

Commit Request 4p15_2: Adaptive Local Search with Deterministic Zoom-in

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History

| Revision | Date | Comment |
|----------|-----------|--|
| 0.5 | 18-Jun-26 | <ul style="list-style-type: none">Initial Draft. |
| 1.0 | 18-Jun-26 | <ul style="list-style-type: none">Added the commit request I.D in the title slide. |

List of Supporters

- Adrien Auge, Qualcomm
- Todd Bermensolo, Independent

1. Problem Statement

- With TXLE sweep being enabled, Exhaustive Brute Search takes as much as 4 days while Local Search takes as much as 10 hours.
- How can COM runtime be reduced using Local Search while maintaining accuracy and robustness?
 - Local search is not part of the standard; rather, it is used to make runtime more manageable (less than 15 minutes), particularly when handling the 9.227043 Million equalization combinations generated while sweeping the TXLE.

2. Summary

- Adaptive Local Search appears to reduce the run time significantly with nearly negligible loss in accuracy for the value of COM.
 - Compared to the current Local Search, the proposed Adaptive Local Search dynamically adjusts the search radius based on FOM convergence and uses weighted multi-dimensional distance metrics, enabling more aggressive pruning while maintaining focus on the most promising equalization regions.

1. Commit Request

A. Purpose for Commit Request

- Commit request related to Local Search.
- Enable a Local Search routine in optimizing run time especially when dealing with TXLE sweep being enabled.
- When TXLE sweep is enabled, adding this feature will help reduce run time hours to minutes.
- Branch: adaptive_local_search.
https://opensource.ieee.org/hansel.dsilva/com_code/-/branches
- Git branch file pointer:
https://opensource.ieee.org/hansel.dsilva/com_code/-/blob/adaptive_local_search/release/com_ieee8023_4p15p0_adaptive_local_search.m?ref_type=heads

B. Navigate to Hansel_Dsilva/com_code

https://opensource.ieee.org/802-com/com_code/-/forks

The screenshot shows the IEEE Open Source Project page for the `com_code` repository. The page displays a list of forks, with the Hansel Dsilva fork highlighted by a red box and a black arrow pointing to it. The arrow contains the text "Navigate to Hansel_Dsilva/com_code".

| Forker | Repository | Description | Updated |
|------------------|-------------------------------|--|------------------------|
| Baidyanath Dutta | <code>com_code</code> | Merge branch 'KR_PKGB_CONFIG_for_d2p1' into 'main' | Updated 2 months ago |
| Norman Swenson | <code>com_code</code> | add 4p10p0 beta release | Updated 4 months ago |
| Mohammad Shakiba | <code>com_code</code> | add configuration file folder and some configuration files | Updated 4 months ago |
| Adee Ran | <code>com_code</code> | Merge branch 'signal_flow_graph' into 'main' | Updated 3 months ago |
| Hansel Dsilva | <code>com_code</code> (Owner) | rename for 4.12.0_beta1 to 4.12.0 | Updated 16 minutes ago |
| Kent Lusted | <code>com_code</code> | rename for 4.12.0_beta1 to 4.12.0 | Updated 2 weeks ago |
| Richard Mellitz | <code>com_code</code> | rename for 4.12.0_beta1 to 4.12.0 | Updated 1 day ago |
| Adam Gregory | <code>com_code</code> | deleting fork version | Updated 1 month ago |

C. Checking changes of a branch to the last release

https://opensource.ieee.org/hansel.dsilva/com_code/-/branches

The screenshot shows the GitHub-style interface for the IEEE Open Source Project repository. The page title is 'Hansel Dsilva / com_code / Repository / Branches'. The 'Active branches' section lists three branches: 'default_clip_method_slow', 'adaptive_local_search', and 'adaptive_local_search_adrien'. The 'adaptive_local_search' branch is highlighted with a red box. A callout box with an arrow points to the three-dot menu for this branch, which is open, showing 'Compare' and 'Delete branch' options.

| Branch Name | Commit Hash | Commit Message | Commit Count | Actions |
|------------------------------|-------------|--|--------------|--|
| default_clip_method_slow | dd86556e | Setting the default of Clip Method to Slow and corrected for a typographic | 0/1 | 802-co... Download |
| adaptive_local_search | 0b006115 | revised the function call of OptFom_Adaptive_Local_Search in bringing Ov | 0/3 | 802-co... Download Compare Delete branch |
| adaptive_local_search_adrien | fc81efe0 | house cleaning a bit, nothing major · 2 days ago | 0/2 | |

D. Code Updates

- 2 m file changed.
- 3 m files added.
- No additional config csv and xlsx files are included.

