

802.3cy Micro-Reflexions Measurement Results

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Scope

- Ragnar presented values to limit micro-reflexions in [jonsson_3cy_01_08_10_21.pdf](#) with the latest clarifications in [jonsson_3cy_01b_09_28_21.pdf](#)
- This presentation shows measurement results to verify the adopted analysis method and proposed parameters against prototype cables and link segments.

Parameter	Parameter Value	Parameter Description
Δf	2.5MHz	The sample frequency spacing for the frequency domain transfer function measurements
N	4096	Number of sampling points to use for the time domain representation of the echo impulse response
N_{seg}	4	Number of samples in each segment
$N_{discard}$	12	Number of largest segments to discard

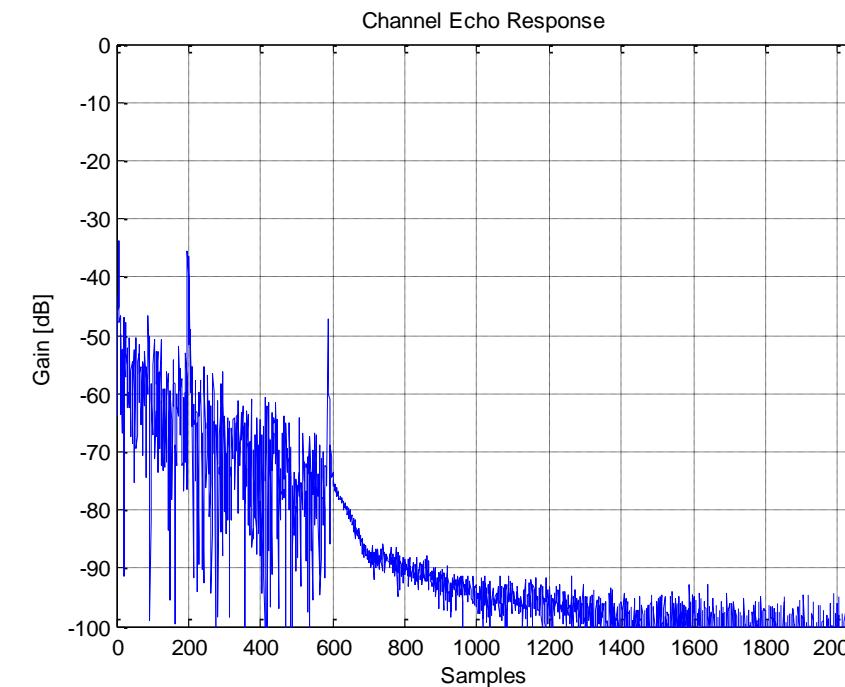
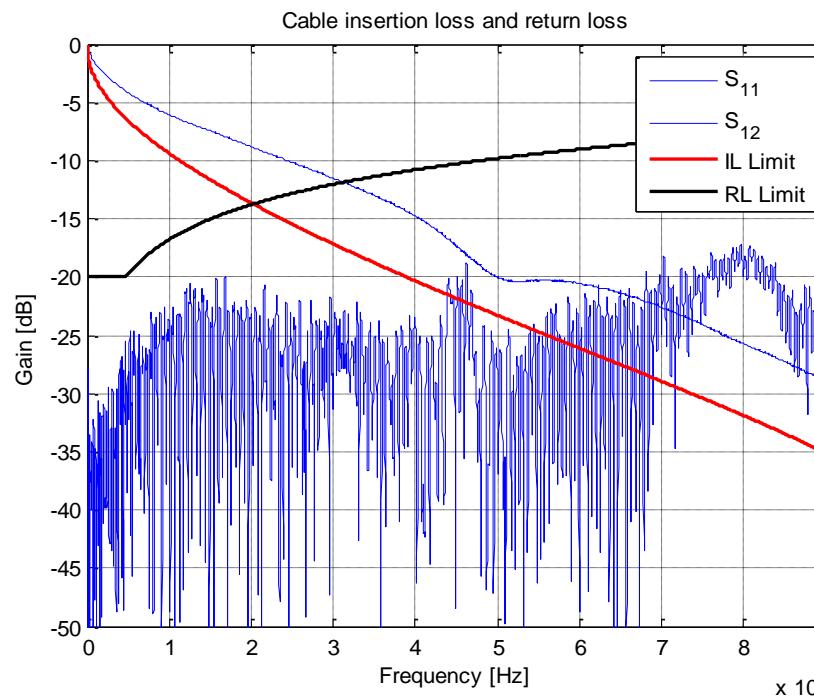
- f_c is 4GHz,
- REMmax is -30dB and
- REMoffset is 20dB

