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% program: main_read_raw_adc_data_DCA_board_format.m
% updated: 02-August-2018

% This routine reads a frame of ADC data collected by the DCA board.
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Part 1. Initial Setup

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Define the filename

```
directory_filename = '..\DCA_module\raw_data\';
suffix             = '_2018_1015v2';
filename_root      = ['xwr16xx_crw_dca_module',suffix,'.bin'];
filename           = [directory_filename,filename_root];
```

Verify that the filename is valid

```
good_filename = exist(filename,'file');
if(good_filename == 2)
    disp(['reading file: ',filename,', ...']);
else
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disp(['not a valid filename: ',filename,', ...program paused...']);
pause
end % end if(good_filename == 2)

```

reading file: ..\DCA_module\raw_data\awr16xx_crw_dca_module_2018_1015v2.bin, ...

Define the radar model (used to define Q factor)

```

radar_model    = 16;    % for AWR1642
%radar_model    = 14;    % for AWR1443

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Define format attributes

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% change these radar parameters based on radar configuration

if(radar_model == 16)

    % These values are dependent on awr16xx chip
    num_ADCBits    = 16; % number of ADC bits per sample
    num_Tx         = 2; % number of transmitters
    num_Rx         = 4; % number of receivers
    num_Lanes      = 2; % do not change. number of lanes is always 2
    isReal         = 0; % set to 1 if real only data, 0 if complex data0

    % Get the radar operating parameters
    % This function call sets radar operating parameters for different user
    % defined input strings. Valid strings are:
    % 'best_range_res'      = best range resolution
    % 'DCA_configuration'  = configuration used in testing DCA output

    [chirp_parameters] = func_defineChirpParameters( 'DCA_configuration');
    % The outputs are:
    % chirp_parameters = [f_start, alpha_chirp, N_sample, f_ADC_sample, ...
    %     N_chirp, N_frame, Frame_Duration, chirp_idle_time, chirp_ramp_time];

    num_samples    = chirp_parameters(3); % number of ADC samples per chirp
    num_chirps     = chirp_parameters(5);
    num_frames     = chirp_parameters(6);

end % end if(radar_model == 16)

% if(radar_model == 14)
%     num_ADCSamples = NaN; % number of ADC samples per chirp
%     num_ADCBits    = 16; % number of ADC bits per sample
%     numTx          = 2; % number of transmitters
%     numRX          = 1; % number of receivers
%     numLanes       = 4; % do not change. number of lanes is always 4
%     isReal         = 0; % set to 1 if real only data, 0 if complex data0
% end % end if(radar_model == 16)

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Part 2. Read the ADC voltages into Matlab workspace (*.bin file)

Open the *.bin file and read all of the data

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fid      = fopen(filename, 'r');
adcData  = fread(fid, 'int16');

% close the file
fclose(fid);

% get total file size
fileSize = size(adcData, 1);
```

Decompose the data into (Tx, Rx) channels (8 virtual radars)

```
% The data format is defined in the mmwave_studio_user_guide on page 57.

% make up a number of chirps
num_chirps      = 128;
block_size      = num_Tx*(num_Rx * num_samples * 2);
end_block_index = 0;

Tx1_Rx_real      = zeros(num_Rx, num_frames, num_chirps, num_samples);
Tx1_Rx_imag      = zeros(num_Rx, num_frames, num_chirps, num_samples);
Tx2_Rx_real      = zeros(num_Rx, num_frames, num_chirps, num_samples);
Tx2_Rx_imag      = zeros(num_Rx, num_frames, num_chirps, num_samples);

Tx_Rx_real       = zeros(num_Tx, num_Rx, num_frames, num_chirps, num_samples);
Tx_Rx_imag       = zeros(num_Tx, num_Rx, num_frames, num_chirps, num_samples);

% process each frame
for k = 1:num_frames

    % process each chirp
    for i = 1:num_chirps

        % Get a block of data
        start_block_index = 1;
        start_block_index = end_block_index + 1;
        end_block_index   = start_block_index + block_size - 1;

        % Get the data for this block
        data_block        = adcData(start_block_index:end_block_index);

        % Disect this block
        Tx1_real_part      = zeros(num_Rx, num_samples);
        Tx1_imag_part      = zeros(num_Rx, num_samples);
        Tx2_real_part      = zeros(num_Rx, num_samples);
        Tx2_imag_part      = zeros(num_Rx, num_samples);

        % Get the Tx1 data
        for r = 1:4
            index          = 0;
            for c = 1:num_samples/2
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    % Get first real and imaginary elements
    index          = index + 1;
    j              = ((r-1)*num_samples*2) + (c-1)*4 + 1;
    Tx1_real_part(r,index) = data_block(j);
    j              = ((r-1)*num_samples*2) + (c-1)*4 + 3;
    Tx1_imag_part(r,index) = data_block(j);

    % get second real and imaginary elements
    index          = index + 1;
    j              = ((r-1)*num_samples*2) + (c-1)*4 + 2;
    Tx1_real_part(r,index) = data_block(j);
    j              = ((r-1)*num_samples*2) + (c-1)*4 + 4;
    Tx1_imag_part(r,index) = data_block(j);

end % end for c loop

end % end for r loop

% where is the pointer after reading Tx1?
j_Tx1 = j;
% Get the Tx2 data
for r = 1:4
    index = 0;
    for c = 1:num_samples/2

        % Get first real and imaginary elements
        index          = index + 1;
        j              = j_Tx1 + ((r-1)*num_samples*2) + (c-1)*4 + 1;
        Tx2_real_part(r,index) = data_block(j);
        j              = j_Tx1 + ((r-1)*num_samples*2) + (c-1)*4 + 3;
        Tx2_imag_part(r,index) = data_block(j);

        % get second real and imaginary elements
        index          = index + 1;
        j              = j_Tx1 + ((r-1)*num_samples*2) + (c-1)*4 + 2;
        Tx2_real_part(r,index) = data_block(j);
        j              = j_Tx1 + ((r-1)*num_samples*2) + (c-1)*4 + 4;
        Tx2_imag_part(r,index) = data_block(j);

    end % end for c loop

end % end for r loop

% Put this chirp of data into the master matrix
% oder is (num_RX, num_frames, num_chirps, num_ADCSamples)
Tx1_Rx_real(:,k,i,:) = Tx1_real_part;
Tx1_Rx_imag(:,k,i,:) = Tx1_imag_part;

Tx2_Rx_real(:,k,i,:) = Tx2_real_part;
Tx2_Rx_imag(:,k,i,:) = Tx2_imag_part;

Tx_Rx_real(1,:,k,i,:) = Tx1_real_part;
Tx_Rx_imag(1,:,k,i,:) = Tx1_imag_part;
Tx_Rx_real(2,:,k,i,:) = Tx2_real_part;
Tx_Rx_imag(2,:,k,i,:) = Tx2_imag_part;

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end % end for i loop

end % end for k loop

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Part 3. Process each Frame of Data (Mimic Real-Time Processing)

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% Define some terms
% This section processes only a single frame of data at a time.
% Thus, the code loops a total of num_frames times.

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Define the Frame loop (the outer loop)

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for r = 1:num_frames

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(Process a single Frame)

A. Perform range_FFT on each chirp

