

The Limits of 4G and How to Design a New 5G PHY

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Key Facts and Figures

 **vodafone chair**

The Team

- 1 professor
- 8 senior scientists/lecturers/post-docs
- 32 Ph.D. students
- 15+ Master students
- 4 program managers
- 8 start-up incubator employees
- 5 secretaries
- 5 lab engineers

IPP Sponsors



Accomplishments

Scientific:

- 62 Ph.D. grads
- 200+ Ms. grads
- 700+ publications
- 9,000+ citations
- 200+ patent appl.
- 85+ patent families

Innovation:

- 10 spin-outs
- 350 engineers

Funding:

- € 50M Chair
- € 50M VC
- € 1/3B projects

Project Partners



The Vodafone Chair's Startup History



2002



founded
1999 OnDSP™ based WLAN chip-sets



2006



2000 SON systems



2012



2003 Broadband Wireless HW (LTE,...)



2006



2004 Module and reference board design



2007



2005 MPSoC semiconductor IP



2007 Wireless audio



2008 Network performance measurement



2010



2008 LTE Cellular Handset Chip IP



2010 Satellite Communications



2013 Assisted living



2012 Startbahn Venture Fund



5G – What Is It?

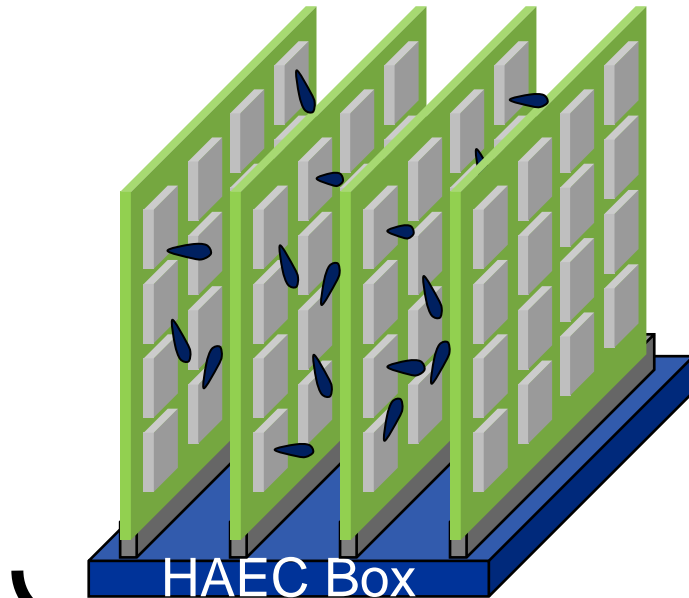
WIRELESS ROADMAP

The Outlook: The HAEC Box in 2020+

Assume

128K processors per chip
128x chips stacked in 3D

4x4 chip-stacks on board
4x boards in a box

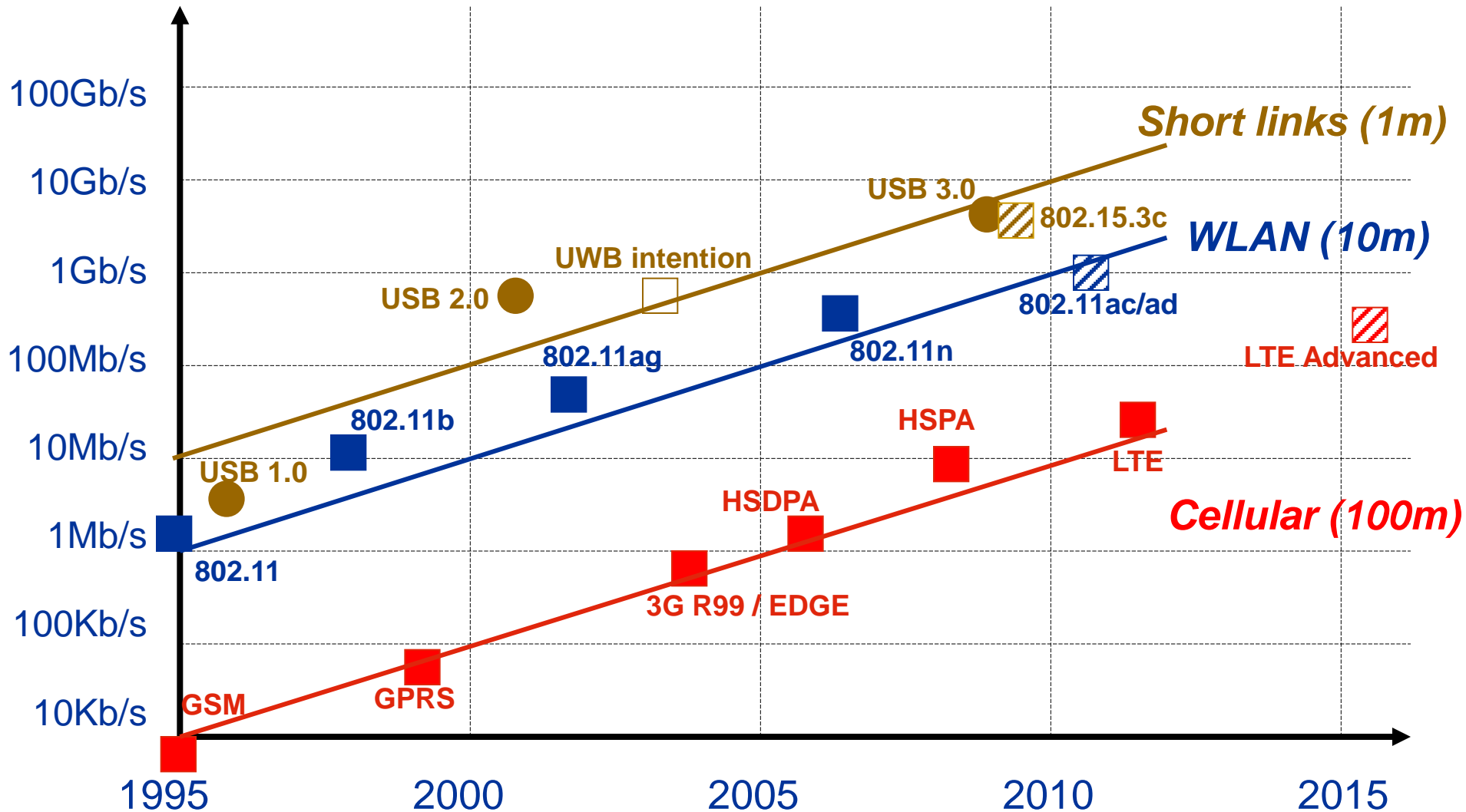


in $10 \times 10 \times 10 \text{ cm}^3$ (1 liter)
8192 chips

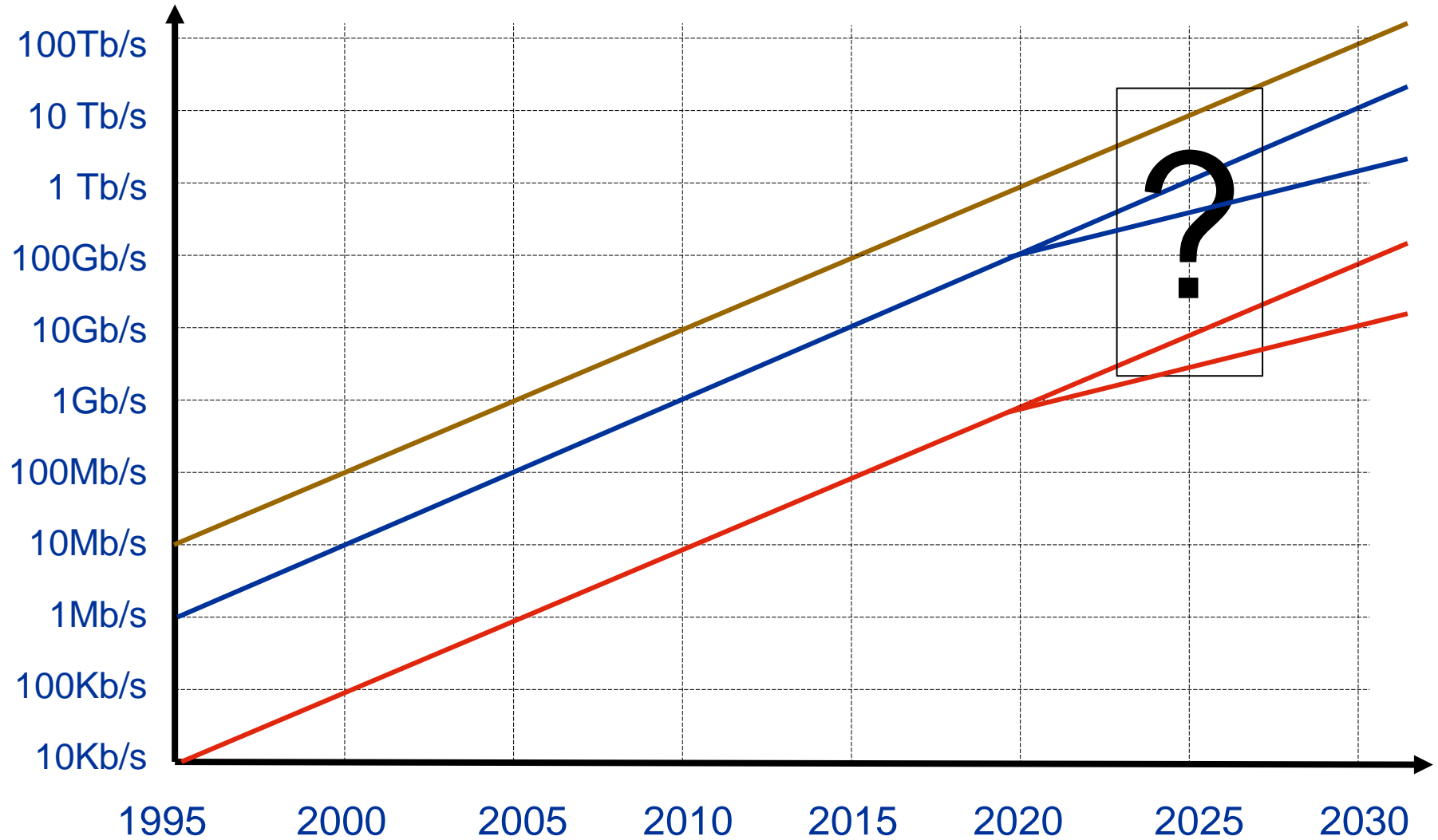
→ 10^9 processors!

→ $10^5 \times$ performance of today!

Coverage: Cellular



>2020 Outlook



2005/4/4 – Via Della Conciliazione



2013/3/12 – Via Della Conciliazione



**Enabling Ad-Hoc Mobile
“Free-Viewpoint Video”**

Watch Out !



