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About Network protocols :

Talk securely across a network.

Semester 1

- Cryptography (this is not a cryptography course)

o How do we use it properly for secure applications.

Books

Matt Bishop - Intro to Comp Sec

Dieter Gollmann - Comp Sec

Jonathan Knudsen - Java Cryptography

Bruce Schneier - Applied Cryptog.

Ross Anderson - Security Engineering

<http://www.cl.cam.ac.uk/~rja14/book.html>

<http://security.stackexchange.com>.

- low level technical stuff in the form of Q&A.

week 7 and 12 - Tests.

CS4253 - Past Papers (Network & System 10 credits)

Semester 2 - CS4615 - System Security.

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CS4615 Intro. (SysSec) Semester 2 (Slides. No Notes)

CS4614 Moodle

CS4614 netsec (Key)

Principles.

- Any active entity that wants to generate or receive a message
 - Confidentiality
 - Integrity (data can't be altered without detection)
 - Availability
 - Data Origin Authentication
- does not cover corruption over the network. If any issues occur then the sender must be aware of the issue.

The above is what this module will cover.

Very Basic Cryptography

$$D(K_2, E(K_1, P)) = ?$$

E = Encryption

P = Plain Text

K₁ = Use K₁ to encrypt (KEY)

K₂ = Use K₂ to decrypt

D = Decrypt.

Symmetric Cryptography \Rightarrow ~~j~~ $K_1 = K_2$
Asymmetric Cryptography \Rightarrow $K_1 \neq K_2$

Substitution Cypher \Rightarrow sub with another

$$\text{eg } \begin{matrix} a-d \\ b-f \end{matrix} \text{ so 'cat' = 'fdw'}$$

Vigenère Cipher

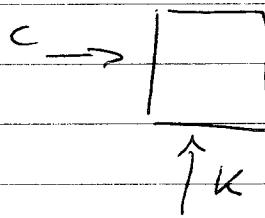
message = attackt down

key = mykeymykeymy - repeats so $a=y$ (twice)

cypher = conuric

One Time Pad = same length key as plain text.
so it will never repeat

Attack in depth = attacker guesses the key as they
may know the sender always starts
their message with my dear so they
are able to guess the first six letters.



Key length = 52
 $\therefore 2^{56}$ encryption
 $2^{256} \times 2^{512}$ etc

Three types of cipher

DES - Data Encryption (1970's) X

AES - Advanced Encryption Standard (2000's) ✓

RSA - Public Key Cipher (1970's)

X - can be broken - brute force - ✓ ok cipher.

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$$D(K_2, E(K_1, P)) = P$$

$$E(K_1, P) = \text{Ciphertext}$$

Should look at having at least 120 bit encryption (eg DES) as a 56 bit for example could be broken in approx. 400 seconds using brute force whereas 128 bit would take forever with brute force tactics.

CloudCracker. (software suite for cracking software)

Cut + Paste Attack

Bank PIN / Card - sign up and replace account name with yours on the attack card to trick the system into asking for your PIN instead of the actual account holder's PIN.

Store $[E(K_3, (\text{acctID}, \text{pin}))]$ this will ensure that your card/pin is safe + secure.

Key stored on every ATM machine, not on a server for performance and network security issues.

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Symmetric Ciphers in Practice ("in the real world")

Encryption & Decryption Ciphers use the same key.

Block Cipher - encrypt a block (chunk) at a time

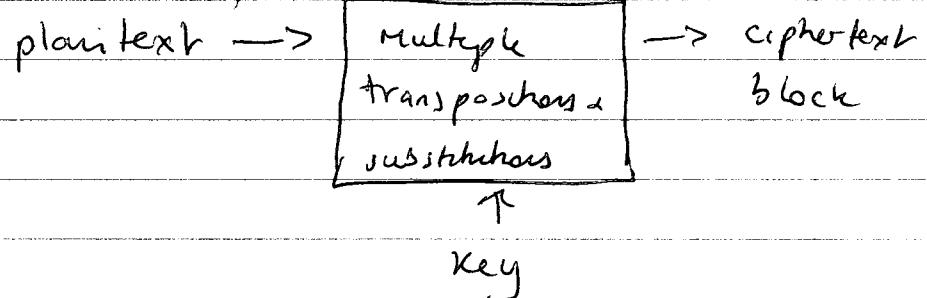
e.g. DES and AES

64-bit	128-bit
block	192-bit
size	256-bit
(or 8 bytes)	

