Quantum-Resistant Cryptographic Solutions: Ensuring Secure Communication Against Modern Cyber Threats

Type 6 (Designing a quantum-resistant cryptography solution to secure your communication)

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Choice of Post Quantum Cryptographic Algorithms

Classic McEliece:

- Classic McEliece: Developed as a post-quantum cryptographic solution by leveraging Niederreiter's dual version of McEliece's encryption using binary Goppa codes.
- Ensures IND-CCA2 security, even against quantum computers, making it a robust choice for long-term security.
- Despite its original development in 1978, it has gained renewed interest due to its immunity to Shor's algorithm and Fourier sampling, positioning it as a candidate for post-quantum cryptography.

BIKE:

- BIKE is distinguished by its utilization of error-correcting codes for security against quantum attacks, aligning with the NIST PQC project's objectives.
- Extensive analysis and testing have confirmed BIKE's resilience to various threats, including quantum attacks, solidifying its standing as a leading post-quantum cryptographic protocol.
- Despite its robust security measures, BIKE maintains practicality with manageable key sizes and efficient key exchange and encryption capabilities, further bolstering its appeal for widespread adoption.

Impact of Quantum Computing on NSA Suite B Encryption Schemes:

NSA Suite B encryption schemes:

- RSA
- ECDSA (Elliptic Curve Digital Signature Algorithm)
 - Diffie-Hellman

These problems are considered hard for classical computers to solve within a reasonable timeframe, providing the basis for secure public-key encryption, digital signatures, and key exchange protocols.

Based on classical cryptographic principles:

- Integer Factorization Problem
- Discrete Logarithm Problem

SHOR'S ALGORITHM

→ Shor's Algorithm: Quantum Breakthrough

Developed by Peter Shor in 1994.

Integer

Demonstrates that a quantum computer with enough qubits and computational power could solve both the

Factorization Problem and the Discrete Logarithm Problem in polynomial time

→ Impact on Encryption Security:

Raises concerns about the vulnerability of traditional encryption methods like RSA and Diffie-Hellman.

Poses a threat of decryption to previously secure data and compromised digital communications.

→ Urgency for Post-Quantum Cryptography:

Emphasizes the critical need for post-quantum cryptographic solutions.

Essential for maintaining data security amidst advancing quantum computing technology.

Urges proactive adoption to mitigate potential risks to sensitive information.

GROVER'S ALGORITHM

→ Grover's Algorithm Overview:

A significant quantum algorithm designed for searching unsorted databases.

Operates in \(O(\sqrt{n}) \) time, providing a quadratic speedup over classical search algorithms.

→ Impact on Encryption Security:

While not as immediate as Shor's algorithm, Grover's poses a threat to symmetric key encryption schemes.

Reduces the effective security of symmetric key encryption by approximately half.

→ Implications for Security Measures:

Highlights the need for reassessment of encryption strength in the quantum computing era.

Encourages the adoption of longer key lengths and more robust encryption techniques to counteract quantum threats.

→ Proactive Security Measures:

Urges organizations to prepare for future quantum computing capabilities.

Emphasizes the importance of staying ahead in encryption technology to maintain data security.

Quantifying "Very Powerful" Quantum Computers

→ Breaking RSA-2048 Encryption:

- Requires substantial quantum computing power.
- Shor's algorithm necessitates a large number of logical qubits.

→ Logical Qubit Requirements:

- Estimated around 4,099 logical qubits for factoring a 2048-bit RSA key.
- Extensive error correction inflates the need for physical qubits.

→ Physical Qubit Estimates:

- Recent research suggests a minimum of 10 million physical qubits.
- Estimates range from 10-20 million, considering error correction, qubit connectivity, and coherence.

→ Reflects advancements in quantum computing technology.

- Indicates a potential nearing of the threshold for achieving quantum-resistant encryption.

Post-Quantum Cryptography and Quantum-Resistant Encryption:

- → **Quantum Threat:** Quantum computing poses a grave threat to current encryption methods, necessitating a shift towards Post-Quantum Cryptography (PQC) and Quantum-Resistant Cryptography.
- → Focus of PQC: PQC aims to develop encryption schemes and protocols resilient against quantum attacks.

→ Leading Candidates:

- Lattice-based and code-based encryption schemes are prominent contenders.
- Lattice-based schemes offer capabilities like Fully Homomorphic Encryption (FHE) and show resilience against quantum threats.
 - Code-based schemes, like the McEliece cryptosystem, leverage error-correcting codes and demonstrate historical security.

