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**Analysis of XtremeSpectrum
Proposal of November 2001 and
Federal Systems Including GPS**

All Federal Criteria Are Satisfied

Updated 2/4/2002 To Include Federal Radar System Siting Policies



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This Presentation Will Show

- **Protection criteria for NTIA 01-43 systems met**
 - By XtremeSpectrum proposal for Peer-to-Peer operation
 - These limits are more conservative than needed

 - **GPSIC recommendation for GPS protection met**
 - These levels are lower than any other FCC proceeding
 - UWB can guarantee level of safety for GPS—other spectrum users do not

 - **No new technical information or techniques are contained or used in this analysis**
 - Updated To Include Federal Radar System Siting Policies
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Key Usage Constraints From the XtremeSpectrum Proposal



■ No mast or pole mounted UWB devices

- Devices are indoors, on a patio or rooftop or on the ground
 - UWB will go where computers go—and must be safe!

■ No automatic peer-to-peer

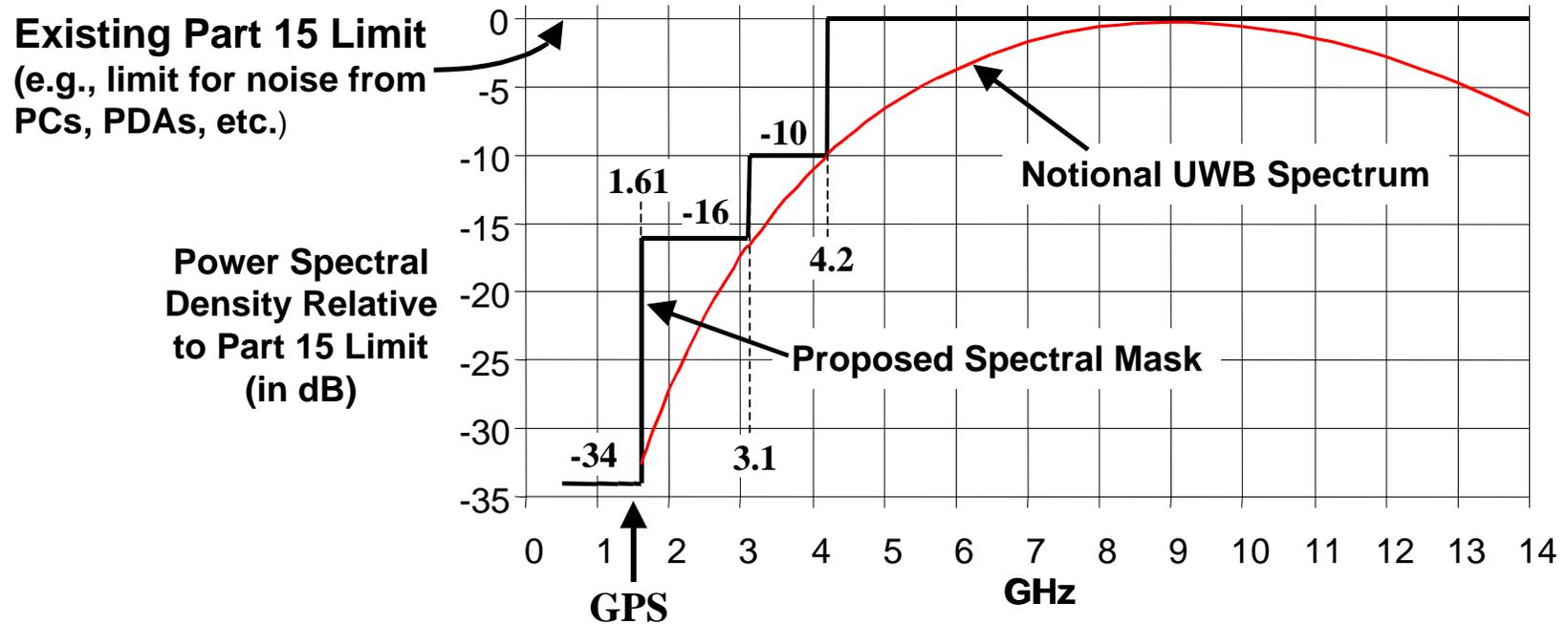
- Must be affirmatively initiated by the user

■ Building attenuation not needed to meet NTIA protection criteria

- Even though devices are mostly indoors

■ *Note these constraints, they impact the analysis*

UWB Levels From the XtremeSpectrum Proposal



- Levels are far below those proposed in the NPRM
- Levels in the GPS bands meet GPSIC proposal, they exceed RTCA and all other GPS advocates in ALL other FCC proceedings

The record does not justify limits tighter than Sec. 15.209(a) values in the 3100-4200 MHz band. XtremeSpectrum will accept this limit if necessary to resolve a ban on peer-to-peer



Assessment Criteria

- **Only NTIA SP 01-43 criteria used**
 - **All NTIA supplied data accepted**
 - **NTIA used I/N criteria from ITU-R**
 - Widely accepted ITU-R Recommendation
 - I/N criteria for radionav has been vetted in ITU-R SG 8 and accepted by FAA
 - ***XS applied US Government established mandates & guidelines to scenario geometries***
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Formatting of this Presentation

- **Systems are generally covered as**
 - What they are
 - Issue identification
 - Issue resolution summary
 - Issue resolution detail (as needed)

- **Summary tables supplied with most systems**
 - Summary table entries follow NTIA SP 01-43 Table 1
 - Supply dB below Class B to meet protection criteria
 - Supply separation range to meet protection criteria

Reference Information on RF Safety—Not Used to Meet Criteria



- **Radars are not directed (sited) to pose an RF hazard to the public**
 - This is an ethical consideration related to real world scenario geometries

 - **Key test standards for RF radiation safety (e.g. around big radars)**
 - General Electronics Devices, 3V/m (Computers, calculators, GPS ...)
 - IEC 61000-4-3 general EMC test
 - Critical Medical Electronic Devices, **10 V/m** (pacemakers, insulin pumps ...)
 - IEC 60601-1-2 (**FDA recommendation – 10V/m**)
 - Automobiles, **50 V/m** (automatic braking systems, electronic ignition, etc.)
 - SAE J1113 – part 8 - also 20 V/m part 9
 - Aircraft, **100 V/m**
 - FAA Notice N8110.71 – for fixed wing aircraft
 - Fuels, **3.1 kV/m**
 - DNA 4284-F-SAS-1

 - **Part 15 UWB levels are never larger than 500 uV/m at 3 m**
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Margins Between NTIA 01-43 and XtremeSpectrum Proposal



System	GHz	NTIA Acceptable* dBm/MHz		XSI Mask dBm/MH z	dB Below Class B	Ave Bldg Loss (dB)	dB Margin of XS Proposal relative to NTIA Protection Criteria	
		2m	30m				2m Case In/Out	30m Case In/Out
DME, Interrogator	0.960-1.215	-46	NA	-75	34	9	38/29	-
DME, Transponder	1.025-1.150	-63	-56	-75	34	9	21/12	28/19
ATCRBS, Transponder	1.030	-44	NA	-75	34	9	40/31	-
ATCRBS, Interrogator	1.090	-31	-45	-75	34	9	53/44	39/30
ARSR-4	1.240-1.370	-60	-80	-75	34	9	24/15	0/-5
SARSAT	1.544-1.545	-68	-65	-75	34	9	16/17	19/10
ASR-9	2.7-2.9	-44	-65	-57	16	9	22/13	1/-8
NEXRAD	2.7-2.9	-39	-73	-57	16	9	27/18	-7/-26
Marine Radar	2.9-3.1	-56	-57	-57	16	12	13/1	12/0
CW Altimeters	4.2-4.4	14	NA	-41.3	0	12	67/55	-
Pulsed Altimeter	4.2-4.4	14	NA	-41.3	0	12	67/55	-
MLS	5.030-5.091	-45	NA	-41.3	0	12	8/-4	-
TDWR	5.60-5.65	-35	-63	-41.3	0	12	18/6	-10/-22

