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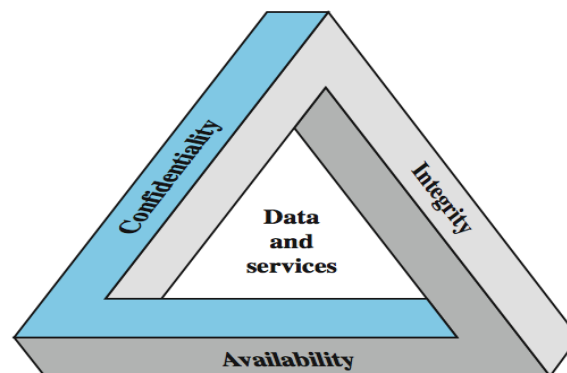
Chapter One

Basic Concepts in Data Security

1.1 Data Security Principles

1. Security

Information systems security is the ability to provide the services required by the user community while simultaneously preventing unauthorized use of system resources. Providing the system resources to those who need them is just as much a part of system security as protection and prevention of undesired use of those resources.



2. Confidentiality

The concept of *Confidentiality* in information security relates to the protection of information and prevention of unauthorized access or disclosure. The ability to keep data confidential, or secret, is critical to staying competitive in today's business environments.

Threats to confidentiality

- Hackers, a hacker is an individual who is skilled at bypassing controls and accessing data or information that he or she has not been given authorization to do so.
- Masqueraders, Authorized users on the system that have obtained another person's credentials.
- Unauthorized Users, Users that gain access to the system even if “company rules” forbid it.
- Unprotected Downloads, Downloads of files from secure environments to non-secure environments or media.
- Malware , Virus and worms and other malicious software
- Software hooks (Trapdoors), during the development phase software developers create “hooks” that allow them to bypass authentication processes and access the internal workings of the program. When the product development phase is over developers do not always remember the hooks and may leave them in place to be exploited by hackers.

3. Integrity

Integrity deals with prevention of unauthorized modification of intentional or accidental modification.

- **Data integrity:** assures that information and programs are changed only in a specified and authorized manner
- **System integrity:** Assures that a system performs its operations in unimpaired manner

4. Availability

Availability assures that the resources that need to be accessed are accessible to authorized parties in the ways they are needed. Availability is a natural result of the other two concepts (confidentiality and integrity).

- Threats to Availability
 - Availability can be affected by a number of events which break down into human and non human influenced factors. These further breaks down to unintentional and intentional acts.
 - Examples of unintentional (non-directed) acts can be overwriting, in part or whole, of data, compromising of systems, or network infrastructure by organizational staff.
 - Intentional acts can be conventional warfare (bombs and air-strikes), information warfare *denial of service (DoS)* and *distributed denial of service (DDoS)*.
 - Non-human factors include loss of availability due to fires, floods, earthquakes and storms.

5. Authentication

Authentication is the process by which the information system assures that you are who you say you are; how you prove your identity is authentic. Methods of performing authentication are:

- User ID and passwords. The system compares the given password with a stored password. If the two passwords match then the user is authentic.

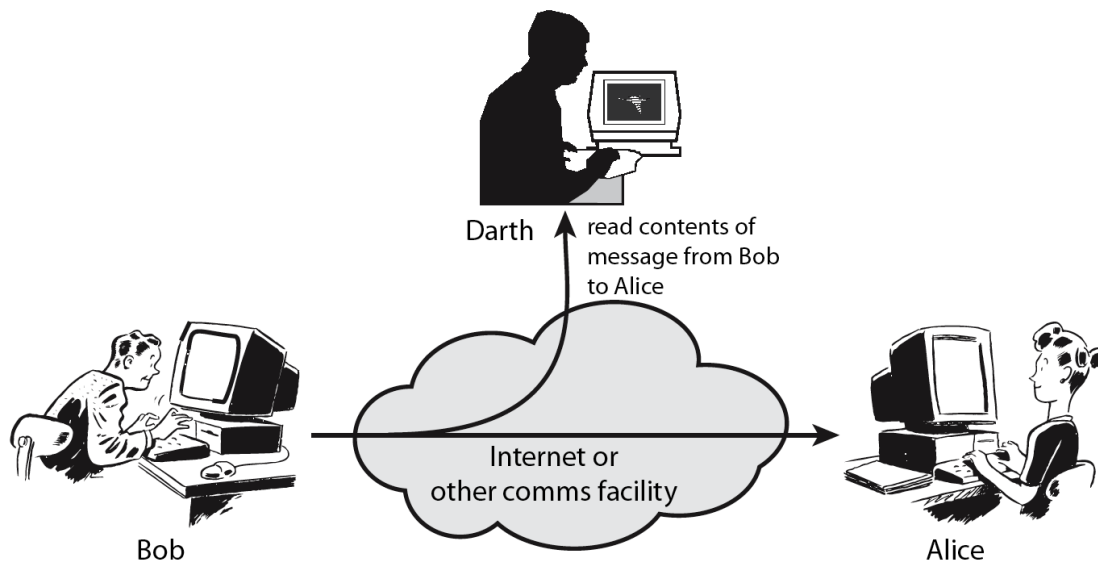
- Swipe card, which has a magnetic strip embedded, which would already contain your details, so that no physical data entry takes place or just a PIN is entered.
- Digital certificate, an encrypted piece of data which contains information about its owner, creator, generation and expiration dates, and other data to uniquely identify a user.
- key fob, small electronic devices which generate a new random password synchronized to the main computer
- Biometrics - retinal scanners and fingerprint readers. Parts of the body are considered unique enough to allow authentication to computer systems based on their properties.
- For a very secure environment, it is also possible to combine several of these options, such as by having fingerprint identification along with user ID and key fob.

6. Accountability (Non-Repudiation)

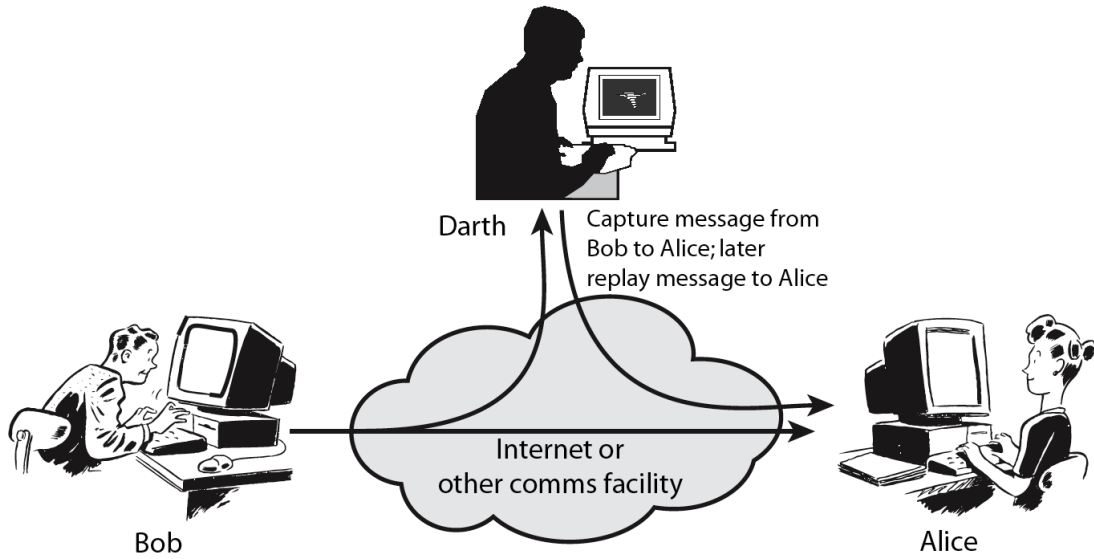
The security goal that generates the requirement for actions of an entity to be traced uniquely to that entity. This supports nonrepudiation, deterrence, fault isolation, intrusion detection and prevention, and after-action recovery and legal action. Because truly secure systems are not yet an achievable goal, we must be able to trace a security breach to a responsible party. Systems must keep records of their activities to permit later forensic analysis to trace security breaches or to aid in transaction disputes.

1. 2. Security Attack

- any action that compromises the security of information owned by an organization
- information security is about how to prevent attacks, or failing that, to detect attacks on information-based systems
- often *threat&attack* used to mean same thing
- have a wide range of attacks
 - passive
 - active



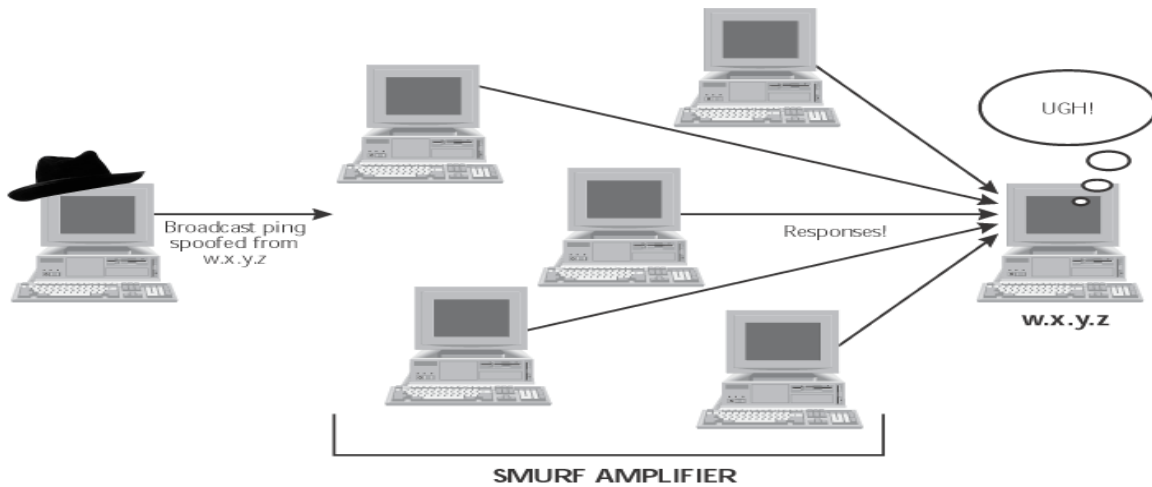
Passive Attacks



Active Attacks

Denial of Service, A "denial-of-service" attack is an attempt by attackers to prevent legitimate users of a service from using that service. Examples include

- Flooding the network to overwhelm the daemons and servers
- Disrupting connections between systems
- attempts to prevent a particular individual from accessing a service



- Not all service outages, even those that result from malicious activity, are necessarily denial-of-service attacks. Other types of attack may include a denial of service as a component, but the denial of service may be part of a larger attack.
- Unauthorized use of system resources may result in denial of service. For example, an intruder may use your anonymous FTP area as a place to store large amounts of data. This would consume space and perhaps prevent the server from performing its intended duties.

1.3. Basic Terminology

Suppose that someone wants to send a message to a receiver, and wants to be sure that no-one else can read the message. However, there is the possibility that someone else opens the letter or hears the electronic communication.

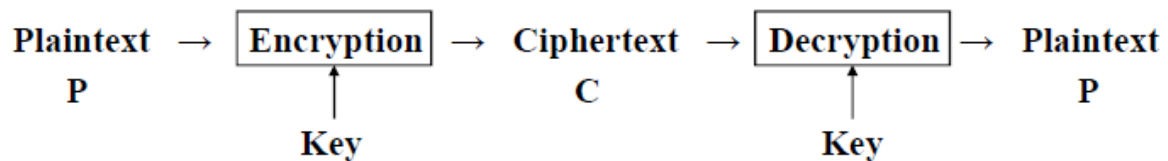
In cryptographic terminology, the message is called **plaintext** or **cleartext**. Encoding the contents of the message in such a way that hides its contents from outsiders is called **encryption**. The encrypted message is called the **ciphertext**. The process of retrieving the plaintext from the ciphertext is called **decryption**. Encryption and decryption usually make use of a **key**, and the coding method is such that decryption can be performed only by knowing the proper key.

