

- Differential Cryptanalysis of Simplified DES

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Outline

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Cryptanalysis

What is Cryptanalysis

It is the analysis of a cryptographic system to find the plain-text.
Some information is required to perform the cryptanalysis.

Differential Cryptanalysis

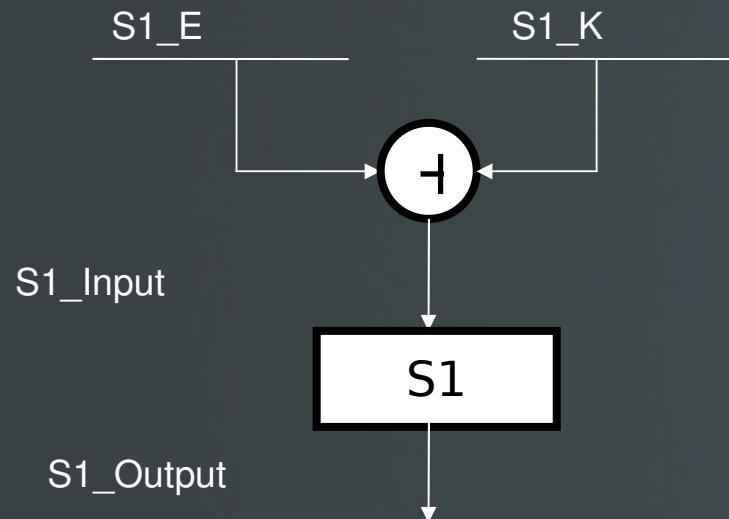
Study of the impact of difference in inputs on the difference in outputs

- DES does not exhibit pseudo randomness in differential output
- Key does not have any influence on the differential ouput

