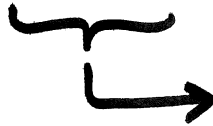


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7.2 Show that for any real numbers  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ ,

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \exp\{\alpha \cos(\varphi) - \beta \sin(\varphi)\} d\varphi/2\pi = I_0(\sqrt{\alpha^2 + \beta^2}).$$

*Hint:* Write  $\alpha \cos(\varphi) - \beta \sin(\varphi)$  as  $\sqrt{\alpha^2 + \beta^2} \cos(\varphi + \psi)$ , where  $\psi$  is defined by

$$\sin(\psi) = \beta/\sqrt{\alpha^2 + \beta^2}$$

and

$$\cos(\psi) = \alpha/\sqrt{\alpha^2 + \beta^2}.$$

In other words,  $\psi = \tan^{-1}(\beta/\alpha)$ . This shows that the original integral is equal to

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \exp\{\sqrt{\alpha^2 + \beta^2} \cos(\varphi + \psi)\} d\varphi/2\pi.$$

Now use the fact that  $\cos(\theta)$  is periodic in  $\theta$  to obtain the desired result.

MBP 7.2 Solution from Lecture Notes

Relating Integral to  $I_0(z)$  modified Bessel function of first kind of order zero

$$I_0(z) = \int_0^{2\pi} \exp\{z \cos \theta\} \frac{d\theta}{2\pi}$$

Properties:  $I_0(-z) = I_0(z)$

$$|z_1| < |z_2| \implies I_0(z_1) < I_0(z_2)$$

Then in **(\*\*)** let  $a = \alpha_0 u_0 / \sigma_0^2$ ,  $b = \alpha_0 v_0 / \sigma_0^2$  and define

$$\cos \psi = \frac{a}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}} \quad \sin \psi = \frac{b}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}$$

Then

$$\text{(**)} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \exp\{a \cos \varphi - b \sin \varphi\} d\varphi$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \exp\left\{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \left[ \cos \psi \cos \varphi - \sin \psi \sin \varphi \right]\right\} d\varphi$$

$$\cos(\psi + \varphi)$$

(\*\*) =  $\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \exp\left\{\sqrt{a^2+b^2} \cos(\varphi + \varphi)\right\} d\varphi$  make C.O.V.  
 $\theta = \varphi + \varphi$

and use periodicity of cosine

=  $\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \exp\left\{\sqrt{a^2+b^2} \cos \theta\right\} d\theta$

=  $I_0(\sqrt{a^2+b^2}) =$   ~~$I_0\left(\frac{\sqrt{u_0^2+v_0^2}}{\delta_0}\right)$~~

~~the same way~~  
 ~~$f_0(u_0, v_0, u_1, v_1) = g_1(u_1, v_1) g_0(u_0, v_0) e^{-\frac{\alpha_0^2}{2\delta_0^2}(\sqrt{u_0^2+v_0^2})}$~~   
 ~~$f_1(u_0, v_0, u_1, v_1) = g_0(u_1, v_1) g_1(u_0, v_0) e^{-\frac{\alpha_1^2}{2\delta_1^2}(\sqrt{u_1^2+v_1^2})}$~~

7.3 In Section 7.5, the random variable  $R_0$  is defined by

$$R_0 = \sqrt{U_0^2 + V_0^2},$$

where  $U_0$  and  $V_0$  are independent Gaussian random variables,  $\text{Var}\{U_0\} = \text{Var}\{V_0\} = \sigma^2$ ,  $E\{U_0\} = u_0$ , and  $E\{V_0\} = v_0$ .

- (a) For the random variable  $R_0$  in place of  $R_1$ , repeat the steps used in going from (7.42) to (7.49) and apply the results of Problem 7.2 to conclude that the density function for  $R_0$  is given by

$$f_{R_0}(r) = \begin{cases} (r/\sigma^2) \exp\{-(r^2 + c^2)/2\sigma^2\} I_0(cr/\sigma^2), & r \geq 0, \\ 0, & r < 0, \end{cases}$$

where  $c = \sqrt{u_0^2 + v_0^2}$ . This density function is known as the *Rician density*.

- (b) Show that the Rician density reduces to the Rayleigh density if  $u_0 = v_0 = 0$ .

MBP 7.3

$$R_o = + \sqrt{U_o^2 + V_o^2}$$

$$U_o \perp V_o$$

$$U_o \sim N(\mu_o, \sigma^2)$$

$$V_o \sim N(\nu_o, \sigma^2)$$

(a) Prove that  $R_o$  is a Ricean r.v. with the pdf shown.

