

Last Class

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1. 2-party basic model (deterministic)



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2. Randomized CC: Public vs Private coin model

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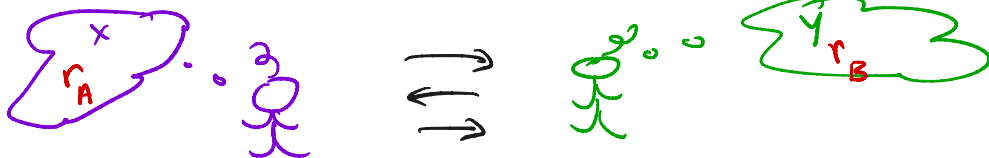
P^{cc}

class of all
functions

$$f: \{0,1\}^n \times \{0,1\}^n \rightarrow \{0,1\}$$

$$\text{st } P^{cc}(f) = (log n)^{O(1)}$$

Randomized CC
(Private Coin Model)



BPP^{CC}

Π computes f with error ϵ if: $\forall (x, y) \quad |x| = |y| = n$
 $\Pr_{r_A, r_B} [\Pi(x, r_A; y, r_B) = f(x, y)] \geq 1 - \epsilon$

$$BPP_{\epsilon}^{CC}(f) = \min_{\Pi \text{ for } f} \max_{(x, y)} \left[\# \text{bits sent on } (x, y) \right]$$

RP^{CC}

Π computes f with 1-sided error ϵ if $\forall (x, y)$

$$f(x, y) = 0 \Rightarrow \Pr_{r_A, r_B} [\Pi(x, r_A; y, r_B) = f(x, y)] = 1$$

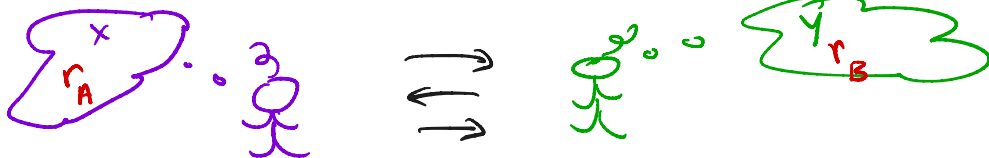
$$f(x, y) = 1 \Rightarrow \Pr_{r_A, r_B} [\Pi(x, r_A; y, r_B) = f(x, y)] \geq 1 - \epsilon$$

ZPP^{CC}

error $\epsilon = 0$.

$$ZPP^{CC}(f) = \min_{\Pi \text{ for } f} \max_{(x, y)} \mathbb{E}_{r_A, r_B} \left[\# \text{bits sent on } (x, y) \right]$$

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RP^{CC}

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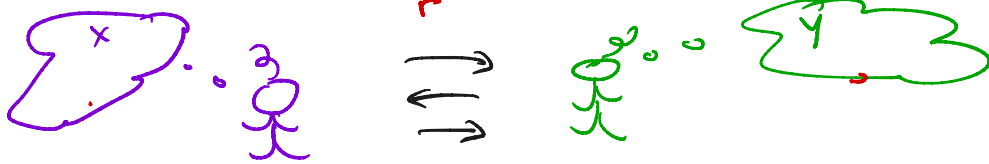
$$f(x, y) = 0 \Rightarrow \Pr_{r_A, r_B} [\Pi(x, r_A; y, r_B) = f(x, y)] \geq 1 - \epsilon$$

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Randomized CC
(Public Coin Model)



BPP^{CC}

Π computes f with error ϵ if: $\forall (x, y) \quad |x|=|y|=n$
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RP^{CC}

Π computes f with 1-sided error ϵ if $\forall (x, y)$

$$f(x, y) = 1 \Rightarrow \Pr_r [\Pi(x, y, r) = f(x, y)] = 1$$

$$f(x, y) = 0 \Rightarrow \Pr_r [\Pi(x, y, r) = f(x, y)] \geq 1 - \epsilon$$

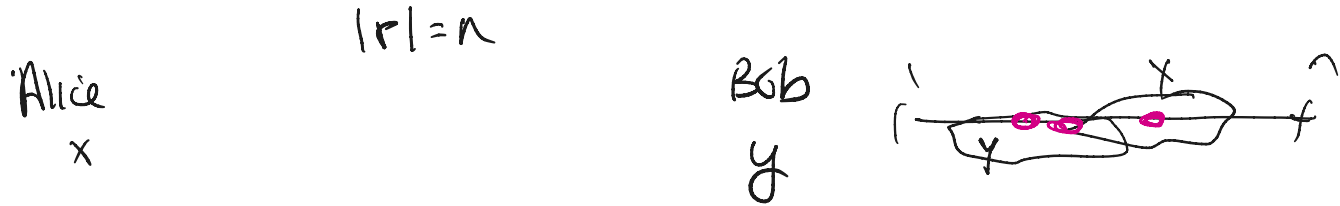
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So EQ is maximally hard for det. protocols

But easy for randomized RP^{cc} protocols (public coin)



view r as a subset of $[n]$.