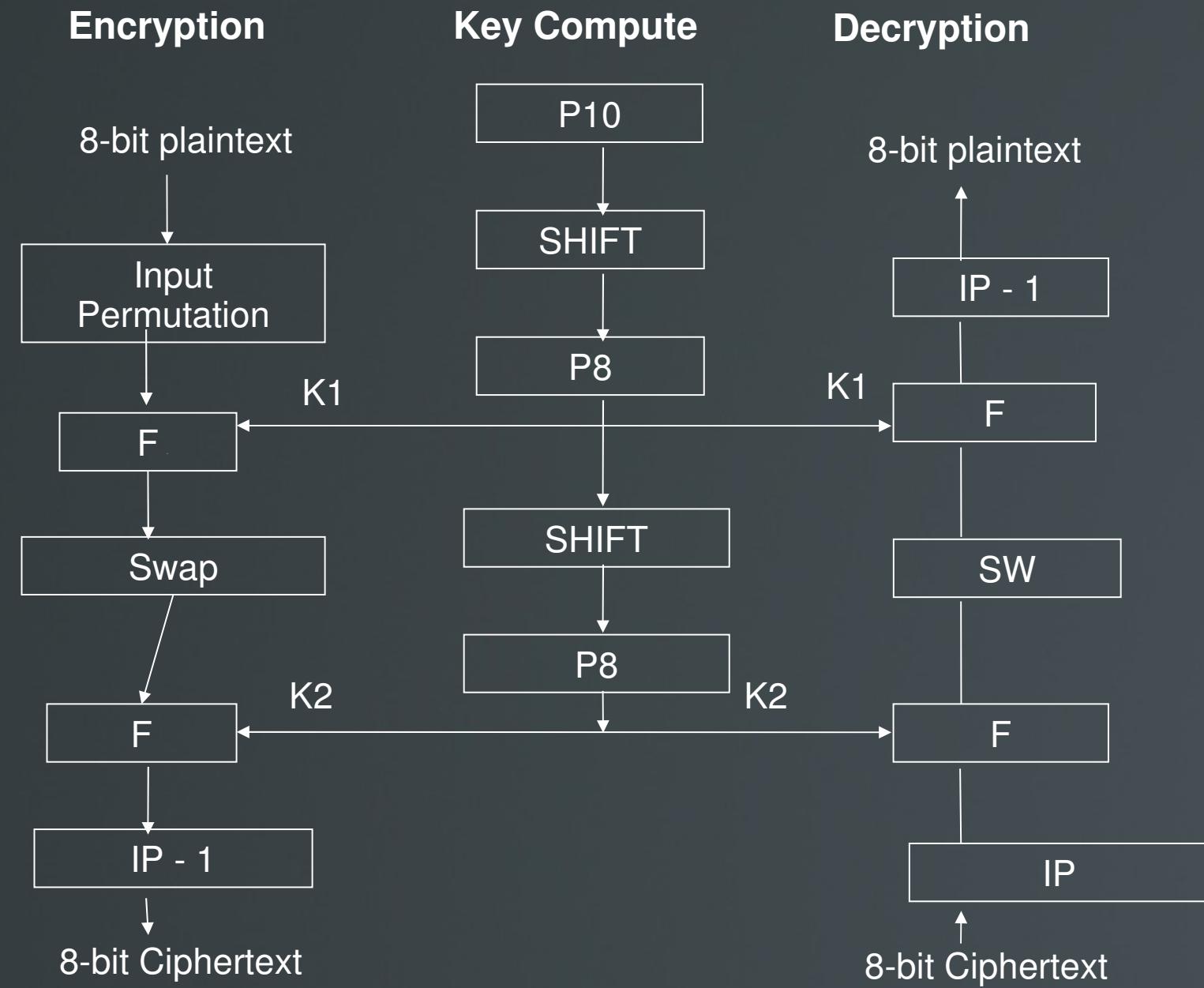
Differential Cryptanalysis

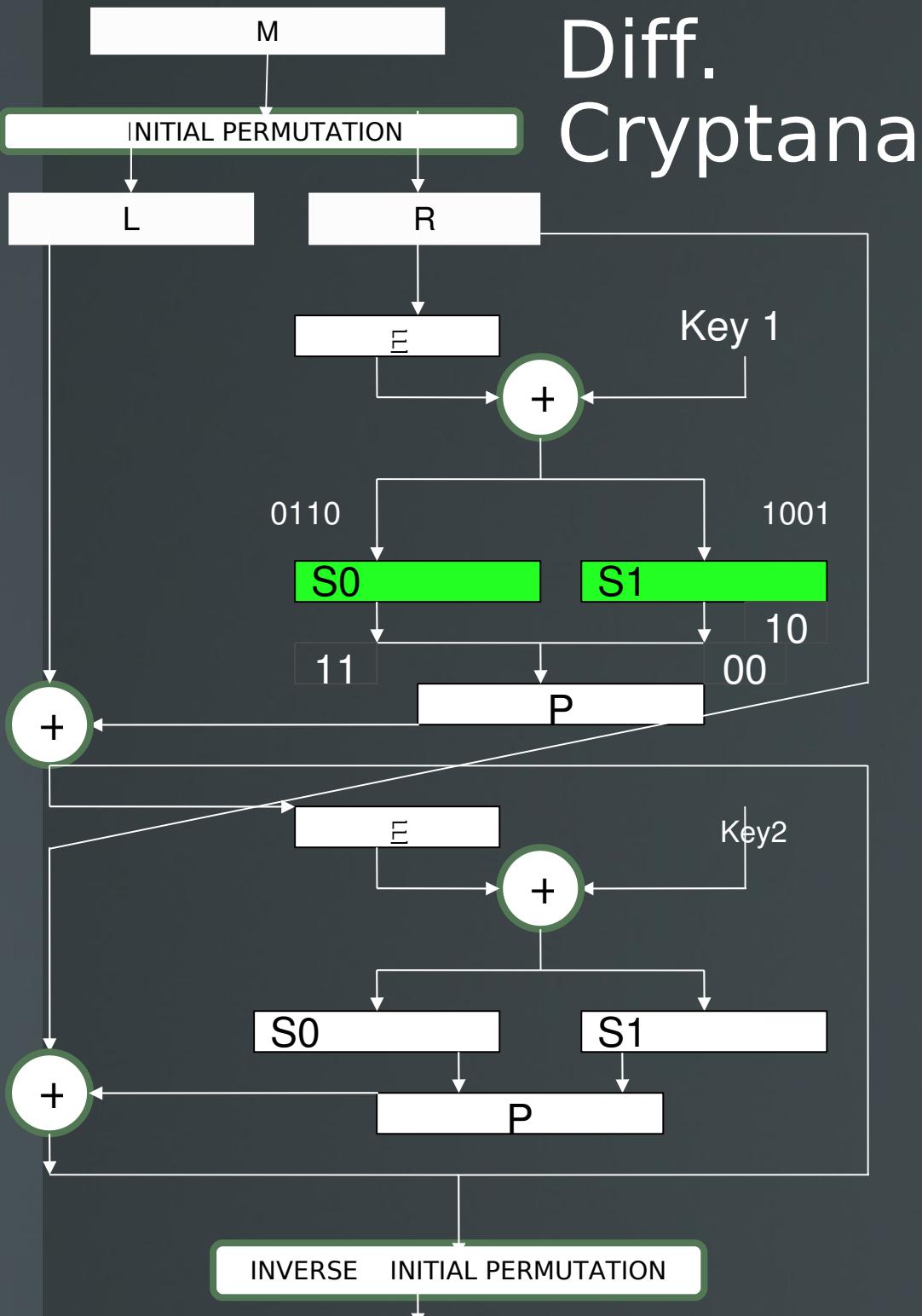
The Differential Input to the S-box remains same regardless of what the Key is

$$\begin{aligned}S1'_\text{Input} &= S1_\text{Input} \oplus S1^*_\text{Input} \\&= (S1_E \oplus S1_K) \oplus (S1^*_E \oplus S1_K) \\&= S1_E \oplus S1^*_E \\&= S1'_E\end{aligned}$$



