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Efficient Group Signatures with Designated Traceability over Openers' Attributes from Lattices

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#### Abstract

The group signature with designated traceability (GSdT) is a kind of group signatures (GS) which aim to restrict the opening authority of the group manager; by setting an access structure over openers' attributes at the signing, a signer is able to control openers who can open the signature. A generic construction of GSdT was given when the notion was introduced, then a pairing-based construction and a symmetric-key-based one were presented. Nonetheless, it remains open whether a post-quantum GSdT with full anonymity can be truly constructed.

In this paper, we give a lattice-based GSdT scheme that has full anonymity for the first time. In our construction, the lattice-based ciphertext-policy attribute-based encryption (CP-ABE) by Tsabary and the lattice-based group signatures (GS) by Libert et al. are employed. The CP-ABE is based on the Regev public-key encryption, while the GS uses a non-interactive zero-knowledge proof to prove the correctness of the encryption in the signing process. Based on the compatibility, we combine and modify them to build up a GSdT scheme.

Keywords: group signature, openers, attributes, lattices

# 1 Introduction

#### 1.1 Background

The notion of group signature (GS) was proposed by Chaum and van Heyst [14]. The GS enables group members to sign a message on behalf of the group. There are two representative properties on

GS, called the anonymity and the traceability. The anonymity guarantees hide the signer's identity; that is, a signature does not reveal the actual signer in the group. The traceability allows an entity called an opener, by using a trapdoor key, to identify the actual signer from the signature.

In a GS scheme, the opener can open all signatures and know each actual signer. This means that the opener has excessive authority in the system. To resolve or mitigate this problem, several approaches have been taken to restrict the opening ability appropriately. The group signature with message-dependent opening [28] partially separates the opening functionality, which used to belong to only the opener, into a new entity called an admitter. In the opening process, the admitter issues a message-specific token that allows the opener to open a signature of the designated message. Then, the opener opens the signature corresponding to the message to identify the actual signer by using his secret opening key and the message-specific token. The notion of accountable tracing [25],[19] aims to divide the group into two kinds of users: the one consists of users who can be traced and the other consists of users who cannot be traced. Which one a user will be is determined at the time that a user joins the group. However, the signers themselves cannot control the right to the tracing. The bifurcated anonymous signatures [24] enable signers to choose whether a signature is traceable or not at the signing. On the other hand, the opener no longer has the right to trace when the signer generates an untraceable signature.

As one of the directions, we pay attention to the accountable ring signature that was initiated by Xu and Yung [30]. The accountable ring signature allows the signer (in an ad hoc ring of signers) to choose and determine an opener who can trace the signer. In other words, accountable ring signatures are fully anonymous for all undesignated openers, whereas only the designated opener can know who is the actual signer. Therefore, these signatures aim to guarantee the compatibility of the rights between the anonymity and the traceability by involving the signer in the tracing functionality. However, there is a risk that the opener will be revoked, and the designating signatures cannot be opened.

To realize a flexible option of signers over openers, the group signature with designated traceability (GSdT) was recently introduced [2, 3]. In GSdT, a signer can control a set of openers who can open the signature by setting an *access structure over openers' attributes* at the signing. GSdT has an advantage over the accountable ring signature in the sense that a signer can designate multiple openers via the access structure. Besides, the tracing functionality is maintained even when all the openers are revoked because new openers with satisfying attributes can be added. In [2], [3], the notion of GSdT is proposed and the generic construction is given from a ciphertext-policy attributebased encryption (CP-ABE), a digital signature and a non-interactive zero-knowledge proof (NIZK). For specific constructions, a pairing-based construction [4] was given, and a symmetric-key-based one [5] was proposed. Due to the symmetric-key primitives, the latter scheme is expected to be secure against the computational power of quantum computers. However, the anonymity achieved in [5] is weaker than the original definition of the anonymity of the GSdT [3]. In this sense, there exists no GSdT yet that achieves both quantum-resistance and full anonymity.

## 1.2 Contributions

In this paper, we introduce the first lattice-based GSdT scheme that has full anonymity. Although there exists a generic construction of GSdT from [2, 3], we take a different approach on the construction. The generic construction of [2, 3] is in the sign-then-encrypt-then-prove paradigm like the construction of the ordinary group signature [9]. We find that some lattice-based group signatures such as [12, 20, 25, 10] are in the encrypt-then-prove paradigm, which are simpler constructions than the generic construction of group signature. These constructions in the latter paradigm take advantage of the compatibility of building blocks used. Thus, it is natural to explore constructions in the latter paradigm.

We employ the lattice-based CP-ABE by Tsabary [29] and the lattice-based GS by [22] (LLMNW GS) in our construction. These two schemes have a good feature in common when they are combined. That is, they use the Regev public-key encryption (Regev PKE) [26]. Tsabary's CP-ABE extends the Regev PKE [26] into the CP-ABE case. On the other hand, the LLMNW GS uses the NIZK proof which proves the correctness of the encryption by the Regev PKE. We can capture this feature

in our GSdT construction as in the construction of group signatures in the encrypt-then-prove paradigm. Our result is not only the first lattice-based GSdT scheme but also gives a new technique for constructing a GSdT scheme. Since our construction is specific to the building blocks used, it remains open whether or not we can generalize our construction for other cases.

We also compare the asymptotic efficiency of our proposed scheme with the lattice-based construction, which is yielded by applying the generic construction [3] to the Tsabary CP-ABE and the pair of the signature and the NIZK which is the same as LLMNW GS, and the GSdT from symmetric-key primitives [5]. As a result, we can find that the sizes of a group public key, an opening key, a group secret key and a group signature of ours are significantly shorter than those of [3]. Moreover, the computational times of joining, signing, opening and judging are asymptotically more efficient than theirs. On the other hand, ours realizes a post-quantum construction in the (partially) dynamic model [9] as the original syntax by [3] for the class of access structures richer than [5]. Moreover, the sizes of keys for ours are independent of the size of the attribute universe.

We finally note one limitation of our construction. Access structures supported in our GSdT are only conjunctive normal forms whose clauses have t bits of input (t-CNF). Constructing lattice-based GSdT with richer access structures is another interesting open question.

#### **1.3** Difference from Our Conference Proceeding [6]

We give full proofs for all the security requirements of our proposed GSdT. We also give all syntax and security definitions of sub-algorithms. Note that we slightly revise the definition of the anonymity from [6] so that we eliminate an opener who can open the target group signature. This modification seems natural since such an opener trivially breaks the anonymity. Finally, we revise the asymptotic evaluation of our proposed GSdT. In the proceeding version, we have evaluated the efficiency by using all the parameters displayed in Table 1. On the other hand, we reevaluate them based solely on the security parameter  $\lambda$  and the parameters independent of  $\lambda$  such as the number of group members, the lengths of attributes and access structures. We also add the comparison with the GSdT from symmetric-key primitives [5].

# 2 Preliminaries

Let  $\mathbb{N}$ ,  $\mathbb{Z}$  and  $\mathbb{R}$  be the sets of all natural numbers, integers and real numbers, respectively. For any integers  $a \leq b$ ,  $[a,b] \subseteq \mathbb{Z}$  stands for the set of all integers x satisfying  $a \leq x \leq b$ . For any natural number a,  $[\pm a]$  denotes the set [-a,a]. For any  $a \in \mathbb{Z}$  and any positive odd number N,  $a \mod {\pm N}$  means that  $x = a \mod N$  such that its representation is in the range  $[\pm (N-1)/2]$ .

Let  $\boldsymbol{b} \in \mathbb{Z}^n$  be a vector with n dimensions. Suppose that  $\boldsymbol{b} \in \mathbb{Z}^n$  is a row vector. We write  $\|\boldsymbol{b}\|_2$ and  $\|\boldsymbol{b}\|$  to denote the Euclidean norm and the infinite norm of  $\boldsymbol{b}$ , respectively.  $\boldsymbol{b}^T$  is the transpose of  $\boldsymbol{b}$ . bin( $\boldsymbol{b}$ ) stands for the binary representation of  $\boldsymbol{b}$ . For any  $a \in \mathbb{N}$ ,  $\boldsymbol{a}^n$  means  $\begin{bmatrix} a & a & \cdots & a \end{bmatrix}^T \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ . Any string  $s \in \{0, 1\}^n$  can be decomposed into  $s[1], \ldots, s[n]$ , where s[i] is the *i*-th bit of s. For any vectors  $\boldsymbol{a}, \boldsymbol{b} \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ , we denote by  $[\boldsymbol{a}|\boldsymbol{b}] \in \mathbb{Z}^{n \times 2}$  the concatenation of the columns of  $\boldsymbol{a}$ 

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For any distribution  $\mathcal{D}$  over a set X, we write  $x \leftrightarrow \mathcal{D}$  to denote that  $x \in X$  is sampled according to  $\mathcal{D}$ . In particular, we simply represent  $x \leftrightarrow \mathcal{A}$  when  $\mathcal{D}$  is the uniform distribution over a finite set X. For any real number  $\epsilon \geq 0$ , and any parameterized ensembles  $(\mathcal{D}_{1,\lambda})_{\lambda \in \mathbb{N}}$  and  $(\mathcal{D}_{2,\lambda})_{\lambda \in \mathbb{N}}$  of distributions over sets  $X_{\lambda}$ , we say that  $(\mathcal{D}_{1,\lambda})_{\lambda \in \mathbb{N}}$  is  $\epsilon$ -close to  $(\mathcal{D}_{2,\lambda})_{\lambda \in \mathbb{N}}$  if the statistical distance  $(1/2) \sum_{x \in X_{\lambda}} |\mathcal{D}_{1,\lambda}(x) - \mathcal{D}_{2,\lambda}(x)| = \epsilon(\lambda)$  for sufficiently large  $\lambda$ . A function  $\epsilon$  is said to be *negligible* in  $\lambda$  if for any polynomial p, there exists  $\lambda_0 \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $\epsilon(\lambda) < 1/p(\lambda)$  for any  $\lambda \geq \lambda_0$ . When  $(\mathcal{D}_{1,\lambda})_{\lambda \in \mathbb{N}}$  is  $\epsilon$ -close to  $(\mathcal{D}_{2,\lambda})_{\lambda \in \mathbb{N}}$  for some negligible function  $\epsilon$ ,  $(\mathcal{D}_{1,\lambda})_{\lambda \in \mathbb{N}}$  is statistically close to  $(\mathcal{D}_{2,\lambda})_{\lambda \in \mathbb{N}}$ . "probabilistic polynomial time" and "deterministic polynomial time" are abbreviated to PPT and DPT, respectively.

#### 2.1 Lattices

Let  $m \ge n \ge 1$ , and let q be a prime. A *lattice*  $\mathcal{L}$  in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  with basis  $\mathbf{b}_1, \ldots, \mathbf{b}_m \in \mathbb{Z}^n$  is defined by all integer linear combinations of the m basis  $\mathbf{b}_1, \ldots, \mathbf{b}_m$ . For any matrix  $\mathbf{A} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times m}$  and any vector  $\mathbf{u} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^n$ , we set the following:

$$\Lambda_q(\boldsymbol{A}) = \big\{ \boldsymbol{e} \in \mathbb{Z}^m \mid \exists \boldsymbol{s} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^n \text{ s.t. } \boldsymbol{A}^T \boldsymbol{s} = \boldsymbol{e} \mod q \big\},$$
$$\Lambda_q^{\perp}(\boldsymbol{A}) = \big\{ \boldsymbol{e} \in \mathbb{Z}^m \mid \boldsymbol{A} \boldsymbol{e} = \boldsymbol{0} \mod q \big\}, \text{ and }$$
$$\Lambda_q^{\boldsymbol{u}}(\boldsymbol{A}) = \big\{ \boldsymbol{e} \in \mathbb{Z}^m \mid \boldsymbol{A} \boldsymbol{e} = \boldsymbol{u} \mod q \big\}.$$

Let  $\mathcal{L} \subseteq \mathbb{R}^m$  be a lattice, let  $\boldsymbol{c} \in \mathbb{R}^n$  and let  $\sigma > 0$  be a real number. We set  $\rho_{\sigma,\boldsymbol{c}}(\boldsymbol{x}) = \exp(-\pi \|\boldsymbol{x} - \boldsymbol{c}\|^2 / \sigma^2)$ . Then, the discrete Gaussian distribution  $D_{\mathcal{L},\sigma,\boldsymbol{c}}$  of support  $\mathcal{L}$ , standard deviation  $\sigma$  and center  $\boldsymbol{c}$  is  $\rho_{\sigma,\boldsymbol{c}}(\boldsymbol{y}) / \rho_{\sigma,\boldsymbol{c}}(\mathcal{L})$  for any  $\boldsymbol{y} \in \mathcal{L}$ . We simply represent  $D_{\mathcal{L},\sigma}$  when  $\boldsymbol{c} = \mathbf{0}^n$ . It is known that the probability that the infinite norm of  $\boldsymbol{x} \leftarrow D_{\mathcal{L},\sigma}$  is less than  $\sigma \sqrt{m}$  is greater than  $1 - 2^{\Omega(m)}$  [7].

We use the following algorithms in our proposed scheme.

- TrapGen $(1^n, 1^m, q)$  [1]: Given  $1^n, 1^m$  and q > 2 with  $m \ge \Omega(n \log q)$ , it generates a matrix  $A \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times m}$  and a basis  $T_A$  of  $\Lambda_q^{\perp}(A)$  such that the distribution of A is  $2^{-\Omega(n)}$ -close to the uniform distribution over  $\mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times m}$  and  $\left\|\tilde{T}_A\right\| \le O(\sqrt{n \log q})$ .
- ExtBasis( $\overline{A}, T_A$ ) [13]: Given  $\overline{A} \in \mathbb{Z}^{n \times \overline{m}}$  of the form  $\overline{A} = [A|A']$  and a basis  $T_A$  of  $\Lambda_q^{\perp}(A)$ , it returns a basis  $T_{\overline{A}}$  of  $\Lambda_q^{\perp}(\overline{A})$  with  $\|T_{\overline{A}}\| \leq \|T_A\|$ .
- SamplePre( $A, T_A, u, \sigma$ ) [16]: Given  $A \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times m}$ , a basis  $T_A$  of  $\Lambda_q^{\perp}(A), \sigma \ge \left\| \tilde{T}_A \right\| \cdot \omega(\sqrt{\log m})$ and  $u \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ , it returns  $e \leftrightarrow D_{\mathbb{Z}^m,\sigma}$  conditioned on  $Ae = u \mod q$ .

For convenience of expression, a matrix  $U = [u_1 | \cdots | u_m] \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times m}$  can be given to SamplePre instead of a vector  $u \in \mathbb{Z}^n$ . In this case, SamplePre generates a vector  $e_j \leftarrow$ SamplePre $(A, T_A, u_j, \sigma)$  for any  $j \in [1, m]$ , and then returns the matrix  $E = [e_1 | \cdots | e_m]$ .

We employ the following cryptographic assumptions.

- Short Integer Solution ( $\mathsf{SIS}_{n,m,q,\beta}$ ) Assumption: Let n, m, q and  $\beta$  be functions in  $\lambda \in \mathbb{N}$ . The  $\mathsf{SIS}_{n,m,q,\beta}$  assumption states that any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  can find a non-zero vector  $\boldsymbol{x} \in \Lambda_q^{\perp}(\boldsymbol{A})$  with  $\|\boldsymbol{x}\| \leq \beta$  with at most negligible probability in  $\lambda$  given a randomly chosen matrix  $\boldsymbol{A} \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times m}$ .
- Decisional Learning with Errors (LWE<sub> $n,q,\chi$ </sub>) Assumption: Let n and q be functions in  $\lambda$ , and let  $\chi$  be a distribution over  $\mathbb{Z}$ . The LWE<sub> $n,q,\chi$ </sub> assumption states that any adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  can distinguish whether given vectors ( $\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{t}$ ) are generated by the following two distributions:

$$egin{aligned} &- oldsymbol{A} \leftarrow & \mathbb{Z}_q^{n imes m}; oldsymbol{t} \leftarrow & \mathbb{Z}_q^m \ &- oldsymbol{A} \leftarrow & \mathbb{Z}_q^{n imes m}; oldsymbol{s} \leftarrow & \mathbb{Z}_q^m; oldsymbol{e} \leftarrow & \chi^m; oldsymbol{t} \leftarrow oldsymbol{A}^T oldsymbol{s} + oldsymbol{e}. \end{aligned}$$

We designate a *B*-bounded distribution as  $\chi$ , namely  $\chi$  samples a vector whose infinite norm is less than *B*, and a *B'*-bounded distribution as  $\chi'$  for  $B \geq \sqrt{n}\omega(\log n)$  and  $B'(\lambda) = B(\lambda) \cdot \lambda^{\omega(1)}$ . Concrete distributions were introduced in [29].

## 2.2 Group Signatures with Designated Traceability

We recap the notion of group signature with designated traceability (GSdT) [3]. Designating the openers is realized by specifying an access policy on attributes. Let  $\mathbb{U}$  be an attribute universe. We write Y(X) = 1 to denote that an attribute X satisfies an access policy Y.

#### 2.2.1 Syntax

Entities of GSdT are an issuer  $\mathcal{I}$ , an opening master  $\mathcal{OM}$ , openers  $\mathcal{OP}_j$  and users  $\mathcal{U}_i$ . GSdT GSdT consists of the following algorithms and a protocol:

- $\mathsf{GKG}(1^{\lambda}, \mathbb{U})$ : This is a PPT key generator. Given a security parameter  $1^{\lambda}$  and an attribute universe  $\mathbb{U}$ , it returns a group public key gpk, an issuing key ik and an opening master key omk. Then, ik and omk are owned by  $\mathcal{I}$  and  $\mathcal{OM}$ , respectively. Suppose that the registration table **reg** for the group is initialized.
- OKG(gpk, omk, j, X): This is a PPT opener key generator run by  $\mathcal{OM}$ . Given a group public key gpk, an opening master key omk, an index j of  $\mathcal{OP}_j$  and  $\mathcal{OP}_j$ 's attribute X, it returns an opening key  $\mathsf{ok}_j$  of  $\mathcal{OP}_j$  with respect to the attribute X.
- UKG(1<sup> $\lambda$ </sup>): This is a PPT user key generator for  $\mathcal{U}_i$  which is used to generate a key pair (upk, usk) that is required to join a group. Given a security parameter 1<sup> $\lambda$ </sup>, it returns a user public key upk and its user secret key usk. Suppose that upk is publicly certified e.g. in the PKI.
- Joining Protocol: When a user  $\mathcal{U}_i$  of index *i* owning a key pair  $(\mathsf{upk}_i, \mathsf{usk}_i)$  wants to join a group, the *interactive joining protocol* must be run between a user  $\mathcal{U}_i$  and the issuer  $\mathcal{I}$ . Since the joining protocols of many dynamic group signatures [9, 3] have only 2 moves, we only consider 2 moves joining protocol like Fig. 1. The interfaces of the three algorithms used in the joining protocol are specified as  $\mathsf{Join}_1(\mathsf{gpk}, i, \mathsf{upk}_i, \mathsf{usk}_i)$ ,  $\mathsf{lss}(\mathsf{gpk}, \mathsf{ik}, i, \mathsf{upk}_i, \mathsf{reg}, M_1)$  and  $\mathsf{Join}_2(\mathsf{st}, M_2)$ .

Given a group public key gpk,  $\mathcal{U}_i$ 's index *i* and  $\mathcal{U}_i$ 's key pair (upk<sub>i</sub>, usk<sub>i</sub>), Join<sub>1</sub> returns a state st and a first message  $M_1$  sent to  $\mathcal{I}$ . Given a group public key gpk, an issuer key ik,  $\mathcal{U}_i$ 's index *i*, the user public key upk<sub>i</sub>, the registration table **reg** and the first message  $M_1$ , lss returns an updated registration table **reg** and a second message  $M_2$  if the input tuple is appropriate. Given the state st and the second message  $M_2$ , Join<sub>2</sub> returns a group secret key gsk<sub>i</sub> for  $\mathcal{U}_i$ .  $\mathcal{U}_i$ stores his/her group secret key gsk<sub>i</sub> and  $\mathcal{I}$  stores the updated registration table **reg**.

