

# Secured Audio Signal Transmission in 5G Compatible mmWave Massive MIMO FBMC System with Implementation of Audio-to-Image Transformation Aided Encryption Scheme

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## Abstract

In this paper, we have made comprehensive study for the performance evaluation of mmWave massive MIMO FBMC wireless communication system. The  $16 \times 256$  large MIMO antenna configured simulated system under investigation incorporates three modern channel coding (Turbo, LDPC and (3, 2) SPC, higher order digital modulation (256-QAM)) and various signal detection (Q-Less QR, Lattice Reduction(LR) based Zero-forcing(ZF), Lattice Reduction (LR) based ZF-SIC and Complex-valued LLL(CLLL) algorithm implemented ZF-SIC) schemes. An audio to image conversion aided chaos-based physical layer security scheme has also been implemented in such study. On considering transmission of encrypted audio signal in a hostile fading channel, it is noticeable from MATLAB based simulation study that the LDPC Channel encoded system is very much robust and effective in retrieving color image under utilization of Lattice Reduction(LR) based ZF-SIC signal detection and 16- QAM digital modulation techniques.

**Index terms**— MIMO-FBMC, chaos-based physical layer security, digital precoding, mmwave geometrical channel, SNR.

## 1 Introduction

In perspective of rapid increase in the number of subscribers of the existing cellular networks (WCDMA/CDMA 2000, HSPA + aided 3G through LTE-Advanced4G), it is being observed that nearly 50% of the traffic is based on video signal transmission. The commercially deployed 3.9G LTE and 4G LTE-Advanced wireless networks are trying to meet up explosive demand for high quality video through sharing with social media such as YouTube and ultra HD (UHD) and 3D video from mobile devices (e.g., android tablets, smart-phones etc.) [1]. In consideration of exponential growing demand on data rates of our existing wireless networks, we are giving emphasis on the designing and implementation of WWW(Wireless World Wide Web) supportable 5G technology implemented future generation/5G cellular system. The 5G system has not yet been standardized. The 5G mobile communications system is targeted at higher spectrum efficiency. Mobile Internet and IoT (Internet of Things) are the two main market drivers for 5G. There will be a massive number of use cases for Mobile Internet and IoT, such as augmented reality, virtual reality, remote computing, eHealth services, automotive driving and so on. All these use cases can be grouped into three usage scenarios, i.e., eMBB (Enhanced mobile broadband), mMTC (Massive machine type communications) and URLLC (Ultra-reliable and low latency communications) [2]. In future 5G wireless networks, various modulation schemes such as Filterbank Multicarrier(FBMC), Generalized Frequency Division Multiplexing, Bi-orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing(BFDm, a generalization of the classical CP-OFDM scheme capable of providing lower intercarrier interference (ICI) and lower ISI), Universal Filtered Multicarrier (UFMC), Time-frequency Packing(TFP) are being considered for adoption. In FBMC, the transmission bandwidth can be exploited at full capacity using OQAM(Offset-QAM) [3]. The Offset-QAM-based

filter bank multicarrier (FBMC-OQAM) can be considered as a promising alternative to cyclic prefix orthogonal frequency division multiplexing (CP-OFDM) for the future generation of wireless communication systems. The FBMC-OQAM provides more robustness to channel dispersion with respect to conventional CP-OFDM. The FBMC-OQAM does not require the use of acyclic prefix (CP) causing an increase in its spectral efficiency [4].

