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1. Introduction

In the last meeting, two different patterns for the common pilot for Tx diversity were discussed.

pattern 2

Primary CPICH Ant 1 A, A, A, A, A, A, A, A, A, A, A,
Ant 2 A, -A, -A, A, A, -A, -A, A, A, -A,

pattern 3

Primary CPICH Ant 1 A, A, A, A, A, A, A, A, A, A, A,
Ant 2 A, -A, A, -A, A, -A, A, -A, A, -A,

The pilot pattern 2 has been approved in the last meeting at Hanover.

In TdocR1-99g62, Samsung and Nokia proposed to use pattern3, claiming that it has a capability to acquire the frequency offset up to +/-7.5kHz. In that document, we have a concern on the analysis given on equation (1). Our analysis shows that the frequency acquisition range using the pilot pattern of #3 is limited to +/-3.75kHz. In addition, we show that the differential detection can be applied to acquire frequency offset up to +/-7.5kHz using current pilot pattern of #2.

2. The analysis of acquisition range using proposal#3

The following analysis is given based on assumption and notation shown below:

Channel Characteristics from Ant#1: \mathbf{a}_1 (Complex constant)

Channel Characteristics from Ant#2: \mathbf{a}_2 (Complex constant)

$$\Delta\omega = 2\pi f$$

frequency offset within 256 chip

\mathbf{q} :

absolute phase offset between Tx and Rx

Define the transmitted signal from each antenna of basestation as follows.

$$S_1(t) = x_1(t) \cos \omega_c t - y_1(t) \sin \omega_c t$$

$$S_2(t) = x_2(t) \cos \omega_c t - y_2(t) \sin \omega_c t$$

$$I(t) = \tilde{x}(t) \cos(\Delta\omega t + \mathbf{q}) + \tilde{y}(t) \sin(\Delta\omega t + \mathbf{q})$$

$$Q(t) = \tilde{y}(t) \cos(\Delta\omega t + \mathbf{q}) - \tilde{x}(t) \sin(\Delta\omega t + \mathbf{q})$$

With presence of frequency offset , the observed signal seen by a receiver can be expressed as follows,

where

$$\tilde{x}_1 + j \tilde{y}_1 = \mathbf{a}_1(x_1 + jy_1) \quad \dots\dots\dots(A)$$

$$\tilde{x}_2 + j \tilde{y}_2 = \mathbf{a}_2(x_2 + jy_2)$$

And the complex envelope of the received signal can be expressed as,

$$\begin{aligned}
U(t) &= I(t) + jQ(t) \\
&= (\tilde{x}(t) + j\tilde{y}(t))e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} \\
&= [(\tilde{x}_1(t) + j\tilde{y}_1(t)) + (\tilde{x}_2(t) + j\tilde{y}_2(t))]e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)}
\end{aligned}$$

After the despreading operation, signal seen by a receiver is,

$$\begin{aligned}
Z(kT) &= \int_{(k-1)T}^{kT} U(t)C^*(t)dt = Z_i(kT) + jZ_q(kT) \\
&= \int_{(k-1)T}^{kT} [\mathbf{a}_1 D_1(t) + \mathbf{a}_2 D_2(t)]C(t)e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)}C^*(t)dt
\end{aligned}$$

where T is in 256 PN chip unit.

With the substitution of equation (A),

$$\begin{aligned}
&= [\mathbf{a}_1((x_1(t) + jy_1(t)) + \mathbf{a}_2(x_2(t) + jy_2(t)))]e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} \\
&= [\mathbf{a}_1 T x_1(t) + \mathbf{a}_2 T x_2(t)]e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} \\
&= [\mathbf{a}_1 D_1(t)C(t) + \mathbf{a}_2 D_2(t)C(t)]e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)}
\end{aligned}$$

With assumptions $C(t)C^*(t) = |C(t)|^2 = 1$, $\mathbf{a}_1, \mathbf{a}_2$ constant over despreading period, and since the pilot pattern $D_1(t) = D_2(t) = A$ for $(k-1)T \leq t \leq kT$, the above equation can be transformed as

$$\begin{aligned}
Z(kT) &= \mathbf{a}_1 \int_{(k-1)T}^{kT} A e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt + \mathbf{a}_2 \int_{(k-1)T}^{kT} A e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt \\
Z((k+1)T) &= \mathbf{a}_1 \int_{(k+1)T}^{(k+2)T} A e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt + \mathbf{a}_2 \int_{(k+1)T}^{(k+2)T} -A e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt \\
&= (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2) T \frac{\sin(\Delta\omega T / 2)}{(\Delta\omega T / 2)} e^{-j(\Delta\omega(K-\frac{1}{2})T + q)} \cdot A \\
&= (\mathbf{a}_1 - \mathbf{a}_2) T \frac{\sin(\Delta\omega T / 2)}{(\Delta\omega T / 2)} e^{-j(\Delta\omega(K+\frac{1}{2})T + q)} \cdot A \\
&= \int_{(k-1)T}^{kT} [\mathbf{a}_1 D_1(t) + \mathbf{a}_2 D_2(t)] e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt \\
&= \mathbf{a}_1 \int_{(k-1)T}^{kT} D_1(t) e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt + \mathbf{a}_2 \int_{(k-1)T}^{kT} D_2(t) e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt
\end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, for $kT \leq t \leq (k+1)T$, $D_1(t) = A, D_2(t) = -A$

