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Systematic Codes



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## systematic codes

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review:

$$\text{in general } \bar{c} = \bar{m} G$$

$$\bar{m} = (m_0 m_1 \dots m_{k-1}) \quad m_i \in \{0, 1\}$$

$$G = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{g}_0 & & & \\ \vdots & & & \\ \bar{g}_1 & & & \\ \vdots & & & \\ \bar{g}_{k-1} & & & \end{bmatrix} \left. \begin{array}{l} 1 \times n \\ \\ 1 \times n \\ \\ 1 \times n \end{array} \right\} k \times n$$

The  $\bar{g}_i$  are basis vectors



The  $\bar{g}_i$  are orthogonal

$$\text{if } i \neq j \quad \bar{g}_i \cdot \bar{g}_j^T = 0$$

For a systematic block code,  $G$  has a special form. If the code is  $(n, k)$ , then

$$G = \left[ \begin{array}{c|c} P & I \end{array} \right], \quad r = n - k$$

$r \times r$       $k \times k$

$$\bar{c} = \bar{m}G = (c_0 \ c_1 \ \dots \ c_{r-1} \ m_0 \ m_1 \ \dots \ m_{k-1})$$



## Example

$$G = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad d_{\min} \leq 3$$

$$d_{\min} = \min_{\substack{C \\ C \neq 0}} w_H(C) = \bar{g}_0$$

$$n = 4$$

$$\bar{m}_1 = (1000) \Rightarrow \bar{c}_1 = (1101000)$$

$$\bar{m}_2 = (0100) \Rightarrow \bar{c} = \bar{g}_1$$

$$\bar{m}_4 = (0010) \Rightarrow \bar{g}_2$$

$$\bar{m}_8 = (0001) \Rightarrow \bar{g}_3$$

The  $\bar{g}_i$  must be valid code vectors  $\bar{c} = \bar{0}$



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For this example,  $d_{min} = 3 \Rightarrow t_c = 1$

Systematic Parity Check Matrix

$$H = \left[ I_{r \times r} \quad \vdots \quad -P_{r \times k}^T \right] \quad \left( \begin{array}{l} -1 = 1 \text{ in} \\ \text{binary} \\ 1+1=0 \\ \therefore 1 = -1 \end{array} \right)$$

$$-P_{r \times k}^T = P_{r \times k}^T \text{ in binary codes}$$

$$\underbrace{G}_{k \times r} H^T = \left[ P_{k \times r} \quad \vdots \quad I_{k \times k} \right] \begin{bmatrix} I_{r \times r} \\ \vdots \\ -P_{r \times r} \end{bmatrix} = P - P = [0]$$



example

$$G = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

← P

$$k = 4$$

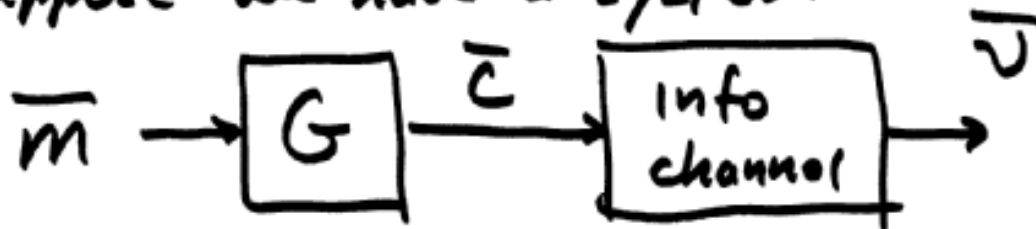
$$n = 7$$

$$\therefore r = 7 - 4 = 3$$

$$H = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



Suppose we have a system



$$\bar{v} = \bar{c} + \bar{e}, \quad \bar{e} = (e_0 e_1 \dots e_{n-1})$$

$$e_i \in \{0, 1\}$$

↑ error  
↑ no error

Syndrome vector

$$\bar{s} \triangleq \bar{v} H^T = (\bar{c} + \bar{e}) H^T$$

$$= \bar{m} G H^T + \bar{e} H^T = \bar{m} [0] + \bar{e} H^T = \bar{e} H^T$$



First Thing:

$\bar{e}$  may or may not be the same as some codeword.

