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point-to-point equipment and antennas;  
Part 2-2: Harmonized EN covering essential requirements of  
Article 3.2 of R&TTE Directive for digital systems operating in  
frequency bands where frequency co-ordination is applied**

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This Candidate Harmonized European Standard (Telecommunications series) has been produced by ETSI Technical Committee Transmission and Multiplexing (TM), and is now submitted for the Vote phase of the ETSI standards Two-step Approval Procedure.

The present document has been produced by ETSI in response to a mandate from the European Commission issued under Council Directive 98/34/EC laying down a procedure for the provision of information in the field of technical standards and regulations.

The present document is intended to become a Harmonized Standard, the reference of which will be published in the Official Journal of the European Communities referencing the Directive 1999/5/EC [1] of the European Parliament and of the Council of 9 March 1999 on radio equipment and telecommunications terminal equipment and the mutual recognition of their conformity ("R&TTE Directive").

The present document is part 2-2, of a multi-part deliverable covering the Fixed Radio Systems; Characteristics and requirements for point-to-point equipment and antennas, as identified below:

Part 1: "Overview and system-independent common characteristics".

Part 2-1: "System-dependent requirements for digital systems operating in frequency bands where frequency co-ordination is applied".

**Part 2-2 "Harmonized EN covering essential requirements of Article 3.2 of R&TTE Directive for digital systems operating in frequency bands where frequency co-ordination is applied".**

Part 3: "Harmonized EN covering essential requirements of Article 3.2 of R&TTE Directive for equipment operating in frequency bands where no frequency co-ordination is applied".

Part 4-1: "System-dependent requirements for antennas".

Part 4-2: "Harmonized EN covering essential requirements of Article 3.2 of R&TTE Directive for antennas".

The present document with other EN 302 217-3 (see bibliography) and EN 302 217-4-2 [7] will replace and supersede the harmonized EN 301 751 (see bibliography) for all P-P equipment and antennas.

The date of cessation of presumption of conformity to R&TTE Directive [1] with reference to EN 301 751 (latest version published) (see bibliography) is proposed to be kept two years after the date of publication in the OJ EC of the present document.

<b>Proposed national transposition dates</b>	
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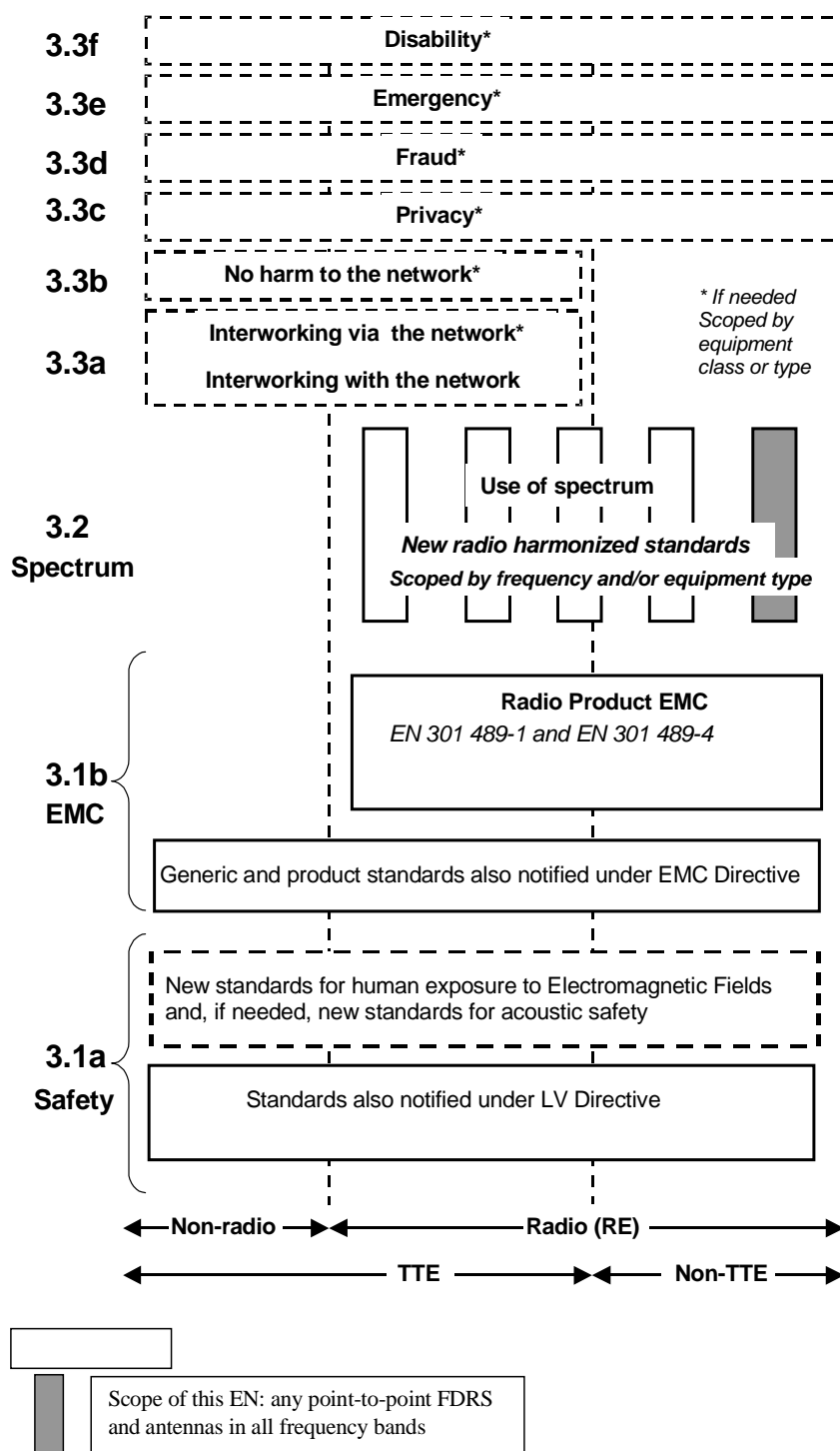
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## Introduction

The EN 302 217 series has been produced in order to rationalize a large number of previous ETSI ENs dealing with equipment and antennas for Point-to-Point (P-P) Fixed Service applications. For more details, see Foreword in the EN 302 217-1 [6].

The present document is part of a set of standards designed to fit in a modular structure to cover all radio and telecommunications terminal equipment under the R&TTE Directive [1]. Each standard is a module in the structure. The modular structure is shown in figure 1.





**Figure 1: Modular structure for the various standards used under the R&TTE Directive**

The left hand edge of figure 1 shows the different clauses of article 3 of the R&TTE Directive [1].

For article 3.3 various horizontal boxes are shown. Dotted lines indicate that at the time of publication of the present document essential requirements in these areas have to be adopted by the Commission. Whenever such essential requirements are adopted and as far and as long as they are applicable, they will justify individual standards whose scope is likely to be specified by function or interface type.

The vertical boxes show the standards under article 3.2 for the use of the radio spectrum by radio equipment. The scopes of these standards are specified either by frequency (normally in the case where frequency bands are harmonized) or by radio equipment type.

For article 3.1b the diagram shows EN 301 489 (see bibliography), the multi-part product EMC standard for radio used under the EMC Directive 89/336/EEC (see bibliography).

NOTE: For Fixed Radio Systems EN, EN 301 489-1 (see bibliography) and EN 301 489-4 (see bibliography) are relevant.

For article 3.1a the diagram shows the existing safety standards currently used under the LV Directive 73/23/EEC (see bibliography) and new standards covering human exposure to electromagnetic fields. New standards covering acoustic safety may also be required.

The bottom of the figure 1 shows the relationship of the standards to radio equipment and telecommunications terminal equipment. Equipment may be radio equipment, telecommunications terminal equipment or both. A radio spectrum standard will apply if it is radio equipment. An article 3.3 standard will apply as well only if the relevant essential requirement under the R&TTE Directive [1] is adopted by the Commission and if the equipment in question is covered by the scope of the corresponding standard. Thus, depending on the nature of the equipment, the essential requirements under the R&TTE Directive [1] may be covered in a set of standards.

The modularity principle has been taken because:

- It minimizes the number of standards needed. Because equipment may, in fact, have multiple interfaces and functions it is not practicable to produce a single standard for each possible combination of functions that may occur in equipment.
- It provides scope for standards to be added:
  - under article 3.2 when new frequency bands are agreed; or
  - under article 3.3 should the Commission take the necessary decisions without requiring alteration of standards that are already published.
- It clarifies, simplifies and promotes the usage of Harmonized Standards as the relevant means of conformity assessment.

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# 1 Scope

The present document specifies the essential requirements for Digital Fixed Radio Systems (DFRS) operating in frequency bands, which require co-ordinated frequency planning. It is intended to cover the provisions of the R&TTE Directive [1] regarding article 3.2, which states that "... radio equipment shall be so constructed that it effectively uses the spectrum allocated to terrestrial/space radio communications and orbital resources so as to avoid harmful interference".

The present document with other parts EN 302 217-3 (see bibliography) and EN 302 217-4-2 [7] will replace and supersede, after a suitable transition period, the harmonized EN 301 751 (see bibliography) for all P-P equipment and antennas.

This EN 302 217 series introduces, for systems (equipment and antennas) already covered by EN 301 751 (see bibliography), only technically equivalent or less stringent requirements (see note 1). Care has been taken so that such variations will not affect any frequency planning assumption for already deployed networks. Therefore, from a strictly technical point of view, it is expected that equipment already conforming to EN 301 751 (see bibliography), would not need a new test report for re-assessment of essential requirements according this EN 302 217-2-2 (see note 1). However, legal implications with respect to declaration of conformity and equipment labelling are outside the scope of the present document.

NOTE 1: The only exception is with respect to class 5A equipments for system D.7 (see annex D) and for systems E.1, E.2 and E.3 (see annex E) for which a previous design objective has here been transformed into a more stringent RSL versus BER. In this case a supplementary test report might be required (e.g. in case the technical construction file, made for declaration of conformity to EN 301 751 (see bibliography), does not give evidence of enough margin to fulfil the requirements of the present document).

In addition to the present document, other ENs that specify technical requirements in respect of essential requirements under other parts of article 3 of the R&TTE Directive [1] will apply to equipment within the scope of the present document.

NOTE 2: A list of such ENs is included on the web site <http://www.newapproach.org>.

In order to (technically) cover different market and network requirements, with appropriate balance of performance to cost, the present document, together with EN 302 217-4-2 [7], offers a number of system types and antennas alternatives, for different network/market requirements, including:

- channel separation alternatives (as provided by the relevant CEPT or ITU-R Recommendation);
- spectral efficiency class alternatives (different complexity of modulation formats provided in radio equipment standards) as defined in the Scope of EN 302 217-2-1 (see bibliography);
- antenna directivity class alternatives (for different network requirements).

As the fixed service generally operates in non-harmonized bands, National Regulatory Bodies can limit licensing to selected alternatives according to the provision of R&TTE Directive [1] article 7.2 that reads: "*National Regulatory Bodies may restrict the putting into service of radio equipment only for reasons related to the effective and appropriate use of the radio spectrum, avoidance of harmful interference or matters relating to public health.*"

The permitted alternatives should be included within the "national radio interface notification" under the provisions of the R&TTE Directive [1] article 4.1 so that the covered alternatives are specified in the "notification of the intention to place a DFRS on the national market" under the provision of R&TTE Directive [1] article 6.4.

Instructions for fulfilling notification of interfaces according to article 4.1 of the R&TTE Directive [1] for P-P Fixed Service systems is provided in informative annex B of EN 302 217-1.

The present document is mainly intended to cover fixed radio equipment without integral antennas. However, it also applies to fixed radio systems products with integral antennas, for which all the technical requirements included in the present document and in EN 302 217-4-2 [7] apply.

For simplicity, the point-to-point systems are split into separate annexes, with respect to ranges of frequency bands and channel separations, into the following families which may include a range of corresponding payload rates for covering various applications requested by the market:

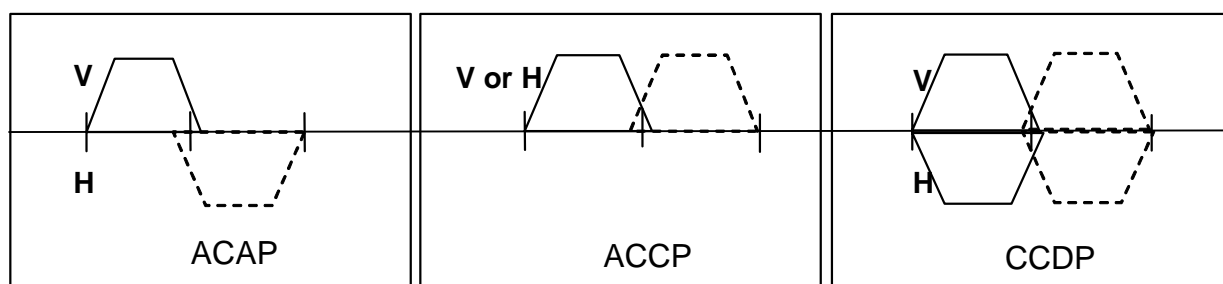
- ANNEX A: Frequency bands from 1,4 GHz to 2,7 GHz:  
Systems with channel separations ranging from 0,025 MHz to 14 MHz for indicative payload rates ranging from 0,0096 Mbit/s to 34 Mbit/s. See detailed summary in table A.2.
- ANNEX B: Frequency bands from 3 GHz to 11 GHz (channel separation up to 30 MHz):  
Systems with channel separations ranging from 1,75 MHz to 30 MHz for indicative payload rates ranging from 2 Mbit/s to  $2 \times \text{STM-1}$  Mbit/s. See detailed summary in table B.2.
- ANNEX C: Frequency bands from 3 GHz to 11 GHz (channel separation 40 MHz):  
Systems with channel separations 40 MHz or  $2 \times 40$  MHz for indicative payload rates from STM-1 Mbit/s to  $\text{STM-4/4} \times \text{STM-1}$  Mbit/s. See detailed summary in table C.2.
- ANNEX D: Frequency bands 13 GHz, 15GHz and 18 GHz:  
Systems with channel separations ranging from 1,75 MHz to 55/56 MHz or  $2 \times 55/56$  MHz for indicative payload rates ranging from 2 Mbit/s to  $\text{STM-4/4} \times \text{STM-1}$  Mbit/s. See detailed summary in table D.2.
- ANNEX E: Frequency bands from 23 GHz to 55 GHz:  
Systems with channel separations ranging from 3,5 MHz to 56 MHz or  $2 \times 56$  MHz for indicative payload rates ranging from 2 Mbit/s to  $\text{STM-4/4} \times \text{STM-1}$  Mbit/s. See detailed summary in table E.2.

In those annexes further subdivision in sub-annexes is made, as appropriate, according to frequency bands, capacities and/or channel separation (see table 3 of EN 302 217-1 [6]).

From the point of view of the transmission capacity, these systems are defined, in the relevant annexes, on the basis of their minimum Channel Separation (CS) on the same route, for a given spectrum efficiency class, taken into account by the system design. The possible channel arrangements may be:

- Adjacent Channel Alternate-Polarized (ACAP);
- Adjacent Channel Co-Polarized (ACCP);
- Co-Channel Dual-Polarization (CCDP).

These possible applications and their channel arrangements are shown in figure 2.



**Figure 2: Examples of channel arrangements on the same route**

The capacities in tables X.2 (where X = B...E represents the relevant annex) are commonly tailored on typical PDH and SDH base band interfaces, identified for simplicity with 2 Mbit/s,  $2 \times 2$  Mbit/s, 8 Mbit/s,  $2 \times 8$  Mbit/s, 34 Mbit/s,  $2 \times 34$  Mbit/s, STM-0 (51 Mbit/s),  $2 \times \text{STM-0}$  ( $2 \times 51$  Mbit/s), STM-1 (155 Mbit/s),  $N \times \text{STM-1}$  ( $N \times 155$  Mbit/s), STM-N. Systems in annex A, due to the smaller channel separation provided, are (exceptionally) labelled with typical capacity rate without specific reference to PDH/SDH rates.

Provided that they meet all requirements of the relevant annex, equivalent PDH or SDH transport rates may be used where appropriate. Such equivalence transport rates may be:

- $N \times 2$  Mbit/s or other PDH rates in place of equivalent higher PDH rates;
- 140 Mbit/s in place of STM-1 (including  $4 \times 34$  Mbit/s pre-mapping into the 140 Mbit/s frame);
- any PDH mapping into STM-0 or STM-1 frames, as defined in the basic multiplexing schemes;
- $N \times 2$  Mbit/s mapped into SDH VC12 or VC2 transport bit rates (sub-STM-0 defined, as sSTM-1k or sSTM-2n capacities, by ITU-T Recommendation G.708 (see bibliography)) in place of a PDH rate (e.g.  $4 \times$  VC12/sSTM14 or  $1 \times$  VC2/sSTM21 in place of 8 Mbit/s) (see note);
- any other signal (e.g. IP frames or ATM cells, even possibly mixed with PDH capacities) mapping into PDH or SDH frames, according present or future basic ITU-T or ETSI multiplexing schemes;

NOTE: In addition to this general principle, annex D (system D.2) presents specific characteristics for sub-STM-0 systems in the 18 GHz band.

The present document is also applicable to other base band interfaces (e.g. packet data interfaces or mixed interfaces) even if multiplexed (including compression algorithms if any) into proprietary frames; for such cases annex F gives the basic rules for applying the conventional PDH/SDH set of parameters to those equipment assessment.

The requirements of the present document apply separately to each transmitter/receiver or single transmitters or receivers used for combining complex or simple (e.g. space diversity receivers or single transmitters and receivers used for unidirectional links) fixed radio systems. Systems labelled with  $N \times$  STM-1 ( $N = 1,2$ ) capacity might actually be aggregated for carrying STM-4 in more than one radio frequency channel, provided that each equipment for each channel meets the channel requirements. When frequency reuse (e.g. dual polarization reuse or other frequency reuse techniques) is applied, the requirements apply independently to each transmitter/receiver; the different interference potential of frequency reuse will be dealt with in the frequency planning associated with the licensing process.

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## 3 Definitions, symbols and abbreviations

### 3.1 Definitions

For the purposes of the present document, the terms and definitions given in EN 302 217-1 [6] apply.

### 3.2 Symbols

For the purposes of the present document, the symbols given in EN 302 217-1 [6] apply.

### 3.3 Abbreviations

For the purposes of the present document, the abbreviations given in EN 302 217-1 [6] apply.

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## 4 Technical requirements specifications

Guidance and description of the phenomena relevant to "essential requirements" under article 3.2 is given in EG 201 399 (see bibliography); specific applications and descriptions for DFRS is given in TR 101 506 (see bibliography).

In the following clauses, limits are required to be met at specific reference points of the system block diagram. Reference points and the system block diagram are set out in figure 1 of EN 302 217-1 [6].

In the case of wide radio-frequency bands covering units and multirate/multiformat equipment, these specifications shall be met at any frequency, at any rate/format. However the tests, required for generating a test report and/or declaration of conformity, in order to fulfil any conformity assessment procedure with respect to the R&TTE Directive [1], shall be carried-out in accordance with the principles set out in annex G.

Testing methods and conditions for assessing all requirements are specified in clause 5, where each clause directly refers to a corresponding clause in this clause 4 (e.g. clause 5.2.2.1.1 refers to the ATPC test according the requirement in clause 4.2.2.1.1)

The requirements are intended, for applicable systems, with fully loaded STM-4 or  $4 \times$  STM-1 or  $2 \times$  STM-1 or STM-1 (according to the maximum loading required for the equipment) capacities at the base band interface. However, for CCDP application test reports, the actual contemporary loading of both polarization transmitters is not required.

NOTE: For each technical requirement in the present document, there might be additional characteristics, not considered relevant to article 3.2 of the R&TTE Directive [1]. Nevertheless they are considered important for the system itself or for deployment conditions where local antenna sharing between equipments of different suppliers is required; these additional requirements, when identified, may be found in EN 302 217-2-1 (see bibliography).

## 4.1 Environmental profile

The technical requirements of the present document apply under the environmental profile for operation of the equipment, which shall be declared by the supplier. The equipment shall comply with all the technical requirements of the present document at all times when operating within the boundary limits of the declared operational environmental profile. For testing the compliance to technical requirements see also EN 301 126-1 [3] and clause 5 of the present document.

NOTE: With the generic term of environmental profile, it is here intended any variation of the "external" conditions (e.g. climatic and external primary/secondary power supply sources feeding the equipment to be assessed) that might affect the system parameters relevant to the "essential requirements" of article 3.2 of the R&TTE Directive [1].

## 4.2 Transmitter requirements

The specified transmitter characteristics shall be met with the appropriate base band signals applied at one of the reference points X' of figure 1 of EN 302 217-1 [6].

Table 1 gives the appropriate base band signals.

**Table 1: Test signal and type of base band interface.**

Type of base band signal interface at X/X'	Test signal to be applied according to
PDH	PRBS ITU-T Recommendation O.151 [11]
SDH	ITU-T Recommendation O.181 [12]
ATM	ITU-T Recommendation O.191 [13]
Ethernet interface (packet data) (see note)	IEEE 1802.3 [8] and IEEE 802.3 [9]
Other than the above (see note)	Relevant standards which the interface refers to.
NOTE: As a general approach, all system characteristics and spectral efficiency classes are defined on conventional PDH or SDH transport capacity. However, whenever equipment offers a different standardized transport capacity, annex F gives the minimal criteria and the test rules for defining an equivalent PDH/SDH system type, for the same CS and spectral efficiency, which parameters shall be used for assessing such equipment.	

### 4.2.1 Transmitter power

The maximum power shall be limited, in term of EIRP of the systems by the provisions given in the Radio Regulations [10] (e.g. in article 21 and, for some specific frequency bands, in footnotes under article 5 of the 2001 edition) (see note) or in terms of maximum output power density fed to the antenna (e.g. footnote 5.482 for 10,6 GHz to 10,68 GHz band, footnote 5.522A for 18,6 GHz to 18,8 GHz band and footnote 5.557A for 55,78 GHz to 56,26 GHz band). Those limits shall be inclusive of tolerances and, if applicable, ATPC/RTPC influence.

