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PTP 450 module essential information

Default IP Address for Management GUI Access	169.254.1.1
Default Administrator Username	admin
Default Administrator Password	(no password)
Software Upgrade Procedure	See “Updating the software version and using CNUT” in the *PMP 450 Configuration and User Guide*
Resetting to Factory Defaults (2 options)	1. On the radio GUI, navigate to **Configuration**, **Unit Settings** and select **Set to Factory Defaults** ***OR*** 2. On the radio GUI, navigate to **Configuration**, **Unit Settings** and enable and save option **Set to Factory Defaults Upon Default Plug Detection**. When the unit is powered on with a default/override plug (see section “Acquiring the Override Plug” in the *PMP 450 Configuration and User Guide*) the radio will be returned to its factory default settings.

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Safety and regulatory information

This section describes important safety and regulatory guidelines that must be observed by personnel installing or operating PMP 450 equipment.

Important safety information

WARNING

To prevent loss of life or physical injury, observe the safety guidelines in this section.

Power lines

Exercise extreme care when working near power lines.

Working at heights

Exercise extreme care when working at heights.

Grounding and protective earth

PMP 450 units must be properly grounded to protect against lightning. It is the user's responsibility to install the equipment in accordance with national regulations. In the USA, follow Section 810 of the *National Electric Code, ANSI/NFPA No.70-1984* (USA). In Canada, follow Section 54 of the *Canadian Electrical Code*. These codes describe correct installation procedures for grounding the outdoor unit, mast, lead-in wire and discharge unit, size of grounding conductors and connection requirements for grounding electrodes. Other regulations may apply in different countries and therefore it is recommended that installation of the outdoor unit be contracted to a professional installer.

Powering down before servicing

Always power down and unplug the equipment before servicing.

Primary disconnect device

The AP or SM unit's power supply is the primary disconnect device.

External cables

Safety may be compromised if outdoor rated cables are not used for connections that will be exposed to the outdoor environment.

RF exposure near the antenna

Radio frequency (RF) fields will be present close to the antenna when the transmitter is on. Always turn off the power to the PMP 450 unit before undertaking maintenance activities in front of the antenna.

Minimum separation distances

Install the AP or SM so as to provide and maintain the minimum separation distances from people.

The minimum separation distances for each frequency variants are specified in the *PMP 450 Planning Guide*.

Important regulatory information

The PMP 450 product is certified as an unlicensed device in frequency bands where it is not allowed to cause interference to licensed services (called primary users of the bands).

Radar avoidance

In countries where radar systems are the primary band users, the regulators have mandated special requirements to protect these systems from interference caused by unlicensed devices. Unlicensed devices must detect and avoid co-channel operation with radar systems.

Installers and users must meet all local regulatory requirements for radar detection. To meet these requirements, users must set the correct region code during commissioning of the PMP 450. If this is not done, installers and users may be liable to civil and criminal penalties.

Contact the Cambium helpdesk if more guidance is required.

USA and Canada specific information

The USA Federal Communications Commission (FCC) has asked manufacturers to implement special features to prevent interference to radar systems that operate in the 5250-5350 and 5470-5725 MHz bands. These features must be implemented in all products able to operate outdoors in the UNII band. The use of the 5600 – 5650 MHz band is prohibited, even with detect-and-avoid functionality implemented.

Manufacturers must ensure that such radio products cannot be configured to operate outside of FCC rules; specifically it must not be possible to disable or modify the radar protection functions that have been demonstrated to the FCC.

In order to comply with these FCC requirements, Cambium supplies variants of the PMP 450 for operation in the USA or Canada. These variants are only allowed to operate with region codes that comply with FCC/IC rule.

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About This Configuration and User Guide

This guide describes the configuration of the Cambium PTP 450 Series of point-to-point wireless equipment deployment. It is intended for use by the system administrator.

After the initial general and legal information, the guide begins with a set of tasks to complete a basic configuration of the equipment. Once this configuration is complete, the units are ready for deployment. Advanced configuration, also defined in this document, may be initiated at the operator's discretion.

General information

Version information

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Purpose

Cambium Networks Point-To-Multipoint (PMP) documents are intended to instruct and assist personnel in the operation, installation and maintenance of the Cambium PMP equipment and ancillary devices. It is recommended that all personnel engaged in such activities be properly trained.

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References to external publications are shown in italics. Other cross references, emphasized in blue text in electronic versions, are active links to the references.

This document is divided into numbered chapters that are divided into sections. Sections are not numbered, but are individually named at the top of each page and are listed in the table of contents.

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Problems and warranty

Reporting problems

If any problems are encountered when installing or operating this equipment, follow this procedure to investigate and report:

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2. Visit the support website. http://www.cambiumnetworks.com/support
3. Ask for assistance from the Cambium product supplier.
4. Gather information from affected units such as:
   - The IP addresses and MAC addresses.
   - The software releases.
   - The configuration of software features.
   - Any available diagnostic downloads.
   - CNUT Support Capture Tool information
5. Escalate the problem by emailing or telephoning support.

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⚠ CAUTION

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⚠ CAUTION

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Security advice

Cambium Networks systems and equipment provide security parameters that can be configured by the operator based on their particular operating environment. Cambium recommends setting and using these parameters following industry recognized security practices. Security aspects to be considered are protecting the confidentiality, integrity, availability of information and assets. Assets include the ability to communicate, information about the nature of the communications and information about the parties involved.

In certain instances Cambium makes specific recommendations regarding security practices, however the implementation of these recommendations and final responsibility for the security of the system lies with the operator of the system.

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The following describes how warnings and cautions are used in this document and in all documents of the Cambium Networks document set.

Warnings

Warnings precede instructions that contain potentially hazardous situations. Warnings are used to alert the reader to possible hazards that could cause loss of life or physical injury. A warning has the following format:

WARNING

Warning text and consequence for not following the instructions in the warning.

Cautions

Cautions precede instructions and are used when there is a possibility of damage to systems, software, or individual items of equipment within a system. However, this damage presents no danger to personnel. A caution has the following format:

CAUTION

Caution text and consequence for not following the instructions in the caution.

Notes

A note means that there is a possibility of an undesirable situation or provides additional information to help the reader understand a topic or concept. A note has the following format:

NOTE

Note text.

Chapter 1: Product Description

This chapter provides a high level description of the PTP 450 product. It describes in general terms the function of the product, the main product variants and typical deployment. It also describes the main hardware components.

The chapter consists of the following topics:

- Overview of PTP 450 on page 1-2: Introduces the key features, typical uses, product variants and components of the PTP 450.
- Backhaul Master (BHM) on page 1-5: Describes the BHM and its interfaces.
- Backhaul Slave (BHS) on page 1-9: Describes the BHS and its interfaces.
- Cabling and lightning protection on page 1-13: Describes the Cabling and Lightening protection components of PTP 450 installation.
- Wireless operation on page 1-14: Describes how the PTP 450 wireless link is operated, including modulation modes, power control and security.
- System management on page 1-21: Introduces the PTP 450 management system, including the web interface, installation, configuration, alerts and upgrades.

Overview of PTP 450

This section describes the key features, typical uses, product variants and components of the PTP 450.

Purpose

Cambium PTP 450 Series networks are designed for wireless point-to-point links in the unlicensed 3.5 GHz, 3.6 GHz, 5.4 GHz and 5.8 GHz bands. Users must ensure that the PTP 450 Series complies with local operating regulations.

The PTP 450 Series adds dramatically increased network throughput and capacity. The PTP 450 Series enables network operators to grow their business by offering more capacity for data, voice and video applications.

Key Features

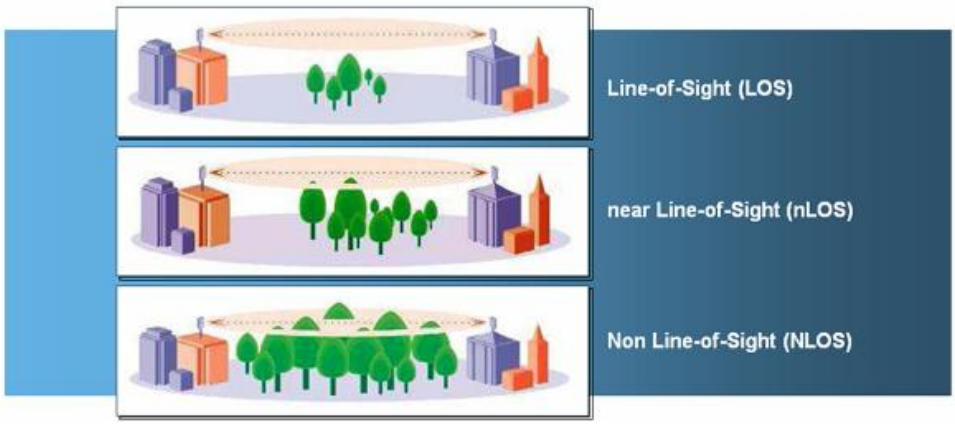
The Cambium PTP 450 Series offers the following benefits:

- Cambium's highest performing point-to-point solution, with up to 125 Mbps usable throughput.
- State-of-the-art MIMO (Multi-In Multi-Out) technology.
- Better spectral efficiency than other MIMO alternatives.
- MIMO Matrix B: This technique provides the ability to double the throughput of a radio transmission under proper RF conditions. Different data streams are transmitted simultaneously on two different antennas.
- Running changes to the 5 GHz PTP450 BHS (the radios supports 5.4 GHz and 5.7 GHz) that adds more FLASH memory to the PCB of the radio.
- SnLOS benefits and limitations

In addition to providing LOS (Line-Of-Sight) connectivity, use of OFDM technology can provide nLOS (near Line-Of-Sight) connectivity and sometimes NLOS (Non-Line-Of-Sight) connectivity:

- LOS: the installer can see the BHM from the BHS and the first Fresnel zone is clear.
- nLOS: the installer can see the BHM from the BHS, but a portion of the first Fresnel zone is blocked.
- NLOS: the installer cannot see the BHM from the BHS and a portion or even much of the first Fresnel zone is blocked, but subsequent Fresnel zones are open.

Figure 1 Line of Sight Diagram



Whereas multi-pathing degrades a link in some technologies (FSK, for example), OFDM can often use multi-pathing to an advantage to overcome nLOS, especially in cases where the Fresnel zone is only partially blocked by buildings, “urban canyons”, or foliage. OFDM tends to help especially when obstacles are near the middle of the link, and less so when the obstacles are very near the BHS or BHM.

However, attenuation through walls and trees is substantial for any use of the 3.5/3.6/5.4/5.8 GHz frequency bands. Even with OFDM, these products should not be expected to penetrate walls or extensive trees and foliage.

Typical deployment

The PTP 450 Series consists of a Backhaul Master and a Backhaul Slave Module. The radio link operates on a single frequency channel in each direction using Time Division Duplex (TDD).

Applications for the PTP 450 Series include:

- High throughput enterprise applications
- nLOS video surveillance in metro areas
- Urban area network extension
- Network extension into areas with foliage

Greenfield deployment

The PTP 450 Series equipment may be deployed as a standalone network deployment offering a high-speed access network.

System components

PTP 450 Backhaul Master

- **Backhaul Master (BHM):** A connectorized/radiated outdoor transceiver unit containing all the radio, networking, and surge suppression electronics.
- **Backhaul Master Power Supply:** An indoor power supply module providing Power-over-Ethernet (PoE) supply to the BHM.
- **Cabling:** Cat 5e cables, grounding cables, and connectors.

PTP 450 Subscriber Module

- **Integrated BHS (iBHS):** An integrated-antenna outdoor transceiver unit containing all the radio, antenna, and networking electronics.
- **Connectorized Backhaul Slave** (cBHS): A connectorized outdoor transceiver unit containing all of the radio and network electronics that needs to be mated with a customer supplied external antenna.
- **Backhaul Slave Power Supply:** An indoor power supply module providing Power-over-Ethernet (PoE) supply to the Subscriber Module.
- **Cabling and lightning protection:** Cat 5e cables, grounding cables, connectors and lightning protection (surge suppression).

Product variants

The PTP 450 Series is available in the following product variants:

Table 1 PTP 450 frequency variants

Variant	Region	Frequency Coverage (MHz)	Channel Bandwidth (MHz)	Variant Notes
3.5 GHz PTP 450		3300 – 3600	5/10/20	Combined Transmit power limited based on Country Code setting. Available center frequencies based on Country Code setting.
3.6 GHz PTP 450		3550-3800	5/10/20	Combined Transmit power limited based on Country Code setting. Available center frequencies based on Country Code setting.
5.4/5.8-GHz PTP 450	FCC UNII Band ETSI Band B ETSI Band C	5470 - 5875	10/20 (5MHz not available in DFS regions)	Combined Transmit power limited based on Country Code setting
5.8-GHz PTP 450 (US ONLY)	FCC IBHS Band	5725 - 5875	5/10/20	US Only – locked to US Country Code EIRP limit of 36 dBm and 5.8-GHz Only

Backhaul Master (BHM)

The BHM is a self-contained unit that houses both radio and networking electronics. The BHM is supplied in a connectorized and radiated configuration. Connectorized units with external antennas can cope with more difficult radio conditions.

Figure 2 BHM, Radio unit

Figure 3 BHM, antenna

BHM interfaces

The BHM interfaces are illustrated below.

Figure 4 BHM interfaces – 3.5 GHz, 3.6 GHz, 5 GHz

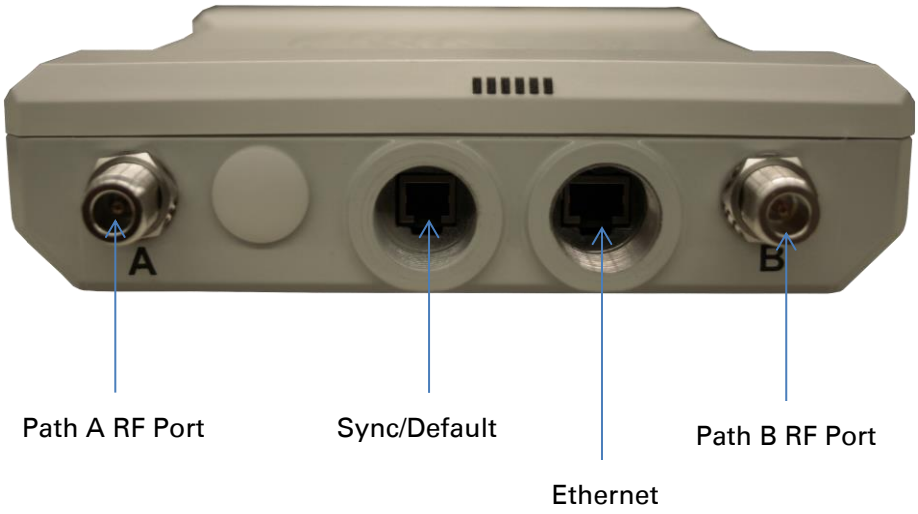


Table 2 BHM interface descriptions and cabling – 3.5 GHz, 3.6 GHz, 5 GHz

Interface		Function	Cabling
Path A RF Port	3.5 GHz	-45 degree RF connection to BHM antenna	50 ohm RF cable, N-type
	3.6 GHz	-45 degree RF connection to BHM antenna	
	5 GHz	Vertical RF connection to BHM antenna	
Path B RF Port	3.5 GHz	+45 degree RF connection to BHM antenna	50 ohm RF cable, N-type
	3.6 GHz	+45 degree RF connection to BHM antenna	
	5 GHz	Horizontal RF connection to BHM antenna	
	GPS synchronization signaling, Default plug port.	RJ11 cable, default plug.	
Sync / Default		Power-over-Ethernet, Ethernet communications (management and data)	RJ45 cable
Interface		**Function**	**Cabling**
Path A RF Port	3.5 GHz	-45 degree RF connection to BHM antenna	50 ohm RF cable, N-type
	3.6 GHz	-45 degree RF connection to BHM antenna	
	5 GHz	Vertical RF connection to BHM antenna	
Path B RF Port	3.5 GHz	+45 degree RF connection to BHM antenna	50 ohm RF cable, N-type
	3.6 GHz	+45 degree RF connection to BHM antenna	

Interface		Function	Cabling
	5 GHz	Horizontal RF connection to BHM antenna	
	GPS synchronization signaling, Default plug port.	RJ11 cable, default plug.	
Sync / Default		Power-over-Ethernet, Ethernet communications (management and data)	RJ45 cable

Table 3 BHM interface descriptions and cabling – ground lug ☐ only on Radiated units

Interface	Function	Cabling
Ground Lug (back of unit)	For grounding the unit	10 AWG copper wire

BHM diagnostic LEDs

The diagnostic LEDs report the following information about the status of the module.

NOTE

The LED color helps you distinguish position of the LED. The LED color does not indicate any status.

Figure 5 BHM diagnostic LEDs, viewed from unit front

	PWR	SYN/1	SES/2	GPS/3	ACT/4	LNK/5

Table 4 BHM LED descriptions

LED	Color when active	Status information provided	Notes
PWR	red	DC power	Always lit when power is correctly supplied.
SYN/1	yellow	Presence of sync	Always lit on the BHM.
SES/2	green	Unused on the BHM	
GPS/3	red	Pulse of sync	Continuously lit as pulse as BHM receives pulse.
ACT/4	yellow	Presence of data activity on the Ethernet link	Flashes during data transfer. Frequency of flash is not a diagnostic indication.
LNK/5	green	Ethernet link	Continuously lit when link is present.

Network connection

The network connection to a PTP 450 Series BHM is made via a 10 BaseT or 100 BaseT Ethernet connection. Power is provided to the BHM over the Ethernet connection using a patented non-standard powering technique.

BHM power supply

The BHM power supply generates the BHM supply voltage (29 VDC) from the external DC source and injects the supply voltage into the BHM.

The power supply is connected to the BHM and network equipment using Cat5e cable with RJ45 connectors.

See Cabling and lightning protection on page 1-13.

NOTE

The PTP 450 BHM can use the GigE power injector but it will not support GigE speeds.

Further reading on the BHM

For more information on the BHM, see BHM or BHS site selection on page 2-35 describes how to select a site for the BHM or BHS.

Backhaul Slave (BHS)

The BHS is a self-contained unit that houses both radio and networking electronics. The BHS is available in a connectorized model and also in an integrated antenna configuration, but may also be used with a passive reflector dish or CLIP (Cassegrain Lens for Improved Performance, 5 GHz only).

Figure 6 PTP 450 Series BHS

> **NOTE**
>
> 3.5 GHz and 3.6 GHz PTP 450 BHSs appear a bit different from the existing 5 GHz PTP 450 BHSs.

Mounting brackets

For mounting PTP 450 BHSs, Cambium Networks offers the SMB1A mounting bracket.

Network connection

The network connection to a PTP 450 Series BHS is made via a 10 BaseT or 100 BaseT Ethernet connection. Power is provided to the BHS over the Ethernet connection using a patented non-standard powering technique.

BHS power supply

The BHS power supply generates the BHS supply voltage (29 VDC) from the external DC source and injects the supply voltage into the BHS.

The power supply is connected to the BHS and network equipment using Cat5e cable with RJ45 connectors.

See Cabling and lightning protection on page 1-13.

Further reading on the BHS

For more information on the BHS, see BHM or BHS site selection on page 2-35 describes how to select a site for the BHS.

BHS interfaces

Figure 7 BHS interfaces

> **NOTE**
>
> 3.5 GHz and 3.6 GHz BHSs appear a bit different from the existing 5 GHz 450 BHSs.

Figure 8 Connectorized BHS

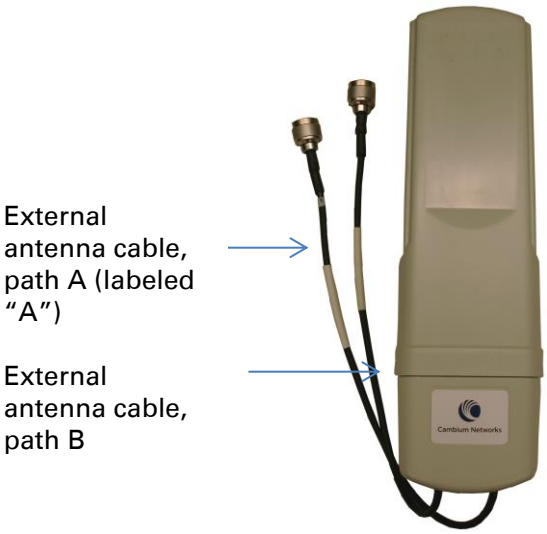


Table 5 BHS Interfaces

Interface	Function	Cabling
Ethernet	Power-over-Ethernet, Ethernet communications (management and data)	RJ45 Cable
Sync / Default	GPS synchronization signaling. Default plug port.	RJ11 cable, default plug
Ground Lug (rear of unit, connectorized only)	For grounding the unit	10 AWG copper wire

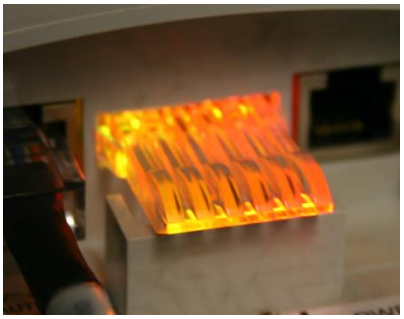
Interface	Function		Cabling
	3.5 GHz	-45 degree antenna connection	50 ohm RF cable, N-type
	3.6 GHz	-45 degree antenna connection	
	5 GHz	Vertical antenna connection	
External antenna cable, path B			50 ohm RF cable, N-type
	3.5 GHz	+45 degree antenna connection	
	3.6 GHz	+45 degree antenna connection	
	5 GHz	Horizontal antenna connection	

BHS diagnostic LEDs

The diagnostic LEDs report the following information about the status of the module. The BHS LEDs provide different status based on the mode of the BHS. An BHS in "operating" mode will register and pass traffic normally. An BHS in "aiming" mode will not register or pass traffic, but will display (via LED panel) the strength of received radio signals (based on radio channel selected via **Tools**, **Alignment**).

> **NOTE**
> The LED color helps you distinguish position of the LED. The LED color does not indicate any status.

Figure 9 BHS diagnostic LEDs, viewed from unit front

BHS LED Display	LED Labels					
						
	LNK/5	ACT/4	GPS/3	SES/2	SYN/1	PWR

> **NOTE**
> The LED display of the 3.5 GHz and 3.6 GHz BHSs appear a bit different from the existing and 5 GHz 450 BHSs.

Table 6 BHS diagnostic LED descriptions

		Status information provided		
LED	**Color when active**	**BHS in "Operating" Mode**	**BHS in "Aiming" Mode**	**Notes**
LNK/5	green	Ethernet link	These five LEDs act as a bar graph to indicate the relative quality of alignment. As power level improves during alignment, more of these LEDs are lit.	Continuously lit when link is present.
ACT/4	yellow	Presence of data activity on the Ethernet link		Flashes during data transfer. Frequency of flash is not a diagnostic indication.
GPS/3	red	Interference		On - high interference. Blinking - medium interference. Off - low interference.
SES/2	green	Strong Receive Signal Power		Blinking from slow to full-on to indicate strong power, getting stronger.
SYN/1	yellow	Medium Receive Signal Power		Blinking from slow to full-on to indicate medium power, getting stronger.
PWR	red	Registration Indicator		Off when registered to BHM. On when not registered to BHM.

Cabling and lightning protection

This section describes the cabling and lightning protection components of a PTP 450 installation.

PTP and lightning protection

Due to the full metallic connection to the tower or support structure through the BHM antenna, grounding the BHM and installing a 600SS surge suppressor at the Ethernet cable building ingress is strongly recommended. This suppresses overvoltages and overcurrents such as those caused by near-miss lightning. BHMSs provide a grounding lug for grounding to the tower or support structure.

⚠ CAUTION

The PTP 450 Series is not designed to survive direct lightning strikes. For this reason the unit should not be installed as the highest point in a localized area.

Outdoor connections

The term ‘drop cable’ refers to the cable that is used for all connections that terminate outside the building, for example, connections between the BHM/BHS, surge suppressors (if installed), uGPS receivers (if installed) and the power supply injector.

The following practices are essential to the reliability and longevity of cabled connections:

- Use only shielded cables and connectors to resist interference and corrosion
- For vertical runs, provide cable support and strain relief
- Include a 2 ft (0.6 m) service loop on each end of the cable to allow for thermal expansion and contraction and to facilitate terminating the cable again when needed
- Include a drip loop to shed water so that most of the water does not reach the connector at the device
- Properly crimp all connectors
- Use dielectric grease on all connectors to resist corrosion

Wireless operation

This section describes how the PTP 450 wireless link is operated, including modulation modes, power control and security.