- $\mathsf{GSig}(\mathsf{gpk}, \mathsf{gsk}_i, Y, \mu)$ : This is a PPT group signing algorithm run by a joined user  $\mathcal{U}_i$  of index i with secret key  $\mathsf{gsk}_i$ . Given a group public key  $\mathsf{gpk}$ , the group secret key  $\mathsf{gsk}_i$ , an access policy Y and a message  $\mu$ , it returns a signature  $\Sigma = (Y, \Sigma_0)$  of  $\mu$  under  $\mathsf{gpk}$ . The signer of  $\Sigma$  can be traced only by openers owning the attribute that satisfies Y.
- $\mathsf{GVf}(\mathsf{gpk}, \mu, (Y, \Sigma_0))$ : This is a DPT verifying algorithm. Given a group public key  $\mathsf{gpk}$ , a message  $\mu$  and a signature  $\Sigma = (Y, \Sigma_0)$ , it returns 1 if and only if  $\Sigma$  is a valid signature of  $\mu$  under  $\mathsf{gpk}$ .
- Open(gpk,  $ok_j$ , reg,  $\mu$ ,  $(Y, \Sigma_0)$ ): This is a PPT opening algorithm run by  $\mathcal{OP}_j$  and opening key  $ok_j$ . Given a group public key gpk, the opening key  $ok_j$  with respect to the attribute X, a registration table reg, a message  $\mu$  and a signature  $(Y, \Sigma_0)$ , it returns an index *i* of the traced signer and a proof  $\tau$  proving that the opening process is indeed honest.
- Judge(gpk, i, upk<sub>i</sub>,  $\mu$ ,  $(Y, \Sigma_0), \tau$ ): This is a DPT judging algorithm in the sense that it judges the honesty of an opening process. Given a group public key gpk, an index i of a traced user, user's public key upk<sub>i</sub>, a message  $\mu$ , a signature  $(Y, \Sigma_0)$  and a proof  $\tau$ , it returns 1 if and only if  $\tau$  is a valid with respect to the signature  $(Y, \Sigma_0)$  and the opening result  $(i, upk_i)$ .

#### 2.2.2 Security

The following four security notions were defined in [3]. Before that, we recap the oracles used in the definitions of these security notions.

$\mathcal{U}_i(gpk,i,upk_i,usk_i)$		$\mathcal{I}(gpk,ik,i,upk_i,\mathbf{reg})$
$\overline{(st, M_1) \leftarrow \$ Join_1(gpk, i, upk_i, usk_i)}$	$\xrightarrow{M_1}$	$(\mathbf{reg}, M_2) \leftarrow slss(gpk, ik, i, upk_i, \mathbf{reg}, M_1)$
$gsk_i \gets \!$	$\leftarrow M_2$	update reg

Figure 1: Joining Protocol

**Oracles** The stateful oracles used in the security notion are listed in the following way. The states are the honest openers set HO, the honest users set HU, the corrupted openers set CO, the corrupted users set CU, the user public key table **upk**, the user secret key table **usk**, the group secret key table **gsk**, the opener key table **ok**, the registration table **reg**, the challenged message and signature set MS, the state list **st**<sub>Join</sub> for (Join<sub>1</sub>, Join<sub>2</sub>) and the state list **st**<sub>Iss</sub> for lss, respectively.

- Add-opener oracle  $\mathsf{AddOO}(j, X)$ : It registers a new opener  $\mathcal{OP}_j$  of index j with the attribute X in a way that the honest openers set HO is updated to  $HO \cup \{j\}$  and its opener key is generated as  $\mathsf{ok}[j] \leftarrow \mathsf{OKG}(\mathsf{gpk}, \mathsf{omk}, j, X)$  if for any  $(m, (Y, \Sigma_0)) \in MS$ ,  $Y(X) \neq 1$ .
- Add-user oracle AddUO(*i*): It registers a new user  $\mathcal{U}_i$  of index  $i \notin HU \cup CU$ . Namely, it updates the honest users set HU as  $HU \leftarrow HU \cup \{i\}$ , generates user's key pair  $(\mathbf{upk}[i], \mathbf{usk}[i]) \leftarrow \mathsf{WKG}(1^{\lambda})$  and then runs the joining protocol by sequentially executing the followings:

$$\begin{aligned} (\mathbf{st}, M_1) & \leftarrow \$ \operatorname{\mathsf{Join}}_1(\operatorname{\mathsf{gpk}}, i, \operatorname{\mathbf{upk}}[i], \operatorname{\mathbf{usk}}[i]) \\ (\mathbf{reg}, M_2) & \leftarrow \$ \operatorname{\mathsf{lss}}(\operatorname{\mathsf{gpk}}, \operatorname{\mathsf{ik}}, i, \operatorname{\mathbf{upk}}[i], \operatorname{\mathbf{reg}}, M_1) \\ & \operatorname{\mathbf{gsk}}[i] & \leftarrow \$ \operatorname{\mathsf{Join}}_2(\operatorname{\mathbf{st}}, M_2) \end{aligned}$$

Then,  $\mathbf{st}_{\mathsf{Join}}[i] \leftarrow (\mathsf{gpk}, i, \mathbf{upk}[i], \mathbf{usk}[i])$  as the initialization of StoUO on *i* which will be explained soon later. Finally, AddUO returns  $\mathbf{upk}[i]$ .

• Send to user oracle StoUO( $i, M_{in}$ ): If  $i \notin HU$ , then it initializes the user  $\mathcal{U}_i$  of index i in a sense that it sets  $HU \leftarrow HU \cup \{i\}$ ,  $(\mathbf{upk}[i], \mathbf{usk}[i]) \leftarrow \mathsf{UKG}(1^{\lambda})$ , and  $\mathbf{st}_{\mathsf{Join}}[i] \leftarrow (\mathsf{gpk}, i, \mathbf{upk}[i], \mathbf{usk}[i])$ . When  $M_{in} = \epsilon$ , StoUO executes the followings:

$$\begin{aligned} (\mathsf{st}, M_{out}) &\leftarrow \$ \mathsf{Join}_1(\mathsf{gpk}, i, \mathbf{upk}[i], \mathbf{usk}[i]) \\ &\mathbf{st}_{\mathsf{Join}}[i] \leftarrow \mathsf{st} \end{aligned}$$

Contrary, it executes the followings:

$$\begin{split} & M_{out} \leftarrow \$ \operatorname{\mathsf{Join}}_2(\mathbf{st}_{\operatorname{\mathsf{Join}}}[i], M_{in}) \\ & \mathbf{gsk}[i] \leftarrow M_{out} \\ & \mathbf{st}_{\operatorname{\mathsf{Join}}}[i] \leftarrow (\mathbf{gpk}, i, \mathbf{upk}[i], \mathbf{usk}[i]) \end{split}$$

Either way, it returns  $M_{out}$ .

- Send to issuer oracle  $\mathsf{StolO}(i, M_{in})$ :  $\mathsf{StolO}$  is executed only for a corrupted user, i.e.  $i \in CU$ . It executes  $(\mathbf{reg}, M_{out}) \leftarrow \mathsf{slss}(\mathsf{gpk}, \mathsf{ik}, i, \mathbf{upk}[i], \mathbf{reg}, M_{in})$ , and then returns  $M_{out}$ .
- Corrupt opener oracle CrptOO(j): It returns the opener key  $\mathbf{ok}[j]$  of the opener  $\mathcal{OP}_j$  of index j if  $j \in HO$  and for any  $(m, (Y, \Sigma_0)) \in MS$ ,  $Y(X) \neq 1$  for  $(X, \mathbf{ok}_0) \leftarrow \mathbf{ok}[j]$ . Then, CO is updated to  $CO \cup \{j\}$ .
- Corrupt user oracle CrptUO(*i*, upk): CrptUO corrupts a user  $U_i$  of index  $i \notin HU \cup CU$  by setting  $CU \leftarrow CU \cup \{i\}$ , upk $[i] \leftarrow$  upk and st<sub>lss</sub> $[i] \leftarrow$  (gpk, ik, *i*, upk).
- User secret key oracle  $\mathsf{USKO}(i)$ : It returns the secret keys  $(\mathbf{usk}[i], \mathbf{gsk}[i])$  of  $\mathcal{U}_i$ .

- Group signing oracle  $\mathsf{GSignO}(i, Y, \mu)$ : It returns a group signature  $(Y, \Sigma_0)$  of a given message  $\mu$  under a given access policy Y by a group secret key  $\mathsf{gsk}[i]$  of a given index  $i \in HU$  of an honest user which has been already generated by using either AddUO or StoUO. More specifically,  $(Y, \Sigma_0) \leftarrow \mathsf{SGig}(\mathsf{gpk}, \mathsf{gsk}[i], Y, \mu)$ .
- Opening signature oracle  $\mathsf{OpenO}(j, \mu, (Y, \Sigma_0))$ : It returns the opening result from the opener  $\mathcal{OP}_j$  of the given index j by  $\mathsf{Open}(\mathsf{gpk}, \mathsf{ok}[j], \mu, (Y, \Sigma_0))$  only when the given pair  $(\mu, (Y, \Sigma_0))$  does not belong to the set MS.
- Read registration table oracle  $\mathsf{RRegO}(i)$ : It returns  $\mathbf{reg}[i]$ .
- Write registration table oracle  $WRegO(i, \rho)$ : WRegO sets  $reg[i] \leftarrow \rho$ .
- Challenge for  $b \in \{0,1\}$  oracle  $\mathsf{ChaO}_b(i_0, i_1, \mu, Y)$ : For user's indices  $i_0, i_1 \in HU$  satisfying that  $\mathbf{gsk}[i_0] \neq \epsilon$  and  $\mathbf{gsk}[i_1] \neq \epsilon$ , and an access policy Y such that  $Y(X) \neq 1$  for any  $j \in HO \cup CO$  and  $(X, \mathsf{ok}_0) \leftarrow \mathsf{ok}[j]$ ,  $\mathsf{ChaO}_b$  returns  $\Sigma \leftarrow \mathsf{sGSig}(\mathsf{gpk}, \mathsf{gsk}[i_b], \mu)$  with updating  $MS \leftarrow MS \cup \{(\mu, \Sigma)\}$ .

**Correctness** GSdT is  $\nu$ -correct [3] if for any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$ ,

$$\Pr\bigl[\mathsf{Exp}^{\mathrm{corr}}_{\mathsf{GSdT},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}(\lambda)=1\bigr]\geq 1-\nu(\lambda),$$

where  $\mathsf{Exp}^{\mathrm{corr}}_{\mathsf{GSdT},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}$  is depicted as follows:

# $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathrm{corr}}$

 $\begin{array}{ll} (\operatorname{gpk},\operatorname{ik},\operatorname{omk}) \xleftarrow{\hspace{0.5mm}}{} \mathsf{GKG}(1^{\lambda},\mathbb{U}); & HO \leftarrow \emptyset; & HU \leftarrow \emptyset; & CO \leftarrow \emptyset \\ \mathbf{upk} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{usk} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{gsk} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{ok} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{reg} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{st}_{\operatorname{Join}} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{st}_{\operatorname{Iss}} \leftarrow \emptyset \\ (i,\mu,Y) \xleftarrow{\hspace{0.5mm}}{} \mathcal{A}^{\operatorname{AddOO},\operatorname{AddUO},\operatorname{RRegO}}(\operatorname{gpk}) \\ \mathbf{return} \ 0 \ \mathbf{if} \ i \notin HU \lor \operatorname{gsk}[i] = \epsilon \\ \Sigma \xleftarrow{\hspace{0.5mm}}{} \mathsf{SGig}(\operatorname{gpk},\operatorname{gsk}[i],Y,\mu) \\ \mathbf{return} \ 1 \ \mathbf{if} \ \operatorname{GVf}(\operatorname{gpk},\mu,\Sigma) \neq 1 \\ OS_Y \leftarrow \{j \in HO \mid Y(X) = 1 \ \mathbf{for} \ (X,\operatorname{ok}) \leftarrow \operatorname{ok}[j]\} \\ \mathbf{for} \ j \in OS_Y : \\ (i',\tau) \xleftarrow{\hspace{0.5mm}}{} \mathsf{Open}(\operatorname{gpk},\operatorname{ok}[j],\operatorname{reg},\mu,\Sigma) \\ \mathbf{return} \ 1 \ \mathbf{if} \ i \neq i' \lor \operatorname{Judge}(\operatorname{gpk},i,\operatorname{upk}[i],\mu,\Sigma,\mu) \neq 1 \\ \mathbf{return} \ 0 \end{array}$ 

**Anonymity** GSdT is  $(T_{\text{anom}}, \epsilon_{\text{anom}})$ -anonymous [3] if for any adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  running in time  $T_{\text{anom}}$ , we have

$$\left| \Pr \left[ \mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathrm{anom-0}}(\lambda) = 1 \right] - \Pr \left[ \mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathrm{anom-1}}(\lambda) = 1 \right] \right| \leq \epsilon_{\mathrm{anom}}(\lambda),$$

where  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\text{anom-}b}$  for  $b \in \{0,1\}$  is depicted as follows:

# $\mathsf{Exp}^{\mathrm{anom-}b}_{\mathsf{GSdT},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}$

 $\begin{array}{ll} (\mathsf{gpk},\mathsf{ik},\mathsf{omk}) \leftarrow & \mathsf{GKG}(1^{\lambda},\mathbb{U}); & HO \leftarrow \emptyset; & HU \leftarrow \emptyset; & CO \leftarrow \emptyset; & CU \leftarrow \emptyset \\ \mathbf{upk} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{usk} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{gsk} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{ok} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{reg} \leftarrow \emptyset; & MS \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{st}_{\mathsf{Join}} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{st}_{\mathsf{Iss}} \leftarrow \emptyset \\ d \leftarrow & \mathcal{A}^{\mathsf{ChaO}_b,\mathsf{AddOO},\mathsf{OpenO},\mathsf{StoUO},\mathsf{WRegO},\mathsf{USKO},\mathsf{CrptOO},\mathsf{CrptUO}}(\mathsf{gpk},\mathsf{ik}) \\ \mathbf{return} \ d \end{array}$ 

**Traceability** GSdT is  $(T_{\text{trac}}, \epsilon_{\text{trac}})$ -traceable [3] if for any adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  running in time  $T_{\text{trac}}$ , we have

$$\Pr\left[\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathrm{trac}}(\lambda)=1\right] \leq \epsilon_{\mathrm{trac}}(\lambda),$$

where  $\mathsf{Exp}^{\mathrm{trac}}_{\mathsf{GSdT},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}$  is depicted as follows:

 $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}.\mathcal{A}.\mathbb{U}}^{\mathrm{trac}}$ 

 $\begin{array}{ll} (\mathsf{gpk},\mathsf{ik},\mathsf{omk}) \xleftarrow{\hspace{0.5mm}}{}\$} \mathsf{GKG}(1^{\lambda},\mathbb{U}); & HO \leftarrow \emptyset; & HU \leftarrow \emptyset; & CO \leftarrow \emptyset \\ \mathbf{upk} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{usk} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{gsk} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{ok} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{reg} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{st}_{\mathsf{Join}} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{st}_{\mathsf{Iss}} \leftarrow \emptyset \\ (\mu,(Y,\Sigma_0)) \xleftarrow{\hspace{0.5mm}}{}\$ \mathcal{A}^{\mathsf{StolO},\mathsf{AddUO},\mathsf{RRegO},\mathsf{USKO},\mathsf{CrptUO}}(\mathsf{gpk},\mathsf{omk}) \\ \mathbf{return} \; 0 \; \mathbf{if} \; \mathsf{GVf}(\mathsf{gpk},\mu,(Y,\Sigma_0)) \neq 1 \\ \mathbf{find} \; X \; \mathbf{s.t.} \; Y(X) = 1; & \mathsf{ok} \leftarrow \$ \; \mathsf{OKG}(\mathsf{gpk},\mathsf{omk},0,X) \\ (i,\tau) \leftarrow \mathsf{Open}(\mathsf{gpk},\mathsf{ok},\mathbf{reg},\mu,(Y,\Sigma_0)) \\ \mathbf{return} \; 1 \; \mathbf{if} \; i = 0 \lor \mathsf{Judge}(\mathsf{gpk},i,\mathbf{upk}[i],\mu,(Y,\Sigma_0),\tau) \neq 1 \\ \mathbf{else \; return} \; 0 \end{array}$ 

**Non-frameability** GSdT is  $(T_{nf}, \epsilon_{nf})$ -non-frameable [3] if for any adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  running in time  $T_{nf}$ , we have

$$\Pr\left[\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathrm{nf}}(\lambda)=1\right] \leq \epsilon_{\mathrm{nf}}(\lambda),$$

where  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathrm{nf}}$  is depicted as follows:

 $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathrm{nf}}$ 

 $\begin{array}{ll} \hline (\mathbf{gpk},\mathbf{ik},\mathbf{omk}) \leftarrow & \mathsf{GKG}(1^{\lambda},\mathbb{U}); & HO \leftarrow \emptyset; & HU \leftarrow \emptyset; & CO \leftarrow \emptyset \\ \mathbf{upk} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{usk} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{gsk} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{ok} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{reg} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{st}_{\mathsf{Join}} \leftarrow \emptyset; & \mathbf{st}_{\mathsf{Iss}} \leftarrow \emptyset \\ (\mu,(Y,\Sigma_0),i,\tau) \leftarrow & \mathcal{A}^{\mathsf{StoUO},\mathsf{WRegO},\mathsf{GSignO},\mathsf{USKO},\mathsf{CrptUO}}(\mathsf{gpk},\mathbf{ik},\mathsf{omk}) \\ \mathbf{return} \ 1 \ \mathbf{if} \ i \in HU \land \mathbf{gsk}[i] \neq \epsilon \land \mathsf{Judge}(\mathsf{gpk},i,\mathbf{upk}[i],\mu,(Y,\Sigma_0),\tau) = 1 \\ \land i \text{ is not queried to } \mathsf{USKO} \land (i,\mu) \text{ is not queried to } \mathsf{GSignO} \\ \mathbf{else \ return} \ 0 \end{array}$ 

# 3 Building Blocks

Before introducing our proposed GSdT, we prepare several sub-algorithms of the proposed latticebased GSdT. The sub-algorithms contain the lattice-based signature scheme DS by [11], the Stern-like non-interactive zero-knowledge argument (NIZKAoK) NIZK by [22], and the lattice-based ciphertextpolicy attribute-based encryption (CP-ABE) ABE by [29].

## 3.1 Digital Signature Part DS

## 3.1.1 Definition of Digital Signature

A digital signature DS consists of the following three algorithms.

- SKGen(1<sup>λ</sup>): This is a PPT key generator. Given a security parameter 1<sup>λ</sup>, it returns a public key pk and a corresponding secret key sk.
- Sign(sk,  $\mu$ ): This is a PPT signing algorithm. Given a secret key sk and a message  $\mu$ , it returns a signature  $\Sigma$ .

 $\begin{array}{l} \displaystyle \underbrace{\mathsf{Vf}(\mathsf{pk},\mu,\Sigma)}_{\boldsymbol{u}_{\mu}} \leftarrow \boldsymbol{u} + \boldsymbol{D} \cdot \mathsf{bin}(\boldsymbol{D}_{0}\boldsymbol{s} + \boldsymbol{D}_{1}\mu) \\ \text{return 1 if } \|\boldsymbol{d}\| < \sigma \sqrt{2m} \wedge \|\boldsymbol{s}\| < \sigma' \sqrt{2m} \wedge \boldsymbol{A}_{\tau} \boldsymbol{d} = \boldsymbol{u}_{\mu} \bmod q \end{array}$ 

Figure 2: Digital Signature Part DS (The message space is  $\{0,1\}^{2m}$ )

Vf(pk, μ, Σ): This is a DPT verification algorithm. Given a public key pk, a message μ and a signature Σ, it returns 1 if and only if Σ is valid under (pk, μ).

