



Complexity Analysis of Systematic Spectrum Sensing for Cognitive Radio

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- Background and Motivation
- Spectrum Sensing Methodology
- Implementation
- Simulation Results
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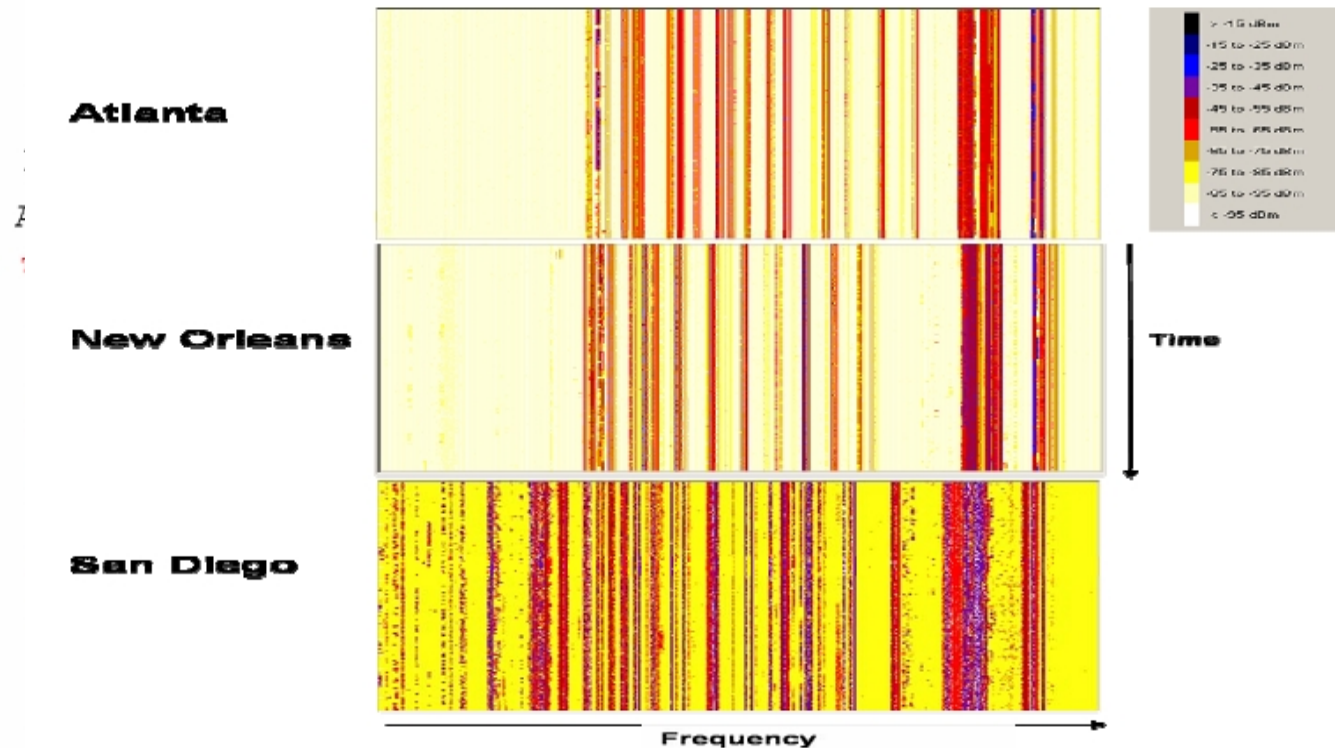
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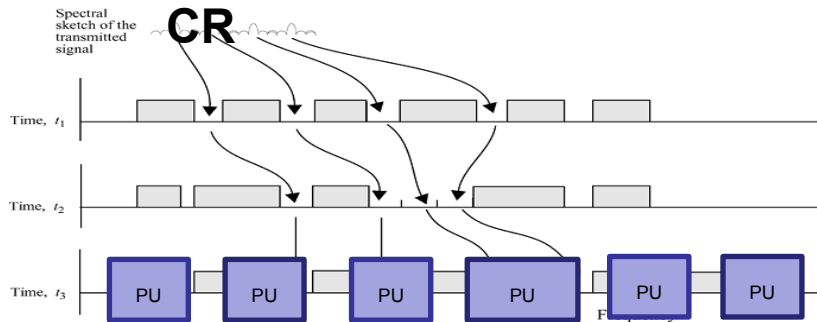
Sparse Spectrum Utilization





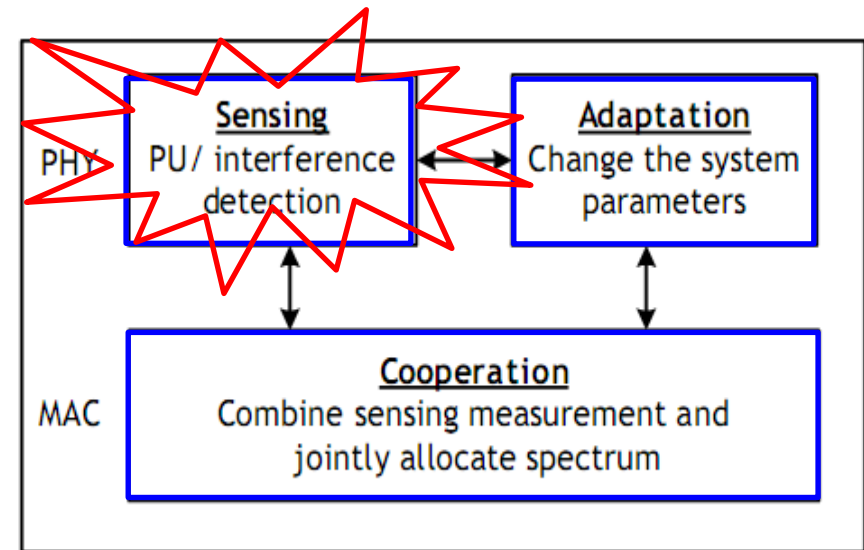
Cognitive Radio (CR)

Cognition!!!!



