



COMPARATIVE STUDY ON BLOCK BASED CODING, DES AND AES IN IMAGE ENCRYPTION TECHNIQUES

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ABSTRACT

Digital data exchange with the fast evaluation, security information becomes much important because of various multimedia technologies, more and more data are generated and transmitted and also the internet allows wide distribution of digital media data. Other than, digital documents are also easy to distribute, therefore it will be faced by many threats. It becomes necessary to find appropriate protection as the data may include some sensitive information which should not be accessed by an unauthorized access. It can only be partially exposed to the general users. So in this modern era, security is a prime important issue, and encryption is one of the best ways to ensure security. Moreover, many image encryption schemes have been proposed; each one of them has its own strength and weakness. This paper presents an analysis and comparison of various parameters of block based coding (CBC), DES and AES encryption schemes.

KEYWORDS: Image encryption, Advanced Encryption Standard (AES), Data Encryption Standard (DES), Block Based Coding, Cipher Block Chaining (CBC).

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I.INTRODUCTION

Security is an important issue in the digital world and an encryption is one of the methods to ensure security [2]. Encryption is used to securely transmit data in open networks. Every type of data has its own features; therefore different technique should be used to protect confidential image data from unauthorized access. Image encryption has applications in various fields including internet communication, cyberspace communication, military, Tele-medicine, medical imaging and multimedia systems communication. This is one of the best methods for Image encryption for the emerging fields for real-time secure image

transformation over the internet and through wireless networks [5]. In this paper, we introduce block-based transformation algorithm based on the combination of image transformation and a well-known encryption and decryption algorithm cipher block chaining (CBC) using key generation [4]. The original image was divided into blocks and they were rearranged into a transformed image using a transformation algorithm, where the transformed image was encrypted using the Block Based algorithm. Image quality can be examining measures, such as the Mean Square Error (MSE), and Peak Signal-to-Noise Ratio (PSNR) [7]. It is computed by averaging the squared intensity

differences of distorted and original image pixels with PSNR related quantity.

A. DATA ENCRYPTION STANDARD (DES)

The first encryption standard was Data encryption standard and to be published by National institute of standard and technology (NIST). It was designed by the IBM based on their Lucifer cipher. DES became a standard in 1974 and it was adopted as a national standard in 1997. DES is a 64-bit block cipher. There are many attacks recorded against the weaknesses of DES which makes it insecure block cipher. This standard is public.

B. ADVANCED ENCRYPTION STANDARD (AES)

This algorithm is also called as Rijndael which is also known as Rain Doll algorithm. It was developed by two scientists Joan and Vincent Rijmen in 2000. Rijndael key and block length is 128 bit which performs 9 processing rounds. If the bit of the key is increased processing rounds are incremented automatically. This symmetric block can encrypt data of 128 bits using keys 128, 192 or 256. A well known attack i.e. Brute force attack i.e. Brute force attack is the only attack against this algorithm.

C. CIPHER BLOCK CHAINING (CBC)

mode adds a feedback mechanism to the encryption. In CBC, the plaintext is exclusively-OR ed (XOR ed) with the previous cipher text block prior to encryption. In this mode, the two identical blocks of plaintext never encrypt to same cipher text.

II. PROPOSED TECHNIQUE

A. Algorithm:

Step1: Read the original image of size 256×256 pixels of any kind like jpg, tiff, png.

Step2: Then the original image is divided into RGB plane.

Step3: Then image is divided into number of blocks consist 8 consecutive pixels of the image referred as a single block. Step4: Then on the obtained image apply XOR operation (CBC operation), which is performed among the blocks in order to encrypt the image.

Step5: Encrypted image is obtained (scrambled image).

Step6: On the obtained encrypted image (scrambled image) further XOR operation is performed to obtain the decrypted image along with the correct key (recovered image).

Step7: Decrypted image is obtained (recovered image).

III. TESTING PROCEDURE

Testing procedure include MSE, PSNR values on various images to evaluate the performance of the Algorithm and compare with the values of AES.

A. MSE: Mean Square Error

MSE is the difference between the original image and the encrypted image. This difference must be very high for a better performance. Mathematically it is evaluated as

$$MSE = (1/MN) * (original\ image - encrypted\ image)$$

For a 256*256 image the value of M=N=256

B. PSNR: Peak Signal to Noise Ratio

PSNR is the ratio of peak signal power to noise power. It is measured for image quality. For a good encrypted image the value of PSNR must be low. Mathematically,

$$PSNR = 10 \log_{10}(I_{max}^2 / MSE) \text{ dB}$$

I_{max} is the maximum intensity of image

Maximum intensity of 256*256 images is 255(0 to 255)

$$PSNR = 10 \log_{10} * (255^2 / MSE) \text{ dB}$$

IV. EXPERIMENTAL RESULT

Comparison Performance Analysis of Mean Square Error (MSE) and Peak signal to noise ratio (PSNR) is depicted from CBC and AES algorithm in Table 1 and Table 2. (Shows the overall time taken by the proposed method to encrypt as well as to decrypt the image).

