

Some Wireless Communication problems involving Lattices

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Part I

Introduction to Communication Systems



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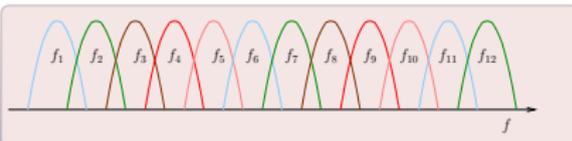
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with $\Delta f = \frac{1}{T}$).

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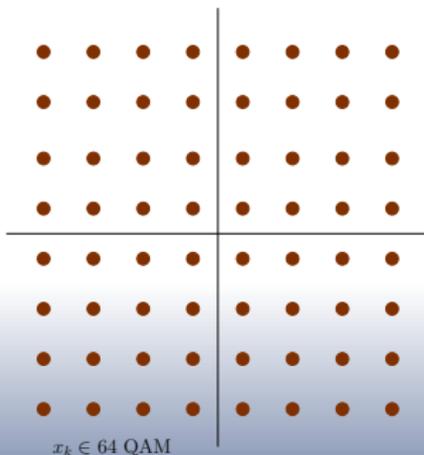


Figure: Symbol from a 64 QAM



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Requirements

- Encoder must be **linear**.
- Modulation should be **QAM** for instance.
- **Labeling** (modulator) between **binary codewords** and **modulated symbols** has to respect some criteria.

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QAM Partition à la Ungerboeck

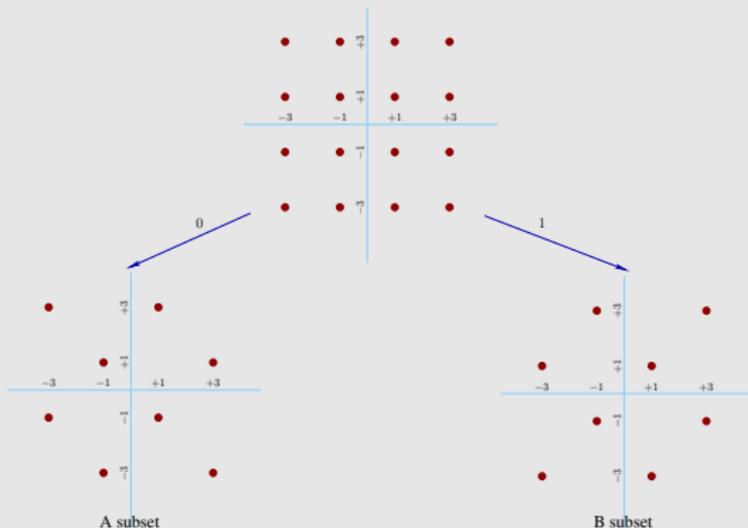


Figure: Labeling of subsets A and B

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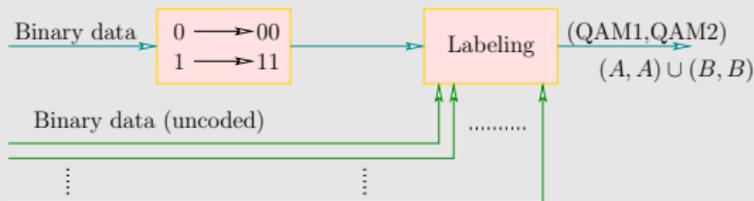


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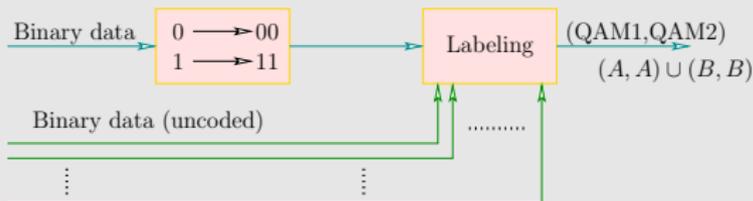


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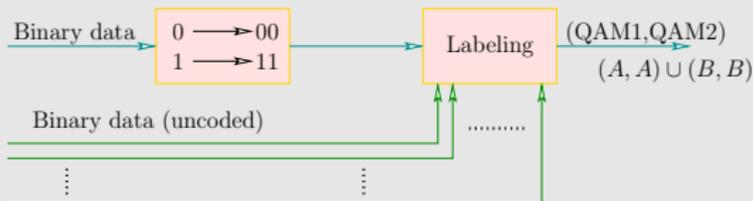


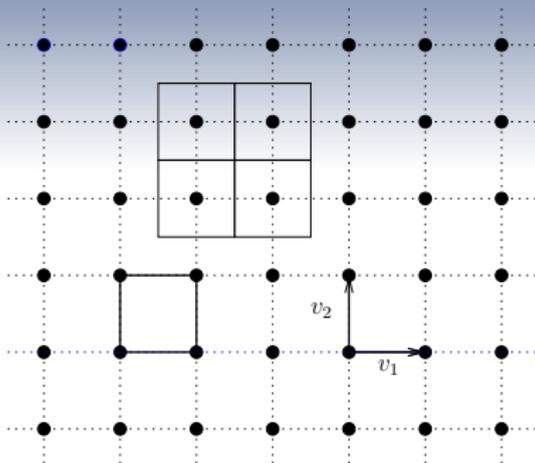
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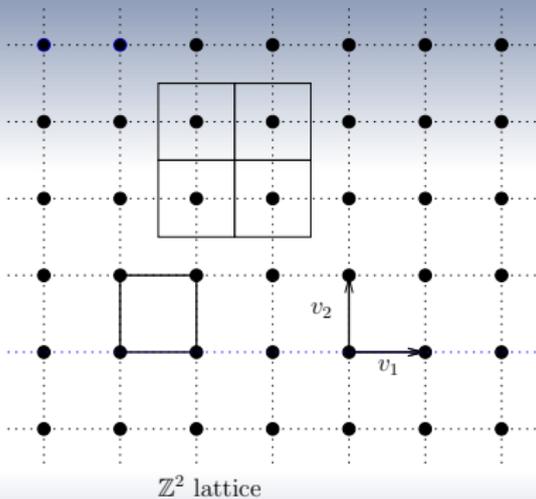
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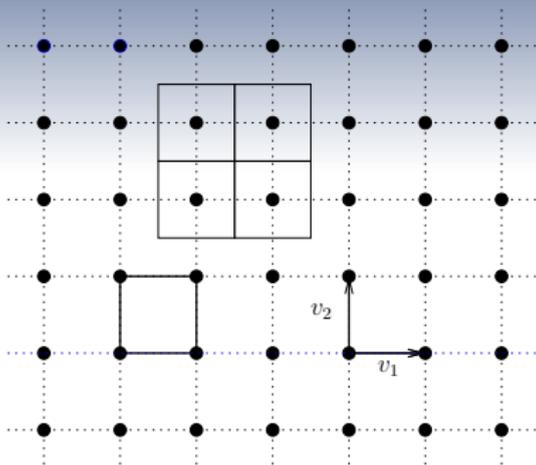
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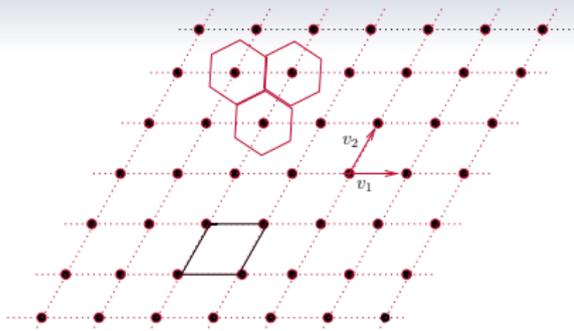
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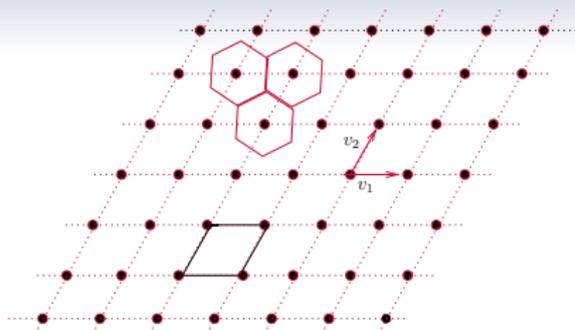
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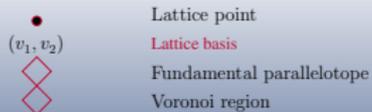


