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1 Scope

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For the Profile 2 LPM on telephone lines, in the case where transmission is not limited to networks with increased shielding, such as those with shielded cables or where cables are buried underground, conformance of equipment with this Recommendation may not ensure compliance with specific national or regional regulation on electromagnetic compatibility when installations are taken into service.

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[ITU-T G.9963]	Recommendation ITU-T G.9963 (2018+), Unified high-speed wireline-based home networking transceivers – Multiple input/multiple output specification.

3 Definitions

This Recommendation defines the following terms:

3.1 <u>reserved</u>**bandplan**: A specific range of the frequency spectrum that is associated with only one domain. Multiple bandplans may be used in the same domain provided that any bandplan is either a subset or a superset of all other bandplans in the same domain. The bandplan is defined by a lower frequency and upper frequency except for radio frequency (RF), which is defined by a bandwidth and centre frequency.

3.2 baseband: A frequency band defined by an up-convert frequency FUC = 0 and an up-shift frequency $FUS = FSC \times N/2$ (see Table 7-67 of [ITU-T G.9960]).

3.3 domain: A part of an ITU-T G.9960 home network comprising the domain master and all those nodes that are registered with the same domain master. In the context of this Recommendation, use of the term "domain" without a qualifier means "ITU-T G.9960 domain", and use of the term "alien domain" means "non-ITU-T G.9960 domain". Additional qualifiers (e.g., "power-line") may be added to either "domain" or "alien domain".

3.4 domain master (DM): A node supporting the domain master functionality that manages (coordinates) all other nodes of the same domain (i.e., assigns bandwidth resources and manages priorities). Only one active domain master is allowed in a domain, and all nodes within a domain are managed (coordinated) by a single domain master. If a domain master fails, another node of the same domain, capable of operating as a domain master, should pick up the function of the domain master.

3.5 home network: Two or more nodes that can communicate with each other either directly or through a relay node at the physical layer, or through an inter-domain bridge above the physical layer. A home network consists of one or more domains. In the context of this Recommendation, use of the term "home network" means "ITU-T G.9960 home network". Use of the term "alien home network" means any combination of "ITU-T G.9960 home network", "non-ITU-T G.9960 home network" and "access network". Use of the term "alien network" and "access network" and "access network".

3.6 medium: A wire-line facility, of a single wire class, allowing physical connection between nodes. Nodes connected to the same medium may communicate on the physical layer, and may interfere with each other unless they use orthogonal signals (e.g., different frequency bands, different time periods).

3.7 node: Any network device that contains an ITU-T G.9960 transceiver. In the context of this Recommendation, use of the term "node" without a qualifier means "ITU-T G.9960 node", and use of the term "alien node" means "non-ITU-T G.9960 node". Additional qualifiers (e.g., "relay") may be added to either "node" or "alien node".

3.7.1 OFB profile: Categorization of OFBs depending on the PHY frame format they use. Profile 1 OFBs use a normal PHY frame format for transmission of frames; Profile 2 OFBs use a high capacity header (HCH) PHY frame format for transmission of frames.

3.7.2 operational frequency band (OFB): Range of frequencies that is allowed to be used by a node to communicate with another node of the domain.

3.8 passband: A frequency band defined by an up-convert frequency FUC = 0 and an up-shift frequency $FUS >> FSC \times N/2$ (see Table 7-67 of [ITU-T G.9960])).

3.9 radio frequency (**RF**): A frequency band defined by an up-convert frequency FUC > 0 and a centre frequency $FC = FUC + FUS >> FSC \times N/2$ (see Tables 7-67 and 7-68 of [ITU-T G.9960]).

3.10 sub-carrier (OFDM sub-carrier): The centre frequency of each OFDM sub-channel onto which bits may be modulated for transmission over the sub-channel.

3.11 sub-channel (OFDM sub-channel): A fundamental element of OFDM modulation technology. The OFDM modulator partitions the channel bandwidth into a set of parallel sub channels.

3.12 wire class: One of the classes of wire, having the same general characteristics: coaxial cable, home electrical-power wire, phone-line wire and Category 5 cable.

4 Abbreviations and acronyms

This Recommendation uses the following abbreviations and acronyms:

BB	BaseBand
CB	Coax Baseband
CRF	Coax Radio Frequency
DM	Domain Master
LPM	Limit PSD Mask
OFB	Operational Frequency Band
OFDM	Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing
PB	Power-line Baseband
PHY	Physical Layer
PSD	Power Spectral Density
PSDC	PSD Ceiling
PSM	PSD Shaping Mask
RF	Radio Frequency
RPM	Regional PSDM Mask
SM	Sub-carrier Mask

5 Transmit PSD mask

Transmit PSD mask (TxPSD) is determined by a sub-carrier mask (SM), a PSD shaping mask (PSM), a notching of international amateur radio bands defined in this clause, the limit PSD mask (LPM) defined for each particular medium, and a regional PSD mask (RPM) if specified in a regional annex (see [ITU-T G.9960]). The same TxPSD shall be applied to all nodes in the domain.

For an ITU-T G.9960 transceiver, the PSD of the transmit signal at any frequency shall never exceed the transmit PSD mask. For an ITU-T G.9963 transceiver, the sum of PSDs of the two transmit signals transmitted from the two Tx ports at any frequency shall never exceed the TxPSD. The PSD of the transmit signal may be further limited by a PSD ceiling (PSDC) that is applied to nodes involved in a particular connection (clause 5.4).

The LPM (see clauses 6.1.2, 6.2.2 and 6.3.2) specifies the absolute limit of the transmit PSD. However, if an RPM is specified for a particular region, the absolute limit shall be the minimum level between the LPM and RPM at any given frequency. The SM, PSDC, and PSM provide further reduction and shaping of the transmit PSD using three mechanisms: sub-carrier masking (notching), PSD ceiling (limit on PSD level), and PSD shaping.

ITU-T G.9960 and ITU-T G.9963 transceivers shall support sub-carrier masking, notching of international amateur radio bands, and PSD ceiling. Support of PSD shaping is optional.