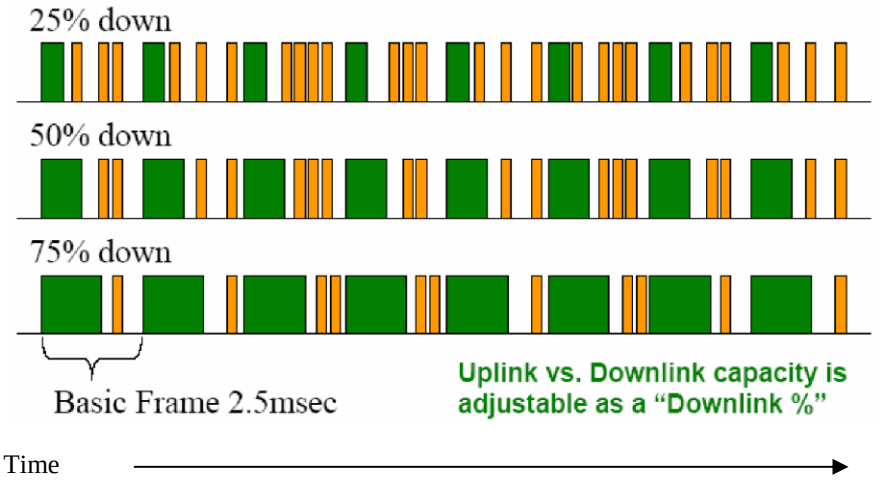
Time division duplexing

The system uses Time Division Duplexing (TDD) – one channel alternately transmits and receives rather than using one channel for transmitting and a second channel for receiving. To accomplish TDD, the BHM must provide sync to its BHS. Furthermore, collocated BHMs must be synced together – an unsynchronized BHM that transmits during the receive cycle of a collocated BHM can prevent a second BHM from being able to decode the signals from its BHSs. In addition, across a geographical area, BHMs that can "hear" each other benefit from using a common sync to further reduce self-interference within the network.

Modules use TDD on a common frequency to divide frames for uplink (orange) and downlink (green) usage, as shown in the figure below.

For more information on synchronization configuration options, see section Planning for co-location and using the OFDM Frame Calculator Tool on page 2-63.

Figure 10 TDD Frame Division



OFDM and channel bandwidth

The PTP 450 Series transmits using Orthogonal Frequency Division Multiplexing (OFDM). The channel bandwidth of the OFDM signal may be configured to 5 MHz (3.5GHz, 3.6 GHz and 5.8 GHz only), 10 MHz or 20 MHz.

Link operation – Dynamic Rate Adapt

PTP 450 Series products offer five levels or speeds of operation – 1x (QPSK), 2x (QPSK-MIMO-B), 4x (16QAM-MIMO-B), 6x (64QAM-MIMO-B), and 8x (256QAM-MIMO-B). If received power is less due to distance between the BHM and the BHS or due to obstructions, or if interference affects the RF environment, the system will automatically and dynamically adjust links to the best operation level.

The system chooses its operation rate dynamically, based on an internal ARQ (Automatic Repeat reQuest) error control method. With ARQ, every data slot of every frame sent over the air (except downlink broadcast) is expected to be acknowledged by the receiver, and if acknowledgement is not received, the data is resent. The sending unit monitors these resends, and adjusts the operation rate accordingly. A normal system may have links that change levels of operation as the RF environment changes. Furthermore, the links operate independently; normal operation can have a downlink running at 6x while the uplink RF environment only supports 2x.

Optimal sector utilization involves having as many links as possible running at 8x. This provides as much capacity as possible for the sector.

Table 7 Link Budget Details – Dynamic Rate Adapt, 5.4 GHz

Product	Parameter		Performance Details				
			1x	**2x**	**4x**	**6x**	**8x**
PTP 450*†	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	QPSK-MIMO	16-QAM-MIMO	64-QAM-MIMO	256-QAM-MIMO
	5.4GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin) – 20 MHz channel bandwidth	with Integrated BHS antenna	4.8 mi / 7.68 km	3.4 mi / 5.44 km	1.5 mi / 2.4 km	0.7 mi / 1.12 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	8.2 mi / 13.12 km	5.8 mi / 9.28 km	2.6 mi / 4.16 km	1.2 mi / 1.92 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km
	5.4GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin) – 10 MHz channel bandwidth	with Integrated BHS antenna	4.3 mi / 6.88 km	3.1 mi / 4.96 km	1.6 mi / 2.56 km	0.7 mi / 1.12 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	7.5 mi / 12 km	5.3 mi / 8.48 km	2.4 mi / 3.84 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
	5.4GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin) – 5 MHz channel bandwidth	with Integrated BHS antenna	4 mi / 6.4 km	2.8 mi / 4.48 km	1.4 mi / 2.24 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	7.3 mi / 11.68 km	5.2 mi / 8.32 km	2.3 mi / 3.68 km	1 mi / 1.6 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
	5.4GHz Max. Aggregate Throughput with 1/16 Cyclic Prefix to 1 BHS (75%/25% DL/UL Ratio) – RF Link Test	20 MHz Channel: (up+down)	13 Mbps	30 Mbps	60 Mbps	98 Mbps	128 Mbps
		10 MHz Channel: (up+down)	6 Mbps	13 Mbps	26 Mbps	42 Mbps	55 Mbps
		5 MHz Channel: (up+down)	2 Mbps	4 Mbps	8 Mbps	14 Mbps	18 Mbps
	5.4GHz Nominal Per-Chain Receive BHS RX Sensitivity (including FEC)‡	20 MHz Channel	-86 dBm	-86 dBm	-79 dBm	-72 dBm	-61 dBm
		10 MHz Channel	-88 dBm	-88 dBm	-82 dBm	-75 dBm	-62 dBm
		5 MHz Channel	-90 dBm	-90 dBm	-84 dBm	-80 dBm	-64 dBm
	Link Budget, Integrated (dB)	20 MHz Channel	124.9	121.9	114.9	107.9	96.9
		10 MHz Channel	124	121	115.1	108	94.8
		5 MHz Channel	123.3	120.3	114.4	110	94.3

* Maximum setting of Max capability parameter is 40 mi.

† Transmit power complies with FCC regulatory requirements.

‡ PTP 450 devices include a dual polar antenna; Channel A (Vertical) and Channel B (Horizontal). Listed receive sensitivity corresponds to single-channel readings.

Table 8 Link Budget Details – Dynamic Rate Adapt, 5.8 GHz

Product	Parameter		Performance Details				
			1x	2x	4x	6x	8x
PTP 450[§]	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	QPSK-MIMO	16-QAM-MIMO	64-QAM-MIMO	256-QAM-MIMO
	5.8GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin) – 20 MHz channel bandwidth	with Integrated BHS antenna	12.1 mi / 19.36 km	8.6 mi / 13.76 km	3.8 mi / 6.08 km	1.6 mi / 2.56 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	34.1 mi / 54.56 km	24.2 mi / 38.72 km	10.8 mi / 17.28 km	4.4 mi / 7.04 km	1.4 mi / 2.24 km
	5.8GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin) – 10 MHz channel bandwidth	with Integrated BHS antenna	17.7 mi / 28.32 km	12.5 mi / 20 km	5.5 mi / 8.8 km	2.5 mi / 4 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	35.3 mi / 56.48 km	15.6 mi / 24.96 km	7.1 mi / 11.36 km	1.8 mi / 2.88 km
	5.8GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin) – 5 MHz channel bandwidth	with Integrated BHS antenna	20.3 mi / 32.48 km	14.4 mi / 23.04 km	7.3 mi / 11.68 km	3.6 mi / 5.76 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	20.5 mi / 32.8 km	10.1 mi / 16.16 km	3.2 mi / 5.12 km
	5.8GHz Max. Aggregate Throughput with 1/16 Cyclic Prefix to 1 BHS (75%/25% DL/UL Ratio) – RF Link Test	20 MHz Channel: (up+down)	13 Mbps	30 Mbps	60 Mbps	98 Mbps	128 Mbps
		10 MHz Channel: (up+down)	6 Mbps	13 Mbps	26 Mbps	42 Mbps	55 Mbps
		5 MHz Channel: (up+down)	2 Mbps	4 Mbps	8 Mbps	14 Mbps	18 Mbps
	5.8GHz Nominal Per-Chain Receive BHS RX Sensitivity (including FEC)[**]	20 MHz Channel	-87 dBm	-87 dBm	-80 dBm	-72 dBm	-62 dBm
		10 MHz Channel	-90 dBm	-90 dBm	-83 dBm	-76 dBm	-64 dBm
		5 MHz Channel	-91 dBm	-91 dBm	-85 dBm	-79 dBm	-69 dBm
	Link Budget, Integrated (dB)	20 MHz Channel	133.6	130.6	123.6	115.8	105.8
		10 MHz Channel	136.9	133.9	126.8	120	108
		5 MHz Channel	138.1	135.1	129.2	123	113

[§] Maximum setting of Max capability parameter is 40 mi.

[**] PMP 450 devices include a dual polar antenna; Channel A (Vertical) and Channel B (Horizontal). Listed receive sensitivity corresponds to single-channel readings.

Table 9 Link Budget Details – Dynamic Rate Adapt, 3.5GHz

Product	Parameter		Performance Details				
			1x	2x	4x	6x	8x
PTP 450[††]	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	QPSK-MIMO	16-QAM-MIMO	64-QAM-MIMO	256-QAM-MIMO
	3.5GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin) – 20 MHz channel bandwidth	with Integrated BHS antenna	16.1 mi / 25.76 km	16.1 mi / 25.76 km	7.2 mi / 11.52 km	3.2 mi / 5.12 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	25.5 mi / 40.8 km	11.3 mi / 18.08 km	4 mi / 6.4 km
	3.5GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin) – 10 MHz channel bandwidth	with Integrated BHS antenna	22.7 mi / 36.32 km	22.7 mi / 36.32 km	10.1 mi / 16.16 km	5.1 mi / 8.16 km	1.8 mi / 2.88 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	35.9 mi / 57.44 km	18 mi / 28.8 km	6.4 mi / 10.24 km
	3.5GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin) – 5 MHz channel bandwidth	with Integrated BHS antenna	27.9 mi / 44.64 km	27.9 mi / 44.64 km	14.1 mi / 22.56 km	7.2 mi / 11.52 km	2.5 mi / 4 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	25.4 mi / 40.64 km	8.8 mi / 14.08 km
	3.5GHz Max. Aggregate Throughput with 1/16 Cyclic Prefix to 1 BHS (75%/25% DL/UL Ratio) – RF Link Test	20 MHz Channel: (up+down)	13 Mbps	30 Mbps	59 Mbps	96 Mbps	129 Mbps
		10 MHz Channel: (up+down)	6 Mbps	13 Mbps	26 Mbps	42 Mbps	55 Mbps
		5 MHz Channel: (up+down)	2 Mbps	4 Mbps	9 Mbps	14 Mbps	18 Mbps
	3.5GHz Nominal Per-Chain Receive BHS RX Sensitivity (including FEC)[‡‡]	20 MHz Channel	-87 dBm	-87 dBm	-80 dBm	-73 dBm	-66 dBm
		10 MHz Channel	-90 dBm	-90 dBm	-83 dBm	-77 dBm	-70 dBm
		5 MHz Channel	-92 dBm	-92 dBm	-86 dBm	-80 dBm	-73 dBm
	Link Budget, Integrated (dB)	20 MHz Channel	131.8	131.8	124.8	117.7	108.7
		10 MHz Channel	134.8	134.8	127.8	121.8	112.8
		5 MHz Channel	136.6	136.6	130.7	124.8	115.6

[††] Maximum setting of Max capability parameter is 40 mi.

[‡‡] PMP 450 devices include a dual polar antenna; Channel A (-45 deg.) and Channel B (+45 deg.). Listed receive sensitivity corresponds to single-channel readings.

Table 10 Link Budget Details – Dynamic Rate Adapt, 3.6GHz

Product	Parameter		Performance Details				
			1x	2x	4x	6x	8x
PTP 450[§§]	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	QPSK-MIMO	16-QAM-MIMO	64-QAM-MIMO	256-QAM-MIMO
	3.6GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin) – 20 MHz channel bandwidth	with Integrated BHS antenna	15.3 mi / 24.48 km	15.3 mi / 24.48 km	7.1 mi / 11.36 km	3.2 mi / 5.12 km	1 mi / 1.6 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	25.4 mi / 40.64 km	11.3 mi / 18.08 km	3.6 mi / 5.76 km
	3.6GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin) – 10 MHz channel bandwidth	with Integrated BHS antenna	21.8 mi / 34.88 km	21.8 mi / 34.88 km	9.7 mi / 15.52 km	5.4 mi / 8.64 km	1.6 mi / 2.56 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	34.6 mi / 55.36 km	19 mi / 30.4 km	5.7 mi / 9.12 km
	3.6GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin) – 5 MHz channel bandwidth	with Integrated BHS antenna	28.4 mi / 45.44 km	28.4 mi / 45.44 km	14.2 mi / 22.72 km	5.7 mi / 9.12 km	1.8 mi / 2.88 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	20.1 mi / 32.16 km	6.4 mi / 10.24 km
	3.6GHz Max. Aggregate Throughput with 1/16 Cyclic Prefix to 1 BHS (75%/25% DL/UL Ratio) – RF Link Test	20 MHz Channel: (up+down)	13 Mbps	30 Mbps	59 Mbps	96 Mbps	129 Mbps
		10 MHz Channel: (up+down)	6 Mbps	13 Mbps	26 Mbps	42 Mbps	55 Mbps
		5 MHz Channel: (up+down)	2 Mbps	4 Mbps	9 Mbps	14 Mbps	18 Mbps
	3.6GHz Nominal Per-Chain Receive BHS RX Sensitivity (including FEC)[***]	20 MHz Channel	-87 dBm	-87 dBm	-80 dBm	-73 dBm	-65 dBm
		10 MHz Channel	-90 dBm	-90 dBm	-83 dBm	-78 dBm	-69 dBm
		5 MHz Channel	-92 dBm	-92 dBm	-86 dBm	-78 dBm	-70 dBm
	Link Budget, Integrated (dB)	20 MHz Channel	131.6	131.6	125	118	108
		10 MHz Channel	134.7	134.7	127.7	122.5	112
		5 MHz Channel	137	137	131	123	113.1

[§§] Maximum setting of Max capability parameter is 40 mi.

[***] PMP 450 devices include a dual polar antenna; Channel A (-45 deg.) and Channel B (+45 deg.). Listed receive sensitivity corresponds to single-channel readings.

Adaptive modulation

PTP 450 units can transport data over the wireless link using a number of different modulation modes. The radio automatically selects QPSK (Quadrature Phase Shift Keying) - SISO, QPSK-MIMO, 16-QAM (Quadrature Amplitude Modulation) - MIMO, 64-QAM - MIMO, or 256-QAM - MIMO based on the RF environment to provide 1x, 2x, 4x, 6x and 8x operation.

MIMO

Multiple-Input Multiple-Output (MIMO) techniques provide protection against fading and increase the probability that the receiver will decode a usable signal. When the effects of MIMO are combined with those of OFDM techniques and a high link budget, there is a high probability of a robust connection over a non-line-of-sight path.

The sub-feature that comprises the MIMO technique utilized in the PTP 450 product is:

- Matrix B: This technique provides for the ability to double the throughput of a radio transmission under proper RF conditions. Different data streams are transmitted simultaneously on two different antennas.

Cyclic Prefix

OFDM technology uses a cyclic prefix, where a portion of the end of a symbol (slot) is repeated at the beginning of the symbol (slot) to allow multi-pathing to settle before receiving the desired data. A 1/16 cyclic prefix means that for every 16 bits of throughput data transmitted, an additional bit is used.

Encryption

The Cambium PTP 450 Series supports optional encryption for data transmitted over the wireless link. The PTP 450 Series supports the following forms of encryption for security of the wireless link:

- **DES (Data Encryption Standard)**: An over-the-air link encryption option that uses secret 56-bit keys and 8 parity bits. DES performs a series of bit permutations, substitutions, and recombination operations on blocks of data. DES encryption does not affect the performance or throughput of the system.
- **AES (Advanced Encryption Standard):** An over-the-air link encryption option that uses the Rijndael algorithm and 128-bit keys to establish a higher level of security than DES. AES products are certified as compliant with the Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS 197) in the U.S.A.

Further reading on wireless operation

For information on planning wireless operation, see Regulatory planning on page 2-27, that describes the regulatory restrictions that affects radio spectrum usage, such as frequency range.

System management

This section introduces the PTP 450 management system, including the web interface, installation, configuration, alerts and upgrades, and management software.

Management agent

PTP 450 equipment is managed through an embedded management agent. Management workstations, network management systems or PCs can be connected to this agent using the module's Ethernet port or over-the air (BHS).

The management agent supports the following interfaces:

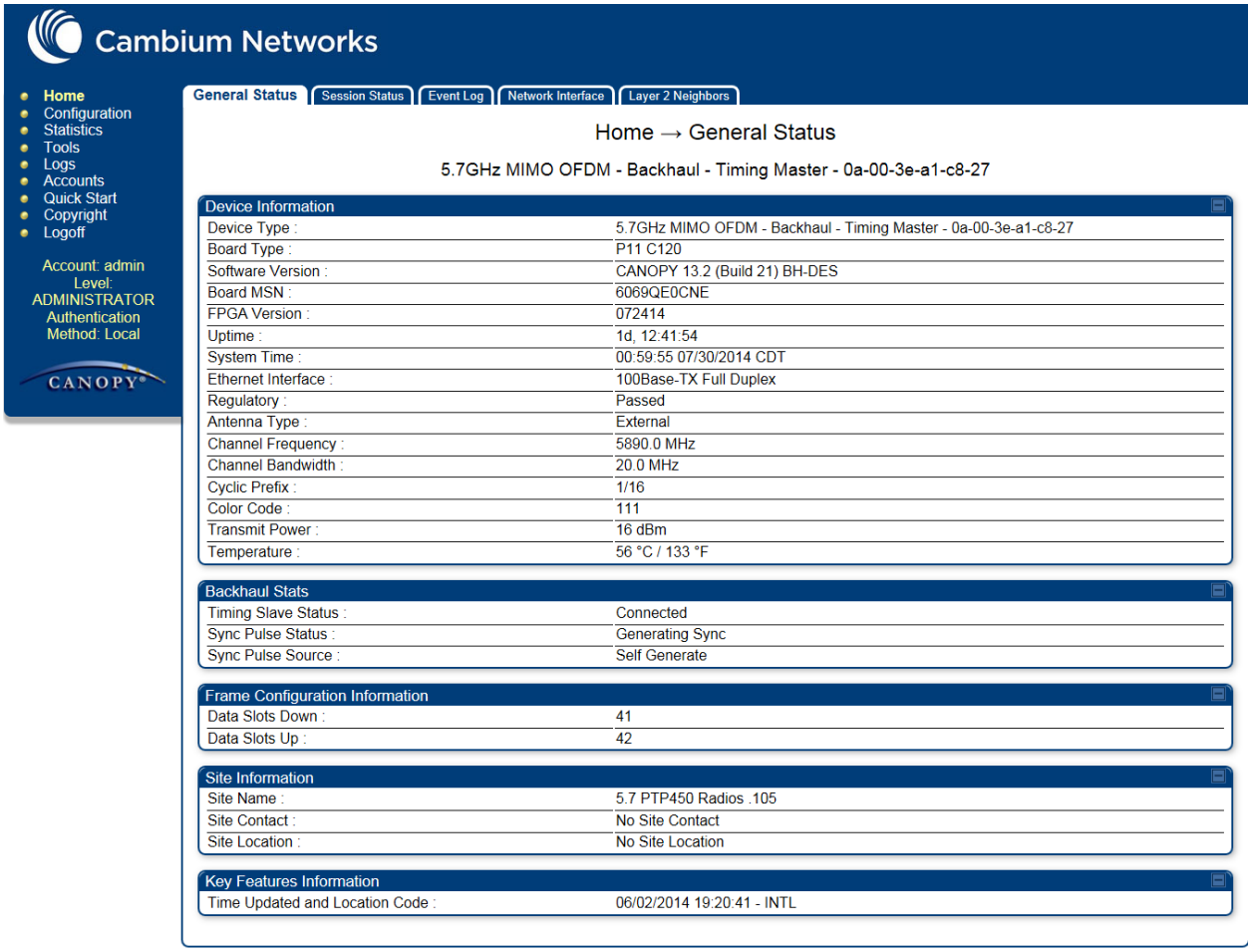
- Hypertext transfer protocol (HTTP)
- Simple network management protocol (SNMP)
- Network time protocol (NTP)
- System logging (Syslog)
- Wireless Manager (WM) software
- Canopy Network Updater Tool (CNUT) software

Web server

The PTP 450 management agent contains a web server. The web server supports access via the HTTP interface..

Web-based management offers a convenient way to manage the PTP 450 equipment from a locally connected computer or from a network management workstation connected through a management network, without requiring any special management software. The web-based interfaces are the only interfaces supported for installation of PTP 450, and for the majority of PTP 450 configuration management tasks.

Figure 11 BHM web-based management screenshot



Web pages

The web-based management interfaces provide comprehensive web-based fault, configuration, performance and security management functions organized into the following web-pages and groups:

BHM web-pages:

- **Home:** The Home web-page reports the general device status, session status, remote subscriber status, event log information, network interface status, and layer 2 neighbor information.
- **Configuration:** The Configuration web-page may be utilized for configuring general device parameters, as well as IP, radio, SNMP, Quality of Service (QoS), security, time, VLAN, DiffServ, protocol filtering, and unit settings.
- **Statistics:** The Statistics web-page reports detailed operating statistics for the scheduler, BHS registration failures, bridge control block, bridging table, Ethernet, radio, VLAN, data VC, throughput, filter, ARP, overload, DHCP relay, pass through, and DNS.
- **Tools:** The Tools web-page offers useful tools for device installation, configuration, and operation including link capacity test, frame calculator, subscriber configuration, link status, remote spectrum analyzer, sessions, and DNS test.
- **Logs:** The Logs web-page displays logs related to device operation including BHM sessions, BHM authentication state machine, BHM authorization state machine, and EBHM Radius.

- **Accounts:** These web-pages are used to configure device user accounts.
- **Quick Start:** The Quick Start web-page provides a walkthrough of configuring radio parameters for initial operation.
- **Copyright:** The Copyright web-page displays pertinent device copyright information.

Subscriber Module web-pages:

- **Home:** The Home web-page reports the general device status, event log information, network interface status, and layer 2 neighbor information.
- **Configuration:** The Configuration web-page may be utilized for configuring general device parameters, as well as IP, radio, SNMP, Quality of Service (QoS), security, VLAN, DiffServ, protocol filtering, NAT, PPPoE, NAT port mapping, and unit settings.
- **Statistics:** The Statistics web-page reports detailed operating statistics for the scheduler, bridge control block, bridging table, translation table, Ethernet, radio, VLAN, data VC, filter, NAT, NAT DHCP, ARP, overload, PPPoE, peer information, and DNS.
- **Tools:** The Tools web-page offers useful tools for device installation, configuration, and operation including a spectrum analyzer, alignment configuration and tool, link capacity test, BHM evaluation, frame calculator, BER results, link status, and DNS test.
- **Logs:** The Logs web-page displays logs related to device operation including the NAT table, BHS session, BHS authentication, BHS authorization, PPPoE session, and EBHM Radius.
- **Accounts:** These web-pages are used to configure device user accounts.
- **PDA:** The PDA web-page includes 320 x 240 pixel formatted displays of information important to installation and alignment for installers using legacy PDA devices. All device web pages are compatible with touch devices such as smart phones and tablets.
- **Copyright:** The Copyright web-page displays pertinent device copyright information.

Identity-based user accounts

When identity-based user accounts are configured, a security officer can define from one to four user accounts, each of which may have one of the four possible roles:

- ADMINISTRATOR, who has full read and write permissions. This is the level of the `root` and `admin` users, as well as any other administrator accounts that one of them creates.
- INSTALLER, who has permissions identical to those of ADMINISTRATOR except that the installer cannot add or delete users or change the password of any other user.
- TECHNICIAN, who has permissions to modify basic radio parameters and view informational web pages
- GUEST, who has no write permissions and only a limited view of General Status tab

See Table 44 Identity-based user account permissions - BHM on page 2-86 and Table 45 Identity-based user account permissions - BHS on page 2-88 for detailed information on account permissions.

SNMP

The management agent supports fault and performance management by means of an SNMP interface. The management agent is compatible with SNMP v1 and SNMP v2c using 5 Management Information Base (MIB) files which are available for download from the Cambium Networks Support website (https://support.cambiumnetworks.com/files/pmp450).

Network Time Protocol (NTP)

The clock supplies accurate date and time information to the system. It can be set to run with or without a connection to a network time server (NTP). It can be configured to display local time by setting the time zone and daylight saving in the Time web page.

If an NTP server connection is available, the clock can be set to synchronize with the server time at regular intervals.

PTP 450 devices may receive NTP data from a CMM3 or CMM4 module, an NTP server configured in the system's management network or a UGPS module.

The Time Zone option is configurable on the BHM's Time Configuration page, and may be used to offset the received NTP time to match the operator's local time zone. When set on the BHM, the offset will be set for the entire sector (BHSs will be notified of the current Time Zone upon initial registration). If a Time Zone change is applied, the BHSs will be notified of the change in a best effort fashion, meaning some BHSs may not pick up the change until the next re-registration. Time Zone changes are noted in the Event Log of the BHM and BHS.

An BHM which is receiving NTP date and time information from an NTP server or from a GPS synchronization source may be used as an NTP server. Any client which has IP connectivity to the BHM may request NTP date and time information from the BHM. No additional configuration (other than the BHM receiving valid NTP data) is required to use the BHM as an NTP server.

Wireless Manager (WM)

Cambium Networks Wireless Manager 4.0 is recommended for managing PTP 450 networks. You can achieve better uptime through better visibility of your network with the Cambium Wireless Manager. This network management software tool offers breakthrough map-based visualization capabilities using embedded Google maps, and combined with advanced configuration, provisioning, alerting and reporting features you can control your entire outdoor wireless network including Point-to-Multipoint and Point-to-Point solutions as well as other SNMP enabled devices. With its powerful user interface you will not only be able to control your network's access, distribution and backhaul layers, but you will also have visibility to WLAN sites and be able to quickly launch indoor network management systems.

