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**Senior Project: ECU Communication Performance  
Work Log**

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Wednesday, September 26th:

Meeting at Komatsu

Bradley attendees: John Greifzu, Grant Abella, Dr. Malinowski

Komatsu attendees: Joshua Rohman, Paul Maynard, Tim Imig, and Jason Schepler

[Meeting notes](#)

Wednesday, October 3rd:

Met at library

Worked on problem statement and website

Started up project

Wednesday, October 10th:

Worked in lab room 249

Researched PiCAN2 communication in C

Saturday, October 13th:

Worked at 1515 callender

Followed [this](#) tutorial to get piCAN working on fresh OS install:

Got the CAN working between two raspberry pis in C

We found out what types of messages we can send between the pis over can

Wrote a program that takes input for a message, including the ID and message and then sends it

```
int main(int argc, char **argv)
{
    int s; /* can raw socket */
    int nbytes;
    struct sockaddr_can addr;
    struct can_frame frame;
    struct ifreq ifr;

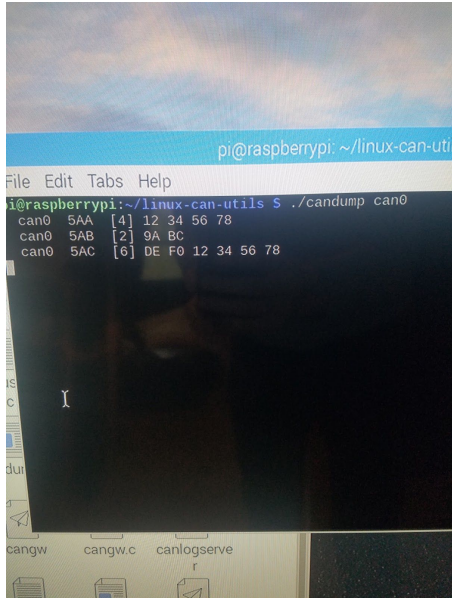
    int i;

    /* CAN message to be sent out */
    unsigned char buff[20];
    unsigned char m_id[3];
    unsigned char mes[16];
    printf("Input message ID:");
    scanf("%s", &m_id);
    printf("\nInput message: ");
    scanf("%s", &mes);
    strcpy(buff, m_id);
    strcat(buff, "#");
    strcat(buff, mes);
    printf("\nBuffer to be sent: %s\n", &buff);
```

Figure 1.1 - Program to enter custom message and ID.

```
pi@raspberrypi: ~/linux-can-utils
pi@raspberrypi:~/linux-can-utils $ ./cantest
Input message ID:5AA
Input message: 12345678
Buffer to be sent: 5AA#12345678
CAN testing
0
pi@raspberrypi:~/linux-can-utils $ ./cantest
Input message ID:5AB
Input message: 9ABC
Buffer to be sent: 5AB#9ABC
CAN testing
0
pi@raspberrypi:~/linux-can-utils $ ./cantest
Input message ID:5AC
Input message: DEF012345678
Buffer to be sent: 5AC#DEF012345678
CAN testing
0
pi@raspberrypi:~/linux-can-utils $
```

Figure 1.2 - Three runs of the program with different message IDs and messages being sent.



**Figure 2.1** - Messages from the above figure being received on the second Pi.

### Wednesday, October 17th:

Met at 1515 Callender

Finalized Problem Statement & Functional Requirement document, emailed to Dr. Malinowski and Dr. Lu.

Researched encryption algorithms to potentially implement and measure SHA, Blowfish, and potentially other encryption: could use [cryptlib](#)

Questions to ask on Friday's meeting:

1. Sending multiple messages due to encryption?
2. How will everything be sent in hex?
3. Will we need to use more than 2 raspberry pis? If so, what kind of processes should be performed to incorporate all of them?

