

All attached code was written in Python3 (3.6.1).

1. $24^{66,000,000,023} \bmod 77$

$$\begin{aligned} 24^{10} \bmod 11 &= 1 \\ 24^{10(6,600,000,002)+3} &= 24^3 \bmod 11 \\ &= (2^3)^3 \bmod 11 \times 3^3 \bmod 11 \\ &= 6 \times 5 \bmod 11 \\ a_1 &\equiv 8 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 24^6 \bmod 7 &= 1 \\ 24^{6(11,000,000,003)+5} &= 24^5 \bmod 7 \\ &= (2^3)^5 \bmod 7 \times 3^5 \bmod 7 \\ &= 1 \times 5 \bmod 7 \\ a_2 &\equiv 5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} M_1 &= \frac{M}{m_1} = \frac{77}{11} = 7 \\ y_1 &= 7^{-1} \bmod 11 \equiv 8 \\ M_2 &= \frac{M}{m_2} = \frac{77}{7} = 11 \\ y_2 &= 11^{-1} \bmod 7 \equiv 2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_i (a_i M_i y_i) \bmod M &= (8 \times 7 \times 8) + (5 \times 11 \times 2) \pmod{77} \\ &= 558 \bmod 77 \\ &\equiv 19 \end{aligned}$$

2. ElGamal Plaintext:

she stands up in the garden where she has been working and looks into the distance she has sensed a change in the weather there is another gust of wind a buckle of noise in the air and the tall cypresses sway she turns and moves up hill toward the house climbing over a low wall feeling the first drop of rain on her bare arms she crosses the loggia and quickly enters the house

For each (y_1, y_2) , I decrypted using,

$$\begin{aligned} d_K(y_1, y_2) &= y_2 (y_1^a)^{-1} \bmod p \\ &= y_2 ((y_1^a)^{-1} \bmod p) \bmod p \end{aligned}$$

For example, if $(y_1, y_2) = (3781, 14409)$,

$$\begin{aligned} d_K(3781, 14409) &= 14409((3781^{7899})^{-1} \bmod 31847) \bmod 31847 \\ &= 14409(6479) \bmod 31847 \\ &= 12354 \end{aligned}$$

Then I solved for

$$\begin{aligned} X &= 26^2 x_1 + 26^1 x_2 + x_3 \\ x_3 &= X \bmod 26 \\ x_2 &= \frac{X - x_3}{26} \bmod 26 \end{aligned}$$

$$x_1 = \frac{X - x_3 - x_2}{26^2} \bmod 26$$

$$(x_1, x_2, x_3) = (18, 7, 4) = (s, h, e)$$

3. RSA Common Modulus protocol

a.

$$\begin{aligned} y_1 &= x^{b_1} \bmod n \\ y_2 &= x^{b_2} \bmod n \\ c_1 &= b_1^{-1} \bmod b_2 \\ c_2 &= \frac{c_1 b_1 - 1}{b_2} \\ x_1 &= y_1^{c_1} (y_2^{c_2})^{-1} \bmod n \\ &= x^{b_1 c_1} (x^{b_2 c_2})^{-1} \bmod n \\ &= x^{b_1 b_1^{-1} \bmod b_2} \left(x^{b_2 \left(\frac{c_1 b_1 - 1}{b_2} \right)} \right)^{-1} \bmod n \\ &= x^{b_1 b_1^{-1} \bmod b_2} (x^{b_1 b_1^{-1} \bmod b_2 - 1})^{-1} \bmod n \\ &= x^{b_1 b_1^{-1} \bmod b_2 - x^{b_1 b_1^{-1} \bmod b_2 + 1}} \bmod n \\ &= x \bmod n \end{aligned}$$

b.

$$\begin{aligned} c_1 &= b_1^{-1} \bmod b_2 = 2692 \\ c_2 &= \frac{c_1 b_1 - 1}{b_2} = 15 \\ x_1 &= y_1^{c_1} (y_2^{c_2})^{-1} \bmod n = 15001 \end{aligned}$$