Transitioning to quantum-resistant encryption schemes from lattice-based and code-based families is imperative to counter the advancing quantum threat, ensuring robust security and performance for real-world applications. Embracing these encryption methods is a proactive step to safeguard data integrity in the face of evolving quantum computing technology.

Designing Quantum-Resistant Secure Communication Schemes: point 3

The project commenced with the establishment of a robust communication conduit between a client and a server, facilitating the seamless exchange of information. Employing RSA encryption, a symmetric key was transmitted between the client and server entities, subsequently utilized by the AES encryption algorithm to secure message transmissions.

RSA encryption, reliant on the computational complexity of prime factorization, faces vulnerability to quantum computing advancements. Consequently, in pursuit of quantum resilience, RSA has been supplanted by BIKE and classic McEliece algorithms.

The BIKE and McEliece algorithms, characterized by their quantum-resistant properties, offer enhanced security measures.

BIKE

KeyGen: () \mapsto (h_0, h_1, σ), h

Output: $(h_0, h_1, \sigma) \in \mathcal{H}_w \times \mathcal{M}, h \in \mathcal{R}$

1: $(h_0, h_1) \stackrel{\mathcal{D}}{\leftarrow} \mathcal{H}_w$ \triangleright (1)

2: $h \leftarrow h_1 h_0^{-1}$

3: $\sigma \stackrel{\$}{\leftarrow} \mathcal{M}$

Encaps: $h \mapsto K, c$

Input: $h \in \mathcal{R}$

Output: $K \in \mathcal{K}, c \in \mathcal{R} \times \mathcal{M}$

1: $m \stackrel{\$}{\leftarrow} \mathcal{M}$

2: $(e_0, e_1) \leftarrow \mathbf{H}(m)$

3: $c \leftarrow (e_0 + e_1 h, m \oplus \mathbf{L}(e_0, e_1))$

4: $K \leftarrow \mathbf{K}(m,c)$

Decaps: $(h_0, h_1, \sigma), c \mapsto K$

Input: $((h_0, h_1), \sigma) \in \mathcal{H}_w \times \mathcal{M}, c = (c_0, c_1) \in \mathcal{R} \times \mathcal{M}$

Output: $K \in \mathcal{K}$

1: $e' \leftarrow \text{decoder}(c_0 h_0, h_0, h_1)$

$$\triangleright e' \in \mathcal{R}^2 \cup \{\bot\}$$

2: $m' \leftarrow c_1 \oplus \mathbf{L}(e')$

 \triangleright with the convention $\bot = (0,0)$

3: if $e' = \mathbf{H}(m')$ then $K \leftarrow \mathbf{K}(m', c)$ else $K \leftarrow \mathbf{K}(\sigma, c)$

McEliece

MCELIECE CRYPTOSYSTEM, dd. G = ALICE public Key · To send X & IF to Bob: · Choose a random e & F2", of weight t EVE · Alice sends Gx+e to Bob BOB ·To dacrypt Alice's message: wt(e')=t · Bob computes P-1(Gx+e) = G.S.x + P-1.e = G(Sx)+e' · Decode lo olotzin S.2 · Compute S-1(Sx) = x.

C random invertible C Gen. mat. for a code that can correct t emors

· Eve sees: Ĝx+e, Ĝ

· HOPE: à looks like a completely random matrix to Eve.

· HOPE: Decoding a random linear code is hard.

ASSUMPTION: The HOPES are true.

Implementing Quantum-Resistant secure communication scheme

The project consists of python implementation of BIKE and Classic Mcelice Key Encapsulation Mechanism in a client server environment. The project consists of following main files for each Key Encryption Algorithm.

Client.py

Server.py

Quantum_crypto.py

Aes_encryption.py

Encryption_tests.py

Efficiency_tests.py

Client.py

```
def client send and receive(message, key):
    host, port = '127.0.0.1', 65432
    with socket.socket(socket.AF INET, socket.SOCK STREAM) as s:
        s.connect((host, port))
        # Send initial message
        iv, tag, encrypted_message = aes_encrypt(message.encode(), key)
        full_message = iv + tag + encrypted_message
        s.sendall(full_message)
        print("Message sent to server.")
        # Receive and print the server's first response
        full response = s.recv(1024)
        iv = full_response[:12]
        tag = full_response[12:28]
        encrypted response = full response[28:]
        response = aes_decrypt(iv, tag, encrypted_response, key)
        print("First response from server:", response.decode())
if __name__ == "__main__":
    key = generate_quantum_key()
    client_send_and_receive("Hello from client!", key)
```

Client is initializing a socket connection to the server by connecting to the dedicated port on which server is listening. It then sends its public key to the server. This public key was generated by "generate Key pair" function of either Mceliece or Bike algorithm.

