ELEC 5360 Homework 5

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1. (a)

First recall that for a matrix A,

$$\det(A) = \prod_{i=1}^{n} \lambda_i$$

where λ_i 's are the eigenvalues of A.

This is because, when obtaining λ_i 's, we have $det(A - \lambda I) = 0$. Written in *characteristic* polynomial form, we have $det(A - \lambda I) = (\lambda - \lambda_1)(\lambda - \lambda_2)...(\lambda - \lambda_n)$. Set $\lambda = 0$, we have $det(A) = \lambda_1 \lambda_2 ... \lambda_n$.

Now,

$$\det(HH^*) = \prod_{i=1}^{n_{min}} \lambda_i$$

where λ_i 's are eigenvalues of HH^* and $n_{min} = \min(N_t, N_r)$.

Therefore

$$\det(\frac{\gamma}{N_t}HH^*) = \prod_{i=1}^{n_{min}} \frac{\gamma}{N_t} \lambda_i$$

And

$$\det(I_{N_r} + \frac{\gamma}{N_t} H H^*) = \prod_{i=1}^{n_{min}} 1 + \frac{\gamma}{N_t} \lambda_i$$

this is because, for a matrix A, and eigenvalue λ_i , eigenvector $\vec{v_i}$, $A\vec{v_i} = \lambda_i \vec{v_i}$, we have $(A+I)\vec{v_i} = (\lambda_i + 1)\vec{v_i}$ Now applying logarithmic operation on both sides, we have

$$log_2 \det(\frac{\gamma}{N_t} H H^*) = \sum_{i=1}^{n_{min}} log_2(1 + \frac{\gamma}{N_t} \lambda_i)$$

(b)

We have

$$C = \sum_{i=1}^{n_{min}} \mathbb{E}[log_2(1 + \frac{\gamma}{N_t}\lambda_i)]$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{n_{min}} \mathbb{E}[\frac{log(1 + \frac{\gamma}{N_t}\lambda_i)}{log2}]$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^{n_{min}} \mathbb{E}[log(1 + \frac{\gamma}{N_t}\lambda_i)] log_2e$$

Notice for small x, we have $log(1+x)\approx x$. When $\gamma\to 0$, we have

$$C \approx \sum_{i=1}^{n_{min}} \frac{\gamma}{N_t} \mathbb{E}[\lambda_i] \log_2 e$$

$$= \frac{\gamma}{N_t} \mathbb{E}[tr(HH^*)] \log_2 e$$

$$= \frac{\gamma}{N_t} \mathbb{E}[\sum_{i,j} |h_{i,j}|^2] \log_2 e$$

because $tr[A] = \sum_i \lambda_i(A)$, and in the matrix HH^* , the *i*'th diagonal element is $\sum_j h_{ij}h_{ji}$. Now notice that $\mathbb{E}[\sum_{i,j} |h_{i,j}|^2] = N_t N_r$, assuming the normalization of power.

So we get

$$C \approx N_r \gamma log_2 e$$

2. (a)

Notice that $\vec{y} - H\vec{x} = \vec{n} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, N_0)$, therefore we get

$$p(\vec{p}|H, \vec{x}) = \frac{1}{(\pi N_0)^{N_r}} exp(\frac{-||\vec{y} - H\vec{x}||^2}{N_0})$$

$$= \frac{1}{(\pi N_0)^{N_r}} exp(-\frac{\sum_{m=1}^{N_r} |y_m - \sum_{n=1}^{N_t} h_{mn} x_n|^2}{N_0})$$

(b)

Estimation of signal \hat{x} of an ML receiver is

$$\hat{x} = \operatorname{argmin}_{x \in \{s\}} ||\vec{y} - H\vec{x}||^2$$

Using pseduoinverse, we will have

$$\hat{x} = H^* (HH^*)^{-1} \vec{y}$$

(c)

$$\begin{split} p(\vec{x_k} \to \vec{x_l}|H) &= Q(\frac{||H(\vec{x_k} - \vec{x_l})||}{\sqrt{2N_0}}) \\ &= Q(\sqrt{\frac{E_s||H(\vec{s_k} - \vec{s_l})||^2}{2N_0N_r}}) \\ &= Q(\sqrt{\frac{E_b||H(\vec{s_k} - \vec{s_l})||^2}{2N_0}}) \end{split}$$

(d)

Written the row vector of matrix H as $h_1, h_2, ..., h_{N_r}$, then

$$\begin{aligned} ||H(\vec{s_k} - \vec{s_l})||^2 &= ||[h_1^T, h_2^T, ..., h_{N_r}^T]^T (\vec{s_k} - \vec{s_l})||^2 \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} h_1^T (\vec{s_k} - \vec{s_l}) \\ h_2^T (\vec{s_k} - \vec{s_l}) \\ ... \\ h_{N_r}^T (\vec{s_k} - \vec{s_l}) \end{pmatrix}^2 \end{aligned}$$