```

% define the range_FFT matrix
range_FFT = zeros(num_Tx, num_Rx, num_chirps, num_samples);

% Define the Hanning window for N_sample range_FFT
hann_range_window = hann(num_samples);

% Process each Tx
for i = 1:num_Tx

    % Process each Rx
    for j = 1:num_Rx

        % Process each chirp
        for k = 1:num_chirps

            % get the ADC I & Q voltages
            I_input = squeeze(Tx_Rx_real(i,j,r,k,:));
            Q_input = squeeze(Tx_Rx_imag(i,j,r,k,:));

            [I_input, Q_input] = func_rotate_IQ_time_series(I_input, Q_input);

            % apply a Hanning window to the input voltages
            I_input = hann_range_window .* I_input;
            Q_input = hann_range_window .* Q_input;

            [IQ_fft_complex, ~] = func_calc_complex_FFT(I_input, Q_input);

            range_FFT(i,j,k,:) = IQ_fft_complex;

        end % end for c loop
    end % end for j loop
end % end for i loop

```

B. Calculate mean profile for each (Tx,Rx) pair

```
range_FFT_mean_pow    = zeros(num_Tx, num_Rx, num_samples);
range_FFT_mean_real    = zeros(num_Tx, num_Rx, num_samples);
range_FFT_mean_imag    = zeros(num_Tx, num_Rx, num_samples);

for i = 1:num_Tx
    for j = 1:num_Rx

        % process each range gate
        for k = 1:num_samples

            % process each chirp
            accum_real    = 0;
            accum_imag    = 0;
            accum_pow     = 0;

            for c = 1:num_chirps

                real_part    = real(range_FFT(i,j,c,k));
                imag_part    = imag(range_FFT(i,j,c,k));

                accum_real    = accum_real + real_part;
                accum_imag    = accum_imag + imag_part;
                accum_pow     = accum_pow + real_part*real_part + imag_part*imag_part;

            end % end for k loop

            % save the accumulated values
            range_FFT_mean_real(i,j,k)    = accum_real;
            range_FFT_mean_imag(i,j,k)    = accum_imag;
            range_FFT_mean_pow(i,j,k)     = accum_pow;

        end % end for c loop

    end % end for j loop
end % end for i loop
```

C. Calculate mean profile for all (Tx,Rx) profiles

```
% This calculation is just for plotting purposes.
% Do not implement in xwrl6xx processing.

range_FFT_gmean_lin    = zeros(1,num_samples);

for k = 1:num_samples

    accum    = 0;
    for i = 1:num_Tx
        for j = 1:num_Rx
            accum    = accum + range_FFT_mean_pow(i,j,k);
        end % end for j loop
    end % end for i loop

    % calculate the mean profile
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range_FFT_gmean_lin(1,k)    = (accum)/(num_Tx*num_Rx);

end % end for k loop

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D. Plot the range_FFT magnitudes

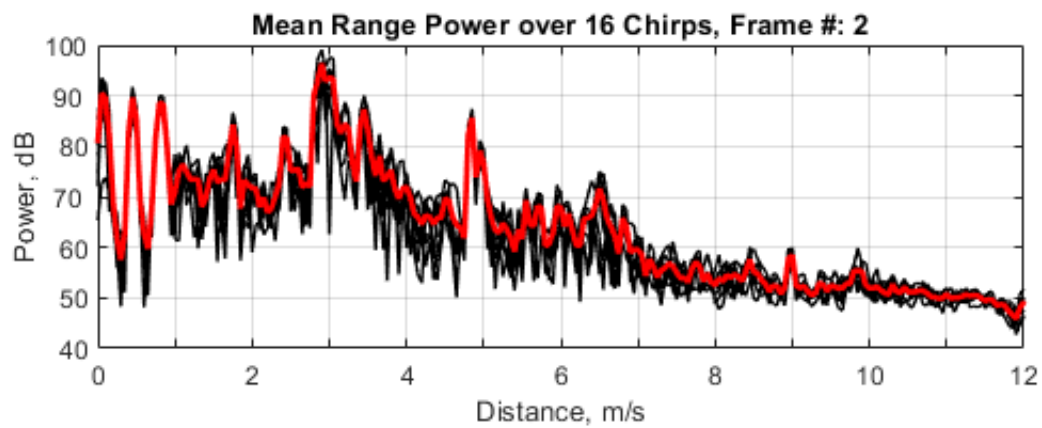
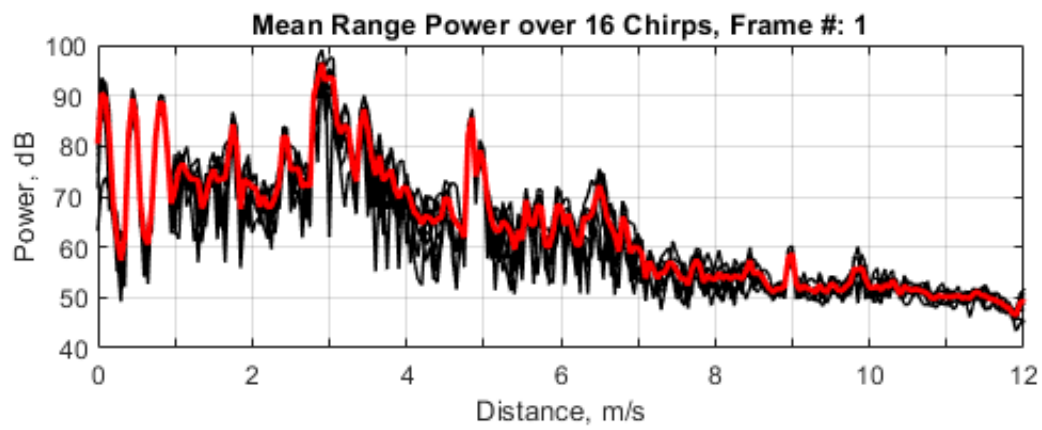
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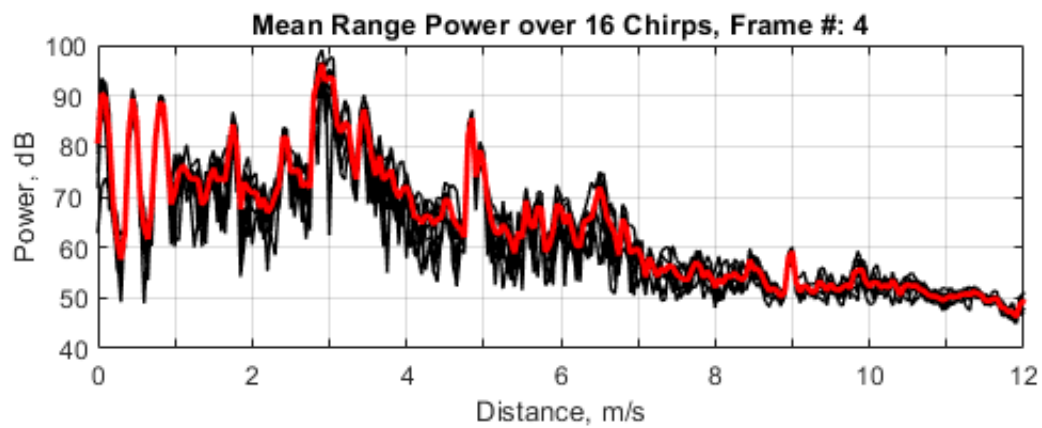
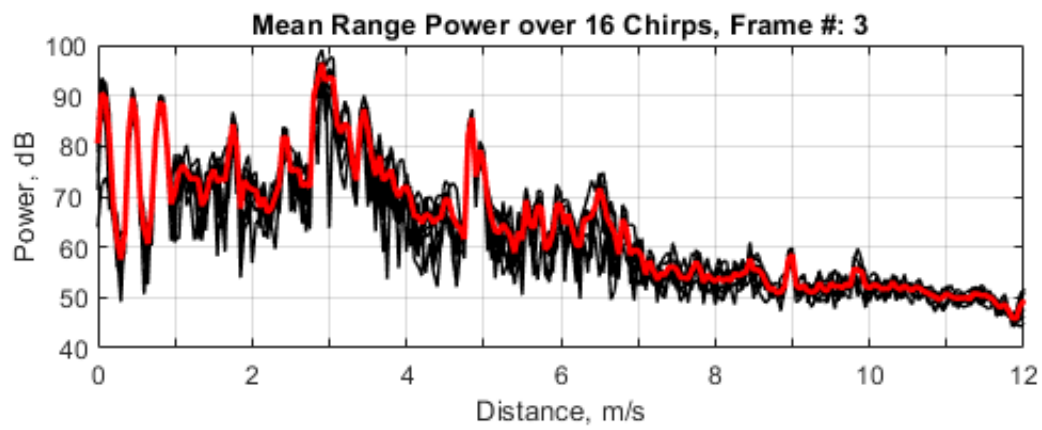
range_distance = (0:1:num_samples-1) .* (0.05);