It then receives the symmetric key to be used by AES. Client then send messages using AES encryption.

```
ect>python3 client_version5.py
Message sent to server.
First response from server: Hello from server in response to your message: Hello from client!
PS C:\Users\cvvar\OneDrive\Desktop\secure_communication_project\secure_communication_project>
```

Server.py:

```
def server respond(key):
   host, port = '127.0.0.1', 65432
   message history = set() # Set to store message hashes to detect replays
   with socket.socket(socket.AF INET, socket.SOCK STREAM) as s:
       s.setsockopt(socket.SOL_SOCKET, socket.SO_REUSEADDR, 1)
       s.bind((host, port))
       s.listen()
       print("Server is listening...")
       conn, addr = s.accept()
       with conn:
           while True:
                   full message = conn.recv(1024)
                   if not full message:
                       break
                   iv = full message[:12]
                   tag = full_message[12:28]
                   encrypted message = full message[28:]
                   # Hash the encrypted message to check for replays
                   message_hash = hashlib.sha256(encrypted_message).hexdigest()
                   if message hash in message history:
                       print("Replay attack detected, message discarded.")
                       continue
                   message_history.add(message_hash)
                   message = aes decrypt(iv, tag, encrypted message, key)
                   print("Received message:", message.decode())
                   response = "Hello from server in response to your message: " + message.decode
                   iv, tag, encrypted_response = aes_encrypt(response.encode(), key)
                   conn.sendall(iv + tag + encrypted response)
               except Exception as e:
                   print("An error occurred:", e)
```

The server will receive the public key, use it to encapsulate a secret, and send it back to the client. server program will communicates over TCP/IP using AES-GCM encryption for secure messaging. It listens for incoming connections, decrypts received messages, detects replay attacks to ensure message integrity, and responds with encrypted messages.

The program demonstrates a basic implementation of secure communication between a server and a client using symmetric key encryption

```
ct> python3 server_version5.py
Server is listening...
Received message: Hello from client!
PS C:\Users\cvvar\OneDrive\Desktop\secure_communication_project\secure_communication_project\]
```

Quantum_crypto.py: Classic Mceliece

```
class McEliece:
   def __init__(self, code, S, P, t):
       self.S = S
       self.P = P
       self.t = t
       self.code = code
       self.k, self.n = code.getG().shape
       self.public key = ((self.S @ code.getG() @ self.P % 2), self.t)
       self.private_key = (self.S, code.getG(), self.P)
   def from linear code(cls, code: LinearCode, t: int):
       k, n = code.getG().shape
       P = np.eye(n, dtype=int)
       np.random.shuffle(P)
      # random matrix (k * k)
       S = McEliece. get non singular random matrix(k)
       return cls(code, S, P, t)
   def encrypt(self, word)
      errors_num = self.t
       # error vector size n with t errors
       z = [1 for _ in range(errors_num)] + [0 for _ in range(self.m - errors_num)]
       z = np.array(z, dtype=int)
      np.random.shuffle(z)
       res = ((word @ self.public_key[0] % 2) + z) % 2
       return res
  def decrypt(self, codeword):
       A, invP = gaussjordan(self.P, True)
       c = codeword @ invP % 2
       c = np.array(c, dtype=int)
       d = self.code.decode(c)
       m = self.code.get_message(d)
       , invS = gaussjordan(self.S, True)
       res = m @ invS % 2
       res = np.array(res, dtype=int)
```

This code defines a `McEliece` class that implements the McEliece public-key cryptosystem, which is resistant to quantum attacks. It uses error-correcting codes and a combination of random and permutation matrices to create secure encryption and decryption processes.

Initialization: Takes a linear error-correcting code, a random matrix `S`, a permutation matrix `P`, and an error tolerance `t`. It sets up the public key from these components.-

Encryption: Encrypts a given message by multiplying it with the public key, then adds a random error vector with `t` errors. The output is the ciphertext.

Decryption: Decrypts an encrypted message by reversing the permutation and applying error correction. It then decodes the message with the code's generator matrix and inverse of `S` to retrieve the original plaintext.

This class demonstrates the basic McEliece encryption and decryption operations, leveraging error-correcting codes to achieve quantum-resistant security.