Cryptography is the art or science of keeping messages secret. **Cryptanalysis** is the art of **breaking** ciphers, i.e. retrieving the plaintext without knowing the proper key. People who do cryptography are **cryptographers**, and practitioners of cryptanalysis are **cryptanalysts**.

Cryptography deals with all aspects of secure messaging, authentication, digital signatures, electronic money, and other applications. **Cryptology** is the branch of mathematics that studies the mathematical foundations of cryptographic methods.

1.4. Basic Cryptographic Algorithms

A method of encryption and decryption is called a **cipher**. Some cryptographic methods rely on the secrecy of the algorithms; such algorithms are only of historical interest and are not adequate for real-world needs. All modern algorithms use a **key** to control encryption and decryption; a message can be decrypted only if the key matches the encryption key. The key used for decryption can be different from the encryption key, but for most algorithms they are the same.

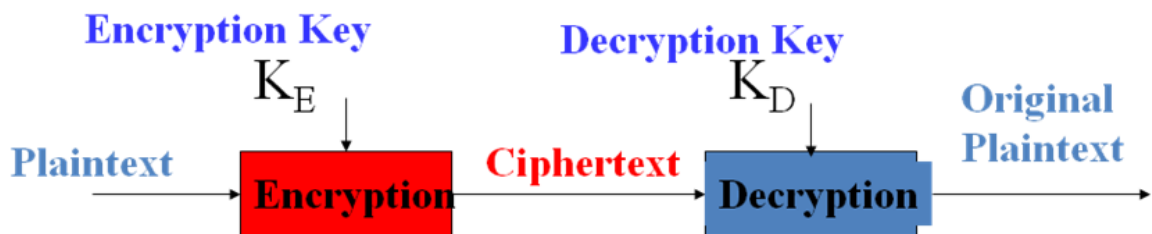


There are two classes of key-based algorithms, **symmetric** (or **secret-key**) and **asymmetric** (or **public-key**) algorithms. The difference is that symmetric algorithms use the same key for encryption and decryption (or the decryption key is easily derived from the encryption key), whereas asymmetric algorithms use a different key for encryption and decryption, and the decryption key cannot be derived from the encryption key.

Symmetric Encryption



Asymmetric Encryption



Symmetric algorithms can be divided into **stream ciphers** and **block ciphers**. Stream ciphers can encrypt a single bit of plaintext at a time, whereas block ciphers take a number of bits (typically 64 bits in modern ciphers), and encrypt them as a single unit.

Asymmetric ciphers (also called **public-key algorithms** or generally **public-key cryptography**) permit the encryption key to be public (it can even be published in a newspaper), allowing anyone to encrypt with the key, whereas only the proper recipient (who knows the decryption key) can decrypt the message. The encryption key is also called the **public key** and the decryption key the **private key** or **secret key**.

Generally, symmetric algorithms are much faster to execute on a computer than asymmetric ones. In practice they are often used together, so that a public-key

algorithm is used to encrypt a randomly generated encryption key, and the random key is used to encrypt the actual message using a symmetric algorithm.

1. 5. Cryptographic Random Number Generators

Cryptographic random number generators generate random numbers for use in cryptographic applications, such as for keys. Conventional random number generators available in most programming languages or programming environments are not suitable for use in cryptographic applications (they are designed for statistical randomness, not to resist prediction by cryptanalysts).

- In the optimal case, random numbers are based on true physical sources of randomness that cannot be predicted. Such sources may include the noise from a semiconductor device, the least significant bits of an audio input, or the intervals between device interrupts or user keystrokes.
 1. The noise obtained from a physical source is then "distilled" by a cryptographic hash function to make every bit depend on every other bit.
 2. Quite often a large pool (several thousand bits) is used to contain randomness, and every bit of the pool is made to depend on every bit of input noise and every other bit of the pool in a cryptographically strong way.
- When true physical randomness is not available, pseudorandom numbers must be used. This situation is undesirable, but often arises on general purpose computers. It is always desirable to obtain some environmental

noise - even from device latencies, resource utilization statistics, network statistics, keyboard interrupts, or whatever. The point is that the data must be unpredictable for any external observer; to achieve this, the random pool must contain at least 128 bits of true entropy.

- Cryptographic pseudorandom generators typically have a large pool ("seed value") containing randomness. Bits are returned from this pool by taking data from the pool, optionally running the data through a cryptographic hash function to avoid revealing the contents of the pool. When more bits are needed, the pool is stirred by encrypting its contents by a suitable cipher with a random key (that may be taken from an unreturned part of the pool) in a mode which makes every bit of the pool depend on every other bit of the pool. New environmental noise should be mixed into the pool before stirring to make predicting previous or future values even more impossible.
- Even though cryptographically strong random number generators are not very difficult to build if designed properly, they are often overlooked. The importance of the random number generator must thus be emphasized - if done badly; it will easily become the weakest point of the system.

1. 6. Strength of Cryptographic Algorithms

Good cryptographic systems should always be designed so that they are as difficult to break as possible. It is possible to build systems that cannot be broken in practice (though this cannot usually be proved). This does not significantly increase system implementation effort; however, some care and expertise is required. There is no excuse for a system designer to leave the system breakable.

Any mechanisms that can be used to circumvent security must be made explicit, documented, and brought into the attention of the end users.

In theory, any cryptographic method with a key can be broken by trying all possible keys in sequence. If using **brute force** to try all keys is the only option, the required computing power increases exponentially with the length of the key.

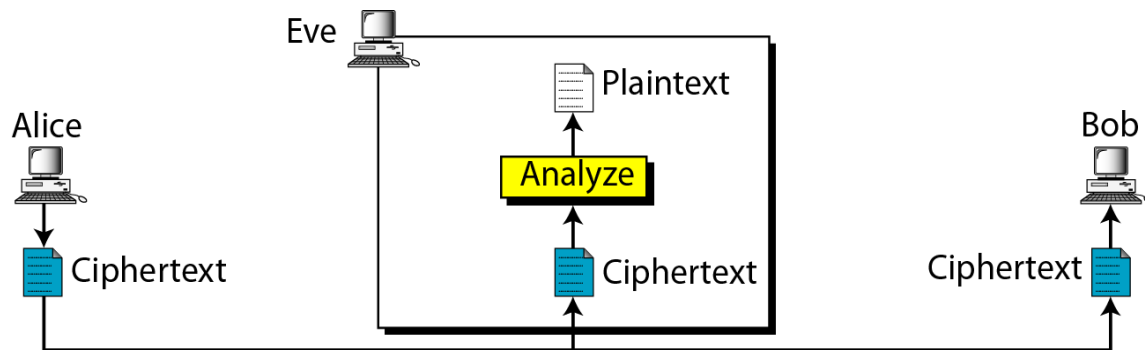
- A 32 bit key takes 2^{32} (about 10^9) steps. This is something any amateur can do on his/her home computer.
- A system with 56 bit keys (such as DES) takes a substantial effort, but is quite easily breakable with special hardware.
- Keys with 64 bits are probably breakable now by major governments, and will be within reach of organized criminals, major companies, and lesser governments in a few years.
- Keys with 80 bits may become breakable in future.
- Keys with 128 bits will probably remain unbreakable by brute force for the foreseeable future. Even larger keys are possible; in the end we will encounter a limit where the energy consumed by the computation, using the minimum energy of a quantum mechanic operation for the energy of one step, will exceed the energy of the mass of the sun or even of the universe.
- The key lengths used in public-key cryptography are usually much longer than those used in symmetric ciphers. There the problem is not that of guessing the right key, but deriving the matching secret key from the public key. In the case of [RSA](#), this is equivalent to factoring a large integer that has two large prime factors. In the case of some other cryptosystems it is equivalent to computing the discrete logarithm modulo a large integer (which is believed to be roughly comparable to factoring). Other cryptosystems are based on yet other problems.

However, key length is not the only relevant issue. Many ciphers can be broken without trying all possible keys. In general, it is very difficult to design ciphers that could not be broken more effectively using other methods. One should generally be very wary of unpublished or secret algorithms. Quite often the designer is then not sure of the security of the algorithm, or its security depends on the secrecy of the algorithm.

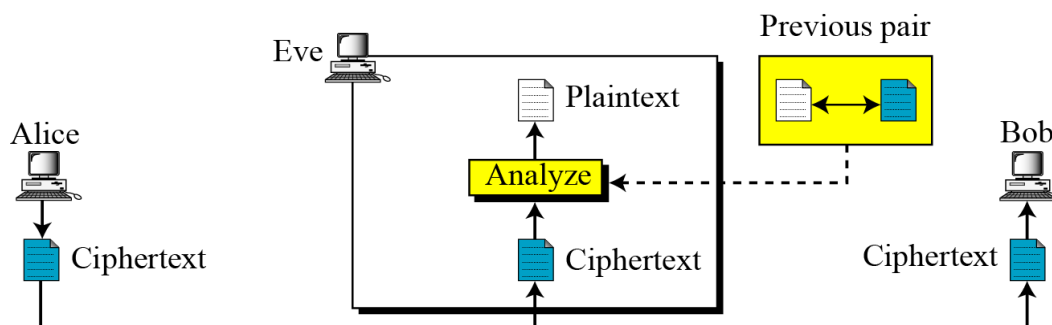
1. 7. Cryptanalysis and Attacks on Cryptosystems

Cryptanalysis is the art of deciphering encrypted communications without knowing the proper keys. There are many cryptanalytic techniques. Some of the more important ones for a system implementer are described below.

- **Ciphertext-only attack**(Only know algorithm / ciphertext, statistical, can identify plaintext): This is the situation where the attacker does not know anything about the contents of the message, and must work from ciphertext only. In practice it is quite often possible to make guesses about the plaintext, as many types of messages have fixed format headers. Even ordinary letters and documents begin in a very predictable way. It may also be possible to guess that some ciphertext block contains a common word.

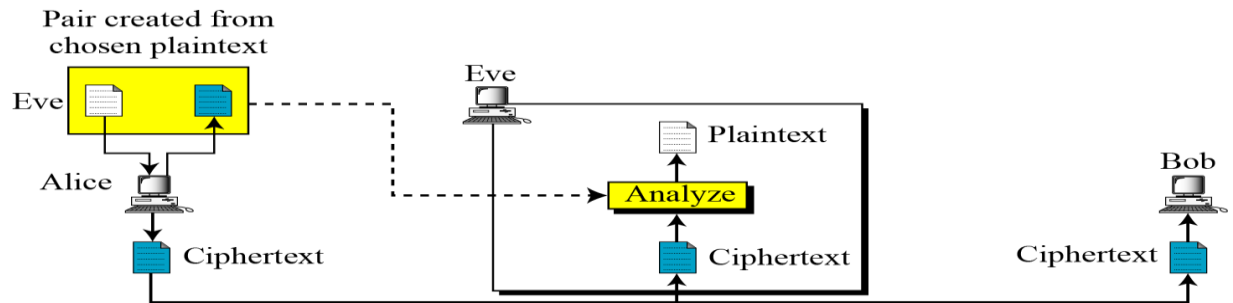


- **Known-plaintext attack** (know/suspect plaintext & ciphertext to attack cipher): The attacker knows or can guess the plaintext for some parts of the ciphertext. The task is to decrypt the rest of the ciphertext blocks using this information. This may be done by determining the key used to encrypt the data, or via some shortcut.

