

# Putting up the swiss army knife of homomorphic calculations by means of TFHE functional bootstrapping

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**Abstract.** In this work, we first propose a new full domain functional bootstrapping method with TFHE for evaluating any function of domain and codomain the real torus  $\mathbb{T}$  by using a small number of bootstrappings. This result improves some aspects of previous approaches: like them, we allow for evaluating any functions, but with better precision. In addition, we develop efficient multiplication and addition over ciphertexts building on the digit-decomposition approach of [GBA21]. As a practical application, our results lead to an efficient implementation of ReLU, one of the most used activation functions in deep learning. The paper is concluded by extensive experimental results comparing each building block as well as their practical relevance and trade-offs.

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## 1 Introduction

Machine learning application to the analysis of private data, such as health or genomic data, has encouraged the use of homomorphic encryption for private inference or prediction with classification or regression algorithms where the ML models and/or their inputs are encrypted homomorphically [Xie+14; Cha+17; Cha+19; Bou+18; ZCS20b; ISZ19; ZS21]. Even training machine learning models with privacy guarantees on the training data has been investigated in the centralized [JA18; CKP19; Nan+19; Lou+20] and collaborative [Séb+21; Mad+21] settings. In practice, machine learning algorithms and especially neural networks require the computation of non-linear activation functions such as the sign, ReLU or sigmoid functions. Computing non-linear functions homomorphically remains challenging. For levelled homomorphic schemes such as BFV [Bra12; FV12] or CKKS [Che+17], non-linear functions have to be approximated by polynomials. However, the precision of this approximation differs with respect to the considered plaintext space (i.e., input range), approximation polynomial degree and its coefficients size, and has a direct impact on the multiplicative depth and parameters of the cryptosystem. The more precise is the approximation, the larger are the cryptosystem parameters and the slower is the computation. On the other hand, homomorphic encryption schemes having an efficient bootstrapping, such as TFHE [Chi+16; Chi+19] or FHEW [DM15], can be tweaked to encode functions via look-up table evaluations within their bootstrapping procedure. Hence, rather than being just used for refreshing ciphertexts (i.e., reducing their noise level), the bootstrapping becomes *functional* [BST19] or *programmable* [CJP21] by allowing the evaluation of arbitrary functions as a bonus. These capabilities results in promising new approaches for improving the overall performances of homomorphic calculations, making the FHE “API” better suited to the evaluation of mathematical operators which are difficult to express as low complexity arithmetic circuits. It is also important to note that FHE cryptosystems can be hybridized, for example BFV ciphertexts can be efficiently (and homomorphically) turned into TFHE ones [Bou+20; ZCS20a]. As such, the building blocks discussed in this paper are of relevance also in the setting where the desired encrypted-domain calculation can be split into a preprocessing step more efficiently

43 done using BFV (e.g. several dot product or distance computations) followed by a nonlinear  
 44 postprocessing step (such as an activation function or an argmin) which can then be more  
 45 conveniently performed by exploiting TFHE functional bootstrapping. In this work, we thus  
 46 systematize and further investigate the capabilities of TFHE functional bootstrapping.

47 **Contributions** – In this paper, we review, unify and extend the capabilities of TFHE func-  
 48 tional bootstrapping. We strive to present the main existing methods as well as new variants.  
 49 We compare their relative accuracy and performance as well as discuss their main pros and  
 50 cons. Indeed, on top of the extensions that we present, we aim for this paper to be a complete  
 51 reference for anyone looking to get a view of the state of functional bootstrapping. As such,  
 52 several methods for LUTs evaluation using functional bootstrapping are presented: the usual  
 53 method using one bit of padding (described clearly in [CJP21]), two methods coming from  
 54 recent papers that work without padding [KS21; Yan+21], one novel approach also working  
 55 without padding, and a method using digit decomposition of the inputs in order to get an  
 56 arbitrary large plaintext space (presented initially by Bourse et al., [BST19] and generalized  
 57 later by Guimarães et al. [GBA21]). The first method encodes the plaintext space in  $[0, \frac{1}{2}[$ ,  
 58 i.e., the segment of the real torus  $\mathbb{T}$  corresponding to the positive numbers. Meanwhile,  
 59 the other methods use the full torus for encoding the plaintext space and propose various  
 60 solutions to cope with the negacyclicity of TFHE bootstrapping when used for evaluating  
 61 LUTs. A novel way we present to achieve this is to use several bootstrappings one after  
 62 the other to cancel the negacyclicity of a single bootstrapping. Finally, the decomposition  
 63 method allows working with larger plaintext spaces. Its main idea is to decompose each  
 64 plaintext into small digits which allows keeping TFHE parameters small enough to lead  
 65 to performance improvements. We generalize the chaining method of [GBA21] in order to  
 66 compute *any* function with *any* chosen precision.

67 **Related works** – In 2016, the TFHE paper made a breakthrough by proposing an effi-  
 68 cient bootstrapping for homomorphic gate computation. Then, Bourse et al., [Bou+18]  
 69 and Izabachene et al., [ISZ19] used the same bootstrapping algorithm for extracting the  
 70 (encrypted) sign of an encrypted input. Boura et al., [Bou+19] showed later that TFHE  
 71 bootstrapping could be extended to support a wider class of functionalities. Indeed, TFHE  
 72 bootstrapping naturally allows to encode function evaluation via their representation as  
 73 look-up tables (LUTs). Recently, different approaches have been investigated for func-  
 74 tional bootstrapping improvement. In particular, Kluczniak and Schild [KS21] and Yang  
 75 et al., [Yan+21] proposed two methods that take into consideration the negacyclicity of the  
 76 cyclotomic polynomial used within the bootstrapping, for encoding look-up tables over the  
 77 full real torus  $\mathbb{T}$ . Meanwhile, Guimarães et al., [GBA21] extended the ideas in Bourse et  
 78 al., [BST19] to support the evaluation of certain activation functions such as the **sigmoid**.  
 79 One last method, presented in Chillotti et al., [Chi+21] achieves a functional bootstrapping  
 80 over the full torus using a BFV type multiplication.

81 **Paper organization** – The remainder of this paper is organized as follows. Section 2  
 82 reviews TFHE building blocks. Section 3 describes the functional bootstrapping idea coming  
 83 from the TFHE gate bootstrapping. Sections 4 and 5 detail several methods, including ours,  
 84 for the intricate Look-Up Tables (LUTs) encoding via the functional bootstrapping. Indeed,  
 85 section 4 describes methods for LUTs evaluation when having a unique ciphertext as input.  
 86 Meanwhile, section 5 considers the case where LUTs are evaluated over several ciphertexts  
 87 encrypting separately the digits of a large plaintext. Finally, section 6 gives unitary results  
 88 comparing these methods for LUTs evaluation over encrypted data.

## 2 TFHE

### 2.1 Notations

In the upcoming sections, we denote vectors by bold letters and so, each vector  $\mathbf{x}$  of  $n$  elements is described as:  $\mathbf{x} = (x_1, \dots, x_n)$ .  $\langle \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y} \rangle$  is the dot product between two vectors  $\mathbf{x}$  and  $\mathbf{y}$ . We denote matrices by capital letters, and the set of matrices with  $m$  rows and  $n$  columns with entries sampled in  $\mathbb{K}$  by  $\mathcal{M}_{m,n}(\mathbb{K})$ .  $x \stackrel{\$}{\leftarrow} \mathbb{K}$  denotes sampling  $x$  uniformly from  $\mathbb{K}$ , while  $x \stackrel{\mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2)}{\leftarrow} \mathbb{K}$  refers to sampling  $x$  from  $\mathbb{K}$  following a Gaussian distribution of mean  $\mu$  and variance  $\sigma^2$ .

We will use the same notations for parameters as in the TFHE article [Chi+19].

We will refer to the real torus by  $\mathbb{T} = \mathbb{R}/\mathbb{Z}$ .  $\mathbb{T}$  is the additive group of real numbers modulo 1 ( $\mathbb{R} \bmod[1]$ ) and it is a  $\mathbb{Z}$ -module. That is, multiplication by scalars from  $\mathbb{Z}$  is well-defined over  $\mathbb{T}$ .  $\mathbb{T}_N[X]$  denotes the  $\mathbb{Z}$ -module  $\mathbb{R}[X]/(X^N + 1) \bmod[1]$  of torus polynomials, where  $N$  is a power of 2.  $\mathcal{R}$  is the ring  $\mathbb{Z}[X]/(X^N + 1)$  and its subring of polynomials with binary coefficients is  $\mathbb{B}_N[X] = \mathbb{B}[X]/(X^N + 1)$  ( $\mathbb{B} = \{0, 1\}$ ). Finally,  $[x]$  will denote the encryption of  $x$  over  $\mathbb{T}$ ,  $\mathbb{T}_N[X]$  or  $\mathcal{R}$ .  $x$  is sampled from the plaintext set  $\mathcal{M}$  of cardinality  $|\mathcal{M}|$ .

Given a function  $f: \mathbb{T} \rightarrow \mathbb{T}$ , we define  $\text{LUT}_N(f)$  to be Look-Up Table defined by the set of  $N$  pairs  $(i, f(\frac{i}{2^N}))$ . We may write  $\text{LUT}(f)$  when the value  $N$  is implied. Given a function  $f: \mathbb{T} \rightarrow \mathbb{T}$ , we define a polynomial  $P_{f,N} \in \mathbb{T}_N[X]$  of degree  $N$  by writing  $P_{f,N} = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} f(\frac{i}{2^N}) \cdot X^i$ . For simplicity sake, we may write  $P_f$  instead of  $P_{f,N}$  when the value  $N$  is implied.

### 2.2 TFHE Structures

The TFHE encryption scheme was proposed in 2016 [Chi+16]. It improves the FHEW cryptosystem [DM15] and introduces the TLWE problem as an adaptation of the LWE problem to  $\mathbb{T}$ . It was updated later in [Chi+17] and both works were recently unified in [Chi+19]. The TFHE scheme is implemented as the TFHE library [Chi+]. TFHE relies on three structures to encrypt plaintexts defined over  $\mathbb{T}$ ,  $\mathbb{T}_N[X]$  or  $\mathcal{R}$ :

- **TLWE Sample:**  $(\mathbf{a}, b)$  is a valid TLWE sample if  $\mathbf{a} \stackrel{\$}{\leftarrow} \mathbb{T}^n$  and  $b \in \mathbb{T}$  verifies  $b = \langle \mathbf{a}, \mathbf{s} \rangle + e$ , where  $\mathbf{s} \stackrel{\$}{\leftarrow} \mathbb{B}^n$  is the secret key, and  $e \stackrel{\mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2)}{\leftarrow} \mathbb{T}$ . Then,  $(\mathbf{a}, b)$  is a fresh encryption of 0.
- **TRLWE Sample:** a pair  $(\mathbf{a}, b) \in \mathbb{T}_N[X]^k \times \mathbb{T}_N[X]$  is a valid TRLWE sample if  $\mathbf{a} \stackrel{\$}{\leftarrow} \mathbb{T}_N[X]^k$ , and  $b = \langle \mathbf{a}, \mathbf{s} \rangle + e$ , where  $\mathbf{s} \stackrel{\$}{\leftarrow} \mathbb{B}_N[X]^k$  is a TRLWE secret key and  $e \stackrel{\mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2)}{\leftarrow} \mathbb{T}_N[X]$  is a noise polynomial. In this case,  $(\mathbf{a}, b)$  is a fresh encryption of 0.

The TRLWE decision problem consists of distinguishing TRLWE samples from random samples in  $\mathbb{T}_N[X]^k \times \mathbb{T}_N[X]$ . Meanwhile, the TRLWE search problem consists in finding the private polynomial  $\mathbf{s}$  given arbitrarily many TRLWE samples. When  $N = 1$  and  $k$  is large, the TRLWE decision and search problems become the TLWE decision and search problems, respectively.

Let  $\mathcal{M} \subset \mathbb{T}_N[X]$  (or  $\mathcal{M} \subset \mathbb{T}$ ) be the discrete message space<sup>1</sup>. To encrypt a message  $m \in \mathcal{M} \subset \mathbb{T}_N[X]$ , we add  $(\mathbf{0}, m) \in \mathbb{T}_N[X]^k \times \mathbb{T}_N[X]$  to a TRLWE sample encrypting 0 (or to a TLWE sample of 0 if  $\mathcal{M} \subset \mathbb{T}$ ). In the following, we refer to an encryption of  $m$  with the secret key  $\mathbf{s}$  as a T(R)LWE ciphertext noted  $\mathbf{c} \in \text{T(R)LWE}_{\mathbf{s}}(m)$ .

To decrypt a sample  $\mathbf{c} \in \text{T(R)LWE}_{\mathbf{s}}(m)$ , we compute its *phase*  $\phi(\mathbf{c}) = b - \langle \mathbf{a}, \mathbf{s} \rangle = m + e$ . Then, we round to it to the nearest element of  $\mathcal{M}$ . Therefore, if the error  $e$  was chosen to

<sup>1</sup>In practice, we discretize the Torus with respect to our plaintext modulus. For example, if we want to encrypt  $m \in \mathbb{Z}_4 = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$ , we encode it in  $\mathbb{T}$  as one of the following value  $\{0, 0.25, 0.5, 0.75\}$ .

be small enough (yet high enough to ensure security), the decryption will be accurate.

