# Implementation Of The Rivest Cipher 4 Method Web-Based Employee Data

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Abstract. Data security has always been an exciting topic to discuss in the era of globalization and industrial revolution 5.0. Along with the development of Cryptographic techniques, which continue to develop. Security of data storage techniques is essential in a data security system. The method used in this research is the Rivest Chiper 4 Algorithm. This research takes a case study of employee data storage security in a company that uses local storage as a medium for storing employee data. A web-based employee data collection system with the Rivest Chiper 4 algorithm implemented on the server side. The research results show that in testing the Avalanche Effect Rivest Chiper 4 algorithm with three key character length variations, an average value of 50.87% was obtained. The test results show that the average Avalanche Effect value is more than 50%, indicating that small changes to the plaintext can impact the ciphertext. With the help of Cryptool 1, using Brute Force time testing results with variations in key length, the password cracking time was 33 years with a 6-character key length. The longer the key is used, the longer the completion process will take to crack the ciphertext. Meanwhile, plaintext length is linearly correlated with the length of Brute Force testing time but is insignificant. Hardware performance also affects the estimated time of Brute Force.

Keywords. Rivest Chiper 4; kriptografi; Avalanche Effect; Brute Force.

### **INTRODUCTION**

Data security has always been an exciting topic to discuss in the era of globalization and Industrial Revolution 5.0. Along with the development of cryptographic techniques, which continue to develop. The security of data storage techniques is essential in a data security system. The method used in this research is the Rivest Chiper 4 algorithm. This research takes the form of a case study of employee data storage security in a company that uses local storage as a medium for storing employee data. A web-based employee data collection system with the Rivest Chiper 4 algorithm implemented on the server side.

This research implemented the RC4 encryption algorithm in the company website system, which runs on the server side. In addition, the quality of encryption was analysed using the Avalanche Effect method and a brute force attack to measure the estimated time needed to crack all possible encryption keys.

This research aims to implement the RC4 encryption algorithm method in a web-based employee data collection system and test the quality of encryption using the Avalanche Effect method and the estimated time required for the RC4 algorithm with a brute force attack experiment. Implementing the RC4 algorithm on the company's website system is hoped to protect employee data and minimize the risk of leaking sensitive information. Implementing the RC4 algorithm is also expected to increase efficiency and security in the company's employee data collection process.

# **METHOD**

In order to assess the web application system under development, there are two different kinds of requirements: functional and non-functional. *Functional requirements* are requirements that contain the processes carried out by the system. Non-functional requirements are requirements that focus on the operating characteristics of the system.

- Functional Requirements
  - > The user inputs data as a string that will be encrypted and decrypted...
  - > The user presses the input button, which will immediately encrypt the input form..
  - $\blacktriangleright$  The server can carry out the encryption process on data that the user has entered.
  - The server can carry out the decryption process from the database to the interface without destroying the data..
- Non-functional Requirements
  - An analysis of non-functional requirements is needed to support system development with the minimum specifications required to work and run well.

# System planning

System design explains how the author designs a system. Figure 1 explains the system

flowchart as follows:

- 1. Admin starts accessing the company website.
- 2. Admin logs in
- 3. Admin carries out the process of adding employee data
- 4. Admin fills in the employee data form
- 5. If the data is valid, the program completes the submission process. If the data is invalid, then repeat the form-filling process.
- 6. Data is entered into the database
- 7. Admin can review data that has been encrypted and decrypted
- 8. Done



Figure 1: *Flowchart* Sistem

#### ■ System Architecture

The following is the website application system architecture by implementing the RC4 cryptographic algorithm. Figure 2 displays the architectural layout.





In Figure 2. When a user accesses a website application and processes CRUD data, the system will read the data as plaintext and carry out a cryptographic algorithm process using the RC4 method. The ciphertext will be kept in the website database after the encryption process. The decryption process is the process of calling up data from the database by the user. The user calls data from the database, and the system will carry out the decryption process from ciphertext to plaintext so that the user can easily read the data. This study handles the encryption and decryption procedure on the server side.

After sending data via the HTTP protocol, the server will capture the data; then, the server carries out an encryption process before being entered into the database.