Some key features of Wireless Manager are:

- **Template-Based Configuration:** With Wireless Manager's user-defined templates you can accelerate the process for the configuration of the devices you add to your network resulting in quicker and easier deployments. The template-based functionality provides an automated way to configure large numbers of network devices with just a few mouse clicks, and can be scheduled to occur at any time via Wireless Manager's Task Scheduler.
- **Ultralight Thin Client:** With the growing mobile workforce it is important to have access to the status of your network at any time. With Wireless Manager you can view the status and performance of your entire wireless network via a compact web interface accessible by your smart phone.

- **Map-Based Visualization:** Wireless Manager overlays sophisticated real-time information about your network elements onto building layouts and dynamic Google maps. Visuals can be scaled to view an entire city or building or a specific area, floor or link.
- **High Availability Architecture Support:** Wireless Manager offers a high availability option, providing a highly reliable and redundant network management solution that ensures you always have management access to your network.
- **High Scalability:** The enhanced Wireless Manager offers you server scalability with support for up to 10,000 nodes as well as support for distributed server architecture.

Cambium's Wireless Manager 4.0 available for download at:
http://www.cambiumnetworks.com/support/management-tools/wireless-manager/

Canopy Network Updater Tool (CNUT)

CNUT (Canopy Network Updater Tool) is the stand-alone software update tool for PTP 450 Series products.

The Canopy Network Updater Tool:

- automatically discovers all network elements
- executes a UDP command that initiates and terminates the Auto-update mode within BHMs. This command is both secure and convenient:
  - For security, the BHM accepts this command from only the IP address that you specify in the Configuration page of the BHM.
  - For convenience, Network Updater automatically sets this Configuration parameter in the BHMs to the IP address of the Network Updater server when the server performs any of the update commands.
- allows you to choose among updating
  - your entire network.
  - only elements that you select.
  - only network branches that you select.
- provides a Script Engine that you can use with any script that
  - you define.
  - Cambium supplies.

CNUT is available at http://www.cambiumnetworks.com/support/management-tools/cnut/

Capacity upgrades

Capacity upgrades are supplied as an access key purchased from your Cambium Point-to-Multipoint distributor or solutions provider. The upgrade is applied by entering the supplied URL in a PTP 450 module-connected web browser address bar.

Software upgrade

CNUT (Canopy Network Updater Tool) is the stand-alone software update tool for PTP 450 Series products.

CNUT is available at http://www.cambiumnetworks.com/support/management-tools/cnut/

Further reading on system management

For more information on system management, see Security planning on page 2-85 describes how to plan for PTP 450 links to operate in secure modes.

Chapter 2: Planning considerations

This chapter provides information to help the user to plan a PTP 450 network.

The following topics are described in this chapter:

- Regulatory planning on page 2-27 describes how to plan PTP 450 links to conform to the regulatory restrictions that apply in the country of operation.
- Network migration planning on page 2-28 presents migration scenarios to aid in planning a network deployment
- Site planning on page 2-35 describes factors to be considered when choosing sites for the equipment
- Link planning on page 2-36 describes factors to be taken into account when planning links, such as range, path loss and throughput.
- Analyzing the RF Environment on page 2-59 describes how to map RF neighbor frequencies, anticipate reflection, assess RF obstructions in the Fresnel Zone, and plan channel usage.
- Selecting Sites for Network Elements on page 2-66 describes how to survey sites, find expected coverage areas, clear the radio horizon, and calculate aim angles.
- Diagramming Network Layouts on page 2-69 includes tips on how to avoid self-interference as well as interference from external sources.
- Grounding and lightning protection on page 2-71 discusses wiring standards, the need for surge protection, lightning protection zones, and general protection requirements.
- Configuration options for TDD synchronization on page 2-76 covers the importance of GPS synchronization as well as planning for installation
- Data network planning on page 2-78 discusses IP networking and other networking features provided with the PTP 450 product
- Security planning on page 2-85 can be referenced for information regarding security features of the product.

Regulatory planning

This section describes how to plan PTP 450 links to conform to the regulatory restrictions that apply in the country of operation.

CAUTION

It is the responsibility of the user to ensure that the PTP product is operated in accordance with local regulatory limits.

NOTE

Contact the applicable radio regulator to find out whether or not registration of the PTP network is required.

Obeying Regulatory limits

The local regulator may restrict frequency usage and channel width, and may limit the amount of conducted or radiated transmitter power. Some countries impose conducted power limits on products operating in the 3.5GHz, 3.6 GHz, 5.4 GHz and 5.8 GHz bands. For detailed information, see Compliance with radio regulations on page 4-124.

Conforming to the limits

Ensure the system is configured to conform to local regulatory requirements by setting the appropriate Country Code setting on the BHMs and BHSs in the network. When using connectorized BHMs or BHSs with external antennas, the regulations may require the maximum transmit power to be reduced. To ensure that regulatory requirements are met for connectorized installations, see Calculating maximum power level for connectorized units on page 2-57.

Network migration planning

The PTP 450 Series offers current network operators the ability to migrate to PTP 450 for expanded network capacity and capability. The following sections are provided to aid in establishing a planning framework for deploying a PTP 450 system.

Example PTP 450 deployment scenario

The following sections detail example network deployment scenarios for the PTP 450 product. This table may be referenced to begin planning the PTP 450 deployment based on the current network configuration (if applicable).

Definitions of deployment scenario terminology

Table 11 Deployment scenario terminology descriptions

Term	Definition
Existing System Release	The current running system software release
Existing Number of Sectors	The total number of BHM sectors co-located in the current system
Existing Modulation	The type of modulation used in the current network. "FSK" indicates an existing PTP 1x0 series network, and "OFDM" indicates an existing PTP 430 network.
Existing Frequency Re-use Pattern	The current deployment's usage of frequency across tower sectors. For example, in a six BHM sector deployment, the following represents an ABC frequency re-use pattern. • Sector 1 (A): 5740 • Sector 2 (B): 5760 • Sector 3 (C): 5780 • Sector 4 (A): 5740 • Sector 5 (B): 5760 • Sector 6 (C): 5780 The deployment scenarios define their own customized examples of frequency re-use patterns. For multiple BHM cluster deployments, see Multiple OFDM BHM Clusters on page 2-61
Existing Ch BW (MHz)	The channel size, or channel bandwidth used in the current system. For FSK (PTP 1x0 series) deployments, the channel bandwidth is always 20 MHz. For OFDM (PTP 430) deployments, the channel size may be 5, 10, or 20 MHz.
Existing Total Bandwidth Used (MHz)	The total amount of spectrum, in MHz, which is used by the existing system.

Term	Definition
Existing Aggregate Tower Throughput (Mbps)	The total amount of throughput, in Mbps, available in the current network deployment.
Existing Additional Frequencies Available (MHz)	The number of additional frequencies unused by the current deployment that are available for usage by PTP 450 equipment.
FINAL: Aggregate Throughput (Mbps)	The aggregate throughput available after upgrading to a PTP 450 network.
Resulting Number of Sectors	The number of sectors configured in the new PTP 450 network installation.
Resulting Modulation	The modulation scheme utilized in the new PTP 450 network installation.
Resulting Frequency Re-use Pattern	The new frequency re-use pattern utilized in the new PTP 450 network installation. Each deployment scenario in this section includes a custom example of a frequency re-use plan.
Resulting Ch BW (MHz)	The resulting channel bandwidth configured in the PTP 450 system.
Resulting Total Bandwidth Used (MHz)	The total amount of spectrum which is used by the existing system.
Resulting Aggregate Tower Throughput (Mbps)	The aggregate throughput available after upgrading to a PTP 450 network.
Resulting Percentage Increase in Aggregate Tower Throughput	The amount of increase in tower (all sectors) throughput after upgrading to a PTP 450 network.
Total Bandwidth Used (During Migration) (MHz)	The total amount of spectrum (in MHz) used when migrating to a PTP 450 deployment.

Sector capacity

Deployment scenario 1 – Replacing PTP 100 Equipment (20 MHz Channel Bandwidth)

In Deployment scenario 1, it is presumed that the existing network is comprised of PTP 1x0 equipment (i.e. PTP 100, PTP 120, etc.), with the configuration listed below in Table 12. The migration in this scenario results in a complete replacement of PTP 1x0 series equipment with PTP 450 equipment.

During the Scenario 1, it is presumed that the neighbouring frequencies are free and that a guard band is not required at the edges of the spectrum used for transmission.

Table 12 Deployment scenario 1

Term	Definition
Existing System Release	13.1.3
Existing Number of Sectors	6
Existing Modulation	FSK
Existing Frequency Re-use Pattern	ABC ABC
Existing Ch BW (MHz)	20
Existing Aggregate Tower Throughput (Mbps)	84
Existing Total Bandwidth Used (MHz)	60
Existing Additional Frequencies Available (MHz)	10
Replace Legacy Subscribers with 450 BHSs	Required
Resulting Number of Sectors	6
Resulting Modulation	OFDM (MIMO)
Resulting Frequency Re-use Pattern	ABC ABC
Resulting Ch BW (MHz)	20
Resulting Total Bandwidth Used (MHz)	60
Resulting Aggregate Tower Throughput (Mbps)	570
Resulting Percentage Increase in Aggregate Tower Throughput	679%

Table 13 Scenario 1 spectrum usage

Beginning frequency usage			Resulting frequency usage (assuming no interference at band edges)	
5725				
5730				
5735				
5740		**FSK (A)**		**MIMO (A) 5.740 GHz**
5745				
5750				
5755				
5760		**FSK (B)**		**MIMO (B) 5.760 GHz**
5765				
5770				
5775				
5780		**FSK (C)**		**MIMO (C) 5.780 GHz**
5785				
5790				
5795				
5800				

Deployment scenario 1 migration procedure

In Deployment scenario 1 migration procedure, it is presumed that that there are no temporary frequencies available and that the PTP 450 BHMs will replace the existing BHMs.

Procedure 1a Deployment scenario 1 migration procedure

1. Identify proximity to potential system interferers by running a spectrum analysis scan where the PTP 450 equipment is deployed. It is recommended to run this scan at several different times of day and night
2. Record relevant BHM and BHS configuration parameters within the current operating network, if applicable, including:
   - authentication, and authorization parameters
   - frequency configuration
   - data network configuration
   - RF statistics
   - security configuration
3. Configure the PTP 450 BHM and BHSs for deployment
4. Install the PTP 450 BHM
5. Install the PTP 450 MIMO(frequency A) BHSs – powered on
6. Verify BHS registration, link quality, and link performance.
7. Continue installation for frequency B sector and frequency C sector.

Deployment scenario 2 – Replacing PTP 230 equipment (10 MHz Channel Bandwidth)

In Deployment scenario 2, it is presumed that that the existing network is comprised of PTP 230 equipment with the configuration listed below in Table 14. The migration in this scenario results in a complete replacement of PTP 230 series equipment with PTP 450 equipment.

Table 14 Deployment scenario 2

Term	Definition
Existing System Release	13.2
Existing Number of Sectors	6
Existing Modulation	OFDM
Existing Frequency Re-use Pattern	ABC ABC
Existing Ch BW (MHz)	10
Existing Aggregate Tower Throughput (Mbps)	135
Existing Total Bandwidth Used (MHz)	30
Existing Additional Frequencies Available (MHz)	0
Resulting Number of Sectors	6
Resulting Modulation	OFDM (MIMO)
Resulting Frequency Re-use Pattern	ABC ABC
Resulting Ch BW (MHz)	10
Resulting Total Bandwidth Used (MHz)	30
Resulting Aggregate Tower Throughput (Mbps)	234
Resulting Percentage Increase in Aggregate Tower Throughput	173%

Table 15 Deployment scenario 2 spectrum usage

Beginning PTP 430 frequency usage		Resulting PTP 450 frequency usage	
5725			
5730			
5735			
5740	**OFDM (A)**		**MIMO (A) 5.740 GHz**
5745			
5750	**OFDM (B)**		**MIMO (B) 5.750 GHz**
5755			
5760	**OFDM (C)**		**MIMO (C) 5.760 GHz**
5765			
5770			

Deployment scenario 2 migration procedure

During this procedure, it is assumed that there are no temporary frequencies available and that the PTP 450 BHMs will replace the existing BHMs.

Procedure 2 Deployment scenario 2 migration procedure

1. Identify proximity to potential system interferers by running a spectrum analysis scan where the PTP 450 equipment is deployed. It is recommended to run this scan at several different times of day and night
2. Record relevant BHM and BHS configuration parameters within the current operating network, if applicable, including:
   - authentication, and authorization parameters
   - frequency configuration
   - data network configuration
   - RF statistics
   - security configuration
3. Configure the PTP 450 BHM and BHSs for deployment
4. Install the PTP 450 BHM (frequency A)
5. Install the PTP 450 MIMO (frequency A) BHSs – powered on
6. Verify BHS registration, link quality, and link performance.
7. Continue installation for frequency B sector and frequency C sector.

Site planning

This section describes factors to be taken into account when choosing sites for the BHM or BHS, power supplies, CMM4 (if applicable) and GPS antenna (if applicable).

BHM or BHS site selection

When selecting a site for the BHM or BHS, consider the following factors:

- Height and location to ensure that people are kept away from the antenna; see Calculated distances and power compliance margins on page 4-122.
- Height and location to achieve the best radio path.
- Ability to meet the requirements specified in Grounding and lightning protection on page 2-71.
- Aesthetics and planning permission issues.
- Cable lengths; see Maximum cable lengths on page 2-35.
- The effect of strong winds on the installation; see Wind loading on page 2-36.

Power supply site selection

When selecting a site for the BHM or BHS power supply, consider the following factors:

- Indoor location with no possibility of condensation.
- Availability of a mains electricity supply.
- Accessibility for viewing status indicator LED and connecting Ethernet cables.
- Cable lengths; see Maximum cable lengths on page 2-35.

Maximum cable lengths

When installing PTP 450 Series BHMs or BHSs, the maximum permitted length of the shielded copper Ethernet interface cable is 330 feet (100m) from BHM/BHS to their associated power supplies or uGPS.

When receiving synchronization signalling from a uGPS module, see table below for maximum synchronization cable lengths.

Table 16 Sync cable length specification

Configuration	Maximum Cable Length (feet)	Maximum Cable Length (meters)
UGPS powered via external power source	330	100

Wind loading

Ensure that the site is not prone to excessive wind loading.

Antennas and equipment mounted on towers or buildings will subject the mounting structure to significant lateral forces when there is appreciable wind. Antennas are normally specified by the amount of force (in pounds) for specific wind strengths. The magnitude of the force depends on both the wind strength and size of the antenna.

Calculation of lateral force (metric)

The magnitude of the lateral force can be estimated from:
Force (in kilograms) = $0.1045aV^2$

Where:	Is:
a	surface area in square meters
V	wind speed in meters per second

The lateral force produced by a single PTP 450 at different wind speeds is shown in Table 17 Lateral force - metric and Table 18 Lateral force - US.

Table 17 Lateral force - metric

Largest surface area (square meters)	Lateral force (Kg) at wind speed (meters per second)				
	30	40	50	60	70
.0027 (BHS)	0.25	0.45	0.7	1	1.4

Calculation of lateral force (US)

The magnitude of the lateral force can be estimated from:

Force (in pounds) = $0.0042Av^2$

Where:	Is:
A	surface area in square feet
v	wind speed in miles per hour

The lateral force produced by a single PTP 450 unit at different wind speeds is shown in Table 18.

Table 18 Lateral force - US

Largest surface area (square feet)	Lateral force (lb) at wind speed (miles per hour)				
	80	100	120	140	150
0.29 (BHS)	7.8	12	18	23	27

Capabilities of the PTP 450 Series

The structure and mounting brackets of the BHM are capable of withstanding wind speeds up to:

- 190 kph (118 mph) – 5 GHz Sector Antennas
- 216 kph (135 mph) – 3.5 GHz, 3.6 GHz Sector Antennas

Ensure the structure to which BHM is fixed is also capable of withstanding the prevalent wind speeds and loads.

The structure and mounting brackets of the BHS are capable of withstanding wind speeds up to 190 kph (118 mph). Ensure that the structure to which the BHS is fixed to is also capable of withstanding the prevalent wind speeds and loads.

Wind speed statistics

Contact the national meteorological office for the country concerned to identify the likely wind speeds prevalent at the proposed location. Use this data to estimate the total wind loading on the support structures. Sources of information:

- US National Weather Service: http://www.nws.noaa.gov/
- UK Meteorological Office: www.meto.gov.uk

Link planning

This section describes factors to be taken into account when planning links, such as range, obstacles, path loss and throughput.

Range and obstacles

Calculate the range of the link and identify any obstacles that may affect radio performance.

Perform a survey to identify all the obstructions (such as trees or buildings) in the path and to assess the risk of interference. This information is necessary in order to achieve an accurate link feasibility assessment.

The PTP 450 Series is designed to operate in Near-Line-of-Sight (nLOS), Non-Line-of-Sight (NLOS) and Line-of-Sight (LOS) environments. An NLOS environment is one in which there is no optical line-of-sight, that is, there are obstructions between the antennas. See Figure 1.

OFDM technology can often use multi-pathing to an advantage to overcome nLOS, especially in cases where the Fresnel zone is only partially blocked by buildings, “urban canyons”, or foliage. OFDM tends to help especially when obstacles are near the middle of the link, and less so when the obstacles are very near the BHS or BHM.

However, attenuation through walls and trees is substantial for any use of the 3.5 GHz, 3.6 GHz, 5.4 GHz, and 5.8 GHz frequency bands. Even with OFDM, these products should not be expected to penetrate walls or extensive trees and foliage.

Table 19 Link budget details – 5.8 GHz PTP 450 link, 20 MHz Channel Bandwidth

Product	Parameter		Range Details				
			1x	**2x**	**4x**	**6x**	**8x**
PTP 450	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	QPSK-MIMO-B	16QAM-MIMO-B	64QAM-MIMO-B	256QAM-MIMO-B
	5.8GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin)	with Integrated BHS antenna	12.1 mi / 19.36 km	8.6 mi / 13.76 km	3.8 mi / 6.08 km	1.6 mi / 2.56 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	34.1 mi / 54.56 km	24.2 mi / 38.72 km	10.8 mi / 17.28 km	4.4 mi / 7.04 km	1.4 mi / 2.24 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	19.2 mi / 30.72 km	7.8 mi / 12.48 km	2.5 mi / 4 km
	5.8GHz Max. nLOS Link Budget (additional 5 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	6.8 mi / 10.88 km	4.8 mi / 7.68 km	2.2 mi / 3.52 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	19.2 mi / 30.72 km	13.6 mi / 21.76 km	6.1 mi / 9.76 km	2.5 mi / 4 km	0.8 mi / 1.28 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	34.1 mi / 54.56 km	24.2 mi / 38.72 km	10.8 mi / 17.28 km	4.4 mi / 7.04 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km
	5.8GHz Max. NLOS1 Link Budget (additional 15 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	2.2 mi / 3.52 km	1.5 mi / 2.4 km	0.7 mi / 1.12 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	6.1 mi / 9.76 km	4.3 mi / 6.88 km	1.9 mi / 3.04 km	0.8 mi / 1.28 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	10.8 mi / 17.28 km	7.6 mi / 12.16 km	3.4 mi / 5.44 km	1.4 mi / 2.24 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km
	5.8GHz Max. NLOS2 Link Budget (additional 25 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	0.7 mi / 1.12 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	1.9 mi / 3.04 km	1.4 mi / 2.24 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	3.4 mi / 5.44 km	2.4 mi / 3.84 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km

Table 20 Link budget details – 5.8 GHz PTP 450 link, 10 MHz Channel Bandwidth

Product	Parameter		Range Details				
			1x	**2x**	**4x**	**6x**	**8x**
PTP 450	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	QPSK-MIMO-B	16QAM-MIMO-B	64QAM-MIMO-B	256QAM-MIMO-B
	5.8GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin)	with Integrated BHS antenna	17.7 mi / 28.32 km	12.5 mi / 20 km	5.5 mi / 8.8 km	2.5 mi / 4 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	35.3 mi / 56.48 km	15.6 mi / 24.96 km	7.1 mi / 11.36 km	1.8 mi / 2.88 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	27.7 mi / 44.32 km	12.7 mi / 20.32 km	3.2 mi / 5.12 km
	5.8GHz Max. nLOS Link Budget (additional 5 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	9.9 mi / 15.84 km	7 mi / 11.2 km	3.1 mi / 4.96 km	1.4 mi / 2.24 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	28 mi / 44.8 km	19.8 mi / 31.68 km	8.8 mi / 14.08 km	4 mi / 6.4 km	1 mi / 1.6 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	35.3 mi / 56.48 km	15.6 mi / 24.96 km	7.1 mi / 11.36 km	1.8 mi / 2.88 km
	5.8GHz Max. NLOS1 Link Budget (additional 15 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	3.1 mi / 4.96 km	2.2 mi / 3.52 km	1 mi / 1.6 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	8.9 mi / 14.24 km	6.3 mi / 10.08 km	2.8 mi / 4.48 km	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	15.8 mi / 25.28 km	11.2 mi / 17.92 km	4.9 mi / 7.84 km	2.3 mi / 3.68 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km
	5.8GHz Max. NLOS2 Link Budget (additional 25 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	1 mi / 1.6 km	0.7 mi / 1.12 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	2.8 mi / 4.48 km	2 mi / 3.2 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	5 mi / 8 km	3.5 mi / 5.6 km	1.6 mi / 2.56 km	0.7 mi / 1.12 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km

Table 21 Link budget details – 5.8 GHz PTP 450 link, 5 MHz Channel Bandwidth

Product	Parameter		Range Details				
			1x	**2x**	**4x**	**6x**	**8x**
PTP 450	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	QPSK-MIMO-B	16QAM-MIMO-B	64QAM-MIMO-B	256QAM-MIMO-B
	5.8GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin)	with Integrated BHS antenna	20.3 mi / 32.48 km	14.4 mi / 23.04 km	7.3 mi / 11.68 km	3.6 mi / 5.76 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	20.5 mi / 32.8 km	10.1 mi / 16.16 km	3.2 mi / 5.12 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	36.5 mi / 58.4 km	17.9 mi / 28.64 km	5.7 mi / 9.12 km
	5.8GHz Max. nLOS Link Budget (additional 5 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	11.4 mi / 18.24 km	8.1 mi / 12.96 km	4.1 mi / 6.56 km	2 mi / 3.2 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	32.2 mi / 51.52 km	22.8 mi / 36.48 km	11.5 mi / 18.4 km	5.7 mi / 9.12 km	1.8 mi / 2.88 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	20.5 mi / 32.8 km	10.1 mi / 16.16 km	3.2 mi / 5.12 km
	5.8GHz Max. NLOS1 Link Budget (additional 15 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	3.6 mi / 5.76 km	2.6 mi / 4.16 km	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	10.2 mi / 16.32 km	7.2 mi / 11.52 km	3.7 mi / 5.92 km	1.8 mi / 2.88 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	18.1 mi / 28.96 km	12.8 mi / 20.48 km	6.5 mi / 10.4 km	3.2 mi / 5.12 km	1 mi / 1.6 km
	5.8GHz Max. NLOS2 Link Budget (additional 25 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	1.1 mi / 1.76 km	0.8 mi / 1.28 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	3.2 mi / 5.12 km	2.3 mi / 3.68 km	1.2 mi / 1.92 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	5.7 mi / 9.12 km	4 mi / 6.4 km	2.1 mi / 3.36 km	1 mi / 1.6 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km

Table 22 Link budget details – 5.4 GHz PTP 450 link, 20 MHz Channel Bandwidth

Product	Parameter		Range Details				
			1x	**2x**	**4x**	**6x**	**8x**
PTP 450†††	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	QPSK-MIMO-B	16QAM-MIMO-B	64QAM-MIMO-B	256QAM-MIMO-B
	5.4GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin)	with Integrated BHS antenna	4.8 mi / 7.68 km	3.4 mi / 5.44 km	1.5 mi / 2.4 km	0.7 mi / 1.12 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	8.2 mi / 13.12 km	5.8 mi / 9.28 km	2.6 mi / 4.16 km	1.2 mi / 1.92 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	8.2 mi / 13.12 km	5.8 mi / 9.28 km	2.6 mi / 4.16 km	1.2 mi / 1.92 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	8.2 mi / 13.12 km	5.8 mi / 9.28 km	2.6 mi / 4.16 km	1.2 mi / 1.92 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km
	5.4GHz Max. nLOS Link Budget (additional 5 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	2.7 mi / 4.32 km	1.9 mi / 3.04 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	4.6 mi / 7.36 km	3.3 mi / 5.28 km	1.5 mi / 2.4 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	4.6 mi / 7.36 km	3.3 mi / 5.28 km	1.5 mi / 2.4 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	4.6 mi / 7.36 km	3.3 mi / 5.28 km	1.5 mi / 2.4 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
	5.4GHz Max. NLOS1 Link Budget (additional 15 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	1.5 mi / 2.4 km	1 mi / 1.6 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	1.5 mi / 2.4 km	1 mi / 1.6 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	1.5 mi / 2.4 km	1 mi / 1.6 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
	5.4GHz Max. NLOS2 Link Budget (additional 25 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	0.5 mi / 0.8 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	0.5 mi / 0.8 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	0.5 mi / 0.8 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km

Table 23 Link budget details – 5.4 GHz PTP 450 link, 10 MHz Channel Bandwidth

Product	Parameter		Range Details				
			1x	**2x**	**4x**	**6x**	**8x**
PTP 450‡‡‡	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	QPSK-MIMO-B	16QAM-MIMO-B	64QAM-MIMO-B	256QAM-MIMO-B
	5.4GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin)	with Integrated BHS antenna	4.3 mi / 6.88 km	3.1 mi / 4.96 km	1.6 mi / 2.56 km	0.7 mi / 1.12 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	7.5 mi / 12 km	5.3 mi / 8.48 km	2.4 mi / 3.84 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	7.5 mi / 12 km	5.3 mi / 8.48 km	2.4 mi / 3.84 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	7.5 mi / 12 km	5.3 mi / 8.48 km	2.4 mi / 3.84 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
	5.4GHz Max. nLOS Link Budget (additional 5 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	2.4 mi / 3.84 km	1.7 mi / 2.72 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	4.2 mi / 6.72 km	3 mi / 4.8 km	1.4 mi / 2.24 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	4.2 mi / 6.72 km	3 mi / 4.8 km	1.4 mi / 2.24 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	4.2 mi / 6.72 km	3 mi / 4.8 km	1.4 mi / 2.24 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
	5.4GHz Max. NLOS1 Link Budget (additional 15 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	0.8 mi / 1.28 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
	5.4GHz Max. NLOS2 Link Budget (additional 25 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km

Table 24 Link budget details – 5.4 GHz PTP 450 link, 5 MHz Channel Bandwidth

Product	Parameter		Range Details				
			1x	**2x**	**4x**	**6x**	**8x**
PTP 450[§§§]	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	QPSK-MIMO-B	16QAM-MIMO-B	64QAM-MIMO-B	256QAM-MIMO-B
	5.4GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin)	with Integrated BHS antenna	4 mi / 6.4 km	2.8 mi / 4.48 km	1.4 mi / 2.24 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	7.3 mi / 11.68 km	5.2 mi / 8.32 km	2.3 mi / 3.68 km	1 mi / 1.6 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	7.1 mi / 11.36 km	5 mi / 8 km	2.3 mi / 3.68 km	1 mi / 1.6 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	7.3 mi / 11.68 km	5.2 mi / 8.32 km	2.3 mi / 3.68 km	1 mi / 1.6 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
	5.4GHz Max. nLOS Link Budget (additional 5 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	2.3 mi / 3.68 km	1.6 mi / 2.56 km	0.8 mi / 1.28 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	4.1 mi / 6.56 km	2.9 mi / 4.64 km	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	4 mi / 6.4 km	2.8 mi / 4.48 km	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	4.1 mi / 6.56 km	2.9 mi / 4.64 km	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
	5.4GHz Max. NLOS1 Link Budget (additional 15 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	0.7 mi / 1.12 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
	5.4GHz Max. NLOS2 Link Budget (additional 25 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km

[§§§] Transmit power complies with FCC regulatory requirements.

