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Joint Routing, Scheduling and Power-control in Multihop Wireless Networks With Multiple Antennas

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- Basic Introduction to the network & the problem
- General Problem formulation & application to MIMO
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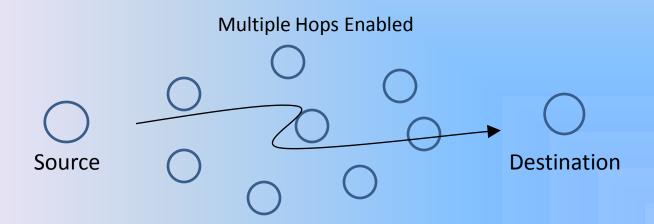
Multihop Wireless Networks

- Multihop Wireless Networks (MHWN) are essential for ubiquitous computation and communication.
- Many experimental theoretical setups around the world.
- A MHWN fundamentally increases the coverage area for communication.
- E.g.: Ad hoc Wireless Networks, Cellular networks, Sensor networks.

A Simple Illustration of MHWN

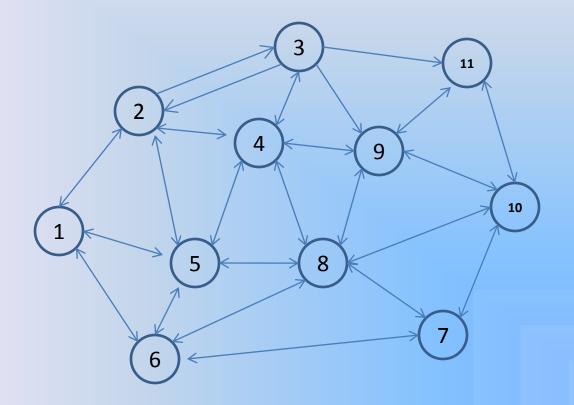


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The 'Destination' need not necessarily be in the coverage area of 'Source'

A Multihop Wireless Network (MHWN)



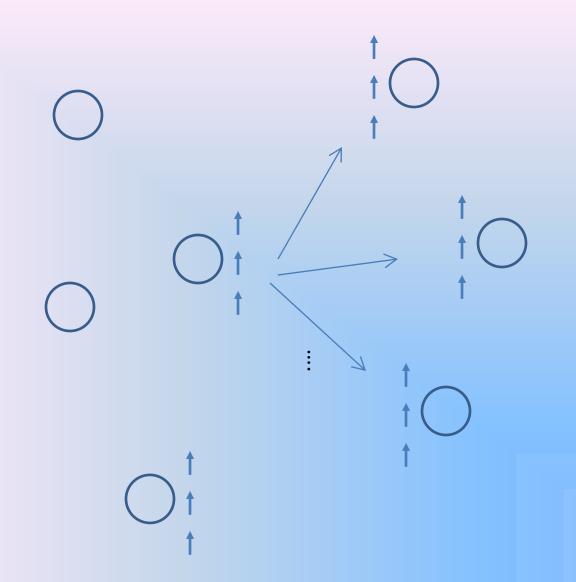
A Graph $G(\mathcal{N}, \mathcal{L})$ representation of MHWN

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- A Multihop wireless network is now represented as,
 A di-graph : G(N,L) Fully connected and no self-loops.
 - Here, \mathcal{L} : The set of indexed links {1,2,...,L} and
 - \mathcal{N} : is the set of indexed nodes {1,2,..., N}.
- All nodes are *half-duplex*.
- Nodes have *multiple antennas* being used both for transmission and reception.
- Every node which is active as a transmitter, *interferes* at all receiving nodes in the network. (Irrespective of the presence of a link)

The Joint Routing Scheduling and Power-control (JRSP) Problem in MHWN

- Routing VS Scheduling VS Power-control given that a set of source nodes want to transmit to destinations.
- All are interrelated problems in MHWN. In OSI model terms, it's a crosslayer optimization problem.
- Many authors have attempted to propose joint procedures to perform all the three simultaneously but most of the significant effort is for <u>single</u> antenna networks only.
- The network is not tractable to JRSP problem beyond a very limited number of nodes, with single antennas itself.
- `MIMO' in the network is not obvious, making the complexity manifold, though one can <u>expect</u> a good improvement in network performance.
- MIMO poses new challenges such as a feasible transmission model, capacity calculations and so on.



More degrees of freedom for transmission to each node, making the transmission model of the whole network non-obvious.

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The Notations and Terminology

- A number of nodes acquire data, act as data *sources* and want to transmit to their own choice of *destinations*.
- The problem is to simply provide a *fair* rate of transmission to all the sources towards their destination.
- All the respective (source, destination) ordered pairs will be called as *flows*, *f C F*, *F* = {1,2,...,F}.
- Transmission models chosen in our work are *P2P*, *MAC only*, *BC only* and *MAC+BC*. Many others models can be proposed. It inspires from a traditional *multi-commodity flow* problem setup and adds new constraints.
- Time is slotted and power-allocation is discrete and chosen from a set of finite number of power-levels.

The routing, scheduling and power-control

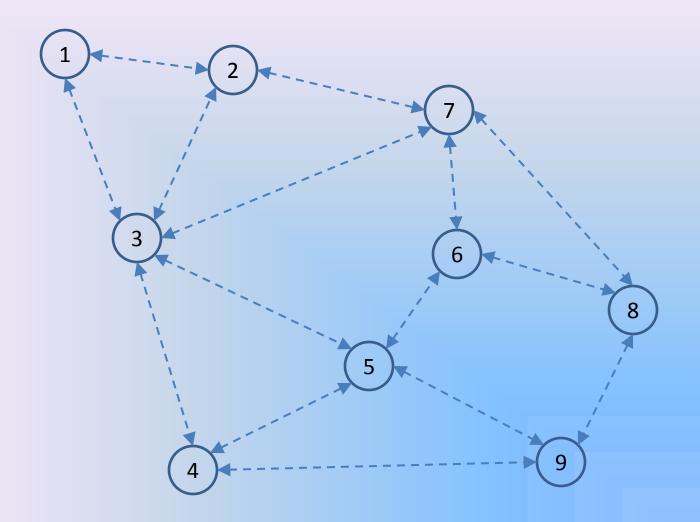
- Each of Routing, Scheduling and Power-control can be modeled as constraints in an optimization problem.
- <u>Routing</u> implies choosing paths and conservation of data along those path. (i.e. in-flow = out-flow for all intermediate nodes)
- <u>Scheduling</u> provides how each of the links should act in each time slot.
- <u>*Power control*</u> says, the amount of power spent on a node should not exceed the average availability of power at any point of time.
- It turns out that, by defining entities called "<u>modes</u>", all of them are achieved simultaneously by simply deciding a specific set of modes and activating them in sequence in the system.

