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Chapter 2

Unit 2

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Revision:- diff b/w wired & wireless, Types of services, requirements  
challenges, link budget, fading.

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Activity: write points on these.

Unit 2:

Physical model : Propagation & loss models.

Properties of Wireless channel

- Time variant | static [mobility of Rx]
- Time dispersive | non dispersive [one time one signal  
diff time. one signal]
- Linear | non linear [AWGN, Interference]
- ~~Short~~ Short or large scale fading
- Exhibit Pulse spreading effect - (LPF)

These properties makes the design of WC system a complicated task. Hence we need to model.

- modeling helps to analyse the effects of channel on Tx signal & to predict the reception of signal.
- To simulate process & check the performance.

But unique model cannot describe radio propagation b/w Tx & Rx. Hence we need multiple models.

What are factors to consider when we make model?

- Noise.. / Loss

$$\text{Ans} \quad \text{if } \frac{s(t)}{s(t)_{\text{Received}}} = \frac{G_r(t) \cdot S(t) + n(t)}{\text{noise.}}$$

attenuation.

factors that cause attenuation of total signal in wireless medium

near field: here radiated power from antenna is very high & is difficult to calculate

① Free space loss:

The free space attenuation is

$$L_{dB} = 20 \log \left( \frac{4\pi d}{\lambda} \right)$$

In far field, signal is affected by more  $\uparrow$  distance

The received signal power can be measured as

$$P_R = P_t G_t \cdot \frac{1}{4\pi d^2} \cdot A_{eff} \text{ effective area of Rx.}$$

$$\text{or } P_R = P_t G_t G_r \cdot \left( \frac{\lambda}{4\pi d} \right)^2. \text{ In terms of } \lambda, G_r$$

This relation is valid for far field antenna.

Antenna is said to be at far field if the  $\lambda$  &  $R_a$  antenna are at least Rayleigh distance apart

Rayleigh distance  $d = \frac{\lambda D^2}{R_a}$   
 near  $d \gg \lambda$  &  $d \gg D \rightarrow$  far field.

Beyond some area of coverage, the strength of  $P_R$  also matters. Consider 2-ray model.

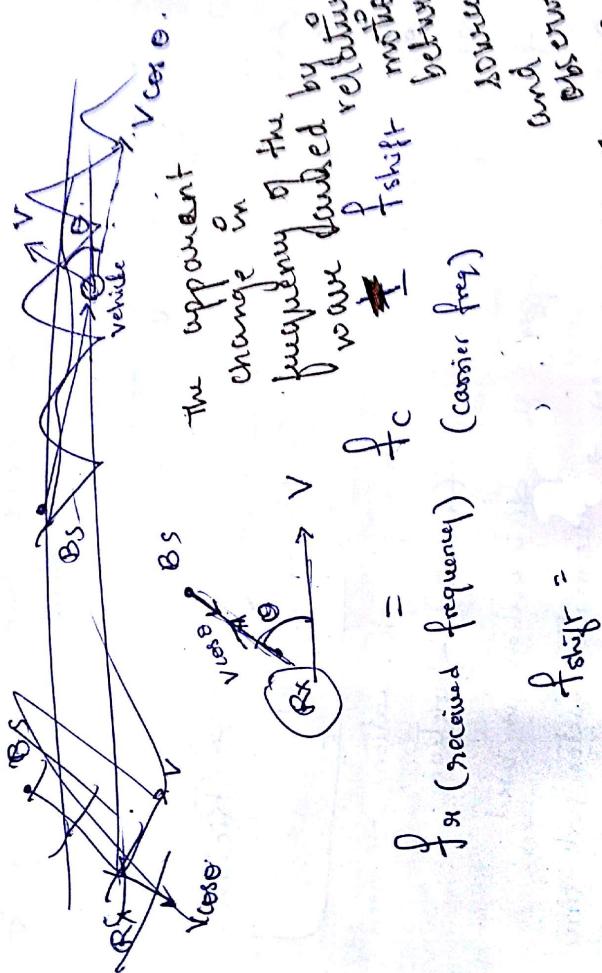
$$P_R = P_t G_t G_r \cdot \frac{P_2^2}{d^4} \cdot \frac{P_m^2}{\text{Path loss mode}}$$