## 2 Review of Related Works

A significant amount of research is being carried out in different academic institutions and industries on identification of key benefits of FBMC as 5G compatible radio interface technology and its effective implementation. In this paper, a brief idea on the works of few researchers is outlined. In 2012, et. al at [5] reviewed and emphasized the key benefits of filter bank multicarrier (FBMC) technology and provided a comparative study of different FBMC prototype filter designs under practical channel environments. In 2014, Schellmann et. al made reviewing work on the waveform design of 4G (based on OFDM) and motivated the need for a redesign for 5G in consideration of rendering unfeasibility of OFDM with the advent of the Internet of Things (IoT) and moving to user-centric processing. The authors designed a new waveform called Universal Filtered Multi-Carrier (UFMC) collecting the advantages FBMC [6]. In 2015 at [7], Taheriet. al argued that channel estimation in FBMC was not a straightforward scheme as used in OFDM systems especially under multiple antenna scenarios. The authors proposed a channel estimation method which employed intrinsic interference pre-cancellation at the transmitter side. The outcome of their work showed that their method needed less pilot overhead as compared to the popular intrinsic approximation methods (IAM) in terms of better BER and MSE performance. At [8] in 2015, Bazziet. al mentioned that Vehicle-to-vehicle (V2V) communications was anticipated as one of key future services imposing challenging requirements on the air interface such as supporting high mobility and asynchronous multiple access. The authors discussed on the design and performance tradeoffs of two 5G targeted waveforms (filter bank multi-carrier with offset quadrature amplitude modulation (FBMC/OQAM) and filtered OFDM (FOFDM) with focusing specifically on V2V communications by utilizing a realistic geometry-based stochastic V2V channel model. They showed that FBMC/OQAM outperformed F-OFDM approaches in some severe V2V scenarios. In 2016 at [9], Weitkemper et. al conducted real hardware experiments to investigate the performance of three waveform families: CP-OFDM, filter bank multicarrier with offset quadrature amplitude modulation (FBMC/OQAM) and universal-filtered OFDM (UF-OFDM). FBMC/OQAM. The outcome of their experimental work ratified that the FBMC/OQAM had the benefit of very low side lobes leading to less inter-carrier interference in asynchronous and high mobility scenarios. At [10] in 2016, Gorganiet. al proposed a high-performance and flexible Peak-to-Average Power Ratio (PAPR) reduction algorithm for FBMC-OQAM signal model and showed that their proposed algorithm had no degradation as compared to OFDM. In 2017 at [11], Lizeaga et. al focused on the lacking of robustness of the existing IEEE 802.11, IEEE 802.15.1 or IEEE 802.15.4 standard based industrial wireless communications in perspective of real-time requirements for factory automation. The authors analyzed FBMC-OQAM, GFDM-OQAM and WCP-COQAM modulation candidates for 5G in terms of bit error rate, power spectral density and spectral efficiency over highly dispersive channels and assessed the suitability of these modulation systems for industrial wireless communications based on cognitive radio.

Additionally, they provided additional details on windowing that affecting the protection against highly dispersive multipath channels and the spectral efficiency in WCP-COQAM. In 2017 at [12], Wang et. al, demonstrated experimentally a digital mobile fronthaul (MFH) architecture using delta-sigma modulation both one-bit and two-bit) as the new digitization interface for transmission of digital signals over on-off keying (OOK) or 4-level pulse-amplitude-modulation (PAM4) optical intensity modulation-direct detection (IM-DD) links. The authors demanded that delta-sigma modulators were supportable of high-order modulations (256QAM/1024QAM) and such modulators were 5G compatible with filter-bank-multicarrier (FBMC) signals.

## 3 III. Signal Processing and Detection Techniques

In this section, various signal processing and signal detection techniques have been outlined briefly.

### 4 a) Massive MIMO Fading Channel Estimation

In  $\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{H} \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{n}$ ,  $\mathbf{H}$  is the channel matrix,  $\mathbf{x}$  is the transmitted signal,  $\mathbf{y}$  is the received signal, and  $\mathbf{n}$  is the noise.

where,  $\mathbf{H}$  is the complex gain of the  $l$ th path including the path loss,  $\alpha_l$  is the path loss between base station (BS) and mobile station (MS). The variable

where,  $\odot$  is indicative of Hadamard product,  $\mathbf{S}$  is the  $16 \times 256$  sized matrix whose each element is inverse of magnitude of each complex element of mmwave  $\mathbf{H}$

. The squared value of the Frobenius norm of the normalized channel matrix  $\mathbf{H}$  is given by [13, 14]  $\|\mathbf{H}\|_F^2 = \text{tr}(\mathbf{H}^H \mathbf{H})$