Table1: for AES algorithm

Original Image	SIZE(KB)	MSE	PSNR
1.Barbara(256*256)	48.3	120.9474	62.784
2.Baboon(256*256)	12.1	114.2402	62.114
3.Mother Teresa(256*256)	7.42	102.4470	64.148
4.Lena(256*256)	8.08	104.3225	61.37

Table2: for CBC Algorithm

Original Image	SIZE(KB)	MSE	PSNR
1.Barbara(256*256)	48.3	110.9474	92.784
2.Baboon (256*256)	12.1	94.2402	102.114
3.Mother Teresa (256*256)	7.42	92.447	104.148

4.Lena (256*256) 8.08 104.3225 111.37

Table 3: Performance Analysis-Speed Performance by AES ALGO

Original Image	Size	Elapsed Time (in sec)
1.Barbara(256*256)	48.3	6.96sec
2.Baboon(256*256)	12.1	13.53sec
3.Mother Teresa(256*256)	7.42	24.42sec
4.Lena(256*256)	8.08	15.78sec

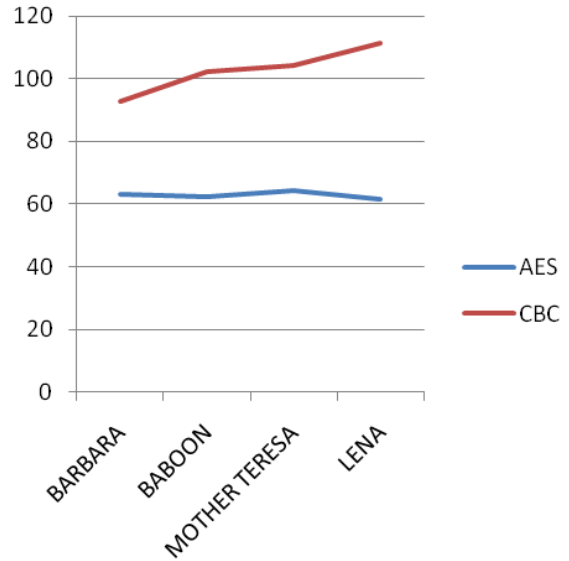


Fig.2 Comparison Values of PSNR (dB) of AES and CBC

Table 4: Performance Analysis-Speed Performance by CBC ALGO

Original Image	Size	Elapsed Time(in sec)
1.Barbara(256*256)	48.3	3.96sec
2.Baboon(256*256)	12.1	3.53sec
3.Mother Teresa(256*256)	7.42	4.42sec
4.Lena(256*256)	8.08	5.78sec

