

1. An additive noise channel

$$Y = X + Z$$

$\Pr\{Z=0\} = \Pr\{Z=a\} = \frac{1}{2}$. The alphabet for X is $X = \{0, 1\}$. Assume that Z is independent of X .

① if $a=0$ $Y = X + Z = X$

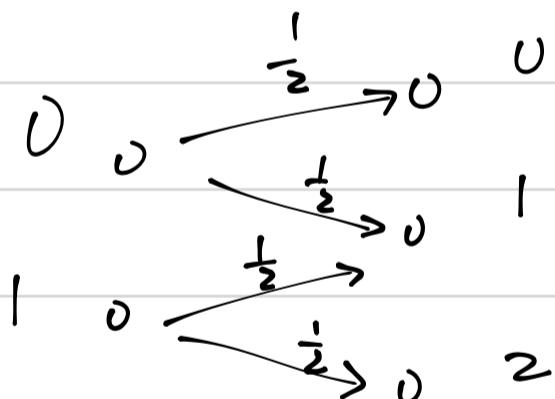
$$C = \max I(X; Y) = \max (H(Y) - H(Y|X))$$

$$= \max H(Y) = \max H(X)$$

= 1 bit/transmission

It is achievable with $\begin{cases} P(X=0) = \frac{1}{2} \\ P(X=1) = \frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$

② if $a=1$ $Y = X + Z$ $\Pr(Z=0) = \Pr(Z=1) = \frac{1}{2}$



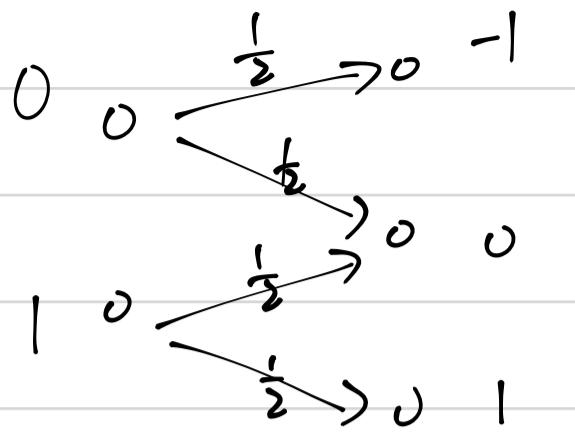
There are 3 outcomes and the channel is binary erasure channel with $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$

$$C = 1 - \alpha = 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \text{ bit per transmission}$$

The capacity is $\frac{1}{2}$ bit/transmission

achieves when $P(X=0) = \frac{1}{2}$ and $P(X=1) = \frac{1}{2}$

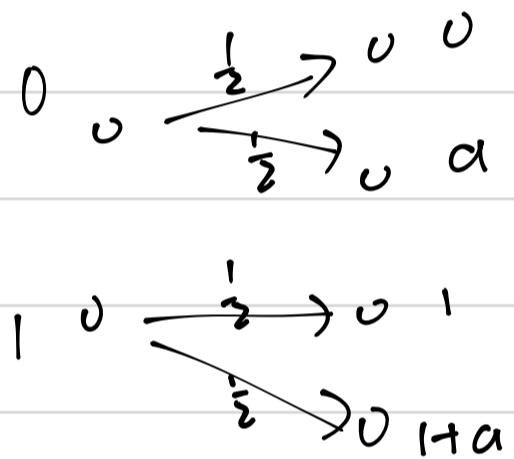
③ if $a=-1$ $Y = X + Z$ $\Pr(Z=0) = \Pr(Z=-1) = \frac{1}{2}$



The same with (2), this is a binary erasure channel with $\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$

$\therefore C = 1 - \alpha = 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$ bit/transmission
achieves when $p(X=0) = \frac{1}{2}$ and $p(X=1) = \frac{1}{2}$

$$(4) \quad a \neq 0, \pm 1 \quad Y = X + Z$$

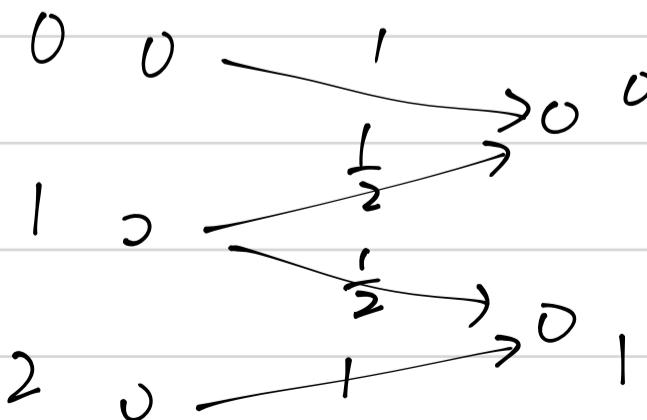


The results 0, a are from $X=0$
the results 1, 1+a are from $X=1$,
if we know Y, we know X
 $\therefore H(X|Y) = 0$

$$C = \max I(X;Y) = \max [H(X) - H(X|Y)] \\ = \max H(X) = 1 \text{ bit/trans}$$

achieves when $p(X=0) = \frac{1}{2}$ $p(X=1) = \frac{1}{2}$

2. Inverse Erasure Channel



$$C = \max I(x; Y) = \max [H(Y) - H(Y|X)] \\ = \max [H(Y) - \sum_i p(x=x_i) H(Y|X=x_i)]$$

$$= \max [H(Y) - [p(x=0) H(Y|X=0) + p(x=1) H(Y|X=1) \\ + p(x=2) H(Y|X=2)]]$$

$$= \max [H(Y) - p(x=1) \cdot H(\frac{1}{2})]$$

$$= \max H(Y) - p(x=1)$$

so, we want $H(Y)$ as large as possible and $p(x=1)$ as small as possible.

