

1.2 A=5 B=0 C=2 D=3 E=0 F=0 G=5 H=4 I=9 J=2 K=1  
L=5 M=0 N=0 O=0 P=5 Q=1 R=1 S=1 T=10 U=1 V=1 W=4 X=7 Y=0 Z=0

xultpaajcxitltlxaa-rpjhtiwtgxktghidhip  
if we all unite we will cause the river to sta  
xcitwtvgtpilpitghlxiiwtxgg add s  
in the great waters with their blood.

t → e (most frequent) i → t (second most frequent) they are the same distance apart

Is it Caesar's cipher? i → t means g → r, h → s maybe?

t → e means w → h ... Yes! This is Caesar's cipher!

I think I can fill the rest in now... first changing p → a.

How many letters were identified through a frequency count? t and i ⇒ 2

What is the cleartext? If we all unite we will cause the rivers to

stain the great waters with their blood. - Tecumseh

1.4) 1.) 8 letters, 7 bits/letter, 128 chars/letter ⇒ Keyspace =  $128^8$

2.)  $8 \times 7 = 56$  bits

3.) 8 letters, 5 bits/letter ⇒  $8 \times 5 = 40$  bits

4) a.) 128 bits, 7 bits/letter ⇒  $128/7 = 18.28$  so at least 19 letters

b.) 128 bits, 5 bits/letter ⇒  $128/5 = 25.6$  so at least 26 letters

1.6  $\frac{1}{5} \bmod 13 = ?$   $5x = 1 \bmod 13$  What times  $5 \bmod 13 = 1$ ?

a)  $40 \bmod 13 = 1$  so  $5(8) = 1 \bmod 13$  so  $8 = \frac{1}{5} \bmod 13$

Therefore  $\frac{1}{5} \bmod 13 = 8$

b)  $\frac{1}{5} \bmod 7 = ?$   $5x = 1 \bmod 7$  What times  $5 \bmod 7 = 1$ ?

$5 \bmod 7 \neq 1$   $10 \bmod 7 \neq 1$   $15 \bmod 7 = 1$  ✓

so  $5(3) = 1 \bmod 7$  so  $3 = \frac{1}{5} \bmod 7$  therefore  $\frac{1}{5} \bmod 7 = 3$

c)  $3 \cdot \frac{3}{5} \bmod 7 = ?$   $5x = 6 \bmod 7$  What times  $5 \bmod 7 = 6$ ?

$5 \bmod 7 = 2$   $10 \bmod 7 = 3$   $15 \bmod 7 = 1$   $20 \bmod 7 = 6$  ✓

$5(4) = 6 \bmod 7$  therefore  $4 = \frac{3 \cdot 2}{5} \bmod 7$  so  $3 \cdot \frac{3}{5} \bmod 7 = 4$

1.8  $\mathbb{Z}_{11} = \{0, 1, \dots, 9, 10\}$   $(5x) \bmod 11 = 1$

$5 \bmod 11 = 5$   $10 \bmod 11 = 10$   $15 \bmod 11 = 4$   $20 \bmod 11 = 9$   $25 \bmod 11 = 3$

$30 \bmod 11 = 8$   $35 \bmod 11 = 2$   $40 \bmod 11 = 7$   $45 \bmod 11 = 1$

so  $5(9) \bmod 11 = 1$  so multiplicative inverse of 5 in  $\mathbb{Z}_{11}$  is 9.

$\mathbb{Z}_{12} = \{0, 1, \dots, 10, 11\}$   $(5x) \bmod 12 = 1$  or  $y \bmod 12 = 1$  if  $y = 5x$

$y \bmod 12 = 0$  when  $y = 0, 12, 24, 36, \dots$  so  $y \bmod 12 = 1$  when  $y = 1, 13, 25, 37, \dots$

When is  $y = 1, 13, 25, 37, \dots$  divisible by 5? when  $y = 25$

$5(5) \bmod 12 = 1$  so multiplicative inverse of 5 in  $\mathbb{Z}_{12}$  is 5

$\mathbb{Z}_{13} = \{0, 1, \dots, 11, 12\}$   $(5x) \bmod 13 = 1$  or  $y \bmod 13 = 1$  if  $y = 5x$

$y \bmod 13 = 1$  when  $y = 1, 14, 27, 40, 53, \dots$  When is  $y$  divisible by 5?

when  $y = 40$  so  $5(8) \bmod 13 = 1$  so multiplicative inverse of 5 in  $\mathbb{Z}_{13}$  is 8



1.10 a) Factors of 4: 1, 2, 4  $0 \leq n < 4$

$n=0 \Rightarrow$  Factors of  $n: 0$  = Is 1 the only common factor of 0 and 4? No

