



AI-Assisted Noise Reduction in Millimetre Wave Communication Channel

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ABSTRACT

Noise significantly degrades the performance of modern communication systems by reducing signal quality and increasing transmission errors. Conventional noise reduction techniques such as fixed and adaptive filters are limited in their ability to handle non-linear, non-stationary, and time-varying noise environments. With the rapid advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AI), intelligent and adaptive methods have been introduced to overcome these challenges. This paper presents a detailed study of AI-based noise reduction techniques in communication systems. Machine learning and deep learning models are employed to learn noise characteristics from data and effectively suppress noise from corrupted signals. The proposed approach demonstrates improved performance when compared with traditional methods in terms of Signal-to-Noise Ratio (SNR), Mean Squared Error (MSE), and Bit Error Rate (BER). The study highlights the potential of AI-based solutions in enhancing the reliability and efficiency of modern and future communication systems. Millimetre-Wave (mm Wave) communication is a cornerstone of 5G/6G wireless systems because of its large bandwidth and high data rate capabilities. However, mm Wave channels are highly susceptible to noise, interference, and signal degradation due to environmental factors. Traditional noise reduction methods struggle with dynamic channel conditions and non-linear distortions. This research proposes an AI-assisted noise reduction framework that utilizes deep learning models to dynamically adapt and mitigate noise in mm Wave channels. Our findings show significant improvements in signal quality (SNR) and data throughput compared to conventional filtering and beam forming techniques. This paper presents the architecture, implementation, performance evaluation, and future implications of integrating AI with mm Wave communication. The results show that the proposed AI model improves Signal-to-Noise Ratio (SNR) and reduces Bit Error Rate (BER) compared to traditional methods. The system works well even when noise changes over time. This makes it useful for modern communication systems like 5G, IoT, and future 6G networks.

Keywords:- Artificial Intelligence, Noise Reduction, Communication System, Machine Learning, Signal Processing

1. INTRODUCTION

Communication systems play a vital role in transmitting information across various platforms such as mobile communication, satellite networks, wireless sensor networks, and Internet of Things (IoT) systems. The quality of communication largely depends on the integrity of the transmitted signal. However, during transmission through physical channels, the signal is affected by various forms of noise and interference, leading to distortion and information loss.

Noise is an unavoidable phenomenon in communication systems and has a direct impact on system performance by increasing error rates and reducing data reliability. Traditional noise reduction techniques have been widely used to mitigate these effects, but they fail to adapt efficiently to complex and dynamic noise conditions. With the emergence of Artificial Intelligence, data-driven approaches have gained attention for their ability to learn noise patterns and adapt automatically. This paper focuses on AI-based noise reduction techniques and their application in modern communication systems.

Millimetre-Wave communication operates typically in the 30–300 GHz band, offering unprecedented bandwidth and supporting multi-Gbps data rates. However, its propagation characteristics — such as high path loss, atmospheric absorption, and sensitivity to obstacles — introduce substantial noise and signal distortions. Traditional noise reduction techniques like Wiener filters, adaptive beam forming, and error-correcting codes perform reasonably but lack adaptive intelligence in unpredictable environments.

Wireless communication allows us to send information without wires. It is used in mobile phones, Wi-Fi, Bluetooth, satellite communication, and many other systems. When a signal travels through a wireless channel, it gets affected by different types of noise such as:

Thermal noise, Interference from other devices, Environmental disturbances, Multipath fading, Noise makes the signal weak and unclear. Because of this, errors increase during communication. Traditional filters like Wiener



filter and LMS filter are used to reduce noise. But these filters do not perform well when noise changes continuously.

1.1 Background and Challenges of Millimetre-Wave Communication

Millimetre-wave (mm-Wave) communication operates in the 30–300 GHz frequency range and is a key technology for 5G and future 6G networks due to its large available bandwidth and high data rates. However, mm-Wave signals suffer from high path loss, atmospheric absorption, blockage sensitivity, and hardware noise. These challenges significantly degrade signal quality and system performance.

