Tables of Beam Statistics

Listed below are several tables of approximations for various statistical quantities, based on different power spectrum models [Eqs. (18), (20), and (22) in Chap. 3]. The results are valid for line-of-sight propagation along a horizontal path where the refractive-index structure parameter C_n^2 can be treated as a constant.

Table I Wave Structure Function: Plane Wave

$$D(\rho, L) = 8\pi^2 k^2 L \int_0^\infty \kappa \Phi_n(\kappa) [1 - J_0(\kappa \rho)] d\kappa$$

Spectrum	Wave Structure Function for a Plane Wave
Kolmogorov	$D(\rho, L) = 2.914C_{\rho}^{2}k^{2}L\rho^{5/3}$
von Kármán	$D(\rho, L) = 3.280C_n^2 k^2 L l_0^{-1/3} \rho^2 \left[\frac{1}{\left(1 + 2.033\rho^2 / l_0^2\right)^{1/6}} - 0.715(\kappa_0 l_0)^{1/3} \right]$
Modified Atmospheric	$D(\rho, L) = 2.700C_n^2 k^2 L I_0^{-1/3} \rho^2 \left[\frac{1}{(1 + 0.632\rho^2/I_0^2)^{1/6}} + \frac{0.438}{(1 + 0.442\rho^2/I_0^2)^{2/3}} \right]$
	$-\frac{0.056}{\left(1+0.376\rho^2/l_0^2\right)^{3/4}}-0.868(\kappa_0l_0)^{1/3}\Bigg]$

Table II Wave Structure Function: Spherical Wave

$$D(\rho, L) = 8\pi^2 k^2 L \int_0^1 \int_0^\infty \kappa \Phi_n(\kappa) [1 - J_0(\kappa \rho \xi)] d\kappa \, d\xi$$

Spectrum	Wave Structure Function for a Spherical Wave
Kolmogorov	$D(\rho, L) = 1.093C_n^2 k^2 L \rho^{5/3}$
von Kármán	$D(\rho, L) = 1.093C_n^2 k^2 L I_0^{-1/3} \rho^2 \left[\frac{1}{\left(1 + \rho^2 / I_0^2\right)^{1/6}} - 0.715(\kappa_0 I_0)^{1/3} \right]$
Modified Atmospheric	$D(\rho, L) = 0.900C_n^2 k^2 L I_0^{-1/3} \rho^2 \left[\frac{1}{(1 + 0.311 \rho^2 / I_0^2)^{1/6}} + \frac{0.438}{(1 + 0.183 \rho^2 / I_0^2)^{2/3}} \right]$
	$-\frac{0.056}{\left(1+0.149\rho^2/l_0^2\right)^{3/4}}-0.868(\kappa_0 l_0)^{1/3}\Bigg]$

Table III Wave Structure Function: Gaussian-Beam Wave

$$D(\rho,L) = 8\pi^2 k^2 L \int_0^1 \int_0^\infty \kappa \Phi_n(\kappa) e^{-\Lambda L \kappa^2 \xi^2 / k} \left\{ I_0(\Lambda \kappa \xi \rho) - J_0 \left[(1 - \overline{\Theta} \xi) \kappa \rho \right] \right\} d\kappa \, d\xi, \quad (\mathbf{r}_1 = -\mathbf{r}_2)$$

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Wave Structure Function for a Gaussian-Beam Wave: $\Theta_0 \neq 0$

$$\overline{ \text{Kolmogorov} \quad D(\rho, L) = 1.093 C_n^2 k^{7/6} L^{11/6} \Bigg[a \bigg(\frac{k \rho^2}{L} \bigg)^{5/6} + 0.618 \Lambda^{11/6} \bigg(\frac{k \rho^2}{L} \bigg) \Bigg] }$$

