

Satellite Communications (Data & Formula Sheet)

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$$EIRP = P_t G_t \qquad F = \frac{EIRP}{4\pi R^2} = \frac{P_t G_t}{4\pi R^2} \text{ W/m}^2$$

$k = \text{Boltzmann's constant} = 1.38 \times 10^{-23} \text{ J/K} (-228.6 \text{ dBW/HzK})$

$$P_r = F \times A_r = \frac{P_t G_t A_r}{4\pi R^2} \qquad A_e = A_{phy} \times \eta \qquad Gain = \frac{4\pi A_e}{\lambda^2} \qquad L_p = \left(\frac{4\pi R}{\lambda} \right)^2$$

$$Gain = \frac{4\pi A_e}{\lambda^2} = \frac{4\pi A_{phy}}{\lambda^2} \times \eta \qquad \theta_{3dB} \cong \frac{75\lambda}{D} \text{ degrees} \qquad \boxed{P_r = \frac{P_t G_t G_r}{L_p L_a L_{ta} L_{ra} L_{pol} L_{other} L_r}}$$

$$N = kT_s B \text{ (dBW)}$$

$$\boxed{T [K] = T [^{\circ}C] + 273}$$

$$\boxed{T [K] = (T [^{\circ}F] - 32) \frac{5}{9} + 273}$$

$$T_s = T_{transmitted} + T_{antenna} + T_{LNA} + T_{line\ loss} + T_{RX}$$

$$T_{no} = T_p (1-G)$$

$$F_N = \frac{[S/N]_{in}}{[S/N]_{out}} = \frac{N_{out}}{kT_0 B_N G}$$

$$T_d = T_0 (F_n - 1)$$

$$B = 2(\Delta_f + f_{mod})$$

$$\frac{C}{N} = \left(\frac{P_t G_t G_r}{k T_s B_n} \right) \left(\frac{\lambda}{4\pi R} \right)^2 = \left(\frac{P_t G_t}{k B_n} \right) \left(\frac{\lambda}{4\pi R} \right)^2 \left(\frac{G_r}{T_s} \right)$$

$$v_{FM}(t) = v(t) = A \cos \left[\omega_c t + \left(\frac{\Delta\omega}{\omega_{mod}} \right) \sin(\omega_{mod} t) \right] \qquad \left(\frac{C}{N} \right)_{total} = \left[\left(\frac{C}{N} \right)_1^{-1} + \left(\frac{C}{N} \right)_2^{-1} + \dots + \left(\frac{C}{N} \right)_n^{-1} \right]^{-1}$$

$$erfc(y) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_y^{\infty} e^{-z^2} dz$$

$$BER_{total} = BER_1 + BER_2 + \dots + BER_n$$

$$\left(\frac{S}{N} \right)_{Out} = \left(\frac{C}{N} \right)_{Overall} + 10 \cdot \log_{10} \frac{BW_{FM}}{f_{max}} + 20 \cdot \log_{10} \frac{\Delta f_{Peak}}{f_{max}} + 1.8 + P \text{ (dB)}$$

$$P_{eBPSK} = P_{eQPSK} = Q \left[\sqrt{\frac{2E_b}{N_0}} \right]$$

$$BER = \frac{1}{2} \text{erfc} \left(\sqrt{\frac{E_b}{N_0}} \right)$$

$$BER \approx \frac{0.2821}{\sqrt{\frac{E_b}{N_0}}} e^{-\frac{E_b}{N_0}}$$