MIMO Strategies for the IEEE 802.16m Uplink

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Abstract:

Methodologies for supporting MIMO and Advanced Antenna Array Technology for the IEEE 802.16m uplink.

Purpose:

Discussion and adoption of recommended text into 802.16m System Description Document

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UL MIMO Schemes for IEEE 802.16m: Contents

• Overall Theme:

- Preserve and expand on key UL-MIMO features already in the legacy IEEE 802.16e system
- Support advanced CPE and laptop devices with two transmit antennas and more TX power than typical handset devices

MS Antenna Configurations Supported for UL-MIMO

- Mobile Handset / CPE
 - 1Tx, 2Rx
- MS/CPE with Switched Diversity
 - 1Tx, MRx
 - Single PA with switched TX diversity on UL
- Mid-tier CPE
 - -2Tx, MRx
- High-tier CPE / Laptop
 - 4Tx is FFS

Outline of methods

- Single User Transmission
 - SIMO & SIMO with switched diversity
 - Open-Loop STC/MIMO
- Multiple User Transmission
 - Collaborative Spatial Multiplexing / RX-SDMA

Single-User Transmission "Open-Loop" Methods

- Traditional SIMO
 - Enable switched Tx diversity from MS with multiple TX antennas but only one PA
 - Necessary features to support this are FFS
- STC / TX diversity for MSs with 2Tx antennas
 - Matrix A/Alamouti
- Open-Loop MIMO for MSs with 2Tx antennas
 - Matrix B vertical/single codeword open-loop MIMO

Collaborative Spatial Multiplexing / Receive Spatial Division Multiple Access

- Multiple users sharing a time-frequency resource on the UL
- Supported in legacy system for up to 2 users
- 16m should support up to four simultaneous layers / streams
 - Four single-antenna MSs
 - Two double-antenna MSs each transmitting Matrix A or Matrix B
 - One double-antenna MSs (Matrix A or Matrix B) with one or two single-antenna MSs

Proposed Table of Contents: UL MIMO Schemes (See C802.16m-08/608 for more details)

- 11.8 Uplink MIMO Schemes
 - 11.8.1 MS Antenna Configurations Supported for UL-MIMO
 - Mobile Handset/CPE: 1 transmit antenna, 2 receive antennas
 - Switched Diversity MS/CPE: 1 transmit antenna, M receive antennas
 - Mid-Tier CPE: 2 transmit antennas, M receive antennas
 - High-Tier CPE: 4 transmit antennas, M receive antennas (FFS)
 - 11.8.2 Single-user methods
 - SIMO and SIMO with switched TX Diversity
 - Two-antenna Open-Loop STC (Matrix A)
 - Two-antenna Open-Loop MIMO (Matrix B, single codeword)
 - 11.8.3 Multi-user methods (Collaborative Spatial Multiplexing)
 - Up to four single-antenna MSs can be multiplexed in one uplink allocation.
 - Two two-antenna MSs can be multiplexed in one uplink allocation where each two-antenna MS employs two-antenna open-loop STC or two-antenna open-loop single-codeword MIMO.
 - One two-antenna MS and one or two single-antenna MSs and can be multiplexed, where the two-antenna MS employs two-antenna STC or two-antenna open-loop MIMO.