

# Multi-Party Computation in Presence of Corrupted Majorities

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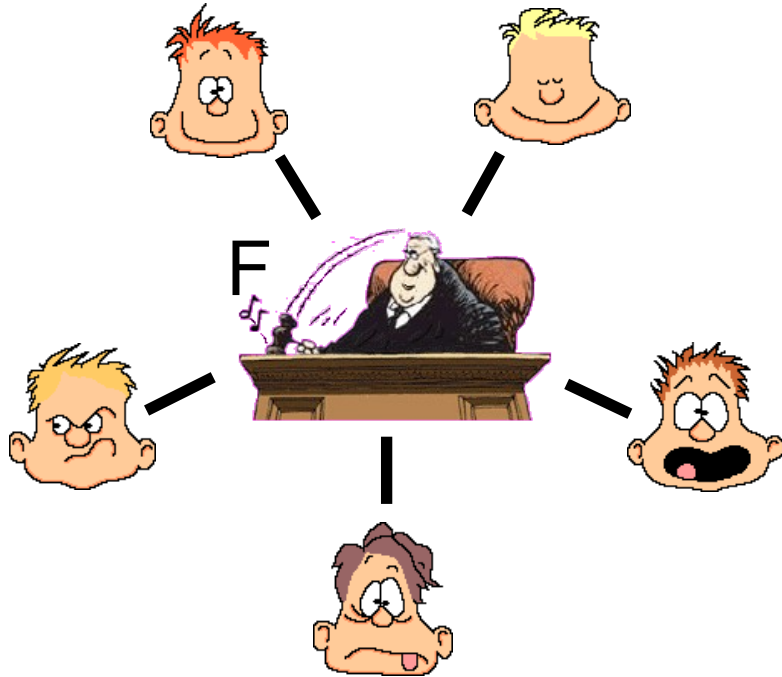
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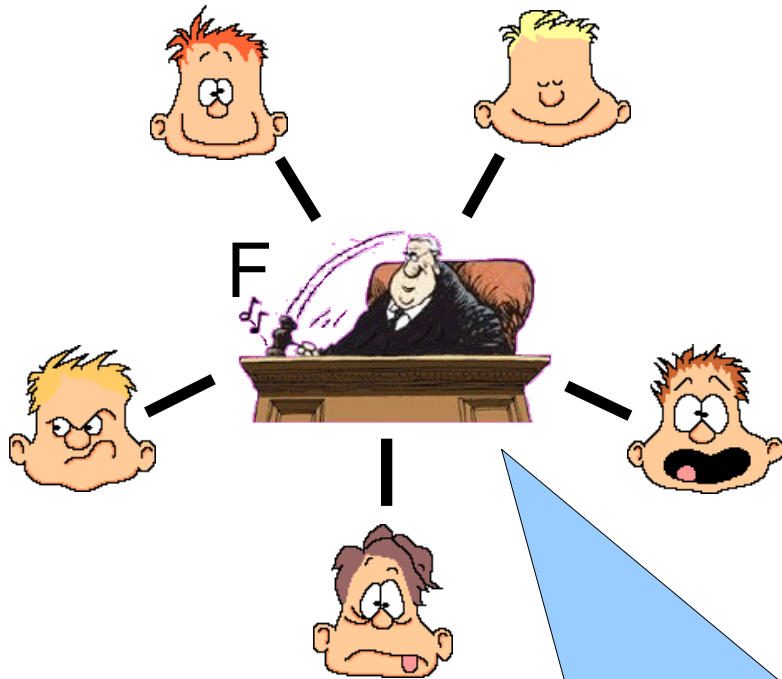
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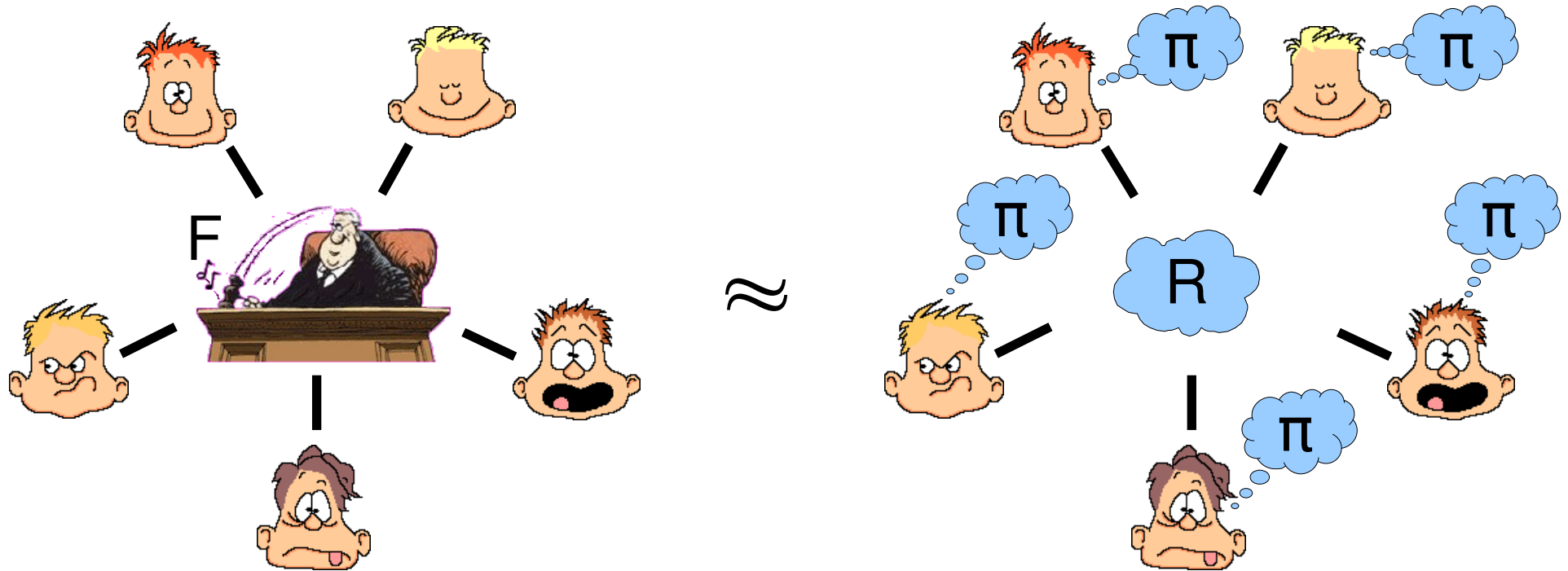


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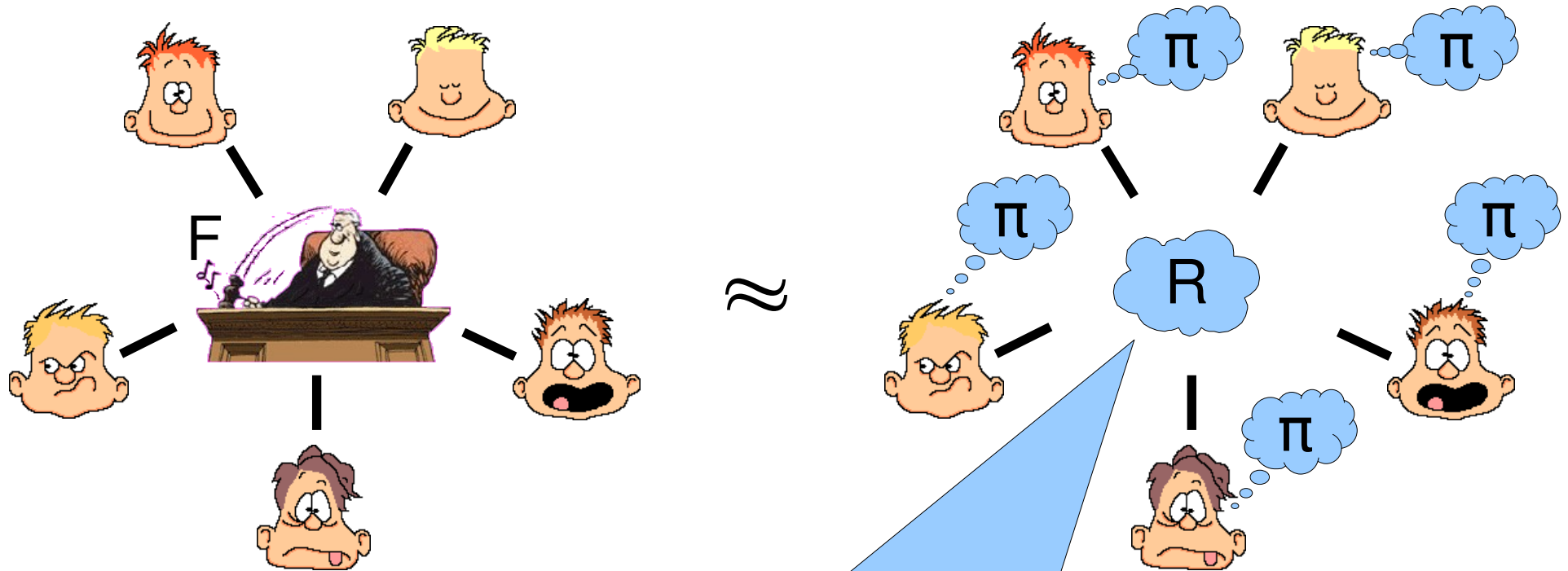


