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SPACE-TIME CODING

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STBC Codes (space-time block)

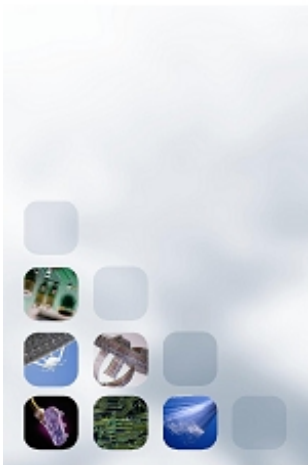
For R input bits, there is an alphabet C which contains 2^R space time code-words size n_T by n_T

As stated before, any valid code-word verifies:

$$\underset{=m}{C} \underset{=m}{C}^H = \underset{=nT}{I}$$

Let us assume that the transmitted code-word is C_1 and, assuming ML detection, we would like to compute the probability of error, i.e. decide C_0 when C_1 is the actual word

$$\underset{=n}{B} \underset{=n}{B}^H = \underset{=n}{H} s1(n)$$



It will be an error when:

$$Pe(\underline{C}_0 \Rightarrow \underline{C}_1) = \Pr\left(\left|\underline{X}_{Rn} - \underline{HC}_1\right|_F < \left|\underline{X}_{Rn} - \underline{HC}_0\right|_F\right)$$

Using that...

$$\underline{X}_{Rn} = \sqrt{\frac{2E_s}{N_o}} \underline{HC}_1 + \underline{W}_n = \rho^{0.5} \underline{HC}_1 + \underline{W}_n$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \left|\underline{X}_{Rn} - \underline{HC}_1\right|_F < \left|\underline{X}_{Rn} - \underline{HC}_0\right|_F \\ & tr\left(\underline{X}_{Rn}^H \underline{H}(\underline{C}_1 - \underline{C}_0) + (\underline{C}_1 - \underline{C}_0)^H \underline{H}^H \underline{X}_{Rn}\right) < 0 \\ & tr\left(\underline{H}(\underline{C}_1 - \underline{C}_0) \underline{C}_1^H \underline{H}^H + \underline{HC}_1(\underline{C}_1 - \underline{C}_0)^H \underline{H}^H\right) < (\tilde{\underline{C}} \underline{H}^H + \underline{H} \tilde{\underline{C}}) \underline{W}_n \\ & tr\left(\underline{H}(2\underline{I} - \underline{C}_0 \underline{C}_1^H - \underline{C}_1 \underline{C}_0^H) \underline{H}^H\right) < tr\left((\tilde{\underline{C}} \underline{H}^H + \underline{H} \tilde{\underline{C}}^H) \underline{W}_n\right) \\ & tr\left(\underline{H} \tilde{\underline{C}} \underline{H}^H\right) < 2tr\left((\underline{H} \tilde{\underline{C}}^H) \underline{W}_n\right) \end{aligned}$$

Error when a Gaussian distributed variable surpasses a value equal to its variance divided by 4.

Since.....

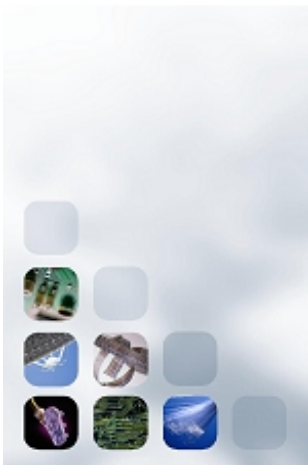
$$\text{tr}\left(\underline{\underline{H}} \left| \underline{\underline{\tilde{C}}} \right|_F \underline{\underline{H}}^H\right) = \text{tr}\left(\underline{\underline{H}}^H \underline{\underline{H}} \left| \underline{\underline{\tilde{C}}} \right|_F\right) = \text{tr}\left(\underline{\underline{H}}^H \underline{\underline{H}} (\underline{\underline{C}}_1 - \underline{\underline{C}}_0)^H (\underline{\underline{C}}_1 - \underline{\underline{C}}_0)\right) = \text{tr}\left(\underline{\underline{R}}_H \underline{\underline{A}}\right)$$

In consequence the probability of error will be:.....

$$P_e(\underline{\underline{C}}_0 \Rightarrow \underline{\underline{C}}_1) = Q\left(\sqrt{\frac{2E_s}{N_0} \text{tr}(\underline{\underline{R}}_H \underline{\underline{A}})}\right)$$

For moderate and high SNR regimes...

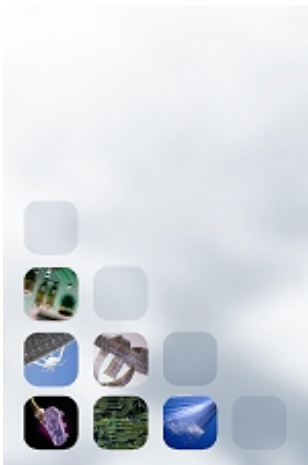
$$P_e(\underline{\underline{C}}_0 \Rightarrow \underline{\underline{C}}_1) = Q\left(\sqrt{\frac{2E_s}{N_0} \text{tr}(\underline{\underline{R}}_H \underline{\underline{A}})}\right) \approx k e^{-\frac{E_s}{N_0} \text{tr}(\underline{\underline{R}}_H \underline{\underline{A}})}$$



The average probability of error can be obtained from the expected value of the previous one with respect the channel. Assuming the channel Gaussian distributed (No LOS condition), we have.....

$$P_e = E_H \left[\prod_{p=1}^{n_R} e^{-\frac{E_s}{N_0} \underline{h}_p^H \underline{A} \underline{h}_p} \right] = \prod_{p=1}^{n_R} \int e^{-\frac{E_s}{N_0} \underline{h}_p^H \underline{A} \underline{h}_p} \frac{e^{-\underline{h}_p^H \underline{\Sigma}_p^{-1} \underline{h}_p}}{\det(\underline{\Sigma}_p)} d\underline{h}_p$$

Where vector $\underline{h}_p$ denotes the channel viewed from antenna p at the receiver, i.e. channel from the n_T antennas a_t Tx to antenna p at Rx. It is also assumed that antennas are well separated and, in consequence, the n_R vectors are independent each other.



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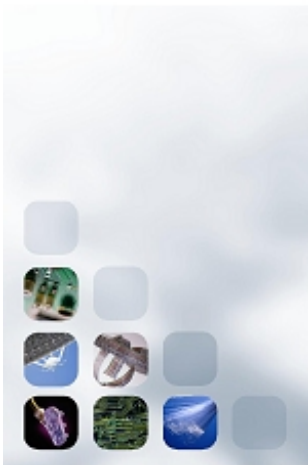
Solving the integral.....
$$P_e = \prod_{p=1}^{n_R} \frac{1}{\det \left(\underline{\underline{I}}_{=nT} + \frac{2E_s}{N_0} \sum_{p=1} \underline{\underline{A}} \right)}$$

In addition assuming that all the Rx antennas experience the same variance h_0^2 at moderate and high SNR regimes we can use that

$$P_e \propto \left(\frac{2E_s h_0^2}{N_0} \right)^{-n_T n_R} \left(\det^{1/n_T} (\underline{\underline{A}}) \right)^{-n_T n_R}$$

Thus, the code gain is:

$$\det^{1/n_T} (\underline{\underline{A}})$$



OSTBC Codes (Multiplexing)

The coder matrix $\underline{\underline{B}}.\underline{\underline{B}}^H = \underline{\underline{I}}_{n_T}$

The Tx and Rs signals as well as the estimated symbol is:

$$\underline{\underline{X}}_{T,n} = \underline{\underline{B}}.s_1(n)$$

$$\underline{\underline{X}}_{R,n} = \underline{\underline{H}}.\underline{\underline{X}}_{T,n} + \underline{\underline{W}}_n$$

$$\hat{s}_1 = \text{Traza} \left[\underline{\underline{B}}^H \underline{\underline{H}}^H . \underline{\underline{X}}_{R,n} \right]$$

For $n_T=2$ there are several possibilities with entries entailing no operation

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \dots$$

Gain 3 dB as code it is more a DSP than a code.????

