

Block-Cipher

$$E: \{0,1\}^k \times \{0,1\}^n \rightarrow \{0,1\}^n$$

$n \rightarrow$ block-size

$\forall k, E_k(\cdot)$ should be a permutation.

Π^E

is

xyz

secure if

E is

abc

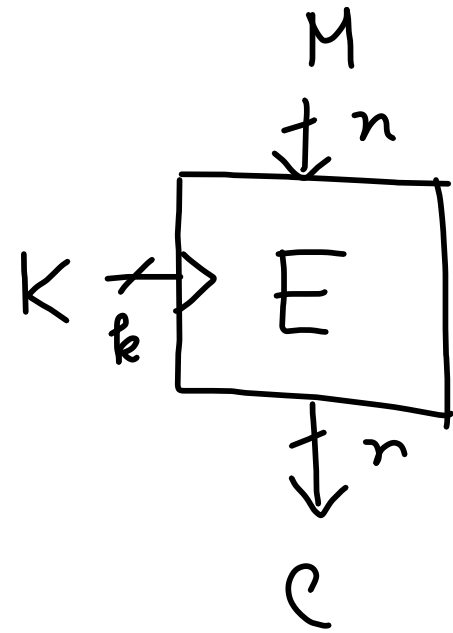
secure

- IND-CPA
- IND-CCA
- AE-secure

- PRP
- SPRP
- PRF

hard to distinguish

Designing Block-Ciphers



Security → Hard to distinguish. (PRP)

↳ (CPA / KPA / CCA)

Shannon (1949)

- ↳ Confusion
- ↳ Diffusion

(from (PT, CT) pairs, it is difficult to get any information about key)

(even if you change one-bit in the i/p, it should affect all the ciphertext bits)

Properties you should keep in mind

Confusion

→ Non-linear function

Diffusion

→ linear function

Non-linear functions

- Boolean functions
- field multiplication
- field inverse
- integer addition

Linear Functions

- XOR
- Rotation, Shift
- Matrix Multiplication

[Ref: Sasaki's Book Chapter 1]

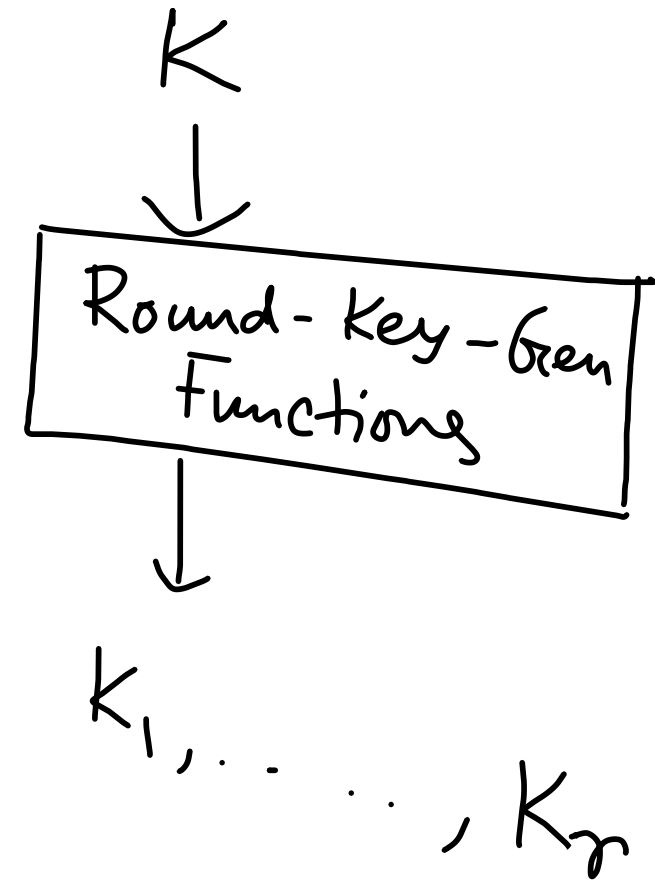
$$\begin{cases} M_1 M_2 M_3 M_4 \\ K_1 K_2 K_3 K_4 \\ C_1 C_2 C_3 C_4 \end{cases}$$

