

Assignment 6: Capacity of wireless channels (Part-2)

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Problem 1: Capacity of SIMO channel i.e., $C = \mathbb{E} \{ \log_2(1 + \|\mathbf{h}\|^2 \text{SNR}) \}$, where $\mathbf{h} \sim \mathcal{CN}(0,1) \in \mathbb{C}^{N_R \times 1}$. Assume $N_R = 5$ receive antennas.

Problem 2: Capacity of MIMO channel: $C = \mathbb{E}\left\{\log_2\left|\mathbf{I}_{N_R} + \frac{\text{SNR}}{N_T}\mathbf{H}\mathbf{H}^H\right|\right\}$, where $\mathbf{H} \sim \mathcal{CN}(0,1) \in \mathbb{C}^{N_R \times N_T}$. Assume $N_R = N_T = 5$ receive antennas.

Problem 3: Compare the capacity of SIMO and MIMO channel and write down your observations with proper reasoning.

Note: Vary the SNR from -10 dB to 40 dB in steps of 2 dB. Plot capacity versus SNR (dB), where SNR (dB) = $10 \log_{10}(\text{SNR})$.