

# Cryptography

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**PLEASE NOTE:** all the steps performed to obtain the required results must be specified in detail and adequately justified.  
**Answers without justifications are not going to be evaluated.**

## EXERCISE 1

Compute the bits  $s_5, s_4, s_3, s_2$  of the stream generated by the LFSR whose polynomial is

$$\chi_L(x) = x^2 + x + 1$$

and the first bits are  $s_0 = 1, s_1 = 0$ .

Fibonacci LFSR

$$\chi_L = p_0 + p_1x + \dots + p_{m-1}x^{m-1} + x^m \Rightarrow p = [1 \ 1 \ 1]$$

**Nota:** The figure of the LFSR in appendix may be useful.

The transition state is given by the multiplication  $S \cdot L$

Where  $S = [s_{m-1} \ s_{m-2} \ \dots \ s_1 \ s_0] = (0 \ 1)$

and  $L = \begin{pmatrix} p_{m-1} & 1 & \dots & 0 \\ p_{m-2} & 0 & 1 & \dots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ p_1 & \vdots & \vdots & 0 \\ p_0 & \vdots & \vdots & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$

$$(0 \ 1) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = ((0 \wedge 1) \oplus (1 \wedge 1), (0 \wedge 1) \oplus (1 \wedge 0)) = (0 \oplus 1, 0 \oplus 0) = \begin{pmatrix} s_2 & s_1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(1 \ 0) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} s_3 & s_2 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad s_2 = 1$$

$$(1 \ 1) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} s_4 & s_3 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad s_3 = 1$$

$$(0 \ 1) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} s_5 & s_4 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad s_4 = 0$$

$$s_5 = 1$$

## EXERCISE 2

Let  $E : y^2 = x^3 + 7$  be the elliptic curve defined on  $\mathbb{Z}_{11}$ .

- Check that  $P = (2, 2)$  and  $Q = (7, 3)$  are in  $E$ ,
- compute the addition  $P+Q$  on the elliptic curve  $E$ ,
- check that your answer of (b) is a point of  $E$ .

$$a) P = (2, 2) = (x, y)$$

$$y^2 \equiv x^3 + 7 \pmod{11}$$

$$4 \equiv 8 + 7 \pmod{11}$$

$$15 \equiv 4 \pmod{11} \quad \checkmark$$

$$Q = (7, 3) = (x, y)$$

$$9 \equiv 7^3 + 7 \pmod{11}$$

$$9 \equiv 7 \cdot 7^2 + 7 \pmod{11}$$

$$9 \equiv 7 \cdot 5 + 7 \pmod{11}$$

$$9 \equiv 2 + 7 \quad \checkmark$$

$$b) P+Q ; P \neq Q ; (2, 2) + (7, 3)$$

$$(x_1, y_1) + (x_2, y_2) = (x_3, y_3) \text{ where}$$

$$x_3 = \lambda^2 - x_1 - x_2$$

$$y_3 = -(\lambda x_3 + \nu)$$

$$\lambda = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} ; \nu = y_1 - \lambda x_1$$

$$\lambda = 1 \cdot 5^{-1} \pmod{11} \equiv 9 \pmod{11}$$

$$\nu = 2 - 9 \times 2 = 2 - 7 = 6$$

$$x_3 = 9^2 - 2 - 7 = 4 - 2 - 7 = 6$$

$$y_3 = -(\lambda x_3 + \nu) = -(9 \times 6 + 6) = -(10 \cdot 6) \equiv 6$$

$$\Rightarrow P+Q = (x_3, y_3) = (6, 6)$$

$$c) 6^2 \equiv 6^3 + 7 \pmod{11}$$

$$3 \equiv 3 \times 6 + 7 \pmod{11}$$

$$3 \equiv 7 + 7 \pmod{11} \equiv 3 \quad \checkmark$$

solution:  $(11, 18)$

### EXERCISE 3

In RSA:

user  $A$  keys are  $sk_A = (p_A, q_A, d_A) = (5, 11, 23)$  and  $pk_A = (n_A, e_A) = (55, 7)$ ,

user  $B$  keys are  $sk_B = (p_B, q_B, d_B) = (3, 7, 5)$  and  $pk_B = (n_B, e_B) = (21, 5)$ .

$A$  wants to send to  $B$  the message  $M$ . So she send the ciphertext  $C = \text{Enc}_{pk_B}(M)$  and add as her digital signature the pair  $(\text{Enc}_{pk_B}(F), h(M))$ , where  $F = \text{Enc}_{sk_A}(h(M))$  and  $h(x)$  is a fixed hash function.