Notice that each row follows Complex Gaussian Distribution as $\mathcal{CN}(0, ||\vec{s_k} - \vec{s_l}||^2)$. Hence, by the relation between *Gaussian Distribution* and *Chi-Square Distribution*,

$$||H(\vec{s_k} - \vec{s_l})||^2 \sim \frac{||(\vec{s_k} - \vec{s_l})||}{2} \chi^2(2N_r)$$

(e)

By Chernoff Bound of Q-function, we know for average error probability

$$p(\vec{x_k} \to \vec{x_l}|H) = \mathbb{E}(Q(\sqrt{\frac{E_b||H(\vec{s_k} - \vec{s_l})||^2}{2N_0}}))$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2}\mathbb{E}[exp(\frac{E_b||H(\vec{s_k} - \vec{s_l})||^2}{4N_0})]$$

Now, as we know $||H(\vec{s_k} - \vec{s_l})||^2$ follows χ^2 distribution, from the moment generating function, for χ^2 distributed x, $\mathbb{E}[e^{tx}] = \frac{1}{(1-2t)^{k/2}}$.

Then we have

$$p(\vec{x_k} \to \vec{x_l}|H) = \frac{1}{2(1 - \frac{E_b||H(\vec{s_k} - \vec{s_l})||^2}{4N_0})^{N_r}}$$

3. (a)

$$H = \left[\begin{array}{cc} 1.0 & 0.2 \\ -0.1 & 1.5 \end{array} \right]$$

We have

$$HH^* = \begin{bmatrix} 1.0 & 0.2 \\ -0.1 & 1.5 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1.0 & -0.1 \\ 0.2 & 1.5 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.04 & 0.2 \\ 0.2 & 2.26 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now we determine the eigenvalues and eigenvectors, let

$$\det \left(\begin{array}{cc} 1.04 - \lambda & 0.2 \\ 0.2 & 2.26 - \lambda \end{array} \right) = 0$$

Solving the *characteristic equation*, we have

$$\lambda_1 = 1.008, \lambda_2 = 2.292$$

with corresponding eigenvectors,

$$\vec{v_1} = [0.158, 0.988]^T, \vec{v_2} = [0.988, -0.158]^T$$

Therefore, we get the singular value,

$$\sqrt{\lambda_1} = 1.004, \sqrt{\lambda_2} = 1.514$$

Likewise we can do similar process for H^*H , and we get the SVD decomposition as follows

$$H = \begin{bmatrix} 0.158 & 0.988 \\ 0.988 & -0.158 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1.514 & 0 \\ 0 & 1.004 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.039 & 0.999 \\ 0.999 & -0.033 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b)

For equal power allocation, we have

$$C = log_2 \det(I_{N_r} + \frac{E_s}{N_t N_0} H H^*)$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^r log_2 \left(1 + \frac{E_s}{N_t N_0} \lambda_i (H H^*)\right)$$

$$= log_2 \left(1 + \frac{1}{2 \times 2} \times 1.008\right) + log_2 \left(1 + \frac{1}{2 \times 2} \times 2.292\right)$$

$$= 0.978 \text{ bps/Hz}$$

(c)

For water filling, we have

$$C = \max_{\sum_{k=1}^{r} \gamma_k = N_r} \sum_{k=1}^{r} log_2 \left(1 + \frac{E_s \lambda_k}{N_t N_0} \gamma_k \right)$$

By Lagrange Multiplier, we will have optimal γ_k^* satisfies

$$\gamma_k^* = (\mu - \frac{N_t N_0}{E_s \lambda_k})^+$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^r \gamma_i^* = N_r$$

where $(x)^+ = x$ if x > 0, and = 0, otherwise.

Now, assuming both terms in summation are not zero, we have $\gamma_1 + \gamma_2 = 2$, which expands to

$$(\mu - \frac{2 \times 2}{1 \times 1.008}) + (\mu - \frac{2 \times 2}{1 \times 2.292}) = 2$$

This leads to $\mu = 3.8567$.

Substitute μ back, we have

$$\gamma_1 = 0, \gamma_2 = 2.115$$

which ends up with a summation larger than 0.

Therefore, we can only have

$$\mu - \frac{2 \times 2}{1 \times 2.292} = 2$$

This leads to $\mu = 3.7452$.

Substitute μ back, we have

$$\gamma_1 = 0, \gamma_2 = 2$$

Furthermore,

$$C = log_2 \left(1 + \frac{1 \times 2.292}{2 \times 2} \times 2\right) = 1.102 \text{ bps/Hz}$$

So water-filling obtains a higher capacity than equal power does, which is within expectation, as high quality channel is utilized better.