A Mode

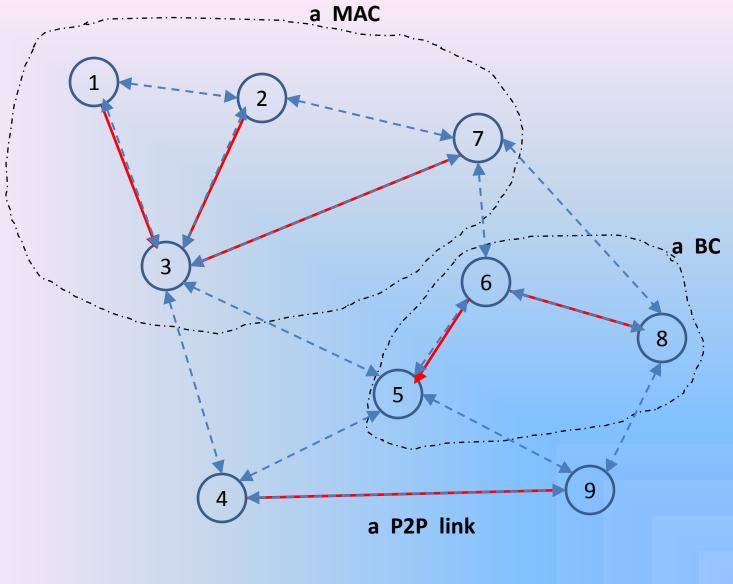
- A mode is defined as an entity that tells what each link in the set *L* should do at an instant. i.e., it needs to tell us,
 "what subset of links should be active and how should they be active?"
- A *mode* is denoted as a vector of power values spent on each link. Hence, its an Lx1 vector, irrespective of number of antennas.
- An immediate question that arises is

"What is the set of all possible modes in the network?" so that, we can choose some modes and schedule them.

- Given the half-duplex and transmission model constraints, not all subsets but a sub-set of them can be considered as *modes*.
- For now, we assume that such a set is given to us.
 And call it *M* = { 1, 2, ..., M }. Computational aspects of this set computation are discussed later.



Given a network as a graph $G(\mathcal{N},\mathcal{L})$



An example to a *mode* of the Graph $G(\mathcal{N}, \mathcal{L})$

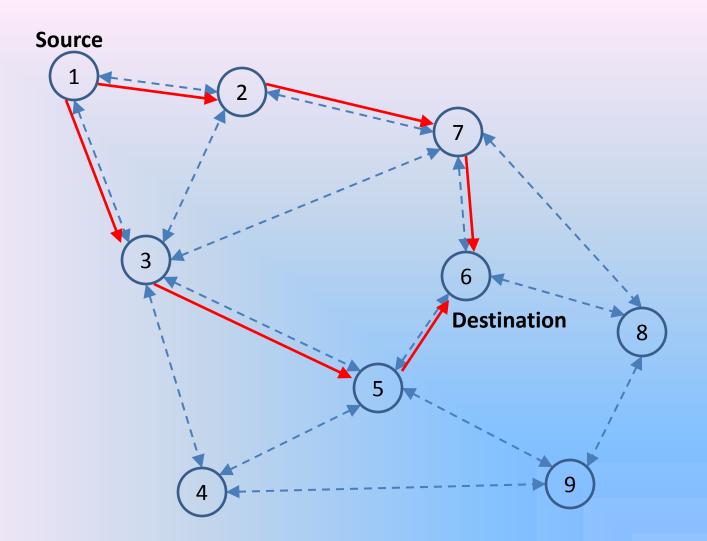


Illustration of functioning of *modes* in the network.

Scheduling using modes

- Given the total set of modes *M*, just choose a scheduling vector <u>α</u> representing the time fractions of each mode, so that the desired, *fair* rate of transmission is achieved from all sources to their respective destinations.
- Where, vector $\underline{\alpha}$ satisfies,

$$\underline{1}^T \underline{\alpha} = 1$$

Fairness

 If we decide user rates {r₁, r₂,..., r_F} based on the system analysis, while their demands are {d₁, d₂, ..., d_F}, we define *fairness* as

$$\lambda \triangleq \min_{i} \left\{ \frac{r_i}{d_i} \right\}$$

 Our final objective is: max λ

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MATHEMATICAL FORMULATION The problem in compact matrix notation $\max\left(\lambda \triangleq \min_{i} \left\{\frac{r_{i}}{d}\right\}\right)$ subject to: $AX = \mathbf{r}$. **Flow Conservation** $X1 \leq C\alpha$, **Capacity Constraints** $P\alpha \leq \underline{P}^{avg},$ **Power Constraints** $\alpha \cdot 1 = 1$, Time consistency of **Scheduling** $X_{lf} \geq 0, \ \forall f \in \mathcal{F}, \ \forall l \in \mathcal{L}$ $P_{nm} \ge 0, \alpha_m \ge 0, \forall n \in \mathcal{N}, \forall m \in \mathcal{M}$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} X^{1} & X^{2} & \dots & X^{f} & \dots & X^{F} \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{pmatrix} X_{11} & X_{12} & \dots & X_{1f} & \dots & X_{1F} \\ X_{21} & X_{22} & \dots & X_{2f} & \dots & X_{2F} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \\ X_{L1} & X_{L2} & \dots & X_{Lf} & \dots & X_{LF} \end{pmatrix}$$
$$C = \begin{bmatrix} C^{1} & C^{2} & \dots & C^{m} & \dots & C^{M} \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{pmatrix} C_{11} & C_{12} & \dots & C_{1m} & \dots & C_{1M} \\ C_{21} & C_{22} & \dots & C_{2m} & \dots & C_{2M} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \\ C_{L1} & C_{L2} & \dots & C_{Lm} & \dots & C_{LM} \end{pmatrix}$$

A is the node versus link incidence matrix representation of the graph

r is a constant NxF matrix with values r_{ij} of *surplus* data-rate at a node -i for flow -j.

