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Symmetric Key Cryptography

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Cryptographic

Algorithm

Any encrpytion scheme(Gen, Enc, Dec) is defined by three algorithms:

Gen (key generation algorithm): is a probabilistic algorithm that outputs a key k chosen according to some distribution.

Enc (encryption algorithm): takes as input a key k and a message and outputs a ciphertext c.

$$C \leftarrow Enc_k(m)$$

Dec (decryption algorithm): takes as input a key and a ciphertext and outputs a message m.

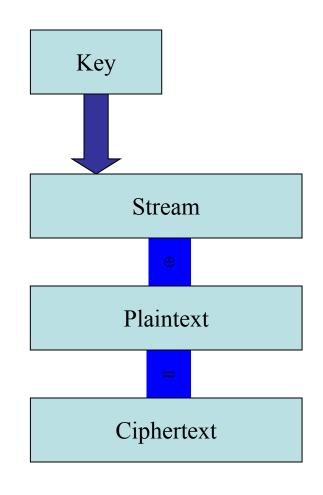
 $m := Dec_k(c)$

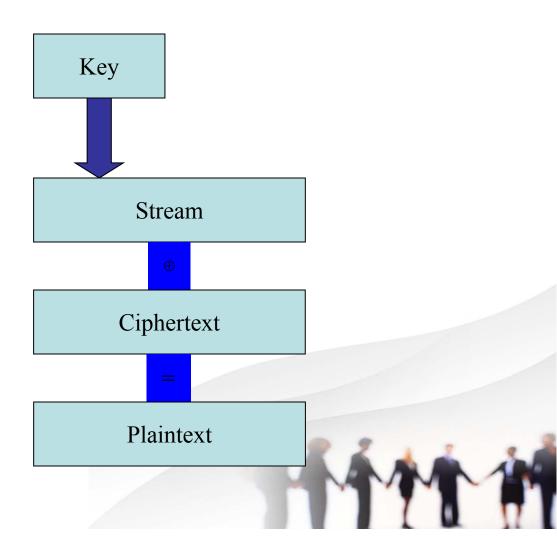


Stream Ciphers

- Start with a secret key ("seed")
- Generate a keying stream
- *i*-th bit/byte of keying stream is a function of the key and the first *i*-1 ciphertext bits.
- Combine the stream with the plaintext to produce the ciphertext (typically by XOR)
- Examples are
 - A5 encrypting GSM handset to base station communication
 - RC-4 (Ron's Code)

