New Eight-phase ZCD spreading sequences design for Interference-cancelled WPAN based on AS-CDMA

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Abstract

New Eight-phase Preferred Pairs (EPPs) that have Zero-Correlation Duration (ZCD) of \(0.5N+1\) chips are constructed for the periods of \(N=4x2n\ (n=1,2,3...).\) By using the chip-shift operation of the EPP, new eight-phase ZCD sequences are constructed in this paper. We certified its ZCD property by various correlation simulations. This new eight-phase spreading sequence can be used for Interference cancelled wireless personal area network (WPAN) based on approximately synchronized code-division-multiple-access (AS-CDMA) system.

Key Words: Eight-phase, ZCD, Zero Correlation Duration, Spreading Sequences, CDMA, WPAN

1. Introduction

For any two complex sequences of period \(N, C^x_N = (C^x_0, ..., C^x_{N-1})\) and \(C^y_N = (C^y_0, ..., C^y_{N-1}),\) the periodic correlation function with a shift \(\tau\) is defined as

\[
\theta_{x,y}(\tau) = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} C^x_k \overline{C^y_{(k+\tau \mod N)}} \tag{1}
\]

where \(*\) represents the complex conjugate. Eqn.(1) becomes the autocorrelation function (ACF) when \(x = y\) and the crosscorrelation function (CCF) when \(x \neq y.\) In Eqn.(1), the local duration around zero \(\tau\) with zero ACF sidelobe and zero CCF is defined as zero-correlation duration [ZCD] [1]. ZCD property is important to cancel interference such as MAI (multiple access interference) or MPI (multi-path interference) in the WPAN systems [2], spread spectrum communication applications [3] and CDMA systems. ZCD property can be mainly found in the 2-phase [1,2,4,5], 3-phase [3,6], and 4-phase [7,8] sequences. Although some poly-phase sequences for MAI / MPI cancellation of CDMA are proposed in the 18-phase or larger-phase sequences [9,10], they have no ZCD property [9] or too complex in generating sequences in the hardware implementation [10]. In the eight-phase case which can be easily implemented in the sequence generator, there is a class of eight-phase sequence [11] with low correlation, however it also has no any ZCD property. In this paper, we propose a new class of eight-phase sequences with ZCD property. At first, we present a generalized
construction method for eight-phase preferred pairs (EPPs) that have ZCD of \((0.5N+1)\) chips and periods of. Secondly, using the chip-shift operation to the EPP, we generate new eight-phase ZCD sequences that have sufficient ZCD and family sizes for interference-cancelled CDMA systems such as WPAN using AS-CDMA.

2. Construction method of new eight-phase ZCD sequences

Step (1) Method for constructing EPP

The EPP of period \( N = 4 \times 2^t \) \((t = 1, 2, 3, \ldots)\) with ZCD of \((0.5 \times N + 1)\) is denoted as \( \{ E^{(a)}_N, E^{(b)}_N \} \), where \( E^{(a)}_N = (e^{(a)}_0, e^{(a)}_1, \cdots , e^{(a)}_{N-1}) \) and \( E^{(b)}_N = (e^{(b)}_0, e^{(b)}_1, \cdots , e^{(b)}_{N-1}) \).

The initial basic matrix for generating \( \{ E^{(a)}_N, E^{(b)}_N \} \) is defined as