### Field Encryption

The following database table shows the field columns used to encrypt important employee data.

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	7	tempat_lahir	varchar(30)	utf8mb4_general_ci	Tidak	Tidak ada	🥜 Ubah 🥥 Hapus 👻 Lainnya
	8	nama_ibu	varchar(30)	utf8mb4_general_ci	Tidak	Tidak ada	🥔 Ubah 🍅 Hapus 🗢 Lainnya
	9	tanggal_masuk	date		Tidak	Tidak ada	🥜 Ubah 🤤 Hapus 🔻 Lainnya
	10	no_bpjs	varchar(40)	utf8mb4_general_ci	Tidak	Tidak ada	🥔 Ubah 🥥 Hapus 🗢 Lainnya
	11	posisi	varchar(20)	utf8mb4_general_ci	Tidak	Tidak ada	🥜 Ubah 🥥 Hapus 👻 Lainnya
	12	merk_motor	varchar(20)	utf8mb4_general_ci	Tidak	Tidak ada	🥜 Ubah 😂 Hapus 👻 Lainnya
	13	nopol	varchar(10)	utf8mb4_general_ci	Tidak	Tidak ada	🥜 Ubah 🥥 Hapus 👻 Lainnya
	14	status_motor	varchar(10)	utf8mb4_general_ci	Tidak	Tidak ada	🥖 Ubah 🥥 Hapus 😽 Lainnya
	15	baju	varchar(10)	utf8mb4_general_ci	Tidak	Tidak ada	🥜 Ubah 🥥 Hapus 👻 Lainnya
Ò	16	kunci	varchar(100)	utf8mb4_general_ci	Tidak	Tidak ada	🥜 Ubah 🥥 Hapus 🔻 Lainnya
	17	alamat	varchar(200)	utf8mb4_general_ci	Tidak	Tidak ada	💋 Ubah 🎯 Hapus 👻 Lainnya
	18	nik_ta	varchar(100)	utf8mb4_general_ci	Tidak	Tidak ada	🥜 Ubah 🥥 Hapos 🗢 Lainnya
	19	no_kk	varchar(100)	utf8mb4_generai_ci	Tidak	Tidak ada	🥏 Ubah 🎯 Hapus 🗢 Lainnya
	20	no_ktp	varchar(100)	utf8mb4_general_ci	Tidak	Tidak ada	🥔 Ubah 🥥 Hapus 👻 Lainnya
	21	no_hp	varchar(100)	utf8mb4_general_ci	Tidak	Tidak ada	🥔 Ubah 🥥 Hapus 🔻 Lainnya
2	22	no_keluarga	varchar(100)	utf8mb4_general_ci	Tidak	Tidak ada	🥟 Ubah 🎯 Hapus 🗢 Lainnya
	23	email_hexa	varchar(200)	utf8mb4_general_ci	Tidak	Tidak ada	💋 Ubah 🥥 Hapus 🗢 Lainnya

#### Figure 3: Field Database

In Figure 3 it can be seen that the fields in the encryption process are:

- a. Alamat
- b. Nik\_ta
- c. No\_kk
- d. No\_ktp

- e. No\_hp
- f. No\_keluarga
- g. Email

### Desain Application

The design of this application is made as simple and efficient as possible to make it easier for users to operate it. The following is the form and login design for users to fill in their data:

Data Diri			
Nama Lengkap:		Nomor Identitas (NIK):	
Masukan Nama Lengkap		Masukan Nomor NIK	
Tempat Lahir:	Tanggal Lahir:	Jenis Kelamin:	
Masukan Tempat Lahir	dd/mm/yyyy	Pilih	*
Kewarganegaraan:	Agama:	Nama Ibu Kandung:	
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Email:	No Telp:		
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Gambar 4: Form Data Pegawai

LOGIN
USERNAME
PASSWORD
LOGIN

Figure 5: Form Log In

# Testing Scenarios

After designing the system, it continues with the testing process for the RC4 encryption algorithm. The following is a research and testing scenario:

## 1. The testing the quality of the RC4 encryption method by calculating the

# **Avalanche Effect Value.**



Gambar 6: Flowchart Testing Avalanche Effect

After designing the system, it continues with the testing process for the RC4 encryption algorithm. The following is a research testing scenario:

Based on Figure 6, the Flowchart flow for testing the Avalanche effect can be explained as follows:

- a. Employees enter plaintext employee data
- b. Enter the key for encryption
- c. The system carries out the encryption process
- d. The encryption process produces ciphertext
- e. Test the Avalanche Effect by entering plaintext and ciphertext first
- f. Comparing bit changes in ciphertext and plaintext
- g. Calculating bit changes with the Avalanche effect formula
- h. Get the Avalanche Effect percentage

Avalanche Effect =  $\frac{\sum \text{Perubahan bit}}{\sum \text{seluruh bit chipertext}} \times 100\%$ 

# 2. Testing RC4 encryption using Brute Force Attack



Figure 7: RC4 Encryption Brute Force Testing Flowchart.

Based on Figure 7, the Flowchart flow for testing Brute Force encryption for RC4 can

be explained as follows :

- a. Employees enter plaintext employee data
- b. Enter the key for the encryption process
- c. Carry out the encryption process
- d. Get the ciphertext
- e. Using key constraints
- f. Enter the Constraint key

- g. Carry out the RC4 encryption brute force process
- h. Reads brute force results of RC4 encryption
- i. Sort the results with the smallest entropy value
- j. Choose brute force results from the smallest entropy value.

# **RESULT AND DISCUSSION**

The user interface display of the employee website includes the login page, employee data input and employee details.

LOGIN	
Usemame	
Password	
C Remember me	
Sign in	
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#### Figure 8: login page

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Navbar Home Admin	mon togout		
Halaman Ad	dmin Inp	ut Pegawai	
kembali ke halaman admin			
Nama Pegawai			
Alamat			
Tanggal Lahir		dd/mm/yyyy	
NIK TA			
Domisili			
Pendidikan			
No. KK			
No. KTP			
No. HP			
No. Keluarga			

Figure 9: Input data pegawai

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N	avbar Home										
P	egawai	PT AKU									
Ta	mbah Pegawai	oneksi berhasil									
	Nama	Alamat	Tanggal Lahir	NIK TA	Domisili	Pendidikan	NO. KK	No. KTP	No. HP	No. Keluarga	Emai
4	ADHAN YANUAR	JL. LETNAN RAMU 24 A	1998- 01-20	16982101	BANGKALAN	SMK	3526011310060001	3526012001980005	082333252193	082331466685	Adha
2	YAZMI KHATAMI	JL, SIDINGKAP IV / 27	2001- 08-11	16010762	BANGKALAN	SMK	3526011204064503	3526015108010001	082330885842	085236739291	yasm
3	ACHMAD IFAN APRILIANTO	JL. LETNAN RAMLI 24 A	1999- 04-06	16991415	PT2 BANGKALAN	SMA	3526011310060001	3526010604990003	082132977708	085102304099	aprili
4	MOHAMMAD ROMADHON	JL, TRUNOJOVO 3B / 4	1997- 01-08	16972237	BANGKALAN	SMK	3526011003200001	3526012412970003	087846256202	085230222281	mron
5	IQBAL HIDAVATULLAH	DUSUN SLOROK SANGGRA AGUNG SOCAH MADURA	1996- 05-16	16992635	BANGKALAN	SMK	3526021104061802	3526021606990004	085608409578	082335266990	mast
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### Figure 10: laman detail data pegawai

The employee detail display is the result of RC4 cryptographic decryption.

### ■ Implementation of RC4 on the Website

There are several stages to implementing RC4 on a website. The first stage is creating the UI and Database. The author uses Native UI with Bootstrap and uses a MySQL database. RC4 decryption has the same algorithm as encryption because the nature of the RC4 encryption algorithm is symmetric. RC4 decryption uses the encryption function and ciphertext, which will be XORed with a keystream with the same key.

First, capture the array from the POST form. After capturing the value, several variables will be decrypted. The \$ SQL function will insert variables in the employee table with columns that correspond to the variables in displaying data by carrying out the decryption process. The function of HEX2BIN is to convert hexadecimal numbers to binary numbers.