The largest possible value for $H(Y)$ is 1, when

$$p(y=0) = p(y=1) = \frac{1}{2}$$

This can be achieved as we set $p(x=0) = p(x=2)$, and set $p(x=1)$ to $1 - 2 \cdot p(x=0)$

∴ when $P(X) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & X=0 \\ 0 & X=1 \\ \frac{1}{2} & X=2 \end{cases}$

we can have the $\max H(Y) - p(x=1) = 1 - 0 = 1$

∴ The channel capacity is 1 bit/transmission

3. Cyclic Symmetry

(a) Give P for the binary erasure channel
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$$\begin{array}{ccc} 0 & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & 0 \\ & \xrightarrow{\alpha} & 0 \\ 1 & \xrightarrow{1-\alpha} & 0 \end{array} \quad P = \begin{bmatrix} 1-\alpha & \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & \alpha & 1-\alpha \end{bmatrix}$$

(b) For the binary erasure channel, decompose the columns of P into the subsets S_i described above.

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 & c_2 & c_3 \\ 1-\alpha & \alpha & 0 \\ 0 & \alpha & 1-\alpha \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{There are 3 columns in } P$$

We can divide them into $S_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha \\ \alpha \end{bmatrix}$ $S_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1-\alpha & 0 \\ 0 & 1-\alpha \end{bmatrix}$
 $\therefore S_1 = \{c_2\}$ $S_2 = \{c_1, c_3\}$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \bigcup S_i = S_1 \cup S_2 = \{c_1, c_2, c_3\} = C$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \text{if } S_i \neq S_j \quad \text{then } S_i \cap S_j = \emptyset$$

for S_1 , the cyclic shift for $\begin{bmatrix} \alpha \\ \alpha \end{bmatrix}$ is itself

for S_2 , the cyclic shift for $\begin{bmatrix} 1-\alpha \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ is $\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1-\alpha \end{bmatrix}$. they are all in the S_2

\therefore The columns of P can be decomposed into

$$S_1 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} \alpha \\ \alpha \end{bmatrix} \right\} \quad S_2 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1-\alpha \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1-\alpha \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

(c) Prove that the Matrix conditions for Cyclic Symmetry described above are indeed sufficient for a channel to have cyclic symmetry.

$$\text{The transmission matrix } P = \begin{bmatrix} P(y=y_1 | x=x_1) & P(y=y_2 | x=x_1) & \dots & P(y=y_n | x=x_1) \\ P(y=y_1 | x=x_2) & P(y=y_2 | x=x_2) & \dots & P(y=y_n | x=x_2) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ P(y=y_1 | x=x_m) & P(y=y_2 | x=x_m) & \dots & P(y=y_n | x=x_m) \end{bmatrix}$$

I suppose there are m outcomes for X
there are n outcomes for Y

Suppose we have a input distribution for X

$$\begin{array}{c|ccccc} X & x_1 & x_2 & x_3 & \dots & x_m \\ \hline p(x) & p_1 & p_2 & p_3 & \dots & p_m \end{array} \quad p_1 + \dots + p_m = 1$$

$$(\text{let } P_X = [p_1, p_2, p_3, \dots, p_m])$$

we can simplify the notation for transmission matrix :

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} P_{11} & P_{21} & \dots & P_{n1} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ P_{1m} & P_{2m} & \dots & P_{nm} \\ \uparrow & \uparrow & & \uparrow \\ c_1 & c_2 & \dots & c_n \end{bmatrix}$$

For the input distribution P_X ,

$$\text{the channel capacity } C = \max I(X; Y)$$

$$= \max H(Y) - H(Y|X)$$

Now, if we have a cyclic shift for input distribution
we suppose the shift is i

$\therefore X$	$ $	x_1	x_2	x_3	\dots	x_m
$P(x)$	$ $	$P_{(i+1) \text{mod } m}$	$P_{(i+2) \text{mod } m}$	$P_{(i+3) \text{mod } m}$	\dots	$P_{(i+m) \text{mod } m}$
		\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	\dots	\downarrow

We can denote this shifted version as $Px' = [p'_1 \dots p'_m]$

For the shifted input distribution Px'

$$\text{The channel capacity } C' = \max I(X; Y)'$$

$$= \max H(Y)' - H(Y|X)'$$

① For $H(Y|X)'$

$$H(Y|X)' = \sum_i p'_i H(Y|X=x_i)$$

according to the first property, all the rows of P are permutations of each other \rightarrow

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} P_{11} & P_{21} & \dots & P_{n1} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ P_{1m} & P_{2m} & \dots & P_{nm} \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{the entropy of each row} \\ \text{is the same} \end{array}$$

$$\therefore H(Y|X=x_1) = H(Y|X=x_2) = \dots = H(Y|X=x_m)$$

$$\therefore \sum_i p'_i H(Y|X=x_i) = H(Y|X=x_1)$$

$$H(Y|X)' = H(Y|X)$$

The cyclic shift of input distribution does not change $H(Y|X)$

(2) for $H(Y)'$, we first consider the original $H(Y)$

$$P_X \times P = [p_1 \ p_2 \ \dots \ p_m] \times \begin{bmatrix} p_{11} & p_{21} & \dots & p_{n1} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ p_{1m} & p_{2m} & \dots & p_{nm} \end{bmatrix} = [q_1 \ q_2 \ \dots \ q_n]$$

