

III B.Tech I Sem (E.C.E)

23A04504b	<u>INFORMATION THEORY AND CODING</u>	L	T	P	C
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Course Objectives:

1. To provide an insight into the concept of information in the context of communication theory and communication receivers.
2. To implement various source coding algorithms and analyze their performance.
3. To gain knowledge about techniques for error detection and error correction.
4. To design linear block codes and cyclic codes.
5. To get familiar with various convolutional codes.

Course Outcomes:**At the end of this course, the students will be able to**

1. Learn the concepts of information in the context of communication theory and communication receivers.
2. Implement various source coding algorithms and analyze their performance.
3. Gain knowledge about techniques for error detection and error correction.
4. Design linear block codes and cyclic codes.
5. Understand various convolutional codes.

UNIT I

Information Theory: Introduction, Definition of Entropy, Conditional Entropy, Relative Entropy, Basic Properties of Entropy, Mutual Information, Information Inequalities, Problem solving.

Block to Variable length Coding: Prefix-free Code, Coding a single Random Variable, Prefix, Free Code, Kraft Inequality, Bounds on optimal Code length, Coding a Single Random Variable, Rooted Tree with Probabilities, Shanon-Fano Coding, Free fix code, Coding an information Source, Huffman Coding, Example.

Variable to Block Length Coding: Proper message set, Assigning probabilities to K-ary rooted tree corresponding to a proper message set, Prefix free Coding of a proper message set, Tunstall message set, Tunstall coding.

UNIT II

Asymptotic Equi-partition Property, Chebyshev inequality, Weak law of large numbers, Typical Sequences, Block to Block Coding of DMS: Consequences of Asymptotic Equipartition Property, Problem solving.

Universal Source Coding: Lempel-Ziv Algorithm, LZ -77 Encoding and Decoding, Lempel-Ziv Welch (LZW) Algorithm, LZW Encoding, and Decoding.

Coding of Sources with memory, Channel Capacity, Noisy Channel Coding Theorem, Differential Entropy, Gaussian Channel, Rate Distortion Theory, Blahut-Arimoto Algorithm, problem solving.

UNIT III

Error Control Coding: Introduction to Error Control Codes, Error Probability with Repetition in the Binary Symmetric Channel, Parity Check Bit Coding for Error Detection, Block Coding for Error Detection and Correction, The Hamming Distance, The upper bound of the Probability of Error with Coding, Soft Decision Decoding, Hard Decision Decoding.

UNIT IV

Linear Block Codes: Introduction to Linear Block Codes, Syndrome and Error Detection, Encoding Block Codes, Decoding of Block Codes, Single Parity Check bit Code, Repeated Codes, Hadamard Code, Hamming Code, Cyclic Codes, Generator and Parity-Check Matrices of Cyclic Codes, Encoding and Decoding of Cyclic Codes, BCH codes, Reed-Solomon Code.

UNIT V

Convolutional Coding, Code Generation, Decoding Convolutional Code, the Code Tree, Decoding in the presence of Noise, State and Trellis Diagrams, The Viterbi Algorithm, Comparison of Error Rates in Coded and Uncoded Transmission, Turbo Codes, LDPC codes, Hard and Soft Decision Decoding.

Textbooks:

1. Thomas M.Cover, Joy A. Thomas, Elements of Information Theory, John Wiley & Sons, 2nd Edition, 2006.
2. Herbert Taub, Donald L Shilling, Goutam Saha, Principles of Communication Systems, 4th Edition, McGraw Hill, 2017.

References:

1. Shu Lin, Daniel J. Costello Jr., Error Control Coding, Pearson, Second Edition, 2013.
2. Simon Haykin, Communication Systems, John Wiley, 4th Edition, 2010.