

Introduction to Coding Theory Assignment 18

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1 Q1

- (a) The roots are $(x^2 + x + 1)$ and $(x^3 + x^2 + 1)$ in $\text{GF}(2^6)$
- (b) The roots are $(x + 1)$ and $(x^3 + x + 1)$ in $\text{GF}(2^3)$
- (c) The roots are $x^3 + x^2 + 1$ and $(x^3 + x + 1)$ in $\text{GF}(2^3)$

2 Q2

- (a) The root is α^3 in $\text{GF}(2^3)$
- (b) The roots are α^3 and α^6 in $\text{GF}(2^3)$
- (c) No roots exist