

# Evaluation of Rpeak

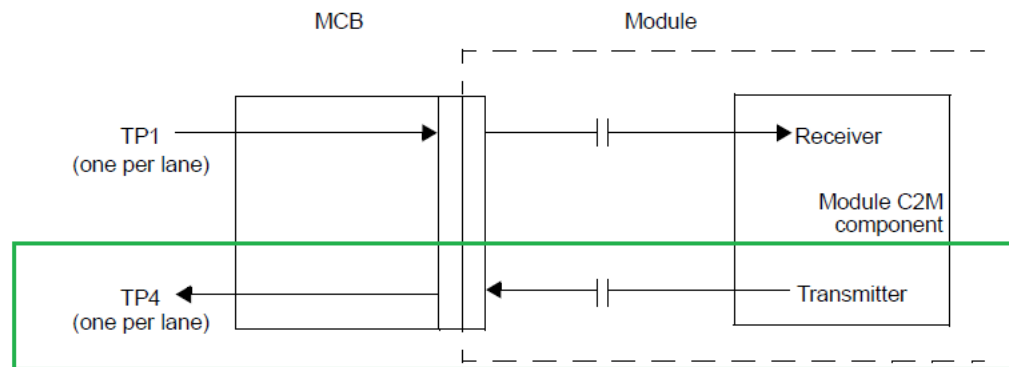
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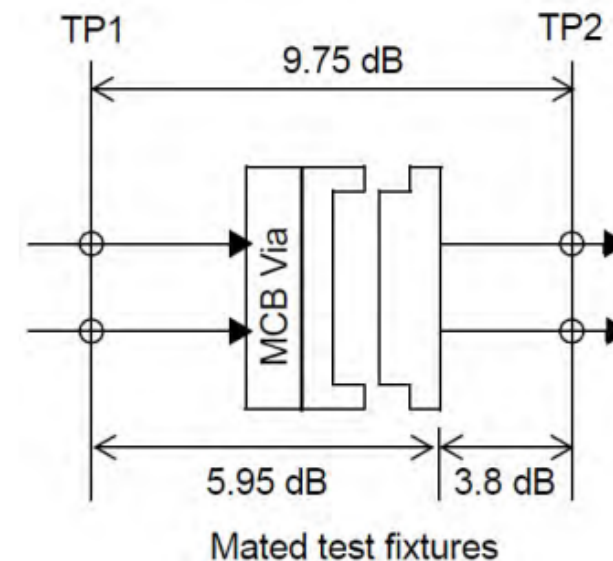


# Introduction

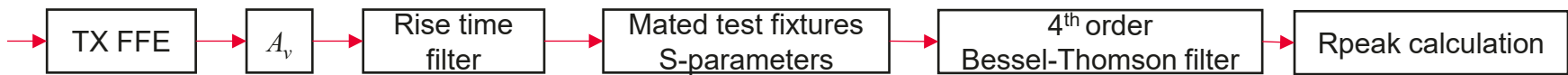
- Rpeak is introduced to the module output electrical specification of 212G/L AUI-C2M, examined at TP4. The lower bound limit is currently set to 0.567, which seems a placeholder.
- We used the MTF channel provided to 802.3dj to calculate Rpeak as a starting point.



