

Backplane COM Analysis for Reference Rx Baseline

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Summary & Recommendations

- Objective: Develop reference equalizer recommendations for KR.
- Criteria: Choose equalizer to
 - maximize the percentage of contributed channels with $\geq 3\text{dB}$ COM.
 - get all of the ‘highlighted’ (a.k.a. ‘must work’) channels to $\geq 3\text{dB}$ COM.
- Proposed reference equalizer: 
 - 80%-83% of sub-29dB channels meet 3dB COM (C_d dependent).
 - All but 3 of the ‘highlighted’ channels meet 3dB COM. None of the options analyzed achieved 3dB.
 - We also analyzed the impact of C_d , as part of the analysis to help the TF select the C_d baseline.
- To address the COM deficit for the failing channels we analyzed package trace loss & length mismatch.
 - Results were negative. They are included in backup.

Parameter	Recommendation
TxFFE $c(-3)$	[-0.06: 0.02: 0.00]
# Fixed DFE taps	16
# Floating DFE banks	2
# taps per bank	4
max bank span	40UI from cursor
$b_{max}(1)$	0.85

Channels

Channels – Full Set

#	Main File	Folder	Files	Documentation	#	Main File	Folder	Files	Documentation
1	cable_CKP_16dB.zip	Cable_BKP_16dB_Op575m.zip	Cable_BKP_16dB_Op575m_*.s4p	heck_3ck_02_0119.pdf	55	kareti_3ck_01_1118_backupplane.zip	Bch1_3p5	kareti_3ck_01a_1118.pdf	
2		Cable_BKP_16dB_Op575m_more_isi.zip	Cable_BKP_16dB_Op575m_more_isi_*.s4p		56		Bch2_7		
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8		Cable_BKP_20dB_Op995m_more_isi_updated.zip	Cable_BKP_20dB_Op995m_more_isi_updated_*.s4p	62	Bch2_a5_7				
9		Cable_BKP_24dB_Op575m.zip	Cable_BKP_24dB_Op575m_*.s4p	63	Bch2_a7p5_7				
10		Cable_BKP_24dB_Op575m_more_isi.zip	Cable_BKP_24dB_Op575m_more_isi_*.s4p	64	Bch2_b10_7				
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27		Link_6			81	CAch2_b10			
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53	CaBP_BGAVia_Opt2_28dB.zip	CaBP_BGAVia_Opt2_28dB_*.s4p		107	Och8				
54	CaBP_BGAVia_Opt2_32dB.zip	CaBP_BGAVia_Opt2_32dB_*.s4p							

107 channels pulled from the p802.3ck repository.

COM spreadsheet is included in backup slides.

P802.3ck Highlighted Channel Subset

Contribution	Channel	#	Name	IL (dB)
heck 3ck 01 1118	28dB Cabled Backplane/Cable_BKP_28dB_0p575m_more_isi	14	Heck1	28.8
	16dB Cabled Backplane/Cable_BKP_16dB_0p575m_more_isi	2	Heck2	15.2
mellitz 3ck adhoc 02 081518	24,28,30dB including BGA Via/CaBP_BGAVia_Opt2_28dB	53	Mellitz1	26.3
tracy 3ck 01 0119	Traditional Backplane Channels/Std_BP_12inch_Meg7	21	Tracy1	15.7
	Orthogonal Backplane Channels/DPO_IL_12dB	17	Tracy2	12.2
kareti 3ck 01a 1118	Measured Orthogonal Backplane Channels/OAch4	96	Kareti1	27.7
	Measured Orthogonal Backplane Channels/Och4	103	Kareti2	28.1
	Measured Cabled Backplane Channels/CAch3_b2	89	Kareti3	28.5
	Measured Traditional Backplane Channels/Bch2_a7p5_7	63	Kareti4	28.4
	Measured Traditional Backplane Channels/Bch2_b7p5_7	70	Kareti5	28.9

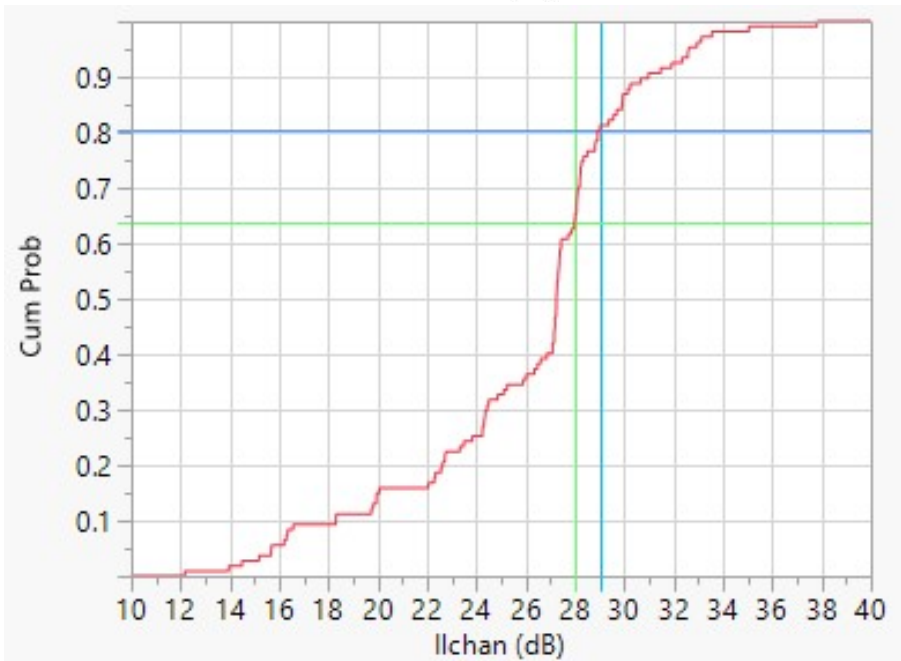
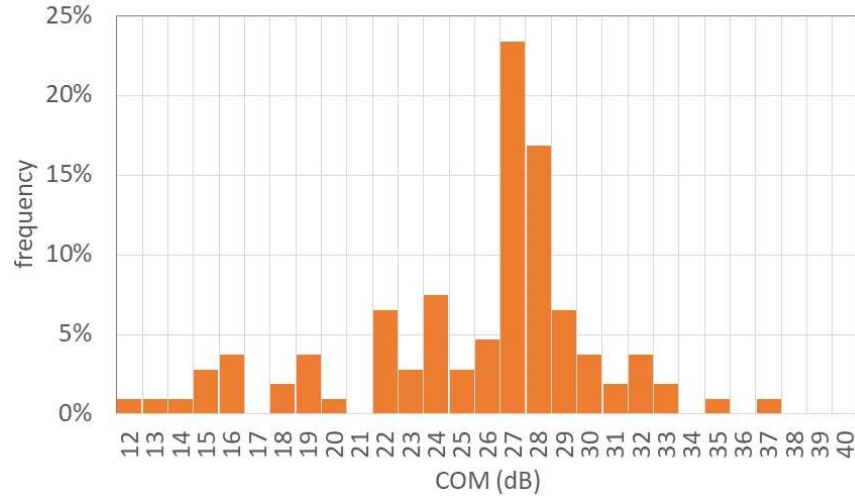
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Channel Selection

- Approach: Restrict analysis to sub-29dB channels.
- Reasoning:
 - Our 28dB objective doesn't require that all channels with 28dB insertion loss meet $COM \geq 3.0\text{dB}$.
 - Nor does it mean that some channels with more than 28dB insertion loss won't meet $COM \geq 3.0\text{dB}$.
 - All of our highlighted channels have less than 29dB insertion loss. Three of them fall between 28dB & 29dB.

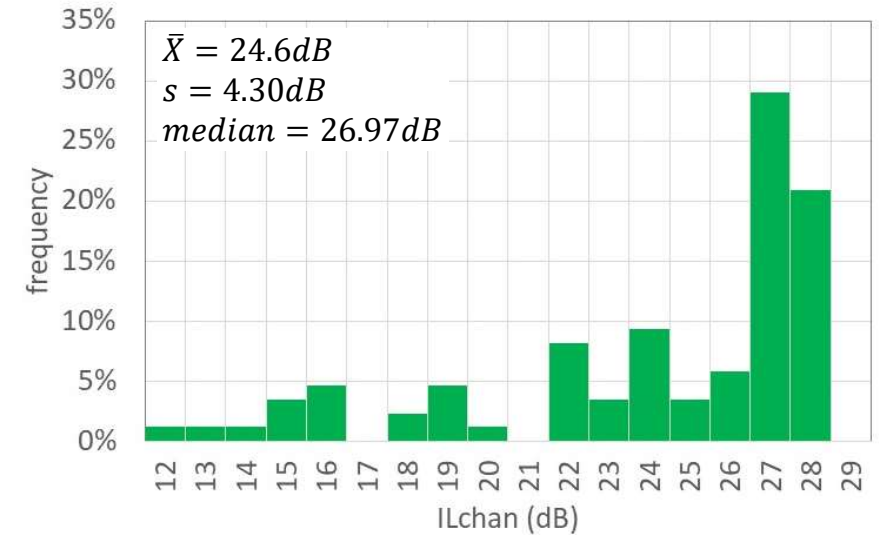
Channel Insertion Loss Statistics

Channel Insertion Loss



All 'highlighted' channels fit within 29dB.

Sub-29dB Channel Distribution



Floating Tap Algorithm

- 1) Get the ISI waveform vector, $X = [x_1 \ x_2 \ x_3 \ \dots \ x_n]$.
- 2) Compute the norm, \bar{X} , of the ISI vector.
- 3) Apply a bank (e.g. 3 taps) to each successive ISI sample set:
 $[x_1 \ x_2 \ x_3], [x_2 \ x_3 \ x_4], \dots, [x_{n-2} \ x_{n-1} \ x_n]$
- 4) Compute the norm for each location from step 3): $\bar{X}_1, \bar{X}_2, \dots, \bar{X}_{n-2}$
- 5) Select the location that gives max difference in the norm:
 $\max_i(\bar{X} - \bar{X}_i)$.
- 6) Repeat steps 1-5 for each bank.