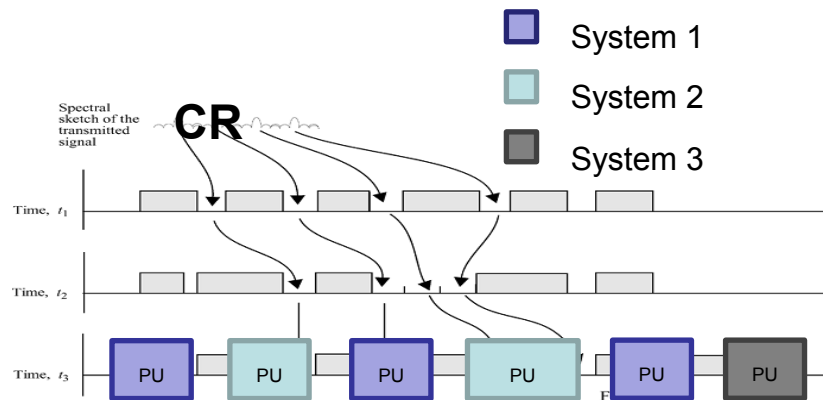
- Received signal strength indicator (RSSI):

$$M(r) = \frac{1}{L} \sum_{t=0}^{L-1} \left(\sum_{n=0}^{N-1} |r(n)|^2 \right) \begin{matrix} H_1 \\ \geq \\ H_0 \end{matrix} \tau_{RSSI}$$





Motivation



Previous work:

- Ad-hoc standard detection method.
- Need algorithm for complex scenario.

Practical/Implement consideration:

- Hardware/Software implementation?
- Always need complex detection algorithm?

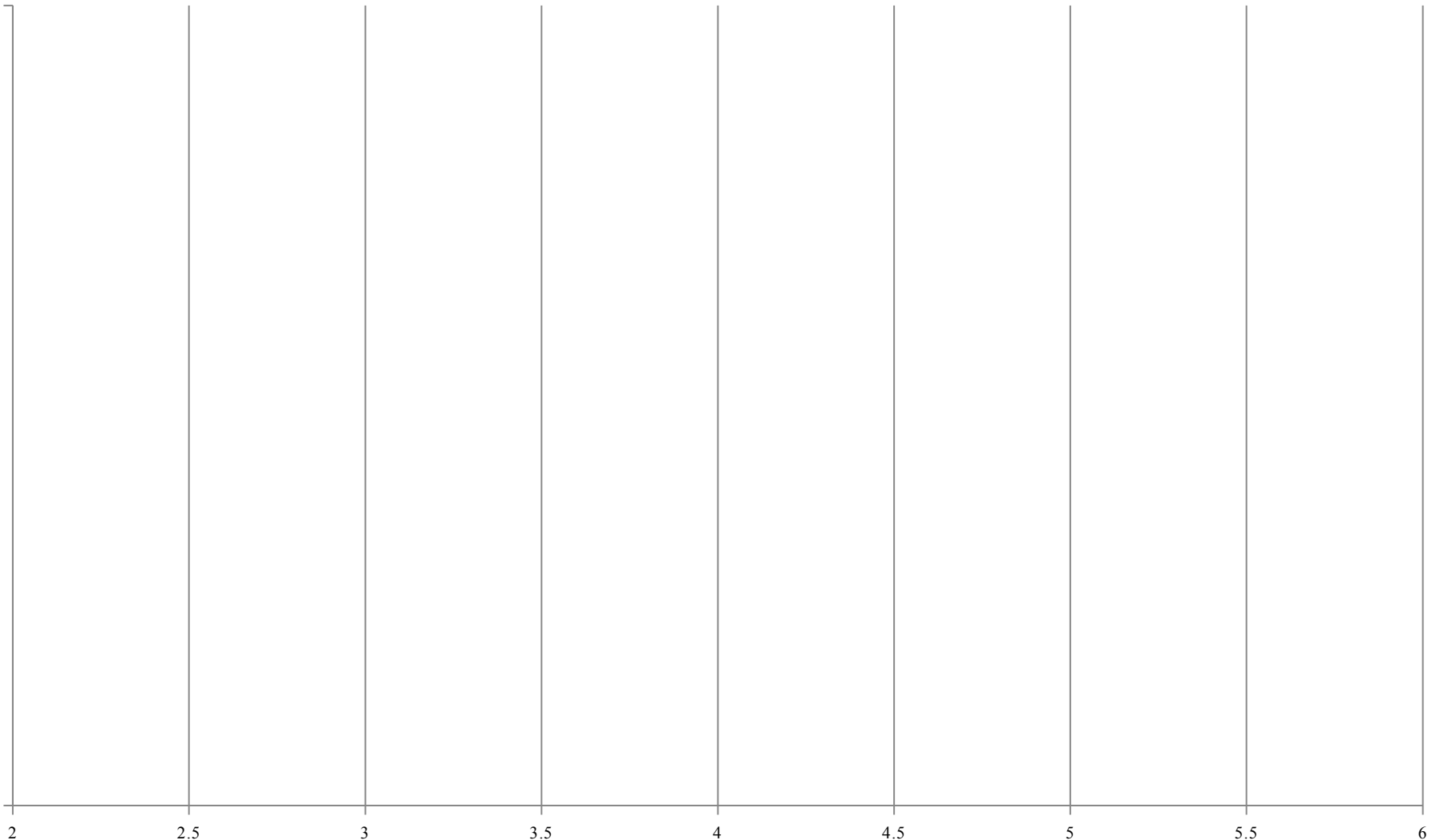
- Issues of multi-standard spectrum sensing:

- PUs detection & identification. (combine previous detection methods and reduce the system complexity)
- How many systems we can cover in our scenario?
- How often to sense? (software implementation performance)





Assumed CR System Scenario





System Parameters

	FFT/data (samples)	CP (ratio/samples)	GI Duration	Symbol Duration
802.11a/g	64/48	1/4 (16)	0.8 us	4 us
802.11n	64/52	1/4 (16)	0.8 us	4 us
		1/8 (8)	0.4 us	3.6 us
	128/108	1/4 (32)	0.8 us	4 us
		1/8 (16)	0.4 us	3.6 us
802.16d	256/192	1/8 (32)	8 us	72 us
802.16e	512/360	1/8 (64)	11.4 us	102.9 us

