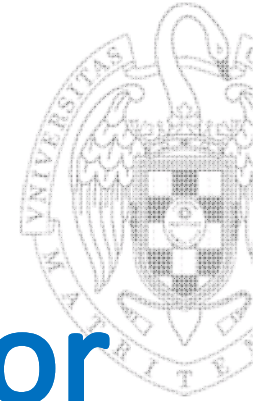


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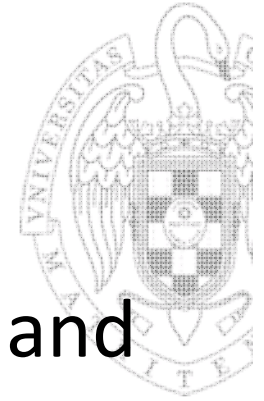
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# T4. Revision of basic concepts:

## Basics of cryptology



- **Cryptology:** science of cryptography and cryptanalysis
- **Cryptography:** secret writing based on secret keys and cryptographic algorithms
- **Cryptanalysis:** recover the secret texts without the secret keys
- **Cipher:** cryptographic algorithm used for encryption and decryption.
  - Encryption:  $\text{ciphertext} = \text{cipher}(\text{plaintext}, \text{key})$
  - Decryption:  $\text{plaintext} = \text{cipher}(\text{ciphertext}, \text{key})$

## T4. Revision of basic concepts:

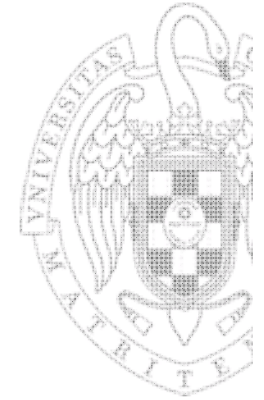
### Basics of cryptology



- **Keyspace:** set of all possible keys of a cipher. In classical ciphers, the key for encryption and decryption is the same.
- **Alphabet:** The used letters or symbols of plaintext and ciphertext, having a plaintext alphabet and a ciphertext alphabet (that could be the same).
- **Break a ciphertext:** reveal the plaintext without the used key. Depending of the alphabet, brute force vs heuristics

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## Basics of cryptology

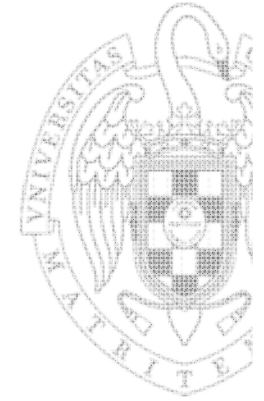


### The Caesar Cipher

- How it works: Shift letters according to a key (shift value)
- Example:
  - Key: 1 (i.e. shift alphabet by 1)
  - Plaintext alphabet:  
ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
  - Ciphertext alphabet:  
BCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZA
  - Plaintext: HELLOWORLD
  - Ciphertext: IFMMPXPSME

# T4. Revision of basic concepts:

## Basics of cryptology



### Attacks on ciphers

- **Attack to the ciphertext:** The cryptanalyst only has the ciphertext. Reveal the plaintext and/or the secret key.
- **Attack to the plaintext:** The cryptanalyst has the plaintext (parts or entire) and the ciphertext. Reveal the key.

# T4. Revision of basic concepts: Basics of cryptology

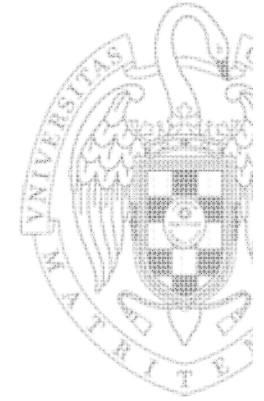


## Statistics

- Based on language models and text statistics, classical ciphers can be broken.
- For instance, the letter frequency can be used to identify which letter in the plaintext is replaced by which letter in the ciphertext.

# T4. Revision of basic concepts:

## Basics of cryptology



### Substitution ciphers

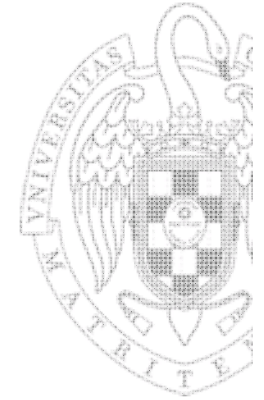
- Replace letters of the plaintext with other letters (numbers, letters, symbols, etc.).
  - Monoalphabetic subst. cipher: a plaintext letter is always replaced with the same ciphertext letter.
  - Homophonic subst. cipher: a plaintext letter is replaced with more than one ciphertext letter.
  - Polyalphabetic subst. cipher: different ciphertext alphabets

Cipher type	Number of plaintext symbols	Number of ciphertext symbols
Monoalphabetic substitution	26	26
Homophonic substitution	26	>26
Polyalphabetic substitution	26	26; different alphabets



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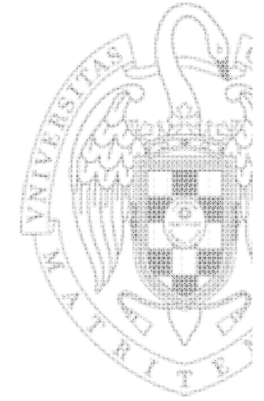


Substitution ciphers. Examples

- Monoalphabetic Substitution: The Caesar Cipher
  - Plaintext alphabet:  
ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
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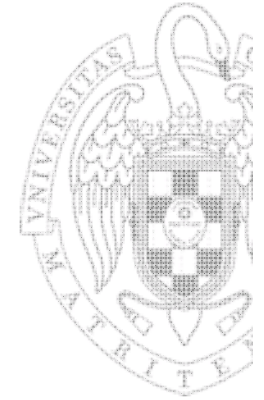


Substitution ciphers. Examples

- Homophone Substitution
  - A plaintext letter is replaced with two-digit numbers
  - Plaintext alphabet:  
ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
  - Key: A = {01 or 02 or 06}, B = {03 or 04}, C = {05}, ...
  - Plaintext: HELLOWORLDDHOWAREYOU
  - Ciphertext:  
15,09,23,24,29,45,30,35,23,07,16,29,46,01,36,10,49,  
30,41

# T4. Revision of basic concepts:

## Basics of cryptology



### Substitution ciphers. Examples

- Polyalphabetic Substitution: The Vigenère Cipher
  - The Vigenère cipher uses different shifted ciphertext alphabets based on a keyword
  - Plaintext alphabet: ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
  - Ciphertext alphabets: 26 different shifted alphabets
    - ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
    - BCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZA
    - CDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZAB
    - DEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZABC
    - EFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZABCD
    - ...
  - Key: SECRET
  - Plaintext: HELLOWORLDDHOWAREYOU
  - Ciphertext: ZINCSPGVNULHOETVCHM

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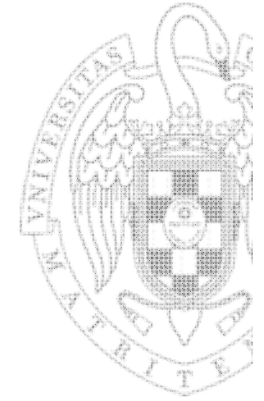
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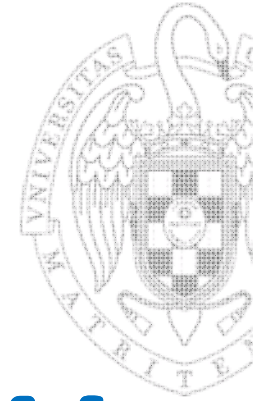
### Transposition Ciphers

- Do not replace letters with other. Instead, the position is changed.
- Example: The Columnar Transposition Cipher
  - Plaintext copied into a rectangular grid with n-columns. Then, columns are permuted using a keyword.
  - Plaintext alphabet: ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
  - Ciphertext alphabet: ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ
  - Key: SECRET
  - Plaintext: HELLOWORLDDHOWAREYOU
  - Ciphertext: LLRERAOHYLDEHOWUWOO

# T4. Revision of basic concepts: Cryptool



- See tutorial of the first day (slides)
  - Startcenter
  - Wizard
  - Workspace Manager
  - Online Help



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- Symmetric Cryptography
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  - Polyalphabetic Cipher - Vigenère Cipher
  - Homophonic Substitution Ciphers
  - Transposition Ciphers
  - Composed Ciphers
  - Machine Ciphers

# Symmetric Cryptography



- Classic Cipher (Caesar)



- **Assignment 1:** Decrypt the following text using the Caesar cipher

Va pelcgbtencul, n Pnrfne pvcure, nyfb xabja nf Pnrfne'f pvcure, gur fuvsg pvcure, Pnrfne'f pbqr be Pnrfne fuvsg, vf bar bs gur fvzcyrfg naq zbfq jvqryl xabja rapelcgvba grpuavdhrf. Vg vf n glcr bs fhofgvghgvba pvcure va juvpu rnpu yrggre va gur cynvagrkg vf ercynprq ol n yrggre fbzr svkrq ahzore bs cbfvgvbaf qbja gur nycunorg. Sbe rknzcyr, jvgu n yrsg fuvsg bs 3, Q jbhyq or ercynprq ol N, R jbhyq orpbzr O, naq fb ba. Gur zrgubq vf anzrq nsgre Whyvhf Pnrfne, jub hfrq vg va uvf cevingr pbeerfcbaqrapr.

