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Which public-key systems are best?

eBATS (ECRYPT Benchmarking of Asymmetric Systems) measures

- key-generation time,
- secret-key size,
- public-key size,
- encryption time,
- encrypted-message size,
- etc.





BATMAN

Measurements are carried out by BATMAN (Benchmarking of Asymmetric Tools on Multiple Architectures, Non-Interactively).

You can download BATMAN to reproduce results.

www.ecrypt.eu.org/ebats

Example measured on a Pentium 4 f12:

	sflashv2-1	ronald-3 2048
key-gen cycles	462090336	2467681772
secret-key bytes		2048
public-key bytes	19266	256
sign cycles	1908060	63607084
sign 29 bytes	66	256
sign 709 bytes	746	752
verify cycles	667684	575108

Results show which systems are faster.

Example measured on a Pentium 4 f12:

```
cycles implementation
29646848 claus-1 (using OpenSSL)
21324260 claus++-1 (using NTL)
13919316 claus++-1 (using GMP)
```

Results show which implementations are faster.

Note to implementers: GMP is very fast!

claus++-1 measured on different machines:

<u>cycles CPU</u> 28981828 Intel Pentium 1 52c 27069568 Motorola PowerPC G4 13919316 Intel Pentium 4 f12 11306413 Sun UltraSPARC IV 9892179 AMD Athlon 622 3273274 AMD Athlon 64 X2 fb1 3082045 DEC Alpha 21264 EV6

Results show which computers are faster.



Want to advertise your system/implementation?

- Take a few minutes to turn your software into a BAT (Benchmarkable Asymmetric Tool) and submit it to eBATS.
- Measurements are continuing.
- Major reports in December 2006, July 2007.
- Intermediate announcements on web pages.

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