GI: guard interval

CP: cyclic prefix





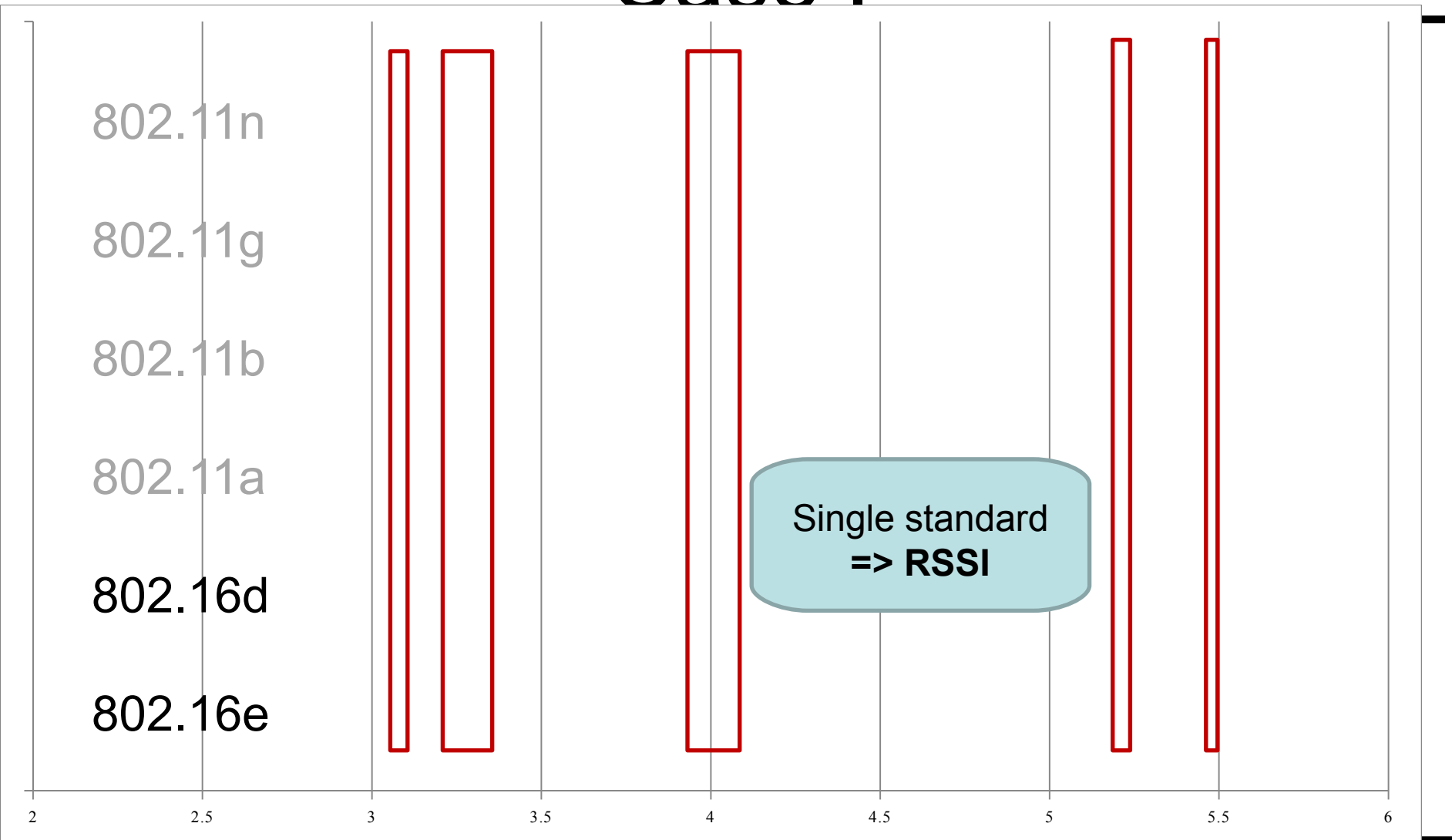
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Case I





Case II

802.11n

802.11g

802.11b

802.11a

802.16d

802.16e

Two standards
Identify between OFDM and non-OFDM
standards
=> OFDM characteristic





