

# Algebraic Aspects of the Russian Hash Standard GOST R 34.11-2012

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# Basic Operations and Functions

GOST R 34.11-2012 (Stribog) is based on SP-network block cipher with block and key length equal 512 bits

- **SubBytes (S)**: nonlinear bijective mapping.
- **Transposition (P)**: byte permutation.
- **MixColumns (L)**: linear transformation.
- **AddRoundKey (X)**: addition with the round key using bitwise XOR.

Other basic functions

- $\boxplus$ : addition modulo  $2^{512}$ .
- $MSB_s(A)$ : getting  $s$  most significant bits of vector  $A$ .
- $A||B$ : concatenation of two vectors  $A$  and  $B$ .

# State Representation

## Grøstl

$a_0$	$a_8$	$a_{16}$	$a_{24}$	$a_{32}$	$a_{40}$	$a_{48}$	$a_{56}$
$a_1$	$a_9$	$a_{17}$	$a_{25}$	$a_{33}$	$a_{41}$	$a_{49}$	$a_{57}$
$a_2$	$a_{10}$	$a_{18}$	$a_{26}$	$a_{34}$	$a_{42}$	$a_{50}$	$a_{58}$
$a_3$	$a_{11}$	$a_{19}$	$a_{27}$	$a_{35}$	$a_{43}$	$a_{51}$	$a_{59}$
$a_4$	$a_{12}$	$a_{20}$	$a_{28}$	$a_{36}$	$a_{44}$	$a_{52}$	$a_{60}$
$a_5$	$a_{13}$	$a_{21}$	$a_{29}$	$a_{37}$	$a_{45}$	$a_{53}$	$a_{61}$
$a_6$	$a_{14}$	$a_{22}$	$a_{30}$	$a_{38}$	$a_{46}$	$a_{54}$	$a_{62}$
$a_7$	$a_{15}$	$a_{23}$	$a_{31}$	$a_{39}$	$a_{47}$	$a_{55}$	$a_{63}$

## Stribog

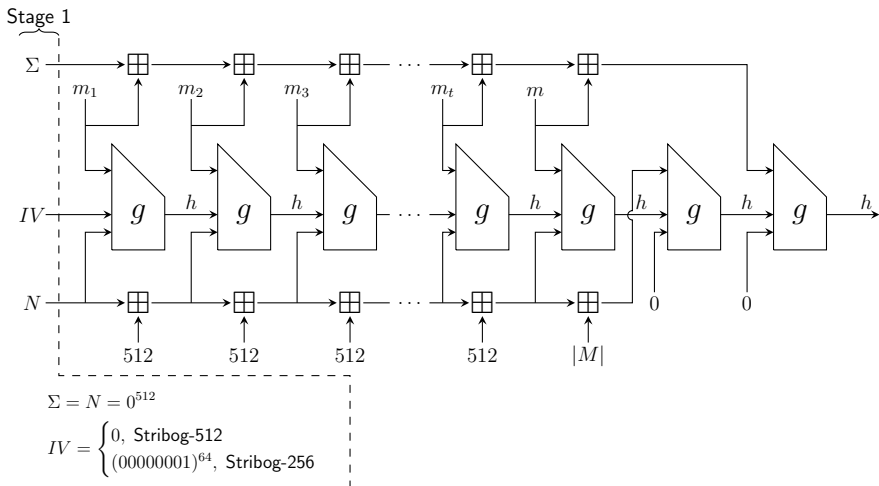
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$$A = a_0 || a_1 || \dots || a_{63}$$