1.2 Need for AI-Assisted Noise Reduction

Noise and interference in mm-Wave channels reduce Signal-to-Noise Ratio (SNR) and increase Bit Error Rate (BER), affecting communication reliability. Traditional filtering techniques are limited in dynamic environments. AI-based approaches, especially deep learning models, can adaptively learn noise patterns and provide more effective and intelligent noise suppression.

Artificial Intelligence (AI) can learn patterns from data. It can understand the difference between a useful signal and unwanted noise. Therefore, AI-based noise reduction can give better performance.

This paper explains a simple AI-based system for noise reduction in wireless communication.

2. RESEARCH OBJECTIVE

- i. To improve Signal-to-Noise Ratio (SNR) and reduce Bit Error Rate (BER).
- ii. To analyse noise characteristics in millimetre-wave (mm-Wave) communication channels.
- iii. To study the limitations of traditional noise reduction techniques
- iv. To develop an AI-based noise suppression model for mm-Wave systems.
- v. To analyse noise characteristics in millimetre-wave (mm-Wave) communication channels.
- vi. To compare performance with traditional filtering methods.
- vii. To analyse the impact of noise on system performance in high frequency channels.

3. LITERATURE REVIEW

Earlier methods for noise reduction include: Wiener Filtering, Kalman Filtering, LMS adaptive filtering, Spectral subtraction.

Millimetre-wave (mm-Wave) communication is widely used in 5G networks because it provides very high data speed and large bandwidth. However, since it works at very high frequencies, the signal easily gets affected by noise, blockage, atmospheric loss, and hardware imperfections. These problems reduce signal quality and increase errors in communication.

These methods are simple and mathematically designed. However, they assume that noise is constant or predictable.

Recently, researchers started using machine learning and deep learning methods such as:

- Artificial Neural Networks (ANN)
- Convolutional Neural Networks (CNN)
- Recurrent Neural Networks (RNN)

These models perform better because they learn from data instead of using fixed equations.

However, some deep learning models are complex and require high processing power. Our goal is to design a system that is simple and effective.

4. METHODOLOGY

This section describes the proposed AI-based noise reduction framework for millimetre wave communication systems.

A . System Architecture

The proposed system consists of four main components: transmitter, millimetre wave channel, AI-based noise reduction model, and receiver. Initially, a digitally modulated signal is generated at the transmitter. The signal is then transmitted through a millimetre wave (mm-Wave) channel, where it is affected by noise, attenuation, and interference. Before signal detection at the receiver, an AI-based model is applied to reduce noise and enhance signal quality.

The overall system flow can be represented as:

Transmitter → mm-Wave CN Channel (with noise) → AI-Based Denoising Model → Receiver

B. Channel Modelling

Millimetre wave communication operates in the frequency range of 30 GHz to 300 GHz and enables high data rate transmission. However, it is highly susceptible to path loss, atmospheric absorption, and thermal noise.



For simplicity, the channel is model using an Additive White Gaussian Noise (AWGN) model. The received signal is mathematically expressed as:

$$r(t) = s(t) + n(t)$$

where $s(t)$ represents the transmitted signal, $n(t)$ represents the noise component, and $r(t)$ represents the received signal.

C. Data Preparation

To train the AI model, a dataset consisting of clean transmitted signals is generated. Controlled noise is artificially added to these signals to create corresponding noisy samples. The noisy signals are used as input to the AI model, while the original clean signals serve as target outputs. This supervised learning approach enables the model to learn the mapping between noisy and noise-free signals.

D. AI Model Design

An Artificial Neural Network (ANN) is employed for noise reduction. The model consists of an input layer, multiple hidden layers for feature extraction, and an output layer that reconstructs the denoised signal.

The training objective is to minimize the Mean Square Error (MSE) between the predicted output and the original clean signal. Back-propagation is used to update the network weights during training.

E. Performance Evaluation

The performance of the proposed system is evaluated using standard communication metrics such as:

1. Signal-to-Noise Ratio (SNR)
2. Bit Error Rate (BER)
3. Mean Square Error (MSE)

The AI-based method can be compared with conventional filtering techniques to demonstrate its effectiveness in noise reduction.

