

EE359 – Lecture 18 Outline

● Announcements

- HW due Fri; last HW posted, due Sunday 12/10 at 4 pm (no late HWs)
- Lecture next Thu 12/7 10-11:50 (course review+advanced topics)
- Final info (coverage, format, extra OHs, etc) given in 12/5 lecture
- Final exam 12/13, 12:15pm-3:15pm in Thornton 102
- Final projects must be posted 12/9 at midnight.

● Spread Spectrum

- Direct sequence (DSSS)
- ISI and Interference Rejection of DSSS
- RAKE Receiver

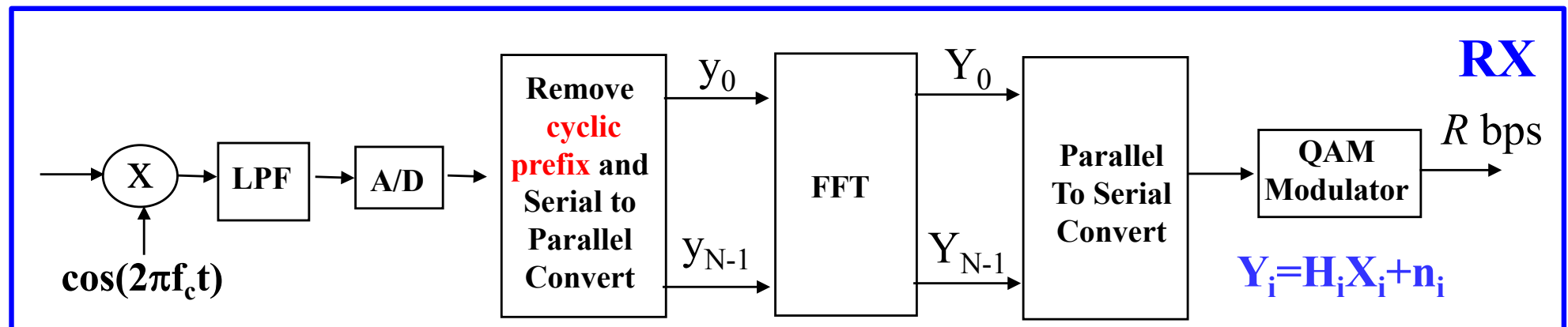
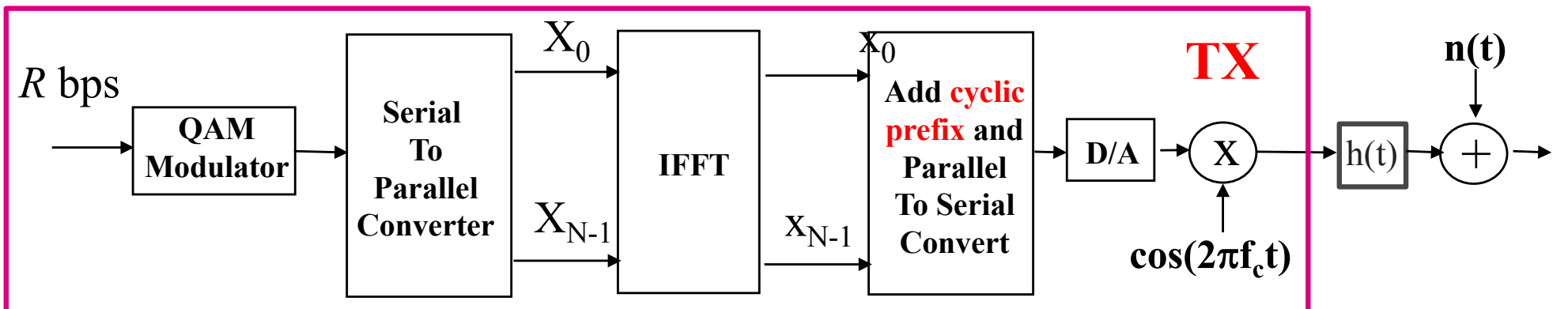
● Multiuser Systems