4. Elliptic curve $E = y^2 = x^3 + x + 6, Z_{1039}$ a. For $x = 0 \dots 1038$, first compute z . For example, for $x = 10$,

$$\begin{aligned} z &= x^3 + x + 6 \bmod 1039 \\ &= 10^3 + 10 + 6 \bmod 1039 \\ &= 1016 \end{aligned}$$

Then check if z is a quadratic residue,

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{z}{p} \right) &= \left(\frac{1016}{1039} \right) \\ &= z^{\frac{p-1}{2}} \bmod p \\ &= 1016^{\frac{1039-1}{2}} \bmod 1039 \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

If $\left(\frac{z}{p} \right) = 1$, then z is a quadratic residue of p , and the point is found by,

$$\begin{aligned} y &= \pm z^{\frac{p+1}{4}} \bmod p \\ &= \pm 1016^{\frac{1039+1}{4}} \bmod 1039 \\ &= \pm 492 \bmod 1039 \\ &= 492, 547 \end{aligned}$$

Giving the 2 points (10, 492) and (10, 547). In total, there are 1008 points on E .

- b. The maximum point is (1038, 1037).
- c. (1014, 291) is not in E . The 2 points when $x = 1014$ are (1014, 290) and (1014, 749).
- d. Ciphertext:

$$y_1 = k\alpha = 100 \times (799, 790) = (873, 233)$$

$$y_2 = x + k\beta = (575, 419) + (986, 213) = (963, 817)$$

Plaintext:

$$x = y_2 - ky_1 = (234, 14) - 100 \times (873, 233) = (234, 14) - (498, 502)$$

$$= (234, 14) + (498, 537) = (811, 122)$$

- e. Diffie-Hellman key exchange

Brute force Alice's key:

$$A = a\alpha$$

$$a = (199, 72)$$

Then compute the shared secret:

$$K = aB = (191, 568)$$

5. Security

- 1. None

C: not guaranteed by XOR of hash of s_k with m

I: not guaranteed by any hash of the message, only from hash of s_k

A: since there is no signature, only way to authenticate is to $E_{S_{pub}} \left(D_{R_{pri}} \left(E_{R_{pub}}(s_k) \right) \right) = E_{S_{pub}}(s_k)$ of a random session key.

NR: No signature, only knowledge that m is from S is that hash of s_k is XOR with message with a random session key

- 2. C, I, A

C: Guaranteed by encrypted message and hash of k_2 with message

I: Guaranteed by hash

A: guaranteed by mutual keys

NR: No signature

- 3. C, I, A, R

C: Encrypted by public key of receiver

I: Verifiable by $H(x)$

A: Verifiable if signature of $H(x)$ is equivalent to the message

NR: Verifiable if signature of $H(x)$ is equivalent to the message

- 4. C, A, NR

C: Via encryption by symmetric key

I: No hash of message

A: Via comparison $E_{S_{pub}} \left(D_{R_{pri}} \left(E_{R_{pub}}(s_k) \right) \right) = E_{S_{pub}}(s_k)$

NR: Via signature of symmetric key

6. ElGamal Signature

$$\begin{aligned} \text{sig}(m) &= (\gamma, \delta) \\ \gamma &= \alpha^k \\ \delta &= k^{-1}(m - a\gamma) \bmod (p - 1) \\ \delta k &= (m - a\gamma) \bmod (p - 1) \\ \delta k + a\gamma &= m \bmod (p - 1) \\ a\gamma &= m \bmod (p - 1) \\ a &= m\gamma^{-1} \bmod (p - 1) \\ a &= m(\alpha^k)^{-1} \bmod (p - 1) \end{aligned}$$

Where p is part of the public key, m is the signed message, and γ is part of the signature. Having both a message and the corresponding signature means that a is easily computable as this is no longer an example of a discrete logarithm problem.