Files changed,
src/read_ParamConfigFile.m
src/optimize_fom.m

Files added,
src/OptFom_Adaptive_Local_Search.m
src/append_csv_row.m
src/compute_hard_cap.m

E. New or changed keywords

- Configuration file parameters.

| Keywords (not case sensitive) | Default | Units | Comment |
|-------------------------------|---------|-------|--|
| Non-zero Local Search Method | 0 | None | <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ This only comes into play when “Local Search” is greater than zero.■ It may take a value of 0 or 1.■ If 0 then current local search else 1 then adaptive local search. |
| Overwrite Minimum Radius | [] | None | <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ It is an optional control parameter for adaptive local search, best to set it as empty ([]).■ If empty then min_radius= 1 for TXLE sweep being disabled and min_radius= 2 for TXLE sweep being enabled.■ If a value greater than 0 then min_radius is overwritten. |

New Outputs

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None

2. Introduction

A. FOM and COM

93A.1.6 Determination of variable equalizer parameters

COM is a function of the variables $c(-2)$, $c(-1)$, $c(1)$, g_{DC} , and g_{DC2} . The following procedure is used to determine the values of these variables that are used to calculate COM.

- a) Compute the pulse response $h^{(k)}(t)$ of each signal path k for a given $c(-2)$, $c(-1)$, $c(1)$, g_{DC} , and g_{DC2} using the procedure defined in 93A.1.5.

■ ■ ■

$$FOM = 10\log_{10}\left(\frac{A_s^2}{\sigma_{TX}^2 + \sigma_{ISI}^2 + \sigma_J^2 + \sigma_{XT}^2 + \sigma_N^2}\right) \quad (93A-36)$$

The FOM is calculated for each permitted combination of $c(-2)$, $c(-1)$, $c(1)$, g_{DC} , and g_{DC2} values per Table 93A-1, where any parameters not provided by the clause that invokes this method are set to 0. The combination of values that maximizes the FOM, including the corresponding value of t_s , is used for the calculation of the interference and noise amplitude in 93A.1.7 and the calculation of COM in 93A.1.

- When calculating Channel Operating Margin (COM), there is a callout to Figure Of Merit (FOM) for the determination of the variable equalizer parameters.
- Below is a summary.
 - 1] FOM is based on an RMS-type metric, which averages error across the waveform.
 - 2] COM is based on a CDF/ statistical tail behavior, meaning it is more sensitive to worst-case or tail events rather than the average.

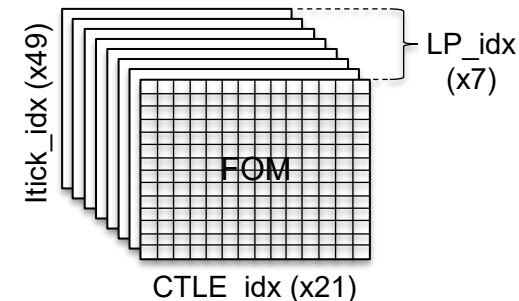
B. Equalization Search Space

| Parameter | Definition | Values | Count |
|------------|-----------------------------------|----------------|-------|
| c(-2) | TX equalizer, coeff. -2 | [0:0.02:0.14] | 8 |
| c(-1) | TX equalizer, coeff. -1 | [-0.34:0.02:0] | 18 |
| c(0) | TX equalizer, minimum coeff. 0 | 0.54 | N.A. |
| c(1) | TX equalizer, coeff 1 | [-0.2:0.02:0] | 11 |
| ctle_index | CTLE Gain 1 | [-20:1:0] | 21 |
| g_LP_index | CTLE Gain 2 | [-6:1:0] | 7 |
| itickn | Sampling clock offset | [-24:1:24] | 49 |

```

% Skip combinations with small
values of c(0), not guaranteed to
be supported by all transmitters.
if txffe_cur < param.tx_ffc_c0_min
    continue;
end
    
```

TXLE combinations = $(8 \cdot 18 \cdot 11) - 303 = 1281$



= $49 \times 21 \times 7$

= 7203 combinations without TXLE

= $1281 \times 49 \times 21 \times 7$

= 9.227043e6 combination with TXLE

= 9.227043 Million combinations with TXLE

- With TXLE sweep being OFF there are **7,203 combinations**.
- With TXLE sweep being ON there are **9.227043 Million combination**.

