





# **Metrics for analyzing Homomorphic Encryption acceleration works.**

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#### Motivation

Homomorphic encryption is the holy grail of privacy. It allows privacy-preserving data storage and computation. However, this powerful algorithm suffers from impracticality. This is because homomorphic computations are almost a million times slower than plain computations. To bridge this gap several implementations exist in the literature. Now the problem the community faces is how to analyze who is better. Since there are no standards, these implementations choose their own parameters and give acceleration results.

Hence, the goal of this thesis would be to analyze these works and come up with metrics that can help evaluate the acceleration potential of different works. Several such metrics exist, but they lack complete coverage. This thesis would converge to the best metric for the evaluation of acceleration potential.

### **Goals and Tasks**

1 **Become familiar with HEAAN-CKKS** month homomorphic encryption scheme. Perform a quick research of existing month acceleration works. 2 Analyze the differences. weeks 1 Conclude with the best metrics for acceleration month evaluation. Writing Thesis



#### Literature

- > www.openfhe.org/community/ OpenFHE www.openfhe.org/
- > Ahmet Can Mert, Aikata, Sunmin Kwon, Youngsam Shin, Donghoon Yoo, Yongwoo Lee, and Sujoy Sinha Roy Medha: Microcoded Hardware Accelerator for computing on Encrypted Data eprint.iacr.org/2022/480.pdf

#### **Courses & Deliverables**

- Introduction to Scientific Working Short report on background Short presentation
- ☑ Bachelor Project Project code and documentation
- Bachelor's Thesis Project code Thesis Final presentation

## Recommended if you're studying

**☑** CS **™**ICE **✓** SEM

## **Prerequisites**

> Interest in the topic area, and basic knowledge of programming in C/C++

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