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Measurement results

- Link segment with $6\text{ m} = 2\text{ m} + 4\text{ m}$ (1 inline connection) with STP cable (9 GHz) in development status and connectors
- Return Loss and Insertion loss within the link segment requirements

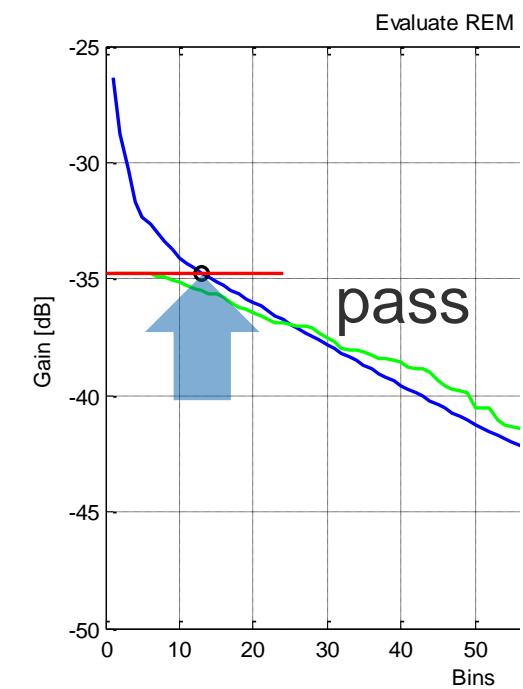
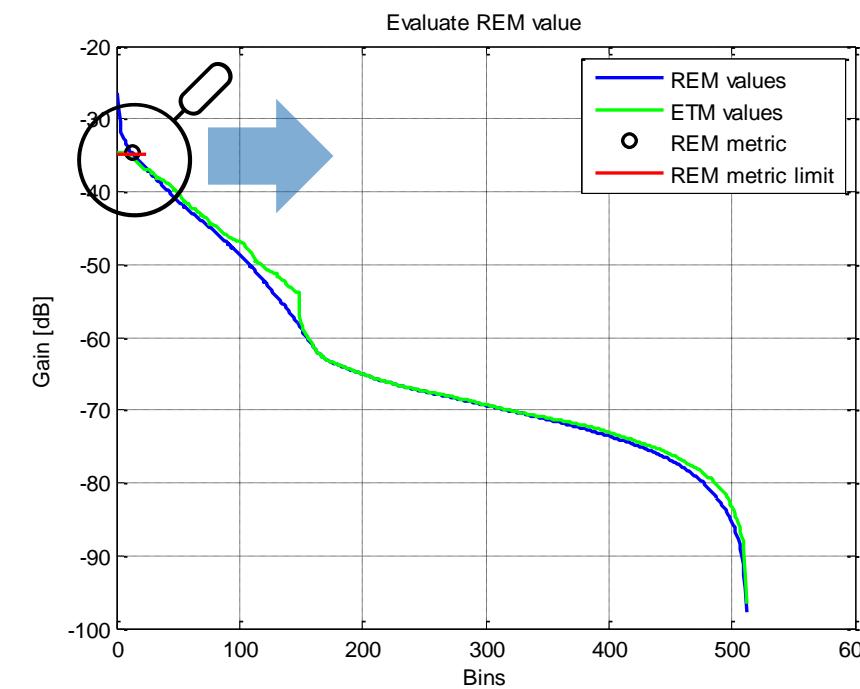
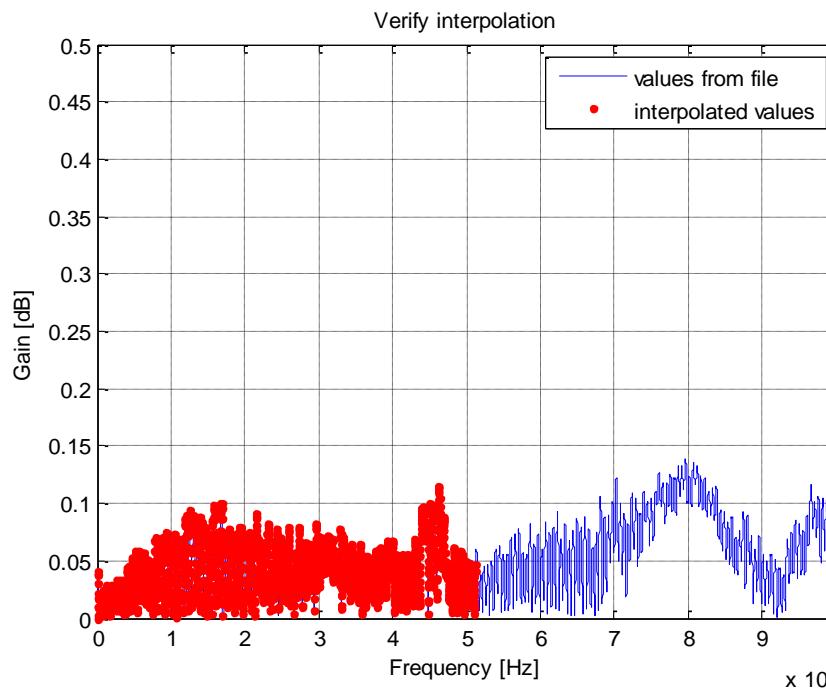