↑
distribution for y

$$H(Y) = H(q_1, q_2, \dots, q_n)$$

If we use shifted distribution

$$P_X' \times P = [p'_1 \ p'_2 \ \dots \ p'_m] \times \begin{bmatrix} p_{11} & p_{21} & \dots & p_{n1} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ p_{1m} & p_{2m} & \dots & p_{nm} \end{bmatrix} = [q'_1 \ q'_2 \ \dots \ q'_n]$$

According to the property 2.

The set C of columns of P can be separated into
subset S_i .

and for each S_i , each element in S_i has its cyclic shift in the same subset

consider

$$[p'_1 \ p'_2 \ \dots \ p'_m] \times \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | \\ S_{i1} & S_{i2} & \dots & S_{ir} \\ | & | & & | \end{bmatrix} = [q'_{i1} \ q'_{i2} \ \dots \ q'_{ir}]$$

S_{i1}, \dots, S_{ir} are r columns in S_i . they are cyclic shift

for each other

Since S_i contains one instance with all of its cyclic shift element. $[q_{i1}' \dots q_{ir'}]$ is a permutation of $[q_{i1}, q_{i2}, \dots, q_{ir}]$

\therefore for all the subsets

$$P_X^1 \times P = \underbrace{[p_1' p_2' \dots p_m']}_{\text{stack all the columns together}} \times [S_1, S_2 \dots S_k] = [q_1' q_2' \dots q_n']$$

$\therefore [q_1' q_2' \dots q_n']$ is a permutation of $[q_1, q_2, \dots, q_n]$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore H(Y)' &= H(q_1, q_2, \dots, q_n) \\ &= I-I(q_1, q_2, \dots, q_n) = I-I(Y) \end{aligned}$$

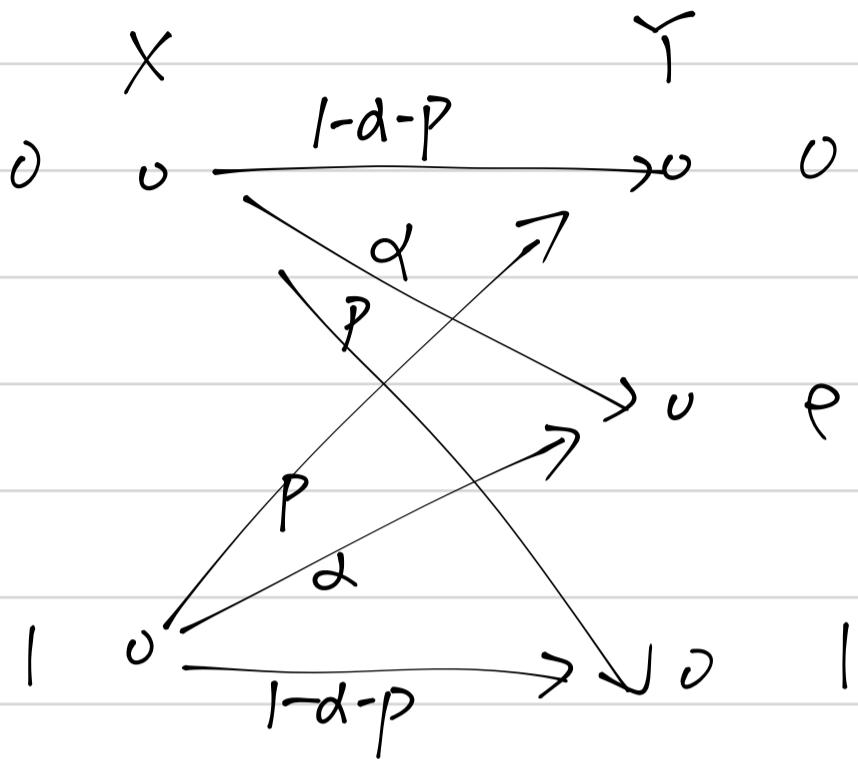
Therefore, we have shown that

$$\begin{aligned} C' &= \max [H(Y)' - I-I(Y|X)'] \\ &= \max [H(Y) - I-I(Y|X)] \\ &= C \end{aligned}$$

\therefore When we cyclic shift the input distribution
The mutual information remains the same.

\therefore The Matrix conditions for Cyclic Symmetry is sufficient for a channel to have cyclic symmetry.

4. Errors, Erasure, and Symmetry



(a) Write down the transition matrix for this channel.

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 1-d-p & d & p \\ p & d & 1-d-p \end{bmatrix}$$

(b) Does this channel satisfy the matrix conditions for cyclic symmetry? Explain.

Yes

We can use the results from previous questions.

It satisfies the Matrix conditions for Cyclic Symmetry.

- ① All the rows of P are permutation of each other.
- ② the P can be divided into

$$S_1 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} d \\ d \end{bmatrix} \right\} \quad S_2 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} 1-d-p \\ p \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} p \\ 1-d-p \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

such that $\bigcup_i S_i = C$ and $S_1 \neq S_2$, $S_1 \cap S_2 = \emptyset$
 and each element (columns) in S_1 and S_2 are
 permutations of each other.
 It is cyclic symmetry.