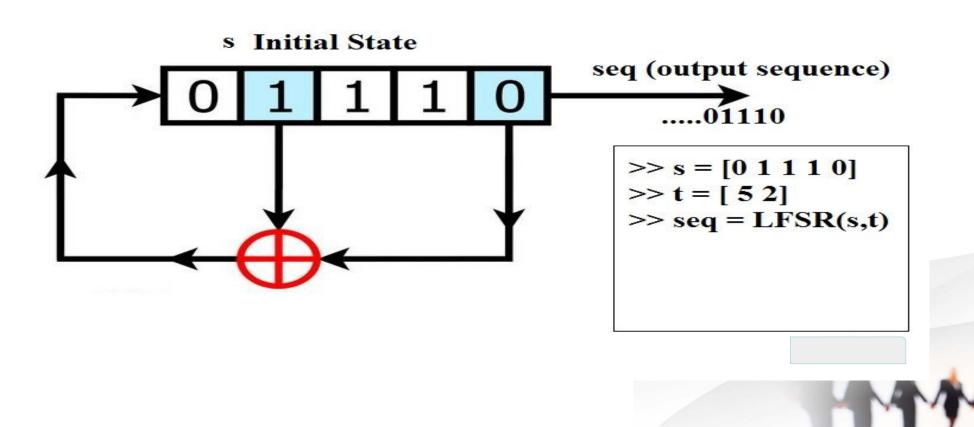
Example of Stream Encryption



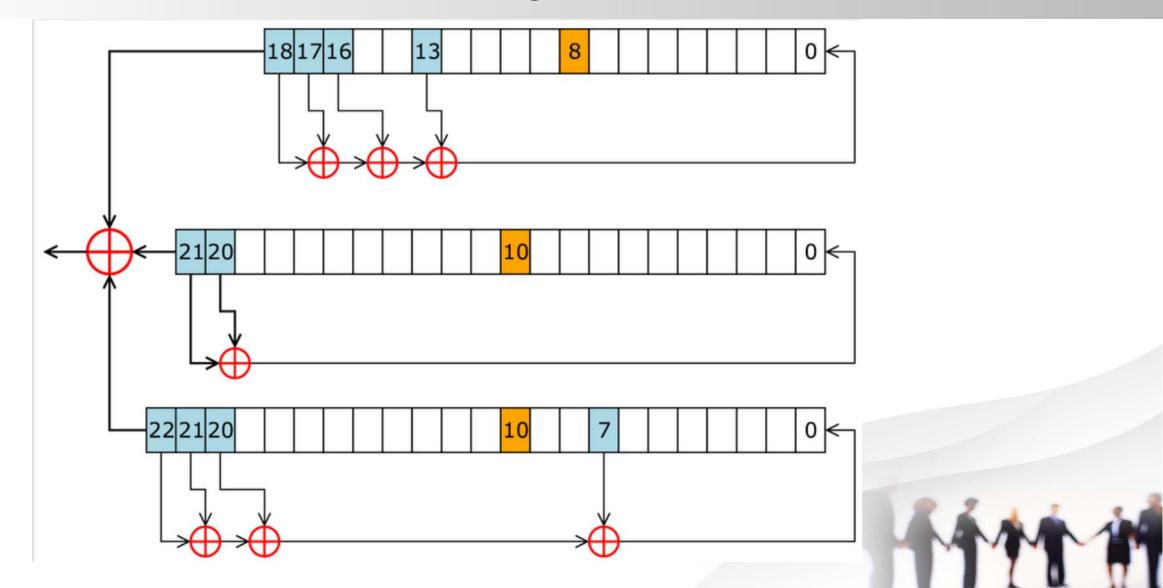


Linear Feedback Shift Register

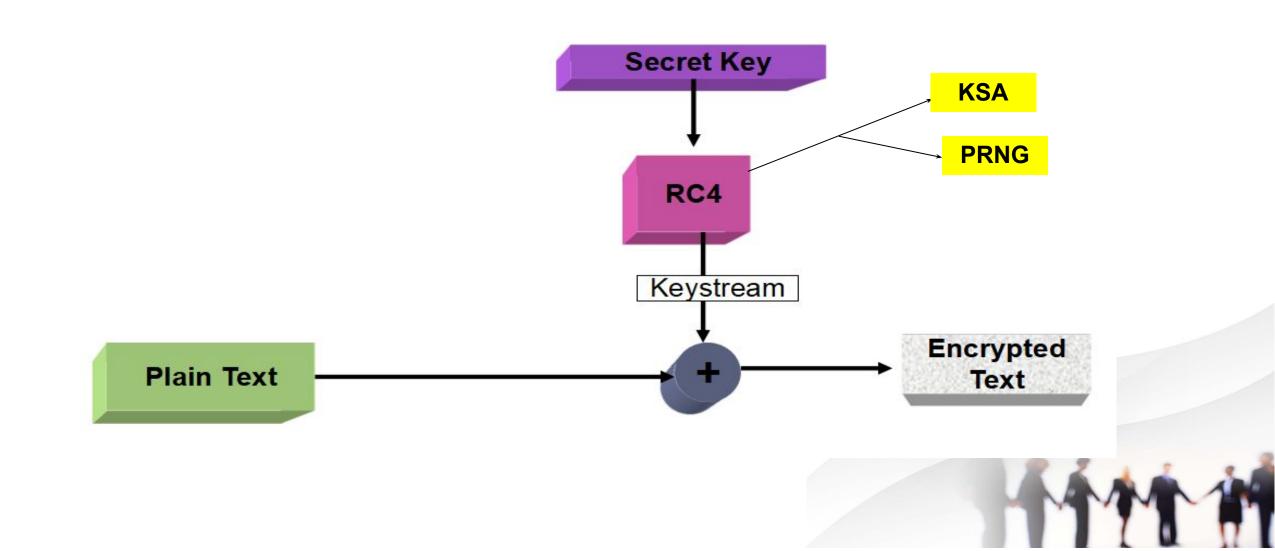
LFSR



A5/1 Algorithm



RC4 Algorithm

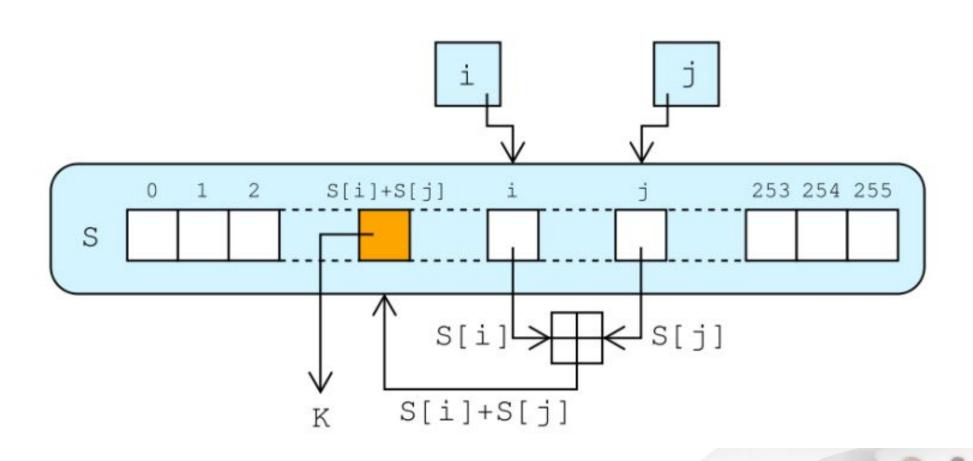


RC4 - KSA

Key Scheduling Algorithm

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for i from 0 to 255
  S[i] := i
endfor
i := 0
for i from 0 to 255
  j := (j + S[i] + key[i mod keylength]) mod 256
  swap values of S[i] and S[j]
endfor
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RC4 - PRNG



