

Installation, configuration & administration.

Post-Quantum Cryptography (PQC)

# User manual

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# Mini PQC - DIY - 'Do It Yourself

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#### 1. Introduction.

Historically speaking, cryptography can be classified into 4 stages: classical, modern, quantum and post-quantum. The first recognized use of cryptography dates to about 4000 years ago, in some non-standard hieroglyphs found in an Egyptian tomb. Classical cryptography, in one form or another, continued to be used as human civilization continued to evolve.

The Second World War marks an important milestone for cryptography. In view of the need to protect messages sent to troops, planes and submarines from a distance, great progress was made in both the construction of cryptographic machines.

The next great revolution appeared in the late 1960s with the development of asymmetric cryptography where a publicly known key is used to encrypt messages and another private key to decrypt them.

In the 70's the first ideas related to quantum cryptography were had, highlighting Shor and Grover's algorithms. However, it was not until the 80's that the first publications of new protocols were shown that based their security on the principles of quantum mechanics - such as uncertainty or superposition- using lasers to emit information on a photon.

When the algorithms of public-key cryptography begin to be compromised by quantum computation, post-quantum cryptography emerges, which refers to algorithms designed to resist quantum computer attacks. There are several branches that differ in the way they operate, being these: grid-based algorithms, algorithms based on multivariate equations, algorithms based on supersingular isogenic elliptic curves, hash-based algorithms, and codebased algorithms.

From the point of view of the use and performance of this type of algorithms, its execution in systems with ARM architecture basically oriented to mobile phones as they are has been explored: Android, Arduino and Raspberry Pi. Hence, the background related to this work exhibits works with post-quantum algorithms that could be divided into executions in ARM based devices and Androdi operating system, in specific use devices and post-quantum algorithm works in ARM architecture, which lie in encryption, digital signatures and key agreements, leaving open the possibility of exploring the hash primitive, algorithms such as CHACHA20, NTRU, NEWHOPE, SALSA20, SPHINCS+, RAIBOW and CODECRYPT, focused on integrity service, as well as its behavior in systems with limited resources.

# 2. What is Blockly programming?

**Blockly** is a **visual programming language** composed of a simple set of commands that we can combine as if they were the pieces of a puzzle. It is a very useful tool for those who want to **learn how to program in** an intuitive and simple way or for those who already know how to program and want to see the potential of this type of programming.

Blockly is a form of programming where you don't need any background in any kind of computer language, this is because it is just joining graphic blocks as if we were playing lego or a puzzle, you just need to have some logic and that's it!

Anyone can create programs for mobile phones (smartphones) without messing with those programming languages difficult to understand, just put together blocks in a graphical way in a simple, easy and fast way to create.

#### 3. What is Termux?

Termux is an Android terminal emulator and a Linux environment application that works directly without the need for routing or configuration. A minimal base system is automatically installed.

We will use Termux for its stability and easy installation and management, however, you can use an installed environment of Ubuntu Linux for Android.

In this Linux environment you will have the "core" of the MiniPQC Cryptographic Post Quantum algorithm processes.

# 4. What is Mini PQC?

Mini PQC (Mini Post-Quantum Cryptography) is Software that includes the following technological solutions (algoitmos) to be able to create PQC (Post-Quantum Cryptography) as follows

- CHACHA20
- NEWHOPE
- NTRU
- SALSA20
- SPHINCS+
- RAIBOW
- CODECRYPT

1. Installation and configuration of Termux Terminal.

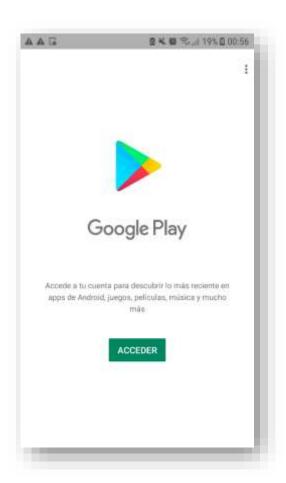
First we need a Linux environment since every Android system is based on Linux for security and flexibility in tools, we will use the "Termux" terminal that contains that environment where we will install the tool(s) that will help us to create QRNGs.

Termux is a Linux emulator where we will install the necessary packages to create quantum numbers.

One of the main advantages of using Termux is that you can install programs without having to "rotate" the mobile phone (Smartphone). This ensures that no manufacturer's warranty is lost due to this installation.

Termux installation.

From your mobile, go to the Google Pay icon application (play.google.com).



Search by application "Termux", select it and start the installation process.





# Start of the Termux application.

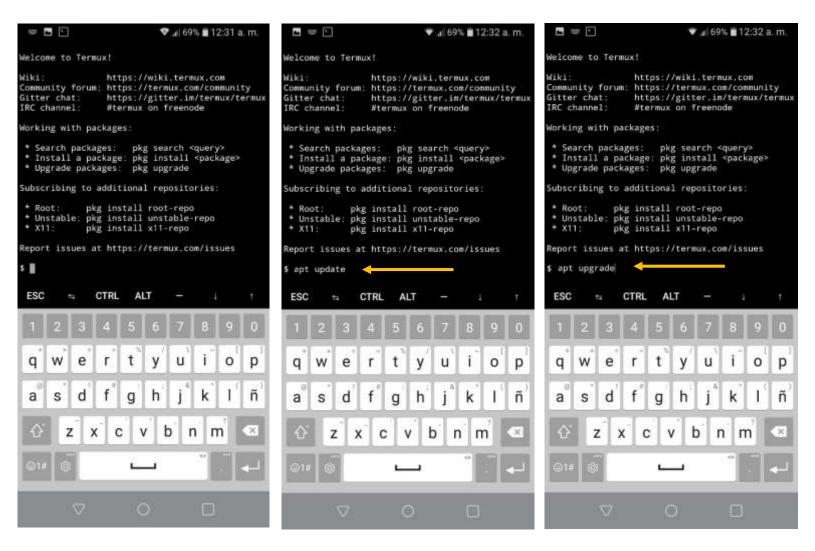
After starting we will have to execute the following two commands to perform updates of the Linux operating system emulator:

# \$ apt update

# \$ apt upgrade

Confirm all options Y(Yes)...

# Termux Home \$ apt update \$ apt upgrade



# 5. Storage configuration within Termux.

After you have updated and upgraded the Termux system, we will start configuring how to view the internal storage of the phone in the Termux system. This will help you to be able to exchange information between Termux and our information in the phone.

This can be done simply and quickly by running the following command on a Termux terminal.

### \$ termux-setup-storage

When you execute the previous command, a window appears asking you to confirm the creation of a virtual **storage** (directory) in Termux. We verify by giving the command:

### \$ ls





# 6. SSH (Secure Shell) server installation.

\$ apt install openssh

\$ apt install sshpass

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# apt install sshpass



We have finished with the installation of the communication network for localhost SSH server on mobile Smartphone.

# 7. SSH server configuration on mobile phone (smartphone).

We will enable the SSH server in the mobile phone to be able to connect from our PC to the mobile phone and to be able to work in a faster and more comfortable way, also it will serve us to check that the service of the SSH server in the mobile phone works correctly since we will use it in the communication with Mini QRNG.

The first thing we have to do is connect the mobile and the PC to the **same WiFi network** so that they can see each other. The IPs or addresses must be similar to 192.168.XXX.XXX the XXX values are variable numbers that are assigned randomly in each computer.