DS = (SKGen, Sign, Vf) has the following properties.

- **Correctness:** For any  $(\mathsf{pk},\mathsf{sk}) \leftarrow \mathsf{SKGen}(1^{\lambda})$ , any message  $\mu$ , and any signature  $\Sigma \leftarrow \mathsf{Sign}(\mathsf{sk},\mu)$ , it always holds that  $\mathsf{Vf}(\mathsf{pk},\mu,\Sigma) = 1$ .
- EUF-CMA: We say that DS is  $(T_{DS}, \epsilon_{DS})$ -EUF-CMA if for any adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  running in time  $T_{DS}$ , we have

$$\Pr\left[\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{DS},\mathcal{A}}^{\mathrm{EUF-CMA}}(\lambda) = 1\right] \leq \epsilon_{\mathsf{DS}}(\lambda),$$

where  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{DS},\mathcal{A}}^{\mathrm{EUF}\text{-}\mathrm{CMA}}$  is formalized as follows:

 $\begin{array}{ll} \displaystyle \frac{\mathsf{Exp}^{\mathrm{EUF}\text{-}\mathrm{CMA}}_{\mathsf{DS},\mathcal{A}}}{M \leftarrow \emptyset; \quad (\mathsf{sk},\mathsf{pk}) \leftarrow \$ \; \mathsf{SKGen}(1^{\lambda})} & \quad \frac{\mathsf{Osig}(\mu)}{M \leftarrow M \cup \{\mu\}} \\ (\mu^*, \Sigma^*) \leftarrow \$ \; \mathcal{A}^{\mathsf{Osig}}(\mathsf{pk}) & \quad \mathsf{return} \; \Sigma \leftarrow \$ \; \mathsf{Sign}(\mathsf{sk},\mu) \\ \mathbf{return} \; 1 \; \mathbf{if} \; \mu^* \notin M \wedge \mathsf{Vf}(\mathsf{pk},\mu^*,\Sigma^*) = 1 \end{array}$ 

#### 3.1.2 BHJKS DS

Our underlying signature DS = (SKGen, Sign, Vf) is given in Fig. 2 with the parameters in Tab. 1.

**Lemma 1** ([11]). DS is correct, and it is  $(T, \epsilon)$ -EUF-CMA under the  $SIS_{n,m,q,\beta}$  assumption, where  $T = poly(\lambda)$  and  $\epsilon = negl(\lambda)$ .

## 3.2 NIZKAoK Part NIZK

#### 3.2.1 Definition of NIZK

Let  $R_{NIZK} \subseteq \{0,1\}^* \times \{0,1\}^*$  be a binary relation. Suppose that the membership of  $R_{NIZK}$  can be verified in polynomial-time on the length of a pair (it, wt). In this paper, we only consider a non-interactive zero-knowledge proof of knowledge (NIZK) in the *random oracle model*. A labeled NIZK NIZK = (P, V) for  $R_{NIZK}$  consists of the following two algorithms:

- P(it, wt, lbl): It is a PPT prover algorithm. Given an instance it, its witness wt such that (it, wt) ∈ R<sub>NIZK</sub> and a label string lbl ∈ {0, 1}\*, it returns a proof π.
- $V(it, \pi, lbl)$ : It is a DPT verifier algorithm. Given an instance it, a proof  $\pi$  and a label string lbl, it returns 1 if and only if  $\pi$  is valid.
- NIZK = (P, V) has the following properties [15], where  $L_{R_{NIZK}} = \{it \mid \exists wt \ s.t. \ (it, wt) \in R_{NIZK}\}$ :
- **Perfect Completeness** For any  $(it, wt) \in R_{NIZK}$ , any label string  $lbl \in \{0, 1\}^*$ , and any  $\pi \leftarrow P(it, wt, lbl)$  we have  $V(it, \pi, lbl) = 1$ .
- $(T_s, \epsilon_s)$ -Soundness For any it  $\notin L_{R_{\mathsf{NIZK}}}$ , any adversary  $\tilde{P}$  running in time  $T_s$ , any label string lbl, and any cheating proof  $\pi \leftarrow \tilde{P}(\mathsf{it}, \mathsf{lbl})$ , we have  $V(\mathsf{it}, \pi, \mathsf{lbl}) = 1$  with probability at most  $\epsilon_s$ .
- $(T_{zk}, \epsilon_{zk})$ -Zero-Knowledge in Random Oracle Model There exist a PPT simulation algorithm Sim =  $(Sim_H, Sim_P)$  such that for any PPT adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  running in time  $T_{zk}$ , it holds that

$$\left| \Pr \Big[ \mathcal{A}^{\mathsf{H}, P^{\mathsf{H}}}(1^{\lambda}) = 1 \Big] - \Pr \Big[ \mathcal{A}^{\mathsf{Sim}_{H}, \mathsf{Sim}_{P}}(1^{\lambda}) = 1 \Big] \right| \leq \epsilon_{\mathsf{zk}}(\lambda),$$

where H denotes the random oracle, and  $P^{H}(it, lbl)$  returns  $\pi \leftarrow P(it, wt, lbl)$  for the witness wt corresponding to the given instance it.

 $(T_{ss}, \epsilon_{ss})$ -Simulation-Soundness with respect to Simulator  $(Sim_H, Sim_P)$  For any adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  running in time  $T_{ss}$ , it holds that

$$\Pr\left[\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{NIZK},\mathcal{A}}^{\mathsf{ss}}(\lambda) = 1\right] \le \epsilon_{\mathsf{ss}}(\lambda),$$

where  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{NIZK},\mathcal{A}}^{\mathsf{ss}}$  is depicted as follows:

$Exp^{ss}_{NIZK,\mathcal{A}}$	$OP(it, \mathrm{lbl})$
$(it, \mathrm{lbl}, \pi) \leftarrow \mathcal{A}^{Sim_{H}, OP}(1^{\lambda})$	$\overline{\mathbf{return}\ \pi \leftarrow \mathbf{Sim}_P(it, lbl)}$
return 1 if it $\notin LR_{NIZK} \land (it, lbl, \pi) \notin T \land V^{Sim_{H}}(it, lbl, \pi) = 1$	$T \leftarrow T \cup \{(it, \mathrm{lbl}, \pi)\}$

 $(T_{\text{ext}}, \nu_{\text{ext}})$ -Weak-Simulation-Extractability with respect to Simulator  $(\text{Sim}_{H}, \text{Sim}_{P})$  For any adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  running in time  $T_{\text{ext}}$ , there exist an extraction algorithm  $\text{Ext} = (\text{Ext}_{1}, \text{Ext}_{2})$ , a constant d > 0 and a polynomial p such that

$$ext \ge \frac{1}{p}(acc - \nu_{\mathsf{ext}})^d$$

where

$$\begin{split} & acc = \mathrm{Pr}_{r \leftarrow \$\{0,1\}^{\ell(\lambda)}} \left[ \mathsf{it} \in L_{R_{\mathsf{NIZK}}} \wedge V^{\mathsf{Sim}_{\mathsf{H}}}(\mathsf{it}, \mathsf{lbl}, \pi) = 1 \mid (\mathsf{it}, \mathsf{lbl}, \pi) \leftarrow \mathcal{A}^{\mathsf{Sim}_{\mathsf{H}}, \mathsf{Sim}_{P}}(1^{\lambda}; r) \right] \\ & ext = \mathrm{Pr}_{r \leftarrow \$\{0,1\}^{\ell(\lambda)}} \left[ (\mathsf{it}, \mathsf{wt}) \in R_{\mathsf{NIZK}} \wedge V^{\mathsf{Sim}_{\mathsf{H}}}(\mathsf{it}, \mathsf{lbl}, \pi) = 1 \mid \begin{array}{c} (st, \mathsf{it}, \mathsf{lbl}, \pi) \leftarrow \mathsf{Ext}_{1}^{\mathcal{A}^{\mathsf{Sim}_{\mathsf{H}}, \mathsf{Sim}_{P}}}(1^{\lambda}; r); \\ \mathsf{wt} \leftarrow \mathsf{Ext}_{2}(st, \mathsf{it}, \mathsf{lbl}, \pi, r) \end{array} \right] \end{split}$$

 $\epsilon_{wi}$ -statistical-Witness-Indistinguishability [17] For instance it  $\in L_{NIZK}$  and any distinct witness wt<sub>1</sub>, wt<sub>2</sub> of it any unbounded adversary  $\mathcal{A}$ , we have

$$\left|\mathcal{A}^{P(\mathsf{it},\mathsf{wt}_1)}(1^{\lambda}) - \mathcal{A}^{P(\mathsf{it},\mathsf{wt}_2)}(1^{\lambda})\right| \leq \epsilon_{\mathsf{wi}}(\lambda).$$

$$\begin{split} & \frac{P((\boldsymbol{P},\boldsymbol{v}),\boldsymbol{x},\mathrm{lbl})}{\mathrm{for}\ j\in[1,\kappa]:} \\ & \boldsymbol{r}_{j}\leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_{q}^{L}; \quad \boldsymbol{y}_{j}\leftarrow \boldsymbol{x}+\boldsymbol{r}_{j}; \quad \pi_{j}\leftarrow \mathbb{S}; \quad \rho_{j,1},\rho_{j,2},\rho_{j,3}\leftarrow \{0,1\}^{\eta} \\ & \mathrm{cmt}_{j}=\begin{bmatrix}C_{j,1}\\C_{j,2}\\C_{j,3}\end{bmatrix}\leftarrow \begin{bmatrix}\mathrm{COM}(\pi_{j},\boldsymbol{Pr}_{j};\rho_{j,1})\\\mathrm{COM}(T_{\pi_{j}}(\boldsymbol{r}_{j});\rho_{j,2})\\\mathrm{COM}(T_{\pi_{j}}(\boldsymbol{y}_{j});\rho_{j,3})\end{bmatrix} \\ \{\mathrm{cha}_{j}\}_{j\in[1,\kappa]}\leftarrow \mathrm{H}(\{\mathrm{cmt}_{j}\}_{j\in[1,\kappa]},(\boldsymbol{P},\boldsymbol{v}),\mathrm{lbl}) \\ & \mathrm{for}\ j\in[1,\kappa]: \\ & \mathrm{res}_{j}=(R_{j},R_{j}',\rho_{j},\rho_{j}')\leftarrow \begin{cases}(T_{\pi_{j}}(\boldsymbol{x}),T_{\pi_{j}}(\boldsymbol{r}_{j}),\rho_{j,2},\rho_{j,3}) & \mathrm{cha}_{j}=1\\(\pi_{j},\boldsymbol{y}_{j},\rho_{j,1},\rho_{j,3}) & \mathrm{cha}_{j}=2\\(\pi_{j},\boldsymbol{r}_{j},\rho_{j,1},\rho_{j,2}) & \mathrm{cha}_{j}=3 \end{cases} \\ & \mathrm{return}\ \pi=\{(\mathrm{cmt}_{j},\mathrm{res}_{j})\}_{j\in[1,\kappa]},\mathrm{lbl}) \end{split}$$

 $\begin{array}{l} \overline{\{\mathsf{cha}_{j}\}_{j\in[1,\kappa]}} \leftarrow \mathsf{H}(\{\mathsf{cmt}_{j}\}_{j\in[1,\kappa]}, (\boldsymbol{P}, \boldsymbol{v}), \mathrm{lbl}) \\ \overline{\{((C_{j,1}, C_{j,2}, C_{j,3}), (r_{j}, r_{j}', \rho_{j}, \rho_{j}'))\}} \leftarrow \{(\mathsf{cmt}_{j}, \mathsf{res}_{j})\}_{j\in[1,\kappa]} \\ \mathbf{for} \ j \in [1,\kappa]: \\ \mathbf{return} \ 0 \ \mathbf{if} \ \begin{cases} r_{j} \notin \mathsf{W} \lor C_{j,2} \neq \mathsf{COM}(r_{j}'; \rho_{j}) \lor C_{j,3} \neq \mathsf{COM}(r_{j} + r_{j}'; \rho_{j}') & \mathsf{cha}_{j} = 1 \\ C_{j,1} \neq \mathsf{COM}(T_{r_{j}}, \boldsymbol{P}r_{j}' - \boldsymbol{v}; \rho_{j}) \land C_{j,3} \neq \mathsf{COM}(T_{r_{j}}(r_{j}'); \rho_{j}') & \mathsf{cha}_{j} = 2 \\ C_{j,1} \neq \mathsf{COM}(T_{r_{j}}, \boldsymbol{P}r_{j}'; \rho_{j}) \land C_{j,2} \neq \mathsf{COM}(T_{r_{j}}(r_{j}'); \rho_{j}') & \mathsf{cha}_{j} = 3 \\ \end{array} \right.$ 

return 1

Figure 3: (Labeled) NIZK part NIZK

#### 3.2.2 Abstract Stern NIZK

**Binary Relation** Let  $T_{\pi}$  be a permutation parameterized by  $\pi \in S$  in a sense that for any  $\pi \in S$ ,  $T_{\pi} : \{-1, 0, 1\}^{L} \to \{-1, 0, 1\}^{L}$  is a permutation. The relation for NIZK is

$$R_{\mathsf{NIZK}} = \big\{ ((\boldsymbol{P}, \boldsymbol{v}), \boldsymbol{x}) \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{D \times L} \times \mathbb{Z}_q^D \times \mathsf{W} : \boldsymbol{P}\boldsymbol{x} = \boldsymbol{v} \bmod q \big\},\$$

where, W is a subset of  $\{-1, 0, 1\}^L$  satisfying that

- for any  $\pi \in S$ ,  $\boldsymbol{x} \in W$  if and only if  $T_{\pi}(\boldsymbol{x}) \in W$ , and
- if  $\boldsymbol{x} \in W \land \pi \leftarrow S$ , then  $T_{\pi}(\boldsymbol{x})$  is uniformly distributed over W.

**Protocol of NIZK** A NIZK  $\mathsf{NIZK} = (P, V)$  employed in our proposed GSdT is given in Fig. 3, where COM is the SIS-based commitment scheme [18],  $\mathsf{H} : \{0,1\}^* \to \{1,2,3\}$  is a hash function, and  $\kappa$  denotes the iteration time.

**Lemma 2** ([11, 27]). NIZK = (P, V) is perfectly complete,  $(T_s, \epsilon_s)$ -sound,  $(T_{zk}, \epsilon_{zk})$ -zero-knowledge in the random oracle model for the simulator  $(Sim_H, Sim_P)$ ,  $(T_{ss}, \epsilon_{ss})$ -simulation-sound with respect to  $(Sim_H, Sim_P)$ , and  $(T_{ext}, \nu_{ext})$ -weakly-simulation-extractable with respect to  $(Sim_H, Sim_P)$ ,  $\epsilon_{wi}$ -statistically-witness-indistinguishable, where  $T_s$ ,  $T_{zk}$ ,  $T_{ss}$  and  $T_{ext}$  are polynomials, and  $\epsilon_s$ ,  $\epsilon_{zk}$ ,  $\epsilon_{ss}$ ,  $\nu_{ext}$  and  $\epsilon_{wi}$  are negligible in  $\lambda$ .

**Representation of Instances and Witnesses** A witness x proven by NIZK should be in W. On the other hand, we employ NIZK to prove the knowledge of elements in  $[\pm B]$  for some constant B and bit strings. [22] proposed conversions for the following types:

(Type 1)  $\boldsymbol{x} \in [\pm B]^m$  into W

(Type 2)  $\boldsymbol{x} \in \{0,1\}^m$  into W

(Type 3) 
$$\begin{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{d} \cdot \boldsymbol{b}[1] \\ \vdots \\ \boldsymbol{d} \cdot \boldsymbol{b}[n] \end{bmatrix} \in [\pm \beta]^{mn} \text{ for } (\boldsymbol{d}, \boldsymbol{b}) \in [\pm \beta]^m \times \{0, 1\}^n \text{ into } W$$

We recap the conversion of such elements into the ones in W. For any  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ , let  $S_m$  be the symmetric group of order m. For any  $d \in [\pm \beta]^m$  and any  $b \in \{0,1\}^n$ , we defined  $d^b$  as



(Type 1) Conversion of  $\boldsymbol{x} \in [\pm B]^m$  into W Let  $\delta_B = \lfloor \log_2 B \rfloor + 1$ , and let  $B_{m\delta_B}^{(3)}$  be the set of all vectors  $\{0,1\}^{3m\delta_B}$  whose  $m\delta_B$  elements are j for each  $j \in \{-1,0,1\}$ . There exists an algorithm  $\mathsf{DecExt}_{m,B}$  that converts  $\boldsymbol{x} = (x_1, \ldots, x_m)^T \in \{0,1\}^m$  into  $\hat{\boldsymbol{x}} \in B_{m\delta_B}^{(3)}$  [22].

(Type 2) Conversion of  $x \in \{0,1\}^m$  into W Let  $B_m^{(2)}$  be the set of all vectors in  $\{0,1\}^{2m}$  such that m elements in each vector are 1, and the others are 0. Then, an algorithm Ext converts  $x \in \{0,1\}^m$  into  $\frac{[x]}{[x]} \in B_m^{(2)}$ . We can see that  $\hat{x} \in B_m^{(2)}$  if and only if  $\rho(\hat{x}) \in B_m^{(2)}$  for any permutation  $\rho \in S_{2m}$ . By defining the permutation  $T_\rho(\hat{x}) = \rho(\hat{x})$  for each  $\rho \in S_{2m}$ ,  $B_m^{(2)}$  with the set  $S_{2m}$  satisfies the conditions on W.

In a similar manner to the above case, we can observe that  $B_{m\delta_B}^{(3)}$  with the set  $\phi \in S_{3\delta_B}$  satisfies the conditions on W.

(Type 3) Conversion of  $d^{\hat{b}}$  for  $(d, b) \in [\pm \beta]^m \times \{0, 1\}^n$  An algorithm  $\mathsf{IDecExt}_{n,m,\beta}$  converts (d, b) into  $\hat{d}^{\hat{b}} \in B_{n,m,\beta}^{(4)}$  for  $\hat{d} \leftarrow \mathsf{DecExt}_{m,\delta_B}(d)$  and  $\hat{b} \leftarrow \mathsf{Ext}_m(b)$ , where

$$B_{n,m,\beta}^{(4)} = \{ \hat{\boldsymbol{d}}^{\hat{\boldsymbol{b}}} \mid \boldsymbol{d} \in [\pm\beta]^m, \boldsymbol{b} \in \{0,1\}^n, \hat{\boldsymbol{d}} \leftarrow \mathsf{DecExt}_{m,\delta_B}(\boldsymbol{d}), \hat{\boldsymbol{b}} \leftarrow \mathsf{Ext}_m(\boldsymbol{b}) \}.$$

Then, for  $(\psi, \rho) \in \mathsf{S}_{3m\delta_B} \times \mathsf{S}_{2n}$ , we define the parameterized permutation  $T_{(\psi,\rho)}$  by

$$T_{(\psi,\rho)}\left(\begin{bmatrix} \hat{\boldsymbol{d}} \cdot \hat{\boldsymbol{b}}[1] \\ \vdots \\ \hat{\boldsymbol{d}} \cdot \hat{\boldsymbol{b}}[2n] \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} \psi(\hat{\boldsymbol{d}}) \cdot \hat{\boldsymbol{b}}[\rho(1)] \\ \vdots \\ \psi(\hat{\boldsymbol{d}}) \cdot \hat{\boldsymbol{b}}[\rho(2n)] \end{bmatrix}$$

 $B_{n,m,\beta}^{(4)}$  with the parameterized permutation  $T_{(\psi,\rho)}$  satisfies the conditions W.