Table 25 Link budget details – 3.5 GHz PTP 450 link, 20 MHz Channel Bandwidth

Product	Parameter		Range Details				
			1x	**2x**	**4x**	**6x**	**8x**
PTP 450	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	QPSK-MIMO-B	16QAM-MIMO-B	64QAM-MIMO-B	256QAM-MIMO-B
	3.5GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin)	with Integrated BHS antenna	16.1 mi / 25.76 km	16.1 mi / 25.76 km	7.2 mi / 11.52 km	3.2 mi / 5.12 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	25.5 mi / 40.8 km	11.3 mi / 18.08 km	4 mi / 6.4 km
	3.5GHz Max. nLOS Link Budget (additional 5 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	9 mi / 14.4 km	9 mi / 14.4 km	4 mi / 6.4 km	1.8 mi / 2.88 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	32.1 mi / 51.36 km	32.1 mi / 51.36 km	14.3 mi / 22.88 km	6.3 mi / 10.08 km	2.2 mi / 3.52 km
	3.5GHz Max. NLOS1 Link Budget (additional 15 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	2.9 mi / 4.64 km	2.9 mi / 4.64 km	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	10.1 mi / 16.16 km	10.1 mi / 16.16 km	4.5 mi / 7.2 km	2 mi / 3.2 km	0.7 mi / 1.12 km
	3.5GHz Max. NLOS2 Link Budget (additional 25 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	3.2 mi / 5.12 km	3.2 mi / 5.12 km	1.4 mi / 2.24 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km

Table 26 Link budget details – 3.5 GHz PTP 450 link, 10 MHz Channel Bandwidth

Product	Parameter		Range Details				
			1x	**2x**	**4x**	**6x**	**8x**
PTP 450	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	QPSK-MIMO-B	16QAM-MIMO-B	64QAM-MIMO-B	256QAM-MIMO-B
	3.5GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin)	with Integrated BHS antenna	22.7 mi / 36.32 km	22.7 mi / 36.32 km	10.1 mi / 16.16 km	5.1 mi / 8.16 km	1.8 mi / 2.88 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	35.9 mi / 57.44 km	18 mi / 28.8 km	6.4 mi / 10.24 km
	3.5GHz Max. nLOS Link Budget (additional 5 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	12.8 mi / 20.48 km	12.8 mi / 20.48 km	5.7 mi / 9.12 km	2.9 mi / 4.64 km	1 mi / 1.6 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	20.2 mi / 32.32 km	10.1 mi / 16.16 km	3.6 mi / 5.76 km
	3.5GHz Max. NLOS1 Link Budget (additional 15 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	4 mi / 6.4 km	4 mi / 6.4 km	1.8 mi / 2.88 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	14.3 mi / 22.88 km	14.3 mi / 22.88 km	6.4 mi / 10.24 km	3.2 mi / 5.12 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km
	3.5GHz Max. NLOS2 Link Budget (additional 25 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	4.5 mi / 7.2 km	4.5 mi / 7.2 km	2 mi / 3.2 km	1 mi / 1.6 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km

Table 27 Link budget details – 3.5 GHz PTP 450 link, 5 MHz Channel Bandwidth

Product	Parameter		Range Details				
			1x	**2x**	**4x**	**6x**	**8x**
PTP 450	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	QPSK-MIMO-B	16QAM-MIMO-B	64QAM-MIMO-B	256QAM-MIMO-B
	3.5GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin)	with Integrated BHS antenna	27.9 mi / 44.64 km	27.9 mi / 44.64 km	14.1 mi / 22.56 km	7.2 mi / 11.52 km	2.5 mi / 4 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	25.4 mi / 40.64 km	8.8 mi / 14.08 km
	3.5GHz Max. nLOS Link Budget (additional 5 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	15.7 mi / 25.12 km	15.7 mi / 25.12 km	7.9 mi / 12.64 km	4 mi / 6.4 km	1.4 mi / 2.24 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	28.2 mi / 45.12 km	14.3 mi / 22.88 km	5 mi / 8 km
	3.5GHz Max. NLOS1 Link Budget (additional 15 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	5 mi / 8 km	5 mi / 8 km	2.5 mi / 4 km	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	17.9 mi / 28.64 km	17.9 mi / 28.64 km	8.9 mi / 14.24 km	4.5 mi / 7.2 km	1.6 mi / 2.56 km
	3.5GHz Max. NLOS2 Link Budget (additional 25 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	1.6 mi / 2.56 km	1.6 mi / 2.56 km	0.8 mi / 1.28 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	5.6 mi / 8.96 km	5.6 mi / 8.96 km	2.8 mi / 4.48 km	1.4 mi / 2.24 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km

Table 28 Link budget details – 3.6 GHz PTP 450 link, 20 MHz Channel Bandwidth

Product	Parameter		Range Details				
			1x	**2x**	**4x**	**6x**	**8x**
PTP 450	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	QPSK-MIMO-B	16QAM-MIMO-B	64QAM-MIMO-B	256QAM-MIMO-B
	3.6GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin)	with Integrated BHS antenna	15.3 mi / 24.48 km	15.3 mi / 24.48 km	7.1 mi / 11.36 km	3.2 mi / 5.12 km	1 mi / 1.6 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	25.4 mi / 40.64 km	11.3 mi / 18.08 km	3.6 mi / 5.76 km
	3.6GHz Max. nLOS Link Budget (additional 5 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	8.6 mi / 13.76 km	8.6 mi / 13.76 km	4 mi / 6.4 km	1.8 mi / 2.88 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	30.5 mi / 48.8 km	30.5 mi / 48.8 km	14.3 mi / 22.88 km	6.4 mi / 10.24 km	2 mi / 3.2 km
	3.6GHz Max. NLOS1 Link Budget (additional 15 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	2.7 mi / 4.32 km	2.7 mi / 4.32 km	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	9.6 mi / 15.36 km	9.6 mi / 15.36 km	4.5 mi / 7.2 km	2 mi / 3.2 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km
	3.6GHz Max. NLOS2 Link Budget (additional 25 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	3 mi / 4.8 km	3 mi / 4.8 km	1.4 mi / 2.24 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km

Table 29 Link budget details – 3.6 GHz PTP 450 link, 10 MHz Channel Bandwidth

Product	Parameter		Range Details				
			1x	**2x**	**4x**	**6x**	**8x**
PTP 450	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	QPSK-MIMO-B	16QAM-MIMO-B	64QAM-MIMO-B	256QAM-MIMO-B
	3.6GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin)	with Integrated BHS antenna	21.8 mi / 34.88 km	21.8 mi / 34.88 km	9.7 mi / 15.52 km	5.4 mi / 8.64 km	1.6 mi / 2.56 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	34.6 mi / 55.36 km	19 mi / 30.4 km	5.7 mi / 9.12 km
	3.6GHz Max. nLOS Link Budget (additional 5 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	12.3 mi / 19.68 km	12.3 mi / 19.68 km	5.5 mi / 8.8 km	3 mi / 4.8 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	19.4 mi / 31.04 km	10.7 mi / 17.12 km	3.2 mi / 5.12 km
	3.6GHz Max. NLOS1 Link Budget (additional 15 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	3.9 mi / 6.24 km	3.9 mi / 6.24 km	1.7 mi / 2.72 km	1 mi / 1.6 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	13.8 mi / 22.08 km	13.8 mi / 22.08 km	6.1 mi / 9.76 km	3.4 mi / 5.44 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km
	3.6GHz Max. NLOS2 Link Budget (additional 25 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	1.2 mi / 1.92 km	1.2 mi / 1.92 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	4.4 mi / 7.04 km	4.4 mi / 7.04 km	1.9 mi / 3.04 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km

Table 30 Link budget details – 3.6 GHz PTP 450 link, 5 MHz Channel Bandwidth

Product	Parameter		Range Details				
			1x	**2x**	**4x**	**6x**	**8x**
PTP 450	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	QPSK-MIMO-B	16QAM-MIMO-B	64QAM-MIMO-B	256QAM-MIMO-B
	3.6GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin)	with Integrated BHS antenna	28.4 mi / 45.44 km	28.4 mi / 45.44 km	14.2 mi / 22.72 km	5.7 mi / 9.12 km	1.8 mi / 2.88 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	20.1 mi / 32.16 km	6.4 mi / 10.24 km
	3.6GHz Max. nLOS Link Budget (additional 5 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	16 mi / 25.6 km	16 mi / 25.6 km	8 mi / 12.8 km	3.2 mi / 5.12 km	1 mi / 1.6 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	28.4 mi / 45.44 km	11.3 mi / 18.08 km	3.6 mi / 5.76 km
	3.6GHz Max. NLOS1 Link Budget (additional 15 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	5.1 mi / 8.16 km	5.1 mi / 8.16 km	2.5 mi / 4 km	1 mi / 1.6 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	17.9 mi / 28.64 km	17.9 mi / 28.64 km	9 mi / 14.4 km	3.6 mi / 5.76 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km
	3.6GHz Max. NLOS2 Link Budget (additional 25 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	1.6 mi / 2.56 km	1.6 mi / 2.56 km	0.8 mi / 1.28 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 11 dB to BHS capability	5.7 mi / 9.12 km	5.7 mi / 9.12 km	2.8 mi / 4.48 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km

Table 31 Link budget details – 5.8GHz PTP 450 BHM and PTP 430 BHS link, 20MHz Channel Bandwidth

Product	Parameter		Range Details		
			1x	2x	3x
PTP 450 BHM PTP 430 BHS	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	16-QAM-SISO	64-QAM-SISO
	5.8GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin)	with Integrated BHS antenna	9.9 mi / 15.84 km	4.4 mi / 7.04 km	1.7 mi / 2.72 km
		with CLIP that adds 9 dB to BHS capability	24.8 mi / 39.68 km	11.1 mi / 17.76 km	4.2 mi / 6.72 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	19.7 mi / 31.52 km	8.8 mi / 14.08 km	3.3 mi / 5.28 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	24.8 mi / 39.68 km	9.3 mi / 14.88 km
	5.8GHz Max. nLOS Link Budget (additional 5 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	5.5 mi / 8.8 km	2.5 mi / 4 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km
		with CLIP that adds 9 dB to BHS capability	13.9 mi / 22.24 km	6.2 mi / 9.92 km	2.3 mi / 3.68 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	11.1 mi / 17.76 km	4.9 mi / 7.84 km	1.9 mi / 3.04 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	31.2 mi / 49.92 km	13.9 mi / 22.24 km	5.2 mi / 8.32 km
	5.8GHz Max. NLOS1 Link Budget (additional 15 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	1.8 mi / 2.88 km	0.8 mi / 1.28 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with CLIP that adds 9 dB to BHS capability	4.4 mi / 7.04 km	2 mi / 3.2 km	0.7 mi / 1.12 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	3.5 mi / 5.6 km	1.6 mi / 2.56 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	9.9 mi / 15.84 km	4.4 mi / 7.04 km	1.7 mi / 2.72 km
	5.8GHz Max. NLOS2 Link Budget (additional 25 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 9 dB to BHS capability	1.4 mi / 2.24 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	1.1 mi / 1.76 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	3.1 mi / 4.96 km	1.4 mi / 2.24 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km

Table 32 Link budget details – 5.8GHz PTP 450 BHM and PTP 430 BHS link, 10MHz Channel Bandwidth

Product	Parameter		Range Details		
			1x	2x	3x
PTP 450 BHM PTP 430 BHS	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	16-QAM-SISO	64-QAM-SISO
	5.8GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin)	with Integrated BHS antenna	12.4 mi / 19.84 km	6.2 mi / 9.92 km	2.4 mi / 3.84 km
		with CLIP that adds 9 dB to BHS capability	31.2 mi / 49.92 km	15.6 mi / 24.96 km	6 mi / 9.6 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	24.8 mi / 39.68 km	12.4 mi / 19.84 km	4.8 mi / 7.68 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	35 mi / 56 km	13.5 mi / 21.6 km
	5.8GHz Max. nLOS Link Budget (additional 5 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	7 mi / 11.2 km	3.5 mi / 5.6 km	1.3 mi / 2.08 km
		with CLIP that adds 9 dB to BHS capability	17.5 mi / 28 km	8.8 mi / 14.08 km	3.4 mi / 5.44 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	13.9 mi / 22.24 km	7 mi / 11.2 km	2.7 mi / 4.32 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	39.3 mi / 62.88 km	19.7 mi / 31.52 km	7.6 mi / 12.16 km
	5.8GHz Max. NLOS1 Link Budget (additional 15 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	2.2 mi / 3.52 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km
		with CLIP that adds 9 dB to BHS capability	5.5 mi / 8.8 km	2.8 mi / 4.48 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	4.4 mi / 7.04 km	2.2 mi / 3.52 km	0.8 mi / 1.28 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	12.4 mi / 19.84 km	6.2 mi / 9.92 km	2.4 mi / 3.84 km
	5.8GHz Max. NLOS2 Link Budget (additional 25 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	0.7 mi / 1.12 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 9 dB to BHS capability	1.8 mi / 2.88 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	1.4 mi / 2.24 km	0.7 mi / 1.12 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	3.9 mi / 6.24 km	2 mi / 3.2 km	0.8 mi / 1.28 km

Table 33 Link budget details – 5.8GHz PTP 450 BHM and PTP 430 BHS link, 5MHz Channel Bandwidth

Product	Parameter		Range Details		
			1x	2x	3x
PTP 450 BHM PTP 430 BHS	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	16-QAM-SISO	64-QAM-SISO
	5.8GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin)	with Integrated BHS antenna	19.1 mi / 30.56 km	7.6 mi / 12.16 km	3 mi / 4.8 km
		with CLIP that adds 9 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	19.1 mi / 30.56 km	7.6 mi / 12.16 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	38.2 mi / 61.12 km	15.2 mi / 24.32 km	6 mi / 9.6 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	40 mi / 64 km	17 mi / 27.2 km
	5.8GHz Max. nLOS Link Budget (additional 5 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	10.8 mi / 17.28 km	4.3 mi / 6.88 km	1.7 mi / 2.72 km
		with CLIP that adds 9 dB to BHS capability	27 mi / 43.2 km	10.8 mi / 17.28 km	4.3 mi / 6.88 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	21.5 mi / 34.4 km	8.5 mi / 13.6 km	3.4 mi / 5.44 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	40 mi / 64 km	24.1 mi / 38.56 km	9.6 mi / 15.36 km
	5.8GHz Max. NLOS1 Link Budget (additional 15 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	3.4 mi / 5.44 km	1.4 mi / 2.24 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km
		with CLIP that adds 9 dB to BHS capability	8.5 mi / 13.6 km	3.4 mi / 5.44 km	1.4 mi / 2.24 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	6.8 mi / 10.88 km	2.7 mi / 4.32 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	19.1 mi / 30.56 km	7.6 mi / 12.16 km	3 mi / 4.8 km
	5.8GHz Max. NLOS2 Link Budget (additional 25 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	1.1 mi / 1.76 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with CLIP that adds 9 dB to BHS capability	2.7 mi / 4.32 km	1.1 mi / 1.76 km	0.4 mi / 0.64 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	2.1 mi / 3.36 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	6 mi / 9.6 km	2.4 mi / 3.84 km	1 mi / 1.6 km

Table 34 Link budget details – 5.4GHz PTP 450 BHM and PTP 430 BHS link, 20MHz Channel Bandwidth

Product	Parameter		Range Details		
			1x	**2x**	**3x**
PTP 450 BHM**** PTP 430 BHS	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	16-QAM-SISO	64-QAM-SISO
	5.4GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin)	with Integrated BHS antenna	6.3 mi / 10.08 km	2.9 mi / 4.64 km	1 mi / 1.6 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	7.5 mi / 12 km	3.8 mi / 6.08 km	1.7 mi / 2.72 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	7.5 mi / 12 km	3.8 mi / 6.08 km	1.7 mi / 2.72 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	7.5 mi / 12 km	3.8 mi / 6.08 km	1.7 mi / 2.72 km
	5.4GHz Max. nLOS Link Budget (additional 5 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	3.5 mi / 5.6 km	1.6 mi / 2.56 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	4.2 mi / 6.72 km	2.1 mi / 3.36 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	4.2 mi / 6.72 km	2.1 mi / 3.36 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	4.2 mi / 6.72 km	2.1 mi / 3.36 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km
	5.4GHz Max. NLOS1 Link Budget (additional 15 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	1.1 mi / 1.76 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.7 mi / 1.12 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.7 mi / 1.12 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.7 mi / 1.12 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
	5.4GHz Max. NLOS2 Link Budget (additional 25 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km

**** Transmit power complies with FCC regulatory requirements.

Table 35 Link budget details – 5.4GHz PTP 450 BHM and PTP 430 BHS link, 10MHz Channel Bandwidth

Product	Parameter		Range Details		
			1x	**2x**	**3x**
PTP 450 BHM[††††] PTP 430 BHS	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	16-QAM-SISO	64-QAM-SISO
	5.4GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin)	with Integrated BHS antenna	5.3 mi / 8.48 km	2.7 mi / 4.32 km	1 mi / 1.6 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	7.5 mi / 12 km	3.4 mi / 5.44 km	1.5 mi / 2.4 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	7.5 mi / 12 km	3.4 mi / 5.44 km	1.5 mi / 2.4 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	7.5 mi / 12 km	3.4 mi / 5.44 km	1.5 mi / 2.4 km
	5.4GHz Max. nLOS Link Budget (additional 5 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	3 mi / 4.8 km	1.5 mi / 2.4 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	4.2 mi / 6.72 km	1.9 mi / 3.04 km	0.8 mi / 1.28 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	4.2 mi / 6.72 km	1.9 mi / 3.04 km	0.8 mi / 1.28 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	4.2 mi / 6.72 km	1.9 mi / 3.04 km	0.8 mi / 1.28 km
	5.4GHz Max. NLOS1 Link Budget (additional 15 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	0.9 mi / 1.44 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
	5.4GHz Max. NLOS2 Link Budget (additional 25 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	0.3 mi / 0.48 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with LENS that adds 5 dB to BHS capability	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km

[††††] Transmit power complies with FCC regulatory requirements.

Table 36 Link budget details – 5.4GHz PTP 450 BHM and PTP 430 BHS link, 5MHz Channel Bandwidth

Product	Parameter		Range Details		
			1x	**2x**	**3x**
PTP 450 BHM‡‡‡‡ PTP 430 BHS	Modulation		QPSK-SISO	16-QAM-SISO	64-QAM-SISO
	5.4GHz Max. LOS Link Budget (no fade margin)	with Integrated BHS antenna	6.7 mi / 10.72 km	2.9 mi / 4.64 km	0.9 mi / 1.44 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	7.5 mi / 12 km	3.4 mi / 5.44 km	1.5 mi / 2.4 km
		with LENS that adds 5.5 dB to BHS capability	7.5 mi / 12 km	3.4 mi / 5.44 km	1.5 mi / 2.4 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	7.5 mi / 12 km	3.4 mi / 5.44 km	1.5 mi / 2.4 km
	5.4GHz Max. nLOS Link Budget (additional 5 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	3.8 mi / 6.08 km	1.6 mi / 2.56 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	4.2 mi / 6.72 km	1.9 mi / 3.04 km	0.8 mi / 1.28 km
		with LENS that adds 5.5 dB to BHS capability	4.2 mi / 6.72 km	1.9 mi / 3.04 km	0.8 mi / 1.28 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	4.2 mi / 6.72 km	1.9 mi / 3.04 km	0.8 mi / 1.28 km
	5.4GHz Max. NLOS1 Link Budget (additional 15 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	1.2 mi / 1.92 km	0.5 mi / 0.8 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with LENS that adds 5.5 dB to BHS capability	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	1.3 mi / 2.08 km	0.6 mi / 0.96 km	0.3 mi / 0.48 km
	5.4GHz Max. NLOS2 Link Budget (additional 25 dB link loss)	with Integrated BHS antenna	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with CLIP that adds 8 dB to BHS capability	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with LENS that adds 5.5 dB to BHS capability	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km
		with Reflector Dish that adds 14 dB to BHS capability	0.4 mi / 0.64 km	0.2 mi / 0.32 km	0.1 mi / 0.16 km

‡‡‡‡ Transmit power complies with FCC regulatory requirements.

Path loss considerations

Path loss is the amount of attenuation the radio signal undergoes between the two ends of the link.

Calculating path loss

The path loss is the sum of the attenuation of the path if there were no obstacles in the way (Free Space Path Loss), the attenuation caused by obstacles (Excess Path Loss) and a margin to allow for possible fading of the radio signal (Fade Margin). The following calculation needs to be performed to judge whether a particular link can be installed:

$$L_{free\_space} + L_{excess} + L_{fade} + L_{seasonal} < L_{capability}$$

Where:	Is:
L_{free_space}	Free Space Path Loss (dB)
L_{excess}	Excess Path Loss (dB)
L_{fade}	Fade Margin Required (dB)
$L_{seasonal}$	Seasonal Fading (dB)
$L_{capability}$	Equipment Capability (dB)

Calculating maximum power level for connectorized units

If a connectorized PTP 450 BHM or BHS is to be installed in a country that imposes an EIRP limit in the selected band, calculate the highest setting of Maximum Power Level that will be permitted using this formula:
Maximum Power Level (dBm) = Allowed EIRP (dBm) – Antenna Gain (dBi) + Cable Loss (dB)

Where:	Is:
Maximum Power Level (dBm)	the highest permissible setting of the transmitter output power,
Allowed EIRP (dBm)	the EIRP limit allowed by the regulations,
Antenna Gain (dBi)	the gain of the chosen antenna,
Cable Loss (dB)	the loss of the RF cable connecting the BHM or BHS to the antenna.

For more information on EIRP limits, see Compliance with radio regulations on page 4-124.

Understanding Attenuation

An RF signal in space is attenuated by atmospheric and other effects as a function of the distance from the initial transmission point. The further a reception point is placed from the transmission point, the weaker is the received RF signal.