This example was tested on an LG Q6 mobile phone and a PC with Windows 10 Home.

Check the IP or address that the PC has connected to the WiFi we must open a terminal in Windows.

In the bottom panel where the search magnifier is write cmd and press the Enter key. A terminal will open and in it we write the command:

C:User Name> ipconfig

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:\Users\Luis>ipconfig
onfiguración IP de Windows
Adaptador de Ethernet Ethernet:
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Sufijo DMS específico para la conexión. . :
Adaptador de LAN inalámbrica Conexión de área local* 9:
  Estado de los medios........... medios desconectados
Sufijo DNS específico para la conexión...:
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  Estado de los medios. . . . . . . . . : medios desconectados
  Sufijo DNS específico para la comexión. . :
daptador de LAN inalâmbrica Wi-Fi:
  Sufijo DNS específico para la conexión. . : huawei.net
Vinculo: dirección IPv6 local. . . : fe80::2c5b:ff65:6d86:f634%14
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It will show us the IP assigned to the PC in this is 192.168.1.69 but this is most likely to be different in each case.

NOTE: The address where it says "IPv4 address" should be taken, not to be confused with the Gateway.

Now in the case of the mobile phone in the Termux terminal we must type the following command to know the name of our user that we will use to connect to the SSH server that has our phone, we execute the following command:

# \$ whoami

Later we must give a password to this user so we have to execute the following command:

# \$ passwd

It will ask us to type a password and hit Enter, again it asks us for the password we confirm it and hit Enter, if it has been successfully "New password was successfully set" in case of marking an error is possible that the password has not been typed correctly. Perform the procedure again.

And then to know what IP we have in Termux we type the following command, the IP is after the word "inet":

### \$ ifconfig -a





Now it's time to start the SSH server service on your phone so you can receive sessions from your PC. We execute the following command in the Termux terminal, this command does not give any result.

# \$ sshd



Now we will have to install a program on the PC that will communicate with the phone's SSH server from the PC.

We have to go to https://www.putty.org

Select where the link "You can download PuTTY here" is



Below suggestions are independent of the authors of PuTTY. They are not to be seen a



#### **Bitvise SSH Client**

Bitvise SSH Client is an SSH and SFTP client for Windows. It is developed and supported prof supports all features supported by PuTTY, as well as the following:

- · graphical SFTP file transfer;
- · single-click Remote Desktop tunneling;
- auto-reconnecting capability;
   dynamic port forwarding through an integrated proxy;
- · an FTP-to-SFTP protocol bridge.

Bitvise SSH Client is free to use. You can download it here.

Choose the 32-bit version, it doesn't matter if your system is 64-bit will work fine.

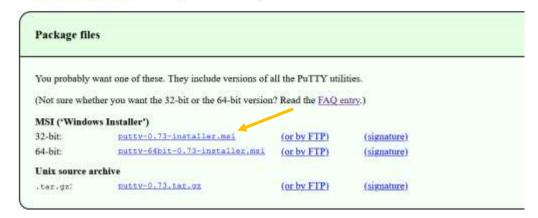
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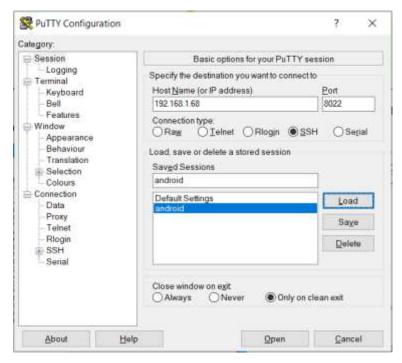
This page contains download links for the latest released version of PuTTY. Currently this is 0.73, released on 2019-09-29.

When new releases come out, this page will update to contain the latest, so this is a good page to bookmark or link to. Alternative

Release versions of PuTTY are versions we think are reasonably likely to work well. However, they are often not the most up-toout the <u>development snapshots</u>, to see if the problem has already been fixed in those versions.



Once it has been downloaded to your PC, run it and install it with the default options. Then start the PuTTY application.



In this session we will enter the data from our Openssh server that we installed in the mobile phone.

Enter the IP of the mobile phone.

HostName or IP address:

**192.168.1.68** (IP example)

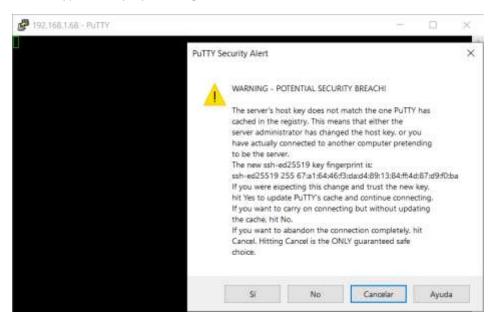
Port:

**8022** (Default port of the mobile SSH server).

We can give a name to the session in "Saved Sessions" and click on the Save button.

Later on in the lower part we press to open a connection to the server giving the button "Open".

On the PC when you connect for the first time you will be asked for confirmation of the information encryption key by clicking on the "Yes" button.



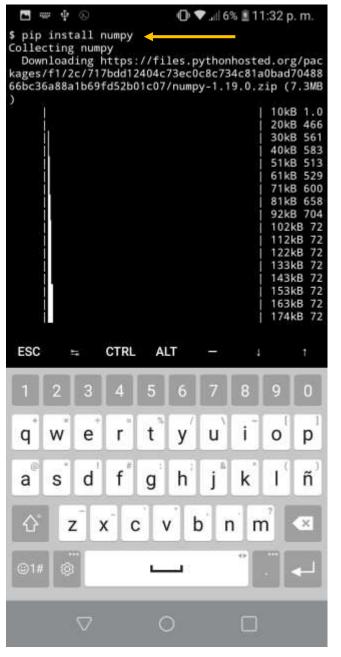
Later on, we will be asked for the user we are going to connect with. We will use the information that we previously obtained (user and password).

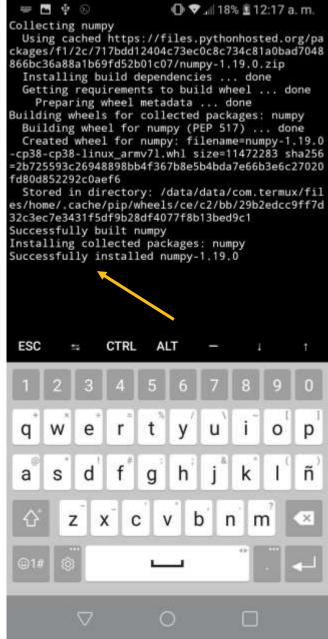
In the **Login as:** we must enter our user and give Enter, then we will ask for the password again give the Enter button.

Numpy module installation with the following command:

apt install numpy (Patience may take 40 minutes or more to install numpy)

\$ apt install git





Let's start the installation of the PQC (Post-Quantum Cryptography) algorithms.

Chacha20-POLY1305 algorithm implementation, is a cryptographic message authentication code created by Daniel J. Bernstein. It can be used to verify data integrity and message authenticity. A variant of Bernstein's Poly1305 that does not require AES has been standardized by the Internet Engineering Task Force in RFC 8439.