## 3.3 CP-ABE part ABE

Suppose that for  $t \leq \xi$ , any attribute X is represented by a  $\xi$ -bit string, and any access policy Y is a conjunctive normal form whose clauses have t bits of input (t-CNF), respectively.

#### 3.3.1 Definition of CP-ABE

A CP-ABE ABE consists of the following polynomial-time algorithms:

APgen(1<sup>λ</sup>): This is a PPT parameter generator. Given a security parameter 1<sup>λ</sup>, it returns a public key pk and a master secret key msk.

- $\mathsf{AKGen}(msk, X)$ : This is a key generator. Given a master secret key msk and an attribute X, it returns a secret key  $\mathsf{sk}_X$  over the attribute X.
- Enc(pk, Y, μ): This is a PPT encryption algorithm. Given a public key pk, an access policy Y over decrypters' attribute and a message μ, it returns a ciphertext cp of the message μ.
- Dec(sk<sub>X</sub>, cp): This is a DPT decryption algorithm. Given a secret key sk<sub>X</sub> and a ciphertext cp, it returns either a decryption result μ' or the failure symbol ⊥.

We will require that cp visibly contains Y, which is typical in the class of only-payload-hiding CP-ABE schemes [21].

ABE = (APgen, AKGen, Enc, Dec) has the following properties:

- **Correctness:** For any security parameter  $\lambda$ , any attribute X, any access policy Y, any message  $\mu$ , any pair (pk, msk)  $\leftarrow$  APgen( $\lambda$ ), any secret key sk<sub>X</sub>  $\leftarrow$  AKGen(msk, X), any ciphertext cp  $\leftarrow$  Enc(pk, Y,  $\mu$ ), and any decryption result  $\mu' \leftarrow$  Dec(sk<sub>X</sub>, cp), it holds that  $\mu' = \mu$  if Y(X) = 1.
- IND-CPA: We say that ABE is  $(T_{ABE}, \epsilon_{ABE})$ -IND-CPA if for any adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  running in time at most  $T_{ABE}$ , it holds that

$$\left|\Pr\left[\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{ABE},\mathcal{A}}^{\mathrm{IND-CPA-0}}(\lambda) = 1\right] - \Pr\left[\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{ABE},\mathcal{A}}^{\mathrm{IND-CPA-1}}(\lambda) = 1\right]\right| \leq \epsilon_{\mathsf{ABE}}(\lambda),$$

where  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{ABE},\mathcal{A}}^{\mathsf{ABE},d}$  is formalized as follows:

$Exp_{ABE,\mathcal{A}}^{ABE-d}(\lambda)$	Ocorr(X)	$Och extsf{-}d(Y^*,\mu_0,\mu_1)$
$\overline{K \leftarrow \emptyset}$	$\overline{\mathbf{return} \perp \mathbf{if} \ \mathcal{R}(X, Y^*) = 1}$	$\textbf{return} \perp \textbf{if} \;  \mu_0  \neq  \mu_1 $
$(msk, pk) \leftarrow SAPgen(1^{\lambda})$	$K \leftarrow K \cup \{X\}$	return $\perp$ if $\exists X \in K$ s.t. $Y(X) = 1$
$\mathbf{return}\; \mathcal{A}^{Ocorr,Och\text{-}d}(pk)$	$\mathbf{return} \ AKGen(msk, X)$	$\mathbf{return}\;Enc(pk,Y^*,\mu_d)$

#### 3.3.2 Conforming Constrained Pseudo-Random Function

To realize a lattice-based ABE for t-CNF, a special primitive called *conforming constrained pseudo*random function (ccPRF) is employed [29]. A ccPRF is intuitively an extended notion of the constrained PRF which has not only the same properties as the ordinary PRFs, but also another property that a key  $ek_Y$  constrained by the boolean function Y can be generated by using an ordinary evaluation key mek of the PRF, and then  $ek_Y$  can be used to evaluate a value of the PRF on input X only when Y(X) = 1. A ccPRF ccPRF formally consists of the following polynomial-time algorithms with the parameters as in Tab. 1.

- $\mathsf{Pgen}(1^{\lambda})$  returns a public parameter  $\mathsf{pp}$  and a master evaluation key  $\mathsf{mek} \in \{0, 1\}^{\lambda}$ .
- Eval(pp, mek, X) returns an evaluated value  $\rho_X \in \{0, 1\}^{\lambda}$  for any string  $X \in \{0, 1\}^{\xi}$ .
- Constrain(pp, mek, Y) returns a constraining key  $ek_Y \in \{0, 1\}^{\iota}$  under a given boolean function Y.
- $\mathsf{CEval}(\mathsf{pp},\mathsf{ek}_Y,X)$  returns either an evaluated value  $\rho'_X \in \{0,1\}^{\lambda}$  or the failure symbol  $\perp$ .
- $\mathsf{KSim}(\mathsf{pp}, Y)$  returns a faked key  $\mathsf{ek}_Y \in \{0, 1\}^{\iota}$  under Y.

ccPRF = (Pgen, Eval, Constrain, CEval) has the following properties:

**Correctness** For any string  $X \in \{0,1\}^{\xi}$  and any boolean function  $Y : \{0,1\}^{\xi} \to \{0,1\}$ , any pair  $(\mathsf{pp},\mathsf{mek}) \leftarrow \mathsf{Pgen}(1^{\lambda})$  and any regular constraining key  $\mathsf{ek}_Y \leftarrow \mathsf{Constrain}(\mathsf{pp},\mathsf{mek},Y)$ , we have

$$\mathsf{CEval}(\mathsf{pp},\mathsf{ek}_Y,X) = \begin{cases} \mathsf{Eval}(\mathsf{pp},\mathsf{mek},X) & Y(X) = 1, \\ \bot & Y(X) = 0. \end{cases}$$

**Gradual Evaluation** Suppose that for any  $(pp, mek) \leftarrow Pgen(1^{\lambda})$ , any string  $X \in \{0, 1\}^{\xi}$  and any boolean function  $Y : \{0, 1\}^{\xi} \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$ , there exist circuits  $U_{\eta \rightarrow X}$ ,  $U_{\eta \rightarrow Y}$  and  $U_{Y \rightarrow X}$  such that

$$U_{\eta \to X}(\mathsf{mek}) = \mathsf{Eval}(\mathsf{pp}, \mathsf{mek}, X),$$
  

$$U_{\eta \to Y}(\mathsf{mek}) = \mathsf{Constrain}(\mathsf{pp}, \mathsf{mek}, Y), \text{ and}$$
  

$$U_{Y \to X}(\mathsf{ek}_Y) = \mathsf{CEval}(\mathsf{pp}, \mathsf{ek}_Y, X).$$

Then, the description of  $U_{\eta \to X}$  is the concatenation of the description of  $U_{Y \to X}$  and that of  $U_{\eta \to Y}$ .

The pseudo-randomness and the key simulation were also defined as the other properties. Please refer [29] for the details. Eventually, ABE utilizes the following fact of ccPRF.

**Lemma 3** ([29]). For any attribute  $X \in \{0,1\}^{\xi}$ , any access policy Y, any (mek, pp)  $\leftarrow$  Pgen $(1^{\lambda})$ , and any "faked" key ek<sub>Y</sub>  $\leftarrow$  KSim(pp, Y), the probability that CEval(pp, ek<sub>Y</sub>, X)  $\in \{\bot, \mathsf{Eval}(\mathsf{pp}, \mathsf{mek}, X)\}$  is negligible when Y(X) = 1.

A concrete ccPRF for a t-CNF Y is also given in [29].

#### 3.3.3 Conversion of Evaluating Circuits into Lattices

[29] embedded ccPRF in ABE. In particular, ABE verifies whether or not the circuits  $U_{\eta \to X}$ ,  $U_{\eta \to Y}$ and  $U_{Y \to X}$  are honestly evaluated. They also proposed a method to convert their evaluations into lattice forms by introducing two DPT algorithms EvalF and EvalFx in the following way. Let  $\tilde{m} = n \lceil \log_2 q \rceil$ , let  $f : \{0,1\}^{\text{in}} \to \{0,1\}^{\text{out}}$  and  $g : \{0,1\}^{\text{out}} \to \{0,1\}^{\text{out'}}$  be any boolean circuits with depth d, let  $x \in \{0,1\}^{\text{in}}$ , and let  $C \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times \tilde{m} \cdot \text{in}}$ . Given a pair (f, C), EvalF returns a matrix  $H \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{\tilde{m} \cdot \text{in} \times \tilde{m} \cdot \text{out}}$ , whereas given a tuple (f, x, C), EvalFx returns a matrix  $\hat{H} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{\tilde{m} \cdot \text{in} \times \tilde{m} \cdot \text{out}}$ . The matrices H and  $\hat{H}$  satisfy that

$$\|\boldsymbol{H}\|, \|\hat{\boldsymbol{H}}\| \leq (2\tilde{m})^d$$
 and  
 $[\boldsymbol{C} - \boldsymbol{x} \otimes \boldsymbol{G}] \hat{\boldsymbol{H}} = \boldsymbol{C}\boldsymbol{H} - f(\boldsymbol{x}) \otimes \boldsymbol{G} \mod q,$ 

where  $G = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 4 & \cdots & 2^{\lceil \log q \rceil - 1} \end{bmatrix} \otimes I_n \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times \tilde{m}}$ . When  $H_f \leftarrow \mathsf{EvalF}(f, C), H_g \leftarrow \mathsf{EvalF}(g, CH_f)$ and  $H_{g \circ f} \leftarrow \mathsf{EvalF}(g \circ f, C)$ , it holds that  $H_f H_g = H_{g \circ f}$ .

#### **3.3.4** Construction of ABE

Fig. 4 is our CP-ABE part ABE = (APgen, AKGen, Enc, Dec) with an auxiliary algorithm *dec* and Tab. 1 is the parameters.

We briefly explain the mechanism of the decryption. For any access policy  $Y : \{0, 1\}^{\xi} \to \{0, 1\}$ , any attribute  $X \in \{0, 1\}^{\xi}$  such that Y(X) = 1, and any message  $\mu \in \{0, 1\}^{l}$ , we set

$$\begin{array}{l} ((\boldsymbol{T}_{\boldsymbol{B}},\eta),(\boldsymbol{B},\boldsymbol{C},\boldsymbol{U},\mathsf{pp})) \leftarrow & \mathsf{APgen}(1^{n},1^{m},q,\mathbb{U}), \\ (X,\rho,\boldsymbol{K}) \leftarrow & \mathsf{AKGen}((\boldsymbol{T}_{\boldsymbol{B}},\eta),X), \\ (Y,s_{Y},\boldsymbol{u}_{0},\boldsymbol{u}_{1},\boldsymbol{u}_{2}) \leftarrow & \mathsf{Enc}((\boldsymbol{B},\boldsymbol{C},\boldsymbol{U},\mathsf{pp}),Y,\mu) \text{ and} \\ \tilde{\mu} \leftarrow \mathsf{Dec}((X,\rho,\boldsymbol{K}),(Y,s_{Y},\boldsymbol{u}_{0},\boldsymbol{u}_{1},\boldsymbol{u}_{2})). \end{array}$$

Recall that  $\rho \leftarrow \mathsf{KSim}(\mathsf{pp}, Y)$  is not identical to  $\rho' \leftarrow U_{Y \to X}(s_Y) = \mathsf{CEval}(\mathsf{pp}, s_Y, X)$  except the negligible error probability by Lemma 3, and hence we have  $I_{\rho}(\rho') = 0$  for the circuit  $I_{\rho}$  generated

$APgen(1^n,1^{\check{m}},q,\mathbb{U})$	AKGen(msk, X)
$ \begin{array}{l} (\eta,pp) \leftarrow & CPgen(1^{\lambda});  (\boldsymbol{B},\boldsymbol{T_B}) \leftarrow & TrapGen(1^n,1^{\tilde{m}'} \\ \boldsymbol{C} \leftarrow & \mathbb{Z}_a^{n \times \tilde{m} \cdot \lambda};  \boldsymbol{U} \leftarrow & \mathbb{Z}_a^{n \times l} \end{array} $	$ \begin{array}{ll} ,q) & \boldsymbol{H}_{\eta \rightarrow X} \leftarrow EvalF(U_{\eta \rightarrow X},\boldsymbol{C}); & \boldsymbol{C}_X \leftarrow \boldsymbol{C}\boldsymbol{H}_{\eta \rightarrow X} \\ & \rho \leftarrow Eval(pp,\eta,X) \end{array} $
$\begin{split} msk \leftarrow (\boldsymbol{T}_{\boldsymbol{B}}, \eta); & pk \leftarrow (\boldsymbol{B}, \boldsymbol{C}, \boldsymbol{U}, pp) \\ \mathbf{return} & (msk, pk) \\ \\ \frac{dec(\boldsymbol{u} = (\boldsymbol{u}[1], \dots, \boldsymbol{u}[l]))}{\mu[k] \leftarrow \begin{cases} 1 &  \boldsymbol{u}[k]  \leq q/4 \\ 0 &  \boldsymbol{u}[k]  > q/4 \end{cases}} \mathbf{for} \ k \in [1, l] \\ \mathbf{return} \ \mu \end{split}$	$\begin{array}{l} \textbf{Create a circuit } I_{\rho}: \{0,1\}^{\lambda} \rightarrow \{0,1\} \text{ s.t.} \\ I_{\rho}(\rho') \mapsto 1 \text{ if and only if } \rho = \rho' \\ \textbf{H}_{\rho} \leftarrow \textsf{EvalF}(I_{\rho}, \textbf{C}_{X});  \textbf{C}_{X,\rho} \leftarrow \textbf{C}_{X}\textbf{H}_{\rho} \\ \overline{\textbf{B}} \leftarrow \begin{bmatrix} \textbf{B} \mid \textbf{C}_{X,\rho} \end{bmatrix} \\ \textbf{T}_{\overline{\textbf{B}}} \leftarrow \$ \; \textsf{ExtBasis}(\overline{\textbf{B}}, \textbf{T}_{\overline{\textbf{B}}}) \\ \textbf{K} \leftarrow \$ \; \textsf{SamplePre}(\overline{\textbf{B}}, \textbf{T}_{\overline{\textbf{B}}}, \textbf{U}, s) \end{array}$
	$\mathbf{return} \ sk_X \gets (X, \rho, \pmb{K})$
$Enc(pk,Y,\mu\in\{0,1\}^l)$	$Dec(sk_X,(Y,cp))$
$\begin{split} s_{Y} &\leftarrow \$ \operatorname{KSim}(\operatorname{pp}, Y) \\ t &\leftarrow \$ \chi^{n};  e_{0} \leftarrow \$ \chi^{\tilde{m}'};  e_{1} \leftarrow \$ (\chi')^{\tilde{m} \cdot \iota};  e_{2} \leftarrow \$ \chi^{l} \\ H_{\eta \to Y} &\leftarrow \operatorname{EvalF}(U_{\eta \to Y}, \mathbf{C});  \mathbf{C}_{Y} \leftarrow \mathbf{C}H_{\eta \to Y} \\ u_{0} \leftarrow \mathbf{B}^{T} t + e_{0};  u_{1} \leftarrow [\mathbf{C}_{Y} - s_{Y} \otimes \mathbf{G}]^{T} t + e_{1} \\ u_{2} \leftarrow \mathbf{U}^{T} t + e_{2} + \mu \cdot \lceil q/2 \rfloor \\ \operatorname{cp} \leftarrow (s_{Y}, u_{0}, u_{1}, u_{2}) \\ \operatorname{return} (Y, \operatorname{cp}) \end{split}$	$\begin{split} \rho' &\leftarrow U_{Y \to X}(s_Y) \\ \mathbf{return} \perp \mathbf{if} \ \mathbf{if} \ Y(X) \neq 1 \lor \rho = \rho' \\ H_{\eta \to Y} &\leftarrow EvalF(U_{\eta \to Y}, \mathbf{C});  \mathbf{C}_Y \leftarrow \mathbf{C}H_{\eta \to Y} \\ H_{\eta \to X} \leftarrow EvalF(U_{\eta \to X}, \mathbf{C});  \mathbf{C}_X \leftarrow \mathbf{C}H_{\eta \to X} \\ \hat{H}_{s_Y \to \rho'} \leftarrow EvalFx(U_{Y \to X}, s_Y, \mathbf{C}_Y) \\ \hat{H}_{\rho, \rho'} \leftarrow EvalFx(I_{\rho, \rho'}, \mathbf{C}_X) \\ \hat{H}_{s_Y \to \neq \rho'} \leftarrow \hat{H}_{s_Y \to \rho'} \hat{H}_{\rho, \rho'};  \overline{u}_1 \leftarrow \hat{H}_{s_Y \to \neq \rho'}^T u_1 \\ \mathbf{return} \ dec \left( u_2 - \mathbf{K}^T \frac{[u_0]}{[\overline{u}_1]} \right) \end{split}$

Figure 4: CP-ABE Part ABE (The plaintext space is  $\{0, 1\}^{l}$ )

in AKGen. Since the concatenation of  $U_{Y\to X}$  and  $U_{\eta\to Y}$  is identical to  $U_{\eta\to X}$  due to the gradual evaluation, we have  $H_{\eta\to Y}H_{Y\to X} = H_{\eta\to X}$ , where  $H_{\eta\to Y}$  and  $H_{\eta\to X}$  are as in AKGen and  $H_{Y\to X}$  is defined by  $\mathsf{EvalF}(U_{Y\to X}, \mathbb{C})$ . It follows from the matrices  $\mathbb{C}_X$  and  $\mathbb{C}_Y$  generated in AKGen and Enc that

$$C_Y H_{Y \to X} = C H_{\eta \to Y} H_{Y \to X} = C H_{\eta \to X} = C_X.$$

It holds that

$$\left[\boldsymbol{C}_{Y}-\boldsymbol{s}_{Y}\otimes\boldsymbol{G}\right]\hat{\boldsymbol{H}}_{\boldsymbol{s}_{Y}\to\boldsymbol{\rho}'}=\boldsymbol{C}_{Y}\boldsymbol{H}_{Y\to\boldsymbol{X}}-\boldsymbol{U}_{Y\to\boldsymbol{X}}(\boldsymbol{s}_{Y})\otimes\boldsymbol{G}=\boldsymbol{C}_{X}-\boldsymbol{\rho}'\otimes\boldsymbol{G}$$
(1)

$$\left[\boldsymbol{C}_{X}-\boldsymbol{\rho}'\otimes\boldsymbol{G}\right]\hat{\boldsymbol{H}}_{\boldsymbol{\rho},\boldsymbol{\rho}'}=\boldsymbol{C}_{X}\boldsymbol{H}_{\boldsymbol{\rho}}-I_{\boldsymbol{\rho}}(\boldsymbol{\rho}')\otimes\boldsymbol{G}=\boldsymbol{C}_{X,\boldsymbol{\rho}}$$
(2)

Putting together Eqs. (1) and (2), we have

$$\begin{bmatrix} C_Y - s_Y \otimes G \end{bmatrix} \hat{H}_{s_Y \to \neq \rho'} = \begin{bmatrix} C_Y - s_Y \otimes G \end{bmatrix} \hat{H}_{s_Y \to \rho'} \hat{H}_{\rho,\rho'} = \begin{bmatrix} C_X - \rho' \otimes G \end{bmatrix} \hat{H}_{\rho,\rho'} = C_{X,\rho}.$$

By letting  $\overline{e}_1 = \hat{H}_{s_Y \to \neq \rho'}^T e_1$ , the following is obtained.

$$\overline{\boldsymbol{u}}_1 = \hat{\boldsymbol{H}}_{s_Y \to \neq \rho'}^T \boldsymbol{u}_1 = \boldsymbol{C}_{X,\rho}^T \boldsymbol{t} + \overline{\boldsymbol{e}}_1.$$
(3)

Observe from the algorithm  $\mathsf{AKGen}$  that

$$\begin{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{B} \mid \boldsymbol{C}_{X,\rho} \end{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{K} = \boldsymbol{U}. \tag{4}$$

Therefore, by setting  $\boldsymbol{r} = \boldsymbol{e}_2 - \boldsymbol{K}^T \begin{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{e}_0 \\ \hline \overline{\boldsymbol{e}}_1 \end{bmatrix}$ , we have

$$\|\boldsymbol{r}\| \le q/4 \text{ and } \boldsymbol{u}_2 - \boldsymbol{K}^T \frac{[\boldsymbol{u}_0]}{[\boldsymbol{\overline{u}}_1]} = \mu \lceil q/2 \rfloor + \boldsymbol{r}.$$
 (5)

The detail can be seen in the proof of Lemma 4.1 in [29].

