

Number Theory and RSA Public-Key Encryption

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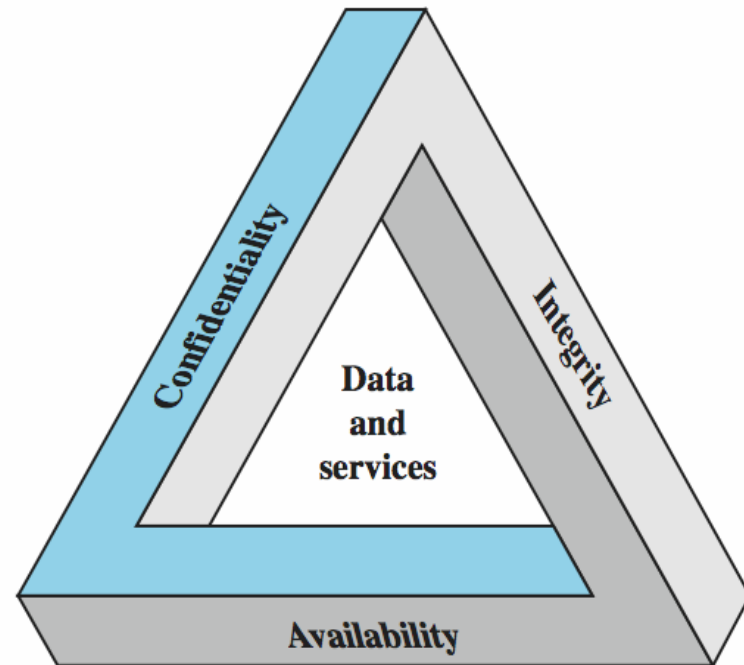
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CIA Triad: Three Fundamental Concepts of Information Security

- Confidentiality – Preserving authorized restrictions on access and disclosure, including means for protecting personal privacy and proprietary information
- Integrity – Guarding against improper information modification or destruction, and includes ensuring
 - information non-repudiation (actions of an entity are to be traced back uniquely to that entity)
 - authenticity (verifying that users are who they say they are and that each input arriving at the system came from a trusted source)
- Availability – Ensuring timely and reliable access to and use of information.



Source: Figure 1.2 from William Stallings – Cryptography and Network Security, 5th Edition

Cryptography Algorithms in Use

- Confidentiality – Public-key encryption algorithms to exchange a secret key and Symmetric key algorithms for encrypting the actual data.
- Integrity – Hashing algorithms to compute a hash value of the message and public-key encryption algorithms to encrypt the hash value with the private key (to form a digital signature).
- Non-repudiation – Public-key encryption algorithms used to digitally sign a message with the sender's private key.
- Authentication – Passwords, {Public-key certificates and digital signatures} and Biometrics are typically preferred for authentication. Symmetric encryption is also OK; but, not preferred.

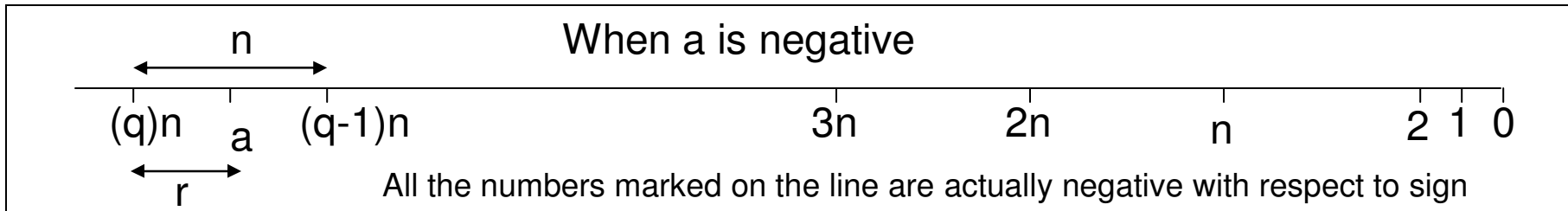
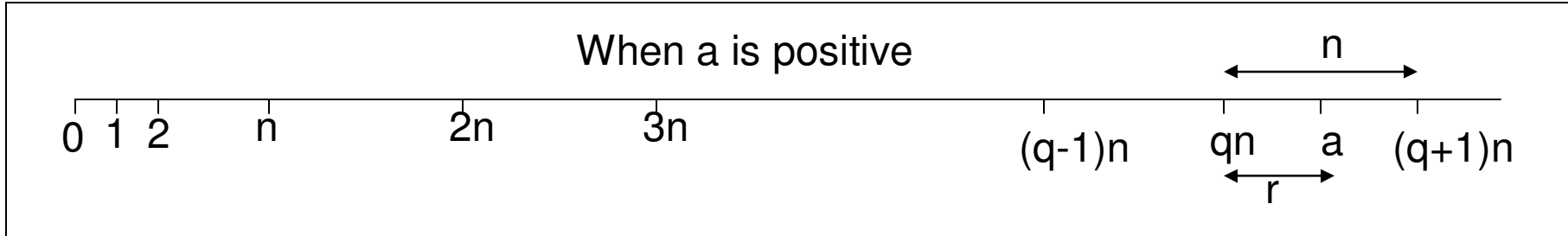
Public Key Encryption

