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This is a client-server application for demonstrating AES and RSA encryption. The client application is a react web application that runs in the browser window (Prefer Google Chrome).

The server runs on the NodeJS runtime environment that enables to establish communication through the express framework that is used to make APIs that connect the client with the server.

Some examples with different inputs and outputs screenshots of the server and client are attached at the bottom of this document as well as in the output folder.

Note: Please input values less than 2^{16} - 1 i.e. 65535 because the application only expects values of 16 bytes.

Installation Guide

Prerequisite

The system must have NodeJs installed. To install NodeJs on your machine visit this link

There are 2 folders, server, and client.

Installing and Running Server

Step 1: Navigate to the server folder

Step 2: Install all the dependencies by the following command in the terminal

Step 3: Run the server, pass p, q, e (RSA parameters).

Note: If the user does not pass any parameters, p=907, q=773, and e=11 will be assigned by default.

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npm start
or
npm start p q e
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Now, the server will listen on port 4000. check the health of the server by opening localhost:4000

We can see the server's log on the terminal when the client sends any data.

Installing and Running Client

Step 1: Navigate to the client folder

Step 2: Install all the dependencies by the following command in the terminal

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npm install
```

Step 3: Run the client application by the following command

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npm start
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Now, the client will listen on port 3000. A browser window should open at port 3000: localhost:3000 and the form will take values of the message, secret key, p, q, and e. After submitting the values, the user can see the client's output on the browser itself, and the server's output will appear on the server's terminal.

Folder and Files

Below are the files and folder architecture of the system. Folder and files can be distinguished by looking at the extension

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functions
index.js // Export necessary functions used by server to decrypt
AES.js // Implements AES Decryption algorithm
RSA.js // Implements RSA Key generation and Encryption-Decryption algorithm
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HashAlgo.is
                      // Implements hash function to create digest
  server.js
              // Main file to start server, contains express app and logic of decryption workflow
client
  src
    functions
      index.js
                      // Export all necessary functions to be used by server to decrypt
      AES.js
                      // Implements AES Decryption algorithm
                      // Implements RSA Key generation and Encryption-Decryption algorithm
      RSA.js
      HashAlgo.js
                      // Implements hash function to create digest
    components
      Display.jsx
                      // React component to render output
                      // Main file containing logic of encryption workflow, takes input and
    App.jsx
communication with server and renders the output
                     // Stylesheet for the browser window
    App.css
    index.css
                      // Stylesheet for root HTML
                      // Renders React component on the browser
    index.js
                      // this folder is for React architecture. has some html, png, svg file
  public
output
  client-1.png
                      // client example output 1
  server-1.png
                      // server example output 1
  client-2.png
                      // client example output 2
  server-2.png
                      // server example output 2
                      // client example output 3
  client-3.png
  server-3.png
                      // server example output 3
```

Functions Description

Below are the files and folder architecture of the system. Folder and files can be distinguished by looking at the extension

Functions on the Server-side:

- 1. main(): Main function that handles server-side computation workflow.
- printOutput(): Outputs all the data to the terminal
- 3. RSAKeyGenerator(p, q, e): Generates public key and private key
- 4. RSAAlgo(data, key: {n, d or e}): Encrypt-Decrypt data using RSA algorithm
- 5. AESDecrypt(cipherText, secretKey): Decrypts cipherText using secretKey
- 6. hashAlgo(text): converts text to 16 byte hash

Implementation of the last 4 functions can be found in the 'functions' folder

Functions on the Client-side:

- 1. main(): Main function that handles client-side computation workflow.
- 2. useEffect(): fetch server's public key on connection through an API
- sendDataToServer(): sends data to server using an API
- 4. RSAKeyGenerator(p, q, e): Generates public key and private key
- 5. RSAAlgo(data, key: {n, d or e}): Encrypt-Decrypt data using RSA algorithm
- 6. AESEncrypt(plainText, secretKey): Encrypts plainText using secretKey
- 7. hashAlgo(text): converts text to 16-byte hash

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Functions in the 'functions' folder:

RSAAlgo.js:

- 1. power(x, y, m): calculates $(x^y \% m)$ of very large numbers using modular arithmetic
- 2. modInverse(a, m): calculates modulo inverse: (1/a) % m
- 3. gcd(x, y): calculates GCD of two numbers
- 4. lcm(n1, n2): calculates LCM of two numbers
- 5. RSAKeyGenerator(p, q, e): generates a public and a private key
- 6. RSAAlgo(data, key): Encrypt/Decrypt data using public/private key

HashAlgo.is:

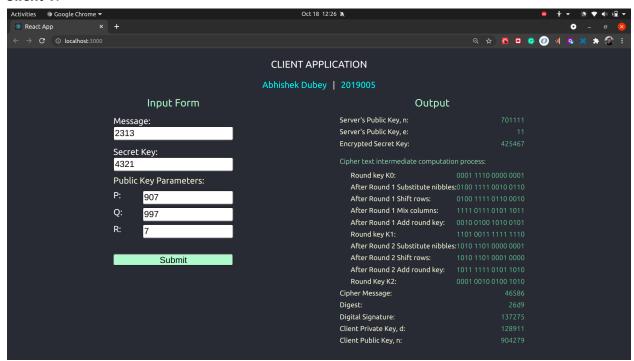
1. hashAlgo(keyString): converts string to 16-byte hexadecimal hash value.

AES.js:

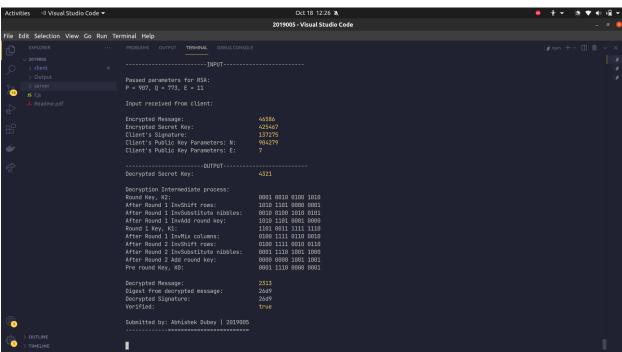
- AESEncrypt(plainText, secretKey): return cipherText and output log
- AESDecrypt(cipherText, secretKey): returns plainText and output log
- 3. inverseMixColumns(state): return state after inverse mix column
- 4. mixColumns(state): returns state after mix column
- 5. shiftRows(state): returns state after shift row operation
- 6. subNibbles(sbox, state): returns substitution nibble from sbox and state.
- 7. addRoundKey(key, state): returns add round key
- 8. keyExpansion(key): returns pre round key (K0), round 1 key (K1) and round 2 key (K2)

Output Screen-Shots

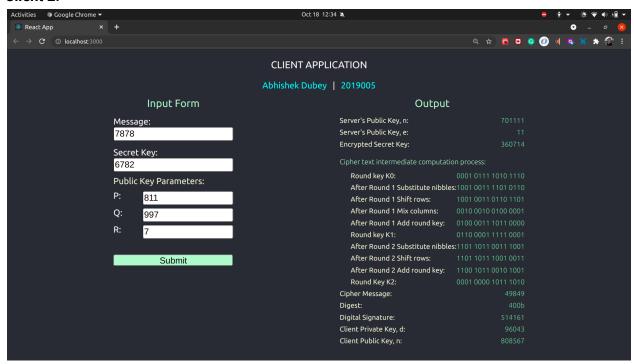
Client 1:



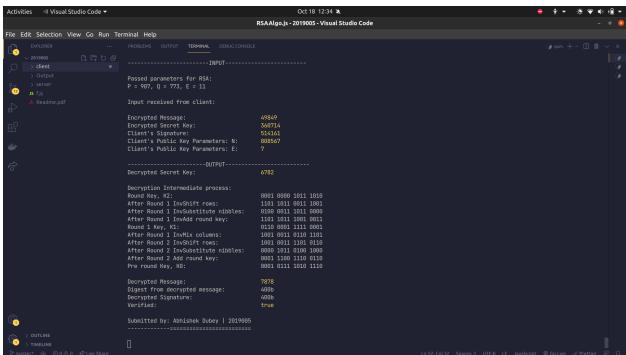
Server 1:



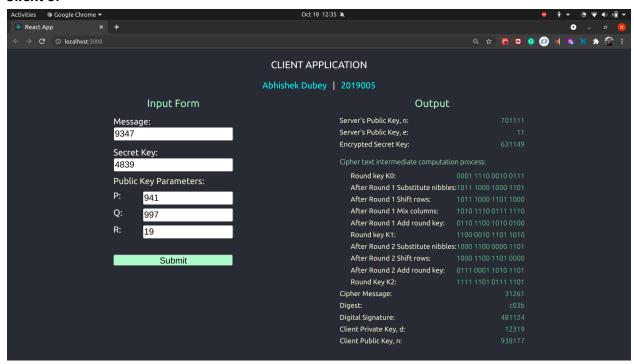
Client 2:



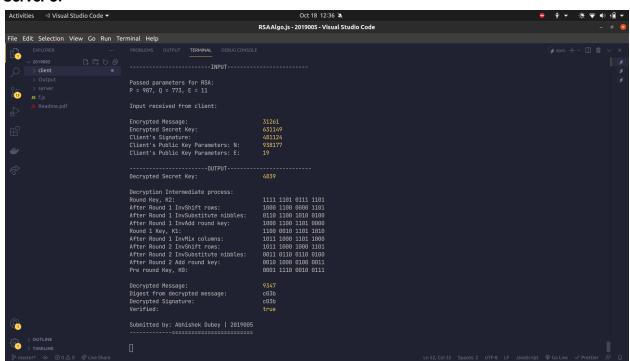
Server 2:



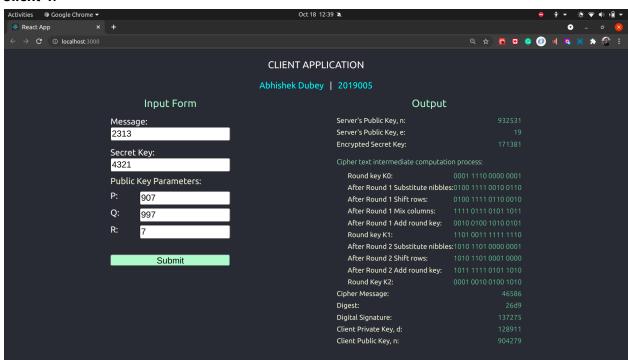
Client 3:



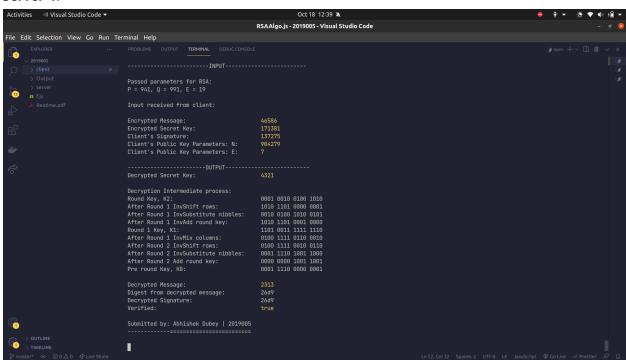
Server 3:



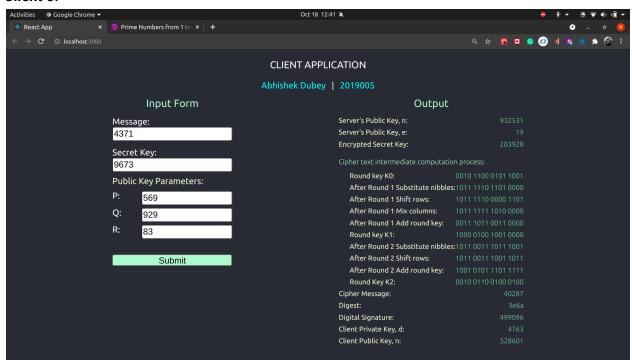
Client 4:



Server 4:



Client 5:



Server 5:

