

C2M Host/Module Output Test Measurements

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Feasibility of C2M Host/Module output test procedures at TP1a/TP4

Current assumption for C2M channel (https://www.ieee802.org/3/dj/public/23_11/diminico_3dj_01_2311.pdf)

- Up to 33dB IL
- Ref Rx: 80GHz 4th order Bessel + input referred noise + 2-gain stage CTLE + 60Tap FFE + 1-tap DFE

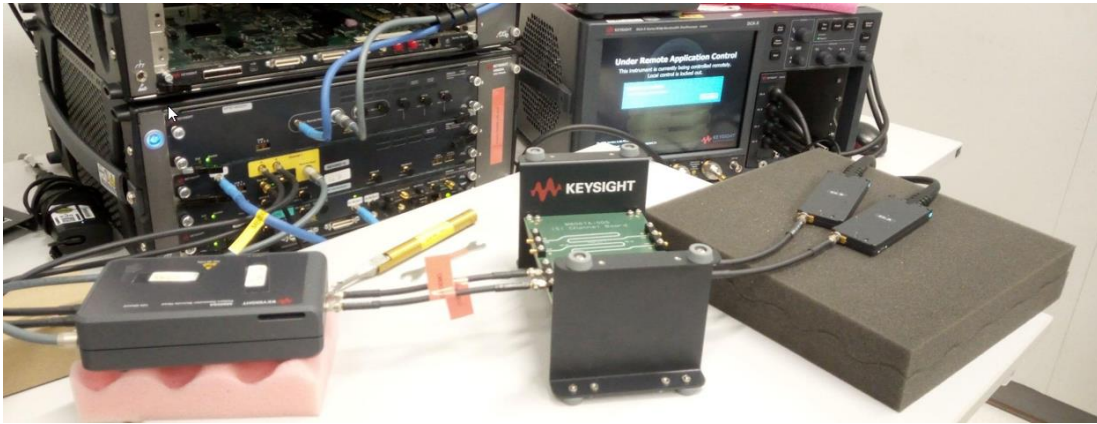


Initial measurement for C2M host output test reported

in(https://www.ieee802.org/3/dj/public/adhoc/electrical/24_0104/calvin_3dj_elec_01a_240104.pdf)

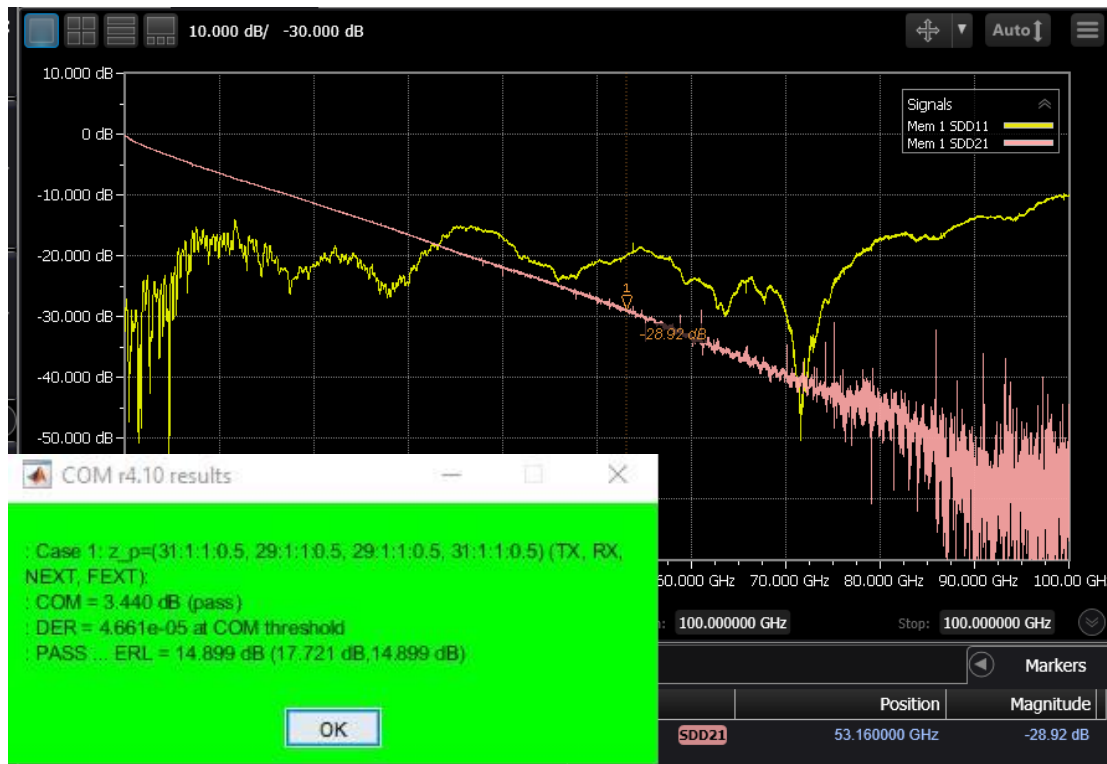
- Feasibility of C2M test channel demonstrated in using 1mm based MTF and ISI board (COM >30dB)
- EH/VEC not possible @1e-5 probability while COM reported 6dB VEC → concerns reported by the WG about the equalizer employed (lack of CTLE) for measurement.

