

I used Pycharm to code the hill cipher.

Before running the program, make sure there is numpy module downloaded in Pycharm.

This program does encryption as well as decryption.

**For encryption:**

Step 1: The program reads the key.txt file to fetch the key.

STEP 2: The program converts the key into a matrix.

STEP 3: The program then reads the message.txt file to fetch the plain text.

STEP 4: The program creates the plain text into a matrix.

STEP 5: The program then performs encryption and write the encrypted text onto the temp.txt file.

**For decryption:**

Step 1: The program first creates an inverse of the key matrix used for encryption.

STEP 2: The program then reads the cipher.txt file to fetch the cipher text.

STEP 3: The program creates the cipher text into a matrix.

STEP 4: The program then performs decryption and write the decrypted text onto the temp.txt file.

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HillCipher.py
Run: /Users/saritisinh/PycharmProjects/HillCipher/venv/bin/python /Users/saritisinh/PycharmProjects/HillCipher/hillCipher.py
Enter a to EXIT
Enter b to Encrypt
Enter c to Decrypt
Enter d to Show the contents of the file

Enter your choice: b
Encryption is underway
.
.
The key is valid and successfully loaded onto the memory
.
Encryption Completed ! Encrypted text written in the file temp.txtPress d to show contents of the file

Enter your choice: c
*****DETAILS IN THE FILES*****
Cipher text: AVHUON[A\RZ\XXQ

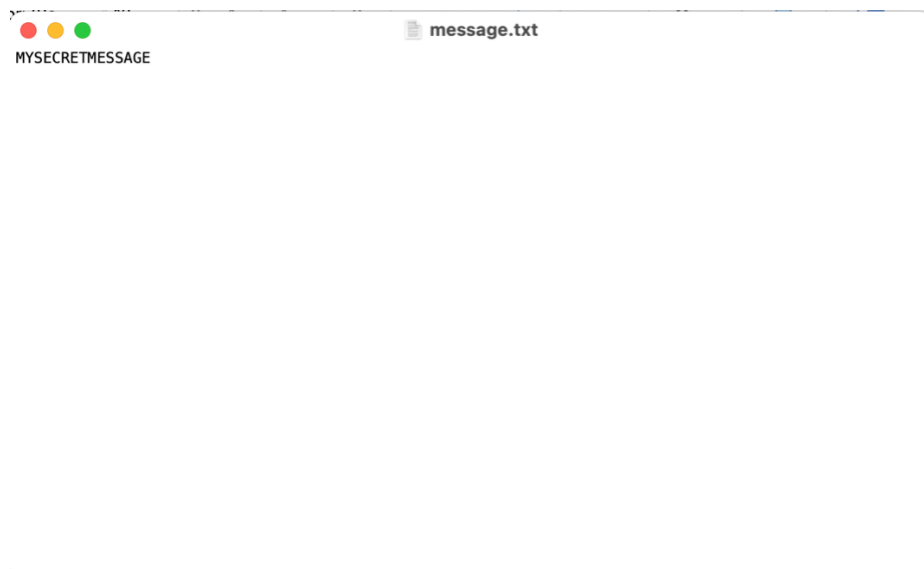
Enter your choice: c
Decryption is underway
.
.
The key is valid and successfully loaded onto the memory.

Decryption Completed! Decrypted text written in the file temp.txt Press d to show contents of the file

Enter your choice: c
*****DETAILS IN THE FILES*****
Plain text: MYSECREMESSAGE

Enter your choice: c
Thank you for using our Hill cipher Encryption/ Decryption system.

Process finished with exit code 0
Download pre-built shared indexes: Reduce the indexing time and CPU load with pre-built Python packages shared indexes // Always download // Download once // Don't show again ... (33 minutes ago) 36:1 LF UTF-8 4 spaces Python 3.10 (HillCipher)
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AVHUON [A\RZ\KXQ]

cipher.txt

Plain text: MYSECRETMESAGE

tempFile.txt