\[
G_e = \begin{bmatrix}
W_0^5 & W_1^5 & W_2^5 & W_3^5 & W_4^5 & W_5^5 & W_6^5 & W_7^5 \\
W_0^6 & W_1^6 & W_2^6 & W_3^6 & W_4^6 & W_5^6 & W_6^6 & W_7^6 \\
W_0^7 & W_1^7 & W_2^7 & W_3^7 & W_4^7 & W_5^7 & W_6^7 & W_7^7 \\
W_0^1 & W_1^1 & W_2^1 & W_3^1 & W_4^1 & W_5^1 & W_6^1 & W_7^1 \\
W_0^2 & W_1^2 & W_2^2 & W_3^2 & W_4^2 & W_5^2 & W_6^2 & W_7^2 \\
W_0^3 & W_1^3 & W_2^3 & W_3^3 & W_4^3 & W_5^3 & W_6^3 & W_7^3 \\
W_0^4 & W_1^4 & W_2^4 & W_3^4 & W_4^4 & W_5^4 & W_6^4 & W_7^4 \\
W_0^5 & W_1^5 & W_2^5 & W_3^5 & W_4^5 & W_5^5 & W_6^5 & W_7^5 \\
W_0^6 & W_1^6 & W_2^6 & W_3^6 & W_4^6 & W_5^6 & W_6^6 & W_7^6 \\
\end{bmatrix}
\]

(2)

where \( W_e = \exp((2\pi \cdot K \cdot \sqrt{-1})/8), (K = 0, 1, 2, 3) \)

Any row of \( \pm G_e \) or \( \pm j \times G_e \) or \( \pm W_e \times G_e \) \((t = 1, 2, 3)\) is denoted as \( E^{(a)}_e = (e^{(a)}_0, e^{(a)}_1, e^{(a)}_2, \cdots , e^{(a)}_{N-1}) \), \( E^{(b)}_e = (e^{(b)}_0, e^{(b)}_1, e^{(b)}_2, \cdots , e^{(b)}_{N-1}) \) is generated from \( E^{(a)}_e \), where \( e^{(b)}_p = (-1)^p e^{(a)}_p \) \((p = 0, 1, 2, \cdots , 7)\). A pair of \( \{ E^{(a)}_e, E^{(b)}_e \} \) has ZCD of \((0.5 \times N + 1)\) chips and is defined as the initial EPP. By using \( \{ E^{(a)}_e, E^{(b)}_e \} \), EPPs with longer period are constructed recursively as the following extension method. Using any given pair of \( \{ E^{(a)}_e, E^{(b)}_e \} \) with period \( m = 4 \times 2^t \) \((t = 1, 2, 3, \cdots)\), the period-extension matrix with period \( 2m \) is generated as Eqn. (3).

\[
PE = \begin{bmatrix}
X & Y & X & -Y \\
Y & -X & X & Y \\
X & -Y & X & Y \\
-Y & X & Y & X \\
\end{bmatrix}
\]

(3)

where \( X = (e^{(a)}_0, \cdots , e^{(a)}_{2m-1}) \), \( Y = (e^{(a)}_{0, 2m-1}) \) and \( m = 4 \times 2^t \) \((t = 1, 2, 3, \cdots)\). Any row of \( \pm P \) or \( \pm j \times P \) or \( \pm W_e \times P \) \((t = 1, 2, 3)\) is \( E^{(a)}_{2m} = (e^{(a)}_0, \cdots , e^{(a)}_{2m-1}) \) with the period of \( 2m \). \( E^{(b)}_{2m} = (e^{(b)}_0, \cdots , e^{(b)}_{2m-1}) \) is generated from \( E^{(a)}_{2m} \), where \( e^{(b)}_p = (-1)^p e^{(a)}_p \) \((p = 0, 1, 2, \cdots , 2m-1)\). \( \{ E^{(a)}_{2m}, E^{(b)}_{2m} \} \) is a EPP with ZCD of \((0.5 \times 2m + 1)\) chips. Thus, for the period of \( N = 4 \times 2^t \) \((t = 1, 2, 3, \cdots)\), \( \{ E^{(a)}_N, E^{(b)}_N \} \) that have ZCD of \((0.5N + 1)\) chips can be constructed.

