



*Analysis of SNR, TWDP and  
Implementation penalty vs.  
measured waveforms*

Finite EQ lengths

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# *General analysis notes*

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- Waveforms from LRM private area (pre-processed)
- Plotted results are based on finite EQ lengths
  - 2 configurations: 14,5 and 10,3, FF @T/2, FB @T
- Implementation penalty (IP) =  $\text{SNR}_{\text{infinite}} - \text{SNR}_{\text{finite}}$  (dBo)
- Stressors ~4.5 dB PIE-D from recent Ewen set
  - < 2 dB IP budget for EQ length
  - $\text{SNR} > 8.5$  dB...
- OMA & OMSD for TWDP scaling determined via SW waveform analysis
- Vertical scales in dBo
- Semi-analytic method & MMSE adaptation
- Work in progress...

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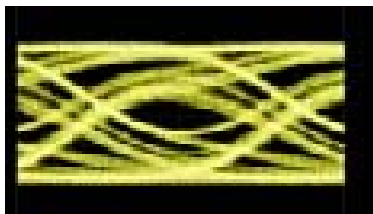


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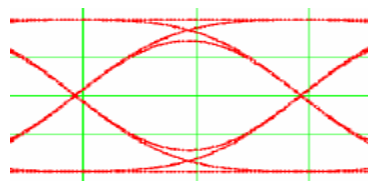


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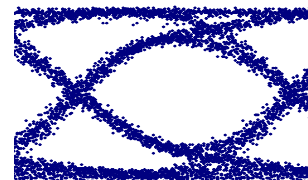


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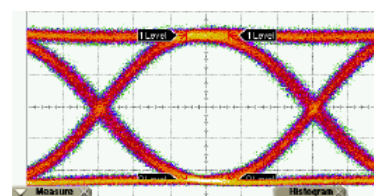


**Measured waveforms  
for following analyses**

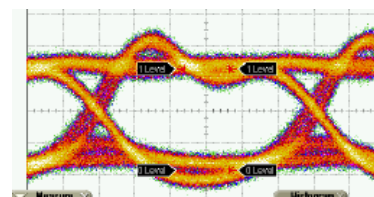
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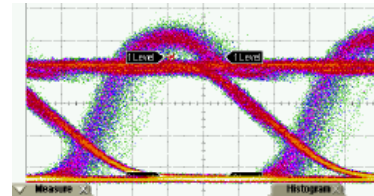
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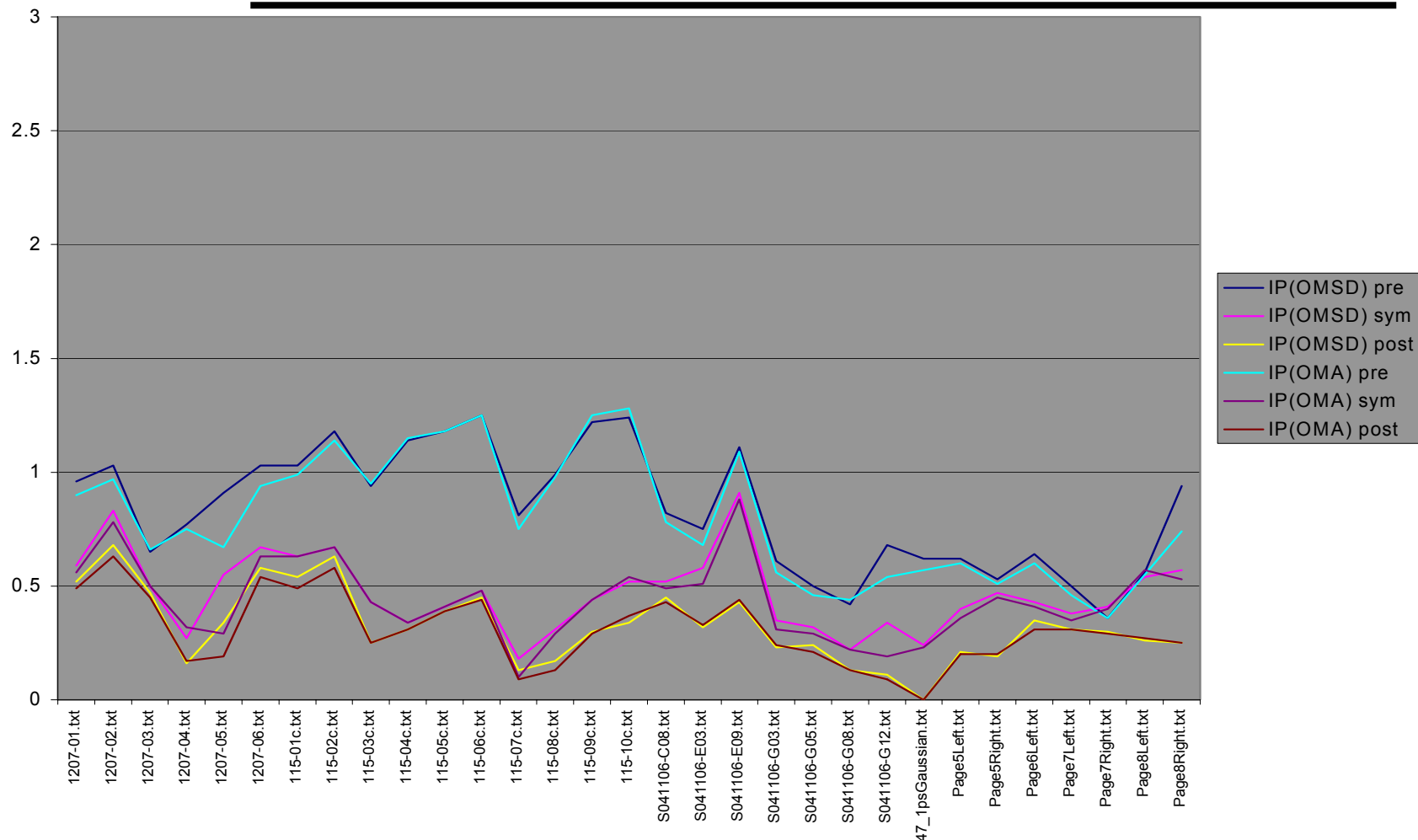


