

M.Sc.-II (Mathematics) (CBCS Pattern) Fourth Semester CBCS
PSCMTHT20.3-Optional Paper-XX - Coding Theory

P. Pages : 2

Time : Three Hours



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Max. Marks : 100

- Notes : 1. Solve all **five** questions.
2. All questions carry equal marks.

UNIT - I

1. a) Prove that : 10
If x, y, z be words of length n over A .
Then
i) $0 \leq d(x, y) \leq n$ ii) $d(x, y) = 0$ if and only if $x = y$
iii) $d(x, y) = d(y, x)$ iv) $d(x, y) \leq d(x, z) + d(z, y)$
- b) Define : 10
i) Distance of a code
ii) (n, m, d) - code
Find the distance of the ternary code $C = \{000000, 000111, 111222\}$
- OR**
- c) Prove that a code with distance d is exactly $(d-1)$ - error - detecting code. 10
- d) For the ternary code $C = \{00122, 12201, 20110, 22000\}$, use the decoding rule to decode the received word 01122. 10

UNIT - II

2. a) Let V be a vector space over F_q . If 10
 $\dim(V) = k$, then prove that
i) V has q^k elements
ii) V has $\frac{1}{k!} \prod_{i=0}^{k-1} (q^k - q^i)$ different bases.
- b) If $x, y \in F_2^n$, then prove that $\text{wt}(x + y) = \text{wt}(x) + \text{wt}(y) - 2\text{wt}(x * y)$. 10

OR

- c) Let S be a subset of F_q^n , then prove that $\dim(\langle S \rangle) + (S^\perp) = n$. 10
- d) Show that – Let C be an $[n, k]$ - linear code over F_q , with generator matrix G . Then VE 10
 F_q^n belong to C^\perp if and only if V is orthogonal to every row of G . In particular, given an $(n-k) \times n$ matrix H is a parity-check matrix for C if and only if the rows of H are linearly independent and $HG^T = 0$.

UNIT - III

3. a) Show that - let I be a nonzero ideal in $F_q[x]/(x^n - 1)$ and let $g(x)$ be a non zero monic polynomial of the least degree in I . Then $g(x)$ is a generator of I and divides $x^n - 1$. 10
- b) Prove that – 10
Each monic divisor of $x^n - 1$ is the generator polynomial of some cyclic code in F_q^n .

OR

- c) Let $g(x)$ be the generator polynomial of a q -ary $[n, k]$ - cyclic code C . 10
Put $h(x) = (x^n - 1) / g(x)$. Then show that $h_0^{-1}h_R(x)$ is the generator polynomial of C^\perp , where h_0 is the constant term of $h(x)$.
- d) Let $H = (I_{n-k} | A)$ be a parity-check matrix of a q -ary cyclic code C . let $g(x)$ be the generator polynomial of C . Then prove that the syndrome of a vector $W \in F_q^n$ is equal to $(W(x) \bmod g(x))$. 10

UNIT - IV

4. a) Prove that Reed-Solomon codes are MCD. 10
- b) Prove that - A narrow - sense binary BCH code of length $n = 2^m - 1$ as designed distance $\delta = 2t + 1$ has dimension at least $n - m(\delta - 1) / 2$. 10

OR

- c) Show that - A BCH code with designed distance δ has minimum distance at least δ . 10
- d) Prove that the polynomials $g_Q(x)$ and $g_N(x)$ belong to $F_L(x)$. 10
5. a) Define : 5

i) Code Alphabet	ii) q -ary word
iii) q -ary block code	iv) codeword
v) Size of code	
- b) For the binary linear code Find 5

i) The number of bases for C .	ii) List all the bases of C .
iii) All generator matrices of C .	
- c) List all the monic divisor of $x^6 - 1$. 5
- d) Define : 5

i) Primitive BCH code.	ii) Narrow - sense code.
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