RC4 Usage

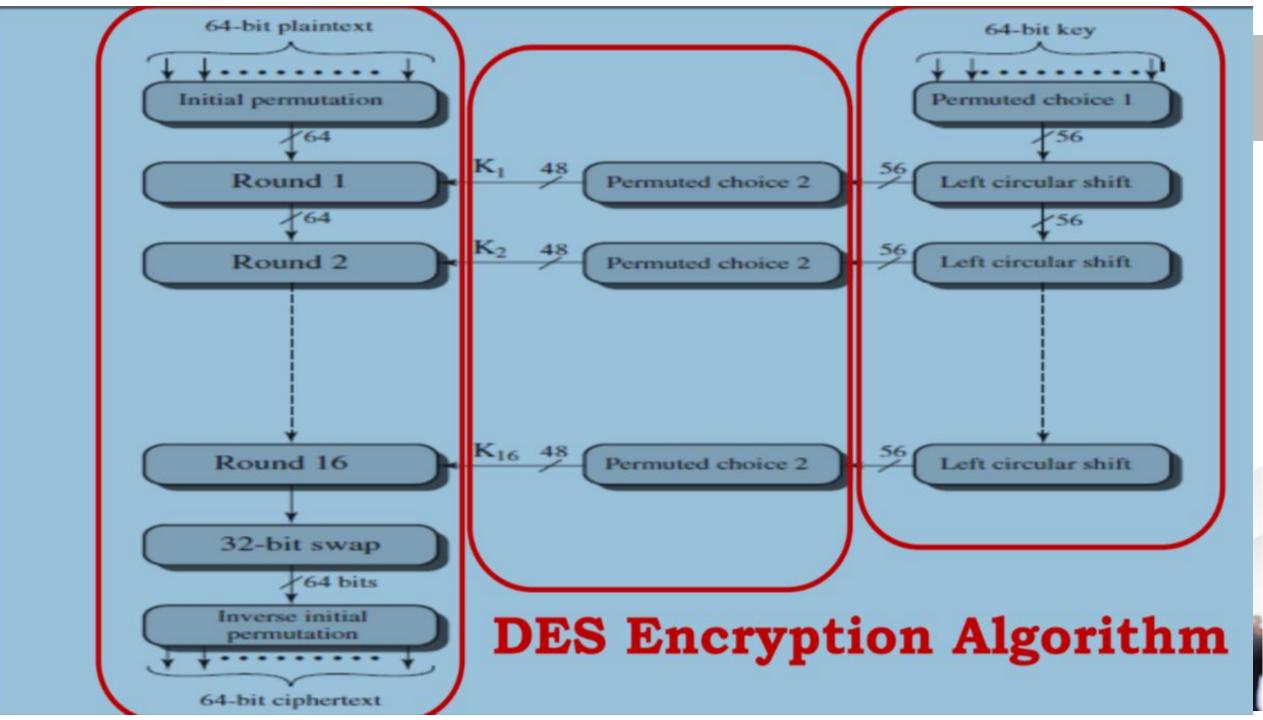
- WEP
- WPA default
- Bit Torrent Protocol Encryption
- Microsoft Point-to-Point Encryption
- SSL (optionally)
- SSH (optionally)
- Remote Desktop Protocol
- Kerberos (optionally)