# *pre, symmetrical, and post cursor channels*

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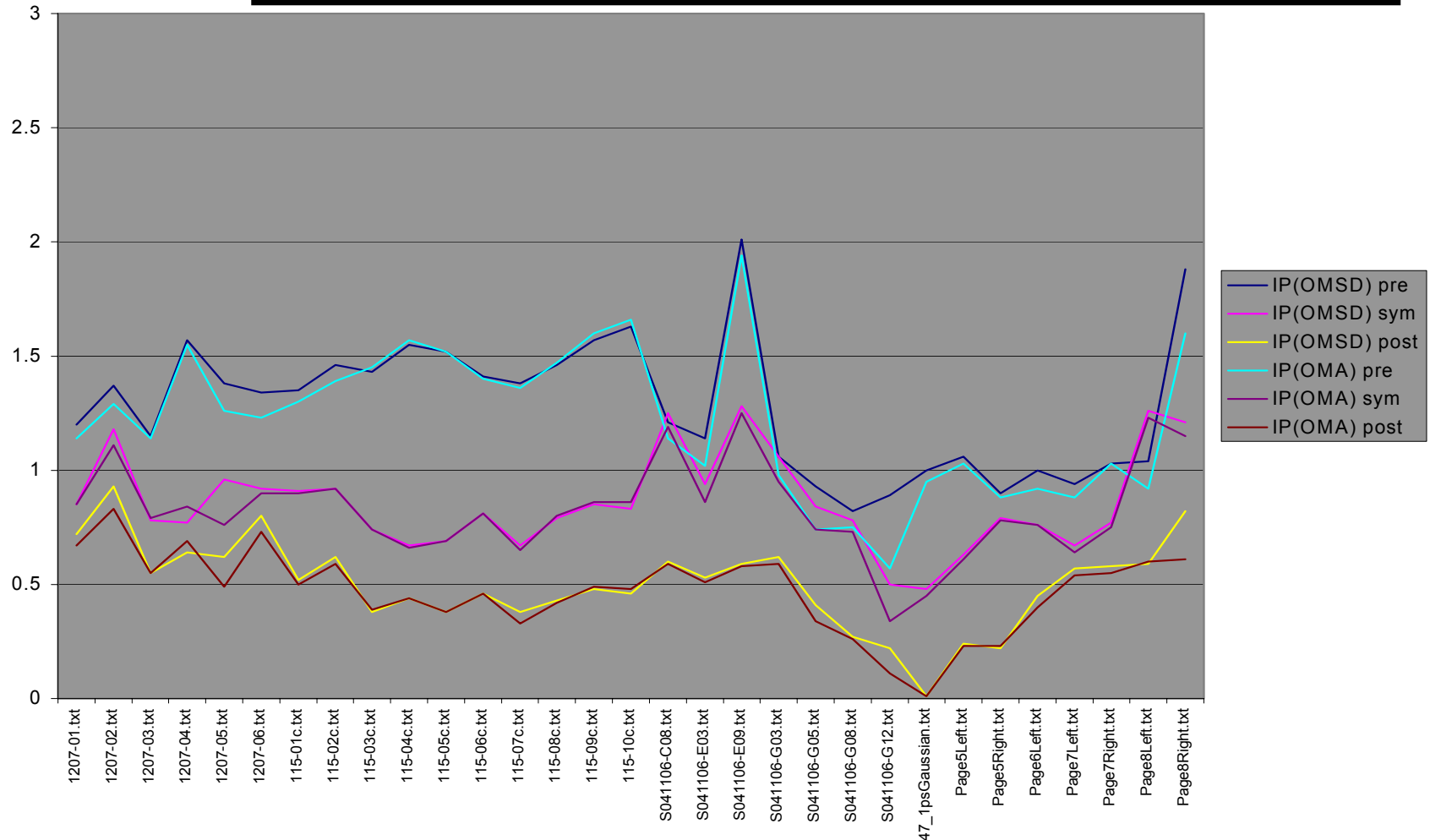
- Next 2 plots show that **pre-cursor fiber is almost always most stressful to shorter length EQs**
  - Not surprising...
  - Not always true for very long lengths, but differences are small (not plotted)
  - Differences greatest for pre-emphasized waveforms
    - Shape not optimized for pre-cursor
- IP results are from OMA & OMSD scaled waveforms
  - Little difference
  - FYI, unscaled waveform IPs tend in the same direction as actual power