- **TRGSW Sample:** is a vector of  $l$  TRLWE samples encrypting 0. To encrypt a message  $m \in \mathcal{R}$ , we add  $m \cdot H$  to a TRGSW sample of 0, where  $H$  is a gadget matrix<sup>2</sup>. Chilotti et al., [Chi+19] defines an external product between a TRGSW sample  $A$  encrypting  $m_a \in \mathcal{R}$  and a TRLWE sample  $\mathbf{b}$  encrypting  $m_b \in \mathbb{T}_N[X]$ . This external product consists in multiplying  $A$  by the approximate decomposition of  $\mathbf{b}$  with respect to  $H$  (Definition 3.12 in [Chi+19]). It yields an encryption of  $m_a \cdot m_b$  i.e., a TRLWE sample  $\mathbf{c} \in \text{TRLWE}_{\mathbf{s}}(m_a \cdot m_b)$ . Otherwise, the external product allows also to compute a controlled MUX gate (CMUX) where the selector is  $C_b \in \text{TRGSW}_{\mathbf{s}}(b), b \in \{0,1\}$ , and the inputs are  $\mathbf{c}_0 \in \text{TRLWE}_{\mathbf{s}}(m_0)$  and  $\mathbf{c}_1 \in \text{TRLWE}_{\mathbf{s}}(m_1)$ .

## 2.3 TFHE Bootstrapping

TFHE bootstrapping relies mainly on three building blocks:

- **Blind Rotate:** rotates a plaintext polynomial encrypted as a TRLWE ciphertext by an encrypted position. It takes as inputs: a TRLWE ciphertext  $\mathbf{c} \in \text{TRLWE}_{\mathbf{k}}(m)$ , a vector  $(a_1, \dots, a_p, a_{p+1} = b)$  where  $\forall i, a_i \in \mathbb{Z}_{2N}$ , and  $p$  TRGSW ciphertexts encrypting  $(s_1, \dots, s_p)$  where  $\forall i, s_i \in \mathbb{B}$ . It returns a TRLWE ciphertext  $\mathbf{c}' \in \text{TRLWE}_{\mathbf{k}}(X^{(a,s)} - b \cdot m)$ . In this paper, we will refer to this algorithm by `BlindRotate`.
- **TLWE Sample Extract:** takes as inputs a ciphertext  $\mathbf{c} \in \text{TRLWE}_{\mathbf{k}}(m)$  and a position  $p \in \llbracket 0, N \rrbracket$ , and returns a TLWE ciphertext  $\mathbf{c}' \in \text{TLWE}_{\mathbf{k}}(m_p)$  where  $m_p$  is the  $p^{\text{th}}$  coefficient of the polynomial  $m$ . In this paper, we will refer to this algorithm by `SampleExtract`.
- **Public Functional Keyswitching:** transforms a set of  $p$  ciphertexts  $\mathbf{c}_i \in \text{TLWE}_{\mathbf{k}}(m_i)$  into a ciphertext  $\mathbf{c}' \in \text{T(R)LWE}_{\mathbf{s}}(f(m_1, \dots, m_p))$ , where  $f()$  is a public linear morphism from  $\mathbb{T}^p$  to  $\mathbb{T}_N[X]$ . Note that functional keyswitching serves at changing encryption keys and parameters. In this paper, we will refer to this algorithm by `KeySwitch`.

TFHE comes with two bootstrapping algorithms. The first one is the gate bootstrapping. It aims at reducing the noise level of a TLWE sample that encrypts the result of a boolean gate evaluation on two ciphertexts, each of them encrypting a binary input. The binary nature of inputs/outputs of this algorithm is not due to inherent limitations of the TFHE scheme but rather to the fact that the authors of the paper were building a bitwise set of operators for which this bootstrapping operation was perfectly fitted.

TFHE gate bootstrapping steps are summarized in Algorithm 1. The step 1 consists in selecting a value  $\hat{m} \in \mathbb{T}$  which will serve later for setting the coefficients of the test polynomial  $testv$  (in step 3). The step 2 rescales the components of the input ciphertext  $\mathbf{c}$  as elements of  $\mathbb{Z}_{2N}$ . The step 3 defines the test polynomial  $testv$ . Note that for all  $p \in \llbracket 0, 2N \rrbracket$ , the constant term of  $testv \cdot X^p$  is  $\hat{m}$  if  $p \in \llbracket \frac{N}{2}, \frac{3N}{2} \rrbracket$  and  $-\hat{m}$  otherwise. The step 4 returns an accumulator  $ACC \in \text{TRLWE}_{\mathbf{s}'}(testv \cdot X^{(\hat{a}, \mathbf{s}) - \hat{b}})$ . Indeed, the constant term of  $ACC$  is  $-\hat{m}$  if  $\mathbf{c}$  encrypts 0, or  $\hat{m}$  if  $\mathbf{c}$  encrypts 1. Then, step 5 creates a new ciphertext  $\bar{\mathbf{c}}$  by extracting the constant term of  $ACC$  and adding to it  $(\mathbf{0}, \hat{m})$ . That is,  $\bar{\mathbf{c}}$  either encrypts 0 if  $\mathbf{c}$  encrypts 0, or  $m$  if  $\mathbf{c}$  encrypts 1 (By choosing  $m = \frac{1}{2}$ , we get a fresh encryption of 1).

TFHE specifies a second type of bootstrapping called *circuit bootstrapping*. It converts TLWE samples into TRGSW samples, and serves mainly for TFHE use in a levelled manner.

<sup>2</sup>Refer to Definition 3.6 and Lemma 3.7 in TFHE paper [Chi+19] for more information about the gadget matrix  $H$ .

**Algorithm 1** TFHE gate bootstrapping [Chi+19]

**Input:** a constant  $m \in \mathbb{T}$ , a TLWE sample  $\mathbf{c} = (\mathbf{a}, b) \in \text{TLWE}_{\mathbf{s}}(x \cdot \frac{1}{2})$  with  $x \in \mathbb{B}$ , a bootstrapping key  $BK_{\mathbf{s} \rightarrow \mathbf{s}'} = (BK_i \in \text{TRGSW}_{S'}(s_i))_{i \in [1, n]}$  where  $S'$  is the TRLWE interpretation of a secret key  $\mathbf{s}'$

**Output:** a TLWE sample  $\bar{\mathbf{c}} \in \text{TLWE}_{\mathbf{s}}(x \cdot m)$

- 1: Let  $\hat{m} = \frac{1}{2}m \in \mathbb{T}$  (pick one of the two possible values)
- 2: Let  $\bar{b} = \lfloor 2Nb \rfloor$  and  $\bar{a}_i = \lfloor 2Na_i \rfloor \in \mathbb{Z}, \forall i \in [1, n]$
- 3: Let  $\text{testv} := (1 + X + \dots + X^{N-1}) \cdot X^{\frac{N}{2}} \cdot \hat{m} \in \mathbb{T}_N[X]$
- 4:  $ACC \leftarrow \text{BlindRotate}((\mathbf{0}, \text{testv}), (\bar{a}_1, \dots, \bar{a}_n, \bar{b}), (BK_1, \dots, BK_n))$
- 5:  $\bar{\mathbf{c}} = (\mathbf{0}, \hat{m}) + \text{SampleExtract}(ACC)$
- 6: return  $\text{KeySwitch}_{\mathbf{s}' \rightarrow \mathbf{s}}(\bar{\mathbf{c}})$

## 2.4 Error Variance and Rate

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In this section, we remind results from [Chi+19] regarding the error's variance for the `BlindRotate` and `KeySwitch` functions from Algorithm 1. These results will serve later to bound the errors' variance and rate for the discussed functional bootstrapping algorithms.

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**Proposition 1.** *Let  $\bar{\mathbf{c}}$  be the output of Algorithm 1 when taking as input a TLWE ciphertext  $\mathbf{c}$  (without considering the `KeySwitch` i.e., without line 6 of Algorithm 1). Then, the variance of the noise of  $\bar{\mathbf{c}}$ ,  $\text{Var}(\text{Err}(\bar{\mathbf{c}}))$ , is bounded by:*

$$\text{Var}(\text{Err}(\bar{\mathbf{c}})) \leq n((k+1)\ell N \left(\frac{B_g}{2}\right)^2 \vartheta_{BK} + \frac{(1+kN)}{4 \cdot B_g^{2l}})$$

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where  $\vartheta_{BK}$  is the variance of the bootstrapping key, and  $B_g$  and  $l$  are the decomposition parameters of the gadget matrix  $H$ .  $B_g$  is the decomposition base and  $l$  serves to compute the decomposition precision  $\epsilon = \frac{1}{2 \cdot B_g^l}$ .

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*Proof.* This result is a direct consequence of the noise analysis for `BlindRotate`. Please refer to [Chi+19] for the complete proof.  $\square$

In the following, we will refer to the error bound by  $\mathcal{E}_{BS}$ :

$$\mathcal{E}_{BS} = n((k+1)\ell N \left(\frac{B_g}{2}\right)^2 \vartheta_{BK} + \frac{(1+kN)}{4 \cdot B_g^{2l}})$$

**Proposition 2.** *Given  $\mathbf{c}$  a TLWE ciphertext encrypting a message  $m$  from the discrete message space  $\mathcal{M}$ , the probability of error for the bootstrapping algorithm, when taking as input  $\mathbf{c}$  verifies:*

$$P(\text{Err}(\mathbf{c})) = 1 - \text{erf}\left(\frac{1}{2 \cdot |\mathcal{M}| \cdot \sqrt{V_c + V_r} \cdot \sqrt{2}}\right)$$

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where  $\text{erf}(x) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^x e^{-t^2} dt$  is the Gaussian error function,  $V_c$  is the variance of  $\text{Err}(\mathbf{c})$ , and  $V_r = \frac{n+1}{48N^2}$  is the variance of the error induced by the rounding operation in the bootstrapping algorithm (line 2 of Algorithm 1).

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*Proof.* The probability of bootstrapping error is the complementary to 1 of the probability of `BlindRotate` success. The latter is the probability that the sum of the input ciphertext noise with the rounding error (from line 2 of Algorithm 1) is smaller than half the interval allocated to a given value on the torus. That is, we need the noise of  $\frac{\lfloor 2Nc \rfloor}{2N}$  to be smaller than  $\frac{1}{2|\mathcal{M}|}$ . Let's consider that  $\frac{\lfloor 2Nc \rfloor}{2N} = \mathbf{c} + \mathbf{r}$  where  $\mathbf{r}$  is an error that comes from the rounding

189 operation. The proposition result is obtained from the properties of the  $\text{erf}$  function and  
 190 the fact that the variance of  $\mathbf{c} + \mathbf{r}$  is equal to the sum of their separate variances.  $\square$

191 The KeySwitch operation (line 6) at the end of the bootstrapping Algorithm 1 does not  
 192 change the probability of error of the algorithm. However, it does change the resulting noise.  
 193 The following proposition bounds the variance of the KeySwitch noise.

**Proposition 3.** *Let  $\bar{\mathbf{c}}$  be the output of the KeySwitch algorithm when it takes as input the TLWE ciphertext  $\mathbf{c}$ . Then, the variance of the noise of  $\bar{\mathbf{c}}$  is:*

$$\text{Var}(\text{Err}(\bar{\mathbf{c}})) \leq R^2 \text{Var}(\text{Err}(\mathbf{c})) + n(tN\vartheta_{KS} + \frac{B_{KS}^{-2t}}{12})$$

194 where  $\vartheta_{KS}$  is the variance of the keyswitching key,  $R$  is the Lipschitz constant of the linear  
 195 application computed during the keyswitching operation. It will be always equal to 1 in our  
 196 paper.  $B_{KS}$  is a decomposition base, and  $t$  sets the decomposition precision to  $\epsilon_{KS} = \frac{1}{2B_{KS}^t}$ .

197 *Proof.* Please refer to [Chi+19] for a proof of this result with  $B_{KS} = 2$  and to [GBA21] for  
 198 a generalization to any decomposition base.  $\square$

In the following, we set the KeySwitch error bound to  $\text{Var}(\text{Err}(\mathbf{c})) + \mathcal{E}_{KS}$ , where:

$$\mathcal{E}_{KS} = n(tN\vartheta_{KS} + \frac{B_{KS}^{-2t}}{12})$$

**Proposition 4.** *Let  $\bar{\mathbf{c}}$  be the output of the bootstrapping Algorithm 1 when it takes as input the TLWE ciphertext  $\mathbf{c}$ . Then, the variance of the error of  $\bar{\mathbf{c}}$  verifies:*

$$\text{Var}(\text{Err}(\bar{\mathbf{c}})) \leq \mathcal{E}_{BS} + \mathcal{E}_{KS}$$

199 *Proof.* The result comes directly from the combination of propositions 1 and 3.  $\square$

## 200 3 TFHE Functional Bootstrapping

### 201 3.1 Encoding and Decoding

202 Our goal is to build an homomorphic LUT of any function  $f: \mathcal{I} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}$  with varying precision  
 203 and with input and output spaces  $\mathcal{I}, \mathcal{O} \subset \mathbb{R}$ .

204 Since we use TFHE as our homomorphic encryption scheme, every message from plaintext  
 205 input or output space needs to be encoded in  $\mathbb{T}$ . Therefore, in order to build our function  
 206  $f$ , we need to create a torus-to-torus function  $f_{\mathbb{T}}$  and appropriate encoding and decoding  
 207 functions  $\iota$  and  $\omega$ .

