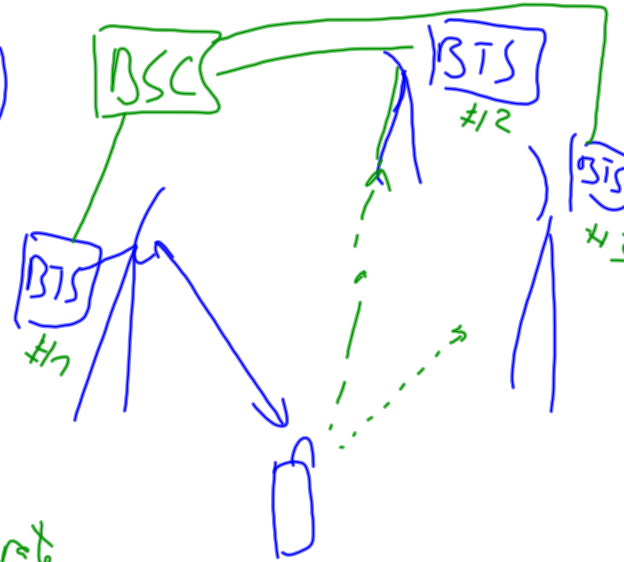


BTS^(2G) role in handoff

= node B (3G)

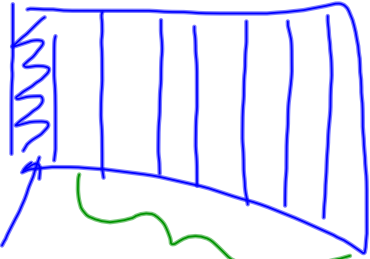
- BTS & mobile measure G.O.
- receive power
 - BER, Frame error rate
bit error rate
 - interference
 - Neighbour cells signal



1. measure
2. BTS: ok handoff
 - 2.1 handoff existing cell
 - 2.1 hand-on new cell

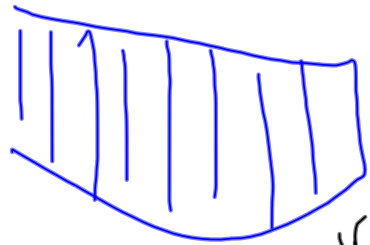
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1st TX



Signal 7 data

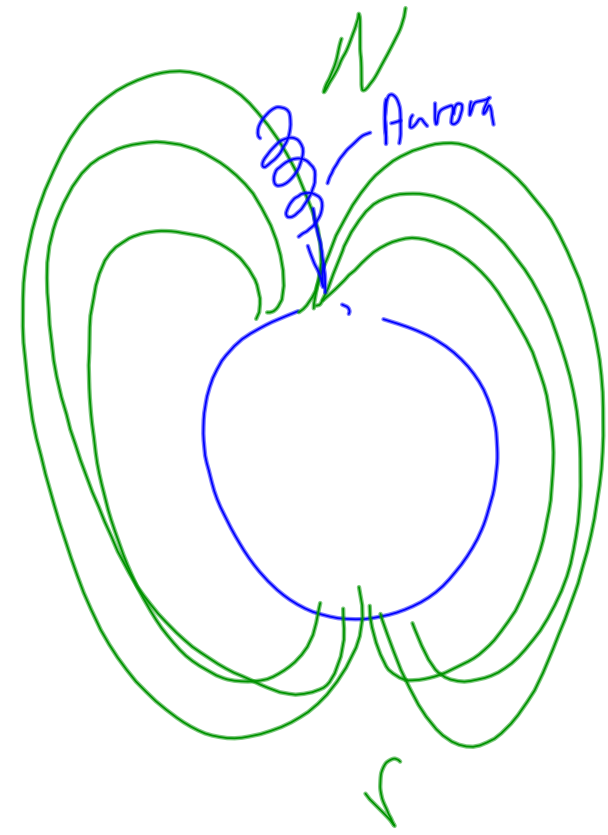
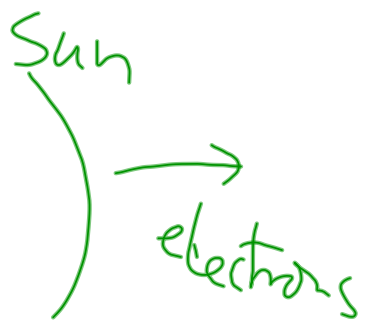
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Mobile Assisted Handoff (MAHO)

- Signal Quality Fall Below Allowable Level
- System Sends List of Channels for Mobile to Monitor
- Mobile Periodically Returns Measurements

