

One Part of Shannon's Source Coding Theorem

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Abstract

This document contains a proof of the necessary condition on the code rate of a source code, namely that this code rate is bounded by the entropy of the source. This represents one half of Shannon's source coding theorem, which is itself an equivalence.

This proof is taken directly from the textbook [1], and transcribed rather literally into Isabelle. It is thus easier to keep the textbook proof in mind to understand this formal proof.

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```
theory Source-Coding-Theorem
imports HOL-Probability.Information
begin
```

1 Basic types

```
type-synonym bit = bool
type-synonym bword = bit list
type-synonym letter = nat
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type-synonym 'b word = 'b list
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type-synonym 'b encoder = 'b word  $\Rightarrow$  bword  
type-synonym 'b decoder = bword  $\Rightarrow$  'b word option
```

2 Locale for the source coding theorem

```
locale source-code = information-space +  
  fixes fi :: 'b  $\Rightarrow$  real  
  fixes X :: 'a  $\Rightarrow$  'b  
  
  assumes distr-i: simple-distributed M X fi  
  assumes b-val: b = 2  
  
  fixes enc::'b encoder  
  fixes dec::'b decoder  
  assumes real-code:  
    dec (enc x) = Some x  
    enc w = []  $\longleftrightarrow$  w = []  
    x  $\neq$  []  $\longrightarrow$  enc x = enc [hd x] @ enc (tl x)
```

3 Source coding theorem, direct: the entropy is a lower bound of the code rate

```
context source-code  
begin
```

3.1 The letter set

```
definition L :: 'b set where  
  L  $\equiv$  X ` space M
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lemma fin-L: finite L  
  ⟨proof⟩
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lemma emp-L: L  $\neq$  {}  
  ⟨proof⟩
```

3.2 Codes and words

```
abbreviation real-word :: 'b word  $\Rightarrow$  bool where  
  real-word w  $\equiv$  (set w  $\subseteq$  L)
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```
abbreviation k-words :: nat  $\Rightarrow$  ('b word) set where  
  k-words k  $\equiv$  {w. length w = k  $\wedge$  real-word w}
```

```
lemma rw-tail:  
  assumes real-word w
```

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shows  $w = [] \vee \text{real-word}(\text{tl } w)$ 
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$ 

definition  $\text{code-word-length} :: 'e \text{ encoder} \Rightarrow 'e \Rightarrow \text{nat}$  where
 $\text{code-word-length } e \ l = \text{length}(e[l])$ 

abbreviation  $\text{cw-len} :: 'b \Rightarrow \text{nat}$  where
 $\text{cw-len } l \equiv \text{code-word-length enc } l$ 

definition  $\text{code-rate} :: 'e \text{ encoder} \Rightarrow ('a \Rightarrow 'e) \Rightarrow \text{real}$  where
 $\text{code-rate } e \ Xo = \text{expectation}(\lambda a. (\text{code-word-length } e ((Xo) a)))$ 

lemma  $\text{fi-pos}: i \in L \implies 0 \leq \text{fi } i$ 
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$ 

lemma (in prob-space)  $\text{simp-exp-composed}$ :
assumes  $X: \text{simple-distributed } M \ X \ Px$ 
shows  $\text{expectation}(\lambda a. f(X a)) = (\sum x \in X \text{'space } M. f x * Px x)$ 
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$ 

lemma  $\text{cr-rw}$ :
 $\text{code-rate enc } X = (\sum i \in X \text{'space } M. \text{fi } i * \text{cw-len } i)$ 
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$ 

abbreviation  $\text{cw-len-concat} :: 'b \text{ word} \Rightarrow \text{nat}$  where
 $\text{cw-len-concat } w \equiv \text{foldr}(\lambda x s. (\text{cw-len } x) + s) w 0$ 

lemma  $\text{cw-len-length}: \text{cw-len-concat } w = \text{length}(\text{enc } w)$ 
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$ 

lemma  $\text{maj-fold}$ :
assumes  $\bigwedge l. l \in L \implies \text{fi } l \leq \text{bound}$ 
assumes  $\text{real-word } w$ 
shows  $\text{foldr}(\lambda x s. f x + s) w 0 \leq \text{length } w * \text{bound}$ 
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$ 

definition  $\text{max-len} :: \text{nat}$  where
 $\text{max-len} = \text{Max}((\lambda x. \text{cw-len } x) ` L)$ 

lemma  $\text{max-cw}$ :
 $l \in L \implies \text{cw-len } l \leq \text{max-len}$ 
 $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$ 