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- ② Doppler Spread : [measure of spectral broadening caused by time rate of change of mobile radio channel]
- when MS is moving wst BS, then different direction of multi path components (MPC's) arriving at the MS give rise to different frequency shift. This leads to broadening of received spectrum.
- (Amount of broadening = Doppler spread)



$$\text{Doppler shift} = f_{\text{shift}} = \frac{\lambda}{\pi} \rightarrow \text{wavelength of carrier}$$

The diagram shows multiple paths from BS to the vehicle, each with a different angle of arrival, resulting in different frequency shifts.

The diagram illustrates the Doppler effect. A base station (BS) is shown transmitting a signal towards a vehicle. The vehicle is moving with velocity  $V$  at an angle  $\theta$  relative to the BS. The received signal frequency  $f_r$  is given by the formula:

$$f_r = f_c \left( 1 + \frac{V \cos \theta}{2\pi R} \right)$$

The apparent change in frequency of the wave caused by relative motion is called the Doppler shift between source and receiver.

- ③ Pollay Spread :
- Delay between time when antenna time select button received first copy of the signal on shortest path & time when it receives last copy of same signal on longest path.
- Test B  
Test C  
Test D  
Test E  
Test F

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(A) Fading: Phenomenon caused by constructive interference of 2 or more copies same signal that arrive at the receiver.

Caused by Reflection, Diffraction, Scattering & presence of MPCs.

Reflection : Snell's law:  $\frac{\sin \theta_1}{\sin \theta_2} = \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2} = \frac{n_2}{n_1}$

Diffraction: bending along edges of MPC.  
This may result in shadowing.

Scattering: Rough - surface leads to spreading of signal

Two types of fading  
 (nlos) Rayleigh  $\rightarrow$  Small scale (LoS)  $\Rightarrow$  Rician.  
 Large Scale (large distance)  
 (within small area)

To measure such kind of attenuation, we need probability distribution (density) function.  
Hence 2 types of distribution is used.

① Rayleigh :  $\alpha(t) \rightarrow$  attenuation factor over time.  
 $p.d.f (\alpha) = \frac{\alpha}{\sigma^2} e^{-\frac{\alpha^2}{2\sigma^2}}$   $0 < \alpha < \infty$ .  
 $\sigma$  : rms value of received signal. (std. dev.)

$(\frac{\alpha}{\sigma^2}) \rightarrow$  instantaneous power.

This is valid for non-Line of Sight propagation

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Q) Rician Distribution :

$$\text{Pdf}(\alpha) = \frac{\alpha}{\sigma^2} \cdot e^{-\frac{(\alpha^2 + A^2)}{2\sigma^2}} \cdot I_0\left(\frac{\alpha A}{\sigma^2}\right).$$

$$0 < \alpha < \infty.$$

$I_0(x)$ : modified Bessel function

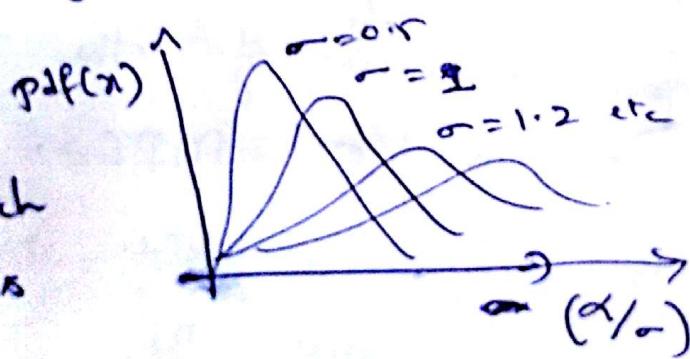
$\frac{\alpha}{\sigma^2}$ : instantaneous power of wave in cylindrical medium

$A$ : peak amplitude of dominant signal, which is LOS

Significance of P.D.F

Plot graph of

⇒ we get the window in which attenuation is maximum.



This adds on to find the maximum coverage area where received signal strength is good.  
(for designing the WC system).

