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# An Iterative BiGAMP-Based Receiver for Coded Massive MIMO Systems With Low-Resolution ADCs

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## Appendix A Iterative BiGAMP-based JCD and Decoding

In Algorithm A1,  $N_{\text{JCD}}$  and  $N_{\text{outer}}$  denote the maximum number of inner and outer iterations, respectively. Besides,  $\mathcal{T}_p$  and  $\mathcal{T}_d$  are used to distinguish the index intervals of pilots and data symbols.  $D_k$  refers to the decoding flag of the  $k$ -th user, which is determined by the CRC result after decoding.

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### Algorithm A1 Iterative BiGAMP-based JCD and Decoding

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**Require:** Quantized observations  $\mathbf{R}$ , pilots  $\mathbf{X}^P$ .

**Ensure:** Channel estimates  $\hat{\mathbf{H}}$ , decoding results.

- 1: **Initialize:**  $\forall m, k, t: \hat{s}_{mt}(0) = 0, \hat{h}_{mk}(1) = 10^{-5}, v_{mk}^h(1) = \frac{1}{K}, \hat{x}_{k,t \in \mathcal{T}_p}(1) = x_{kt}^P, v_{k,t \in \mathcal{T}_p}^x(1) = 0, \hat{x}_{k,t \in \mathcal{T}_d}(1) = 0, v_{k,t \in \mathcal{T}_d}^x(1) = 1, D_k = 0; n \leftarrow 1.$
  - 2: **while**  $n \leq N_{\text{outer}}$  **and**  $\exists k: D_k = 0$  **do**
  - 3:      $\xi \leftarrow 1.$
  - 4:     **while**  $\xi \leq N_{\text{JCD}}$  **do**
  - 5:          $\forall m, t: \hat{v}_{mt}^p(\xi) = \sum_k |\hat{h}_{mk}(\xi)|^2 v_{kt}^x(\xi) + v_{mk}^h(\xi) |\hat{x}_{mt}(\xi)|^2.$
  - 6:          $\forall m, t: \hat{p}_{mt}(\xi) = \sum_k \hat{h}_{mk}(\xi) \hat{x}_{mt}(\xi).$
  - 7:          $\forall m, t: \hat{v}_{mt}^p(\xi) = \hat{v}_{mt}^p(\xi) + \sum_k v_{mk}^h(\xi) v_{kt}^x(\xi).$
  - 8:          $\forall m, t: \hat{p}_{mt}(\xi) = \hat{p}_{mt}(\xi) - \hat{s}_{mt}(\xi - 1) \hat{v}_{mt}^p(\xi).$
  - 9:          $\forall m, t: \hat{s}_{mt}(\xi) = \frac{r_{mt} / \rho - \hat{p}_{mt}(\xi)}{v_{mt}^p(\xi) + \gamma^2}, v_{mt}^s(\xi) = \frac{1}{v_{mt}^p(\xi) + \gamma^2}.$
  - 10:         **if**  $D_k = 0$  **and**  $t \in \mathcal{T}_d$  **then**
  - 11:              $\forall k, t: v_{kt}^r(\xi) = [\sum_m |\hat{h}_{mk}(\xi)|^2 v_{mt}^s(\xi)]^{-1}.$
  - 12:              $\forall k, t: \hat{r}_{kt}(\xi) = \hat{x}_{kt}(\xi) [1 - v_{kt}^r(\xi) \sum_m v_{mk}^h(\xi) v_{mt}^s(\xi)] + v_{kt}^r(\xi) \sum_m \hat{h}_{mk}^*(\xi) \hat{s}_{mt}(\xi).$
  - 13:              $\forall k, t: \hat{x}_{kt}(\xi + 1) = \mathbb{E}\{x_{kt} | \hat{r}_{kt}(\xi), v_{kt}^r(\xi)\}, v_{kt}^x(\xi + 1) = \mathbb{V}\{x_{kt} | \hat{r}_{kt}(\xi), v_{kt}^r(\xi)\}.$
  - 14:             **else**
  - 15:                  $\forall k, t: \hat{x}_{kt}(\xi + 1) = \hat{x}_{kt}(\xi), v_{kt}^x(\xi + 1) = v_{kt}^x(\xi).$
  - 16:             **end if**
  - 17:              $\forall m, k: v_{mk}^q(\xi) = [\sum_t |\hat{x}_{kt}(\xi + 1)|^2 v_{mt}^s(\xi)]^{-1}.$
  - 18:              $\forall m, k: \hat{q}_{mk}(\xi) = \hat{h}_{mk}(\xi) [1 - v_{mk}^q(\xi) \sum_t v_{kt}^x(\xi + 1) v_{mt}^s(\xi)] + v_{mk}^q(\xi) \sum_t \hat{x}_{kt}^*(\xi + 1) \hat{s}_{mt}(\xi).$
  - 19:              $\forall m, k: \hat{h}_{mk}(\xi + 1) = \frac{\hat{q}_{mk}(\xi)}{1 + K v_{mk}^q(\xi)}, v_{mk}^h(\xi + 1) = \frac{v_{mk}^q(\xi)}{1 + K v_{mk}^q(\xi)}.$
  - 20:              $\xi \leftarrow \xi + 1.$
  - 21:         **end while**
  - 22:         Compute the extrinsic LLRs  $\mathbf{\Lambda}$  as the input of the decoder via  $\Lambda(x_{kt}^q) = \ln \frac{\sum_{x_{kt} \in \Omega_q^0} \mathcal{P}(x_{kt})}{\sum_{x_{kt} \in \Omega_q^1} \mathcal{P}(x_{kt})} - \Pi(x_{kt}^q).$
  - 23:         **for**  $k = 1 \rightarrow K$  **do**
  - 24:             **if**  $D_k = 0$  **then**
  - 25:                 Conduct decoding to obtain the extrinsic soft outputs  $\mathbf{\Pi}$ , if the corresponding hard decisions pass the CRC detection, then let  $D_k = 1;$
  - 26:                 **if**  $D_k = 1$  **then**
  - 27:                     Reconstruct  $\hat{x}_{kt}(\xi)$  by re-encoding and modulating the decoded bits and let  $v_{kt}^x(\xi) = 0;$
  - 28:                 **else**
  - 29:                     Conduct soft modulation with  $\mathbf{\Pi}$  to obtain  $\hat{x}_{kt}(\xi)$  and  $v_{kt}^x(\xi).$
  - 30:                 **end if**
  - 31:             **end if**
  - 32:         **end for**
  - 33:          $\forall m, k, t: \hat{s}_{mt}(0) = \hat{s}_{mt}(\xi - 1), \hat{h}_{mk}(1) = \hat{h}_{mk}(\xi), v_{mk}^h(1) = v_{mk}^h(\xi), \hat{x}_{kt}(1) = \hat{x}_{kt}(\xi), v_{kt}^x(1) = v_{kt}^x(\xi).$
  - 34:          $n \leftarrow n + 1.$
  - 35:     **end while**
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## Appendix B MMSE detection with CRC-aided hard interference cancellation

