

Binary codes to q -ary codes because of correcting any given number of errors
 \Rightarrow Wireless communication needs it (WSN)

$GF(q)$ where q must be prime $\rightarrow \text{mod } q$

Reed-Solomon (RS) codes: $C(n, k)$ over $GF(q)$; $n = q - 1$; $\alpha_0, \alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_{n-1} \in GF(q)$; $\alpha_i \neq 0 \forall i = 0 \dots n-1$

$u = (u_0, u_1, \dots, u_{k-1}) \xrightarrow{X} u(x) = u_0 + u_1 x + u_2 x^2 + \dots + u_{k-1} x^{k-1} \rightarrow \text{deg}(u(x)) = k-1$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} c_0 &= u(x)|_{x=\alpha_0} = u_0 + u_1 \alpha_0 + u_2 \alpha_0^2 + \dots + u_{k-1} \alpha_0^{k-1} \\ c_1 &= u(x)|_{x=\alpha_1} = u_0 + u_1 \alpha_1 + u_2 \alpha_1^2 + \dots + u_{k-1} \alpha_1^{k-1} \\ &\vdots \\ c_{n-1} &= u(x)|_{x=\alpha_{n-1}} = u_0 + u_1 \alpha_{n-1} + u_2 \alpha_{n-1}^2 + \dots + u_{k-1} \alpha_{n-1}^{k-1} \end{aligned} \right\} (c_0, c_1, \dots, c_{n-1}) = (u_0, u_1, \dots, u_{k-1}) G_{k \times n}$$

$$G_{k \times n} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ \alpha_0 & \alpha_1 & \dots & \alpha_{n-1} \\ \alpha_0^2 & \alpha_1^2 & \dots & \alpha_{n-1}^2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \alpha_0^{k-1} & \alpha_1^{k-1} & \dots & \alpha_{n-1}^{k-1} \end{pmatrix}$$

\Rightarrow It is an MDS code!

$d_{\min} = w_{\min} = n - \{\# \text{ of zero components} \} \geq n - (k-1) = n - k + 1$

$d_{\min} \leq n - k + 1$

$d_{\min} = n - k + 1$

Standard implementation: $\alpha \in GF(q)$

$\alpha_0 = \alpha^0 = 1, \alpha_1 = \alpha^1 = \alpha, \alpha_2 = \alpha^2, \dots, \alpha_{n-1} = \alpha^{n-1}$

$\text{ord}(\alpha) = q-1$

$$G_{k \times n} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ 1 & \alpha & \alpha^2 & \dots & \alpha^{n-1} \\ 1 & \alpha^2 & \alpha^4 & \dots & \alpha^{2(n-1)} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & \alpha^{k-1} & \alpha^{2(k-1)} & \dots & \alpha^{(k-1)(n-1)} \end{pmatrix}$$



optimal code $d_{\min} = n - k + 1$

Example: Correcting every double errors

$t = 2$

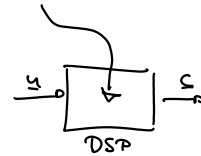
q is prime; $n = q - 1$

$t = \lfloor \frac{d_{\min} - 1}{2} \rfloor = 2 = \lfloor \frac{n - k + 1 - 1}{2} \rfloor \Rightarrow n - k = 2t = 4$

| q | n | k |
|----|----|---|
| 1 | 0 | - |
| 2 | 1 | - |
| 3 | 2 | - |
| 5 | 4 | - |
| 7 | 6 | 2 |
| 11 | 10 | 6 |
| 13 | 12 | 8 |

invalid codes
 we pick that code because it has less noise
 But that code means a higher loss on data part of the same time

$G_{2 \times 6} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 3 & 2 & 6 & 4 & 5 \end{pmatrix}$



$u c^T = 0^T \cdot \forall c \in C$

$c = (c_0, c_1, \dots, c_{n-1}) \xrightarrow{X} c(x) = c_0 + c_1 x + c_2 x^2 + \dots + c_{n-1} x^{n-1}$

$\Downarrow c(x)|_{x=\alpha^i} = 0 \cdot i = (1 \dots n-k)$

$c(\alpha) = c_0 + c_1 \alpha + c_2 \alpha^2 + \dots + c_{n-1} \alpha^{n-1} = 0$

$c(\alpha^2) = c_0 + c_1 \alpha^2 + c_2 \alpha^4 + \dots + c_{n-1} \alpha^{2(n-1)} = 0$