N	# of group members	
ξ	length of attribute $X$	$poly(\lambda)$
n	row	$\mathcal{O}(\lambda)$
q	modulus	$  ilde{\mathcal{O}}(\ell n^3) $
m	column for DS	$2n \lceil \log_2 q \rceil$
$\tilde{m}$	column of $C$ for ABE	$n \left[ \log_2 q \right]$
$\tilde{m}'$	column of $\boldsymbol{B}$ for ABE	$(n+1)\lceil \log_2 q \rceil + 2\lambda$
$\ell$	length of $\tau$ of DS and length of N	$N = 2^{\ell}$
$\sigma$	s.d. of $d$	$\Omega(\sqrt{n\log q}\log n)$
$\sigma'$	s.d. of <i>s</i>	$\sqrt{(4\sqrt{2}\sigma m^{3/2})^2 + \sigma^2}$
$\beta$	infinite norm for DS	$\sigma\omega(\sqrt{m})$
$\kappa$	# of parallel of NIZK	$\omega(\log n)$
$\eta$	length of $\rho$ in NIZK	the length of the witness given to $P$
l	plaintext length of ABE	2m
$\epsilon$	efficiency ratio	$0 < \epsilon < 1$
d	depth of the circuits	$poly(\lambda),  (2n^2)^{2d+4} \le 2^{n^\epsilon}$
$\tilde{\sigma}$	s.d. for ABE	$\max\{\mathcal{O}(\sqrt{n\log q\log n}), \mathcal{O}(\lambda, (2\tilde{m})^{d+3})\}$
B	<i>B</i> -bounded distribution $\chi$	$q/B > 2^{n^{\epsilon}}$
B'	$B'\text{-bounded}$ distribution $\chi'$	$(\tilde{m} + \tilde{m}')\lambda B(2\tilde{m})^d$
ι	length of $ek_Y$	$poly(\lambda)$
	s.d.: standar	rd deviation

Table 1: Parameters of the proposed GSdT  $\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}}$ 

**Lemma 4** ([29]). ABE is correct, and is  $(T, \epsilon)$ -IND-CPA under LWE<sub>n,q,\chi</sub> assumption, where  $T = poly(\lambda)$  and  $\epsilon = negl(\lambda)$ .

# 4 Proposed GSdT from Lattices

In this section, we propose a lattice-based GSdT GSdT<sub>lat</sub>. A group signature by the proposed GSdT GSdT<sub>lat</sub> is intuitively issued by encrypting the signer's identity vector  $\zeta_i$  generated in the joining protocol by using ABE, and then proving that the signer has been registered in the group and the ciphertext  $(Y, cp_{\zeta_i})$  of  $\zeta_i$  is validly generated. This proof  $\pi_E$  is generated by NIZK under an access policy Y with the target message  $\mu$  as set in the label part lbl. The resulting group signature consists of  $\Sigma = (Y, cp_{\zeta_i}, \pi_E)$ . All the algorithms of the proposed GSdT GSdT<sub>lat</sub> are described in Fig. 5 and its parameters in Tab. 1. Note that the witnesses considered in GSig and Open are actually converted into the appropriate forms explained in Subsection 3.2.2. The details will be described below.

## 4.1 Construction

#### 4.1.1 Joining Protocol

To join a group, a user  $\mathcal{U}_i$  of index *i* generates his/her user key pair  $(\mathsf{usk}_i, \mathsf{upk}_i) \leftarrow \mathsf{SUKG}(1^\lambda)$ , which is a key pair of DS, in advance, runs the joining protocol with the issuer  $\mathcal{I}$  who owns an issuer key ik which is a secret key of DS. Namely,  $\mathcal{U}_i$  generates the binary representation  $\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i \in \{0, 1\}^{2m}$ of his/her identity vector  $\boldsymbol{v}_i \leftarrow \boldsymbol{F}\boldsymbol{z}_i$  with a randomly chosen short vector  $\boldsymbol{z}_i$ , issues a signature  $\boldsymbol{\Sigma}_i \leftarrow \mathfrak{Sign}(\mathsf{usk}_i, \boldsymbol{\zeta}_i)$ , and then send  $(\boldsymbol{v}_i, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_i)$  to  $\mathcal{I}$ .  $\mathcal{I}$  issues a signature  $cert_i \leftarrow \mathfrak{Sign}(\mathsf{ik}, \boldsymbol{\zeta}_i)$ , and then returns  $cert_i$  to  $\mathcal{U}_i$  with appending  $\mathcal{U}_i$ 's information  $(\boldsymbol{v}_i, cert_i, \mathsf{upk}_i, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_i)$  into the registration table **reg.**  $\mathcal{U}_i$  stores  $(\boldsymbol{z}_i, cert_i)$  as a group secret key  $\mathsf{gsk}_i$ .

#### 4.1.2 Group Signing and Verifying

To sign a message  $\mu$  under an access policy Y by using  $\mathsf{gsk}_i$ ,  $\mathcal{U}_i$  generates a ciphertext  $(Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\zeta_i}) \leftarrow \mathsf{s} \mathsf{Enc}(\mathsf{pk}_{\mathcal{OM}}, Y, \zeta_i)$ , and then issues a proof  $\pi$  that  $cert_i = (\tau_i, d_i, s_i)$  is indeed a signature of the

 $\mathsf{GKG}(1^\lambda,\mathbb{U})$  $(\mathsf{ik},\mathsf{pk}_{\mathcal{I}}) = (\boldsymbol{T}_{\boldsymbol{A}},(\boldsymbol{A},\{\boldsymbol{A}_t\}_{t\in[0,\ell]},\boldsymbol{D},\boldsymbol{D}_0,\boldsymbol{D}_1,\boldsymbol{u})) \gets \mathsf{SKGen}(1^\lambda)$  $(\mathsf{omk},\mathsf{pk}_{\mathcal{OM}}) = ((\boldsymbol{T_B},\eta),(\boldsymbol{B},\boldsymbol{C},\boldsymbol{U},\mathsf{pp})) \gets \hspace{-0.15cm} \$ \: \mathsf{APgen}(1^n,1^{\tilde{m}},q,\mathbb{U})$  $\mathbf{return}~(\mathsf{ik},\mathsf{omk},\mathsf{gpk}=(\mathsf{pk}_{\mathcal{I}},\mathsf{pk}_{\mathcal{OM}},\boldsymbol{\textit{F}}))$ 

 $\mathsf{OKG}(\mathsf{gpk},\mathsf{omk},j,X)$ 

 $\mathbf{return} \ \mathsf{ok}_j \gets \mathsf{AKGen}(\mathsf{omk}, X)$  $\mathsf{UKG}(1^{\lambda})$ **return**  $(\mathsf{usk}_i, \mathsf{upk}_i) \leftarrow \mathsf{SKGen}(1^{\lambda})$ 

Joining Protocol

$\mathcal{U}_i(gpk,i,upk_i,usk_i)$	$\mathcal{I}(gpk,ik,i,upk_i,\mathbf{reg})$
$egin{aligned} oldsymbol{z}_i &\leftarrow & D_{\mathbb{Z}^{4m},\sigma};  oldsymbol{v}_i \leftarrow oldsymbol{F}oldsymbol{z}_i;  oldsymbol{\zeta}_i \leftarrow & bin(oldsymbol{v}_i) \ & \ & \ & \ & \ & \ & \ & \ & \ & \ $	$\xrightarrow{i, \Sigma_i)} \text{ abort if } \forall f(upk_i, \zeta_i, \Sigma_i) \neq 1$ $\xrightarrow{abort if } \exists (cert, i, upk, sig)$
	<b>s.t.</b> $(\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i, cert, i, upk, sig) \in \mathbf{reg}$ $cert_i = (\tau_i, \boldsymbol{d}_i, \boldsymbol{s}_i) \leftarrow \mathrm{Sig}(\mathrm{ik}, \boldsymbol{\zeta}_i)$
abort if $Vf(pk_{\mathcal{I}}, \boldsymbol{\zeta}_i, cert_i) \neq 1$	$\underbrace{ert_i}_{} \qquad \mathbf{reg} \leftarrow \mathbf{reg} \cup \{(\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i, cert_i, i, upk_i, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_i)\}$
$\mathbf{return} \ gsk_i \leftarrow (\boldsymbol{z}_i, cert_i)$	
$GSig(gpk,(\boldsymbol{z}_i,cert_i),Y,\mu)$	$GVf(gpk,\mu,(Y,(cp_{\pmb{\zeta}_i},\pi_E)))$
$oldsymbol{v}_i \leftarrow oldsymbol{F}oldsymbol{z}_i;  oldsymbol{\zeta}_i \leftarrow bin(oldsymbol{v}_i);  ( au_i, oldsymbol{d}_i, oldsymbol{s}_i) \leftarrow cert_i;$	$ \begin{array}{cc} \left[ \begin{matrix} \boldsymbol{d}_{i,1} \\ \hline \boldsymbol{d}_{i,2} \end{matrix} \right] \leftarrow \boldsymbol{d}_i & \boldsymbol{H}_{\eta \rightarrow Y} \leftarrow EvalF(U_{\eta \rightarrow Y}, \boldsymbol{C}) \\ \boldsymbol{C}_Y \leftarrow \boldsymbol{C} \boldsymbol{H}_{\eta \rightarrow Y} \end{array} $
$(Y, cp_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i}) \leftarrow \texttt{Enc}(pk_{\mathcal{OM}}, Y, \boldsymbol{\zeta}_i);  (s_Y, \boldsymbol{u}_0, \boldsymbol{u}_1, \boldsymbol{u}_2)$	$\leftarrow cp_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i} \qquad \qquad \mathbf{return} \ V(it_E, \pi_E, (Y, cp_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i}, \mu))$
$M_{E} \leftarrow (pk_{\mathcal{I}}, \boldsymbol{B}, C_{Y}, \boldsymbol{F}, \boldsymbol{U}, (\boldsymbol{I}, cp_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_{i}}))$ $wt_{E} \leftarrow ((\boldsymbol{z}, \boldsymbol{\zeta}) \ cert, (\boldsymbol{I}, \boldsymbol{e}_{0}, \boldsymbol{e}_{1}, \boldsymbol{e}_{0}))$	
$\pi_E \leftarrow \$ P(it_E, wt_E, (Y, Cp_{\wedge}, \mu))$	
return $\Sigma = (Y, (cp_{\zeta_i}, \pi_E))$	
$Open(gpk,ok_j,\mathbf{reg},\mu,(Y,(cp_{\pmb{\zeta}_i},\pi_E)))$	$Judge(gpk, i, upk_i, \mu, (Y, (cp_{\pmb{\zeta}_i}, \pi_E)), \tau)$
return $(0, \bot)$ if $GVf(gpk, \mu, (Y, (cp_{\zeta_i}, \pi_E))) \neq 1$	$\mathbf{return} \ \neg GVf(gpk, \mu, (Y, (cp_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i}, \pi_E))) \ \mathbf{if} \ (i, \tau) = (0, \bot)$
$\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i \gets Dec(ok_j, (Y, cp_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i}))$	$\rho' \leftarrow U_{Y \to X}(s_Y)$
find $(cert, i, upk, \Sigma)$ s.t. $(\zeta_i, cert, i, upk, \Sigma_i) \in \mathbf{reg}$	$\boldsymbol{H}_{\eta \rightarrow X} \leftarrow EvalF(U_{\eta \rightarrow X}, \boldsymbol{C})$
<b>return</b> $(0, \perp)$ <b>if</b> $(\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i, cert, i, upk, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_i) \notin \mathbf{reg}$	$oldsymbol{H}_{\eta  ightarrow Y} \leftarrow EvalF(U_{\eta  ightarrow Y}, oldsymbol{C})$
$it_D \leftarrow (\boldsymbol{B}, \boldsymbol{C}_X, \boldsymbol{C}_{X, \rho}, \boldsymbol{U}, \rho', \hat{\boldsymbol{H}}_{s_Y \rightarrow \neq \rho'}, \overline{\boldsymbol{u}}_1, \boldsymbol{r}, (Y, cp_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i}, \boldsymbol{\zeta}_i))$	$oldsymbol{C}_X \leftarrow oldsymbol{C}oldsymbol{H}_{\eta  ightarrow X};  oldsymbol{C}_Y \leftarrow oldsymbol{C}oldsymbol{H}_{\eta  ightarrow Y}$
$wt_D \leftarrow (\boldsymbol{K}, \hat{\boldsymbol{H}}_{\rho, \rho'}, \boldsymbol{H}_{\rho});  \tau_D \leftarrow P(it_D, wt_D, (X, i))$	$\hat{H}_{s_Y  o  ho'} \leftarrow EvalFx(U_{Y  o X}, s_Y, C_Y)$
$ au \leftarrow (cert, \Sigma_i, \boldsymbol{\zeta}_i,  au_D, \boldsymbol{C}_{X, \rho}, \hat{\boldsymbol{H}}_{s_Y \rightarrow \neq \rho'}, \overline{\boldsymbol{u}}_1, \boldsymbol{r})$	return 0 if Eq. $(1)$ or Eq. $(3)$ does not hold
return $(i, \tau)$	return 1 if $V(it_D, \tau_D, (X, i)) = 1 \land$ Vf $(upk_i, \zeta_i, \Sigma_i) = 1 \land$ Vf $(pk_I, \zeta_i, cert) = 1$



Instance  $it_E$ 

- the matrix  $\boldsymbol{F} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{4n \times 4m}$  for the user's identity vector
- the matrices  $\boldsymbol{A}, \boldsymbol{A}_0, \{\boldsymbol{A}_t\}_{t=1}^{\ell} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times m}, \ \boldsymbol{D} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times n \lceil \log_2 q \rceil}$  and  $\boldsymbol{D}_0 \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{2n \times 2m}, \boldsymbol{D}_1 \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{2n \times l}$  and the vector  $\boldsymbol{u} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^n$  for DS
- the matrices  $\boldsymbol{B} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times \tilde{m}'}, \, \boldsymbol{C}_Y \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times \tilde{m} \cdot \iota}$  and  $\boldsymbol{U} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times l}$  for ABE
- the ciphertext  $(Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i})$  with  $\mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i} = (s_Y, \boldsymbol{u}_0, \boldsymbol{u}_1, \boldsymbol{u}_2) \in \{0, 1\}^{\iota} \times \mathbb{Z}_q^{\tilde{m}'} \times \mathbb{Z}_q^{\tilde{m} \cdot \iota} \times \mathbb{Z}_q^l$  of  $\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i$

Witness  $wt_E$ 

- $\mathcal{U}_i$ 's identity secret  $\boldsymbol{z}_i \in [\pm \beta]^{4m}$  for  $\mathcal{U}_i$ 's identity vector  $\boldsymbol{v}_i$
- the binary representation  $\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i \in \{0,1\}^{2m}$  of  $\boldsymbol{v}_i$
- the signature  $cert_i = (\tau_i, d_{i,1}, d_{i,2}, s_i) \in \{0, 1\}^\ell \times [\pm \beta]^m \times [\pm \beta]^m \times [\pm \beta]^l$  of  $\zeta_i$ , where  $\tau_i = [\tau_i[1] \cdots \tau_i[\ell]]^T$
- the string  $\boldsymbol{\gamma} \in \{0,1\}^{2n \lceil \log_2 q \rceil}$  appeared during generating  $cert_i$

• the components  $t \in [\pm B]^n$ ,  $e_0 \in [\pm B]^{\tilde{m}'}$ ,  $e_1 \in [\pm B']^{\tilde{m} \cdot \iota}$  and  $e_2 \in [\pm B]^l$  appeared during generating  $cp_{\zeta_i}$ These satisfy that

 $Fz_i = J_{4n \times 2m} \cdot \zeta_i \mod q$ 

$$\boldsymbol{D}_{0}\boldsymbol{s} + \boldsymbol{D}_{1} \cdot \boldsymbol{\zeta}_{i} = \boldsymbol{J}_{2n \times 2n \lceil \log_{2} q \rceil} \cdot \boldsymbol{\gamma} \mod q, \quad \boldsymbol{A} \cdot \boldsymbol{d}_{1} + \boldsymbol{A}_{0} \cdot \boldsymbol{d}_{2} + \sum_{t=1}^{\ell} \boldsymbol{A}_{t}(\tau_{i}[t] \cdot \boldsymbol{d}_{2}) - \boldsymbol{D} \cdot \boldsymbol{\gamma} = \boldsymbol{u} \mod q,$$

 $\boldsymbol{B}^{T}\boldsymbol{t} + \boldsymbol{e}_{0} = \boldsymbol{u}_{0} \bmod q, \left[\boldsymbol{C}_{Y} - s_{Y} \otimes \boldsymbol{G}\right]^{T}\boldsymbol{t} + \boldsymbol{e}_{1} = \boldsymbol{u}_{1} \bmod q, \text{ and } \boldsymbol{U}^{T}\boldsymbol{t} + \boldsymbol{e}_{2} + (\lceil q/2 \rfloor \cdot \boldsymbol{I}_{l})\boldsymbol{\zeta}_{i} = \boldsymbol{u}_{2} \bmod q,$ 

where  $J_{N \times N \lceil \log q \rceil} = I_N \otimes \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & \cdots & 2^{\lceil \log q \rceil - 1} \end{bmatrix}$ , and hence  $v = J_{N \times N \lceil \log q \rceil} \cdot \mathsf{bin}(v)$  for any vector  $v \in \mathbb{Z}_q^N$ .

Figure 6: Instance and Witness on Group Signing

binary representation  $\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i$  of the  $\mathcal{U}_i$ 's identity vector  $\boldsymbol{v}_i = \boldsymbol{F}\boldsymbol{z}_i$  signed by  $\mathcal{I}$  and  $(Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i})$  is indeed an encryption of  $\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i$ . More specifically, the instance and the witness are specified in Fig. 6. As mentioned in Subsection 3.2.2, the witness should be converted into the appropriate form.  $\boldsymbol{z}_i \in [\pm\beta]^{4m}$ ,  $\boldsymbol{s}, \boldsymbol{d}_1, \boldsymbol{d}_2 \in [\pm\beta]^m, \boldsymbol{t} \in [\pm B]^n, \boldsymbol{e}_0 \in [\pm B]^{\tilde{m}'}, \boldsymbol{e}_1 \in [\pm B']^{\tilde{m} \cdot \iota}$  and  $\boldsymbol{e}_2 \in [\pm B]^l$  are converted into (Type 1),  $\boldsymbol{\gamma} \in \{0, 1\}^m$  and  $\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i \in \{0, 1\}^{2m}$  are done into (Type 2), and  $(\boldsymbol{d}_2, \tau_i) \in [\pm\beta]^{2m} \times \{0, 1\}^\ell$  is done into (Type 3). Then, the parameterized permutation corresponding to the converted witness is defined in the concatenation way.

