

# Fully Homomorphic Encryption Lab

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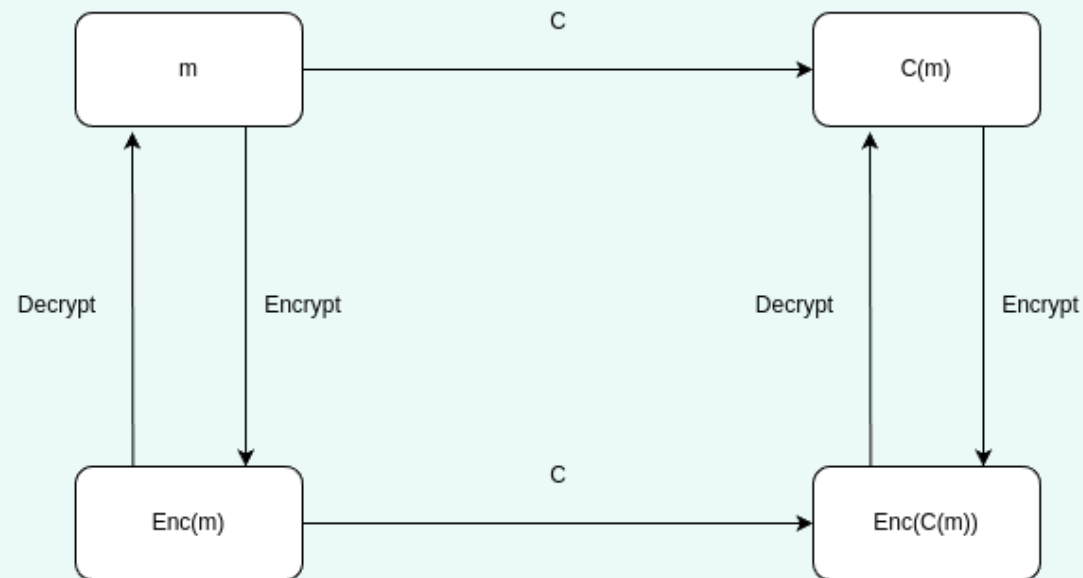
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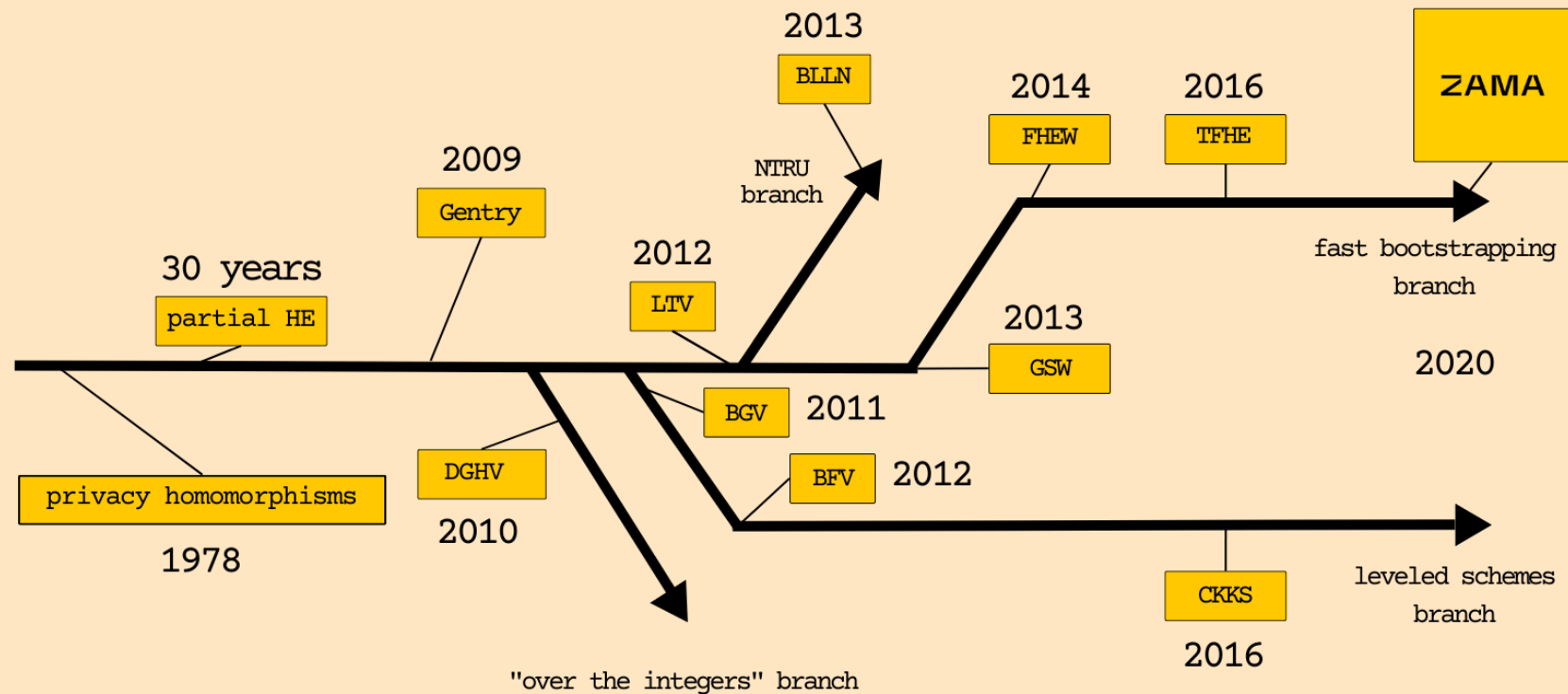
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These include:

- Brakerski-Fan/Vercauteren (BFV) [2]
- Brakerski-Gentry-Vaikuntanathan (BGV) [3]
- Cheon-Kim-Kim-Song (CKKS), which supports approximate arithmetic [4]
- Gentry-Sahai-Waters (GSW) [5]
- Homomorphic Encryption over the Torus (TFHE) [6]
- FHEW due to Ducas and Micciancio [7]

## A Brief History of Time FHE

# FHE - A timeline of 40 years





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## Some common methods:

- `MakePackedPlaintext(pt)` -> `pt1` - Encode the plaintext vector into packed form
- `EvalAdd(ct1, ct2)` -> `ct3` - Perform homomorphic addition
- `EvalSub(ct1, ct2)` -> `ct3` - Perform homomorphic subtraction
- `EvalMult(ct1, ct2)` -> `ct3` - Perform homomorphic multiplication
- `EvalMultKeyGen(sk)` - Generate the relinearization key used for `EvalMult`
- `EvalSum(ct, batchSize)` -> `ct1` - Evaluate the sum of all components in a vector
- `EvalSquare(ct)` -> `ct1` - Compute the square of a ciphertext

## OpenFHE: Basic usage

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This is a sample code template that demonstrates usage of the BFV-RNS (residue number system) scheme for performing FHE (add and mult) on two plaintext vectors:

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from openfhe import *

# Set CryptoContext
parameters = CCParamsBFVRNS() # Create instance of the BFV-RNS scheme
parameters.SetPlaintextModulus(65537) # Define plaintext space
parameters.SetMultiplicativeDepth(4) # Max no. of mults w/o bootstrapping

crypto_context = GenCryptoContext(parameters)
crypto_context.Enable(PKESchemeFeature.PKE) # Allow public-key encryption
crypto_context.Enable(PKESchemeFeature.LEVELED SHE) # Enable leveled FHE w/o
bootstrapping
crypto_context.Enable(PKESchemeFeature.KEYSWITCH) # Enable key switching /
relinearization

# Generate (pk, sk)
key_pair = crypto_context.KeyGen()
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# Generate the relinearization key
crypto_context.EvalMultKeyGen(key_pair.secretKey)

# Encode first plaintext vector
vec1 = [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10]
pt1 = crypto_context.MakePackedPlaintext(vec1)

# Encode second plaintext vector
vec2 = [11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20]
pt2 = crypto_context.MakePackedPlaintext(vec2)

# Encrypt the two vectors using the same public key
ct1 = crypto_context.Encrypt(key_pair.publicKey, pt1)
ct2 = crypto_context.Encrypt(key_pair.publicKey, pt2)

# Homomorphic addition
ct_add = crypto_context.EvalAdd(ct1, ct2)

# Homomorphic multiplication
ct_mult = crypto_context.EvalMult(ct1, ct2)

# Decrypt the result of the addition
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pt_add = crypto_context.Decrypt(ct_add, key_pair.secretKey)

# Decrypt the result of the multiplication
pt_mult = crypto_context.Decrypt(ct_mult ,key_pair.secretKey)

print("Plaintext #1: " + str(pt1))
print("Plaintext #2: " + str(pt2))

# Output results
print("#1 + #2 = " + str(pt_add))
print("#1 * #2 = " + str(pt_mult))

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Output:

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Plaintext #1: ( 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 ... )
Plaintext #2: ( 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 ... )
#1 + #2 = ( 12 14 16 18 20 22 24 26 28 30 ... )
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Refer to the OpenFHE GitHub repository for more detailed examples that also demonstrate bootstrapping and Threshold-FHE, both of which are beyond the scope of this lab.

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- Polynomial evaluation:
  - Take a multivariate polynomial, say,  $P(x, y) = 2x^2 + 3xy + 4y^2 + 5x + 6y + 7$
  - Evaluate the polynomial homomorphically on, say,  $x = 3, y = 4$
  - Decrypt and verify the result  $P(3, 4) = 164$

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- Arithmetic mean:
  - Encrypt a dataset  $A = [412, 8423, 66, 891, 277, 84, 5, 9]$
  - Homomorphically compute the arithmetic mean of  $A$
  - Decrypt and verify the result

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