Sub-29dB Contributed Channel Analysis

Experiment Definition

Case	b_{max}	N_{tpb}	UI_{mf}	C_d (fF)	$c(-3)$	L_{pkg} (mm)
1	0.85	3	40	110	0	12,32
2	0.85	3	80	110	0	12,32
3	0.85	3	40	110	1	12,32
4	0.85	3	80	110	1	12,32
5	0.85	3	40	120	0	12,32
6	0.85	3	80	120	0	12,32
7	0.85	3	40	120	1	12,32
8	0.85	3	80	120	1	12,32
9	0.85	3	40	130	0	12,32
10	0.85	3	80	130	0	12,32
11	0.85	3	40	130	1	12,32
12	0.85	3	80	130	1	12,32
13	0.85	4	40	110	0	12,32
14	0.85	4	80	110	0	12,32
15	0.85	4	40	110	1	12,32
16	0.85	4	80	110	1	12,32
17	0.85	4	40	120	0	12,32
18	0.85	4	80	120	0	12,32
19	0.85	4	40	120	1	12,32
20	0.85	4	80	120	1	12,32
21	0.85	4	40	130	0	12,32
22	0.85	4	80	130	0	12,32
23	0.85	4	40	130	1	12,32
24	0.85	4	80	130	1	12,32

Case	b_{max}	N_{tpb}	UI_{mf}	C_d (fF)	$c(-3)$	L_{pkg} (mm)
25	0.7	3	40	110	0	12,32
26	0.7	3	80	110	0	12,32
27	0.7	3	40	110	1	12,32
28	0.7	3	80	110	1	12,32
29	0.7	3	40	120	0	12,32
30	0.7	3	80	120	0	12,32
31	0.7	3	40	120	1	12,32
32	0.7	3	80	120	1	12,32
33	0.7	3	40	130	0	12,32
34	0.7	3	80	130	0	12,32
35	0.7	3	40	130	1	12,32
36	0.7	3	80	130	1	12,32
37	0.7	4	40	110	0	12,32
38	0.7	4	80	110	0	12,32
39	0.7	4	40	110	1	12,32
40	0.7	4	80	110	1	12,32
41	0.7	4	40	120	0	12,32
42	0.7	4	80	120	0	12,32
43	0.7	4	40	120	1	12,32
44	0.7	4	80	120	1	12,32
45	0.7	4	40	130	0	12,32
46	0.7	4	80	130	0	12,32
47	0.7	4	40	130	1	12,32
48	0.7	4	80	130	1	12,32

Symbol	Description	Min	Mid	Max
$b_{max}(1)$	Max coefficient value for DFE 1 st postcursor	0.7		0.85
N_{tpb}	# of taps per floating bank	3		4
UI_{mf}	Max distance of floating bank from cursor	40		80
C_d	Device capacitance	110 fF	120 fF	130 fF
$c(-3)$	3 rd precursor for TxFFE5	-0.06		None
L_{pkg}	Package main route length	12 mm		32 mm

All cases use 16 fixed taps and 2 banks of floating taps.

$b_{max}(n) = 0.3$ for $n > 1$.

The 3rd precursor tap range is from -0.06 to 0 w/ 0.02 step size.

of COM runs = 10,292

'Baseline' Case

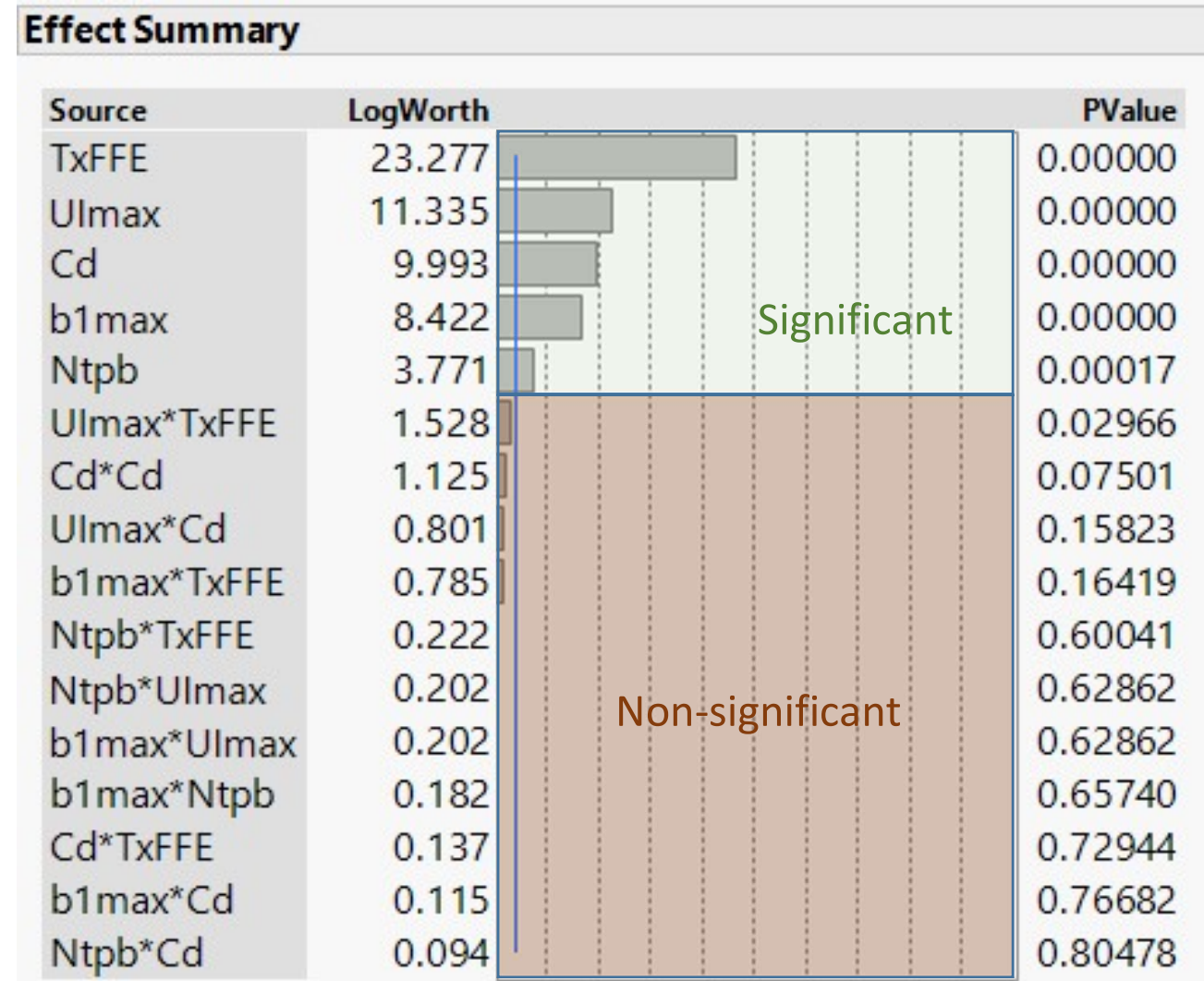
Variable	Value	Units
$b_{max}(1)$	0.85	
N_{tpb}	4	# taps
UI_{mf}	40	UI
C_d	130	fF
$TxFFE$	4	# taps

Notes: Each case is run with both package lengths and with 107 contributed backplane channels (see the "channels" worksheet).

Case 21 is treated as the baseline: $b_{max}(1)=0.85$, $N_{tpb}=4$, $UI_{mf}=40$, $C_d=130$ fF, no 3rd TxEQ precursor.

Parameter Significance

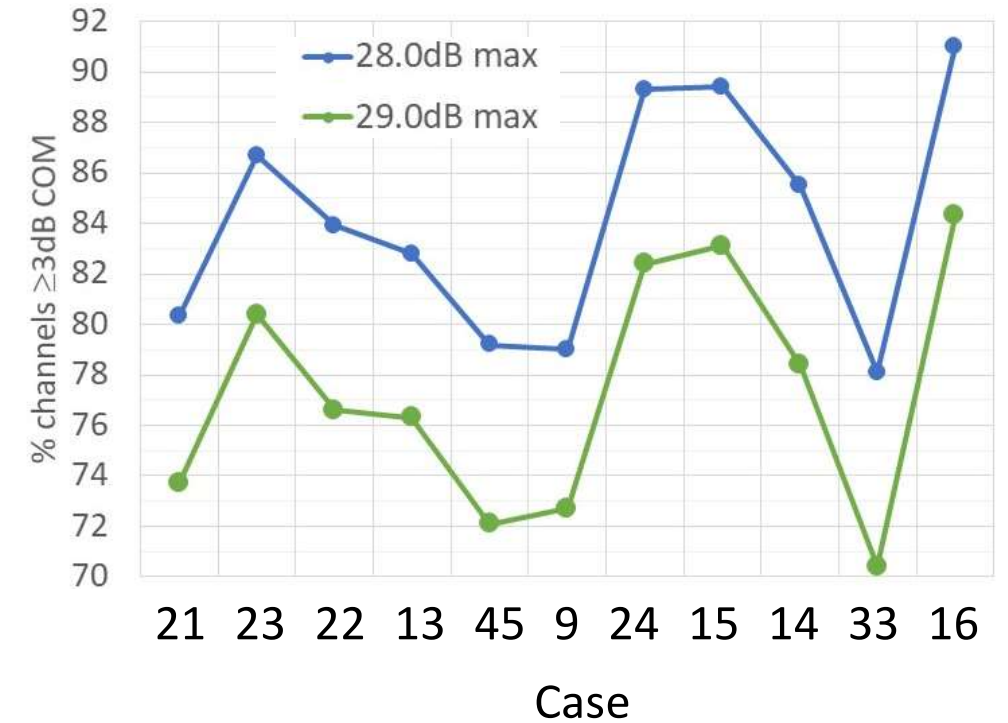
- Statistical model fitted to raw data.
 - Identify significant effects & use them to select cases of interest.
- % meeting 3dB COM primarily depends on 1st order terms:
 - TxFFE # of Tx taps
 - UImax max bank span from cursor
 - Cd device capacitance
 - b1max max coefficient, 1st Rx postcursor
 - Ntpb # of taps per bank