4. (a)

For the general BER expression, the average error probability can be calculated as follows

$$\begin{split} &\int_0^\infty \alpha Q(\sqrt{\beta x}) \frac{1}{\bar{\gamma}} e^{-\frac{x}{\bar{\gamma}}} dx \\ &= \int_0^\infty \alpha \int_{\sqrt{\beta x}}^\infty \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{y^2}{2}} dy \frac{1}{\bar{\gamma}} e^{-\frac{x}{\bar{\gamma}}} dx \\ &= \int_0^\infty \alpha \int_0^{\frac{y^2}{\beta}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{y^2}{2}} \frac{1}{\bar{\gamma}} e^{-\frac{x}{\bar{\gamma}}} dx dy \\ &= \int_0^\infty \alpha \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{y^2}{2}} (-e^{-\frac{x}{\bar{\gamma}}} \Big|_0^{\frac{y^2}{\beta}}) dy \\ &= \frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_0^\infty e^{-\frac{y^2}{2}} (1 - e^{-\frac{y^2}{\beta \bar{\gamma}}}) dy \\ &= \frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_0^\infty e^{-\frac{y^2}{2}} dy - \frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_0^\infty e^{-\frac{y^2}{2} - \frac{y^2}{\beta \bar{\gamma}}} dy \\ &= \frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{2\pi}} (\frac{\sqrt{2\pi}}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{2\pi}}{2} \sqrt{\frac{\bar{\gamma}\beta/2}{\bar{\gamma}\beta/2 + 1}}) \\ &= \frac{\alpha}{2} (1 - \sqrt{\frac{\bar{\gamma}\beta/2}{\bar{\gamma}\beta/2 + 1}}) \end{split}$$

(b)

For $BPSK \ \alpha = 1, \beta = 2$, then

$$\bar{p}_b = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \sqrt{\frac{\bar{\gamma}}{\bar{\gamma} + 1}}) = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \sqrt{\frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{\bar{\gamma}}}})$$

For high SNR (large $\bar{\gamma}$), we denote $\epsilon = \frac{1}{\bar{\gamma}}$, which is small

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{1+\epsilon}} = 1 + \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{1+\epsilon}}\right)' \Big|_{\epsilon=0} \epsilon + o(\epsilon^2)$$
$$= 1 - \frac{1}{2}(1+\epsilon)^{-\frac{3}{2}} \Big|_{\epsilon=0} \epsilon + o(\epsilon^2)$$
$$\approx 1 - \frac{1}{2}\epsilon$$

Substitute this result back, we obtain for high SNR,

$$\bar{p_b} \approx \frac{1}{2} [1 - 1 + \frac{1}{2\bar{\gamma}}] = \frac{1}{4} \gamma^{-1}$$

(c)

$$\begin{split} p_b &= \int_0^\infty Q(\sqrt{2\gamma_b}) p(\gamma_b) d\gamma_b \\ &= \int_0^\infty \int_{\sqrt{2\gamma_b}}^\infty \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-y^2/2} dy \frac{1}{(L-1)! \bar{\gamma}_c^L} \gamma_b^{L-1} e^{-\gamma_b/\gamma_c} d\gamma_b \\ &= \frac{1}{(L-1)! \bar{\gamma}_c^L} \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-y^2/2} \int_0^{y^2/2} \gamma_b^{L-1} e^{-\gamma_b/\gamma_c} d\gamma_b \, dy \\ &= \frac{1}{(L-1)! \bar{\gamma}_c^L} \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-y^2/2} \gamma_c^L (L! - (L-1)! \Gamma[L, \frac{y^2}{2\gamma_c}]) dy \\ &= \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-y^2/2} (L - \sum_{k=0} \frac{y^{2k}}{(2\gamma_c)^k k!}) dy \\ &= \frac{L}{2} - \sum_{k=0} \int_0^\infty \frac{e^{-y^2/2} y^{2k}}{(2\gamma_c)^k k!} dy \\ &= \frac{L}{2} - \sum_{k=0} L - 1 \frac{1}{(\gamma_c)^k k!} 2^{-1/2+k} \Gamma(\frac{1}{2} + k) \end{split}$$

which is numerically equivalent to

$$\left[\frac{1}{2}(1-\mu)\right]^{L} \sum_{k=0}^{L-1} \binom{L-1+k}{k} \left[\frac{1}{2}(1+\mu)\right]^{k}$$

where
$$\mu = \sqrt{\frac{\bar{\gamma}_c}{1 + \bar{\gamma}_c}}$$