p_2$
- A composite function $g: (g_1, \dots, g_\lambda)$ can be formed to push p_1 closer to 1 and p_2 closer to 0 by adjusting the LSH parameters (k, λ) .

Security Goals

- Access Pattern (A_p): Identifiers of data items that are in the result set of a specific query.
- Similarity Pattern (S_p): Relative similarity among distinct queries.



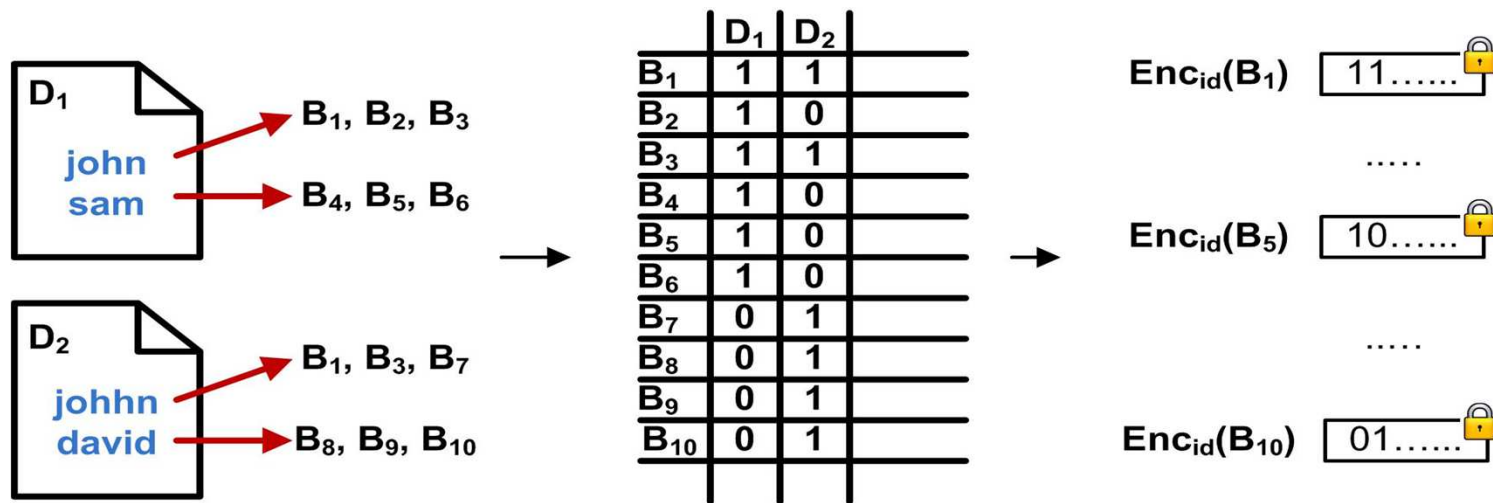
Secure LSH Index

- Content of any bucket B_k is a bit vector (V_{B_k}):

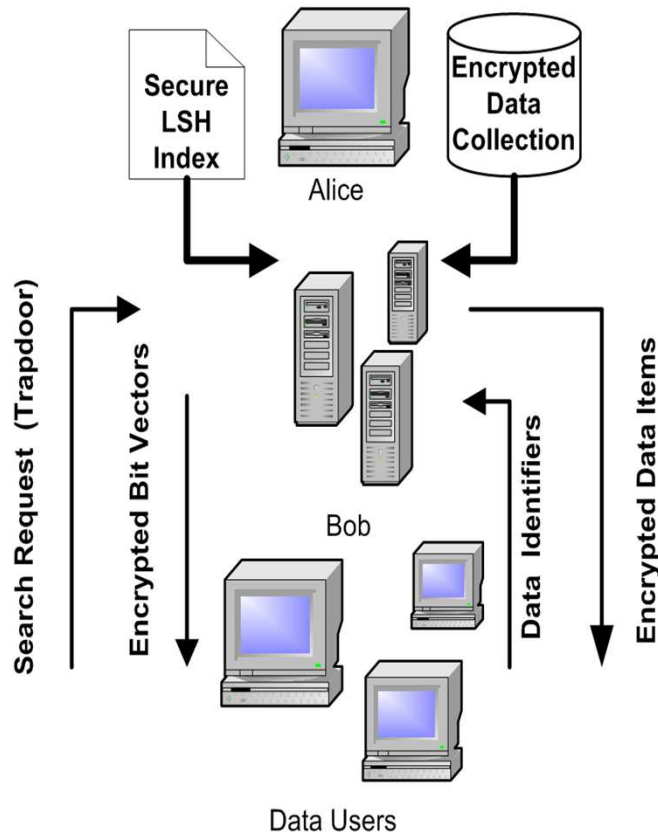
$$V_{B_k}[id(D_z)] = 1 \quad \text{if } g_i(f_j) = B_k \text{ for } g_i \in g, f_j \in D_z$$

