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Proposal for S-parameter Extrapolation to DC

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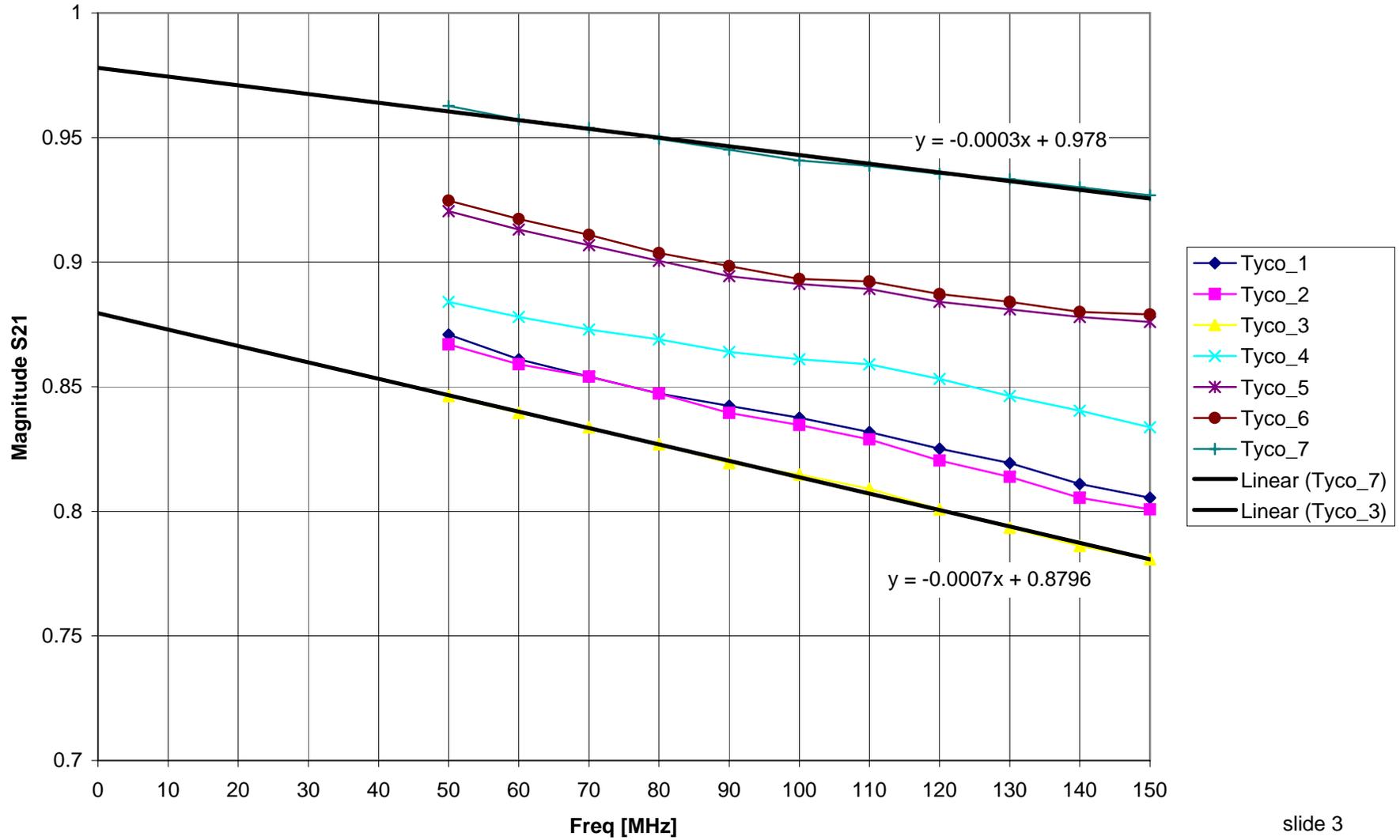