(c) Does this channel satisfy the matrix conditions for weak symmetry? Explain.

No

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 1-\alpha-p & \alpha & p \\ p & \alpha & 1-\alpha-p \end{bmatrix}$$

The column sum is $1-\alpha$, 2α , $1-\alpha$, if it is weakly symmetry, the columns sums are equal,
 if $\alpha = \frac{1}{3}$. it is weakly symmetry, ($1-\alpha = 2\alpha$)
 if $\alpha \neq \frac{1}{3}$, it is not weak symmetry.

(d) Find the capacity for this channel.

This is a cyclic symmetry. So the uniform distribution achieves the capacity

$$C = \max I(X; Y)$$

$$= \max H(Y) - H(Y|X)$$

$$= \max H(Y) - \sum_i P(X=x_i) H(Y|X=x_i)$$

$$= \max H(Y) - H(1-\alpha-p, \alpha, p)$$

When input x is uniform distribution

$$H(Y) = H\left(\frac{1-\alpha}{2}, \frac{\alpha}{2}, \alpha\right)$$

$$C = H\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}, \frac{1-\alpha}{2}, \alpha\right) - H(1-\alpha-p, \alpha, p)$$

$$C = H(\alpha) + 1 - \alpha - H(1-\alpha-p, \alpha, p)$$

$$\text{achieves when } p(x=0) = p(x=1) = \frac{1}{2}$$

(e) Show how your capacity expression simplifies to other channel capacities

if $p=0, \alpha \neq 0$

$$C = H\left(\frac{\alpha}{2}, \frac{1-\alpha}{2}, \alpha\right) - H(\alpha)$$

$$= H(\alpha) + (1-\alpha)H\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right) - H(\alpha)$$

$$= 1 - \alpha$$

\therefore it degrades to binary erasure channel

if $\alpha=0, p \neq 0$

$$C = H\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right) - H(1-p, p) = 1 - H(p)$$

it degrades to Binary Symmetric Channel (BSC)

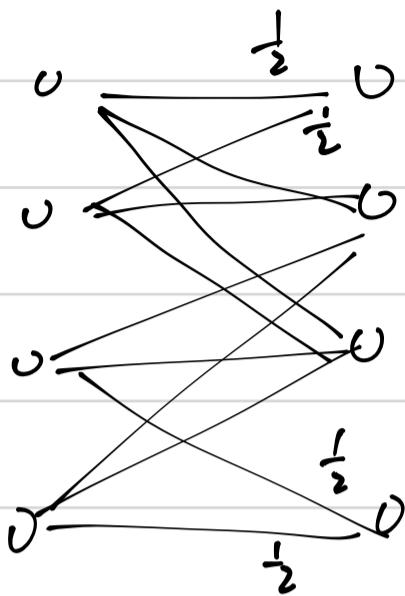
if $\alpha=0$ and $p=0$

$$C = H\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right) - 0 = 1$$

$0 \ 0 \xrightarrow{\quad} 0 \ 0$ It is noiseless Binary

$1 \ 0 \xrightarrow{\quad} 0 \ 1$ channel

5. Symmetric channel?



(a) Does this channel meet the conditions to be weakly symmetric?

If a channel is weakly symmetric.

- ① All the rows are permutations of each other
- ② column sums are equal.

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix}$$

It meets the conditions to be weakly symmetric

- (b) Is the mutual information of this channel invariant to shifts in the input probability distribution?

No.

X has 4 outcomes and Y has 4 outcomes

Suppose

$$P(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & x=1 \\ \frac{1}{2} & x=2 \\ 0 & x=3 \\ 0 & x=4 \end{cases}$$

$$C = \max I(x; Y) = \max H(Y) - H(Y|x)$$

$$H(Y|x) = \sum P(x=x_i) H(Y|x=x_i)$$

$$= H\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{2} + H\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{2} \\ = H\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}\right)$$

$$H(Y) = H\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}\right)$$

$$\therefore C = \max H(Y) - H(Y|x) = 0$$

Then, we make a cyclic shift for input distribution

$$P(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & x=1 \\ \frac{1}{2} & x=2 \\ \frac{1}{2} & x=3 \\ 0 & x=4 \end{cases}$$

$$C = \max [H(Y) - H(Y|x)]$$

$$\text{Again } H(Y|x) = H\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}\right)$$

$$\text{But } H(Y) = H\left(\frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}\right) = 2$$

$$C = \max [2 - H\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}\right)]$$

\therefore The mutual information has changed.

It is not invariant to shift.