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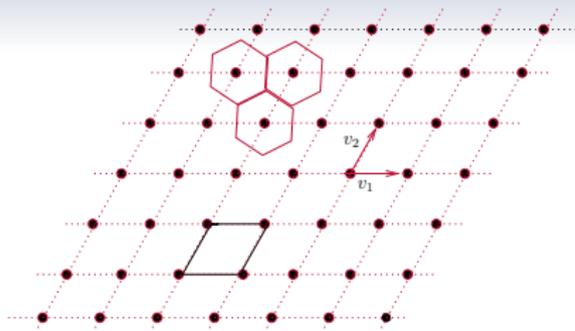


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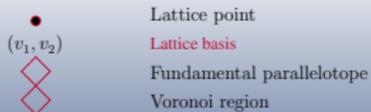
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Construction A can be generalized. Constructions B, C, D or E for instance. But one can show that all these constructions are equivalent to construction A with a suitable alphabet.

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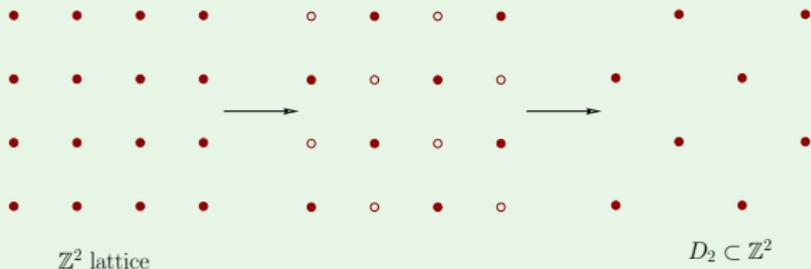


Figure: D_2 as a sublattice of \mathbb{Z}^2 . Index is 2.

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An example in dimension 8

Chain of nested lattices

$$\mathbb{Z}^8 \supset D_8 \supset D_4^2 \supset L_8 \supset E_8 \supset L_8^* \supset D_4^{2*} \supset D_8^* \supset 2\mathbb{Z}^8.$$

Binary codes from construction A are respectively

$$(8, 8, 1) \supset (8, 7, 2) \supset (4, 3, 2)^2 \supset (8, 5, 2) \supset (8, 4, 4) \supset (8, 3, 4) \supset (4, 1, 4)^2 \supset (8, 1, 8) \supset (8, 0, \infty)$$

We have constructed a chain of **nested lattices**. All relative indices are 2.

Notation: construction A

We have, here,

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Part III

Lattice Codes for the Gaussian channel



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6 Capacity achieving lattice codes $n \rightarrow +\infty$

What are Lattice Codes? An example

Toy example: the 4-QAM

A code with 4 codewords

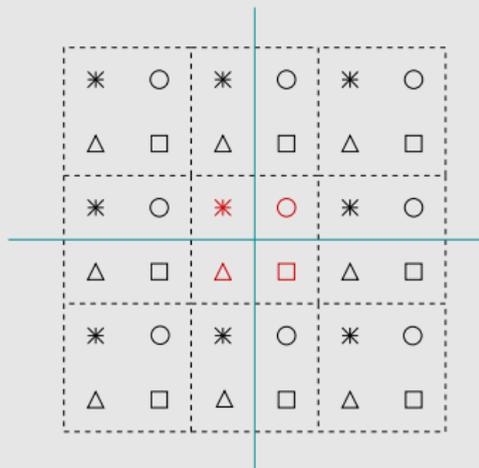


Figure: The 4 codewords are in red. Structure is $\mathbb{Z}^2/2\mathbb{Z}^2$.

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Benchmark

Lattice codes will be compared to the uncoded 2^m -QAM constellation which is $\mathbb{Z}^n/2^{\frac{m}{2}}\mathbb{Z}^n$ (m even). Vector \mathbf{c} is the all-1/2 vector.

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Fundamental Volume and Coding gain

The obtained gain (called the “**Coding Gain**”) is

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Obvious relation with the **Hermite constant**.

Coding Gain: Examples

Dimension 4

The checkerboard lattice D_4 has generator matrix

$$M_{D_4} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Shaping Gain

The ratio

$$\gamma_s(\Lambda_S) = \frac{G(\mathbb{Z}^n)}{G(\Lambda_S)} = \frac{1}{12} G(\Lambda_S)^{-1}$$

is called the **shaping gain** of Λ . Its value is upperbounded by the shaping gain of the n -dimensional sphere which tends to $\frac{\pi e}{6}$ (≈ 1.5 dB) when $n \rightarrow \infty$.