*i.e. r*_{ij} is *positive* if node-*i* is a source to flow-*j*, *negative* if node-*i* is a destination to flow-*j* and *zero* if node-*i* is an intermediate node to flow-*j*.

Comments on the problem statement

- Variables are X, $\underline{\alpha}$ and **r** (contains r_i' s)
- A, P, C are constants(matrices), once the set of all modes *M* is fixed.
- The problem finally chooses the best set of modes from *M* and schedules them obeying the power constraints and other sanity constraints, maximizing the fairness
- It's a pure Linear Programming Problem (LPP).

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The Problem Statement for MIMO

$$\max \lambda \triangleq \left(\min_{i} \left\{ \frac{r_{i}}{d_{i}} \right\} \right)$$

subject to:

 $AX = \mathbf{r}$,

$$X \cdot \underline{1} \leq C \cdot \underline{\alpha}$$

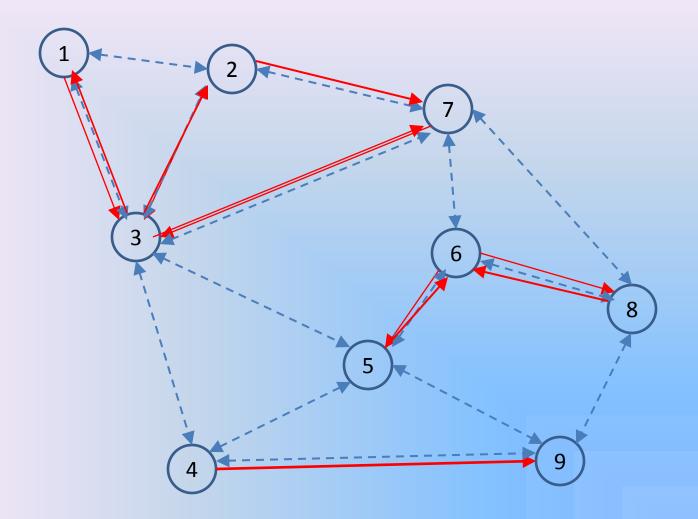
 $P \cdot \alpha \leq P^{avg}$,

 $\underline{\alpha} \cdot \underline{1} = 1$, *all* variables ≥ 0

- The problem statement is perfectly valid, but we need to define the set of *modes*, which is implied by the Transmission-Model.
- Feasibility of capacity calculations is a primary concern.

Transmission models

- We propose three possible models for transmission:
 - Point to Point One node involves in one link only.
 - MAC only A transmitter should transmit to only one node but a receiver can receive from multiple dedicated transmitters.
 - BC only A transmitter may transmit to any number of its neighbors. But a node cannot receive from more than one node.
 - MAC+BC Any node can transmit to or receive from multiple other nodes. But isolation is maintained between modules(MAC or BC). (no sharing of nodes between two modules)
- The sum-capacity calculations for such independent modules are available in literature. We make use of them.

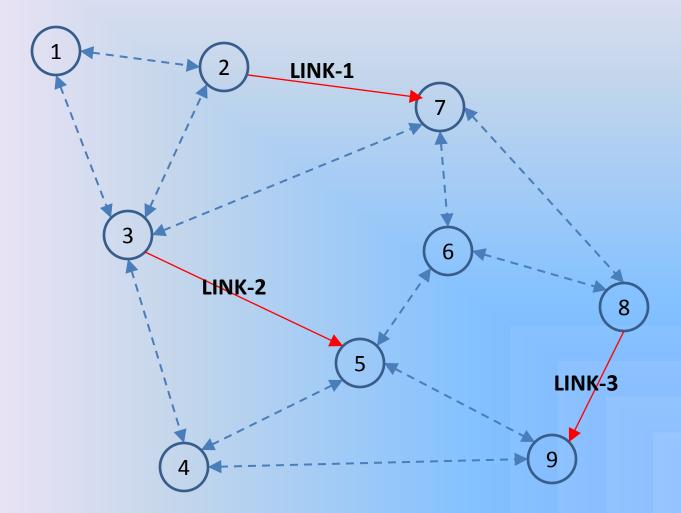


Illustrating Different Transmission Models

P2P Model

- We use SINR model for Capacity calculation of a link.
- We define the modes and their representation
- We give an iterative water-filling way to capacity calculation of a *mode*.
- Solve the problem for any number of antennas
- Demonstrate the linear gain in the throughput with number of antennas

Illustrating a link's capacity calculation under interference



How to find all link capacities simultaneously?

- Clearly, any link's capacity computation needs the knowledge of all other links.
- Let *f(.)* denote rate function of all user co-variances(Capacity under fixed statistics). Hence maximizing it over all covariance matrices under trace constraint is water filling. It gives two outputs, namely covariance matrix and capacity.

$$[K_{x_1}^{opt}, C_1] = \max_{K_{x_1}} f_1(K_{x_1}, K_{x_2}, \dots, K_{x_m})$$
$$[K_{x_2}^{opt}, C_2] = \max_{K_{x_2}} f_2(K_{x_1}, K_{x_2}, \dots, K_{x_m})$$
$$\vdots$$
$$[K_{x_m}^{opt}, C_m] = \max_{K_{x_m}} f_m(K_{x_1}, K_{x_2}, \dots, K_{x_m})$$

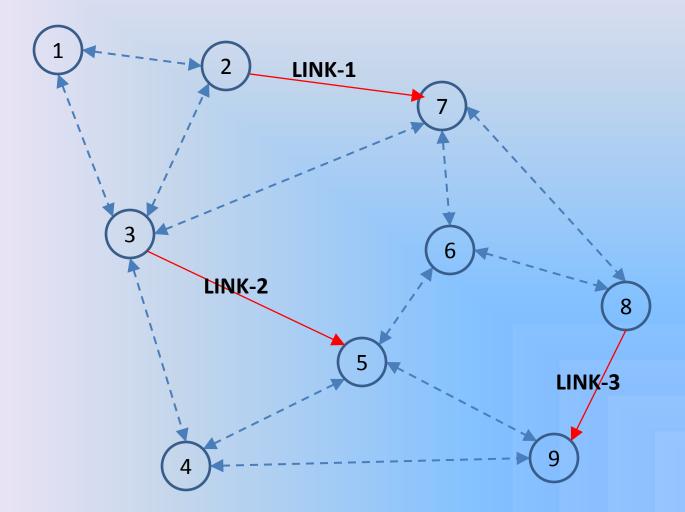
It's a joint optimization problem, unknown overall objective.

