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Aim: Write a program to implement error detection and correction using HAMMING code concept. Make a test run to input data stream and verify error correction feature.

Error Correction at data link layer:

Hamming code is a set of error-correction codes that can be used to detect and correct the errors that can occur when the data is transmitted from the sender to the receiver. It is a technique developed by R.W. Hamming for error correction.

Create a sender program with below features:

1] Input to sender file should be a text of any length. program should convert the text to binary.
2] Apply hamming code concept on the binary data and add redundant bits to it.
3] Save this output in a file called channel.

Create a receiver program with below features:

1] Receiver program should read the input from channel file.
2] Apply hamming code on the binary data to check for errors.
3] If there is an error, display the position of the error.
4] Else remove the redundant error bits and convert the binary data to ascii and display the output.

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#include <stdio.h>
#include <string.h>
#include <math.h>
void chartobinary(char ch, int binary[], int *index){
    for(int i=7; i>=0; i--){
        binary[(*index)++] = (ch >> i) & 1;
    }
}

void calparitybits(int hamcode[], int n, int r){
    for(int i=0; i<r; i++){
        int paritypos = (int)pow(2, i);
        int parity = 0;
        for(int j = paritypos; j<=n; j = j + (2*paritypos)){
            for(int k=j; k<j+paritypos && k<=n; k++){
                parity ^= hamcode[k];
            }
        }
        hamcode[paritypos] = parity;
    }
}

int generatehamcode(int dbits[], int m, int hamcode[]){
    int r=0; int n=m;
    while(n+r+1 > pow(2, r)){
        r++;
    }
    n = m+r;
    for(int i=1, j=0, k=0; i<=n; i++){
        if(i == (int)pow(2,k)){
            hamcode[i] = 0;
            k++;
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    } else {
        hamcode[j] = dbits[j++];
    }
}
calparitybits(hamcode, n, r);
return n;
}

int detandcorrect(int hamcode[], int n, int r){
    int errorpos = 0;
    for(int i=0; i<r; i++){
        int paritypos= (int)pow(2,i);
        int parity =0;
        for(int j=paritypos; j<=n; j+= (2*paritypos)){
            for(int k=j; k<(j+paritypos)&& k<=n; k++){
                parity^= hamcode[k];
            }
        }
        if(parity!=0){
            errorpos += paritypos;
        }
    }
    return errorpos;
}

void bintochar(int binary[], int length, char output[]){
    int index=0;
    for(int i=0; i<length; i+=8){
        char ch=0;
        for(int j=0; j<8; j++){
            ch |= (binary[i+j]<<(7-j));
        } output[index++] = ch;
    } output[index++] = '\0';
}
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int main(){
 char inputstring[92];
 int binary[200];
 int dbits[200];
 int hamcode[512];
 printf("Enter the input string:");
 Scanf("%s", inputstring);
 int index=0;
 for(int i=0; i<strlen(inputstring); i++){
   charToBinary(inputString[i], binary, &index);
 }
 for(int i=0; i<index; i++){
    databits[i] = binary[i];
 }
 int n= generatehamcode(databits, index, hamcode);
 printf("Generated Hamming Code:");
 for(int i=1; i<=n; i++){
    printf("%d", Hamcode[i]);
 }
 printf("\n");
 printf("Enter the position to simulate error");
 int errorpos;
 Scanf("%d", &errorpos);

 if(errorpos>0 && errorpos<=n){
    hamcode[errorpos] = !hamcode[errorpos];
    printf("Hamming code with error:");
    for(int i=1; i<=n; i++){
       printf("%d", hamming code[i]);
    }
    printf("\n");
 }
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int detErrorPos = detAndCorrError(hamCode, n, log2(n));
if (detErrorPos == 0) {
    printf("No error detected.\n");
}
else {
    printf("error detected at position: %d\n", detErrorPos);
    int orgBit = !hamCode[detErrorPos];
    hamCode[detErrorPos] = orgBit;
    printf("corrected Hamming code:");
    for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
        printf("%d", hamCode[i]);
    }
    printf("\n");
    printf("Corrected bit at position %d: %d\n",
           detErrorPos, orgBit);
}

int correctedDataBits[30];
int j = 0, k = 0;
for (int i = 1; i <= n; i++) {
    if (i != (int)pow(2, k)) {
        correctedDataBits[j++] = hamCode[i];
    }
    else {
        k++;
    }
}

char correctedString[32];
binaryToChar(correctedDataBits, j, correctedString);
printf("corrected string: %s\n", correctedString);
return 0;
}
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output:

Enter the input string: hey

Generated Hamming code: 000111101100001111001010111001

Enter the position to stimulate error: 3

Hamming Code with error: 001111011000011100101011100 1

Error detected at position: 3

Corrected Code: 000111101100001111001010111001

Corrected bit position 3: 0

Corrected String: hey

Result:

Thus the program to implement 'HAMMING CODE' error detection and correction is executed and output is verified.