Coding Gain and Shaping Gain

Dominant term of the Error Probability

The error probability of a lattice code using Λ_c as the coding lattice and Λ_s as the shaping lattice is dominated by the term

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where $(8, 4)_{\mathbb{F}_2}^{\nabla}$ is the quotient group of coset representatives of the extended Hamming code. In this case, take the coset representatives with **smallest Hamming weight**.



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for any value of $P_e > 0$ by using construction *A* over big alphabets $\mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}$, p prime.

Part IV

Lattices for Fading Channels



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Paths recombination

- Each path is characterized by its magnitude α_i , its phase θ_i and its delay, τ_i .

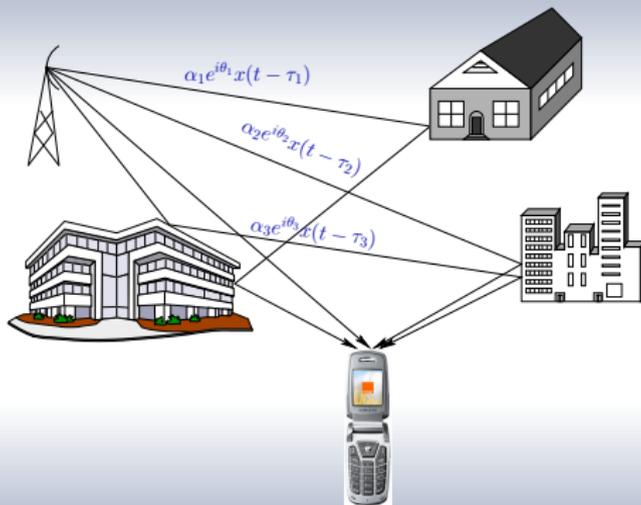


Figure: Destructive recombination due to phases \rightarrow **fadings** (here, $x(t)$ is the transmitted signal)

Phases dependencies

- Fadings vary as a function of
 - frequency.
 - antennas position (since τ_i are different from one antenna to the other one).
 - time (obstacles and terminals may move).

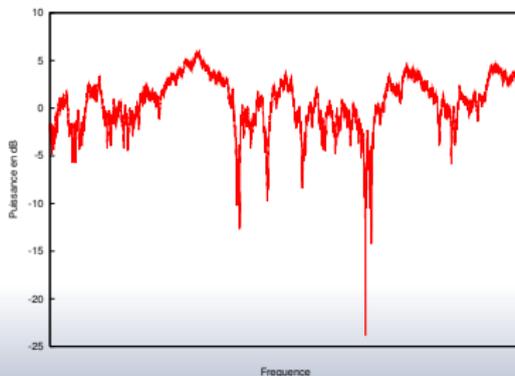


Figure: Received power as a function of the frequency

OFDM frequency diversity

OFDM

Radio channel is frequency selective. Interleaver is used to decorrelate channel coefficients.

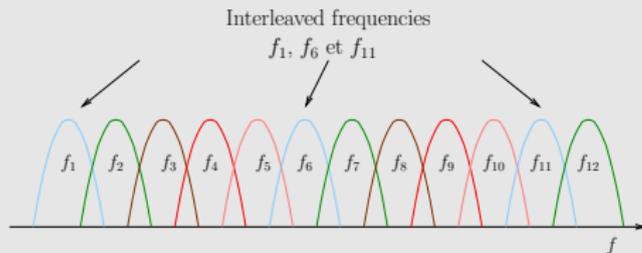


Figure: Interleaved frequencies: Here fadings on frequencies f_1 , f_6 and f_{11} are assumed independent.



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$$Y = H \cdot X + Z$$

Diagram illustrating the channel model equation $Y = H \cdot X + Z$. The equation is centered in blue. Arrows point from the following labels to the equation:

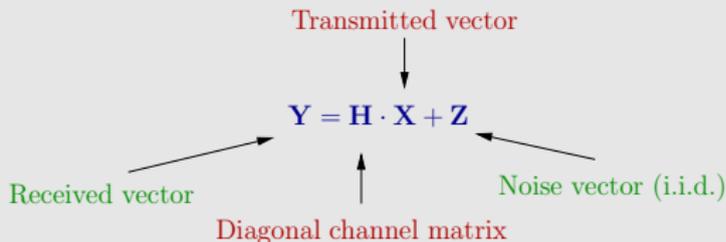
- Transmitted vector** (red text) points down to X .
- Received vector** (green text) points left to Y .
- Noise vector (i.i.d.)** (green text) points right to Z .
- Diagonal channel matrix** (red text) points up to H .

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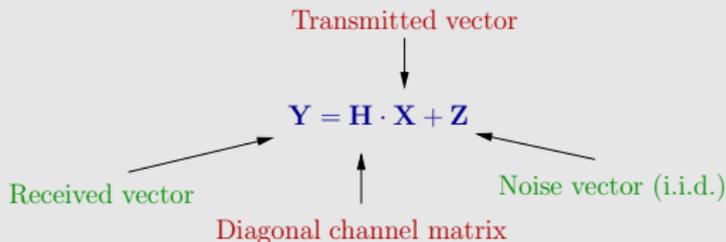
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All h_i are assumed perfectly known at the receiver.

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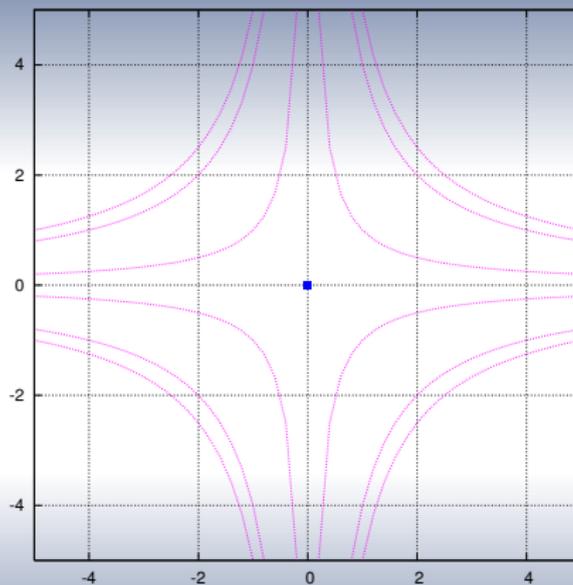


Figure: Construction of the constellation by iterating (iteration 0)