6. Results on Run Time and Efficiency

IL_db_die_to_die_at_Fnq
= 37.10 dB

0] Run Time

| TXLE Sweep | COM [dB] | TXLE | Run Time | | |
|------------|----------|----------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | | | Exhaustive (Brute force) | Existing Local Search= 2 | Proposed Local Search= 2 |
| OFF | 2.31 | [0 0 1 0] | 8.30 minutes | 9.03 minutes | 1.58 minutes |
| ON | 2.50 | [0 -0.1 0.9 0] | 85.04 hours | 7.56 hours | 4.75 minutes |

1] Number of FOM calculations

| TXLE Sweep | COM [dB] | TXLE | Number of FOM calculations | | |
|------------|----------|----------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | | | Exhaustive (Brute force) | Existing Local Search= 2 | Proposed Local Search= 2 |
| OFF | 2.31 | [0 0 1 0] | 7,203 | 5,243 | 980 |
| ON | 2.50 | [0 -0.1 0.9 0] | 9.227043e6 | 0.854609e6 | 11,907 |

- The proposed local search reduces the run time significantly.

D. List of CR and KR Channels on 802.3dj Public Area

- Below are the 200 Gb/s CR and KR channel data (TP0 to TP5)- with crosstalk.

1. akinwale_3dj_01_2311: x4
2. weaver_3dj_02_2311: x12
3. akinwale_3dj_01_2310: x7
4. lim_3dj_07_2309: x1
5. lim_3dj_04_230629: x1
6. lim_3dj_03_230629: x1
7. weaver_3dj_elec_01_230622: x8
8. shanbhag_3dj_01_2305: x6
9. shanbhag_3dj_02_2305: x4
10. kocsis_3dj_02_2305: x5
11. weaver_3dj_02_2305: x36
12. mellitz_3dj_02_elec_230504: x27
13. weaver_3dj_02_2303: x5
14. mellitz_3dj_02_2303: x54

Table 178–14—Device termination and package model parameters

| Parameter | Symbol | Value | Units |
|---|-------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Device termination model | | | |
| Single-ended device capacitance for stage 1 | $C_d^{(1)}$ | 40×10^{-6} | nF |
| Single-ended device capacitance for stage 2 | $C_d^{(2)}$ | 90×10^{-6} | nF |
| Single-ended device capacitance for stage 3 | $C_d^{(3)}$ | 110×10^{-6} | nF |
| Single-ended device series inductance for stage 1 | $L_s^{(1)}$ | 0.13 | nH |
| Single-ended device series inductance for stage 2 | $L_s^{(2)}$ | 0.15 | nH |
| Single-ended device series inductance for stage 3 | $L_s^{(3)}$ | 0.14 | nH |
| Single-ended bump capacitance | C_b | 30×10^{-6} | nF |
| Device package model, class A | | | |
| Transmission line parameter γ_0 | γ_0 | 5×10^{-4} | 1/mm |
| Transmission line parameter a_1 | a_1 | 8.9×10^{-4} | ns ^{1/2} /mm |
| Transmission line parameter a_2 | a_2 | 2×10^{-4} | ns/mm |
| Transmission line parameter r | r | 6.141×10^{-3} | ns/mm |
| Transmission line 1 length, Test 1 | $z_p^{(1)}$ | 33 | mm |
| Transmission line 1 length, Test 2 | $z_p^{(1)}$ | 12 | mm |
| Transmission line 1 characteristic impedance | $Z_c^{(1)}$ | 87.5 | Ω |
| Transmission line 2 length | $z_p^{(2)}$ | 1.8 | mm |
| Transmission line 2 characteristic impedance | $Z_c^{(2)}$ | 92.5 | Ω |
| Device package model, class B | | | |
| Transmission line parameter γ_0 | γ_0 | 5×10^{-4} | 1/mm |
| Transmission line parameter a_1 | a_1 | 6.5×10^{-4} | ns ^{1/2} /mm |
| Transmission line parameter a_2 | a_2 | 2.93×10^{-4} | ns/mm |
| Transmission line parameter r | r | 6.141×10^{-3} | ns/mm |
| Transmission line 1 length, Test 1, Tx / Rx | $z_p^{(1)}$ | 45 / 44 | mm |
| Transmission line 1 length, Test 2, Tx / Rx | $z_p^{(1)}$ | 30 / 29 | mm |
| Transmission line 1 characteristic impedance | $Z_c^{(1)}$ | 87.5 | Ω |
| Transmission line 2 length | $z_p^{(2)}$ | 2 | mm |
| Transmission line 2 characteristic impedance | $Z_c^{(2)}$ | 95 | Ω |
| Transmission line 3 length | $z_p^{(3)}$ | 1.3 | mm |
| Transmission line 3 characteristic impedance | $Z_c^{(3)}$ | 100 | Ω |
| Transmission line 4 length | $z_p^{(4)}$ | 1.5 | mm |
| Transmission line 4 characteristic impedance | $Z_c^{(4)}$ | 78 | Ω |

- Total of 171 channels from the IEEE 802.3dj Public Area are evaluated against the class A and class B package models.
 - Total cases= 171x4= 684 cases.