Assuming  $h(M) = 18$  find the digital signature i.e. the pair  $(\text{Enc}_{pk_B}(F), h(M))$ .

$A$ : prime numbers  $p_A = 5$ ;  $q_A = 11$

$$n_A = 5 \times 11 = 55$$

$$\Phi_A(n) = (p_A - 1)(q_A - 1) = 40$$

public key  $pk_A$  is a random integer  $\in \{1, \dots, \Phi_A(n) - 1\}$

$$pk_A = 7$$

private key  $sk$  such that  $pk \cdot sk \equiv 1 \pmod{\Phi(n)} \Rightarrow 7 \cdot sk \equiv 1 \pmod{40}$

$$sk \equiv 7^{-1} \pmod{40}$$

$$sk \equiv 23 \pmod{40}$$

$$p_B = 3, q_B = 7 \Rightarrow n_B = 21$$

$$pk_B = 5$$

$$\Phi(n) = 12$$

$$5^{-1} \pmod{12} \Rightarrow sk \equiv 5$$

$$\text{Encryption: } C = \text{Enc}_{pk_B}(M) = M^e \pmod{n_B}$$

$$\text{Enc}_{sk_A}(h(M)) = [h(M)]^{d_A} \pmod{n_A} = 18^{23} \pmod{55} = 2$$

$$F = 32$$

$$\text{Enc}_{pk_B}(F) = 2^5 \pmod{21} = 11$$

$$18^{23} \bmod 55$$

$$55 = 11 \times 5$$

$$18^{23} = 7^{23} \bmod 11$$

$$18^{23} = 3^{23} \bmod 5$$

$$7^{23} = 7^3 \cdot 7^{10} \cdot 7^{10} = 7 \times 7^2 \times 7^{10} \times 7^{10} = 2 \times 7^5 \times 7^5 \times 7^5 = 2 \times 10 \times 10 \times 10 \times 10$$

$$\downarrow$$

$$7 \times 5 = 2$$

$$7^5 = 7^3 \times 7^2 = 2 \times 7^2 = 2 \times 9 = 18 \equiv 8 \pmod{11}$$

$$= 9 \times 10 \times 10 \times 10$$

$$= 2 \times 10 \times 10$$

$$= 9 \times 10 = 2$$

$$\boxed{7^{23} \bmod 11 = 2}$$

$$3^{23} \bmod 5 = 3^3 \cdot 3^{10} \cdot 3^{10} = 4 \times 3 \cdot 3^{10} \cdot 3^{10} = 2 \cdot 3^{10} \cdot 3^{10} = 2 \times 4 \times 4 = 2$$

