

Alien NEXT, IL effect on Channel Capacity

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Followed the Study Group Test Sequence

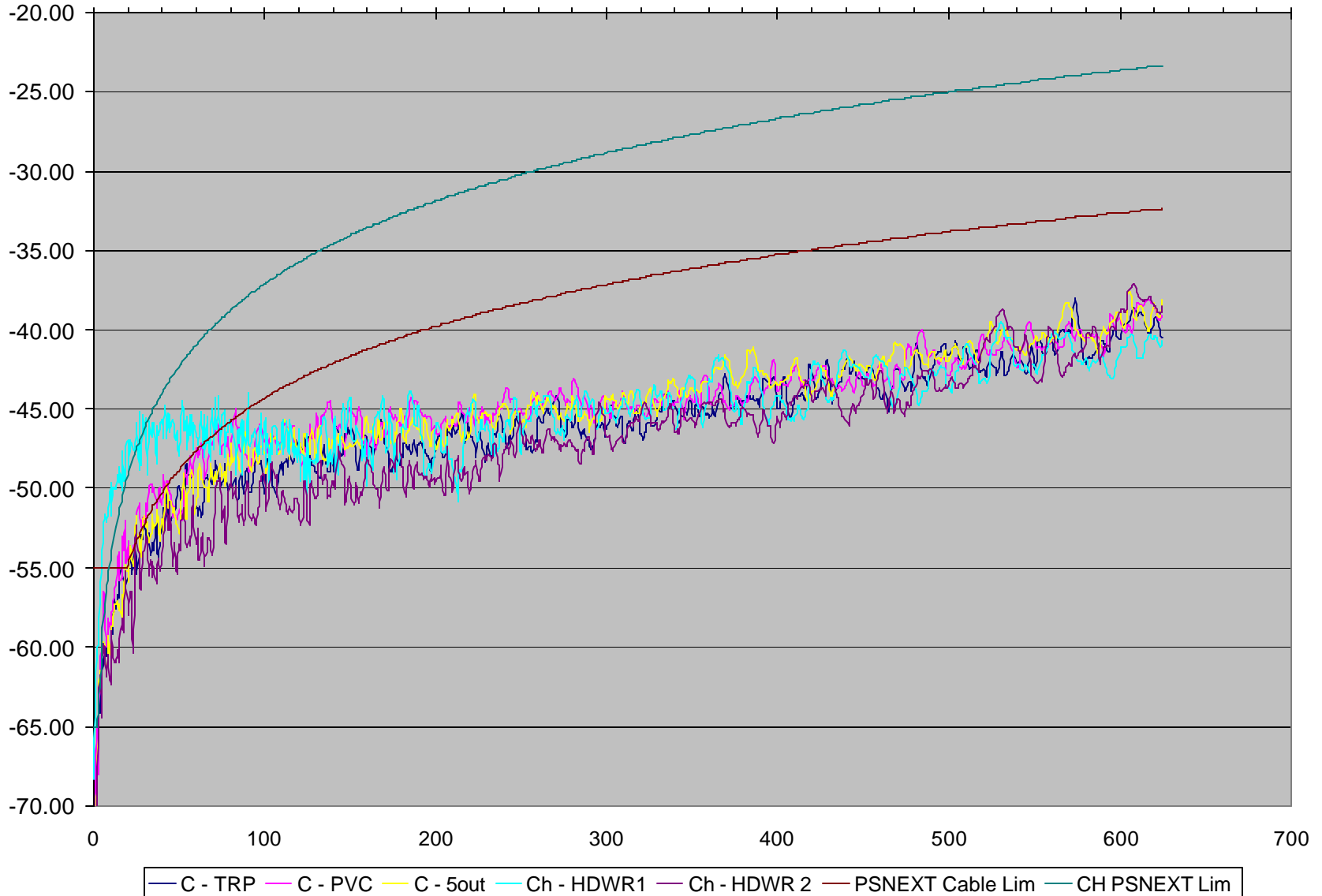
- Cable w/ Tie-wraps every 5ft (Note - tested multiple lengths)
- Cable in 1" I.D. PVC Pipe
- Cable in 1" I.D. Pipe with 5m out.
- Channel Measurements:
 - 3m cords
 - Two hardware (panel) configurations.