### Tuesday, October 23rd:

Met at 1515 callender

Made revisions to statement and function requirement document

Added block diagram

Discussed how to send the data through CAN

### Monday October 29th:

Met at 1515 Callender

Set up cryptlib on the raspberry pis

Downloaded cryptlib and manual from [here](#)

Compiled and tested cryptlib:

```

File Edit Tabs Help
pi@raspberrypi: ~/Downloads
CH = Test SCEP PKI user.
Certificate object subject name is:
C = NZ.
O = Dave's Metaburgers.
OU = Procurement.
CN = Test SCEP PKI user.
Email = dave@wetas-r-us.com.
URL = http://www.wetas-r-us.com.
Certificate is valid from Fri Aug 17 08:39:40 2018 to Sat Aug 18 08:39:40 2018.
Certificate object is self-signed.
Certificate fingerprint =
61 07 FF 71 16 CF C6 65 90 65 76 7D 7F EE 2D F8 a..q...e.ev)...
56 C9 62 37 V.b7
Attributes present (by cryptlib ID) are:
Attribute group 2265, values = 2265.
Attribute group 2266, values = 2266.
Attribute group 2270, values = 2270, 2270.
Attribute group 2272, values = 2273.
Some of the common extensions/attributes are:
keyUsage = 05 (digiSig, keyEnc).
subjectKeyIdentifier =
14 C6 9E 88 3B 8F AD E0 18 8A 5E 75 30 F1 5D 73 .....Au0.js
99 15 91 62 ...b
Signature information is:
Attributes present (by cryptlib ID) are:
Attribute group 2500, values = 2500.
Attribute group 2501, values = 2501.
Attribute group 2502, values = 2502.
Attribute group 2570, values = 2570.
Some of the common extensions/attributes are:
Signing time Mon Oct 29 19:29:06 2018.
Enveloping of CMS extended signed data succeeded.

Testing CMS signed enveloping of non-data content...
Nested content type = 2.
CMS signed data has size 1377 bytes.
Nested content type = 2.
Attributes present (by cryptlib ID) are:
Attribute group 5009, values = 5009.
Signature is valid.
Signer information is:
Certificate object issuer name is:
C = NZ.
O = Dave's Metaburgers.
OU = Procurement.
CN = Test SCEP PKI user.
Certificate object subject name is:
C = NZ.
O = Dave's Metaburgers.
OU = Procurement.
CN = Test SCEP PKI user.
Email = dave@wetas-r-us.com.
cryptlib 2. Redistributions in binary form must reproduce the above copyright r

```

**Figure 3.1** - Testing the cryptlib library functions.

Encountered difficulties with cryptlib, might switch to using libsodium.

### Wednesday October 31st:

Went with libsodium because of simplicity, process was as follows:

1. Extract the compressed folder
2. Run **./configure**
3. Run **sudo make install**

Wrote a small test program to see if the library worked, test.c, inside the libsodium include folder.

Compiled using the command **gcc -o test test.c -lsodium**

Found a test program to demonstrate different features of the library, made plans for the encryption of messages.

### Thursday November 15th:

Worked on Proposal

Installed libsodium on raspberry pi, tried to get it to work

### Monday November 19th

Worked on proposal presentation

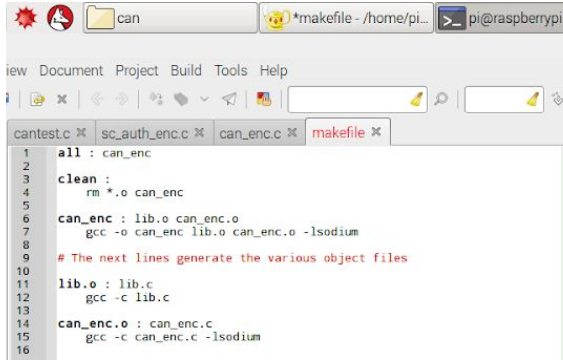
### Wednesday November 21st:

Got libsodium installed on both Raspberry Pis

Merged the secret key encryption program with the cantest program

Created a makefile to compile can\_enc and ensure all dependabilities are linked

Below is a screenshot of the makefile:



```
1 all : can_enc
2
3 clean :
4   rm *.o can_enc
5
6 can_enc : lib.o can_enc.o
7   gcc -o can_enc lib.o can_enc.o -lsodium
8
9 # The next lines generate the various object files
10
11 lib.o : lib.c
12   gcc -c lib.c
13
14 can_enc.o : can_enc.c
15   gcc -c can_enc.c -lsodium
16
```

