

Notes on SgnC

$$p(\underline{r} | \mathcal{H}_1) = \frac{1}{(\pi \sigma_c^2)^{N_p}} \exp\left(-\frac{\|\underline{r} - h \underline{p}\|^2}{\sigma_c^2}\right)$$

Estimating $\hat{h}$ with ML principle

$$\hat{h} = \arg \max_h p(\underline{r} | \mathcal{H}_1, h) \rightarrow \text{maximize exponential}$$

$\rightarrow$ minimize $\|\underline{r} - h \underline{p}\|^2$

$$\arg \min_h \underbrace{\|\underline{r} - h \underline{p}\|^2}_L$$

$$L = \cancel{\|\underline{r}\|^2} - \underline{r}^H \underline{p} h - h \underline{p}^H \underline{r} + |h|^2 \underbrace{\|\underline{p}\|^2}_{N_p}$$

$$\text{write } h = |h| e^{j\phi_h}$$

$$L = \underbrace{-\underline{r}^H \underline{p} |h| e^{j\phi_h} - \underline{p}^H \underline{r} |h| e^{-j\phi_h}}_{-2\operatorname{Re}\{\underline{p}^H \underline{r} |h| e^{-j\phi_h}\}} + |h|^2 N_p$$

to minimize make $\rightarrow$ real $\Rightarrow \hat{\phi}_h = \arg(\underline{p}^H \underline{r})$
 Substituting $\hat{\phi}_h$ for ϕ yields

$$L = |h|^2 N_p - 2 |h| |\underline{p}^H \underline{r}| \quad \left| \frac{\partial}{\partial |h|} \right|$$

$$= 2 |h| N_p - 2 |\underline{p}^H \underline{r}| \stackrel{!}{=} 0 \Rightarrow |h| = \frac{|\underline{p}^H \underline{r}|}{N_p}$$

$$\text{with } \hat{\phi}_h = \arg(\underline{p}^H \underline{r})$$

$$\underline{h} = \underline{\underline{\frac{\underline{p}^H \underline{r}}{N_p}}}$$

Frame Synchronization

Synchronization (Time)

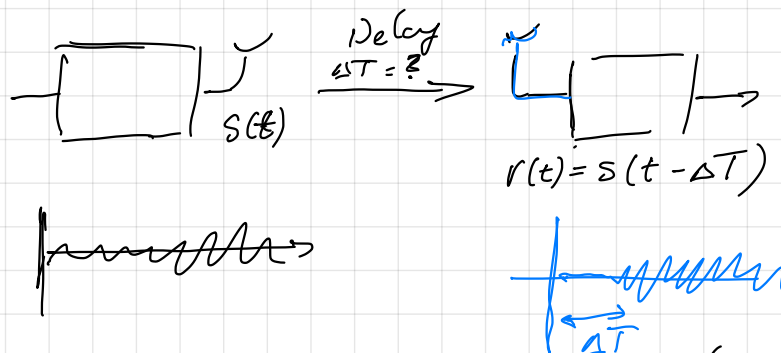
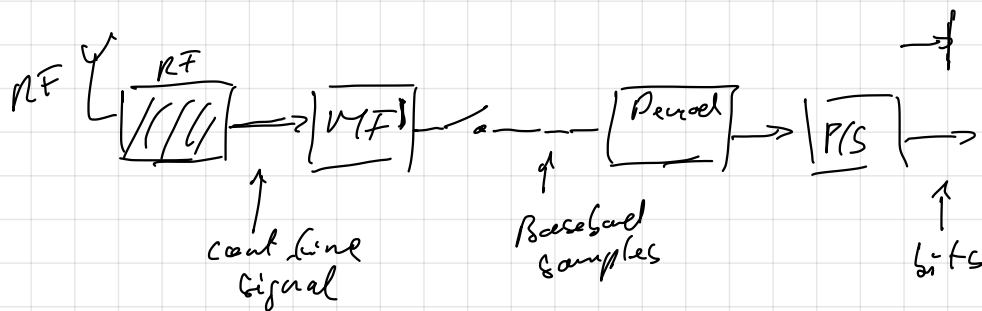


figure out time delay $\rightarrow$ Est. problem



Synchronization at diff. Stages

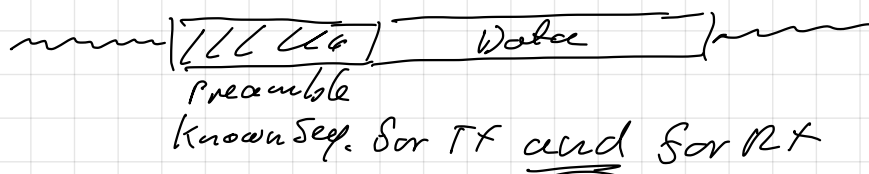


- ① Sync. with subsample resolution $\Rightarrow$ find right sampling point.
- ② Sync. on a sample-by-sample basis