Installation of Chacha20-POLY1305 with the following command:

### \$ apt install chacha20poly1305



More information about chacha20-Poly1305:

https://tools.ietf.org/html/draft-agl-tls-chacha20poly1305-01

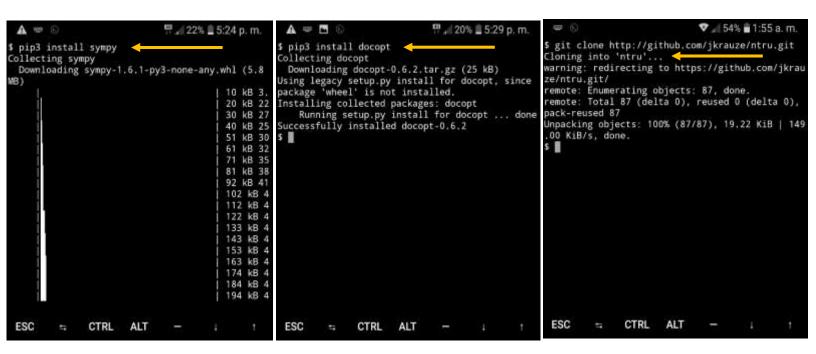
Implementation of PQC **NTRU** algorithm. This method accepts text files with short messages not exceeding 1-5 KBytes in size and can take a long time to encrypt and decrypt files.

ntru is a simple implementation of the NTRUEncrypt encryption system.

Polynomial operations are implemented using the SymPy library. It was conducted at the Faculty of Mathematics and Information Sciences of Warsaw University of Technology.

The NTRU public-key cryptography system represents a significant improvement in the world of public-key cryptography: stronger and smaller than virtually any other system in use and resistant to quantum computing.

pip3 install sympy numpy docopt (numpy was already installed in previous pages)
\$ git clone https://github.com/jkrauze/ntru.git



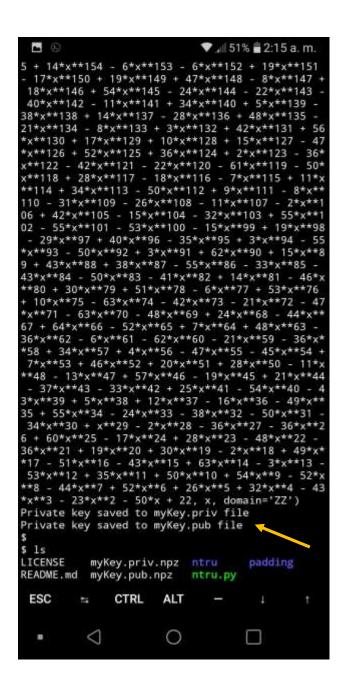
We then generate the key pair to use for encrypting and decrypting messages.

Create private and public keys (keypair) with the following command in the Termux terminal.

#### \$ cd ntru

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130 + x**111 - x**101 + x**96 - x**81 + x**77 +
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main='ZZ')
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More information from NTRU: https://ntru.org/

Implementation of **NEWHOPE** algorithm.

NewHope is a key exchange protocol based on the Ring-Learning-with-errors (Ring-LWE) problem, which was sent to the NIST post-quantum crypto project.

Install NEWHOPE by executing the following command in the Termux terminal:

# \$ pip install pynewhope



More information: <a href="https://newhopecrypto.org/">https://newhopecrypto.org/</a>

## Implementation of SALSA20 algorithm

Salsa20 and the closely related ChaCha are flow cyphers developed by Daniel J. Bernstein. Salsa20, the original cipher, was designed in 2005, and then sent to eSTREAM by Bernstein. ChaCha is a modification of Salsa20 published in 2008. It uses a new round function that increases diffusion and increases performance on some architectures.

Both encryptions are based on a pseudo-random function based on add-rotate-XOR (ARX) operations: 32-bit addition, bit addition (XOR) and rotation operations. The main function assigns a 256-bit key, a 64-bit nonce and a 64-bit counter to a 512-bit block of the key stream (there is also a Salsa version with a 128-bit key). This gives Salsa20 and ChaCha the unusual advantage that the user can efficiently search for any position in the key stream in constant time.

Install Salsa20 by executing the following command:

# \$ apt install salsa20

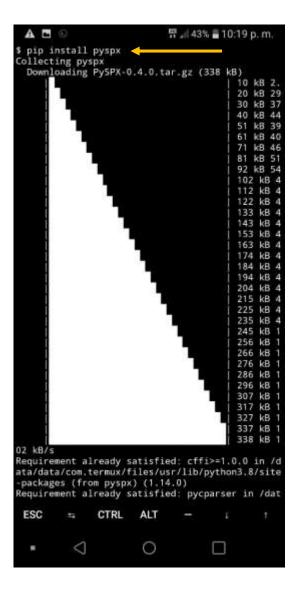
More information: https://cr.yp.to/snuffle/salsafamily-20071225.pdf

# Implementation of SPHINCS+ algorithm

SPHINCS + is a stateless hash-based signature scheme that was submitted to the NIST post-quantum crypto project. The design advances the SPHINCS signature scheme, which was presented at EUROCRYPT 2015. It incorporates multiple improvements, specifically aimed at reducing the size of the signature. For a quick overview of the changes from SPHINCS to SPHINCS+.

Install SPHINCS+ by executing the following command:

# \$ pip install pyspx



More information: https://sphincs.org/

## Implementation of RAINBOW algorithm

A quantum resistive asymmetric key generation tool based on the RAINBOW scheme for digital signatures.

Digital signatures are a common way to authenticate a sender by verifying information attached to the document. In our case, the attached information is a sequence of numbers generated using the document to be signed.

As mentioned above, we use the Generalized Unbalanced Oil and Vinegar scheme or the Rainbow scheme to achieve the same.

Before installing, we need to have the "git" package installed with: \$ apt install git

Install RAINBOW by executing the following commands:

\$ git clone https://github.com/aditisrinivas97/Crypto-Vinaigrette

\$ cd Crypto-Vinaigrette

\$ python3 setup.py install

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ypto-Vinaigrette
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$ cd Crypto-Vinaigrette
$ python3 setup.py install
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running bdist_egg
running egg_info
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writing cryptovinaigrette.egg-info/PKG-INFO
writing dependency_links to cryptovinaigrette.eg
g-info/dependency_links.txt
writing requirements to cryptovinaigrette.egg-in
fo/requires.txt
writing top-level names to cryptovinaigrette.egg
-info/top_level.txt
writing manifest file 'cryptovinaigrette.egg-inf
o/SOURCES.txt
reading manifest file 'cryptovinaigrette.egg-inf
o/SOURCES.txt'
reading manifest template 'MANIFEST.in'
writing manifest file 'cryptovinaigrette.egg-inf
o/SOURCES.txt
installing library code to build/bdist.linux-arm
v71/egg
running install_lib
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More information: <a href="https://bit.ly/2vwckRw">https://bit.ly/2vwckRw</a>

Implementation of **CODECRYPT** algorithm.

CODECRYPT. - It is a tool that encompasses different PQC (Post-Quantum Cryptograghy) algorithms to perform the main processes of encryption and decryption of text and files.

Classified with the following identifiers: [S]ign, [E]ncryption, [C]ipher and [H]ash.

