

## APPENDIX C

C.1 : The alias structures for  $2^{7-2}$  design  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  as follows.

**Design  $d_1$  :**

I = ABCF = ABDEG = CDEFG	A = BCF = BDEG = ACDEFG
B = ACF = ADEG = BCDEFG	C = ABF = ABCDEG = DEFG
D = ABCDF = ABEG = CEFG	E = ABCEF = ABDG = CDFG
F = ABC = ABDEFG = CDEG	G = ABCFG = ABDE = CDEF
AB = CF = DEG = ABCDEFG	AC = BF = BCDEG = ADEFG
AF = BC = BDEFG = ACDEG	AE = BCEF = BDG = ACDFG
AD = BCDF = BEG = ACEFG	AG = BCFG = BDE = ACDEF
BD = ACDF = AEG = BCEFG	BE = ACEF = ADG = BCDFG
BG = ACFG = ADG = BCDFG	CD = ABDF = ABCEG = EFG
CE = ABEF = ADCDG = DFG	CG = ABFG = ABCDE = DEF
DE = ABCDEF = ABG = CFG	DF = ABCD = ABEFG = CEG
DG = ABCDFG = ABE = CEF	EF = ABCE = ABDFG = CDG
EG = ABCEFG = ABD = CDF	FG = ABCG = ABDEFG = CDE
ACD = BDF = BCEG = AEFG	ACE = BEF = BCDG = ADFG
ACG = BFG = BCDE = ADEF	ADF = BCD = BDFG = ACDG
AEF = BCE = BDFG = ACDG	AFG = BCG = BDEF = ACDE

**Design  $d_2$  :**

I = ABCD = CEFG = ABDEFG	A = BCD = ACEFG = BDEFG
B = ACD = BCEFG = ADEFG	C = ABD = EFG = ABCDEFG
D = ABC = CDEFG = ABDEFG	E = ABCDE = CFG = ABDFG
F = ABCDF = CEG = ABDEG	G = ABCDG = CEF = ABDEF
AB = CD = ABCEFG = DEFG	AC = BD = AEFG = BCDEFG
AD = BC = ACDEFG = BEFG	CF = ABDF = EG = ABCDEG
CG = ABDG = EF = ABCDEF	CE = ABDE = FG = ABCDFG
AE = BCDE = ACEG = BDEF	AF = BCDF = ACEG = BDEG
AG = BCDG = ACEF = BDEF	BE = ACDE = BCFG = ADFG
BF = ACDF = BCEG = ADEG	BG = ACDG = BCEF = ADEF
DE = ABCE = CDFG = ABFG	DF = ABCF = CDEG = ABEG
DG = ABCG = CDEF = ABEF	ABE = CDE = ABCFG = DFG
ABF = CDF = ABCEG = DEG	ABG = CDG = ABCEF = DEF
ACE = BDE = AFG = BCDFG	ACF = BDF = AEG = BCDEG
ACG = BDG = AEF = BCDEF	ADE = BCE = ACDFG = BFG
ADF = BCF = ACDEG = BEG	ADG = BCG = ACDEF = BEF

□

**LEMMA C.2 :** When  $(n/u)$  is very small,

$$P(m, n) = 1 - \binom{u-m}{n} / \binom{u}{n} \approx \frac{mn}{u}$$

**PROOF**

Let us consider  $m = 1$ ,

$$P(1, n) = 1 - \left(1 - \frac{n}{u}\right)$$

$$P(1, n) = \frac{n}{u}$$

For  $m = 2$

$$P(2, n) = 1 - \left(1 - \frac{n}{u}\right)\left(1 - \frac{n}{u-1}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= 1 - \left\{ 1 - \frac{n}{u} - \frac{n}{u-1} + \frac{n^2}{u(u-1)} \right\} \\
&= \left\{ \frac{n}{u} + \frac{n}{u-1} - \frac{n^2}{u(u-1)} \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

Since  $(n/u)$  is not too large  $\Rightarrow u$  is large

$\Rightarrow \frac{n}{u} \cong \frac{n}{u-1}$  and  $\frac{n^2}{u(u-1)} \cong 0$ . Therefore,

$$P(2, n) = \frac{2n}{u}$$

For  $m = r$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
P(r, n) &= 1 - \left( 1 - \frac{n}{u} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{n}{u-1} \right) \cdots \left( 1 - \frac{n}{u-r+1} \right) \\
&= 1 - \left\{ 1 - \frac{n}{u} - \frac{n}{u-1} \cdots \left( 1 - \frac{n}{u-r+1} \right) + \frac{n^2}{u(u-1)} + \frac{n^2}{u(u-1)(u-2)} \cdots \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

Neglecting higher order terms, we have

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \left\{ \frac{n}{u} + \frac{n}{u-1} + \cdots + \frac{n}{u-r+1} \right\} \\
&\approx \frac{rn}{u}
\end{aligned}$$

Hence the proof. □