

# A Fuzzy Identity-Based Signcryption Scheme from Lattices

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## Abstract

Fuzzy identity-based cryptography introduces the threshold structure into identity-based cryptography, changes the receiver of a ciphertext from exact one to dynamic many, makes a cryptographic scheme more efficient and flexible. In this paper, we propose the first fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme in lattice-based cryptography. Firstly, we give a fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme that is indistinguishable against chosen plaintext attack under selective identity model. Then we apply Fujisaki-Okamoto method to obtain a fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme that is indistinguishable against adaptive chosen ciphertext attack under selective identity model. Thirdly, we prove our scheme is existentially unforgeable against chosen message attack under selective identity model. As far as we know, our scheme is the first fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme that is secure even in the quantum environment.

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## 1. Introduction

In public key cryptography, a user has a pair of public key and a private key, and this pair is bounded with the user by a trusted third party. For security consideration, the user and the matching public/private key should be updated frequently, and it is complicated to maintain public key infrastructure to support key authenticity. In order to solve this problem, Shamir introduced identity-based cryptography[1]. In identity-based cryptography, a user's identity is viewed as his public key, and the associated private key is generated by a private key generator, and the relation between a user and his public/private key is natural. Identity-based cryptography doesn't depend on the complex public key infrastructure, simplifies the user key management, and leads to more practical cryptosystems[2, 3].

However, one person must ascertain the receiver, in public key cryptography and identity-based cryptography, when he encrypts a message. The truth of the matter is that, the sender couldn't ascertain the receiver in such situations as pay-TV systems and cloud storages, for the group of receivers is of a dynamic change. To adapt to this environment, we may introduce access control structure in encryption, and allow people, who are admitted by the access control structure, to decrypt the ciphertext. When the access control structure is specific to threshold structure, it is fuzzy identity-based cryptography. Fuzzy identity-based cryptography is an error-tolerant identity-based cryptography. In other words, a ciphertext or signature obtained via an identity  $id$  can be decrypted or verified via an identity  $id'$  if and only if the difference between  $id$  and  $id'$  is within a certain range, and the range is the threshold value.

Fuzzy identity-based encryption(FIBE) was introduced by Sahai and Waters[4]. Sahai and Waters formalized the model of fuzzy identity-based encryption and provided two fuzzy identity-based encryption schemes which are secure against chosen plaintext attack under selective identity model. Subsequently, Baek et al. gave two more efficient fuzzy identity-based encryption schemes[5] using Pirretti et al.'s results[6], and Li et al. proposed a fuzzy identity-based encryption scheme with dynamic threshold[7].

When it comes to digital signature, Yang et al. firstly introduced the notion of fuzzy identity-based signature(FIBS)[8] and gave a specific construction based on Sahai and Waters's fuzzy identity-based encryption schemes[4]. Afterward, Wang proposed a fuzzy identity-based signature scheme with shorter parameters and more efficient verification[9], and Wu also proposed a fuzzy identity-based signature scheme with the generalized selective identity security[10].

Aiming at further improvement in the practicability of cryptographic system, Zheng introduced the notion of signcryption to combine encryption and signature[11]. Signcryption is a cryptographic primitive that can perform the functions of public key encryption and digital signature in a logic step, so that it cuts down the cost of computation and communication without security compromise. To meet the needs of biometric identity, Zhang et al.[12] and Li et al. [13] introduced fuzziness property into signcryption respectively, and proposed fuzzy signcryption schemes.

So far, all the literatures mentioned above are based on the traditional numerical assumptions, and Shor's groundbreaking results[14] show that these schemes are not secure in the quantum era. Thus, it is a rewarding work to build quantum secure cryptographic schemes. Lattice-based cryptography is an outstanding representative of post-quantum cryptography, and there exist many public key encryption schemes[15, 16, 17] and digital signature

schemes[18, 19, 20] based on lattice theory. But as far as we know, there aren't fuzzy identity-based signcryption schemes based on lattice assumptions.

In this paper, we give the first fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme based on lattice assumptions. According to the technique in [21], we take the signature associated with the message as an error vector, to disturb the lattice point associated with the message. As a result, we bind the encrypted message and the signature to realize confidentiality and authentication simultaneously. And we reduce the frequency of sampling errors compare with the generic sign-then-encrypt method. To accomplish ukeyExtract queries in the proof of existential unforgeability against chosen message attack under selective identity model, we introduce identity information to public key for encryption. In order to further decrease the length of the ciphertext, we make use of the technique of the lattice basis delegation in fixed dimension[16]. In addition, we apply the Fujisaki-Okamoto method[22] to increase our scheme's security from indistinguishability against chosen plaintext attack under selective identity model(IND-sID-CPA) to indistinguishability against adaptive chosen ciphertext attack under selective identity model(IND-sID-CCA2).

The following is the roadmap of our paper. Section 2 includes preliminaries that are necessary in our construction, Section 3 gives the formal definition of a fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme. Section 4 introduces the security definitions of a fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme. Section 5 gives our new scheme and its consistency analysis. Section 6 gives the security analysis of our scheme. Section 7 provides its efficiency analysis and performance comparison with other related schemes. Finally, Section 8 is summary and conclusions.

## 2. Preliminaries

In this section, we give an overview of basic notions and results that are involved in our construction about lattice-based cryptography. We refer readers to [15, 16, 23] for more details.

**Definition 2.1** A lattice is a discrete addition subgroup in  $\mathbb{R}^m$ , and if it is generated by  $n$  linearly independent vectors  $a_1, \dots, a_n \in \mathbb{R}^m$ , then matrix  $A = [a_1 | \dots | a_n]$  is a basis of the lattice, and the lattice can be denoted by  $\Lambda(A)$ .

**Definition 2.2** Two integer lattices, as well as a lattice shift, are often used in lattice-based cryptography, and we give their definitions as follows. For  $A \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times m}$  and  $u \in \mathbb{Z}_q^n$ ,

$$\Lambda_q(A) = \{e \in \mathbb{Z}^m \mid \exists s \in \mathbb{Z}_q^n \text{ such that } e = A^T s \pmod{q}\}$$

$$\Lambda_q^\perp(A) = \{e \in \mathbb{Z}^m \mid Ae = 0 \pmod{q}\}$$

$$\Lambda_q^u(A) = \{e \in \mathbb{Z}^m \mid Ae = u \pmod{q}\}$$

**Definition 2.3** For  $\Lambda \subseteq \mathbb{Z}^m$ ,  $\mathbf{c} \in \mathbb{R}^m$ ,  $\sigma \in \mathbb{R}^+$ , let  $\rho_{\sigma, \mathbf{c}}(x) = \exp(-\pi \frac{\|x - \mathbf{c}\|^2}{\sigma^2})$ ,

$\rho_{\sigma, \mathbf{c}}(\Lambda) = \sum_{x \in \Lambda} \rho_{\sigma, \mathbf{c}}(x)$ , then  $\forall y \in \Lambda, D_{\Lambda, \sigma, \mathbf{c}}(y) = \frac{\rho_{\sigma, \mathbf{c}}(y)}{\rho_{\sigma, \mathbf{c}}(\Lambda)}$  is a discrete Gaussian

distribution over  $\Lambda$ , whose center is  $\mathbf{c}$  and parameter is  $\sigma$ . When  $\mathbf{c} = 0$  or  $\sigma = 1$ , we can omit them.

**Lemma 2.4** With integer  $q \geq 3$ ,  $m \geq Cn \log q$ , where  $C > 1$  is a fixed constant, algorithm

**TrapGen** outputs  $A \in Z_q^{n \times m}$  and  $T \in Z^{m \times m}$ , which satisfy the following properties.

1. The statistical distance between the distribution of  $A$  and uniform distribution on  $Z_q^{n \times m}$  is negligible.
2.  $AT = 0 \pmod{q}$ .
3.  $\|T\| \leq O(n \log q)$  and  $\|T\| \leq O(\sqrt{n \log q}) = L$ .

**Definition 2.5** Let  $\sigma_R = L \cdot \omega(\sqrt{\log m})$ ,  $D_{m \times m}$  is the distribution  $(D_{Z^m, \sigma_R})^m$  and if  $R \leftarrow D_{m \times m}$ , then  $R$  is  $Z_q$ -invertible.

**Lemma 2.6** For  $A \in Z_q^{n \times m}$  with rank  $n$ ,  $R \leftarrow D_{m \times m}$ , a short basis  $T_A$  of  $\Lambda_q^\perp(A)$ , and Gaussian parameter  $\sigma_1 > L^2 \cdot \sqrt{m} \cdot \omega(\log^2 m)$ , algorithm **BasisDel** outputs a basis  $T_B$  of  $\Lambda_q^\perp(B)$  for  $B = AR^{-1}$ , where  $\|T_B\| \leq L \cdot m^{\frac{3}{2}} \cdot \omega(\log^2 m)$ .

**Lemma 2.7** Algorithm **SampleRwithBasis** ( $A$ ) is important in security proof. Its input is a matrix  $A$ , which comes from  $Z_q^{n \times m}$  uniformly and randomly. Its output are matrices  $R$  and  $T$ , where  $R$  follows the distribution  $D_{m \times m}$ ,  $T$  is a short basis of  $\Lambda_q^\perp(AR^{-1})$ .

**Lemma 2.8** For  $B \in Z_q^{n \times m}$ , a short basis  $T_B$  of  $\Lambda_q^\perp(B)$ ,  $u \in Z_q^n$ , and Gaussian parameter  $\sigma_2 \geq \|T_B\| \cdot \omega(\sqrt{\log m})$ , algorithm **SamplePre** outputs some  $e \in Z^m$  such that  $\|e\| \leq \sigma_2 \cdot \sqrt{m}$  and  $Be = u \pmod{q}$ .