An iterative algorithm to obtain capacities of links in a P2P mode

Algorithm 1 Iterative Waterfilling algorithm for finding link-capacities in a

initialize sumrate $\leftarrow -\infty$; $C_i = 0; K_i = (P_i/a) * I; \forall i = \{1, 2, ..., m\}$ while $|\sum_i C_i - sumrate| \ge \varepsilon$ do $sumrate = \sum_i C_i$ for i = 1 to m do $[K_i, C_i] = waterfill(i; \sigma^2; \{K_j, H_{ji} \forall j\})$ end for end while

Illustrating iterative capacity calculation of a P2P mode.



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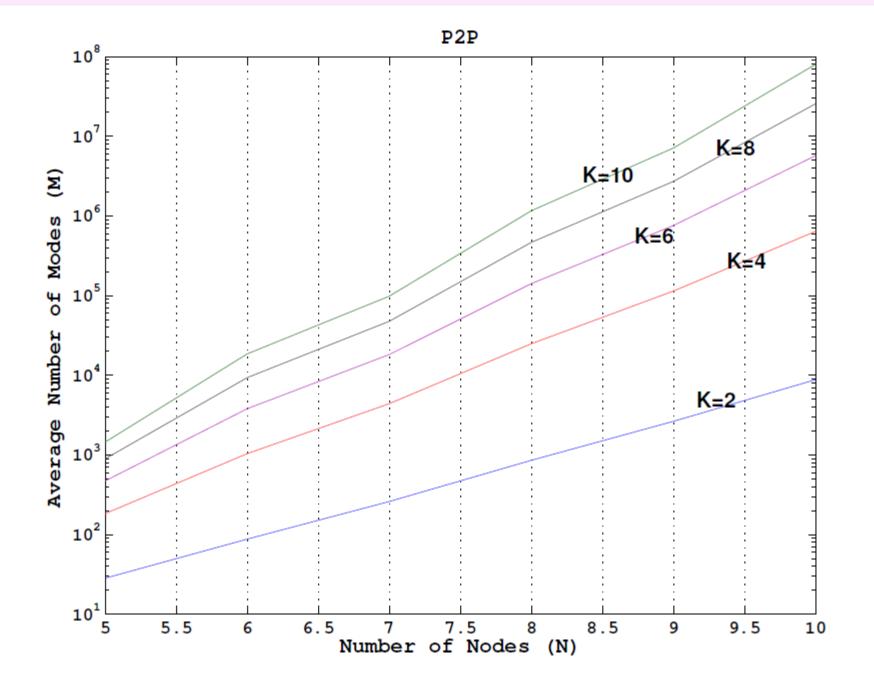
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Complexity issue

- Number of constraints in the problem
 = N(F+1) + L +1
 Number of variables in the problem
 = (L+1)F + M
- Here, N number of nodes, L number of Links
 F number of flows, M number of modes.
- The number of constraints is of O(N²), hence is not a bottle neck to go towards reasonably higher dimensional networks.
- The number of variables is limited by the number of modes M, where M is seen to be exponential in N. This forms the bottleneck in larger networks. (Typically M > 1million for N=11, and 4 power-levels).



Issues with the JRSP problem

- The problem is a large-scale LPP, and not feasible to be solved for more than roughly 10 nodes.
- It is essential to have alternate techniques.
- Fortunately, this kind of problems exist in literature and are not completely new.
 E.g. Cutting stock problem.
- A popularly used technique for solving large scale LPPs is *column generation*. We attempt to use this.

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Column Generation

• A technique for used for a simplex problem with unusually fat coefficient matrix, that is not even storable.

But it needs a useful structure among the variables.

- It's a variant of revised-simplex procedure itself.
 i.e. It divides the problem into Master Problem and Sub-problem and solves at each iteration.
- But the sub-problem is the stage, where it gets modified as column-generation.

The Column Generation

Master Problem:

$$\max \lambda \triangleq \left(\min_{i} \left\{ \frac{r_{i}}{d_{i}} \right\} \right)$$

subject to:

 $AX = \mathbf{r} ,$ $X \cdot \underline{1} \leq C' \underline{\alpha}' ,$ $P' \cdot \underline{\alpha}' \leq \underline{P}^{avg} ,$ $\underline{\alpha}' \cdot \underline{1} = 1 , All are non - neg,$ (except few of those in A) Number of Variables equal to N+L+1 only. (Due to random subset \mathcal{M} ' replaces actual \mathcal{M})

Sub Problem: (Entering mode index)

$$j = \max_{i \in \mathcal{M} \setminus \mathcal{M}'} (\theta \triangleq \underline{u}^T C_i - \underline{v}^T \underline{m}_i - \beta)$$

subject to:
$$\theta \ge 0$$

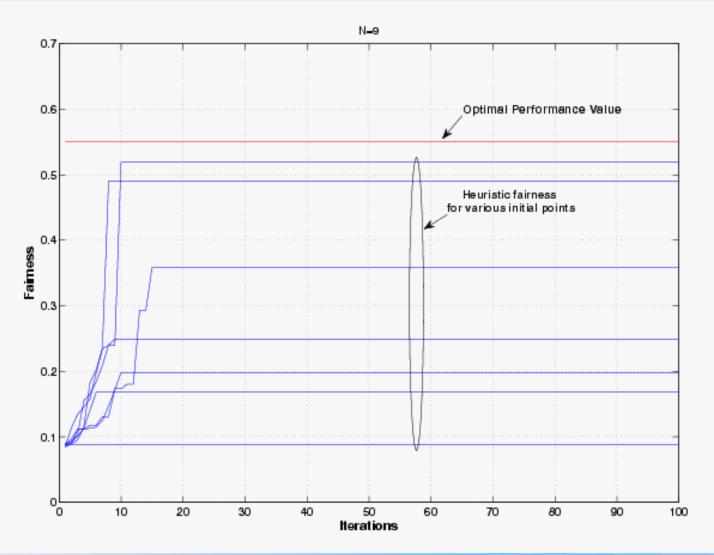
 m_i is the Lx1 mode vector and C_i is the capacity vector of i^{th} mode. Rest are dual variables

The Column Generation ...contd]

- Unfortunately even the sub-problem needs an exhaustive search. Any structure among the set of 'modes' will help us in this case.
- Our JRSP has a sub-problem which cannot be converted into any simpler form using the structure among all the *modes*.
- A greedy *Heuristic* proposed by earlier works comes to our help in this case. We now call it as "Heuristic Column Generation".
- It is a simple greedy transition strategy, which starts from zero mode vector and gets to a non-zero mode vector in steps till the sub-problem's objective converges.