Let  $F_{R_o}(r_o)$  denote the cdf of  $R_o$  is

$$F_{R_o}(r_o) = \Pr(R_o \leq r_o) \quad \text{where } -\infty < r_o < +\infty$$

First note that  $R_o \geq 0$  owing to its definition as the positive square root given above. Thus

$$F_{R_o}(r_o) = 0 \quad \text{for } r_o < 0$$

Now assuming  $r_o \geq 0$ . Then

$$F_{R_o}(r_o) = \Pr(R_o \leq r_o) = \Pr(R_o^2 \leq r_o^2)$$

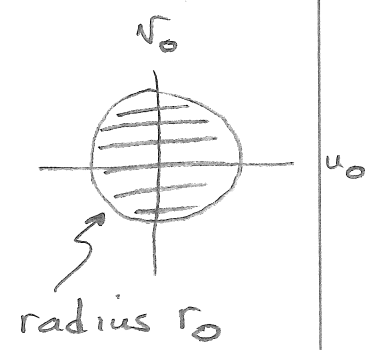
$$= \Pr(U_o^2 + V_o^2 \leq r_o^2)$$

$$= \iint \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} e^{-\frac{(u_o - \mu_o)^2}{2\sigma^2}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} e^{-\frac{(v_o - \nu_o)^2}{2\sigma^2}} du_o dv_o$$

$$\Delta(r_o)$$

where

$$\Delta(r_o) = \left\{ (u_o, v_o) : \sqrt{u_o^2 + v_o^2} \leq r_o \right\}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 & (u_0 - \mu_0)^2 + (v_0 - u_0)^2 \\
 &= u_0^2 - 2u_0\mu_0 + \mu_0^2 + v_0^2 - 2v_0u_0 + u_0^2
 \end{aligned}$$

Then can write

$$F_{R_0}(r_0) = \frac{1}{2\pi\sigma^2} \iint_{\Delta(r_0)} e^{-\frac{[u_0^2 + v_0^2 - 2(\mu_0 u_0 + v_0 v_0) + \mu_0^2 + v_0^2]}{2\sigma^2}} du_0 dv_0$$

Now we change to polar coordinates via

$$\begin{aligned}
 u_0 &= \rho \cos \theta & v_0 &= \rho \sin \theta & \left\{ \begin{aligned} u_0^2 + v_0^2 &= \rho^2 \\ \mu_0 u_0 + v_0 v_0 &= \\ \mu_0 \rho \cos \theta + v_0 \rho \sin \theta &= \\ &= (\mu_0 \cos \theta + v_0 \sin \theta) \rho \end{aligned} \right. \\
 du_0 dv_0 &= \rho d\rho d\theta
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow F_{R_0}(r_0) = \frac{1}{2\pi\sigma^2} \iint_{\Delta(r_0)} e^{-\frac{[\rho^2 - 2\rho(\mu_0 \cos \theta + v_0 \sin \theta) + \mu_0^2 + v_0^2]}{2\sigma^2}} \rho d\rho d\theta$$

Note:  $\Delta(r_0) = \left\{ (u_0, v_0) : \sqrt{u_0^2 + v_0^2} \leq r_0 \right\}$   
 $= \left\{ (\rho, \theta) : 0 \leq \rho \leq r_0, 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi \right\}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & c^2 \triangleq \mu_0^2 + v_0^2 \\
 F_{R_0}(r_0) &= \frac{1}{2\pi\sigma^2} \int_0^{r_0} \int_0^{2\pi} \rho e^{-\frac{[\rho^2 + c^2]}{2\sigma^2}} e^{\frac{\rho[\mu_0 \cos \theta + v_0 \sin \theta]}{\sigma^2}} d\theta d\rho
 \end{aligned}$$

Iterating the integral

$$\bar{F}_{R_0}(r_0) = \int_0^{r_0} \frac{\rho}{\sigma^2} e^{-[r^2 + c^2]/2\sigma^2} \underbrace{\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} e^{\rho[\mu_0 \cos \theta + \nu_0 \sin \theta]/\sigma^2} d\theta}_{dp}$$

↓ Look closely at this integral which is similar to that covered in class and in MBP 7.2

$$J(\rho/\mu_0, \nu_0, \sigma^2) \triangleq \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} e^{\rho[\mu_0 \cos \theta + \nu_0 \sin \theta]/\sigma^2} d\theta$$

Following the class notes define

$$a = \rho\mu_0/\sigma^2 \quad b = -\rho\nu_0/\sigma^2$$

whence

$$J = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} e^{a \cos \theta - b \sin \theta} d\theta$$

$$a \cos \theta - b \sin \theta = \operatorname{Re} \left\{ (a + jb) e^{j\theta} \right\}$$