Alien NEXT – Category 6 Cable and Hardware



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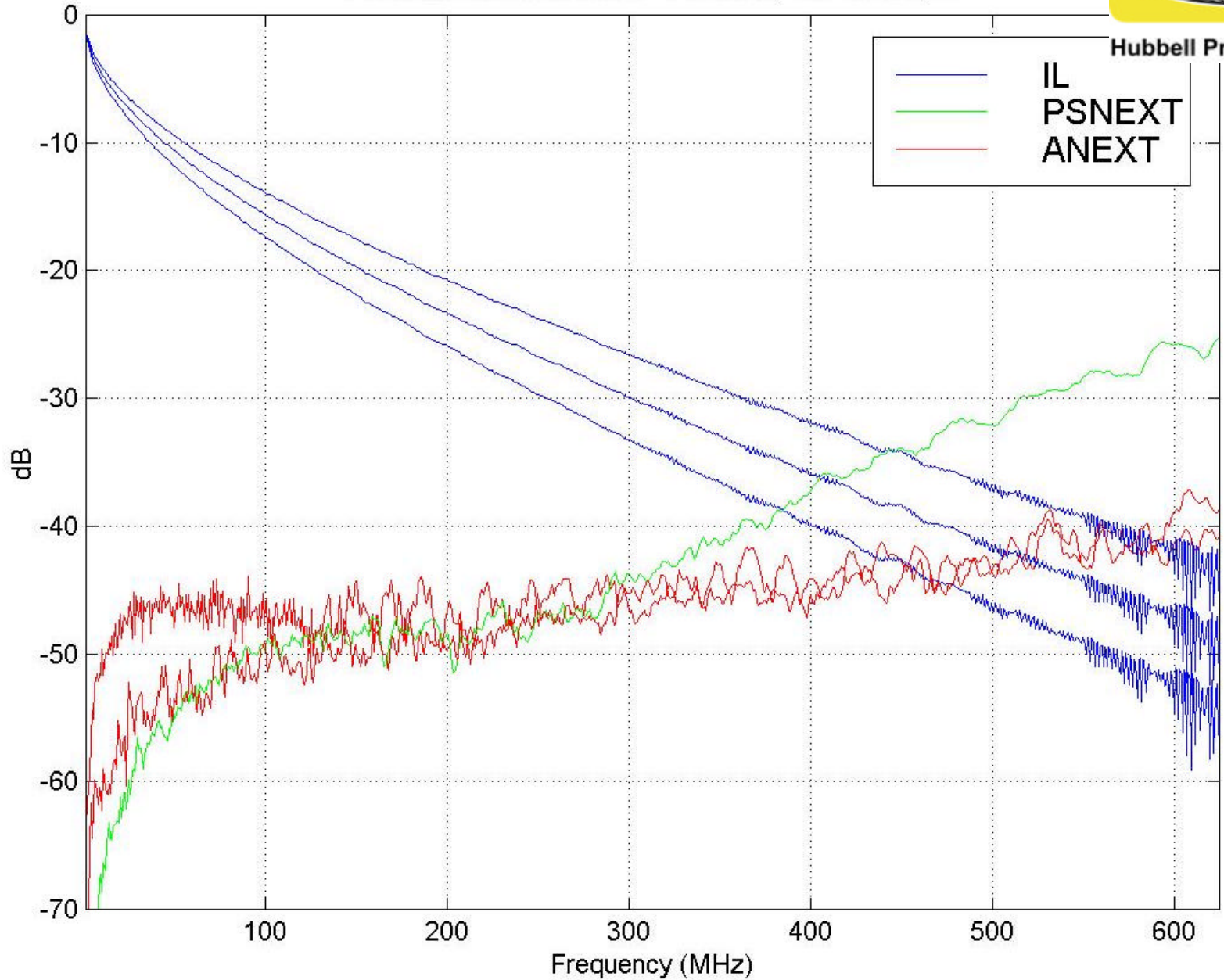
WC PSANEXT