Simplified DES





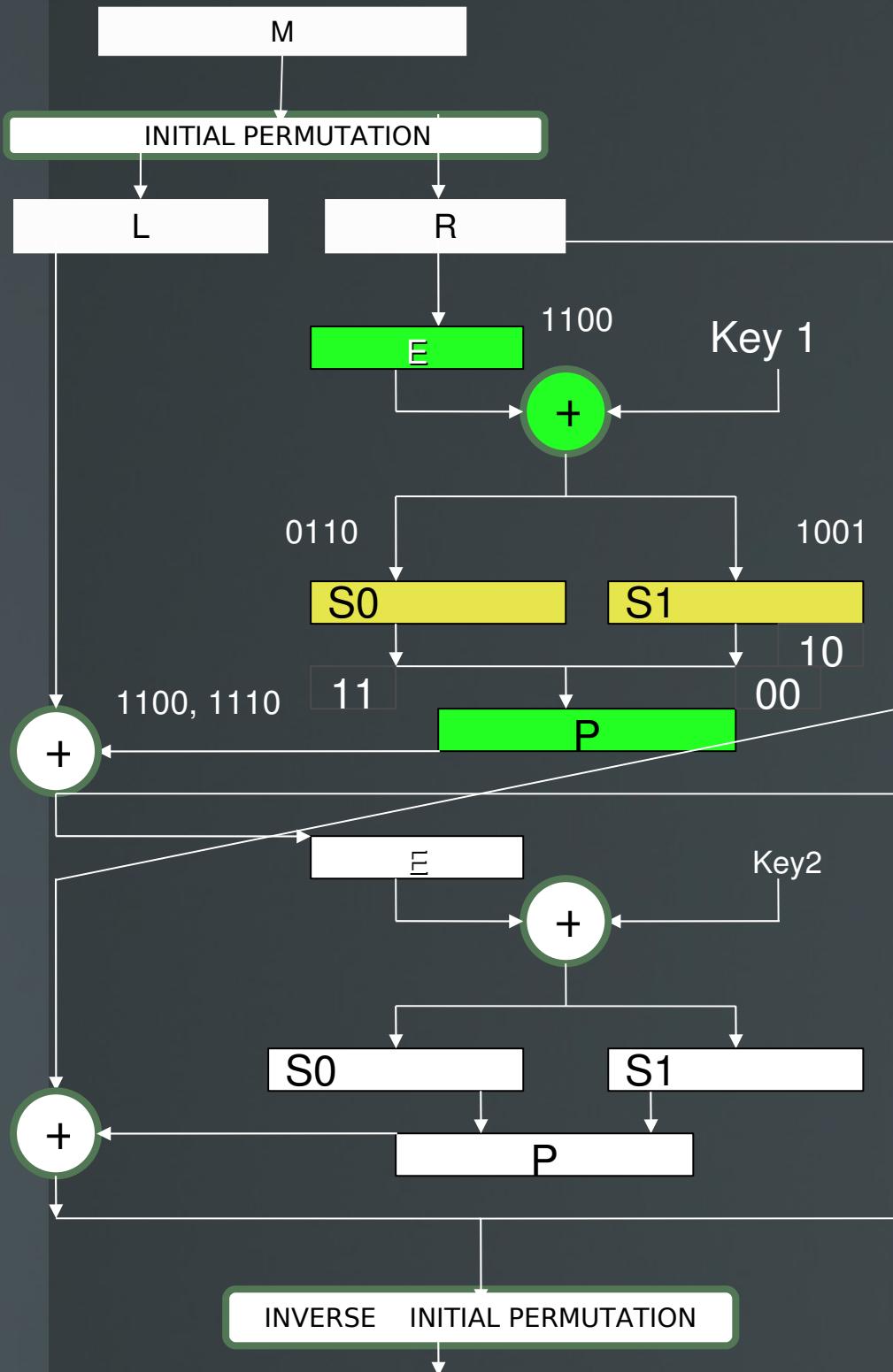
S0

DX/DY	0	1	2	3
0	16	0	0	0
1	0	2	10	4
2	0	10	6	0
3	2	4	0	10
4	2	6	6	2
5	10	0	4	2
6	0	2	2	12
7	4	10	2	0
8	2	4	8	2
9	8	2	2	4
10	4	2	2	8
11	2	8	4	2
12	8	2	2	4
13	1	4	8	2
14	1	8	4	2
15	4	2	2	8