E. Results on Run Time with TXLE Sweep being disabled

F. Results on COM with TXLE Sweep being disabled

G. Results on Run Time with TXLE Sweep being Enabled

H. Results on COM with TXLE Sweep being Enabled

3. Local Search

A. Equalization Search Space Pruning

```
for ctle_index = 1:length(param.ctlc_gdc_values)
    %% CTLE Gain
    THIS.ctlc_index = ctle_index;
    THIS.g_dc = param.ctlc_gdc_values(ctle_index);

    for g_LP_index = 1:length(param.g_DC_HP_values)
        %% Apply CTLE to impulse response
        THIS.g_DC_low = param.g_DC_HP_values(g_LP_index);
        THIS.g_LP_index = g_LP_index;

        % Apply CTLE
        [chdata, THIS.H_ctf, H_low_xc, H_ctf2] = ...
            OptFom_Compute_CTLE(chdata, ctlc_gain, THIS, SETTINGS.f_xc, param, OP);

        for TK = 1: size(txffe_matrix,1)
            % Skip combinations with small values of c(0)
            % not guaranteed to be supported by all transmitters.
            txffe_cur = txffe_cursor_vector(TK);
            if txffe_cur < param.tx_ffc_c0_min
                continue;
            end

            THIS.tx_index_vector = FULL_tx_index_vector(TK, :);

            if param.LOCAL_SEARCH > 0 && ~isinf(BEST.FOM)
                skip_it = OptFom_Local_Search(param.LOCAL_SEARCH, BEST, THIS, txffe_sweep_indices);
                if skip_it
                    continue;
                end
            end
        end
    end
end
```

Pruning
(skip logic)

```
%% TXFFE
% fetch txffe for this iteration
THIS.txffe = txffe_matrix(TK, :);
[sbr, chdata, pulse_struct] = .OptFom_Compute_TXFFE(chdata, pulse_struct, THIS.txffe, ...
    ctlc_response_updated, param, OP);

for itickn = 1:length(full_sample_range)

    THIS.itick = full_sample_range(itickn);

    % Calculate FOM
    % (your FOM calculation logic here)

    if (THIS.FOM > BEST.FOM)
        BEST.txffe_index = THIS.tx_index_vector;
        BEST.ctlc = THIS.ctlc_index;
        BEST.gdc = THIS.g_dc;
        BEST.G_high_pass = THIS.g_LP_index;
        BEST.FOM = THIS.FOM;
    end

end % itickn
end % TK
end % g_LP_index
end % ctlc_index
```

Calculate FOM

Tracking BEST versus THIS

- The equalization optimization performs a nested search across CTLE Gain 1, CTLE Gain 2, TXFFE, and sampling phase (itick).
- Local search prunes the equalization space by skipping CTLE and TXFFE configurations that are farther than a user-defined distance from the current best equalization setting.
- Sampling phase adjustment (itick) is evaluated through an exhaustive sweep, whereas RxFFE coefficients are determined using MMSE-based optimization when MMSE optimization is enabled.

B. Use of Indices for TXLE, CTLE Gain 1 and CTLE Gain 2

```

param.tx_ffe_c0_min= 0.54
param.tx_ffe_cm1_values= [-0.34:0.02:0.00] % [1x18]
param.tx_ffe_cm2_values= [0.00:0.02:0.14] % [1x8]
param.tx_ffe_cm3_values= 0
param.tx_ffe_cm4_values= 0
param.tx_ffe_cp1_values= [-0.20:0.02:0.00] % [1x 11]

param.ctle_gdc_values= [-20:1:0]
param.g_DC_HP_values= [-6:+1:0]

full_sample_range= [-24:1:24]

BEST.FOM = -inf;

%% Build txffe values dynamically
[txffe_matrix, cur, txffe_sweep_indices, FULL_tx_index_vector, txffe_cursor_vector]
= OptFom_Build_TXFFE(param);
num_txffe_runs = size(txffe_matrix,1);

%% if LOCAL_SEARCH> 0
if param.LOCAL_SEARCH> 0
    FOM_history = [];
    iter_count = 0;
end
    
```

Parameters to be initialized

```

1. for TK = 1:size(txffe_matrix,1)
    FULL_tx_index_vector=
        cm4      cm3      cm2      cm1      cp1
        1584x5 double
        1 1 1 1 1
        2 1 1 1 2
        3 1 1 1 3
        ...
        1583 1 1 8 18 10
        1584 1 1 8 18 11
    
```

```

2. for ctle_index = 1:length(param.ctle_gdc_values)
3. for g_LP_index = 1:length(param.g_DC_HP_values)
    
```

- The Local Search uses indices for the TXLE, CTLE Gain 1 and CTLE Gain 2.
- It is important that the matrix columns are ordered as: C-4, C-3, C-2, C-1, C+1, C+2, with the main cursor (C0) intentionally excluded.

