

# Cryptology

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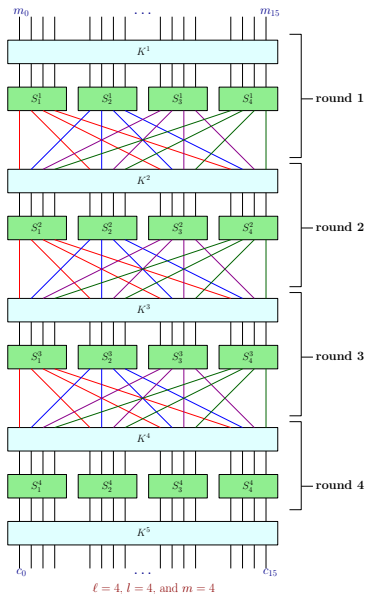
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Lecture 07

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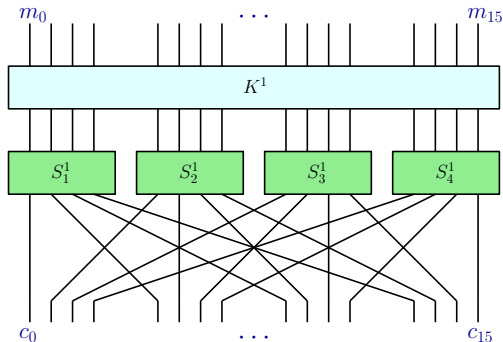
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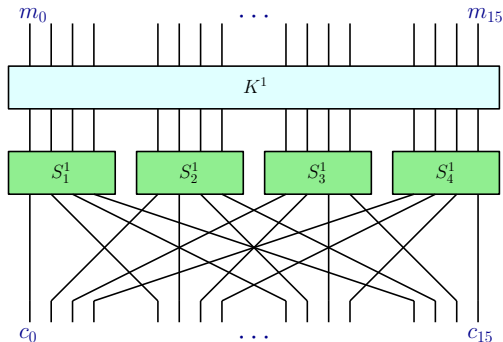
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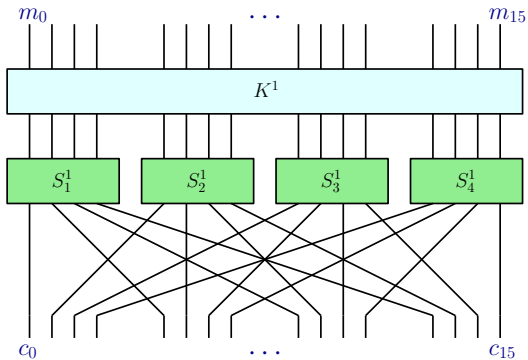
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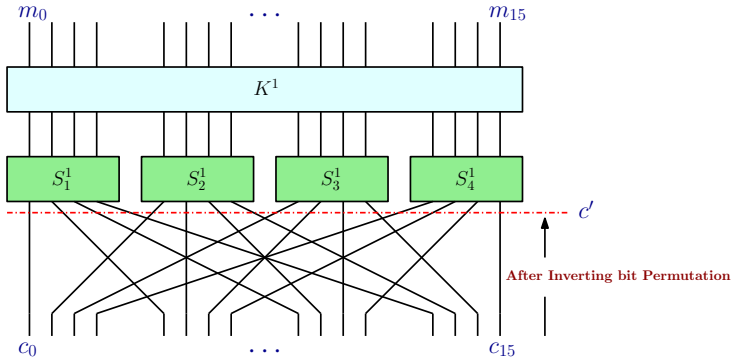
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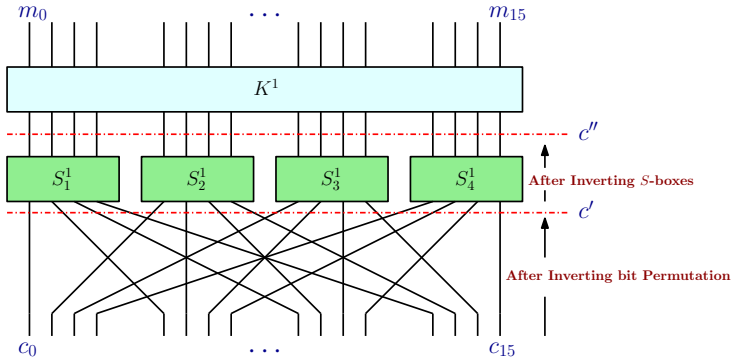




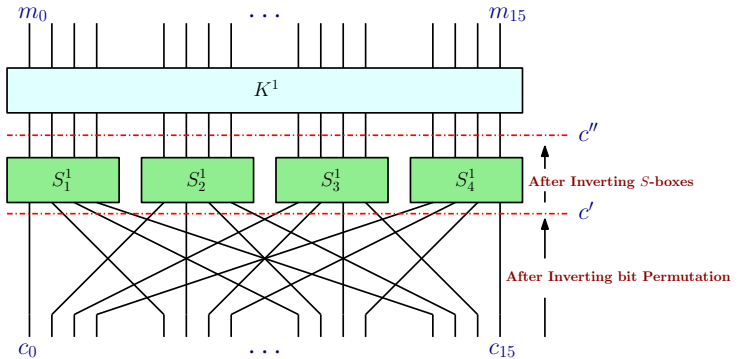
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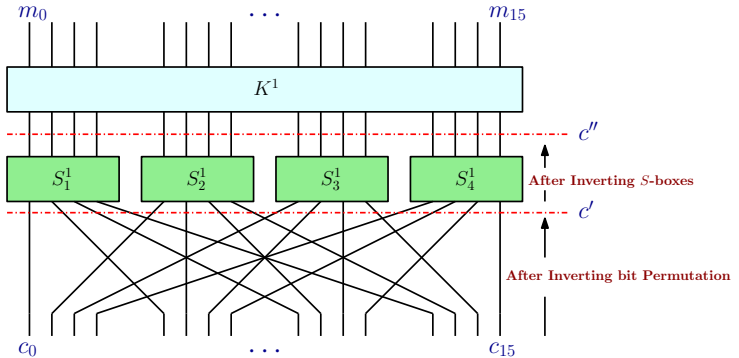


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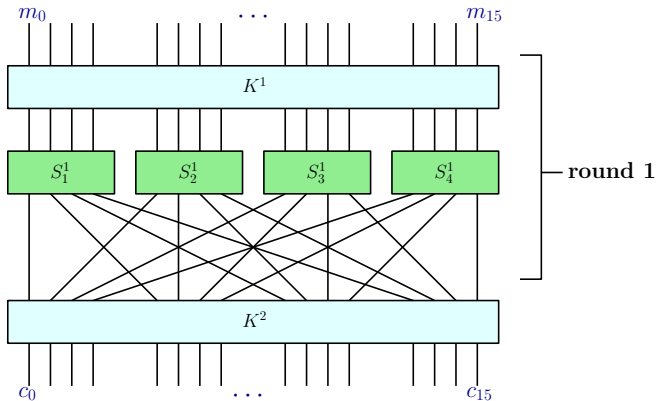
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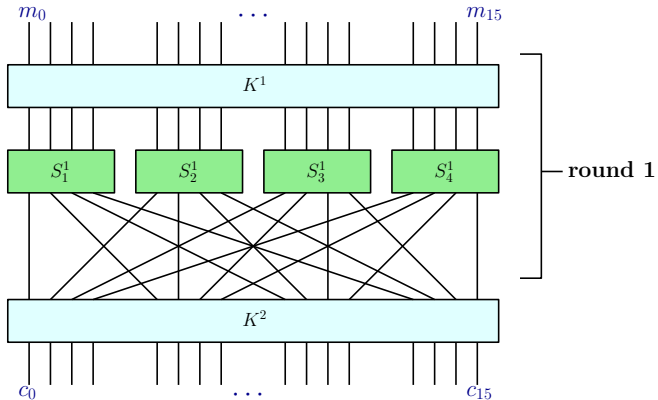
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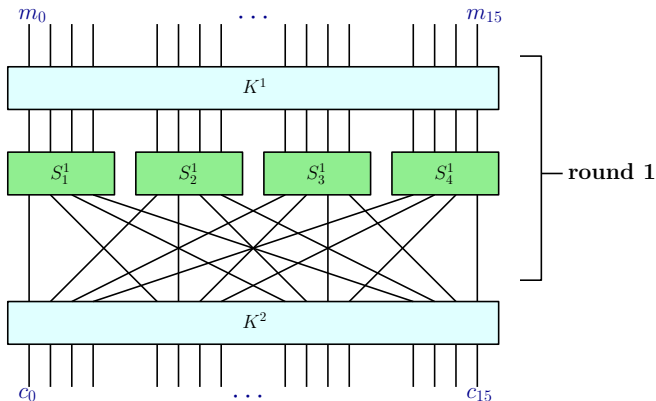
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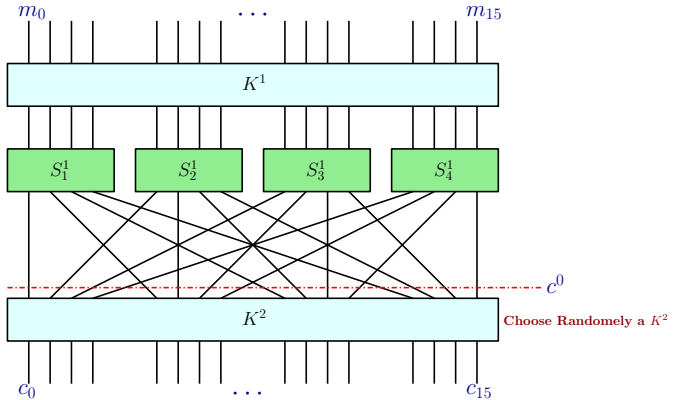
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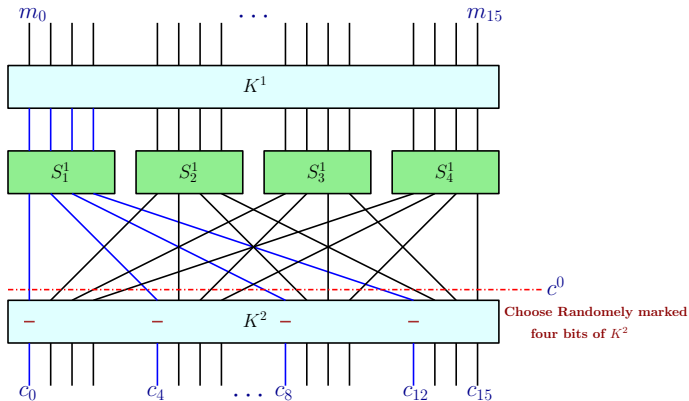
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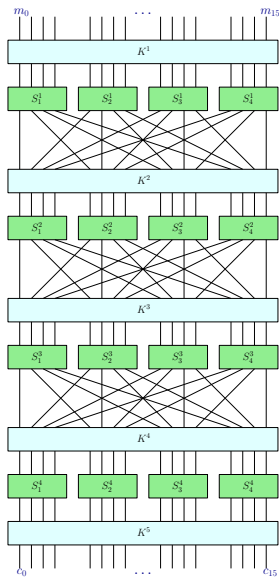


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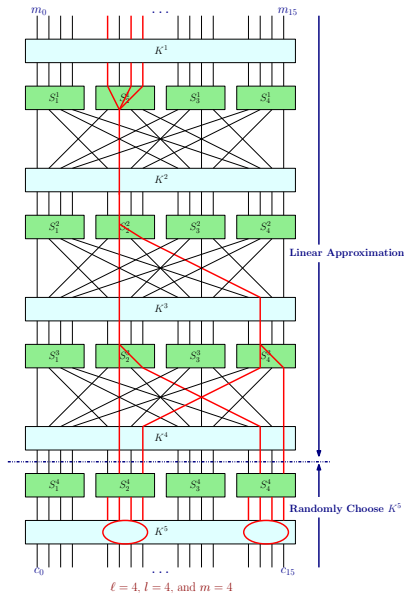
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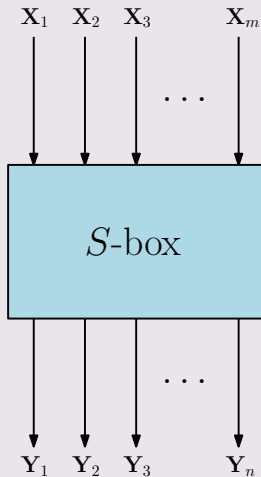