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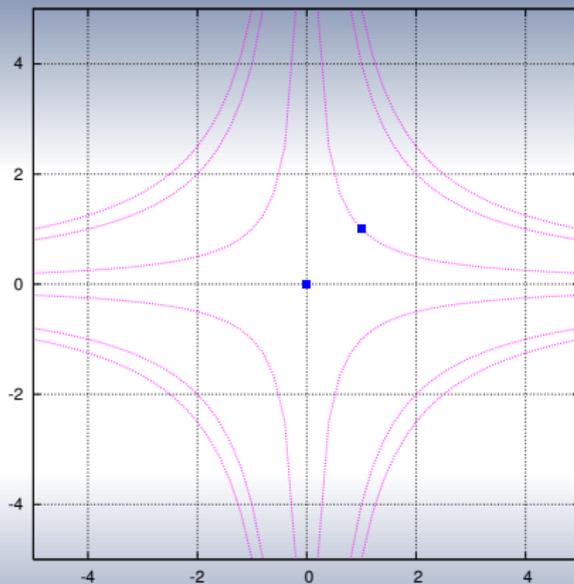


Figure: Construction of the constellation by iterating (iteration 1)

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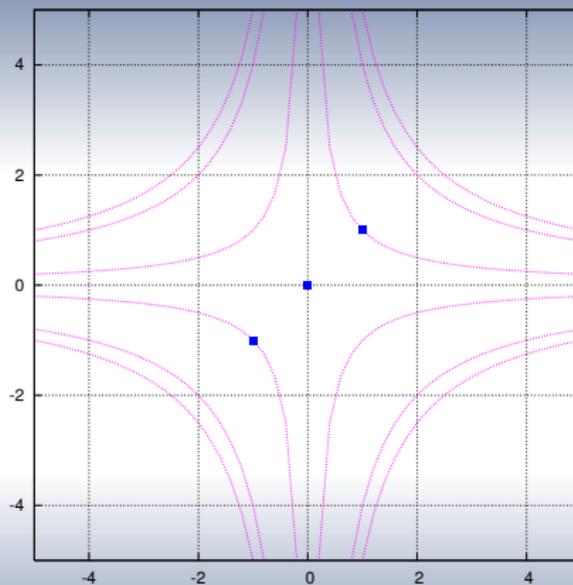


Figure: Construction of the constellation by iterating (iteration 2)

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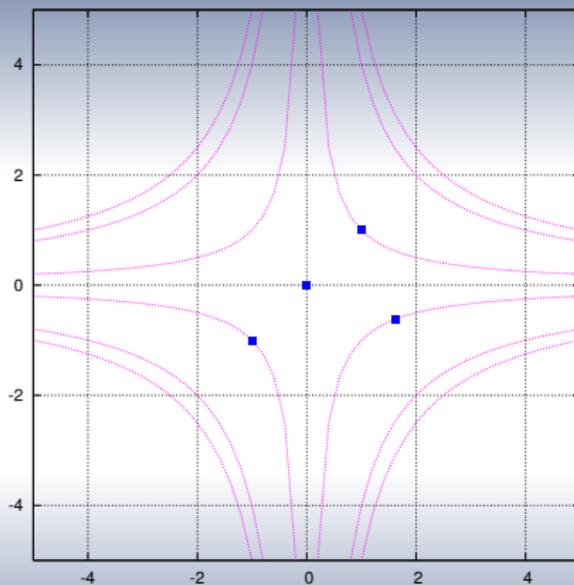


Figure: Construction of the constellation by iterating (iteration 3)

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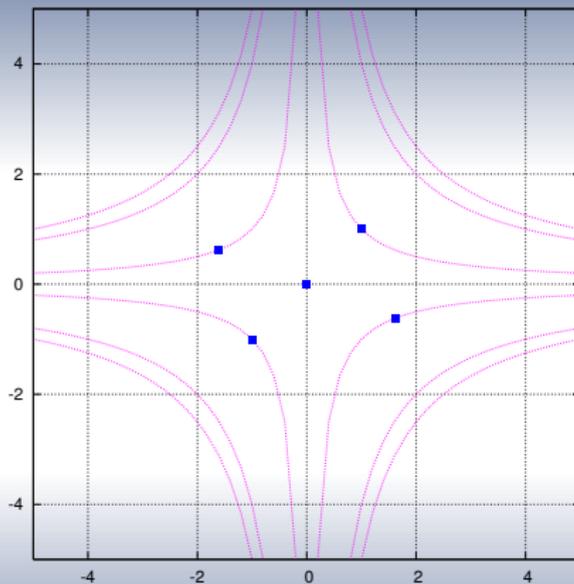


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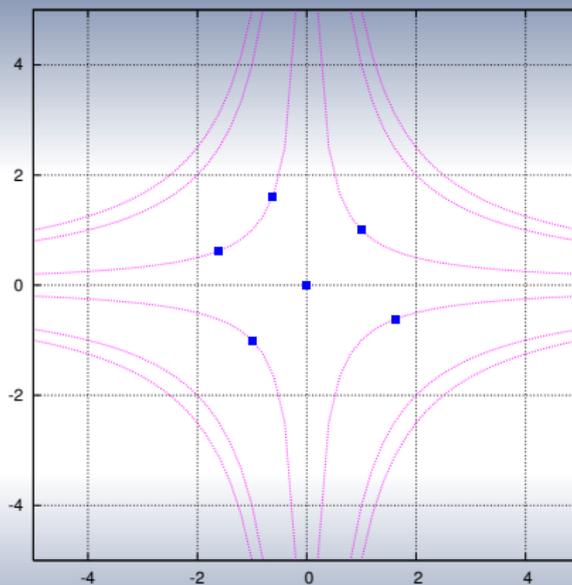


Figure: Construction of the constellation by iterating (iteration 5)

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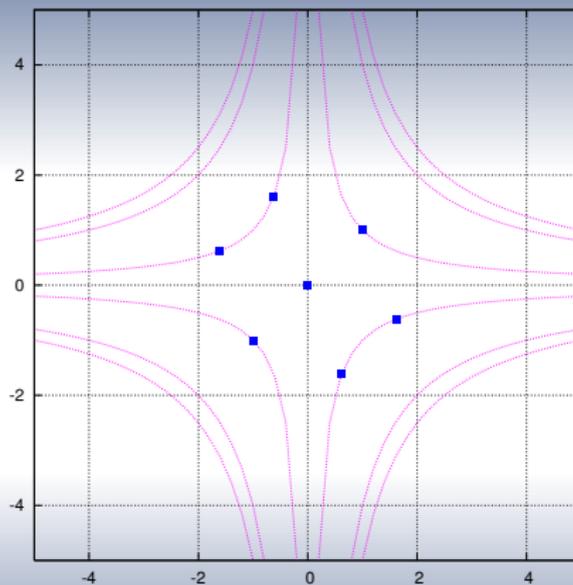


