

HW2

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1. (a) I can set the middle point between K_1 and K_2/K_3 , or K_1/K_2 and K_3 , can calculate the processed results on that point from both sides.

(b) One side requires 2^{112} keys, the other side requires 2^{56} keys.

(c) $(2^{112} + 2^{56}) * 64$ bit, the dominant one is 2^{112} . 2^{10} is approximately 10^3 , 2^{112} is about 10^{33} , 1TB is 10^{12} bytes, $10^{33} * 64$ bit (8 Byte) = $8 * 10^{21}$ TB, so total requires about 10^{22} TB.

2. (a) Assume A already sent request to talk to B

(b) B can send a challenging nonce to A, and if A can get it correctly and confirm it to B, then A is validated.

B wanted to confirm A is on the other side, B would send a nonce, encrypted with A's public key, and send it out, after A got it, he would retrieve it, and pack it with other optional info, and encrypted them with B's public key, and sent back to B. After B got it, and he could validate it with the nonce he sent.

(c) (i) B sent a nonce to A, encrypted with A's public key

(ii) A got it, and extracted the nonce using the private key, then sent it back to B, encrypted with B's public key

(iii) B got the returned message, then decrypted and confirmed the nonce was correct, A was validated.

3.(a)

$$6^1 \bmod 11 = 6$$

$$6^2 \bmod 11 = 3$$

$$6^3 \bmod 11 = 7$$

$$6^4 \bmod 11 = 9$$

$$6^5 \bmod 11 = 10$$

$$6^6 \bmod 11 = 5$$

$$6^7 \bmod 11 = 8$$

$$6^8 \bmod 11 = 4$$

$$6^9 \bmod 11 = 2$$

$$6^{10} \bmod 11 = 1$$

The remainders range from 1-10 and are non-repetitive. Thus 6 is the primitive root of 11.

(b) $Y_A = a^{X_A} \bmod q$

$$5 = 6^{X_A} \bmod 11$$

from (a), $X_A = 6$

(c) $Y_B = a^{X_B} \bmod q$

$$4 = 6^{X_B} \bmod 11$$

from (a), $X_B = 8$

(d) $K_{AB} = Y_B \wedge X_A \bmod q = 4 \wedge 6 \bmod 11 = 4$

(e) $K_{AB} = Y_A \wedge X_B \bmod q = 5 \wedge 8 \bmod 11 = 4$

4. (a)

$$K = Y_A \wedge k \bmod q = 5 \wedge 2 \bmod 11 = 3$$

$$C1 = a \wedge k \bmod q = 7 \wedge 2 \bmod 11 = 5$$

$$C2 = KM \bmod q = 3 * 4 \bmod 11 = 1$$

(b)

$$K = C1 \wedge X_A \bmod q = 5 \wedge 2 \bmod 11 = 3$$

$$M = C2 * K^{-1} \bmod q = 3^{-1} \bmod 11 = 4$$

5. (a) BG can replace the PU_B with his own public key PU_{BG} and send it to A.

(b) BG can replace the signed (B key || time) with the signed (BG key || time) to A.

(c) BG could include some outdated and compromised signed (B key || request) to A.

(d) BG can pretend he is B and create virtual circuit with A, because there is no authentication for B, which was provided by N1.

Programming problem:

(1) Code can perform two attacks, and returned the attacked results.

Code is written in Python, as Python has no limit on numbers, thus good for the application.

When numbers are small, log attack could be faster, when numbers are huge factor attack is far more efficient.

