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Novel Side-Channel Attacks on Quasi-Cyclic Code-Based Cryptography

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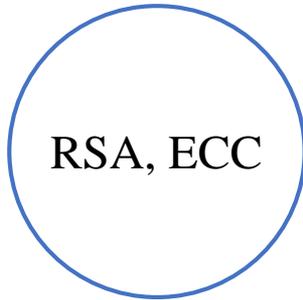
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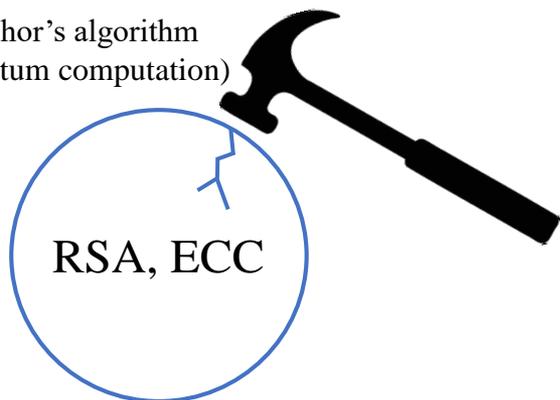


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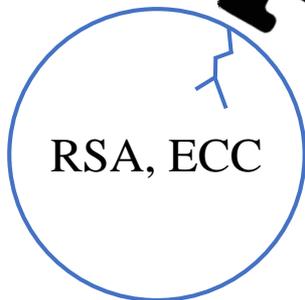
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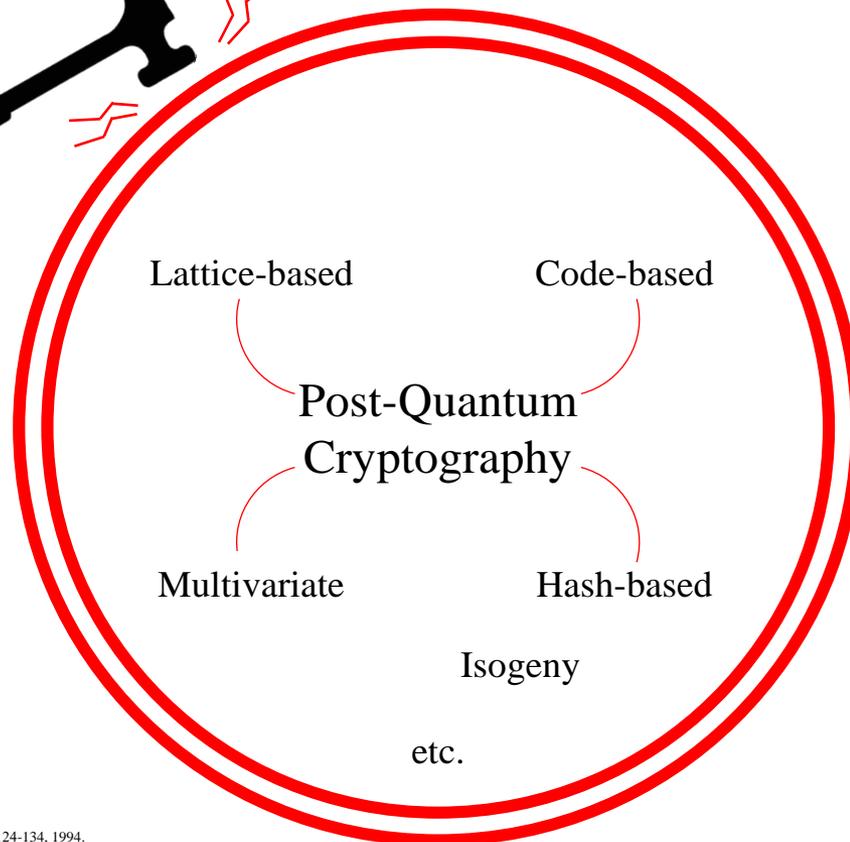
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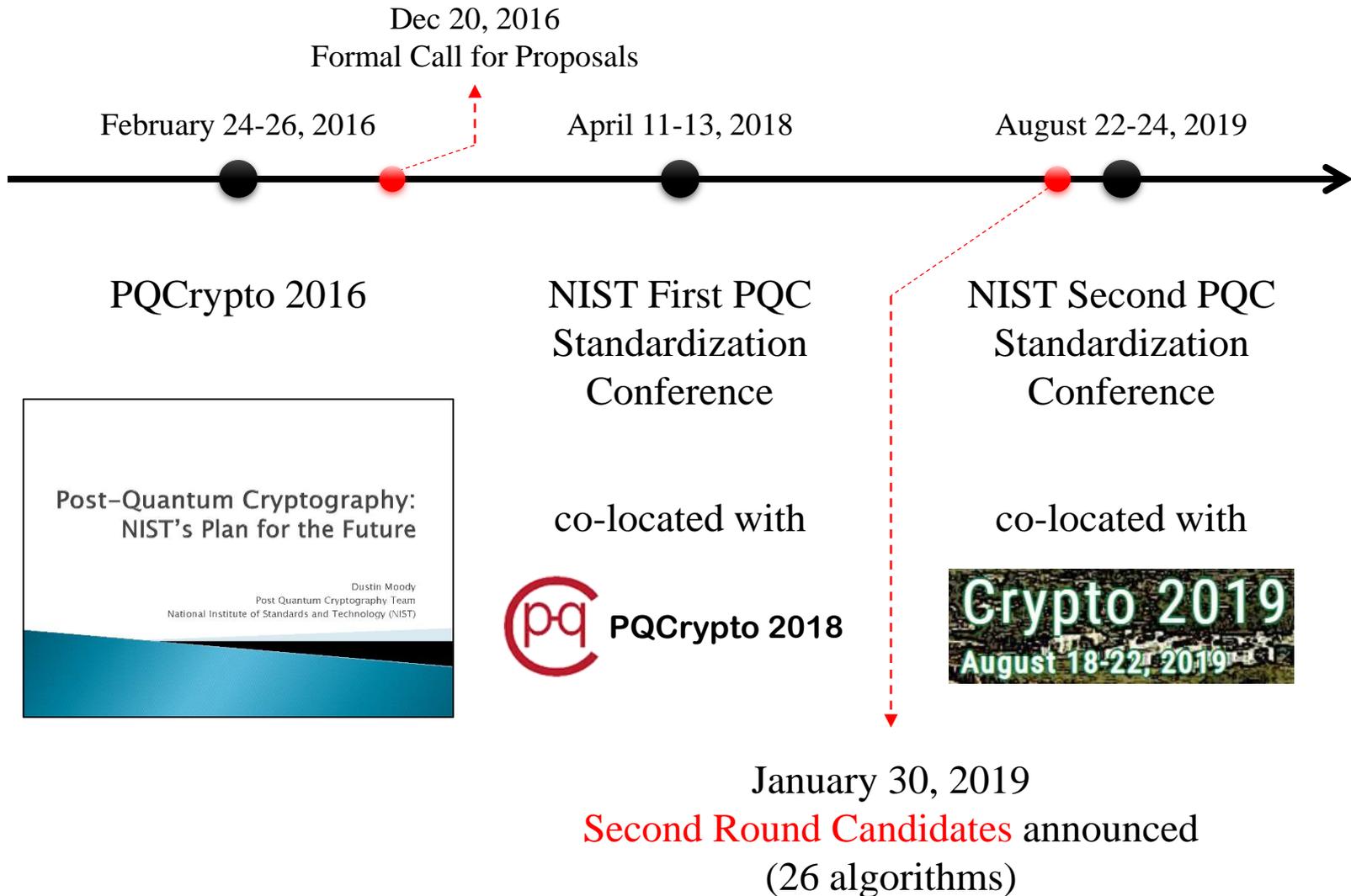
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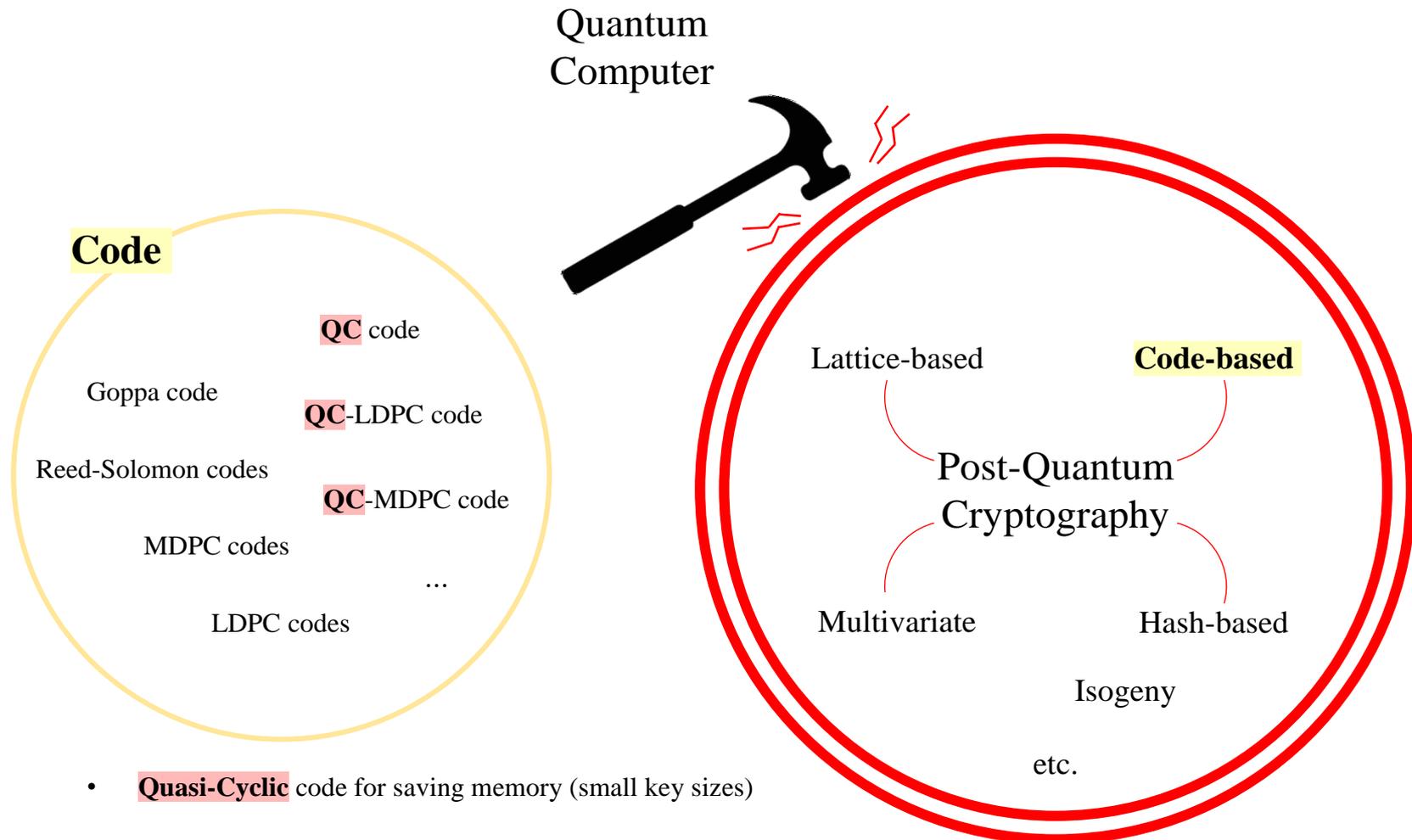


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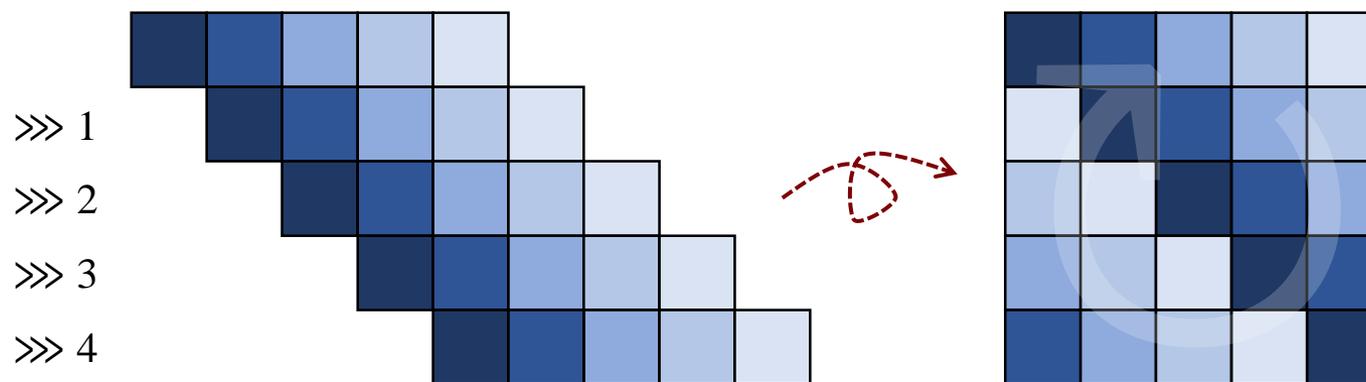
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QC (Quasi-Cyclic) Code

❖ Circulant matrix

- The **top row** (or the leftmost column) of a circulant matrix is the generator of the circulant matrix



❖ Quasi-Cyclic Matrix

$$H = \left(\begin{array}{cc} \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{ccccc} \text{Dark Blue} & \text{Blue} & \text{Light Blue} & \text{Very Light Blue} & \text{White} \\ \text{White} & \text{Dark Blue} & \text{Blue} & \text{Light Blue} & \text{Very Light Blue} \\ \text{Light Blue} & \text{White} & \text{Dark Blue} & \text{Blue} & \text{Light Blue} \\ \text{Very Light Blue} & \text{Light Blue} & \text{White} & \text{Dark Blue} & \text{Blue} \\ \text{White} & \text{Very Light Blue} & \text{Light Blue} & \text{White} & \text{Dark Blue} \end{array} \\ H_0 \end{array} & \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{ccccc} \text{Dark Orange} & \text{Orange} & \text{Light Orange} & \text{Very Light Orange} & \text{White} \\ \text{White} & \text{Dark Orange} & \text{Orange} & \text{Light Orange} & \text{Very Light Orange} \\ \text{Light Orange} & \text{White} & \text{Dark Orange} & \text{Orange} & \text{Light Orange} \\ \text{Very Light Orange} & \text{Light Orange} & \text{White} & \text{Dark Orange} & \text{Orange} \\ \text{White} & \text{Very Light Orange} & \text{Light Orange} & \text{White} & \text{Dark Orange} \end{array} \\ H_1 \end{array} \end{array} \right)$$

QC (Quasi-Cyclic) Code

❖ Syndrome computation $H \cdot c^T$

$$\begin{aligned}
 H \cdot c^T &= \left(\begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline \text{Blue Grid} \\ \hline \end{array} \\ \hline \begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|} \hline \text{Brown Grid} \\ \hline \end{array} \\ \hline \end{array} \right) \times \left(\begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \text{Red Vector } c_0^T \\ \hline \end{array} \\ \hline \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \text{Purple Vector } c_1^T \\ \hline \end{array} \end{array} \right) \\
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QC (Quasi-Cyclic) Code

