AES - Advanced Encryption Standard

Timeline

- **1996** NIST issues public call for proposal
- **1998** 15 algorithms selected
- **2001** winner was announced

Rijndael by *J. Daemen and V. Rijmen*

Block size	128 bits
Key Size	128, 192, 256 bits
Speed	~18-20 cycles / byte
Mathematical Foundation	Galois Fields
Implementation	• Basic operations : ⊕, + , shift • Small code : 98k

Adopted by the NIST in December 2001