- Voting
  - Auctions
  - Who is richest?
- ⇒ privacy, correctness required

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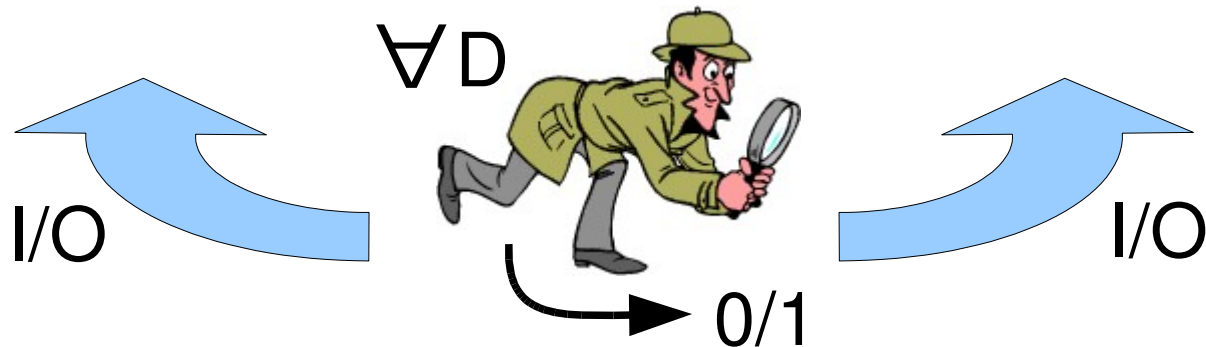
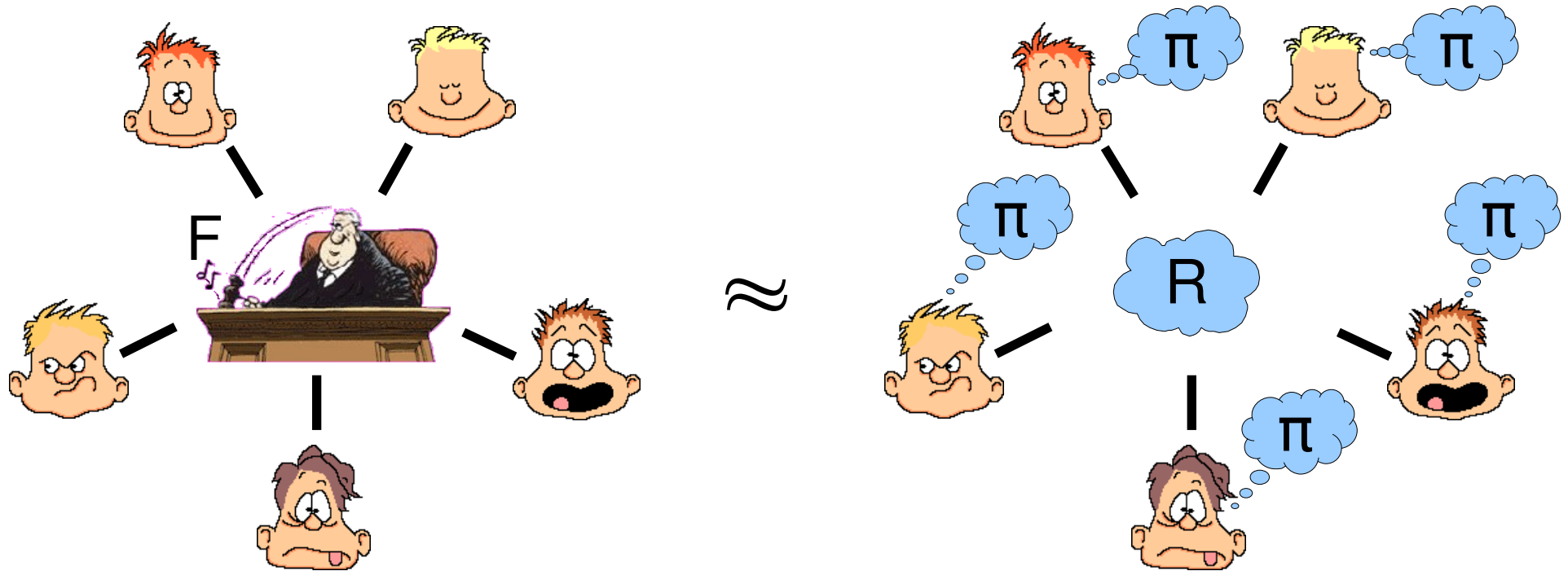
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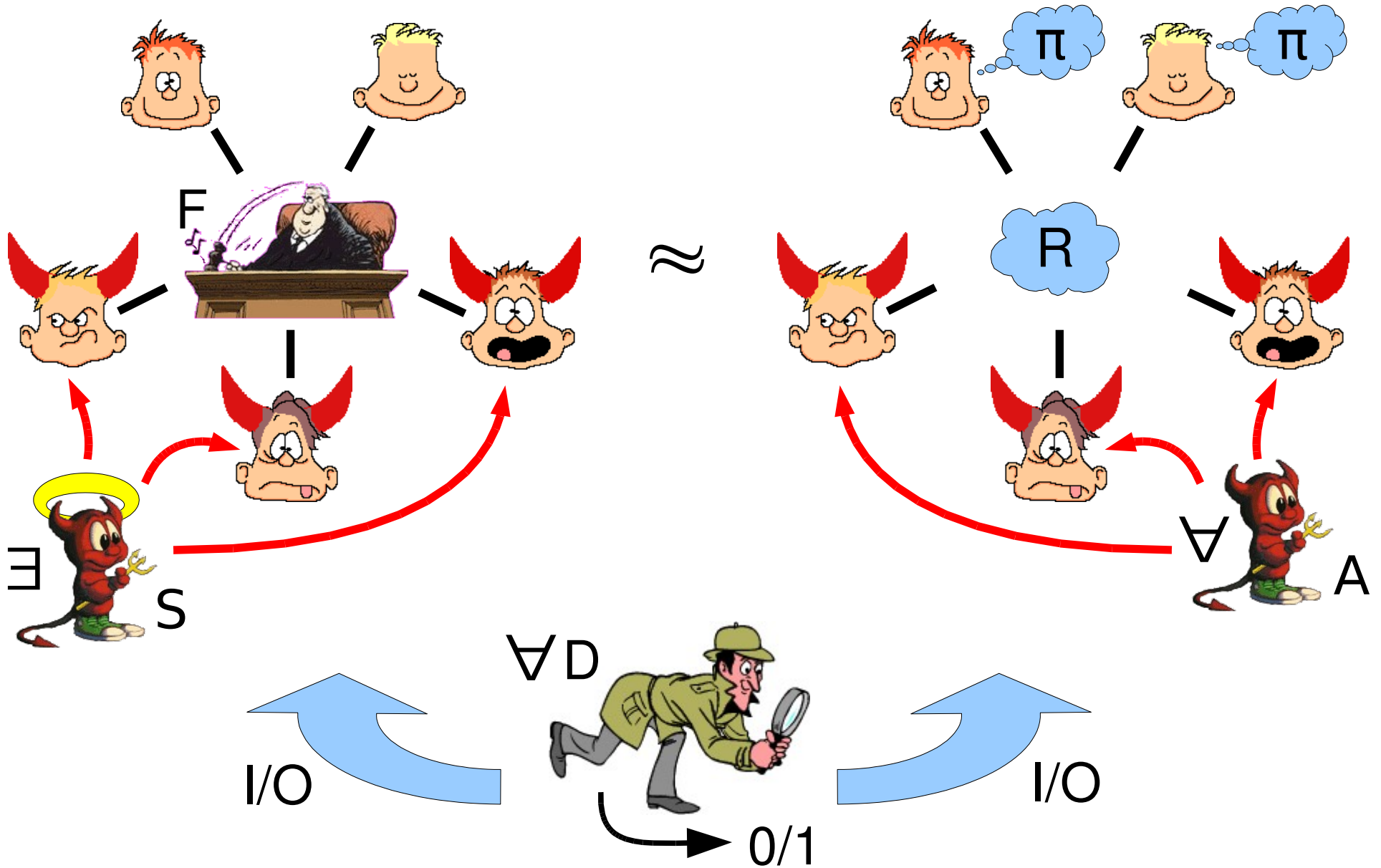
Generally encompasses:

- Secure or authenticated channels
- Optionally BC or PKI
- CRS for UC setting

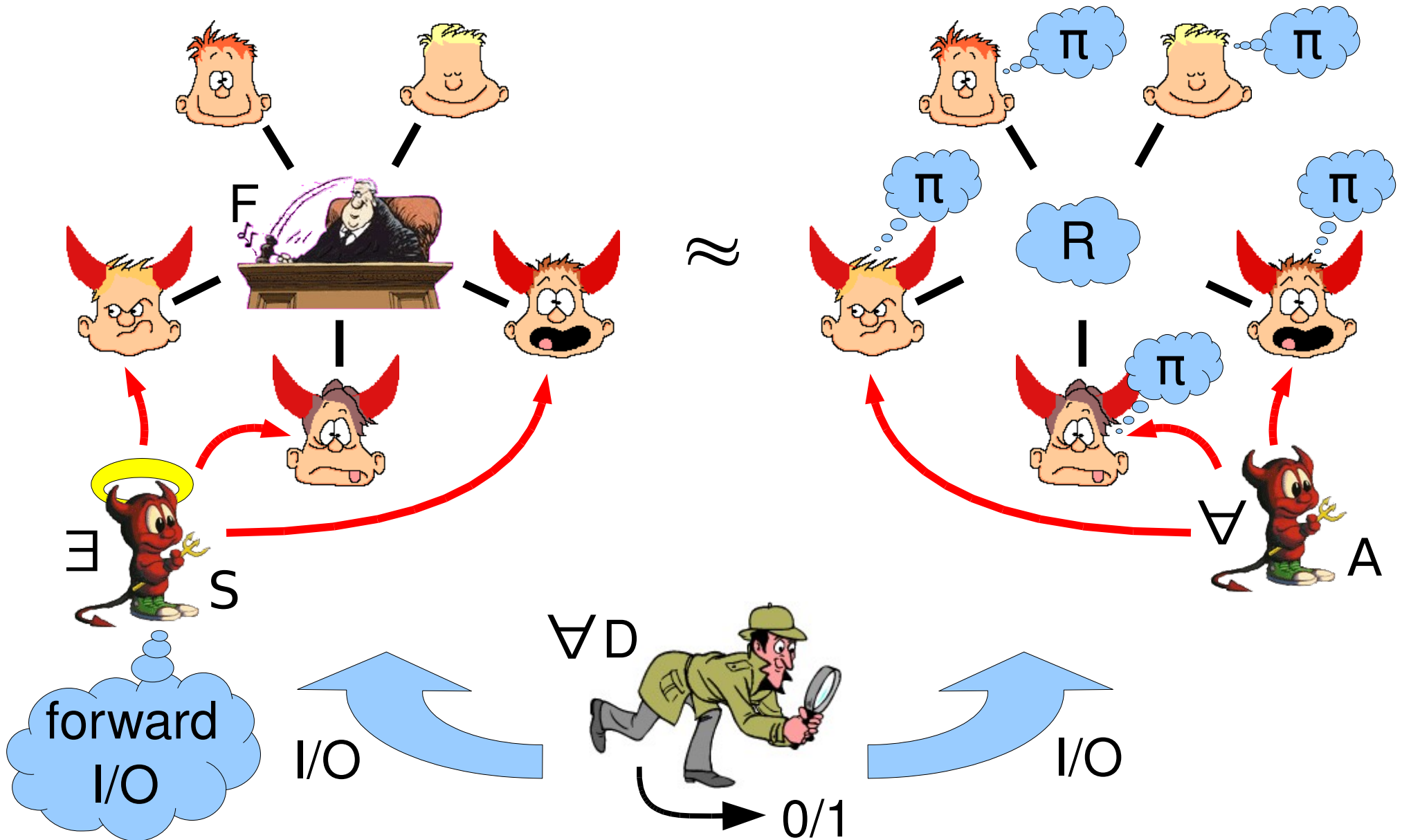
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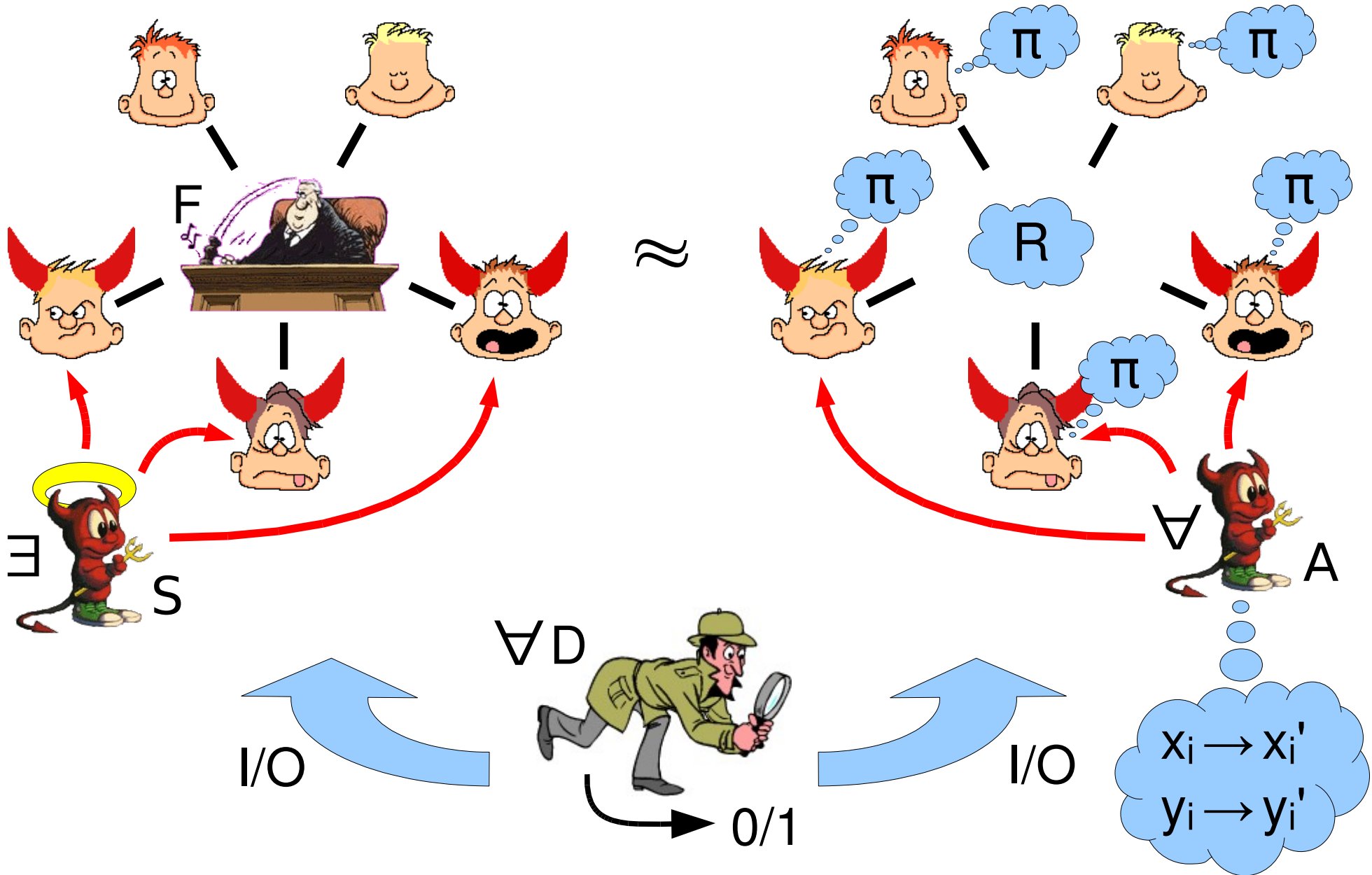
# MPC: Active Adversary



# MPC: Passive Adversary



# MPC: Semi-Honest Adversary



# Security Properties for MPC

- **Correctness**: protocol computes intended result
- **Privacy**: nobody learns more than intended
- **Robustness**: everybody receives intended result
- **Fairness**: everybody receives result, or nobody
- **Agreement** (on abort): all honest parties receive their result or notification of failure

# Security Paradigms for MPC

- **Abort Security**: agreement, privacy, correctness
- **Fair Security**: fairness, privacy, correctness
- **Full Security**: robustness, privacy, correctness
  
- **IT Security**: tolerates unbounded adversaries
- **CO Security**: tolerates computationally bounded adversaries

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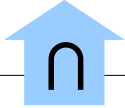

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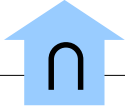

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- Today: only symmetric functions
- Then:  $F_{sh}^{bc} = F_{pas}^{bc}$