#### 4.1.3 Opening and Judging

The opener  $\mathcal{OP}_j$  with the attribute X can trace a signer of a signature  $(Y, (\mathsf{cp}_{\zeta_i}, \pi_E))$  if his/her attribute X satisfies the access policy Y. Namely, when Y(X) = 1,  $\mathcal{OP}_j$  decrypts the ciphertext  $(Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\zeta_i})$  with  $\mathsf{cp}_{\zeta_i} = (s_Y, u_0, u_1, u_2)$  using Dec, and then finds the user index *i* for the decrypted result  $\zeta_i$  from the registration table **reg**. To guarantee the non-frameability,  $\mathcal{OP}_j$  also generates a proof  $\tau_D$  that  $\zeta_i$  is correctly decrypted. The correct decryption implies that Eqs. (1)–(5) hold. Observe that whether or not Eq. (1) holds can be verified in public, whereas  $\rho$  in  $\mathsf{sk}_X$  should be private, and hence the matrices  $H_\rho$  and  $\hat{H}_{\rho,\rho'}$  are difficult to be computed in the verification of  $\tau_D$ during Judge. Instead, the knowledge of  $H_\rho$  and  $\hat{H}_{\rho,\rho'}$  are also proven simultaneously by presenting  $C_{X,\rho}$ ,  $\hat{H}_{s_Y \to \neq \rho'}$ ,  $\overline{u}_1$  and r during Dec as public. This implies that Eq. (3) can be verified in public. Therefore, the instance and the witness are specified in Fig. 7. In a similar manner to the signing, the representation of the witness K,  $H_\rho$  and  $\hat{H}_{\rho,\rho'}$  is replaced with (Type 1). Moreover, these are matrices rather than vectors, and hence the proof is issued for each column of the converted matrices.

#### 4.2 Security

We show the security of the proposed GSdT  $\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}}$ . These can be proven in the same way as [9, 3, 22].

**Theorem 1** (Correctness). GSdT<sub>lat</sub> is 0-correct.

Proof. Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be an adversary for the correctness. As in  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}},\mathcal{A},\mathsf{U}}^{\mathsf{corr}}$ , the user index *i* returned by  $\mathcal{A}$  satisfies that  $i \in HU$  and  $\mathsf{gsk}[i] \neq \epsilon$ . This implies that  $\mathsf{AddUO}$  created an honest user secret key  $\mathsf{gsk}[i] = (\mathbf{z}_i, \mathit{cert}_i)$  for *i* of a secret vector  $\mathbf{z}_i$  and a signature  $\mathit{cert}_i$  of  $\zeta_i = \mathsf{bin}(\mathbf{F}\mathbf{z}_i)$  from the issuer  $\mathcal{I}$ . Therefore,  $\mathsf{GSig}$  can correctly issue a proof  $\pi_E$  of the knowledge of  $\mathbf{z}_i$  that is signed by  $\mathcal{I}$  and is correctly encrypted. Hence,  $\mathsf{GSig}$  can generate a valid group signature  $\Sigma = (Y, (\mathsf{cp}_{\zeta_i}, \pi_E))$  with respect to  $(Y, \mu)$  returned by  $\mathcal{A}$ . It follows from the completeness of NIZK shown in Lemma 2 that  $\mathsf{GVf}$  can correctly verify the proof  $\pi_E$ . Therefore,  $\mathsf{GVf}$  always returns 1.

On the other hand, for any index  $j \in OS_Y$ , the attributes X of the opener j satisfy Y(X) = 1for the access structure Y returned by  $\mathcal{A}$ . The correctness of ABE shown in Lemma 4 and the correct secret key for X generated during AddOO imply that the ciphertext  $(Y, cp_{\zeta_i})$  is correctly decrypted to the valid identity vector  $\zeta_i$  that has been encrypted during GSig. Then, Open can find i's information  $(\zeta_i, cert, i, upk[i], \Sigma_i)$  from the registration table reg. Therefore, Open can issue a proof  $\pi_D$  which proves the correctness of the decryption of  $(Y, cp_{\zeta_i})$ , and hence Open returns i and a valid proof  $\pi_D$ . These also imply that Judge can confirm that GVf returns 1 and  $\pi_D$  is a valid proof by V. Moreover, since AddOO honestly generates signatures *cert* and  $\Sigma_i$  of  $\zeta_i$ , and therefore the correctness of DS shown in Lemma 1 implies that Vf always returns 1. These eventually mean that Judge always returns 1. Thus, the correctness of GSdT<sub>lat</sub> holds.

**Theorem 2** (Anonymity). Under the LWE<sub> $n,q,\chi$ </sub> assumption, GSdT<sub>lat</sub> is ( $T_{\text{anom}}, \epsilon_{\text{anom}}$ )-anonymous in the random oracle model for a polynomial  $T_{\text{anom}}$  and a negligible function  $\epsilon_{\text{anom}}$ .

*Proof.* This is shown by the hybrid argument. Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be an adversary violating the anonymity of  $\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}}$ . The details are as follows.

 $\mathsf{Game}_0$  This game is identical to the experiment  $\mathsf{Exp}^{\mathrm{anom}-0}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}$  of the anonymity of  $\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}}$  when b = 0. Here, all the oracles of the anonymity game are the same as in the definition. All of the hash values are given from the random oracle H. Then, we have

$$\Pr[\mathsf{Game}_{0}(\lambda) = 1] = \Pr[\mathsf{Exp}^{\mathrm{anom-0}}_{\mathsf{GSdTyr},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}(\lambda) = 1].$$
(6)

Game<sub>1</sub> This game proceeds in the same way as Game<sub>0</sub> except that the new state C is initialized as  $\emptyset$  before running  $\mathcal{A}$ , the random oracle H is replaced with the simulator Sim<sub>H</sub> whose existence is guaranteed by the zero-knowledge of NIZK shown in Lemma 2, and ChaO-0 and OpenO are replaced with those as in Fig. 8. In the new ChaO-0, the proof  $\pi_E$  is generated by Sim<sub>P</sub> for the zero-knowledge of NIZK, and the proof  $\pi_D$  is also generated by Sim<sub>P</sub>. Observe that the difference between Game<sub>0</sub> and Game<sub>1</sub> is just the generation of the hash values and the proofs. Namely, all hash values and all proofs are given from the random oracle H and the prover algorithm P of NIZK in Game<sub>0</sub>, whereas

#### Instance $it_D$

- the matrices  $\boldsymbol{B} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times \tilde{m}'}, \, \boldsymbol{C}_X \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times \tilde{m} \cdot \lambda}, \, \boldsymbol{U} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n \times l}$
- the string  $\rho' \in \{0,1\}^{\lambda}$

• the components 
$$C_{X,\rho} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{n imes \tilde{m}}$$
,  $\hat{H}_{s_Y \to \neq \rho'} \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{\tilde{m} \cdot \iota imes \tilde{m}}$ ,  $\overline{u}_1 \in \mathbb{Z}_q^{\tilde{m}}$ ,  $r \in [-q/4, q/4]^l$  computed during Dec

• the ciphertext  $(Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\zeta_i})$ , and the decrypted result  $\zeta_i \in \{0, 1\}^l$ 

Witness  $wt_D$  the following matrices:

$$\boldsymbol{K} \in [\pm \tilde{\sigma} \sqrt{\tilde{m} + \tilde{m}'}]^{(\tilde{m} + \tilde{m}') \times l}, \quad \boldsymbol{H}_{\rho} \in [\pm (2\tilde{m})^d]^{\tilde{m} \cdot \lambda \times \tilde{m}} \text{ and } \hat{\boldsymbol{H}}_{\rho, \rho'} \in [\pm (2\tilde{m})^d]^{\tilde{m} \cdot \iota \times \tilde{m}}$$

These satisfy that

$$\begin{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{B} \mid \boldsymbol{C}_{X,\rho} \end{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{K} = \boldsymbol{U} \mod q, \quad \boldsymbol{C}_X \boldsymbol{H}_{\rho} = \boldsymbol{C}_{X,\rho} \mod q, \quad \hat{\boldsymbol{H}}_{s_Y \to \rho} \hat{\boldsymbol{H}}_{\rho,\rho'} = \hat{\boldsymbol{H}}_{s_Y \to \neq \rho'} \mod q,$$
$$\begin{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{C}_X - \rho' \otimes \boldsymbol{G} \end{bmatrix} \hat{\boldsymbol{H}}_{\rho,\rho'} = \boldsymbol{C}_{X,\rho} \mod q, \text{ and } \boldsymbol{u}_2 - \boldsymbol{K}^T \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \boldsymbol{u}_0 \\ \overline{\overline{\boldsymbol{u}}_1} \end{bmatrix}}_{=} \boldsymbol{\zeta}_i [q/2] + \boldsymbol{r} \mod q.$$

Figure 7: Instance and Witness on Opening

ChaO- $b(i_0, i_1, \mu, Y)$  $\mathsf{OpenO}(j, \mu, (Y, (\mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i}, \pi_E)))$ return  $\perp$  if 1: **return**  $\perp$  **if**  $(\mu, (Y, (\mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i}, \pi_E))) \in MS$  $\mathbf{gsk}[i_0] = \epsilon \lor \mathbf{gsk}[i_1] = \epsilon \lor \exists j \in HU \cup CU \text{ s.t.}$ 2: return  $\perp$  if  $ok[j] = \perp$ 3: **return**  $(0, \perp)$  if  $\mathsf{GVf}(\mathsf{gpk}, \mu, (Y, (\mathsf{cp}_{\zeta_i}, \pi_E))) \neq 1$  $Y(X) = 1 \land (X, \mathsf{ok}_0) = \mathbf{ok}[j]$  $(\boldsymbol{z}_{i_b}, cert_{i_b}) \leftarrow \mathbf{gsk}[i_b]$ 4: **abort if**  $(Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\mathcal{L}}) \in C \quad /\!\!/ \text{ Game}_2\text{-Game}_5$  $oldsymbol{v}_{i_b} \leftarrow oldsymbol{F} oldsymbol{z}_{i_b}; \ oldsymbol{\zeta}_{i_b} \leftarrow \mathsf{bin}(oldsymbol{v}_{i_b})$ 5:  $\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i \leftarrow \mathsf{Dec}(\mathsf{ok}_j, (Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i}))$ // Game<sub>0</sub>-Game<sub>2</sub>, Game<sub>5</sub>-Game<sub>7</sub> 6: find  $(cert, i, upk, \Sigma)$  s.t.  $(\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i, cert, i, upk, \Sigma_i) \in \mathbf{reg}$  $\boldsymbol{\zeta}_{i_{b}} \leftarrow 0^{2m} \quad /\!\!/ \, \, \operatorname{\mathsf{Game}}_{3} - \operatorname{\mathsf{Game}}_{4}$ 7: **return**  $(0, \bot)$  **if**  $(\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i, cert, i, \mathsf{upk}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_i) \notin \mathbf{reg}$  $(Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_{i_{1}}}) \leftarrow \mathbb{S} \mathsf{Enc}(\mathsf{pk}_{\mathcal{OM}}, Y, \boldsymbol{\zeta}_{i_{b}})$ 8:  $\mathsf{it}_D \leftarrow (\boldsymbol{B}, \boldsymbol{C}_X, \boldsymbol{C}_{X,\rho}, \boldsymbol{U}, \rho', \hat{\boldsymbol{H}}_{s_Y \to \neq \rho'}, \overline{\boldsymbol{u}}_1, \boldsymbol{r})$ 9: wt<sub>D</sub>  $\leftarrow$   $(\boldsymbol{K}, \hat{\boldsymbol{H}}_{\rho, \rho'}, \boldsymbol{H}_{\rho}) //$ Game<sub>0</sub>,Game<sub>7</sub>  $C \leftarrow C \cup \left\{ (Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_{i_b}}) \right\}$ 10:  $\tau_D \leftarrow P(\mathsf{it}_D, \mathsf{wt}_D, (X, i))$  // Game<sub>0</sub>, Game<sub>7</sub>  $\mathsf{it}_E \leftarrow (\mathsf{pk}_{\mathcal{I}}, \boldsymbol{B}, \boldsymbol{C}_Y, \boldsymbol{F}, \boldsymbol{U}, (Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_{i_L}}))$ 11:  $\tau_D \leftarrow Sim_P(it_D, (X, i)) // Game_1-Game_6$  $\mathsf{wt}_E \leftarrow ((\boldsymbol{z}_i, \boldsymbol{\zeta}_i), cert_i, (\boldsymbol{t}, \boldsymbol{e}_0, \boldsymbol{e}_1, \boldsymbol{e}_2))$ 12:  $\tau \leftarrow (cert, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_i, \boldsymbol{\zeta}_i, \tau_D, \boldsymbol{C}_{X,\rho}, \hat{\boldsymbol{H}}_{s_{\boldsymbol{V}} \rightarrow \neq \rho'}, \overline{\boldsymbol{u}}_1, \boldsymbol{r})$ ∥ Game<sub>0</sub>,Game<sub>7</sub> 13 : return  $(i, \tau)$  $\pi_E \gets P(\mathsf{it}_E,\mathsf{wt}_E,(Y,\mathsf{cp}_{\pmb{\zeta}_i},\mu)) \quad /\!\!/ \,\, \mathsf{Game_0},\mathsf{Game_7}$  $\pi_E \leftarrow \hspace{-0.15cm} \$ \, \operatorname{Sim}_P(\operatorname{it}_E,(Y,\operatorname{cp}_{\pmb{\zeta}_{i_b}},\mu)) \quad /\!\!/ \, \operatorname{Game_1-Game_6}$ **return**  $\Sigma \leftarrow (Y, (\mathsf{cp}_{\zeta_{i_h}}, \pi_E))$ 

Figure 8: ChaO-*b* and OpenO in Sequential Games for Anonymity, where  $// Game_*$  denotes that the corresponding line is performed only in Game\_\*

those are generated from  $Sim_H$  and  $Sim_P$  in Game<sub>1</sub>, respectively. It follows from Lemma 2 that

$$|\Pr[\mathsf{Game}_1 = 1] - \Pr[\mathsf{Game}_0 = 1]| \le \epsilon_{\mathsf{zk}}.$$
(7)

Game<sub>2</sub> This game proceeds in the same way as Game<sub>1</sub> except that the new abort condition is added as Line 4 in OpenO. Let C be the event that  $(Y, cp_{\zeta_i}) \in C$  for a query to OpenO by  $\mathcal{A}$ . Observe that Game<sub>2</sub> coincides with Game<sub>1</sub> when the event C does not happen. This implies that

$$|\Pr[\mathsf{Game}_2 = 1] - \Pr[\mathsf{Game}_1 = 1]| \le \Pr[\mathsf{C}]. \tag{8}$$

Game<sub>3</sub> This game proceeds in the same way as Game<sub>2</sub> except that  $\zeta_i$  is replaced with the zero vector  $0^{2m}$  in ChaO-0 instead of  $v_{i_b}$ . The difference between Game<sub>3</sub> and Game<sub>2</sub> can be evaluated by the IND-CPA of ABE. Namely, we now construct an adversary  $\mathcal{B}_{ABE}$  for the IND-CPA of ABE as in Fig. 9.

In AddOO in Fig. 9,  $\mathcal{B}_{ABE}$  generates  $\mathbf{ok}[j]$  by utilizes Ocorr, which is given to the IND-CPA adversary  $\mathcal{B}_{ABE}$  of ABE. This means that  $\mathcal{B}_{ABE}$  is prohibited from querying any access structure Y such that Y(X) = 1 for any attributes X given to AddOO. On the other hand, there is no possibility of winning the anonymity game. In fact, ChaO-b prohibits such an access structure as a ChaO-b query. Observe that the procedure of  $\mathcal{B}_{ABE}$  when Och-0 is adopted coincides with that of Game<sub>2</sub>, whereas the procedure of  $\mathcal{B}_{ABE}$  when Och-1 is adopted coincides with that of Game<sub>3</sub>. This implies that

$$\left|\Pr[\mathsf{Game}_{3}=1] - \Pr[\mathsf{Game}_{2}=1]\right| = \left|\Pr\left[\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{ABE},\mathcal{B}_{\mathsf{ABE}}}^{\mathrm{IND-CPA-0}}(\lambda) = 1\right] - \Pr\left[\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{ABE},\mathcal{B}_{\mathsf{ABE}}}^{\mathrm{IND-CPA-1}}(\lambda) = 1\right]\right| \le \epsilon_{\mathsf{ABE}}.$$
(9)

Game<sub>4</sub> This game proceeds in the same way as Game<sub>3</sub> except that ChaO-0 is replaced with ChaO-1. Observe that there is no difference for the returned signature  $\Sigma = (Y, (cp_{\zeta_{i_1}}, \pi_E))$  between ChaO-0

 $MS \leftarrow MS \cup \{(\mu, \Sigma)\}$ 

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# $\mathcal{B}_{\mathsf{ABE}}^{\mathsf{Ocorr},\mathsf{Och}\text{-}d}(\mathsf{pk}_{\mathsf{ABE}})$

 $\begin{array}{ll} ((\mathsf{pk}_{\mathcal{I}},\mathsf{pk}'_{\mathcal{OM}},\boldsymbol{F}),\mathsf{ik},\mathsf{omk}) \leftarrow & \mathsf{GKG}(1^{\lambda},\mathbb{U}); \quad \mathsf{gpk} \leftarrow (\mathsf{pk}_{\mathcal{I}},\mathsf{pk}_{\mathsf{ABE}},\boldsymbol{F}) \\ HO \leftarrow \emptyset; \quad HU \leftarrow \emptyset; \quad CO \leftarrow \emptyset; \quad CU \leftarrow \emptyset \\ \mathbf{upk} \leftarrow \emptyset; \quad \mathbf{usk} \leftarrow \emptyset; \quad \mathbf{gsk} \leftarrow \emptyset; \quad \mathbf{ok} \leftarrow \emptyset; \quad \mathbf{reg} \leftarrow \emptyset; \quad MS \leftarrow \emptyset; \quad \mathbf{st}_{\mathsf{Join}} \leftarrow \emptyset; \quad \mathbf{st}_{\mathsf{Iss}} \leftarrow \emptyset; \quad H \leftarrow \emptyset \\ C \leftarrow \emptyset \end{array}$ 

return  $\mathcal{A}^{ChaO_b,AddOO,OpenO,StoUO,WRegO,USKO,CrptOO,CrptUO,H}(gpk,ik)$ 

ChaO- $b(i_0, i_1, \mu, Y)$  $\mathsf{AddOO}(j, X)$ return  $\perp$  if return  $\perp$  if  $\exists j \in HO$  $\mathbf{gsk}[i_0] = \epsilon \lor \mathbf{gsk}[i_1] = \epsilon \lor \exists j \in HU \cup CU \text{ s.t.}$  $HO \leftarrow HO \cup \{j\}$  $Y(X) = 1 \land (X, \mathsf{ok}_0) = \mathbf{ok}[j]$  $\mathbf{ok}[j] \leftarrow \mathsf{Ocorr}(X)$  $(\boldsymbol{z}_{i_b}, cert_{i_b}) \leftarrow \mathbf{gsk}[i_b]$  $oldsymbol{v}_{i_b} \leftarrow oldsymbol{F} oldsymbol{z}_{i_b}; \ oldsymbol{\zeta}_{i_b} \leftarrow \mathsf{bin}(oldsymbol{v}_{i_b})$  $(Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_{i_t}}) \leftarrow \mathsf{SOch-}d(Y, \boldsymbol{\zeta}_{i_b}, 0^{2m})$  $C \leftarrow C \cup \left\{ (Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_{i_i}}) \right\}$  $\mathsf{it}_E \leftarrow (\mathsf{pk}_{\mathcal{I}}, \boldsymbol{B}, \boldsymbol{C}_Y, \boldsymbol{F}, \boldsymbol{U}, (Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_{i_k}}))$  $\pi_E \leftarrow \$ \operatorname{Sim}_P(\mathsf{it}_E, (Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_{i_h}}, \mu))$ return  $\Sigma \leftarrow (Y, (cp_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_{i_b}}, \pi_E))$  $MS \leftarrow MS \cup \{(\mu, \Sigma)\}$ 

