

Libsnark Exercise: Basic FinTech Gadgets

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Zero-Knowledge Proof can be used for maintaining integrity in FinTech systems. Randomnesses for commitments are omitted for the sake of gadgets description. Students will implement the following gadgets. Consider also the following question: “Can the below two gadgets use the same implementation but with different usage?”

Table 1: Maintaining Integrity with Relations 1

Purpose	Statement	Witness	Conditions
P_i updates correctly	$[c_i], [a_i], [c'_i], [a'_i], v, p$	c_i, a_i, c'_i, a'_i	$c'_i = c_i - v \cdot p$ and $a'_i = a_i + v$
P_j updates correctly	$[c_j], [a_j], [c'_j], [a'_j], v, p$	c_j, a_j, c'_j, a'_j	$c'_j = c_j + v \cdot p$ and $a'_j = a_j - v$

Let us assume that a sell offer indicates negative amount while a buy offer indicates positive amount. Students will implement the following gadget which combines the two “Can make a buy offer” and “Can make a sell offer” gadgets as one.

Table 2: Maintaining Integrity with Relations 2

Statement	Witness	Conditions
$[c_i], [a_i], v, p$	c_i, a_i	$((v < 0) \wedge (v < a_i)) \vee ((v > 0) \wedge (c_i \geq v \cdot p))$

Sometimes in FinTech we can also encounter a gadget that implements a state machine. For instance the status flag of a trader in Futures Trading.

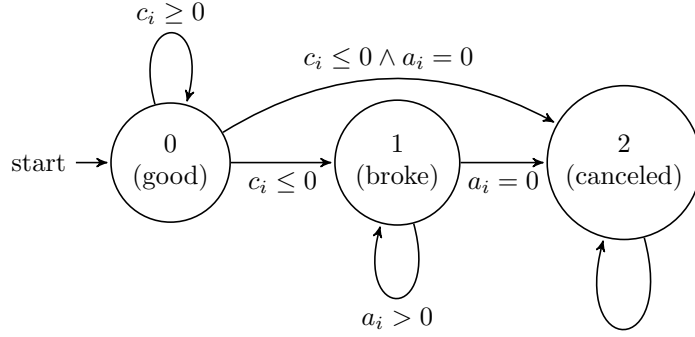


Table 3: Maintaining Integrity with Relations 3

Statement	Witness	Conditions
$[c_i], [a_i], [f_i], [f'_i]$	c_i, a_i, f_i, f'_i	See below.

The condition is as follows.

$$\begin{aligned}
 & f_i = 0 \wedge f'_i = 0 \wedge c_i \geq 0 \\
 & \quad \vee \\
 & f_i = 0 \wedge f'_i = 1 \wedge c_i \leq 0 \\
 & \quad \vee \\
 & f_i = 0 \wedge f'_i = 2 \wedge c_i \leq 0 \wedge a_i = 0 \\
 & \quad \vee \\
 & f_i = 1 \wedge f'_i = 1 \wedge a_i > 0 \\
 & \quad \vee \\
 & f_i = 1 \wedge f'_i = 2 \wedge a_i = 0 \\
 & \quad \vee \\
 & f_i = 2 \wedge f'_i = 2
 \end{aligned}$$