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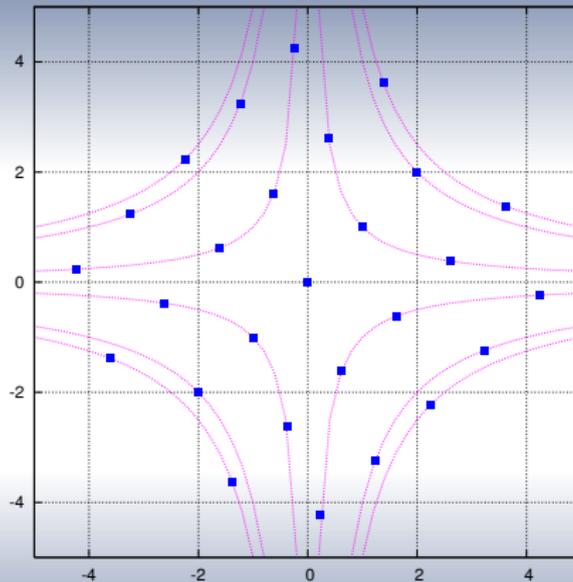


Figure: Construction of the constellation by iterating (iteration 36)

Lattice from an algebraic number field

- By iterating the optimization process, we obtain all points

$$\begin{pmatrix} a + b \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \\ a + b \frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

with a and b in \mathbb{Z} .

Generator matrix

The points of the infinite constellation may be written as

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \\ 1 & \frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

with $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$. This infinite constellation is a lattice and

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2} \\ 1 & \frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2} \end{pmatrix} \quad (1)$$

is its generator matrix.

- Number $\varphi = \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}$ is the **Golden Ratio** and $\bar{\varphi} = \frac{1-\sqrt{5}}{2}$ is its conjugate.



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Extension and algebraic integers

Definitions

Golden ratio φ is in the number field $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{5})$.

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- Minimal polynomial of φ is $X^2 - X - 1$

Algebraic integer

An algebraic integer is an algebraic number whose minimal polynomial has its coefficients in \mathbb{Z} .

Examples

- 1 $\varphi = \frac{1+\sqrt{5}}{2}$ is an algebraic **integer**: $\mu_{\varphi}(X) = X^2 - X - 1$
- 2 $\sqrt{5}$ is an algebraic **integer**: $\mu_{\sqrt{5}}(X) = X^2 - 5$
- 3 $\beta = \frac{1+\sqrt{2}}{2}$ is not an algebraic **integer**: $\mu_{\beta}(X) = X^2 - X - \frac{1}{4}$

Ring of integers and integer basis

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Integers of $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{5})$ are $a + b\varphi$ with $a, b \in \mathbb{Z}$.

- $(1, \varphi)$ is an integer basis of $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{5})$
- The norm is the product of an algebraic number with its conjugate. Conjugate of φ is $\bar{\varphi}$. Conjugate of 1 is 1.

Discriminant

We define matrix

$$\mathbf{\Omega} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \varphi \\ 1 & \bar{\varphi} \end{bmatrix}$$

which is the generator matrix of lattice (1). Discriminant of $\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{5})$ is

$$d_{\mathbb{Q}(\sqrt{5})} = (\det \mathbf{\Omega})^2 = 5$$

- Discriminant is related to the **energy** of a constellation carved from the infinite lattice. 5 is the **smallest discriminant** that a real number field can have. That is why the best constellation for the fast fading channel is related to the **Golden Ratio**.



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$$d_p(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{0}) = \prod_{i=1}^n |x_i| = |N_{\mathbb{K}/\mathbb{Q}}(x)| \geq 1.$$

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since the minimal polynomial of ζ_8 is $X^2 - i$.

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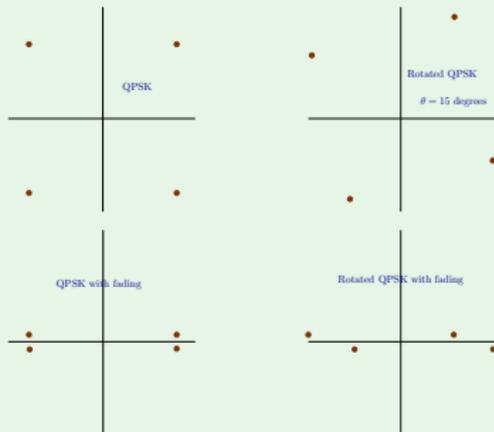


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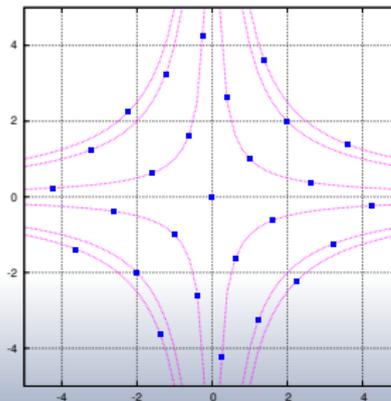
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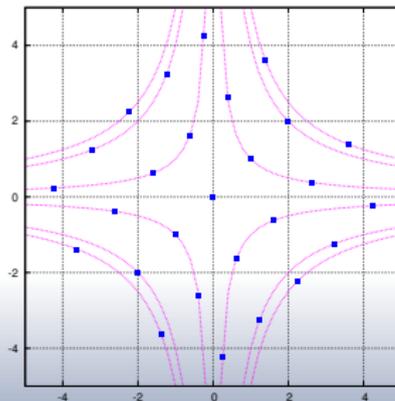
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Minimum product distance of the constellation is $d_{p,\min} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$ which is the best known minimum product distance for \mathbb{Z}^2 .