Calculating Link Loss

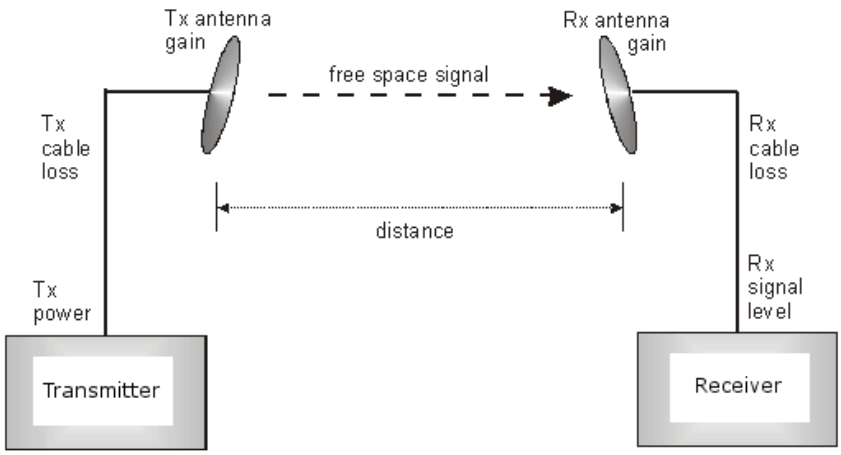
The link loss is the total attenuation of the wireless signal between two point-to-multipoint units. The link loss calculation is presented below:

Link Loss (dB) = Transmit power of the remote wireless unit (dBm) − Tx Cable loss (dB) − Received power at the local unit (dBm) – Rx cable loss (dB) + Antenna gain at the remote unit (dBi) + Antenna gain at the local unit (dBi)

Calculating Rx Signal Level

The determinants in Rx signal level are illustrated in Figure 12.

Figure 12 Determinants in Rx signal level



Rx signal level is calculated as follows:

Rx signal level dB = Tx power − Tx cable loss + Tx antenna gain − free space path loss + Rx antenna gain − Rx cable loss

NOTE

This Rx signal level calculation presumes that a clear line of sight is established between the transmitter and receiver and that no objects encroach in the Fresnel zone.

Calculating Fade Margin

Free space path loss is a major determinant in Rx (received) signal level. Rx signal level, in turn, is a major factor in the system operating margin (fade margin), which is calculated as follows:

- system operating margin (fade margin) dB =Rx signal level dB − Rx sensitivity dB

Thus, fade margin is the difference between strength of the received signal and the strength that the receiver requires for maintaining a reliable link. A higher fade margin is characteristic of a more reliable link.

Analyzing the RF Environment

An essential element in RF network planning is the analysis of spectrum usage and the strength of the signals that occupy the spectrum you are planning to use. Regardless of how you measure and log or chart the results you find (through the Spectrum Analyzer in BHS feature or by using a spectrum analyzer), you should do so:

- at various times of day.
- on various days of the week.
- periodically into the future.

As new RF neighbors move in or consumer devices in your spectrum proliferate, this will keep you aware of the dynamic possibilities for interference with your network.

Mapping RF Neighbor Frequencies

These modules allow you to

- use an BHS or an BHM that is temporarily transformed into an BHS, as a spectrum analyzer.
- view a graphical display that shows power level in RSSI and dBm at 5-MHz increments throughout the frequency band range, regardless of limited selections in the **Custom Radio Frequency Scan Selection List** parameter of the BHS.
- select an BHM channel that minimizes interference from other RF equipment.

⚠ CAUTION

The following procedure causes the BHS to drop any active RF link. If a link is dropped when the spectrum analysis begins, the link can be re-established when either a 15-minute interval has elapsed or the spectrum analyzer feature is disabled.

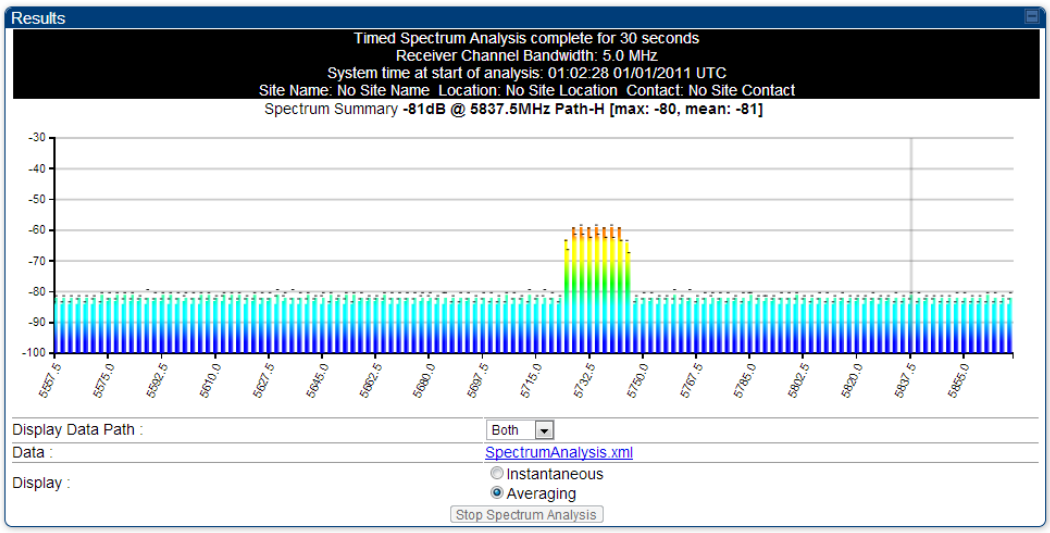
Analyzing the spectrum

To use the built-in spectrum analyzer functionality of the BHS (or BHM that is temporarily configured as an BHS for spectrum analysis via the BHM's GUI) proceed as follows:

Procedure 3 Analyzing the spectrum

1. Predetermine a power source and interface that will work for the BHS in the area you want to analyze.
2. Take the BHS, power source, and interface device to the area.
3. Access the Tools web page of the BHS.
4. Click **Start Timed Spectrum Analysis**

5 After 10 seconds, the results are displayed:



6 Travel to another location in the area.

7 Click **Start Timed Spectrum Analysis**

8 Repeat Steps 6 and 7 until the area has been adequately scanned and logged.

As with any other data that pertains to your business, a decision today to put the data into a retrievable database may grow in value to you over time. The Spectrum Analyzer contains configurable parameters to fit your business requirements. See the PTP 450 Operations Guide for further information.

NOTE

Wherever you find the measured noise level is greater than the sensitivity of the radio that you plan to deploy, use the noise level (rather than the link budget) for your link feasibility calculations.

Anticipating Reflection of Radio Waves

In the signal path, any object that is larger than the wavelength of the signal can reflect the signal. Such an object can even be the surface of the earth or of a river, bay, or lake. The wavelength of the signal is approximately

- 2 inches for 5.4 GHz and 5.8 GHz signals.
- 3.4 inches for 3.5 GHz and 3.6 GHz signals.

A reflected signal can arrive at the antenna of the receiver later than the non-reflected signal arrives. These two or more signals cause the condition known as multipath. Multipath may increase or decrease the signal level and so overall attenuation may be higher or lower than that caused by the link distance. This is problematic at the margin of the link budget, where the standard operating margin (fade margin) may be compromised.

Noting Possible Obstructions in the Fresnel Zone

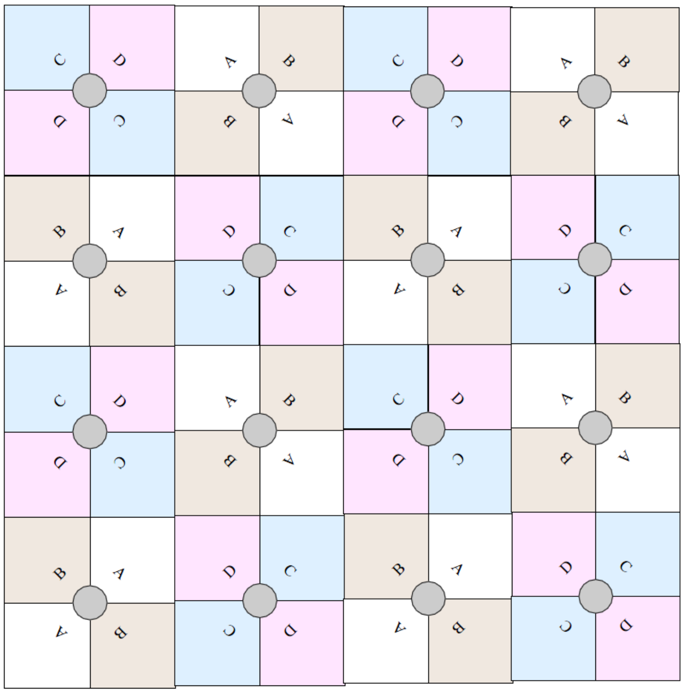
The Fresnel (pronounced fre·NEL) Zone is a three-dimensional volume around the line of sight of an antenna transmission. Objects that penetrate this area can cause the received strength of the transmitted signal to fade. Out-of-phase reflections and absorption of the signal result in signal cancellation.

The foliage of trees and plants in the Fresnel Zone can cause signal loss. Seasonal density, moisture content of the foliage, and other factors such as wind may change the amount of loss. Plan to perform frequent and regular link tests if you must transmit through foliage.

Multiple OFDM BHM Clusters

When deploying multiple BHM clusters in a dense area, consider aligning the clusters as shown below. However, this is only a recommendation. An installation may dictate a different pattern of channel assignments.

Figure 13 Example layout of 16 BHM sectors (ABCD), 90 degree sectors



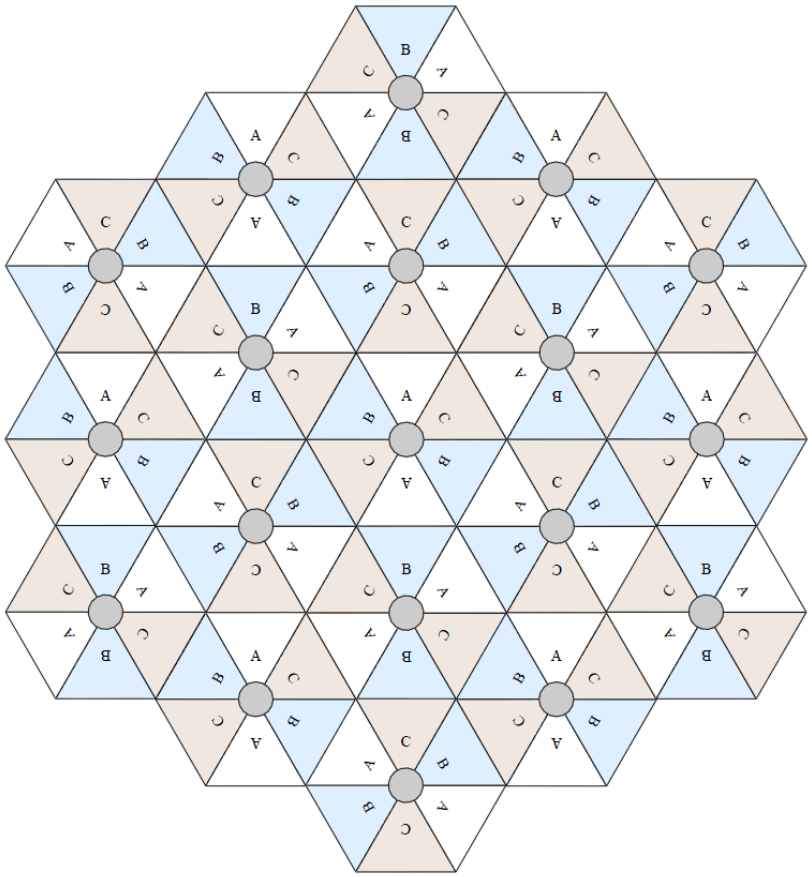
An example for assignment of frequency channels is provided in the following table.

See section Network migration planning on page 2-28 for more information on migrating to a PTP 450 network.

Table 37 Example 5.8-GHz OFDM channel assignment by sector

Symbol	Frequency
A	5.740 GHz
B	5.760 GHz
C	5.780 GHz
D	5.800 GHz

Figure 14 Example layout of 16 BHM sectors (ABC), 60 degree sectors



An example for assignment of frequency channels and sector IDs is provided in the following table.

See section Network migration planning on page 2-28 for more information on migrating to a PTP 450 network.

Table 38 Example 5.8-GHz OFDM channel assignment by sector

Symbol	Frequency
A	5.740 GHz
B	5.760 GHz
C	5.780 GHz

Planning for co-location and using the OFDM Frame Calculator Tool

The first step to avoid interference in wireless systems is to set all BHMs to receive timing from a synchronization source (Cluster Management Module, or Universal Global Positioning System). This ensures that the modules are in sync and start transmitting at the same time each frame.

The second step to avoid interference is to configure parameters on all BHMs of the same frequency band in proximity such that they have compatible transmit/receive ratios (all stop transmitting each frame before any start receiving). This avoids the problem of one BHM attempting to receive the signal from a distant BHS while a nearby BHM transmits, which could overpower that signal.

The following parameters on the BHM determine the transmit/receive ratio:

- Max Range
- Downlink Data percentage
- (reserved) Control Slots

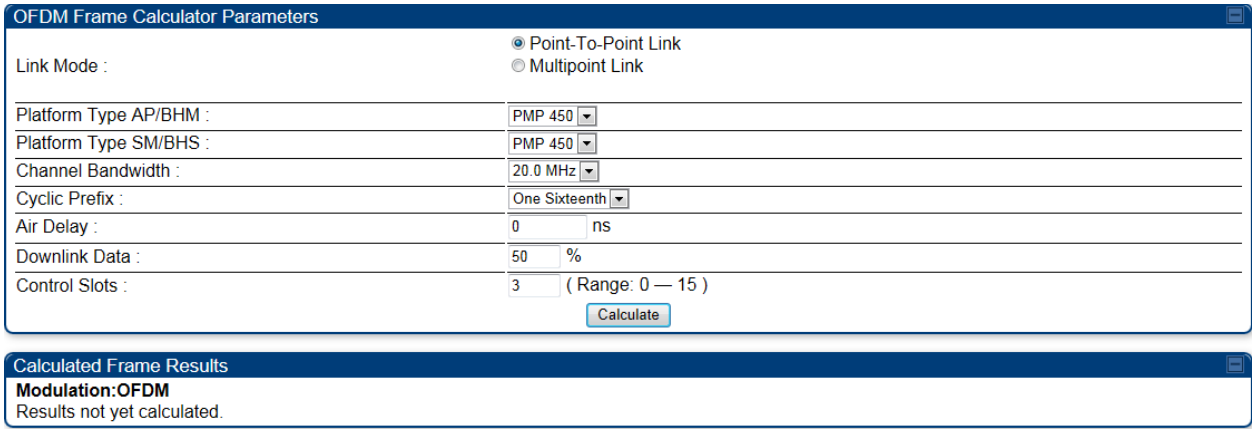
If OFDM (PTP 430, PTP 450, PTP 230) and FSK (PTP 1x0) BHMs of the same frequency band are in proximity, or if you want BHMs set to different parameters (differing in their Max Range values, for example), then you should use the Frame Calculator to identify compatible settings.

The frame calculator is available on the Frame Calculator tab of the Tools web page. To use the Frame Calculator, type into the calculator various configurable parameter values for each proximal BHM, and then record the resulting **BHM Receive Start** value. Next vary the **Downlink Data** percentage in each calculation and iterate until the calculated **BHM Receive Start** for all collocated BHMs are within 300 bit times; if possible, within 150 bit times. In Cambium Point-to-Multipoint systems, 10 bit times = 1 μs.

The calculator does not use values in the module or populate its parameters. It is merely a convenience application that runs on a module. For this reason, you can use any FSK module (BHM, BHS, BHM, BHS) to perform FSK frame calculations for setting the parameters on an FSK BHM and any OFDM module (BHM, BHS, BHM, BHS) to perform OFDM frame calculations for setting the parameters on an OFDM BHM.

IMPORTANT!
BHMs that have slightly mismatched transmit-to-receive ratios and low levels of data traffic may see little effect on throughput. A system that was not tuned for co-location may work fine at low traffic levels, but encounter problems at higher traffic levels. The conservative practice is to tune for co-location before traffic ultimately increases. This prevents problems that occur as sectors are built.

Figure 15 OFDM Frame Calculator tab



In the **Frame Calculator** tab, you can set the following parameters.

Table 39 OFDM Frame Calculator tab attributes

Attribute	Meaning
Link Mode	For BHM to BHS frame calculations, select **Multipoint Link**
Platform Type BHM/BHM	Use the drop-down list to select the hardware series (board type) of the BHM.
Platform Type BHS/BHS	Use the drop-down list to select the hardware series (board type) of the BHS.
Channel Bandwidth	Set this to the channel bandwidth used in the BHM.
Cyclic Prefix	Set this to the cyclic prefix used in the BHM.
Max Range	Set to the same value as the **Max Range** parameter is set in the BHM(s).
Air Delay	This field should be left at the default of 0 ns.
Downlink Data	Initially set this parameter to the same value that the BHM has for its **Downlink Data** parameter (percentage). Then, as you use the Frame Calculator tool in Procedure 4, you will vary the value in this parameter to find the proper value to write into the **Downlink Data** parameter of all BHMs in the cluster. PTP 450 Series BHMs offer a range of 15% to 85%, and default to 75%. The value that you set in this parameter has the following interaction with the value of the **Max Range** parameter (above): The default **Max Range** value is 5 miles and, at that distance, the maximum **Downlink Data** value (85% in PTP450) is functional.
Control Slots	Set this parameter to the value of the **Control Slot** parameter is set in the BHMs.

The Calculated Frame Results display several items of interest:

Table 40 OFDM Calculated Frame Results attributes

Attribute	Meaning
Modulation	The type of radio modulation used in the calculation (OFDM for PTP 450)
Total Frame Bits	The total number of bits used in the calculated frames
Data Slots (Down/Up)	This field is based on the **Downlink Data** setting. For example, a result within the typical range for a **Downlink Data** setting of 75% is 61/21, meaning 61 data slots down and 21 data slots up.
Round Trip Air Delay (MaxRange)	This is the roundtrip air delay in bit times for the **Max Range** value set in the calculator
Approximate distance (MaxRange)	The Max Range value used for frame calculation
BHM Transmit End	In bit times, this is the frame position at which the BHM ceases transmission.
BHM Receive Start	In bit times, this is the frame position at which the BHM is ready to receive transmission from the BHS.
BHM Receive End	In bit times, this is the frame position at which the BHM will cease receiving transmission from the BHS.
BHS Receive End	In bit times, this is the frame position at which the BHS will cease receiving transmission from the BHM.
BHS Transmit Start	In bit times, this is the frame position at which the BHS will begin transmission.

To use the Frame Calculator to ensure that all BHMs are configured to transmit and receive at the same time, follow the below procedure:

Procedure 4 Using the Frame Calculator

1. Populate the OFDM Frame Calculator parameters with appropriate values as described above.
2. Click the **Calculate** button.
3. Scroll down the tab to the Calculated Frame Results section
4. Record the value of the **BHM Receive Start** field
5. Enter a parameter set from another BHM in the system – for example, an BHM in the same cluster that has a higher **Max Range** value configured.
6. Click the **Calculate** button.
7. Scroll down the tab to the Calculated Frame Results section
8. If the recorded values of the **BHM Receive Start** fields are within 150 bit times of each other, skip to step 10.
9. If the recorded values of the **BHM Receive Start** fields are not within 150 bit times of each other, modify the **Downlink Data** parameter until the calculated results for **BHM Receive Start** are within 300 bit time of each other, if possible, 150 bit time.
10. Access the Radio tab in the Configuration web page of each BHM in the cluster and change its **Downlink Data** parameter (percentage) to the last value that was used in the Frame Calculator.

Selecting Sites for Network Elements

The BHMs must be positioned

- with hardware that the wind and ambient vibrations cannot flex or move.
- where a tower or rooftop is available or can be erected.
- where a grounding system is available.
- with lightning arrestors to transport lightning strikes away from equipment.
- at a proper height:
  - higher than the tallest points of objects immediately around them (such as trees, buildings, and tower legs).
  - at least 2 feet (0.6 meters) below the tallest point on the tower, pole, or roof (for lightning protection).
- away from high-RF energy sites (such as AM or FM stations, high-powered antennas, and live AM radio towers).
- in line-of-sight paths
  - to the BHSs.
  - that is not obstructed by trees as they grow or structures that are later built.

NOTE

Visual line of sight does not guarantee radio line of sight.

Surveying Sites

Factors to survey at potential sites include

- what pre-existing wireless equipment exists at the site. (Perform spectrum analysis.)
- whether available mounting positions exist near the lowest elevation that satisfies line of site, coverage, and other link criteria.
- whether you have the right to decide who climbs the tower to install and maintain your equipment, and whether that person or company can climb at any hour of any day.
- whether you have collaborative rights and veto power to prevent interference to your equipment from wireless equipment that is installed at the site in the future.
- whether a pre-existing grounding system (path to Protective Earth ⏚) exists, and what is required to establish a path to it.
- who is permitted to run any indoor lengths of cable.

Clearing the Radio Horizon

Because the surface of the earth is curved, higher module elevations are required for greater link distances. This effect can be critical to link connectivity in link spans that are greater than 8 miles (12 km).

To use metric units to find the minimum height required to reach the radio horizon use the following equation:

Radio horizon distance (km) = 4.12 (SQRT(h1) + SQRT(h2))

Where:	Is:
h1	height of the BHM
h2	height of the BHS

To use English standard units to find the angle of elevation, use the following formula:

Radio horizon distance (km) = 1.42 (SQRT(h1) + SQRT(h2))

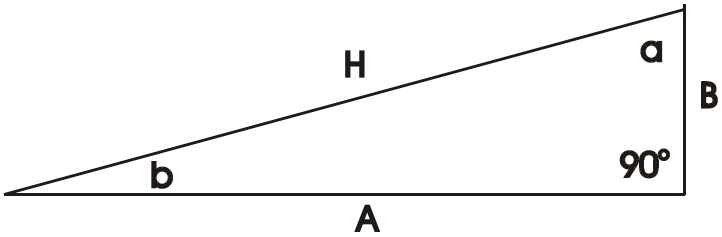
Where:	Is:
h1	height of the BHM
h2	height of the BHS

Calculating the Aim Angles

The proper angle of tilt can be calculated as a factor of both the difference in elevation and the distance that the link spans. Even in this case, a plumb line and a protractor can be helpful to ensure the proper tilt. This tilt is typically minimal.

The number of degrees to offset (from vertical) the mounting hardware leg of the support tube is equal to the angle of elevation from the lower module to the higher module (<B in the example provided in Figure 16).

Figure 16 Variables for calculating angle of elevation (and depression)



Where:	Is:
b	angle of elevation
B	vertical difference in elevation
A	horizontal distance between modules

Calculating the Angle of Elevation

To use metric units to find the angle of elevation, use the following formula:

$$\tan b = \frac{B}{1000A}$$

Where:	Is:
B	expressed in meters
A	expressed in kilometers

To use English standard units to find the angle of elevation, use the following formula:

$$\tan b = \frac{B}{5280A}$$

Where:	Is:
B	expressed in feet
A	expressed in miles

The angle of depression from the higher module is identical to the angle of elevation from the lower module.

Diagramming Network Layouts

Avoiding Self Interference

The following section includes information maximizing tower performance by minimizing self-interference.

Physical Proximity

Two BHM clusters co-located on the same tower require a CMM. The CMM properly synchronizes the transmit start times of all modules to prevent interference and de-sensing of the modules. At closer distances without GPS synchronization, the frame structures cause self-interference. Non-synchronized deployments are highly discouraged.

Furthermore, non-synchronized BHMs on the same tower require that the effects of their differing receive start times be mitigated by either

- 100 vertical feet (30 meters) or more and as much spectral separation as possible within the same frequency band range
- the use of the frame calculator to tune the **Downlink Data** parameter in each, so that the receive start time in each is the same

The constraints for collocated modules in the same frequency band range are to avoid self-interference that would occur between them. Specifically, unless the uplink and downlink data percentages match, intervals exist when one is transmitting while the other is receiving, such that the receiving module cannot receive the signal from the far end.

The interference is less a problem during low throughput periods and intolerable during high. Typically, during low throughput periods, sufficient time exists for the far end to retransmit packets lost because of interference from the collocated module.

Spectrum Analysis

You can use an BHS as a spectrum analyzer. See Mapping RF Neighbor Frequencies on Page 2-59. Through a toggle of the **Device Type** parameter, you can temporarily transform an BHM into an BHS to use it as a spectrum analyzer.

BHS Automatic Transmit Power Control

The PTP 450 BHM automatically sets the transmitter output power in its BHSs through a feature named Auto-TPC (Transmit Power Control). The conceptual reason for this feature is OFDM reception in the BHM is sensitive to large differences in power levels received from its BHSs, and by limiting power levels of close-in BHSs the overall RF noise floor is lowered.

Avoiding Other Interference

Where signal strength cannot dominate noise levels, the network experiences

- packet errors and retransmissions.
- lower throughput (because bandwidth is consumed by retransmissions) and high latency (due to resends).

Regular spectrum analysis is critical to RF planning. The integrated spectrum analyzer can be very useful as a tool for troubleshooting and RF planning, but is not intended to replicate the accuracy and programmability of a high-end spectrum analyzer, which you may sometime need for other purposes.

CAUTION

When you enable the Spectrum Analyzer on a module, it enters a scan mode and drops any RF connection it may have had. Scanning mode ends when either you click **Disable** on the Spectrum Analyzer page, or it times out after 15 minutes and returns to operational mode.

For this reason:

1. do not enable the spectrum analyzer on a module you are connected to via RF. The connection drops for 15 minutes, and when the connection is re-established no readings will be displayed.
2. be advised that, if you enable the spectrum analyzer by Ethernet connection, the RF connection to that module drops.

You can use any module to see the frequency and power level of any detectable signal that is within, just above, or just below the frequency band range of the module.

NOTE

Vary the days and times when you analyze the spectrum in an area.
The RF environment can change throughout the day or throughout the week.

Grounding and lightning protection

This section describes the grounding and lightning protection requirements of a PTP 450 installation.

