

# Advanced Topics in Wireless Networks



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# Lecture 5

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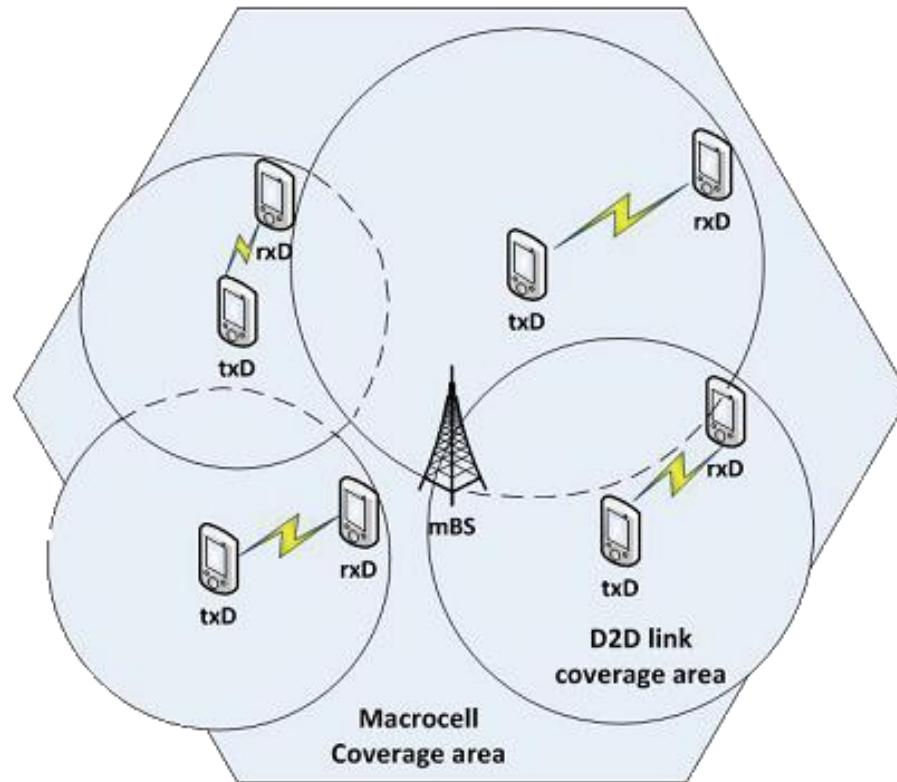
## D2D Communications

# Lecture 5 Outline

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- Introduction to D2D
- D2D Communication Challenges (Problems)
- A General System Model
- Toward a Taxonomy of D2D Problems

# Introduction to D2D



# Introduction to D2D

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- One of the Third Generation Partnership Project Long Term Evolution commitments is to provide high data rate services for next-generation cellular.
- Local Area Connections, which benefits from short distance communications, was chosen as a way of gaining high data rate
- Device-to-Device (D2D) concept was born.

