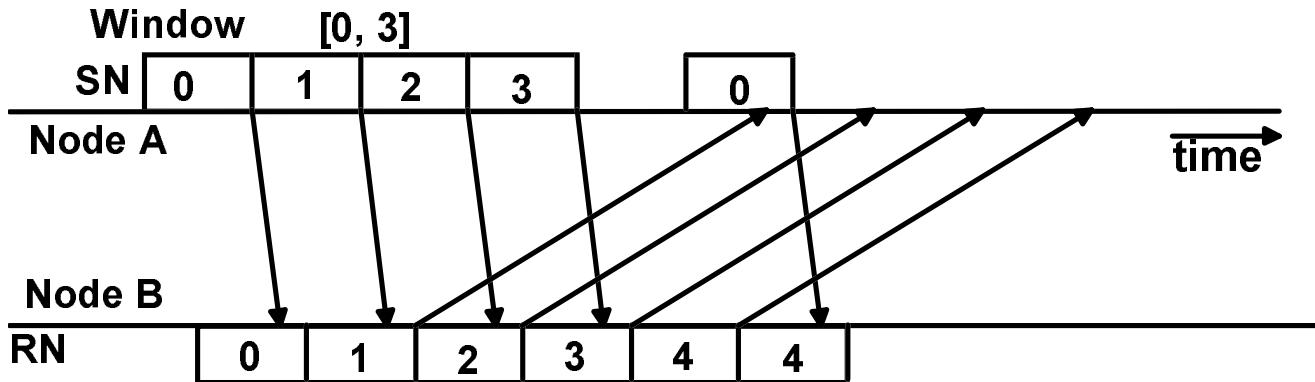


## Range of RN received by B

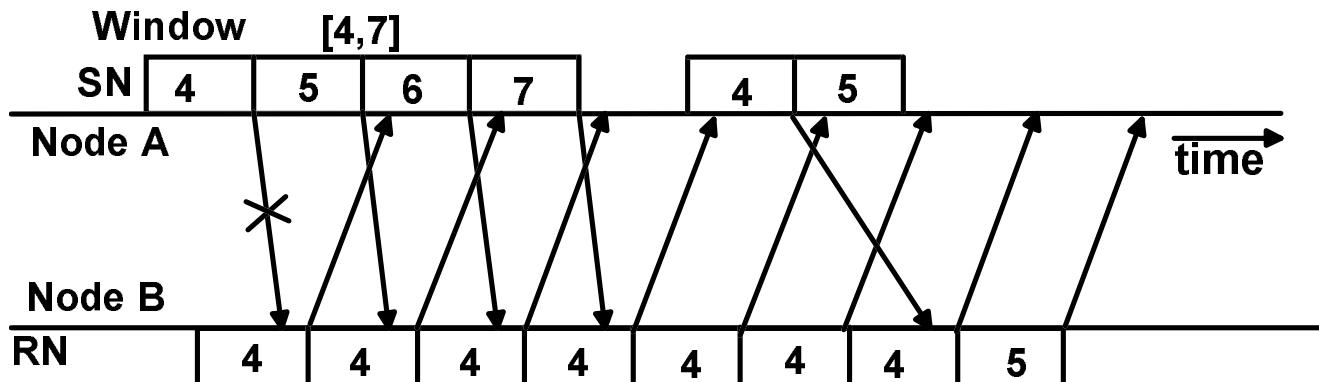
$$SN_B \geq RN_B - r$$

**n=4**



$$SN_B \leq RN_B + n - 1$$

**n=4**



$$RN_B - n \leq SN_B \leq RN_B + n - 1$$

## Modulus m=2n for selective repeat

$n=4$

$SN_B$                     0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

$RN_B$                     4

$m=n+1=5$

(go back n)

$SN_B \bmod 5$             0 1 2 3 4 0 1 2

$RN_B \bmod 5$             4

$m=4$

$SN_B \bmod 4$             0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3

$RN_B \bmod 4$             0

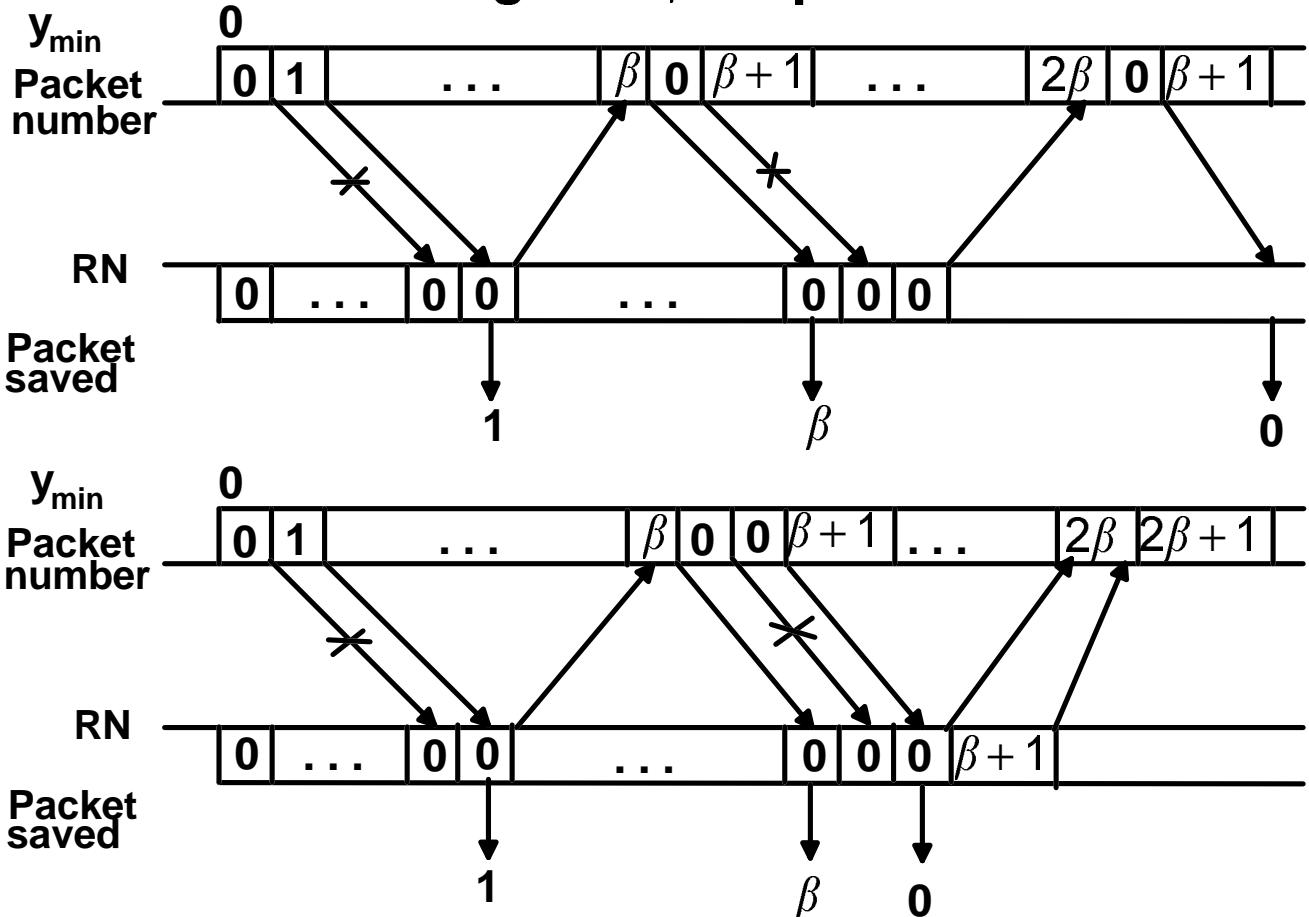
$m=0, 2n=8$

(selective repeat)

