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Algebraic Cayley differential space-time codes

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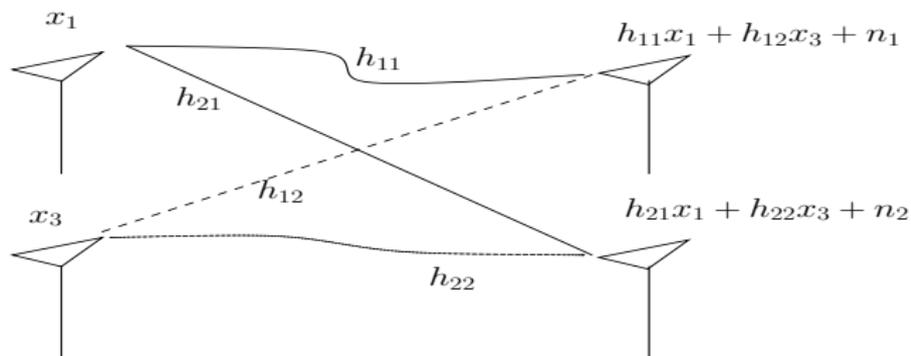
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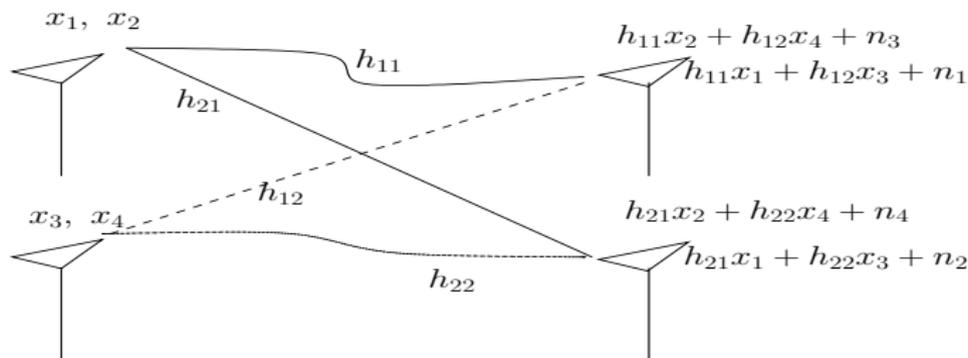
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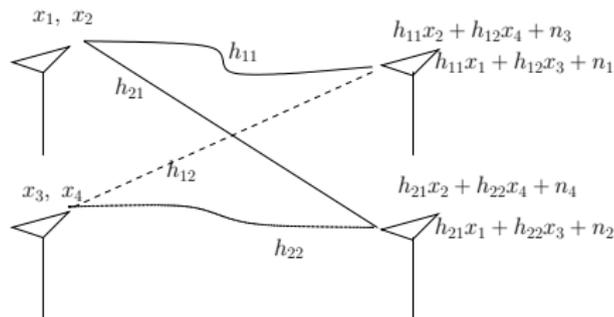


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$$P_e \leq \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \left(\frac{8}{\rho}\right)^{MN} \frac{1}{|\det(\mathbf{X}_i - \mathbf{X}_j)|^{2N}}$$

- ▶ The quality of the code is measure by the *diversity product*

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- ▶ Consider the algebra $\mathcal{A} = (\mathbb{Q}(i, \sqrt{5})/\mathbb{Q}(i), \sigma, i)$, where $\sigma : \sqrt{5} \mapsto -\sqrt{5}$.
- ▶ Let $x \in \mathcal{A}$,

$$x = x_0 + ex_1, \quad x_0, x_1 \in \mathbb{Q}(i, \sqrt{5}).$$

- ▶ We compute $x = \alpha(x)$. Let $\theta = \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}$. Thus, x can be written

$$x = [a_0 + \theta b_0] + e[(s(1 - \theta) - t\theta) + i(t(1 - \theta) - s\theta)],$$

Example: 2 transmit antennas (II)

- In matrix equations

$$\mathbf{X} = a_0 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} + s \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 - \theta - i\theta \\ i\theta + (1 - \theta) & 0 \end{pmatrix} + b_0 \begin{pmatrix} \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 1 - \theta \end{pmatrix} + t \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\theta + i(1 - \theta) \\ -i(1 - \theta) - \theta & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

We thus get a basis of 4 matrices.

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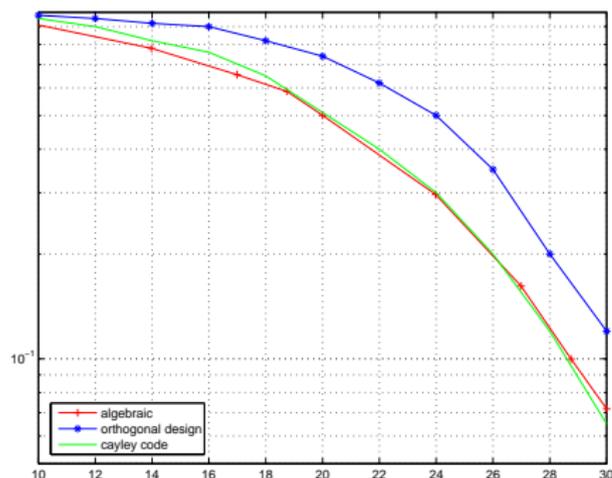


Figure: $M = 2$, $N = 2$, $R = 6$, $Q = 4$

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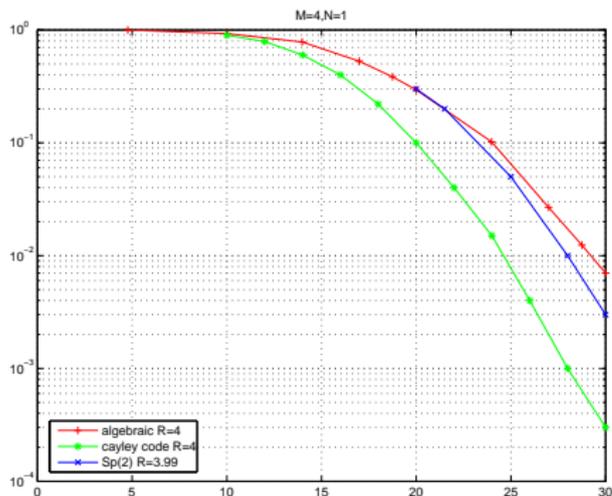


Figure: $M = 4, N = 1, R = 4, Q = 8$

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