

Rules of submitting, reviewing and publication of scientific articles in the journal "Mathematical aspects of cryptography"

1. Submitting articles

1.1. Manuscript should be submitted to the Editorial Board printed in duplicate on one side of a sheet of A4 type 14 (\large in TEX) with 1.5 intervals and in electronic form in TeX or Microsoft Word on a diskette, CD-ROM or other media by agreement with the Editorial Board. The authors should supply nonstandard TEX packages used for the preparation of the manuscript.

1.2. The article should be accompanied by a brief summary in Russian and English (no more than 10 lines). The annotation should follow the title, initials and names of the authors and their affiliations. Abstracts are stored in electronic form in the database of the All-Russian Mathematical Portal «Math-Net.Ru». Abstract should adequately reflect the content of the article and should not contain links to the list of references. At the end of the abstract the keywords should be given.

1.3. The text should be carefully edited, signed by all the authors "In print". On the separate list the authors should specify their full names, postal and email addresses, affiliations, telephone numbers (at work or at home); team of authors must specify the person with whom the editors may correspond.

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1.5. References to unpublished works, except for theses, are not allowed.

1.6. The text usually should not be longer 25 pages. Longer articles may be published as exceptions by the Editorial Board permission.

1.7. The Editorial Board reserves the right to reject the article if it doesn't satisfy these formal rules without consideration of results.

2. Reviewing

2.1 In accordance with the by-law of the scientific journal "Mathematical problems of cryptography" every manuscript should be reviewed by at least one expert having a scientific degree.

2.2. The Editorial Board exercise a preliminary verification of correspondence of manuscript submitted to the journal themes and submitting rules. Articles satisfying the formal rules are presented by the Executive Secretary to the corresponding section of the Editorial Board for the appointment of the reviewer. Final approval of the reviewer is made by the Editorial Board.

2.3. All reviewers should be recognized experts on the subject of peer-reviewed material and should have publications on this subject during last three years.

2.4. Deadlines of the review in each case are determined with the account for the timely publication of the paper.

2.5. The review may be written in arbitrary form, but should include assessment of the following aspects:

- the relevance of the issues considered in the paper;
- compliance the results the stated theme of the paper;

scientific contribution of the authors: the existence and importance of new scientific findings; validity of conclusions;

the validity and correctness of applied mathematical apparatus;

the completeness of the review of known results.

The review should contain a recommendation:

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2.6. To acquaint the authors with the review(s) the Executive Secretary should send them to the corresponding author.

2.7. Reviewing manuscripts is carried out in a private form. The Editors do not disclose information on the reviewer to authors.

2.8. The author may submit a well-founded rejoinder to the review. The decision on the further reviewing of such paper is made by the Editor-in-chief or his assistant.

2.9. The reviewing of articles submitted to the journal "Mathematical problems of cryptography" is non-payable.

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2.11. All reviews are stored in printed form for five years. Copies of reviews are sent at the request of Higher Attestation Commission of the Ministry of Education of the Russian Federation.

3. Rules of publication

3.1. The Journal publishes papers which are not previously published or submitted for simultaneous publication elsewhere. Contributors are responsible for the paper content and for the fact of paper publication.

3.2. Accepted for publication articles are subjected to scientific and literary editing carried out by the Editorial Board.

3.3. After the scientific and literary editing the paper is agreed with the author. After the author agrees with the proposed corrections the article is published in one of the next issues of the journal.

3.4. Electronic media and manuscripts are not sent back to the authors.

3.5. The fees for the publication of articles are not charged.