Standards are a good thing

- Kerckhoff's Principle

- Shannon's Maxim
"the enemy knows the system"
the attacker knows everything about
the system except the key)



Double DES

$P \rightarrow S_5 S_6 \rightarrow C$

$$C = E(K_1, E(K_2, P))$$

Encrypt plaintext with K_2 then encrypt that with K_1

Triple DES

$$C = E(K_1, D(K_2, E(K_1, P))) \quad \boxed{K \text{ 80 bit key}}$$

Encrypt Plaintext with K_1 , then decrypt with K_2 and then encrypt with K_1 .

\oplus XOR

Cut & Paste Attack

You have access to data, for example a students results file. You know from the position of the class list what position in the encrypted file your name is at. You also know the position of a student who you know got a great grade. You simply copy the encrypted grade and copy it to your grade. Thus you get a great grade.

DES Block

last blank

email message		NULL
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DES ECB



These are encrypted
NULLS to signify
the end of a message

$E(K_1, \text{NULL})$

Key Space

26^8

small
case
keys

2^{56}

There are only 26 lower case keys so try these first.

Another way is a Brute Force Dictionary Attack.

random
words
(xtaxv)

(dog)

small section of 26^8 is an actual word in
the dictionary

If the attacker can crack the null encryption they
may have an insight into your encryption key.

Add randomness to the encrypted message

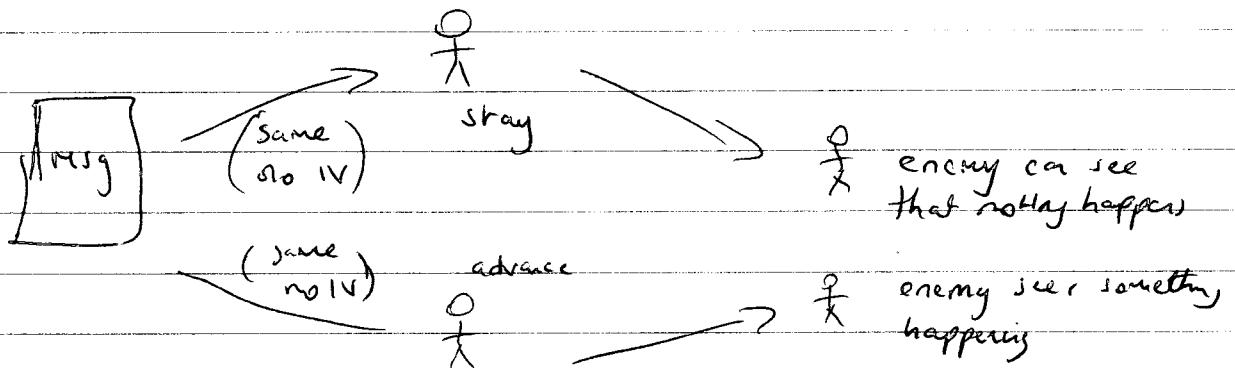
- random word or value
- it will always look different.

Pizzas to the Pentagon Problem (1990 California)



Send message
that will look
different everyone (use different IV each day)

You could also use IV₂ in the
second block, IV₃ in the third
but this is not very practical.



After a while when the enemy sees a certain encrypted message they can predict troop movements.

◆ OFB - Output Feedback Mode

◆ GCM - Galois / Counter Mode

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4pm - 6pm - Monday lab. - G21 / G19
Lab - 5 marks x 2, 2 lab tests.

Network Security

OpenSSL - one of the best libraries

- MAC - Message Authentication code.
- MIC - Message Integrity Code

Swift 1 - mac key kaf
mac key kab

Banks primary concern is message integrity
Use MAC's for integrity

MAC Keys managed end-to-end SWIFT
not trusted to manage MAC key.

