The reducer is as follows:

func reducer(c):

Convert the first hexadecimal digit of c into a plaintext using the following table:

hex	plaintext
0	***
1	****
2	***
3	****
4	***
5	***
6	***
7	***
8	****
9	****
Α	***
В	****
С	****
D	****
Е	***
F	***