Quantum_crypto.py: BIKE

```
import oqs
def generate_bike_keys():
    kem = oqs.KeyEncapsulation('BIKE-L1') # Ensure you use t
    public_key = kem.generate_keypair()
    secret_key = kem.export_secret_key()
    return kem, public_key
def encapsulate_bike_secret(public_key):
    kem = oqs.KeyEncapsulation('BIKE-L1')
    ciphertext, shared_secret = kem.encap_secret(public key)
    return ciphertext, shared secret
def decapsulate_bike_secret(kem, ciphertext):
    shared_secret = kem.decap_secret(ciphertext)
    return shared_secret
```

This code snippet demonstrates how to use the Open Quantum Safe (OQS) library with BIKE-L1, a post-quantum key encapsulation mechanism (KEM). It includes three main functions:

- generate_bike_keys(): Generates a BIKE-L1
 key pair, returning the public key and a
 key encapsulation mechanism (kem).
- encapsulate_bike_secret(public_key):
 Encapsulates a secret with the given public key, producing a ciphertext and a shared secret.
- decapsulate_bike_secret(kem, ciphertext):
 Decapsulates the shared secret from a given ciphertext using the provided kem.

Together, these functions demonstrate basic key generation, secret encapsulation, and decapsulation with BIKE-L1, showcasing post-quantum cryptographic operations with OQS.

Aes_encryption.py:

```
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from cryptography.hazmat.primitives.ciphers import Cipher, algorithms, modes
from cryptography.hazmat.backends import default_backend
from os import urandom
def aes encrypt(plaintext bytes, key):
    key = key[:16] # Ensure key is exactly 16 bytes, AES-128
    iv = urandom(12) # 12 bytes is recommended for GCM
    cipher = Cipher(algorithms.AES(key), modes.GCM(iv), backend=default backend())
    encryptor = cipher.encryptor()
    encrypted_message = encryptor.update(plaintext_bytes) + encryptor.finalize()
    return iv, encryptor.tag, encrypted message
def aes_decrypt(iv, tag, encrypted_message, key):
    key = key[:16] # Ensure key is exactly 16 bytes, AES-128
    cipher = Cipher(algorithms.AES(key), modes.GCM(iv, tag), backend=default backend())
    decryptor = cipher.decryptor()
    decrypted_message = decryptor.update(encrypted_message) + decryptor.finalize()
    return decrypted_message
```

This code snippet provides two functions for encrypting and decrypting data with AES-GCM, a secure mode offering encryption and authentication. Here's what they do:

aes_encrypt(plaintext_bytes, key):

- Encrypts plaintext using AES-128 in GCM mode.
- Uses a 16-byte key and generates a 12-byte initialization vector (IV).
- Returns the IV, an authentication tag, and the encrypted message.

aes_decrypt(iv, tag, encrypted_message, key):

- Decrypts an encrypted message using AES-GCM with a 16-byte key, the IV, and the authentication tag.
- Returns the decrypted plaintext.

These functions demonstrate a secure way to encrypt and decrypt data with AES-GCM, providing both confidentiality and data integrity.

Encryption_tests.py:

```
test_encryption_decryption(self):
   print("\nRunning Test: Encryption and Decryption")
   message = "Test message for encryption"
   iv, tag, encrypted_message = aes_encrypt(message.encode(), self.key)
   decrypted message = aes decrypt(iv. tag. encrypted message, self.kev)
   self.assertEqual(message, decrypted_message.decode(), "The decrypted message should match the original.")
   print("Success: The message was encrypted and decrypted correctly.")
ef test decryption with wrong key(self):
  print("\nRunning Test: Decryption with Wrong Key")
   wrong key = os.urandom(16)
   message = "Test message for encryption"
   iv, tag, encrypted_message = aes_encrypt(message.encode(), self.key)
   with self.assertRaises(Exception):
      aes decrypt(iv, tag, encrypted message, wrong key)
   print("Success: Decryption with the wrong key failed as expected.")
 ef test tampered ciphertext(self):
  print("\nRunning Test: Integrity Check Against Tampered Ciphertext")
   message = "Test message for encryption"
   iv, tag, encrypted message = aes encrypt(message.encode(), self.key)
   tampered_message = encrypted_message[:-1] + (encrypted_message[-1] ^ 0x01).to_bytes(1, 'little')
   with self.assertRaises(Exception):
       aes decrypt(iv, tag, tampered message, self.key)
   print("Success: Tampered ciphertext was detected and decryption failed.")
 TestServerReplayAttack(unittest.TestCase):
def setUp(self):
   self.key = os.urandom(16)
   self.message_history = set()
def simulate_server_reception(self, encrypted_message, iv, tag):
   """Simulate server logic for detecting replay attacks."""
   message_hash = sha256(encrypted_message).hexdigest()
   if message hash in self.message history:
      raise Exception("Replay attack detected and message discarded.")
   self.message_history.add(message_hash)
   return aes decrypt(iv. tag. encrypted message, self.kev)
ef test replay attack(self):
   """Test the server's ability to detect and reject replayed messages, """
  print("\nRunning Test: Replay Attack Detection")
   message = "Test message susceptible to replay"
   iv, tag, encrypted_message = aes_encrypt(message.encode(), self.key)
   decrypted message = self.simulate server reception(encrypted message, iv. tag)
   self.assertEqual(decrypted message.decode(), message)
   with self.assertRaises(Exception) as context:
       self.simulate_server_reception(encrypted_message, iv, tag)
   self.assertIn("Replay attack detected", str(context.exception))
   print("Success: Replay attack was detected and handled correctly.")
```