\vdots

$c(\alpha^{n-k}) = c_0 + c_1 \alpha^{n-k} + c_2 \alpha^{2(n-k)} + \dots + c_{n-1} \alpha^{(n-k)(n-1)}$

$$\underline{H}_{(n-k) \times n} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \alpha & \alpha^2 & \dots & \alpha^{n-1} \\ 1 & \alpha^2 & \alpha^4 & \dots & \alpha^{2(n-1)} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & \alpha^{k-1} & \alpha^{2(k-1)} & \dots & \alpha^{(k-1)(n-1)} \end{pmatrix}$$

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$\rightarrow \underline{G}^T \underline{H} = \underline{0}$

$$(\underline{H} \underline{c}^T)_\ell = \sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \alpha^{\ell i} c_i = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \alpha^{\ell i} u_i = \sum_{j=0}^{k-1} \alpha^{\ell j} u_j = \sum_{j=0}^{k-1} u_j \underbrace{\alpha^{i(\ell+1)}}_{\text{quotient} = \alpha^{\ell+1}} = \sum_{j=0}^{k-1} u_j \frac{\alpha^{n(\ell+1)} - 1}{\alpha^{\ell+1} - 1} = 0$$

$n = q-1$ $\alpha^{n(\ell+1)} = (\alpha^n)^{\ell+1} = (\alpha^{q-1})^{\ell+1} = 1^{\ell+1} = 1$

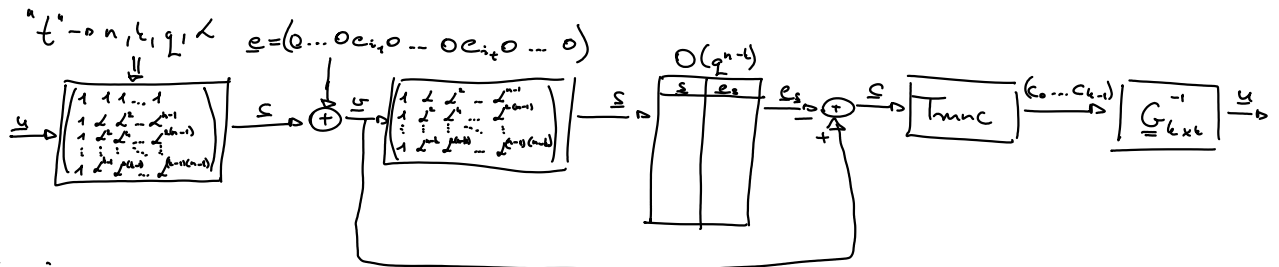
$$d_{\min} = n - k + 1$$

$$t = \lfloor \frac{d_{\min} - 1}{2} \rfloor = \lfloor \frac{n - k}{2} \rfloor$$

$t \rightarrow 2t$ # of linearly independent columns in \underline{H}

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$$\underline{H}_{(n-k) \times n} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \alpha & \alpha^2 & \dots & \alpha^{n-1} \\ 1 & \alpha^2 & \alpha^4 & \dots & \alpha^{2(n-1)} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & \alpha^{k-1} & \alpha^{2(k-1)} & \dots & \alpha^{(k-1)(n-1)} \end{pmatrix}$$



$i \dots i_k$
 $e_j \in \{0, 1, \dots, q-1\}$

$$\underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ 1 & \alpha & \alpha^2 & \dots & \alpha^{n-1} \\ 1 & \alpha^2 & \alpha^4 & \dots & \alpha^{2(n-1)} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & \alpha^{k-1} & \alpha^{2(k-1)} & \dots & \alpha^{(k-1)(n-1)} \end{pmatrix}}_{\text{known } k \times k} \begin{pmatrix} u_0 \dots u_{k-1} \\ \vdots \\ u_{k-1} \end{pmatrix} = \underbrace{(c_0 \dots c_{k-1})}_{\text{known}}$$

of errors = $k <$ # of equations

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 overdetermined

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 we drop a few $\rightarrow k \times k$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ 1 & \alpha & \alpha^2 & \dots & \alpha^{n-1} \\ 1 & \alpha^2 & \alpha^4 & \dots & \alpha^{2(n-1)} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & \alpha^{k-1} & \alpha^{2(k-1)} & \dots & \alpha^{(k-1)(n-1)} \end{pmatrix} = (c_0 \dots c_{k-1})$$

\Rightarrow we can correct
 any \dots t

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invest del ≠ 0

→ 0 gain if of error

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Optimal!
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