

Cryptographic Basics

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What we're going to cover

• Some context

- Cryptographic Functions
 - Symmetric Algorithms
 - Asymmetric Algorithms
 - Hashing
 - Digital Signatures and Digital Certificates
 - Financial

Today's Business Environment



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Business Requirements

• Trust

- Confidentiality
 - Trade Secrets
 - Business transactions
- Privacy
 - Personal Information
- Accountability/ Auditability



Industry Pressures: Addressing Regulations

Privacy Regulations

1999 Gramm-Leach- Bliley Act (GLBA) US	2000 PIPEDA Canada	2000 COPPA and CIPA US	2003 California Individual Privacy (SB1386) California	2008 PCI DSS v1.2 Industry
1987 Computer Security Act US	1995 EU Data Protection Directive EU	1996 HIPAA US	1997 Personal Health Information Act Canada	1998 Data Protection Act UK

2005 8th Company Law Directive (Euro SOX) EU	2006 Financial Instruments and Exchange Law (J-SOX) Japan	2012 Solvency II EU	2006 Federal Rules of Evidence US
2002 Sarbanes-Oxley Act US	2002 Corporate Law Economic Reform Program Australia	2003 Basel II EU	2001 USA PATRIOT Act US

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Cryptography

• Secrecy

- Integrity
- Financial Authentication
- Key Protection



Secrecy Algorithms - Symmetric

• Symmetric - One key shared by both parties



- + Speed (compared to asymmetric)
- Key Distribution

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Secrecy Algorithms - Asymmetric

 Asymmetric – two different, but mathematically related keys (public and private)



- + Key Distribution
- Speed (compared to symmetric)

Algorithms

• Symmetric

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- DES/TDES*
- AES*
- Blowfish / Twofish
- Serpent
- IDEA
- RC2 / RC4
- Skipjack
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- Asymmetric
 - RSA*
 - Diffie-Hellman*

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• ECC*

*Supported on IBM Hardware

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DES Algorithm - Encrypt



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DES

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One round

- One of the 16 iteration steps
- $L \equiv \text{left half of 64-bit message}$ $R \equiv$ left half of 64-bit message
- Key is 56 bits
 - $\Leftrightarrow K_1 K_{16}$ are 16 permutations on the master key
- Use lookup tables for the ٠ permutations and substitutions



C. Diorio, Lecture 16: DES primer 6 http://courses.cs.washington.edu/courses/cse467/99au/admin/Slides/Week6Lecture1/sld006.htm

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DES Algorithm – Encrypt & Decrypt

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TDES Algorithm - Enrcrypt



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TDES Algorithm – Encrypt & Decrypt

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TDES Algorithm – DES Compatibility

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AES Algorithm

- Multiple Rounds
 - 128-bit keys, 10 cycles
 - 192-bit keys, 12 cycles
 - 256-bit keys, 14 cycles



Asymmetric Algorithms

• RSA

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- Diffie-Hellman
- Elliptic Curve

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Generating RSA Keys

- RSA Keys consists of two parts, a modulus (N) and an exponent (E for the public key; D for the private key)
 - Public Key => N E
 - Private Key => N D
- The modulus is calculated by multiplying two prime numbers (P & Q) together
 - P = 5 Q = 11 (in reality, these should be very large prime numbers, 100s of digits long)
 - N = P x Q => 5 x 11 = 55

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- Next, select an odd number, E, that will be the exponent for the public key
 - Good values include 3 or 65537 (64K+1)

Public Key => N E => **55 3**

• Finally, calculate the exponent for the private key, D, where

1 = (D * E) MOD ((P-1)(Q-1))

• In our example, solve for 1 = (D * 3) MOD 40 => D = 27!

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Private Key => N D => 55 27
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Encipher the Message 'GPB' Public Key (N E) => 55 3 Private Key (N D) => 55 27 Convert characters to numeric (a=1, b=2, c=3, etc.) 'G' = 7; 'P' = 16; 'B' = 2; ciphertext = (cleartext**E) Mod N • For 'G' (7**3) MOD 55 => 343 MOD 55 = 13

- For 'P' (16**3) MOD 55 => 4096 MOD 55 = 26
- For 'B' (2**3) MOD 55 => 8 MOD 55 = 8

Ciphertext is 13 26 8



Decipher the message 13 26 8 Public Key (N E) => 55 3Private Key (N D) => 55 27Cleartext = (ciphertext**D) MOD N

 For 13 13**27 MOD 55 = 7 (13**27 = 1192533292512492016559195008117)

- For 26 26**27 MOD 55 = 16 (26**27 = 1.6005910908538609008071353149841e+38)
- For 8 8**27 mod 55 = 2
 (8**27 = 2417851639229258349412352)
- My decrypted message is 7 16 2 => "G" "P" "B"



ECC Algorithm

Effective Key Size					
Symmetric	RSA	ECC			
80	1024	163			
112	2048	224			
128	3072	256			
192	7680	384			
256	15360	512			
From NIST SP 800-57 Part 1 (Table 2) at <u>www.nist.gov</u>					



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 $y^2 = x^3 - 7x$

Image from crypto.stackexchange.com

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Complimentary algorithms

• Symmetric

- Fast for large messages, but key distribution is a problem
- Asymmetric
 - Expensive, so only use for small messages, but easy to distribute keys



Hashing

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• One iteration in a SHA-2 family compression function. The blue components perform the following operations:

 $\begin{aligned} \operatorname{Ch}(E,F,G) &= (E \wedge F) \oplus (\neg E \wedge G) \\ \operatorname{Ma}(A,B,C) &= (A \wedge B) \oplus (A \wedge C) \oplus (B \wedge C) \\ \Sigma_0(A) &= (A \ggg 2) \oplus (A \ggg 13) \oplus (A \ggg 22) \\ \Sigma_1(E) &= (E \ggg 6) \oplus (E \ggg 11) \oplus (E \ggg 25) \end{aligned}$

• The bitwise rotation uses different constants for SHA-512. The given numbers are for SHA-256. The red ℍ is addition modulo 2^{32.}



Hashing – Modification Detection Code



- Characteristics of a good hash algorithm
 - One-way can't recover the data from the hash
 - Hard to find collisions
 - The result does not reveal information about the input

Hashing – Message Authentication Code



• Add a secret key into the calculation

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Digital Signatures



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Digital Certificate

Certificate Request



Financial Authentication



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