Case III

802.11n

802.11g

802.11b

802.11a

802.16d

802.16e

Three standards
Identification of multiple OFDM
standards
=> Other feature

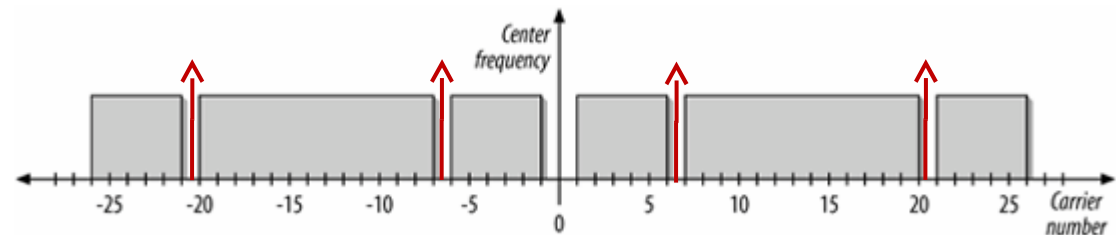




Common OFDM Signal Characteristic

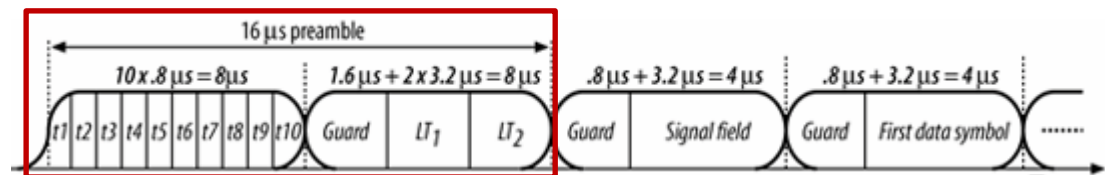
• Frequency domain

- Pilot



• Time domain

- Preamble

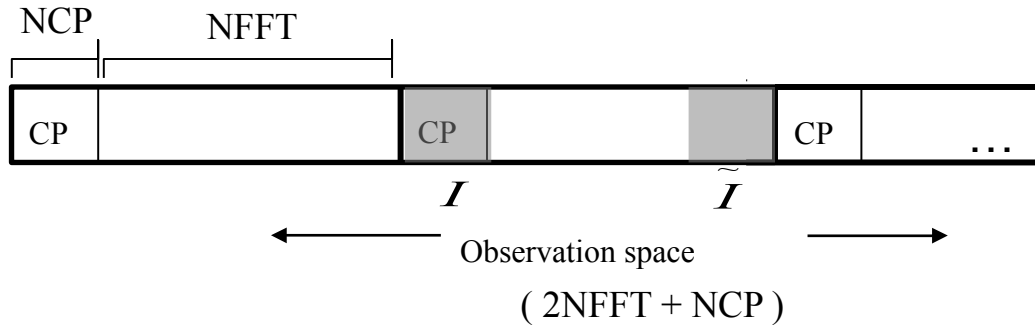


- Cyclic prefix

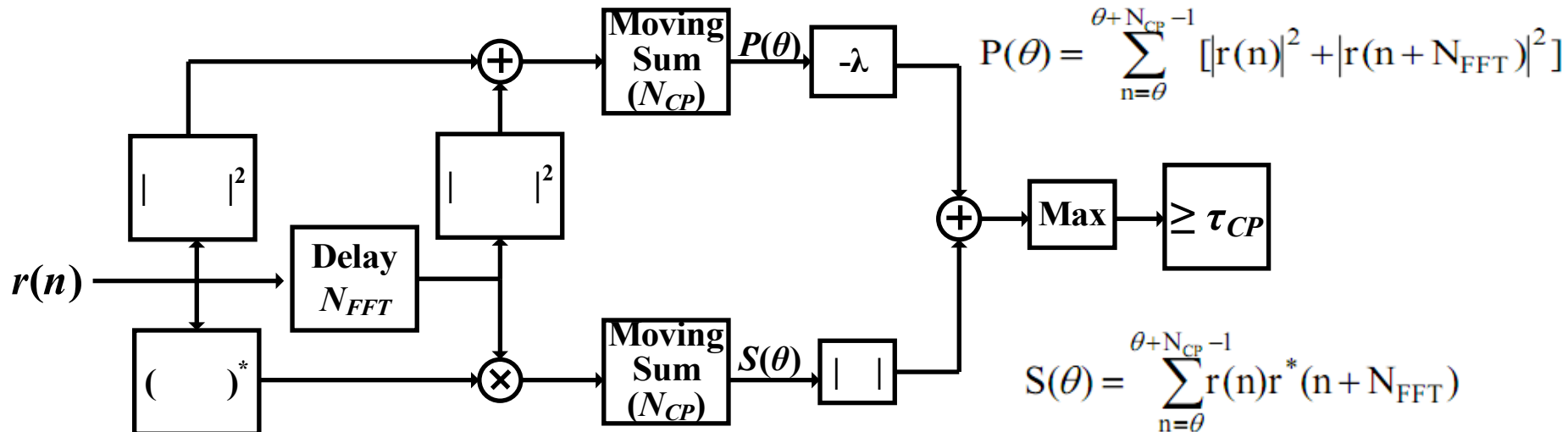




Cyclic Prefix Detector



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Cyclostationary Property

- Cyclostationary

$$R_{\alpha}(t, \tau) = E\{x(t + \tau/2)x(t - \tau/2)\}$$

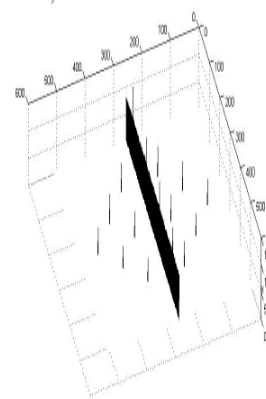
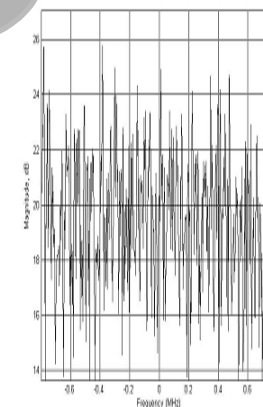
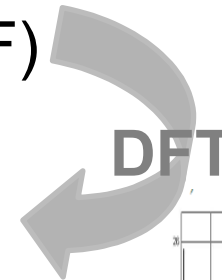
- Cyclic autocorrelation function (CAF)

$$R_x^{\alpha}(\tau) = \lim_{Vt \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{Vt} \int_{-Vt/2}^{Vt/2} x(t + \tau/2)x(t - \tau/2)e^{-j2\pi\alpha t} dt$$

- Spectral correlation function (SCF)

$$S_x^{\alpha}(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} R_x^{\alpha}(\tau) e^{-j2\pi f \tau} d\tau$$

$$= \lim_{Vf \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{Vt \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{Vt} \int_{-Vt/2}^{Vt/2} V f X_{1/Vf}(t, f + \alpha/2) X_{1/Vf}^*(t, f - \alpha/2) dt$$



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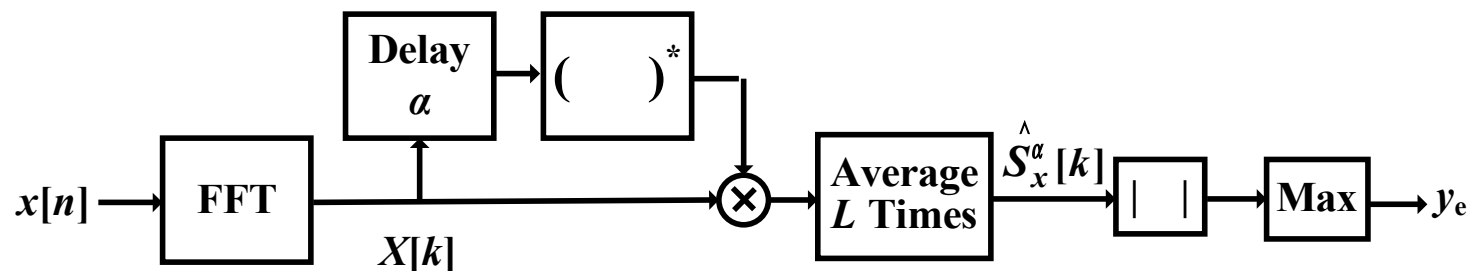
SCF Detector

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- Design adopted uses a time-smoothed cyclic cross periodogram

$$\hat{S}_x^\alpha[k] = \frac{1}{L} \sum_{l=0}^{L-1} X[k] X^*[k - \alpha] W[k] \quad X[k] = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n] e^{-i2\pi nk/N}$$