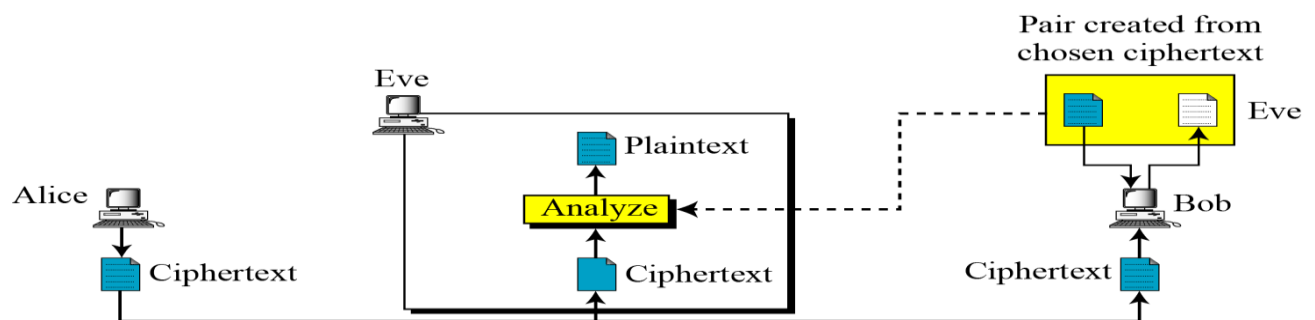


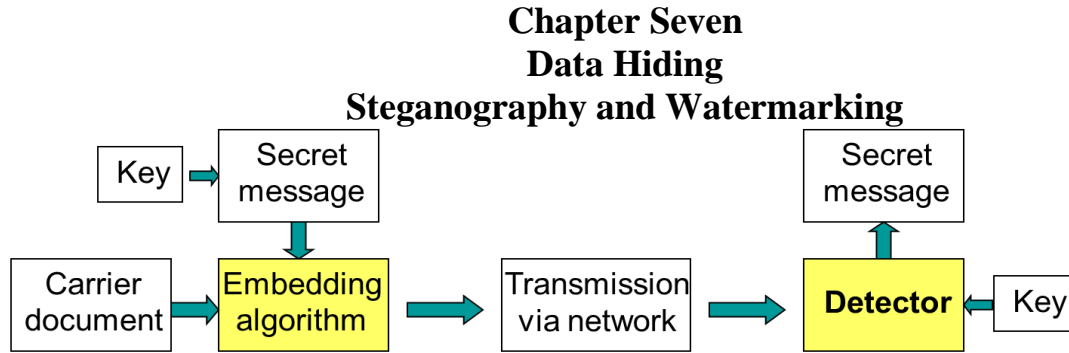
- **Chosen-plaintext attack** (selects plaintext and obtains ciphertext to attack cipher): The attacker is able to have any text he likes encrypted with the unknown key. The task is to determine the key used for encryption. Some encryption methods, particularly [RSA](#), are extremely vulnerable to chosen-plaintext attacks. When such algorithms are used, extreme care must be

taken to design the entire system so that an attacker can never have chosen plaintext encrypted.



- **Chosen Ciphertext Attacks** (select ciphertext and obtain plaintext to attack cipher): Attacker obtains the decryption of any ciphertext of its choice (under the key being attacked)





- Information Hiding is a general term encompassing many sub-disciplines
- Two important sub-disciplines are: **Steganography and Watermarking**
 - Steganography:

Hiding: keeping the existence of the information secret

- Watermarking

Hiding: making the information imperceptible

- Information hiding is different than cryptography (cryptography is about protecting the content of messages)

The Need for Data Hiding

- Covert communication using images (secret message is hidden in an image)
- Ownership of digital images, authentication, copyright
- Data integrity, fraud detection, self-correcting images
- Traitor-tracing (fingerprinting video-tapes)
- Adding captions to images, additional information, such as subtitles, to video, embedding subtitles or audio tracks to video (video-in-video)
- Intelligent browsers, automatic copyright information, viewing a movie in a given rated version
- Copy control (secondary protection for DVD)

Issues in Data Hiding

- Perceptibility: does embedding information “distort” cover medium to a visually unacceptable level (subjective)
- Capacity: how much information can be hidden relative to its perceptibility (information theory)
- Robustness to attacks: can embedded data survive manipulation of the stego medium in an effort to destroy, remove, or change the embedded data
- Trade-offs between the three:
 1. More robust => lower capacity
 2. Lower perceptibility => lower capacity etc.

Steganography

is the science that serves to hide a specific message in a suitable cover file without making a noticeable changing with the cover that bring an attention of HSS (Human Sense Systems) in both (Human Visual System - HVS and Humane Auditory System - HAS) and / or Computer detecting software which lead to steganoanalysis.

When the Greek Histiaeus was held as a prisoner by king Darius in Susa during the 5th century BCE, he had to send a secret message to his son-in-law Aristagoras in Miletus. Histiaeus shaved the head of a slave and tattooed a message on his scalp. When the slave's hair had grown long enough he was dispatched to Miletus.

Steganography simply takes one piece of information and hides it within another Computer files (images, sounds recordings, even disks) contain unused or insignificant areas of data Steganography takes advantage of these areas, replacing

them with information (encrypted mail, for instance). The files can then be exchanged without anyone knowing what really lies inside of them. An image of the space shuttle landing might contain a private letter to a friend.

Steganography types:

There are three basic types of Steganography:

1- Pure Steganography: Pure Steganography does not require the prior exchange of a stego-key, so both sender and receiver have to access the embedding and extraction algorithms. If an outsider knows the extraction algorithm, he can extract the secret message out of every cover sent between the two parties

1. The embedding process can be described as the mapping:

$$E: C \times M \rightarrow C., \text{ where } C \text{ is Cover, } M \text{ is Message}$$

2. The Extraction process consists of mapping:

$$D: C \rightarrow M$$

2- Secret Key Steganography: Secret key Steganography uses stego-key to embed the secret message into a cover and extracts the secret message using the same stego-key. Both parties could agree on the key before sending the secret message.

1. The embedding process can be described as :

$$EK: C \times M \times K \rightarrow C \text{ (where } K \text{ is the key and } M \text{ is the Message and } C \text{ is Cover).}$$

2. The Extraction process consists of:

$$DK: C \times K \rightarrow M$$

Secret Key Steganography requires the exchange of some keys, although transmission of additional secret information subverts the invisible communication.

3 Public Key Steganography: Public key Steganography requires a public key to embed the secret message and a private key in reconstruct process.

Least significant bit (LSB) insertion.

It is a common, simple approach to embedding information in image.

24-bit images: These images have a 24 bit value for each pixel in which each 8 bit value refer to the colors RED BLUE and GREEN. We can embed 3 bits of information in each pixel one in each LSB position of the three 8 bit values in 24 bit value. Increase or decrease of the value by changing the Least Significant bit doesn't change the appearance of the image much so the resulted Stego image looks exactly same as the cover image.

8-bit images: In these images 1 bit of information can be hidden in each pixel. The pointers to entries in the palette are changed. A change of even one bit could mean the difference between a shade of red and a shade of blue. Such a change would be noticeable on the displayed image, for this reason data-hiding experts recommend using grey-scale palettes.

Example of LSB insertion: hide the letter G in a carrier file

G in ASCII is the binary string 01000111

suppose a sequence of 8 bytes had the values

01010100 11010101 11001100 11110001

00011101 01010001 11001100 11001000

hiding the 8 bits representing G in the LSB of the eight carrier bytes results in

01010100 11010101 11001100 11110000

00011100 01010001 11001101 11001001

– this changed 4 bits (in italics); in general, about 50% of the bit values change

Watermarks

Image watermarking is a new challenging field that involves principles and techniques from a range of diverse disciplines.

Watermarks have been proposed for Copyright Protection of digital images, audio and video and, extensively, multimedia products.

Watermarks are digital signals that are embedded into other digital signals (carriers). The carrier signal is not affected strongly by such an embedding (watermarks are invisible).

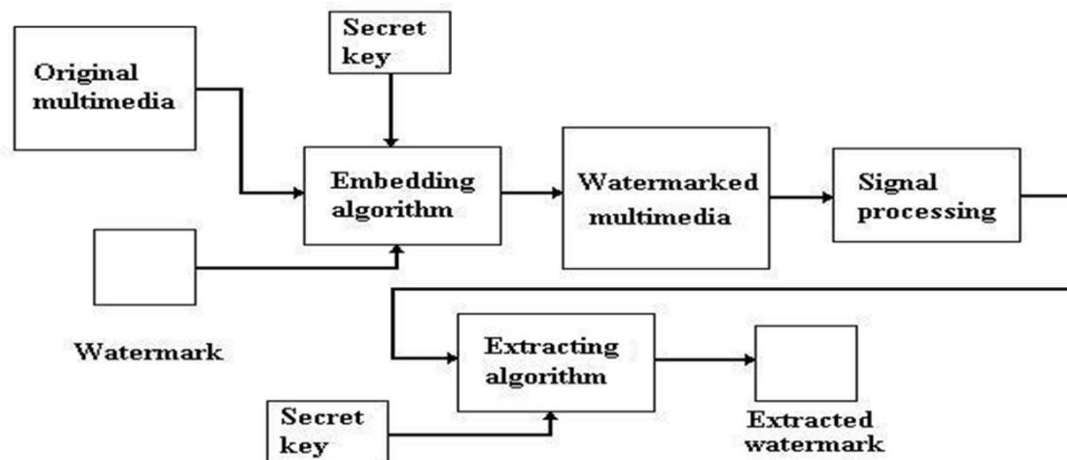
A watermark should represent exclusively the copyright owner of the product and can be detected only by him/her.

Watermarks should not be removed by pirates. Watermarks must be robust to any product modification that does not degrade its quality. Resistance against any intentional attack is required

In a watermarking scheme one can distinguish between three fundamental stages
Watermark generation, aims at producing the watermark pattern using an owner and /or image dependent key

Watermark embedding, can be considered as a superposition of watermark signal on the original image. Watermark detection, performed using watermark correlators or hypothesis testing

Digital Watermarking System



Watermarking Category- embedding approach

- Spatial domain-based scheme
 - Low computational complexity
 - Lower robustness
- Frequency domain-based scheme
 - Need more computation
 - Provide better robustness

WATERMARK EMBEDDED AND EXTRACTION

All images are 256*256 Pixels by 8 bit per pixel gray scale image. Select an image CI to be used as base image or cover image in which watermark will be inserted. Select an image to be used as watermark Reading images WI which will be added to base image.

n : integer..... n =no. of least significant bits to be utilized to hide most significant bits of watermark under the baseimage

Watermark Embedded

For each pixel in base, watermark, watermarked_imageDo

- Base_image:set n least significant bits to zero
- Watermark:shift right by $8-n$ bits
- Watermarked-image : add values from base and watermark

Enddo

End

Watermark Extraction

In watermarked image for each pixel in watermarked image and extracted image

Do

Watermarked image:

- Shift left by $8-n$ bits

Extracted image:

- Set to the shifted value of watermarked image

The technique used will be LSB technique which is a form of spatial domain technique. This technique is used to add an invisible and visible watermark in the image by varying the number of bits to be replaced in base image.