For two PAM symbols (real) and 2 antennas

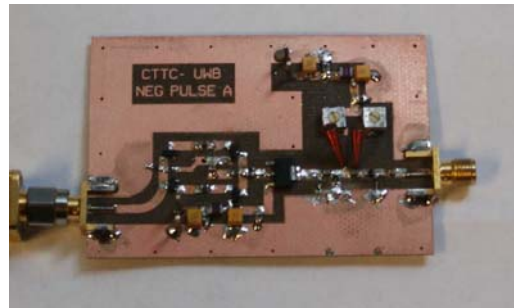
$$\underline{\underline{X}}_T = \underline{\underline{B}}_1.s1 + \underline{\underline{B}}_2.s2$$

$$\hat{s}1 = \underset{\text{desired}}{\text{Traza}} \left[\underline{\underline{B}}_1^H . \underline{\underline{R}}_H . \underline{\underline{B}}_1 \right] .s1 + \underset{\text{ISI}}{\text{Traza}} \left[\underline{\underline{B}}_1^H . \underline{\underline{R}}_H . \underline{\underline{B}}_2 \right] .s2$$

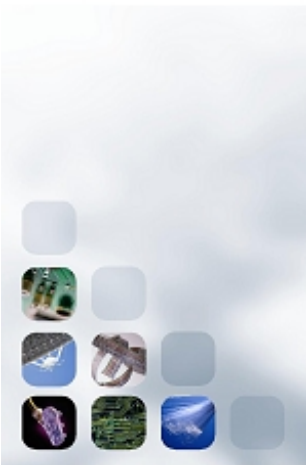
The no-ISI constrain is:

$$\text{Traza} \left[\underline{\underline{B}}_1^H . \underline{\underline{R}}_H . \underline{\underline{B}}_2 \right] = \text{Traza} \left[\underline{\underline{R}}_H . \underline{\underline{B}}_2 . \underline{\underline{B}}_1^H \right] = 0 \Rightarrow \underline{\underline{B}}_2 . \underline{\underline{B}}_1^H = \underline{\underline{0}} ?$$

Not orthogonal just to be amicable



$$\underline{\underline{B}}_1 . \underline{\underline{B}}_2^H = - \underline{\underline{B}}_2 . \underline{\underline{B}}_1^H$$



$$\underline{\underline{B}}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \underline{\underline{B}}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underline{\underline{X}}_T = \underline{\underline{B}}_1.s1 + \underline{\underline{B}}_2.s2 = \begin{pmatrix} s1 & -s2 \\ s2 & s1 \end{pmatrix}$$

To further achieve full-rate, we need two additional matrices, that being amicable in order to detect two imaginary parts, do not promote ISI with the real symbols.

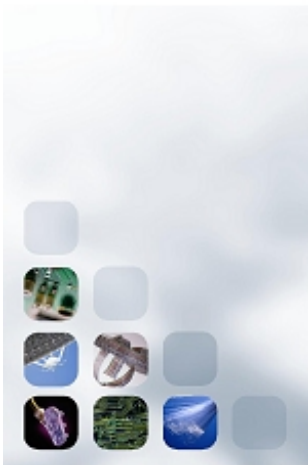
$$\underline{\underline{B}}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \underline{\underline{B}}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \underline{\underline{B}}_3 \quad \underline{\underline{B}}_4$$

$$\underline{\underline{X}}_T = \underline{\underline{B}}_1.s1 + \underline{\underline{B}}_2.s2 + j.\underline{\underline{B}}_3.s3 + j.\underline{\underline{B}}_4.s4$$

$$\underline{\underline{B}}_1.\underline{\underline{B}}_3^H = \underline{\underline{B}}_3.\underline{\underline{B}}_1^H$$

$$\underline{\underline{B}}_2.\underline{\underline{B}}_4^H = \underline{\underline{B}}_4.\underline{\underline{B}}_2^H$$

It is easy to check that
this is the constraint---→



In summary:

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{\underline{B}}_1 \cdot \underline{\underline{B}}_1^H &= \underline{\underline{B}}_2 \cdot \underline{\underline{B}}_2^H = \underline{\underline{B}}_3 \cdot \underline{\underline{B}}_3^H = \underline{\underline{B}}_4 \cdot \underline{\underline{B}}_4^H = \underline{\underline{I}}_2 \\ \underline{\underline{B}}_1 \cdot \underline{\underline{B}}_2^H &= -\underline{\underline{B}}_2 \cdot \underline{\underline{B}}_1^H & \underline{\underline{B}}_4 \cdot \underline{\underline{B}}_3^H &= -\underline{\underline{B}}_3 \cdot \underline{\underline{B}}_4^H \\ \underline{\underline{B}}_1 \cdot \underline{\underline{B}}_3^H &= \underline{\underline{B}}_3 \cdot \underline{\underline{B}}_1^H & \underline{\underline{B}}_2 \cdot \underline{\underline{B}}_4^H &= \underline{\underline{B}}_4 \cdot \underline{\underline{B}}_2^H \end{aligned}$$

The Alamouti's code:

$$\underline{\underline{B}}_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \underline{\underline{B}}_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \underline{\underline{B}}_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \underline{\underline{B}}_4 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underline{\underline{X}}_T = \underline{\underline{B}}_1 \cdot s1 + \underline{\underline{B}}_2 \cdot s2 + \underline{\underline{B}}_3 \cdot j \cdot s3 + \underline{\underline{B}}_4 \cdot j \cdot s4 = \begin{pmatrix} s1 + j \cdot s3 & -s2 + j \cdot s4 \\ s2 + j \cdot s4 & s1 - j \cdot s3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} z1 & -z2^* \\ z2 & z1^* \end{pmatrix}$$