$$V_{B_k}[id(D_z)] = 0 \quad \text{otherwise}$$

- $[\text{Enc}_{id}(B_k), \text{Enc}_{payload}(V_{B_k})] \in I.$



Secure Search Scheme



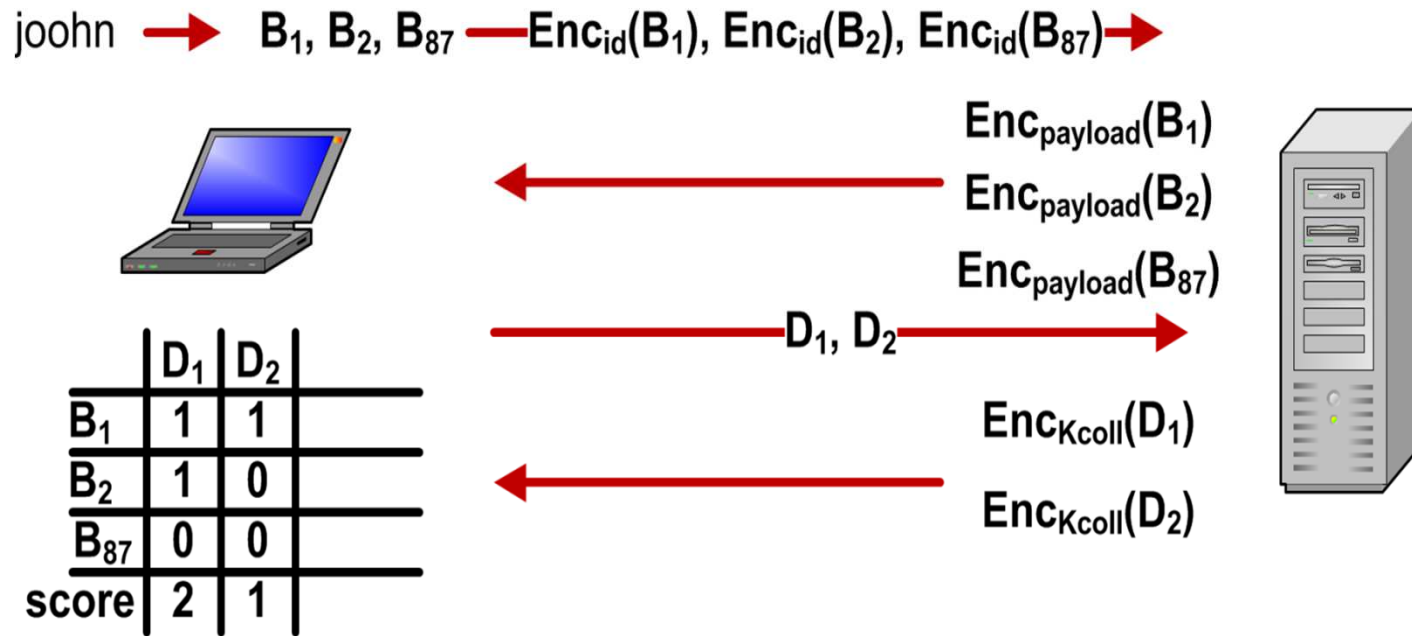
Shared Information

- K_{coll} : Secret key of data collection encryption
- $K_{\text{id}}, K_{\text{payload}}$: Secret keys of index construction
- ρ : Metric space translation function
- g : Locality sensitive function