NOTE: Testing EIRP requirements is necessary for assessment of equipment with integral antenna only; however also equipment placed on the market without antennas should, in principle, refer, when relevant in common practice, to such limitation (e.g. defining the maximum associated antenna gain).

For guidance, in addition to the absolute maximum transmitter power, typical values of transmitter highest power for real equipment, of feeder loss and length, and of antenna diameter and gain are provided in TR 102 243-1 (see bibliography) in order to support inter- and intra- compatibility and sharing analysis.

In some frequency bands, or parts of frequency bands, ITU-R Recommendations define specific limits in terms of output power and/or EIRP (or output power and/or EIRP density) in order to improve the compatibility with other Radio Services sharing these frequency bands with the FS.

## 4.2.2 Transmitter power and frequency control

### 4.2.2.1 Transmitter Power Control (ATPC and RTPC)

Automatic Transmit Power Control (ATPC) and Remote Transmit Power Control (RTPC) are commonly optional features.

ATPC and RTPC functions are usually implemented through an attenuator inserted along the transmitting chain (e.g. at IF or at RF level or at both levels) and can be realized in a mixed configuration, e.g.:

- ATPC only is implemented;
- RTPC only is implemented;
- ATPC + RTPC are implemented with separate attenuator functions;
- ATPC + RTPC are implemented with a single attenuator supplying both functions.

#### 4.2.2.1.1 Automatic Transmit Power Control (ATPC)

ATPC is an optional feature. Equipment with ATPC will be subject to a supplier's declaration of ATPC ranges (see note) and related tolerances. The supplier shall also declare if the equipment is designed with ATPC as a fixed permanent feature.

The equipment shall comply with the requirements of spectrum masks in clause 4.2.4 with ATPC operating in the range between maximum nominal power and maximum available power (see note) including the attenuation introduced by RTPC function (if any).

NOTE: For the relevant power level definitions of ATPC operation see EN 302 217-1 [6] while for additional clarification on ATPC and RTPC requirements see annex I. General background for ATPC operation may also be found in annex G of EN 302 217-2-1 (see bibliography).

#### 4.2.2.1.2 Remote Transmit Power Control (RTPC)

Equipment with RTPC will be subject to a supplier's declaration with respect to RTPC ranges and related tolerances.

The equipment shall comply with the requirements of spectrum masks in clause 4.2.4 throughout the RTPC range.

NOTE: For additional clarification on ATPC and RTPC requirements see annex I.

### 4.2.2.2 Remote Frequency Control (RFC)

This functionality is an optional feature.

Equipment with RFC will be subject to a supplier's declaration of RFC ranges and related change frequency procedure.

RFC setting procedure shall not produce emissions outside of the previous and the final centre frequency spectrum masks required in clause 4.2.4.



### 4.2.3 Transmitter power tolerance

The nominal transmitter power shall be declared by the supplier.

The tolerance of the nominal transmitter power shall be within  $\pm B$  dB, within the environmental profile declared by the supplier for the intended limits of usage of the equipment; the value of B is given in the relevant annex(es).

The test methods and conditions of transmitter power tolerance are specified in clause 5.2.3.

### 4.2.4 Radio Frequency (RF) spectrum mask

The spectrum masks are necessary for a number of intra-system and inter-system regulatory and performance requirements. In the relevant annexes, mask attenuations beyond those set out in table 2 are not considered relevant to the essential requirements under article 3.2 of the R&TTE Directive [1].

NOTE: In previous ENs dealing with the same systems (see cross-reference in the introduction EN 302 217-1) there were some more stringent masks in relation to intra-system or local antenna system sharing compatibility requirements. The portion of mask exceeding the minimum requirement in table 2, has not been considered relevant to article 3.2 of R&TTE Directive [1] and is maintained, when appropriate, only as "additional ETSI voluntary characteristic" in EN 302 217-2-1 (see bibliography).

**Table 2: Maximum spectrum mask attenuation relevant to the essential requirements under article 3.2 of the R&TTE Directive**

Operating frequency band [GHz]	Maximum attenuation [dB]
$f < 10$	55 (see note)
$10 \text{ GHz} \leq f < 17$	55
$17 \text{ GHz} \leq f < 30$	50
$f \geq 30$	45

NOTE: This value will affect the nodal efficiency (i.e. the minimum angle for links at a frequency distance of more than one channel converging into the same nodal station). Despite the fact that the previous Harmonized EN 301 751 (see bibliography) (which will be superseded by the present document) required a tighter figure of 60 dB, here it is considered, for the benefit of the market, that the 55 dB figure represents an average requirement for most cases and a better compromise between design complexity and nodal efficiency. Nevertheless, provided that cases of very congested nodal area are not infrequent, Regulatory bodies, for the links converging to those nodal points and on a case by case basis, may limit the attenuation to the more stringent figure of 60 dB. Administrations, specifying the more stringent option, will detail this requirement in the Interface Notification under article 4.1 of R&TTE Directive [1]. For this reason, in some cases, the relevant annexes will introduce two options for spectrum masks covering one or both requirements, equipment supplier may choose to produce and assess different products.

#### 4.2.4.1 Limits background

The 0 dB level shown on the spectrum masks relates to the power spectral density at the carrier centre frequency, disregarding the residual of the carrier (due to modulation imperfection). The actual carrier frequency is identified with the  $f_0$  corner point (see note); spectrum masks are shown in frequencies relative to  $f_0$ ; the spectrum mask is assumed to be symmetrical with respect to the centre frequency  $f_0$ .

NOTE: The masks do not include frequency tolerance. Only systems specified in annex A are an exception to this general rule; in that case  $f_0$  identifies the nominal carrier frequency and the spectrum mask includes an allowance for the frequency tolerance.

Radio frequency spectrum mask limits have been reduced to a set of curves and a set of discreet points (i.e.  $f_x$  MHz/ $K_x$  dB) identifying the frequency offset from  $f_0$  and the related attenuation; each curve is divided into a number of segments; each spectrum mask is then represented in the annexes by values located at discrete points on the relevant graph; the number of discreet points is dependent on the number of segments on the actual mask.

It is also assumed that the value associated with the final discreet point on the graph extends to a point equal to 2,5 times the channel separation (i.e.  $2,5 \times CS$ ) on each side of the centre frequency.

The following figures give the typical curves and their respective spectrum mask table representation. For all spectrum masks, the upper limit for frequencies is  $2,5 \times CS$  where CS is the channel separation.

The radio frequency spectrum mask is given in the relevant annex(es) with relevant corner points in table format.

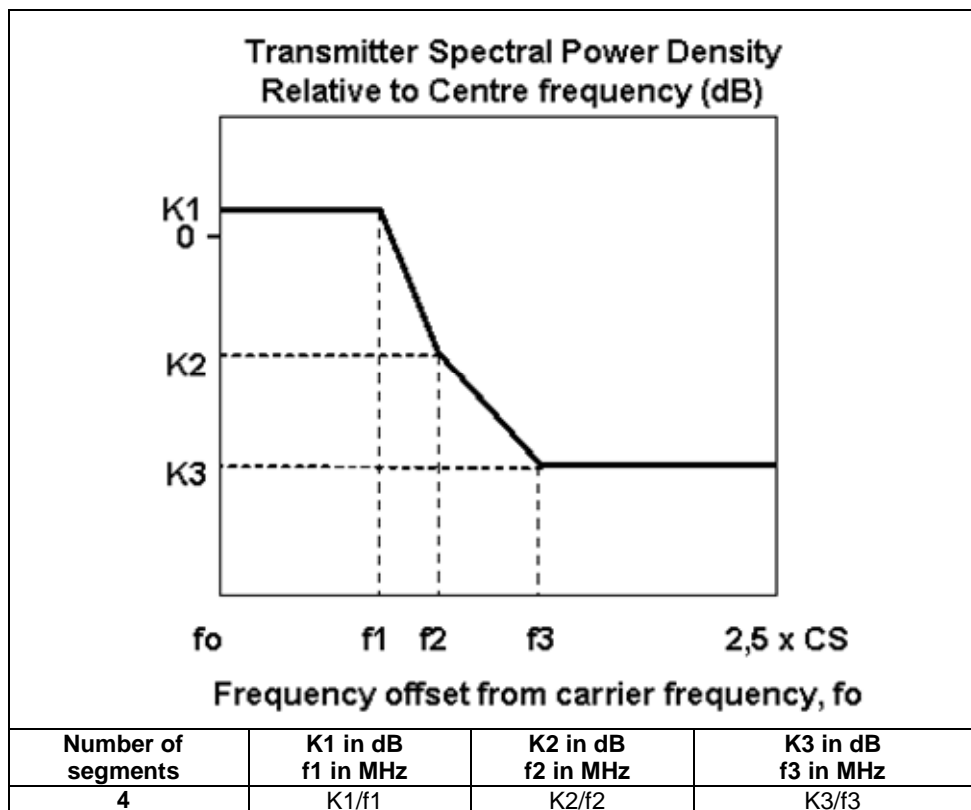


Figure 3: Four segment spectrum mask

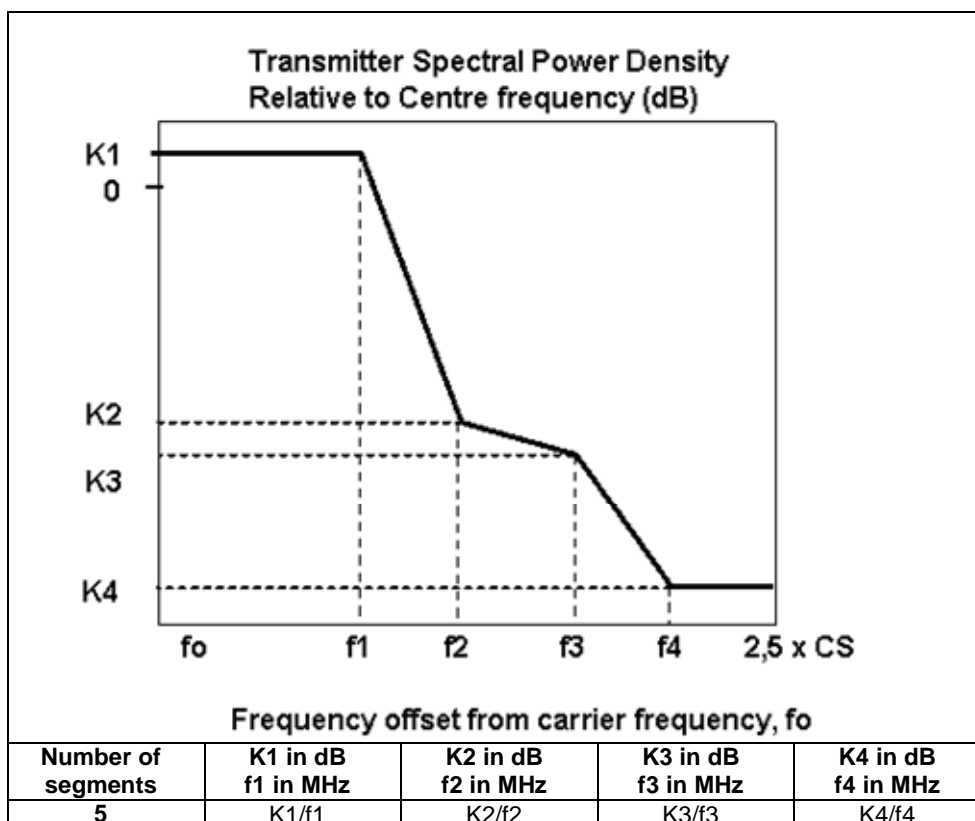


Figure 4: Five segment spectrum mask

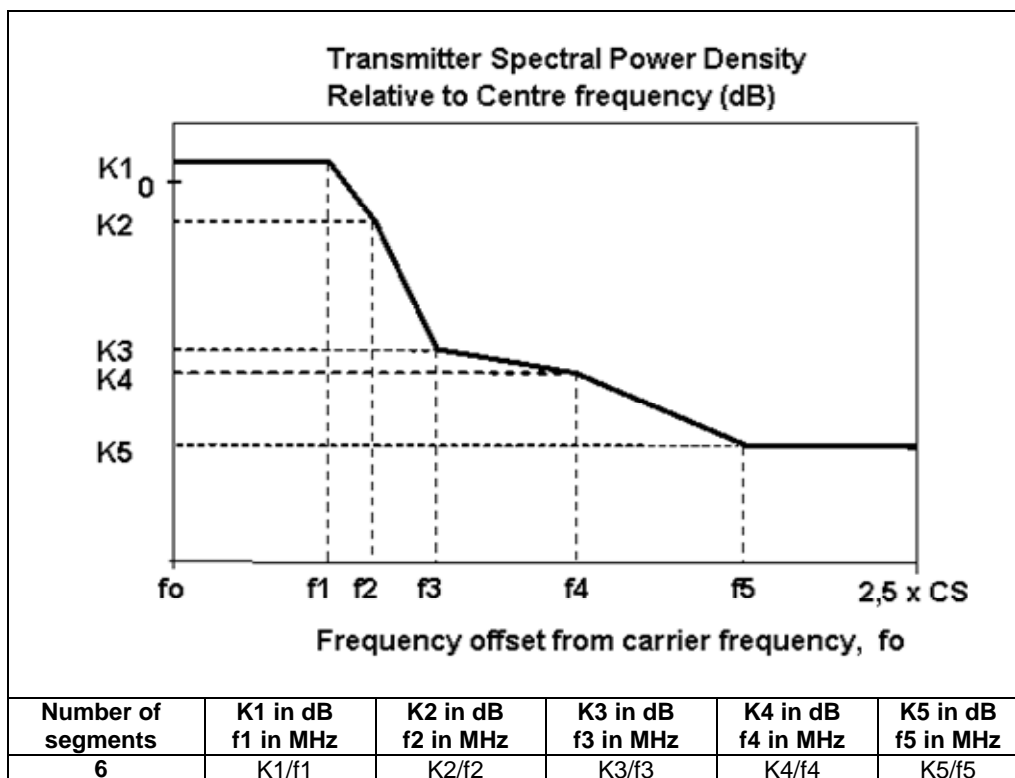


Figure 5: Six segment spectrum mask

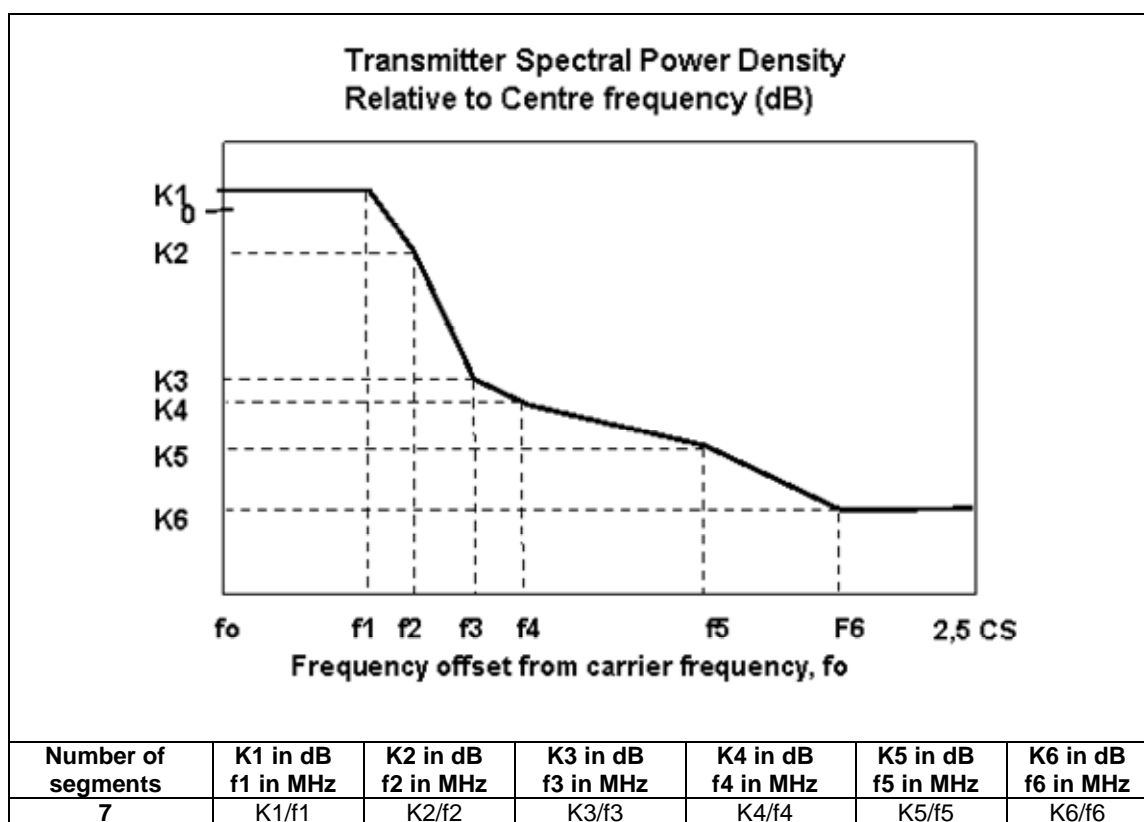


Figure 6: Seven segment spectrum mask

## 4.2.5 Discrete CW components exceeding the spectrum mask limit

### 4.2.5.1 Discrete CW components at the symbol rate

In case they exceed the spectrum mask, the power level (at reference point C' or at point B' if C' is not available) of spectral lines at a distance from the channel frequency equal to the symbol rate shall be more than 23 dB below the mean power level of the carrier for class 2, 29 dB for class 3, 37 dB for class 4 and 5A, 43 dB for class 5B and 49 dB for class 6.

### 4.2.5.2 Other discrete CW components exceeding the spectrum mask limit

Should CW components exceed the spectrum mask given in the relevant annexes, an additional allowance is given.

Those lines shall not:

- exceed the mask by a factor more than  $\{10 \log (CS_{\min}/IF_{\text{bandwidth}}) - 10\}$  dB (see note);
- be separated in frequency by less than  $CS_{\min}$ .

where  $CS_{\min}$  is dependent on the frequency band and the system under consideration and is given in table 3.

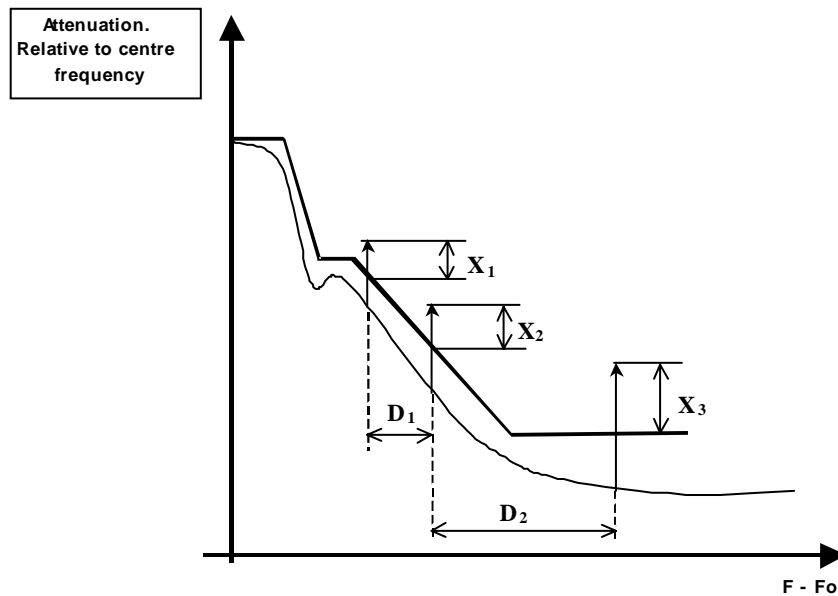
IF bandwidth is the recommended resolution bandwidth set out in table 6.

NOTE: In case the calculation of the allowance factor will result in a negative value, no additional allowance is then permitted.

**Table 3:  $CS_{\min}$  values for relevant bands**

Frequency band/Channel separation	System annex reference	$CS_{\min}$ (MHz)
1,4 GHz/All channel separations	A.1	0,025
2,4 GHz/All channel separations	A. 2	0,5
3,4 GHz to 3,8 GHz/Channel separations $\leq$ 14 MHz	B.1	0,5
3.6 GHz to 4,2 GHz/ Channel separations $>$ 14 MHz	B.1	10
5 GHz/All channel separations	C.1, C.2, C.3	10
L6 GHz/All channel separations	B.1	14,825
U6 GHz/All channel separations	B.1, C.1, C.2, C.3	10
7 GHz and 8 GHz/All channel separations	B.1, B.2, B.3	7
10 GHz/All channel separations	B.1	1,5
11 GHz/All channel separations	B.1, C.1, C.2 C.3	10
13 GHz and all bands above/All channel separations	D (all systems), E (all systems)	1,75

Figure 7 shows a typical example of this requirement.



$$X_1, X_2, X_3 \text{ [dB]} \leq 10 \log( CS_{\min} / IF_{bw} ) - 10$$

$$D_1, D_2 \geq CS_{\min}$$

**Figure 7: CW lines exceeding the spectrum mask (typical example)**

#### 4.2.6 Spurious emissions - external

It is necessary to define spurious emissions (or more precisely, according to latest ITU-R definitions, unwanted emissions in the spurious domain) from transmitters in order to limit interference into other systems operating wholly externally to the system under consideration (external emissions). Limits are set out by EN 301 390 [5].

The equipment shall comply with the requirements of clause 4.1 of EN 301 390 [5] for any setting of ATPC and RTPC (if any).

NOTE 1: ERC/REC 74-01 [2] based on ITU-R Recommendations SM.329 (see bibliography), and ITU-R Recommendation F.1191 (see bibliography) give the applicable definitions;

NOTE 2: EN 301 390 [5] includes, for P-P systems, the same limits of ERC/REC 74-01 [2].

The limits are applicable at reference point C' or at point B' if C' is not available.

#### 4.2.7 Radio frequency tolerance

Maximum radio frequency tolerance shall not exceed  $\pm X$  ppm or  $\pm XX$  kHz, whichever is the more stringent, for operation in environmental profile declared by the supplier.

This limit includes both short-term factors (environmental effects) and long-term factors (ageing effects).

The values of X or XX are given in annexes A to E.

