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Preface

Spectrum sensing is critically important for cognitive radio, an emerging solution to the spectrum congestion and low usage of licensed spectrum. Energy detection is a promising low-complexity and low-cost spectrum sensing technique. Its performance analysis has been revisited extensively in the recent literature. This book thus aims at a comprehensive summary of recent research on energy detection for spectrum sensing in cognitive radio networks. This book is for researchers and engineers in both industry and academia who would like to know more about applications of energy detection.

After introducing cognitive radio and spectrum sensing techniques in Chap. 1, we discuss the basics of conventional energy detection in detail in Chap. 2. To improve conventional energy detection, many alternative energy detection techniques have been developed, which are described in Chap. 3. The common performance measures of energy detector are described in Chap. 4. Finally, Chap. 5 deals with diversity and cooperative spectrum sensing techniques which can significantly improve energy detection performance.

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Acronyms

ADC Analog-to-digital converter

AUC Area under the receiver operating characteristic curve

AWGN Additive white Gaussian noise BCED Blindly combined energy detection

BER Bit error rate

BSC Binary symmetric channel
CAUC Complementary AUC
CCI Co-channel interference

CDF Cumulative distribution function

CLT Central limit theorem

CSCG Circularly symmetric complex Gaussian

CSI Channel-state information
DSA Dynamic spectrum access
EGC Equal gain combining
ENP Estimated noise power

FCC Federal Communications Commission FDMA Frequency division multiple access

GGN Generalized Gaussian noise GMN Gaussian mixture noise

ICA Independent component analysis

i.i.d. Independent and identically distributed

LLR Log-likelihood ratio LTE Long term evolution MG Mixture gamma

MGF Moment generating function
MIMO Multiple-input multiple-output
MRC Maximal ratio combining

OFDM Orthogonal frequency division multiplexing

PDF Probability density function

PSK Phase shift keying

ROC Receiver operating characteristic

x Acronyms

SC Selection combining
SLC Square-law combining
SLS Square-law selection
SNR Signal-to-noise ratio

SPRT Sequential probability ratio test

SUN Smart utility networks

TDMA Time division multiple access

TV Television

WiMAX Worldwide interoperability for microwave access

WLAN Wireless local area network WRAN Wireless regional area network