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0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
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0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0
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$X_1$	$X_2$	$X_3$	$X_4$	$Y_1$	$Y_2$	$Y_3$	$Y_4$	$X_2 \oplus X_3$	$Y_1 \oplus Y_3 \oplus Y_4$	$X_1 \oplus X_4$	$Y_2$	$X_3 \oplus X_4$	$Y_1 \oplus Y_4$
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- $\Pr[X_2 \oplus X_3 \oplus Y_1 \oplus Y_3 \oplus Y_4 = 0] = \frac{3}{4}$
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3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	+2	-6	-2	-2	+2	+2	-2	-2
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7	0	-2	0	+2	+2	-4	+2	0	-2	0	+2	0	+4	+2	0	+2
8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-2	+2	+2	-2	+2	-2	-2	-6
9	0	0	-2	-2	0	0	-2	-2	-4	0	-2	+2	0	+4	+2	-2
A	0	+4	-2	+2	-4	0	+2	-2	+2	+2	0	0	+2	+2	0	0
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7	0	-2	0	+2	+2	-4	+2	0	-2	0	+2	0	+4	+2	0	+2
8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-2	+2	+2	-2	+2	-2	-2	-6
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$$\Pr \left[ \left( \bigoplus_{i=1}^m a_i \mathbf{X}_i \right) \oplus \left( \bigoplus_{j=1}^n b_j \mathbf{Y}_j \right) \right] = \frac{8 + N_L(a, b)}{16}.$$

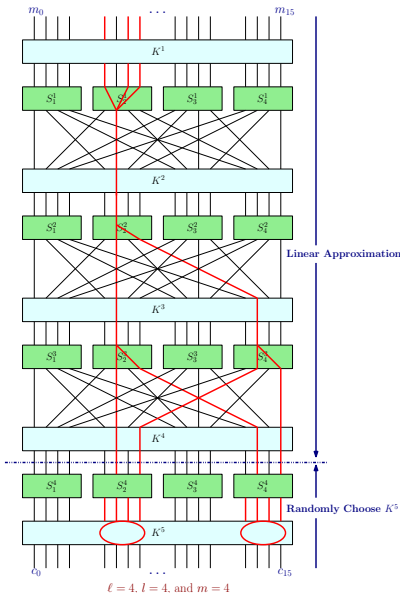


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## A Linear Attack on SPN

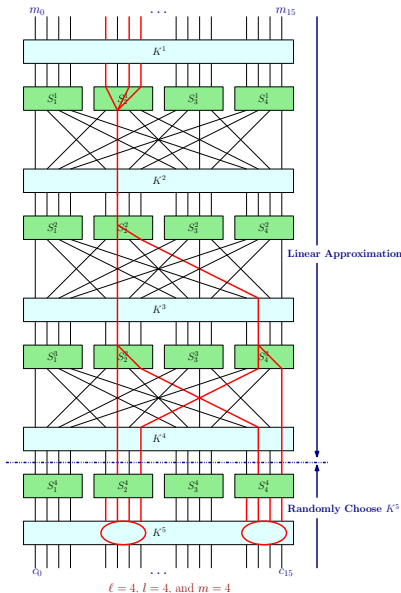
- $\mathbf{U}^i$ : The input to the  $i^{th}$  round S-box.