Figure 9: IND-CPA Adversary  $\mathcal{B}_{ABE}$  for ABE from Game<sub>1</sub> and Game<sub>2</sub>

in  $Game_3$  and ChaO-1 in  $Game_4$ . Therefore, we have

$$\Pr[\mathsf{Game}_4 = 1] = \Pr[\mathsf{Game}_3 = 1]. \tag{10}$$

Game<sub>5</sub> This game proceeds in the same way as Game<sub>4</sub> except that  $\zeta_{i_b}$  is replaced with  $v_{i_b}$  in ChaO-1 instead of the zero vector  $0^{2m}$ . In the same way as the evaluation of  $|\Pr[\mathsf{Game}_3 = 1] - \Pr[\mathsf{Game}_2 = 1]|$ , we have

$$|\Pr[\mathsf{Game}_5 = 1] - \Pr[\mathsf{Game}_4 = 1]| \le \epsilon_{\mathsf{ABE}}.\tag{11}$$

 $Game_6$  This game proceeds in the same way as  $Game_5$  except that the abort condition at Line 4 is removed from OpenO. In the same way as the evaluation of  $|\Pr[Game_2 = 1] - \Pr[Game_1 = 1]|$ , we have

$$\left|\Pr[\mathsf{Game}_6 = 1] - \Pr[\mathsf{Game}_5 = 1]\right| \le \Pr[\mathsf{C}]. \tag{12}$$

 $Game_7$  This game proceeds in the same way as  $Game_6$  except that the simulated random oracle  $Sim_H$  and the simulated prover  $Sim_P$  are replaced with the ordinary random oracle H and the prover algorithm P. In the same way as the evaluation of  $Pr[Game_1 = 1] - Pr[Game_0 = 1]$ , we have

$$\left|\Pr[\mathsf{Game}_7 = 1] - \Pr[\mathsf{Game}_6 = 1]\right| \le \epsilon_{\mathsf{zk}}.\tag{13}$$

Observe that the procedure of  $\mathsf{Game}_7$  is identical to that of  $\mathsf{Exp}^{\mathrm{anom-1}}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathrm{lat}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}$ . This implies that

$$\Pr[\mathsf{Game}_7 = 1] = \Pr[\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathrm{anom-1}}(\lambda) = 1].$$
(14)

Putting these together Eqs. (6)-(14), we have

$$\epsilon_{\text{anom}} = \left| \Pr\left[\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}}^{\text{anom-0}}(\lambda) = 1\right] - \Pr\left[\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}}^{\text{anom-1}}(\lambda) = 1\right] \right| \le 2\epsilon_{\mathsf{ABE}} + 2\epsilon_{\mathsf{zk}} + 2\Pr[\mathsf{C}].$$
(15)

**Evaluation of Probability of C** We remain in the evaluation of the probability of C. This is done by constructing an adversary  $\mathcal{B}_{ss}$  for the simulation soundness of NIZK with the black-box access to an adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  violating Game<sub>3</sub>. It should be noted that the event C is defined in Game<sub>2</sub> rather than Game<sub>3</sub>. As shown above, the difference between Game<sub>3</sub> and Game<sub>2</sub> has been evaluated by connecting IND-CPA of ABE. Therefore, we here construct a reduction algorithm  $\mathcal{B}_{ss}$  breaking the simulation soundness of NIZK by the black-box access to the adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  violating Game<sub>3</sub>.  $\mathcal{B}_{ss}^{Sim_{H},OP}$  runs in the following way:

- (SS1)  $\mathcal{B}_{ss}$  runs Game<sub>3</sub> with the adversary  $\mathcal{A}(\mathsf{gpk},\mathsf{ik})$  violating Game<sub>3</sub>.
- (SS2)  $\mathcal{B}_{ss}$  returns the tuple  $((\mathsf{pk}_{\mathcal{I}}, \boldsymbol{B}, \boldsymbol{C}_{Y}, \boldsymbol{F}, \boldsymbol{U}, (Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\zeta_{i}})), (Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\zeta_{i}}, \mu), \pi_{E})$  for  $(\mathsf{pk}_{\mathcal{I}}, \boldsymbol{B}, \boldsymbol{C}_{Y}, \boldsymbol{F}, \boldsymbol{U})$  contained in the group public key gpk and the query  $(\mu, Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\zeta_{i}}, \pi_{E})$  given to OpenO as the final output if C happens.

When C happens, the query  $(j, \mu, (Y, (cp_{\zeta_i}, \pi_E)))$  satisfies the following conditions:

- (1)  $(\mu, (Y, (\mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i}, \pi_E))) \notin MS$
- (2)  $\operatorname{ok}[j] \neq \bot$
- (3)  $\mathsf{GVf}(\mathsf{gpk}, \mu, (Y, (\mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i}, \pi_E))) = 1$
- (4)  $(Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}}) \in C.$

In particular, the condition (3) implies that  $V((\mathsf{pk}_{\mathcal{I}}, \boldsymbol{B}, \boldsymbol{C}_{Y}, \boldsymbol{F}, \boldsymbol{U}), (Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}_{i}}, \mu), \pi_{E}) = 1$ . On the other hand, the condition (1) implies that  $\pi_{E}$  is not given from  $\mathsf{Sim}_{P}$ . Moreover, the condition (4) implies that  $(Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}})$  is the ciphertext issued in  $\mathsf{ChaO-b}$ . This means that  $(Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}})$  is the ciphertext of the zero vector  $0^{2m}$ . It follows from the form of the instance described in Fig. 6 that  $(\mathsf{pk}_{\mathcal{I}}, \boldsymbol{B}, \boldsymbol{C}_{Y}, \boldsymbol{F}, \boldsymbol{U}) \notin L_{\mathsf{NIZK}}$ . Therefore,  $\pi_{E}$  can be a forged proof for the simulation soundness of NIZK. Combining the success probability for the forged proof with the above note, it holds that

$$\Pr[\mathsf{C}] \le \epsilon_{\mathsf{ABE}} + \epsilon_{\mathsf{ss}}.\tag{16}$$

By Eqs. (15) and (16), we have

$$\epsilon_{\mathrm{anom}} = \left| \Pr \left[ \mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathrm{anom}-0}(\lambda) = 1 \right] - \Pr \left[ \mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathrm{anom}-1}(\lambda) = 1 \right] \right| \le 3\epsilon_{\mathsf{ABE}} + 2\epsilon_{\mathsf{zk}} + \epsilon_{\mathsf{ss}}.$$

It follows from Lemmas 4 and 2 that  $\epsilon_{\text{anom}}$  is evaluated as negligible under the LWE<sub>*n,q,\chi*</sub> assumption. Hence  $\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}}$  is anonymous under the LWE<sub>*n,q,\chi*</sub> assumption with the negligible function  $\epsilon_{\text{anom}}$ .  $\Box$ 

**Theorem 3** (Traceability). Under the  $SIS_{n,m,q,\beta}$  assumption,  $GSdT_{lat}$  is  $(T_{trac}, \epsilon_{trac})$ -traceable for a polynomial  $T_{trac}$  and a negligible function  $\epsilon_{trac}$ .

*Proof.* Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be an adversary violating the traceability of  $\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}}$ . Lemma 1 implies that DS is EUF-CMA under the  $\mathsf{SlS}_{n,m,q,\beta}$  assumption. Therefore, we show this theorem by constructing a reduction  $\mathcal{R}_{\mathsf{DS}}$  breaking EUF-CMA of DS by the block-box access to an adversary  $\mathcal{A}$  violating the traceability of  $\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}}$ . Given a public key  $\mathsf{pk}_{\mathsf{DS}}$  of DS to the EUF-CMA adversary  $\mathcal{R}_{\mathsf{DS}}$ ,

- (DS1)  $\mathcal{R}_{DS}$  generates omk and gpk in the same way as Fig. 5 except that  $pk_{\mathcal{I}} \leftarrow pk_{DS}$ .
- (DS2)  $\mathcal{R}_{DS}$  runs  $E_{xp_{GSdT_{iat},\mathcal{A},U}}$  with  $\mathcal{A}(gpk, omk)$ . Here, AddUO and StolO are simulated as in Fig. 10 by utilizing the oracle Osig for the EUF-CMA game of DS.
- (DS3)  $\mathcal{R}_{\mathsf{DS}}$  aborts if  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathrm{trac}}$  finally returns 0.
- (DS4) For the tuple  $(\mu, (Y, (\mathsf{cp}_{\zeta}, \pi_E)))$  finally returned by  $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{R}_{\mathsf{DS}}$  decrypts  $(Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\zeta})$  to  $\zeta$  and then finds  $\mathbf{upk}[i]$  and  $\mathbf{gsk}[i] = (z, cert)$  from  $\zeta$  and the oracle's states.
- (DS5)  $\mathcal{R}_{\mathsf{DS}}$  aborts if  $\mathsf{Vf}(\mathsf{pk}_{\mathcal{I}}, \boldsymbol{\zeta}, cert) \neq 1$ .
- (DS6)  $\mathcal{R}_{\text{DS}}$  returns ( $\boldsymbol{\zeta}, cert$ ).

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AddUO(i)

 $\begin{array}{l} \hline \mathbf{return} \perp \mathbf{if} \ i \in HU \cup CU \\ (\mathbf{upk}[i], \mathbf{usk}[i]) \leftarrow \$ \ \mathsf{UKG}(1^{\lambda}) \\ \boldsymbol{z}_i \leftarrow \$ \ D_{\mathbb{Z}^{4m},\sigma}; \quad \boldsymbol{v}_i \leftarrow \boldsymbol{F}\boldsymbol{z}_i; \quad \boldsymbol{\zeta}_i \leftarrow \mathsf{bin}(\boldsymbol{v}_i) \\ \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_i \leftarrow \$ \ \mathsf{Sig}(\mathbf{usk}[i], \boldsymbol{\zeta}_i) \\ \mathbf{abort} \ \mathbf{if} \ \forall \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{upk}[i], \boldsymbol{\zeta}_i, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_i) \neq 1 \\ \mathbf{abort} \ \mathbf{if} \ \exists (cert, i, upk, sig) \\ \mathbf{s.t.} \ (\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i, cert, i, upk, sig) \in \mathbf{reg} \\ cert_i \leftarrow \$ \ \mathsf{Osig}(\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i) \\ \mathbf{abort} \ \mathbf{if} \ \forall \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{pk}_{\mathcal{I}}, \boldsymbol{\zeta}_i, cert_i) \neq 1 \\ \mathbf{reg} \leftarrow \mathbf{reg} \cup \{(\boldsymbol{\zeta}_i, cert_i, i, \mathbf{upk}[i], \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_i)\} \\ \mathbf{gsk}[i] \leftarrow (\boldsymbol{z}_i, cert_i) \\ \mathbf{return} \ \mathbf{upk}[i] \\ HU \leftarrow HU \cup HU; \quad \mathbf{st}_{\mathsf{Join}} \leftarrow (\mathbf{gpk}, \mathbf{upk}[i], \mathbf{usk}[i]) \\ \end{array}$ 

 $\mathsf{StolO}(i, M_{in})$ 

 $\begin{aligned} \mathbf{return} \perp \mathbf{if} \ i \notin CU \\ (\boldsymbol{\zeta}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}) \leftarrow M_{in} \\ \mathbf{abort} \ \mathbf{if} \ \forall \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{upk}[i], \boldsymbol{\zeta}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}) \neq 1 \\ \mathbf{abort} \ \mathbf{if} \ \exists (cert, i, upk, sig) \\ \mathbf{s.t.} \ (\boldsymbol{\zeta}, cert, i, upk, sig) \in \mathbf{reg} \\ cert_i \leftarrow \$ \operatorname{Osig}(\boldsymbol{\zeta}) \\ \mathbf{abort} \ \mathbf{if} \ \forall \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{pk}_{\mathcal{I}}, \boldsymbol{\zeta}, cert_i) \neq 1 \\ \mathbf{reg} \leftarrow \mathbf{reg} \cup \{(\boldsymbol{\zeta}, cert_i, i, \mathbf{upk}[i], \boldsymbol{\Sigma})\} \\ \mathbf{return} \ M_{out} \leftarrow cert_i \end{aligned}$ 

Figure 10: Oracles Simulated by EUF-CMAAdversary  $\mathcal{R}_{\mathsf{DS}}^{\mathsf{Osig}}$  of  $\mathsf{DS}$ 

In a similar manner to Theorem 2, the difference of AddUO and StolO from the original experiment  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathsf{trac}}$  is that  $cert_i$  is generated via the oracle Osig. Osig can be used, because  $\mathcal{R}_{\mathsf{DS}}$  is now the EUF-CMA adversary. Therefore, the process (DS2) is equivalent to that of  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{int}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathsf{trac}}$ .

We now evaluate the abort probability at the process (DS5). The process (DS3) guarantees that  $\mathsf{GVf}(\mathsf{gpk}, \mu, (Y, (\mathsf{cp}_{\zeta}, \pi_E))) = 1$ . More specifically, the verifier V judges that  $\pi_E$  is a valid proof during Vf of  $\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}}$  in Fig. 5. Recall that  $\pi_E$  would prove that  $\mathsf{Vf}(\mathsf{pk}_{\mathcal{I}}, \zeta, cert) = 1$  as described in Fig. 6. This means that V judges that  $\pi_E$  is valid even when  $\mathsf{Vf}(\mathsf{pk}_{\mathcal{I}}, \zeta, cert) \neq 1$  if the abort happens. It follows from the soundness of NIZK explained in Lemma 2 that the abort probability is bounded by  $\epsilon_s$ .

Since Open returns 0 to win the tracing game, it would follow that  $\boldsymbol{\zeta}$  is not queried to the signing oracle. Therefore,  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{DS},\mathcal{R}_{\mathsf{DS}}}^{\mathrm{EUF-CMA}}$  returns 1 by the pair  $(\boldsymbol{\zeta}, cert)$  if  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathrm{trac}}$  returns 1. More precisely, we have

$$\epsilon_{
m trac} \leq \epsilon_{
m DS} + \epsilon_s$$

It follows from Lemmas 1 and 2 that  $\epsilon_{\text{trac}}$  can be evaluated as negligible under the  $SIS_{n,m,q,\beta}$  assumption. Thus,  $GSdT_{\text{lat}}$  is traceable under the  $SIS_{n,m,q,\beta}$  assumption with the negligible function  $\epsilon_{\text{trac}}$ .

**Theorem 4** (Non-frameability). Under the  $SIS_{4n,4m,q,4\sigma\sqrt{m}}$  assumption,  $GSdT_{lat}$  is  $(T_{nf}, \epsilon_{nf})$ -non-frameable in the random oracle model for a polynomial  $T_{nf}$  and a negligible function  $\epsilon_{nf}$ .

*Proof.* Let  $\mathcal{A}$  be an adversary violating the non-frameability of  $\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}}$ . We show this theorem by utilizing the weak simulation extractability of NIZK shown in Lemma 2. We first change the original experiment  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathrm{nf}}$  for the non-frameability in the random oracle model into the new experiment  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathsf{Sim-nf}}$  in a sense that the random oracle H and the prover algorithm P appeared in  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathrm{nf}}$  are replaced with the simulated ones  $\mathsf{Sim}_P$  and  $\mathsf{Sim}_H$  in the same way as the game change from  $\mathsf{Game}_0$  to  $\mathsf{Game}_1$  in Theorem 2. Therefore, the difference can be evaluated as

$$\left|\Pr\left[\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathrm{nf}}(\lambda)=1\right]-\Pr\left[\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathsf{Sim-nf}}(\lambda)=1\right]\right| \leq \epsilon_{\mathsf{zk}}.$$
(17)

To apply the weak simulation extractability of NIZK to  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathsf{Sim-nf}}$ , we construct an algorithm  $\mathcal{B}_{\mathsf{nf}}$  in the following way: On a given matrix  $F \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_q^{4n \times 4m}$ ,

- (NF1)  $\mathcal{B}_{nf}$  runs  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathsf{Sim-nf}}$  with  $\mathcal{A}(\mathsf{gpk},\mathsf{ik},\mathsf{omk})$ , where F of  $\mathsf{gpk}$  is replaced with the given one.
- (NF2) When  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathsf{Sim-nf}}$  returns 1 with the final output  $(\mu, (Y, (\mathsf{cp}_{\zeta}, \pi_E)), i, \tau)$  of  $\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}_{\mathsf{nf}}$  retrieves the instance  $\mathsf{it}_E = (\mathsf{pk}_{\mathcal{I}}, \mathcal{B}, \mathcal{C}_Y, \mathcal{F}, \mathcal{U}, (Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\zeta}))$  of  $\pi_E$  from  $\mathsf{gpk}$  and the signature  $(Y, (\mathsf{cp}_{\zeta}, \pi_E))$  generated during  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathsf{Sim-nf}}$ . Note that  $\mathcal{C}_Y$  can be retrieved by  $\mathcal{C}_Y = \mathcal{C}H_{\eta \to Y}$  for  $\mathcal{C}$  in  $\mathsf{gpk}$  and  $H_{\eta \to Y} \leftarrow \mathsf{EvalF}(\mathcal{U}_{\eta \to Y}, \mathcal{C})$ . Then,  $\mathcal{B}_{\mathsf{nf}}$  returns  $(\mathsf{it}_E, (Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\zeta}, \mu), \pi_E)$ .

When  $\mathsf{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}^{\mathsf{Sim-nf}}$  returns 1, we have  $\mathsf{GVf}(\mathsf{gpk},\mu,(Y,(\mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}},\pi_E))) = 1$ , namely  $V(\mathsf{it}_E,(Y,\mathsf{cp}_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}},\mu),\pi_E) = 1$ . Therefore, the probability *acc* by  $\mathcal{B}_{\mathrm{nf}}$  for the weak simulation extractability of NIZK is evaluated as

$$acc = \Pr\Big[\mathsf{Exp}^{\mathsf{Sim-nf}}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}(\lambda) = 1\Big].$$
(18)

It follows from Lemma 2 and the definition of the weak simulation extractability that there exist an extraction algorithm  $Ext = (Ext_1, Ext_2)$ , a constant d and a polynomial p such that

$$ext \ge \frac{1}{p}(acc - \nu_{\mathsf{Ext}})^d.$$
<sup>(19)</sup>

The definition of *ext* implies that Ext can extract a witness  $\mathsf{wt}_E = ((\hat{z}, \hat{\zeta}), \hat{cert}, (\hat{t}, \hat{e}_0, \hat{e}_1, \hat{e}_2))$  of the instance  $\mathsf{it}_E$  with the probability *ext*.

Utilizing Ext, we now construct an algorithm  $\mathcal{R}_{SIS}$  solving the SIS problem. On a given matrix  $F \leftarrow \mathbb{Z}_q^{4n \times 4m}$ ,

(SE1)  $\mathcal{R}_{SIS}$  runs  $(st, it_E, (Y, cp_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}}, \mu), \pi_E) \leftarrow \mathsf{SExt}_1(\boldsymbol{F})$  with the adversary  $\mathcal{B}_{nf}^{Sim_H, Sim_P}(\boldsymbol{F})$  defined above. Here we let  $(\mu, (Y, (cp_{\boldsymbol{\zeta}}, \pi_E)), i, \tau)$  with  $\tau \leftarrow (cert, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_i, \boldsymbol{\zeta}_i, \tau_D, \boldsymbol{C}_{X,\rho}, \hat{\boldsymbol{H}}_{s_Y \to \neq \rho'}, \overline{\boldsymbol{u}}_1, \boldsymbol{r})$  be the final output of  $\mathcal{A}$  during running  $\mathcal{B}_{nf}$ .

