Schedule Report

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• Accomplishment 1

Finished the first stage of bug testing. We have found many bugs and submitted them to the website development group.

However, the amount of test samples is poor. Due to that, we cannot use many functions on the website, and certainly we cannot find bugs.

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 I picked up the methods to realize the distance ranging. We can use the TOA estimation in OFDM Systems. Both in the AWGN channels and multipath channels.



In AWGN channels

The traditional TOA estimation algorithms based on the pseudorandom noise (PN) sequences and the phases of continuous waves. And a TOA estimation algorithm based on the correlation property and phase differences between the sub-carriers in the OFDM symbol is proposed. An iterative TOA estimation algorithm based on maximum-likelihood (ML) is proposed according to the properties of the cost function in the ML TOA estimation algorithm for the OFDM signals in the AWGN channels. The proposed sub-carrier phase difference based TOA estimation algorithm consists of a TOA coarse estimation based on sequence correlation and a TOA fine estimation based on the phase differences between the sub-carriers. The algorithm is of a larger non-fuzzy TOA estimation range and higher estimation accuracy, compared with the traditional algorithms. The proposed iterative TOA estimation algorithm is of lower complexity compared with the ML algorithm with exhaustive search, and higher accuracy compared with the proposed sub-carrier phase difference based algorithm.



In multipath channels

The cell search scheme and TOA estimation algorithm for the OFDM signals in the multipath channels are investigated for the TOA estimation procedure. A novel cell search signal and cell search scheme based on sequence and signal detection are proposed for the problems of the interference between sectors, multipath fading, frequency offset, and timing offset. The problems of multipath effect and resolution are analyzed for the available sequence correlation based OFDM TOA estimation algorithm, and the problem of high complexity is analyzed for the super-resolution algorithms. Based on the analysis, a novel TOA estimation algorithm is proposed for the OFDM TOA estimation in the multipath channels. In the proposed algorithm, the coarse TOA estimation is achieved with leading edge search. Then the effect of the fractional TOA on the cost function of the coarse estimation is investigated, and the Fine TOA estimation is achieved by defining a spreading function. The simulation results show that the proposed cell search scheme is of low complexity and high efficiency. The proposed OFDM TOA estimation algorithm is of high ability of anti-multipath, and the TOA estimation resolution is not limited by the sampling rate. Although, compared with the ML algorithm, the proposed algorithm is of a lower accuracy, the complexity is much lower than that of the ML algorithm.



Confusion

When I read this article, a problem stroke my mind. As the author used the CAZAC sequence as the OFDM frequency domain sequence.

$$X_l = e^{j\frac{M\pi l^2}{N}}$$
 $l = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$

 Z_l is received OFDM signal in frequency form.

$$Z_l = ae^{j\phi}X_le^{\frac{-j2\pi l\tau_f}{NT_c}} + W_l$$

set v as the number of sub-carrier interval, then

$$P = \sum_{l=0}^{N-\upsilon-1} Z_{l+\upsilon} X_{l+\upsilon}^* Z_l^* X_l$$

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