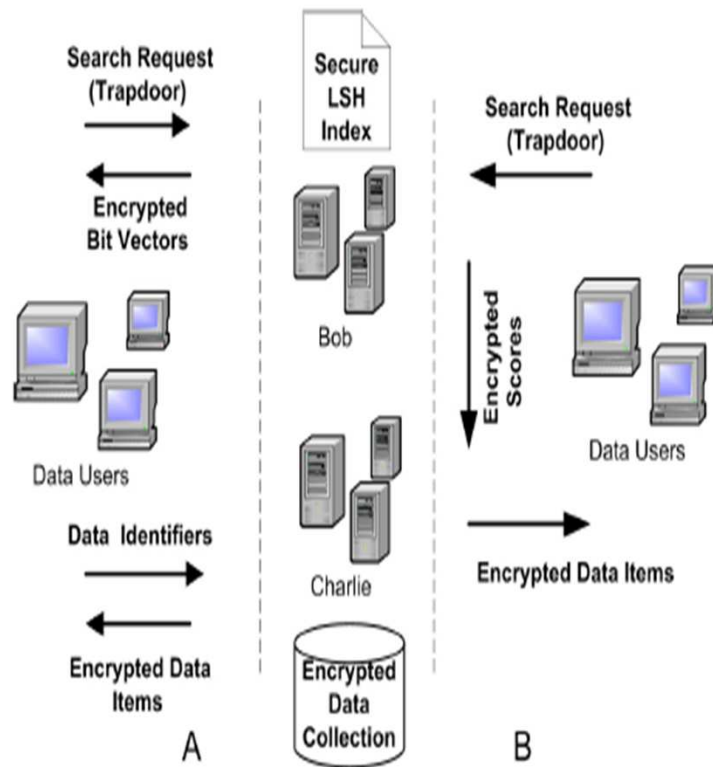
Secure Search Scheme

- Trapdoor Construction for feature f_i :

$$T_{f_i} = \{Enc_{id}(g_1(\rho(f_i))), \dots, Enc_{id}(g_\lambda(\rho(f_i)))\}$$



Multi-Server Setting



- Basic search scheme reveals similarity and access patterns.
- It is desirable to separate leaked information to mitigate potential attacks.
- Multi-server setting enables lighter clients.

One Round Search Scheme

- This scheme is built on Paillier encryption that is semantically secure and additive homomorphic.

if $(\pi_S, \sigma_{V_S}) \in I$, then $(\pi_S, [e_{S_1}, \dots, e_{S_\ell}]) \in I'$

$e_{S_k} = Enc_{K_{pub}}(1)$ if $V_S[id(D_j)] = 1$

$e_{S_k} = Enc_{K_{pub}}(0)$ otherwise

	D ₁	D ₂
B ₁	1	1
B ₂	1	0
B ₃	1	1
B ₄	1	0
B ₅	1	0
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B ₇	0	1
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B ₁₀	0	1