- Multiple access techniques
- Random access techniques

Review of Last Lecture

MCM, Overlapping Subcarriers and FFT Implementation (OFDM)

- MCM splits high rate data stream into lower rate flat-fading substreams
- Overlapping subcarriers reduces BW by factor of 2
- Modulate symbols with IFFT at TX, Reverse structure (with FFT) in RX
- Cyclic prefix makes linear convolution of channel circular, so no interference between FFT blocks in RX processing



Review Continued

OFDM Design Issues

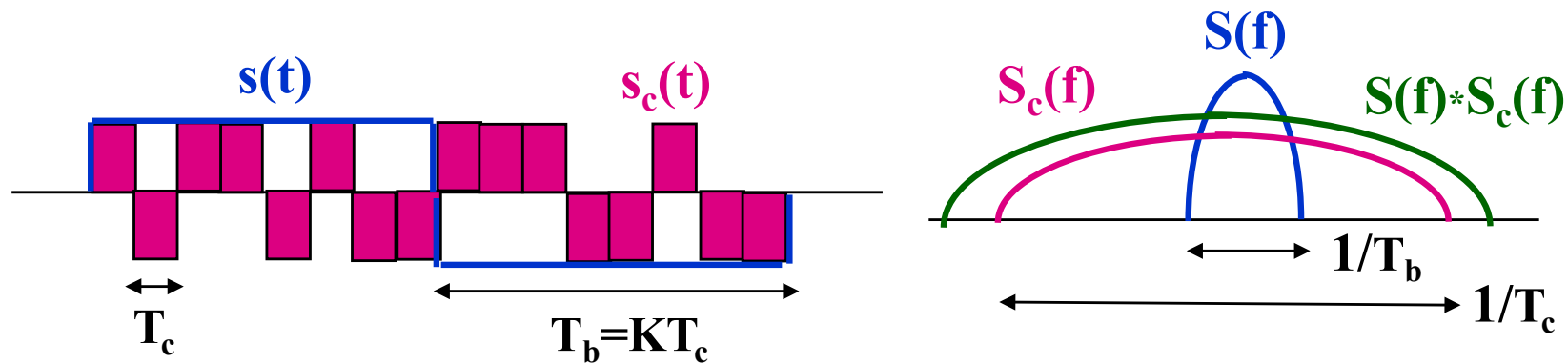
- **Timing/frequency offset:**
 - Impacts subcarrier orthogonality; self-interference
- **Peak-to-Average Power Ratio (PAPR)**
 - Adding subcarrier signals creates large signal peaks
 - Solve with clipping or PAPR-optimized coding
- **Mitigation for fading across subcarriers**
 - **Precoding (fading inversion):** Used in DSL as there is minimal deep fades, not used in wireless systems
 - **Adaptive modulation:** data rate (and power) adapted to subcarrier SNR. Used in LTE and 802.11a-g-n-ac
 - **Coding across subcarriers:** bits are encoded into a block code of length N for N subcarriers. Each coded symbol is sent on a different subcarrier.

Intro. to Spread Spectrum

- Modulation that increases signal bandwidth
 - Spreads modulated signal over wider BW $B \sim 1/T_s$ than needed for transmission ($R = \log_2(M)/T_s$)
 - Mitigates or coherently combines ISI
 - Mitigates narrowband interference/jamming
 - Hides signal below noise (DSSS) or makes it hard to track (FH)
 - Also used as a multiple access technique
- Two types
 - Frequency Hopping:
 - Narrowband signal hopped over wide bandwidth
 - **Direction Sequence:**
 - Modulated signal multiplied by faster chip sequence

Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum

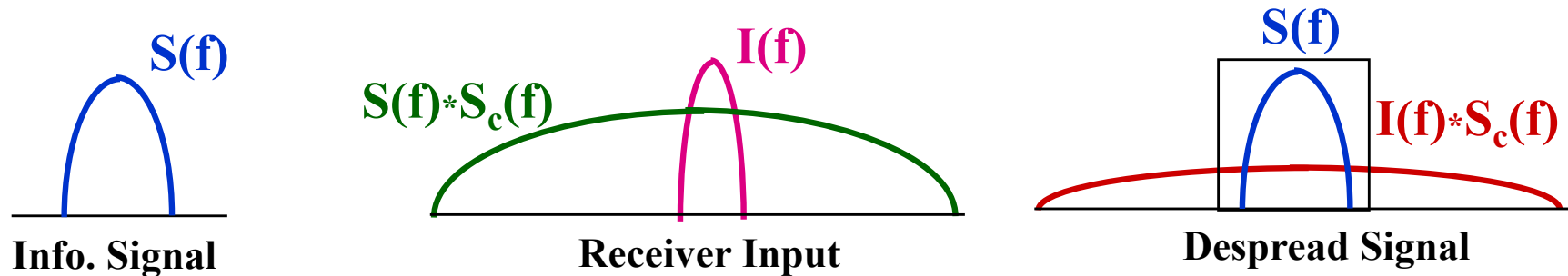
- Bit sequence modulated by **chip** sequence



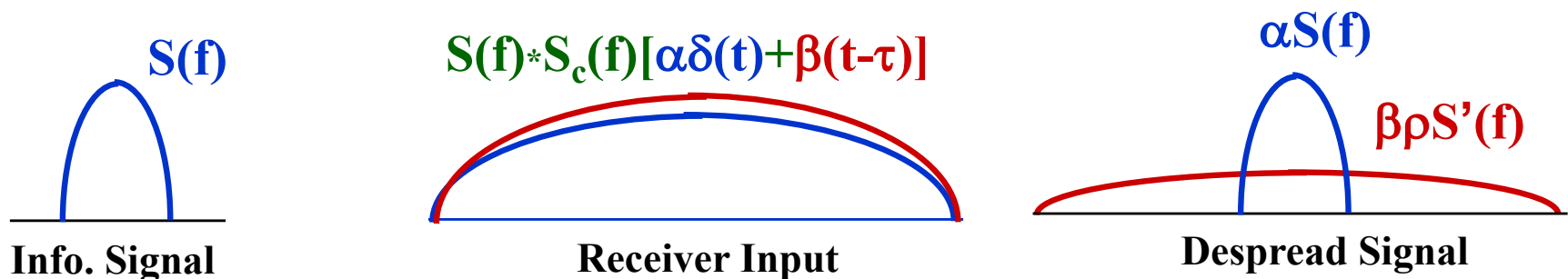
- Spreads bandwidth by large factor (G)
- Despread by multiplying by $s_c(t)$ again ($s_c^2(t)=1$)
- Mitigates ISI and narrowband interference

