

# CN Revision Q's

• TA said it's important

1. Consider message '1001011' what are the resulting Parity bits after applying Hamming with even Parity

$$m=7 \rightarrow \lceil \log_2 7 \rceil = 3 \text{ thus } r=4$$

$\overline{P_1}$	$\overline{P_2}$	$\overline{m_3}$	$\overline{P_4}$	$\overline{m_5}$	$\overline{m_6}$	$\overline{m_7}$	$\overline{P_8}$	$\overline{m_9}$	$\overline{m_{10}}$	$\overline{m_{11}}$
		1		0	0	1		0	1	1
		011		101	110	111		1001	1010	1011

$$P_1 = m_3 \oplus m_5 \oplus m_7 \oplus m_9 \oplus m_{11} = 3 \times 1 = 1$$

$$P_2 = m_3 \oplus m_6 \oplus m_7 \oplus m_{10} \oplus m_{11} = 4 \times 1 = 0$$

$$P_4 = m_5 \oplus m_6 \oplus m_7 = 1$$

$$P_8 = m_9 \oplus m_{10} \oplus m_{11} = 0$$

• Asked for  $P_3 P_2 P_1 P_0 = 0101$

2. Consider bitstream 11010111

→ As the receiver detect if there are any errors using CRC where the generator polynomial is  $x^3 + 1$

• which part of the bitstream is message / CRC?

• Generator is  $x^3 + 1 \rightarrow$  CRC is 3 last bits

Message = 1101011, CRC = 111

• To detect error

$\rightarrow$  Divide bitStream Polynomial by Generator in  $GF(2)$   
• Should yield zero remainder

bitStream:  $x^9 + x^8 + x^6 + x^4 + x^3 + x^2 + x + 1$

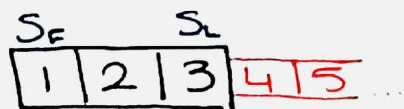
Generator:  $x^3 + 1$

$$\begin{array}{r} x^6 + x^5 + x^2 + x + 1 \\ x^3 + 1 \overline{) x^9 + x^8 + x^6 + x^4 + x^3 + x^2 + x + 1} \\ \underline{- x^9 + x^6} \phantom{+ x^8 + x^4 + x^3 + x^2 + x + 1} \\ x^8 + x^4 + x^3 + x^2 + x + 1 \\ \underline{x^8 + x^5} \phantom{+ x^4 + x^3 + x^2 + x + 1} \\ x^5 + x^4 + x^3 + x^2 + x + 1 \\ \underline{x^5 + x^2} \phantom{+ x^4 + x^3 + x + 1} \\ x^4 + x^3 + x + 1 \\ \underline{x^4 + x} \phantom{+ x^3 + 1} \\ x^3 + 1 \\ \underline{x^3 + 1} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

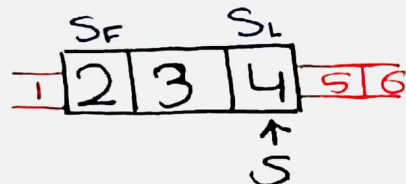
$\rightarrow$  Remainder is 0; no error detected

### 3. Go-back-N where $W_s = 3$

- Frames 1, 2, 3 have been sent



- Sender received ack for frame 1



- Frames 4, 5, 6, 7, 8. are waiting to be sent

→ assume frame 2 is lost. what frames would the sender need to retransmit?  
Send twice

- In the worst case, by the time the sender times out it has sent 4 as well

→ So once it times out, it will need to send 2, 3, 4  
( $S = S_F \rightarrow S = 5$ )

### 4. Is Selective Repeat commonly used with noisy channels?

Yes, although it requires a receiver with a larger buffer & that's more complex compared to Go-back. It results in much fewer retransmissions for noisy channels.

### 5. In, SR what is the maximum sender & receiver window size. (max no. of outstanding frames)

→ Perhaps, receiver should be fixed

→ Consider  $m$  bits for seq. nr

→ Then it's  $2^{m-1}$  (i.e.  $(MAXSEQ + 1) / 2$ )



6. In Go-back-N there's only one timer which is ack timer.
- Go-back-N has no ack timer
  - Only sets timer each time it sends frame

7. Consider a Sliding Window Protocol where

$$T_t = 3 \text{ ms}$$

$$\text{Round trip delay} = 30 \text{ ms} \quad (2T_p)$$

- What window size  $W_s$  guarantees 100% Channel utilization

$$W_s = \frac{T_t + 2T_p}{T_t} = \frac{3 + 30}{3} = 11$$

which further means we need to use at least

$$m = \lceil \log_2 W_s \rceil = 4 \text{ bits for the seq. nrs}$$

8. Station A uses 32B Packets to transmit messages to Station B using Sliding Window Protocol.

- Round trip delay ( $2T_p$ ) is 80 ms
- Bottleneck BW is 128 Kbps
- What is the optimal window size  $W_s$  that A should use

$$W_s = \frac{T_t + 2T_p}{T_t}$$
$$= \frac{2 + 80}{2} = 41$$

• need  $T_t$

$$T_t = \frac{L}{B} = \frac{32 \times 8}{128 \times 10^3} = 2 \text{ ms}$$

9. Consider the network topology



• uses  
Stop & wait

I only Send  
next frame after  
getting ack

•  $T_t(\text{data}) = 1000 \text{ Ms}$

•  $T_t(\text{ack}) = 10 \text{ Ms}$

•  $T_p = 1 \text{ Ms}$

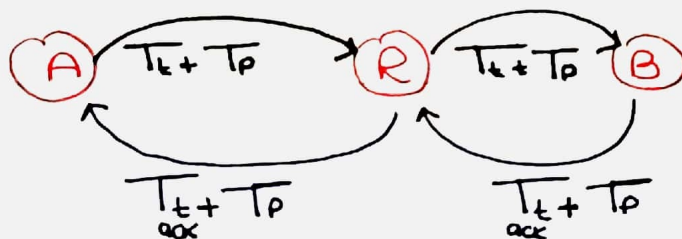
Assume between each 2 nodes

• File Size = 10 Kbit

• Packet Size = 1000 bit

How much time to transmit whole file?

- File can be clearly sent over 10 Packets (Frames)
- To send 1 frame using Stop & wait



} will need to get  
ack before sending  
next frame.

• Clearly,

$$T_{\text{frame}} = 2(1000 + 1) + 2(10 + 1)$$

$$= 2024 \text{ Ms} = 2.024 \text{ ms}$$

• For the whole file

$$T = 10 T_{\text{frame}} = 20.24 \text{ ms}$$

10. which Protocol has the functionality of selecting the best path for data transmission

- IP (IP routing finds the path given a packet)

→ Note that TCP doesn't find the specific path (but ensures it will be equivalent to a reliable (ordered and error-checked packets))

- UDP doesn't even ensure that and ~~error~~ is irrelevant.

11. Consider the character sequence

"H I ESC U FLAG"

→ each encoded in 8 bits

H	I	ESC	U	FLAG
01101101	11110011	11100000	10010111	01111110
	↑ 0	↑ 0		↑ 0

- Stuffed message:  $8 \times 5 + 3$  bits

Flags:  $8 \times 2$  bits

→ Hence 59 bits will need to be transmitted