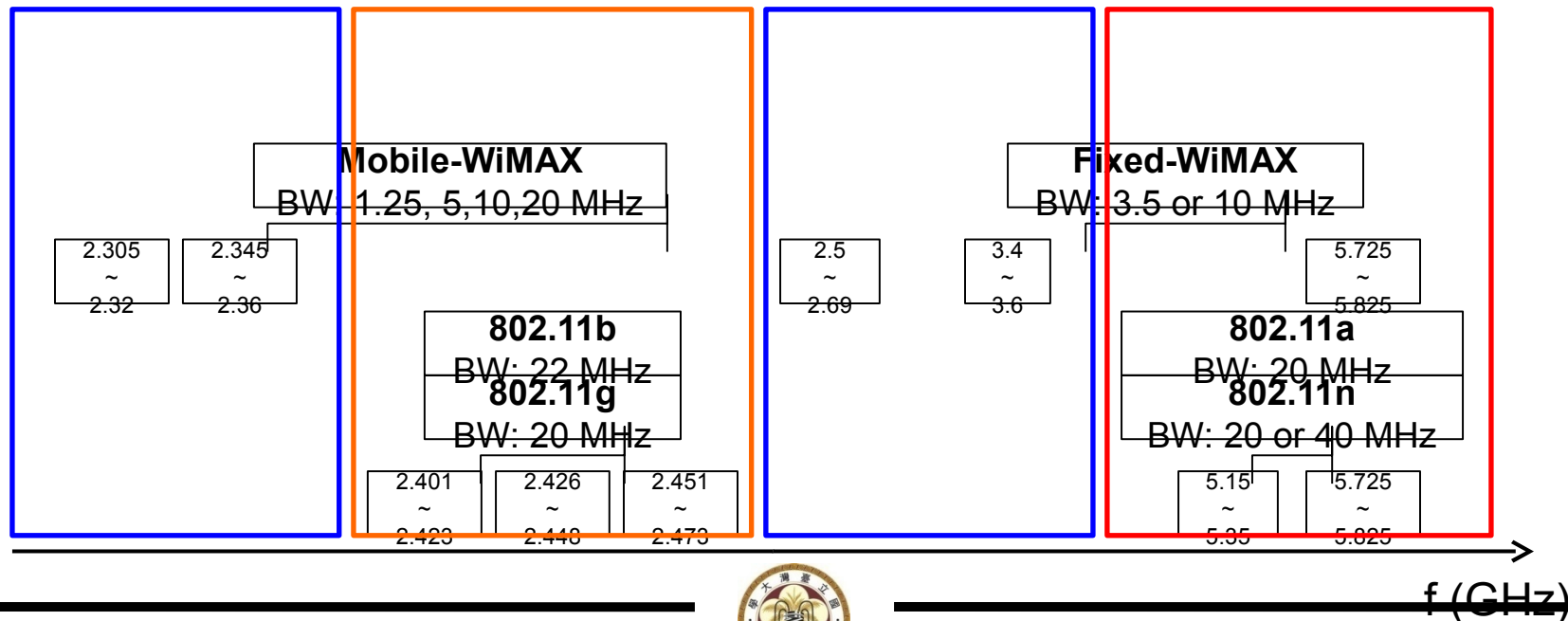
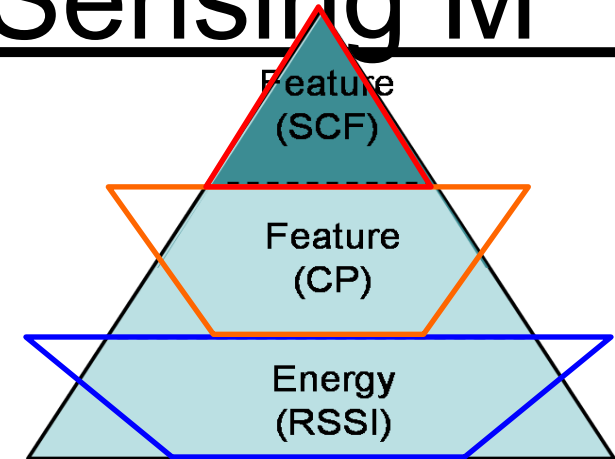
- Optimum feature detection is performed through correlation of the cyclic periodogram with the spectral correlation function





Summary: Spectrum Sensing Method

- [Case I] single standard: RSSI
- [Case II] two standards: RSSI+CP
- [Case III] three standards: RSSI+SCF





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Software Implementation

- Advantage of software radio
 - Adaptable
 - Reduce the size and cost
- Disadvantage of software radio
 - Slow
- Selected software radio platform
 - TI C6416 DSP
- Optimization techniques
 - TI compiler optimization level-2 (software pipelining)
 - TI intrinsic