Example

In this example, we can show a EPP with a ZCD of 33 chips and its correlation property by correlation simulations.

\[
\begin{bmatrix}
E^{(a)}_{33} \\
E^{(b)}_{33}
\end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix}
(416705670523056705234123052305670523412341674674) \\
(2305234123052305670523412305670523412341674)
\end{bmatrix}
\]

(4)

or

\[
\begin{bmatrix}
E^{(a)}_{33} \\
E^{(b)}_{33}
\end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix}
(0761072543250725432543601432507254325436) \\
(10761436143254361432507254325436)
\end{bmatrix}
\]

(5)

where \((0, 1, 2, \cdots , 7)\) denotes \( W_e, W_e, W_e, W_e, W_e, W_e, W_e, W_e \) respectively. Using correlation simulation with EPP of above example, we can obtain

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distinct ZCD of 33 chips. The absolute values of the normalized ACF sidelobe and CCF are shown in Fig. 1.

![ACF and CCF of EPP with period d of 64](image)

Fig. 1. ACF and CCF of EPP with period d of 64

Step (H) Construction of sets of eight-phase ZCD sequences

Let \( E(N,M,Z) \) represent a set of eight-phase ZCD sequences having a sequence period of \( N \) and family size \( M \), where any pair of \( E(N,M,Z) \) has the common ZCD-length of 2. By using the chip-shift operation of \( \{ E_N^{(a)}, E_N^{(b)} \} = E(N,2,0.5N+1) \), a set of \( E(N,M \geq 2, Z \leq 0.5N+1) \) can be constructed. Let be the chip-shift operator, which shifts a sequence cyclically to the left by \( l \) chips, \( E(N,M \geq 2, Z \leq 0.5N+1) \) can be generated from \( \{ E_N^{(a)}, E_N^{(b)} \} \) as

\[
E(N,M \geq 2, Z \leq 0.5N+1) = E(N,2k+1,2\Delta - 1) \quad (4)
\]

\[
\{ E_N^{(a)}, E_N^{(b)}, T^\Delta E_N^{(a)}, T^\Delta E_N^{(b)}, T^{2\Delta} E_N^{(a)}, T^{2\Delta} E_N^{(b)}, \ldots \}
\]

where \( \Delta \) is a chip-shift increment and \( k \) the maximum number of chip-shifts for a sequence. \( \Delta \) and \( k \) should satisfy \(|(k+1)\Delta| \leq 0.25N+1\) where \( \Delta \) is a positive and a non-negative integer. The family sizes of the proposed eight-phase ZCD sequences are listed in Table 1. As shown in Table 1, proposed eight-phase sequences have sufficient ZCD-length and family sizes for CDMA as in the case of binary ZCD sequences [1] for period \( N \). Here, large family sizes produce a larger CDMA user capacity and large ZCDs produce longer cell radius of MAI-cancelled DS-CDMA systems, respectively.

![Table 1. Family sizes of eight-phase ZCD sequences for \( N = 32, 64, 128, \) and 256](image)

| \( N \) | \( 3 \) | \( 5 \) | \( 7 \) | \( 9 \) | \( 11 \) | \( 13 \) | \( 15 \) | \( 17 \) | \( 19 \) | \( 21 \) | \( 23 \) | \( 25 \) | \( 27 \) | \( 29 \) | \( 31 \) | \( 33 \) | \( 35 \) | \( 37 \) | \( 39 \) | \( 41 \) | \( 43 \) | \( 45 \) | \( 47 \) | \( 49 \) | \( 51 \) | \( 53 \) | \( 55 \) | \( 57 \) | \( 59 \) |
| 32   | 8 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 8    | 16 | 10 | 8 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| 128  | 32 | 22 | 16 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| 256  | 64 | 41 | 32 | 26 | 20 | 18 | 16 | 14 | 12 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 |

3. Conclusion

In this Paper, we have proposed new eight-phase ZCD sequences with sufficient ZCD property and family sizes for CDMA as in the case of binary ZCD sequences. Maximum ZCD length of proposed sequence is a 0.5N+1. The proposed eight-phase ZCD sequences can be usefully employed in the Interference-cancelled CDMA networks such as CDMA based WPAN system. And its sharp correlation property can be used for positioning based various spread spectrum communication applications.

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