$n=1 \Rightarrow$  Factors of  $n: 1$  = Is 1 the only common factor of 1 and 4? Yes

$n=2 \Rightarrow$  Factors of  $n: 1, 2$  = Is 1 the only common factor of 2 and 4? No

$n=3 \Rightarrow$  Factors of  $n: 1, 3$  = Is 1 the only common factor of 3 and 4? Yes

So  $n = 1, 3$   $\varphi(4) = 2$

b.) For remaining problems' steps... see work above

$n=1, 2, 3, 4$   $\varphi(5) = 4$

c.)  $n=1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 8$   $\varphi(9) = 6$

d.)  $n=1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25$   $\varphi(26) = 12$

1.12 a.)  $e_k(x) = y \equiv (ax+b) \pmod{30}$

$d_k(y) = x \equiv a^{-1}(y-b) \pmod{30}$

b.)  $\gcd(a, 30) = 1$   $a = 1, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19, 23, 29$

Key space =  $\varphi(30) \times 30 = 8 \times 30 = 240$

c.)  $X = \frac{1}{17}(Y-1) \pmod{30}$   $Y = 26, 20, 29, 22, 29$

$Y=26$   $\frac{25}{17} \pmod{30} \Rightarrow 17X = 25 \pmod{30}$   $X=5$

$17 \in \{1, 2, \dots, 29, 30\} = \{17, 34, 51, 68, 85, 102, 119, 136, 153, 170, \dots, 493, 510\}$

$Y=20$   $\frac{19}{17} \pmod{30} \Rightarrow 17X = 19 \pmod{30}$   $X=17$

$Y=29$   $\frac{28}{17} \pmod{30} \Rightarrow 17X = 28 \pmod{30}$   $X=14$

$Y=22$   $\frac{21}{17} \pmod{30} \Rightarrow 17X = 21 \pmod{30}$   $X=3$

$X=5$   $X=17$   $X=14$   $X=3$   $X=14 \Rightarrow$  Frodo

Frodo is from the Shire

$$1.14 \quad e_{k_1} = a_1x + b_1 \quad e_{k_2} = a_2x + b_2$$

$$a) \quad e_{k_2}(e_{k_1}(x)) = a_2(a_1x + b_1) + b_2 = a_2a_1x + a_2b_1 + b_2$$

$$e_{k_3}(x) = a_2a_1x + a_2b_1 + b_2 \text{ if } a_3 = a_2a_1 \text{ and } b_3 = a_2b_1 + b_2$$

$$d_{k_1}(y) = \frac{1}{a_1}(y - b_1) \quad d_{k_2}(y) = \frac{1}{a_2}(y - b_2) \quad d_{k_3}(y) = \frac{1}{a_3}(y - b_3)$$

$$e_{k_2}(e_{k_1}(x)) \Rightarrow d_{k_2}(d_{k_1}(y)) = \frac{1}{a_2}\left(\frac{1}{a_1}(y - b_1) - b_2\right) = \frac{1}{a_2}\left(\frac{1}{a_1}y - \frac{b_1}{a_1} - b_2\right)$$

$$d_{k_3}(y) = \frac{1}{a_3}(y - b_3) = \frac{1}{a_2a_1}y - \left(\frac{b_2}{a_2} + \frac{b_1}{a_1}\right) \frac{1}{a_1} \text{ if } a_3 = a_2a_1$$

$$\frac{-b_3}{a_3} = -\frac{b_2}{a_2a_1} - \frac{b_1}{a_1} \Rightarrow \frac{b_3}{a_2a_1} = \frac{b_2}{a_2a_1} + \frac{b_1}{a_1} \Rightarrow b_3 = b_2 + b_1a_2$$

$$b) \quad \text{If } a_1=3, b_1=5, a_2=11, b_2=7$$

$$a_3 = a_2a_1 = 33 \equiv 7 \pmod{26} \quad b_3 = b_2 + b_1a_2 = 7 + 55 = 62 \equiv 10 \pmod{26}$$

$$c) \quad K=10 \quad e_{k_2}(e_{k_1}(10)) = e_{k_2}(a_1(10) + b_1 \pmod{26}) = e_{k_2}(35 \pmod{26}) = e_{k_2}(9)$$

$$e_{k_2}(9) = a_2(9) + b_2 \pmod{26} = (99 + 7) \pmod{26} = 2 \Rightarrow C$$

$$e_{k_3}(10) = a_3(10) + b_3 \pmod{26} = (70 + 10) \pmod{26} = 2 \Rightarrow C$$

d) No, the keyspace is not increased, because we just proved that every double encrypted affine cipher can be written as a single encrypted affine cipher. Therefore, there is not any extra benefit to doubly encrypting an affine cipher, and no extra keyspace.