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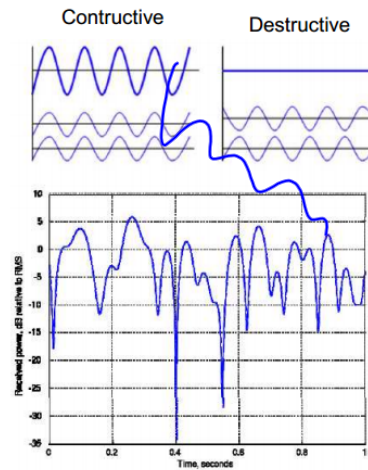
Mobile assisted handover - MAHO - is a process that is used to allow a **mobile phone** to assist the **base station** in the **decision to transfer the call** (handoff/handoff) to another base station. The mobile radio assists by providing **RF signal quality information** that typically includes the **received signal strength indication - RSSI** - and **bit error rate - BER** - of its own and other candidate channels. MAHO is an official term of the GSM system.

During GSM communication, the mobile device transmits on one slot, receives on one slot, and has 6 idle slots available in each frame. During the idle time periods, the mobile telephone can tune to other radio channel frequencies and measure their signal strengths.

This figure illustrates the basic mobile assisted handoff process. The mobile telephone initially receives a list of nearby radio channels to monitor. During the idle mobile telephone periods (between transmission and reception bursts), the mobile telephone monitors other radio channels for signal strength. The mobile telephone can report these measurements, along with its own received signal strength and channel quality (bit error rate) back to the base station. The base station can use this

Introduction

- Fading leads to-
 - Quick signal variation (Rayleigh, short term)
 - Slow signal variation (lognormal, long-term)
 - Inter-Symbol Interference (ISI)
- Various ways to combat fading-
 - Micro diversity
 - Macro diversity
 - Channel equalizer



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[Source: R Rækken, G. Lovnes, Teletronikk]

These questions are valid for all of the following impulse responses

- from delay, calculate reflection factor and free space attenuation
- describe characteristics of reflection

Measurements in rural farmland

- Typical IR from Farm_2, 953MHz. Total received power was -93dBm

dB

0

-5

-10

-15

-20

-25

0 10 20 30 40 50 60 μ s

16µs

GSM: Integrate

3G: Rake receiver - adjust

Rake fingers - phase info

[Source: R Rækken, G. Lovnes, Teletronikk]

Measurements in cities

- Typical IR from City street measurements, 1950 Unik/MHz, Oslo. Output power 25 dBm (in mW?). Omnidirectional-Dipoles used as transmit and receive antennas.

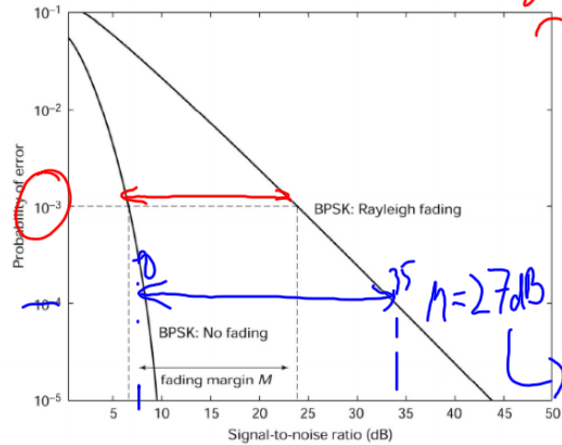
Effect of fading (2)

dB: $P_{Rx} = P_{Tx} - L_{loss} + G_{Tx} + G_{Rx}$

$P_{Rx} = -64 \text{ dB}_m = 40 \text{ dB}_m - 100 \text{ dB} + 8 \text{ dB} + 3 \text{ dB}$

BER for BPSK modulation without fading and with Rayleigh-fading
 Fade margin M for BER=10⁻³ is 17 dB

$P_{\text{sensitivity}} = -81 \text{ dB}_m$



Fading Margin
 $M = 17 \text{ dB}$

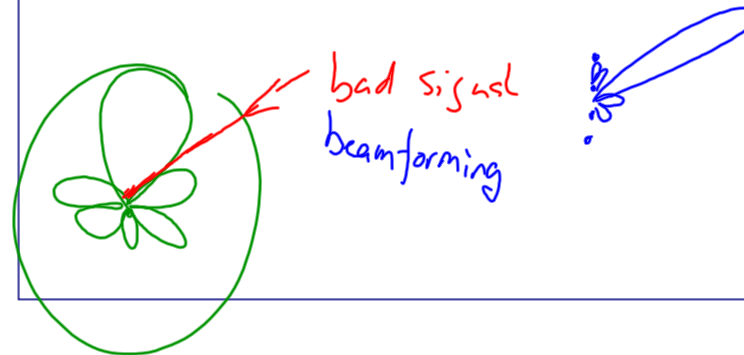
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Diversity (3)