$$\begin{split} \text{von Kármán} \quad & \textit{D}(\rho, \textit{L}) = 1.093 \textit{C}_n^2 k^2 \textit{L} l_0^{-1/3} \rho^2 \left\{ \frac{\Lambda^2}{(1 + 0.52 \Lambda \textit{Q}_m)^{1/6}} \right. \\ & \left. - 0.715 (1 + \Theta + \Theta^2 + \Lambda^2) (\kappa_0 l_0)^{1/3} + \frac{1}{(1 - \Theta)} \right. \\ & \times \left[\frac{1}{(1 + 0.11 \Lambda \textit{Q}_m + \rho^2 / l_0^2)^{1/6}} - \frac{\Theta^3}{(1 + 0.11 \Lambda \textit{Q}_m + \Theta^2 \rho^2 / l_0^2)^{1/6}} \right] \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} \textit{Modified Atmospheric} & D(\rho, L) = 0.900 C_n^2 k^2 L I_0^{-1/3} \rho^2 \left\{ \frac{\Lambda^2}{(1 + 0.52 \Lambda Q_l)^{1/6}} + \frac{0.438 (\Lambda Q_l)^{1/6}}{(1 + 0.70 \Lambda Q_l)^{2/3}} - \frac{0.056 (\Lambda Q_l)^{1/6}}{(1 + 0.70 \Lambda Q_l)^{3/4}} \right. \\ & - 0.868 (1 + \Theta + \Theta^2 + \Lambda^2) (\kappa_0 I_0)^{1/3} \\ & + \frac{1}{1 - \Theta} \left[\frac{1}{(1 + 0.11 \Lambda Q_l + 0.311 \rho^2 / I_0^2)^{1/6}} - \frac{\Theta^3}{(1 + 0.11 \Lambda Q_l + 0.311 \Theta^2 \rho^2 / I_0^2)^{1/6}} \right] \\ & + \frac{0.438}{1 - \Theta} \left[\frac{1}{(1 + 0.21 \Lambda Q_l + 0.183 \rho^2 / I_0^2)^{2/3}} - \frac{\Theta^3}{(1 + 0.21 \Lambda Q_l + 0.183 \Theta^2 \rho^2 / I_0^2)^{2/3}} \right] \\ & - \frac{0.056}{1 - \Theta} \left[\frac{1}{(1 + 0.38 \Lambda Q_l + 0.149 \rho^2 / I_0^2)^{3/4}} - \frac{\Theta^3}{(1 + 0.38 \Lambda Q_l + 0.149 \Theta^2 \rho^2 / I_0^2)^{3/4}} \right] \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} &\Lambda_0 = \frac{2L}{kW_0^2}, \quad \Theta_0 = 1 - \frac{L}{F_0}; \quad \Lambda = \frac{2L}{kW^2} = \frac{\Lambda_0}{\Theta_0^2 + \Lambda_0^2}, \quad \Theta = 1 + \frac{L}{F} = \frac{\Theta_0}{\Theta_0^2 + \Lambda_0^2}, \quad \overline{\Theta} = 1 - \Theta \\ &Q_m = \frac{L\kappa_m^2}{k} = \frac{35.04L}{kl_0^2}, \quad Q_l = \frac{L\kappa_l^2}{k} = \frac{10.89L}{kl_0^2}, \quad Q_0 = \frac{L\kappa_0^2}{k} \\ &a = \begin{cases} \frac{1 - \Theta^{8/3}}{1 - \Theta}, & \Theta \ge 0 \\ \frac{1 + |\Theta|^{8/3}}{1 - \Theta}, & \Theta < 0 \end{cases} \end{split}$$

Table IV Spatial Coherence Radius: Plane Wave

Spectrum	Spatial Coherence Radius for a Plane Wave: $\kappa_0 = 0$
Kolmogorov	$ \rho_{\rm pl} = \left(1.46C_n^2 k^2 L\right)^{-3/5}, I_0 \ll \rho_{\rm pl} \ll L_0 $
von Kármán	$\rho_{\text{pl}} = \begin{cases} \left(1.64C_n^2 k^2 L I_0^{-1/3}\right)^{-1/2}, & \rho_{\text{pl}} \ll I_0 \\ \left(1.46C_n^2 k^2 L\right)^{-3/5}, & I_0 \ll \rho_{\text{pl}} \ll L_0 \end{cases}$
Modified Atmospheric	$\rho_{\text{pl}} = \begin{cases} \left(1.87C_n^2 k^2 L I_0^{-1/3}\right)^{-1/2}, & \rho_{\text{pl}} \ll I_0 \\ \left(1.46C_n^2 k^2 L\right)^{-3/5}, & I_0 \ll \rho_{\text{pl}} \ll L_0 \end{cases}$