❖ Syndrome computation $H \cdot c^T$

0	1	2	3	4
0	1	0	0	1
1	0	1	0	0
0	1	0	1	0
0	0	1	0	1
1	0	0	1	0

H_0

×



c_0^T

2014 Timing Attack
(Simple Power Analysis)

Constant-Time Multiplication for QC (Quasi-Cyclic) Code

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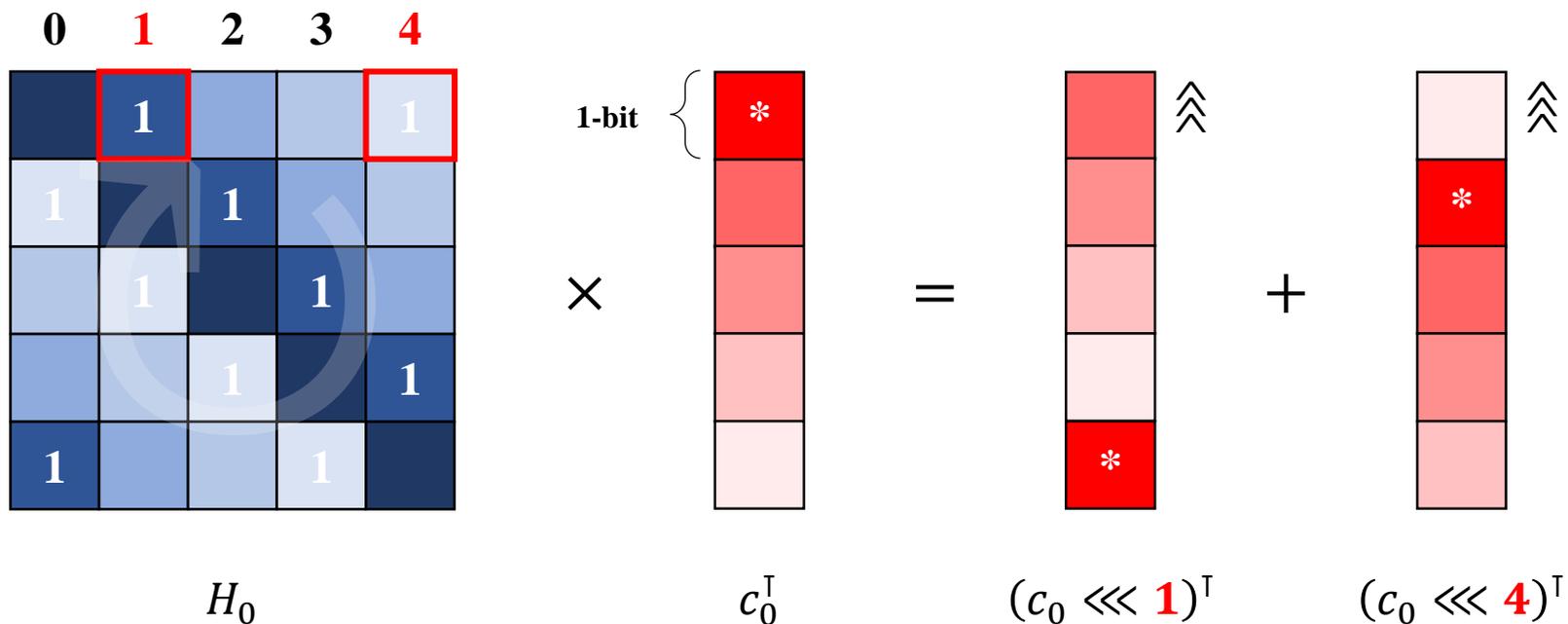


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2016 Constant-Time Implementation

Constant-Time Multiplication for QC (Quasi-Cyclic) Code

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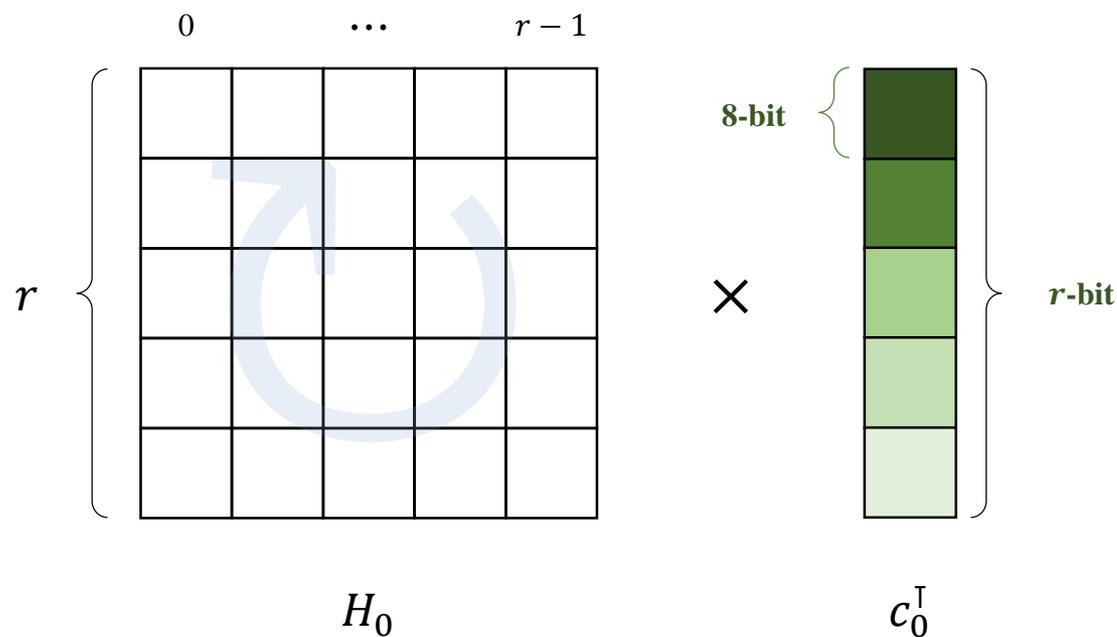
Calculated by
Constant-Time Multiplication

* $\in \{0,1\}$

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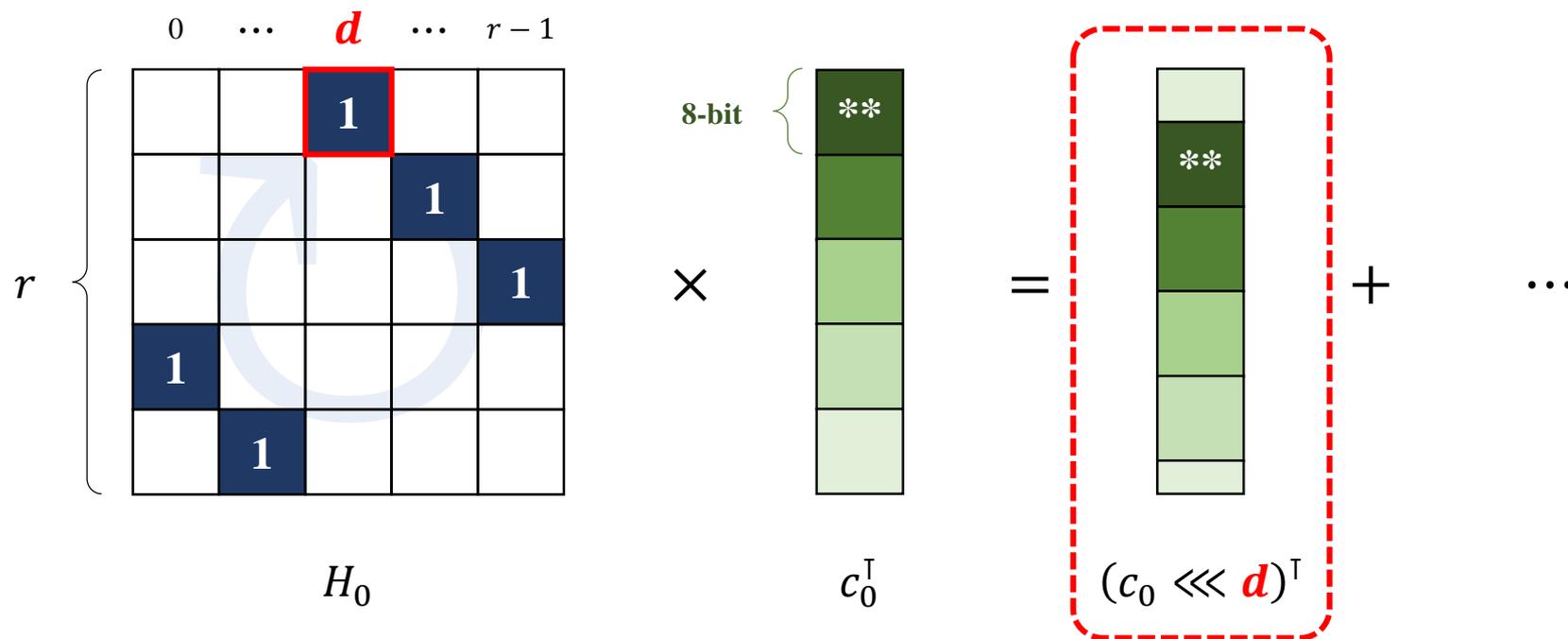
8-bit word



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** $\in \{0,1\}^8$

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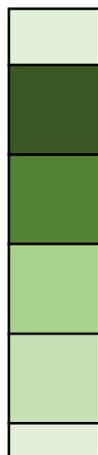
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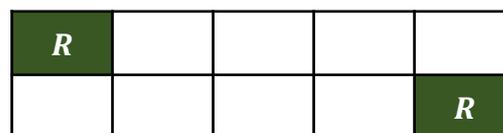
↑ d_7

8-bit word

$$2^7 = 128\text{-bit} \rightarrow 16\text{-byte}$$



16-byte rotate \ll



unrotated

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$$(c_0 \lll d)^T$$

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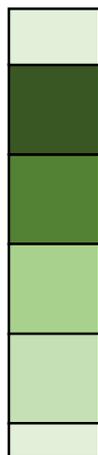
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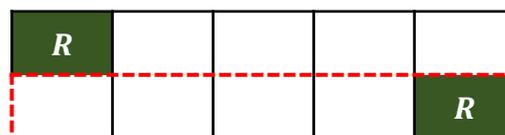
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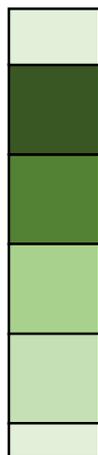
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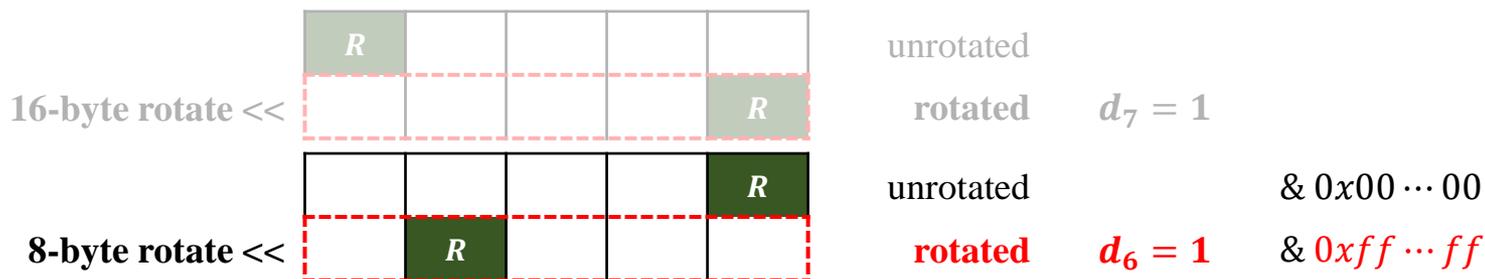
↑ d_6

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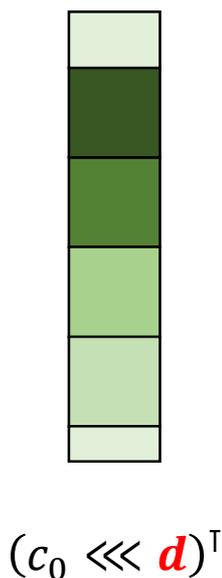
❖ Syndrome computation $H \cdot c^T$

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↑ d_4

8-bit word

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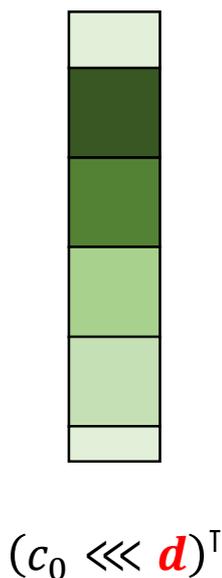
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↑ d_3