* Using Dithered with PRF > 1 MHz

Non-GPS Radar & Navigation Systems From NTIA Reports



- **Air Surveillance Radar**
 - ARSR-4, ASR-9

- **Weather Radar**
 - NEXRAD, TDWR

- **Radio Navigation Systems**
 - DME, ATCRBS, Altimeters, MLS

- **Maritime Radar**

- **Search and Rescue Satellites**
 - SARSAT

Air Route Surveillance Radar (ARSR)—What It Is



- **Measures enroute aircraft range and azimuth**
 - 200 nm (370 km) for a 2.2 m² (3.4 dBm²) RCS airplane in clear air

- **Specifications**
 - ** Doppler processing gain of 9dB **
 - Antenna
 - Maximum gain 41.8dBi
 - Nine vertically stacked beams with different gains
 - Beam-One 3 dB Beamwidth Vertical 2.0, Horizontal 1.4 Degrees
 - Peak EIRP 1.4 GW

ARSR-4

Issue Identification



- **No issue for 2m UWB at XS proposal of Class B –34dB**
 - NTIA SP 01-43 Figure 4-8
 - No building loss applied—Protection criteria satisfied in & out door

- **No issue for 30m indoor UWB at XS proposal of Class B –34dB**
 - NTIA SP 01-43 Figure 4-8

- **Potential issue for 30m UWB at Class B –34dB on rooftop or patio**
 - NTIA SP 01-43 Figure 4-8 indicates 5 dB additional isolation needed

	NTIA 01-43 Margin from Class B UWB (separation)	XS Proposed –34 dB UWB [outdoor] (separation)	–34 dB UWB and 9 dB isolation [indoor] Or 9 dB Doppler Proc. Gain (separation)
ARSR-4 (2 m UWB)	-19dB (6.1 km)	+15 dB (0 m)	+24 dB (0 m)
ARSR-4 (30 m UWB)	-39 dB (>15 km)	-5 dB (~400 m)	+4 dB (0 m)

ARSR-4 Issues

Multiple Resolutions—Summary



- **FAA Order 6340.15 mandates separation of 615m (details follow)**
 - The scenario at 200m identified as a potential issue in NTIA SP 01-43 is excluded
 - Worst case FAA compliant scenario has +4dB margin. No additional isolation needed

 - **Other solutions available to NTIA & FCC include ...**

 - **Include the 9 dB Doppler processing gain of the radar in the analysis**
 - Doppler processing improves the I/N by 9 dB, providing the margin

 - **The low beam of the low bank of the ARSR-4 is blocked by the building**
 - With low beam blocked the UWB is not a factor to it
 - Other beams of the ARSR-4 do not see the building so the UWB is no factor

 - **Allowing 5dB losses for indoor propagation meets the protection criteria**
 - Reasonable since this radar should not be pointed at nearby patios and rooftops

 - **Reduce the UWB level—XS will support this if needed to resolve this issue**

 - **FYI, ARSR-4 is typically located in remote border areas of the US**
 - At 200m a 30m building would be subject to unsafe RF fields in excess of 2000 V/m
 - Exceeds safety standards for airplanes, automobiles, electronic & medical device
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ARSR-4 Detail on FAA Setback Requirement



- **Reference FAA Order 6340.15, Ch 3, Paragraph 34a**
 - States that a minimum separation of 2000 ft (615m) from any above ground objects is required

- **The worst case FAA compliant scenario is UWB at 30m high on a rooftop or patio 615m away from ARSR-4**
 - The XS proposal in the ARSR-4 band is Class B -34 dB
 - At 615m away and 30m high the margin is a positive $+4.2$ dB
 - No further isolation is needed
 - FYI, at 615m the building is still in dangerous RF fields of $+650$ V/m
 - Exceeds safety test standards of autos, planes, and electronics

Airport Surveillance Radar (ASR-9)—What It Is



- Monitor aircraft in the airspace “in and around” airports

- Radar Parameters
 - ** Doppler processing gain of 9dB **
 - 2.7-2.9 GHz,
 - Dual 1.3 Megawatt Transmitters
 - 33.5 dBi Gain Antenna
 - Max Range 110 km.
 - 4 dB NF+2 dB losses,
 - 4 MHz bandwidth (-104 dBm Receiver Noise Floor)
 - Pulse Width 1.08 μ s & PRF dithered from 928 up to 1321 pulses/sec

ASR-9

Issue Identification



- **No issues for 2m UWB at XS proposed Class B –16dB**
 - NTIA SP 01-43 Fig 4-11
 - No building loss applied—Protection criteria satisfied in & out door

- **No issues for 30m indoor UWB at XS proposed Class B –16 dB**
 - NTIA SP 01-43 Figure 4-12

- **Potential issue: worst case scenario is UWB 30m high on a rooftop or patio 200m away from ASR-9**
 - NTIA SP 01-43 Figure 4-12 indicates 8 dB isolation required beyond the 16dB below Class B in the XtremeSpectrum proposal

	NTIA 01-43 Margin from Class B UWB (separation)	XS Proposed –16 dB UWB [outdoor] (separation)	–16 dB UWB and 9 dB isolation [indoor] Or 9 dB Doppler proc gain (separation)
ASR-9 (2 m UWB)	-3 dB (0.8 km)	+13 dB (0 m)	+22 dB (0 m)
ASR-9 (30 m UWB)	-24dB (1.3 km)	-8 dB (~350 m)	+1 dB (0 m)

ASR-9—Issues Multiple Resolutions—Summary



- **FAA Order 6310.6 mandates separation of 462m (preferably 1610m)**
 - The 200m scenario in SP 01-43 is excluded
 - Worst case scenario of 30m building at 462m has positive margin of +4.4dB

- **Other solutions available to NTIA & FCC include ...**

- **Include the 9 dB Doppler processing gain of the radar in the analysis**
 - Doppler processing improves interference to noise ratio by 9 dB, provides the margin

- **The ASR-9 is blocked by the building and illuminates it**
 - At 200m the building is subject to unsafe RF fields in excess of 1500 V/m
 - Risk to airplanes, automobiles, electronic & medical devices
 - Keep buildings and UWB 330m (computed value), or more, away from ASR-9

- **Allowing 9dB losses for indoor propagation meets the protection criteria**
 - Reasonable since this radar should not be pointed at nearby rooftops & patios

- **Reduce the UWB level—XS will support this if needed**

ASR-9 Detail on FAA Setback Requirement



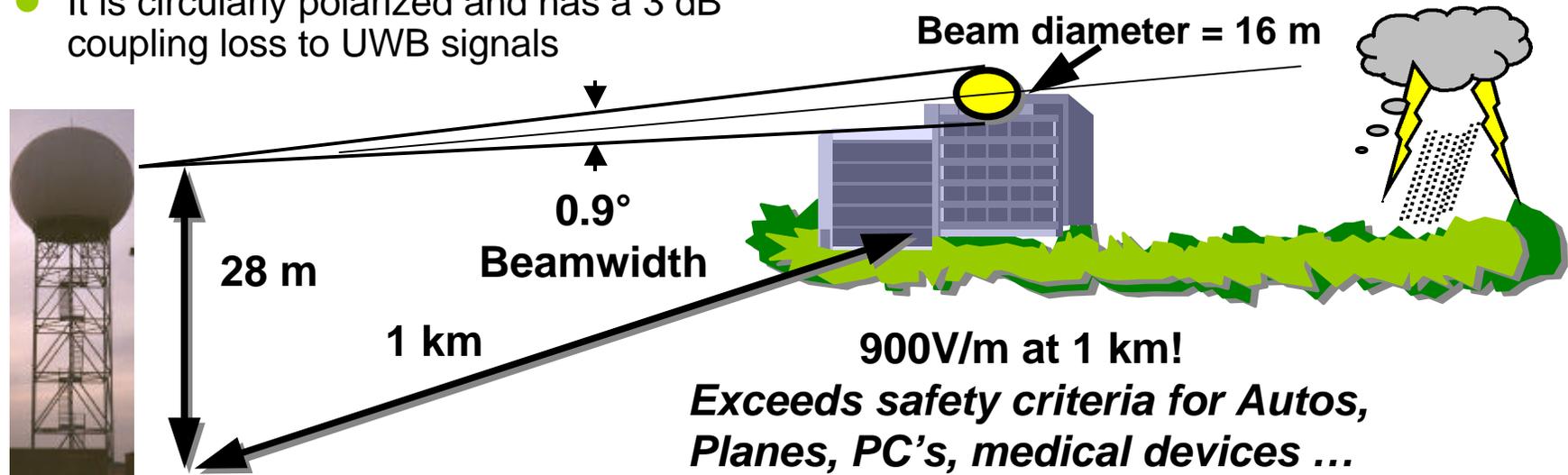
- **Reference FAA Order 6310.6, Ch 2, Paragraph 17a**
 - States that a minimum separation of 1500 ft (462m) from any above ground structure is required