Note: Fried's parameter is related by $r_0=2.1\rho_{pl}.$

Table V Spatial Coherence Radius: Spherical Wave

Spectrum	Spatial Coherence Radius for a Spherical Wave: $\kappa_0 = 0$
Kolmogorov	$ \rho_{\rm sp} = (0.55C_n^2 k^2 L)^{-3/5}, \qquad I_0 \ll \rho_{\rm sp} \ll L_0 $
von Kármán	$\rho_{sp} = \begin{cases} \left(0.55 C_n^2 k^2 L I_0^{-1/3}\right)^{-1/2}, & \rho_{sp} \ll I_0 \\ \left(0.55 C_n^2 k^2 L\right)^{-3/5}, & I_0 \ll \rho_{sp} \ll L_0 \end{cases}$
Modified Atmospheric	$\rho_{\text{sp}} = \begin{cases} (0.62C_n^2 k^2 L I_0^{-1/3})^{-1/2}, & \rho_{\text{sp}} \ll I_0, \\ \\ (0.55C_n^2 k^2 L)^{-3/5}, & I_0 \ll \rho_{\text{sp}} \ll L_0, \end{cases}$

Table VI Spatial Coherence Radius: Gaussian-Beam Wave

Spectrum	Spatial Coherence Radius for a Gaussian-Beam Wave: $\kappa_0=0,\Theta_0\neq0$
Kolmogorov	$\rho_0 = \left[\frac{8}{3(a + 0.618\Lambda^{11/6})} \right]^{3/5} (1.46C_n^2 k^2 L)^{-3/5}, \qquad l_0 \ll \rho_0 \ll L_0$
von Kármán	$\rho_0 = \begin{cases} \left[\frac{3}{1 + \Theta + \Theta^2 + \Lambda^2} \right]^{1/2} \left(1.64 C_n^2 k^2 L I_0^{-1/3} \right)^{-1/2}, & \rho_0 \ll I_0 \\ \left[\frac{8}{3(a + 0.618\Lambda^{11/6})} \right]^{3/5} \left(1.46 C_n^2 k^2 L \right)^{-3/5}, & I_0 \ll \rho_0 \ll L_0 \end{cases}$
Modified Atmospheric	$\rho_0 = \begin{cases} \left[\frac{3}{1 + \Theta + \Theta^2 + \Lambda^2} \right]^{1/2} \left(1.87 C_n^2 k^2 L I_0^{-1/3} \right)^{-1/2}, & \rho_0 \ll I_0 \\ \frac{8}{3(a + 0.618\Lambda^{11/6})} \right]^{3/5} \left(1.46 C_n^2 k^2 L \right)^{-3/5}, & I_0 \ll \rho_0 \ll L_0 \end{cases}$
$\Lambda_0 = \frac{2L}{kW_0^2}, \Theta_0 = 1 - \frac{L}{F_0}; \Lambda = \frac{2L}{kW^2}, \Theta = 1 + \frac{L}{F}, \overline{\Theta} = 1 - \Theta$	
$Q_m = \frac{L\kappa_m^2}{k} = \frac{35.04L}{kl_0^2},$	$Q_{l} = \frac{L\kappa_{l}^{2}}{k} = \frac{10.89L}{kl_{0}^{2}},$
$a = \begin{cases} \frac{1 - \Theta^{8/3}}{1 - \Theta}, \\ \frac{1 + \Theta ^{8/3}}{1 - \Theta}, \end{cases}$	$\Theta \ge 0$ $\Theta < 0$

Note: For strong turbulence conditions, the diffractive beam parameters Θ and Λ can be replaced by the effective beam parameters Θ_e and Λ_e defined by

$$\begin{split} \Theta_e &= 1 + \frac{L}{F_{LT}} = \frac{\Theta - 2q\Lambda/3}{1 + 4q\Lambda/3}, \\ \Lambda_e &= \frac{2L}{kW_{LT}^2} = \frac{\Lambda}{1 + 4q\Lambda/3}, \quad q = \frac{L}{k\rho_{pl}^2} \\ a_e &= \begin{cases} \frac{1 - \Theta_e^{8/3}}{1 - \Theta_e}, & \Theta_e \geq 0 \\ \frac{1 + |\Theta_e|^{8/3}}{1 - \Theta_e}, & \Theta_e < 0 \end{cases} \end{split}$$

Table VII(a) Scintillation Index (Weak Fluctuations): Plane Wave

$$\sigma_I^2(L) = 8\pi^2 k^2 L \int_0^1 \int_0^\infty \kappa \Phi_n(\kappa) \left[1 - \cos\left(\frac{L\kappa^2}{k}\xi\right) \right] d\kappa \, d\xi$$