**Figure 176D-5—Module compliance points**



# Preliminary simulation for Rpeak value



FIR = [0,0,1,0]  
Preset 1

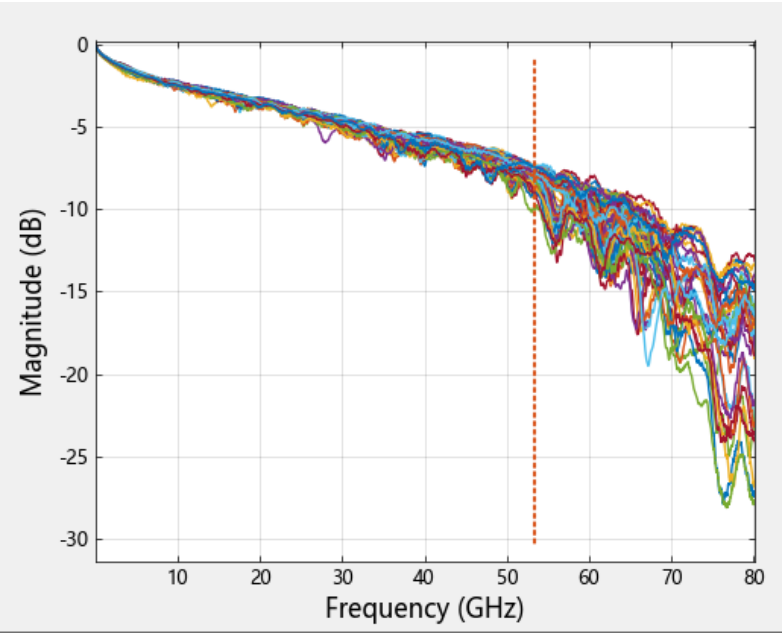
Tr = 0.004ns

$$H_t(f) = \exp(-2(\pi f T_r/1.6832)^2)$$

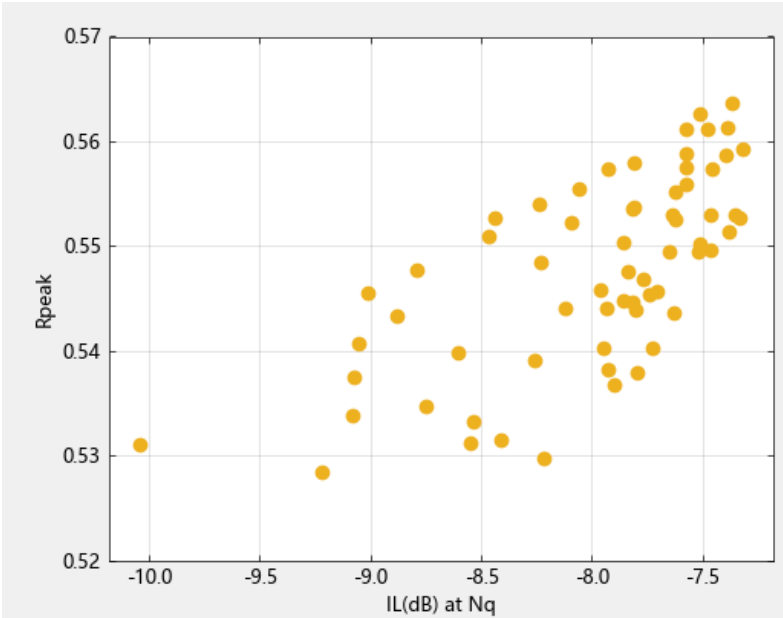
3dB BW = 60GHz

Linear fit pulse peak ratio, $R_{peak}$ (min)	176D.8.4	0.567	—
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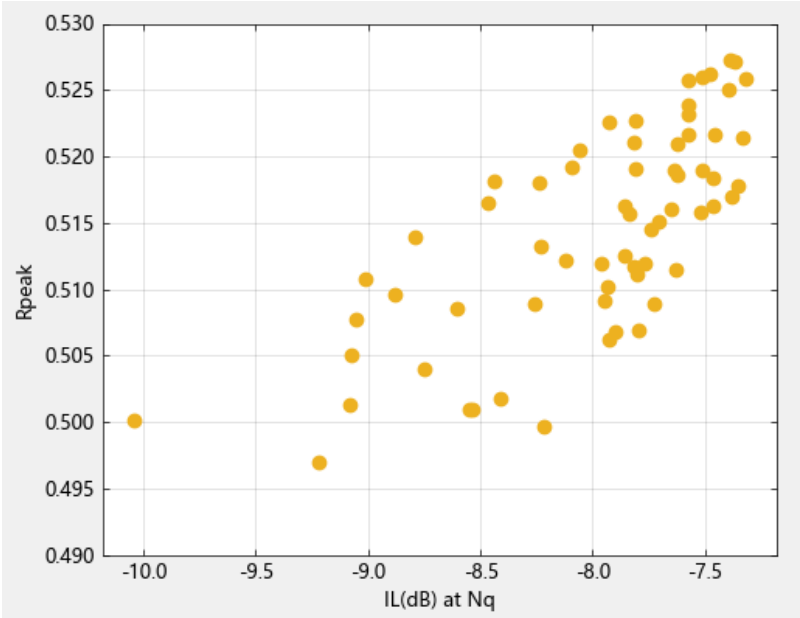
MTF  $IL_{dd}$  used in the simulation



without BT filter



with BT filter



Channel source :