- **The worst case FAA compliant scenario is UWB at 30m high on a rooftop or patio 462m away from ASR-9**
 - The XS proposal in the ASR-9 band is Class B –16 dB
 - At 462m away and 30m high the margin is a positive +4.4dB
 - Even without factoring in the 9 dB Doppler processing gain
 - ASR-9 protection criteria is met. No further isolation is needed
 - FYI, at 462m the building is still in dangerous RF fields over 400V/m
 - Exceeds safety test standards of autos, planes, and electronics

Next Generation Weather Radar (NEXRAD)—What It Is



- Detect hazardous & routine weather
- Weather radars see volumes (voxels)
 - Voxels grow with range since the flashlight beam radiated spreads with distance.
 - Because of this weather radars see farther & with better SNR than other radars
- Specifications
 - 2.7-3.0 GHz
 - 750 KW peak, 300-1300 W Average
 - 45.5 dB gain Antenna (.925° spot beam)
 - -113 dBm/500KHz noise floor
 - It is circularly polarized and has a 3 dB coupling loss to UWB signals



NEXRAD

Issue Identification



- **No issues for 2m UWB at XS proposal of Class B –16dB**
 - NTIA SP 01-43 Figure 4-3
 - No building loss applied—Protection Criteria satisfied in & out door

- **Potential issue: worst case scenario is UWB 30m high on rooftop or patio 200m from NEXRAD**
 - NTIA SP 01-43 Figure 4-4 indicates 32dB below Class B needed
 - Solutions next slide

	NTIA 01-43 Margin from Class B UWB (separation)	XS Proposed –16 dB UWB [outdoor] (separation)
NEXRAD (2 m UWB)	+2dB (0m)	+18 dB (0 m)
NEXRAD (30 m UWB)	-32 dB (>5.8 km)	-16 dB (~1.2 km)

NEXRAD Issues

Multiple Resolutions—Summary



- **NOAA NEXRAD Guidelines exclude the scenario (details follow)**
 - All NOAA compliant sitings and NTIA spreadsheets show XS meets criteria
 - Worst case NOAA complaint scenario has +4dB positive margin

 - **NEXRAD engineers indicate building backscatter damages radar**
 - Damage to radar limits performance—not UWB (details follow)

 - **Building blockage limits radar performance—not the UWB device**
 - UWB 30m high must be on patio or roof since no mast or pole mounts allowed
 - NEXRAD is a spot beam and is blocked by the building—UWB not a factor

 - **Must blank or elevate the radar to operate (UWB not a factor)**
 - Clearing a 30m building at 200m requires $.91^\circ$ degrees elevation for 16 dB

 - **FYI, if NEXRAD not blanked building is subject to excessive RF**
 - Fields over 800V/m. Unsafe for auto, planes, medical devices, electronics
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NEXRAD—Detail on NOAA Setback Guidelines

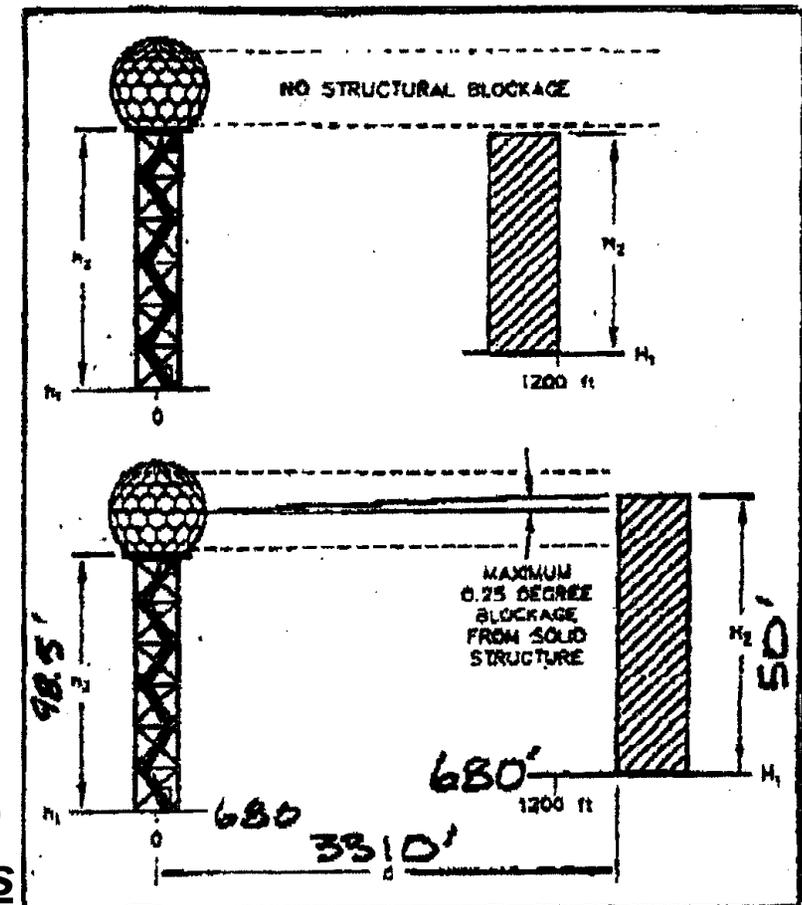
■ Reference WSR-88 Weather Surveillance Radar Guidelines

- States no structure within 370m should block the radar beam
 - Maximum elevation of the structure must be less than the sum of the ground elevation and tower height of the radar

■ Worst case NOAA scenario is 30m structure 370m out from the NEXRAD

- NEXRAD tower is 30m high by guideline
- NTIA NEXRAD spreadsheet parameters
 - $H_R=34.27$ (tower height + phase center)
 - $H_{TX}=30$ (UWB height)
 - EIRP=-57.3 (UWB level in XS proposal)
 - NO BUILDING ATTENUATION APPLIED

■ NOAA scenarios & NTIA spreadsheets Protection Criteria Satisfied (+4dB)



Guidelines for Allowable Structural Blockage

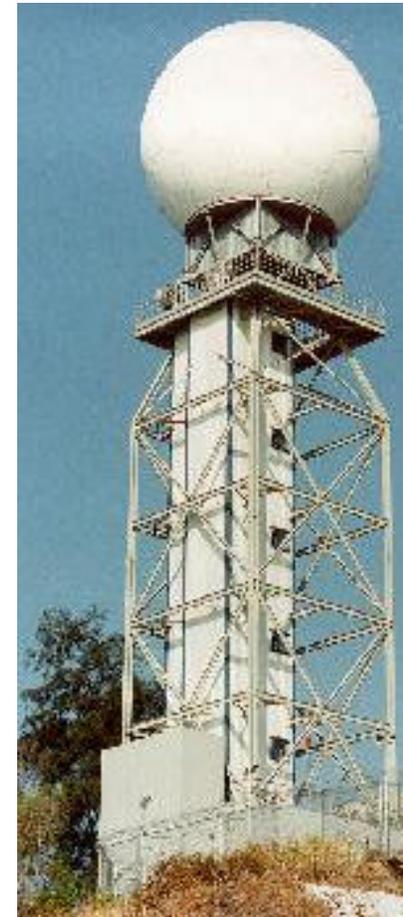
NEXRAD—Details on Building Backscatter



- **Summary of XtremeSpectrum discussions with NEXRAD engineers**
- **Informed us that backscatter from buildings close to NEXRAD will burn out the radar's front end**
 - Reasonable considering the power of the radar and the near in geometry
- **Told us that NEXRAD is sited to avoid buildings (see guidelines)**
- **If a building goes up in NEXRAD's beam they blank the beam**
 - Gave example in Hawaii of NEXRAD on US Air Force Base and nearby hotel outside the base's perimeter