The transmit PSD mask shall comply with national and regional regulatory requirements.

The LPM is defined based on the assumption that measurements are made using equipment conforming to [b-IEC CISPR 16-1] specifications using an RMS detector with a "maximum hold" function and using a resolution bandwidth of 9 kHz for frequencies below 30 MHz and 120 kHz for frequencies above 30 MHz. In order to conform to [b-IEC CISPR 22] and make reliable measurements, ITU-T G.9960 transceivers shall be active at least 10% of the time and sustain the transmit power level for a minimum of 250 ms.

NOTE - In addition to the mechanisms described in this clause that provide absolute limits to the transmit PSD (both in-band and out-of-band), this Recommendation defines a mechanism of PSD ceiling that allows dynamic reduction of the transmit power for each particular connection to the minimum value that is sufficient to achieve the given QoS targets.

5.1 Sub-carrier masking

Sub-carrier masking shall be used to eliminate transmission on one or more sub-carriers. Sub-carrier masking is defined by a sub-carrier mask (SM). The transmit power of sub-carriers specified in SM shall be set to zero (linear scale). The SM shall override all other instructions related to the transmit power of the sub-carrier.

The SM is defined as a number of masked frequency bands. Each band is specified by a start sub carrier index (x_L) and a stop sub-carrier index (x_H), as { x_L , x_H }. An SM including S bands can be represented in the following format:

$$SM(S) = [\{x_{L1}, x_{H1}\}, \{x_{L2}, x_{H2}\}, \dots \{x_{LS}, x_{HS}\}]$$

All sub-carriers within the band, i.e., with indices higher than or equal to xL and lower than or equal to xH, shall be switched off (transmitted with zero power).

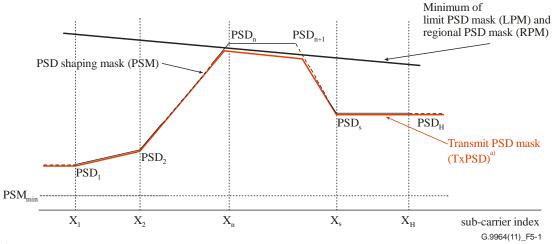
International amateur radio bands (see Annex D) are not a part of the SM. The node shall be capable of turning off one or more amateur radio bands.

NOTE – The SM is intended to incorporate masked sub-carriers that are defined by the regional annex to comply with local regulations, and masked sub-carriers that are defined by the user or service provider to facilitate local deployment practices.

5.2 Power spectral density shaping

Power spectral density (PSD) shaping allows transmit reduction of PSD in some parts of the spectrum, mainly for spectrum compatibility and coexistence with alien home network technologies. PSD shaping is specified by a PSD shaping mask (PSM).

PSM is defined on the frequency range between the lowest sub-carrier x_1 and the highest sub-carrier x_H , and consists of one or more frequency segments. The boundaries of the segments are defined by set breakpoints. Inside each segment, the PSD may either be constant or form a linear slope between the given PSD points (in dBm/Hz) with the frequency expressed in a linear scale, Figure 5-1.



^{a)}Sub-carrier mask (SM) is not shown in this figure.

Figure 5-1 – Construction of transmit PSD mask

Each breakpoint of PSM is specified by a sub-carrier index x_n and a value of PSD_n at that sub carrier expressed in dBm/Hz, { x_n , PSD_n }. PSD₁ shall also apply to sub-carriers below x1 and PSD_H shall also apply to sub-carriers above xH. A PSM including S segments can be represented by (S+1) breakpoints in the following format:

$$PSM(S) = [\{x_1, PSD_1\}, \{x_2, PSD_2\} \dots \{x_S, PSD_S\}, \{x_H, PSD_H\}]$$

A node supporting PSD shaping shall support up to 32 PSM breakpoints.

The maximum steepness of PSM slopes is for further study.

If one or more PSM breakpoints are set above the LPM or regional PSD mask (RPM), the transmit PSD mask shall be set to: TxPSD = min(PSM, LPM, RPM). All values of PSD_n of PSM breakpoints shall be set above PSM_{min} . The value of PSM_{min} shall not be more than 30 dB below the peak of the PSD shaping mask.

NOTE – PSM breakpoints do not have any relation with SM breakpoints; SM and notched international amateur radio bands always override the PSM if defined over the same indices.

5.3 Notching of international amateur radio bands

If an amateur radio band is masked, the sub-carriers with frequencies $(F_{AL} - F_{SC}) \le f \le (F_{HL} + F_{SC})$, where F_{AL} and F_{HL} are the low and the high frequency of the amateur radio band, as defined in Annex D, shall be turned off (zero power transmitted). In addition, for any node operating over a telephone line or power line, the PSD of the transmitted signal in all international amateur radio bands that are masked in the particular domain shall be at -85 dBm/Hz or lower.

The PSD slopes forming a notch are vendor discretionary.

5.4 Power spectral density ceiling

The PSD ceiling (PSDC) specifies the PSD level that is used to impose a limit (i.e., a ceiling function) on the transmit signal. The PSDC is independent of frequency and indicated by a single value in dBm/Hz. The valid range of PSDC values is from -50 dBm/Hz to -100 dBm/Hz in steps of 2 dB.

The PSDC shall be supported by all ITU-T G.9960 transceivers.

5.5 Notching of VDSL2 bands

Any node operating over a telephone line, coax, or power line, shall be able to reduce the PSD of the transmitted signal in one or more VDSL2 frequency bands to the levels appropriate for reliable transmission of VDSL2 signals, as defined in Annex E.

6 Medium-dependent specification of spectral content

6.1 Specification of spectral content for telephone lines

6.1.1 Control parameters

Table 6-1 shows the valid OFDM control parameters for various <u>bandplans_OFBs_defined</u> in telephone lines. The parameters are defined in [ITU-T G.9960].