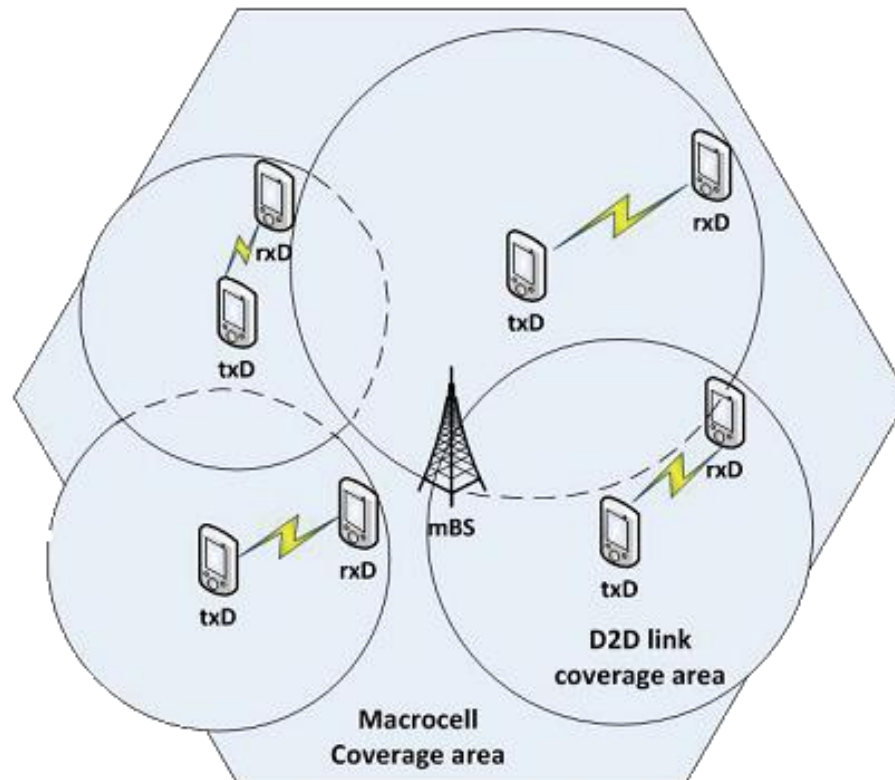
# Introduction to D2D

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- Throughput enhancement
- Better spatial spectrum reuse
- Energy saving due to possibly lower transmission power
- Extending cellular coverage

# Introduction to D2D

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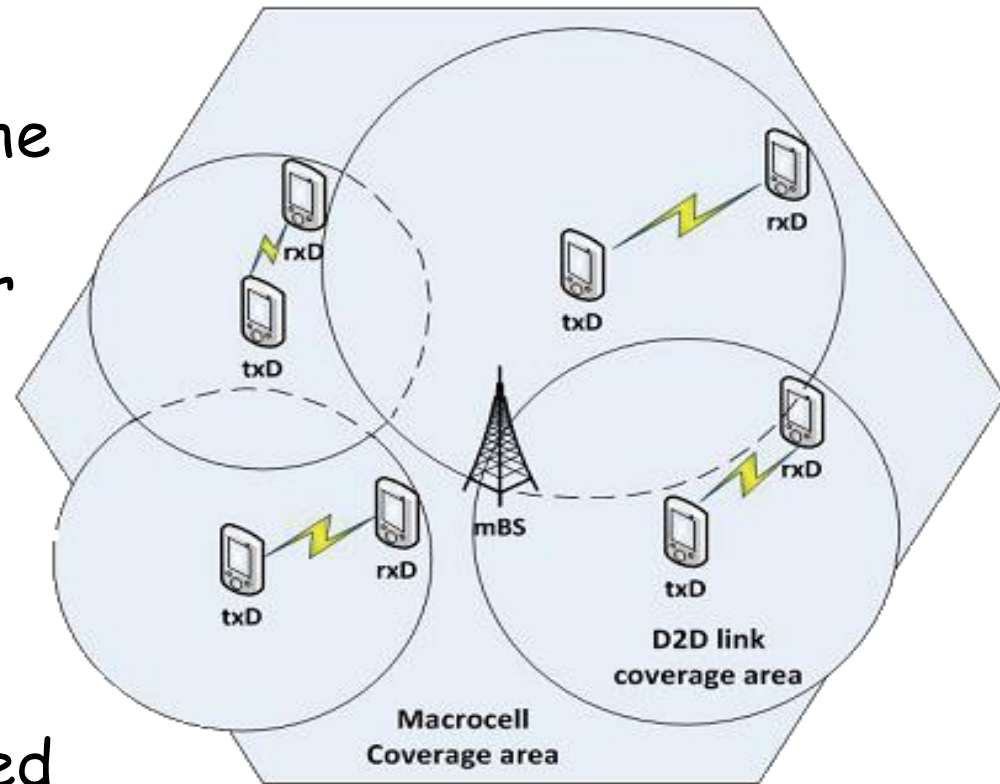
# Introduction to D2D