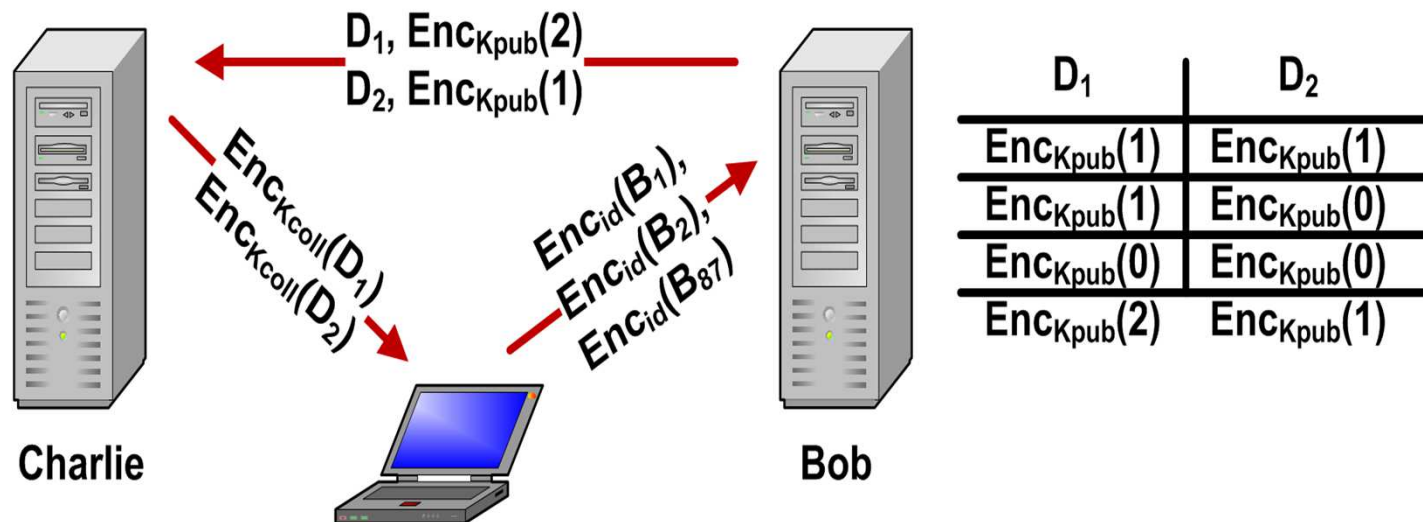
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B ₁₀	Enc _{K_{pub}} (0)	Enc _{K_{pub}} (1)

One Round Search Scheme

- Bob performs homomorphic addition on the payloads of trapdoor components.

$$\omega_{score(i)} = e_{t_1(i)} \odot \dots \odot e_{t_\lambda(i)}$$

$(i, \omega_{score(i)})$ pairs are sent to Charlie

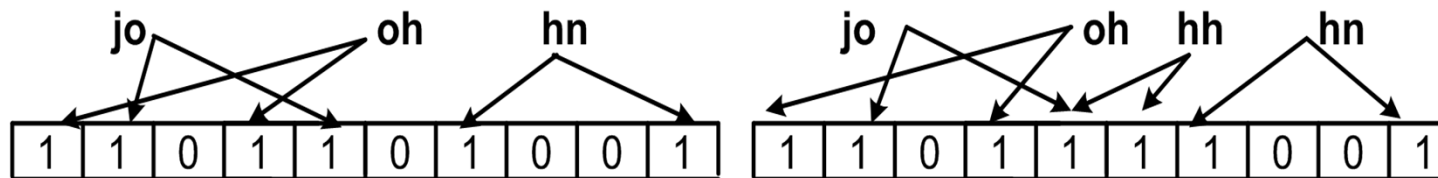


Error Aware Keyword Search

- Typographical errors are common both in the queries and data sources.
- In this context, data items be the documents, features be the words in the document and query feature be a keyword.
- Bloom filter encoding enables efficient space translation for approximate string matching.

Error Aware Keyword Search

- Elegant locality sensitive family has been designed for Jaccard distance (MinHash) that is $[r_1, r_2, 1-r_1, 1-r_2]$ sensitive.



$$A = \rho(\text{john}) = \{1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 10\}$$

$$B = \rho(\text{johhn}) = \{1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10\}$$