8-bit word

$$2^3 = 8\text{-bit} \rightarrow 1\text{-byte}$$



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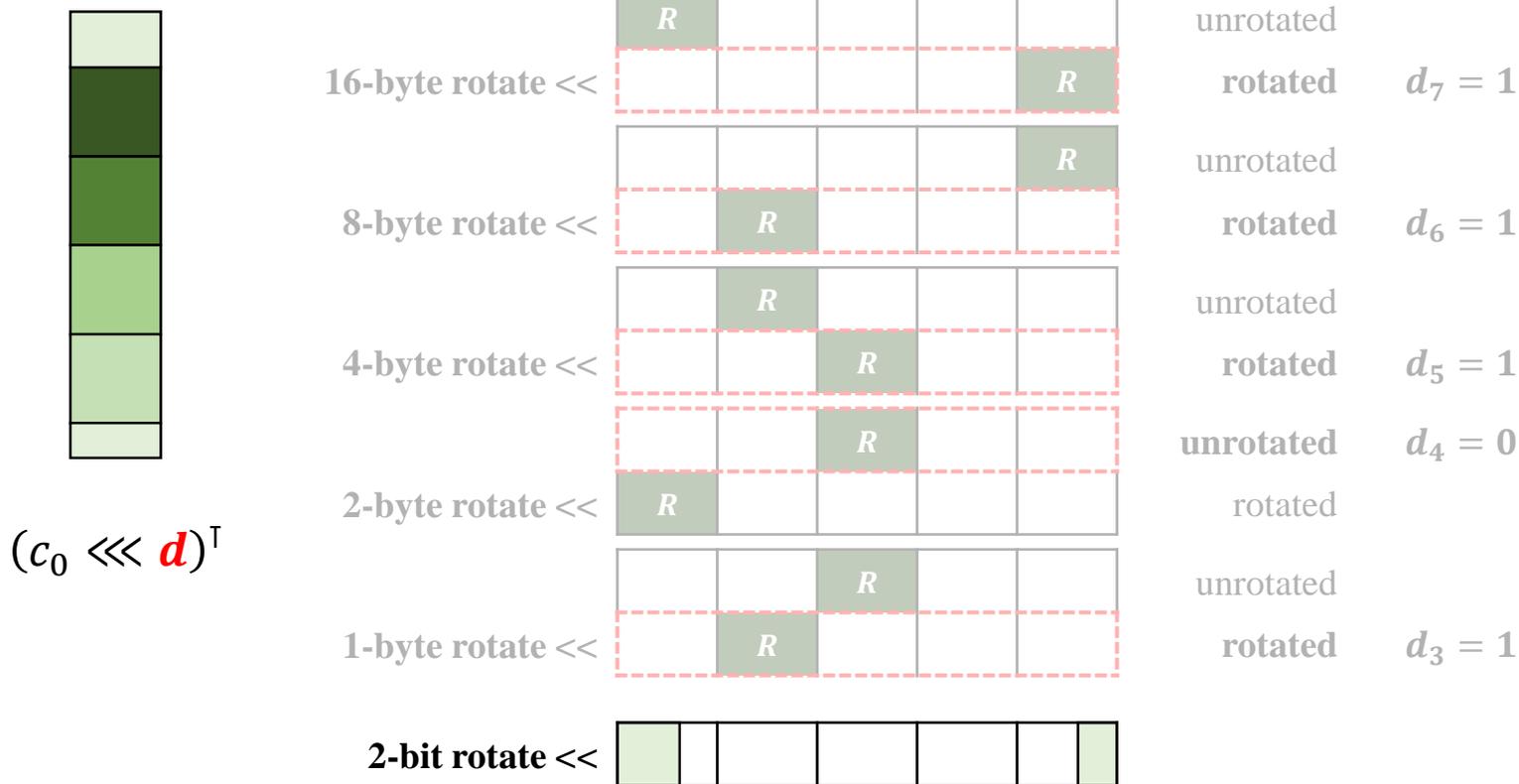
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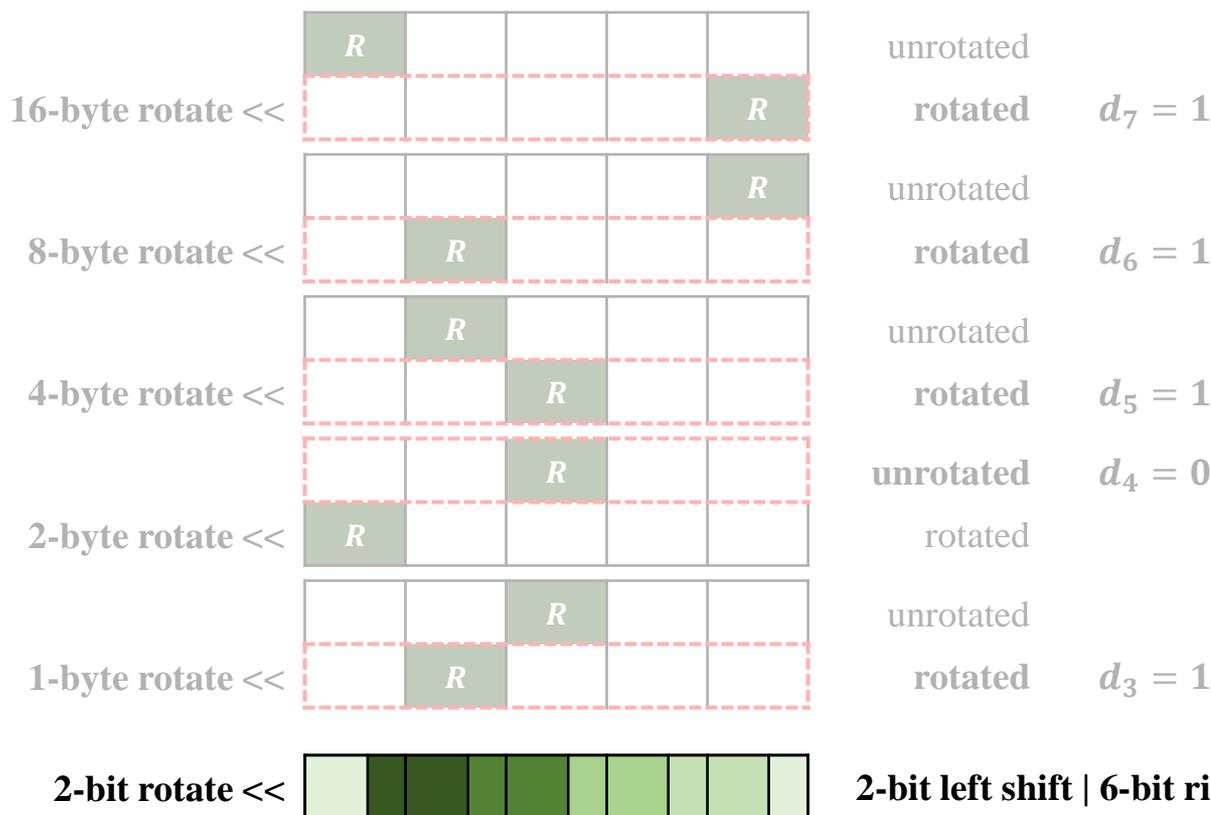
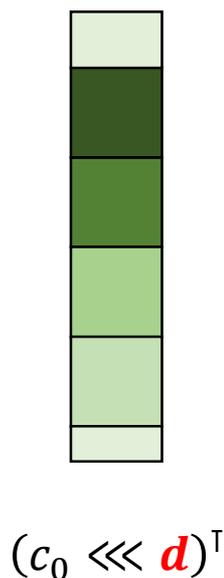
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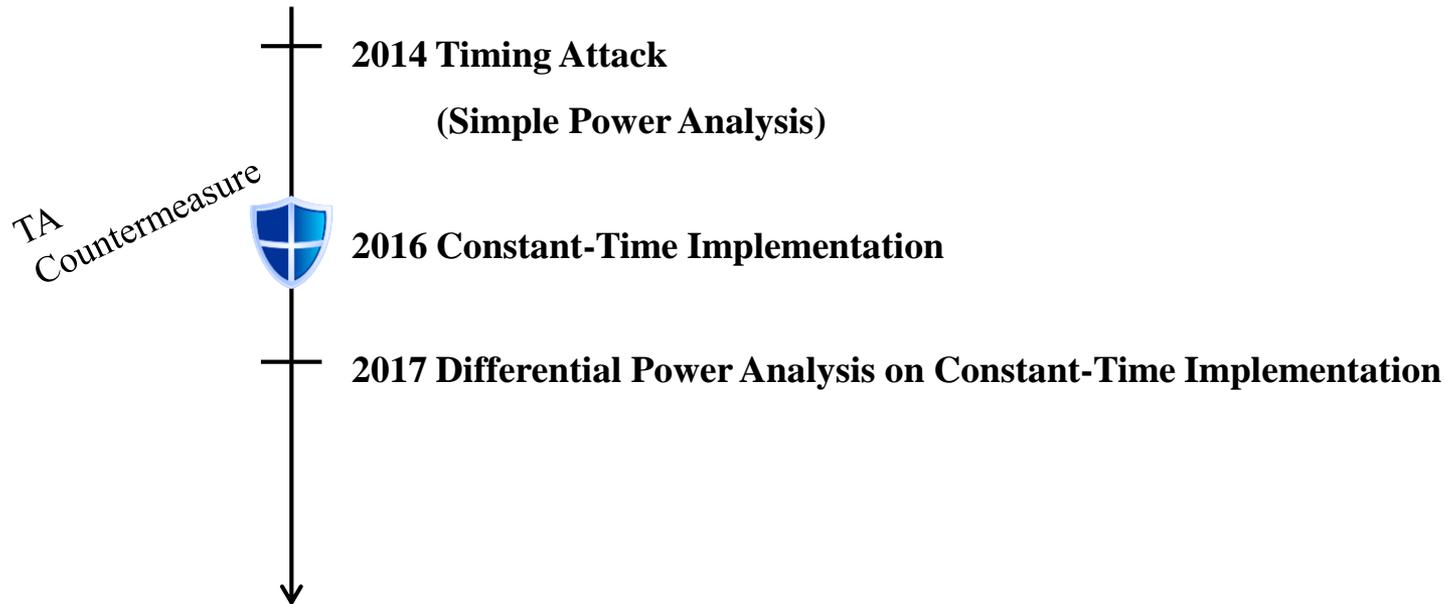
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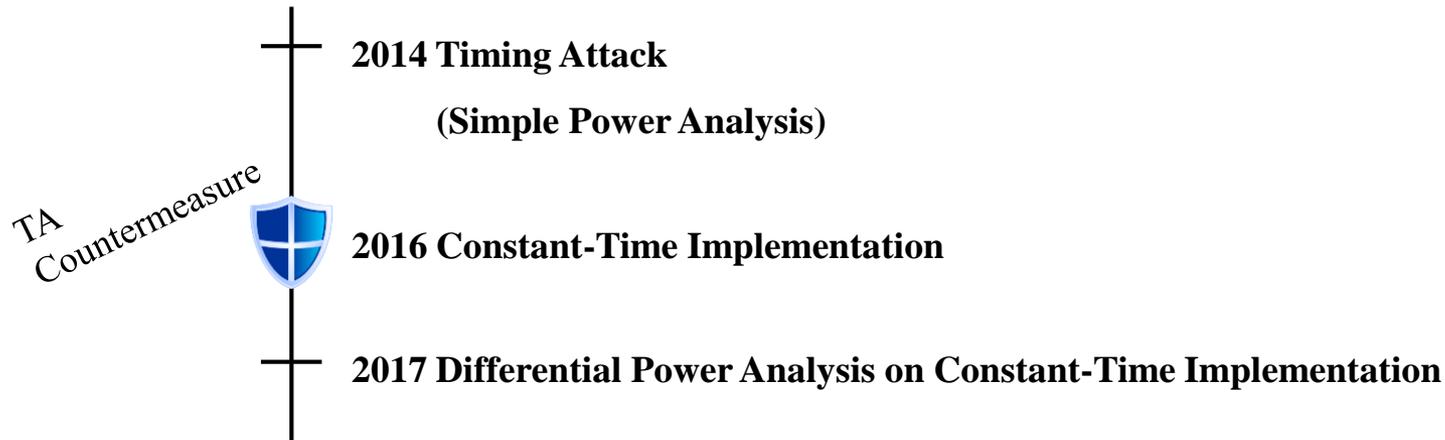
Side-Channel Attacks on QC Code-Based Cryptography

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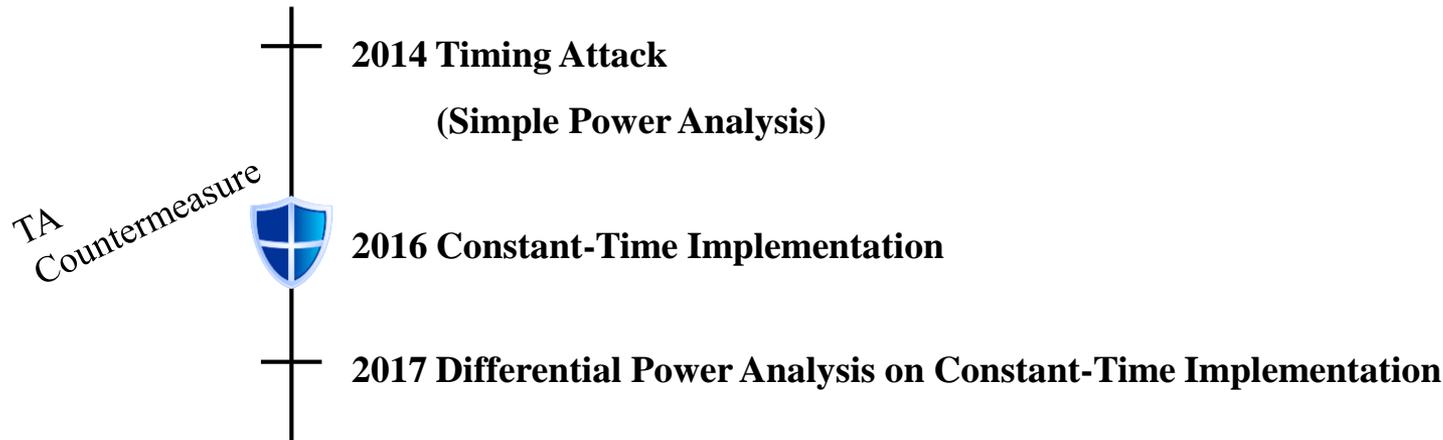


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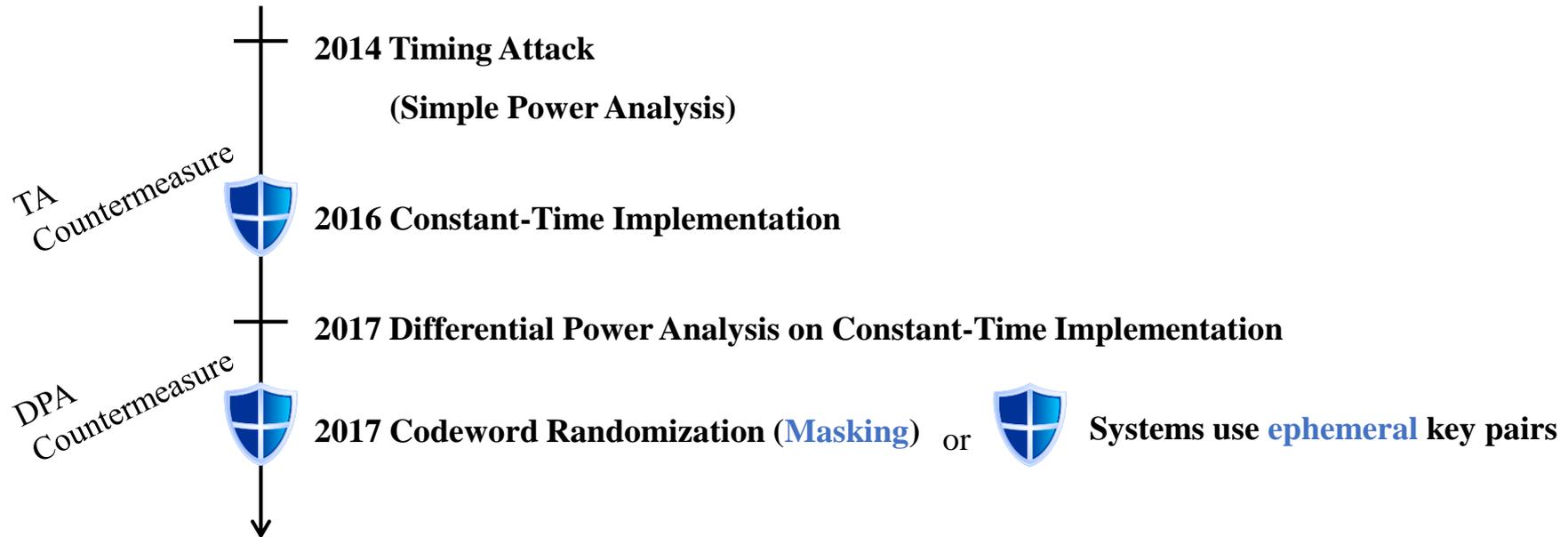
★ In this paper

Enhanced Multiple-Trace Attack which can recover accurate secret indices using only side-channel information