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- Link segment with $6\text{ m} = 2\text{ m} + 4\text{ m}$ (1 inline connection) with STP cable (9 GHz) in development status and connectors
- REM -35 dB equal to the requirement
- Further improvement on the cable may provide more margin in future

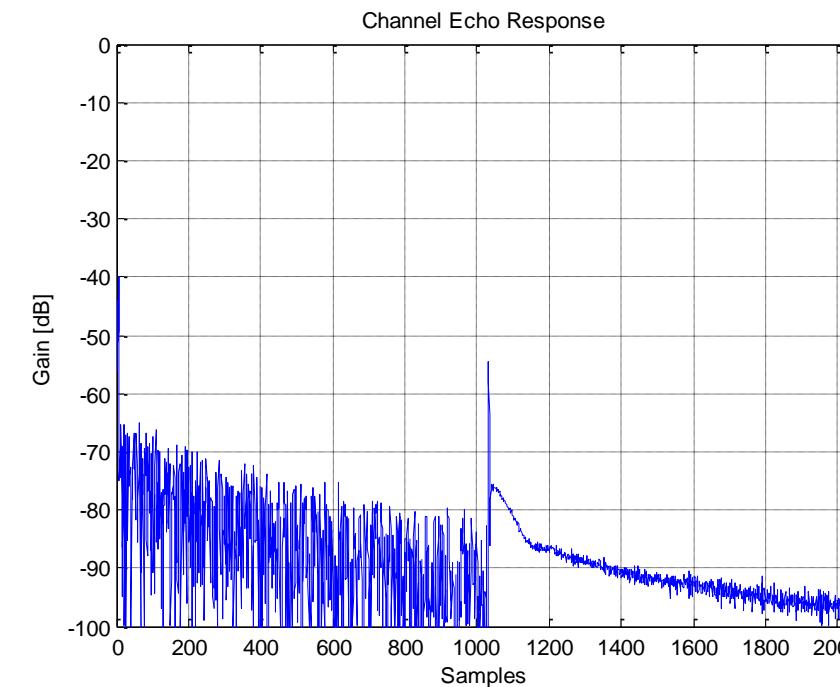
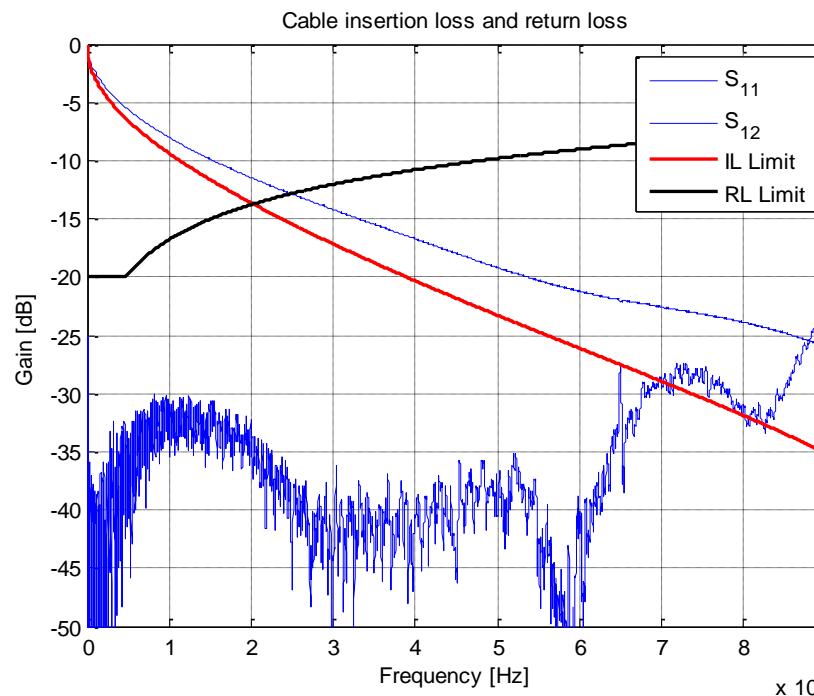


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- 10 m cable assembly with connectors and SPP cable in development status
- Return Loss and Insertion loss within the link segment requirements

