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## **Harris/Lucent TGb Compromise CCK (11Mbps) Proposal**

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## **KEY FEATURES**

- 11 and 5.5 Mbps data rates
- Outstanding high-multipath performance
- Outstanding low-SNR performance
- Seamless interoperability with existing DS and FH
- Clean, extensible receiver architectures enabled
- Maintains QPSK chips at 11 MHz chip rate
- Maintains 3 frequency channels
- FCC and MKK regulations satisfied

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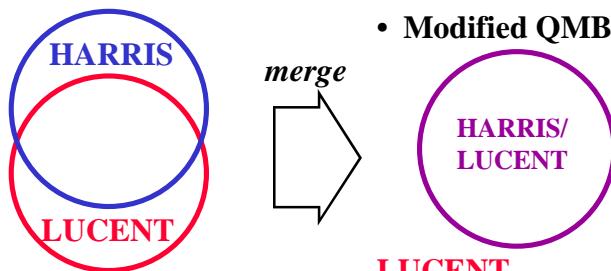
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## MERGER EASE



### HARRIS

- Codeword change only
- Modified QMBOK

### LUCENT

- Codeword change
- Do not position modulate

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## COMPROMISE ADVANTAGES RELATIVE TO LUCENT'S MAY PROPOSAL

- 4 dB less PA Backoff.
- RAKE receiver foundation maintained.
- RAKE married to HARRIS's Equalizer simplifies design over BCPM TSE/MS.
- 11 Mbps 1K byte packet performance.
  - May: 130 nsec
  - July: 226 nsec at lower complexity

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## COMPROMISE ADVANTAGES RELATIVE TO HARRIS'S MAY PROPOSAL

<b>MULTIPATH ROBUSTNESS</b>	Chip Equalizer	RAKE + ISI Eq.	<b>200% Better</b>
	<b>MAY</b>	<b>JULY</b>	
• RMS delay spread	<b>5.5 Mbps:</b>	<b>226 nsec</b>	<b>450 nsec</b>
• Bigger is better			
• 64 byte packet	<b>11 Mbps:</b>	<b>186 nsec</b>	<b>330 nsec</b>

<b>NOISE ROBUSTNESS</b>	<b>MAY</b>	<b>JULY</b>	<b>7-8 dB Better</b>
	<b>5.5 Mbps:</b>	<b>25.2 dB</b>	
• Eb/No dB	<b>11 Mbps:</b>	<b>17.7 dB</b>	
• Smaller is better			
• With Equalizer			
• 1K byte packet	<b>24.7 dB</b>	<b>17.7 dB</b>	

<b>ARCHITECTURE</b>	<b>MAY</b>	<b>JULY</b>	<b>Cleaner Design</b>
	<b>RAKE</b>	<b>RAKE and Equalizer Integrated</b>	
• Design ease	<b>1, 2 Mbps:</b>		
• Gate count	<b>5.5, 11 Mbps:</b>	<b>FF/FB Equal</b>	
• Power draw			

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## COMPROMISE OR NEW PROPOSAL?

### CLEARLY A COMPROMISE BECAUSE

- BPSK or QPSK chips are used (Harris)
- 1-and-2 MBps DSSS-like signal (Lucent & Harris)
  - Phase-modulated codewords
- 11 Mcps rate maintained (Harris & Lucent)
  - Spectrum (bandwidth) unchanged
- Next Generation-QMBOCK (Harris) codeword called CCK used
- Seamless interoperability maintained with DS and FH
- Merged architecture: RAKE (Lucent) with Equalizer (Harris)

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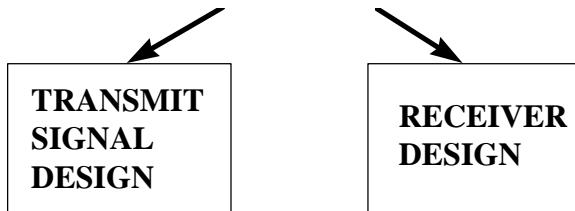
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## PERFORMANCE: WAVEFORM Versus RECEIVER

### ***PERFORMANCE ENABLERS***



- Distance properties
- Wide choice range
- Does it fully exploit Tx signal features?

