



*Performance Analysis of SCM Optical
Transmission Link for Fiber-to-the-Home*

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Introduction: FTTH & WDM-PON

Increasing Data Services Requirements

- Continued increasing data bandwidth demand
- DSL & Cable Modem unlikely to meet longer term needs

Cost Improvements

- Cost of optoelectronic equipment continues to decline
- Reduced maintenance costs

Competition

- Entertainment Video Overlay

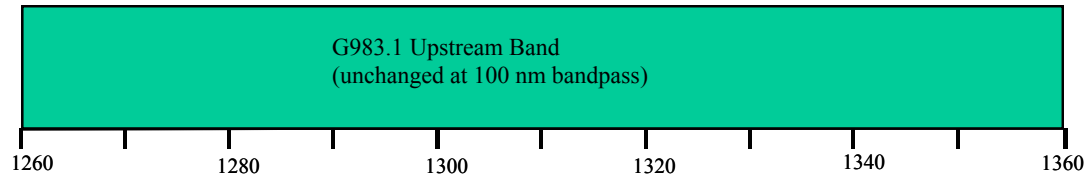
Technology Improvements

- Future Access Network “One for All” Architecture

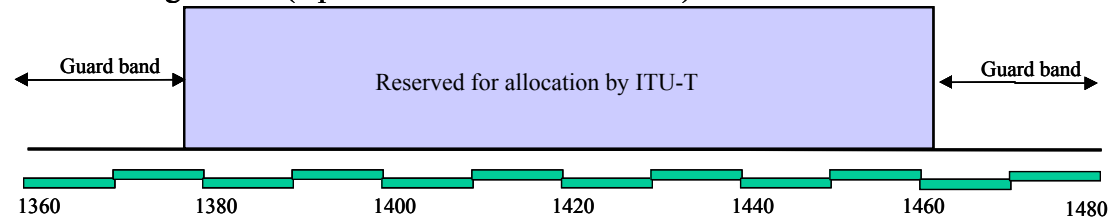


ITU-T G.983.3 Wavelength Allocation Standard

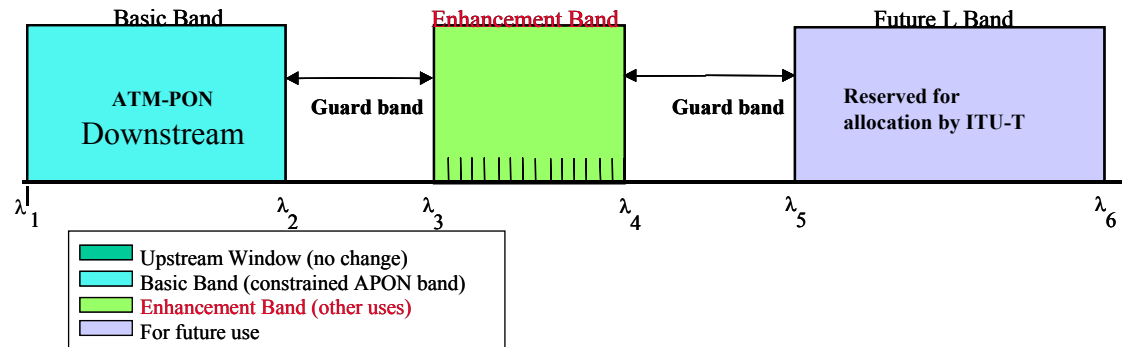
1.3 μm wavelength band (Upstream)



Intermediate wavelength band (Upstream and/or Downstream)



1.5 μm wavelength band (Upstream and/or Downstream)

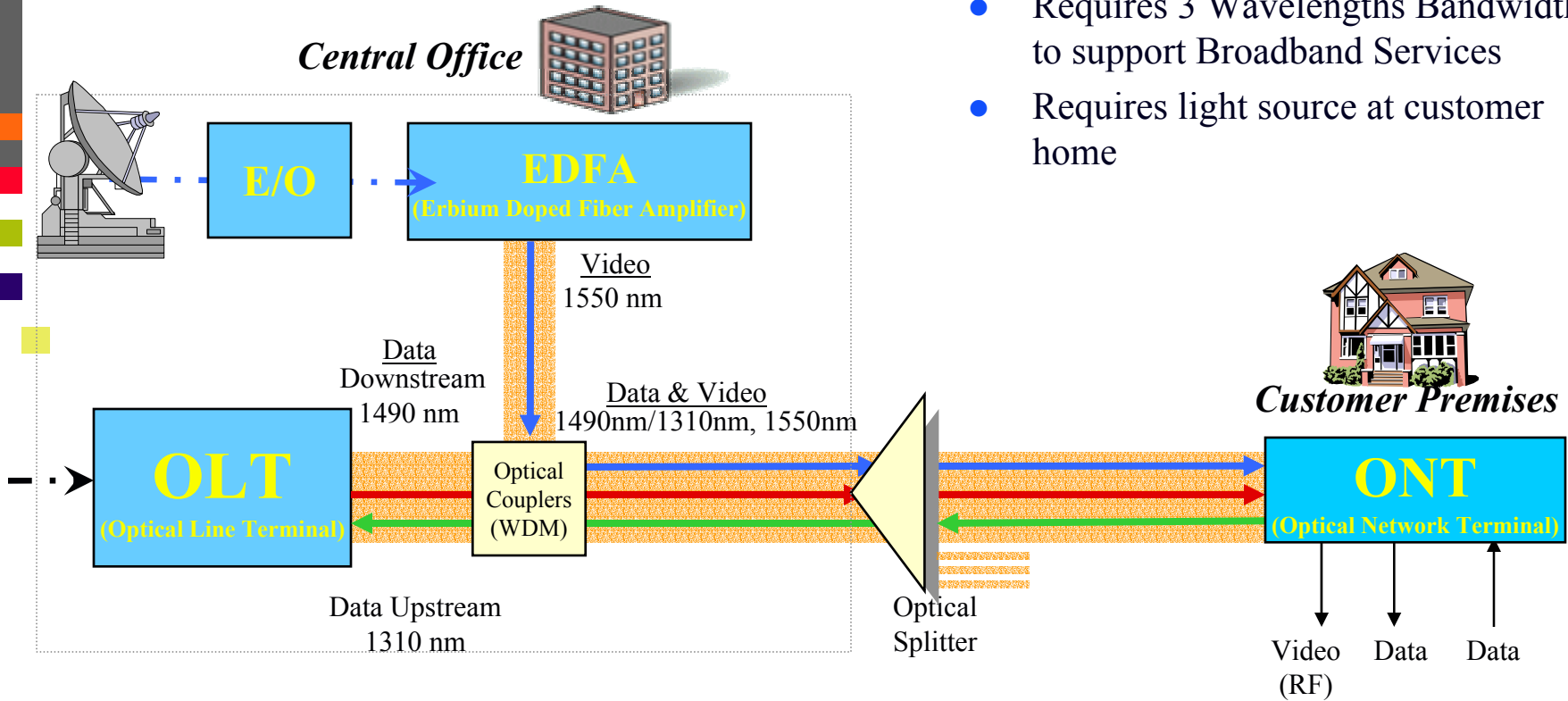


ITU-T G.983.3 standard for Enhancement Band

- 1.5 μm wavelength Enhancement band (Upstream and /or Downstream)
- Application options at Enhancement Band (1539nm to 1560nm) are:
 - 1) Additional Digital Service Uses
 - 2) Video Distribution Service

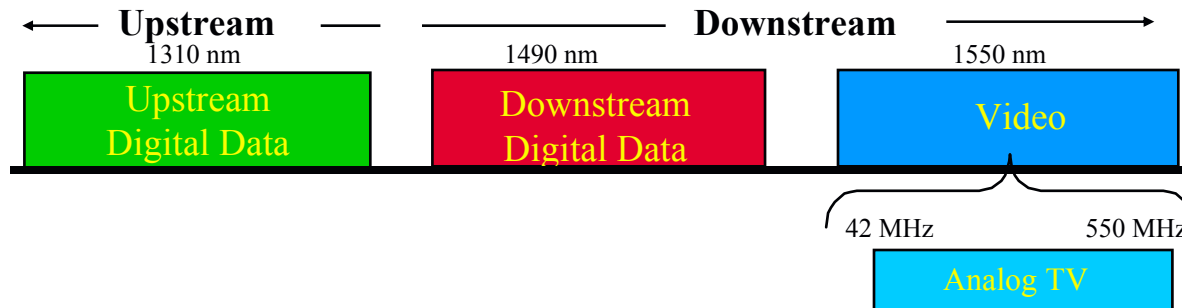


WDM-PON Network Architecture

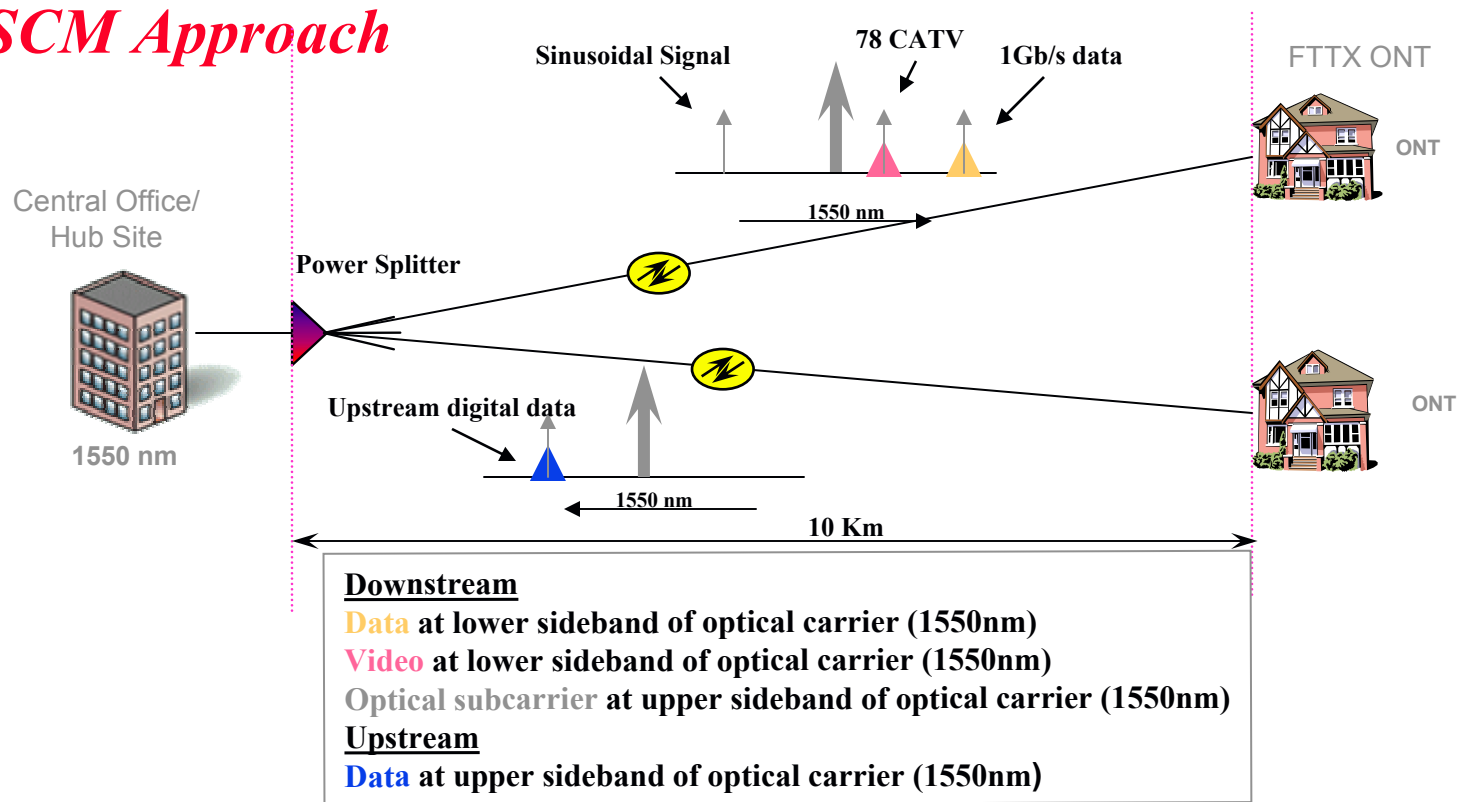


- Requires 3 Wavelengths Bandwidth to support Broadband Services
- Requires light source at customer home

Bandwidths & Services



SCM Approach



Use Microwave double side band technology

- Optical modulated 78 CATV channel & 1 Gb/s digital data at the lower side band of optical carrier.
- At the same time, Optical modulated a sinusoidal RF signal at the upper side band of optical carrier and deliver from CO to Customer, this optical RF signal is used as optical light source for upstream data transmission. Therefore, no laser source requires at customer side.