**Definition 2.9** For a size parameter  $n \geq 1$ , a modulus  $q \geq 2$ , and an appropriate normal distribution  $\mathbb{X}$  on  $Z_q$ ,  $\mathbf{A}_{s, \mathbb{X}}$  is the distribution obtained by selecting a vector  $a \in Z_q^n$  uniformly, sampling  $x : \mathbb{X}$ , and outputting  $(a, a^T s + x) \in Z_q^n \times Z_q$ .

An  $(Z_q, n, \mathbb{X})$ -LWE problem instance is composed of access to an unspecified challenge oracle  $\mathcal{O}$ , which is, either, a pseudo-random sampler  $\mathcal{O}_s$  associated with some random secret  $s \in Z_q^n$ , or, a random sampler  $\mathcal{O}_u$ .

$\mathcal{O}_s$ : outputs such samples as  $(a_i, b_i) = (a_i, a_i^T s + x_i) \in Z_q^n \times Z_q$ , where  $a_i$  follows uniform distribution on  $Z_q^n$ ,  $x_i$  follows distribution  $\mathbb{X}$ .

$\mathcal{O}_u$ : outputs such samples as  $(a_i, b_i)$  which follows uniform distribution on  $Z_q^n \times Z_q$ .

Given an  $(Z_q, n, \mathbb{X})$ -LWE problem instance, if there is an efficient algorithm to decide which oracle is accessed, then there is an efficient algorithm to approximate the SIVP and GapSVP problems in the worst case.

**Definition 2.10** The  $(n, m, q, \beta)$ -small integer solution problem  $SIS_{n, m, q, \beta}$  is that for  $A \in Z_q^{n \times m}$ , and a real  $\beta$ , find a vector  $e \in Z^m$  such that  $Ae = 0 \pmod{q}$  and  $0 < \|e\|_2 \leq \beta$ , where  $\|\cdot\|_2$  is the Euclidean norm.

Given an  $SIS_{n,m,q,\beta}$  problem instance, if there is an efficient algorithm to find its small integer solution  $e$ , then there is an efficient algorithm to approximate the SIVP problem in the worst case.

### 3. Formal definition of a fuzzy identity-based signcryption

In this section, we give the formal definition of a fuzzy identity-based signcryption.

A fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme has five PPT algorithms as follows.

- $\text{Setup}(1^n, d, d')$  – On input system security parameter  $1^n$ , two thresholds  $d$  and  $d'$ , this algorithm outputs public parameter  $PP$  and master secret key  $msk$ .
- $\text{uKeyExtract}(msk, id)$  – On input master secret key  $msk$ , an identity  $id$ , this algorithm outputs the unsigncryption key  $uk_{id}$ .
- $\text{sKeyExtract}(msk, id)$  – On input master secret key  $msk$ , an identity  $id$ , this algorithm outputs the signature key  $sk_{id}$ .
- $\text{Signcrypt}(M, sk_{id_s}, id_e)$  – On input a message  $M$ , an identity  $id_e$  for encryption, an identity  $id_s$  as well as its signature key  $sk_{id_s}$ , this algorithm outputs a ciphertext  $C$ .
- $\text{Unsigncrypt}(C, uk_{id_u}, id_v)$  – On input a ciphertext  $C$ , an identity  $id_v$  for verification, an identity  $id_u$  as well as its unsigncryption key  $uk_{id_u}$ , if  $|id_u \cap id_e| \geq d$  and  $|id_v \cap id_s| \geq d'$ , this algorithm gets the message  $M$ , and verifies the validity of the message and its signature. If verification is successful, this algorithm returns the message  $M$ , otherwise returns  $\perp$ .

These five algorithms must satisfy consistency property of a fuzzy identity-based signcryption, that is, if  $C = \text{Signcrypt}(M, sk_{id_s}, id_e)$ , and  $|id_u \cap id_e| \geq d$ ,  $|id_v \cap id_s| \geq d'$ , then we should have  $M = \text{Unsigncrypt}(C, uk_{id_u}, id_v)$ .

### 4. Security notions

The security of a fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme includes two factors: message confidentiality and ciphertext unforgeability, which are illuminated in detail as follows.

#### 4.1 Message confidentiality

With regard to the message confidentiality of a fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme, we define two definitions of different security levels: indistinguishability against chosen plaintext attack under selective identity model(IND-sID-CPA), and indistinguishability against adaptive chosen ciphertext attack under selective identity model(IND-sID-CCA2).

The following game between a challenger  $C$  and an adversary  $A$  describes the indistinguishability against adaptive chosen ciphertext attack under selective identity model(IND-sID-CCA2).

- Target – The adversary  $A$  decides an identity  $id^*$  to be his attack target, and returns it to the challenger  $C$ .
- Setup – The challenger  $C$  inputs secure parameter  $1^n$ , two thresholds  $d$  and  $d'$ , invokes

Setup( $1^n, d, d'$ ) algorithm to get public parameter  $PP$  and master secret key  $msk$ . Public parameter  $PP$  is sent to the adversary  $A$  and master secret key  $msk$  is kept secret.

- Phase 1 – In this phase, the adversary  $A$  has the right to ask the following queries with a number of polynomial bounded, and the challenger  $C$  must return reasonable answers.

uKeyExtract( $id$ ) – The adversary  $A$  asks for the unsigncryption key for an identity  $id$  with  $|id \cap id^*| < d$ . The challenger  $C$  invokes algorithm uKeyExtract( $msk, id$ ) and returns its result to  $A$ .

sKeyExtract( $id$ ) – The adversary  $A$  asks for the signature key for an identity  $id$ . The challenger  $C$  invokes algorithm sKeyExtract( $msk, id$ ) and returns its result to  $A$ .

Unsigncrypt( $C, id_u, id_v$ ) – The adversary  $A$  provides a ciphertext  $C$ , an identity  $id_u$  for unsigncryption, and an identity  $id_v$  for verification. The challenger  $C$  computes  $uk_{id_u} =$  uKeyExtract( $id_u$ ), then invokes algorithm Unsigncrypt( $C, uk_{id_u}, id_v$ ) and returns its result to  $A$ .

- Challenge – When Phase 1 ends, the adversary  $A$  selects two messages  $M_0, M_1$  with same length, and an identity  $id_s^*$  for signature, sends all of them to the challenger  $C$  for challenge ciphertext.  $C$  selects a bit  $b$  randomly, computes the signature key  $sk_{id_s^*} =$  sKeyExtract( $id_s^*$ ) and returns  $C^* =$  Signcrypt( $M_b, sk_{id_s^*}, id^*$ ) to  $A$ .

- Phase 2 – The adversary  $A$  repeats what he did in Phase 1, with the exception that he couldn't execute Unsigncrypt query on  $(C^*, id_u, id_v)$  with  $|id_u \cap id^*| \geq d$  and  $|id_v \cap id_s^*| \geq d'$ .

- Guess – The adversary  $A$  gives his guess  $b'$  for  $b$  which the challenger  $C$  used in Challenge phase. If  $b' = b$ , we say the adversary  $A$  wins the game.

The advantage of adversary  $A$  in this game is denoted as  $Adv(A) = |Pr[b' = b] - \frac{1}{2}|$ .

**Definition 4.1** *If all polynomially bounded adversaries have negligible advantages in the above game, then a fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme is indistinguishable against adaptive chosen ciphertext attack under selective identity model. In other words, a fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme is IND-sID-CCA2 secure.*

If the Unsigncrypt query is forbidden in the above game, then the game and the associated definition 4.1 describe the indistinguishability against chosen plaintext attack under selective identity model(IND-sID-CPA).

## 4.2 Ciphertext unforgeability

With regard to the ciphertext unforgeability of a fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme, we define the following game between a challenger  $C$  and an adversary  $A$  to describe the existential unforgeability against chosen message attack under selective identity model(EUF-sID-CMA).

- Target – The adversary  $A$  decides an identity  $id^*$  to be his attack target, and returns it to the challenger  $C$ .

- **Setup** – The challenger  $C$  inputs secure parameter  $1^n$ , two thresholds  $d$  and  $d'$ , invokes  $\text{Setup}(1^n, d, d')$  algorithm to get public parameter  $PP$  and master secret key  $msk$ . Public parameter  $PP$  is sent to the adversary  $A$  and master secret key  $msk$  is kept secret.
- **Query** – In this phase, the adversary  $A$  has the right to ask the following queries with a number of polynomial bounded, and the challenger  $C$  must return reasonable answers.
  - $\text{uKeyExtract}(id)$  – The adversary  $A$  asks for the unsigncryption key for an identity  $id$ . The challenger  $C$  invokes algorithm  $\text{uKeyExtract}(msk, id)$  and returns its result to  $A$ .
  - $\text{sKeyExtract}(id)$  – The adversary  $A$  asks for the signature key for an identity  $id$ , which satisfy  $|id \cap id^*| < d'$ . The challenger  $C$  invokes algorithm  $\text{sKeyExtract}(msk, id)$  and returns its result to  $A$ .
  - $\text{Signcrypt}(M, id_s, id_e)$  – The adversary  $A$  provides a message  $M$ , an identity  $id_s$  for signature, an identity  $id_e$  for encryption. The challenger  $C$  computes  $sk_{id_s} = \text{sKeyExtract}(id_s)$ , then invokes algorithm  $\text{Signcrypt}(M, sk_{id_s}, id_e)$  and returns its result to  $A$ .
  - **Forge** – The adversary  $A$  replies to  $C$  with a ciphertext  $C^*$  as well as an encryption identity  $id_e^*$ . If adversary  $A$ 's reply is valid, that is to say, there exist  $id_u$  and  $id_v$  which satisfy  $|id_u \cap id_e^*| \geq d$  and  $|id_v \cap id_e^*| \geq d'$ ,  $\text{Unsigncrypt}(C^*, uk_{id_u}, id_v) = M \neq \perp$  for  $uk_{id_u} = \text{uKeyExtract}(id_u)$  and  $A$  didn't make  $\text{Signcrypt}(M, id^*, id_e^*)$  query, then we say the adversary  $A$  wins the game.