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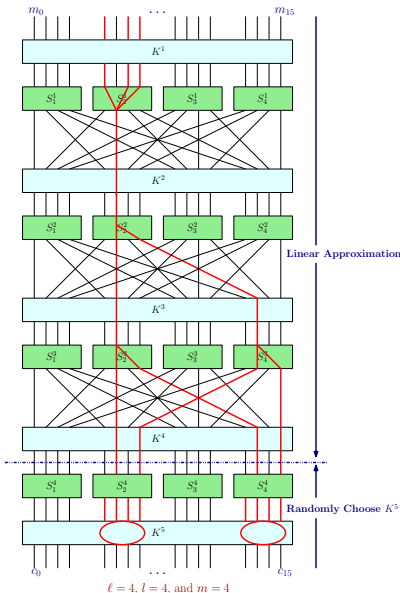
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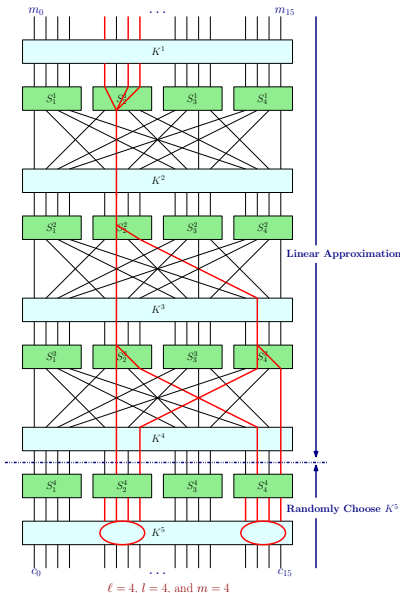
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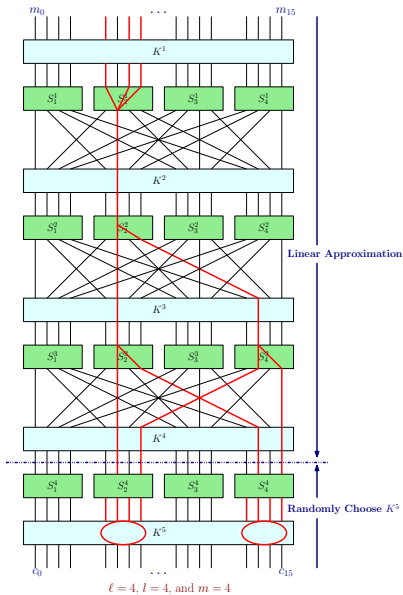
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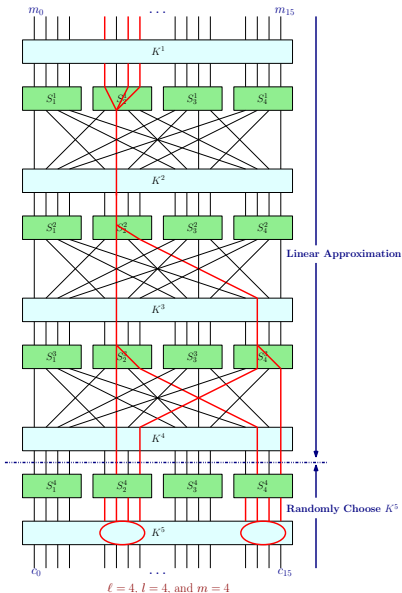


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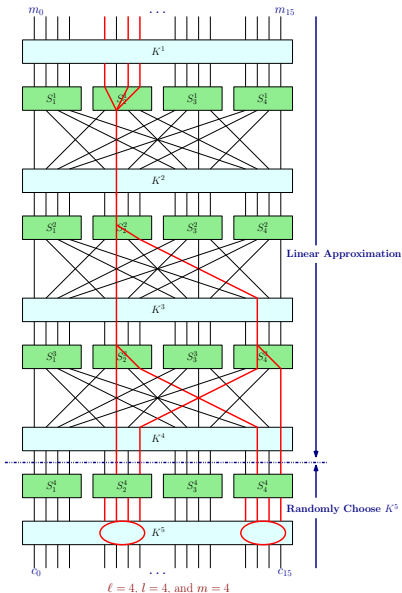
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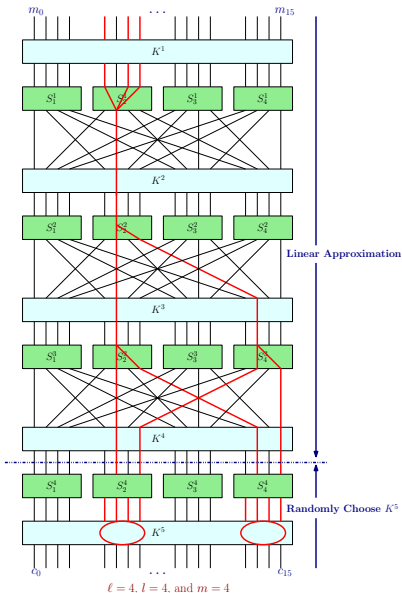