Digital precoding is generally used to control both the phases and amplitudes of the original signals to cancel interferences in advance. In consideration of designing digital precoding for single-user mmWave massive MIMO system, it is assumed that the base station (BS) employs  $N_t$  antennas to simultaneously transmit  $N_r$  data streams to a user with  $N_r$  antennas ( $N_r \leq N_t$ ). The BS applies an  $N_t \times N_r$  digital precoder  $\mathbf{D}$  and the transmitted signal prior to D/A conversion can be presented by  $\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{D} \mathbf{s}$  (6)





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alternates real and imaginary between adjacent subcarriers and symbols [24]. In Figure2, a segment of audio signal is considered to have been converted into The detected signal are subsequently processed in spatial multiplexing decoder, serial to parallel converter, multicarrier demodulation in FFT section and filtered in polyphase analysis filter bank. In Offset QAM post processing section, the in phase and quadrature components are combined and digitally demodulated/demapped, de interleaved, channel decoded, binary to integer converted, decrypted and eventually transmitted audio signal is retrieved.

## 15 VI. Result and Discussion

In this section, simulation results using MATLAB R2017 are presented to illustrate the significant impact of various types of signal detection and channel coding techniques on performance evaluation of a single-user digitally precoded5G compatible mmWave massive MIMO FBMC system in terms of bit error rate (BER) on encrypted audio signal transmission. It has been assumed that the channel state information (CSI) of the geometrically estimated mmWave large MIMO fading channel is available at the receiver and the fading channel coefficients are constant during simulation. The proposed model is simulated to evaluate the system performance with considering the following parameters presented in the Table 2.

## 16 VII. Conclusions

In this paper, the performance of single-user digitally precoded mmWave massive MIMO FBMC wireless communication system has been investigated on encrypted audio signal transmission under utilization of various modern channel coding and signal detection techniques. From the simulation results, it can be concluded that the presently considered single-user digitally precoded mmWave massive MIMO FBMC wireless communication system shows satisfactory performance with lower order digital modulation under implementation of Lattice Reduction(LR) based ZF-SIC signal detection and LDPC Channel coding technique.

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Input:  $H$ ; Output:  $\tilde{Q}, \tilde{R}, T$

- (1)  $[\tilde{Q}, \tilde{R}] = \text{QR Decomposition } (H)$  ;
- (2)  $\delta \in (\frac{1}{2}, 1)$  ;
- (3)  $m = \text{size } (H, 2)$  ;
- (4)  $T = I_m$  ;
- (5)  $k = 2$  ;
- (6) **while**  $k \leq m$
- (7) **for**  $n = k-1 : -1 : 1$
- (8)  $u = \text{round } ((\tilde{R}(n, k) / \tilde{R}(n, n)))$  ;
- (9) **if**  $u \sim 0$
- (10)  $\tilde{R}(1:n, k) = \tilde{R}(1:n, k) - u \cdot \tilde{R}(1:n, n)$  ;
- (11)  $T(:, k) = T(:, k) - u \cdot T(:, n)$  ;
- (12) **end**
- (13) **end**
- (14) **if**  $\delta |\tilde{R}(k-1, k-1)|^2 > |\tilde{R}(k, k)|^2 + |\tilde{R}(k-1, k)|^2$
- (15) **Swap the (k-1)th and kth columns in  $\tilde{R}$  and  $T$**
- (16)  $\Theta = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha^* & \beta \\ -\beta & \alpha \end{bmatrix}$  **where**  $\alpha = \frac{\tilde{R}(k-1, k-1)}{\|\tilde{R}(k-1:k, k-1)\|}$  ;
- $\beta = \frac{\tilde{R}(k, k-1)}{\|\tilde{R}(k-1:k, k-1)\|}$  ;
- (17)  $\tilde{R}(k-1:k, k-1:m) = \Theta \tilde{R}(k-1:k, k-1:m)$  ;
- (18)  $\tilde{Q}(:, k-1:k) = \tilde{Q}(:, k-1:k) \Theta^H$  ;
- (19)  $k = \max(k-1, 2)$  ;
- (20) **else**
- (21)  $k = k + 1$  ;
- (22) **end**
- (23) **end**

Figure 1:

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$$L(c_k^{(1)}) \triangleq \ln \left[ \frac{P(c_k^{(1)} = +1 | \bar{r})}{P(c_k^{(1)} = -1 | \bar{r})} \right]$$

Figure 2:

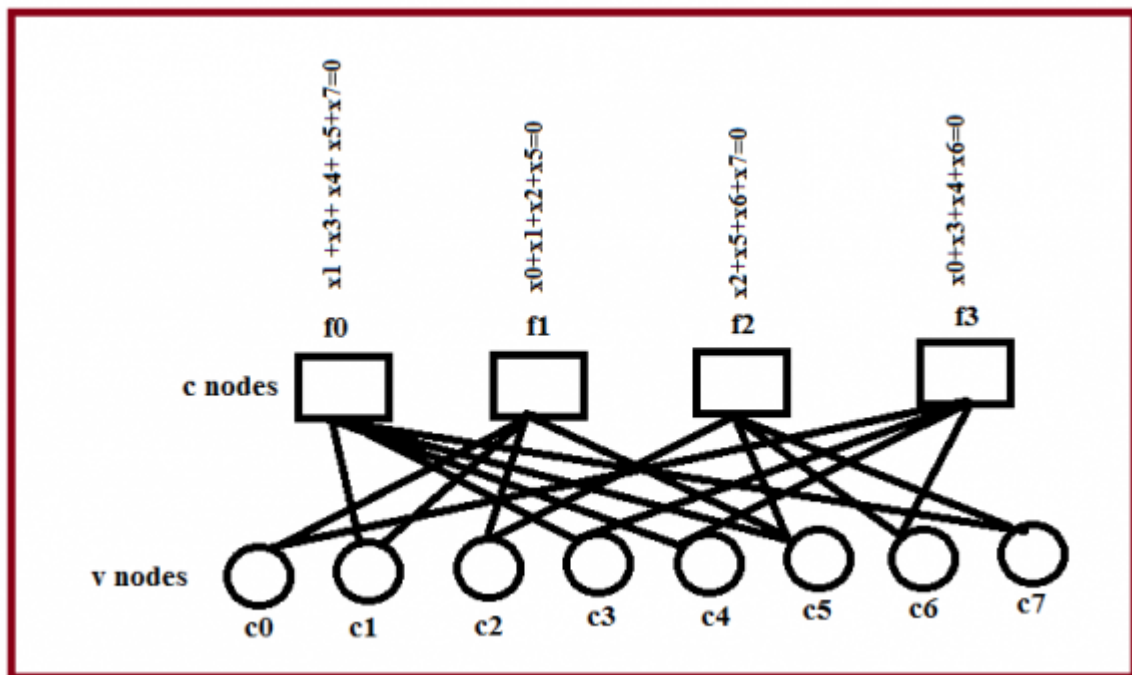


Figure 3: (

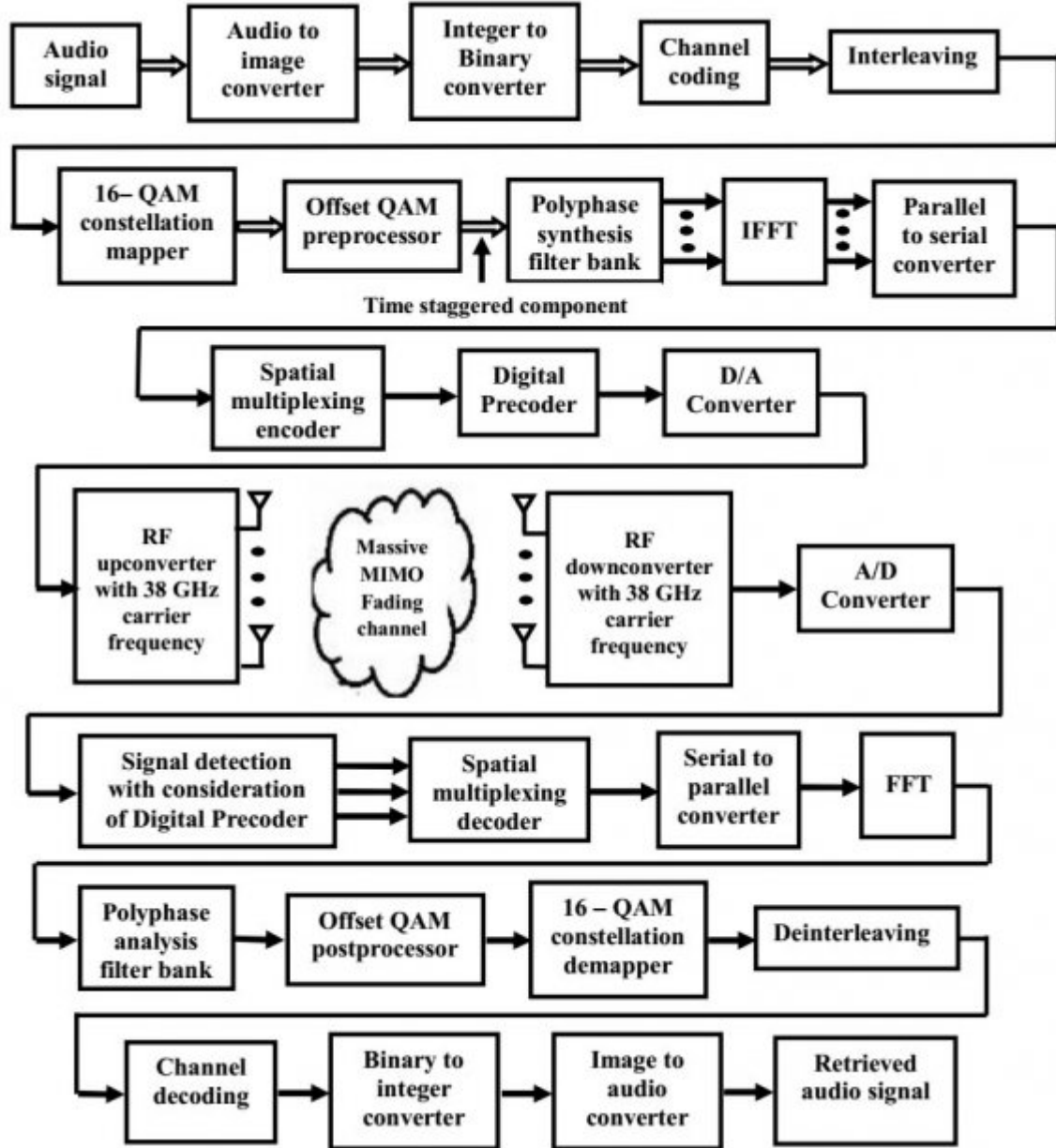
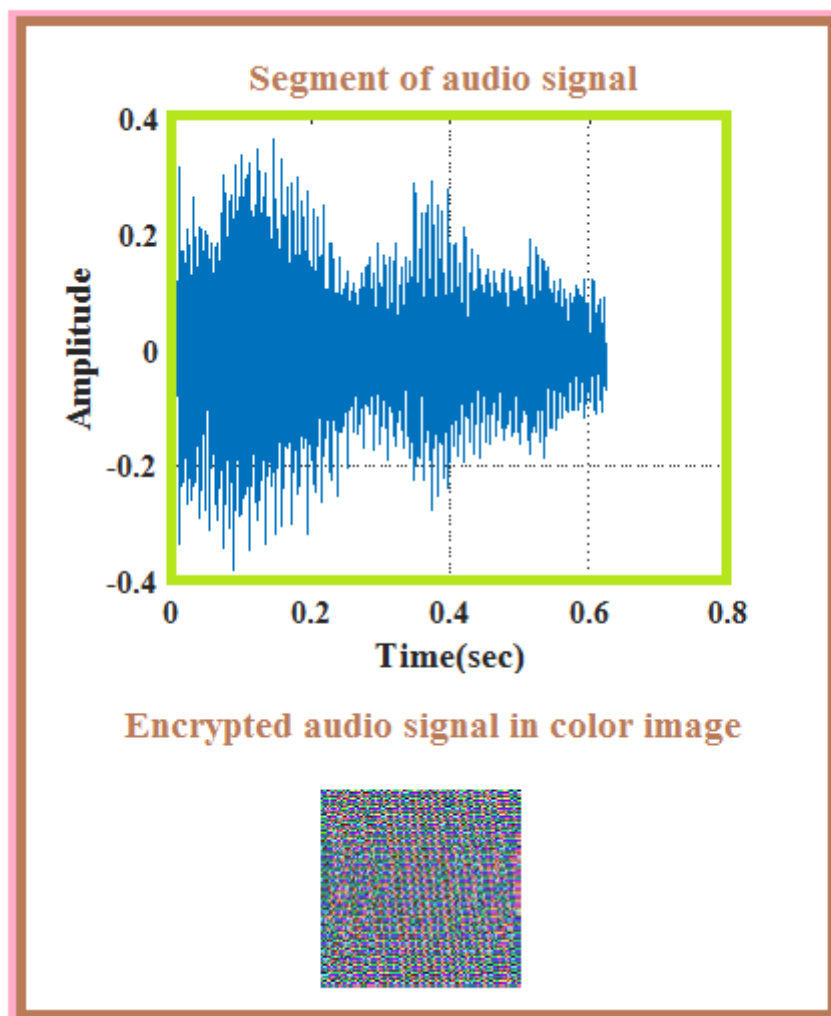


