

**Problem 1:**

My DES\_text.py file begins by importing the key provided and making it a bit vector and then permuting it. Next, the round keys are generated by a for loop that adds each round to a list. Depending on which command is used (-e or -d) the program imports either the message file or the encrypted file text and converts it to a bit vector to be passed to my encrypt function. It is called through a for loop that iterates 16 times for the correct DES structure. The encrypt function takes in either the message or encrypted text, the round key, and iteration number. The first part of the encrypt function is some parameter checks to make sure the bits are read correctly and padding. Then it takes 64 bits at a time and permutes the right side then XORs it with the round key, then substitutes with the s tables and permutes with the p-box table. Finally, it combines the original right side with the modified right side. This process happens until the file has been read completely. The encrypt function returns a bit vector of the full encrypted or decrypted text. Lastly, that bit vector is converted into ascii values and written to the 4<sup>th</sup> argument in the call line.

**encrypted.txt:**

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**decrypted.txt:**

Smartphone devices from the likes of Google, LG, OnePlus, Samsung and Xiaomi are in danger of compromise by cyber criminals after 400 vulnerable code sections were uncovered on Qualcomm's Snapdragon digital signal processor (DSP) chip, which runs on over 40% of the global Android estate. The vulnerabilities were uncovered by Check Point, which said that to exploit the vulnerabilities, a malicious actor would merely need to convince their target to install a simple, benign application with no permissions at all. The vulnerabilities leave affected smartphones at risk of being taken over and used to spy on and track their users, having malware and other malicious code installed and hidden, and even being bricked outright, said Yaniv Balmas, Check Point's head of cyber research. Although they have been responsibly disclosed to Qualcomm, which has acknowledged them, informed the relevant suppliers and issued a number of alerts - CVE-2020-11201, CVE-2020-11202, CVE-2020-11206, CVE-2020-11207, CVE-2020-11208 and CVE-2020-11209 - Balmas warned that the sheer scale of the problem could take months or even years to fix.

**Problem 2:**

My DES\_image.py file first import the key and generates the round keys identically from problem 1. Next, it imports the ppm file by reading starting at line 3 until the end to be passed into the encrypt function. It also reads the first 3 lines and saves it as the header and converts it to a bit vector using a for loop for each line. The guts of the ppm file are also converted into a bit vector in the same way with its own for loop. Finally, the encrypt function is called 16 times with a for loop. The encrypt function for this problem is identical to what is described in problem 1 because the DES method of encryption doesn't change. After the encrypt function is done cycling through, the newly encrypted text is combined with the bit vector header. This combined file is then written to the out file.