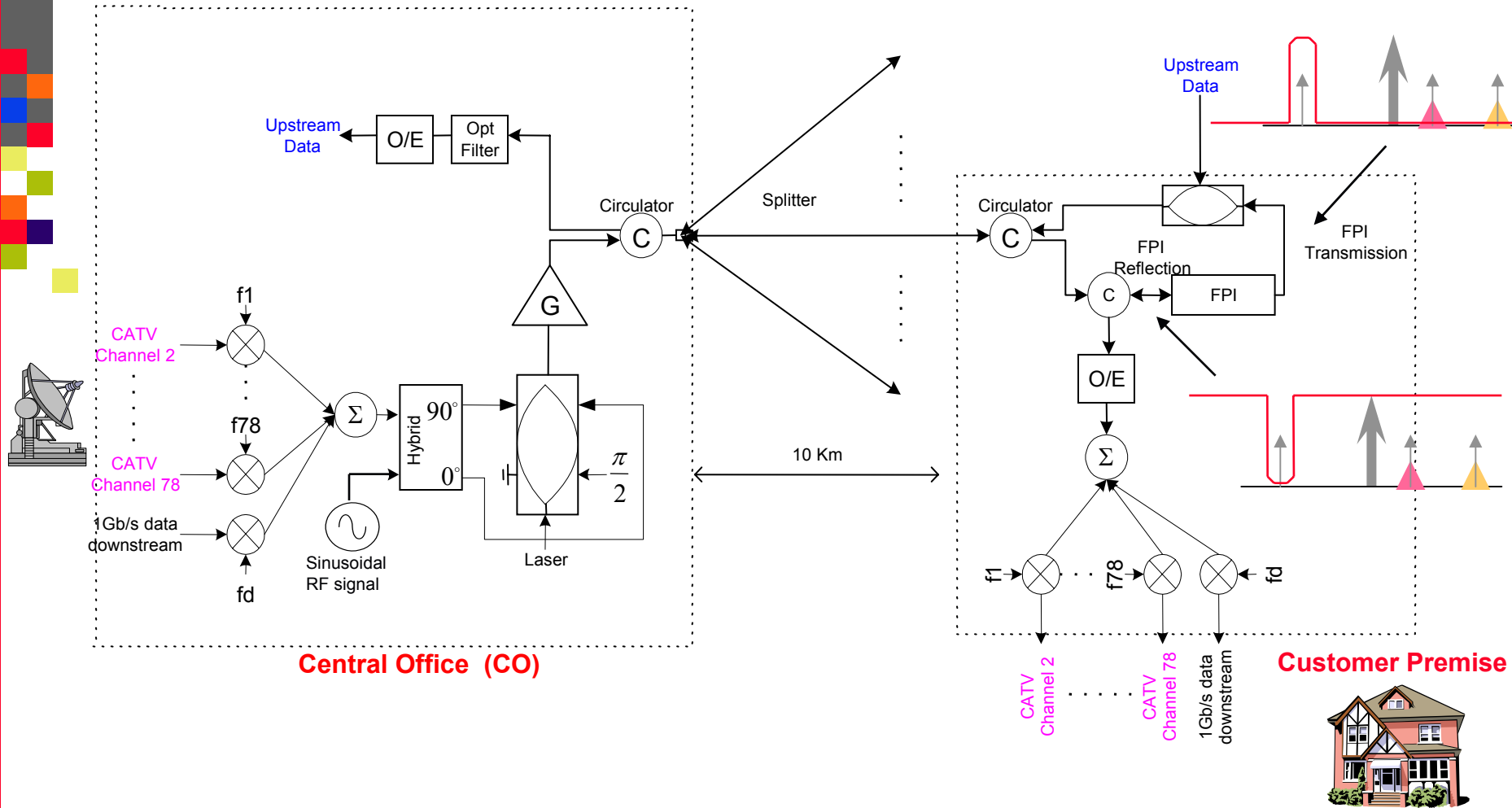
Project Goal

- Examine Physical Transmission Performance Using SCM Approach transmitting 78 CATV channel and 1Gb/s digital channel from CO to Customer Premises
 - Analyze 78 Analog CATV Carrier-to-Noise Ratio (CNR) Performance
 - Analyze 1Gb/s Digital Channel Q-Value Performance
 - Analyze the fiber crosstalk in SCM Network
 - Stimulated Raman Scattering (SRS)
 - Cross Phase Modulation (XPM)
 - Four wave Mixing (FWM)
 - Evaluated the Overall Transmission Performance due to fiber crosstalk

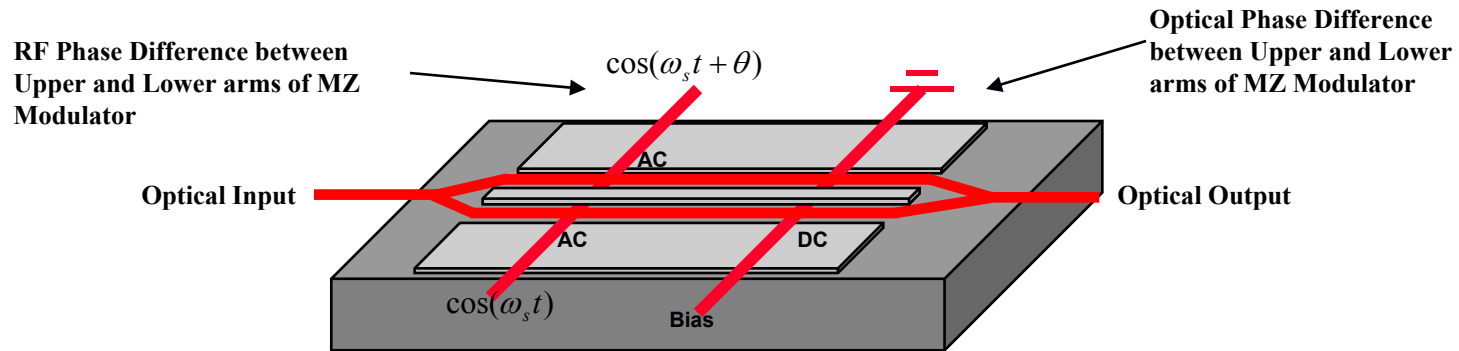
This project is the first time to demonstrate for this comprehensive analysis using microwave double side band technology for FTTH application



SCM Network Architecture



Optical Modulation & MZ Modulator

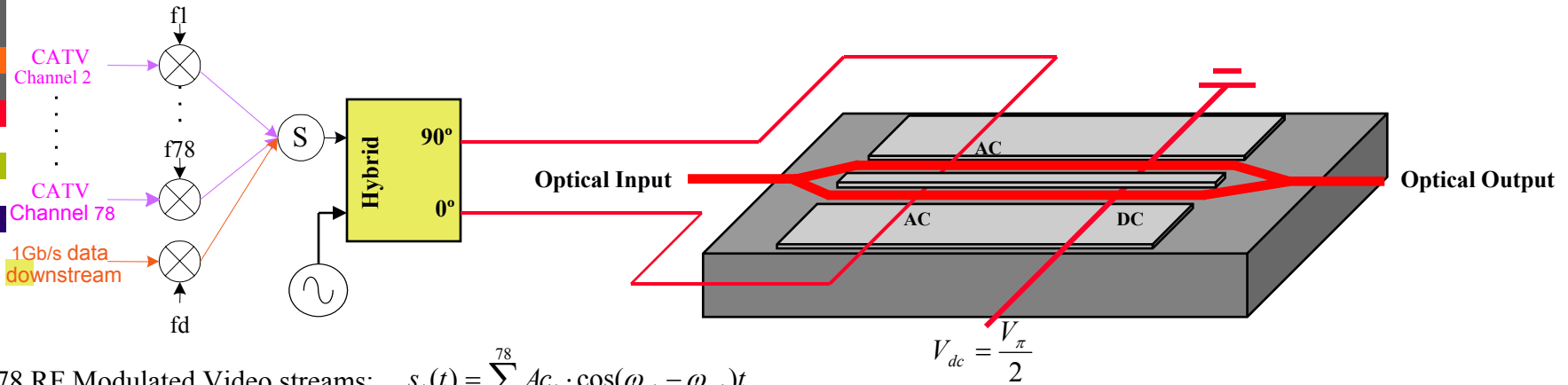


Optical Output
$$E_o(t) = \frac{A}{2} \left\{ \cos \left[\omega_c t + \frac{V_{dc}}{V_\pi} \pi + \frac{V_{ac}}{V_\pi} \pi \cos \omega_i t \right] + \cos \left[\omega_c t + \frac{V_{ac}}{V_\pi} \pi \cos(\omega_i t + \theta) \right] \right\} \quad [1]$$

	Optical $\Delta\psi = -\frac{\pi}{2}$	Optical $\Delta\psi = \pi$	Optical $\Delta\psi = \frac{\pi}{2}$
RF $\Delta\theta = -\frac{\pi}{2}$			
RF $\Delta\theta = \pi$			
RF $\Delta\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$			



Optical Single Side Band Modulation



78 RF Modulated Video streams: $s_i(t) = \sum_{i=1}^{78} A c_i \cdot \cos(\omega_{c_i} - \omega_{m_i})t$

Downstream digital RF Channel: $s_d(t) = x(t) \cdot \cos(\omega_d t)$

Upstream RF Channel: $s_u(t) = \cos(\omega_u t)$

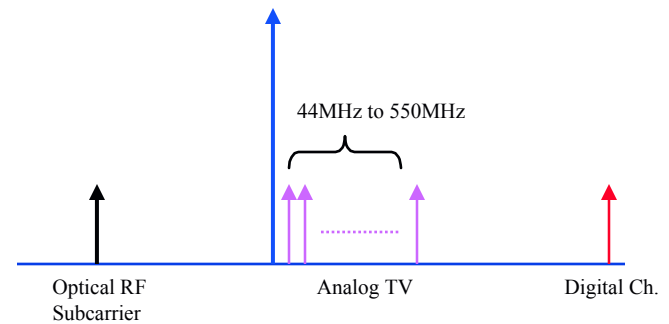
Optical Output

$$E(t) = \frac{E_i}{2} \left\{ J_0\left(\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}\right) [\cos(\omega_c t) - \sin(\omega_c t)] \right\}$$

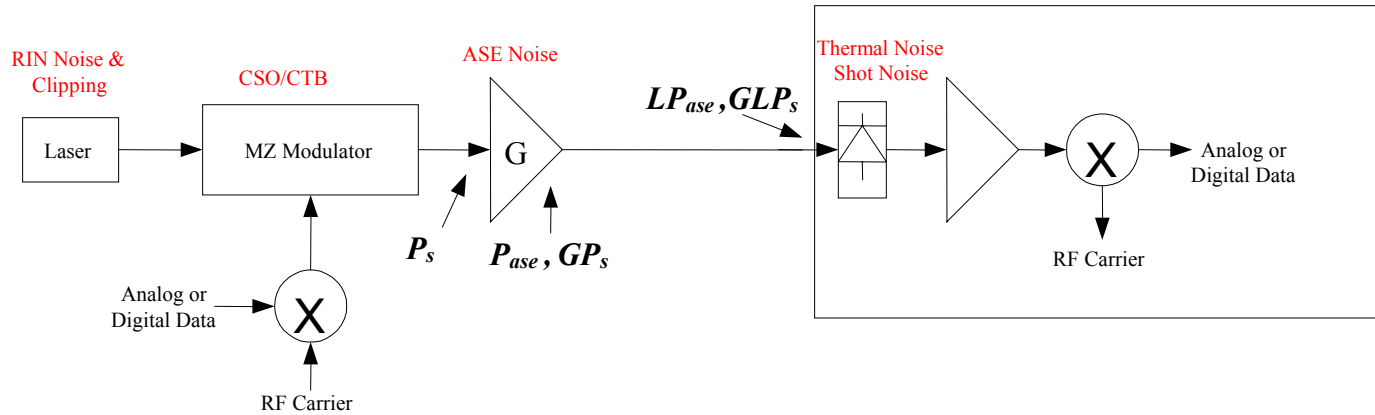
$$- E_i \left\{ J_1\left(\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}\right) \cos\left(\omega_c + \sum_{i=1}^{78} (\omega_i - \omega_{m_i})t\right) \right\}$$

$$- E_i \left\{ J_1\left(\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}\right) x(t) \cos(\omega_c + \omega_d)t \right\}$$

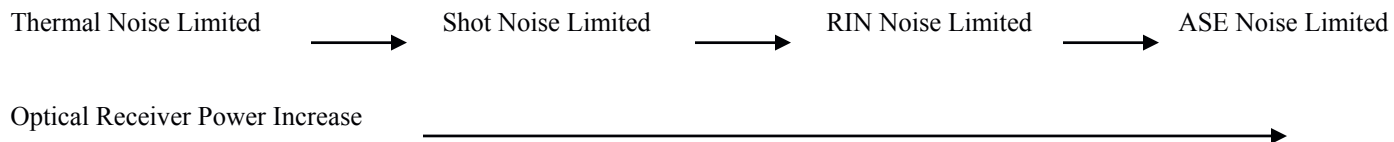
$$- E_i \left\{ J_1\left(\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}\right) \cos(\omega_c - \omega_u)t \right\}$$



Noise Contributions in Optical Transmission



- **Thermal Noise:** Noise is generated in resistive elements (Photo-detector)
- **Shot Noise:** Noise is generated when an optical signal is incident on the photo-detector
- **RIN Noise:** Noise is generated by spontaneous emission with the laser source
- **Booster Amplifier Noise:** Noise generated by Amplifier
- **Clipping:** It set the fundamental limitation on how much the laser can be clipped for composite input signal
- **Intermodulation Distortion:** Composite second order (CSO) & Composite Triple Beat (CTB) generated by Conventional MZ Modulator

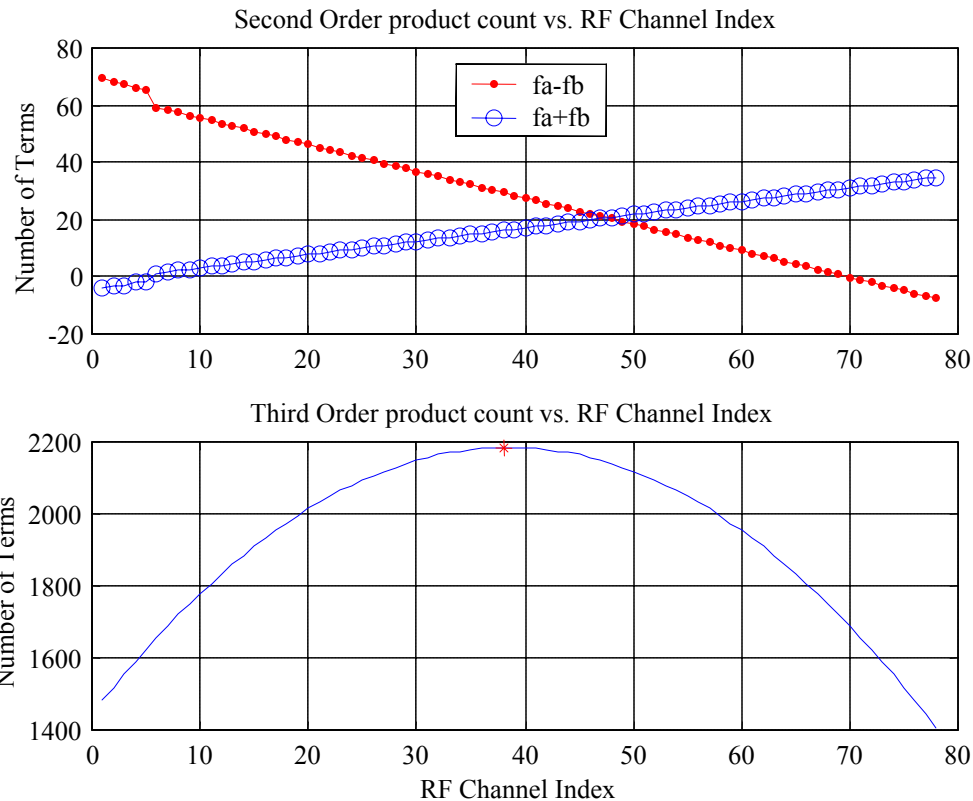


Nonlinear Distortions (CSO, CTB) of Convention MZ Modulator

- Transfer function of MZ modulator is a sine wave-like function of input voltage

$$P_s = P_o \cdot \cos^2 \left[\frac{\pi V(t) - \theta}{V_\pi} \right] = \frac{P_o}{2} + \frac{P_o}{2} \cos \left(\frac{\pi V(t)}{V_\pi} - \theta \right)$$

- Composite Second Order (CSO) : Max 79 CSO Distortion terms fall at RF channel 1**
- Composite Triple Beat (CTB) : Max 2185 CTB distortion terms fall at RF channel 38**