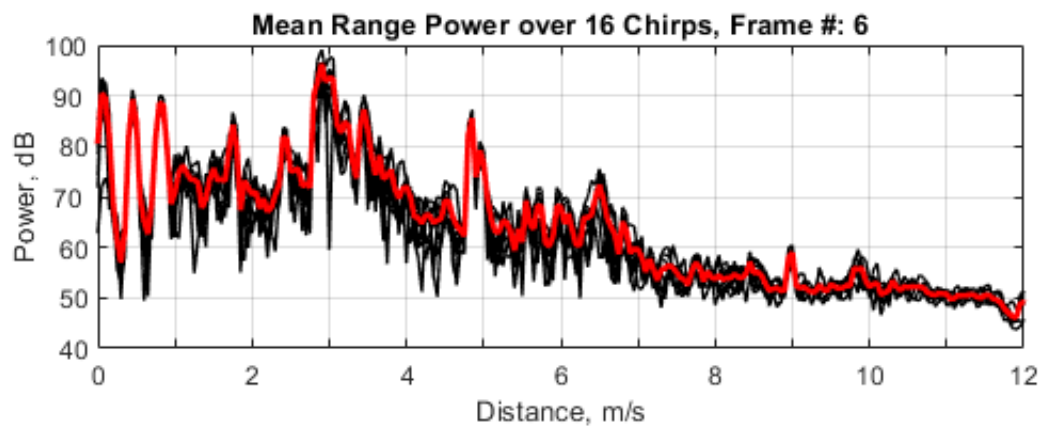
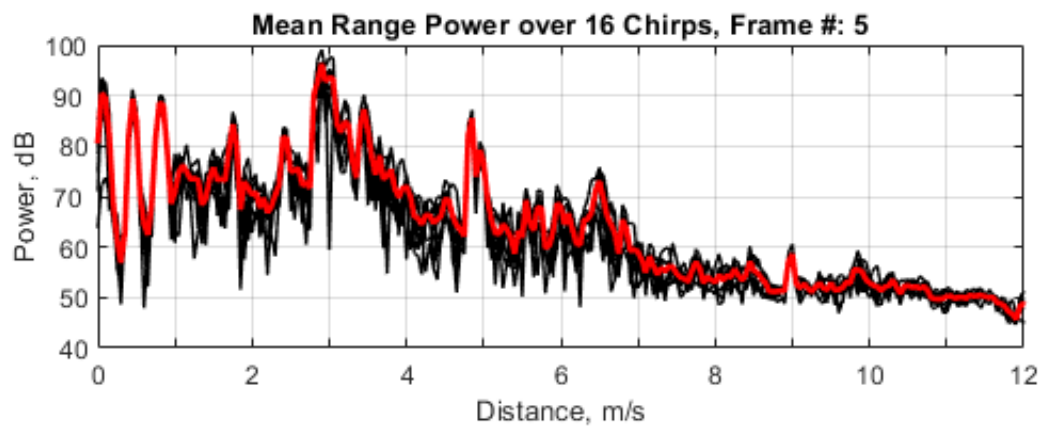
close all
figure
subplot(2,1,1)
plot(range_distance,10.*log10(range_FFT_gmean_lin),'r','linewidth',2)
hold on
for i = 1:num_Tx
    for j = 1:num_Rx
        plot(range_distance,10.*log10(squeeze(range_FFT_mean_pow(i,j,:))), 'k','linewidth',1)
    end % end for j loop
end % end for i loop
plot(range_distance,10.*log10(range_FFT_gmean_lin),'r','linewidth',2)
axis([0 12 40 100])
grid on
set(gca,'ytick',40:10:100,'yticklabel',{'40','50','60','70 ','80','90 ','100'});
set(gca,'xtick',0:1:12,'xticklabel',{'0',' ','2',' ','4',' ','6',' ','8',' ','10',' ','12'
});
xlabel('Distance, m/s')
ylabel('Power, dB')
title(['Mean Range Power over ',num2str(num_chirps),' Chirps, Frame #: ',num2str(r)]);