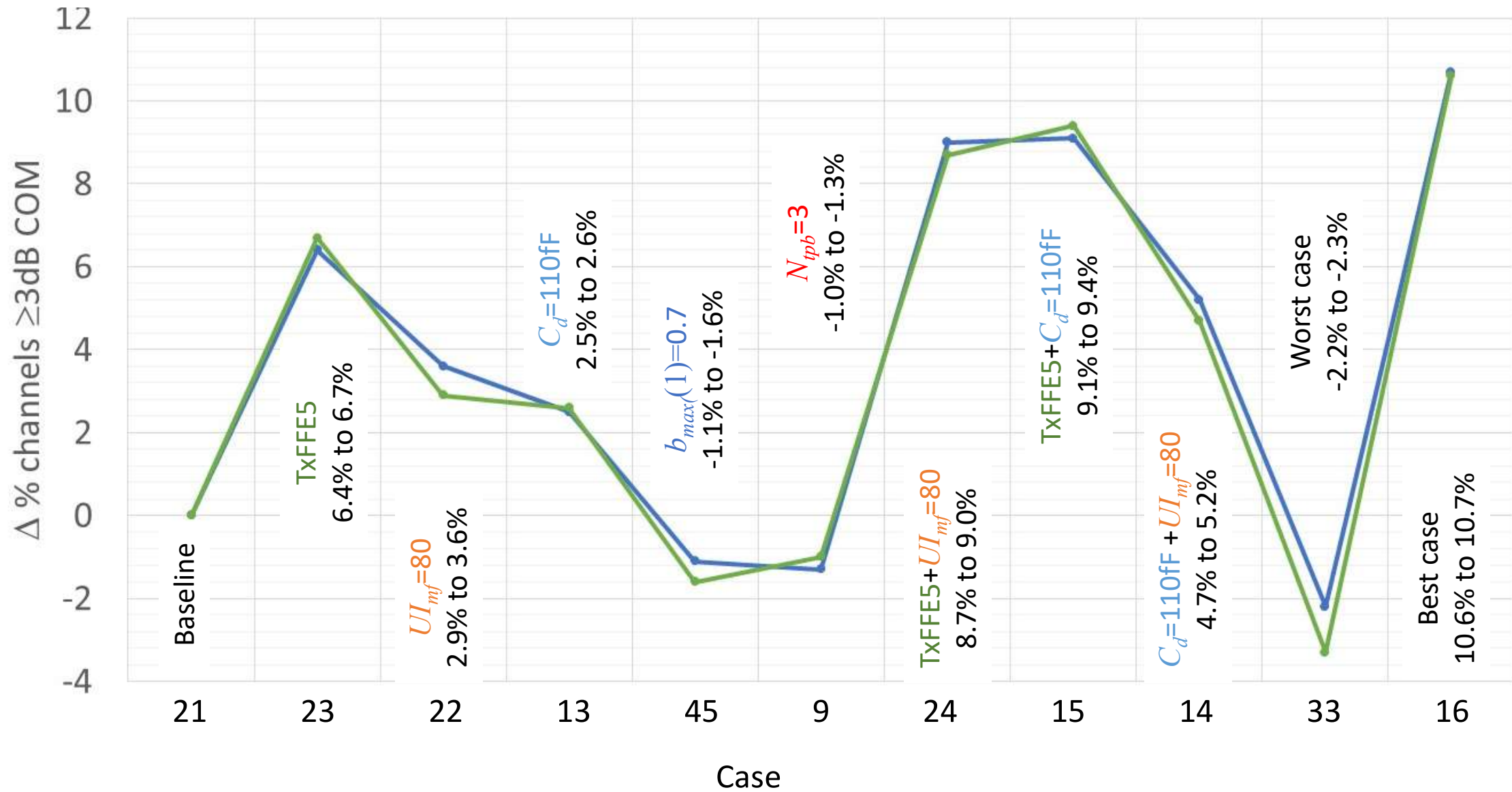
Summarized Results for Select Cases

% Channels Meeting 3.0dB Com for Selected Cases

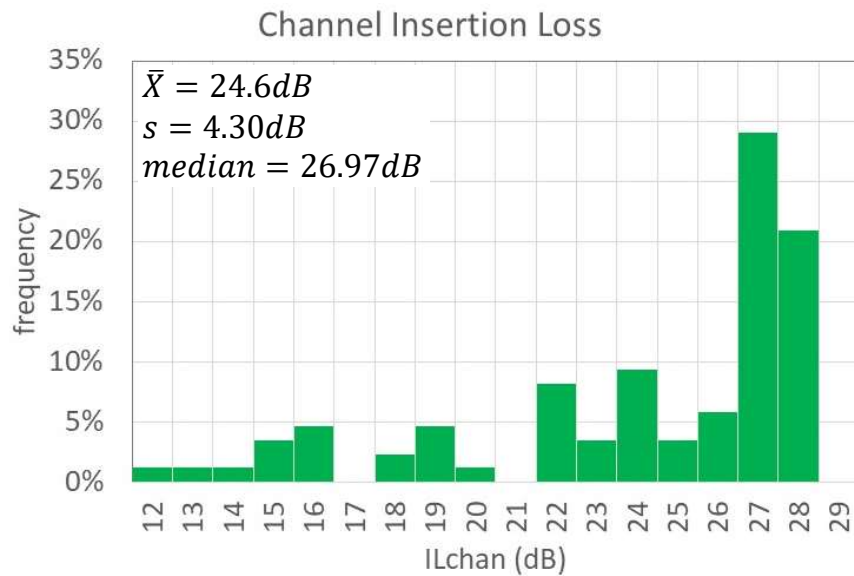
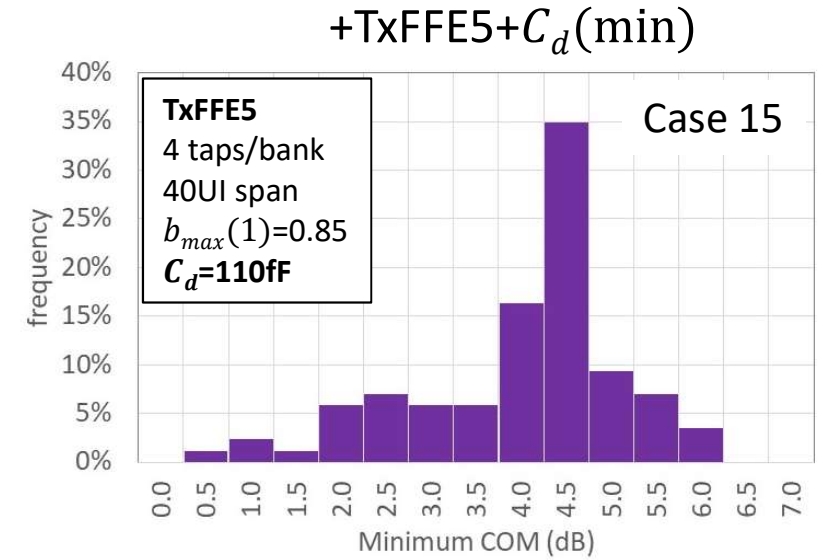
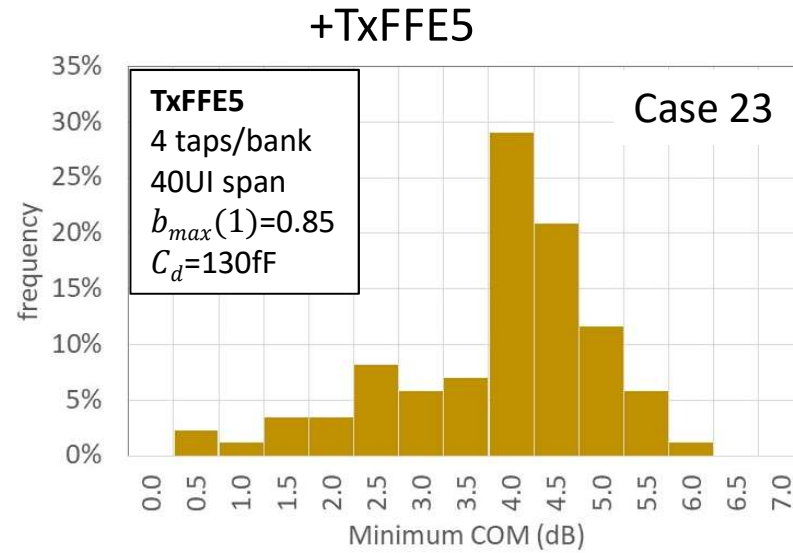
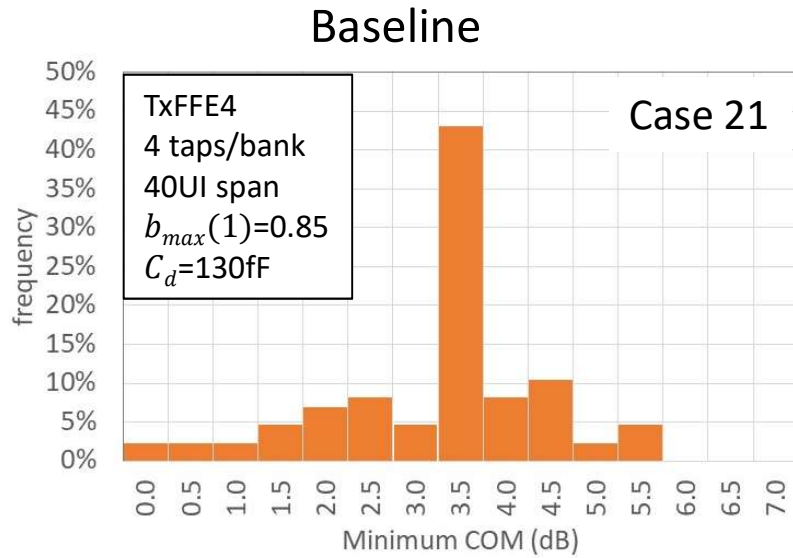
Case		Baseline	+TxFFE5	+ UI_{mf}	+ C_d	- bI_{max}	- N_{tpb}	+TxFFE5 + UI_{mf}	+TxFFE5 + C_d	+ C_d + UI_{mf}	Worst Case	Best Case	
Sim Case		21	23	22	13	45	9	24	15	14	33	16	
bI_{max}		0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.7	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.7	0.85	
N_{tpb} (# taps)		4	4	4	4	4	3	4	4	4	3	4	
UI_{mf} (#UI)		40	40	80	40	40	40	80	40	80	40	80	
C_d (fF)		130	130	130	110	130	130	130	110	110	130	110	
TxFFE (# taps)		4	5	4	4	4	4	5	5	4	4	5	
% Pass	ILchan (dB)	28.0	80.3	86.7	83.9	82.8	79.2	79.0	89.3	89.4	85.5	78.1	91.0
	29.0	73.7	80.4	76.6	76.3	72.1	72.7	82.4	83.1	78.4	70.4	84.3	
Δ	ILchan (dB)	28.0	0.0	6.4	3.6	2.5	-1.1	-1.3	9.0	9.1	5.2	-2.2	10.7
	29.0	0.0	6.7	2.9	2.6	-1.6	-1.0	8.7	9.4	4.7	-3.3	10.6	
		Baseline	TxFFE5	$UI_{mf}=80$	$C_d=110fF$	$bI_{max}=0.7$	$N_{tpb}=3$	TxFFE5+ $UI_{mf}=80$	TxFFE5+ $C_d=110fF$	$C_d=110fF$ + $UI_{mf}=80$	Worst case	Best case	



