

Information Security homework:-

①. 8 letter password \rightarrow encoded by ASCII

there are 128 possible characters
and each character is represented by 7 bits.

(i). Keyspace needed:

$$128 \text{ -character} = 2^7$$

$$8 \text{ letters password} \therefore (2^7)^8 = 2^{56}$$

(ii). Key length in bits

The key length can be mentioned in the form of
 2 to the power of certain value.

$$\therefore 2^{56} \Rightarrow 56 \rightarrow \text{length of the key in bits.}$$

(iii) what if there are only 26 lower case alphabets used.

then

$$(26)^8 = (2 \times 13)^8$$

by taking log. and antilog

$$8 \log_2 26 \Rightarrow \text{antilog of this}$$

$$= 37.06$$

length of the key in bits is 37.

② for $\mathbb{Z}_n = \{0, 1, 2, \dots, n-1\}$, for any $a \in \mathbb{Z}$ there is a multiplicative inverse if $\gcd(a, n) = 1$.

(i) $\mathbb{Z}_4 = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$

the number 2 doesn't have the multiplicative inverse

(ii) $\mathbb{Z}_6 = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$

The numbers that don't have the multiplicative inverse

are 2, 3, 4

since $\gcd(2, 6) \neq 1$, $\gcd(3, 6) \neq 1$, $\gcd(4, 6) \neq 1$.

(iii) Multiplicative inverse exists for all the elements in \mathbb{Z}_5 .

$\mathbb{Z}_5 = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4\}$

Since all the elements present in \mathbb{Z}_5 is co-prime with 5 then they have the gcd of 1.

\therefore There exist multiplicative inverse for all.

③ Multiplicative inverse of 5 in \mathbb{Z}_{11} , \mathbb{Z}_{12} , \mathbb{Z}_{13} .

(i) the multiplicative inverse of 5 in \mathbb{Z}_{11} .

the inverse of 5 is 9 in \mathbb{Z}_{11}

since

$$9 * 5 = 45 \mod 11 \Rightarrow 1$$

(ii) the multiplicative inverse of 5 in \mathbb{Z}_{12} is

5, since $5 * 5 = 25 \mod 12 \Rightarrow 1$

(iii) The multiplicative inverse of 5 in \mathbb{Z}_{13} is 8

since $8 * 5 = 40 \mod 13 = 1$

Q. (i) $\phi(100)$

generally, $\phi(m \cdot n) = \phi(m) \cdot \phi(n)$ such that

$$\text{GCD}(m, n) = 1$$

if p is a prime number

$$\phi(p^n) = p^n - p^{(n-1)} \quad (\text{or}) \quad \phi(p) = p-1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \phi(100) &= \phi(25) * \phi(4) \\ &= \phi(5^2) * \phi(2^2) \\ &= (5^2 - 5^1) * (2^2 - 2^1) \\ &= (20) * 2 = 40 \quad \text{is the totient of } 100 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(ii)} \quad \phi(40) &= \phi(8) * \phi(5) \\ &= \phi(2^3) * \phi(5) \\ &= (2^3 - 2^2) * 4 \\ &= (8 - 4) * 4 \\ &= 4 * 4 \\ &= 16 \quad \text{is the totient of } 40 \end{aligned}$$

(iii) $\phi(101)$
since 101 is a prime number

$$\begin{aligned} \phi(101) &= 101 - 1 \\ &= 100 \quad \text{is the totient of } 101. \end{aligned}$$

(i) $x_1 = 000000$, $x_2 = 000001$

(ii) $x_1 = 111111$, $x_2 = 100000$

verify the non-linearity of s-box 1

$$s(x_1) + s(x_2) \neq s(x_1 + x_2)$$

(i) $x_1 = \begin{matrix} \boxed{000000} \\ \rightarrow 00 = 0^{\text{th}} \text{ row} \\ \rightarrow 0000 = 0^{\text{th}} \text{ column} = 14 \end{matrix}$

$x_2 = \begin{matrix} \boxed{000001} \\ \rightarrow 01 = 1^{\text{st}} \text{ row} \\ \rightarrow 0000 = 0^{\text{th}} \text{ column} = 0 \end{matrix}$

$x_1 + x_2 = \begin{matrix} \boxed{000001} \\ \rightarrow 01 = 1^{\text{st}} \text{ row} \\ \rightarrow 0000 = 0^{\text{th}} \text{ column} = 0 \end{matrix}$

$\therefore 0 \neq 0 + 14 \quad s_1(x_1 + x_2) \neq s(x_1) + s(x_2)$

(ii) $x_1 = 111111$, $x_2 = 100000$

$x_1 = \begin{matrix} \boxed{111111} \\ \rightarrow 11 = 3^{\text{rd}} \text{ row} \\ \rightarrow 1111 = 15^{\text{th}} \text{ column} = 13 \end{matrix}$

$x_2 = \begin{matrix} \boxed{100000} \\ \rightarrow 10 = 2^{\text{nd}} \text{ row} \\ \rightarrow 0000 = 0^{\text{th}} \text{ column} = 4 \end{matrix}$

$x_1 + x_2 = \begin{matrix} \boxed{011111} \\ \rightarrow 01 = 1^{\text{st}} \text{ row} \\ \rightarrow 1111 = 15^{\text{th}} \text{ column} = 8 \end{matrix}$

$$s_1(x_1 + x_2) \neq s(x_1) + s(x_2)$$

$8 \neq 13 + 4$

Thus the non-linearity of the s-box is verified.