Alice computes $\sum_{i=1}^n r_i x_i \pmod 2 = b_A$ send to bob.

Bob " $\sum_{i=1}^n r_i y_i \pmod 2 = b_B$

Bob ~~is~~ announces answer $b_A \oplus_2 b_B$

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Nondeterministic CC shared random string r

Π computes f on $\langle x, y \rangle$, $|x|=|y|=n$, nondeterministically if

$$f(x, y) = 1 \Rightarrow \exists r \quad \Pi(x, y, r) = 1$$

$$f(x, y) = 0 \Rightarrow \forall r \quad \Pi(x, y, r) = 0$$

Comm complexity of Π : $\max_{(x, y), r} [\text{\# bits sent on } (x, y) + |r|]$

$$NP^{\text{cc}}(f) = \min_{\Pi \text{ nondet protocol for } f} \max_{(x, y), r} [\text{\# bits sent on } (x, y) + |r|]$$

Important for easy for NP^{cc} , hard ^{for} P^{cc} for BPP^{cc}

$$\text{is } \text{DIST}(x, y) = 1 \text{ iff } \exists i \quad x_i = y_i = 1$$

View r as word $i \in \{0, 1\}^n$ $|r| = \log_2 n$

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$$\bullet IP(x,y) \stackrel{d}{=} \sum x_i y_i \pmod{2}$$

DISJ easy nondet

IP hard
clique/coclique easy

Clique/Codisjunct function

Fixed graph g on n vertices

Alice: given $x \subseteq [n]$ s.t. g has a clique on x

Bob: given $y \subseteq [n]$ s.t. g has indep
set on y

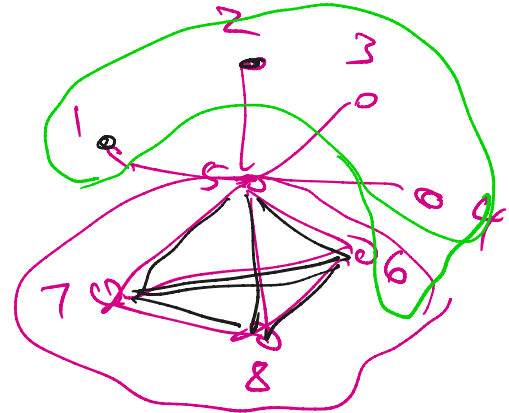
ex $x = 00001111$

$y = 11110100$

output 1 iff $x \cap y$

$g \setminus x$ is a clique

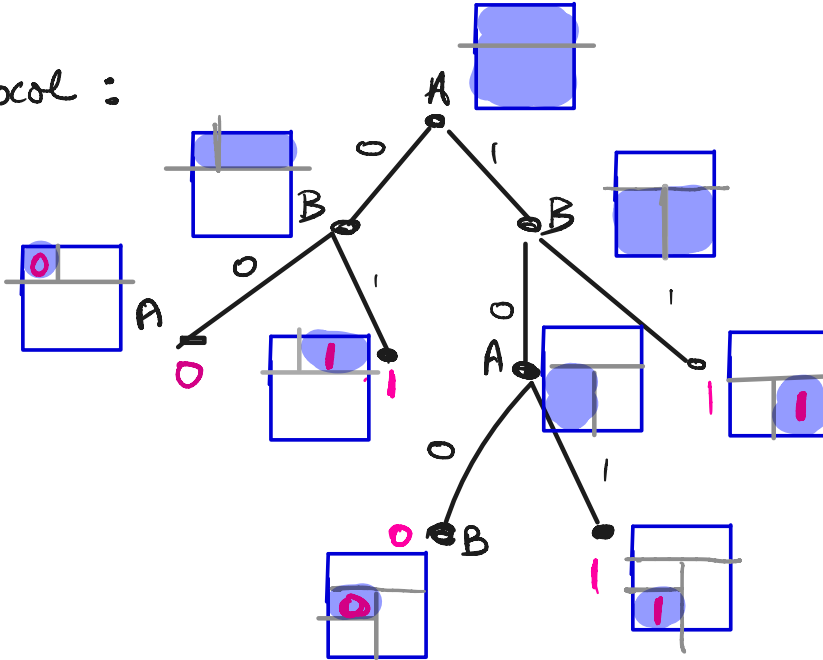
$n=8$



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f , $M_f =$ cc matrix for f

pcc protocol:



TODAY

✓ (1) Protocols can be balanced

✓ (2) Error ϵ can be amplified with little cost

✓ (3) Can assume $|r|$ is $O(\log n)$ for randomized protocols] Newman's Thm
 \therefore Public coin + private coin randomized comm.
nearly the same