Selected Case Impact

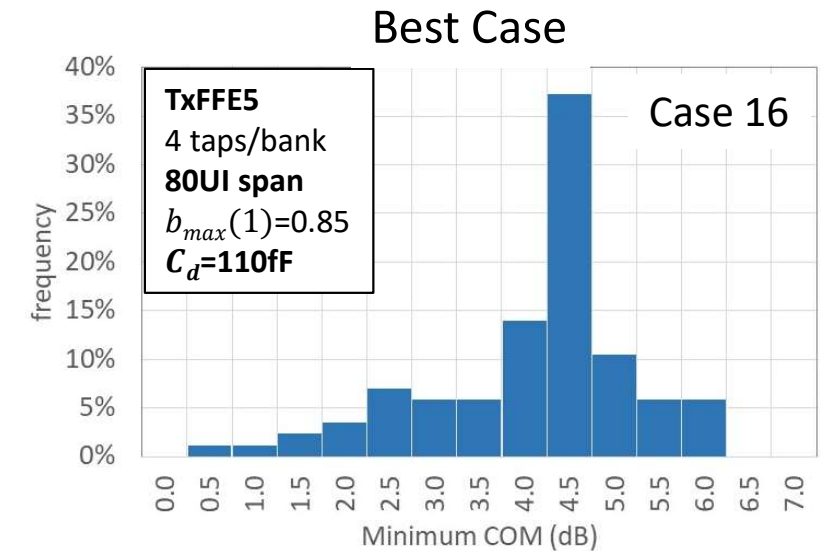


Statistics for Select Cases

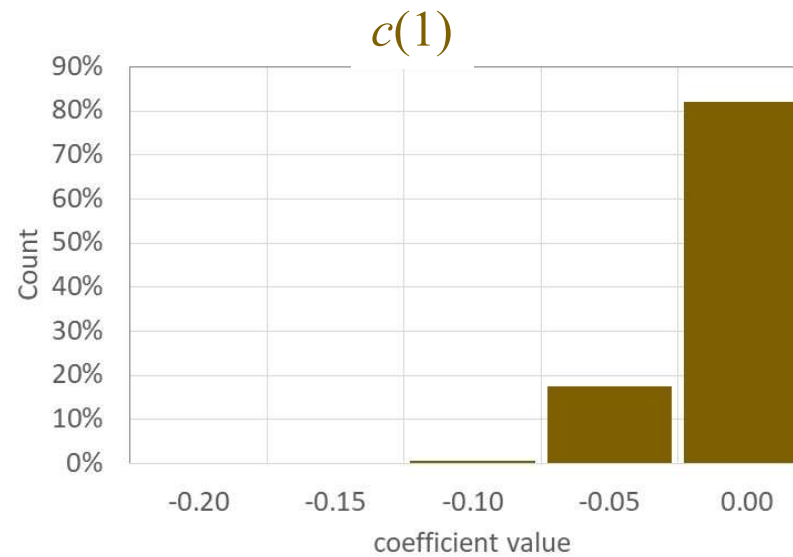
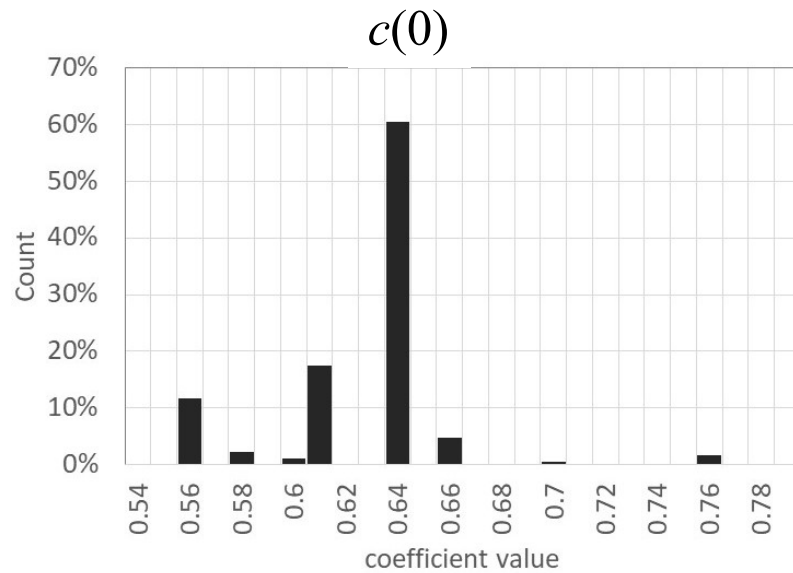
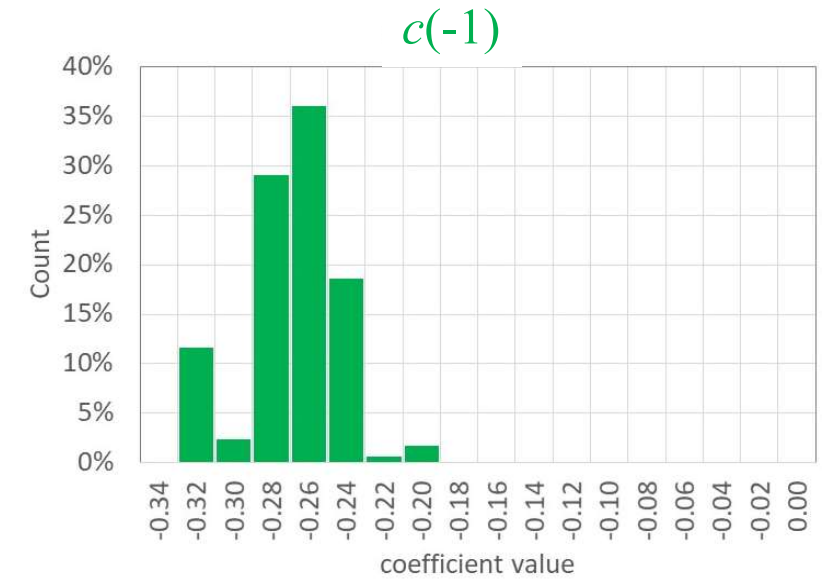
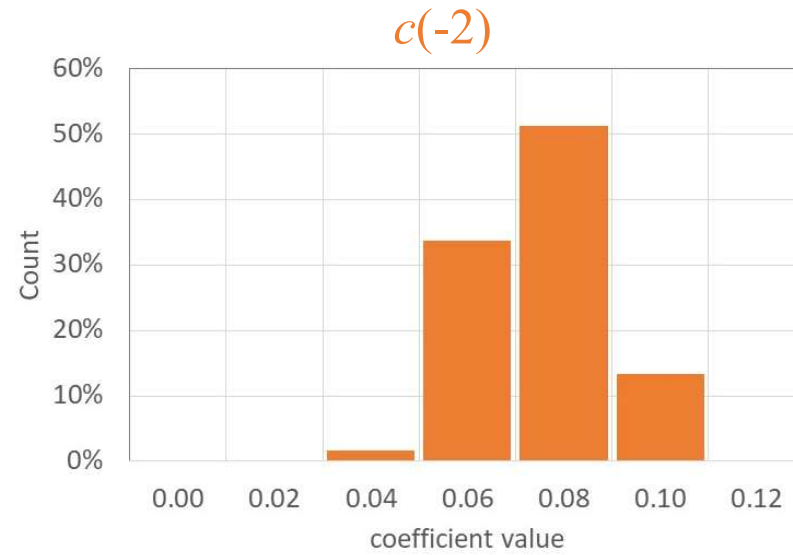
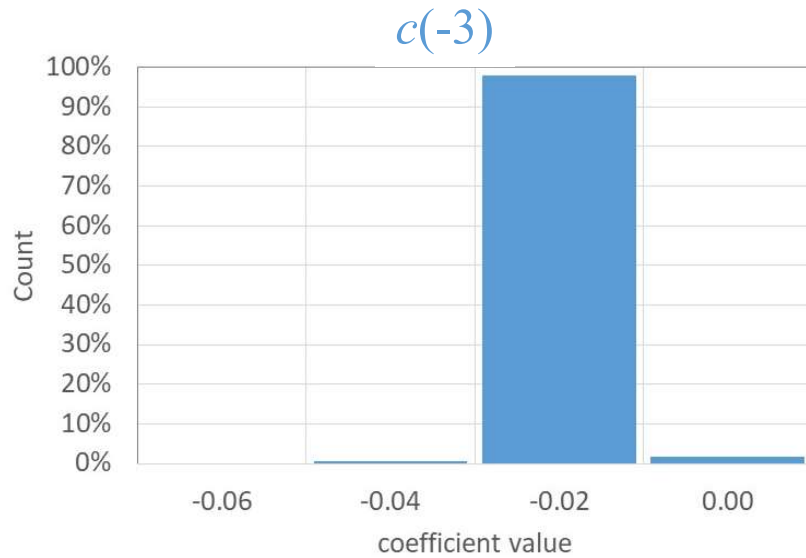


COM Summary

	<u>21</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>16</u>
\bar{X}	3.55	4.07	4.24	4.35
s	1.16	1.16	1.16	1.14
<i>mode</i>	3.70	4.31	4.54	4.54
<i>median</i>	3.75	4.35	4.54	4.62



TxFFE5 Coefficient Statistics for sub-29dB Channels



<u>Tap</u>	<u>Mode</u>	\bar{X}	<u>S</u>
$c(-3)$	-0.02	-0.02	0.003
$c(-2)$	0.08	0.08	0.014
$c(-1)$	-0.26	-0.27	0.0254
$c(0)$	0.64	0.63	0.034
$c(1)$	0.00	-0.01	0.0202