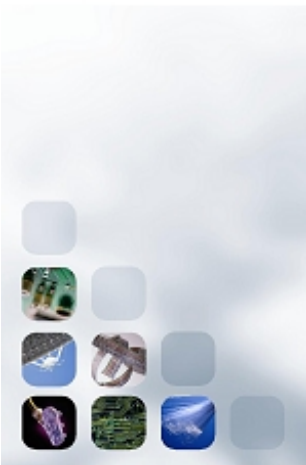
The receiver----->

$$\hat{s}1 = \text{Re} \left(\text{Traza} \left[\underline{\underline{B}}_1^H \cdot \underline{\underline{R}}_H \cdot \underline{\underline{X}}_R \right] \right)$$

$$\hat{s}2 = \text{Re} \left(\text{Traza} \left[\underline{\underline{B}}_2^H \cdot \underline{\underline{R}}_H \cdot \underline{\underline{X}}_R \right] \right)$$

$$\hat{s}3 = \text{Im} \left(\text{Traza} \left[\underline{\underline{B}}_1^H \cdot \underline{\underline{R}}_H \cdot \underline{\underline{X}}_R \right] \right)$$

$$\hat{s}4 = \text{Im} \left(\text{Traza} \left[\underline{\underline{B}}_2^H \cdot \underline{\underline{R}}_H \cdot \underline{\underline{X}}_R \right] \right)$$



Unfortunately no such full-rate codes exist for any number of antennas. There are solution for rates lower than one like the code shown below for 4 antennas and rate $\frac{3}{4}$.

$$\begin{bmatrix} s1 & 0 & s2 & -s3 \\ 0 & s1 & s3^* & s2^* \\ -s2^* & -s3 & s1^* & 0 \\ s3^* & -s2 & 0 & s1^* \end{bmatrix}$$



Convolutional S-T Codes: Trellis codes

output input state

$$\underline{x} = \left[\underline{G}_1 \cdot \underline{a} + \underline{G}_2 \cdot \underline{b} \right]^T$$

Measurement equation

$$\underline{b} = \left[\underline{G}_3 \cdot \underline{a} + \underline{G}_4 \cdot \underline{b} \right]^{\oplus}$$

State equation

$\underline{a} = [a(1), a(2), \dots, a(R)]^T$ input bits

L bits per component output $\underline{x}$

L=2 bits Components

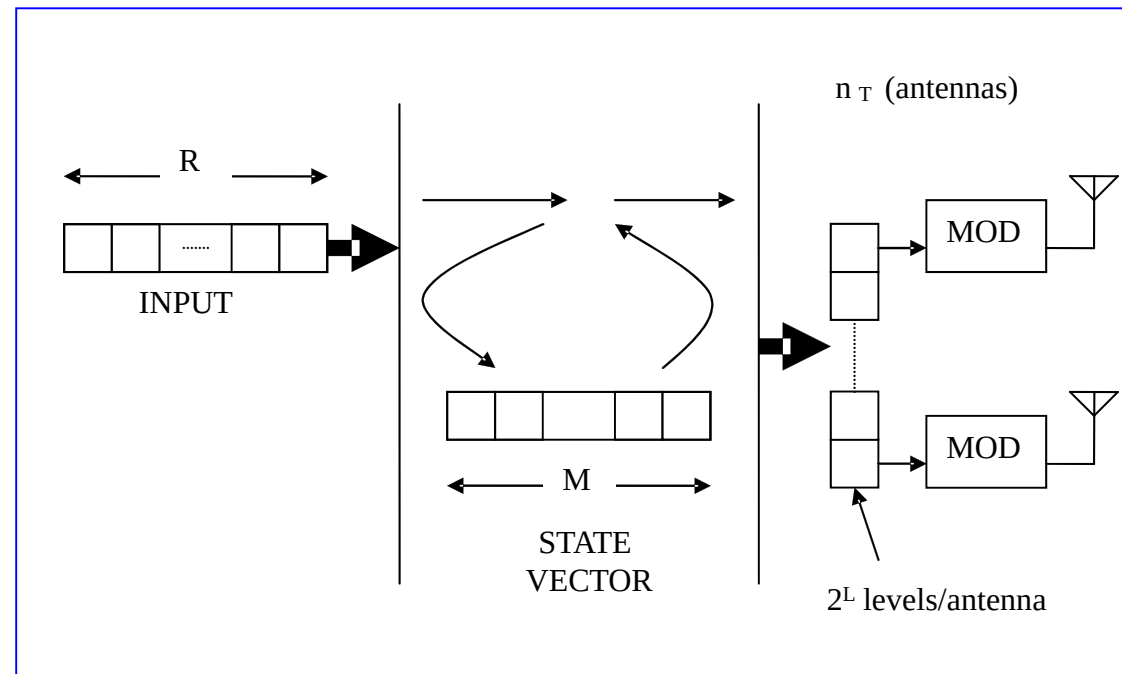
0(00), 1(01), 2(10), 3(11) that
correspond to the four signals
in a QPSK constellation

Code rate = R/L over n_T antennas

K bits for M components of the state vector $\underline{b}$

Code specification:

- Number of Tx antennas n_T
- Bits/Hz or size of the radiated constellation L
- Complexity at Tx or number of states $2^{K.M}$
- Code Rate equal to R/L



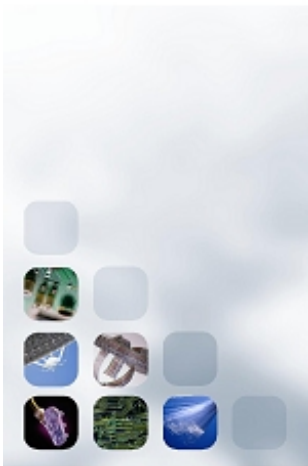
A more compact formulation of the state model is:

Grouping input and state vectors in a single one

$$\underline{c} = [a(1) \quad \dots \quad a(R) \quad b(1) \quad \dots \quad b(M)]$$

$$\underline{x} = \left[\underline{\underline{G}} \cdot \underline{c} \right]^{\oplus}$$

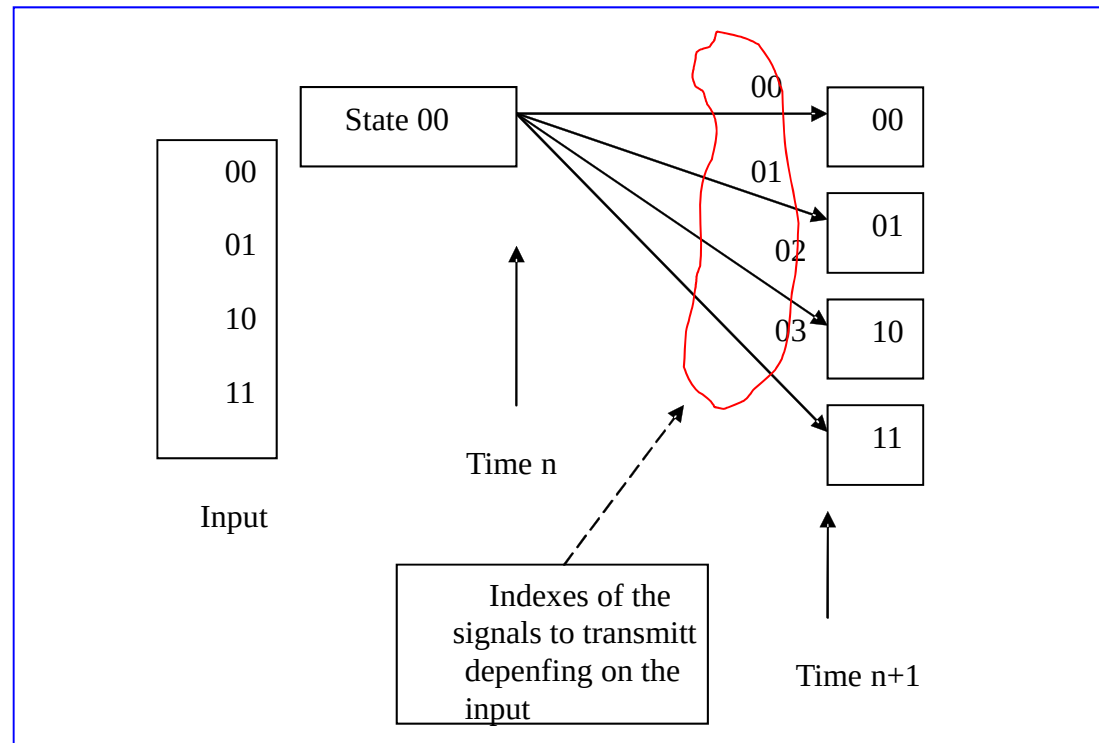
And, the state vector is formed by the last M bits after a shift of a given number of components vector $\underline{c}$ from left to right

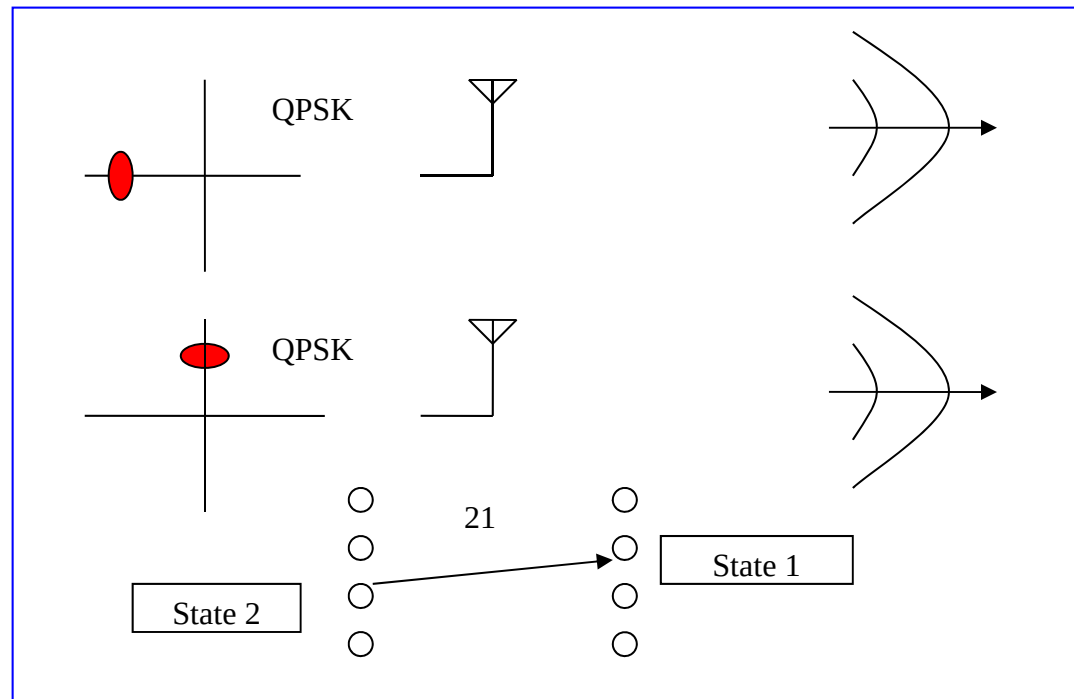
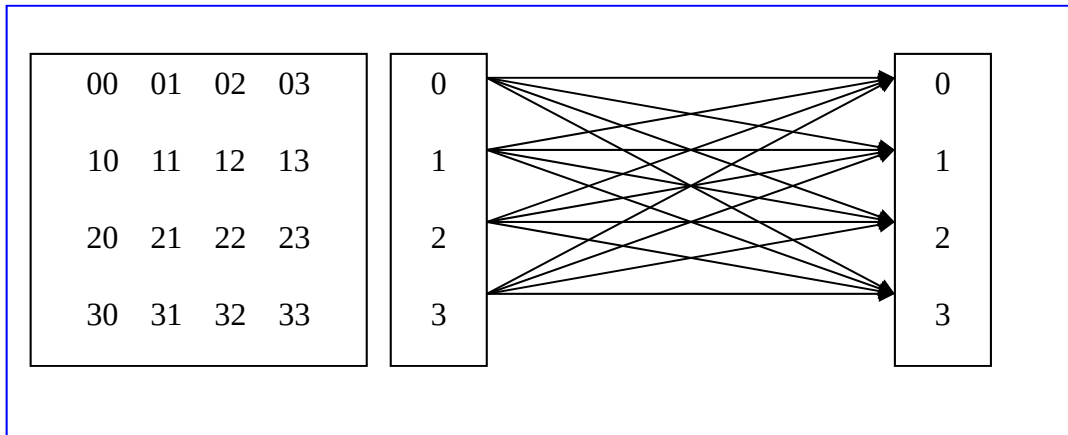


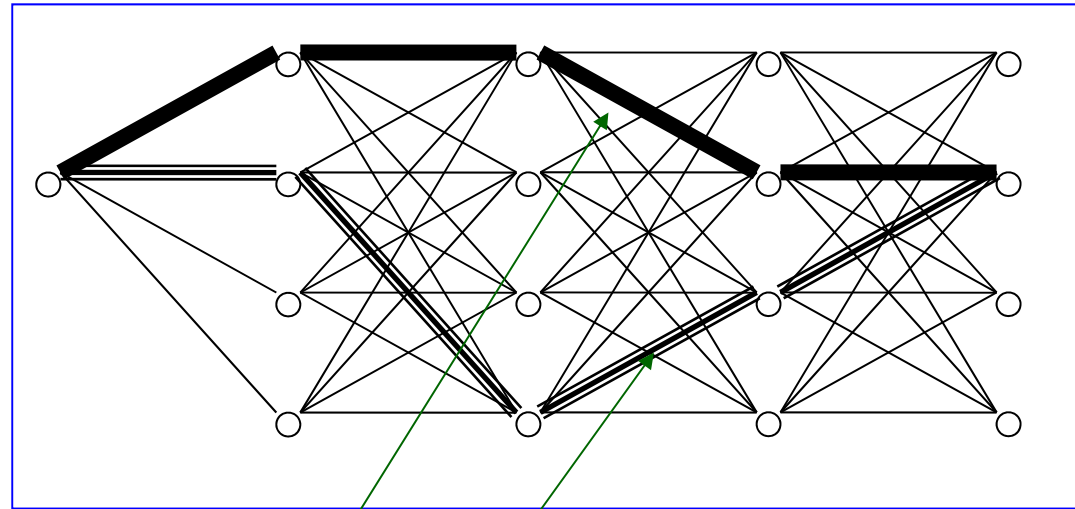
Code *st2bh2est4rate1*: (binary codes)

$$\begin{bmatrix} a(1) & a(2) & b(1) & b(2) \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x1 & x2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Modul 2
operation for
x1 and x2







For uniform code any two pair is good. Use the $(0,0,0,0,0\dots)$ as reference.