# *IP vs. waveform\* for pre, symmetrical, and post cursor channels; 14,5 EQ*



\*Additional waveforms tested here, beyond those displayed on slide 3.

# *IP vs. waveform\* for pre, symmetrical, and post cursor channels; 10,3 EQ*



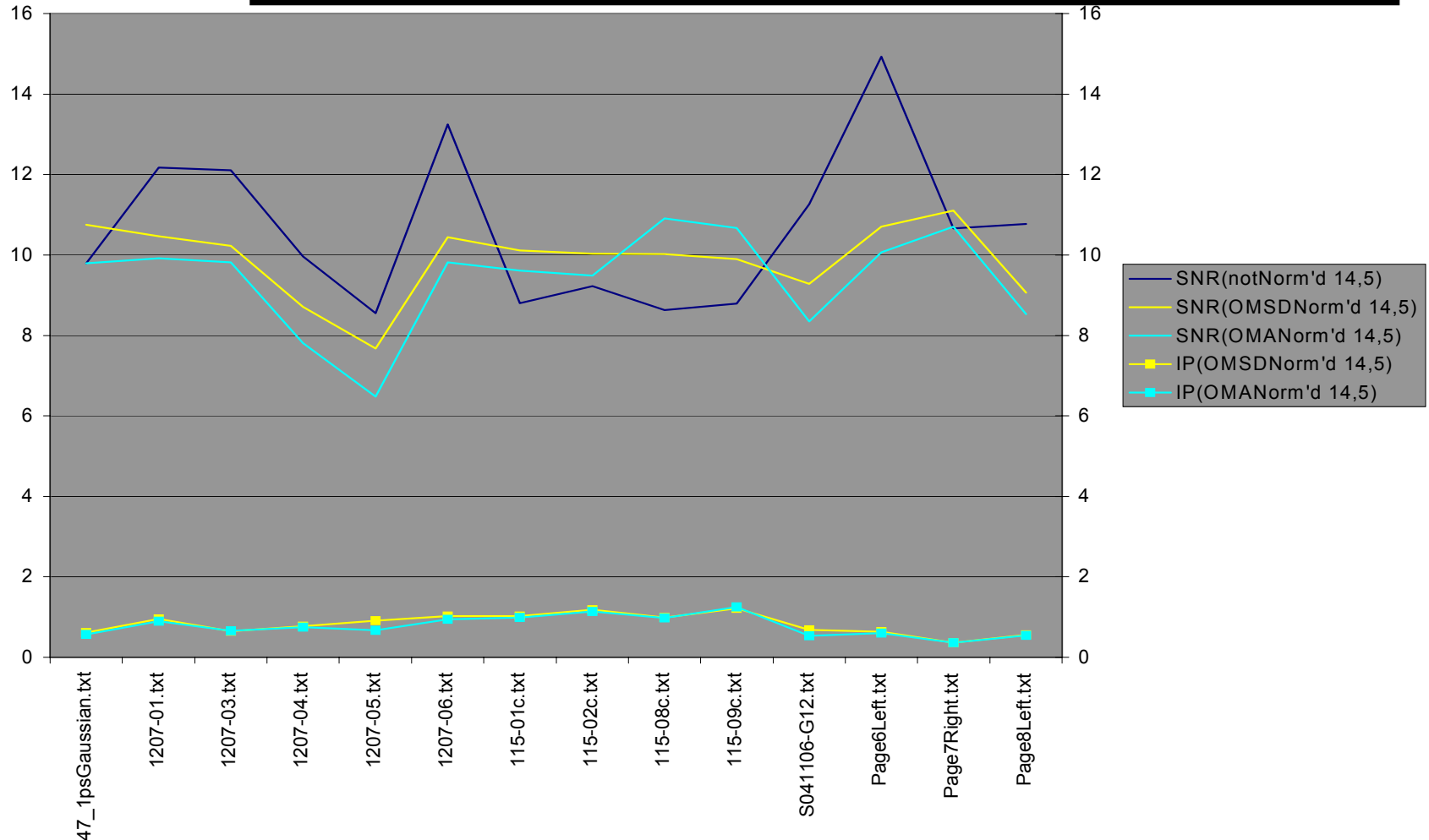
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# *Slicer SNR*

