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# **Enhancements of Space-Time Codes for the OFDMA PHY**

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#### Introduction

We propose improved Space-Time codes with full rate and full diversity for 2 Tx - rate 2, 4 Tx - rate 1, 4 Tx rate 2 and 4 Tx rate 4. While these codes are specified as Space-Time codes, they may also be used as Space-Frequency codes or as hybrids.

### **Proposed enhancements**

#### STC for 2 Tx-Rate 2 transmission

We propose to add the transmission matrix:

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} s_1 + e^{j\pi/4} s_2 & (1+2j)(s_3 - e^{j\pi/4} s_4) \\ s_3 + e^{j\pi/4} s_4 & s_1 - e^{j\pi/4} s_2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

The proposed change is guided by the fact that the transmission new matrix C provides diversity gain while maintaining the rate and multiplexing gain of the existing transmission matrix B in Section 8.4.8.3.3. See [1] [2]. It is easily checked that any two entries of the matrix are statistically uncorrelated as in the case of the existing matrix B. The new matrix C has rank 2, indicating a transmit diversity order 2 which is due to "spreading" of the variables whereas the rank for the existing matrix B is 1. The code admits decoding with a simple decoding algorithm of similar complexity as the typical decoding algorithm for matrix B.

#### STC for 4 Tx - Rate 1 code:

We propose to replace the existing transmission matrix

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} s_1 & -s_2^* & 0 & 0 \\ s_2 & s_1^* & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & s_3 & -s_4^* \\ 0 & 0 & s_4 & s_3^* \end{bmatrix}.$$

with the new the transmission matrix A' given by

$$\frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - x_2 + j(y_3 + y_4) & x_1 + x_2 + j(y_3 - y_4) & x_1 - x_2 + j(y_3 + y_4) & x_1 + x_2 + j(y_3 - y_4) \\ x_1 + x_2 + j(-y_3 + y_4) & -x_1 + x_2 + j(y_3 + y_4) & x_1 + x_2 + j(-y_3 + y_4) & -x_1 + x_2 + j(y_3 + y_4) \\ x_3 - x_4 + j(y_1 + y_2) & x_3 + x_4 + j(y_1 - y_2) & -x_3 + x_4 - j(y_1 + y_2) & -x_3 - x_4 - j(y_1 + y_2) \\ x_3 + x_4 + j(-y_1 + y_2) & -x_3 + x_4 + j(y_1 + y_2) & -x_3 - x_4 - j(-y_1 + y_2) & x_3 - x_4 - j(y_1 + y_2) \end{bmatrix}$$

where  $x_i = s_{il} \cos \theta - s_{iQ} \sin \theta$ ,  $y_i = s_{il} \sin \theta + s_{iQ} \cos \theta$  and  $\theta = tan^{-1}2$ . The complex symbols  $s_i$  take values from a QAM signal set.

This proposed change is guided by the following reasons: (i) The transmit diversity gain of A' is 4 whereas that of A is only 2, (ii) A' admits a decoupled symbol-by-symbol decoding for the variables which leads to a fast ML decoding with a simple slicer (analogous to the Alamouti code for 2TX). Fig. 1 shows the performance of this code using decoupled ML decoding of low complexity for QPSK

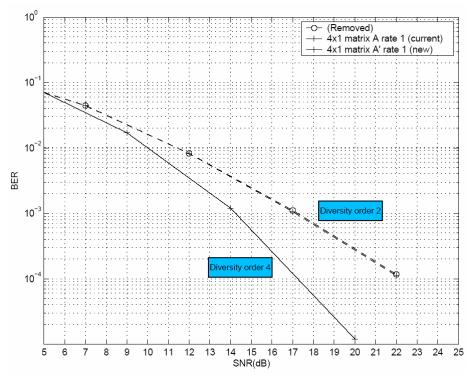


Figure 1: Performance comparison (uncoded) for 4Tx-Rate 1 the current matrix A in the standard and the new proposed matrix A' in a flat Rayleigh fading channel with QPSK modulation.