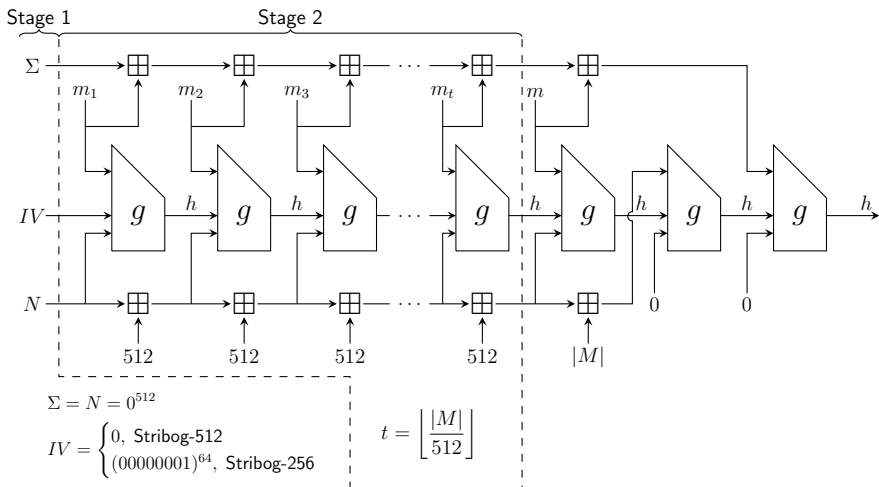
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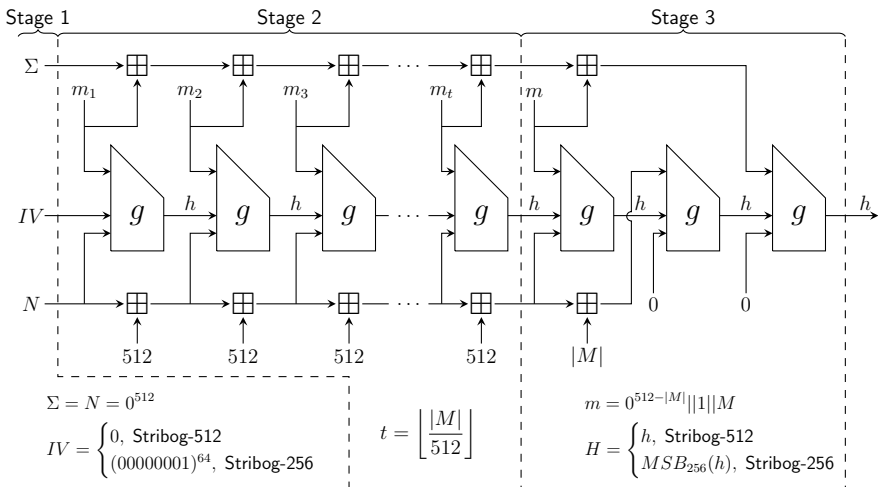
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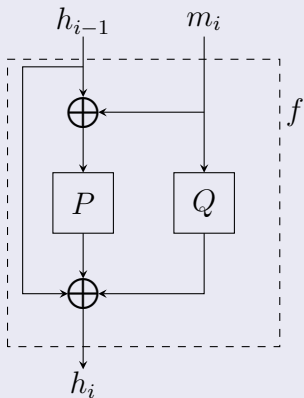
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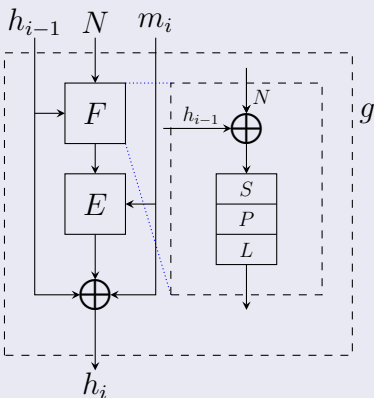


# Construction of the Compression Function $g$

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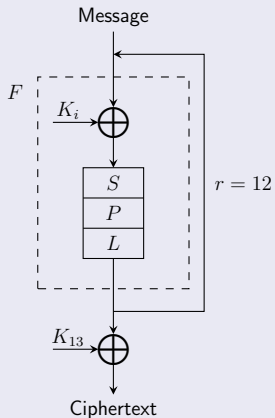


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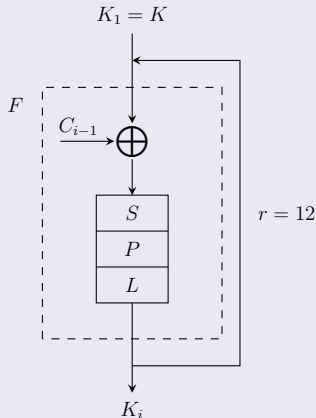


