

60 HOURS CODE SPRINT

Cryptography-Play Cipher



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Terminologies

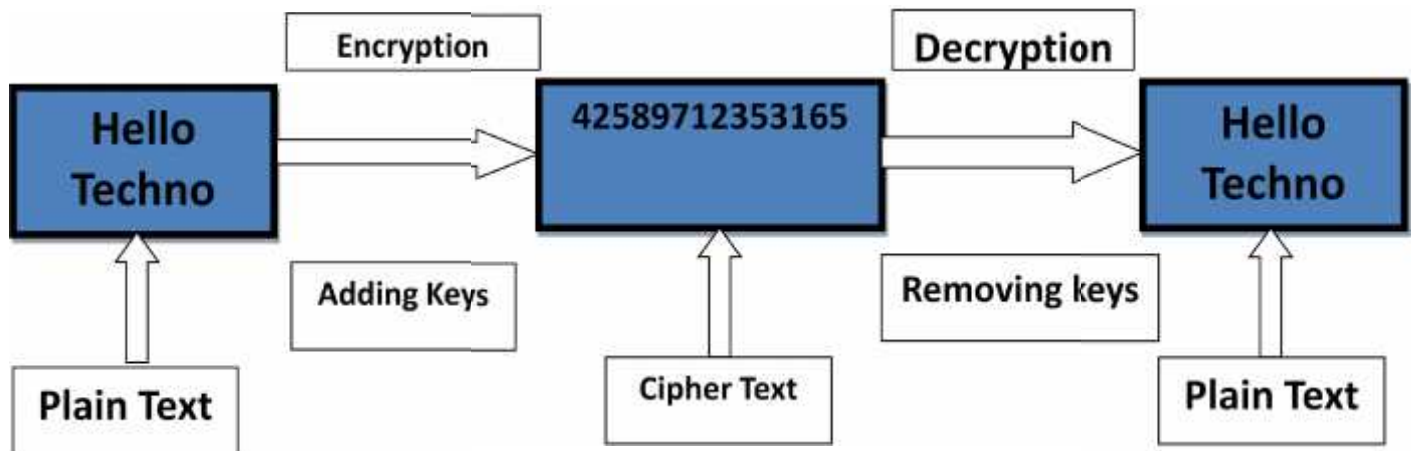
Cryptography is the science of using mathematics to encrypt and decrypt data.

Data that can be read and understood without any special measures is called **Plaintext** or **clear text**.

The method of disguising plaintext in such a way as to hide its substance is called **encryption**.

Encrypting plaintext results in unreadable gibberish called **cipher text**.

The process of reverting cipher text to its original plaintext is called **decryption**.



Play Cipher

Description:

The technique encrypts pairs of letters (*digrams*), instead of single letters.

The Play fair cipher uses a 5 by 5 table containing a key word or phrase.

One alphabet is substituted with one other alphabet.

A	B	C	D	E
F	G	H	J	K
L	M	N	O	P
Q	R	S	T	U
V	W	X	Y	Z

Plaintext:

MUST COME NOW
MU ST CO ME NO WX

Ciphertext:

RP XY ND BP ST BC
RPXYN DBPST BC

Our algorithm

Description

In this algorithm we use 3×3 numeric matrix instead of 5×5 Alphabet matrix.

Steps:

Step1: Taking file from user.

Step2: Get each char and convert into ASCII values.

Step3: Generate random number between 1 and 9 and multiply to each ASCII values.

Step4: Generate random number between 900 and 1000 and add to each ASCII values.

Step5: Generate random Armstrong number and add to each ASCII values.

Step6: Separate each four digit number in two parts

I) Last two part stored into database.

II) First two part is used for play cipher matrix to encrypt data.

Step7: Applying Play cipher rules to each pair of numbers.

Step 8: After encrypting each values, store in database as string.

Advantage:

We are using 3×3 matrix instead of 5×5 matrix, required low space.