### 4.3 Receiver requirements

All measurements, when applicable, shall be carried out with the transmitters loaded with test signals defined in clause 4.2.

### 4.3.1 Spurious emissions - external

It is necessary to define spurious emissions (or more precisely, according latest ITU-R definitions, unwanted emissions in the spurious domain) from receivers in order to limit interference into other systems operating wholly externally to the system under consideration (external emissions); those limits are set out in EN 301 390 [5]. Those limits are applicable at reference point C or at point B if C is not available.

NOTE 1: ERC/REC 74-01 [2] based on ITU-R Recommendations SM.329 (see bibliography), and ITU-R Recommendation F.1191 (see bibliography) gives the applicable definitions.

NOTE 2: EN 301 390 [5] includes, for P-P systems, the same limits as ERC/REC 74-01 [2].

### 4.3.2 BER as a function of receiver input signal level RSL

All parameters are referred to reference point C (for systems with a simple duplexer) or B (for systems with a multi-channel branching system). Losses in RF couplers (possibly used for protected systems) are not taken into account in the limits specified below.

When packet data transmission is considered, any BER requirements shall be transformed into FER requirements according to the rules given in clause G.3.

The RSL threshold values (dBm) for required BER are indicated in the tables of the relevant annex(es).

Equipment working at the relevant RSL thresholds, set out in the tables of the relevant annex(es), shall produce a BER equal to or less than the corresponding values (i.e.  $10^{-6}$  and  $10^{-8}$  or  $10^{-10}$ ) also indicated in the same tables.

NOTE: It should be noted that, in previous ENs for PP systems, figures of RSL for a BER  $\leq 10^{-3}$  were also standardized. However, in line with the present network requirements for high quality data transport, this BER is no longer representative for a unique performance and availability assessment and therefore is no longer considered relevant to essential requirements under article 3.2 of R&TTE Directive [1]. Actual RSL threshold for link budget definition may be defined by the supplier, generally set to a BER between  $10^{-6}$  and  $10^{-3}$ , according to the type of traffic and quality of service to be provided.

### 4.3.3 Co-channel "external" and adjacent channel interference sensitivity

The co-channel "external" interference is considered to be that given by a like signal completely uncorrelated with the one under test. There are different requirements for "internal" interference given by the cross polar transmitters in systems implementing XPIC for CCDP operation; however, the latter requirements are not considered relevant to essential requirements under article 3.2 of R&TTE Directive [1] and are set out in EN 302 217-2-1 (see bibliography).

All Carrier to Interference ratio (C/I) measurements are referred to reference point C (for systems for single channel applications) or B (for systems with multi-channel branching system).

The values are indicated in the annexes A to E.

The limits of Carrier to Interference ratio (C/I) in case of co-channel and adjacent channel interference shall be as specified in the relevant tables of annexes A to E, giving maximum C/I values for 1 dB and 3 dB degradation of the RSL limits specified for a BER  $\leq 10^{-6}$  in clause 4.3.2.

The format of such tables is given in table 4.

NOTE: For equipment in annex A only 1 dB degradation is required. In some cases a requirement for second adjacent channel interference is also given.

For adjacent channel interference, the requirement shall be met independently on upper and lower adjacent interference.

**Table 4: Co-channel and 1st adjacent channel interference sensitivity table format**

Spectrum efficiency class	System	Nominal bit rate (Mbit/s)	Channel separation (MHz)	C/I for BER $\leq 10^{-6}$ RSL degradation of 1 dB or 3 dB			
				Co-channel Interference		adjacent channel interference	
				1 dB	3 dB	1 dB	3 dB

NOTE: Actual values for this template are found in annexes A to E.

#### 4.3.4 CW spurious interference

For a receiver operating at the RSL specified in clause 4.3.2 for a BER  $\leq 10^{-6}$  threshold, the introduction of a CW interferer at a level specified by EN 301 390 [5], with respect to the wanted signal and at any frequency up to the relevant upper and lower frequency limits derived from the table set out in clause 7.1 of EN 301 390 [5], but excluding frequencies either side of the wanted frequency by up to 250 % of the separation between channels using the same polarization, shall not result in a BER greater than  $10^{-5}$ .

This test is designed to identify specific frequencies at which the receiver may have a spurious response; e.g. image frequency, harmonics of the receive filter, etc. The actual test range should be adjusted accordingly. The test is not intended to imply a relaxed specification at all out of band frequencies elsewhere specified in this EN series.

### 4.4 Antenna directional requirements

This clause is relevant for all equipment specified in annexes A to F when an integral antenna is provided. Stand alone antenna products are covered, for the relevant frequency band and antenna class, by EN 302 217-4-2 [7].

However, with integral antennas, it may be possible to test the antenna separately from the equipment (see note); in this case the declaration of conformity may be composed of a declaration of conformity for the equipment and a declaration of conformity for the antenna, done separately by the actual supplier(s), according to EN 302 217-4-2 [7].

NOTE: Using special tool supplied by the supplier.

RPE, gain (including tolerances around the nominal declared value) and XPD of antennas are essential requirements for equipment with integral antennas, but not only for the transmitter side. Since receiver parameters are essential for the Fixed Service, in the case of receive only antenna (e.g. in space diversity applications) antenna parameters are as essential on the receive side as they are on the transmitter side. Antenna essential requirements are then described without any reference to transmit or receive side.

#### 4.4.1 Radiation Pattern Envelope (Off-axis EIRP density)

In the case of radio equipment with an integral antenna and where applicable, the Radiation Pattern Envelope (off-axis EIRP density) is essential under article 3.2 of the R&TTE Directive [1]; limits are set out in clause 4.2 of EN 302 217-4-2 [7].

#### 4.4.2 Antenna gain

In the case of radio equipment with an integral antenna and where applicable, the antenna gain is essential under article 3.2 of the R&TTE Directive [1]; limits are set out in clause 4.4 of EN 302 217-4-2 [7].

#### 4.4.3 Antenna Cross-Polar Discrimination (XPD)

In the case of radio equipment with an integral antenna and where applicable, the antenna cross-polar discrimination (XPD) is essential under article 3.2 of the R&TTE Directive [1]; limits are set out in clause 4.3 of EN 302 217-4-2 [7].

## 5 Testing for compliance with technical requirements

### 5.1 Environmental conditions for testing

The equipment shall comply with all the requirements of the present document at all times when operating within the boundary limits of the operational environmental profile declared by the supplier, including the limits of any primary/secondary power supply external to the equipment under assessment.

Boundary limits of environmental climatic conditions, which are part of the environmental profile, may be determined by the environmental class of the equipment according to the guidance given in clause 4.4 of EN 301 126-1 [3].

Tests defined in the present document shall be carried out at representative points within the boundary limits of the declared operational environmental profile.

Any test, requested to generate the test report and/or declaration of conformity in order to fulfil any Conformity assessment procedure with respect to the R&TTE Directive [1] shall be carried-out:

- a) For radio equipment, with respect to the same principles and procedures, for reference and extreme conditions, set out in clause 4.4 of EN 301 126-1 [3] for climatic conditions and in table 1 of EN 301 126-1 [3] and clauses 5.2 and 5.3 of the present document for power supply conditions. The requirement to test at reference or extreme conditions is set out in clauses 5.2 and 5.3 of the present document according to the principles for similar requirements set out in EN 301 126-1 [3].
- b) For integral DFRS antennas (directional phenomena of clause 4.4 of the present document), at reference environmental conditions of the test field according to clause 4.1 of EN 301 126-3-1 [4].

NOTE: It is noted (see Scope) that equipment already assessed for presumption of conformity to EN 301 751 (see bibliography), a part from the case mentioned in the Scope, do not require a new test report.

The test report shall be produced according to the procedure set out in article 10 of the R&TTE Directive [1].

Interpretation of the results recorded in a test report (of the measurements described in the present document) shall be as follows:

For the purposes of test, the limits in the present document are based on the "shared risk" of measurement uncertainty, e.g. if a measurement meets the requirements of the standard, even if it is within the calculated measurement uncertainties, it shall be deemed compliant with the measurement parameter.

If it fails to meet the requirements of a standard, even within measurement uncertainty, it is deemed to be not compliant with the measurement parameter.

Measurement uncertainty calculations should be based on the latest available ETSI guidelines.

In conclusion:

- the measured value related to the corresponding limit will be used to decide whether an equipment meets the requirements of the present document;
- the value of the measurement uncertainty for the measurement of each parameter shall be included in the test report.

### 5.2 Essential radio test suites for the transmitter

The tests, carried out to generate the test report and/or declaration of conformity in order to fulfil any conformity assessment procedure with respect to the R&TTE Directive [1], shall be carried-out at climatic conditions referred to in table 5 and, when applicable for equipment with integral antenna, in table 8.

Table 5 indicates the different clauses applicable, for a given parameter, to the requirement, the test clause in the present document and the corresponding test method in the base test document EN 301 126-1 [3].



Table 5: Transmitter parameters, test clauses and conditions

Clause (see note 2)	Parameter (see note 2)	EN 301 126-1 [3] reference clause for the test methods	Climatic conditions (see note 1)		Channels to be tested (see note 4)  B = Bottom M = Middle T = Top	Other specific conditions
			Ref	Extreme		
5.2.1	Transmitter power range	5.2.1	X	X	BMT	See note 3
5.2.2	Transmitter power and frequency control					
5.2.2.1.1	Automatic Transmit Power Control (ATPC)	5.2.3 and 5.2.6	X		M	
5.2.2.1.2	Remote Transmit Power Control (RTPC)	5.2.4 and 5.2.6	X		BMT	Shall be carried-out at three operating conditions (lowest, medium, and highest delivered power) of the RTPC power range and with ATPC (if any) set to maximum nominal power
5.2.2.2	Remote Frequency Control (RFC)	5.2.7 and 5.2.6	X		BMT	Tests shall be carried for RFC setting procedure for three frequencies (i.e. frequency settings from lower to centre, centre to higher and back to the lower frequency within the covered range). The test shall be carried-out at reference climatic conditions
5.2.3	Transmitter power tolerance	5.2.1	X	X	BMT	See note 3
5.2.4	RF Spectrum Mask	5.2.6	X	X	BMT	See note 3
5.2.5	Discrete CW components exceeding the spectrum masks limits	5.2.8	X	X	BMT	See note 3
5.2.6	Spurious emissions-external	5.2.9	X		BMT	The tests shall be carried-out with ATPC, if any, set to maximum available power and RTPC, if any, set at minimum attenuation. Actual test shall be limited to the practical frequency range set out by clause A.1 of EN 301 390 [5]
5.2.7	Radio frequency tolerance	5.2.5	X	X	BMT	See note 3

NOTE 1: This refers to climatic conditions only; for other environmental and power supply conditions, please refer to EN 301 126-1 [3], which provides, for testing some parameters, combined variations also of the power supply source, see table 1 of EN 301 126-1 [3] ; however, DC regulators on all the DC sources actually used for carrier generation are commonly integral to the radio equipment. When this is the case, such additional tests are considered redundant and not necessary to assess the compliance to the essential requirements of article 3.2 of the R&TTE Directive [1]. This will not imply any reduction to the supplier responsibility related to the conformance declaration, which, in any case, shall be valid for the whole declared environmental profile.

NOTE 2: For equipment with integral antennas, the essential transmitter test suite clauses include the antenna parameters, test clauses and conditions contained in table 8, clause 5.4.

NOTE 3: This clause requires, besides extremes of temperature, testing also at extremes of voltage (see note 1).

NOTE 4: Annex G provides more detailed information on channels to be tested, depending on the type of equipment.

## 5.2.1 Transmitter power

Test methods for the transmitter power and transmitter power tolerance shall be in accordance with clause 5.2.1 of EN 301 126-1 [3].

## 5.2.2 Transmitter power and frequency control

### 5.2.2.1 Transmitter Power Control (ATPC and RTPC)

#### 5.2.2.1.1 ATPC

The correct operation of the ATPC function (according to the supplier's declaration) shall be tested according to the test method described in clause 5.2.3 of EN 301 126-1 [3].

Testing shall be carried out with transmitter power level corresponding to:

- ATPC set manually to a fixed value for receiver requirements (clause 4.2.2.1.1);
- ATPC set at maximum available power for transmitter requirements (clause 4.2.1).

The test shall be carried-out at reference climatic conditions.

#### 5.2.2.1.2 RTPC

The tests, carried out to generate the test report and/or declaration of conformity, required in order to fulfil any Conformity assessment procedure with respect to the R&TTE Directive [1], shall be carried-out at three operating conditions (lowest, medium, and highest delivered power) of the RTPC power range and with ATPC (if any) set to maximum nominal power. The test shall be carried-out at reference and extreme climatic conditions.

Even if all the procedures set out in clause 5.2.6 of EN 301 126-1 [3] are followed, the actual tests, at the lower RTPC power levels, may fall outside of the available sensitivity of test instruments currently available on the market. In this event the supplier shall produce an attachment to the test report containing:

- calculated evidence that the noise floor of the actual test bed is higher than the mask requirement;
- calculated evidence that the actual noise floor, generated by the transmitter with respect to the noise figure and implemented amplification/attenuation chain, is lower than the mask requirement.

Tests for other transmit and receive requirements shall be made with RTPC set at highest delivered power.

#### 5.2.2.1.3 Remote Frequency Control (RFC)

Test methods for the remote frequency control shall be in accordance with clause 5.2.7 of EN 301 126-1 [3].

## 5.2.3 Transmitter power tolerance

Test methods for the transmitter power tolerance shall be in accordance with clause 5.2.1 of EN 301 126-1 [3].

## 5.2.4 RF spectrum mask

Test methods for the RF spectrum masks shall be in accordance with clause 5.2.6 of EN 301 126-1 [3].

**NOTE:** The required values may be evaluated by adding a measured filter characteristic to the spectrum measured at reference point A' of figure 1 of EN 302 217-1 [6]. Due to the limitations of some spectrum analysers, difficulties may be experienced when testing high capacity/wideband systems. In this event, the following options are to be considered: measurement using a high performance spectrum analyser; use of a notch filter; two step measurement technique. When difficulties are experienced, the plots of one test may be produced as evidence of conformance to the spectrum mask.

Table 6 shows the recommended spectrum analyser settings.

**Table 6: Spectrum analyser settings for RF power spectrum measurement**

Channel separation (CS)	$0,003 < CS \leq 0,03$	$0,03 < CS \leq 0,3$	$0,3 < CS \leq 0,9$	$0,9 < CS \leq 12$	$12 < CS \leq 36$	$36 < CS$
Centre frequency	fo					
Sweep width (MHz)	$> 5 \times CS$					
Scan time	Auto					
IF bandwidth (kHz)	1	3	10	30	100	300
Video bandwidth (kHz)	0,03	0,1	0,1	0,3	0,3	0,3
NOTE:	fo represents either the nominal channel centre frequency (for systems in annex A) or the actual carrier frequency (for systems in all annexes B to E).					

### 5.2.5 Discrete CW components exceeding the spectrum mask limit

Test methods for the discrete CW lines exceeding the spectrum mask shall be in accordance with clause 5.2.8 of EN 301 126-1 [3].

### 5.2.6 Spurious emissions - external

Test methods for spurious emissions shall be in accordance with clause 5.2.9 of EN 301 126-1 [3]. The test shall be limited to the practical frequency ranges specified in clause A.1 of EN 301 390 [5]. The test shall be carried-out at reference climatic conditions.

### 5.2.7 Radio frequency tolerance

Test methods for the radio frequency tolerance shall be in accordance with clause 5.2.5 of EN 301 126-1 [3].

## 5.3 Essential radio test suites for the receiver

The tests, carried out to generate the test report and/or declaration of conformity in order to fulfil any conformity assessment procedure with respect to the R&TTE Directive [1], shall be carried-out at reference and extreme climatic conditions according to the provisions for each test summarized in table 7; these tests will be carried out at nominal power supply conditions only. For each parameter table 7 gives the applicable clauses for the requirement, for the test clause in the present document, for the corresponding clause in EN 301 126-1 [3] and comments on climatic and other specific conditions.

Receiving phenomena tests are considered without the option of space diversity. However, in the case of diversity applications, they do apply separately to any receiver.

For receiving phenomena, the tests, required to generate the test report and/or declaration of conformity in order to fulfil any conformity assessment procedure with respect to the R&TTE Directive [1], shall be carried-out with ATPC, if any, set to either automatic or maximum nominal power operation and RTPC, if any, set to an arbitrary value chosen by the supplier. The supplier will select the appropriate condition according to the actual implementation on the equipment.

Table 7: Essential receiver test suite clauses

Clause (see note 2)	Parameter (see note 2)	EN 301 126-1 [3] reference clause for test methods	Climatic conditions (see note 1)		Channels to be tested (see note 4)  B = Bottom M = Middle T = Top	Other specific conditions  (see note 3)
			Ref	Extreme		
5.3.1	Spurious emissions - external	5.3.2	X		BMT	Actual test shall be limited to the practical frequency range specified by clause A.1 of EN 301 390 [5]
5.3.2	BER as a function of receiver input signal level (RSL)	5.3.3.1	X	X	BMT at Nominal M at Extreme	
5.3.3	Co-channel "external" interference sensitivity	5.3.3.2	X		M	
5.3.4	Adjacent channel interference sensitivity	5.3.3.3	X		M	To be produced for the lower or for the upper frequency adjacent channel, arbitrarily selected by supplier
5.3.5	CW spurious interference	5.3.3.4	X		M	Actual test shall be limited to the practical frequency range specified by clause 7.1 of EN 301 390 [5]
NOTE 1: This refers to climatic conditions only; for other environmental and power supply conditions, please refer to EN 301 126-1 [3].						
NOTE 2: For receiving equipment with integral antennas, the essential receiver test suite clauses include the antenna parameters, test clauses and conditions contained in table 8, clause 5.4.						
NOTE 3: All receiver test suite clauses are performed at nominal voltage only.						
NOTE 4: Annex G provides more detailed information on channels to be tested, depending on the type of equipment.						

### 5.3.1 Spurious emissions - external

The test shall be limited to the practical frequency ranges specified by clause A.1 of EN 301 390 [5]. The test shall be carried-out at reference climatic conditions. Test methods shall be in accordance with clause 5.3.2 of EN 301 126-1 [3].

### 5.3.2 BER as a function of receiver input signal level (RSL)

Test methods of the BER as a function of receiver input signal level RSL shall be in accordance with clause 5.3.3.1 of EN 301 126-1 [3].

In the case of a multi-interface, multi-carrier system, annex G shall apply.

### 5.3.3 Co-channel "external" and adjacent channel interference sensitivity

Test methods for co-channel interference sensitivity shall be in accordance with clause 5.3.3.2 of EN 301 126-1 [3].

Test methods for adjacent channel interference sensitivity shall be in accordance with clause 5.3.3.3 of EN 301 126-1 [3].

The tests shall be carried-out at reference climatic conditions. The test will be produced for the lower or for the upper frequency adjacent channel, arbitrarily selected by the supplier.

### 5.3.4 CW spurious interference

Test methods for CW spurious interference shall be in accordance with clause 5.3.3.4 of EN 301 126-1 [3]. The test shall be limited to the practical frequency ranges specified in clause 7.1 of EN 301 390 [5]. The test shall be carried-out at reference climatic conditions.

## 5.4 Additional essential antenna test suites for systems with integral antenna

**Table 8: Transmitter/receiver antenna parameters, test clauses and conditions.**

Clause	Parameter	EN 301 126-3-1 [4] reference clause for test methods	Climatic conditions		Other specific conditions
			Reference	Extreme	
5.4	Antenna directional requirements				
5.4.1	Radiation Pattern Envelope (RPE) (Off-axis EIRP density)	6.1	X		
5.4.2	Antenna gain	6.3	X		
5.4.3	Antenna Cross-Polar Discrimination (XPD)	6.2	X		

NOTE: This refers to climatic conditions only; for other environmental conditions, please refer to EN 301 126-3-1 [4].

### 5.4.1 Radiation Pattern Envelope (Off-axis EIRP density)

Test methods for the Radiation Pattern Envelope (RPE) shall be in accordance with clause 6.1 of EN 301 126-3-1 [4].

### 5.4.2 Antenna gain

Test methods for the antenna gain shall be in accordance with clause 6.3 of EN 301 126-3-1 [4].

### 5.4.3 Antenna Cross-Polar Discrimination (XPD)

Test methods for the Antenna Cross-Polar Discrimination shall be in accordance with clause 6.2 of EN 301 126-3-1 [4].

# Annex A (normative): Frequency bands from 1,4 GHz to 2,7 GHz

## A.1 Introduction

The following point-to-point Digital Fixed Radio Systems are covered in this annex (see note):

- A.1 : Low capacity point-to-point digital radio systems operating in the 1,4 GHz frequency band;
- A.2 : Low and medium capacity point-to-point digital radio systems operating in the frequency range 2,1 GHz to 2,6 GHz.

NOTE: These systems were previously reported in EN 300 630 (system A.1) and in EN 300 633 (system A.2) (see both references in the bibliography). In some cases, equipments were reported in these previous ENs with a different number for efficiency class that here has been renumbered, for coherence with all P-P in this EN 302 217 series (e.g. class 4 was mentioned as class 3). However, this would not change the actual spectral efficiency and would not impact the frequency planning. Reference to those ENs can be found in the bibliography.

## A.2 General characteristics

### A.2.1 Frequency characteristics and channel arrangements

In the following table, ITU-R and ECC (formerly CEPT/ERC) recommended frequency channel arrangements, known at the date of publication of the present document, are set out for reference only. The channel arrangement in itself is not relevant with respect to article 3.2 requirements; only the frequency band and actual channel separation is relevant for defining the set of parameters and test suites for each system mainly designed for that channel separation.

Other national or future ITU-R or ECC recommendations set around the rough boundary of present ITU-R or ECC recommendations are considered applicable to systems assessed against the present document, provided that they use the same channel separation.

For assessment of wide-band coverage systems see annex G.

