Cryptanalysis of Full Round Fruit

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Outline of the talk

- ▶ Fruit Description
- Cryptanalysis of Fruit

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- Only two attacks has been suggested so far against this cipher.

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1st Problem

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P(\text{someone has your birthday})
= 1 - P(\text{none of the 40 people has your birthday})
= 1 - (\frac{364}{365})^{40}
= 10.4%
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2nd Problem

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P(\text{two people have the same birthday})
= 1 - P(\text{all 40 people have different birthdays})
= 1 - \frac{365}{365} \cdot \frac{364}{365} \cdot \cdot \cdot \cdot \frac{326}{365}
= 89.1\%
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• K: the secret key $(k_0, k_1, \dots, k_{79})$.

Round key function:

$$k'_{t} = k_{s}k_{(y+64)} \oplus k_{(u+72)}k_{p} \oplus k_{(q+32)} \oplus k_{(r+64)}.$$

$$s = (c_{0}^{t}c_{1}^{t}c_{2}^{t}c_{3}^{t}c_{4}^{t}c_{5}^{t}), y = (c_{3}^{t}c_{4}^{t}c_{5}^{t}), u = (c_{4}^{t}c_{5}^{t}c_{6}^{t}),$$

$$p = (c_{0}^{t}c_{1}^{t}c_{2}^{t}c_{3}^{t}c_{4}^{t}), q = (c_{1}^{t}c_{2}^{t}c_{3}^{t}c_{4}^{t}c_{5}^{t}), r = (c_{3}^{t}c_{4}^{t}c_{5}^{t}c_{6}^{t}).$$

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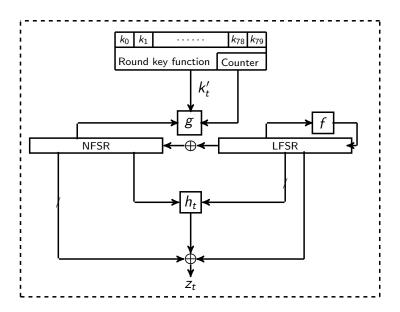
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▶ **NFSR:** The length of NFSR is 37 bits. $(n_t, n_{t+1}, n_{t+2}, \dots, n_{t+36})$ Feedback function:

$$n_{t+37} = \mathbf{g}(N_t) \oplus k'_t \oplus I_t \oplus c_t^{10},$$

where g is given by $g(N_t) = n_t \oplus n_{t+10} \oplus n_{t+20} \oplus n_{t+12} n_{t+3} \oplus n_{t+14} n_{t+25} \oplus n_{t+5} n_{t+23} n_{t+31}$

$$\oplus n_{t+8}n_{t+18} \oplus n_{t+28}n_{t+30}n_{t+32}n_{t+34}.$$



Output function:

$$z_t = h_t \oplus n_t \oplus n_{t+7} \oplus n_{t+13} \oplus n_{t+19} \oplus n_{t+24} \oplus n_{t+29} \oplus n_{t+36} \oplus l_{t+38},$$
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$$h_t = n_{t+1} l_{t+15} \oplus l_{t+1} l_{t+22} \oplus n_{t+35} l_{t+27} \oplus n_{t+33} l_{t+11} \oplus l_{t+6} l_{t+33} l_{t+42}.$$

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Three types of Sieving

- ▶ 1-bit Sieving
- Probabilistic Sieving
- Equation satisfaction

1-bit Sieving

$$\begin{split} z_t &= n_{t+1} I_{t+15} \oplus I_{t+1} I_{t+22} \oplus n_{t+35} \\ I_{t+27} \oplus n_{t+33} I_{t+11} \oplus I_{t+6} I_{t+33} I_{t+42} \\ \oplus n_t \oplus n_{t+7} \oplus n_{t+13} \oplus n_{t+19} \oplus n_{t+24} \oplus n_{t+29} \oplus n_{t+36} \oplus I_{t+38}. \end{split}$$

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As z_t is already known, this gives us sieving of one bit, i.e, only by knowing 79 bits of the state, we can compute the remaining bit from z_t . So, the number of possible state candidates is reduced by half i.e, 2^{79} .

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▶ The following table shows the bias towards 0.

Counter with $Pr(k'_t = 0) = \frac{3}{8}$	Counter with $Pr(k'_t = 0) = \frac{5}{8}$		
64	72-79		
80	88-95		
96	104-111		
112	120-127		

Table: Distribution of k'_t for different counter values.

▶ there are 32 counter values for which $P(k'_t = k'_{t-1}) = \frac{3}{4}$. Similarly there are 16 counter values for which $P(k'_t = k'_{t-2}) = \frac{9}{16}$.

Attack idea using this bias

- ▶ While guessing an r-bit string for $k'_{t-1}, k'_{t-2}, \cdots k'_{t-r}$, we arrange all r-bit string in decreasing order of their probability of occurrence.
- We take our first guess as $00 \cdots 0$, and continue according to the decreasing order of probability.

Reduction factor

Suppose, X_r is a random variable which denotes the number of guesses required to find the correct $k'_{t-1}, \dots, k'_{t-r}$. Now we denote the expected of value of X_r by $E(X_r)$.

r	6	8	10	12	14
$E(X_r)$	30.777	121.527	484.527	1936.527	7744.526
Reduction factor	2.079	2.107	2.113	2.115	2.116

Table: Reduction factor for different *r* consecutive guesses.

Final possible states

r	10	12	14	16	18	20
$2^{79-r} \times E(X_r)$	2 ^{77.58}	2 ^{77.52}	2 ^{77.46}	2 ^{77.40}	$2^{77.27}$	2 ^{77.08}

Table: Number of final possible states for different r.

Using our first approach, we have a total of $2^{77.08}$ possible states.

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For any $t \ge t_0$, $k_s k_{(y+64)} \oplus k_{(u+72)} k_p \oplus k_{(q+32)} \oplus k_{(r+64)} \oplus \alpha_t = 0$. On average, 24 equations sieves 50% of the wrong states.

Preprocessing

- ▶ Construction of table $T_1, T_2, \dots T_I$.
- ► Each table contains 2^{24} possible output keystream for $\alpha_t, \alpha_{t+1}, \cdots \alpha_{t+23}$.
- ▶ For each possible string, possible counter values are stored.
- ▶ So, total size of each table is 2³¹.

Processing

- ▶ From the output keystream bit, calculate α_i 's.
- ▶ Match α_0 to α_{23} with the corresponding string in table 1.
- ▶ If there is any counter value available, go to table 2, otherwise discard the state.
- ▶ In table 2, again do same for α_{24} to α_{47} and take the intersection of the possible counters for table 1 and 2.
- \blacktriangleright If intersection is $\phi,$ discard the state. Otherwise go to next table and repeat.

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Version 2 of Fruit Using same idea, we can attack the improved second version of Fruit with complexity around 2^{77} This is the only attack proposed so far against the second version.

Plantlet

- ▶ 61 bit LFSR
- ▶ 40 bit NFSR

Thank You