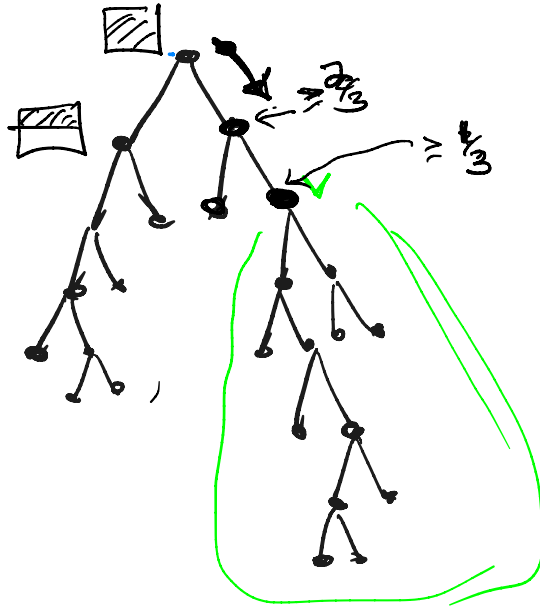
(4) $P^{cc}(f) \leq NP^{cc}(f) \cdot \text{COMP}^{cc}(f)$ [Yannakakis] postpone

(5) Log Rank conjecture (time permitting)]

BALANCING PROTOCOLS

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given Π , with l leaves:

1. Players (no communication) find $\frac{1}{3}-\frac{2}{3}$ vertex v
2. Alice sends one bit - 1 iff $x \in R_v$
Bob " " " - 1 iff $y \in R_v$
3. If Alice + Bob both send 1 then recurse on T_v
or delete T_v from T + recurse on $T - T_v$

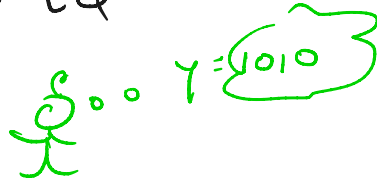
at each round #leaves in current tree shrinks by at least $\frac{2}{3}$ factor
so #bits $\leq 2 \cdot \log_{\frac{2}{3}} l = O(\log l)$

Newman's Theorem & Application to Public/Private Randomness

Warmup: Public Coin protocol for EQ



$r = 0111$



Alice: computes $a = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \cdot r_i \pmod{2}$ + sends a to Bob

Bob: computes $b = \sum_{i=1}^n y_i \cdot r_i \pmod{2}$

Output 1 iff $a = b \pmod{2}$

Claim ① If $x = y$ protocol always outputs correct answer

② If $x \neq y$ with prob $\frac{1}{2}$ $\mathbb{P}(x, y, r) = 1$ (is incorrect)

repeat c times: error on 0-inputs is $\frac{1}{2^c}$
error on 1-inputs is 0

Lemma (Newman)

Let Π be a ~~public~~ coin protocol for f with error ϵ .

$\forall \delta > 0$ there is another protocol Π' such that:

- ① cc of $\Pi = cc$ of Π'
- ② error of Π' is $\leq \epsilon + \delta$
- ③ Π' uses $O(\log n + \log \frac{1}{\delta})$ random bits

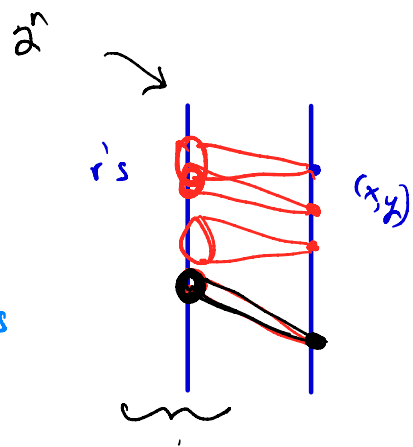
Given the above Lemma, we can convert a public coin protocol Π for f (error ϵ) to a private coin protocol for f (error $\epsilon + \delta$), with cost = $cc(\Pi) + \underbrace{O(\log n + \log \frac{1}{\delta})}_K$.

