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Beyond the limits: SHA-3 in just 49 slices

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Hash functions



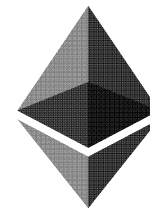
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Key derivation

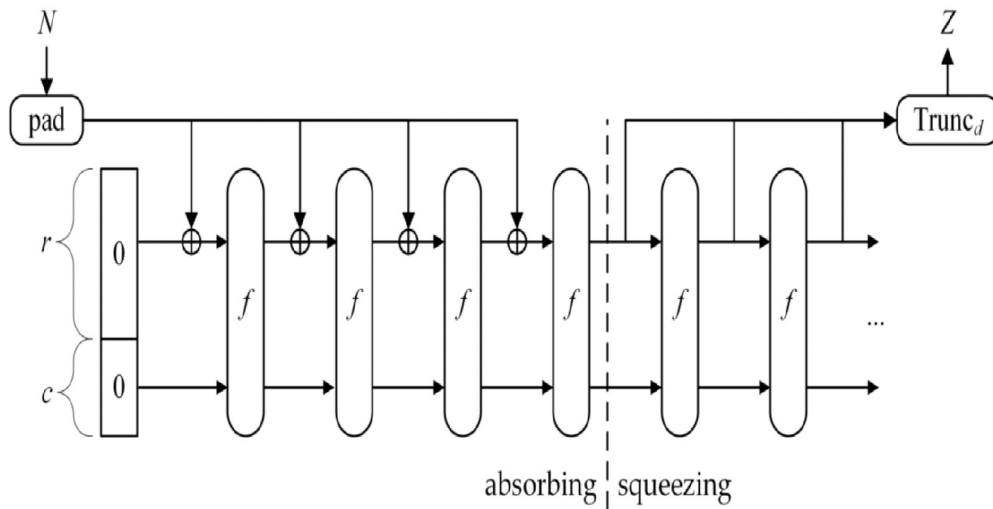


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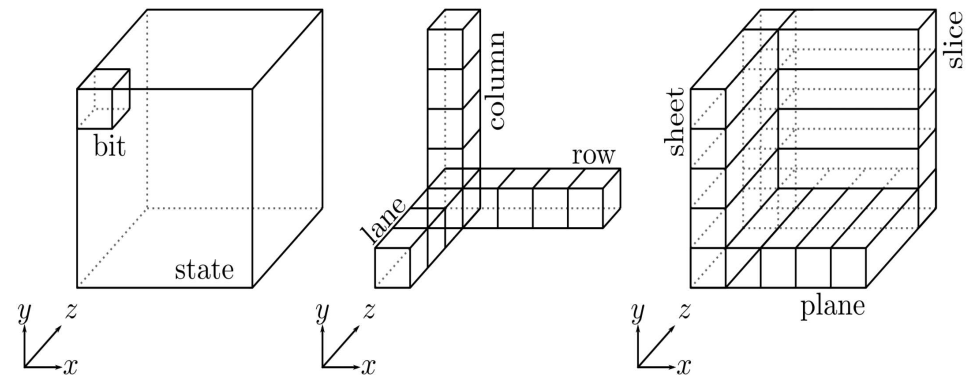
Cryptocurrencies