# Representation of E

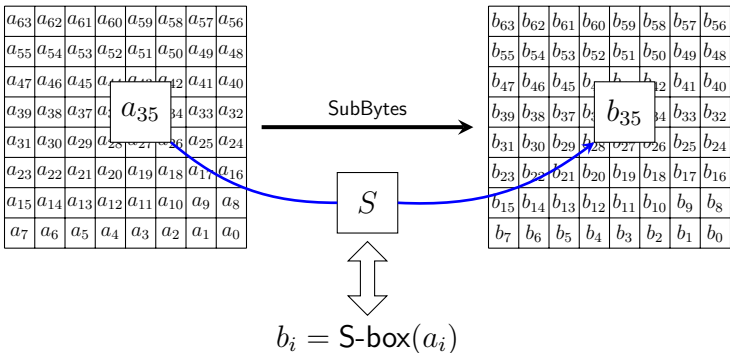
## Block Cipher of Stribog



## Key Schedule

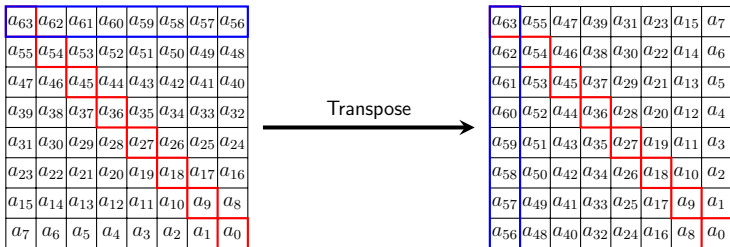


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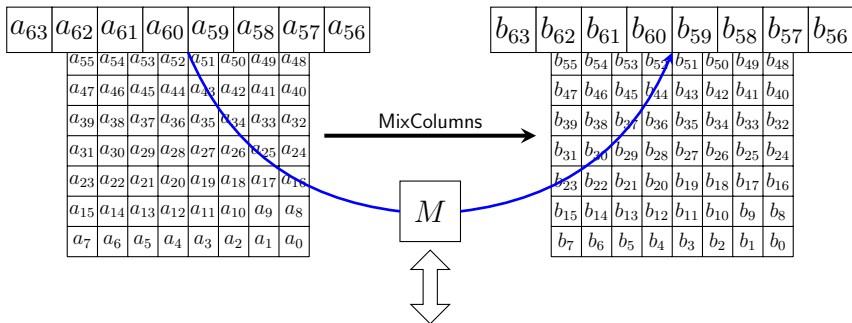
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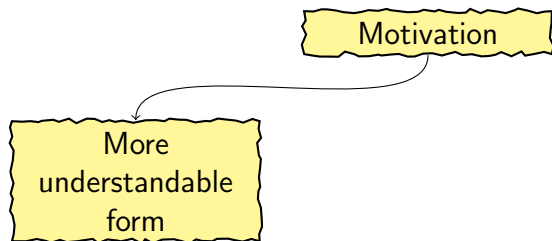
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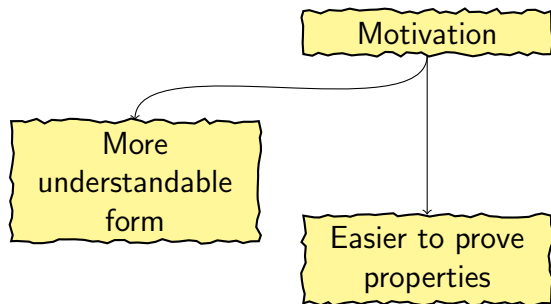
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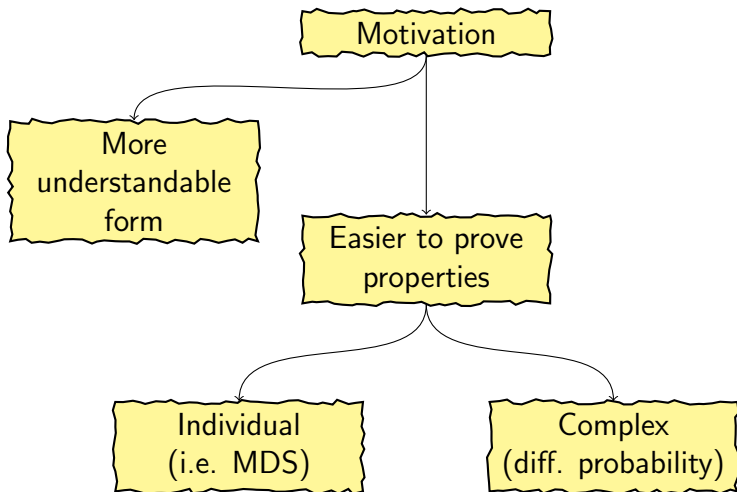




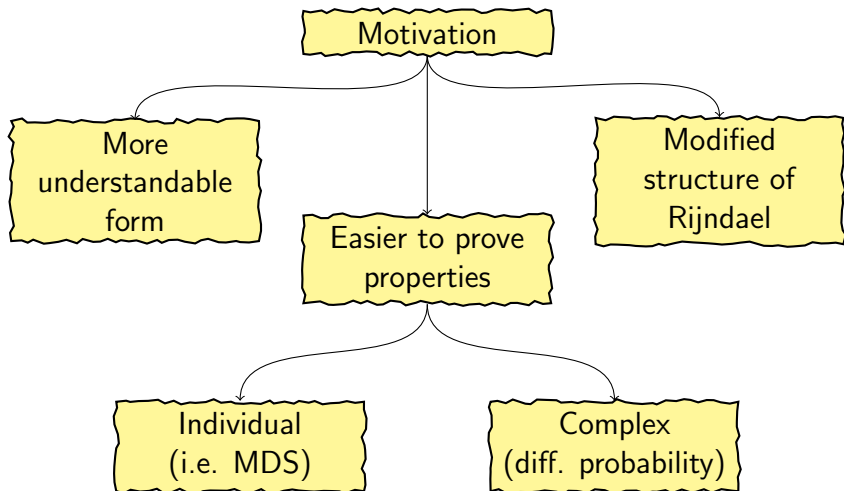
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## Alternative representation