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## SIGNAL DESIGN

**TESTPOINT**  
**5.5 MBPS**  
**8 CHIP CODEWORDS**

**SIMULATION ASSUMPTIONS**  
**6 Finger RAKE RCVR**  
**8 Samples/chip CIR Decimated To 1**

	<b>MBOK CoverCode 03 h</b>	<b>MBOK CoverCode 12 h</b>	<b>CCK 4-ARY</b>
<b>DELAY SPREAD nsec</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>225</b>	<b>320</b>

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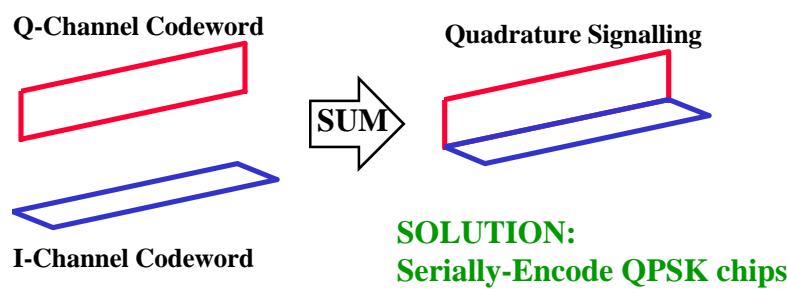
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## CODEWORD STUDY

- Jointly performed comprehensive codeword study
- Examined 8, 11 and 16 chip codes
- Examined WALSH and cover codes
- Examined real-chip (MBOK) versus complex-chip (CCK) codes
- Computed matched-filter-bound to examine fundamental distance properties in multipath
- Jointly-examined against receiver architectures
- CCK gave best overall performance and architecture

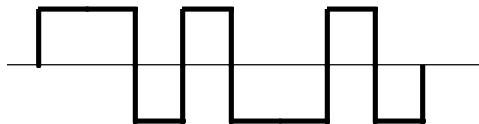
## I/Q MULTIPATH CORRUPTION

- HARRIS'S **Quadrature-MBOK**
- LUCENT'S **Quadrature-BCPM**
- CORRUPTED BY MULTIPATH PHASE ROTATIONS

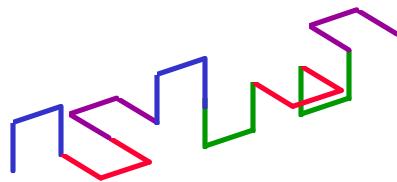


## CODE DIMENSIONALITY

**8 BPSK CHIPS:  $2^8 = 256$  Codewords**



**8 QPSK CHIPS:  $4^8 = 65536$  Codewords**



## COMPLEMENTARY CODES

8 Chip/4 Phase

$\phi: 0, \pi/2, \pi, 3\pi/2$

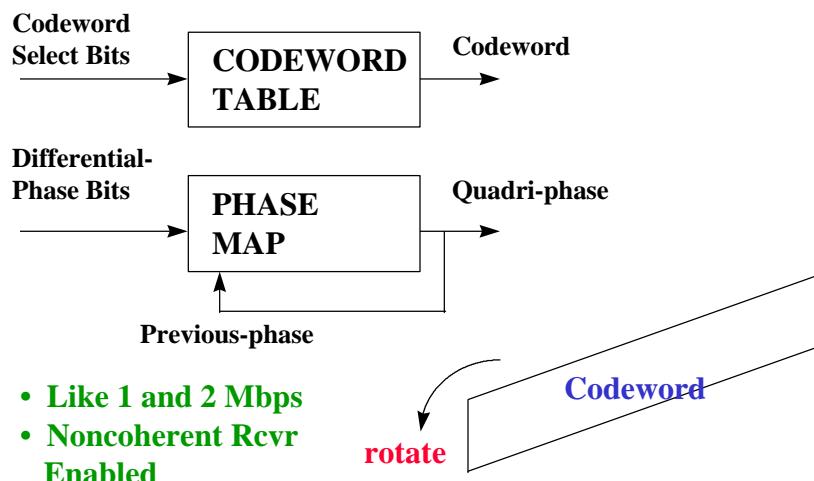
$$c = \{e^{j(\frac{\pi}{4} 1 + \frac{\pi}{4} 2 + \frac{\pi}{4} 3 + \frac{\pi}{4} 4)}, e^{j(\frac{\pi}{4} 1 + \frac{\pi}{4} 3 + \frac{\pi}{4} 4)}, e^{j(\frac{\pi}{4} 1 + \frac{\pi}{4} 2 + \frac{\pi}{4} 4)}, \\ -e^{j(\frac{\pi}{4} 1 + \frac{\pi}{4} 4)}, e^{j(\frac{\pi}{4} 1 + \frac{\pi}{4} 2 + \frac{\pi}{4} 3)}, e^{j(\frac{\pi}{4} 1 + \frac{\pi}{4} 3)}, -e^{j(\frac{\pi}{4} 1 + \frac{\pi}{4} 2)}, e^{j(\frac{\pi}{4} 1)}\}$$