- Motivation: Key distribution problem of symmetric encryption system
- Let K_{PRIV} and K_{PUB} be the private key and public key of a user. Then,
 - $P = D(K_{\text{PRIV}}, E(K_{\text{PUB}}, P))$
 - With some, public key encryption algorithms like RSA, the following is also true: $P = D(K_{\text{PUB}}, E(K_{\text{PRIV}}, P))$
- In a system of n users, the number of secret keys for point-to-point communication is $n(n-1)/2 = O(n^2)$. With the public key encryption system, we need 2 keys (one public and one private key) per user. Hence, the total number of keys needed is $2n = O(n)$.

| | Secret Key (Symmetric) | Public Key (Asymmetric) |
|-------------------|--|---|
| Number of Keys | 1 | 2 |
| Protection of Key | Must be secret | One key must be secret; the key can be publicly exposed |
| Best uses | Cryptographic workhorse; secrecy and integrity of data | Key exchange, authentication |
| Key distribution | Must be out-of-band | Public key can be used to distribute other keys |
| Speed | Fast | Slow |

Modular Arithmetic

- Given any positive integer n and any integer a , if we divide a by n , we get a quotient q and a remainder r that obey the following relationship:
 - $a = q * n + r$, $0 \leq r < n$ and r is the remainder, q is the quotient



– Example:

- $a = 59; n = 7; 59 = (8)*7 + 3$ $r = 3; q = 8$
- $a = -59; n = 7; -59 = (-9)*7 + 4$ $r = 4; q = -9$
- $59 \bmod 7 = 3$
- $-59 \bmod 7 = 4$

Modular Arithmetic

- Two integers a and b are said to be congruent modulo n, if $a \bmod n = b \bmod n$. This is written as $a \equiv b \pmod n$.
 - We say “a and b are equivalent to each other in class modulo n”
- Example:
 - $73 \equiv 4 \pmod{23}$, because $73 \bmod 23 = 4 = 4 \bmod 23$
 - $21 \equiv -9 \pmod{10}$, because $21 \bmod 10 = 1 = -9 \bmod 10$
- Properties of the Modulo Operator
 - If $a \equiv b \pmod n$, then $(a - b) \bmod n = 0$
 - If $a \equiv b \pmod n$, then $b \equiv a \pmod n$
 - If $a \equiv b \pmod n$ and $b \equiv c \pmod n$, then $a \equiv c \pmod n$
- Example:
 - $73 \equiv 4 \pmod{23}$, then $(73 - 4) \bmod 23 = 0$
 - $73 \equiv 4 \pmod{23}$, then $4 \equiv 73 \pmod{23}$, because $4 \bmod 23 = 73 \bmod 23$
 - $73 \equiv 4 \pmod{23}$ and $4 \equiv 96 \pmod{23}$, then $73 \equiv 96 \pmod{23}$.

Modular Arithmetic

- Properties:
 - $(x + y) \bmod n = (x \bmod n + y \bmod n) \bmod n$
 - Example:
 - Compute: $(54 + 49) \bmod 15$
 - $(54 + 49) \bmod 15 = 103 \bmod 15 = \underline{13}$
 - $54 \bmod 15 = 9$
 - $49 \bmod 15 = 4$
 - $(54 \bmod 15 + 49 \bmod 15) = 9 + 4 = 13$
 - $(54 \bmod 15 + 49 \bmod 15) \bmod 15 = 13 \bmod 15 = \underline{13}$
 - Example:
 - Compute $(42 + 52) \bmod 15$
 - $(42 + 52) \bmod 15 = 94 \bmod 15 = \underline{4}$
 - $42 \bmod 15 = 12$
 - $52 \bmod 15 = 7$
 - $(42 \bmod 15 + 52 \bmod 15) = 12 + 7 = 19$
 - $(42 \bmod 15 + 52 \bmod 15) \bmod 15 = 19 \bmod 15 = \underline{4}$

Modular Arithmetic

- Properties:
 - $(x * y) \bmod n = (x \bmod n * y \bmod n) \bmod n$
 - Example:
 - Compute: $(54 * 49) \bmod 15$
 - $(54 * 49) \bmod 15 = 2646 \bmod 15 = \underline{6}$
 - $54 \bmod 15 = 9$
 - $49 \bmod 15 = 4$
 - $(54 \bmod 15 * 49 \bmod 15) = 9 * 4 = 36$
 - $(54 \bmod 15 * 49 \bmod 15) \bmod 15 = 36 \bmod 15 = \underline{6}$
 - Example:
 - Compute $(42 * 52) \bmod 15$
 - $(42 * 52) \bmod 15 = 2184 \bmod 15 = \underline{9}$
 - $42 \bmod 15 = 12$
 - $52 \bmod 15 = 7$
 - $(42 \bmod 15 * 52 \bmod 15) = 12 * 7 = 84$
 - $(42 \bmod 15 * 52 \bmod 15) \bmod 15 = 84 \bmod 15 = \underline{9}$