Convert  $a + jb = \gamma e^{j\phi}$  to polar form. Then

$$\gamma = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \quad \text{and } \phi \text{ is st. } \gamma \cos \phi = a \quad \text{and} \\ \gamma \sin \phi = b$$

$$\Rightarrow a \cos \theta - b \sin \theta = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} \cos(\theta + \phi)$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore J &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} e^{\sqrt{a^2+b^2} \cos(\theta+\phi)} d\theta \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} e^{\sqrt{a^2+b^2} \cos\psi} d\psi \quad \text{by periodicity} \\
 &\triangleq I_0(\sqrt{a^2+b^2})
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 a^2+b^2 &= \rho^2 (\mu_0^2 + \nu_0^2) / \sigma^4 \\
 &= \rho^2 c^2 / \sigma^4
 \end{aligned}$$

$$J = I_0\left(\frac{\rho c}{\sigma^2}\right)$$

Substituting back:

$$f_{R_0}(r_0) = \int_0^{r_0} \frac{\rho}{\sigma^2} e^{-[\rho^2+c^2]/2\sigma^2} I_0\left(\frac{\rho c}{\sigma^2}\right) d\rho$$

$\Rightarrow$  density function for r.v.  $R_0$  is the integrand and its known as the Ricean density

$$f_{R_0}(r_0) = \begin{cases} \frac{r_0}{\sigma^2} e^{-[r_0^2+c^2]/2\sigma^2} I_0\left(\frac{r_0 c}{\sigma^2}\right) & r_0 \geq 0 \\ 0 & r_0 < 0 \end{cases}$$

(b) Consider the zero mean case  $\mu_0 = \nu_0 = 0$ .

$\implies c = 0$

Note that  $I_0(0) = 1$  so

$$f_{R_0}(r_0) \rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{r_0}{\sigma^2} e^{-r_0^2/2\sigma^2} & r_0 \geq 0 \\ 0 & r_0 < 0. \end{cases}$$

which is the Rayleigh density.

- 7.4 Consider the receiver shown in Figure 7-6 with  $w_0(t) = w_1(t) = p_T(t)$  and  $\theta_i(t) = (\omega_i - \omega_c)t$ . Assume that the LS decision rule is used. The transmitted signals are given by  $s_i(t) = \sqrt{2} A a_i(t) p_T(t) \cos(\omega_i t + \varphi_i)$  for  $i = 1$  and  $i = 0$ . The amplitude shaping is not the same for the two signals. The signal  $a_0(t)$  is the sine pulse of duration  $T$  and  $a_1(t)$  is the unit-amplitude triangular pulse of duration  $T$ ; that is,  $a_0(t) = \sin(\pi t/T) p_T(t)$  and  $a_1(t) = 2t/T$  for  $0 \leq t \leq \frac{1}{2}T$ , and  $a_1(t) = 2 - (2t/T)$  for  $\frac{1}{2}T < t \leq T$ . Assume that  $\omega_1 > \omega_0 \gg 1/T$ ,  $\omega_i = 2\pi n_i/T$  for some integer  $n_i$ , and  $\omega_1 - \omega_0$  is sufficiently large that, for any phase angle  $\varphi$ ,

