

# A High-Security Encryption Based on Hexadecnon Polynomials

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## Abstract

With technological development, hackers are possible to access the transmitted data, so we need to constantly develop encryption methods to increase security. In this paper, we have introduced a new cryptosystem hexadecnon polynomial RSA (PH-RSA) by mixing NTRU and polynomial RSA based on a hexadecnon polynomial instead of polynomial RSA with a high level of security.

## 1 Introduction

Communication networks are expanding at a rapid pace due to the increasing use of the Internet. As a result, the need to constantly need to develop data encryption and increase its security appears.

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In 1978, Rivest et al. proposed a public-key cryptosystem RSA depends on factoring problem, it is a relatively slow algorithm [1]. This is where the NTRU cryptosystem plays a leading role since it is capable of providing adequate levels of security at an extremely low cost. In 1996, Hoffstein et al. presented NTRU public key cryptosystem, which uses the ring of truncated polynomials  $Z[x]/(x^N - 1)$  [2]. In 2015, Gafitoui proposed a polynomial RSA by using polynomials instead of integers [3]. In 2016, Yassein and Al-Saidi, introduced HXDTRU cryptosystem based on hexadecnon algebra [4]. In this paper, we propose a new cryptosystem known as the PH-RSA based on hexadecnon polynomial and discuss security analysis.

## 2 PH-RSA cryptosystem

A public key hexadecnon polynomial RSA which is denoted by PH-RSA is determined by the same parameters as polynomial RSA, but the polynomial ring  $Z_p[x]$  is replaced by hexadecnon algebra  $HD = \{w | w = r_0 + \sum_{i=1}^{15} r_i x_i | r_0, r_1, \dots, r_{15} \in R\}$  [4], and the subsets  $L_F$  and  $L_G$  are defines as follows:  
 $L_F = \{f_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} f_i(x)x_i \in HD \text{ satisfy } \tau(d_f, d_{f-1})\}$ ,  
 $L_G = \{g_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} g_i(x)x_i \in HD \text{ satisfy } \tau(d_g, d_g)\}$ ,  
 where  $\tau(d_x, d_y) = \{f \text{ has } d_x \text{ coefficients equal } 1, d_y \text{ coefficients equal } -1 \text{ and the rest } 0\}$ .

The cryptosystem phases of PH-RSA are as follows:

I. **Key Generation** In this way, we construct the key as follows:

- (a) Choose two irreducible polynomials  $P(x), Q(x) \in HD$  as:  
 $P(x) = f_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} f_i(x)x_i$  and  $Q(x) = g_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} g_i(x)x_i$   
 such that  $P(x)Q(x) = N(x)$
- (b) Take  $R = HD / \langle N(x) \rangle = \{ \text{all possible remainders when each polynomial in } HD \text{ is divided by } N(x) \}$ ,
- (c) Choose  $e \in Z_s = \{0, 1, 2, \dots, s-1\}$  such that  $\gcd(e, s) = 1$ .
- (d) Find  $d \in Z_s$  such that  $ed = 1 \pmod s$  ( $d = e^{-1} \pmod s$  multiplication inverse).

II. **Encryption**

The primary message  $M(x) = m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x)x_i$  is encrypted in accordance with the following formula:

$$C(x) = \left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x)x_i \right]^e \pmod{N(x)}.$$

### III. Decryption

After received the ciphertext  $C(x) = C_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} C_i(x)x_i$ , by the receiver take the following steps to restore the original text:

$$\begin{aligned}
C[x]^d &= \left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right]^{ed} \text{ mod } N(x) \\
&= \left[ (m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i)^s \right]^k \cdot \left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right] \text{ mod } N(x) \\
&= \left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right] \text{ mod } N(x).
\end{aligned}$$

If  $M(x)$  does not have an inverse modulo  $N(x)$ , then  $P(x)$  and  $Q(x)$  can be substituted for  $s$ , respectively, as congruence modulo,

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left[ (m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i)^{(p^m-1)(p^n-1)} \right]^k \left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right] \equiv \\
&\left[ (m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i)^{(p^n-1)} \right]^{k(p^m-1)} \\
&\left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right] \text{ mod } P(x), \\
&\left[ (m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i)^{(p^m-1)(p^n-1)} \right]^k \left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right] \equiv \\
&\left[ (m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i)^{(p^m-1)} \right]^{k(p^n-1)} \\
&\left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right] \text{ mod } Q(x), \\
&\left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right]^{ed} \equiv 1^{k(p^m-1)} \left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right] \text{ mod } P(x) \\
&\equiv \left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right] \text{ mod } P(x) \\
&\left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right]^{ed} \equiv 1^{k(p^n-1)} \left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right] \text{ mod } Q(x) \\
&\equiv \left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right] \text{ mod } Q(x).
\end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $\left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right]^{ed} - \left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right] \equiv 0 \text{ mod } P(x)$ ,

$$\left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right]^{ed} - \left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right] \equiv 0 \text{ mod } Q(x).$$

Hence  $\left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right]^{ed} - \left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right]$  divisible by  $P(x)$  and  $Q(x)$ . Because  $P(x)$ ,  $Q(x)$  are irreducible and not associated, then  $\left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right]^{ed} - \left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right]$  is divisible by  $P(x) Q(x)$ . Therefore,

$$\left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right]^{ed} - \left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right] \equiv 0 \text{ mod } P(x) Q(x).$$

Hence  $\left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right]^{ed} \equiv \left[ m_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{15} m_i(x) x_i \right]$

$\text{mod } N(x)$ . As a consequence, the decryption formula returns the original message  $M(x)$ .

### 3 Security Analysis for PH-RSA

In a brute-force assault, the attacker uses public parameters and  $N(x) = a_0(x) + \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} a_i x^i$  to search the sets  $L_F$  and  $L_G$  for the private key  $P(x)$  or  $Q(x)$ . As a result, the security key for PH-RSA is

$$\left( \frac{n_1!}{(d_f!)^2 (n_1 - 2d_f)!} \right)^{16} \quad 1 \leq n_1 < n-1 \quad \text{or} \quad \left( \frac{n_2!}{(d_g!)^2 (n_2 - 2d_g)!} \right)^{16} \quad 1 \leq n_2 < n-1.$$

### 4 Conclusion

Hexadecinion polynomial RSA is an improvement of polynomial RSA by replacing each polynomial in polynomial RSA with sixteen polynomials which is an element in hexadecinion algebra  $HD$  making it more secure, in addition to the possibility of encrypting multiple messages at a round.

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