Performance Parameters - PSNEXT, PSANEXT, IL

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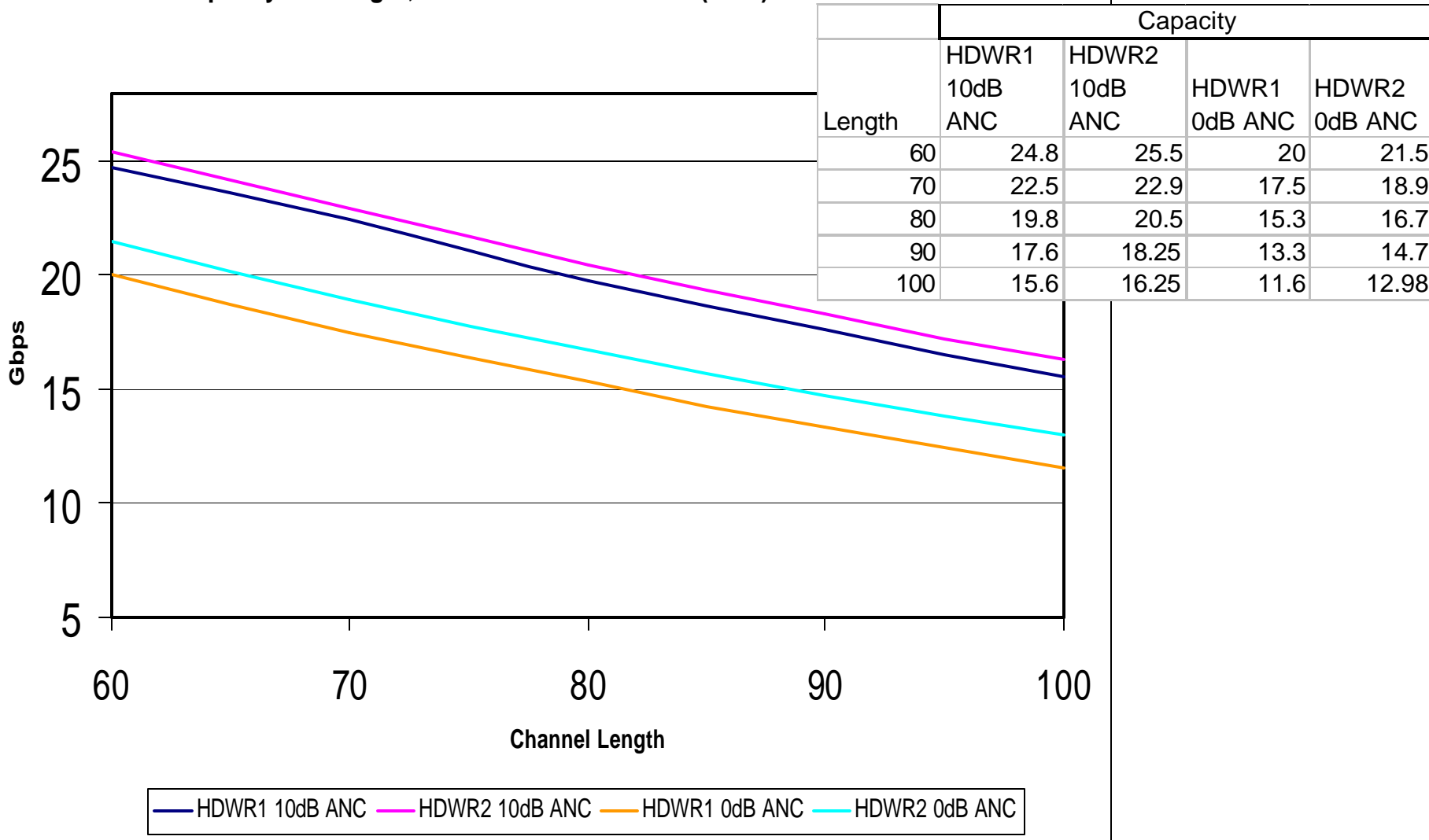


Capacity Sensitivity (Fsym = 833MHz)



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Capacity vs. Length, Alien Next Cancellation (ANC) & HardWare



Sanity Check 1 – Capacity with same measured IL and ANEXT equal to C6 channel PSNEXT Limit = 10.4 Gbps

Sanity Check 2 – Capacity with IL scaled to C6 limit and ANEXT equal to C6 channel PSNEXT Limit = 8.5 Gbps

Conclusions

- Insertion Loss has significant effect on capacity.
- ANEXT of hardware has a diminishing effect as overall ANEXT drops. (~2Gbps)
- ANEXT mitigation (10 dB), combined with C6 may achieve the desired 20+ dB improvement over C6 channel PSNEXT levels.
- Most significant source of ANEXT improvement is CABLE performance