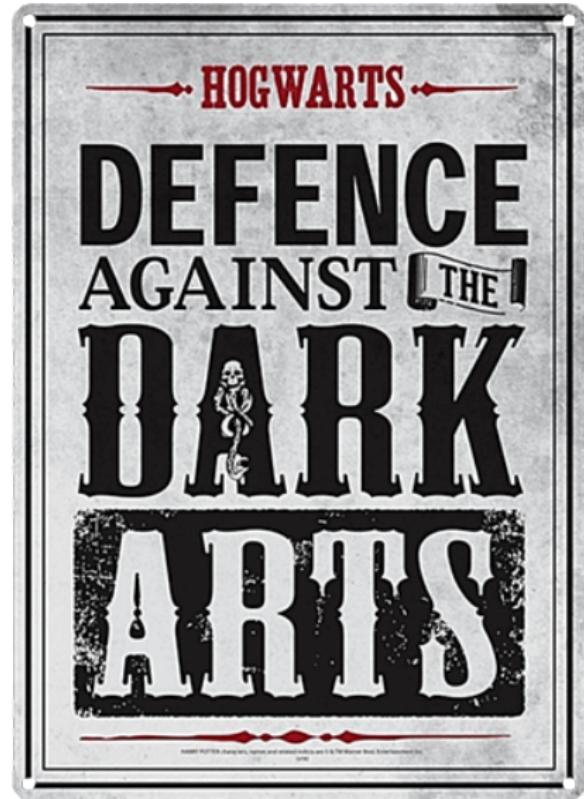


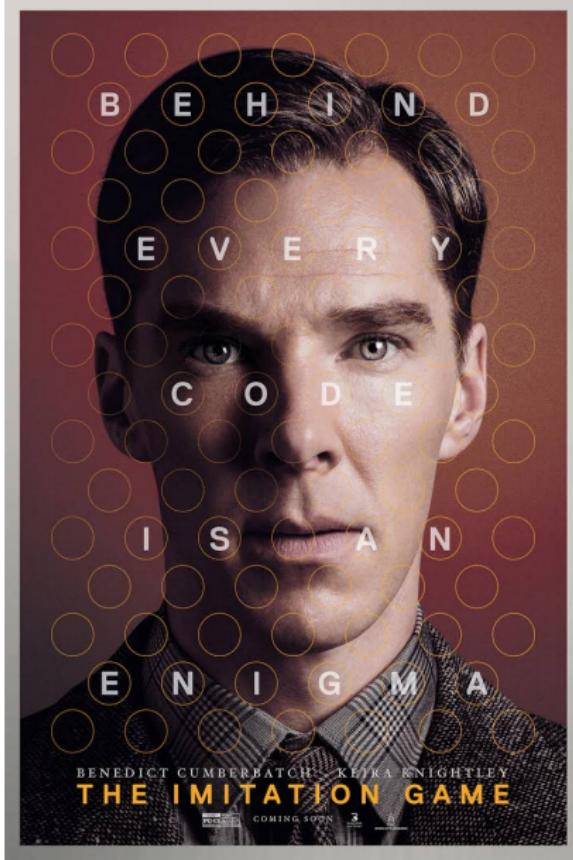
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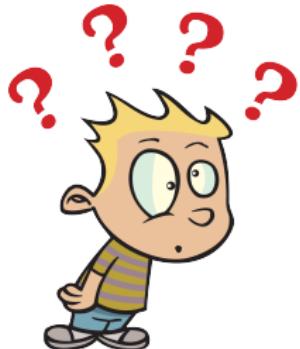


