

$$\textcircled{\#1} \quad Z_{10} = \{0, 1, \dots, 9\}$$

$$SE = (K, E, D)$$

\textcircled{a}

$$D_{\pi}(E_{\pi}(M)) = M$$

Alg $D_{\pi}(C)$

For $i = 1, \dots, |C|$ do

$$P[i] \leftarrow (C[i] - i) \bmod 10$$

$$M[i] \leftarrow \pi^{-1}(P[i])$$

Return M

shows that it is not perfectly secure

#1b This is not a substitution cipher because the encoding is not done directly onto the message but to $P[i]$. Additionally, the scheme is not one-to-one since you can have a message 3210, where the ciphertext output $C[1] = C[2] = C[3] = C[4] = 4$, so each input of i maps to the same output for C . This tells us that this scheme is not a substitution cipher

#7c

$$\Pr[\varepsilon_a(M_1) = C] \neq \Pr[\varepsilon_a(M_2) = C]$$

$$C = 1010$$

$$M_1 = 2121$$

$$M_2 = 3223$$

$$\Pr[\varepsilon_a(M_2) = C] = \Pr[\varepsilon_a(3223) = 1010] \\ = \boxed{0}$$

Since $\varepsilon_a(M_2[1])$ cannot equal $\varepsilon_a(M_2[2])$

$$\Pr[\varepsilon_a(M_1) = C] = \Pr[\varepsilon_a(2121) = 1010]$$

$$\left| \left\{ \varepsilon_a \in \text{Perm}(\mathbb{Z}_{10}) : \varepsilon_a(2)\varepsilon_a(1)\varepsilon_a(2)\varepsilon_a(1) = 1010 \right\} \right|$$

$$|\text{Perm}(\mathbb{Z}_{10})|$$

$$= \frac{8!}{(0!)} = \boxed{\frac{1}{90}}$$

#10

$$\Pr[E_a(M_1) = C] \neq \Pr[E_a(M_2) = C]$$
$$\frac{1}{90} \neq 0$$

This proves that this encryption scheme is NOT perfectly secure, given that $M_1, M_2, C \in \mathbb{Z}_{10}$, & that $E_a(M_1) = C = E_a(M_2)$. The probabilities are not the same shows that it is not perfectly secure.

2a) The key length is 7

The key is ATURING

2b) I recovered the key by writing python code of the Kasiski examination & Friedman test & Frequency analysis. First I used the Kasiski examination & Friedman function to get the key length. After, I made sure the length was the right length by test the decryption of the cipher text on a random key, "ABCDEFGG". After I verified that the key length was 7, I used the frequency analysis approach where I placed the ciphertext into 7 columns. Within each column I found the highest frequency character. I treated each column as a caesar cipher and subtracted the most frequent character by "E". After doing so, I got the key "PIUGING", the last 3 letters looked correct to me so I kept them, I subtracted the initial 4 columns by "T" and got "ATPRING". The "P" looked odd as part of the key so I replaced it with "u" from the previous subtraction. Then I got the key "ATURING" and used the decryption function. I was able to successfully get a readable message.