- Swift - responsible for integrity, Banks
are responsible for encryption of message.

Swift 2 - uses public key crypto

Hash - always make hard to reverse.

MD5 is hard to reverse but it does not meet
the collision freeness.

SHA1 is much better (160 bits) $2^{63} \}$ reverse
 (2×160)
 2^{63} - Collision

SHA 2 (256 and 512)

~~SECRET~~

* EM3 KAB - encryption from now on
K

One way hash - Unpredictability !

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Java Cryptographic API's Message Digest and Symmetric Ciphers



One way Hash function

Message is always in Byte form (Byte Array).

MDS = 28 bits

Byte Array = Binary Data.

Base 64 = converts Binary Data to human readable code.

UTF8 → Extended ASCII (ASCII used to be 7 bits 
but it was extended to 8 bits to include additional characters)

↑ md.reset() must be used if using it on a different file

Hmac MDS

$h_k(\text{message}) \approx h(k^* \text{message})$

↙ Hmac MDS

PKCS5 Padding : If you have a message 4 bits long
what happens with the free space.

Padding out the free space → one way.

SIMON = 6 bytes \Rightarrow 5 letters plus null (terminator)

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Mid-Term in week 7.

Birthday Paradox

- Different Birthday
 $1 - \frac{1}{365}$
Complexity

Passphrase Encryption PKCS#5

$$\{M\}_K$$

Take a ~~random~~ passphrase of any length and hash it. (one-way hash)

Additionally we will salt the passphrase and this becomes the key.

$$K = h^{\mathbb{I}}(s \cdot p)$$

I should be greater than 1000

SALT \Rightarrow initialisation vector.

User Authentication

Important

One-Way Hash Functions

Block Ciphers

Authentication Mechanism

A user proving who they claim to be.

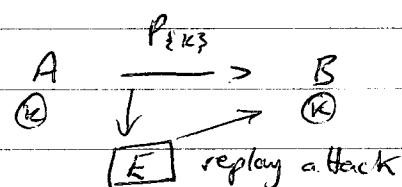
Something that the user knows (eg PIN or secret)

Something that the user has (eg PassCard)

Biometrics - fingerprint / iris

Often it could be a combination of these - **MULTIFACTOR AUTHENTICATION** - ATM card & PIN

- One time password scheme - different password (value) every time - so it cannot be subjected to a replay attack.



Msg 1 : A → B : userid

Msg 2 : B → A : challenge

Msg 3 : A → B : challenge $\oplus K_{AB}$

A can use password without revealing it.

Freshness: some value that has never been seen before, not random as random can repeat.

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Symmetric-Key based Security Protocols

How does one system know the identity of a computer connecting to it.

eg Amazon \rightarrow Credit Card details

(How are we sure we are giving them to amazon?)

- Public Key Crypto (also covered for rest of semester)

Entity Authentication

msg 1 A \rightarrow B : I'm Alice

msg.γ1 A [E] \rightarrow B : I'm Alice \leftarrow Masquerade as Alice

msg α1 A \rightarrow B : I'm Alice

msg β1 D \rightarrow B : I'm Dan

We distinguish between different runs by using α, β .

A protocol is like a program, B (Bob) is the fileserver and Alice & Dan are trying to run it.

Msg 1 $A \rightarrow B$: I'm Alice

Msg 2 $B \rightarrow A$: R

Msg 3 $A \rightarrow B$: $\{R\}_{K_{AB}}$

Secret Key = K_{AB}

R is a nonce: number used only once. It provides a way for B to check the freshness of a message i.e. whether he has seen it before.

This process is STATEFULL as B needs to keep track of challenges issued and responses between steps 2 and 3.

* $\{\dots\}_{K_{AB}}$ - denotes symmetric encryption using K_{AB} providing integrity and secrecy.