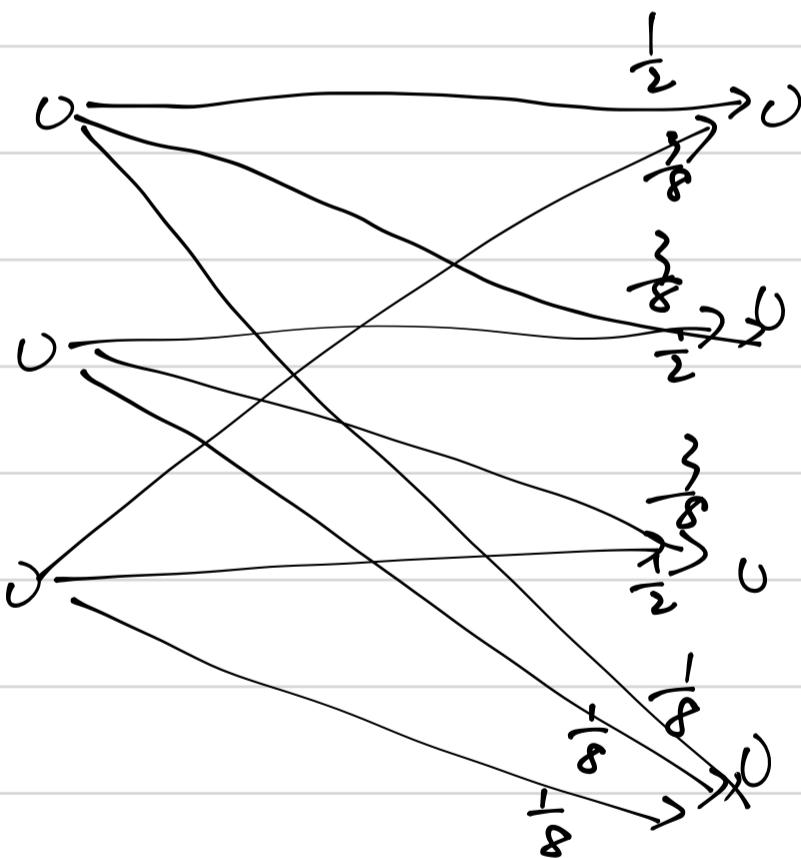
(c) what is the capacity of this channel?

This is a weakly symmetric channel.

$$C = \log |Y| - H(r)$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore C &= \log 4 - H\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, \frac{1}{4}\right) \\ &= 2 - \left(-\frac{1}{2} \log \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4} \log \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} \log \frac{1}{4}\right) \\ &= 2 - \left[\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}\right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \text{ bit/transmission}\end{aligned}$$

6. Symmetric channel?



(a) Does this channel meet the conditions to be weakly symmetric?

If a channel is weakly symmetric

- ① All the rows are permutations of each other
- ② the columns sums are equal

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{8} & 0 & \frac{1}{8} \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{8} & \frac{1}{8} \\ \frac{3}{8} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{8} \end{bmatrix}$$

The sum of the 4th column is $\frac{3}{8}$, while others' are $\frac{1}{2}$. columns sums are different.

It is not weakly symmetric.

(b) Is the mutual information of this channel invariant to cyclic shifts?

Yes.

- ① All the rows are permutations of each other
- ② According to the previous question

we can divide the columns in P into 2 subsets

$$S_1 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 \\ \frac{3}{8} \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} \frac{3}{8} \\ \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{3}{8} \\ \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \right\} \quad S_2 = \left\{ \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{8} \\ \frac{1}{8} \\ \frac{1}{8} \end{bmatrix} \right\}$$

$$\text{s.t. } S_1 \cup S_2 = P$$

$$S_1 \neq S_2 \quad S_1 \cap S_2 = \emptyset$$

and all the elements in S_1, S_2 are permutations to each other, respectively.

It satisfies the Matrix condition for Cyclic Symmetry

The capacity is achieved when input distribution is uniform

$$C = \max [H(Y) - H(Y|X)]$$
$$P(X) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{3} & X=1 \\ \frac{1}{3} & X=2 \\ \frac{1}{3} & X=3 \end{cases} \Rightarrow P(Y) = \begin{cases} \frac{7}{24} & Y=1 \\ \frac{7}{24} & Y=2 \\ \frac{7}{24} & Y=3 \\ \frac{1}{8} & Y=4 \end{cases}$$

$$C = H\left(\frac{7}{24}, \frac{7}{24}, \frac{7}{24}, \frac{1}{8}\right) - H\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{3}{8}, \frac{1}{8}\right)$$

(c) Compute the capacity using the technique of finding an upper bound and then achieving it.

$$\begin{aligned} C &= \max I(X; Y) = \max [H(Y) - H(Y|X)] \\ &= \max [H(Y) - \sum_i P(X=x_i) H(Y|X=x_i)] \\ &= \max [H(Y) - H\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{3}{8}, \frac{1}{8}\right)] \\ &= \max [H(Y)] - H\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{3}{8}, \frac{1}{8}\right) \end{aligned}$$

when $P(X=1) = P(X=2) = P(X=3) = \frac{1}{3}$

$H(Y)$ achieves its maximum $H\left(\frac{7}{24}, \frac{7}{24}, \frac{7}{24}, \frac{1}{8}\right)$

$$\therefore C = H\left(\frac{7}{24}, \frac{7}{24}, \frac{7}{24}, \frac{1}{8}\right) - H\left(\frac{1}{3}, \frac{3}{8}, \frac{1}{8}\right)$$

7. Joint Typicality

The sequence pair (x_1^n, y_1^n) is drawn i.i.d.

according to p.m.f

$$p(x^n, y^n) = \prod_{i=1}^n p(x_i, y_i)$$

(a) what is the limit as $n \rightarrow \infty$ of the probability that (x_1^n, y_1^n) is in $A_{\epsilon^{(n)}}$ of joint typical sequences?

$$-\frac{1}{n} \log p(x^n, y^n) = -\frac{1}{n} \log \prod_{i=1}^n p(x_i, y_i)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \log p(x_i, y_i)$$

Since $p(x_1, y_1), p(x_2, y_2), \dots$ are i.i.d.

