

Lecture 4: Demodulation with Noise: Performance Analysis

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Outline

Detection Performance Analysis

1. M-ary PAM
2. QAM
3. PSK
4. Symbol Error Rate (SER) and Bits Error Rate (BER) v.s. E_b/N_0 .

Reliable Communication

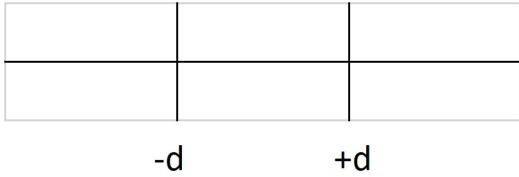
1. Repetition coding
2. Energy-Efficient reliable communication
3. Rate-Efficient

Recap

under iid Gaussian noise to all dimensions, ML detection in multi-dimensional space \equiv MD detection.

Performance Analysis

1. Binary-PAM

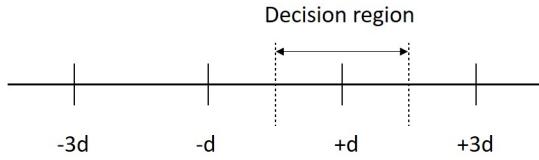


$$y = x + z, \quad x \in A = \{-d, d\}, \quad z \approx N(0, \sigma^2)$$

$$P_e = P_r\{x \neq \hat{x}\} = Q(d/\sigma) = Q(SNR^{1/2})$$

2. M-ary PAM

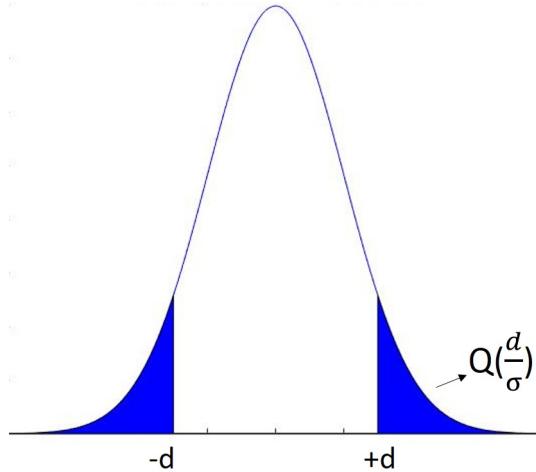
$$M = 2^l \quad (l = 2)$$



$$y = x + z, \quad x \in A \quad \text{Symbol probability of error, symbol error rate.}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P_e &= P_r\{x \neq \hat{x}\} = P_r\{\hat{x} \neq d|x = d\} \times P_r\{x = d\} \\ &\quad + P_r\{\hat{x} \neq 3d|x = 3d\} \times P_r\{x = 3d\} \\ &\quad + P_r\{\hat{x} \neq -d|x = -d\} \times P_r\{x = -d\} \\ &\quad + P_r\{\hat{x} \neq -3d|x = -3d\} \times P_r\{x = -3d\} \end{aligned}$$

假設事前機率 $P_r\{x = d\} = P_r\{x = 3d\} = P_r\{x = -d\} = P_r\{x = -3d\} = 1/4$
Given $x = d$, $\{\hat{x} \neq d\} \Leftrightarrow y \notin (0, 2d)$, assuming $y \approx N(d, \sigma^2)$



Given $x = 3d$
 $\{\hat{x} \neq 3d\} \Leftrightarrow \{y < 2d\} \Leftrightarrow \{y - 3d < -d\} \Leftrightarrow \{y - 3d/\sigma < -d/\sigma\}$
 $P_r\{\hat{x} \neq 3d|x = 3d\} = P_r\{N(0, 1) < -d/\sigma\} = Q(d/\sigma)$

Hence, $P_e = 2Q(d/\sigma) \times 1/4 + Q(d/\sigma) \times 1/4 + Q(d/\sigma) \times 1/4 + 2Q(d/\sigma) \times 1/4 = \frac{3}{2}Q(d/\sigma)$

Exercise: compute the symbol error rate $P_e = P_r\{\hat{x} \neq x\}$ for $x \in A$, $A : s^l$ -ary PAM, where the distance between neighboring constellation points is $2d$

Performance Analysis:

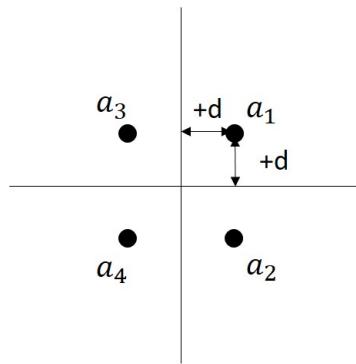
computation of symbol energy, define SNR = E_s/σ^2

$l = 1$: $E_s = d^2$, $SNR = d^2/\sigma^2$, $P_e = Q(d/\sigma) = Q(SNR^{1/2}) \approx e^{-SNR/2}$

$l = 2$: $E_s = 1/2 \times (d^2 + (3d)^2) = 5d^2$, $SNR = 5d^2/\sigma^2$, $P_e = \frac{3}{2}Q(d/\sigma) = Q(SNR^{1/2}) \approx e^{-SNR/10}$

若要得到相同 P_e ，需讓距離減少。

3. M-ary QAM



- 4 QAM

$$M = 2^{2l}$$

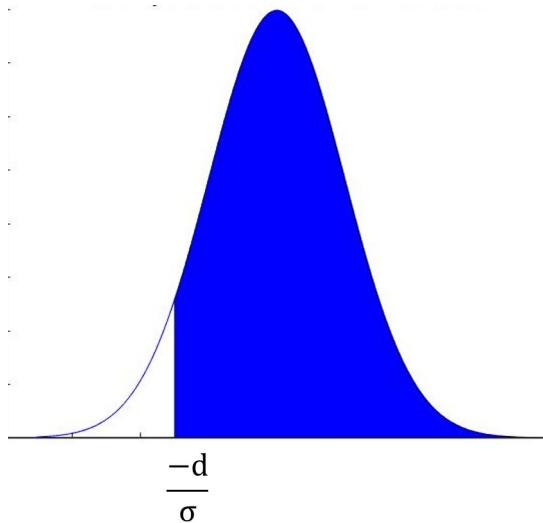
$$\mathbf{x} = (x_1, x_2), \mathbf{y} = (y_1, y_2)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
P_r\{\hat{x} \neq a_1 | x = a_1\} &= P_r\{x \notin \text{First Quadrant} | x = a_1\} \\
&= P_r\{y_1 < 0 \text{ or } y_2 < 0 | x_1 = d, x_2 = d\} \\
&= 1 - P_r\{y_1 > 0 \text{ and } y_2 > 0 | x_1 = d, x_2 = d\} \\
&= 1 - P_r\{N(d, \sigma^2) > 0\}^2 \\
&= 1 - P_r\{N(0, 1) > -d/\sigma\}^2 \\
&= 1 - (1 - Q(d/\sigma))^2 \\
&= 2Q(d/\sigma) - (Q(d/\sigma))^2
\end{aligned}$$

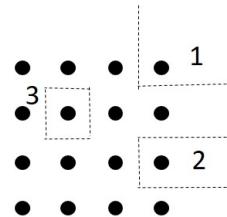
$$SNR = E_s/(2\sigma^2) = 2d^2/(2\sigma^2) = d^2/\sigma^2$$

union bound: $P_r\{A \cup B\} \leq P_r\{A\} + P_r\{B\}$

$$\begin{aligned}
P_{e,4QAM} &= 2Q(d/\sigma) - Q(d/\sigma)^2 \\
&= 2Q(SNR^{1/2}) - Q(SNR^{1/2})^2 \\
&\approx 2Q(SNR^{1/2})
\end{aligned}$$



- 16 QAM ($M=16, l=2$)



分成三種 case, 利用 union bound:

$$1 \leq 2Q(d/\sigma)$$

$$2 \leq Q(d/\sigma) + 2Q(d/\sigma) = 3Q(d/\sigma)$$

$$3 \quad 2Q(d/\sigma) + 2Q(d/\sigma) = 4Q(d/\sigma)$$

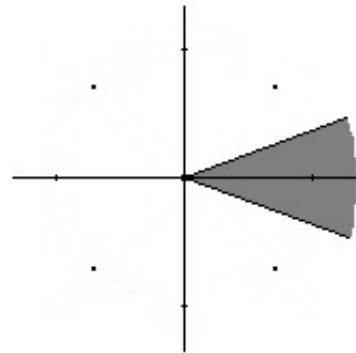
Exercise: for M-ary QAM, $M = 2^{2l}$

Compute

- (1) the exact SER
- (2) the approximate SER using union bound

Compare the two numerically

4. M-ary PSK

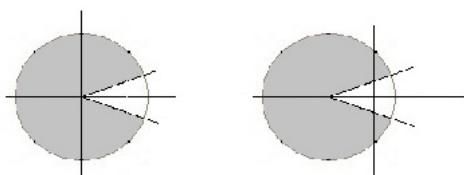
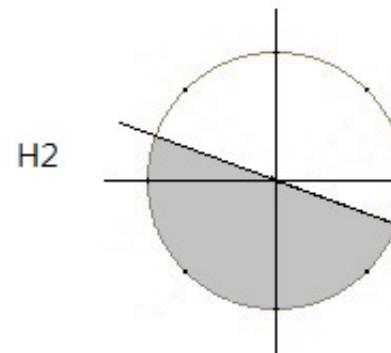
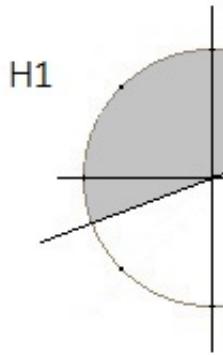


- 8 PSK ($M=8, l=3$)

$$M = 2^l$$

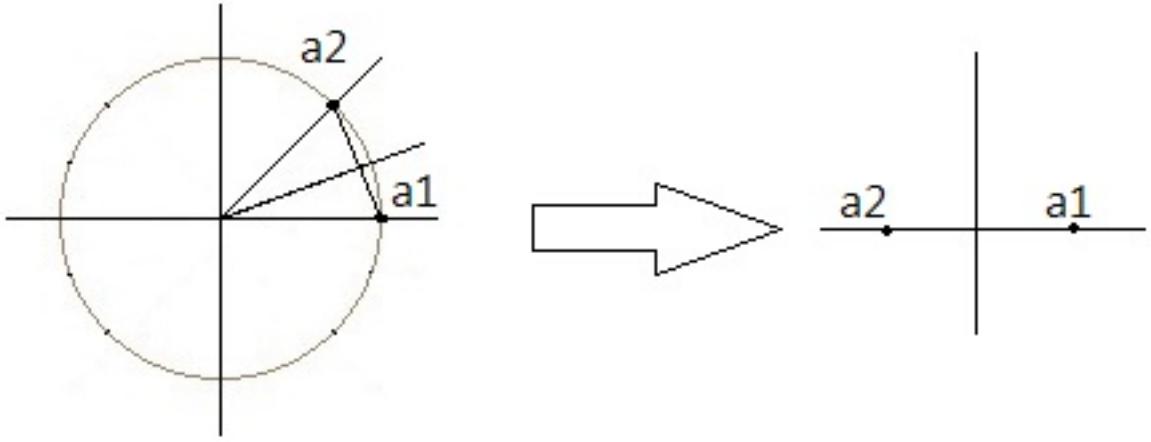
$$E_s = d^2, \quad y = x + z, \quad z = \begin{bmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$SNR = \frac{E_s}{2\sigma^2} = \frac{d^2}{2\sigma^2}$$



$$\begin{aligned} &= P_r\{y \in H_1 \cup H_2 | x = a_1\} \\ &\leq P_r\{y \in H_1 | x = a_1\} + P_r\{y \in H_2 | x = a_1\} \\ y \in H_1 &\iff \|y - a_1\| > \|y - a_2\| \end{aligned}$$

Consider a new binary detection problem in 2-dimension space in Fig6



$$\begin{aligned}
 P_e &= Q\left(\frac{\|a_1 - a_2\|}{2\sigma}\right) \\
 z &\sim N[0, \sigma^2 I_n] \quad z' = Rz \quad R = \text{rotation matrix} \\
 \Rightarrow P_e &\leq 2Q\left(\frac{d \sin \frac{\pi}{8}}{\sigma}\right) \\
 P_r\{y \in H_1 | x = a_1\} \\
 &= Q\left(\frac{\|a_1 - a_2\|}{2\sigma}\right) \\
 &= Q\left(\frac{d \sin \frac{\pi}{8}}{\sigma}\right) \leq P_r\{y \in (H_1 \cup H_2) | x = a_1\} \\
 \Rightarrow Q\left(\frac{d \sin \frac{\pi}{8}}{\sigma}\right) &\leq P_e \leq 2Q\left(\frac{d \sin \frac{\pi}{8}}{\sigma}\right)
 \end{aligned}$$