 $\begin{array}{ll} \text{Spectrum} & \text{Normalized Irradiance Variance for a Plane Wave} \\ \hline \textit{Kolmogorov} & \sigma_{l}^{2}(L) = \sigma_{R}^{2} \\ \hline \textit{von K\'{a}rm\'{a}n} & \sigma_{l}^{2}(L) = 3.86\sigma_{R}^{2} \bigg[(1+1/Q_{m}^{2})^{11/12} \sin\bigg(\frac{11}{6} \tan^{-1}Q_{m}\bigg) - \frac{11}{6} \, Q_{m}^{-5/6} \bigg] \\ \hline \textit{Modified Atmospheric} & \sigma_{l}^{2}(L) \equiv \sigma_{PL}^{2} = 3.86\sigma_{R}^{2} \bigg\{ (1+1/Q_{l}^{2})^{11/12} \bigg[\sin\bigg(\frac{11}{6} \tan^{-1}Q_{l}\bigg) + \frac{1.507}{(1+Q_{l}^{2})^{1/4}} \sin\bigg(\frac{4}{3} \tan^{-1}Q_{l}\bigg) - \frac{0.273}{(1+Q_{l}^{2})^{7/24}} \sin\bigg(\frac{5}{4} \tan^{-1}Q_{l}\bigg) \bigg] - 3.50Q_{l}^{-5/6} \bigg\} \\ \hline Q_{m} = \frac{L\kappa_{m}^{2}}{k} = \frac{35.04L}{kl^{2}}, \quad Q_{l} = \frac{L\kappa_{l}^{2}}{k} = \frac{10.89L}{kl_{R}^{2}}; \quad \sigma_{R}^{2} = 1.23C_{n}^{2}k^{7/6}L^{11/6} \\ \hline \end{array}$

Table VII(b) Scintillation Index (Strong Fluctuations): Plane Wave

Spectrum Normalized Irradiance Variance for a Plane Wave

$$\sigma_{l, \mathrm{pl}}^{2}(L) = \exp \left[\frac{0.49 \sigma_{R}^{2}}{\left(1 + 1.11 \sigma_{R}^{12/5}\right)^{7/6}} + \frac{0.51 \sigma_{R}^{2}}{\left(1 + 0.69 \sigma_{R}^{12/5}\right)^{5/6}} \right] - 1$$

$$\sigma_{l,\text{PL}}^2(\textit{L}) = \exp \left[\sigma_{\ln \textit{X}}^2(\textit{I}_0) - \sigma_{\ln \textit{X}}^2(\textit{L}_0) + \frac{0.51\sigma_{\textit{PL}}^2}{\left(1 + 0.69\sigma_{\textit{pl}}^{12/5}\right)^{5/6}} \right] - 1$$

$$\sigma_{\ln X}^{2}(l_{0}) = 0.16\sigma_{R}^{2} \left(\frac{2.61Q_{l}}{2.61 + Q_{l} + 0.45\sigma_{R}^{2}Q_{l}^{7/6}}\right)^{7/6} \left[1 + 1.75\left(\frac{2.61}{2.61 + Q_{l} + 0.45\sigma_{R}^{2}Q_{l}^{7/6}}\right)^{1/2} - 0.25\left(\frac{2.61}{2.61 + Q_{l} + 0.45\sigma_{R}^{2}Q_{l}^{7/6}}\right)^{7/12}\right]$$

$$\sigma_{\ln X}^{2}(L_{0}) = 0.16\sigma_{R}^{2} \left[\frac{2.61Q_{0}Q_{l}}{2.61(Q_{0} + Q_{l}) + Q_{0}Q_{l}\left(1 + 0.45\sigma_{R}^{2}Q_{l}^{7/6}\right)}\right]^{7/6} \times \left\{1 + 1.75\left[\frac{2.61Q_{0}}{2.61(Q_{0} + Q_{l}) + Q_{0}Q_{l}\left(1 + 0.45\sigma_{R}^{2}Q_{l}^{7/6}\right)}\right]^{1/2} - 0.25\left[\frac{2.61Q_{0}}{2.61(Q_{0} + Q_{l}) + Q_{0}Q_{l}\left(1 + 0.45\sigma_{R}^{2}Q_{l}^{7/6}\right)}\right]^{7/12}\right\}$$

$$Q_{0} = \frac{L\kappa_{0}^{2}}{k}$$

Table VIIIa Scintillation Index (Weak Fluctuations): Spherical Wave

$$\sigma_{l}^{2}(L)=8\pi^{2}k^{2}L\int_{0}^{1}\int_{0}^{\infty}\kappa\Phi_{n}(\kappa)\bigg\{1-\cos\bigg[\frac{L\kappa^{2}}{k}\xi(1-\xi)\bigg]\bigg\}d\kappa\,d\xi$$

