

# API Specification

## 1. Cryptographic API Development:

- Design and develop an API with the following specific functionalities:

### Key Generation Endpoint:

- **Description:** This endpoint allows users to generate cryptographic keys.
- **Request:** POST `/generate-key`
  - Body: `{ "key_type": "AES", "key_size": 256 }`
  - Parameters:
    - `key_type`: Specifies the type of encryption (e.g., AES, RSA).
    - `key_size`: Specifies the size of the key in bits.
- **Response:**
  - `{ "key_id": "12345", "key_value": "base64-encoded-key" }`
    - `key_id`: A unique identifier for the generated key.
    - `key_value`: The cryptographic key encoded in Base64 for portability.

### Encryption Endpoint:

- **Description:** This endpoint encrypts plaintext messages using a specified key and encryption algorithm.
- **Request:** POST `/encrypt`
  - Body: `{ "key_id": "12345", "plaintext": "message-to-encrypt", "algorithm": "AES" }`
  - Parameters:
    - `key_id`: Identifies the key to be used for encryption.
    - `plaintext`: The message that needs encryption.
    - `algorithm`: Specifies the encryption algorithm to use (e.g., AES, RSA).
- **Response:**
  - `{ "ciphertext": "base64-encoded-ciphertext" }`
    - `ciphertext`: The encrypted message in Base64 format.

### Decryption Endpoint:

- **Description:** This endpoint decrypts encrypted messages back into plaintext.
- **Request:** POST `/decrypt`
  - Body: `{ "key_id": "12345", "ciphertext": "base64-encoded-ciphertext", "algorithm": "AES" }`
  - Parameters:
    - `key_id`: Identifies the key to be used for decryption.

- **ciphertext:** The message that needs decryption.
- **algorithm:** Specifies the encryption algorithm to use (e.g., AES, RSA).
- **Response:**
  - `{ "plaintext": "original-message" }`
  - **plaintext:** The decrypted original message.

## 2. Hashing API Development:

- Design and develop an API for hashing and verifying data integrity with the following endpoints:

### Hash Generation Endpoint:

- **Description:** This endpoint generates a hash for the given data using a specified hashing algorithm.
- **Request:** POST `/generate-hash`
  - Body: `{ "data": "message-to-hash", "algorithm": "SHA-256" }`
  - Parameters:
    - **data:** The input data to be hashed.
    - **algorithm:** The hashing algorithm to use (e.g., SHA-256, SHA-512).
  - **Response:**
    - `{ "hash_value": "base64-encoded-hash", "algorithm": "SHA-256" }`
      - **hash\_value:** The generated hash in Base64 format.
      - **algorithm:** The hashing algorithm used.

- **Hash Verification Endpoint:**

- **Description:** This endpoint verifies if the given hash matches the data.
- **Request:** POST `/verify-hash`
  - Body: `{ "data": "message-to-verify", "hash_value": "base64-encoded-hash", "algorithm": "SHA-256" }`
  - Parameters:
    - **data:** The original input data.
    - **hash\_value:** The hash to be verified.
    - **algorithm:** The hashing algorithm to use.
  - **Response:**
    - `{ "is_valid": true, "message": "Hash matches the data." }`
      - **is\_valid:** A boolean indicating whether the hash matches the data.
      - **message:** Additional information about the result.