$$C_1 = (M_1 + M_3) + (K_2 + K_3)$$

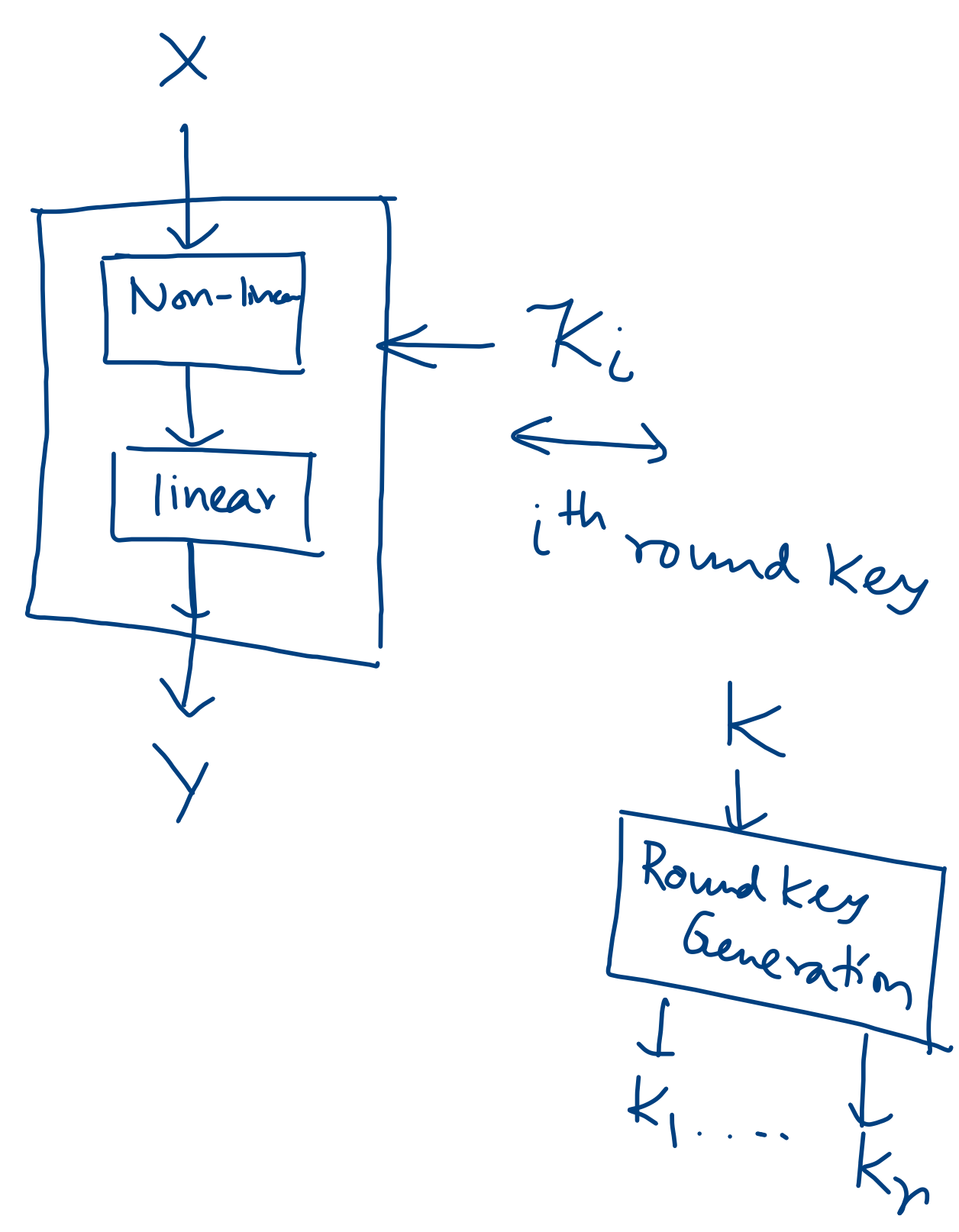
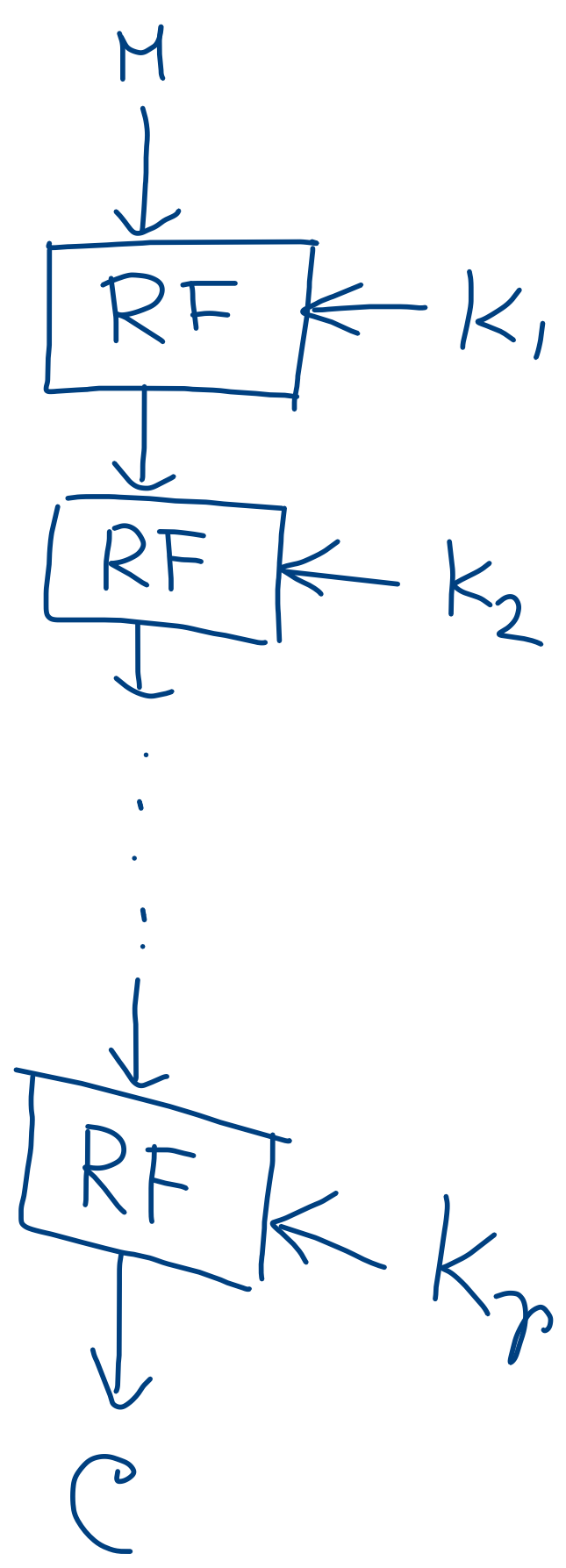
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Constructing Block-Cipher

