

19CSE331 Cryptography

Assignment Questions

Do the cryptanalysis for the following cipher texts using Substitution Cipher

1.

YIFQFMZRWQFYVECFMDZPCVMRRZWNMDZVEJB TXCDDUMJNDI
FEFMDZCDMQZKCEYFCJMYRNCWJCSZREXCHZUNXZNZUCDRJX
YYSMRTMEYIFZW DYVZVYFZUMRZCRWNZDZJJXZWGCHSMRNM
DHN CMFQCHZJMXJZWIEJYUCFWDJNZDIR

Answer:

OUR FRIEND FROM PARIS EXAMINED HIS EMPTY GLASS WITH
SURPRISE AS IF EVAPORATION HAD TAKEN PLACE WHILE HE WASNT
LOOKING I POURED SOME MORE WINE AND HE SETTLED BACK IN HIS
CHAIR FACE TILTED UP TOWARDS THE SUN

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Assignment - Substitution Cipher

1) According to Unigram;

Z → e	I → U	B → V
C → a	V → m	S → k
Y → o	U → w	G → j
D → s	Q → f	
F → r	T → g	
W → d	K → y	
X → l	E → p	
H → e	P → b	

Our friend from paris examined his empty glass with surprise
as if evaporation had taken place while he wasn't looking
i poured some more wine and he settled back in his chair
face tilted up towards the sun.

2.

U Z Q S O V U O H X M O P V G P O Z P E V S G Z W S Z O P F P E S X
U D B M E T S X A I Z V U E P H Z H M D Z S H Z O W S F P A P P D T
S V P Q U Z W Y M X U Z U H S X E P Y E P O P D Z S Z U F P O M B Z
W P F U P Z H M D J U D T M O H M Q

Answer :

IT WAS DISCLOSED YESTERDAY THAT SEVERAL INFORMAL BUT
DIRECT CONTACT SHAVE BEEN MADE WITH POLITICAL REPRESENT
AT OR SOFT VIET CONG IN MOSCOW

2) key:-

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
B	F	K	N	R	V	Y	C	U	Q
K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T
Q	Z	O	J	S	E	W	X	A	M
U	V	W	X	Y	Z				
I	D	H	L	P	T				

3.

D LJELKOKJKOUV COSIYM OL IDMRYM KU CMD CZ KIDV
D CDYLDM COSIYM EJK GY CDV LK OXX JLY PMYQJYVCB
DV DXBL OL KU POVR KIY WULK CUWWUV XYKKYML. O
SMUWOLYR BUJ KIDK O GUJXR JLY DXX KGYVKB LOF

XYKKYML LU KIDK WYDVL KIDK O IDHY TUK KU DRR
YFKMD GUMRL LJCI DL NYXXB DVR AUU.

3) Since not much alphabet letter by itself can be used alone,
D → A & I → O should be the other letter.

After initial guess 1-

A → D
I → O

a LTELKIKJKUV CISIYM IL IAMRYM KU CMACZ KIAV aCaYLAN
CISIYM EJK QY Cav LKIXX JLY PMYQJYVCB avaxBLIL KU
PVR KIY WULK CUNWUV XYKKYML. I SMUWILYR BUJ KIAK
i GUJXR JLY axX KGYVKB LIF XYKKYML LU KIAK WYavL
KIAK I IAHY TUK KU aRR YFKMa GUMRL LJCI aL NYXXB
aVR AUU.

most appearing:

K → 25
D → 20
Y → 20
L → 19
U → 15

less: F → 2

(Z, B, H, T, N, A) → 1

then from AUU,

3 letters with repeating letters

Ex: too, zoo (took this),

2nd guess 1-

A → D O → U
I → O Z → A,

from word: LTELKOKJKOV → 'SUBSTITUTION'

3rd,

A → D N → U T → K
B → E O → U U → J
I → O S → L Z → A

LIAN → IayH

Can → ; C → c

usy → use

SiF → six

SuCI → Such

anR → and

4th 1-

A → D

H → I

S → L

B → E

I → O

T → K

C → C

N → V

U → J

D → R

O → U

X → F

E → Y

Z → A

Finally

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A B C D E F G H I J
D E C R Y P T I O N

K L M N O P Q R S T

Z X W V U S Q M L K

U V W X Y Z

J H G F B A

Final answer as follows;

Answer :

A SUBSTITUTION CIPHER IS HARDER TO CRACK THAN A CAESAR CIPHER BUT WE CAN STILL USE FREQUENCY ANALYSIS TO FIND THE MOST COMMON LETTERS. I PROMISED YOU THAT I WOULD USE ALL TWENTY SIX LETTERS SO THAT MEANS THAT I HAVE GOT TO ADD EXTRA WORDS SUCH AS JELLY AND ZOO.