

Assessment 2 - Question 4

4.a) $35^{10} \bmod 127$

$$35^1 \bmod 127 = 35$$

$$\begin{aligned} 35^2 \bmod 127 &= (35 \bmod 127 \cdot 35 \bmod 127) \bmod 127 \\ &= 35^2 \bmod 127 \\ &= 82 * \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 35^4 \bmod 127 &= (35^2 \bmod 127 \cdot 35^2 \bmod 127) \bmod 127 \\ &= 82^2 \bmod 127 \\ &= 120 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 35^8 \bmod 127 &= (35^4 \bmod 127 \cdot 35^4 \bmod 127) \bmod 127 \\ &= 120^2 \bmod 127 \\ &= 49 * \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 35^{10} \bmod 127 &= (35^8 \bmod 127 \cdot 35^2 \bmod 127) \bmod 127 \\ &= (49 \cdot 82) \bmod 127 \\ &= \boxed{81} \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

4.b) $23^{12} \bmod 50$

$$\begin{aligned} 23^2 \bmod 50 &= (23 \bmod 50 \cdot 23 \bmod 50) \bmod 50 \\ &= 23^2 \bmod 50 \\ &= 29 * \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 23^4 \bmod 50 &= (23^2 \bmod 50 \cdot 23^2 \bmod 50) \bmod 50 \\ &= 29^2 \bmod 50 \\ &= 41 * \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 23^8 \bmod 50 &= (23^4 \bmod 50 \cdot 23^4 \bmod 50) \bmod 50 \\ &= 41^2 \bmod 50 \\ &= 31 * \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 23^{12} \bmod 50 &= (23^8 \bmod 50 \cdot 23^4 \bmod 50) \bmod 50 \\ &= 41 \cdot 31 \bmod 50 \\ &= \boxed{21} \checkmark \end{aligned}$$

Assessment 2 - Question 5

5.a) Clear text : SPRING

Matching text = AGDGXAXDAA GG

B	R	E	A	K
A	G	D	G	X
A	X	D	A	X
V	G			

A	B	E	K	R
G	A	D	X	G
A	A	D	A	X
V				G

Encryption : GAAAGDGXAGXG
GAAAVDDXAGXG

5. b)

A	C	D	R
G	D	A	B
A	G	D	F
D	X	A	A
G	V		

C	A	R	D
D	G	D	A
G	A	F	D
X	D	A	A
V	G		

Decrypted : PLAYING ✓

Assessment 2 - Question 7

7.a) C o l d A i r
28 14 11 3 62 26 8 17

$$x \rightarrow (15x + 13) \bmod 67$$

$$C \rightarrow 28 \rightarrow (15 \cdot 28 + 13) \bmod 67 = 31 = F$$

$$o \rightarrow 14 \rightarrow (15 \cdot 14 + 13) \bmod 67 = 22 = w$$

$$l \rightarrow 11 \rightarrow (15 \cdot 11 + 13) \bmod 67 = 44 = S$$

$$d \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow (15 \cdot 3 + 13) \bmod 67 = 58 = 6$$

$$_ \rightarrow 62 \rightarrow (15 \cdot 62 + 13) \bmod 67 = 5 = f$$

$$A \rightarrow 26 \rightarrow (15 \cdot 26 + 13) \bmod 67 = 1 = b$$

$$i \rightarrow 8 \rightarrow (15 \cdot 8 + 13) \bmod 67 = 66 = ?$$

$$r \rightarrow 17 \rightarrow (15 \cdot 17 + 13) \bmod 67 = 0 = a$$

Cipher text = FwS6fb?a ✓

b) g: z C
6 25 28 63

$$f(x) = (7x + 4) \bmod 67$$

$\gcd(7, 67) = 1 \rightarrow$ multiplicative inverse exists

$$1 = m \cdot 7 + k \cdot 67$$

$$67 = 9 \cdot 7 + 4$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 67 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 9 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \\ -9 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix} = 3 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -19 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -7 \\ 67 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 7 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 1 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \\ -9 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = 2 \cdot 67 + -19 \cdot 7$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 1 \\ -9 \end{bmatrix} = 1 \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ -19 \end{bmatrix}$$

Assessment 2 - Question 7 (Continued)

F.b continued

Translation

$$g \rightarrow 6 \Rightarrow (7x + 4) \bmod 67$$

$$\text{"subtract 4"} \quad 2 \bmod 67 = 7x \bmod 67$$

$$\text{"unmultiply" by 7} \quad -19 \cdot 2 \bmod 67 = -19 \cdot 7x \bmod 67$$

$$-38 \bmod 67 = x$$

$$x = 29 = D$$

$$Z \rightarrow 25 = 21 \bmod 67 = 7x \bmod 67$$

$$-19 \cdot 21 \bmod 67 = -19 \cdot 7x \bmod 67$$

$$-399 \bmod 67 = x$$

$$x = 3 = d$$

$$E \rightarrow 28 = 24 \bmod 67 = 7x \bmod 67$$

$$-19 \cdot 24 \bmod 67 = -19 \cdot 7x \bmod 67$$

$$-456 \bmod 67 = x$$

$$x = 13 = n$$

$$o \rightarrow 63 = 59 \bmod 67 = 7x \bmod 67$$

$$-19 \cdot 59 \bmod 67 = -19 \cdot 7x \bmod 67$$

$$-1121 \bmod 67 = x$$

$$\text{Decrypted text} = \overset{x=18=s}{\text{Dd ns}} \checkmark$$

Assessment - Question 9

a)
$$\begin{array}{r} 0101 \mid 1000 \mid 0101 \mid 1001 \\ \oplus \quad 1010 \quad 1000 \quad 1010 \quad 1000 \\ \hline \text{cipher} = 1111 \mid 0000 \mid 1111 \mid 0001 \end{array}$$

b)
$$\begin{array}{r} 1100 \mid 0111 \mid 1100 \mid 0011 \\ \oplus \quad 1010 \quad 1000 \quad 1010 \quad 1000 \\ \hline \text{cipher} = 0110 \mid 1111 \mid 0101 \mid 1011 \\ \oplus 100 \quad 1111 \quad 0100 \quad 1011 \end{array}$$

1 if the digits are different

0 if the digits are the same