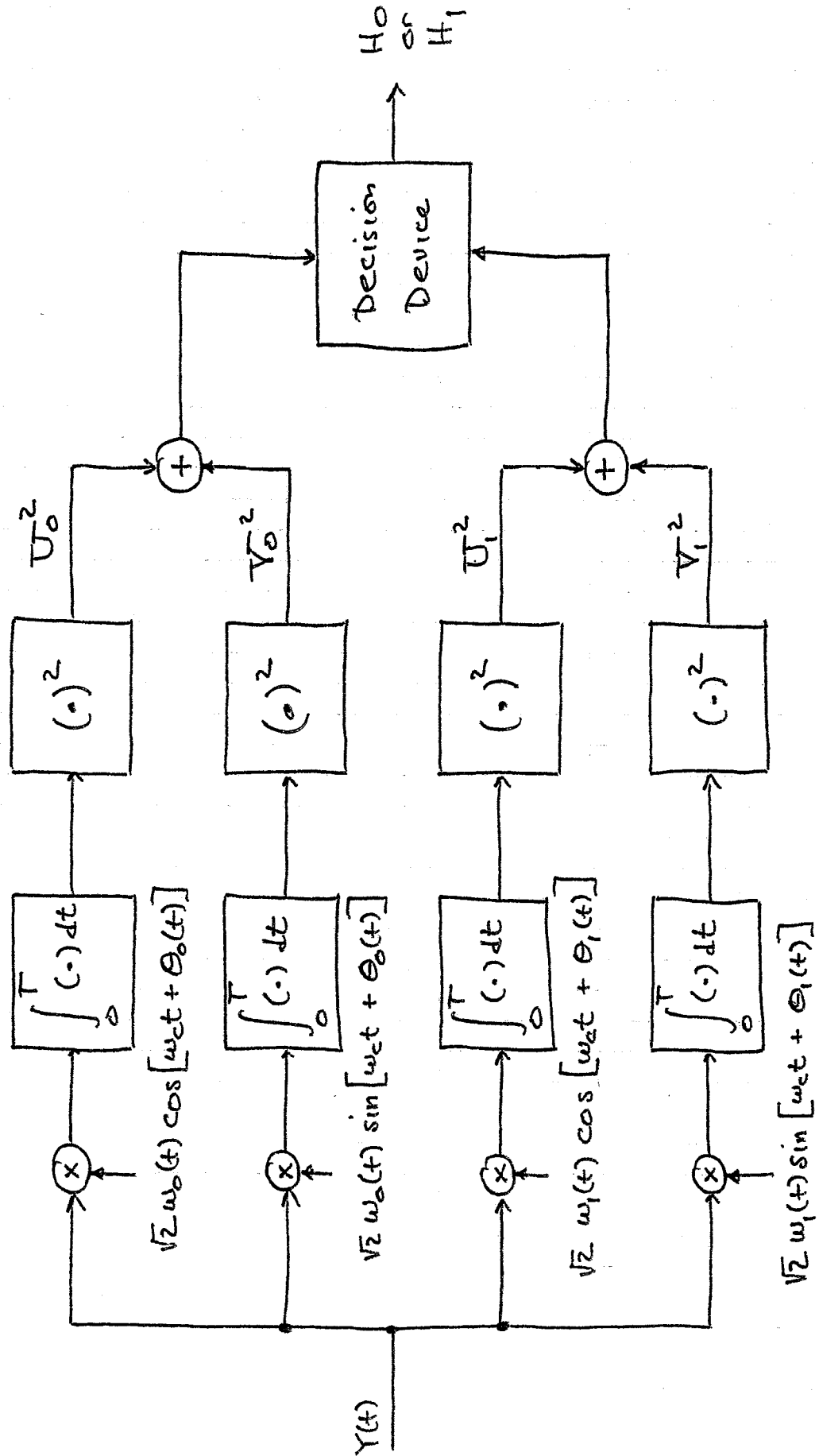
$$\int_0^T s_i(t) \cos(\omega_k t + \varphi) dt = 0$$

if  $i \neq k$ . The channel is an additive white Gaussian noise channel with spectral density  $N_0/2$ .

- (a) Give a simple closed-form expression (no integrals) for the conditional error probability  $P_{e,0}$  in terms of  $A$ ,  $T$ , and  $N_0$ .
- (b) Give a simple closed-form expression for  $P_{e,1}$  in terms of  $A$ ,  $T$ , and  $N_0$ .
- (c) Are these two error probabilities the same? Should they be the same for the given system and signal set? Explain why or why not.
- (d) Does the LS decision rule give a minimax decision based on the statistics  $R_1^2$  and  $R_0^2$ ? Explain your answer.

Example: MBP Prob. 7.4

Consider subopt. receiver of Fig. 7-6:



Assume:  $w_0(t) = w_1(t) = p_T(t)$ ;  $\theta_i(t) = (w_i - w_c)t$   $i=0,1$

• The LS (largest statistic)  $d_r$  is used.

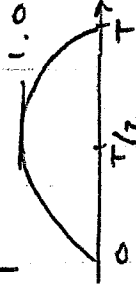
• Transmitted signals are

$$S_i(t) = \sqrt{2} A a_i(t) \cos(\omega_i t + \varphi) \quad i=0,1$$

where

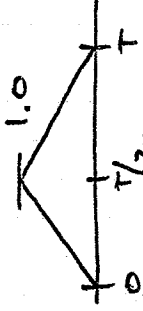
$a_0(t)$  is sine pulse of duration  $T$

$$= \sin(\pi t/T) p_T(t)$$



$a_1(t)$  is unit amplitude triangular pulse of duration  $T$

$$= \begin{cases} 2t/T & 0 \leq t \leq T/2 \\ 2 - 2t/T & T/2 \leq t \leq T \end{cases}$$



•  $w_1 > w_0 \gg 1/T$

$w_i = 2\pi n_i/T$  some integer  $n_i$

•  $w_1 - w_0$  is suff. large that for any phase angle  $\varphi$

$$\int_0^T s_i(t) \cos(\omega_k t + \varphi) dt = 0 \quad \text{for } i \neq k$$

• Noise AWGN with psd height  $N_0/2$

(a,b) Find  $P_{e,0}$  and  $P_{e,1}$  in terms of  $A, T, N_0$ .

(c)  $P_{e,0} = P_{e,1}$ ? Should the be? Explain.