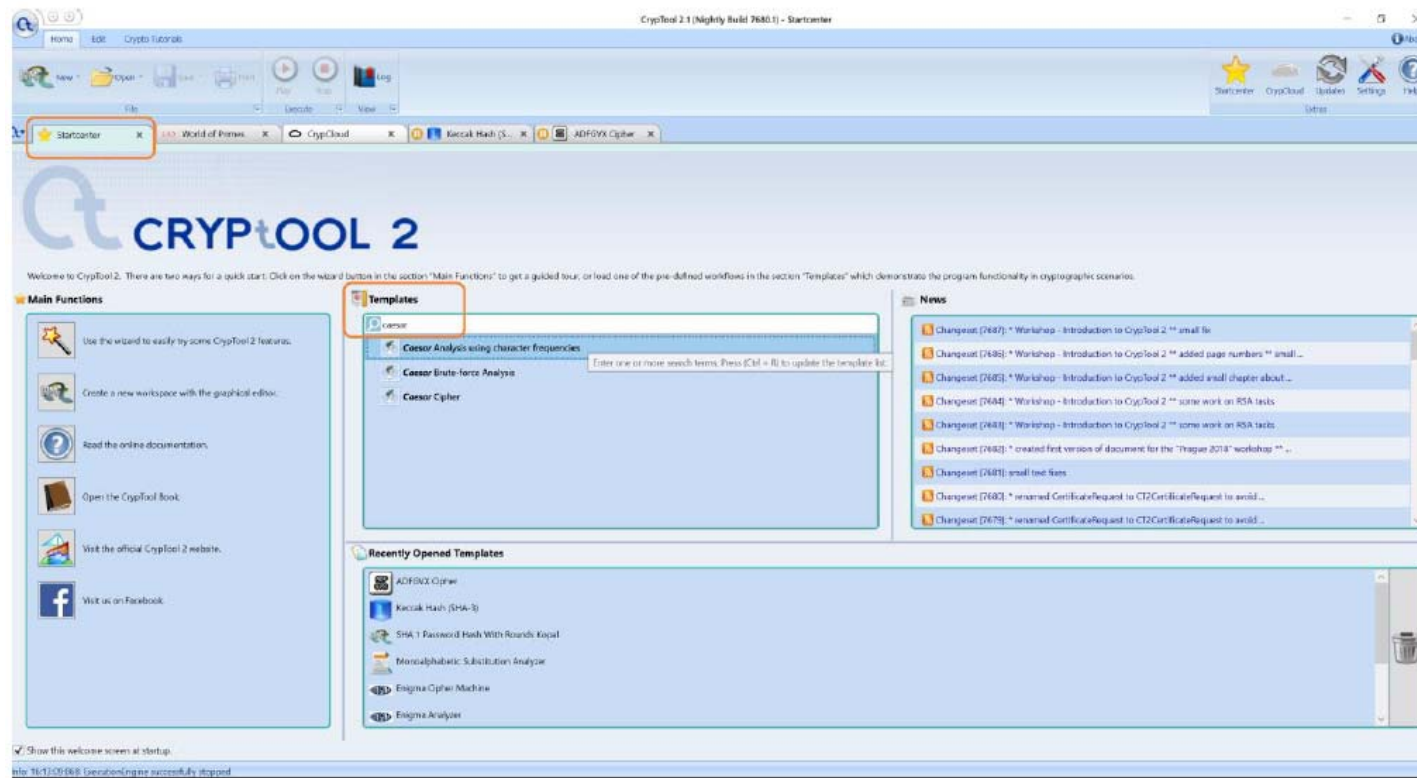
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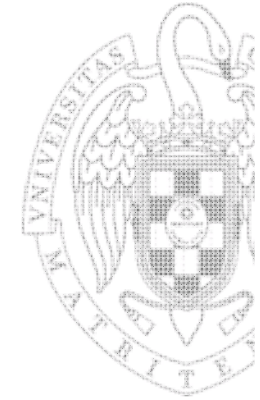




# Symmetric Cryptography

- Classic Cipher (Caesar)
  - Hint 1: Open the template “Caesar Cipher” (or use the Wizard).





# Symmetric Cryptography

- Classic Cipher (Caesar)
  - Hint 2: Use Ctrl+C, Ctrl+V to copy the text

The screenshot displays the CrypTool 2.1 workspace for a Caesar cipher. It features three main components: a 'Text Input' block with a ciphertext of 505 characters, a 'Caesar' block configured for decryption with a key of 13, and a 'Text Output' block showing the resulting plaintext of 505 characters. A 'Description of the Caesar cipher' pop-up is also visible, providing a detailed explanation of the cipher's mechanism and its historical context.

**Description of the Caesar cipher**

In cryptography, a Caesar cipher, also known as Caesar's cipher, the shift cipher, Caesar's code or Caesar shift, is one of the simplest and most widely known encryption techniques.

It is a type of substitution cipher in which each letter in the plaintext is replaced by a letter some fixed number of positions down the alphabet.

For example, with a left shift of 3, D would be replaced by A, E would become B, and so on.

The method is named after Julius Caesar, who used it in his private correspondence.

# Symmetric Cryptography



- Classic Cipher (Caesar)
- **Assignment 2:** Encrypt the following text using the Caesar cipher
- Gaius Julius Caesar known by his cognomen Julius Caesar was a Roman politician and military general who played a critical role in the events that led to the demise of the Roman Republic and the rise of the Roman Empire. He is also known as an author of Latin prose.

Key: 10

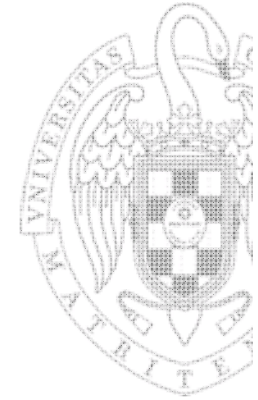
# Symmetric Cryptography



- Classic Cipher (Caesar)
- **Assignment 3:** Break the following text using the template “Caesar Analysis using character frequencies”

Pu jyfwavnyhwof, h jpwoly pz hu hsnvypaot mvy wlymvytpun  
lujyfwapvu vy kljyfwapvu -- h zlyplz vm dlss-klmpulk zalwz  
aoha jhu il mvssvdlk hz h wyvjlkbyl. Hu hsalyuhapcl, slzz  
jvttvu alyt pz lujpwolytlua. Av lujpwoly vy lujvkl pz av  
jvuclya pumvythapvu puav jpwoly vy jvkl. Pu jvttvu whyshujl,  
"jpwoly" pz zfvuftvbz dpao "jvkl," hz aolf hyl ivao h zla vm  
zalwz aoha lujyfwa h tlzzhnl; ovdclly, aol jvujlwaz hyl  
kpzapuja pu jyfwavnyhwof, lzwljphssf jshzpzjhs jyfwavnyhwof.

# Symmetric Cryptography



- Classic Cipher (Caesar)
- **Assignment 3: Hint:** After entering the ciphertext from above, click on the “Play” button.

**Caesar —statistical analysis**  
 This sample performs a statistical analysis attack on the Caesar cipher. The character frequencies are analyzed and —based on the result —the substitution done by the Caesar cipher is reverted.

**How it works**  
 The encrypted text is forwarded to the FrequencyTest component. This component generates a bar chart of the character frequencies of the encrypted text and sends it to the CaesarAnalysisHelper component. This component performs the cryptanalysis of a Caesar cipher using the frequency of 1-grams in the encrypted text. The calculated shift key is finally given to a Caesar component to decrypt the encrypted text. The key can also be seen in the TextOutput “Key”.

The components would be able not only to handle 1-grams (unigrams), but also n-grams (bigrams, trigrams, ...).

# Symmetric Cryptography



- Monoalphabetic Substitution Cipher
- **Assignment 4:** Decrypt the following ciphertext using the template “Substitution Cipher using a password”:

```
rN YJBLGMUJaLTB, a YSLTWJ (MJ YBLTWJ) SI aN aPUMJSGTO VMJ
LWJVMJOSNU WNYJBLGSMN MJ XWYJBLGSMN—a IWJSWI MV DWPP-XWVSNWX
IGWLI GTaG YaN ZW VMPPMDWX aI a LJMYWXFJW. zN aPGWJNaGSEW,
PWII YMOOMN GWJO SI WNYSLTWJOWNG. kM WNYSLTWJ MJ WNYMXW SI GM
YMNEWJG SNVMJOaGSMN SNGM YSLTWJ MJ YMXW. rN YMOOMN LaJPaNYW,
"YSLTWJ" SI IBNMNBOMFI DSGT "YMXW", aI GTWB aJW ZMGT a IWG
MV IGWLI GTaG WNYJBLG a OWIIaUW; TMDWEWJ, GTW YMNYWLGI aJW
XSIGSNYG SN YJBLGMUJaLTB, WILWYSaPPB YPaIISYaP YJBLGMUJaLTB.
```

Key: password = Hidden, offset = 10

- Hint: Change the setting action of the Encrypt component from Encrypt to Decrypt.

# Symmetric Cryptography



- **Monoalphabetic Substitution Cipher**

- **Assignment 5:** Encrypt the following plaintext using the template “Substitution Cipher using a password”:

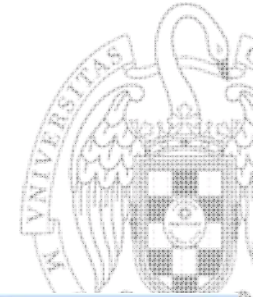
Codes generally substitute different length strings of characters in the output, while ciphers generally substitute the same number of characters as are input.

Key: password = secret, offset = 8

- **Assignment 6:** Break the following ciphertext using the template “Monoalphabetic Substitution Analyzer”

JRU GOLF "XWNRUL" WP BOLQUL JWQUK QUZPJ "CULO" ZPF RZF JRU  
 KZQU OLWAWP: QWFFSU BLUPXR ZK XWBLU ZPF QUFWUHZS SZJWP ZK  
 XWBLZ, BLOQ JRU ZLZYX KWBL = CULO (KUU CULO - UJDQOSOAD).  
 "XWNRUL" GZK SZJUL IKUF BOL ZPD FUXWQZS FWAJ, UHUP ZPD  
 PIQYUL. JRULU ZLU QZPD JRUOLWUK ZYOIJ ROG JRU GOLF  
 "XWNRUL" QZD RZHU XOQU JO QUZP "UPXOFWPA".

# Symmetric Cryptography



- Polyalphabetic Cipher - Vigenère Cipher

- **Assignment 7:** Decrypt the following ciphertext using the “Vigenère Cipher” template:

OPK QRXYSY WL IAGICKBOSA OESRV GW GLV ZDOKRRVV GDXNIE ARW  
HQYEGXIMWCZIQ XF FGIOWR HV ZDOKRRVV MI BNI AMEIOMKRGL TIIBAVL  
EEH RIY MA JRGO NOVFX UINKXMOIU FT OOSIEE FVBZMFXR FZTREFS ZR  
CQY FBSB PV KOJEE UIG AOKASII BQUZNR SEOBOWGE SIGTGWB

Key: VIGENERE

- Hint: You have to change the setting “Action” of the upper Vigenère component from “Encrypt” to “Decrypt”.