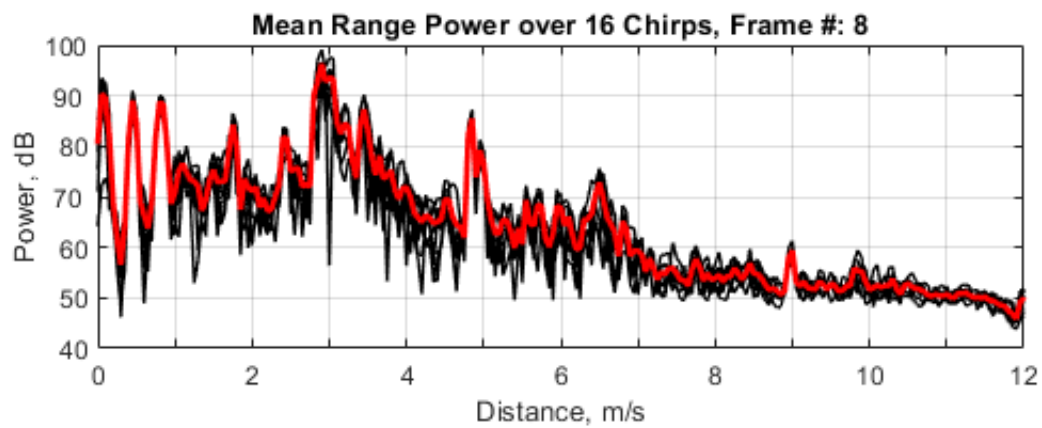
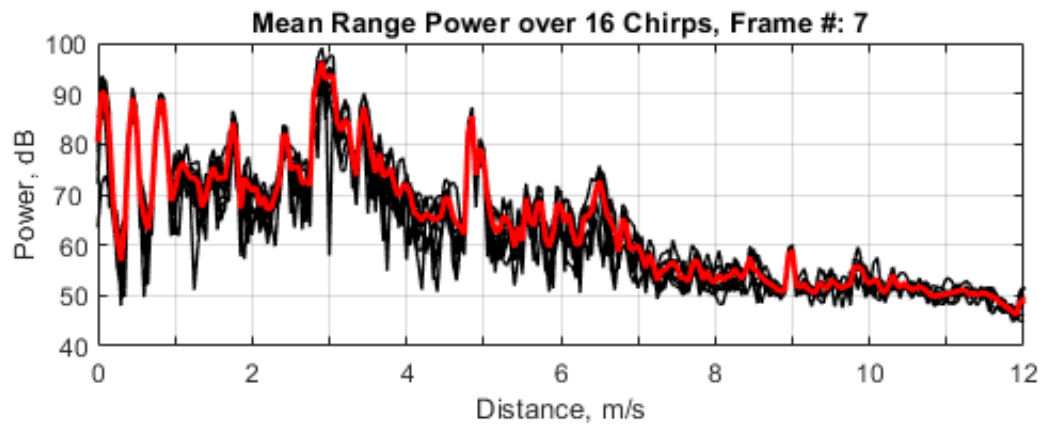
filename = ['mean_range_power_frame_',num2str_2digits(r),'.tif'];
print('-dtiff',filename);

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E. Calculate angle-FFT for each range gate

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% Define the number of points in the angle-FFT
num_angles = 64;

% The angle-of-arrival is not uniform. Estimate angle_of_arrival.

% Define the linear spacing for each bin of the angle_FFT
delta_radian = (2*pi)/(num_angles);
angle_bin_rad = -1*pi + ((1:num_angles)-1) * delta_radian;
%angle_bin_deg = angle_bin_rad * (180/pi);

% Define the angle of arrival for each bin of angle_FFT
% This accounts for delta_phi = k*(lambda/2) sin(theta)
% delta_phi = (2*pi/lambda)*(lambda/2) sin(theta) = pi*sin(theta)
% where theta is the angle-of-arrival

%angle_of_arrival_deg = zeros(1,num_angles);
angle_of_arrival_rad = zeros(1,num_angles);
for c = 1:num_angles
    %angle_of_arrival_deg(c) = asin(angle_bin_rad(c)/pi) * (180/pi);
    angle_of_arrival_rad(c) = asin(angle_bin_rad(c)/pi);
end % end for c loop

% Estimate the angle-of-arrival for each range gate
% =====
range_angle_FFT_pow = zeros(num_angles, num_samples);

% Loop through all ranges
for k = 1:num_samples

    % pre-define the real and imag input vectors
    I_input = zeros(num_angles,1);
    Q_input = zeros(num_angles,1);

    % put the observations into the first num_Tx * num_Rx locations
    index = 0;

    for i = 1:num_Tx
        for j = 1:num_Rx
            index = index + 1;
            I_input(index) = range_FFT_mean_real(i,j,k);
            Q_input(index) = range_FFT_mean_imag(i,j,k);
        end % end for c loop
    end % end for r loop

    % Keep only the power of the computed FFT
    [~, IQ_fft_power] = func_calc_complex_FFT(I_input, Q_input);

    range_angle_FFT_pow(:,k) = IQ_fft_power;

end % end for k loop

```

F. Find single target in each range gate

```

% Use the angle-FFT method (it is much faster and less noisy)
% Input variables:

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%      range_FFT_angle_mag(:,r,c,k)      = angle_FFT_power;
% dimensions: (range_angle_deg, num_frames, num_chirps, num_ADCSamples)

single_target_mag      = zeros(1, num_samples);
single_target_ang      = zeros(1, num_samples);
single_target_x        = zeros(1, num_samples);
single_target_y        = zeros(1, num_samples);

% Look only in a limited angle range +/- of boresight
% Define the width of angles to search
% With num_angles = 64:
% angle bins  9, 10, 11, 12 = -48.59, -45.95, -43.43, -41.01
% angle bins 54, 55, 56, 57 =  41.01,  43.43,  45.95,  48.59

%max_look_angle        = 46;
%angle_index           = abs(range_angle_deg) <= max_look_angle;
%ang_array             = range_angle_deg(angle_index);
start_index            = 10;
end_index              = 56;
short_ang_array        = angle_of_arrival_rad(start_index:end_index);

% process each range gate
for k = 1:num_samples

    % Get the values between -46 and +46 degrees
    short_mag_array      = range_angle_FFT_pow(start_index:end_index,k);

    % Find the largest magnitude in this range gate
    [max_value, max_index] = max(short_mag_array);

    % save these values
    single_target_mag(1,k) = max_value;
    single_target_ang(1,k) = short_ang_array(max_index); % in radians

    single_target_x(1,k)   = range_distance(k) * sin(single_target_ang(1,k));
    single_target_y(1,k)   = range_distance(k) * cos(single_target_ang(1,k));

end % end for k loop

```

G. Find Three targets per range-gate

```

% Use the angle-FFT method (it is much faster and less noisy)
% Input variables:
%      range_FFT_angle_mag(:,r,c,k)      = angle_FFT_power;
% dimensions: (range_angle_deg, num_frames, num_chirps, num_ADCSamples)

% Find the peak (primary target).
% Look to left for secondary target based on valley threshold
% Look to right for secondary target based on valley threshold

primary_target_mag      = zeros(1, num_samples);
primary_target_ang      = zeros(1, num_samples);
primary_target_x        = zeros(1, num_samples);
primary_target_y        = zeros(1, num_samples);

left_target_mag         = zeros(1, num_samples);

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left_target_ang    = zeros(1, num_samples);
left_target_x      = zeros(1, num_samples);
left_target_y      = zeros(1, num_samples);

left_null_mag      = zeros(1, num_samples);
left_null_ang      = zeros(1, num_samples);
left_null_x        = zeros(1, num_samples);
left_null_y        = zeros(1, num_samples);

right_target_mag    = zeros(1, num_samples);
right_target_ang    = zeros(1, num_samples);
right_target_x      = zeros(1, num_samples);
right_target_y      = zeros(1, num_samples);

right_null_mag      = zeros(1, num_samples);
right_null_ang      = zeros(1, num_samples);
right_null_x        = zeros(1, num_samples);
right_null_y        = zeros(1, num_samples);