Chapter Two

Mathematics

القاسم المشترك الأكبر (GCD) Greatest Common Divisor

إذا كان لدينا عددين (a, b) والقاسم المشترك D فان العددين a, b تقبل القسمة على D بدون باقي اي
 $a \bmod D = 0$ and $b \bmod D = 0$

مثال القاسم المشترك الأكبر للعددين 10 و 15 هو العدد 5

$$\text{GCD}(10, 15) = 5$$

العدد 10 يقبل القسمة على 5 بدون باقي

العدد 15 يقبل القسمة على 5 بدون باقي

كما ان

$$\text{GCD}(a, b) = \text{GCD}(b, a)$$

إذا كان a, b عددين أوليين (prime number) فان $\text{GCD}(a, b) = 1$

وإذا كان a عدد أولي وليكن b يمثل كل الأعداد التي أقل من a ($a > b$) فان:

$$\text{GCD}(a, b) = 1$$

طرق الاحتساب

لاحتساب قيمة الرقمين نستخدم القانون التالي:

$$\text{GCD}(a, b) = \text{GCD}(b, a \bmod b)$$

مثال:

$$\text{أوجد القاسم المشترك الأعظم } \text{GCD}(39, 36)$$

$$\text{GCD}(93, 36) = \text{GCD}(36, 93 \bmod 36) = \text{GCD}(36, 21)$$

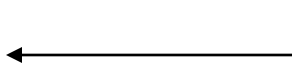
$$\text{GCD}(36, 21) = \text{GCD}(21, 36 \bmod 21) = \text{GCD}(21, 15)$$

$$\text{GCD}(21, 15) = \text{GCD}(15, 21 \bmod 15) = \text{GCD}(15, 6)$$

$$\text{GCD}(15, 6) = \text{GCD}(6, 15 \bmod 6) = \text{GCD}(6, 3)$$

$$\text{GCD}(6, 3) = \text{GCD}(3, 6 \bmod 3) = \text{GCD}(3, 0)$$

$$\text{GCD}(93, 36) = 3$$



المضاعف المشترك الأصغر (LCM) Least Common Multiple

1- المضاعف المشترك الأصغر هو اصغر عدد موجب يقبل القسمة على عددين بدون باقي ويتم احتسابه بالمعادلة التالية:

مثال: أوجد $\text{LCM}(4864, 3458)$

$$\text{LCM}(a, b) = |a * b| / \text{GCD}(a, b)$$

$$\text{GCD}(4864, 3458)$$

$$4864 = 3458 * 1 + 1406$$

$$3458 = 1046 * 2 + 646$$

$$1406 = 646 * 2 + 114$$

$$646 = 114 * 5 + 76$$

$$114 = 67 * 1 + 38$$

$$76 = 38 * 2 + 0$$

$$\text{GCD}(4864, 3458) = 38$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{LCM}(4864, 3458) &= |4864 * 3458| / \text{GCD}(4864, 3458) \\ &= 16819712 / 38 \\ &= 442624 \end{aligned}$$

Modular باقي القسمة

عند قسمة عدد على عدد اخر فان باقي القسمة يدعى Modular ويتم احتسابه بالمعادلة التالية

$$C = a \text{ MOD } b$$

حيث ان:

a القاسم

b المقسوم عليه

C باقي القسمة

من المعادلة اذا كان قيمة كلا من a, n معلومة القيم فان:

$$q = a / n$$

$$a = q * n + r \quad 0 \leq r < n$$

$$r = a - q * n$$

مثال: اذا كانت قيمة كلا من a = 11 , n = 7 اوجد كلا من q, r

$$q = a / n = 11 / 7 = 1$$

$$r = 11 - 1 * 7 = 4$$

$$11 = 1 * 7 + 4$$

مثال: اذا كانت قيمة كلا من a = -11 , n = 7 اوجد كلا من q, r

$$q = a / n = -11 / 7 = -1$$

$$r = a - q * n = -11 - (-1) * 7 = -4$$

$$-11 = -1 * 7 + (-4) = -11$$

رياضيات باقي القسمة

$$C = a \text{ mod } b$$

C = Remainder of dividing a by b.

$$C = 25 \text{ mod } 6$$

$$C = 1$$

إذا كان لدينا عدد موجب هو n واي رقم اخر a، فأذا قسمنا a على n، فأننا نحصل على رقم ناتج القسمة هو q ورقم باقي القسمة هو r والذي يحقق العلاقة التالية:

$$A = q*n + r \quad 0 \leq r < n; \quad q = \lfloor a/n \rfloor$$

مثال:

$$A = 11; \quad n = 7; \quad 11 = 1 * 7 + 4; \quad r = 4$$

$$A = -11; \quad n = 7; \quad -11 = (-2) * 7 + 4; \quad r = 3$$

$$11 \text{ mod } 7 = 4; \quad -11 \text{ mod } 7 = 3;$$

عديدين هما a و b يقال لهما باقيا القسمة الى n، وإذا كان (a mod n) = (b mod n). فأنها تكتب كما يلي as a = b mod n.

$$37 \equiv 4 \text{ mod } 23;$$

$$21 \equiv -9 \text{ mod } 10$$

خصائص معامل باقي القسمة:

لمعامل باقي القسمة الخصائص التالية:

- 1- $a \equiv b \text{ mod } n$ if $n \mid (a-b)$.
- 2- $a \equiv b \text{ mod } n$ implies $b \equiv a \text{ mod } n$.
- 3- $a \equiv b \text{ mod } n$ and $b \equiv c \text{ mod } n$ imply $a \equiv c \text{ mod } n$

مثال:

$$23 \equiv 8 \text{ (mod } 5) \text{ because } 23-8 = 15 = 5*3$$

$$-11 \equiv 5 \text{ (mod } 8) \text{ because } -11-5 = -16 = 8*(-2)$$

$$81 \equiv 0 \text{ (mod } 27) \text{ because } 81-0 = 81 = 27*3$$

العمليات الرياضية لباقي القسمة:
تتضمن رياضيات باقي القسمة الصفات التالية:

- 1- $[(a \bmod n) + (b \bmod n)] \bmod n = (a + b) \bmod n$
- 2- $[(a \bmod n) - (b \bmod n)] \bmod n = (a - b) \bmod n$
- 3- $[(a \bmod n) * (b \bmod n)] \bmod n = (a * b) \bmod n$

مثال:

$$11 \bmod 8 = 3; \quad 15 \bmod 8 = 7$$

$$[(11 \bmod 8) + (15 \bmod 8)] \bmod 8 = 10 \bmod 8 = 2$$

$$(11 + 15) \bmod 8 = 26 \bmod 8 = 2$$

$$[(11 \bmod 8) - (15 \bmod 8)] \bmod 8 = -4 \bmod 8 = 4$$

$$(11 - 15) \bmod 8 = -4 \bmod 8 = 4$$

$$[(11 \bmod 8) * (15 \bmod 8)] \bmod 8 = 21 \bmod 8 = 5$$

$$(11 * 15) \bmod 8 = 165 \bmod 8 = 5$$

مثال:

To find $11^7 \bmod 13$, we can proceed as follows:

$$11^7 \bmod 13$$

$$11^2 = 121 = 4 \bmod 13$$

$$11^4 = 4^2 = 3 \bmod 13$$

$$11^7 = 11 * 4 * 3 \equiv 132 \equiv 2 \bmod 13 = 2$$

دالة أويلر Euler Function:

هي الدالة التي تعطي عدد العناصر في مجموعة البواقي (reduce) والتي تحتوي هذه المصفوفة على اعداد صحيحة .

ليكن m عدد صحيح وان k تمثل عدد عناصر مجموعة البواقي فان $m > k$ وان $\text{GCD}(k, m) = 1$ ويتم احتساب دالة أويلر بالطرق التالية:

1- اذا كان عدد أولى فان

$$\Phi(m) = m - 1$$

مثال: اوجد $\Phi(5)$

$$\Phi(5) = m - 1 = 5 - 1 = 4$$

مجموعة البواقي = $\{1, 2, 3, 4\}$

$$\text{GCD}(5,1) = 1 \quad \text{gcd}(5,2) = 1 \quad \text{gcd}(5,3) = 1 \quad \text{gcd}(5,4) = 1$$

2- اذا كان m عدد غير أولي فان

$$\Phi(m^r) = m^{r-1} (m-1)$$

مثال: اوجد $\Phi(3^3)$

$$\Phi(3^3) = 3^2 (3-1) = 9 * 2 = 18$$

مجموعة البواقي = $\{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 10, 11, 13, 14, 16, 17, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26\}$

3- اذا كان m_1, m_2 عدنان اوليان فان:

$$\Phi(m_1 * m_2) = (m_1 - 1)(m_2 - 1)$$

مثال: $\Phi(10)$

$$\Phi(10) = (2 * 5) = (2 - 1) (5 - 1)$$

$$= 1 * 4 = 4$$

مجموعة البواقي = $\{1, 3, 7, 9\}$

4- إذا كان m عدد زوجي نجد عوامله الأولية ونطبق عليه القانون التالي:

$$\Phi(m) = \boxed{\text{[Redacted]}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi(m) &= \Phi(p_1^r, p_2^{r_1}) \\ &= \Phi(p_1^r) * \Phi(p_2^{r_1}) \\ &= \Phi(p_1^{r-1})(p_1-1) * \Phi(p_2^{r_1-1})(p_2-1) \end{aligned}$$

مثال $\Phi(20)$

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi(20) &= \Phi(2^2) * \Phi(5^1) \\ &= (2^{2-1})(2-1)(5^{1-1})(5-1) \\ &= (2)(1)(1)(4) = 2 * 4 = 8 \end{aligned}$$

مجموعة البواقي = $\{1, 3, 9, 11, 13, 17, 19\}$

Inverse Algorithm (inv)

خوارزمية المعكوس

لايجاد قيمة المفتاح X من المعادلة التالية مع العلم ان قيمة كل من المتغيرات التالية معلومة a, n, b .