- S FMTSEQ128C-CUBE256-CUBE128
- S FMTSEQ128C-SHA256-RIPEMD128
- S FMTSEQ128H20C-CUBE256-CUBE128
- S FMTSEQ128H20C-SHA256-RIPEMD128
- S FMTSEQ192C-CUBE384-CUBE192
- S FMTSEQ192C-SHA384-TIGER192
- S FMTSEQ192H20C-CUBE384-CUBE192
- S FMTSEQ192H20C-SHA384-TIGER192
- S FMTSEQ256C-CUBE512-CUBE256
- S FMTSEQ256C-SHA512-SHA256
- S FMTSEQ256H20C-CUBE512-CUBE256
- S FMTSEQ256H20C-SHA512-SHA256
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- E MCEQCMDPC128FO-CUBE256-CHACHA20
- E MCEQCMDPC128FO-CUBE256-XSYND
- E MCEQCMDPC128FO-SHA256-ARCFOUR
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- E MCEQCMDPC256FO-SHA512-ARCFOUR
- E MCEQCMDPC256FO-SHA512-CHACHA20
- E MCEQCMDPC256FO-SHA512-XSYND
- C ARCFOUR
- C CHACHA20
- C XSYND
- H CUBE512
- H RIPEMD128
- H SHA256
- H SHA512
- H TIGER192

Now we will carry out the installation of the **CODECRYPT** suite of tools with the execution of the following command in the termux terminal, an important point is that with this execution *two dependencies cryptopp and fftw will* be installed:

# \$ apt install codecrypt



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Building dependency tree
Reading state information... Done
The following additional packages will be instal
led:
  cryptopp fftw
The following NEW packages will be installed:
 codecrypt cryptopp fftw
upgraded, 3 newly installed, 0 to remove and 0
not upgraded.
Need to get 2065 kB of archives.
After this operation, 9208 kB of additional disk
 space will be used.
Do you want to continue? [Y/n] Y
Get:1 https://dl.bintray.com/termux/termux-packa
ges-24 stable/main arm cryptopp arm 8.2.0-5 [118
Get:2 https://dl.bintray.com/termux/termux-packa
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Get:3 https://dl.bintray.com/termux/termux-packa
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Fetched 2065 kB in 2s (804 kB/s)
Selecting previously unselected package cryptopp
(Reading database ... 3449 files and directories
currently installed.)
Preparing to unpack .../cryptopp_8.2.0-5_arm.deb
Unpacking cryptopp (8.2.0-5) ... Selecting previously unselected package fftw.
Preparing to unpack .../archives/fftw_3,3.8-2_ar
m.deb ...
Unpacking fftw (3.3.8-2) ...
Selecting previously unselected package codecryp
Preparing to unpack .../codecrypt_1.8-8_arm.deb
Unpacking codecrypt (1.8-8) ...
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# 8. Ambientes Blockly (App Inventor, AppyBuilder y Thunkable).

App Inventor is a software development environment created by Google Labs to build applications for the Android operating system. The user can, visually and from a set of basic tools, link a series of blocks to create the application. The system is free and can be easily downloaded from the web. Applications created with App Inventor are very easy to create because no knowledge of any programming language is required.

All the current environments that use Blockly's technology such as AppyBuilder and Thunkable among others have their free version, their way of use can be through the internet in their different sites or it can also be installed at home.

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Thunkable.

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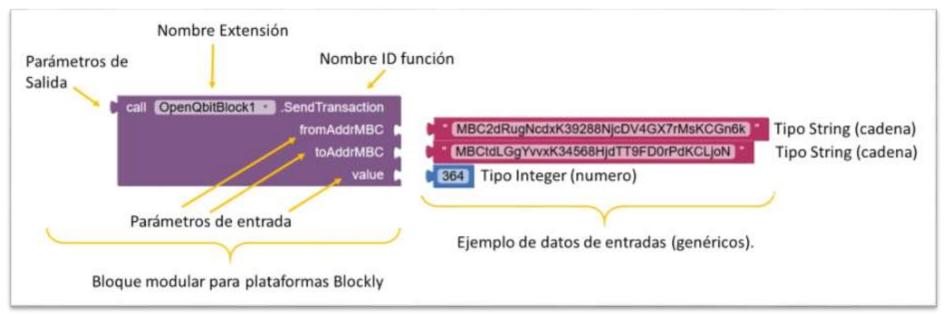
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# 9. Definition and use of blocks in Mini PQC

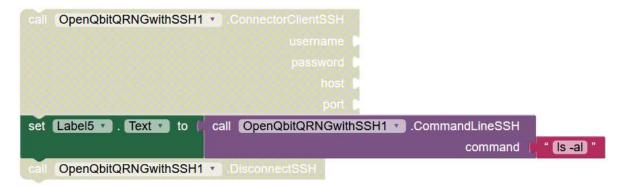
We will start by explaining the distribution of the data that all the blocks will have, their syntax of use and configuration.

In the following example we can see a modular block and its input and output parameters, as well as the types of input data, these data can be of type String (string of characters) or Integer (integer or decimal). We show how it is used and configure it for its proper functioning.



Each module block will have its description and will be named in case it has any mandatory or optional dependency(s) of other blocks used as input parameters, the integration process will be announced. Let's start with the blocks of the **OpenQbitPQCwithSSH** extension.

Block to execute command in Termux terminal - (CommandLineSSH)



Input parameters: command < String>

Mandatory dependency: Block (ConnectorClientSSH), Block (DisconnectSSH).

Output parameters: Execute the command entered in the Termux terminal.

Description: An entered command is executed and the block is needed first to connect to the SSH server (ConnectClientSSH) and then to use the block (DisconnectSSH).

Block to connect to a remote or local SSH server - (ConnectorClientSSH).

Input parameters: username <string>, password <string>, host <string>, port<integer>

Output parameters: If the connection with the ssh server of the Termux terminal is successful, it gives us a message; "Connect SSH", if it is not successful, it gives us a NULL message.

Description: Communication block to connect the chosen SSH server to the Termux terminal, via SSH (Secure Shell) communication protocol.

Block to close the SSH session (DisconnectSSH).

```
call OpenQbitPQC1 .DisconnectSSH
```

Input and output parameters: Not applicable (none)

Description: Block to close SSH session.

Block for encrypting character strings with Post-Quantum Cryptography PQC algorithm Chacha20Poly1302 - (GetChacha20EncryptCommand)

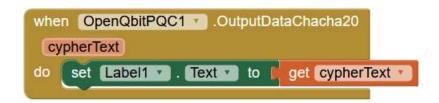
```
when Button1 . Click
     OpenQbitPQC1 *
                                              u0 a251
                                              memo1234
                                              localhost
                                            8022
    call OpenQbitPQC1 .GetChacha20EncryptCommand
                                        keyRandom
                                      nonceRandom
                                                      12
                                                      "Test encryption text with algorithm Chacha20"
                                        pathKeyFile
                                                      key.cha
                                      pathNonceFile
                                                      nonce.cha
                                   pathCiphertextFile
                                                      cipher.cha
        OpenQbitPQC1 *
```

Parámetros de entrada: keyRandom <String>, nonceRandom <String>, plaintext <String>, pathKeyFile <String>, pathNonceFile <String>, pathCiphertextFile <String>

Mandatory dependency: Block (ConnectorClientSSH), Block (DisconnectSSH).

The parameters keyRandom and nonceRandom are integers for the generation of pseudorandom numbers, if you want random numbers you can use the extension (OpenQbitQRNGwithSSH), in our example we use pseudo-allotories.

