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## LDPC codes for storage applications

**Abstract:** Low-density parity-check (LDPC) codes are a class of linear block codes that in recent years has turned out to be very useful for many applications, especially in the storage field. As the name suggests, these codes are fully characterized by their parity-check matrix, whose specific properties give rise to many strengths, but also to some weaknesses. From a practical point of view, the sparsity of the matrix allows to save a lot of space, but at the same time it increases the probability of falling into the so-called trapping sets, which are among the main responsible for a bad performance of the code. An interesting fact is that the parity-check matrix of an LDPC code can be represented by a bipartite graph, thus linking coding theory and graph theory. In this talk we will discuss the main features of LDPC codes, focusing on their application to storage. We will describe their structure, their most famous decoding algorithm, their main strengths and limits.

Registration for the online event to be made by 8th November via the following link: click here

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