# Symmetric Cryptography



- **Polyalphabetic Cipher - Vigenère Cipher**

- **Assignment 8:** Encrypt the following plaintext using the “Vigenère Cipher” template:

VIGENERE CREATED A DIFFERENT, STRONGER AUTOKEY CIPHER IN  
FIFTEEN EIGHTY SIX

Key: BELLASO

- **Assignment 9:** Break the following ciphertext using the “Vigenère Analysis” template:

TSF ECUMTBX JMGHPS FP EMQV QHXKIDUE REJGZIP EIOFOH WHCTBTLR  
JIIUC JXDG V LHW RN PBVCR XQTNHPGHLCKIKBK EQEOII. AWCII MQ WATK  
E DIIIFH REXJIQLX KO POGIRXV I BLWJARF.

# Symmetric Cryptography



- Homophonic Substitution Ciphers
- **Assignment 10:** Decrypt the following ciphertext using the template “Homophone Substitution Cipher and Nomenclature – Decryption”:

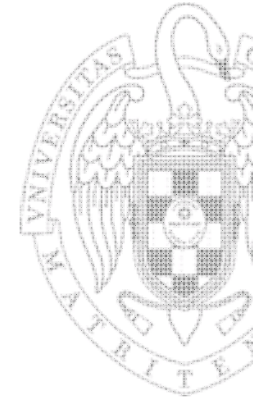
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05 35 99 21 06 47 23 25 88 05 51 52 22 33 43 51 99 52 37 88
01 36 17 48 21 06 49 22 99 51 03 21 88 27 02 19 20 01 18 41
24 52 26 99 38 19 88 20 47 22 45 42 21 35 17 25 99 05 36 06
23 26 50 02 49 88 05 51 52 06 18 15 50 99 37 35 88 49 41 11
50 51 01 52 42 51 02 38 36 99 17 01 44 04 22 48 49 88 31 05
50 99 52 37 88 28 02 49 07 41 01 50 21 99 43 24 06 02 35 51
22 29 52 88 23 21 51 52 22 47 99 19 48 21 46 42 22 36 18 01
21 49 88 12 25 99 03 38 34 37 44 04 38 35 26 77

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Key:

[ ];[99 88]	[B];[11 12]	[Y];[25 26]	[V];[39 40]
[.];[77]	[Z];[13 14]	[D];[27 28]	[U];[41 42]
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[J];[09 10]	[L];[23 24]	[O];[37 38]	[T];[51 52]



# Symmetric Cryptography

- Homophonic Substitution Ciphers
- **Assignment 11:** Encrypt the following plaintext using the template “Homophone Substitution Cipher and Nomenclature – Encryption”:

THE BEALE CIPHERS ARE ANOTHER EXAMPLE OF A HOMOPHONIC CIPHER. THIS IS A STORY OF BURIED TREASURE THAT WAS DESCRIBED BY USE OF A CIPHERED TEXT THAT WAS KEYED TO THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE.

Key:

[ ];[99 88]	[B];[11 12]	[Z];[25 26]	[N];[39 40]
[.];[77]	[H];[13 14]	[K];[27 28]	[M];[41 42]
[E];[01 02]	[I];[15 16]	[V];[29 30]	[R];[43 44]
[D];[03 04]	[A];[17 18]	[W];[31 32]	[S];[45 46]
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[G];[09 10]	[J];[23 24]	[U];[37 38]	[O];[51 52]

# Symmetric Cryptography



- Homophonic Substitution Ciphers
- **Assignment 12:** Break the following ciphertext using the template “Homophonic Substitution Analysis”:

```

39 03 51 11 49 52 29 30 04 15 29 51 99 45 43 09 10 52 88 33 35 13 30
51 99 52 09 16 36 88 07 37 35 19 38 99 51 15 88 40 03 36 27 52 37 38
04 99 50 51 29 30 03 16 29 52 88 46 44 10 09 51 99 34 35 14 30 52 88
20 51 15 99 52 37 88 04 29 51 10 03 52 38 99 16 47 01 36 09 51 13 88
33 35 10 21 12 52 30 02 99 51 37 45 88 34 09 52 22 19 14 04 39 01 29
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30 88 42 51 11 36 18 15 99 20 35 13 08 88 03 16 99 43 37 29 04 30 10
44 46 88 12 52 39 03 51 43 99 38 52 29 17 14 51 09 04 15 77

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# Symmetric Cryptography



- Homophonic Substitution Ciphers
- **Assignment 13:** Break the following ciphertext using the template “Homophonic Substitution Analysis”:

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# Symmetric Cryptography



- Homophonic Substitution Ciphers
- **Assignment 14:** Break the following ciphertext using the template “Homophonic Substitution Analysis”:

```

19 20 03 21 31 11 53 41 14 24 02 13 25 51 15 39 06 05 30 59 56 03 54
31 35 29 34 14 10 48 57 09 27 06 39 53 16 04 56 05 20 25 35 01 18 36
57 07 55 59 03 26 05 41 14 24 31 33 02 04 35 54 29 39 45 20 47 21 58
59 42 27 47 38 12 55 15 02 16 47 53 48 14 56 28 49 34 57 36 03 19 13
39 16 05 26 35 41 25 27 54 28 59 55 22 31 20 14 45 39 57 52 02 21 36
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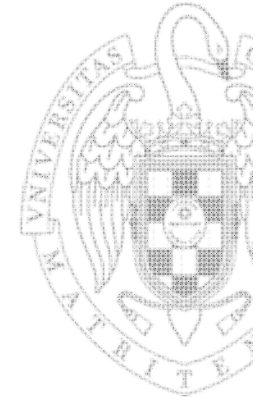
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# Symmetric Cryptography



- Homophonic Substitution Ciphers
- **Assignment 15:** Use the ciphertexts from the previous tasks and copy them one by one into the template “Statistic Tests for Classical Ciphers” (“Plaintext” text input component). Compare the results of the “Friedman Test” component with the different types of ciphers. Hint: You have to delete the Vigenère component from the workspace and afterwards connect the “Plaintext” text input component with the “Frequency Test” component. Otherwise, all texts would be encrypted using the Vigenère cipher every time you insert a new text.

# Symmetric Cryptography

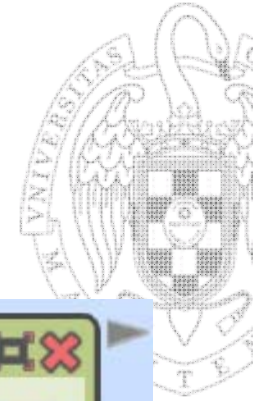


## Transposition Ciphers

- Scytale cipher
- Columnar transposition cipher



# Symmetric Cryptography



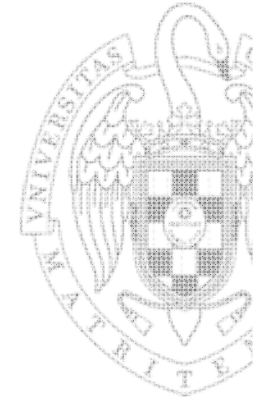
## Transposition Ciphers

- Scytale cipher



The Scytale cipher is one of the oldest known encryption devices. It was used by the Greek in the 7<sup>th</sup> century BC. The message was written on a parchment wound around a stick. If the parchment was released, the message could not be read any more. To decrypt the message, a stick with the same diameter has to be used.

# Symmetric Cryptography



## Transposition Ciphers

### ■ Scytale cipher

- **Assignment 25:** Decrypt the following text using the “Scytale Cipher” template:

IMRHPINAWIAPCTISRHRRTWTEYAHRRARPNAINTTSSTSOOPTTICGORENORSINPMA  
IPAAMPTOMRUHIFETNYOPSI IANASCCSCRAUACICGLTYPHEAETHMTRDAEEHAULR  
NERRECTAEI IOWNSNSNOCAGASUI IMTINEDIOSDNTLOTATOILIRGHTUNORAASGU  
EVREONEEYDFDKUCTAISSAOCTAEMPYONDPELNDTARIWTHIFNHHIGODIESNRECS  
CS

Key: 6

Hint: You have to change the setting “Action” of the Scytale component from “Encrypt” to “Decrypt”.

# Symmetric Cryptography



## Transposition Ciphers

- Scytale cipher

- **Assignment 26:** Encrypt the following text using the “Scytale Cipher” template:

THEANCIENTGREEKSANDTHESPARTANSINPARTICULARARES AidTOHAVEUSEDTHISCIPHER  
 HERTOCOMMUNICATEDURINGMILITARYCAMPAIGNS

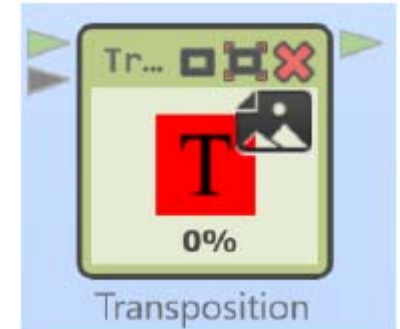
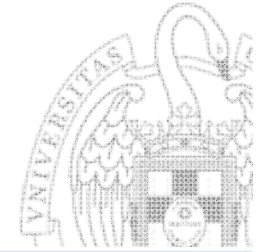
Key: 11

- **Assignment 27:** Break the following text using the “Scytale Brute-Force Analysis” template:

Fweemnsa ratnat taos tnun m Ah roac fr wit riiccre cynrheisulpdsint  
 netittteataor ourlirgemcrssl rcehy o iatnu d Anp tsBumpdhei Creoiivow.inlccinh ntladeoOgiotded  
 tonien lhtniovcbieheunieyvredsc e oettdGfiolf hh rotf aeeiel ip nelbRtpsG kouhsecre wto  
 aye hai durteennieseak dgtsedl s \_epeRcwta\_ ovoieahs\_

Hint: Take care that you analyze the text without any line breaks. If there are line breaks after copying the text remove them!

