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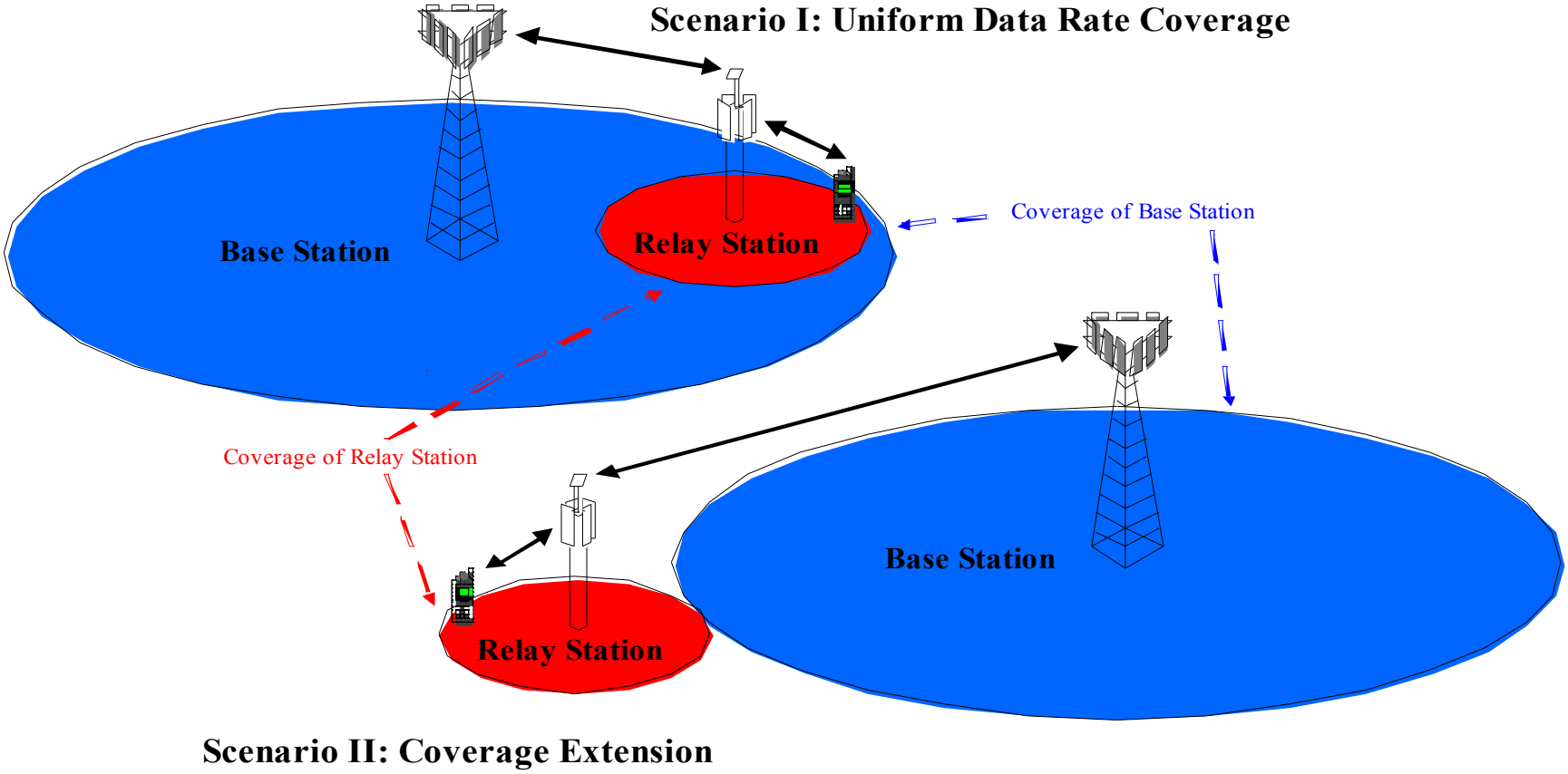
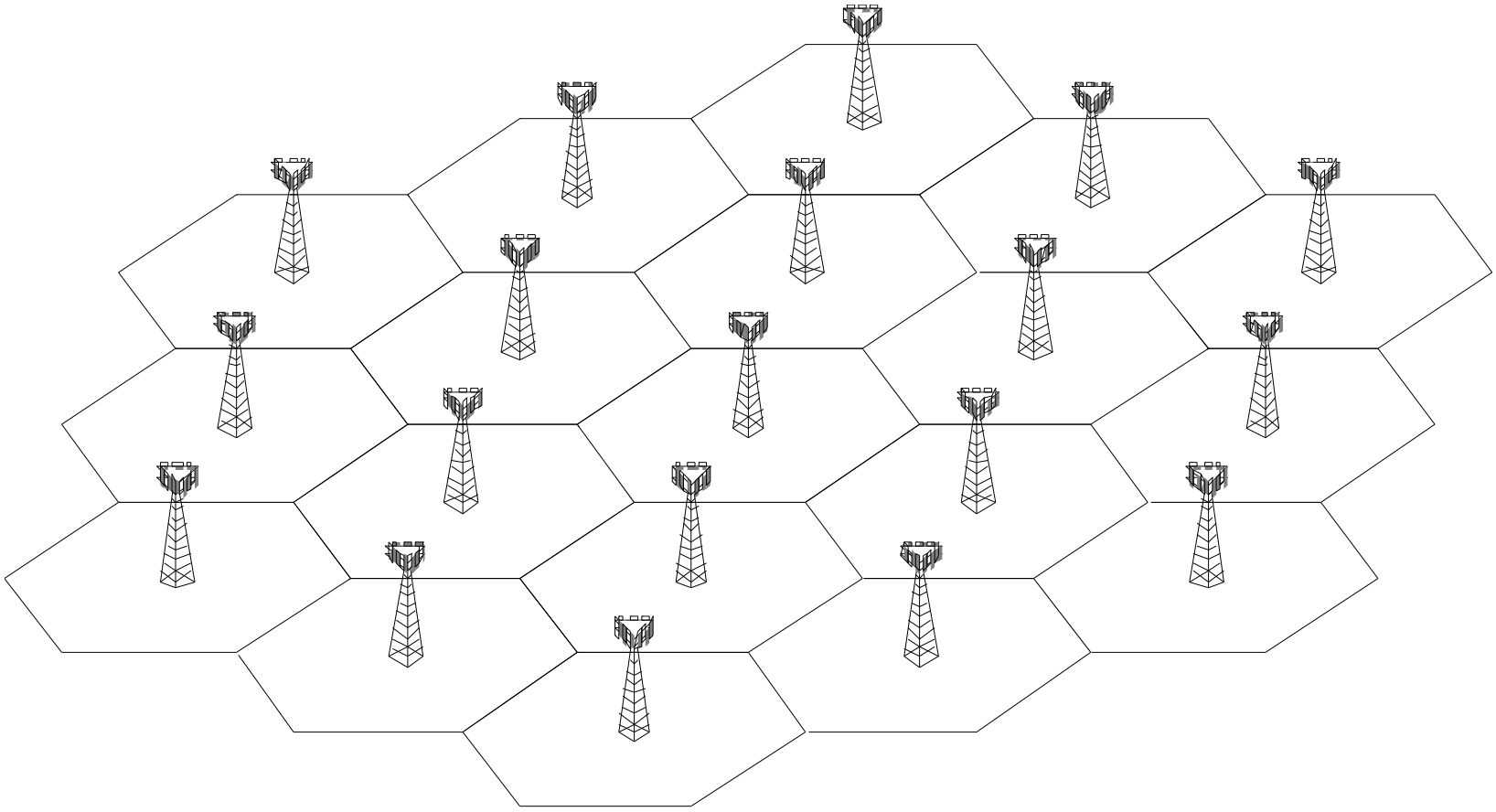
Deployment Scenario