To simulate public coin protocol by private coin one
Alice sends ~~the~~ to 1st K bits of r_A to Bob. Then they both use this as public random string

Proof of Lemma ($|x|=|y|=n$)

Idea: $\forall(x,y)$ only an ϵ fraction of r 's are bad

so there exists a small number of r 's
s.t. $\forall(x,y)$ Π makes $< \epsilon + \delta$ mistakes
on these r 's



$$\text{Let } Z(x,y,r) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \Pi(x,y,r) \neq f(x,y) \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\forall x,y \quad \mathbb{E}_r [Z(x,y,r)] \leq \epsilon \quad \text{since } \Pi \text{ has error } \epsilon$$

Let r_1, \dots, r_t be random strings, $t = O(\frac{1}{\epsilon^2})$

Define $\Pi_{r_1, \dots, r_t}(x,y)$: Alice & Bob choose $i \in [t]$ at random
and run $\Pi(x,y,r_i)$

$$\text{Claim } \exists r_1, \dots, r_t \text{ st } \mathbb{E}_i [Z(x,y,r_i)] \leq \epsilon + \delta \quad \forall x,y \quad]$$

For this choice of r_1, \dots, r_t , $\Pi_{r_1, \dots, r_t}(x,y)$ will be Π'

Let $R = \{r_1, \dots, r_t\}$ of
good r 's

Π' : $|R| = \log t$
pick random $r_i \in R$
run $\Pi(x,y,r_i)$

Proof of Lemma, cont'd

Chernoff Bound: X_1, \dots, X_N i.i.d rv's in $\{0, 1\}$, $\varepsilon = \mathbb{E}[X_i]$, $\delta > 0$
Then $\Pr\left[\frac{1}{N} \sum X_i > \varepsilon + \delta\right] \leq 2 \cdot e^{-2\delta^2 N}$

Fix (x, y) . Pick r_1, \dots, r_t at random

$$\Pr_{r_1, \dots, r_t} \left[\mathbb{E}_i [Z(x, y, r_i)] > \varepsilon + \delta \right] = \Pr_{r_1, \dots, r_t} \left[\frac{1}{t} \sum_{i=1}^t Z(x, y, r_i) > \varepsilon + \delta \right]$$

- By Chernoff: $\Pr_{r_1, \dots, r_t} \left[\frac{1}{t} \sum_{i=1}^t Z(x, y, r_i) > \varepsilon + \delta \right] \leq 2e^{-2\delta^2 t} < 2^{-2t}$ (for $t = O(\frac{1}{\delta^2})$)
- By union Bd, $\exists r_1, \dots, r_t$ s.t. $\forall (x, y)$ the error of $\Pi_{r_1, \dots, r_t}(x, y)$ is $\leq \varepsilon + \delta$

Proof of Lemma, cont'd

Idea: $\forall (x, y)$ an ϵ -fraction of r 's are bad

Fix r_1, \dots, r_t, x, y

$$\bullet E_i [Z(x, y, r_i)] = \frac{1}{t} \sum_{i=1}^t Z(x, y, r_i)$$

So $\Pr [E_i(z, y, r_i)] > \epsilon + \delta$ equals the prob. that

$$\frac{1}{t} \sum_{i=1}^t Z(x, y, r_i) > \epsilon + \delta$$

$$\bullet \text{By Chernoff: } \Pr_{r_1, \dots, r_t} \left[\frac{1}{t} \sum_{i=1}^t Z(x, y, r_i) - \epsilon > \delta \right] \leq 2e^{-2\delta^2 t} < 2^{-2n} \quad (\text{for } t = O(\frac{n}{\delta^2}))$$

By union Bd, $\exists r_1, \dots, r_t$ s.t. $\forall (x, y)$ the error of $\Pi_{r_1, \dots, r_t}(x, y)$ is $\leq \epsilon + \delta$

bits used by Π : $\log t \approx \log \left(\frac{n}{\delta^2} \right) = O(\log n + \log \frac{1}{\delta})$



Log Rank Lower Bounds Det. CC

Lemma $\forall f$ $P^{CC}(f) \geq \log_2 \text{rank}(M_f)$ rank is over reals

Pf Let L_1 be the leaves of Π that output 1. (L = all leaves)
For each $l \in L_1$, we have associated 1-mono subrectangle M_l

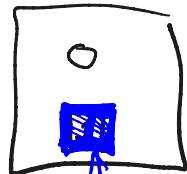
$$M_f = \sum_{l \in L_1} M_l$$

since Rank is subadditive

$$\underbrace{\text{Rank}(M_f)} \leq \sum_{l \in L_1} \text{Rank}(M_l) = \underbrace{|L_1|} \leq \underbrace{|L|}$$

$$\therefore \log \text{rank}(M_f) \leq P^{CC}(f)$$

M_f



say this
1-mono subrect
assoc with
leaf $l \in L_1$

LOG RANK CONJECTURE

States that the converse holds

$$\text{LRC: } \forall f \quad \underbrace{P^{\text{cc}}(f)} = (\log^{\text{OCC}}) \text{rank}(M_f)$$

Best known!

$$P^{\text{cc}}(f) \leq \underbrace{\sqrt{\text{rank}(f)}} \underbrace{(\log \text{rk}(f))}$$

Lovett

$$\exists f \quad P^{\text{cc}}(f) \geq \log^{3/2} \text{rk}(f)$$