

# Galois LCD constacyclic codes over finite commutative chain rings

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# Constacyclic codes

Let  $R$  be a finite commutative chain ring with  $p^m$  elements and  $\mathcal{C}$  be a linear code over  $R$  and let  $\lambda$  a unit element of  $R$ . We say that  $\mathcal{C}$  is  $\lambda$ -constacyclic code if

$$(c_0, c_1, \dots, c_{n-1}) \in \mathcal{C} \implies (\lambda c_{n-1}, c_0, \dots, c_{n-2}) \in \mathcal{C}$$

for all  $(c_0, c_1, \dots, c_{n-1}) \in \mathcal{C}$ .

# Constacyclic codes

When  $\lambda = 1$ , we have so called *cyclic codes* and, when  $\lambda = -1$ , we have *negacyclic codes*. Thus, constacyclic codes are generalization of cyclic and negacyclic codes. Also, constacyclic code can be realized as ideals in polynomial factor ring  $\frac{R[x]}{\langle x^n - \lambda \rangle}$ .

# Twisted group algebra

Let  $R$  be a commutative ring and  $G$  be a group. The *twisted group ring*  $R^\gamma G$  of  $G$  over  $R$  is the associative  $R$ -algebra with basis  $\overline{G} = \{\overline{g}, g \in G\}$ , which is a copy of  $G$ , and the multiplication is defined on the basis as

$$\overline{g} \cdot \overline{h} = \gamma(g, h)\overline{gh}$$

where  $\gamma(g, h)$  is an element of  $\mathcal{U}(R)$ , the group of units of  $R$ .

# Twisted group algebra

The mapping  $\gamma : G \times G \longrightarrow \mathcal{U}(R)$  is called *twisting* and there are many different possibilities for  $R^\gamma G$  depending on the choice of the twisting. For instance, the group ring  $RG$  of  $G$  over  $R$  is a twisted group ring with  $\gamma(g, h) = 1$ . Furthermore, the associative condition on the multiplication implies that

$$\gamma(g, h)\gamma(gh, k) = \gamma(h, k)\gamma(g, hk)$$

and, for this reason,  $\gamma$  is a 2-cocycle.

# Twisted group algebra

It is possible to make a *diagonal* change of basis by replacing each  $\bar{g}$  by  $\tilde{g} = \delta(g)\bar{g}$  for some  $\delta(g) \in \mathcal{U}(R)$  and, with this change of basis,  $R^\gamma G$  is realized in a second way as a twisted group ring of  $G$  over  $R$  with twisting

$$\tilde{\gamma}(g, h) = \delta(g)\delta(h)\delta(gh)^{-1}\gamma(g, h).$$

In this case, we say that  $\gamma$  and  $\tilde{\gamma}$  are *cohomologous*.

# Constacyclic codes as ideals in twisted group algebras

## Theorem

Let  $R$  be a finite field,  $C_n = \langle g \mid g^n = 1 \rangle$  a cyclic group of order  $n$  and  $\mathcal{C}$  be a linear code over  $R^n$ . Consider the linear mapping

$\varphi : R^n \longrightarrow R^\gamma C_n$  given by

$\varphi(c_0, c_1, \dots, c_{n-1}) = c_0 \bar{1} + c_1 \bar{g} + \dots + c_{n-1} \overline{g^{n-1}}$ . Then,  $\mathcal{C}$  is a

$\lambda$ -constacyclic code if and only if  $\varphi(\mathcal{C})$  is an ideal of  $\mathbb{F}_q^\gamma C_n$  where

$$\gamma_\lambda(g^j, g^k) = \begin{cases} \lambda, & \text{if } j + k \geq n \\ 1, & \text{if } j + k < n. \end{cases}$$

# Twisted group algebras of cyclic groups

Let  $C_n = \langle g \mid g^n = 1 \rangle$  be a cyclic group of order  $n$ ,  $\mathbb{F}$  be a field and  $R^\gamma C_n$  the twisted group algebra with

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where  $\lambda$  is a unit element of  $R$ . Thus,  $\overline{g^2} = \overline{g} \cdot \overline{g} = \gamma(g, g)\overline{g^2}$ , so we can make a diagonal change of basis and replace  $\overline{g^k}$  by  $\overline{g}^k$ , for all  $k$ ,  $1 \leq k \leq n$ . Thus, there exists a non-zero element  $a \in \mathbb{F}$  such that  $\overline{g^n} = a \cdot 1$  which implies that  $R^\gamma C_n$  is a commutative ring.