- Directly encodes complex (QPSK) chips
- $\phi$ 1 quadriphase rotates whole codeword
- 64 codewords before quadriphase
- 256 codewords after quadriphase (8 bits)
- 2 bit sign, 6 bits codeword select
- Fast-Walsh-transform like decoder

## NAME CHANGE UNAVOIDABLE

- QMBOK: Quadrature M-ary Bi-Orthogonal Keying
- QMBOK does not make sense for new modulation
- Not quadrature, not orthogonal (only nearly orthogonal), not bi-orthogonal
- Still 8 chip
- CCK -- Complementary Code Keying

## DIFFERENTIAL-PHASE MODULATE CODEWORDS



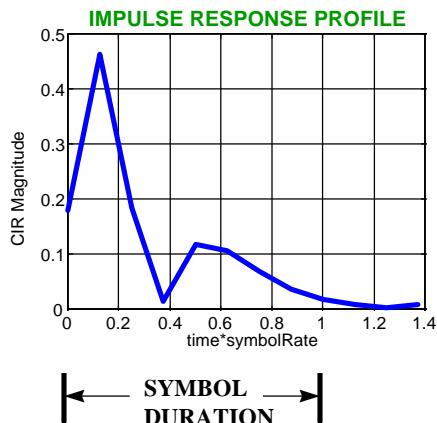
## RAKE DESIGN RULES

RULE	HIGH-RATE INDOOR WLAN	VIOLATION PENALTY
Symbol Duration Must Be Much Greater Than Multipath Spread	200 nsec gives 0.25 - 0.5 Symbol Overlap	RAKE ISI Breakdown
Autocorrelation Must Be Impulsive And Cross Correlation Zero	8-16 chips is too small to be effective	Freq. Selective RAKE ICI Breakdown

## RECOMMENDED RAKE RCVR EXTENSIONS

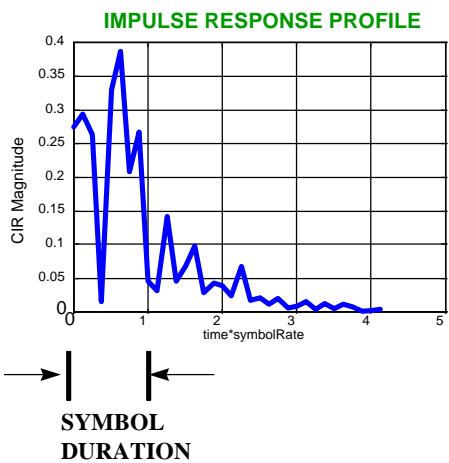
- RAKE rcvr alone works great for 1 and 2 Mbps
- At high data rates, multipath impairments limit the performance of a RAKE
- HARRIS/LUCENT recommend extensions which enable high-performance at 11 Mbps

## INDOOR MULTIPATH EXAMPLE



100 nsec  
RMS Delay  
Spread

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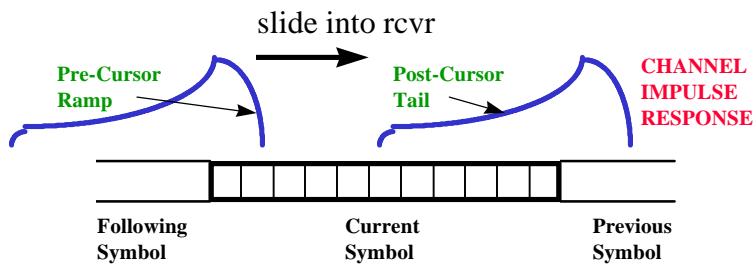


