

Bug Fix for sampled pulse used for quantization

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Summary

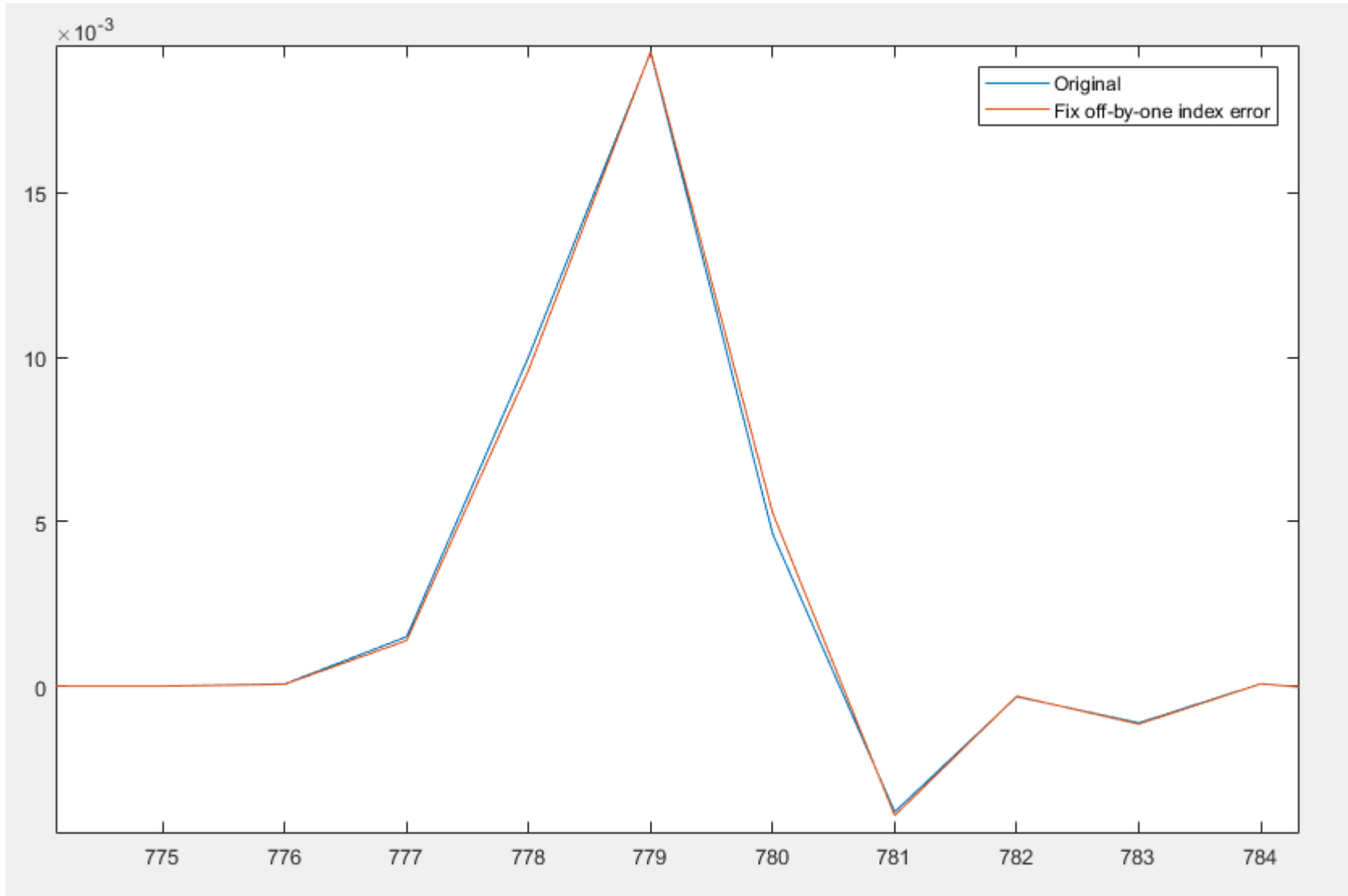
- `pulse_sampled_w_tx_ffe_ctle` is created in `Apply_EQ`
- It is used to calculate quantization noise that is used for the final COM noise PDF
- This update fixes an off-by-one indexing bug when sampling the pulse response
- Impact:
 - In limited testing, observed less than 0.05dB COM change from the bug fix. It is unknown if there are channels that would show meaningful COM change.

Off-by-one fix

```
src/Apply_EQ.m
...    @@ -85,7 +85,7 @@ for i=1:param.number_of_s4p_files
85    85    % Next 4 lines determine a pulse response required quantization,
86    86    % at the CTLE output with Tx_ffe
87    87    chdata(i).ctle_pulse = eq_pulse;
88    -    [~, sample_start] = min(abs(chdata(i).t-fom_result.sampled_best_sbr_precursors_t(1)));
88    +    sample_start = mod(fom_result.t_s-1, param.samples_per_ui)+1;
89    89    chdata(i).pulse_sampled_w_tx_ffe_ctle = eq_pulse(sample_start:param.samples_per_ui:end);
90    90    chdata(i).t_sampled_w_tx_ffe_ctle = chdata(i).t(sample_start:param.samples_per_ui:end);
91    91
...    ...
```

- Red is removed line. Green is added line.
- The original code resulted in missing the cursor by one index.

Off-by-one fix (comparison plot)



Changes to config

- Changes to config
 - None
- Changes to output
 - small numerical differences on cases tested
- Download beta test code
 - [Beta Test: Sampled Pulse Indexing Bug Fix](#)