$$3^{10} = 3^5 \cdot 3^5$$

$$3^5 = 3^3 \cdot 3^2 = 2 \cdot 4 = 3$$

$$3^{10} = 3 \times 3 = 4$$

$$\boxed{3^{23} \bmod 5 = 2}$$

$$\begin{cases} x = 2 \bmod 11 \\ x = 2 \bmod 5 \end{cases}$$

$$N = 55$$

$$N_1 = 5 \quad b_1 = 2$$

$$N_2 = 11 \quad b_2 = 2$$

$$x_1 = 5^{-1} \bmod 11$$

$$11 = 5 \times 2 + 1$$

$$5 = 1 \times 5 + 0$$

$$p_0 = 0$$

$$p_1 = 1$$

$$p_2 = 0 - 2 \bmod 11 = \boxed{9}$$

$$x_2 = 11^{-1} \bmod 5 = 1^{-1} \bmod 5 = \boxed{1}$$

$b_i$	$N_i$	$x_i$	$b_i N_i x_i$
2	5	9	90
2	11	1	22

$$90 + 22 = 112$$

$$112 \equiv 2 \bmod 55$$

$$\chi_1(x) = x^2 + x + 1 \quad \text{compute } s_5, s_4, s_3, s_2$$

$$s_0 = 1$$

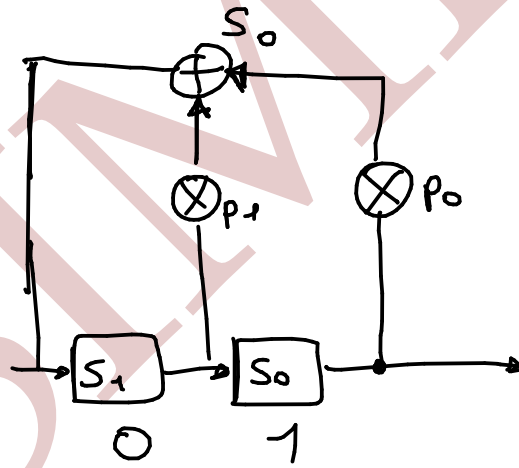
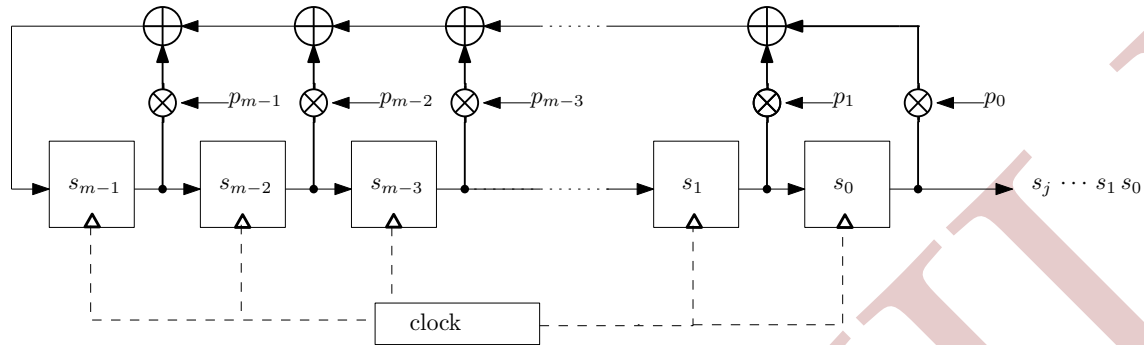
$$s_1 = 0$$

$$s_m = \sum_{j=0}^{m-1} s_j p_j \quad \text{and} \quad \chi_1(x) = p_0 + p_1 x + \dots + p_{m-1} x^{m-1} + x^m$$

$$p = [000111]$$

APPENDIX

Fibonacci LFSR



$$s_2 = 1$$

$$s_3 = 1$$

$$s_4 = 0$$

$$s_5 = 1$$

## Exercise 4

Complete the program by adding the missing C code: the program has to send to standard output the formatted SHA256 digest of the content of file whose name is passed as first argument, computed using the OpenSSL library.

```
#include <stdio.h>
/*****
 * write missing libraries here *
 *****/

#define BUFF_SIZE 256

void handleErrors(void){
    ERR_print_errors_fp(stderr);
    abort();
}

int main(int argc, char* argv[]) {
    FILE* f_in;
    unsigned char buff[BUFF_SIZE];
    int i = 0;
    unsigned char digest[
        SHA256_CTX context;
    ]; /*use the proper constant */

    f_in = fopen(argv[1], "r");
    if(f_in==NULL)
        handleErrors();

    /*****
     * write the code to compute the digest with *
     * SHA256 of the content of f_in *
     *****/
}
```

```
fclose(f_in);

printf("\n_Hash_of_the_file:_%s_\n\n", argv[1]);
for(i = 0; i < SHA256_DIGEST_LEN; i++) {
    printf("%.2x", digest[i]);
    if(i+1 != SHA256_DIGEST_LEN)
        printf(":");
}
printf("\n");
return 0;
}
```

## Exercise 5

An encryption oracle receives as input a string (named `input`) and outputs another string, which is the hexadecimal encoding of the result of the encryption with AES256 in ECB mode of the plaintext obtained with the following Python instruction:

```
message = """Here is the msg:{0} – the secret is:{1}""".format( input, secret)
```

where:

- `input` is the string received as input and
- `secret` is a secret string, composed of 16 printable characters.

More precisely, the oracle performs a never ending loop as follows:

```
# the encryption key, not to be discovered
from oraclesecrets import key
# the secret to discover
from oraclesecrets import secret

HOST = ''
PORT = 12342

def pad(message):
    if len(message) % 16 != 0:
        message = message + '0'*(16 - len(message)%16 )
    return message

#... socket s : code to create, bind, listening on HOST:PORT...

while 1:
    conn, addr = s.accept()

    input = conn.recv(1024).decode()

    message = """Here is the msg:{0} – and the key:{1}""".format( input, secret)
    message = pad(message)

    cipher = AES.new( key.decode('hex'), AES.MODE_ECB )
    encoded_ciphertext = (cipher.encrypt(message).encode('hex')).encode('hex')

    conn.send(encoded_ciphertext)
    conn.close()
```



Complete the program so that the value of secret is discovered and printed on the standard output (without bruteforcing the whole search space). Note that the objective of the exercise is not to recover the encryption key, which is only known by the server.

```
from pwn import *
import string

ADDRESS = #we do not care the actual address
PORT = 12342
SECRET_LEN = 16

#####
secret = ""
```

Attack : padding oracle ECB

```
#####

print "secret="+secret
```