Nonlinear Distortions (CSO, CTB) of Convention MZ Modulator

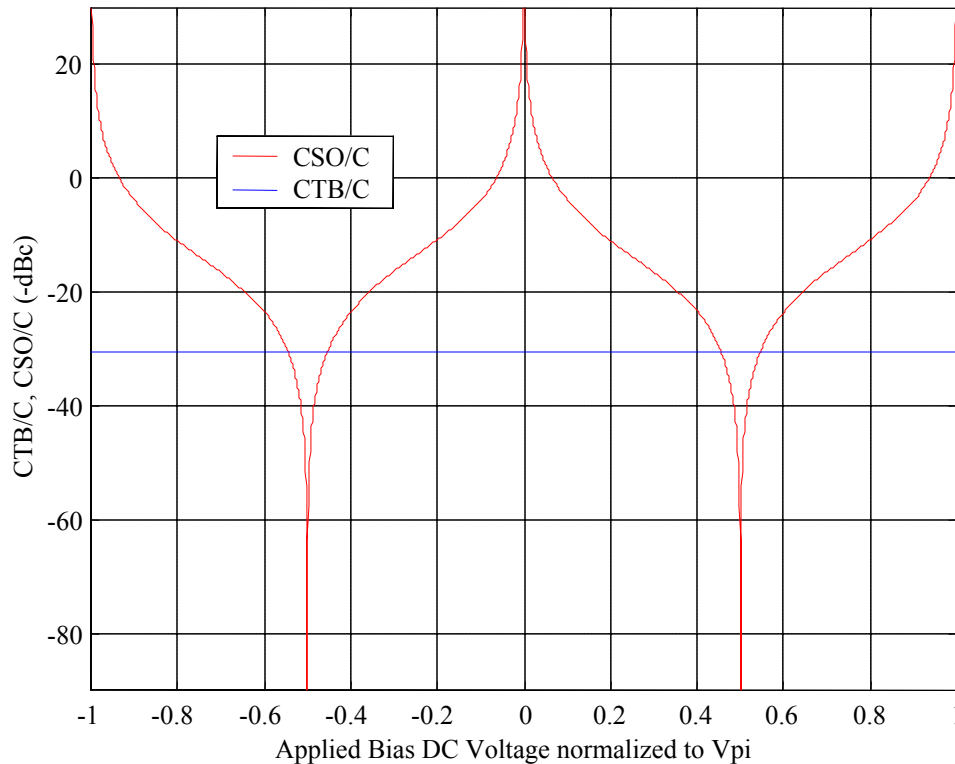
Power ratio of CSO/C

$$\frac{CSO}{C} = \left\{ \frac{2[J_1(\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi})]^2 [J_0(\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi})]^{N-2}}{2J_1(\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}) [J_0(\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi})]^{N-1}} \right\}^2 N_{CSO} \cdot \left\{ \frac{\cos(\frac{\pi}{V_\pi} V_{dc})}{\sin(\frac{\pi}{V_\pi} V_{dc})} \right\}^2$$

Power ratio of CTB/C

$$\frac{CTB}{C} = \left\{ \frac{2[J_1(\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi})]^3 [J_0(\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi})]^{N-3}}{2J_1(\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}) [J_0(\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi})]^{N-1}} \right\}^2 N_{CTB} \cdot \left\{ \frac{\sin(\frac{\pi}{V_\pi} V_{dc})}{\sin(\frac{\pi}{V_\pi} V_{dc})} \right\}^2$$

CTB/C, CSO/C vs. Applied DC bias voltage (OMI=5%)



- CSO Cancelled when Applied DC Voltage bias at $\pm 0.5V_\pi, \pm 1.5V_\pi, \dots$ (Q-point)
- CTB independent of Applied DC Voltage
- CSO is negligible



Transmission Standard & Device Parameter Values

Parameter	FCC Requirement	Typical Value	Project Target
CATV Carrier/Noise	> 43dB [Section 76.605 (a) (7)]	48dB +/- 2dB	50dB
CATV CSO	> 51dBc [Section 76.605 (a) (8)]	-53dBc +/- 2dB	-60dBc
CATV CTB	> 51dBc [Section 76.605 (a) (8)]	-53dBc +/- 2dB	-60dBc
Digital Q-Value	6	6	6

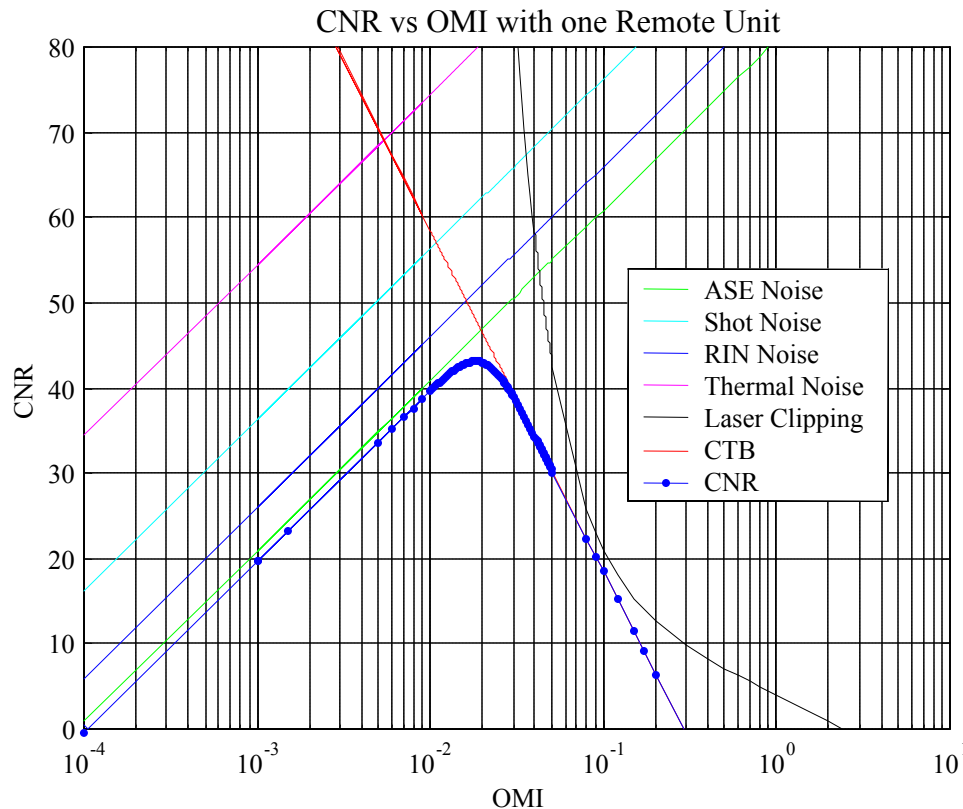
Laser	MZ Modulator	Booster Amplifier	Photodiode
Power = 6, 8 & 10dBm	Loss=5dB	Input Power -1, 1 & 3dBm	Responsivity = 0.8, 0.9A/W
Wavelength = 1550nm	Bandwidth = 20GHz	Output Power = 17dBm	BW = 6MHz (CATV)
RIN=-155, -160dB/Hz		Noise Figure = 5dB	BW = 0.75GHz (Digital)
		nsp = 1.5849	T=300K, Kb=1.38e-23
		Coupling and Isolator loss = 2dB	Resistance = 1000 ohms



CATV CNR Analysis using Conventional MZ Modulator

$$CNR_{total}^{-1} = CNR_{RIN}^{-1} + CNR_{Thermal}^{-1} + CNR_{shot}^{-1} + CNR_{ASE}^{-1} + CNR_{Clipping}^{-1} + CNR_{CTB}^{-1}$$

$$CNR_{total}^{-1} = \left[\frac{m^2 I_p^2}{2RIN \cdot I_p^2 B} \right]^{-1} + \left[\frac{m^2 I_p^2}{8KTB} \right]^{-1} + \left[\frac{m^2 I_p^2}{4qI_p B} \right]^{-1} + \left[\frac{m^2 I_s}{8hfn_{sp} RB} \right]^{-1} + \left[\frac{\sqrt{2\pi}(1+6\mu^2)e^{\frac{1}{2}\mu^2}}{\mu^3} \right]^{-1} + \left[\frac{16}{m^4 \cdot N_{ctb}} \right]^{-1}$$



Parameter Values

- Optical Power budget : 1 end Users
- RIN=-155dB/Hz
- -1dBm input at Booster Amplifier
- R=0.8 A/W

- CNR=43.1dB (Maximum)

C/CTB = 47dB

OMI = 1.84%

- Disregarding CTB term for the moment:

1) CNR increases to 50dB, as OMI increases to 3.4% OMI.

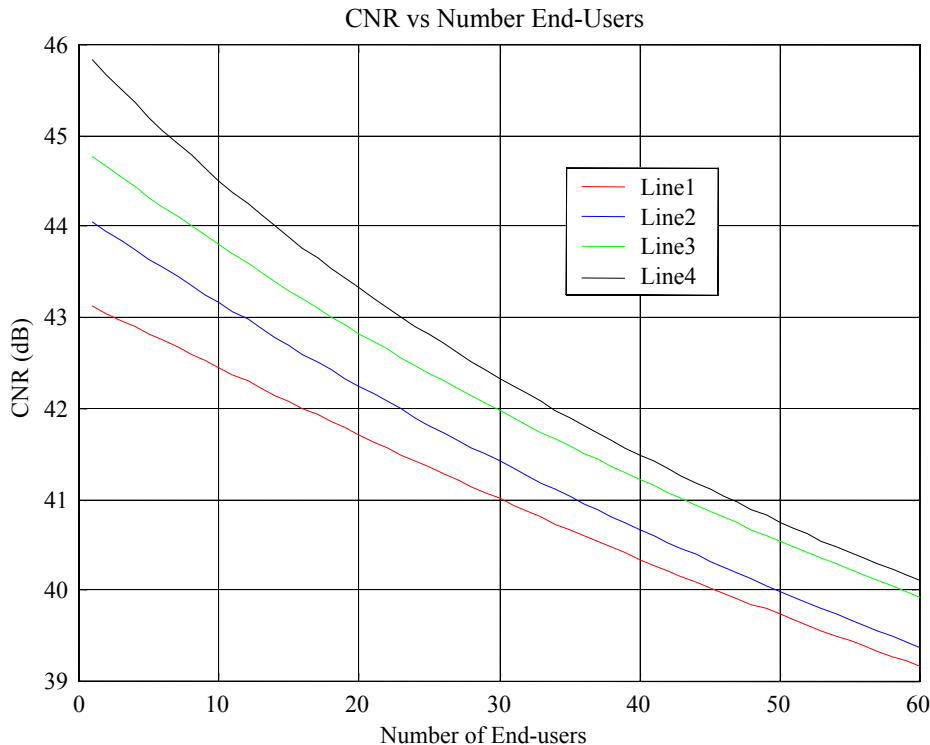
2) As OMI continues to increase, Clipping becomes dominant

3) Optimized OMI from 3% to 5% range



Scalability of SCM network using Conventional MZ Modulator

Parameters	Line 1	Line 2	Line 3	Line 4
Input power at Booster Amplifier	-1dBm	1dBm	1dBm	3dBm
Laser RIN	-155dB/Hz	-155dB/Hz	-160dB/Hz	-160dB/Hz
Photodiode Responsivity	0.8 A/W	0.8 A/W	0.9A/W	0.9 A/W
Fiber distance	10km	10km	10km	10km



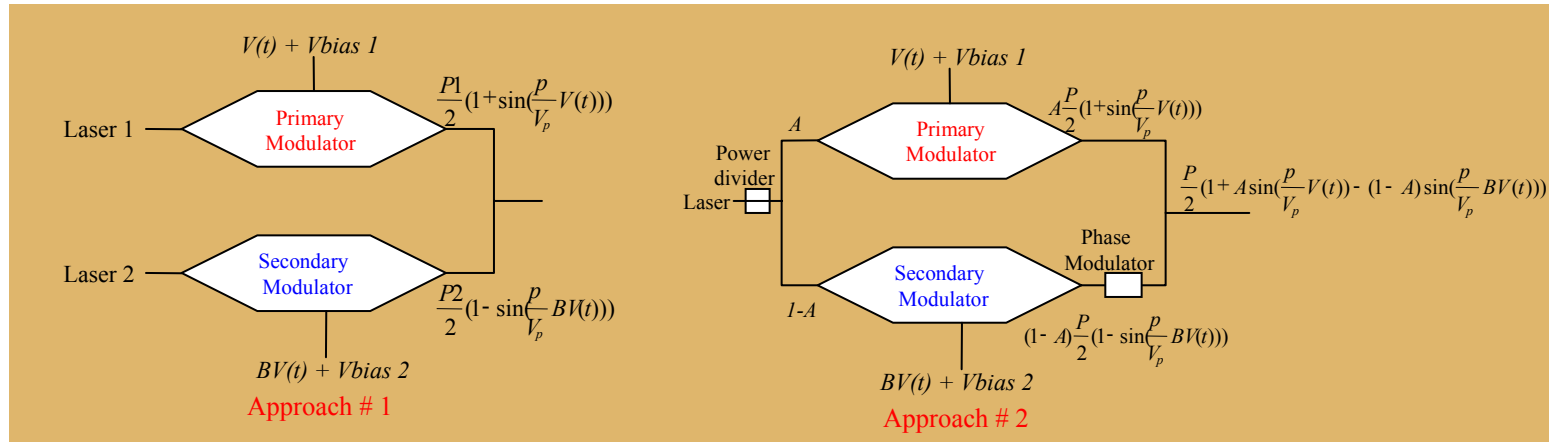
Increase SCM Network Scalability

- Improved ASE Noise
- Improved Laser RIN Noise
- Improved Receiver Noise

- The “SCM/WDM-PON” network scalability can not be improved further as the third order nonlinear distortion (CTB) severe limit overall CNR performance
- It cannot implement in practical CATV network without reduced CTB noise



Dual Parallel Linearized External Modulators



- Primary Modulator bias at Q-point ($V_{dc} = 0.5V_{\pi}$)
- Secondary Modulator bias at Q-point 180° from the point chosen for the primary modulator ($V_{dc} = 1.5V_{\pi}$)
- Apply higher RF driver power and less Optical power to secondary modulator. This result higher OMI and higher distortion. CTB created in secondary modulator can be made to cancel the distortion products from the primary modulator [2]

A = Optical Power Ratio

B = RF Power Ratio

Transfer Function of DPMZ

$$\frac{P_{out}}{P_{in}} = A \cos^2 \left[\frac{\frac{\pi V(t)}{V_{\pi}} - \frac{\pi}{2}}{2} \right] + (1-A) \cos^2 \left[\frac{\frac{\pi V(t)}{V_{\pi}} - \frac{3\pi}{2}}{2} \right] = \frac{1}{2} \left(1 + A \sin \frac{\pi V(t)}{V_{\pi}} - (1-A) \sin \frac{B\pi V(t)}{V_{\pi}} \right)$$