RSAattack.py

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#!/usr/bin/python3
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import math
import time
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#the function will find the divisors, assume n is the product of two prime numbers
# the function itself does not validate n is the product of 2 prime numbers
def findPrimerDivisors(n) :
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    #get the largest int of square root of n
    sqrt = math.floor(math.sqrt(n))
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    if n % 2 == 0 :
        return (2, n//2)
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    for i in range(3, sqrt+1, 2) :
        if n % i == 0 :
            return (i, n//i)
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    return (0, 0)
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#using euclidean algorithm , return the coefficients tuple
#in tuple, first element is the remaining r,
# second the multiplicative coefficients q x -1
#  $a = q_1 b + r_1 \Rightarrow a + (-q_1) b = r_1$ 
#  $b = q_2 r_1 + r_2 \Rightarrow b + (-q_2) r_1 = r_2$ 
# ....
# the final coeff[1] is the inverse modulo of deKey
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def inverseMod(a, b) :
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    #basis case 1: coprime
    if a % b == 1 :
        coeff = (1, a // b * (-1))
        return coeff
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#basis case 2: not coprime
    if a % b == 0 :
        print("a and b are not coprime, return 0,0")
        return (0, 0)
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#recursive cycles
    r = a % b
    q = a // b * (-1)

    coeff = inverseMod(b, r)
    newR = coeff[1]
    newQ = coeff[0] + coeff[1] * q
    return (newR, newQ)
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#the output from findInverseModulo could be negative

#create the positive inverse modulo

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def findDeKey(p, q, enKey) :
    totient = (p-1) * (q-1)
    deKey = inverseMod(totient, enKey)[1]
    if deKey < 0 :
        deKey += totient

    return deKey
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def moduloPower(base, power, modulus) :
    if base == 0 :
        return 0

    answer = 1
    for i in range (0, power) :
        answer = answer * base % modulus
    return answer
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def factorAttack(e, n, c) :
    start = time.clock()
    (p,q) = findPrimerDivisors(n)
    deKey = findDeKey(p, q ,e)
    m = moduloPower(c, deKey, n)
    stop = time.clock()
    print("Factor attack output: ")
    if deKey == 0 :
        print ("Attack failed")
    else:
        print("p =", p)
        print("q =", q)
        print("d =", deKey)
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print("M =", m)
print("Used time in milliseconds : ", (stop - start) * 1000, "\n")
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def discreteLogAttack(e, n, c) :
    start = time.clock()
    # m is initialized to -1, in case not found, -1 is indicative
    m = -1
    if c == 0:
        m = 0
    elif c == 1:
        m = 1
    else:
        for i in range(2, n) :
            if moduloPower(i, e, n) == c :
                m = i
                break
    stop = time.clock()
    print("Discrete log attack : ")
    if m == -1 :
        print ("Attack failed")
    else :
        print ("M = ", m)
        print("Used time in milliseconds : ", (stop - start) * 1000, "\n")
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print("RSA attack demo:")
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while True:
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    userInput = input("Please input public key, n, and ciphertext, separated by space : ")
    e = int(userInput.split(" ") [0])
    n = int(userInput.split(" ") [1])
    c = int(userInput.split(" ") [2])
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    factorAttack(e, n, c)
    discreteLogAttack(e, n, c)
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    quit = input("Do you want to quit ? y for quit, all other keys for continue : ")
    if (quit == "Y" or quit == "y") :
        break
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Output:

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yi@yi-Inspiron-5437:~/codes/python/crypto$ ./RSAattack.py
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RSA attack demo:

Please input public key, n, and ciphertext, separated by space : 7 15 4

Factor attack output:

p = 3

q = 5

d = 7

M = 4

Used time in milliseconds : 0.042000000000000037

Discrete log attack :

M = 4

Used time in milliseconds : 0.0099999999999999593

Do you want to quit ? y for quit, all other keys for continue :

Please input public key, n, and ciphertext, separated by space : 13 527 289

Factor attack output:

p = 17

q = 31

d = 37

M = 51

Used time in milliseconds : 0.0430000000000000137

Discrete log attack :

M = 51

Used time in milliseconds : 0.132000000000000017

Do you want to quit ? y for quit, all other keys for continue :

Please input public key, n, and ciphertext, separated by space : 2003 2511739 1978837

Factor attack output:

p = 1249

q = 2011

d = 1202267

M = 950

Used time in milliseconds : 231.431

Discrete log attack :

M = 950

Used time in milliseconds : 354.43699999999995

Do you want to quit ? y for quit, all other keys for continue : y