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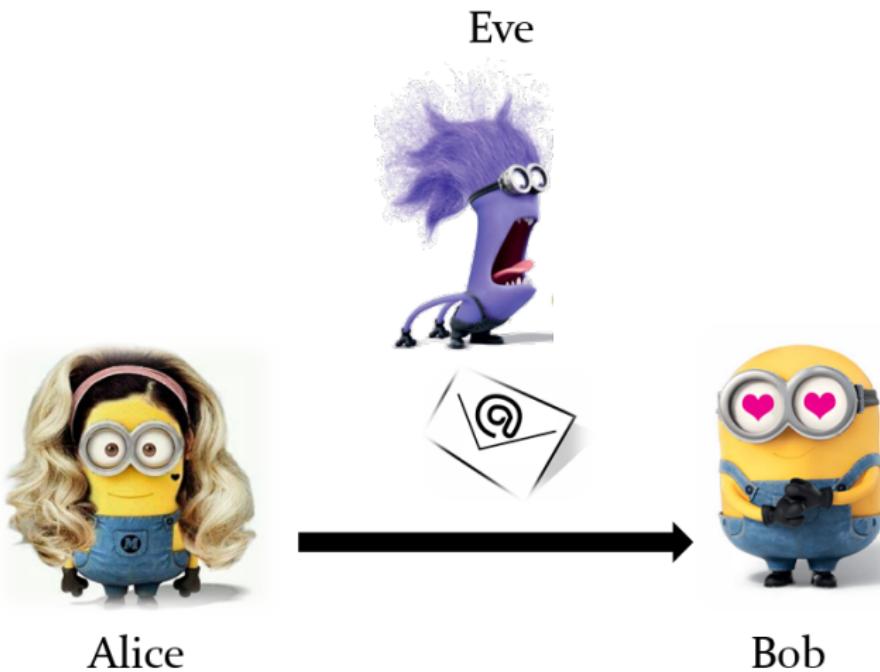




- ▶ What is Crypto?
- ▶ Why is it needed?
- ▶ Why should I study it?
- ▶ Is it difficult?
- ▶ Will I pass?



The Story of Alice and Bob



Cryptographic Goals





Your Favourite Search Engine

Uses HTTPS

A screenshot of a Mozilla Firefox browser window. The address bar shows "https://www.google.co.in". The page content displays the Google homepage with the "Secure Connection" badge and the "Permissions" message: "You have not granted this site any special permissions". Below the search bar, there is a "Block Ciphers" button. At the bottom, there are "Google Search" and "I'm Feeling Lucky" buttons. A footer message says "Google offered in: हिन्दी वारा ଭାଷା ମରାଠୀ ତୁଳି ଶୁଣାନୀ ଭାଷା ଅନ୍ୟାନ୍ୟ ପେଜାରୀ". The status bar at the bottom shows network information: "no IPv6 | 24.3 GIB | DHCP: yes | VPN: no | W: (845% at Tata Docomo Wi-Fi) 100.77.43.199 | E: down | BAT 63.64% | 0.64 | 2017-11-06 14:19:00".

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Behind the scenes

<https://www.google.co.in>

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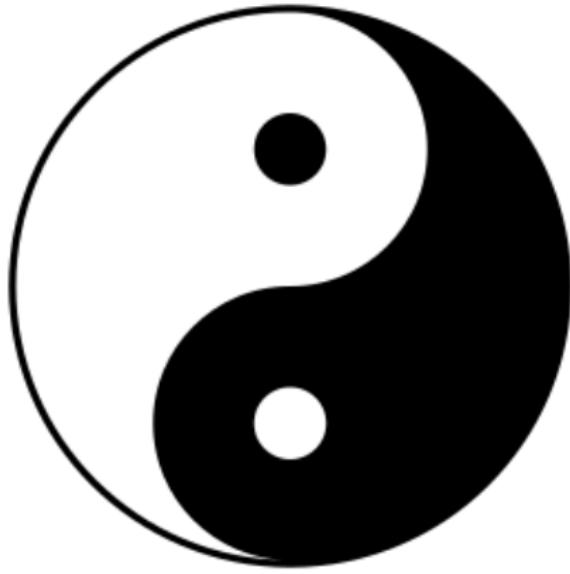
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By Dutch cryptographer
Auguste Kerckhoffs

Everything about a cryptosystem, **except the key**, is public knowledge

- ▶ ~~Security through obscurity~~
- ▶ However, some parameter must be **secret**
 - ▶ Known only to authorized entities: Alice, Bob
 - ▶ That parameter is the “key”
 - ▶ Distinguishes between Bob and Eve