And again, for $(k+1)T \leq t \leq (k+2)T$, $D_1(t) = D_2(t) = A$

$$\begin{aligned}
Z((k+2)T) &= \mathbf{a}_1 \int_{(k+1)T}^{(k+2)T} A e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt + \mathbf{a}_2 \int_{(k+1)T}^{(k+2)T} A e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt \\
&= (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2) T \frac{\sin(\Delta\omega T / 2)}{(\Delta\omega T / 2)} e^{-j(\Delta\omega(K+\frac{3}{2})T + q)} \cdot A
\end{aligned}$$

Now, if the despreading operation is performed over 512 chip, we obtain,

$$\begin{aligned}
Z_1 &= \mathbf{a}_1 \int_{(k-1)T}^{(k+1)T} A e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt + \mathbf{a}_2 \int_{(k-1)T}^{(k+1)T} A e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt \\
&= \mathbf{a}_1 \int_{(k-1)T}^{kT} A e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt + \mathbf{a}_1 \int_{kT}^{(k+1)T} A e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt + \mathbf{a}_2 \int_{(k-1)T}^{kT} A e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt + \mathbf{a}_2 \int_{kT}^{(k+1)T} A e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt \\
&= Z(kT) + Z((k+1)T) \\
Z_2 &= \mathbf{a}_1 \int_{kT}^{(k+2)T} A e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt + \mathbf{a}_2 \int_{kT}^{(k+2)T} A e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt \\
&= \mathbf{a}_1 \int_{kT}^{(k+1)T} A e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt + \mathbf{a}_1 \int_{(k+1)T}^{(k+2)T} A e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt + \mathbf{a}_2 \int_{kT}^{(k+1)T} A e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt + \mathbf{a}_2 \int_{(k+1)T}^{(k+2)T} A e^{-j(\Delta\omega t + q)} dt \\
&= Z((k+1)T) + Z((k+2)T)
\end{aligned}$$

The differential detection for phase offset now can be applied,

$$\begin{aligned}
Z_1^* \cdot Z_2 &= T \frac{\sin(\Delta\omega T / 2)}{\Delta\omega T / 2} e^{j(\Delta\omega(k-\frac{1}{2})T+q)} A^* [(\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_1)^* + (\mathbf{a}_1 - \mathbf{a}_1)^* e^{j\Delta\omega T}] \\
&\quad \times T \frac{\sin(\Delta\omega T / 2)}{\Delta\omega T / 2} e^{-j(\Delta\omega(k+\frac{1}{2})T+q)} A [(\mathbf{a}_1 - \mathbf{a}_1) + (\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_1) e^{-j\Delta\omega T}] \\
&= T^2 \left(\frac{\sin(\Delta\omega T / 2)}{\Delta\omega T / 2} \right)^2 e^{-j\Delta\omega T} |A|^2 [|\mathbf{a}_1 + \mathbf{a}_2|^2 e^{-j\Delta\omega T} + |\mathbf{a}_1 - \mathbf{a}_2|^2 e^{j\Delta\omega T} + 2(|\mathbf{a}_1|^2 - |\mathbf{a}_2|^2)]
\end{aligned}$$

For explanatory purpose, if we let $\mathbf{a}_1 = \mathbf{a}_2 = 1$,

$$Z_1^* \cdot Z_2 = 4T^2 \left(\frac{\sin(\Delta\omega T / 2)}{\Delta\omega T / 2} \right)^2 e^{-j\Delta\omega T} |A|^2$$

The exponential term $\{-j\Delta\omega T\}$ suggest that

$$|2\Delta\omega T| < \pi, \quad \Delta\omega = 2\pi\Delta f$$

$$|\Delta f| < 1/4T = 15kHz$$

$$|\Delta f| < 3.75kHz$$

Therefore, the conclusion that with the use of pilot pattern 3, the upper limit for frequency acquisition range is 3.75kHz.

3. Differential Detection Using the Current Pilot Pattern

Symbol No.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
ANT1	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A
ANT2	A	-A	-A	A	A	-A	-A	A

Differential Detection	Differential detection	Differential detection
Frequency offset estimation	Frequency offset estimation	Frequency offset estimation
$ \Delta f < 7.5kHz$	$ \Delta f < 7.5kHz$	$ \Delta f < 7.5kHz$

4. Conclusion:

With the analysis given above, we recommend WG1 to keep current pilot pattern for diversity antenna .