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A Review on Privacy-Preserving Multi-Keyword Ranked Search over Encrypted Cloud Data

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ABSTRACT: With the advent of cloud computing, data owners are motivated to outsource their complex data management systems from local sites to the commercial public cloud for great flexibility and economic savings. But for protecting data privacy, sensitive data have to be encrypted before outsourcing, which obsoletes traditional data utilization based on plaintext keyword search. Thus, enabling an encrypted cloud data search service is of paramount importance. Considering the large number of data users and documents in the cloud, it is necessary to allow multiple keywords in the search request and return documents in the order of their relevance to these keywords. Related works on searchable encryption focus on single keyword search or Boolean keyword search, and rarely sort the search results. In this paper, for the first time, we define and solve the challenging problem of privacy-preserving multi-keyword ranked search over encrypted data in cloud computing (MRSE). We establish a set of strict privacy requirements for such a secure cloud data utilization system. Among various multi-keyword semantics, we choose the efficient similarity measure of “coordinate matching,” i.e., as many matches as possible, to capture the relevance of data documents to the search query. We further use “inner product similarity” to quantitatively evaluate such similarity measure. We first propose a basic idea for the MRSE based on secure inner product computation, and then give two significantly improved MRSE schemes to achieve various stringent requirements in two different threat models. To improve search experience of the data search service, we further extend these two schemes to support more search semantics. Thorough analysis investigating privacy and efficiency guarantees of proposed schemes is given. Experiments on the real-world data set further show proposed schemes indeed introduce low overhead on computation and communication.

KEYWORDS: sensitive data; multi-keyword ranked search; latent semantic

I. INTRODUCTION

Computing resources are shared by many users. The benefits of cloud can be extended from individual users to organizations. The data storage in cloud is one among them. The virtualization of hardware and software resources in cloud nullifies the financial investment for owning the data warehouse and its maintenance. Many cloud platforms like Google Drive, cloud; SkyDrive, Amazon S3, Dropbox and Microsoft Azure provide storage services. Security and privacy concerns have been the major challenges in cloud computing. The hardware and software security mechanisms like firewalls etc. have been used by cloud provider. These solutions are not sufficient to protect data in cloud from unauthorized users because of low degree of transparency. Since the cloud user and the cloud provider are in the different trusted domain, the outsourced data may be exposed to the vulnerabilities. Thus, before storing the valuable data in cloud, the data needs to be encrypted [2]. Data encryption assures the data confidentiality and integrity. To preserve the data privacy we need to design a searchable algorithm that works on encrypted data. Many researchers have been contributing to searching on encrypted data. The search techniques may be single keyword search or multi keyword search. In huge database the search may result in many documents to be matched with keywords. This causes difficulty for a cloud user to go through all documents and have most relevant documents. Search based on ranking is another solution, wherein the documents are ranked based on their relevancy to the keywords [3]. Economical

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searchable encryption techniques help the cloud users especially in pay-as-you use model. The researchers combined the rank of documents with multiple keyword searches to come up with efficient economically viable searchable encryption techniques. In searchable encryption related literature, computation time and computation overhead are the two most frequently used parameters by the researchers in the domain for analysing the performance of their schemes. Computation time (also called "running time") is the length of time required to perform a computational process for example searching a keyword, generating trapdoor etc. Computation overhead is related to CPU utilization in terms of resource allocation measured in time.

II. LITERATURE SURVEY

Dynamic Multi-Keyword Ranked Searchable Security Algorithm Using CRSA and B-Tree Prasanna B T#1, C B Akki*2 #Department of ISE, EPCET Associate Professor, Bengaluru, INDIA-560049 *Department of ISE, SJBIT Professor, Bengaluru, INDIA-560060

With the advantage of storage as a service many enterprises are moving their valuable data to the cloud, since it costs less, easily scalable and can be accessed from anywhere any time. The trust between cloud user and provider is paramount. We use security as a parameter to establish trust. Cryptography is one way of establishing trust. Searchable encryption is a cryptographic method to provide security. In literature many researchers have been working on developing efficient searchable encryption schemes. In this paper we explore some of the effective cryptographic techniques based on data structures like CRSA and B-Tree to enhance the level of security, hence trust. We tried to implement the search on encrypted data using Azure cloud platform.