Modular Arithmetic

- Properties:

- $(a * b * c) \bmod n = ((a \bmod n) * (b \bmod n) * (c \bmod n)) \bmod n$
- $(a * b * c) \bmod n = (((a \bmod n) * (b \bmod n)) \bmod n) * (c \bmod n) \bmod n$
- $(a * b * c * d) \bmod n = ((a \bmod n) * (b \bmod n) * (c \bmod n) * (d \bmod n)) \bmod n$
- Similarly, $(a * b * c * d * e) \bmod n \dots$

- Example:

- Compute $(42 * 56 * 98 * 108) \bmod 15$
- Straightforward approach: $(42 * 56 * 98 * 108) \bmod 15 = (24893568) \bmod 15 = 3$
- Optimum approach 1 Optimum approach 2

- $42 \bmod 15 = 12$
- $56 \bmod 15 = 11$
- $98 \bmod 15 = 8$
- $108 \bmod 15 = 3$
- $(42 * 56 * 98 * 108) \bmod 15$
 $= (12 * 11 * 8 * 3) \bmod 15$
 $= (3168) \bmod 15 = 3$

- First Compute $(42 * 56) \bmod 15$
- $(42 * 56) \bmod 15 = (12 * 11) \bmod 15 = 12$
- Then, compute $(42 * 56 * 98) \bmod 15$
- $(42 * 56 * 98) \bmod 15 = (12 * 98) \bmod 15 = (12 * 8) \bmod 15 = 6$
- Now, compute $(42 * 56 * 98 * 108) \bmod 15$
- $(42 * 56 * 98 * 108) \bmod 15 = (6 * 108) \bmod 15 = (6 * 3) \bmod 15 = 3$

Modular Arithmetic

- Modular Exponentiation
 - The Right-to-Left Binary Algorithm

To compute $b^e \bmod n$

First, write the exponent e in binary notation.

$$e = \sum_{i=0}^{m-1} a_i 2^i$$

In this notation, the length of e is m bits. For any i , such that $0 \leq i < m-1$, the a_i take the value of 0 or 1. By definition, $a_{m-1} = 1$.

$$b^e = b^{\left(\sum_{i=0}^{m-1} a_i 2^i\right)} = \prod_{i=0}^{m-1} \left(b^{2^i}\right)^{a_i}$$

$$\text{Solution for } b^e \bmod n = \prod_{i=0}^{m-1} \left(b^{2^i}\right)^{a_i} \bmod n$$

Example for Modular Exponentiation

- To compute $5^{41} \bmod 9$
 - Straightforward approach:
 - $5^{41} \bmod 9 = (45474735088646411895751953125) \bmod 9 = 2$
 - Number of multiplications - 40
 - Using the Right-to-Left Binary Algorithm
 - Write 41 in binary: 101001
 - $5^{41} = 5^{32} * 5^8 * 5^1$

| | | | | | |
|----|----|---|---|---|---|
| 32 | 16 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

$$5^1 \bmod 9 = 5 \bmod 9 = 5$$

$$5^2 \bmod 9 = (5^1 * 5^1) \bmod 9 = (5 \bmod 9 * 5 \bmod 9) \bmod 9 = (5 * 5) \bmod 9 = 25 \bmod 9 = 7$$

$$5^4 \bmod 9 = (5^2 * 5^2) \bmod 9 = (5^2 \bmod 9 * 5^2 \bmod 9) \bmod 9 = (7 * 7) \bmod 9 = 49 \bmod 9 = 4$$

$$5^8 \bmod 9 = (5^4 * 5^4) \bmod 9 = (5^4 \bmod 9 * 5^4 \bmod 9) \bmod 9 = (4 * 4) \bmod 9 = 16 \bmod 9 = 7$$

$$5^{16} \bmod 9 = (5^8 * 5^8) \bmod 9 = (5^8 \bmod 9 * 5^8 \bmod 9) \bmod 9 = (7 * 7) \bmod 9 = 49 \bmod 9 = 4$$

$$5^{32} \bmod 9 = (5^{16} * 5^{16}) \bmod 9 = (5^{16} \bmod 9 * 5^{16} \bmod 9) \bmod 9 = (4 * 4) \bmod 9 = 16 \bmod 9 = 7$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 5^{41} \bmod 9 &= (5^{32} * 5^8 * 5^1) \bmod 9 \\
 &= (7 * 7 * 5) \bmod 9 \\
 &= ((49 \bmod 9) * (5 \bmod 9)) \bmod 9 \\
 &= (4 * 5) \bmod 9 \\
 &= 20 \bmod 9 \\
 &= 2
 \end{aligned}$$