SHA-3

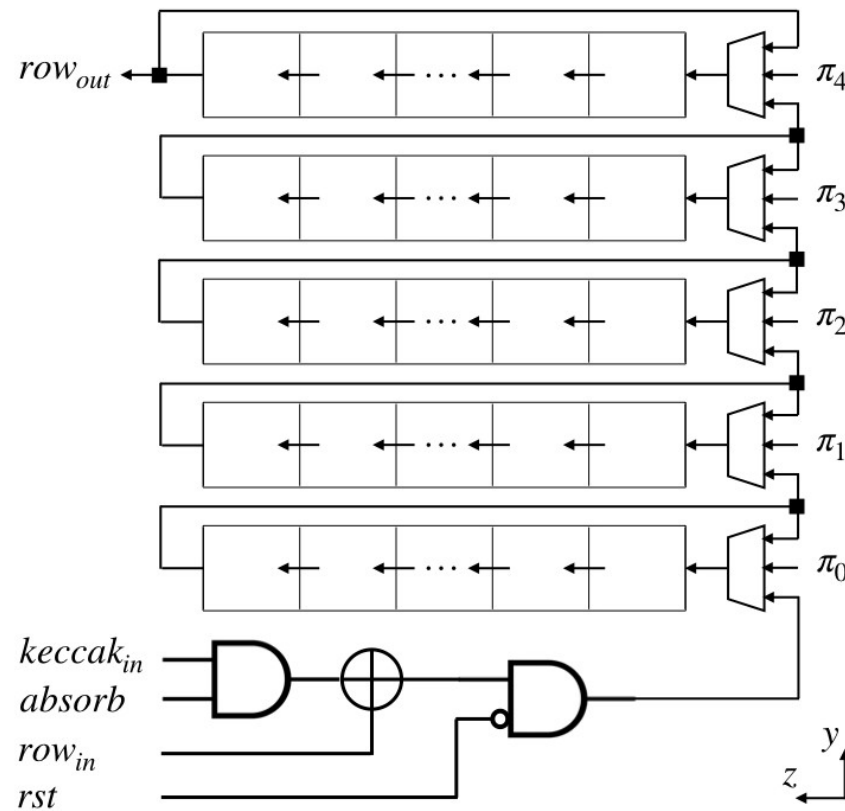


Sponge construction

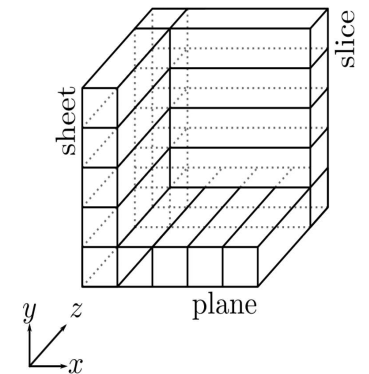
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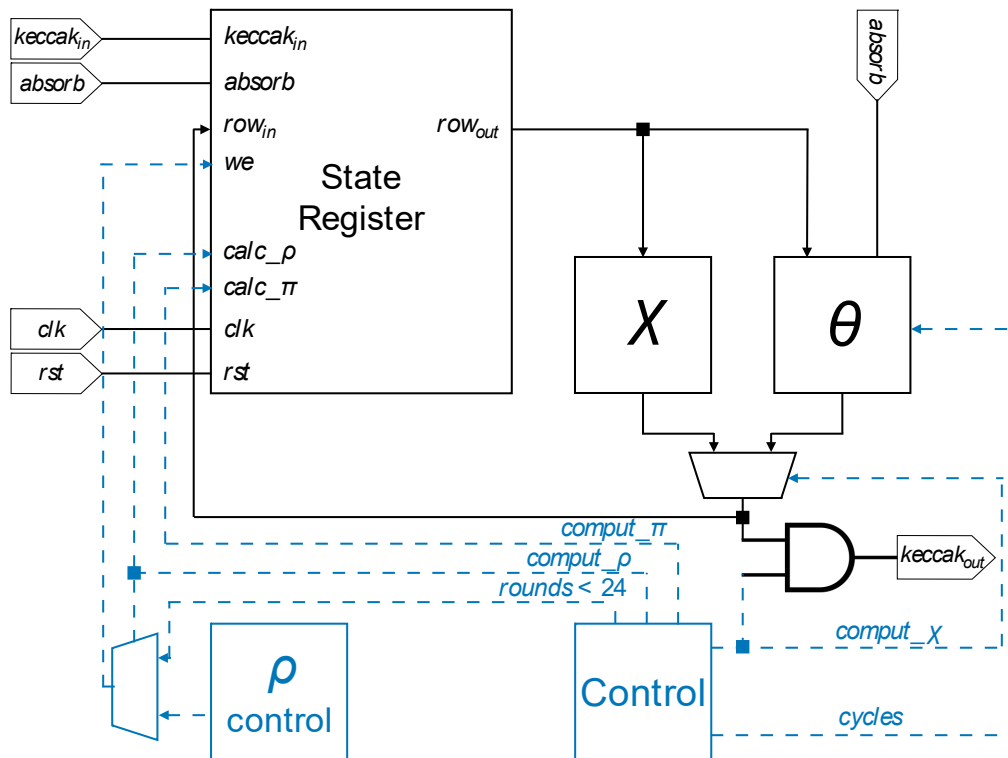
Row-based processing



- SRLs to compute 5 permutations $(\theta, \rho, \pi, \chi, \iota)$
- Compute θ, χ and ι perms. in row fashion



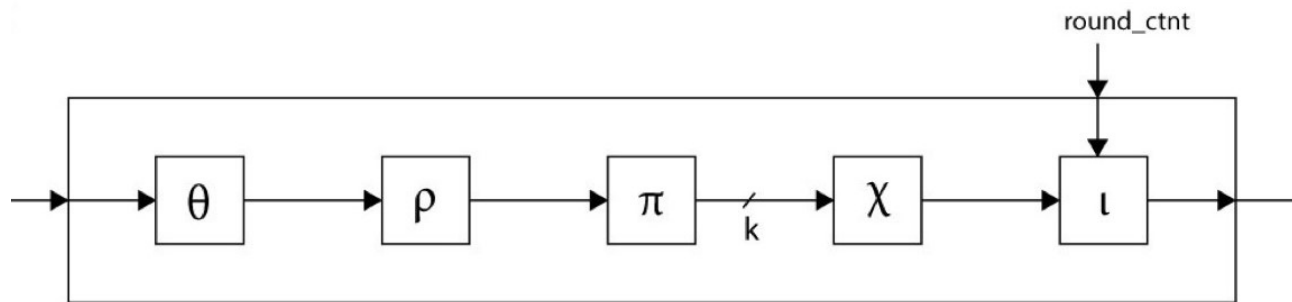
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- SHA3-AF: use of special gates AND2L & OR2L
- SHA3-A: limit to LUT6_2
- Up to **46%** area reduction
- Latency heavily affected

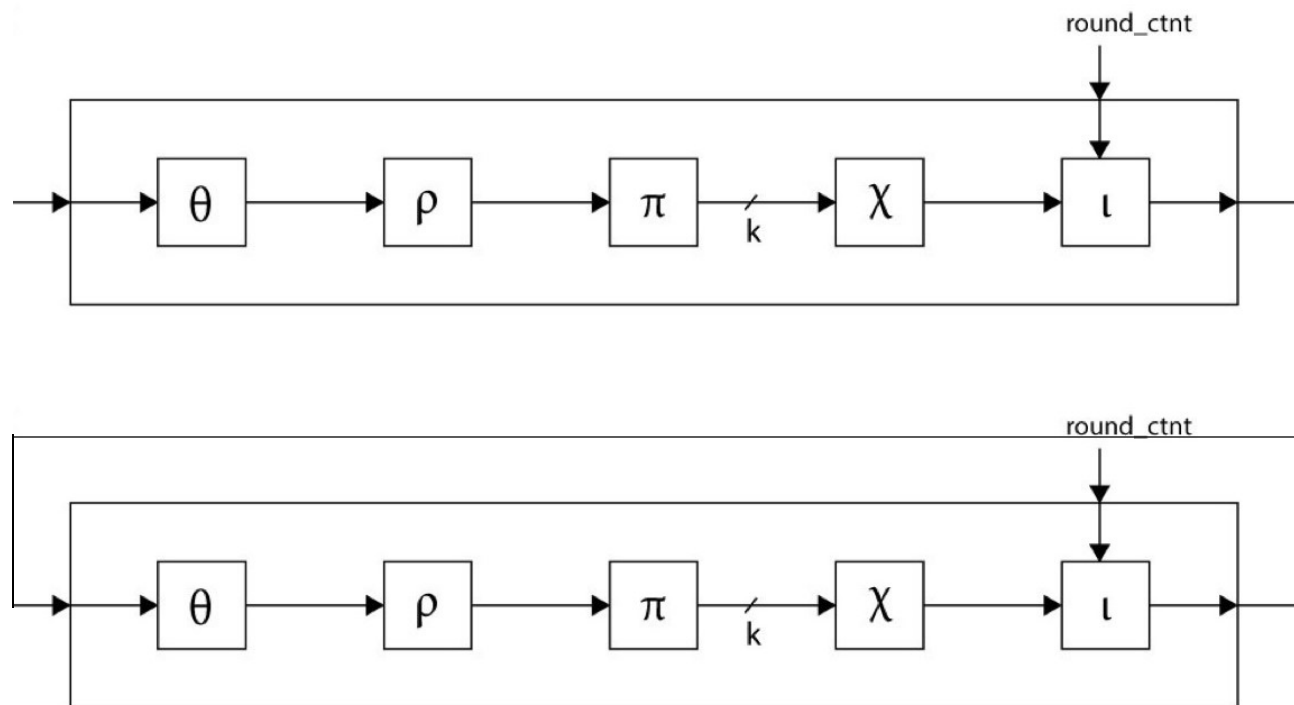
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$$E = \frac{T}{A}$$



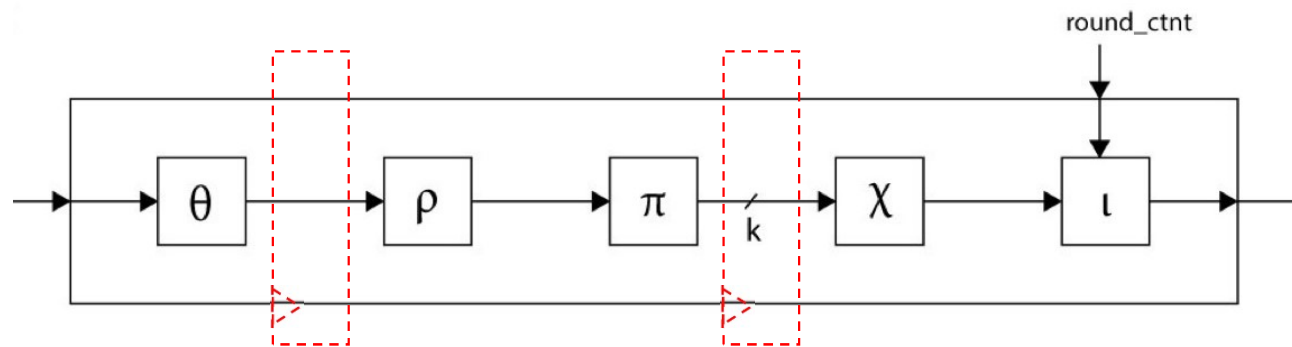
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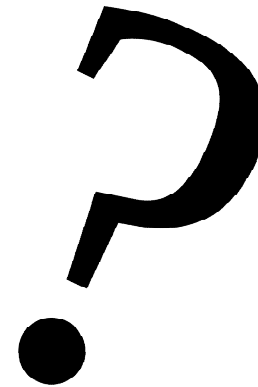


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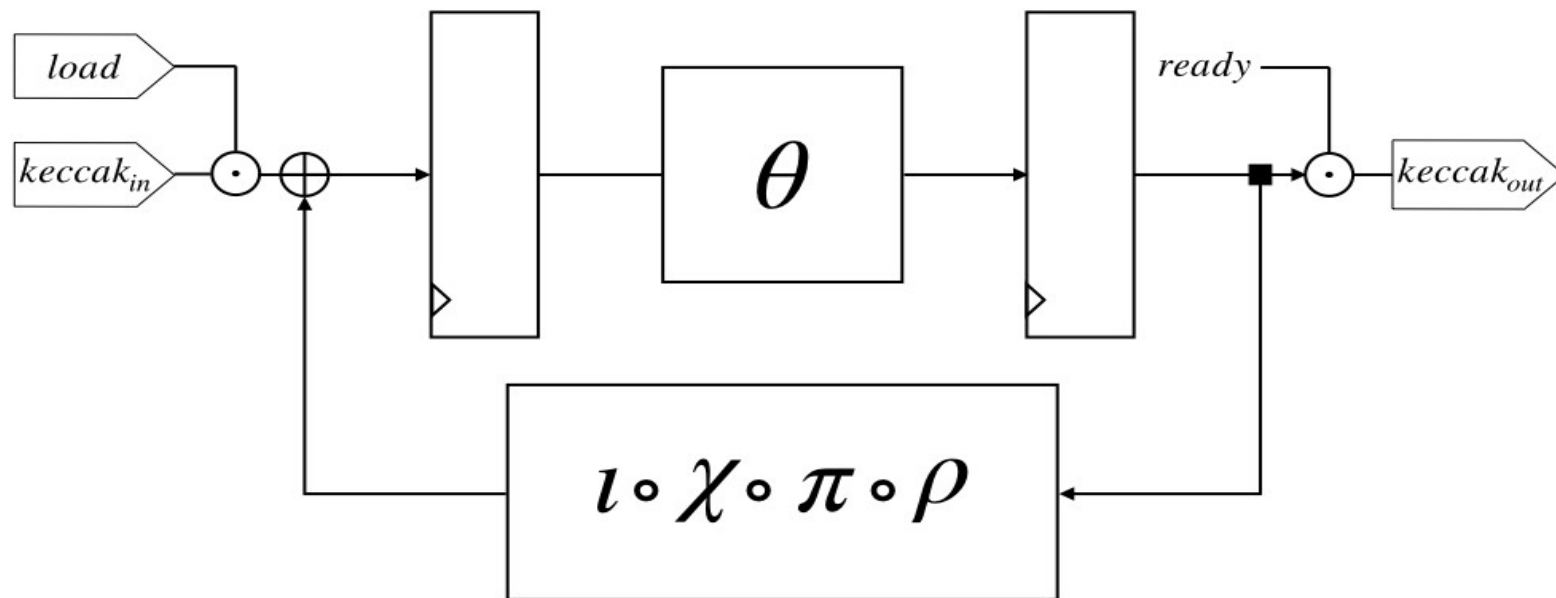