Search for the lowest distance covered to recover the zero path (This will be the worst matrix A to be used in the BER upper bound

$$\Pr(\underline{s}_n \Rightarrow \underline{b}_n; n = 1, N) = Q \left(\sqrt{\left(\frac{E_s}{2.N_0} \right) \cdot \text{Traza}(\underline{R}_H \cdot \underline{A})} \right)$$

For a length of N channels access

$$\underline{\underline{A}} = \sum_{n=1}^N (\underline{s}_n - \underline{b}_n) \cdot (\underline{s}_n - \underline{b}_n)^H$$

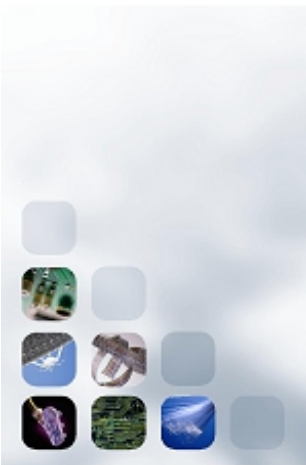
And the
average BER

$$P_e = E_H \left[\prod_{p=1}^{n_R} e^{-\frac{E_s}{N_0} \underline{h}_p^H \underline{\underline{A}} \underline{h}_p} \right] = \prod_{p=1}^{n_R} \int e^{-\frac{E_s}{N_0} \underline{h}_p^H \underline{\underline{A}} \underline{h}_p} \frac{e^{-\underline{h}_p^H \underline{\Sigma}_p^{-1} \underline{h}_p}}{\det(\underline{\Sigma}_p)} d\underline{h}_p$$

$$\Pr(\underline{I}_0 \Rightarrow \underline{I}_e) \approx k_1 \cdot \prod_{p=1}^{n_R} \frac{1}{\det \left[\underline{I}_{n_T} + \frac{2E_s}{N_0} \underline{\underline{A}} \underline{\Sigma}_p \right]} \approx$$

For moderate
and high
SNRs

$$\approx k_1 \cdot \left(\frac{2E_s}{N_0} \right)^{-n_R \cdot n_T} \cdot \prod_{p=1}^{n_R} \frac{1}{\det \left[\underline{\underline{A}} \underline{\Sigma}_p \right]}$$

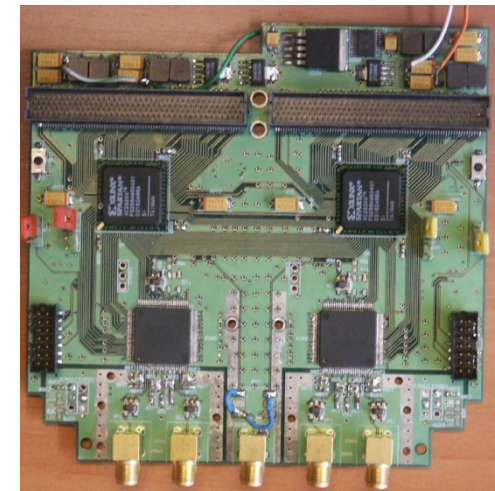
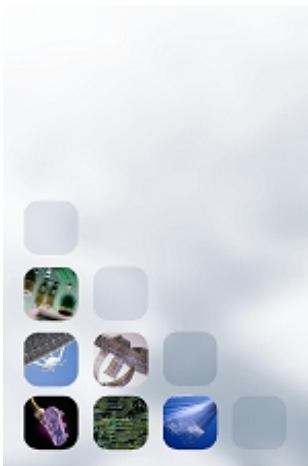


or

$$\Pr(\underline{I}_0 \Rightarrow \underline{I}_e) \approx k_1 \cdot \left(\frac{2E_s}{N_0} \right)^{-n_R \cdot n_T} \cdot \prod_{p=1}^{n_R} \frac{1}{\det[\underline{A} \cdot \underline{\Sigma}_p]} \approx k_2 \cdot \left(\frac{2E_s}{N_0} \right)^{-n_R \cdot n_T} \cdot (\det(\underline{A}))^{-n_R}$$

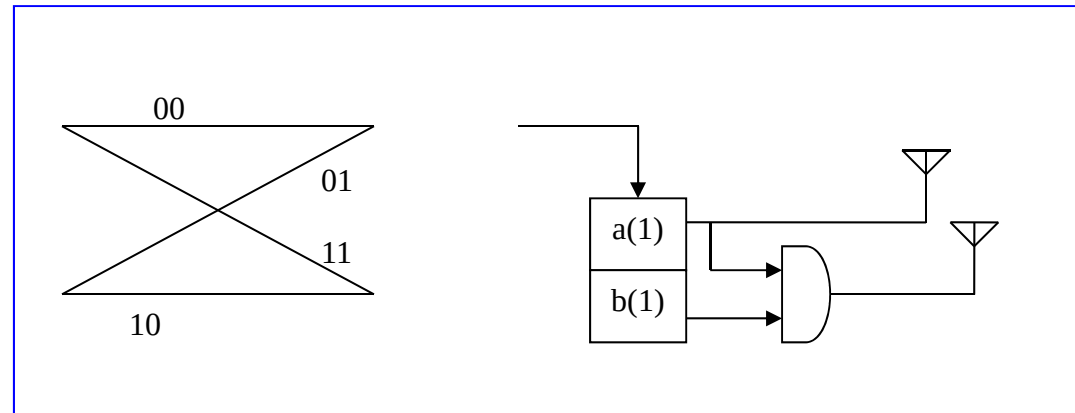
Code Gain

$$= \left[\det(\underline{A})^{1/n_T} \right]$$

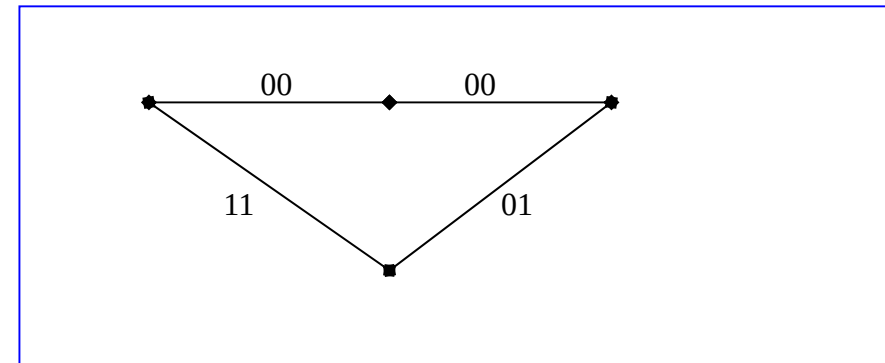


For st2bh1est2rate0.5

$$\underline{\underline{G}} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$



$$\underline{s}_1 - \underline{b}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad y \quad \underline{s}_2 - \underline{b}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$$



$$\underline{\underline{A}} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot [2 \quad 2] + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot [0 \quad 2] = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 4 \\ 4 & 4 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 4 \\ 4 & 8 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\det(\underline{\underline{A}}) = 16 \quad \text{Ganancia} = \sqrt{16} = 4$$



St2bh2est8 Gain $\sqrt{22}$

$$\underline{\underline{G}}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

St2bh2est16 Gain $\sqrt{32}$

$$\underline{\underline{G}}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

St2bh1est2 Gain 4

$$\underline{\underline{G}}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

St2bh1est4 Gain $\sqrt{48}$

$$\underline{\underline{G}}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 2 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 2 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

