

# A FAST NEAREST NEIGHBOR SEARCH SCHEME OVER OUTSOURCED ENCRYPTED CLOUD DATA

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## ABSTRACT

Cloud computing has generated much interest in the research community in recent years for its many advantages, but has also raise security and privacy concerns. The storage and access of confidential documents have been identified as one of the central problems in the area. In particular, many researchers investigated solutions to search over encrypted documents stored on remote cloud servers. While many schemes have been proposed to perform conjunctive keyword search, less attention has been noted on more specialized searching techniques. In this paper, we present a phrase search technique based on Bloom filters that is significantly faster than existing solutions, with similar or better storage and communication cost. Our technique uses a series of n-gram filters to support the functionality. The scheme exhibits a trade-off between storage and false positive rate, and is adaptable to defend against inclusion-relation attacks. A design

approach based on an application's target false positive rate is also described.

## I. INTRODUCTION

As organizations and individuals adopt cloud technologies, many have become aware of the serious concerns regarding security and privacy of accessing personal and confidential information over the Internet. In particular, the recent and continuing data breaches highlight the need for more secure cloud storage systems. While it is generally agreed that encryption is necessary, cloud providers often perform the encryption and maintain the private keys instead of the data owners. That is, the cloud can read any data it desired, providing no privacy to its users. The storage of private keys and encrypted data by the cloud provider is also problematic in case of data breach. Hence, researchers have actively been exploring solutions for secure storage on private and public clouds where private keys remain in the hands of data owners.

Boneh et al. [1] proposed one of the earliest works on keyword searching. Their scheme uses public key encryption to allow keywords to be searchable without revealing data content. Waters et al. [2] investigated the problem for searching over encrypted audit logs. Many of the early works focused on single keyword searches. Recently, researchers have proposed solutions on conjunctive keyword search, which involves multiple keywords [3], [4]. Other interesting problems, such as the ranking of search results [5], [6], [7] and searching with keywords that might contain errors [8], [9] termed fuzzy keyword search, have also been considered. The ability to search for phrases was also recently investigated [10], [11], [12], [13]. Some [14] have examined the security of the proposed solutions and, where flaws were found, solutions were proposed [15].

In this paper, we present a phrase search scheme which achieves a much faster response time than existing solutions. The scheme is also scalable, where documents can easily be removed and added to the corpus. We also describe modifications to the scheme to lower storage cost at a small cost in response time and to defend against cloud providers with statistical knowledge on stored data. We begin by presenting the communication framework in section 2 and various backgrounds including related works in section 3. Although phrase searches are processed independently using our technique, they are

typically a specialized function in a keyword search scheme, where the primary function is to provide conjunctive keyword searches. Therefore, we describe both the basic conjunctive keyword Search algorithm and the basic phrase search algorithm in section 4 along with design techniques in section 4.3. Performance analysis and experimental results are included in section 5 and 6.

## II. LITERATURE SURVEY

In paper [1] conferred a phrase search theme supported Bloom filter that's considerably quicker than existing approaches, requiring solely one spherical of communication and Bloom filter verifications. The answer addresses the high process value noted in by reformulating phrase. Their approach is also the primary to effectively permit phrase search to run severally while not first play acting a conjunctive keyword search to spot candidate documents. The technique of constructing a Bloom filter index introduced allows quick verification of Bloom filters in the same manner as compartmentalization [6]. Strengths: scale back storage value and provide security within the sort of false positives and adapt the theme to defend against inclusion relation attacks. Weakness: The verification speed is less and fewer communication value.

In paper [7] they proposed a viable way to deal with take care of the issue of equivalent word based

multi-watchword positioned seek over encoded cloud information. The filed records can be refined when affirmed cloud customers input the comparable expressions of the predefined catch phrases, not the right or cushy organizing watchwords, due to the possible proportionate word substitution and also the non-appearance of right finding out about the data. For the first time they formalize and manage the issue of supporting efficient yet security ensuring padded look for accomplishing productive use of remotely set away blended information in Cloud Computing. Strengths: Computation complexity is greatly reduced and improves the potency of the server to retrieve the encryption information. Weakness: The server cannot generate trapdoor itself.

In paper [8] they have format an induced approach to gather the breaking point efficient delicate catch phrase sets by mauling a significant wisdom on the comparability metric of progress divided. In context of the created padded watchword sets, they have additionally proposed an efficient cushy catch phrase look design. Through cautious security examination, they show that our proposed strategy is secure and confirmation guarding, while effectively understanding the objective of cushy catch phrase look.

In paper [9] they proposed a multi-catch phrase look plot in light of Wang et al's conpire. They addition

ally novel technique for watchword changes and presents the stemming calculation. Their plan does not require a predefined catch phrases set and thus empowers efficient file refresh. In this paper, they examine the issue of multi-catch phrase cushioned situated investigate mixed cloud data. They propose a multi-catch phrases soft situated look for plan in perspective of Wang et al's plot. Weakness- These schemes aim solely to protect the keyword set of a single question, whereas the relations between different queries don't seem to be studied.