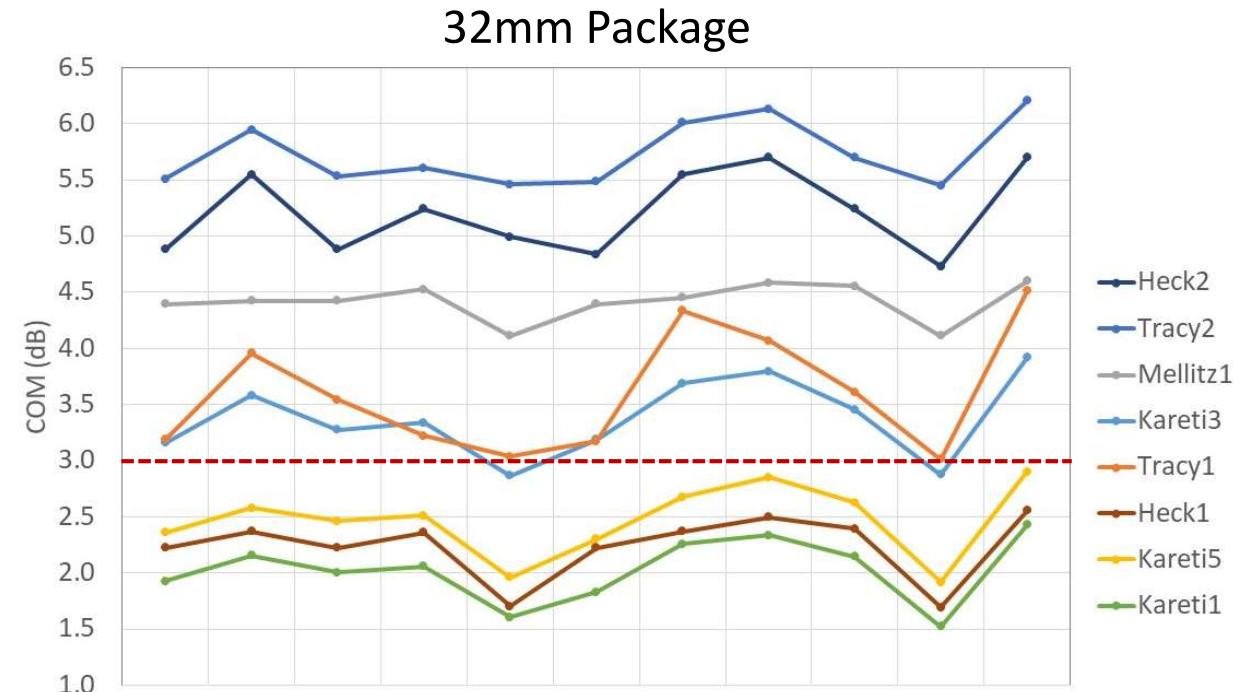
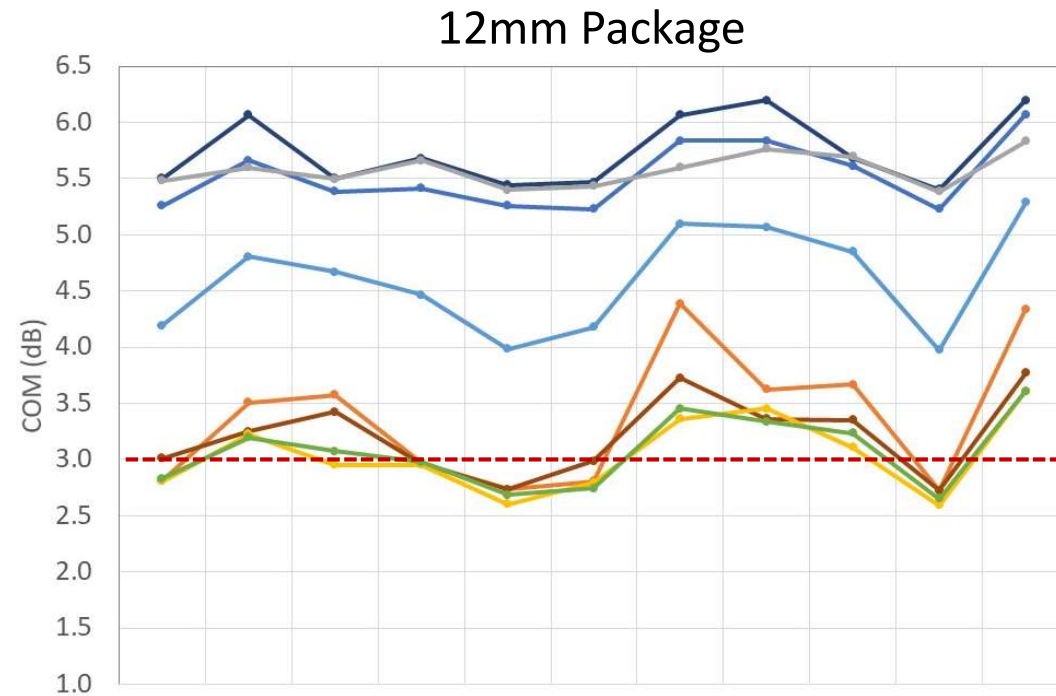
'Highlighted' Channel Analysis

P802.3ck Highlighted Channel Subset

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Highlighted Channel Experiment Results



Case	Baseline	+ T_{NFFE5}	+ U_{mf}	+ C_d	- bI_{max}	- N_{tpb}	+ T_{NFFE5} + U_{mf}	+ T_{NFFE5} + C_d	+ C_d + U_{mf}	Worst Case	Best Case
Sim Case	21	23	22	13	45	9	24	15	14	33	16
bI_{max}	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.7	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.7	0.85
N_{tpb} (# taps)	4	4	4	4	4	3	4	4	4	3	4
U_{mf} (#UI)	40	40	80	40	40	40	80	40	80	40	80
C_d (fF)	130	130	130	110	130	130	130	110	110	130	110
T_{xFFE} (# taps)	4	5	4	4	4	4	5	5	4	4	5

Case	Baseline	+ T_{NFFE5}	+ U_{mf}	+ C_d	- bI_{max}	- N_{tpb}	+ T_{NFFE5} + U_{mf}	+ T_{NFFE5} + C_d	+ C_d + U_{mf}	Worst Case	Best Case
Sim Case	21	23	22	13	45	9	24	15	14	33	16
bI_{max}	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.7	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.85	0.7	0.85
N_{tpb} (# taps)	4	4	4	4	4	3	4	4	4	3	4
U_{mf} (#UI)	40	40	80	40	40	40	80	40	80	40	80
C_d (fF)	130	130	130	110	130	130	130	110	110	130	110
T_{xFFE} (# taps)	4	5	4	4	4	4	5	5	4	4	5

Summary & Recommendations

- Objective: Develop reference equalizer recommendations for KR.
- Criteria: Choose equalizer to
 - maximize the percentage of contributed channels with ≥ 3 dB COM.
 - get all of the ‘highlighted’ (a.k.a. ‘must work’) channels to ≥ 3 dB COM.
- Proposed reference equalizer: 
 - 80%-83% of sub-29dB channels meet 3dB COM (C_d dependent).
 - All but 3 of the ‘highlighted’ channels meet 3dB COM. None of the options analyzed achieved 3dB.
 - We also analyzed the impact of C_d , as part of the analysis to help the TF select the C_d baseline.
- To address the COM deficit for the failing channels we analyzed package trace loss & length mismatch.
 - Results were negative. They are included in backup.

Parameter	Recommendation
TxFFE $c(-3)$	[-0.06: 0.02: 0.00]
# Fixed DFE taps	16
# Floating DFE banks	2
# taps per bank	4
max bank span	40UI from cursor
$b_{max}(1)$	0.85

Thank you!

Additional data

COM Template w/ 2 Floating Banks

Table 93A-1 parameters				I/O control			Table 93A-3 parameters		
Parameter	Setting	Units	Information				Parameter	Setting	Units
f_b	53.125	GBd		DIAGNOSTICS	0	logical	package_tl_gamma0_a1_a2	[0 0.0009909 0.0002772]	
f_min	0.05	GHz		DISPLAY_WINDOW	0	logical	package_tl_tau	6.141E-03	ns/mm
Delta_f	0.01	GHz		CSV_REPORT	1	logical	package_Z_c	[87.5 87.5 ; 92.5 92.5]	Ohm
C_d	[1.3e-4 1.3e-4]	nF	[TX RX]	RESULT_DIR	.\TestCaseFloatingBank\				
z_p select	[1 2]		[test cases to run]	SAVE_FIGURES	0	logical			
z_p (TX)	[12 32; 1.8 1.8]	mm	[test cases]	Port Order	[1 3 2 4]				
z_p (NEXT)	[12 32; 1.8 1.8]	mm	[test cases]	RUNTAG	testBank				
z_p (FEXT)	[12 32; 1.8 1.8]	mm	[test cases]	COM_CONTRIBUTION	0	logical			
z_p (RX)	[12 32; 1.8 1.8]	mm	[test cases]	Operational					
C_p	[0.87e-4 0.87e-4]	nF	[TX RX]	COM Pass threshold	3	dB			
R_0	50	Ohm		ERL Pass threshold	10.5	dB			
R_d	[50 50]	Ohm	[TX RX]	DER_0	1.00E-04				
A_v	0.413	V	vp/vf=.694	T_r	6.16E-03	ns			
A_fe	0.413	V	vp/vf=.694	FORCE_TR	1	logical			
A_ne	0.608	V		Include PCB	0	logical			
L	4			TDR and ERL options					
M	32			TDR	1	logical			
filter and Eq				ERL	0	logical			
f_r	0.75	*fb		ERL_ONLY	0	logical			
c(0)	0.54		min	TR_TDR	0.01	ns			
c(-1)	[-0.34:0.02:0]		[min:step:max]	N	1000				
c(-2)	[0:0.02:0.12]		[min:step:max]	TDR_Butterworth	1	logical			
c(-3)	[-0.06:0.02:0]		[min:step:max]	beta_x	1.70E+09				
c(1)	[-0.1:0.05:0]		[min:step:max]	rho_x	0.18				
N_b	20	UI		fixture delay time	0	enter sec			
b_max(1)	0.85			Receiver testing					
b_max(2..N_b)	0.3			RX_CALIBRATION	0	logical			
g_DC	[-20:1:0]	dB	[min:step:max]	Sigma BBN step	5.00E-03	V			
f_z	21.25	GHz		Noise, jitter					
f_p1	21.25	GHz		sigma_RJ	0.01	UI			
f_p2	53.125	GHz		A_DD	0.02	UI			
g_DC_HP	[-6:1:0]		[min:step:max]	eta_0	8.20E-09	V^2/GHz			
f_HP_PZ	0.6640625	GHz		SNR_TX	33	dB			
ffe_pre_tap_len	0	UI		R_LM	0.95				
ffe_post_tap_len	0	UI							
ffe_tap_step_size	0.02								
ffe_main_cursor_min	0.7								
ffe_pre_tap1_max	0.3								
ffe_post_tap1_max	0.3								
ffe_tapn_max	0.125								
ffe_backoff	0								
Nb_floatingbank	2								
Nb_tapperbank	3								
Floating_maxUI	100	UI	>N_b+Nb_floating						
Floating_maxBound	0.3								