## □ D2D Communication Classification:

- **Inband D2D:** Using the cellular spectrum for both D2D and cellular links

- Overlay
- Underlay

- **Outband D2D:** D2D links exploit unlicensed spectrum

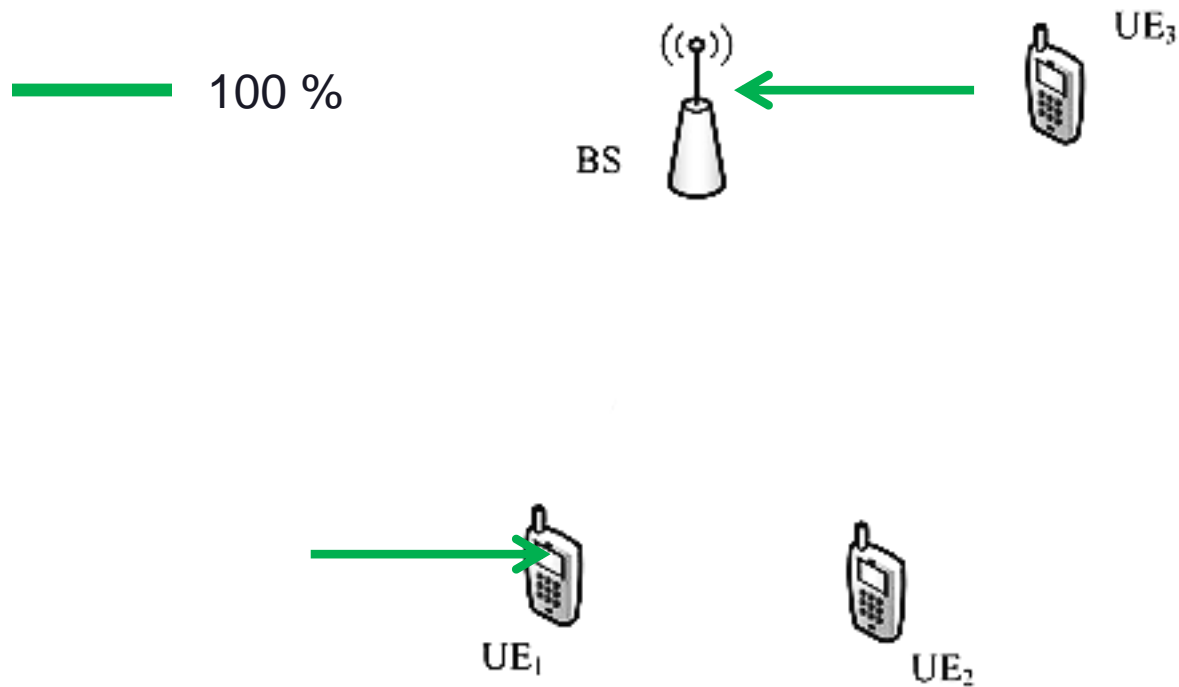




# Introduction to D2D

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## □ Underlay Inband D2D



# Introduction to D2D

## □ Overlay Inband D2D (or Outband D2D)

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# D2D Communication Challenges (Problems)

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- Node/peer Discovery
- Scheduling: Carrier (resource blocks) Allocation
- Power Control
- Mode Selection

# D2D Communication Challenges (Problems)

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- **Node/peer Discovery:**
  - The first phase of a D2D communication in which UEs and/or BSs discover the device pairs that would potentially benefit from D2D communication
  - Distributed and centralized algorithms are proposed in [1] and [2]

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# D2D Communication Challenges (Problems)

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## □ Scheduling

- Allocating the available carriers (block resources) to D2D pairs and cellular users

## □ Mode Selection

- Choosing to connect to BS or to its D2D pair

## □ Power Control

- Interference management between D2D and cellular users (in either UL or DL)

# System Model

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- System is considered to be a single-cell LTE-A cellular system
- In a single-cell a fixed-number of RBs are available for allocating to users
- Three phases are considered to be happened
  - Peer Discovery
  - Scheduling
  - Power control
  - Mode selection

# System Model

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- In an **LTE** network there are the following constraints [11] :
  1. **A RB** is assigned to at most **one cellular user**
  2. **Aggregate power** for each user on all of its RBs must be **less than the maximum level**
  3. Power allocated on **each RB** should be **less than a peak-level**
  4. Farther Limitations (which could be removed!)
    - RB allocated to a users must be **adjacent** (In **LTE-A**, this **limitation** has been **removed**)
    - Transmit Power levels for a given user on all of its allocated and used RBs are **the same**

# System Model

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- For underlaying D2D (underlay inband) in an LTE-A, additional assumption/limitations appear as follows :
  6. A given RB is assigned to only one cellular user (and no more), although it may be assigned to many D2D users regardless of being assigned to a cellular user or not
  7. When a RB is assigned to a cellular user, no D2D user may choose the 'indirect' mode on that RB
  8. When a RB is occupied by no cellular user, at most one D2D user may choose the 'indirect' mode on that RB.



# System Model

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## □ Notations :

$\mathcal{C}$ : set of indices of 'Cellular' users

$\mathcal{D}$ : set of indices of 'D2D' users

$\mathcal{D}(j)$ : pair of D2D device  $j$  whom  $j$  is potentially found to be able to send to (in discovery phase)

$l_i$ : Number of RBs assigned to user  $i$

$N$ : number of all users

$i$ : index of users ( $1 \leq i \leq N$ )

$L$ : number of RBs

# System Model

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## □ Notations :

$k$  : **index** of RBs ( $1 \leq k \leq L$ )

$$S_{ik} = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if RB } k \text{ is } \textit{not assigned} \text{ to user } i \\ 1, & \text{if RB } k \text{ is } \textit{assigned} \text{ to user } i \end{cases}$$