WARNING

Electro-magnetic discharge (lightning) damage is not covered under warranty. The recommendations in this guide, when followed correctly, give the user the best protection from the harmful effects of EMD. However 100% protection is neither implied nor possible.

The need for power surge protection

Structures, equipment and people must be protected against power surges (typically caused by lightning) by conducting the surge current to ground via a separate preferential solid path. The actual degree of protection required depends on local conditions and applicable local regulations. Cambium recommends that PTP 450 installation is contracted to a professional installer.

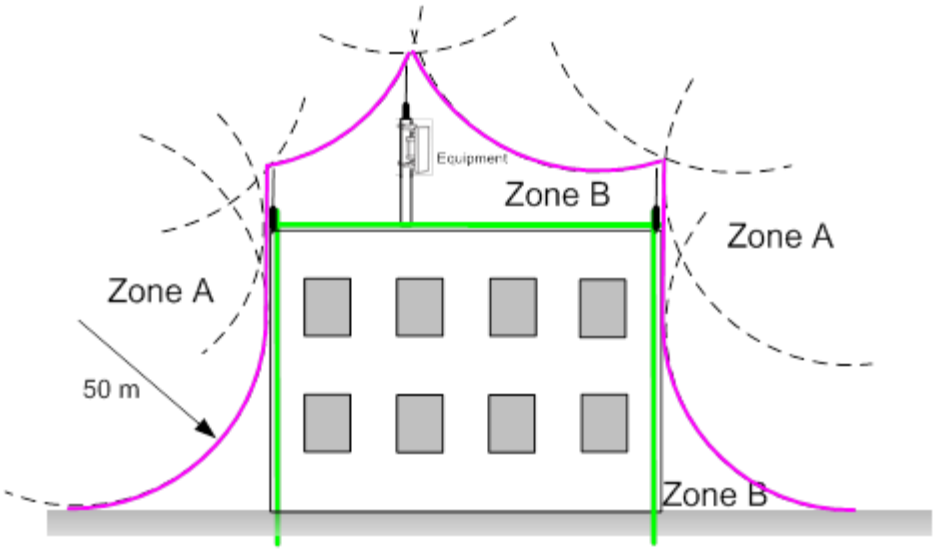
Standards

Full details of lightning protection methods and requirements can be found in the international standards IEC 61024-1 and IEC 61312-1, the U.S. National Electric Code ANSI/NFPA No. 70-1984 or section 54 of the Canadian Electric Code.

Lightning protection zones

The ‘rolling sphere method’ (Figure 17) is used to determine where it is safe to mount equipment. An imaginary sphere, typically 50 meters in radius, is rolled over the structure. Where the sphere rests against the ground and a strike termination device (such as a finial or ground bar), all the space under the sphere is considered to be in the zone of protection (Zone B). Similarly, where the sphere rests on two finials, the space under the sphere is considered to be in the zone of protection.

Figure 17 Rolling sphere method to determine the lightning protection zones



Assess locations on masts, towers and buildings to determine if the location is in Zone A or Zone B:

- Zone A: In this zone a direct lightning strike is possible. Do not mount equipment in this zone.
- Zone B: In this zone, direct EMD (lightning) effects are still possible, but mounting in this zone significantly reduces the possibility of a direct strike. Mount equipment in this zone.

WARNING

Never mount equipment in Zone A. Mounting in Zone A may put equipment, structures and life at risk.

General protection requirements

To adequately protect a PTP 450 installation, both ground bonding and transient voltage surge suppression are required.

Basic requirements

The following basic protection requirements must be implemented:

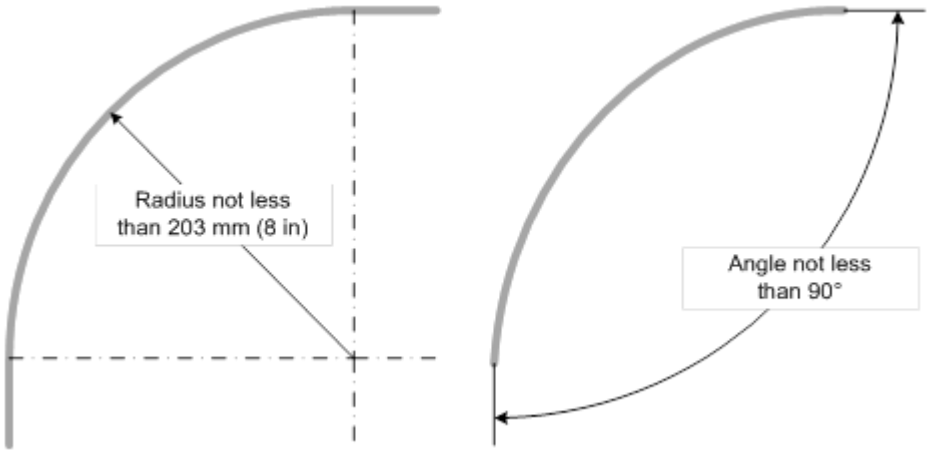
- The equipment must be in 'Zone B' (see Lightning protection zones on page 2-71).
- The BHM must be grounded to the supporting structure.
- A surge suppression unit (600SS) must be installed close to the BHS.
- The distance between the BHS and 600SS should be kept to a minimum.
- The drop cable length between the BHS and 600SS must be less than 600 mm.
- A surge suppression unit (600SS) must be installed within 600 mm (24 in) of the point at which the power cable enters the building or equipment room.
- The drop cable must be grounded at the building entry point.
- The drop cable must not be laid alongside a lightning air terminal.
- All grounding cables must be a minimum size of 10 mm^2 csa (8AWG), preferably 16 mm^2 csa (6AWG), or 25 mm^2 csa (4AWG).

Grounding cable requirements

When routing, fastening and connecting grounding cables, the following requirements must be implemented:

- Grounding conductors must be run as short, straight, and smoothly as possible, with the fewest possible number of bends and curves.
- Grounding cables must not be installed with drip loops.
- All bends must have a minimum radius of 203 mm (8 in) and a minimum angle of 90° (Figure 18). A diagonal run is preferable to a bend, even though it does not follow the contour or run parallel to the supporting structure.
- All bends, curves and connections must be routed towards the grounding electrode system, ground rod, or ground bar.
- Grounding conductors must be securely fastened.
- Braided grounding conductors must not be used.
- Approved bonding techniques must be used for the connection of dissimilar metals.

Figure 18 Grounding cable minimum bend radius and angle



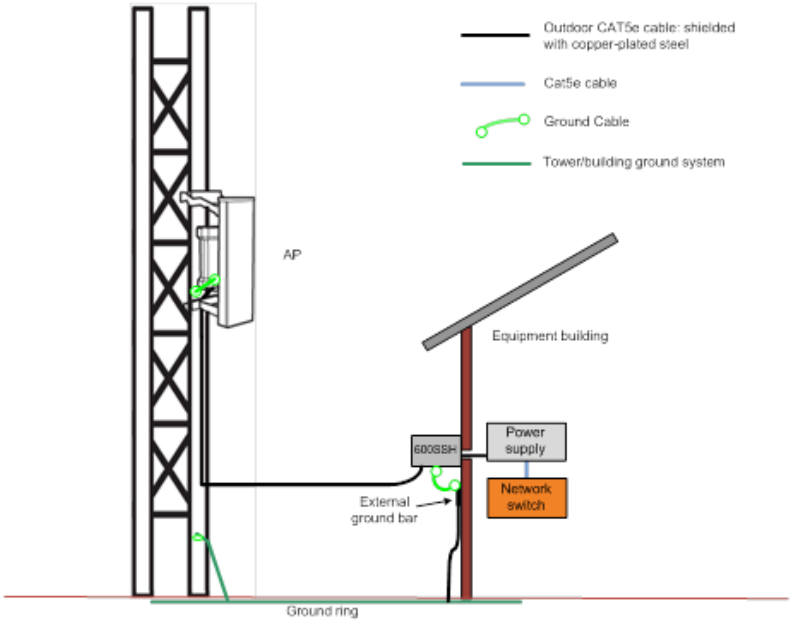
Protection requirements for a mast or tower installation

If the BHM or BHS is to be mounted on a metal tower or mast, then in addition to the general protection requirements (above), the following requirements must be observed:

- The equipment must be lower than the top of the tower or its lightning air terminal.
- The metal tower or mast must be correctly grounded.
- A grounding kit must be installed at the first point of contact between the drop cable and the tower, near the top.
- A grounding kit must be installed at the bottom of the tower, near the vertical to horizontal transition point. This grounding kit must be bonded to the tower or tower ground bus bar (TGB), if installed.

Schematic examples of mast or tower installations are shown in Figure 19.

Figure 19 Grounding and lightning protection on mast or tower

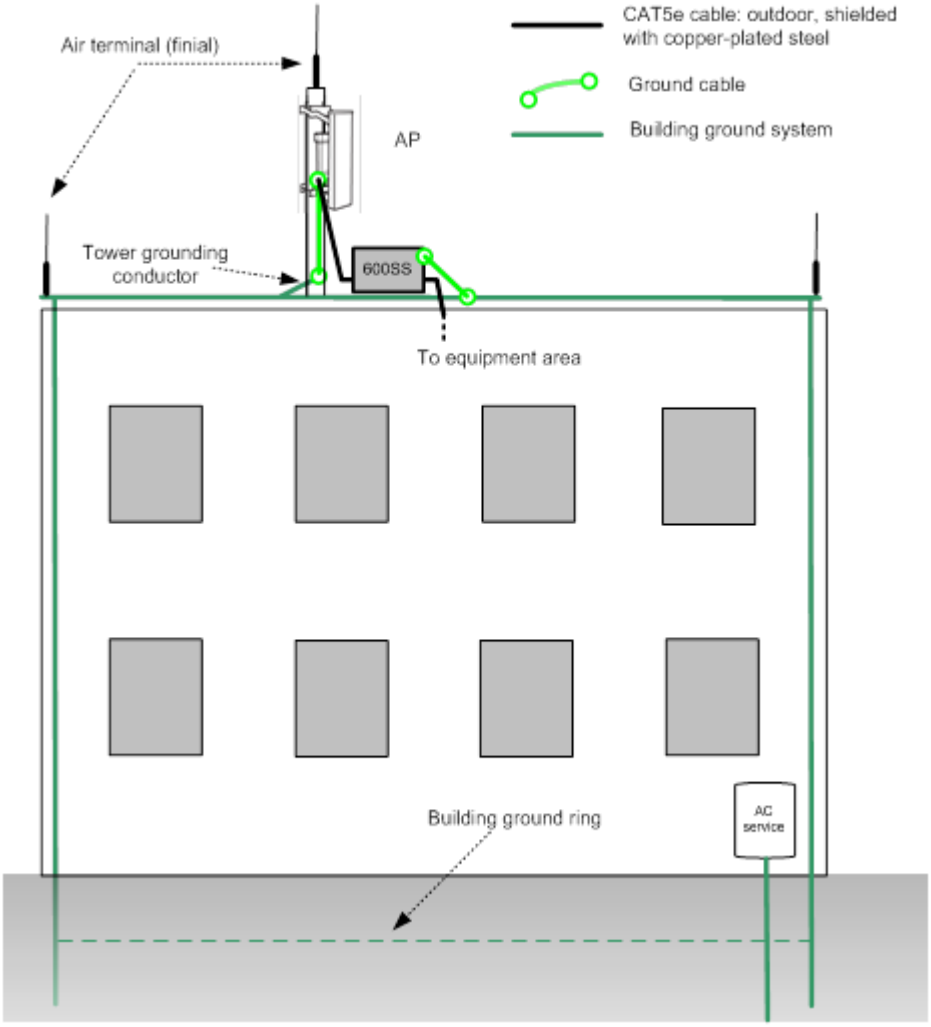


Protection requirements on a high rise building

If the BHM is to be mounted on a high rise building, it is likely that cable entry is at roof level (Figure 20) and the equipment room is several floors below (Figure 21). The following additional requirements must be observed:

- The BHM must be below the lightning terminals and finials.
- A grounding conductor must be installed around the roof perimeter, to form the main roof perimeter lightning protection ring.
- Air terminals are typically installed along the length of the main roof perimeter lightning protection ring typically every 6.1m (20ft).
- The main roof perimeter lightning protection ring must contain at least two down conductors connected to the grounding electrode system. The down conductors should be physically separated from one another, as far as practical.

Figure 20 Grounding and lightning protection on building

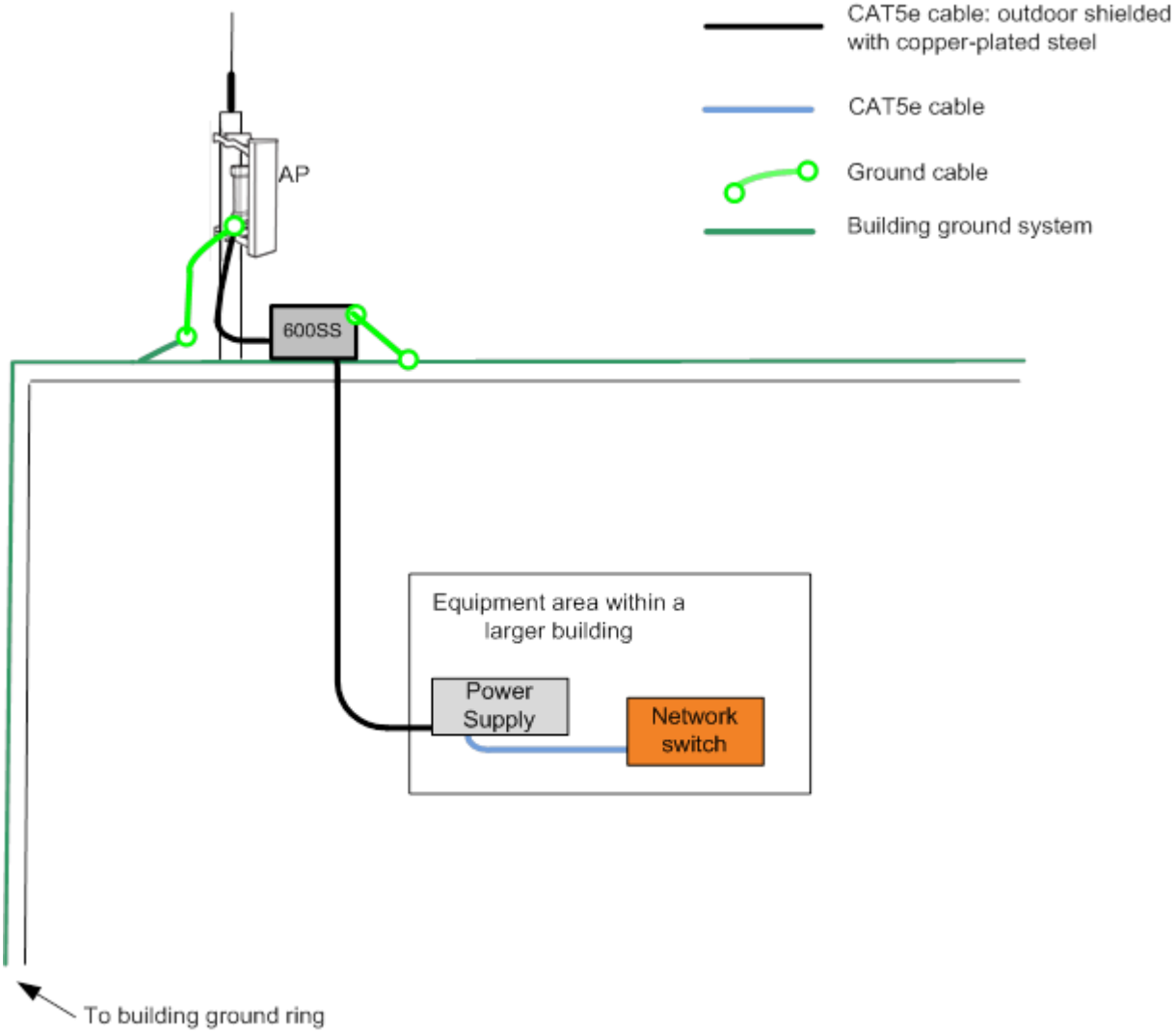


Protection inside a high rise building

The following protection requirements must be observed inside multi-story or high rise buildings (Figure 21):

- The drop cable shield must be bonded to the building grounding system at the entry point to the building.
- The drop cable shield must be bonded to the building grounding system at the entry point to the equipment area.

Figure 21 Grounding and lightning protection inside high building



Configuration options for TDD synchronization

The PTP 450 system uses Time Division Duplexing (TDD) - one channel alternately transmits and receives - rather than using one channel for transmitting and a second channel for receiving. To accomplish TDD, the BHM must provide sync to its BHSs – it must keep them in sync. Furthermore, collocated BHMs must be synced together - an unsynchronized BHM that transmits during the receive cycle of a collocated BHM can prevent that second BHM from being able to decode the signals from its BHSs. In addition, across a geographical area, BHMs that can "hear" each other benefit from using a common sync to further reduce self-interference within the network.

The configuration options available for synchronization on the PTP 450 BHM are:

- **AutoSync**: The BHM automatically receives sync from one of the following sources:
  - GPS Sync over Timing Port (UGPS, co-located BHM GPS sync output, or "Remote BHM" feed from a registered BHS's GPS sync output)

  Upon BHM power on, the BHM does not transmit until a valid synchronization pulse is received from one of the sources above. When there are synchronization sources on both the timing port and the power port, the power port GPS source will be chosen first.

  If there is a loss of GPS synchronization pulse, within two seconds the BHM automatically attempts to source GPS signaling from another source.
- **AutoSync + Free Run**: This mode operates similarly to mode "AutoSync", but if a previously received synchronization signal is lost and no GPS signaling alternative is achieved (from the timing port), the BHM automatically changes to synchronization mode "Generate Sync". While BHS registration ins maintained, in this mode there is no synchronization of BHMs that can "hear" each other; the BHM will only generate a sync signal for the local BHM and its associated BHSs. Once a valid GPS signal is obtained again, the BHM automatically switches to receiving synchronization via the GPS source and BHS registration is maintained.

> **NOTE**
>
> In mode AutoSync + Free Run, if a GPS signal is never achieved initially, the system will not switch to "Free Run" mode, and BHSs will not register to the BHM. A valid GPS signal must be present initially for the BHM to switch into "Free Run" mode (and to begin self-generating a synchronization pulse).

- **Generate Sync** (factory default): This option may be used when the BHM is not receiving GPS synchronization pulses from either a CMM or UGPS module, and there are no other BHMs active within the link range. Using this option will not synchronize transmission of BHMs that can "hear" each other; it will only generate a sync signal for the local BHM and its associated BHSs. See Advantage of GPS synchronization on page 2-77.

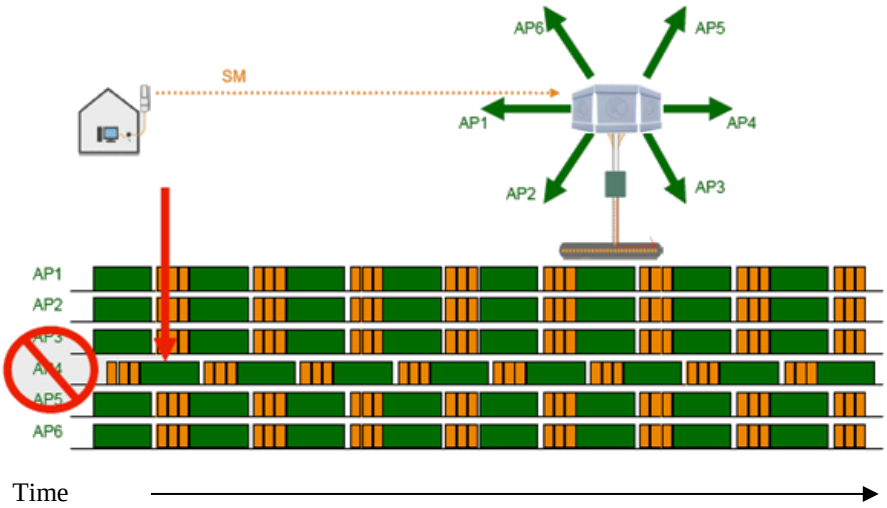
Alternative to GPS synchronization

A link can operate without GPS sync, but cannot operate without sync. The alternative to GPS sync is to configure the BHM in the link to generate a sync pulse to pass to the BHS. Depending on the RF environment in which the link operates, this latter alternative may or may not be plausible.

For example, in Figure 22, BHM

- is not synchronized with any of the other BHMs.
- is transmitting nearby the other BHMs while they are expecting to receive BHS transmissions from a maximum distance.

Figure 22 One unsynchronized BHM in cluster resulting in self-interference



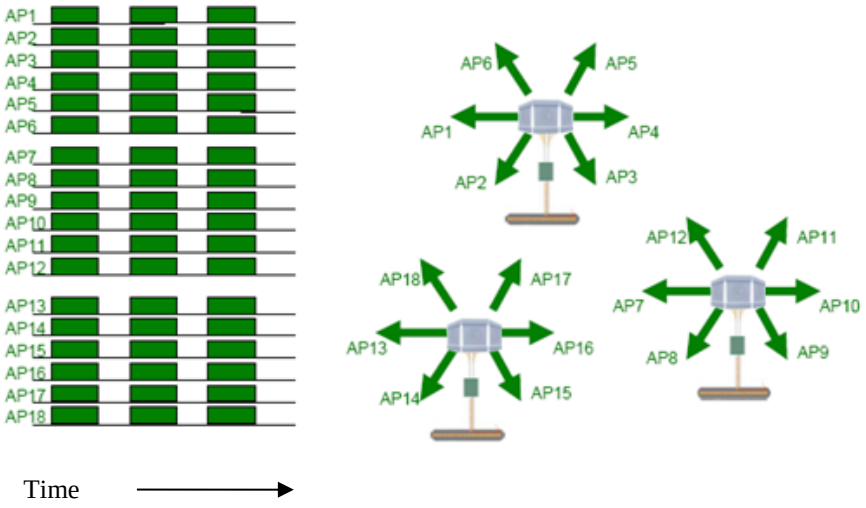
The result is self-interference. In this scenario, the self-interference can be avoided only by synchronizing the TDD transmit cycles of all BHMs that operate in the same frequency band.

An BHM that is isolated by at least 5 miles (8 km) from any other equipment can generate and pass sync pulse without GPS timing and not risk that interference will result from the generated sync. In any other type of link, sync should be derived from GPS timing.

Advantage of GPS synchronization

Although the embedded timing generation capability of the BHM keeps a precise clock (configuration parameter Sync Input set to **Generate Sync Signal**), no trigger exists to start the clock at the same moment in each BHM of a cluster. So, the individual BHM can synchronize communications between itself and registered BHSs, but cannot synchronize itself with other modules, except by GPS timing (shown in Figure 23).

Figure 23 GPS timing throughout the network



Data network planning

This section describes factors to be considered when planning PTP 450 data networks.

Understanding addresses

A basic understanding of Internet Protocol (IP) address and subnet mask concepts is required for engineering your IP network.

IP address

The IP address is a 32-bit binary number that has four parts (octets). This set of four octets has two segments, depending on the class of IP address. The first segment identifies the network. The second identifies the hosts or devices on the network. The subnet mask marks a boundary between these two sub-addresses.

Dynamic or static addressing

For any computer to communicate with a module, the computer must be configured to either

- use DHCP (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol). In this case, when not connected to the network, the computer derives an IP address on the 169.254 network within two minutes.
- have an assigned static IP address (for example, 169.254.1.5) on the 169.254 network.

> **NOTE**
> If an IP address that is set in the module is not the 169.254.x.x network address, then the network operator must assign the computer a static IP address in the same subnet.

When a DHCP server is not found

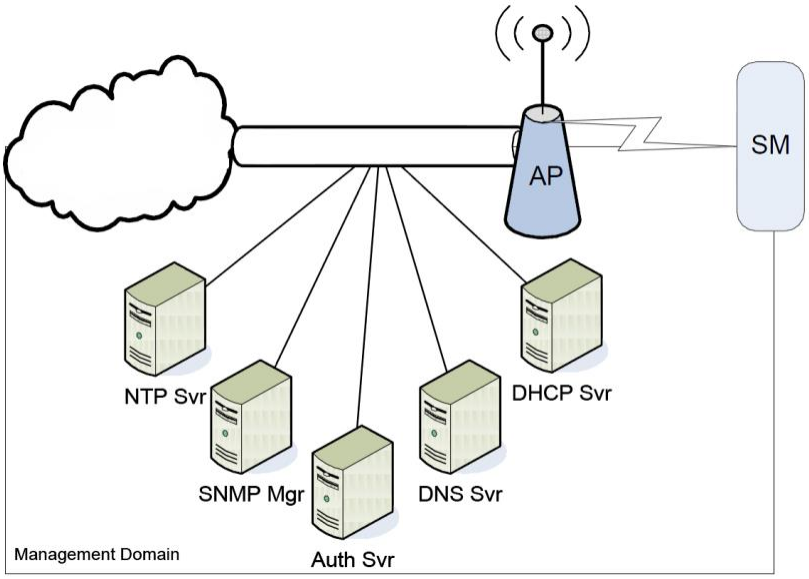
To operate on a network, a computer requires an IP address, a subnet mask, and possibly a gateway address. Either a DHCP server automatically assigns this configuration information to a computer on a network or an operator must input these items.

