

# Feistel Cipher

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- **Block Size**

Following DES we used block size of 8 bytes.

- **Key Size**

16 bytes.

- **Round Function**

Key is being rotated 8 times. As key size is 16, rotating 8 times make it symmetric.

Same can be used for decryption.

- **Key Generation**

For sub-key generation, alternate characters are getting incremented and decremented.

- **Rounds**

16

- **Sample Working:**

Key: "ABCDEFGHJKLMNOP"

KeyinHex: 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 4A 4B 4C 4D 4E 4F 50

KeyinBin:   01000001 01000010 01000011 01000100  
              01000101 01000110 01000111 01001000  
              01001001 01001010 01001011 01001100  
              01001101 01001110 01001111 01010000

Message: "Feistal?"

MessageinBin :   01000110 01100101 01101001 01110011

01110100 01100101 01101100 00111111

Block Size : 64bits

Blk1: 01000110 01100101 01101001 01110011  
01110100 01100101 01101100 00111111

Splitting into Left and Right Blocks of 32bits

Left : 01000110 01100101 01101001 01110011 Feis

Right : 01110100 01100101 01101100 00111111 tal?

### Key Generator:

Swaps 2 consecutive characters and then Swaps a block of Eight characters **once in the beginning**

Increments every even character of the key **every round by one**

Decrements every odd character of the key **every round by one**

**Key:** ABCD          EFGH          IJKL          MNOP

RK0: JILK          NMPO          BADC          FEHG

RK1: KHMJ          OLQN          C@EB          GDIF

RK2: LGNI          PKRM          D?FA          HCJE

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RK15: Y:[<          ]>\_@          Q2S4          U6W8

However since the block size is 64bit and the Left and Right block are only 32bits, We use only the first 4 characters of every round key generator.

### Round Function:

This function is used to combine the round key and the Right block.

The function swaps the first and second 16bit blocks of the Right32bit block.(ie cyclic rotate 16bits). And then XORS the round key with the swapped Right block.

The swapping increases Diffusion, and the XOR increases Confusion.

$F(\text{Right}, R_n) = RKn \text{ XOR } (\text{cyclicrotate}16(\text{Right}))$

**Round0:**

RK0: JILK  
 Right: tal?  
 Left: Feis

Tmp = RK0 XOR cyclicrotate16(Right)  
 Tmp = "JILK" XOR "l?ta"  
 Tmp = 00100110 01110110 00111000 00101010 "&v8\*"

Next, we perform XOR on Tmp and the Left Block.  
 Res = Left XOR Tmp  
 Res = 01100000 00010011 01010001 01011001 "\x13QY"

.....  
 .....  
 ...

**Round15:**

RK0: Y:[<  
 Right: qNe\x1c  
 Left: ztM\x12

Tmp = RK15 XOR cyclicrotate16(Right)  
 Tmp = "Y:[<" XOR "e\x1cqN"  
 Tmp = 00111100 00100110 00101010 01110010 "<&\*r"

Next, we perform XOR on Tmp and the Left Block.  
 Res = Left XOR Tmp  
 Res = 01000110 01010010 01100111 01100000 "`FRg`"

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Final Left : FRg`  
 Final Right : qNe\x1c

**Orginal Msg:** "Feistal?"  
**Encrypted Msd:** "FRg`qNe\x1c"



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Round 0
Rkey0 = BADC 1000010 1000001 1000100 1000011
Right = tal7 1110100 1100001 1101100 1111111
Left = Fels 1000110 1100101 1101001 1110011
Round 1
Rkey1 = GED 1000011 1000000 1000101 1000010
Right = 1000000 10011 1010001 1011001
Left = tal7 1110100 1100001 1101100 1111111
Round 2
Rkey2 = D7FA 1000100 1111111 1000110 1000001
Right = naA 1101110 1110000 1000001 1100110
Left = 1000000 10011 1010001 1011001
Round 3
Rkey3 = E+G 1000101 111110 1000111 1000000
Right = m2q 1101101 110010 1110001 1100000
Left = naA 1101110 1110000 1000001 1100110
Round 4
Rkey4 = F+H 1000110 111101 1001000 1111111
Right = RVC 1101010 110110 1100011 1110011
Left = m2q 1101101 110010 1110001 1100000
Round 5
Rkey5 = G+I 1000111 111100 1001001 1111110
Right = qkq 1000000 1101011 1110011 1110001
Left = RVC 1101010 110110 1100011 1110011
Round 6
Rkey6 = H+J 1001000 111011 1001010 1111101
Right = ncr1 1110110 1100011 1110010 1100011
Left = qkq 1000000 1101011 1110011 1110001
Round 7
Rkey7 = I+K 1001001 111010 1001011 1111100
Right = B 1100010 11001 1001111 1010111
Left = ncr1 1110110 1100011 1110010 1100011
Round 8
Rkey8 = J+L 1001010 111001 1001100 1110111
Right = pvc1 1110000 1110110 1000011 1101100
Left = B 1100010 11001 1001111 1010111
Round 9
Rkey9 = K+M 1001011 111000 1001101 1110110
Right = s4kb 1110011 110100 1101011 1100010
Left = pvc1 1110000 1110110 1000011 1101100
Round 10
Rkey10 = L+N 1001100 110111 1001110 1111001
Right = H 1001000 1010100 1100101 1101011
Left = s4kb 1110011 110100 1101011 1100010
Round 11
Rkey11 = M+O 1001101 110110 1001111 1110000
Right = B 1000010 10001 1101011 1110111
Left = H 1001000 1010100 1100101 1101011
Round 12
Rkey12 = N+P 1001110 110101 1010000 1101111
Right = H 1001000 11011 1100000 1001011
Left = B 1000010 10001 1101011 1110111
Round 13
Rkey13 = O+Q 1001111 110100 1010001 1101101
Right = dqEU 1100100 1100111 1000101 1010101
Left = h PK 1101000 11101 1110000 1001011
Round 14
Rkey14 = P+R 1010000 110011 1010010 1101011
Right = zt 111010 1110100 1001101 1001011
Left = dqEU 1100100 1100111 1000101 1010101
Round 15
Rkey15 = Q+R 1010001 110010 1010011 1101000
Right = qNe 110001 1001110 1100101 111100
Left = zt 111010 1110100 1001101 1001011

CipherText : FRg`qNe

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def decrypt(message, key):
    right = message[:4]
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    tmp = ""
    for j in range(16):
        if j % 2 == 0:
            tmp += chr(ord(key[j]) + 17)
        else:
            tmp += chr(ord(key[j]) - 17)
    key = tmp
    for i in range(16, -1, -1):
        tmp = ""
        for i in range(16):
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