- Iterative Structure
 - L Apply "Round Functions" Several times.
- Round Function
 - L Non-linear function (Substitution)
 - L Linear functions (Permutation)
 - L Add round-keys

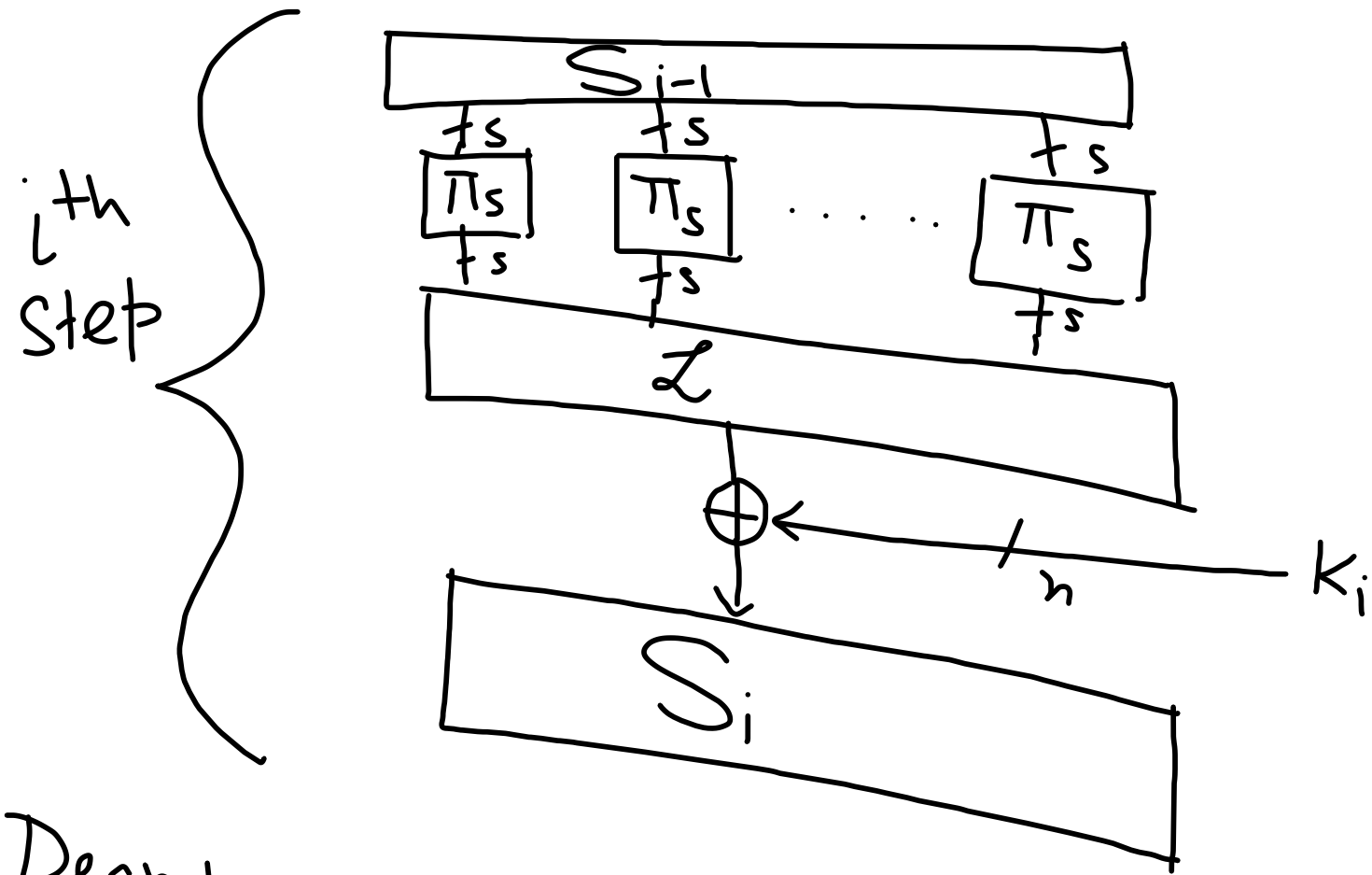