$$a X \text{ mod } n = b, \quad \text{gcd}(a, n) = 1$$

$$X = [b * \text{inv}(a, n)] \text{ mod } n$$

سنستخدم الدالة inv لايجاد قيمة X من المعادلة

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Algorithm inv(a ,n);
{
' Return x such that ax mod n = 1 where 0 < a < n '
g0 = n ; g1 = a ;
u0 = 1 ; v0 = 0;
u1 = 0; v1 = 1;
i=1;
while gi <> 0 do "gi=ui*n + vi*a;
{
y= gi-1div gi ;
gi+1 = gi-1 - y * gi;
ui+1 = ui-1 - y * ui ;
vi+1 = vi-1 -y * vi;
i = i + 1
}
x= vi-1;
if x >= 0 then inv = x else inv = x + n;
}

```

مثال: اوجد قيمة X من المعادلة التالية : $3X \bmod 26 = 6$

حيث ان $a=3$ $n=26$ $b=6$

Inv(3,26)

$$g_0 = 26 \quad g_1 = 3$$

$$U_0 = 1 \quad V_0 = 0$$

$$U_1 = 0 \quad v_1 = 1$$

$$i=1$$

$$g_1 \neq 0$$

$$y = g_0 \text{ div } g_1 = 26 \text{ div } 3 = 8$$

$$g_2 = g_0 - y * g_1 = 26 - 8*3 = 26 - 24 = 2$$

$$u_2 = u_0 - y * u_1 = 1 - 8 * 0 = 1 - 0 = 1$$

$$v_2 = v_0 - y * v_1 = 0 - 8 * 1 = 0 - 8 = -8$$

$$i=i+1 = 1+1 = 2$$

$$y = g_1 \text{ div } g_2 = 3 \text{ div } 2 = 1$$

$$g_3 = g_1 - y * g_2 = 3 - 1 * 2 = 3 - 2 = 1$$

$$u_3 = u_1 - y * u_2 = 0 - 1 * 1 = 0 - 1 = -1$$

$$v_3 = v_1 - y * v_2 = 1 - 1 * -8 = 1 + 8 = 9$$

$$i=i+1 = 1+2 = 3$$

$$y = g_2 \text{ div } g_3 = 2 \text{ div } 1 = 2$$

$$g_4 = g_2 - y * g_3 = 3 - 1 * 2 = 3 - 2 = 1$$

$$u_4 = u_2 - y * u_3 = 0 - 1 * 1 = 0 - 1 = -1$$

$$v_4 = v_2 - y * v_3 = 1 - 1 * -8 = 1 + 8 = 9$$

$$i=i+1 = 1+3 = 4$$

$$g_4 = 0$$

$$x = v_{i-1} = v_3 = 9$$

$$\text{if } x \geq 0 \text{ then inv} = x = 9$$

$$\begin{aligned} X &= [b * \text{inv}(a, n)] \text{ mod } n \\ &= [6 * 9] \text{ mod } 26 \\ &= 54 \text{ mod } 26 = 2 \end{aligned}$$

لائبات ناتج صحة المعادلة التالية

$$3 X \text{ mod } 26 = 6$$

$$3 * 2 \text{ mod } 26 = 6$$

خوارزمية القوة السريعة

fast exponentiation algorithm

Algorithm fastexp(a,z,n)

Begin "return x = az nod n "

A1 = a ; z1 = z ;

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X = 1 ;
While z1 ≠ 0
  {
while z1 mod 2 = 0
  {
      z1 = z1 div 2
      a1 = (a1 * a1 ) mod n
  }
z1 = z1 - 1
  x = ( x * a1 ) mod n
  }
fastexp = x
end

```

مثال استخدم خوارزمية القوة السريعة لاحتساب قيمة X من المعادلة التالية

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X= 23 mod 5
X = a1z1 mod n
a1 = 2    z1 = 3    x = 1    n = 5
First ilt
while z1 mod 2 = 0 false
z1 = z1 - 1 = 3 - 1 = 2
x = ( x * a1 ) mod n = ( 1 * 2 ) mod 5 = 2
secondilt
while z1 mod 2 = 0 true
z1 = z1 div 2 = 2 div 2 = 1
a1 = ( a1 * a1 ) mod n = ( 2 * 2 ) mod 5 = 4
while z1 mod 2 = 0 false
z1 = z1 - 1 = 1 - 1 = 0
x = ( x * a1 ) mod n = ( 2 * 4 ) mod 5 = 3
fastexp = X= 23 mod 5 = 3

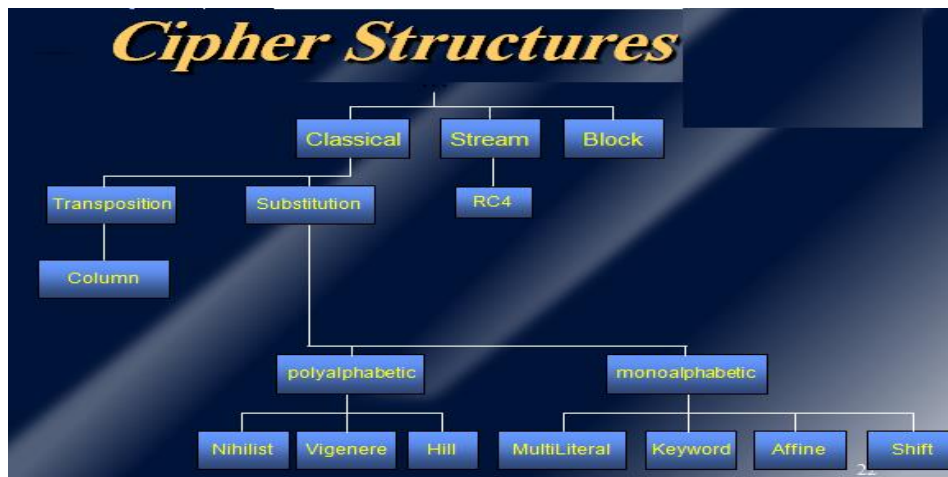
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Chapter Three

Classical Encryption

3. 1. Introduction

Cryptography is the discipline of using codes and ciphers to encrypt a message and make it unreadable unless the recipient knows the secret to decrypt it. Encryption has been used for many thousands of years. The following codes and ciphers can be learned and used to encrypt and decrypt messages by hand.



Transposition Ciphers

Unlike substitution ciphers that replace letters with other letters, a transposition cipher keeps the letters the same, but rearranges their order according to a specific algorithm.

Monoalphabetic Ciphers

A monoalphabetic cipher uses the same substitution across the entire message. For example, if you know that the letter A is enciphered as the letter K, this will hold

true for the entire message. These types of messages can be cracked by using [frequency analysis](#), educated guesses or trial and error.

Polyalphabetic Ciphers

In a polyalphabetic cipher, the substitution may change throughout the message. In other words, the letter A may be encoded as the letter K for part of the message, but later on it might be encoded as the letter W.

Polygraphic Ciphers

Instead of substituting one letter for another letter, a polygraphic cipher performs substitutions with two or more groups of letters. This has the advantage of masking the frequency distribution of letters, which makes [frequency analysis](#) attacks much more difficult.

Other Ciphers and Codes

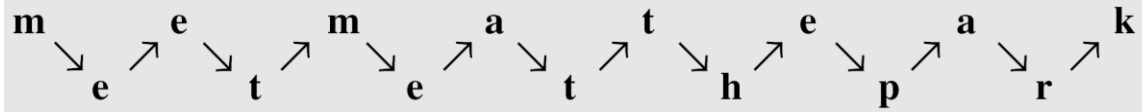
3. 2. Transposition Ciphers

A transposition cipher does not substitute one symbol for another, instead it changes the location of the symbols. A transposition cipher reorders symbols.

Keyless Transposition Ciphers

Simple transposition ciphers, which were used in the past, are keyless.

Example: A good example of a keyless cipher using the first method is the **rail fence cipher**. The ciphertext is created reading the pattern row by row. For example, to send the message “Meet me at the park” to Bob, Alice writes



She then creates the ciphertext “MEMATEAKETETHPR”.

Example

Alice and Bob can agree on the number of columns and use the second method.

Alice writes the same plaintext, row by row, in a table of four columns.

m	e	e	t
m	e	a	t
t	h	e	p
a	r	k	

She then creates the ciphertext “MMTAEEHREAEKTTP”.

Example

The cipher in Example above is actually a transposition cipher. The following shows the permutation of each character in the plaintext into the ciphertext based on the positions.

01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15
↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓
01	05	09	13	02	06	10	13	03	07	11	15	04	08	12

The second character in the plaintext has moved to the fifth position in the ciphertext; the third character has moved to the ninth position; and so on. Although the characters are permuted, there is a pattern in the permutation: (01, 05, 09, 13),

(02, 06, 10, 13), (03, 07, 11, 15), and (08, 12). In each section, the difference between the two adjacent numbers is 4.

Keyed Transposition Ciphers

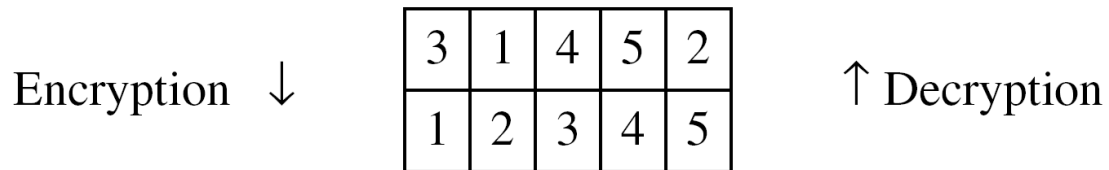
The keyless ciphers permute the characters by using writing plaintext in one way and reading it in another way. The permutation is done on the whole plaintext to create the whole ciphertext. Another method is to divide the plaintext into groups of predetermined size, called blocks, and then use a key to permute the characters in each block separately.

Example

Alice needs to send the message “Enemy attacks tonight” to Bob..

e n e m y a t t a c k s t o n i g h t z

The key used for encryption and decryption is a permutation key, which shows how the character are permuted.

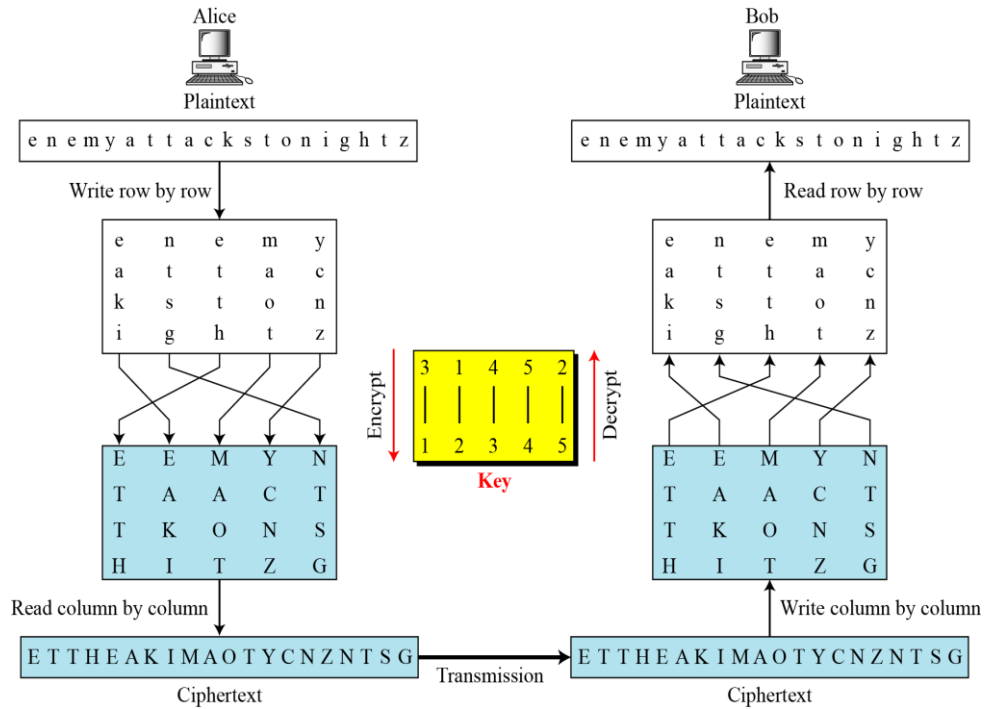


The permutation yields

E E M Y N T A A C T T K O N S H I T Z G

Combining Two Approaches

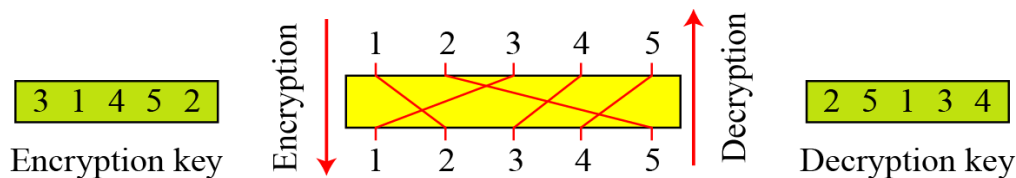
Example



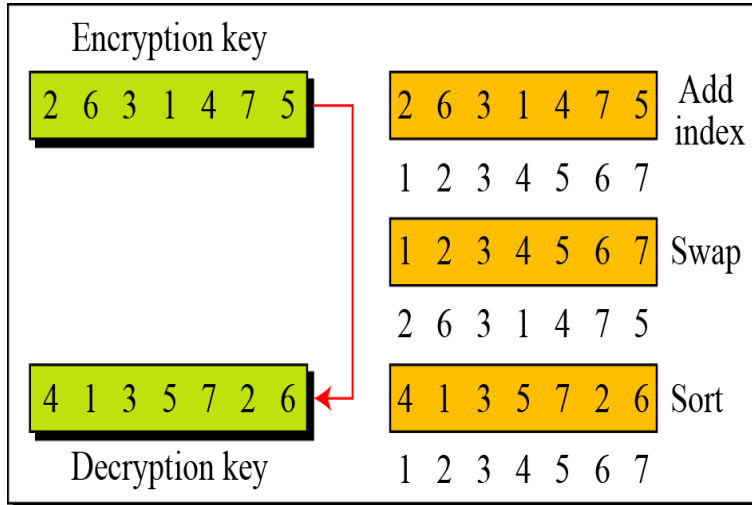
Keys

In Example above, a single key was used in two directions for the column exchange: downward for encryption, upward for decryption. It is customary to create two keys.