#### Website Database

Data that has undergone an encryption process on the server side will be stored in the website database. Data that has undergone an encryption process will become a hexadecimal number. The ciphertext is then stored in the appropriate field.

hik_ta_hexa	no_kk_nesa	nn_stp_nexa	no_hp_texa	no_keluarga_beza
62C686BAD7453	4CA 00C58DB4D54535C8145333BC4E289088	60C58DB4D54536CB15523AB24E2B9084	63C88DB1D64736CE17523AB9	63C88D81D64530CD13
9AF01DFD12EC5	650 98F31FFA12EA5150231E833C64481DCF	98F31FFA12EA555E2312833B604D1DCD	98FE1FFF11E8585726128738	9BFE18FE11ED676C2A
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Figure 11: Hasil enkripsi pada database

# ■ Avalanche Effect Test Results

Test results were obtained from 3 variations of key characters (5, 9 and 16, respectively) with the same plaintext and key. Plaintext is obtained from the names of employees at the company. The test scheme compares the number of plaintext bit changes with the total amount of plaintext multiplied by 100%.

Nomor	Nama (plaintext)	Key	Ciphertext	Binary plaintext	Binary ciphertext	Bit yang berubah	Total bit	Avalanche effect (%)
1	ACH MAD IFAN APRILIANTO	12345	vp/mZ_&YbS= <sup>TM6</sup> G_µ/xwé [ <sup>1</sup> x11', 'v', 'p', '/', 'm', 'Z', ', '&', 'Y', 'b', 'xs'a', 'w60', 'x90', '6', 'x80', ', 'p', 'X', 'w', 'e', 'x07']	01000001 01000011 01001000 01001101 01000001 01000100	00010001 01110110 01110000 00101111 01101 101	83	176	47,2%
2	MOHAMMAD ROMADHON	12345	zp#aSM»q·ý <sup>TM</sup> *ŠY· ['\x1d', 'z', 'p', '#', 'a', 'S', 'M', '+', 'y', 'q', '\x9', 'y', '\x99', ''', '\x9a', 'Y', '.']	01001101 01001111 01001000 01000001 01001101 01001101 01000001 0100100 00100000 0101001 01001111 01001101 01000001 01001101 01001000 01001111 01001110	0001110101110100110000 001000110100001010001 0100011010010	63	136	46,3%
3	ALBAYQONI SIMANJUTAK	12345	yz#uOC!Ò‡ù•'œ\−2xr	01000001 01001100 01000010 01000001 01011001 01010001	00010001 01111001 01111010 00100011 01110101 01001111	75	160	46,9%
			['\t\1', \y', Y', #, 'u', O', C', '!', 'Ò', '\t\03', \x87', 'u', \x95', '''', '\x9c', 'l', '', '2', 'x', 'I']	01001111 01001110 01001001 00100000 01010011 01001001 01001101 01000001 01001110 01001010 01010101	01000011 00100001 11010010 00000011 10000111 11111001 10010101 00100111 10011100 01011100 10101100 00110010 01111000 01110010			
4	BAGAS RINALDIY WIBOWO	12345	t□#□>&Õb"ö?öA%\$vnö ['\x12, \', \x7f, \#, \x7f, >, '', '&, 'Ö, 'b', \x98', 'ö', '\x91', '?, 'ö', 'A', '♥, \', 'v', 'n', 'ö']	01000010 01000001 01000111 01000001 01010011 0010000 01010010 01001001 01001110 01000001 01001100 01000100	00010010 01110100 01111111 00100011 0111111 00111110 01011110 00100110 11010101 01100010 10011000 11110100 10010001 0011111 11110010 01000001 10110000 00100100 01110110 01101110 11110010	81	168	48,2%
			Pre	esentase Rata Rata %				47,15%