r-round
Block
Cipher



SPN (Substitute/Permutation Network)

← (AES)



Decryption
required π_s^{-1}

$$n = s \cdot t$$

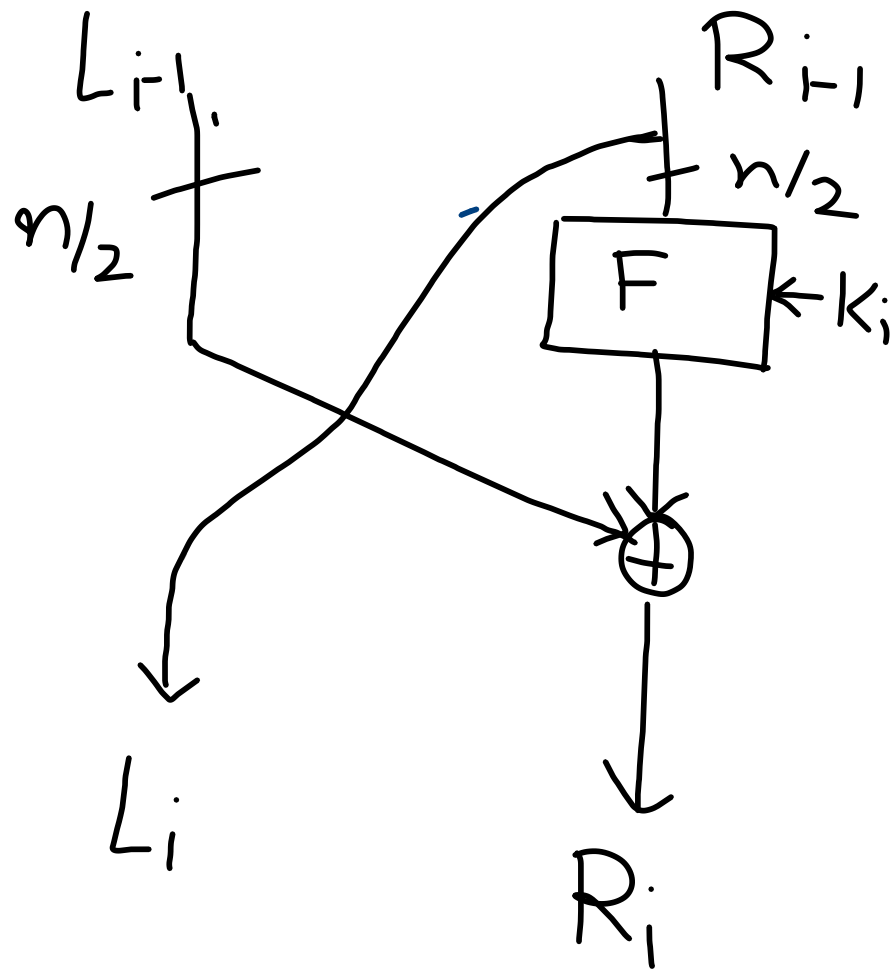
$$\pi_s: \{0,1\}^s \rightarrow \{0,1\}^s$$