```

3.3 Related to the Kraft theorem

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definition  $\mathcal{K} :: \text{real}$  where
 $\mathcal{K} = (\sum i \in L. 1 / b^{\text{cw-len } i})$ 

lemma  $\text{pos-cw-len}: 0 < 1 / b^{\text{cw-len } i}$   $\langle \text{proof} \rangle$ 

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lemma \mathcal{K} -pos: $0 < \mathcal{K}$

$\langle proof \rangle$

lemma \mathcal{K} -pow: $\mathcal{K} = (\sum_{i \in L. 1 / b \text{ powr } cw\text{-len } i})$

$\langle proof \rangle$

lemma $k\text{-words-rel}$:

$k\text{-words } (Suc k) = \{w. (hd w \in L \wedge tl w \in k\text{-words } k \wedge w \neq [])\}$

$\langle proof \rangle$

lemma $bij\text{-k-words}$:

shows $bij\text{-betw } (\lambda wi. Cons (fst wi) (snd wi)) (L \times k\text{-words } k) (k\text{-words } (Suc k))$

$\langle proof \rangle$

lemma $finite\text{-k-words}$: $finite (k\text{-words } k)$

$\langle proof \rangle$

lemma $cartesian\text{-product}$:

fixes $f::('c \Rightarrow real)$

fixes $g::('d \Rightarrow real)$

assumes $finite A$

assumes $finite B$

shows $(\sum_{b \in B. g b) * (\sum_{a \in A. f a) = (\sum_{ab \in A \times B. f (fst ab) * g (snd ab))}$

$\langle proof \rangle$

lemma \mathcal{K} -power:

shows $\mathcal{K}^k = (\sum_{w \in (k\text{-words } k). 1 / b^{\wedge}(cw\text{-len-}concat w))}$

$\langle proof \rangle$

lemma $bound\text{-len-}concat$:

shows $w \in k\text{-words } k \implies cw\text{-len-}concat w \leq k * max\text{-len}$

$\langle proof \rangle$

3.4 Inequality of the kraft sum (source coding theorem, direct)

3.4.1 Sum manipulation lemmas and McMillan theorem

lemma $sum\text{-vimage-proof}$:

fixes $g::nat \Rightarrow real$

assumes $\bigwedge w. f w < bd$

shows $finite S \implies (\sum_{w \in S. g (f w)) = (\sum_{m=0..<bd. (card ((f - \{m\}) \cap S)) * g m)}$

(is $- \implies - = (\sum_{m=0..<bd. ?ff m S))$

$\langle proof \rangle$

lemma $sum\text{-vimage}$:

fixes $g::nat \Rightarrow real$

assumes bounded: $\bigwedge w. w \in S \implies f w < bd$ **and** $0 < bd$

assumes *finite*: *finite S*
shows $(\sum_{w \in S} g(f w)) = (\sum_{m=0..<bd} (card((f -` \{m\}) \cap S)) * g m)$

(is ?*s1* = ?*s2*)

{proof}

lemma *K-rw*:

$(\sum_{w \in (k\text{-words } k)} 1 / b^{\hat{}}(cw\text{-len-concat } w)) = (\sum_{m=0..<Suc(k * max\text{-len})} card(k\text{-words } k \cap ((cw\text{-len-concat}) -` \{m\})) * (1 / b^{\hat{}}m))$ (**is** ?*L* = ?*R*)

{proof}

definition *set-of-k-words-length-m* :: *nat* \Rightarrow *nat* \Rightarrow 'b word set **where**
set-of-k-words-length-m *k m* = {*xk*. *xk* \in *k-words k*} \cap (*cw-len-concat*) -` {*m*}

lemma *am-inj-code*: *inj-on enc ((cw-len-concat) -` {m})* (**is inj-on - ?s**)
{proof}

lemma *img-inc*: *enc`cw-len-concat -` {m} ⊆ {bl. length bl = m}* *{proof}*

lemma *bool-lists-card*: *card {bl::bool list. length bl = m} = b^m*
{proof}

lemma *bool-list-fin*: *finite {bl::bool list. length bl = m}*
{proof}

lemma *set-of-k-words-bound*:

shows *card (set-of-k-words-length-m k m) ≤ b^m* (**is** ?*c* ≤ ?*b*)
{proof}

lemma *empty-set-k-words*:

assumes $0 < k$
shows *set-of-k-words-length-m k 0 = {}*
{proof}

lemma *K-rw2*:

assumes $0 < k$
shows $(\sum_{m=0..<Suc(k * max\text{-len})} card(set-of-k-words-length-m k m)) / b^m \leq (k * max\text{-len})$
{proof}

lemma *K-power-bound* :

assumes $0 < k$
shows $K^k \leq k * max\text{-len}$
{proof}

theorem *McMillan* :

shows $K \leq 1$
{proof}

lemma *entropy-rw*: $\mathcal{H}(X) = -(\sum i \in L. f_i * \log b (f_i))$
 $\langle proof \rangle$

3.4.2 Technical lemmas about the logarithm

lemma *log-mult-ext3*:

$0 \leq x \Rightarrow 0 < y \Rightarrow 0 < z \Rightarrow x * \log b (x * y * z) = x * \log b (x * y) + x * \log b z$
 $\langle proof \rangle$

lemma *log-mult-ext2*:

$0 \leq x \Rightarrow 0 < y \Rightarrow x * \log b (x * y) = x * \log b x + x * \log b y$
 $\langle proof \rangle$

3.4.3 KL divergence and properties

definition *KL-div* :: 'b set $\Rightarrow ('b \Rightarrow real) \Rightarrow ('b \Rightarrow real) \Rightarrow real$ **where**
 $KL\text{-div } S a d = (\sum i \in S. a_i * \log b (a_i / d_i))$

lemma *KL-div-mul*:

assumes $0 < d \leq 1$
assumes $\bigwedge i. i \in S \Rightarrow 0 \leq a_i$
assumes $\bigwedge i. i \in S \Rightarrow 0 < e_i$
shows $KL\text{-div } S a e \geq KL\text{-div } S a (\lambda i. e_i / d_i)$
 $\langle proof \rangle$

lemma *KL-div-pos*:

fixes $a e :: 'b \Rightarrow real$
assumes $fin: finite S$
assumes $nemp: S \neq \{\}$
assumes $non-null: \bigwedge i. i \in S \Rightarrow 0 < a_i \wedge \bigwedge i. i \in S \Rightarrow 0 < e_i$
assumes $sum-a-one: (\sum i \in S. a_i) = 1$
assumes $sum-c-one: (\sum i \in S. e_i) = 1$
shows $0 \leq KL\text{-div } S a e$
 $\langle proof \rangle$

lemma *KL-div-pos-emp*:

$0 \leq KL\text{-div } \{\} a e \langle proof \rangle$

lemma *KL-div-pos-gen*:

fixes $a d :: 'b \Rightarrow real$
assumes $fin: finite S$
assumes $non-null: \bigwedge i. i \in S \Rightarrow 0 < a_i \wedge \bigwedge i. i \in S \Rightarrow 0 < d_i$
assumes $sum-a-one: (\sum i \in S. a_i) = 1$
assumes $sum-d-one: (\sum i \in S. d_i) = 1$
shows $0 \leq KL\text{-div } S a d$
 $\langle proof \rangle$

theorem *KL-div-pos2*:

fixes $a d :: 'b \Rightarrow real$

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assumes fin: finite S
assumes non-null:  $\bigwedge i. i \in S \implies 0 \leq a_i \wedge i \in S \implies 0 < d_i$ 
assumes sum-a-one:  $(\sum i \in S. a_i) = 1$ 
assumes sum-c-one:  $(\sum i \in S. d_i) = 1$ 
shows  $0 \leq KL\text{-div } S \text{ a d}$ 
⟨proof⟩

lemma sum-div-1:
  fixes f::'b ⇒ 'c::field
  assumes  $(\sum i \in A. f_i) \neq 0$ 
  shows  $(\sum i \in A. f_i / (\sum j \in A. f_j)) = 1$ 
  ⟨proof⟩

theorem rate-lower-bound:
  shows  $H(X) \leq \text{code-rate enc } X$ 
  ⟨proof⟩

end

end

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References

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