

Day 03 - Classical Cryptosystems (cont.)

Last time

Generalize mono-alphabetic subs.

(Caesar shift w/o keeping the ABC order)

$$|K| = 26!$$

Vigenere cipher: need a keyword of length N .
Use multiple Caesar shifts.

Ex: Keyword: YES

$$|K| = 26^N$$

Y - shift for every 1st, 4th, 7th, 10th... lettersE - shift — 2nd, 5th, 8th...S - shift — 3rd, 6th, 9th, ...

Rectangular Transposition:

Put p/t into a rectangle & rearrange the columns.

Construct a Playfair square using a keyword.

+ put I/J in the same cell.
+ letters in keyword first, omit any repeat.
+ the rest of the alphabet.

Playfair.

N	O	W	A	Y
B	C	D	E	F
G	H	I/J	K	L
M	P	Q	R	S
T	U	V	X	Z

Decrypt: same row:
shift left

same col: shift up.

corner: same

Encrypt: Same row: shift right (GK → HL, CF → DB)

Same col: shift down (PU → UO, AR → EX)

corner: replace with the other corner

(PE : $\begin{matrix} C \leftarrow E \\ \vdots \\ P \rightarrow R \end{matrix} \Rightarrow RC)$

ADFGVX cipher

- The ADFGVX system was introduced by the German Colonel Fritz Nebel.
- It was broken by Georges Painvin in one of the all-time most remarkable feats of cryptanalysis.
- It was not until December 1962 that the feat of Painvin was made known.
- It permitted the French to block the last German offensive of 1918.
- ADFGVX can be seen as a combination between Playfair cipher and rectangular transposition.

Encryption process:

- Construct a 6×6 ADFGVX matrix with entries taken from 26 alphabet letters and 10 number digits
- Convert each letter in the plaintext into its coordinates in the ADFGVX table. Coordinates are ordered as (row index, column index).
- Rearrange the converted text (row-by-row from left to right) into a table with n columns and permute the columns using a chosen permutation of length n .
- Read the permuted table column-by-column from top to bottom to obtain the ciphertext

Playfair
+
Rec.
Trans.

4. Read the permuted table column-by-column from top to bottom to obtain the ciphertext

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Construct table from a keyword

- 26 letters A, ..., Z
- 10 digits 0, ..., 9
- Keyword: SUMMER

	A	D	F	G	V	X
A	S	U	M	E	R	A
D	B	C	D	F	G	H
F	I	J	K	L	N	O
G	P	Q	T	V	W	X
V	Y	Z	0	1	2	3
X	4	5	6	7	8	9

Example. Encrypt the following message "from one day to another in battle" using the permutation 8 4 3 2 7 6 1 5 and the table

(row, col)

	A	D	F	G	V	X
A	i	w	o	u	l	d
D	e	t	y	0	a	
F	9	b	c	1	g	h
G	j	k	2	m	n	7
V	p	3	q	s	6	t
X	4	v	5	z	8	

$|K| = 36!$

"X" → XF

f	r	o	m	o	n	e	d	a	y
DD	DF	AF	GG	AF	GV	DA	AX	DX	DG
t	o	a	n	o	t	h	e	r	
VX	AF	DX	GV	AF	VX	FX	DA	DF	
i	n	b	a	t	t	l	e		
AA	GV	FD	DX	VX	VX	AV	DA		

8	4	3	2	7	6	1	5
D	D	D	F	A	F	G	G
A	F	G	V	D	A	A	X
D	X	D	G	V	X	A	F
D	X	G	V	A	F	V	X
F	X	D	A	D	F	A	A
G	V	F	D	D	X	V	X
V	X	A	V	D	A	X	F

use image 'x' as a filler

GAAVAVX

FVGVADV

DGDGDFA

DFXXVX .3..

Decryption process:

1. Fill the letters of the cipher-text into a table of n columns, where n is the length of the permutation. We fill the entries **column-by-column**, **top-to-bottom**, and **left-to-right**.
2. Label each column from left to right with $1, 2, \dots, n$. Then rearrange the columns so that the given permutation appears.
3. Read the text from step 2 **row-by-row**, **left-to-right**, and **top-to-bottom**. Then break the resultant text into pairs.
4. Translate each pair into the plaintext using its coordinates in the AD-FGVX table. Coordinates are ordered as (row index, column index).

