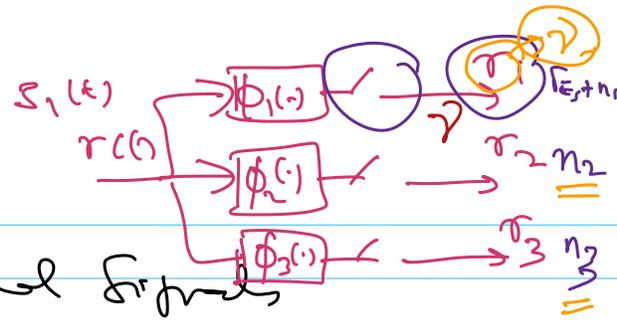


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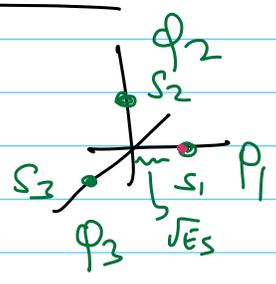


$P(e)$  for M-ary orthogonal signals

$N = M$

$s_i(t) = \sqrt{E_s} \phi_i(t)$

$M = 3 = N$



$\bar{r}_1$  was sent

$\begin{bmatrix} r_1 \\ r_2 \\ r_3 \end{bmatrix}$

$\bar{r} = \bar{s}_1 + \bar{n} = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{E_s} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \\ n_3 \end{bmatrix}$

$\sqrt{E_s} + n_1 = \gamma$

$P(c | s_1) = P[\bar{r} \in Z_1 | s_1]$  (1)

$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} P[\bar{r} \in Z_1 | s_1, r_1 = \gamma] P[r_1 = \gamma | s_1] d\gamma$  (2)

Proof:

$P(\bar{r} \in Z_1 | s_1) = \frac{P(\bar{r} \in Z_1, s_1)}{P(s_1)}$

$= \frac{1}{P(s_1)} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} P(\bar{r} \in Z_1, s_1 | r_1 = \gamma) P(r_1 = \gamma) d\gamma$

$\frac{P(\bar{r} \in Z_1, s_1, r_1 = \gamma)}{P(r_1 = \gamma)}$

$P(\bar{r} \in Z_1 | s_1, r_1 = \gamma) \cdot P(s_1, r_1 = \gamma)$

$P(r_1 = \gamma | s_1) P(s_1)$

$P[n_2 < \gamma \text{ and } n_3 < \gamma]$

$\int_{-\infty}^{\gamma} \int_{-\infty}^{\gamma} f_{n_2, n_3} d\alpha d\beta$

(1) →

(2) →  $P(r_1 = \gamma | s_1) = \frac{f(\gamma - \sqrt{E_s})}{N}$

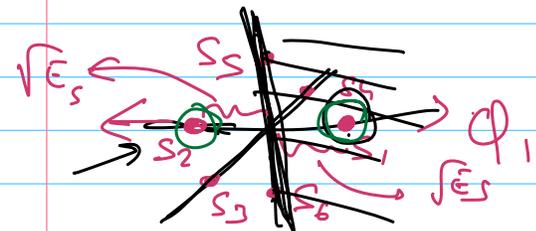
For many orthogonal signals

$$P_c = P(c|s_1) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f_N(\gamma - \sqrt{E_s}) \left( 1 - \int_{\gamma}^{\infty} f_N(\alpha) d\alpha \right) d\gamma$$

$\int_{\gamma}^{\infty} f_N(\alpha) d\alpha$  (N-1)  
 $f_N(\gamma)$  (N)

### # P(c) for Bi-orthogonal signals (f<sub>c</sub> + f<sub>i</sub>)

Here,  $M = 2N$  ;  $S_1(t) = \sqrt{\frac{2E_s}{T}} \cos(2\pi f_c t + 2\pi f_1 t)$   
 $S_2(t) = -S_1(t)$  ;  $M=6; N=2$