% Look only in a limited angle range +/- of boresight
% Define the width of angles to search
% With num_angles = 64:
% angle bins  9, 10, 11, 12 = -48.59, -45.95, -43.43, -41.01
% angle bins 54, 55, 56, 57 =  41.01,  43.43,  45.95,  48.59

%max_look_angle      = 46;
%angle_index          = abs(range_angle_deg) <= max_look_angle;
%ang_array            = range_angle_deg(angle_index);
start_index           = 10;
end_index             = 56;
short_ang_array        = angle_of_arrival_rad(start_index:end_index);
max_num_angles        = length(short_ang_array);

% process each range gate
for k = 1:num_samples

    % Find the primary peak attributes
    % =====

    % Get the values between -46 and +46 degrees
    short_mag_array     = range_angle_FFT_pow(start_index:end_index,k);

    % Find the largest magnitude in this range gate
    [max_value, max_index] = max(short_mag_array);

    % save these values
    primary_target_mag(1,k) = max_value;
    primary_target_ang(1,k) = short_ang_array(max_index); % in radians

    % find the left target
    % =====
    % The magnitude will first drop to the null.
    % Then, magnitude will increase.
    % Find either the next peak to the left (or the edge angle).

    [left_target_mag(1,k), left_target_ang(1,k), ...
     left_null_mag(1,k), left_null_ang(1,k)] = ...

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        func_find_left_target(max_value, max_index, short_mag_array, short_ang_array);

% Find the right target
% =====
% The magnitude will first drop to the null.
% Then, magnitude will increase.
% Find either the next peak to the right (or the edge angle).

[right_target_mag(1,k), right_target_ang(1,k), ...
 right_null_mag(1,k), right_null_ang(1,k)] = ...
    func_find_right_target(max_value, max_index, short_mag_array, short_ang_array,...
    max_num_angles);

% Calculate the (x,y) corrdinates
% =====
primary_target_x(1,k)    = range_distance(k) * sin(primary_target_ang(1,k));
primary_target_y(1,k)    = range_distance(k) * cos(primary_target_ang(1,k));

left_null_x(1,k)         = range_distance(k) * sin(left_null_ang(1,k));
left_null_y(1,k)         = range_distance(k) * cos(left_null_ang(1,k));

left_target_x(1,k)       = range_distance(k) * sin(left_target_ang(1,k));
left_target_y(1,k)       = range_distance(k) * cos(left_target_ang(1,k));

right_null_x(1,k)        = range_distance(k) * sin(right_null_ang(1,k));
right_null_y(1,k)        = range_distance(k) * cos(right_null_ang(1,k));

right_target_x(1,k)      = range_distance(k) * sin(right_target_ang(1,k));
right_target_y(1,k)      = range_distance(k) * cos(right_target_ang(1,k));

end % end for k loop

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H. Plot the single target & three targets per range gate

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% Do not include in xwr16xx processsing

close all
figure
colormap('jet(24)')

subplot(2,1,1)
scatter(single_target_x,single_target_y,10,10.*log10(single_target_mag), 'filled');
colorbar
caxis([40 85])
axis([-5 5 0 10])
grid on
hold on
% (x,y) = (3,5) ==> theta ~= 31 degrees
% (x,y) = (2.89,5) ==> theta ~= 30 degrees
% (x,y) = (3.5,5) ==> theta ~= 45 degrees
plot([-5 0],[10 0], 'k', 'linewidth',1)
plot([ 0 5],[0 10], 'k', 'linewidth',1)
plot([-5 0],[5 0], 'k--', 'linewidth',1)
plot([ 0 5],[0 5], 'k--', 'linewidth',1)

set(gca, 'xtick', -5:1:5, 'xticklabel', {'-5', '-4', '-3', '-2', '-1', '0', '1', '2', '3', '4', '5'});

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set(gca,'ytick',0:1:10,'yticklabel',{'0',' ','2',' ','4',' ','6',' ','8',' ','10'});
xlabel('x-distance [m]');
ylabel('y-distance [m]')
title(['a. No Clutter Screen, Single Target, (x,y) Power, Frame #: ',num2str(r)])

subplot(2,1,2)
scatter(primary_target_x,primary_target_y,10,10.*log10(primary_target_mag),'fill')
colorbar
caxis([40 85])
axis([-5 5 0 10])
grid on
hold on
scatter(left_target_x,left_target_y,10,10.*log10(left_target_mag),'fill')
scatter(right_target_x,right_target_y,10,10.*log10(right_target_mag),'fill')

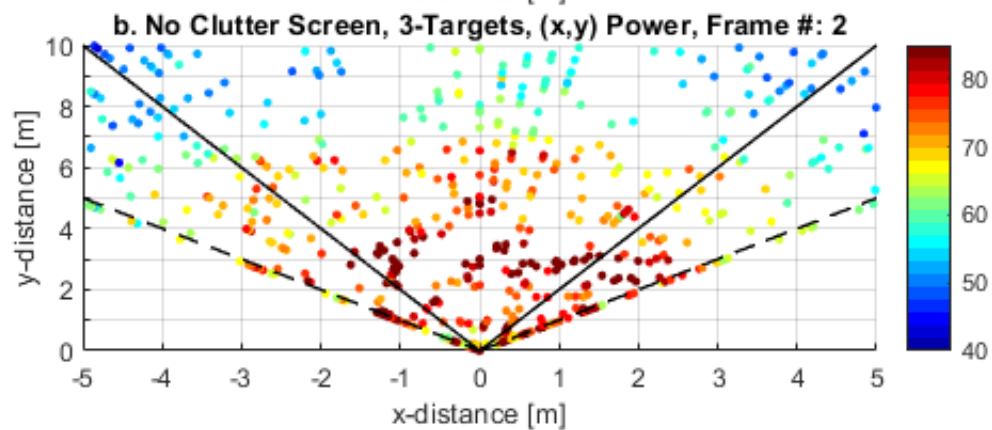
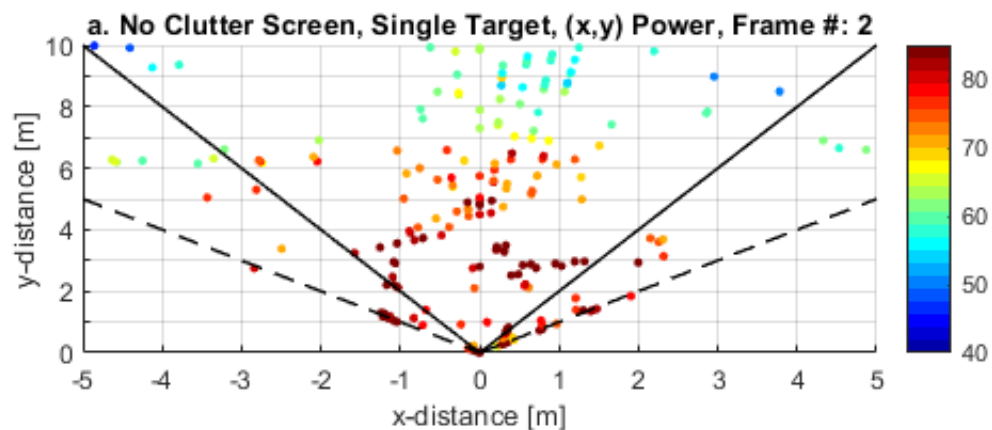
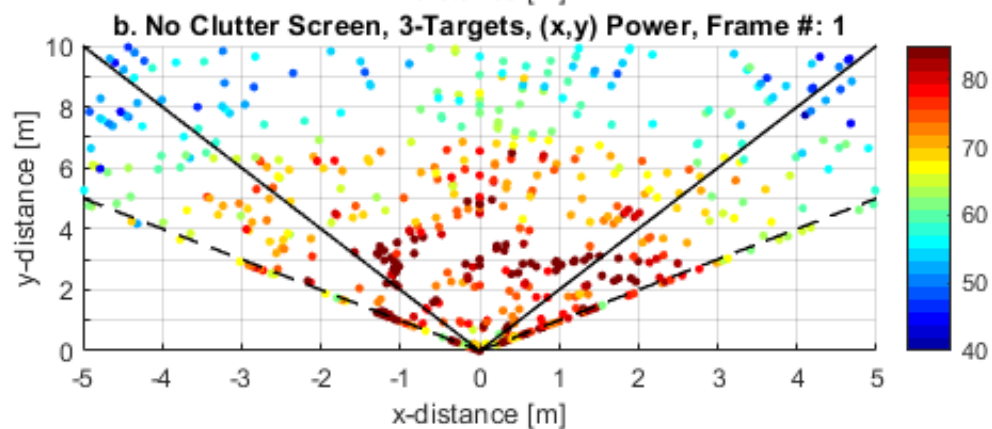
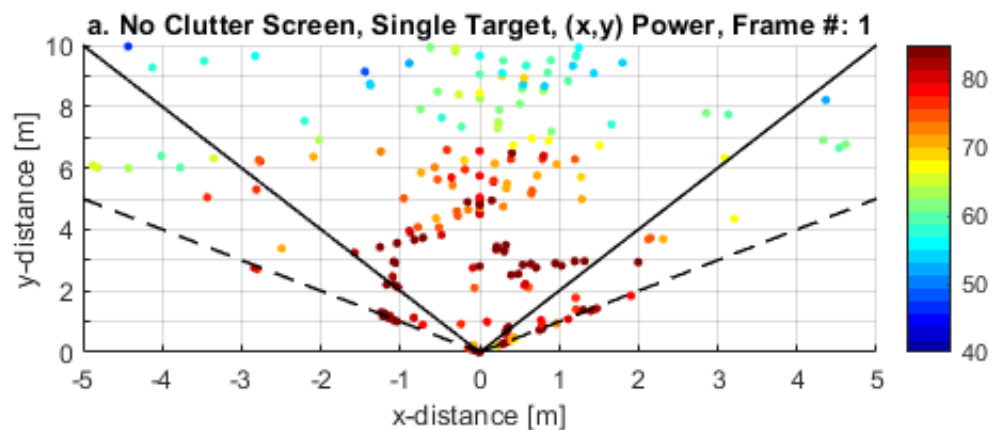
% (x,y) = (3,5) ==> theta ~= 31 degrees
% (x,y) = (2.89,5) ==> theta ~= 30 degrees
% (x,y) = (3.5,5) ==> theta ~= 45 degrees
plot([-5 0],[10 0],'k','linewidth',1)
plot([ 0 5],[0 10],'k','linewidth',1)
plot([-5 0],[5 0],'k--','linewidth',1)
plot([ 0 5],[0 5],'k--','linewidth',1)

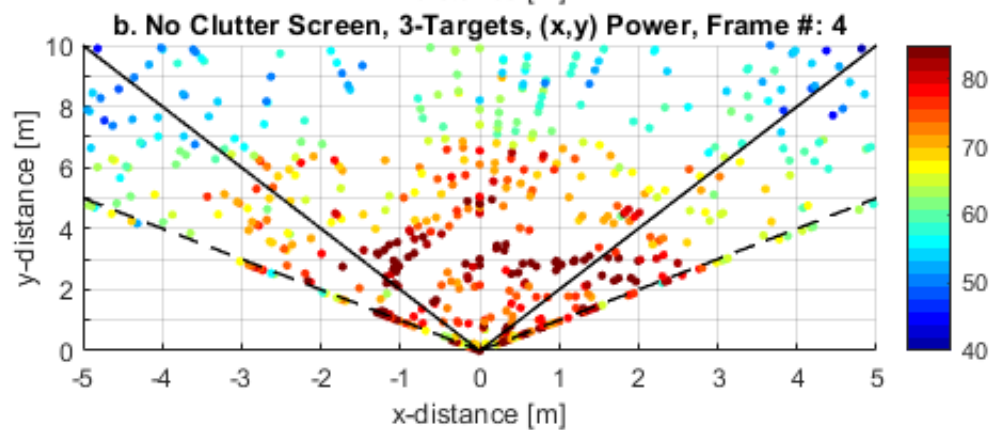
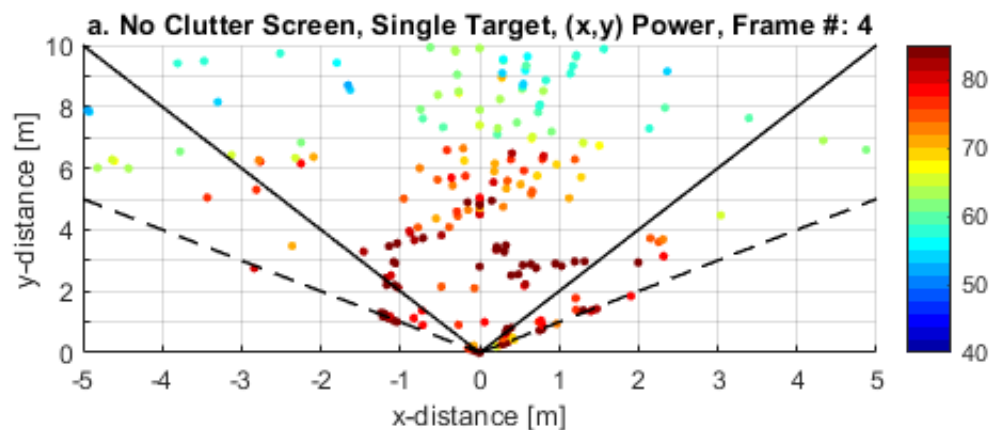
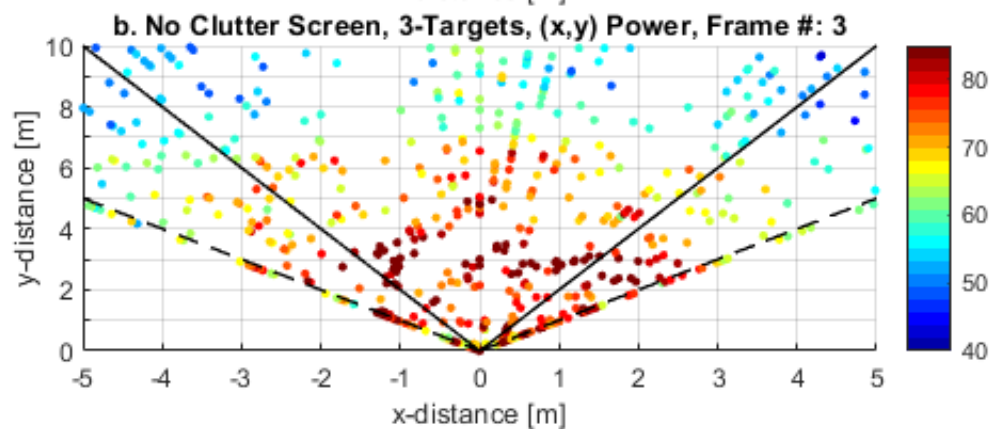
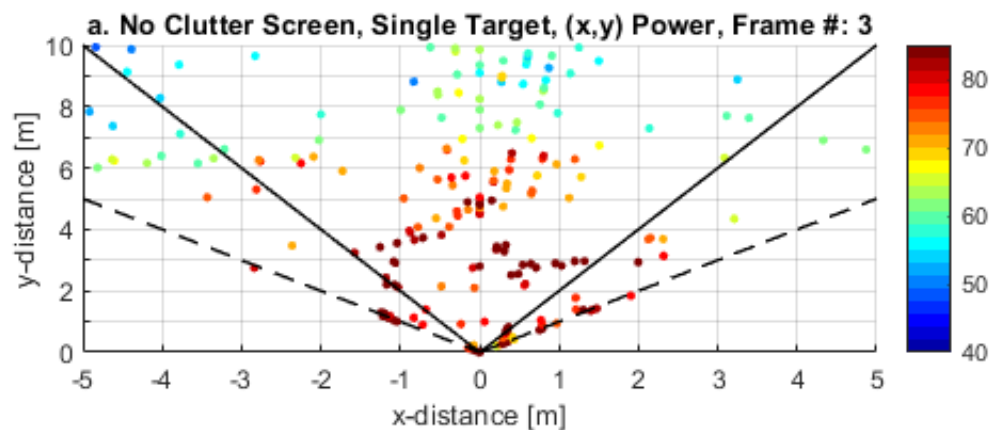
set(gca,'xtick',-5:1:5,'xticklabel',{'-5','-4','-3','-2','-1','0','1','2','3','4','5'});
set(gca,'ytick',0:1:10,'yticklabel',{'0',' ','2',' ','4',' ','6',' ','8',' ','10'});