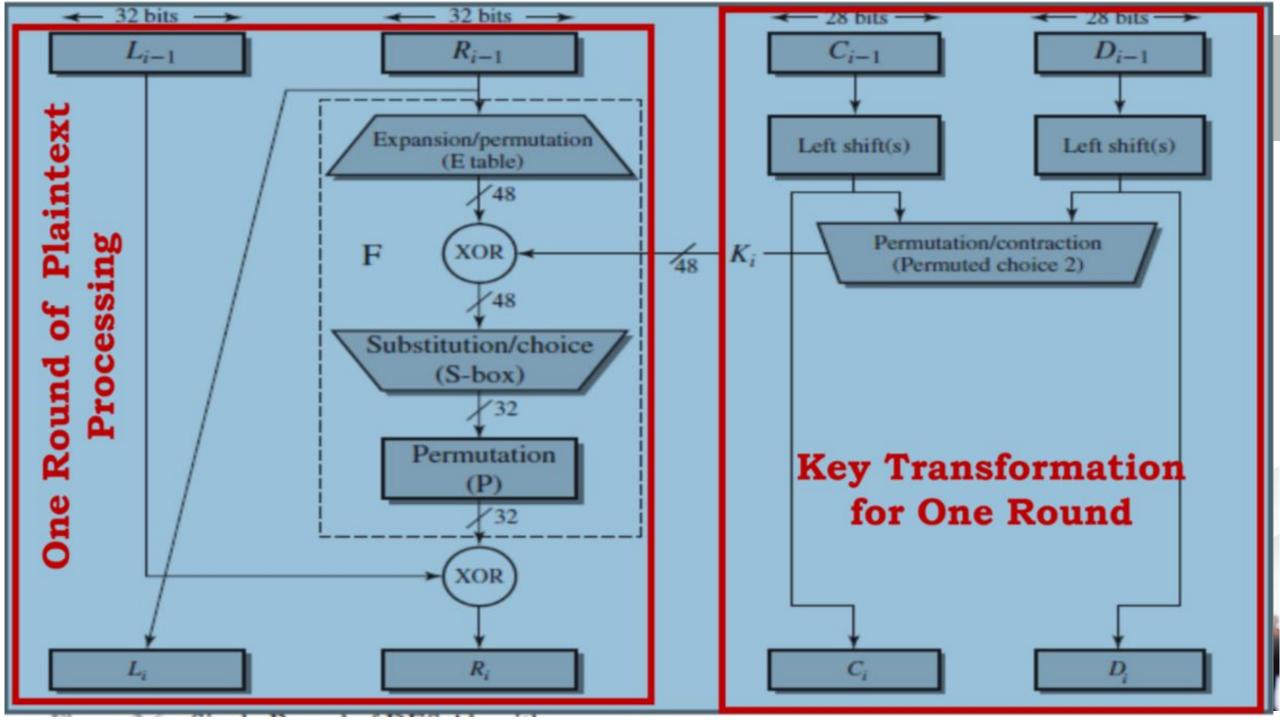
Block Ciphers

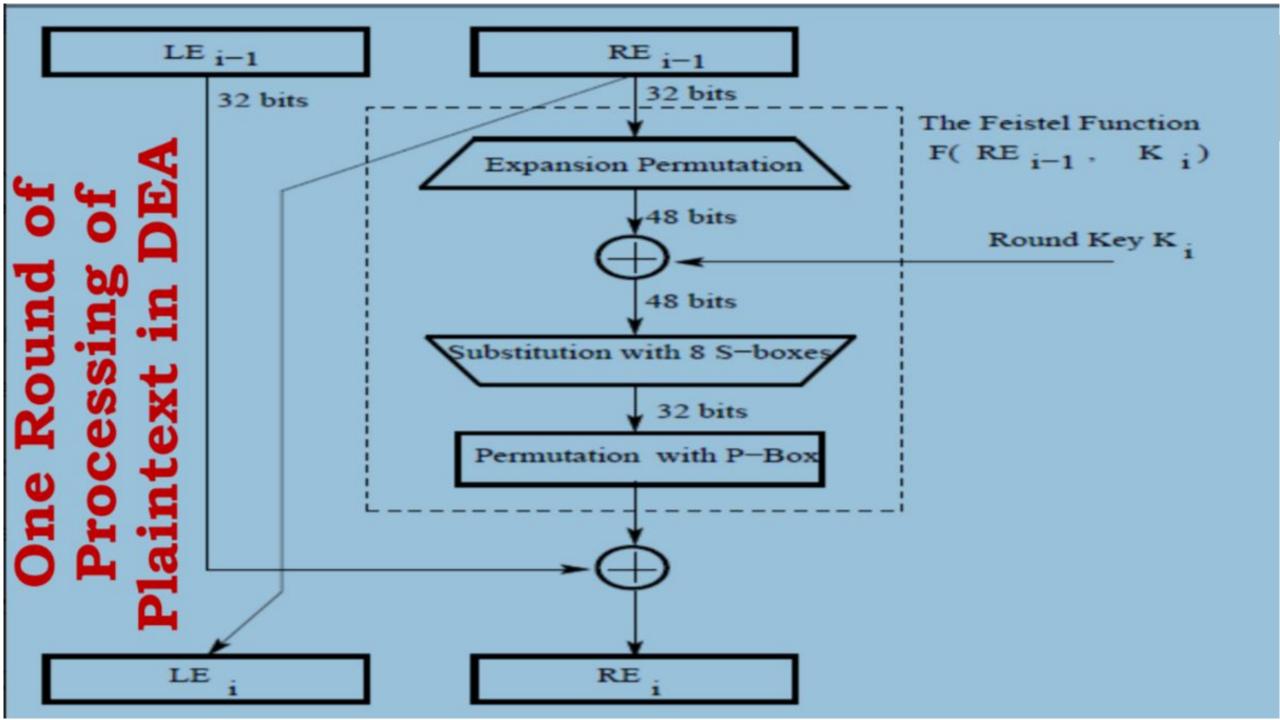
- Encrypt a block of input to a block of output
- Typically, the two blocks are of the same length
- Most symmetric key systems block size is 64
- In AES block size is 128
- Different modes for encrypting plaintext longer than a block.
- Examples include DES, 3-DES, AES, RC-2, RC-5, IDEA, Blowfish etc.