The advantage of adversary  $A$  in this game is denoted by  $\text{Adv}(A) = \text{Pr}[A \text{ wins}]$ .

**Definition 4.2** *If all polynomially bounded adversaries have negligible advantages in the above game, then a fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme is existentially unforgeable against chosen message attack under selective identity model. In other words, a fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme is EUF-sID-CMA secure.*

## 5. Our fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme

At first, we give an IND-sID-CPA secure fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme – Construction 1, then we apply Fujisaki-Okamoto method to Construction 1 to obtain an IND-sID-CCA2 secure fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme – Construction 2.

### 5.1 Construction 1

- **Setup**  $(n, d, d')$  On input security parameter  $n = l^{\frac{1}{\epsilon}}$ , where  $l$  is the length of an identity,  $\epsilon \in (0, 1)$  is a constant, and two thresholds  $d$  and  $d'$ ,
  1. For  $q = \text{poly}(n)$  and  $pq \in [n^6 \cdot 2^{5l}, 2n^6 \cdot 2^{5l}]$ , let  $m = n^{1.5}$ ,  
 $\sigma_0 = O(\sqrt{n \log(pq)})\omega(\sqrt{\log m})$ ,  $\sigma = O(n \log(pq))\sqrt{m}\omega(\log^2 m)$ ,  
 $\sigma' = O(\sqrt{n \log(pq)})m^{\frac{3}{2}}\omega(\log^{\frac{5}{2}} m)$ ,  $D_n = \{e \in Z^m : \|e\| \leq \sigma' \sqrt{m}\}$ .

2. For  $i \in [l], b \in \{0,1\}$ , invoke algorithm  $TrapGen(n)$  to obtain  $(A_{i,b}, T_{i,b})$ , with the condition that

(a)  $A_{i,b} \in Z_{pq}^{n \times m}$  follows uniform distribution with overwhelming probability.

(b)  $T_{i,b}$  is a short basis of  $\Lambda_{pq}^\perp(A_{i,b})$  and  $\|T_{i,b}\| \leq O(\sqrt{n \log(pq)})$ .

3. For message space  $M = \{0,1\}^k$ , let  $t \in [k]$ , select  $u_t = (u_{t1}, \dots, u_{tm}) \in Z_{pq}^n$  uniformly and randomly.

4. Let  $D_{m \times m}$  be the Gaussian distribution  $(D_{Z_{pq}^m, \sigma_0})^m$ ,  $H_1, H_2 : \{0,1\}^* \rightarrow D_{m \times m}$ , and  $H_3 : \{0,1\}^* \rightarrow Z_p^n$  are three different hash functions.

5. Output  $PP = (\{A_{i,b}\}_{i \in [l], b \in \{0,1\}}, \{u_t\}_{t \in [k]}, H_1, H_2, H_3)$  and  $msk = (\{T_{i,b}\}_{i \in [l], b \in \{0,1\}})$ .

• **uKeyExtract** ( $msk, id$ ) On input  $msk = (\{T_{i,b}\}_{i \in [l], b \in \{0,1\}})$  and an identity  $id = (id_1, \dots, id_l)$ , the unsigncryption key  $uk_{id}$  is obtained as follows.

1. For  $t \in [k]$ , select a random polynomial vector  $f_t \in \mathbb{R}^n$  of degree  $d-1$  such that  $\mathbb{R} = Z_{pq}[x]$  and  $f_t(0) = u_t$ . Let  $u_{ti} = f_t(i) \in Z_{pq}^n$  for  $i \in [l]$ . By Shamir's  $(d, l)$  threshold scheme, for  $I \subseteq [l]$  such that  $|I| \geq d$ ,  $u_t = \sum_{i \in I} L_i \cdot u_{ti} \pmod{pq}$ , where  $L_i$  is the associated Lagrangian coefficient.

2. For  $i \in [l]$ , let  $R_{i, id_i} = H_1(id_i \parallel \Pi)$ , invoke algorithm  $BasisDel(A_{i, id_i}, R_{i, id_i}, T_{i, id_i}, \sigma)$  to get a short basis  $T_{i, id_i}'$  for lattice  $\Lambda_{pq}^\perp(B_{i, id_i})$ , where  $B_{i, id_i} = A_{i, id_i} R_{i, id_i}^{-1}$ .

3. For  $t \in [k], i \in [l]$ , run  $SamplePre(B_{i, id_i}, T_{i, id_i}', u_{ti}, \sigma')$  to get  $e_{ii} \in Z^m$  satisfying  $B_{i, id_i} \cdot e_{ii} = u_{ti}$ .

4. Output the unsigncryption key for the identity  $id$  as  $\{e_{ii}\}_{t \in [k], i \in [l]}$ .

• **sKeyExtract** ( $msk, id$ ) On input  $msk = (\{T_{i,b}\}_{i \in [l], b \in \{0,1\}})$  and an identity  $id = (id_1, \dots, id_l)$ , the signature key  $sk_{id}$  is obtained as follows.

1. For  $i \in [l]$ , let  $R_{id, id_i} = H_2(id \parallel id_i \parallel i)$ , invoke algorithm  $BasisDel(A_{i, id_i}, R_{id, id_i}, T_{i, id_i}, \sigma)$  to get a short basis  $T_{id, id_i}'$  for lattice  $\Lambda_{pq}^\perp(B_{id, id_i})$ , where  $B_{id, id_i} = A_{i, id_i} R_{id, id_i}^{-1}$ .

2. Output the signature key for the identity  $id$  as  $\{T_{id, id_i}'\}_{i \in [l]}$ .

• **Signcrypt** ( $M, sk_{id_s}, id_e$ ) On input the message  $M \in \{0,1\}^k$ , the signature key  $sk_{id_s} = \{T_{id_s, id_{s_i}}'\}_{i \in [l]}$  for  $id_s$ , and  $id_e = (id_{e1}, \dots, id_{el})$  used for encryption,

1. Let  $D = (l!)^2$ ,  $u = H_3(M)$ .

2. Select a random polynomial vector  $f \in \mathbb{A}^n$  of degree  $d'-1$  such that  $\mathbb{A} = Z_p[x]$  and  $f(0) = u$ . Let  $u_j = f(j) \in Z_p^n$  for  $j \in [l]$ . By Shamir's  $(d', l)$  threshold scheme, for



$J \subseteq [l]$  such that  $|J| \geq d'$ ,  $u = \sum_{j \in J} L_j \cdot u_j \pmod{p}$ , where  $L_j$  is the associated Lagrangian coefficient.

3. For  $i \in [l]$ , compute  $R_{id_s, id_{si}} = H_2(id_s \parallel id_{si} \parallel i)$ ,  $B_{id_s, id_{si}} = A_{i, id_{si}} R_{id_s, id_{si}}^{-1}$ .

4. For  $i \in [l]$ , sample  $e_i = \text{SamplePre}(B_{id_s, id_{si}}, T_{id_s, id_{si}}, qu_i, \sigma') \in \mathbb{Z}^m$ .

5. Select  $s \in \mathbb{Z}_{pq}^n$  randomly, compute  $c = s + qu$ .

6. For  $t \in [k]$ , let  $c_{t0} = u_t^T s + Dx_t + M_t \lfloor \frac{pq}{2} \rfloor$ , where  $x_t \leftarrow D_{Z, \sigma'}$ .

7. For  $i \in [l]$ , let  $R_{i, id_{ei}} = H_1(id_{ei} \parallel i)$ ,  $B_{i, id_{ei}} = A_{i, id_{ei}} R_{i, id_{ei}}^{-1}$ .

8. For  $i \in [l]$ , let  $c_i = B_{i, id_{ei}}^T s + De_i$ .

9. Output the ciphertext  $C = (id_e, id_s, c, \{c_{t0}\}_{t \in [k]}, \{c_i\}_{i \in [l]})$ .

• **Unsigncrypt**  $(C, uk_{id_u}, id_v)$  On input the ciphertext  $C = (id_e, id_s, c, \{c_{t0}\}_{t \in [k]}, \{c_i\}_{i \in [l]})$ , the unsignryption key  $uk_{id_u} = \{e_{ii}\}_{i \in [k], i \in [l]}$  for  $id_u$ , and  $id_v = (id_{v1}, \dots, id_{vl})$  used for verification,

1. Let  $I = id_u \cap id_e$  denote the set of matching bits in  $id_u$  and  $id_e$ , and  $J = id_v \cap id_s$  denote the set of matching bits in  $id_v$  and  $id_s$ . If  $|I| < d$  or  $|J| < d'$ , output  $\perp$  and reject. Otherwise, continue.

2. For  $i \in [l]$ , let  $R_{i, id_{ui}} = H_1(id_{ui} \parallel i)$ ,  $B_{i, id_{ui}} = A_{i, id_{ui}} R_{i, id_{ui}}^{-1}$ . By Shamir's  $(d, l)$  threshold scheme, we have  $\sum_{i \in I} L_i B_{i, id_{ui}} e_{ii} = u_t \pmod{pq}$  for  $t \in [k]$ .

3. For  $t \in [k]$ , compute  $r_t = c_{t0} - \sum_{i \in I} L_i e_{ii}^T c_i \pmod{pq}$ . Let  $r_t \in [-\lfloor \frac{pq}{2} \rfloor, \lfloor \frac{pq}{2} \rfloor] \subset \mathbb{Z}$ . If

$|r_t| < \frac{pq}{4}$ , output  $M_t = 0$ , otherwise output  $M_t = 1$ . In this step, we retrieve the message  $M$ .

4. Compute  $s = c - qH_3(M)$ .

5. For  $i \in [l]$ , compute  $R_{i, id_{ei}} = H_1(id_{ei} \parallel i)$ ,  $B_{i, id_{ei}} = A_{i, id_{ei}} R_{i, id_{ei}}^{-1}$ , and  $e_i = D^{-1}(c_i - B_{i, id_{ei}}^T s)$ .

6. For  $i \in [l]$ , compute  $R_{id_s, id_{si}} = H_2(id_s \parallel id_{si} \parallel i)$ ,  $B_{id_s, id_{si}} = A_{i, id_{si}} R_{id_s, id_{si}}^{-1}$ .

7. Verify whether  $\sum_{j \in J} L_j B_{id_s, id_{sj}} e_j = qH_3(M)$  and  $e_j \in D_n$  for  $j \in [l]$ . If all conditions hold, accept  $M$  as a valid message. Otherwise, output  $\perp$  and reject.

## 5.2 Consistency of Construction 1

Let  $I = id_u \cap id_e$  denote the set of matching bits in  $id_u$  and  $id_e$ ,  $J = id_v \cap id_s$  denote the set of matching bits in  $id_v$  and  $id_s$ , and  $|I| \geq d$ ,  $|J| \geq d'$ . Then for  $t = 1, \dots, k$ ,

$$r_t = c_{t0} - \sum_{i \in I} L_i e_{ii}^T c_i \pmod{pq}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= u_t^T s + Dx_t + M_t \lfloor \frac{pq}{2} \rfloor - \sum_{i \in I} L_i e_{ii}^T (B_{i, id_{ei}}^T s + De_i) \pmod{pq} \\
&= u_t^T s + Dx_t + M_t \lfloor \frac{pq}{2} \rfloor - \sum_{i \in I} L_i e_{ii}^T (B_{i, id_{ui}}^T s + De_i) \pmod{pq} \\
&= M_t \lfloor \frac{pq}{2} \rfloor + (u_t^T s - \sum_{i \in I} (L_i B_{i, id_{ui}} e_{ii})^T s) + (Dx_t - \sum_{i \in I} DL_i e_{ii}^T e_i) \pmod{pq} \\
&= M_t \lfloor \frac{pq}{2} \rfloor + (u_t^T s - u_t^T s) + (Dx_t - \sum_{i \in I} DL_i e_{ii}^T e_i) \pmod{pq} \\
&= M_t \lfloor \frac{pq}{2} \rfloor + (Dx_t - \sum_{i \in I} DL_i e_{ii}^T e_i) \pmod{pq}
\end{aligned}$$

According to parameters setting in **Setup** of our scheme,  $|Dx_t - \sum_{i \in I} DL_i e_{ii}^T e_i| \leq D|x_t| + \sum_{i \in I} D^2 |e_{ii}^T e_i| < \frac{pq}{4}$  with overwhelming probability, then  $M_t \lfloor \frac{pq}{2} \rfloor + (Dx_t - \sum_{i \in I} DL_i e_{ii}^T e_i) \pmod{pq} \approx M_t \lfloor \frac{pq}{2} \rfloor$ . Therefore, if  $|r_t| < \frac{pq}{4}$ , then  $M_t = 0$ ; otherwise  $M_t = 1$ . And  $M = (M_1, \dots, M_k)$ .

Then  $s = c - qH_3(M)$  and  $e_i = D^{-1}(c_i - B_{i, id_{ei}}^T s)$  for  $i \in [l]$ . Because of  $e_i = \text{SamplePre}(B_{id_s, id_{si}}, T_{id_s, id_{si}}, qu_i, \sigma')$  and  $u = H_3(M) = \sum_{j \in J} L_j \cdot u_j \pmod{p}$ , we have  $\sum_{j \in J} L_j B_{id_s, id_{sj}} e_j = qH_3(M)$  and  $e_j \in D_n$  for  $j \in [l]$ .

As a result, as long as the ciphertext is got following our scheme religiously, a valid unsigncrypter can obtain the original message with overwhelming probability.

### 5.3 IND-sID-CPA security of Construction 1

**Theorem 5.1** *Assuming that the LWE problem is hard, Construction 1 is indistinguishable against chosen plaintext attack under selective identity model (IND-sID-CPA).*

**Proof.** We prove Theorem 5.1 by contradiction. Suppose that there exists a PPT adversary  $A$  who can attack the IND-sID-CPA security of Construction 1, we can construct a challenger  $C$  to solve an LWE problem instance, which is a contradiction with the hardness of the LWE problem. In other words, Construction 1 is IND-sID-CPA secure under the hardness of the LWE problem.

To end this aim, the adversary  $A$  and the challenger  $C$  behave as follows.

- Target – The adversary  $A$  decides an encryption identity  $id^*$  to be his attack target, and returns  $id^*$  to the challenger  $C$ .
- Instance – The challenger  $C$  requests samples from the oracle  $O$  to get  $(w_t, v_t) \in Z_{pq}^n \times Z_{pq}$  for  $t = 1, \dots, k$ , and  $\{(w_1^{(i)}, v_1^{(i)}), (w_2^{(i)}, v_2^{(i)}), \dots, (w_m^{(i)}, v_m^{(i)})\} \in \{Z_{pq}^n \times Z_{pq}\}^m$  for  $i \in [l]$ . These samples follow LWE oracle  $O_s$  or uniform distribution oracle  $O_u$ , which will be decided by challenger  $C$  with the aid of  $A$ 's attack ability to Construction 1.
- Setup – The public parameter  $PP$  is given by challenger  $C$  in the following manner.

1. Matrices  $A_{i,id_i^*} = \{(w_1^{(i)}), (w_2^{(i)}), \dots, (w_m^{(i)})\}$  for  $i \in [l]$ .
2. Sample  $l$  random matrices  $R_1^*, \dots, R_l^* \leftarrow D_{m \times m}$ , and let  $A_{i,id_i^*} = A_{i,id_i^*} R_i^*$  for  $i \in [l]$ .
3. For  $i \in [l]$ ,  $A_{i,1-id_i^*}$  is obtained by algorithm *TrapGen*, together with a short basis  $T_{i,1-id_i^*}$  for  $\Lambda_{pq}^\perp(A_{i,1-id_i^*})$ .
4. Vectors  $u_t = w_t$  for  $t \in [k]$ .

Then  $PP = (\{A_{i,b}\}_{i \in [l], b \in \{0,1\}}, \{u_t\}_{t \in [k]})$  is returned to the adversary  $A$ .

• Phase 1 – In this phase, the adversary  $A$  has the right to ask the following queries with a number of polynomial bounded, and the challenger  $C$  must return reasonable answers.

◊  $H_1$  queries – The adversary  $A$  asks for  $H_1(id)$  for an identity  $id = (id_1, \dots, id_l)$ , and the challenger  $C$  answers as follows.

For  $(id_i Pi)$ ,  $i \in [l]$ ,

1. If  $id_i = id_i^*$ , let  $H_1(id_i Pi) = R_i^*$ .
2. If  $id_i \neq id_i^*$ , sample  $R_{i,id_i} \leftarrow D_{m \times m}$  randomly, let  $H_1(id_i Pi) = R_{i,id_i}$ .

Then save  $(id, ((id_i Pi), H_1(id_i Pi))_{i \in [l]})$  in list  $H_1$  and return  $((id_i Pi), H_1(id_i Pi))_{i \in [l]}$ .

◊  $H_2$  queries – The adversary  $A$  asks for  $H_2(id)$  for an identity  $id = (id_1, \dots, id_l)$ , and the challenger  $C$  answers as follows.

For  $(id_i Pi)$ ,  $i \in [l]$ ,

1. If  $id_i = id_i^*$ , run algorithm *SampleRwithBasis* $(A_{i,id_i^*})$  to obtain a random  $R_{id,id_i} \leftarrow D_{m \times m}$  and a short basis  $T_{id,id_i}$  for lattice  $\Lambda_{pq}^\perp(B_{id,id_i})$ , where  $B_{id,id_i} = A_{i,id_i^*} R_{id,id_i}^{-1}$ . Let  $H_2(id_i Pi) = R_{id,id_i}$ .

2. If  $id_i \neq id_i^*$ , sample  $R_{id,id_i} \leftarrow D_{m \times m}$  randomly, let  $H_2(id_i Pi) = R_{id,id_i}$ , invoke algorithm *BasisDel* $(A_{i,id_i}, R_{id,id_i}, T_{i,id_i}, \sigma)$  to get a short basis  $T_{id,id_i}$  for lattice  $\Lambda_{pq}^\perp(B_{id,id_i})$ , where  $B_{id,id_i} = A_{i,id_i} R_{id,id_i}^{-1}$ .

Then save  $(id, ((id_i Pi), R_{id,id_i}, B_{id,id_i}, T_{id,id_i})_{i \in [l]})$  in list  $H_2$  and return  $((id_i Pi), R_{id,id_i})_{i \in [l]}$ .

◊ **uKeyExtract queries** – The adversary  $A$  asks for the unsigncryption key for an identity  $id$  with  $|id \cap id^*| = |I| = d_0 < d$ . The challenger  $C$  does the following steps to reply.

1. For simplicity, we assume that the first  $d_0$  bits of  $id$  and  $id^*$  are equal, then the challenger  $C$  has trapdoors for the matrices associated with the set  $\bar{I}$ , where  $|\bar{I}| = l - d_0$ .
2. For  $t \in [k]$ , let the shares of  $u_t$  be  $u_{ti} = u_t + a_{t1}i + a_{t2}i^2 + \dots + a_{t,d-1}i^{d-1}$ , where  $a_{t1}, \dots, a_{t,d-1}$  are vector variables with length  $n$ .