**Figure 4.1** - makefile for compiling and linking can\_enc.c.

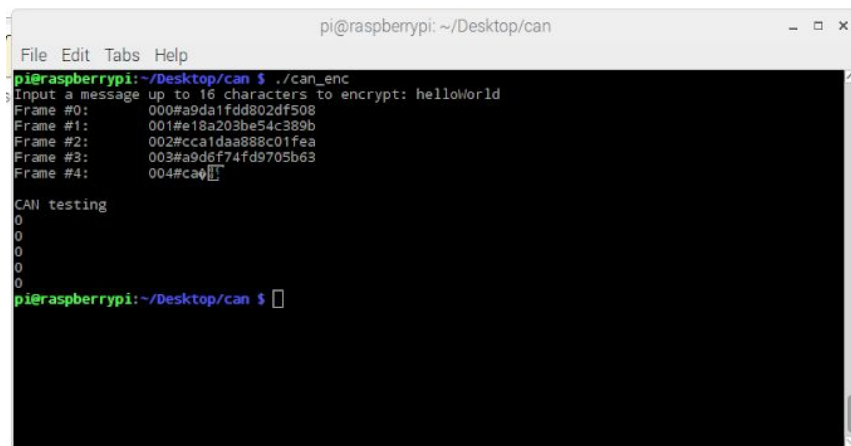
Friday, November 23rd:

Made many modifications to can\_enc.c

Successfully achieved the following:

1. Get input from user
2. Encrypt the message into binary
3. Convert cipher text from binary to hex
4. Split the hex string into individual can frames, complete with sequential message ids
5. Send the frames over CAN to the other Raspberry Pi

The following screenshots show this process:



```
pi@raspberrypi: ~/Desktop/can
File Edit Tabs Help
pi@raspberrypi:~/Desktop/can $ ./can_enc
Input a message up to 16 characters to encrypt: helloWorld
Frame #0: 000#a9da1fdd802df508
Frame #1: 001#e18a203be54c389b
Frame #2: 002#cca1daa888c01fea
Frame #3: 003#a9d6f74fd9705b63
Frame #4: 004#ca0
CAN testing
0
0
0
0
0
0
pi@raspberrypi:~/Desktop/can $
```

**Figure 4.2** - Execution of can\_enc from the master Pi.

```

pi@raspberrypi: ~/linux-can-utils
File Edit Tabs Help
pi@raspberrypi:~/linux-can-utils $ ./candump can0
can0 0 [8] A9 DA 1F DD 80 2D F5 08
can0 1 [8] E1 8A 20 38 E5 4C 38 98
can0 2 [8] CC A1 DA A8 88 C0 1F EA
can0 3 [8] A9 D6 F7 4F D9 70 5B 63
can0 4 [1] CA

```

**Figure 4.3** - Encrypted message being received by the slave Pi via CAN bus. Surprisingly, the null characters at the end of the final generated frame did not cause any issues when received.

Things we still must accomplish:

1. Reconstruct the received message into a single hex ciphertext
2. Convert the reconstructed ciphertext back into binary
3. Decrypt the binary ciphertext
  - a. This will require the original nonce used to encrypt the message
  - b. We will need to get the nonce sent before decryption can occur

### Saturday, November 24th:

Began work on a modified candump program to achieve the objectives listed above

### Tuesday, November 27th:

Met with Dr. Malinowski to discuss project presentation, discussed things to include:

- Talk about other library that we considered
- Talk about linking/compiling
- How we are connecting to the Pis
- Possibly add Gantt chart?

Check sakai/gmail for example presentation by Dr. Lu

### Thursday, January 24th:

Met with Malinowski

Need to schedule meeting with Komatsu - possibly 1/31 @ 10:45? Cc Lu and Mali

For ethernet in the future - communication using UDP not TCP

### Thursday, January 31st:

Met at Komatsu

Reviewed progress so far

Set direction for future

Find out a way to measure impact of the system

For ethernet we will probably just use a crossover cable

### Tuesday, February 5th:

Met at 1515 Callender

Set the raspberry pis back up

Tested them and made sure they still work

Asked Josh and Jason for the library about the blowfish algorithm

Need to ask malinowski about public and secret key

- What should we use -
- How to send over
- What do we need to send
- What do we need to decrypt it

To do: set command to boot and set bitrate for can0, edit candump to save and decrypt message

Thursday, February 7th:

Encryption /decryption key should be hardcoded. No need to send it over. Either within the program or in a text file.

For serial connection: bend the pins using pliers, attach wires.

