

CS 463/563: Cryptography for Cybersecurity
Spring 2025
Homework #10
Points: 20

Question 1: [Points 7] RSA Signature Scheme (*page 265 in the textbook*): Given the following table describing the procedure for Alice to send a signed message with RSA signature to Bob, calculate the unknown entities and verify that Bob has received the correct message sent by Alice.

Alice	Bob
Chooses $p = 23, q = 43$	
Compute $n = p \cdot q =$	
Compute $\phi(n) =$	
Choose $e = 17$	
Compute $d = e^{-1} \bmod \phi(n) =$	
Compute Public key $(e, n) =$ Private key $(d, n) =$	
Send Public key (e, n) to Bob:	Receives Alice's public key (e, n) :
Message to send is $m = 9$	
Computes signatures s for m : $m^d \bmod n =$	
Send (m, s) to Bob:	Receives (m, s) :
	Compute $m' = s^e \bmod n =$
	Verifies if $m = m'$

Question 2: [Points 7] Elgamal Signature Scheme (*page 270-272*): Given the following table describing the procedure for Alice to send a signed message with Elgamal signature to Bob, calculate the unknown entities and verify that Bob has received the correct message sent by Alice.

Alice	Bob
Chooses $p = 17$	
Chooses a primitive element $\alpha = 11$	
Choose a random integer $d = 7$	
Compute $\beta = \alpha^d \bmod p =$	
Public key is $k_{pub} = (p, \alpha, \beta) =$ Private key is $k_{pr} = d =$	
Send Public key $k_{pub} = (p, \alpha, \beta)$ to Bob:	Receives Alice's public key $k_{pub} = (p, \alpha, \beta) =$
Choose an ephemeral key $KE = 5$	
Message to send is $m = 9$	
Computes signatures (s, r) for m $r = \alpha^{KE} \bmod p =$ Compute $KE^{-1} \bmod (p - 1) =$ $s = (m - d \cdot r) \cdot KE^{-1} \bmod (p - 1) =$	
Send $(m, (r, s))$ to Bob:	Receives $(m, (r, s)) =$
	Compute $t = \beta^r \cdot r^s \bmod p =$
	Verifies if $t = \alpha^m \bmod p =$

Question 3: [Points 6] Compute **CBC-MAC** (*pages 325-526 in textbook*) for a message of 24 bits, “A1A2A3” (in Hexa).

Assume a block size of 8 bits with an **IV = D3 (hexa)** and **key = E4 (hexa)**.

Assume the encryption (and decryption) to be as follows:

If plaintext is $LT\|RT$

Key is $LK\|RK$, where LC , RC , LT , and RT are each 4 bits, then

Ciphertext = $LC\|RC$

$LC = LK \text{ XOR } RT$

$RC = RK \text{ XOR } LT$

Plaintext and ciphertext are each 8 bits. Similarly, to decrypt ciphertext, we perform exactly the reverse operation

$LT = RC \text{ XOR } RK$

$RT = LC \text{ XOR } LK$.

Hint: Divide the message into blocks of 8 bits each; XOR each block with the previous cipher output; then encrypt this with the key. For the first block, XOR it with IV. Details in pages 325-326 Ch-12 of the textbook.

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