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{I} & \xrightarrow{f = \omega \circ f_{\mathbb{T}} \circ \iota} & \mathcal{O} \\ \iota \downarrow & & \uparrow \omega \\ \mathbb{T} & \xrightarrow{f_{\mathbb{T}}} & \mathbb{T} \end{array}$$

209 In most cases,  $\iota$  and  $\omega$  are rescaling functions: a multiplication or a division by a single fixed  
 210 value. In the following, we show several ways to build any Look-Up Table (LUT) evaluating  
 211 function  $f_{\mathbb{T}}$ .

## 3.2 Functional Bootstrapping Idea

The original bootstrapping algorithm from [Chi+16] had already all the tools to implement a LUT of any negacyclic function<sup>3</sup> In particular, TFHE is well-suited for  $\frac{1}{2}$ -antiperiodic function, as the plaintext space for TFHE is  $\mathbb{T}$ , where  $[0, \frac{1}{2}[$  corresponds to positive values and  $[\frac{1}{2}, 1[$  to negative ones, and the bootstrapping step 2 of the Algorithm 1 encodes elements from  $\mathbb{T}$  into powers of  $X$  modulus  $(X^N + 1)$ . Note that  $X^{\alpha+N} \equiv -X^\alpha \text{ mod } [X^N + 1]$  and allows encoding negacyclic functions as explained in the upcoming sections.

Boura et al., [Bou+19] were the first to use the term *functional bootstrapping* for TFHE. They describe how TFHE bootstrapping computes a **sign** function. In addition, they state that bootstrapping can be used to build a Rectified Linear Unit (ReLU). However, they do not delve into the details of how to implement the ReLU in practice<sup>4</sup>.

Algorithm 2 describes a **sign** computation with the TFHE bootstrapping. It returns  $\mu$  if  $m$  is positive (i.e.,  $m \in [0, \frac{1}{2}[$ ), and  $-\mu$  if  $m$  is negative.

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### Algorithm 2 Sign extraction with bootstrapping

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**Input:** a constant  $\mu \in \mathbb{T}$ , a TLWE sample  $\mathbf{c} = (\mathbf{a}, b) \in \text{TLWE}_s(m)$  with  $m \in \mathbb{T}$ , a bootstrapping key  $BK_{\mathbf{s} \rightarrow \mathbf{s}'} = (BK_i \in \text{TRGSW}_{S'}(s_i))_{i \in \llbracket 1, n \rrbracket}$  where  $S'$  is the TRLWE interpretation of a secret key  $\mathbf{s}'$

**Output:** a TLWE sample  $\bar{\mathbf{c}} \in \text{TLWE}_s(\mu \cdot \text{sign}(m))$

- 1: Let  $\bar{b} = \lfloor 2Nb \rfloor$  and  $\bar{a}_i = \lfloor 2Na_i \rfloor \in \mathbb{Z}, \forall i \in \llbracket 1, n \rrbracket$
  - 2: Let  $\text{testv} := (1 + X + \dots + X^{N-1}) \cdot \mu \in \mathbb{T}_N[X]$
  - 3:  $ACC \leftarrow \text{BlindRotate}(\mathbf{0}, \text{testv}, (\bar{a}_1, \dots, \bar{a}_n, \bar{b}), (BK_1, \dots, BK_n))$
  - 4:  $\bar{\mathbf{c}} = \text{SampleExtract}(ACC)$
  - 5: return  $\text{KeySwitch}_{\mathbf{s}' \rightarrow \mathbf{s}}(\bar{\mathbf{c}})$
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When we look at the building blocks of Algorithm 2, we notice that there is some leeway to build more complex functions just by changing the coefficients of the test polynomial  $\text{testv}$ .

Let  $t = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} t_i \cdot X^i$  where  $t_i \in \mathbb{T}$  and  $g_t(x)$  the function:

$$g_t: \begin{array}{ccc} \llbracket -N, N-1 \rrbracket & \rightarrow & \mathbb{T} \\ i & \mapsto & \begin{cases} t_i & \text{if } i \in \llbracket 0, N \llbracket \\ -t_{i+N} & \text{if } i \in \llbracket -N, 0 \llbracket \end{cases} \end{array}$$

**Proposition 5.** *If we bootstrap a TLWE ciphertext  $[x] = (\mathbf{a}, b)$  with the test polynomial  $\text{testv} = t$ , the output of the bootstrapping is  $[g_t(\phi(\bar{\mathbf{a}}, \bar{b}))]$ , where  $(\bar{\mathbf{a}}, \bar{b})$  is the rescaled version of  $(\mathbf{a}, b)$  in  $\mathbb{Z}_{2N}$  (line 1 of Algorithm 2).*

*Proof.* First, we remind that for any positive integer  $i$  s.t.  $0 \leq i < N$ , we have:

$$\text{testv} \cdot X^{-i} = t_i + \dots - t_0 X^{N-i} - \dots - t_{i-1} X^{N-1} \pmod{[X^N + 1]} \quad (1)$$

Then, we notice that  $\text{BlindRotate}$  (line 3 of Algorithm 2) computes  $\text{testv} \cdot X^{-\phi(\bar{\mathbf{a}}, \bar{b})}$ . Therefore, we obtain the following results using equation (1):

- if  $\phi(\bar{\mathbf{a}}, \bar{b}) \in \llbracket 0, N \llbracket$ , the constant term of  $\text{testv} \cdot X^{-\phi(\bar{\mathbf{a}}, \bar{b})}$  is  $t_{\phi(\bar{\mathbf{a}}, \bar{b})}$ .

<sup>3</sup>Negacyclic functions are antiperiodic functions over  $\mathbb{T}$  with period  $\frac{1}{2}$ , i.e., verifying  $f(x) = -f(x + \frac{1}{2})$ .

<sup>4</sup>The article does only mention that the function  $2 \times \text{ReLU}$  can be built from an absolute value function but does not explain how to divide by two to get the ReLU result.

237 • if  $\phi(\bar{\mathbf{a}}, \bar{b}) \in \llbracket -N, 0 \llbracket$ , we have:

$$238 \quad \text{testv} \cdot X^{-\phi(\bar{\mathbf{a}}, \bar{b})} = -\text{testv} \cdot X^{-\phi(\bar{\mathbf{a}}, \bar{b}) - N} \text{mod}[X^N + 1]$$

239 with  $(\phi(\bar{\mathbf{a}}, \bar{b}) + N) \in \llbracket 0, N \llbracket$ . So, the constant term of  $\text{testv} \cdot X^{-\phi(\bar{\mathbf{a}}, \bar{b})}$  is  $-t_{\phi(\bar{\mathbf{a}}, \bar{b}) + N}$ .

240 All that remains for the bootstrapping algorithm is extracting the previous constant term  
241 (in line 4) and keyswitching (in line 5) to get the TLWE sample  $[g_t(\phi(\bar{\mathbf{a}}, \bar{b}))]$ .  $\square$

242 We can use the previous proposition to build a discretized function evaluation as follows.  
243 Let  $h: [0, \frac{1}{2}[ \rightarrow \mathbb{T}$  be any function, and  $g_h$  the well-defined function:

$$244 \quad g_h: \begin{array}{ccc} \llbracket -N, N-1 \llbracket & \rightarrow & \mathbb{T} \\ x & \mapsto & \begin{cases} h(\frac{x}{2N}) & \text{if } x \in \llbracket 0, N \llbracket \\ -h(\frac{x+N}{2N}) & \text{if } x \in \llbracket -N, 0 \llbracket \end{cases} \end{array} \quad (2)$$

245 Let's call  $P_h$  the polynomial of degree  $N$  defined by:  $P_h = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} h(\frac{i}{2N}) \cdot X^i$ . Now, if we  
246 apply the bootstrapping Algorithm 2 to a TLWE ciphertext  $[x] = (\mathbf{a}, \bar{b})$  with  $\text{testv} = P_h$ , it  
247 outputs  $[g_h(\phi(\bar{\mathbf{a}}, \bar{b}))]$  (by applying Proposition 5). That is, Algorithm 2 allows encoding a  
248 discretized negacyclic version of  $h$ . In that way, it allows encoding a discretized version of  
249 any negacyclic function.

### 250 3.3 Private Functional Bootstrapping

251 The functional bootstrapping algorithm can be adapted to compute an encrypted negacyclic  
252 function. Indeed, given a function  $f: \mathbb{T} \rightarrow \mathbb{T}$ , we create  $[P_f]$ , a TRLWE ciphertext whose  $i^{\text{th}}$   
253 coefficient is a TLWE ciphertext encrypting  $f(\frac{i}{2N})$ . Such a ciphertext can be created using  
254 the TFHE public functional key-switching operation (see Algorithm 2 of [Chi+19]) from  
255  $N$  TLWE ciphertexts  $[f(\frac{i}{2N})]$ .

256 Let  $\mathbf{c} = (\mathbf{a}, b)$  be a ciphertext encrypting the message  $\mu$ . Then, the Algorithm 3 outputs an  
encryption of  $f(\frac{\phi(\bar{\mathbf{a}}, \bar{b})}{2N})$ .

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#### Algorithm 3 Encrypted LUT

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**Input:** a TLWE sample  $\mathbf{c} = (\mathbf{a}, b) \in \text{TLWE}_{\mathbf{s}}(\mu)$  with  $\mu \in \mathbb{T}$ , a bootstrapping key  
 $BK_{\mathbf{s} \rightarrow \mathbf{s}'} = (BK_i \in \text{TRGSW}_{S'}(s_i))_{i \in \llbracket 1, n \llbracket}$  where  $S'$  is the TRLWE interpretation of a  
secret key  $\mathbf{s}'$ , an encryption  $[P_f]$  of the polynomial  $P_f$

**Output:** a TLWE sample  $\bar{\mathbf{c}} \in \text{TLWE}_{\mathbf{s}}(f(\frac{\phi(\bar{\mathbf{a}}, \bar{b})}{2N}))$

- 1: Let  $\bar{b} = \lfloor 2Nb \rfloor$  and  $\bar{a}_i = \lfloor 2Na_i \rfloor \in \mathbb{Z}, \forall i \in \llbracket 1, n \llbracket$
  - 2: Let  $\text{testv} := [P_f]$
  - 3:  $\text{ACC} \leftarrow \text{BlindRotate}(\text{testv}, (\bar{a}_1, \dots, \bar{a}_n, \bar{b}), (BK_1, \dots, BK_n))$
  - 4:  $\bar{\mathbf{c}} = \text{SampleExtract}(\text{ACC})$
  - 5: return  $\text{KeySwitch}_{\mathbf{s}' \rightarrow \mathbf{s}}(\bar{\mathbf{c}})$
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**Proposition 6.** Let  $\bar{\mathbf{c}}$  be the output of the private functional bootstrapping algorithm when  
given as input  $\mathbf{c}$ . Then, the variance of the noise of  $\bar{\mathbf{c}}$  verifies:

$$\text{Var}(\text{Err}(\bar{\mathbf{c}})) \leq \text{Var}(\text{Err}([P_f])) + \mathcal{E}_{BS} + \mathcal{E}_{KS}$$

258 *Proof.* This result corresponds to the combination of the variance of the errors of **BlindRotate**  
259 and **KeySwitch**. The term  $\text{Var}(\text{Err}([P_f]))$  comes from the **BlindRotate** error [Chi+19].  $\square$

260 Note that the term  $\text{Var}(\text{Err}([P_f]))$  was equal to 0 for Algorithms 1 and 2 as we were using  
 261 a noiseless and trivial TRLWE sample  $(\mathbf{0}, \text{testv})$  as input for the `BlindRotate`.

**Proposition 7.** *Let  $\mathbf{c}$  be a TLWE ciphertext, and suppose that we apply a negacyclic LUT which differentiates  $|\mathcal{M}|$  possible input values, the probability of error of the private functional bootstrapping algorithm with  $\mathbf{c}$  as input verifies:*

$$P(\text{Err}(\mathbf{c})) = 1 - \text{erf}\left(\frac{1}{2 \cdot |\mathcal{M}| \cdot \sqrt{V_c + V_r} \cdot \sqrt{2}}\right)$$

262 where  $V_r = \frac{n+1}{48N^2}$  is the variance of the error induced by the rounding operation in line 1 of  
 263 Algorithm 3.

