

Introduction to blockchain. Final exam.

Please submit your solutions as scan or clear fotos in single pdf documents as a reply to this email no later than 14:30. No late submission will be allowed. All cases of plagiarism will result at 0 grade for the whole exam. The maximal point will be 4 (1 point for each assignment). In practical problems please show all preliminary computations.

1. Block ciphers. Main building blocks. Example of block cipher.
2. Find the digital signature of message $m=5$ over elliptic curve $y^2 = x^3 - 3x - 6$ over F_{11} (by means of GOST R 34.10-2012). The generator is $G=(1;5)$, size of cyclic subgroup 15, senders' open key $Q=(6;4)$. To generate digital signature use secret parameter $k=2$
3. Describe Bitcoin's transactions types and its structure. How is coin emitted and circulated in a bitcoin network.
4. Present general overview of blockchain systems for digital right management.
Describe the following:
 - a. Is there a trusted central authority to maintain the system?
 - b. What are the events to be tracked within the system?
 - c. Are there any privacy issues?
 - d. Any idea for smart contracts?
 - e. Is blockchain beneficial for the considered area? Yes or No, elaborate