(d) Does LS dr give minimax decision based on  $R_1^2 = U_1^2 + V_1^2$  and

$R_0^2 = U_0^2 + V_0^2$ ? Explain.

Need to verify that these signal/correlator choices still fit the assumptions used in deriving the  $P_{e0}$  and  $P_{e1}$  expressions.

$$Y(t) = s_i(t) + X(t) \quad i = 0, 1$$

$$\sqrt{2} w_0(t) \cos[\omega_c t + \theta_0(t)] = \sqrt{2} \cos[\omega_0 t] p_T(t)$$

$$\sqrt{2} w_0(t) \sin[\omega_c t + \theta_0(t)] = \sqrt{2} \sin[\omega_0 t] p_T(t)$$

$$\sqrt{2} w_1(t) \cos[\omega_c t + \theta_1(t)] = \sqrt{2} \cos[\omega_1 t] p_T(t)$$

$$\sqrt{2} w_1(t) \sin[\omega_c t + \theta_1(t)] = \sqrt{2} \sin[\omega_1 t] p_T(t)$$

Correlator outputs  $V_0, V_1, U_0, U_1, V_1$  always look like a signal component plus a noise component and we can treat these separately. First, the

$$X_0 = \sqrt{2} \int_0^T X(t) \cos[\omega_0 t] dt \quad Y_0 = \sqrt{2} \int_0^T X(t) \sin[\omega_0 t] dt$$

$$X_1 = \sqrt{2} \int_0^T X(t) \cos[\omega_1 t] dt \quad Y_1 = \sqrt{2} \int_0^T X(t) \sin[\omega_1 t] dt$$

Clearly the rvs  $X_0, Y_0, X_1, Y_1$  are J.G. and zero mean.

The calculation needed to compute the covariance matrix of the rvs is identical to that done in calculation of BFSK. Hence

$$\text{Cov}(X_i, X_j) = E(X_i X_j) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \neq j \\ N_0 T/2 & i = j \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Cov}(X_i, Y_j) = E(X_i Y_j) = 0$$

$$\text{Cov}(Y_i, Y_j) = E(Y_i Y_j) = \begin{cases} 0 & i \neq j \\ N_0 T/2 & i = j \end{cases}$$

In other words these noise rvs are iid, zero mean, Gaussian with variance equal to  $\sigma^2 = N_0 T/2$ .

The only assumption needed for this was that giving the form for  $\omega_0(t), \omega_1(t), \theta_0(t), \theta_1(t)$  and

$$\omega_i = 2\pi n_i / T \quad n_i \text{ integer.}$$



Signal Parts for  $i=0$   $s_0(t) = \sqrt{2} A a_0(t) \cos(\omega_0 t + \varphi)$

$\hookrightarrow \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{T}\right) p_T(t)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 E\{U_0 | \varphi\} &= \int_0^T s_0(t) \sqrt{2} \cos(\omega_0 t) dt \\
 &= 2A \int_0^T \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{T}\right) \cos(\omega_0 t + \varphi) \cos(\omega_0 t) dt \\
 &= A \underbrace{\int_0^T \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{T}\right) \cos \varphi dt}_{\text{Term 1}} + A \underbrace{\int_0^T \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{T}\right) \cos(2\omega_0 t + \varphi) dt}_{\text{Term 2}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Term 1} = A \cos \varphi \left[ -\frac{T}{\pi} \cos\left(\frac{\pi t}{T}\right) \right]_0^T$$

$$= A \cos \varphi [1 - (-1)] \frac{T}{\pi} = \frac{2AT}{\pi} \cos \varphi$$

$$\text{Term 2} = \frac{A}{2} \int_0^T \sin\left[\left(2\omega_0 + \frac{\pi}{T}\right)t + \varphi\right] dt - \frac{A}{2} \int_0^T \sin\left[\left(2\omega_0 - \frac{\pi}{T}\right)t + \varphi\right] dt$$

$$\int_0^T \sin(\alpha t + \varphi) dt = -\frac{1}{\alpha} \cos(\alpha t + \varphi) \Big|_{t=0}^T = \frac{1}{\alpha} [\cos \varphi - \cos(\alpha T + \varphi)]$$