Domain type	Telephone-line-baseband (Note 5)			
Bandplan		Profile 1		Duefile 2
name/OFB name	50 MHz-TB (Note 2)	100 MHz-TB (Note 3)	200 MHz-TB (Note 4)	Profile 2 (Note 6)
Minimum operational frequency	<u>0 MHz</u>	<u>0 MHz</u>	<u>0 MHz</u>	<u>OF_{MIN}</u>
Maximum operational frequency	<u>50 MHz</u>	<u>100 MHz</u>	<u>200 MHz</u>	<u>OF_{MAX}</u>
N	1024	2048	4096	<u>(OF_{MAX} – OF_{MIN})/F_{SC}</u>
F _{SC}	48.828125 kHz	48.828125kHz	48.828125 kHz	48.828125 kHz
<u>S (Sampling</u> <u>frequency)</u>	$\underline{N\times F_{SC}}$	$\underline{N \times F_{SC}} \qquad \underline{N \times F_{SC}}$		$\underline{N\times F_{SC}}$
N _{GI}	$N/32 \times k$ for $k =$ 1,,8 samples @ $50-\underline{S}$ Msamples/s	$N/32 \times k$ for $k = 1,,8$ samples @ 100-S Msamples/s	$N/32 \times k$ for $k =$ 1,,8 samples @ <u>S200</u> Msamples/s	$\frac{N/32 \times k \text{ for } k =}{1, \dots, 8 \text{ samples } (\underline{a})}$ $\frac{S \text{ Msamples/s}}{S \text{ Msamples/s}}$
N _{GI-HD}	<i>N</i> /4 = 256 samples @ <u>50-S</u> Msamples/s	N/4 = 512 samples @ 100-S Msamples/s	N/4 = 1024 samples @ $\frac{200-S}{s}$ Msamples/	<u>N/4 samples</u> @ S Msamples/s
N _{GI-DF}	N/4 = 256 samples @ 50-S Msamples/s	N/4 = 512 samples @ 100 -S Msamples/s	N/4 = 1024 samples @ $200 \cdot S$ Msamples/s	<u>N/4 samples @</u> <u>S Msamples/s</u>
β	N/32 = 32 samples @ 50- <u>S</u> Msamples/s	$\frac{N/32 = 64 \text{ samples } @}{100 \text{-}\underline{S} \text{-}\underline{M}\text{samples/s}} = \frac{N/32 = 128 \text{ samples}}{@}$		<u>N/32 samples @</u> <u>S Msamples/s</u>
Fus	25 MHz	50 MHz 100 MHz		$(OF_{MAX} - OF_{MIN})/2$
F_{UC}	0 MHz	0 MHz	0 MHz	<u>OF_{MIN}</u>
Sub-carrier indexing rule (Note 1)	Rule #1	Rule #1	Rule #1	<u>Rule #1</u>
NOTE 1 – See	clause 7.1.4.1 of [ITU-	-T G.9960] for more deta	ils on sub-carrier index	rules.

 Table 6-1 – OFDM control parameters for telephone lines

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NOTE 2 – The range of sub-carrier frequencies is between 0 and 50 MHz.

NOTE 3 – The range of sub-carrier frequencies is between 0 and 100 MHz.

NOTE 4 – The range of sub-carrier frequencies is between 0 and 200 MHz.

NOTE 5 – Telephone-line baseband profile is also applicable to any other pair-based copper cable (e.g., Cat5)

<u>NOTE 6 – OFMAX and OFMIN correspond to the maximum and minimum frequency that may</u> be used during a <u>Profile 2</u> OFB transmission. OFMAX – OFMIN shall be a multiple of 50 MHz

6.1.2 PSD mask specifications over telephone lines

The limit PSD mask (LPM) for operation over telephone lines (bandplans 50 MHz-TB, 100 MHz-TB and 200 MHz-TB <u>OFBs</u>) shall be as presented in Figure 6-1 for bandplans 50 MHz-TB and 100 MHz-TB <u>OFBs</u>-and, Figure 6-1.1 for bandplan-200 MHz-TB <u>OFB and Figure 6-1.2 for Profile 2 OFBs</u>, with the values of frequencies f_L - f_H as presented in Tables 6-2 and 6-3.

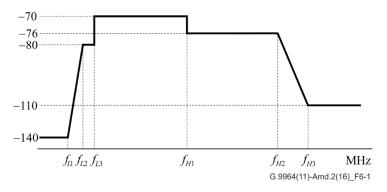


Figure 6-1 – Limit PSD mask for transmission over telephone lines (amateur radio-band notches are not shown)

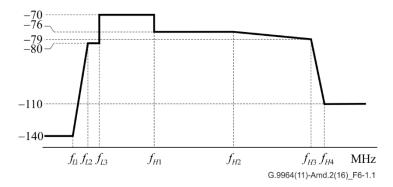
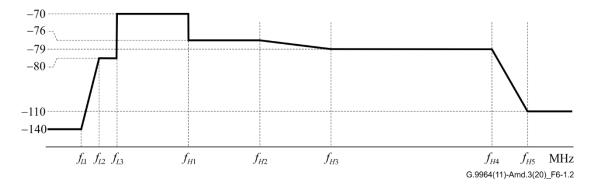


Figure 6-1.1 – Limit PSD mask for transmission over telephone lines (amateur radio-band notches are not shown)



<u>Figure 6-1.2 – Limit PSD mask for transmission over telephone lines</u> (amateur radio-band notches are not shown)

The values of frequency spectrum parameters for 50 MHz-TB, 100 MHz-TB, and 200 MHz-TB and Profile 2 OFBs –are presented in Tables 6-2, 6-3, <u>and 6-3.1 and 6-3.2</u>, respectively. Intermediate points between those defined in Figures 6-1, <u>and 6-1.1 and 6-1.2</u> shall be obtained by linear interpolation (in dB over linear frequency scale).