Figure 4:





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Figure 5: 1 Secured

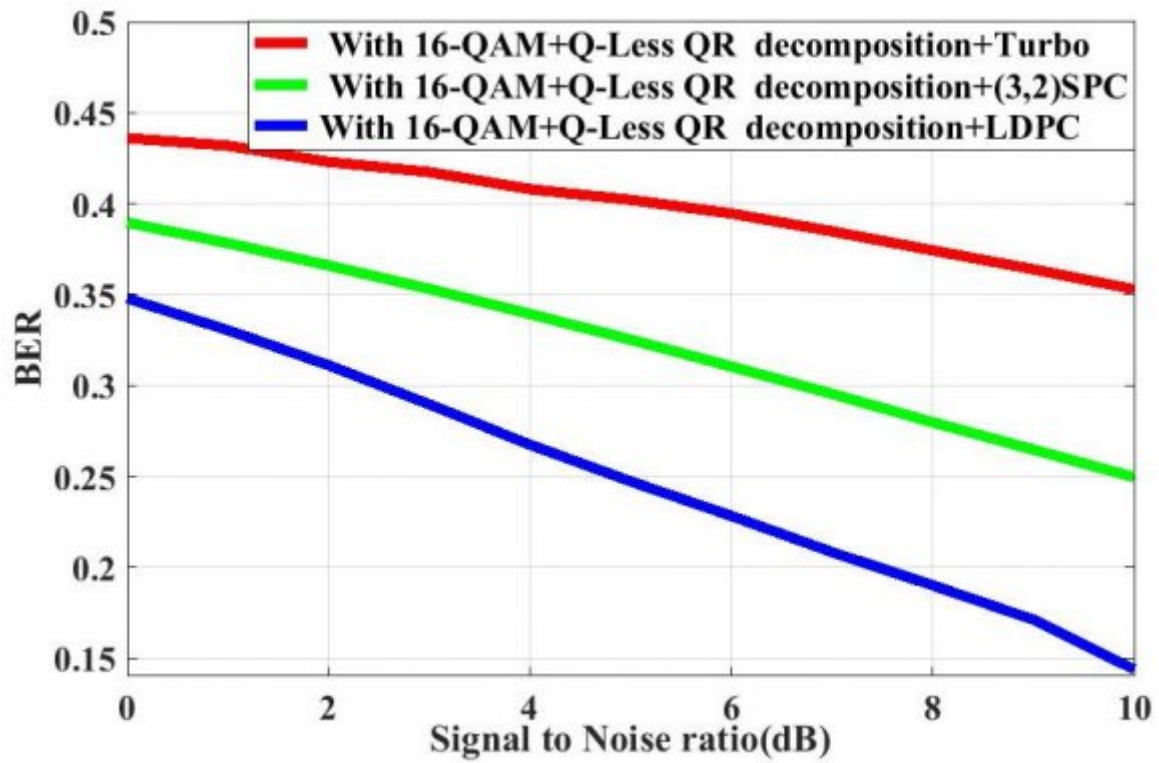


Figure 6: Figure 1 :

