A short OFDM training symbol consists of 12 subcarriers, which are modulated by the elements of the sequence S, given by

The multiplication by a factor of $\sqrt{(13/6)}$ is in order to normalize the average power of the resulting OFDM symbol, which utilizes 12 out of 52 subcarriers.

The signal shall be generated according to the following equation:

$$r_{SHORT}(t) = w_{TSHORT}(t) \sum_{k=-N_{ST}/2}^{N_{ST}/2} S_k \exp(j2\pi k \Delta_F t)$$
(17-7)

The fact that only spectral lines of $S_{-26:26}$ with indices that are a multiple of 4 have nonzero amplitude results in a periodicity of $T_{FFT}/4 = 0.8 \,\mu s$. The interval T_{SHORT} is equal to ten 0.8 μs periods (i.e., 8 μs).

Generation of the short training sequence is illustrated in Table G.2.