264 *Proof.* The proof is the same as for Proposition 2. □

### 265 3.4 Multi-Value Functional Bootstrapping

266 Carпов et al., [CIM19] introduced a nice method for evaluating  $k$  different LUTs using one  
 267 bootstrapping. Indeed, they factor the test polynomial  $P_{f_i}$  associated to the function  $f_i$  into  
 268 a product of two polynomials  $v_0$  and  $v_i$ , where  $v_0$  is a common factor to all  $P_{f_i}$ . In fact, they  
 269 notice that:

$$270 \quad (1 + X + \dots + X^{N-1}) \cdot (1 - X) = 2 \pmod{[X^N + 1]} \quad (3)$$

271 Let's write  $P_{f_i}$  as:  $P_{f_i} = \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \alpha_{i,j} X^j$  with  $\alpha_{i,j} \in \mathbb{Z}$ . We obtain using equation (3):

$$272 \quad P_{f_i} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot (1 + \dots + X^{N-1}) \cdot (1 - X) \cdot P_{f_i} \pmod{[X^N + 1]}$$

$$273 \quad = v_0 \cdot v_i \pmod{[X^N + 1]}$$

274 where:

$$275 \quad v_0 = \frac{1}{2} \cdot (1 + \dots + X^{N-1})$$

$$276 \quad v_i = \alpha_{i,0} + \alpha_{i,N-1} + (\alpha_{i,1} - \alpha_{i,0}) \cdot X + \dots + (\alpha_{i,N-1} - \alpha_{i,N-2}) \cdot X^{N-1}$$

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 278 Thanks to this factorization, we are able to compute many LUTs with one bootstrapping.  
 279 Indeed, we just have to set the initial test polynomial to  $\text{testv} = v_0$  during the bootstrapping.  
 280 Then, after the `BlindRotate`, we multiply the obtained ACC by each  $v_i$  corresponding  
 281 to  $\text{LUT}(f_i)$  to obtain  $\text{ACC}_i$  (for more details about multi-value bootstrapping and error  
 282 analysis, refer to Algorithm 7 in Appendix Section A).

## 283 4 Look-Up-Tables over a Single Ciphertext

284 In Section 3.2, we demonstrated that functional bootstrapping allows for the computation of  
 285  $\text{LUT}(h)$  for any negacyclic function  $h$ . In this section, we describe 4 different ways to build  
 286 homomorphic LUTs using *any* function (i.e., not necessarily negacyclic ones). We present  
 287 3 solutions from the state of the art [CJP21; KS21; Yan+21] in Sections 4.1, 4.2 and 4.3,  
 288 and one that is novel to our work in Section 4.4.

289 As in Section 3.1, we call  $f_{\mathbb{T}}: \mathbb{T} \rightarrow \mathbb{T}$  the function used to build our homomorphic LUT, and  
 290  $f: \mathcal{I} \rightarrow \mathcal{O}$  its corresponding function over the actual input and output spaces.

## 4.1 Partial Domain Functional Bootstrapping

This method avoids the negacyclic restriction of functional bootstrapping by encrypting values from  $[0, \frac{1}{2}[$  (i.e., half of the torus). Let's set the test polynomial to be  $P_h$ , the output of the bootstrapping operation is given by Equation 2:

$$g_h: \begin{array}{ccc} \llbracket -N, N-1 \rrbracket & \rightarrow & \mathbb{T} \\ x & \mapsto & \begin{cases} h(\frac{x}{2N}) & \text{if } x \in \llbracket 0, N \llbracket \\ -h(\frac{x+N}{2N}) & \text{if } x \in \llbracket -N, 0 \llbracket \end{cases} \end{array}$$

If we restrict  $g_h$  domain to  $\llbracket 0, N \llbracket$ , we ensure that  $g_h$  is just a LUT based on function  $h$  ( $h$  is not necessarily negacyclic). That is, we obtain a method to evaluate a LUT in a *single* bootstrapping. However, we have to encode the plaintext space over a smaller portion of the torus  $\mathbb{T}$ , therefore increasing the relative noise introduced by the TFHE encryption process. The overall result will hence be less accurate.

**Proposition 8.** *Let  $\bar{c}$  be the output of the partial domain functional bootstrapping algorithm for a given input. Then, the variance of the error of  $\bar{c}$  verifies:*

$$\text{Var}(\text{Err}(\bar{c})) \leq \mathcal{E}_{BS} + \mathcal{E}_{KS}$$

*Proof.* This result is a direct application of Proposition 1. □

**Proposition 9.** *Let  $c$  be a TLWE ciphertext, and suppose that we differentiate  $|\mathcal{M}|$  possible input values over half of the torus. The probability of error of the partial domain functional bootstrapping algorithm with input  $c$  verifies:*

$$P(\text{Err}(c)) = 1 - \text{erf}\left(\frac{1}{4 \cdot |\mathcal{M}| \cdot \sqrt{V_c + V_r} \cdot \sqrt{2}}\right)$$

where  $V_r = \frac{n+1}{48N^2}$  is the standard deviation of the error induced by the rounding operation in the bootstrapping algorithm.

*Proof.* This result is a direct application of Proposition 2. □

## 4.2 Full Domain Functional Bootstrapping–FDFB

Kluczniak and Schild [KS21] proposed this method to evaluate encrypted LUTs of domain the whole torus  $\mathbb{T}$ . Let's consider a TLWE ciphertext  $[m]$  encrypting the message  $m$ , and a function  $f$  of domain  $\mathbb{T}$ . We denote by  $g$  the function:

$$g: \begin{array}{ccc} \mathbb{T} & \rightarrow & \mathbb{T} \\ x & \mapsto & -f(x + \frac{1}{2}) \end{array}$$

We define the Heaviside function  $H$  as:

$$H: x \mapsto \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$H$  can be expressed using the **sign** function as follows:  $H(x) = \frac{\text{sign}(x)+1}{2}$ .

First, we compute  $[H(m)]$  with only one bootstrapping (using Algorithm 2) and deduce  $[(1-H)(m)] = [1] - [H(m)]$ , where  $[1]$  is a noiseless and trivial TLWE sample encrypting 1.

314 Keep in mind that 1 is represented over the torus by  $\frac{1}{\mathcal{M}}$ . Then, we make a keyswitch to  
 315 transform the TLWE sample  $[(1-H)(m)]$  into a TRLWE sample. Finally, we define:

$$\mathbf{c}_{\text{LUT}} = (P_g - P_f) \cdot [(1-H)(m)] + (\mathbf{0}, P_f)$$

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$$\mathbf{c}_{\text{LUT}} = \begin{cases} [P_f] & \text{if } m \geq 0 \\ [P_g] & \text{if } m < 0 \end{cases}$$

317 Note that depending on the sign of  $m$ ,  $\mathbf{c}_{\text{LUT}}$  is a TRLWE encryption of  $P_f$  or  $P_g$ , the test  
 318 polynomials of  $f$  or  $g$ , respectively. Indeed, after a functional bootstrapping of  $[m]$  using  
 319  $\mathbf{c}_{\text{LUT}}$  as a test polynomial, we obtain  $[f(m)]$ . This functional bootstrapping requires 2  
 320 **BlindRotate** during the bootstrapping: one to compute the Heaviside function and the other  
 321 to apply the encrypted LUT. In addition, we can reduce the noise of  $\mathbf{c}_{\text{LUT}}$  by using the  
 322 factorization idea presented in 3.4.

**Proposition 10.** *Let  $\bar{c}$  be the output of the FDFB algorithm with input  $[m]$ . Then, the variance of the noise of  $\bar{c}$  verifies:*

$$\text{Var}(\text{Err}(\bar{c})) \leq (\|P_g - P_f\|_2^2 + 1) \cdot \mathcal{E}_{BS} + (2 \cdot \|P_g - P_f\|_2^2 + 1) \cdot \mathcal{E}_{KS}$$

323 *Proof.* The result corresponds to the error of a ciphertext computed from a private functional  
 324 bootstrapping (section 3.3) with a test vector that is obtained with a public functional  
 325 bootstrapping, followed by a **KeySwitch** and a multiplication by a clear polynomial. Thus,  
 326 we can compose the errors' formulas of each of these operations and get the final result.  $\square$

**Proposition 11.** *Let  $c$  be a TLWE ciphertext, and suppose that we differentiate  $|\mathcal{M}|$  possible input values, the probability of error of the FDFB bootstrapping algorithm with input  $c$  verifies:*

$$P(\text{Err}(c)) = 1 - \text{erf}\left(\frac{1}{2 \cdot |\mathcal{M}| \cdot \sqrt{V_c + V_r} \cdot \sqrt{2}}\right)$$

327 where  $V_r = \frac{n+1}{48N^2}$  is the variance of the error induced by the rounding operation in the  
 328 bootstrapping algorithm.

329 *Proof.* For the first **BlindRotate** to succeed in computing the Heaviside function  $H$ , the noise  
 330 of  $\frac{\lfloor 2Nc \rfloor}{2N}$  has to be smaller than  $\frac{1}{4}$ . Then, for the second **BlindRotate** to succeed and get the  
 331 final result, the noise of  $\frac{\lfloor 2Nc \rfloor}{2N}$  has to be smaller than  $\frac{1}{2|\mathcal{M}|}$ . Since  $|\mathcal{M}| \geq 2$ , we just need  
 332 to take into account the probability of error of the second **BlindRotate**. Finally, we get this  
 333 probability of error thanks to the properties of *erf*.  $\square$

### 334 4.3 Full Domain Functional Bootstrapping–TOTA

335 Yan et al., [Yan+21] proposed this method to evaluate arbitrary functions over the torus using  
 336 a functional bootstrapping. Let's consider a ciphertext  $[m_1] = (\mathbf{a}, b = \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{s} + m_1 + e)$ . Then, by  
 337 dividing each coefficient of this ciphertext by 2, we get a ciphertext  $[m_2] = (\frac{\mathbf{a}}{2}, \frac{\mathbf{a}}{2} \cdot \mathbf{s} + m_2 + \frac{e}{2})$   
 338 where  $m_2 = \frac{m_1}{2} + \frac{k}{2}$  with  $k \in \{0, 1\}$  and  $\frac{m_1}{2} \in [0, \frac{1}{2}]$ . Using the original bootstrapping  
 339 algorithm, we compute  $[\frac{\text{sign}(m_2)}{4}]$  an encryption of  $\frac{\text{sign}(m_2)}{4} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{4} & \text{if } k=0 \\ -\frac{1}{4} & \text{if } k=1 \end{cases}$ . Then,  
 340  $[m_2] - [\frac{\text{sign}(m_2)}{4}] + (\mathbf{0}, \frac{1}{4})$  is an encryption of  $\frac{m_1}{2}$ .

341 For any function  $f$ , let's define  $f_{(2)}$  such that  $f_{(2)}(x) = f(2x)$ . Since  $\frac{m_1}{2} \in [0, \frac{1}{2}]$ , we can  
 342 compute  $f_{(2)}(\frac{m_1}{2})$  with a single bootstrapping using the partial domain solution from 4.1,  
 343 and  $f_{(2)}(\frac{m_1}{2}) = f(m_1)$ .

344 Thus, this method allows computing any function with only 2 bootstrappings. Keep in mind  
 345 that the torus is actually discretized, so some noise and some loss of precision are introduced  
 346 after dividing by 2 due to the rounding of the coefficients.

**Proposition 12.** *Let  $\bar{c}$  be the output of the TOTA functional bootstrapping algorithm for a given input. Then, the variance of the noise of  $\bar{c}$  verifies:*

$$\text{Var}(\text{Err}(\bar{c})) \leq \mathcal{E}_{BS} + \mathcal{E}_{KS}$$

347 *Proof.* The algorithm ends with a functional bootstrapping which directly gives the re-  
 348 sult.  $\square$

**Proposition 13.** *Let  $c$  be a TLWE ciphertext, and suppose that we differentiate  $|\mathcal{M}|$  possible input values, the probability of error of the TOTA algorithm with input  $c$  verifies:*

$$P(\text{Err}(c)) = 1 - \text{erf}\left(\frac{1}{4\sqrt{V_c + V_r} \cdot \sqrt{2}}\right) \cdot \text{erf}\left(\frac{1}{4 \cdot |\mathcal{M}| \cdot \sqrt{\frac{V_c}{4} + V_r + V_{\text{sign}} \cdot \sqrt{2}}}\right)$$

349 where  $V_r = \frac{n+1}{48N^2}$  is the variance of the error induced by the rounding operation in the boot-  
 350 strapping algorithm, and  $V_{\text{sign}}$  is the variance of the sign functional bootstrapping (i.e.,  
 351  $V_{\text{sign}} = \mathcal{E}_{BS} + \mathcal{E}_{KS}$ ).

352 *Proof.* We need to apply two **BlindRotate** over inputs. In order to compute the sign suc-  
 353 cessfully, we need the noise of  $\frac{\lfloor 2Nc \rfloor}{2N}$  to be smaller than  $\frac{1}{4}$ . In order to compute the second  
 354 **BlindRotate** successfully, we need the noise of  $\frac{\lfloor Nc + 2N \cdot \lfloor \frac{\text{sign}}{4} \rfloor \rfloor}{2N}$  to be smaller than  $\frac{1}{4|\mathcal{M}|}$ . Thus,  
 355 the probability of success for the algorithm is the product of the probability of success for  
 356 each **BlindRotate**. Knowing that the probability of error is the complementary to one of this  
 357 product gives us the result.  $\square$

## 358 4.4 Full Domain Functional Bootstrapping with Composition

359 In this section, we present a novel method to compute any function using the full (discretized)  
 360 torus as plaintext space. In this regard, it uses the same plaintext space as solutions presented  
 361 in Sections 4.2 and 4.3.

### 362 4.4.1 Pseudo odd functions

363 We call pseudo odd function a function  $f$  that verifies  $\forall x \in \mathbb{T}, f(-x - \frac{1}{|\mathcal{M}|}) = -f(x)$ . We note  
 364  $\lfloor x \rfloor_{\mathcal{M}}$  the rounding function which discretizes the torus over  $|\mathcal{M}|$  values, and  $f_{\mathbb{T}}$  a pseudo  
 365 odd function over the discretized torus.

