

MAS 433 Assignment

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Exercise 1. Solution:

I. Finite Field Arithmetics

1. **poly_mult.m** (function `ab=poly_mult(a, b, mod_pol)`): Performs the multiplication of two polynomials (a and b) in $GF(2^8)$ using a third polynomial (mod_pol) for the modular reduction.

II. AES_128 Implementation

aes_demo.m	aes_demo demonstrates the use of the AES_128 package. The call to aes_init supplies the actual en- and decryption function (cipher and inv_cipher) with expanded key schedule w, the substitution tables s_box and inv_s_box , and the polynomial matrices poly_mat and inv_poly_mat . These quantities have to be generated only once and can be used by any subsequent en- or decipher.
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