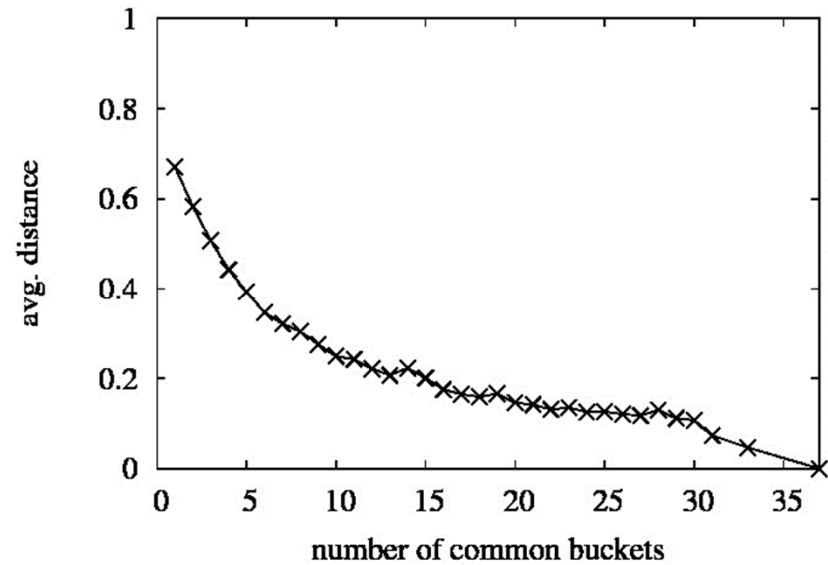
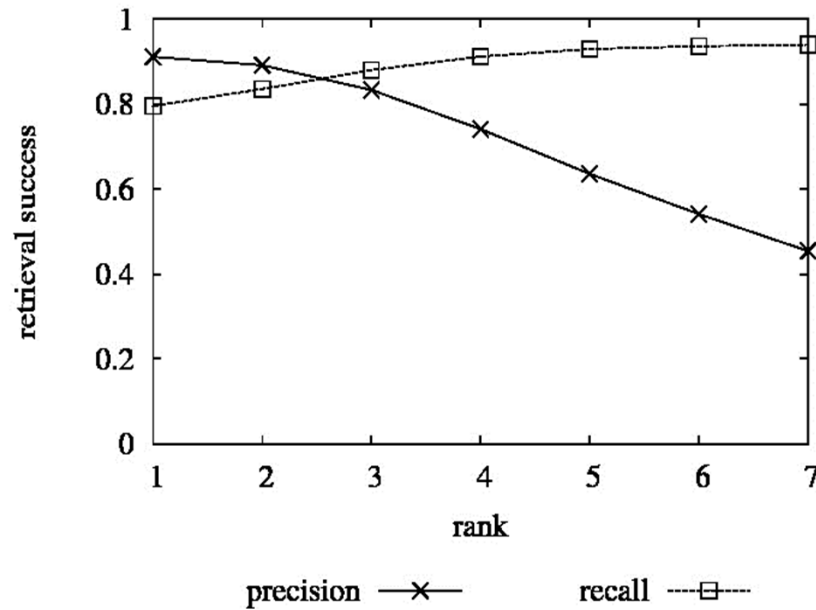
$$J_d(A,B) = 1 - |A \cap B| / |A \cup B| \quad J_d(A,B) = 1 - 6/7 = 0.14$$

Experimental Setup

- A sample corpus of 5000 emails is constructed from publicly available Enron e-mail dataset.
- Words in e-mails are embedded into 500 bit Bloom filter with 15 hash functions.
- $(0.45, 0.8, 0.85, 0.01)$ -sensitive family is formed from MinHash to tolerate typos. Common typos are introduced into the queries %25 of the time.
- Default Parameters: (Number of documents: 5000, Number of features: 5000, $k:5$, $\lambda: 37$).