- Two typical scenarios for relay deployment:
  - Scenario I is considered in this research



Deployment Scenario

- Consider an cellular IEEE 802.16e network with well-planned is already exist



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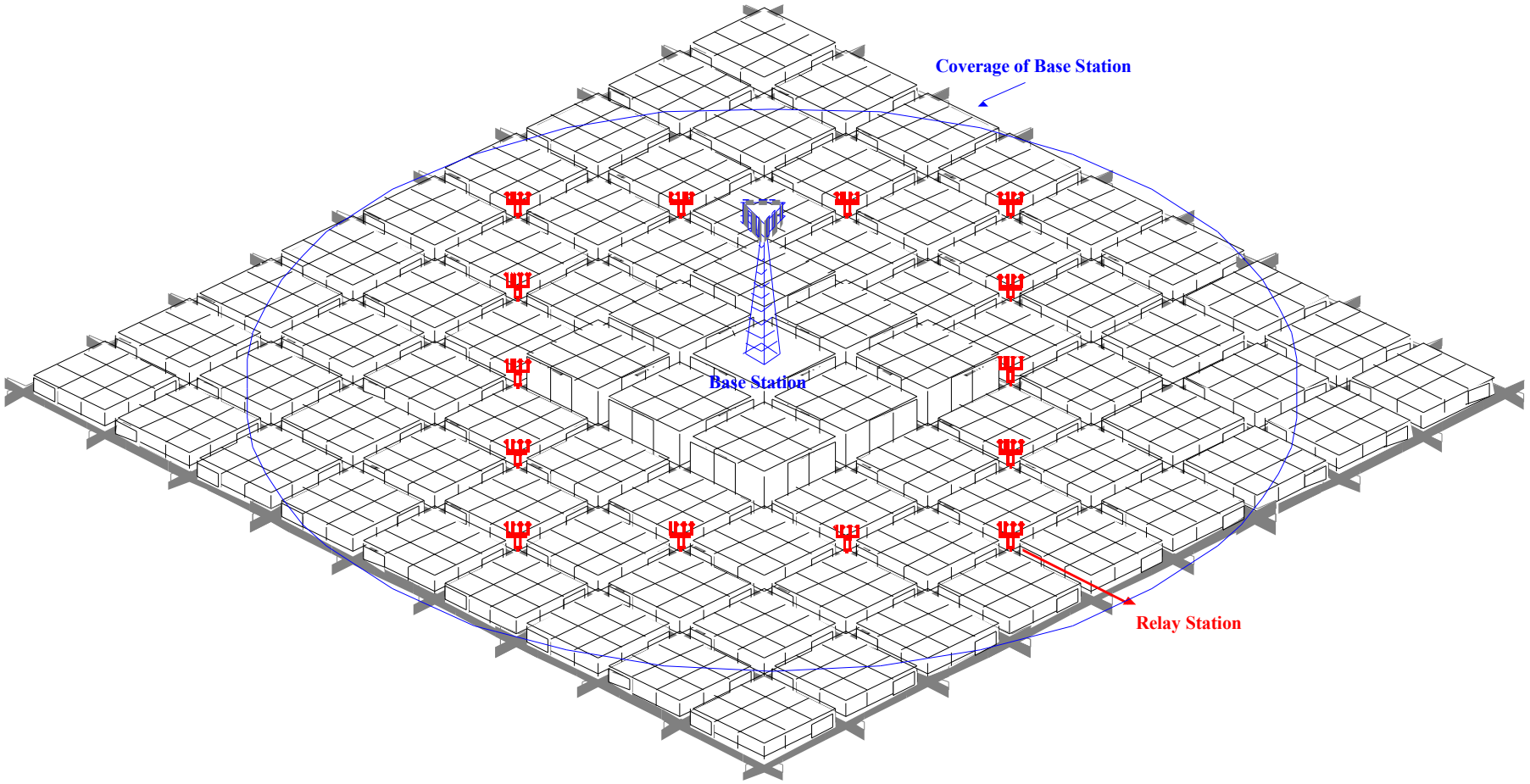
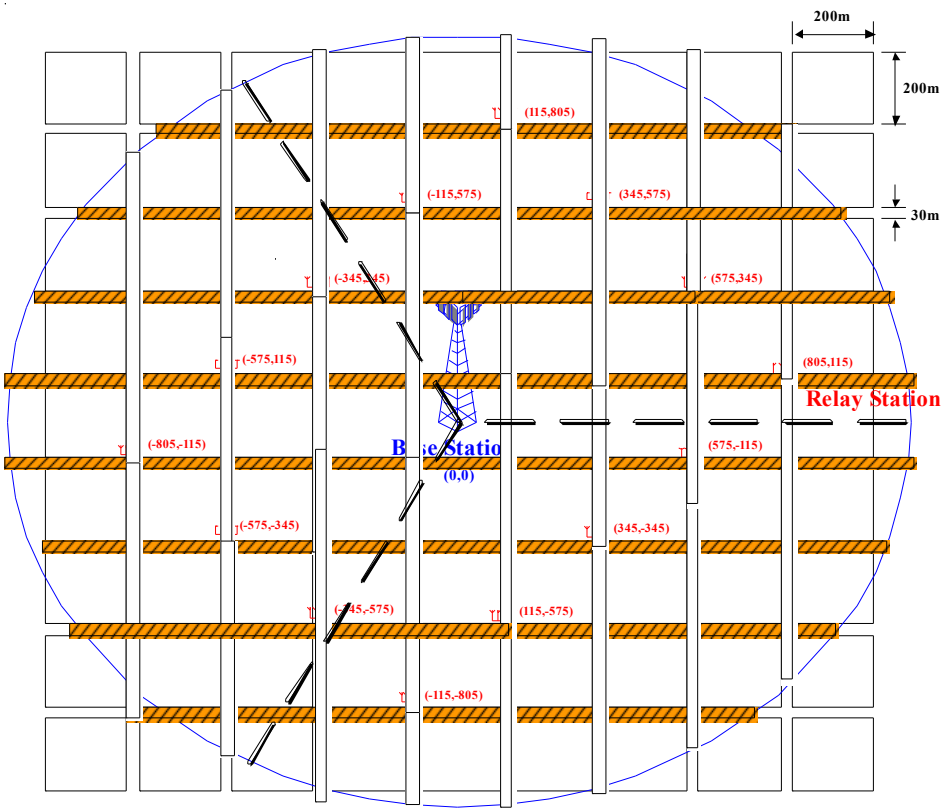
- Fixed Relay Stations (FRS) are deployed within the coverage of base station (BS)
  - Enhance the data rate uniformity of existing IEEE 802.16e cellular network