The Heuristic and its sub-optimality

- The Heuristic Column Generation starts by choosing a random set of modes as initial set and goes on improving over the solution. The convergence point is the final solution.
- The final performance given by the algorithm highly depends upon the initial point we start with.
- It is seen via simulations in the networks which can be solved directly for optimal solution, that the heuristic solution can be very close to the optimal.



Variation in final solution, when we choose different initial points, relative to the optimal solution

Modification to Heuristic Column Generation

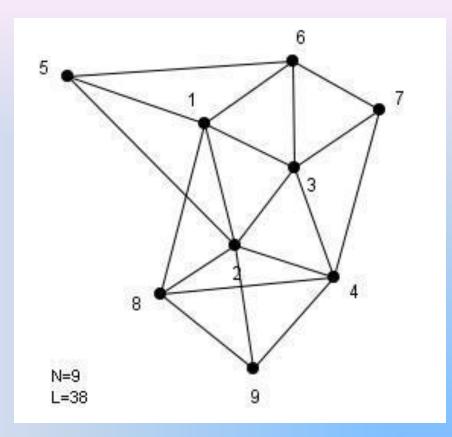
- We propose to solve the problem for multiple initial points and choose the best solution.
- We use this method through out this report and call this as "Heuristic Column Gen".

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Solution to the problem with MIMO

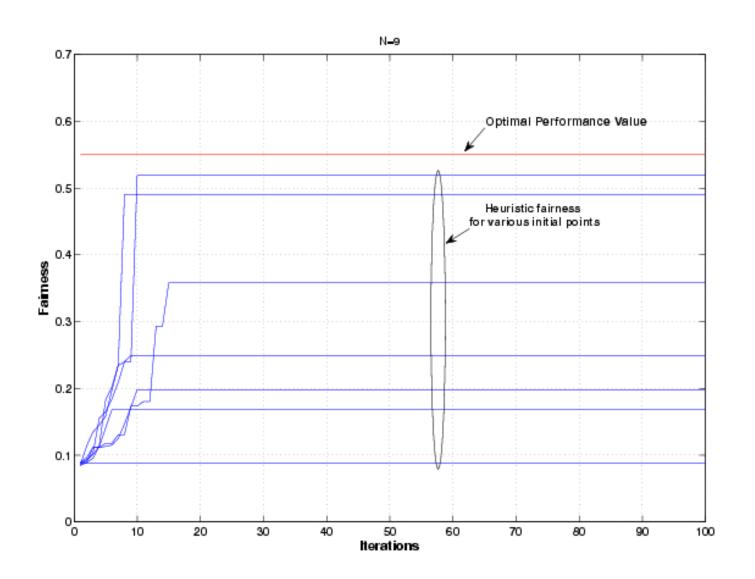
- For less nodes, we solve the problem in both optimally and using our heuristic. This shows the validity of the algorithm
- For higher nodes, we solve just using *heuristic column generation* algorithm.
- We finally demonstrate the MIMO gain in performance both optimally and in heuristic performance terms.



Number of antennas = 4

The average power constraints are : uniform power availability = 30mW. The source-destination pairs are : (7,9),(1,4) The desired rates for the pairs are: [10,40]bits/s/Hz

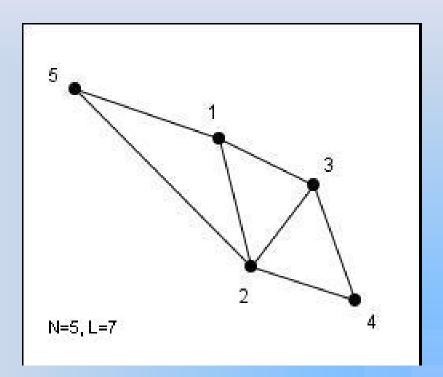
Solution to a network of 9 nodes



The MIMO gain

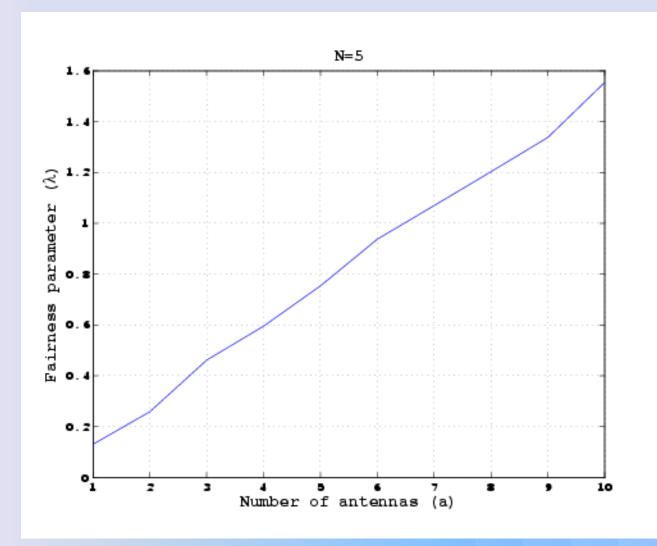
- We take two graphs of 5 and 8 nodes respectively.
- We fix the network parameters except the number of antennas (a) .
- We vary 'a' and observe the performance variation.

