

# Aggregatable Subvector Commitments for Stateless Cryptocurrencies

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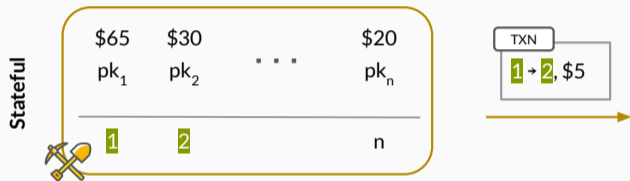
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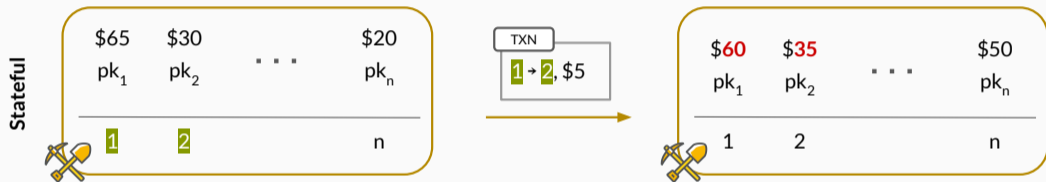
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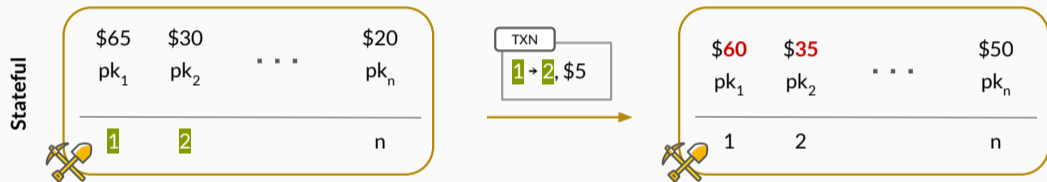
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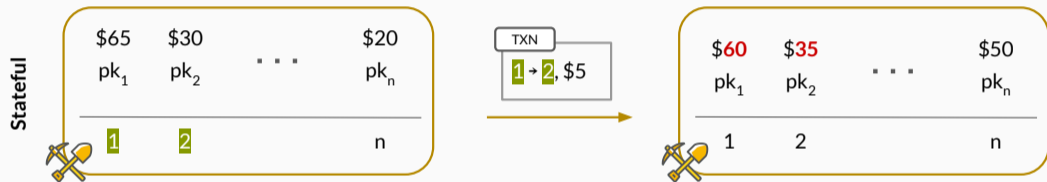
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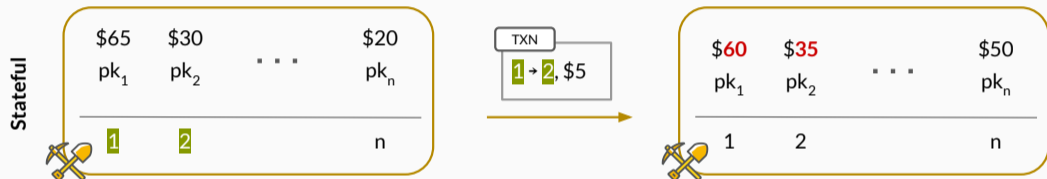
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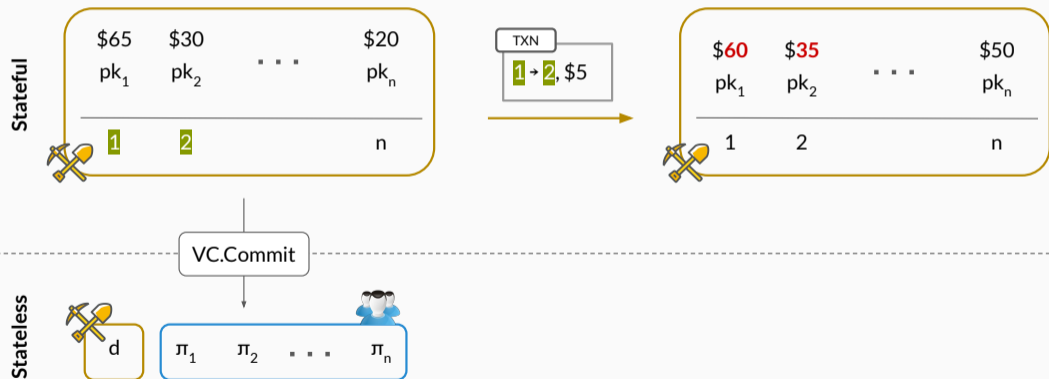