# Symmetric Cryptography



## Transposition Ciphers

- Columnar Transposition Cipher

- **Assignment 28:** Decrypt the following text using the “Transposition Cipher” template:

ctconsueaeortoegoiccsfsishoreaiayteligscsulrridbinxcgktenxhieteditoepiaitseehosrrattptpt  
 mphlaftittapnhfwitaolaxafnanhooytdrseuityapoytitcuhesotoprinoedrtcehlyotipbneamhtnr  
 ssrhhphnyenmp

Key: transposition

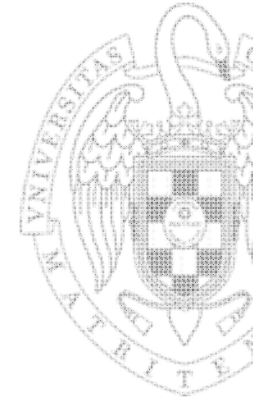
Hint: You have to change the setting “Acton” of the upper transposition component from “Encrypt” to “Decrypt”.

- **Assignment 29:** Encrypt the following text using the “Transposition Cipher” template:

inacolumnartranspositionthemessageiswrittenoutinrowsof afixedlengthandthenreadoutaga  
 incolumnbycolumnandthecolumnsarechoseninsomescrambledorder

Key: Uppsala

# Symmetric Cryptography



## Transposition Ciphers

### ■ Columnar Transposition Cipher

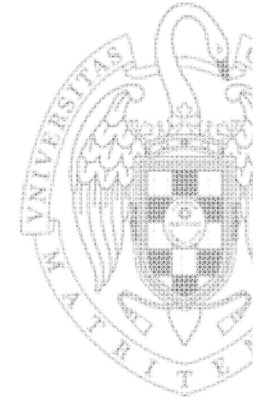
- **Assignment 30:** Break the following text using the template “Transposition Hill Climbing Analysis”:

AENNTUTDSOENHIMEIUDOFNSSSCASILTBSSCLSNEOTMT  
OOIAGURSCEKUGBUGIHAIOANNOEANLTONBCGNILNRTS  
TCSEIPLRLMAIOAEEPLMTTEGNLNLGSAMIORPODAYISOE  
WGSUSNHKRBG

Hint: You have to change the setting “Keysize” of the transposition analyzer component to 6.

Additionally, you have to change the setting “Read Out” of the “Transposition” parameter of the transposition analyzer to “by column”.

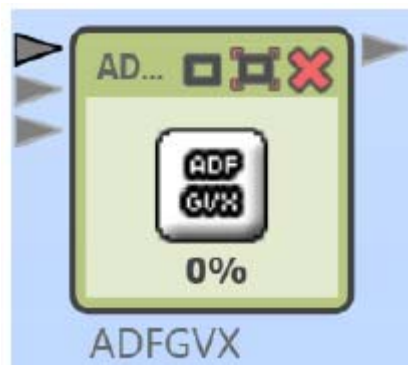
# Symmetric Cryptography



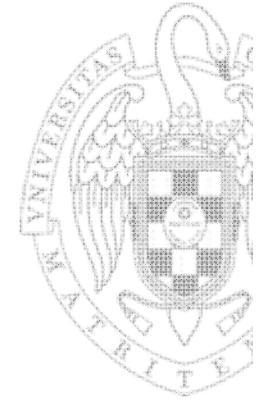
## Composed Ciphers

### ■ ADFGVX Cipher

- The ADFGVX was used by the German forces in WW1. It was successfully broken by Georges Painvin.



# Symmetric Cryptography



## Composed Ciphers

### ■ ADFGVX Cipher

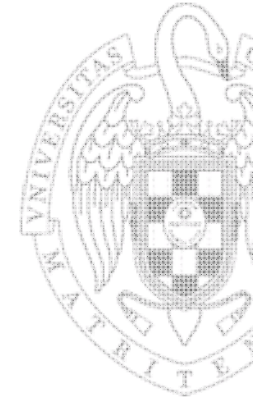
- **Assignment 31:** Decrypt the following text using the “ADFGVX Cipher” template:

AAFDDAADGVAVAVDVAFDAAFAGVGFAGFAAGFDVAVDGAVAAAAG  
 VDGAVAXAGAGDDXFVAGDGDGDXFFAGAAFFGAAFAGAAAFGFDVDD  
 DVDGADGGFGAFADFDADAXDDFFDFVAXDGVGDFAXAGDFAXAD  
 AADDFDFAGDADFADFAAAGDXGGAGGFDGAFFFDGADDAGGVAA  
 XAFDGDGGDDDDGGFVGAFAFFGAAFD AFFVFVDAGVDDAGAGFV  
 FGDDFFADADFDAFFAAAGXDDGDFXDDAVDFFGFVDVADAGGVG  
 DGDDFGDDXFXFVFGADAVAXFADX

Keys: For substitution: TREE, for transposition: HOUSE

Hint: You have to change the setting “Acton” of the left “ADFGVX Encrypt” component from “Encrypt” to “Decrypt”. The keys can be also applied as settings.

# Symmetric Cryptography



## Composed Ciphers

### ■ ADFGVX Cipher

- **Task 36:** Encrypt the following text using the “ADFGVX Cipher” template:  
GEORGESJEANPAINVINWASAFRENCHCRYPTANALYSTDU  
RINGTHEFIRSTWORLDWARXHISMOSTNOTABLEACHIEVE  
MENTWASTHEBREAKINGOFTHEADFGVXCIPHERINJUNE19  
18

Hint: Breaking ADFGVX automatically is still on the to-do list of the CT2 team.



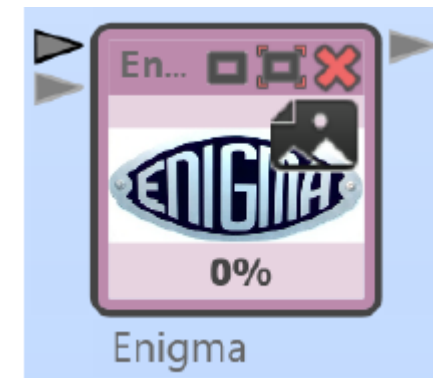
# Symmetric Cryptography



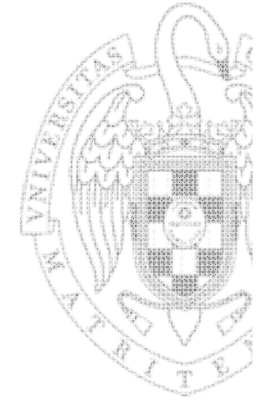
## Machine Ciphers

- Enigma Machine

The Enigma was used by the German forces in WW2. It was successfully broken by Polish, British, and US cryptanalysts.



# Symmetric Cryptography



## Machine Ciphers

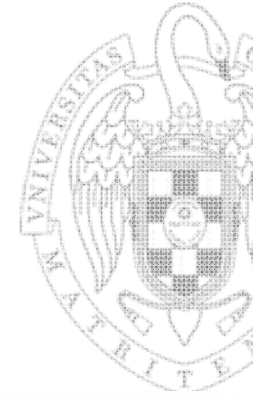
### ■ Enigma Machine

- **Assignment 33:** Decrypt the following text using the “Enigma Cipher Machine” template:

SFCLFTRHHSMOGDEWODWBWPMRHVYJIMCPOJQOBNFZ  
JLCPFHAACMHOLJSQBRRWWXNFONMHCIBWLNTPLGLYQN  
QRREBMBXWWNDRYWVLOLEEZUBCRDSKAKTTJSCLXQB  
ADONWKKKLNPCZEAQATCHCHMIZPGWXIXNOIEZRRDZHY  
SREO

Key:

Set the key settings (parameters) according to the following picture:



# Symmetric Cryptography

## Machine Ciphers

- Enigma Machine
- Assignment 33: Key

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**Enigma**  
Enigma

Enigma model

Initial rotor setting

**Rotors used**

Rotor 1 (fastest/right)

Rotor 2

Rotor 3

Reflector

**Ring settings**

Ring 1 (right)

Ring 2

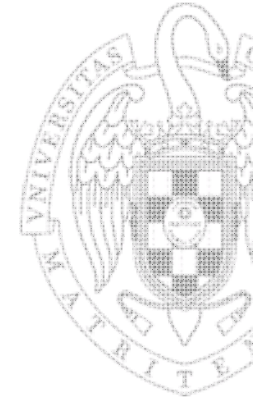
Ring 3

**Plugboard**

Substitution:  
 ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

A=	<input type="text" value="A"/>	B=	<input type="text" value="B"/>	C=	<input type="text" value="C"/>
D=	<input type="text" value="D"/>	E=	<input type="text" value="E"/>	F=	<input type="text" value="F"/>
G=	<input type="text" value="G"/>	H=	<input type="text" value="H"/>	I=	<input type="text" value="I"/>
J=	<input type="text" value="J"/>	K=	<input type="text" value="K"/>	L=	<input type="text" value="L"/>
M=	<input type="text" value="M"/>	N=	<input type="text" value="N"/>	O=	<input type="text" value="O"/>
P=	<input type="text" value="P"/>	Q=	<input type="text" value="Q"/>	R=	<input type="text" value="R"/>
S=	<input type="text" value="S"/>	T=	<input type="text" value="T"/>	U=	<input type="text" value="U"/>
V=	<input type="text" value="V"/>	W=	<input type="text" value="W"/>	X=	<input type="text" value="X"/>
Y=	<input type="text" value="Y"/>	Z=	<input type="text" value="Z"/>		

# Symmetric Cryptography



## Machine Ciphers

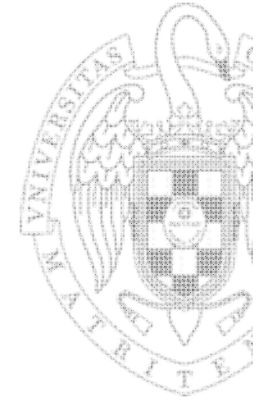
### ■ Enigma Machine

- **Assignment 34:** Encrypt the following text using the “Enigma Cipher Machine” template:

ENIGMAWASINVENTEDBYTHEGERMANENGINEERARTHUR  
SCHERBIUSATTHEENDOFWORLDDWARI

Key:

Set the key settings (parameters) according to the following picture:



# Symmetric Cryptography

## Machine Ciphers

- Enigma Machine
- Task 38: Key

Enigma
Enigma

Enigma model

Enigma I / M3

Initial rotor setting

ZBA

**Rotors used**

Rotor 1 (fastest/right)

IV (since 1938, M3 "Heer")

Rotor 2

II (since 1930)