St2bh1est8 Gain $\sqrt{80}$

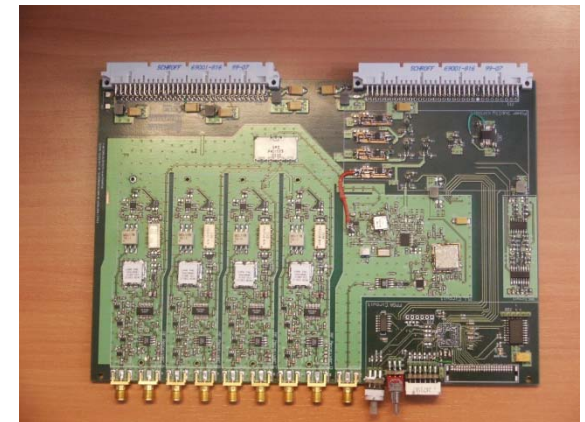
$$\underline{\underline{G}}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

St2bh1est16 Gain $\sqrt{128}$

$$\underline{\underline{G}}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

St3bh1est8 Gain $\sqrt[3]{256}$

$$\underline{\underline{G}}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



Codes for No-CSI at Rx

Assume that $\log_2 M$ bits have to be transmitted using N access to the channel with n_T antennas. We will use M matrixes of n_T by N

$$\underline{\underline{C}}_m \quad m = 1, M$$

UPA at Tx

$$\underline{\underline{C}}_m . \underline{\underline{C}}_m^H = \underline{\underline{I}}_{n_T} \quad \forall m = 1, M$$

H matrix is random $\rightarrow$ Average BER

$$\text{At Rx} \rightarrow \underline{\underline{Y}}_R = \left(\frac{2E_s}{N_0} \right)^{1/2} . \underline{\underline{H}} . \underline{\underline{C}}_0 + \underline{\underline{W}} = \rho^{1/2} . \underline{\underline{H}} . \underline{\underline{C}}_0 + \underline{\underline{W}}$$

$$\underline{\underline{\Sigma}} = E \left[\underline{\underline{Y}}_R^H \cdot \underline{\underline{Y}}_R \right] = \underline{\underline{I}} + \underline{\underline{C}}_0^H \cdot E \left[\underline{\underline{H}}^H \cdot \underline{\underline{H}} \right] \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_0 = \underline{\underline{I}} + \rho \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_0^H \cdot \underline{\underline{R}}_{HA} \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_0 = \underline{\underline{I}} + \rho |H_0|^2 \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_0^H \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_0$$

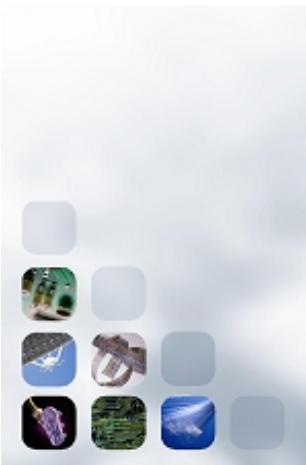
The ML receiver is:

$$\begin{aligned} \Pr \left(\underline{\underline{Y}}_R / \underline{\underline{C}}_0 \right) &= k_0 \cdot \exp - \left[\text{Traza} \left(\underline{\underline{Y}} \cdot \underline{\underline{\Sigma}}^{-1} \cdot \underline{\underline{Y}}^H \right) \right] = \\ &= k_0 \cdot \exp - \left[\text{Traza} \left(\underline{\underline{Y}} \cdot \left(\underline{\underline{I}} - \rho' \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_0^H \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_0 \right) \cdot \underline{\underline{Y}}^H \right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\hat{m} = \arg \max_{\underline{\underline{C}}_m, m=1, M} \left[\text{Traza} \left(\underline{\underline{Y}}_R \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_m^H \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_m \cdot \underline{\underline{Y}}_R^H \right) \right]$$

Perfect detection occurs when:

$$\text{Traza} \left(\underline{\underline{Y}}_R \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_0^H \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_0 \cdot \underline{\underline{Y}}_R^H \right) > \text{Traza} \left(\underline{\underline{Y}}_R \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_1^H \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_1 \cdot \underline{\underline{Y}}_R^H \right)$$



$$\rho \cdot \text{Traza} \left[\underline{\underline{H}} \cdot \left(\underline{\underline{I}} - \underline{\underline{C}}_0 \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_1^H \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_1 \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_0^H \right) \cdot \underline{\underline{H}}^H \right] > 2\rho^{1/2} \cdot \text{Re} \left\{ \text{Traza} \left[\underline{\underline{W}} \cdot \left(\underline{\underline{C}}_0^H \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_0 - \underline{\underline{C}}_1^H \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_1 \right) \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_0^H \cdot \underline{\underline{H}}^H \right] \right\}$$

$$\Pr(\underline{\underline{C}}_0 \rightarrow \underline{\underline{C}}_1) \approx Q \left(\sqrt{\left(\frac{2E_s}{N_0} \right) \cdot \text{Traza}(\underline{\underline{H}} \cdot \underline{\underline{A}}_{\text{NOCSI}} \cdot \underline{\underline{H}}^H)} \right) \approx$$

$$\approx k_1 \cdot \exp \left[- \left(\left(\frac{2E_s}{N_0} \right) \cdot \text{Traza}(\underline{\underline{H}} \cdot \underline{\underline{A}}_{\text{NOCSI}} \cdot \underline{\underline{H}}^H) \right) \right]$$

$$\Pr^{AVE} \approx k_2 \cdot \prod_{p=1}^{n_R} \frac{1}{\det \left[\underline{\underline{I}} - \left(\frac{E_s}{2 \cdot N_0} \right) \underline{\underline{A}}_{\text{NOCSI}} \cdot \underline{\underline{\Sigma}}_p \right]}$$

It is important to remark the loss due to the absence of CSI at Rx

$$E_s = \left(\frac{N}{n_T} \right) \cdot E_T$$

$$\underline{\underline{A}}_{\text{CSI}} = \left(\underline{\underline{C}}_0 - \underline{\underline{C}}_1 \right) \left(\underline{\underline{C}}_0 - \underline{\underline{C}}_1 \right)^H$$

$$\underline{\underline{A}}_{\text{NOCSI}} = \underline{\underline{I}} - \underline{\underline{C}}_0 \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_1^H \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_1 \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_0^H$$

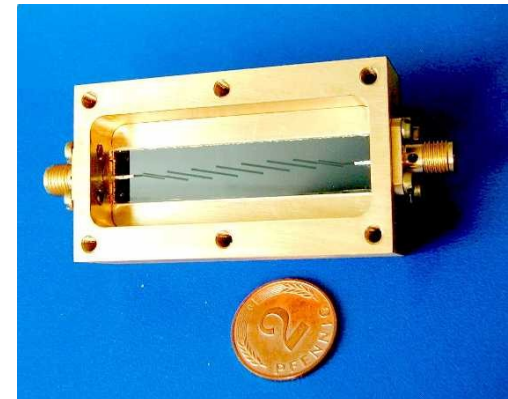
In order to compare both cases, note that:

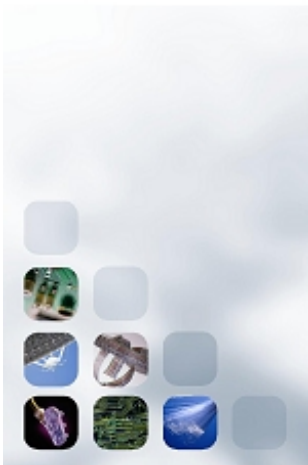
$$\left| I - \underline{\underline{C}}_0 \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_1^H \right|^2 = I + \underline{\underline{C}}_0 \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_1^H \underline{\underline{C}}_1 \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_0^H - \underline{\underline{C}}_0 \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_1^H - \underline{\underline{C}}_1 \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_0^H =$$

$$2 \cdot I - \underline{\underline{C}}_0 \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_1^H - \underline{\underline{C}}_1 \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_0^H - \underline{\underline{A}}_{NOCSI} = \underline{\underline{A}}_{CSI} - \underline{\underline{A}}_{NOCSI}$$

Asi pues,

$$\underline{\underline{A}}_{CSI} = \underline{\underline{A}}_{NOCSI} + \left| I - \underline{\underline{C}}_0 \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_1^H \right|^2$$





Codigos ST Diferenciales

Assuming that there is CSI at Rx

$$\left| \underline{X}_R - E_s^{1/2} \cdot \underline{H} \cdot \underline{C}_m \right|_F \Rightarrow \hat{\underline{C}} = \underset{\underline{C}_m; m=1, M}{\text{Max}} \left[\text{Re} \left(\text{Traza} \left(\underline{H} \cdot \underline{C}_m \cdot \underline{X}_R \right) \right) \right]$$

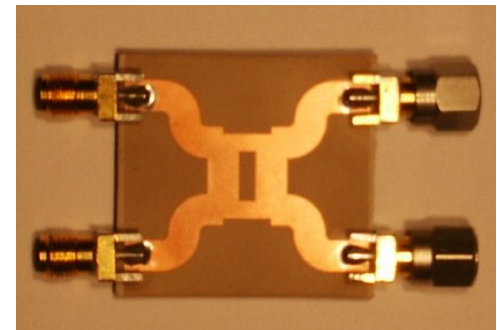
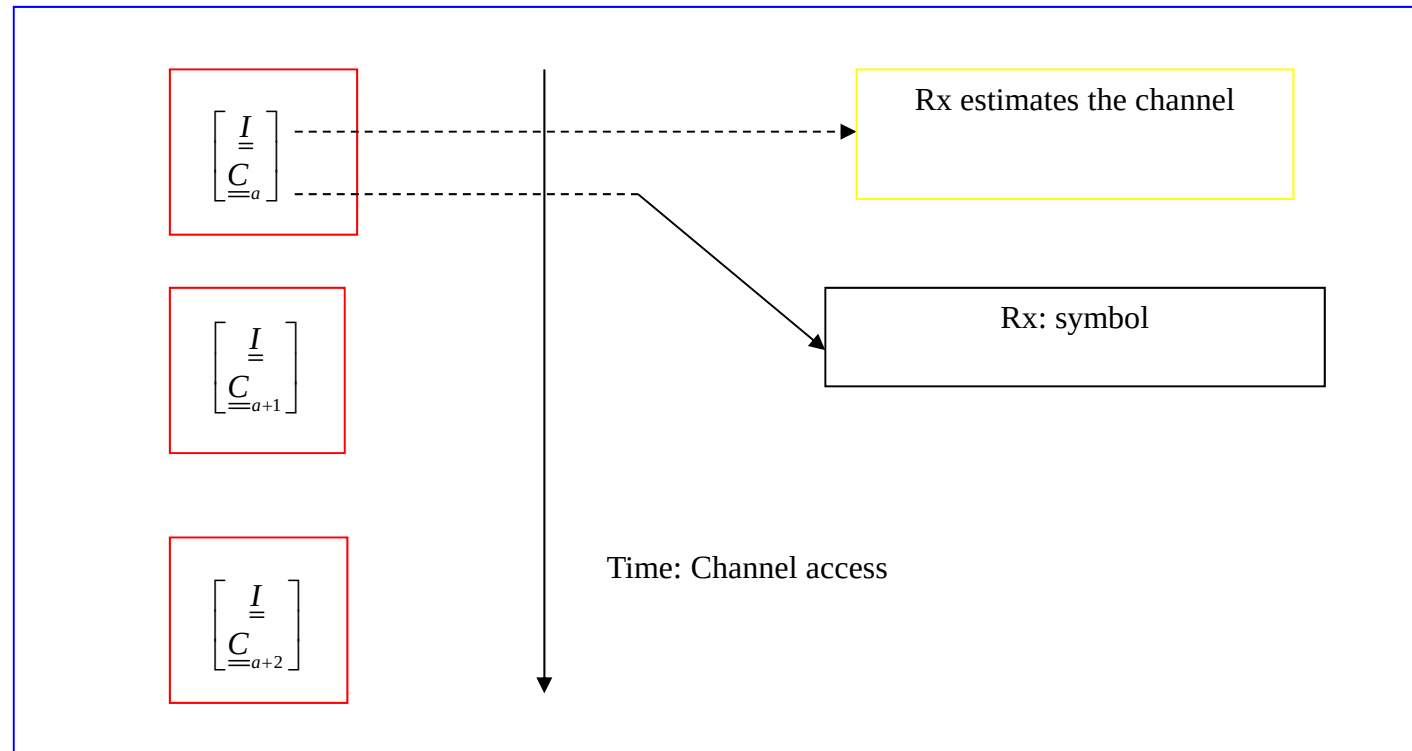
The probability of error is:

$$Pe = \Pr \left(\underline{C}_m \rightarrow \underline{C}_n; \tilde{\underline{C}} \equiv \underline{C}_m - \underline{C}_n \right) = k_0 \cdot Q \left(\sqrt{\frac{E_s}{2 \cdot N_0}} \cdot \text{Traza} \left(\underline{R}_H \cdot \tilde{\underline{C}} \cdot \tilde{\underline{C}}^H \right) \right)$$

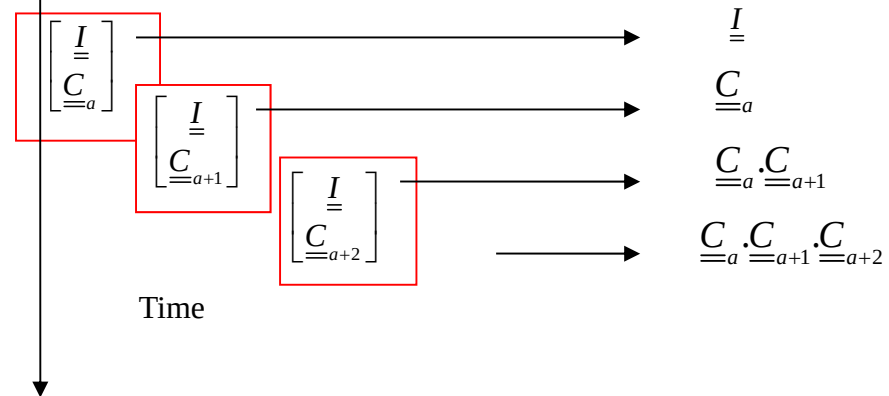
$$Pe \approx k_1 \cdot \exp \left[-\frac{E_s}{4 \cdot N_0} \cdot \text{Traza} \left(\underline{R}_H \cdot \tilde{\underline{C}} \cdot \tilde{\underline{C}}^H \right) \right] = k_1 \cdot \exp \left[-\frac{E_s}{4 \cdot N_0} \cdot \sum_{p=1}^{n_R} \underline{h}_p^H \cdot \tilde{\underline{C}} \cdot \tilde{\underline{C}}^H \cdot \underline{h}_p \right]$$

$$Pe^{aver} = k_2 \cdot \prod_{p=1}^{n_R} \frac{1}{\det \left[\underline{I} + \frac{E_s}{4 \cdot N_0} \cdot \tilde{\underline{C}} \cdot \tilde{\underline{C}}^H \cdot \underline{\Sigma}_j \right]}$$

Using two symbols first estimate the channel second to decode.