#### STC for 4Tx-Rate 2:

We propose add the transmission matrix D given by

$$B^{'}=egin{bmatrix} \widetilde{s}_1 & -\widetilde{s}_2^* & \widetilde{s}_5 & -\widetilde{s}_6^* \ \widetilde{s}_2 & \widetilde{s}_1^* & \widetilde{s}_6 & \widetilde{s}_5^* \ \widetilde{s}_3 & -\widetilde{s}_4^* & \widetilde{s}_7 & -\widetilde{s}_8^* \ \widetilde{s}_4 & \widetilde{s}_3^* & \widetilde{s}_8 & \widetilde{s}_7^* \end{bmatrix}.$$

where, with Re[s] and Im[s] denoting the real and imaginary part of a complex variable s and  $\theta = 0.5tan^{-1}2$ ,

$$\begin{split} &\tilde{s}_{1} = Re[s_{1}e^{j\theta}] + jIm[s_{7}e^{j\theta}]; & \tilde{s}_{7} = Re[s_{7}e^{j\theta}] + jIm[s_{1}e^{j\theta}] \\ &\tilde{s}_{2} = Re[s_{2}e^{j\theta}] + jIm[s_{8}e^{j\theta}]; & \tilde{s}_{8} = Re[s_{8}e^{j\theta}] + jIm[s_{2}e^{j\theta}] \\ &\tilde{s}_{3} = Re[s_{3}e^{j\theta}] + jIm[s_{5}e^{j\theta}]; & \tilde{s}_{5} = Re[s_{5}e^{j\theta}] + jIm[s_{3}e^{j\theta}] \\ &\tilde{s}_{4} = Re[s_{4}e^{j\theta}] + jIm[s_{6}e^{j\theta}]; & \tilde{s}_{6} = Re[s_{6}e^{j\theta}] + jIm[s_{4}e^{j\theta}]. \end{split}$$

The proposed code gives more coding gain than the current transmission matrix B with MMSE detection as shown in Figure 2.

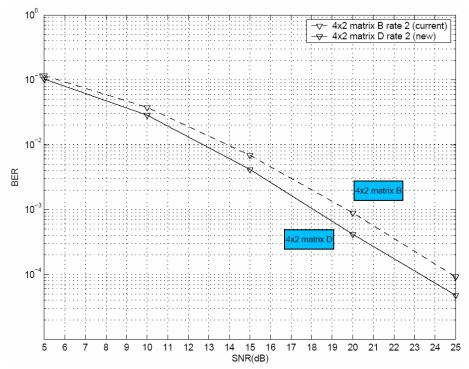


Figure 3: Performance comparison (uncoded) for the 4Tx-Rate 1 matrix B currently in the standard and the proposed matrix D for QPSK modulation in a flat Rayleigh fading channel with MMSE type receivers.

#### STC for 4Tx-Rate 4:

We propose to add a transmission matrix E given by:

$$E = \begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} & c_{13} & c_{14} \\ c_{21} & c_{22} & c_{23} & c_{24} \\ c_{31} & c_{32} & c_{33} & c_{34} \\ c_{41} & c_{42} & c_{43} & c_{44} \end{bmatrix},$$

wher e

$$c_{11} = s_1 + s_2 u + s_3 u^2 + s_4 u^3,$$
  

$$c_{12} = a \left( s_{13} + s_{14} u v + s_{15} u^2 v^2 + s_{16} u^3 v^3 \right),$$

