

WiFi localization with Root-MUSIC

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1. Summary

Provide a brief summary of the project in your own words.

This project compares the performance of RSSI and Root-MUSIC ranging algorithms for indoor Wi-Fi localization across various IEEE 802.11 TGn channel models. Simulations show that while Root-MUSIC achieves superior accuracy and robustness in low-complexity channels compared to the estimates from RSSI, its performance in multipath environments relies heavily on selecting a model order substantially larger than the actual number of signal paths.

2. Strengths

Provide strengths or positive aspects of the project.

The project provides a very comprehensive and thorough performance comparison between RSSI-based ranging and Root-MUSIC under , utilizing the IEEE 802.11 TGn channel models to simulate a variety of indoor environments.

3. Weakness

Provide any weakness or aspects that can be further improved.

The results are based solely on MATLAB simulations with statistical channel models, a hardware experiment could have substantially helped validate results.

4. Documentation: Is the artifact/code sufficiently documented?

Rate from 0% to 100%, where 0% means "documentation is completely insufficient" and 100% means "documentation is absolutely sufficient". If you need to assess both a dataset and tools, please take the average and comment below. In assessing tools, please consider if they are easy or difficult to install/set up and get to run. In assessing datasets, please consider if the meta data is sufficient.

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README and report are very thorough

5. Completeness: Do the submitted artifacts/code include all of the key components described in the report?

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Completeness: Comment on/explain your choice above

All of the code detailed in the report is present on the GitHub

6. Exercisability: Do the submitted artifacts/code include the scripts and data needed to run the experiments described in the paper, and can the software be successfully executed?

Rate from 0% to 100%, where 0% means "the scripts/software cannot be successfully executed and/or no data is included" and 100% means "the artifact includes all necessary scripts/software and data, and scripts/software (if present) can be successfully executed".

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Excitability: Comment on/explain your choice above

Software compiles

7. Results attainable: Does the artifact/code make it possible, with reasonable effort, to obtain the key results from the artifact/code?

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Results attainable: Comment on/explain your choice above

All results can be obtained

8. Results completeness: How many key results of the paper/report is the provided code meant to support?

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Results completeness: Comment on/explain your choice above

Report is entirely supported by data and MATLAB code.

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