Deployment Scenario

- Positioning of FRS is highly dependent on the traffic distribution
  - Hot spot
  - Homogeneous

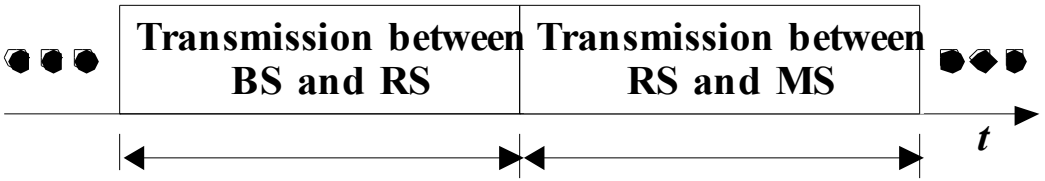
- In this research, homogeneous traffic distribution is considered, and FRSs are deployed to provide full coverage within each cell.



Deployment Scenario

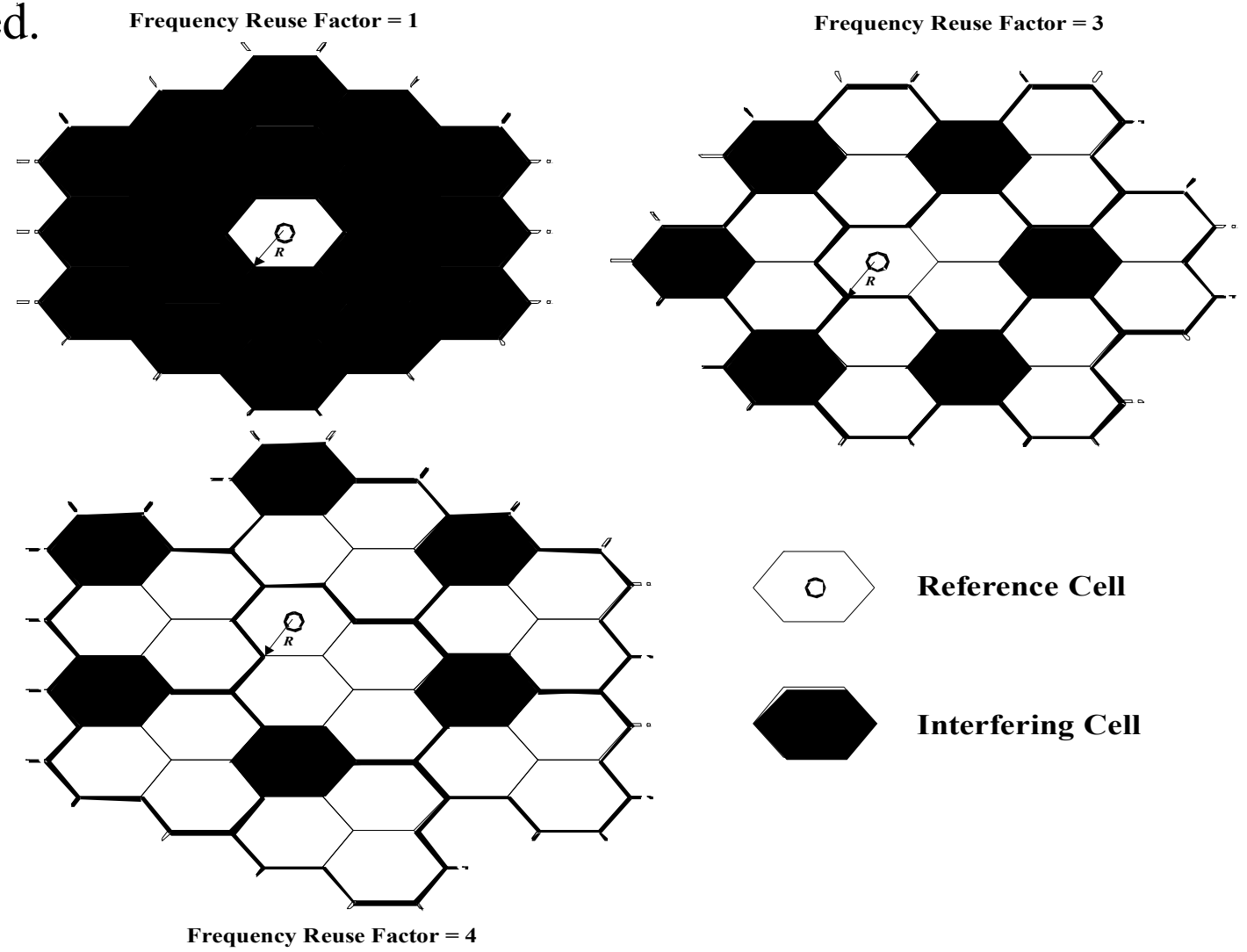
- Base Station (BS)
  - The coverage (1km) is planned by link budget
  - 3 sectors in each cell
  - PUSC or FUSC permutation applied within each sector
    - If FUSC is applied, each sub-channel can be reused within each sector to achieve SDMA(Spatial Division Multiple Access)

