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SYMMETRIC ENCRYPTION

Transposition Techniques -

Columnar transposition with key.

Double Transposition.

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E	H	I
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- Read it row by row.
- Now corresponding plaintext = GIVEHIMMONEY

DOUBLE TRANSPOSITION.

- Similar to columnar transposition.
- Columnar transposition is applied twice.
- Same key or different keys can be applied for both transposition..

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DOUBLE TRANSPOSITION.

- Now corresponding cipher = IHMEGEMNVIOY
- Now write this ciphertext in the same form.
- And apply columnar transposition again.
- This time let key be RED.

I	H	M
E	G	E
M	N	V
I	O	Y

R-3	E -2	D -1
I	H	M
E	G	E
M	N	V
I	O	Y

- Now the final cipher after double transposition is MEVYHGNOIEMI

DECRYPTION.

- We have C = MEVYHGNOIEMI & key_1 = HAT & key_2 = RED
- Apply key_2 first.

R-3	E -2	D -1

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		E
		V
		Y

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	I	
	H	
	M	
	E	

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- Now the final plain text is GIVEHIMMONEY.

THANK YOU

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