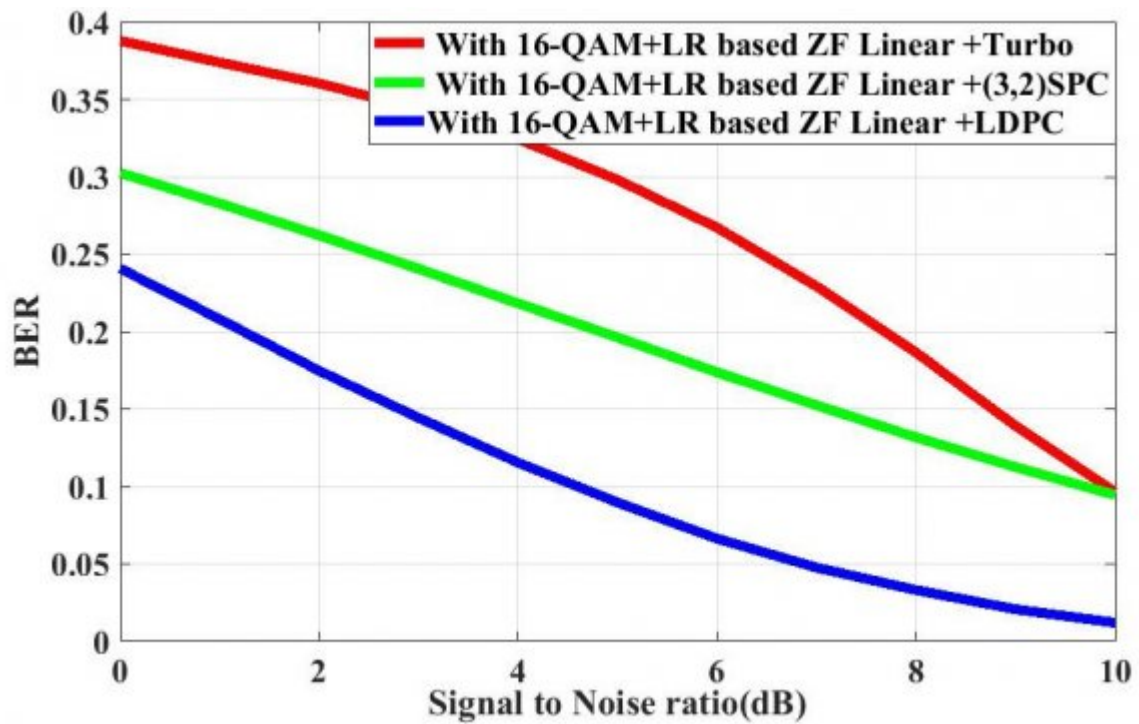


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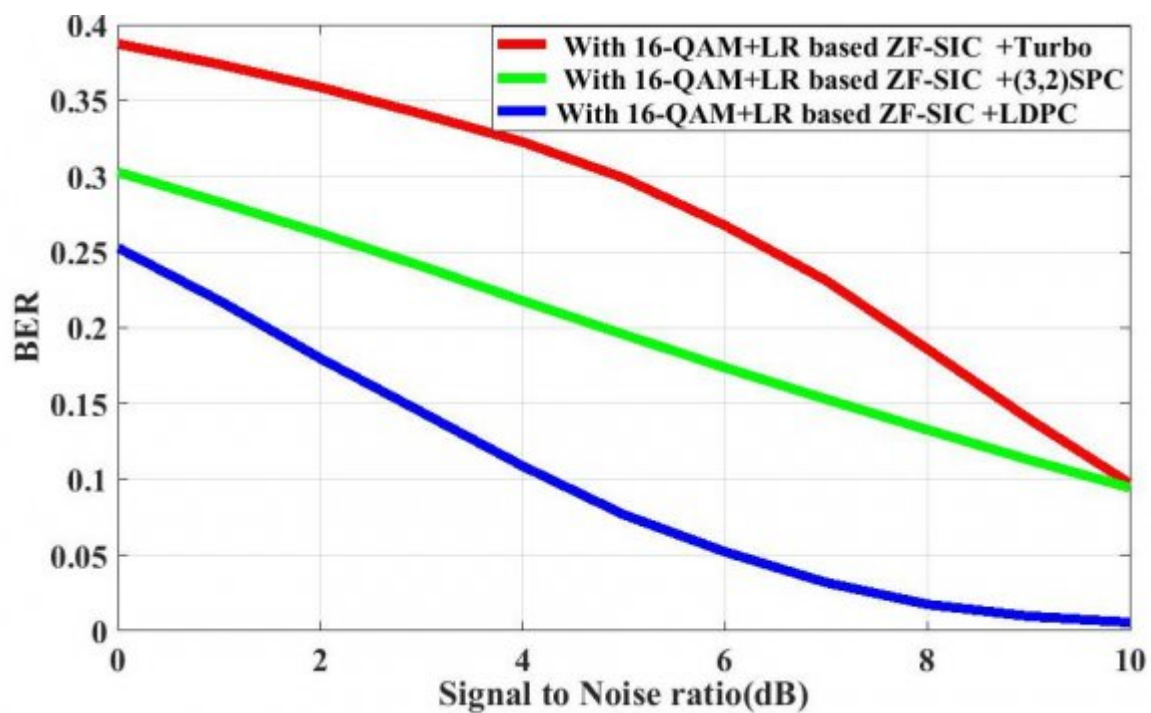


Figure 8:

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Figure 9:

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Data Type	Audio Signal
No of samples	30,000
Sampling frequency of audio signal	48KHz
Carrier frequency	28GHz
Encryption technique	Audio to image( size: 100×100×3 pixels)
Path loss constant	3
Path loss, dB for carrier frequency wavelength ? and transmitter-receiver distance , d	-20log 10 (?/4?d)
No of iteration used in LDPC decoding	10
Antenna configuration	32 x 256 Large MIMO Channel
Channel Coding	LDPC, Turbo and (3,2)SPC
LDPC Channel decoding	Log-domain sum product
Digital Modulation	16-QAM
Signal Detection Scheme	LR based linear detection, LR based ZF-SIC, CLLL based LR and Q-Less QR
SNR	0 to 10 dB
Channel	AWGN and Rayleigh

Figure 10: Table 2 :

## .1 Appendix

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clear all; close all; H=(1/sqrt(2)).*[randn (16,16)+sqrt(-1)*randn (16,16)];%16×16 sized channel matrix [Q,R] =