Parameters	Frequency, MHz	PSD, dBm/Hz	Note/Description
fL1	1.7	-140	Provides protection of splitter-less ADSL
f _{L2}	3.5	-80	Coincides with the amateur radio band
fL3	4.0		
$f_{L3} + \Delta F$	$4.0 + \Delta F$	-70	ΔF is an arbitrary small positive value
$f_{H1} - \Delta F$	$30 - \Delta F$	-70	ΔF is an arbitrary small positive value
fH1	30	-76	
fн2	50		
fнз	60	-110	

 Table 6-2 – Parameters of limit PSD mask for the 50 MHz-TB bandplanOFB

Table 6-3 – Parameters of limit PSD mask for the 100 MHz-TB bandplanOFB

Parameters	Frequency, MHz	PSD, dBm/Hz	Note/Description
f_{L1}	1.7	-140	Provides protection of splitter-less ADSL
f_{L2}	3.5	-80	Coincides with the amateur radio band
f_{L3}	4.0		
$f_{L3} + \Delta F$	$4.0 + \Delta F$	-70	ΔF is an arbitrary small positive value
$f_{H1} - \Delta F$	$30 - \Delta F$	-70	ΔF is an arbitrary small positive value
fн1	30	-76	
fн2	100		
fнз	120	-110	

NOTE – Sub-carriers above $f_{H2} - \Delta F$ shall not be used for transmission (neither data nor any auxiliary information).

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$f_{H1} - \Delta F$	$30 - \Delta F$	-70	ΔF is an arbitrary small positive value
fн1	30	-76	
f _{H2}	100		
fнз	200	-79	
f _{H4}	240	-110	
NOTE – Sub-ca information).	arriers above $f_{H2} - \Delta F$ s	shall not be used for	transmission (neither data nor any auxiliary

Table 6-3.1 – Parameters of limit PSD mask for the 200 MHz-TB bandplanOFB

Table 6-3.2 – Parameters of limit PSD mask for Profile 2 OFBs

Parameters	<u>Frequency,</u> <u>MHz</u>	<u>PSD,</u> dBm/Hz	Note/Description	
<u>f_1</u>	<u>1.7</u>	<u>-140</u>	Provides protection of splitter-less ADSL	
<u>f_12</u>	<u>3.5</u>	<u>-80</u>	Coincides with the amateur radio band	
<u>f_13</u>	<u>4.0</u>			
$f_{L3} + \Delta F$	$\underline{4.0 + \Delta F}$	<u>-70</u>	ΔF is an arbitrary small positive value	
$f_{H1} - \Delta F$	$30 - \Delta F$	<u>-70</u>	ΔF is an arbitrary small positive value	
<u>f_H1</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>-76</u>		
<u>f</u>	<u>100</u>			
<u>f</u>	<u>200</u>	<u>-79</u>		
<u>f_H4</u>	<u>400</u>	<u>-79</u>		
<u>f</u>	<u>480</u>	<u>-110</u>		
<u>NOTE – Sub-carriers above $f_{H2} - \Delta F$ shall not be used for transmission (neither data nor any auxiliary</u> information).				

NOTE 1 – When additional spectrum shaping is used as described in clause 5.2 (e.g., to provide spectrum compatibility, comply with wide-band power limit, or other), various parts of this PSD mask could be reduced by switching sub-carriers off or reducing their transmit power. Additional frequency notches may be applied if required.

NOTE 2 – VDSL2 is usually deployed using a service splitter ([b-ITU-T G.993.2] does not encourage splitterless VDSL2 installations). This allows the use of the ITU-T G.9960 spectrum down to f_{L3} . If splitterless VDSL2 is used, the low frequency of the ITU-T G.9960 spectrum shall be moved up and set above the upper downstream sub-carrier of VDSL2.

See clause 7.2.1 of [ITU-T G.9960] for further physical layer specification of operation over telephone lines.

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6.1.3 Permanently masked sub-carriers

Sub-carriers 0-72 (inclusive) shall be permanently masked over telephone lines. They shall not be used for transmission (neither data nor any auxiliary information).

6.2 Specification of spectral content for power lines

6.2.1 Control parameters

Table 6-4 shows the valid OFDM control parameters for various <u>bandplans-OFBs</u> defined in power lines. The parameters are defined in [ITU-T G.9960].

Domain type		Power-line baseband			
Bandplan-OFB	Profile 1				
name Parameter	25 MHz – PB (Note 3)	50 MHz – PB (Note 3)	100 MHz – PB (Note 3)		
Ν	1024	2048	4096		
F _{SC}	24.4140625 kHz	24.4140625 kHz	24.4140625 kHz		
N _{GI}	$N/32 \times k$ for k = 1,,8 samples @ 25 Msamples/s	N/32 × k for k = 1,,8 samples @ 50 Msamples/s	$N/32 \times k$ for $k = 1,,8$ samples @ 100 Msamples/s		
N _{GI-HD}	N/4 = 256 samples @ 25 Msamples/s	N/4 = 512 samples @ 50 Msamples/s	N/4 = 1024 samples @ 100 Msamples/s		
N _{GI-DF}	N/4 = 256 samples @ 25 Msamples/s	N/4 = 512 samples @ 50 Msamples/s	N/4 = 1024 samples @ 100 Msamples/s		
β	N/8 = 128 samples @ 25 Msamples/s	N/8 = 256 samples @ 50 Msamples/s	N/8 = 512 samples @ 100 Msamples/s		
F_{US}	12.5 MHz	25 MHz	50 MHz		
F_{UC}	0 MHz	0 MHz	0 MHz		
Sub-carrier indexing rule (Note 1)	Rule #1	Rule #1	Rule #1		

Table 6-4 – OFDM control parameters for power lines

NOTE 2 – The 25 MHz, 50 MHz and 100 MHz bandplans-OFBs may be used by nodes operating in the same power-line baseband domain.

NOTE 3 – The range of sub-carrier frequencies is between 0 and $2 \times F_{US}$ MHz.

6.2.2 PSD mask specifications over power lines

The baseband limit PSD masks for operation over power lines shall be as presented in Figure 6-2 for the 25 MHz-PB, 50 MHz-PB and 100 MHz-PB with the values of frequencies fL-fH as presented in Table 6-5.

NOTE 1 – PSD levels may be further limited by EMC regulatory requirements.

