

# CS553: Cryptography

## Assignment 4: Solutions

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# 1. Fiestal and SPN

## 1.1 Fiestal Ciphers

- **Blowfish:**
  - Block Size: 64 bits
  - Key Size: 32 - 448 bits
  - Susceptible to  $2^{nd}$ -order differential attack.
- **Data Encryption Standard (DES):**
  - Block Size: 64 bits
  - Key Size: 56 bits (+8 parity bits)
  - Considered insecure because of feasibility of brute-force attacks.
- **Rivest Cipher (RC5):**
  - Block Size: 32/64 (suggested)/128 bits
  - Key Size: 0 - 2040 bits (128 bits suggested)
  - Susceptible to differential attacks using  $2^{44}$  plaintexts.
- **Information Concealment Engine (ICE):**
  - Block Size: 64 bits
  - Key Size: 64 bits
  - Differential attacks can break 15 of 16 rounds with complexity  $2^{56}$ .
- **KASUMI:**
  - Block Size: 64 bits
  - Key Size: 128 bits

## 1.2 Substitution-Permutation Network (SPN)

- **Advanced Encryption Standard (AES):**
  - Block Size: 128 bits
  - Key Size: 128/192/256 bits
  - For AES-128, key can be recovered with complexity  $2^{126.1}$  (biclique attack).
- **3-Way:**
  - Block Size: 96 bits
  - Key Size: 96 bits
  - Vulnerable to related key cryptanalysis.
- **Kuznyechik:**
  - Block Size: 128 bits

- Key Size: 256 bits
- Vulnerable to meet-in-the-middle attack on 5 rounds.
- **SAFER K-64 (Safer And Faster Encryption Routine):**
  - Block Size: 64 bits
  - Key Size: 64 bits
- **Square:**
  - Block Size: 128 bits
  - Key Size: 128 bits
  - Precursor to AES.

## 2. Random SBox (4-bit)

Python code (Python 3): Random\_s-box\_gen.py

```
import numpy as np

def rn_box(n): # random permutation of input symbols
    arr = [hex(int(i)) for i in np.arange(n)] # hex symbols
    # mapping each symbol to its random substitute
    return {i:j for i,j in zip(arr,
                                np.random.permutation(arr))}

def main(sbox): # takes plaintext and performs confusion
    p = input("Enter your plaintext:")
    if not all(x in [format(i, 'x') for i in sbox]
               for x in p): # checking if in range [0-f]
        exit("Enter valid characters[0-f]!")
    str1 = {format(i, 'x'):format(j, 'x') for i,j
            in sbox.items()}
    return "".join([str1[i] for i in p])
```

```
sbox = {0x0: 0x5, 0x1: 0x4, 0x2: 0xd, 0x3: 0x1, 0x4: 0x2,
        0x5: 0xf, 0x6: 0x6, 0x7: 0x0, 0x8: 0x8, 0x9: 0xc,
        0xa: 0xb, 0xb: 0x9, 0xc: 0x7, 0xd: 0xe, 0xe: 0xa,
        0xf: 0x3} # generated using rn_box(int)

# print(rn_box(16)) # to generate a random s-box
print(main(sbox))
```

The S-Box to be used subsequently is as follows:

|        |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|--------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| $x$    | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | a | b | c | d | e | f |
| $S(x)$ | 5 | 4 | d | 1 | 2 | f | 6 | 0 | 8 | c | b | 9 | 7 | e | a | 3 |

### 3. Differential Distribution Table (DDT)

Python code (Python 3): DDT\_s-box.py

```
sbox = {0x0: 0x5, 0x1: 0x4, 0x2: 0xd, 0x3: 0x1, 0x4: 0x2,
        0x5: 0xf, 0x6: 0x6, 0x7: 0x0, 0x8: 0x8, 0x9: 0xc,
        0xa: 0xb, 0xb: 0x9, 0xc: 0x7, 0xd: 0xe, 0xe: 0xa,
        0xf: 0x3} # S-Box produced earlier

def ddt(sbox):
    lst1 = [format(i, 'x') for i,j in sbox.items()]
    print("in\\out|", ("{:>3}"*len(lst1)).format(*lst1))
    print('-'*56)
    for diff in sbox:
        u1 = [hex(i^diff) for i in sbox]
        S_u0 = [hex(j) for i,j in sbox.items()] # S[u0]
        S_u1 = [hex(sbox[(int(i,0))]) for i in u1] # S[u1]
        S_u0_x_S_u1 = [hex(int(i,0)^int(j,0)) for i,j
```

```

in zip(S_u0,S_u1)] # S[u0] xor S[u1]
# counting occurences and replacing 0 with '-'
count = {hex(i): '-' if S_u0_x_S_u1.count(hex(i))
== 0 else S_u0_x_S_u1.count(hex(i)) for i in sbox}
# format output as a table
lst = [str(i) for j,i in count.items()]
frmt = "{:>3}"*len(lst)
print(str(format(diff,'x')+ ' |').rjust(7),frmt.
format(*lst))

```

ddt(sbox)