According to weak law of large numbers

$$-\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \log p(x_i, y_i) \rightarrow -E[\log p(x, y)]$$

$$\text{when } n \rightarrow \infty \quad \rightarrow H(X, Y)$$

$$\therefore \left| -\frac{1}{n} \log p(x^n, y^n) - H(X, Y) \right| < \epsilon \quad \Pr(A_{\epsilon^{(n)}}) > 1 - \epsilon$$

$$\left| -\frac{1}{n} \log p(x^n) - H(X) \right| < \epsilon \quad \text{and} \quad \left| -\frac{1}{n} \log p(y^n) - H(Y) \right| < \epsilon$$

\therefore as $n \rightarrow \infty$, the limit of probability that (x_1^n, y_1^n) in $A_{\epsilon^{(n)}}$ is 1

(b) Give an upper bound on the probability that $(x_1^n, y_2^n) \in A_{\epsilon^{(n)}}^{(n)}$. The bound should be a function of n and ϵ .

x_1^n and y_2^n are independent with the same marginals as $p(x_1^n, y_1^n)$ or $p(x_2^n, y_2^n)$, since $p(x_2^n, y_2^n)$ and $p(x_1^n, y_1^n)$ are drawn in the same way, but independently.

$$P((x_1^n, y_2^n) \in A_{\epsilon^{(n)}}^{(n)}) = \sum_{(x^n, y^n) \in A_{\epsilon^{(n)}}^{(n)}} p(x^n) p(y_2^n)$$

$$\leq |A_{\epsilon^{(n)}}| 2^{-n(H(x) - \epsilon)} 2^{-n(H(Y) - \epsilon)}$$

$$\leq 2^n(H(x, Y) + \epsilon) 2^{-n(H(x) - \epsilon)} 2^{-n(H(Y) - \epsilon)}$$

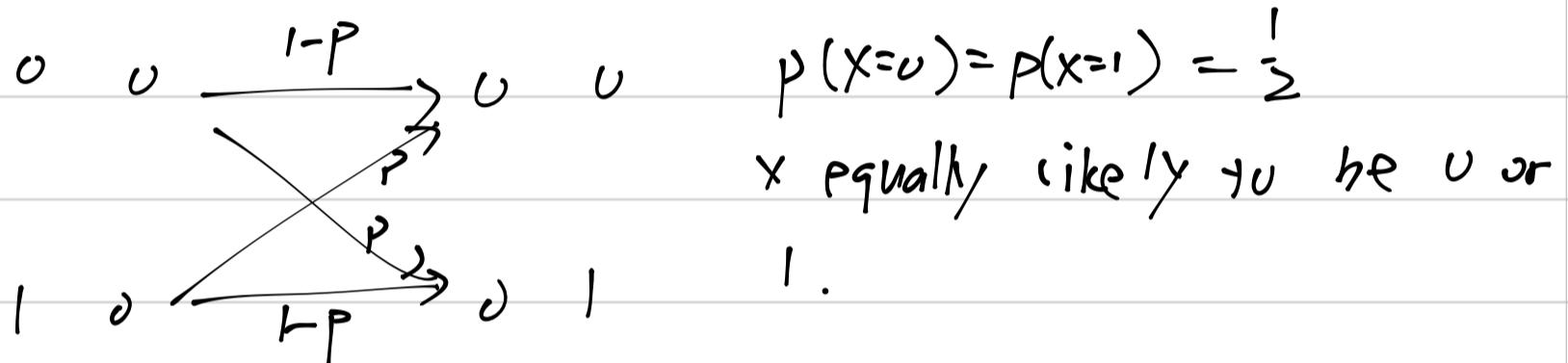
$$= 2^{-n(I(x; Y) - 3\epsilon)}$$

\therefore The upper bound is $2^{-n(I(x; Y) - 3\epsilon)}$

(c) For X equally likely to be 0 or 1, and for $p(y|x)$ of a BSC with $p=0.03113$, evaluate this upper bound for $n=100$ and $\epsilon=0.1$

The upper bound is $2^{-n} (I(X;Y) - \beta\epsilon)$

For BSC



$$\therefore I(X;Y) = H(Y) - H(Y|X) = 1 - H(p)$$

$$p=0.03113$$

$$\begin{aligned} H(p) &= -0.03113 \log_2 0.03113 - 0.9689 \cdot \log_2 0.9689 \\ &= 0.2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore I(X;Y) = 1 - 0.2 = 0.8$$

$$\text{upper bound is } 2^{-100(0.8 - 3 \times 0.1)} = 2^{-50} = 8.8818 \times 10^{-16}$$

$$\text{The upper bound is } 2^{-50} = 8.8818 \times 10^{-16}$$

(d) What is the limit as $n \rightarrow \infty$ of the probability that (x_1^n, y_2^n) is in the set $A_{\epsilon^{(n)}}$ of joint typical sequences?

There are about $2^{nI(X)}$ typical X sequences
 about $2^{nH(Y)}$ typical Y sequences
 about $2^{nH(X,Y)}$ typical X,Y sequences

x_1^n, y_2^n are chosen randomly.

The probability that (x_1^n, y_2^n) is in $A_{\epsilon}^{(n)}$ is

$$2^{-nI(X;Y)}$$

when $n \rightarrow \infty$

if $I(X;Y) \neq 0$	$2^{-nI(X;Y)} \rightarrow 0$
if $I(X;Y) = 0$	$2^{-n \cdot 0} \rightarrow 1$

(e) How is this related to the probability of error with typical set decoding?