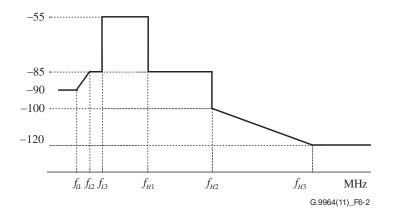


Figure 6-2 – Limit PSD mask for baseband transmission over power lines for 25 MHz-PB, 50 MHz-PB and 100 MHz-PB bandplans <u>OFBs</u> (amateur radio-band notches are not shown)

The values of frequency spectrum parameters for 25 MHz-PB, 50 MHz-PB and 100 MHz-PB are presented in Table 6-5. Intermediate points between those defined in Figure 6-2 are obtained by linear interpolation (in dB over linear frequency scale).

Parameters	Frequency (MHz)	PSD (dBm/Hz)	Note/Description			
fLI	1.1	-90	Additional reduction below 1.1 MHz is to reduce crosstalk into ADSL			
fL2	1.8	-85	Coincides with the amateur radio band			
f_{L3}	2.0					
$f_{L3} + \Delta F$	$2.0 + \Delta F$	-55	ΔF is an arbitrary small positive value			
$f_{H1} - \Delta F$	$30 - \Delta F$	-55	ΔF is an arbitrary small positive value			
fнı	30	-85	ΔF is an arbitrary small positive value			
$f_{H2} - \Delta F$	$100 - \Delta F$					
f _{H2}	100	-100				
f _{H3}	250	-120				
NOTE – Sub-car	NOTE – Sub-carriers above $f_{H2} - \Delta F$ shall not be used for transmission (neither data nor any auxiliary					

Table 6-5 – Parameters of limit PSD mask for the 25 MHz-PB, 50 MHz-PB, and 100 MHz-PB <u>bandplansOFBs</u>

NOTE – Sub-carriers above $f_{H2} - \Delta F$ shall not be_used for transmission (neither data nor any auxiliary information).

NOTE 2 – If additional spectrum shaping is used, as described in clause 5.2 (e.g., to provide spectrum compatibility with VDSL2, or to comply with the wide-band power limit), various parts of this PSD mask could be reduced by switching sub-carriers off or reducing their transmit power. Additional frequency notches may be applied if required.

Sub-carriers with frequencies (80 MHz – F_{SC}) $\leq f \leq$ (100 MHz + F_{SC}) shall be masked (zero power transmitted) via SM unless the usage of this band is allowed by the regional regulation.

See clause 7.2.2 of [ITU-T G.9960] for further physical layer specification of operation over power lines.

6.2.3 Permanently masked sub-carriers

For baseband transmissions, sub-carriers 0-74 (inclusive) shall be permanently masked over power lines. They shall not be used for transmission (neither data nor any auxiliary information).

6.3 Specification of spectral content for coax

6.3.1 Control parameters

Table 6-6 shows the valid OFDM control parameters for various <u>bandplans_OFBs</u> defined in coax cable. The parameters are defined in [ITU-T G.9960].

Domain type	Coax baseband (Note 2)		Coax	Coax RF (Note 2)		
Bandplan			Profile 2 OFB	Profile 1 OFBs		
name/OFB name Parameter	50 MHz- CB (Note 4)	100 MHz-CB (Note 5)	200 MHz-CB (Note 9)	(<u>Note 10)</u>	50 MHz-CRF (Note 6)	100 MHz-CRF (Note 7)
Minimum operational frequencyA	<u>0 MHz</u> 256	<u>0 MHz</u> 512	<u>0 MHz</u> 1024	<u>OF_{MIN}</u>	<u>0 MHz</u> 256	<u>0 MHz</u> 512
Maximum operational frequency	<u>50 MHz</u>	<u>100 MHz</u>	<u>200 MHz</u>	<u>OF_{MAX}</u>	<u>50 MHz</u>	<u>100 MHz</u>
F _{SC}	195.3125 kHz	195.3125 kHz	195.3125 kHz	48.828125 kHz	195.3125 kHz	195.3125 kHz
<u>S</u> (Sampling frequency)	$\underline{N \times F_{SC}}$	$\underline{N \times F_{SC}}$	$\underline{N \times F_{SC}}$	$\underline{N \times F_{SC}}$	$\underline{N \times F_{SC}}$	$\underline{N \times F_{SC}}$
N _{GI}	$\frac{N/32 \times k \text{ for}}{k = 1, \dots, 8}$ samples @ $\frac{50 \cdot S}{M \text{ samples/s}}$	$\frac{N/32 \times k \text{ for}}{k = 1, \dots, 8}$ samples @ $\frac{100 \text{ S}}{\text{Msampl}}$ es/s	$\frac{N/32 \times k \text{ for}}{k = 1, \dots, 8}$ samples @ $\frac{200 \text{ S}}{200 \text{ S}} \text{ Msampl}$ es/s	$\frac{N/32 \times k \text{ for } k =}{1, \dots, 8 \text{ samples}}$ $\frac{@}{S \text{ Msamples/s}}$	$\frac{N/32 \times k \text{ for}}{k = 1,,8}$ samples @ 50 S_Msamples/s	$N/32 \times k$ for k = 1,,8 samples @ 100 -S_Msample s/s
N _{GI-HD}	N/4 = 64 samples @ 50-S Msamples/s	$N/4 = 128$ samples @ $\frac{100-\underline{S}}{\underline{Msamples/s}}$	N/4 = 256 samples @ 200-<u>S</u> Msamples/s	<u>N/4 samples</u> <u>@ S Msamples/</u> <u>s</u>	$\frac{N/4 = 64}{\text{samples } @ \frac{50}{\text{S}}}$	N/4 = 128 samples @ 100 S Msample s/s
N _{GI-DF}	N/4 = 64 samples @ 50-S Msamples/s	$\frac{N/4 = 128}{\text{samples } @}$ $\frac{100 \text{-} \underline{S}}{\text{Msampl}}$ $\frac{100 \text{-} \underline{S}}{\text{s}}$	N/4 = 256 samples @ 200-S Msamples/s	<u>N/4 samples @</u> <u>S Msamples/s</u>	$\frac{N/4 = 64}{\text{samples } @ \frac{50}{\text{S}}}$	N/4 = 128 samples @ 100 -S_Msample s/s
β	$\frac{N/32 = 8}{\text{samples } @}$ $\frac{50 \cdot S}{\text{Msamples/s}}$	$\frac{N/32 = 16}{\text{samples } @}$ $\frac{100 \text{ S}}{\text{Msampl}}$ $\frac{100 \text{ S}}{\text{s}}$	$\frac{N/32 = 32}{\text{samples } @}$ $\frac{200 \text{ S}}{\text{Msampl}}$ $\frac{1}{\text{es/s}}$	<u>N/32 samples @</u> <u>S Msamples/s</u>	$\frac{N/32 = 8}{\text{samples } @ \frac{50}{\text{S}}}$	N/32 = 16 samples @ 100-S Msample s/s
F_{US}	25 MHz	50 MHz	100 MHz	$\frac{(OF_{MAX} - OF_{MIN})/2}{OF_{MIN}/2}$	25 MHz	50 MHz
FUC	0 MHz	0 MHz	0 MHz	OF _{MIN}	<i>X</i> (Note 3)	<i>Y</i> (Note 3)
Sub-carrier indexing rule (Note 1)	Rule #1	Rule #1	Rule #1	<u>Rule #1</u>	Rule #1 if $X =$ <i>Y</i> , or rule #2 if <i>X</i> + 25 MHz = <i>Y</i> + 50 MHz (Note 8)	Rule #1 if $X =$ <i>Y</i> , or rule #2 if <i>X</i> + 25 MHz = <i>Y</i> + 50 MHz (Note 8)

