SaTC: CORE: Small Nested Black-Box Constructions in Cryptography



Challenges: Protocol-equip. primitives (PEPs): black-box, ZK/SMC Composition Gen-purpose theorems PEPs: (

- Key innovation: GL style def., cut-&-choose inspired constructions for core primitives
- Methods for composing PEPs, and through them, development of GMW style theorems

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Scientific Impact:

- Provide a unified theory of black-box (BB) constructions, particularly in ZK and secure computation
- Enable a fundamentally new understanding of BB constructions
- Potential to yield new and improved BB constructions

Broader Impact and Broader Participation:

- New techniques that advance the area of secure computation
- Training several graduate students through research and curriculum
- Exposure to cutting edge research for young minds