$$\begin{split} c_{13} &= a \left( s_9 + s_{10} u v^2 + s_{11} u^2 + s_{12} u^3 v^2 \right), \\ c_{14} &= a \left( s_5 + s_6 u v^3 + s_7 u^2 v^2 + s_8 u^3 v \right), \\ c_{21} &= s_5 + s_6 u + s_7 u^2 + s_8 u^3, \\ c_{22} &= s_1 + s_2 u v + s_3 u^2 v^2 + s_4 u^3 v^3, \\ c_{23} &= a \left( s_{13} + s_{14} u v^2 + s_{15} u^2 + s_{16} u^3 v^2 \right), \\ c_{24} &= a \left( s_9 + s_{10} u v^3 + s_{11} u^2 v^2 + s_{12} u^3 v \right), \\ c_{31} &= s_9 + s_{10} u + s_{11} u^2 + s_{12} u^3, \\ c_{32} &= s_5 + s_6 u v + s_7 u^2 v^2 + s_8 u^3 v^3, \\ c_{33} &= s_1 + s_2 u v^2 + s_3 u^2 + s_4 u^3 v^2, \\ c_{34} &= a \left( s_{13} + s_{14} u v^3 + s_{15} u^2 v^2 + s_{16} u^3 v \right), \\ c_{41} &= s_{13} + s_{14} u + s_{15} u^2 + s_{16} u^3, \\ c_{42} &= s_9 + s_{10} u v + s_{11} u^2 v^2 + s_{12} u^3 v^3, \\ c_{43} &= s_5 + s_6 u v^2 + s_7 u^2 v + s_8 u^3 v^2, \\ c_{44} &= s_1 + s_2 u v^3 + s_3 u^2 v^2 + s_4 u^3 v, \end{split}$$

where  $u = e^{\frac{2\pi}{16}j}$ ,  $v = e^{\frac{2\pi}{4}j}$  and a = 1 + 2j.

This change is proposed since the transmission matrix E provides diversity gain while maintaining the rate and multiplexing gain of the transmission matrix C currently in the standard. As in the case of 2Tx-Rate 2 code, the matrix E has rank 4, indicating a transmit diversity order 4 which is due to spreading of the variables whereas the rank for the current code C is 1.

# Specific text changes

[Modify the following sections of 802.16e/D3]

## 8.4.8.3.3 Transmission schemes for 2-antenna BS (page 97):

Add the transmission matrix C given by:

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} s_1 + e^{j\pi/4} s_2 & (1+2j)(s_3 - e^{j\pi/4} s_4) \\ s_3 + e^{j\pi/4} s_4 & s_1 - e^{j\pi/4} s_2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

### 8.4.8.3.4 Transmission schemes for 4-antenna BS (page 98):

Replace the transmission matrix A:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} s_1 & -s_2^* & 0 & 0 \\ s_2 & s_1^* & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & s_3 & -s_4^* \\ 0 & 0 & s_4 & s_3^* \end{bmatrix}.$$

With the transmission matrix A' given by

$$\frac{1}{2} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 - x_2 + j(y_3 + y_4) & x_1 + x_2 + j(y_3 - y_4) & x_1 - x_2 + j(y_3 + y_4) & x_1 + x_2 + j(y_3 - y_4) \\ x_1 + x_2 + j(-y_3 + y_4) & -x_1 + x_2 + j(y_3 + y_4) & x_1 + x_2 + j(-y_3 + y_4) & -x_1 + x_2 + j(y_3 + y_4) \\ x_3 - x_4 + j(y_1 + y_2) & x_3 + x_4 + j(y_1 - y_2) & -x_3 + x_4 - j(y_1 + y_2) & -x_3 - x_4 - j(y_1 - y_2) \\ x_3 + x_4 + j(-y_1 + y_2) & -x_3 + x_4 + j(y_1 + y_2) & -x_3 - x_4 - j(-y_1 + y_2) & x_3 - x_4 - j(y_1 + y_2) \end{bmatrix}$$

where  $x_i = s_{il} \cos \theta - s_{iQ} \sin \theta$ ,  $y_i = s_{il} \sin \theta + s_{iQ} \cos \theta$  and  $\theta = tan^{-1}2$ . The complex symbols  $s_i$  take values from a QAM signal set.