- Type of diversity

- Space diversity – Antenna separated in distance
- Angular diversity – Antennas with different pointing directions
- Frequency diversity – The same signal is transmitted at different frequencies
- Polarization diversity- Antennas with different polarization (field orientation)
- Time diversity – The same signal is repeated at different times
- Multi-path diversity – Signals with different propagation paths are combined



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Comparison between methods

All results are for an assumption of uncorrelated branches, with a correlation equal to ρ , performance is reduced approx. a factor $\sqrt{(1-\rho)^2}$

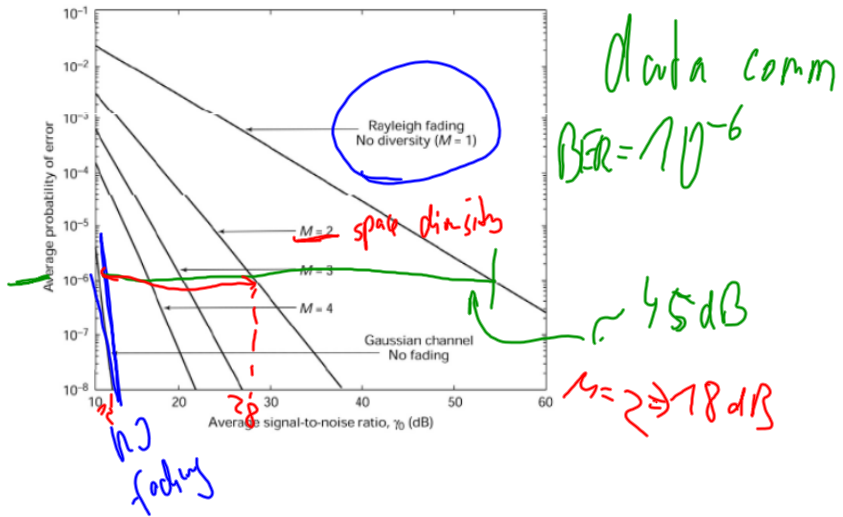
Number of diversity branches, M	Maximal ratio (dB)	Equal gain (dB)	Selection (dB)
1	0	0	0
2	3.5	2.5	1.5
3	5.0	4.0	2.5
4	6.2	5.2	3.2
5	7.0	6.0	3.8
6	7.8	6.8	4.2
7	8.5	7.5	4.5
8	9.0	8.0	4.7
9	9.5	8.5	4.8
10	10.0	9.0	4.9

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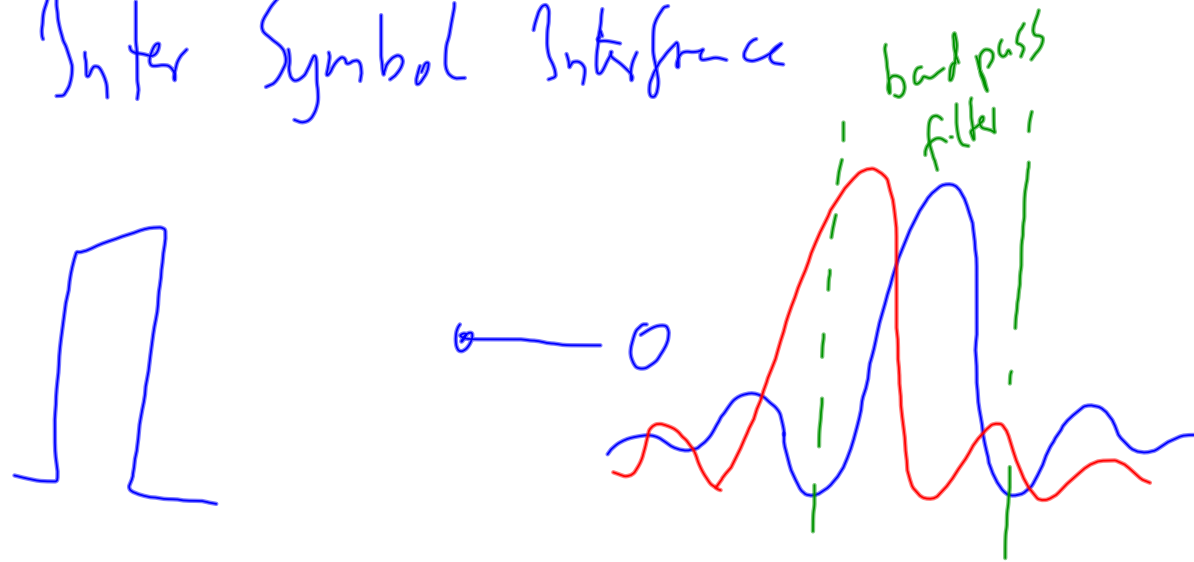
Performance improvement: BER at diversity