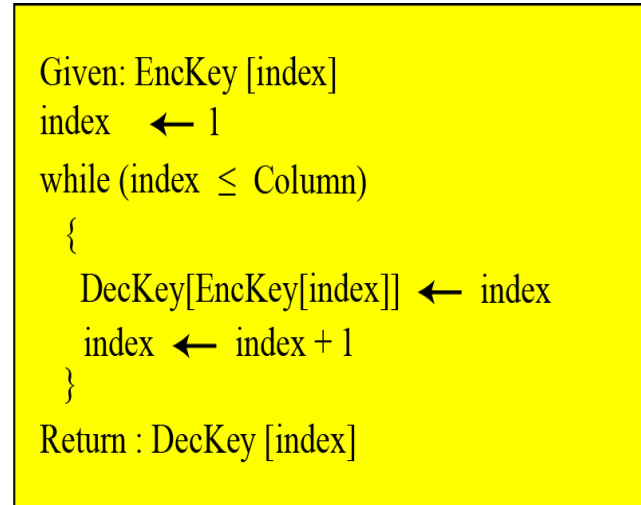
Encryption/decryption keys in



Key inversion in a transposition cipher



a. Manual process



b. Algorithm

Using Matrices

We can use matrices to show the encryption/decryption process for a transposition cipher.

Example

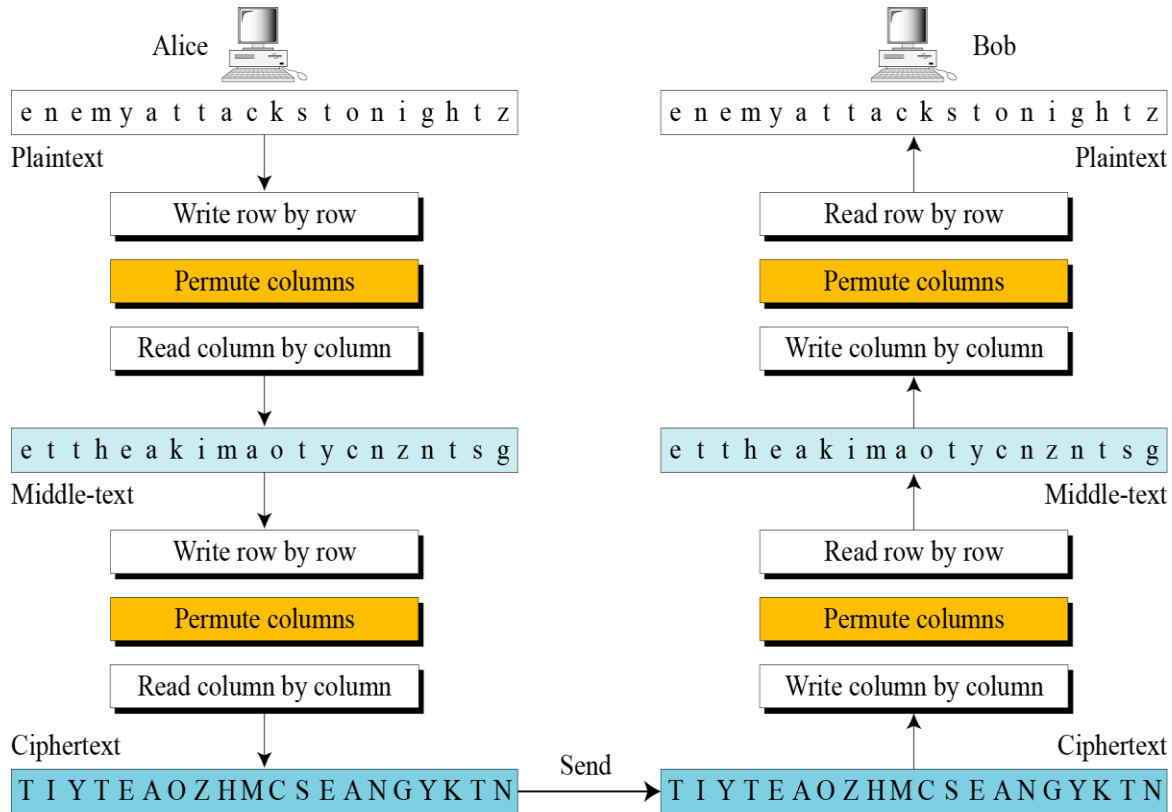
Figure down shows the encryption process. Multiplying the 4×5 plaintext matrix by the 5×5 encryption key gives the 4×5 ciphertext matrix.

Representation of the key as a matrix in the

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \begin{bmatrix} 04 & 13 & 04 & 12 & 24 \\ 00 & 19 & 19 & 00 & 02 \\ 10 & 18 & 19 & 14 & 13 \\ 08 & 06 & 07 & 19 & 25 \end{bmatrix} \\
 \text{Plaintext}
 \end{array}
 \times
 \begin{array}{c}
 \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 & 4 & 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \\
 \begin{matrix} \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow & \downarrow \end{matrix} \\
 \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\
 \text{Encryption key}
 \end{array}
 =
 \begin{array}{c}
 \begin{bmatrix} 04 & 04 & 12 & 24 & 13 \\ 19 & 00 & 00 & 02 & 19 \\ 19 & 10 & 14 & 13 & 18 \\ 07 & 08 & 19 & 25 & 06 \end{bmatrix} \\
 \text{Ciphertext}
 \end{array}$$

Double Transposition Ciphers

Double



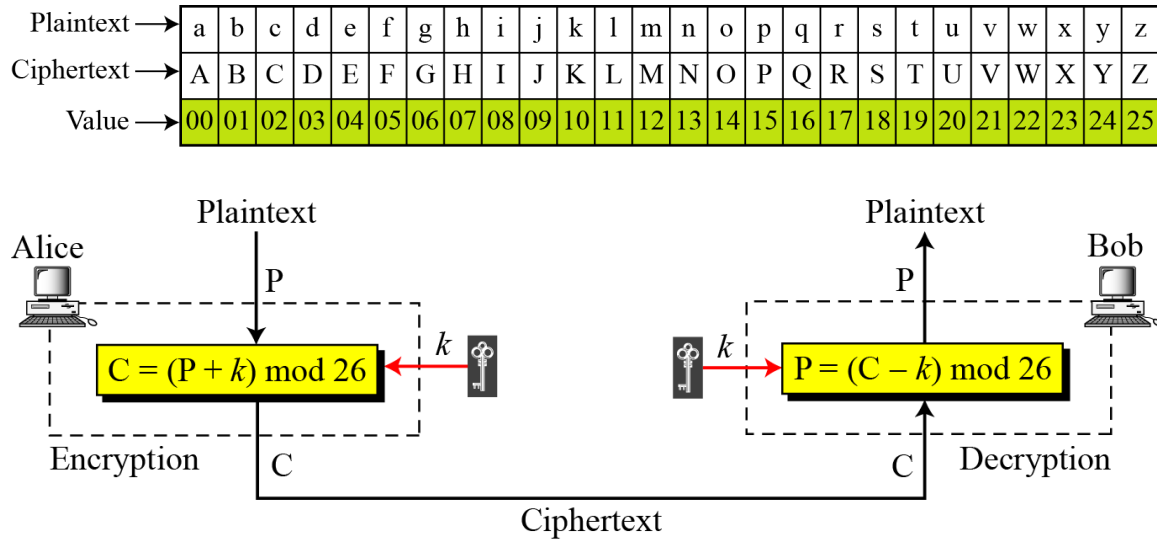
3.3. Monoalphabetic Ciphers

In monoalphabetic substitution, the relationship between a symbol in the plaintext to a symbol in the ciphertext is always one-to-one.

Additive Cipher

The simplest monoalphabetic cipher is the additive cipher. This cipher is sometimes called a shift cipher and sometimes a Caesar cipher, but the term additive cipher better reveals its mathematical nature.

Plaintext and ciphertext in Z_{26}



When the cipher is additive, the plaintext, ciphertext, and key are integers in Z_{26} .

Example

Use the additive cipher with key = 15 to encrypt the message “hello”.

Solution

We apply the encryption algorithm to the plaintext, character by character:

Plaintext: h → 07	Encryption: $(07 + 15) \bmod 26$	Ciphertext: 22 → W
Plaintext: e → 04	Encryption: $(04 + 15) \bmod 26$	Ciphertext: 19 → T
Plaintext: l → 11	Encryption: $(11 + 15) \bmod 26$	Ciphertext: 00 → A
Plaintext: l → 11	Encryption: $(11 + 15) \bmod 26$	Ciphertext: 00 → A
Plaintext: o → 14	Encryption: $(14 + 15) \bmod 26$	Ciphertext: 03 → D

We apply the decryption algorithm to the plaintext character by character:

Ciphertext: W → 22	Decryption: $(22 - 15) \bmod 26$	Plaintext: 07 → h
Ciphertext: T → 19	Decryption: $(19 - 15) \bmod 26$	Plaintext: 04 → e
Ciphertext: A → 00	Decryption: $(00 - 15) \bmod 26$	Plaintext: 11 → l
Ciphertext: A → 00	Decryption: $(00 - 15) \bmod 26$	Plaintext: 11 → l
Ciphertext: D → 03	Decryption: $(03 - 15) \bmod 26$	Plaintext: 14 → o

Shift Cipher and Caesar Cipher

Historically, additive ciphers are called shift ciphers. Julius Caesar used an additive cipher to communicate with his officers. For this reason, additive ciphers are sometimes referred to as the Caesar cipher. Caesar used a key of 3 for his

communications. Additive ciphers are sometimes referred to as shift ciphers or Caesar cipher.

Example

Eve has intercepted the ciphertext “UVACLYFZLJBYL”. Show how she can use a brute-force attack to break the cipher.

Solution

Eve tries keys from 1 to 7. With a key of 7, the plaintext is “not very secure”, which makes sense.