300 nsec  
RMS Delay  
Spread

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FACTORY

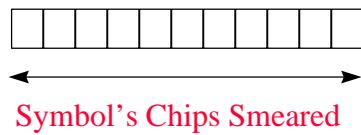
## MULTIPATH: ISI LOSS

- InterSymbol Interference (ISI)
- Symbols Smeared Together
- Previous Symbol: Post-Cursor ISI
- Preceding Symbol: Pre-Cursor ISI
- Primary RAKE Failure Mechanism for 802.11



## MULTIPATH: ICI LOSS

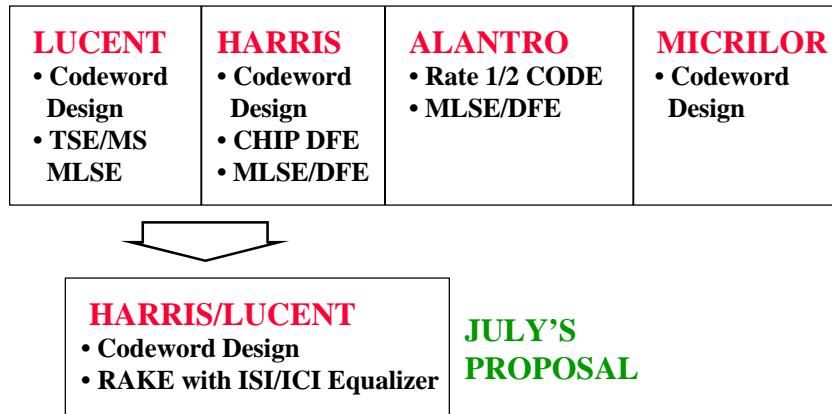
- InterChip (sub-symbol) Interference (ICI)
- Chips Smeared Together
- Previous Chip: Post-Cursor ICI
- Preceding Chip: Pre-Cusor ICI
- Codeword Orthogonality Lost
- Codeword Equal-Energy Lost
- Secondary RAKE Failure Mechanism for 802.11



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## ISI/ICI MITIGATION IN PRE-JULY PROPOSALS



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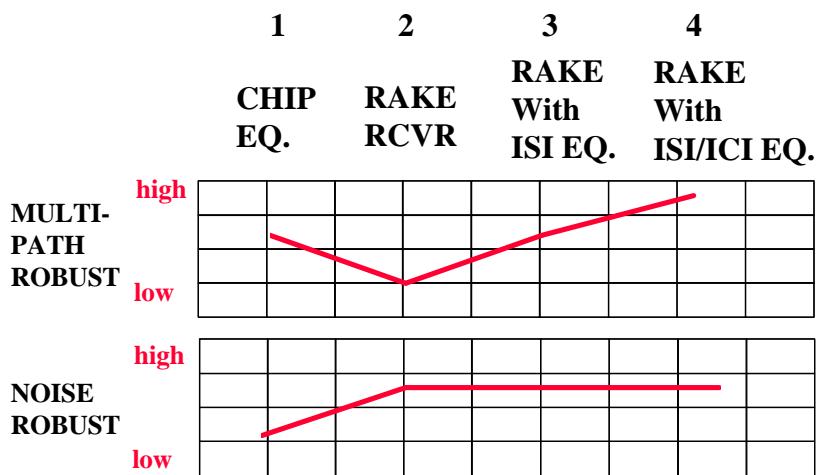
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## CANONICAL ARCHITECTURES



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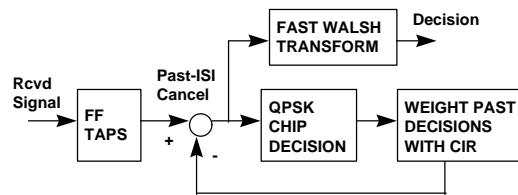
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## CHIP EQUALIZER

- 2 FF Taps (multiplies) and 10 FB Taps (adds)
- Sliding DFE algorithm minimizes FF Taps
- Lowest-complexity architecture
- **226 nsec** multipath-spread testpoint at 11 Mbps
- **20.5 dB** SNR testpoint at 11 Mbps (64 byte)



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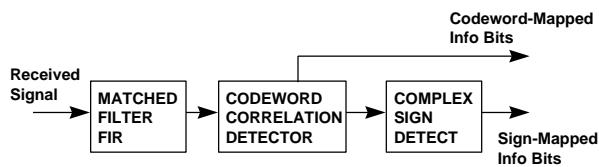
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## RAKE RECEIVER