↳ Non-linear

$$\mathcal{L}: \{0,1\}^n \rightarrow \{0,1\}^n$$

↳ Linear

Feistel



\Rightarrow Non-linear function

$$F: \{0,1\}^k \times \{0,1\}^{n/2} \rightarrow \{0,1\}^{n/2}$$

\hookrightarrow size $n/2$

- F^{-1} not needed in decryption
- Non-linear function is applied to partial state.

DES \leftarrow

AES

(Advanced Encryption Standard)

Rijndael

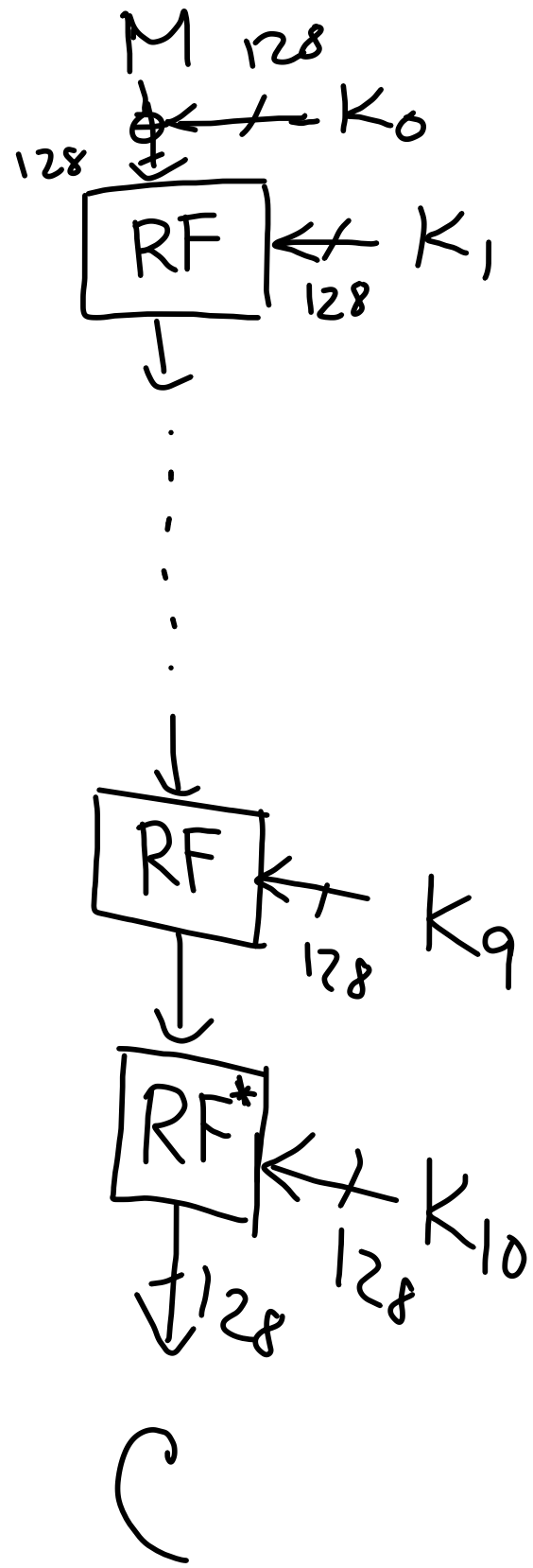
(Rijmen, daeman)

AES

Block size: 128

Key size: 128 / 192 / 256

AES



RF

- Sub-Bytes (using SBox) \updownarrow Non-linear
- Shift Row \updownarrow Linear
- Mix-Column \updownarrow Linear
- Add Sub-key \updownarrow round key addition

RF*

Same as RF except
Mix-Column

Plaintext



M_0	M_4	M_8	M_{12}
M_1	M_5	M_9	M_{13}
M_2	M_6	M_{10}	M_{14}
M_3	M_7	M_{11}	M_{15}

$$M = M_0 || M_1 || \dots || M_{15}$$

$$|M_i| = 8, \forall i = 0(1)15$$

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State

Sub-Bytes \rightarrow

$SB(X_0)$.	.	.
$SB(X_1)$.	.	.
$SB(X_2)$	-	-	-
$SB(X_3)$	-	-	-

- All operations are defined in $GF(2^8)$.
- Primitive Polynomial $\Rightarrow (x^8 + x^4 + x^3 + x + 1)$

