

## Homework

Encrypt the first three letters of your first name in uppercase letter

### ENCRYPTION TYPE: RSA

PUBLIC KEY:  $n = 187$ ,  $e = 3$  (to encrypt)

PRIVATE KEY:  $p = 11$ ,  $q = 17$ ,  $d = 107$  (to decrypt)

\*Background information:  $pxq = n$  ( $11 \times 17 = 187$ )

$p$ ,  $q$  - chosen prime numbers, the bigger the better, more secure

$e$  - chosen prime number

$m$  - message to encrypt in corresponding ASCII code

$c$  - ciphered text ( $m^e \bmod n$ )

### ASCII Table:

| A  | B  | C  | D  | E  | F  | G  | H  | I  | J  | K  | L  | M  |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 65 | 66 | 67 | 68 | 69 | 70 | 71 | 72 | 73 | 74 | 75 | 76 | 77 |
| N  | O  | P  | Q  | R  | S  | T  | U  | V  | W  | X  | Y  | Z  |
| 78 | 79 | 80 | 81 | 82 | 83 | 84 | 85 | 86 | 87 | 88 | 89 | 90 |

### ENCRYPTION

| Instructions  | Example: H               | First Letter: [J] | Second Letter: [I] | Third Letter: [Y] |
|---|--------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Find the corresponding ASCII code to your letter | 72                       | J<br>74           | I<br>73            | Y<br>89           |
| 2. Calculate $m^e$                                  | $72^3 = 373248$          | 405224            | 389017             | 704969            |
| 3. Find $c = m^e \bmod n$                           | $373248 \bmod 187 = 183$ | $405224 \% 187$   | $389017 \% 187$    | $704969 \% 187$   |
| 4. Your ciphered letter ( $c$ value)                | 183                      | 182               | 57                 | 166               |

### DECRYPTION

| Instructions                                  | Example: 183                                 | Ciphered letter: 182 | Ciphered letter: 57 | Ciphered letter: 166 |
|---|--|----------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Calculate $m = c^d \bmod n$                | $m = c^d \bmod n = 183^{107} \bmod 187 = 72$ | $182^{107} \% 187$   | $57^{107} \% 187$   | $166^{107} \% 187$   |
| 2. Convert $m$ to letter based on ASCII table | $72 = \text{H}$                              | 74<br>J              | 73<br>I             | 89<br>Y              |

Use <https://www.wolframalpha.com/> to calculate modulo mathematics and huge exponents

**Extension:** Encrypt your full first name (add columns to the table above - right click on the table and choose "insert column right" option)

Use this code to check your work in the Homework above for Encryption ONLY:

```
import math

message = input("Enter the letter to be encrypted: ")
ascii_code = ord(message)

p = 11 #private key
q = 17 #private key
e = 3  #public key

n = p*q #public key

#Encryption, c = m^e mod n
def encrypt(msg):
    m_power_e = math.pow(msg,e) #calculates m to the power of e
    c = m_power_e % n #find modulo to get the ciphered text
    print("Encrypted Message is: ", c)
    return c

print("ASCII Code is: ", ascii_code)
c = encrypt(ascii_code)
```

[https://github.com/hunter-teacher-cert/work-topics-leungbenson/blob/master/public\\_key/RSA.md](https://github.com/hunter-teacher-cert/work-topics-leungbenson/blob/master/public_key/RSA.md)

## ASYNCH:

Find another type of encryption and give a brief summary of how it works. Post on Slack and comment on one other person's post.

Data Encryption Standard:

- Symmetric key
- 56 bit encryption not secure enough for modern day
- Plaintext is split into blocks and an algorithm is applied to each block
- It utilizes something called a Feistel (F) Function
- It goes through the function in multiple rounds where blocks are split and re-attached using previous versions.
- Going off of the simplified one, steps might look like the following:
  - Permutation of the bits.
  - Divide the data in half
  - Apply a caesar cipher to each half
  - Combine each half and then permute again
  - The keys to decrypt refer to the two permutations mentioned.