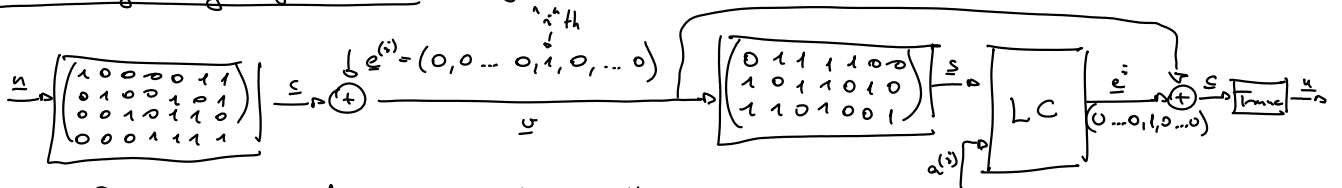
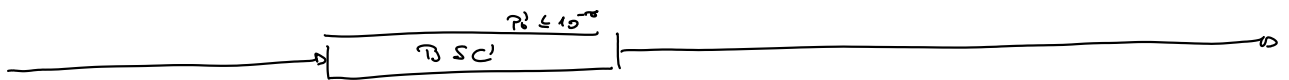


Correcting every single error (Hamming code)



⇒ Single error can be corrected, but not the block error
 $2^{n-k} = n+1$



Given: P_b , σ (QoS - Quality of Service) $\rightarrow P_b < 10^{-8} \Rightarrow$ How to choose k and n ?
 bit error probability

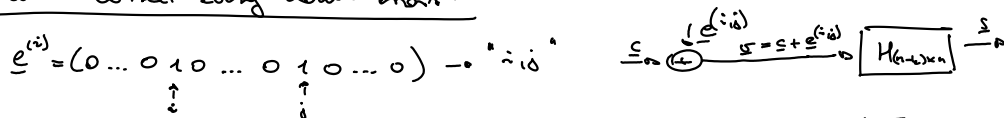
$$P_{\text{block error}} = P(s + u) = P(s + e) = \sum_{i=2}^n P_b^i (1 - P_b)^{n-i} \binom{n}{i} = 1 - (1 - P_b)^n$$

$$e = \left(\dots \frac{1}{j_1} \dots \frac{1}{j_2} \dots \frac{1}{j_i} \dots \right)$$

$\forall (P_b, \sigma) \Rightarrow n, k$ (we have to choose n and k to fulfill the requirements above)

⇒ For example: $P_b \sim 10^{-2}, \sigma = 5 \rightarrow C(7, 4)$

How to correct every double error?



$$H \underline{c}^T = \underline{s}^T \Rightarrow H (\underline{c} + e^{(i,j)})^T = \underline{s}^T \Rightarrow H \underline{c}^T + H e^{(i,j)T} = \underline{s}^T \Rightarrow H e^{(i,j)T} = \underline{s}^T$$

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Criteria:

- $e^{(i)} \neq 0, \forall i = 1 \dots n$
- $e^{(i)} \neq e^{(j)}, \forall i, j = 1 \dots n, i \neq j$

- $e^{(i)} \neq e^{(m)} + e^{(l)}, \forall i, m, l = 1 \dots n, i \neq m \neq l$
- $e^{(i)} + e^{(j)} \neq e^{(m)} + e^{(l)}, \forall i, j, m, l = 1 \dots n, i \neq j \neq m \neq l$

↳ These 4 criteria can be substituted with one:

→ 4 of the column vectors of A must be linearly independent

Lemma: If a $C(n, k)$ linear code can correct t number of errors, then $H(n-k) \times n$

must have $2t$ linearly independent column vectors

$$t \rightarrow d_{\min} = w_{\min} = 2t + 1$$

$$b \cdot w(b) = 2t, \quad b = (0 \dots 0 b_{j_1} 0 \dots 0 b_{j_2} 0 \dots 0 b_{j_{2t}} 0 \dots 0)$$

$$\underline{H} \underline{b}^T \neq \underline{0}^T$$

$$\underline{H} \underline{b}^T = \sum_{i=1}^{2t} b_{j_i} a^{(j_i)^T} \neq \underline{0}^T$$

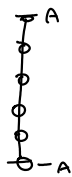
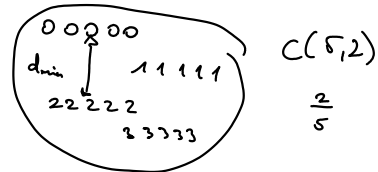
\Rightarrow Binary vectors are poor for being linearly independent

\Rightarrow q -ary vectors are better for that ($n_i, c_i, v_i, e_i \in \{0, 1, \dots, q-1\}$)

Binary vector



4-ary vector



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