**Table A.1: Frequency characteristics**

Band (GHz)	Frequency range (MHz)	Channel separation (MHz)	Applicable to system	Recommendations for radio frequency channel arrangements	
				ECC (CEPT/ERC) (see note)	ITU-R (see note)
1,4	1 350 to 1 375 paired with 1 492 to 1 517	0,025 to 3,5	A.1	T/R 13-01 annex A	-
1,4	1 375 to 1 400 paired with 1 427 to 1 452	0,025 to 3,5	A.1	T/R 13-01 annex B	-
2,1	2 025 to 2 110 paired with 2 200 to 2 290	0,5 to 14	A.2	T/R 13-01 annex C	-
2,6	2 520 to 2 593 paired with 2 597 to 2 670	0,5 to 14	A.2	T/R 13-01 annex D	-
2,4	2 300 to 2 500	1 and 2	A.2	-	F.746-6 annex 1

NOTE: All ECC (CEPT/ERC), or ITU-R Recommendations listed in this clause are referred to in the annex K.

## A.2.2 Transmission capacities

Digital systems covered by this annex are intended to be used for point-to-point connections in local and regional networks.

- System A.1 Typical base band data rates are between 9,6 kbit/s and  $4 \times 2$  Mbit/s.
- System A.2 Typical base band data rates are  $N \times 64$  kbit/s,  $N \times 2$  Mbit/s ( $N = 1, 2, 4, 8, 16$ ),  $2 \times 8$  Mbit/s and 34 Mbit/s.

The indicative channel capacities (gross bit rate), shown in table A.2 for the three classes of equipment, are based on the maximum gross bit rate for the minimum modulation level in each class. It is possible to improve on the gross bit rate by using higher modulation schemes within each class. The use of higher modulation levels within each class is permitted so long as the limits of the relevant spectral power density mask are not exceeded.

**Table A.2: Indicative channel capacities (gross bit rate), for ACCP operation.**

System	Channel separation	Class 1 equipment	Class 2 equipment	Class 4 equipment
A.1	25 kHz	20 kbit/s	32 kbit/s	64 kbit/s
A.1	75 kHz	60 kbit/s	95 kbit/s	190 kbit/s
A.1	250 kHz	200 kbit/s	325 kbit/s	650 kbit/s
A.1 and A.2	500 kHz	400 kbit/s	650 kbit/s	1 300 kbit/s
A.1 and A.2	1 MHz	800 kbit/s	1 300 kbit/s	2 600 kbit/s
A.2	1,75 MHz	1 400 kbit/s	2 275 kbit/s	4 550 kbit/s
A.1 and A.2	2 MHz	1 600 kbit/s	2 600 kbit/s	5 200 kbit/s
A.1 and A.2	3,5 MHz	2 800 kbit/s	4 500 kbit/s	9 100 kbit/s
A.2	7 MHz	Not applicable	9 000 kbit/s	18 200 kbit/s
A.2	14 MHz	Not applicable	18 000 kbit/s	38 000 kbit/s

The capacities in table A.2 are commonly tailored to typical medium and low speed data interface, PDH and sub-STM-0 SDH rates can be accommodated as appropriate. For equipment assessment when other base band interfaces or a combination of them are foreseen see annex F.

## A.3 Transmitter

### A.3.1 General requirements

**Table A.3: Transmitter requirements**

Requirements	System	
	A1	A2
Maximum transmitter power	Clause 4.2.1	
Nominal transmitter power tolerance	B = +2 dB/-1 dB.	
Transmitter power and frequency control	Clause 4.2.2	
RF spectrum mask	RF spectrum density mask in clause A.3.2.	
Discrete CW components exceeding the spectrum mask limit: spectral lines at the symbol rate and other spectral lines	Clause 4.2.5	
Spurious emissions-external	Clause 4.2.6	
Radio frequency tolerance	No specific value is requested, however, Radio frequency tolerances shall be included in the spectrum mask values given below. They include tuning accuracy and environmental effects as well as long term ageing (see note).	
NOTE:	For conformance procedure, the supplier should state the portion of frequency tolerance to be taken into account for the long term ageing; the mask frequency points will be reduced accordingly.	

## A.3.2 Spectrum mask

Spectrum masks are inclusive of an allowance for radio frequency tolerance. Centre frequency  $f_0$  identifies the nominal carrier frequency; the mask shall be extended up to 2,5 times the relevant CS of each system.

Table A.4, with reference to the relevant generic mask shape specified in clause 4.2.4.1, shows the offset frequency from  $f_0$  and attenuation of other corner points of the spectrum mask.

**Table A.4: Limits of transmitter spectral power density as a function of channel separation**

System	Spectrum efficiency class	Channel separation (MHz)	K1 (dB)	f1 (kHz)	K2 (dB)	f2 (kHz)	K3 (dB)	f3 (kHz)	K4 (dB)	f4 (kHz)
A.1	1 and 2	0,025	+3	12	-25	18	-25	25	-45	40
		0,075		36		54		75		120
		0,250		110		170		230		400
A.1 and A.2		0,500		210		325		450		800
		1		420		650		900		1 600
		2		840		1 300		1 800		3 200
A.2		3,5		1 500		2 400		3 500		6 000
		1,75		750		1 150		1 600		2 800
		7		3 000		4 800		7 000		12 000
A.1		4		14		+1		6 000		-32
	0,025		12	18	25		40			
	0,075		36	54	75		120			
0,250	110		170	230	400					
A.1 and A.2	0,500		210	325	450		800			
	1		420	650	900		1 600			
	2		840	1 300	1 800		3 200			
A.2	3,5		1 500	2 400	3 500		6 000			
	1,75		750	1 150	1 600		2 800			
	7		3 000	4 800	7 000		12 000			
A.1	4	14	+1	6 000	-32	9 600	-32	14 000	-55	24 000
		0,025		12		18		25		40
		0,075		36		54		75		120
0,250		110		170		230		400		
A.1 and A.2		0,500		210		325		450		800
		1		420		650		900		1 600
		2		840		1 300		1 800		3 200
A.2		3,5		1 500		2 400		3 500		6 000
		1,75		750		1 150		1 600		2 800
		7		3 000		4 800		7 000		12 000
A.1	4	14	+1	6 000	-32	9 600	-32	14 000	-55	24 000
		0,025		12		18		25		40
		0,075		36		54		75		120
0,250		110		170		230		400		
A.1 and A.2		0,500		210		325		450		800
		1		420		650		900		1 600
		2		840		1 300		1 800		3 200
A.2		3,5		1 500		2 400		3 500		6 000
		1,75		750		1 150		1 600		2 800
		7		3 000		4 800		7 000		12 000

NOTE: For mask reference shape see figure 4.

## A.4 Receiver

### A.4.1 General requirements

**Table A.5: Receiver requirements**

Requirements	System	
	A.1	A.2
Spurious emissions (External)	Clause 4.3.1	
BER as a function of RSL	Table A.6	
Co-channel "external" and adjacent interference sensitivity	Table A.7	
CW spurious response	Clause 4.3.4	



## A.4.2 BER as a function of receiver input signal level (RSL)

Receiver Signal Levels (RSL) equal to those specified in table A.6 shall produce a BER  $\leq 10^{-6}$ .

**Table A.6: Receiver BER as a function of receive input signal level RSL**

Spectrum efficiency class	System	Co-polar channel separation	RSL for BER $\leq 10^{-6}$ (dBm)
1	A.1	25 kHz	-105
	A.1	75 kHz	-100
	A.1	250 kHz	-94
	A.1 and A.2	500 kHz	-92
	A.1 and A.2	1 MHz	-89
	A.2	1,75 MHz	-87
	A.1 and A.2	2 MHz	-86
	A.1 and A.2	3,5 MHz	-83
2	A.1	25 kHz	-108
	A.1	75 kHz	-103
	A.1	250 kHz	-97
	A.1 and A.2	500 kHz	-95
	A.1 and A.2	1 MHz	-92
	A.2	1,75 MHz	-90
	A.1 and A.2	2 MHz	-89
	A.1 and A.2	3,5 MHz	-86
	A.2	7 MHz	-83
A.2	14 MHz	-80	
4	A.1	25 kHz	-101
	A.1	75 kHz	-97
	A.1	250 kHz	-91
	A.1 and A.2	500 kHz	-89
	A.1 and A.2	1 MHz	-86
	A.2	1,75 MHz	-84
	A.1 and A.2	2 MHz	-83
	A.1 and A.2	3,5 MHz	-80
	A.2	7 MHz	-77
A.2	14 MHz	-74	

NOTE : For these systems, only RSL for BER  $\leq 10^{-6}$  is standardized; however, in the previously published EN 300 630 and EN 300 633 (see bibliography) these systems also required a specific RSL for BER  $\leq 10^{-3}$ , which were set 4 dB lower than the RSL for BER  $\leq 10^{-6}$ . This figure, given here for information only, may be used for deriving a typical RSL versus BER curve.

## A.4.3 Co-channel "external" and adjacent channels interference sensitivity

The limits of Carrier to Interference ratio (C/I), in case of co-channel, first and second adjacent channel interference, shall be as set out in table A.7, giving maximum C/I values for 1 dB degradation of the RSL limits specified for BER  $\leq 10^{-6}$  in clause A.4.2.

Table A.7: Co-channel and adjacent channels interference sensitivity

Spectrum efficiency class	Channel separation (MHz)	C/I (dB) for BER $\leq 10^{-6}$ RSL degradation of 1 dB		
		Co-channel interference C/I (dB)	First adjacent channel interference C/I (dB)	Second adjacent channel interference C/I (dB)
1	0,025 to 3,5 (System A 1) 0,500 to 14 (System A2)	23	0	-25
2	0,025 to 3,5 (System A 1) 0,500 to 14 (System A2)	23	0	-25
4	0,025 to 3,5 (System A.1) 0,500 to 14 (System A.2)	30	0	-25

NOTE: The 1 dB degradation of  $10^{-6}$  BER threshold is considered equivalent to the BER degradation from  $10^{-6}$  to  $10^{-5}$ , formerly required by previous EN 301 751 (through reference to EN 300 631 and EN 300 633) (see bibliography). Equipment already assessed against those ENs do not need new assessment against the present document.

## Annex B (normative): Frequency bands from 3 GHz to 11 GHz (channel separation up to 30 MHz)

### B.1 Introduction

The following point-to-point Digital Fixed Radio Systems are covered in this annex (see note):

- B.1 Low and medium capacity PDH and STM-0 digital radio systems.
- B.2 High capacity digital radio systems carrying  $1 \times$  STM-1 signals and operating in frequency bands with about 30 MHz channel separation and alternated arrangements.
- B.3 High capacity digital radio systems carrying SDH signals (up to  $2 \times$  STM-1) in frequency bands with about 30 MHz channel separation and using Adjacent Channel Co-Polar arrangements (ACCP) or Co-Channel Dual Polar (CCDP) operation.

NOTE: These systems were previously reported in EN 300 234 (system B.2), EN 301 127 (system B.3), EN 301 216 (system B.1) (see all references in the bibliography). Among B.1 systems a  $2 \times$  STM-0 class 5B system, not included in EN 301 216 has been introduced. In some cases, equipments where previously reported in these previous ENs with a different number for efficiency class that here has been renumbered, for coherence with all P-P in this EN 302 217 series (e.g. classes 2, 4, and 5(A and B) where mentioned in EN 301 216 as 1, 2 and 3). However, this would not change the actual spectral efficiency and would not impact the frequency planning. Reference to those ENs can be found in the bibliography.

### B.2 General characteristics

#### B.2.1 Frequency characteristics and channel arrangements

In the following table, ITU-R and ECC (formerly CEPT/ERC) recommended frequency channel arrangements, known at the date of publication of the present document, are specified for reference only. The channel arrangement is not relevant to article 3.2 requirements; only the frequency band and actual channel separation are relevant for defining the set of parameters and test suites relevant to each system mainly designed for that channel separation and that frequency band.

Other national or future ITU-R or CEPT/ECC recommendations set around the rough boundary of present ITU-R or CEPT/ECC recommendations are considered applicable to systems assessed against the present document, provided that they use the same channel separation.

For assessment of wide-band coverage systems see annex G.

**Table B.1: Frequency characteristics**

Band (GHz)	Frequency range (GHz)	Channel separation (MHz)	Applicable to systems	Recommendations for radio frequency channel arrangements	
				ECC (CEPT/ERC) (see note 2)	ITU-R Recommendation (see note 2)
3,5	3,410 to 3,600	1,75 to 14	B.1	14-03	-
4	3,600 to 4,200	29 and 30	B.1, B.2, B.3	12-08 annex A part 2	F.635
	3,600 to 3,800	1,75 to 14	B.1	12-08 annex B part 2	-
	3,800 to 4,200	29	B.1, B.2, B.3	12-08 annex B part 1	F.382
L6	5,925 to 6,425	29,65	B.1, B.2, B.3	14-01	F.383
U6	6,425 to 7,100	20	B.1	-	F.384

Band (GHz)	Frequency range (GHz)	Channel separation (MHz)	Applicable to systems	Recommendations for radio frequency channel arrangements	
				ECC (CEPT/ERC) (see note 2)	ITU-R Recommendation (see note 2)
7 GHz	7,125 to 7,425	7 (see note 1)	B.1 (see note 1)	-	F.385-7
	7,425 to 7,725		B.1 (see note 1)	-	F.385-7
	7,250 to 7,550		B.1 (see note 1)	-	F.385-7
	7,550 to 7,850		B.1 (see note 1)	-	F.385-7
	7,425 to 7,725	28	B.1, B.2, B.3	-	F.385-7 annex 1
	7,110 to 7,750	28	B.1, B.2, B.3	-	F.385-7 annex 3
	7,425 to 7,900	7 to 28	B.1, B.2, B.3	-	F.385-7 annex 4
	7,425 to 7,900	3,5	B.1	-	F.385-7 annex 5
8GHz	8,200 to 8,500	11,662 or 2 x 11,662	B.1	-	F.386-6
	7,725 to 8,275	29,65	B.1, B.2, B.3	-	F.386-6 annex 1
	8,275 to 8,500	7 to 28	B.1, B.2, B.3	-	F.386-6 annex 3
	7,900 to 8,400	7 to 28	B.1, B.2, B.3	-	F.386-6 annex 4
10,5 GHz	10,300 to 10,680	20	B.1	-	F.746-6 annex 3
	10,500 to 10,680	3,5 to 28	B.1, B.2, B.3	-	F.747
	10,150 to 10,3 paired with 10,5 to 10,650	3,5 to 28	B.1, B.2, B.3	12-05	-
NOTE 1: In the 7 GHz band a number of applications use 14 MHz, 21 MHz or 28 MHz Channel separation obtained by aggregation of 7 MHz basic channels. In such a way these sub-bands might be applicable also to systems B.2 and B.3.					
NOTE 2: All ECC (CEPT/ERC), or ITU-R Recommendations listed in this clause are referred to in the annex K.					

## B.2.2 Transmission capacities

**Table B.2: Nominal transmission capacity and system classes for various channel separation for particular PDH and STM bit rates**

System →		B.1							B.2	B.3	
Channel arrangement →		Co -polar (ACCP)							Cross-polar (ACAP)	Co-polar (ACCP/CCDP)	
Nominal payload bit rate Mbit/s →		2	2 × 2	8	2 × 8	34	STM-0 (51)	2 × 34	2 × STM-0 (2 × 51)	STM-1	STM-1 (ACCP) 2 × STM-1 (CCDP)
Channel separation	Class 2	1,75 MHz	3,5 MHz	7 MHz 11,662 MHz	14 MHz 14,5 MHz 15 MHz	28 MHz 29 MHz 29,65 MHz 30 MHz	-	-	-	-	-
	Class 3	-	-	-	-	-	28 MHz 29 MHz 29,65 MHz 30 MHz	-	-	-	-
	Class 4	-	1,75 MHz	3,5 MHz	7 MHz	14 MHz 14,5 MHz 15 MHz	14 MHz 14,5 MHz 15 MHz 20 MHz 21 MHz 2 × 11,662 MHz	28 MHz 29 MHz 29,65 MHz 30 MHz	28 MHz 29 MHz 29,65 MHz 30 MHz	-	-
	Class 5A	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28 MHz 29 MHz 29,65 MHz 30 MHz (see note 1)	-
	Class 5B	-	-	-	-	-	-	14 MHz 14,5 MHz 15 MHz	-	-	28 MHz 29 MHz 29,65 MHz 30 MHz

NOTE 1: System B.2 includes two different sets of parameters, both intended for ACAP operation (class 5 grade A) but with a different adjacent C/I requirement. They are identified here as types 1 and 2: Type 1 with a less stringent adjacent channel interference requirement or for trunk multi-channel applications and Type 2 with more stringent adjacent channel interference requirement. In the previously published EN 300 234 (see bibliography) A and B grades were also identified but with a different meaning than that specified in the present document. However, this would not change their actual spectral efficiency and would not impact upon the frequency planning.

NOTE 2: The capacities in table B.2 are commonly tailored to typical PDH and SDH data interfaces. For equipment assessment when other base band interfaces or a combination of them are required see annex F.

## B.3 Transmitter

### B.3.1 General requirements

Table B.3: Transmitter requirements

Requirements	System		
	B.1	B.2	B.3
Maximum transmitter power	Clause 4.2.1		
Nominal transmitter power tolerance	$\pm B$ dB = $\pm 2$ dB		
Transmitter power and frequency control	Clause 4.2.2		
RF Spectrum mask	RF spectrum density mask in clause B.3.2		
Discrete CW components exceeding the spectrum mask limit: spectral lines at the symbol rate and other spectral lines	Clause 4.2.5		
Spurious emissions-external	Clause 4.2.6		
Radio frequency tolerance	$\pm XX = \pm 15$ ppm for equipment operating with channel separation lower than 14 MHz; and, $\pm XX = \pm 30$ ppm for equipment operating with channel separation greater than or equal to 14 MHz	$X = \pm 50$ ppm or $XX = \pm 400$ kHz, whichever is the more stringent	

### B.3.2 RF spectrum masks

Spectrum masks are not inclusive of an allowance for radio frequency tolerance. Centre frequency  $f_0$  identifies the actual carrier frequency; the masks shall be extended up to 2,5 times the relevant CS of each system.

Table B.4, with reference to the relevant generic mask shape specified in clause 4.2.4.1, shows the offset frequency from  $f_0$  and attenuation of other corner points of the spectrum mask.

Table B.4: Limits of power spectral density

System	Spectrum efficiency class	Nominal bit rate (Mbit/s)	Channel separation (MHz)	Mask reference shape	K1 (dB)	f1 (MHz)	K2 (dB)	f2 (MHz)	K3 (dB)	f3 (MHz)	K4 (dB)	f4 (MHz)	K5 (dB)	f5 (MHz)	K6 (dB)	f6 (MHz)							
B.1	2	2	1,75	Figure 4	+1	0,7	-23	1,4	-23	1,75	-45	3,5											
		2 × 2	3,5			1,4		2,8		3,5		7,0											
		8	7/11,662			2,7		5,6		6,5		13											
		2 × 8	14/14,5/15			5,4		11,2		13		26											
		34	28/29 29,65/30			11,0		19		25		45,0											
	3	STM-0	28 /29 29,65/30	Figure 5		7,5	-10	10,5	-30	12,5	-35	22	-55 (note)	30 (note)									
	4	2 × 2	8	7/11,662	Figure 4	+1	-32	-37	-55 (note)	7	-55 (note)	14	28 (note)	56 (note)									
																		2 × 8	14/14,5/15	5,6	11,2	14	28
																		2 × 34	28/29 29,65/30	11,2	22,4	28	
																		STM-0	14/14,5/15	6	7,5	8,5	-45
		STM-0	20/21 2 × 11,662	7,5	-10	9,5	-35	12,5	-40	15	-55 (note)	30 (note)											
		2 × STM-0	28/29 29,65/30	12	15	17	-45	35	48 (note)														
		5B	2 × 34	14/14,5/15	Figure 4	+1	6	-10	7	-30	8	-55 (note)	24,7 (note)										
B.2	5A (type 1)	STM-1	28/29 29,65 /30	Figure 4	+1	13	-35	20	-45	40	-55 (note)	50 (note)											
	5A (type 2)		(ACAP)	Figure 6	+1	12,5	-10	15	-32	17	-35	20	-45	40	-55 (note)	50 (note)							
B.3	5B	STM-1 (ACCP) 2 × STM-1 (CCDP)	28/29 29,65 /30	Figure 6	+2	12	-10	14,5	-32	15,5	-36	17	-45	40	-55 (note)	50 (note)							

Table B.4 (continued): Limits of power spectral density

System	Spectrum efficiency class	Nominal Bit rate (Mbit/s)	Channel separation	K1/f1 to K3/f3 (dB/MHz)	K4 (dB)	f4 (MHz)	K5 (dB)	f5 (MHz)	K6 (dB)	f6 (MHz)
B.1	3	STM-0	28/29/29,65/30	n.c.	n.c.	n.c.	-60	32		
	4	2 × 2	1,75		-60	4				
		8	3,5			8				
		2 × 8	7/11,662			16				
		34	14/14,5/15			31,9				
		2 × 34	28/29/29,65/30			63,8				
		STM-0	14/14,5/15			27,25				
		STM-0	20/21/2 × 11,662			35				
	2 × STM-0	28/29/29,65/30	54,5							
	5B	2 × 34	14/14,5/15		-60	28				
B.2	5A (type 1)	STM-1	28/29/29,65/30 (ACAP)	-60	55	-60			55	
	5A (type 2)									
B.3	5B	STM-1 (ACCP) 2 × STM-1 (CCDP)	28/29/29,65/30	n.c.	n.c.	n.c.	n.c.	-60	55	

n.c. : no change with respect to table B.4.

NOTE: For frequency bands below 10 GHz, a second equipment option with spectrum masks floor extended at -60 dB is also here provided; the corresponding frequency corner on the mask shall be derived by linear interpolation from the values in the table. For clarity these values, affecting corner points 4 or 5 or 6 only, are reported in this note. Rationale for that is that cases of very congested nodal areas are not infrequent. Regulatory bodies, for the links converging in those nodal points, on a case by case basis, might limit the licensing only to equipment that fulfil the more stringent figure of -60 dB. Administrations, requiring for those special cases also the more tightening option, will mention it in the Interface Notification under article 4.1 of R&TTE Directive [1].  
For fulfilling one or both requirements, equipment suppliers may choose to produce and assess different products.