C. Current Local Search in the COM tool

```
function skip_it = OptFom_Local_Search(LocalSearch_Value, BEST, THIS, txffe_sweep_indices)

best_txffe_index = BEST.txffe_index;
best_G_high_pass = BEST.G_high_pass;
tx_index_vector = THIS.tx_index_vector;
ctle_index = THIS.ctle_index;
g_LP_index = THIS.g_LP_index;
num_txffe_sweep_indices = length(txffe_sweep_indices);

skip_it=0;

%instead of looping across all taps, only loop across those with length>1 (txffe_sweep_indices)
%It saves time since this block is encountered so often
for kj=1:num_txffe_sweep_indices
    kv=txffe_sweep_indices(kj);
    if kv==1
        previous_loop_val=g_LP_index;
    else
        previous_loop_val=tx_index_vector(kv-1);
    end
    if previous_loop_val>1
        best_index_this_tap=best_txffe_index(kv);
        if abs(tx_index_vector(kv)-best_index_this_tap)>LocalSearch_Value
            skip_it=1;
            break;
        end
    end
end

if ~skip_it && ctle_index>1 && abs(g_LP_index-best_G_high_pass)>LocalSearch_Value
    skip_it=1;
end
```

- For example,
tx_index_vector = [5 4 3 2 1 ...]
best_txffe_index = [5 5 3 2 1 ...]
Hence, distance= abs(current_index - best_index).
- Do not allow LP/CTLE to drift too far from best.
if abs(g_LP_index - best_G_high_pass) > LocalSearch_Value
skip_it = 1;

- Authored by Adeel Ran and improved by Adam Gregory in making it modular for n-tap TXFFE.
- For each TXFFE tap and CTLE Gain 1 & CTLE Gain 2 index, the algorithm compares the current candidate index to the best-known index. If the difference exceeds a predefined threshold (LocalSearch_Value, let us say 2) in any dimension, the candidate is skipped without evaluation.

D. Proposed Adaptive Local Search

```
%% -----  
% Extract tap vectors  
%% -----  
best_taps = BEST.txffe_index(:);  
curr_taps = THIS.tx_index_vector(:);  
  
ctle_index = THIS.ctle_index;  
lp_curr = THIS.g_LP_index;  
lp_best = BEST.G_high_pass;  
  
%% -----  
% Build weighted vectors  
%% -----  
best_vec = [best_taps; lp_best];  
this_vec = [curr_taps; lp_curr];  
  
num_taps = numel(curr_taps);  
w_taps = ones(num_taps,1) * edge_weight;  
  
% LP weight (patched)  
if THIS.ctle_index > 1  
    w_lp = lp_weight * (1 + 0.5 * (THIS.ctle_index - 1));  
else  
    w_lp = lp_weight;  
end  
weights = [w_taps; w_lp];
```

```
%% -----  
% Compute distances  
%% -----  
diff_vec = this_vec - best_vec;  
weighted_diff = weights .* diff_vec;  
  
L1_w = sum(abs(weighted_diff));  
L2_w = sqrt(sum(weighted_diff.^2));  
  
raw_L1_TX = sum(abs(diff_vec(1:num_taps)));
```

Definitions,

raw_L1_TX: Unweighted Manhattan distance between the current and best TXFFE tap-index vectors.

