

NTRU Post-Quantum Encryption

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1 Example from Wikipedia

I want to re-create <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/NTRUEncrypt> This common parameters were used:

$$N = 11; p = 3; q = 32$$

Select polynomial:

$$f = -x^{10} + x^9 + x^6 - x^4 + x^2 + x - 1$$

We make sure that polynomials f_q and f_p with the property $f \cdot f_q = 1(\text{mod } q)$ and $f \cdot f_p = 1(\text{mod } p)$ exist.

1.1 `balancedmod(f(x),q,N)`

This helper function reduces every coefficient of a polynomial $f \in \mathbb{Z}[x]$ modulo q with additional balancing, so the result coefficients are integers in interval $[-q/2, +q/2]$. More specifically:

- for an odd q coefficients belong to $[-\frac{q-1}{2}, +\frac{q-1}{2}]$
- for an even q coefficients belong to $[-\frac{q}{2}, +\frac{q}{2} - 1]$

Finally the resulting polynomial is fit into $\mathbb{Z}[x]$ and returned.

```
def balancedmod(f,q):  
    g = list(((f[i] + q//2) % q) - q//2 for i in range(N))  
    Zx.<x> = ZZ[]  
    return Zx(g)
```

Example:

$$\text{balancedmod}(1 + 31x + 32x^2 + 33x^3 - x^4, 32) = -x^4 + x^3 - x + 1$$

1.2 multiply(f(x), g(x))

This function serves for multiplication operation specific for NTRU, which works like a traditional polynomial multiplication with additional reduction of the result by $x^N - 1$

```
def convolution(f,g):
    return (f * g) % (x^N-1)
```

1.3 invertmodprime(f(x),p)

This function calculates an inversion of a polynomial modulo $x^N - 1$ and then modulo p with assumption that p is prime number. Returns a polynomial $f_p \in \mathbb{Z}[x]$ such as $f \cdot f_p = 1 \pmod{p}$. An exception is thrown if such polynomial $f_p \in \mathbb{Z}[x]$ does not exist.

```
def invertmodprime(f,p):
    Zx.<x> = ZZ[]
    Zq.<z> = PolynomialRing(Integers(p))
    ZQphi.<Z> = Zq.quotient(z^N-1)
    a = f % p
    a = a.subs(x=z)
    k = 0
    b = 1*z^0
    c = 0*z^0
    f = a
    g = z^N-1

    if a.gcd(g) != 1:
        raise Exception("inversion dosen't exist!")
    while True:
        while list(f)[0] == 0:
            f /= Z
            c *= Z
            k += 1
        if findDegree(list(f)) == 0:
            b = 1/list(f)[0] * b
            res = Z^(N-k) * b
            return Zx(res.lift())
        if compareDegrees(list(f), list(g)):
            f, g = g, f
            b, c = c, b
        u = list(f)[0] * (1/list(g)[0])
        f -= u*g
        b -= u*c
```

Example:

$$f = -x^{10} + x^9 + x^6 - x^4 + x^2 + x - 1, N = 11, p = 3$$

$$f_p = \text{invertmodprime}(f, p) = 2x^9 + x^8 + 2x^7 + x^5 + 2x^4 + 2x^3 + 2x + 1$$

Note is the inverse from Wikipedia - NTRU. $-x^{10} + x^9 + x^6 - x^4 + x^2 + x - 1$

1.4 invertmodpowerof2(f(x), q, N)

This function calculates an inversion of a polynomial modulo $x^N - 1$ and then modulo q with assumption that q is a power of 2.

```
def invertmodpowerof2(f, p):
    r = int(math.log(p, 2))
    p = 2
    q = p
    b = invertmodprime(f, p)
    while q < p^r:
        q = q^2
        b = b * (2 - f*b) % q % (x^N-1)
    b = b % p^r % (x^N - 1)
    return b
```

Example:

$$f = -x^{10} + x^9 + x^6 - x^4 + x^2 + x - 1, N = 11, p = 3, q = 32$$

$$f_q = \text{invertmodpowerof2}(f, q) = 30x^{10} + 18x^9 + 20x^8 + 22x^7 + 16x^6 + 15x^5 + 4x^4 + 16x^3 + 6x^2 + 9x + 5$$

1.5 generate_keys(f, g)

In this section we will generate public and secret key. To generate the key pair two polynomials f and g , with degree at most $N - 1$ and with coefficients in $\{-1, 0, 1\}$ are required. They can be considered as representations of the residue classes of polynomials modulo $X^N - 1$ in R . The polynomial $\mathbf{f} \in L_f$ must satisfy the additional requirement that the inverses modulo q and modulo p exist, which means that $\mathbf{f} \cdot \mathbf{f}_p = 1 \pmod{p}$ and $\mathbf{f} \cdot \mathbf{f}_q = 1 \pmod{q}$ must hold. The secret key is a pair of randomly generated polynomials $(f(x), g(x))$

```
def generate_keys(polynomial_1 = None, polynomial_2 = None):
    if validate_params():
        while True:
            try:
                if polynomial_1 is None or polynomial_2 is None:

                    f = generate_polynomial(d+1, d)
                    g = generate_polynomial(d, d)
```

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        else:
            f = polynomial_1
            g = polynomial_2

            f_q = invertmodpowerof2(f,q)

            f_p = invertmodprime(f,p)
            break

    except:
        pass

    public_key = balancedmod(p * convolution(f_q,g),q)

    secret_key = f,f_p
    return public_key,secret_key

else:
    print("")

```

1.6 encrypt(message, public_key)

Function to encrypt the message.

```

def encrypt(message, public_key, r):
    return balancedmod(convolution(public_key,r) + message,q)

```

Example. Let's choose message $\mathbf{m} = -1 + x^3 - x^4 - x^8 + x^9 + x^{10}$ and random polynomial $\mathbf{r} = -1 + x^2 + x^3 + x^4 - x^5 - x^7$

$\mathbf{e} = \text{encrypt}(\text{message}, \text{public_key}) = -16x^{10} - 13x^9 + 12x^8 - 13x^7 + 15x^6 - 8x^5 + 12x^4 - 12x^3 - 10x^2 - 7x + 8$

1.7 decrypt(encrypted_message, secret_key)

Function to decrypt the message.

```

def decrypt(encrypted_message, secret_key):
    f,f_p = secret_key

    a = balancedmod(convolution(encrypted_message,f),q)

    return balancedmod(convolution(a,f_p),p)

```

Example.

$\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{f} \cdot \mathbf{e} = 19x^{10} + 6x^9 + 25x^8 + 7x^7 + 30x^6 + 16x^5 + 14x^4 + 24x^3 + 26x^2 + 11x + 14$

after central lift

$$\mathbf{b} = \mathbf{a} = 25x^{10} + 29x^9 - 27x^8 + 7x^7 + 6x^6 + 7x^5 - 22x^4 - 11x^3 + 22x^2 - 7x + 3$$

$$\mathbf{c} = x^{10} - x^9 + x^7 + x^5 - x^4 + x^3 + x^2 - x$$

We got the original message.

References

- [1] Implementation by Elena Mashkina <https://github.com/elena-mashkina/ntru/blob/master/NTRU.sage>
- [2] Explanation <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/NTRUEncrypt>