Terminal Doppler Weather Radar (TDWR)—What It Is

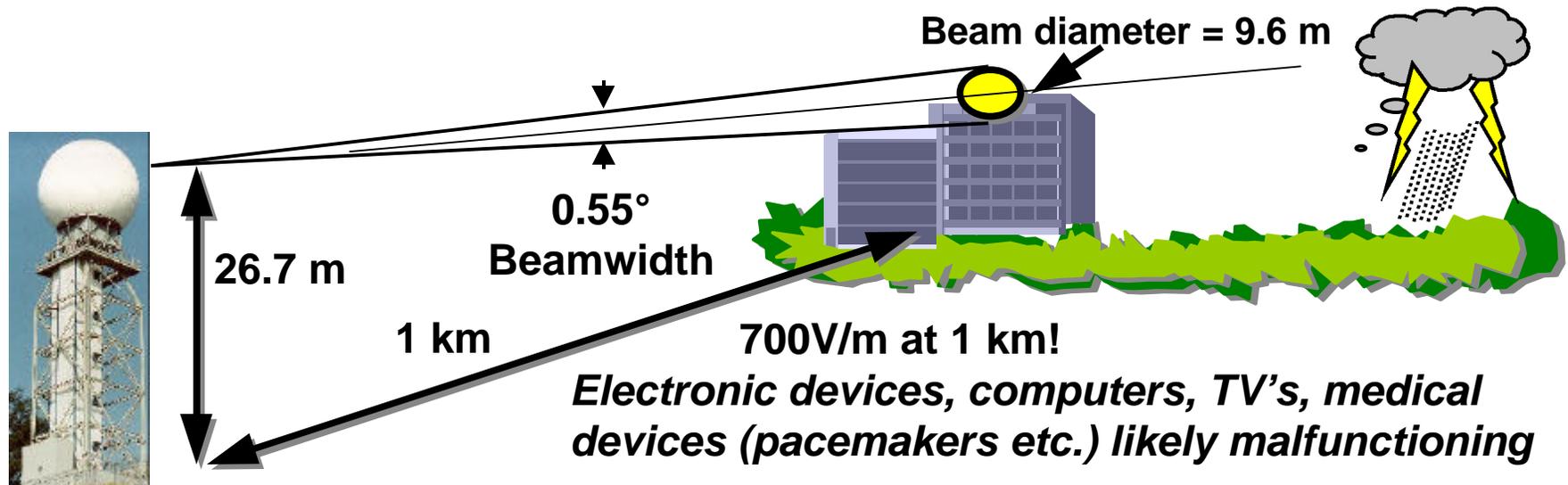
- **Detect wind shear & other weather hazards at airports**
- **TDWR is powerful—radiating 15 Billion Watts EIRP!**
- **Specifications are**
 - 5.6 GHz
 - 150 kW peak
 - 50 dB gain Antenna (0.55° spot beam)
 - Noise floor -110 dBm / 910 kHz bandwidth
 - It is circularly polarized -- 3 dB coupling loss to UWB signals
- **Siting is critical**
 - Buildings and terrain must not block coverage over the runways
 - Must be 8-10 km from runway to meet aircraft RF safety limits
 - Safety requires it to be far from people or blanked if too close



TDWR

Issue Identification

- No issues for 2m high UWB at XS proposal of Class B
 - NTIA SP 01-43 Figure 4-23
 - No building loss applied—Protection criteria satisfied in & out door
- Potential issue for 30m high UWB at XS proposal of Class B
 - Scenario geometry below (solution next page)



TDWR Issue Resolution



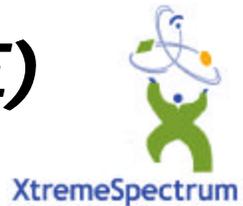
- **Worst case scenario is outdoor 30m UWB 400m from the TDWR**
 - NTIA SP 01-43 Figure 4-24 indicates 22dB additional isolation required

- **Building blockage limits radar performance—not the UWB device**
 - UWB 30m high is on patio/rooftop since no mast or pole mounts are allowed
 - TDWR is a spot beam radar and is therefore blocked by the building
 - Issue is resolved for UWB. No further margin needed

- **Must blank or elevate the radar to operate (UWB not a factor)**
 - Clearing 30m building at 400m needs 1.25° degrees elevation (9m) for 22dB

- **FYI, if the TDWR is not blanked or elevated the building is subject to excessive RF fields**
 - Fields would exceed 800V/m
 - Exceeds safety standards for automobiles, airplanes, electronic devices, medical devices etc.

Distance Measuring Equipment (DME) NTIA Criteria Satisfied



- **Distance Measuring Equipment (DME)**
 - Measures range from aircraft's interrogator to ground transponder
 - Operates at 960-1215MHz
- **No issues with XS proposal of -34dB below Class B**
 - DME protection criteria from NTIA SP 01-43 Table 4-25, 4-26
- **DME NTIA protection criteria is satisfied**
 - Even with main beam to main beam coupling. Margin for indoor not needed

	NTIA 01-43 Margin from Class B UWB (separation)	XS Proposed -34 dB UWB (separation)	-34 dB UWB and 9 dB building isolation (separation)
DME Interrogator	-5.0 dB (80 m)	+29 dB (0 m)	+38 dB (0 m)
DME Transponder (UWB 2 m high)	-22 dB (260 m)	+12 dB (0 m)	+21 dB (0 m)
DME Transponder (UWB 30 m high)	-15.0 dB (260 m)	+19 dB (0 m)	+28 dB (0 m)

Air Traffic Control Radio Beacon System (ATCRBS)—Criteria Satisfied



- **Air Traffic Control Radio Beacon (ATCRBS)**
 - Aircraft transmits an identifier in response to interrogation
 - Operates at 1030 & 1090 MHz
- **No issues with XS proposal of -34dB below Class B**
 - ATCRBS protection criteria from NTIA SP 01-43 Table 4-17 and 4-18
- **ATCRBS NTIA protection criteria is satisfied**
 - Even with main beam to main beam coupling. Margin for indoor not needed

	NTIA 01-43 Margin from Class B UWB (separation)	XS Proposed -34 dB UWB (separation)	-34 dB UWB and 9 dB building isolation (separation)
ATCRBS Transponder	-3.1 dB (20 m)	+30.7 dB (0 m)	+39.7dB (0 m)
Interrogator (2 m)	+10.8 dB (0 m)	+44.8 dB (0 m)	+53.8 dB (0 m)
Interrogator (30 m)	-5.6 dB (270 m)	+28.4 dB (0 m)	+37.4 dB (0 m)