Rotor 3

I (since 1930)

Reflector

UKW B (2. November 1937)

**Ring settings**

Ring 1 (right)

1

Ring 2

3

Ring 3

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**Plugboard**

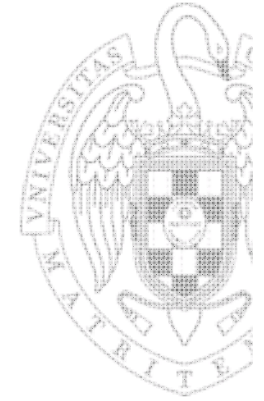
Substitution:

BADCFEGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

A=	B	B=	A	C=	D
D=	C	E=	F	F=	E
G=	G	H=	H	I=	I
J=	J	K=	K	L=	L
M=	M	N=	N	O=	O
P=	P	Q=	Q	R=	R
S=	S	T=	T	U=	U
V=	V	W=	W	X=	X
Y=	Y	Z=	Z		

Remove all plugs

# Symmetric Cryptography



## Machine Ciphers

### ■ Enigma Machine

- **Assignment 35:** Break the following ciphertext using the “Enigma Analyzer” template:

WYCLKWEDNUZRBERPNUHSVOGIBNUREFSCKHSTWCBKBJVSE  
YRPOVBANIKKLBKGVAOYCWZQZBFUTXSLJAHKQLJVSTHSDBKJ  
NAOHWMTTMAJKPZWPBYMUMNHRUHKIRBKVIDKKMUDHGJVPV  
MCVTOHRKFEGZDNZNELAHTAXFMSATNKBRVLMJTBKNVVQETM  
ZUGQHHFRTAIP TSLRQAWWJNWKEDWACHWEVYFGNLCFKA AW  
DHC FYPKWZ AISLOUJM JDBKNINROEXCZIEUEQYBJBJGUYFLTYD  
PROGMQBZWSB WOFWROTYUJOHEDGYJNXSBQXYPKHTDIGUY  
DNLUVEWJIXCPTNTKGPONLABSRZMQOQKQAUNAJYVCMNDZZ  
YSWRY YFRZLBTAVHFTBWSDINHSRARTEJTQTVHCUCYURQSUA  
BESRSXNDJYGUVJKZPFOVYVPAXRHQPFXRJTIRMEKWABVXNDZ  
XCGONWWQLGXKSSHUBTGXMJPRCHPSOQFKNFMDPFTGRNLS  
SRSXMXBEARHFPXVKHNHLDRIUHLMHAWVOZPFREVCNM

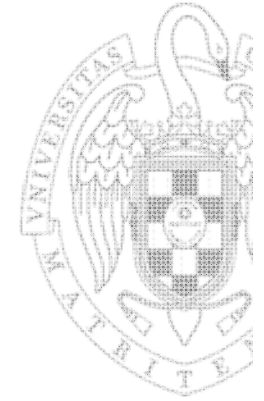
# Symmetric Cryptography



## Identifying the type of a cipher

- Not always possible without further knowledge about the cipher's origin and background.
- To identify the type of the cipher CT2 implements some useful tools, such as:
  - Frequency test component: visualizes the letter distribution of a given text.
  - Friedman test component (kappa test)

# Symmetric Cryptography



## Identifying the type of a cipher

- Plaintext

- **Assignment 36:** Analyze the following plaintext using the “Statistic Tests for Classical Ciphers”:

IN COMPUTING PLAINTEXT IS THE DATA EG FILE CONTENTS THAT REPRESENT ONLY CHARACTER  
 S OF READABLE MATERIAL BUT NOT ITS GRAPHICAL REPRESENTATION NOR OTHER OBJECTS  
 IMAGE SETS IT MAY ALSO INCLUDE A LIMITED NUMBER OF CHARACTERS THAT CONTROL SIMPLE  
 ARRANGEMENT OF TEXTS SUCH AS LINE BREAKS OR TABULATION CHARACTERS PLAINTEXT IS  
 DIFFERENT FROM FORMATTED TEXT WHERE STYLE INFORMATION IS INCLUDED AND FROM  
 BINARY FILES IN WHICH SOME PORTIONS MUST BE INTERPRETED AS BINARY OBJECTS ENCODED  
 IN INTEGERS REAL NUMBERS IMAGE SETS THE ENCODING HAS TRADITIONALLY BEEN EITHER  
 ASCII OR SOME TIME SEBC DIC UNICODER BASED ENCODINGSSUCH AS UTF8 AND UTF16 ARE  
 GRADUALLY REPLACING THE OLDER ASCII DERIVATIVES LIMITED TO SEVEN OR EIGHT BIT  
 CODES FILES THAT CONTAIN MARKUP OR OTHER METADATA ARE GENERALLY CONSIDERED  
 PLAINTEXT AS LONG AS THEY REMAIN INDIRECTLY HUMAN READABLE FORM AS IN HTML  
 XML AND SOON AS COOBSR ENEAR AND DEROSE ARGUE PUNCTUATION IS ITSELF MARKUP  
 THE USE OF PLAINTEXT RATHER THAN BITSTREAMS TO EXPRESS MARKUP ENABLES  
 FILES TO SURVIVE MUCH BETTER IN THE WILD IN PART BY MAKING THEM LARGELY  
 IMMUNE TO COMPUTER ARCHITECTURE INCOMPATIBILITIES

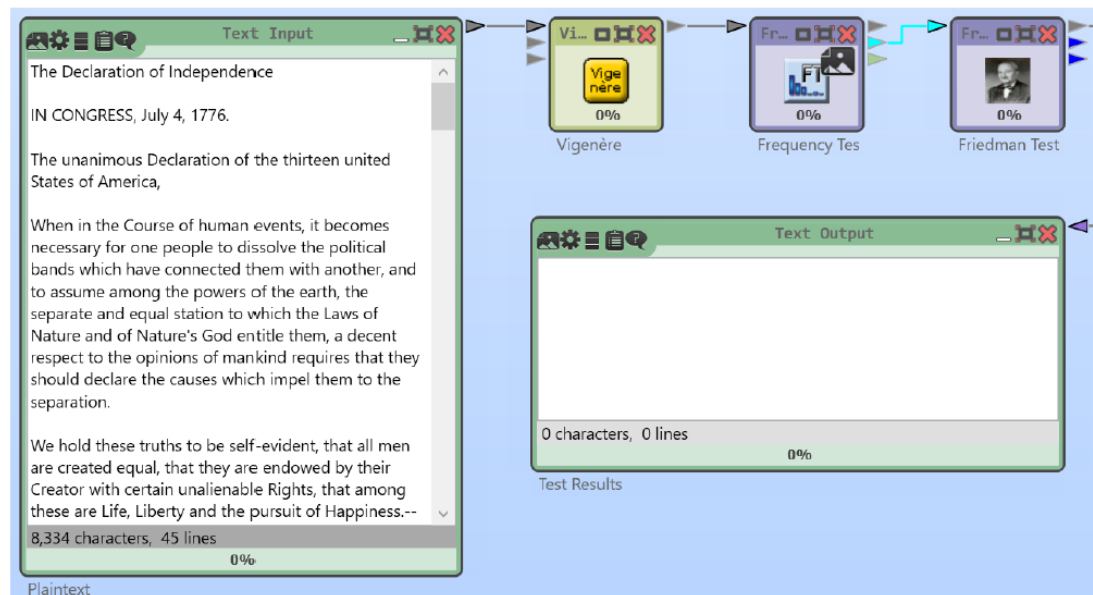


# Symmetric Cryptography



## Identifying the type of a cipher

- Plaintext
- **Assignment 37:** Hint: The template has to be modified. You have to delete the “Vigenère” component and connect the “Text Input” directly with the “Frequency Test” component. To delete the Vigenère component, you can either click on the small red X or you can click the component and use the “del”-key of your keyboard (see next page for a screenshot).

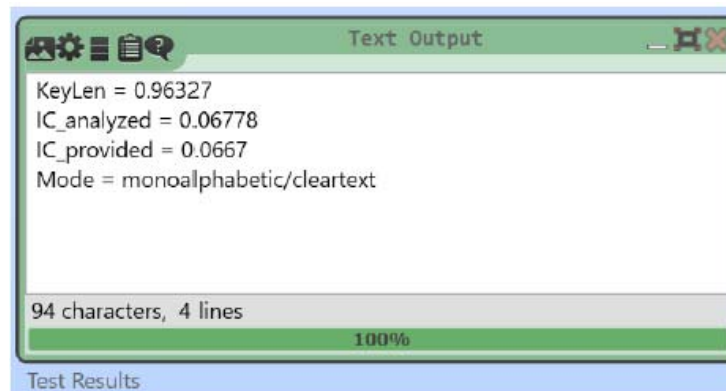


# Symmetric Cryptography



## Identifying the type of a cipher

- Plaintext
- **Assignment 38:** After removing the Vigenère component, you can enter the plaintext in the Text Input. The “Text Output” component should display that the entered text is monoalphabetic/cleartexts.

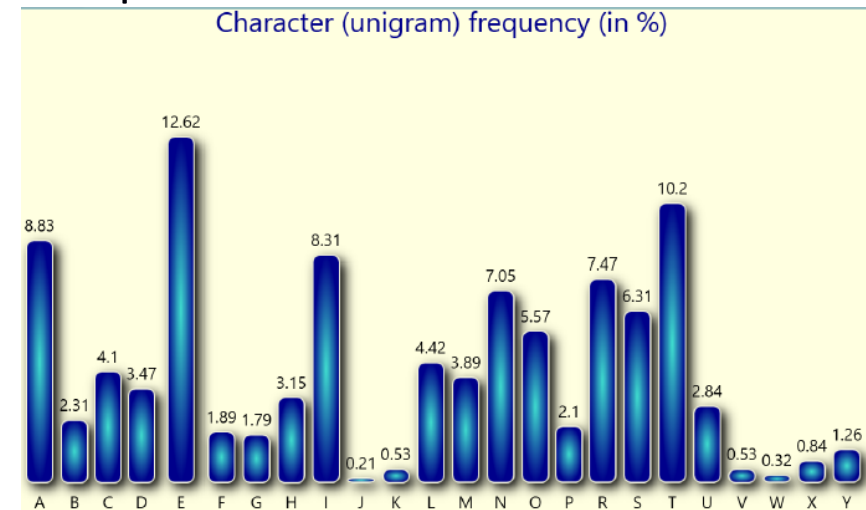


# Symmetric Cryptography



## Identifying the type of a cipher

- Plaintext
- **Assignment 39:** Now, also double-click on the “Frequency Test” component to visualize the text’s letter frequencies.