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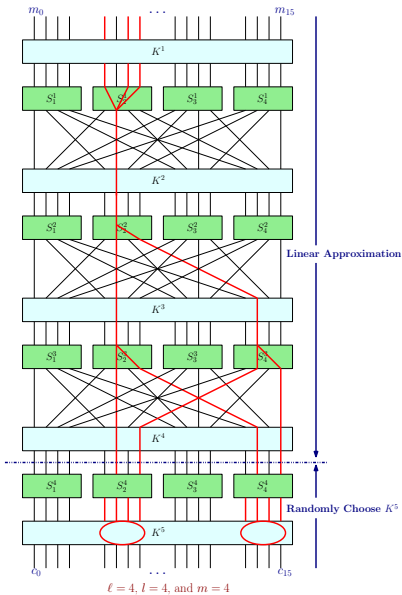
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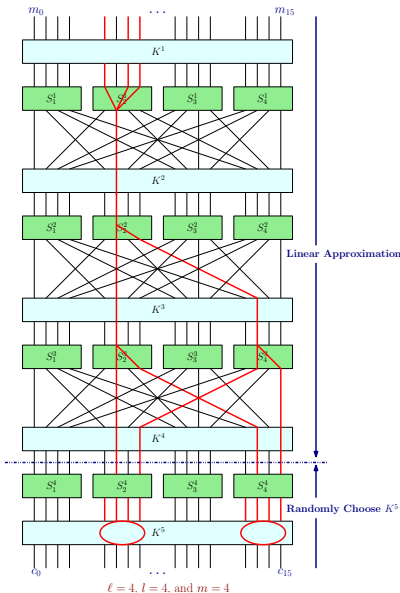
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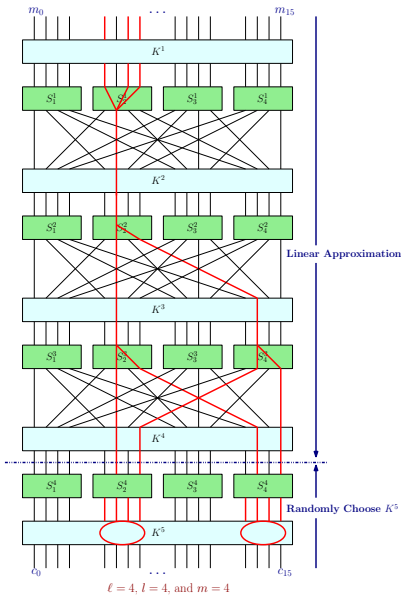
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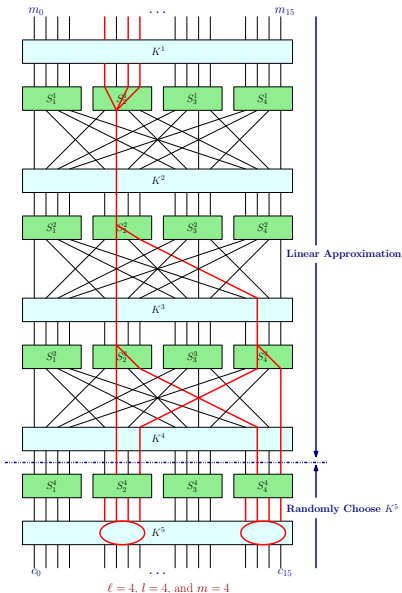
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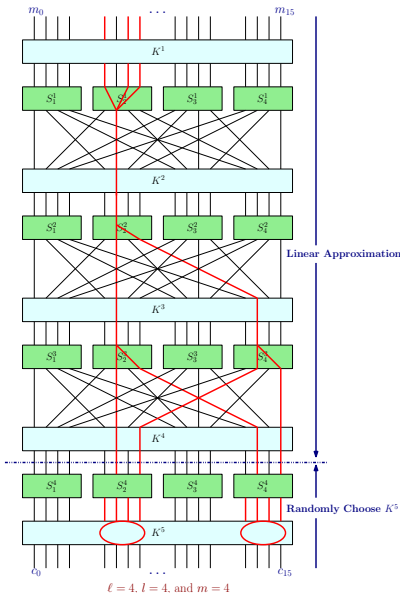