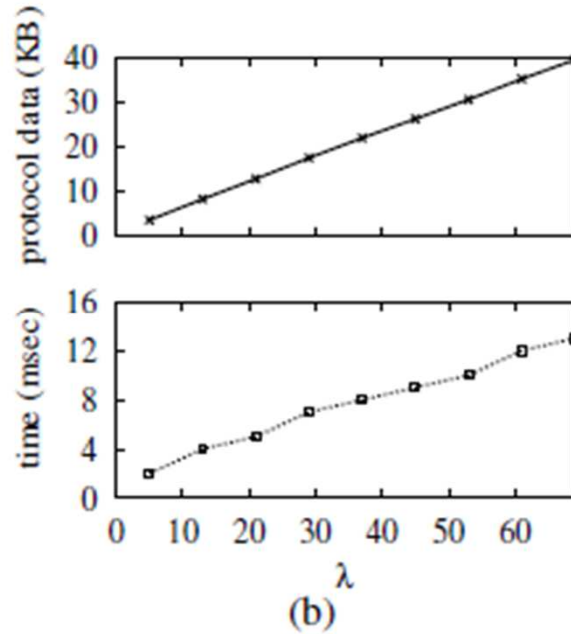
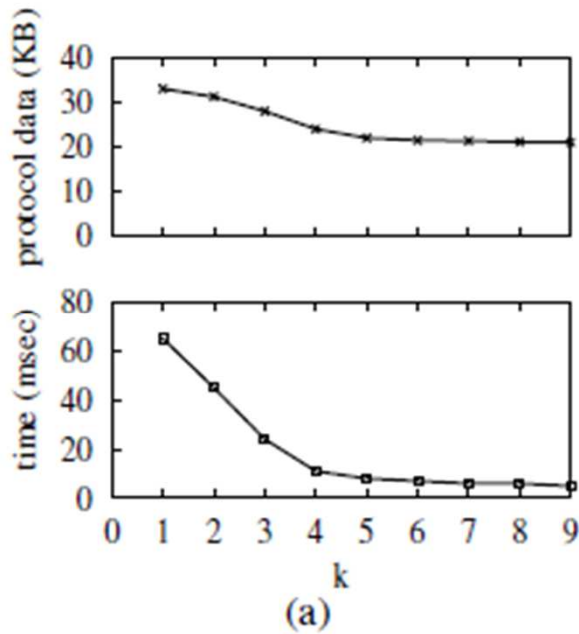
Retrieval Evaluation

- Ranking limits retrieval of irrelevant items.



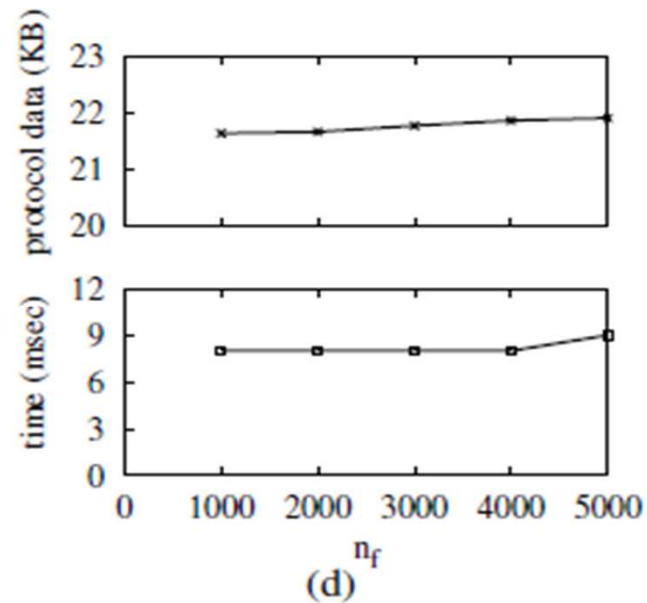
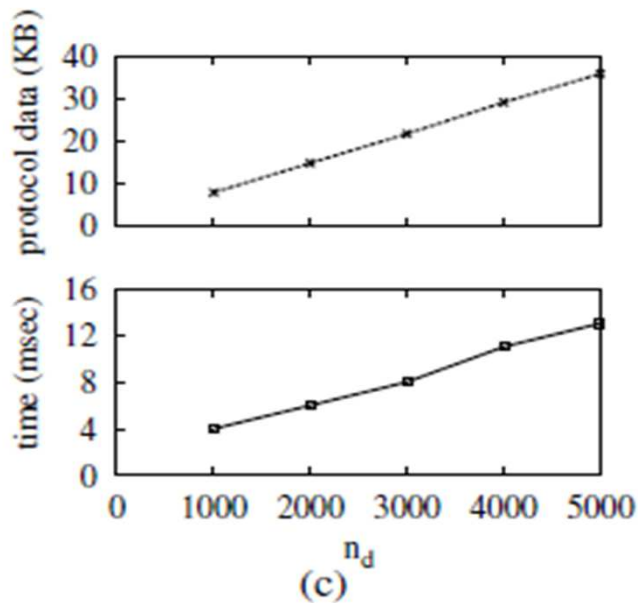
Performance Evaluation (Single Server)