Primary Modulator Transfer Function

Secondary Modulator Transfer Function



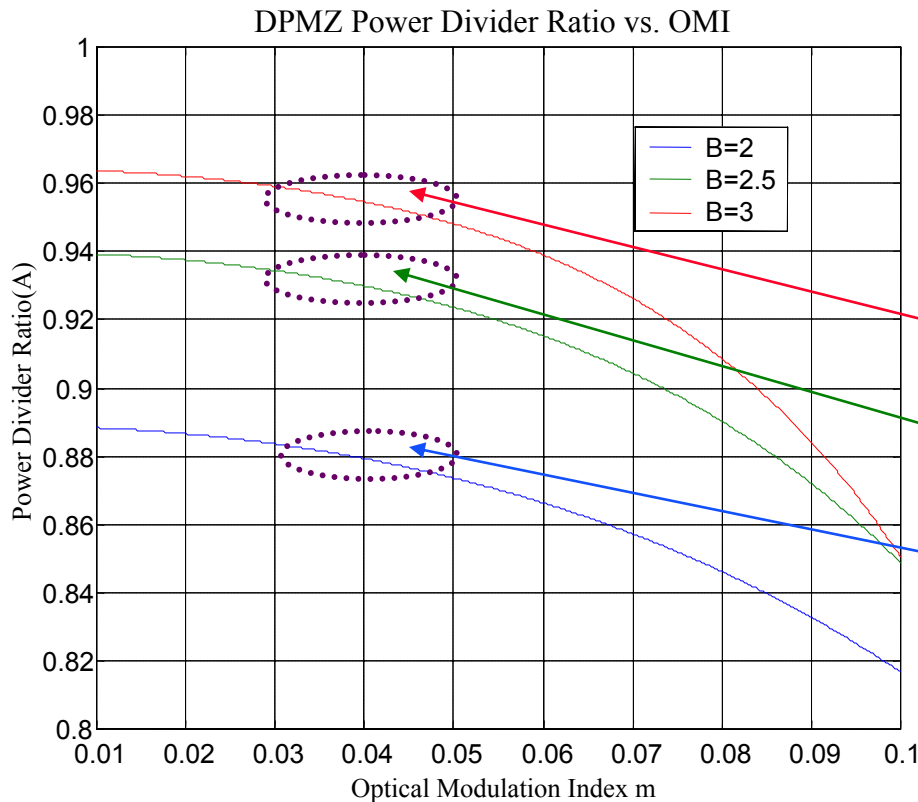
Dual Parallel Linearized External Modulators

- Amplitude of Fundamental carrier with frequency ω_k
- Amplitude of third order distortion component of the frequency $\omega_i + \omega_j + \omega_k$

$$\frac{P_{\omega_k}}{P_{in}} = AJ_1\left(\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}\right)J_0\left(\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}\right)^{N-1} - (1-A)J_1\left(B\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}\right)J_0\left(B\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}\right)^{N-1}$$

$$\frac{P_{\omega_k + \omega_j + \omega_i}}{P_{in}} = AJ_1\left(\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}\right)^3 J_0\left(\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}\right)^{N-3} - (1-A)J_1\left(B\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}\right)^3 J_0\left(B\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}\right)^{N-3}$$

$$A = \frac{J_1\left(B\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}\right)^3 J_0\left(B\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}\right)^{N-3}}{J_1\left(\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}\right)^3 J_0\left(\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}\right)^{N-3} + J_1\left(B\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}\right)^3 J_0\left(B\frac{\pi A}{V_\pi}\right)^{N-3}}$$



The optimize value of OMI is from 3% to 5%, Laser clipping becomes dominant as OMI increases to 5%

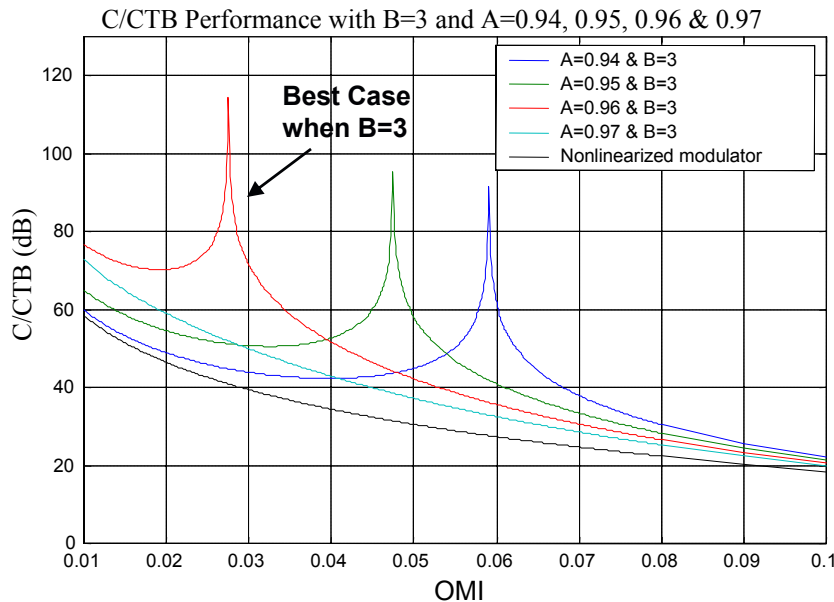
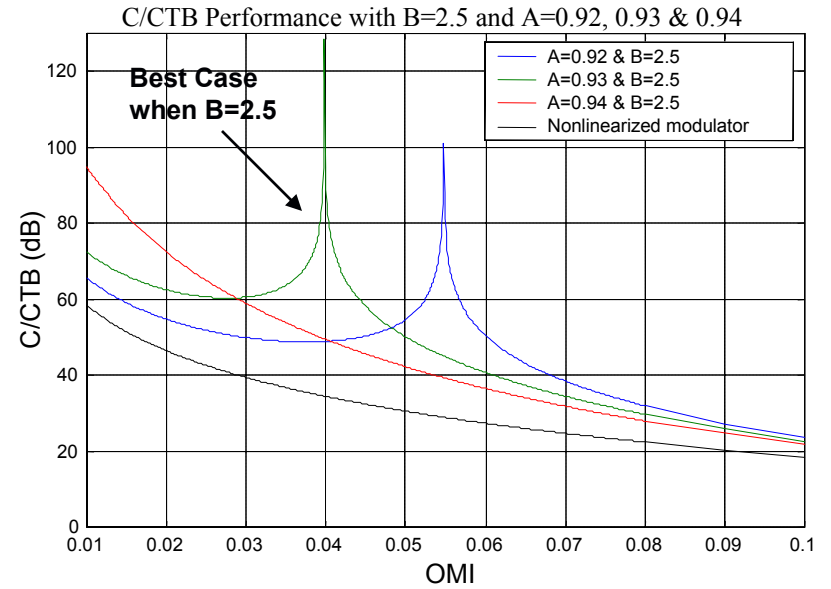
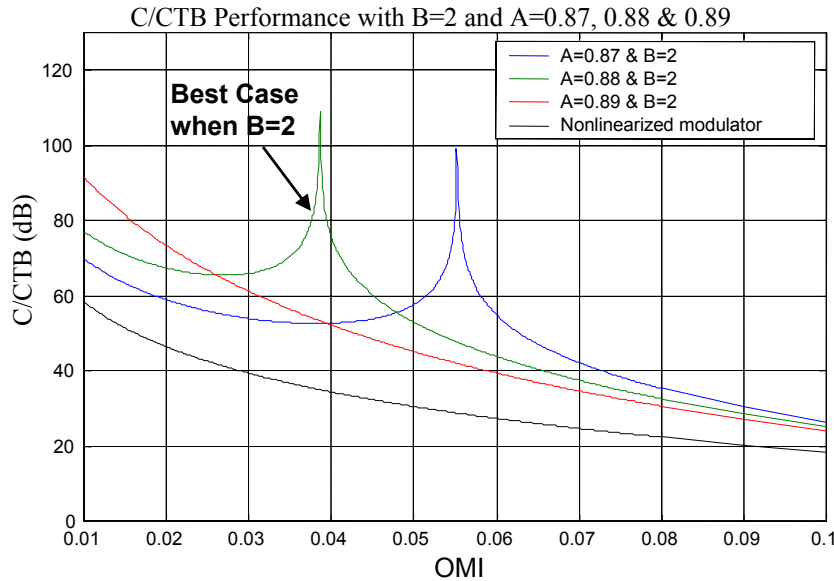
B = 3, A = 0.94 to 0.97

B = 2.5, A = 0.92 to 0.94

B = 2, A = 0.87 to 0.89



DPMZ



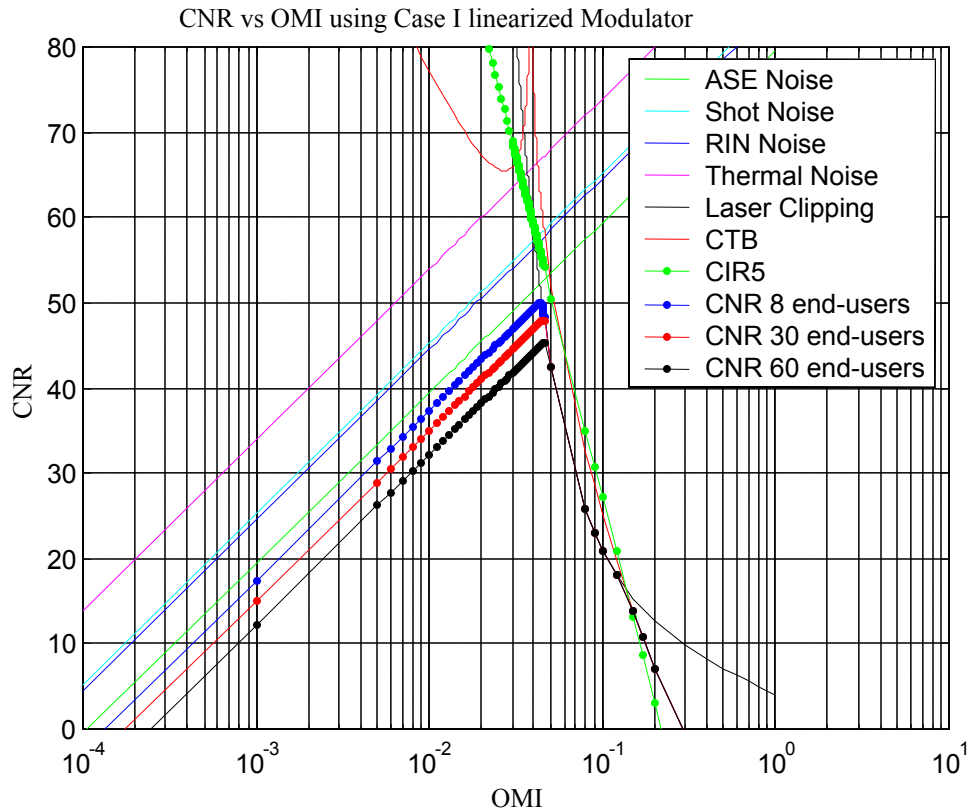
Case I: A=0.88, B=2, OMI = (1% - 4.5%), CTB/C > 60 dB

Case II: A=0.93, B=2.5, OMI = (1% - 4.4%), CTB/C > 60 dB

Case III: A=0.96, B=3, OMI = (1% - 3.4%), CTB/C > 60 dB



CATV CNR Analysis Using Linearized MZ Modulator



Parameter Values

Linear Modulator

- $A = 2$ & $B = 0.88$

Optical Power budget

- 8 Customers
- 30 Customers
- 60 Customers

RIN=-155dB/Hz

-1dBm input at Booster Amplifier

$R=0.8$ A/W

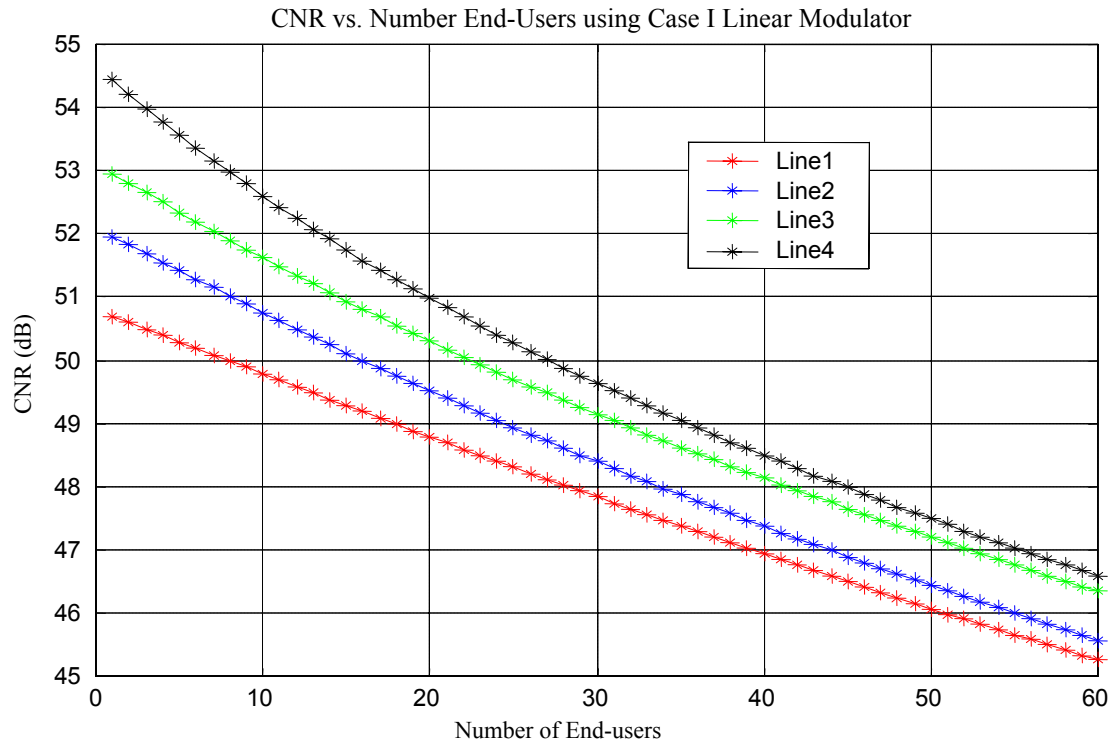
Results

- Optical Power Budget = 8 Customers
- CNR=50dB
- $C/CTB = 60.5$ dBc
- OMI = 4.48%



