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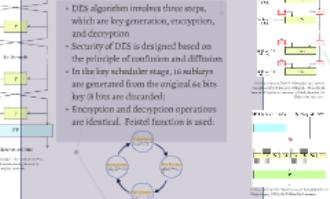
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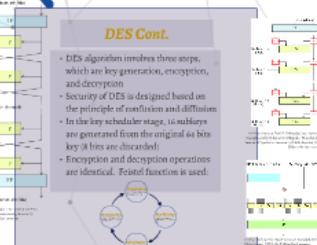
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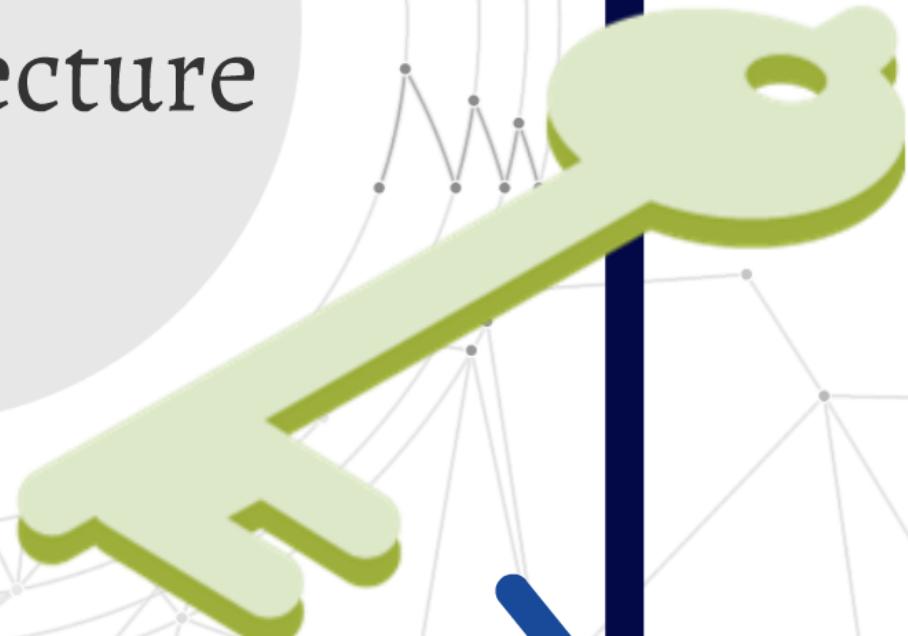
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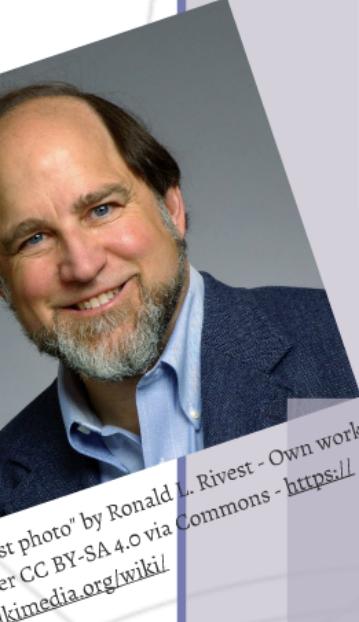
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$P \leftarrow C^d \bmod n$   
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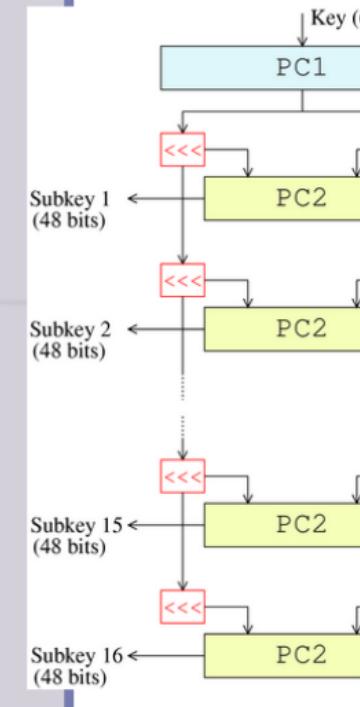
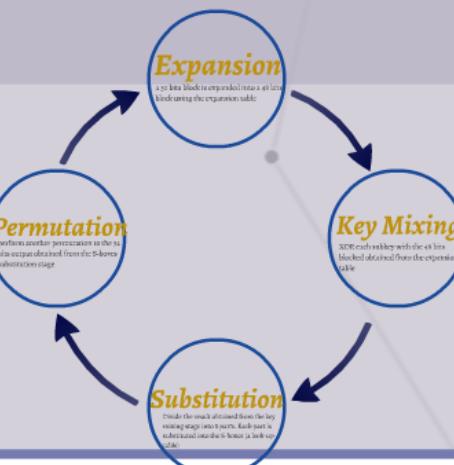
- Private key cryptographic scheme (also known as symmetric key cryptographic scheme)
- Developed by IBM in 1970s based on the initial design of Horst Feistel
- DES is no longer considered to be secure due to its small key size (64 bits where every 8th bit is discarded)