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Part V

Lattices for Security



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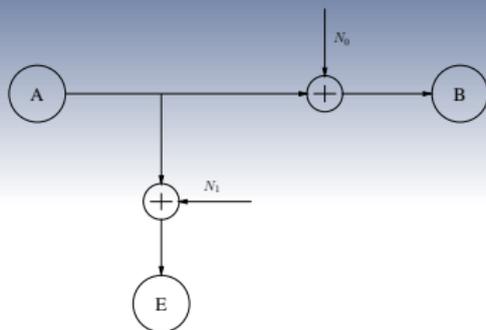


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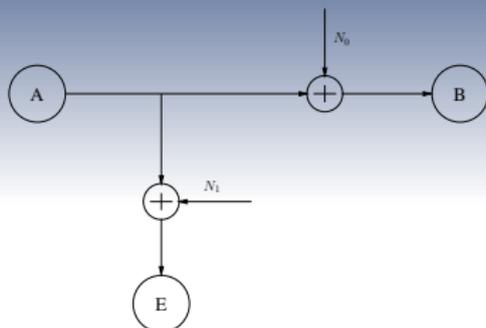


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The secrecy capacity is given by

$$C_s = [C_{A \rightarrow B} - C_{A \rightarrow E}]^+$$

where $C_{A \rightarrow B} = \log_2 \left(1 + \frac{P}{N_0} \right)$ and $C_{A \rightarrow E} = \log_2 \left(1 + \frac{P}{N_1} \right)$ can be achieved by doing **lattice coding**.

Of course, $C_s > 0$ if $N_0 < N_1$.

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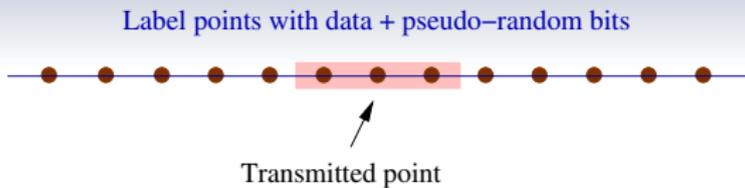


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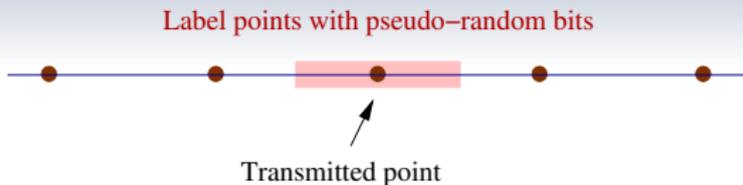


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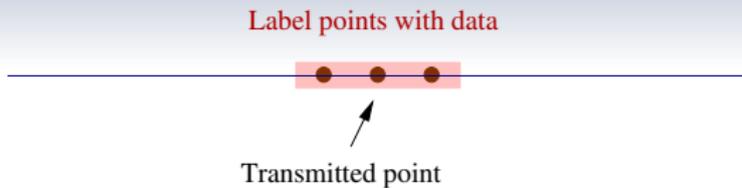


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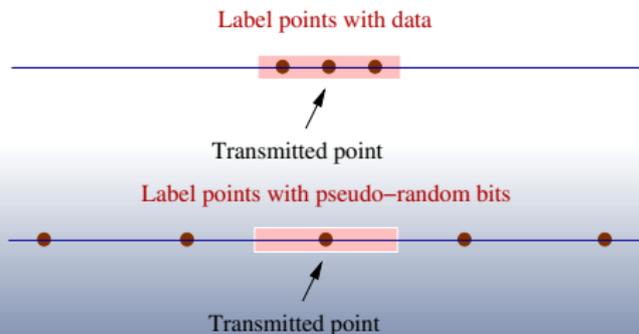


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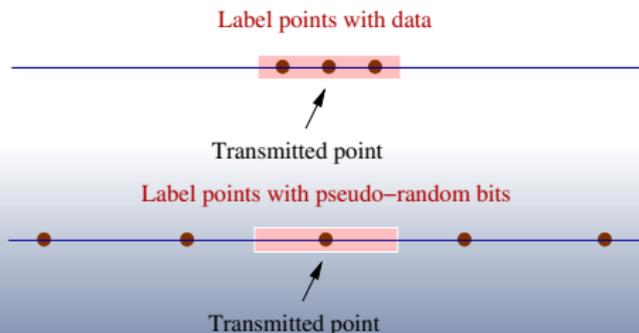


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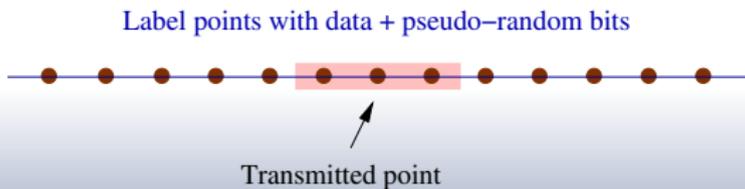


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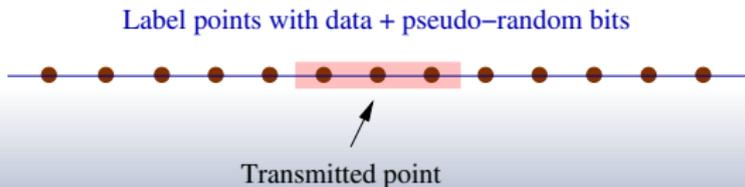


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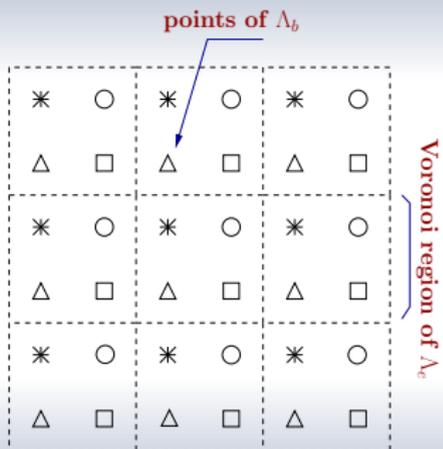


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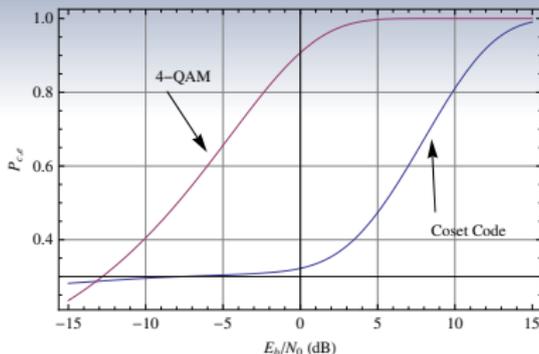


Figure: Probability of correct decoding for coset coding compared to QPSK

Probability of correct decoding is given by

$$P_{C,e} = \left[1 - \frac{1}{3} \left(5Q(\sqrt{\theta}) - 4Q(3\sqrt{\theta}) + 3Q(5\sqrt{\theta}) - 2Q(7\sqrt{\theta}) + Q(9\sqrt{\theta}) \right) \right]^2, \quad \theta = \frac{6}{35} \frac{E_b}{N_0}$$



