

### Q1 Commands 5 Points

List the commands used in the game to reach the first ciphertext.

1. go
2. read
3. enter
4. read



### Q2 Cryptosystem 5 Points

What cryptosystem was used at this level?

Substitution Cipher



### Q3 Analysis 25 Points

What tools and observations were used to figure out the cryptosystem?

NOTE: Failing to provide proper analysis would result in zero marks for this assignment.

Tools:

1. Used Python program to check whether the given ciphertext can be decrypted with Caesar Cipher or Substitution Cipher.
2. Took reference of table showing frequencies of letters in English language from internet.

Observations:

1. First we proceeded with Caesar Cipher. We found out that none of the 26 shifts made any sense.
2. Now we proceeded with Substitution Cipher. So we calculated the frequencies of all letters in the given ciphertext.
3. After performing frequency analysis, we found the most frequently occurred letters in ciphertext as follows:

[' ', 17.846),  
 ('Y', 11.077),  
 ('M', 8.615),  
 ('A', 8.308),  
 ('W', 7.692),  
 ('E', 6.769),  
 ('G', 4.308),  
 ('S', 4.0),  
 ('P', 4.0),  
 ('H', 3.692),  
 ('I', 2.769),  
 ('N', 2.154),  
 ('J', 2.154),  
 ('O', 2.154),  
 ('U', 1.846),  
 ('T', 1.846),  
 ('R', 1.538),  
 ('K', 1.538),  
 ('V', 1.231),  
 ('.', 1.231),  
 ('F', 1.231),  
 ('D', 0.923),  
 ('X', 0.923),  
 ('B', 0.615),  
 ('8', 0.308),  
 ('0', 0.308),  
 ('3', 0.308),  
 (';', 0.308),  
 ('!', 0.308)]

NOTE: We haven't removed spaces from ciphertext while doing our analysis, that's the reason we are getting highest frequency of spaces. But the most frequently occurred alphabetic letter in our ciphertext is 'y'.

4. Since 'y' is the most frequent letter in our ciphertext, we have substituted it with 'e' which is the most frequently occurred letter in English Language.

5. We found that 'me' is the most frequent bigram in our ciphertext(from bigram frequency analysis), so we replaced it with 'th' which is the most frequent bigram in English Vocabulary.

So till this point we are able to guess 3 letters, Y->E, M->T, E->H

After replacing above 3 letters, cipher text looks like:

Thwa wa the twsat ihpjoes gt the ipbea.

Pa xgn iph aee, these wa hgthwhr gt

whteseath wh the iepjoes. Agje gt the kptes

ihpjoesa vwkk oe jgse whteseatwhr thph  
 thwa ghe! The igue naeu tgs thwa jeaapre  
 wa p awjfke anoatwntwgh iwfhes wh vhwih  
 uwrwta hpbe oeeh ahwtteu ox 8 fkpia.  
 The fpaavgsu wa "txSrN03uwdd" vwthgnt the  
 dngtea

6. Now we observed that 'Thwa' is looks like 'This' so we replace 'wa' with 'is'.

At this point cipher text look like:

This is the twsat ihpjoes gt the ipbea.

Pa xgn iph aee, these is hgthwhr gt  
 whteseat wh the iepjoes. Agje gt the kptes  
 ihpjoesa vwkk oe jgse whteseatwhr thph  
 this ghe! The igue naeu tgs this jeaapre  
 is p awjfke anoatwntwgh iwfhes wh vhwih  
 uwrwta hpbe oeeh ahwtteu ox 8 fkpia.  
 The fpaavgsu is "txSrN03uwdd" vwthgnt the  
 dngtea

7. Now we try to replace 'w' with 'i' and 'a' with 's' and check is this replacement make any useful words or not.

At this point cipher text look like:

This is the tisst ihpjoes gt the ipbes.

Ps xgn iph see, these is hgthihr gt  
 Ihtesest ih the ihpjoes. Sgje gt the kptes  
 ihpjoess vikk oe jgse ihtesestihtr thph  
 this ghe! The igue nseu tgs this jesspre  
 is p sijfke snostitntigh iifhes ih vhiih  
 uirits hpbe oeeh shittu ox 8 fkpies.  
 The fpssvgsu is "txSrN03uidd" vithgnt the  
 dngtes

So it make some useful words like 'see'

8. Now we can see 'p' is alone so according to English dictionery only i or a is alone so here we have set of word like 'is p' so we can see 'p' is replaceable by 'a'.