if it is the same,  $\bar{e} \in C$

$\therefore \bar{e} = \bar{m}G$  for some  $\bar{m}$

in this case,  $\bar{e}H^T = \bar{0}$

These are called undetected errors

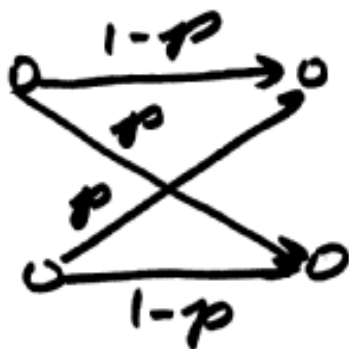
if the code has Hamming distance  $d_{\min}$  and

if  $w_H(\bar{e}) < d_{\min} \Rightarrow \bar{e} \notin C$  or  $\bar{e} = \bar{0}$





$$\Pr [w_H(\bar{e}) < d_{\min}] = \sum_{j=0}^{d_{\min}-1} \binom{n}{j} p^j (1-p)^{n-j}$$



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$$p < \frac{1}{2}$$

now suppose

$$\bar{e} \notin C$$

there  $\bar{e} \neq \bar{m}G$  for any  $\bar{m}$

in this case,  $\bar{1} = \bar{e}H^T \neq \bar{0}$

For doing error detection (w/ no correction),

$\bar{1} \neq \bar{0} \Rightarrow$  error.

what about error correction?



example: Same  $G$  and  $H$  matrices as before. ( $C$  had  $d_{min} = 3$ )

$$d_{min} = 3 \Rightarrow 3 \geq 2t_c + 1 \Rightarrow t_c = 1$$

For our  $G$  matrix

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$G = [P \mid I]$$

$\bar{C} = \bar{m}G \Rightarrow$  Parity bits will be  $\bar{m}P$



$$\text{let } \bar{m} = (0101)$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{m}P = (0101) \begin{bmatrix} 110 \\ 101 \\ 011 \\ 111 \end{bmatrix} = (010)$$

$$\therefore \bar{c} = (0100101)$$

$$\text{now let } \bar{e} = (0000100)$$

$$w_H(\bar{e}) = t_c \quad ; \quad \bar{v} = \bar{c} + \bar{e}$$

$$\bar{v} = (0100001)$$

$$\bar{d} = \bar{v}H^T = \bar{e}H^T$$



our matrix  $H^T$  is

$$H^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ \dots & \dots & \dots \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ \dots & \dots & \dots \end{bmatrix}$$

← I

← P

$$\bar{e} = (00001.00); \quad \bar{e} H^T = (101)$$

What about other  $\bar{e}$  s.t.  $\omega_H(\bar{e}) = 1$  ?



$\therefore$  if  $w_H(\bar{e}) = 1 = t_c$

$\bar{1}$  will be unique for that  $\bar{e}$

The set  $\{\bar{e} \mid w_H(\bar{e}) = 1\}$  is the set of all correctable errors.

