

# Principles of High-Order Modulation in Optical Fiber Communication



## Overview

Abstract This chapter gives a detailed overview of how optical high-order modulation signals are generated. It describes transmitters for the generation of optical ASK-signals, DPSK-signals and QAM-signals and considers star-shaped and square-shaped QAM constellations (Star QAM and Square QAM). Handbook of High-Order Optical Modulations: Signal and Spectra for Coherent Multi-Terabit Optical Fiber Transmission highlights many fundamental aspects of optical fiber transmission engineering while also focusing on current state of the art applications and working examples of digital coherent. Abstract The chapter gives a general introduction to higher-order modulation (HOM) formats and reviews the current status of concepts of coherent transceivers applied in optical fiber communications. Fibers consist of three primary components: the core, cladding, and coating. ptic fibres provide a far higher bandwidth. In this chapter, we analyze amplitude modulation (AM) and phase modulation (PM) as the fundamental modulation formats to be used in optical as well as electrical communications to generate more complex and spectrally efficient modulation schemes.

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The optical part of high-order modulation transmitters is composed of one or more fundamental external optical modulator structures, which are briefly described in this subsection: the phase modulator

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121 modulation format and using higher order QAM formats such as DP-256QAM is an interesting alternative . ThehighspectralefficiencyprovidedbyHigh-ordermodulationformats(HOMFs) such as

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