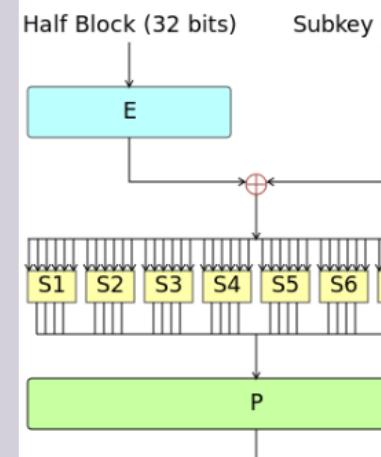
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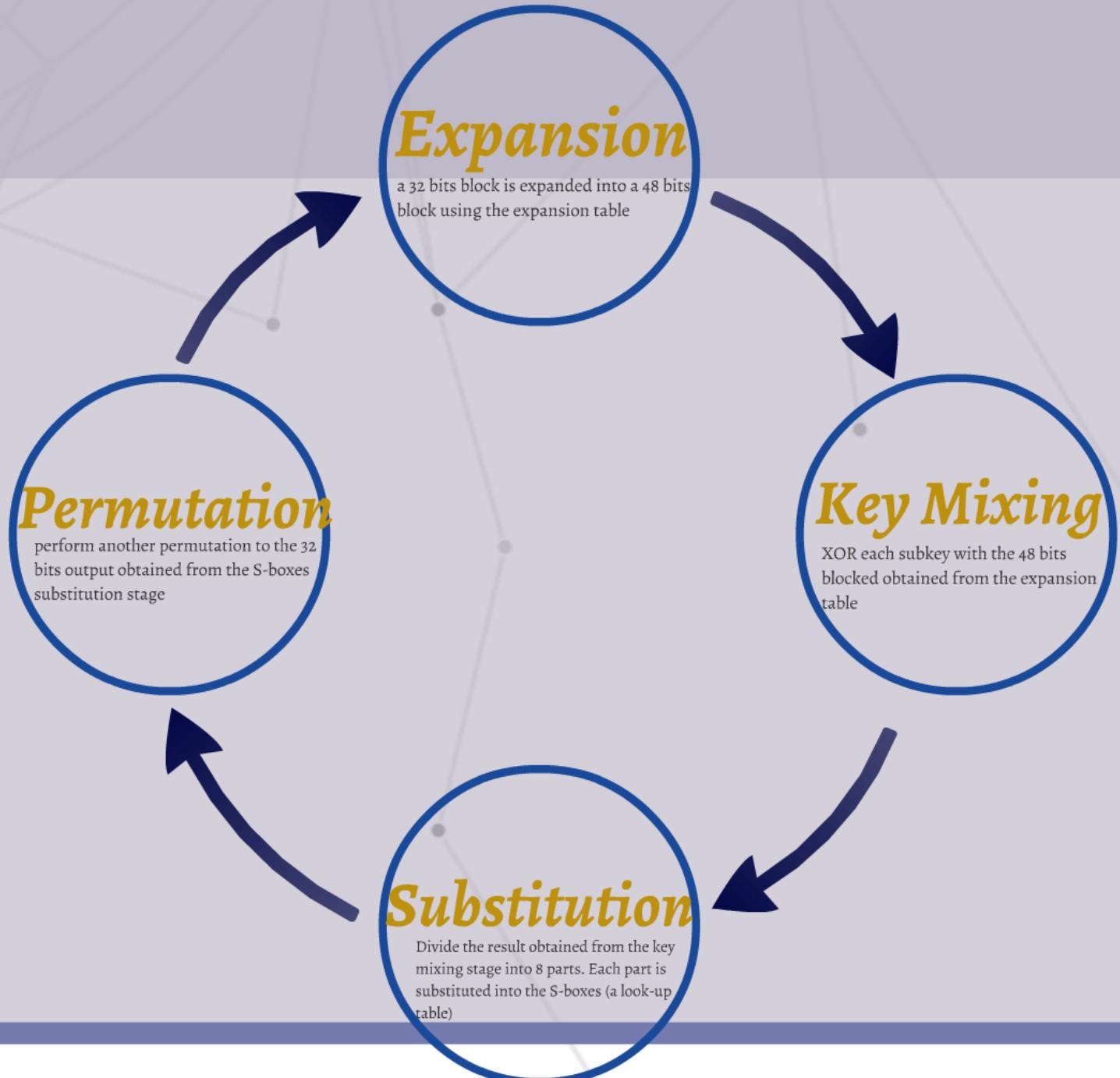
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# *Expansion*

a 32 bits block is expanded into a 48 bits block using the expansion table

# *Key Mixing*

XOR each subkey with the 48 bits  
blocked obtained from the expansion  
table

# *Substitution*

Divide the result obtained from the key mixing stage into 8 parts. Each part is substituted into the S-boxes (a look-up table)