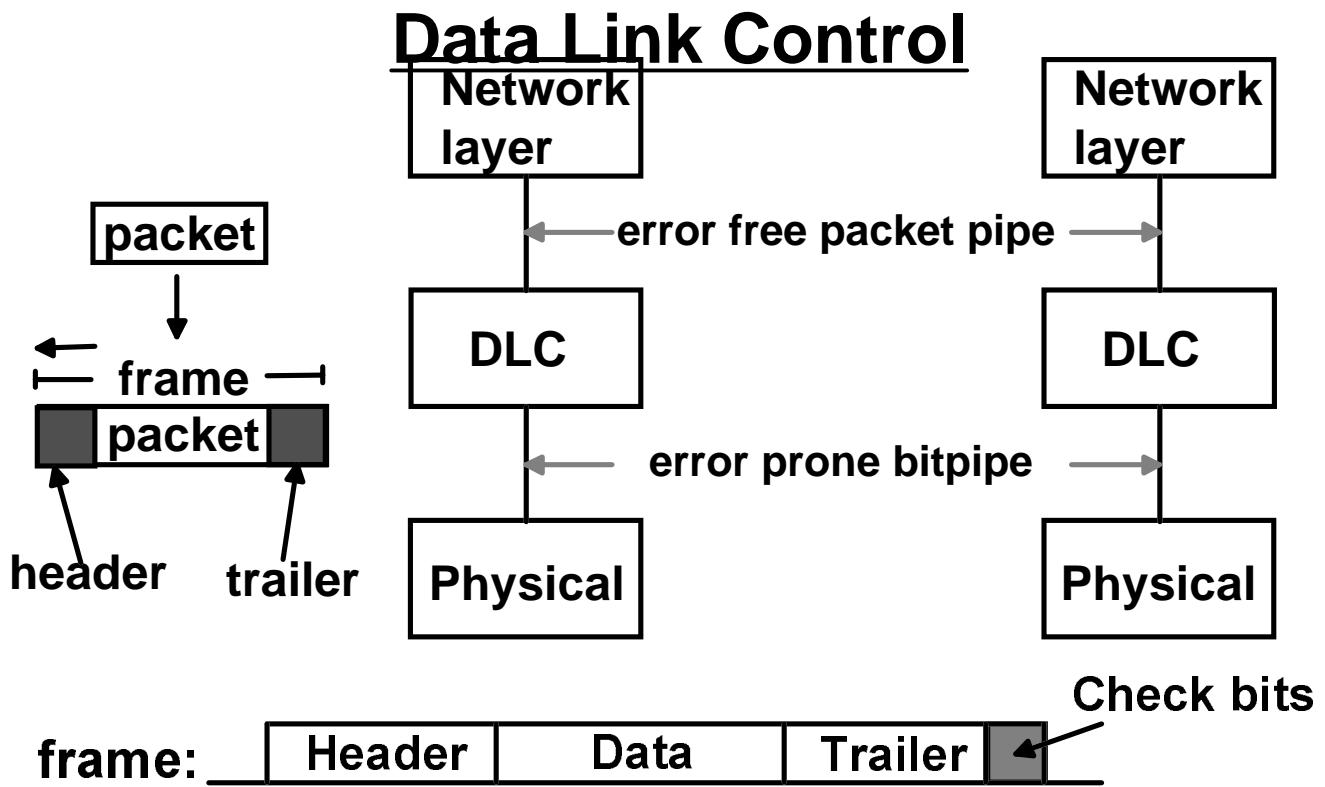
$SN_B \bmod 8$             discarded                    stored  
                          0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

$RN_B \bmod 8$             accepted                    4

## Selective repeat ARQ with $n=2\beta+2$ and receiver storage for $\beta+1$ packets.



Variability of delay is reduced



### Issues:

**Detect bit errors, recover from errors by retransmission or by error correction.**

**Framing:** determine, at the receiving DLC, the beginning and end of each frame.

## Error detection of a string of bits

- Simplest: add a parity check bit.  
(modulo 2 sum of  $s_1$  to  $s_K$ )

| string                  | parity |
|-------------------------|--------|
| 1011010                 | 0      |
| $s_{K-1} \dots s_0 s_1$ | $c$    |

will catch any odd number of errors.