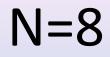
Optimal Performance Gain with MIMO N=5

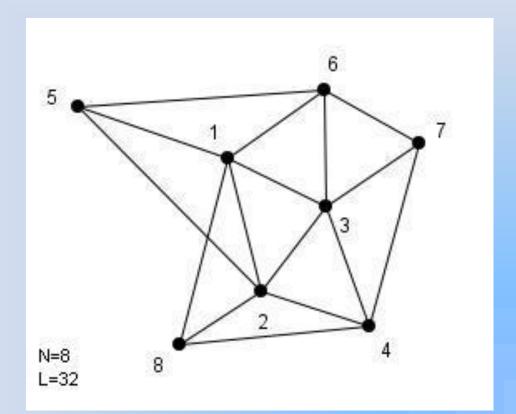


The average power constraints are : uniform power availability = 30units.The source-destination pairs are :(3,5), (4,5)The desired rates for the pairs are:[10,40] units

The MIMO gain for N=5

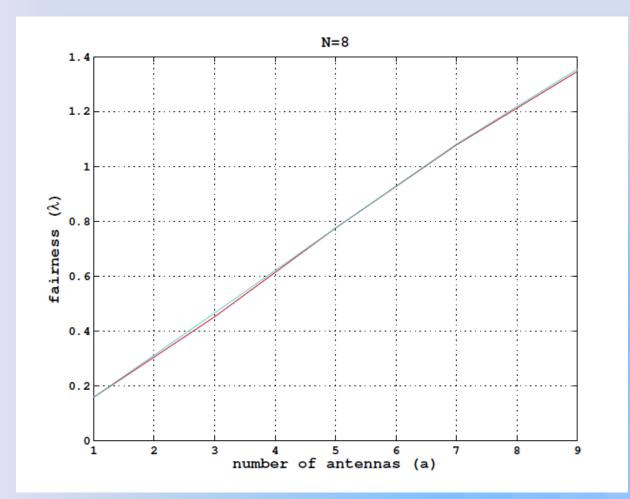




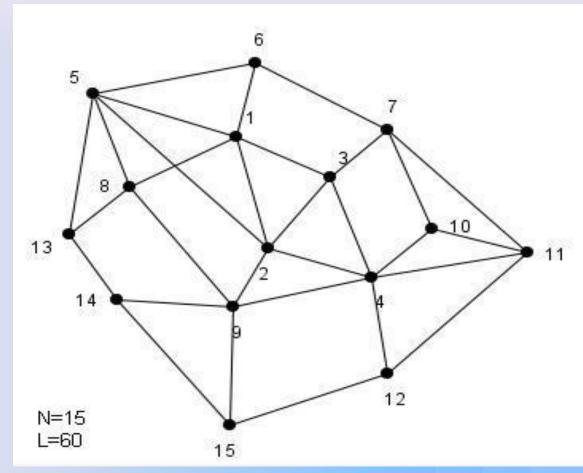


The average power constraints are : uniform power availability = 30 units.The source-destination pairs are :(5,3), (8,7)The desired rates for the pairs are:[10,40] units.

Optimal Performance Gain with MIMO N=8



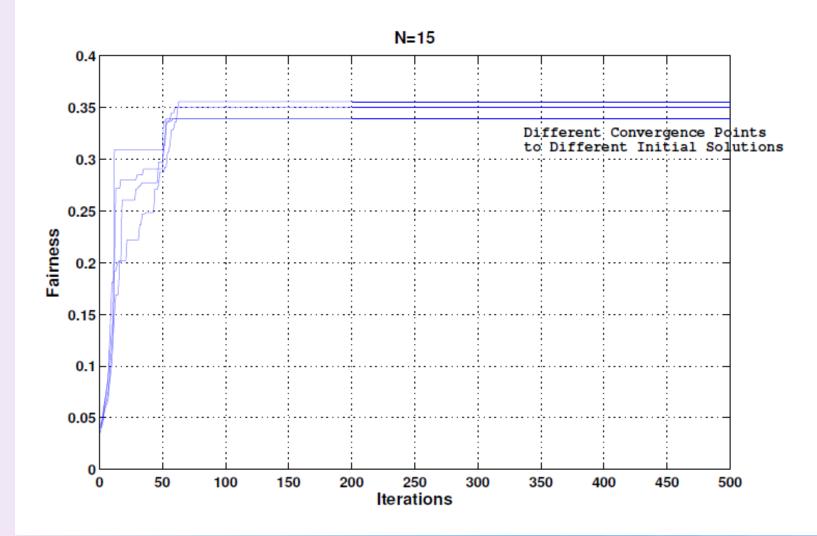
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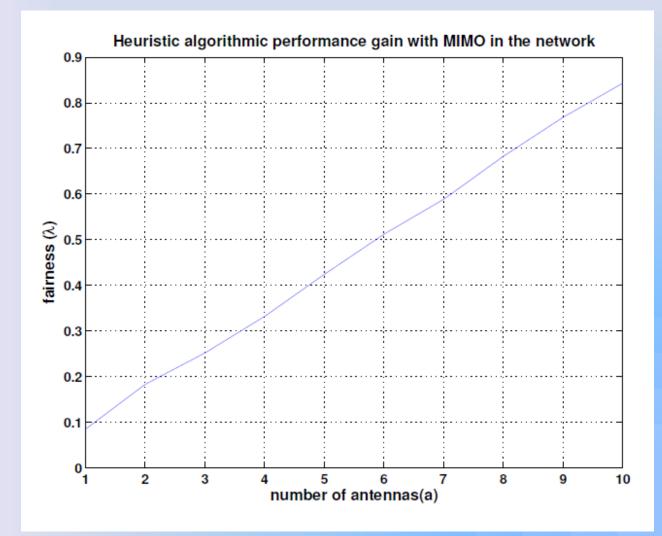
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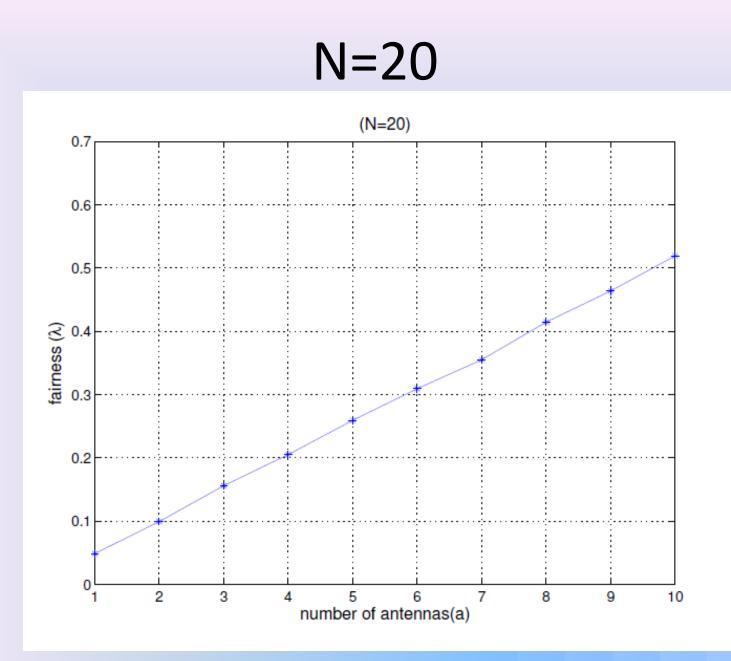
Average powers: each node has uniform power availability = 3 units. Source-destination pairs: (7,13), (10,5), (11,8), (12,6), (4,14) Desired rates: [10,15,20,20,10] units

