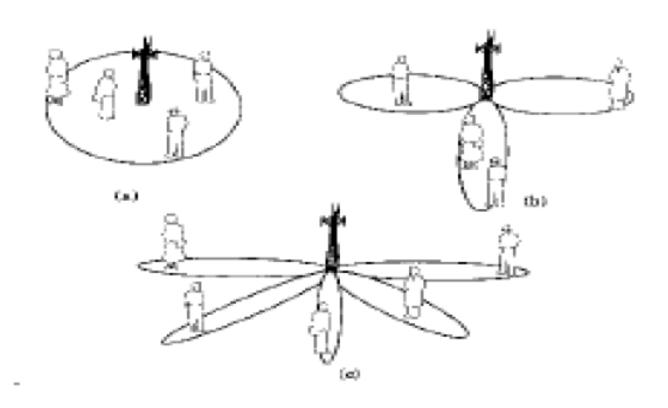
#### SDMA Space Division Multiple Access

- SDMA controls the radiated energy for each user in space.
  It serves different users by using spot beam antennas.
- These different areas covered by the antenna beam may be served by the same frequency (in TDMA or CDMA) or different frequencies (in FDMA system).
- Sectorized antennas (b) may be thought of as a primitive application of SDMA.
- An ideal adaptive antenna (c) is able to form a beam for each user in the cell of interest, and the base station tracks each user in the cell as it moves.

## **SDMA** Space Division Multiple Access



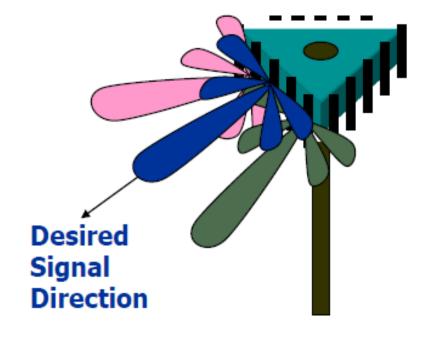
### **SDMA**

#### Features

- A large number of independently steered high-gain beams can be formed without any resulting degradation in SNR ratio.
- Beams can be assigned to individual users, thereby assuring that all links operate with maximum gain.
- Adaptive beamforming can be easily implemented to improve the system capacity by suppressing cochannel interference.

### SDMA Space Division Multiple Access

- Use highly directional Antenna
  - The receiver selects the beam that provides the greatest signal enhancement and interference reduction
  - Smart antenna systems can adjust their antenna pattern to enhance the desired signal, null or reduce interference.



#### SDMA Pros and Cons

#### Advantages

 BW increases with km<sup>2</sup>

Simple system

#### Disadvantages

- Restricted Geometry
  - terminals in same direction cannot share
- May have unused BW
  - if no terminals in given zone, bw not used

### Spread spectrum systems

The desired signal is transmitted over a bandwidth which is much larger than the Nyquist bandwidth. It is first developed for military applications for

- 1. Security
- Undetectability: minimum probability of being detected
- Robust against intentional jammers

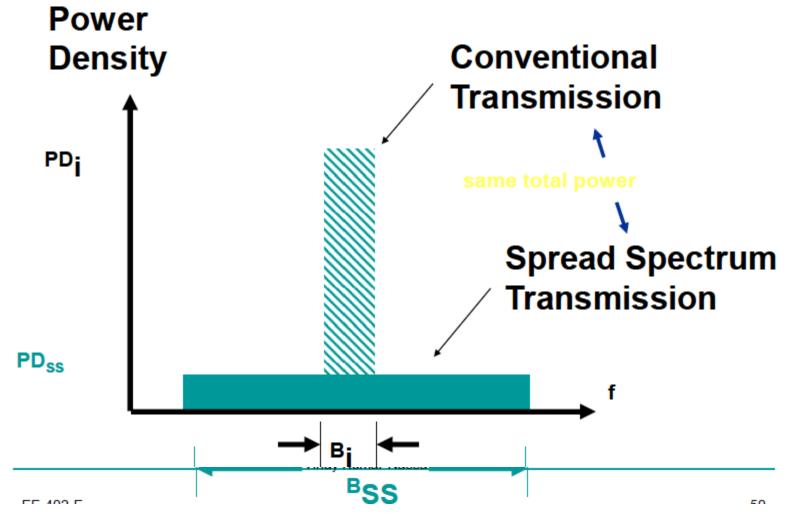
#### **Applications**

- Security
- Robust against unintentional interference
- It is not bandwidth efficient when used by a single user but has the capability to overcome narrowband jamming signals (cannot overcome AWGN or wideband jamming signal) and multipath.
- Providing multiple access
- If many users can share the same spread spectrum bandwidth without interfering with one another, bandwidth efficient improved but will affect the capability to overcome jamming.