Number of multiplications: $5 + 2 = 7$

Example for Modular Exponentiation

- To compute $3^{61} \bmod 8$
 - Straightforward approach:
 - $3^{61} \bmod 8 = (12717347825648619542883299603) \bmod 8 = 3$
 - Number of multiplications - 60
 - Using the Right-to-Left Binary Algorithm

- Write 61 in binary: 111101
- $3^{41} = 3^{32} * 3^{16} * 3^8 * 3^4 * 3^1$

| | | | | | |
|----|----|---|---|---|---|
| 32 | 16 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |

$$3^1 \bmod 8 = 3 \bmod 8 = 3$$

$$3^2 \bmod 8 = (3^1 * 3^1) \bmod 8 = (3 \bmod 8 * 3 \bmod 8) \bmod 8 = (3 * 3) \bmod 8 = 9 \bmod 8 = 1$$

$$3^4 \bmod 8 = (3^2 * 3^2) \bmod 8 = (3^2 \bmod 8 * 3^2 \bmod 8) \bmod 8 = (1 * 1) \bmod 8 = 1 \bmod 8 = 1$$

$$3^8 \bmod 8 = (3^4 * 3^4) \bmod 8 = (3^4 \bmod 8 * 3^4 \bmod 8) \bmod 8 = (1 * 1) \bmod 8 = 1 \bmod 8 = 1$$

$$3^{16} \bmod 8 = (3^8 * 3^8) \bmod 8 = (3^8 \bmod 8 * 3^8 \bmod 8) \bmod 8 = (1 * 1) \bmod 8 = 1 \bmod 8 = 1$$

$$3^{32} \bmod 8 = (3^{16} * 3^{16}) \bmod 8 = (3^{16} \bmod 8 * 3^{16} \bmod 8) \bmod 8 = (1 * 1) \bmod 8 = 1 \bmod 8 = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 3^{61} \bmod 8 &= (3^{32} * 3^{16} * 3^8 * 3^4 * 3^1) \bmod 8 \\
 &= (1 * 1 * 1 * 1 * 3) \bmod 8 \\
 &= ((1 \bmod 8) * (1 * 1 * 3 \bmod 8)) \bmod 8 \\
 &= ((1 * 1) \bmod 8 * (1 * 3)) \bmod 8 \\
 &= ((1 * 1) \bmod 8 * (3)) \bmod 8 \\
 &= (1 * 3) \bmod 8 \\
 &= 3 \bmod 8 = 3
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Number of multiplications: } 5 + 4 = 9$$

Multiplicative Inverse Modulo n

- If $(a * b) \text{ modulo } n = 1$, then
 - a is said to be the multiplicative inverse of b in class modulo n
 - b is said to be the multiplicative inverse of a in class modulo n
- Example:
 - Find the multiplicative inverse of 7 in class modulo 15
 - Straightforward approach:
 - Multiply 7 with all the integers $[0, 1, \dots, 14]$ in class modulo 15
 - There will be only one integer x for which $(7*x) \text{ modulo } 15 = 1$

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|------------------------|---|---|----|---|----|---|----|---|----|---|----|----|----|----|----|
| X | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| $(7 * X)$ modulo 15 | 0 | 7 | 14 | 6 | 13 | 5 | 12 | 4 | 11 | 3 | 10 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 8 |

- Find the multiplicative inverse of 9 in class modulo 13
 - Multiply 9 with all the integers $[0, 1, \dots, 12]$ in class modulo 13
 - There will be only one integer x for which $(9*x) \text{ modulo } 13 = 1$

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|---|---|---|---|----|---|---|----|---|---|----|----|----|
| X | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 |
| $(9 * X)$ modulo 13 | 0 | 9 | 5 | 1 | 10 | 6 | 2 | 11 | 7 | 3 | 12 | 8 | 4 |

- A more efficient approach to find multiplicative inverse in class modulo n is to use the Extended Euclid Algorithm

Euclid's Algorithm to find the GCD

- Given two integers m and n (say $m > n$), then
 - $\text{GCD}(m, n) = \text{GCD}(n, m \bmod n)$
 - One can continue using the above recursion until the second term becomes 0. The $\text{GCD}(m, n)$ will be then the value of the first term, because $\text{GCD}(k, 0) = k$
- Example: $\text{GCD}(120, 45)$
 - $\text{GCD}(120, 45) = \text{GCD}(45, 30) = \text{GCD}(30, 15) = \text{GCD}(15, 0) = 15$
- Example: $\text{GCD}(45, 12)$
 - $\text{GCD}(45, 12) = \text{GCD}(12, 9) = \text{GCD}(9, 3) = \text{GCD}(3, 0) = 3$
- Example: $\text{GCD}(53, 30)$
 - $\text{GCD}(53, 30) = \text{GCD}(30, 23) = \text{GCD}(23, 7) = \text{GCD}(7, 2) = \text{GCD}(2, 1) = \text{GCD}(1, 0) = 1$
- Note: Two numbers m and n are said to be relatively prime if
 - $\text{GCD}(m, n) = 1$.