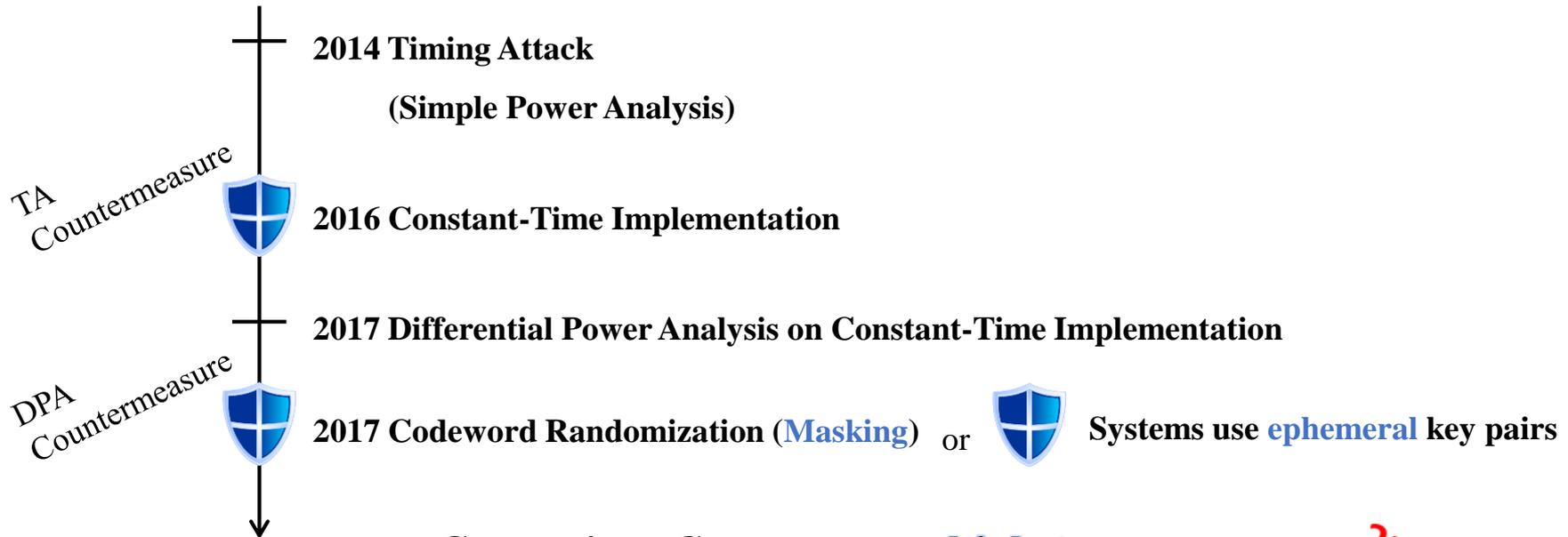
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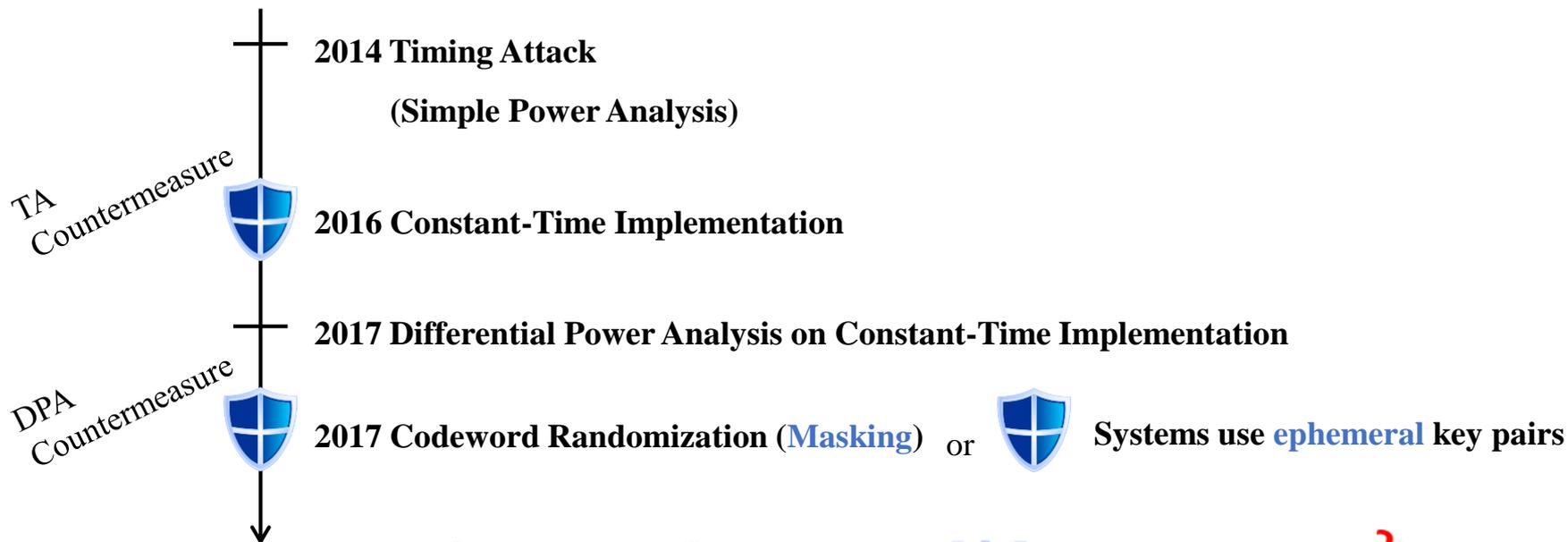
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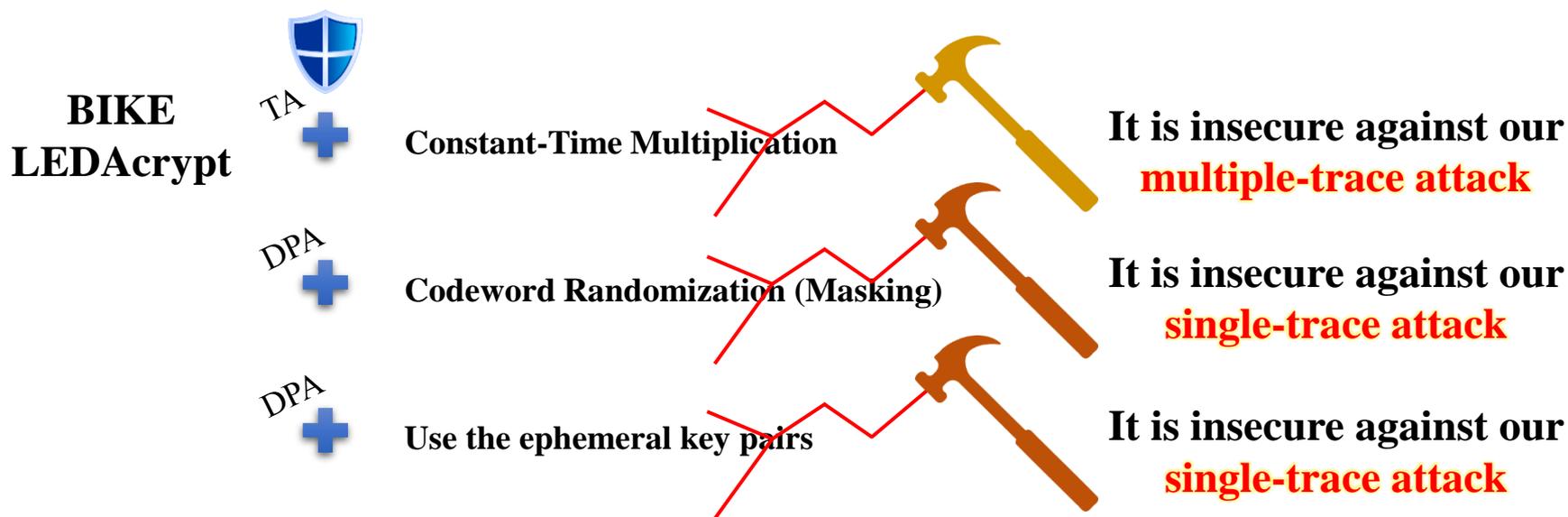
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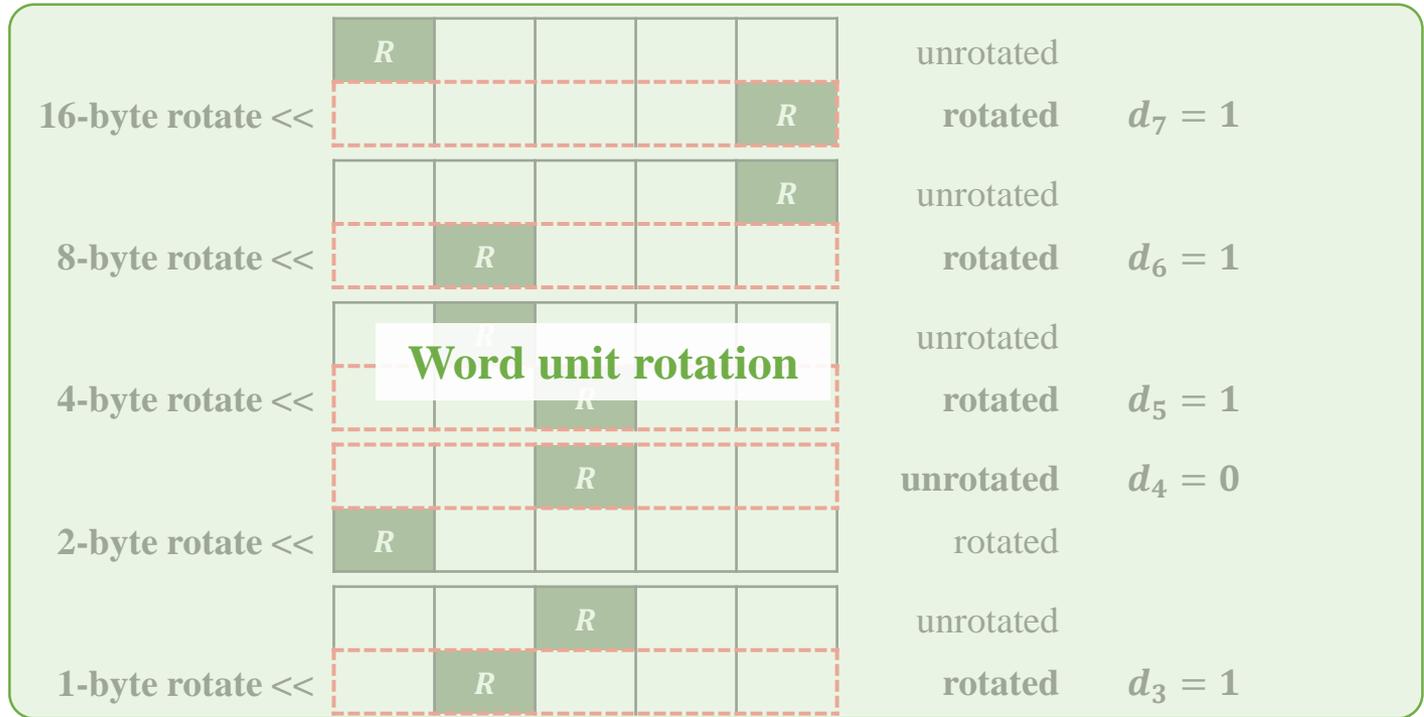
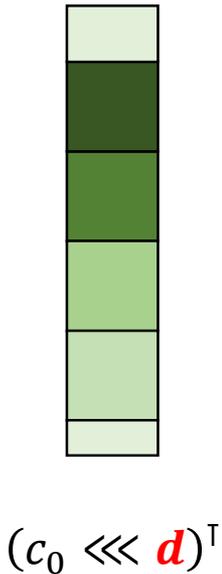
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multiples of 8 < 8-bit

8-bit word

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Multiple-Trace Attack on Constant-Time Multiplication

8-bit word

$$d = (d_7 d_6 d_5 d_4 d_3 d_2 d_1 d_0)_2$$

Correlation Occurring Position Correlation Power Analysis

Word unit rotation

$$\text{result} = \begin{cases} \text{unrotated} & , \text{if } d_i = 0 \\ \text{rotated} & , \text{if } d_i = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{result} = \begin{cases} (\text{rotated} \& \mathbf{0x00}) \oplus (\text{unrotated} \& \mathbf{0xff}) = \text{unrotated} & , \text{if } d_i = 0 \\ (\text{rotated} \& \mathbf{0xff}) \oplus (\text{unrotated} \& \mathbf{0x00}) = \text{rotated} & , \text{if } d_i = 1 \end{cases}$$

Bit rotation

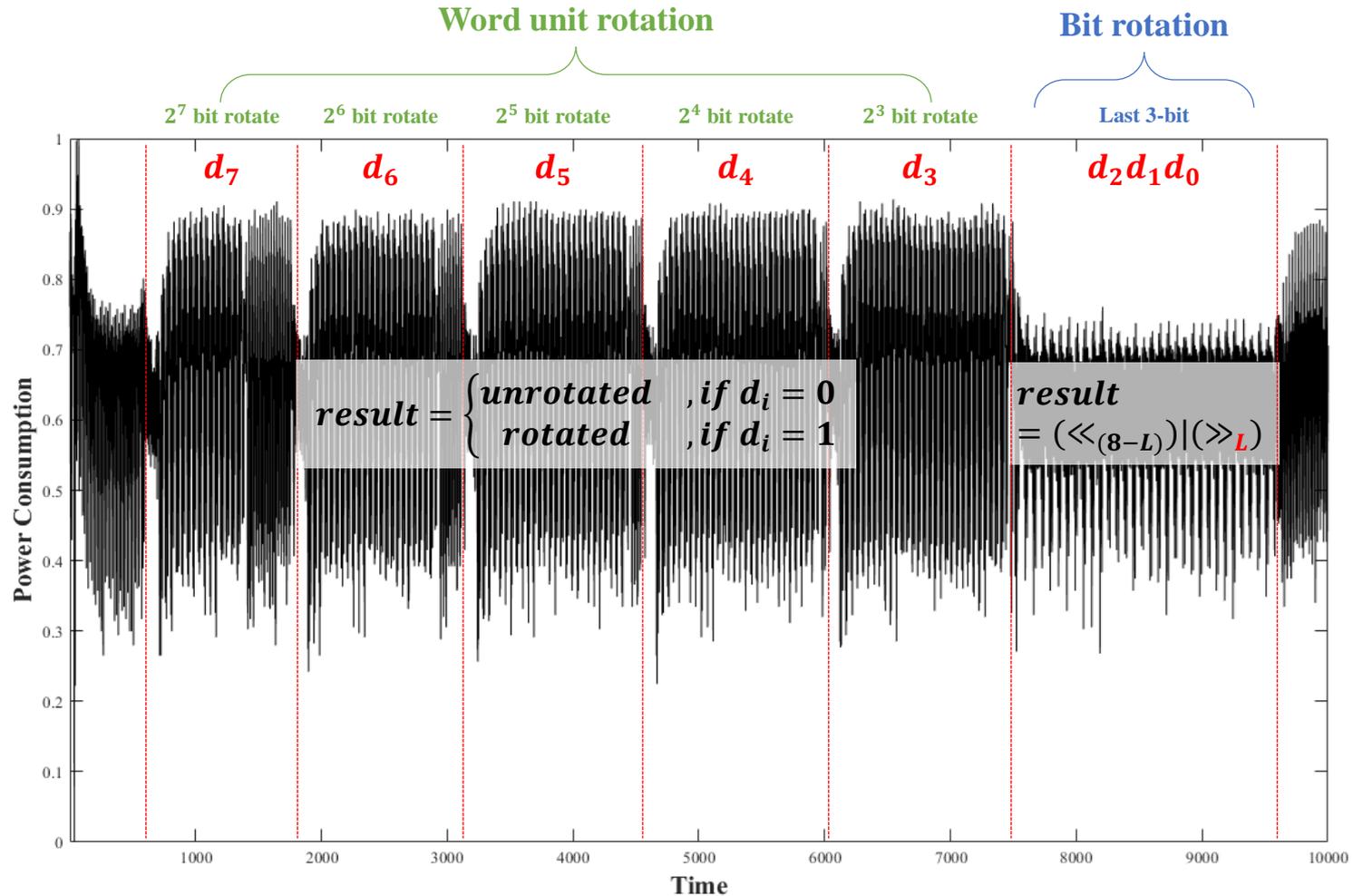
$$\text{result} = (\ll_{8-L}) | (\gg_L)$$

$$0 \leq L = (d_2 d_1 d_0)_2 < 8$$

Experiment

$$\diamond d = (d_7 d_6 d_5 d_4 d_3 d_2 d_1 d_0)_2, d_i \in \{0, 1\}$$

8-bit word



Multiple-Trace Attack on the Word Unit Rotation

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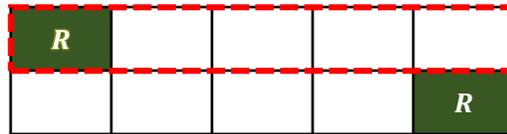
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8-bit word

