Memory.

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0.1 Notations and Definitions.

Consider a code with a 2-colorized (k-colorized) Tanner graph, such that any two left bits of the same color share no stabilizer. For a subset of bits S, we denote by S_{c_1} its restriction to color c_1 . We use the integer Δ to denote half of the stabilizers connected to a single bit. (We assume fixed left and right degree in the graph).

0.2 Idea.

Given -
$$\rho$$
 \longrightarrow Decoding \longrightarrow p -depololraized
$$\downarrow \qquad \qquad \downarrow \qquad \qquad \downarrow \\ E_1 \qquad \qquad E_2 \qquad \qquad E_3$$

 $\Pr[\mathbf{Sup}(E_2) = S] \leq \Pr[\text{any bit } v \in S_{c_1} \text{ sees majority of unstatisfied stabilizers }] \leq q^{\Delta|S|_{c_1}}$

$$\mathbf{Pr} \left[\mathbf{Sup} \left(E_{3} \right) = S \right] = \sum_{S' \subset S} \mathbf{Pr} \left[\mathbf{Sup} \left(E_{2} \right) = S' \cap \mathbf{Sup} \left(E_{3} / E_{2} \right) = S / S' \right] \\
\leq \sum_{S' \subset S} q^{\Delta |S'_{c_{1}}|} p^{|S / S'_{c_{1}}|} \leq \sum_{S' \subset S} q^{\Delta |S'_{c_{1}}|} p^{|S_{c_{1}}| - |S'_{c_{1}}|} \\
\leq \left(q^{\Delta} + p \right)^{|S_{c_{1}}|} \leq \begin{cases} \left(q^{\Delta} + p \right)^{\frac{1}{4}|S|} & \text{if } |S_{c_{1}}| \geq \frac{1}{4}|S| \\
\star & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

Let $S^t = \mathbf{Sup}(E)$ at time t and denote by \mathcal{P}_t the probability that $|S_{c_1}^t| > \frac{1}{4}|S_t|$. Then:

$$\mathcal{P}_{t+1} \ge \mathbf{Pr} \left[|S_{c_1}^t| > \frac{1}{4} |S_t| \text{ and } |(S_{t+1}/S_t)_{c_1}| \ge \frac{1}{4} |S_{t+1}/S_t| \right]$$

$$\ge \mathcal{P}_t \cdot \left(1 - e^{-\varepsilon} m \right) \ge \mathcal{P}_0 \left(1 - (t+1)e^{-\varepsilon m} \right)$$