The probability of error

$$P(\xi | w=1) = P(E_1^c \cup F_2 \cup E_3 \dots \cup E_{2^n R})$$

Error $\rightarrow E_2, E_3, \dots, E_i, \dots, E_{2^n R}$

E_i is the event that the i th codeword is typical with the received sequence, while we transmitted the $w=1$ codeword.

In this problem, (x_1^n, y_2^n) is E_2 , we transmitted x_1^n , and received y_2^n .

It shows that when $n \rightarrow \infty$, the prob that (x_1^n, y_2^n) is $A_{\epsilon}^{(n)}$ $\rightarrow 0$. $\therefore n \rightarrow \infty, P(E_2) \rightarrow 0$

That is the relationship with typical set decoding.

8. Triple Typicality.

(a) Assuming (x^n, y^n, z^n) are drawn according to $p(x, y, z)$ what does $\Pr(\Lambda_{\epsilon^n})$ converge to as $n \rightarrow \infty$

(x^n, y^n, z^n) are drawn from $p(x, y, z)$

$$\therefore P(x^n, y^n, z^n) = \prod_{i=1}^n P(x_i, y_i, z_i)$$

Suppose $x \in X, y \in Y, z \in Z$

Note that

$$P(X_1=x_1, X_2=x_2, Y_1=y_1, Y_2=y_2)$$

$$= \sum_{z_1 \in Z, z_2 \in Z} P(X_1=x_1, X_2=x_2, Y_1=y_1, Y_2=y_2, Z_1=z_1, Z_2=z_2)$$

$$= \sum_{z_1 \in Z, z_2 \in Z} P(X_1=x_1, Y_1=y_1, Z_1=z_1) P(X_2=x_2, Y_2=y_2, Z_2=z_2)$$

$$= \sum_{z_1 \in Z} P(X_1=x_1, Y_1=y_1, Z_1=z_1) \sum_{z_2 \in Z} P(X_2=x_2, Y_2=y_2, Z_2=z_2)$$

$$= P(X_1=x_1, Y_1=y_1) P(X_2=x_2, Y_2=y_2)$$

↓ in general

$$P(x^n, y^n) = \prod_{i=1}^n P(x_i, y_i) \quad (1)$$

The same with (1), we can know that

$$P(x^n, z^n) = \prod_{i=1}^n P(x_i, z_i) \quad (2)$$

$$P(y^n, z^n) = \prod_{i=1}^n P(y_i, z_i) \quad (3)$$

$$P(x^n) = \prod_{i=1}^n P(x_i) \quad (4)$$

$$P(y^n) = \prod_{i=1}^n P(y_i) \quad (5)$$

$$P(z^n) = \prod_{i=1}^n P(z_i) \quad (6)$$

Then, we apply weak law large number
as $n \rightarrow \infty$

$$\begin{aligned} -\frac{1}{n} \log P(x^n) &\rightarrow H(x) \\ -\frac{1}{n} \log P(y^n) &\rightarrow H(Y) \\ -\frac{1}{n} \log P(z^n) &\rightarrow H(Z) \\ -\frac{1}{n} \log P(x^n, y^n) &\rightarrow I(X, Y) \\ -\frac{1}{n} \log P(x^n, z^n) &\rightarrow I(X, Z) \\ -\frac{1}{n} \log P(y^n, z^n) &\rightarrow I(Y, Z) \\ -\frac{1}{n} \log P(x^n, y^n, z^n) &\rightarrow I(X, Y, Z) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty \quad \Pr(A_{\xi^{(n)}}) \rightarrow 1$$

(b) Suppose that the pair of sequences (x^n, y^n)
are drawn according to $P(x, y)$, and z^n is drawn
according to $P(z)$ independently of (x^n, y^n) .

Derive an upper bound on the probability that
 (x^n, y^n, z^n) is in $A_{\xi^{(n)}}$

$$P((x^n, y^n, z^n) \in A_{\xi^{(n)}}) = \sum_{(x^n, y^n, z^n) \in A_{\xi^{(n)}}} P(x^n, y^n, z^n)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \sum_{(x^n, y^n, z^n) \in A_{\epsilon}^{(n)}} p(x^n, y^n) p(z^n) \\
&\leq |A_{\epsilon}^{(n)}| 2^{-n(H(X,Y)-\epsilon)} 2^{-n(H(Z)-\epsilon)} \\
&= 2^{-n(H(X,Y,Z)+\epsilon)} 2^{-n(H(X,Y)-\epsilon)} 2^{-n(H(Z)-\epsilon)} \\
&= 2^{-n[H(X,Y)+H(Z)-H(X,Y,Z)-3\epsilon]} \\
&= 2^{-n(I(X,Y;Z)-3\epsilon)}
\end{aligned}$$

The upper bound is $2^{-n(I(X,Y;Z)-3\epsilon)}$

9. Joint Typicality on the Three-way channel

(a) Find the upper bound on the probability that x^n, y^n, z^n is a member of triple set if x^n and (y^n, z^n) are chosen independently.