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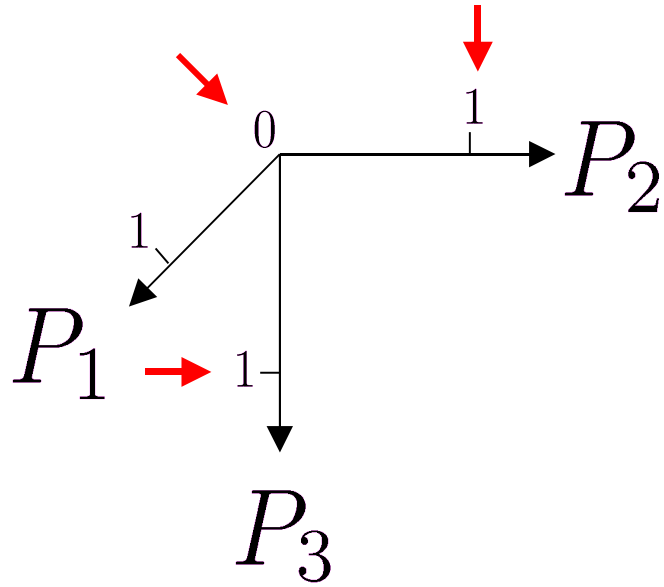
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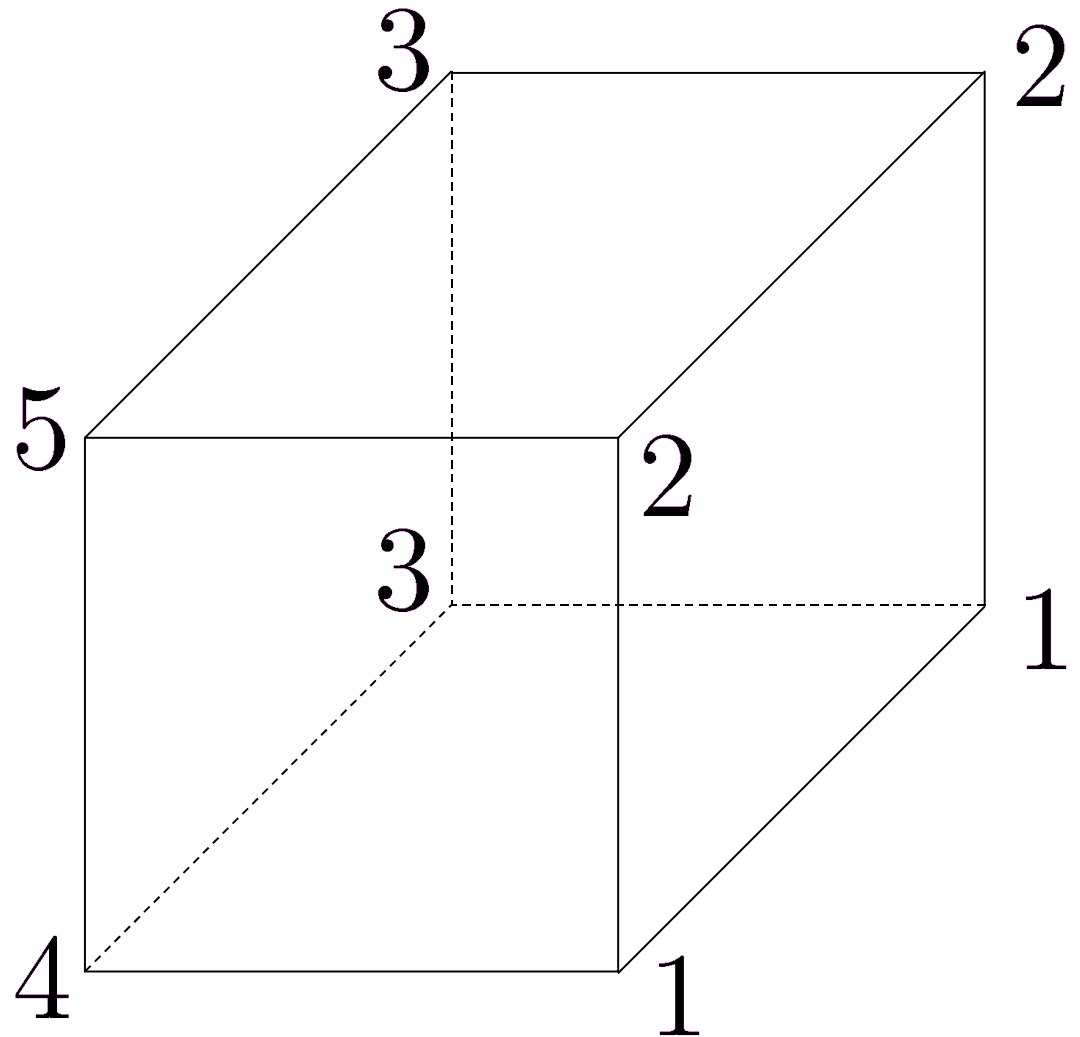
- “=”: modified [GMW87]-Compiler
  - computationally forces semi-honest behavior
  - maintains IT security against semi-honest adversary

# Passively Computable Functions $F_{\text{pas}}^{\text{bc}}$

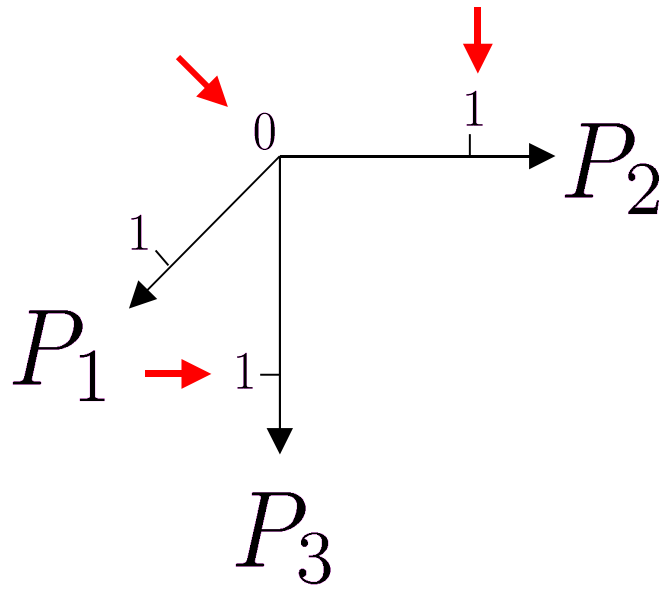


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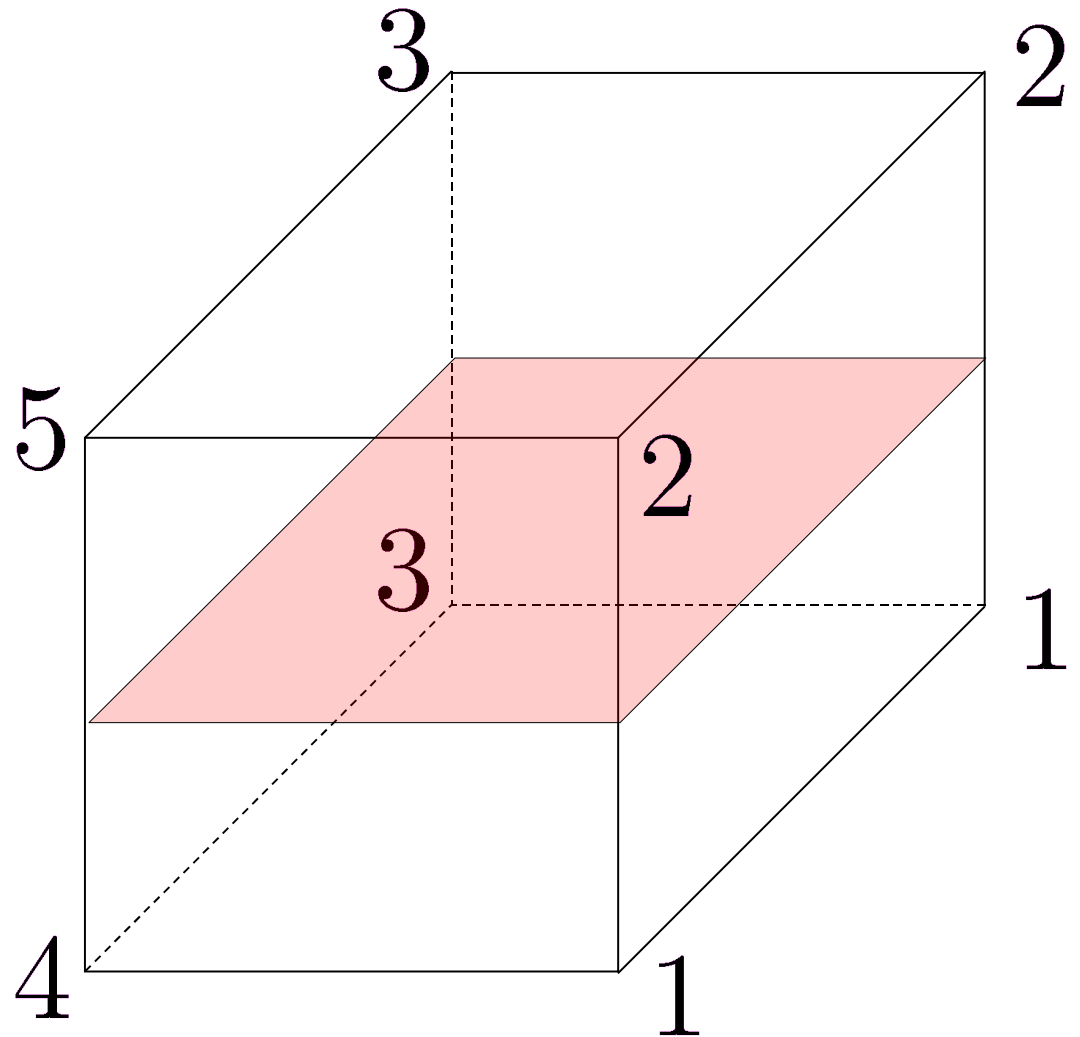


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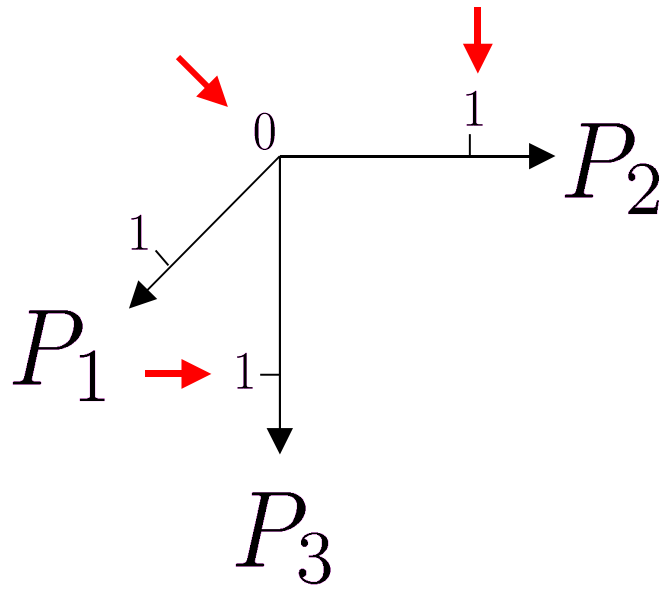


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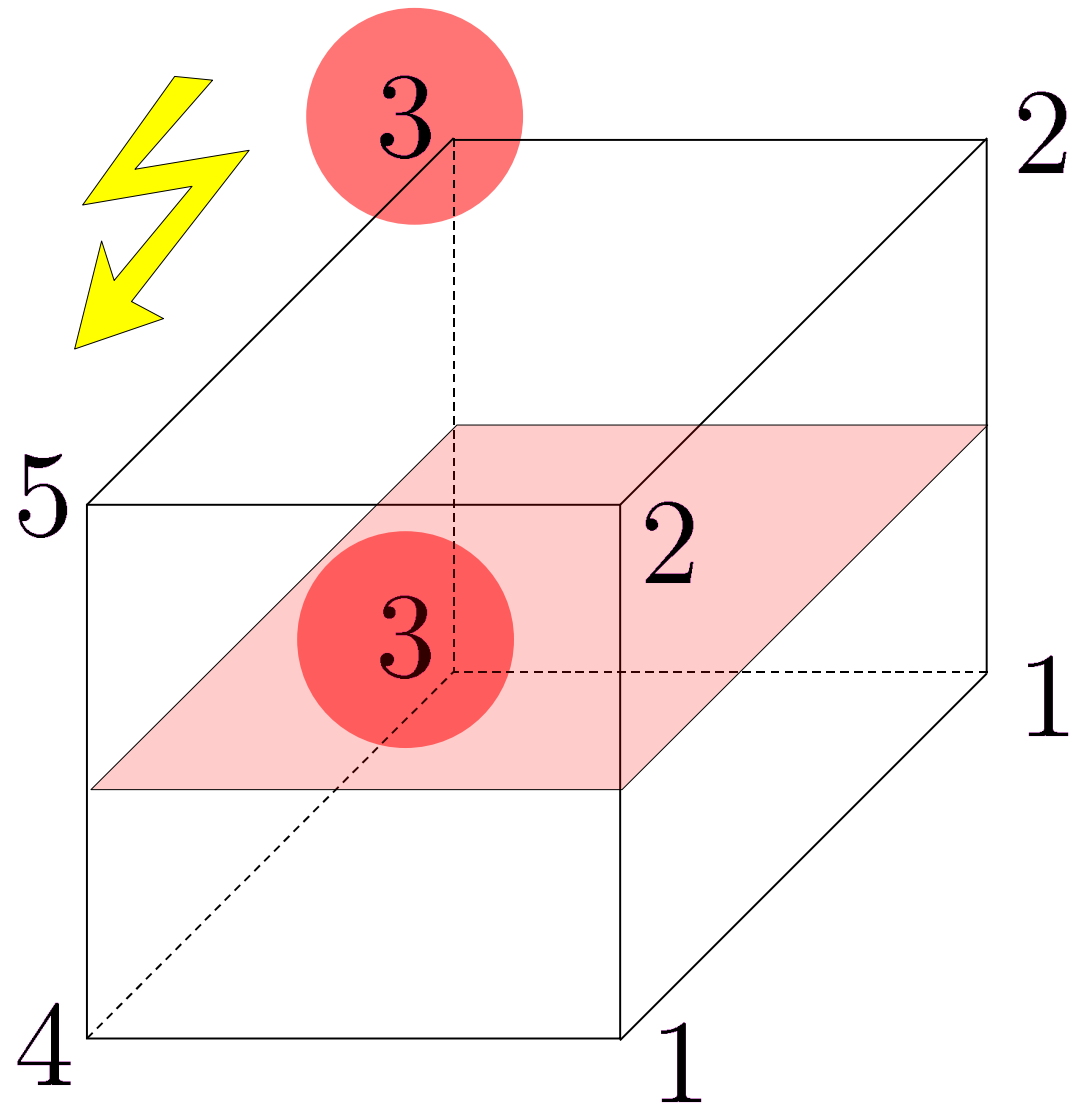