Thus

$$\text{Term 2} = \frac{A}{2(2\omega_0 + \frac{\pi}{T})} [\cos \varphi - \cos(2\omega_0 T + \pi + \varphi)]$$

$$- \frac{A}{2(2\omega_0 - \frac{\pi}{T})} [\cos \varphi - \cos(2\omega_0 T - \pi + \varphi)]$$

$$\omega_0 \gg \frac{1}{T} \Rightarrow 2\omega_0 + \frac{\pi}{T} \approx 2\omega_0 - \frac{\pi}{T} \approx 2\omega_0$$

$$\therefore \text{Term 2} \approx \frac{A}{4\omega_0} \left\{ \cancel{\cos \varphi} - \cancel{\cos \varphi} + \cos(2\omega_0 T - \pi + \varphi) - \cos(2\omega_0 T + \pi + \varphi) \right\} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 E_o \{V_o | \varphi\} &= \int_0^T s_o(t) \sqrt{2} \sin(\omega_o t) dt \\
 &= 2A \int_0^T \sin(\pi t/T) \cos(\omega_o t + \varphi) \sin(\omega_o t) dt \\
 &= A \underbrace{\int_0^T \sin(\pi t/T) \sin(2\omega_o t + \varphi) dt}_{\text{Term 1}} - A \underbrace{\int_0^T \sin(\pi t/T) \sin \varphi dt}_{\text{Term 2}} \\
 \text{Term 1} &= \frac{A}{2} \int_0^T \cos\left[\left(2\omega_o - \frac{\pi}{T}\right)t + \varphi\right] dt - \frac{A}{2} \int_0^T \cos\left[\left(2\omega_o + \frac{\pi}{T}\right)t + \varphi\right] dt \\
 \int_0^T \cos(\alpha t + \varphi) dt &= \frac{1}{\alpha} \sin(\alpha t + \varphi) \Big|_{t=0}^T = \frac{1}{\alpha} [\sin(\alpha T + \varphi) - \sin \varphi] \\
 \text{Term 1} &= \frac{A}{2(2\omega_o - \pi/T)} \left[ \sin(2\omega_o T - \pi + \varphi) - \sin \varphi \right] \\
 &\quad - \frac{A}{2(2\omega_o + \pi/T)} \left[ \sin(2\omega_o T + \pi + \varphi) - \sin \varphi \right] \approx 0
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Term 2} = -\frac{2AT}{\pi} \sin \varphi$$

$$E_0 \{V_1 | \varphi\} = \int_0^T s_0(t) \sqrt{2} \cos(\omega_1 t) dt$$

$$= 2A \int_0^T \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{T}\right) \cos(\omega_0 t + \varphi) \cos(\omega_1 t) dt$$

$$= A \int_0^T \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{T}\right) \cos[(\omega_1 - \omega_0)t - \varphi] dt + A \int_0^T \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{T}\right) \cos[(\omega_1 + \omega_0)t + \varphi] dt$$

$\approx 0$  if  $\omega_1 - \omega_0 \gg \frac{\pi}{T}$

$\approx 0$  for same

reason as in  
prev. calculations

Similar argument will give

$$E_0 \{V_1 | \varphi\} = 0.$$

Signal Parts for  $i=1$       $s_1(t) = \sqrt{2} A a_1(t) \cos(\omega_1 t + \varphi)$

Can take the same approach as for  $i=0$  but will be a little more tedious since will have to integrate  $t$  times a sinusoid. Under these assumptions will have

$$E_1 \{U_0 | \varphi\} = E_1 \{V_0 | \varphi\} \approx 0$$

$$E_1 \{U_1 | \varphi\} \approx A \cos \varphi \int_0^T a_1(t) dt = A \cos \varphi \int_0^T \frac{1.0}{T} dt$$

$$= \frac{AT}{2} \cos \varphi$$

$$E_1 \{V_1 | \varphi\} \approx -\frac{AT}{2} \sin \varphi$$

The setup here has been shown to meet assumptions needed in derivation of error probs for LS dr.

$$R_0^2 = V_0^2 + V_1^2 > R_1^2 = V_1^2 + V_1^2 \rightarrow \text{decide } H_0$$

$$\phantom{R_0^2 = V_0^2 + V_1^2} < \phantom{R_1^2 = V_1^2 + V_1^2} \rightarrow \text{" } H_1$$

with

$$\sigma^2 = N_0 T / 2 \quad \alpha_0 = \frac{2AT}{T} \quad \alpha_1 = \frac{AT}{T}$$

(c)

$$P_{e,0} = \frac{1}{2} e^{-\alpha_0^2 / 4\sigma^2} = \frac{1}{2} e^{-2AT^2 / \pi^2 N_0}$$

$$P_{e,1} = \frac{1}{2} e^{-\alpha_1^2 / 4\sigma^2} = \frac{1}{2} e^{-A^2 T^2 / 8N_0}$$

Note that  $P_{e,0} \neq P_{e,1}$ . In fact  $\frac{2}{\pi^2} > \frac{1}{8} \Rightarrow P_{e,0} < P_{e,1}$

(d) LS dr is not an equalizer rule. Therefore not minimax.