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5G

THE TACTILE INTERNET

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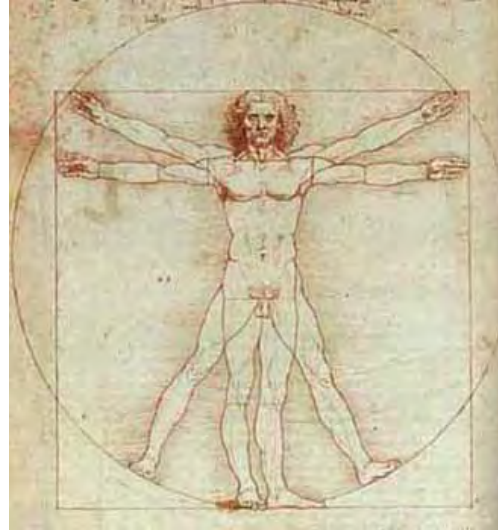
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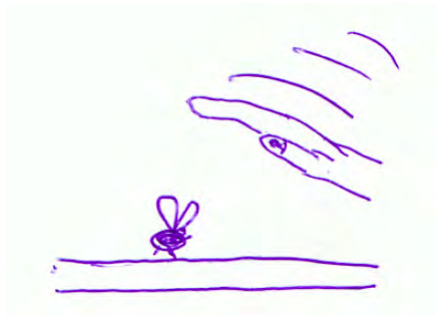
Human Reaction – How Fast is Fast?



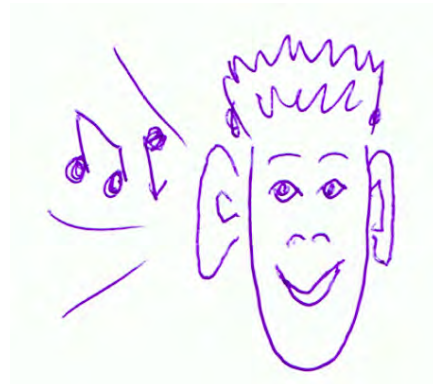
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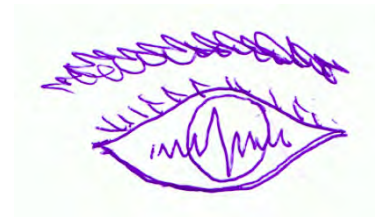
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100ms

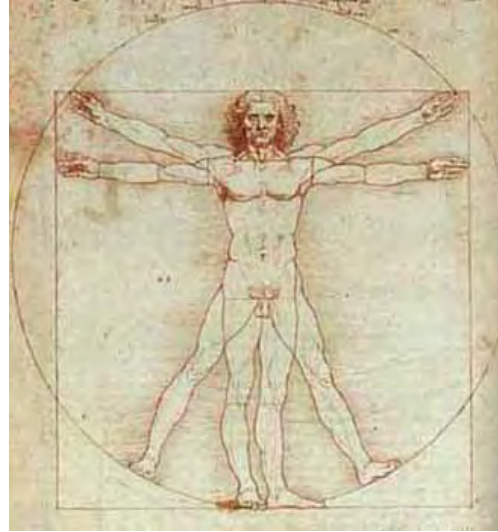


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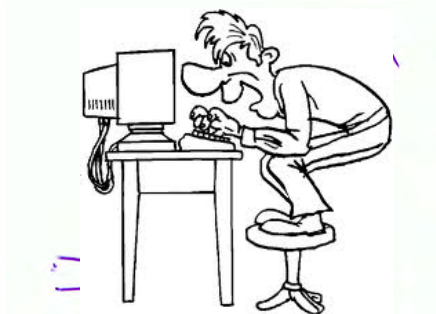


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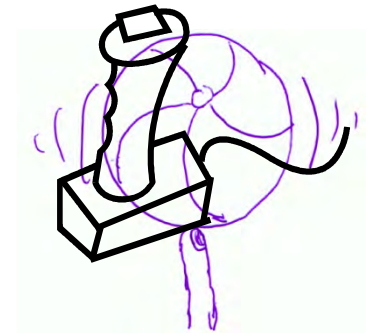
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10ms



1ms



Gaming...



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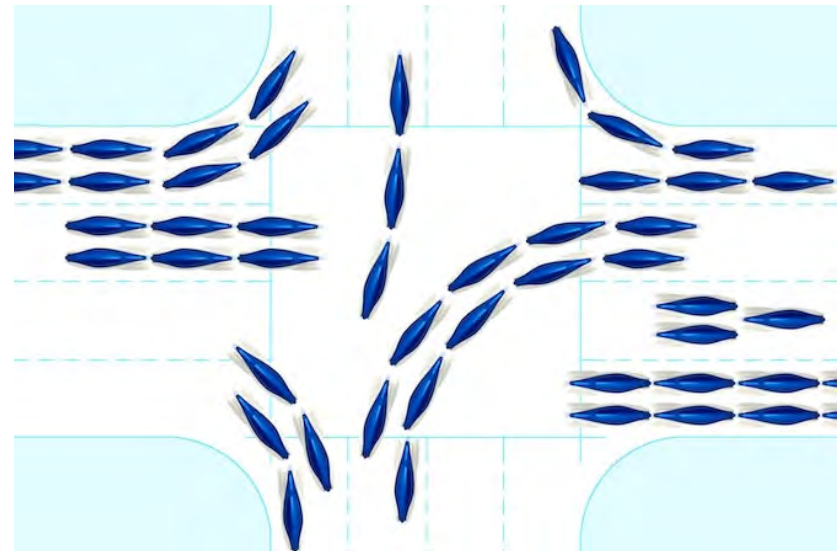
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■ Today's urban Traffic



Example: Urban Traffic at Arc de Triomphe

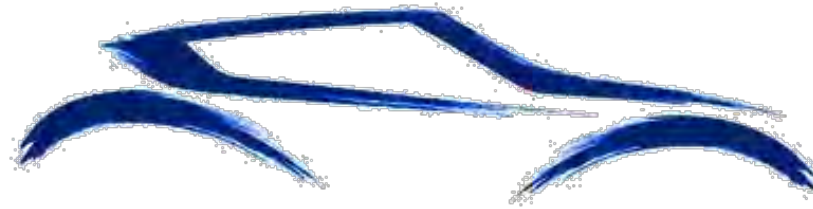
■ Future Vision



Remote Driving 2.0



- 1ms examples of today's cars: ESP, ABS



- Tomorrow: platooned ESP & ABS



Traffic Control



Wireless Airbags

Crash to impact:
10-15ms

- Crash sensor
- Trigger
- Air bag



Exoskeletons – “Power Limbs”



http://news.cnet.com/8301-17938_105-57532729-1/nasa-exoskeleton-suit-is-half-way-to-iron-man/