This contribution: Attempt to reconcile COM predictions and lab measurements



212.5 Gb/s Measurement with 29dB channel

“C2M channel condition” with a new channel



M8042A PG

no Tx de-emphasis

M8067A-005-Trace 2

29dB @53.125GHz

N1000A+N1046A Sampling scope

Explicit Clock

SIRC: 80GHz 4th order Bessel

Input referred noise $6e-9V^2/GHz$

C2M measurement with 29dB channel

15 taps FFE

- large noise enhancement (no Tx de-emphasis)

The measured noise margin is much smaller than the intrinsic channel noise.
 Left sigma: 600 μ V rms
 Right sigma: 600 μ V rms
Equalizer noise enhancement: 11.68
 Intrinsic channel noise: 1.0 mV rms

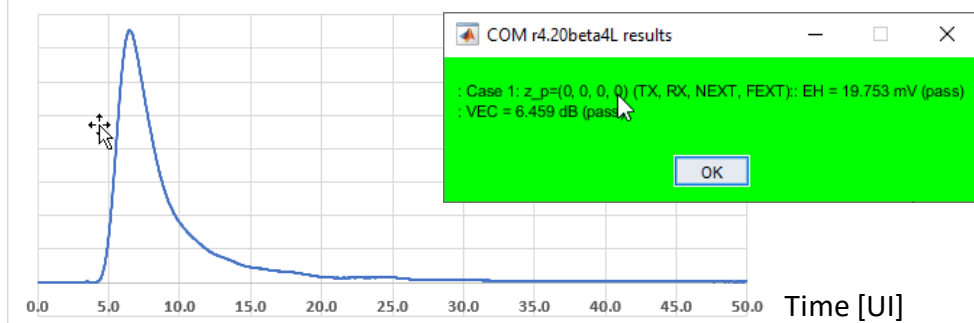
- Eyes still closed at 1e-5 probability but VEC/EH measurement possible at 1e-4 probability
- DDJ/ISI-J main contributor to TJ Jitter
 - 850mUI TJ (1e-4) \rightarrow 760mUI DDJ