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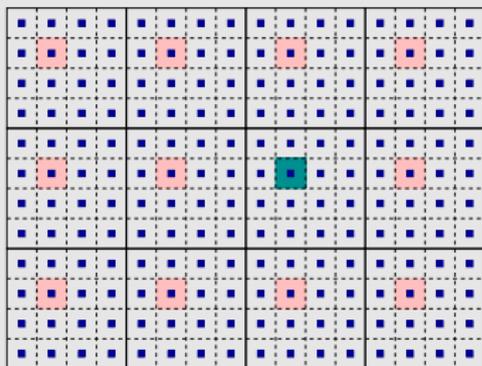


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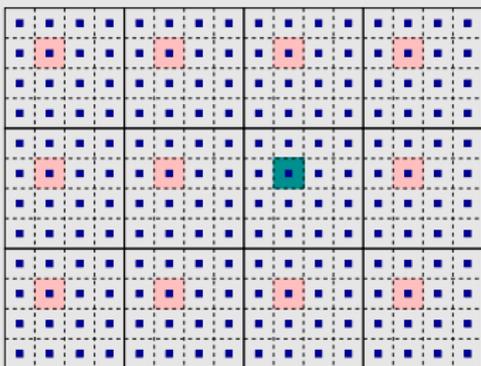


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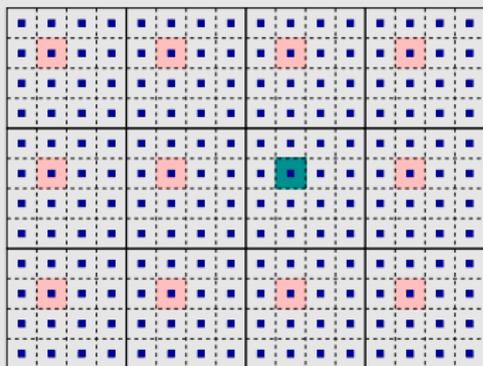


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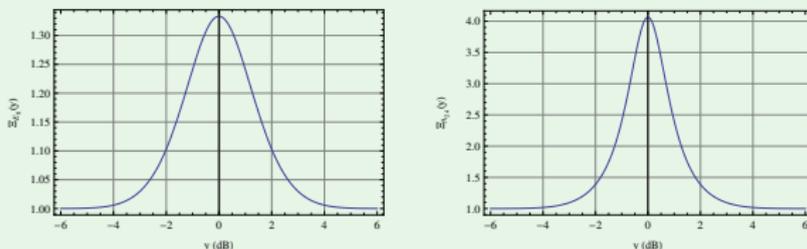


Figure: Secrecy functions of E_8 and A_{24}

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Properties

An even unimodular lattice Λ only exists when n is a multiple of 8. The minimum squared length of any non zero vector is upperbounded

$$\delta^2 \leq 2(m+1)$$

where $n = 24m + 8k$, $k = 0, 1, 2$. A lattice achieving this upperbound is called **extremal**.

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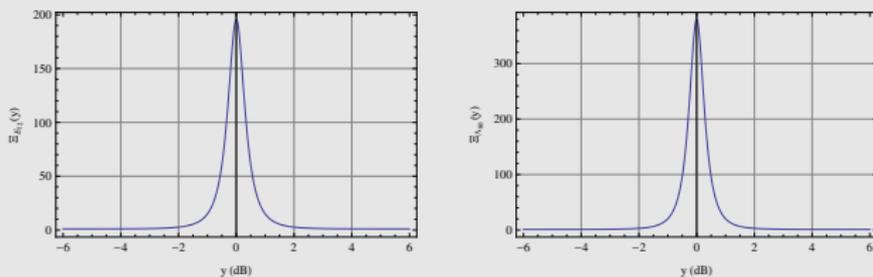


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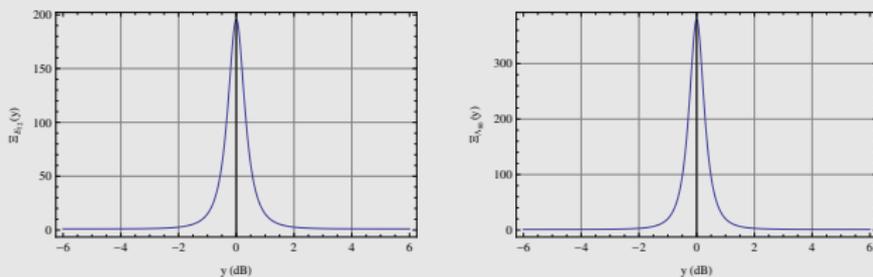


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Secrecy gains of extremal lattices (all rational numbers !!!)

Dimension	8	24	32	48	72	80
Secrecy gain	$\frac{4}{3}$	$\frac{256}{63}$	$\frac{64}{9}$	$\frac{524288}{19467}$	$\frac{134217728}{685881} \approx 195.7$	$\frac{536870912}{1414413} \approx 380$

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Proof.

Theta series of an even unimodular lattice Λ ($n = 24m + 8k$),

$$\Theta_{\Lambda} = \sum_{j=0}^m b_j E_4^{3(m-j)+k} \Delta^j$$

with $E_4 = \frac{1}{2} (\vartheta_2^8 + \vartheta_3^8 + \vartheta_4^8)$, $\Delta = \frac{1}{256} (\vartheta_2 \vartheta_3 \vartheta_4)^8$ and $b_j \in \mathbb{Q}$. For an extremal lattice, the annihilation of the first terms give integer b_j . As

$$\begin{cases} \vartheta_2(e^{-\pi}) &= \vartheta_4(e^{-\pi}) \\ \vartheta_3(e^{-\pi}) &= \sqrt[4]{2} \vartheta_4(e^{-\pi}) \end{cases},$$

we obtain

$$E_4(e^{-\pi}) = \frac{3}{4} \vartheta_3^8(e^{-\pi}) \quad \text{and} \quad \Delta(e^{-\pi}) = \frac{1}{2^{12}} \vartheta_3^{24}(e^{-\pi})$$

giving the rationality of $\Xi_{\Lambda}(1)$. □

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First answer

Apply the Siegel-Weil formula,

$$\sum_{\Lambda \in \Omega_n} \frac{\Theta_{\Lambda}(q)}{|\text{Aut}(\Lambda)|} = M_n \cdot E_k(q^2)$$

where

$$M_n = \sum_{\Lambda \in \Omega_n} \frac{1}{|\text{Aut}(\Lambda)|}$$

and E_k is the Eisenstein series with weight $k = \frac{n}{2}$. Ω_n is the set of all inequivalent n -dimensional, even unimodular lattices. We get