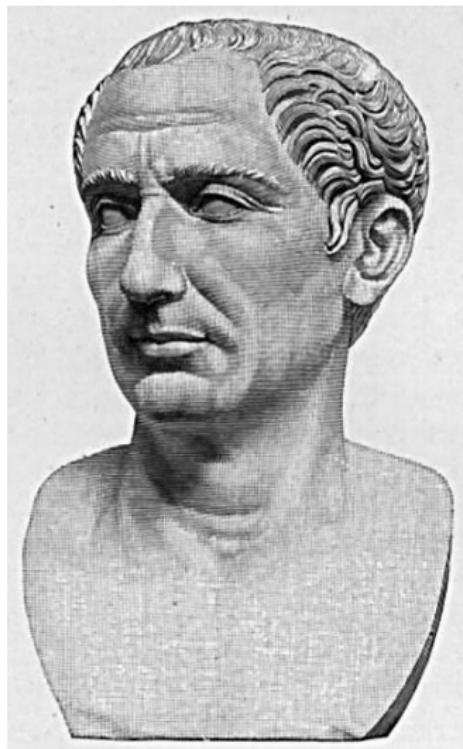
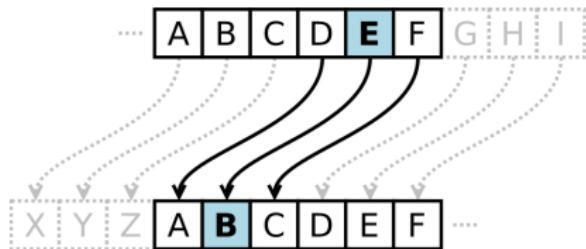
Yin and Yang

Cryptography & Cryptanalysis

Historical Cipher

Caesar (Shift) Cipher

- ▶ One of the earliest known ciphers
- ▶ Special case of substitution
- ▶ Shifts the letters by a constant number
- ▶ Allegedly used by Julius Caesar using a shift of 3



- ▶ Applies **modular arithmetic**
- ▶ Letter \leftrightarrow number translation

$$a \rightarrow 0, b \rightarrow 1, c \rightarrow 2, \dots, z \rightarrow 25$$

Encryption

$$e(x) = (x + k) \bmod 26$$

Decryption

$$d(x) = (x - k) \bmod 26$$

- ▶ How many possible keys?
- ▶ Notion of brute-force attack
- ▶ Can we break it without guessing the key?
- ▶ What if the key-space was "huge" ?



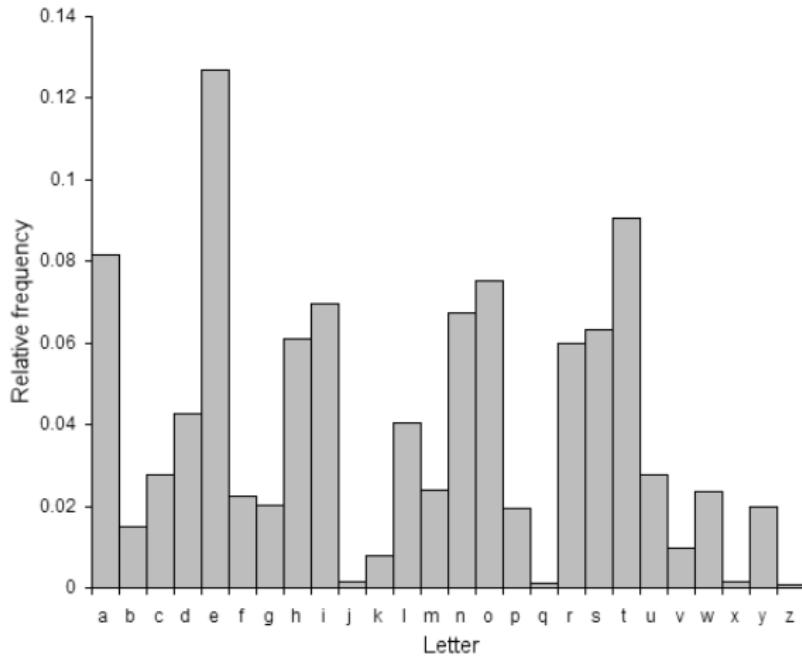
The first page of al-Kindi's manuscript
On Deciphering Cryptographic Messages