Spectrum	Normalized Irradiance Variance for a Spherical Wave
Kolmogorov	$\sigma_I^2(L) \equiv \beta_0^2 = 0.4 \sigma_R^2$
von Kármán	$\sigma_I^2(L) = 9.65\beta_0^2 \left[0.40(1 + 9/Q_m^2)^{11/12} \sin\left(\frac{11}{6}\tan^{-1}\frac{Q_m}{3}\right) - \frac{11}{6}Q_m^{-5/6} \right]$
Modified Atmospheric	$\sigma_I^2(L) \equiv \sigma_{SP}^2 = 9.65\beta_0^2 \left\{ 0.40(1 + 9/Q_I^2)^{11/12} \left[\sin\left(\frac{11}{6}\tan^{-1}\frac{Q_I}{3}\right) + \frac{2.610}{(9 + Q_I^2)^{1/4}} \right] \right\}$
	$ \times \sin \left(\frac{4}{3} \tan^{-1} \frac{Q_l}{3} \right) - \frac{0.518}{\left(9 + Q_l^2 \right)^{7/24}} \sin \left(\frac{5}{4} \tan^{-1} \frac{Q_l}{3} \right) \right] - 3.50 Q_l^{-5/6} $
$Q_m = \frac{L\kappa_m^2}{k} = \frac{35.04L}{kl_o^2},$	$Q_1 = \frac{L\kappa_I^2}{k} = \frac{10.89L}{kl_0^2}; \beta_0^2 = 0.5C_n^2 k^{7/6} L^{11/6}$

Table VIIIb Scintillation Index (Strong Fluctuations): Spherical Wave

Table VIIID Scintiliation I	ndex (Strong Fluctuations): Spherical wave
Spectrum	Normalized Irradiance Variance for a Spherical Wave
Kolmogorov	$\sigma_{l,sp}^{2}(L) = \exp\left[\frac{0.49\beta_{0}^{2}}{\left(1 + 0.56\beta_{0}^{12/5}\right)^{7/6}} + \frac{0.51\beta_{0}^{2}}{\left(1 + 0.69\beta_{0}^{12/5}\right)^{5/6}}\right] - 1$
Modified Atmospheric	$\sigma_{l,sp}^{2}(L) = \exp\left[\sigma_{lnX}^{2}(l_{0}) - \sigma_{lnX}^{2}(L_{0}) + \frac{0.51\sigma_{SP}^{2}}{\left(1 + 0.69\sigma_{SP}^{12/5}\right)^{5/6}}\right] - 1$
$\sigma_{\ln X}^2(l_0) = 0.04\beta_0^2 \left(\frac{1}{8.56 + Q} \right)$	$\frac{8.56Q_l}{Q_l + 0.20\beta_0^2 Q_l^{7/6}} \right)^{7/6} \left[1 + 1.75 \left(\frac{8.56}{8.56 + Q_l + 0.20\beta_0^2 Q_l^{7/6}} \right)^{1/2} \right]$
(0.	$\frac{8.56}{.56 + Q_l + 0.20\beta_0^2 Q_l^{7/6}} \bigg)^{7/12} \bigg]$ $8.56Q_0Q_l \qquad \qquad \Big]^{7/6}$
	$\frac{8.56Q_0Q_l}{+Q_l) + Q_0Q_l(1 + 0.20\beta_0^2 Q_l^{7/6})} \bigg]^{7/6}$ $.75 \bigg[\frac{8.56Q_0}{8.56(Q_0 + Q_l) + Q_0Q_l(1 + 0.20\beta_0^2 Q_l^{7/6})} \bigg]^{1/2}$
$-0.25 \left[{8.5} \right]$	$\frac{8.56Q_0}{56(Q_0+Q_l)+Q_0Q_l(1+0.20\beta_0^2Q_l^{7/6})}\right]^{7/12}$
$Q_0 = \frac{L\kappa_0^2}{L}$,

Table IX(a) Scintillation Index (Weak Fluctuations): Gaussian-Beam Wave

$$\sigma_I^2(r,L) = 8\pi^2 k^2 L \int_0^1 \int_0^\infty \kappa \Phi_n(\kappa) e^{-\Lambda L \kappa^2 \xi^2/k} \left\{ I_0(2\Lambda r \kappa \xi) - \cos \left[\frac{L \kappa^2}{k} \xi (1 - \bar{\Theta} \xi) \right] \right\} d\kappa \, d\xi$$