16-byte rotate <<



Unrotated value is chosen

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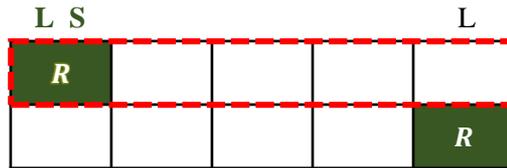
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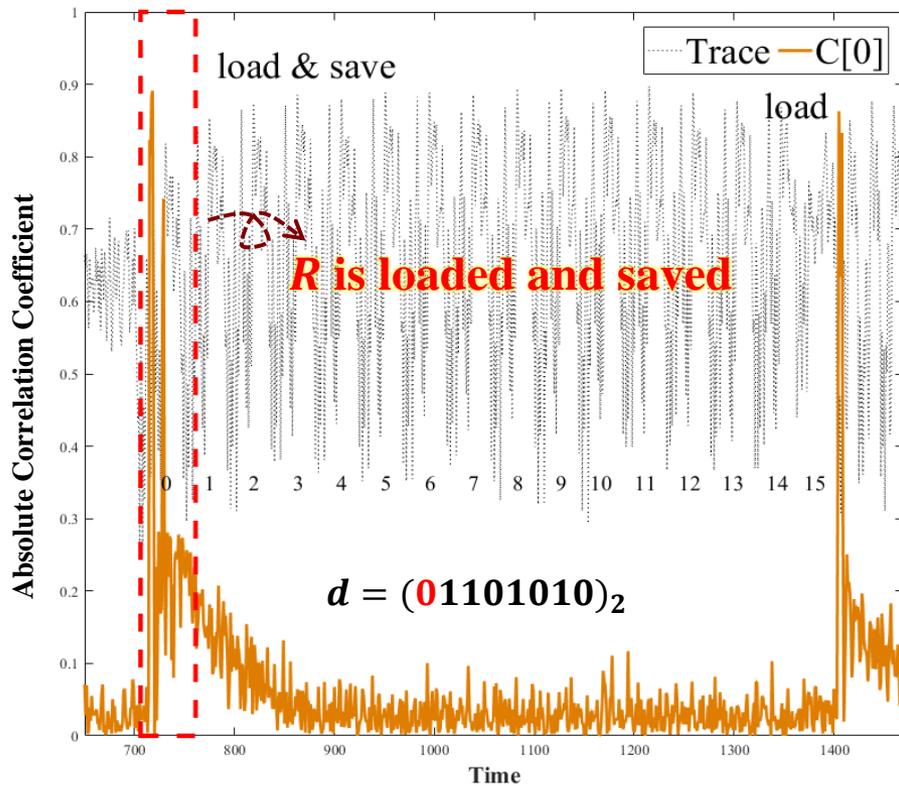
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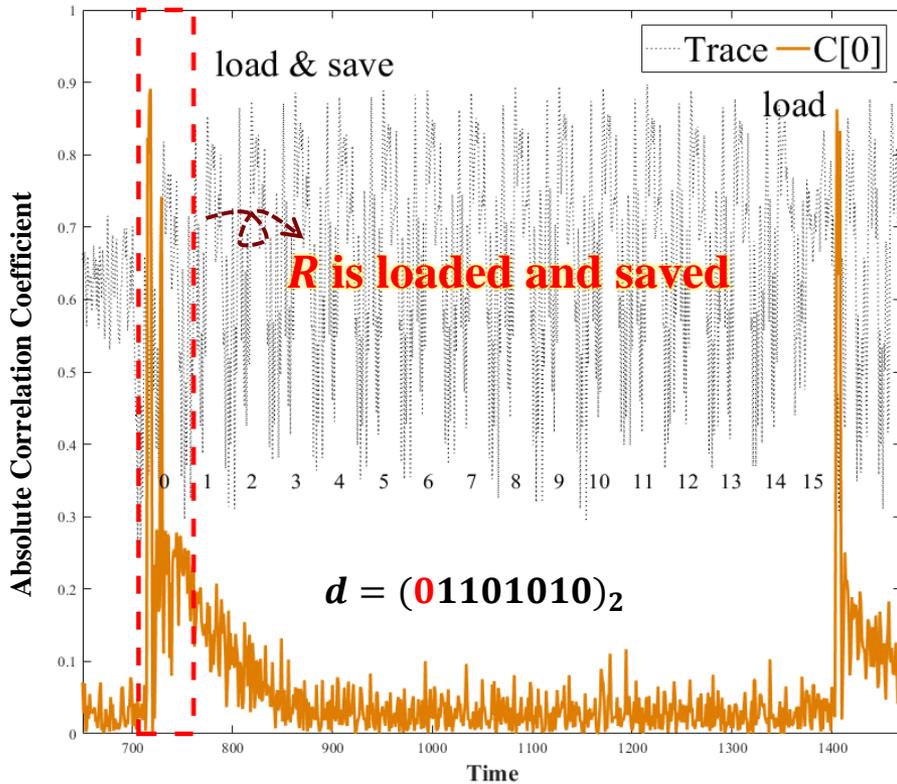
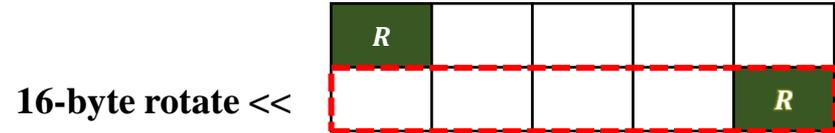
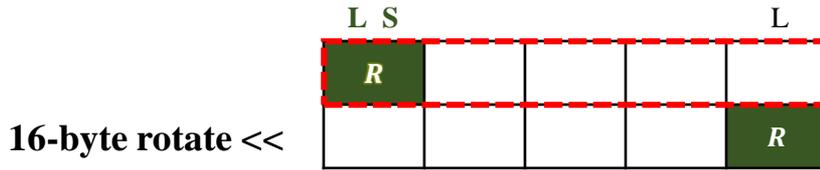
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Rotated value is chosen

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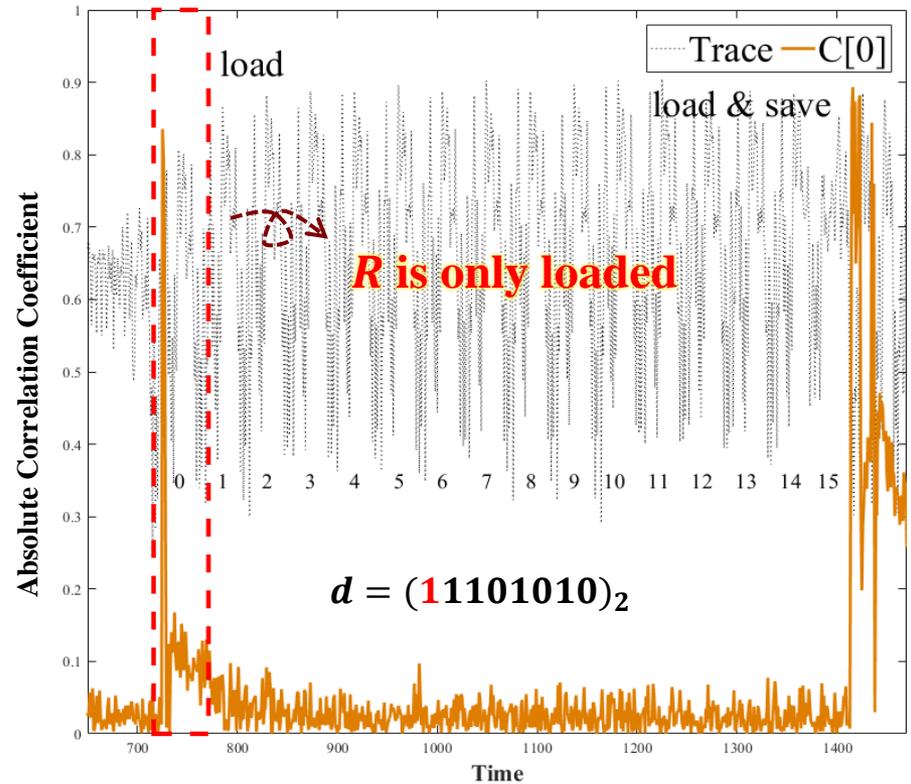
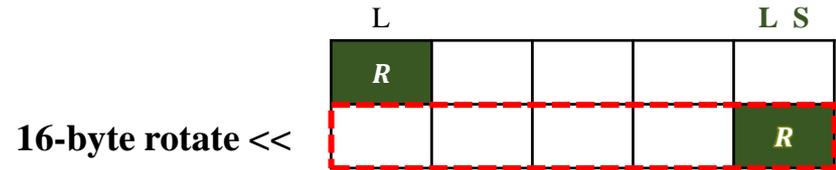
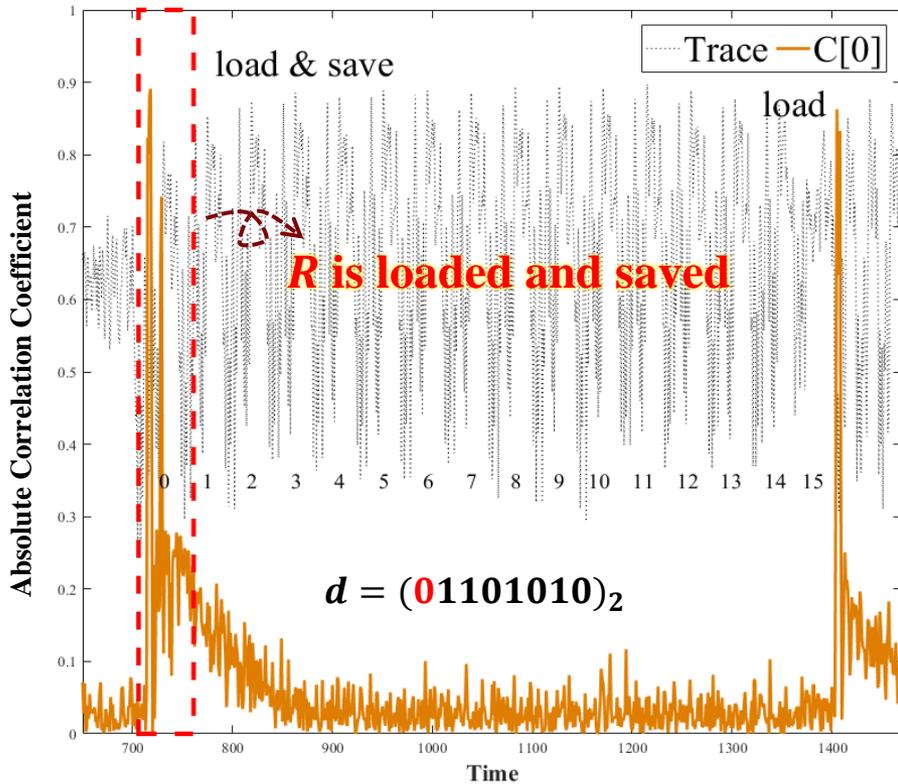
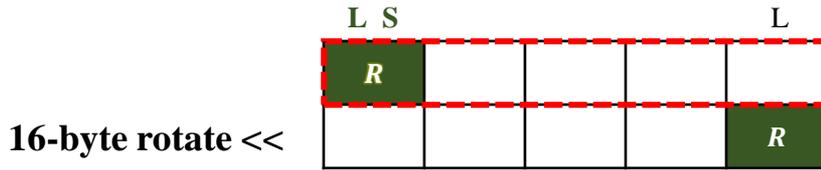
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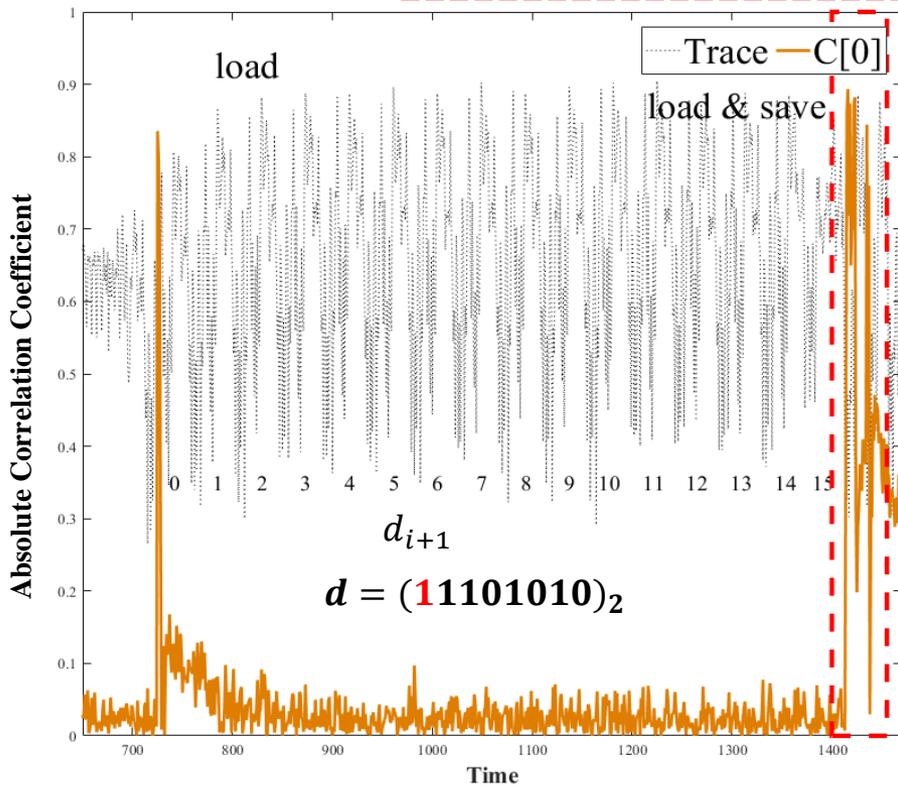
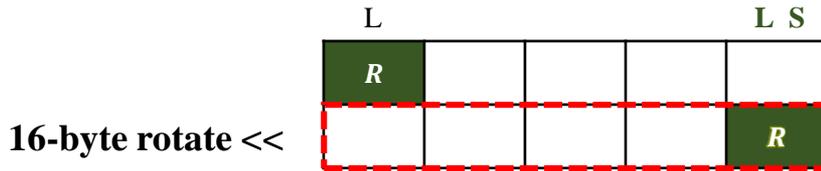
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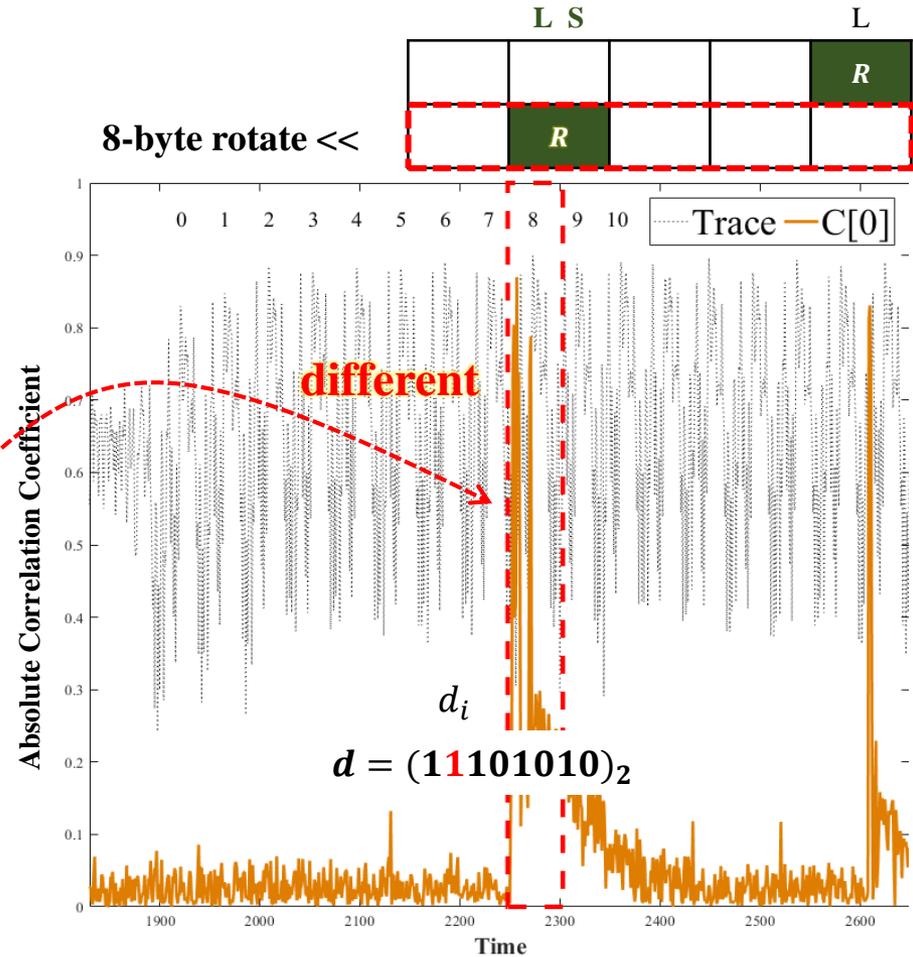
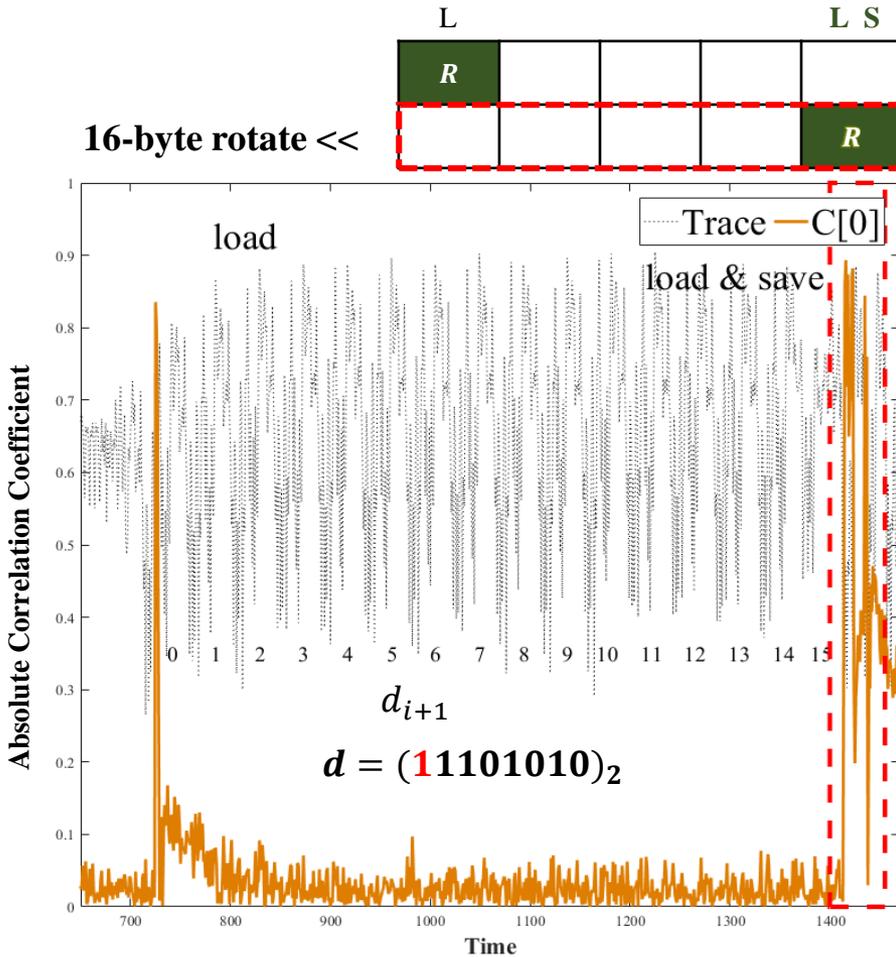
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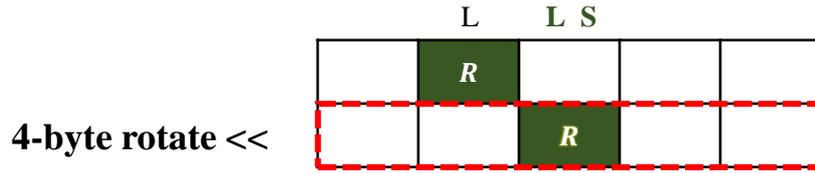
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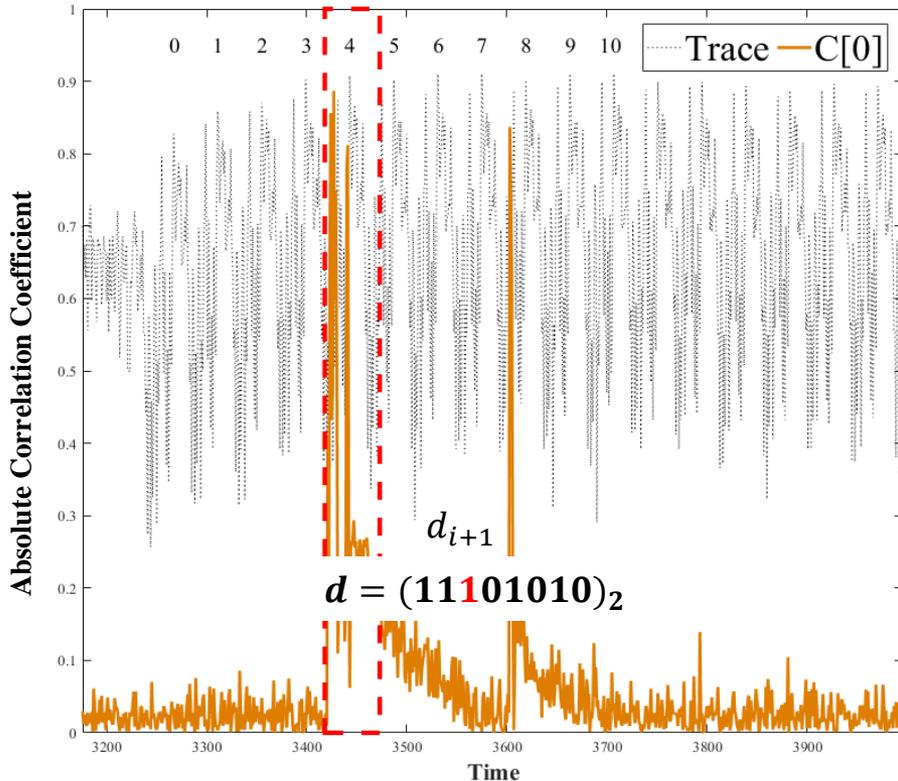
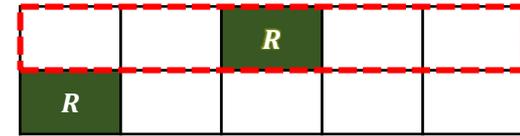
8-bit word