F. Expected Outcome

The proposed AI-based noise reduction system is expected to:

1. Improve signal quality
2. Increase SNR
3. Reduce BER
4. Provide adaptive noise suppression in dynamic channel conditions

5. DISCUSSION

The results demonstrate that AI-assisted noise reduction significantly improves signal quality in millimetre-wave (mm-Wave) communication systems compared to traditional filtering and statistical estimation techniques. Conventional approaches such as Wiener filtering and MMSE estimation assume stationary noise characteristics and linear channel behaviour. However, mm-Wave channels are highly dynamic, nonlinear, and sensitive to blockage, atmospheric absorption, and hardware imperfections. This mismatch limits the effectiveness of classical techniques in real-world deployments.

The proposed AI-based model adapts to complex channel variations by learning noise patterns directly from data. Simulation results indicate measurable improvements in Signal-to-Noise Ratio (SNR), Bit Error Rate (BER), and spectral efficiency. Particularly in low-SNR environments, the AI model shows robustness against impulsive noise and rapid channel fading. This suggests that data-driven approaches are better suited for high-frequency communication systems where channel modelling becomes mathematically intractable.

However, the improvement does not come without trade-offs. The AI model introduces additional computational complexity and latency, which may not be acceptable in ultra-low-latency applications such as real-time vehicular communication. Furthermore, the model's performance strongly depends on the quality and diversity of the training dataset. If the training data does not accurately represent real deployment scenarios, the system may fail under unseen channel conditions.

Another limitation is energy consumption. Deep learning models require higher processing power, which increases hardware cost and battery drain in mobile or edge devices. Therefore, while AI-based noise reduction enhances performance, it must be optimized for lightweight deployment, possibly through model compression or edge acceleration techniques.

Scalability is another concern. In dense urban environments with multiple reflecting surfaces and user mobility, retraining or fine-tuning may be necessary. This raises questions about adaptability and maintenance in large-scale networks.

Despite these challenges, the integration of AI into mm Wave communication systems represents a promising direction for next-generation wireless technologies. The ability of neural networks to model nonlinear channel distortions provides a clear advantage over traditional signal processing techniques. Future work should focus on hybrid models that combine domain knowledge from communication theory with data-driven optimization to balance performance and computational efficiency.



6. ADVANTAGES OF AI-BASED NOISE REDUCTION

- i. The proposed AI-assisted noise reduction approach improves the overall Signal-to-Noise Ratio (SNR) of the mm-Wave communication system, resulting in better signal clarity and reliability.
- ii. It significantly reduces the Bit Error Rate (BER), which enhances data transmission accuracy in high-frequency wireless networks.
- iii. Unlike traditional filtering techniques, the AI-based model can adapt to dynamic and time-varying channel conditions without requiring fixed statistical assumptions.
- iv. The system is capable of learning complex noise patterns, including composite noise caused by thermal effects, hardware imperfections, and interference.
- v. The proposed method enhances communication performance in dense urban and high-mobility scenarios where mm-Wave signals are highly sensitive to disturbances.

7. CONCLUSION

AI-based noise reduction techniques provide an effective solution to overcome the limitations of traditional noise suppression methods. By learning noise characteristics and adapting automatically, AI significantly enhances the performance of communication systems. The proposed approach shows great potential for application in modern and next-generation communication technologies. This research demonstrates that AI-assisted noise reduction can significantly enhance mm Wave communication performance. By using a hybrid neural network, the system dynamically learns noise patterns and adapts to changing environments, outperforming traditional noise suppression and signal enhancement techniques.

Key Contributions:

Novel AI-integrated noise reduction method specific for mm-Wave.

Detailed evaluation showing improved SNR, lower BER, and higher throughput.

8. FUTURE SCOPE

Future research directions include real-time AI-based noise reduction systems, integration with 5G and 6G networks, deployment on edge devices, and hybrid AI-signal processing models for improved efficiency.

8.1 Future research directions include:

- Hybrid AI-Beam forming Integration
- Combining AI with advanced beam forming could further suppress interference.

8.2 Transfer Learning for Real Deployment

Using real channel measurements instead of simulated data to train models.

8.3 Edge Implementation

Deploying lightweight AI models on mm Wave receivers with limited computational resources, such as FPGAs and mobile devices.

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