Normalized Irradiance Variance for a Gaussian Beam Wave $\Theta_0 \neq 0^1$ Spectrum $\sigma_I^2(r,L) = 4.42\sigma_R^2 \Lambda^{5/6} \frac{r^2}{W^2} + 3.86\sigma_R^2 \left\{ 0.40 \left[(1+2\Theta)^2 + 4\Lambda^2 \right]^{5/12} \right\}$ Kolmogorov $\times \cos \left[\frac{5}{6} \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1+2\Theta}{2\Lambda} \right) \right] - \frac{11}{16} \Lambda^{5/6}$ $\sigma_I^2(r,L) = 3.93\sigma_R^2 \Lambda^{5/6} \left[\left(\frac{\Lambda Q_m}{1 + 0.52 \Lambda Q_m} \right)^{1/6} - 1.29 (\Lambda Q_0)^{1/6} \right] \frac{r^2}{W^2}$ von Kármán $+ \, 3.86 \sigma_R^2 \Biggl\{ 0.40 \frac{[(1+2\Theta)^2 + (2\Lambda + 3/Q_m)^2]^{11/12}}{[(1+2\Theta)^2 + 4\Lambda^2]^{1/2}} sin \biggl(\frac{11}{6} \phi_1 + \phi_2 \biggr)$ $-\frac{6\Lambda}{Q_m^{11/6}[(1+2\Theta)^2+4\Lambda^2]}-\frac{11}{6}\left(\frac{1+0.31\Lambda Q_m}{Q_m}\right)^{5/6}$ $\sigma_{l}^{2}(r,L) = 3.93\sigma_{R}^{2}\Lambda^{5/6} \left\{ \left[\left(\frac{\Lambda Q_{l}}{1 + 0.52\Lambda Q_{l}} \right)^{1/6} + \frac{0.438(\Lambda Q_{l})^{1/6}}{(1 + 0.70\Lambda Q_{l})^{2/3}} - \frac{0.056(\Lambda Q_{l})^{1/6}}{(1 + 0.70\Lambda Q_{l})^{3/4}} \right] \right\}$ Modified Atmospheric $-1.29(\Lambda Q_0)^{1/6} \left\{ \frac{r^2}{W^2} \right\}$ $+3.86\sigma_{R}^{2} \left\{ 0.40 \frac{\left[(1+2\Theta)^{2}+(2\Lambda+3/Q_{l})^{2} \right]^{11/12}}{\left[(1+2\Theta)^{2}+4\Lambda^{2} \right]^{1/2}} \left[\sin \left(\frac{11}{6} \phi_{3}+\phi_{2} \right) \right] \right\}$ $+\frac{2.610}{[(1+2\Theta)^2Q_1^2+(3+2\Lambda Q_1)^2]^{1/4}}sin\bigg(\frac{4}{3}\phi_3+\phi_2\bigg)$ $-\frac{0.518}{[(1+2\Theta)^2Q_{\ell}^2+(3+2\Lambda Q_{\ell})^2]^{7/24}}sin\Big(\frac{5}{4}\phi_3+\phi_2\Big)\bigg]$ $-\frac{13.401 \Lambda}{O_{\cdot}^{11/6} [(1+2\Theta)^2+4\Lambda^2]}$ $-\frac{11}{6} \left[\left(\frac{1 + 0.31 \Lambda Q_l}{Q_l} \right)^{5/6} + \frac{1.096 (1 + 0.27 \Lambda Q_l)^{1/3}}{Q^{5/6}} \right]$ $-\frac{0.186(1+0.24\Lambda Q_l)^{1/4}}{Q_l^{5/6}} \bigg] \bigg\}$ $\frac{\omega_l}{\Lambda_0 = \frac{2L}{kW_0^2}}, \quad \Theta_0 = 1 - \frac{L}{F_0}, \quad \Lambda = \frac{2L}{kW^2}, \quad \Theta = 1 + \frac{L}{F}, \quad \overline{\Theta} = 1 - \Theta$ $Q_m = \frac{L\kappa_m^2}{k} = \frac{35.04L}{kl_0^2}, \quad Q_l = \frac{L\kappa_l^2}{k} = \frac{10.89L}{kl_n^2}, \quad Q_0 = \frac{L\kappa_0^2}{k}$ $\varphi_1 = \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{(1+2\Theta)Q_m}{3+2\Lambda Q_m} \right], \quad \varphi_2 = \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{2\Lambda}{1+2\Theta} \right],$ $\varphi_3 = \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{(1+2\Theta)Q_l}{3+2\Lambda Q_l} \right]; \quad \sigma_R^2 = 1.23C_n^2 k^{7/6} L^{11/6}$

¹Based on an untracked beam but ignoring beam wander effects.