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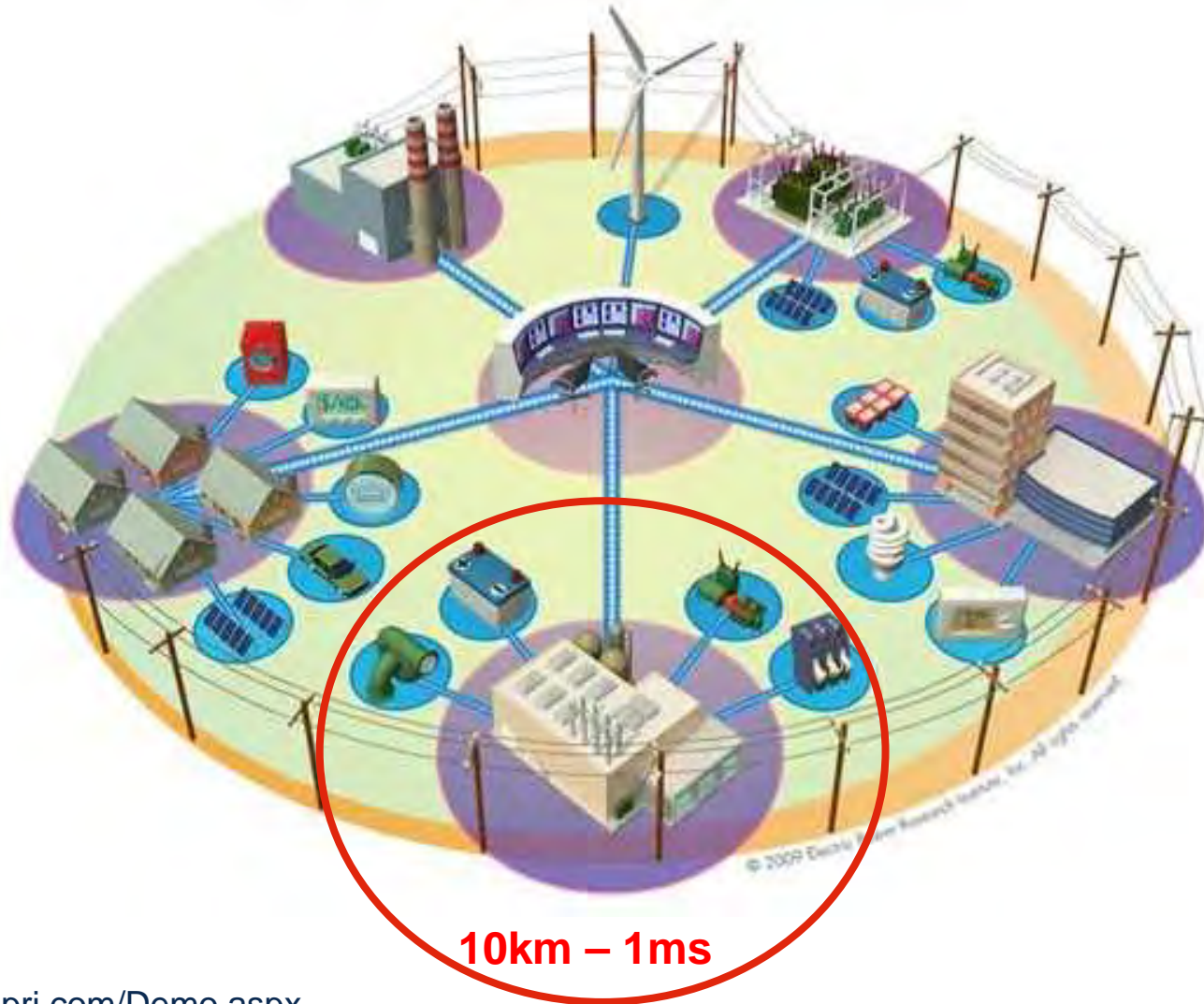
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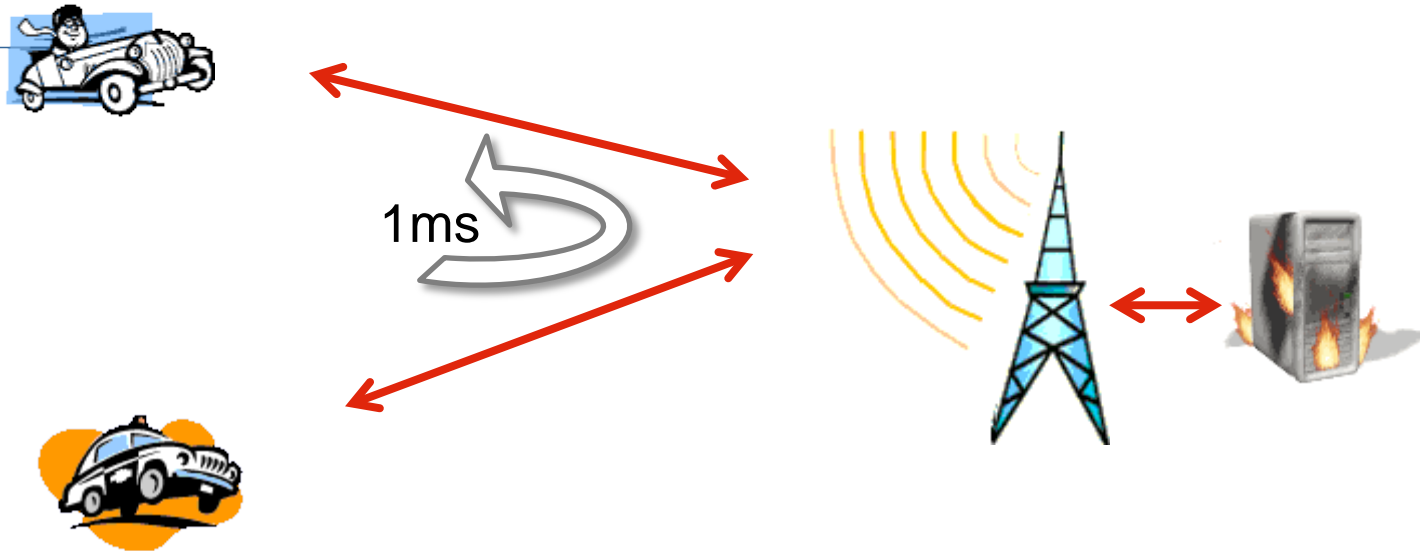
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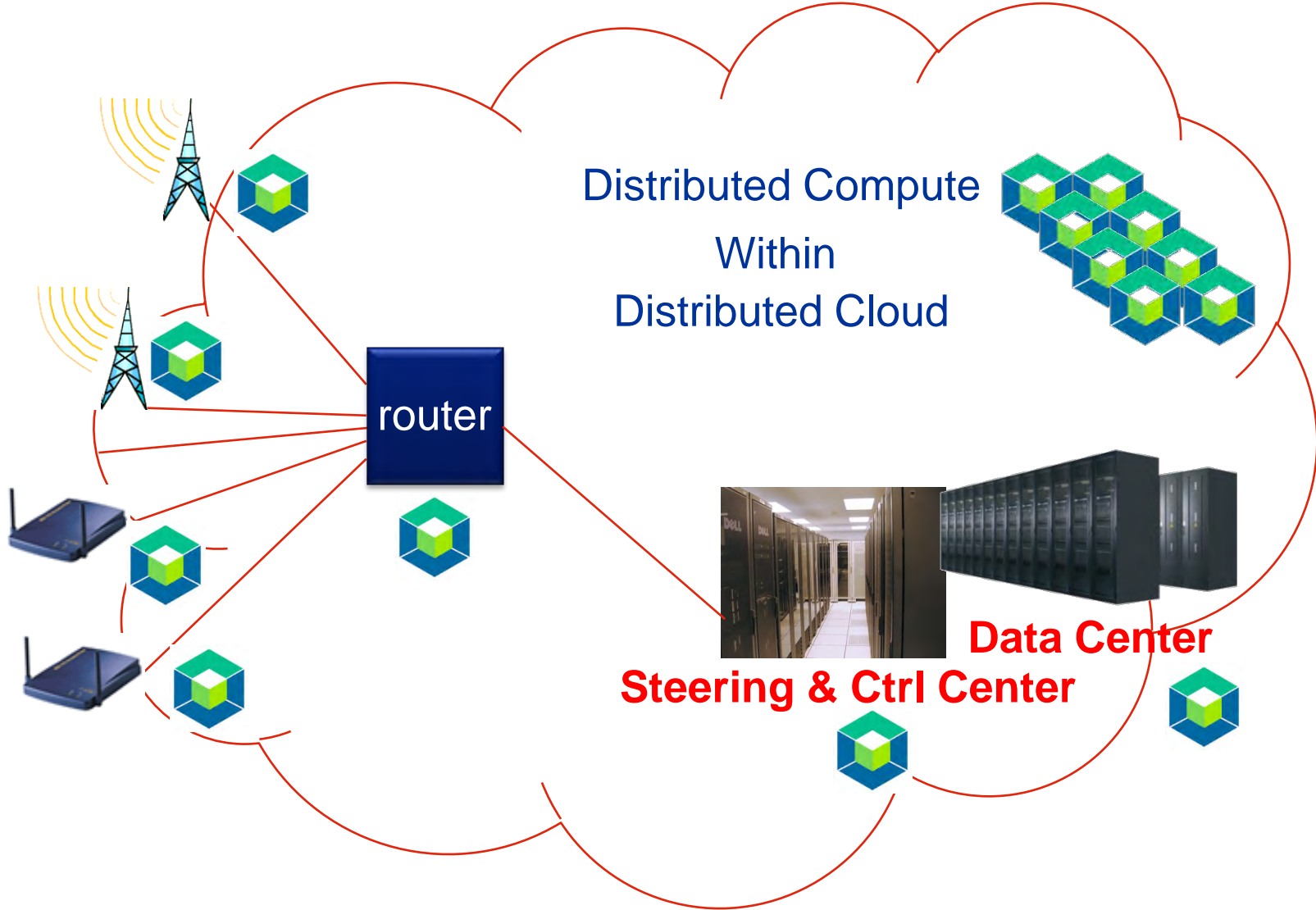
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Paradigm of 5G Cellular: Control



Traffic / Sports / Education / Health&Care / Manufacturing / Games / Smart Grid..





Content
Communications

Steering &
Control
Communications



Health & Care
Traffic
Sports
Education
Manufacturing
Games
Smart Grid
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For more on “Tactile Internet”

Youtube: “**Tactile Internet Gerhard**”

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_VXEPzQgpok

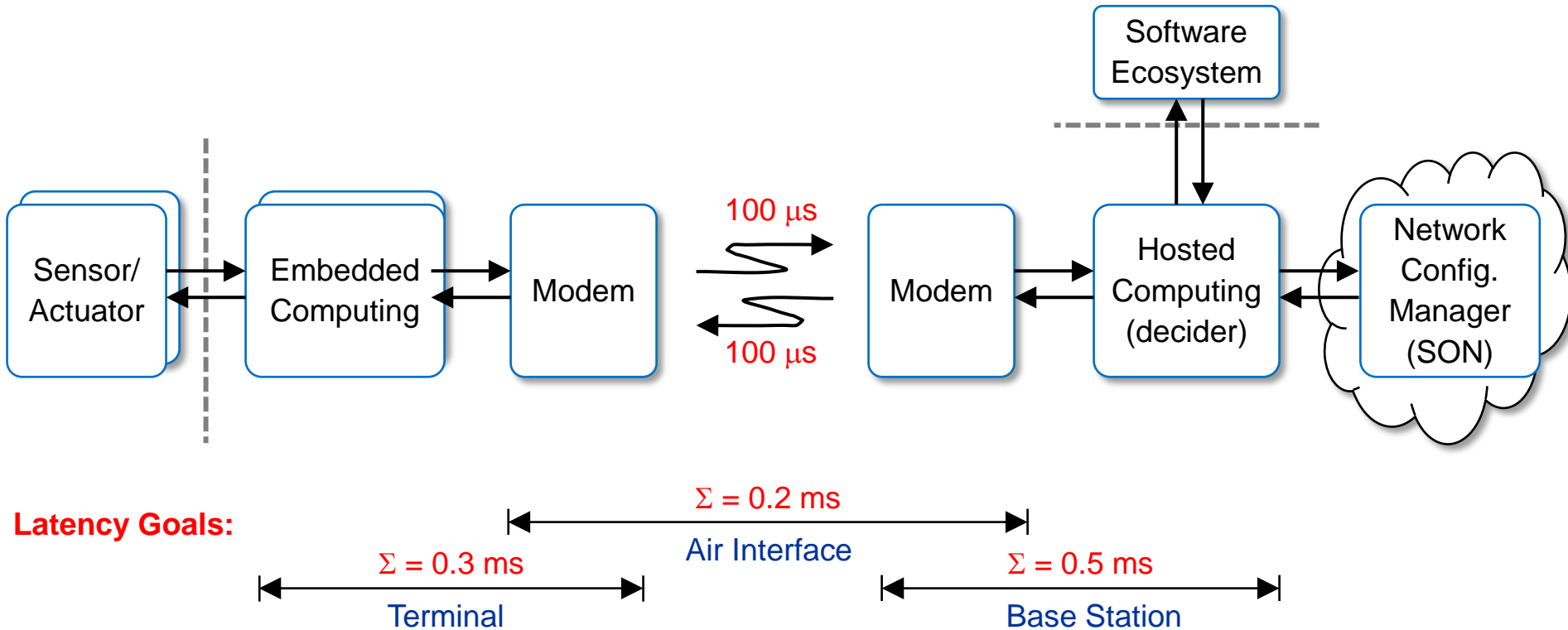
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10ms → 1ms Impact: 32μs Packet



5G

WHICH MODULATION?