Today $\rightarrow$ sample level

③ Frame start detection

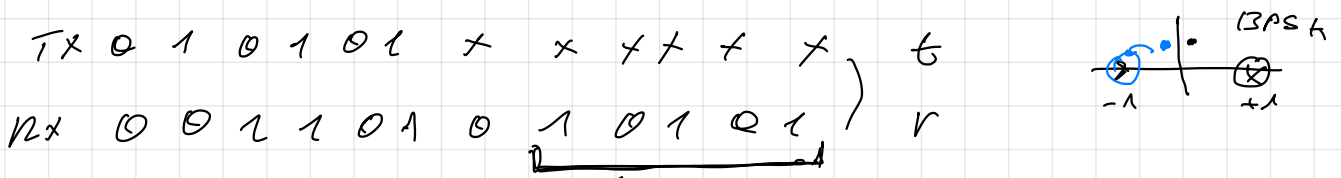
Frame Synchronization with Preamble



RX Task: looks for Preamble in the RX samples by comparing RX samples to known preamble $\rightarrow$ Decision

Synchronization Ex. (BINARY $\rightarrow$ after demod)

Detect a data block in a sequence of bit

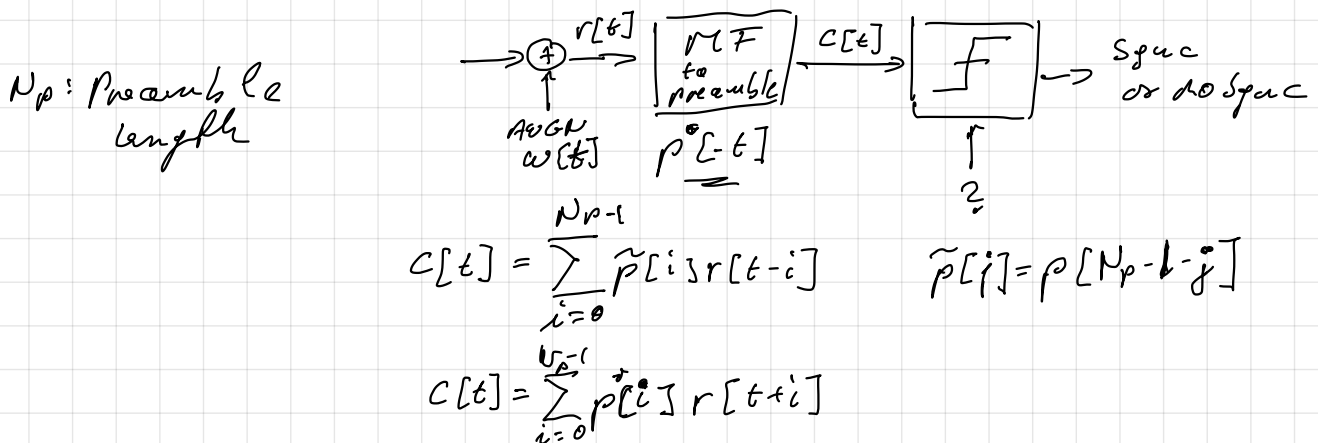


$\rightarrow$ Hamming distance based a Hamming dist threshold ≥ 0

Frame start detection on AWGN channel

Compare the RX signal to the preamble

- Matched filter $\leftarrow$ compl. conj, time reversed signal we look for
- Correlator



Cross-correlation between RX-signal and the preamble $\rightarrow$ "measures the similarity"

Preamble design

Noiseless case

BPSK: $p[t] \in \{\pm 1\}$

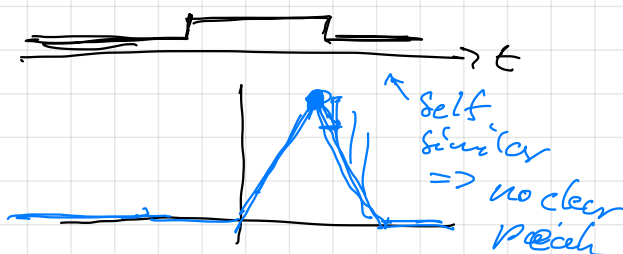
Data: $d[t] = 0$

$$r[t] = \begin{cases} d[t] & , t < t_0 \\ p[t-t_0] & , t_0 \leq t \leq t_0 + N_p - 1 \\ d[t] & , t > t_0 + N_p - 1 \end{cases} \quad (\text{else})$$

Noise RX signal / TX Preamble is the same

Cross corr $\rightarrow$ Auto correlation

1. Const. ± 1 Preamble



2. Pseudorandom ± 1



Synchronization

Demand: $p(a=x|r)$ (last time)

$\hookrightarrow p(r|a=x) \rightarrow$ Hypothesis test

Frame Sync 2 hypotheses

$\mathcal{H}_0$: no sync in RX signal

$\mathcal{H}_1$: sync. present in RX signal

$\hookrightarrow$ which is more likely

write RX signal / samples in vector form:

$$\underline{r}[t] = [r[t], r[t+1], \dots, r[t+N_p-1]]$$

$\mathcal{H}_0$: no preamble

$$\underline{r}[t] = \underline{w}[t] \quad \text{noise}$$

$\mathcal{H}_1$: with preamble

$$\underline{r}[t] = \underline{h} p[t] + \underline{w}[t] \quad \text{preamble}$$



channel (scalar, compl.)

Consider likelihood of $\mathcal{H}_0$ and $\mathcal{H}_1$

Generalized likelihood test

$$L_G(\underline{r}) = \frac{P(\underline{r}|\mathcal{H}_1)}{P(\underline{r}|\mathcal{H}_0)} > \gamma$$

$\gamma = 1 = 2 \text{ Max likelihood}$

- Dist. of $\underline{r}$ assuming $\mathcal{H}_0$

• Gaussian noise
(N-dimensional)
zero-mean

$$P(\underline{r}|\mathcal{H}_0) = \frac{1}{(\pi\sigma_0^2)^{N_p}} \exp\left(-\frac{\|\underline{r}\|^2}{\sigma_0^2}\right)$$

How to get σ_0^2 : Estimate from RX signal $\underline{r}$

$$\sigma_0^2 = \|\underline{r}\|^2 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{N_p}\right) \quad \text{per sample}$$

- Distribution of $\underline{r}$ assuming $\mathcal{H}_1$

• Gaussian with mean of p = preamble

$$p(\underline{r}|\mathcal{H}_1) = \frac{1}{(\pi\sigma_1^2)^{N_p}} \exp\left(-\frac{\|\underline{r} - \underline{h} p\|^2}{\sigma_1^2}\right)$$

$$\boxed{E^H \cdot p = N_p} \quad p[t] \in \{\pm 1\}$$

• Get σ_1^2 from RX-signal: $\sigma_1^2 = \frac{1}{N_p} \|\underline{r}\|^2 - |\underline{h}|^2$

How to get h or actually $|h|$?

→ Estimate the most likely h from N signal

$p^H = \text{Hermitian transpose}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} p_1 \\ p_2 \\ \vdots \\ p_N \end{bmatrix} = p$$

$$\hat{h} = \arg \max_h p(\underline{r} | \mathcal{H}_1, h) \Rightarrow \text{max of an exp.}$$

→ minimize $\|\underline{r} - h\underline{p}\|^2$

$$\arg \min_h \frac{\|\underline{r} - h\underline{p}\|^2}{2}$$

$$Z = \cancel{\|\underline{r}\|^2} - \underline{r}^H \underline{p} h - h \underline{p}^H \underline{r} + |h|^2 \underbrace{\|\underline{p}\|^2}_{N_p}$$

write $h = |h| e^{j\phi_h}$

$$Z = -2 \operatorname{Re} \{ \underline{p}^H \underline{r} |h| e^{-j\phi_h} \} + |h|^2 N_p$$

↑ make this real-valued $\phi_h = \arg(\underline{p}^H \underline{r})$

$$Z = |h|^2 N_p - 2|h| |\underline{p}^H \underline{r}| \quad \left| \frac{\partial}{\partial |h|} \right|$$

$$2|h| N_p - 2|\underline{p}^H \underline{r}| = 0 \rightarrow |h| = \frac{|\underline{p}^H \underline{r}|}{N_p}$$

with $\phi = \arg(\underline{p}^H \underline{r}) \rightarrow \hat{h} = \frac{\underline{p}^H \underline{r}}{N_p}$

→ Now go back to finding $\sigma_e^2 = \frac{1}{N_p} \|\underline{r}\|^2 - |h|^2$

$$\sigma_e^2 = \frac{1}{N_p} \left(\|\underline{r}\|^2 - \frac{|\underline{p}^H \underline{r}|^2}{N_p} \right)$$

Generalized likelihood test

$$L(\underline{r}) = \frac{p(\underline{r} | \mathcal{H}_1)}{p(\underline{r} | \mathcal{H}_0)} = \left(\frac{\frac{1}{N_p} \|\underline{r}\|^2}{\frac{1}{N_p} (\|\underline{r}\|^2 - \frac{|\underline{p}^H \underline{r}|^2}{N_p})} \right)^{N_p} = \left(\frac{1}{1 - \frac{|\underline{p}^H \underline{r}|^2}{\|\underline{r}\|^2 N_p}} \right)^{N_p} \geq \gamma$$

Adjust γ so that it can be considered ↑ this is relevant

$\Leftrightarrow \frac{|\underline{p}^H \underline{r}|^2}{\|\underline{r}\|^2} > \gamma'$ ← Squared magnitude of the VFF output ↑ scaled VFF output.
due to h