### GBF LDOI

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# 1 G-BF decoding for group codes

We given an example considering  $G=\mathcal{C}_{31}=\{1,g,\cdots,g^{30}\}$ , considering a code  $\mathfrak{C}\subseteq\mathbb{F}_2G$ , with orthogonal idemponent

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e_0^+ = g^3 + g^6 + g^{12} + g^{17} + g^{24}
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[1]: #Auxiliary functions
    #On input a vector $\mathtt{a}$$, return the corresponding
    #element of the group algebra
    #K denotes the field, G the group, KG the group algebra
    def from_vector_to_KG(K,G,KG,a):
        a_{in}KG = KG(0);
        for i in range(len(a)):
            KG_{term} = a[i]*KG(G[i]);
            a_in_KG += KG_term;
        return a_in_KG;
    #Sample vector with weight t, length n
    #K is the finite field
    def low_weight_vector(K,n,t):
        q = K.cardinality();
        a = vector(K,n);
        while a.list().count(0)>(n-t):
            i = randrange(n);
            if a[i] == 0:
                val = K(1+randrange(q-1));
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#### 2 Define the code

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[12]: n = 31; #code length
      q = 2; #finite field size
      #Define group and field
      G = CyclicPermutationGroup(n);
      K = GF(q); #finite field
      KG = GroupAlgebra(G,K); #group algebra
      #Define idemponent eO_plus
      e0_plus_in_KG = KG(G[3]) + KG(G[6]) + KG(G[12]) + KG(G[17]) + KG(G[24])
      #Doing some sanity checks
      print("e0_plus*e0_plus == e0_plus ?",e0_plus_in_KG*e0_plus_in_KG ==_
      ⇔e0_plus_in_KG)
      #Define M matrix for decoding
      M = matrix(K,n,n);
      for i in range(n):
          g_i = G[i]*e0_plus_in_KG;
          m_i = vector(K,g_i);
          for j in range(n):
              M[j,i] = m_i[j];
      #Compute also adjacency matrix
      A = matrix(ZZ,n,n)
      for i in range(n-1):
          for j in range(i+1,n):
              a_{ij} = 0
              for ell in range(n):
                  if (M[ell,i]==1)&(M[ell,j]==1):
                      a_ij += 1
              A[i,j] = a_ij
              A[j,i] = a_ij
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#print adjacency matrix
print(" ")
print("Adjacency matrix:")
print(A)
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e0\_plus\*e0\_plus == e0\_plus ? True

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Adjacency matrix:
[0\;0\;0\;1\;0\;1\;1\;1\;0\;1\;1\;1\;1\;1\;1\;0\;0\;1\;1\;1\;1\;1\;1\;0\;1\;1\;1\;0\;1\;0\;0]
[0\;0\;0\;0\;0\;1\;0\;1\;1\;1\;0\;1\;1\;1\;1\;1\;0\;0\;1\;1\;1\;1\;1\;1\;0\;1]
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# 3 Algorithm for G-BF decoder

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[17]: #G-BF decoder
def GBF(K, s_in_KG, M, threshold_BF, IterMax):
     #Represent syndrome as a vector
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s = vector(s_in_KG);
my_err_vec = vector(K,n); #error vector estimate
num_iter = 0; #iteration counter
while ((s.list().count(1)>0))&(num_iter < IterMax ):</pre>
    #Compute counters
    counters = matrix(s.change_ring(ZZ))*M.change_ring(ZZ);
    #Flipping bits
    for i in range(n):
        if counters[0,i]>=threshold_BF[num_iter]:
            my_err_vec[i] += K(1);
            s += vector(M[:,i].transpose());
    num_iter += 1;
if s.list().count(1)>0:
    return -1 #report failure
else:
   return my_err_vec
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### 4 Set decoder and simulation parameters

- number of errors
- number of iterations
- thresholds

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[22]: t = 2; #number of errors
threshold_BF = [4,4]; #this must be a list with length = IterMax
num_trials = 1000; #number of decoding attempts

IterMax = len(threshold_BF)
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[23]: #Test decoding for many trials
dfr = RR(0);
for num_test in range(1,num_trials+1):

#Sample random error vector
err_vec = low_weight_vector(K,n,t);
err_vec_in_KG = from_vector_to_KG(K,G,KG,err_vec);

#Computing syndrome
s_in_KG = err_vec_in_KG*e0_plus_in_KG;

#Run decoder
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err_vec_estimate = GBF(K, s_in_KG, M, threshold_BF, IterMax)
if err_vec_estimate != err_vec:
    dfr += 1;

#Print results
if (num_test%100)==0:
    print("t = ",t,", Num test = "+str(num_test)+", DFR = "+str(N(dfr/
    (num_test))));
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