Heuristic Performance for N=15



Heuristic Performance Gain with MIMO N=15





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Issues with MAC and BC in the system

- Total set of modes further increases.
- Apart, we don't know the capacity expressions of a MAC and BC in the interference environment.
- While a MAC's capacity region is well known, a vector-BC capacity region is still an open problem, under the simplest system model itself.
- But sum capacities of both these are known and simple iterative schemes are developed.
- We try to utilize the available iterative schemes under SINR model of capacity calculations.

Sum Capacity of a vector-MAC Iterative Water filling

Algorithm 2 Iterative Waterfilling algorithm for a vector Gaussian MAC

initialize sumrate $\leftarrow -\infty$; $C_i = 0; K_i = (P_i/a) * I; \quad \forall i = \{1, 2, ..., n\}$ while $|\sum_i C_i - sumrate| \ge \varepsilon$ do for i = 1 to n do $N_{eff} = Z + \sum_{j \ne i} H_j * K_j * H_j^*$ $[K_i, C_i] = waterfill(N_{eff}; H_i; K_i)$ end for $sumrate = \sum_i C_i$ end while

Sum Capacity of a vector-BC Iterative Water filling, using Duality.

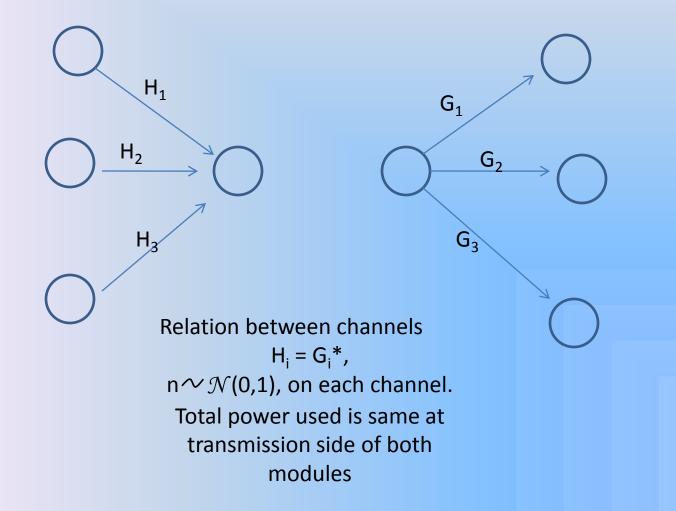
Algorithm 3 Iterative Waterfilling algorithm for a dual-MAC of a vector Gaussian BC summate $\leftarrow -\infty$; $C_i = 0, M_i = (P_i/a) * I \quad \forall i = \{1, 2 \dots n\}$ initialize while $|\sum_i C_i - sumrate| \ge \varepsilon$ do summate = $\sum_{i} C_{i}$ for i = 1 to n do $H'_{i} = H_{i}Z^{-1/2}$ end for for i = 1 to n do Generate effective channels $H_i^{eff} = H_i'(I + \sum_{i \neq i} H_i'^* K_i H_i')^{-1/2}$ end for $S = blockdiag\{H_i^{eff}, j = 1, 2..., n\}$ $[T, C_{tot}]$ = waterfill($I; S; P_{BC}$), here $T \equiv \text{blockdiag}(\{T_i, i = 1, 2, \dots, n\})$. for i = 1 to n do $M_i \leftarrow \frac{(n-1)}{n} M_i + \frac{1}{n} T_i$ (The dual-MAC user covariances) $C_i \leftarrow \log |I + H_i^{eff*} N_i H_i^{eff}|$ (individual user rates in BC or dual-MAC) end for end while

Conversion between co-variances of dual-MAC and BC

Algorithm 4 Transformation from covariance matrices of dual-MAC $\{M_i\}_i$ to its original BC $\{K_i\}_i$

for
$$i = 1$$
 to n do
 $A_i \triangleq \left(I + H_i\left(\sum_{j=1}^{i-1} K_j\right) H_i^*\right)$ with $A_1 \triangleq I$ and
 $B_i \triangleq \left(I + \sum_{j=i+1}^{n} H_j^* M_j H_j\right)$ with $B_n \triangleq I$
 $K_i = B_i^{-1/2} \overline{A_i^{1/2}} M_i A_i^{1/2} B_i^{-1/2}$
end for

Duality between a BC and a MAC

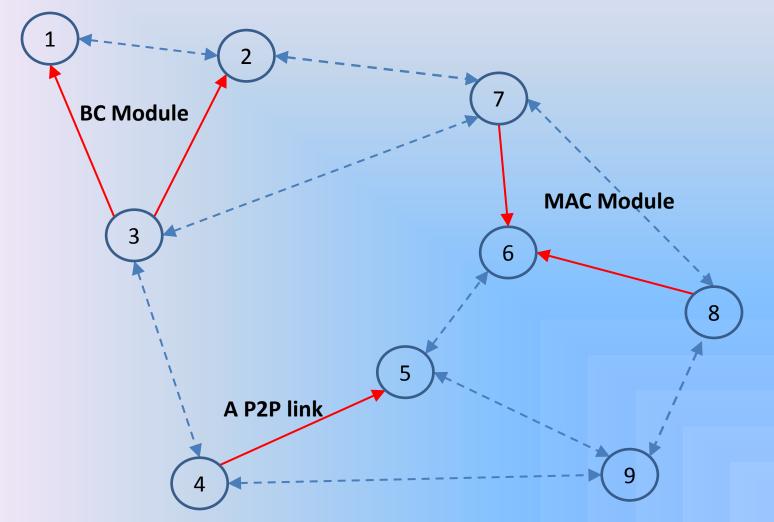


Algorithm 5 Iterative Waterfilling algorithm for finding link-capacities in a general m