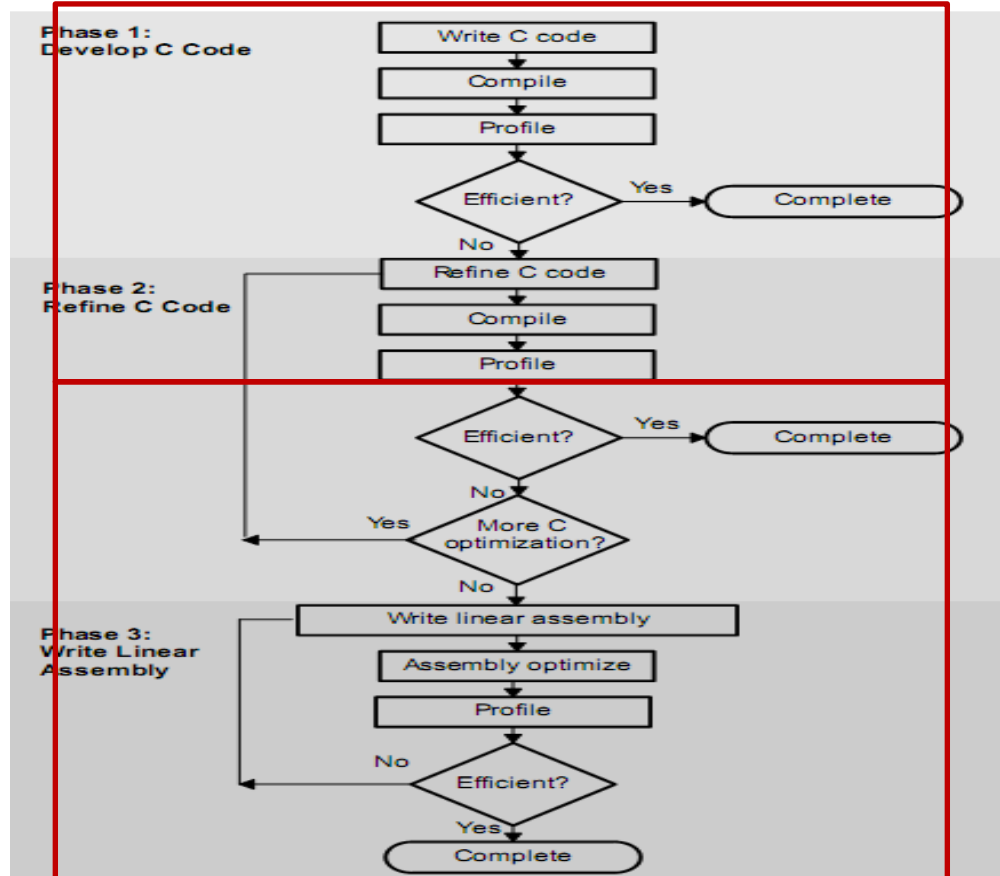
Design Flow

- Experimental platform
 - TI C6416 DSP
 - 600MHz clock frequency
 - Very-long-instruction-word (VLIW) architecture
 - 8 function units (2 multipliers and 6 ALUs)
 - **TI c6416 is more powerful than required**
- Survey for future accelerators
 - Operating freq. for co-processor with similar architecture
 - Processing power requirement





Code Implementation Flow



Naïve Coding

- Identify system requirement
- Fixed-point coding
- TI's compiler opt level-2

Hand Optimization

- Optimize common blocks
- Adopt TI's intrinsic





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Naïve Fixed Point C

	RSSI(cycle)	CP(cycle)	SCF(cycle)
802.11a/g	2,849	477,856	2,253,203
802.11n	2,849	477,856	2,253,203
		254,604	
	5,665	1,823,528	4,966,612
		946,980	
802.16d	11,297	3,646,584	10,376,996
802.16e	22,561	14,305,068	22,708,023





Number of Symbols to Meet Accuracy Requirements.

Symbols Required	RSSI	CP	SCF
	1	4	60
Effective Time	RSSI(μs)	CP(μs)	SCF(μs)
802.11a/g	4	16	240
802.11n	4	16	240
	3.6	14.4	216
	4	16	240
802.16d	72	288	4320
802.16e	102.9	411.6	6174





Naïve Fixed Point C

	RSSI (μs)	CP (μs)	SCF (μs)
802.11a/g	4.76	798.02	3,762.85
802.11n	4.76	798.02	3,762.85
		425.2	
	9.46	3,045.3	8,294.24
		1,581.46	
802.16d	18.866	6,089.8	17,329.6
802.16e	37.68	23,889.5	37,922.4

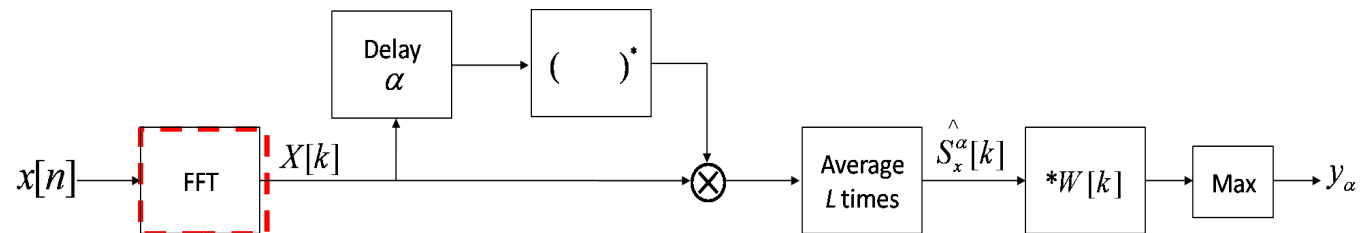
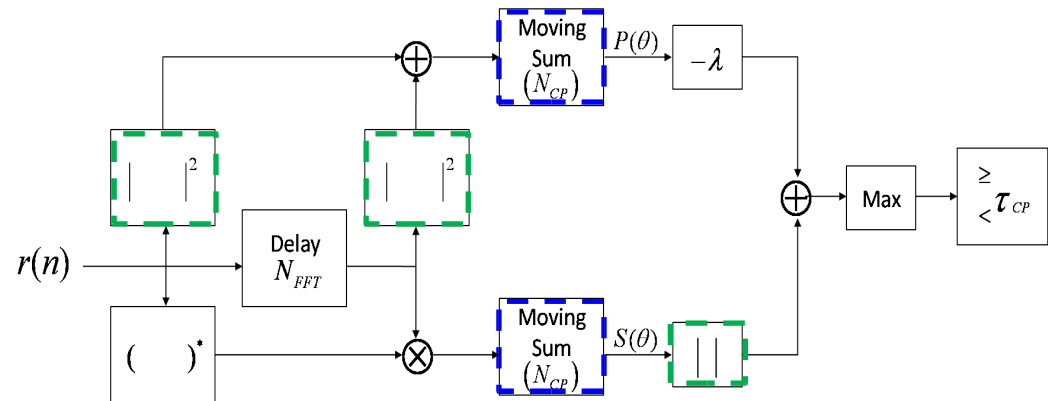
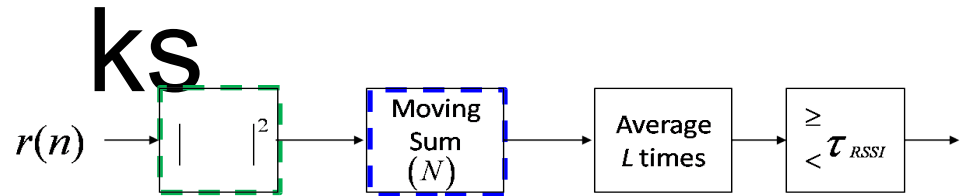
X: Does not meet the time constraint, optimization required !!