Possibly connect pins to shield individually

Tuesday, February 12th:

Thought of new ways to connect with the raspberry pis

Tried to just wire over the 6 pins the data sheet said it uses\

Wednesday, February 13th:

Found out the CAN board needed power,Needs both 5V and 3.3V

Uses PIN 1,2 and 9 for power

Uses 15,19,21,22,23,24

Thursday, February 14th:

Discussed getting supplies from ECE surplus

Discussed system monitoring tools:

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We will have to try different methods to see what works best

Wednesday, February 20th:

Set up the program so the receiver has the data in a format that we can use, also set so it was in the correct

Looked more into detail about how the encryption works

Wednesday, February 27th:

Created key and nonce files with generated values.

Achieved consistent encryption for the same raw message.

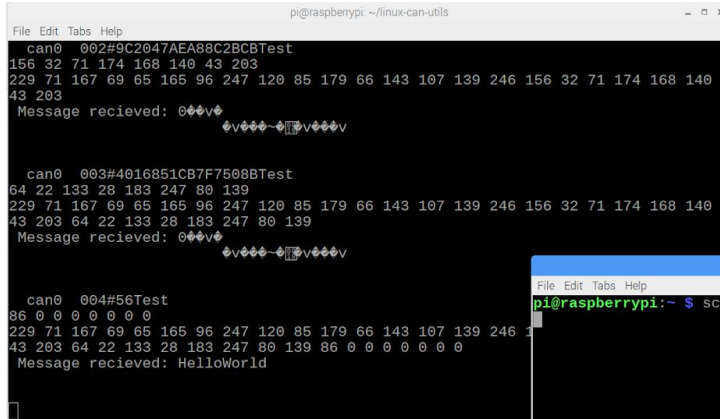
```
pi@raspberrypi:~/Desktop/can$ ./can_enc
Input a message up to 16 characters to encrypt: hello
Key:
Size: 32
Frame #0: 000e93fa2a199b2adf8
Frame #1: 0014d986b30755107f3
Frame #2: 0024bc2047aea8db44b9
Frame #3: 00342c72051cb7f7509b
Frame #4: 004456n

233 63 162 161 153 178 173 248 217 134 179 7 85 81 7 243 188 32 71 174 168 219 68 185 44 114 133 28 183 247 80 139 86
CAN testing
0
0
0
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0
0
pi@raspberrypi:~/Desktop/can$ ./can_enc
Input a message up to 16 characters to encrypt: hello
Key:
Size: 32
Frame #0: 000e93fa2a199b2adf8
Frame #1: 0014d986b30755107f3
Frame #2: 0024bc2047aea8db44b9
Frame #3: 00342c72051cb7f7509b
Frame #4: 004456n

233 63 162 161 153 178 173 248 217 134 179 7 85 81 7 243 188 32 71 174 168 219 68 185 44 114 133 28 183 247 80 139 86
CAN testing
0
0
0
0
0
0
```

Figure 6.1 - Encrypting the same message twice using hardcoded key and nonce.

Decryption on the receiving end now works



**Figure 7.1** - HelloWorld message being decrypted on the receiving Pi

Thursday, February 28th:

Met in Malinowski's office

Discussed measuring performance

Round trip will be best, send 1000s of messages and get average

Send time stamp from the sender, have receiver send back the timestamp and compare time.h file vs sys/time.h. sys/time.h is more accurate

Start with measuring the time delay in software

Eventually we could move to a hardware measurement

Set a pin high when sent, set low when trip is finished. Measure on oscilloscope.

It will HAVE to be an average measurement because of how the linux can library works

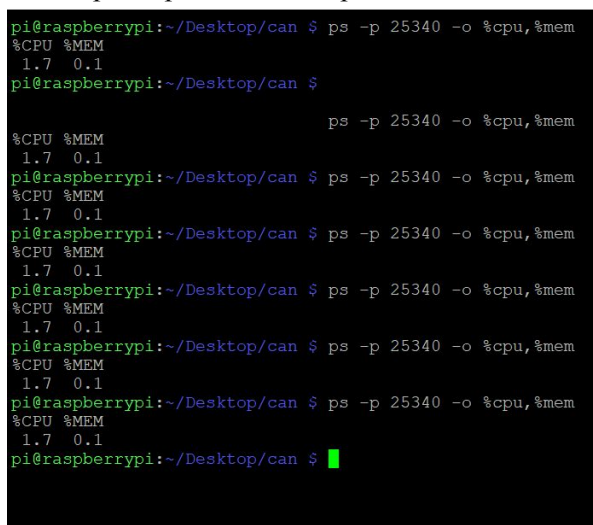
We could use **vmstat** within the program. `vmstat 1 > data.txt` will run every 1s and log