$$\Theta_{n,\text{opt}}(e^{-\pi}) \leq E_k(e^{-2\pi})$$

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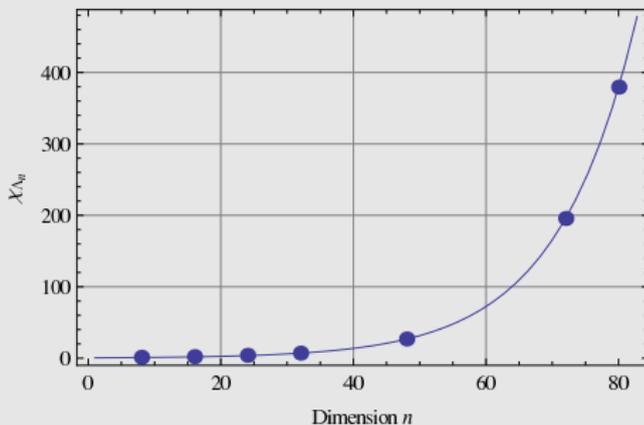


Figure: Lower bound of the minimal secrecy gain as a function of n from Siegel-Weil formula. **Points** correspond to **extremal lattices**.

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Conclusion

Coefficients of E_k are asymptotic estimates of the coefficients of Θ_{Λ} . The secrecy gain of any even unimodular lattice behaves like

$$\frac{\vartheta_3^{2k}(e^{-\pi})}{E_k(e^{-2\pi})}$$

when $k \rightarrow \infty$.

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Maximum Likelihood Decoding

Best Strategy for the eavesdropper

Signal transmitted by Alice is

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{d} + \mathbf{r}, \quad \mathbf{r} \in \Lambda_e, \mathbf{d} \in \Lambda_b / \Lambda_e.$$

Eve maximizes over all possible \mathbf{d} ,

$$\sum_{\mathbf{r} \in \Lambda_e} p(\mathbf{y}_e / \mathbf{d}, \mathbf{r}) \propto \sum_{\mathbf{r} \in \Lambda_e} e^{-\frac{\|\mathbf{y}_e - \mathbf{d} - \mathbf{r}\|^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

where \mathbf{y}_e is the signal received by Eve.

An Example

The $2\mathbb{Z}^2$ example

$$\sum_{x \in 2\mathbb{Z}^2} e^{-\frac{\|y-x\|^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

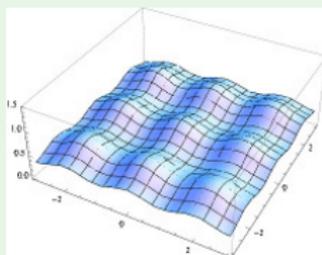
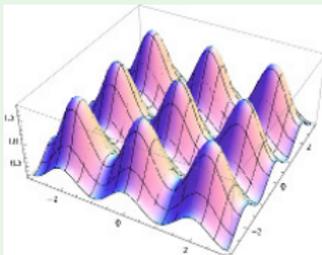


Figure: Sum of Gaussian Measures on the $2\mathbb{Z}^2$ lattice with $\sigma^2 = 0.3$ and $\sigma^2 = 0.6$

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where $\gamma_{\Lambda}(\sigma) = \frac{V(\Lambda)}{2\pi\sigma^2}^{\frac{2}{n}}$ is the **GSNR** (Generalized Signal to Noise Ratio).

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Average behavior

By using the **Minkowski-Hlawka** theorem, we see that, on average, when n becomes large enough, ε_n behaves like $\gamma_{\Lambda_e}(\sigma)^{\frac{n}{2}}$ which tends to 0 **exponentially** when $\gamma_{\Lambda_e}(\sigma) < 1$.

Illustration I

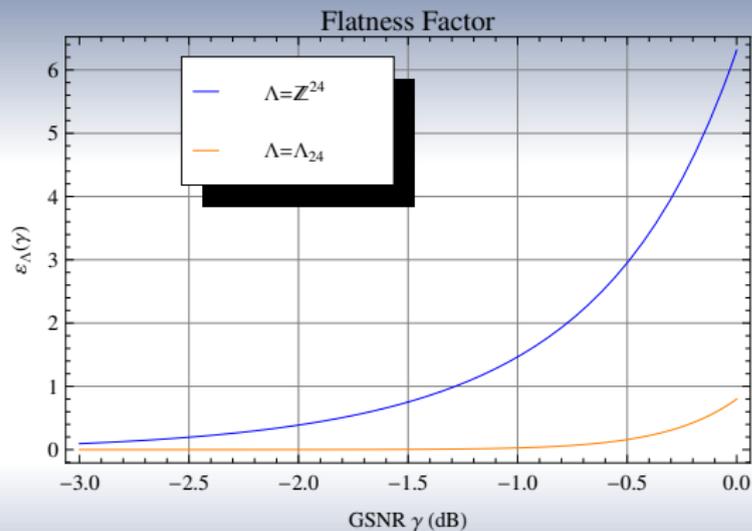


Figure: Flatness Factors in dimension 24

Illustration II

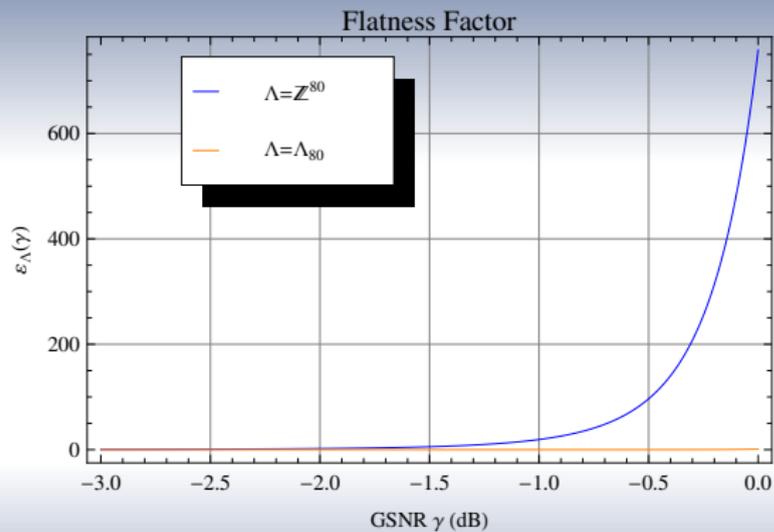


Figure: Some Flatness Factors in dimension 80

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