At this point cipher text look like:

This is the tisst ihajoes gt the iabes.

As xgn iah see, these is hgthihr gt  
 Ihtesest ih the ihajoes. Sgje gt the kates  
 ihajoess vikk oe jgse ihtesestihtr thah  
 this ghe! The igue nseu tgs this jessare

is a sijfke snostitntigh iifhes ih vhiih  
 uirits habe oeeh shitteu ox 8 fkaies.  
 The fassvgsu is "txSrN03uidd" vithgnt the  
 dngtes

9. Here we observed some words like ‘thah’, ‘ih the’ where ‘h’ can be replaced by ‘n’.

At this point cipher text look like:

This is the tisst ihajoes gt the iabes.

As xgn ian see, these is ngthinr gt  
 Intesest in the ihajoes. Sgje gt the kates  
 ihajoess vikk oe jgse intesestinr than  
 this gne! The igue nseu tgs this jessare  
 is a sijfke snostitntign iifhes in vhiih  
 uirits habe oeen shitteu ox 8 fkaies.  
 The fassvgsu is "txSrN03uidd" vithgnt the  
 Dngtes

10. Here word ‘ian’ should be ‘can’ so we replace ‘i’ with ‘c’.

At this point cipher text look like:

This is the tisst chajoes gt the cabes.

As xgn can see, these is ngthinr gt  
 Intesest in the chajoes. Sgje gt the kates  
 chajoess vikk oe jgse intesestinr than  
 this gne! The cgue nseu tgs this jessare  
 is a sijfke snostitntign cifhes in which  
 uirits habe oeen shitteu ox 8 fkaces.  
 The fassvgsu is "txSrN03uidd" vithgnt the  
 Dngtes

11. Now we find the word ‘oe’, here ‘e’ is fixed using the previous guess, so there are two letters possible ‘we’ and ‘be’, to remove this ambiguity we find one more word ‘oeeen’, if we replace ‘o’ with ‘w’ then word becomes ‘ween’ but this is not frequently occurred word in English sentences so here only one possibility ‘been’ is possible which is frequently occur in English sentences. So we replace ‘o’ with ‘b’.

At this point cipher text look like:

This is the tisst chajbes gt the cabes.

As xgn can see, these is ngthinr gt  
 Intesest in the chajbes. Sgje gt the kates  
 chajbess vikk be jgse intesestinr than  
 this gne! The cgue nseu tgs this jessare  
 is a sijfke snbstitntign cifhes in which

uirits habe been shittedu bx 8 fkaces.  
 The fassvgsu is "txSrN03uidd" vithgnt the  
 Dngtes

12. From word 'Intesest' we can replace 's' with 'r', from word 'gne' we can replace 'g' with 'o', from word 'vhich' we can replace 'v' with 'w'.

At this point cipher text look like:

This is the first chajber ot the cabes.

As xon can see, there is nothinr ot  
 Interest in the chajber. Soje ot the kater  
 chajbers wikk be jore interestinr than  
 this one! The coue nseu tor this jessare  
 is a sijfke snbstittion cifher in which  
 uirits habe been shittedu bx 8 fkaces.  
 The fassworu is "txRrN03uidd" without the  
 Dnotes

13. Now word 'tirst' will be 'first' so we replace 't' with 'f'.

Word 'nothinr' will 'nothing' so we replace 'r' with 'g',  
 word 'cifher' will 'cipher' so we replace 'f' with 'p',  
 word 'withont' will be 'without' so we replace 'n' with 'u'.

At this point cipher text look like:

This is the first chajber of the cabes.

As xou can see, there is nothing of  
 Interest in the chajber. Soje of the kater  
 chajbers wikk be jore interesting than  
 this one! The coue useu for this jessage  
 is a sijpke substitution cipher in which  
 uigits habe been shittedu bx 8 pkaces.  
 The passworu is "txRgU03uidd" without the  
 Duotes

14. Word 'jore' will be 'more' so we replace 'j' with 'm'

Word 'xou' will be 'you' so we replace 'x' with 'y'

Word 'wikk' will be 'will' so we replace 'k' with 'l'

Word 'uigits' will be 'digits' so we replace 'u' with 'd'

At this point cipher text look like:

This is the first chamber of the cabes.

As you can see, there is nothing of  
 Interest in the chamber. Some of the later  
 chambers will be more interesting than  
 this one! The code used for this message  
 is a simple substitution cipher in which

digits have been shifted by 8 places.