- Fixed Relay Station (FRS)
  - FRSs are deployed to provide full coverage within each BS cell
    - Transmit power and coverage alone main street (600m) is planned by link budget
    - 4 directional antennas are equipped by FRS toward each main street direction
  - Time domain relaying within the same radio bandwidth



Deployment Scenario

- If frequency reuse factor (K) > 1, additional radio bandwidth is needed.



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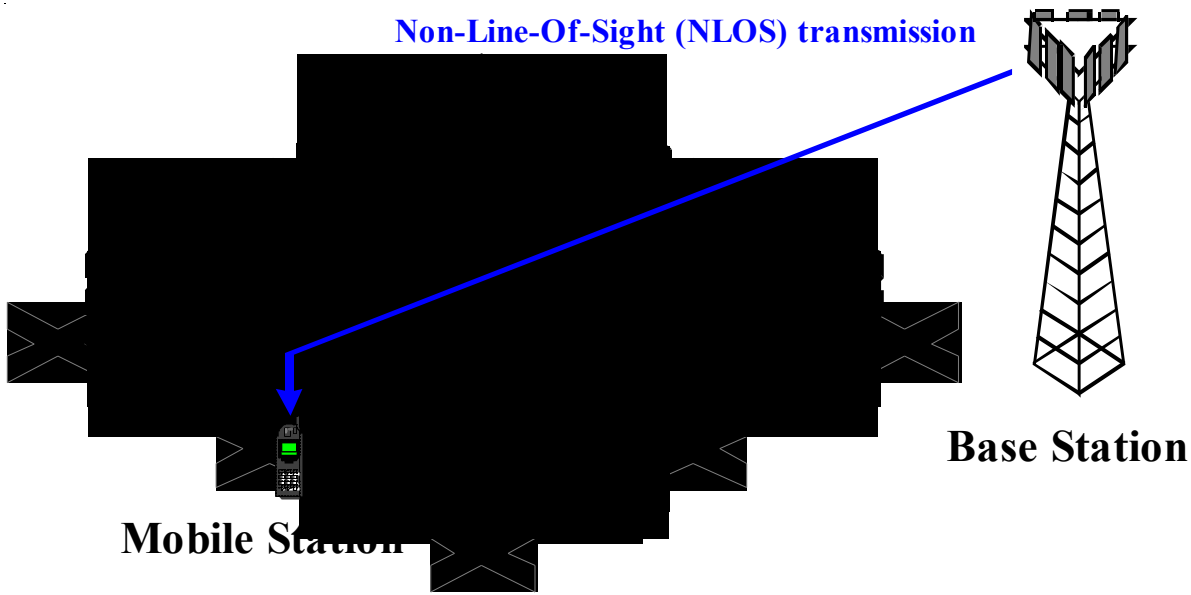
- The link between BS and MS