NOTE 1 – See clause 7.1.4.1 for more details on sub-carrier indexing rules.

NOTE 2 – The 50 MHz, 100 MHz and 200 MHz <u>bandplans-OFBs</u> may be used by nodes operating in the same coax baseband domain. The same principle applies to 50 MHz and 100 MHz <u>bandplans-OFBs</u> defined for coax RF domain.

Table 6-6 – OFDM control parameters for coax cables

NOTE 3 – The values of F_{UC} shall be selected from the valid set defined in Table 7-67 of [ITU-T G.9960] and may be subject to regional spectrum management rules (see regional annexes). NOTE 4 – The range of sub-carrier frequencies is between 0 and 50 MHz. NOTE 5 – The range of sub-carrier frequencies is between 0 and 100 MHz. NOTE 6 – The range of sub-carrier frequencies is between *X* MHz and (*X* + 50) MHz. NOTE 7 – The range of sub-carrier frequencies is between *Y* MHz and (*Y* + 100) MHz. NOTE 8 – The specific indexing rule is specified in each regional annex. NOTE 9 – The range of sub-carrier frequencies is between 0 and 200 MHz.

6.3.2 PSD mask specifications over coax

The limit PSD mask for operation over coax RF is presented in Figure 6-3 with the frequencies as presented in Table 6-7 (bandplan-50 MHz-CRF OFB) and Table 6-8 (bandplan-100 MHz-CRF OFB) where the bandwidth $BW = f_{H1} - f_{L3}$.

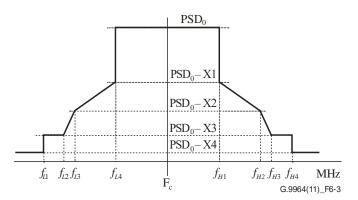


Figure 6-3 – Limit PSD mask of a single channel for RF transmission over coax

The proposed values of frequency spectrum parameters for coax are presented in Tables 6-7 and 6-8. It is assumed that intermediate points between those defined in Figure 6-3 are obtained by linear interpolation (dB over linear frequency scale).

Parameters	Frequency (MHz)	PSD (dBm/Hz) (Note 1)	Note/Description	
$F_C - f_{L1}$	75	$PSD_0 - 50$		
$F_C - f_{L2}$	50	$PSD_0 - 45$		
$F_C - f_{L3}$	35	$PSD_0 - 40$		
$F_C - f_{L4}$	25	PSD_0-20		
	$f_{L4} + \Delta F$	PSD ₀	ΔF is an arbitrary small positive value	
Fc	$M \times 25 \text{ MHz}$	PSD ₀		
	$f_{H1} - \Delta F$	PSD_0	ΔF is an arbitrary small positive value	
$f_{H1} - F_C$	25	$PSD_0 - 20$		
$f_{H2} - F_C$	35	$PSD_0 - 40$		
$\frac{f_{H2} - F_C}{f_{H3} - F_C}$	50	$PSD_0 - 45$		

Table 6-7 – Parameters of limit PSD mask over coax RF for the 50 MHz-CRF bandplanOFB

Table 6-7 – Parameters of limit PSD mask over coax RF for the 50 MHz-CRF bandplanOFB

Parameters	rametersFrequency (MHz)PSD (dBm/Hz) (Note 1)Note/Description			
$f_{H4} - F_C$ 75 PSD ₀ - 50				
NOTE $1 - PSD_0 = -68 \text{ dBm/Hz}$				
NOTE 2 –Sub-carriers below $f_{L4} + \Delta F$, and above $f_{H1} - \Delta F$ shall not be used for transmission (neither data				
nor any auxilia	ry information).			