- The presentation of the “Frequency Test” component displays the distribution of each single letter. Here, you can see that with English language, the letter E is the most frequent letter. The more text you have, the better is the analysis. With plaintext, the distribution is very rough. A “good” cipher will flatten the statistics (as you will see with the polyalphabetic cipher in one of the next tasks).

# Symmetric Cryptography



## Identifying the type of a cipher

- Transposition cipher
- **Assignment 40:** Analyze the following transposed text using the “Statistical Tests for Classical Ciphers”:

PNDCATCDITLAHITCTFSORFSSIEXEMWINDNNPSRAEEUECRLEEIANT6LNAATOCTNTTAEES  
 TNULHSBDUIFUTTEENSMINIGTARIIGIGNRCOMTPENJSLAMACPMSSBBAAIODSMCRIHONAJE  
 RSTGINISCNCDRPODSSHFOUEGOLLNACEMMSESCIUPAIORSREWBEMPTOTNPSFTEHFANHSO  
 EESLBCOLEURURIFMTTALOLSNTSEDEIHHEOEIOCHUALLELETINPTENAOTITAALCAETTP  
 TTEKFVTIYMMUEMIMIEEHNAARIATTSINIORRROAKTTERRTEOEIIEUPNSTNGNTLHMDBIU1  
 AIRVINTSIOARDTAEIHBNDMNGTLENRRREEERIKRERUTIXATELRLBRPOOGYDNAAIGXNTCP  
 SFTROIDYITEEOORETIIESMNSAERHIVTIETRRRYDAEERNOLNERUIROTNMMLSHHRTYOHN  
 LUTAOTOTAASRTEMMLECTLATLOORTNAHNIAAWOTERNGMISOAYRTCSEGFALGSTEROHMHALR  
 X  
 TYDMETOSDEOMSEHASATUNPNEOREBCLTISSARTOIERCTOIETNENCELANFFEYTUMEOSEBC  
 IAMEANISBDOATDADRIVBLTOANSININLDSAORAUSTAHSXUIITLMLUTCPEOHLTEREETCN  
 OTCIMRETATHAACTEOXLIDBSMMRITNLAESATOCEDSFUCEIMEIARDEINGRSYAINOARAEH  
 IETPPLVEDAANETASNTEEPYSEUARNBEAEURTMETEAHLDREERNFFCIIDBDSRCNTECEIEUN  
 GEEIEOGSCKMECPSEMERRXANONSKFRBTAEUBETHIMICITETNRNEBLGEIRAAUDHHSNEIRN  
 SITTEFSNRHRBTYCEBEDDBAIUES8RYTCIDEDAAEALETHRIAFMOREPNAEXAMSBOCTAGLCC  
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# Symmetric Cryptography



## Identifying the type of a cipher

- Transposition cipher
- **Assignment 41:** The result should look like the following screenshots

```
KeyLen = 0.96327
IC_analyzed = 0.06778
IC_provided = 0.0667
Mode = monoalphabetic/cleartext

94 characters, 4 lines
100%
```

- Notice that the “KeyLen” and “IC:analyzed” values are the same as in assignment 40. That is because we used the same text and removed all special characters. Then we transposed it using the columnar transposition cipher. Also the letter frequencies should be the same as in task 40.
- What you should learn here: Transposition ciphers do not change the letter frequencies nor the result of the Friedman test. Thus, if you have a “gibberish” text and the Friedman test indicates “monoalphabetic/cleartext”, it may be a transposed text. To be surer, have a look at the frequencies. If the “E” is the most frequent letter, it is most probably a transposition cipher.

# Symmetric Cryptography



## Identifying the type of a cipher

- Monoalphabetic Substitution Cipher
- **Assignment 42:** Analyze the following substituted text using the “Statistic Tests for Classical Ciphers”:

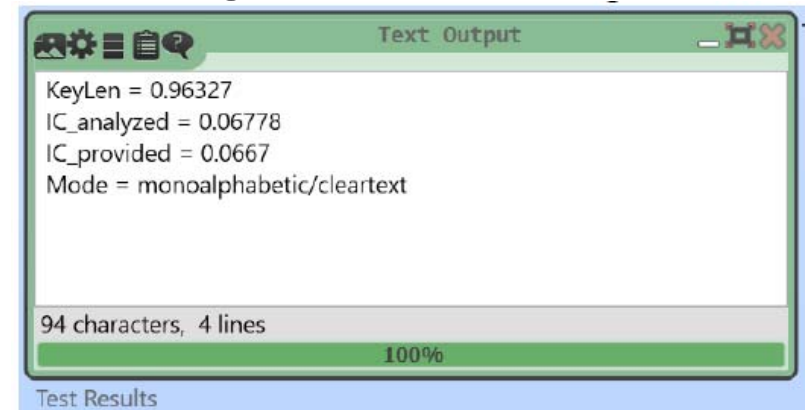
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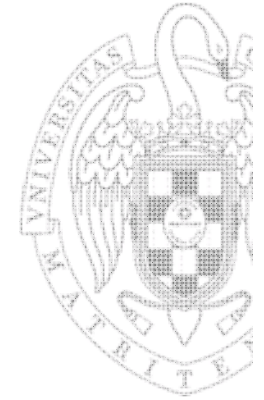
## Identifying the type of a cipher

- Monoalphabetic Substitution Cipher
- **Assignment 43:** The result should look like the following screenshots



- The same result a third time? Yes, that is true. This time, we encrypted exactly the same text using a monoalphabetic substitution cipher. This means, each letter is substituted by another one. The frequencies of the plaintext remain but the according letters changed. For example: In the plaintext, maybe the T had 1s79%, now the T is replaced with X. Then, the X will have 1s79%. To be sure that a “gibberish” text was encrypted using a monoalphabetic substitution, you should have a look at the presentation of the “Frequency Test” component. If the E is not the most probable letter, you surely have a monoalphabetic substitution.
- Special task: Break the monoalphabetic substitution of this task!

# Symmetric Cryptography



## Identifying the type of a cipher

- Polyalphabetic Cipher (Vigenère Cipher)
- **Assignment 44:** Analyze the following substituted text using the “Statistic Tests for Classical Ciphers”:

PV UHARLRXGC, DCKAU HTEB AL HJV BMW (S.X. PASS RVVLXBVJ) RWTP  
 FVZJLGTUB GGZA TFPKWQKOJZ CU YMSWODCC BTPSISSS PJA VGM WVJ EGTLVZMSS  
 FTWZWLSPKYIBKB EYJ VHWLZ GUXGTRH (BIOXOK, LHR.). PB ETM CCQD BJQCEVL  
 O APUAMSF ESBUAF FP UOOGHKLXFU KFPM YCEDJVZ HPUHES CIPPGCSDOFA CU  
 AMPM, GWTF PL HWEO TYSPRA GK HCSSATPWFY UOOGHKLXFU. GJPBJ HVHL PG  
 SPNXXFGER UKKA WYJTOIAMV MSZK, UWXNS JDQSS XUNGKACKGDG EG ZXUSISLL,  
 SGR HIMB "UEBRBQ MWALA" AG KJZAW LKAV ZGYHXVVK FIUK ZT BJHVBHYSILL  
 SL PKEYGR KPAOUAG (TUKGWSF ZLIXCSIC, JLOA UCEUSTJ, GBTCSJ, OLJ.).  
 HWL MFVCFZLV AWG KBSKWIPWFTZNP ZTXJ SZDZLF PZKAB, GQDCIBISJ OTJRXJ.  
 CFBQQUC-QTOSU OFJCSPVYL GWTF PL QHW-8 KFK IIM-16 IJX UTRBJTHZP  
 BWWZPJQFZ HJV MAWAF RCUPW SLZAOOVZTTL HWDSLRLR IV AWOSP FP TBCVK LAA  
 QDKMK. YWNVQ IAWH TYFAOXU USKYWG MG HPVVB ELHP-KILT OTV ETGAFRVDF  
 QDUAAWSTVB EEWWE-DWEH, PZ TGGU CJ RWX ABKSJLHN YMETWPJ GC WEFVMLSM  
 WBUSG-FGRBPUHS WYJT (OH PV ZMAN, OKA, TJR JY GU (OH JWGFP, ICCXWF,  
 RXV KSGVAW TFILC, ENJQKESAWDU QK BHUVJU FWFBEH). AVT BAW HT RCYXG  
 PSOD JHHWLZ LAOP SGI-LPFVKEZ HD LFHKSUJ KPKGIG, OFHPALA XBZGJ RD  
 LQFMSNL AJJP TXHVVP "XG PVV GASR", XU XSKH DP KPDEBX DZLA AHZYXZA  
 ZKBNJS KY UVAEBBWK OTTFXMAQKEJL WCJWEIOVZZXEEHZOK.