Output parameters: Execute the event (**OutputDataChacha20**). It delivers a base64 encrypted string.



Ejemplo: "Test encryption text with algorithm Chacha20"

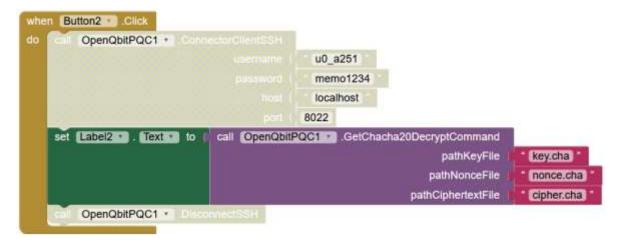
### Output:

OCtxa3YlrpOUKRUn3tpcsjU7w0ZckO/4FMx0/Ybsz3hISOXNBY/G0B8Jf6FAVrwz135q+h6A4f/m Ooi

Three files are generated for use in the decryption process in the specified path. The names can be user selected, remembering that each time the block is executed if it is not renamed it will be rewritten by the new encrypted message.

Description: Block that encrypts a string of characters with the Chacha20Poly1305 algorithm applying PCQ (Post-Quantum Cryptography).

Block for deciphering character strings with Post-Quantum Cryptography PQC algorithm Chacha20Poly1302 - (GetChacha20DecryptCommand)



Input parameters: keyRandom < String>, nonceRandom < String>, pathCiphertextFile < String>

Mandatory dependency: Block (ConnectorClientSSH), Block (DisconnectSSH).

Output parameters: Delivers the decrypted string containing the file in the specified pathCiphertextFile this file was generated in the encryption block (GetChacha20EncryptCommand).

#### Example:

OCtxa3YlrpOUKRUn3tpcsjU7w0ZckO/4FMx0/Ybsz3hISOXNBY/G0B8Jf6FAVrwz135q+h6A4f/m Ooi

Output: "Test encryption text with algorithm Chacha20"

#### **IMPORTANT NOTE:**

The previous blocks (GetChacha20EncryptCommand) and (GetChacha20DecryptCommand) before using them you must install in Termux's terminal the programs chacha20encrypt.py and chacha20decrypt.py and place them in Termux's default user home which is: /data/data/com.termux/files/home, this user is the one you are connecting with via SSH (Secure Shell)

See Annex "Python Programs".

Block for encrypting a plain text file with Post-Quantum Cryptography PQC NTRU algorithm - (GetNtruEncryptCommand)

Input parameters: pathTextFile< String>, pathPublicKeyFile< String>

Mandatory dependency: Block (ConnectorClientSSH), Block (DisconnectSSH).

Output parameters: Delivers a file encrypted with the start word: encrypted

In our case, the file hello.txt was introduced, the result would be a file with the name:

#### encrypted.hello.txt

Description: Encrypt small text files. txt these must be 100 characters maximum.

Block to **decrypt** a text file with Post-Quantum Cryptography PQC NTRU algorithm - (**GetNtruDecryptCommand**)

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Input parameters: pathEncryptFile<String>, pathPrivateKeyFile<String>

Mandatory dependency: Block (ConnectorClientSSH), Block (DisconnectSSH).

Output parameters: The event (OutputDataNtru) is executed with the output parameter TexDectNtru which is the original decrypted text contained in the text file.

```
when OpenQbitPQC1 · OutputDataNtru

textDecNtru

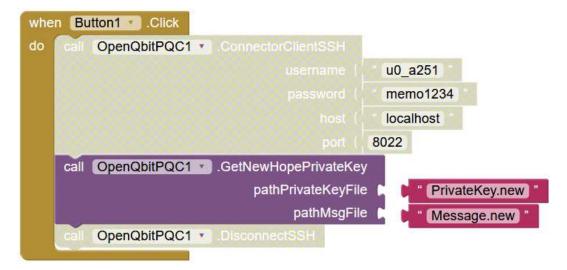
do set Label1 · Text · to get textDecNtru ·
```

In our case, the file hello.txt was introduced, the result would be a file with the name:

# encrypted.hello.txt

Description: Encrypt small text files which should be no longer than 100 characters.

Block to generate private key with NEWHOPE algorithm (**GetNewHopePrivateKey**)



Input parameters: pathNewHopePrivateKey<String>, pathMsgFile<String>

Mandatory dependency: Block (ConnectorClientSSH), Block (DisconnectSSH).

Output parameters: The event (OutputDataNewHopePrivateKeyandMsg) is executed with the output parameter cipherNewText which is the content of the file given in the input parameter pathNewHopePrivateKey concatenated with the content of the input parameter pathMsgFile.

```
when OpenQbitPQC1 · OutputDataNewHopePrivateKeyandMsg
cipherTextNew
do set Label1 · Text · to get cipherTextNew ·
```

The output has the following format:

```
"----PRIVATE KEY----", PrivateKey Value," ----MESSAGE----", Message Value
```

Description: Generates a private key and a message and saves them in two separate files according to the "path" given in the input parameters, which will be used later to use it between two users to verify the keys to be shared.

Block to generate generic user key "Bob" (**GetNewHopeBob**)

```
when Button1 .Click

do OpenQbitPQC1 .ConnectorCleatSSH

username | u0_a251 |

password | memo1234 |

tiest | localhost |

pert | 8022 |

set Button1 . Text to | call | OpenQbitPQC1 .GetNewHopeBob |

pathMsgFile |

pathBobMsgFile |

pathBobMsgFile |

pathBobSharedKeyFile |

Call | OpenQbitPQC1 ... | DiscornectSSH
```

Input parameters: **pathMsgFile<String>**, pathBobMsgFile<String> , pathBobSharedKeyFile<String>

Required dependency: Block (ConnectorClientSSH), Block (DisconnectSSH), Block (GetNewHopePrivateKey).

Output parameters: The files given in the parameters **pathBobMsgFile** and **pathBobSharedKeyFile** are created and an output of the file of the name given in the input parameter **pathBobSharedKeyFile** is delivered.

The output has the content of the file of the parameter **pathBobSharedKeyFile** with the following format

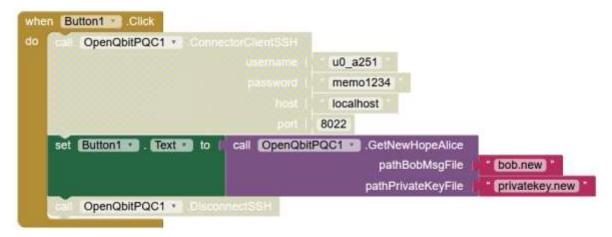
"---- SHARED KEY BOB---- ", content of the pathBobSharedKeyFile

#### Example:

```
---- SHARED KEY BOB---- [92, 122, 75, 33, 239, 164, 84, 241, 245, 204, 106, 197, 142, 230, 28, 189, 54, 112, 190, 124, 176, 66, 129, 69, 108, 66, 110, 42, 115, 70, 17, 107]
```

Description: Block to generate key to be shared among users.

Block to generate generic user key "Alice" (GetNewHopeAlice)



Input parameters: pathBobMsgFile< String>, pathPrivateKeyFile< String>

Required dependency: Block (ConnectorClientSSH), Block (DisconnectSSH), Block (GetNewHopeBob).