Performance improvement - SC

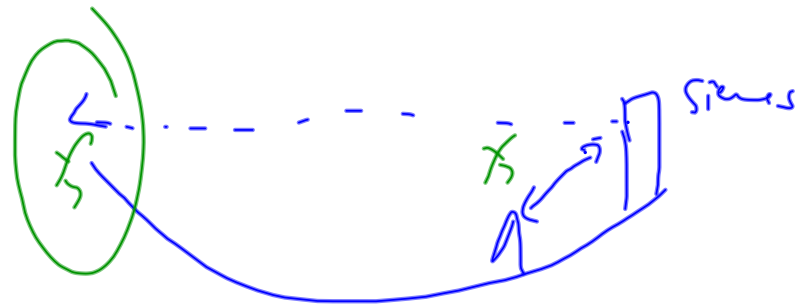
Performance improvement in terms of BER at diversity – SC -
Average BER for occupational testing for different number of diversity
diversity channels (BPSK modulation):



Inter Symbol Interference



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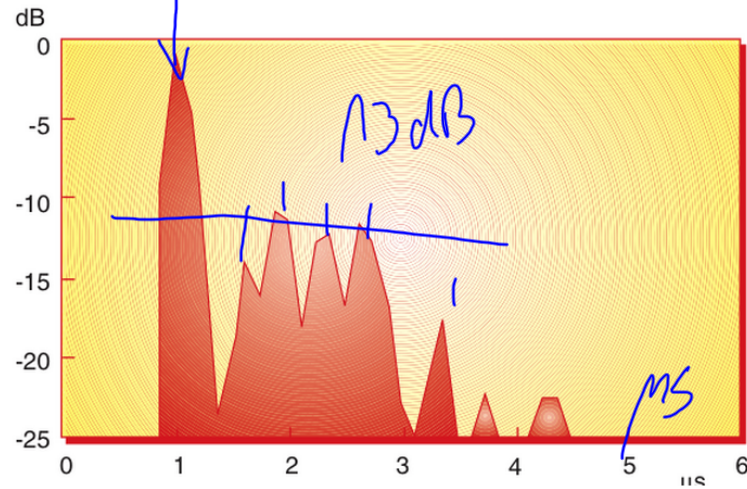


Reflection at a perfectly plane gives a reflection coefficient $r = -1$. When the surface gets rougher, reflection is still in the main direction, but the reflected power is spread around the main reflection angle. Assuming that no absorption takes then the total reflected power is constant.

When the surface becomes extremely rough, and with roughness $\gg \lambda$, then the reflected wave will be scattered in any direction.

Measurements in rural farmland

- Typical IR from Farm_1, 1718 Unik/MHz. Total received power was -84 dBm, 20 dB above GSM sensitivity level



[Source: R Rækken, G. Løvnes, Elektronikk]

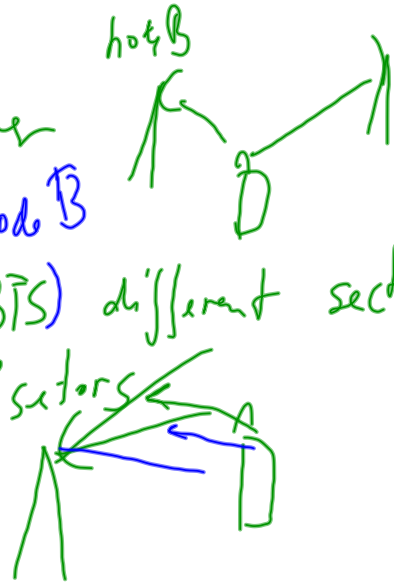
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Macro diversity

2G - "switch" BTS
- one BTS at a time

3G - soft handover
- softer handover
→ 1 (BTS) different sectors
60° sectors



Macro-diversity

The techniques discussed so far fights fast (short-term) fading

To combat slow (long term) fading required separation between recipients who are high in relation to terrain and building formations affects the signal distribution

This is called macro-diversity, or the base station diversity and is usually based on communication with two or more base stations

Hand-over of the mobile systems can be seen as a form of macro diversity