3. For  $i \in [l]$ , execute  $H_1(id)$  query to obtain  $R_{i,id_i} = H_1(id_i \parallel i)$ , and let  $B_{i,id_i} = A_{i,id_i} R_{i,id_i}^{-1}$ .
4. For  $t \in [k]$ ,  $i \in [d_0]$ , select  $e_{ti} \leftarrow D_{Z^m, \sigma'}$ , and let  $u_{ti} = B_{i,id_i} \cdot e_{ti}$ .
5. For  $t \in [k]$ ,  $i \in \{d_0 + 1, \dots, d - 1\}$ , choose  $d - 1 - d_0$  shares  $u_{td_0+1}, \dots, u_{td-1}$  randomly, then the values for  $a_{t1}, \dots, a_{td-1}$  are fixed and all  $l$  shares  $u_{t1}, \dots, u_{tl}$  are known.
6. For  $t \in [k]$ ,  $i \in \{d_0 + 1, \dots, l\}$ , since  $T_{i,id_i}$  is known, invoke algorithm  $BasisDel(A_{i,id_i}, R_{i,id_i}, T_{i,id_i}, \sigma)$  to get a short basis  $T_{i,id_i}'$  for lattice  $\Lambda_{pq}^\perp(B_{i,id_i})$ , then invoke algorithm  $SamplePre(B_{i,id_i}, T_{i,id_i}', u_{ti}, \sigma')$  to get  $e_{ti} \in Z^m$  satisfying  $B_{i,id_i} \cdot e_{ti} = u_{ti}$ .
7. Return the unsigncryption key for the identity  $id$  as  $\{e_{ti}\}_{t \in [k], i \in [l]}$ .

◇ **sKeyExtract queries** – The adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  asks for the signature key for an identity  $id$ . The challenger  $\mathcal{C}$  executes  $H_2(id)$  query to obtain  $((id \parallel id_i \parallel i), R_{id,id_i}, B_{id,id_i}, T_{id,id_i})_{i \in [l]}$ , then returns  $\{T_{id,id_i}'\}_{i \in [l]}$ .

• **Challenge** – When Phase 1 ends, the adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  selects two messages  $M^{(0)}$  and  $M^{(1)}$  with same length, and a signature identity  $id_s^*$ , sends all of them to the challenger  $\mathcal{C}$  for challenge ciphertext.  $\mathcal{C}$  selects  $b \in \{0, 1\}$  randomly, does the following steps.

1. Let  $c_{t0} = Dv_t + M_t^{(b)} \lfloor \frac{pq}{2} \rfloor$  for  $t \in [k]$ .
2. Let  $c_i = (Dv_1^{(i)}, Dv_2^{(i)}, \dots, Dv_m^{(i)})$  for  $i \in [l]$ .
3. Select  $c \in Z_{pq}^n$  randomly.

Then  $(id_s^*, id_s^*, c, \{c_{t0}\}_{t \in [k]}, \{c_i\}_{i \in [l]})$  is returned.

- **Phase 2** – The adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  repeats what he did in Phase 1.
- **Guess** – The adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  gives his guess  $b'$  for  $b$  which the challenger  $\mathcal{C}$  used in Challenge phase. If  $b' = b$ ,  $\mathcal{C}$  decides the samples follow LWE oracle  $\mathcal{O}_s$ ; otherwise,  $\mathcal{C}$  decides the samples follow uniform distribution oracle  $\mathcal{O}_u$ .

## 5.4 Construction 2

We apply Fujisaki-Okamoto method to Construction 1 to obtain an IND-sID-CCA2 secure fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme – Construction 2, which is illustrated as follows.

• **Setup**  $(n, d, d')$  On input security parameter  $n = l^{\frac{1}{\epsilon}}$ , where  $l$  is the length of an identity,  $\epsilon \in (0, 1)$  is a constant, and two thresholds  $d$  and  $d'$ ,

1. For  $q = \text{poly}(n)$  and  $pq \in [n^6 \cdot 2^{5l}, 2n^6 \cdot 2^{5l}]$ , let  $m = n^{1.5}$ ,  
 $\sigma_0 = O(\sqrt{n \log(pq)}) \omega(\sqrt{\log m})$ ,  $\sigma = O(n \log(pq)) \sqrt{m} \omega(\log^2 m)$ ,  
 $\sigma' = O(\sqrt{n \log(pq)}) m^{\frac{3}{2}} \omega(\log^{\frac{5}{2}} m)$ ,  $D_n = \{e \in Z^m : \|e\| \leq \sigma' \sqrt{m}\}$ .

2. For  $i \in [l], b \in \{0, 1\}$ , invoke algorithm  $TrapGen(n)$  to obtain  $(A_{i,b}, T_{i,b})$ , with the

condition that

(a)  $A_{i,b} \in Z_{pq}^{n \times m}$  follows uniform distribution with overwhelming probability.

(b)  $T_{i,b}$  is a short basis of  $\Lambda_{pq}^\perp(A_{i,b})$  and  $\|T_{i,b}\| \leq O(\sqrt{n \log(pq)})$ .

3. Let  $(E,D)$  be a one-time secure symmetric encryption scheme, whose message space is  $M = \{0,1\}^*$ , key space is  $K = \{0,1\}^{k'}$ .

4. Let  $G : \{0,1\}^k \rightarrow \{0,1\}^{k'}$  and  $H : \{0,1\}^* \rightarrow \{0,1\}^*$  be hash functions. For  $t \in [k]$ , select  $u_t = (u_{t1}, \dots, u_{tm}) \in Z_{pq}^n$  uniformly and randomly.

5. Let  $D_{m \times m}$  be the Gaussian distribution  $(D_{Z^m, \sigma_0})^m$ ,  $H_1, H_2 : \{0,1\}^* \rightarrow D_{m \times m}$  and  $H_3 : \{0,1\}^* \rightarrow Z_p^n$  are three different hash functions.

6. Output  $PP = (\{A_{i,b}\}_{i \in [l], b \in \{0,1\}}, \{u_t\}_{t \in [k]}, G, H, H_1, H_2, H_3)$  and  $msk = (\{T_{i,b}\}_{i \in [l], b \in \{0,1\}})$ .

- **uKeyExtract** ( $msk, id$ ) This algorithm is same as the **uKeyExtract** algorithm in Construction 1.

- **sKeyExtract** ( $msk, id$ ) This algorithm is same as the **sKeyExtract** algorithm in Construction 1.

- **Signcrypt** ( $M, sk_{id_s}, id_e$ ) On input the message  $M \in \{0,1\}^*$ , the signature key  $sk_{id_s} = \{T_{id_s, id_{si}}\}_{i \in [l]}$  for  $id_s$ , and  $id_e = (id_{e1}, \dots, id_{el})$  used for encryption,

1. Select random  $\rho \in \{0,1\}^k$ , let  $c_M = E(G(\rho), M)$ ,  $h = H(\rho, c_M)$ .

2. Let  $D = (l!)^2$ ,  $u = H_3(M, \rho)$ .

3. Using randomness  $h$ , execute Construction 1. **Signcrypt**. step 2 – step 5.

4. For  $t \in [k]$ , let  $c_{t0} = u_t^\top s + Dx_t + \rho_t \lfloor \frac{pq}{2} \rfloor$ , where  $x_t \leftarrow D_{Z, \sigma}$ .

5. For  $i \in [l]$ , let  $R_{i, id_{ei}} = H_1(id_{ei} Pi)$ ,  $B_{i, id_{ei}} = A_{i, id_{ei}} R_{i, id_{ei}}^{-1}$ .

6. For  $i \in [l]$ , let  $c_i = B_{i, id_{ei}}^\top s + De_i$ .

7. Output the ciphertext  $C = (id_e, id_s, c_M, c, \{c_{t0}\}_{t \in [k]}, \{c_i\}_{i \in [l]})$ .

- **Unsigncrypt** ( $C, uk_{id_u}, id_v$ ) On input the ciphertext  $C = (id_e, id_s, c_M, c, \{c_{t0}\}_{t \in [k]}, \{c_i\}_{i \in [l]})$ , the unsignryption key  $uk_{id_u} = \{e_{ti}\}_{t \in [k], i \in [l]}$  for  $id_u$ , and  $id_v = (id_{v1}, \dots, id_{vl})$  used for verification,

1. Let  $I = id_u \cap id_e$  denote the set of matching bits in  $id_u$  and  $id_e$ , and  $J = id_v \cap id_s$  denote the set of matching bits in  $id_v$  and  $id_s$ . If  $|I| < d$  or  $|J| < d'$ , output  $\perp$  and reject. Otherwise, continue.

2. For  $i \in [l]$ , let  $R_{i, id_{ui}} = H_1(id_{ui} Pi)$ ,  $B_{i, id_{ui}} = A_{i, id_{ui}} R_{i, id_{ui}}^{-1}$ . By Shamir's  $(d, l)$  threshold scheme, we have  $\sum_{i \in I} L_i B_{i, id_{ui}} e_{ti} = u_t \pmod{pq}$  for  $t \in [k]$ .

3. For  $t \in [k]$ , compute  $r_t = c_{t0} - \sum_{i \in I} L_i e_{ti}^\top c_i \pmod{pq}$ . Let  $r_t \in \lfloor -\frac{pq}{2} \rfloor, \lfloor \frac{pq}{2} \rfloor \subset Z$ . If

$|r_t| < \frac{pq}{4}$ , output  $\rho_t = 0$ , otherwise output  $\rho_t = 1$ . In this step, we retrieve  $\rho$ .

4. Let  $M = D(G(\rho), c_M)$  and  $h = H(\rho, c_M)$ .

5. Using randomness  $h$ , execute the above **Signcrypt**. step 3 – step 6 again. If  $(c, \{c_{t0}\}_{t \in [k]}, \{c_i\}_{i \in [l]})$  obtained here is same as  $(c, \{c_{t0}\}_{t \in [k]}, \{c_i\}_{i \in [l]})$  in the ciphertext, continue. Otherwise, reject and output  $\perp$ .

6. Compute  $s = c - qH_3(M, \rho)$ .

7. For  $i \in [l]$ , compute  $R_{i, id_{ei}} = H_1(id_{ei} \text{Pi})$ ,  $B_{i, id_{ei}} = A_{i, id_{ei}} R_{i, id_{ei}}^{-1}$ , and  $e_i = D^{-1}(c_i - B_{i, id_{ei}}^T s)$ .