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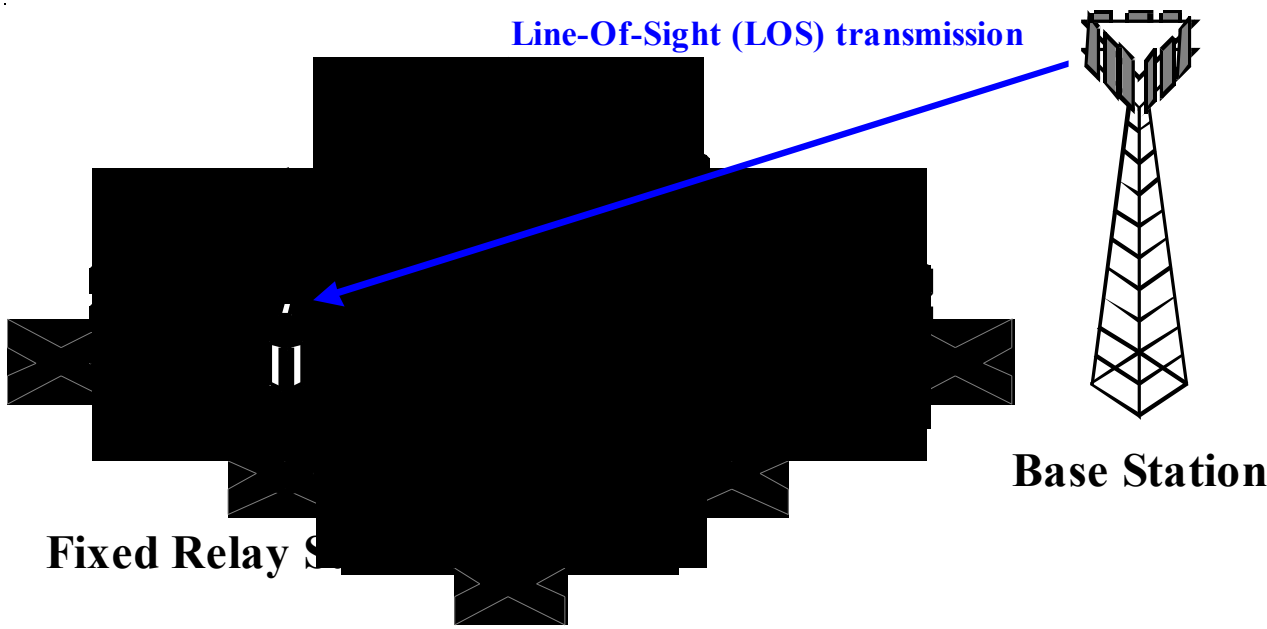

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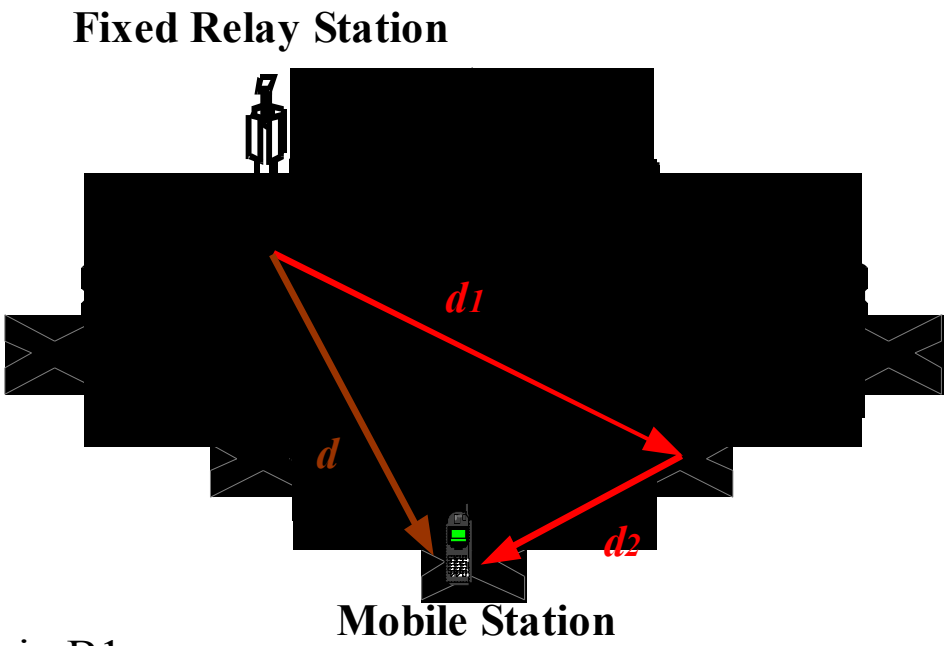
- The link between FRS and MS



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Simulation Results

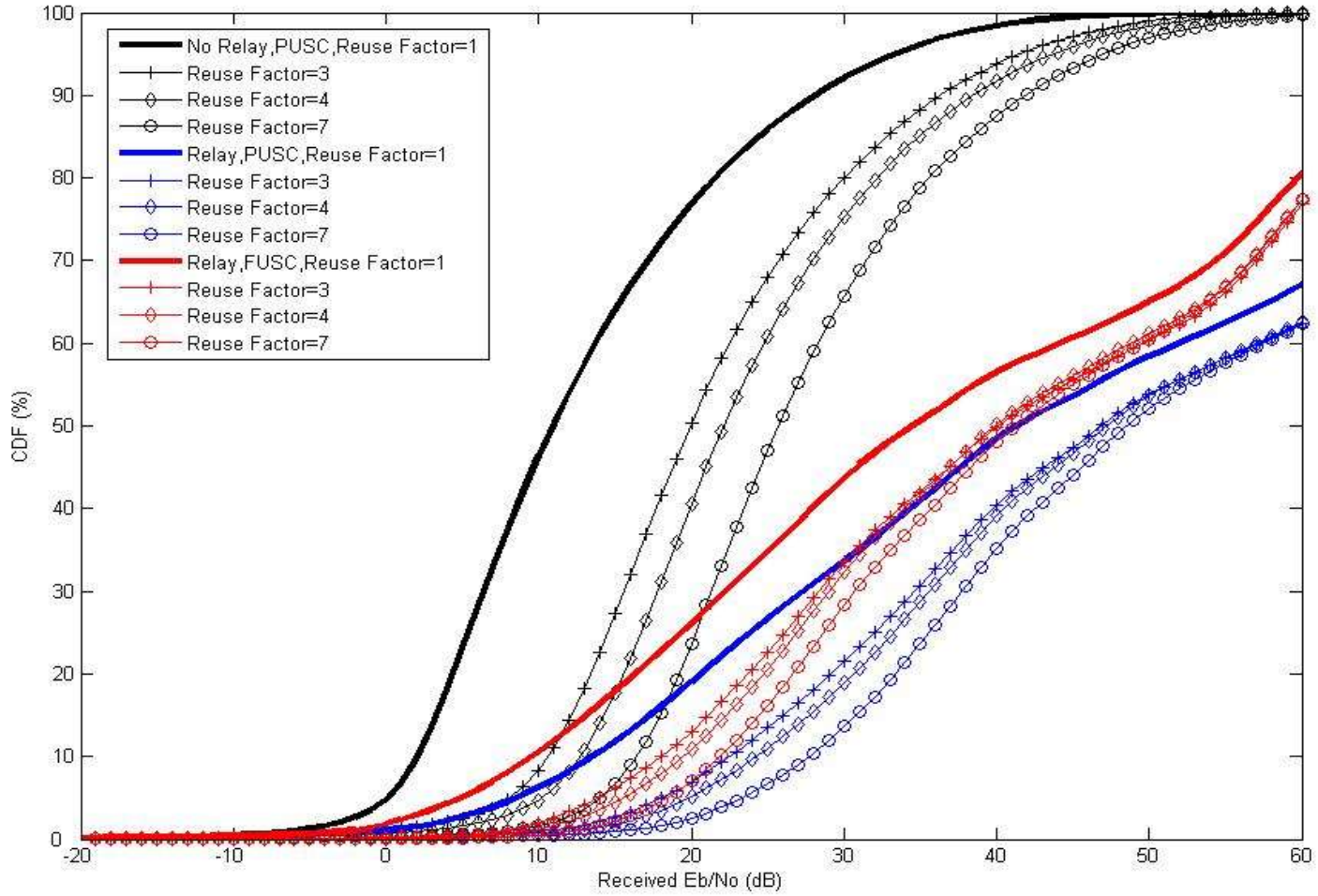
- Reference System: IEEE 802.16e OFDMA mode
  - Radio bandwidth: 6MHz
  - Total number of sub-carriers: 2048
  - Carrier frequency: 3.5GHz
  - Number of sub-channels in each sector: 32(FUSC), 20(PUSC)
  - Number of sectors: 3
  - Max. transmit power of each BS: 50W
  - Max. transmit power of each FRS: 5W
  - Antenna height of BS: Above rooftop (35m)
  - Antenna height of FRS: Above / below rooftop (to BS / MS)
  - MS speed: 30km/hr
  - Prob. of changing direction at intersection: 50%
  - MS arrival: Poisson process
  - Handoff type: hard handoff