Output parameters: The sharing key of the second user is created. In this case we use a generic name "Alice".

The output has the content of the key to be shared with the following format:

```
"----SHARED KEY ALICE----", aliceSharedKey
```

#### Example:

```
---- SHARED KEY ALICE---- [92, 122, 75, 33, 239, 164, 84, 241, 245, 204, 106, 197, 142, 230, 28, 189, 54, 112, 190, 124, 176, 66, 129, 69, 108, 66, 110, 42, 115, 70, 17, 107]
```

Description: Block to generate key to be shared among users.

**CONFIRMATION OF NEWHOPE**: To confirm that the key exchange is correct, the results of the (**GetNewHopeBob**) and (**GetNewHopeAlice**) bots must be the same.

The NEWHOPE algorithm is just an **exchange of keys** (lists of numbers) that helps to validate information sent and can for example be used as a password for an encryption method such as AES.

Block to encrypt message with Salsa20 algorithm (GetSlasa20EncryptCommand)

```
when Button1 .Click
     OpenQbitPQC1 . ConnectorClientSSH
                                                 u0_a251
                                                 memo1234
                                                 localhost
                                               8022
    call OpenQbitPQC1 .GetSalsa20EncryptCommand
                                           uRandom
                                                        12
                                                        Hello from Mexico City
                                           message
                                      secretPassword
                                                       hello1234
                                   pathPrivateKeyFile
                                                        privatekey.salsa
                                          pathIVFile
                                                        iv.salsa
                                       pathCipherFile
                                                        cipher.salsa
         OpenQbitPQC1 * .DisconnectSSH
```

Input parameters: uRandom<String>, message<String> , secretPassword<String>, pathPrivateKeyFile<String> , pathIVFile<String> , pathCipherFile<String>

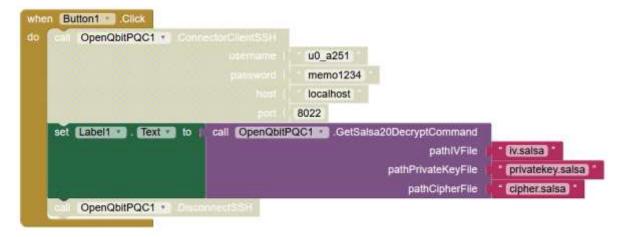
Mandatory dependency: Block (ConnectorClientSSH), Block (DisconnectSSH).

Output parameters: The event (**OutputDataSalsa20**) is executed with the output parameter cipherTextS which is the encrypted message.

```
when OpenQbitPQC1 . OutputDataSalsa20
cipherTextS
do set Label1 . Text to get cipherTextS
```

Description: Block to encrypt a message with Salsa20 algorithm.

Block to message decryption tool with Salsa20 algorithm (GetSalsa20DecryptCommand)



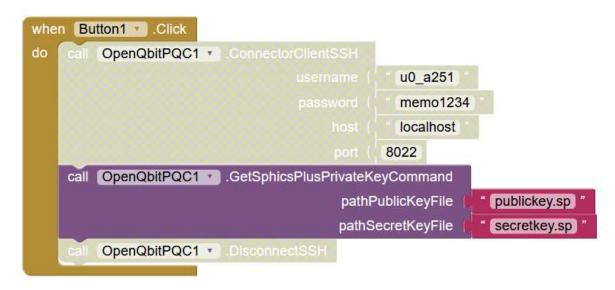
Input parameters: pathIVFile<String>, pathPrivateKeyFile<String>, pathCipherFile<String>

Mandatory dependency: Block (ConnectorClientSSH), Block (DisconnectSSH).

Output parameters: Delivery in original decrypted output

Description: Block to decode a message with Salsa20 algorithm.

Block to generate private key with Sphics+ algorithm (GetSphicsPlusPrivateKey)



Input parameters: pathPublicKeyFile< String>, pathSecretKeyFile< String>

Mandatory dependency: Block (ConnectorClientSSH), Block (DisconnectSSH).

Output parameters: The event (OutputDataSphicsPlus) is executed with the output parameter cipherTextSP that delivers the public key and secret key concatenated.

```
when OpenQbitPQC1 · OutputDataSphicsPlus
cipherTextSP
do set Label1 · Text · to get cipherTextSP ·
```

The output format is:

```
"----PUBLIC KEY----", public key, "----SECRET KEY----", secret key
```

Description: Generates a private key and a secret key and saves them in two separate files according to the path given in the input parameters.

Block to sign a message with the Sphics+ algorithm (GetSphicsPlusSignature)

Input parameters: message<String>, pathSecretKeyFile<String>, pathSignatureFile<String>

Required dependency: Block (ConnectorClientSSH), Block (DisconnectSSH), Block (GetSphicsPlusPrivateKey).

Output parameters: it creates the file with the signature of the message that was given in the message parameter.

Description: Creates a signature that identifies the message provided.

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Programs for Chacha20Poly1305 algorithm that should be installed in the Termux user home default /data/data/com.termux/files/home of the Termux terminal user.

### Name: chacha20encrypt.py

```
imports
import sys
import binascii
import base64
import hashlib
from base64 import standard b64encode
from base64 import standard b64decode
from chacha20poly1305 import ChaCha20Poly1305
k=int(sys.argv[1])
n=int(sys.argv[2])
key = os.urandom(k)
st=sys.argv[3]
abin = bytearray(st, "utf8")
nonce = os.urandom(n)
cip = ChaCha20Poly1305(key)
ciphertext = cip.encrypt(nonce, abin)
keyBase64=standard b64encode(key).decode("utf-8")
with open(sys.argv[4], 'w') as f:
         f.write(keyBase64)
nonceBase64=standard b64encode(nonce).decode("utf-8")
with open(sys.argv[5], 'w') as f:
             f.write(nonceBase64)
cipherBase64=standard b64encode(ciphertext).decode("utf-8")
with open(sys.argv[6], 'w') as f:
f.write(cipherBase64)
print(cipherBase64)
```

#### Name: chacha20decrypt.py

```
imports
import sys
import binascii
import base64
import hashlib
from base64 import standard b64encode
from base64 import standard b64decode
from chacha20poly1305 import ChaCha20Poly1305
inputCipher = open(sys.argv[3], 'r')
bufferCipher = inputCipher.read()
inputCipher.close
inputNonce = open(sys.argv[2], 'r')
bufferNonce = inputNonce.read()
inputNonce.close
inputKey = open(sys.argv[1], 'r')
bufferKey = inputKey.read()
inputKey.close
cipher=standard b64decode(bufferCipher)
nonceFile=standard b64decode(bufferNonce)
keyFile=standard b64decode(bufferKey)
cip = ChaCha20Poly1305(keyFile)
plaintext = cip.decrypt(nonceFile, cipher).decode("utf-8")
print(plaintext)
```

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Programs for **NEWHOPE** algorithm to be installed in the Termux default user home /data/data/com.termux/files/home of the Termux terminal user.