Problem Statement

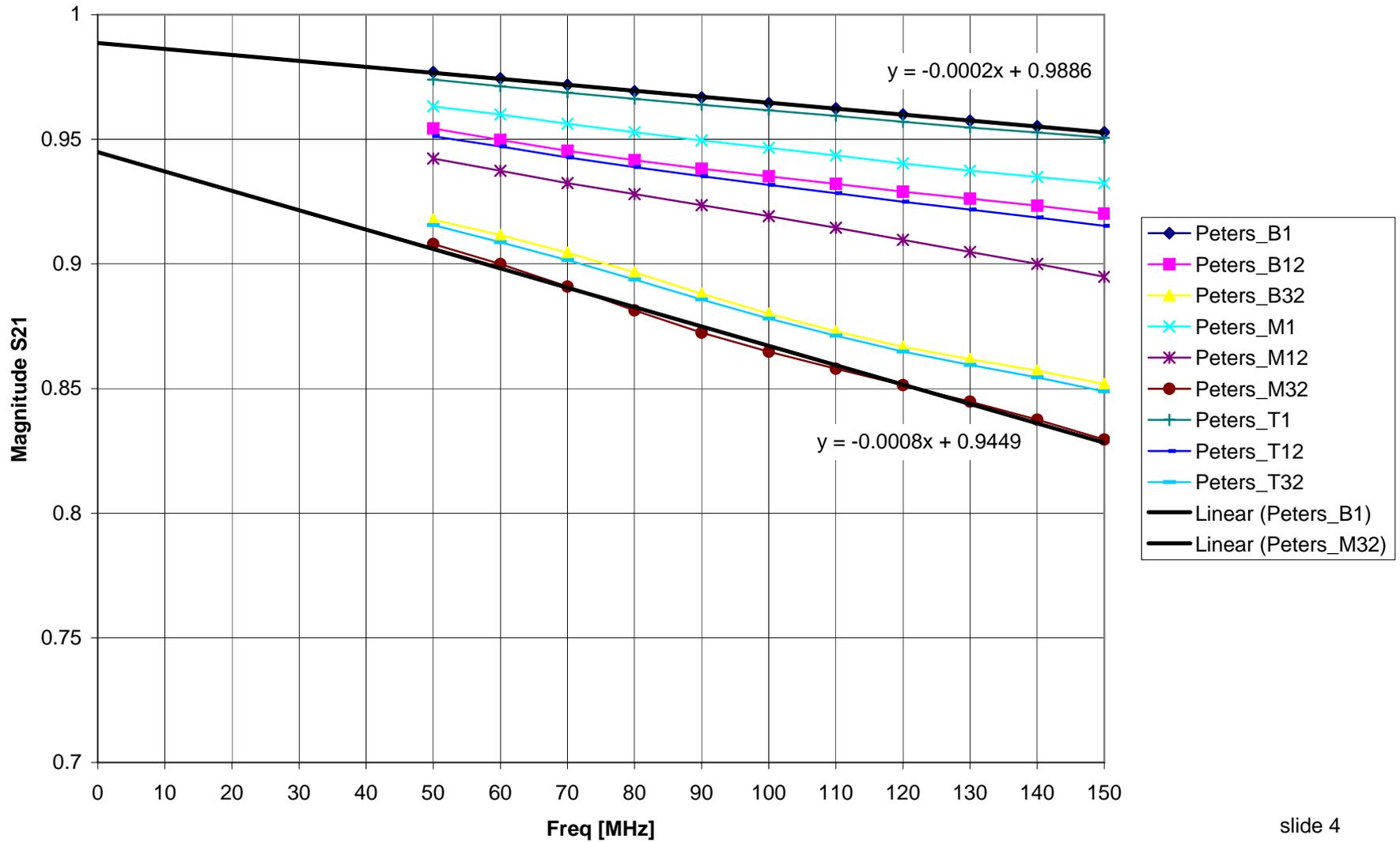
- In order to compute time domain pulse responses, frequency domain data needs to include data down to and including DC.
- Reported Techniques The Cause Problems
 - “Extrapolating” to Magnitude = 1 at DC
 - Extrapolating wrappedPhase
- Proposed technique
 - Linear extrapolation of linear magnitude and unwrapped Phase
 - Channel Adhoc Measurement Requirement
 - $F_{\min} = 50\text{MHz}$, $F_{\text{step}} = 10\text{MHz}$
 - Use 10 lowest frequency points and perform MSE linear fit.
 - 50MHz to 140MHz points are used