1. Recover the original data symbols of the  $k$ -th user, denoted as  $\mathbf{x}_k = [x_{k1}, x_{k2}, \dots, x_{kt}, \dots]$ , by re-encoding and modulating the decoded bits that has passed the CRC detection.
2. Subtract their contributions from the observed signals  $\mathbf{R}^{\text{left}}$ , which corresponds to the left undetected symbols  $\mathbf{X}^{\text{left}}$ . As a result, the remainder can be expressed as

$$\mathbf{R}_c^{\text{left}} = \mathbf{R}^{\text{left}} - \rho \sum_{k \in \{k | D_k=1\}} \hat{\mathbf{h}}_k \mathbf{x}_k^{\text{left}}, \quad (\text{B1})$$

where  $\hat{\mathbf{h}}_k = [h_{1k}, h_{2k}, \dots, h_{Mk}]^T$  refers to the estimated channel vector of the  $k$ -th user.

3. Compute the MMSE equalization matrix according to

$$\hat{\mathbf{W}} = \rho \hat{\mathbf{H}}_c^H (\rho^2 \hat{\mathbf{H}}_c \hat{\mathbf{H}}_c^H + \gamma^2 \mathbf{I}_M)^{-1}, \quad (\text{B2})$$

where  $\hat{\mathbf{H}}_c$  is the submatrix of  $\hat{\mathbf{H}}$  obtained by removing the column vectors with the subscript  $k$  satisfying  $D_k = 1$ , and the noise variance is substituted by  $\gamma^2$  in Eq.(3). Thus, the estimate of the data symbol matrix is given by

$$\hat{\mathbf{X}}_c^{\text{left}} = \hat{\mathbf{W}} \mathbf{R}_c^{\text{left}}. \quad (\text{B3})$$

4. Calculate the LLRs  $\Lambda_c^{\text{left}}$  required for channel decoding via (the superscript *left* is omitted for the sake of clarity)

$$\Lambda_c(x_{kt}^q) = \ln \frac{\sum_{x_{kt} \in \Omega_q^1} \exp(-|\hat{x}_{kt} - \mu_k x_{kt}|^2 / \varepsilon_k^2)}{\sum_{x_{kt} \in \Omega_q^0} \exp(-|\hat{x}_{kt} - \mu_k x_{kt}|^2 / \varepsilon_k^2)}, \quad (\text{B4})$$

where  $\mu_k = (\rho \hat{\mathbf{W}} \hat{\mathbf{H}}_c)_{k,k}$  and  $\varepsilon_k^2 = \mu_k - \mu_k^2$ . Hence, by combining the LLRs obtained from the above two stages as a complete input of the channel decoder, the iterative receiver is enabled.