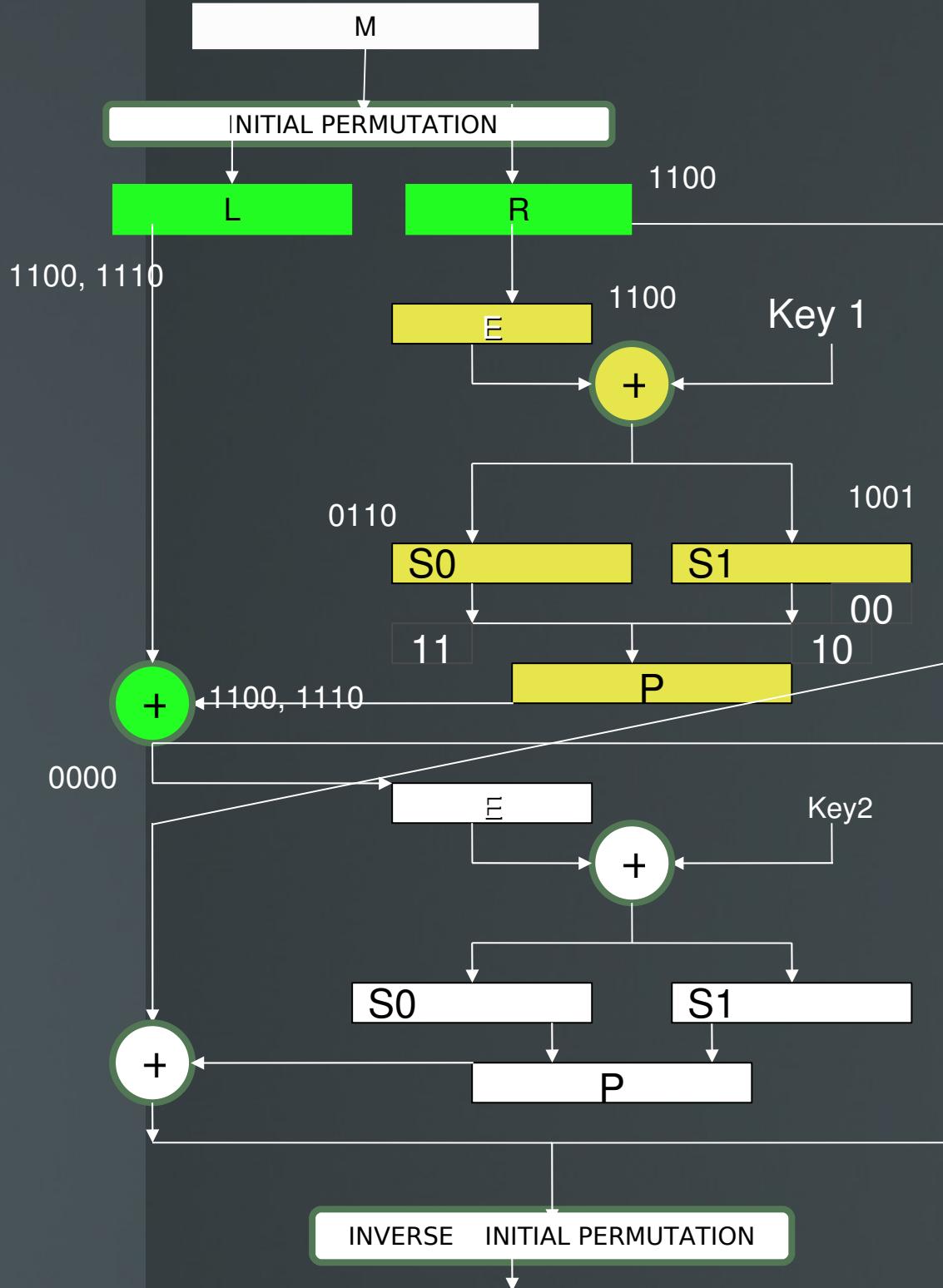
S1

DX/DY	0	1	2	3
0	16	0	0	0
1	2	8	2	4
2	0	6	4	6
3	4	2	8	2
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5	2	4	2	8
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