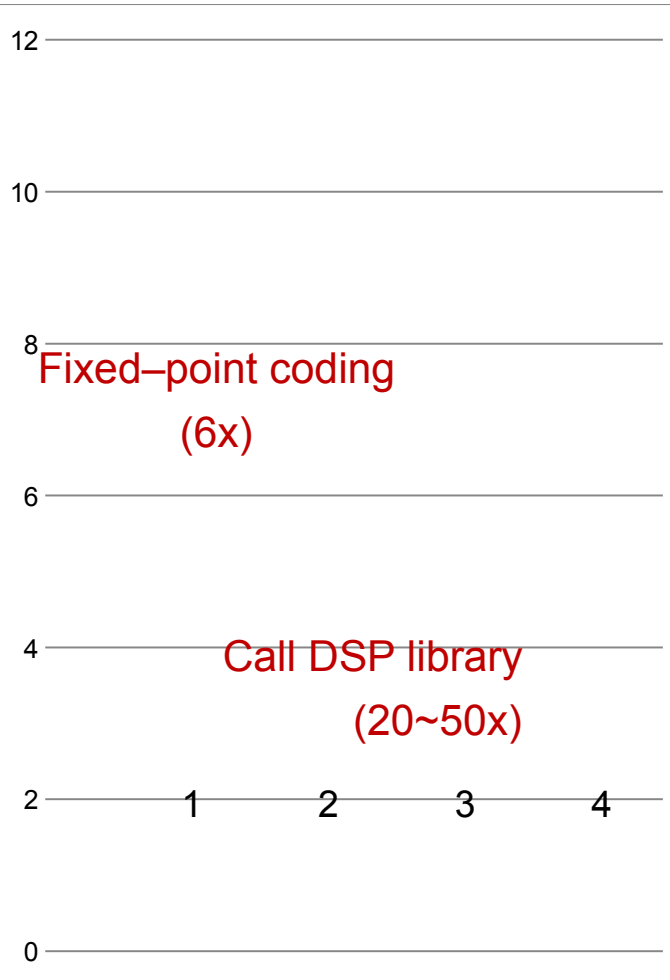
Optimization of Common Bloc

- Common blocks
 - sum of square
 - moving sum
 - FFT
- Optimization :
 - Call TI .asm library





Overall Performance (RSSI)

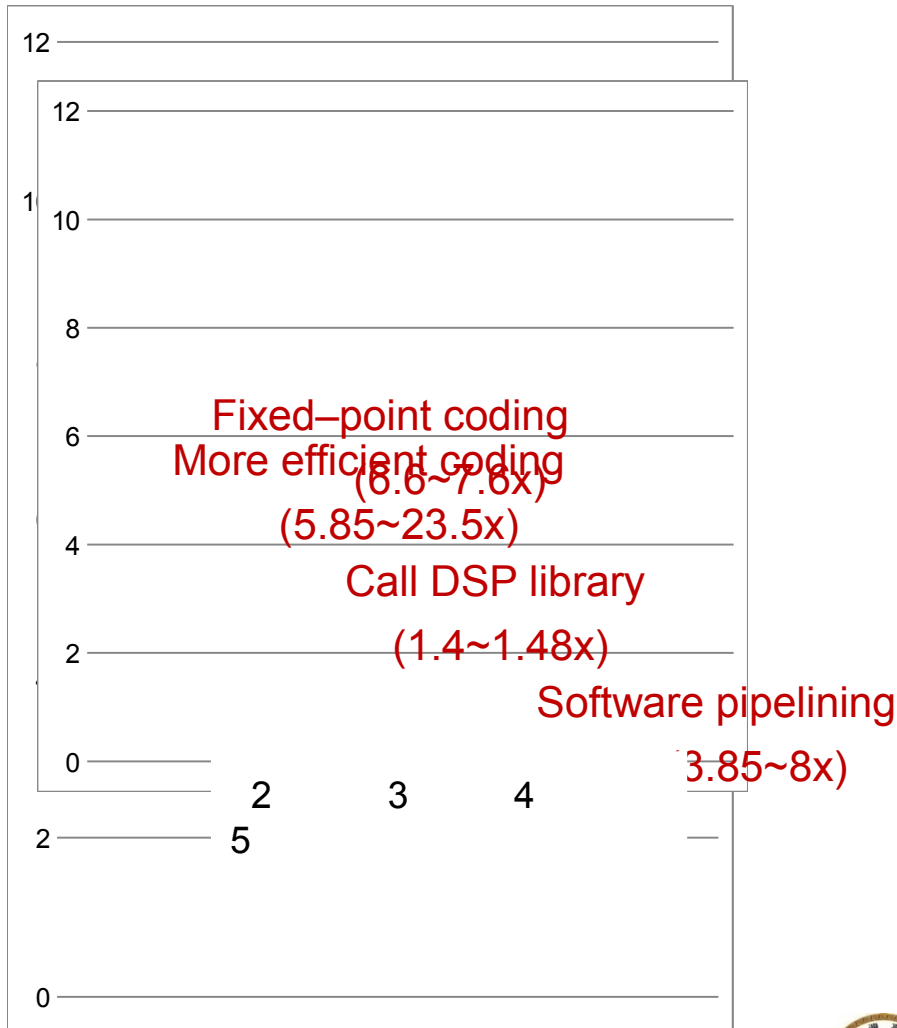


	1 Ori. C (float)	2 Intrinsic (short)	3 DSPLib (short)	4 DSPLib (short) -o2
802.11a/g	13,184	2,209	103	103
802.11n	13,184	2,209	103	103
	26,773	4,353	135	135
Fixed WiMAX	54,095	8,641	199	199
Mobile WiMAX	107,163	17,217	327	327





Overall Performance (CP)