Property of GCD

- For any two integers m and n ,
 - We can write $m * x + n * y = \text{GCD}(m, n)$
 - x and y are also integers
 - We find x and y through the Extended Euclid algorithm
- If m and n are relatively prime, then
 - there exists two integers x and y such that $m * x + n * y = 1$
 - x is the multiplicative inverse of m modulo n
 - y is the multiplicative inverse of n modulo m
 - We could find x and y through the Extended Euclid algorithm

Extended Euclid Algorithm

- Theorem Statement
 - Let m and n be positive integers. Define
 - $a[0] = m, a[1] = n$
 - $x[0] = 1, x[1] = 0, y[0] = 0, y[1] = 1,$
 - $q[k] = \text{Floor}(a[k-1]/ a[k])$ for $k > 0$
 - $a[k] = a[k-2] - (a[k-1]*q[k-1])$ for $k > 1$
 - $x[k] = x[k-2] - (q[k-1] * x[k-1])$ for $k > 1$
 - $y[k] = y[k-2] - (q[k-1] * y[k-1])$ for $k > 1$
 - If $a[p]$ is the last non-zero $a[k]$, then
 - $a[p] = \text{GCD}(m, n) = x[p] * m + y[p] * n$
 - $x[p]$ is the multiplicative inverse of m modulo n
 - $y[p]$ is the multiplicative inverse of n modulo m

Example for Extended Euclid Algorithm

- Find the multiplicative inverse of 30 modulo 53
 - The larger of the two numbers is our m and the smaller is n
 - Initial Setup of the computation table

| | a | q | x | y |
|-----------------|----|---|---|---|
| $m \rightarrow$ | 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| $n \rightarrow$ | 30 | | 0 | 1 |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |

We want to find the x and y such that $53x + 30y = 1$

Iteration 1

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|---|---|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| | | | |
| | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|---|---|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 23 | | | |
| | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|---|---|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 23 | | 1 | |
| | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|---|----|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 23 | | 1 | -1 |
| | | | |

Iteration 2

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|---|----|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 23 | 1 | 1 | -1 |
| | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|---|----|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 23 | 1 | 1 | -1 |
| 7 | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|----|----|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 23 | 1 | 1 | -1 |
| 7 | | -1 | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|----|----|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 23 | 1 | 1 | -1 |
| 7 | | -1 | 2 |

Example for Extended Euclid Algorithm

Iteration 3

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|----|----|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 23 | 1 | 1 | -1 |
| 7 | 3 | -1 | 2 |
| | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|----|----|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 23 | 1 | 1 | -1 |
| 7 | 3 | -1 | 2 |
| 2 | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|----|----|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 23 | 1 | 1 | -1 |
| 7 | 3 | -1 | 2 |
| 2 | | 4 | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|----|----|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 23 | 1 | 1 | -1 |
| 7 | 3 | -1 | 2 |
| 2 | | 4 | -7 |

Iteration 4

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|----|----|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 23 | 1 | 1 | -1 |
| 7 | 3 | -1 | 2 |
| 2 | 3 | 4 | -7 |
| | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|----|----|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 23 | 1 | 1 | -1 |
| 7 | 3 | -1 | 2 |
| 2 | 3 | 4 | -7 |
| 1 | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|-----|----|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 23 | 1 | 1 | -1 |
| 7 | 3 | -1 | 2 |
| 2 | 3 | 4 | -7 |
| 1 | | -13 | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|-----|----|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 23 | 1 | 1 | -1 |
| 7 | 3 | -1 | 2 |
| 2 | 3 | 4 | -7 |
| 1 | | -13 | 23 |

Iteration 5

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|-----|----|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 23 | 1 | 1 | -1 |
| 7 | 3 | -1 | 2 |
| 2 | 3 | 4 | -7 |
| 1 | 2 | -13 | 23 |
| | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|-----|----|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 23 | 1 | 1 | -1 |
| 7 | 3 | -1 | 2 |
| 2 | 3 | 4 | -7 |
| 1 | 2 | -13 | 23 |
| 0 | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|-----|----|
| 53 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 30 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 23 | 1 | 1 | -1 |
| 7 | 3 | -1 | 2 |
| 2 | 3 | 4 | -7 |
| 1 | 2 | -13 | 23 |

$$-13 \cdot 53 + 30 \cdot 23 = 1 = \text{GCD}$$

23 is the multiplicative inverse of 30 modulo 53

-13 \equiv 17 is the Multiplicative inverse of 53 modulo 30

STOP!

