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1 Ans:- Difference between diffusion and confusion are:-

Confusion

- i) Utilized to generate vague cyphertexts
- ii) Makes a relation between statistics of the cyphertext and the value of encryption key as complicated as possible.
- iii) Substitution Algorithm
- iv) Block cipher only
- v) Increased vagueness

Diffusion

- i) Utilized to generate obscure, plain, text.
- ii) The statistical relationship between the plain text and cyphertext is made as complicated as possible.
- iii) Transposition Algorithm.
- iv) Stream cipher and block cipher.
- v) Increased Redundancy



2. Ans:-

Given  $p = 13$ ,  $q = 17$

$$n = 13 \times 17 = 221 \text{ and}$$

$$\phi = (13-1) \times (17-1) = 12 \times 16 = 192$$

$$e = 35 \text{ (public key)}$$

A	B	D	K
1	0	192	-
0	1	35	5
1	-5	17	2
-2	11	1	-

$$d = 11$$

Hence  $n = 221$ ,  $e = 35$ ,  $d = 11$ .

4. Ans:- Pretty Good Privacy or PGP is a popular program used to encrypt and decrypt email over the internet as well as authenticate messages with digital signatures and encrypted stored files. PGP uses a variation of the public key system. In this system each user has an encryption key.



that is publicly known and a private key that is known only to that user. You encrypt your message you send to someone else using their public key. When they receive it they decrypt it using their private key. Since encryption of an entire message is time consuming PGP uses a faster encryption algorithm to encrypt the messages and then use the public key to encrypt the shorter key that was used to encrypt the entire message. Both the encrypted message and short key are sent to the receiver who first uses the receiver's private key to decrypt the short key and then uses the key to decrypt the message.



5. Ans:- Properties that digital signature should have are :-

- i) It must verify the author's and date and time of the signature.
- ii) It must authenticate the contents at the time of signature.
- iii) It must be verifiable by third parties, to resolve disputes.

6. Ans:- Four basic principles related to security of messages are :-

- i) Confidentiality :- This is the most obvious idea associated with security of messages. Messages are encrypted using algorithms and secret keys which are only known by the sender and receiver. This makes it hard for attackers to decrypt the message.



ii) Authentication! - This is the process of identifying yourself to your communication partner.

iii) Integrity! - These are means <sup>employed</sup> ~~deployed~~ to ensure a receiver gets the message which was intended for them and vice versa. Through integrity, one can ensure no transmission has been altered or transformed message appears as it was when send.

iv) Non-repudiation! - These are the measures put in place ensure the sender agrees to have sent the message, not an impersonator. This is basically a legal liability. If you agree to the message, it means that you are legally obligated. Non-repudiation can be compared to a signature on the contract.