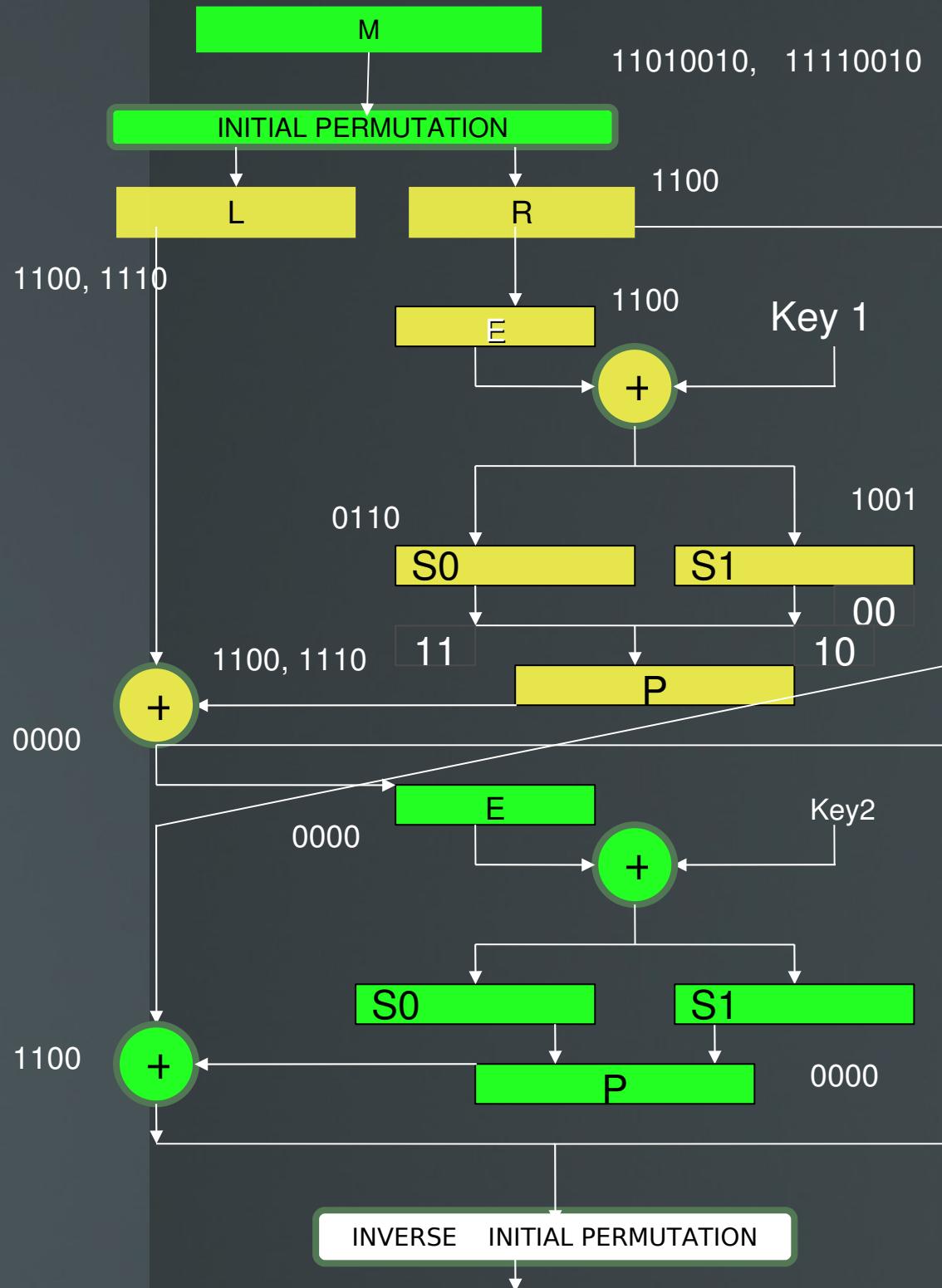
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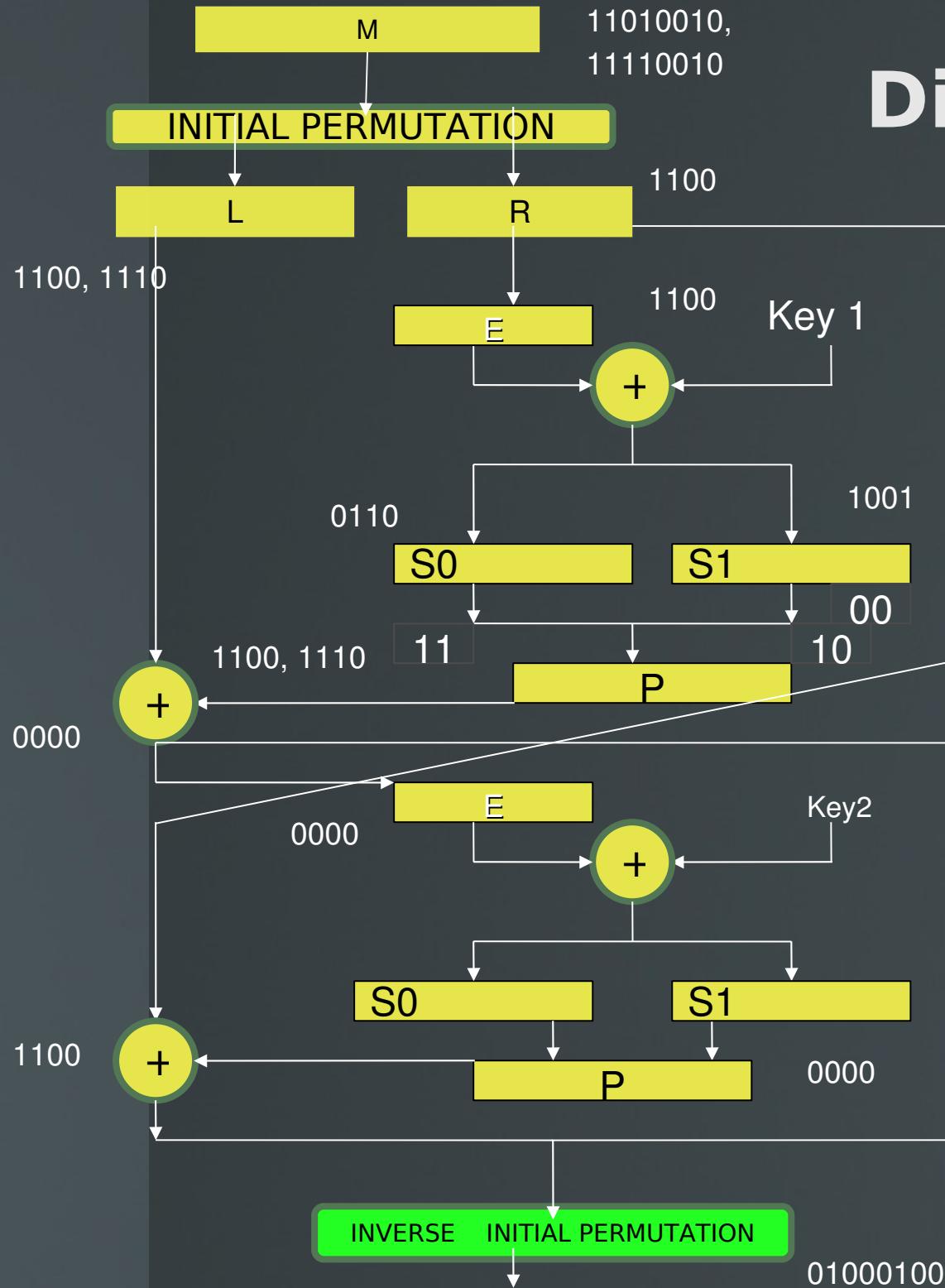
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Diff. Cryptanalysis