Property 2.

$$\text{result} = \begin{cases} \text{unrotated} & , \text{if } d_i = 0 \\ \text{rotated} & , \text{if } d_i = 1 \end{cases}$$



2-byte rotate <<



Unrotated value is chosen

$$d_i$$

$$d = (111\mathbf{0}1010)_2$$

Multiple-Trace Attack on the Word Unit Rotation

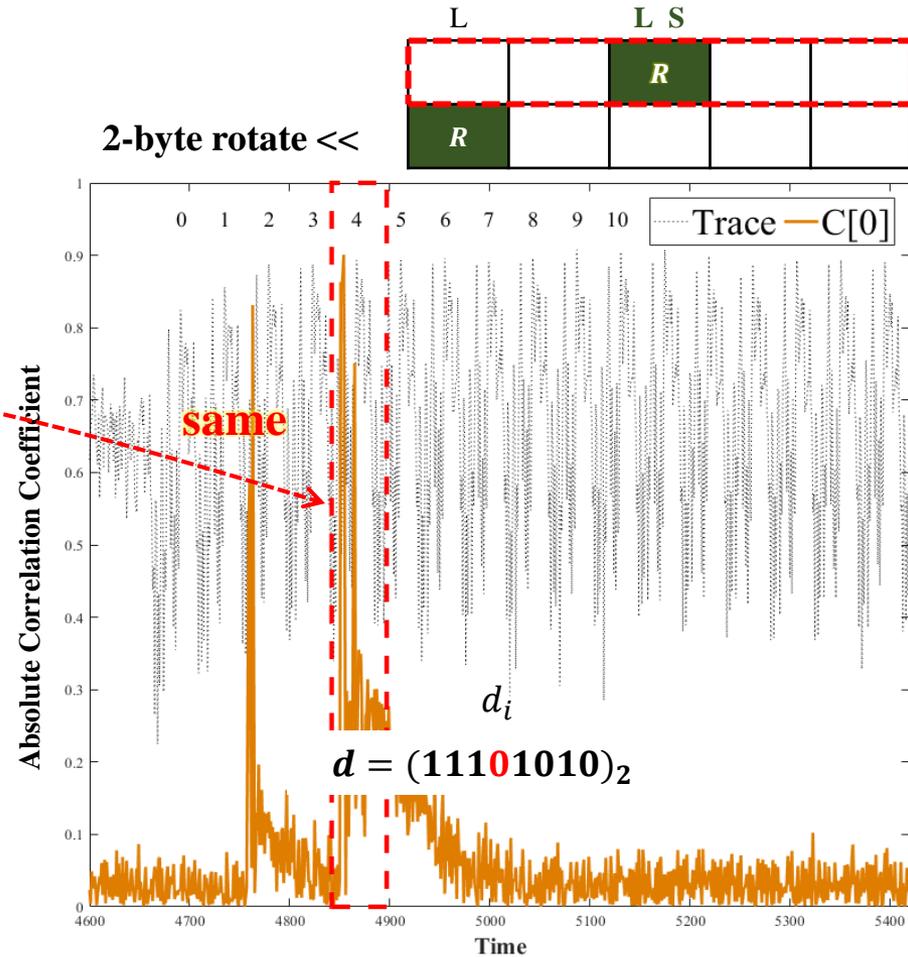
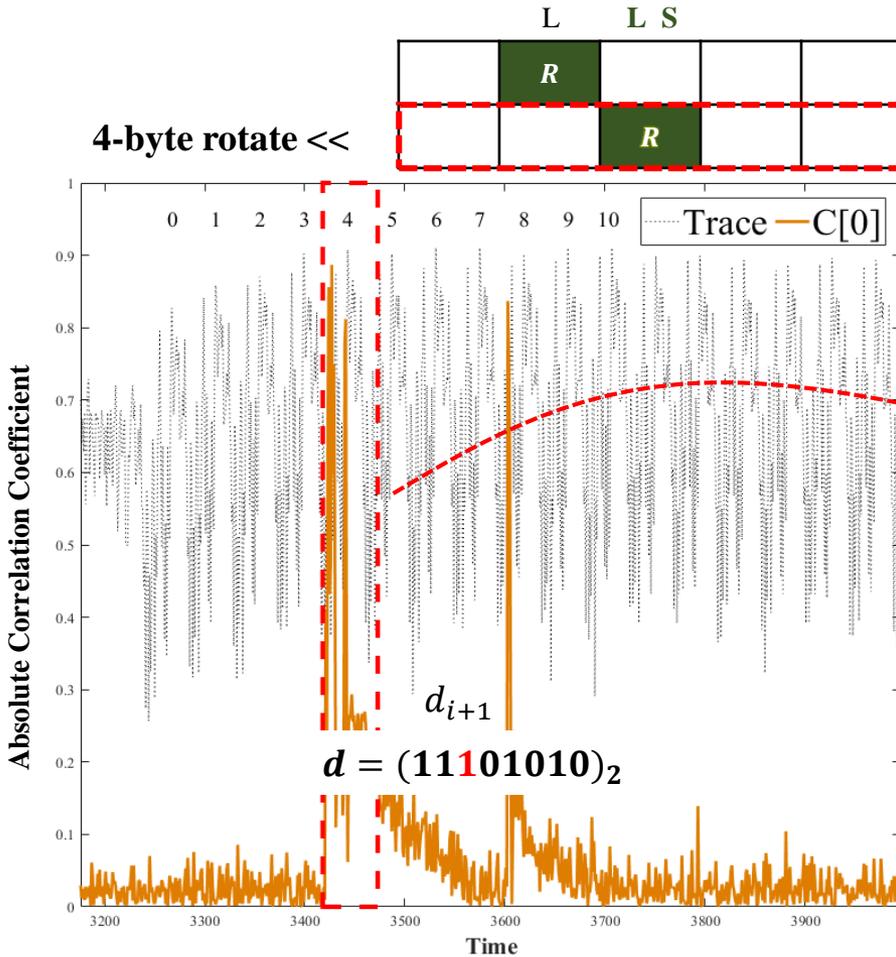
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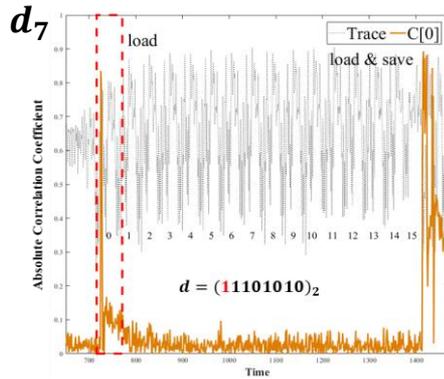
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8-bit word

❖ Step 1. Find the most significant bit d_7 based on Property 1



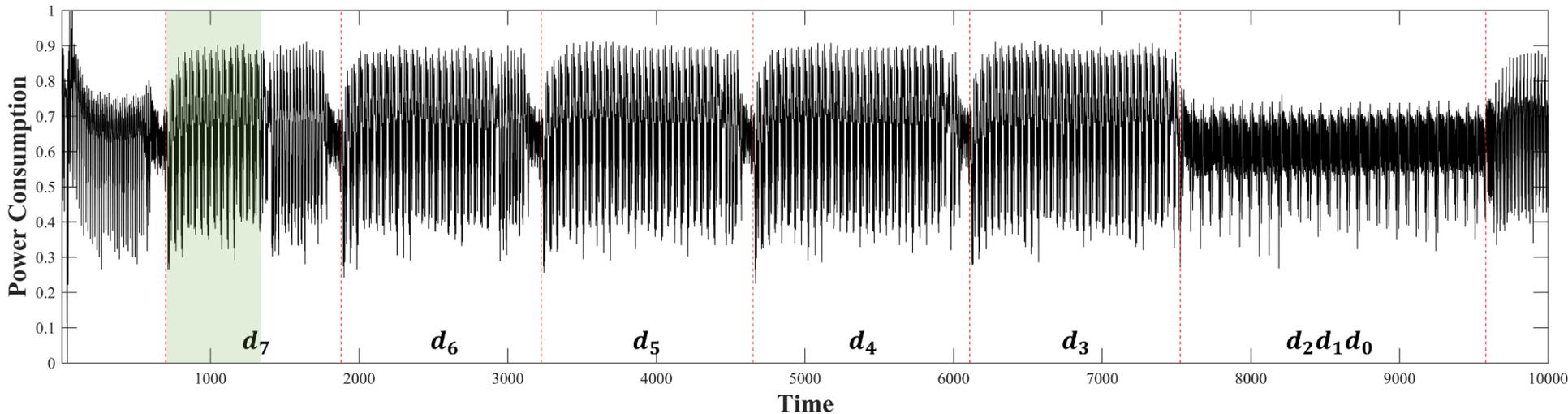
R is only loaded in the first operation

Power consumption related to **R**
does not occurs sequentially twice

in the first operation part



$$d_7 = 1$$



Multiple-Trace Attack on the Word Unit Rotation

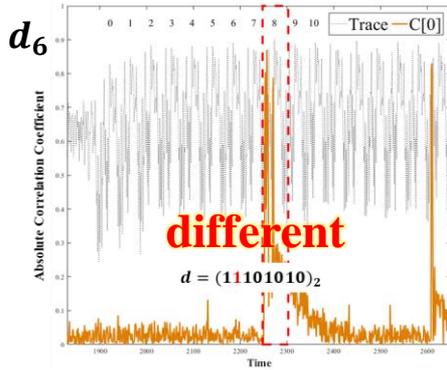
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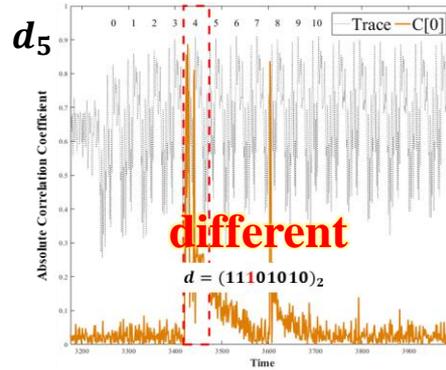
8-bit word