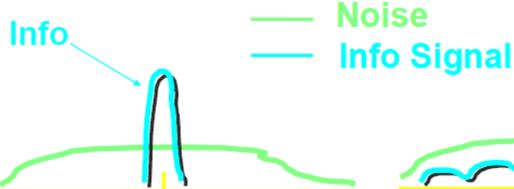
- A transmission technique in which a PN(Pseudo Noise) code, independent of information data, is employed as a modulation waveform to "spread" the signal energy over a bandwidth much greater than the signal information bandwidth.
- At the receiver the signal is "despread" (Correlate) using a synchronized replica of the PN code.
- Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum (DSSS)

Frequency Hopping Spread Spectrum (FHSS)

## Spread Spectrum - illustrated



## Spreading Process



Baseband Signal

Transmitted (Coded) Signal

Before spreading

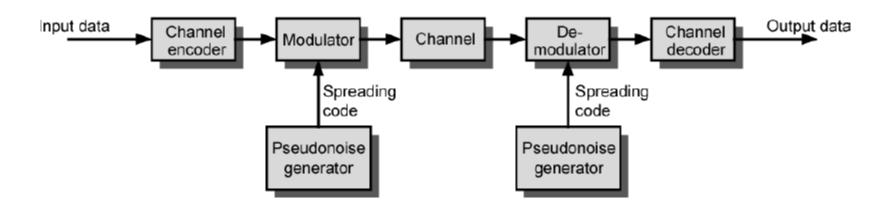
After spreading

How can you recover signal < noise

### Spread Spectrum Concept

- Input fed into channel encoder
  - Produces narrow bandwidth analog signal around central frequency
- Signal modulated using sequence of digits
  - Spreading code/sequence
  - Typically generated by pseudonoise/pseudorandom number generator
- Increases bandwidth significantly
  - Spreads spectrum
- Receiver uses same sequence to demodulate signal
- Demodulated signal fed into channel decoder

# General Model of Spread Spectrum System



#### Gains

- Immunity from various noise and multipath distortion
  - Including jamming
- Can hide/encrypt signals
  - Only receiver who knows spreading code can retrieve signal
- Several users can share same higher bandwidth with little interference
  - Cellular telephones
  - Code division multiplexing (CDM)
  - Code division multiple access (CDMA)

#### Pseudorandom Numbers

- Generated by algorithm using initial seed
- Deterministic algorithm
  - Not actually random
  - If algorithm good, results pass reasonable tests of randomness
- Need to know algorithm and seed to predict sequence

## PN Sequence Generator

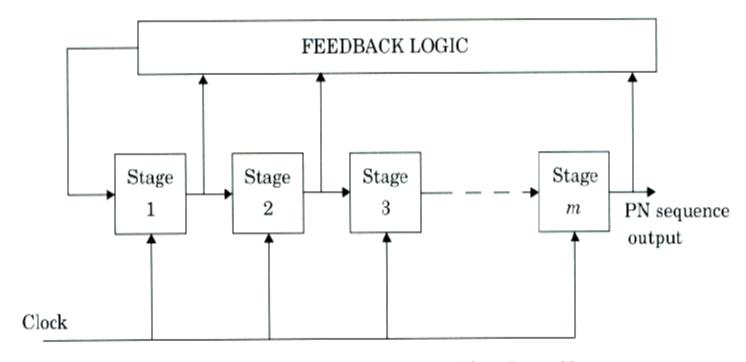


Figure 6.48 Block diagram of a generalized feedback shift register with m stages.

#### Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum (DSSS)

- A carrier is modulated by a digital code in which the code bit rate is much larger than the information signal bit rate. These systems are also called pseudo-noise systems.
- Also called code division multiple access (CDMA)
- A short code system uses a PN code length equal to a data symbol.
- A long system uses a PN code length that is much longer than a data symbol.

## Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum (DSSS)

- Each bit represented by multiple bits using spreading code
- Spreading code spreads signal across wider frequency band
  - In proportion to number of bits used
  - 10 bit spreading code spreads signal across 10 times bandwidth of 1 bit code
- One method:
  - Combine input with spreading code using XOR
  - Input bit 1 inverts spreading code bit
  - Input zero bit doesn't alter spreading code bit
  - Data rate equal to original spreading code
- Performance similar to FHSS

## Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum Example

