Security Algorithms and Protocols

Project: Write-up

REPO

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Abstract:

The project Repo is an Android Application with encryption system used to encrypt any text inside a file. Repo is File sharing App, which allows to share the files from one's own system to application in an encrypted format. Only the owner of the file can see the content in the file and others can view the file but the contents of the file will be in encrypted format. The Content of shared files are encrypted using RSA algorithm. This generates a cipher, upon which the data in the chosen file is encrypted using RSA algorithm, which provides security to the user to store the data without thinking about any intrusion.

Introduction:

We are in a world where information is everything and privacy is a myth. Sharing any data on internet, just as it is without any additional security measures might lead to a privacy breach. So using an encryption standard to protect the data from a third person is very much necessary. RSA is a perfect way to protect the data from unauthorized access. RSA is hugely popular as its advantage speaks for themselves, For instance this encryption standard is freely usable, incurs no license fees and is not subject to patent restrictions. Added to this come relatively low storage and hardware requirements. The encryption algorithm is uncomplicated and elegant in programming, and is simple to implement.

Background:

The Repo word is taken from the repository of GitHub but the difference is the files are encrypted when others wanted to see the content of your files. It also provides security to the files which are stored in it. It lets the user encrypt the data in a file, others can only view the encrypted contents of the files shared.

Experiments:

- 1) <u>Text encryption java file</u> which encrypts the contents of the file in the local system.
- 2) Android Studio Created File sharing Android Application
- 3) <u>FireBase</u> Is an inbuilt database in Android Studio which stores the files in cloud in an encrypted format.
- 4) Eclipse IDE- Used for encryption algorithm.

Screens:

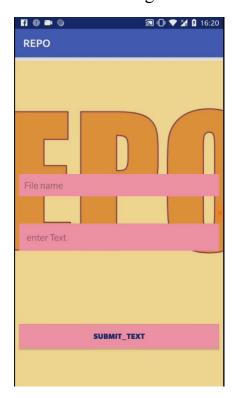




Login



File Posting



File Sharing



Contents



Contents(Encrypted)



Future Scope:

With the global applicability, this project can be implemented worldwide, in various ecosystem like IOS, web and many more. Enhancements like secure file sharing, social hub, and team productivity modules can be added.

Conclusion:

This application provides security for the files which are shared by using RSA Algorithm with authentication.

Requirements:

- Android Studio
- Eclipse IDE JAVA

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