Pulsed and CW Radio Altimeters NTIA Criteria Satisfied

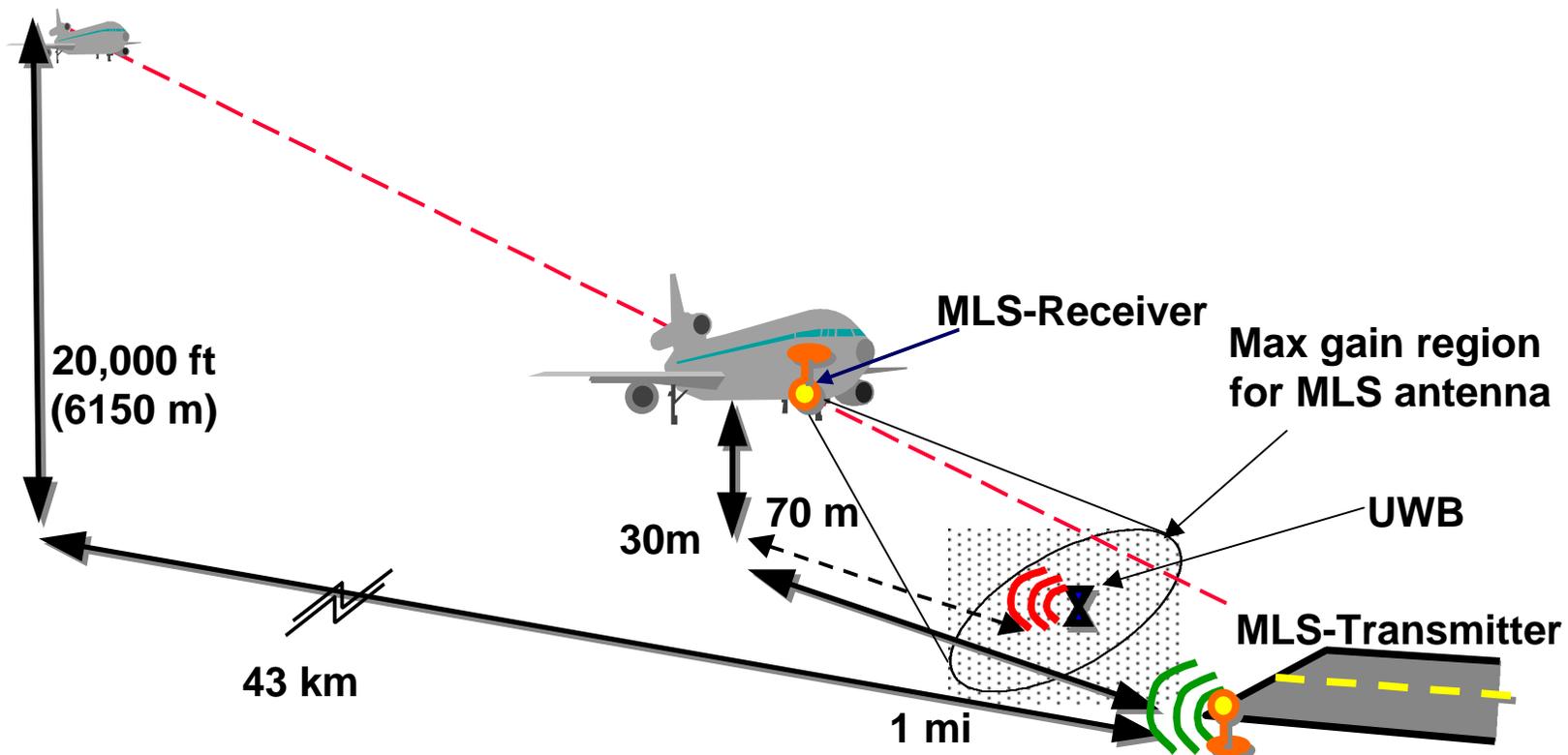


- **Radar altimeters provide aircraft with altitude above ground level**
 - Operate at 4.2-4.4 GHz

- **No issues with XS proposal of Class B at any height**
 - Protection criteria from NTIA SP 01-43 Table 4-16, Table A-4
 - SP 01-43 shows 55-66 dB of margin from ground based UWB
 - Assumes free-space propagation & main beam to main beam coupling
 - No building loss applied—Protection criteria satisfied in & out door

Microwave Landing System (MLS)—What It Is

- **MLS is a radio-navigation system for precision approach & landing**
 - MLS operates at 5.030-5.091 GHz
- **The MLS transmitters are at the corners of the runway**





MLS Issues & Resolution

- **The I/N threshold calculation in SP 01-43 is exceeded for a short interval (~1 sec) about 70m from the runway**
- **However, since the MLS antenna pattern only illuminates a small region during approach and landing it is reasonable to allocate the interference budget to it. This would satisfy the I/N criteria**
- **FYI, because the separation between MLS transmit and receive is so small, no position errors are possible from these UWB levels in this scenario**

Maritime Radar

What It Is



- Prevent ships from hitting shorelines or each other
 - Typical System (Furuno S-band Marine Radar)
 - 60 kW peak power into antenna
 - 27dBi Gain Antenna
 - Narrow beam width (1.9°)
 - Azimuth sidelobes are at least 30 dB down (1000 times smaller than main lobe) beyond 10 degrees off the main lobe.
 - 3.05 GHz
 - 20m Height
 - 4 dB NF+2dB losses,
 - 4 MHz bandwidth (-104 dBm Receiver Noise Floor)
 - Pulse Width
 - 1.2μs for > 5km
 - 0.4μs for < 5km
- A Robust Radar
 - Spec'd to 160 km even though the radar horizon is less than 50 km

Maritime Radar

NTIA Criteria Satisfied



- **NTIA SP 01-43 no issues for 2m UWB at Class B –16 dB**

- The XS proposal evaluated at NTIA SP 01-43 (pg 4-63, Table 4-53)
 - No margin for building losses applied

- **NTIA SP 01-43 no issues for 30m UWB at Class B –16 dB**

- The XS proposal evaluated at NTIA SP 01-43 (pg 4-64, Table 4-55)
 - No margin for building losses applied

- **No issues with UWB devices on the decks of cruise ships**

- The deck is below the radar and in its nearfield
 - The beam has not formed

Search and Rescue Satellite (SARSAT)—NTIA Criteria Satisfied



- XS proposal is Class B –34dB in SARSAT
 - No building losses applied in this analysis

- NTIA SP 01-43 indicates no issues for 2m high UWB
 - NTIA SP 01-43 (pg 4-31, Table 4-38a) adjusted to XS UWB levels

- NTIA SP 01-43 indicates no issues for 30m high UWB
 - NTIA SP 01-43 (pg 4-33, Table 4-40a) adjusted to XS UWB levels

	NTIA 01-43 Margin from Class B UWB (separation)	XS Proposed –34 dB UWB (separation)	–34 dB UWB and 9 dB building isolation (separation)
SARSAT (2 m UWB)	-27dB (2.9 km)	+7 dB (0 m)	+16 dB (0 m)
SARSAT (30 m UWB)	-24 dB (5.5 km)	+10 dB (0 m)	+18.3 dB (0 m)



GPS, Assisted GPS and Aggregation

GPS—All Proposed Federal and Industry Protection Criteria Met



- **Analyzed with XS proposal of 34dB below Class B for GPS**
 - Limits UWB in GPS bands to levels requested by GPSIC. Exceeds RTCA and all other GPS advocates in all other FCC proceedings
- **Low flight over heavy concentration of UWB transmitters**
- **Precision approach near hi-rise with UWB transmitters**
- **High flight over heavy concentration of UWB transmitters**
- **Assisted GPS**
- **Aggregation effects are insignificant**
 - No impact on safety criteria
 - Yes, signal power adds but signal strength falls much faster