This file contains test cases to test the client server communication scheme based of Message
Confidentiality, Message Integrity, and Message
Replay attack protection

```
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```

Efficiency_tests.py:

```
26 n = 300
 28 d_c = 10
 29 ldpc = LDPC.from_params(n, d_v, d_c)
      crypto = McEliece.from_linear_code(ldpc, 12)
      plaintext = "Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit. Duis quis magna lacinia, semper neque vel, suscipit augue. Mauris sagittis maximus molestie.
      plaintext_bytes = plaintext.encode("utf-8") # Convert to bytes
      start_time = time.time()
     binary_word = np.random.randint(2, size=ldpc.getG().shape[0])
     encrypted = crypto.encrypt(binary_word)
      decrypted = crypto.decrypt(encrypted)
      key gen time = time.time() - start time
      print(f"McEliece Key Generation and Processing Time: {key_gen_time:.6f} seconds")
 42 aes_key = bytes(decrypted)[:16]
      start_encryption_time = time.time()
 45 iv, encrypted_message = aes_encrypt(plaintext_bytes, aes_key)
 46 encryption time = time.time() - start encryption time
     print(f"Encryption Time: {encryption_time:.6f} seconds")
      print(f"Ciphertext Length: {len(iv + encrypted message)} bytes")
     start decryption time = time.time()
      decrypted_message = aes_decrypt(iv, encrypted_message, aes_key)
      decryption time = time.time() - start decryption time
      print(f"Decryption Time: {decryption time:.6f} seconds")
 55 decrypted_text = decrypted_message.decode("utf-8")
      print("\n0riginal text:", plaintext)
      print("\nDecrypted text:", decrypted text)
PROBLEMS OUTPUT DEBUG CONSOLE TERMINAL PORTS SEARCH ERROR
dishasheshappa@Dishas-Air McEliece % /usr/bin/python3 "/Users/dishasheshappa/Crypto Assignments/McEliece/src/Testing_metrics.py"
McEliece Key Generation and Processing Time: 0.034774 seconds
Encryption Time: 0.033473 seconds
Ciphertext Length: 176 bytes
Decryption Time: 0.000043 seconds
Original text: Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit. Duis quis magna lacinia, semper neque vel, suscipit auque. Mauris sagittis maximus molestie.
Decrypted text: Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit. Duis quis magna lacinia, semper neque vel, suscipit augue. Mauris sagittis maximus molestie.
Encryption and decryption with AES successful.
dishasheshappa@Dishas-Air McEliece % []
```

This file observes the overall execution time of the algorithm for different key lengths.

Efficiency Tests : Classic Mceliece

```
d_v = 6

d_c = 10

35  # Define parameters for LDPC and McEliece
36  n = 300
37  d_v = 6
38  d c = 10
```

n = 300

Encryption and decryption with AES successful. dishasheshappa@Dishas—Air McEliece % □

Efficiency Tests: Classic Mceliece

n = 3936

