

Special Issue

The Advances in Algebraic Coding Theory

Message from the Guest Editors

Coding Theory covers several topics and is a widely studied multidisciplinary subject, involving techniques from computer science, engineering, information theory and mathematics. From both a theoretical and a computational point of view, algebra has established itself as one of the main reference areas in researching codes, their properties, encoding and decoding algorithms and other related aspects of Coding Theory. The continuous development and increasing relevance of digital data utilization makes Coding Theory a research field of primary interest that needs constant study and updates for keeping up with the technological demands of modern society. In particular, it is essential that messages reach the destination correctly, without errors that can occur due the presence of noise in the communication channel. Therefore, error correction codes are necessary in order to obtain efficient methods for detecting and correcting as many errors as possible. The aim of the present Special Issue is to encourage the study of algebraic topics related to coding theory, as well as the development of new techniques for detecting and correcting errors...

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