- ▶ Earliest reference on code-breaking
- ▶ 9th Century Arab scientist - **al-Kindi**
- ▶ Rediscovered in 1987 in Istanbul

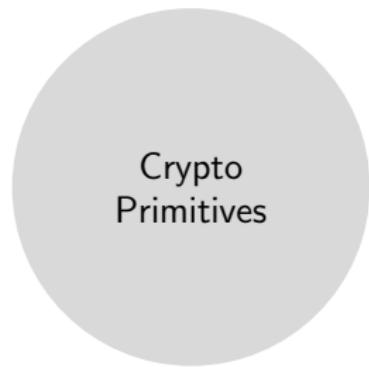
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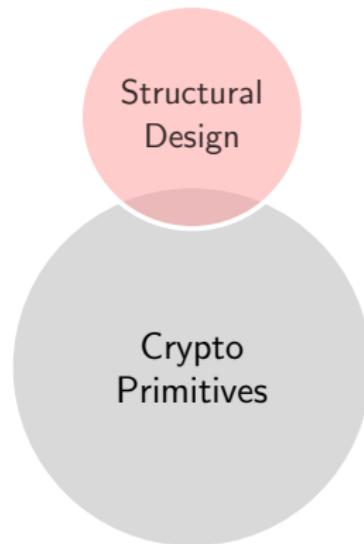
- ▶ Explores idea of output preserving input statistics
- ▶ For e.g. letter frequency analysis

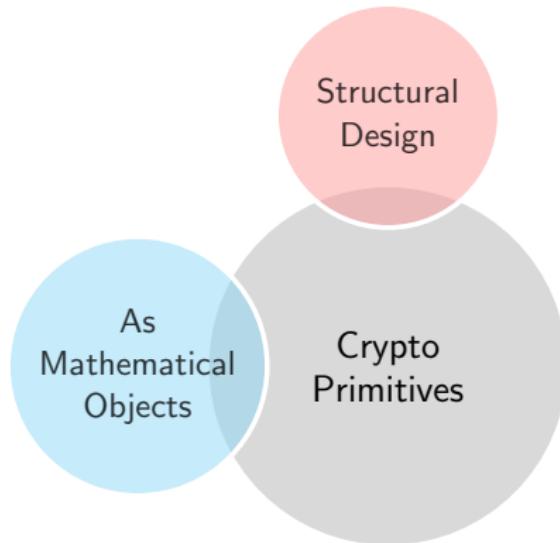
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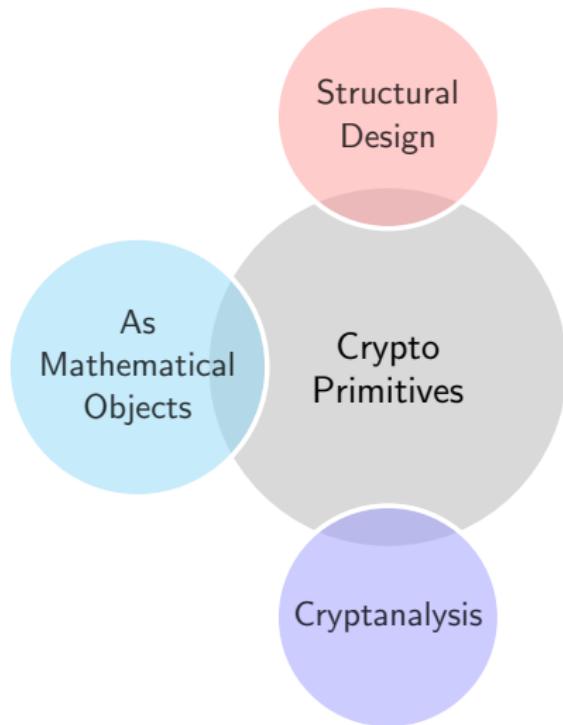