ISI and Interference Rejection

- **Narrowband Interference Rejection ($1/K$)**



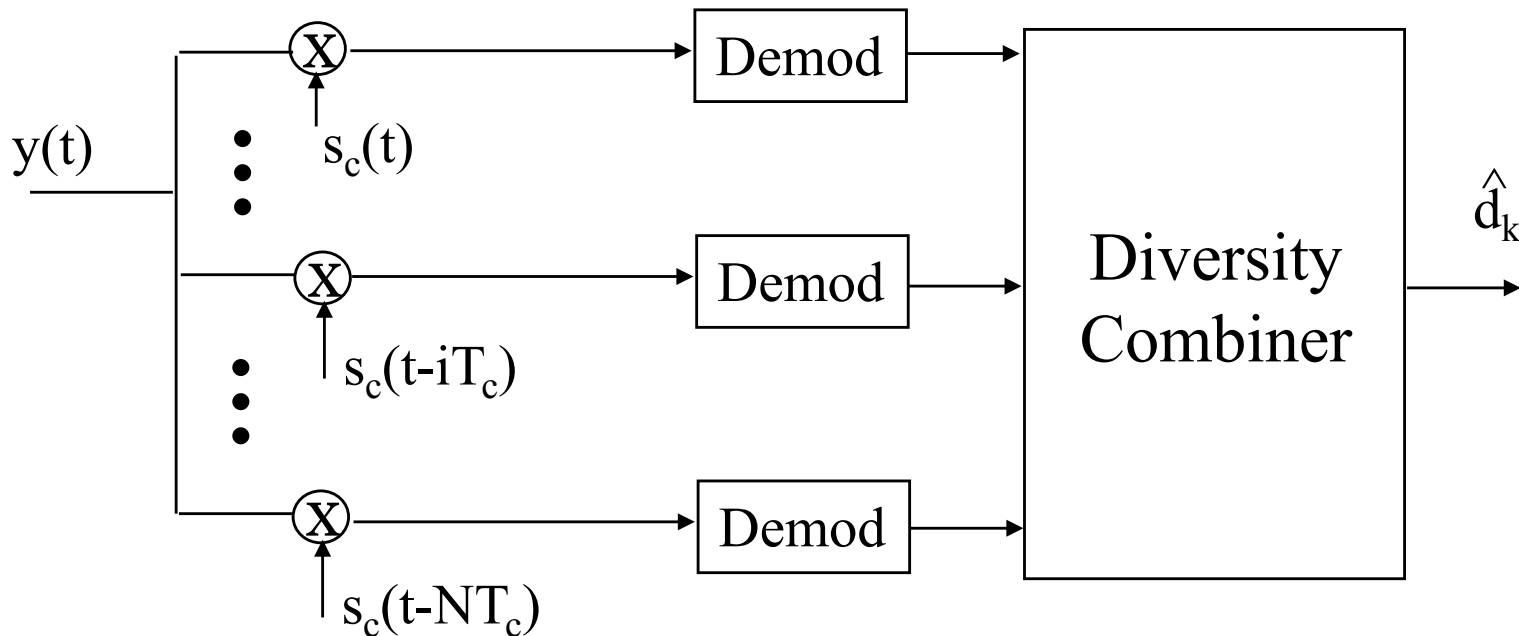
- **Multipath Rejection (Autocorrelation $\rho(\tau)$)**