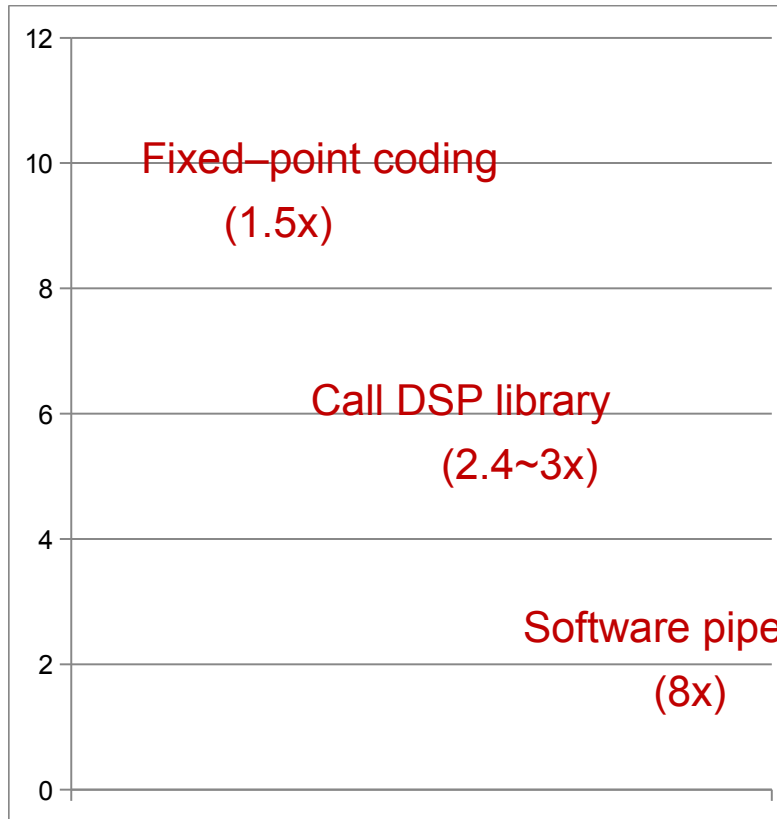
	1. Ori. C (float)	2. Opt. C (float)
802.11a/g	3186926	544680
802.11n	3186926	544680
	1649214	517524
	12637578	1105608
	6432710	1054904
Fixed WiMAX	25032378	2103808
Mobile WiMAX	98754582	4205160

	2. Opt. C (float)	3. Intrinsic (short)	4. DSPLib (short)	5. Intrinsic (short) -o2
802.11a/g	544680	82504	59268	21396
802.11n	544680	82504	59268	21396
	517524	79940	58372	20684
	1105608	151428	104252	28312
	1054904	147904	104124	28020
Fixed WiMAX	2103808	281604	192956	41368
Mobile WiMAX	4205160	550604	371204	68584





Overall Performance (SCF)



	1 Ori. (float)	2 Fixed- point (int)	3 DSPLib (short)	4 DSPLib (short) -o2
802.11a/g	3,322,438	2,274,812	935,178	64,276
802.11n	3,322,438	2,274,812	935,178	64,276
	7,085,767	5,007,357	1,854,105	128,056
Fixed WiMAX	14,604,211	10,456,013	3,695,593	243,256
Mobile WiMAX	31,032,629	22,820,476	7,418,109	514,134





Results of Optimized Code

	RSSI (μs)	CP (μs)	SCF (μs)
802.11a/g	0.172	35.73	107.34
802.11n	0.172	35.73	107.34
		34.54	
	0.225	47.3	213.85
		46.8	
802.16d	0.332	69.1	406.24
802.16e	0.546	114.54	858.6

*All of the spectrum sensing techniques meet the time constraint





System Performance on TI C64

Case I: 40.978μs

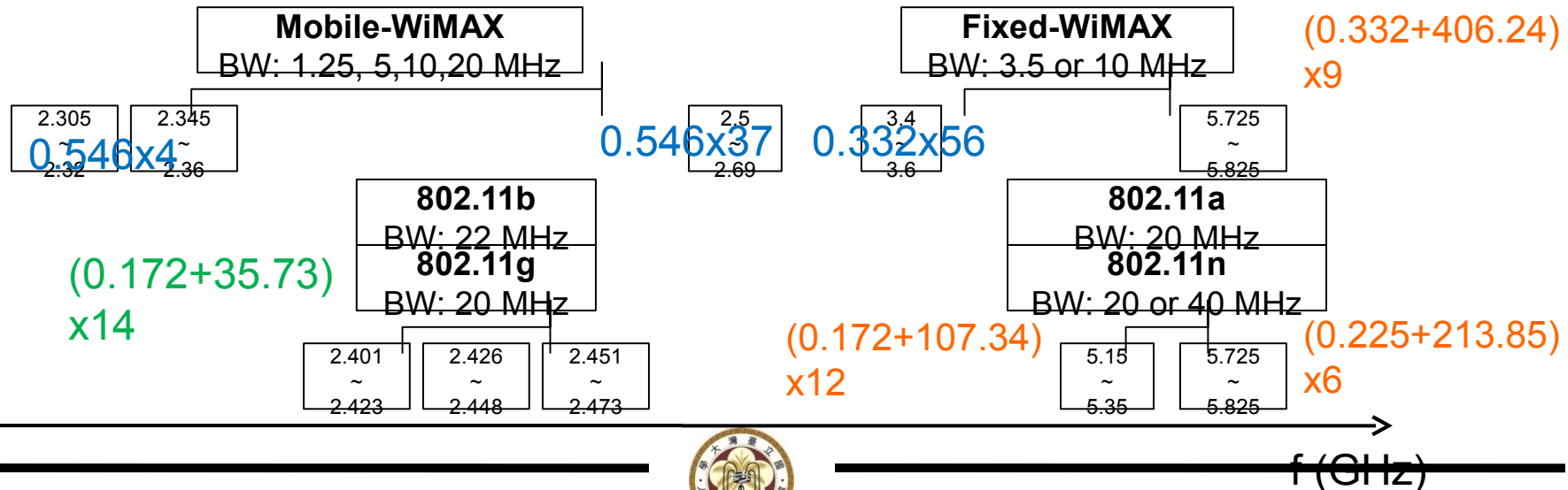
Case II: 502.628μs

Case III: 6233.742μs

Total: 6777.348μs ≈ 7ms

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@600MHz	RSSI	CP	SCF
802.11a/g	0.172μs	35.73μs	107.34μs
802.11n	0.172μs	35.73μs	107.34μs
		34.54μs	
	0.225μs	47.3μs	213.85μs
		46.8μs	
Fixed WiMAX	0.332μs	69.1μs	406.24μs
Mobile WiMAX	0.546μs	114.54μs	858.6μs





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Conclusion

- Proposed a case base signal detection techniques for 802.11a/b/g/n and Fixed/Mobile WiMAX spectrum sensing.
- Identified the common blocks for spectrum sensing.
- Requires 7 ms to perform all the detections on TI-C6416,
- Scale DSP operating speed according to the required cognition frequency.

Review the issues of multi-standard spectrum sensing:

- Multiple PUs detection & identification.
 - How many systems we can cover in our scenario?
 - **Frequency to sense?** 7ms @600MHz (8 ALUs)
- 802.11a/b/g/n
Fixed/Mobile WiMAX





THANK YOU!!!

