

Title (en)

METHOD FOR GENERATING AN ELECTRONIC KEY FROM A PRIME NUMBER CONTAINED IN A SPECIFIC INTERVAL AND DEVICE THEREFOR

Title (de)

VERFAHREN ZUR ERZEUGUNG EINES ELEKTRONISCHEN SCHLÜSSELS AUS EINER IN EINEM BESTIMMTEN INTERVALL BEFINDLICHEN PRIMZAHLE UND VORRICHTUNG ZUR AUSFÜHRUNG DES VERFAHRENS

Title (fr)

PROCEDE DE GENERATION D'UNE CLE ELECTRONIQUE A PARTIR D'UN NOMBRE PREMIER COMPRIS DANS UN INTERVALLE DETERMINE ET DISPOSITIF DE MISE EN OEUVRE DU PROCEDE

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Abstract (en)

[origin: WO0205483A1] The invention concerns a method for generating an electronic key from a prime number q contained in a specific interval of positive integers ($W > m$, $W > M$). Said method comprises the following operations: a) selecting a positive integer η , η being the product of the k first prime numbers, with k as maximum so that there exist two positive integers $\epsilon > m$ and $\epsilon > M$ such that $\epsilon > m$ is the higher roundoff of $W > m / \eta$, and $\epsilon > M$ is the lower roundoff of $(W > M - W > m) / \eta$, calculating $PI = \epsilon > M$, η and $\rho = \epsilon > m$, generating two positive integers a and c belonging to the multiplicative group Z^{*}_{PI} of integers modulo PI , with prime c with PI , calculating $q = c + \rho$; b) testing primality nature of q ; c) if primality is verified, q is stored; d) otherwise: updating c by calculating $a.c \bmod PI$, repeating the preceding operations as from b) with the new value $q = c + \rho$. The invention is applicable to cryptography.

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