The generated DDT is as follows:

| in\out | 0  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | a | b | c | d | e | f |
|--------|----|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 0      | 16 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 1      | -  | 2 | 2 | - | 2 | - | 2 | - | - | 4 | - | - | 2 | 2 | - | - |
| 2      | -  | - | - | 2 | 2 | 4 | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | 4 | - | 2 |
| 3      | -  | 2 | 2 | - | 6 | - | - | 2 | - | 4 | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| 4      | -  | 4 | 2 | - | - | - | - | 2 | - | - | 2 | 4 | - | - | - | 2 |
| 5      | -  | - | - | 2 | - | - | 4 | 2 | 2 | - | 2 | 2 | - | 2 | - | - |
| 6      | -  | - | 2 | 2 | 2 | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | 2 | - | 2 | 4 |
| 7      | -  | - | 4 | 2 | - | 4 | 2 | - | - | - | - | 2 | - | - | 2 | - |
| 8      | -  | 2 | - | 2 | - | 2 | 2 | - | 4 | - | - | - | 2 | 2 | - | - |
| 9      | -  | - | - | - | 2 | 2 | - | - | 2 | 2 | 4 | - | 4 | - | - | - |
| a      | -  | 2 | - | - | - | 2 | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | 2 | 4 | 4 | - |
| b      | -  | 4 | - | - | - | 2 | - | 2 | 2 | 2 | - | - | 2 | - | - | 2 |
| c      | -  | - | 4 | 2 | - | - | - | 2 | - | 2 | 4 | - | - | 2 | - | - |
| d      | -  | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | 6 | - | - | 4 | 2 |
| e      | -  | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | 2 | - | 2 | 2 | - | 2 | - | 2 | 4 |
| f      | -  | - | - | 2 | 2 | - | 4 | - | 2 | - | 2 | 2 | - | - | 2 | - |

Actual output(file): output.txt

The maximum differential probability of this S-Box is  $\frac{6}{16}$  for the (input,output) difference transactions (3,4) and (d,b).

#### 4. SBox as a Boolean Function

The Boolean table for the above S-Box is as follows:

| $x$ | $x_0$ | $x_1$ | $x_2$ | $x_3$ | $y_0$ | $y_1$ | $y_2$ | $y_3$ | $y = S[x]$ |
|-----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------------|
| 0   | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 1     | 5          |
| 1   | 0     | 0     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 0     | 4          |
| 2   | 0     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 1     | 1     | 0     | 1     | d          |
| 3   | 0     | 0     | 1     | 1     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 1     | 1          |
| 4   | 0     | 1     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 2          |
| 5   | 0     | 1     | 0     | 1     | 1     | 1     | 1     | 1     | f          |
| 6   | 0     | 1     | 1     | 0     | 0     | 1     | 1     | 0     | 6          |
| 7   | 0     | 1     | 1     | 1     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0          |
| 8   | 1     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 8          |
| 9   | 1     | 0     | 0     | 1     | 1     | 1     | 0     | 0     | c          |
| a   | 1     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 1     | 1     | b          |
| b   | 1     | 0     | 1     | 1     | 1     | 0     | 0     | 1     | 9          |
| c   | 1     | 1     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 1     | 1     | 1     | 7          |
| d   | 1     | 1     | 0     | 1     | 1     | 1     | 1     | 0     | e          |
| e   | 1     | 1     | 1     | 0     | 1     | 0     | 1     | 0     | a          |
| f   | 1     | 1     | 1     | 1     | 0     | 0     | 1     | 1     | 3          |

The 4 K-maps for the variables are as follows:

|          |    | $X_2X_3$ |    |    |    |
|----------|----|----------|----|----|----|
|          |    | 00       | 01 | 11 | 10 |
| $X_0X_1$ | 00 | 0        | 0  | 0  | 1  |
|          | 01 | 0        | 1  | 0  | 0  |
|          | 11 | 0        | 1  | 0  | 1  |
|          | 10 | 1        | 1  | 1  | 1  |

$$y_0 = \sum(2, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14)$$

|          |    | $X_2X_3$ |    |    |    |
|----------|----|----------|----|----|----|
|          |    | 00       | 01 | 11 | 10 |
| $X_0X_1$ | 00 | 1        | 1  | 0  | 1  |
|          | 01 | 0        | 1  | 0  | 1  |
|          | 11 | 1        | 1  | 0  | 0  |
|          | 10 | 0        | 1  | 0  | 0  |

$$y_1 = \sum(0, 1, 2, 5, 6, 9, 12, 13)$$

|          |    | $X_2X_3$ |    |    |    |
|----------|----|----------|----|----|----|
|          |    | 00       | 01 | 11 | 10 |
| $X_0X_1$ | 00 | 0        | 0  | 0  | 0  |
|          | 01 | 1        | 1  | 0  | 1  |
|          | 11 | 1        | 1  | 1  | 1  |
|          | 10 | 0        | 0  | 0  | 1  |

$$y_2 = \sum(4, 5, 6, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15)$$

|          |    | $X_2X_3$ |    |    |    |
|----------|----|----------|----|----|----|
|          |    | 00       | 01 | 11 | 10 |
| $X_0X_1$ | 00 | 1        | 0  | 1  | 1  |
|          | 01 | 0        | 1  | 0  | 0  |
|          | 11 | 1        | 0  | 1  | 0  |
|          | 10 | 0        | 0  | 1  | 1  |

$$y_3 = \sum(0, 2, 3, 5, 10, 11, 12, 15)$$

The formulas for the variables are as follows:

$$y_0 = \sum(2, 5, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14) = x_0x'_1 + x_1x'_2x_3 + x_0x_2x'_3 + x'_1x_2x'_3$$

$$y_1 = \sum(0, 1, 2, 5, 6, 9, 12, 13) = x'_2x_3 + x'_0x'_1x'_2 + x'_0x_2x'_3 + x_0x_1x'_2$$

$$y_2 = \sum(4, 5, 6, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15) = x_0x_1 + x'_0x_1x'_2 + x_1x_2x'_3 + x_0x_2x'_3$$

$$y_3 = \sum(0, 2, 3, 5, 10, 11, 12, 15) = x'_1x_2 + x'_0x'_1x'_3 + x_0x_2x_3 + x'_0x_1x'_2x_3 + x_0x_1x'_2x'_3$$