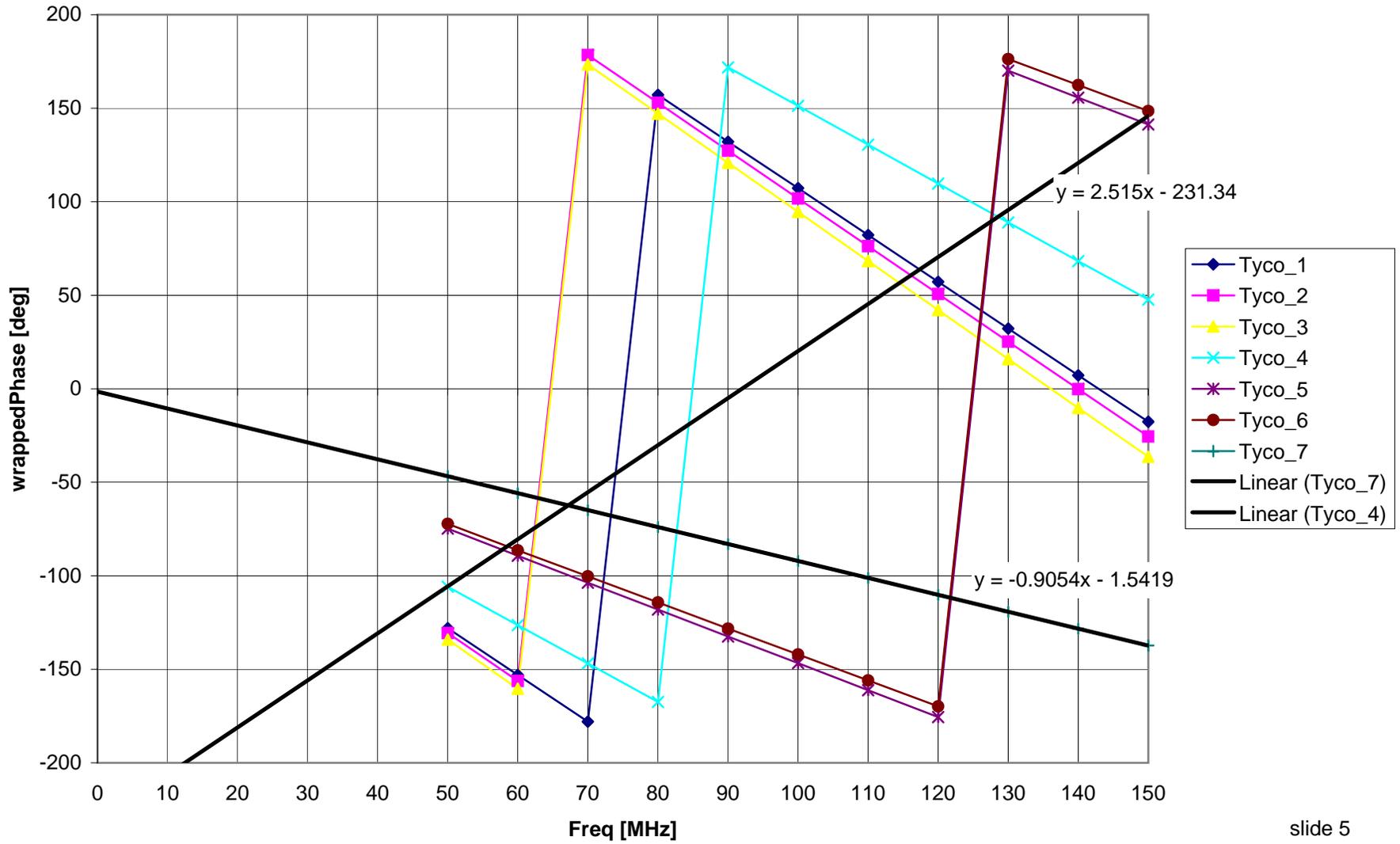
Magnitude Tyco Channels