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ratio of signal carrying useful info. to ratio of signal carrying useful info. to unwanted background.

Effect of fading on a communication device.

Large signals to noise ratio.

→ Reduced signal to noise ratio.

→ intersymbol interference

→ Accounts for total link budget analysis.

Measures : Block and range diversity of signal.

Avoid it by using Equalizers with frequency band

- Use orthogonal frequency division multiplexing

- Use OFDM → study this later.

Thus we have seen major factors that affect

transmitted signal because of the properties of channel or presence of MPCs. This

helps us to design a better receiver system with high receiver sensitivity.

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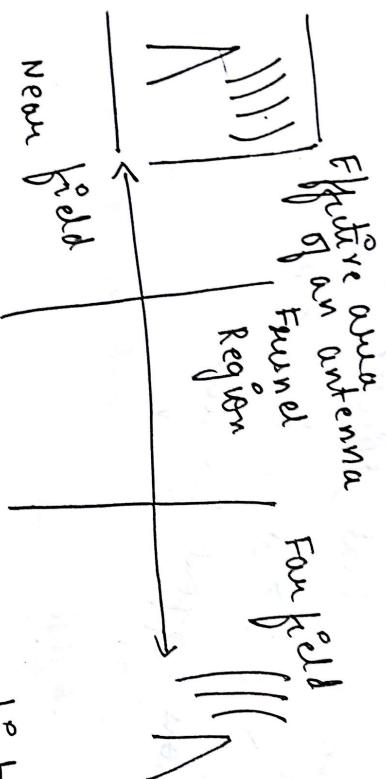
Fundamentals

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Space propagation → Assumes transmits and receives antennae are in an obstructed free environment



Near field → Here as the radiated power from the antenna is very high it is very difficult to calculate power.

As the signal propagate further then power of the signal gets affected due to  
→ Attenuation

→ multipath propagation elements  
the minimum distance beyond which the power transmitted by the transmitter vanishes

$k_B$  is a logarithmic ratio of powers

\* call us saying a basis

$$d = \frac{2 + \theta}{\lambda} \text{ signal } [\text{working}] \\ \text{where } \theta \text{ is the } \underline{\text{frequency}}$$

and  $\theta$  is the frequency of the reference  
which can be 10 Hz (10), 100 Hz (100)

for  $\theta = 0 > 1, 1 > 2$   
these conditions support for  $f_1$

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is called as Rayleigh distance

$$d = \frac{2\pi D}{\lambda}$$

where  $\lambda$  is the frequency [wavelength]

and  $D$  is the dimension of the antenna  
which can be spherical, square etc.

$$\text{far field} \rightarrow d > \lambda, d > D$$

These conditions support far field.

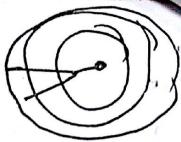
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transmission equation



→ radiation is isotropic i.e in all direction.

$$\text{Power Density} = \frac{\text{Transmitted Power}}{\text{Surface Area}}$$

(radiated power per unit area) reduces with distance

Since the area is spherical

$$\text{Power density} = \frac{\text{Transmitted Power}}{4\pi d^2}$$

Transmitting antenna also involves gain

$$St \rightarrow \text{Power density} = \frac{PT}{4\pi d^2} \times G_T$$

$$\text{Receiving power} = St \times \frac{Ar}{\text{Effective area}}$$

of the receiver

$$= \frac{PT}{4\pi d^2} \times G_T \times Ar$$

where effective area is the area of the antenna which actually captures the signal

$$Ar = b r \lambda^2$$

$$\frac{b}{h\pi}$$

$\frac{b}{h\pi}$  is a logarithmic ratio of powers

on substituting

$$P_r = P_T \times \eta_T \times \eta_R \left( \frac{\lambda}{4\pi d} \right)^2$$

Doppler effect

when a wave source and receiver are moving frequency of received signal will not be the same as the source  
→ when moving towards each other frequency is higher than source  
→ when moving away from each other frequency is lesser.

the frequency of received signal

$$f_R = f_C + f_D$$

source Doppler frequency

$$f_D = \frac{V}{\lambda} \cos \theta$$

wavelength of carrier

Delay spread  $\rightarrow$  when signal propagates from transmitter to receiver signal suffers reflection. this forces the signal to follow different paths of varied path length. the time of arrival from each path is different causing spreading of signal (intersymbol interference)

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Why modelling is important?