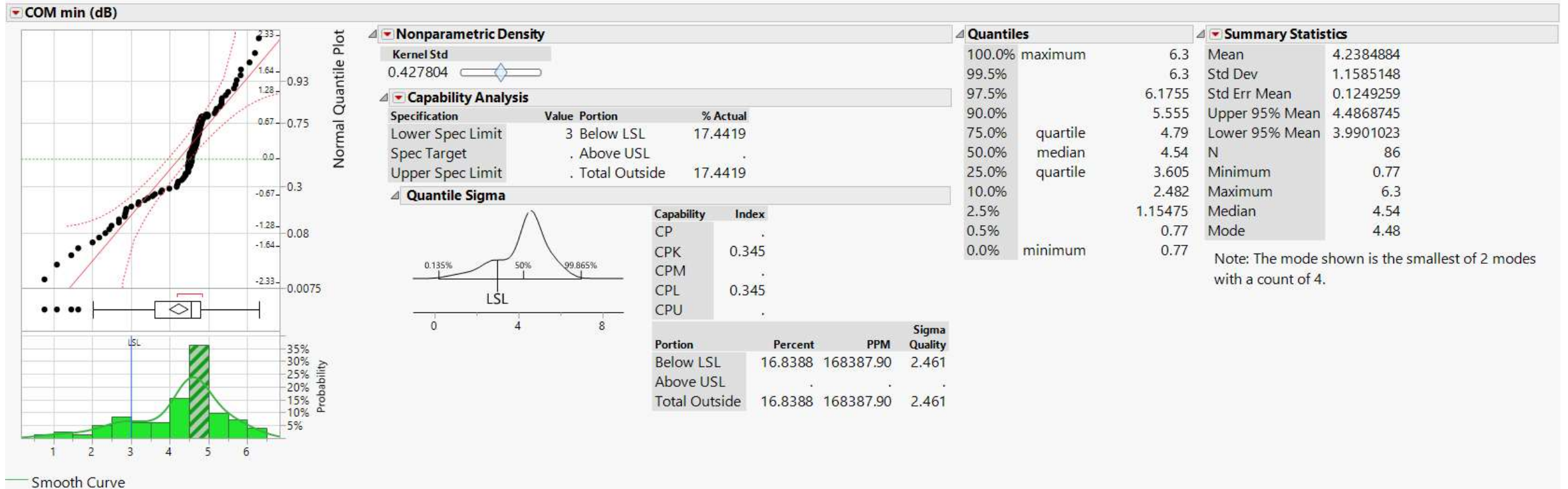
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COM Template – 24 Fixed Taps

Table 93A-1 parameters				I/O control			Table 93A-3 parameters		
Parameter	Setting	Units	Information				Parameter	Setting	Units
f_b	53.125	GBd		DIAGNOSTICS	0	logical	package_tl_gamma0_a1_a2	[0 0.0009909 0.0002772]	
f_min	0.05	GHz		DISPLAY_WINDOW	0	logical	package_tl_tau	6.141E-03	ns/mm
Delta_f	0.01	GHz		CSV_REPORT	1	logical	package_Z_c	[87.5 87.5 ; 92.5 92.5]	Ohm
C_d	[1.3e-4 1.3e-4]	nF	[TX RX]	RESULT_DIR	.\TestCaseFloatingBank\				
z_p select	[1 2]		[test cases to run]	SAVE_FIGURES	0	logical			
z_p (TX)	[12 32; 1.8 1.8]	mm	[test cases]	Port Order	[1 3 2 4]				
z_p (NEXT)	[12 32; 1.8 1.8]	mm	[test cases]	RUNTAG	testBank				
z_p (FEXT)	[12 32; 1.8 1.8]	mm	[test cases]	COM_CONTRIBUTION	0	logical			
z_p (RX)	[12 32; 1.8 1.8]	mm	[test cases]	Operational					
C_p	[0.87e-4 0.87e-4]	nF	[TX RX]	COM Pass threshold	3	dB			
R_0	50	Ohm		ERL Pass threshold	10.5	dB			
R_d	[50 50]	Ohm	[TX RX]	DER_0	1.00E-04				
A_v	0.413	V	vp/vf=.694	T_r	6.16E-03	ns			
A_fe	0.413	V	vp/vf=.694	FORCE_TR	1	logical			
A_ne	0.608	V		Include PCB	0	logical			
L	4			TDR and ERL options					
M	32			TDR	1	logical			
filter and Eq				ERL	0	logical			
f_r	0.75	*fb		ERL_ONLY	0	logical			
c(0)	0.54		min	TR_TDR	0.01	ns			
c(-1)	[-0.34:0.02:0]		[min:step:max]	N	1000				
c(-2)	[0:0.02:0.12]		[min:step:max]	TDR_Butterworth	1	logical			
c(-3)	[-0.06:0.02:0]		[min:step:max]	beta_x	1.70E+09				
c(1)	[-0.1:0.05:0]		[min:step:max]	rho_x	0.18				
N_b	20	UI		fixture delay time	0	enter sec			
b_max(1)	0.85			Receiver testing					
b_max(2..N_b)	0.3			RX_CALIBRATION	0	logical			
g_DC	[-20:1:0]	dB	[min:step:max]	Sigma BBN step	5.00E-03	V			
f_z	21.25	GHz		Noise, jitter					
f_p1	21.25	GHz		sigma_RJ	0.01	UI			
f_p2	53.125	GHz		A_DD	0.02	UI			
g_DC_HP	[-6:1:0]		[min:step:max]	eta_0	8.20E-09	V^2/GHz			
f_HP_PZ	0.6640625	GHz		SNR_TX	33	dB			
ffe_pre_tap_len	0	UI		R_LM	0.95				
ffe_post_tap_len	0	UI							

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Distribution for Case 15 w/ Sub-29dB Channels

