

HW 7 CMSC 456. Morally DUE Oct 21
NOTE- THE HW IS FOUR PAGES LONG

1. (0 points) READ the syllabus- Content and Policy. What is your name?
What is the day and time of the midterm?
2. (25 points) This is a programming assignment. You will write code that uses the low- e attack to crack a message m encrypted with RSA.
 - (a) Begin by inputting multiple lines from standard input. On the first line, the value e will be given, and on the second line, the value L will be given. (Note that e might be larger than L .) The first two lines will be followed by $2L$ more lines. The next L lines will consist of the values N_1, N_2, \dots, N_L (one value on each line). You can assume that N_i is relatively prime to N_j for each $i \neq j$. The last L lines will consist of the values x_1, x_2, \dots, x_L (one value on each line), where each $x_i \equiv m^e \pmod{N_i}$.
 - (b) You will print two lines to standard output. First, you will use the Chinese Remainder Theorem and the input provided to calculate $m^e \pmod{N_1 \cdots N_L}$; call this value x . (Recall that $0 \leq x < N_1 \cdots N_L$.) Print this value on the first line.
After that, you will check to see if x has an positive integer e -th root. If it does, then print the root on the second line; this should be the value m . (This may exist even when $e > L$.) If this root does not exist, then print “failed” on the second line. (This will happen only when $e > L$.)

NOTE: The integer values given via input will be of arbitrary length, so make sure the language you are using supports arbitrary-length integers. With that said, be careful about how you are checking for / finding roots, as built-in functions may give you unsatisfactory results. For a simple algorithm that computes integer roots without loss of precision, see <https://stackoverflow.com/a/15979957>.

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You may use C, C++, Java, Python2/3, and Ruby for this problem. You will be submitting a zip file containing all code files you used to complete this problem to the Gradescope assignment called “hw07 - problem 2”.

Upon submission, your code will be automatically run on a Linux machine and tested against various test cases to ensure correctness. You are allowed to submit your code as many times as you want. As with previous programming assignments, upload a bash script called `run` and (if necessary) another bash script called `build`. These files must begin with the shebang `#!/usr/bin/env bash` on the very first line. If you have any questions or confusions, or if you encounter any technical difficulties, feel free to ask for help on Piazza.

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3. (25 points)

- (a) (6 points) Write Rabin's Encryption algorithm (the original version, not the one modified).
- (b) (6 points) What is the big advantage of Rabin's Encryption?
- (c) (6 points) What is the big disadvantage of Rabin's Encryption?
- (d) (7 points) Give a scenario where that disadvantage is not a problem. (We assume that Eve ONLY has access to seeing what Bob sends. She CANNOT trick Bob into sending anything.)

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4. (25 points) (You can assume there is an algorithm that will, given A, B rel prime, can find $A^{-1} \pmod{B}$.)

Write a program in pseudocode to do the following (this is the $L = 3$ case of CRT).

We call a set of N_1, N_2, N_3 JUSTINIAN if

N_1 is rel prime to N_2N_3

N_2 is rel prime to N_1N_3

N_3 is rel prime to N_1N_2

Given N_1, N_2, N_3 JUSTINIAN and x_1, x_2, x_3 , show that there exists x such that

$$x \equiv x_1 \pmod{N_1}$$

$$x \equiv x_2 \pmod{N_2}$$

$$x \equiv x_3 \pmod{N_3}$$

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5. (25 points) (We do this problem in BASE 10. Replace \oplus with addition of digits mod 10.) Alice and Bob are doing the Blum-Goldwasser cryptosystem with $p = 1019$, $q = 1051$ (remember, this is in base 10, so p, q are of length 4), $r = 5432$, and $m = 8761$. What does Bob send? Show all of your work.