City Over-Flight Scenarios

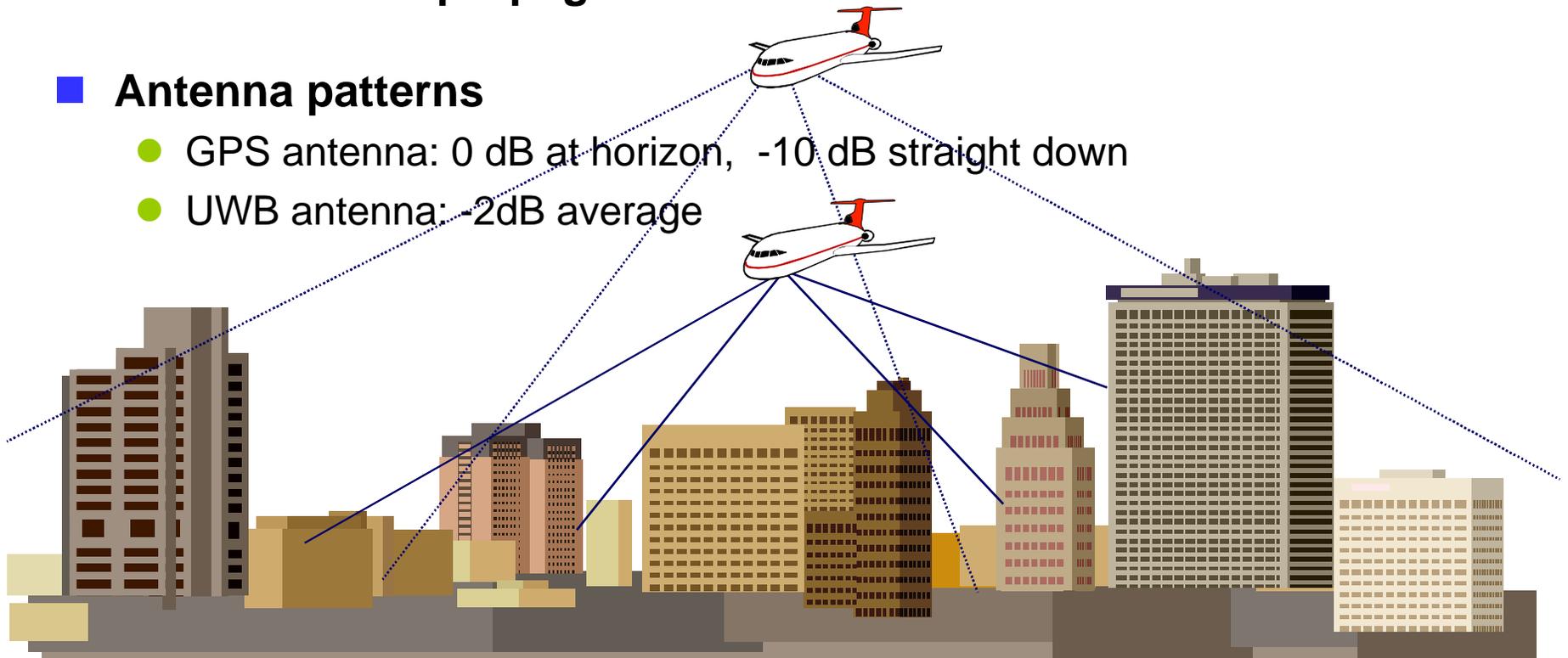
■ As height goes down

- Blockage by buildings tends to reduce the signal, but
- The shorter path tends to increase the signal

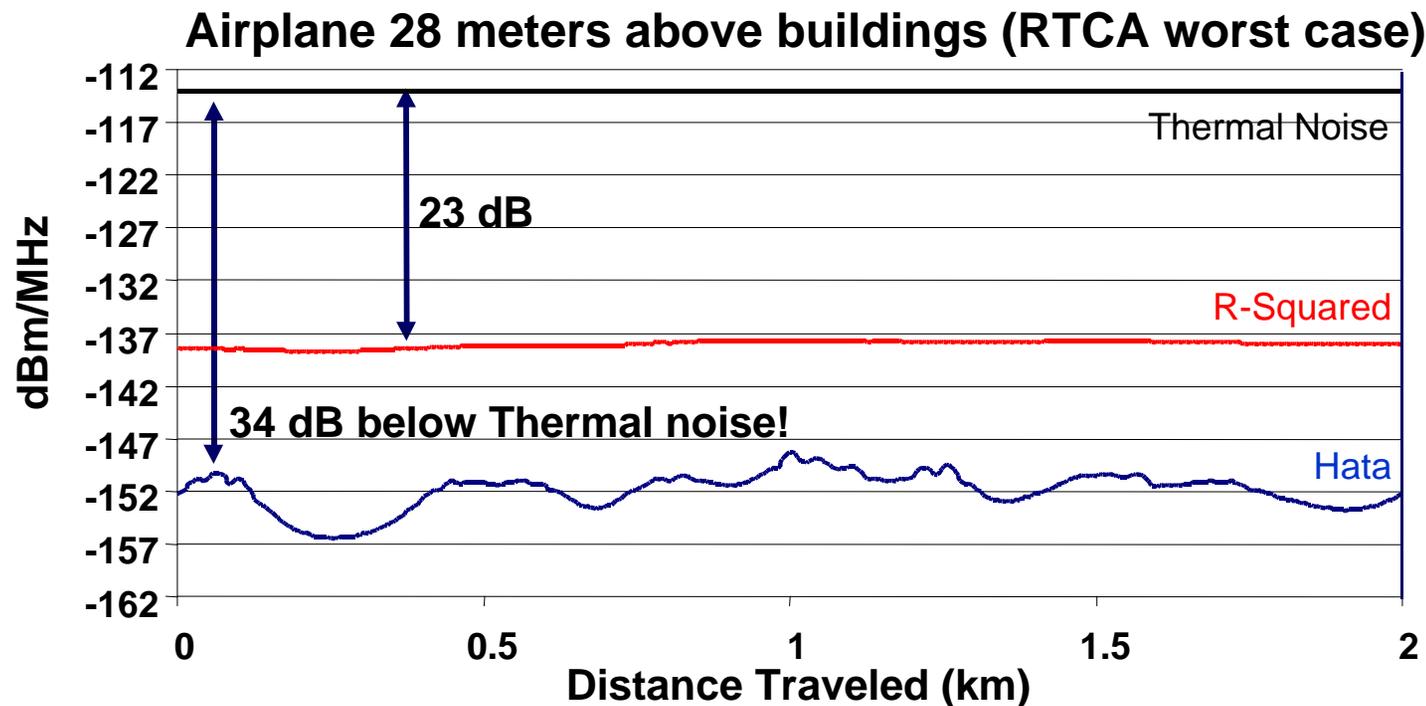
■ Okumura-Hata propagation model

■ Antenna patterns

- GPS antenna: 0 dB at horizon, -10 dB straight down
- UWB antenna: -2dB average

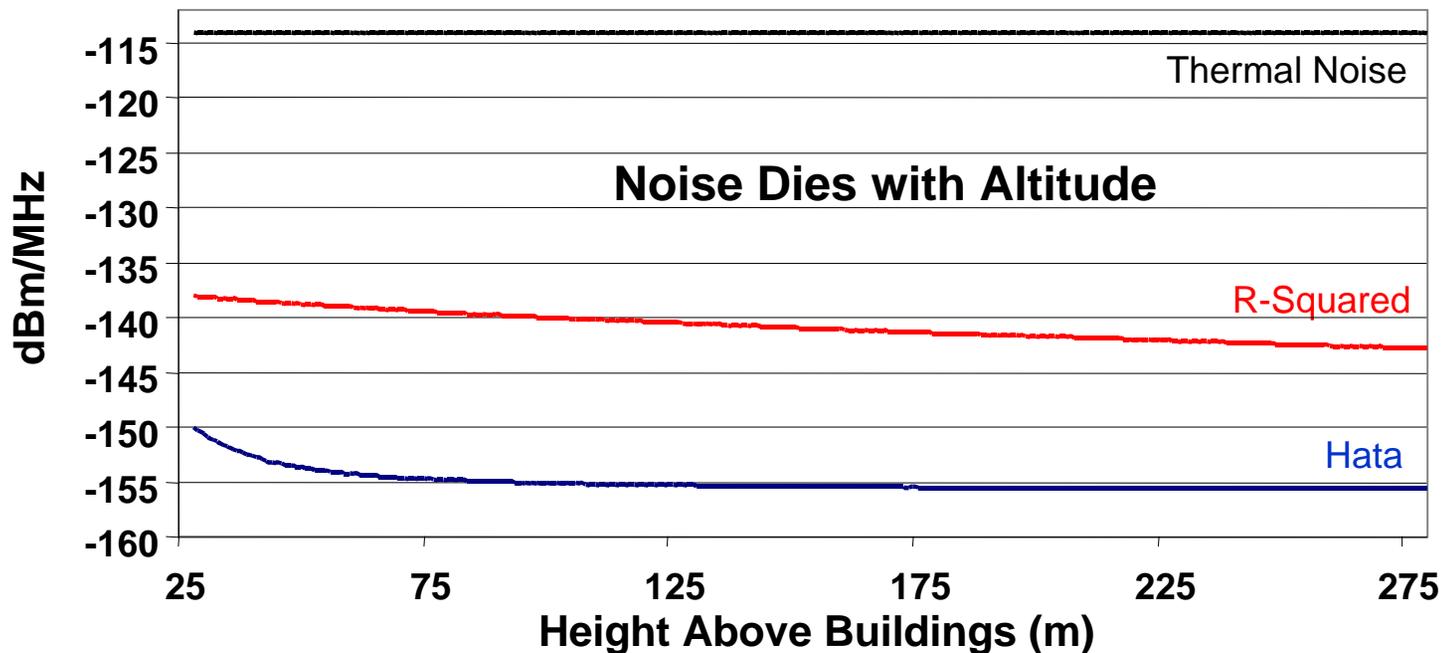


Low Altitude Airborne GPS Safety Criteria Satisfied



- **City with 200 UWB devices per sq. km—aggregation is insignificant**
 - Emitter density from NTIA report
 - All devices transmitting simultaneously
 - All devices outside, no building attenuation
 - Plane passes over highest elevation UWB
- **Margin greater than 30dB**