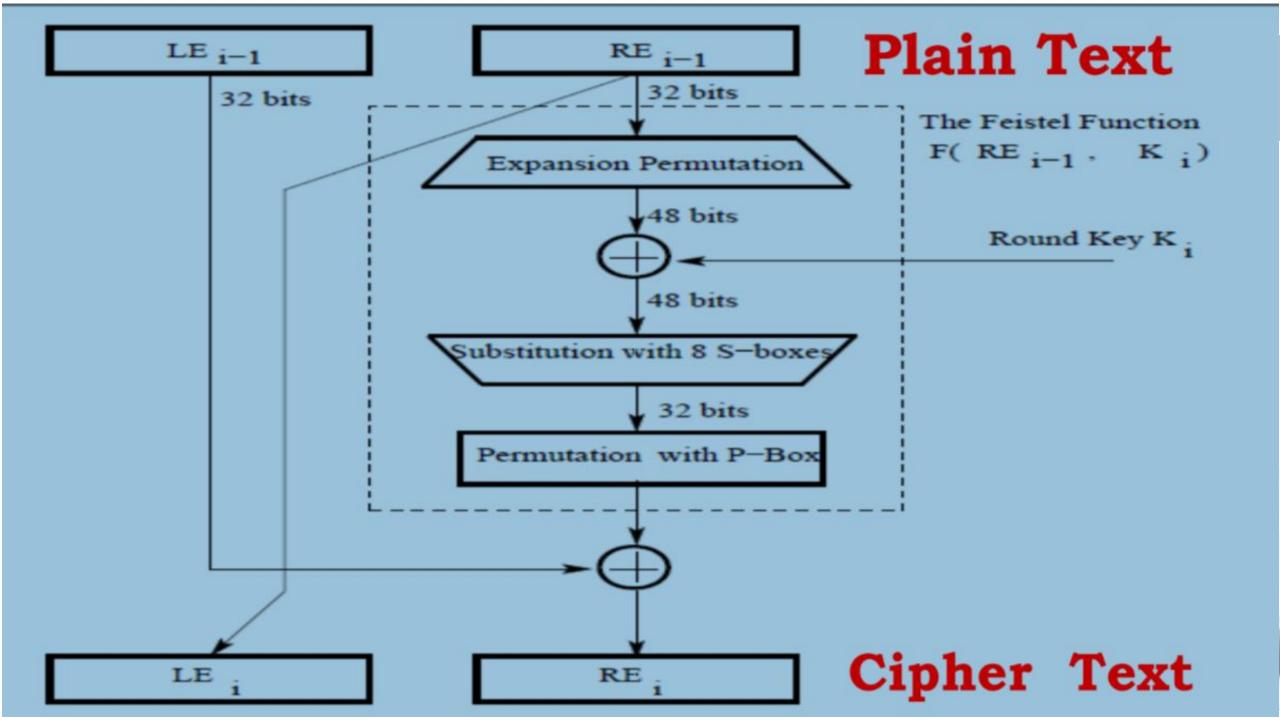
DES Algorihtm

- DES is a Block Cipher;
- ✓ It encrypts plaintext in 64-bit blocks; The plaintext must be
- 64 bits in length
- ✓ The key is 56 bits in length.
- DES is a symmetric algorithm;
- ✓ The same algorithm and key are used for both encryption and decryption