→ channels have various effects on them, some of which is adverse. One must be able to analyse the effects of the channel on the transmitted signal and to predict the reception of the signal. → rather than directly making the channel (which is costly) we simulate the channel in various conditions to analyse the performance in various selected conditions.

### Introduction to channel modelling

channel modelling is necessary to study & analyse a wireless system. So testing out channel properties is essential as these contribute to performance.

of the system.

→ Time varying or static → multipath effect makes the channel time varying and depending on location (distortion, interference, quality of signal behaviour). Effect of mobility which results in rapid fluctuations of received power.

- slower movement, lower variation  
→ time dispersion | how does this work → causes interference by pulse spreading
- symbol interpretation by pulse spreading
- linear | nonlinear (not proportional to  $|f|^2$ ) caused by distortion (change in shape of signal)
- low pass filter (allows signal width and frequency lower than certain threshold) attenuates
- channels may be fading or shadowing
- time dispersion → display of multiple pathways than that expected signal in time  $\Rightarrow$  that length of time of signal is received is greater than that signal was sent out.
- reflection → occurs when the radio wave hits a surface with much greater wavelength and bounces off
- diffraction → occurs when the path the wave takes is blocked by a dense object (with much greater wavelength) forming secondary wave behind obstacle which bend around the obstacle.
- scattering → when wave hits a rough surface then the wave is scattered with numerous waves reflected energy from surface with dimensions causing reflected energy (part of signal reach receiver using range (part of signal to scatter (tx signal reach receiver using range (part of signal to direction))

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Deep Fade →

Principle of fading & deep fade: Review area  
→ used to combat fading superimposition

Traditionally



Transmit through link → two single link of multiple types of  
No attenuation ~~to any node~~ → It is in deep fade disrupt transmission of signal

Example → stopping at traffic junction

right and returning FM

broadcast degenerate into

state, signal is reacquired.

of the vehicle moves function

of a motor: (momentary lack

experienced due to vehicle

distribution interference)

If single link is in a deep  
fade performance of commun  
ication systems

strong disturbance  
due to deep  
interference is  
called as deep fade  
which may result  
in temporary

failure of  
communication  
due to severe  
drop in SNR ratio

To avoid deep fade

- consider a system with multiple links

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alternative paths are

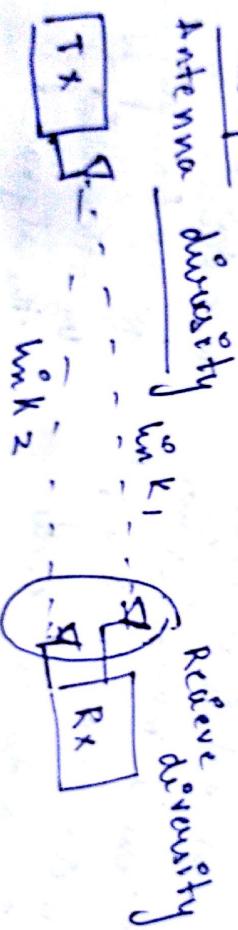
present for signal to propagate from transmitter to receiver.

thus, communication is disrupted

Diversity term means many alternative paths

Example

Antenna diversity



Receive diversity

↓  
multiple receive antennas.

1. receiver gets redundant copy of the same signal and it selects signal with greater power.

Multiple transmit antennas → transmit diversity

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diversity

Then choose the signal with  
a greater <sup>length of the</sup> ~~length of the~~ <sup>in</sup>

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intensity  $\rightarrow$  make the receivers of the same signal are  
transmitted using different paths  
 $\rightarrow$  main difference between behaviour of wave has  
and wired media is the extensive fluctuations

of multipath and shadow fading  
 $\rightarrow$  In order to dampen its the effects of fading  
when operating when operating with a fixed  
power transmitter, the power must be  
controlled by several orders of magnitude  
relative to non fading situation  
 $\rightarrow$  Ensure that the same  
degree of diversity  $\rightarrow$  receiver on statistically  
information reaches the receiver  
independent channels never with  
independent use of receiver to  
with the pump use assumed to  
2 antennas. The antennas and the  
be far enough from each other and the  
so as to scale fading or independent of the antenna  
of antennas. The receiver uses  
that has longer receive power.

Types → Macro diversity →  $\lambda$  large scale. New  
 → Micro diversity →  $\lambda$  small scale. Repetition of signal with

by a fraction of  $\lambda$ . Choose the signal with greater strength.

Shading → space diversity → wind → uses multiple paths between transceivers

Waves → transmit multiple frames within antennas

→ receive diversity (multiple receiver antennas)

① diversity receiver antennas

separated by a distance of  $\frac{1}{2} \lambda$

to have diversity when receiver antennas are located at different sites.

Polarization → single polarized antenna → waves that are transmitted/received are either horizontal

dual polarized → 2 separate set of transverse waves each having horizontal and vertical polarization

Angle diversity → antennas with different radiation patterns eg horn antenna and vertical antenna

are used.

① Frequency diversity → we move than 1 carrier frequency

of transmitter operating at different frequencies

used in micro wave communication that employs frequency band 2 - 60 GHz in FDM mode.

② Time diversity → multiple versions of the same signal are transmitted in various time instants

time difference =  $\frac{1}{\text{fading bandwidth}}$

fading bandwidth

$$= 2 \times \text{speed of } MS$$

dB form whenever

$$0/10 = 10^0 = 1$$

on substituting

$$\frac{P_r}{P_t} = \frac{h_r \times h_t \times \left(\frac{\lambda}{4\pi d}\right)^2}{\left(h_r \times \pi \times 5000\right)^2}$$

$$= 6.3 \times 1 \times \left( \frac{1.116}{10^7 \times 6 \times 10^{-5}} \right)^2$$

$$G_r dB = 10 \log_{10} G_t dB_i$$

$$G_r dB = 10 \log_{10} 1.98 \times 10^{-9}$$

$$= 1.98 \times 10^{-9} \text{ dB}_i$$

$$= -87 \text{ dB}$$

$$\frac{P_r}{P_t} = \left( \frac{h_r \pi d}{\lambda} \right)^2 \times \frac{1}{h_t \times h_r}$$

$$= \left( \frac{h_r \pi \times 5000}{1.116} \right)^2 \times \frac{1}{6.3 \times 1}$$

$$= 5031 \text{ H } 2.262 \cdot 2 \text{ dB}_i$$

$$G_r dB = 10 \log_{10} G_t dB_i$$

$$= 87 \text{ dB}$$

dB is a logarithmic ratio of power

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Problems → Attenuation →

Free space attenuation →

$$P_r = P_t + G_t + G_r - \left( \frac{\lambda}{4\pi d} \right)^2$$

$$\text{Given frequency} = 881.52 \text{ MHz}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{c}{f} = \frac{3 \times 10^8 \text{ m/s}}{881.52 \text{ MHz}}$$

To convert m to ft

$$m \times 3.281 = \text{ft}$$

$$0.34032 \times 3.281 = 1.116 \text{ ft.}$$

As distance is given in ft we can

is required

$$P_r = P_t + G_r \left( \frac{\lambda}{4\pi d} \right)^2$$

Gain should be expressed in  $\text{dBi}^\circ$

$$G_{dB} = 10 \log_{10} (\text{Gain}) \Rightarrow P_{dB} = 10 \log_{10} \text{Power}$$

$$G_{dB}^\circ = 10 \log_{10} G_{dB}$$

$$8 \text{ dB} = 10 \log_{10} G_{dB}^\circ$$

$$8/10 = 10^{0.8} = 6.3 [ + \text{space matter}]$$

3.1  
3.2  
3.3

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ft inversion

$$3.281 = \text{ft}$$

$$1.1 \text{ m ft}$$

$$\frac{\text{ft}}{\text{m}} = \text{v}_{\text{rel}}$$

as the vehicle  
is moving towards  
source.

