## Due by 5pm on Friday, December 15. Do not forget to attach the honor code. There are five problems.

- (1) Let  $g(x) = (1+x)(1+x+x^3) \in \mathbb{F}_2[x]$  be the generator polynomial of a binary [7,3]-cyclic code C. Write down a generator matrix and a parity-check matrix for C. Construct a generator matrix of the form  $(I_3|A)$ .
- (2) Write down a parity-check matrix H for a binary Hamming code of length 15, where the *j*th column of H is the binary representation of *j*. Then use H to construct a syndrome look-up table and use it to decode the following words:
  - (a) 01010 01010 01000,
  - (b) 11100 01110 00111,
  - (c) 11001 11001 11000.
- (3) A binary [15,7]-cyclic code is generated by  $g(x) = 1 + x^4 + x^6 + x^7 + x^8$ . Decode the following received words using error trapping:
  - (a) 110111101110110
  - (b) 111110100001000
- (4) A binary [15, 5]-cyclic code is generated by  $g(x) = 1 + x + x^2 + x^4 + x^5 + x^8 + x^{10}$ . Construct a parity-check matrix of the form  $(I_{10}|A)$ .
- (5) A binary [15,5]-cyclic code is generated by  $g(x) = 1 + x + x^2 + x^4 + x^5 + x^8 + x^{10}$ . Decode the following words using error trapping:
  - (a) 011111110101000
  - (b) 100101111011100