- Increase in k and decrease in λ have similar effects. Decrease in λ leads smaller trapdoors.



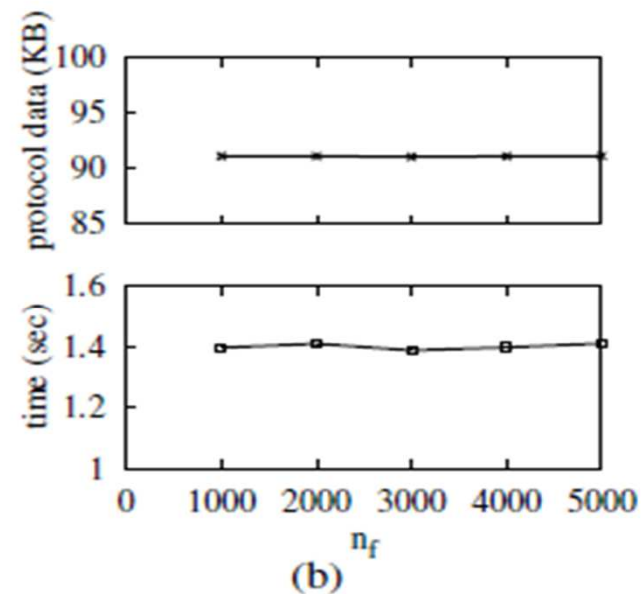
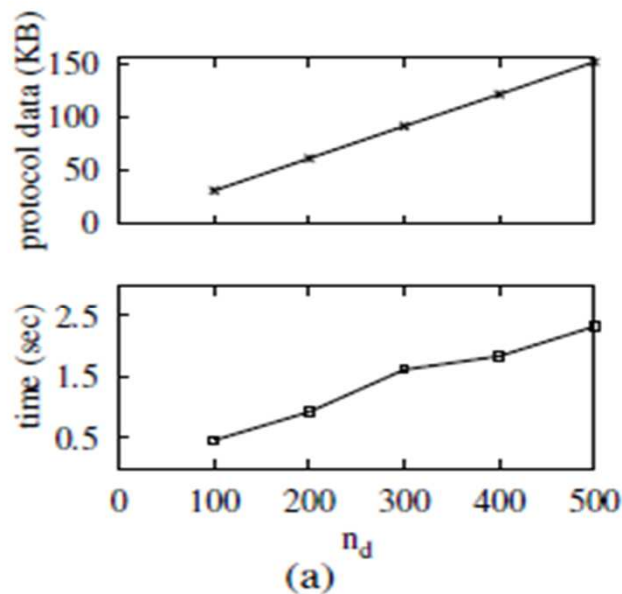
Performance Evaluation (Single Server)

- With increasing n_d , matching documents and the size of transferred bit vectors becomes larger.



Performance Evaluation (Multi-Server)

- Transfer of homomorphic addition results between servers is the main bottleneck.



Conclusion

- We proposed LSH based secure index and search scheme to enable fast similarity search over encrypted data.
- We provided a rigorous security definition and proved the security of the scheme to ensure confidentiality of the sensitive data.
- Efficiency of the proposed scheme is verified with empirical analysis.

Conclusion

THANKS ...!

QUESTIONS?