Ciphertext: UVACLYFZLJBYL	
K = 1	→ Plaintext: tuzbkxeykiaxk
K = 2	→ Plaintext: styajwdxjhzwj
K = 3	→ Plaintext: rsxzivcwigyvi
K = 4	→ Plaintext: qrwyhubvhfxuh
K = 5	→ Plaintext: pqvxgtaugewtg
K = 6	→ Plaintext: opuwfsztfdvsv
K = 7	→ Plaintext: notverysecure

Frequency of characters in English

<i>Letter</i>	<i>Frequency</i>	<i>Letter</i>	<i>Frequency</i>	<i>Letter</i>	<i>Frequency</i>	<i>Letter</i>	<i>Frequency</i>
E	12.7	H	6.1	W	2.3	K	0.08
T	9.1	R	6.0	F	2.2	J	0.02
A	8.2	D	4.3	G	2.0	Q	0.01
O	7.5	L	4.0	Y	2.0	X	0.01
I	7.0	C	2.8	P	1.9	Z	0.01
N	6.7	U	2.8	B	1.5		
S	6.3	M	2.4	V	1.0		

Frequency of digrams and trigrams

Digram	TH, HE, IN, ER, AN, RE, ED, ON, ES, ST, EN, AT, TO, NT, HA, ND, OU, EA, NG, AS, OR, TI, IS, ET, IT, AR, TE, SE, HI, OF
Trigram	THE, ING, AND, HER, ERE, ENT, THA, NTH, WAS, ETH, FOR, DTH

Example: Eve has intercepted the following ciphertext. Using a statistical attack, find the plaintext.

XLILSYWIMWRS AJSVWEPIJSVJSYVQMPPMSRHSPPPEVWMXMWASVX-LQSVILY-
VVCFIJSVIXLIWIPPIVIGIMZIWQSVISJJIVW

Solution :-

When Eve tabulates the frequency of letters in this ciphertext, she gets: I =14, V =13, S =12, and so on. The most common character is I with 14 occurrences. This means key = 4.

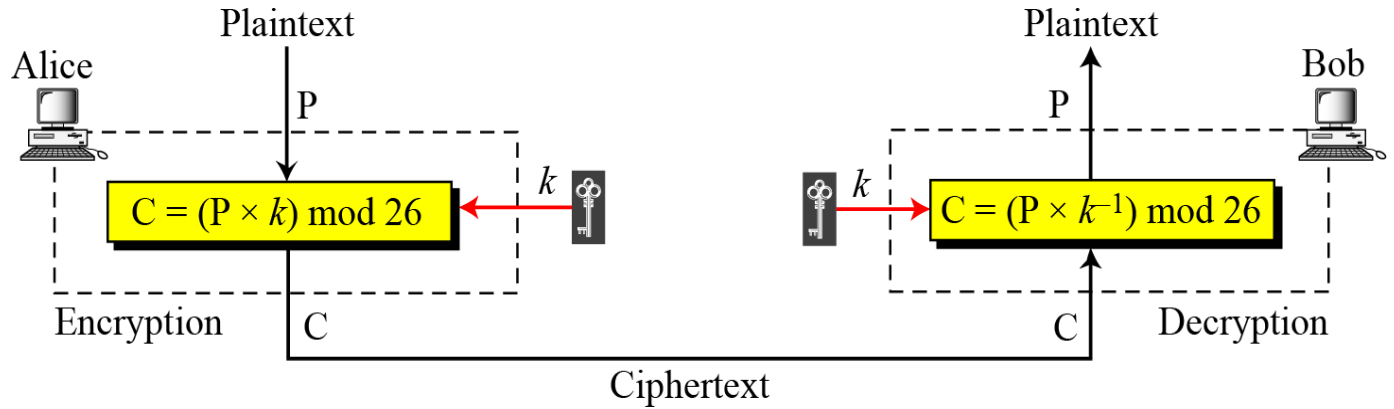
the house is now for sale for four million dollars it is worth more hurry before the seller receives more offers

Multiplicative Ciphers

In a multiplicative cipher, the plaintext and ciphertext are integers in Z_{26} ; the key is an integer in Z_{26}^* .

Example: What is the key

Multiplicative



domain for any multiplicative cipher?

Solution

The key needs to be in Z_{26}^* . This set has only 12 members: 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25.

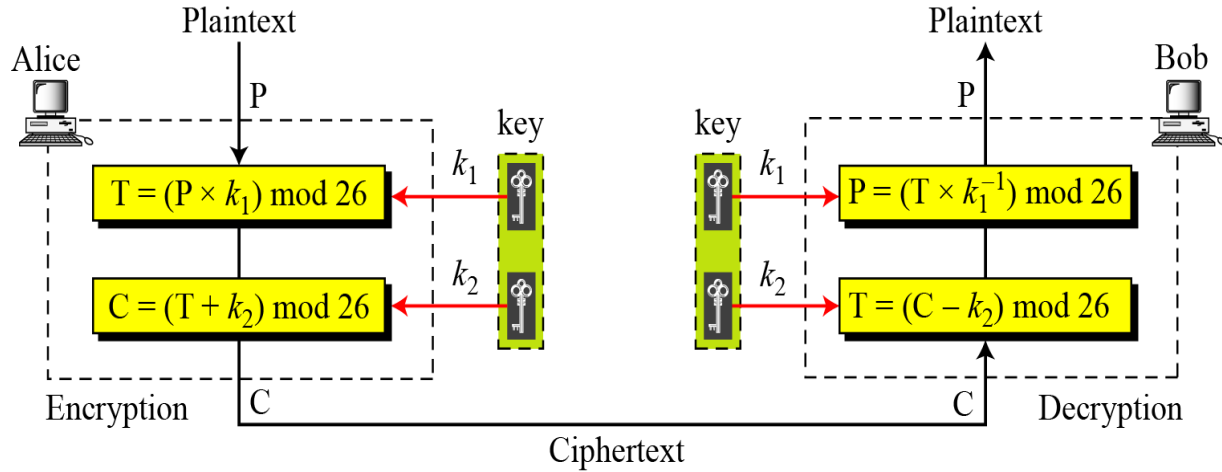
Example

We use a multiplicative cipher to encrypt the message “hello” with a key of 7. The ciphertext is “XCZZU”.

Plaintext: h → 07	Encryption: $(07 \times 07) \bmod 26$	ciphertext: 23 → X
Plaintext: e → 04	Encryption: $(04 \times 07) \bmod 26$	ciphertext: 02 → C
Plaintext: l → 11	Encryption: $(11 \times 07) \bmod 26$	ciphertext: 25 → Z
Plaintext: l → 11	Encryption: $(11 \times 07) \bmod 26$	ciphertext: 25 → Z
Plaintext: o → 14	Encryption: $(14 \times 07) \bmod 26$	ciphertext: 20 → U

Affine Ciphers

Affine



$$C = (P \times k_1 + k_2) \pmod{26} \qquad P = ((C - k_2) \times k_1^{-1}) \pmod{26}$$

where k_1^{-1} is the multiplicative inverse of k_1 and $-k_2$ is the additive inverse of k_2

Example

The affine cipher uses a pair of keys in which the first key is from Z_{26}^* and the second is from Z_{26} . The size of the key domain is $26 \times 12 = 312$.

Example

Use an affine cipher to encrypt the message “hello” with the key pair (7, 2).

P: h → 07	Encryption: $(07 \times 7 + 2) \pmod{26}$	C: 25 → Z
P: e → 04	Encryption: $(04 \times 7 + 2) \pmod{26}$	C: 04 → E
P: l → 11	Encryption: $(11 \times 7 + 2) \pmod{26}$	C: 01 → B
P: l → 11	Encryption: $(11 \times 7 + 2) \pmod{26}$	C: 01 → B
P: o → 14	Encryption: $(14 \times 7 + 2) \pmod{26}$	C: 22 → W

Example: Use the affine cipher to decrypt the message “ZEBBW” with the key pair (7, 2) in modulus 26.

Solution

C: Z → 25	Decryption: $((25 - 2) \times 7^{-1}) \bmod 26$	P:07 → h
C: E → 04	Decryption: $((04 - 2) \times 7^{-1}) \bmod 26$	P:04 → e
C: B → 01	Decryption: $((01 - 2) \times 7^{-1}) \bmod 26$	P:11 → l
C: B → 01	Decryption: $((01 - 2) \times 7^{-1}) \bmod 26$	P:11 → l
C: W → 22	Decryption: $((22 - 2) \times 7^{-1}) \bmod 26$	P:14 → o

Example

The additive cipher is a special case of an affine cipher in which $k_1 = 1$. The multiplicative cipher is a special case of affine cipher in which $k_2 = 0$.

Polybius Square

A Polybius Square is a table that allows someone to translate letters into numbers. To give a small level of encryption, this table can be randomized and shared with the recipient. In order to fit the 26 letters of the alphabet into the 25 spots created by the table, the letters i and j are usually combined. To encipher a message you replace each letter with the row and column in which it appears. For example, D would be replaced with 14. To decipher a message you find the letter that intersects the specified row and column.

	1	2	3	4	5
1	A	B	C	D	E
2	F	G	H	I	K
3	L	M	N	O	P
4	Q	R	S	T	U
5	V	W	X	Y	Z

Example

Plaintext: This is a secret message

Ciphertext: 44232443 2443 11 431513421544 32154343112215

3.4. Polyalphabetic Ciphers

Because additive, multiplicative, and affine ciphers have small key domains, they are very vulnerable to brute-force attack. A better solution is to create a mapping between each plaintext character and the corresponding ciphertext character. Alice and Bob can agree on a table showing the mapping for each character.

An example key for monoalphabetic

	<i>substitution cipher</i>																									
Plaintext →	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o	p	q	r	s	t	u	v	w	x	y	z
Ciphertext →	N	O	A	T	R	B	E	C	F	U	X	D	Q	G	Y	L	K	H	V	I	J	M	P	Z	S	W

Example

We can use the key in Figure above to encrypt the message

this message is easy to encrypt but hard to find the key

The ciphertext is

ICFVQRVVNEFVRNVSIYRGAHSLIOJICNHTIYBFGTICRXRS

In polyalphabetic substitution, each occurrence of a character may have a different substitute. The relationship between a character in the plaintext to a character in the ciphertext is one-to-many.

Autokey Cipher

$$P = P_1P_2P_3 \dots \quad C = C_1C_2C_3\dots \quad k = (k_1, P_1, P_2, \dots)$$

$$\text{Encryption: } C_i = (P_i + k_i) \bmod 26 \quad \text{Decryption: } P_i = (C_i - k_i) \bmod 26$$

Example

Assume that Alice and Bob agreed to use an autokey cipher with initial key value $k_1 = 12$. Now Alice wants to send Bob the message “Attack is today”. Enciphering is done character by character.

Plaintext:	a	t	t	a	c	k	i	s	t	o	d	a	y
P's Values:	00	19	19	00	02	10	08	18	19	14	03	00	24
Key stream:	12	00	19	19	00	02	10	08	18	19	14	03	00
C's Values:	12	19	12	19	02	12	18	00	11	7	17	03	24
Ciphertext:	M	T	M	T	C	M	S	A	L	H	R	D	Y

Vigenere Cipher

$$P = P_1P_2P_3 \dots \quad C = C_1C_2C_3 \dots \quad K = [(k_1, k_2, \dots, k_m), (k_1, k_2, \dots, k_m), \dots]$$

$$\text{Encryption: } C_i = P_i + k_i \quad \text{Decryption: } P_i = C_i - k_i$$

Example

We can encrypt the message “She is listening” using the 6-character keyword “PASCAL”.