Can coherently combine all multipath components via a RAKE receiver

RAKE Receiver

- Multibranch receiver
 - Branches synchronized to different MP components



- These components can be coherently combined
 - Use SC, MRC, or EGC

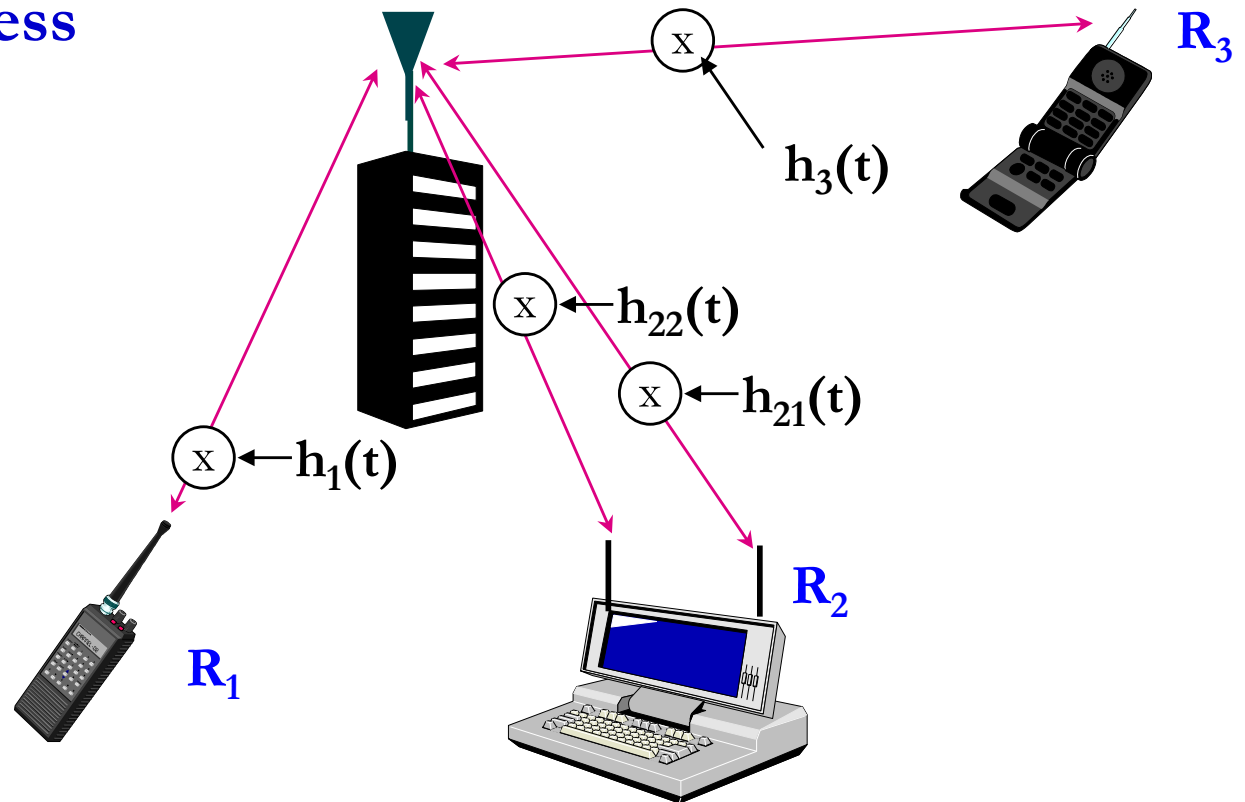
Multiuser Channels: Uplink and Downlink

Uplink (Multiple Access Channel or MAC):

Many Transmitters to One Receiver.

Downlink (Broadcast Channel or BC):

One Transmitter to Many Receivers.