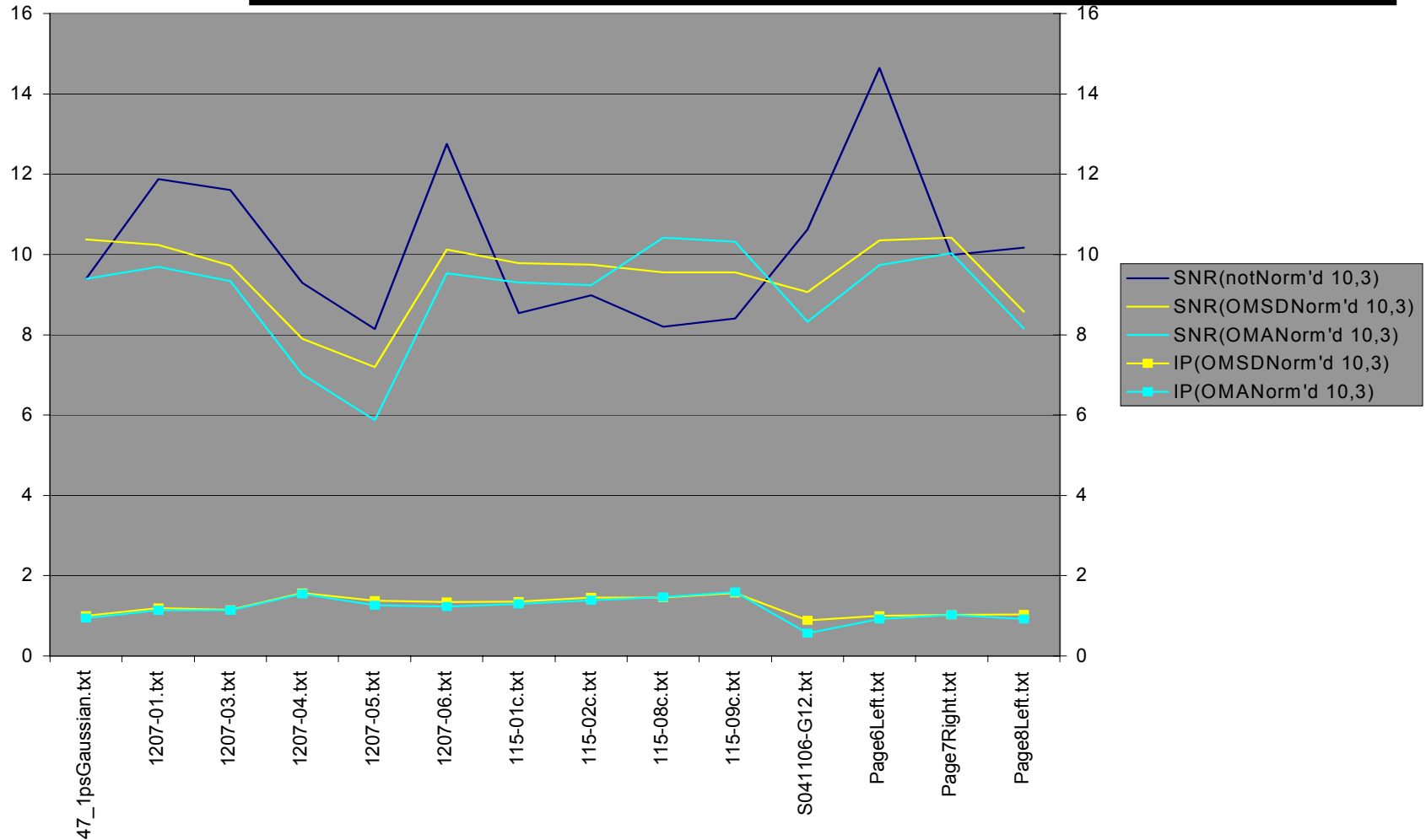
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- 3 SNR traces vs. LRM reference Rx
  - Unscaled optical power
  - Scaled to match OMSD to OMSD of ideal reference Tx
    - Waveform has same MFB SNR at TP2 as reference (14.97 dB)
  - Scaled to match OMA to OMA of ideal reference Tx
    - Waveform has same OMA at TP2 as reference (-4.5 dBm)
- Actual power has direct effect on SNR
  - Scaling hides effect of actual power
- Waveshape also has strong effect on SNR
  - Effect of IP is secondary
- Pre-emphasized waveforms show advantage when scaled via OMA
  - But, is it real? More to come...
- As expected, 14,5 EQ shows higher SNR & lower IP than 10,3