$p_{ik}$  : **power** of device  $i$  on Resource Block  $k$

$p_{max}$  : **maximum aggregate power** of each device on all of its RBs

$p_{peak}$  : maximum power of each device **on each of its RBs**

$\gamma_{ik}$  : SINR of user  $i$  on RB  $k$

$r_{ik}$  : throughput of user  $i$  on RB  $k$

# System Model

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## □ Notations :

$\hat{r}_i$  : target aggregate throughput of device  $i$

mode of D2D device  $i$ :

$$= \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if link on RB } k \text{ is indirect (to BS)} \\ 1, & \text{if link on RB } k \text{ is direct (to D2D)} \end{cases}$$

$m_{ik}$

$H_{iB}$  : path gain between user  $i$  and Base Station

$H_{iD(j)}$  : path gain between user  $i$  and receiver pair of D2D user  $j$

$W$  = bandwidth of each RB in Hz

$N_o$  = background noise

# System Model

## □ SINR:

$$\gamma_{ik} = \begin{cases} \left( \frac{p_{ik} H_{iD(i)} m_{ik}}{\sum_{j \in C} p_{jk} H_{jD(i)} S_{jk} + \sum_{j \in D} p_{jk} (1 - m_{jk}) H_{jD(i)} S_{jk} + \sum_{j \in D} p_{jk} m_{jk} H_{jD(i)} S_{jk} + N_0} \right. \\ \quad \left. + \frac{p_{ik} H_{iB} (1 - m_{ik})}{\sum_{j \in D} p_{jk} m_{jk} H_{jB} S_{jk} + N_0} \right) S_{ik}, \quad i \in D \\ \left( \frac{p_{ik} H_{iB}}{\sum_{j \in D} p_{jk} m_{jk} H_{jB} S_{jk} + N_0} \right) S_{ik}, \quad i \in C \end{cases}$$

## □ Achievable data rate of user $i$ on RB $k$ :

$$r_{ik} = W \log_2(1 + \gamma_{ik})$$

# Toward a Taxonomy of D2D Problems

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## □ Variables

- Resource blocks assignment (Scheduling):  $S_{ik}$
- Transmit Power levels of devices (power control):  $p_{ik}$
- Mode of communication (mode selection):  $m_{ik}$

## □ Objectives

- Maximizing aggregate throughput
- Minimizing aggregate power
- Fairness
- Minimizing outage ratio

# Toward a Taxonomy of D2D Problems

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## □ Constraints

- Maximum allocable resources to D2D users
- Maximum transmit power by UE devices,
- Guaranteeing a minimum SINR for D2D and/or cellular users

# Toward a Taxonomy of D2D Problems

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## □ Constraints :

- C1. Power of each user on all of its RBs is the same
- C2. Aggregate power of a user on all of its RBs is below a maximum power level (which a UE device can send). Also power allocated on each RB should be less than a peak-level.
- C3. A minimum throughput for D2D users and cellular users
- C4. In a RB where there is a cellular user occupying it, no D2D user may send in 'indirect' modes. Also in RB where there is no cellular user occupying it, at most one D2D user may send data in 'indirect' modes.

# Toward a Taxonomy of D2D Problems

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## Problem 1:

$$\min_{p_{ik}, m_{ik}} \sum_{k=1}^L \sum_{i=1}^N p_{ik}$$

Such that:

$$p_{ik} = p_i, \forall i, k \quad (C1)$$

$$p_{ik} \leq \min(p_{max}/l_i, p_{peak}), \forall i, k \quad (C2)$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^L r_{ik} \geq \hat{r}_i, \forall i \quad (C3)$$

$$\sum_{i \in C} s_{ik} + \sum_{j \in D} (1 - m_{ik}) \leq 1, \forall k \quad (C4)$$

Variables:  $s_{ik}, p_{ik}, m_{ik}$



# Toward a Taxonomy of D2D Problems

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## Problem 2:

$$\max_{\{s_{ik}\}, \{p_{ik}\}, \{m_{ik}\}} \sum_{k=1}^L \sum_{i=1}^N r_{ik}$$

Such that:

$$p_{ik} = p_i, \forall i, k \quad (C1)$$

$$p_{ik} \leq \min(p_{max}/l_i, p_{peak}), \forall i, k \quad (C2)$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^L r_{ik} \geq \hat{r}_i, \forall i \quad (C3)$$

$$\sum_{i \in C} s_{ik} + \sum_{j \in D} (1 - m_{ik}) \leq 1, \forall k \quad (C4)$$

Variables:  $s_{ik}, p_{ik}, m_{ik}$

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