#### Name: newhope-privatekey.py

```
from pynewhope import newhope
import pickle
import sys

# Step 1: Alice generates random keys and her public msg to Bob
PrivKey, Msg = newhope.keygen()

with open(sys.argv[1], 'wb') as ft:
        pickle. dump(PrivKey, fp)

with open(sys.argv[2], 'wb') as ft:
        pickle.dump(Msg, fp)

print("----- PRIVATE KEY----- ", PrivKey,"----- MESSAGE----- ", Msg)
```

### Name: newhope-bob.py

#### Name: newhope-alice.py

Create in App inventor the following comparative to confirm that the key exchange between Bob and Alice (example users name) is correct.

```
if aliceSharedKey == bobSharedKey:
    print("\nSuccessful key exchange! Keys match.")
else:
    print("Error! Keys do not match.")
```

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Programs for SALSA20 algorithm that should be installed in the Termux default user home /data/data/com.termux/files/home of the Termux terminal user.

#### Name: salsa20encrypt.py

```
from salsa20 import XSalsa20 xor
from os import urandom
import binascii
import base64
import hashlib
from base64 import standard b64encode
from base64 import standard b64decode
imports
import sys
k=int(sys.argv[1])
msq=sys.arqv[2]
secretKEY=sys.argv[3]
IV = os. urandom(k)
KEY = bytearray(secretKEY, "utf8")
Message= bytearray(msg, "utf8")
keyBase64=standard b64encode(KEY).decode("utf-8")
with open(sys.argv[4], 'w') as f:
         f.write(keyBase64)
ivBase64=standard b64encode(IV).decode("utf-8")
with open(sys.argv[5], 'w') as f:
            f.write(ivBase64)
ciphertext = XSalsa20 xor(Message, IV, KEY)
ivBase64=standard b64encode(ciphertext).decode("utf-8")
with open(sys.argv[6], 'w') as f:
             f.write(ivBase64)
print(ciphertext)
```

#### Name: salsa20decrypt.py

```
from salsa20 import XSalsa20 xor
import binascii
import base64
import hashlib
from base64 import standard b64encode
from base64 import standard b64decode
imports
import sys
inputCipher = open(sys.argv[1], 'r')
bufferCipher = inputCipher.read()
inputCipher.close
inputIV = open(sys.argv[2], 'r')
bufferIV = inputIV.read()
inputIV.close
inputKey = open(sys.argv[3], 'r')
bufferKey = inputKey.read()
inputKey.close
ciphertext=standard b64decode(bufferCipher)
ivFile=standard b64decode(bufferIV)
keyFile=standard b64decode(bufferKey)
print(XSalsa20 xor(ciphertext, ivFile, keyFile).decode())
```

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Programs for SPHINCS+ algorithm to be installed in the Termux default user home /data/data/com.termux/files/home of the Termux terminal user.

## Name: sphicsplus-privatekey.py

```
import pyspx.shake256_128f
import base64
import hashlib

from base64 import standard_b64encode
from base64 import standard_b64decode

imports
import sys
seed=int(sys.argv[1])

seed = os.urandom(sphincs.crypto_sign_SEEDBYTES)
public_key, secret_key = pyspx.shake256_128f.generate_keypair(seed)
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```

```
keyBase64=standard b64encode(public key).decode("utf-8")
with open(sys.argv[2], 'w') as f:
         f.write(keyBase64)
keyBase64=standard b64encode(secret key).decode("utf-8")
with open(sys.argv[3], 'w') as f:
         f.write(keyBase64)
print("----PUBLIC KEY----", public key,"----SECRET KEY----", secret key)
Name: sphicsplus-signature.py
import pyspx.shake256 128f
import base64
import hashlib
from base64 import standard b64encode
from base64 import standard b64decode
imports
import sys
message=sys.argv[1]
inputSecretkey = open(sys.argv[2], 'r')
bufferSecretkey = inputSecretkey.read()
inputSecretkey.close
secret key=standard b64decode(bufferSecretkey)
signature = pyspx.shake256 128f.sign(message, secret key)
keyBase64=standard b64encode(signature).decode("utf-8")
with open(sys.argv[3], 'w') as f:
         f.write(keyBase64)
print(signature)
Name: sphicsplus-verify.py
import pyspx.shake256 128f
import base64
import hashlib
from base64 import standard b64encode
from base64 import standard b64decode
imports
import sys
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```

```
message=sys.argv[1]
inputSign = open(sys.argv[2], 'r')
bufferSign = inputSign.read()
inputSign.close
inputKey = open(sys.argv[3], 'r')
bufferKey = inputKey.read()
inputKey.close
signature=standard_b64decode(bufferSign)
public_key=standard_b64decode(bufferKey)

pyspx.shake256_128f.verify(message, signature, public_key)
True
```

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Programs for RAINBOW algorithm to be installed in the Termux default user home /data/data/com.termux/files/home of the Termux terminal user.

#### Name: rainbow-privatekey.py

```
from cryptovinaigrette import cryptovinaigrette
# Initialise keygen object and generate keys
folder= sys.argv[1]
myKeyObject = cryptovinaigrette.rainbowKeygen(save=folder)
```

#### Name: rainbow-signature.py

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### Name: rainbow-verify.py

```
from cryptovinaigrette import cryptovinaigrette
import base64
import hashlib
from base64 import standard b64encode
from base64 import standard b64decode
imports
import sys
filePrivateKey=sys.argv[1]
fileSigned=sys.argv[2]
inputSign = open(sys.argv[3], 'r')
bufferSign = inputSign.read()
inputSign.close
signature=standard b64decode(bufferSign)
#Case where signature is valid
check = cryptovinaigrette. rainbowKeygen. verify(sys.argv[1], signature,
sys.argv[2])
if check == True :
    print("Verified successfully!")
else :
     print("Signature does not match the file!")
```

**Encrypting** files with **CODECRYPT** this suite has a variety of Post-Quantum Computing (PQC) algorithms. We will use it directly on the command line through the SSH (Secure Shell) service, with block (**OpenQbirConnectSSH**).

Example of the use of commands:

```
ccr -g help
\operatorname{ccr} -K \#\operatorname{watch} the generated keys
ccr -p -a -o my pubkeys.asc -F Doe # export your pubkeys for friends
#(now you should exchange the pubkeys with friends)
#see what people sent us, possibly check the fingerprints
ccr -inaf < friends pubkeys.asc</pre>
#import Frank's key and rename it
ccr -ia -R friends pubkeys.asc --name "Friendly Frank"
#send a nice message to Frank (you can also specify him by @12345 keyid)
ccr -se -r Frank < Document.doc > Message to frank.ccr
#receive a reply
ccr -dv -o Decrypted verified reply.doc <Reply from frank.ccr
#rename other's keys
ccr -m Frank -N "Unfriendly Frank"
#and delete pukeys of everyone who's Unfriendly
ccr -x Unfri
#create hashfile from a large file
ccr -sS hashfile.ccr < big data.iso
#Check the hashfile
ccr -vS hashfile.ccr < the same big data.iso
#create (ascii-armored) symmetric key and encrypt a large file
ccr -g sha256,chacha20 -aS symkey.asc
ccr -eaS symkey.asc -R big data.iso -o big data encrypted.iso
#decrypt a large file
ccr -daS symkey.asc <big data encrypted.iso >big data.iso
#password-protect all your private keys
ccr -L
#protect a symmetric key using another symmetric key
ccr -L -S symkey1 -w symkey2
```

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#password-protect symkey2 with a custom cipher
ccr -L -S symkey2 -w @xsynd,cube512

To see details of commands, see the following links:

https://github.com/exaexa/codecrypt

https://e-x-a.org/codecrypt

**User Manual (Command Line) CODECRYPT** 

https://e-x-a.org/codecrypt/ccr.1.html

## 12. Annex "OpenQbit Quantum Computing".

### How does quantum computing work?

The digital transformation is bringing about change in the world faster than ever before. Would you believe that the digital era is about to end? **Digital literacy** has already been identified as an area where open knowledge and accessible opportunities to learn about technology are urgent to address gaps in social and economic development. Learning from the key concepts of the digital age will become even more critical with the imminent arrival of another new technological wave capable of transforming existing models with amazing speed and power: **quantum technologies**.