Speed of light

$$c = 300km/ms$$

GSM: one GMSK symbol

$$3.7\mu s \triangleq 1100m$$

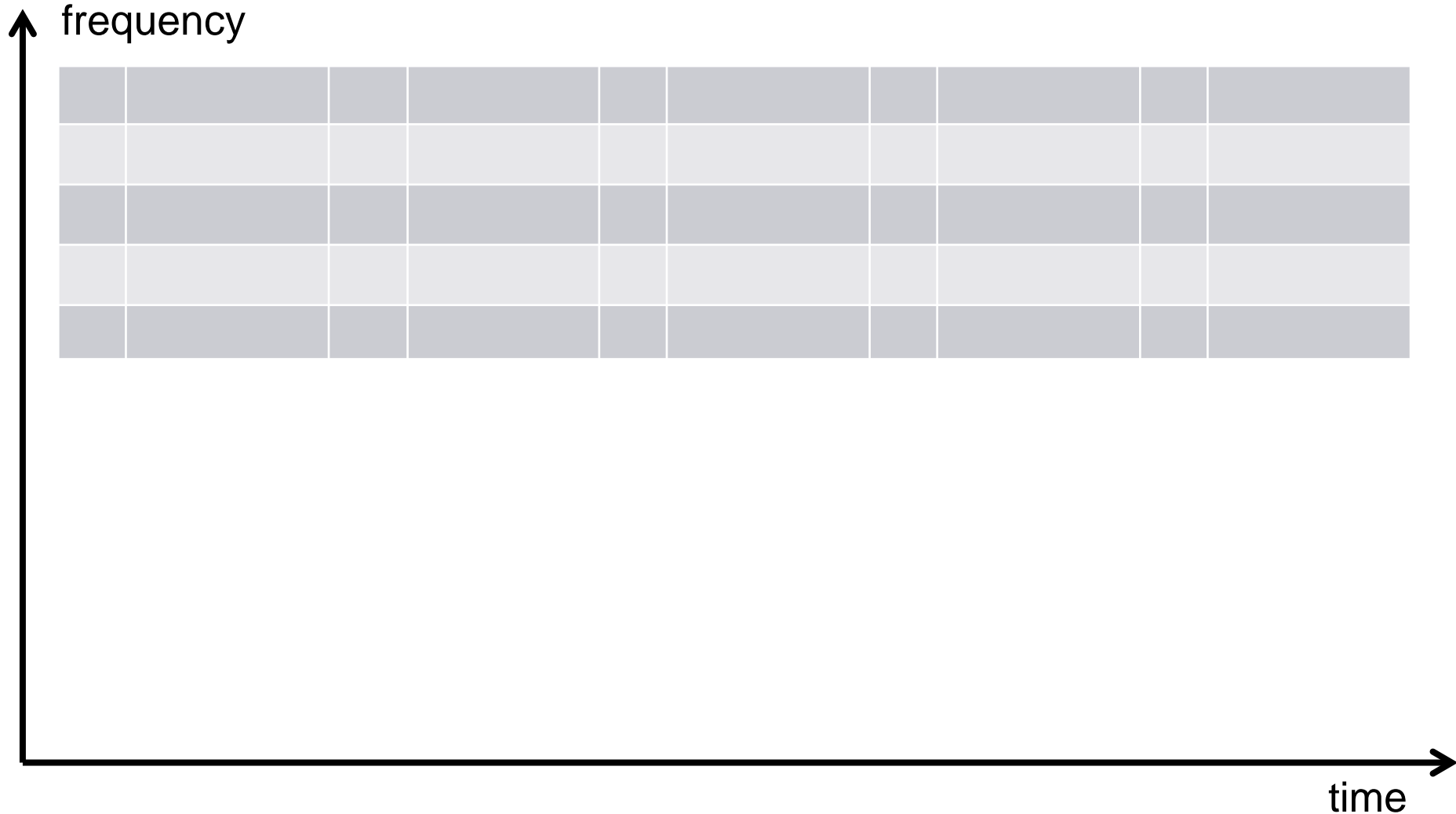
3G: one DS-CDMA chip

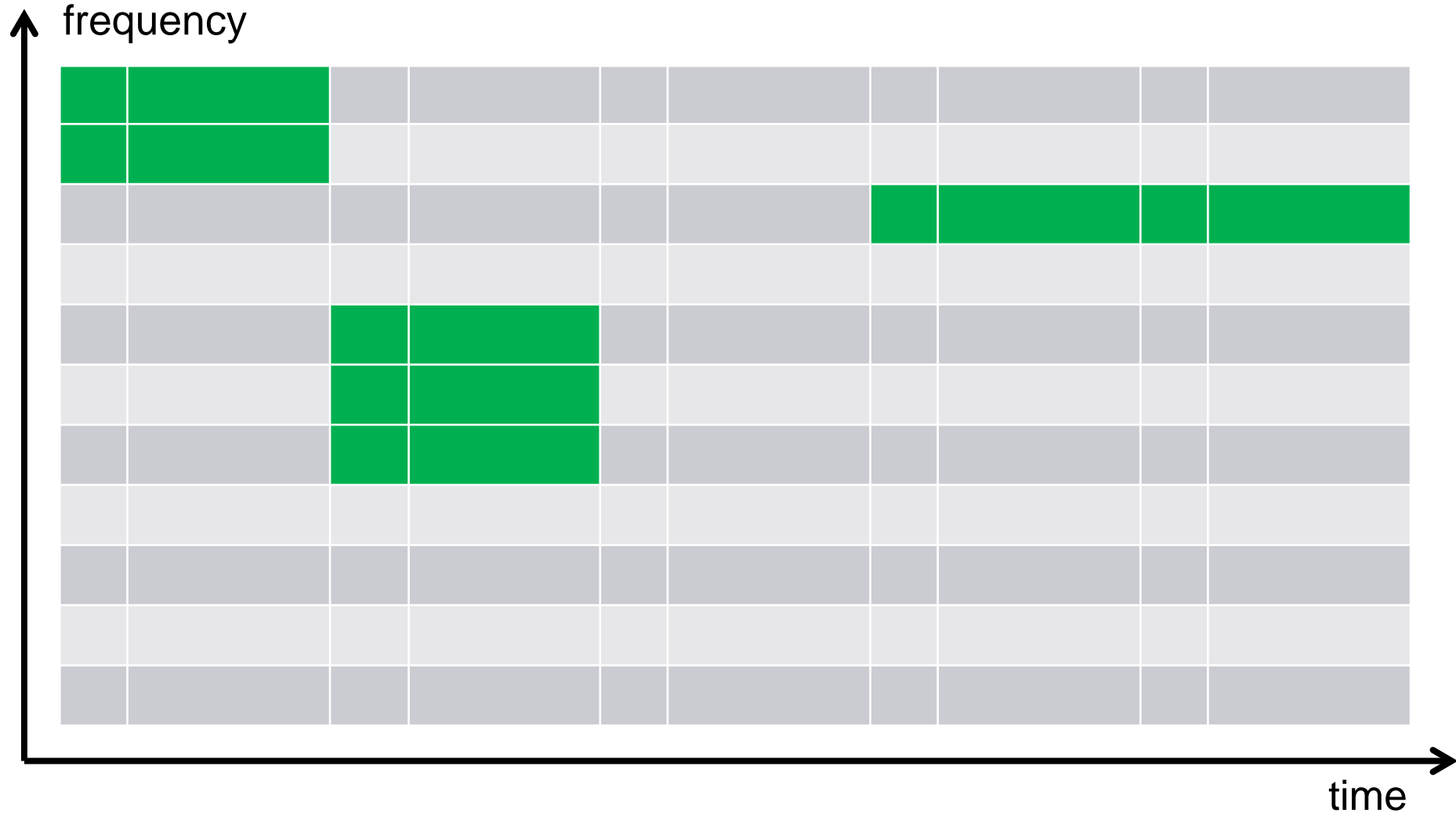
$$0.26\mu s \triangleq 78m$$

LTE: one OFDM symbol

$$70\mu s \triangleq 21km$$

Time-Frequency Grid of OFDM





- Variable channel bandwidth
- Scheduling & RRM
- Low complexity in signal processing

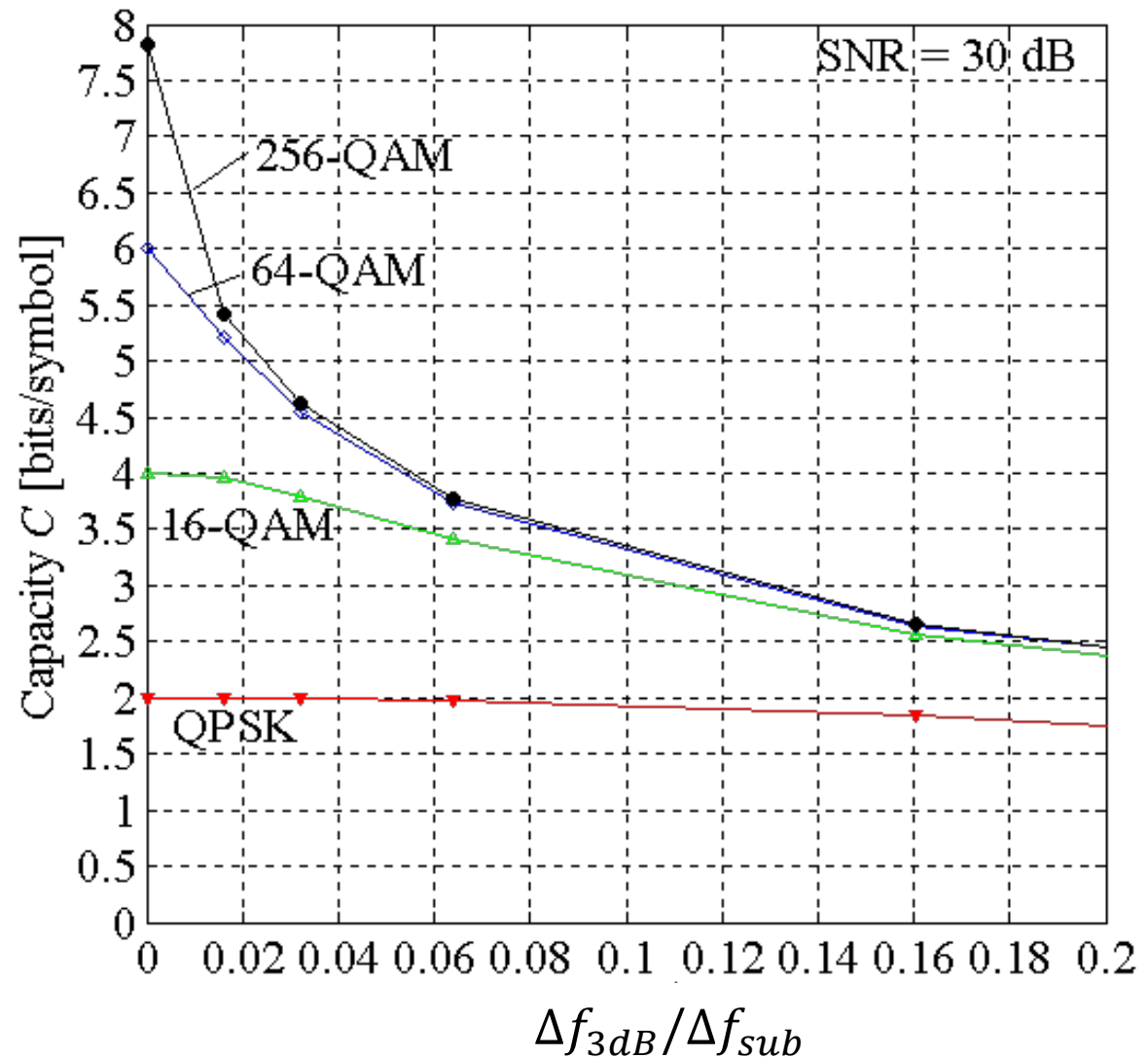
- Frequency synchronous operation and limits on phase noise
- Spectrum shaping: spectrum mask, spectrum aggregation, and ACLR
- Symbol design limitations: Subcarrier spacing / symbol duration
- ASA (Authorized Shared Access): Carrier sensing

$$\Delta f_{sub} = 1/T_{symbol}$$

A packet T_{packet} (TTI) of max. $32\mu s$ and at least 10 symbols:

$$\Delta f_{sub} \geq \frac{10}{T_{packet}} = \frac{1}{T_{symbol}} = 312.5kHz$$

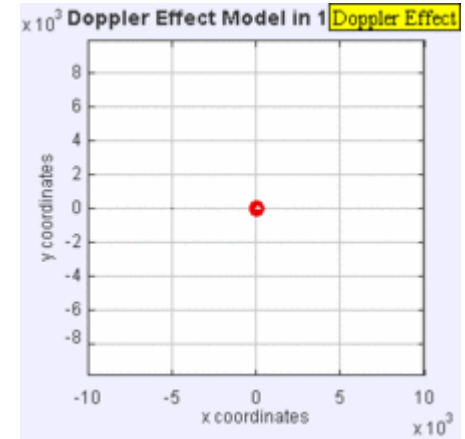
OFDM: Phase Noise Impairing Capacity



Δf_{sub} sub-carrier spacing

Doppler Spread (1)

$$B_d \cong 2 \frac{v}{\left[\frac{km}{h} \right]} \frac{f_c}{[GHz]}$$



<http://upload.wikimedia.org/wikipedia/commons/thumb/c/c9/Dopplereffectsourcemovingrightatmach0.7.gif/220px-Dopplereffectsourcemovingrightatmach0.7.gif>