High Altitude Airborne GPS Safety Criteria Satisfied

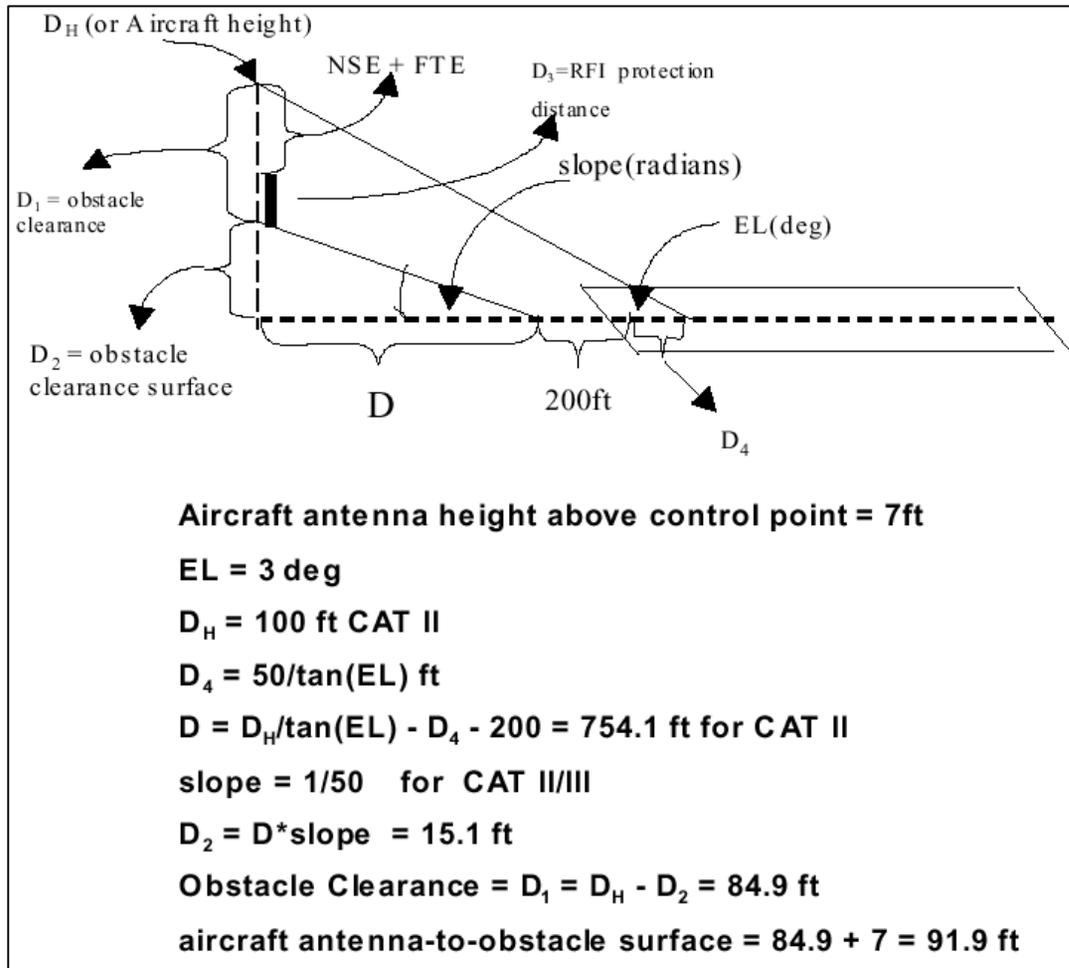


- **City with 200 UWB devices per sq. km —aggregation is insignificant**
 - Emitter density from NTIA report
 - All devices transmitting simultaneously
 - All devices outside, no building attenuation
 - Plane directly over highest elevation UWB
- **Margin greater than 30 dB and increases with altitude**

Precision Approach GPS Safety Criteria Satisfied



RTCA analysis of category II precision approach



■ RTCA study

- Outdoor Study
- Worst case UWB position near runway
- Had multiple UWBs
 - 10 equidistant emitters
- Had Spectral Lines
- Ultra Conservative
 - Extra 10 dB margin

■ Answer was

- 18.7 dB from Part 15
- 28.7 dB for lines

■ Proposal is for - 34 dB



Assisted GPS

- **Assisted-GPS units obtain 20 to 30 dB of additional processing gain over and above a standard GPS C/A code receiver.**
- **Key point is that the additional processing (i.e. longer integration times) is equivalent to a narrower filter bandwidth**
 - It passes the GPS signals and rejects noise (or anything that does not look like the desired GPS signal)
- **The UWB signal is suppressed along with everything else**
- **An assisted-GPS unit is no more sensitive to UWB interference than a normal GPS unit.**
 - i.e. The noise floor of the A-GPS unit may drop from -130 dBm to -150 dBm, but the effective bandwidth is 100 times smaller so 20 dB less UWB noise can get in.
 - A UWB transmitter does not need to drop its power by 20 dB

In-building Aggregation Is Insignificant



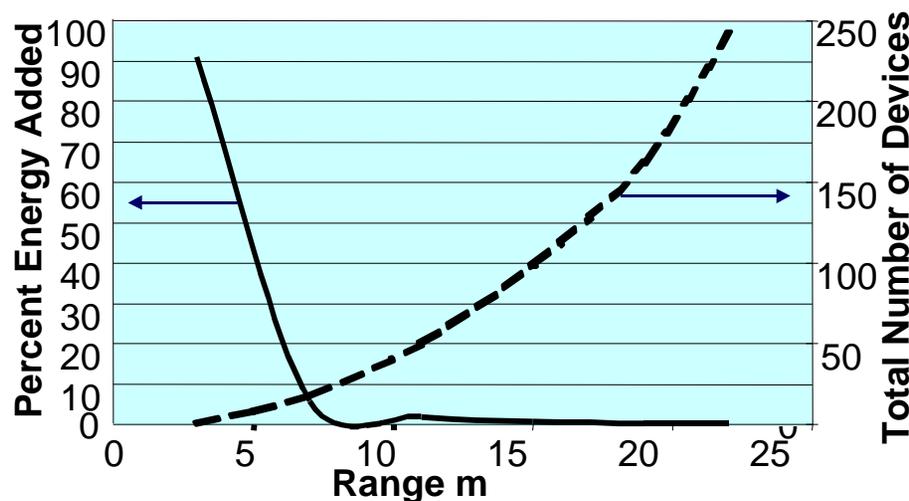
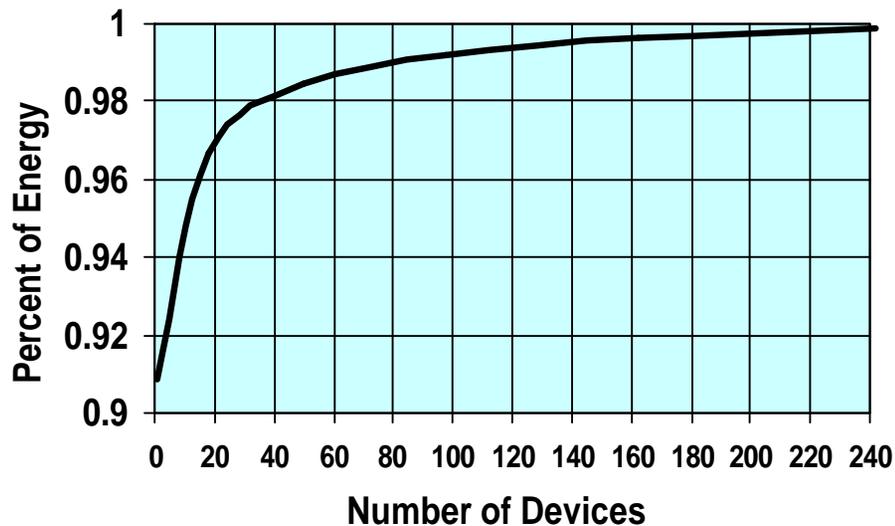
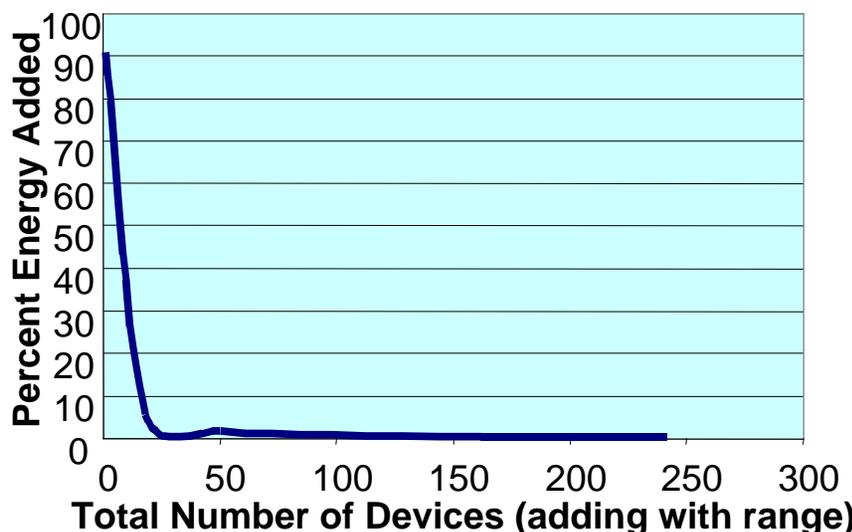
WPAN #	Range to Victim Receiver m	Power received by Victim Receiver picowatt/MHz	% of total energy received by victim receiver	Accumulated Power Received By Victim Receiver	Location of WPANs
1	3	0.029506	90.957	0.029506	Net in same room
2-18	7	0.001880	5.796	0.031386	17 Nets, 8 in adjacent rooms (left, right, above, below, left-above, right-above, left-below, right-below) PLUS 9 across the hall
19-50	11	0.000580	1.789	0.031966	32 Nets 16 in 2nd adjacent Rooms + 16 across hall
51-98	15	0.000252	0.776	0.032218	48 Nets, 24 in 3rd adjacent rooms + 24 across hall
99-162	19	0.000130	0.402	0.032348	64 Nets 32 in 4th adjacent rooms + 32 across hall
163-242	22	0.000091	0.280	0.032439	80 Nets 40 in 5th adjacent rooms + 40 across hall
Total Interference = .032439 picowatts/MHz = -104.9 dBm/MHz =1.099 times the power from the closest emitter					