In this article, we compare the basic concepts of traditional computing and quantum computing; and we also begin to explore their application in other related areas.

What are quantum technologies?

Throughout history, human beings have developed technology as they have understood how nature works through science. Between 1900 and 1930, the study of some physical phenomena that were not yet well understood gave rise to a new physical theory, **Quantum Mechanics**. This theory describes and explains the functioning of the microscopic world, the natural habitat of molecules, atoms or electrons. Thanks to this theory, not only has it been possible to explain these phenomena, but it has also been possible to understand that subatomic reality works in a completely counter-intuitive, almost magical way, and that in the microscopic world events take place that do not occur in the macroscopic world.

These quantum **properties** include quantum superposition, quantum entanglement and quantum teleportation.

- Quantum superposition describes how a particle can be in different states at the same time.
- Quantum entanglement describes how two particles as far apart as desired can be correlated in such a way that, when interacting with one, the other is aware of it.
- Quantum teleportation uses quantum entanglement to send information from one place to another in space without having to travel through it.

Quantum technologies are based on these quantum properties of the subatomic nature.

In this case, today the understanding of the microscopic world through Quantum Mechanics allows us to invent and design technologies capable of improving people's lives. There are many and very different technologies that use quantum phenomena and some of them, such as lasers or magnetic resonance imaging (MRI), have been with us for more than half a century. However, we are currently witnessing a technological revolution in areas such as

quantum computing, quantum information, quantum simulation, quantum optics, quantum metrology, quantum clocks or quantum sensors.

What is quantum computing? First, you have to understand classical computing.

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understand how quantum computers work, it is convenient to first explain how the computers we use every day, which we will refer to in this document as digital or classic computers, work. These, like the rest of the electronic devices such as tablets or mobile phones, use bits as the fundamental units of memory. This means that programs and applications are encoded in bits, that is, in binary language of zeros and ones. Every time we interact with any of these devices, for example, by pressing a key on the keyboard, strings of zeros and ones are created, destroyed and/or modified inside the computer.

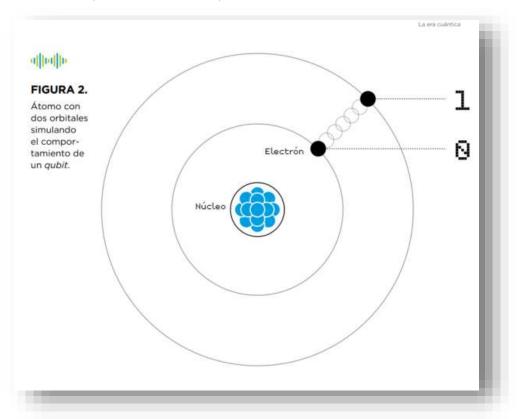
The interesting question is, what are these zeros and ones physically inside the computer? The zero and one states correspond to electrical current that circulates, or not, through microscopic parts called transistors, which act as switches. When no current is flowing, the transistor is "off" and corresponds to bit 0, and when it is flowing it is "on" and corresponds to bit 1.

More simply, it is as if bits 0 and 1 correspond to holes, so that an empty hole is a bit 0 and a hole occupied by an electron is a bit 1. This is why these devices are called electronics. As an example, figure 1 shows the binary writing of some characters. Now that we have an idea of how today's computers work, let's try to understand how quantums work.

#### From bits to qubits

The fundamental unit of information in quantum computing is the quantum bit or qubit. Qubits are, by definition, two-level quantum systems -we will see examples here- which, like bits, can be at the low level, which corresponds to a state of low excitation or energy defined as 0, or at the high level, which corresponds to a state of higher excitation or defined as 1. However, and here lies the fundamental difference with classical computing, qubits can also

be in any of the infinite intermediate states between 0 and 1, such as a state that is half 0 and half 1, or three quarters of 0 and a quarter of 1.



Quantum algorithms, exponentially more powerful and efficient computing

The purpose of quantum computers is to take advantage of these quantum properties of *qubits*, as quantum systems that they are, in order to run quantum algorithms that use overlapping and interleaving to provide much greater processing power than the classics. It is important to point out that the real change of paradigm does not consist in doing the same thing that digital or classical computers do -the current ones- but faster, as it can be read in many articles, but that quantum algorithms allow to perform certain operations in a totally different way that in many cases turns out to be more efficient -that is, in much less time or using much less computational resources-.

Let's look at a concrete example of what this involves. Let's imagine that we are in Bogotá and we want to know the best route to get to Lima from among a million options to get there (N=1,000,000). In order to use computers to find the optimal route we need to digitize 1,000,000 options, which implies translating them into bit language for the classic computer and into *qubits for* the quantum computer. While a classic computer would need to go one by one analyzing all the paths until finding the desired one, a quantum computer takes advantage of the process known as quantum parallelism that allows it to consider all the paths at once. This implies that, while the classical computer needs the order of N/2 steps or

iterations, that is, 500,000 attempts, the quantum computer will find the optimal path after only VN operations on the registry, that is, 1,000 attempts.

In the previous case the advantage is quadratic, but in other cases it is even exponential, which means that with n *qubits* we can obtain a computational capacity equivalent to 2n bits. To exemplify this, it is common to count that with about 270 qubits we could have more base states in a quantum computer - more different and simultaneous character strings - than the number of atoms in the universe, which is estimated to be around 280. Another example is that it is estimated that with a quantum computer of between 2000 and 2500 *qubits we* could break practically all the cryptography used today (the so-called public key cryptography).

Why is it important to know about quantum technology?

We are in a moment of digital transformation in which different emerging technologies such as blockchain, artificial intelligence, drones, Internet of things, virtual reality, 5G, 3D printers, robots or autonomous vehicles have more and more presence in multiple fields and sectors. These technologies, called to improve the quality of life of the human being accelerating the development and generating social impact, advance nowadays in a parallel way. Only rarely do we see companies developing products that exploit combinations of two or more of these technologies, such as blockchain and IoT or drones and artificial intelligence. Although they are destined to converge, thus generating an exponentially greater impact, the initial stage of development in which they find themselves and the scarcity of developers and people with technical profiles mean that convergence is still a pending task.

Because of their disruptive potential, quantum technologies are expected not only to converge with all these new technologies, but to have a cross-cutting influence on virtually all of them. Quantum computing will threaten authentication, exchange and secure storage of data, having a major impact on those technologies where cryptography has a more relevant role, such as cyber security or blockchain, and a minor negative impact but also to be considered in technologies such as 5G, IoT or drones.

Do you want to practice quantum computing?

Dozens of quantum computer simulators are already available on the net with different programming languages already in use such as C, C++, Java, Matlab, Maxima, Python or Octave. Also, new languages like Q#, launched by Microsoft. You can explore and play with a virtual quantum machine through platforms such as IBM and Rigetti.

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