# *SNR & IP vs. waveform for pre-cursor channel; 14,5 EQ*



# *SNR & IP vs. waveform for pre-cursor channel; 10,3 EQ*

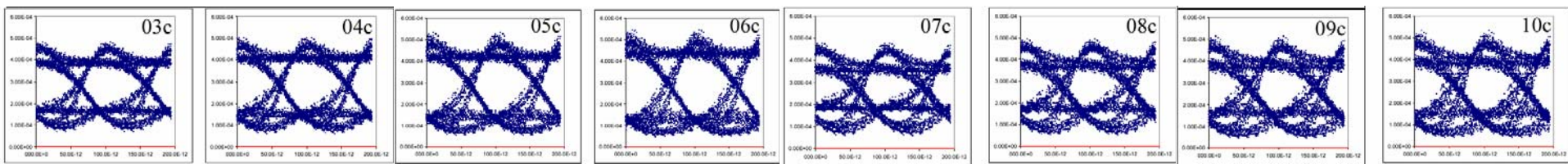
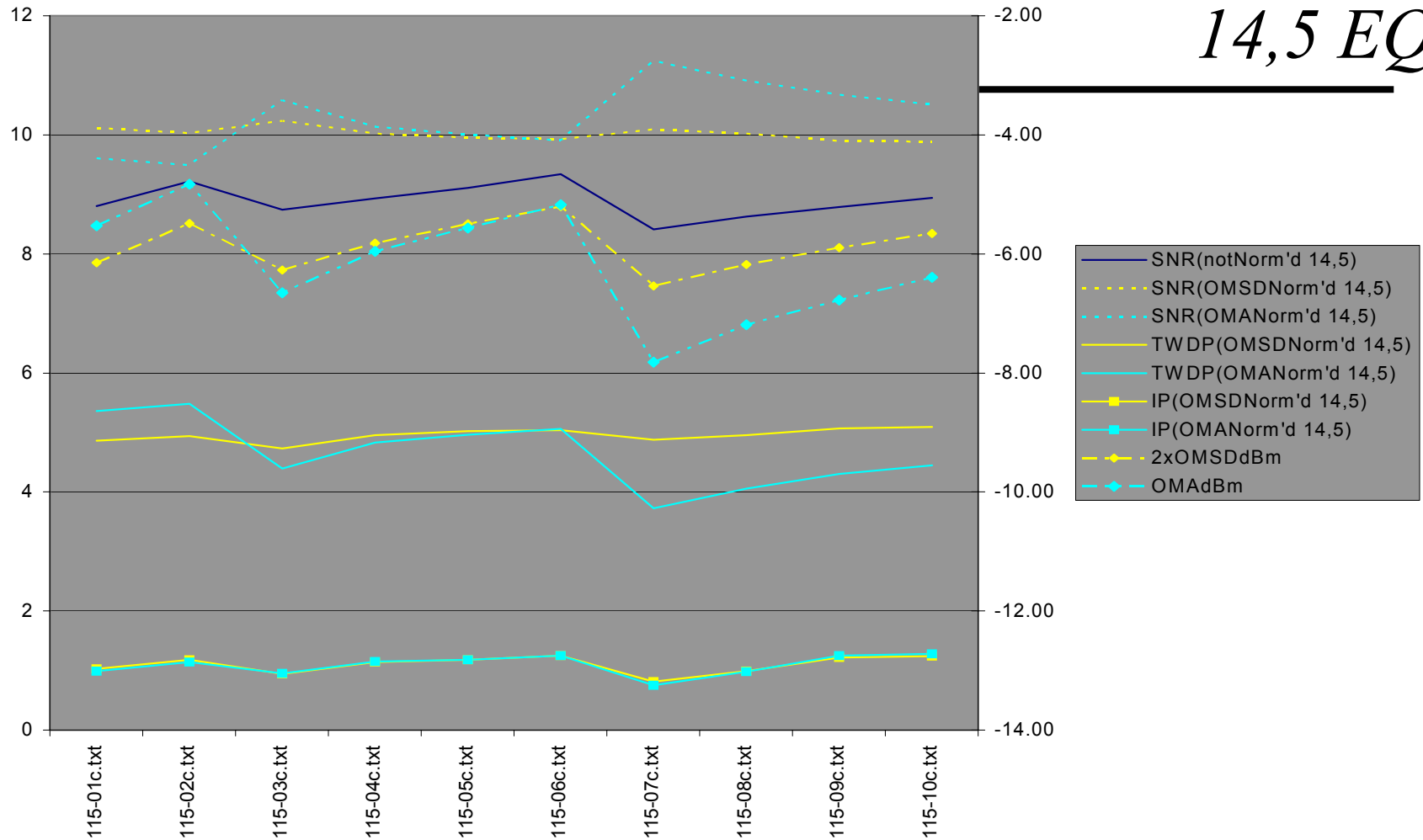
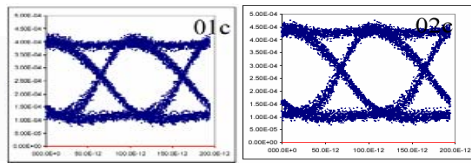