(SE2)  $\mathcal{R}_{SIS}$  also runs wt<sub>E</sub> =  $((\hat{z}, \hat{\zeta}), \hat{cert}, (\hat{t}, \hat{e}_0, \hat{e}_1, \hat{e}_2)) \leftarrow \mathsf{Ext}_2(st, \mathsf{it}_E, (Y, \mathsf{cp}_{\zeta}, \mu), \pi_E).$ 

- (SE3)  $\mathcal{R}_{SIS}$  retrieves  $(z_i, cert_i) \leftarrow \mathbf{gsk}[i]$  and  $\zeta_i$  from  $\tau$  returned by  $\mathcal{A}$ .
- (SE4)  $\mathcal{R}_{SIS}$  aborts if  $\boldsymbol{z}_i = \hat{\boldsymbol{z}} \vee \boldsymbol{\zeta}_i \neq \hat{\boldsymbol{\zeta}}$ .
- (SE5)  $\mathcal{R}_{SIS}$  returns  $\boldsymbol{z}_i \hat{\boldsymbol{z}}$ .

We now evaluate the abort probability at the process (SE4). We first show that  $\zeta_i = \zeta$  always holds. It follows from  $(it_E, wt_E) \in R_{NIZK}$  that  $(Y, cp_{\zeta})$  contained in both the instance  $it_E$  and the label  $(Y, cp_{\zeta}, \pi_E)$  is a ciphertext of  $\hat{\zeta}$ . On the other hand, since  $\text{Exp}_{\text{GSdT}_{\text{Iat}}, \mathcal{A}, \mathbb{U}}^{\text{Sim-nf}}$  returns 1, Judge(gpk, *i*, upk[*i*],  $\mu$ ,  $(Y, (cp_{\zeta}, \pi_E)), \tau$ ) also returns 1. In particular, Judge has verify that  $\pi_D$  is a valid proof as in Fig. 5. More precisely, the valid proof  $\pi_D$  guarantees for the open identity vector  $\zeta_i$  is indeed the decryption of  $(Y, cp_{\zeta})$ . The correctness of ABE shown in Lemma 4 implies that  $\zeta_i = \hat{\zeta}$ .

We next show the probability of  $z_i \neq \hat{z}$ . Since  $\zeta_i = \hat{\zeta}$ , it holds that  $v = Fz_i = F\hat{z}$ , where  $\zeta_i = \hat{\zeta} = \operatorname{bin}(v)$ . On the other hand, we can observe that  $\mathcal{A}$  has no chance of knowing  $z_i$ . In fact, the only chance to know  $z_i$  is obtaining  $\operatorname{gsk}[i] = (z_i, \operatorname{cert})$  by making a query the index i to the user secret key oracle USKO. However, such a query leads that  $\operatorname{Exp}_{\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{Iat}},\mathcal{A},\mathbb{U}}(\lambda)$  returns 0. Therefore, the statistical witness indistinguishability of NIZK shown in Lemma 2 and the minentropy of  $z_i \leftarrow D_{\mathbb{Z}^{4m},\sigma}$  guarantee that  $z_i \neq \hat{z}$  with probability  $1 - \epsilon_{\mathsf{wi}}$  as discussed in [23, Section C.2]. Thus, the abort probability at (SE4) can be evaluated as  $\epsilon_{\mathsf{wi}}$ .

If  $\mathcal{R}_{SIS}$  does not abort at (SE4), it holds that  $F(z_i - \hat{z}) = \mathbf{0}$ . As mentioned in Section 2.1, for each  $z \in \{z_i, \hat{z}\}$ , we have  $||z|| \leq \sigma \sqrt{4m}$  with at least probability  $1 - 2^{\Omega(4m)}$ . This implies that  $||z_i - \hat{z}|| \leq 4\sigma \sqrt{m}$  with probability at least  $1 - 2^{\Omega(4m)+1}$ .

For the algorithm  $\mathcal{R}_{SIS}$ , we have

$$\Pr\left[\boldsymbol{F}(\boldsymbol{z}_{i}-\hat{\boldsymbol{z}})=\boldsymbol{0}\wedge\|\boldsymbol{z}_{i}-\hat{\boldsymbol{z}}\|\leq 4\sigma\sqrt{m}\right]\geq(1-\epsilon_{\mathsf{wi}})(1-2^{\Omega(4m)+1})ext=ext-\epsilon_{\mathsf{wi}}-2^{\Omega(4m)+1}.$$
 (20)

	[3]	[5]	GSdT <sub>lat</sub> [ours]
ik	$O(\lambda^2  \lambda ^3)$	_	$O(\lambda^2  \lambda ^3)$
omk	$\mathcal{O}\left(\lambda^2 \lambda ^3\right)$	_	$\mathcal{O}\left(\lambda^2  \lambda ^3\right)$
ok	$\xi + O(d\ell\lambda^3 \lambda ^4)$	$\mathcal{O}(N\lambda X )$	$\xi + O(d\lambda^2 \lambda ^3)$
gpk	$\mathcal{O}\left(\ell\lambda^3 \lambda ^3\right)$	$\mathcal{O}(N\lambda \mathbb{U} )$	$\mathcal{O}(\ell\lambda^2 \lambda ^2)$
usk	$\mathcal{O}\left(\lambda^2 \lambda ^3\right)$		$\mathcal{O}\left(\lambda^2 \lambda ^3\right)$
upk	$\mathcal{O}\left(\ell\lambda^3 \lambda ^3 ight)$	—	$\mathcal{O}(\ell\lambda^2 \lambda ^2)$
gsk	$\mathcal{O}(\ell\lambda^2 \lambda ^2)$	$\mathcal{O}(\lambda \mathbb{U} )$	$\mathcal{O}\left(\ell + \lambda  \lambda ^2\right)$
Σ	$\ell_Y + \mathcal{O}\Big((\ell\lambda \lambda  + d\iota)\lambda \lambda ^3\Big)$	$\mathcal{O}((\ell +  \ell_Y )\lambda)$	$\ell_Y + \mathcal{O}\left((\ell + d\iota)\lambda \lambda ^2\right)$
$ \tau $	$\mathcal{O}\left(d(\ell\lambda \lambda +\iota)\lambda^2 \lambda ^4\right)$	—	$\mathcal{O}\left(\ell + d\iota\lambda^2 \lambda ^4\right)$
id	$\int \mathcal{O}(\ell \lambda^2  \lambda ^2)$	$\mathcal{O}(\ell)$	$\mathcal{O}(\lambda \lambda )$
$ wt_E $	$\mathcal{O}\left((\ell\lambda \lambda +d\iota)\lambda \lambda ^2\right)$	$\mathcal{O}((\ell +  \ell_Y )\lambda)$	$\mathcal{O}((\ell + d\iota)\lambda \lambda ^2)$
$ wt_D $	$\mathcal{O}\left(d(\ell\lambda \lambda +\iota)\lambda^2 \lambda ^3\right)$	—	$\mathcal{O}\left(d\iota\lambda^2 \lambda ^3\right)$
Joining	1 round		1 round
	$+\mathcal{O}(\lambda^2 \lambda )T^{RM}+\mathcal{O}(\ell\lambda^3 \lambda ^2)T^{BM}$		$+\mathcal{O}(\lambda^2 \lambda )T^{RM}+\mathcal{O}(\lambda^2 \lambda )T^{BM}$
	$+2(T_{n,2m,q}^{ExtBasis}+T_{n,2m,q,\sigma}^{SamplePre})+T_{n,m,q}^{TrapGen}$		$+2(T_{n,2m,q}^{ExtBasis}+T_{n,2m,q,\sigma}^{SamplePre})$
GSig	$\mathcal{O}\left((\ell\lambda \lambda +d\iota)(\ell\lambda \lambda +\iota)\lambda^4 \lambda ^4\right)T^{RM}$	—	$\mathcal{O}\left((\ell + d\iota)(\ell + \iota \lambda )\lambda \lambda ^3\right)T^{RM}$
	$+\dot{\mathcal{O}}(\lambda^2 \lambda )T^{BM} + T^{KSim} + T^{EvalF}_{\mathcal{E},\mu}$	$\mathcal{O}(N^2\ell_V^2 + Mn)T^{sym}$	$+T^{KSim} + T^{EvalF}_{\mathcal{E}, \ell}$
	$+T_{n,2m,q}^{ExtBasis} + T_{n,2m,q,\sigma}^{SamplePre}$		• / ·
GVf			
	$\mathcal{O}\left((\ell\lambda \lambda +d\iota)(\ell\lambda \lambda +\iota)\lambda^4 \lambda ^4\right)T^{RM}$	$\mathcal{O}(N^2\ell_V^2 + Mn)T^{sym}$	$\mathcal{O}\left((\ell + d\iota)(\ell + \iota \lambda )\lambda^2 \lambda ^3\right)T^{RM}$
	$ \begin{array}{ } \mathcal{O}\Big((\ell\lambda \lambda +d\iota)(\ell\lambda \lambda +\iota)\lambda^4 \lambda ^4\Big)T^{RM} \\ +T^{EvalF}_{\mathcal{F}_{\iota}} \end{array} $	$\mathcal{O}\big(N^2\ell_Y^2 + Mn\big)T^{sym}$	$\mathcal{O}\left((\ell + d\iota)(\ell + \iota \lambda )\lambda^2 \lambda ^3\right)T^{RM} + T_{\mathcal{E}_{\iota}}^{EvalF}$
Open	$ \begin{array}{c} \mathcal{O}\Big((\ell\lambda \lambda +d\iota)(\ell\lambda \lambda +\iota)\lambda^4 \lambda ^4\Big)T^{RM} \\ +T^{EvalF}_{\xi,\iota} \\ \mathcal{O}\Big(d(\ell\lambda \lambda +\iota)^2\lambda^3 \lambda ^5\Big)T^{RM} \end{array} $	$\frac{\mathcal{O}(N^2 \ell_Y^2 + Mn) T^{sym}}{\mathcal{O}(N^2 \ell_Y^2 + Mn) T^{sym}}$	$ \begin{array}{c} \mathcal{O}\Big((\ell+d\iota)(\ell+\iota \lambda )\lambda^2 \lambda ^3\Big)T^{RM} \\ +T^{EvalF}_{\xi,\iota} \\ \mathcal{O}\Big((\ell+d\iota)(\ell+\iota \lambda )\lambda^3 \lambda ^4\Big)T^{RM} \end{array} $
Open	$ \begin{array}{c} \mathcal{O}\Big((\ell\lambda \lambda +d\iota)(\ell\lambda \lambda +\iota)\lambda^4 \lambda ^4\Big)T^{RM} \\ +T^{EvalF}_{\xi,\iota} \\ \mathcal{O}\Big(d(\ell\lambda \lambda +\iota)^2\lambda^3 \lambda ^5\Big)T^{RM} \\ +2T^{EvalF}_{\xi,\lambda} + T^{EvalF}_{\xi,\lambda} + T^{EvalFx}_{\xi,\lambda} + T^{EvalFx}_{\lambda,1} \end{array} $	$\frac{\mathcal{O}(N^2 \ell_Y^2 + Mn)T^{sym}}{\mathcal{O}(N^2 \ell_Y^2 + Mn)T^{sym}}$	$ \begin{array}{l} \mathcal{O}\Big((\ell+d\iota)(\ell+\iota \lambda )\lambda^2 \lambda ^3\Big)T^{RM} \\ +T^{EvalF}_{\xi,\iota} \\ \mathcal{O}\Big((\ell+d\iota)(\ell+\iota \lambda )\lambda^3 \lambda ^4\Big)T^{RM} \\ +2T^{EvalF}_{\xi,\iota} + T^{EvalFx}_{\xi,\iota} + T^{EvalFx}_{\xi,\iota} + T^{EvalFx}_{\lambda,1} \end{array} $
Open Judge	$ \begin{array}{c} \mathcal{O}\Big((\ell\lambda \lambda +d\iota)(\ell\lambda \lambda +\iota)\lambda^4 \lambda ^4\Big)T^{RM} \\ +T^{EvalF}_{\xi,\iota} \\ \mathcal{O}\Big(d(\ell\lambda \lambda +\iota)^2\lambda^3 \lambda ^5\Big)T^{RM} \\ +2T^{EvalF}_{\xi,\iota}+T^{EvalF}_{\xi,\lambda}+T^{EvalF}_{\iota,\lambda}+T^{EvalF}_{\lambda,1} \\ \mathcal{O}\Big(d(\ell\lambda \lambda +\iota)^2\lambda^3 \lambda ^5\Big)T^{RM} \end{array} $	$\frac{\mathcal{O}(N^2 \ell_Y^2 + Mn)T^{sym}}{\mathcal{O}(N^2 \ell_Y^2 + Mn)T^{sym}}$	$ \begin{array}{l} \mathcal{O}\Big((\ell+d\iota)(\ell+\iota \lambda )\lambda^2 \lambda ^3\Big)T^{RM} \\ +T^{EvalF}_{\xi,\iota} \\ \mathcal{O}\Big((\ell+d\iota)(\ell+\iota \lambda )\lambda^3 \lambda ^4\Big)T^{RM} \\ +2T^{EvalF}_{\xi,\iota} + T^{EvalF}_{\xi,\lambda} + T^{EvalFx}_{\iota,\lambda} + T^{EvalFx}_{\lambda,1} \\ \mathcal{O}\Big((\ell+d\iota)(\ell+\iota \lambda )\lambda^3 \lambda ^4\Big)T^{RM} \end{array} $
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Table 2: Comparisons among our proposed GSdT  $GSdT_{lat}$ , naive construction by [3] and GSdT from symmetric-key primitives by [5]

Putting together with Eqs. (17)-(20), we have

$$\epsilon_{\rm nf} \leq \sqrt[d]{p(\epsilon_{\rm SIS} + \epsilon_{\rm wi} + 2^{\Omega(4m)+1})} + \epsilon_{\rm zk} + \nu_{\rm Ext}.$$

It follows from the  $SIS_{4m,4n,q,4\sigma\sqrt{m}}$  assumption and Lemma 2 that the left-hand side of the inequality is negligible, and hence  $\epsilon_{nf}$  is negligible. Thus,  $GSdT_{lat}$  is non-frameable under  $SIS_{4m,4n,q,4\sigma\sqrt{m}}$  assumption with the negligible function  $\epsilon_{nf}$ .

# 5 Comparison

We compare the efficiency of  $\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}}$  with the naive construction, which is yielded from the generic construction of a GSdT by [3], and the GSdT from symmetric-key primitives by [5]. The generic construction by [3] employs a signature scheme, a CP-ABE and a simulation-sound NIZK as building blocks. Thus we apply our sub-algorithms DS, ABE and NIZK into the generic construction for comparison. The results are summarized in Tab. 2, where  $\ell_Y$  denotes the length of the representation of the access policy Y,  $|\lambda| = \log \lambda$ ,  $|\ell_Y| = \log \ell_Y$ , |X| is the number of attributes involved in X,

 $|\mathbb{U}|$  is the number of attributes in the attribute universe, and  $(\mathsf{M},\mathsf{n})$  are the parameters related to the MPC-in-the-head paradigm (see [5] for the details). Note that several items of [5] are written as "—". This means that the corresponding items do not exist, since the construction model of [5] differs from ours. More specifically, they employed the static model [8], while we employ the (partially) dynamic model [9]. For computational efficiency for  $\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}}$  and [3], we only pick up the following notable computational costs because they are dominant in the overall computational costs.  $T^{\mathsf{RM}}$  is the time for the multiplication over  $\mathbb{Z}_q$ .  $T^{\mathsf{BM}}$  is the time for the multiplication of a bit and an element in  $\mathbb{Z}_q$ .  $T^{\mathsf{Alg}}_{\mathsf{par}}$  denotes the running time of an auxiliary algorithm Alg with parameters par for an input. Note that we also take into account  $T^{\mathsf{Alg}}_{\mathsf{par}}$  performed in the sub-algorithms DS, NIZK and ABE.  $T^{\mathsf{sym}}$  denotes the upper bound of the running times of the symmetric-key primitives involving the hashing, the commitment, the encryption, and the decryption.

We first discuss the comparison between  $\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}}$  and [3]. The sizes of a group public key  $\mathsf{gpk}$ , an opening key  $\mathsf{ok}$ , a group secret key  $\mathsf{gsk}$  and a signature  $\Sigma$  of ours are significantly shorter than those of [3] as in Tab. 2. The main reason is that an encrypted identity  $\zeta$  of ours during  $\mathsf{GSig}$  is remarkably shorter than that of [3]. Such an identity is denoted by id in Tab. 2. Recall that the encrypted identity  $\zeta$  of ours is just 2m length, namely a  $\mathcal{O}(\lambda|\lambda|)$  length string as shown in Subsect. 4.1.1. On the other hand, the encrypted tuple id of [3] consists of an index  $i \in [1, N]$ , a public key for DS and two signatures generated by DS, and hence  $|\mathsf{id}|$  of theirs is evaluated as  $\mathcal{O}(\ell\lambda^2|\lambda|^2)$  in Tab. 2. In a similar manner, the asymptotically computational times of the joining protocol,  $\mathsf{GSig}$ , Open and Judge are faster than those of the naive construction. Nevertheless, Open and Judge of both require the high-cost computations, namely the multiplication. It remains open whether or not a totally efficient lattice-based GSdT can be constructed.

We next discuss the efficiency of  $\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}}$  with [5]. For the time efficiency, all the algorithms of [5] seem faster than those of  $\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}}$ , because they only employ the symmetric key primitives. Although the size of the signature by  $\mathsf{GSdT}_{\mathsf{lat}}$  is longer than that by [5], the sizes of ok, gpk and gsk by ours are independent of the number for the attribute universe. In this sense, [5] requires one to restrict such a number to be polynomial size. Moreover, our proposed GSdT realizes not only that it has the anonymity stronger than [5] as mentioned in Section 1.1, but also in the partially dynamic model and supports the class of *t*-CNF as an access structure for the tracing function of openers, while [5] was merely realized in the static model and supports the class of all-and formulas.

# 6 Concluding Remarks

In this paper, we have introduced the first lattice-based GSdT scheme that has full anonymity. Although there exists a generic construction of GSdT from [2, 3], we take a different approach to the construction. The generic construction of [2, 3] is in the sign-then-encrypt-then-prove paradigm like the construction of the ordinary group signature [9], whereas we have employed the encrypt-then-prove paradigm, which leads to a simpler construction than the one by the generic construction. More concretely, we have employed the lattice-based CP-ABE by Tsabary [29] and the lattice-based GS by [22] (LLMNW GS) in our construction. Our result is not only the first lattice-based GSdT scheme but also gives a new technique for constructing a GSdT scheme.

We have also compared the asymptotical efficiency of our proposed scheme with the lattice-based construction, which is yielded by applying the generic construction [3] to the Tsabary CP-ABE and the pair of the signature and the NIZK which is the same as LLMNW GS, and the GSdT from symmetric-key primitives [5]. As a result, we can find that the sizes of a group public key, an opening key, a group secret key and a group signature of ours are significantly shorter than those of [3]. The computational times of joining, signing, opening and judging are asymptotically more efficient than theirs. On the other hand, comparing ours with [5], ours realizes a post-quantum construction not only which has the anonymity stronger than [9], but also in the (partially) dynamic model [9] as the original syntax by [3] for the class of richer access structures. Moreover, the sizes of keys for ours are independent of the size of the attribute universe.

We finally explain open questions. The first one is constructing lattice-based GSdT with richer access structures. Recall that access structures supported in our GSdT are only conjunctive normal

forms whose clauses have t bits of input (t-CNF). Therefore, richer access structures enable us to more flexibly designate openers during the group signing process. The second one is enhancing the efficiency of opening and judging. As in Table 2, opening and judging require many multiplications which are a high cost computation on lattices. Thus, reducing the number of multiplications on lattices is expected.

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