When a computer is brought on line and a DHCP server is not accessible (such as when the server is down or the computer is not plugged into the network), Microsoft and Apple operating systems default to an IP address of 169.254.x.x and a subnet mask of 255.255.0.0 (169.254/16, where /16 indicates that the first 16 bits of the address range are identical among all members of the subnet).

DNS Client

The DNS Client is used to resolve names of management servers within the operator's management domain (see Figure 24). This feature allows hostname configuration for NTP servers, Authorization Servers, DHCP relay servers, and SNMP trap servers. Operators may choose to either enter in the FQDN (Fully Qualified Domain Name) for the host name or to manually enter the IP addresses of the servers.

Figure 24 Cambium network management domain



Network Address Translation (NAT)

NAT, DHCP Server, DHCP Client, and DMZ in BHS

The system provides NAT (network address translation) for BHSs in the following combinations of NAT and DHCP (Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol):

- NAT Disabled
- NAT with DHCP Client (**DHCP** selected as the **Connection Type** of the WAN interface) and DHCP Server
- NAT with DHCP Client(**DHCP** selected as the **Connection Type** of the WAN interface)
- NAT with DHCP Server
- NAT without DHCP

NAT

NAT isolates devices connected to the Ethernet/wired side of an BHS from being seen directly from the wireless side of the BHS. With NAT enabled, the BHS has an IP address for transport traffic (separate from its address for management), terminates transport traffic, and allows you to assign a range of IP addresses to devices that are connected to the Ethernet/wired side of the BHS.

In the Cambium system, NAT supports many protocols, including HTTP, ICMP (Internet Control Message Protocols), and FTP (File Transfer Protocol). For virtual private network (VPN) implementation, L2TP over IPSec (Level 2 Tunneling Protocol over IP Security) and PPTP (Point to Point Tunneling Protocol) are supported.

NOTE

When NAT is enabled, a reduction in throughput is introduced at the BHS (due to processing overhead).

DHCP

DHCP enables a device to be assigned a new IP address and TCP/IP parameters, including a default gateway, whenever the device reboots. Thus DHCP reduces configuration time, conserves IP addresses, and allows modules to be moved to a different network within the Cambium system.

In conjunction with the NAT features, each BHS provides

- a DHCP server that assigns IP addresses to computers connected to the BHS by Ethernet protocol.
- a DHCP client that receives an IP address for the BHS from a network DHCP server.

DMZ

In conjunction with the NAT features, a DMZ (demilitarized zone) allows the assignment of one IP address behind the BHS for a device to logically exist outside the firewall and receive network traffic. The first three octets of this IP address must be identical to the first three octets of the NAT private IP address.

Developing an IP addressing scheme

Network elements are accessed through IP Version 4 (IPv4) addressing.
A proper IP addressing method is critical to the operation and security of a network.

Each module requires an IP address on the network. This IP address is for only management purposes. For security, you should either

- assign an unroutable IP address.
- assign a routable IP address only if a firewall is present to protect the module.

You assign IP addresses to computers and network components by either static or dynamic IP addressing. You will also assign the appropriate subnet mask and network gateway to each module.

Address Resolution Protocol

As previously stated, the MAC address identifies a module in

- communications between modules.
- the data that modules store about each other.

The IP address is essential for data delivery through a router interface. Address Resolution Protocol (ARP) correlates MAC addresses to IP addresses.

For communications to outside the network segment, ARP reads the network gateway address of the router and translates it into the MAC address of the router. Then the communication is sent to MAC address (physical network interface card) of the router.

For each router between the sending module and the destination, this sequence applies. The ARP correlation is stored until the ARP cache times out.

Allocating subnets

The subnet mask is a 32-bit binary number that filters the IP address. Where a subnet mask contains a bit set to 1, the corresponding bit in the IP address is part of the network address.

Example IP address and subnet mask

In Figure 25 the first 16 bits of the 32-bit IP address identify the network:

Figure 25 Example of IP address in Class B subnet

	Octet 1	Octet 2	Octet 3	Octet 4
IP address 169.254.1.1	10101001	11111110	00000001	00000001
Subnet mask 255.255.0.0	11111111	11111111	00000000	00000000

In this example, the network address is 169.254, and 2^{16} (65,536) hosts are addressable.

Selecting non-routable IP addresses

The factory default assignments for network elements are

- unique MAC address
- IP address of 169.254.1.1
- subnet mask of 255.255.0.0
- network gateway address of 169.254.0.0

For each radio and CMMmicro and CMM4, assign an IP address that is both consistent with the IP addressing plan for your network and cannot be accessed from the Internet. IP addresses within the following ranges are not routable from the Internet, regardless of whether a firewall is configured:

- 10.0.0.0 – 10.255.255.255
- 172.16.0.0 – 172.31.255.255
- 192.168.0.0 – 192.168.255.255

You can also assign a subnet mask and network gateway for each CMMmicro and CMM4.

Translation bridging

Optionally, you can configure the BHM to change the source MAC address in every packet it receives from its BHSs to the MAC address of the BHS that bridged the packet, before forwarding the packet toward the public network. If you do, then

- not more than 10 IP devices at any time are valid to send data to the BHM from behind the BHS.
- the BHM populates the Translation Table tab of its Statistics web page, displaying the MAC address and IP address of all the valid connected devices.
- each entry in the Translation Table is associated with the number of minutes that have elapsed since the last packet transfer between the connected device and the BHS.
- if 10 are connected, and another attempts to connect
  - and no Translation Table entry is older than 255 minutes, the attempt is ignored.
  - and an entry is older than 255 minutes, the oldest entry is removed and the attempt is successful.
- the **Send Untranslated ARP** parameter in the General tab of the Configuration page can be
  - disabled, so that the BHM will overwrite the MAC address in Address Resolution Protocol (ARP) packets before forwarding them.
  - enabled, so that the BHM will forward ARP packets regardless of whether it has overwritten the MAC address.

This is the **Translation Bridging** feature, which you can enable in the General tab of the Configuration web page in the BHM. When this feature is disabled, the setting of the **Send Untranslated ARP** parameter has no effect, because all packets are forwarded untranslated (with the source MAC address intact).

See Address Resolution Protocol on Page 2-80.

Engineering VLANs

The radios support VLAN functionality as defined in the 802.1Q (Virtual LANs) specification, except for the following aspects of that specification:

- the following protocols:
  - Generic Attribute Registration Protocol (GARP) GARV
  - Spanning Tree Protocol (STP)
  - Multiple Spanning Tree Protocol (MSTP)
  - GARP Multicast Registration Protocol (GMRP)
- embedded source routing (ERIF) in the 802.1Q header
- multicast pruning
- flooding unknown unicast frames in the downlink
  As an additional exception, the BHM does not flood downward the unknown unicast frames to the BHS.

A VLAN configuration in Layer 2 establishes a logical group within the network. Each computer in the VLAN, regardless of initial or eventual physical location, has access to the same data. For the network operator, this provides flexibility in network segmentation, simpler management, and enhanced security.

Special case VLAN numbers

This system handles special case VLAN numbers according to IEEE specifications:

Table 41 Special case VLAN IDs

VLAN Number	Purpose	Usage Constraint
0	These packets have 802.1p priority, but are otherwise handled as untagged.	Should not be used as a management VLAN.
1	Although not noted as special case by IEEE specifications, these packets identify traffic that was untagged upon ingress into the BHS and should remain untagged upon egress. This policy is hard-coded in the BHM.	Should not be used for system VLAN traffic.
4095	This VLAN is reserved for internal use.	Should not be used at all.

BHS membership in VLANs

With the supported VLAN functionality, the radios determine bridge forwarding on the basis of not only the destination MAC address, but also the VLAN ID of the destination. This provides flexibility in how BHSs are used:

- Each BHS can be a member in its own VLAN.
- Each BHS can be in its own broadcast domain, such that only the radios that are members of the VLAN can see broadcast and multicast traffic to and from the BHS.
- The network operator can define a work group of BHSs, regardless of the BHM(s) to which they register.

PTP modules provide the VLAN frame filters that are described in Table 42.

Table 42 VLAN filters in point-to-multipoint modules

Where VLAN is active, if this parameter value is selected ...	**then a frame is discarded if...**		**because of this VLAN filter in the software:**
	entering the bridge/ NAT switch through...		
	Ethernet...	**TCP/IP...**	
any combination of VLAN parameter settings	with a VID not in the membership table		Ingress
any combination of VLAN parameter settings		with a VID not in the membership table	Local Ingress
Allow Frame Types: Tagged Frames Only	with no 802.1Q tag		Only Tagged
Allow Frame Types: Untagged Frames Only	with an 802.1Q tag, regardless of VID		Only Untagged
Local BHS Management: Disable in the BHS, or **All Local BHS Management: Disable** in the BHM	with an 802.1Q tag and a VID in the membership table		Local BHS Management
	leaving the bridge/ NAT switch through…		
	Ethernet…	**TCP/IP…**	
any combination of VLAN parameter settings	with a VID not in the membership table		Egress
any combination of VLAN parameter settings		with a VID not in the membership table	Local Egress

Priority on VLANs (802.1p)

The radios can prioritize traffic based on the eight priorities described in the IEEE 802.1p specification. When the high-priority channel is enabled on an BHS, regardless of whether VLAN is enabled on the BHM for the sector, packets received with a priority of 4 through 7 in the 802.1p field are forwarded onto the high-priority channel.

Operators may configure priority precedence as 802.1p Then Diffserv (Default) or Diffserv Then 802.1p. Since these priority precedence configurations are independent between the BHM and BHS, this setting must be configured on both the BHM and the BHS to ensure that the precedence is adhered to by both sides of the link.

VLAN settings can also cause the module to convert received non-VLAN packets into VLAN packets. In this case, the 802.1p priority in packets leaving the module is set to the priority established by the DiffServ configuration.

If you enable VLAN, immediately monitor traffic to ensure that the results are as desired. For example, high-priority traffic may block low-priority.

Q-in-Q DVLAN (Double-VLAN) Tagging (802.1ad)

PTP modules can be configured with 802.1ad Q-in-Q DVLAN (Double-VLAN) tagging which is a way for an operator to put an 802.1Q VLAN inside of an 802.1ad VLAN. A nested VLAN, which is the original 802.1Q tag and a new second 802.1ad tag, allows for bridging of VLAN traffic across a network and segregates the broadcast domains of 802.1Q VLANs. Q-in-Q can be used with PPPoE and/or NAT.

The 802.1ad standard defines the S-VLAN as the Service Provider VLAN and the C-VLAN as the customer VLAN. The radio software does 2 layer Q-in-Q whereby the C-VLAN is the 802.1Q tag and the S-VLAN is the second layer Q tag as shown in Table 43.

Table 43 Q-in-Q Ethernet frame

Ethernet Header	S-VLAN EthType 0x88a8	C-VLAN EthType 0x8100	IP Data EthType 0x0800

The 802.1ad S-VLAN is the outer VLAN that is configurable on the Configuration => VLAN web page of the BHM. The Q-in-Q EtherType parameter is configured with a default EtherType of 0x88a8 in addition to four alternate EtherTypes that can be configured to aid in interoperability with existing networks that use a different EtherType than the default.

The C-VLAN is the inner VLAN tag, which is the same as 802.1Q. As a top level concept, this operates on the outermost tag at any given time, either “pushing” a tag on or “popping” a tag off. This means packets will at most transition from an 802.1Q frame to an 801.ad frame (with a tag “pushed” on) or an untagged 802.1 frame (with the tag “popped” off. Similarly, for an 802.1ad frame, this can only transition from an 802.1ad frame to an 802.1Q frame (with the tag “popped” off) since the radio software only supports 2 levels of tags.

Security planning

This section describes how to plan for PTP 450 networks to operate in secure mode.

Isolating BHMs from the Internet

Ensure that the IP addresses of the BHMs in your network

- are not routable over the Internet.
- do not share the subnet of the IP address of your user.

RFC 1918, Address Allocation for Private Subnets, reserves for private IP networks three blocks of IP addresses that are not routable over the Internet:

- /8 subnets have one reserved network, 10.0.0.0 to 10.255.255.255.
- /16 subnets have 16 reserved networks, 172.16.0.0 to 172.31.255.255.
- /24 subnets have 256 reserved networks, 192.168.0.0 to 192.168.255.255.

Managing module access by passwords

Adding a user for access to a module

From the factory, each module has a preconfigured administrator-level account in the name `root`, which initially requires no associated password. This is the same `root` account that you may have used for access to the module by `ftp`. When you upgrade a module

- an account is created in the name `admin`.
- both `admin` and `root` inherit the password that was previously used for access to the module:
  - the **Full Access** password, if one was set.
  - the **Display-Only Access** password, if one was set and no Full Access password was set.

⚠ CAUTION

If you use Wireless Manager, do not delete the root account from any module. If you use an NMS that communicates with modules through SNMP, do not delete the root account from any module unless you first can confirm that the NMS does not rely on the root account for access to the modules.

Each module supports four or fewer user accounts, regardless of account levels. The available levels are

- ADMINISTRATOR, who has full read and write permissions. This is the level of the `root` and `admin` users, as well as any other administrator accounts that one of them creates.
- INSTALLER, who has permissions identical to those of ADMINISTRATOR except that the installer cannot add or delete users or change the password of any other user.
- TECHNICIAN, who
- GUEST, who has no write permissions and only a limited view of General Status tab

From the factory default state, configure passwords for both the `root` and `admin` account at the ADMINISTRATOR permission level, using the Account => Change Users Password tab. (If you configure only one of these, then the other will still require no password for access into it and thus remain a security risk.) If you are intent on configuring only one of them, delete the `admin` account. The `root` account is the only account that CNUT uses to update the module.

After a password has been set for any ADMINISTRATOR-level account, initial access to the module GUI opens the view of GUEST level.

Table 44 Identity-based user account permissions - BHM

Menu Option	Menu Tab	ADMIN	INSTALLER	TECH
Home	General Status			
	Session Status			
	Remote Session			
	Event Log			
	Network Interface			
	Layer2 Neighbors			
Configuration	General			
	IP			
	Radio			
	SNMP			
	Quality of Service (QoS)			
	Security			
	Time			
	VLAN			
	VLAN Membership			
	DiffServ			
	Protocol Filtering			
	Port Configuration			
	Syslog			
	Unit Settings			
Statistics	Scheduler			
	BHS Registration Failures			
	Bridge Control Block			
	Bridging Table			
	Ethernet			
	Radio			
	VLAN			
	Data VC			
	Throughput			
	Filter			
	ARP			

	Overload			
	DHCP Relay			
	Pass Through Statistics			
	DNS Statistics			
Tools	Link Capacity Test			
	OFDM Frame Calculator			
	BH Configuration			
	Link Status			
	Remote Spectrum Analyzer			
	Sessions			
	DNS Test			
	BHM Sessions			
Accounts				
	Change User Password			
	Add User			
	Delete User			
Quick Start	Quick Start			
	Region Settings			
	Radio Carrier Frequency			
	Synchronization			
	LAN IP Address			
	Review and Save Configuration			
Copyright	Copyright Notices			
Logoff				

Table 45 Identity-based user account permissions - BHS

Menu	Menu Tab	ADMIN	INSTALLER	TECH
Home	General Status			
	Event Log			
	Network Interface			
	Layer2 Neighbors			
Configuration	General			
	IP			
	Radio			
	SNMP			
	Quality of Service (QoS)			
	Security			
	VLAN			
	VLAN Membership			
	DiffServ			
	Protocol Filtering			
	Port Configuration			
	NAT			
	PPPoE			
	NAT Port Mapping			
	Syslog			
	Unit Settings			
Statistics	Scheduler			
	Bridge Control Block			
	Bridging Table			
	Translation Table			
	Ethernet			
	Radio			
	VLAN			
	Data VC			
	Filter			
	NAT Stats			
	NAT DHCP			
	ARP			
	Overload			
	PPPoE Statistics			
	Peer Statistics			
	DNS Statistics			
	Syslog Statistics			
Tools	Spectrum Analyzer			

	Alignment			
	Link Capacity Test			
	BHM Evaluation			
	OFDM Frame Calculator			
	BER Results			
	Alignment Tool			
	Link Status			
	DNS Test			
Logs	NAT Table			
	BHS Session			
	PPPoE Session Log			
Accounts				
	Change User Password			
	Add User			
	Delete User			
PDA	Quick Status			
	Spectrum Results (PDA)			
	Information			
	BHM Evaluation			
	AIM			
Copyright	Copyright Notices			
Logoff				

Filtering protocols and ports

You can filter (block) specified protocols and ports from leaving the BHM and BHS and entering the network. This protects the network from both intended and inadvertent packet loading or probing by network users. By keeping the specified protocols or ports off the network, this feature also provides a level of protection to users from each other.

Protocol and port filtering is set per BHM/BHS. Except for filtering of SNMP ports, filtering occurs as packets leave the BHM/BHS. If an BHS is configured to filter SNMP, then SNMP packets are blocked from entering the BHS and, thereby, from interacting with the SNMP portion of the protocol stack on the BHS.

Port Filtering with NAT Enabled

Where NAT is enabled on the BHS, you can filter only the three user-defined ports. The following are example situations in which you can configure port filtering where NAT is enabled.

- To block a subscriber from using FTP, you can filter Ports 20 and 21 (the FTP ports) for both the TCP and UDP protocols.

- To block a subscriber from access to SNMP, you can filter Ports 161 and 162 (the SNMP ports) for both the TCP and UDP protocols.
  NOTE: In only the SNMP case, filtering occurs before the packet interacts with the protocol stack.

Protocol and Port Filtering with NAT Disabled

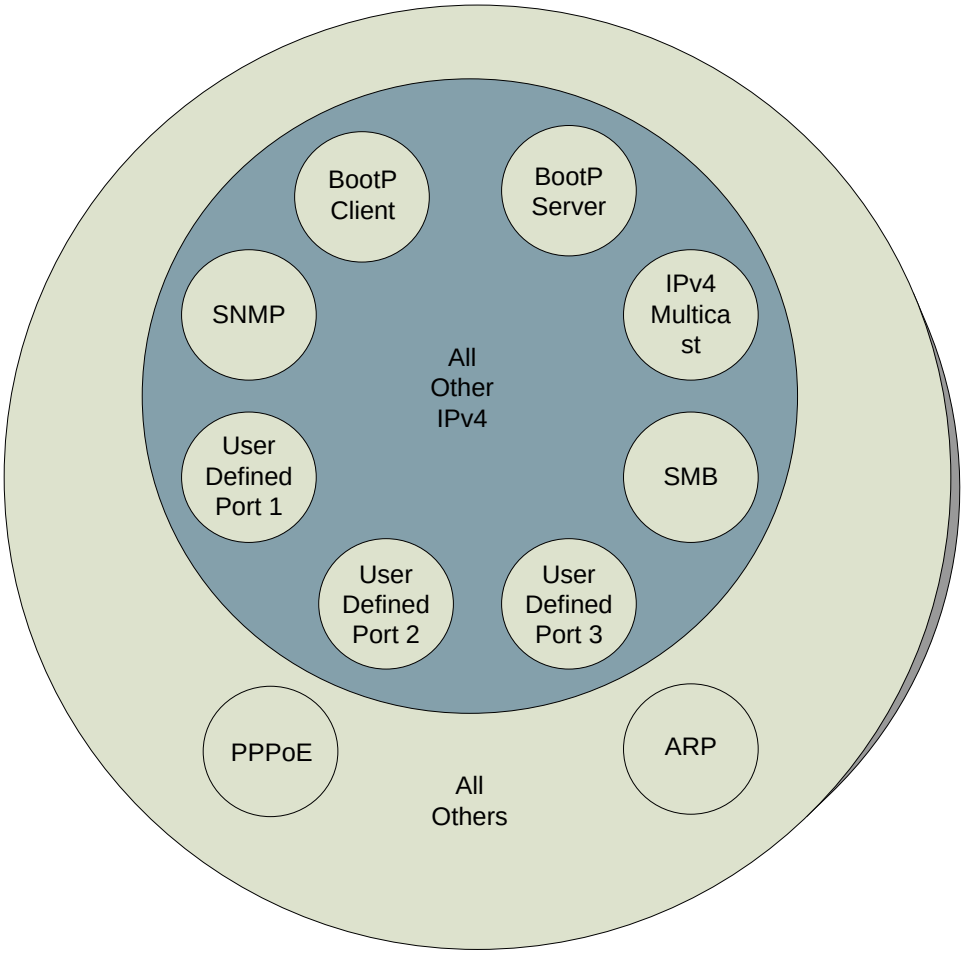
Where NAT is disabled on the BHS, you can filter both protocols and the three user-defined ports. Using the check boxes on the interface, you can either

- allow all protocols except those that you wish to block.
- block all protocols except those that you wish to allow.

You can allow or block any of the following protocols:

- PPPoE (Point to Point Protocol over Ethernet)
- Any or all of the following IPv4 (Internet Protocol version 4) protocols:
  - BHSB (Network Neighborhood)
  - SNMP
  - Up to 3 user-defined ports
  - All other IPv4 traffic (see Figure 26)
  - Uplink Broadcast
  - ARP (Address Resolution Protocol)
  - All others (see Figure 26)

Figure 26 Categorical protocol filtering



The following are example situations in which you can configure protocol filtering where NAT is disabled:

- If you block a subscriber from only PPoE and SNMP, then the subscriber retains access to all other protocols and all ports.
- If you block PPoE, IPv4, and Uplink Broadcast, and you also check the **All others** selection, then only Address Resolution Protocol is not filtered.

The ports that are filtered as a result of protocol selections in the Protocol Filtering tab of the BHS are listed in Table 46.

Table 46 Ports filtered per protocol selections

Protocol Selected	Port Filtered (Blocked)
BHS	Destination Ports 137 TCP and UDP, 138 UDP, 139 TCP, 445 TCP
SNMP	Destination Ports 161 TCP and UDP, 162 TCP and UDP
Bootp Client	Source Port 68 UDP
Bootp Server	Source Port 67 UDP

Port Lockdown

Cambium devices support access to various communication protocols and only the ports required for these protocols are available for access by external entities. Operators may change the port numbers for these protocols via the radio GUI or SNMP.

Table 47 Device default port numbers

Port	Usage	Port Usage	Device
21	FTP	Listen Port	BHM, BHS
80	HTTP	Listen Port	BHM, BHS
1812			
1813			
161	SNMP port	Listen Port	BHM, BHS
162	SNMP trap port	Destination Port	BHM, BHS
514	Syslog	Destination Port	BHM, BHS

Isolating BHSs

In an BHM, you can prevent BHSs in the sector from directly communicating with each other. In CMMmicro Release 2.2 or later and the CMM4, you can prevent connected BHMs from directly communicating with each other, which prevents BHSs that are in different sectors of a cluster from communicating with each other.

In the BHM, the **BHS Isolation** parameter is available in the General tab of the Configuration web page. In the drop-down menu for that parameter, you can configure the BHS Isolation feature by any of the following selections:

- **Disable BHS Isolation** (the default selection). This allows full communication between BHSs.
- **Block BHS Packets from being forwarded**. This prevents both multicast/broadcast and unicast BHS-to-BHS communication.
- **Block and Forward BHS Packets to Backbone**. This not only prevents multicast/broadcast and unicast BHS-to-BHS communication but also sends the packets, which otherwise would have been handled BHS to BHS, through the Ethernet port of the BHM.

Filtering management through Ethernet

You can configure the BHS to disallow any device that is connected to its Ethernet port from accessing the IP address of the BHS. If you set the **Ethernet Access Control** parameter to **Enabled**, then

- no attempt to access the BHS management interface (by http, SNMP, ftp, or tftp) through Ethernet can succeed.
- any attempt to access the BHS management interface over the air (by IP address, presuming that **LAN1 Network Interface Configuration, Network Accessibility** is set to **Public**, or by link from the Session Status or Remote Subscribers tab in the BHM) is unaffected.

Allowing management from only specified IP addresses

The Security tab of the Configuration web page in the BHM and BHS includes the **IP Access Control** parameter. You can specify one, two, or three IP addresses that should be allowed to access the management interface (by HTTP, SNMP, FTP, or TFTP).

If you select

- **IP Access Filtering Disabled**, then management access is allowed from any IP address, even if the **Allowed Source IP 1 to 3** parameters are populated.
- **IP Access Filtering Enabled**, and specify at least one address in the **Allowed Source IP 1 to 3** parameter, then management access is limited to the specified address(es).

Configuring management IP by DHCP

The IP tab in the Configuration web page of every radio contains a **LAN1 Network Interface Configuration, DHCP State** parameter that, if enabled, causes the IP configuration (IP address, subnet mask, and gateway IP address) to be obtained through DHCP instead of the values of those individual parameters. The setting of this DHCP state parameter is also viewable, but is not settable, in the Network Interface tab of the Home page.

In the BHS, this parameter is settable

- in the NAT tab of the Configuration web page, but only if NAT is enabled.
- in the IP tab of the Configuration web page, but only if the **Network Accessibility** parameter in the IP tab is set to **Public**.

Planning for airlink security

Cambium fixed wireless broadband IP systems employ the following form of encryption for security of the wireless link:

- **DES (Data Encryption Standard)**: An over-the-air link encryption option that uses secret 56-bit keys and 8 parity bits. DES performs a series of bit permutations, substitutions, and recombination operations on blocks of data. DES encryption does not affect the performance or throughput of the system.
- **AES (Advanced Encryption Standard):** An over-the-air link encryption option that uses the Rijndael algorithm and 128-bit keys to establish a higher level of security than DES. AES products are certified as compliant with the Federal Information Processing Standards (FIPS 197) in the U.S.A.