SB \rightarrow Non-linear function
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Shift Row

0 →

X_0	X_4	X_8	X_{12}
X_1	X_5	X_9	X_{13}
X_2	X_6	X_{10}	X_{14}
X_3	X_7	X_{11}	X_{15}

Shift Row
 left
 (Shift i^{th} row
 by i steps)

X_0	X_4	X_8	X_{12}
X_5	X_9	X_{13}	X_1
X_{10}	X_{14}	X_2	X_6
X_{15}	X_3	X_7	X_{11}

$$X_0 = x^4 + x^3 + 1$$

$$2 = x$$

$$X_0 \circ 2 = x^5 + x^4 + x$$

Mix-Column

X_0	X_4		
X_1	X_5		
X_2	X_6		
X_3	X_7	-	-

X

Mix Column

2	3	1	1
1	2	3	1
1	1	2	3
3	1	1	2

X

X_0	X_4	X_8	
X_1	X_5		
X_2	X_6		
X_3	X_7		

=

$2X_0 \oplus 3X_1 \oplus X_2 \oplus X_3$			

Add Round Key

i^{th} round
Key

X_0	X_4	X_8	X_{12}
X_1	X_5	X_9	X_{13}
X_2	X_6	X_{10}	X_{14}
X_3	X_7	X_{11}	X_{15}

\oplus

K_0^i			
K_1^i			
K_2^i			
K_3^i	-	-	K_{15}^i

=

$X_0 \oplus K_0^i$			
$X_1 \oplus K_1^i$			

- Why $\begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 3 & 1 & 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}$ used as Mix-Column?
- Why both Shift Row & Mix-Column?
- Rationale behind the S-Box
- Why 10 rounds?
- Why mix-column avoided in the last round?

SBox (Substitution Box)

<u>I/P</u>	<u>O/P</u>
00	--
⋮	
FF	...

Look-up table based implementation.

SB

AES SubByte Operation

	0	1	...	F
0	63			
⋮				
F		*		

GF(2ⁿ)

n=8 ⇒ GF(2⁸)

Addition → Linear
Multiplication → Non-Linear
Inverse → Non-linear

binary	integer	Hex	Polynomial
1 1000 011 ←→ ←→	2 ⁰ + 2 ¹ + 2 ⁵ + 2 ⁷ = 195	C3	x ⁷ + x ⁶ + x + 1

Primitive Polynomial } (x⁸ + x⁴ + x³ + x + 1)

Hex

0000 → 0
0001 → 1
0010 → 2
0011 → 3
⋮
1001 → 9
1010 → A
1011 → B
1100 → C
1101 → D
1110 → E
1111 → F

$$8E \ 0 \ 9D$$

$$\downarrow \quad \quad \downarrow$$

$$8E \rightarrow 10001110$$

$$9D \rightarrow 1001\cancel{0000}$$

$$(x^7 + x^3 + x^2 + x) \cdot (x^7 + x^4)$$

$$= x^{14} + x^{11} + x^{10} + x^7 + x^9 + x^6 + x^8 + x^5$$

$$= \begin{matrix} x^{14} & + & x^{11} & + & x^{10} & + & x^9 & + & x^8 & + & (x^7 + x^6 + x^5) \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \end{matrix}$$

$$(x^4 + x^3 + x + 1)$$

$$(x^5 + x^4 + x^2 + x)$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} x^8 + x^4 + x^3 + x + 1 \\ x^8 = 0 \\ = (x^4 + x^3 + x + 1) \end{array} \right|$$

Inverse of α in $GF(2^8)$?

$$\begin{aligned}\alpha^{-1} &\equiv \alpha^{2^8-2} \\ &\equiv \alpha^{254}\end{aligned}$$

↔

(Non-linear
function)

Addition

$$\begin{array}{r} 10 \oplus 11 \\ \hline \equiv 1 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 1010 \\ 1011 \\ \hline 0001 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 10 + 11 = 21 \\ \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \\ 1010 \quad 1011 \quad 10101 \end{array} \quad \text{(Integer addition)}$$

Linear Functions

$x_1 \ x_2 \ x_3 \ x_4$



Rotation

$x_3 \ x_4 \ x_1 \ x_2$

$$\begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \\ y_4 \end{pmatrix} = M \cdot \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{pmatrix}$$

Matrix
Multiplication