* $\alpha_1 A \rightarrow B \{ \text{I'm Alice, } T, 9.36 \}_{K_{AB}}$

* $\beta_1 A[E] \rightarrow B : \{ \text{I'm Alice, } T, 9.36 \}_{K_{AB}}$

On receipt of α_1 , Bob makes a note of nonce T for time window including 9.36 and since β_1 is within time window and nonce is same, he knows its a replay

α = alpha

β = beta

{ NONCE + TIME BASED }

RUN

▲ Mutual Authentication : Alice authenticates Bob
Bob authenticates Alice

Alice knows she sent a message to Bob
and Bob knows he got the message from Alice.
and vice-versa. For example :

Msg 1 $A \rightarrow B$: I'm Alice, R_2

Msg 2 $B \rightarrow A$: $R_1, \{R_2\}_{K_{AB}}$

Msg 3 $A \rightarrow B$: $\{R_1\}_{K_{AB}}$

R_2 - Alice's Nonce

R_1 - Bob's Nonce

K_{AB} - Key shared between Alice & Bob.

If [E] tries to replay this she will get as far
as step 2 but cannot continue the run because
she does not know the K_{AB} , but she manages
to get a nonce eg she gets $\{R_1\}_{K_{AB}}$ so
she is able to start a new run and use this
information i.e. key and nonce. Bob now thinks he
is communicating with Alice, but instead he is communicating
with Eve [E].

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- 1/ $A \rightarrow T : \{B\}_{KAT}, \{KAB\}_{KAT}$
- 2/ $T \rightarrow B : \{A\}_{KBT}, \{KAB\}_{KBT}$

Does protocol protect KAB ?

Is it possible for Eve to discover KAB ?

It would be naive for A & T to assume that because Eve does not know the keys that are encrypting KAB that it is secure.

Suppose Eve listens in on a previous run of protocol between A and B.

- 1/ $A \rightarrow T : \{B\}_{KAT}, \{KAB\}_{KAT}$,
- 2/ $T \rightarrow B : \{A\}_{KBT}, \{KAB\}_{KBT}$,

Eve is a participant and so can run protocol with Trent. Eve would like to trick Trent:

$A[E] \rightarrow T : \{\mathbb{E}\}_{KAT}, \{KAB\}_{KAT}$

Instruct Trent to forward key to Eve

Eve already has a copy of $\{KAB\}_{KAT}$, and so she needs to get a copy of $\{\mathbb{E}\}_{KAT}$

She has this

So just needs to get this

Eve requests to share a key with Alice (as Eve is able to do this) $\Rightarrow P1 : E \rightarrow T : \{A\}_{KET}, \{KAB\}_{KAT}$

$\beta_2: T \rightarrow A : \{E\}_{KAT}, \{K_{AB}\}_{KAT}$

Trent just follows the protocol, Eve listens in and sees what she is looking for i.e. $\{E\}_{KAT}$

Eve starts a new run of protocol

$\delta 1: A [E] \rightarrow T \{E\}_{KAT}, \{K_{AB}\}_{KAT}$

T

Key to Alice
(Eve).

Eve giving her name as Alice

$\delta 2: T \rightarrow E : \{A\}_{KAT}, \{K_{AB}\}_{KAT}$

Now Eve (E) knows K_{AB} .

Eve hasn't broken any crypto (no attacks) she has just manipulated what she knows about the system to get the key (without actually knowing the key)

* ① Is it possible for E to masquerade as A to B (even when A never initiates a key exchange with B)?

Reflection Attack ! I look this up.

Public Key Cryptography Overview

Public Key & Private Key.

- o Alice signs message - anyone can confirm her signature by decrypting with her public key

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{Private Key} & K_A^{-1} \\ \text{Public Key} & K_A \end{array}$$

$$C = \sum P \{ K \}$$

$$P = \sum C \{ K^{-1} \}$$

P = Plaintext, C = Ciphertext, K = encryption key, K⁻¹ decryption

$$A \rightarrow B \left\{ \left\{ \text{Message} \right\}_{K_B} \right\}_{K_B^{-1}}$$

- o We have confidentiality, we now need authentication.

$$A \rightarrow B \left\{ \left\{ \text{Message} \right\}_{K_A^{-1}} \right\}_{K_A}$$

Combined

$$A \rightarrow B : \left\{ \left\{ \text{Message} \right\}_{K_A^{-1}} \right\}_{K_B}$$

Anyone can read
this so

using her public key.

she encrypts it with

Bob's public key and only Bob can decrypt it.

