

Computer Networks

Homework 4

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Problem 1:

Given a message $\mathbf{d}=10011011$ and a generator polynomial $g(x)=x^5+x^3+1$, find the codeword to be transmitted.

$$\mathbf{d} = 10011011$$

$$g(x) = x^5 + x^3 + 1$$

$$g = 101001$$

$$\delta g = 5$$

$$\mathbf{d}^* = 10011011\ 00000$$

$$\mathbf{r} = \mathbf{d}^* \% g$$

$$1001101100000 \% 101001$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 101001 \\ \oplus \end{array}$$

$$0011111100000$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 101001 \\ \oplus \end{array}$$

$$01011000000$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 101001 \\ \oplus \end{array}$$

$$0001010000$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 101001 \\ \oplus \end{array}$$

$$0000010$$

$$\mathbf{r} = 10$$

$$\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{d}^* + \mathbf{r} = 1001101100000 + 10 = 1001101100010$$

Problem 2:

Encode the message 11001100 using the Hamming code. Assume the codeword bit at position 4 was changed during transmission, and check if the receiver detects/corrects the error.

Pos.:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Labels:	p0	p1	d1	p2	d2	d3	d4	p3	d5	d6	d7	d8
Bits:	?	?	1	?	1	0	0	?	1	1	0	0

$$p = 3 \oplus 5 \oplus 9 \oplus 10 = 0011 \oplus 0101 \oplus 1001 \oplus 1010 = 0101$$

$$p0 = 1, p1 = 0, p2 = 1 \text{ and } p3 = 0$$

$$CW = 101110001100$$

$$CW^* = 101010001100$$

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$$p^* = 0001$$

$$p \oplus p^* = 0101 \oplus 0001 = 0100 \neq 0$$

Detected error at position 0100 = 4!