❖ Step 2. Find from d_6 to d_3 based on Property 2

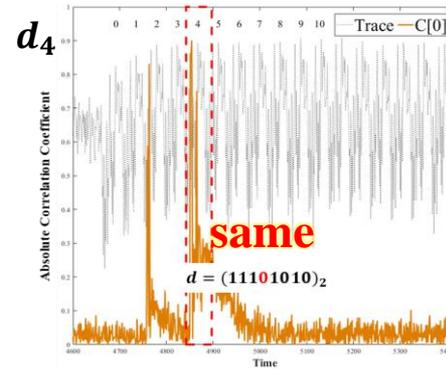
power consumption related to R occurs sequentially twice in the ___ iteration



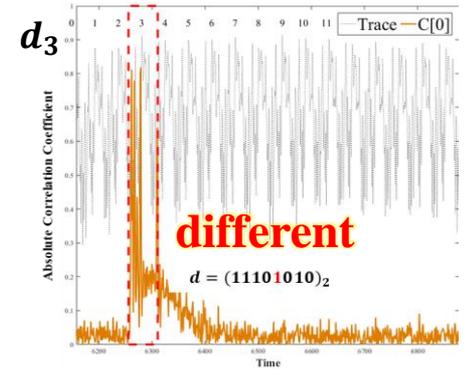
$d_6 = 1$



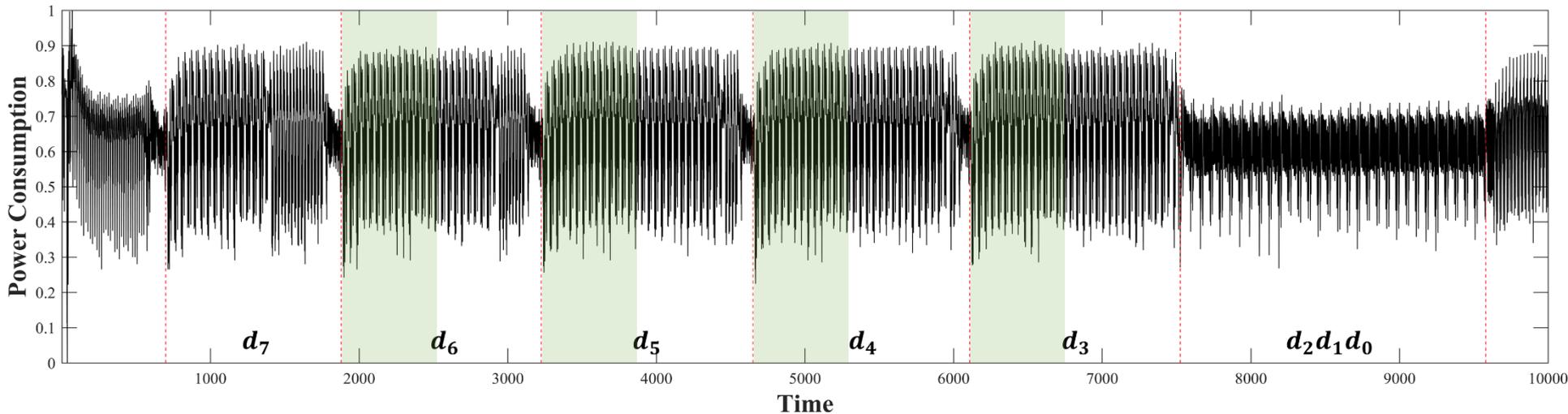
$d_5 = 1$



$d_4 = 0$



$d_3 = 1$



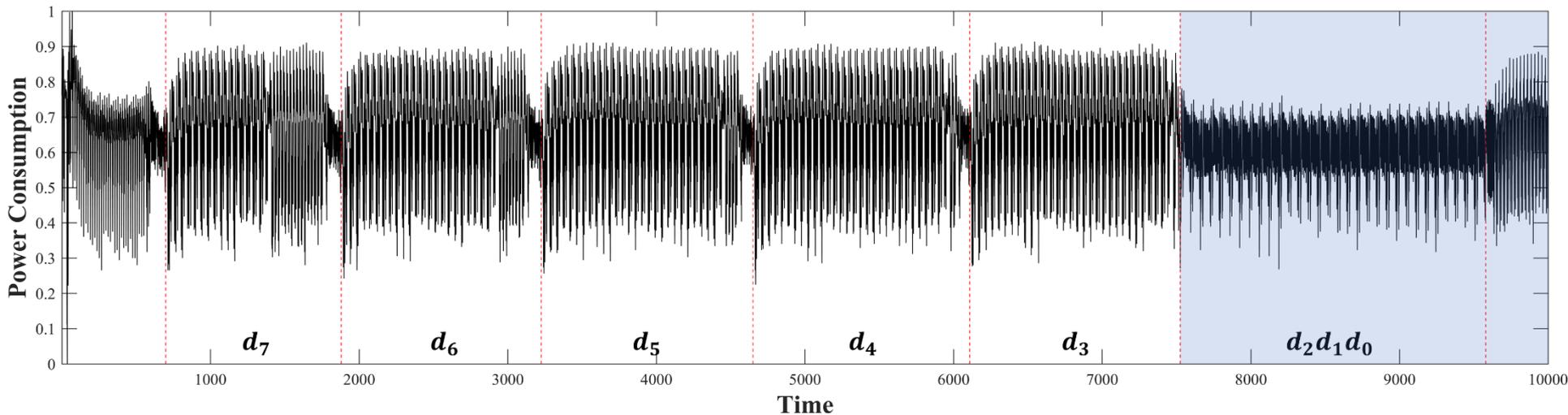
Multiple-Trace Attack on the Bit Rotation

$$d = (\overset{\text{target}}{d_7 d_6 d_5 d_4 d_3 d_2 d_1 d_0})_2, d_i \in \{0, 1\}$$

$$\text{result} = (\ll_{(8-L)} | \gg_L)$$

$$0 \leq L = (d_2 d_1 d_0)_2 < 8$$

8-bit word



Multiple-Trace Attack on the Bit Rotation

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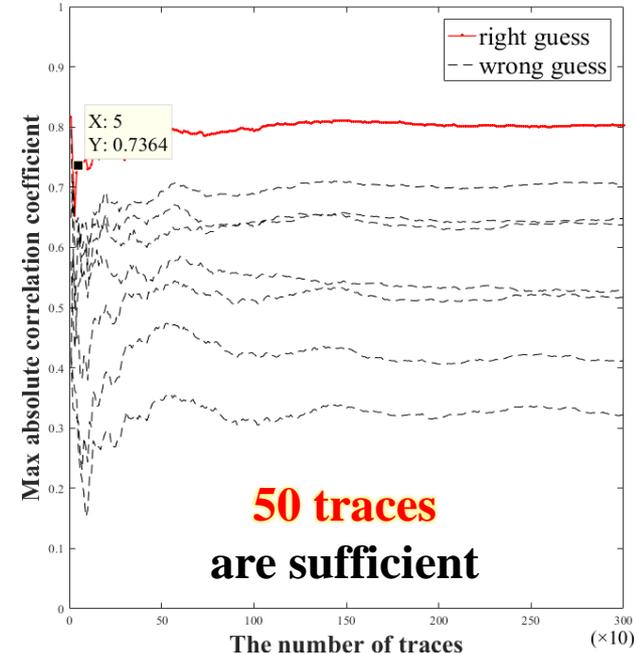
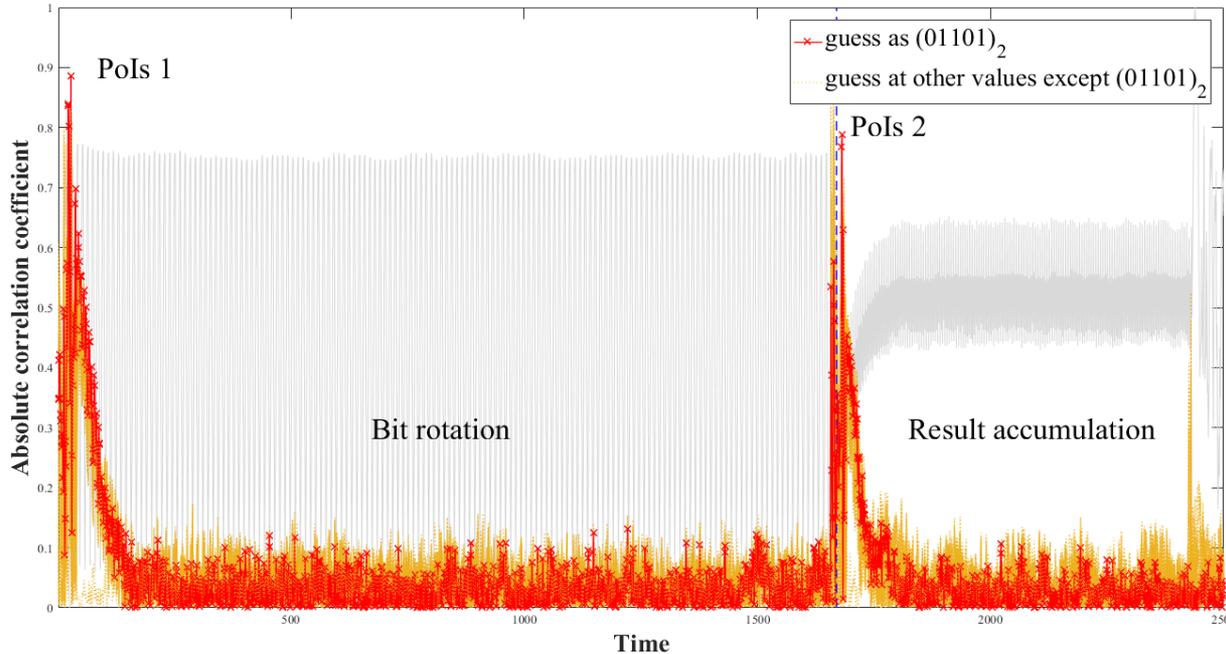
target

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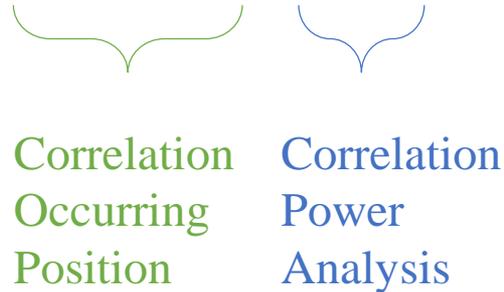
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- Guess the L value from 0 to 7 and calculate Pearson's correlation coefficient between traces and $result$ values



■ Multiple-Trace Attack on Constant-Time Multiplication

$$d = (d_7 d_6 d_5 d_4 d_3 d_2 d_1 d_0)_2$$

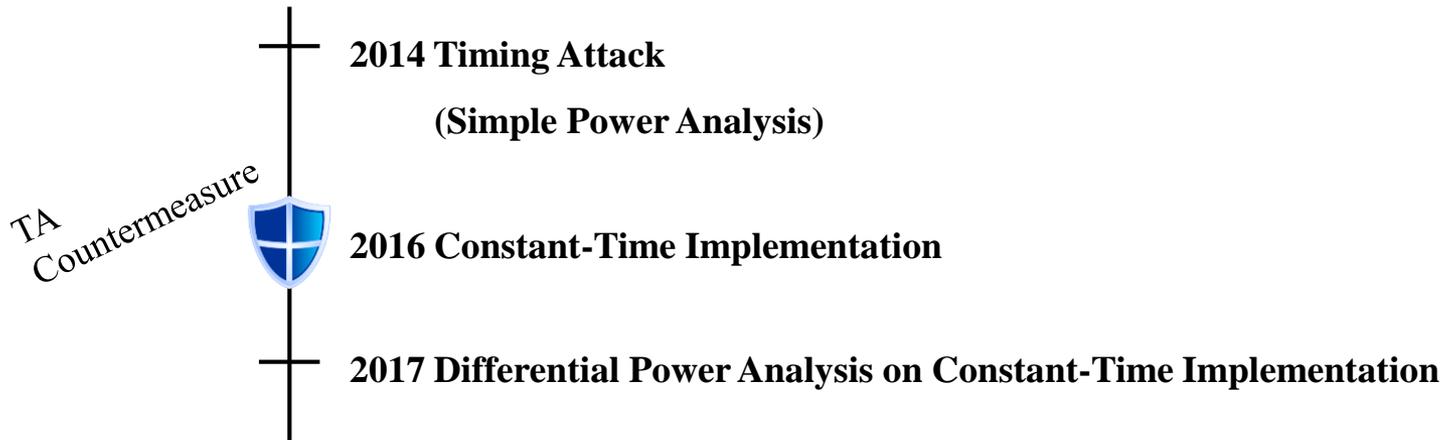


We can **accurately recover** all secret indices
regardless of word size and security level

(We described the experiment results on a 32-bit processor in Appendix B)

Multiple-Trace Attack on Constant-Time Multiplication

Syndrome computation $H \cdot c^T$



Limitation: It could not completely recover accurate secret indices, requiring further **solving linear equations** to obtain entire secret information

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	8-bit	16-bit	32-bit	64-bit
80-bit security	0.4 seconds	15 seconds	16 hours	≈ 530 years
128-bit security	2 seconds	4 minutes	≈ 7 days	≈ 790,000 years

It is **not feasible** on 64-bit processor

★ In this paper

Enhanced Multiple-Trace Attack which can accurately recover secret indices regardless of word size and security level



Single-Trace Attack on Constant-Time Multiplication

$$mask = \begin{cases} 0x00 & , \text{if } d_i = 0 \\ 0xff & , \text{if } d_i = 1 \end{cases}$$

8-bit word

$$d = (d_7 d_6 d_5 d_4 d_3 d_2 d_1 d_0)_2$$

 Key Bit-dependent Attack	 Simple Power Analysis
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Word unit rotation

$$result = \begin{cases} unrotated & , \text{if } d_i = 0 \\ rotated & , \text{if } d_i = 1 \end{cases}$$

$$result = \begin{cases} (rotated \& 0x00) \oplus (unrotated \& 0xff) = unrotated & , \text{if } d_i = 0 \\ (rotated \& 0xff) \oplus (unrotated \& 0x00) = rotated & , \text{if } d_i = 1 \end{cases}$$