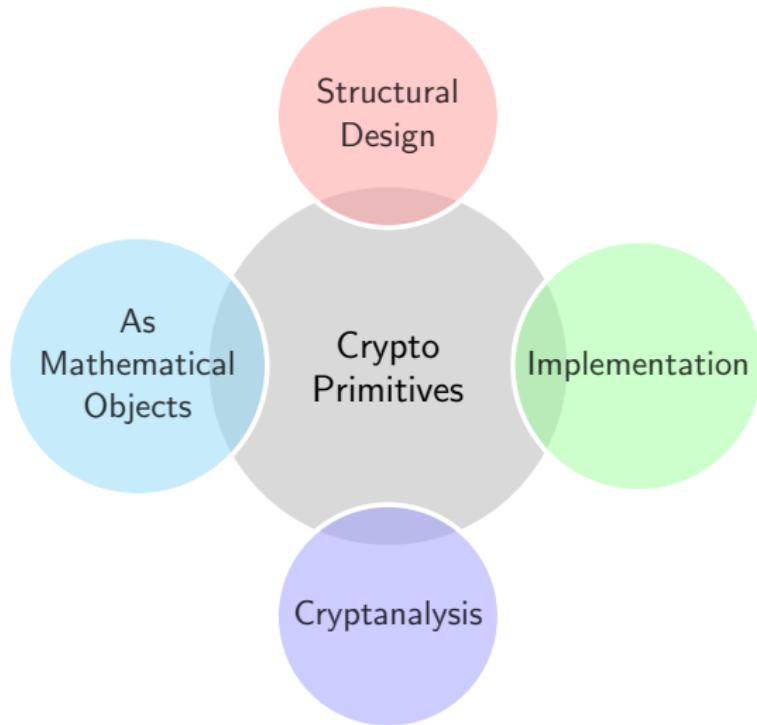
- ▶ Can be used to break Caesar Cipher. How?

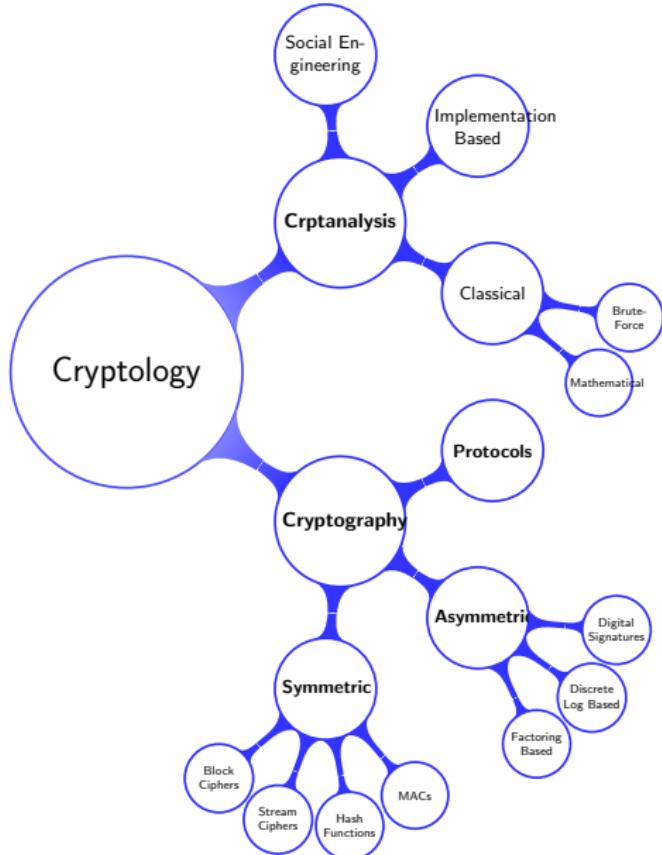












Home Assignment - Group Submission

- ▶ Find a historical cipher (say one that was used before 1980's)
- ▶ You will get extra marks if your cipher is unique.
- ▶ Some of them will be highlighted in next class.

Note

Shift-Cipher and Enigma are already taken.

- ▶ Cryptography: Theory and Practice by Douglas R. Stinson.
- ▶ Understanding Cryptography by Christof Paar and Jan Pelzl
- ▶ Other references will be shared as and when required

Enigma!

Hail Crypto!



See you in next class.

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