## B.4 Receiver

### B.4.1 General requirements

Table B.5: Receiver requirements

Requirements	System		
	B.1	B.2	B.3
Spurious emission (External)	Clause 4.3.1		
BER as a function of RSL	Table B.6		
Co-channel external and adjacent channel interference sensitivity	Table B.7		
CW spurious response	Clause 4.3.4		

### B.4.2 BER as a function of Receiver input Signal Level (RSL)

Receiver Signal Levels (RSL) equal to those reported in table B.6 shall produce a BER  $\leq 10^{-6}$  and either  $\leq 10^{-8}$  or  $\leq 10^{-10}$ .

Table B.6: BER as a function of receive input signal level RSL

System	Spectrum efficiency class	Nominal bit rate (Mbit/s)	Co-polar channel separation (MHz)	RSL for BER $\leq 10^{-6}$ (dBm) (note 2)	RSL for BER $\leq 10^{-8}$ (dBm) (note 2)	RSL for BER $\leq 10^{-10}$ (dBm)
B.1 (note 2)	Class 2	2	1,75	-87	-	-
		2 × 2	3,5	-84		
		8	7/11,662	-82		
		2 × 8	14/14,5/15	-79		
		34	28/29/29,65/30	-76		
	Class 3	STM-0	28 to 30	-75	-73	-
	Class 4	2 × 2	1,75	-84	-82	-
		8	3,5	-81	-79	
		2 × 8	7/11,662	-78	-76	
		34	14/14,5/15	-75	-73	
		STM-0	20 to 2 × 11,662	-75	-73	
		STM-0	14/14,5/15	-73	-71	
		2 × STM-0	28/29/29,65/30	-70	-68	
	Class 5B	2 × 34	28/29/29,65/30	-72	-70	-
B.2	Class 5A	STM-1 (Types 1 and 2) (note 1)	28/29/29,65/30 (ACAP)	-67	-	-63
B.3	Class 5B	STM-1 (ACCP) 2 × STM-1 (CCDP) (note 1)	28/29/29,65/30	-67	-	-63

NOTE 1: For class 5B STM-1/2 × STM-1 equipment, limits are required when the connection to the same antenna port of even and odd channels, spaced about 30 MHz apart on the same polarization, is designed for the use of a 3 dB hybrid coupler placed at reference point C. When alternatively, for the above purpose, narrow-band branching filters solution are used, the above BER performance thresholds may be relaxed by 1,5 dB. For class 5A STM-1 and 5B STM-1/2 × STM-1 equipment, outdoors and partially outdoors systems that are not subject to the compatibility requirements (as stated in clause 4.2 of EN 302 217-2-1) there is a 2 dB relaxation on the above BER performance thresholds. The above relaxed values are not intended to be additive: in cases where both could be applicable, the supplier shall declare which is adopted.

NOTE 2: For system B.1 equipment in bands from 8 GHz to 11 GHz allowance is given for relaxation of the figures by 1 dB.

### B.4.3 Co-channel "external" and adjacent channel interference sensitivity

The limits of Carrier to Interference ratio (C/I) in case of co-channel first adjacent interference shall be as set out in table B.7, giving maximum C/I values for 1 dB and 3 dB degradation of the RSL limits specified for  $BER \leq 10^{-6}$  in clause B.4.2.

NOTE: For the purpose of frequency co-ordination, intermediate co-channel or adjacent channel sensitivity values may be found in Informative annex J.

**Table B.7: Co-channel and adjacent channel interference sensitivity**

System	Spectrum efficiency class	Bit rate (Mbit/s)	Channel separation (MHz)	C/I for $BER \leq 10^{-6}$ RSL degradation of 1dB or 3dB			
				Co-channel interference (see note 1)		First adjacent channel interference	
				1 dB	3 dB	1 dB	3 dB
B.1	2	2	1,75	23	19	0	-4
		2 × 2	3,5	23	19	0	-4
		8	7	23	19	0	-4
		8	11,662	23	19	-10	-14
		2 × 8	14/14,5/15	23	19	0	-4
		34	28/29/ 29,65/30	23	19	0	-4
	3	STM-0	28/29/ 29,65/30	30	26,5	-8	-12
	4	2 × 2	1,75	30	26,5	-3	-7
		8	3,5	30	26,5	-3	-7
		2 × 8	7	30	26,5	-3	-7
		2 × 8	11,662	30	26,5	-10	-14
		34	14/14,5/15	30	26,5	-3	-7
		2 × 34	28/29/ 29,65/30	30	26,5	-3	-7
		STM-0	20 / 2 × 11,662	30	26,5	-8	-12
		STM-0	14/14,5/15	33	29	-5	-9
	2 × STM-0	28/29/ 29,65/30	33	29	-5	-9	
	5 B	2 × 34	14/14,5/15	33	29	-2	-6
B.2	5 A	1 × STM-1 (Type 1)	28	34	31	12,5	9,5
		1 × STM-1 (Type 1)	29-30	34	31	8,5	5,5
		1 × STM-1 (Type 2)	28/29/ 29,65/30	37	33	3	-1
B.3	5 B	STM-1/ 2 × STM-1	28/29/ 29,65/30	35	32	-5	-8

## Annex C (normative): Frequency bands from 3 GHz to 11 GHz (channel separation 40 MHz)

### C.1 Introduction

The following point-to-point Digital Fixed Radio Systems are covered in this annex (see note):

- C.1 High capacity fixed radio systems carrying SDH signals (up to  $2 \times$  STM-1) in frequency bands with 40 MHz channel separation and using Adjacent Channel Co-Polar arrangements (ACCP) or Co-Channel Dual Polarized (CCDP) operation.
- C.2 High capacity digital radio systems carrying STM-4 in two 40 MHz channels or  $2 \times$  STM-1 in a 40 MHz channel with alternate (ACAP) channel arrangements.
- C.3 High capacity digital radio systems transmitting STM-4 or  $4 \times$  STM-1 in a 40 MHz radio frequency channel using Co-Channel Dual Polarized (CCDP) operation.

NOTE: These systems were previously reported in EN 301 277 (system C.3), EN 301 461 (system C.1), EN 301 669 (system C.2) (see all references in the bibliography). In some cases, equipment where reported in these previous ENs with a different or no number for efficiency class that here has been renumbered, for coherence with all P-P in this EN 302 217 series (e.g. class 6A and B was not mentioned in EN 301 669 and EN 301 277). However, this would not change the actual spectral efficiency and would not impact the frequency planning. Reference to those ENs can be found in the bibliography.

### C.2 General characteristics

#### C.2.1 Frequency characteristics and channel arrangements

In the following table, ITU-R and ECC (formerly CEPT/ERC) recommended frequency channel arrangements, known at the date of publication of the present document, are specified for reference only. The channel arrangement is not relevant to article 3.2 requirements; only the frequency band and actual channel separation is relevant for defining the set of parameters and test suites relevant to each system designed for that channel separation.

Other national or future ITU-R or CEPT/ECC recommendations set around the rough boundary of present ITU-R or CEPT/ECC Recommendations are considered applicable to systems assessed against the present document, provided that they use the same channel separation.

For assessment of wide-band coverage systems see annex G.

**Table C.1: Frequency characteristics**

Band (GHz)	Frequency range (GHz)	Applicable to systems	Recommendations for radio frequency channel arrangements (see bibliography)	
			CEPT/ECC (see note)	ITU-R (see note)
4	3,600 to 4,200	C.1, C.2, C.3	12-08 annex A part 1	F.635
5	4,400 to 5,000	C.1, C.2, C.3	-	F.1099
U6	6,425 to 7,110	C.1, C.2, C.3	14-02	F.384
11	10,7 to 11,7	C.1, C.2, C.3	12-06	F.387

NOTE: All ECC (CEPT/ERC), or ITU-R Recommendations listed in this clause are referred to in annex K.

## C.2.2 Transmission capacities

Table C.2: Nominal transmission capacity and system classes for various channel separation

System →		C.1	C.2		C.3
Channel arrangement →		Co-polar (ACCP/CCDP)	Cross-polar (ACAP)		Co-polar (ACCP/CCDP)
Nominal payload bit rate Mbit/s →		STM-1 ACCP Or 2 × STM-1 CCDP	2 × STM-1 ACAP	4 × STM-1/STM-4 ACAP	2 × STM-1 ACCP or 4 × STM-1/STM-4 CCDP
Channel separation	Class 5B	40 MHz co-polar (see note)	-	-	-
	Class 6A	-	40 MHz cross-polar	2 × 40 MHz cross-polar	-
	Class 6B	-	-	-	40 MHz co-polar
NOTE: System C.1 includes two different sets of parameters, both intended for ACCP or CCDP operation (class 5 grade B) but with differences in some requirements. They are identified as type 1 and 2: Type 1 is based on 30 MHz-like system technology (i.e. based on 128 states modulation). Type 2 is based on 40 MHz-like system technology (i.e. based on 64 states modulation). In the previously published EN 301 461 (see bibliography) A and B grades were identified but with a different meaning than that specified in the present document. However, this would not change their actual spectral efficiency and would not impact upon the frequency planning.					

The capacities in table C.2 are commonly tailored to typical PDH and SDH data interface. For equipment assessment when other base band interfaces or a combination of them are required see annex F.

## C.3 Transmitter

### C.3.1 General requirements

Table C.3: Transmitter requirements

Requirements	System C.1	System C.2	System C.3
Maximum transmitter power	Clause 4.2.1		
Nominal transmitter power tolerance	B = ±2 dB	B = ±1 dB	B = ±1 dB
Transmitter power and frequency control	Clause 4.2.2		
RF Spectrum mask	RF spectral density mask in clause C.3.2.		
Discrete CW components exceeding the spectrum mask limit: spectral lines at the symbol rate and other spectral lines	Clause 4.2.5		
Spurious emissions-external	Clause 4.2.6		
Radio frequency tolerance	XX = ±50 ppm or YY = ±400 kHz, whichever is the more stringent	±XX = ±30 ppm	±XX = ±20 ppm

### C.3.2 RF spectrum masks

Spectrum masks are not inclusive of allowance for radio frequency tolerance. Centre frequency  $f_0$  identifies the actual carrier frequency; the masks shall be extended up to 2,5 times the relevant CS of each system.

Table C.4, with reference to the relevant generic mask shape specified in clause 4.2.4.1, shows the offset frequency from  $f_0$  and attenuation of other discrete points of the spectrum mask.

Due to different implementations, system C.3 may use, on each polarization, single-carrier or multi-carrier modulation formats; this results in two different spectrum masks that, however, are considered equivalent and do not impact upon any other requirement or the frequency planning procedure. Therefore the supplier may assess equipment selecting the mask that best fits the implementation.

**Table C.4: Limits of power spectral density**

System	Spectrum efficiency class	Channel separation (MHz)	Mask reference shape	K1 (dB)	F1 (MHz)	K2 (dB)	f2 (MHz)	K3 (dB)	f3 (MHz)	K4 (dB)	f4 (MHz)	K5 (dB)	f5 (MHz)	
C.1	5B	40 ACCP/ CCDP	Figure 5	+1	14	-10	19,5	-35	24	-40	54	-55 (note)	67 (note)	
C.2	6A	40 ACAP	Figure 5	+1	19,5	-32	25	-32	27	-50	35	-55 (note)	38,4 (note)	
C.3	6B (single carrier)	40 ACCP/ CCDP	Figure 3	+1	19	-40	22	-55 (note)	29,8 (note)					
	6B (multi-carrier)	40 ACCP/ CCDP	Figure 5	+1	19,75	-20	20	-50	22,5	-50	28	-55 (note)	31 (note)	
NOTE: For frequency bands below 10 GHz, a second equipment option with spectrum masks floor extended at -60 dB is also here provided; the corresponding frequency corner shall be derived by linear interpolation from the values in the table. For clarity these values, affecting corner points 3 or 5 only, are reported in this note. Rationale for that is that cases of very congested nodal area are not infrequent. Regulatory bodies, for the links converging in those nodal points, on a case by case basis, might limit the licensing only to equipment that fulfil the more stringent figure of -60 dB. Administrations, requiring for those special cases also the more tightening option, will mention it in the Interface Notification under article 4.1 of R&TTE Directive [1]. For fulfilling one or both requirements, equipment supplier may choose to produce and assess different products.														
	System	Spectrum efficiency class	Channel separation (MHz)	K1/f1, K2/f2 (dB/MHz)	K3 (dB)	f3 (MHz)	K4/f4 (dB/MHz)	K5 (dB)	f5 (MHz)					
	C.1	5B	40 ACCP / CCDP	n.c.	n.c.	n.c.	n.c.	-60	71,3					
	C.2	6A	40 ACAP		n.c.	n.c.	n.c.	-60	41,8					
	C.3	6B (single carrier)	40 ACCP / CCDP		-60	32,4								
		6B (multi-carrier)	40 ACCP / CCDP		n.c.	n.c.	n.c.	-60	34					
n.c. : no change with respect to table C.4														

## C.4 Receiver

### C.4.1 General requirements

**Table C.5: Receiver requirements**

Requirements	System		
	C.1	C.2	C.3
Spurious emissions (external)	Clause 4.3.1		
BER as a function of RSL	Table C.6		
Co channel external and adjacent interference sensitivity	Table C.7		
CW spurious interference	Clause 4.3.4		

## C.4.2 BER as a function of Receiver input Signal Level (RSL)

Receiver Signal levels equal to those reported in table C.6 shall produce a BER of either  $\leq 10^{-6}$  or  $\leq 10^{-10}$ .

**Table C.6: BER as a function of receive input signal level RSL**

System	Spectrum efficiency class	Nominal bit rate (Mbit/s)	Channel separation (MHz)	Frequency band(s)	RSL for BER $\leq 10^{-6}$ (dBm)	RSL for BER $\leq 10^{-10}$ (dBm)
C.1	5 B (Type 1)	STM-1 (ACCP) 2 x STM-1 (CCDP)	40 ACCP/CCDP	4 GHz, 5 GHz, U6 GHz 11 GHz	-65 -64	-62 -61
	5 B (Type 2)	STM-1 (ACCP) 2 x STM-1 (CCDP) (see note)	40 ACCP/CCDP	4 GHz, 5 GHz, U6 GHz 11 GHz	-69 -67,5	-65 -63,5
C.2	6 A	STM-4 /4 x STM-1 or 2 x STM-1	2 x 40 ACAP 40 ACAP	4 GHz, 5 GHz	-60	-54
				U6 GHz 11 GHz	-59,5 -58,5	-53,5 -52,5
C.3	6 B	2 x STM-1 (ACCP) STM-4 / 4 x STM-1 (CCDP) (see note)	40 ACCP/CCDP	4 GHz, 5 GHz, U6 GHz	-59	-54
				11 GHz	-58	-53

NOTE: These limits are required when the connection to the same antenna port of even and odd channels, spaced about 40 MHz apart on the same polarization, is made with a 3 dB hybrid coupler placed at reference point C. When alternatively, for the above purpose, narrow-band branching filters solutions are used, the above BER performance thresholds may be relaxed by 1,5 dB.  
For outdoors and partially outdoors systems that are not subject to the compatibility requirements (as stated in clause 6.5 of EN 302 217-2-1 (see bibliography)) there is a 2 dB relaxation on the above BER performance thresholds.  
The above relaxed values are not intended to be additive, in cases where both could be applicable, the supplier shall declare which is adopted.

## C.4.3 Co-channel "external" and adjacent channel interference sensitivity

The limits of Carrier to Interference ratio (C/I) in case of co-channel and adjacent channel interference shall be as in table C.7, giving maximum C/I values for 1 dB and 3 dB degradation of the RSL limits specified for BER  $\leq 10^{-6}$  in clause C.4.2.

**Table C.7: Co-channel and adjacent channel interference sensitivity**

System	Spectrum efficiency class	Bit rate (Mbit/s)	Channel separation (MHz)	C/I for BER $\leq 10^{-6}$ RSL degradation of 1 dB or 3 dB			
				Co-channel interference		First adjacent channel interference	
				1 dB	3 dB	1 dB	3 dB
C.1	5 B (Type 1)	STM-1 (ACCP) 2 x STM-1 (CCDP)	40	37	33	-4	-8
	5 B (Type 2)	STM-1 (ACCP) 2 x STM-1 (CCDP)	40	33	29	-4	-8
C.2	6 A	2 x STM-1 or STM-4 /4 x STM-1	40 ACAP 2 x 40 ACAP	43	39,5	15	11,5
C.3	6 B	2 x STM-1 (ACCP) STM-4 / 4 x STM-1 (CCDP)	40 ACCP/CCDP	44	40	-4	-8

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# Annex D (normative): Frequency bands 13 GHz, 15 GHz and 18 GHz

## D.1 Introduction

The following point-to-point Digital Fixed Radio Systems are covered in this annex (see note 1):

- D.1 Low and medium capacity Plesiochronous Digital Hierarchy (PDH) radio systems operating in the 13 GHz, 15 GHz and 18 GHz frequency bands (see note 2).
- D.2 Radio systems for the transmission of Sub-STM-0 digital signals operating in the 18 GHz frequency band
- D.3 STM-0 digital radio systems operating in the 13 GHz, 15 GHz and 18 GHz frequency bands with about 28 MHz co-polar (ACCP) and 14 MHz cross-polar (ACAP) channel separation.
- D.4 STM-0 digital radio systems operating in the 13 GHz, 15 GHz and 18 GHz frequency bands with about 14 MHz co-polar (ACCP) channel separation.
- D.5 High capacity digital radio systems carrying  $1 \times$  STM-1 signals and operating in frequency bands with about 30 MHz channel separation and alternated arrangements (ACAP) operating in the 13 GHz and 15 GHz frequency bands.
- D.6 High capacity digital radio systems carrying SDH signals (up to  $2 \times$  STM-1) in frequency bands with about 30 MHz channel separation and using Adjacent Channel Co-Polar (ACCP) arrangements or Co-Channel Dual Polarized (CCDP) operation operating in the 13 GHz and 15 GHz frequency bands.
- D.7 Radio systems for the transmission of STM-1 digital signals operating in the 18 GHz frequency band with channel separation of 55 MHz and 27,5 MHz.
- D.8 High capacity digital radio systems carrying STM-4,  $4 \times$  STM-1 or  $2 \times$  STM-1 signals in bands with 55/56 MHz channel separation operating in the 15 GHz and 18 GHz frequency bands.

NOTE 1 These systems were previously reported in EN 300 430 (system D.7), EN 300 639 (system D.3), EN 300 786 (system D.4), EN 301 128 (system D.1), EN 301 787 (system D.2), EN 302 062 for 15 GHz and 18 GHz band only (system D.8), EN 300 234 (see bibliography) for 13 GHz and 15 GHz bands only (system D.5) and EN 301 127 for 13 GHz and 15 GHz bands only (system D.6) (see all references in the bibliography). Among D.4 systems a  $2 \times$  STM-0 class 5B system, not included in EN 301 786, has been introduced; also among D.1 systems a  $2 \times$  34Mbit/s class 5B, not included in EN 301 128, has been introduced. In some cases, equipments were previously reported in these previous ENs with a different number for efficiency class that here has been renumbered, for coherence with all P-P in this EN 302 217 series (e.g. classes 2, 4, 5A and 5B) where mentioned in EN 301 128 as 1, 2 and 3). However, this would not change the actual spectral efficiency and would not impact the frequency planning. Reference to those ENs can be found in the bibliography.

NOTE 2 As harmonized channel separation lower than 13,75 MHz are not available in the 18 GHz frequency band at the date of the present document, the equipment requirements set for system D.1 for CS 1,75 MHz to 14 MHz are considered for the use in national frequency plans based on 1,75 MHz, 3,5 MHz, 7 MHz and 14 MHz basic pattern, as recognized in CEPT/ERC Recommendation 12-03 (see bibliography).

## D.2 General characteristics

### D.2.1 Frequency characteristics and channel arrangements

In the following table, ITU-R and ECC (formerly CEPT/ERC) recommended frequency channel arrangements, known at the date of publication of the present document, are specified for reference only. The channel arrangement is not relevant to article 3.2 requirements; only the frequency band and actual channel separation are relevant for defining the set of parameters and test suites relevant to each system designed for that channel separation.

Other national or future ITU-R or CEPT/ECC recommendations set around the rough boundary of present ITU-R or CEPT/ECC recommendations are considered applicable to systems assessed against the present document, provided that they use the same channel separation.

For assessment of wide-band coverage systems see annex G.

**Table D.1: Frequency characteristics**

Band (GHz)	Frequency range (GHz)	Channel separation (MHz)	Applicable to	Recommendations for radio frequency channel arrangements (see bibliography)	
				ECC (CEPT/ERC) (note 3)	ITU-R (note 3)
13	12,75 to 13,25	1,75 to 28	D.1, D.3, D.4, D.5, D.6	12-02E	F.497
15	14,5 to 14,62 paired with 15,23 to 15,35 or 14,5 to 15,35	1,75 to 56	D.1, D.3, D.4, D.5, D.6, D.8	T/R 12-07	F.636
18	17,7 to 19,700	13,75 to 55 or 1,75 to 14 (note 2)	D.1, D.2, D.3, D.4, D.7, and D.8	12-03 (note 1)	F.595-6 (note 1)

NOTE 1: CEPT Recommendation 12-03 (see bibliography) allows for low-capacity channel arrangements on a national basis. ITU-R Recommendation F.595-6 (see bibliography) details the various channel arrangements including low-capacity channel arrangements.

NOTE 2: As harmonized channel separation lower than 13,75 MHz are not available in the 18 GHz frequency band at the date of the present document, the equipment requirements set for system D.1 for CS 1,75 MHz to 14 MHz are considered for the use in national frequency plans based on 1,75/3,5/7/14 MHz basic pattern.

NOTE 3: All ECC (CEPT/ERC), or ITU-R Recommendations listed in this clause are referred to in annex K.