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Cloud computing is generating lot of interest to provide solution for data outsourcing and high quality data services. More and more institution, organizations and corporations are exploring the possibility of having their applications, data and their IT assets in cloud. As the data and there by the cloud's size increases searching of the relevant data is expected to be a challenge. To overcome this challenge, search index is created to aid in faster search. However, search Index creation and computation has been complex and time consuming, leading to cloud-down time there by hindering the swiftness in reacting to data request for mission critical requirements. Focus of this paper is to explain how in the proposed system, reusability of search index is helping to reduce the complexity of search index computation. Search index is proposed to be created using parameters like similarity relevance, user ranking and scheme robustness. User ranking helps to guarantee why a phrase or a sentence or a key word is used frequently in the uploaded data. The proposed system ensures that the reusability of search index concept, highly reduces cloud down time while maintaining the security using searchable symmetric encryption (SSE). The user requested file is retrieved from the cloud, using Two-round searchable encryption (TRSE) scheme that supports top-k multi-keyword retrieval.

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Nowadays, more and more people are motivated to outsource their local data to public cloud servers for great convenience and reduced costs in data management. But in consideration of privacy issues, sensitive data should be encrypted before outsourcing, which obsoletes traditional data utilization like keyword-based document retrieval. In this paper, we present a secure and efficient multi-keyword ranked search scheme over encrypted data, which additionally supports dynamic update operations like deletion and insertion of documents. Specifically, we construct an index tree based on vector space model to provide multi-keyword search, which meanwhile supports flexible update operations. Besides, cosine similarity measure is utilized to support accurate ranking for search result. To improve search efficiency, we further propose a search algorithm based on "Greedy Depth-first Traverse Strategy". Moreover,

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to protect the search privacy, we propose a secure scheme to meet various privacy requirements in the known ciphertext threat model. Experiments on the real-word dataset show the effectiveness and efficiency of proposed scheme.

III. PROBLEM STATEMENT

We define and solve the challenging problem of privacy-preserving multi-keyword ranked search over encrypted data in cloud computing (MRSE). We establish a set of strict privacy requirements for such a secure cloud data utilization system. Among various multi-keyword semantics, we choose the efficient similarity measure of “coordinate matching,” i.e., as many matches as possible, to capture the relevance of data documents to the search query. We further use “inner product similarity” to quantitatively evaluate such similarity measure. As a special case of modification, the operation of deleting existing documents introduce less computation and communication cost since it only requires to update the document frequency of all the keywords contained by these documents

III. PURPOSE

1. For the first time, we define the problem of secure ranked keyword search over encrypted cloud data, and provide such an effective protocol, which fulfils the secure ranked search functionality with no relevance score information leakage against keyword privacy.
2. Thorough security analysis showed that our asymmetric based ranked searchable encryption scheme using CRSA and B-tree indeed enjoys “as-strong-as possible” security guarantee compared to previous searchable symmetric encryption (SSE) schemes.
3. Extensive experimental results demonstrate the effectiveness and efficiency of the proposed solution.

IV. SCOPE

- I. In this paper, a secure, efficient and dynamic search scheme is proposed, which supports not only the accurate multi-keyword ranked search but also the dynamic deletion and insertion of documents.
- II. We construct a special keyword balanced binary tree as the index, and propose a “Greedy Depth-first Search” algorithm to obtain better efficiency than linear search. In addition, the parallel search process can be carried out to further reduce the time cost. The security of the scheme is protected against two threat models by using the secure kNN algorithm.
- III. Experimental results demonstrate the efficiency of our proposed scheme. There are still many challenge problems in symmetric SE schemes.
- IV. In the proposed scheme, the data owner is responsible for generating updating information and sending them to the cloud server. Thus, the data owner needs to store the unencrypted index tree and the information that are necessary to recalculate the IDF values.
- V. Such an active data owner may not be very suitable for the cloud computing model. It could be a meaningful but difficult future work to design a dynamic searchable encryption scheme whose updating operation can be completed by cloud server only, meanwhile reserving the ability to support multi-keyword ranked search.

VI. OBJECTIVE

- I. We first propose a basic idea for the MRSE based on secure inner product computation, and then give two significantly improved MRSE schemes to achieve various stringent privacy requirements in two different threat models.
- II. To improve search experience of the data search service, we further extend these two schemes to support more search semantics. Thorough analysis investigating privacy and efficiency guarantees of proposed schemes is given.
- III. Experiments on the real-world data set further show proposed schemes indeed introduce low overhead on computation and communication.

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- IV. The proposed schemes indeed introduce low overhead on computation and communication.
- V. The proposed schemes introduce nearly constant overhead while increasing the number of query keywords.

Therefore, our schemes cannot be compromised by timing-based side channel attacks that try to differentiate certain queries based on their query time.