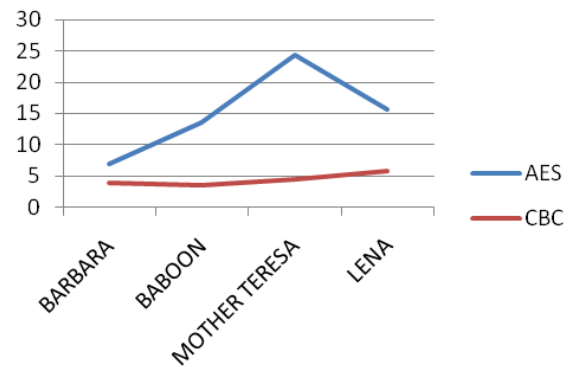


Fig.3 Performance Analysis-Speed Performance of AES and CBC

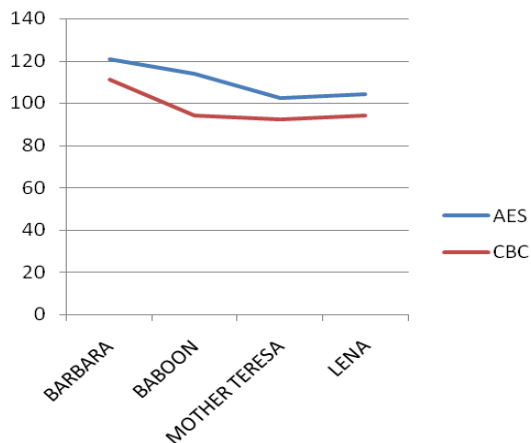


Fig.1Comparison Values of MSE (dB) of AES and CBC

Table: 5 Experimental Analysis of DES, AES AND CBC

PARAMETERS	DES	AES	CBC
TIME	199.7407	92.3807	4.4225
MSE	8185.4343	8149.8396	100.4892
PSNR	7.6057	7.5523	102.604

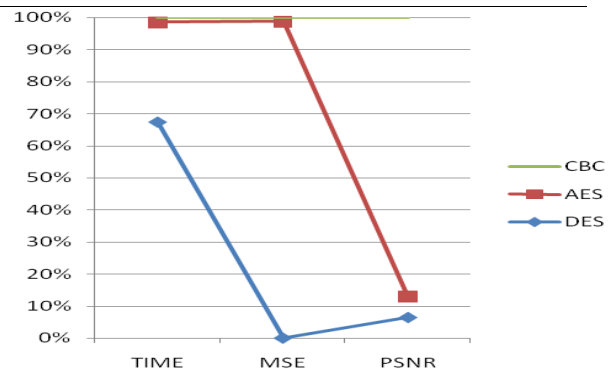


Fig.4 Experimental Analysis Graph of DES, AES and CBC

V.SIMULATIONS AND RESULT

The proposed technique is tested on MATLAB R2013a, In this paper effectiveness of the proposed algorithm have been tested with Barbara, Baboon, Mother Teresa and Lena images are taken as input images and then scrambling images have been generated and then finally they decrypted. All images are of in equal dimension and are approximately 7-48 KB in size[1,11]. The obtained images after simulation is listed below as original image, encrypted image and decrypted image with the help of CBC and AES algorithm. [4-10]. Figure.5 from matlab library

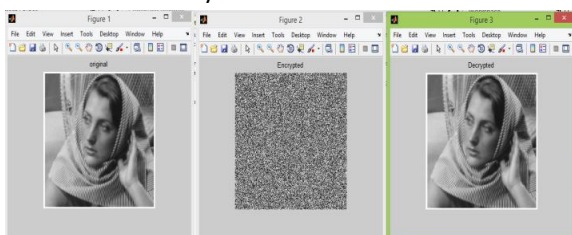


Fig.5 Shows the Image Of Barbara

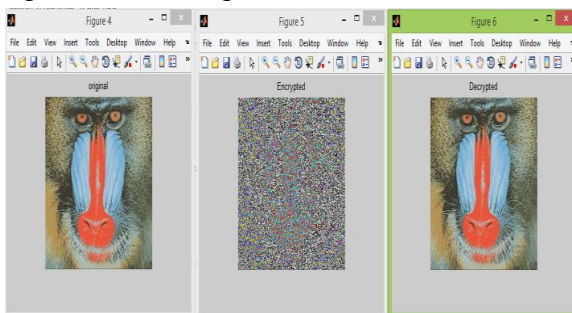


Fig.6 Shows the Image of Baboon

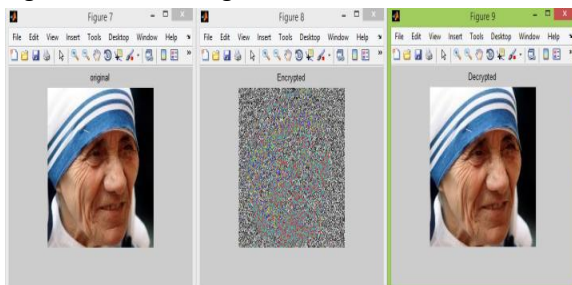


Fig.7 Shows the Image of Mother Teresa

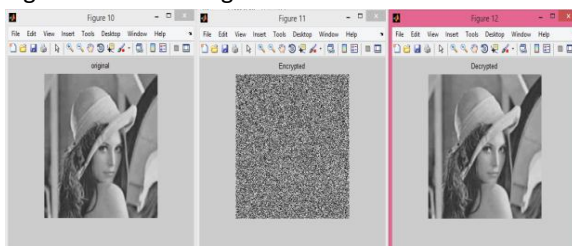


Fig.8 Shows the Image of Lena

VI.CONCLUSIONS

In this paper, better method for encryption has been proposed which provides confidentiality to the images with the less computation work i.e CBC algorithm in comparison to AES and DES. In the proposed method the key generation process is unique(EXOR) and efficient. Hence, block scrambling is much quick and effective which gives the better results and is tested on MATLABR2013a. In this paper encryption with block based matching algorithm is achieved on various imagesand quality parameters such as MSE and PSNR has been calculated, illustrated in tables. From the performance analysis it is found that this technique takes less time for the whole process. This method can be extended in trying to handle multiple images instead of single image.

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