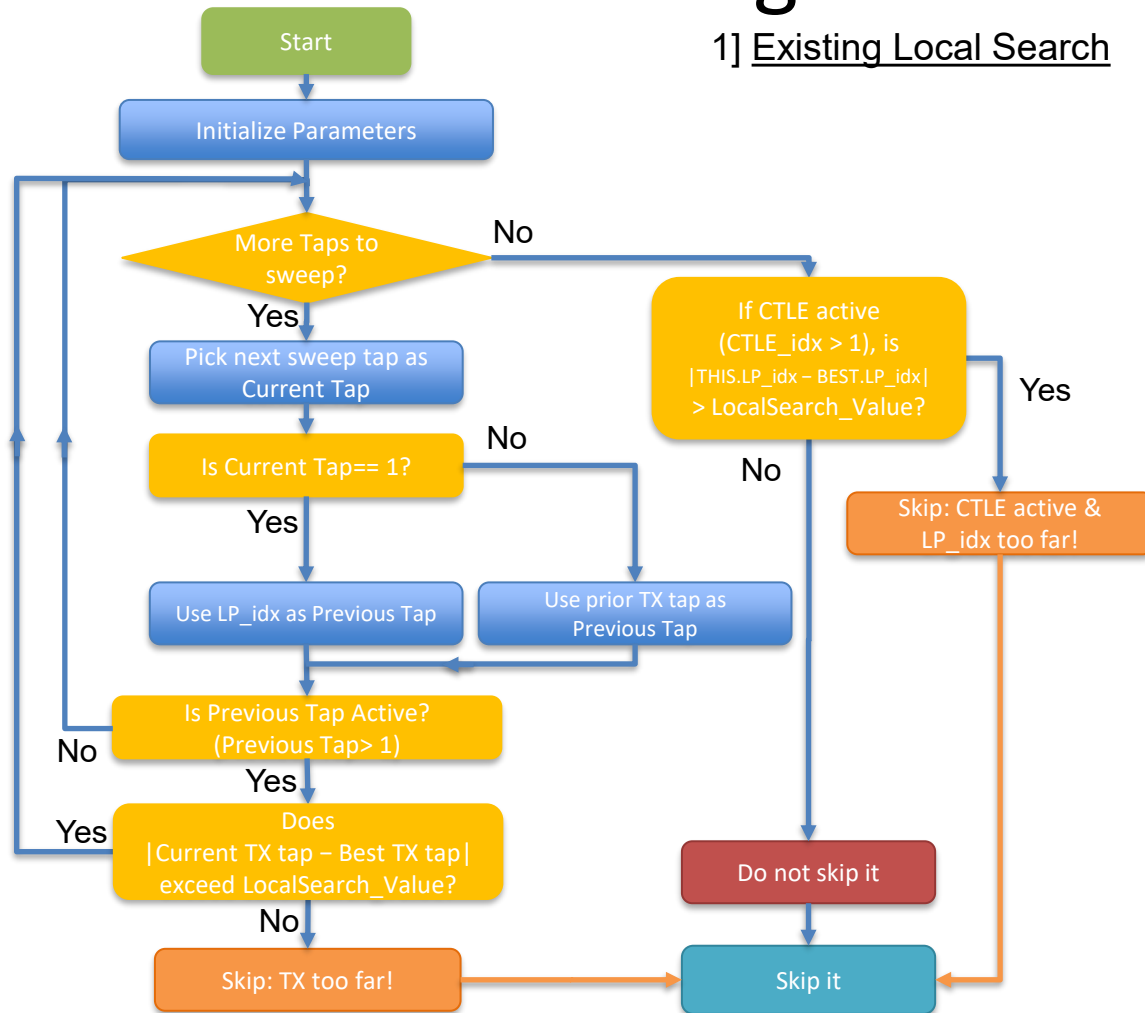
L1_w: Weighted Manhattan distance between the current equalization setting and the current best equalization setting, including TXFFE tap indices and CTLE Gain 2.

L2_w: Weighted Euclidean distance between the current equalization setting and the current best equalization setting, providing a geometric measure of proximity in the equalization search space.

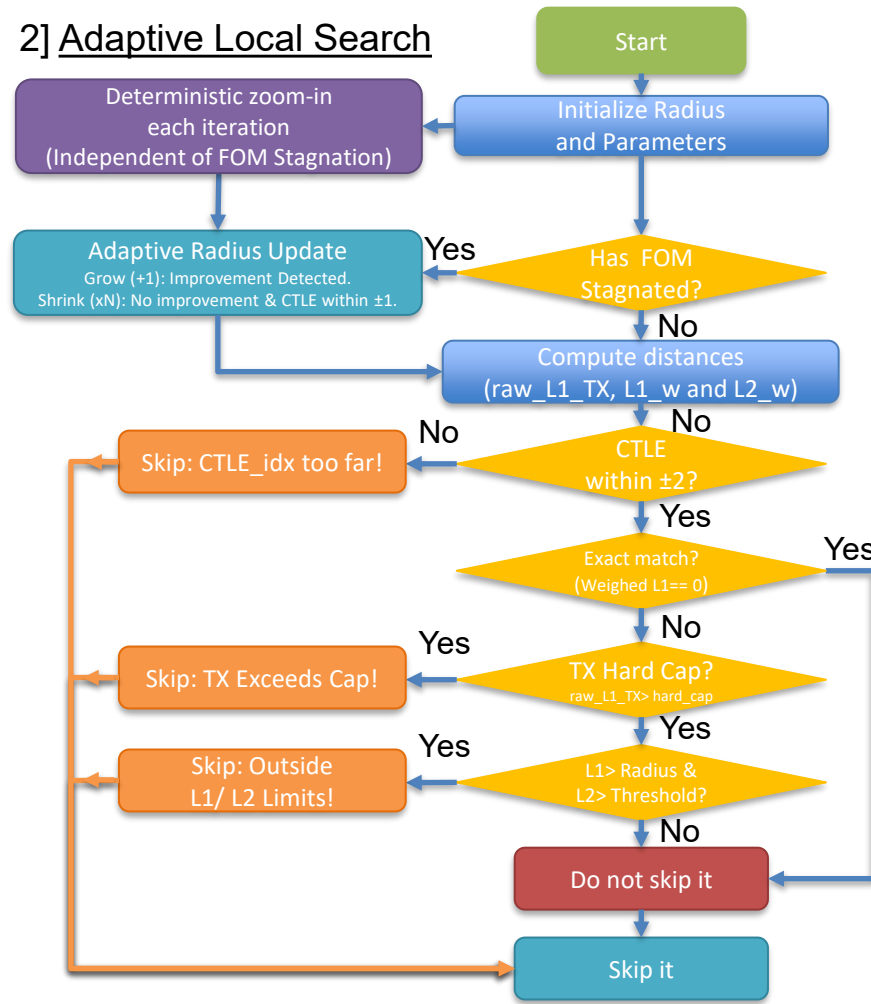
- Instead of checking each parameter independently, the adaptive local search computes global weighted L1 and L2 distances between the current candidate and the best-known solution.
- It maintains an adaptive search radius that shrinks when improvement stalls and expands when progress is observed.
- If the candidate exceeds this radius, violates a hard cap on total deviation, or fails additional constraints (e.g., CTLE proximity), it is skipped without evaluation.