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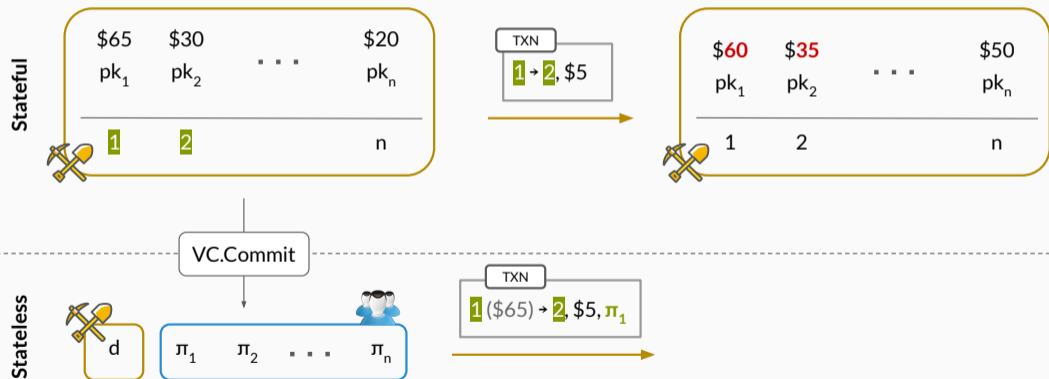
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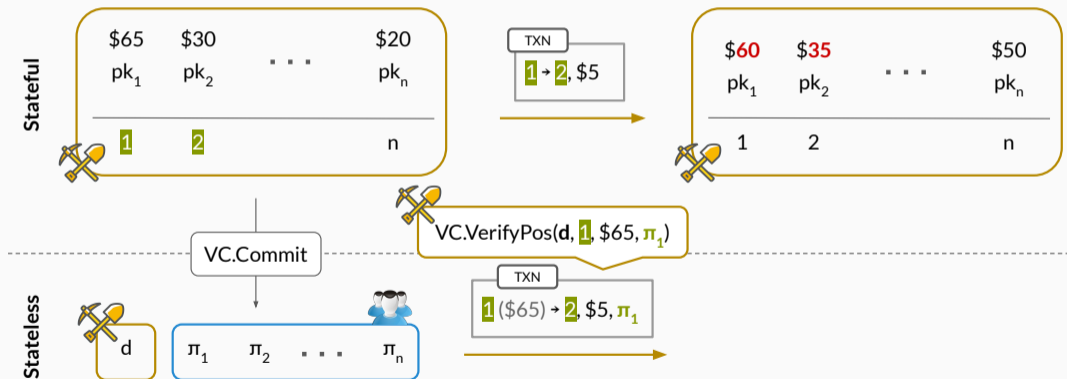
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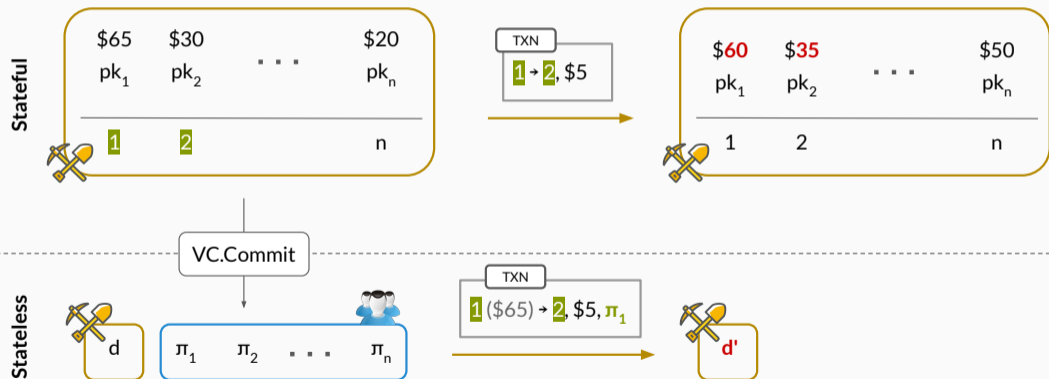
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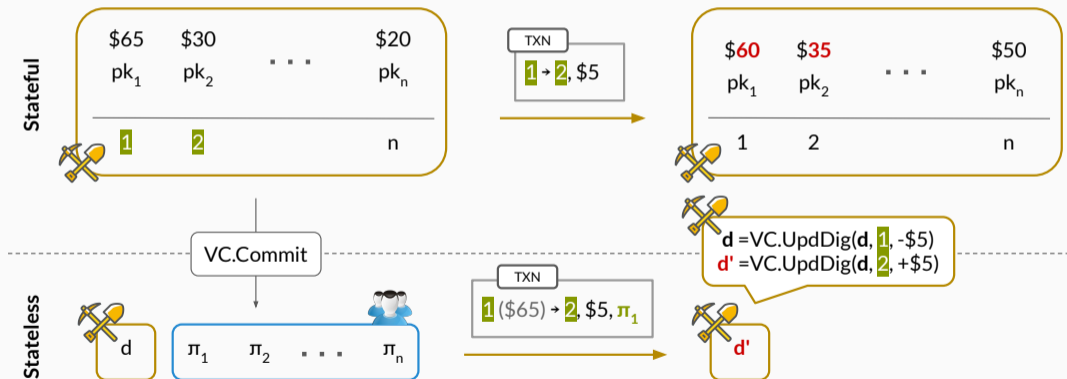
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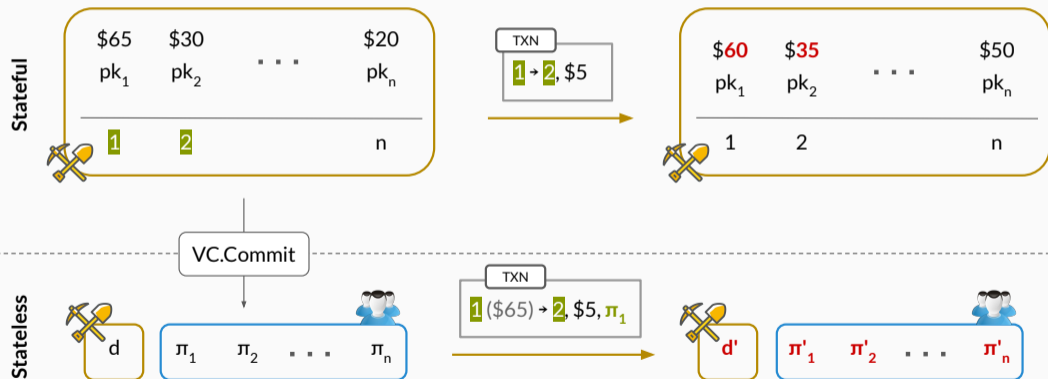
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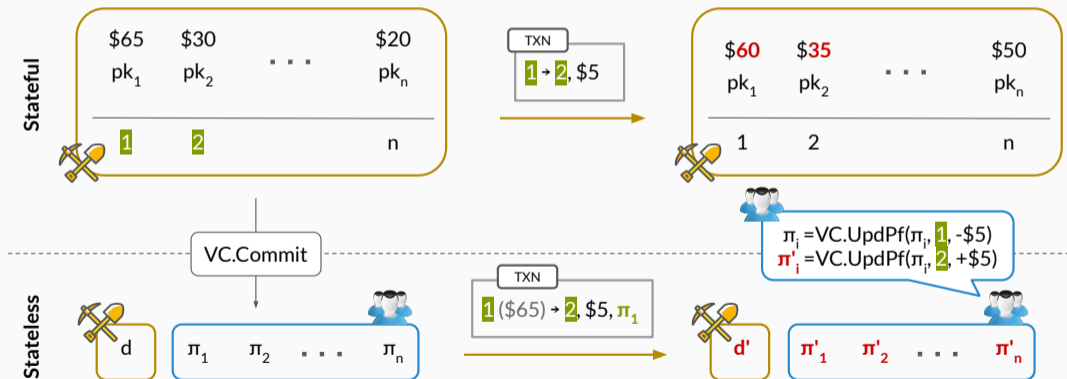
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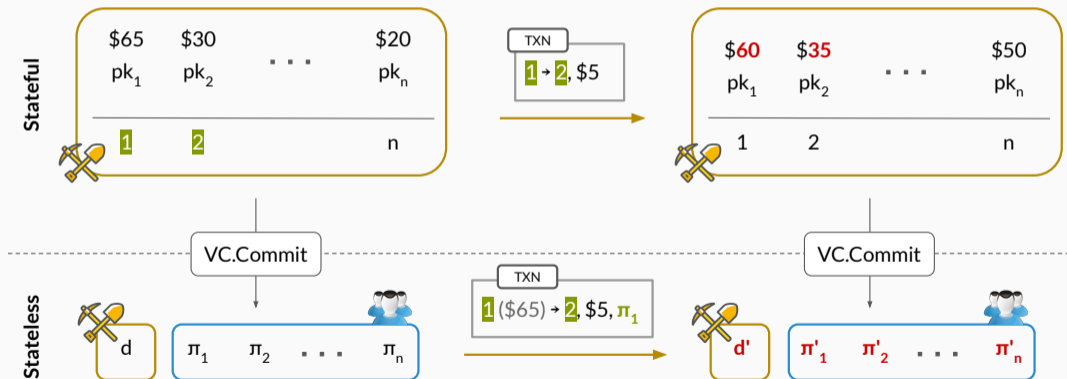
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$$L_i(X) = \prod_{j \in I, j \neq i} \frac{X - j}{i - j} = \frac{A_i(X)}{A_i'(i)(X - i)}, \text{ where } A_i(X) = \prod_{i \in I} (X - i) \quad (35)$$

Here,  $A_i'(X)$  is the derivative of  $A_i(X)$  and has the (non-obvious) property that  $A_i'(i) = \prod_{j \in I, j \neq i} (i - j)$ .

Next, consider the Lagrange interpolation of  $\phi(X) = 1$ :

$$\phi(X) = \sum_{i \in I} v_i L_i(X) \Leftrightarrow \quad (36)$$

$$1 = A_i(X) \sum_{i \in I} \frac{v_i}{A_i'(i)(X - i)} \Leftrightarrow \quad (37)$$

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