

# **Experiment 02**

**Aim:** Implementation and analysis of RSA cryptosystem and Digital signature scheme using RSA **Theory:** 

RSA (Rivest-Shamir-Adleman) is a widely-used public-key cryptosystem named after its inventors Ron Rivest, Adi Shamir, and Leonard Adleman. It is based on the difficulty of factoring large composite numbers into their prime factors, which forms the foundation of its security.

In RSA, each user has a pair of cryptographic keys: a public key, which can be freely distributed, and a private key, which must be kept secret. These keys are typically generated using large prime numbers and specific mathematical operations.

The main operations in RSA involve modular exponentiation. Encryption and decryption are performed using exponentiation modulo a product of two large prime numbers. The encryption operation uses the public key, while decryption uses the corresponding private key.

RSA is commonly used for secure communication and digital signatures. It provides confidentiality by allowing users to encrypt messages using the recipient's public key, ensuring that only the intended recipient can decrypt and read the message using their private key. Additionally, RSA supports digital signatures, enabling users to sign messages with their private key, allowing others to verify the authenticity of the message using the signer's public key.

Overall, RSA is a foundational cryptographic algorithm widely used in various security protocols and applications due to its security, versatility, and widespread support.

### **RSA Cryptosystem Implementation:**

# **Key Generation:**

- 1. Generate two large random prime numbers, p and q.
- 2. Compute n = p \* q.
- 3. Compute  $\varphi(n) = (p-1)(q-1)$ , where  $\varphi$  is Euler's totient function.
- 4. Choose an integer e such that  $1 < e < \varphi(n)$  and  $gcd(e, \varphi(n)) = 1$ .
- 5. Compute d, the modular multiplicative inverse of e modulo  $\varphi(n)$ , i.e.,  $d \equiv e^{-1} \pmod{\varphi(n)}$ .
- 6. Public key: (n, e)
- 7. Private key: (n, d)

#### **Encryption:**

- 1. Represent the plaintext message as an integer m, where  $0 \le m \le n$ .
- 2. Compute the ciphertext  $c \equiv m^e \pmod{n}$ .

### **Decryption:**

1. Compute the plaintext message  $m \equiv c^d \pmod{n}$ .



# **Digital Signature Scheme using RSA:**

# **Key Generation (Same as RSA Cryptosystem):**

1. Generate p, q, n,  $\varphi(n)$ , e, and d as in the RSA key generation.

### **Signature Generation:**

- 1. Compute the hash value of the message (e.g., using a secure hash function like SHA-256).
- 2. Represent the hash value as an integer h.
- 3. Compute the signature  $s \equiv h^d \pmod{n}$ .

# **Signature Verification:**

- 1. Receive the message, signature pair (msg, s).
- 2. Compute the hash value of the message, obtaining h'.
- 3. Verify if  $h' \equiv s^e \pmod{n}$ .

#### **Analysis:**

#### 1. Security:

RSA's security relies on the difficulty of factoring large composite numbers. The security of RSA depends on the size of the keys used. Larger key sizes provide higher security, but also require more computational resources.

### 2. Efficiency:

RSA encryption and decryption operations involve modular exponentiation, which can be computationally expensive, especially for large keys. Using more efficient algorithms for modular exponentiation, like square and multiply algorithm or Montgomery multiplication, can improve performance.

#### 3. Signature Size:

The size of RSA signatures depends on the size of the modulus n. Larger moduli result in longer signatures, which may impact transmission and storage requirements.

#### 4. Padding Scheme:

In practice, RSA encryption and digital signatures use padding schemes like RSA-OAEP for encryption and RSA-PSS for signatures. These schemes provide security and prevent certain attacks like chosen ciphertext attacks and padding oracle attacks.

### 5. Randomness:

Generating secure RSA keys requires high-quality randomness. Inadequate randomness can lead to weak keys susceptible to attacks.

#### 6. Key Management:

Secure RSA usage requires proper key management practices, including key generation, storage, and distribution, to ensure the confidentiality and integrity of encrypted data and signatures.

Implementing and analyzing RSA involves considerations of security, efficiency, and proper usage practices to ensure the cryptographic system's integrity and confidentiality. Additionally, understanding the strengths and weaknesses of RSA helps in its appropriate application in various security scenarios.