4GHz carrier and 250km/h → 2kHz Doppler Spread!

$$\Delta f_{sub} \geq 200kHz$$

2kHz Doppler Spread:

→ approx. $500\mu\text{s}$ coherence time

→ CSI update period of $50\mu\text{s}$ sensible = T_{packet} (TTI) duration

coherence bandwidth $\geq 10x$ subcarrier spacing

$$B_c \geq 10 * \Delta f_{sub}$$

Assuming 1km “delay spread”

$$f_{sub} \leq \frac{B_c}{10} = \frac{1}{10 * 3\mu s} = 33kHz$$

Summarizing Multicarrier for 5G

Doppler Spread $\Delta f_{sub} \geq 200kHz$

Coherence Bandwidth $\Delta f_{sub} \leq 33kHz$

Coherence Time $T_{packet} \leq 50\mu s$

$$T_{symbol} \leq 5\mu s$$

$$\Delta f_{sub} \geq 200kHz$$

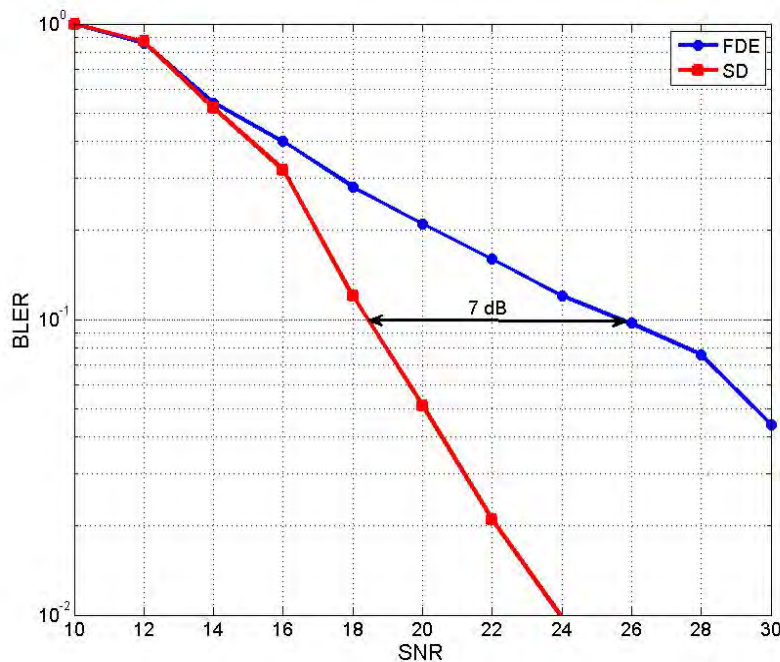
Latency $\Delta f_{sub} \geq 312.5kHz$

$$T_{packet} \leq 32\mu s$$

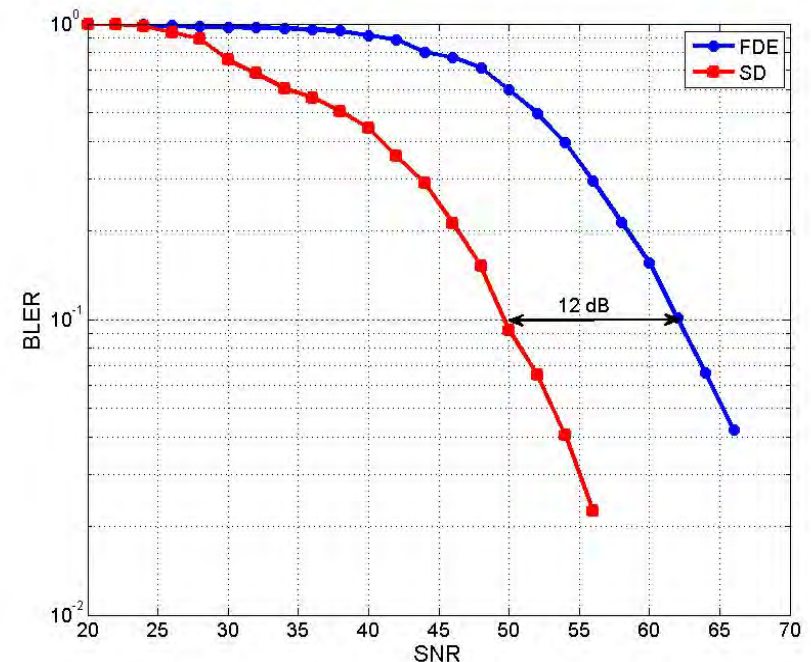
→ ISI on subcarriers

2-Stage Sphere-Detector for SC-FDMA Transmission over MIMO ISI Channel

- Correlation between antennas makes performance gain more pronounced
- Scenario: 4x4 MIMO, CQI 10 (64QAM, 0.455 code rate)



Uncorrelated channel



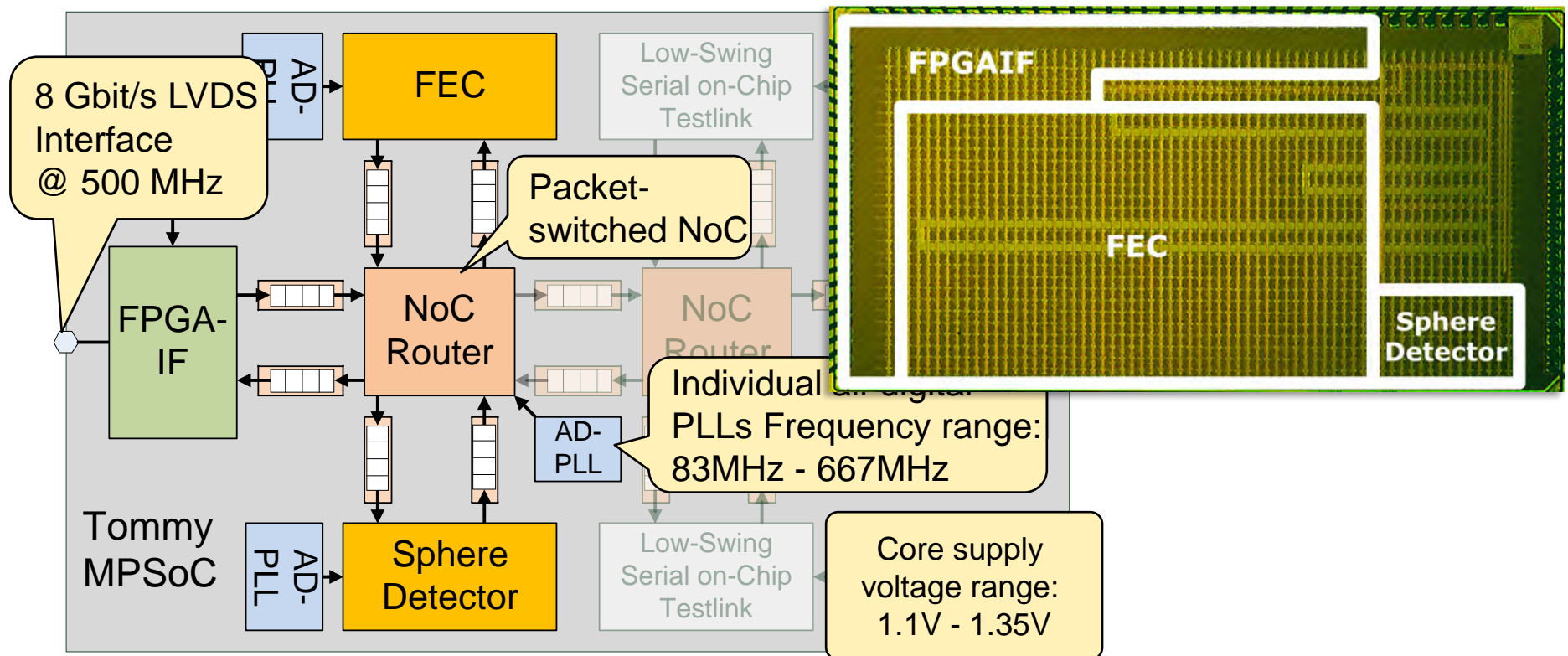
Channel Correlation 0.3

M. Jar, E. Matus, E. Pérez Adeva, E. Ohlmer and G. Fettweis

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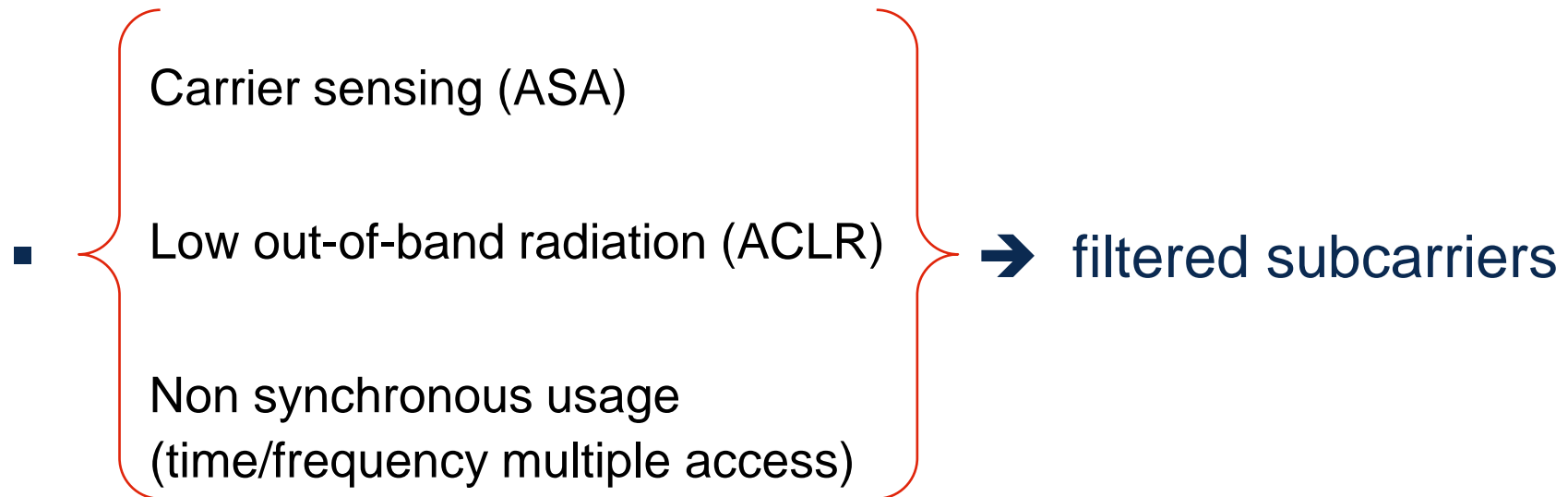
The „Tommy“ System-on-Chip