- Improvement: add more parity bits.  
Ex. Horizontal & Vertical Parity Check

|       |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1     | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 1     | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 0     | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
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| 0     | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |

vertical check

horizontal check

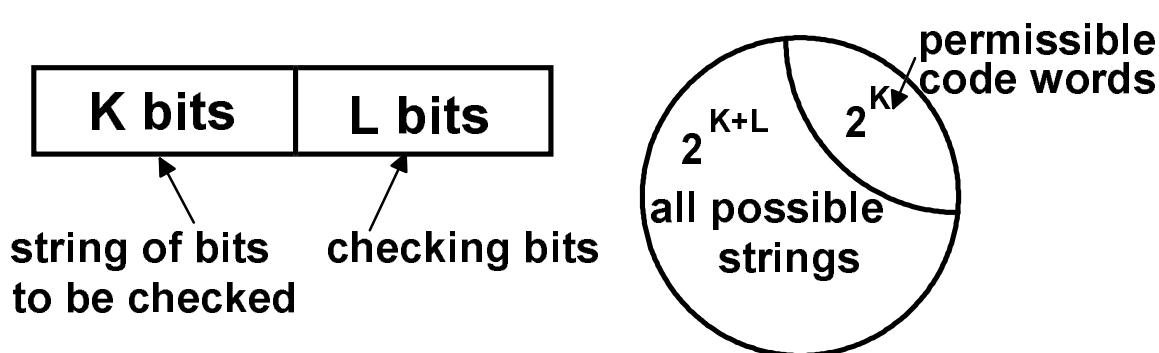
|       |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|-------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1     | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| 1     | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 0     | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
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| 0     | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |

Will catch any pattern of 3 errors and any odd number of errors.

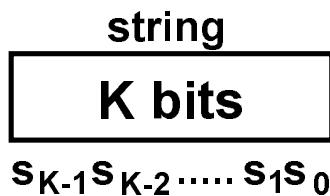
# Effectiveness of a check code

1. Minimum distance: the minimum number of errors that may pass undetected.
  - Single parity check: 2.
  - Horizontal & vertical parity check: 4.
2. Burst detecting capability.
  - The length of a burst of errors is the number of bits from the first to the last error.
  - Single parity check: 1.
  - Horizontal & vertical parity check: the length of a row+1.
3. Probability that a random string will be accepted as error-free.

In general:



# Cyclic Redundancy Check (CRC) Code



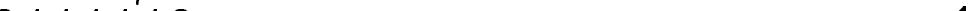
$$S(x) = s_{K-1}x^{K-1} + s_{K-2}x^{K-2} + \dots + s_1x + s_0$$

$C(x)$  is the remainder of  $S(x) \cdot x^L$  divided by a generator polynomial  $g(x)$ .

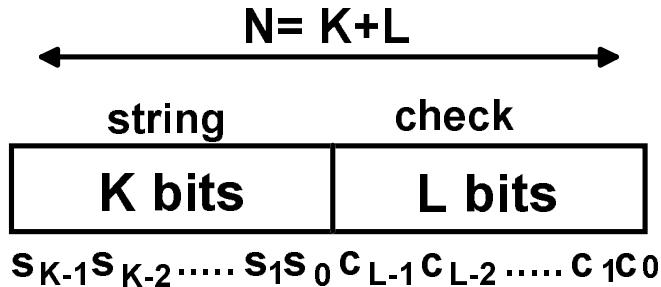
$$C(x) = \text{Remainder} \left\{ \frac{S(x) \cdot x^L}{g(x)} \right\}$$

**Example:** string = 101111, use  $L = 2$  check bits  
with  $g(x) = x^2 + x$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 x^7 + x^5 + x^4 + x^3 + x^2 \\
 \hline
 x^7 + x^6 \\
 \hline
 x^6 + x^5 + x^4 + x^3 + x^2 \\
 \hline
 x^6 + x^5 \\
 \hline
 x^4 + x^3 + x^2 \\
 \hline
 x^4 + x^3 \\
 \hline
 x^2 \\
 \hline
 x^2 + x
 \end{array}$$

**Finally :**      CRC       $x \leftarrow \text{remainder} \rightarrow C(x) = x$   

 $c_1 = 1, c_0 = 0$

# Cyclic Redundancy Check (CRC) Code



**Represent data bits and check bits by binary polynomials:**

$$S(x) \cdot x^L + C(x) = s_{K-1}x^{K+L-1} + s_{K-2}x^{K+L-2} + \dots + s_1x^{L+1} + s_0x^L \\ + c_{L-1}x^{L-1} + c_{L-2}x^{L-2} + \dots + c_1x + c_0$$