Initialize $\mathscr{T}' = \mathscr{T}$. Initialize summate $\leftarrow -\inf; C_l = 0; K_i = (P_i/a) * I; \forall l \in \mathcal{L}$ while $|\sum_{l} C_{l} - sumrate| \geq \varepsilon$ do sum rat $e = \sum_i C_i$ for each $i \in T'$ do if R(i) = 1 then Find the link $l \in \mathcal{L}$, and the receiver node $j \in \mathcal{N}$ attached to node-*i*. if T(j) = 1 then Find effective noise+interference covariance at receiver node *j*, $K_{z_i} = \sigma^2 I + \sum_{t \in \mathcal{T}, t \neq i} H_{ti}^* K_t H_{ti}$ $[C_l, K_i] = \text{waterfill}(K_{z_i}; H_{k_i}; K_i)$ $\mathcal{T}' = \mathcal{T}' \setminus \{i\}$ else if T(j) > 1 then Find all the transmitting nodes and links in the MAC to node *j*, call them $\mathcal{N}_{MAC} \subseteq \mathcal{N}, \ \mathcal{L}_{MAC} \subseteq \mathcal{L}$ Find effective noise+interference covariance at node *i*, $K_{z_i} = \sigma^2 I + \sum_{t \in \mathcal{T} \setminus \mathcal{N}_{MAC}} H_{ti}^* K_i H_{ti}$ $[\{K_n, n \in \mathcal{N}_{MAC}\}, \{C_l, l \in \mathcal{L}_{MAC}\}] =$ MACSumCapacity(K_{z_i} ; { $H_{it}, t \in \mathcal{N}_{MAC}$ }; { $m_t, t \in \mathcal{N}_{MAC}$ }) set $\mathcal{T}' = \mathcal{T}' \setminus \mathcal{N}_{MAC}$ end if else if R(i) > 1 then Find all the receiver nodes and links in the BC from node-*i*, call them $\mathcal{N}_{BC} \subseteq \mathcal{N}, \ \mathcal{L}_{BC} \subseteq \mathcal{L}$ Find effective noise+interference covariance. $K_{z_t} = \sigma^2 I + \sum_{w \in \mathcal{T}, n \neq i} H^*_{wt} K_i H_{wt}$, at each receiver $t \in \mathcal{N}_{BC}$ $[\{K_{it}, t \in \mathcal{N}_{BC}\}, \{C_l, l \in \mathcal{L}_{BC}\}] =$ BCSumCapacity(K_{z_i} ; { $H_{it}, t \in \mathcal{N}_{BC}$ }; m_i) (user covariance Finally, $K_i = \sum_{t \in \mathcal{N}_{PC}} K_{it}$ set $\mathcal{T}' = \mathcal{T}' \setminus \{i\}$ end if end for end while

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Illustration of capacity calculation of a mode with MAC & BC



Performance of MAC, BC transmission models

- Using the definitions of Mode and its capacity as shown, similar to p2p,
 - Smaller Networks: solved both optimally as well as heuristically.
 - Larger Networks: solved using Heuristic algorithm.
- Taking P2P model as a base-line, we try to see the performance improvement by using new transmission models, in both Heuristic and optimal sense.

Optimal Performance improvement in various Transmission models

No. of Nodes	P2P	MAC- only	% Gain over P2P	BC- only	%Gain over P2P	MAC+ BC	%Gain over P2P
N=5	0.745	0.752	0.91%	0.746	0.00%	0.904	21.26%
	1.07	1.070	0.00%	1.075	0.48%	1.498	39.99%
N=6	0.772	0.810	4.87%	0.772	0.00%	1.139	47.45%
	1.083	1.090	0.62%	1.084	0.02%	1.584	46.16%
N=7	0.480	0.486	1.25%	0.480	0.00%	0.637	32.69%
	1.110	1.115	0.42%	1.115	0.41%	1.599	43.97%
N=8	0.735	0.723	-1.67%	0.736	0.00%	0.981	33.31%
	1.061	1.062	0.00%	1.065	0.29%	1.564	47.27%
N=9	0.550	0.577	4.80%	0.583	5.77%	1.108	101.18%
	1.123	1.124	0.00%	1.137	1.19%	1.581	40.68%

Heuristic Algorithmic Performance improvement in various Transmission models

No. of Nodes	P2P	MAC- only	% Gain over P2P	BC- only	%Gain over P2P	MAC+BC	%Gain over P2P
N=5	0.974	1.137	16.70%	1.137	16.70%	1.419	45.68%
	0.742	0.752	1.40%	0.742	0.00%	0.798	7.54%
N=6	0.575	0.575	0.00%	0.574	0.00%	0.745	29.75%
	1.013	1.009	-0.42%	1.014	0.00%	1.184	16.82%
N=8	0.523	0.574	9.56%	0.587	12.20%	0.703	34.38%
	1.057	1.081	2.20%	1.058	0.00%	1.210	14.40%
N=9	0.394	0.433	10.02%	0.483	22.48%	0.712	80.57%
	1.132	1.158	2.29%	1.132	0.00%	1.246	10.05%
N=10	0.418	0.401	-4.00%	0.418	0.00%	0.540	29.21%
	0.181	0.180	-0.44%	0.181	0.00%	0.317	75.65%
N=15	0.356	0.364	2.36%	0.354	-0.56%	0.509	42.96%
	0.166	0.153	-8.05%	0.166	0.00%	0.327	96.39%
N=20	0.221	0.228	2.99%	0.2199	-0.50%	0.277	25.11%
	0.166	0.149	-10.01%	0.1527	-7.96%	0.222	33.94%

Outline of the Presentation

- Basic Introduction to the network
- Introduction to the problem
- General Problem formulation & application to MIMO
- ✓ Solution procedure A *Heuristic* Column Generation algorithm.
- ✓ Simulations with P2P transmission model.
- ✓ New transmission models to improve the performance and simulation results.
- ✓ Conclusions

Conclusions

- In a MHWN with JRSP and with MIMO:
 - We have a feasible formulation for JRSP problem in MHWN with MIMO.
 - We have a feasible capacity computation in a mode.
 - We have extended a feasible heuristic algorithm for finding the solution (which works only with single antenna networks) to a network with MIMO.
 - We have proposed new transmission models to improve the performance.
 - We have demonstrated the MIMO gains in the system in all Transmission models.
 - We have demonstrated the improvement in throughput by using new transmission models.
 - We have seen that, MAC, BC alone give a marginal gain in throughput while both together give substantial gains.

Thank you