The differential receiver

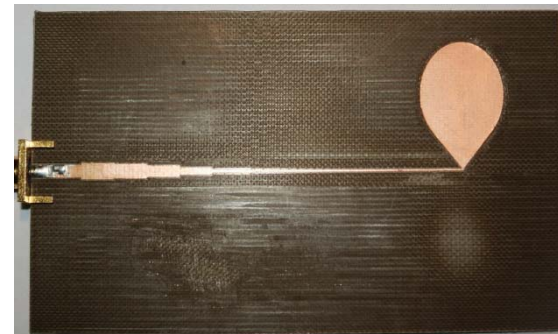


The desired word

received is $Z_{n-1} = \prod_{a=1} C_{n-a}$

And the received
snapshot

$$X_{R,n-1} = H \cdot Z_{n-1} + W_{n-1}$$





Hereafter it is shown that the ST code produces, in fact, a new channel together with 3 dB. increase of noise.

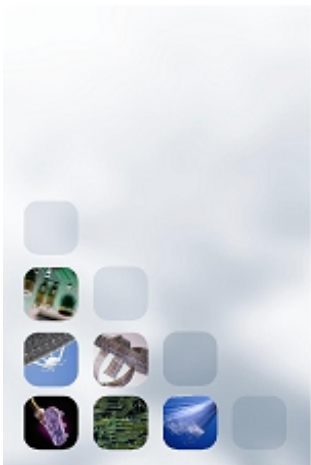
$$\underline{\underline{X}}_{R,n} = \underline{\underline{H}} \cdot \underline{\underline{Z}}_{n-1} \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_n + \underline{\underline{W}}_n = \left(\underline{\underline{X}}_{R,n-1} - \underline{\underline{W}}_{n-1} \right) \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_n + \underline{\underline{W}}_n$$

$$\underline{\underline{X}}_{R,n} = \underline{\underline{X}}_{R,n-1} \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_n + \left(\underline{\underline{W}}_n - \underline{\underline{W}}_{n-1} \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_n \right) = \underline{\underline{H}}_{nuevo} \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_n + \underline{\underline{W}}_{nuevo}$$



Regardless the system is full-rate the decoder requires of two received codewords

$$\left| \underline{\underline{X}}_{R,n} - \underline{\underline{X}}_{R,n-1} \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_n \right|_F \Rightarrow \hat{\underline{\underline{C}}}_n = \underset{\underline{\underline{C}}_n; n=1, M}{Max} \left[\text{Re} \left(\text{Traza} \left(\underline{\underline{X}}_{R,n-1} \cdot \underline{\underline{C}}_n \cdot \underline{\underline{X}}_{R,n}^H \right) \right) \right]$$



Also, the matrix A for the average BER is as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & 2 \underline{I} - \left(\underline{Z}_{k-1} \cdot \underline{C}_0 \cdot \underline{C}_1^H \cdot \underline{Z}_{k-1}^H + \underline{Z}_{k-1} \cdot \underline{C}_1 \cdot \underline{C}_0^H \cdot \underline{Z}_{k-1}^H \right) = \\
 & = \left[\left(\underline{Z}_{k-1} \cdot \underline{C}_0 - \underline{Z}_{k-1} \cdot \underline{C}_1 \right) \cdot \left(\underline{Z}_{k-1} \cdot \underline{C}_0 - \underline{Z}_{k-1} \cdot \underline{C}_1 \right)^H \right] = \\
 & = \left[\underline{Z}_{k-1} \cdot \left(\underline{C}_0 - \underline{C}_1 \right) \cdot \left(\underline{C}_0 - \underline{C}_1 \right)^H \cdot \underline{Z}_{k-1}^H \right] = \underline{A}_{DIF}
 \end{aligned}$$

Where, taking into account the orthogonal character of the received code-words and the commutative property of the determinant, results identical to the CSI at Rx case with 3dB loss.

Some examples of differential ST codes

For 1 bit rate only two matrixes $\Phi = \pm \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

With initial
matrix $\underline{\underline{D}} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$

BPSK as constellation and rate 0.25 and 2
antennas, Gain 4

2 bits, 2 antennas, rate 0.5 $\rightarrow$ four matrixes,
BPSK, Gain 4

$$\Phi = \left\{ \pm \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \pm \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

QPSK, 2bits/seg/Hz, 8 codewords, Code gain 4,
Rate 1

$$\Phi = \left\{ \pm \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \pm \begin{pmatrix} j & 0 \\ 0 & -j \end{pmatrix}, \pm \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \pm \begin{pmatrix} 0 & j \\ j & 0 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$$

“quaternion” similar to Alamouti’s code

For higher rates the codewords are formed as:

$$w_Q = \exp(j2\pi / Q)$$

$$\Phi = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 0 & w_Q \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}^m ; m = 0, \dots, Q-1 \right\}$$

Q=8 Rate 2 Gain 1.531 // Q=16 Rate 2.5 Gain 0.7804

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A compact formulation for two channel access:

Two data received $\begin{bmatrix} \underline{X}_{R,k-1} & \underline{X}_{R,k} \end{bmatrix}$

New codeword $\begin{bmatrix} \underline{Z}_{k-1} & \underline{Z}_{k-1} \cdot \underline{C}_k \end{bmatrix} \equiv \underline{\bar{C}}_k$

with

$$\underline{\bar{C}}_k^H \cdot \underline{\bar{C}}_k = \begin{pmatrix} \underline{I} & \underline{C}_k \\ \underline{C}_k^H & \underline{I} \end{pmatrix} \quad y \quad \underline{\bar{C}}_k \cdot \underline{\bar{C}}_k^H = 2 \cdot \underline{I}$$

Optimum detector for no-CSI at Rx that arrives to the same result

$$Traza \left[\begin{pmatrix} \underline{X}_{R,k-1} & \underline{X}_{R,k} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \underline{I} & \underline{C}_k \\ \underline{C}_k^H & \underline{I} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \underline{X}_{R,k-1}^H \\ \underline{X}_{R,k}^H \end{pmatrix} \right] = Traza \left[\underline{X}_{R,k} \underline{C}_k^H \underline{X}_{R,k-1}^H \right]$$