## D.2.2 Transmission capacities

**Table D.2a: Nominal transmission capacity and system classes for various channel separation (PDH, STM-0 and sub-STM-0 bit rates)**

System		D.1						D.2		D.3	D.4	
Channel arrangement		Co-polar (ACCP)						Co-(AC Polar CP)		Co-polar (ACCP) (note)	Co-Polar ACCP)	
Nominal payload bit rate (Mbit/s)		2	2 × 2	8	2 × 8	34	2 × 34	sSTM-14 (9,792)	SSTM-22 (14,400)	STM-0 (51)	STM-0 (51)	2 × STM-0 (2 × 51)
Channel separation	Class 2	1,75 MHz	3,5 MHz	7 MHz	14 MHz/13,75 MHz	28 MHz/27,5 MHz	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Class 3	--	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28 MHz/27,5 MHz (note)	-	-
	Class 4	-	1,75 MHz	3,5 MHz	7 MHz	14 MHz/13,75 MHz	28 MHz/27,5 MHz	3,5 MHz	-	-	14 MHz/13,75 MHz	28 MHz/27,5 MHz
	Class 5B	-	-	-	-	-	14 MHz/13,75 MHz	-	3,5 MHz	-	-	-

NOTE: Class 3, STM-0 equipment in 15 GHz band is also designed to operate cross-polarization using 14 MHz adjacent channels (ACAP systems). Provided that their ACI requirements are set for both 14 MHz and 28 MHz (see clause D.4.3), these systems may be deployed on 14 MHz or 28 MHz CS plans.

**Table D.2b: Nominal transmission capacity and system classes for various channel separation (STM-N bit rates)**

System		D.5	D.6	D.7		D.8	
Channel arrangement		Cross-polar (ACAP)	Co-polar (ACCP/CCDP)	Co-polar (ACCP/CCDP)	Cross-polar (ACAP)	Co-polar (ACCP/CCDP)	Cross-polar (ACAP)
Nominal payload bit rate Mbit/s		STM-1 (note 2)	STM-1 (ACCP) 2 × STM-1 (CCDP)	STM-1 (ACCP) 2 × STM-1 (CCDP)	STM-1	2 × STM-1 (ACCP) STM-4/4 × STM-1 (CCDP) (note 1)	2 × STM-1 (note 1)
Channel separation	Class 4	-	-	55 MHz	-	-	-
	Class 5A	28 MHz	-	-	27,5 MHz	-	55/56 MHz
	Class 5B	-	28 MHz	27,5 MHz	-	55/56 MHz	-

NOTE 1: Each carrier is considered a separate 2 × STM-1 system. STM-4/4 × STM-1 applications, besides the use of CCDP systems, may be implemented also with two 2 × STM-1 (ACCP or ACAP) on two separate 55/56 MHz channels that, due to spectrum availability and channel licensing, may be implemented using non adjacent channels.

NOTE 2: System D.5 includes two different set of parameters, both intended for ACAP operation (class 5 grade A) but with sensible difference in adjacent C/I requirement. They are here formally identified as type 1 and 2: Type 1 with less stringent adjacent channel interference requirement or for trunk multi-channel applications and Type 2 with more stringent adjacent channel interference requirement. In previous EN 300 234 where also identified with different grades (A and B) but with different meaning than in the present document. However, this would not change their actual spectral efficiency and would not impact the frequency planning.

The capacities in tables D.2a and D.2b are commonly tailored on typical PDH and SDH data interface. For equipment assessment when other base band interfaces or a combination of them are required see annex F.

## D.3 Transmitter

### D.3.1 General requirements

Table D.3: Transmitter Requirements

Requirements	System				
	D.1 and D.2	D.3	D.4	D.5 and D.6	D.7 and D.8
Maximum transmitter power	Clause 4.2.1				
Nominal transmitter power tolerance	$\pm B = \pm 2$ dB				
Transmitter power and frequency control	Clause 4.2.2				
RF spectrum mask	RF spectral density mask in clause D.3.2				
Discrete CW components exceeding the spectrum mask spectral lines at the symbol rate and other spectral lines	Clause 4.2.5				
Spurious emissions-external	Clause 4.2.6				
Radio frequency tolerance	$\pm X$ = $\pm 10$ ppm	$\pm XX$ = $\pm 30$ ppm	$\pm XX$ = $\pm 15$ ppm	X = $\pm 50$ ppm or XX = $\pm 400$ kHz, whichever is the more stringent.	XX = $\pm 15$ ppm

### D.3.2 RF spectrum masks

Spectrum masks are not inclusive of an allowance for radio frequency tolerance. Centre frequency  $f_0$  identifies the actual carrier frequency; the masks shall be extended up to 2,5 times the relevant CS of each system.

Table D.4, with reference to the relevant generic mask shape specified in clause 4.2.4.1, shows the offset frequency from  $f_0$  and attenuation of other discrete points on the spectrum mask.

Table D.4: Limits of Spectral Power Density

System	Spectrum efficiency class	Nominal bit rate (Mbit/s)	Channel separation (MHz)	Mask reference shape	K1 (dB)	f1 (MHz)	K2 (dB)	f2 (MHz)	K3 (dB)	f3 (MHz)	K4 (dB)	f4 (MHz)	K5 (dB)	f5 (MHz)	K6 (dB)	f6 (MHz)	
D.1 (13 GHz, 15 GHz, 18 GHz)	2	2	1,75	Figure 4	+1	0,7	-23	1,4	-23	1,75	-45	3,5					
		2 x 2	3,5			1,4		2,8		3,5		7					
		8	7			2,7		5,6		6,5		13					
		2 x 8	14 / 13,75			5,4		11,2		13		26					
		34	28 / 27,5			11		19		25		45					
	4	2 x 2	1,75	Figure 4	+1	0,7	-32	1,4	-37	1,75	-55	3,5					
		8	3,5			1,4		2,8		3,5		7					
		2 x 8	7			2,8		5,6		7		14					
		34	14 / 13,75			5,6		11,2		14		28					
		2 x 34	28 / 27,5			11,2		22,4		28		56					
	5B	2 x 34	14 / 13,75	Figure 6	+2	6	-10	7,25	-32	7,75	-36	8,5	-45	20	-55	25 (13 GHz, 15 GHz)	
															-50	23,5 (18 GHz)	
	D.2 (18 GHz)	4	sSTM-14 (9,792 Mbit/s)	3,5	Figure 4	+1	1,4	-30	2,8	-35	3,5	-50	5,45				
		5	sSTM-22 (14,4 Mbit/s)	3,5			1,4		2,8		3,5		-55				
	D.3 (13 GHz, 15 GHz, 18 GHz)	3	STM-0	28 / 27,5	Figure 5	+1	7,5	-10	10,5	-30	12,5	-35	22	-50	30		
D.4 (13 GHz, 15 GHz, 18 GHz)	4	STM-0	14 / 13,75	Figure 5	+1	6	-10	7,5	-37	8,5	-40	17,5	-50	24			
		2 x STM-0	28 / 27,5			12		15		17		35		48			
D.5 (13 GHz, 15 GHz)	5A (type 1)	STM-1 (ACAP)	28	Figure 4	+1	13	-35	20	-45	40	-55	50					
	5A (type 2)			Figure 6		12,5		-10		15		-32					17
D.6 (13 GHz, 15 GHz)	5B	STM-1 (ACCP) 2 x STM-1 (CCDP)	28	Figure 6	+2	12	-10	14,5	-32	15,5	-36	17	-45	40	-55	50	
D.7 (18 GHz)	4	STM-1 (ACCP)	55	Figure 4	+1	22,5	-30	33	-40	70	-50	80					
	5B	STM-1 (ACCP) 2 x STM-1 (CCDP)	27,5	Figure 6	+2	12	-10	14,5	-32	15,5	-36	17	-45	40	-50	47	
	5A	STM-1 (ACAP)	27,5	Figure 5		12,5		15		17		-35		20		-50	42,5

System	Spectrum efficiency class	Nominal bit rate (Mbit/s)	Channel separation (MHz)	Mask reference shape	K1 (dB)	f1 (MHz)	K2 (dB)	f2 (MHz)	K3 (dB)	f3 (MHz)	K4 (dB)	f4 (MHz)	K5 (dB)	f5 (MHz)	K6 (dB)	f6 (MHz)
D.8 (15 GHz, 18 GHz)	5A	2 × STM-1 (ACAP)		Figure 5	+2	25	-10	30	-32	34	-35	40	-55	100 (15 GHz)		
													-50	85 (18 GHz)		
	5B	2 × STM-1(ACCP) STM-4/ 4 × STM-1 (CCDP)	56 / 55	Figure 6	+2	24	-10	29	-32	31	-36	34	-45	80	-55	100 (15 GHz)
															-50	94 (18 GHz)

## D.4 Receiver

### D.4.1 General requirements

Table D.5: Receiver requirements

Requirements	System							
	D.1	D.2	D.3	D.4	D.5	D.6	D.7	D.8
Spurious emissions (External)	Clause 4.3.1							
BER as a function of RSL	Table D.6							
Co channel external and adjacent interference sensitivity	Table D.7							
CW spurious interference	Clause 4.3.4							

## D.4.2 BER as a function of Receive input Signal Level (RSL)

Receiver Signal levels equal to those specified in table D.6 shall produce a BER of  $10^{-6}$  or either  $\leq 10^{-8}$  or  $\leq 10^{-10}$ .

**Table D.6: BER as a function of receive input signal level RSL**

Spectrum efficiency class	System	Nominal bit rate (Mbit/s)	Channel separation (MHz)	Frequency band(s)	RSL for BER $\leq 10^{-6}$ (dBm)	RSL for BER $\leq 10^{-8}$ (dBm)	RSL for BER $\leq 10^{-10}$ (dBm)
2 (note 4)	D.1	2	1,75	13 GHz, 15 GHz	-86	-	-
		2 × 2	3,5		-83	-	-
		8	7		-81	-	-
		2 × 8	14		-78	-	-
		34	28	-75	-	-	
		2 × 8	13,75	18 GHz	-77	-	-
		34	27,5		-74	-	-
3	D.3		28 (ACCP)	13 GHz	-74	-72	-
		STM-0	14 (ACAP) 28 (ACCP)	15 GHz	-73	-71	-
			27,5 (ACCP)	18 GHz			
4	D.1	2 × 2	1,75	13 GHz, 15 GHz	-80	-78	-
		8	3,5		-78	-76	-
		2 × 8	7		-76	-74	-
		34	14		-73	-71	-
		2 × 34	28	-70	-68	-	
		34	13,75	-72	-70	-	
	D.2	2 × 34	27,5	18 GHz	-69	-67	-
		sSTM-14	3,5		-78	-76	-
	D.7	STM-1	55		-69	-67	-
		STM-0	14	13 GHz	-74	-72	-
	D.4	2 × STM-0	28		-71	-69	-
		STM-0	14/13,75	15 GHz,	-73	-71	-
2 × STM-0		28/27,5	18 GHz	-70	-68	-	
5A	D.5	STM-1 (Types 1 and 2) (note 2)	28	13 GHz	-66	-	-62
				15 GHz	-65,5	-	-61,5
	D.7	STM-1	27,5	18 GHz	-64	-62	-
5B	D.1	2 × 34	14	13 GHz	-69	-67	-
			14	15 GHz	-68,5	-66,5	-
			13,75	18 GHz	-67	-65	-
	D.6	STM-1(ACCP) 2 × STM-1 (CCDP) (notes 1, 2)	28	13, GHz	-66	-	-62
				15 GHz	-65,5	-	-61,5
	D.7	STM-1(ACCP) 2 × STM-1 (CCDP)	27,5	18 GHz	-64	-62	-
5A and 5B	D.8	2 × STM-1 (ACAP or ACCP) (note 3)	56	15 GHz	-61	-59	-
			55	18 GHz	-60	-58	-

NOTE 1: For these class 5B STM-1/2 × STM-1 systems, limits are required when the connection to the same antenna port of even and odd channels, spaced about 30 MHz apart on the same polarization, is designed for the use of a 3 dB hybrid coupler placed at reference point C. When alternatively, for the above purpose, narrow-band branching filters solution are used, the above BER performance thresholds may be relaxed by 1,5 dB.

NOTE 2: For class 5A STM-1 and 5B STM-1/2 × STM-1 equipment, outdoors and partially outdoors systems that are not subject to the compatibility requirements (as stated in clause 6.5 of EN 302 217-2-1 (see bibliography)) there is a 2 dB relaxation on the above BER performance thresholds.

The above relaxed values and that provided by note 1 are not intended to be additive, in cases where both could be applicable, the supplier shall declare which is adopted.

NOTE 3: Equipment requirements are set only on the basis of 2 × STM-1 rate. 4 × STM-1 or STM-4 capacity is made by doubling up 2 × STM-1 equipment either in CCDP operation or through operation of two 2 × STM-1 systems in two 55/56 MHz channels.

NOTE 4: For class 2 systems, only RSL for BER  $\leq 10^{-6}$  is standardized; however, in the previously published EN 301 128 these systems also required a specific RSL for BER  $\leq 10^{-3}$ , which were set 3 dB lower than the RSL for BER  $\leq 10^{-6}$ . This value, given here for information only, may be used for deriving a typical RSL versus BER curve.

### D.4.3 Co-channel "external" and adjacent channel interference sensitivity

The limits of Carrier to Interference ratio (C/I) in case of co-channel and adjacent channel interference shall be as in table D.7, giving maximum C/I values for 1 dB and 3 dB degradation of the RSL limits specified for  $BER \leq 10^{-6}$  in clause D.4.2.

**Table D.7: Co-channel and adjacent channel interference sensitivity**

Spectrum efficiency class	System	Nominal bit rate (Mbit/s)	Channel separation (MHz)	C/I for $BER \leq 10^{-6}$ RSL degradation of 1 dB or 3 dB				
				Co-channel interference		adjacent channel interference		
				1 dB	3 dB	1 dB	3 dB	
2	D.1	2	1,75	23	19	0	-4	
		2 x 2	3,5	23	19	0	-4	
		8	7	23	19	0	-4	
		2 x 8	14	23	19	0	-4	
		2 x 8	13,75	23	19	1	-3	
		34	28	23	19	0	-4	
		34	27,5	23	19	1	-3	
3	D.3	STM-0	28/27,5 (ACCP)	30	26,5	-10	-13,5	
			14 (ACAP)	30	26,5	18	14,5	
4	D.1	2 x 2	1,75	30	26,5	-1	-5	
		8	3,5	30	26,5	-1	-5	
		2 x 8	7	30	26,5	-1	-5	
		34	14	30	26,5	-1	-5	
		34	13,75	30	26,5	0	-4	
		2 x 34	28	30	26,5	-1	-5	
		D.2	sSTM-14	3,5	30	26	-4	-8
		D.4	STM-0	14	30	26,5	-6	-9,5
			STM-0	13,75	30	26,5	-2	-5,5
			2 x STM-0	28	30	26,5	-6	-9,5
			2 x STM-0	27,5	30	26,5	-2	-5,5
	D.7	STM-1	55	29	25	-5	-9	
5A	D.5	1 x STM-1 (Type 1)	28	34	31	12,5	9,5	
		1 x STM-1 (Type 1)	29-30	34	31	8,5	5,5	
		1 x STM-1 (Type 2)	28/29/ 29,65/30	37	33	3	-1	
		D.7	STM-1	27,5	37	33	3	-1
		D.8	2 x STM-1 (see note)	55/56	37	33	3	-1
5B	D.1	2 x 34	13,75/14	37	33	-3,5	-7,5	
	D.2	SSTM-22	3,5	37	33	0	-4	
	D.6	STM-1/ 2 x STM-1	28/29/ 29,65/30	35	32	-5	-8	
	D.7	STM-1	27,5	37	33	-3	-7	
	D.8	2 x STM-1 (see note)	55/56	37	33	-3,5	-7,5	

NOTE: Equipment requirements are set out on the basis of a 2 x STM-1 rate. 4 x STM-1 or STM-4 is possible by doubling up 2 x STM-1 equipment either in CCDP operation or through operation of two 2 x STM-1 systems in two 55/56 MHz channels.

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# Annex E (normative): Frequency bands from 23 GHz to 55 GHz

## E.1 Introduction

The following point-to-point Digital Fixed Radio Systems are covered in this annex (see note):

- E.1 Radio systems for the transmission of digital signals operating in the 23 GHz frequency band.
- E.2 Radio system for the transmission of digital signals operating in the frequency range 24,5 GHz to 29,5 GHz.
- E.3 Radio systems for the transmission of digital signals operating in the 31 GHz, 32 GHz and 38 GHz frequency bands.
- E.4 High capacity digital radio systems, carrying STM-4,  $4 \times$  STM-1 or  $2 \times$  STM-1 signals in bands with 55/56 MHz channel separation, operating in the frequency range 23 to 38 GHz.
- E.5 Low and medium capacity digital radio systems operating in the 50 GHz frequency band.
- E.6 Radio systems for the transmission of digital signals operating in the 52 GHz frequency band.
- E.7 Radio systems for the transmission of digital signals operating in the 55 GHz frequency band.

NOTE: These systems were previously reported in EN 300 197 (system E.3), EN 300 198 (system E.1), EN 300 407 (system E.7), EN 300 431 (system E.2), EN 301 387 (system E.5), EN 301 786 (system E.6) and EN 302 062 in bands above 18 GHz only (system E.4) (see all references in the bibliography). Among E.3, E.1 and E.2 systems a  $2 \times$  STM-0 class 4 and  $2 \times$  34 Mbit/s class 5B systems, not included in previous relevant ENs have been introduced. In some cases, equipments were previously reported in these previous ENs with a different number for efficiency class that here has been renumbered, for coherence with all P-P in this EN 302 217 series. However, this would not change the actual spectral efficiency and would not impact the frequency planning. Reference to those ENs can be found in the bibliography.

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## E.2 General characteristics

### E.2.1 Frequency characteristics and channel arrangements

In the following table, ITU-R and ECC (formerly CEPT/ERC) recommended frequency channel arrangements, known at the date of publication of the present document, are specified for reference only. The channel arrangement is not relevant to article 3.2 requirements; only the frequency band and actual channel separation are relevant for defining the set of parameters and test suites relevant to each system designed for that channel separation.

Other national or future ITU-R or CEPT/ECC recommendations set around the rough boundary of present ITU-R or CEPT/ECC recommendations are considered applicable to systems assessed against the present document, provided that they use the same channel separation.

For assessment of wide-band coverage systems see annex G.



Table E.1: Frequency characteristics

Band (GHz)	Frequency range (GHz)	Channel separation (MHz)	Applicable to systems	Recommendations for radio frequency channel arrangements (see bibliography)	
				ECC (CEPT/ERC) (see note)	ITU-R (see note)
<b>23</b>	22,0 to 23,6	3,5 to 56	E.1, E.4	T/R 13-02	F.637
<b>26</b>	24,5 to 26,5	3,5 to 56	E.2, E.4	T/R 13-02	F.748
<b>28</b>	27,5 to 29,5	3,5 to 56	E.2	T/R 13-02	F.748
<b>31</b>	31,0 to 31,3	3,5 to 28	E.3	02-02	-
<b>32</b>	31.8 to 33.4	3,5 to 56	E.3, E.4	01-02	F.1520
<b>38</b>	37,0 to 39,5	3,5 to 56	E.3, E.4	T/R 12-01	F.749
<b>50</b>	48,5 to 50,2	3,5 to 28	E.5	12-10	-
<b>52</b>	51,4 to 52,6	3,5 to 56	E.6	12-11	F.1496
<b>55</b>	55,78 to 57,0	3,5 to 56	E.7	12-12	F.1497

NOTE: All ECC (CEPT/ERC), or ITU-R Recommendations listed in this clause are referred to in the annex K.

## E.2.2 Transmission capacities

The capacities in table E.2 are commonly tailored on typical PDH and SDH data interfaces. For equipment assessment when other base band interfaces or a combination of them are required see annex F.

Table E.2: Nominal transmission capacity and system classes for various channel separation

Channel separation	Channel arrangement ⇨		Co-polar (ACCP)							Co-polar (ACCP/CCDP)		Cross-polar (ACAP)		
	Nominal payload bit rate (Mbit/s) ⇨		2	2 × 2	8	2 × 8	34	2 × 34	STM-0 (51)	2 × STM-0 (2 × 51)	STM-1 (ACCP) 2 × STM-1 (CCDP)	2 × STM-1 (ACCP) STM-4/ 4 × STM-1 (CCDP) (note 2)	STM-1	2×STM-1 (note 2)
	Class	System (band) ↓												
Channel separation	1 (note 3)	E.5 (50 GHz)	7 MHz	14 MHz	28 MHz	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		E.6 (52 GHz)	7 MHz	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		E.7 (55 GHz)	7 MHz	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1	E.5 (50 GHz)	3,5 MHz	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		E.6 (52 GHz)	-	7 MHz	14 MHz	28 MHz	56 MHz	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		E.7 (55 GHz)	-	7 MHz	14 MHz	28 MHz	56 MHz	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	2	E.1 (23 GHz)	3,5 MHz (note 1)	3,5 MHz	7 MHz	14 MHz	28 MHz	-	56 MHz	-	-	-	-	-
		E.2 (26, 28 GHz)												
	E.3 (31, 32, 38 GHz)													
	E.6 (52 GHz)													
	3	E.5 (50 GHz)	-	3,5 MHz	7 MHz	14 MHz	28 MHz	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		E.6 (52 GHz)	-	-	-	-	-	-	28 MHz	-	-	-	-	-
	4	E.1 (23 GHz)	-	-	3,5 MHz	7 MHz	14 MHz	28 MHz	28 MHz (note 1)	28 MHz	56 MHz	-	-	-
		E.2 (26, 28 GHz)	-	-	3,5 MHz	7 MHz	14 MHz	28 MHz	14 MHz	28 MHz	56 MHz	-	-	-
	5A	E.3 (31, 32, 38 GHz)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28 MHz	-
		E.4 (23, 26, 28, 32, 38 GHz)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	56 MHz
5B	E.1 (23 GHz)	-	-	-	-	-	14 MHz	-	-	28 MHz	-	-	-	
	E.2 (26, 28 GHz)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	56 MHz	-	-	

NOTE 1: These class 2 (2 Mbit/s) in 3,5 MHz and class 4 (STM-0) in 28 MHz systems are more typical of class 1 (2Mbit/s) and class 3 (STM-0) systems, however, they are justified through the use of a more stringent adjacent channel interference requirement.

NOTE 2: Each carrier is considered to be a separate 2 × STM-1 system. STM-4/4 × STM-1 applications, besides CCDP frequency reuse of ACCP, may be implemented through the use of two 2 × STM-1 systems (ACCP or ACAP) on two separate 55/56 MHz channels that, due to spectrum availability, may not be adjacent.