Simulation Results

- Simulation configurations
  - Case I
    - No Relay
    - PUSC permutation for each sector
  - Case II
    - Fixed Relay
    - PUSC permutation for each sector
  - Case III
    - Fixed Relay
    - FUSC permutation for each sector
      - Spatial Division Multiple Access (SDMA)

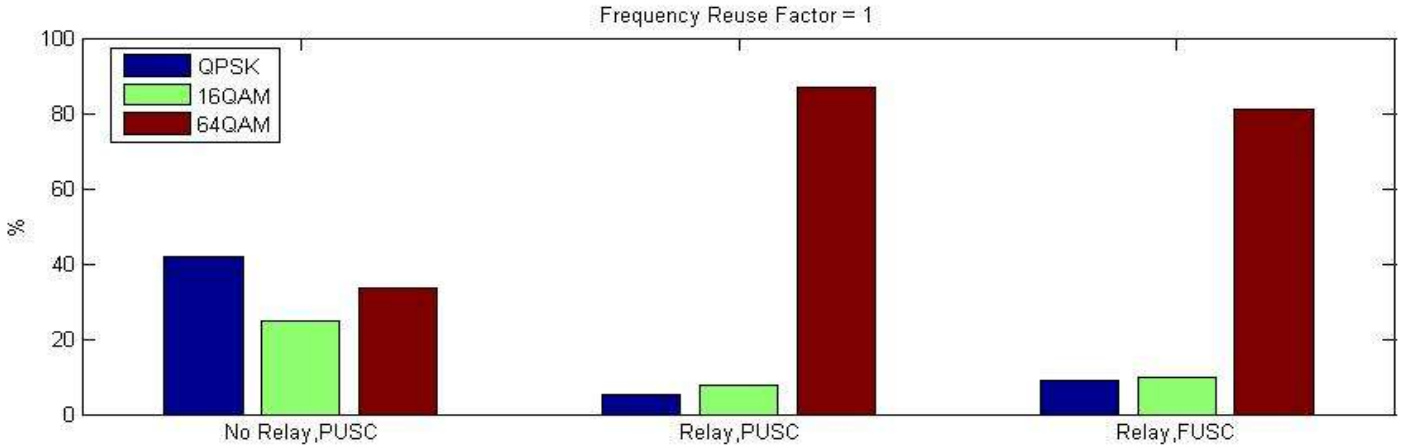
Simulation Results

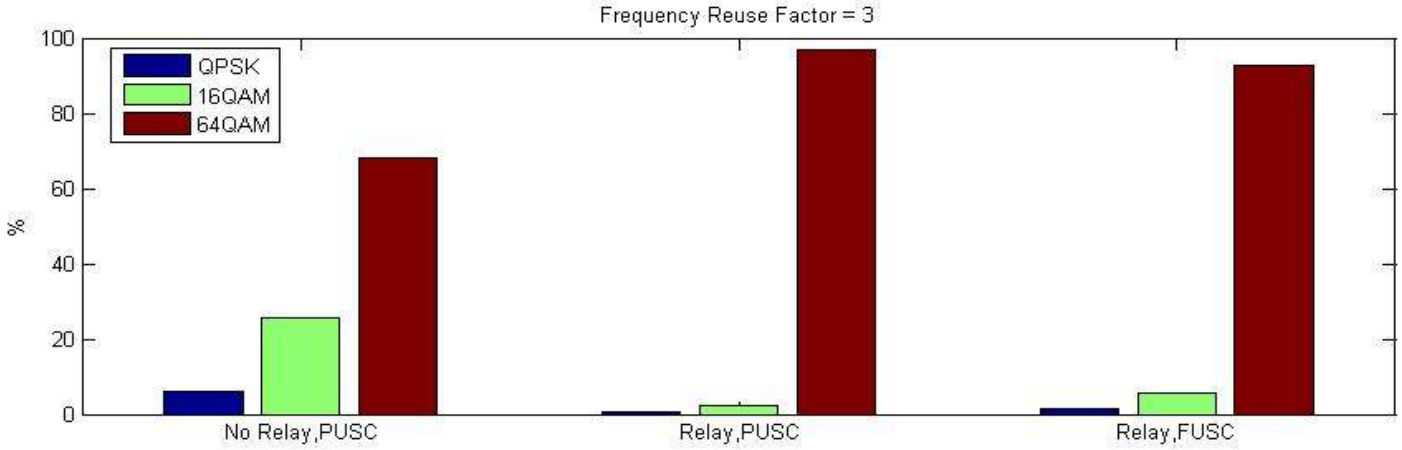
- CDF (Cumulative Distribution Function) of received E_b/N_0
  - Relaying provides substantial improvement on received signal quality



