CRYPTOGRAPHY MISSION 03 SOLUTIONS

Deadline: Thursday, 15 September 2016 at 3:05pm

This mission covers Sections 2.8, 2.9, 2.10, and all Classical Ciphers.

1. Graded Problems

- 1. Read through the "Examples of basic usage" section for Python's pseudo-random number generators (https://docs.python.org/2/library/random.html).
 - a. In SageMath, generate 5 pseudo-random numbers using random(), and write them here (round to 4 decimal places).

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0.8384, 0.1998, 0.2668, 0.2085, 0.5690
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b. Write down the code for generating a random integer from 1 to 100. Generate 3 such numbers and write them here.

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randint(1,100); 12, 83, 20
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c. Write down the code for generating a random odd from 1 to 101. Generate 3 such numbers and write them here.

2. Bletchley Park was where a lot of cryptography happened during World War II. Watch https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wlWVpOzgrL4, and write down two facts that you learned here.

3. If 11010010 is your plaintext message, and 10101010 is the key, what is the ciphertext using a One-Time Pad?

11010010 + 10101010 = 01111000

- 4. Make a list of all the Classical Ciphers we have covered so far to remember what they are. These might be used in the "Escape Room" activity on 9/15.
 - Shift
 - Affine
 - Vigenère
 - ullet Substitution
 - Dancing Men
 - Playfair
 - Block (in particular, Hill)
 - Pigpen
 - One-Time Pads