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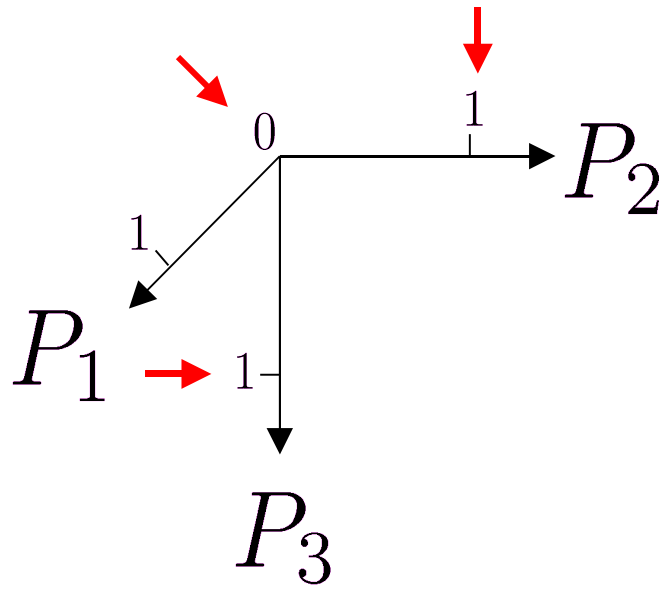


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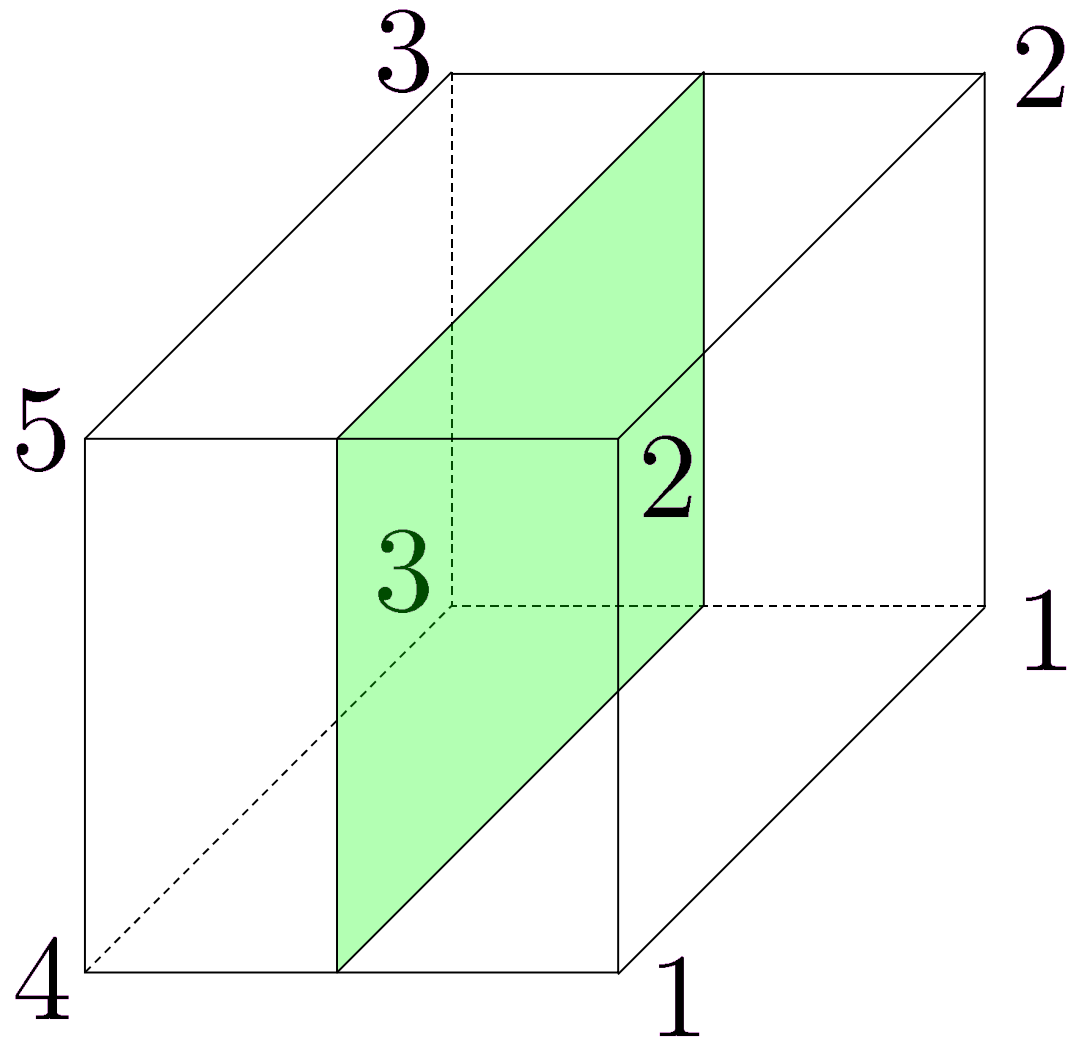


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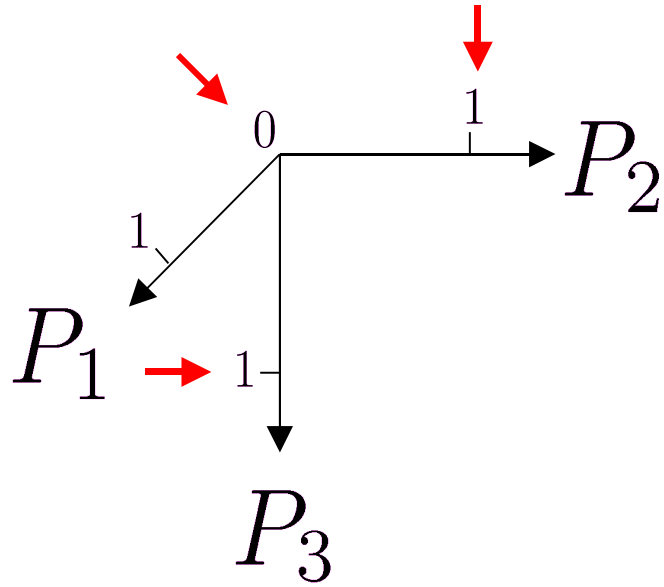


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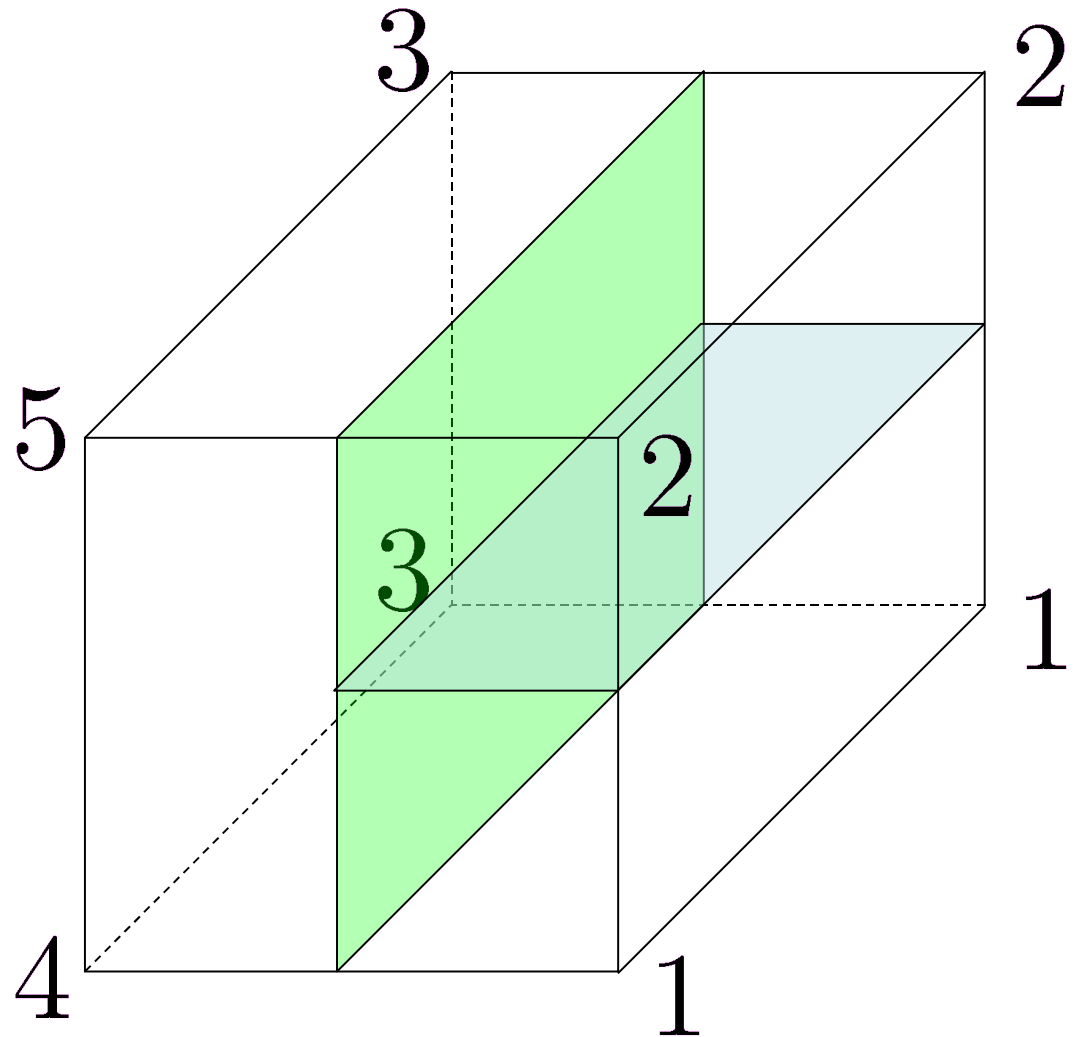


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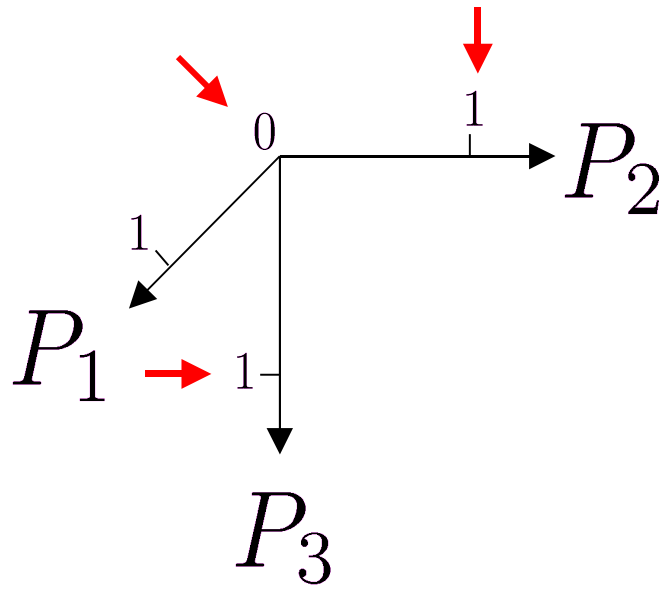