$$\text{del}_C = 01000100$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{del}_P = & 11010010, \\ & 11110010 \end{aligned}$$

Calculate a Random P

$$P_1 = P \oplus \text{del}_P1$$

$$P_2 = P \oplus \text{del}_P2$$

$$C = \text{Encrypt}(P, K)$$

$$C_1 = \text{Encrypt}(P_1, K)$$

$$C_2 = \text{Encrypt}(P_2, K)$$

$$\text{del}_C1 = C_1 \oplus C$$

$$\text{del}_C2 = C_2 \oplus C$$

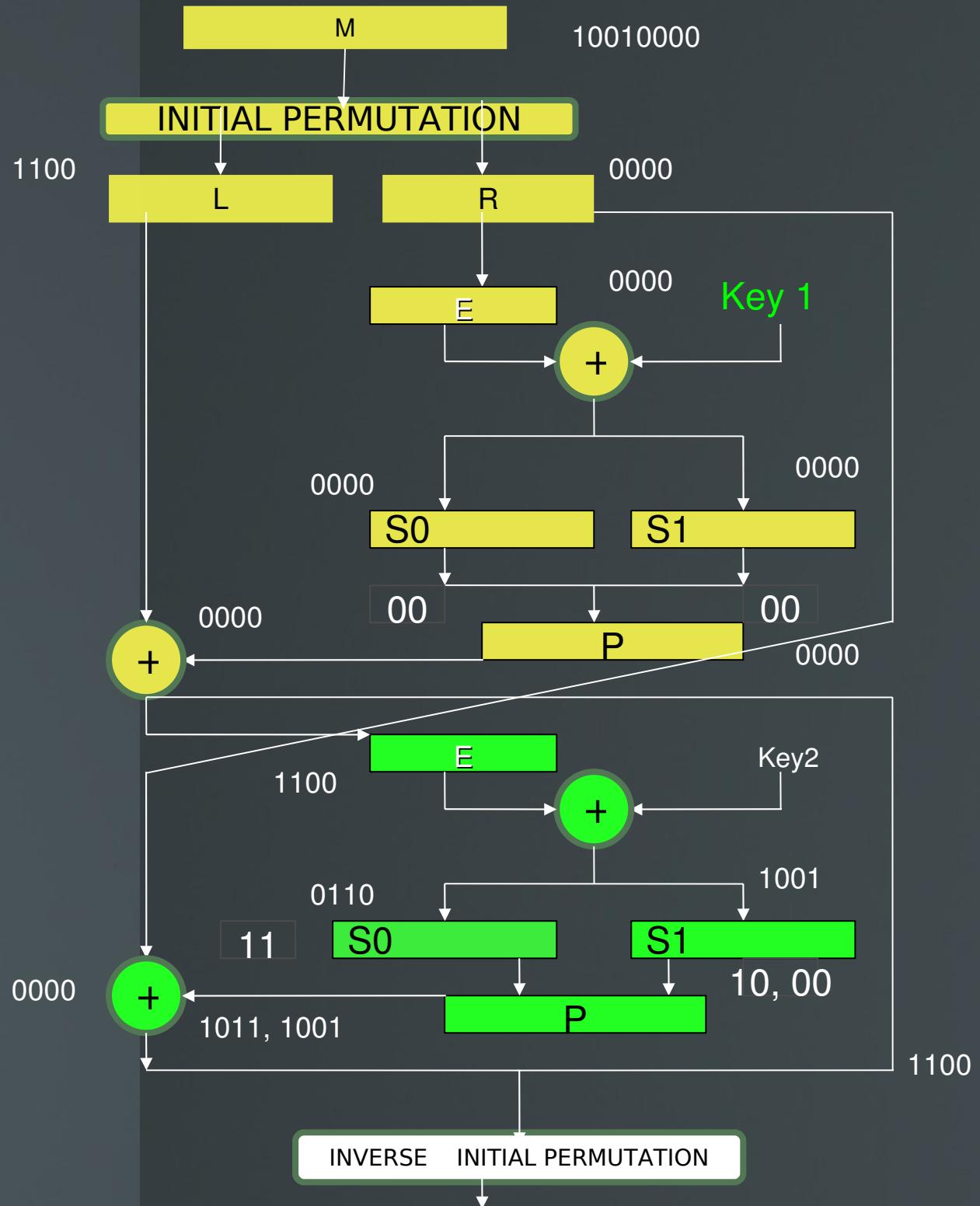
If del_C1 or del_C2 is = del_C characteristic has occurred, if not repeat the steps with different del_X and del_Y