366 Let  $h$  be the following function:

$$h: \begin{array}{ll} [0, \frac{1}{2}[ & \rightarrow \mathbb{T} \\ x & \mapsto \lfloor x \rfloor_{\mathcal{M}} + \frac{1}{2|\mathcal{M}|} \end{array}$$

367 Then we can define a functional bootstrapping with an output function  $g_h$  as such:

$$368 \quad g_h: x \mapsto \begin{cases} \lfloor \frac{x}{2N} \rfloor_{\mathcal{M}} + \frac{1}{2|\mathcal{M}|} & \text{if } x \in [0, N[ \\ -\lfloor \frac{x}{2N} \rfloor_{\mathcal{M}} - \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2|\mathcal{M}|} & \text{if } x \in [-N, 0[ \end{cases}$$

369 We now consider the restriction of  $f_{\mathbb{T}}$  over positive values  $[0, \frac{1}{2}[$ . Then we can define  $g_{f_{\mathbb{T}+}}$   
370 as such:

$$371 \quad g_{f_{\mathbb{T}+}} : x \mapsto \begin{cases} f_{\mathbb{T}}\left(\frac{x}{2N}\right) & \text{if } x \in \llbracket 0, N \llbracket \\ -f_{\mathbb{T}}\left(\frac{x+N}{2N}\right) & \text{if } x \in \llbracket -N, 0 \llbracket \end{cases}$$

372 We can compose  $g_{f_{\mathbb{T}+}}$  with  $2Ng_h - \frac{N}{|\mathcal{M}|}$ .

$$373 \quad g_{f_{\mathbb{T}+}} \circ (2Ng_h - \frac{N}{|\mathcal{M}|}) : x \mapsto \begin{cases} f_{\mathbb{T}}(\lfloor \frac{x}{2N} \rfloor_{\mathcal{M}}) & \text{if } \lfloor \frac{x}{2N} \rfloor_{\mathcal{M}} \in [0, \frac{1}{2}[ \\ -f_{\mathbb{T}}(\lfloor \frac{x}{2N} \rfloor_{\mathcal{M}} - \frac{1}{|\mathcal{M}|}) & \text{if } \lfloor \frac{x}{2N} \rfloor_{\mathcal{M}} \in [-\frac{1}{2}, 0[ \end{cases}$$

374 Considering that  $f_{\mathbb{T}}$  is pseudo odd, we get:

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{T}, g_{f_{\mathbb{T}+}} \circ (2Ng_h - \frac{N}{|\mathcal{M}|})(x) = f_{\mathbb{T}}(\lfloor \frac{x}{2N} \rfloor_{\mathcal{M}})$$

375 Therefore  $g_{f_{\mathbb{T}+}} \circ (2Ng_h - \frac{N}{|\mathcal{M}|})$  evaluates a LUT based on  $f_{\mathbb{T}}$  for the whole discretized  
376 torus.

#### 377 4.4.2 Pseudo even functions

378 We call pseudo even function a function  $f$  that verifies  $\forall x \in \mathbb{T}, f(-x - \frac{1}{|\mathcal{M}|}) = f(x)$ .

379 We note  $f_{\mathbb{T}}$  a pseudo even function over the discretized torus.

380 We set  $h$  as:

$$h : \begin{cases} [0, \frac{1}{2}[ & \rightarrow & \mathbb{T} \\ x & \mapsto & \lfloor x \rfloor_{\mathcal{M}} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2|\mathcal{M}|} \end{cases}$$

381 Then we can define a functional bootstrapping with an output function  $g_h$  as such:

$$382 \quad g_h : x \mapsto \begin{cases} \lfloor \frac{x}{2N} \rfloor_{\mathcal{M}} + \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2|\mathcal{M}|} & \text{if } x \in \llbracket 0, N \llbracket \\ -\lfloor \frac{x}{2N} \rfloor_{\mathcal{M}} + \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{2|\mathcal{M}|} & \text{if } x \in \llbracket -N, 0 \llbracket \end{cases}$$

383 We now can compose  $g_{f_{\mathbb{T}+}}$  with  $2Ng_h - \frac{N}{2} - \frac{N}{|\mathcal{M}|}$ .

$$384 \quad g_{f_{\mathbb{T}+}} \circ (2Ng_h - \frac{N}{2} - \frac{N}{|\mathcal{M}|}) : x \mapsto \begin{cases} f_{\mathbb{T}}(\lfloor \frac{x}{2N} \rfloor_{\mathcal{M}}) & \text{if } \lfloor \frac{x}{2N} \rfloor_{\mathcal{M}} \in [0, \frac{1}{2}[ \\ f_{\mathbb{T}}(\lfloor \frac{x}{2N} \rfloor_{\mathcal{M}} - \frac{1}{|\mathcal{M}|}) & \text{if } \lfloor \frac{x}{2N} \rfloor_{\mathcal{M}} \in [-\frac{1}{2}, 0[ \end{cases}$$

385 Considering that  $f_{\mathbb{T}}$  is pseudo even, we get:

$$\forall x \in \mathbb{T}, g_{f_{\mathbb{T}+}} \circ (2Ng_h - \frac{N}{2} - \frac{N}{|\mathcal{M}|})(x) = f_{\mathbb{T}}(\lfloor \frac{x}{2N} \rfloor_{\mathcal{M}})$$

386 Therefore,  $g_{f_{\mathbb{T}+}} \circ (2Ng_h - \frac{N}{2} - \frac{N}{|\mathcal{M}|})$  is a LUT based on  $f_{\mathbb{T}}$  over the whole discretized torus.

### 387 4.4.3 Any function

388 Any function  $f_{\mathbb{T}}$  can be written as a sum of a pseudo even function and a pseudo odd function:  
 389  $f_{\mathbb{T}}(x) = \frac{f_{\mathbb{T}}(x) + f_{\mathbb{T}}(-x - \frac{1}{|\mathcal{M}|})}{2} + \frac{f_{\mathbb{T}}(x) - f_{\mathbb{T}}(-x - \frac{1}{|\mathcal{M}|})}{2}$ . Sections 4.4.1 and 4.4.2 showed we can build  
 390 an homomorphic LUT based on any pseudo odd or pseudo even function with at most 2  
 391 functional bootstrapping operations. This means that we can build one over any kind of  
 392 function with at most 4 functional bootstrapping operations. In practice, since both the  
 393 pseudo odd and the pseudo even functions are evaluated on the same input, a multi-value  
 394 functional bootstrapping (see Section 3.4) can be used to reduce the maximum amount of  
 395 bootstrapping operations to 3. Besides, odd functions and even functions can be computed  
 396 in a very similar way to their pseudo equivalent with only 2 bootstrappings. There are also  
 397 a host of useful functions (sigmoid, monomial functions, trigonometric functions, identity, ...)  
 398 which can be computed using only 2 bootstrapping operations because they are one sum  
 399 away from an odd or even function.

400 Note that this solution is only suitable for precise arithmetic. Indeed, because of the negacyclic  
 401 nature of the bootstrapping operation, we are actually composing discontinuous functions.  
 402 This can lead to unexpected behaviors if the noise of the ciphertext is too big.

**Proposition 14.** *Let  $\bar{c}$  be the output of the composition functional bootstrapping algorithm for a given input. Then, the variance of the noise of  $\bar{c}$  verifies:*

$$\text{Var}(\text{Err}(\bar{c})) \leq 2 \cdot (\mathcal{E}_{BS} + \mathcal{E}_{KS})$$

403 *Proof.* The result comes from the addition of two independent bootstrapped ciphertexts.  $\square$

**Proposition 15.** *Let  $c$  be a TLWE ciphertext, and suppose that we differentiate  $|\mathcal{M}|$  possible input values. The probability of error of the composition functional bootstrapping algorithm with  $c$  verifies:*

$$P(\text{Err}(c)) = 1 - \text{erf}\left(\frac{1}{2 \cdot |\mathcal{M}| \cdot \sqrt{V_c + V_r} \cdot \sqrt{2}}\right) \cdot \left(\text{erf}\left(\frac{1}{2 \cdot |\mathcal{M}| \cdot \sqrt{V_f + V_r} \cdot \sqrt{2}}\right)\right)^2$$

404 where  $V_r = \frac{n+1}{48N^2}$  is the variance of the error induced by the rounding operation in the boot-  
 405 strapping algorithm, and  $V_f$  is the variance of the result of the first functional bootstrapping  
 406 (i.e.,  $V_f = \mathcal{E}_{BS} + \mathcal{E}_{KS}$ ).

407 *Proof.* The proof is similar to the proof of Proposition 13.  $\square$

## 408 5 Look-Up-Tables over Multiple Ciphertexts

409 In section 4, we discussed several functional bootstrapping methods that take as input one  
 410 ciphertext. These methods have a limited plaintext space and precision, and allow evaluating  
 411 look-up tables with a size bounded by the degree of the used cyclotomic polynomial ( $N$ ).  
 412 In addition, these methods are not suited for computing a LUT for a multivariate function  $f$   
 413 that takes as inputs two or more ciphertexts. In order to overcome these issues, we describe  
 414 in this section a method for computing functions using multiple ciphertexts as inputs.

415 Our proposed solution improves the results of Guimarães et al., [GBA21]. They, themselves,  
 416 generalize the ideas of Boura et al. [BST19] and discuss two methods for homomorphic  
 417 computation with digits: a tree-based approach and a chaining approach. We expand on  
 418 the chaining method in order to obtain any function through its use as opposed to the subset  
 419 of function previously allowed.

420 Subsequently, we use this method to apply a LUT to a *single* message decomposed over  
 421 *multiple* ciphertexts. That is, we decompose each plaintext into several digits in a certain base  
 422  $B$  and encrypt these digits separately. Decomposition allows working with a larger plaintext  
 423 space  $\mathcal{I}$  while using an acceptable parameters set for an efficient computation.

424 In this section, we first *review* the tree-based method and then *improve* the chaining method  
 425 to make it fit any function. We show how those methods can be used as building blocks  
 426 in order to compute additions and multiplications of messages decomposed over multiple  
 427 ciphertexts. We then show how to compute the ReLU function over a single, decomposed,  
 428 plaintext. The choice of ReLU as a worthy application of our novel method was made because  
 429 it is the most used activation function in modern convolutional neural networks.

## 430 5.1 Tree-based Method

431 We consider  $d$  TLWE ciphertexts  $(c_0, \dots, c_{d-1})$  encrypting the messages  $(m_0, \dots, m_{d-1})$  over  
 432 half of the torus and  $B \in \mathbb{N}$ , such that each ciphertext  $c_i$  corresponds to an encryption of  
 433  $m_i \in \llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket$ . We denote by  $f: \llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket^d \rightarrow \llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket$  our target function and by  $g$  the  
 434 bijection:

$$g: \begin{array}{l} \llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket^d \rightarrow \llbracket 0, B^d-1 \rrbracket \\ (a_0, \dots, a_{d-1}) \mapsto \sum_{i=0}^{d-1} a_i \cdot B^i \end{array}$$

435 We encode the LUT for  $f$  in  $B^{d-1}$  TRLWE ciphertexts. Each ciphertext encrypts a poly-  
 436 nomial  $P_i$  where:

$$P_i(X) = \sum_{j=0}^{B-1} \sum_{k=0}^{\frac{N}{B}-1} f \circ g^{-1}(j \cdot B^{d-1} + i) \cdot X^{j \cdot \frac{N}{B} + k}$$

437 Then, we apply the BlindRotate algorithm to  $c_{d-1}$  and each TRLWE( $P_i$ ), and use the  
 438 SampleExtract algorithm to extract the first coefficient of the result. We end up with  $B^{d-1}$   
 439 TLWE ciphertexts each encrypting a message  $f \circ g^{-1}(m_{d-1} \cdot B^{d-1} + i)$  for  $i \in \llbracket 0, B^{d-1}-1 \rrbracket$ .  
 440 Thanks to TLWE to TRLWE keyswitching, we batch them into  $B^{d-2}$  TRLWE ciphertexts  
 441 corresponding to the LUT of  $h$  where:

$$h: \begin{array}{l} \llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket^{d-1} \rightarrow \llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket \\ (a_0, \dots, a_{d-2}) \mapsto f(a_0, \dots, a_{d-2}, m_{d-1}) \end{array}$$

442 We iterate this operation until getting only one TLWE ciphertext encrypting  $f(m_0, \dots, m_{d-1})$ .  
 443 Since a function from  $\llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket^d$  to  $\llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket^k$  can be decomposed in  $k$  functions from  
 444  $\llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket^d$  to  $\llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket$ , we can actually build any function between any inputs, once they  
 445 are decomposed in base  $B$  then encrypted.

446 Note that the BlindRotate algorithm is costly and we have to call it  $\sum_{i=0}^{d-1} B^i = \frac{B^d-1}{B-1}$  times.  
 447 Fortunately, we can make it faster by encoding the first LUTs in plaintext polynomials rather  
 448 than TRLWE ciphertexts. Then, we use the multi-value bootstrapping given in [CIM19]  
 449 to compute only one bootstrapping instead of  $B^{d-1}$  in the first step of the algorithm. Thus  
 450 we end-up by running  $1 + \sum_{i=0}^{d-2} B^i = 1 + \frac{B^{d-1}-1}{B-1}$  BlindRotate.

**Proposition 16.** *Let  $\bar{c}$  be the output of the tree-based functional bootstrapping algorithm for a given input on  $d$  digits. Then, if we don't use the multi-value bootstrapping for the first level of the tree, the variance of the noise of  $\bar{c}$  will verify:*

$$\text{Var}(\text{Err}(\bar{c})) \leq d \cdot (\mathcal{E}_{BS} + \mathcal{E}_{KS})$$

*If we use the multi-value bootstrapping with polynomials  $P_i$  we get:*

$$\text{Var}(\text{Err}(\bar{c})) \leq (d-1 + \max(\|P_i\|_2^2)) \cdot \mathcal{E}_{BS} + d \cdot \mathcal{E}_{KS}$$

451 *Proof.* The result comes from the composition of the formulas for multi-value functional  
452 bootstrapping, keyswitching, and private functional bootstrapping.  $\square$

**Proposition 17.** *Let  $(\mathbf{c}_i)_{i \in \llbracket 1, d \rrbracket}$  be  $d$  TLWE ciphertexts corresponding to  $d$  digits of a plain-  
text message. Suppose that we differentiate  $|\mathcal{M}|$  possible input values, the probability of error  
of the tree-based bootstrapping algorithm with inputs  $(\mathbf{c}_i)_{i \in \llbracket 1, d \rrbracket}$  verifies:*

$$P(\text{Err}((\mathbf{c}_i)_{i \in \llbracket 1, d \rrbracket})) = 1 - \prod_{i=1}^d \text{erf}\left(\frac{1}{4 \cdot |\mathcal{M}| \cdot \sqrt{V_{c_i} + V_r} \cdot \sqrt{2}}\right)$$

453 where  $V_r = \frac{n+1}{48N^2}$  is the variance of the error induced by the rounding operation in the  
454 bootstrapping algorithm.

455 *Proof.* The result comes from the fact that for each  $i$ ,  $\mathbf{c}_i$  must have a noise low enough to  
456 allow for a successful BlindRotate.  $\square$

## 457 5.2 Chaining Method

458 The chaining method has a much lower complexity and a lower error growth than the  
459 tree-based method but, as presented in [GBA21], works only for a more restricted set of  
460 functions.

461 We consider  $n$  TLWE ciphertexts  $(\mathbf{c}_0, \dots, \mathbf{c}_{n-1})$  encrypting the messages  $(m_0, \dots, m_{n-1})$   
462 respectively and denote by  $LC(a, b)$  any linear combination of  $a$  and  $b$ . Given some functions  
463  $(f_i)_{i \in \llbracket 0, n-1 \rrbracket}$  so that  $f_i: \llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket \rightarrow \llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket$ , we can build a function  $f: \llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket^n \rightarrow \llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket$   
464 following Algorithm 4. Each  $f_i$  can be implemented in the homomorphic domain using any  
465 functional bootstrapping method described in Section 4. The result of this algorithm has  
466 the same noise as a simple functional bootstrapping, thus much less than the noise output  
467 of the tree method.

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### Algorithm 4 Chaining method

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**Input:** A vector  $(\mathbf{c}_0, \dots, \mathbf{c}_{n-1})$  of TLWE ciphertexts encrypting the vector of messages  
 $(m_0, \dots, m_{n-1})$ .

**Output:** A ciphertext encrypting  $f(m_0, \dots, m_{n-1})$ .  $f$  is defined here by the linear  
combinations chosen at every step and the different single-input functions  $f_i$ .

$\bar{\mathbf{c}}_0 \leftarrow f_0(\mathbf{c}_0)$

**for**  $i \in \llbracket 0, n-2 \rrbracket$  **do**

$\bar{\mathbf{c}}_{i+1} \leftarrow f_{i+1}(LC(\bar{\mathbf{c}}_i, \mathbf{c}_{i+1}))$

**return**  $\bar{\mathbf{c}}_{n-1}$

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468 Most functions cannot be computed in such a simplistic way, which greatly restricts its use  
469 even though it can be effective for functions with carry-like logic as stated in [GBA21].

470 **Generalization.** It is possible to build any function  $f$  using a similar method. We introduce  
471 the function  $g$  such that:

$$g: \begin{array}{ll} \llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket^2 & \rightarrow \llbracket 0, B^2-1 \rrbracket \\ (a_0, a_1) & \mapsto a_0 + a_1 \cdot B \end{array}$$

472 That function is a bijection, which means that if a ciphertext can hold any message in  
473  $\llbracket 0, B^2-1 \rrbracket$ , then we can compute any function of two ciphertexts  $\mathbf{c}_1$  and  $\mathbf{c}_2$  by applying one  
474 functional bootstrapping over  $g(\mathbf{c}_1, \mathbf{c}_2)$ .

475 Note that when using base 2, we can easily build any logic gate with this method. We can  
 476 then build a circuit with these gates for any functions. The same idea works for any base  $B$ .  
 477 However, this generalization comes at the cost of multiple bits of padding and the conception  
 478 of the proper circuit.

479 **Proposition 18.** *Let  $\bar{c}$  be the output of the chaining functional bootstrapping algorithm for  
 480 given encrypted  $d$  digits. Then, the variance of the error of  $\bar{c}$  follows the same formula as  
 481 the last functional bootstrapping method used in the chain.*

482 *Proof.* We get the result by applying the noise formula associated to the last functional boot-  
 483 strapping in the chain and by noticing that it does not depend on the noise of the input.  $\square$

484 The probability of error is highly dependent on the choice of: the encoded LUT in the  
 485 functional bootstrapping applied to each digit, the linear combinations between the inputs  
 486 and outputs of the chained bootstrappings, and the structure of the circuit corresponding  
 487 to the target function. Thus, a general formula cannot be given.

### 488 5.3 Addition

489 We expect additions of two messages to be computed in linear time with respect to the  
 490 number of digits of each message. Thus the tree-based method is ill-suited for this operation,  
 491 since the tree-based method computing time grows exponentially with the number of digits  
 492 used as inputs. Meanwhile, the chaining method is not exactly adapted to this operation  
 493 if applied directly. Nonetheless, we show that we can still use any of the two methods to  
 494 compute the addition effectively.

495 Let  $m_1 = \sum_{i=0}^n m_{1,i} \cdot B^i$  and  $m_2 = \sum_{i=0}^n m_{2,i} \cdot B^i$  be two messages expressed in base  $B$ .  
 496 For each pair  $(i, j)$ , let  $c_{i,j}$  be the ciphertext encrypting the message  $m_{i,j}$ . We define  
 497  $\mathbf{c}_i = (c_{i,0}, \dots, c_{i,n})$  as the vector of ciphertexts encrypting  $m_i$  in base  $B$ . Finally, we denote  
 498 by  $h$  the half adder function, and by  $f$  the full adder one:

$$499 \begin{aligned} h: \begin{array}{l} \llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket^2 \\ (a, b) \end{array} &\rightarrow \begin{array}{l} \llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket^2 \\ ((a+b)[B], \lfloor (a+b)/B \rfloor) \end{array} \\ f: \begin{array}{l} \llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket^2 \times \{0, 1\} \\ (a, b, c) \end{array} &\rightarrow \begin{array}{l} \llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket^2 \\ ((a+b+c)[B], \lfloor (a+b+c)/B \rfloor) \end{array} \end{aligned}$$

500 These two functions are the only requirements to build the addition operation. But, in order  
 501 to be able to create those two adders, we need to create the following sub-functions:

$$502 \begin{aligned} mod: \begin{array}{l} \llbracket 0, 2B-1 \rrbracket \\ x \end{array} &\rightarrow \begin{array}{l} \llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket \\ x[B] \end{array} \\ carry: \begin{array}{l} \llbracket 0, 2B-1 \rrbracket \\ x \end{array} &\rightarrow \begin{array}{l} \{0, 1\} \\ \lfloor x/B \rfloor \end{array} \end{aligned}$$

503 We can use either the tree-based method or the chaining method to compute *mod* or *carry*  
 504 functions. The chaining method needs one bit of padding to work, while the tree-based  
 505 method is slower, especially for the full adder which is a three inputs function. Finally, we  
 506 present Algorithm 5 for computing addition between two vectors of ciphertexts.

507 The time complexity of Algorithm 5 is linear with respect to the number of digits of the  
 508 entries. The noise of each output ciphertext is the same as the noise of a simple bootstrapping  
 509 if we use the chaining method for computing the sub-functions *mod* and *carry*. Meanwhile,  
 510 with the tree-based method, we end-up with the noise of a simple bootstrapping followed  
 511 by two `BlindRotate`.

**Algorithm 5** Addition

**Input:** Two vectors of ciphertexts  $\mathbf{c}_1 = (\mathbf{c}_{1,i})_{i \in \llbracket 0, n-1 \rrbracket}$  and  $\mathbf{c}_2 = (\mathbf{c}_{2,i})_{i \in \llbracket 0, m-1 \rrbracket}$  encrypting two messages  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  written in base  $B$ . We suppose here that  $n \geq m$ .

**Output:** An encryption of  $m_1 + m_2$  in base  $B$ .

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 $(\bar{\mathbf{c}}_{1,0}, \bar{\mathbf{c}}_{2,0}) \leftarrow h(\mathbf{c}_{1,0}, \mathbf{c}_{2,0})$ 
for  $i \in \llbracket 0, m-2 \rrbracket$  do
   $(\bar{\mathbf{c}}_{1,i+1}, \bar{\mathbf{c}}_{2,i+1}) \leftarrow f(\mathbf{c}_{1,i+1}, \mathbf{c}_{2,i+1}, \bar{\mathbf{c}}_{2,i})$ 
for  $i \in \llbracket m-1, n-2 \rrbracket$  do
   $(\bar{\mathbf{c}}_{1,i+1}, \bar{\mathbf{c}}_{2,i+1}) \leftarrow h(\mathbf{c}_{1,i+1}, \bar{\mathbf{c}}_{2,i})$ 
return  $(\bar{\mathbf{c}}_{1,0}, \dots, \bar{\mathbf{c}}_{1,n-1}, \bar{\mathbf{c}}_{2,n-1})$ 

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## 5.4 Multiplication

As we expected linear computation time to be achievable for the homomorphic addition, we expect to achieve quadratic time complexity for homomorphic multiplication. Let  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  be two messages and  $\mathbf{c}_1 = (\mathbf{c}_{1,i})_{i \in \llbracket 0, n-1 \rrbracket}$  and  $\mathbf{c}_2 = (\mathbf{c}_{2,i})_{i \in \llbracket 0, m-1 \rrbracket}$  be their encryption in base  $B$ . In order to evaluate  $m_1 \cdot m_2$  in the encrypted domain, we first multiply each digit of  $m_1$  by each digit of  $m_2$ . Then, we have just to add the obtained elements properly using half and full adders to get the final result.

Since we have already introduced homomorphic adders, we only need to describe how to multiply two digits. Given two messages  $a$  and  $b$  in  $\llbracket 0, B-1 \rrbracket$ , we need to compute  $a \cdot b[B]$  and  $a \cdot b/B$  in the encrypted domain. If we use the tree-base method, we can compute both functions with three LUTs since both functions will use the same selector in the first step. Otherwise, we can also use the generalized chaining method to compute both needed functions using two LUTs, but this method comes at the cost of using multiple bits of padding.

We denote by  $\text{MultDigits}(\mathbf{c}_a, \mathbf{c}_b)$  a method for computing  $a \cdot b[B]$ . In the same way, we denote by  $\text{CarryMult}(\mathbf{c}_a, \mathbf{c}_b)$  a method for computing  $a \cdot b/B$ . Then the multiplication of  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  can be done with Algorithm 6.

**Algorithm 6** Multiplication

**Input:** Two vectors of ciphertexts  $\mathbf{c}_1 = (\mathbf{c}_{1,i})_{i \in \llbracket 0, n-1 \rrbracket}$  and  $\mathbf{c}_2 = (\mathbf{c}_{2,i})_{i \in \llbracket 0, m-1 \rrbracket}$  encrypting two messages  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  written in base  $B$ .

**Output:** An encryption  $\bar{\mathbf{c}} = (\bar{\mathbf{c}}_i)_{i \in \llbracket 0, n+m-1 \rrbracket}$  of  $m_1 \cdot m_2$  in base  $B$ .

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for  $i \in \llbracket 0, n+m-1 \rrbracket$  do
   $\text{SubMul}_i \leftarrow$  empty vector
for  $i \in \llbracket 0, n-1 \rrbracket$  do
  for  $j \in \llbracket 0, m-1 \rrbracket$  do
    Put  $\text{MultDigits}(\mathbf{c}_{1,i}, \mathbf{c}_{2,j})$  in vector  $\text{SubMul}_{i+j}$ 
    Put  $\text{CarryMult}(\mathbf{c}_{1,i}, \mathbf{c}_{2,j})$  in vector  $\text{SubMul}_{i+j+1}$ 
 $\bar{\mathbf{c}}_0 \leftarrow \text{SubMul}_0[0]$ 
for  $i \in \llbracket 1, n+m-1 \rrbracket$  do
   $\bar{\mathbf{c}}_i \leftarrow (\sum_{j=0}^{\text{size}(\text{SubMul}_i)-1} \text{SubMul}_i[j])[B]$  using adders
  Put the carries in  $\text{SubMul}_{i+1}$ 
return  $(\bar{\mathbf{c}}_0, \dots, \bar{\mathbf{c}}_{n+m-1})$ 

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The time complexity of Algorithm 6 is quadratic with respect to the number of digits of the entries. The noise of the outputs is similar to the noise of the adder sub-functions.