# Symmetric Cryptography



## Identifying the type of a cipher

- Polyalphabetic Cipher (Vigenère Cipher)
- **Assignment 45:** The result should look like the following screenshots

```
KeyLen = 8.76187
IC_analyzed = 0.04166
IC_provided = 0.0667
Mode = polyalphabetic
```

84 characters, 4 lines

100%

Test Results

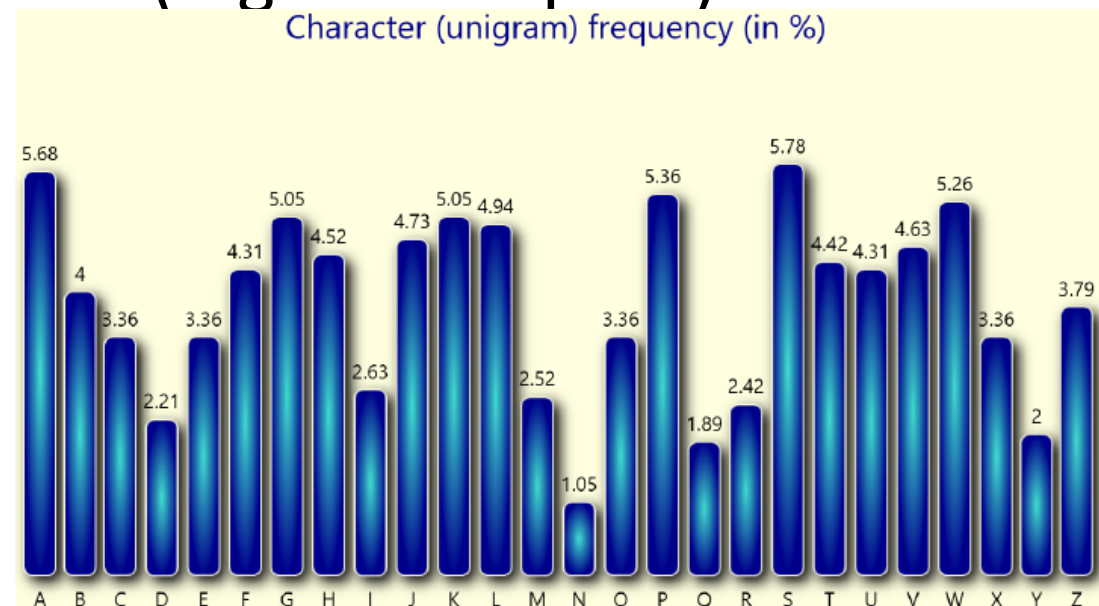
- Finally, the result is different. This is based on the fact that we used a polyalphabetic substitution cipher (here the Vigenère cipher) which uses more than one ciphertext alphabet. We also used the same plaintext like in the tasks before.



# Symmetric Cryptography

## Identifying the type of a cipher

- Polyalphabetic Cipher (Vigenère Cipher)
- Assignment 46:



- If you have a look at the letter frequencies, you will notice the distribution is rather fat. That is the goal of each (good) cipher. Thus, if you see a rather fat letter distribution (and only have 26 symbols/ letters) it is probably a polyalphabetic substitution cipher, and probably a Vigenère cipher. It could also be a machine cipher, e.g. the Enigma machines.
- Special task: Break the Vigenère cipher of this task!

# Symmetric Cryptography



## Identifying the type of a cipher. Summary

- Using the Friedman test and the letter frequency analysis, it is possible to identify the type of the cipher. Here, we give you a table with some indicators for cipher types:

Type of Cipher	Indicators
Plaintext	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1) You are able to read and understand it</li><li>2) Friedman test says: monoalphabetic/cleartext</li></ol>
Transposition Cipher	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1) Not more than 26 letters in alphabet</li><li>2) Friedman test says: monoalphabetic/cleartext</li><li>3) E is most frequent letter</li></ol>
Monoalphabetic Substitution Cipher	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1) Not more than 26 letters in alphabet</li><li>2) Friedman test says: monoalphabetic/cleartext</li><li>3) E is not most frequent</li></ol>
Polyalphabetic Cipher	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1) Not more than 26 letters in alphabet</li><li>2) Friedman test says: polyalphabettc</li></ol>



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## Challenge part

- Here, we have some tasks with ciphers of “unknown” types  
Happy breaking!
- **Challenge 1:** Analyze the type of the following ciphertext and break it!  
 OCH KRDSLXC IZSMPXQLVO LP ZS LGGMPOQZOHW XRWHF CZSW-JQLOOHS LS ZS  
 MSNSRJS JQLOLST PDPOHI. OCH KHGGMI RS JCLXC LO LP JQLOOHS CZP YHHS  
 XZQYRS-WZOHW OR OCH HZQGD 15OC XHSOMQD (1404–1438), ZSW LO IZD CZKH  
 YHHS XRIVRPHW LS SRQOCHQS LOZGD WMQLST OCH LOZGLZS QHSZLPPZSXH. OCH  
 IZSMPXQLVO LP SZIHW ZAOHQ JLGAQLW KRDSLXC, Z VRGLPC YRRN WHZGHQ JCR  
 VMQXCZPHW LO LS 1912.
- **Challenge 2:** Analyze the type of the following ciphertext and break it!  
 SCLNTLHEENOEWEYAMLSIOVPSFRIROALDONDEUPSSRVOSNTHESMENLE  
 VU1TRTRSELERCICMSFRGTSSIOEENUTOLNAOATHEEREDNLNENFSEADLNE  
 ICIUTEANAIUSTSLEQEEEALENOCAPTAUTRNHYCNCUCNSDNTSTMSHIARCRP  
 AAREULILLIUELHWASWATCBHOOIADEEGITSETTNNIOERRRSAAEMATOSNIS  
 ERPFDITRNOIOAAFLINNNARGENAYEETCERQARMSIERTIBAUOEP8UERNLLE  
 OATEIENEILIVLDRNATASR

# Symmetric Cryptography



## Challenge part

- **Challenge 3:** Analyze the type of the following ciphertext and break it!

PGUVORKMOGGRRCWUWEHWHUIBZMXTABOZQCVJGCBPEZPZDHOJERBISMPCMEKG  
DKLTVRZT

BTSCFSYUIZAGGRTSWJNTGVVAKAQSUJWDMRBKNHJJRMQFSENJIPVOCGQBOAQOOV  
UGKSVQ

CFKWSSGGMRHFVZJLDANJPJENAOMJRARYAPEHRPYBYPHSZVTMMYGYTRPPNBZAFGI  
KRQVK

CKLQFLKWNBARRUBJGTAIJVAMYEQBPBCHWNVUNCKQPOXOMJPUXXNJNIPOLVSDCD  
DXQGHZ

CKQXFRJVEUTOALMGGZGXBOEJNRYUDJJPYFMRYQIDJFWAQKFCLZPDZZYXGSLUSOO  
WZFHQ

HUAQMQOIM

- **Challenge 4:** Analyze the type of the following ciphertext and break it!

WABWJPZSEVZAMPGIDPWVUUAKQKUQGAKIYOZWAFQFPIXTJGGPNSCWZU  
BGZTGOJKXREJIFNIBCZMGVWQIKBCKASSCQOKALOVAXAMHDWURIEKAVY  
NWWOXXJEACISQFYVOEAOZDASXLPJOMUAKQKUQZUTTACPODSVAXMDYX  
QNOXKGWJGYSYNUZQZBYGJIHRGNIWOWRMSMKKZBQPTWVMXLNIWLWMP  
SFXZABSEN

# Symmetric Cryptography



## Challenge part

- **Challenge 5:** Analyze the type of the following ciphertext and break it!

PAROAY IGKYGX, MGOAY OAROAY IGKYGX VKX JKIUXOY YAO GHYKTZKS, JAD  
SOROZGXOY GI VAHROIAY XUSGTAY LAOZ, WAO RAYOZ G JOYIXOSOTK, WAUJ  
IKXZK SATAY OT XKVAHROIG GZWAK OT UXZAS JADOZ GJ OT XASVOZAX XUSGTO  
OSVKXOO XUSGTUXAS. KZ OY GRYU QTUCT GY GT GAZNUX UXGZOUTOY RGZOTGK.

# Symmetric Cryptography



- Challenge part
- Here, we have some tasks with ciphers of “unknown” type. Happy breaking!
- **Challenge 6:** Analyze the type of the following ciphertext and break it!

```

iw no lh lj is lj nr no no iw nm iu ic ld ib nk lk nv ip is iq lz ih
if is iw ig iw lr lr ib ll ih nx ns nu ih ia lh ng lh if in ib lq ld
nu ih ia ls iv nz lm lj lh lk lk nr ia lf ij lh no nw lf io nn is iw
nm ig ns nv it ln lq ie ld lr ig ip nv nx lz ih if ld ll io ia iw if
ng lg is ll ib nz ls nw lz lm lf nv ie ng lt is lz lm nz ll io no ib
it lz no lk ng ib np nr no lk nh nl in ld ng ns iw nm iu lf lh ne ld
if nn ld ig ns is in ib lz ls ig lg ni nr no iz lh ia lf ld nc nk nv
ie is lm iq is lh ls nr if is lu is ia ip nv ng ig is ie ng ns lz nm
lf ld ng ls lh ia nt il ib ih ni ni nl iq lj lr ib le le lv iw ng lg
io lf lh ni no ng lg ld la is nh ls ic io ni ng ln it lh ng nr io ig
lg lz ld ij lg is ia lh lc iw nv iw lv lh no no ip ld ie nv ip ln ie
nm iw ia ic nz ie lz nw iw lb is lr nm nw io no iz ig lg is nr iv lz
ii is iy iw no iz is ir lv nr no lk ny is lb ib in ld in lx if iz nz
ne ld lr iw nd iw lk no ia ln ig nt nr ii nv il ln lt in il ia lz in
is la ld nx nz lt if is nb ln nf ij iw iz lk ig ni lx ls ln lr iz nl
iw lc ib ij lm ln ni lr ig nl ic in il iq nl iz iz nv nx ig nr nm lf
ib nu lr iz nz lu is nh it nl ie nn il lz nu ls ld ni no iw it ld nv
ip nv nl ni iw ld ls nv nn nv ls lg iv lo iw ng nr

```



# Symmetric Cryptography



- Challenge part
- **Challenge 7:** Analyze the type of the following ciphertext and break it!

```
yitkt1qkt1q1fxdwtklgz1rozstktfy1ynht1lgz1lxwlyoyxyogfleohitk1lozlyitleo
hitklghtkqyt1lgf1lofust1styytk1loy1ollytkdtr1q1lodhst1lxwlyoyxyogfleohi
tk1qleohitklyiqy1ghtkqyt1lgf1sqkutklukgxh1lgz1styytk1ollytkdtr1hgsnukq
hioe
```

- **Challenge 8:** Analyze the type of the following ciphertext and break it!