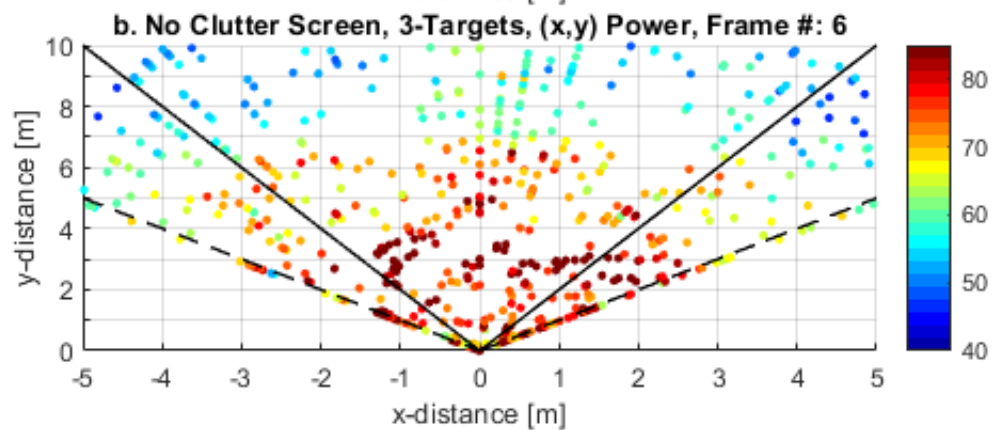
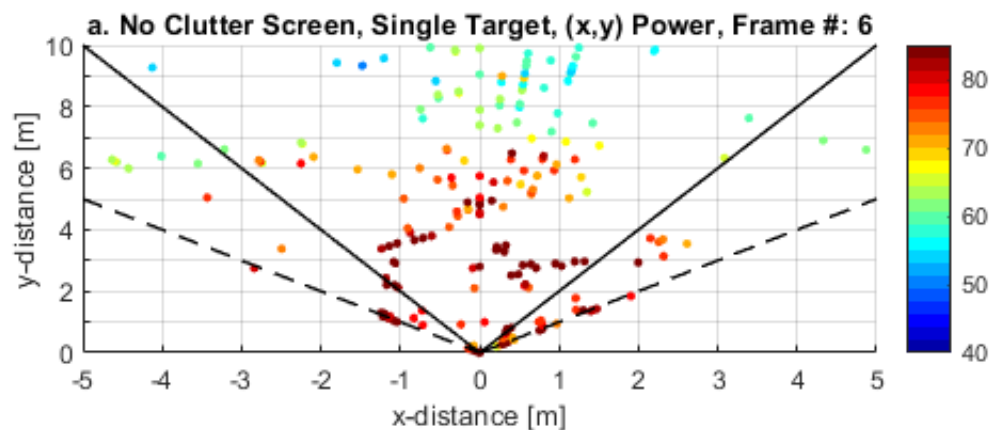
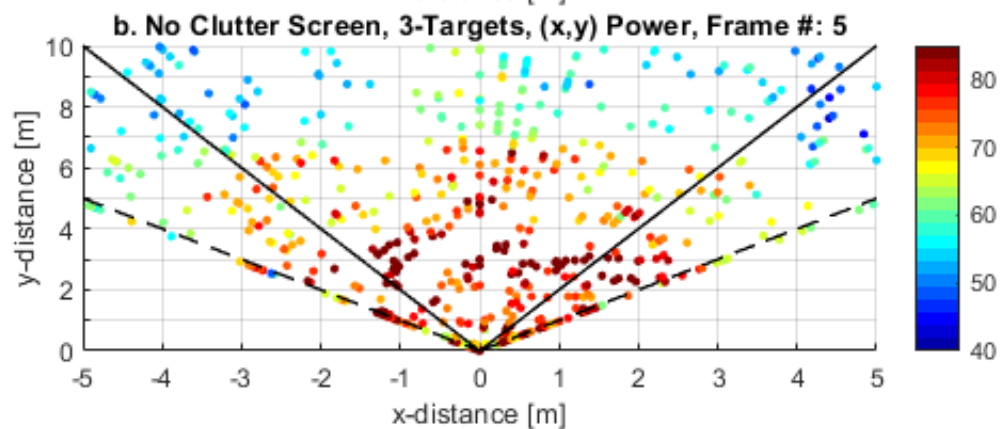
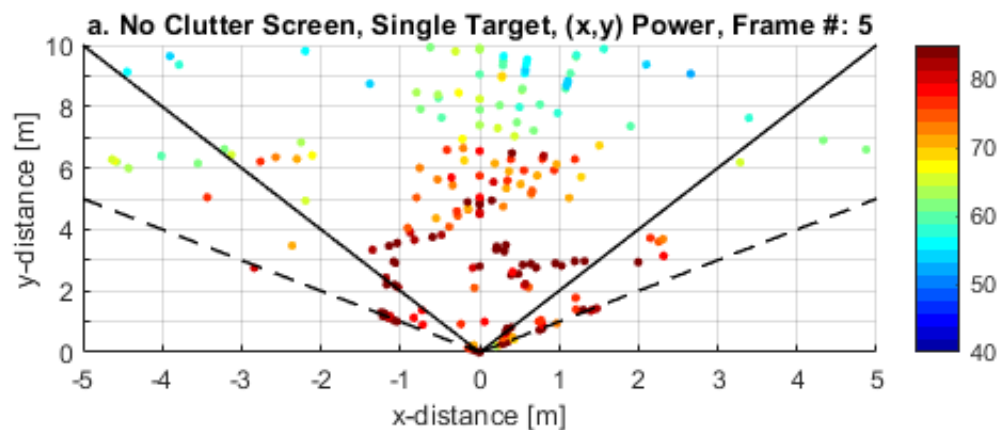
xlabel('x-distance [m]');
ylabel('y-distance [m]')
title(['b. No Clutter Screen, 3-Targets, (x,y) Power, Frame #: ',num2str(r)])