- Where?
- How many?



Area-Throughput efficiency

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- Up to **70%** area-throughput efficiency improvement

Physical attacks

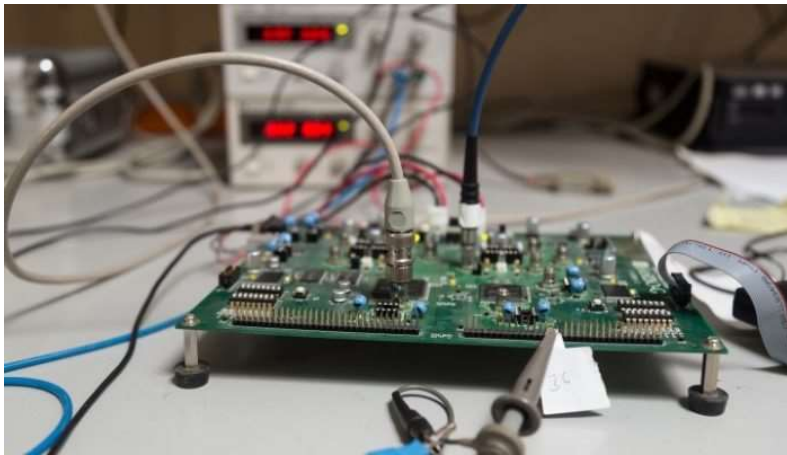
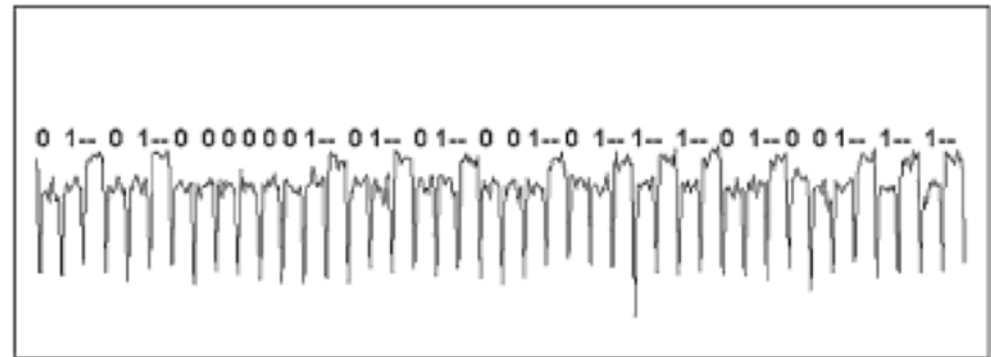


Photo by Peter Maene



Source: <https://anysilicon.com/side-channel-attacks-differential-power-analysis-dpa-simple-power-analysis-spa-works/>

- SCA Protected implementations needed
- Row-based proc. Implementations promise to have the lowest overhead

Thank you!