RSA Public Key Crypto (sketch)

- o Choose two large prime numbers p and q , let $n = p \times q$.
 - o To treat $\phi(n)$ - number less than n with no factors in common with n .
 - o Pick integer $e < n$ relatively prime to $\phi(n)$
 e = encryption, d = decryption
 - o Find a second integer d such that $e \times d \bmod n = 1$
- △ It turns out that knowing $\phi(n)$ makes it easy / feasible to find this d .

Public key is (e, n) , private key is (d, n)
let $m < n$

$$c = m^e \bmod n \quad - \text{encryption - public key}$$

$$m = c^d \bmod n \quad - \text{decryption - private key.}$$

example :

$$p = 47, q = 71, n = pq = 3337$$

$$\phi(n) = (p-1)(q-1) = 3220$$

$$e = 79, \text{ such that } \gcd(e, \phi(n)) = 1$$

$$d = e^{-1} \bmod \phi(n) = \text{fastexp}(79, 3220 - 1, 3220)$$

$$= 1019$$

To encrypt break into blocks

$$- 688232686 \Rightarrow 688 \ 232 \ 686$$

While feasible - it is quite costly.

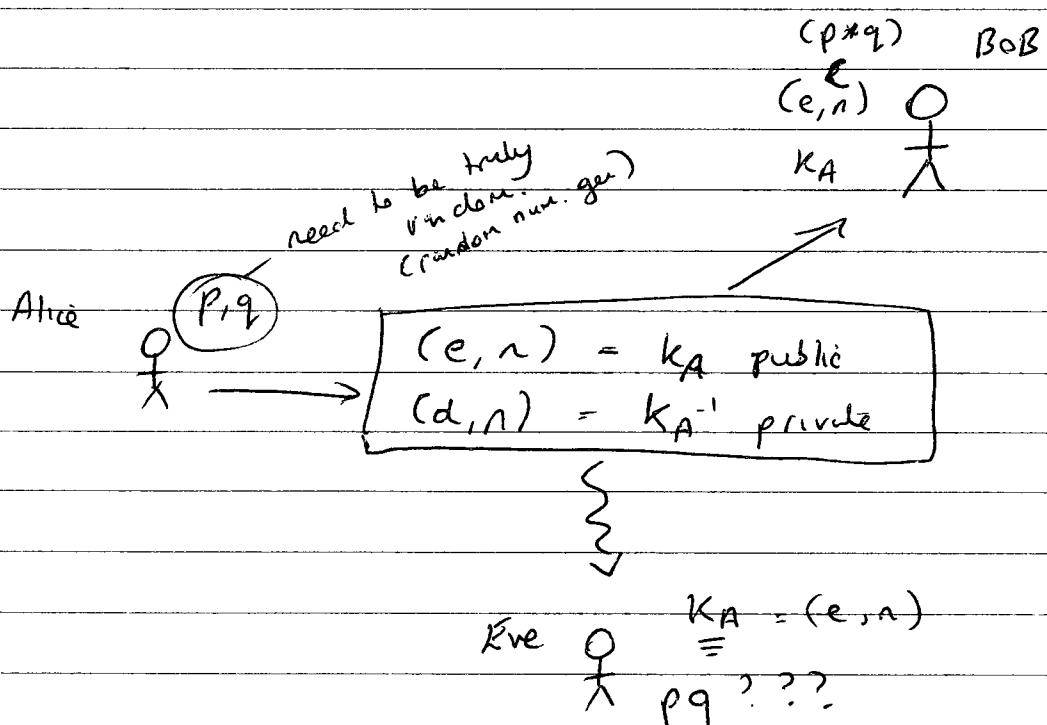
We don't use RSA - we use symmetric key.

