

Exercise 3

Task 1. A transmitter is supplied with 10 W of power and has an antenna with a 9 dBi gain and 4 dB of line losses. The receiver is located at a 21 km distance from the transmitter, and has an antenna with a 30 dBi gain and 4 dB of line losses. The system operating frequency is 4 GHz. Calculate the EIRP and the unfaded RSL.

Task 2. An UHF cellular system operator has decided that in order to guarantee minimum service quality the RSL at user mobile terminals must be no less than -45 dBm. The chosen operating frequency is 1 GHz.

- a) Considering that at the Base Station the transmitted power is 40 W, the feeder losses are 8 dB, and the antenna gain is 5 dBi, while the typical user device has antenna gain 0 dBi and feeder losses at 2 dB, calculate the maximum cell radius which meets the transmission quality requirement for all users in the cell.
- b) Find out how much larger area coverage can be obtained by the same Base Station if the operating frequency is changed to 800 MHz.

Task 3. Calculate (a) the free space loss and (b) the plane earth loss (two-ray model) assuming a frequency of 2 GHz, antenna heights of 15 m and 1.5 m, and distance between transmitter and receiver 21 km.

Task 4. What level of input signal S_I is required for an output $S_O/N_O = 10$ dB in a receiver with noise figure equal to 6 dB, and effective noise bandwidth of 0.1 MHz? Assume room temperature (20 °C).