Tuesday, March 12th:

Met at 1515 Callender

Connected both boards to serial

Used top and ps to do initial performance checks



**Figure 7.2** - Testing the **ps** command with process ID.

`top -b -p PID > nameoffile.txt`

This will save all the information from top



```

COM4 - PuTTY
GNU nano 2.2.6 File: data.txt
KiB Swap: 2097148 total, 0 used, 2097148 free. 246492 cached Mem

top - 17:04:00 up 49 min, 4 users, load average: 0.21, 0.17, 0.11
Tasks: 1 total, 0 running, 1 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 0.3 us, 1.2 sy, 0.0 ni, 98.6 id, 0.0 wa, 0.0 hi, 0.0 si, 0.0 st
KiB Mem: 945512 total, 397148 used, 548364 free, 32700 buffers
KiB Swap: 2097148 total, 0 used, 2097148 free. 246500 cached Mem

  PID USER      PR  NI  VIRT  RES  SHR S %CPU %MEM    TIME+  COMMAND
 5340 pi        20   0 3952 3016 1364 S  1.7  0.3   0:17.81 can_enc

top - 17:04:03 up 49 min, 4 users, load average: 0.19, 0.16, 0.11
Tasks: 1 total, 0 running, 1 sleeping, 0 stopped, 0 zombie
%Cpu(s): 1.1 us, 1.4 sy, 0.0 ni, 97.4 id, 0.1 wa, 0.0 hi, 0.0 si, 0.0 st
%Stpu(s): 1.1 us, 1.4 sy, 0.0 ni, 97.4 id, 0.1 wa, 0.0 hi, 0.0 si, 0.0 st
KiB Mem: 945512 total, 397304 used, 548208 free, 32708 buffers
KiB Swap: 2097148 total, 0 used, 2097148 free. 246492 cached Mem

  PID USER      PR  NI  VIRT  RES  SHR S %CPU %MEM    TIME+  COMMAND
25340 pi        20   0 3952 3028 1364 S  1.7  0.3   0:17.92 can_enc

^X Exit      ^J Ju49 min, 4 users, load average: 0.26, 0.18, 0.11
[ Read 98 lines ]
^G Get Help  ^O WriteOut  ^R Read File ^Y Prev Page ^K Cut Text  ^C Cur Pos
^X Exit      ^J Justify   ^W Where Is  ^V Next Page ^U UnCut Text ^T To Spell

```

**Figure 8.1** - top command output to text file

Will meet tomorrow to fix receiver crashing

Need to reset the message variable after it decrypts it

### Wednesday, March 13th:

We fixed the receiving program

Now only prints after each full message is received

Next thing to do is to get a program to send and receive messages

Also will try and meet with komatsu after spring break

Show that we can encrypt,send,receive decrypt messages

Also show some initial performance metrics

### Thursday, March 14th:

Met with Malinowski

Need to compare performance of encrypted vs unencrypted

Messages should probably be the same length

Ask Komatsu what their average packet size is

Can use excel, matlab to get the data from the performance output files

For data:

Average, standard deviation, etc

Schedule meeting with Komatsu for after break, Thursday the 28th at 11?

Bring the boards to Jobst earlier in the week to make sure they will work for demo.

### Monday, March 18th:

Fixed color output over serial for both boards

Edited cron tables for both boards so that CAN startup command runs on boot

Wrote a test program working with /sys/time.h

Program finds the difference between two times

Similar implementation will be made within the sending/receiving system

```

COM4 - PuTTY
pi@raspberrypi:~/Desktop $ ./timeTest
Seconds: 1552916157, Microseconds: 428283
Seconds: 1552916157, Microseconds: 428579
Elapsed time: Seconds: 0, Microseconds: 296
pi@raspberrypi:~/Desktop $

```

**Figure 9.1** - /sys/time.h testing

Thursday, March 21st:

- Rewrote sending and receiving programs to both send and receive.
- Both programs utilize two sockets
- Messages are sent in plaintext
- There are issues with both boards synchronizing.

