

$$P = C = \{A=0, B=1, C=2, \dots, Z=25, - = 26\}$$

$$m = \text{Alphabet size} = 27$$

Q4.

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 2 & 7 \end{bmatrix} \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

The message is encrypted using  $y = (Ax + B) \% 27$  - (1)

where  $x$  is a 2 character chunk of the message  
each of the 2 chunk received is encrypted as some  $y$   
and all the chunks are concatenated.

$$\det(A) = 3 \times 7 - 5 \times 2 = 11$$

$$(\det(A))^{-1} \equiv (11)^{-1} \pmod{27}$$

Using extended euclidean algorithm,

$$27 = 2 \times 11 + 5$$

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

$$\Rightarrow 1 = 11 - 2 \times 5$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = 11 - 2(27 - 2 \times 11) = 5 \times 11 - 2 \times 27$$

$$\Rightarrow (5 \times 11) \equiv 1 \pmod{27}$$

$$\Rightarrow 5 \equiv (11)^{-1} \pmod{27}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\det(A))^{-1} \equiv 5 \pmod{27}$$

$$A^{-1} \equiv (\det(A))^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -5 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \equiv 5 \begin{bmatrix} 7 & -5 \\ -2 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \pmod{27}$$

$$\Rightarrow A^{-1} \equiv \begin{bmatrix} 35 & -25 \\ -10 & 15 \end{bmatrix} \pmod{27} \equiv \begin{bmatrix} 8 & 2 \\ 17 & 15 \end{bmatrix} \pmod{27}$$

We will decrypt using the following eq<sup>n</sup>

$$x \equiv A^{-1}(y - B) \pmod{27} \quad (\text{from ①})$$

Cypher: KBI-FTI QTRPTHCJMBNFDJDDUMSDAAAV  
SZSEFPCLNAIXG.

Length = 44

We will use 22 chunks, we can also form a  $2 \times 22$  matrix for y's i.e. we will form a  $2 \times 22$  matrix by augmenting all the 2-chunks in matrix form in order.

Cypher in a  $2 \times 22$  matrix:

$$Y = \begin{pmatrix} K & B & I & F & T & P & H & J & G & F & J & D & M & D & A & V & Z & E & P & L & A & X \\ B & - & T & Q & R & T & C & M & N & D & D & U & J & A & A & S & S & F & L & N & J & G \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 10 & 8 & 5 & 8 & 19 & 15 & 7 & 9 & 6 & 5 & 9 & 3 & 12 & 3 & 0 & 21 & 25 & 4 \\ 1 & 26 & 19 & 16 & 17 & 19 & 2 & 12 & 13 & 3 & 3 & 20 & 9 & 0 & 0 & 18 & 18 & 5 \\ 15 & 11 & 0 & 23 \\ 2 & 13 & 9 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X = A^{-1}(Y - \underbrace{B|B|\dots|B}_{22 \text{ times}})$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 8 & 2 \\ 17 & 15 \end{pmatrix} \pmod{27}$$

$$= A^{-1}X$$

$$(eq) Z = Y - \underbrace{B|B|\dots|B}_{22 \text{ times}} = \begin{pmatrix} 9 & 7 & 4 & 7 & 18 & 14 & 6 & 8 & 5 & 4 & 8 & 2 & 11 & 2 & -1 & 20 & 24 & 3 \\ -3 & 22 & 15 & 12 & 13 & 15 & -2 & 8 & 9 & -1 & -1 & 16 & 5 & -4 & -4 & 14 & 14 & 2 \\ 14 & 10 & -1 & 22 \\ -2 & 9 & 5 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \pmod{27}$$

$$X = A^{-1}Z = \begin{pmatrix} 8 & 2 \\ 17 & 15 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} Z \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 66 & 100 & 64 & 80 & 170 & 142 & 44 & 80 & 58 & 30 & 62 & 48 & 98 & 8 & -16 & 188 & 220 & 26 & 108 \\ 108 & 449 & 293 & 299 & 59 & 463 & 72 & 256 & 220 & 53 & 121 & 274 & 262 & -26 & -77 & 550 & 618 & 66 & 208 \\ 98 & 2 & 180 \\ 305 & 58 & 404 \end{pmatrix} \pmod{27}$$



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$$X = \begin{pmatrix} 12 & 19 & 10 & 26 & 8 & 7 & 17 & 26 & 4 & 3 & 8 & 2 & 17 & 8 & 11 & 26 & 4 & 26 & 0 & 17 \\ 0 & 17 & 23 & 2 & 15 & 9 & 18 & 13 & 4 & 26 & 13 & 4 & 19 & 1 & 4 & 10 & 24 & 12 & 19 & 8 \\ 2 & 18 & & & & & & & & & & & & & & & & & & \\ 4 & 26 & & & & & & & & & & & & & & & & & & \end{pmatrix}$$

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z -  
0-1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} M & T & I & - & I & H & R & - & E & D & I & V & R & I & L & - & E & - & A & R & C & S \\ A & R & X & C & P & E & S & N & E & - & N & E & T & B & E & K & Y & M & T & I & E & - \end{pmatrix}$$

We now concatenate the column transposes & form the original message

~~Message~~  
∴ Message = MATRIX-LIPHERS-NEED-INVERTIBLE-KEY-~~S~~  
MATRICES-