C2M measurement with 29dB channel

2-Gain stage CTLE + 15 taps FFE + 1-tap DFE

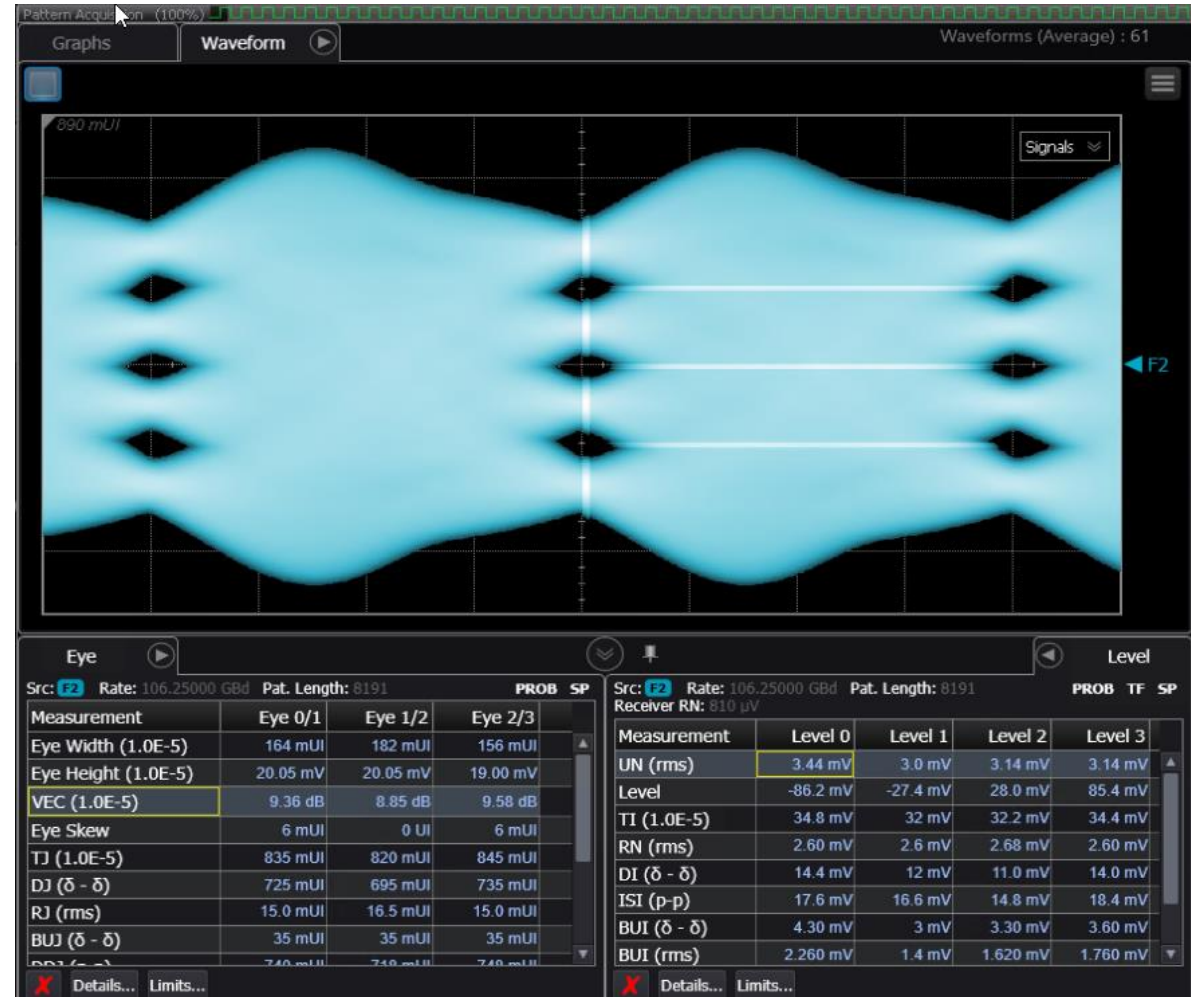
- Use COM tool using the measured system pulse response



- Use COM CTLE & FFE settings in Scope

	COM tool	Scope
VEC [dB]	6.45	9.6
EH [mV]	19.75	19.0
DFE	0.44	0.26

- DDJ/ISI-J *still* main contributor to TJ Jitter



Summary

- Report host output measurements @ TP1a with 29dB channel
- Compare EH/VEC predicted by COM and measured by scope
 - Better agreement between COM tool and scope → Different DFE values indicate COM CTLE/FFE values are not optimal for the exp. setup
 - EH/VEC measurement is extremely sensitive to Rx equalizer settings
 - Note: COM rev 4.10 cannot handle pulse response (defect) → COM rev 4.20 beta provided by Richard Mellitz
- Open issues
 - Discrepancies between COM prediction and measurements are still significant (3dB VEC)
 - How to adapt the measurement procedure in case MLSD adopted for C2M ref Rx?