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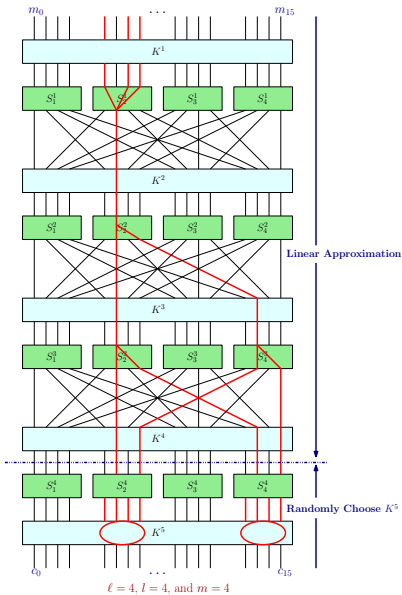


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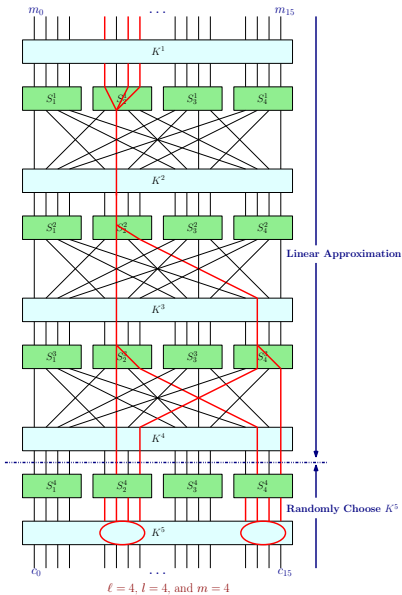
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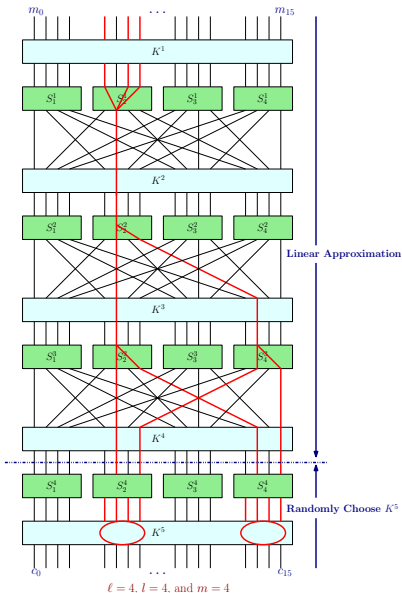
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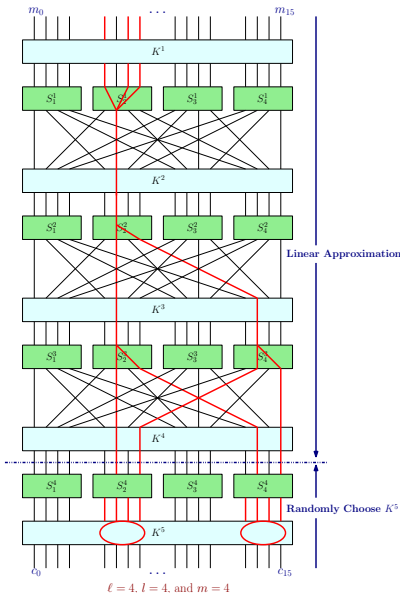
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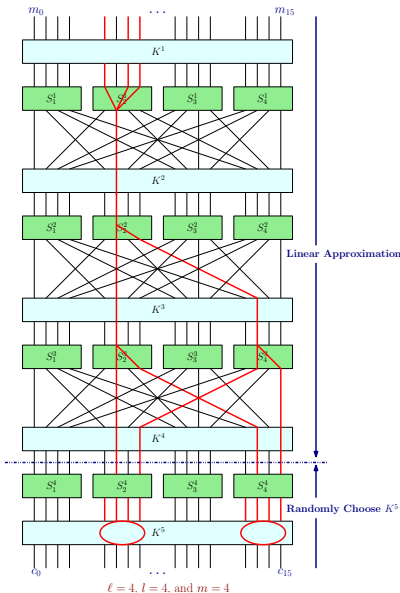
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**End**