

Cotan

Damn this challenge name, I kept writing my name instead of "cotan"

Shit.

Solution

By some magic, @196 is able to convert the base to traditional DLP problem

```
p = 1361129467683753853853498429727072846149
g = 937857192022401732022326285294515252367
h = 71727917161216204087973385053390831556
```

Let's factor order of the group p :

```
sage: factor(p-1)
2^2 * 340282366920938463463374607431768211537
```

We call the sub-order of the group is ell , so we have:

- $ell_small = 2$
- $ell_big = 340282366920938463463374607431768211537$

Calculate DLP

Using CADO-NFS with two parameters like this:

```
./cado-nfs.py -dlp -ell ell_big target=h p -t 6
```

- $-dlp$: mean we calculate Discrete Log
- $-ell$: we input the subgroup order
- $target=h$ p : we set target to value h , modulo p , which mean $2^x = h \pmod{p}$
- $-t$ 6 : run on 6 cores

NOTE

We don't specify the base here because we will have to calculate the base by ourselves

Calculate $\log(h)$

```
./cado-nfs.py -dlp -ell 340282366920938463463374607431768211537
target=71727917161216204087973385053390831556 1361129467683753853853498429727072846149
-t 6
```

Output $\log(h)$

```
Info:root:  p = 1361129467683753853853498429727072846149
Info:root:  ell = 340282366920938463463374607431768211537
Info:root:  log2 = 171268190177498693892391393563437542649
Info:root:  log3 = 83622131975737922567870551344538854285
Info:root:  Also check log(target) vs log(2) ...
Info:root:  target = 71727917161216204087973385053390831556
Info:root:  log(target) = 306425041562113865430846743034062879086
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```

So we have $\log_h = 306425041562113865430846743034062879086$

Calculate $\log(g)$

```
./cado-nfs.py -dlp -ell 340282366920938463463374607431768211537
target=937857192022401732022326285294515252367
1361129467683753853853498429727072846149 -t 6
```

Output $\log(g)$

```
Info:root:  p = 1361129467683753853853498429727072846149
Info:root:  ell = 340282366920938463463374607431768211537
Info:root:  log2 = 171268190177498693892391393563437542649
Info:root:  log3 = 83622131975737922567870551344538854285
Info:root:  Also check log(target) vs log(2) ...
Info:root:  target = 937857192022401732022326285294515252367
Info:root:  log(target) = 288756149835421404704013074339152764728
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```

And we have $\log_g = 288756149835421404704013074339152764728$

Like classical logarithm algorithm, to have to log of base g , which mean we are going to find $\log_g(h)$ we do:

```
sage: log_h * inverse_mod(log_g, ell) % ell
17393774282928096980960357108851791532
```

NOTE | we only operate on $x \bmod \text{ell}$, not $x \bmod (p-1)$ as we thought.

Now we have $x = \log_g(h)$, next, we check if $g^x == h \pmod{p}$ or not, if it is, we are done, otherwise we will do Chinese Remainder Theorem to figure out the full $x \bmod (p-1)$.

```

sage: p = 1361129467683753853853498429727072846149
.....: g = 937857192022401732022326285294515252367
.....: h = 71727917161216204087973385053390831556
.....:
sage: log_h = 306425041562113865430846743034062879086
sage: log_g = 288756149835421404704013074339152764728
sage: x = log_h * inverse_mod(log_g, ell) % ell
sage: power_mod(g, x, p)
71727917161216204087973385053390831556
sage: h
71727917161216204087973385053390831556
sage: assert power_mod(g, x, p) == h

```

Alright, seem like the solution is $x = 17393774282928096980960357108851791532$.

Now we are going to decrypt the flag

```

from pwn import *
from Crypto.Cipher.AES import AESCipher

x = 17393774282928096980960357108851791532
x = hex(x).lstrip('0x')
key = unhex(x).decode('hex')
enc =
'4e8f206f074f895bde336601f0c8a2e092f944d95b798b01449e9b155b4ce5a5ae93cc9c677ad942c32d3
74419d5512c'.decode('hex')
print(AESCipher(key).decrypt(enc))

```

And the flag is $\text{AceBear}\{\text{I_h0p3_y0u_3nj0y3d_1t}\}$



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In [272]: import os
.....: from Crypto.Cipher.AES import AESCipher
.....:
.....: giờ nếu có key lấy mũ thứ cái em coi cho chắc
.....: key = '\r\x15\xebHj\xa9\x90\x1e@\xe66\xca\xc1q\xd6\xac'
.....: enc = '4e8f206f074f895bde336601f0c8a2e092f944d95b798b01449e9b155b4ce5a5ae93cc9c677ad942c32d374419d5512c'.decode('hex')
.....: print(AESCipher(key).decrypt(enc))
.....:
AceBear{I_h0p3_y0u_3nj0y3d_1t_}

```