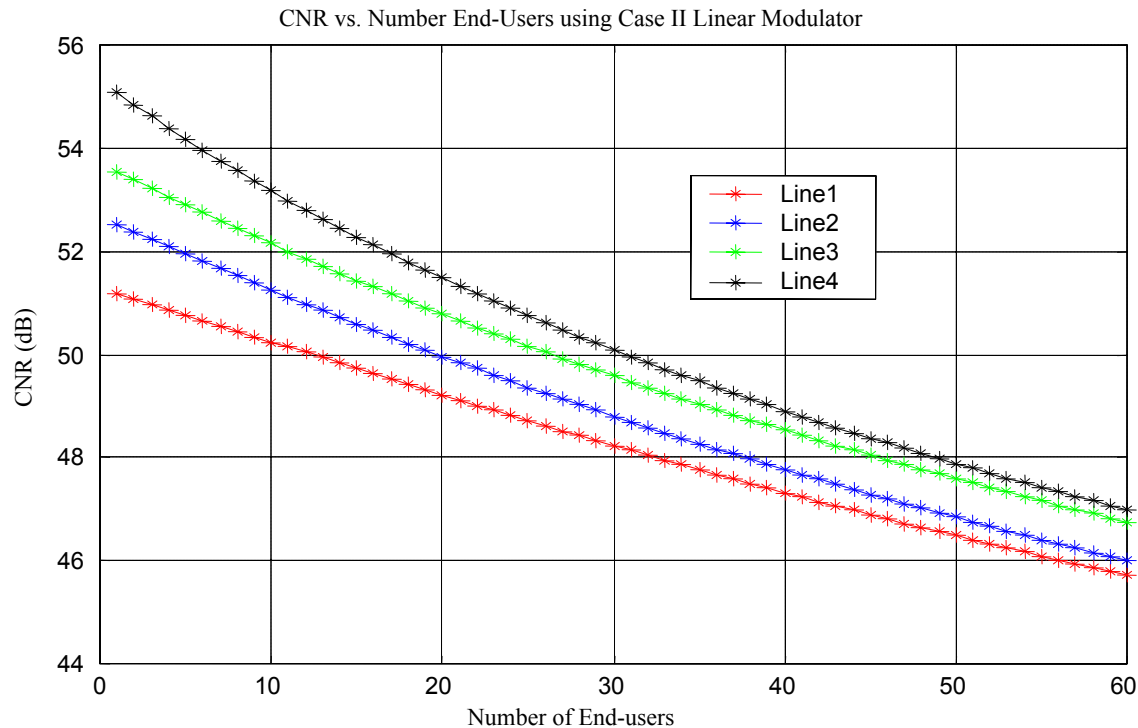
Scalability of SCM Externally M0dulated Optical Link Using DPZM

PARAMETERS	Line 1	Line 2	Line 3	Line 4
Case I : MZ Modulator	A=0.88 & B=2	A=0.88 & B=2	A=0.88 & B=2	A=0.88 & B=2
Input power at Booster Amplifier	-1dBm	1dBm	1dBm	3dBm
Laser RIN	-155dB/Hz	-155dB/Hz	-160dB/Hz	-160dB/Hz
Photodiode Responsivity	0.8 A/W	0.8 A/W	0.9A/W	0.9 A/W
Fiber distance	10km	10km	10km	10km
RESULTS				
No. of End -Users > 50dB CNR	8	15	22	27
CNR per Channel	50 dB	50.1163 dB	50.0553dB	50.0079 dB
C/CTB per Channel	60.4695 dB	60.6555 dB	60.65dB	60.655dB
OMI per Channel	4.48 %	4.47 %	4.47 %	4.47%
Receiver Optical Power per RF Channel	-13.647dBm	-16.37dBm	-18dBm	-18.9dBm



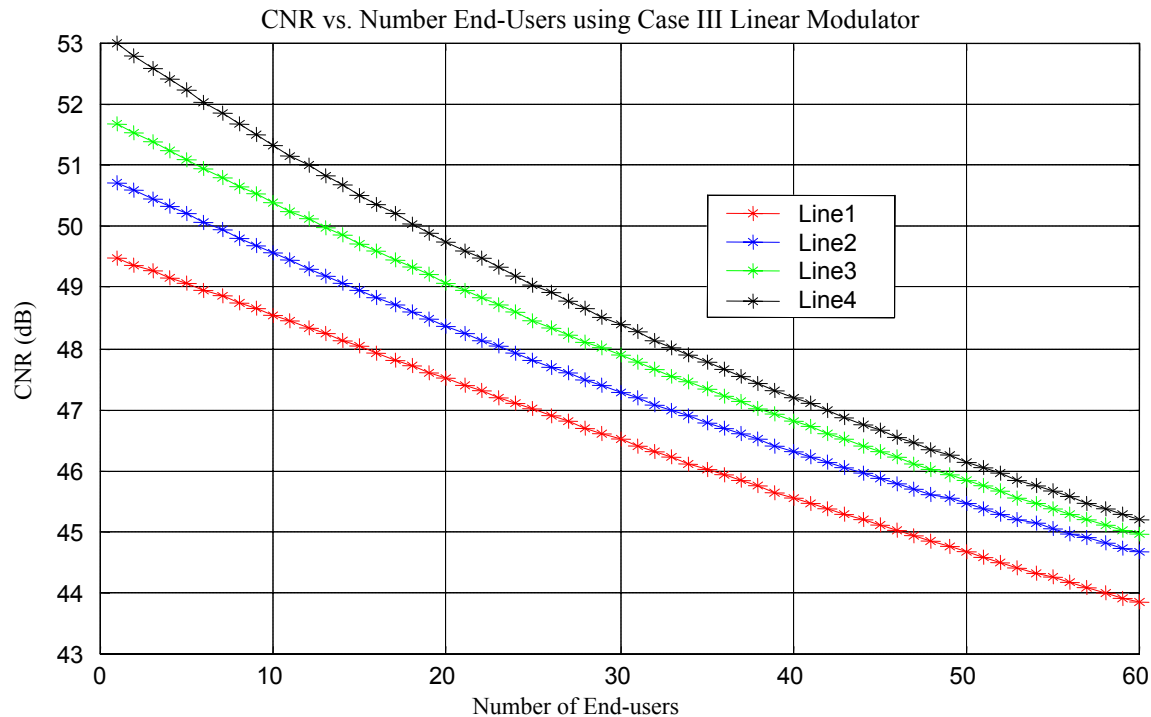
Scalability of SCM Externally Modulated Optical Link Using DPZM

PARAMETERS	Line 1	Line 2	Line 3	Line 4
Case II: MZ Modulator	A=0.93 & B=2.5	A=0.93 & B=2.5	A=0.93 & B=2.5	A=0.93 & B=2.5
Input power at Booster Amplifier	-1dBm	1dBm	1dBm	3dBm
Laser RIN	-155dB/Hz	-155dB/Hz	-160dB/Hz	-160dB/Hz
Photodiode Responsivity	0.8 A/W	0.8 A/W	0.9A/W	0.9 A/W
Fiber distance	10km	10km	10km	10km
RESULTS				
No. of End -Users > 50dB CNR	12	19	26	30
CNR per Channel	50.036 dB	50.085 dB	50.043dB	50.08 dB
C/CTB per Channel	61.9 dB	61.89dB	61.89dB	61.89dB
OMI per Channel	4.34 %	4.34 %	4.34 %	4.34%
Receiver Optical Power per RF Ch	-14.8dBm	-16.8dBm	-18.1dBm	-18.8dBm



Scalability of SCM Externally Modulated Optical Link Using DPZM

Parameters	Line 1	Line 2	Line 3	Line 4
Case III: MZ Modulator	A=0.96 & B=3	A=0.96 & B=3	A=0.96 & B=3	A=0.96 & B=3
Input power at Booster Amplifier	-1dBm	1dBm	1dBm	3dBm
Laser RIN	-155dB/Hz	-155dB/Hz	-160dB/Hz	-160dB/Hz
Photodiode Responsivity	0.8 A/W	0.8 A/W	0.9A/W	0.9 A/W
Fiber distance	10km	10km	10km	10km
RESULTS				
No. of End -Users > 50dB CNR	0	6	12	18
CNR per Channel	49.47 dB	50.062 dB	50.1182dB	50.05 dB
C/CTB per Channel	60.0191 dB	60.0191dB	60.0191dB	60.0191dB
OMI per Channel	3.43 %	3.43 %	3.43 %	3.43%
Receiver Optical Power per RF Channel	-4.6dBm	-12.38dBm	-15.9dBm	-17.6dBm



Digital Data Q-Value Analysis

$$I_p = I \cdot \left\{ \left[2AJ_1\left(\frac{\pi V}{V_\pi}\right)J_0\left(\frac{\pi V}{V_\pi}\right)^{N-1} \cdot x(t) \cdot \cos(\omega_d)t \right] - \left[2(1-A)J_1\left(B\frac{\pi V}{V_\pi}\right)J_0\left(B\frac{\pi V}{V_\pi}\right)^{N-1} \cdot x(t) \cdot \cos(\omega_d)t \right] \right\}$$

$$Q_{BPSK} = \frac{I_p(1) - I_p(-1)}{\sigma(1) + \sigma(-1)} = \frac{2 \cdot I \cdot \left\{ \left[2A\left(\frac{m}{2}\right)e^{-m^2N/4} \right] - \left[2(1-A)\left(\frac{Bm}{2}\right)e^{-B^2m^2N/4} \right] \right\}}{2(\sigma_{Shot} + \sigma_{RIN} + \sigma_{Thermal} + \sigma_{ASE})}$$

$$Q_{QPSK} = \frac{I_p\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) - I_p\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)}{\sigma\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right) + \sigma\left(-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)} = \frac{I \cdot \left\{ \left[2A\left(\frac{m}{2}\right)e^{-m^2N/4} \right] - \left[2(1-A)\left(\frac{Bm}{2}\right)e^{-B^2m^2N/4} \right] \right\}}{\sqrt{2} \cdot (\sigma_{Shot} + \sigma_{RIN} + \sigma_{Thermal} + \sigma_{ASE})}$$

$$Q_{ASK} = \frac{I_p(1) - I_p(0)}{\sigma(1) + \sigma(0)} = \frac{I \cdot \left\{ \left[2A\left(\frac{m}{2}\right)e^{-m^2N/4} \right] - \left[2(1-A)\left(\frac{Bm}{2}\right)e^{-B^2m^2N/4} \right] \right\}}{2(\sigma_{Shot} + \sigma_{RIN} + \sigma_{Thermal} + \sigma_{ASE})}$$

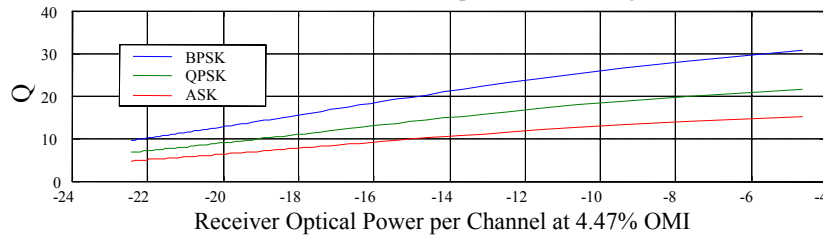
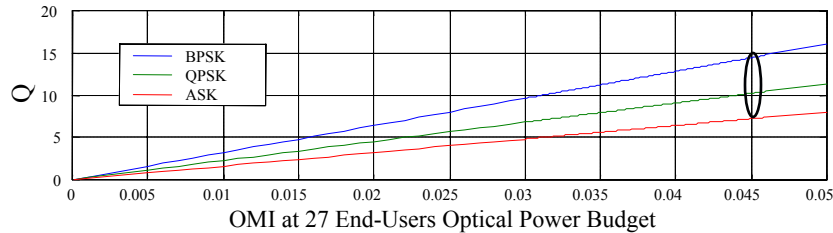
Parameter	Set 1	Set 2	Set 3
Linear MZ Modulator	A=0.88 & B=2	A=0.93 & B=2.5	A=0.96 & B=3
Input power at Booster Amplifier	3dBm	3dBm	3dBm
Laser RIN	-160dB/Hz	-160dB/Hz	-160dB/Hz
Photodiode Responsivity	0.9 A/W	0.9 A/W	0.9A/W
Fiber distance	10km	10km	10km
No. of End-Users	27	30	18
OMI / Channel	4.47%	4.34%	3.43%
Receiver Optical Channel Power	-18.9dBm	-18.8dBm	-17.6dBm



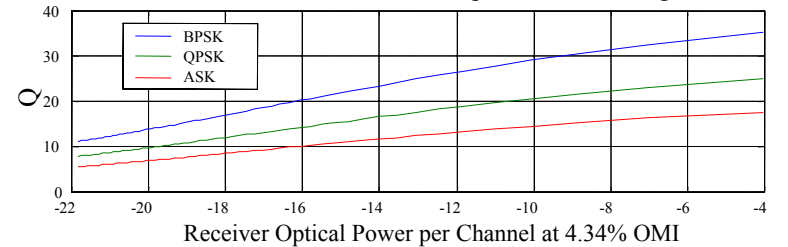
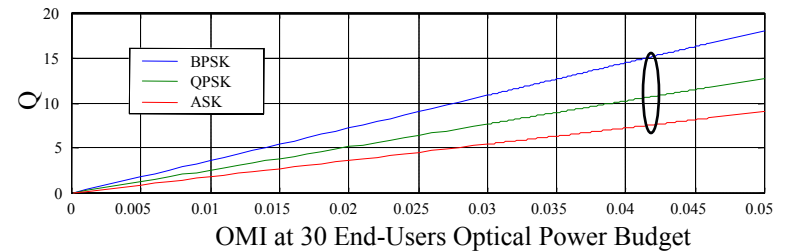
Digital Data Q-Value Analysis

RESULTS	Set 1	Set 2	Set 3
BPSK Q-Value	14.3	15.7	16.9
QPSK Q-Value	10.1	11	11.9
ASK Q-Value	7.2	7.8	8.4

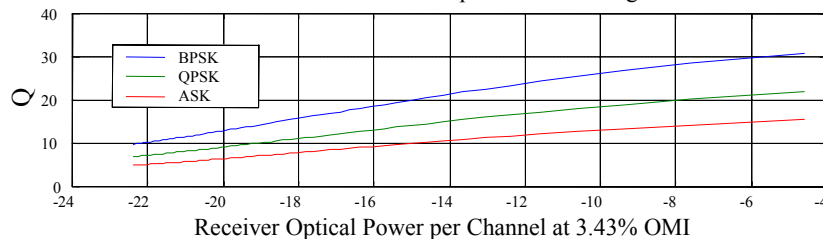
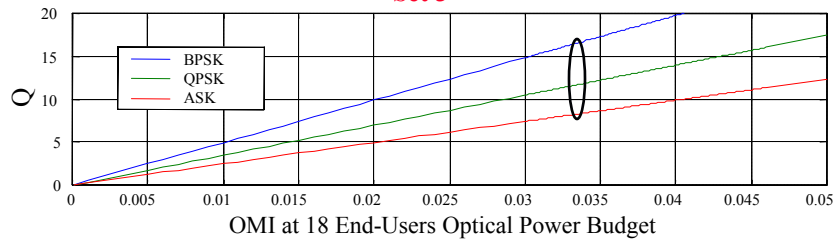
Set 1