# *Is current pre-emphasis advantage real?*

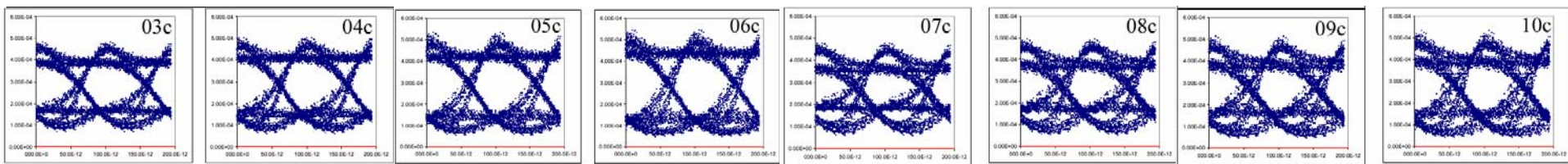
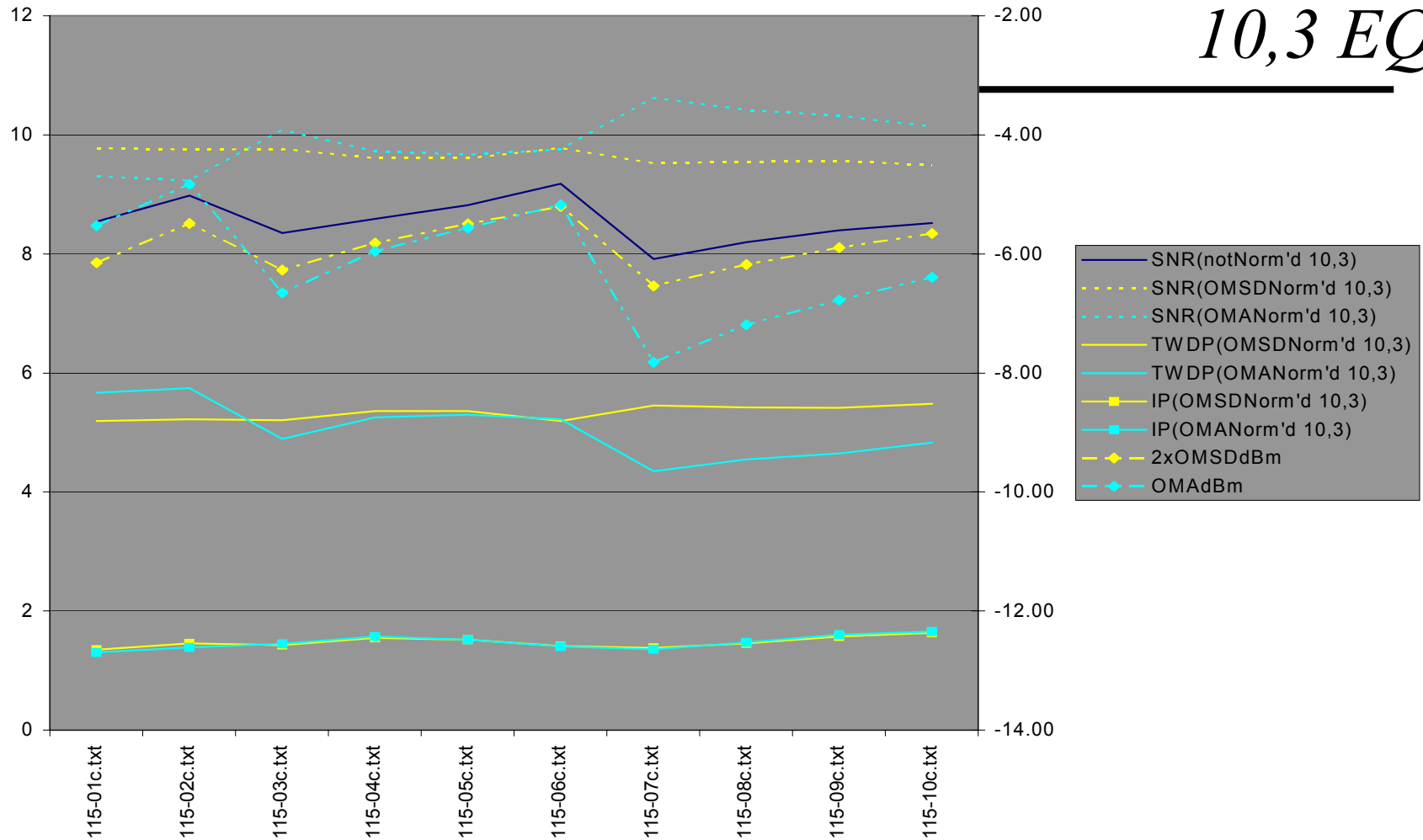
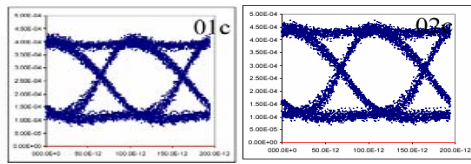
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- Unscaled SNR (blue) changes as expected per eyes
  - Eye powers are to same scale
- Slicer SNR has similar trends as input OMSD and OMA
  - Better tracking of OMSD than OMA
- With constant input power at TP2
  - Constant OMSD results in  $\sim$ constant SNR; this is not surprising as MFB SNRs at TP2 are all the same
  - Constant OMA does not result in constant SNR
  - Neither scaling method predicts actual SNR
    - Direct effect of power on SNR is removed by scaling
- With current pre-emphasis method
  - Better  $TWDP_{OMA}$  does not relate to better SNR or finite length IP
  - IP tends in same direction as  $TWDP_{OMSD}$