NOTE 3: These systems show a spectral efficiency which is ~1/2 of that achieved by conventional class 1 systems.

## E.3 Transmitter

### E.3.1 General requirements

Table E.3: Transmitter requirements

Requirements	System E.1	System E.2	System E.3	System E.4	System E.5	System E.6	System E.7
Maximum transmitter power	Clause 4.2.1						
Nominal transmitter power tolerance ( $\pm B$ dB)	$\pm B = \pm 2$ dB		$\pm B = \pm 3$ dB	$\pm B = \pm 2$ dB (23, 26, 28 GHz bands) $\pm B = \pm 3$ dB (31, 32, 38 GHz bands)		$\pm B = \pm 3$ dB	
Transmitter power and frequency control	Clause 4.2.1						
RF Spectrum mask	RF spectral density mask in clause D.3.2						
Discrete CW components exceeding the spectrum mask and other spectral lines	Clause 4.2.5						
Spurious emissions-external	Clause 4.2.6						
Radio frequency tolerance	$\pm XX = \pm 15$ ppm	$\pm XX = \pm 20$ ppm.	$\pm XX = \pm 15$ ppm	$\pm XX = \pm 15$ ppm	$\pm XX = \pm 10$ ppm (class 2 equipment) $\pm XX = \pm 20$ ppm (class 1 equipment)	$\pm XX = \pm 15$ ppm	$\pm XX = \pm 15$ ppm

### E.3.2 RF spectrum masks

Spectrum masks are not inclusive of an allowance for radio frequency tolerance. Centre frequency  $f_0$  identifies the actual carrier frequency; the masks shall be extended up to 2,5 times the relevant CS of each system.

Tables E.4 to E6, with reference to the relevant generic mask specified in clause 4.2.4.1, show the offset frequency from  $f_0$  and attenuation of other discreet points on the spectrum mask.

## E.3.2.1 Systems E.1, E.2, E.3 and E.4

Table E.4: Limits of spectral power density for bands from 23 GHz to 28 GHz

System	Spectrum efficiency class	Nominal bit rate (Mbit/s)	Channel separation (MHz)	Mask reference shape	K1 (dB)	f1 (MHz)	K2 (dB)	f2 (MHz)	K3 (dB)	f3 (MHz)	K4 (dB)	f4 (MHz)	K5 (dB)	f5 (MHz)	K6 (dB)	f6 (MHz)	
E.1 (23 GHz)	2	2	3.5	Figure 4	+1	1,3	-23	2	-23	2,3	-45	4,3					
		2 × 2	3,5			1,4		2,8		3,5		7					
		8	7			2,8		5,6		7		14					
		2 × 8	14			5,6		11,2		14		28					
		34	28			11		19		25		45					
		STM-0	56			18		32		40		70					
	E.2 (26 GHz) (28 GHz)	4	8	3,5	Figure 4	+1	1,4	-30	2,8	-35	3,5	-50	6,15				
			2 × 8	7			2,8		5,6		7		12,25				
			34	14			5,6		11,2		14		24,5				
			2 × 34	28			11,2		22,4		28		49				
			STM-1	56			22,5		33		65		74				
			STM-0	28			Figure 5		+1		7,5		-10				
		STM-0	14	Figure 4	+1	7	-30	9,5	-35	14	-50	24,5					
		2 × STM-0	28	Figure 4		14		19		28		49					
		5A	STM-1	28	Figure 5	+2	12,5	-10	15	-32	17	-35	20	-50	42,5		
5B		2 × 34	14	Figure 6	+2	6	-10	7,25	-32	7,75	-36	8,5	-45	20	-50		
5B	STM-1	28	12			14,5		15,5		17		40		47			
E.4 (23, 26 and 28 GHz)	5A	2 × STM-1	56	Figure 6	+2	25	-10	30	-32	34	-35	40	-50	85			
	5B	2 × STM-1	56	Figure 6	+2	24	-10	29	-32	31	-36	34	-45	80	-50	94	

Table E.5: Limits of spectral power density for bands 31 GHz, 32 GHz and 38 GHz

System	Spectrum efficiency class	Nominal bit rate (Mbit/s)	Channel separation (MHz)	Mask reference shape	K1 (dB)	f1 (MHz)	K2 (dB)	f2 (MHz)	K3 (dB)	f3 (MHz)	K4 (dB)	f4 (MHz)	K5 (dB)	f5 (MHz)
E.3 (31 GHz) (32 GHz) (38 GHz)	2	2	3,5	Figure 4	+1	1,3	-23	2	-23	2,3	-45	4,3		
		2 × 2	3,5			1,4		2,8		3,5		7		
		8	7			2,8		5,6		7		14		
		2 × 8	14			5,6		11,2		14		28		
		34	28			11		19		25		45		
		STM-0	56			18		32		40		70		
	4	8	3,5	Figure 4	+1	1,4	-30	2,8	-35	3,5	-45	5,25		
		2 × 8	7			2,8		5,6		7		10,5		
		34	14			5,6		11,2		14		21		
		2 × 34	28			11,2		22,4		28		42		
		STM-1	56	22,5	33	65	71							
		STM-0	28	Figure 5	+1	7,5	-10	10,5	-30	12,5	-35	22	-45	27,5
		2 × STM-0	28	Figure 4	+1	7	-30	9,5	-35	14	-45	21		
	2 × STM-0	28	14	19	28	42								
	5A	STM-1	28	Figure 5	+2	12,5	-10	15	-32	17	-35	20	-45	35
	5B	2 × 34	14	Figure 5	+2	6	-10	7,25	-32	7,75	-36	8,5	-45	20
		STM-1	28			12		14,5		15,5		17		40
E.4 (32 GHz) (38 GHz)	5A	2 × STM-1	56	Figure 5	+2	25	-10	30	-32	34	-35	40	-45	70
	5B	2 × STM-1	56	Figure 5	+2	24	-10	29	-32	31	-36	34	-45	80

## E.3.2.2 Systems E.5, E.6 and E.7

Table E.6: Limits of spectral power density

System	Spectrum efficiency class	Nominal bit rate (Mbit/s)	Channel separation (MHz)	Mask reference shape	K1 (dB)	f1 (MHz)	K2 (dB)	f2 (MHz)	K3 (dB)	f3 (MHz)	K4 (dB)	f4 (MHz)
E.5 (50 GHz)	1 (see note)	2	7	Figure 4	0	2,6	-25	5,2	-25	6,4	-45	10,4
		2 x 2	14			5,2		10,4		12,8		20,8
		8	28			10,5		19		24,5		35,5
	1	2	3,5	Figure 4	0	1,3	-25	2,6	-25	3,2	-45	5,2
	2	2 x 2	3,5	Figure 4	0	1,3	-25	2,6	-25	3,2	-45	5,2
		8	7			2,6		5,2		6,4		10,4
		2 x 8	14			5,2		10,4		12,8		20,8
		34	28			10,5		19		24,5		35,5
E.6 (52 GHz)  E.7 (55 GHz)	1 (see note)	2	7	Figure 4	+1	3,3	-25	6,1	-25	6,8	-45	12,8
	1	2	3,5	Figure 4	+1	1,3	-23	2	-23	2,3	-45	4,3
		2 x 2	7	Figure 4	+1	3,3	-25	6,1	-25	6,8	-45	12,8
		8	14			6		11,6		13		22
		2 x 8	28			12		24,2		26		45
	34	56	24			50		60		80		
	2	2 x 2	3,5	Figure 4	+1	1,4	-23	2,8	-23	3,5	-45	7
		8	7			2,8		5,6		7		14
		2 x 8	14			5,6		11,2		14		28
		34	28			11		19		25		45
	3	STM-0	56	Figure 4	+1	18	-30	32	-35	40	-45	70
		STM-0	28			10,5		18		28		33
	4	8	3,5	Figure 4	+1	1,4	-30	2,8	-35	3,5	-45	5,85
		2 x 8	7			2,8		5,6		7		11,67
		34	14			5,6		11,2		14		23,35
		2 x 34	28			11,2		22,4		28		46,7
STM-1		56	22,5			33		65		75		
STM-0		14	7			9,5		14		23,35		
2 x STM-0		28	Figure 4	14	19	28	46,7					

NOTE: These systems show a spectral efficiency which is ~1/2 of that achieved by conventional class 1 systems.

## E.4 Receiver

### E.4.1 General requirements

Table E.7: Receiver requirements

Requirements	Systems E.1, E.2 and E.3	SystemE.4	Systems E.5, E.6 and E.7
Spurious emissions (external)	Clause 4.3.1		
BER as a function of RSL	Table E.8a	Table E.8b	Table E.9
Co channel external and adjacent channel interference sensitivity	Table E.10		
CW spurious interference	Clause 4.3.4		

### E.4.2 BER as a function of Receiver input Signal Level (RSL)

Receiver Signal levels equal to those reported in tables E.8a, E.8b and E.9 shall produce a BER of either  $\leq 10^{-6}$  or  $\leq 10^{-8}$  as required.

## E.4.2.1 Systems E.1, E.2, E.3 and E.4

Table E.8a: BER performance thresholds for 23 GHz to 38 GHz bands (systems E.1, E.2 and E.3)

Spectrum efficiency class	Bit rate (Mbit/s)	System →	E.1		E.2		E.3			
		Band →	23 GHz band		26 GHz and 28 GHz bands		31 GHz and 32 GHz band		38 GHz band	
		Channel separation (MHz)	RSL for BER ≤ 10 <sup>-6</sup> (dBm)	RSL for BER ≤ 10 <sup>-8</sup> (dBm)	RSL for BER ≤ 10 <sup>-6</sup> (dBm)	RSL for BER ≤ 10 <sup>-8</sup> (dBm)	RSL for BER ≤ 10 <sup>-6</sup> (dBm)	RSL for BER ≤ 10 <sup>-8</sup> (dBm)	RSL for BER ≤ 10 <sup>-6</sup> (dBm)	RSL for BER ≤ 10 <sup>-8</sup> (dBm)
2	2	3,5	-86,5	-84	-85	-82	-84	-81	-82,5	-80
	2 × 2	3,5	-83,5	-81	-82	-79	-81	-78	-79,5	-77
	8	7	-80,5	-78	-79	-76	-78	-75	-76,5	-74
	2 × 8	14	-77,5	-75	-76	-73	-75	-72	-73,5	-71
	34	28	-74,5	-72	-73	-70	-72	-69	-70,5	-68
	STM-0	56	-73,5	-71	-72	-69	-71	-68	-69,5	-67
4	8	3,5	-76,5	-74	-76	-74	-75	-72	-72,5	-70
	2 × 8	7	-73,5	-71	-73	-71	-72	-69	-69,5	-67
	34	14	-70,5	-68	-70	-68	-69	-66	-66,5	-64
	2 × 34	28	-67,5	-65	-67	-65	-66	-63	-63,5	-61
	STM-0	28	-71,5	-69	-72	-70	-70	-67	-67,5	-65
	STM-1	56	-66,5	-64	-67	-65	-65	-63	-62,5	-60
	STM-0	14	-69,5	-67	-69	-67	-68	-65	-65,5	-63
	2 × STM-0	28	-66,5	-64	-66	-64	-65	-62	-62,5	-60
5A	STM-1	28	-63	-61	-62	-60	-61	-59	-60	-58
5B	2 × 34	14	-66	-64	-65	-63	-64	-62	-63	-61
	STM-1	28	-63	-61	-62	-60	-61	-59	-60	-58

Table E.8b: BER performance thresholds for 23 GHz to 38 GHz bands (system E.4)

Spectrum efficiency class	Bit rate (Mbit/s)	System →	E.4							
		Band →	23 GHz band		26 GHz and 28 GHz bands		32 GHz band		38 GHz band	
		Channel separation (MHz)	RSL for BER ≤ 10 <sup>-6</sup> (dBm)	RSL for BER ≤ 10 <sup>-8</sup> (dBm)	RSL for BER ≤ 10 <sup>-6</sup> (dBm)	RSL for BER ≤ 10 <sup>-8</sup> (dBm)	RSL for BER ≤ 10 <sup>-6</sup> (dBm)	RSL for BER ≤ 10 <sup>-8</sup> (dBm)	RSL for BER ≤ 10 <sup>-6</sup> (dBm)	RSL for BER ≤ 10 <sup>-8</sup> (dBm)
5A	2 × STM-1	56 (ACAP)								
5B	2 × STM-1	56 (ACCP/CCDP)	-59	-57	-58	-56	-57	-55	-56	-54



## E.4.2.2 Systems E.7, E.5 and E.6

Table E.9: BER performance thresholds for 50 GHz to 55 GHz (systems E.7, E. 5 and E.6)

Spectrum efficiency class	Bit rate (Mbit/s)	System	E.5	E.6 and E.7	
		Band	50 GHz	52 GHz and 55 GHz	
		Channel separation (MHz)	RSL for BER $\leq 10^{-6}$ (dBm) (see note 1)	RSL for BER $\leq 10^{-6}$ (dBm)	RSL for BER $\leq 10^{-8}$ (dBm)
1 (see note 2)	2	7	-72	-80,5	-78
	2 x 2	14	-69	-	-
	8	28	-66	-	-
1	2	3,5	-78	-80,5	-78
	2 x 2	7	-	-80,5	-78
	8	14	-	-77,5	-75
	2 x 8	28	-	-74,5	-72
	34	56	-	-71,5	-69
2	2 x 2	3,5	-75	-77,5	-75
	8	7	-72	-74,5	-72
	2 x 8	14	-69	-71,5	-69
	34	28	-66	-68,5	-66
	STM-0	56	-	-67,5	-65
3	STM-0	28	-	-65,5	-63
4	8	3,5	-	-70,5	-68
	2 x 8	7	-	-67,5	-65
	34	14	-	-64,5	-62
	2 x 34	28	-	-61,5	-59
	STM-1	56	-	-60,5	-58
	STM-0	14	-	-63,5	-61
	2 x STM-0	28	-	-60,5	-58

NOTE 1: For system E.5, only the RSL for BER  $\leq 10^{-6}$  is standardized; however, in the previously published EN 301 387 (see bibliography) these systems also required a specific RSL for BER  $\leq 10^{-3}$ , which were set 3 dB lower than the RSL for BER  $\leq 10^{-6}$ . This information may be used for deriving a typical RSL versus BER curve.

NOTE 2: These systems show a spectral efficiency which is  $\sim 1/2$  of that achieved by conventional class 1 systems.

### E.4.3 Co-channel "external" and adjacent channel interference sensitivity

The limits of Carrier to Interference ratio (C/I) in case of co-channel and adjacent channel interference shall be as in table E.10, giving maximum C/I values for 1 dB and 3 dB degradation of the RSL limits specified for  $BER \leq 10^{-6}$  in clause E.4.2.

**Table E.10: Co-channel and adjacent channel interference sensitivity**

Spectrum efficiency class	System	Nominal bit rate (Mbit/s)	Channel separation (MHz)	C/I for $BER \leq 10^{-6}$ RSL degradation of 1 dB or 3 dB			
				Co-channel interference		Adjacent channel interference	
				1 dB	3 dB	1 dB	3 dB
1 (note 1)	E.5, E.6, E.7	2	7	23	19	0	-4
	E.5	2 x 2	14	23	19	0	-4
		8	28	23	19	0	-4
1	E.5	2	3,5	23	19	0	-4
	E.6, E.7	2 x 2	7	23	19	0	-4
		8	14	23	19	0	-4
		2 x 8	28	23	19	0	-4
		34	56	23	19	0	-4
2	E.1, E.2, E.3, E.6, E.7 (note 2)	2	3,5	23	19	-3	-7
		2 x 2	3,5	23	19	0	-4
	E.1, E.2, E.3	8	7	23	19	0	-4
	E.5, E.6, E.7	2 x 8	14	23	19	0	-4
		34	28	23	19	0	-4
3	E.1, E.2, E.3, E.6	STM-0	56	23	19	0	-4
	E.6, E.7	STM-0	28	23	19	-1	-5
4		8	3,5	30	26	-1	-5
	E.1, E.2, E.3	2 x 8	7	30	26	-1	-5
	E.6, E.7	34	14	30	26	-1	-5
		2 x 34	28	30	26	-1	-5
		STM-1	56	30	26	-1	-5
		STM-0	14	30	26	-1	-5
		2 x STM-0	28	30	26	-1	-5
5A	E.1, E.2, E.3	STM-1	28	37	33	+3	-1
	E.4	2 x STM-1	56	37	33	+3	-1
5B	E.1, E.2, E.3	2 x 34	14	37	33	-3	-7
		STM-1	28	37	33	-3	-7
	E.4	2 x STM-1	56	37	33	-3,5	-7,5

NOTE 1: These systems show a spectral efficiency which is ~1/2 of that achieved by conventional class 1 systems.

NOTE 2: These class 2 (2 Mbit/s) in 3,5 MHz and the class 4 (STM-0) in 28 MHz are more typical of a class 1 (2 Mbit/s) and class 3 (STM-0) system, however, they are justified by the use of a more stringent adjacent channel interference requirement.

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## Annex F (normative): Transmission of packet data and combinations of other signals in bands from 3 GHz to 55 GHz

### F.1 Introduction

This annex provides the conditions under which the existing PDH/SDH specifications can be used for systems with traffic interface combinations other than those mentioned in the PDH/SDH specifications when mapped into proprietary transport modules (i.e. not mapped into conventional standardized PDH or SDH transport modules).

NOTE: This argument (limited to packet data interfaces only) was covered in a previous EN 301 785 (see bibliography).

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### F.2 General characteristics

#### F.2.1 Frequency characteristics and channel arrangements

The equipment shall operate on frequency bands and channels arrangements in accordance with information provided in the relevant annex selected from table F.1.

#### F.2.2 Transmission capacities

For assessing such equipment against essential parameters under article 3.2 of R&TTE Directive [1], it is necessary to select the set of equipment characteristics relevant to the channel separation and the equipment classes of an equivalent PDH/SDH rate for the same frequency band from the referenced annexes A to E of the present document. In order to facilitate spectral efficiency, the selection shall be made by comparing the minimum required Radio Interface Capacities (RIC) with those conventional PDH/SDH rates defined in table F.1.

Only systems with RIC equal to or higher than the minimum RIC in table F.1 may, therefore, adopt in the assessment the equivalent PDH/SDH equipment characteristics (for the same channel separation and equipment class).

**Table F.1: Applicable PDH/SDH specifications for accumulated capacities using a combination of interfaces**

Frequency bands	Equivalent PDH/SDH rate (Mbit/s)	Minimum applicable RIC (Mbit/s)	Reference to annex and system
4 GHz to 11 GHz (excluding 40 MHz channel separation)	2,048	2	B.1
	2 x 2,048	4	
	8,448	8	
	2 x 8,448	16	
	34,368	32	
	STM-0	48	
	2 x 34,368	64	
	2 x STM-0	96	
	STM-1	144	
4 GHz, 5 GHz, 6U GHz and 11 GHz (40 MHz channel separation only)	N x STM-1	N x 144	B.2, B.3
	STM-1	144	C.1, C.2, C.3
N x STM-1	N x 144		
13 GHz, 15 GHz, 18 GHz	2,048	2	D.1
	2 x 2,048	4	
	8,448	8	
	2 x 8,448	16	
	34,368	32	
	2 x 34,368	64	
	STM-0	48	
	2 x STM-0	96	
13 GHz	STM-1	144	D.3, D.4
	N x STM-1	N x 144	
15 GHz	STM-1	144	D.5, D.6
	N x STM-1	N x 144	
18 GHz	STM-1	144	D.5, D.6, D.8
	N x STM-1	N x 144	
23 GHz to 38 GHz	2,048	2	E.1 (23 GHz band) E.2 (26 GHz and 28 GHz bands) E.3 (32 and 38 GHz bands)
	2 x 2,048	4	
	8,448	8	
	2 x 8,448	16	
	34,368	32	
	STM-0	48	
	2 x 34,368	64	
	2 x STM-0	96	
	STM-1	144	
	N x STM-1	N x 144	
50 GHz	2,048	2	E.1, E.4 (23 GHz band) E.2, E.4 (26 GHz and 28 GHz bands) E.3, E.4 (32 and 38 GHz bands)
	2 x 2,048	4	
	8,448	8	
	2 x 8,448	16	
	34,368	32	
	STM-1	144	
52 GHz and 55 GHz	2,048	2	E.5
	2 x 2,048	4	
	8,448	8	
	2 x 8,448	16	
	34,368	32	
	STM-0	48	
	2 x 34,368	64	
	2 x STM-0	96	
	STM-1	144	

## F.3 System parameters

There are no essential requirements under the R&TTE Directive [1] specific to radio systems with packet data interfaces.

All radio requirements shall be taken from an appropriate PDH or SDH specification as defined in table F.1 This clause describes how to apply the appropriate PDH/SDH specification to a radio system with a combination of interfaces.

The supplier shall declare the Radio Interface Capacity (RIC). The Radio Interface Capacity (RIC) must exceed the minimum RIC given in table F.1 to allow the application of a specific PDH/SDH annex.

In addition, the Network Interface Capacity (NIC) must be equal to or exceed the Radio Interface Capacity (RIC) to allow application of a specific PDH/SDH annex from table F.1.

### F.3.1 Transmitter

All requirements, defined in the annex and selected according table F.1, are applicable to the same channel separation for the same class of equipment.

### F.3.2 Receiver

All requirements, defined in the annex selected according table F.1, are applicable with the same channel separation for the same class of equipment provided that BER tests may be substituted by the equivalent FER as defined in clause F.3.3.

### F.3.3 FER as a function of BER

In the event that no PDH/SDH interface is available at base band level (reference points X, X' of figure 1 of EN 302 217-1 [6]), and no other mean (even proprietary ones) are possible for a true bit-to-bit error count at reference point X, this clause describes how to translate the BER requirements from the PDH/SDH specification to verify compliance of the radio system when such a combination of interfaces includes (as a minimum) an Ethernet interface.

The supplier shall describe how to load the system with the Radio Interface Capacity (RIC), possibly using multiple interfaces. The error rates specified in the PDH/SDH specification shall be met on all traffic loading the system. The traffic may contain combinations of PDH, SDH, packet data or other signals. For Ethernet interfaces, the BER requirements in the PDH/SDH standard shall be converted to FER requirements using table F.2 (based on 64 octet frames).