Proposition: every  $\bar{e} \neq 0$  such that

$w_H(\bar{e}) \leq t_c$  will produce its own

unique syndrome vector  $\bar{1} = \bar{v} H^T$



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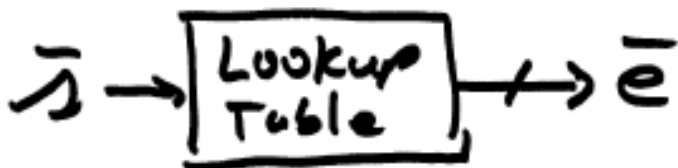
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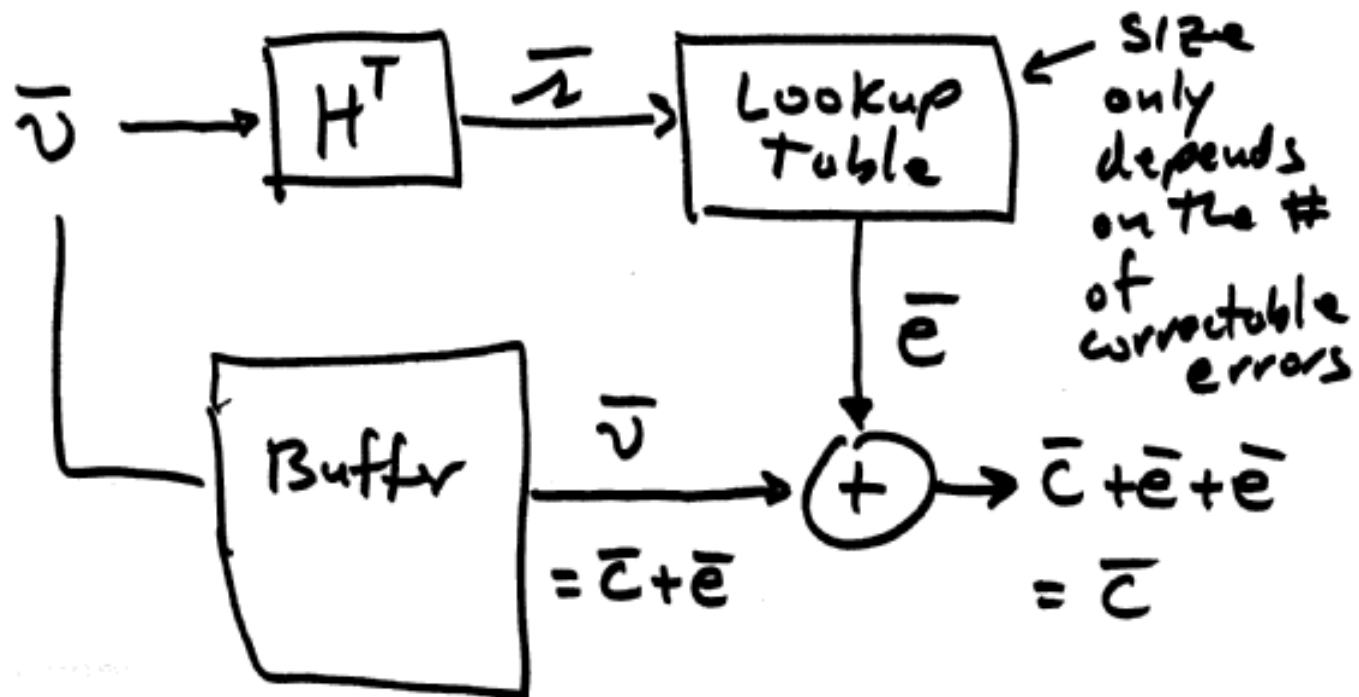
From last time: we learned that  $\vec{s} = \vec{v} H^T$  generates unique syndrome vectors provided  $w_H(\vec{e}) \leq t_c$ ,

If we know the set of all correctable errors, since  $\vec{s} = \vec{e} H^T$  we can make a lookup table





for binary codes,  $-\bar{e} = \bar{e}$



lookup table size is a function of  $t_c$ , not  $n$ .





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move next stuff.

$$r = n - k$$

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$$G = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{g}_0 \\ \vdots \\ \bar{g}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \bar{g}_{k-1} \end{bmatrix}, \quad H = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{h}_0 \\ \vdots \\ \bar{h}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \bar{h}_{r-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

We also know

$$GH^T = [\bar{0}] = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{g}_0 \\ \vdots \\ \bar{g}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \bar{g}_{k-1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \bar{h}_0^T & \bar{h}_1^T & \dots & \bar{h}_{r-1}^T \end{bmatrix}$$



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as an example, let  $k=4$ ,  $r=3$   
( $n=7$ )

Then

$$GH^T = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{g}_0 \bar{h}_0^T & \bar{g}_0 \bar{h}_1^T & \bar{g}_0 \bar{h}_2^T \\ \bar{g}_1 \bar{h}_0^T & \bar{g}_1 \bar{h}_1^T & \bar{g}_1 \bar{h}_2^T \\ \bar{g}_2 \bar{h}_0^T & \bar{g}_2 \bar{h}_1^T & \bar{g}_2 \bar{h}_2^T \\ \bar{g}_3 \bar{h}_0^T & \bar{g}_3 \bar{h}_1^T & \bar{g}_3 \bar{h}_2^T \end{bmatrix}$$

$$GH^T = [\bar{0}] \Rightarrow \bar{g}_i \bar{h}_j^T = 0 \Rightarrow \bar{h}_j \text{ are orthogonal to } \bar{g}_i$$



The set of  $\bar{h}_i$  vectors are not only orthogonal to the  $\bar{g}_i$ 's but

- 1) orthogonal to each other
- 2) linear independent

$\therefore$

$$H = \begin{bmatrix} \bar{h}_0 \\ \vdots \\ \bar{h}_1 \\ \vdots \\ \bar{h}_{r-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

defines an  $r$ -dim. linear vector space

we have  $r$  orthogonal, linearly independent vectors (basis vectors!)



$H$  also defines a linear block code. It is called "the dual code of  $G$ "

if  $G$  generates a code  $C$   $(n, k)$

Then  $H$  generates a code  $C^\perp$   $(n, r)$

$$C \subset V ; C^\perp \subset V$$

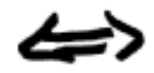
$$C \cap C^\perp = \emptyset \text{ except for } \bar{c} = \bar{0}$$



$R = \frac{4}{7}$ , (7,4) code

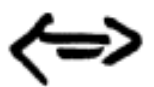
$$H = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

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$$G = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

$$G^\perp = \left[ \begin{array}{ccc|ccc} 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$



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(7,3)  $R = \frac{3}{7}$



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So far: lot's of theory, not very many codes

So far, we only have 2 "base" codes

1) repetition codes

2) "2-D" code from H.W., last quiz,  
and some lecture a while back

A new code: Hamming Codes

• All Hamming codes have  $d_{\min} = 3$  ( $t_c = 1$ )

• Hamming codes have  $r \geq 3$

• Hamming codes have a code length  $n = 2^r - 1$

$r=3 \Rightarrow n=7$ ;  $r=4 \Rightarrow n=15$ ,  $r=5 \Rightarrow n=31$



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Since  $k = n - r$

$$R = \frac{k}{n} = \frac{n-r}{n} = \frac{2^r - 1 - r}{2^r - 1}$$

$$\lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} R \rightarrow \frac{2^r}{2^r} = 1$$

$$t_c \geq \bar{t} + 3t_\sigma$$

$r$	3	4	5	6	7	8
$n$	7	15	31	63	127	255
$k$	4	11	26	57	120	247
$R \approx$	.571	.733	.839	.905	.945	.969



## Designing Hamming Codes:

- 1) pick  $r$  (establishes  $n, k$ )
- 2) write down the  $H$  matrix

example:  $r = 3 \Rightarrow n = 7 \Rightarrow k = 4$

$H$  is  $3 \times 7$  and starts w/  $3 \times 3$  Identity matrix

$$H = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & \vdots & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \vdots & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \vdots & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ \textcircled{1} & \textcircled{2} & \textcircled{4} & & \textcircled{3} & \textcircled{5} & \textcircled{6} & \textcircled{7} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$H = \begin{bmatrix} I_{r \times r} & -P^T \end{bmatrix}$$

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Construct the systematic parity check matrix for the (15, 11) Hamming code

$r = 4$

$$H = \left[ \begin{array}{cccc|cccccccccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

(1) (2) (4) (8) (3) (5) (6) (7) (9) (10) (11) (12) (13) (14) (15)

$r \geq 3$



Back to (7,4) Hamming Code

$$H = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\dim = 3$$

$$\bar{s} = \bar{v} H^T = \bar{e} H^T$$

and  $w_H(\bar{e}) \leq 1$  for correctable errors

$\therefore$  whichever  $e_i = 1$ ,  $\bar{e} H^T$  will strip out that row of  $H^T$



$$H^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{array}{l} \leftarrow \bar{e} \text{ for } \bar{e} = (1000000) \\ \leftarrow \bar{e} \text{ for } \bar{e} = (0100000) \\ \leftarrow \bar{e} \text{ for } \bar{e} = (0010000) \\ \\ \\ \leftarrow \bar{e} \text{ for } \bar{e} = (0000001) \end{array}$$

$C^\perp$  for  $(7,4)$  Hamming code is a  $(7,3)$  code  
dim for  $C^\perp$  is  $\dim = 4$