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Covering the fundamental principles and state-of-the-art cross-layer techniques, this practical guide provides the tools needed to design MIMO- and OFDM-based wireless networks that are both energy- and spectrum-efficient. Technologies are introduced in parallel for both centralized and distributed wireless networks to give you a clear understanding of the similarities and differences between their energy- and spectrum-efficient designs, which is essential for achieving the highest network energy saving without losing performance. Cutting-edge green cellular network design technologies, enabling you to master resource management for next-generation wireless networks based on MIMO and OFDM, and detailed real-world implementation examples are provided to guide your engineering design in both theory and practice. Whether you are a graduate student, a researcher, or a practitioner in industry, this is an invaluable guide.

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To Ting Ren, Eileen Miao, and Ryan Miao Wei and Lyra

Preface

This book provides a comprehensive introduction to the theory and practice of energy and spectrum efficient design for various types of wireless networks. The concepts and technologies are presented in a unified way for both centralized and distributed networks. The principles of the designs are stressed so that they can be applied in the broader context of wireless systems. The detailed derivations and proofs from first principles are provided. They are intended for the reader who desires a more in-depth understanding of the results. For the reader not interested in the detailed derivations, the concepts and theories are self contained and can be easily understood while skipping the derivations.

Energy and spectrum are two fundamental resources in wireless networks. A network design can always choose to optimize the utilization of one resource over the other. If one resource is redundant and the other is not, the design will need to optimize the network behavior towards better efficiency using that other resource. If both are adequate, then the system can be operated for the best user experience. If both are scarce, the design has to choose between them. Energy efficiency and spectrum efficiency are equally important and there is no clear advantage of one metric over the other. Which metric is more desired depends on network needs. This book presents a comprehensive yet rigorous discussion of the relationships between wireless channel state, energy efficiency, spectral efficiency, implementation, and network resource management in various wireless environments and their corresponding optimal designs.

The material in this book is structured into parallel discussions of energy and spectrum efficient designs, both of which are also discussed in parallell for centralized and distributed wireless networks. We hope this structure will facilitate the understanding of their similarities and distinctions.

The book is divided into four parts. In Part I, we introduce the basic concepts of wireless communications, e.g. wireless channel properties, performance metrics, conventional centralized and distributed radio resource management, that serve as the foundation to understand the book. The reader that is familiar with this background knowledge can skip this part and start from Part II directly. Part II introduces cross-layer designs for networks with central controllers and Part III for networks without central controllers. Both Parts II and III are focused on spectrum-efficient designs. Part II presents a generic framework for optimal opportunistic radio resource management in centralized networks by exploiting the multi-user diversity of time and frequency in

wireless channels and regulating the resource allocation through network economics. Part III covers how to optimally exploit multi-user diversity in distributed wireless networks and shows how distributed random access can be designed to achieve spectrum efficiency comparable to that of ideal centralized schedulers. In Part IV, we present optimal energy-efficient transmission and resource management for both centralized and distributed wireless networks. For example, while the Shannon capacity results tell us the tightest spectrum efficiency upper bound of point-to-point communications, we introduce the tightest energy efficiency upper bounds, named energy efficiency capacity, for various types of channels. We also introduce energy-efficient centralized scheduling and distributed medium access control (MAC) and power control. The relationships between energy efficiency, spectral efficiency, and several other network performance metrics are rigorously examined. At the end of this part, we give a thorough discussion on energy-efficient cellular network designs and also on how to implement energy-efficient designs in practice.

This book is highly recommended for graduate-level courses as the primary or alternate textbook and professional tutorials in wireless networks and resource management. It provides material both to guide novice students as well as plenty of detailed in-depth material for graduate students pursuing research in the field. The book is also a useful reference for practicing engineers, academics, and industrial researchers. The only expected background of the reader is a basic understanding of probability, optimization, and digital communications. Background in wireless networks, radio resource management, and signal processing is helpful but not required, since we develop the related material in the text.

Acronyms

3GPP 3rd Generation Partnership Project

AD adjustment

AM amplitude modulation

AP access point

APA adaptive power allocation

AWGN additive white Gaussian noise

BER bit error rate base station

C/I carrier to interference

CAD-MAC channel-aware distributed medium access control

CCI co-channel interference

CDF cumulative distribution function CDMA code division multiple access

CIA-MAC co-channel interference avoidance MAC coordinated multi-point transmission

CRC cyclic redundancy check
CRS contention resolution slot
CSI channel state information
CSMA carrier sense multiple access

CSMA/CA carrier sense multiple access with collision avoidance carrier sense multiple access with collision detection

CTS clear to send

DOMRA decentralized optimization for multi-channel random access

DSA dynamic subcarrier assignment

EMMPA energy-efficient MU-MIMO power allocation

ESPA exhaustive search power allocation

EXP exponential

FCC Federal Communications Commission

FDM frequency division multiplexing **FDMA** frequency division multiple access

FFC forward error correction
FFR fractional frequency reuse
FFT fast Fourier transform
FM frequency modulation

FPA fixed power allocation frequency selective

HOL head-of-line

ICR interference to carrier ratio

ICT information and communication technology

IFFT inverse fast Fourier transform
LDPC low density parity check
LLC logical link control

LOS line of sight least squares

LTE long-term evolution

MAC medium access control

MCS modulation and coding scheme

MDU maximum delay utility

MIMO multiple-input multiple-output

M-LWDF modified largest weighted delay first

MMSE minimum mean squared error

M-QAM M-ary quadrature amplitude modulation

MSC maximum sum capacity

MT mobile terminal MU-MIMO multiple user MIMO

OFDM orthogonal frequency division multiplexing orthogonal frequency division multiple access

OSI open systems interconnect

PA power amplifier

PAPR peak to average power ratio

PC personal computer

PDF probability distribution function

PER packet error rate
PF proportional fair

PHY physical

PSK phase shift keying
QoS quality of service
RF radio frequency

RNC radio network controller

RTS request to send

SDMA space division multiple access
SIMO single-input multiple-output

SINR signal to interference plus noise ratio

SNR signal-to-noise ratio
TDD time division duplex

TDMA time division multiple access
WFQ weighted fair queueing
WLAN wireless local area networks

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