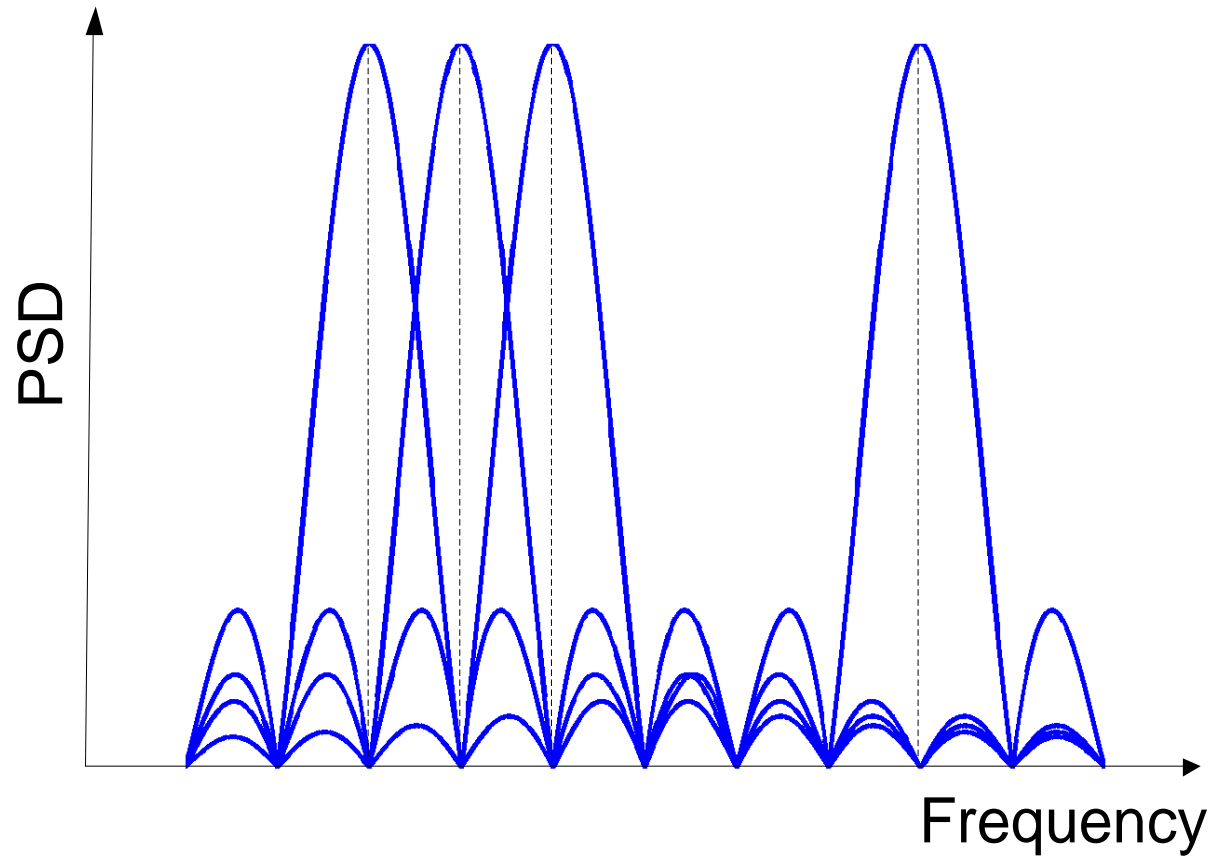
- 7.03 mm² die with 17 million transistors (65nm TSMC LP process)
- GALS SoC Approach
- 300Mbps @ 40mW Detection & 370mW Decoding

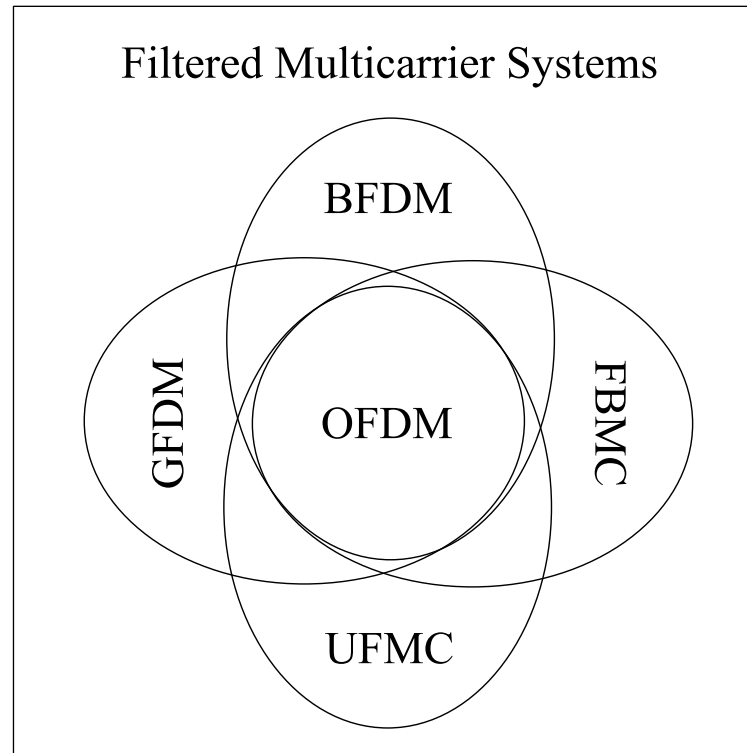


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- Multi-Carrier







5G NOW

OFDM	Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing
BFDM	Biorthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing
FBMC	Filter Banks Multicarrier
UFMC	Universal Filtered Multicarrier
GFDM	Generalized Frequency Division Multiplexing

GFDM Basic Idea

Generalized Frequency Division Multiplexing

G. Fettweis, M. Krondorf and S. Bittner

GFDM - Generalized Frequency Division Multiplexing

in *Proceedings of the 69th IEEE VTC Spring'09*, Barcelona, Spain, 26.4. - 29.4.2009

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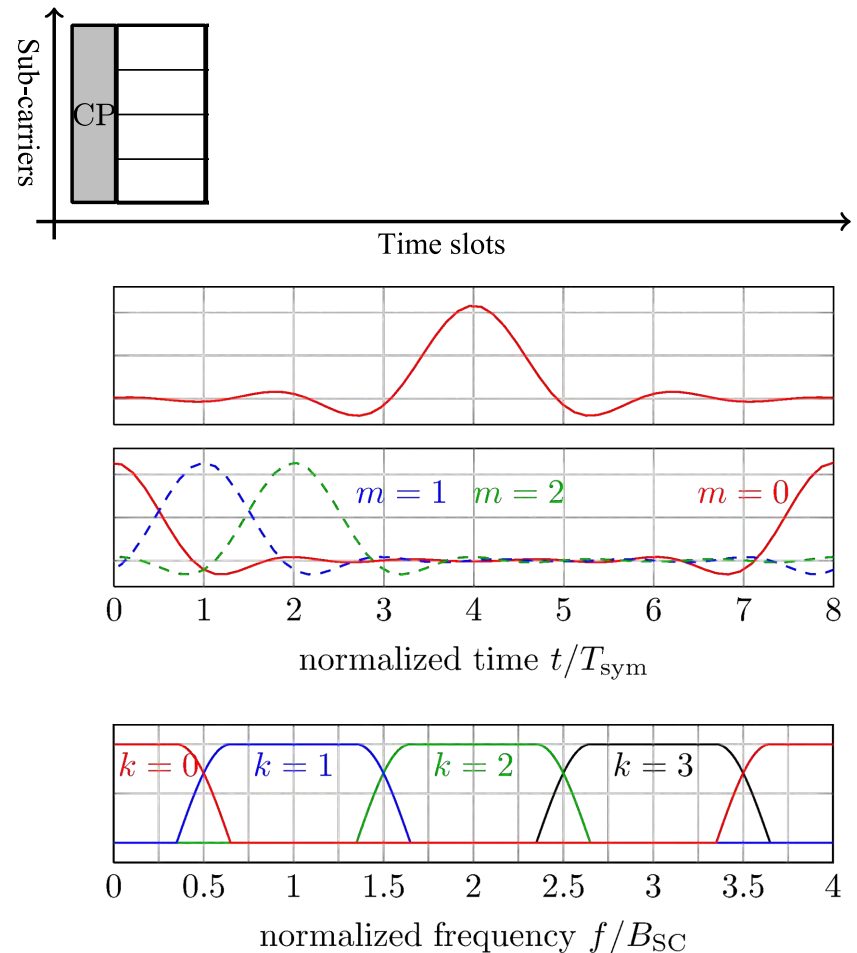
Multi-carrier scheme