Table 1. Avalanche effect test results with 5 key characters

Nomor	Nama	Kau	Cinhartaut	Binary plaintext	Binary ciphertext	Bit yang	Total	Avalanche							
Nomo	(plaintext)	Key	Cipitertext			berubah	bit	effect (%)							
				01000001 01000011 01001000	00111100 11001101 01001001										
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							00100000 01001001 01000110	010111111 10100000 01100000							
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	IFAN APRILIANTO	BANGKALAN	'\xa0', ''', 'Ì', '\x93', ™, '\x0f',	01000001 01010000 01010010	00001111 10101101 00101011	94	170	33,470							
			'\xad', '+', 't', '\x0c', '\x10', '@',	01001001 01001100 01001001	01110100 00001100 00010000										
			'ó', '\xad', '\x0b'])	01000001 01001110 01010100	01000000 11110011 10101101										
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			0 Á13V/5> 82×11+	01001101 01001111 01001000	001100001100000101001001										
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2		MOHAMMAD	MOHAMMAD	BANGKALAN	AD BANGKALAN		01000001 01000100 00100000	00111110 10101101 00000110	75	136	55 194				
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3	ALBAYQONI		BANGKALAN	BANGKALAN	BANGKALAN	BANGKALAN	BANGKALAN	BANGKALAN	BANGKALAN	@ö	01000001 01011001 01010001	000110100100001111111111	86	160	51.2%
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			'§', 'o', '\xad', '\x8e', 'Ó', '\x03',	01001101 01000001 01001110	00000011 10111100 00110111										
			''¼', '7', 'w', '\x15', '\r', '@', 'ö']	01001010 01010101 01010100	01110111 00010101 00001101										
				01000001 01001011	01000000 11110110										
				01000010 01000001 01000111	00111111111001111101000110										
			?ÏFIŽ - h̑ޤYj Nê¶	01000001 01010011 00100000	00011010 01001001 10001110										
	BAGAS			01010010 01001001 01001110	00101101 10100000 01101000										
4	RINALDIY	BANGKALAN	['?', 'Ī', 'F', '\x1a', 'T, '\x8e', '-',	01000001 01001100 01000100	11001100 10010001 11011110	92	168	54,8%							
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				01001111 01010111 01001111	01001110 11101010 10110110										
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#### Table 2. Avalanche effect test results with 9 key characters

#### Table 3. Avalanche effect test results with 16 key characters

Nomor	Nama	Kay	Cinhartant	Binary plaintext	Binary ciphertext	Bit yang	Total	Avalanche
Womor	(plaintext)	Key	Cipitertext			berubah	bit	effect (%)
			Ù□î•zéo□□m·f□fÓäѧF	01000001 01000011 01001000 01001101 01000001 01000100	110110010111111111101110 1001010101011110011101001 011011			
1	ACHMAD IFAN APRILIANTO	3526012001980005	[Ü', '\x7f, 'f, '\x95', 'z', 'e', 'o', '\x90', '\x9d', 'm', '-', '\x83', '\x80', '\x83', '\x01', 'O', 'a', '\X7', '\x', '§', 'F', '\x']	01000001 01001110 0010000 01000001 01010000 01010010 01001001 0100110 01001001 01001001 01001110 01010100 01001111	01101101 10110111 10000011 10000000 10000011 0000000 11010011 11100100 11010001 00001101 10100111 01000110 00001101	88	176	50%
2	MOHAMMAD ROMADHON	3526012001980005	Ösî™và• û~¶î€ —Öæ ['Õ', 's', 'ï, 'x99', 'v', 'à', 'x0e', 'x9d', 'û', '-', '¶', 'ï, '\x80', 'x97', 'x1b', 'Õ', 'æ']	01001101 01001111 01001000 01000001 01001101 01001101 01000001 01000100	11010101 01110011 11101110 10011001 01110110 11100000 00001110 10011101 1111011 01111110 10110110 11101110	73	136	53,7%
3	ALBAYQONI SIMANJUTAK	3526012001980005	Üpā™bū ['Ü', 'p', 'ā', '\x99', 'b', 'ū', '\x00', '\x97, '\x92', '\x0c', ∞,	01000001 01001100 01000010 01000001 01011001 01010001 01001111 01001110 01001001 00100000 01010011 01001001	110110010111000011100100 1001100101100010111111	84	160	52,5%
			'ê', '\x8c', '\x92', '\x1d', 'Đ', 'ý',	01001101 01000001 01001110	10001100 10010010 00011101			
			'Ì', '\r', '¢']	01001010 01010101 01010100 01000001 01001011	11010000 11111101 11001100 00001101 10100010			
4	BAGAS RINALDIY WIBOWO	3526012001980005	Ú)á™h⊡mµç°ŠsláÚ%] ['Ú', 'j', 'á', \x99', ħ', '\x8đ, '\x1đ, '\x90', 'x95', 'm', 'µ', 'ç', 'x88', '\x8a', 'x', Ť', 'á', 'Ú', '\x03', '%', 'J']	01000010 01000001 01000111 01000001 01010011 0010000 0101001 01001001 1001110 01000001 01001100 01000100	11011010 01111101 11100001 10011001 01101000 10001101 00011101 1001000 10010101 01101101 10110111110011 10001000	86	168	51,2%
			Prese	ntase Rata Rata %				51,85%