# *Permutation*

perform another permutation to the 32 bits output obtained from the S-boxes substitution stage

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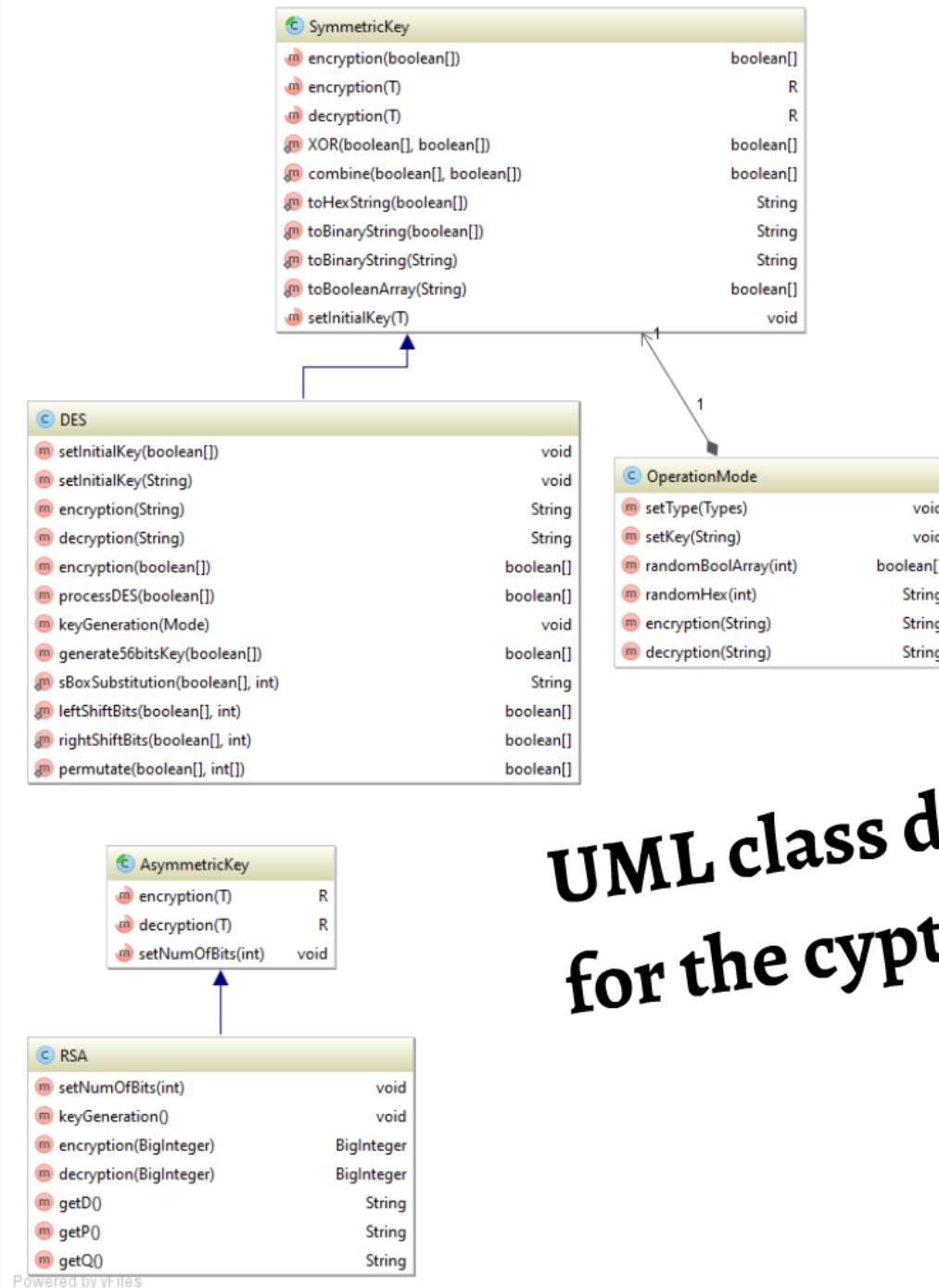
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# UML class diagram for the crypto package

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