- 6 tap Channel Matched Filter
- Second-lowest-complexity architecture
- **90 nsec** multipath spread testpoint at 11 Mbps
- **15.5 dB** SNR testpoint at 11 Mbps (64 byte)



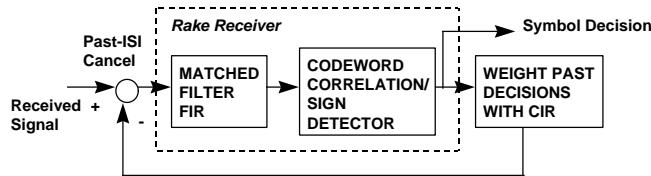
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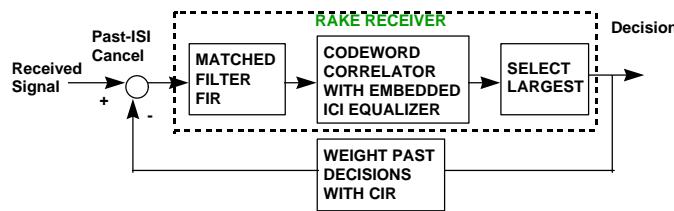
## RAKE WITH ISI EQUAL.

- 6 tap Channel Matched Filter
- Third-lowest-complexity architecture
- 144 nsec multipath spread testpoint at 11 Mbps
- 15 dB SNR testpoint at 11 Mbps (64 byte)



## RAKE WITH ISI/ICI EQUAL.

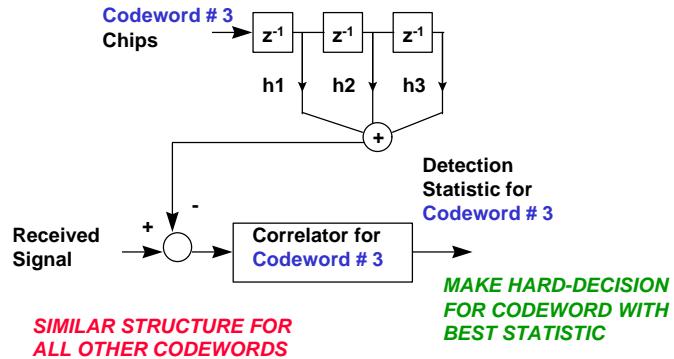
- 6 tap Channel Matched Filter
- Highest-complexity architecture
- 333 nsec multipath spread testpoint at 11 Mbps
- 15.5 dB SNR testpoint at 11 Mbps (64 byte)



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## RAKE WITH ISI/ICI EQUAL. CORRELATOR DETAIL



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## PER FOR MULTIPATH AND NOISE

	5.5 Mbit/s - CCK	11 Mbit/s - CCK
<b>Equalized Sliding DFE nFF=2, nFB=10</b>		
Trms at PER=10%, noise free, 64b	226 nsec	186 nsec
Eb/No at PER=20%, with Trms at 10%, 64b	20.7 dB	21.2 dB
Trms at PER=10%, noise free, 1000b	221 nsec	183 nsec
Eb/No at PER=20%, with Trms at 10%, 1000b	25.2 dB	24.7 dB
<b>RAKE with 6 tap CMF</b>		
Trms at PER=10%, noise free, 64b	273 nsec	90 nsec
Eb/No at PER=20%, with Trms at 10%, 64b	14.8	15.2
Trms at PER=10%, noise free, 1000b	226 nsec	65 nsec
Eb/No at PER=20%, with Trms at 10%, 1000b	18.5	17.5
<b>RAKE ISI Equalizer w/ 6 tap CMF</b>		
Trms at PER=10%, noise free, 64b	509 nsec	144 nsec
Eb/No at PER=20%, with Trms at 10%, 64b	16	15
Trms at PER=10%, noise free, 1000b	430 nsec	87 nsec
Eb/No at PER=20%, with Trms at 10%, 1000b	19	17.5
<b>RAKE ISI/ICI Equalizer w/ 6 tap CMF</b>		
Trms at PER=10%, noise free, 64b	Not Needed	333 nsec
Eb/No at PER=20%, with Trms at 10%, 64b	Not Needed	15.5
Trms at PER=10%, noise free, 1000b	Not Needed	226 nsec
Eb/No at PER=20%, with Trms at 10%, 1000b	Not Needed	17.7

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