$S_1 \rightarrow$  was sent

$$\bar{r} = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{E_s} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} n_1 \\ n_2 \\ n_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P(c|s_1) = P(\bar{r} \in Z_1 | s_1)$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} P(\bar{r} \in Z_1 | s_1, r_1 = \gamma) P(r_1 = \gamma > 0 | s_1) d\gamma$$

$$P[-\gamma < n_2 < \gamma, -\gamma < n_3 < \gamma]$$

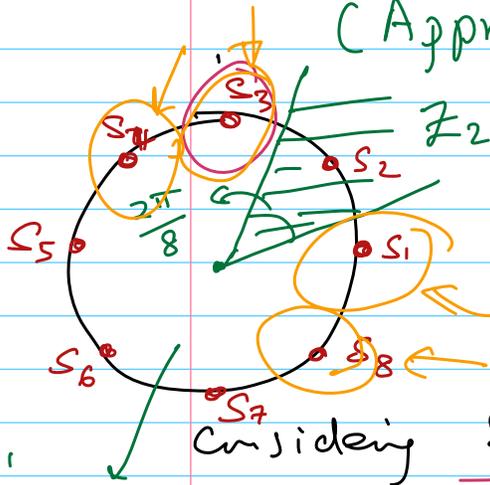
$\int_{\gamma}^{\infty} f_N(\alpha) d\alpha$  (N-1)  
 $f_N(\gamma)$  (N)

$$P(c) = \int_0^{\infty} f_N(\gamma - \sqrt{E_s}) \left( 1 - 2 \int_{\gamma}^{\infty} f_N(\alpha) d\alpha \right) d\gamma$$

$M/2$   
 $N-1$

# Union Bound on $P(e)$

(Approximation)



"pair-wise" error events

$$P(e) = \sum_{i=2}^M P[\bar{r} \notin Z_i | s_i] P[s_i]$$

Considering  $s_1$  sent

"Distance" spectrum  
 $d_{21}, d_{23}$   
 $d_{24}, d_{28}$

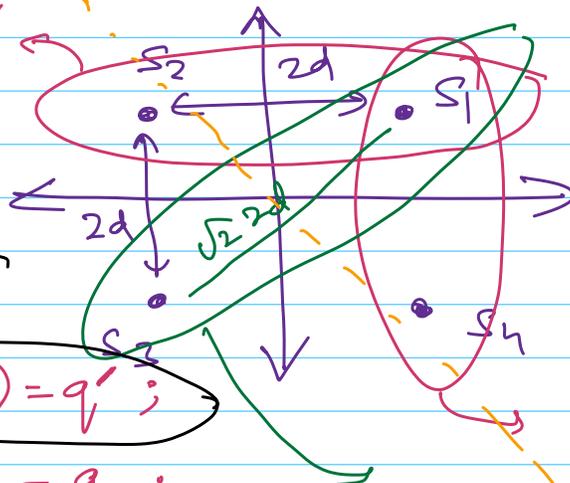
$$P[\bar{r} \notin Z_1 | s_1] = P[E_{12} \cup E_{13} \cup E_{14} \dots E_{1M}]$$

$E_{1k} \rightarrow$  is the error event that " $s_1$ "  
 was decoded as " $s_k$ "

$$P(A \cup B) \leq P(A) + P(B) - P(A \cap B) \leq \sum_{k=2}^M P[E_{1k}]$$

Example

QPSK



Recall:  $P(e) = (1 - q)^2$

$$P(e) = 1 - P(c)$$

$$= 2q - q^2$$

$$P(E_{13}) = q'$$

$$P(E_{14}) = q$$

$$P(E_{12}) = q$$

$$q' \approx \frac{\sqrt{2}d}{N_0}$$

Union Bound Argument

$$P(e) < q + q + q' = 2q + q'$$

$$P(e) < P_{UB}(e)$$

"Intelligent" Union Bound where we refer only to the "nearest neighbour" symbols when computing the union bound

$$P_{UB}(e) \longrightarrow 2q > 2q - q^2$$