

2.1) The false-positive rate  $= (1 - e^{-km/n})^k$ .

where  $k$  is number of hash functions,  $n$  is the bit-array length,  $m$  is the number of members of  $S$ .

Thus: Three hash function false-positive rate  $= (1 - e^{-3 \cdot 2/10})^3 \approx 0.0918 = 9.18\%$

Four hash function false-positive rate  $= (1 - e^{-4 \cdot 2/10})^4 \approx 0.09195 = 9.195\%$

2.2) Suppose we are given the ratio  $m/n$  and want to min the false-positive rate with the optimal  $k$ .

We have false-positive function  $=(1 - e^{-km/n})^k$ .

Let  $g = \ln(f) = k \ln(1 - e^{-km/n})$ ,

Suppose  $p = e^{-km/n}$ , then  $k = -\frac{n}{m} \ln(p)$ . Then:

$$g = k \ln(1 - p) = -\frac{n}{m} \ln(p) \ln(1 - p).$$

$$\text{Thus } k = -\frac{n}{m} \ln(1/2) = \ln(2) \cdot \frac{n}{m}.$$

We Assume  $n = 10$  billion bits,  $m = 2$  billion members of set  $S$ .

The number of hash function mins the false-positive rate is:

$$k = \ln(2) \cdot \frac{10}{2}.$$

$$\approx 3.45.$$

Thus the Three or four hash function