Add the transmission matrix D given by

$$D = egin{bmatrix} ilde{s}_1 & - ilde{s}_2^* & ilde{s}_5 & - ilde{s}_6^* \ ilde{s}_2 & ilde{s}_1^* & ilde{s}_6 & ilde{s}_5^* \ ilde{s}_3 & - ilde{s}_4^* & ilde{s}_7 & - ilde{s}_8^* \ ilde{s}_4^* & ilde{s}_3^* & ilde{s}_8^* & ilde{s}_7^* \end{bmatrix}.$$

where, with Re[s] and Im[s] denoting the real and imaginary part of a complex variable s and  $\theta = 0.5tan^{-1}2$ ,

$$\begin{split} &\tilde{s}_{1} = Re[s_{1}e^{j\theta}] + jIm[s_{7}e^{j\theta}]; \quad \tilde{s}_{7} = Re[s_{7}e^{j\theta}] + jIm[s_{1}e^{j\theta}] \\ &\tilde{s}_{2} = Re[s_{2}e^{j\theta}] + jIm[s_{8}e^{j\theta}]; \quad \tilde{s}_{8} = Re[s_{8}e^{j\theta}] + jIm[s_{2}e^{j\theta}] \\ &\tilde{s}_{3} = Re[s_{3}e^{j\theta}] + jIm[s_{5}e^{j\theta}]; \quad \tilde{s}_{5} = Re[s_{5}e^{j\theta}] + jIm[s_{3}e^{j\theta}] \\ &\tilde{s}_{4} = Re[s_{4}e^{j\theta}] + jIm[s_{6}e^{j\theta}]; \quad \tilde{s}_{6} = Re[s_{6}e^{j\theta}] + jIm[s_{4}e^{j\theta}]. \end{split}$$

Add the transmission matrix E given by

$$E = \begin{bmatrix} c_{11} & c_{12} & c_{13} & c_{14} \\ c_{21} & c_{22} & c_{23} & c_{24} \\ c_{31} & c_{32} & c_{33} & c_{34} \\ c_{41} & c_{42} & c_{43} & c_{44} \end{bmatrix},$$

wher e

$$c_{11} = s_1 + s_2 u + s_3 u^2 + s_4 u^3,$$

$$c_{12} = a \left( s_{13} + s_{14} u v + s_{15} u^2 v^2 + s_{16} u^3 v^3 \right),$$

$$c_{13} = a \left( s_9 + s_{10} u v^2 + s_{11} u^2 + s_{12} u^3 v^2 \right),$$

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$$c_{21} = s_5 + s_6 u + s_7 u^2 + s_8 u^3,$$

$$c_{22} = s_1 + s_2 u v + s_3 u^2 v^2 + s_4 u^3 v^3,$$

$$c_{23} = a \left( s_{13} + s_{14} u v^2 + s_{15} u^2 + s_{16} u^3 v^2 \right),$$

$$c_{24} = a \left( s_9 + s_{10} u v^3 + s_{11} u^2 v^2 + s_{12} u^3 v \right),$$

$$c_{31} = s_9 + s_{10} u + s_{11} u^2 + s_{12} u^3,$$

$$c_{32} = s_5 + s_6 u v + s_7 u^2 v^2 + s_8 u^3 v^3,$$

$$c_{33} = s_1 + s_2 u v^2 + s_3 u^2 + s_4 u^3 v^2,$$

$$c_{34} = a \left( s_{13} + s_{14} u v^3 + s_{15} u^2 v^2 + s_{16} u^3 v \right),$$

$$c_{41} = s_{13} + s_{14} u + s_{15} u^2 + s_{16} u^3,$$

$$c_{42} = s_9 + s_{10} u v + s_{11} u^2 v^2 + s_{12} u^3 v^3,$$

$$c_{43} = s_5 + s_6 u v^2 + s_7 u^2 v + s_8 u^3 v^2,$$

$$c_{44} = s_1 + s_2 u v^3 + s_3 u^2 v^2 + s_4 u^3 v,$$

where  $u = e^{\frac{2\pi}{16}j}$ ,  $v = e^{\frac{2\pi}{4}j}$  and a = 1 + 2j.

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