Table 6-8 – Parameters of limit PSD mask over coax RF for the 100 MHz-CRF bandp	lanOFB
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Parameters	Frequency (MHz)	PSD (dBm/Hz) (Note 1)	Note/Description
$F_{\rm C}-f_{L1}$	150	PSD_0-50	
$F_{\rm C}-f_{L2}$	100	$PSD_0 - 45$	
$F_{\rm C}-f_{L3}$	70	$PSD_0 - 40$	
$F_{\rm C}-f_{L4}$	50	$PSD_0 - 20$	
	$f_{L4} + \Delta F$	PSD ₀	ΔF is an arbitrary small positive value
F _C	$M \times 25$ MHz	PSD ₀	
	$f_{H1} - \Delta F$	PSD ₀	ΔF is an arbitrary small positive value
$f_{H1}-F_{\rm C}$	50	$PSD_0 - 20$	
$f_{H2} - F_{\rm C}$	70	$PSD_0 - 40$	
$f_{H3} - F_{\rm C}$	100	$PSD_0 - 45$	
$f_{H4} - F_{\rm C}$	150	$PSD_0 - 50$	
NOTE 1 DOD	$h_{\rm e} = -68 \mathrm{dBm/Hz}$	1	1

NOTE $1 - PSD_0 = -68 \text{ dBm/Hz}$

NOTE 2 – Sub-carriers below $f_{L4} + \Delta F$, and above $f_{H1} - \Delta F$ shall not be used for transmission (neither data nor any auxiliary information).

NOTE 1 -If additional spectrum shaping is used, as described in clause 5.2, the transmit PSD mask can be reduced in the relevant parts of this spectrum by switching sub-carriers off or reducing their transmit power.

NOTE 2 - In cases where more than one channel is established over the same coax cable, appropriate gaps between centre frequencies of the channels should be set to account values of the out-of-band PSD presented in Tables 6-7 and 6-8.

NOTE 3 - Out-of-band spurious signals at the output of a node operating over coax in RF mode are supposed to meet the limit PSD mask defined in Tables 6-7 and 6-8. The limit for total power of out-of-band spurious signals is for further study. The requirements for in-band spurious signals are for further study.

NOTE 4 – Specification of guard bands are for further study.

The limit PSD mask for operation over baseband Profile 1 coax OFBs (bandplans 50 MHz-CB, 100 MHz-CB, 200 MHz-CB OFBs) is presented in Figure 6-4 with the frequencies and PSD levels presented in Table 6-9 (bandplan 50 MHz-CB OFB), Table 6-10 (bandplan 100 MHz-CB OFB), and Table 6-10.1 (bandplan 200 MHz-CB OFB) where the bandwidth $BW = f_{H1} - f_{L2}$.

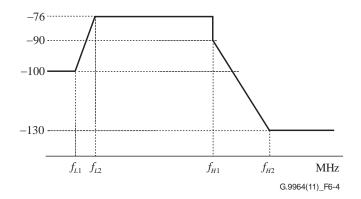


Figure 6-4 – Limit PSD mask of baseband coax (Profile 1 OFBs)

The intermediate points between those defined in Figure 6-4 are obtained by linear interpolation (dB over a linear frequency scale).

Table 6-9 – Parameters of limit PSD mask over coax for the 50 MHz-CB bandplanOF	Table 6-9 -	- Parameters	of limit PSD n	nask over coax f	for the 50 MHz-C	B bandplan OFB
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Parameters	Frequency (MHz)	PSD (dBm/Hz)	Note/Description		
f_{L1}	1	-100			
fL2	5	-76			
$f_{H1} - \Delta F$	$50 - \Delta F$	-76	ΔF is an arbitrary small positive value		
f _{H1}	50	-90			
fн2	70	-130			
NOTE – Sub-carriers above $f_{H1} - \Delta F$ shall not be used for transmission (neither of data nor of any auxiliary information).					

Table 6-10 – Parameters	of limit PSD mask over	coax for the 100 MHz-C	B bandplan OFB
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Parameters	Frequency (MHz)	PSD (dBm/Hz)	Note/Description
f_{L1}	1	-100	
f_{L2}	5	-76	
$f_{H1} - \Delta F$	$100 - \Delta F$	-76	ΔF is an arbitrary small positive value
f_{H1}	100	-90	
f _{H2}	140	-130	
NOTE – Sub-ca	arriers above $f_{H1} - \Delta F$ s	hall not be used for	transmission (neither of data nor of any

auxiliary information).

Parameters	Frequency (MHz)	PSD (dBm/Hz)	Note/Description
f_{L1}	1	-100	
f_{L2}	5	-76	
$f_{H1} - \Delta F$	$200 - \Delta F$	-76	ΔF is an arbitrary small positive value
fн1	200	-90	
fн2	280	-130	
NOTE – Sub-ca	arriers above $f_{H1} - \Delta F$ s	hall not be used for t	transmission (neither of data nor of any

Table 6-10.1 – Parameters of limit PSD mask over coax for the 200 MHz-CB bandplanOFB

auxiliary information).

NOTE 5 - If additional spectrum shaping is used, as described in clause 5.2, the transmit PSD mask can be reduced in the relevant parts of this spectrum by switching sub-carriers off or reducing their transmit power.

See clause 7.2.3 of [ITU-T G.9960] for further physical layer specification of operation over coax.

The limit PSD mask for operation over Profile 2 coax OFBs is presented in Figure 6-4.1 with the frequencies and PSD levels presented in Table 6-10.2 where the bandwidth $BW = f_{H1} - f_{L2}$.

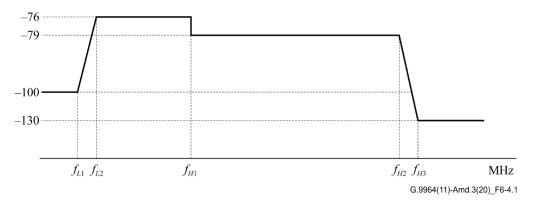


Figure 6-4.1 – Limit PSD mask of coax (Profile 2 OFBs)

The intermediate points between those defined in Figure 6-4.1 are obtained by linear interpolation (dB over a linear frequency scale).

Parameters	<u>Frequency</u> (MHz)	PSD (dBm/Hz)	Note/Description
<u>f_1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>-100</u>	
<u>f_12</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>–76</u>	
$f_{H1} - \Delta F$	$200 - \Delta F$	<u>–76</u>	ΔF is an arbitrary small positive value
<u>f_H1</u>	<u>200</u>	<u> </u>	
<u>f</u>	2000	<u> </u>	
<u>f</u>	2200	<u>-130</u>	

Table 6-10.2 – Parameters of limit PSD mask over coax for Profile 2 OFBs

<u>NOTE 6 – If additional spectrum shaping is used, as described in clause 5.2, the transmit PSD mask can be</u> reduced in the relevant parts of this spectrum by switching sub-carriers off or reducing their transmit power.