$$\begin{aligned}
\Pr((x^n, y^n, z^n) \in A_{\epsilon}^{(n)}) &= \sum_{(x^n, y^n, z^n) \in A_{\epsilon}^{(n)}} p(x^n, y^n, z^n) \\
&= \sum_{(x^n, y^n, z^n) \in A_{\epsilon}^{(n)}} p(x^n) p(y^n, z^n) \\
&\leq |A_{\epsilon}^{(n)}| 2^{-n(I(X)-\epsilon)} 2^{-n(I(Y,Z)-\epsilon)}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= 2^{-n(H(X,Y,Z) + \varepsilon)} \cdot 2^{-n(H(X) - \varepsilon)} \cdot 2^{-n(H(Y,Z) - \varepsilon)} \\
&= 2^{-n[H(X) + H(Y,Z) - H(X,Y,Z) - 3\varepsilon]} \\
&= 2^{-n(I(X;Y,Z) - 3\varepsilon)}
\end{aligned}$$

\therefore The upper bound is $2^{-n(I(X;Y,Z) - 3\varepsilon)}$

(b) Prove via a random coding argument that with input distribution $P_i(x)$ we can achieve the rate $I(X;Y,Z)$

Just like in lecture

we fix $P_i(x)$, generate $(2^{nR}, n)$ code c at random according to $P_i(x)$

$$P(x^n) = \prod_{i=1}^n P(x_i)$$

$$P(c) = \prod_{\omega=1}^{2^{nR}} \prod_{i=1}^n P(x_i(\omega))$$

if $(x^n(\hat{\omega}), Y^n, Z^n) \in A_{\varepsilon^{(n)}}$, we declares $\hat{\omega}$

$$\lambda_i = P(\hat{\omega} = i \mid x^n = x^n(i))$$

$$P_e^{(n)}(c) = \frac{1}{2^{nR}} \sum_{\omega=1}^{2^{nR}} \lambda_{\omega}(c)$$

The average prob. of all possible c 's is

$$P(\varepsilon) = \sum_c p(c) P_e^{(t)}(c)$$

$$P(\varepsilon) = \sum_c p(c) P_e^{(n)}(c)$$

$$= \sum_c p(c) \frac{1}{2^{nR}} \sum_{w=1}^{2^{nR}} \lambda_w(c)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2^{nR}} \sum_{w=1}^{2^{nR}} \sum_c p(c) \lambda_w(c)$$

$$= \sum_c p(c) \lambda_1(c) = P(\varepsilon|w=1)$$

Define the points $E_i = \{(x^n(i), y^n, z^n) \in A_{\varepsilon^{(n)}}\}$
 $i = 1, 2, \dots, 2^{nR}$

$$P(\varepsilon|w=1) = P(E_1^c \cup E_2 \cup \dots \cup E_{2^{nR}})$$

$$\leq P(E_1^c) + \sum_{i=2}^{2^{nR}} P(E_i)$$

$$P(E_1^c) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\text{if } i \neq 1 \quad P(E_i) \leq 2^{-n(I(x; y, z) - 3\varepsilon)}$$

$$P(\varepsilon) \leq \varepsilon + \sum_{i=2}^{2^{nR}} 2^{-n(I(x; y, z) - 3\varepsilon)}$$

$$= \epsilon + (2^{nR} - 1) 2^{-n(I(X;Y,Z) - 3\epsilon)}$$

$$\leq \epsilon + 2^{nR} 2^{-n(I(X;Y,Z) - 3\epsilon)}$$

$$= \epsilon + 2^{-n(I(X;Y,Z) - R - 3\epsilon)}$$

if $R < I(X;Y,Z)$, when $n \rightarrow \infty$

the average probability of error converges to zero.

10. All codes are good

Prove Markov's inequality:

X is non-negative $\delta > 0$

$$P(X \geq \delta) \leq \frac{E(X)}{\delta}$$

Suppose the outcomes of X are $0 \leq x_1 < x_2 < \dots < x_n$

if $\delta \geq x_n$ (δ is larger than the maximum value)

$P(X \geq \delta) = 0$. inequality is true

if not, we suppose that

$$x_j \leq \delta < x_{j+1}$$

$$\therefore x_1 < x_2 < \dots < x_j \leq \delta < x_{j+1} < \dots < x_n$$

$$E(X) = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \cdot \Pr(X=x_i) \geq \sum_{i=j}^n x_i \cdot \Pr(X=x_i)$$

$$\geq \sum_{i=j}^n \delta \cdot \Pr(X=x_i)$$

$$\therefore \frac{E(X)}{\delta} \geq \sum_{i=j}^n \Pr(X=x_i) \geq \sum_{i=j+1}^n \Pr(X=x_i)$$
$$= \Pr(X \geq \delta)$$

since $x_{j+1} > \delta \geq x_j$

$$\therefore \frac{E(X)}{\delta} \geq \Pr[X \geq \delta] \quad \square$$

use it to show that the channel coding theorem implies the following.

Let random variable X be the probability of error for a randomly selected code

$\therefore E[X]$ is the average probability of error for all possible c 's. that we discussed in lectures.

We fix a target probability of error ε

According to Markov's inequality

$$P(X \geq \varepsilon) \leq \frac{E[X]}{\varepsilon}$$

The channel coding theorem told us that as block length $n \rightarrow \infty$ $P(\varepsilon) \rightarrow 0$

$$\therefore E[X] \rightarrow 0$$

\therefore as $n \rightarrow \infty$, as the block length goes to infinity.

$$P(X \geq \varepsilon) \rightarrow 0$$

(\hookrightarrow the probability that a randomly selected code will exceed that target goes to zero.