Plaintext:	s	h	e	i	s	l	i	s	t	e	n	i	n	g
P's values:	18	07	04	08	18	11	08	18	19	04	13	08	13	06
Key stream:	15	00	18	02	00	11	15	00	18	02	00	11	15	00
C's values:	07	07	22	10	18	22	23	18	11	6	13	19	02	06
Ciphertext:	H	H	W	K	S	W	X	S	L	G	N	T	C	G

Example

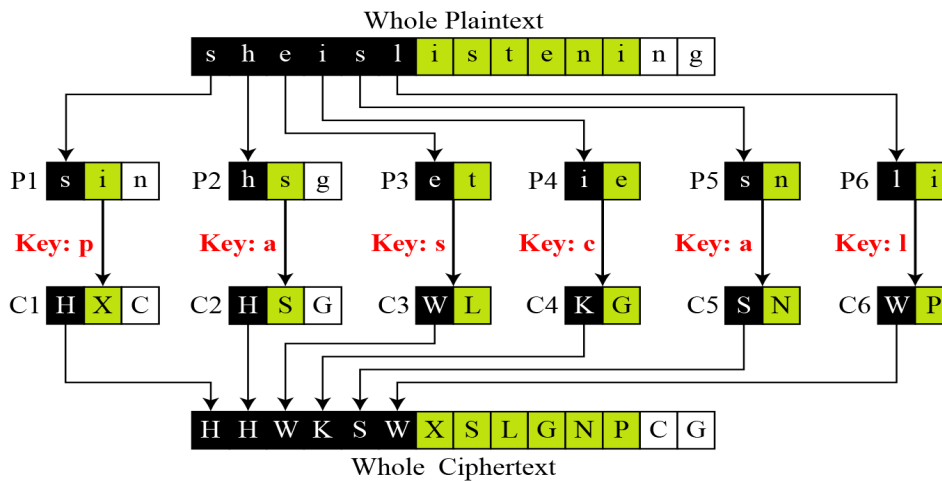
Let us see how we can encrypt the message “She is listening” using the 6-character keyword “PASCAL”. The initial key stream is (15, 0, 18, 2, 0, 11). The key stream is the repetition of this initial key stream (as many times as needed).

Plaintext:	s	h	e	i	s	l	i	s	t	e	n	i	n	g
P's values:	18	07	04	08	18	11	08	18	19	04	13	08	13	06
Key stream:	15	00	18	02	00	11	15	00	18	02	00	11	15	00
C's values:	07	07	22	10	18	22	23	18	11	6	13	19	02	06
Ciphertext:	H	H	W	K	S	W	X	S	L	G	N	T	C	G

Example

Vigenere cipher can be seen as combinations of m additive ciphers.

A Vigenere cipher as a combination of



Example

Using Example above, we can say that the additive cipher is a special case of Vigenere cipher in which $m = 1$.

A Vigenere

	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	n	o	p	q	r	s	t	v	w	x	y	z	
A	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
B	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A
C	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B
D	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C
E	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D
F	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E
G	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F
H	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
I	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
J	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
K	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
L	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K
M	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L
N	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
O	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N
P	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
Q	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P
R	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q
S	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R
T	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S
U	U	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T
V	V	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U
W	W	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V
X	X	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W
Y	Y	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X
Z	Z	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y

Beaufort Cipher

To encrypt a plaintext message using the [Vigenère Cipher](#), one locates the row with the first letter to be encrypted, and the column with the first letter of the keyword. The ciphertext letter is located at the intersection of the row and column. This continues for the entire length of the message. A **Beaufort cipher** uses the same alphabet table as the Vigenère cipher, but with a different algorithm. To encode a letter you find the letter in the top row. Then trace down until you find the key letter. Then trace over to the left most columns to find the enciphered letter. To decipher a letter, you find the letter in the left column, trace

over to the key letter and then trace up to find the deciphered letter. Some people find this easier to do than finding the intersection of a row and column

Beaufort cipher reverses the letters and shift them to right by (k_i+1) position this by the following:

$$f_i(x) = [(n-1) - a + (k_i+1)] \bmod n$$

Running Key

Exactly [Vigenère Cipher](#) but the key length is exactly same length of the plaintext, usually keys are determined from books known from both sender and receiver.

3.5. Polygraphic Ciphers

Instead of substituting one letter for another letter, a polygraphic cipher performs substitutions with two or more groups of letters. This has the advantage of masking the frequency distribution of letters, which makes [frequency analysis](#) attacks much more difficult.

Playfair Cipher

An example of a secret key in the

Secret Key =

L	G	D	B	A
Q	M	H	E	C
U	R	N	I/J	F
X	V	S	O	K
Z	Y	W	T	P

Example

Let us encrypt the plaintext “hello” using the key in Figure above.

he → EC	lx → QZ	lo → BX
Plaintext: hello	Ciphertext: ECQZBX	

The Playfair cipher encrypts pairs of letters (digraphs), instead of single letters.

This is significantly harder to break since the [frequency analysis](#) used for [simple substitution ciphers](#) is considerably more difficult.

The Playfair cipher uses a 5 by 5 table containing a key word or phrase. To generate the table, one would first fill in the spaces of the table with the letters of the keyword (dropping any duplicate letters), then fill the remaining spaces with the rest of the letters of the alphabet in order (to reduce the alphabet to fit you can either omit "Q" or replace "J" with "I"). In the example to the right, the keyword is "playfair example".

To encrypt a message, one would break the message into groups of 2 letters. If there is a dangling letter at the end, we add an X. For example. "Secret Message" becomes "SE CR ET ME SS AG EX". We now take each group and find them out on the table. Noticing the location of the two letters in the table, we apply the following rules, in order.

1. If both letters are the same, add an X between them. Encrypt the new pair, re-pair the remaining letters and continue.
2. If the letters appear on the same row of your table, replace them with the letters to their immediate right respectively, wrapping around to the left side

of the row if necessary. For example, using the table above, the letter pair GJ would be encoded as HF.

3. If the letters appear on the same column of your table, replace them with the letters immediately below, wrapping around to the top if necessary. For example, using the table above, the letter pair MD would be encoded as UG.
4. If the letters are on different rows and columns, replace them with the letters on the same row respectively but at the other pair of corners of the rectangle defined by the original pair. The order is important - the first letter of the pair should be replaced first. For example, using the table above, the letter pair EB would be encoded as WD.

To decipher, ignore rule 1. In rules 2 and 3 shift up and left instead of down and right. Rule 4 remains the same. Once you are done, drop any extra Xs that don't make sense in the final message and locate any missing Qs or any Is that should be Js.

Hill Cipher

Key in the

$$K = \begin{bmatrix} k_{11} & k_{12} & \dots & k_{1m} \\ k_{21} & k_{22} & \dots & k_{2m} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ k_{m1} & k_{m2} & \dots & k_{mm} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} C_1 &= P_1 k_{11} + P_2 k_{21} + \dots + P_m k_{m1} \\ C_2 &= P_1 k_{12} + P_2 k_{22} + \dots + P_m k_{m2} \\ &\dots \\ C_m &= P_1 k_{1m} + P_2 k_{2m} + \dots + P_m k_{mm} \end{aligned}$$

The key matrix in the Hill cipher needs to have a multiplicative inverse.

Example

For example, the plaintext “code is ready” can make a 3×4 matrix when adding extra bogus character “z” to the last block and removing the spaces. The ciphertext is “OHKNIHGKLISS”.

Example

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{C} \\ \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 14 & 07 & 10 & 13 \\ 08 & 07 & 06 & 11 \\ 11 & 08 & 18 & 18 \end{array} \right] = \begin{array}{c} \text{P} \\ \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 02 & 14 & 03 & 04 \\ 08 & 18 & 17 & 04 \\ 00 & 03 & 24 & 25 \end{array} \right] \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \text{K} \\ \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 09 & 07 & 11 & 13 \\ 04 & 07 & 05 & 06 \\ 02 & 21 & 14 & 09 \\ 03 & 23 & 21 & 08 \end{array} \right] \end{array}$$

a. Encryption

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{P} \\ \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 02 & 14 & 03 & 04 \\ 08 & 18 & 17 & 04 \\ 00 & 03 & 24 & 25 \end{array} \right] = \begin{array}{c} \text{C} \\ \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 14 & 07 & 10 & 13 \\ 08 & 07 & 06 & 11 \\ 11 & 08 & 18 & 18 \end{array} \right] \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \text{K}^{-1} \\ \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 02 & 15 & 22 & 03 \\ 15 & 00 & 19 & 03 \\ 09 & 09 & 03 & 11 \\ 17 & 00 & 04 & 07 \end{array} \right] \end{array}$$

b. Decryption***Example***

Assume that Eve knows that $m = 3$. She has intercepted three plaintext/ciphertext pair blocks (not necessarily from the same message) as shown in Figure 3.17.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 05 & 07 & 10 \end{array} \right] & \longleftrightarrow & \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 03 & 06 & 00 \end{array} \right] \\ \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 13 & 17 & 07 \end{array} \right] & \longleftrightarrow & \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 14 & 16 & 09 \end{array} \right] \\ \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 00 & 05 & 04 \end{array} \right] & \longleftrightarrow & \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 03 & 17 & 11 \end{array} \right] \\ \text{P} & & \text{C} \end{array}$$

She makes matrices P and C from these pairs. Because P is invertible, she inverts the P matrix and multiplies it by C to get the K matrix as shown in Figure 3.18.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 02 & 03 & 07 \\ 05 & 07 & 09 \\ 01 & 02 & 11 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 21 & 14 & 01 \\ 00 & 08 & 25 \\ 13 & 03 & 08 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 03 & 06 & 00 \\ 14 & 16 & 09 \\ 03 & 17 & 11 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\mathbf{K} \qquad \mathbf{P^{-1}} \qquad \mathbf{C}$

Now she has the key and can break any ciphertext encrypted with that key.

3.6. Other Ciphers and Codes

ASCII, ASCII is a code used by computers to represent characters as numbers. This allows computers to store a letter as one byte of information. One byte of information allows you to represent 256 different values, which is enough to encode all the letters (uppercase and lowercase) as well as the numbers 0-9 and other special characters such as the @ symbol.

ASCII Encoder / Decoder

Plaintext	ASCII
This is a secret message	84 104 105 115 32 105 115 32 97 32 115
<input type="button" value="Convert to ASCII"/>	<input type="button" value="Convert from ASCII"/>

Beale Cipher

A beale cipher is a modified [Book Cipher](#). Instead of replacing each word in the secret message with a number, you replace each letter in the secret message with a number. The letter by letter method makes it easier to encode a message with unusual words that may not appear in the book. With this method, each letter in the secret message is replaced with a number which represents the position of a word in the book which starts with this letter. For example, if we are enciphering the

word "attack" we would start with the letter A. We would find a word in the book that started with A. Lets say that the 27th word was "and". The letter A is now translated to 27. An encoded message may look something like this.

713 23 245 45 124 1269 586 443 8 234

It should be noted that for enhanced security, the same number should not be used for the same letter throughout the secret message. Because you have a book, you can pick multiple numbers for each letter and use them interchangeably.

Beale Encoder

Plaintext	Book
secret	seven crazy termites eat rotten elderberri

(To protect our server, these fields can hold a maximum of 5000 characters each)

Encipher

Beale Decoder

Ciphertext	Book
1 4 2 5 6 3	seven crazy termites eat rotten elderberri

(To protect our server, these fields can hold a maximum of 5000 characters each)

Decipher

Book Cipher

A book cipher uses a large piece of text to encode a secret message. Without the key (the piece of text) it is very difficult to decrypt the secret message. To implement a book cipher, each word in the secret message would be replaced with a number which represents the same word in the book. For example, if the word "attack" appeared in the book as word number 713, then "attack" would be replaced with this number. The result would be an encoded message that looked something like this.

713 23 245 45 124 1269 586 443 8 234

To decipher the message you simply count the number of words in the book and write down each one