Set 2



Set 3



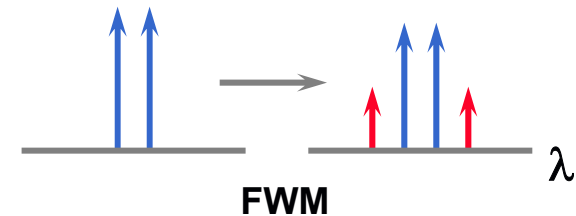
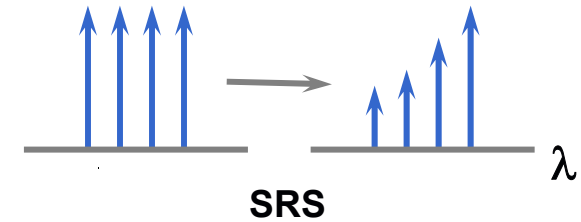
- 1) The Requirements of Digital is more relax compared to Analog channel.
- 2) High Optical Power Transmission in SCM Network
- 3) Q-Value continues to increase as optical power increase



Fiber Nonlinearities (From Linear to Non-linear Propagation)

Types of Fiber Nonlinearities

- Stimulated Scattering
 - Raman (SRS)
- Nonlinear index (Kerr Effect)
 - Cross-phase modulation (XPM)
 - Four-wave mixing (FWM)

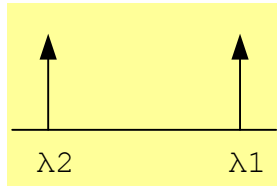


Stimulated Raman Scattering (SRS) Frequency Response Concept in WDM Network [3]

Use coupled propagation equations to solve for SRS Crosstalk level

$$\frac{\partial I_1}{\partial z} + \frac{1}{v_1} \frac{\partial I_1}{\partial t} = (gI_2 - \alpha)I_1$$

$$\frac{\partial I_2}{\partial z} + \frac{1}{v_2} \frac{\partial I_2}{\partial t} = (-gI_1 - \alpha)I_2$$



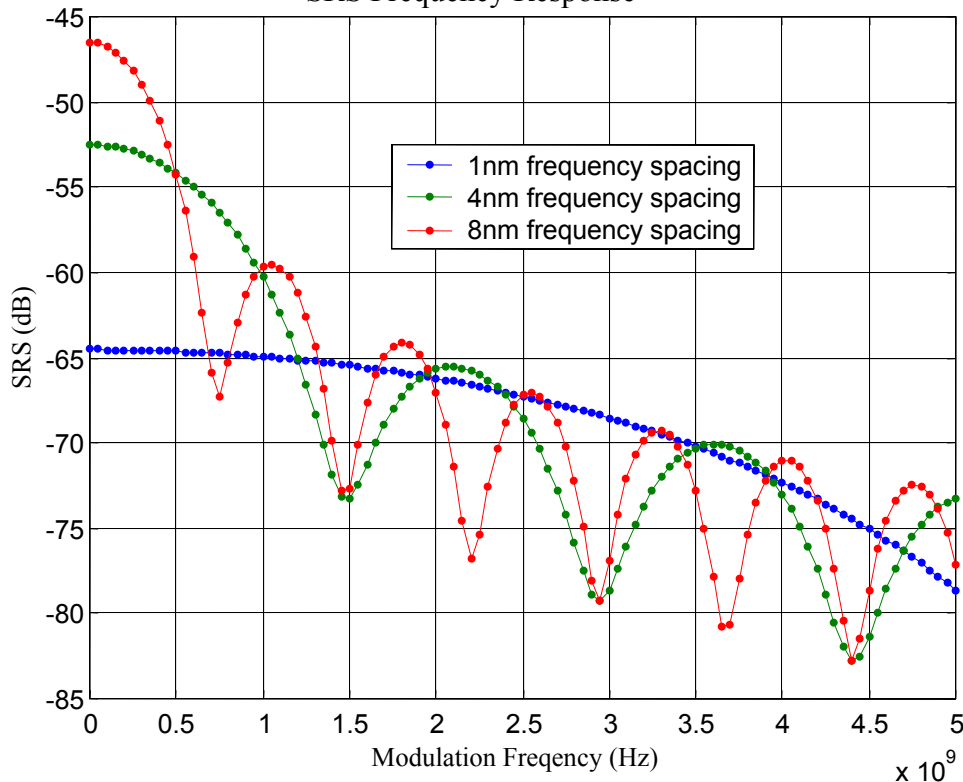
$$P_2(0, \mu_2) \approx P_2(0, \mu_2) e^{-\alpha z} \left[1 - \frac{g}{A_{eff}} \int_0^z P_1(0, \mu_2 + d_{12}z') e^{-\alpha z'} dz' \right] = P_o e^{-\alpha z} \left\{ 1 - \frac{g}{A_{eff}} P_o \left| \frac{1 - e^{-\alpha z}}{\alpha} \right| \right\}$$

$$P_1(0, \mu_1) \approx P_1(0, \mu_1) e^{-\alpha z} \left[1 + \frac{g}{A_{eff}} \int_0^z P_2(0, \mu_1 + d_{12}z') e^{-\alpha z'} dz' \right] = P_o e^{-\alpha z} \left\{ 1 + \frac{g}{A_{eff}} P_o \left| \frac{1 - e^{-\alpha z}}{\alpha} \right| \right\}$$

Optical Carrier power after fiber loss

Interaction between the optical carriers, results in optical dc power gain or loss

SRS Frequency Response

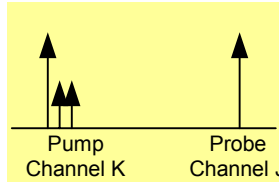


Parameter Values

- SM fiber, Slope of Raman Gain = $5e-15$ m/W/THz
- 10dBm optical power entering fiber
- 10km fiber length
- Dispersion = 17ps/nm/km
- Transfer Function of SRS has a low pass filter characteristic
- SRS increases, as the Frequency Spacing between two channel increases.
- SRS is dominant at high frequency spacing and at small modulation frequency



Cross Phase Modulation (XPM) Frequency Response Concept in WDM Network [4]



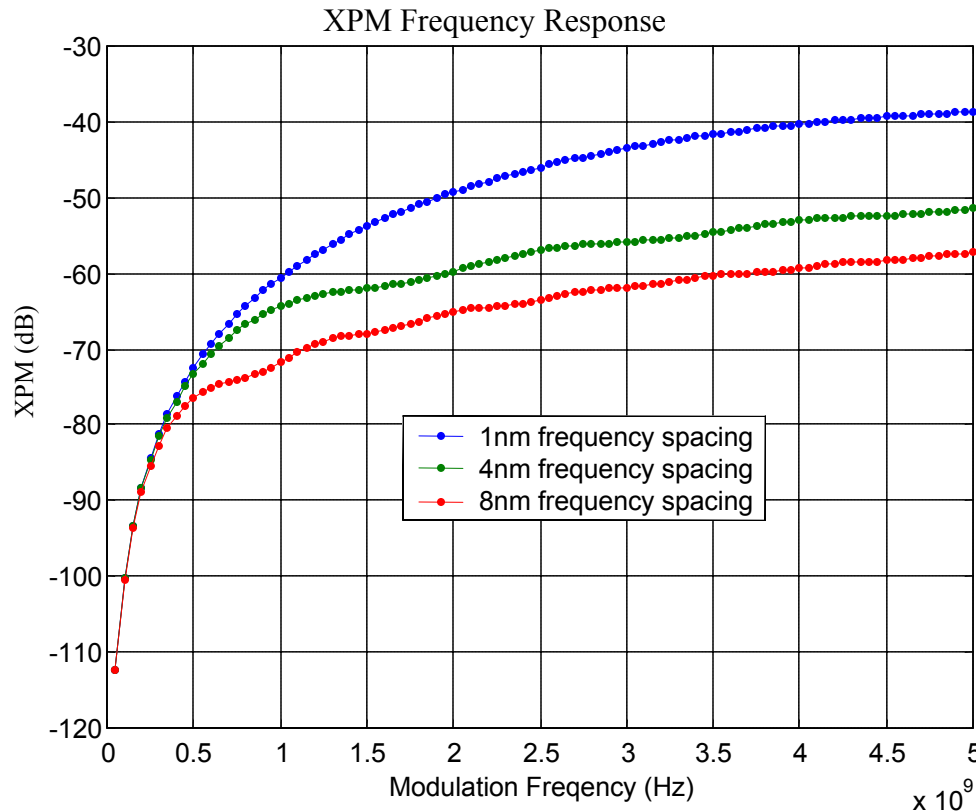
Fiber Dispersion results in convert Phase Modulation to Intensity Modulation

$$\frac{\partial A_j(t, z)}{\partial z} + \frac{\alpha}{2} A_j(t, z) + \frac{1}{v_j} \frac{\partial A_j(t, z)}{\partial t} + \frac{i\beta_2}{2} \frac{\partial^2 A_j(t, z)}{\partial t^2} = i\gamma_j [2P_k(t - d_{jk}z, z)] A_j(t, z)$$

Fiber Loss

Linear Phase Delay

Phase Modulation in the channel J induced by channel k

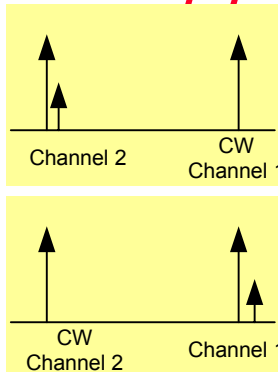


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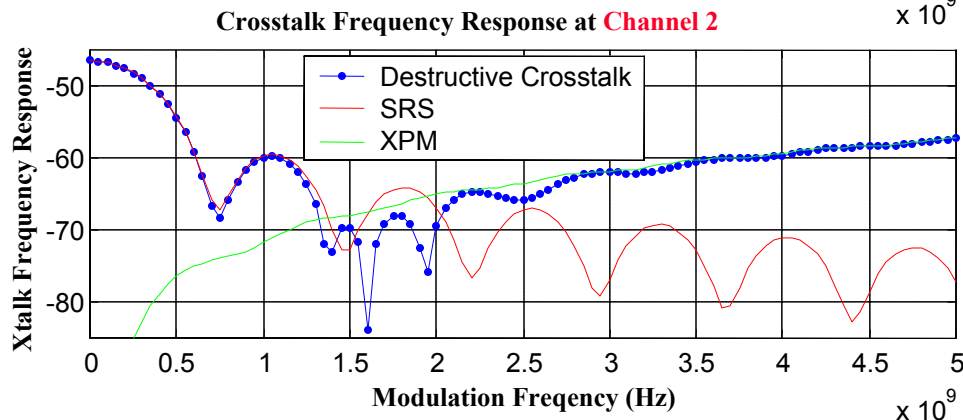
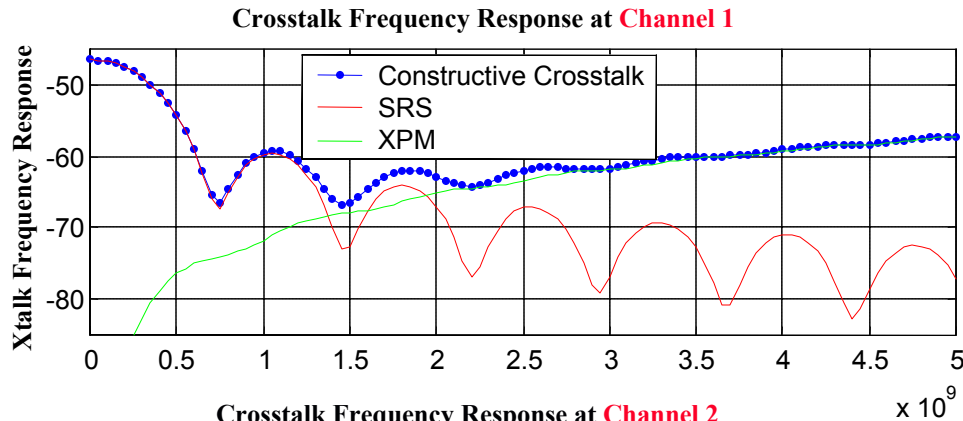
- 10dBm optical power entering fiber
- 10km fiber length
- Dispersion = 17ps/nm/km
- XPM transfer function has a high pass filter characteristic
- XPM increases, as the Frequency Spacing between two channel decreases.
- XPM is dominant at small frequency spacing and at large modulation frequency



Constructive & Destructive SRS+XPM Frequency Response Concept in WDM Network [3]



- Crosstalk at Channel 1 (Constructive)
- Power gain through SRS Interaction
- XPM crosstalk at Channel 1
- Crosstalk at Channel 2 (Destructive)
- Power depletion through SRS Interaction
- XPM crosstalk at Channel 2

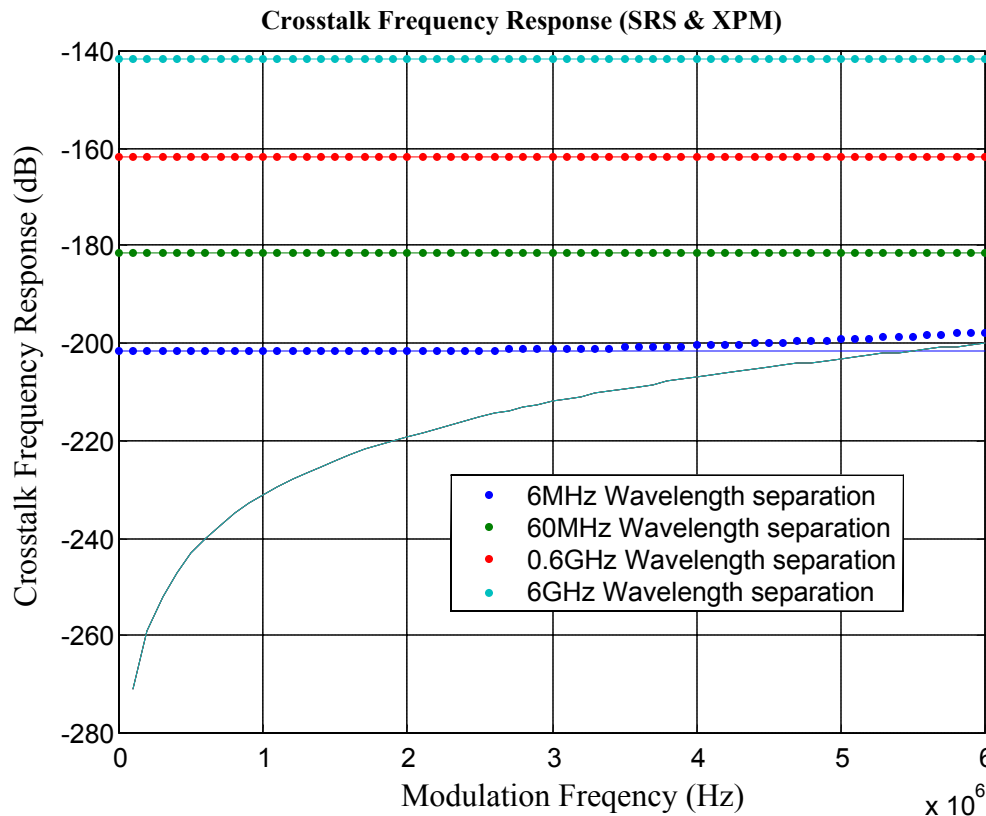
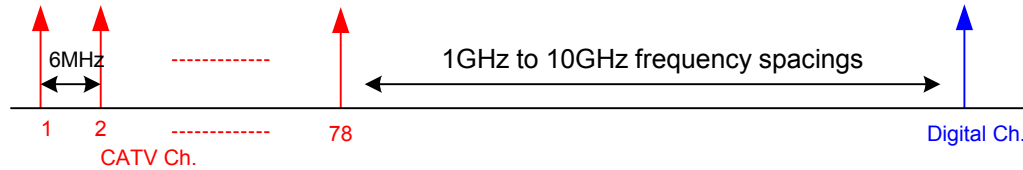


