## **Exercise 2**

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## **CRC** checksums

Please calculate the CRC R of  $D = 0101 \ 1100 \ 1010 \ 0111 \ 1110 \ 1111.$ 

Use the 4 bit generator G = 1101.

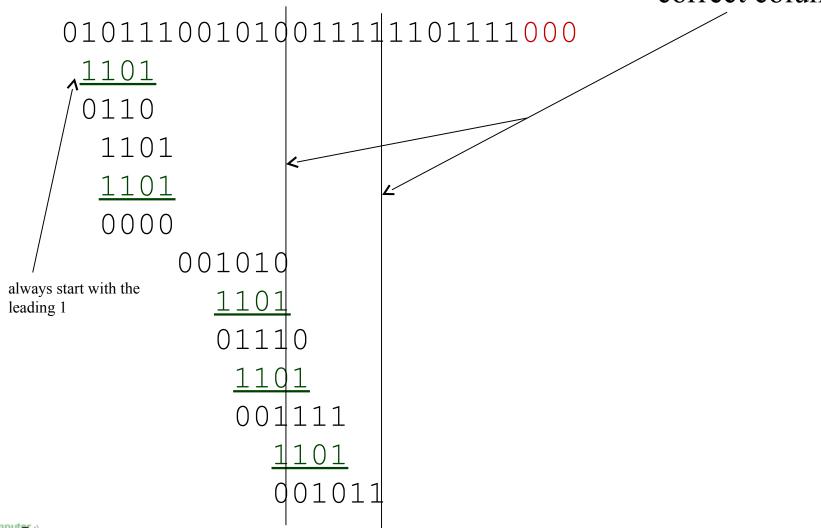
Note:

R is always of length |G|-1



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just lines to help: do not loose the correct column!





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```
010111001010011111101111000
    1011
    1101
    01101
                 Remainder = CRC = 101
     0000
          1011
                 only 3 bits!
          1101
          01101
           1101
           00001000
                1101
                0101
```



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#### **Answer:**

Hop-to-hop connection in one network (NOT between networks)



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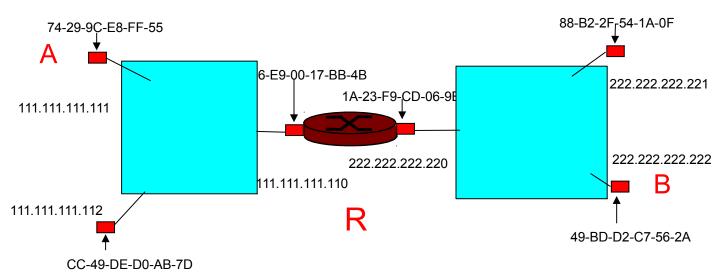
#### **Answer:**

Remember: ARP is layer 2, routers are layer 3. Inter-networking is the job of the network layer.

ARP is serving in looking up the MAC of the router that connects to the network of the destination node.



- 1. A creates IP datagram with source A, destination B
- 2. A uses ARP to get R's MAC address for 111.111.111.110
- 3. A creates link-layer frame with R's MAC address as dest, frame contains A-to-B IP datagram
- 4. A's NIC sends frame
- 5. R's NIC receives frame
- 6. R removes IP datagram from Ethernet frame, sees destination B
- 7. R uses ARP to get B's MAC address
- 8. R creates frame containing A-to-B IP datagram sends to B





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#### Answer:

MAC addresses are unique identifiers for a specific device.

IP addresses for devices may change frequently



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#### **Answer:**

Exponential backoff is a simple way to quickly resolve a collision and to adapt to varying congestion states.

It does not require additional signalling among nodes.

