Cry — Project 2 (Software Requirements Specification): Presentation

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Section 1

Introduction

Scope

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- Cry will allow cryptographers to quickly develop new cryptosystems
 - It will do so by making testing and benchmarking easier
- Cry will also allow the encryption/decryption of data



Definitions, Acronyms, and Abbreviations

Definitions

- Cry: the cryptoframework under development
- Team Crybabies: the team responsible for the development of Cry
- Cryptographers: the target audience of Cry



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References

References

- GMP (GNU Multiple Precision arithmetic library): https://gmplib.org/
- Msieve (General Number Field Sieve integer factorization library): https://github.com/radii/msieve



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Section 2

Overall Description

Product Perspective

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- Cry will be implemented as a stand-alone framework, with built-in cryptosystems updated as needed
- User interface will start as command-line-based (possibility of implementing a GUI)

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Product Functions

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Testing

- Develop new cryptosystems
- Test cryptosystems against cracking techniques and generate helpful output

Reporting

- Upon performing a test, a user will receive a report on the cryptosystem
- The report will indicate the security level of the cryptosystem

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User characteristics

User Characteristics

Users will most likely have a medium to high level of experience with cryptosystems

Constraints

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- Basic memory and CPU availability
- Further library implementations or updates may require parallel operation or interfacing with other applications

Assumptions and Dependencies

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The only assumption of Cry is that it has applicable administrative permissions at the command line

Section 3

Specific Requirements

Interface

- Alice wants to send a confidential message to Bob.
- Eve wants to eavesdrop that message.
- These end-users invoke their downloaded Cry binaries using command-line shells.

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Performance

Minimum hardware

RAM	4 GB
CPU	1.5 GHz

Bob

Input:

\$ cry generatekeys -cryptosystem=<cryptosystem>

Output:

The public & private keys are <public key> & <private key> (took <key-generation time>).



Alice

Input:

```
$ cry encrypt -cryptosystem=<cryptosystem> \
> -publickey=<public key> -plaintext=<plaintext>
```

Output:

```
The ciphertext is <ciphertext> (took <encryption time>).
```

Requirements:

- <plaintext> is an obviously meaningful string, such as ''Eve is just a crybaby.''
- <ciphertext> is an apparently meaningless string, such as
 'sdofAOVI29347asdjkADB234''

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Bob

Input:

```
$ cry decrypt -cryptosystem=<cryptosystem> \
> -privatekey=<private key> -ciphertext=<ciphertext>
```

Output:

```
The plaintext is <plaintext> (took <decryption time>).
```



Eve

Input:

```
$ cry cryptanalyze -cryptosystem=<cryptosystem> \
> -publickey=<public key> -ciphertext=<ciphertext>
```

Output:

```
The plaintext is <plaintext> (took <cryptanalysis time>).
```

Classes

cryptosystem.h

```
using IntPtr = mpz_t; // GNU Multiple Precision Integer Type
using Key = IntPtr;
using Text = IntPtr;
```

```
class Cryptosystem {
public:
 virtual void generateKeys(Key publicKey, Key privateKey);
   // set these
 virtual void encrypt (Text ciphertext, // set this
   const Text plaintext, const Key publicKey);
 virtual void decrypt (Text plaintext, // set this
   const Text ciphertext . const Kev privateKev ):
 virtual void cryptanalyze (Text plaintext, // set this
   const Text ciphertext, const Key publicKey ):
```

Section 4

Interview Log

Questionnaire

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Log

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Summary

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Q & A

https://github.com/vuphan314/cry