Vernam cipher

Theorem 1 (Quotient-Remainder Theorem). Given an integer A and a positive integer B . Then there exist integers q, r (obtained through long division) such that $A = B \cdot q + r$ where $0 \leq r < B$.

Here, q is **quotient** and r is **remainder**. We say $r = A \bmod B$.

Example.

$$\overset{A}{521} = \overset{B}{26} \times \underset{\text{quotient}}{20} + \underset{\text{remainder}}{1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} -521 &= -26 \times 20 - 1 = 26 \times (-20) + (-1) \\ &= 26 \times (-20) + \underbrace{26 + (-1)}_{-25} - 26 \\ &= 26 \times \underbrace{(-21)}_q + \underbrace{25}_r \end{aligned}$$

$$521 = 1 \bmod 26$$

$$-521 = 25 \bmod 26.$$

$$\begin{aligned} &521 + 264 \pmod{26} \\ &\quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \\ &= 1 + 4 \pmod{26} \\ &= 5 \pmod{26} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 264 &= 26 \times 10 + 4 \\ 264 &= 4 \bmod 26 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &139 \times 787 \pmod{26} \\ &= 9 \times 7 \pmod{26} \\ &= 63 \pmod{26} = 11 \pmod{26} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 139 &= 26 \times 5 + 9 \\ 787 &= 26 \times 30 + 7 \end{aligned}$$

Original Vernam cipher
uses binary string
XOR

Vernam cipher - Encryption process:

- Translate the given plaintext into numbers $A \rightarrow 0, B \rightarrow 1, \dots, Z \rightarrow 25$.
- Randomize two short keys U and V and compute the long key V , as follows

$$K(i) = U(i) + V(i) \mod 26$$

for each $1 \leq i \leq n$ where n is the length of the plaintext.

- Compute $C(i) := M(i) + K(i) \mod 26$, for each i , and use substitute each $M(i)$ by the corresponding letter in the alphabet.

Example. Encrypt the message **NO MORE AMMO** using the keys $\{U, V\} = \{(3, 1, 2), (7, 3, 8, 4, 5)\}$
Solution. The long key K is

U	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2
V	7	3	8	4	5	7	3	8	4	5	7	3	8	4	5
K	10	4	10	7	6	9	6	9	6	8	...				

$U + V \mod 26 \leftarrow K$

Plaintext	N	O	M	O	R	E	A	M	M	O
M	13	14	12	14	17	4	0	12	12	14
K	10	4	10	7	6	9	6	9	6	8
C	23	18	22	21	23					
Ciphertext	X	S	W	V	X					

$C = M + K \mod 26$

Decrypt:

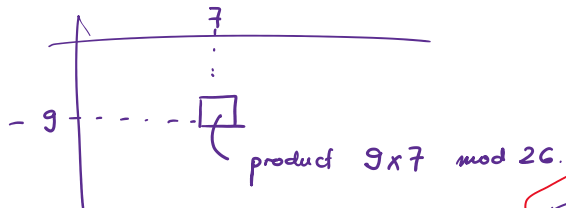
$M = C - K \mod 26$

$$2 \left(\frac{1}{2} \right) = 1$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = 2^{-1} \text{ is the inverse of } 2$$

Definition 1 (Inverse in modular arithmetic). If $A \cdot C = 1 \pmod B$ then C is the modular inverse of A under mod B . Denote $C = A^{-1} \pmod B$

Use the multiplication table to find the inverses under mod 26



Inverses of

under
mod 26

5	→	$5^{-1} = 21$	$21^{-1} = 5$
16	→	D.N.E	
23	→	$23^{-1} = 17$	$17^{-1} = 23$
24	→	D.N.E	

→ to find inverse of 5, look at row 5
and find a "1" entry in the table.

- If there's a "1" → look up the column number to get the inverse
- If there's no "1" then the inverse D.N.E.