## 5.5 ReLU

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531 In this section, we describe how to avoid using the tree-based method, as it is, for the implemen-  
 532 tation of the ReLU activation function. Let's consider  $m = \sum_{i=0}^n m_i \cdot B^i$  a message written using  
 533 radix complement representation in base  $B$ , and  $(\mathbf{c}_i)_{i \in \llbracket 0, n \rrbracket} = (\text{TLWE}_{\mathbf{s}}(m_i))_{i \in \llbracket 0, n \rrbracket}$ .

534 In order to use the tree-based method to evaluate intermediate functions on each encrypted  
 535 digit, we use a functional bootstrapping to create a selector  $S$  from  $\mathbf{c}_n$  that encrypts the  
 536 torus element 0 if  $0 \leq m_n < \frac{B}{2}$  and  $\frac{1}{4}$  if  $\frac{B}{2} \leq m_n < B$ . Note that  $(0 \leq m_n < \frac{B}{2}) \iff (m \geq 0)$ ,  
 537 so the value of  $S$  depends on the sign of  $m$ . Then, for each  $\mathbf{c}_i$ , we create using keyswitching  
 538 a TRLWE ciphertext  $\text{LUT}(\mathbf{c}_i)$  so that for  $j \in \llbracket 0, \frac{N}{2} - 1 \rrbracket$ ,  $\text{SampleExtract}(\text{LUT}(\mathbf{c}_i), j)$  is an  
 539 encryption of  $m_i$ , and for  $j \in \llbracket \frac{N}{2}, N - 1 \rrbracket$ ,  $\text{SampleExtract}(\text{LUT}(\mathbf{c}_i), j)$  is an encryption of 0.  
 540 Then,  $\text{SampleExtract}(\text{BlindRotate}(S, \text{LUT}(\mathbf{c}_i), 0))$  outputs:

$$\bar{c}_i = \begin{cases} \text{TLWE}(0, s) & \text{if } m < 0 \\ \text{TLWE}(m_i, s) & \text{if } m \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

541 Thus,  $(\bar{c}_i)_{i \in \llbracket 0, n \rrbracket}$  encrypts  $\text{ReLU}(m)$  using radix complement representation in base  $B$ .

542 Otherwise, we can compute the ReLU function using the chaining method. Then, each cipher-  
 543 text has to encrypt a value in  $\llbracket 0, 2B \rrbracket$ . First, let's compute a selector  $S$  from  $\mathbf{c}_n$  such that:

$$S = \begin{cases} \text{TLWE}(0, s) & \text{if } m \geq 0 \\ \text{TLWE}(B, s) & \text{if } m < 0 \end{cases}$$

544 Then, let's define:

$$f: \begin{array}{ccc} \llbracket 0, 2B - 1 \rrbracket & \rightarrow & \llbracket 0, 2B - 1 \rrbracket \\ x & \mapsto & \begin{cases} x & \text{if } x < B \\ 0 & \text{if } x \geq B \end{cases} \end{array}$$

545 This function can be computed with one functional bootstrapping. For each  $\mathbf{c}_i$ , we compute  
 546  $\bar{c}_i = f(\mathbf{c}_i + S)$ . We obtain  $(\bar{c}_i)_{i \in \llbracket 0, n \rrbracket}$  an encryption using radix complement representation  
 547 in base  $B$  of  $\text{ReLU}(m)$ .

## 6 Experimental Results

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549 In this section, we compare time and accuracy performances for each of the functional  
 550 bootstrapping presented above.

551 **Parameters.** We considered a wide panel of parameters' sets with either  $\lambda = 80$  or 120 bits of  
 552 security. Considering that  $\lambda$  only depends on the parameters  $n$ ,  $N$  and  $\sigma_{\min}$  which is the stan-  
 553 dard deviation of fresh ciphertexts, we set those parameters as shown in Table 1. We set the  
 554 parameters  $t$  and  $B_{KS}$  relative to key switching to  $t = 3$  and  $B_{KS} = 128$ . This way, `KeySwitch`  
 555 operations are fast enough to be negligible compared to bootstrappings and the resulting  
 556 noise has a very low impact compared to the other sources of noise. The other parameters are  
 557 chosen to give a good representation of the ability of each method and can be seen with the  
 558 results of the experiment in Tables 2, 3, 4, and 5 (which are at the end of the paper).

559 **Accuracy.** In the tables mentioned earlier, we computed the probability of error  $\epsilon$  of each  
 560 method for every set of parameters considered, allowing for a comparison between them.  
 561 Note that the probability of error of each method does not depend on the function applied  
 562 by the bootstrapping except for FDFB. In this particular case, we gave the probability of  
 563 error using the functions `ld` and `ReLU` as well as the worst case. The experiment shows that  
 564 for any given set of parameters, the probability of error is identical between TOTA and  
 565 the partial domain method, or slightly in favor of the latter. Meanwhile, the composition  
 566 method gets much better results than any other method in every case. In the case of FDFB,

567 we can see that the smaller the parameter  $l$  is, the worst it is compared to the others. On the  
 568 opposite, when  $l$  becomes bigger, its results become much better and even compete with the  
 569 composition method. In addition, the choice of the function has a big impact on  $\epsilon$ , and in  
 570 simple cases such as the ReLU and Id function, even the worst set of parameters get similar  
 571 result to the partial domain method and TOTA.

572 **Time performance.** In every case, the speed of each method can be closely approximated  
 573 by the speed of one simple bootstrapping multiplied by the number of bootstrapping needed.  
 574 This result in the partial domain method being the fastest with only 1 bootstrapping needed.  
 575 Then, TOTA is slightly faster than FDFB as it requires less key switching operations. As  
 576 far as the composition method is concerned, the number of bootstrapping depends on the  
 577 function evaluated. Thus, for a simple function such as the absolute value, its speed is  
 578 identical to that of the partial domain method. Meanwhile, the ReLU function needs 3  
 579 bootstrappings which leads to it being about  $\frac{3}{2}$  times slower than TOTA and FDFB.

## 580 7 Conclusion

581 Through the use of several bootstrapping operations and - in some cases - additional oper-  
 582 ations, every full domain method (Sections 4.2, 4.3 and 4.4) adds some output noise when  
 583 compared to the simpler and quicker partial domain method (Section 4.1). The question  
 584 is: does a larger initial plaintext space make up for the added noise and computation time?  
 585 Table 2 and Table 3 shows us that the Yan et al., [Yan+21] (TOTA) method is both less  
 586 accurate and twice as time-consuming than the partial domain method. Kluczniak and  
 587 Schild's [KS21] (FDFB) method, gets a better accuracy for well chosen parameters but is  
 588 still twice as time-consuming as the partial domain method. Our novel composition method  
 589 (Section 4.4) is more accurate than any of the previously mentioned methods, however thrice  
 590 as time consuming as the partial-domain method. As for our digit-decomposition method  
 591 (Section 5), it allows for an arbitrary precision, though with a corresponding running time  
 592 always much higher than the partial domain solution.

593 Given these experimental measures, our recommendations on the use of these functional  
 594 bootstrapping methods are the following, given specific applicative scenarios:

- 595 • **Precise integer arithmetic above all else.** In some cases, precision is the only cri-  
 596 teria that matters. Then, **our generalized digit-decomposition functional boot-**  
 597 **strapping method** is the appropriate choice as it is the *only* method with unbounded  
 598 precision for functional bootstrapping computation of *any* function in the literature.
- 599 • **Efficient approximate or precise integer arithmetic.** In the case where we need  
 600 either an approximate or a precise arithmetic computation in a limited amount of time,  
 601 the **partial domain method** is an obvious choice. Its precision is only constantly  
 602 topped by our Composition method, but the speed difference is the decisive factor here.
- 603 • **Efficient precise modular arithmetic.** There is a case where one wishes to use  
 604 modular arithmetic instead of integer arithmetic. In this case, the partial domain  
 605 method cannot be used as plaintexts are encoded on only half of the torus which is  
 606 not an additive group. In this case one of the full domain methods must be used. If  
 607 the computation must be precise then **our novel composition method** is the most  
 608 precise among the options.
- 609 • **Efficient approximate modular arithmetic.** In the case where the arithmetic  
 610 is modular but the computation is approximate due to large noises in ciphertexts,  
 611 the composition method should be avoided as its behavior becomes unpredictable.  
 612 Therefore the preferred option becomes **FDFB** [KS21].

613 Furthermore, the operators presented in this paper provide key building blocks for enabling  
 614 advanced deep learning functions over encrypted data.

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## A Multi-value Bootstrapping

We remind that any test polynomial for a LUT( $f_i$ ) can be factorized as:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LUT}(f_i) &= \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} \alpha_i X^i = v_0 \cdot v_i \text{ mod}[X^N + 1] \\ v_0 &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot (1 + \dots + X^{N-1}) \\ v_i &= \alpha_0 + \alpha_{N-1} + (\alpha_1 - \alpha_0) \cdot X + \dots + (\alpha_{N-1} - \alpha_0) \cdot X^{N-1} \end{aligned}$$

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### Algorithm 7 Multi-value bootstrapping

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**Input:** a TLWE sample  $\mathbf{c} = (\mathbf{a}, b) \in \text{TLWE}_{\mathbf{s}}(m)$  with  $m \in \mathbb{T}$ , a bootstrapping key  $BK_{\mathbf{s} \rightarrow \mathbf{s}'} = (BK_i \in \text{TRGSW}_{S'}(s_i))_{i \in \llbracket 1, n \rrbracket}$  where  $S'$  is the TRLWE interpretation of a secret key  $\mathbf{s}'$ ,  $k$  LUTs s.t.  $\text{LUT}(f_i) = v_0 \cdot v_i, \forall i \in \llbracket 1, k \rrbracket$

**Output:** a list of  $k$  TLWE samples  $\bar{\mathbf{c}}_i \in \text{TLWE}_{\mathbf{s}}(f_i(\frac{\phi(\bar{\mathbf{a}}, \bar{b})}{2N}))$

- 1: Let  $\bar{b} = \lfloor 2Nb \rfloor$  and  $\bar{a}_i = \lfloor 2Na_i \rfloor \in \mathbb{Z}, \forall i \in \llbracket 1, n \rrbracket$
  - 2: Let  $testv := v_0$
  - 3:  $\text{ACC} \leftarrow \text{BlindRotate}((\mathbf{0}, testv), (\bar{a}_1, \dots, \bar{a}_n, \bar{b}), (BK_1, \dots, BK_n))$
  - 4: **for**  $i \leftarrow 1$  to  $k$  **do**
  - 5:    $\text{ACC}_i := \text{ACC} \cdot v_i$
  - 6:    $\bar{\mathbf{c}}_i = \text{SampleExtract}(\text{ACC}_i)$
  - 7:   return  $\text{KeySwitch}_{\mathbf{s}' \rightarrow \mathbf{s}}(\bar{\mathbf{c}}_i)$
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**Proposition 19.** Let  $\bar{\mathbf{c}}_i$  be the  $i^{\text{th}}$  output of the multi-value functional bootstrapping algorithm with input  $\mathbf{c}$ . Then, the variance of the noise of  $\bar{\mathbf{c}}_i$  verifies:

$$\text{Var}(\text{Err}(\bar{\mathbf{c}}_i)) \leq \|v_i\|_2^2 \cdot \mathcal{E}_{BS} + \mathcal{E}_{KS}$$

*Proof.* The result comes from the fact that we simply multiply the result of a functional bootstrapping with a clear polynomial.  $\square$

**Proposition 20.** Given  $\mathbf{c}$  a TLWE ciphertext, and suppose that we discretize the torus over  $|\mathcal{M}|$  values, the probability of error of the multi-value bootstrapping algorithm with  $\mathbf{c}$  as an input verifies:

$$P(\text{Err}(\mathbf{c})) = 1 - \text{erf}\left(\frac{1}{2 \cdot |\mathcal{M}| \sqrt{V_c + V_r} \cdot \sqrt{2}}\right)$$

where  $V_r = \frac{n+1}{48N^2}$  is the variance of the error induced by the rounding operation in line 1 of Algorithm 7.

