

# Guidelines for Assignment Execution

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## 1) Affine Cipher

*.Consists of two files:*

- *Affine\_cipher\_encryption.cpp for encrypting any text specified in plain\_input\_affine.txt and the encrypted output generated is stored in encrypted\_output\_affine.txt*
- *Affine\_cipher\_decryption.cpp for decrypting the text stored in encrypted\_output\_affine.txt into plain text. The output of this cpp file is stored in plain\_output\_decrypted.txt*

*. Example files are generated by using  $a = 17$  and  $b = 3$  in the following equations:*

*// for encryption*

$$y(\text{cipher\_value}) = (a * x(\text{plain\_text\_value}) + b) \% 26$$

*// for decryption*

$$x(\text{plain\_text\_value}) = ((a^{-1}) * ((y(\text{cipher\_value}) - b + 26) \% 26)) \% 26$$

*.However the files can generate encrypted and decrypted output for any values of  $a$  and  $b$*

## 2) Playfair Cipher

*.Consists of two files:*

- *Playfair\_cipher\_encryption.cpp for encrypting any text specified in plain\_input\_playfair.txt and the encrypted output generated is stored in encrypted\_output\_playfair.txt*

- *Playfair\_cipher\_decryption.cpp* for decrypting the text stored in *encrypted\_output\_playfair.txt* into plain text. The output of this cpp file is stored in *decrypted\_output\_playfair.txt*

. Example files are generated by using Keyword: - PLAYFAIR  
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.However the files can generate encrypted and decrypted output for any input keyword string

### 3) Hill Cipher

.Consists of two files:

- *Hill\_cipher\_encryption.cpp* for encrypting any text specified in *plain\_input\_hill.txt* and the encrypted output generated is stored in *encrypted\_output\_hill.txt*
- *Hill\_cipher\_decryption.cpp* for decrypting the text stored in *encrypted\_output\_hill.txt* into plain text. The output of this cpp file is stored in *decrypted\_output\_hill.txt*

. Example files are generated by using Keyword: - GYBNQKURP

The associated Keyword matrix is as follows:

6, 24, 1

13, 16, 10

20, 17, 15

The associated inverse Keyword matrix is as follows:

8, 5, 10

21, 8, 21

21, 12, 8

#### 4) Diffie Hellman

*.Consists of three files:*

- *Diffie\_Hellman.cpp is used for demonstrating key exchange protocol using Diffie Hellman, between Alice and Bob. The files associated with it are Alice.txt and Bob.txt*
- *Diffie\_Hellman\_Attack.cpp is used for demonstrating man in middle attack during key exchange protocol between Alice and Bob. The files associated with it are Alice\_attacked.txt, Bob\_attacked.txt and Attacker.txt*
- *Delay.cpp is used for calculating the communication delay between Alice and Bob when key sizes are 128, 256, 512 and 1024 bits. The output file for it is Diffie\_Hellman\_Delays.txt*

*. Example files are generated by using  $g = 7$  and  $n = 11$  (publicly known) in the following equation:*

$$(g^{xy}) \bmod n$$

*.Values of  $x$  and  $y$  are randomly chosen by Alice and Bob who are exchanging data*

*.However the files can generate shared secret key for any values of  $g$  and  $n$*