qr(H); delta= 0.75; % T is unimodular matrix T=diag(ones (1,16));%Initialization with consideration of 16×16
sized identity matrix m = size(H, 2); % m=16 rho = 2; while rho <=m for l = 1 :rho-1 mu = round((R(rho-l,
rho)/R(rho-l, rho-l))); if mu ~= 0 R(1:rho-l,rho)=R(1:rho-l,rho)-mu*R(1:rho-l,rho-l); T(:, rho)= T(:,rho)-
mu*T(:, rho-l); end end %%%%%%%%%%% first_term=delta*abs(R(rho-
1,rho-1).^2); second_term=abs(R(rho-1,rho).^2)+abs(R(rho,rho).^2); if(first_term > second_term)
%Swap the (k-1) th and k th columns in R and T bb=R(:,rho); R(:,rho)=R(:,rho-1); R(:,rho-1)=bb;
cc=T(:,rho); T(:,rho)=T(:,rho-1); T(:,rho-1)=cc; alpha=(R(rho-1,rho-1))/normest(R(rho-1:rho,rho-1));
beta=(R(rho,rho-1))/normest(R(rho-1:rho,rho-1)); thetacut=[conj(alpha) beta ;-beta alpha]; R(rho-1:rho,rho-
1:m) =thetacut*R(rho-1:rho,rho-1:m); Q(:,rho-1: rho) = Q(:, rho-1:rho)*thetacut'; rho = max(rho-1,2); else
rho=rho+1; end end %%%%%%%%%%% Htilt=Q*R;% CLLL-reduced
orthogonal matrix , Equation( ??2

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