8. For  $i \in [l]$ , compute  $R_{id_s, id_{si}} = H_2(id_s \text{Pid}_{si} \text{Pi})$ ,  $B_{id_s, id_{si}} = A_{i, id_{si}} R_{id_s, id_{si}}^{-1}$ .

9. Verify whether  $\sum_{j \in J} L_j B_{id_s, id_{sj}} e_j = qH_3(M, \rho)$  and  $e_j \in D_n$  for  $j \in [l]$ . If all conditions hold, accept  $M$  as a valid message. Otherwise, output  $\perp$  and reject.

## 6. Security analysis of Construction 2

### 6.1 Ciphertext indistinguishability of Construction 2

**Theorem 6.1** *Assuming that the LWE problem is hard, Construction 2 is indistinguishable against chosen ciphertext attack under selective identity model (IND-sID-CCA2).*

**Proof.** We prove Theorem 6.1 by contradiction. Suppose that there exists a PPT adversary  $A$  who can attack the IND-sID-CCA2 security of Construction 2, we can construct a challenger  $C$  to solve an LWE problem instance, which is a contradiction with the hardness of the LWE problem. In other words, Construction 2 is IND-sID-CCA2 secure under the hardness of the LWE problem.

To end this aim, the adversary  $A$  and the challenger  $C$  behave as follows.

- Target – The adversary  $A$  decides an encryption identity  $id^*$  to be his attack target, and returns  $id^*$  to the challenger  $C$ .

- Instance – The challenger  $C$  requests samples from the oracle  $O$  to get  $(w_t, v_t) \in \mathbb{Z}_{pq}^n \times \mathbb{Z}_{pq}$  for  $t = 1, \dots, k$ , and  $\{(w_1^{(i)}, v_1^{(i)}), (w_2^{(i)}, v_2^{(i)}), \dots, (w_m^{(i)}, v_m^{(i)})\} \in \{\mathbb{Z}_{pq}^n \times \mathbb{Z}_{pq}\}^m$  for  $i \in [l]$ . These samples follow LWE oracle  $O_s$  or uniform distribution oracle  $O_u$ , which will be decided by challenger  $C$  with the aid of  $A$ 's attack ability to Construction 2.

- Setup – The public parameter  $PP$  is given by challenger  $C$  in the following manner.

1. Matrices  $A_{i, id_i}^* = \{(w_1^{(i)}), (w_2^{(i)}), \dots, (w_m^{(i)})\}$  for  $i \in [l]$ .

2. Sample  $l$  random matrices  $R_1^*, \dots, R_l^* \leftarrow D_{m \times m}$ , and let  $A_{i, id_i}^* = A_{i, id_i}^* R_i^*$  for  $i \in [l]$ .

3. For  $i \in [l]$ ,  $A_{i, 1-id_i}^*$  is obtained by algorithm *TrapGen*, together with a short basis  $T_{i, 1-id_i}^*$  for  $\Lambda_{pq}^\perp(A_{i, 1-id_i}^*)$ .

4. Vectors  $u_t = w_t$  for  $t \in [k]$ .

Then  $PP = (\{A_{i,b}\}_{i \in [l], b \in \{0,1\}}, \{u_t\}_{t \in [k]})$  is returned to the adversary  $A$ .

• Phase 1 – In this phase, the adversary  $A$  has the right to ask the following queries with a number of polynomial bounded, and the challenger  $C$  must return reasonable answers.

◇  $H_1$  **queries** – The adversary  $A$  asks for  $H_1(id)$  for an identity  $id = (id_1, \dots, id_l)$ , and the challenger  $C$  answers as follows.

For  $(id_i \text{ Pi}), i \in [l]$ ,

1. If  $id_i = id_i^*$ , let  $H_1(id_i \text{ Pi}) = R_i^*$ .

2. If  $id_i \neq id_i^*$ , sample  $R_{i,id_i} \leftarrow D_{m \times m}$  randomly, let  $H_1(id_i \text{ Pi}) = R_{i,id_i}$ .

Then save  $(id, ((id_i \text{ Pi}), H_1(id_i \text{ Pi}))_{i \in [l]})$  in list  $H_1$  and return  $((id_i \text{ Pi}), H_1(id_i \text{ Pi}))_{i \in [l]}$ .

◇  $H_2$  **queries** – The adversary  $A$  asks for  $H_2(id)$  for an identity  $id = (id_1, \dots, id_l)$ , and the challenger  $C$  answers as follows.

For  $(id \text{ Pid}_i \text{ Pi}), i \in [l]$ ,

1. If  $id_i = id_i^*$ , run algorithm  $SampleRwithBasis(A_{i,id_i^*})$  to obtain a random  $R_{id,id_i} \leftarrow D_{m \times m}$

and a short basis  $T_{id,id_i}$  for lattice  $\Lambda_{pq}^\perp(B_{id,id_i})$ , where  $B_{id,id_i} = A_{i,id_i^*} R_{id,id_i}^{-1}$ .

Let  $H_2(id \text{ Pid}_i \text{ Pi}) = R_{id,id_i}$ .

2. If  $id_i \neq id_i^*$ , sample  $R_{id,id_i} \leftarrow D_{m \times m}$  randomly, let  $H_2(id \square id_i \square i) = R_{id,id_i}$ , invoke algorithm  $BasisDel(A_{i,id_i}, R_{id,id_i}, T_{i,id_i}, \sigma)$  to get a short basis  $T_{id,id_i}$  for lattice  $\Lambda_{pq}^\perp(B_{id,id_i})$ , where  $B_{id,id_i} = A_{i,id_i} R_{id,id_i}^{-1}$ .

Then save  $(id, ((id \text{ Pid}_i \text{ Pi}), R_{id,id_i}, B_{id,id_i}, T_{id,id_i}))_{i \in [l]}$  in list  $H_2$  and return  $((id \text{ Pid}_i \text{ Pi}), R_{id,id_i})_{i \in [l]}$ .

◇  $H_3$  **queries** – The adversary  $A$  asks for  $H_3(M, \rho)$  for some  $M \in \{0,1\}^*$  and  $\rho \in \{0,1\}^k$ , the challenger  $C$  selects  $h_{M,\rho} \in \mathbb{Z}_p^n$  uniformly and randomly, saves  $(M, \rho, h_{M,\rho})$  in list  $H_3$  and returns  $H_3(M, \rho) = h_{M,\rho}$ .

◇  $G$  **queries** – The adversary  $A$  asks for  $G(\rho)$  for some  $\rho \in \{0,1\}^k$ , the challenger  $C$  selects  $G_\rho \in \{0,1\}^k$  uniformly and randomly, saves  $(\rho, G_\rho)$  in list  $G$  and returns  $G(\rho) = G_\rho$ .

◇  $H$  **queries** – The adversary  $A$  asks for  $H(\rho, c_M)$  for some  $\rho \in \{0,1\}^k$  and  $c_M \in \{0,1\}^*$ , the challenger  $C$  selects  $h_{\rho,c_M} \in \{0,1\}^*$  uniformly and randomly, saves  $(\rho, c_M, h_{\rho,c_M})$  in list  $H$  and returns  $H(\rho, c_M) = h_{\rho,c_M}$ .

◇ **uKeyExtract queries** – The adversary  $A$  asks for the unsigncryption key for an identity  $id$  with  $|id \cap id^*| = |I| = d_0 < d$ . The challenger  $C$  does the following steps to reply.

1. For simplicity, we assume that the first  $d_0$  bits of  $id$  and  $id^*$  are equal, then the challenger

C has trapdoors for the matrices associated with the set  $\bar{I}$ , where  $|\bar{I}| = l - d_0$ .

2. For  $t \in [k]$ , let the shares of  $u_t$  be  $u_{ti} = u_t + a_{t1}i + a_{t2}i^2 + \dots + a_{td-1}i^{d-1}$ , where  $a_{t1}, \dots, a_{td-1}$  are vector variables with length  $n$ .
3. For  $i \in [l]$ , execute  $H_1(id)$  query to obtain  $R_{i,id_i} = H_1(id_i \text{ Pid}_i)$ , and let  $B_{i,id_i} = A_{i,id_i} R_{i,id_i}^{-1}$ .
4. For  $t \in [k]$ ,  $i \in [d_0]$ , select  $e_{ti} \leftarrow D_{Z^m, \sigma'}$ , and let  $u_{ti} = B_{i,id_i} \cdot e_{ti}$ .
5. For  $t \in [k]$ ,  $i \in \{d_0 + 1, \dots, d - 1\}$ , choose  $d - 1 - d_0$  shares  $u_{td_0+1}, \dots, u_{td-1}$  randomly, then the values for  $a_{t1}, \dots, a_{td-1}$  are fixed and all  $l$  shares  $u_{t1}, \dots, u_{tl}$  are known.
6. For  $t \in [k]$ ,  $i \in \{d_0 + 1, \dots, l\}$ , since  $T_{i,id_i}$  is known, invoke algorithm  $BasisDel(A_{i,id_i}, R_{i,id_i}, T_{i,id_i}, \sigma)$  to get a short basis  $T_{i,id_i}'$  for lattice  $\Lambda_{pq}^\perp(B_{i,id_i})$ , then invoke algorithm  $SamplePre(B_{i,id_i}, T_{i,id_i}', u_{ti}, \sigma')$  to get  $e_{ti} \in Z^m$  satisfying  $B_{i,id_i} \cdot e_{ti} = u_{ti}$ .
7. Return the unsigncryption key for the identity  $id$  as  $\{e_{ti}\}_{t \in [k], i \in [l]}$ .

◇ **sKeyExtract queries** – The adversary A asks for the signature key for an identity  $id$ . The challenger C executes  $H_2(id)$  query to obtain  $((id \text{ Pid}_i \text{ Pi}), R_{id,id_i}, B_{id,id_i}, T_{id,id_i})_{i \in [l]}$ , then returns  $\{T_{id,id_i}'\}_{i \in [l]}$ .

◇ **Unsigncrypt queries** – The adversary A provides a ciphertext  $C = (id_e, id_s, c_M, c, \{c_{t0}\}_{t \in [k]}, \{c_i\}_{i \in [l]})$ , an identity  $id_u$  for unsigncryption, and an identity  $id_v$  for verification. C does the following steps to answer.

1. If  $|id_u \cap id^*| < d$ , compute  $uk_{id_u} = \text{uKeyExtract}(id_u)$ , then invoke algorithm  $\text{Unsigncrypt}(C, uk_{id_u}, id_v)$  and return its result to A.
2. If  $|id_u \cap id^*| > d$ ,  $|id_u \cap id_e| > d$  and  $|id_v \cap id_s| > d'$ , search lists  $H_3$ , G and H to look for tuples  $(M, \rho, h_{M,\rho})$ ,  $(\rho, G_\rho)$  and  $(\rho, c_M, h_{\rho,c_M})$ , such that
  - (1)  $c_M = \text{E}(G_\rho, M)$ ; (2) Let  $s = c - qh_{M,\rho}$ , and  $e_i = D^{-1}(c_i - B_{i,id_{ei}}^T s)$  for  $i \in [l]$ ;
  - (3)  $\sum_{j \in J} L_j B_{id_s, id_{sj}} e_j = qh_{M,\rho}$  and  $e_j \in D_n$  for  $j \in [l]$ .

If such tuples exist, return  $M$ . Otherwise, output  $\perp$  and reject.

• **Challenge** – When Phase 1 ends, the adversary A selects two messages  $M^{(0)}$  and  $M^{(1)}$  with same length, and a signature identity  $id_s^*$ , sends all of them to the challenger C for challenge ciphertext. C selects  $b \in \{0, 1\}$  randomly, does the following steps.

1. Select random  $\rho \in \{0, 1\}^k$ , let  $c_M = \text{E}(G(\rho), M_b)$ .
2. Let  $c_{t0} = Dv_t + \rho_t \lfloor \frac{pq}{2} \rfloor$  for  $t \in [k]$ .
3. Let  $c_i = (Dv_1^{(i)}, Dv_2^{(i)}, \dots, Dv_m^{(i)})$  for  $i \in [l]$ .
4. Select  $c \in Z_{pq}^n$  randomly.



Then  $(id^*, id_s^*, c_M, c, \{c_{t0}\}_{t \in [k]}, \{c_i\}_{i \in [l]})$  is returned.

- Phase 2 – The adversary  $A$  repeats what he did in Phase 1, with the exception that he couldn't execute `Unsigncrypt` query on  $(id_u, id_v, c_M, c, \{c_{t0}\}_{t \in [k]}, \{c_i\}_{i \in [l]})$  with  $|id_u \cap id^*| \geq d$  and  $|id_v \cap id_s^*| \geq d'$ .
- Guess – The adversary  $A$  gives his guess  $b'$  for  $b$  which the challenger  $C$  used in Challenge phase. If  $b' = b$ ,  $C$  decides the samples follow `LWE` oracle  $O_s$ ; otherwise,  $C$  decides the samples follow uniform distribution oracle  $O_u$ .

## 6.2 Ciphertext unforgeability of Construction 2

**Theorem 6.2** *Let  $\beta = (l!)^3 \cdot \sigma' \cdot \sqrt{md'}$ . If the  $SIS_{n,2ml,q,\beta}$  problem is hard to solve, then Construction 2 is existentially unforgeable against chosen message attack under selective identity model. In other words, Construction 2 is EUF-sID-CMA secure under the hardness of the  $SIS_{n,2ml,q,\beta}$  problem.*

Particularly, let  $A$  be a PPT adversary attacking EUF-sID-CMA security of Construction 2, then there exists a challenger  $C$  that can solve an  $SIS_{n,2ml,q,\beta}$  problem instance.

**Proof.** Let  $A = U_1 P X_1 P \cdots P U_l P X_l$ ,  $U_i, X_i \in Z_q^{n \times m}$ . The challenger  $C$  will construct a non-zero short vector  $e^{**} \in Z^{2ml}$ , such that  $Ae^{**} = 0$  and  $\|e^{**}\|_2 \leq \beta$ .

To end this aim, the adversary  $A$  and the challenger  $C$  behave as follows.

- Target – The adversary  $A$  decides a signature identity  $id^*$  to be his attack target, and returns  $id^*$  to the challenger  $C$ .

- Setup – The challenger  $C$  gives the public parameter  $PP$  in the following manner.

1. For  $i \in [l]$ , select  $U_i', X_i' \in Z_p^{n \times m}$  randomly. Use the Chinese remainder theorem to obtain  $U_i'' \in Z_{pq}^{n \times m}$ ,  $X_i'' \in Z_{pq}^{n \times m}$  such that  $U_i'' = U_i' \pmod{q}$ ,  $U_i'' = U_i' \pmod{p}$ ,  $X_i'' = X_i' \pmod{q}$ ,  $X_i'' = X_i' \pmod{p}$ .
2. For  $i \in [l]$ , Sample  $R_{i,0}^*, R_{i,1}^* \leftarrow D_{m \times m}$ , let  $A_{i,0} = U_i'' R_{i,0}^*$ ,  $A_{i,1} = X_i'' R_{i,1}^*$ .
3. For  $t \in [k]$ , select  $u_t = (u_{t1}, \dots, u_{tm}) \in Z_{pq}^n$  uniformly and randomly.
4. Return the public parameter  $PP = (\{A_{i,b}\}_{i \in [l], b \in \{0,1\}}, \{u_t\}_{t \in [k]})$ .

- Query – In this phase, the adversary  $A$  has the right to ask the following queries with a number of polynomial bounded, and the challenger  $C$  must return reasonable answers.

◇  $H_1$  queries – The adversary  $A$  asks for  $H_1(id)$  for an identity  $id = (id_1, \dots, id_l)$ , and the challenger  $C$  answers as follows.

1. For  $id = (id_1, \dots, id_l)$ ,  $i \in [l]$ , run algorithm *SampleRwithBasis*( $A_{i,id_i}$ ) to obtain a random  $R_{i,id_i} \leftarrow D_{m \times m}$  and a short basis  $T_{i,id_i}'$  for lattice  $\Lambda_{pq}^\perp(B_{i,id_i})$ , where  $B_{i,id_i} = A_{i,id_i} R_{i,id_i}^{-1}$ .
2. Save  $(id, ((id_i Pi), R_{i,id_i}, B_{i,id_i}, T_{i,id_i}'))_{i \in [l]}$  in list  $H_1$  and return  $(H_1(id_i Pi) = R_{i,id_i})_{i \in [l]}$ .

◇  $H_2$  queries – When  $A$  asks for  $H_2(id)$  for an identity  $id = (id_1, \dots, id_l)$ , the challenger

C performs as follows.

1. If  $id = id^*$ , for  $i \in [l]$ , when  $id_i = 0$ , let  $H_2(id \text{ Pid}_i \text{ Pi}) = R_{i,0}^*$ ; when  $id_i = 1$ , let  $H_2(id \text{ Pid}_i \text{ Pi}) = R_{i,1}^*$ . Save  $(id, (H_2(id \text{ Pid}_i \text{ Pi}), A_{i,id_i} \cdot H_2(id \text{ Pid}_i \text{ Pi})^{-1}, \perp)_{i \in [l]})$  in list  $H_2$ , and return  $(H_2(id \text{ Pid}_i \text{ Pi}))_{i \in [l]}$ .

2. If  $id \neq id^*$ , for  $i \in [l]$ , invoke algorithm  $SampleRwithBasis(A_{i,id_i})$  to obtain  $R_{i,id_i}$  and a short basis  $T_{i,id_i}'$  for lattice  $\Lambda_{pq}^\perp(B_{i,id_i})$ , where  $B_{i,id_i} = A_{i,id_i} R_{i,id_i}^{-1}$ . Save  $(id, (R_{i,id_i}, B_{i,id_i}, T_{i,id_i}')_{i \in [l]})$  in list  $H_2$ , and return  $(H_2(id \text{ Pid}_i \text{ Pi}) = R_{i,id_i})_{i \in [l]}$ .

◇ **uKeyExtract queries** – The adversary A asks for the unsigncryption key of an identity  $id = (id_1, \dots, id_l)$ , and the challenger C answers as follows.

1. For  $t \in [k]$ , select a random polynomial vector  $f_t \in \mathbb{R}^n$  of degree  $d-1$  such that  $\mathbb{R} = \mathbb{Z}_{pq}[x]$  and  $f_t(0) = u_t$ . Let  $u_{ti} = f_t(i) \in \mathbb{Z}_{pq}^n$  for  $i \in [l]$ . By Shamir's  $(d, l)$  threshold scheme, for  $I \subseteq [l]$  such that  $|I| \geq d$ ,  $u_t = \sum_{i \in I} L_i \cdot u_{ti} \pmod{pq}$ , where  $L_i$  is the associated Lagrangian coefficient.

2. Look for list  $H_1$  to get  $(id, ((id_i \square i), R_{i,id_i}, B_{i,id_i}, T_{i,id_i}')_{i \in [l]})$ . If the tuple doesn't exist, execute  $H_1(id)$  query firstly.

3. For  $t \in [k], i \in [l]$ , run  $SamplePre(B_{i,id_i}, T_{i,id_i}', u_{ti}, \sigma')$  to get  $e_{ii} \in \mathbb{Z}^m$  satisfying  $B_{i,id_i} \cdot e_{ii} = u_{ti}$ .

4. Return  $uk_{id} = \{e_{ii}\}_{t \in [k], i \in [l]}$ .

◇ **sKeyExtract queries** – When A asks for the signature key of an identity  $id = (id_1, \dots, id_l)$ , the challenger C performs as follows.

1. If  $|id \cap id^*| \geq d'$ , return  $\perp$ .

2. If  $|id \cap id^*| < d'$ , look for list  $H_2$  to obtain  $(id, (R_{i,id_i}, B_{i,id_i}, T_{i,id_i}')_{i \in [l]})$ , return  $(T_{i,id_i}')_{i \in [l]}$ . If  $id$  doesn't exist in list  $H_2$ , execute  $H_2(id)$  query firstly.

◇ **Signcrypt queries** – When A asks for the ciphertext associated with message  $M$ , the signature identity  $id_s$ , and the encryption identity  $id_e$ , the challenger C performs as follows.

1. Select random  $id'$  such that  $|id_s \cap id'| \geq d'$ , search list  $H_2$  to obtain  $(id', (R_{i',id'_i}, B_{i',id'_i}, T_{i',id'_i}')_{i \in [l]})$ . If  $id'$  doesn't exist in list  $H_2$ , execute  $H_2(id')$  query firstly.

2. Execute **Signcrypt** $(M, (T_{i',id'_i}')_{i \in [l]}, id_e)$  to obtain the ciphertext  $C$  and return it.

• **Forge** – The adversary A replies to the challenger C with a valid ciphertext  $C^*$  as well as an encryption identity  $id_e^*$ . Then C does the following steps to get a non-zero short vector  $e^{**} \in \mathbb{Z}^{2ml}$ , such that  $Ae^{**} = 0$  and  $\|e^{**}\|_2 \leq \beta$ .

1. Look for list  $H_1$  to get  $(id_e^*, ((id_{ei}^* \square i), R_{i,id_{ei}^*}, B_{i,id_{ei}^*}, T_{i,id_{ei}^*})_{i \in [l]})$ . If the tuple doesn't exist, execute  $H_1(id_e^*)$  query firstly.
2. Execute **Unsigncrypt**  $(C^*, (T_{i,id_{ei}^*})_{i \in [l]}, id^*)$  to obtain a signature  $(M^*, \rho^*, (e_1^*, \dots, e_l^*), id^*)$ .
3.  $C^*$  is a valid ciphertext, so  $(M^*, \rho^*, (e_1^*, \dots, e_l^*), id^*)$  is valid, that is to say, for  $i \in [l]$ ,  $e_i^* \in D_n$ , and there is a subset  $J \subseteq [l]$ ,  $|J| = d'$ , such that  $\sum_{j \in J} L_j \cdot (A_{j,id_j^*} R_{j,id_j^*}^{-1}) \cdot e_j^* = qH_3(M^*, \rho^*)$ .
4. Without loss of generality, suppose  $J = \{1, 2, \dots, d'\}$ . For  $i \in [d']$ , if  $id_i^* = 1$ ,  $e_i^{**} = [0_{m \times 1}; e_i^*]$ ; if  $id_i^* = 0$ ,  $e_i^{**} = [e_i^*; 0_{m \times 1}]$ .
5. Output  $e^{**} = [D \cdot L_1 e_1^{**}; \dots; D \cdot L_{d'} e_{d'}^{**}; 0; \dots; 0]$  as a solution to the  $SIS_{n,2ml,q,\beta}$  problem.

The analysis is as follows.

1.  $(M^*, \rho^*, (e_1^*, \dots, e_l^*), id^*)$  is a valid signature, so  $e_i^* \in D_n$ , and  $(U_1 P X_1 P \dots P U_l P X_l) \cdot [L_1 e_1^{**}; \dots; L_{d'} e_{d'}^{**}; 0; \dots; 0] = 0 \pmod{q}$ , namely,  $A \cdot [D \cdot L_1 e_1^{**}; \dots; D \cdot L_{d'} e_{d'}^{**}; 0; \dots; 0] = 0 \pmod{q}$ .
2. For  $i \in [d']$ ,  $\|e_i^{**}\| \leq \sigma' \cdot \sqrt{m}$ , and  $|D \cdot L_i| \leq (l!)^3$ , then  $\|e^{**}\| \leq (l!)^3 \cdot \sigma' \cdot \sqrt{md'}$ .
3. The range of  $H_3$  follows uniform distribution, the probability of  $H_3(M, \rho) = 0$  is negligible, so that the probability of  $e^{**} = 0$  is also negligible.  
Consequently,  $e^{**}$  is a solution to the  $SIS_{n,2ml,q,\beta}$  problem.

## 7. Efficiency analysis of the Construction 2

In this section, we analyze the efficiency of the Construction 2 and make a performance comparison among our construction and the other two primary lattice-based signcryption schemes[24,25]. The details are shown in **Table 1**.

**Table 1.** Performance comparison

| Items                      | Schemes                                |  |                                     |
|----------------------------|--|--|-------------------------------------|
|                            | Public key cryptosystem                |  | Identity-based cryptosystem         |
|                            | [24]                                   | [25]                                   | ours                                |
| (master) Public key sizes  | $12n^3 \log^3 q$                       | $6n^2 \log^2 q$                        | $(2ln^{2.5} + n^2 \log q) \log(pq)$ |
| (master) Private key sizes | $72n^2 \log^2 q \times \log(n \log q)$ | $36n^2 \log^2 q \times \log(n \log q)$ | $2ln^3 \log(n \log(pq))$            |
| Ciphertext increments      | $n(6n \log^2 q + 1) \log q$            | $6n \log^2 q + n$                      | $(1 + \log q + ln^{0.5})n \log(pq)$ |
| Signcryption cost          | SP+ $n \log q$ (SD+MV) -SD             | SP+ MV                                 | $l$ (SP+MV)+ $n \log q$ SD          |

|                      |                             |          |   |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|----------|---|
| Unsigncryption cost  | $(n \log q + 2) \text{ MV}$ | 2 MV     | $l (\text{SP} + (2 + n \log q) \text{ MV}) + n \log q \text{ SD}$ |
| Confidentiality      | IND-CCA2                    | IND-CCA2 | IND-sID-CCA2  |
| Confidentiality base | LWE                         | LWE      | LWE   |
| Unforgeability       | SUF-CMA                     | SUF-CMA  | EUFSID-CMA  |
| Unforgeability base  | SIS                         | SIS      | SIS   |
| Model                | RO                          | RO       | RO  |
| Identity fuzziness   | N                           | N        | Y   |

Note: public key size, private key size and ciphertext increments are denoted by number of bits; SP denotes *SamplePre* algorithm; SD denotes the algorithm of sampling from a discrete Gaussian distribution over lattice; MV denotes matrix vector multiplication; and RO denotes the scheme is proved in the random oracle model.

The data of the former two columns come from Ref. [26], and we analyze the data of the third column in details as follows.

The parameters  $q = \text{poly}(n)$ ,  $m = n^{1.5}$ , and  $pq \in [n^6 \cdot 2^{5l}, 2n^6 \cdot 2^{5l}]$ , where  $l$  is the length of an identity. As in Ref. [26], we assume the length of the message is  $\lceil n \log q \rceil$ , which is denoted  $k$  in our scheme.

For master public key  $(\{A_{i,b}\}_{i \in [l], b \in \{0,1\}}, \{u_t\}_{t \in [k]})$ ,  $A_{i,b} \in Z_{pq}^{n \times m}$ ,  $u_t \in Z_{pq}^n$ , so that the size is  $2ln^{2.5} \log(pq) + n \log q \cdot n \log(pq) = (2ln^{2.5} + n^2 \log q) \log(pq)$ . For master private key  $(\{T_{i,b}\}_{i \in [l], b \in \{0,1\}})$ ,  $T \in Z^{m \times m}$  and  $\|T_{i,b}\| \leq O(n \log(pq))$ , let  $\|T_{i,b}\| = n \log(pq)$ , then the size is  $2l(n^{1.5})^2 \log(n \log(pq)) = 2ln^3 \log(n \log(pq))$ . For ciphertext increments, we assume the symmetric encryption scheme (E,D) has no ciphertext increments, then the ciphertext increments include

$$(c, \{c_{t0}\}_{t \in [k]}, \{c_i\}_{i \in [l]}), c = s + qu \in Z_{pq}^n,$$

$$c_{t0} = u_t^T s + Dx_t + \rho_t \lfloor \frac{pq}{2} \rfloor \in Z_{pq}, c_i = B_{i, id_{ei}}^T s + De_i \in Z_{pq}^m,$$

then the total increments are

$$n \log(pq) + n \log q \cdot \log(pq) + ln^{1.5} \log(pq) = n \log(pq) \cdot (1 + \log q + ln^{0.5}).$$

For computation cost, we lose sight of the simple operations such as addition, single vector inner product, hash, symmetric encryption, etc., and merely think about the following three operations: matrix vector multiplication, MV; sampling from a discrete Gaussian distribution over lattice, SD; *SamplePre* algorithm, SP. Note there is operation of matrix reverse, we ignore it because it can be precomputed in our scheme.

Specific to signcryption cost, it is  $l (\text{SP} + \text{MV}) + n \log q \text{ SD}$ ; specific to unsigncryption cost, it is  $l (\text{SP} + (2 + n \log q) \text{ MV}) + n \log q \text{ SD}$ .

In conclusion, Ref. [24] and Ref. [25] belong to public key cryptosystems and our scheme belongs to identity-based cryptosystems, and due to our scheme's fuzziness property, we deal with messages bit by bit, therefore our scheme isn't as efficient as Refs. [24] and [25]. But our scheme has its own advantages as follows: it doesn't base on public key infrastructure; it has

more flexible unsignryption users structure; and comparing with signature-then-encrypt mode, it is more efficient.

## 8. Summary and conclusions

In this paper, we propose the first fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme based on lattice assumptions. At first, we give a fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme that has indistinguishability against chosen plaintext attack under selective identity model. Then we apply Fujisaki-Okamoto method to get a fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme that has indistinguishability against adaptive chosen ciphertext attack under selective identity model. At last, we prove our scheme is existentially unforgeable against chosen message attack under selective identity model. As we know it, our scheme is the first fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme that is secure even facing a quantum computer. However, our scheme is proved under the random oracle model, and it is valuable to build a fuzzy identity-based signcryption scheme from lattices under the standard model.

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