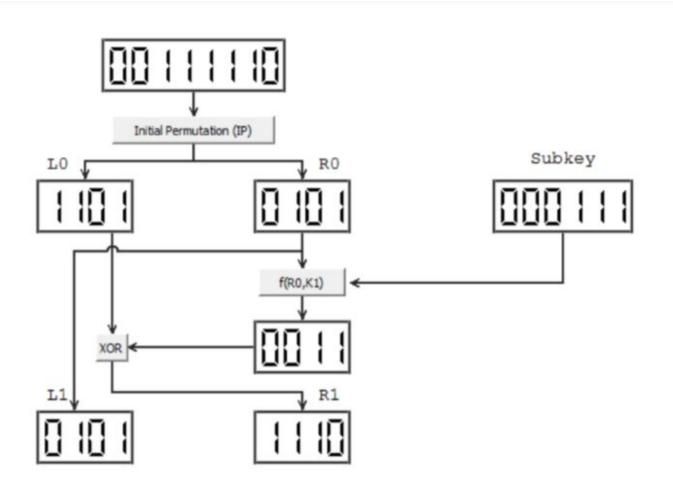




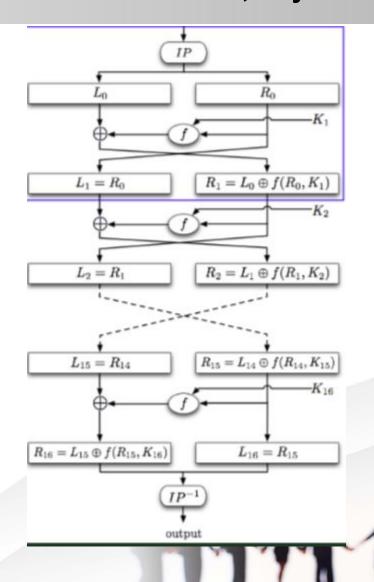




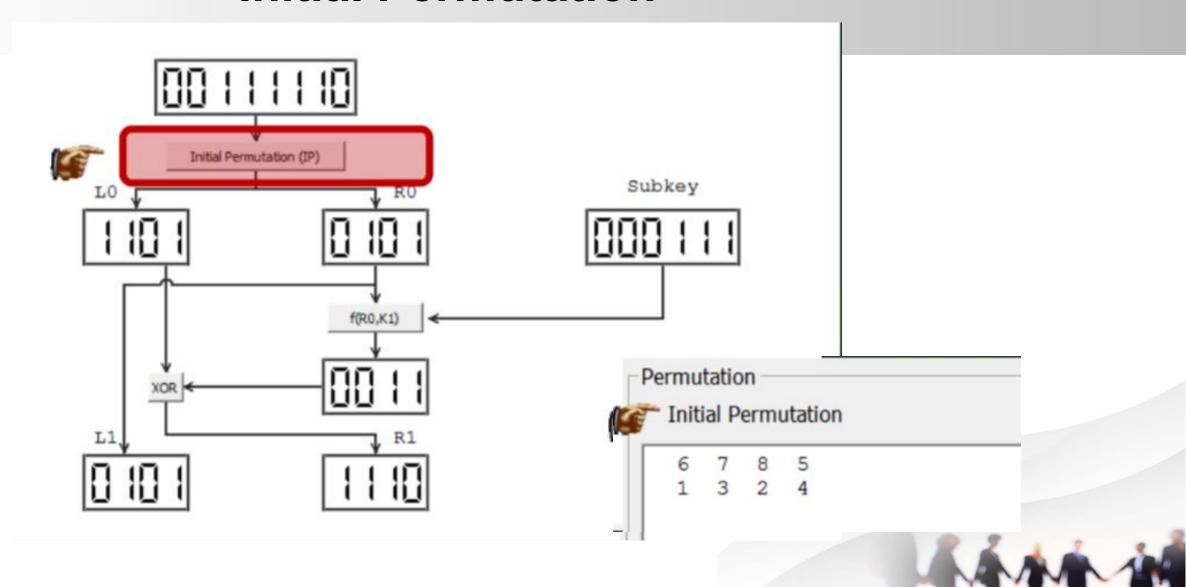
DES Encryption



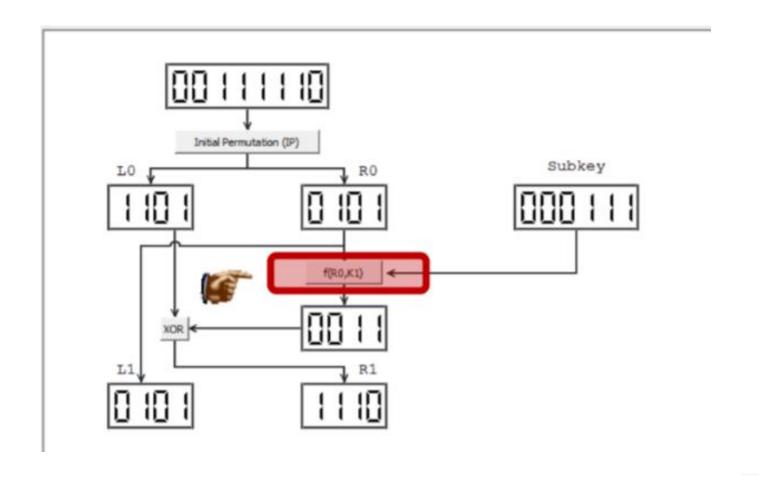
DES Example(8-Bit) Plain Text: 64; Key: 7

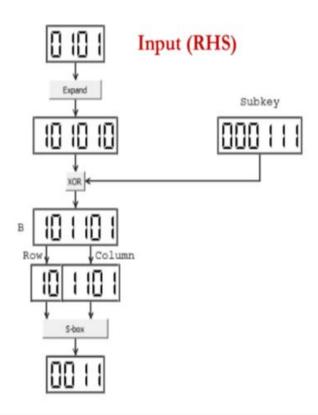


Initial Permutation

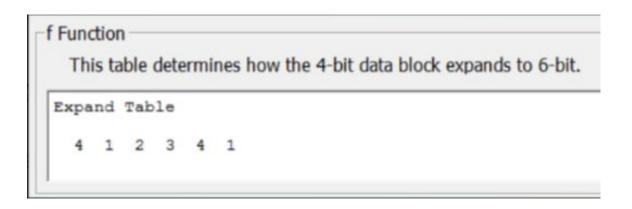


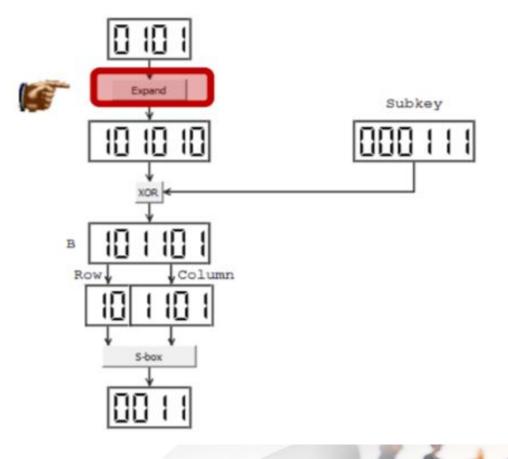
Function: F(R0,K1)



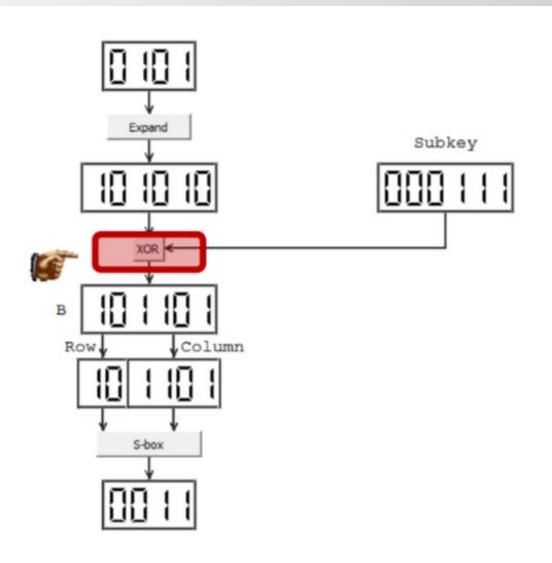


Function: Expand





XOR



Function S-Box

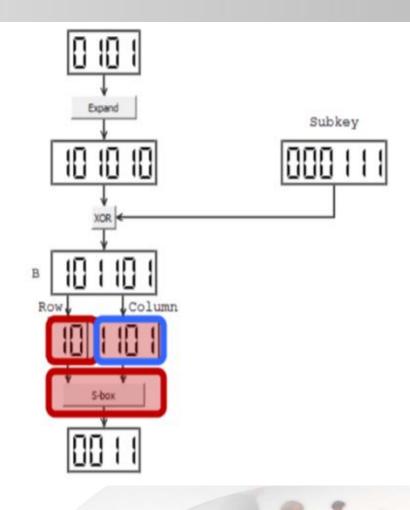
Function S-Box is a 4x16 table, in which each cell is a 4-bit data block. S-box: Column Row 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 0 2 8 12 6 10 14 9 3 7 13 4 15 11 1 0 5 1 7 2 15 5 8 1 0 14 6 4 13 12 11 9 3 10 81 2 9 7 1 14 4 13 2 10 8 6 11 5 12 3 0 15 3 14 6 7 9 2 3 11 4 15 12 0 10 13 5 8 1