Block based approach

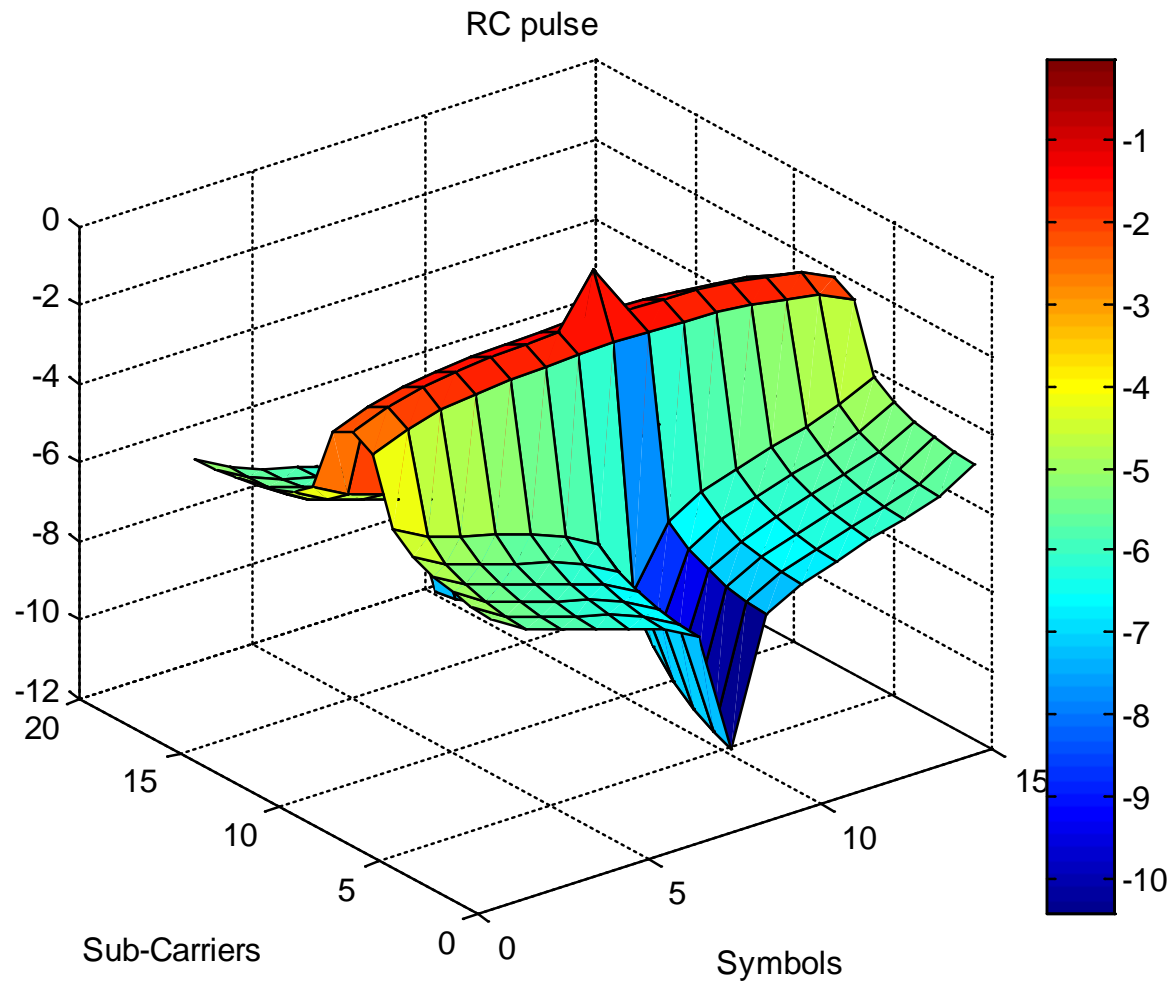
Circular signal structure (time and frequency)

Pulse shaped sub-carriers

Overlapping sub-carriers



Spectral Shaping: E.g. RC



Approach 1:
Superposition

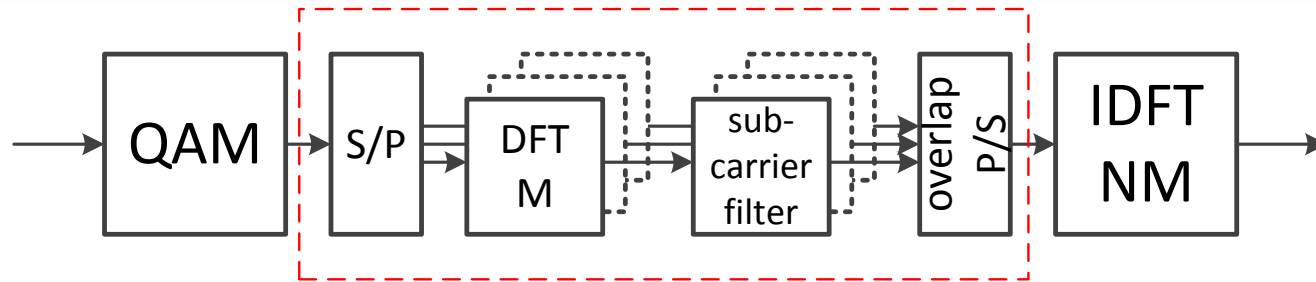
$$x[n] = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} d_{k,m} g[n] \delta[n - mN] e^{-j2\pi \frac{k}{N} n}$$

Approach 2:
Modulation matrix

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{A} \mathbf{d}$$

Approach 3:
Fourier transform

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{W}_{NM}^H \sum_{k=0}^{K-1} \mathbf{P}^{(k)} \mathbf{\Gamma}_{\text{Tx}}^{(L)} \mathbf{R}^{(L)} \mathbf{W}_M \mathbf{d}_k,$$



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transmits samples

$$\mathbf{W}_M = \{w_{i,j}\}_{M \times M}, \text{ where } w_{i,j} = e^{-j2\pi \frac{ij}{M}}$$

transform to time domain

$$\mathbf{R}^{(L)} = \left(\begin{array}{cccc} \mathbf{I}_M & \mathbf{I}_M & \cdots & \mathbf{I}_M \end{array} \right)^T$$

$$\mathbf{\Gamma}_{\text{Tx}}^{(L)} = \text{diag} \left(\mathbf{W}_{LM} \mathbf{g}_{\text{Tx}}^{(L)} \right)$$

$$\mathbf{P}^{(0)} = \left(\begin{array}{ccccc} \mathbf{I}_{LM/2} & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} & \cdots & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} \\ \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} & \cdots & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} & \mathbf{I}_{LM/2} \end{array} \right)^T$$

$$\mathbf{P}^{(1)} = \left(\begin{array}{ccccc} \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} & \mathbf{I}_{LM/2} & \cdots & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} \\ \mathbf{I}_{LM/2} & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} & \cdots & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} \end{array} \right)^T$$

superposition

permutation = upconversion

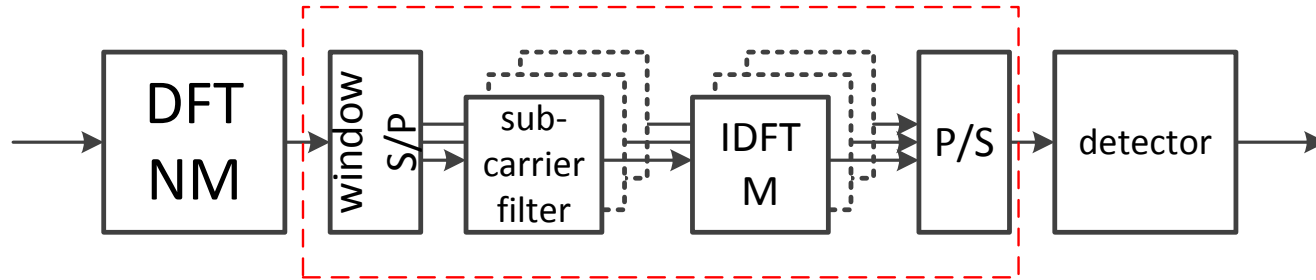
pulse shaping

repetition = upsampling

transform to freq. domain

complex data

k sub-carrier index
 M number of time slots per block
 L width of the filter (freq. domain)
 N total number of sub-carriers



$$\hat{\mathbf{d}}_k = \mathbf{W}_M^H \left(\mathbf{R}^{(L)} \right)^T \mathbf{\Gamma}_{\text{Rx}}^{(L)} \left(\mathbf{P}^{(k)} \right)^T \mathbf{W}_{NM} \mathbf{y}$$

received data

$$\mathbf{W}_M = \{w_{i,j}\}_{M \times M}, \text{ where } w_{i,j} = e^{-j2\pi \frac{ij}{M}}$$

with $i, j = 0, \dots, M-1$

$$\mathbf{R}^{(L)} = \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{I}_M & \mathbf{I}_M & \dots \\ & & \end{pmatrix}}_L$$

$$\mathbf{\Gamma}_{\text{Tx}}^{(L)} = \text{diag} \left(\mathbf{W}_{LM} \mathbf{g}_{\text{Tx}}^{(L)} \right)$$

$$\mathbf{P}^{(0)} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{I}_{LM/2} & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} & \dots & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} \\ \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} & \dots & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} & \mathbf{I}_{LM/2} \end{pmatrix}^T$$

$$\mathbf{P}^{(1)} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} & \mathbf{I}_{LM/2} & \dots & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} \\ \mathbf{I}_{LM/2} & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} & \dots & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} & \mathbf{0}_{LM/2} \end{pmatrix}^T$$

receive filter

sub-carrier selection

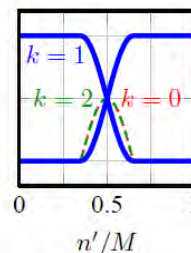
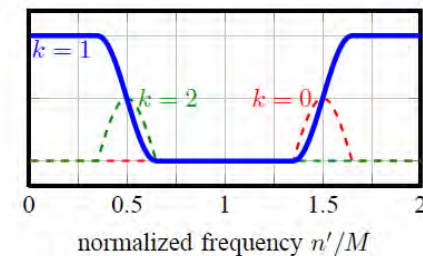
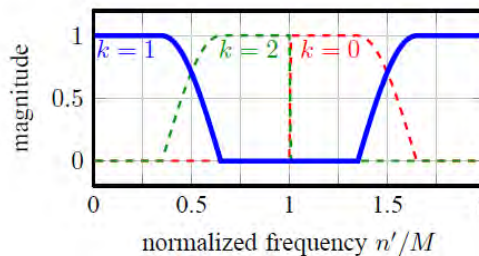
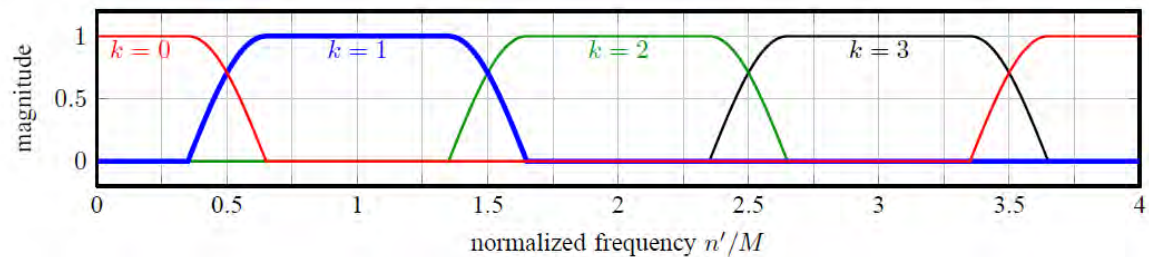
transform to frequency domain

receive samples

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- N total number of sub-carriers

Performing signal processing in frequency domain allows low complexity version of transmitter and receiver.