Parameter Values

- 10dBm optical power entering fiber
- 10km fiber length
- 17ps/nm/km Dispersion
- 0.8 nm Frequency spacing
- SRS dominant for small modulated frequency or large wavelength separation
- XPM is dominant for large modulated frequency or small wavelength separation
- In between we must consider whether the Channel suffered by SRS is going through power gain or depletion



SRS+XPM crosstalk in SCM Externally Modulated Network

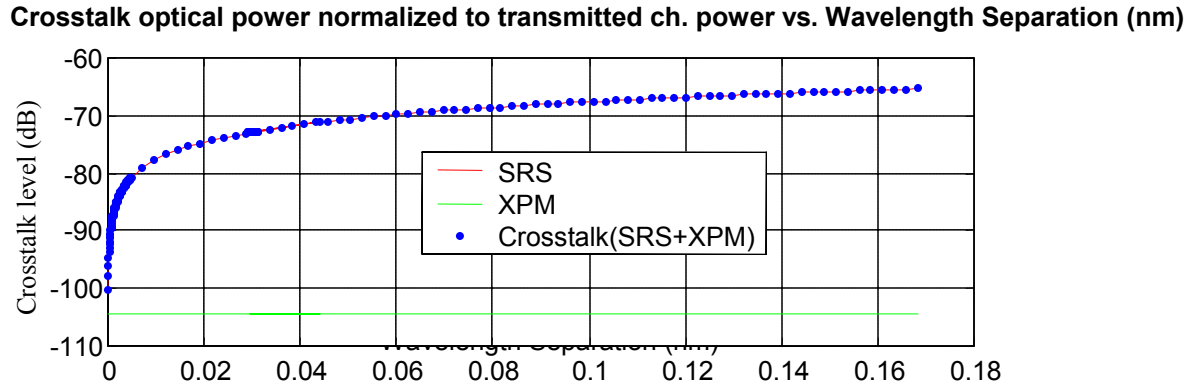
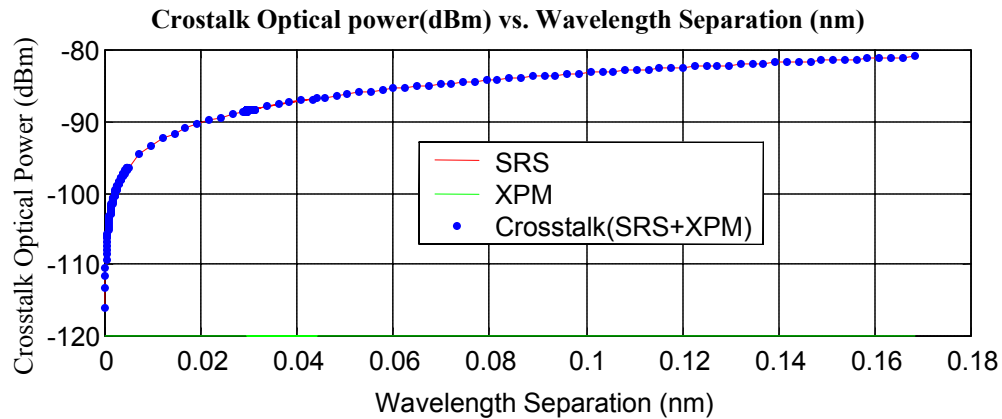


Parameter Values

- Optical Power Budget = 30 End-Users
- -15.6dBm optical channel power entering fiber
- 10km fiber length, 0.22dB/km
- $5e-15$ m/W/THz SRS Gain Slope
- 17ps/nm/km Dispersion



SRS+XPM Crosstalk in SCM Externally Modulated Network

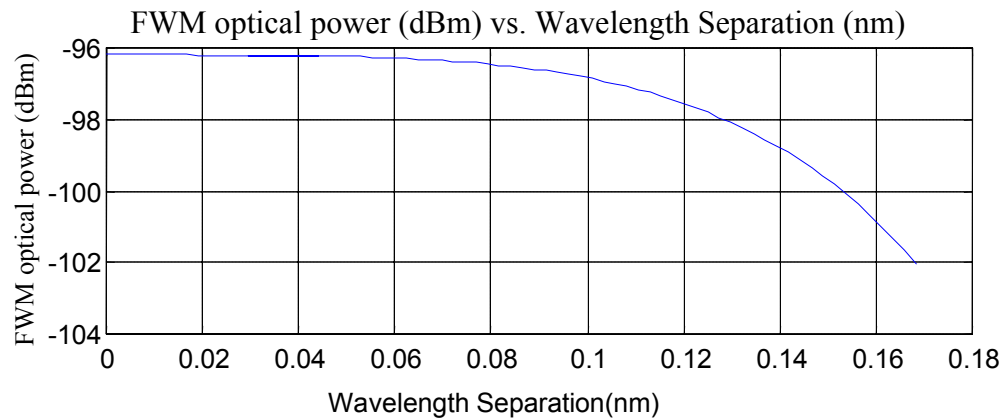


- SRS is the dominant crosstalk compared to XPM
- Overall result, SRS & XPM crosstalk shows very minimal impact between two subcarrier under same wavelength



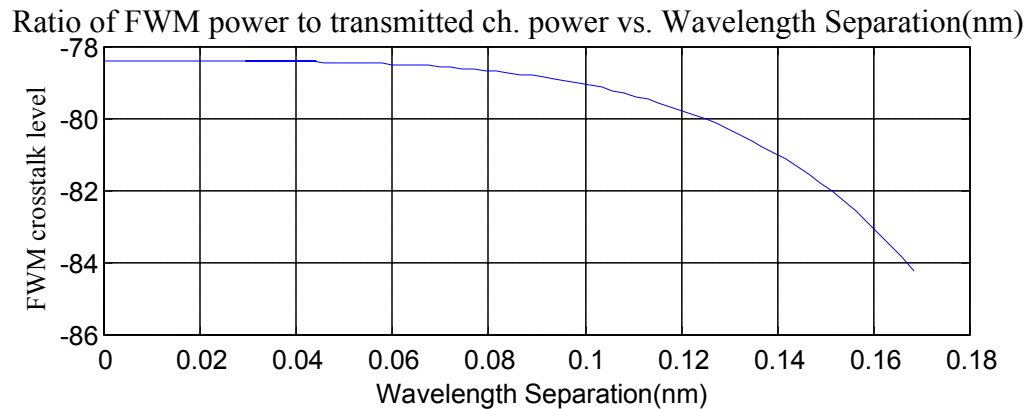
Four-Wave Mixing

$$P_{ijk}(L) = \frac{1024\pi^6}{n^4 \lambda^2 c^2} (DX_{1111})^2 \left(\frac{P_i P_j P_k}{A_{eff}^2} \right) L_{eff}^2 \eta$$

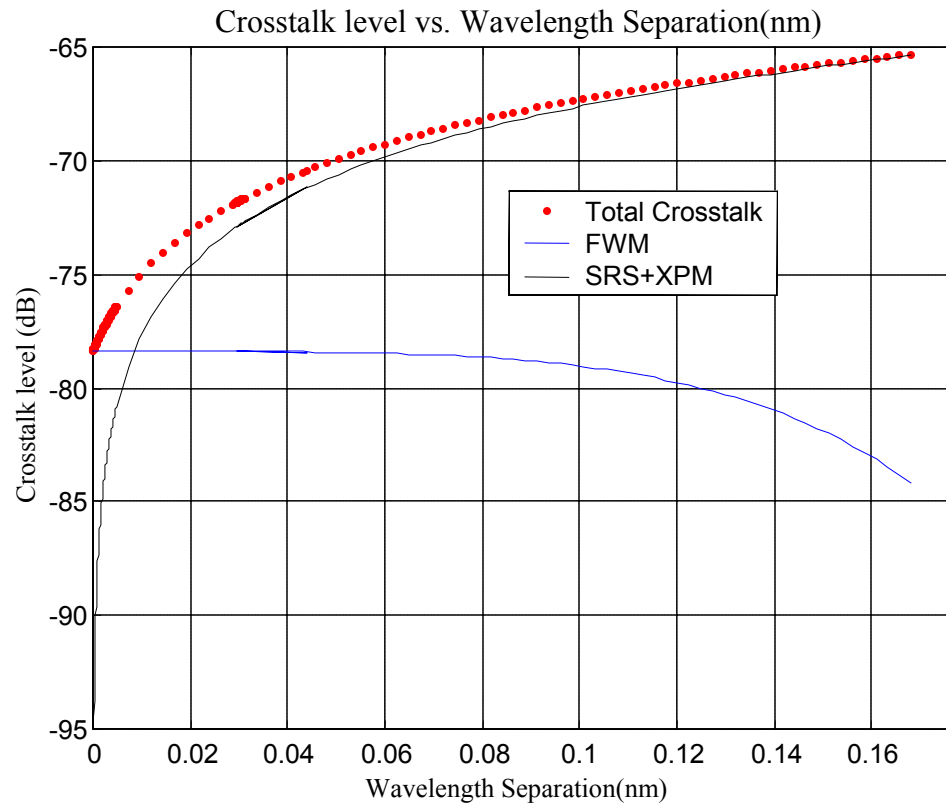


Parameter Values

- Optical Power Budget = 30 End Users
- -15.6dBm optical channel power entering fiber
- 10km SM standard fiber
- 17ps/nm/km Dispersion
- D=6 (None of Frequencies are the same)



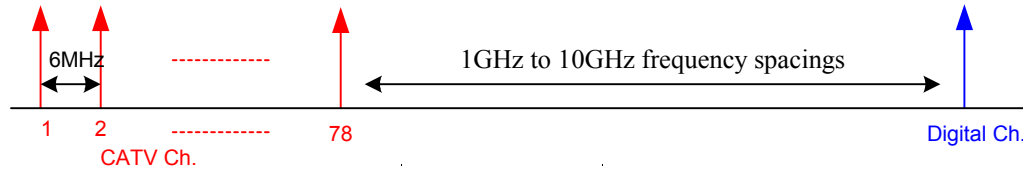
Total Crosstalk in SCM Externally Modulated Network



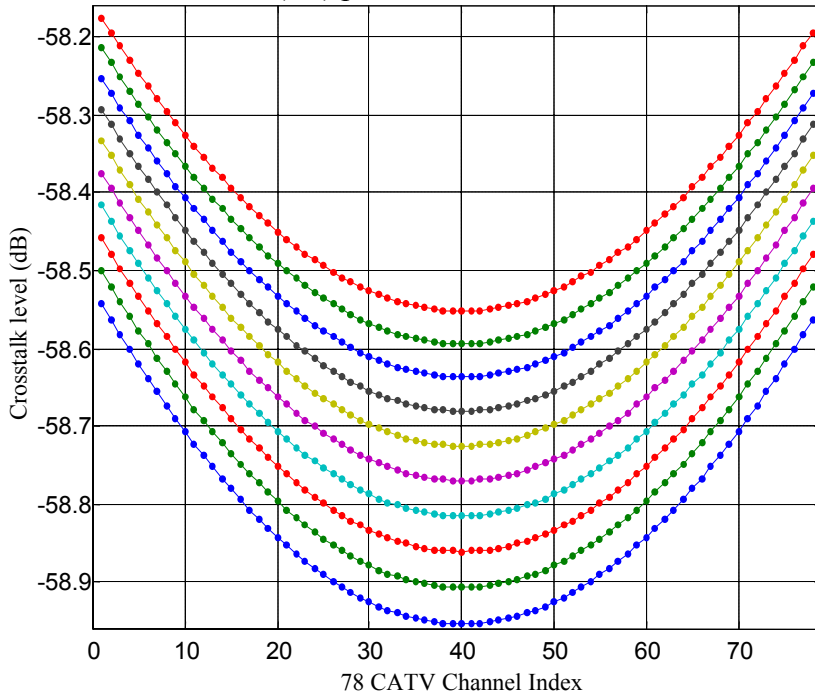
- FWM is the major source of nonlinear crosstalk in SCM optical systems with extremely narrow spacing between RF channels
- SRS becomes dominant as channel spacing increases



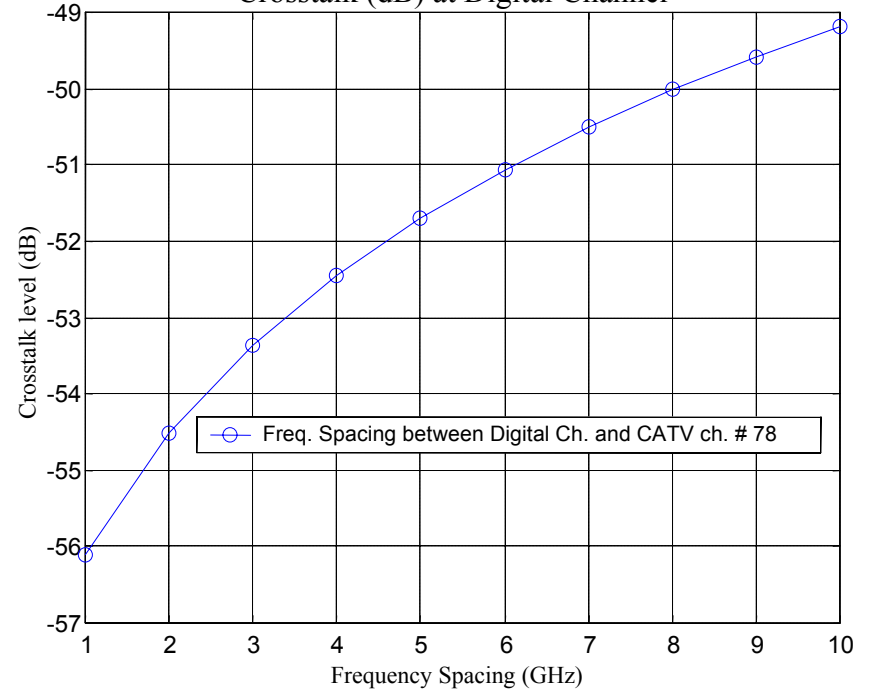
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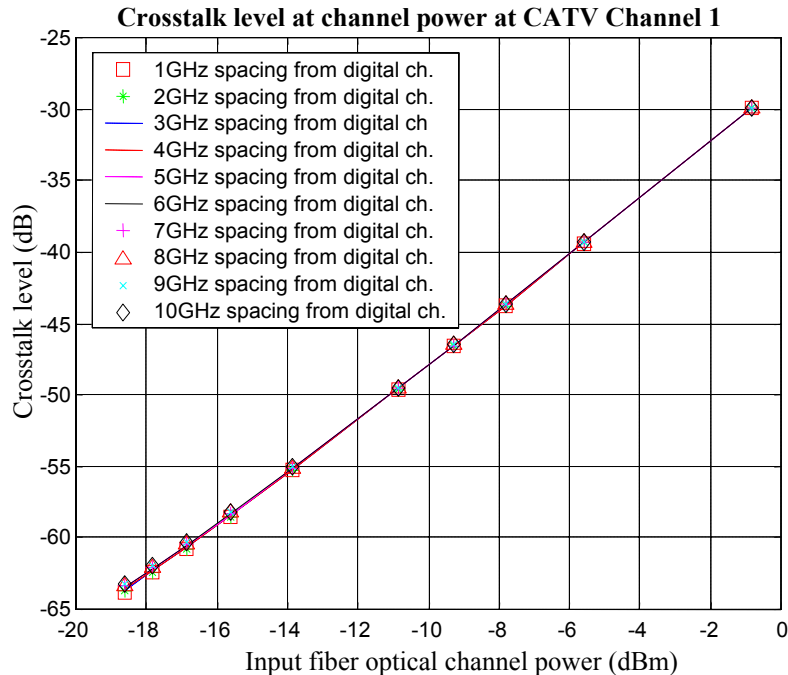
Crosstalk (dB) per Individual CATV Channel