In paper [10] additional studied the matter of searchable encoding, that solves the perplexity of maintaining the confidentiality of knowledge and also the ability for a consumer to search. They have introduced the model of phrase search with symmetric encoding and its security definition, and then propose a construction and its security proof. They have proved that their scheme achieves non-adaptive security. Strengths: It achieves non-accommodative security. Weakness: It doesn't meet the standards of adaptive security.

In paper [6] conferred a phrase search theme based mostly on Bloom filter that achieves eight times lower storage value in their experiment than the prevailing solutions whereas exhibiting similar or higher com

munication and process requirements. The planned resolution provides the basic ranking capability, may be custom-made to non-keyword search and is appropriate against inclusion-relation attacks

[11]. Strengths: The flexibility to look over the encrypted information and provides the basic ranking capability, may be custom-made to non-keyword search and is appropriate against inclusion relation attack. Weakness: Totally different split values may leak information on the document content.

In paper [14] they asked about the issue of articulation and analyzed mixed data and proposed a dynamic multi-phrase or orchestrated scan for over-encoded data with symmetric open encryption. Not the same as prior work, our arrangement enables data customer to look through a couple of articulations in a demand request, and the data proprietor can vitalize the outsourced data at less cost. Remembering the true objective to rank the round-down things, they found the centrality scores inside the TFIDF appear on client side. It conceivably keeps up a key division from the spillage of significance scores. The novel synopsis associates with data customer to look over encoded data successfully.

In paper [15] they propose another MRSE structure which beats each and every one of the bits of the KNN-SE based MRSE systems. Specifically, their new system does not require a predefined watchword set and sponsorship catchphrases in subjective ton

gues, is a multi-customer structure which reinforces flexible request guaranteeing and time-controlled foreswearing, and it achieves better data security attestation since even the cloud server can't tell which records are the best  $k$  occurs obviously returned to a data customer. They proposed multi-catchphrase rank open encryption which vanquishes every last one of the defects of the KNN-SE based MRSE frameworks.

In paper [17] they proposed multi-keyword rank searchable encryption which conquers every one of the imperfections of the KNN-SE based MRSE frameworks. The framework permits flexible hunt approval and time controlled disavowal. They demonstrated the security of the framework and directed broad PC reenactment to show its efficiency. Strengths: The system allows flexible search authorization and time-controlled revocation. In paper [16] they stick and handle the issue of secure multi-watchword top- $k$  recovery over blended cloud information. They defined respectability congruity and plan quality. In light of order preserving encryption bafflingly releases scrappy data; they devise a server side planning SSE make. They by then propose a two-round open encryption (TRSE) plot utilizing the absolutely homomorphic encryption, which fulfill these security stray bits of multi-

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### III. PROPOSED SYSTEM

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 faster response time than existing solutions. The  
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1. The Data retrieval is fast due to Conjunctive  
 keyword search scheme.

2. The security is more on outsourced data due to  
 Modified phrase search scheme against IR  
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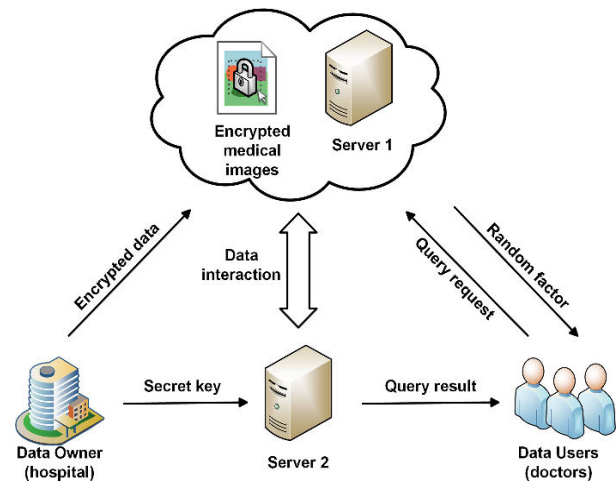


Fig: Architecture of the proposed methodology

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## VI. CONCLUSION

In this paper, we presented a phrase search scheme based on Bloom filter that is significantly faster than existing approaches, requiring only a single round of communication and Bloom filter verifications. The solution addresses the high computational cost noted in [13] by reformulating phrase search as n-gram verification rather than a location search or a sequential chain verification. Unlike [10], [12],[13], our schemes consider only the existence of a phrase, omitting any information of its location. Unlike [11], our schemes do not require sequential verification, is parallelizable

and has a practical storage requirement. Our approach is also the first to effectively allow phrase search to run independently without first performing a conjunctive keyword search to identify candidate documents. The technique of constructing a Bloom filter index introduced in section 4.2 enables fast verification of Bloom filters in the same manner as indexing. According to our experiment, it also achieves a lower storage cost than all existing solutions except [13], where a higher computational cost was exchanged in favor of lower storage. While exhibiting similar communication cost to leading existing solutions, the proposed solution can also be adjusted to achieve maximum speed or high speed with a reasonable storage cost depending on the application. An approach is also described to adapt the scheme to defend against inclusion-relation attacks. Various issues on security and efficiency, such as the effect of long phrases and precision rate, were also discussed to support our design choices.

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