- 7.6 The noncoherent communication receiver of Figure 7-4 is to be used for a packet radio communication system. Each packet consists of  $N$  binary digits that are transmitted using binary FSK modulation. The transmission rate is  $1/T$  bits/s. In the absence of fading, the received signal for the  $n$ th binary digit is given by

$$s(t) = \sqrt{2} A \cos(\omega_i t + \varphi_i), \quad nT \leq t < (n+1)T,$$

for  $i = 0$  (if 0 is sent) or  $i = 1$  (if 1 is sent). Assume that  $\omega_0 \neq \omega_1$  and that  $\omega_0$  and  $\omega_1$  are multiples of  $2\pi/T$ . The front end of the receiving radio adds white Gaussian noise  $X(t)$  of spectral density  $N_0/2$  to the received signal, so the input to the receiver is  $Y(t) = s(t) + X(t)$ .

- (a) In the absence of fading,  $A$  is just a deterministic constant. What is the probability of bit error for this receiver? What is the probability of packet error for this receiver? Answer in terms of  $A$  and the other parameters given.
- (b) Give a high signal-to-noise ratio approximation to the packet error probability of part (a).
- (c) For a particular fading channel, the parameter  $A$  is constant over the packet, but it is a random variable that has a Gaussian distribution with mean 0 and variance  $\beta^2$ . Find the average bit error probability for this channel and receiver (average over the amplitudes of the received signal).
- (d) In this part, the packet is deemed unacceptable if its bit error probability exceeds a specified probability  $p$ . Find an expression for the outage probability, which is the probability that the amplitude  $A$  is such that the given packet is unacceptable. Simplify as much as possible.
- (e) Consider the same receiver, but a different fading channel that also distorts the pulse shape. The received signal is now of the form

$$s(t) = \sqrt{2} A \sin(\pi t/T) \cos(\omega_i t + \varphi_i), \quad nT \leq t < (n+1)T.$$

Assume that  $T^{-1} \ll |\omega_1 - \omega_0| < \omega_0 < \omega_1$ , so that, among other implications, double-frequency terms can be ignored and the signals are orthogonal. Find the average probability of bit error if the amplitude  $A$  is as described in part (c).

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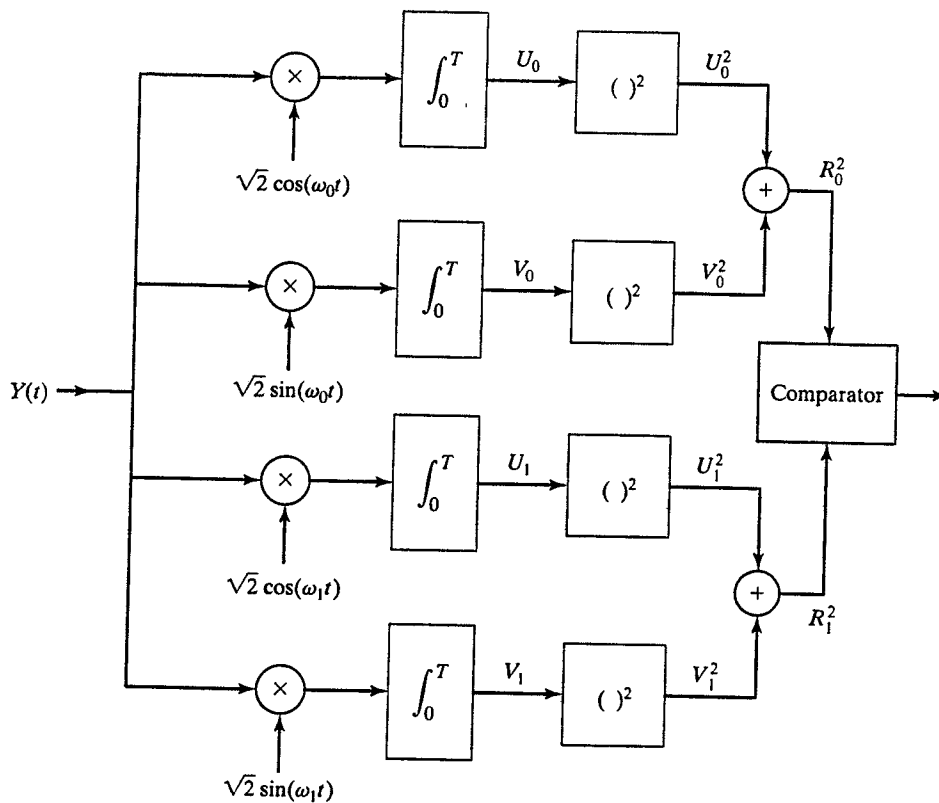


Figure 7-4: Optimum receiver for noncoherent BFSK communications.

Each packet consists of  $N$  binary digits sent via BFSK with

$$S_i(t) = \sqrt{2} A \cos(\omega_i t + \phi_i) \quad nT \leq t < (n+1)T$$

and using the optimal non-coh. receiver arch. above. The transmission and reception of individual bits are indep.