*Proof.* The multiplication by a plaintext polynomial has no impact on the probability of error. Thus, the probability of error is the same as a simple functional bootstrapping.  $\square$

**Table 1:** Parameters and security

n	N	$\sigma_{\min}$	$\lambda$
1024	1024	$7.8e^{-09}$	120
900	1024	$8.4e^{-08}$	120
800	1024	$5.9e^{-07}$	120
700	1024	$4e^{-06}$	120
600	1024	$2.8e^{-05}$	120
1024	1024	$1.05e^{-11}$	80
900	1024	$5e^{-11}$	80
800	1024	$3.5e^{-10}$	80
700	1024	$5.5e^{-09}$	80
600	1024	$9.4e^{-08}$	80
500	1024	$1.5e^{-06}$	80

**Table 2:** Parameters and probability of error for half Torus method

n	N	l	Bgbit	$\sigma_{\min}$	$\epsilon$	$ \mathcal{M} $	$\lambda$	time (ms)
1024	1024	3	7	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-10}$	16	120	81.4
1024	1024	3	7	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-35}$	8	120	80.8
1024	1024	4	5	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-37}$	8	120	92.0
1024	1024	5	5	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-37}$	8	120	105.2
1024	1024	3	7	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-132}$	4	120	80.8
900	1024	5	4	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-10}$	16	120	92.5
900	1024	4	5	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-25}$	8	120	82.5
900	1024	5	4	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-34}$	8	120	92.0
900	1024	4	5	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-93}$	4	120	81.8
900	1024	5	4	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-130}$	4	120	92.3
800	1024	9	2	$5.9e^{-07}$	$\leq 2^{-20}$	8	120	119.7
800	1024	4	4	$5.9e^{-07}$	$\leq 2^{-15}$	4	120	72.3
800	1024	6	3	$5.9e^{-07}$	$\leq 2^{-41}$	4	120	91.8
800	1024	13	2	$5.9e^{-07}$	$\leq 2^{-65}$	4	120	156.5
1024	1024	3	7	$1.05e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-10}$	16	80	80.0
1024	1024	4	7	$1.05e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-10}$	16	80	93.5
1024	1024	3	7	$1.05e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-37}$	8	80	80.7
1024	1024	3	7	$1.05e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-142}$	4	80	81.3
900	1024	3	7	$5e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-12}$	16	80	70.9
900	1024	4	7	$5e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-12}$	16	80	81.4
900	1024	3	7	$5e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-42}$	8	80	70.6
900	1024	3	7	$5e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-161}$	4	80	70.7
800	1024	3	7	$3.5e^{-10}$	$\leq 2^{-13}$	16	80	63.0
800	1024	4	7	$3.5e^{-10}$	$\leq 2^{-13}$	16	80	72.4
800	1024	3	7	$3.5e^{-10}$	$\leq 2^{-47}$	8	80	63.4
800	1024	3	7	$3.5e^{-10}$	$\leq 2^{-180}$	4	80	64.3
700	1024	3	7	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-14}$	16	80	54.9
700	1024	12	2	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-15}$	16	80	129.7
700	1024	3	7	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-51}$	8	80	55.7
700	1024	4	6	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-53}$	8	80	63.3
700	1024	3	7	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-198}$	4	80	54.9
600	1024	3	6	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-17}$	8	80	48.1
600	1024	4	5	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-33}$	8	80	55.1
600	1024	13	2	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-59}$	8	80	119.5
600	1024	3	6	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-62}$	4	80	47.5
600	1024	4	5	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-125}$	4	80	55.1

**Table 3:** Parameters and probability of error for TOTA

n	N	l	Bgbit	$\sigma_{\min}$	$\epsilon$	$\mathcal{M}$	$\lambda$	time (ms)
1024	1024	3	7	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-10}$	16	120	160.9
1024	1024	3	7	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-34}$	8	120	162.2
1024	1024	4	5	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-36}$	8	120	184.7
1024	1024	5	5	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-37}$	8	120	209.4
1024	1024	3	7	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-129}$	4	120	161.1
900	1024	5	4	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-9}$	16	120	183.7
900	1024	4	5	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-23}$	8	120	164.1
900	1024	5	4	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-33}$	8	120	183.4
900	1024	4	5	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-84}$	4	120	162.9
900	1024	5	4	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-124}$	4	120	242.6
800	1024	9	2	$5.9e^{-07}$	$\leq 2^{-18}$	8	120	238.8
800	1024	4	4	$5.9e^{-07}$	$\leq 2^{-13}$	4	120	144.3
800	1024	6	3	$5.9e^{-07}$	$\leq 2^{-35}$	4	120	183.0
800	1024	13	2	$5.9e^{-07}$	$\leq 2^{-56}$	4	120	312.5
1024	1024	3	7	$1.05e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-10}$	16	80	159.9
1024	1024	4	7	$1.05e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-10}$	16	80	185.8
1024	1024	3	7	$1.05e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-37}$	8	80	160.7
1024	1024	3	7	$1.05e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-141}$	4	80	160.4
900	1024	3	7	$5e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-12}$	16	80	140.9
900	1024	4	7	$5e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-12}$	16	80	162.0
900	1024	3	7	$5e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-42}$	8	80	146.7
900	1024	3	7	$5e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-161}$	4	80	141.6
800	1024	3	7	$3.5e^{-10}$	$\leq 2^{-13}$	16	80	125.6
800	1024	4	7	$3.5e^{-10}$	$\leq 2^{-13}$	16	80	144.3
800	1024	3	7	$3.5e^{-10}$	$\leq 2^{-47}$	8	80	126.0
800	1024	3	7	$3.5e^{-10}$	$\leq 2^{-180}$	4	80	125.8
700	1024	3	7	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-14}$	16	80	109.9
700	1024	12	2	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-15}$	16	80	259.0
700	1024	3	7	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-51}$	8	80	110.6
700	1024	4	6	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-53}$	8	80	127.2
700	1024	3	7	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-196}$	4	80	109.7
600	1024	3	6	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-15}$	8	80	95.2
600	1024	4	5	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-30}$	8	80	109.2
600	1024	13	2	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-59}$	8	80	236.4
600	1024	3	6	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-53}$	4	80	94.9
600	1024	4	5	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-112}$	4	80	109.4

**Table 4:** Parameters and probability of error for FDFB

n	N	l	Bgbit	$\sigma_{\min}$	$\epsilon$			$ \mathcal{M} $	$\lambda$	time (s)
					worst case	Id	ReLU			
1024	1024	3	7	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-1}$	$\leq 2^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-8}$	16	120	178.9
1024	1024	3	7	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-10}$	$\leq 2^{-62}$	$\leq 2^{-71}$	8	120	178.1
1024	1024	4	5	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-33}$	$\leq 2^{-109}$	$\leq 2^{-115}$	8	120	202.3
1024	1024	5	5	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-56}$	$\leq 2^{-125}$	$\leq 2^{-129}$	8	120	225.0
1024	1024	3	7	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-224}$	$\leq 2^{-326}$	$\leq 2^{-451}$	4	120	176.6
900	1024	5	4	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 0.72$	$\leq 2^{-6}$	$\leq 2^{-4}$	16	120	198.6
900	1024	4	5	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-2}$	$\leq 2^{-13}$	$\leq 2^{-17}$	8	120	177.7
900	1024	5	4	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-5}$	$\leq 2^{-33}$	$\leq 2^{-40}$	8	120	198.2
900	1024	4	5	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-44}$	$\leq 2^{-84}$	$\leq 2^{-196}$	4	120	177.1
900	1024	5	4	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-115}$	$\leq 2^{-200}$	$\leq 2^{-367}$	4	120	247.4
800	1024	9	2	$5.9e^{-07}$	$\leq 2^{-1}$	$\leq 2^{-8}$	$\leq 2^{-10}$	8	120	252.4
800	1024	4	4	$5.9e^{-07}$	$\leq 2^{-4}$	$\leq 2^{-8}$	$\leq 2^{-21}$	4	120	157.5
800	1024	6	3	$5.9e^{-07}$	$\leq 2^{-12}$	$\leq 2^{-23}$	$\leq 2^{-62}$	4	120	196.2
800	1024	13	2	$5.9e^{-07}$	$\leq 2^{-21}$	$\leq 2^{-42}$	$\leq 2^{-109}$	4	120	322.4
1024	1024	3	7	$1.05e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-7}$	$\leq 2^{-34}$	$\leq 2^{-32}$	16	80	176.1
1024	1024	4	7	$1.05e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-37}$	$\leq 2^{-37}$	$\leq 2^{-37}$	16	80	201.6
1024	1024	3	7	$1.05e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-91}$	$\leq 2^{-135}$	$\leq 2^{-137}$	8	80	177.9
1024	1024	3	7	$1.05e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-529}$	$\leq 2^{-544}$	$\leq 2^{-553}$	4	80	177.6
900	1024	3	7	$5e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-8}$	$\leq 2^{-39}$	$\leq 2^{-36}$	16	80	156.1
900	1024	4	7	$5e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-42}$	$\leq 2^{-42}$	$\leq 2^{-42}$	16	80	177.5
900	1024	3	7	$5e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-103}$	$\leq 2^{-154}$	$\leq 2^{-155}$	8	80	155.3
900	1024	3	7	$5e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-601}$	$\leq 2^{-618}$	$\leq 2^{-629}$	4	80	157.0
800	1024	3	7	$3.5e^{-10}$	$\leq 2^{-8}$	$\leq 2^{-43}$	$\leq 2^{-40}$	16	80	138.5
800	1024	4	7	$3.5e^{-10}$	$\leq 2^{-35}$	$\leq 2^{-47}$	$\leq 2^{-47}$	16	80	157.7
800	1024	3	7	$3.5e^{-10}$	$\leq 2^{-114}$	$\leq 2^{-172}$	$\leq 2^{-174}$	8	80	139.3
800	1024	3	7	$3.5e^{-10}$	$\leq 2^{-674}$	$\leq 2^{-694}$	$\leq 2^{-707}$	4	80	138.6
700	1024	3	7	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-1}$	$\leq 2^{-24}$	$\leq 2^{-17}$	16	80	121.4
700	1024	12	2	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-40}$	$\leq 2^{-53}$	$\leq 2^{-53}$	16	80	271.1
700	1024	3	7	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-25}$	$\leq 2^{-123}$	$\leq 2^{-135}$	8	80	122.1
700	1024	4	6	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-60}$	$\leq 2^{-170}$	$\leq 2^{-177}$	8	80	138.5
700	1024	3	7	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-458}$	$\leq 2^{-595}$	$\leq 2^{-725}$	4	80	121.2
600	1024	3	6	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-1}$	$\leq 2^{-6}$	$\leq 2^{-7}$	8	80	104.8
600	1024	4	5	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-2}$	$\leq 2^{-16}$	$\leq 2^{-20}$	8	80	119.4
600	1024	13	2	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-25}$	$\leq 2^{-133}$	$\leq 2^{-148}$	8	80	246.2
600	1024	3	6	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-19}$	$\leq 2^{-37}$	$\leq 2^{-98}$	4	80	104.7
600	1024	4	5	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-53}$	$\leq 2^{-103}$	$\leq 2^{-250}$	4	80	118.9

**Table 5:** Parameters and probability of error for the composition method

n	N	l	Bgbt	$\sigma_{\min}$	$\epsilon$	$ \mathcal{M} $	$\lambda$	time (s)	
								abs	ReLU
1024	1024	3	7	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-32}$	16	120	80.6	241.3
1024	1024	3	7	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-123}$	8	120	80.7	241.0
1024	1024	4	5	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-137}$	8	120	92.1	277.4
1024	1024	5	5	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-139}$	8	120	105.5	312.1
1024	1024	3	7	$7.8e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-482}$	4	120	80.6	240.9
900	1024	5	4	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-29}$	16	120	91.8	274.7
900	1024	4	5	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-66}$	8	120	81.4	247.7
900	1024	5	4	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-109}$	8	120	91.9	275.1
900	1024	4	5	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-255}$	4	120	81.5	243.6
900	1024	5	4	$8.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-427}$	4	120	94.8	276.9
800	1024	9	2	$5.9e^{-07}$	$\leq 2^{-48}$	8	120	120.1	358.9
800	1024	4	4	$5.9e^{-07}$	$\leq 2^{-30}$	4	120	72.2	216.5
800	1024	6	3	$5.9e^{-07}$	$\leq 2^{-89}$	4	120	91.5	273.9
800	1024	13	2	$5.9e^{-07}$	$\leq 2^{-154}$	4	120	157.1	469.7
1024	1024	3	7	$1.05e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-36}$	16	80	80.0	239.3
1024	1024	4	7	$1.05e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-36}$	16	80	93.0	276.2
1024	1024	3	7	$1.05e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-140}$	8	80	80.1	240.3
1024	1024	3	7	$1.05e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-554}$	4	80	80.2	241.3
900	1024	3	7	$5e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-40}$	16	80	70.6	210.8
900	1024	4	7	$5e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-41}$	16	80	81.1	242.8
900	1024	3	7	$5e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-159}$	8	80	70.8	211.0
900	1024	3	7	$5e^{-11}$	$\leq 2^{-630}$	4	80	70.8	212.3
800	1024	3	7	$3.5e^{-10}$	$\leq 2^{-45}$	16	80	62.8	188.1
800	1024	4	7	$3.5e^{-10}$	$\leq 2^{-45}$	16	80	72.2	216.3
800	1024	3	7	$3.5e^{-10}$	$\leq 2^{-179}$	8	80	63.4	188.9
800	1024	3	7	$3.5e^{-10}$	$\leq 2^{-708}$	4	80	63.4	189.7
700	1024	3	7	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-49}$	16	80	54.8	165.9
700	1024	12	2	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-52}$	16	80	130.1	388.4
700	1024	3	7	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-191}$	8	80	55.4	165.9
700	1024	4	6	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-201}$	8	80	63.4	190.0
700	1024	3	7	$5.5e^{-09}$	$\leq 2^{-753}$	4	80	54.9	164.3
600	1024	3	6	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-37}$	8	80	47.8	142.6
600	1024	4	5	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-85}$	8	80	54.9	163.8
600	1024	13	2	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-220}$	8	80	119.0	354.5
600	1024	3	6	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-139}$	4	80	47.7	142.0
600	1024	4	5	$9.4e^{-08}$	$\leq 2^{-331}$	4	80	54.9	163.8