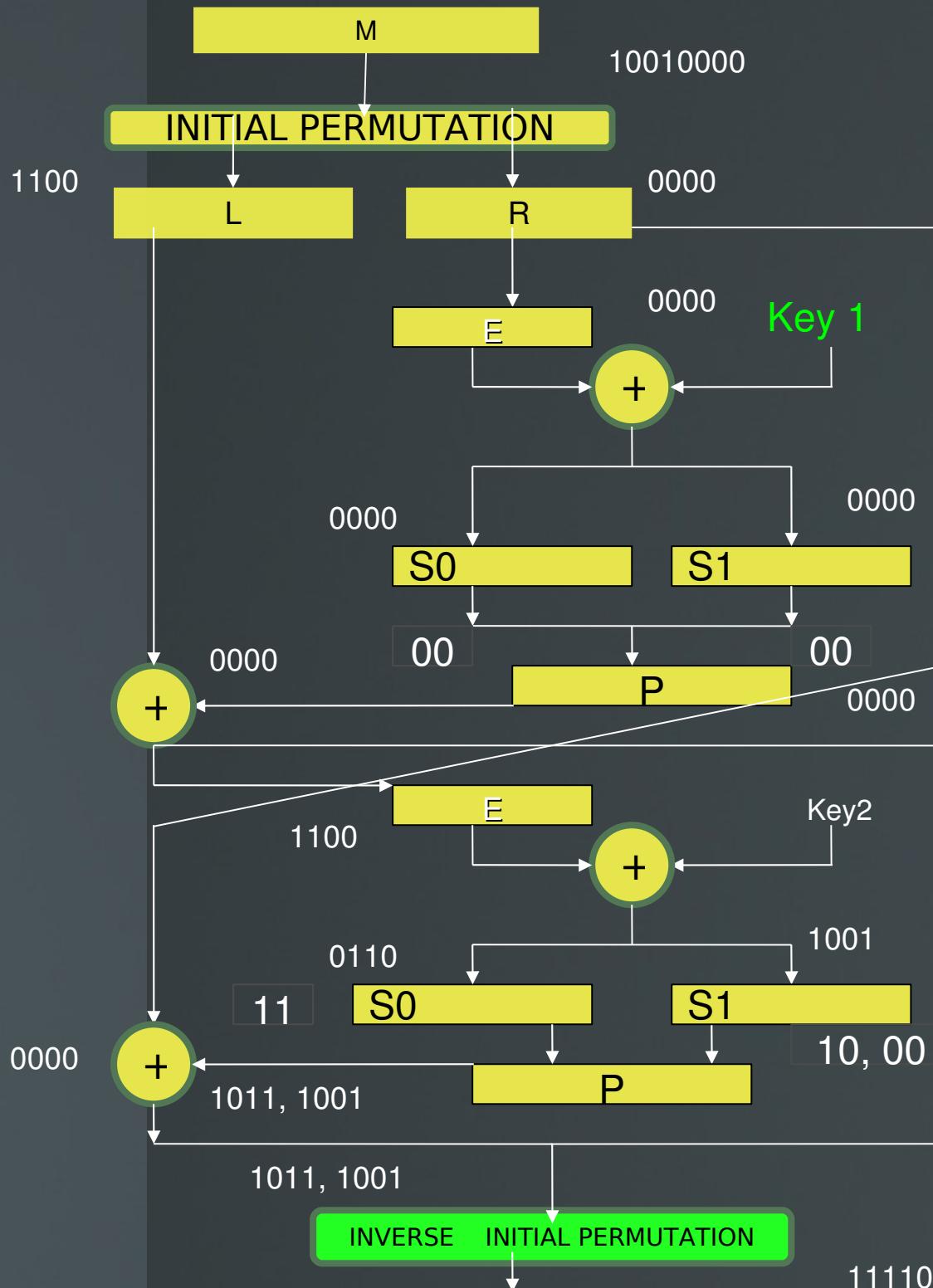
Determining the Key

Finding K1

- Select the Value of P that generated the differential characteristic
- Find the output of Expansion function
- Identify the set of X values(X_0, X_1) that satisfy del_X and del_Y for both S_0 and S_1 .
- Left Half of K_1 is $E_l \oplus X_0$, where E_l is the Left half of E, and X_0 is the input to S-box 0
- Right Half of K_1 is $E_r \oplus X_1$, where E_r is the right half of E, and X_1 is the input to S-box 1.
- Iterate the above steps to find a Unique value of K_1

Finding K2





$$\text{del_C} = 11110001, 11010001$$

$$\text{del_P} = 10010000$$

Calculate a Random P

$$P_1 = P \oplus \text{del_P1}$$

$$C = \text{Encrypt}(P, K)$$

$$C_1 = \text{Encrypt}(P_1, K)$$

$$\text{del_C1} = C_1 \oplus C$$

If $\text{del_C1} = \text{del_C}$
characteristic has occurred,
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 different del_X and del_Y

11110001, 11010001

Determining the Key

Finding K2

- Use Key1 to calculate the output of the first round and find output of Expansion function for round 2
- Identify the set of X values(X_0, X_1) that satisfy del_X and del_Y for both S_0 and S_1 .
- Left Half of K_2 is $E_l \oplus X_0$, where E_l = Left half of E
- Right Half of K_2 is $E_r \oplus X_1$, where E_r = Right half of E
- Iterate the above steps to find a Unique value of K_2

Key Captured...!!!

Key1 = K1₁ ,K1₂ ,K1₃ ,K1₄ ,K1₅ ,K1₆ ,K1₇ ,K1₈

Key2 = K2₁, K2₂ ,K2₃ ,K2₄ ,K2₅ ,K2₆ ,K2₇ ,K2₈

Key is = K1₁ K2₆ K1₆K1₄K2₄ K1₈ K1₂ K1₅ K1₃K1₇

Conclusion

This project demonstrates the successful use of differential cryptanalysis technique on Simplified DES.

Questions...!!