Table IX(b) Scintillation Index (Strong Fluctuations): Gaussian-Beam Wave

Spectrum Normalized Irradiance Variance for a Gaussian-Beam Wave: $\Theta_0 \neq 0$ $\sigma_I^2(\mathbf{r}, L)_{\text{untracked}} = \exp\left\{\frac{0.49\sigma_B^2}{\left[1 + 0.56(1 + \Theta)\sigma_D^{12/5}\right]^{7/6}} + \frac{0.51\sigma_B^2}{\left(1 + 0.69\sigma_D^{12/5}\right)^{5/6}}\right\} - 1$ Kolmogorov $+4.42\sigma_R^2\Lambda_\theta^{5/6}\left(\frac{\sigma_{Pe}}{W_{em}}\right)^2+4.42\sigma_R^2\Lambda_\theta^{5/6}\left(\frac{r-\sigma_{Pe}}{W_{em}}\right)^2, \quad \sigma_{Pe} \leq r < W$ $\sigma_I^2(\mathbf{r}, L)_{\text{tracked}} = \exp \left\{ \frac{0.49\sigma_B^2}{\left[1 + 0.56(1 + \Theta)\sigma_B^{12/5}\right]^{7/6}} + \frac{0.51\sigma_B^2}{\left(1 + 0.69\sigma_B^{12/5}\right)^{5/6}} \right\} - 1$ Kolmogorov $+4.42\sigma_R^2 \Lambda_e^{5/6} \left(\frac{r - \sqrt{\langle r_c^2 \rangle}}{W_{1,T}} \right)^2, \quad \sqrt{\langle r_c^2 \rangle} \le r < W$ $\sigma_{l}^{2}(\mathbf{r}, L)_{\text{untracked}} = 4.42\sigma_{R}^{2}\Lambda_{e}^{5/6} \left[1 - 1.15 \left(\frac{\Lambda_{e}L}{kL_{0}^{2}} \right)^{1/6} \right] \left(\frac{r - \sigma_{\rho e}}{W_{LT}} \right)^{2} + 4.42\sigma_{R}^{2}\Lambda_{e}^{5/6} \left(\frac{\sigma_{\rho e}}{W_{LT}} \right)^{2}$ Modified Atmospheric $+ \exp \left[\left. \sigma_{\ln X}^2(I_0) - \sigma_{\ln X}^2(L_0) + \frac{0.51\sigma_G^2}{\left(1 + 0.69\sigma_1^{12/5}\right)^{5/6}} \right] - 1, \ \sigma_{\rho e} \le r < W$ $\sigma_{l}^{2}(\mathbf{r}, L)_{\text{tracked}} = 4.42\sigma_{R}^{2}\Lambda_{e}^{5/6} \left[1 - 1.15 \left(\frac{\Lambda_{e}L}{kL_{0}^{2}} \right)^{1/6} \left[\left(\frac{r - \sqrt{\langle r_{c}^{2} \rangle}}{W_{LT}} \right)^{2} \right] \right]$ Modified Atmospheric $+ \exp \left| \left| \sigma_{\ln X}^2(I_0) - \sigma_{\ln X}^2(L_0) + \frac{0.51\sigma_G^2}{\left(1 + 0.69\sigma_{\infty}^{-12/5}\right)^{5/6}} \right| - 1, \ \sqrt{\langle r_c^2 \rangle} \le r < W$

Note: The longitudinal component of the scintillation index arises in all cases above by setting r equal to its smallest value in the specified interval.

$$\begin{split} \Lambda_0 &= \frac{2L}{kW_0^2}, \quad \Theta_0 = 1 - \frac{L}{F_0}, \quad \Lambda = \frac{2L}{kW^2}, \quad \Theta = 1 + \frac{L}{F}, \quad \overline{\Theta} = 1 - \Theta; \\ \Lambda_e &= \frac{\Lambda}{1 + 4q\Lambda/3}, \quad q = \frac{L}{k\rho_{pl}^2} \\ \sigma_B^2 &= 3.86\sigma_R^2 \text{Re} \bigg[f^{5/6} \, _2F_1 \bigg(-\frac{5}{6}, \, \frac{11}{6}; \, \frac{17}{6}; \, \overline{\Theta} + i\Lambda \bigg) - \frac{11}{16}\Lambda^{5/6} \bigg] \\ \sigma_{pe}^2 &= 7.25C_n^2 L^3 W_0^{-1/3} \int_0^1 \xi^2 \left\{ \frac{1}{\left|\Theta_0 + \overline{\Theta}_0 \xi\right|^{1/3}} - \left[\frac{\kappa_r^2 W_0^2}{1 + \kappa_r^2 W_0^2 (\Theta_0 + \overline{\Theta}_0 \xi)^2} \right]^{1/6} \right\} d\xi, \quad \kappa_r = 2\pi/r_0 \\ \langle r_c^2 \rangle &= 7.25C_n^2 L^3 W_0^{-1/3} \int_0^1 \xi^2 \left\{ \frac{1}{\left[(\Theta_0 + \overline{\Theta}_0 \xi)^2 + 1.63\sigma_R^{12/5} \Lambda_0 (1 - \xi)^{16/5}\right]^{1/6}} - \frac{(\kappa_0 W_0)^{1/3}}{\left\{1 + \kappa_o W_0^2 \left[(\Theta + \overline{\Theta} \xi)^2 + 1.63\sigma_R^{12/5} \Lambda_0 (1 - \xi)^{16/5}\right]\right\}^{1/6}} \right\} d\xi \end{split}$$