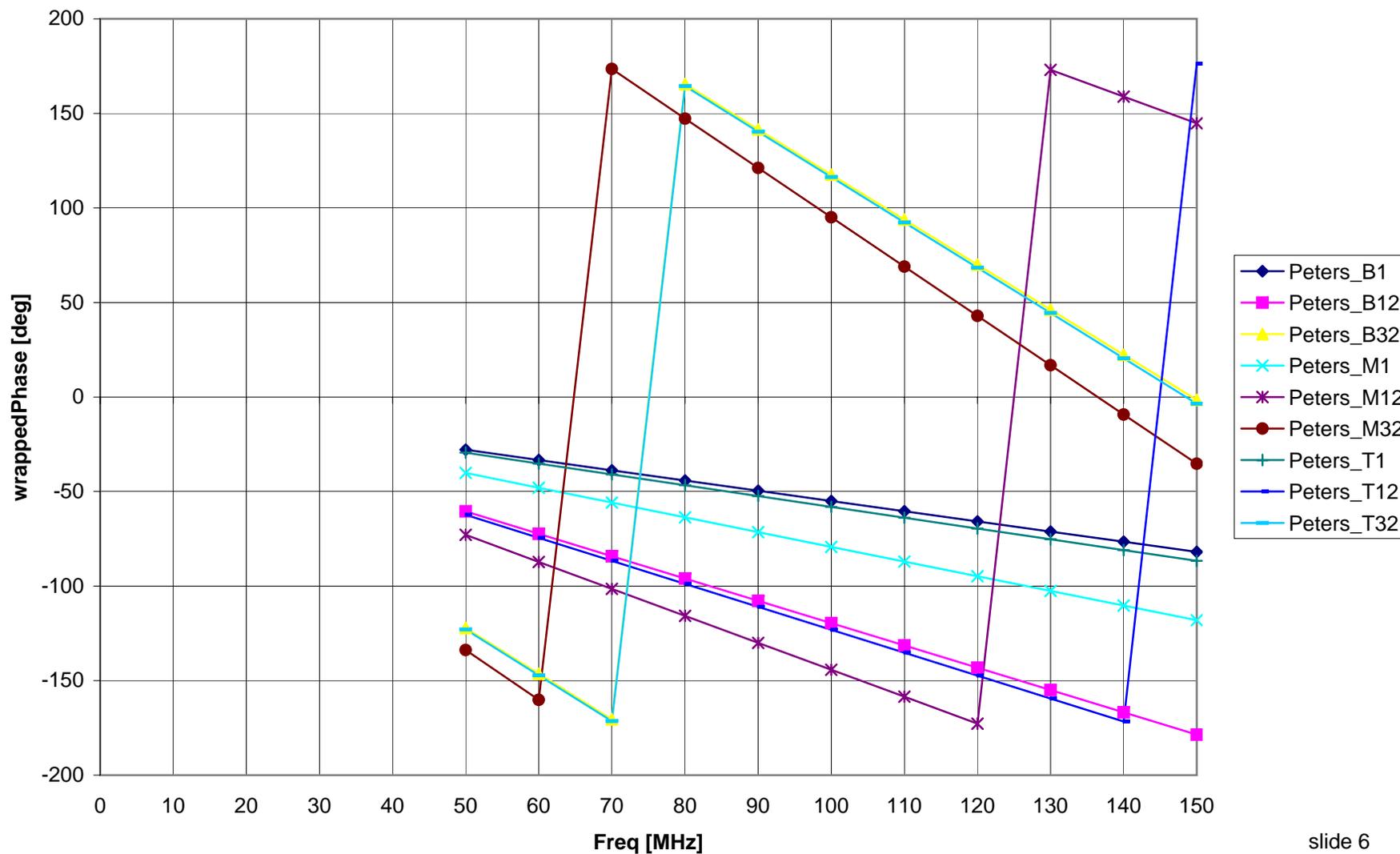
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