Bit rotation

$$result = (\ll_{8-L}) | (\gg_L)$$

$$0 \leq L = (d_2 d_1 d_0)_2 < 8$$

Single-Trace Attack on the Word Unit Rotation

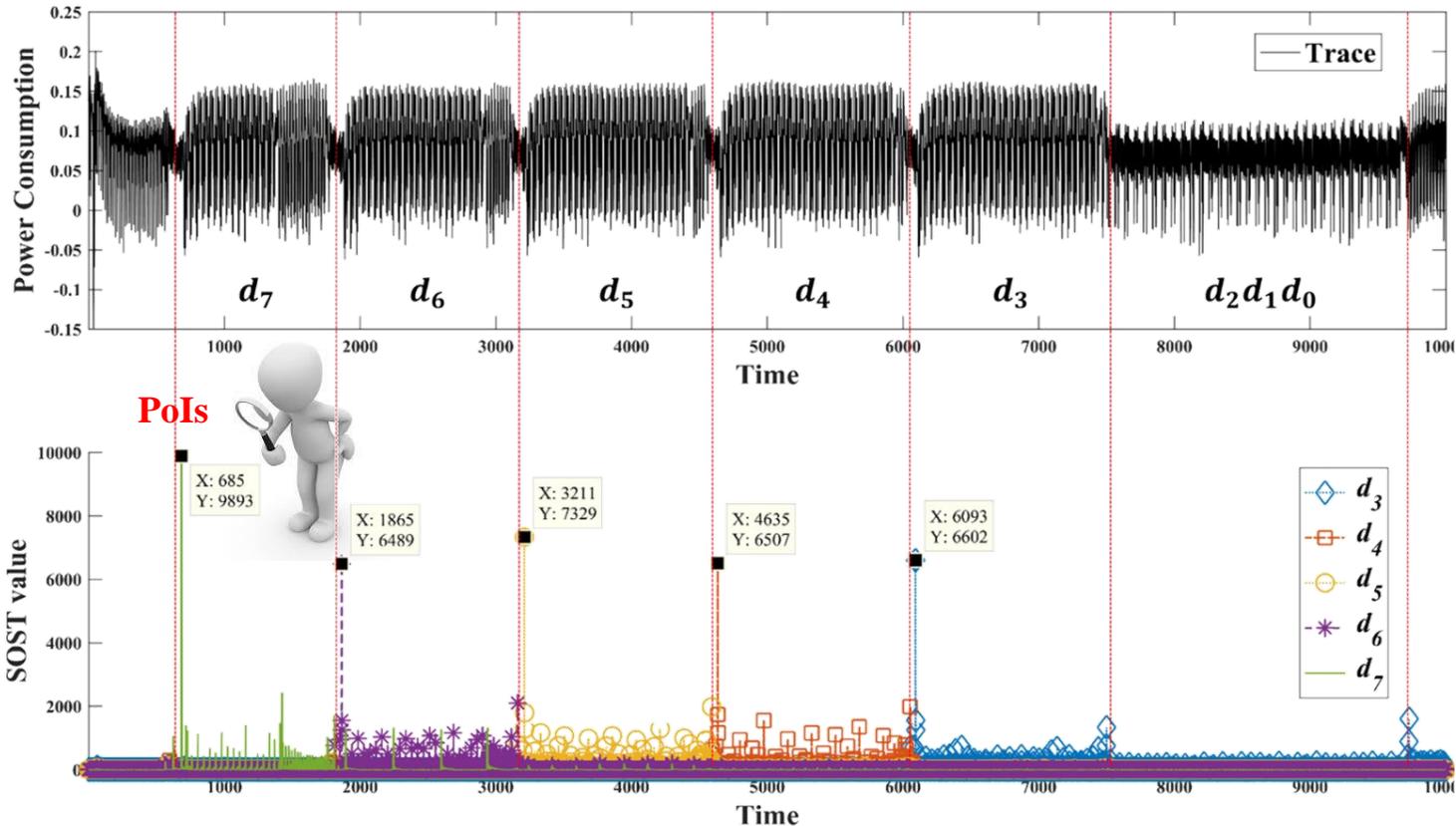
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8-bit word

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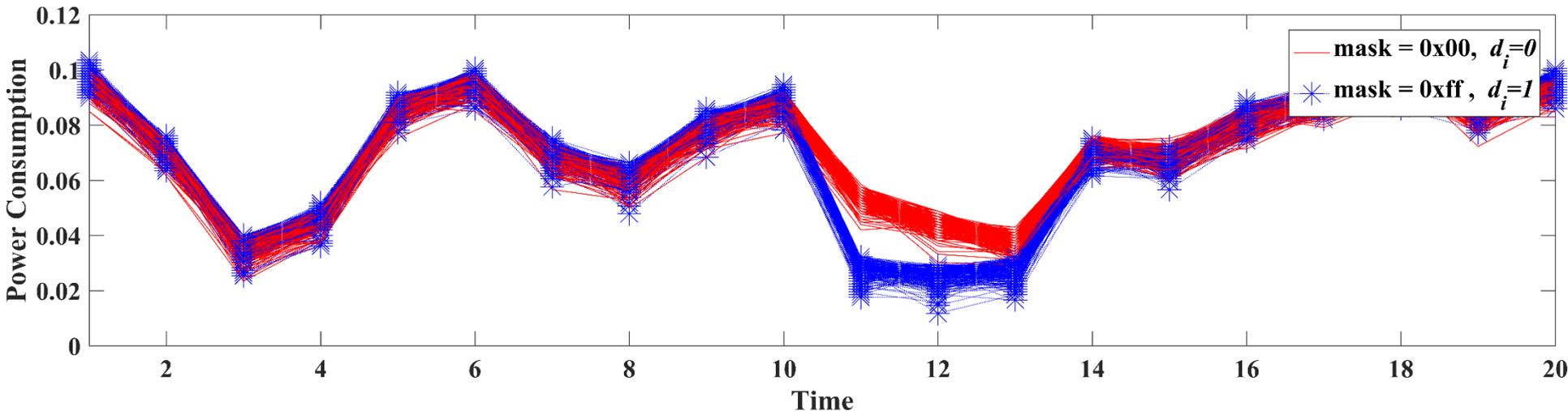
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❖ $d = (d_7 d_6 d_5 d_4 d_3 d_2 d_1 d_0)_2, d_i \in \{0, 1\}$: 675 ~ 695 points

8-bit word

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$\text{mask} \qquad \neg \text{mask}$



Key Bit-dependent Property

Single-Trace Attack on the Word Unit Rotation

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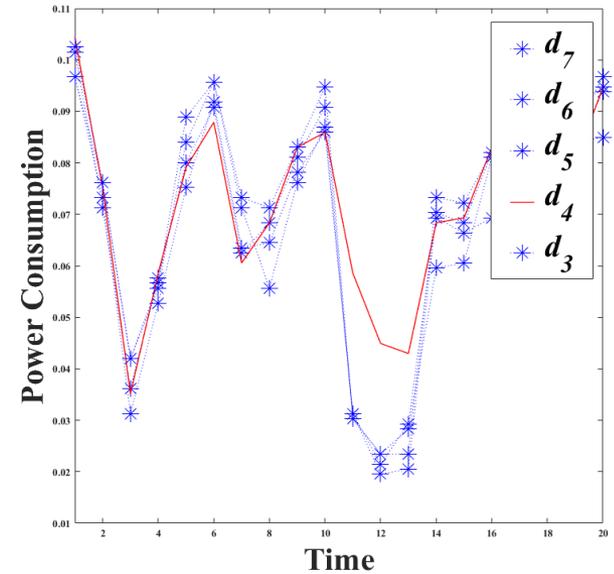
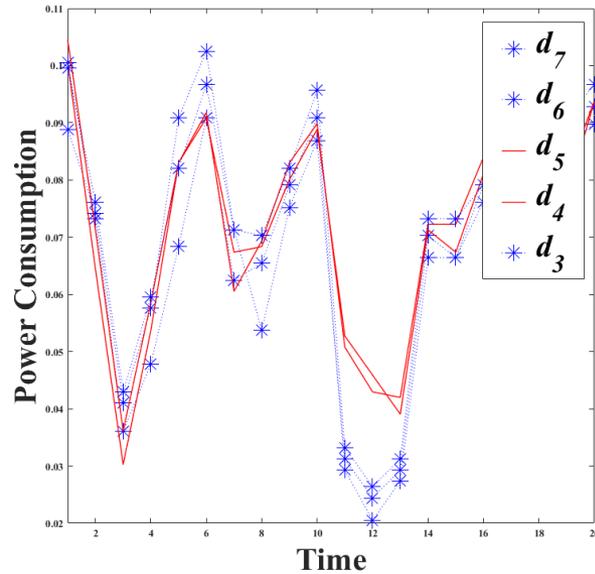
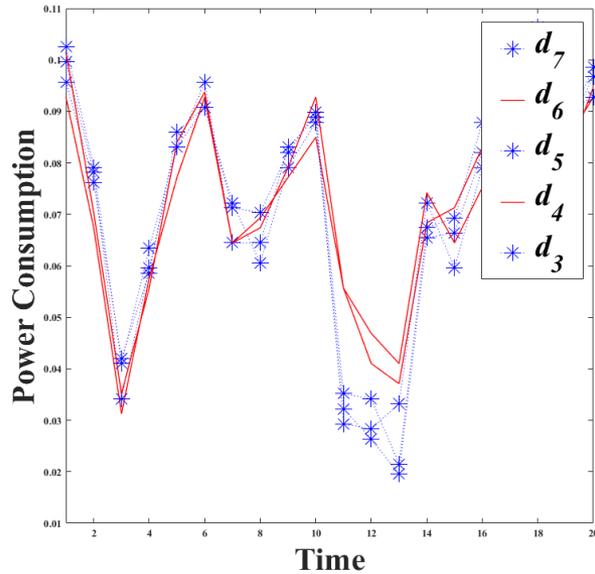
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8-bit word

$$169 = (10101001)_2$$

$$201 = (11001001)_2$$

$$233 = (11101001)_2$$



$$\checkmark W = 8$$

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- K-means clustering
- Fuzzy k-means clustering
- EM (Expectation-maximization)

Single-Trace Attack on the Bit Rotation

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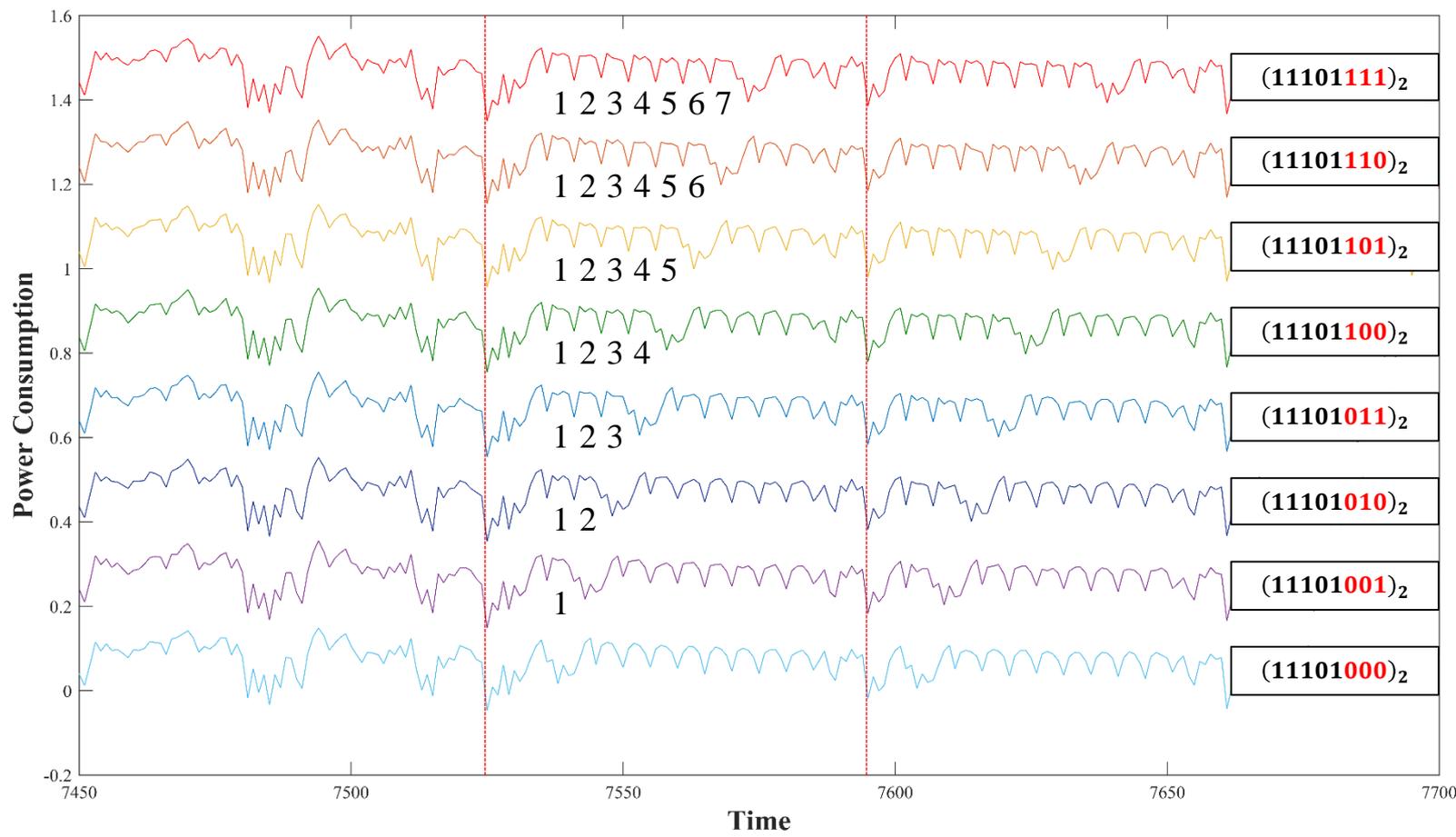
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Single-Trace Attack on the Bit Rotation

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8-bit word



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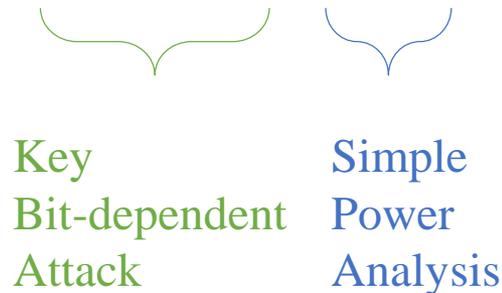
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ARM 32-bit word	Multiple bit shift instructions (ex. barrel shifter)	One clock	One clock	X
64-bit word	Multiple bit shift instructions (ex. barrel shifter)	One clock	One clock	X

✓ In the cases of 32-bit and 64-bit, we need to solve linear equations to find accurate indices

■ Single-Trace Attack on Constant-Time Multiplication

$$d = (d_7 d_6 d_5 d_4 d_3 d_2 d_1 d_0)_2$$



We can **accurately recover** all secret indices
if processor provides single bit shift instructions

Even if processor does not provide **single bit shift instructions**,
we can extract substantial parts of secret indices

(We described the experiment results on a 32-bit processor in Section 5 and Appendix B)

Case Study: NIST Round 2 Code-Based Cryptography



BIKE
LEDAcrypt



Constant-Time Multiplication



Codeword Randomization (Masking)



Use the ephemeral key pairs

Case Study: NIST Round 2 Code-Based Cryptography

❖ BIKE

➤ QC-MDPC

Table : Keys and syndromes of BIKE

	Public key	Private key	Syndrome
BIKE-1	$F = [F_0 \mid F_1]$ $F_0 = G \cdot H_0$ $F_1 = G \cdot H_1$		Hc^\top
BIKE-2	$F = [F_0 \mid F_1]$ $F_0 = I_r$ $F_1 = H_1 \cdot H_0^{-1}$	H	H_0c^\top
BIKE-3	$F = [F_0 \mid F_1]$ $F_0 = G \cdot H_0 + H_1$ $F_1 = G$		$c_0^\top + H_0c_1^\top$

* I_r is an $r \times r$ identity matrix

* G is an $r \times r$ dense circulant matrix

* H_i is an $r \times r$ sparse circulant matrix, $H = [H_0 \mid H_1]$

* c is a received row vector, $c = [c_0 \mid c_1]$



❖ LEDAcrypt

➤ QC-LDPC

Table : Keys and syndromes of LEDAcrypt

	Public key	Private key	Syndrome
LEDAcrypt KEM	$P = [M \mid I_r] = L_{n_0-1}^{-1}L$	H, Q	$L_{n_0-1}c^\top$
LEDAcrypt PKC	$P = [Z \mid [M_0 \mid \cdots \mid M_{n_0-2}]^\top]$		$(HQ)c^\top$

* I_r is an $r \times r$ identity matrix

* Z is a diagonal block matrix with $n_0 - 1$ replicas of the block I_r

* M_i is an $r \times r$ dense circulant matrix, $0 \leq i < n_0 - 1$, $M = [M_0 \mid \cdots \mid M_{n_0-2}]$

* Q is an $n \times n$ sparse circulant matrix composed of $n_0 \times n_0$ sparse circulant blocks

* H_i is an $r \times r$ sparse circulant matrix, $0 \leq i \leq n_0 - 1$, $H = [H_0 \mid \cdots \mid H_{n_0-1}]$

* L_i is an $r \times r$ sparse circulant matrix, $0 \leq i \leq n_0 - 1$, $L = HQ$

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■ **Conclusion**

Enhanced Multiple-Trace Attack on QC Code-Based Cryptography
Using Constant-Time Multiplication

Novel Single-Trace Attack on QC Code-Based Cryptography
Using Masked Constant-Time Multiplication