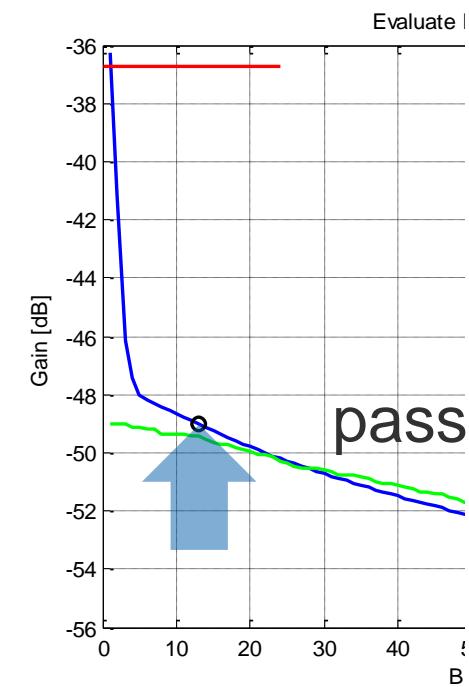
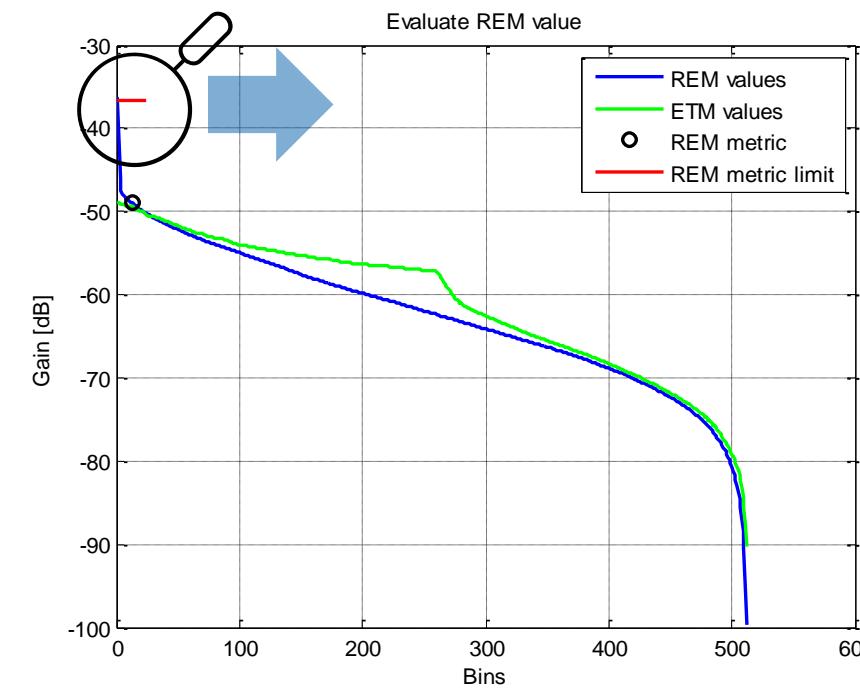
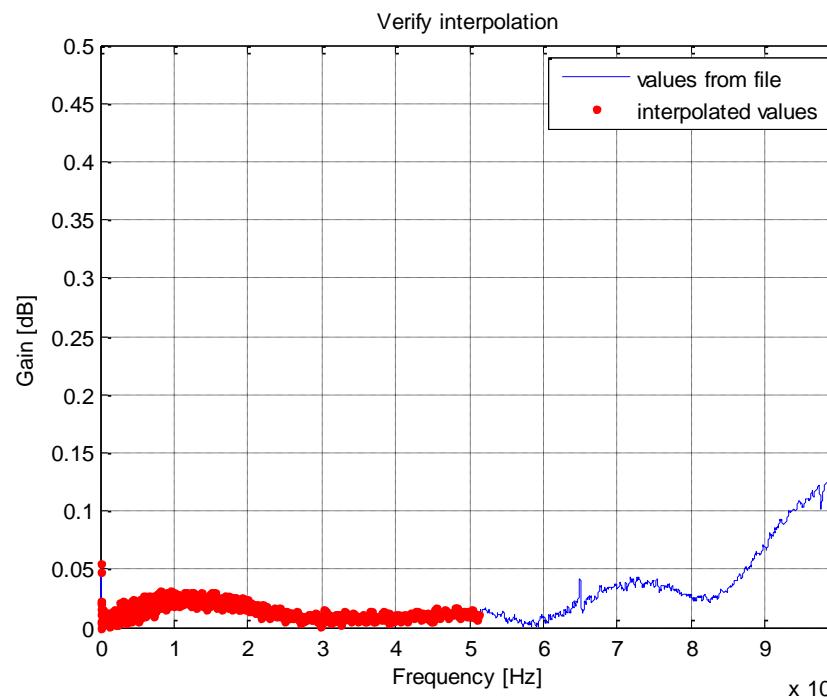


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- 10 m cable assembly with connectors and SPP cable in development status
- REM value of -49 dB shows good margin to the -36.5 dB limit for additional connectors, temperature and ageing



Summary

- The 10 m cable assembly with SPP cable in development status meets the REM requirements with the proposed parameters with some margin for inline connectors, temperature variation and ageing
- The proposal does not preclude using STP cable for shorter link segments