E. Rough Flowchart of Local Search

1] Existing Local Search



2] Adaptive Local Search



Definitions,
 raw_L1_TX : Unweighted Manhattan distance between the current and best TXFFE tap-index vectors.

$L1_w$: Weighted Manhattan distance between the current equalization setting and the current best equalization setting, including TXFFE tap indices and CTLE Gain 2.

$L2_w$: Weighted Euclidean distance between the current equalization setting and the current best equalization setting, providing a geometric measure of proximity in the equalization search space.

- Compared to the current Local Search, the proposed Adaptive Local Search dynamically adjusts the search radius based on FOM convergence and uses weighted multi-dimensional distance metrics, enabling more aggressive pruning while maintaining focus on the most promising equalization regions.

Thank you

COM Spreadsheet for Package Class A

| data rate, die load, ref impedance | | | | I/O control | | | Operational | | | | SAVE_CONFIG2MAT | 0 | |
|------------------------------------|--|---------------|----------------|---------------------|------------------------|---------|------------------------------|------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Parameter | Setting | Units | Information | DIAGNOSTICS | 1 | logical | ERL Pass threshold | 11 | dB | | Receiver testing | | |
| f_b | 106.25 | GBd | | DISPLAY_WINDOW | 1 | logical | COM Pass threshold | 3 | db | | RX_CALIBRATION | 0 | logical |
| f_min | 0.05 | GHz | | CSV_REPORT | 0 | logical | DER_0 | 2.00E-04 | | | Sigma BBN step | 5.00E-03 | V |
| Delta_f | 0.01 | GHz | | RESULT_DIR | .\results\CAKR_{date}\ | | T_r | 0.00400 | ns | | ICN parameters | | |
| C_d | [0.4e-4 0.9e-4 1.1e-4; 0.4e-4 0.9e-4 1.1e-4] | nF | [TX RX] | SAVE_FIGURES | 0 | logical | FORCE_TR | 1 | logical | for legacy but required | T_t | 6.000 | ps |
| L_s | [0.13 0.15 0.14; 0.13 0.15 0.14] | nH | [TX RX] | Port Order | [1 3 2 4] | | PMD_type | C2C | for MMSE use C2C only | | f_v | 0.371 | 39.42 |
| C_b | [0.3e-4 0.3e-4] | nF | [TX RX] | RUNTAG | KR_pkgA | | EW | 1 | | | T_ft | 4.250 | ps |
| R_0 | 46.25 | Ohm | | COM_CONTRIBUTION | 0 | logical | MLSE | 1 | logical | | T_nt | 4.250 | ps |
| PKG_NAME | PKG_LowR_CLASSA | | TX RX | TDR and ERL options | | | | | | | f_f | 0.524 | 55.65 |
| z_p select | [1 2] | | | TDR | 1 | logical | sample_adjustment | [-24 24] | | | f_n | 0.524 | 55.65 |
| L | 4 | | | ERL | 1 | logical | Local Search | 2 | | | f_1 | 0.010 | GHz |
| M | 32 | | | ERL_ONLY | 0 | ns | flim | 6.70E+10 | Hz | | f_2 | 67.000 | GHz |
| filter and Eq | | | | TR_TDR | 0.005 | | zero_pad | 1 | logical | | A_ft | 0.600 | V |
| f_r | 0.55 | *fb | | N | 7000 | logical | Filter: Rx FFE | | | | A_nt | 0.600 | V |
| c(0) | 0.55 | min | | TDR_Butterworth | 1 | | ffe_pre_tap_len | 6 | UI | d_w | | | |