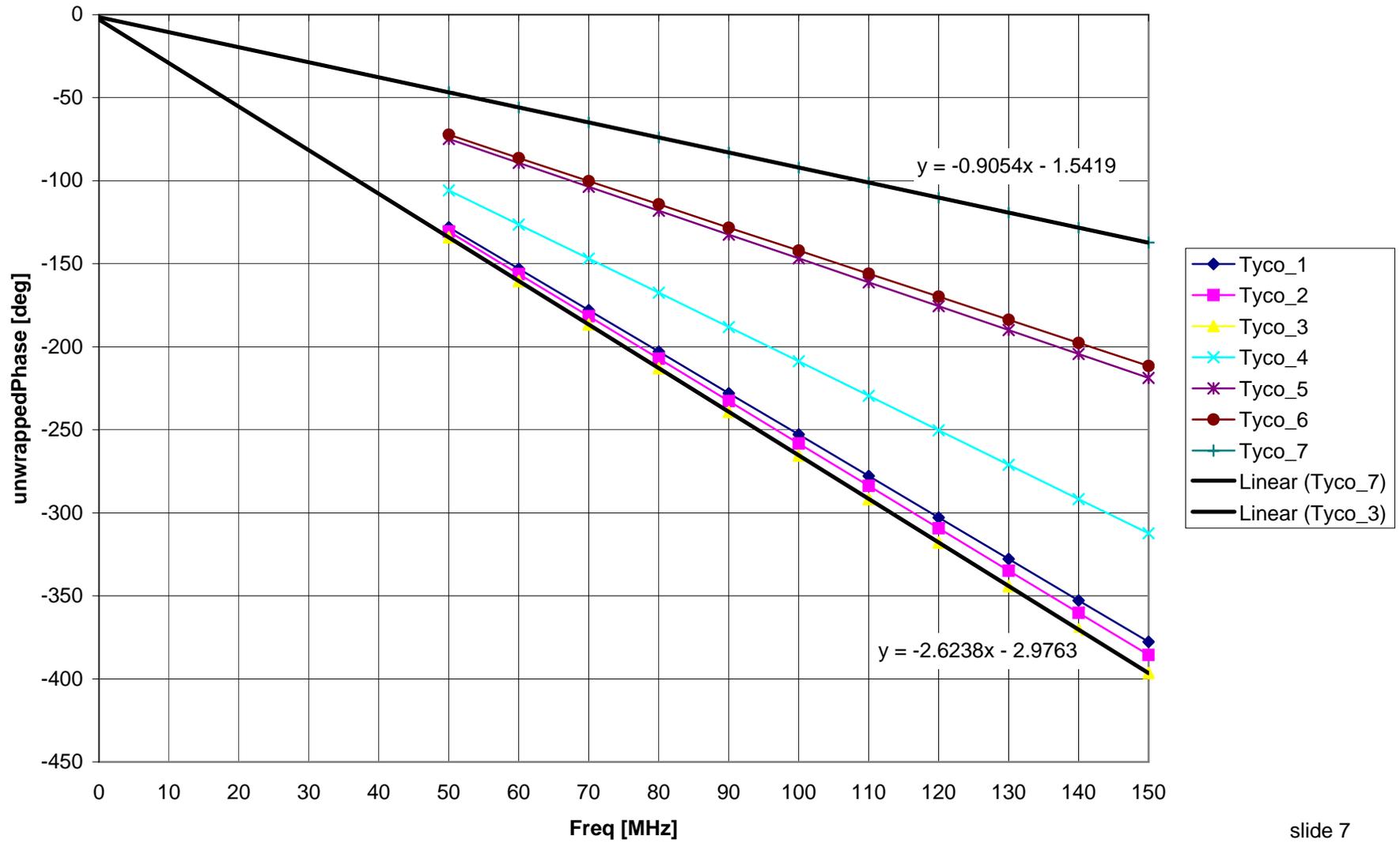
wrappedPhase Tyco Channels