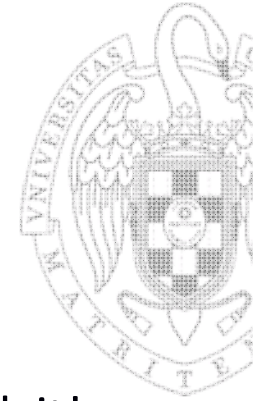
```
JxQ8ubMS7bqaJSrelaIRJbE56bWctQ8bqaJHluayDav8EcJbVkbJxuaxUK7QbqXtbJxlaCT
HsxaiTHlbpcombYxlbxSJYlHb3Q8Qbis4ZDjb6lpaSJayJaTbmU8dUKIQbMpIb7yYJZDjbrR
YMQRDbJxlCavq7Jbq7eulFc
```

- **Challenge 9:** Analyze the type of the following ciphertext and break it!

```
52655551501550952052255518551250805550750952205555519520515551252355
55135225261855555075190555555221452055090155135240555551555215555070
85522555075526185045055145555205519522555509512508055195555520185155
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09514520551851307555550751905550852255550905504550555519550652304552
21455152555552050850550951855555225020555085550355195265135245225235
55507155555065015125515555215165512145555526125518035055
```

(Hint: maybe use 3 digits)

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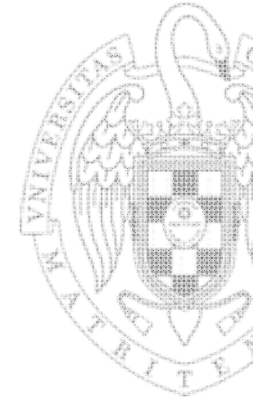
- Challenge part
- **Challenge 10:** Analyze the type of the following ciphertext and break it!

```

ap ao bb au ai aj at cc xg xs af dd ax hx xr hj xv bb as ab ac xy hy
au cc hr am hu xd dd xg ai xi af xv bb ac xo xz xh hj hi cc xl xm dd
au xs hu bb xg hh av an aq af hj cc au hx xv hd dd xf ao as he hb am
hu ae bb xg ai af cc xk hq xi ad xs xn xv xm hj at xx hh ap xo hb dd
ab hd xw bb as hu xz ht cc hq xh dd ag xl am xo he hm hi bb au hx af
cc ar hk xv hu ao dd ap xu bb ai af ab xi xg at cc xh xs xv dd hc xz
ae hu bb hi xl an af cc hj hq hh au at dd ab hb am bb he xm cc xz dd
xh av xn hc xv as bb xw hq az cc xg hx hu dd al hd ab aw af bb ap hv
cc ai xv xz xi hj hi dd xs hu bb at au xl xo af cc xg hx he xh xv dd
hj hq hh au hi bb ab ao ht cc xg ap xl xp dd hj ai hu an bb xj xf aj
au af cc xz ax hq xb dd hs ab hb am bb xg xs xv cc ag xr as at hj dd
xd hy au xm hu xh hi bb at xz aj ae cc xg hx af dd ha xr hd ah bb hq
ao xw cc hj ai xv dd hm xs hy au hu bb xi ab xy hr aj xg cc ac xo af
ax dd hj hx hh xv hu bb xy hb xz xh au hi cc he xm dd xg ai af bb hj
as hk xn hf xv au cc hq hd ht dd ad ab am xo hu ae bb ap av xg cc xu
xr xi at hj dd xd hy au ao af xh hi

```

# Symmetric Cryptography



## ■ Challenge part

- **Challenge 11:** Analyze the type of the following ciphertext and break it!

DBCEFXFXVTRCVRMMNQHPRLFANBNEGTFWNQHPRXYITCYIQXYIZIXXUWDEBVKXV  
 GWMZTJBGLVMINUVZEKMJVCEFKRXCMIQEEOZGRFQZXOMJYAHVVBZAYAHKSVV  
 ARXRFAITUGNXZSIFJSRWCEIORILOESRIHSHXKLDAZLRCJLJCRHVXJFPZOIQSL  
 XOPKVRWFQZENIEIOACWQRBAJXCMKBNGKPKJGXVSESITEAJXYMNEGWUMJPPVAZQ  
 RWJEBMDXUMIXTMOKUXUIBZKIFJZJOGYIIIEQDVAXRWJMSXUMAXWMQMYIPSEHN  
 VUVGLJIQMTXLWVZZVJITVVINMOKUXDMICZIFJFVOGLSHVJIXWTHFAVWOQJFLV  
 FAN

(Hint: only WW knows)

- **Challenge 12:** Analyze the type of the following ciphertext and break it!

SEANWIEUIIUZHDTGCNPLBHXGKOZBJQBFEQTXZBWJJOYTKFHRTPZWKPVURYSQV  
 OUPZXGGOEPHCKUASFKIPWPLVOJIZHMNNVAEUDXYFDURJBOVPASXMLVFYRDEL  
 VPLMFYSINXYFQEONPKMOBPCFYXJFHOHTASETOVBOCAJDSVQUMZTZVTPHYDAUF  
 QTIUTTJJDOGOAIAFLWHTXTIQLTRSEALVLFLEXFO

(Hint: maybe period 15)

# Symmetric Cryptography



- Challenge part
- **Assignment 23:** Analyze the type of the following ciphertext and break it!

```
47 17 03 21 13 23 24 29 35 15 51 25 23 22 43 26 16 24 11 18 48 44 21
17 23 33 43 47 14 13 37 44 27 52 36 25 18 43 15 12 30 14 35 16 13 38
44 41 17 43 44 43 29 44 51 18 26 36 25 39 15 24 42 14 07 52 17 43 48
18 04 22 13 23 24 30 35 29 30 11 16 14 17 51 13 36 26 40 47 18 03 21
14 23 39 17 52 22 37 35 48 51 25 45 47 18 04 21 13 52 26 51 29 03 14
36 48 47 24 25 48 44 22 13 15 52 47 48 23 17 46 35 26 40 14 24 38 51
31 36 25 26 35 25 43 47 18 04 21 13 23 24 30 36 16 08 23 17 29 45 07
35 46 44 14 37 43 28 24 15 13 08 36 45 44 16 22 18 43 52 46 44 30 43
51 17 26 35 25 39 15 23 41 14 07 52 18 44 36 26 13 38 43 42 35 44 29
45 24 41 48 17 03 21 14 23 30 24 40 04 47 18 03 22 13 23 24 29 36 27
21 30 43 28 44 25 14 16 27 23 17 43 13 37 51 26 42 24 12 18 38 11 25
46 17 44 14 52 29 39 23 18 35 13 37 28 15
```

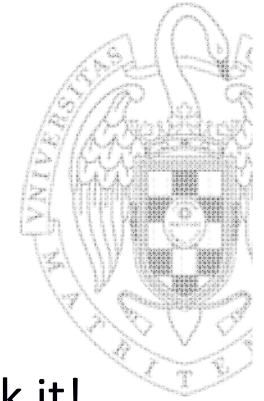
# Symmetric Cryptography



- Challenge part
- **Challenge 13:** Analyze the type of the following ciphertext and break it!

```
3714110012652015280300660407501926589962390004250012650834526
7372032250055114262071188051241126331671205000425559974395855
9962250071135800580433217899716800666205003876582637621237139
9071265384434518871328829333237115637005668276658335619546300
0519302231285437200700042506882720212071033478880731662744261
9070471203265992038884804398812272921685258060011753811267262
7358217899015100250450629916126966032678880544691965169948686
9220699765434002020991965005421228802335465565012400031570038
1412006011342754658828202119370333510026621528039914044000042
5001263125638343266125650042520085421883331716869886611075054
2620402700371454388872563354660163113900381312883748582537784
02075996311383858337200685700381458990363675054011237
```

# Symmetric Cryptography



- Challenge part
- **Challenge 14:** Analyze the type of the following ciphertext and break it!

bxdbbefeppcfwwhcdhddbydhbexcxbyeedyfddcddgfbxdbbdaecgcfawwcafffxqq  
 acfxgybgexyyeaadbfttdeggadgffdrqqbcafc aahdhgccffxae fdacdbdxfe gfffae  
 cydbc bhxggadhbbdehfagxexadhcaeahdhbyecwwcacgdx fawwbfbbgychyyqqddbpp  
 aegceahcaecfaxbbyyhcaecbbbhfbayahdcbggyyyghfafxdefgbegyz zcfcafgccbcde  
 axdefccydx dcbgdeaeghbdwgyadqqffgxahahedgddxc ahcdhfabcbeadagfgz zppea  
 caagfxddyacc cfxcappaycbeerrcfahbbgxcgdhberraf rrebrrcbz zdaggrrgfdhdc  
 bafxaedecchxgggxafwwgycfadcgagggdcafttgycfgxaxfgedcbdhcahccxfagchcdy  
 dheeffttcgdx dybyppahgdedagwwafbettcaqqdecafgfafgdcddgffxccc ahedyadga  
 ddgccyghadyppffghaegyadaxfxcbyedeahbbewabhxcfaechbbhbdebydhfawwcx  
 caeeeagybcfhrrdedydxz zbdcadycfaedxbyebr rhbdbehcfdc fhhbgycadxdhwwcgfa  
 rrgcggdbcghbfattchdbdybcccgdttd dgchdrddfedxdhbefxdhbyggwwdafegydhgx  
 aydhbebcbbccwwaxhbdbgyaddxwwdcbahbddbybbdd



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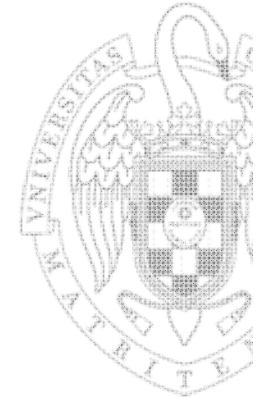
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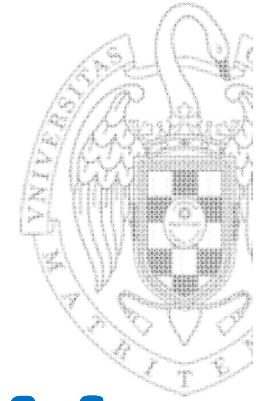
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# Using Socratic quiz



- First test will be:
- About 35 short questions/quizzes:
  - We will notice to you the previous day (tentative for **May 11<sup>th</sup>** or **May 12<sup>th</sup>** )
  - Content we have seen in theory and we have practice using Cryptool
  - About one minute per quiz
- Content
  - What is Cryptography/Cryptoanalysis? Uses?
  - Classical Ciphers. Families.
  - Classic Cipher (Caesar)
  - Monoalphabetic Substitution Cipher
  - Polyalphabetic Cipher - Vigenère Cipher
  - Transposition Ciphers
  - Homophonic Ciphers
  - Composed Ciphers
  - Cryptool lab etc...





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