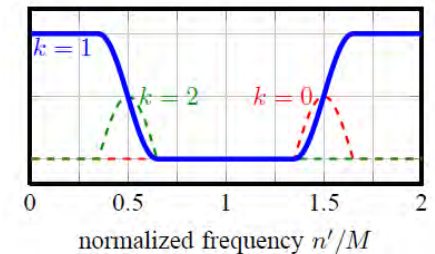
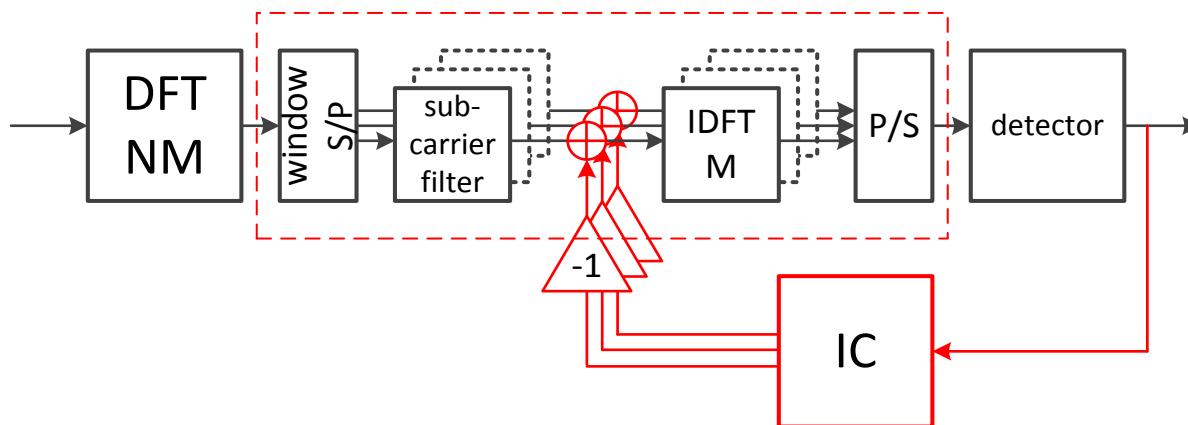
- Pulse shaping filter is sparse in frequency domain
- Convolution becomes multiplication
- Decimation becomes superposition



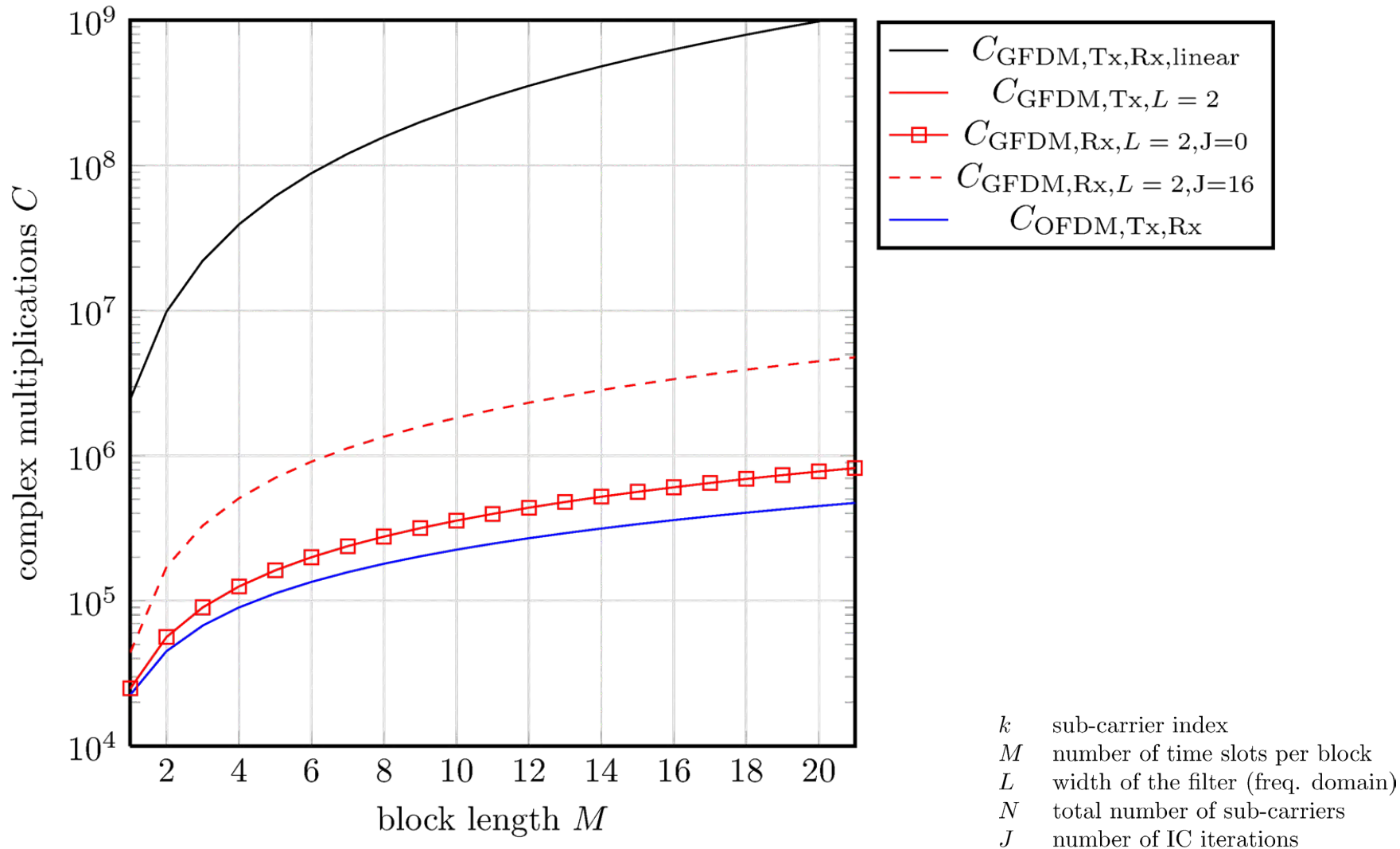
k sub-carrier index
 n' time sample index
 M number of time slots per block

Per sub-carrier successive interference cancellation (IC) can be performed in frequency domain.

Receiver with IC



$$N = 2048, K = 1200$$

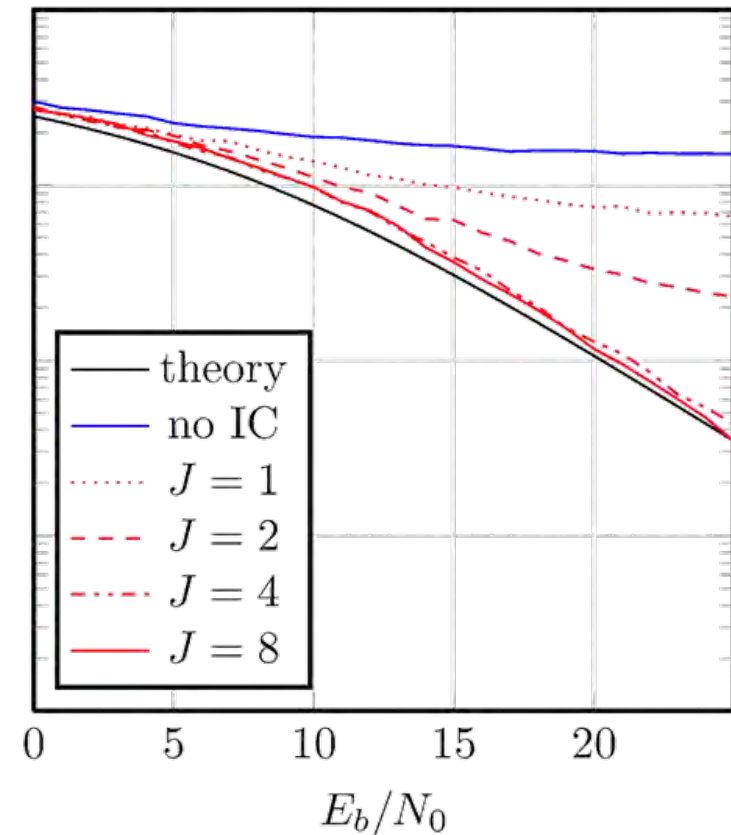
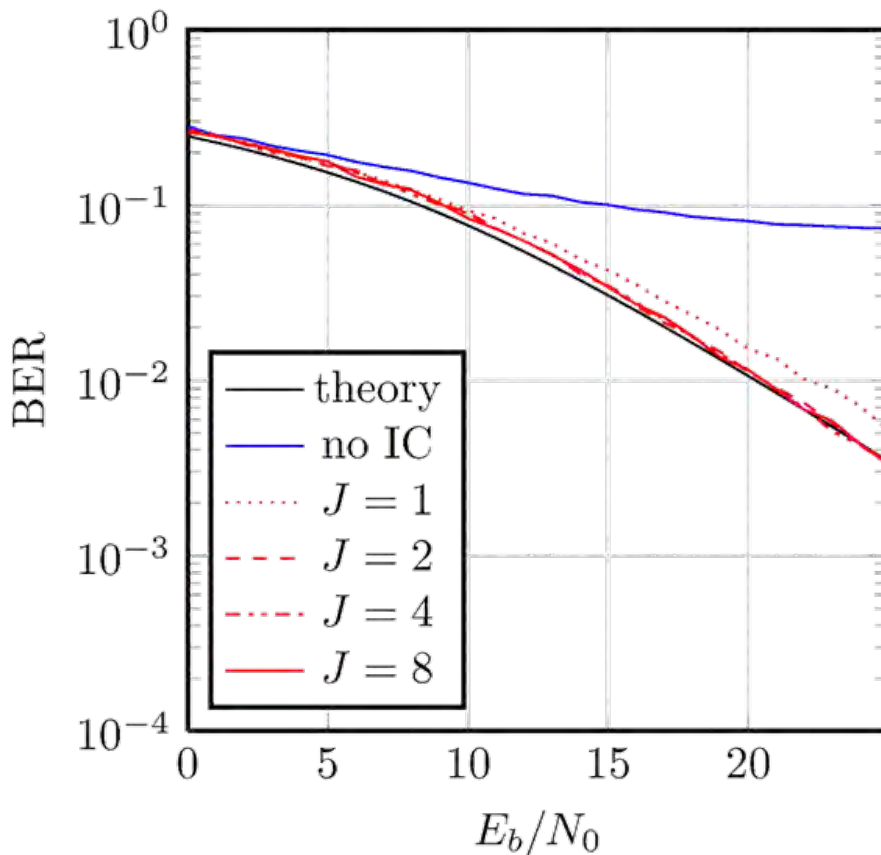


Rayleigh
multipath

64QAM, RRC, $\alpha=0.2$

64QAM, RRC, $\alpha=0.4$

256QAM, RRC, $\alpha=0.4$



CONCLUSIONS

The Tactile Internet Is Arriving With 5G

<i>Modulation</i>	OFDMA	GFDM
Spectrum Shaping	spectrum mask, spectrum aggregation, and ACLR	Time-frequency spectrum engineering
Synchronous Operation	Requires frequency synchronous OFDMA and low phase noise	Robust against frequency offsets
Symbol Design	Physical limitations	FDE per subcarrier allows for flexibility

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