All the standard assumptions for BFSK hold.

(a)  $A$  is a deterministic constant. Find prob. of a bit error.

We assume bits are equally likely. Prob. is also symm. in sense that

$$P_{e,0} = P_{e,1} = P_e = \frac{1}{2} e^{-A^2 T / 2N_0} \triangleq P_b$$

↓  
prob. of a bit error.



A packet is received correctly iff all  $N$  bits are received correctly.

$$\text{Prob of packet Correct} = (1 - P_b)^N$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Prob of packet error} &= P_{e, \text{packet}} = 1 - (1 - P_b)^N \\ &= 1 - \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} e^{-A^2 T / 2N_0}\right)^N \end{aligned}$$

(b) IF SNR is high then  $P_b$  is small. Hence

$$\begin{aligned} (1 - P_b)^N &\approx 1 - NP_b \\ \Rightarrow P_{e, \text{packet}} &\approx NP_b = \frac{N}{2} e^{-A^2 T / 2N_0} \end{aligned}$$

(c) Fading channel model where  $A$  is constant over a packet but varying independently from packet to packet as

$$A \sim N(0, \beta^2)$$

Want the average bit error prob. over the transmission of many packets.

$$\Rightarrow P_b(a) = \frac{1}{2} e^{-a^2 T / 2N_0} = \text{conditional prob. of a bit error given } A=a$$

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{P_b} &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} P_b(a) f_A(a) da \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2} e^{-a^2 T / 2N_0} e^{-a^2 / 2\beta^2} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \beta} da \end{aligned}$$

The trick for evaluating this is to recognize that the integrand is a scaled version of a Gaussian pdf.

$$\bar{P}_b = \frac{1}{2\beta} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left[-\frac{a^2}{2} \left(\frac{T}{N_0} + \frac{1}{\beta^2}\right)\right] da$$

Let  $\lambda^2 = \left(\frac{T}{N_0} + \frac{1}{\beta^2}\right)^{-1}$  and  $\lambda$  the pos. sq. root.

Then

$$\bar{P}_b = \frac{\lambda}{2\beta} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \lambda} e^{-a^2/2\lambda} da = \frac{\lambda}{2\beta}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\beta \sqrt{\frac{T}{N_0} + \frac{1}{\beta^2}}} = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{N_0}{\beta^2 T + N_0}} = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{1 + (\beta^2 T/N_0)}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{1 + \text{SNR}}} \quad \text{with } \text{SNR} \triangleq \beta^2 T/N_0$$

$$= E\{A^2\} T/N_0$$

(d) Packet said to be "unacceptable" if its bit error prob. exceeds a threshold  $p$ . It only makes sense to consider  $p < 1/2$ .

Define  $P_b(a) = \frac{1}{2} e^{-a^2 T/2N_0}$   $-\infty < a < \infty$ . The outage event is then defined to be

$$\left\{ P_b(A) > p \right\}$$

and the outage probability is

$$P_{\text{out}} = P(P_b(A) > p) = P\left(\frac{1}{2} e^{-A^2 T/2N_0} > p\right)$$

$$= P\left(-\frac{A^2 T}{2N_0} > \ln(2p)\right) = P\left(A^2 < \frac{2N_0}{T} \ln\left(\frac{1}{2p}\right)\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_{\text{out}} &= P\left(-\sqrt{\frac{2N_0}{T}} \ln\left(\frac{1}{z_p}\right) < \frac{A}{\beta} < \sqrt{\frac{2N_0}{T}} \ln\left(\frac{1}{z_p}\right)\right) \\
 &= \Phi\left(\frac{1}{\beta} \sqrt{\frac{2N_0}{T}} \ln\left(\frac{1}{z_p}\right)\right) - \Phi\left(-\frac{1}{\beta} \sqrt{\frac{2N_0}{T}} \ln\left(\frac{1}{z_p}\right)\right) \\
 &= 2\Phi\left(\frac{1}{\beta} \sqrt{\frac{2N_0}{T}} \ln\left(\frac{1}{z_p}\right)\right) - 1
 \end{aligned}$$

(e) Now fading channel also distorts pulse so the new received sig. model is

$$S_i(t) = \sqrt{2} A \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{T}\right) \cos(\omega_i t + \varphi_i) \quad nT \leq t < (n+1)T$$

We solved this as part of MBP 7.4. Found there that

$$P_b(A) = \frac{1}{2} e^{-2A^2 T / \pi^2 N_0}$$

Thus in all prev. expressions we replace  $T$  by

$$T' = 4T / \pi^2$$

we will get the correct probs for this part.

$$\overline{P}_b' = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{1}{1 + (\beta^2 4T / \pi^2 N_0)}}$$