

$$\text{Cryptosystem} = (\mathcal{P}, \mathcal{C}, \mathcal{K}, \mathcal{E}, \mathcal{D})$$

\mathcal{P} = plaintext space

\mathcal{C} = ciphertext space

\mathcal{K} = key space

$\mathcal{E} = \{E_k \mid k \in \mathcal{K}, E_k : \mathcal{P} \rightarrow \mathcal{C}\}$

$\mathcal{D} = \{D_k \mid k \in \mathcal{K}, D_k : \mathcal{C} \rightarrow \mathcal{P}\}$

$$\forall e \in \mathcal{K}, \exists d \in \mathcal{K} \ni D_d(E_e(p)) = p, \forall p \in \mathcal{P}$$