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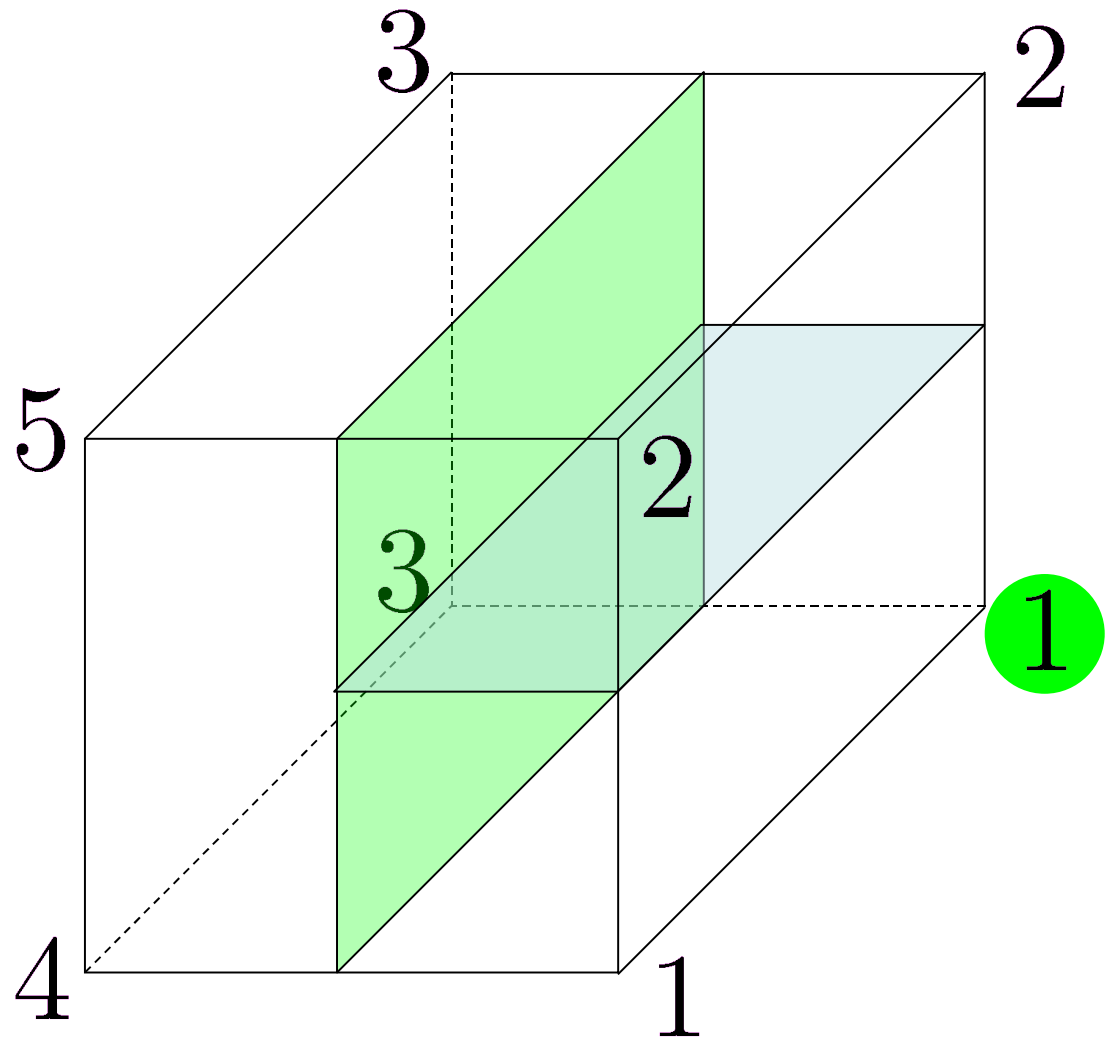


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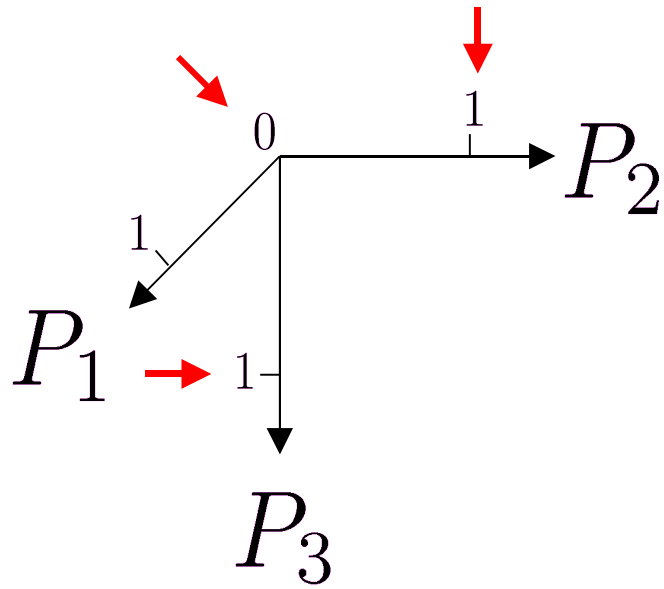


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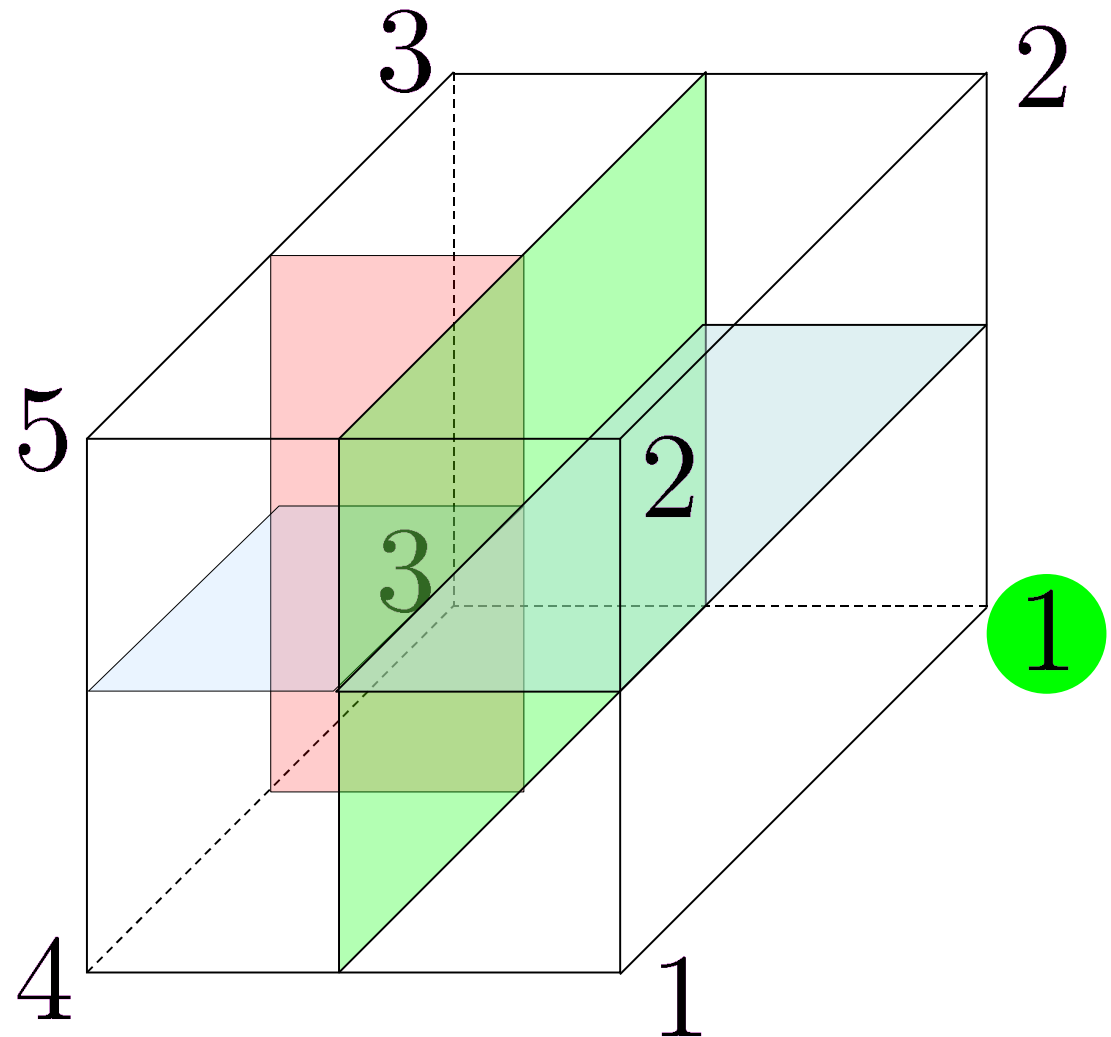


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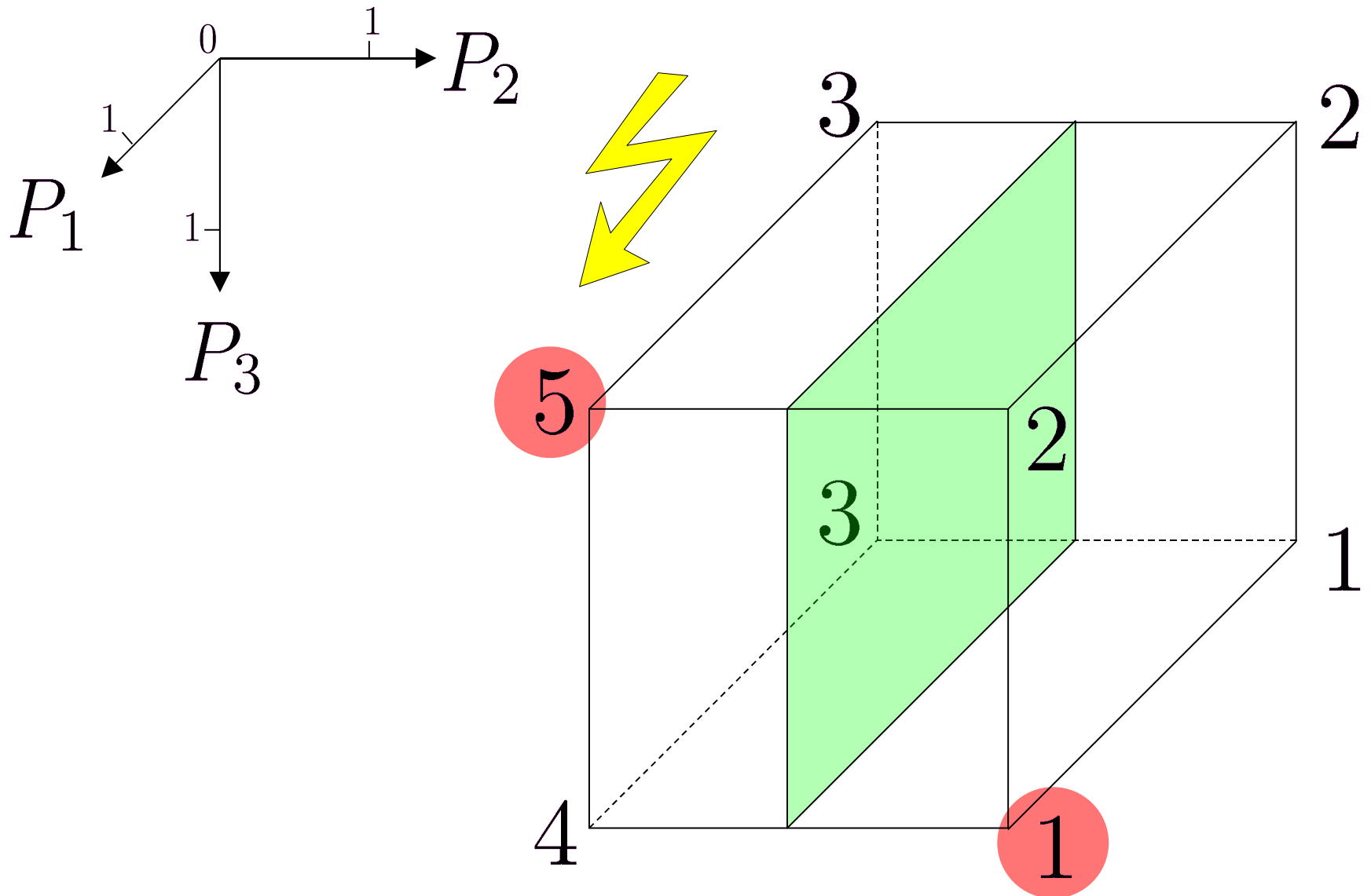


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# Actively Computable Functions $F_{\text{act}}^{\text{bc}}$







# Summary: Computability

- Characterization of computable function classes
  - $F_{pas}^{bc}$  : decomposability
  - $F_{sh}^{bc}$  : decomposability after removing redundancy
  - $F_{act}^{bc}$  : decomposability after removing redundancy, exchange property (input for every strategy)
- Characterization of long-term security:  
$$F_{lts}^{ins,pki} = F_{lts}^{aut} = F_{lts}^{bc} = F_{sh}^{bc}$$