[Suggested MTF  \$IL\_{dd}\$  fitted reference line, limit lines and associated equations for Annex 179B](#)  
(Note 91M file)  
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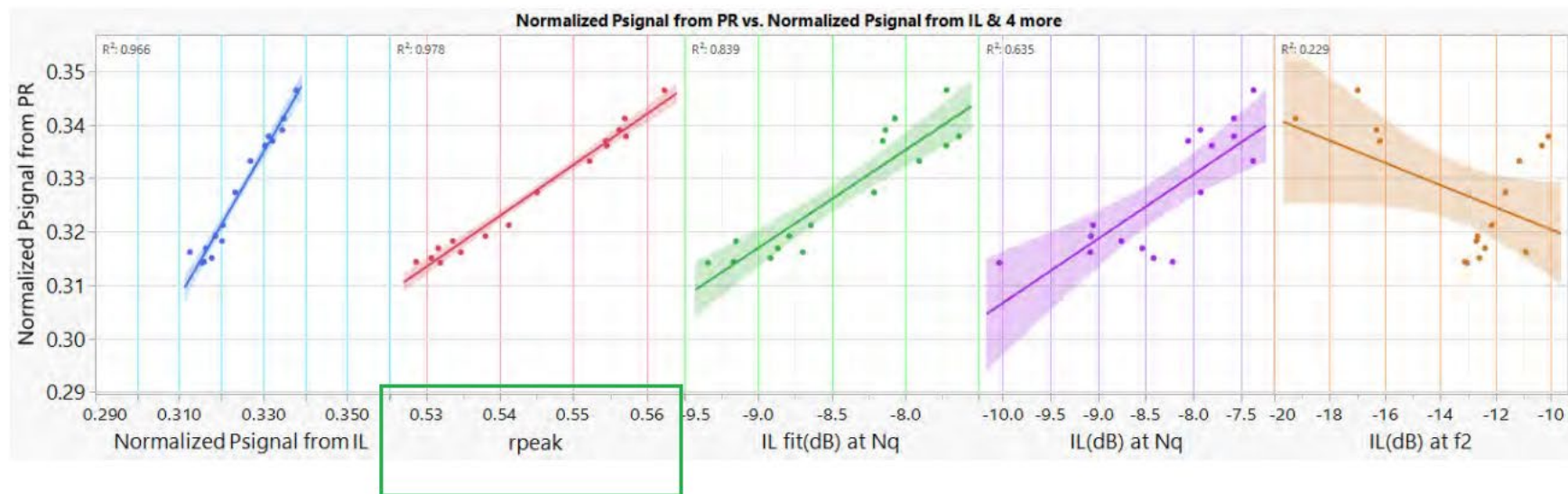
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- The contribution was not about Rpeak, but the Rpeak range considered for the analysis was 0.5~0.57
- The range is below the current min. Rpeak requirement.

## An Interesting look at correlations

$\hat{P}_{signal}$  is highly correlated to rPeak and “IL fit at Nyquist”

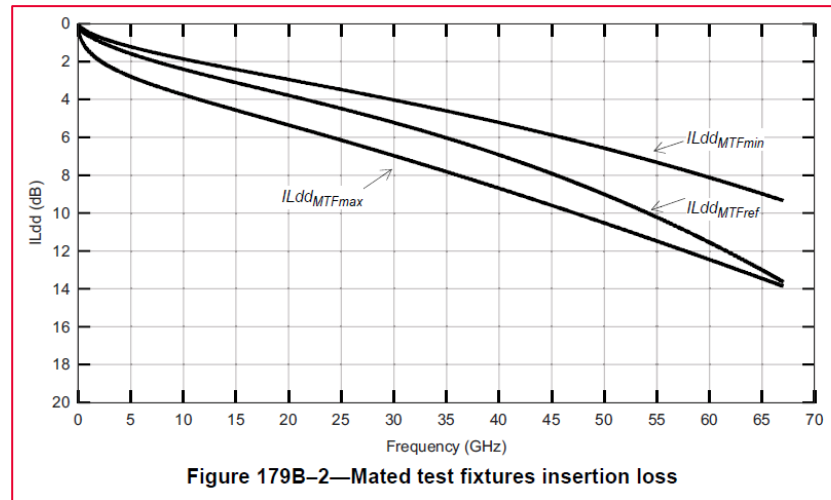
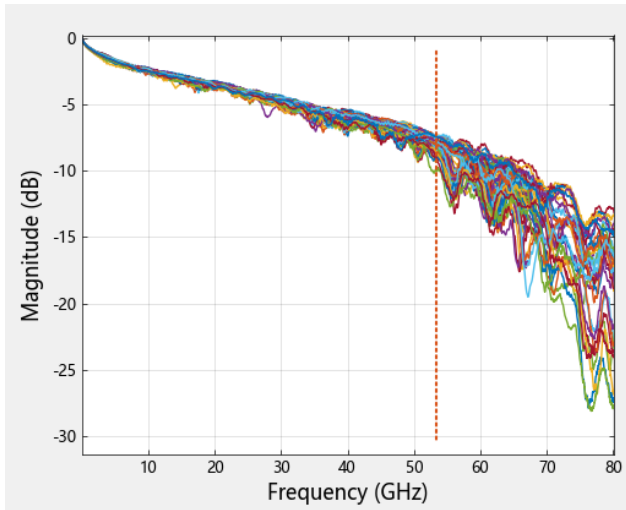


$\hat{P}_{signal}$  ranges between 0.31 and 0.34

$\hat{P}_{signal}$  specification will take care of IL shape deviations

# Is 0.5 good enough?

- Probably not.
- Some margin is needed for implementation w/ higher losses, and manufacturing variations.

