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Structure of Presentation

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- ¥ Conclusion

Properties of TPCs

- Turbo Product Codes (TPCs) are very flexible
- Can support any data block size, resolution 1 bit
- TPCs can support a very wide range of code rates with a single, unified encoder/decoder strategy
- From below rate 1/3 to as high as rate 0.98
- Multiple vendor support exists
- Product Codes were described in 1948 by Elias

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Properties of TPCs (cont)

- Codes described here are the same type that are included in the 802.16.1 specification
- Data rates are lower, hence decoder is potentially less complex/lower cost than 802.16.1 codes
- Depending on codes chosen, the decoder can be implemented with < 150 Kgates (includes memory)

TPC — Encoding Operation

$$(n,k) = (n_x - s_x, k_x - s_x) \mathbf{X} (n_y - s_y, k_y - s_y)$$

- \blacksquare Choose Code Parameter (*n*,*k*)
- \blacksquare Choose Component Codes (n_x, k_y)
- ¥ Shorten Component Codes as Required (s_x ,

Note on Component Codes

¥ Component Codes based on extended Hamming Codes (Hamming Code+1 bit parity)

Extended Hamming Code	Hamming Code	Gen Poly
(8,4)	(7,4)	$x^{3} + x + 1$
(16,11)	(15,11)	$x^{4} + x + 1$
(32,26)	(31,26)	$x^{5} + x^{2} + 1$
(64,57)	(63,57)	$x^{6} + x + 1$
(128,120)	(127,120)	$x^{7} + x^{3} + 1$
(256,247)	(255,247)	$x^{8} + x + 1$

2D TPC Coding Example TPC Code Required: (2304,1681)

- \forall Choose Component Codes (use $\div n$)
- ¥ Extended Hamming Code (64,57)
- ¥ Shorten Code by 16, to make (48,41) code

 $(48,41) \times (48,41) = (2304,1681)$

2D Visualization

Resultant code is:

 $(48, 41)\mathbf{x}(48, 41) =$

(2304, 1681)



Encoding a 2-D TPC



TPC s Under Single Carrier System

- ¥ Typical Single Carrier Framework
- ¥ Integrating TPC s into Single Carrier Systems
- ¥ Performance Enhancements with TPC s

Single Carrier PHY ¥ Comprises of:



Representative TPC s for Single Carrier

Larger TPCs

Code	(32,26) ² x(16,11), QPSK	(32,26) ² x(16,11), 16 QAM
Code Rate	0.454	0.454
Eb/No @BER=10 ⁻⁶	1.5	4.7
Eb/No @BER=10 -9	1.8	5.1

Shorter TPCs, from TG1 (burst or continuous)

Code	(39,32)x(39,32) s1=s2=25	(46,39)x(46,39) s1=s2=18 s=17
Code Rate	0.673	0.717
Eb/No @BER=10 ⁻⁶ (4/16/64 QAM)	3.5/6.5/10.7	3.6/6.6/10.5
Eb/No @BER=10 ⁻⁹ (4/16/64 QAM)	4.3/7.5/11.7	4.3/7.8/11.5

Performance under AWGN

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TPC s Under Multicarrier System

- ¥ Typical Multicarrier Framework
- ¥ Integrating TPC s into Multicarrier Systems
- **¥** Performance Enhancements with TPC s

Multicarrier 64 Point FFT PHY ¥ Comprises of:



64 Point FFT Structure

¥ Code lengths multiple of 48 bits

¥ Minimum number of TPCs Required

Subcarrier	Coding Rate	Data Rate	Coded Bits per	Data bits per
Modulation		/Mbit/s	OFDM symbol	OFDM symbol
BPSK	1/2	1.33	48	24
BPSK	3/4	2	48	36
QPSK	1/2	2.66	96	48
QPSK	3/4	4	96	72
16 QAM	1/2	5.33	192	96
16 QAM	3/4	8	192	144
64 QAM	2/3	10.67	288	192
64 QAM	3/4	12	288	216

Multicarrier Performance Under Fading Conditions



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Fading Model

Independent fade across packets



Enhanced Multicarrier Format

¥ Comprises of:



256 Point FFT Structure

- ¥ Code lengths multiple of 96 bits
- ¥ Minimum number of TPCs Required

Subcarrier	Coding Rate	Data Rate	Code Bits per	Data bits per
Modulation		/Mbit/s	OFDM symbol	OFDM symbol
BPSK	1/2	1.33	192	96
BPSK	3/4	2	192	144
QPSK	1/2	2.66	384	192
QPSK	3/4	4	384	288
16 QAM	1/2	5.33	768	376
16 QAM	3/4	8	768	576
64 QAM	2/3	10.67	1152	768
64 QAM	3/4	12	1152	864

Conclusion

- ¥ TPCs are readily integrated into single carrier of multicarrier frameworks
- ¥ TPCs Provide high performance combined with high spectral efficiency
- ¥ TPCs may be implemented IP free
- ¥ TPCs have been selected TG1
- ¥ Off the shelf chips and cores available
- ¥ TPC technology is consistent with both SS and BS target costs

Example of 3-D TPC



Error Floor vs. Flare

- ¥ For TPCs, there is minimal error flare because of high Dmin (typ 16 or greater)
- ¥ Depending on the TPC code used:
 - —Minor flaring starting @ about 10⁻⁶ to 10⁻¹²
 - -Flare is predictable
 - ¥ Block size
 - \mathbf{F} dmin