Example for Extended Euclid Algorithm

- Find the multiplicative inverse of 17 modulo 89
 - The larger of the two numbers is our m and the smaller is n
 - Initial Setup of the computation table

| | a | q | x | y |
|-----|----|---|---|---|
| m → | 89 | - | 1 | 0 |
| n → | 17 | | 0 | 1 |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |

We want to find the x and y such that $89x + 17y = 1$

Iteration 1

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|---|---|
| 89 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 17 | 5 | 0 | 1 |
| | | | |
| | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|---|---|
| 89 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 17 | 5 | 0 | 1 |
| 4 | | | |
| | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|---|---|
| 89 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 17 | 5 | 0 | 1 |
| 4 | | 1 | |
| | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|---|----|
| 89 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 17 | 5 | 0 | 1 |
| 4 | | 1 | -5 |
| | | | |

Iteration 2

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|---|----|
| 89 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 17 | 5 | 0 | 1 |
| 4 | 4 | 1 | -5 |
| | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|---|----|
| 89 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 17 | 5 | 0 | 1 |
| 4 | 4 | 1 | -5 |
| 1 | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|---|----|
| 89 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 17 | 5 | 0 | 1 |
| 4 | 4 | 1 | -5 |
| 1 | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|----|----|
| 89 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 17 | 5 | 0 | 1 |
| 4 | 4 | 1 | -5 |
| 1 | | -4 | 21 |

Example for Extended Euclid Algorithm

Iteration 3

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|----|----|
| 89 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 17 | 5 | 0 | 1 |
| 4 | 4 | 1 | -5 |
| 1 | 4 | -4 | 21 |
| | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|----|----|
| 89 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 17 | 5 | 0 | 1 |
| 4 | 4 | 1 | -5 |
| 1 | 4 | -4 | 21 |
| 0 | | | |

| a | q | x | y |
|----|---|----|----|
| 89 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 17 | 5 | 0 | 1 |
| 4 | 4 | 1 | -5 |
| 1 | 4 | -4 | 21 |

STOP!

$$-4 \cdot 89 + 21 \cdot 17 = 1 = \text{GCD}$$

21 is the multiplicative inverse of 17 modulo 89

- 4 \equiv 13 is the multiplicative inverse of 89 modulo 17

RSA Algorithm

- The RSA algorithm uses two keys, d and e , which work in pairs, for decryption and encryption, respectively.
- A plaintext message P is encrypted to ciphertext by:
 - $C = P^e \bmod n$
- The plaintext is recovered by:
 - $P = C^d \bmod n$
- Because of symmetry in modular arithmetic, encryption and decryption are mutual inverses and commutative. Therefore,
 - $P = C^d \bmod n = (P^e)^d \bmod n = (P^d)^e \bmod n$
- Thus, one can apply the encrypting transformation first and then the decrypting one, or the decrypting transformation first followed by the encrypting one.

- On the complexity of RSA: It is very difficult to factorize a large integer into two prime factors. The number of prime numbers between 2 and n is $(n/(\ln n))$.
- Euler's Phi Function for Positive Prime Integers: For any positive prime integer p , $(p-1)$ is the number of positive integers less than p and relatively prime to p .

Key Choice for RSA Algorithm

- The encryption key consists of the pair of integers (e, n) and the decryption key consists of the pair of integers (d, n) .
- Finding the value of n :
 - Choose two large prime numbers p and q (approximately at least 100 digits each)
 - The value of n is $p * q$, and hence n is also very large (approximately at least 200 digits).
 - Trump card of RSA: A large value of n inhibits us to find the prime factors p and q .
- Choosing e :
 - Choose e to be a very large integer that is relatively prime to $(p-1)*(q-1)$.
 - To guarantee the above requirement, choose e to be greater than both $p-1$ and $q-1$
- Choosing d :
 - Select d such that $(e * d) \bmod ((p-1)*(q-1)) = 1$
 - In other words, d is the multiplicative inverse of e in class modulo $(p-1)*(q-1)$

Example for RSA Algorithm

- Let $p = 11$ and $q = 13$. Find the encryption and decryption keys. Choose your encryption key to be at least 10. Show the encryption and decryption for Plaintext 7

Solution:

- The value of $n = p * q = 11 * 13 = 143$
- $(p-1) * (q-1) = 10 * 12 = 120$
- Choose the encryption key $e = 11$, which is relatively prime to $120 = (p-1) * (q-1)$.
- The decryption key d is the multiplicative inverse of 11 modulo 120.
- Run the Extended Euclid algorithm with $m = 120$ and $n = 11$.
- We find the decryption key d to be also 11 (the multiplicative inverse of 11 in class modulo 120)

- The encryption key is (11, 143)
- The decryption key is (11, 143)

| a | q | x | y |
|-----|----|----|-----|
| 120 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 11 | 10 | 0 | 1 |
| 10 | 1 | 1 | -10 |
| 1 | 10 | -1 | 11 |
| 0 | | | |