Once the primes have been assigned to p , q , they must be destroyed as if an attacker know p , q they can work out d . We also need to make sure p , q are large enough.

private (d, n)
 public (e, n)

In practice primes should be at least 1024 bits long.
 Use RSA implementation that are compliant with standards. Don't implement own RSA and don't use ones that are not compliant. (Website : RSA Laboratories)

* 768 bits was factored in approx. 3 years.
 from Jan '14 it should be 2048 bits. (N.I.S.T.)



Example - OpenSSL weak p , q generator, programmer error (commented out lines that was used to generate the p , q) so entropy was poor.

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Monday 6 pm Lab - End of Term Test - 2nd December '13

Public Key Protocols : A Preliminary sketch of SSL.

Short term key : session key

Could be for a single message or for a few hours.
An hour or 1GB of data.

Server-side authentication - but server does not
know who the person sending info is.

- o What if attacker learns K_B^{-1}
- o The attacker keeps copies of all encrypted data
 - { data } K_{AB}
- o If the attacker learns K_B^{-1}
- o Bob will come up with a new key
- o But the attacker will have access to all previous data.
 - This is called Perfect Forward Secrecy. (PFS)
 - DH does have " " " * DH = Diffie-Hellman

Station to Station Protocol (Diffie VanO. w)

msg 2 B → A ∵ Bob is saying we have encryption by but B is also saying he knows K (session key) so we also have authentication (secret key)

PFS + Authentication + No timestamp

Some (poor) Key Distribution Schemes

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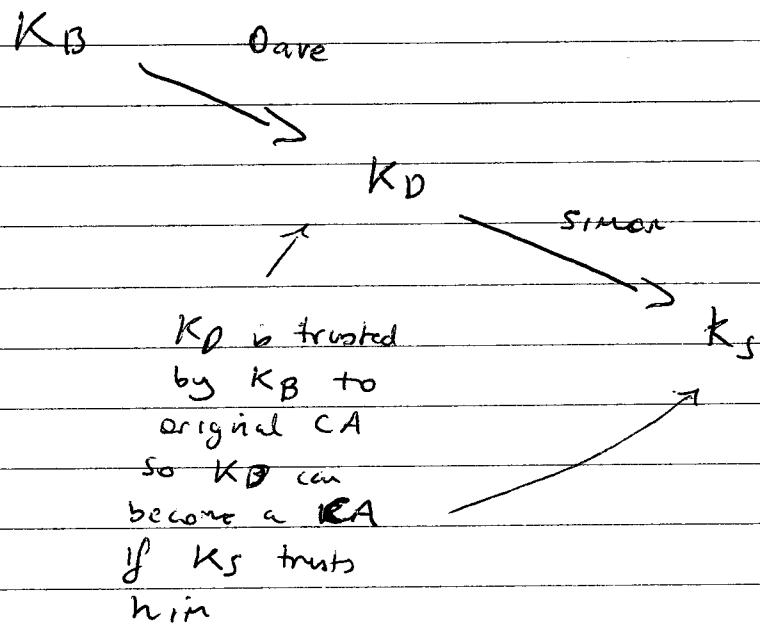
1. Bob can't be sure that it actually is Alice
2. The second way is also unusable

To ensure correct key is being used, we use Public Key Certificates. eg Trent

sK_T = signed by Trent

PKC's are third party (trusted) that confirm that the key is from the correct party.

Certification Authority (CA) guarantees to some degree.



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Public Key Crypto.

Science of Info. hiding
Mathematical methods to encrypt.

private verify, public sign data.

DSA - Digital Signature Algorithm

Java Key store - holds keys and certificates

CSR : Certificate Signing Request.

Secure Socket Layer / Transport Layer Security
TLS is used pretty much by everyone these days
* Confidentiality & Authenticity

Symmetric Key - SSL - can be used both ways.

Msg 12 & 13 - change cipher text
⇒ basically telling each other to move into secure mode.

Always use factory management options when they exist.