

Link Budget Calculation

Received power (dBm) = Transmitted power (dBm) + gains (dB) - losses (dB)

$$d = 100\text{ft} = 33.33\text{m}$$

$$\lambda = 1.90\text{E-}01\text{m}$$

$$\text{Free Space Path Loss} = -10 \times \log_{10} [(4\pi d/\lambda)^2] = -66.09\text{dB}$$

$$T_{\text{power}} = -130\text{dB}$$

$$G_{\text{receivingantenna}} = 35\text{dB}$$

$$L_{\text{cable}} = -12\text{dB}$$

$$G_{\text{transmittingantenna}} = 33\text{dB}$$

$$\text{ERP} = T_{\text{power}} + G_{\text{receivingantenna}} - L_{\text{cable}} + G_{\text{transmittingantenna}} - \text{Free Space Path Loss} = -130 + 33 - 12 + 35 - 66.09 = -140.09\text{dB} \\ @100\text{ft}$$

$$\text{dB to Watts} \quad \text{dB} = 10\log(W/1 \times 10^{-3}) \Rightarrow W = \log^{-1}(\text{dB}/10)$$

$$\text{Power Radiated at 100ft } W = \log^{-1}(-140.09/10) * 1 \times 10^{-3} = 9.8\text{E-}18\text{W}$$

$$\text{System Gain} = 56\text{dB}$$

$$\text{Radiated Power at the repeater} = T_{\text{power}} + \text{System Gain} = -130\text{dB} + 56\text{dB} = -74\text{dBm}$$

$$\text{Effective Radiated Power(dBW)} = \text{Radiated Power} - 30 = -74 - 30 = -104\text{dBW @antenna}$$

$$\text{Effective Radiated Power(W)} = 10^{(\text{Effective Radiated Power} / 10)} = 10^{(-104 / 10)} = 39.81\text{E-}12\text{W}$$

$$\text{Transmitted Power(W)} = 10^{((\text{Effective Radiated Power} - 3) / 10)} = 10^{(-104 - 3 / 10)} = 19.95\text{E-}12\text{W}$$