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The eSTREAM Portfolio

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eSTREAM

- A project within ECRYPT to promote research into the design and analysis of dedicated stream ciphers
- eSTREAM began in 2004 with a call for proposals
 - 34 submissions were received from around the world
 - Three phases of analysis and performance evaluation
- Candidates were intended to satisfy one of two profiles
 - High encryption rate in software
 - Implementation advantages in restricted hardware



eSTREAM Goal

- The goal of eSTREAM was a portfolio of promising new stream cipher designs
 - These will continue to receive cryptanalytic attention
 - When sufficiently mature, we anticipate proposals to be deployed and/or adopted in standards



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- We prefer to avoid a direct comparison to the AES process or to SHA-3
 - We do not have the resources of NIST
 - Our goals are different: we are promoting research whereas
 NIST defines standards for the coming decades
- Consequently we have arrived at a broad portfolio



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Software	Hardware
HC-128	F-FCSR-H
Rabbit	Grain v1
Salsa20/12	MICKEY v2
Sosemanuk	Trivium

(In alphabetical order)



After the Portfolio

- A report will be available at <u>www.estream.eu.org/stream</u>
- We will continue to maintain the eSTREAM pages
 - Please continue to submit new results and analysis
 - The portfolio will be updated as required
- Finally: many thanks to all submitters, analysts, and implementers for their contributions to eSTREAM