Example for RSA Algorithm

- Encryption for Plaintext $P = 7$

- Ciphertext $C = P^e \bmod n$
 $= 7^{11} \bmod 143$

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 8 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |

$$7^1 \bmod 143 = 7 \bmod 143 = 7$$

$$7^2 \bmod 143 = (7^1 * 7^1) \bmod 143 = (7 \bmod 143 * 7 \bmod 143) \bmod 143 = (7 * 7) \bmod 143 = 49 \bmod 143 = 49$$

$$7^4 \bmod 143 = (7^2 * 7^2) \bmod 143 = (7^2 \bmod 143 * 7^2 \bmod 143) \bmod 143 = (49 * 49) \bmod 143 = 2401 \bmod 143 = 113$$

$$7^8 \bmod 143 = (7^4 * 7^4) \bmod 143 = (7^4 \bmod 143 * 7^4 \bmod 143) \bmod 143 = (113 * 113) \bmod 143 = 12769 \bmod 143 = 42$$

$$\begin{aligned} 7^{11} \bmod 143 &= (7^8 * 7^2 * 7^1) \bmod 143 \\ &= (42 * 49 * 7) \bmod 143 \\ &= ((42 * 49) \bmod 143) * (7) \bmod 143 \\ &= ((2058) \bmod 143) * (7) \bmod 143 \\ &= (56) * (7) \bmod 143 \\ &= (392) \bmod 143 \\ &= 106 \end{aligned}$$

Ciphertext is 106

Example for RSA Algorithm

- Decryption for Ciphertext $C = 106$
- Plaintext $P = C^d \bmod n$
 $= 106^{11} \bmod 143$

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 8 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |

$$106^1 \bmod 143 = 106 \bmod 143 = 106$$

$$106^2 \bmod 143 = (106^1 * 106^1) \bmod 143 = (106 \bmod 143 * 106 \bmod 143) \bmod 143 = (106 * 106) \bmod 143 = 49 \bmod 143 = 82$$

$$106^4 \bmod 143 = (106^2 * 106^2) \bmod 143 = (106^2 \bmod 143 * 106^2 \bmod 143) \bmod 143 = (82 * 82) \bmod 143 = 6724 \bmod 143 = 3$$

$$106^8 \bmod 143 = (106^4 * 106^4) \bmod 143 = (106^4 \bmod 143 * 106^4 \bmod 143) \bmod 143 = (3 * 3) \bmod 143 = 9 \bmod 143 = 9$$

$$\begin{aligned} 106^{11} \bmod 143 &= (106^8 * 106^2 * 106^1) \bmod 143 \\ &= (9 * 82 * 106) \bmod 143 \\ &= ((9 * 82) \bmod 143) * (106) \bmod 143 \\ &= ((738) \bmod 143) * (106) \bmod 143 \\ &= (23) * (106) \bmod 143 \\ &= (2438) \bmod 143 \\ &= 7 \end{aligned}$$

Plaintext is 7

Another Example for RSA Algorithm

- Let $p = 17$ and $q = 23$. Find the encryption and decryption keys. Choose your encryption key to be at least 10. Show the encryption and decryption for Plaintext 127

| a | q | x | y |
|-----|----|---|-----|
| 352 | - | 1 | 0 |
| 13 | 27 | 0 | 1 |
| 1 | 13 | 1 | -27 |
| 0 | | | |

Solution:

- The value of $n = p \cdot q = 17 \cdot 23 = 391$
- $(p-1) \cdot (q-1) = 16 \cdot 22 = 352$
- Choose the encryption key $e = 13$, which is relatively prime to $352 = (p-1) \cdot (q-1)$.
- The decryption key d is the multiplicative inverse of 13 modulo 352.
- Run the Extended Euclid algorithm with $m = 352$ and $n = 13$.
- The multiplicative inverse is $-27 \equiv (-27 + 352) = 325$
- We find the decryption key d to be 325 (the multiplicative inverse of 13 in class modulo 352)

- The encryption key is $(13, 391)$
- The decryption key is $(325, 391)$

Another Example for RSA Algorithm

- Encryption for Plaintext $P = 127$
- Ciphertext $C = P^e \bmod n$
 $= 127^{13} \bmod 391$

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 8 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |

$$127^1 \bmod 391 = 127 \bmod 391 = 127$$

$$127^2 \bmod 391 = (127^1 * 127^1) \bmod 391 = (127 \bmod 391 * 127 \bmod 391) \bmod 391 = (127 * 127) \bmod 391 = 16129 \bmod 391 = 98$$

$$127^4 \bmod 391 = (127^2 * 127^2) \bmod 391 = (127^2 \bmod 391 * 127^2 \bmod 391) \bmod 391 = (98 * 98) \bmod 391 = 9604 \bmod 391 = 220$$

$$127^8 \bmod 391 = (127^4 * 127^4) \bmod 391 = (127^4 \bmod 391 * 127^4 \bmod 391) \bmod 391 = (220 * 220) \bmod 391 = 48400 \bmod 391 = 307$$

$$\begin{aligned} 127^{13} \bmod 391 &= (127^8 * 127^4 * 127^1) \bmod 391 \\ &= (307 * 220 * 127) \bmod 391 \\ &= ((307 * 220) \bmod 391) * (127) \bmod 391 \\ &= ((67540) \bmod 391) * (127) \bmod 391 \\ &= (288) * (127) \bmod 391 \\ &= (36576) \bmod 391 \\ &= 213 \end{aligned}$$

