

Assignment – 2

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Submission Deadline: September 2, 2016

No assignment will be evaluated after the deadline.

1. Implement the Auto-key Cipher.
2. Implement the following classic polyalphabetic ciphers (Generate the keys pseudo-randomly, check validity of the key, and store it into a key-file):
 - a. Vigenere Cipher
 - b. Hill Cipher
 - c. Keyed Transposition Cipher (Assume the block size to be 5.)
3. Modify the Hill Cipher program you wrote for above Q. 2b, so as to implement the following *Permutation Cipher*: (Following π is a permutation of plain text letters positioned at $\{1, \dots, 8\}$)

x	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
$\Pi(x)$	4	1	6	2	7	3	8	5

Test the operation of your encryption and decryption programs using the above π and its corresponding π^{-1} .

Hence decrypt the following cipher text, which was encrypted using the above π :

TGEEMNELNNTDROEOAAHDOETCSHAEIRLM

HINT: The key of a transposition cipher may be represented as a matrix of zeros and ones.