COM C2M prediction with Pulse Response

Table 93A-1 parameters				I/O control			Table 93A-3 parameters				SAVE_CONFIG2MAT		1	
Parameter	Setting	Units	Information	DIAGNOSTICS	1	logical	Parameter	Setting	Units	Information	Receiver testing			
f_b	106.25	GBd		DISPLAY_WINDOW	1	logical	package_tl_gamma0_a1_a2	[0 0.0008455 0.000340225]			RX_CALIBRATION	0		
f_min	0.05	GHz		CSV_REPORT	1	logical	package_tl_tau	0.00644805	ns/mm		Sigma BBN step	5.00E-03		
Delta_f	0.01	GHz		RESULT_DIR	results\KRCR_1_{date}\		package_Z_c	[50]	Ohm		ICN parameters			
C_d	[0.9e-4 1.1e-4; 0.4e-4 0.9e-4]	nF	[TX RX]	SAVE_FIGURES	0	logical	z_p select	[1]		[test cases to run]	f_v	0.278		
L_s	[0.13 0.15 0.14; 0.13 0.15 0.14]	nH	[TX RX]	Port Order	[1 3 2 4]		z_p (TX)	0	mm	[test cases]	f_f	0.278		
C_b	[0.3e-4 0.3e-4]	nF	[TX RX]	RUNTAG	C2M_eval_		z_p (NEXT)	0	mm	[test cases]	f_n	0.278		
R_0	50	Ohm		COM_CONTRIBUTION	0	logical	z_p (FEXT)	0	mm	[test cases]	f_2	61.625		
R_d	[50 50]	Ohm	[TX RX]	TDR and ERL options			z_p (RX)	0	mm	[test cases]	A_ft	0.350		
A_v	0.1	V	vp/vf=	TDR	1	logical	C_p	[0.5e-4 0.5e-4]	nF	[TX RX]	A_nt	0.350		
A_fe	0	V	vp/vf=	ERL	1	logical	Filter: Rx FFE				Parameter		Setting	
A_ne	0	V		ERL_ONLY	0	ns	ffe_pre_tap_len	6	UI		board_tl_gamma0_a1_a2	6.44084e-4 3.6036e-03 1.4		
L	4			TR_TDR	0.01		ffe_post_tap_len	15	UI		board_tl_tau	5.790E-03		
M	32			N	100	logical	ffe_tap_step_size	0			board_Z_c	100		
filter and Eq				TDR_Butterworth	1		ffe_main_cursor_min	1			z_bp (TX)	0		
f_r	0.58	*fb		beta_x	0		ffe_pre_tap1_max	1			z_bp (NEXT)	32		
c(0)	0.54		min	rho_x	0.618		ffe_post_tap1_max	1			z_bp (FEXT)	32		
c(-1)	[-0.4:0.02:0]		[min:step:max]	TDR_W_TXPKG	0	UI	ffe_tapn_max	1			z_bp (RX)	0		
c(-2)	[0.02:0.1]		[min:step:max]	N_bx	20		Operational				C_0	[0.2e-4 0]		
c(-3)	0		[min:step:max]	fixture delay time	[0 0]		ERL Pass threshold	10	dB		C_1	[0.2e-4 0]		
c(-4)	0		[min:step:max]	Tukey_Window	1		COM Pass threshold	3	db		Include PCB			
c(1)	0		[min:step:max]	Noise, jitter			DER_0	1.00E-05			Seletions (rectangle, gaussian,dual_rayleigh,tr			
N_b	1	UI		sigma_RJ	0.01	UI	T_r	0.00450	ns		Histogram_Window_Weight	gaussian		
b_max(1)	0.75		As/dffe1	A_DD	0.02	V ² /GHz	FORCE_TR	1	logical		Qr	0.02		
b_max(2..N_b)	0.3		As/dffe2..N_b	eta_0	6.00E-09	dB	PMD_type	C2M			Floating Tap Control			
b_min(1)	0		As/dffe1	SNR_TX	30.5		EW	0			N_bg	0		
b_min(2..N_b)	-0.15	S	As/dffe2..N_b	R_LM	0.97		MLSE	0	logical		N_bf	4		
g_DC	[-15:1:-3]	dB	[min:step:max]	benartsi_3df_01a_221			ts_anchor	1			N_f	20		
f_z	25.16	GHz		mli_3df_02_220316			sample_adjustment	[-2 12]			bmaxg	0.2		
f_p1	40.00	GHz		healey_3dj_01_2309			Local Search	2			B_float_RSS_MAX	0.2		
f_p2	56.00	GHz		lim_3dj_04_2309			TDMODE	1	time domain pulse response		N_tail_start	16		
g_DC_HP	[-5:1:0]		[min:step:max]				VEC Pass threshold	12			(UI) start			
f_HP_PZ	1.328125	GHz												

Relevant COM spreadsheet update

- remove Tx & Rx traces
- DER: 1e-4 → 1e-5
- TDMODE=1 (for pulse response)