- Reverse input bits
- AES-like transformations (state as in Grøstl)
- Reverse output bits



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0	3F	FB	D7	E0	9F	E5	A8	04	97	07	AD	87	A0	B5	4C	9A
1	DF	EB	4F	0C	81	58	CF	D3	E8	3B	FD	B1	60	31	B6	8B
2	F3	7C	57	61	47	78	08	B4	C9	5E	10	32	C7	E4	FF	67
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C	88	95	8A	02	5A	CE	94	25	DB	7B	6A	92	75	49	BC	4B
D	5B	6F	45	27	42	41	F6	0B	DD	0A	E2	09	19	BE	01	43
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F	B2	C0	33	91	F2	82	8D	4A	83	52	E1	86	F8	DC	EA	6D

Table : The Substitution  $F$  for AES-like Description

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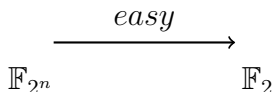
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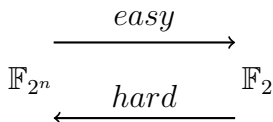




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# Representation of MixColumns (2/4)

Let  $L : \mathbb{F}_{2^n} \mapsto \mathbb{F}_{2^n}$  be a linear function of the form

$$L(x) = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \delta_i x^{2^i}, \quad \delta_i \in \mathbb{F}_{2^n}.$$

## Proposition

Any linear function  $L : \mathbb{F}_{2^n} \mapsto \mathbb{F}_{2^m}$  can be converted to a matrix with the complexity  $O(n)$ .

$$L(x) = \delta x, \quad \delta_i = 0, \text{ for } 1 \leq i \leq n - 1.$$

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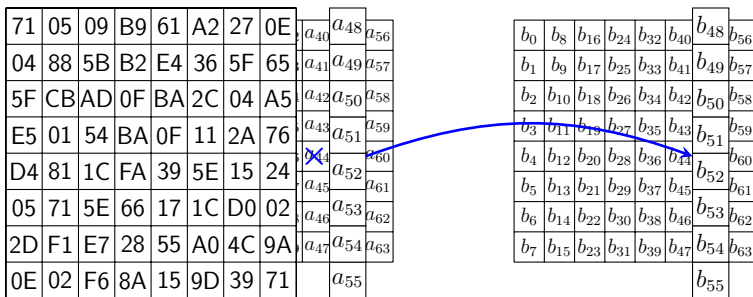
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## Hint

It is necessary to **transpose matrix of Stribog** before applying the algorithm.

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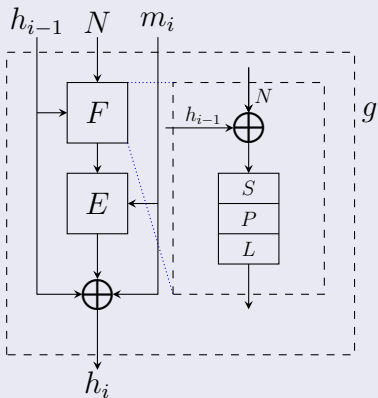


Multiplying the vector by the constant  $8 \times 8$  matrix  $G$  over  $\mathbb{F}_{2^8}$  with the primitive polynomial  $f(x) = x^8 + x^6 + x^5 + x^4 + 1$

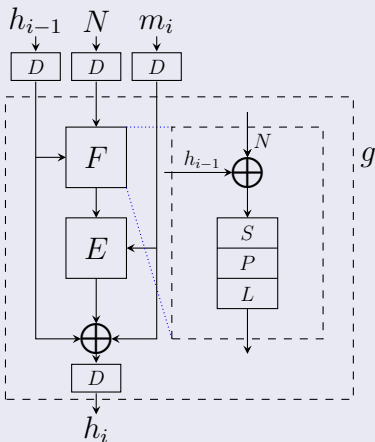
$$B = G \cdot A$$

# AES-like Form of Compression Function

## Original Function



## Modified Function





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- More details on <https://github.com/okazymyrov>