| c(-1) | 0 | [-0.34; 0.02] | [min:step:max] | beta_x | 0 | | ffe_post_tap_len | 8 | UI | N_fix-d_w | | | |
| c(-2) | 0 | [0.14; 0.02] | [min:step:max] | rho_x | 0.618 | | ffe_pre_tap1_max | 0.7 | (normalized) | w_max(d_w) and -w_min(d_w) | board_tl_gamma0_a1_a2 | [0.595e-4 2.6e-05] | 1.4 db/in @ 53.125G |
| c(-3) | 0 | | [min:step:max] | TDR_W_TPKG | 0 | UI | ffe_post_tap1_max | 0.7 | (normalized) | w_max(d_w+2) and -w_min(d_w+2) | board_Z_c | 92.5 | Ohm |
| c(-4) | 0 | | [min:step:max] | N_bx | 16 | ?? | ffe_tapn_max | 0.7 | (normalized) | all other fixed w_max and w_min | z_bp (TX) | 9 | mm |
| c(1) | 0 | [-0.2; 0.02] | [min:step:max] | fixture delay time | [00] | | num_ui_RXFF_noise | 4096 | | | z_bp (NEXT) | 9 | mm |
| N_b | 1 | UI | | Tukey_Window | 1 | | Floating Tap Control | | | | z_bp (FEXT) | 9 | mm |
| b_max(1) | 0.85 | As/dffe1 | | Z_t | 46.25 | | N_bg | 2 | 0 1 2 or 3 groups | N_wg | | | |
| b_max(2..N_b) | 0 | not used | | Noise, jitter | | | N_bf | 4 | taps per group | N_wf | | | |
| b_min(1) | 0 | As/dffe1 | | sigma_RJ | 0.01 | UI | N_f | 80 | UI span for floating taps | Nmax-d_w-1 | | | |
| b_min(2..N_b) | 0 | S | not used | A_DD | 0.02 | V^2/GHz | bmaxg | 0.05 | max FFE value for floating taps | all floating w_max and w_min | C_0 | [00] | nF |
| g_DC | [-20; 1.0] | dB | [min:step:max] | eta_0 | 7.50E-09 | dB | N_tail_start | 9 | (UI) start of tail taps limit | not supposed to be used but untested | C_1 | [00] | nF |
| f_z | 42.50 | GHz | | SNR_TX | 33.5 | | TS_SRCH_MODE | full-sweep | | | Include PCB | 0 | logical |
| f_p1 | 42.50 | GHz | | R_LM | 0.95 | | Clip Method | Slow | | | | | |
| f_p2 | 106.25 | GHz | | N_qb | 6 | | Non-zero Local Search Method | 0 | | | | | |
| g_DC_HP | [-6; 1.0] | | [min:step:max] | P_qc | 1.00E-07 | | | | | | | | |
| f_HP_PZ | 1.328125 | GHz | | | | | | | | | | | |

Note.
 Set Clip Method to "slow"
 Set TS_SRCH_MODE to "full-sweep"
 Set sample_adjustment to "[-24 24]"
 Toggle "Non-zero Local Search Method" to 0 or 1.

| ..START | PKG_LowR_CLASSA | Units | Information |
|-------------------------|--|-------|--------------|
| Parameter | Setting | | |
| package_tl_gamma0_a1_a2 | [0.0005 0.00089 0.0002] | | |
| package_tl_tau | 0.006141 | ns/mm | |
| package_Z_c | [87.5 87.5; 95 95; 100 100; 100 100] | Ohm | |
| R_d | [46.25 46.25] | Ohm | [TX RX] |
| z_p (TX) | [12 33 33 33; 1.8 1.8 1.8 1.8; 0 0 0 0; 0 0 0 0] | mm | [test cases] |
| z_p (NEXT) | [12 33 33 33; 1.8 1.8 1.8 1.8; 0 0 0 0; 0 0 0 0] | mm | [test cases] |
| z_p (FEXT) | [12 33 33 33; 1.8 1.8 1.8 1.8; 0 0 0 0; 0 0 0 0] | mm | [test cases] |
| z_p (RX) | [12 33 33 33; 1.8 1.8 1.8 1.8; 0 0 0 0; 0 0 0 0] | mm | [test cases] |
| C_p | [0.4e-4 0.4e-4] | nF | [TX RX] |
| A_v | 0.385 | V | Vf=0.400 |
| A_fe | 0.385 | V | Vf=0.399 |
| A_ne | 0.481 | V | Vf=0.400 |
| ..END | | | |