VI. EXISTING SYSTEM APPROACH

The existing techniques on keyword-based information retrieval, which are widely used on the plaintext data, cannot be directly applied on the encrypted data. Downloading all the data from the cloud and decrypt locally is obviously impractical. All these multi keyword search schemes retrieve search results based on the existence of keywords, which cannot provide acceptable result ranking functionality. However, sensitive data should be encrypted before outsourcing for privacy requirements, which obsoletes data utilization like keyword-based document retrieval.

VII. PROPOSED SYSTEM

A Secure and Dynamic Multi-keyword Ranked Search Scheme over Encrypted Cloud Data We construct a special tree-based index structure and propose a “Greedy Depth-first Search” algorithm to provide efficient multi-keyword ranked search. The proposed scheme can achieve sub-linear search time and deal with the deletion and insertion of documents flexibly. Extensive experiments are conducted to demonstrate the efficiency of the proposed scheme.

- I. Abundant works have been proposed under different threat models to achieve various search functionality,
- II. Recently, some dynamic schemes have been proposed to support inserting and deleting operations on document collection.
- III. This paper proposes a secure tree-based search scheme over the encrypted cloud data, which supports multi keyword ranked search and dynamic operation on the document collection.

VIII. PROPOSED SYSTEM ALGORITHMS

1. Algorithm to provide efficient multi-keyword ranked search .
2. The secure kNN algorithm is utilized to encrypt the index and query vectors.
3. Propose a “Greedy Depth-first Search” algorithm based on this index tree.
4. Algorithm achieves better-than-linear search efficiency but results in precision loss.
5. The LSH algorithm is suitable for similar search but cannot provide exact ranking.
6. $\{I's ; ci\} \leftarrow \text{GenUpdateInfo}(SK; Ts; i; \text{up type})$ This algorithm generates the update information $\{I's ; ci\}$ which will be sent to the cloud server.

IX. SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE

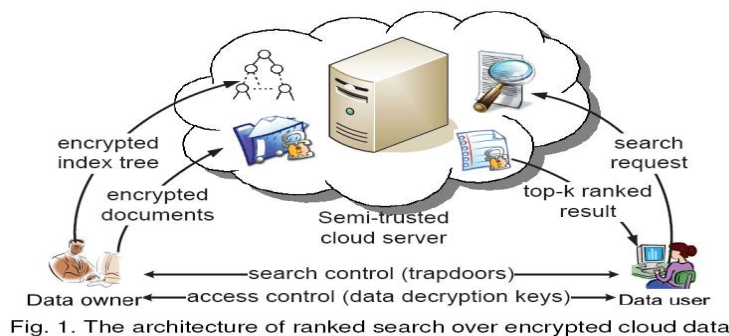


Fig. 1. The architecture of ranked search over encrypted cloud data

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EXPLANATION-

TREE-BASED INDEX WITH THE DOCUMENT COLLECTION

We construct a special keyword balanced binary tree as the index, and propose a “Greedy Depth-first Search” algorithm to obtain better efficiency than linear search.

MODULES

1. Data User Module
2. Data Owner Module
3. File Upload Module
 - Encryption
4. Rank Search Module
5. File Download Module
 - Decryption
6. View Uploaded and Downloaded File.

1. Data User Module

This module includes the user registration login details.

2. Data Owner Module

This module helps the owner to register their details and also include login details

3. File Upload Module

This module helps the owner to upload his file with encryption using RSA algorithm. This ensures the files to be protected from unauthorized user.

4. Rank Search Module

This module ensures the user to search the file that is searched frequently using rank search.

5. File Download Module

This module allows the user to download the file using his secret key to decrypt the downloaded data.

4. View Uploaded and Downloaded File

This module allows the Owner to view the uploaded files and downloaded files.

X. CONCLUSION

We define and solve the problem of multi-keyword ranked search over encrypted cloud data, and establish a variety of privacy requirements. Among various multi-keyword semantics, we choose the efficient similarity measure of “coordinate matching,” i.e., as many matches as possible, to effectively capture the relevance of outsourced documents to the query keywords, and use “inner product similarity” to quantitatively evaluate such similarity measure. For meeting the challenge of supporting multi keyword semantic without privacy breaches, we propose a basic idea of MRSE using secure inner product computation. Then, we give two improved MRSE schemes to achieve various stringent privacy requirements in two different threat models. We also investigate some further enhancements of our ranked search mechanism, including supporting more search semantics, i.e., TF_IDF, and dynamic data operations.

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Thorough analysis investigating privacy and efficiency guarantees of proposed schemes is given, and experiments on the real-world data set show our proposed schemes introduce low overhead on both computation and communication.

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