**Table F.2: Conversion between Bit Error Rate (BER) and Frame Error Rate (FER)**

BER	FER
$10^{-6}$	$5 \times 10^{-4}$
$10^{-8}$	$5 \times 10^{-6}$
$10^{-10}$	$5 \times 10^{-8}$
$10^{-12}$	$5 \times 10^{-10}$

Automatic Repeat Request (ARQ) algorithms may also be used as an error correction method.

Additional information with respect to the derivation of the BER/FER relationship and testing examples may be found in annex G of EN 302 217-2-1 (see bibliography).

In the event that an Ethernet interface is not offered, but other standardized interfaces are used, the supplier shall declare an equivalent conversion table supported by technical evidence (of its appropriateness).

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## Annex G (normative): Test report in relation to flexible systems applications

### G.1 Wide radio-frequency band covering units

Even if radio frequency front-ends for DFRS are commonly designed for covering all or part(s) of the possible operating channels within a specific radio frequency channel arrangement, equipments can provide single radio frequency channel operation (e.g. when the RF duplexer filters are tuned to a specific channel) or offer a wider operating frequency range (e.g. wide-band RF duplexer and frequency agility through the use of a RFC function. Ease of deployment and spare parts handling by operators with large networks is facilitated where more than one channel is assigned).

The equipment shall comply with all the requirements of the present document at any possible operating frequency.

The tests, carried out to generate the test report and/or declaration of conformity, required to fulfil any conformity assessment procedure with respect to the R&TTE Directive [1], shall be carried-out in the following way:

- 1) In the case of equipments intended for single channel operation, the test report shall be produced for one radio frequency channel arbitrarily chosen by the supplier (see figure G.1);
- 2) In the case of equipments intended for covering an operating frequency range, the test report shall be produced:
  - on the transmitter side, for the lowest, intermediate and highest possible radio frequency channel within that operating frequency range (see figure G.2);
  - on the receiver side, for the lowest, intermediate and highest possible radio frequency channel within that operating frequency range only for Spurious emissions - external and BER as a function of RSL parameters. Other essential parameters on receiver side have to be tested for the intermediate radio frequency channel only.
- 3) It is not required that all the tests, required for the test report, are made on the same sample of equipment and at the same time; provided that the test report includes all of the tests required by the present document, each test may be made on different samples of the same equipment, at different channel frequencies or frequency ranges and at different times (see note).

**NOTE:** It should be noted that, in principle, all tests are carried on the same equipment in a single test session. However, the allowance for different test sessions and equipment under test is made to cope with unpredictable events (e.g. equipment or test instruments failure during the tests, not immediately repairable) or for future revision of the present document that might introduce new or different requirement due for additional tests report. In any case this allowance is not intended as a possibility to overcome failed tests without corrective actions.

When applicable the following additional provisions apply to the production of a test report:

- In the case of equipments covering a radio frequency channel arrangement with more than one operating frequency range, the test report shall be produced for one of the operating frequency ranges arbitrarily chosen by the supplier, using the above procedures for equipments intended for single channel operation or for covering an operating frequency range (see figure G.1).
- In the case of equipments designed to cover, with the same requirements under the same ETSI standard, a number of fully or partially overlapping recommended and/or national radio frequency channel arrangements, similarly established across contiguous radio frequency bands allocated to the Fixed Service, the test report shall be produced for one radio frequency channel arrangement arbitrarily chosen by the supplier, using the above procedures for equipments intended for single channel operation or for covering an operating frequency range (see figures G.1 and G.2).

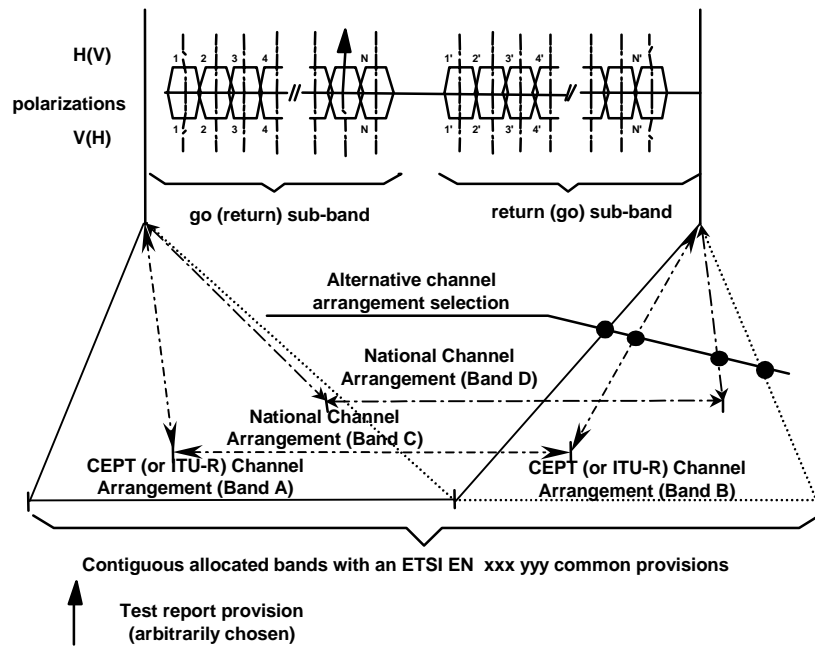


Figure G.1: Test report frequency requirement for equipments intended for single channel operation

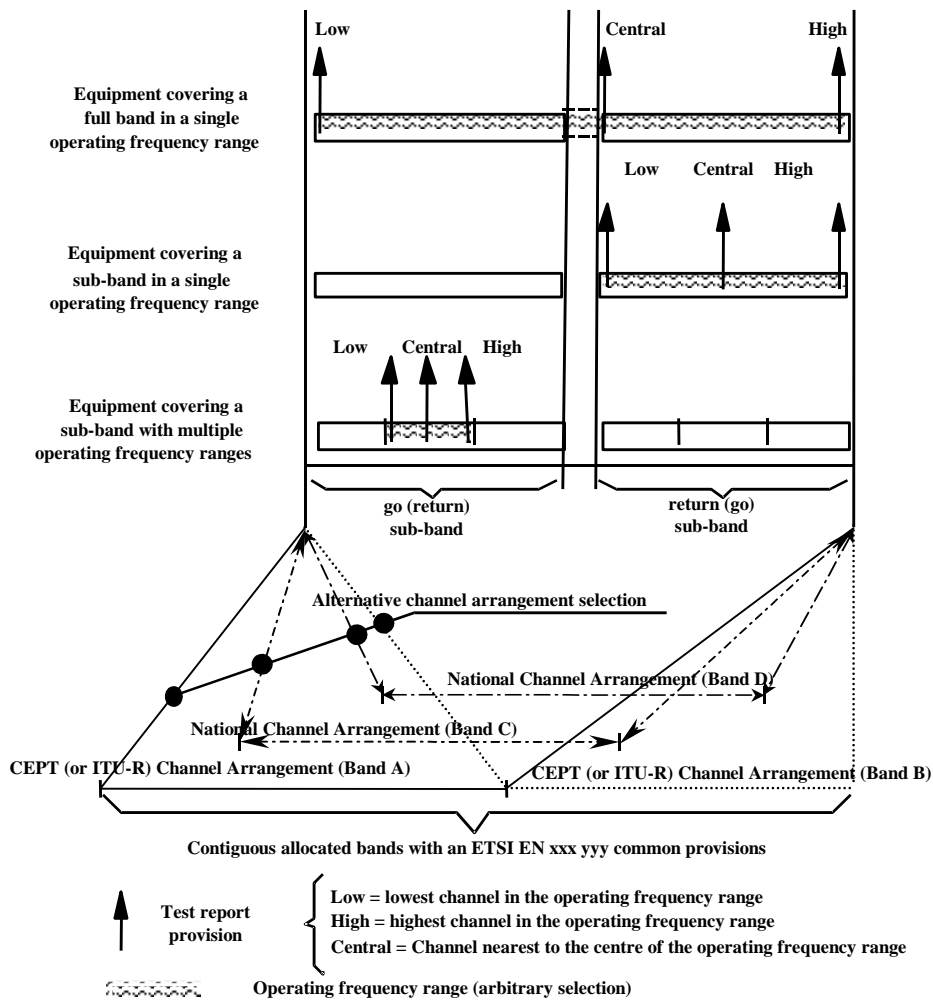


Figure G.2: Test report frequency requirements for equipments intended for covering an operating frequency range

## G.2 Multirate/multiformat equipment

DFRS equipments can cover a number of different payload-rates or different modulation format through software pre-settings.

In such cases the equipment shall comply with all the requirements of the present document at any possible payload operation.

The tests, carried out to generate the test report and/or declaration of conformity, required to fulfil any Conformity assessment procedure with respect to the R&TTE Directive [1], shall be carried-out for transmitting phenomena (see clause 4.2) at any possible bit rate and modulation format, while receiving phenomena (see clause 4.3) shall be tested only at the lowest and the highest bit rate for any modulation format.

## G.3 BER measurement in a SDH multi-interface, multi-carrier system

This clause deals with systems that either have STM-4 or several STM-1 interfaces, two RF carriers ( $2 \times$  STM-1 each) or a combination of these characteristics. In order to keep the requirements set out in the standard aligned with single carrier single interface standards, there is a need to modify the basic requirements according to the system type. BER and performance measurements need to take into consideration the system type and configuration. The purpose of this annex is to provide guidance for measurement and planning of these systems.

### G.3.1 Case 1: multi-interface $2 \times$ STM-1/single carrier or multi-interface, $4 \times$ STM-1/two-carrier systems where each STM-1 payload is transmitted on one carrier only.

Test equipment will be connected to one of the STM-1 interfaces. The resulting BER shall comply with the requirements in the standard.

Since each STM-1 signal is transmitted on one single carrier, all measurements of performance are in general identical to other single interface, single carrier systems.

### G.3.2 Case 2: single interface, STM-4/two-carrier system

Test equipment will be connected to the STM-4 interface. The resulting BER shall comply with the requirements in the standard as described in table G.1.

**Table G.1: BER for single interface STM-4/two carrier system**

Clause	Measurement	Test method	BER requirement
4.3.2	BER vs. RSL	Both carriers Simultaneously	As specified
4.3.3 and 4.3.4	External Co-channel and adjacent channel Interference	The RSL is set on both carriers at the $10^{-6}$ threshold, as specified in clause 5.5.1. The interferer and the 1 dB (3 dB) degradation is applied to one carrier only	As specified



### G.3.3 Case 3: multi-interface 4 × STM-1/two-carrier system where each STM-1 payload is transmitted on both carriers

Test equipment will be connected to one of the STM-1 interfaces. The resulting BER shall comply with the requirements in the standard as described in table G.2.

**Table G.2: BER for multi-interface 4 × STM-1/two carrier system**

Clause	Measurement	Test method	BER requirement
4.3.2	BER vs. RSL	Both carriers	As specified
4.3.3 and 4.3.4	Co-channel and adjacent channel Interference	The RSL is set on both carriers at the $10^{-6}$ threshold, as specified in 5.5.1. The interferer, together with the 1 dB (3 dB) degradation is applied on one carrier at a time, on both carriers (two measurements).	As specified (see note). Compliance to the limits shall be guaranteed during both measurements.
NOTE: The $10^{-6}$ threshold degradation shall be obtained as a sum, on the same STM-1 interface, during the two measurements, therefore the BER limits shall be modified accordingly (e.g. twice $5 \times 10^{-7}$ instead of $1 \times 10^{-6}$ ). For planning purposes, please note that if there is interference on both carriers, the resulting BER will be $1 \times 10^{-6}$ .			

## Annex H (normative): The EN Requirements Table (EN-RT)

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The EN Requirements Table (EN-RT) serves a number of purposes, as follows:

- it provides a tabular summary of all the requirements;
- it shows the status of each EN-R, whether it is essential to implement in all circumstances (Mandatory), or whether the requirement is dependent on the supplier having chosen to support a particular optional service or functionality (Optional). In particular it enables the EN-Rs associated with a particular optional service or functionality to be grouped and identified;
- when completed in respect of a particular equipment it provides a means to undertake the static assessment of conformity with the EN.

EN Reference		EN 302 217-2-2 annex H			
<b>Transmitter requirements</b>					
No.	Clause	EN-R (see note)	Status	Notes	Supplier comment for declaration
1	4.2.1	Transmitter power	M		
2	4.2.2.1.1	Transient behaviour of the transmitter - Automatic Transmit Power Control (ATPC)	O		
3	4.2.2.1.2	Adjacent channel power - Remote Transmit Power Control (RTPC)	O		
4	4.2.2.2	Transient behaviour of the transmitter - Remote Frequency Control (RFC)	O		
5	4.2.3	Transmitter power tolerance	M		
6	4.2.4	Adjacent channel power - Spectrum mask	M		
7	4.2.5	Adjacent channel power - Discrete CW components exceeding the spectrum mask limit	M		
8	4.2.6	Spurious emissions	M		
9	4.2.7	Frequency error/stability	M		
<b>Antenna directional requirements</b>					
No.	Clause	EN-R (see note)	Status	Notes	Supplier comment for declaration
10	4.4.1	Off-axis EIRP density - Radiation Pattern Envelope (RPE)	M	Applicable only to equipments with integral antennas	
11	4.4.2	Antenna gain	M	Applicable only to equipments with integral antennas	
12	4.4.3	Antenna Cross-Polar Discrimination	M	Applicable only to equipments with integral antennas	
<b>Receiving requirements</b>					
No.	Clause	EN-R (see note)	Status	Notes	Supplier comment for declaration
13	4.3.1	Spurious emissions	M		
14	4.3.2	BER as a function of receiver input signal level	M		
15	4.3.3	Co-channel interference sensitivity	M		
16	4.3.3	Adjacent channel interference sensitivity	M		
17	4.3.4	CW Spurious interference (Blocking or desensitization inc. duplex)	M		
NOTE 1:	These EN-Rs are justified under article 3.2 of the R&TTE Directive [1].				
NOTE 2:	The requirement clauses for the present document-RT are composed of the common text clause in the main body of text and of the specific requirement clause in the relevant annex corresponding to the system for which conformance is declared. For example, if conformance for system E.3 is declared, the requirements for the transmitter mask are contained in clause 4.2.4 of the main body of text and in clauses referring to system E.3 of the annex E.				

**Key to columns:**

- **No** Table entry number.
- **Reference** Clause reference number of conformance requirement within the present document.
- **EN-R** Title of conformance requirement within the present document.
- **Status** Status of the entry as follows:
  - M Mandatory, shall be implemented under all circumstances;
  - O Optional, may be provided, but if provided shall be implemented in accordance with the requirements.
- **Comments** To be completed as required.

## Annex I (informative): Spectrum mask requirements when ATPC and/or RTPC are implemented.

It is worth explaining that, in most practical applications, ATPC and RTPC are realized by a single function SW programmable system; therefore it is the supplier that should declare how the available range of attenuation should be subdivided (and possibly limited) in order to meet the requirements described below.

### I.1 ATPC impact

Among other requirement, set out in EN 302 217-2-1 (see bibliography) as "non essential" to fulfil article 3.2 of R&TTE Directive [1], the following figure I.1 clarifies the ATPC requirements that are considered "essential".

The equipment shall comply with the requirements of spectrum masks in clause 4.2.4 with ATPC operating in the range between "maximum nominal power" and "maximum available power" (see note) including the attenuation introduced by the RTPC function (if any).

**NOTE:** The Rationale for the requirement is that while the mask is a "relative attenuation", the actual interference potential is given by the absolute power spill-over into adjacent channels. Therefore the NFD should be guaranteed when transmitters operate at maximum nominal power or in the overdrive region (i.e. when maximum absolute power is produced in adjacent channels), which are the conditions commonly used for frequency planning. In all lower power conditions, even where the NFD may be degraded by the (apparent) increase of the noise floor (due to the actual drop in carrier power), resulting in the mask level being exceeded (see figure I.1), however the absolute interference power on adjacent channels will in any case be equal to or less than that used for planning (i.e. the planned C/I on adjacent channels will not be exceeded).

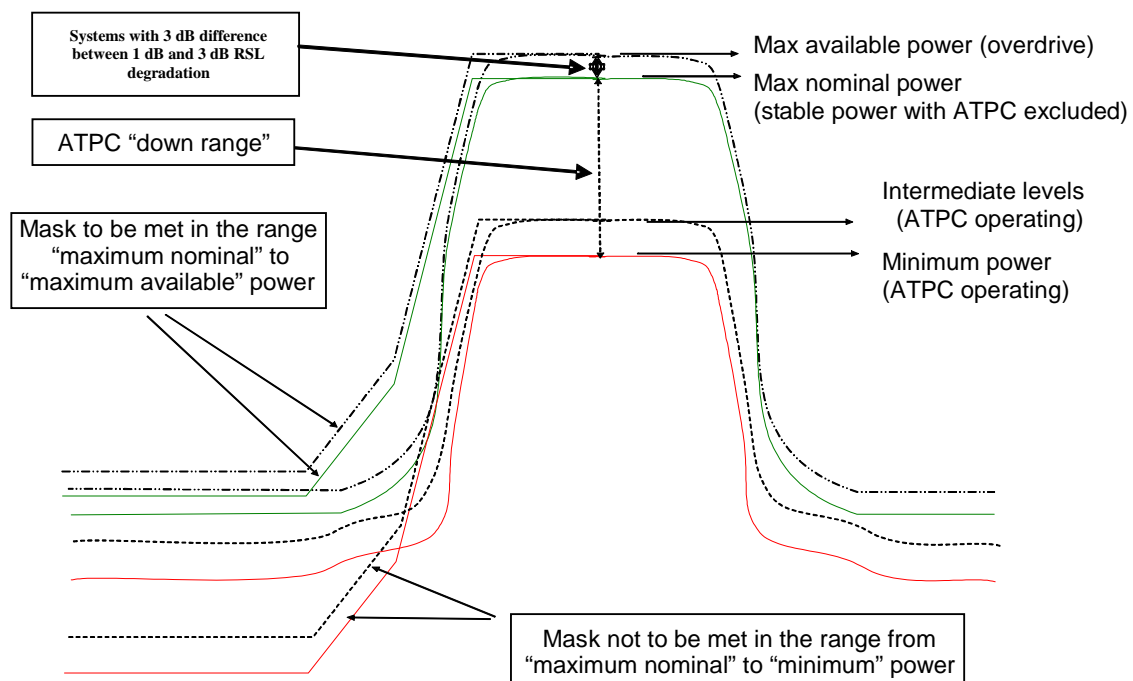


Figure I.1: Relationship between spectrum mask requirement and ATPC operation

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## I.2 RTPC Impact

It should be considered that, when RTPC is used as alternative for conventional RF attenuators (used in the past for a similar purpose) for setting the maximum power established in the network when planning for each single link (PP) or each cell (in Multi-Point (MP) applications) in order to restrict inter-system interference into other links/cells (of other operators only), the NFD shall be maintained (because it is used for frequency planning and associated with a rated power). Therefore the mask should be met throughout the operating range offered (supplier should limit the range of RTPC accordingly).

However, there are differences between PP and MP that shall be taken into account:

- a) PP: RTPC (if any) is used only for inter/link interference and link-budget balancing; therefore the above statement applies to all RTPC systems.
- b) MP: RTPC (if any) might be used for two different purposes:
  - b1) For inter-operators interference balancing (in particular but not limited to master stations); in this application it is similar to the PP one, therefore the same concept applies (mask shall be met) (see note);
  - b2) For intra-system power balancing of terminal stations close to the central station or for the shortest hops in Mesh architectures. In this case the masks do not need to be met because it is an intra system issue (interference balancing with other operators is done by taking account of the power levels associated with the most distant TSs).

NOTE: Rationale is that some CEPT SE19 recommendations and coexistence reports are made assuming a certain values of NFD for defining the guard-band. However, in cases when block-mask is defined, this is no longer necessary (e.g. in 40 GHz band). It should also be noted that no specific difference in this concept is identified between P-MP and Mesh architecture.

In conclusion, in MP systems, the RTPC should be subdivided in the supplier declaration in two different ranges (b1 and b2 above) and the mask should be met only in range b1.

## Annex J (informative): Typical interference sensitivity behaviour for frequency planning purpose

In annexes B to E, for conformity assessment and declaration, the requirements for co-channel and adjacent channel(s) are limited to discrete guaranteed points at 1 dB and 3 dB degradation of the RSL for  $BER \leq 10^{-6}$ .

Figure J.1 shows the typical behaviour for intermediate points which can be used for frequency planning purpose. Two different plots are given that are dependant on the difference between 1 dB and 3 dB RSL degradation.

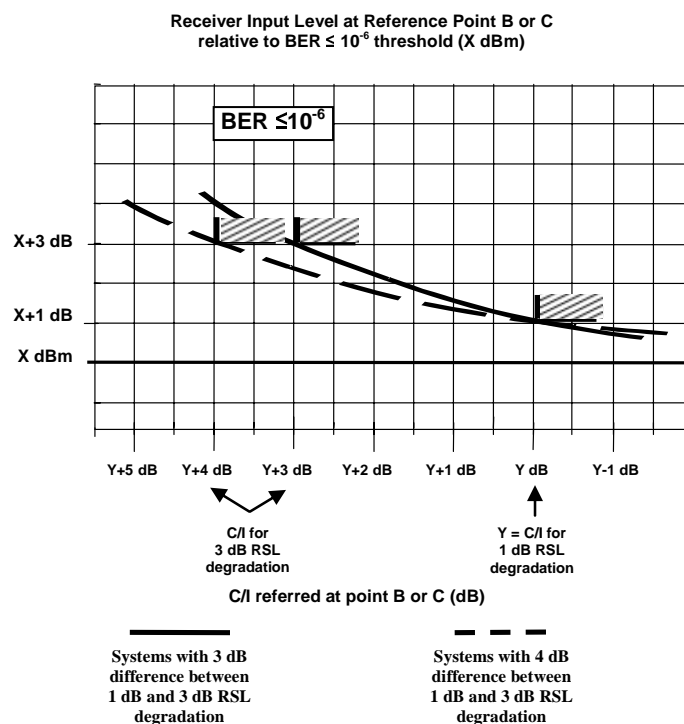


Figure J.1: Interference threshold degradation versus C/I (typical behaviour)

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