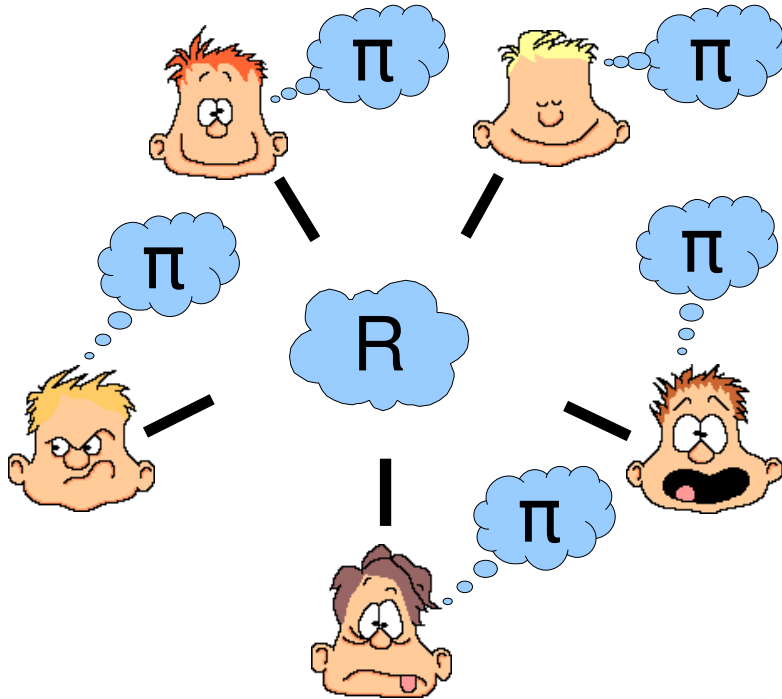
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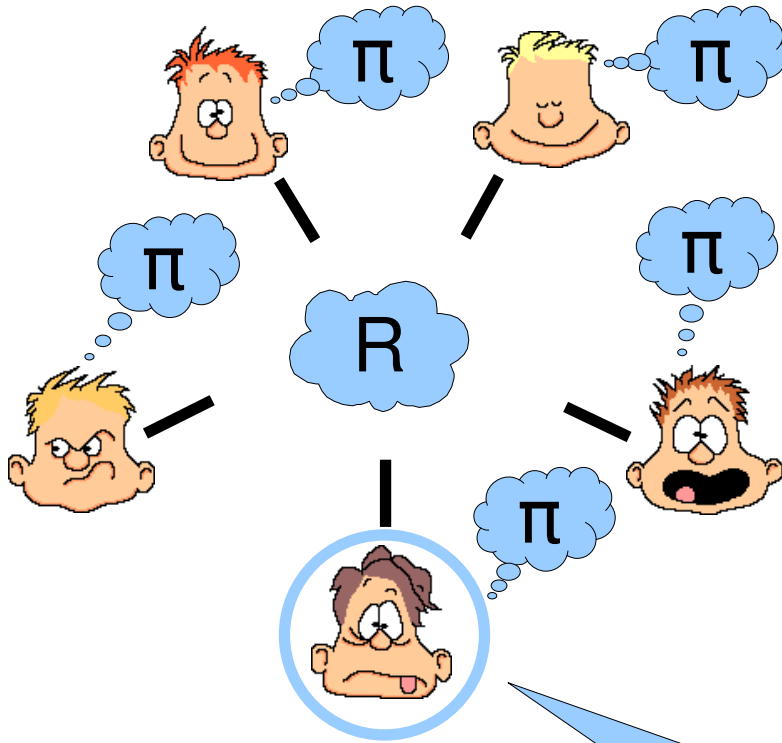
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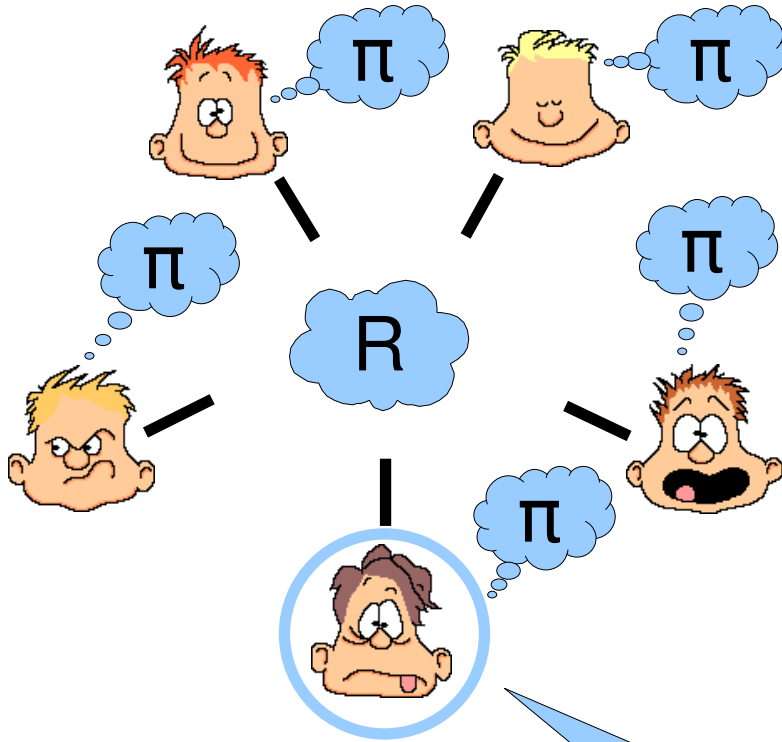


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[GMW87], [CLOS01]:  
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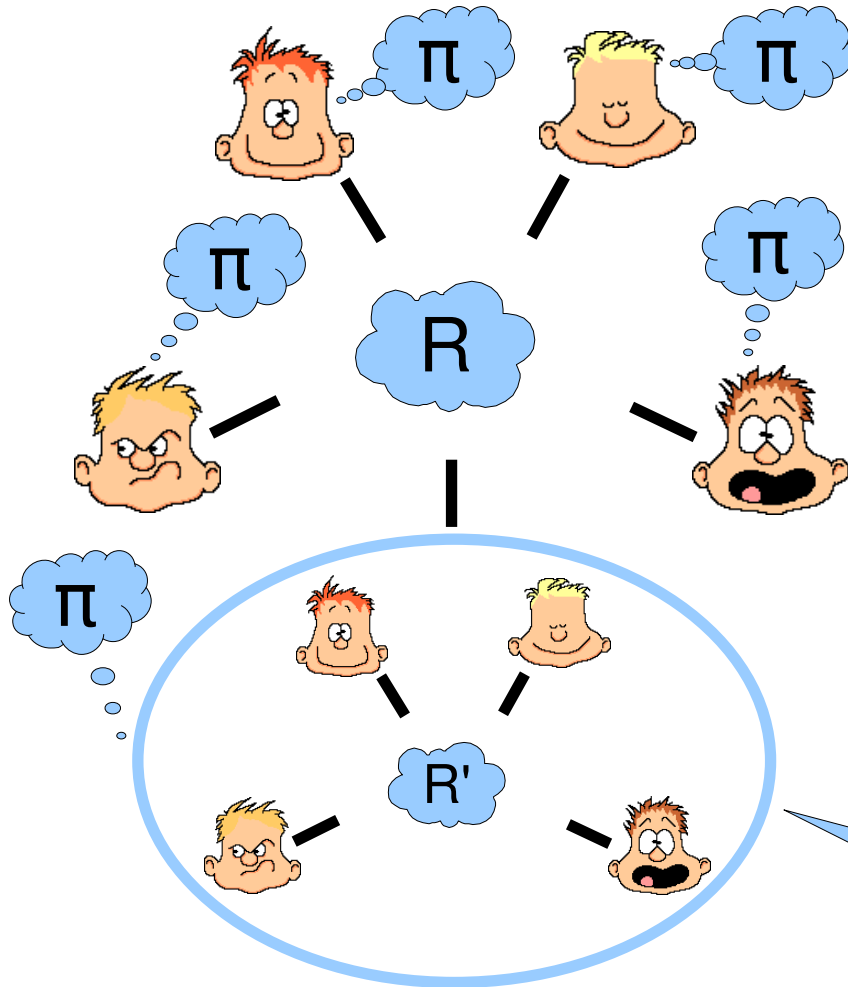


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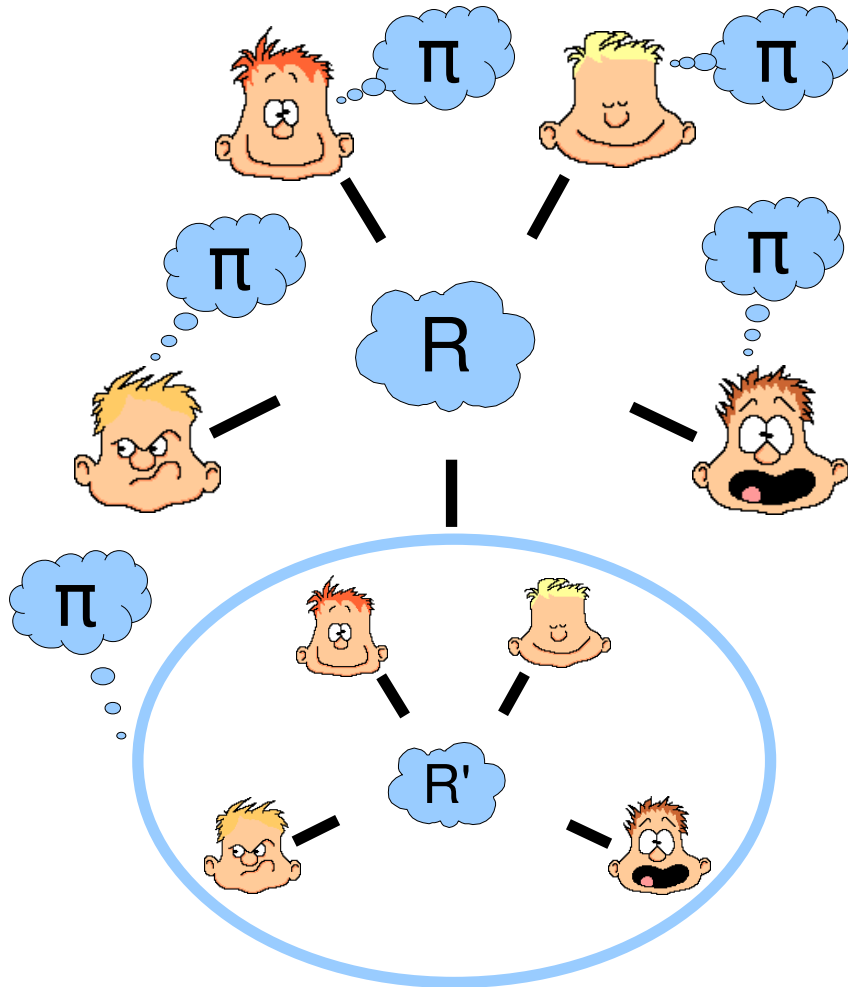
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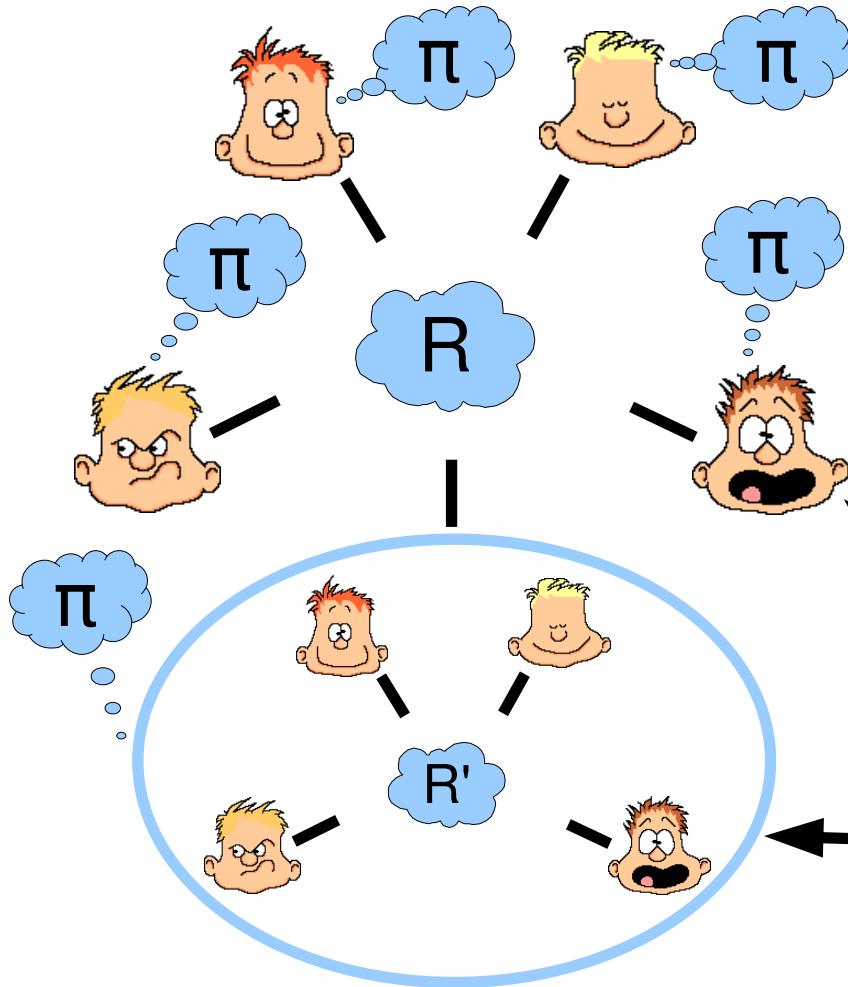
Use sharing qualifying all sets of emulated and  $n-\rho$  actual parties