```
d v = 3
dc = 6
       # Define parameters for LDPC and McEliece
       n = 3936
       dv = 3
       d c = 6
       ldpc = LDPC.from_params(n, d_v, d_c)
       crypto = McEliece.from_linear_code(ldpc, 12)
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 PROBLEMS
            OUTPUT
                      DEBUG CONSOLE TERMINAL
                                                          SEARCH ERROR
dishasheshappa@Dishas-Air McEliece % /usr/bin/python3 "/Users/dishasheshappa/Crypto Assignments/McEliece/src/Testing metrics.py"
 McEliece Key Generation and Processing Time: 10.990759 seconds
 Encryption Time: 0.089003 seconds
 Ciphertext Length: 176 bytes
 Decryption Time: 0.000193 seconds
 Original text: Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit. Duis quis magna lacinia, semper neque vel, suscipit augue. Mauris sagittis maximus molestie.
 Decrypted text: Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit. Duis quis magna lacinia, semper neque vel, suscipit augue. Mauris sagittis maximus molestie.
 Encryption and decryption with AES successful.
 dishasheshappa@Dishas-Air McEliece % □
```

Efficiency Tests : Classic Mceliece

n = 6936

```
d v = 3
dc = 6
       # Define parameters for LDPC and McEliece
       n = 6936
      dv = 3
       dc = 6
       ldpc = LDPC.from_params(n, d_v, d_c)
       crypto = McEliece.from_linear_code(ldpc, 12)
                     DEBUG CONSOLE
                                                          SEARCH ERROR
                                      TERMINAL
dishasheshappa@Dishas-Air McEliece % /usr/bin/python3 "/Users/dishasheshappa/Crypto Assignments/McEliece/src/Testing_metrics.py"
McEliece Key Generation and Processing Time: 50.058345 seconds
Encryption Time: 0.087691 seconds
Ciphertext Length: 176 bytes
Decryption Time: 0.000240 seconds
Original text: Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit. Duis quis magna lacinia, semper neque vel, suscipit augue. Mauris sagittis maximus molestie.
Decrypted text: Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit. Duis quis magna lacinia, semper neque vel, suscipit augue. Mauris sagittis maximus molestie.
Encryption and decryption with AES successful.
```

Efficiency Tests: BIKE

In this we used BIKE-L3 from the Liboqs library. The metrics below show the Key generation time, Ciphertext length, Encryption and Decryption time. We can not tune the parameters as we would have to change the source code directly.

```
Testing BIKE.pv >  derive key from shared secret
      Click here to ask Blackbox to help you code faster
      import ogs
      import os
      import base64
      import time
      from cryptography.hazmat.primitives.ciphers import Cipher, algorithms, modes
      from cryptography.hazmat.primitives.padding import PKCS7
      from cryptography.hazmat.backends import default backend
      from cryptography.hazmat.primitives import hashes
      from cryptography.hazmat.primitives.kdf.pbkdf2 import PBKDF2HMAC
      def derive_key_from_shared_secret(shared_secret, salt, key_length=32):
          kdf = PBKDF2HMAC(
              algorithm=hashes.SHA256(),
              length=key_length,
              salt=salt.
16
              iterations=100000,
              backend=default backend().
          OUTPUT DEBUG CONSOLE TERMINAL PORTS SEARCH ERROR
                                                                                                                                            ▶ Python + ∨ ∏ 🛍 ···
(venv) dishasheshappa@Dishas-Air Post Quantum % "/Users/dishasheshappa/Crypto Assignments/Post Quantum/venv/bin/python" "/Users/dishasheshappa/Crypto Assignments/Post
Quantum/Testing_BIKE.py'
BIKE Key Generation Time: 0.028780 seconds
Ciphertext Length: 3115 bytes
AES Encryption Time: 0.001776 seconds
Encrypted Message Length: 176 bytes
AES Decryption Time: 0.000043 seconds
Original message: b'Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit. Duis quis magna lacinia, semper neque vel, suscipit augue. Mauris sagittis maximus molest
Encrypted message (Base64): b'WL0VkuIvekhQS3asbLfhaSy/5D6RAzTaIP7PFUgrregIdxS6gFo5CWmU4leQZoj/Bu0WJWJCZ0j3RWDxBGCyHw9NgHjMyEnFW2Qrv44FXEdYJjpVtFS00HzYqG3UYeQUdLlniCFH
mD2SnpmnrXXxKre8hEJG8e000UdZcdnx0FEz9SCw0uAQwz85SLwsqPSvFhYKMDZucJxaDAbBb7Jnl5B7s42UGk27VS/p3IwuNfE='
Decrypted message: b'Lorem ipsum dolor sit amet, consectetur adipiscing elit. Duis quis magna lacinia, semper neque vel, suscipit augue. Mauris sagittis maximus moles
tie.
BIKE key encapsulation, encryption, and decryption successful.
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Thank You