# Galois form

Let  $R$  be a finite commutative ring with  $p^m$  elements,  $G$  be a finite group and  $R^\gamma G$  the twisted group ring of  $G$  over  $R$ . Given

$\alpha = \sum_{g \in G} \alpha_g \bar{g}$ ,  $\beta = \sum_{g \in G} \beta_g \bar{g}$  two elements of  $R^\gamma G$ , for each  $k$ ,  $0 \leq k < m$ , we define the  $k$ -Galois form on  $R^\gamma G$  as

$$[\alpha, \beta]_k = \sum_{g \in G} \alpha_g \beta_g^{p^k}.$$

It is not difficult to see that  $k$ -Galois form is just the Euclidean inner product if  $k = 0$ . Thus, given a twisted group code  $\mathcal{C}$ , we can define the  $k$ -Galois dual code of  $\mathcal{C}$  as

$$\mathcal{C}^{\perp k} = \{\beta \in R^\gamma G \mid [\alpha, \beta]_k = 0, \forall \alpha \in \mathcal{C}\}.$$

## Proposition

Let  $R$  be a finite commutative ring with  $p^m$  elements,  
 $C_n = \langle g, g^n = 1 \rangle$  be a cyclic group of order  $n$  and  $R^{\gamma_\lambda} C_n$  the  
twisted group algebra of  $C_n$  over  $R$  where

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Then, if  $C$  is a  $\lambda$ -constacyclic code, its  $k$ -Galois dual  $C^{\perp_k}$  is a  
 $\lambda^{-p^{m-k}}$ -constacyclic code.

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*If  $\lambda^{1+p^{m-k}} \neq 1$ , then any  $\lambda$ -constacyclic code  $\mathcal{C}$  over  $R$  is a k-Galois LCD code.*

# The classical involution

## Definition

Let  $R$  be a commutative ring with identity and let  $G$  be a group.

The mapping  $*$  :  $R^\gamma G \longrightarrow R^\gamma G$  given by

$$\left( \sum_{g \in G} \alpha_g \bar{g} \right)^* = \sum_{g \in G} \alpha_g \bar{g}^{-1}$$

is called the classical involution of  $R^\gamma G$ .

## Lemma

Let  $R$  be a finite commutative with  $p^m$  elements,  
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Given two arbitrary elements  $\alpha = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \alpha_i \bar{g}^i$  and  $\beta = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \beta_i \bar{g}^i$  of

$R^{\gamma\lambda} C_n$ , let us denote by  $\beta^{(p^k)}$  the element  $\sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \beta_i^{p^k} \bar{g}^i$ . If

$\alpha \left( \beta^{(p^k)} \right)^* = 0$ , then  $[\alpha, \beta]_k = 0$ .

# Euclidean Constacyclic LCD codes

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for some unit  $\lambda \in R$ . If  $\lambda^2 = 1$ , then  $\mathcal{C}$  is a  $\lambda$ -constacyclic LCD code if, and only if,  $\mathcal{C}$  is generated by an idempotent  $e$  such that

$$e = e^*.$$



# k-Galois constacyclic LCD code

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If  $\lambda^2 = 1$ ,  $C$  is a  $\lambda$ -constacyclic code generated by an idempotent  
 $e$  such that  $e = e(e^{(p^k)})^*$  if and only if  $C$  is  $k$ -Galois LCD code.

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- $\mathcal{C}$  LCD MDS code.

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