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Experiment No. - 4

AIM

To understand the concept of trunking and calculate blocking probability of a call for the given conditions for Erlang C system and analyze the effect of delay.

Theory

Cellular system relay on trunking to accommodate a large no of users in a limited radio spectrum. Trunking allows a large number of users to share the relatively small number of channels in a cell .In a trunked radio system each user is allocated a channel on a per call request and upon termination of the call, the previously occupied channel is immediately returned to the pool of available channels.

Grade of service: It is a parameter used to measure the ability of a user to access a trunked system during the busiest hour. It is used to measure the performance of the trunking system.

Traffic intensity(a): It is defined as average channel occupancy and is measured in Erlang.

The traffic intensity offered by each user (Au) is equal to the call request rate λ multiplied by the holding

time (H), where H is the average duration of a call

$$Au = \lambda * H$$

If there are \mathbf{u} users in a system. Total traffic intensity is A = U * Au

If the total channels in a trunked radio system are C and if the traffic is equally distributed among the channels. The traffic intensity per channel (Ac) is given by Ac = U * Au /C

Erlang C formula to calculate blocking probability

$$Pr[delay > t] = Pr[delay > 0] Pr[delay > t | delay > 0]$$
$$= Pr[delay > 0] exp(-(C - A)t/H)$$

Problem

A hexagonal cell within a four-cell (N = 4) system has a radius of 1.56 km. A total of 80 channels are used within the entire system. If the load per user is 0.029



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Erlang and $\lambda = 1$ call/hour, compute the following for an Erlang C system that has a probability of 5% of a delayed call.

- 1. How many users per sqkm. will this system support.
- 2. What is the probability that a delayed call will have to wait for more than 20 sec?
- 3. What is the probability that a call will be delayed for more than 20 sec.?
- 4. What is the probability that a delayed call will have to wait for more than 10 sec?
- 5. What is the probability that a call will be delayed for more than 10 sec.?
- 6. What is the probability that a delayed call will have to wait for more than 5 sec?
- 7. What is the probability that a call will be delayed for more than 5 sec.?

Answer the following question

Define the following terms-

- 1. Holding time
- 3. Grade of service
- 2. Traffic Intensity
- 4. Call drop and call blocked.

Result Analysis and Conclusion: