

Chapter 2: Exercises for dB, bandwidth, and channel capacity

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1. Derive the dB values of the following power ratios:
 - (a) 12345
 - (b) 0.00005
2. Derive the power ratios of the following dB values:
 - (a) $-50dB$
 - (b) $33dB$
3. Derive the dBm values of the following power values:
 - (a) $5W$
 - (b) $0.007mW$
4. Derive the power values of the following with unit watt:
 - (a) $-66dBm$
 - (b) $-33dBW$
5. Given a signal waveform in the time domain, what are the three components to determine its bandwidth?
6. Read the article in the link (<http://www.afar.net/tutorials/fcc-rules>), answer the following questions:
 - (a) What is the maximal transmission power fed into the antenna?
 - (b) What is the meaning of EIRP?
 - (c) What is dBi?
 - (d) What kind of antenna can achieve 30dBi?
 - (e) How much it cost?

7. Download the latest IEEE 802.11 standard (attached), answer the following questions
 - a) How IEEE specify the requirements for power spectral density for a 20 MHz channel?
 - b) Why some people claim that the same channel has a bandwidth 22MHz?
8. If a binary signal is transmitted through a $16kHz$ noiseless channel, what is the maximum data rate?
9. If the SNR of a $14kHz$ channel is $26dB$, what is the maximum data rate?