Ciphertext is 213

Another Example for RSA Algorithm

- Decryption for Ciphertext $C = 213$
- Plaintext $P = C^d \bmod n$

$$= 213^{325} \bmod 391$$

| | | | | | | | | |
|-----|-----|----|----|----|---|---|---|---|
| 256 | 128 | 64 | 32 | 16 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 1 |
| 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |

$$213^1 \bmod 391 = 213 \bmod 391 = 213$$

$$213^2 \bmod 391 = (213 * 213) \bmod 391 = 45369 \bmod 391 = 13$$

$$213^4 \bmod 391 = (13 * 13) \bmod 391 = 169 \bmod 391 = 169$$

$$213^8 \bmod 391 = (169 * 169) \bmod 391 = 28561 \bmod 391 = 18$$

$$213^{16} \bmod 391 = (18 * 18) \bmod 391 = 324 \bmod 391 = 324$$

$$213^{32} \bmod 391 = (324 * 324) \bmod 391 = 104976 \bmod 391 = 188$$

$$213^{64} \bmod 391 = (188 * 188) \bmod 391 = 35344 \bmod 391 = 154$$

$$213^{128} \bmod 391 = (154 * 154) \bmod 391 = 23716 \bmod 391 = 256$$

$$213^{256} \bmod 391 = (256 * 256) \bmod 391 = 65536 \bmod 391 = 239$$

$$\begin{aligned} 213^{325} \bmod 391 &= (213^{256} * 213^{64} * 213^4 * 213^1) \bmod 391 \\ &= (239 * 154 * 169 * 213) \bmod 391 \\ &= (52 * 169 * 213) \bmod 391 \\ &= (186 * 213) \bmod 391 \\ &= 127 \end{aligned}$$

Plaintext is 127

Applications of Encryption

- Exchange of Shared Key using Asymmetric Encryption
 - Let $K_{\text{PUB-S}}$, $K_{\text{PRI-S}}$ denote the public and private keys of Sender S. Similarly, let $K_{\text{PUB-R}}$ and $K_{\text{PRI-R}}$ be the public and private key of Receiver R. Let K be the secret key to be shared between only S and R.
 - S sends to R the following:
 - $E(K_{\text{PUB-R}} E(K_{\text{PRI-S}}, K))$
 - The inner encryption guarantees that the secret key K came from S and the outer encryption guarantees that only the receiver R could open the outer encryption of the message and get access to the inner encryption.

Applications of Encryption

- Diffie-Hellman Key Exchange
 - Used to allow two parties that have to establish a shared secret key over an insecure communication channel.
 - Alice and Bob agree on a field size n and a starting number g .
 - Alice generates a secret integer a and sends $g^a \bmod n$ to Bob. Alice sends this encrypted using its private key, so that Bob can decrypt it using Alice's public key, thereby authenticating that the message came from Alice. $E(K_{\text{PRI-ALICE}}, g^a \bmod n)$
 - At the same time, Bob generates a secret integer b and sends $g^b \bmod n$ to Alice. Bob sends this encrypted using its private key, thereby authenticating to Alice that the message came from Bob. $E(K_{\text{PRI-Bob}}, g^b \bmod n)$
 - When Bob gets Alice's message, it computes $(g^a)^b \bmod n$ and uses it as the secret key.
 - Similarly, when Alice gets Bob's message, it computes $(g^b)^a \bmod n$ and uses it as the secret key.
 - According to Modular arithmetic, $(g^a)^b \bmod n = (g^b)^a \bmod n$. Hence, both Alice and Bob have agreed on a shared secret key.

Applications of Encryption

- Digital Signatures

- A digital signature is a protocol that produces the same effect as a real signature.
- It is a mark that only the sender can make, but other people can easily recognize as if it were made by the sender.
- Just like a real signature, a digital signature indicates the sender's agreement to the message.
- Properties of a digital signature:
 - It must be unforgeable: If person P signs a message M with signature $S(P, M)$, it is impossible for any one else to produce the pair $[M, S(P, M)]$.
 - It must be authentic: If person R receives the pair $[M, S(P, M)]$ from P, R can check that the signature is really from P. Only P could have created this signature, and the signature is firmly attached to M.
 - It is not alterable: After being transmitted, M cannot be changed by S, R or an interceptor.
 - It is not reusable: A previous message presented again will be instantly detected by R.
- Public Key Protocol: S sends R $E(K_{\text{PUB-R}} E(K_{\text{PRI-S}}, M))$