$$= \frac{88}{1.1 \text{ m}}$$

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$$\frac{P_t}{P_r} = \left[ \frac{d^2}{h_b h_m} \right]^2 \times \frac{1}{G_b G_m} = \left[ \frac{5000^2}{100 \times 5} \right] \times \frac{1}{6.3 K_1}$$

$$= 396825396 \cdot 8 \text{ dB}^{\circ}$$

$$\text{To find } b \text{ dB} = 10 \log_{10} G \text{ dB}^{\circ}$$

$$86 \text{ dB}$$

Problem → Doppler's spread  $P_{MW} = \frac{P_{dBm}}{1 \text{ mW}} \times 10^{P_{dBm}/10}$

60 miles | hr → feet | sec

$$1 \text{ m} = 5280 \text{ ft}$$

$$P_{MW} = 1 \text{ W} \times \frac{10(P_{dBm}/10)}{1000}$$

$$1 \text{ hr} = 60 \text{ min}$$

$$1 \text{ min} = 60 \text{ sec}$$

$$\frac{60 \text{ miles}}{0 \text{ hr}} \cdot \frac{5280 \text{ ft}}{1 \text{ miles}} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ hr}}{60 \text{ min}} \cdot \frac{1 \text{ min}}{60 \text{ sec}}$$

$$= \frac{5280}{60} = \underline{\underline{88 \text{ ft}}}$$

$$\text{Doppler shift} = fm = \frac{v \cdot v_s}{c}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{c}{f_c} = \frac{3 \times 10^8}{860 \text{ MHz}} = 0.3488 \text{ m}$$

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problems on LCR and A.R.F

$$i_i R = \sqrt{2\pi} \cdot f_m \cdot I \cdot e^{-(\rho^2)}$$

$$i_m \rho = 1$$

$$f_m = 20 \text{ Hz}$$

on substituting

$$i_i R = 18 \text{ m fading}$$

$$\text{where } \eta = \frac{c}{f}$$

$$f_m = \frac{v}{\lambda} \quad \text{where } \lambda = \frac{c}{f_m}$$

considering  $L \mu = 0$

$$= \frac{c}{f} \quad \text{m/s}$$

$$f_m = \sqrt{\frac{c}{\lambda}} = 20 \times \frac{3 \times 10^8}{900 \times 10^{-2}} = 6.66 \text{ m/s}$$

$$v = f_m + \frac{c}{f} = f_m + \frac{c - \rho^2}{f \cdot f_m} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}$$

Average fade duration

$$= \frac{c - (\rho)}{1 \times 20} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} = 0.00432$$

$$\text{Taking } f_m = 44 \text{ Hz}$$

$$- i_i R = \sqrt{2\pi} \times 44 \times 1 \times 10^{-1} \times e^{-0.00432}$$

$$ADF = \frac{c^{-1}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \cdot \frac{1}{k^4}$$

$$= 1.906 \times 10^{-3} \text{ s} \text{ dither} \\ \text{We infer that more time shift} \\ \text{means fades}$$

Calculate ADF and LCR for  $f_m = 8.8 \text{ Hz}$

$$LCR = 81 \text{ fades} \rightarrow$$

$$ADF = 1.66 \times 10^{-3} \text{ s.}$$

$\frac{dB}{2}$

Want

$\text{dBm} \rightarrow \text{transmitter}$   
 $-2 \text{ dB} \rightarrow \text{cable}$

$+10 \text{ dBi} \rightarrow \text{Transmitter antenna}$

$+14 \text{ dBi} \rightarrow \text{repeater antenna}$

$-2 \text{ dB} \rightarrow \text{cable}$

$10 \text{ dB}$

$-114 \text{ dB} \rightarrow \text{free space loss}$

$-74 \text{ dBm} \rightarrow \text{dBm because it is at the receiver and must be compared with}$

$-82 \text{ dBm}$

the repeater sensitivity

$\approx$

$-79 \text{ dBm}$

$+15$

$-2$

$+14$

$-2$

$+10$

$-2$

$\approx$

$-89 \text{ dBm}$

$10 \text{ dB}$

link margin

$3 \text{ dB}$

$-114 \text{ dB}$

$-79 \text{ dBm}$