- By 4th ring, there are 64 simultaneous transmitters added at equal distance, yet together they produce less the 1/2 percent of the total interference power
- The tiny received noise does not increase without bound
- The more distant WPANs become insignificant
- i.e. In-building aggregation is insignificant



Plot of Previous Slide

- Yes, Power adds Linearly
- But...
as the number of devices grows, the energy added becomes insignificant
- i.e. Aggregation effect is immaterial





UWB in Airliner First Class Cabin

**Special Case Analysis For Accidental Peer-to-Peer
UWB In the First Class Cabin of an Airliner**

Accidental First Class Cabin Use Under XtremeSpectrum's Proposal



- **Consistent with existing policy electronic devices should be switched off during taxi, takeoff, approach & landing**
 - Usage should be accidental

- **XtremeSpectrum proposed rules eliminate accidental use**
 - Peer-to-Peer handheld operation requires affirmative initiation
 - Turning on the device is not enough, user must initiate communication

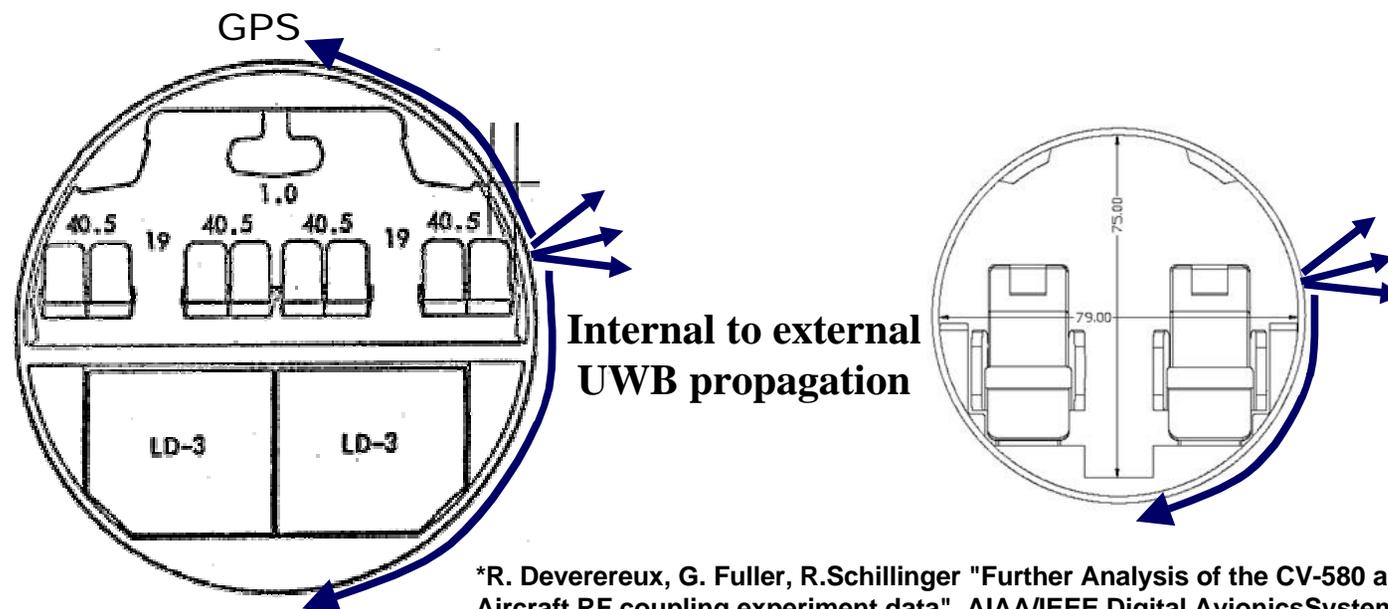
- **Nevertheless, analysis assumes UWB device transmits 100% of the time**

First Class Cabin Analysis Methodology

■ Assumed free space propagation

- Very conservative because more than 40dB isolation
 - Measured isolation of 51 dB at GPS, 40-45 dB typical from 109 MHz to GPS*
 - Coupling to outside of fuselage is through windows and around metal exterior

■ Evaluated XtremeSpectrum proposal by NTIA SP 01-43 and SP 01-45



*R. Deverereux, G. Fuller, R.Schillinger "Further Analysis of the CV-580 and B-727 Aircraft RF coupling experiment data", AIAA/IEEE Digital Avionics Systems Conference 1997 pp. 4.1-1-8

All Safety Criteria Satisfied for Accidental UWB in Airplanes



- No interference for airborne UWB into aviation receivers based on extension of NTIA results for UWB on ground

	NTIA 01-43/01-45 Margin from Class B UWB	XS Proposed Mask	Separation range for UWB in freespace
DME Interrogator NTIA 01-43 Table 1	-5.7 dB margin or Class B at 90 m	34 dB	1.8 m
ATCRBS Transponder NTIA 01-43 Table 1	-3 dB margin or Class B at 20 m	34 dB	0.4 m
GPS NTIA 01-45 Table 4	-27.3 dB for noise -like UWB at 2 m	34 dB	0.9 m
CW Altimeter NTIA 01-43 Table 4-16	66.5 dB for UWB at 760 m range	0 dB	0.36 m
Pulsed Altimeter NTIA 01-43 Table 4-16	56.2 dB for UWB At 1522 m range	0 dB	2.3 m

Proceeding Should Address Footnote US 246



- **US246 - ..., no stations shall be authorized to transmit in the following bands:**
 - 608 - 614 MHz*
 - 1400 - 1427 MHz*
 - 1660.5 - 1668.4 MHz*
 - 2690 - 2700 MHz*
 - 4990 - 5000 MHz ##
 - 10.68 - 10.70 GHz ##
 - 15.35 - 15.4 GHz ##
 - 23.6 – 24.0 GHz*
- **Rules should allow UWB in bands marked ##**
- **Bands marked * are considered out-of-band**