# *TWDP & IP vs. pre-emphasized waveforms for pre-cursor channel; 14,5 EQ*

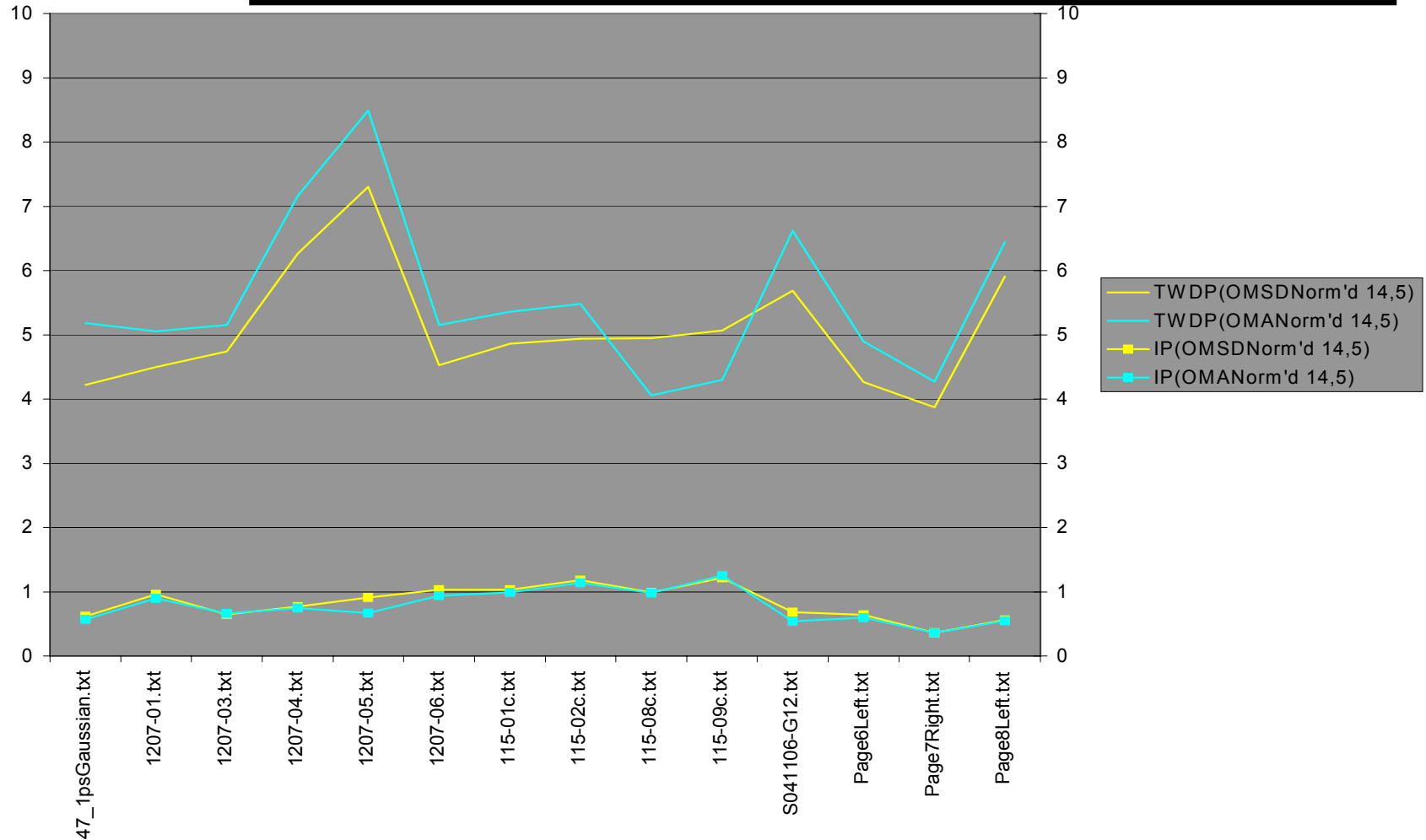


# *TWDP & IP vs. pre-emphasized waveforms for pre-cursor channel; 10,3 EQ*

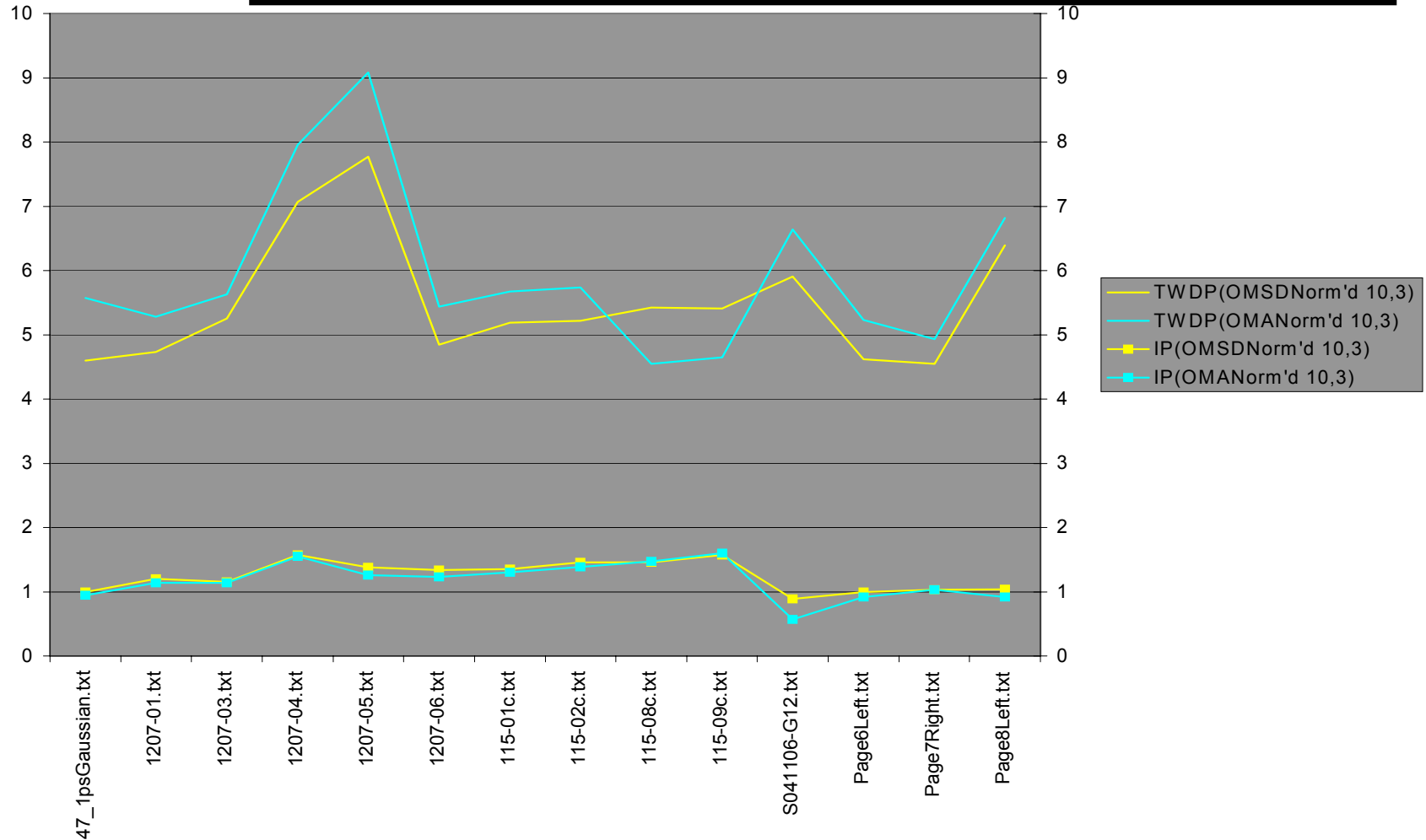


- 2 traces
  - OMSD scaling
  - OMA scaling
    - Per D2.0
- Impact to TWDP dominated by channel waveshape
  - Effect of IP is secondary
  - Scaling removes effect of actual power
- Pre-emphasized waveforms show advantage when scaled via OMA
  - But, from above, it may not be real with current method
- As expected, 14,5 EQ shows lower TWDP & IP scores than 10,3

# *TWDP & IP vs. waveform for pre-cursor channel; 14,5 EQ*



# *TWDP & IP vs. waveform for pre-cursor channel; 10,3 EQ*



# Summary

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- Pre-cursor channel most challenging for finite EQ
- Actual optical power has direct effect on slicer SNR
  - Scaling, if used, hides effect of actual power
- Waveshape has strong effect on SNR & TWDP
  - Effect of finite length IP is secondary
- Pre-emphasized waveforms show advantage when scaled via OMA
  - But, better  $TWDP_{OMA}$  does not result in better SNR or finite length IP for current method
  - Scaling with OMSD results in better tracking among SNR, TWDP, and IP
  - Current pre-emphasis not optimum for pre-cursor

# *Need other IP mechanisms to test*

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- EQ length being done
- Others readily implemented in TWDP-like code
  - Threshold
  - Timing
  - Rx bandwidth
- More?