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PROJECT

In this project you will simulate the performance of 64-QAM scheme for E_b/N_0 ranging from 0 to 15dB. Provide performance curves (on the same graph) of the simulations and the theoretical result from Table 7.9 for coherent MQAM for $M = 64$. The bit error probability should be in log-scale, see Figure 7.29 for example. Use the constellation in

https://www.researchgate.net/figure/Example-of-64-QAM-constellation_fig1_328399893

You have to write a MATLAB program to do that and comment using % on all the steps as grading will also be based on the clarity of the program. Submit the figure in pdf and the matlab code in txt or doc as I may have to run it. The matlab code should be basic and written from scratch without any specialized matlab communication tools.

You may find the following youtube videos for 16-QAM useful:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NVUU8FDuTP4>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SCbiNnF08Oc>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qpds-icijEc>