The table above makes it possible to compute the average percentage of the Avalanche Effect: Rata – rata Avalanche Effect =  $\frac{47.15 + 53.62 + 51.85}{2} \times 100\%$ 

$$= \frac{152.62}{3} \times 100\%$$
  
= 50,87%

The average results of the Avalanche Effect test showed that it was 50.87%, indicating that the average Avalanche Effect value was more than 50%. This indicates that small changes to the plaintext can impact the ciphertext..

#### Brute Force Results

In Brute force testing, the RC4 encryption algorithm uses CrypTool 1 software for testing in brute force attacks. The table above shows that in the Brute Force process in the RC4 encryption algorithm, the key length greatly influences the length of the attack process. With the plaintext "Deden Nur Eka Abdi" and with key lengths "3, 4, 5, and 6", the resulting Brute Force processing time data is 56 seconds each for key length 3, 4 hours for key length 4, 40 days for key length 5, and 33 years for key length 6. The length of time in the Brute Force process results from the estimated system completing the experiment for all possibilities. Password cracking time refers to the permutation of the key length. The longer the key is used, the longer the completion process will take to crack the ciphertext using the Brute Force method.

No	Plaintext (Nama)	Kunci	Panjang	Waktu
			Kunci	Bruteforce
1		123	3	56 detik
2	Deden Nur Eka	1927	4	4 jam
3	Abdi	Setro	5	40 hari
4		madiun	6	33 tahun

**Table 4:** Results of Brute Force time testing compared to a critical length.

Table 5:	Brute	Force	testing	with 3	3 key l	oits
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No	Jumlah Karakter	Waktu
		Bruteforce
1	100	59 detik
2	200	1 menit 4 detik
3	300	1 menit 5 detik
4	400	1 menit 9 detik
5	500	1 menit 10 detik

**Table 6:** Brute Force testing with 4 key bits

No	Jumlah Karakter	Waktu
		Bruteforce
1	100	4 jam 16 menit
2	200	4 jam 18 menit
3	300	4 jam 20 menit
4	400	4 jam 21 menit
5	500	4 jam 25 menit

**Table 7:** Brute Force testing with 5 key bits

No	Jumlah Karakter	Waktu
		Bruteforce
1	100	46 hari 14 jam
2	200	47 hari 5 jam
3	300	47 hari 14 jam
4	400	47 hari 21 jam
5	500	47 hari 22 jam

Plaintext length can affect Brute Force testing duration, but not very much, according to the Brute Force testing chart with plaintext character length. Hardware performance also affects the estimated time for the Brute Force to complete the attack process.

#### CONCLUSION

From the results of several research trials that have been carried out, it can be concluded.

- 1. The Avalanche Effect method in testing carried out with crucial character lengths of 5, 9 and 16, respectively, obtained an average Avalanche Effect of 50.87%. This shows that the average Avalanche Effect value is more than 50%, indicating that small changes to the plaintext can impact the ciphertext.
- 2. With the help of Cryptool 1 for Brute Force time testing results with variations in key length, it was obtained that the password cracking time was 33 years with a 6-character key length. The longer the key is used, the longer the completion process will take to crack the ciphertext. Meanwhile, plaintext length is linearly correlated with the length of Brute Force testing time but is not significant. Hardware performance also affects the estimated time of Brute Force.

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