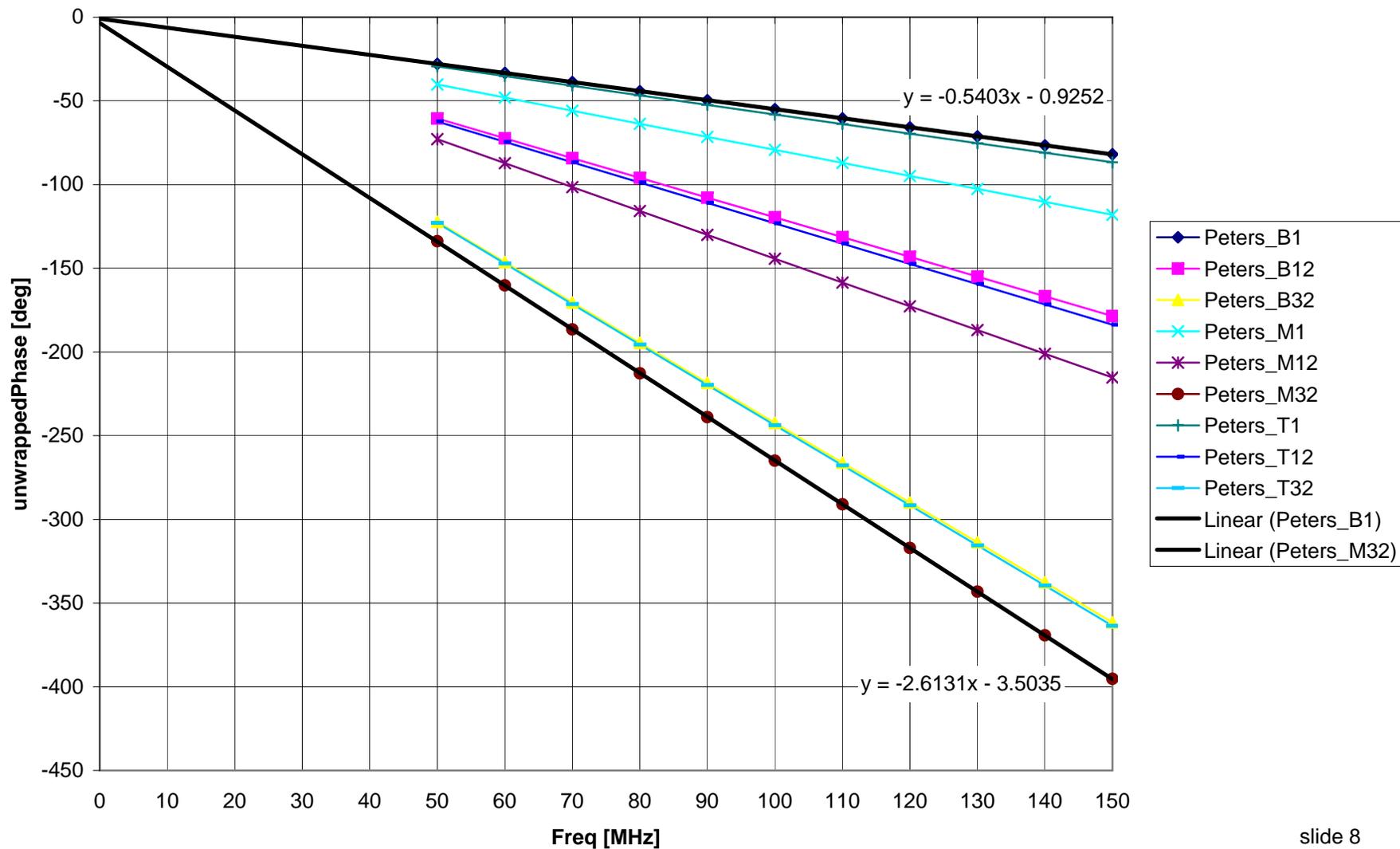
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unwrappedPhase Tyco Channels



wrappedPhase Peters Channels



StatEye Extrapolation

- The proposed technique is similar to the StatEye v3.0f DC extrapolation technique.
 - 10 point linear extrapolation of linear magnitude and phase
- StatEye does not appear to use `unwrappedPhase` **prior** to performing extrapolation to DC. Unwrapped phase is used later when performing linear interpolation if needed for FFT.

```
% find the magnitude of the channel transfer function at DC
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```
[a]          = polyfit(data.f(1:10), data.abs(1:10), 1);  
data.dc      = a(2);
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```
[p]          = polyfit(data.f(1:10), data.phase(1:10), 1);  
param.dcPhase = p(2);
```



Conclusion

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