**Figure 9.2** - Boards running their respective programs. Some frames are wrongly being repeated

Tuesday, March 26th:

- Fixed various bugs in the programs
- Recorded data from the program in a .csv

Thursday, March 28th:

- Need to change CAN bus speed from 500kbps to 250kbps
- Look into bypassing message IDs to save on frame space.
- The results are around what should be expected, about .5 byte/us = ~64 us one way, ~128 us both
- Make a version of Tuesday's program that sends 4-5 frames and measures time delay
  - This will be more comparable to measurements made for encrypted tests
- Malinowski will be in Jobst until 5pm tomorrow
- Move setup to Jobst 144 - Mali's wifi SSID: malilab, password: dram-portable-lab-key
- Network in 144 - ask Jon for password
- Possibly reinstall raspbian lite on PIs

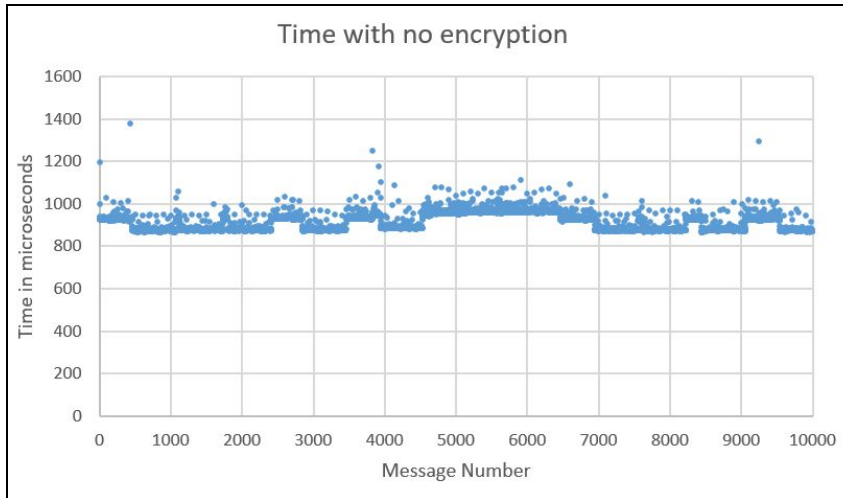
Friday March 29th:

- Moved everything to Jobst for meeting next thursday with Komatsu
- Changed speed of CAN to 250kb/s to match what Komatsu uses
- Made the times much more consistent
- Added "ifconfig can0 txqueuelen 1000" to run at every boot
- Need this or else if a lot of CAN messages are sent it will say no buffer space available
- Did analysis on some data
- Ask Malinowski about not closing sockets

Ask Malinowski about timeout  
Use setsockopt for reuse address and timeout  
Changed to only one socket- fixed a lot of bugs  
The program was receiving its own messages

### Monday, April 1st:

Fixed bugs in program  
Added program parameter for number of messages to send  
Added more performance measurement  
CPU and memory usage is gathered at intervals during the program using system call



**Figure 10.1** - Graph of time delay (in program using system call) for 10000 messages. Times in above figure fluctuate much more than before, probably a result of using the system call. May need to call the command differently or incorporate a function like the one described [here](#).

### Wednesday, April 3rd:

Added encryption to the sending program  
Fixed bugs

### Thursday, April 4th:

Josh and Jason met with us in Jobst senior project lab.  
Demonstrated implementation and showed them our preliminary results.  
Discussed how to move forward.  
Place importance on Blowfish implementation first, then ethernet.  
For ethernet: send one 32 byte message, do not send 4 separate packets

### Sunday, April 7th:

Planned to meet in Jobst senior project lab but it was closed.  
Began testing Blowfish algorithm.  
Wrote a basic test program to encrypt an 8 byte value and then decrypt the value.

```

grant@grant-XPS-13-9343: ~/Desktop/test
File Edit View Search Terminal Help
grant@grant-XPS-13-9343:~/Desktop/test$ gcc test.c blowfish.c -o bf_test
grant@grant-XPS-13-9343:~/Desktop/test$ ./bf_test
Before Encryption: deadbeef
Size before encryption: 8 bytes.

After Encryption: 7ffc589c9260
Size after encryption: 8 bytes.

After Decryption: deadbeef
Size after decryption: 8 bytes.

grant@grant-XPS-13-9343:~/Desktop/test$ █