$$\begin{split} &\sigma_G^2 = 3.86\sigma_R^2 \Bigg\{ 0.40 \frac{\left[(1+2\Theta)^2 + (2\Lambda + 3/Q_l)^2 \right]^{11/12}}{\left[(1+2\Theta)^2 + 4\Lambda^2 \right]^{1/2}} \Bigg[\sin \left(\frac{11}{6} \phi_2 + \phi_1 \right) \\ &+ \frac{2.61}{\left[(1+2\Theta)^2 Q_l^2 + (3+2\Lambda Q_l)^2 \right]^{1/4}} \sin \left(\frac{4}{3} \phi_2 + \phi_1 \right) \\ &- \frac{0.52}{\left[(1+2\Theta)^2 Q_l^2 + (3+2\Lambda Q_l)^2 \right]^{7/24}} \sin \left(\frac{5}{4} \phi_2 + \phi_1 \right) \Bigg] \\ &- \frac{13.40\Lambda}{Q_l^{11/6} \left[(1+2\Theta)^2 + 4\Lambda^2 \right]} - \frac{11}{6} \Bigg[\left(\frac{1+0.31\Lambda Q_l}{Q_l} \right)^{5/6} \\ &+ \frac{1.10(1+0.27\Lambda Q_l)^{1/3}}{Q_l^{5/6}} - \frac{0.19(1+0.24\Lambda Q_l)^{1/4}}{Q_l^{5/6}} \Bigg] \Bigg\} \\ &\sigma_{\ln X}^2(l_0) = 0.49\sigma_R^2 \left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{2}\overline{\Theta} + \frac{1}{5}\overline{\Theta}^2 \right) \left(\frac{\eta_X Q_l}{\eta_X + Q_l} \right)^{7/6} \Bigg[1 + 1.75 \left(\frac{\eta_X}{\eta_X + Q_l} \right)^{1/2} - 0.25 \left(\frac{\eta_X}{\eta_X + Q_l} \right)^{7/12} \Bigg] \\ &\sigma_{\ln X}^2(L_0) = 0.49\sigma_R^2 \left(\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{2}\overline{\Theta} + \frac{1}{5}\overline{\Theta}^2 \right) \left(\frac{\eta_{X0} Q_l}{\eta_{X0} + Q_l} \right)^{7/6} \Bigg[1 + 1.75 \left(\frac{\eta_{X0}}{\eta_X + Q_l} \right)^{1/2} - 0.25 \left(\frac{\eta_{X0}}{\eta_{X0} + Q_l} \right)^{7/12} \Bigg] \\ &\eta_X = \Bigg[\frac{0.38}{1 - 3.21\overline{\Theta} + 5.29\overline{\Theta}^2} + 0.47\sigma_R^2 Q_l^{1/6} \left(\frac{\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{2}\overline{\Theta} + \frac{1}{5}\overline{\Theta}^2}{1 + 2.20\overline{\Theta}} \right)^{6/7} \Bigg]^{-1}, \quad \eta_{X0} = \frac{\eta_X Q_0}{\eta_X + Q_0} \\ &Q_l = \frac{L\kappa_l^2}{k} = \frac{10.89L}{kl_0^2}, \quad Q_0 = \frac{64\pi^2 L}{kL_0^2} \\ &\phi_1 = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{2\Lambda}{1 + 2\Theta} \right), \quad \phi_2 = \tan^{-1} \left[\frac{(1 + 2\Theta)Q_l}{3 + 2\Lambda Q_l} \right]. \end{aligned}$$