Calculation:

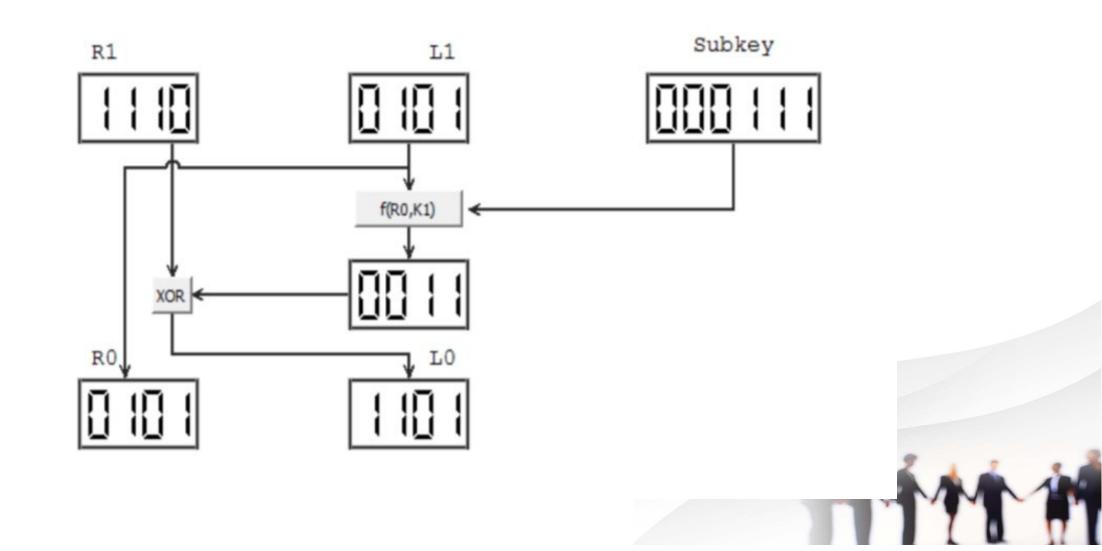
Row1: (10b): 2 Column1: (1101b): 13

Return Value in S-Box 1 at row 2, and col 13: 3

Represent this value in binary: 0011



DES Decryption



Block Ciphers - Modes of Operation:

- ✓ Electronic Codebook (ECB) Mode
- ✓ Cipher Block Chaining (CBC) Mode
- ✓ Cipher Feedback (CFB) Mode
- ✓ Output Feedback (OFB) Mode
- ✓ Counter (CTR) Mode

