

Assignment #7 Due 4-5-05

$$f = x^3 + x + 1 \quad \text{GF}(2^3) = \mathbb{Z}_2[x]/f$$

$$= \{0, 1, x, x+1, x^2, x^2+1, x^2+x, x^2+x+1\}$$

$$\alpha = x+1$$

Write $H_{3,2}$ as powers of α , and in binary.

Determine rank of $\text{PCH}(3,2)$

$$\alpha^1 = x+1 = 011 \quad \alpha^2 = x^2+1 = 101 \quad \alpha^3 = x^2 = 010$$

$$\alpha^4 = x^2+x+1 = 111 \quad \alpha^5 = x = 001 \quad \alpha^6 = x^2+x = 110$$

$$\alpha^7 = 1 = 001$$

$$V_{3,2} = [\alpha^{(n-i)2^j}] = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha^6 & \alpha^5 & \alpha^4 & \alpha^3 & \alpha^2 & \alpha & 1 \\ \alpha^{12} & \alpha^{10} & \alpha^8 & \alpha^6 & \alpha^4 & \alpha^2 & 1 \\ \alpha^{18} & \alpha^{15} & \alpha^{12} & \alpha^9 & \alpha^6 & \alpha^3 & 1 \\ \alpha^{24} & \alpha^{20} & \alpha^{16} & \alpha^{12} & \alpha^9 & \alpha^6 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$H_{3,2} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha^6 & \alpha^5 & \alpha^4 & \alpha^3 & \alpha^2 & \alpha & 1 \\ \alpha^4 & \alpha & \alpha^5 & \alpha^2 & \alpha^6 & \alpha^3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

In binary

$$H_{3,2} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Suppose $a = (a_6, a_5, a_4, a_3, a_2, a_1, a_0) \in \mathcal{PCH}(3, 2)$

Then $H_{3,2} a^T = \underline{0}$ or

$$\begin{aligned} \textcircled{1} a_6 + a_4 + a_2 &= 0 & \Rightarrow a_4 + a_2 &= -a_6 \\ \textcircled{2} a_6 + a_4 + a_3 + a_1 &= 0 & \Rightarrow a_3 + a_1 &= -a_6 - a_4 \\ \textcircled{3} a_5 + a_4 + a_2 + a_1 + a_0 &= 0 \\ \textcircled{4} a_6 + a_3 + a_2 &= 0 \\ \textcircled{5} a_6 + a_5 + a_1 + a_0 &= 0 \\ \textcircled{6} a_6 + a_5 + a_4 + a_0 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Add equation $\textcircled{1}$ to $\textcircled{2}, \textcircled{4}, \textcircled{5}, \textcircled{6}$:

$$\begin{aligned} a_6 + a_4 + a_2 &= 0 \\ a_3 + a_2 + a_1 &= 0 \\ a_5 + a_4 + a_2 + a_1 + a_0 &= 0 \\ a_4 + a_3 &= 0 \implies a_4 = -a_3 \\ a_5 + a_4 + a_1 &= 0 \\ a_5 + a_2 + a_0 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Substitute $a_4 = -a_3$ and drop equation $\textcircled{4}$

$$\begin{aligned} a_6 + a_3 + a_2 &= 0 \\ a_3 + a_1 + a_0 &= 0 \\ a_5 + a_3 + a_2 + a_1 + a_0 &= 0 \\ a_5 + a_3 + a_1 &= 0 \\ a_5 + a_2 + a_0 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Plug equation $\textcircled{2}$ into equation $\textcircled{3}$ to get $a_5 + a_0 = 0$ or $a_5 = -a_0$

Substitute $a_5 = -a_0$ and drop equation $\textcircled{3}$

$$\begin{aligned} a_6 + a_3 + a_2 &= 0 \\ a_3 + a_1 + a_0 &= 0 \\ a_3 + a_1 + a_0 &= 0 \\ a_2 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

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Since $a_2 = 0$, $\textcircled{1}$ becomes $a_2 = a_3$ and $\textcircled{2}$ becomes $a_3 = a_1$.

Then $\textcircled{3}$ becomes $a_5 = 0$.

Thus ~~$a_1 = a_2 = a_3 = a_4$~~ $a_1 = a_3 = a_1 = a_4$ and $a_5 = a_2 = a_6 = 0$

So $a = (1011010)$ or $a = (0000000)$

$|PC H(3,2)| = 2$ rank $\boxed{PC H(3,2) = 1}$