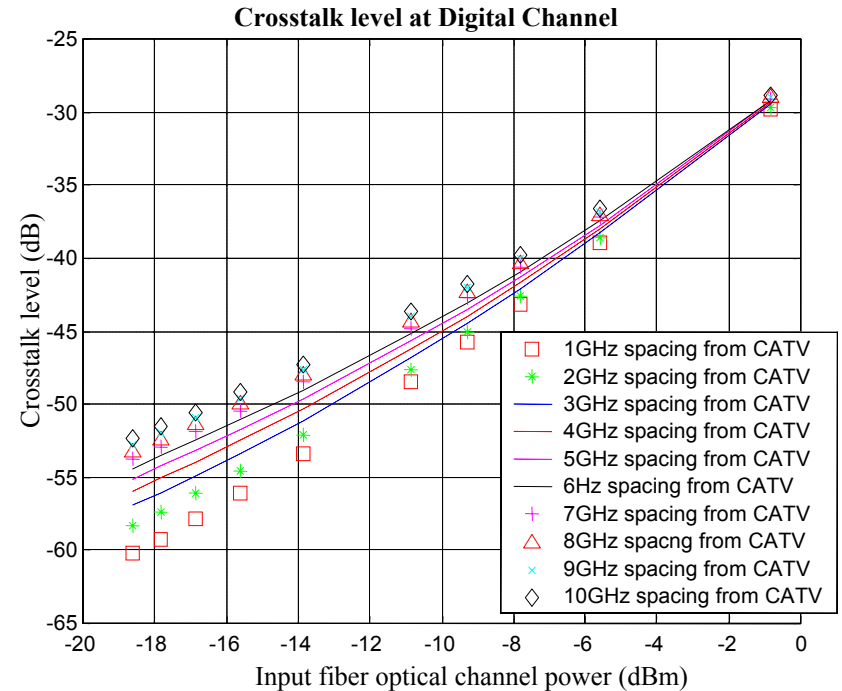
Crosstalk (dB) at Digital Channel



Total Crosstalk in SCM Externally Modulated Network



- The CATV Crosstalk level remains constant as power increases because FWM is the dominant Crosstalk at narrow channel spacing

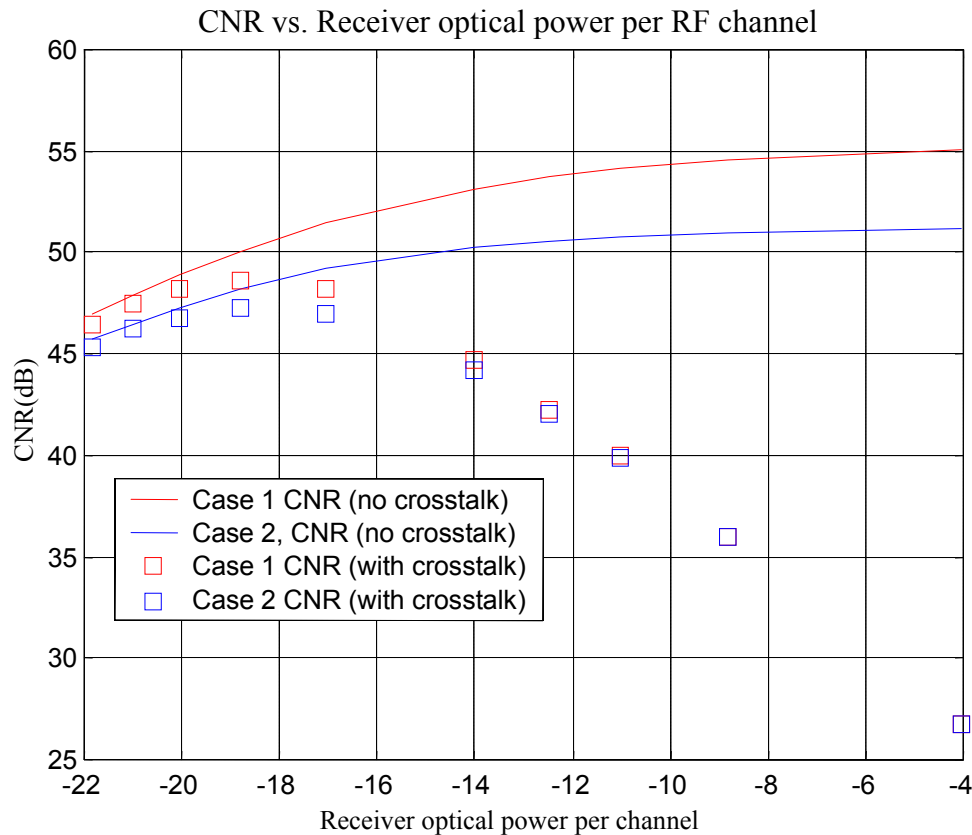


- It demonstrates that as optical power increases, FWM becomes the dominant crosstalk in SCM externally modulated Network



Signal-crosstalk Noise in SCM Transmission Performance for CATV

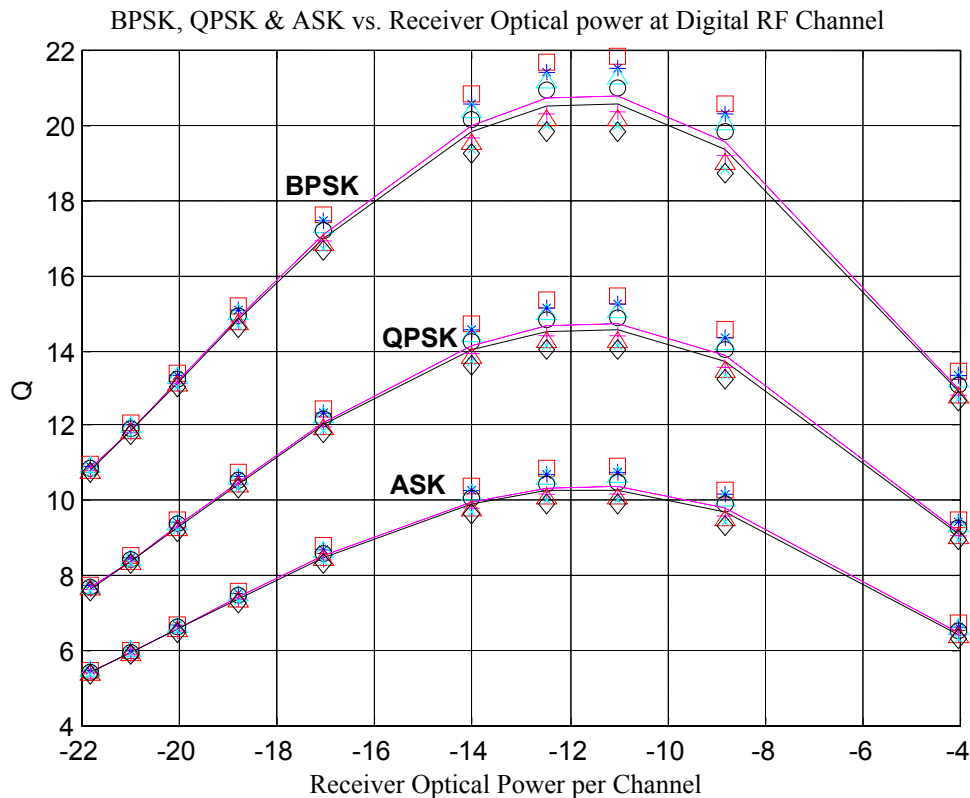
PARAMETERS	Case 1	Case 2
Linearized MZ Modulator	A=0.93 & B=2.5	A=0.93 & B=2.5
Input power at Booster Amplifier	-1dBm	3dBm
Laser RIN	-155dB/Hz	-160dB/Hz
Photodiode Responsivity	0.8 A/W	0.9 A/W
Fiber distance	10km	10km
OMI	4.343%	4.343%



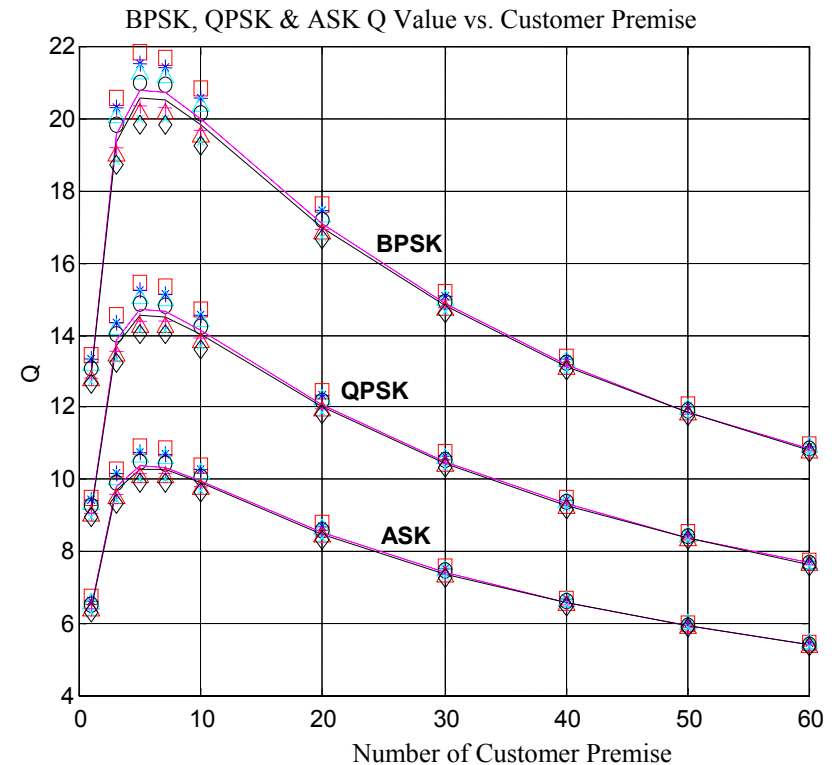
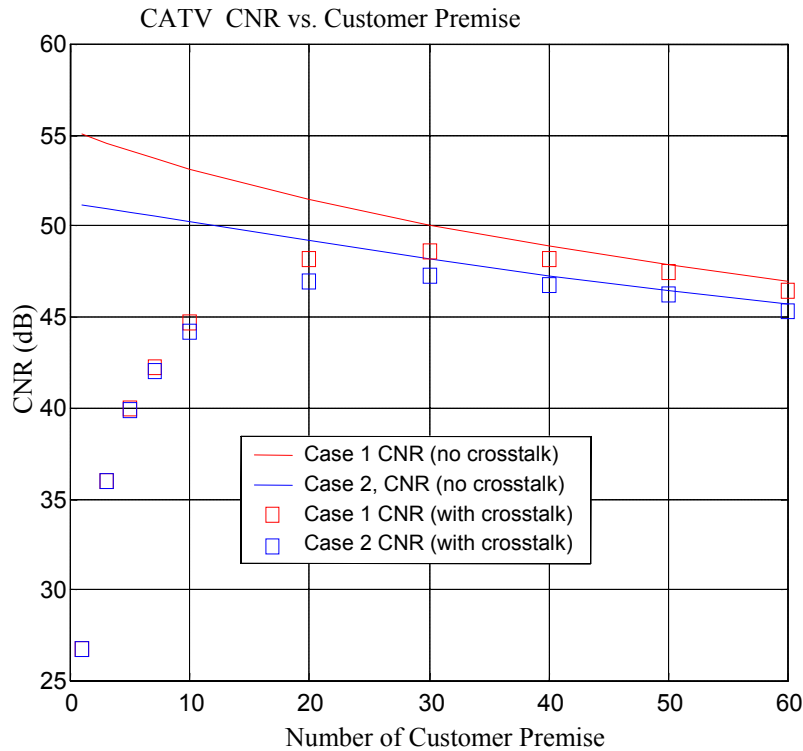
Signal-crosstalk Noise in SCM Transmission Performance for Digital Data

PARAMETERS

Linearized MZ Modulator	A=0.93 & B=2.5
Input power at Booster Amplifier	3dBm
Laser RIN	-160dB/Hz
Photodiode Responsivity	0.9 A/W
Fiber distance	10km
OMI	4.343%



Conclusion



- **Transmission Quality**
 - Optimizing the Receiver Optical Power per RF Channel = **-17dBm to -20dBm**
 - CATV CNR in the range of **48dB to 48.5dB**
 - Digital BPSK Q = **13 to 17**
 - Digital QPSK Q = **9 to 12**
 - Digital ASK Q = **6 to 8**
- **Network Scalability**
 - Number of Customers premises = **20 to 40**



Future Work

- Analyze the uplink transmission performance and the impact of optical crosstalk under bi-directional fiber transmission.
- Analyze uplink multiple access method such as Time Division Multiple Access (TDMA), Subcarrier Multiple Access (SCMA) and their efficiencies.
- Because Narrow-band optical filter is relative expensive compared to wide-band optical filter, further study in separate upper and lower side-band of optical carrier at end-user is suggested.
- The even-order distortion produced by a MZ modulator can be cancelled using OSSB Modulation. CSO is also affected by various phenomena such as chirp, fiber chromatic dispersion and polarization-mod dispersion (PMD), self-phase modulation (SPM) as well as gain-tilt of optical amplifiers. Future study in CSO distortion in SCM externally modulated optical network is suggested.



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