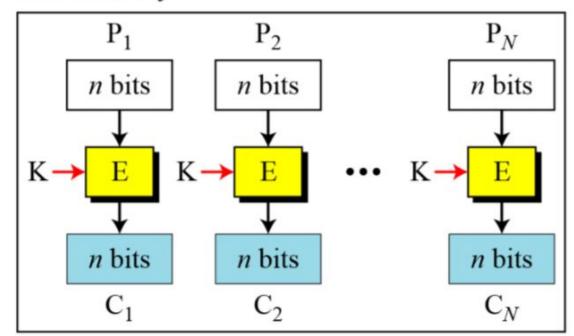


Electronic Codebook (ECB) Mode

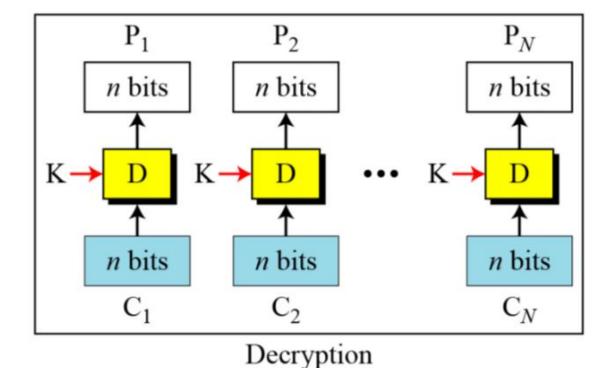
E: Encryption D: Decryption

 P_i : Plaintext block i C_i : Ciphertext block i

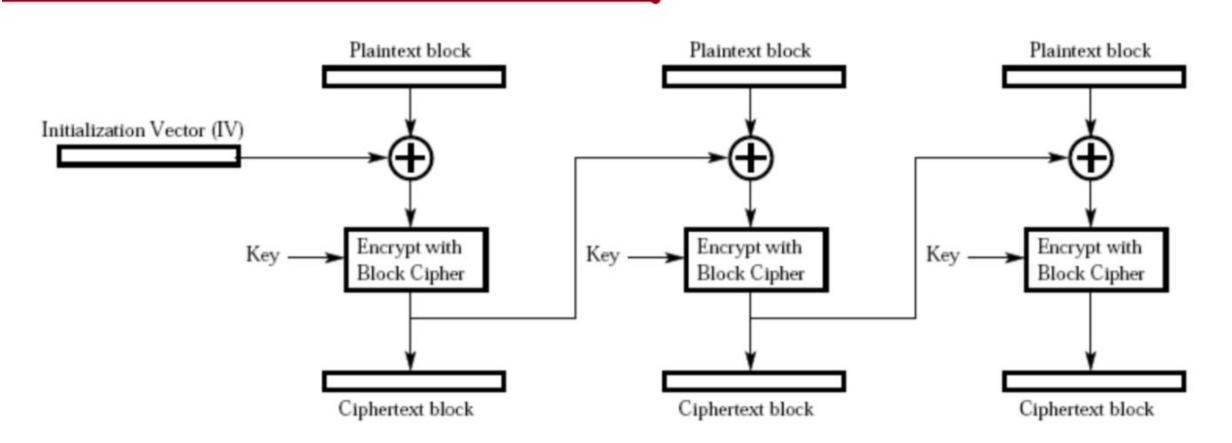
K: Secret key



Encryption

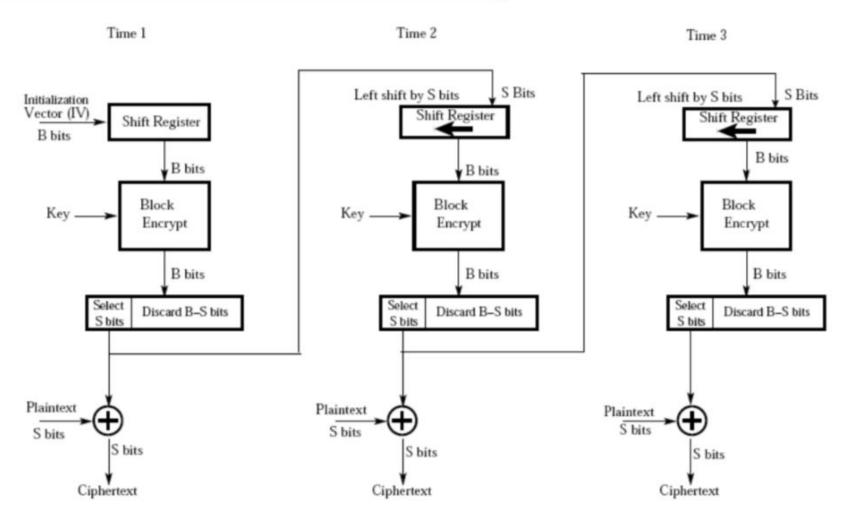


The Cipher Block Chaining Mode (CBC):



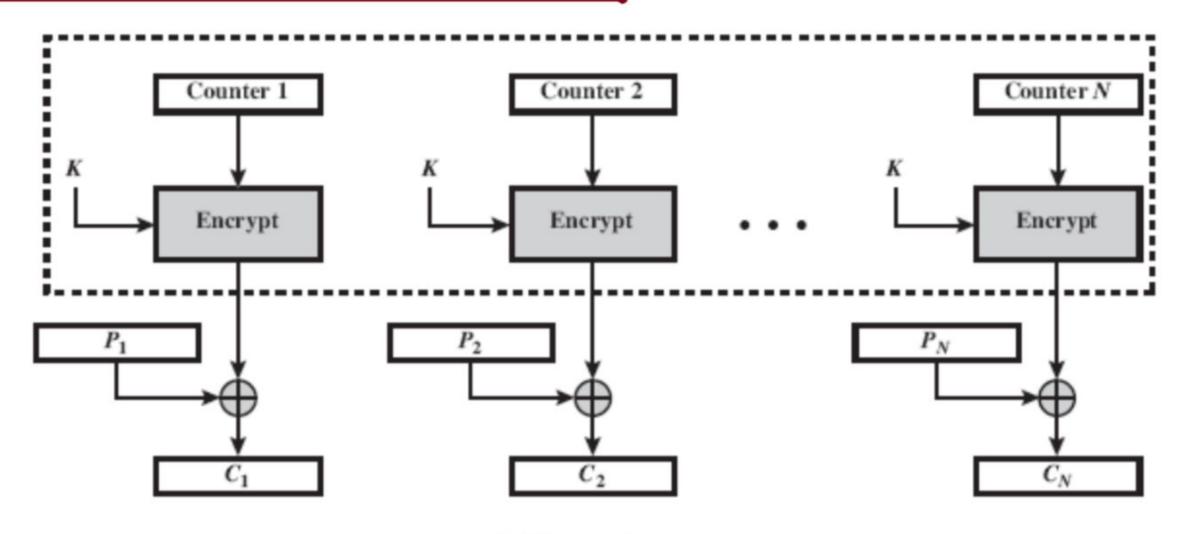
CBC Encryption

The Output Feedback Mode (OFB)



OFB Encryption

The Counter Mode (CTR)



(a) Encryption

Symmetric Key Cryptography Assumptions

The assumptions are:

- The same key is use for both encryption and decryption and
- the two communicants already share secret key, which somehow has been distributed to them; or
- the use of a key distribution center.

Problems:

- key distribution how to have secure communications in general without having to trust a KDC with your key.
- digital signatures how to verify a message comes intact from the claimed sender.

Thank You...