Simulation Results

- Distribution of each modulation scheme chosen by MS
  - Percentage of highest data rate is substantially increased by relaying





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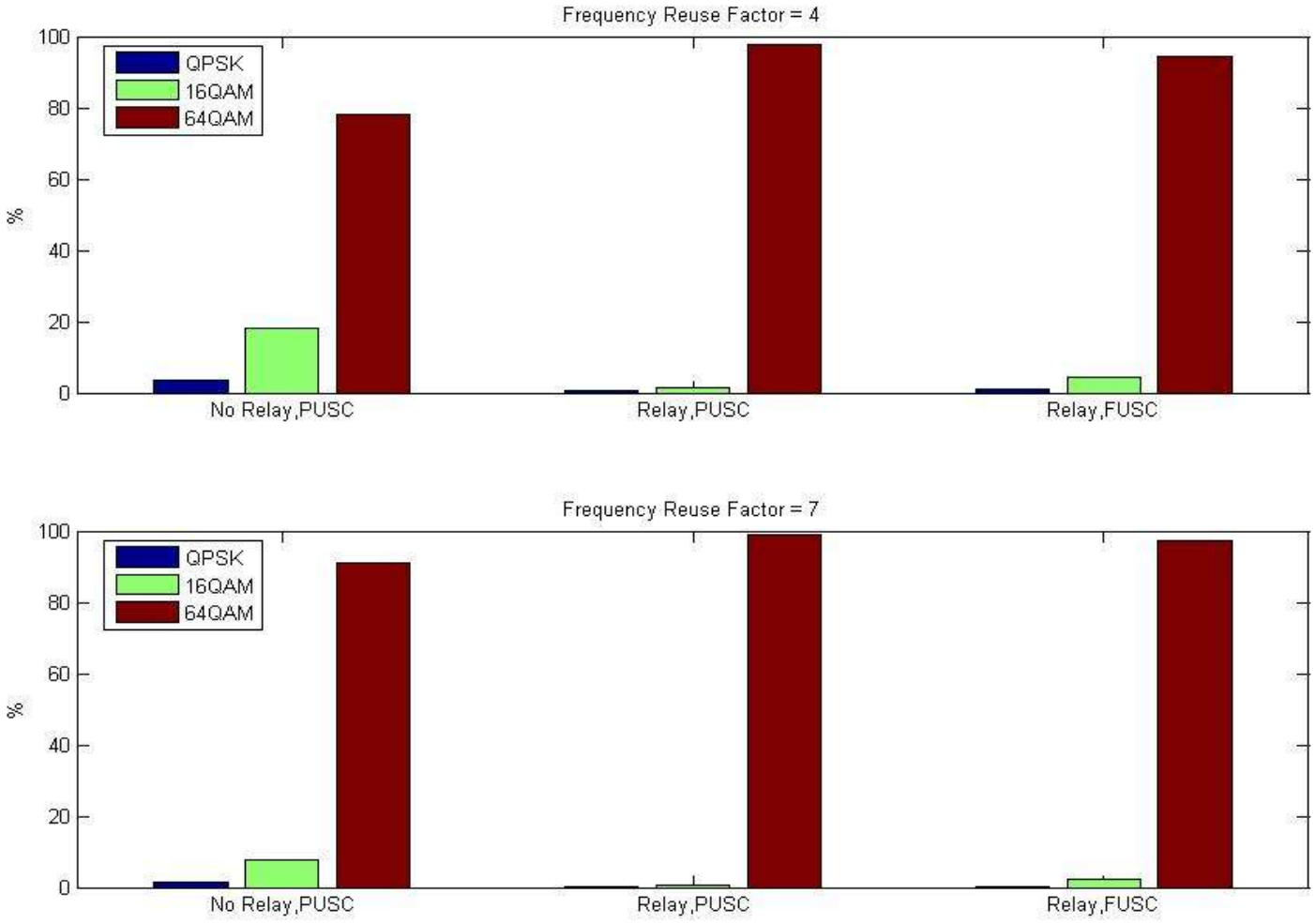
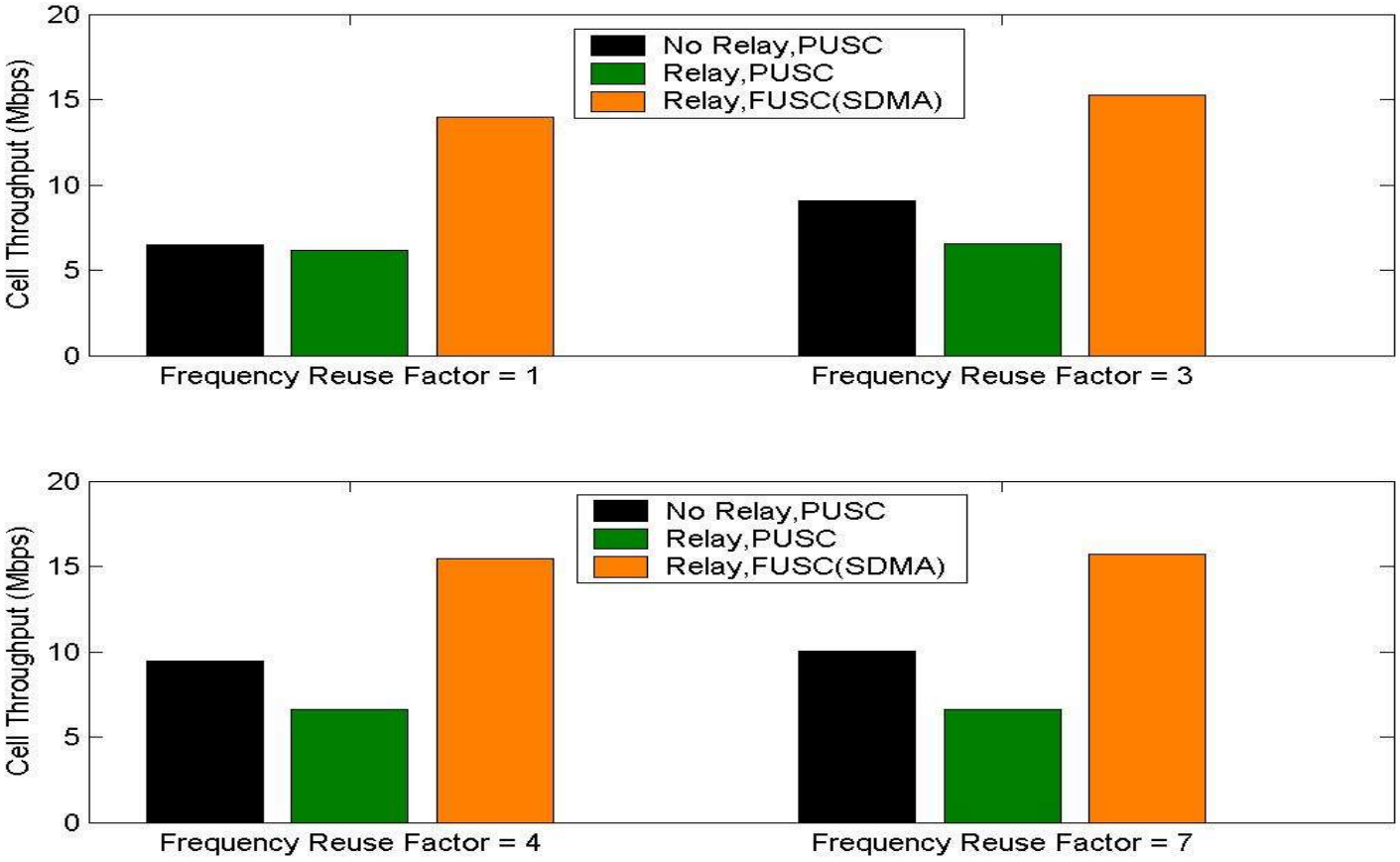
– Improvement achieved by <u>increasing frequency reuse factor</u> seems relative minor when <u>relaying</u> is available