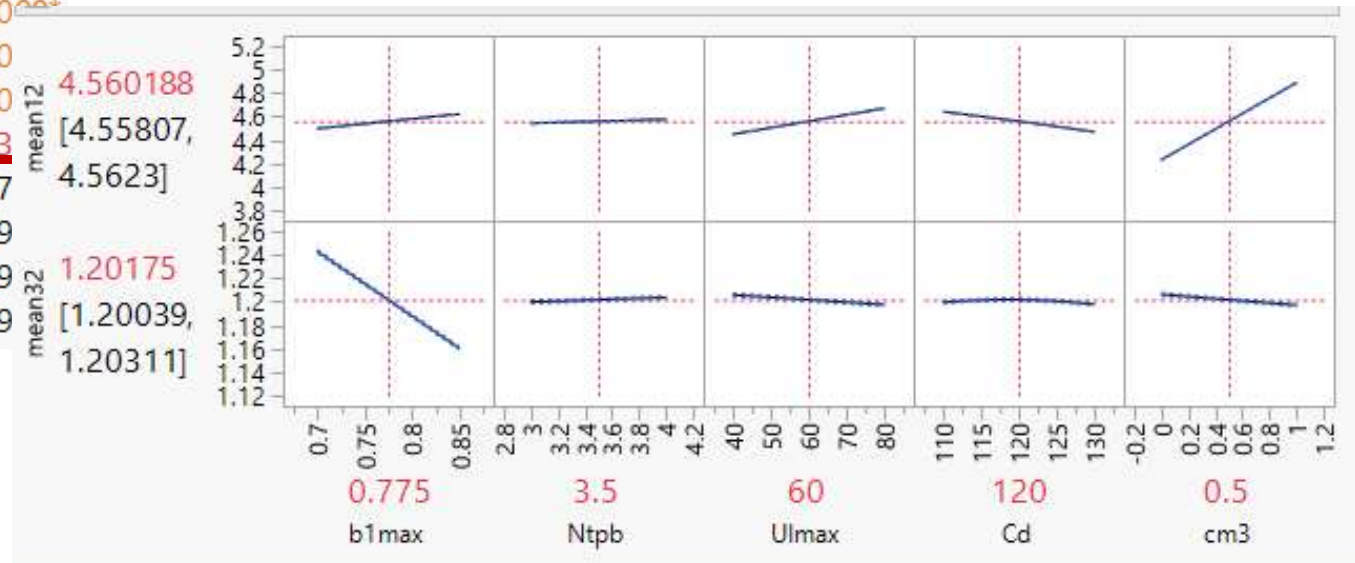


Parameter Significance 2

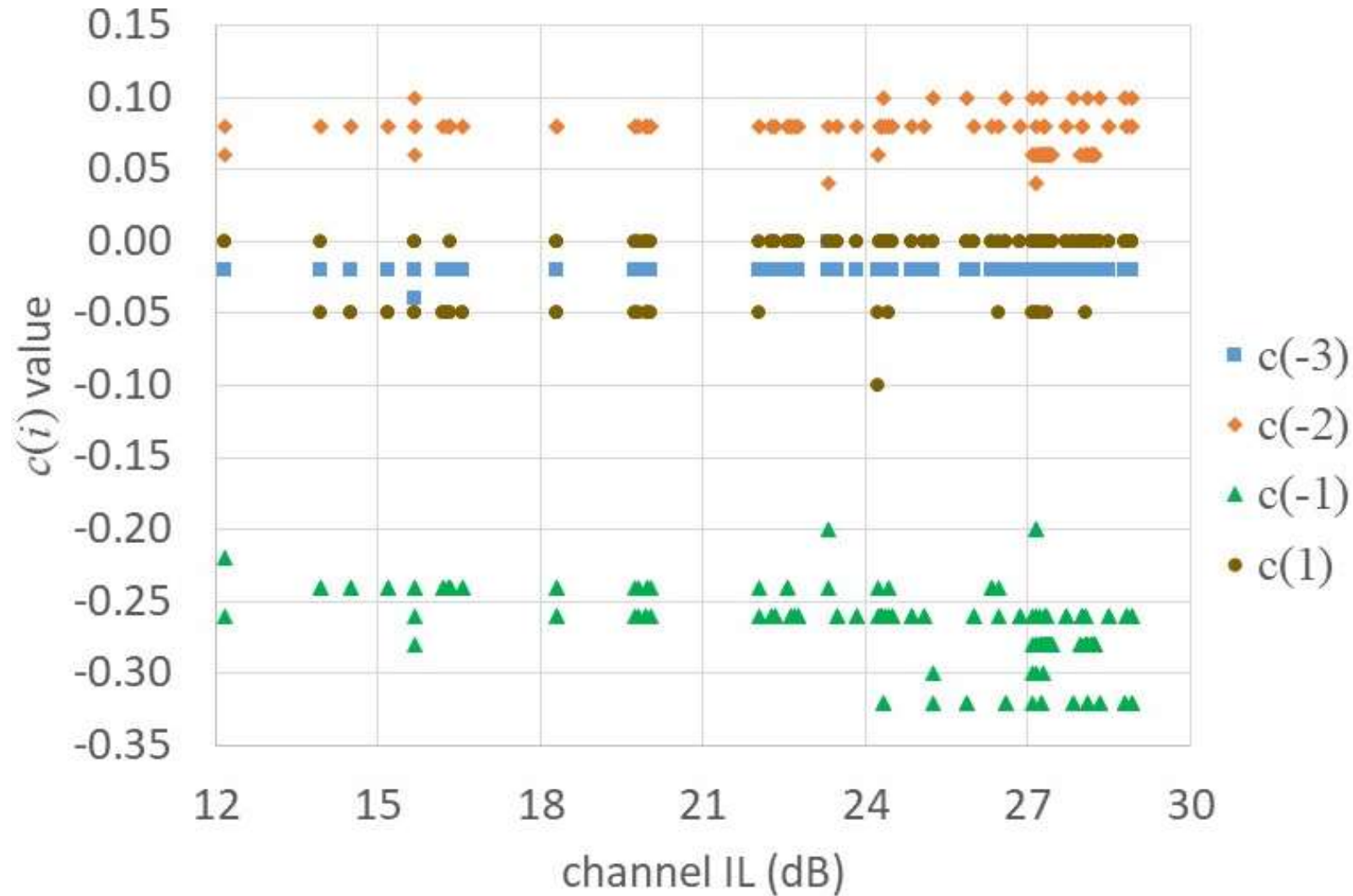
From fit of mean COM to the 5 variables

Term	Estimate	Std Error	t Ratio	Prob> t
b1max	-0.55	0.005148	-106.8	<.0001*
(Ulmax-60)*(cm3-0.5)	-0.000504	3.861e-5	-13.06	<.0001*
cm3	-0.009083	0.000772	-11.76	<.0001*
Ulmax	-0.00021	1.931e-5	-10.90	<.0001*
(Ntpb-3.5)*(Ulmax-60)	0.00035	3.861e-5	9.06	<.0001*
(Cd-120)*(cm3-0.5)	0.0005125	9.458e-5	5.42	<.0001*
(b1max-0.775)*(cm3-0.5)	-0.048889	0.010296	-4.75	<.0001*
Ntpb	0.0036667	0.000772	4.75	<.0001*
(Cd-120)*(Cd-120)	-3.063e-5	8.191e-6	-3.74	0.0002*
(b1max-0.775)*(Ntpb-3.5)	-0.032222	0.010296	-3.13	0.00
(Ntpb-3.5)*(cm3-0.5)	0.0046667	0.001544	3.02	0.00
(Ntpb-3.5)*(Cd-120)	-0.000212	9.458e-5	-2.25	0.03
Cd	-8.75e-5	4.729e-5	-1.85	0.07
(Ulmax-60)*(Cd-120)	-3.125e-6	2.364e-6	-1.32	0.19
(b1max-0.775)*(Ulmax-60)	0.0002222	0.000257	0.86	0.39
(b1max-0.775)*(Cd-120)	8.3333e-5	0.000631	0.13	0.89

b1max is main effect with 32mm pkg
c(-3) is main effect with 12mm pkg



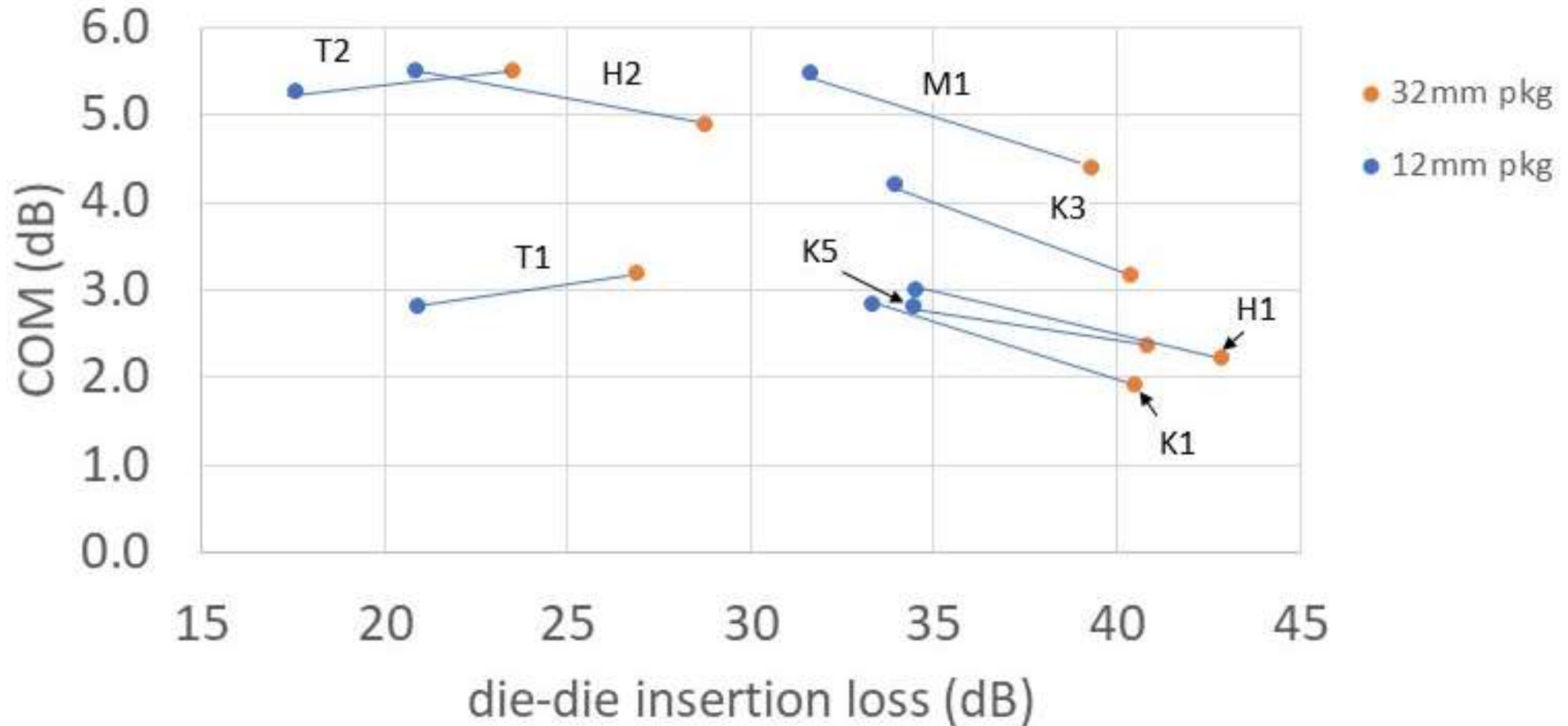
TxFEE5 Coefficients for sub-29dB Channels



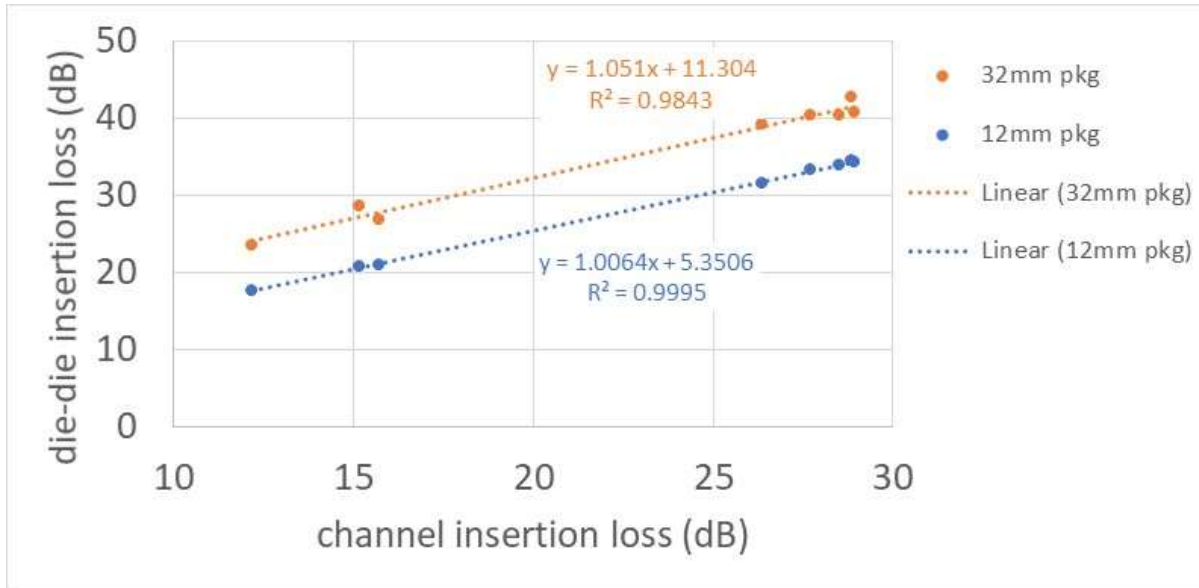
Includes coefficients obtained with 12 mm & 32 mm package routes.