$\Rightarrow t \leq \rho$ : IT robust, correct

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Share inputs

$\Rightarrow t < n/2$ : IT privacy

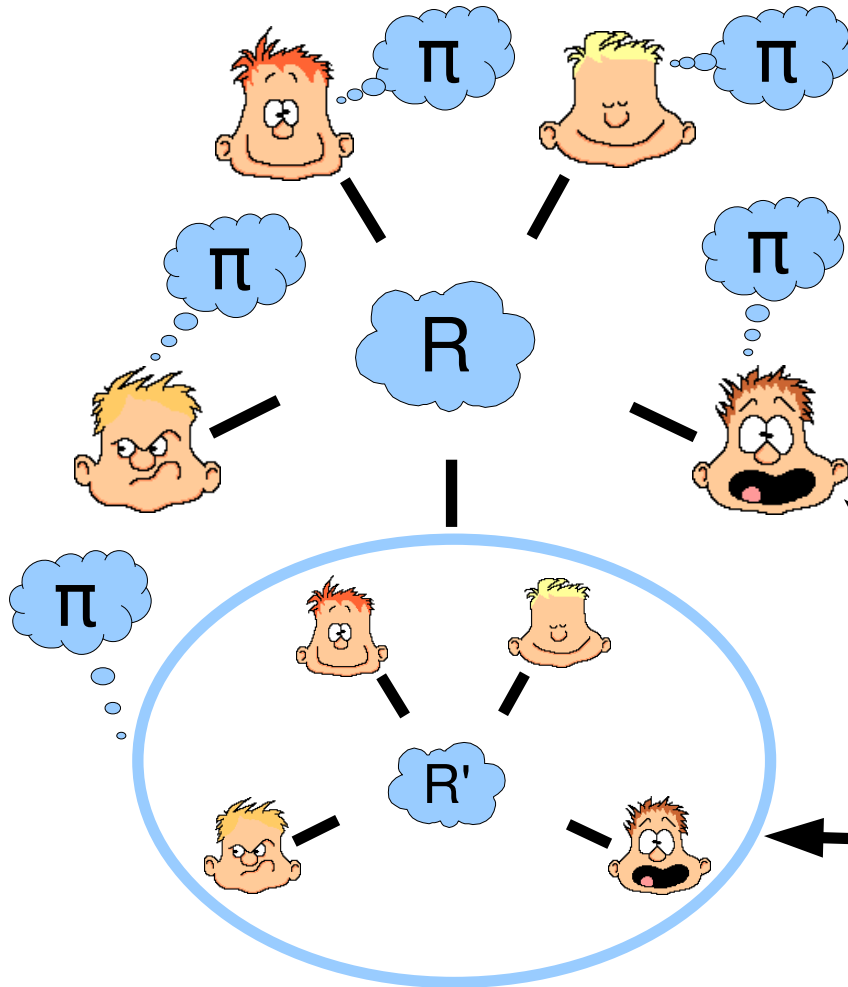
$\Rightarrow t \geq n/2$ : no correctness

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Share and commit

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$\Rightarrow$  no correctness for  $t \geq n/2$

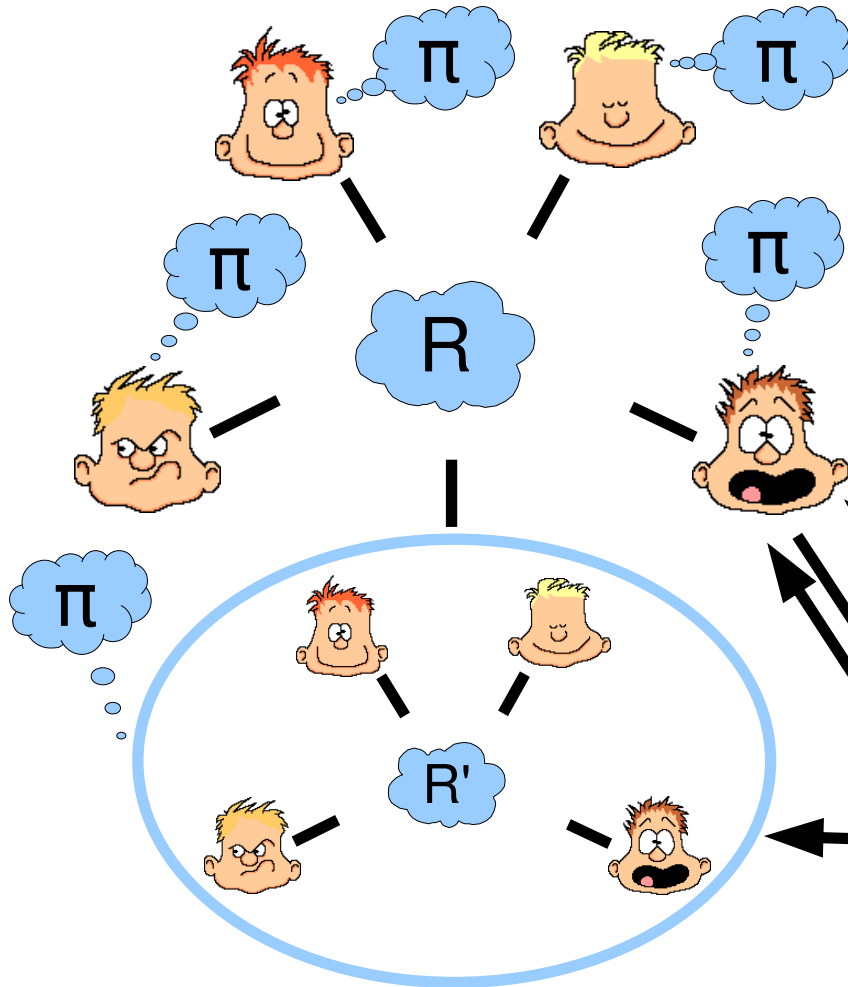
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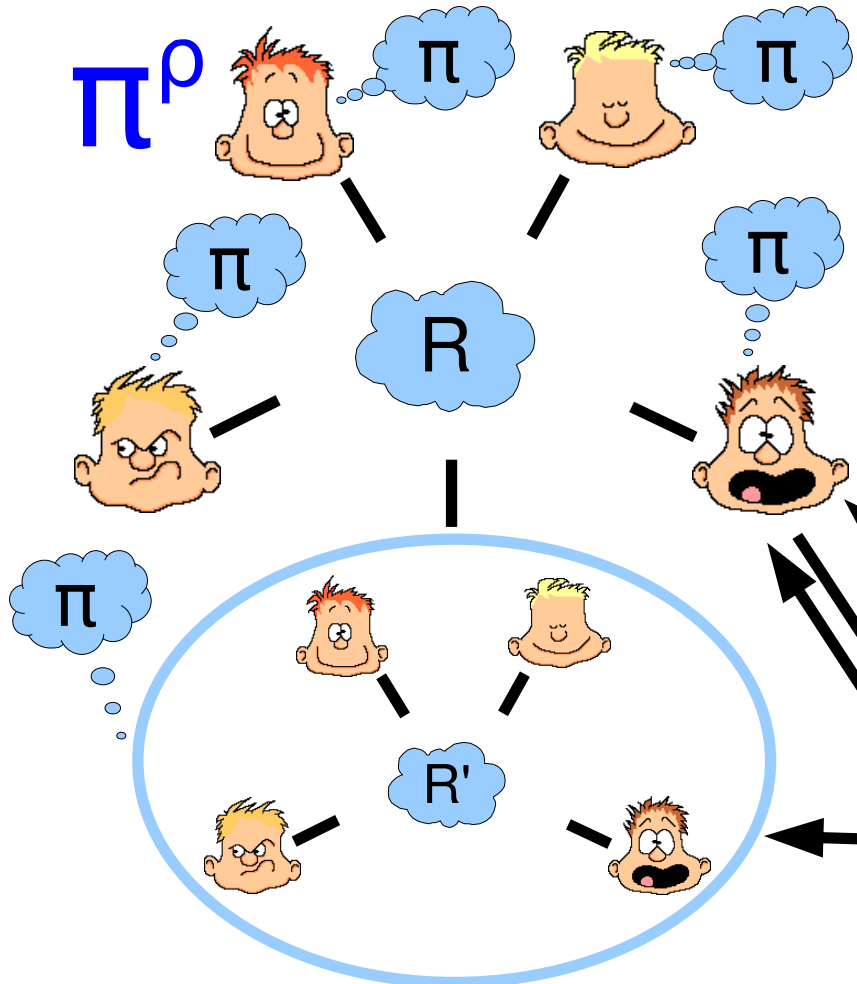
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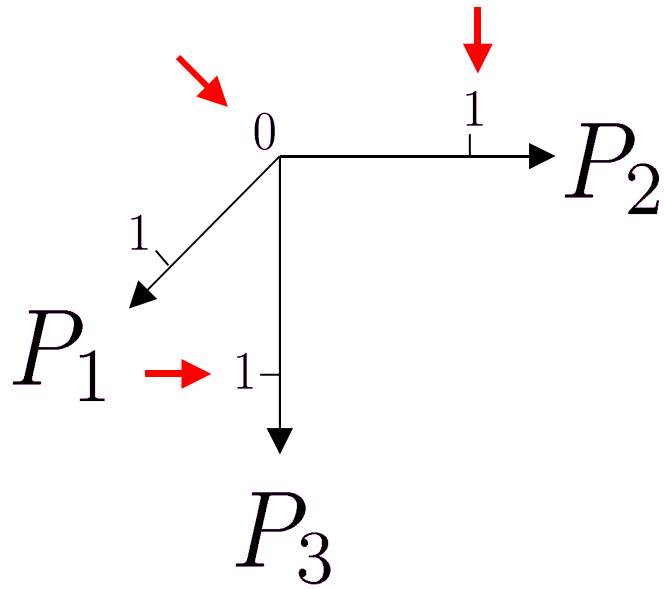
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  - without BC but with PKI
  - without BC or PKI
- We treat possibly inconsistent PKIs
- We consider signature forgery separately from other (computational) assumptions

# Conclusions

- Characterization of computable function classes
- Characterization of long-term security
- Optimal HMPC protocols and matching tight bounds

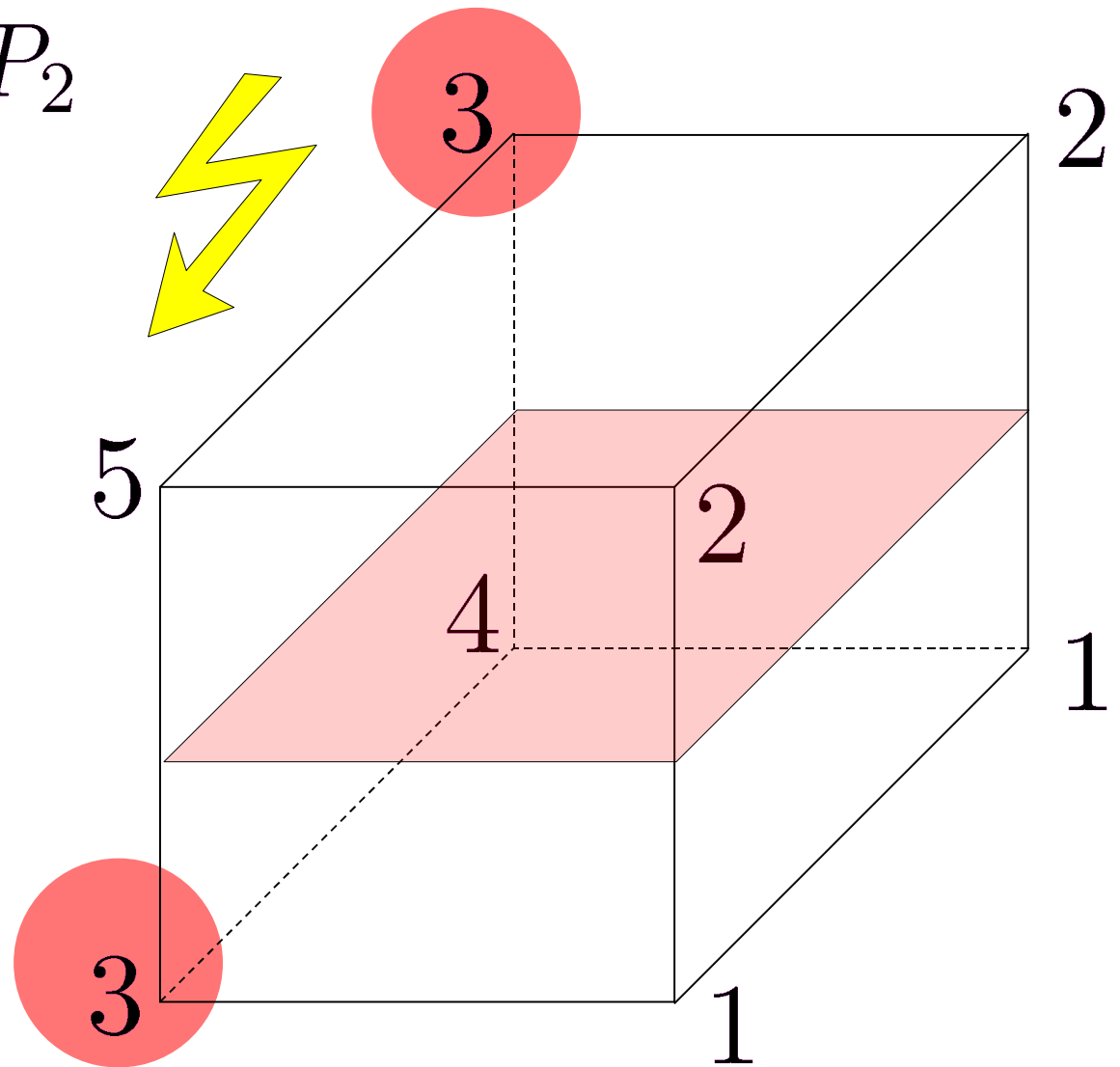


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# Hybrid MPC (HMPC)