**e.g. data string** = 101111  $\rightarrow S(x) = x^5 + 0 \cdot x^4 + x^3 + x^2 + x + 1$   
( $K = 6$ )

**Entire packet:**  $S(x) \cdot x^L + C(x)$   
**string    check**  
e.g. 101101    10  
( $K = 6$ )    ( $L = 2$ )

**Polynomial corresponding to entire packet:**

$$S(x) \cdot x^L + C(x) = \underbrace{x^7 + 0 \cdot x^6 + x^5 + x^4 + x^3 + x^2 + x + 0}_{K=6} \quad L=2$$

**is divisible by  $g(x)$ .**

$$S(x) \cdot x^L = Q(x) \cdot g(x) + C(x)$$

$$S(x) \cdot x^L - C(x) = S(x) \cdot x^L + C(x) = Q(x) \cdot g(x)$$

- **The polynomial corresponding to the frame sent by the transmitting DLC module is divisible by the generator polynomial  $g(x)$ .**
- **When the receiving DLC module receives a frame, it checks whether the polynomial corresponding to the received frame is divisible by  $g(x)$ .**
  - ❖ **If the remainder  $R(x) = 0$  then it decides that no error occurred.**
  - ❖ **If the remainder  $R(x) \neq 0$  then it detects an error.**

## False acceptance

**data string**

**SC: 1 0 1 1 1 1 0**

**M: 1 0 0 1 1 1 1**

**error: 0 0 1 0 0 0 1**  $\rightarrow E(x) = x^5 + 1$

$e^{K+L-1} \dots e_2 e_1 e_0$  (**error polynomial**)

$$E(x) = e^{K+L-1} x^{K+L-1} + \dots + e_1 x + e_0$$

**sent out:**  $S(x) \cdot x^L + C(x) \rightarrow$  **divisible by**  $g(x)$

**received:**  $S(x) \cdot x^L + C(x) + E(x) \stackrel{def}{=} M(x)$

**Receiver finds:**  $R(x) \stackrel{def}{=} \text{remainder} \left\{ \frac{M(x)}{g(x)} \right\}$

$$= \text{remainder} \left\{ \frac{E(x)}{g(x)} \right\}$$

**False acceptance when**  
 **$g(x)$  divides  $E(x)$  and  $E(x) \neq 0$**

**e.g.**

**if**  $g(x) = x^2 + 1$

$$E(x) = x^2 + x, x^3 + x^2$$

## Properties of the CRC codes

**In practice  $g(x)$  is chosen as**

$$\begin{aligned} g(x) &= \underbrace{(x^{L-1} + \dots + 1)}_{\text{"primitive polynomial"}} \cdot (x + 1) \\ &= x^L + g_{L-1}x^{L-1} + \dots + g_1x + 1 \end{aligned}$$

- **Minimum distance = 4.**
- **Burst-detecting capability = L.**
- **Random strings accepted as code words: prob.  $2^{-L}$**

Minimum distance = 4.

- Any odd number of errors detected:

If  $E(x)$  is divisible by  $g(x)$

then  $E(x) = q(x) \cdot g(x)$

An odd number of errors

e.g.  $E(x) = x^5 + x^3 + x^1$ ,  $E(1) = 1$

But  $g(1) = 0$  since  $(x+1) = 0$

$E(x) \neq q(x) \cdot g(x)$

- A primitive polynomial does not divide

$x^n + 1$  if  $n < 2^L - 1$

2 errors:  $E(x) = x^i + x^j = x^j(x^{x-j} + 1)$

$i-j < K+L$  ( $< 2^L$  in practice)

K+L: length of frame

## Burst-detecting capability = L

$$\begin{aligned}E(x) &= x^{m+b-1} + a_2 x^{m+b-2} + \dots + a_{b-1} x^{m+1} + x^b \\&= x^m (x^{b-1} + a_2 x^{b-2} + \dots + a_{b-1} x + 1)\end{aligned}$$

**not divisible by**  $x^L + g_{L-1} x^{L-1} + \dots + g_1 x + 1$

**if**  $b-1 < L$

**A burst of errors with length  $b \leq L$  are detected.**