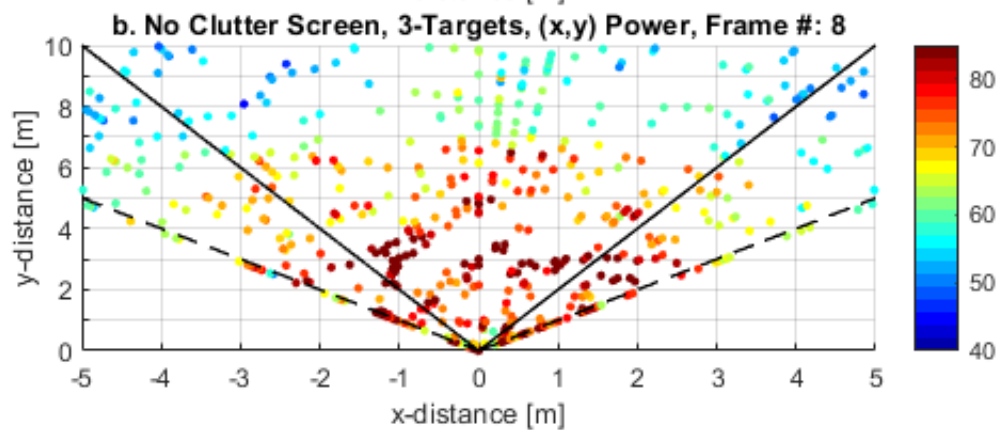
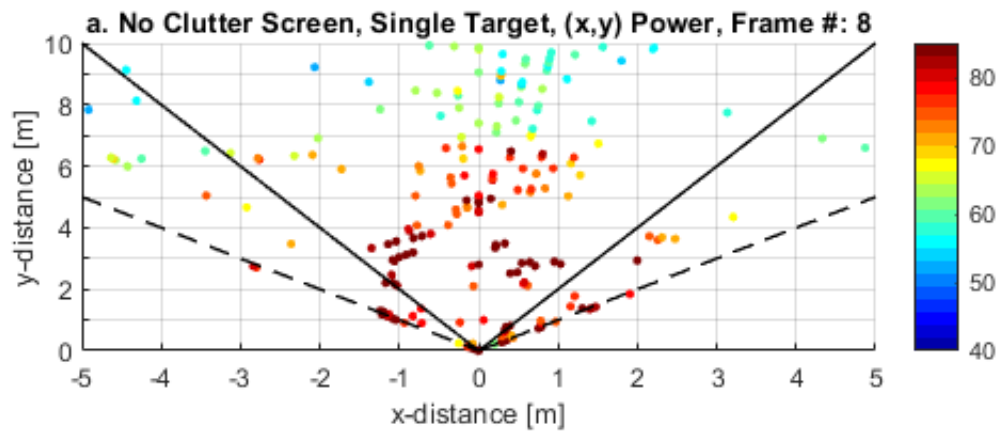
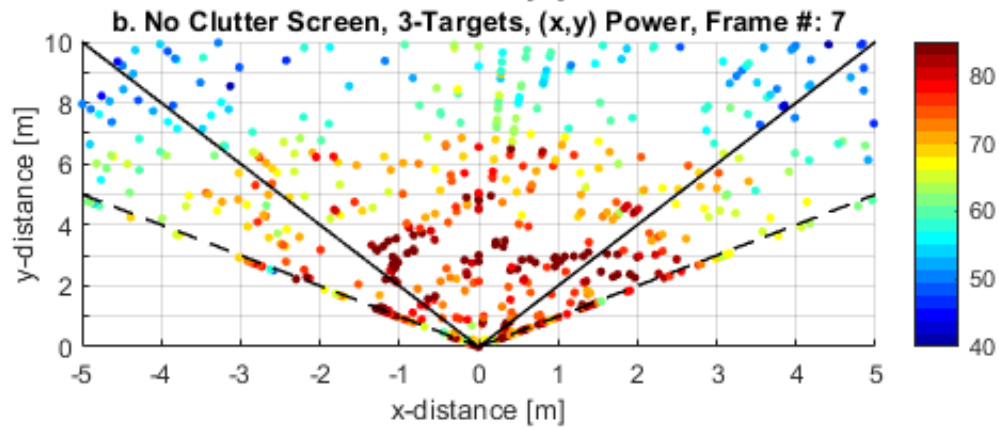
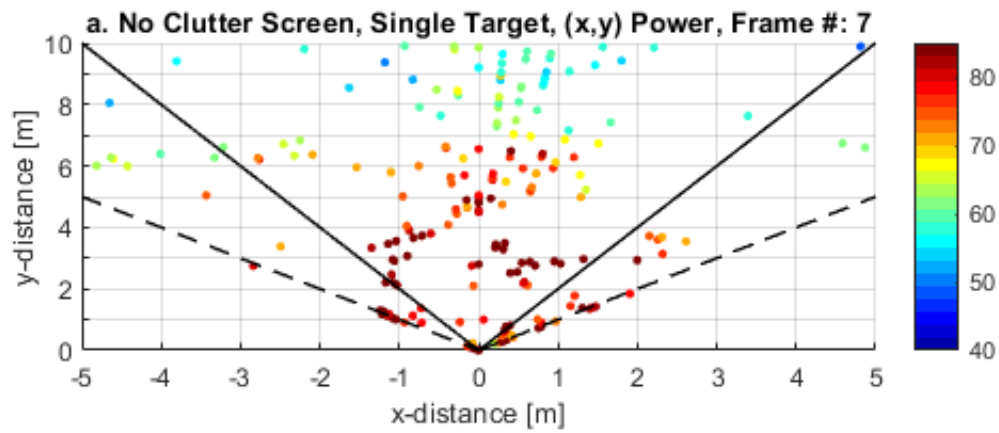
filename = ['target_xy_plot_frame_',num2str_2digits(r),'.tif'];
print('-dtiff',filename);

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end % end for r loop
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