6. Explain the self-healing property of cipher block chaining mode.

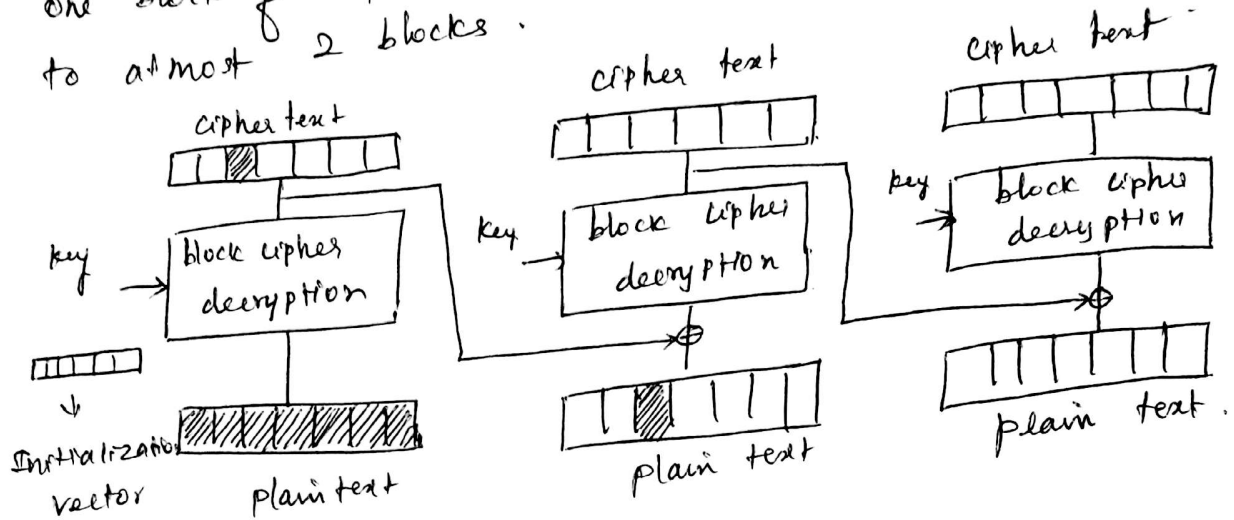
The cipher block chaining mode does the Exclusive-OR the current plaintext with previous ciphertext block.

$$C_0 = E_k (m_0 \oplus I)$$

$$C_i = E_k (m_i \oplus C_{i-1}) \rightarrow \text{for } i > 0$$

I = Initialization vector.

The self healing property in the CBC is that if one block of ciphertext is altered the error propagates to at most 2 blocks.



⑦.

(i). $p=3$ $q=11$; $e=7$; $m=3$

find ciphertext:

$$C = M^e \bmod N$$

$$N = p \times q = 3 \times 11 = 33$$

$$C = 3^7 \bmod 33$$

$$C = 14$$

(ii). $p=5$ $q=17$ $e=3$ $m=9$

$$C = M^e \bmod N$$

$$N = p \times q = 5 \times 17 = 85$$

$$C = 9^3 \bmod 85$$

$$= 729 \bmod 85$$

$$C = 49$$

⑧ $p=11$; $q=13$. $e=11$; $c=106$
find the plaintext.

$$M = c^d \bmod N$$

$$N = p \times q = 11 \times 13 = 143$$

$$d = e^{-1} \bmod \phi(N)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\phi(N) &= \phi(143) = \phi(11) \times \phi(13) \\ &= 10 \times 12 \\ &= 120\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}d &= e^{-1} \bmod N \\ &= (11)^{-1} \bmod 120 \\ &= \frac{1}{11} \bmod 120\end{aligned}$$

$$d = 11$$

$$M = (106)^{11} \bmod 143$$

$$\boxed{\text{plaintext} = 7}$$

⑨ $c=10$ $e=5$, $n=35$

find plaintext

$$M = c^d \bmod N$$

$$d = e^{-1} \bmod \phi(N)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\phi(N) &= \phi(5) \times \phi(7) \\ &= 4 \times 6 \\ &= 24\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}d &= 5^{-1} \bmod 24 \\ &= 5\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}M &= 10^5 \bmod 35 \Rightarrow 5 \\ &\boxed{\text{plaintext} = 5}\end{aligned}$$

10.

Common prime = 71 = P

Primitive root = 7 = α

(i). Alice Private key $K_{pr,A} = 5$ what is the public key
By Diffie-Hellman key exchange method

$$\begin{aligned} K_{pub,A} &= \alpha^a \text{ mod } P \\ &= 7^5 \text{ mod } 71 \\ &= 51 \end{aligned}$$

(ii). Bob's private key $K_{pr,b} = 12$ what is the public key.

$$\begin{aligned} K_{pub,b} &= \alpha^b \text{ mod } P \\ &= 7^{12} \text{ mod } 71 \\ &= 4. \end{aligned}$$

(iii). shared key:

To find the shared key.

$$(K_{pub,B})^{K_{pr,A}} \text{ mod } P = (4)^5 \text{ mod } 71 = 30$$

$$(K_{pub,A})^{K_{pr,B}} \text{ mod } P = (51)^{12} \text{ mod } 71 = 30$$

\therefore the shared key = 30.