

EE359 – Lecture 8 Outline

- **Announcements**

- **Schedule changes next week**
 - No lecture next Tues 2/3.
 - Makeup class: Wed 2/5 11:30-12:50pm w/lunch in Gates B03
- **Project proposals due 2/7; I can provide early feedback**
- **MT week of 2/17, 6-8pm (pizza after), poll this week; details soon**
 - New version of Reader with Chapters 1-7 available next week

- **Capacity of Fading channels**

- Recap Optimal Rate/Power Adaptation with TX/RX CSI
- Channel Inversion with Fixed Rate

- **Capacity of Freq. Selective Fading Channels**

- **Linear Digital Modulation Review**

- **Performance of Linear Modulation in AWGN**

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Review of Last Lecture

- **Channel Capacity**

- Maximum data rate that can be transmitted over a channel with arbitrarily small error

- **Capacity of AWGN Channel: $B \log_2[1+\gamma]$ bps**

- $\gamma = P_r / (N_0 B)$ is the receiver SNR

- **Capacity of Flat-Fading Channels**

- Nothing known: capacity typically zero
- Fading Statistics Known (few results)
- Fading Known at RX (average capacity)

$$C = \int_0^{\infty} B \log_2(1 + \gamma) p(\gamma) d\gamma \leq B \log_2(1 + \bar{\gamma})$$

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Review of Last Lecture (ctd)

- **Capacity in Flat-Fading: γ known at TX/RX**

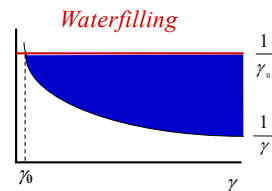
$$C = \max_{P(\gamma): E[P(\gamma)] \leq \bar{P}} \int_0^{\infty} B \log_2 \left(1 + \frac{\gamma P(\gamma)}{\bar{P}} \right) p(\gamma) d\gamma$$

Same result with equality

- **Optimal Rate and Power Adaptation**

$$\frac{P(\gamma)}{\bar{P}} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\gamma_0} - \frac{1}{\gamma} & \gamma \geq \gamma_0 \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{C}{B} = \int_{\gamma_0}^{\infty} \log_2 \left(\frac{\gamma}{\gamma_0} \right) p(\gamma) d\gamma.$$



- The instantaneous power/rate only depend on $p(\gamma)$ through γ_0

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Channel Inversion

- **Fading inverted to maintain constant SNR**

- **Simplifies design (fixed rate)**

- **Greatly reduces capacity**

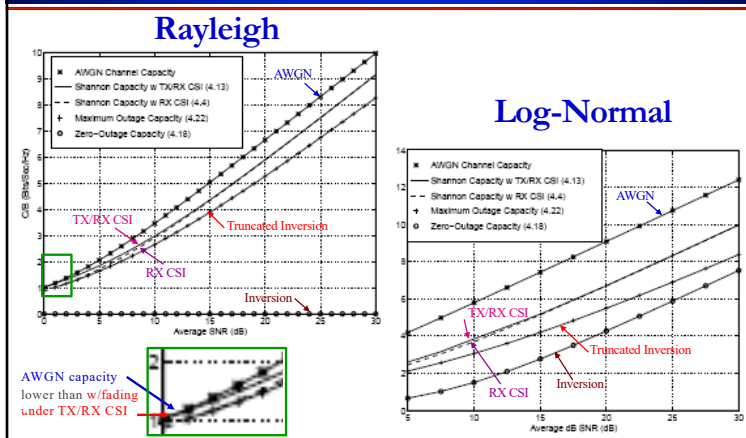
- Capacity is zero in Rayleigh fading

- **Truncated inversion**

- Invert channel above cutoff fade depth
- Constant SNR (fixed rate) above cutoff
- Cutoff greatly increases capacity
 - Close to optimal

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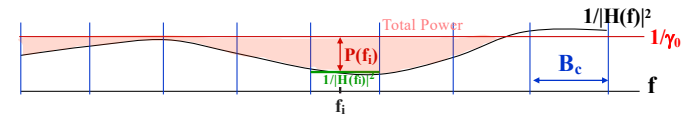
Capacity in Flat-Fading



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Frequency Selective Fading Channels

- For time-invariant channels, capacity achieved by water-filling in frequency
- Capacity of time-varying channel unknown
- Approximate by dividing into subbands
 - Each subband has width B_c (like MCM/OFDM).
 - Independent fading in each subband
 - Capacity is the sum of subband capacities



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Review of Linear Digital Modulation

- Signal over i th symbol period:

$$s(t) = s_{i1}g(t)\cos(2\pi f_c t + \phi_0) - s_{i2}g(t)\sin(2\pi f_c t + \phi_0)$$

- Pulse shape $g(t)$ typically Nyquist
- Signal constellation defined by (s_{i1}, s_{i2}) pairs
- Can be differentially encoded
- M values for $(s_{i1}, s_{i2}) \Rightarrow \log_2 M$ bits per symbol
- P_s depends on
 - Minimum distance d_{min} (depends on γ_s)
 - # of nearest neighbors α_M
 - Approximate expression:
 - Standard/alternate Q function $P_s \approx \alpha_M Q(\sqrt{\beta_M \gamma_s})$

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Main Points

- Channel inversion practical, but should truncate or get a large capacity loss
- Capacity of wideband channel obtained by breaking up channel into subbands
 - Similar to multicarrier modulation
- Linear modulation dominant in high-rate wireless systems due to its spectral efficiency
- P_s approximation in AWGN: $P_s \approx \alpha_M Q(\sqrt{\beta_M \gamma_s})$
 - Alternate Q function useful in diversity analysis

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