The password is "tyRgU03didd" without the

Quotes

15. Word 'have' will be 'have' so we replace 'b' with 'v'

Word 'Quotes' will be 'Quotes' so we replace 'D' with 'Q'

So now we get final decrypted form is :

This is the first chamber of the caves.

As you can see, there is nothing of

Interest in the chamber. Some of the later

chambers will be more interesting than

this one! The code used for this message

is a simple substitution cipher in which

digits have been shifted by 8 places.

The password is "tyRgU03diqq" without the

Quotes

16. After decrypting the ciphertext, we get to know that "DIGITS HAVE BEEN SHIFTED BY 8 PLACES". As per our analysis, we found that digits are encrypted using following formulae:

$$E(x) = (x + x) \% 10$$

In our case  $E(x) = 8$ . So the only possible values of  $x$  are 4 and 9. So we need to shift digits by either 4 places or 9 places. Lets first assume  $x = 4$ . So we shifted digits 0 & 3 to 4 places and hence they become 6 & 9 respectively. So our decrypted text becomes "tyRgU69diqq". On submitting this decrypted text, it showed correct. So we didn't check for other value of  $x$  because we already got correct decrypted text.

#### Q4 Mapping

10 Points

What is the plaintext space and ciphertext space?

What is the mapping between the elements of plaintext space and the elements of ciphertext space? (Explain in less than 100 words)

Ciphertext :

Mewa wa mey twsam iepjoys gt mey ipbya.

Pa xgn iph ayy, meysy wa hgmewhr gt

whmysyam wh mey iepjoys. Agjy gt mey kpmys

iepjoysa vwkk oy jgsy whmysyamwhr meph

mewa ghy! Mey iguy nayu tgs mewa jyaapry

wa p awjfyk anoamwmnmwgh iwfeys wh vewie

uwrwma epby oyyh aewtmyu ox 8 fkpiya.

Mey fpaavgsu wa "mxSrN03uwdd" vwmegnm mey  
dngmya.

Plaintext :

This is the first chamber of the caves.

As you can see, there is nothing of  
Interest in the chamber. Some of the later  
chambers will be more interesting than  
this one! The code used for this message  
is a simple substitution cipher in which  
digits have been shifted by 8 places.  
The password is "tyRgU69diqq" without the  
Quotes.

Mapping :

A -> S

B -> V

C -> \$

D -> Q

E -> H

F -> P

G -> O

H -> N

I -> C

J -> M

K -> L

L -> \$

M -> T

N -> U

O -> B

P -> A

Q -> \$

R -> G

S -> R

T -> F

U -> D

V -> W

W -> I

X -> Y

Y -> E

Z -> \$

### Q5 Password

5 Points

What is the final command used to clear this level?

tyRgU69diqq

### Q6 Codes

0 Points

Upload any code that you have used to solve this level

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In [1]: encrypted_text = "Mewa wa mey twsam iepjoys gt mey
ipbya. Pa xgn iph ayy, meysy wa hgmewhr gt
whmysyam wh mey iepjoys. Agjy gt mey kpmys
iepjoysa vwkk oy jgsy whmysyamwhr meph mewa ghy!
Mey iguy nayu tgs mewa jyaapry wa p awjfy
anoamwmmwgh iwfeys wh vewie uwrwma epby oyyh
aewtmyu ox 8 fkpiya. Mey fpaavgsu wa mxSrN03uudd
vwmegnm mey dngmya."
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## SHIFT CIPHER / CAESAR CIPHER

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In [2]: for j in range(1,27):
        plain = ""
        for i in range(len(encrypted_text)):
            if(encrypted_text[i].isupper()):
                plain += chr(((ord(encrypted_text[i]) + j - 65) %
26) + 65)
            elif(encrypted_text[i].islower()):
                plain += chr((ord(encrypted_text[i]) + j - 97) %
26 + 97)
            else:
                plain += encrypted_text[i]
        print(plain)
        print("\n")
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Nfxb xb nfz uxtbn jfqkpt hu nfz jqczb. Qb yho jqj bzz, nftz

Ogyc yc oga vyuco kgrlqau iv oga krdac. Rc zip krj caa, ogau:

Phzd zd phb wzvdp lmsrbv jw phb lsebd. Sd ajq lsk dbb, phb



Qiae ae qic xaweq mitnscw kx qic mtfce. Te bkr mtl ecc, qicw

Rjbf bf rjd ybxfr njuotdx ly rjd nugdf. Uf cls num fdd, rjdx b

Skcg cg ske zcygs okvpuey mz ske ovheg. Vg dmt ovn gee, sk

Tldh dh tlf adzht plwqvfvz na tlf pwifh. Wh enu pwo hff, tlfzf c

Umei ei umg beaiu qmxrwga ob umg qxjgi. Xi fov qxp igg, ur

Vnfj fj vnh cfbjv mnsxhb pc vnh rykhj. Yj gpw ryq jhh, vnhbl

Wogk gk woi dgckw soztyic qd woi szlik. Zk hqx szr kii, woic

Xphl hl xpj ehdlx tpauzjd re xpj tamjl. Al iry tas ljj, xpjdj hl sr

Yqim im yqk fiemy uqbvake sf yqk ubnkm. Bm jsz ubt mkk, y

Zrjn jn zrl gjfnz vrcwblf tg zrl vcoln. Cn kta vcu nll, zrlfl jn ut

Asko ko asm hkgoa wsdxcmg uh asm wdpmo. Do lub wdv on

Btlp lp btn ilhpb xteydnh vi btn xeqnp. Ep mvc xew pnn, btnh

Cumq mq cuo jmiqc yufzeoi wj cuo yfroq. Fq nwd yfx qoo, cu

Dvnr nr dvp knjrd zvgaftpj xk dvp zgsprr. Gr oxe zgy rpp, dvpjj

Ewos os ewq lokse awhbgqk yl ewq ahtqs. Hs pyf ahz sqq, ew

Fxpt pt fxr mpltf bxichrl zm fxr biurt. It qzg bia trr, fxrlr pt azl

Gyqu qu gys nqmug cyjdism an gys cjvsu. Ju rah cjb uss, gysr

Hzrv rv hzt ornvh dzkejtn bo hzt dkwtv. Kv sbi dkc vtt, hztnt 1

Iasw sw iau psowi ealfkuo cp iau elxuw. Lw tej eld wuu, iauoi

Jbtx tx jbv qtpxj fbmglyp dq jbv fmyvx. Mx udk fine xv, jbvj

Kcuy uy kcw ruqyk genhmqwq er kcw gznwy. Ny vel gnf yww

Ldvz vz ldx svrzl hdoinxr fs ldx hoaxz. Oz wfm hog zxx, ldxr

Mewa wa mey twsam iepjoys gt mey ipbya. Pa xgn iph ayy, n

## FREQUENCY ANALYSIS

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In [3]: encrypted_text = encrypted_text.upper() #since there are
        small as well as capital letters in encrypted text, so for
        frequency analysis we converted each letter to
        corresponding capital letter
        encrypted_text
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Out [3]: 'MEWA WA MEY TWSAM IEPJOYS GT MEY IPBYA. PA 3
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In [4]: l = len(encrypted_text)
        unigrams = {i: round(encrypted_text.count(i) / l * 100,
        3) for i in set(encrypted_text)}
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In [5]: sorted(unigrams.items(), key = lambda k: k[1], reverse =
        True)
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Out [5]: [(' ', 17.846),
          ('Y', 11.077),
          ('M', 8.615),
          ('A', 8.308),
          ('W', 7.692),
          ('E', 6.769),
          ('G', 4.308),
          ('P', 4.0),
          ('S', 4.0),
          ('H', 3.692),
          ('I', 2.769),
          ('N', 2.154),
          ('O', 2.154),
          ('J', 2.154),
          ('U', 1.846),
          ('T', 1.846),
          ('R', 1.538),
          ('K', 1.538),
          ('.', 1.231),
          ('V', 1.231),
          ('F', 1.231),
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('D', 0.923),  
( 'X', 0.923),  
( 'B', 0.615),  
( '3', 0.308),  
( '0', 0.308),  
( '8', 0.308),  
( '!', 0.308),  
( ',', 0.308)]
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In [6]: from collections import Counter  
encrypted_text = encrypted_text.replace(" ", "")
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In [7]: bigrams = Counter(encrypted_text[i : i + 2] for i in  
range(len(encrypted_text) - 1))  
bigrams.most_common
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Out [7]: <bound method Counter.most_common of Counter({'ME': 14,
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Q7 Team Name  
0 Points

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## Assignment 1


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41 / 50 pts

Question 1

Commands

5 / 5 pts

Question 2

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