Package 'Improvement' Analysis

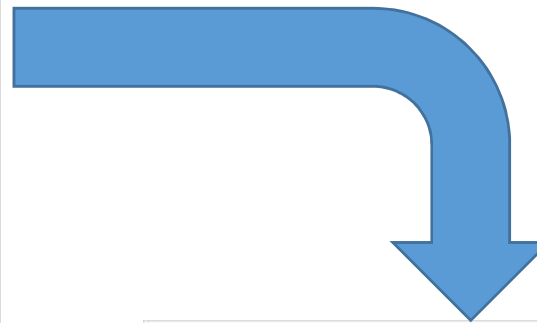
Highlighted Channel COM vs. Die-Die IL



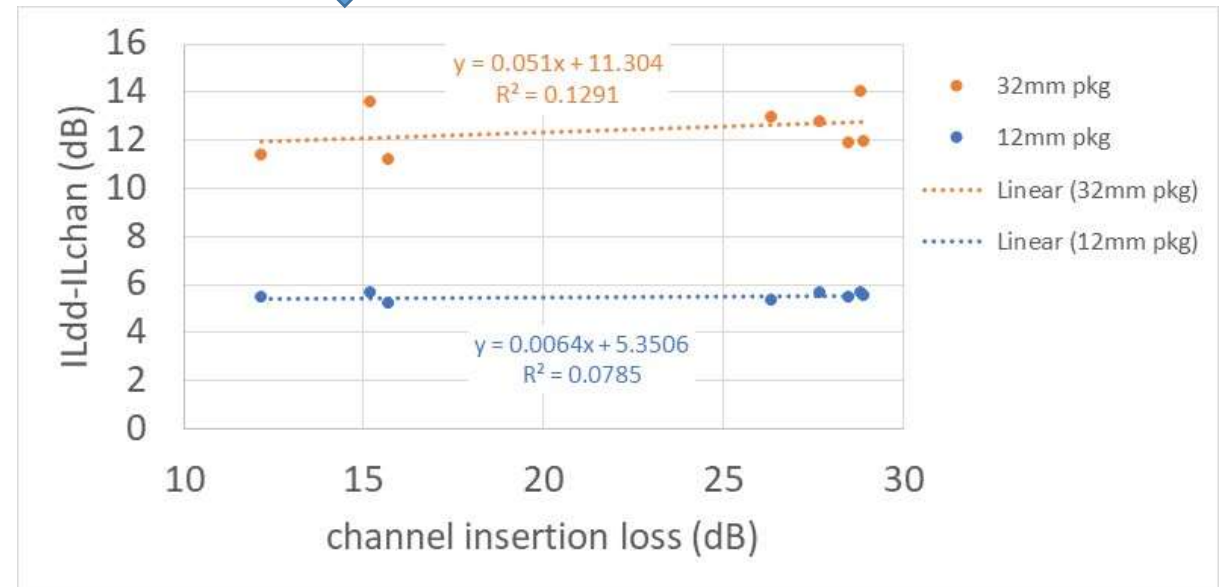
Highlighted Channel Die-Die Insertion Loss



Two 32mm packages contribute ~11.3dB.



$IL(\text{chan}) - IL(\text{die-die})$



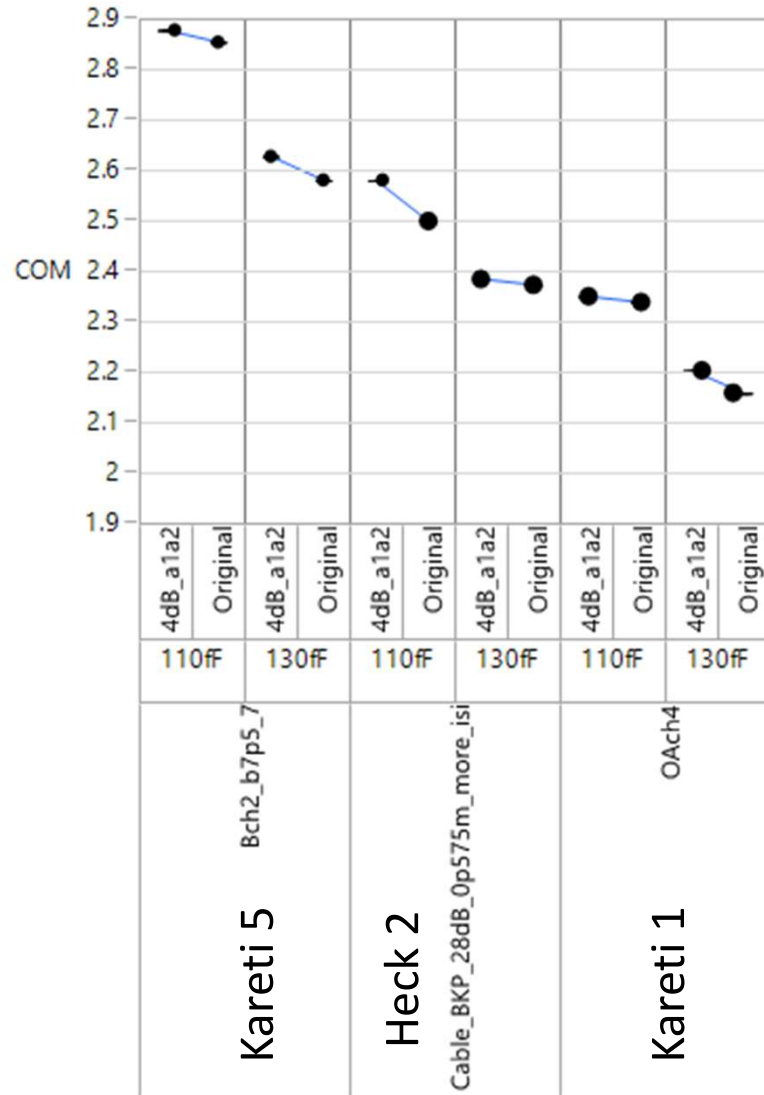
Estimated package contribution to insertion loss:

- 12mm pkg: $5.35\text{dB}/2 = 2.68\text{dB}$
- 32mm pkg: $11.30\text{dB}/2 = 5.65\text{dB}$

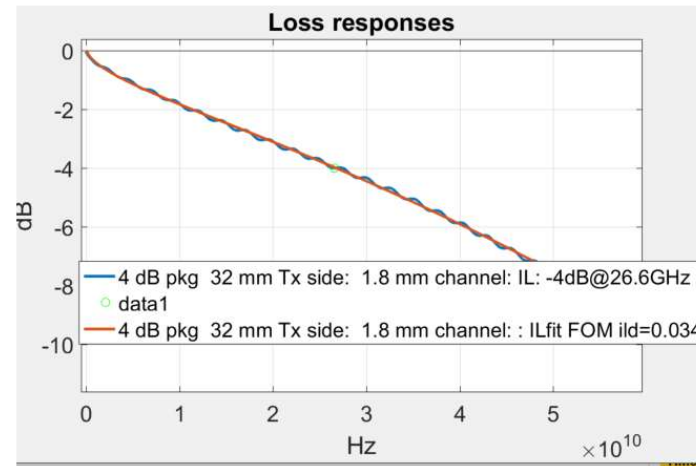
Estimated package trace loss $\sim 0.15\text{dB}/\text{mm}$

Reduced Reference Package Loss

16 fixed+2 banks of 4floating to 40UI



Using these for alpha 1 and alpha 2 gets closer to 4 dB
[9.6673e-04 2.7044e-04]



Package T-line models courtesy of Rich Mellitz.

Package

Cd

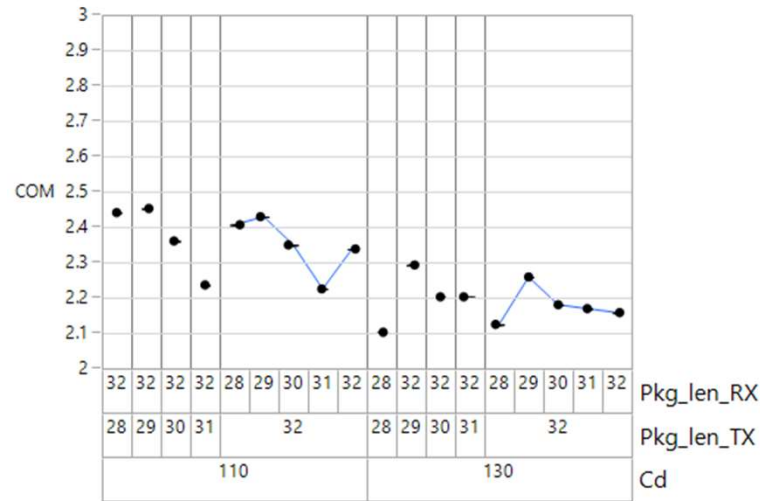
Channel

Original = existing ref pkg model
4dB_a1a2 = modified model (above)

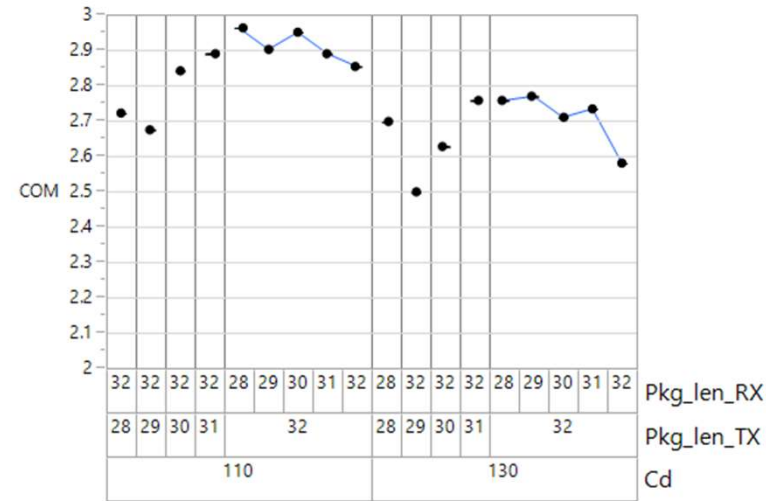
- RxEQ = 16 fixed + 2 banks of 4 taps with 40UI span.
- Reducing package loss to 4dB gives <0.1dB COM benefit; not enough to close gap to 3dB COM.

Package Length Mismatch

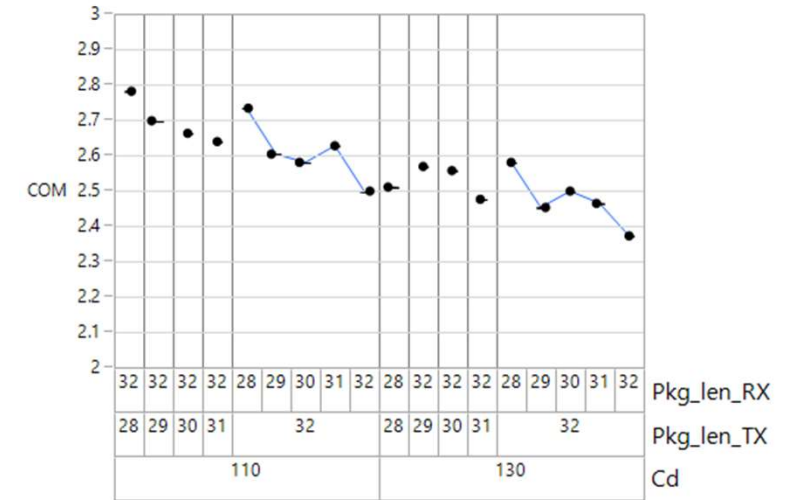
Kareti 1



Kareti 5



Heck 2



- RxEQ: 16 fixed taps + 2 banks of 4 floating taps with 40UI span.
- Tx/Rx package length mismatch can give COM improvement, but not enough to close the gap to 3dB.