A Modified Extended Min-Sum Algorithm based on Posterior Probability Thresholding for Non-binary LDPC Codes

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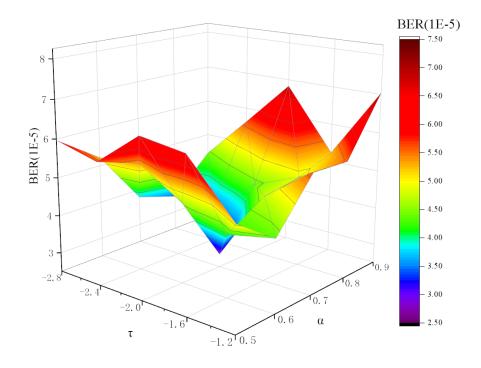
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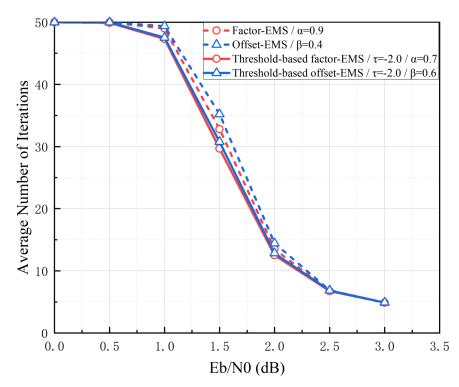
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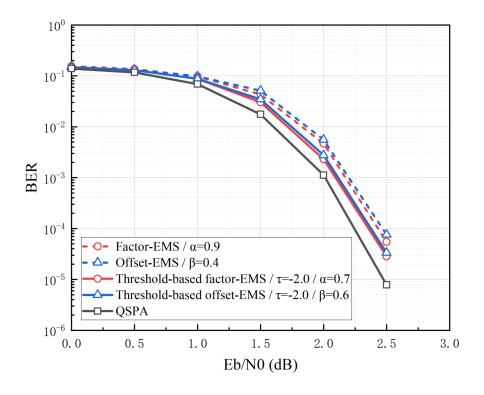
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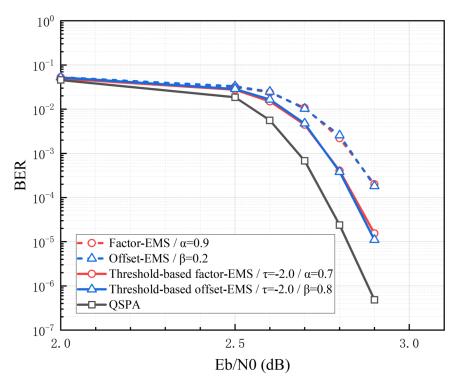
This letter focuses on the improvement in the error correction performance of the extended min-sum (EMS) decoding algorithm. Introducing factor/offset modifications in the check node update process of the EMS algorithm can improve the performance. Based on this, we propose a novel threshold-based modified EMS algorithm that introduces the factor/offset in a targeted manner by setting a threshold for the posterior probability. Simulation results show that an additional performance gain of the order of 0.08 dB is obtained with the proposed method without significantly increasing the method's complexity.

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Table 1. Comparison of operation times in one iteration.docx available at https://authorea.