```

**Figure 11.1** - Basic encryption and decryption using Blowfish.

```

blowfish.h      test.c      blowfish.c
1 #include <stdio.h>
2 #include <stdlib.h>
3 #include <string.h>
4 #include <unistd.h>
5 #include <time.h>
6 #include <signal.h>
7 #include <ctype.h>
8 #include <libgen.h>
9 #include <net/if.h>
10 #include <sys/time.h>
11 #include <sys/types.h>
12 #include <sys/socket.h>
13 #include <sys/loctl.h>
14 #include <sys/uio.h>
15 #include <sys/loctl.h>
16 #include <net/if.h>
17 #include <linux/can.h>
18 #include <linux/can/raw.h>
19 #include "blowfish.h"
20
21 int main()
22 {
23     long unsigned int dr = 0xDEADBEEF;
24     long unsigned int dl;
25     printf("Before Encryption: %lx\n", dr);
26     printf("Size before encryption: %zu bytes.\n\n", sizeof(dr));
27     Blowfish_encrypter(dr, &dl);
28     printf("After Encryption: %lx\n", dl);
29     printf("Size after encryption: %zu bytes.\n\n", sizeof(dr));
30     Blowfish_decrypter(dr, &dl);
31     printf("After Decryption: %lx\n", dl);
32     printf("Size after decryption: %zu bytes.\n\n", sizeof(dr));
33     return 0;
34 }
35

```

**Figure 11.2** - Code for basic encryption and decryption using Blowfish.

Monday, April 8th:

- Implemented the blowfish encryption
- Still some bugs to work out
- Worked on poster

Tuesday, April 9th:

- Got the program to encrypt and decrypt both ways
- Now just need to add back in the performance measurements
- Also use ethernet

Wednesday, April 10th:

- Now can record timing data with encryption
- Cleaned up the code, reimplemented custom run count
- Gathered times, CPU usage, memory usage, and CPU time for encryption with Blowfish
- Gathered times, CPU usage, memory usage, and CPU time benchmark values (no encryption)

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Created excel sheets for both cases.



```
192.168.1.108 - PuTTY
Tasks:  0 total,  0 running,  0 sleeping,  0 stopped,  0 zombie
Tasks:  0 total,  0 running,  0 sleeping,  0 stopped,  0 zombie
Tasks:  0 total,  0 running,  0 sleeping,  0 stopped,  0 zombie
Tasks:  0 total,  0 running,  0 sleeping,  0 stopped,  0 zombie
Tasks:  0 total,  0 running,  0 sleeping,  0 stopped,  0 zombie
Tasks:  0 total,  0 running,  0 sleeping,  0 stopped,  0 zombie
Tasks:  0 total,  0 running,  0 sleeping,  0 stopped,  0 zombie
Tasks:  0 total,  0 running,  0 sleeping,  0 stopped,  0 zombie
Tasks:  0 total,  0 running,  0 sleeping,  0 stopped,  0 zombie
Tasks:  0 total,  0 running,  0 sleeping,  0 stopped,  0 zombie
Tasks:  0 total,  0 running,  0 sleeping,  0 stopped,  0 zombie
Tasks:  0 total,  0 running,  0 sleeping,  0 stopped,  0 zombie
Tasks:  0 total,  0 running,  0 sleeping,  0 stopped,  0 zombie
Tasks:  0 total,  0 running,  0 sleeping,  0 stopped,  0 zombie
^C
pi@raspberrypi:~$ top -b -d .1 -p 1644 | grep pi > mem.txt
^C
pi@raspberrypi:~$ top -b -d .1 -p 1665 | grep -w pi > mem.txt
^C
pi@raspberrypi:~$ top -b -d .1 -p 1688 | grep -w pi > mem.txt
^[[A^[[B^C
pi@raspberrypi:~$ top -b -d .1 -p 1841 | grep -w pi > plainmem.txt
^C
pi@raspberrypi:~$ █
```

Figure 12.1 - Method for gathering resource usage.

### Thursday, April 11th:

Met with Malinowski

Can use examples from 473 for UDP

Rayleigh function for data - possibly use [Matlab](#), raylfir for parameter estimates

Raylstat for mean and variance

Combine both results into single graph

Got ethernet implemented

- Both plaintext and encrypted

- Gathered times, CPU usage, memory usage, and CPU time for encryption with Blowfish

- Gathered times, CPU usage, memory usage, and CPU time benchmark values plaintext

### Thursday, May 2nd:

Add distribution graphs, division of labor (agile methodology?), timeline of work, slide numbers

Find out what Ethernet cable was used

Create distribution histograms for each case, with comparable ranges on axes