Simulation Results

- Averaged cell capacity
  - The cell capacity when relaying is almost break event with the cell capacity without relaying.



Simulation Results

Reference case: No relay, PUSC permutation, frequency reuse factor (K) = 1

- Either using relay or increasing frequency reuse factor can enhance the uniformity of highest data rate coverage
- When increasing K, the increment on cell capacity is not proportional to the cost on additional spectrum.

	Relay, PUSC, K=1	No Relay, PUSC, K=3	No Relay, PUSC, K=4	No Relay, PUSC, K=7
Cost on Spectrum	100%	300%	400%	700%
Cost on Relay Deployment	Yes	No	No	No
Average Received E_b/N_0	+29.25dB	+8.61dB	+10.8dB	+14.4dB
Percentage of Highest Data Rate	+159.43%	+103.63%	+133.58%	+172%
Cell Capacity	**-4.81%**	**+40.13%**	**+46.13%**	**+55.38%**

Simulation Results

- When the relay has already been deployed, improvement by increasing K seems to be marginal in Manhattan-like environment.
  - Since MS is usually LOS to serving FRS and NLOS to interfering FRS, the interference from other FRS is usually kept in low level no matter adjacent use the same bandwidth or not.

	Relay, PUSC, K=1	Relay, PUSC, K=3	Relay, PUSC, K=4	Relay, PUSC, K=7
Cost on Spectrum	100%	300%	400%	700%
Cost on Relay Deployment	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Average Received E_b/N_0	+29.25dB	+34.29dB	+34.88dB	+36.27dB
Percentage of Highest Data Rate	+159.43%	+188.7%	+191.75%	+195.14%
Cell Capacity	-4.81%	+1.4%	+1.99%	+2.66%

Simulation Results

- By using the relay and SDMA, both the highest data rate coverage uniformity and cell capacity can be outperformed.

	Relay, SDMA, K=1	Relay, SDMA, K=3	Relay, SDMA, K=4	Relay, SDMA, K=7
Cost on Spectrum	100%	300%	400%	700%
Cost on Relay Deployment	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Average Received E_b/N_0	+23.84dB	+28.77dB	+29.04dB	+30.18dB
Percentage of Highest Data Rate	+141.87%	+176.7%	+182.15%	+190.09%
Cell Capacity	**+116.4%**	**+135.89%**	**+138.84%**	**+142.45%**

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Summary

- Appropriate propagation model is very critical to reflect the path-loss gain by relay deployment
  - Otherwise, incorrect conclusion may be obtained.
- Relay provides significant enhancement on data rate coverage uniformity
  - Additional cost on relay deployment is required
  - Performance on cell capacity is almost break event to the case without relaying
- Interference from the FRS in adjacent cells can be mitigated by the nature of Manhattan-like environment
  - MS may has LOS condition to serving FRS but usually NLOS to interfering FRS
- SDMA can outperform the performance on cell capacity with little cost on interference increment