- Different guarantees depending on  $t$ :
    - For  $t \leq l_r$  full (robust) security
    - For  $t \leq l_f$  fair security
    - For  $t \leq L$  abort security
  - While tolerating:
    - For  $t \leq t_c$  computationally unbounded adversaries
    - For  $t \leq t_\sigma$  signature forgery
    - For  $t \leq t_p$  inconsistent PKIs
- ⇒ Graceful degradation

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- We provide HMPC protocols for the setting
  - with BC under the bounds
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$$\wedge 2t_\sigma + L < n \wedge (t_p > 0 \Rightarrow t_p + 2L < n)$$
  - without BC or PKI under the bounds
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- Therefore:

$$t_c < n/2 \quad \wedge \quad l_r \leq l_f \leq L \quad \wedge \quad l_f < n/2 \quad \wedge \quad l_r + L < n \quad (1)$$

# Hybrid MPC without BC or PKI

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- Protocol  $\pi^\rho$  with the BC from [FHHW03] achieves bound  $t_c < n/2 \wedge l_r \leq l_f \leq L$   
 $\wedge l_f < n/2 \wedge (l_r > 0 \Rightarrow l_r + 2L < n)$  (2)
- Improves over [FHHW03] for  $\rho=0$ , which makes no guarantees for  $t > n/2$

# Limits for MPC without BC, with PKI

- Tolerate inconsistent PKI for  $t \leq t_p$
- Tolerate signature forgery for  $t \leq t_\sigma$

- We achieve the following bounds

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and prove them necessary for  $l_r \geq t_p, t_\sigma$

# Hybrid MPC without BC, with PKI

- Protocol  $\pi^p$  with a hybrid BC (HBC) for bounds  $2t_\sigma + T < n \wedge (t_p > 0 \Rightarrow t_p + 2T < n)$  achieves bound (3) (where BC secure for  $t \leq T$ )
- For  $t_p > 0$  treated in [FHW04]
- For  $t_p = 0$  and  $2t_\sigma + T < n$  we provide an HBC protocol achieving full BC
  - For  $t = 0$  unconditionally
  - For  $t \leq t_\sigma$  conditional on PKI consistency
  - For  $t \leq T$  conditional on unforgeability and PKI consistency

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# BCEV: Validity for $t \leq T$

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for  $P_j$  honest  
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holds for  $t > t_\sigma$   
 (and  $x_i=m$ )

holds always  
 (for  $x_i=m$ )

# BCEV: Validity for $t \leq T$

validity:  
 $P_s$  honest

secure for  
 $t \leq t_\sigma < n/3$

for  $P_j$  honest  
 $= ((m, \sigma_s(m)), ?)$

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holds always  
(for  $x_i=m$ )

holds for  $t \leq t_\sigma$  (and  $m=0$ )

# BCEV: Consistency for $t \leq t_\sigma$

1.  $P_s$ : `multisend` ( $m, \sigma_s(m)$ ); [receive ( $x_i, \sigma_i$ )]
2.  $\forall P_i$ : `BGP`(( $x_i, \sigma_i$ )); [ $\forall P_j$  receive (( $v_i^{j,0}, \sigma_i^{j,0}$ ), ( $v_i^j, \sigma_i^j$ ))]  
 $S_i^{v,0} := \{j \mid v_i^{j,0} = v \wedge \sigma_i^{j,0} \text{ valid}\};$   
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all decisions  
here identical

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 elsif  $|S_i^0| > |S_i^1|$  then  $y_i := 0$  else  $y_i := 1$  fi. (II)

$S_i^v = S_j^v$

identical  $S_j^v$

all decisions  
here identical

# BCEV: Consistency for $t \leq t_\sigma$

secure for  
 $t \leq t_\sigma < n/3$

$j \in S_i^{v,0} \Leftrightarrow j \in S_i^v$   
for  $P_j$  honest

1.  $P_s$ : multisend  $(m, \sigma_s(m))$ ; [receive  $(x_i, \sigma_i)$ ]
  2.  $\forall P_i$ : BGP  $((x_i, \sigma_i))$ ; [ $\forall P_j$  receive  $((v_i^{j,0}, \sigma_i^{j,0}), (v_i^j, \sigma_i^j))$ ]  
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- $S_i^v = S_j^v$
- identical  $S_j^v$
3. if  $|S_i^{x_i,0}| \geq n - T \wedge |S_i^{1-x_i}| = 0$  then  $y_i := x_i$  (I)  
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# Hybrid Broadcast (HBC)

- For  $2t_\sigma + T < n$  and  $t_p = 0$  HBC achieves
  - For  $t = 0$  full BC
  - For  $t \leq t_\sigma$  full BC, conditional on PKI consistency
  - For  $t \leq T$  full BC, conditional on unforgeability and PKI consistency
- Protocol idea:
  - Attempt detectable precomputation of a new PKI [FHHW03]; fall back to existing PKI
  - Run an HBC for  $2t_\sigma + T < n$  and  $t_p = -1$  constructed from BCEV and DS

# Hybrid Broadcast (HBC) for $t_p = -1$

1.  $P_s: DS(m);$  [receive  $d_i$ ]
2.  $P_s: BCEV(m);$  [receive  $b_i$ ]
3. Multisend  $(b_i, \sigma_i(b_i));$  [ $\forall P_j$  receive  $(c_i^j, \sigma_i^j)$ ]  
 $M_i^v := \{\sigma_i^j \mid c_i^j = v \wedge \sigma_i^j \text{ valid}\};$
4. **if**  $\exists v : |M_i^v| \geq n - t_\sigma$  **then**  $DS(M_i^v)$   
    and  $y_i := v;$  [receive  $S_i^j$ ] (I)  
**else**  $DS(\emptyset);$  [receive  $S_i^j$ ]  
    **If**  $\exists v$  and a set  $S_i^j$  of valid signatures on  $v$   
    and  $|S_i^j| \geq n - t_\sigma$  **then**  $y_i := v;$  (II)  
    **else**  $y_i := d_i;$  (III)  
    **fi**  
  
**fi**

# HBC: Security for $t \leq t_\sigma$

1.  $P_s: DS(m);$  [receive  $d_i$ ]
2.  $P_s: BCEV(m);$  [receive  $b_i$ ]
3. Multisend  $(b_i, \sigma_i(b_i));$  [ $\forall P_j$  receive  $(c_i^j, \sigma_i^j)$ ]  
 $M_i^v := \{\sigma_i^j \mid c_i^j = v \wedge \sigma_i^j \text{ valid}\};$
4. **if**  $\exists v : |M_i^v| \geq n - t_\sigma$  **then**  $DS(M_i^v)$   
    and  $y_i := v;$  [receive  $S_i^j$ ] (I)  
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    and  $|S_i^j| \geq n - t_\sigma$  **then**  $y_i := v;$  (II)  
    **else**  $y_i := d_i;$  (III)  
    **fi**  
  
**fi**

# HBC: Security for $t \leq t_\sigma$

1.  $P_s: DS(m);$  BC for  $t \leq t_\sigma$  [receive  $d_i$ ]
2.  $P_s: BCEV(m);$  [receive  $b_i$ ]
3. Multisend  $(b_i, \sigma_i(b_i));$  [ $\forall P_j$  receive  $(c_i^j, \sigma_i^j)$ ]  
 $M_i^v := \{\sigma_i^j \mid c_i^j = v \wedge \sigma_i^j \text{ valid}\};$
4. **if**  $\exists v : |M_i^v| \geq n - t_\sigma$  **then**  $DS(M_i^v)$   
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 $M_i^v := \{\sigma_i^j \mid c_i^j = v \wedge \sigma_i^j \text{ valid}\};$
4. **if**  $\exists v : |M_i^v| \geq n - t_\sigma$  **then**  $DS(M_i^v)$   
    and  $y_i := v;$  holds for  $t \leq t_\sigma$  [receive  $S_i^j$ ] (I)  
**else**  $DS(\emptyset);$  [receive  $S_i^j$ ]  
    **If**  $\exists v$  and a set  $S_i^j$  of valid signatures on  $v$   
    and  $|S_i^j| \geq n - t_\sigma$  **then**  $y_i := v;$  (II)  
    **else**  $y_i := d_i;$  (III)  
    **fi**  
  
**fi**

# HBC: Consistency for $t_\sigma < t \leq T$

1.  $P_s: DS(m);$  [receive  $d_i$ ]
2.  $P_s: BCEV(m);$  [receive  $b_i$ ]
3. Multisend  $(b_i, \sigma_i(b_i));$  [ $\forall P_j$  receive  $(c_i^j, \sigma_i^j)$ ]  
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4. **if**  $\exists v : |M_i^v| \geq n - t_\sigma$  **then**  $DS(M_i^v)$   
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and  $|S_i^j| \geq n - t_\sigma$  **then**  $y_i := v;$  (II)  
**else**  $y_i := d_i;$  (III)  
**fi**  
  
**fi**

# HBC: Consistency for $t_\sigma < t \leq T$

1.  $P_s: DS(m);$  BC for  $t > t_\sigma$  [receive  $d_i$ ]
2.  $P_s: BCEV(m);$  [receive  $b_i$ ]
3. Multisend  $(b_i, \sigma_i(b_i));$  [ $\forall P_j$  receive  $(c_i^j, \sigma_i^j)$ ]  
 $M_i^v := \{\sigma_i^j \mid c_i^j = v \wedge \sigma_i^j \text{ valid}\};$
4. **if**  $\exists v : |M_i^v| \geq n - t_\sigma$  **then**  $DS(M_i^v)$   
    and  $y_i := v;$  [receive  $S_i^j$ ] (I)  
**else**  $DS(\emptyset);$  [receive  $S_i^j$ ]  
    **If**  $\exists v$  and a set  $S_i^j$  of valid signatures on  $v$   
    and  $|S_i^j| \geq n - t_\sigma$  **then**  $y_i := v;$  (II)  
    **else**  $y_i := d_i;$  (III)  
    **fi**  
  
**fi**

# HBC: Consistency for $t_\sigma < t \leq T$

1.  $P_s: DS(m);$  BC for  $t > t_\sigma$  [receive  $d_i$ ]
2.  $P_s: BCEV(m);$  [receive  $b_i$ ]
3. Multisend  $(b_i, \sigma_i(b_i));$  [ $\forall P_j$  receive  $(c_i^j, \sigma_i^j)$ ]  
 $M_i^v := \{\sigma_i^j \mid c_i^j = v \wedge \sigma_i^j \text{ valid}\};$
4. **if**  $\exists v : |M_i^v| \geq n - t_\sigma$  **then**  $DS(M_i^v)$   
    and  $y_i := v;$  [receive  $S_i^j$ ] (I)  
    **else**  $DS(\emptyset);$  [receive  $S_i^j$ ]  
    **if**  $\exists v$  and a set  $S_i^j$  of valid signatures on  $v$   
        and  $|S_i^j| \geq n - t_\sigma$  **then**  $y_i := v;$  (II)  
        **else**  $y_i := d_i;$  (III)  
    **fi**  
  
    **fi**

consistent  
for  $t > t_\sigma$

# HBC: Consistency for $t_\sigma < t \leq T$

1.  $P_s: DS(m);$  BC for  $t > t_\sigma$  [receive  $d_i$ ]
2.  $P_s: BCEV(m);$  [receive  $b_i$ ]
3. Multisend  $(b_i, \sigma_i(b_i));$  [ $\forall P_j$  receive  $(c_i^j, \sigma_i^j)$ ]  
 $M_i^v := \{\sigma_i^j \mid c_i^j = v \wedge \sigma_i^j \text{ valid}\};$  if holds then ...
4. **if**  $\exists v : |M_i^v| \geq n - t_\sigma$  **then**  $DS(M_i^v)$   
    and  $y_i := v;$  [receive  $S_i^j$ ] (I)  
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- fi**
also holds for same  $v$
- fi**

# HBC: Validity for $t_\sigma < t \leq T$

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2.  $P_s: BCEV(m);$  [receive  $b_i$ ]
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 $M_i^v := \{\sigma_i^j \mid c_i^j = v \wedge \sigma_i^j \text{ valid}\};$
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    **else**  $y_i := d_i;$  (III)  
    **fi**  
  
**fi**

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1.  $P_s: DS(m);$  BC for  $t > t_\sigma$  [receive  $d_i$ ]
2.  $P_s: BCEV(m);$  guarantees validity [receive  $b_i$ ]
3. Multisend  $(b_i, \sigma_i(b_i));$  [ $\forall P_j$  receive  $(c_i^j, \sigma_i^j)$ ]  
 $M_i^v := \{\sigma_i^j \mid c_i^j = v \wedge \sigma_i^j \text{ valid}\};$
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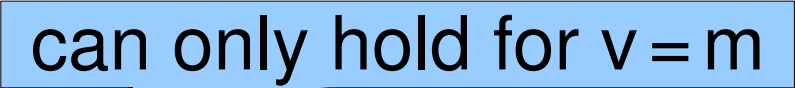
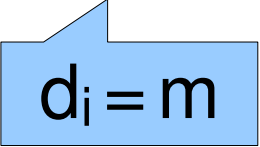

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