Uplink and Downlink typically duplexed in time or frequency

Full-duplex radios are being considered for 5G systems

Bandwidth Sharing in Multiple Access

Channels assigned by central controller

- **Frequency Division**

- **OFDMA**

- **Time Division**

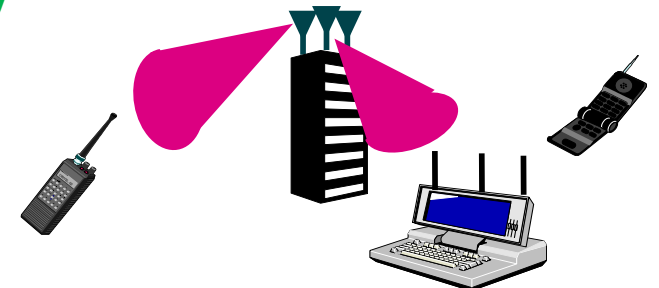
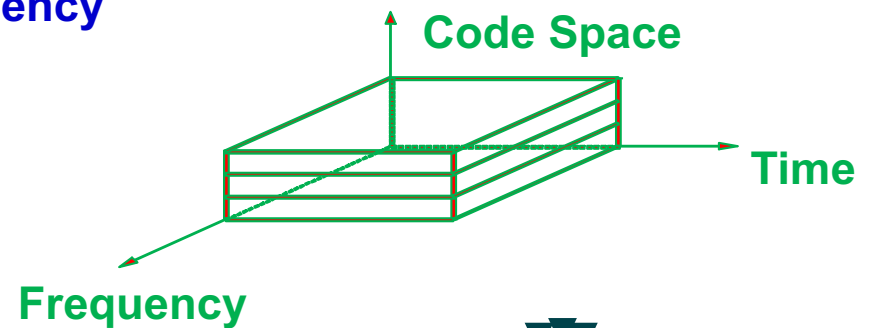
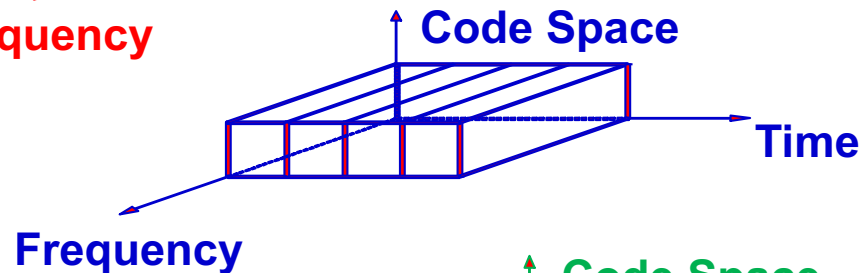
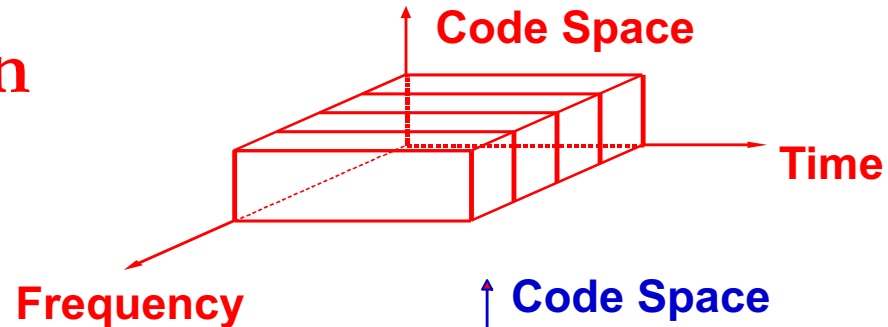
- **Code Division**

- **Code cross-correlation dictates interference**

- **Multuser Detection**

- **Space Division (SDMA)**

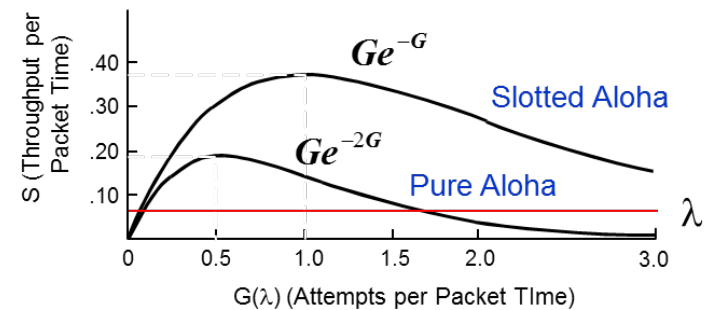
- **Hybrid Schemes**



Random vs. Multiple Access

- In multiple access, channels are assigned by a centralized controller
 - Requires a central controller and control channel
 - Inefficient for short and/or infrequent data transmissions
- In random access, users access channel randomly when they have data to send
 - A simple random access scheme will be explored in homework

- ALOHA Schemes (not on exams/HW)
 - Data is packetized.
 - Packets occupy a given time interval



- Pure ALOHA
 - send packet whenever data is available
 - a collision occurs for any partial overlap of packets (nonorthogonal slots)
 - Packets received in error are retransmitted after random delay interval (avoids subsequent collisions).
- Slotted ALOHA
 - same as ALOHA but with packet slotting
 - packets sent during predefined timeslots
 - A collision occurs when packets overlap, but there is no partial overlap of packets
 - Packets received in error are retransmitted after random delay interval.

Main Points

- Spread spectrum increases signal bandwidth above that required for information transmission
- Benefits of spread spectrum:
 - ISI/narrowband interference rejection by spreading gain
 - Also used as a multiuser/multiple access technique
- Multiple access: users can share the same spectrum via time/frequency/code/space division
- Random access more efficient than multiple access for short/infrequent data transmission