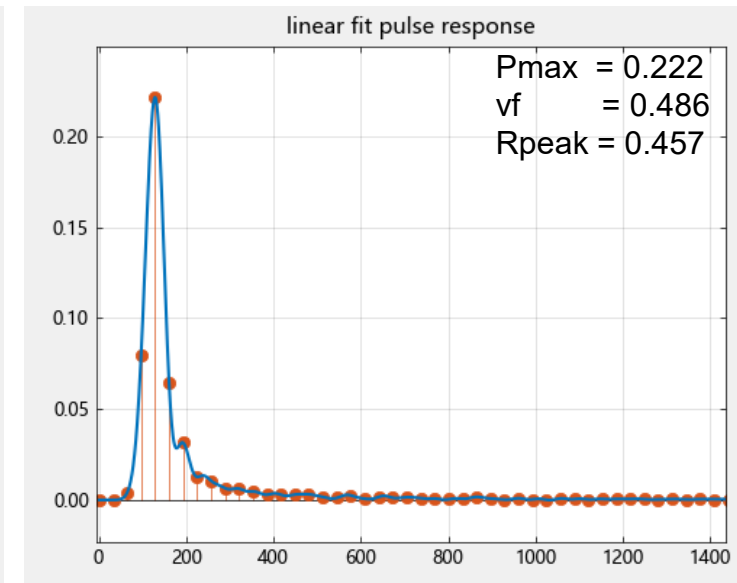
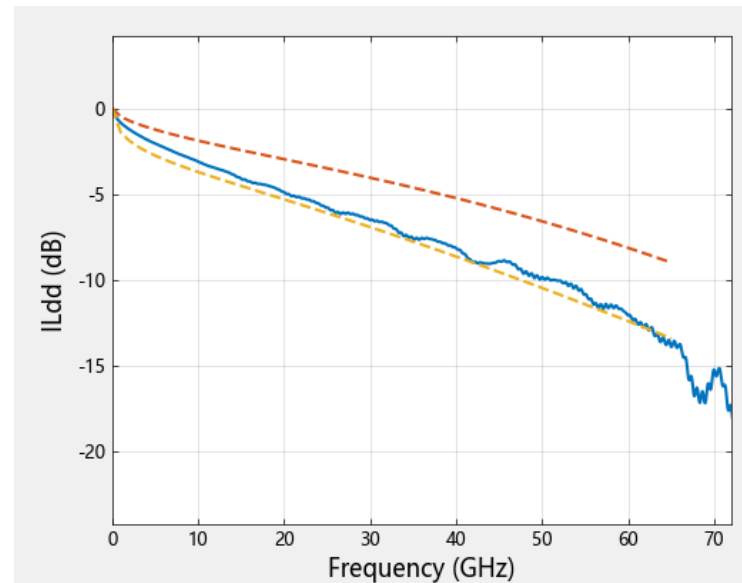
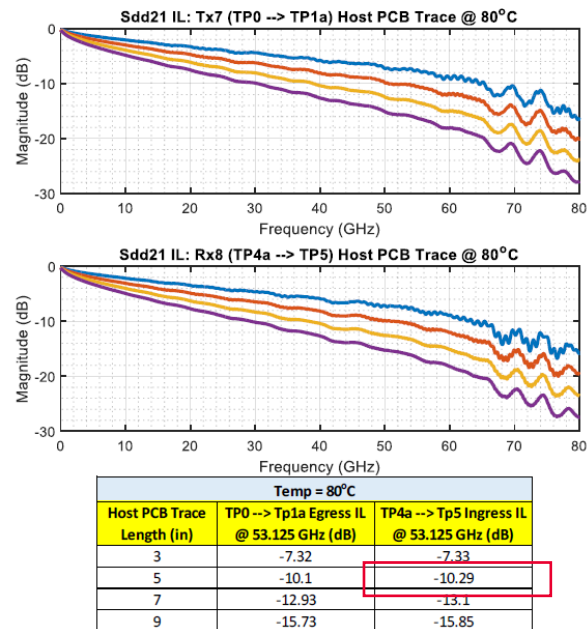


Minimum IL of these data set <10dB

Minimum IL allowed ~11dB

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[212Gb/s Per Lane PAM4 Chip-to-Module Conventional Channels Room vs. Hi Temp](#)  
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# Summary

- Current Rpeak min for AUI C2M seems an unreachable target.
- Further analysis w/ more channel data is needed to arrive at a solid number.
- Updating the current value of Rpeak min, if we need a place holder for now,

0.567            0.456

# Thank you.

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