



**SEVENTH SEMESTER B.Tech. (E & C) DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION  
NOV/DEC 2015**

**SUBJECT: ERROR CONTROL CODING (ECE - 439)**

**TIME: 3 HOURS**

**MAX. MARKS: 50**

**Instructions to candidates**

- Answer **ANY FIVE** full questions.
- Missing data may be suitably assumed.

- 1A. Construct GF ( $2^3$ ) using polynomial  $x^3 + x + 1$ . Solve for x and y if  $\alpha x + \alpha^2 y = \alpha^4$ ;  $\alpha^2 x + y = \alpha^4$ .  
Also find the value of  $x^{64} + y^{64}$
- 1B. Find the conjugates of  $\alpha^3$  in finite field GF ( $2^3$ ) and its minimal polynomial.
- 1C. Define coding gain with example. Discuss its significance. (5+3+2)
- 2A. Devise an encoder and decoder of C(n, k) linear block code specified by the parity check equations  $V_0 = u_0 + u_2 + u_3$ ;  $V_1 = u_0 + u_1 + u_2$ ;  $V_2 = u_1 + u_2 + u_3$ . (i) Give G & H matrices of code C in systematic form. (ii) Find the generator matrix of dual code of C. (iii) minimum distance of the code C. (iv) encode the message  $1 + x^2$  (v) How many error patterns goes undetected?
- 2B. If weight distribution of coset-leaders are  $\alpha_0 = 1$ ,  $\alpha_1 = 6$ ,  $\alpha_2 = 1$  and others zero. If the bit transition probability is  $10^{-2}$ , find the probability of error. Give the relation between weight distribution of linear code and its dual code.
- 2C. Explain standard array with example. (5+3+2)
- 3A. For a (15,11) cyclic code defined by polynomial  $1 + x + x^4$  find G & H in systematic form.
- 3B. Explain the implementation of (n-l, k-l) shortened encoder and decoder with example.
- 3C. Implement a Meggitt decoder for the cyclic code defined by polynomial  $1 + x + x^4$  (5+3+2)
- 4A. Find the error location polynomial if received polynomial  $r(x) = x^4 + x^9$  using triple error correcting BCH code.
- 4B. Implement the Chien's search algorithm for the error location polynomial  $1 + \alpha^3 x^2 + \alpha^6 x^3$ .
- 4C. Find the error polynomial if error location polynomial is  $\sigma(x) = (1 + \alpha x)(1 + \alpha^6 x)(1 + \alpha^{10} x)$  over GF( $2^4$ ) (5+3+2)
- 5A. Find the symbol error values if syndromes of received polynomial are  $\{\alpha^{13}, \alpha^{14}, \alpha^9, \alpha^7, \alpha^8, \alpha^3\}$  and error location numbers are  $\{\alpha^3, \alpha^8, \alpha^{13}\}$  using triple error RS code over GF ( $2^4$ ).
- 5B. Implement an RS encoder with block length 15 and capable of correcting double symbols.
- 5C. Explain various types of ARQ strategies. (5+3+2)

- 6A. For the state diagram shown in Figure Q6A, decode the received bit {00, 10, 00, 10, 00, 11, 10, 01} using Viterbi decoding algorithm.
- 6B. For the convolutional code shown in Figure Q6B, Determine various generator polynomials that completely describe the code. If the message polynomials  $[U^1; U^2]$  is  $[D^2 + D^3; 1 + D + D^4]$ , Find the matrix  $G$  and code polynomial  $V(D)$ .
- 6C. Derive the expression for the efficiency for the selective repeat ARQ strategy considering erroneous channel.

(5+3+2)

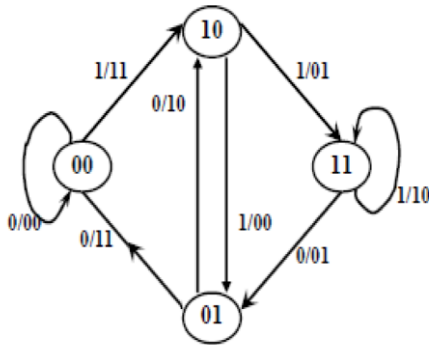


Figure 6A

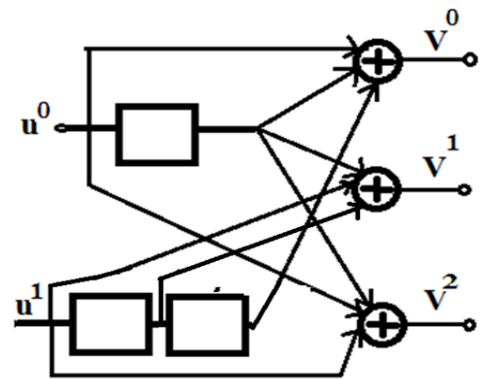


Figure 6B