

Functional Requirements

$D_{K_s}(E_{K_p}(m)) = m$ and $D_{K_p}(E_{K_s}(m)) = m$ for every pair (K_p, K_s)

- ✓ Generating a pair (K_p, K_s) is easy to compute (polynomial)
- ✓ Encryption is easy to compute (either polynomial or linear)
- ✓ Decryption is easy to compute (either polynomial or linear)
- Finding a matching key K_s for a given K_p is hard (exponential)
- Decryption without knowing the corresponding key is hard (exponential)

RSA - Rivest, Shamir and Alderman

Key Size	1024 - 4096
Speed	<p>~ factor of 10^6 cycles / byte</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Key generation: 10 - 100 ms• Encryption: 0.2 - 2 ms• Decryption: 5 - 10 ms
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