See clause 7.2.3 of [ITU-T G.9960] for further physical layer specification of operation over coax.

6.3.3 Permanently masked sub-carriers

For baseband transmissions, sub-carriers 0-10 (inclusive) shall be permanently masked over coax. They shall not be used for transmission (neither data nor any auxiliary information).

6.3.4 Coexistence on coax

Nodes on coax shall use specified detection and frequency agility capabilities and procedures to avoid interfering with alien home networks and other services (e.g., communication and broadcast services) operating on the same coax plant. Details of these capabilities and procedures will be specified in a future version of this Recommendation.

6.4 Termination impedance

The nominal values of termination (load) impedance for different types of media are defined in Table 6-11. The standard termination impedance shall be used for PSD and total transmit power measurement.

Medium	Termination impedance
Baseband power line	100 Ohm
Telephone line	100 Ohm
Baseband coax	75 Ohm
RF coax	75 Ohm

 Table 6-11 – Standard termination impedance

6.5 Total transmit power

The total transmit power of the transceiver terminated with a standard termination impedance (see clause 6.4) shall not exceed the values presented in Table 6-12.

Medium	Bandplan <u>OFB</u>	TX power limit (dBm)	Frequency range of measurement (MHz)
Baseband power line	50 MHz-PB	+20	0.005-100
	100 MHz-PB	+20	0.005-150
Telephone line	50 MHz-TB	+3	0.005-100
	100 MHz-TB	+4.5	0.005-150
	200 MHz-TB	+6	0.005-250
	Profile 2	$3 + 1.5 \times Log_2(F/50)$	OF _{MAX} -OF _{MIN}
Baseband coax	50 MHz-CB	-1	0.005-100
	100 MHz-CB	+2	0.005-150
	200 MHz-CB	+5	0.005-300
	Profile 2	$-1 + 3 \times Log_2(F/50)$	<u>OF_{MAX}-OF_{MIN}</u>
RF coax	50 MHz-RF	+5	$(F_{UC} - 100)$ - $(F_{UC} + 100)$
	100 MHz-RF	+8	$(F_{UC} - 150)$ - $(F_{UC} + 150)$
$\underline{NOTE} - F = (OF_{MAX} - OF_{MIN}) \text{ (see Tables 6-1, 6-4 and 6-6)}.$			

 Table 6-12 – Total transmit power limit

6.6 Receiver input impedance

When operating on power-line medium and not transmitting, an implementing device shall present a minimum impedance of 40 ohm in the band from 1.8 MHz to 50 MHz measured between line (phase) and neutral terminals. It shall present a minimum impedance of 20 ohm in the ranges from 100 kHz to 1.8 MHz and from 50 MHz to 100 MHz.

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Annex D

International amateur radio bands

(This annex forms an integral part of this Recommendation.)

Band start (kHz)	Band stop (kHz)	SC _{START} (Note 1)	SC _{END} (Note 1)	SC _{START} (Note 2)	SC _{END} (Note 2)
1 800	2 000	73	82	36	41
3 500	4 000	143	164	71	82
7 000	7 300	286	300	143	150
10 100	10 150	413	416	206	208
14 000	14 350	573	588	286	294
18 068	18 168	740	745	370	373
21 000	21 450	860	879	430	440
24 890	24 990	1 019	1 024	509	512
28 000	29 700	1 146	1 217	573	609
50 000	54 000	2 047	2 212	1 023	1 106
<u>69 900</u>	<u>70 500</u>	<u>2 863</u>	<u>2 888</u>	<u>1 431</u>	<u>1 444</u>
14 4000	148 000	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>2 949</u>	<u>3 032</u>
21 9000	<u>22 5000</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>4 485</u>	<u>4 619</u>
<u>42 0000</u>	450 000	<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>8 601</u>	<u>9 217</u>
NOTE 2 – Sub-c where SCSTAR	arrier index is in te	erms of 48.828125 r to the start and s	5 kHz spacing (all	power-line bandp elephone line band nasked sub-carrier	lplans<u>OFBs</u>)

Table D.1 – International amateur radio bands in the frequency range 0-100 MHz

Annex E

Impact of ITU-T G.9960 on VDSL2 service

(This annex forms an integral part of this Recommendation.)

This annex defines the means to reduce the impact of [ITU-T G.9960] on the VDSL2 service. The means vary depending on the type of medium and if the service shares the same wires with VDSL2 or is routed nearby. The actual VDSL2 frequency bands in which impact of ITU-T G.9960 transmission occurs, and the corresponding PSD reductions are also regionally specific and may be configured via the remote or local domain management system using the configuration parameters defined in this annex. Details are for further study.

Appendix I

Additional radio frequency bands

(This appendix does not form an integral part of this Recommendation.)

This appendix lists additional radio frequency bands where PSD reduction may be required by national regulations.

Band start (kHz)	Band stop (kHz)
2 300	2 498
3 200	3 400
3 900	4 000
4 750	5 060
5 900	6 200
7 200	7 450
9 400	9 900
11 600	12 100
13 570	13 870
15 100	15 800
17 480	17 900
18 900	19 020
21 450	21 850
25 670	26 100

Table I.1 – International broadcast bands

Table I.2 -	- Aeronautical	mobile	bands
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Band start (kHz)	Band stop (kHz)
2 850	3 150
3 400	3 500
3 800	3 950
4 650	4 850
5 450	5 730
6 525	6 765
8 815	9 040
10 005	10 100
11 175	11 400
13 200	13 360

Band start (kHz)	Band stop (kHz)
15 010	15 100
17 900	18 030
21 924	22 000
23 200	23 350

Table I.2 – Aeronautical mobile bands

$Table \ I.3-Radio \ astronomy \ bands$

Band start (kHz)	Band stop (kHz)
13 360	13 410
25 550	25 670

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