# Program:

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import random
import hashlib
def generate keypair(bits=1024):
  # Step 1: Generate two large random prime numbers, p and q
  p = generate large prime(bits // 2)
  q = generate large prime(bits // 2)
  # Step 2: Compute n = p * q
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  # Step 3: Compute \varphi(n) = (p-1)(q-1)
  phi n = (p - 1) * (q - 1)
  # Step 4: Choose an integer e such that 1 < e < \varphi(n) and gcd(e, \varphi(n)) = 1
  e = generate coprime(phi n)
  # Step 5: Compute d, the modular multiplicative inverse of e modulo \varphi(n)
  d = modular inverse(e, phi n)
  return ((n, e), (n, d))
def generate large prime(bits=1024):
  while True:
     p = random.getrandbits(bits)
     if is prime(p):
       return p
def is prime(n, k=5):
  if n \le 1:
     return False
  if n \le 3:
     return True
  if n % 2 == 0:
     return False
  # Write n as d * 2^r + 1
  r, d = 0, n - 1
  while d \% 2 == 0:
     r += 1
     d / / = 2
  # Miller-Rabin primality test
  for in range(k):
     a = random.randint(2, n - 2)
     x = pow(a, d, n)
     if x == 1 or x == n - 1:
       continue
     for in range(r - 1):
       x = pow(x, 2, n)
       if x == n - 1:
          break
     else:
       return False
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return True

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def generate coprime(phi n):
  while True:
    e = random.randint(2, phi n - 1)
    if gcd(e, phi n) == 1:
       return e
def gcd(a, b):
  while b != 0:
     a. b = b, a % b
  return a
def modular inverse(a, m):
  m0, x0, x1 = m, 0, 1
  while a > 1:
    q = a // m
    m, a = a \% m, m
    x0, x1 = x1 - q * x0, x0
  return x1 + m0 if x1 < 0 else x1
def encrypt(public key, plaintext):
  n, e = public key
  return pow(plaintext, e, n)
def decrypt(private key, ciphertext):
  n, d = private key
  return pow(ciphertext, d, n)
def sign(private key, message):
  n, d = private key
  hash value = int.from bytes(hashlib.sha256(message.encode()).digest(), byteorder='big')
  return pow(hash value, d, n)
def verify(public key, message, signature):
  n, e = public key
  hash value = int.from bytes(hashlib.sha256(message.encode()).digest(), byteorder='big')
  decrypted signature = pow(signature, e, n)
  return hash_value == decrypted signature
# Example usage
public key, private key = generate keypair()
message = "Hello, world!"
print("Original message:", message)
# Encryption
encrypted message = encrypt(public key, int.from bytes(message.encode(), byteorder='big'))
print("Encrypted message:", encrypted message)
# Decryption
decrypted message = decrypt(private key, encrypted message)
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print("Decrypted message:", decrypted_message.to_bytes((decrypted_message.bit_length() + 7) // 8,
byteorder='big').decode())
# Signing
signature = sign(private_key, message)
print("Signature:", signature)
# Verification
is_verified = verify(public_key, message, signature)
print("Verification result:", is_verified)4
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                                         import hashlib
       product_cipher.py
                                          def generate_keypair(bits=1024):
                                              p = generate_large_prime(bits // 2)
                                              q = generate_large_prime(bits // 2)
# Step 3: Compute \phi(n) = (p-1)(q-1)
phi_n = (p - 1) * (q - 1)
                                             # Step 4: Choose an integer e such that 1 < e < \phi(n) and gcd(e, \phi(n)) = 1 e = generate_coprime(phi_n)
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        PS D:\Vartak college\SEM 6\CSS\Exp\Programs> python .\rsa.py
        Original message: Hello, world!
Encrypted message: 20681457690509026693879940194749231251365301256759011268836833405393911312792190963695237282940511561687512745861512557482694794191240107836724
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        Decrypted message: Hello, world!
Signature: 1405816710506951834129410214485681163726052036617192043789533836844765419515873144862151344390873743388871653437584486570978074355528740487923703319921
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        Verification result: True
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#### **Output:**

#### **Conclusion:**

RSA cryptosystem and digital signature scheme using RSA were implemented and analyzed. RSA relies on the difficulty of factoring large composite numbers for its security and is widely used for secure communication and digital signatures. The implementation involved key generation, encryption, decryption, signature generation, and verification. Security, efficiency, signature size, padding schemes, randomness, and key management are crucial considerations in RSA implementation and usage.