5. Symbol Error Rate (SER) and Bits Error Rate (BER) v.s. E_b/N_0 .

- (a) Energy $E_b \equiv$ energy per bit $= \frac{E_s}{l}$
 $l =$ Number of bits per symbol
- (b) P.S.D. of WGN process: $\frac{N_0}{2}$ each real dimension at symbol level $z^{(I)}[m] \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$
 $z^{(Q)}[m] \sim N(0, \sigma^2) \sigma^2 = \frac{N_0}{2}$
- (c) $SNR_{symbol} = SNR_{bit} * l$
Example: 4-QAM(4-PSK)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{i. Gray Mapping: } P_{e,b1} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} P_r\{b1' \neq 0 | b1 = 0, b2 = 0\} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} P_r\{b1' \neq 0 | b1 = 0, b2 = 1\} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} P_r\{b1' \neq 1 | b1 = 1, b2 = 1\} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} P_r\{b1' \neq 1 | b1 = 1, b2 = 0\} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} Q\left(\frac{d}{\sigma}\right) * 4
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_{e,b2} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} P_r\{b2' \neq 0 | b1 = 0, b2 = 0\} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} P_r\{b2' \neq 0 | b1 = 0, b2 = 1\} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} P_r\{b2' \neq 1 | b1 = 1, b2 = 1\} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} P_r\{b2' \neq 1 | b1 = 1, b2 = 0\} \\
 &= P_{e,b1}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$BER = P_{e,total} = \frac{1}{2}(P_{e,b1} + P_{e,b2}) = Q\left(\frac{d}{\sigma}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{ii. Nature Mapping: } P_{e,b1} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} P_r\{b1' \neq 0 | b1 = 0, b2 = 0\} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} P_r\{b1' \neq 0 | b1 = 0, b2 = 1\} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} P_r\{b1' \neq 1 | b1 = 1, b2 = 1\} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} P_r\{b1' \neq 1 | b1 = 1, b2 = 0\} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} Q\left(\frac{d}{\sigma}\right) * 4
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
P_{e,b2} &= 4 * P_r \{ b2' \neq 0 | b1 = 0, b2 = 0 \} \\
&\leq 4 * \frac{1}{4} 2Q\left(\frac{d}{\sigma}\right) \\
&= 2Q\left(\frac{d}{\sigma}\right) \\
P_{eb} &\approx \frac{3}{2} Q\left(\frac{d}{\sigma}\right)
\end{aligned}$$

The Principle in designing bit to symbol mapping:

- (a) equal-protection at all information bits.
- (b) minimize the number of "bit-level" nearest neighbor.
⇒ Gray Mapping
- (a) PAM: l bits per symbol 2^l -PAM (1-dimension space)
- (b) QAM: 2l bits per symbol 2^{2l} -QAM (2-dimension space)
- (c) PSK: l bits per symbol 2^l -PSK (2-dimension space)

Consider sending a "file" using the method discussed above

- (a) Divide the file into chunks, each chunk corresponds to a symbol
- (b) Each symbol has symbol-error-rate(SER), $P_{e,s}$
 $P_{e,F} = 1 - (1 - P_{e,s})^n$ n:number of symbols // Example: $P_{e,s} = 10^{-4}$ by using sufficient amount of power
 $n = 250 \quad P_{e,F} = 1 - (1 - 10^{-4})^{250} \approx \frac{25}{100}$

Reliable Communication

1. Repetition Coding

bit → Repetition Coding

→ { bit bit bitbit } (n times)

→ Modulation(Binary PAM) → $y = [x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n]$

$$b = 0 \quad x = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ \vdots \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} * d = u_0$$

$$b = 1 \quad x = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ \vdots \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} * d = u_1$$

$$P_e = Q\left(\frac{\|u_0 - u_1\|}{2\sigma}\right) = Q\left(\sqrt{\frac{nd^2}{\sigma^2}}\right) \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow 0$$

$$\approx e^{\frac{-nd^2}{2\sigma^2}} = e^{\frac{-n}{2}} * SNR$$

$$\text{Rate: } \frac{1}{n} \text{ bit/symbol} \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\text{Energy per bit: } nd^2 \rightarrow \infty \text{ as } n \rightarrow \infty$$