Planning for RF Telnet Access Control

The RF Telnet Access feature restricts Telnet access to the BHM from a device situated below a network BHS (downstream from the BHM). This is a security enhancement to restrict RF-interface sourced BHM access specifically to the LAN1 IP address and LAN2 IP address (Radio Private Address, typically 192.168.101.[LUID]). This restriction disallows unauthorized users from running Telnet commands on the BHM that can change BHM configuration or modifying network-critical components such as routing and ARP tables.

Forwarding Downlink PPPoE PADI packets

The BHM supports the control of forwarding of PPPoE PADI (PPPoE Active Discovery Initiation) packets. This forwarding is configured on the BHM GUI **Configuration**, **Radio** tab by parameter **PPPoE PADI Downlink Forwarding**. When set to “Enabled”, the BHM allows downstream and upstream transmission of PPPoE PADI packets. When set to “Disabled”, the BHM will NOT allow PPPoE PADI packets to be sent out of the BHM RF interface (downstream) but will allow PPPoE PADI packets to enter the RF interface (upstream) and exit the Ethernet interface.

Planning for SNMP security

Canopy modules provide the following Configuration web page parameters in the SNMP tab. These govern SNMP access from the manager to the agent:

- **Community String**, which specifies the password for security between managers and the agent.
- **Accessing Subnet**, which specifies the subnet mask that allows managers to poll the agents.

Ordering components

This section describes how to select components for PTP 450 Greenfield network or PTP 450 network migration. It specifies Cambium part numbers for PTP 450 components.

PTP 450 component part numbers

Table 48 PTP 450 components

Part Number	Product Description
Sales Models	
C035045A001A	3.5 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized BHM
C035045A003A	3.5 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized BHM, DES only
C035045C001A	3.5 GHz PTP 450 Subscriber Module, 4 Mbps
C035045C002A	3.5 GHz PTP 450 Subscriber Module, 10 Mbps
C035045C003A	3.5 GHz PTP 450 Subscriber Module, 20 Mbps
C035045C004A	3.5 GHz PTP 450 Subscriber Module, Uncapped
C035045C005A	3.5 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized Subscriber Module, 4 Mbps
C035045C006A	3.5 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized Subscriber Module, 10 Mbps
C035045C007A	3.5 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized Subscriber Module, 20 Mbps
C035045C008A	3.5 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized Subscriber Module, Uncapped
C036045A001A	3.6 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized BHM
C036045A003A	3.6 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized BHM, DES only
C036045C001A	3.6 GHz PTP 450 Subscriber Module, 4 Mbps
C036045C002A	3.6 GHz PTP 450 Subscriber Module, 10 Mbps
C036045C003A	3.6 GHz PTP 450 Subscriber Module, 20 Mbps
C036045C004A	3.6 GHz PTP 450 Subscriber Module, Uncapped
C036045C005A	3.6 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized Subscriber Module, 4 Mbps

C036045C006A	3.6 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized Subscriber Module, 10 Mbps
C036045C007A	3.6 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized Subscriber Module, 20 Mbps
C036045C008A	3.6 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized Subscriber Module, Uncapped
C054045A001A	5 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized BHM
C054045A002A	5 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized BHM, US only
C054045A003A	5 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized BHM, DES only
C054045C001A	5 GHz PTP 450 Subscriber Module, 4 Mbps
C054045C002A	5 GHz PTP 450 Subscriber Module, 10 Mbps
C054045C003A	5 GHz PTP 450 Subscriber Module, 20 Mbps
C054045C004A	5 GHz PTP 450 Subscriber Module, Uncapped
C054045C005A	5 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized Subscriber Module, 4 Mbps
C054045C006A	5 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized Subscriber Module, 10 Mbps
C054045C007A	5 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized Subscriber Module, 20 Mbps
C054045C008A	5 GHz PTP 450 Connectorized Subscriber Module, Uncapped
BHM Antenna Options	
30009406002	N-type to N-type cable (16 inch length)
BHM Optional Equipment	
ACPSSW-20A	POWER SUPPLY, 20W, 29.5V, 100-240VAC/50-60HZ
ACPSSW-21A	POWER SUPPLY, 20W,29.5V,100-240VAC/50-60HZ +C8 AC
ACPS120WA	POWER SUPPLY, 120W 30VDC AT 60C 100-240VAC EL5
N000900L001A	**POWER SUPPLY, 30V, 1000BaseT, 100-240VAC/50-60HZ**

600SSH	SURGE PROTECTOR
1096H	**UNIVERSAL GPS MODULE**
BHS Optional Equipment	
ACPSSW-09B	POWER SUPPLY,13.6W, 29.5V, 100-240VAC/50-60HZ
ACPSSW-10B	POWER SUPPLY,13.6W,29.5V,100-240VAC/50-60HZ+ARG
ACPSSW-11B	POWER SUPPLY, 13.6W,29.5V,100-240VAC/50-60HZ+AUS
ACPSSW-12C	POWER SUPPLY,ASSY,P/S,29.5V90-240VAC/50-60HZ PS
ACPSSW-13B	POWER SUPPLY,13.6W,29.5V,100-240/50-60+FIXED US
ACPSSW-14A	POWER SUPPLY,13.6W,29.5V,100-240VAC/50-60HZ+BRAZ
C050000D001A	5 GHz CLIP (Cassegrain Lens for Improved Performance)
HK2022A	53CM OFFSET, REFLECTOR DISH KIT,4PK
BHSMB1A	UNIVERSAL MOUNTING KIT
600SSH	**SURGE PROTECTOR**
Extended Warranty	

	PTP450 BHM Extended Warranty, 1 Additional Year
	PTP450 BHM Extended Warranty, 2 Additional Years
SG00TS4025A	**PTP450 BHM Extended Warranty, 4 Additional Years**
SG00TS4010A	PTP450 BHS Extended Warranty, 1 Additional Year
SG00TS4018A	PTP450 BHS Extended Warranty, 2 Additional Years
SG00TS4026A	PTP450 BHS Extended Warranty, 4 Additional Years

Chapter 3: Legal information

This chapter provides legal notices including software license agreements.

CAUTION

Intentional or unintentional changes or modifications to the equipment must not be made unless under the express consent of the party responsible for compliance. Any such modifications could void the user's authority to operate the equipment and will void the manufacturer's warranty.

The following topics are described in this chapter:

- Cambium Networks end user license agreement on page 3-100
- Hardware warranty on page 3-108
- Limit of liability on page 3-109

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Chapter 4: Reference information

This chapter contains reference information and regulatory notices that apply to the PTP 450 Series products.

The following topics are described in this chapter:

- Equipment specifications on page 4-111 contain specifications of the BHM, BHS and other equipment required for PTP 450 installations.

Equipment specifications

This section contains specifications of the BHM, BHS, associated supplies required for PTP 450 installations.

BHM specifications

The PTP 450 BHM conforms to the specifications listed in Table 49. These specifications apply to all PTP 450 product variants (except where noted).

Table 49 BHM physical specifications

Category		Specification
Product		
Model Number		
	3.5 GHz	C035045A001A, C035045A003A
	3.6 GHz	C036045A001A, C036045A003A
	5 GHz	C054045A001A, C054045A002A, C054045A003A
Spectrum		
Channel Spacing	5 MHz 10 MHz 20 MHz channel bandwidth	Configurable on 2.5 MHz increments (5 GHz) Configurable on 50 kHz increments (3.5 GHz, 3.6 GHz)
Frequency Range		
	3.5 GHz	3300 – 3600 MHz (dependent upon Region Code setting)
	3.6 GHz	3550 – 3800 MHz (dependent upon Region Code setting)
	5 GHz	5470 – 5875 MHz (dependent upon Region Code setting)
Channel Width		5 MHz (3.5 GHz, 3.6 GHz and 5.8 GHz only), 10 MHz or 20 MHz
Interface		
MAC (Media Access Control) Layer		Cambium Proprietary
Physical Layer		2x2 MIMO OFDM
Ethernet Interface		10/100BaseT, half/full duplex, rate auto negotiated (802.3 compliant)
Protocols Used		IPv4, UDP, TCP, IP, ICMP, SNMP, HTTP, FTP, RADIUS
Network Management		HTTP, FTP, SNMP v2c, Syslog

Category		Specification
VLAN		802.1ad (DVLAN Q-inQ), 802.1Q with 802.1p priority, dynamic port VID
Performance		
Nominal Receive Sensitivity (w/ FEC) @ 5 MHz Channel, Single Branch		
	3.5 GHz	OFDM: 1x = -89 dBm, 2x = -89 dBm, 4x = -83 dBm, 6x = -76 dBm, 8x = -68 dBm
	3.6 GHz	OFDM: 1x = -89 dBm, 2x = -89 dBm, 4x = -83 dBm, 6x = -76 dBm, 8x = -69 dBm
	5.4 GHz	OFDM: 1x = -89 dBm, 2x = -89 dBm, 4x = -82 dBm, 6x = -74 dBm, 8x = -64 dBm
	5.8 GHz	OFDM: 1x = -88 dBm, 2x = -88 dBm, 4x = -82 dBm, 6x = -75 dBm, 8x = -64 dBm
Nominal Receive Sensitivity (w/ FEC) @ 10 MHz Channel, Single Branch		
	3.5 GHz	OFDM: 1x = -87 dBm, 2x = -87 dBm, 4x = -79 dBm, 6x = -73 dBm, 8x = -67 dBm
	3.6 GHz	OFDM: 1x = -89 dBm, 2x = -89 dBm, 4x = -82 dBm, 6x = -75 dBm, 8x = -68 dBm
	5.4 GHz	OFDM: 1x = -86 dBm, 2x = -86 dBm, 4x = -79 dBm, 6x = -72 dBm, 8x = -62 dBm
	5.8 GHz	OFDM: 1x = -86 dBm, 2x = -86 dBm, 4x = -79 dBm, 6x = -71 dBm, 8x = -62 dBm
Nominal Receive Sensitivity (w/ FEC) @ 20 MHz Channel, Single Branch		
	3.5 GHz	OFDM: 1x = -84 dBm, 2x = -84 dBm, 4x = -78 dBm, 6x = -71 dBm, 8x = -64 dBm
	3.6 GHz	OFDM: 1x = -85 dBm, 2x = -85 dBm, 4x = -79 dBm, 6x = -72 dBm, 8x = -62 dBm
	5.4 GHz	OFDM: 1x = -84 dBm, 2x = -84 dBm, 4x = -77 dBm, 6x = -70 dBm, 8x = -62 dBm
	5.8 GHz	OFDM: 1x = -84 dBm, 2x = -84 dBm, 4x = -77 dBm, 6x = -70 dBm, 8x = -59 dBm
Maximum Deployment Range		
	3.5 GHz	Up to 64 km (40 mi)
	3.6 GHz	Up to 64 km (40 mi)

Category		Specification
	5 GHz	Up to 40 km (25 mi)
Subscribers Per Sector		Up to 238
ARQ		Yes
Cyclic Prefix		1/16
Modulation Levels (Adaptive)		QPSK, QPSK (MIMO-B), 16-QAM (MIMO-B), 64-QAM (MIMO-B), 256-QAM (MIMO-B)
Latency		3 - 5 ms
Packets Per Second		12, 500
GPS Synchronization		Yes, via CMM3, CMM4, or UGPS
Quality of Service		Diffserv QoS
Link Budget		
Combined Transmit Power		-30 to +22 dBm (to EIRP limit by region) in 1 dB-configurable intervals (5 GHz) -30 to +25 dBm (to EIRP limit by region) in 1 dB-configurable intervals (3.5 GHz) -30 to +25 dBm (to EIRP limit by region and channel bandwidth) in 1 dB-configurable intervals (3.6 GHz)
Antenna Gain (Does not include cable loss, ~1dB)		
	3.5 GHz	16 dBi Dual Slant
	3.6 GHz	16 dBi Dual Slant
	5 GHz	17 dBi Horizontal and Vertical
Maximum Transmit Power (Conducted)		22 dBm combined OFDM (5 GHz) (dependent upon Region Code setting) 25 dBm combined OFDM (3.5 GHz, 3.6 GHz), (dependent upon Region Code setting)
Physical		
Wind Loading		
	3.5 GHz	216 km/hour (135 mi/hour)
	3.6 GHz	216 km/hour (135 mi/hour)
	5 GHz	190 km/hour (118 mi/hour)
Antenna Connection		50 ohm, N-type
Environmental		IP67

Category		Specification
Temperature		-40ºC to +55ºC (-40ºF to +131ºF)
Weight		
	3.5 GHz	15 kg (33 lbs) with antenna 2.5 kg (5.5 lbs) without antenna
	3.6 GHz	15 kg (33 lbs) with antenna 2.5 kg (5.5 lbs) without antenna
	5 GHz	5.9 kg (13 lbs) with antenna 2.5 kg (5.5 lbs) without antenna
Dimensions (H x W x D)		
	3.5 GHz	15 kg (33 lbs) with antenna 2.5 kg (5.5 lbs) without antenna
	3.6 GHz	15 kg (33 lbs) with antenna 2.5 kg (5.5 lbs) without antenna
	5 GHz	Radio: 27 x 21 x 7 cm (10.6” x 8.3” x 2.8”) Antenna: 51 x 13 x 7.3 cm (20.2” x 5.1” x 2.9”)
Maximum Power Consumption		14 W
Input Voltage		22 to 32 VDC
Security		
Encryption		56-bit DES, AES
Certifications		
FCC ID		Z8H89FT0002 (5.4, 5.8 GHz) Z8H89FT0010 (3.6 GHz)
Industry Canada Cert		109W-0002 (5.4, 5.8 GHz) 109W-0008 (3.5 GHz) 109W-0010 (3.6 GHz)
CE		EN 301 893 v1.6.1 (5.4 GHz) EN 302 502 v1.2.1 (5.8 GHz) ETSI EN 302 326-2 V1.2.2 (3.5 GHz) ETSI EN 302 326-2 V1.2.2 (3.6 GHz)

BHS specifications

The PTP 450 BHS conforms to the specifications listed in Table 50. These specifications apply to all PTP 450 product variants.

Table 50 BHS physical specifications

Category		Specification
Product		
Model Number		
	3.5 GHz	C035045C001A, C035045C002A, C035045C003A, C035045C004A, C035045C005A, C035045C006A, C035045C007A, C035045C008A
	3.6 GHz	C036045C001A, C036045C002A, C036045C003A, C036045C004A, C036045C005A, C036045C006A, C036045C007A, C036045C008A
	5 GHz	C054045C001A, C054045C002A, C054045C003A, C054045C004A, C054045C005A, C054045C006A, C054045C007A, C054045C008A,
Spectrum		
Channel Spacing	5 MHz 10MHz, 20 MHz channel bandwidth	Configurable on 2.5 MHz increments (5 GHz) Configurable on 50 kHz increments (3.5 GHz, 3.6 GHz)
Frequency Range		
	3.5 GHz	3300 – 3600 MHz (dependent upon Region Code setting)
	3.6 GHz	3550 – 3800 MHz (dependent upon Region Code setting)
	5 GHz	5470 – 5875 MHz (dependent upon Region Code setting)
Channel Width		5 MHz (3.5GHz, 3.6GHz and 5.8GHz only), 10 MHz or 20 MHz
Interface		
MAC (Media Access Control) Layer		Cambium Proprietary
Physical Layer		2x2 MIMO OFDM
Ethernet Interface		10/100BaseT, half/full duplex, rate auto negotiated (802.3 compliant)
Protocols Used		IPv4, UDP, TCP, IP, ICMP, SNMP, HTTP, FTP, RADIUS
Network Management		HTTP, FTP, SNMP v2c, Syslog
VLAN		802.1ad (DVLAN Q-in-Q), 802.1Q with 802.1p priority, dynamic port VID
Performance		

Category		Specification
Maximum Deployment Range		
	3.5 GHz	Up to 40 km (25 mi) with reflector dish
	3.6 GHz	Up to 40 km (25 mi) with reflector dish
	5 GHz	Up to 40 km (25 mi) with reflector dish
ARQ		Yes
Cyclic Prefix		1/16
Modulation Levels (Adaptive)		1x = QPSK, 2x = QPSK-MIMO-B, 4x = 16-QAM-MIMO-B, 6x = 64-QAM-MIMO-B, 8x = 256-QAM-MIMO-B
Latency		3 - 5 ms
GPS Synchronization		Yes
Quality of Service		Diffserv QoS
Link Budget		
Antenna Beam Width		55° azimuth, 55° elevation (both horizontal and vertical)
Combined Transmit Power		-30 to +22 dBm (to EIRP limit by region) – 5 GHz -30 to +25 dBm (to EIRP limit by region) – 3.5 GHz, 3.6 GHz
Antenna Gain		
	3.5 GHz	8 dBi Dual Slant, integrated patch
	3.6 GHz	8 dBi Dual Slant, integrated patch
	5 GHz	9 dBi H+V, integrated patch
Maximum Transmit Power		22 dBm combined (5 GHz) (dependent upon Region Code setting) 25 dBm combined (3.5 GHz, 3.6 GHz) (dependent upon Region Code setting)
Reflector Gain		
	3.5 GHz	+11 dBi
	3.6 GHz	+11 dBi
	5 GHz	+14 dBi
CLIP Gain (5 GHz only)		+8 dBi
LENS Gain (5 GHz only)		+5.5 dBi
Physical		
Wind Loading		190 km/hour (118 mi/hour)

Category	Specification
Environmental	IP55
Temperature	-40ºC to +55ºC (-40ºF to +131ºF)
Weight	0.45 kg (1 lb)
Dimensions (H x W x D)	30 x 9 x 9 cm (11.75” x 3.4” x 3.4”)
Maximum Power Consumption	12 W
Input Voltage	20 - 32 VDC
Security	
Encryption	56-bit DES, AES
Certifications	
FCC ID	Z8H89FT0001 (5.4, 5.8 GHz) Z8H89FT0009 (3.6 GHz)
Industry Canada Cert	109W-0001 (5.4, 5.8 GHz) 109W-0007 (3.5 GHz) 109W-0009 (3.6 GHz)
CE	EN 301 893 v1.6.1 (5.4 GHz) EN 302 502 v1.2.1 (5.8 GHz) ETSI EN 302 326-2 V1.2.2 (3.5 GHz) ETSI EN 302 326-2 V1.2.2 (3.6 GHz)

Wireless specifications

This section contains specifications of the PTP 450 wireless interface. These specifications include RF bands, channel bandwidth, spectrum settings, maximum power and link loss.

General wireless specifications

Wireless specifications that apply to all PTP 450 variants are listed in Table 51.

Table 51 PTP 450 wireless specifications

Item		Specification
Channel selection		Manual selection (fixed frequency).
Manual power control		To avoid interference to other users of the band, maximum power can be set lower than the default power limit.
Duplex scheme		Adaptive TDD
Range		
	3.5 GHz	40 mi / 64 km
	3.6 GHz	40 mi / 64 km
	5 GHz	25 mi / 40 km
Over-the-air encryption		DES, AES
Error Correction		FEC

Data network specifications

This section contains specifications of the PTP 450 Ethernet interface.

Ethernet interface

The PTP 450 Ethernet port conforms to the specifications listed in Table 52.

Table 52 PTP 450 Ethernet bridging specifications

Ethernet Bridging	Specification
Protocol	IEEE 802.3 compatible
QoS	IEEE 802.1p, IEEE 802.1Q, IEEE 802.1ad, DSCP IPv4
Interface	10/100/BaseT, half/full duplex, rate auto negotiated
Maximum Ethernet Frame Size	1714 Bytes

NOTE

Practical Ethernet rates will depend on network configuration, higher layer protocols and platforms used. Over the air throughput is restricted to the rate of the Ethernet interface at the receiving end of the link.

Compliance with safety standards

This section lists the safety specifications against which the PTP 450 has been tested and certified. It also describes how to keep RF exposure within safe limits.

Electrical safety compliance

The PTP 450 hardware has been tested for electrical safety specifications compliance listed in Table 53.

Table 53 PTP 450 safety compliance specifications

Region	Specification
USA	UL 60950
Canada	CSA C22.2 No.60950
International	CB certified & certificate to IEC 60950

Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) compliance

EMC specification type approvals that have been granted for PTP 450 are listed in Table 54.

Table 54 EMC emissions compliance

Variant	Region	Specification (Type Approvals)
PTP 450	USA	FCC Part 15 Class B
	Canada	RSS Gen and RSS 210
	International	EN 301 489-1 V1.9.2 EN 301 489-17 V2.1.1

Human exposure to radio frequency energy

Standards

Relevant standards (USA and EC) applicable when working with RF equipment are:

- ANSI IEEE C95.1-1991, IEEE Standard for Safety Levels with Respect to Human Exposure to Radio Frequency Electromagnetic Fields, 3 kHz to 300 GHz.
- Council recommendation of 12 July 1999 on the limitation of exposure of the general public to electromagnetic fields (0 Hz to 300 GHz) (1999/519/EC) and respective national regulations.
- Directive 2004/40/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 29 April 2004 on the minimum health and safety requirements regarding the exposure of workers to the risks arising from physical agents (electromagnetic fields) (18th individual Directive within the meaning of Article 16(1) of Directive 89/391/EEC).

- US FCC limits for the general population. See the FCC web site at http://www.fcc.gov, and the policies, guidelines, and requirements in Part 1 of Title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations, as well as the guidelines and suggestions for evaluating compliance in FCC OET Bulletin 65.
- Health Canada limits for the general population. See the Health Canada web site at http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/ewh-semt/pubs/radiation/99ehd-dhm237/limits-limites_e.html and Safety Code 6.
- EN 50383:2002 Basic standard for the calculation and measurement of electromagnetic field strength and SAR related to human exposure from radio base stations and fixed terminal stations for wireless telecommunication systems (110 MHz - 40 GHz).
- BS EN 50385:2002 Product standard to demonstrate the compliances of radio base stations and fixed terminal stations for wireless telecommunication systems with the basic restrictions or the reference levels related to human exposure to radio frequency electromagnetic fields (110 MHz – 40 GHz) – general public.
- ICNIRP (International Commission on Non-Ionizing Radiation Protection) guidelines for the general public. See the ICNIRP web site at http://www.icnirp.de/ and Guidelines for Limiting Exposure to Time-Varying Electric, Magnetic, and Electromagnetic Fields.

Power density exposure limit

Install the radios for the PTP 450 family of PTP wireless solutions so as to provide and maintain the minimum separation distances from all persons.

The applicable power density exposure limit from the standards (see Human exposure to radio frequency energy on page 4-120) is:

- **10 W/m^2** for RF energy in the 3.5GHz, 3.6 GHz, 5.4-GHz and 5.8-GHz frequency bands.

Calculation of power density

NOTE

The following calculation is based on the ANSI IEEE C95.1-1991 method, as that provides a worst case analysis. Details of the assessment to EN50383:2002 can be provided, if required.

Peak power density in the far field of a radio frequency point source is calculated as follows:

$$S = \frac{P.G}{4\pi d^2}$$

Where:	Is:
S	power density in W/m^2
P	maximum average transmit power capability of the radio, in W
G	total Tx gain as a factor, converted from dB
d	distance from point source, in m

Rearranging terms to solve for distance yields:

$$d = \sqrt{\frac{P.G}{4\pi.S}}$$

Calculated distances and power compliance margins

The calculated minimum separation distances, recommended distances and resulting margins for each frequency band and antenna combination is shown in Table 55. These are conservative distances that include compliance margins. At these and greater separation distances, the power density from the RF field is below generally accepted limits for the general population.

PTP 450 equipment adhere to all applicable EIRP limits for transmit power when operating in MIMO mode. Separation distances and compliance margins include compensation for both transmitters.

Explanation of terms used in Table 55:

Tx burst – maximum average transmit power in burst (Watt)

P – maximum average transmit power capability of the radio (Watt) (combined transmitters)

G – total transmit gain as a factor, converted from dB

S – power density (W/m^2)

d – minimum distance from point source (meters)

R – recommended distances (meters)

C – compliance factor

Table 55 Power Compliance Margins

Frequency Band	Antenna	Variable			*d*	Recommended Separation Distance	Power Compliance Margin
		P	G	S			
5 GHz OFDM	Integrated BHS, 9 dBi patch	0.158 W (22 dBm)	7.9 (9 dB)	10 W/m^2 or 1 mW/cm^2	10 cm	20 cm (8 in)	40.27
	Integrated BHS, 9 dBi patch with 8 dBi CLIP	0.158 W (22 dBm)	50 (17 dB)	10 W/m^2 or 1 mW/cm^2	25 cm	50 cm (20 in)	39.7
	Integrated BHS, 9 dBi patch with 5.5 dBi LENS	0.158 W (22 dBm)	28 (14.5 dB)	10 W/m^2 or 1 mW/cm^2	18.7 cm	50 cm (20 in)	71.01
	Integrated BHS, 9 dBi patch with 14 dBi Reflector Dish	0.158 W (22 dBm)	199 (23 dB)	10 W/m^2 or 1 mW/cm^2	50 cm	100 cm (40 in)	40
3.5 GHz OFDM	Integrated BHS, 8 dBi patch	0.316 W (25 dBm)	6.3 (8 dB)	10 W/m^2 or 1 mW/cm^2	12.5 cm	50 cm (8 in)	160
	Integrated BHS, 8 dBi patch with 11 dBi Reflector Dish	0.316 W (25 dBm)	79.4 (19 dB)	10 W/m^2 or 1 mW/cm^2	44.6 cm	100 cm (40 in)	50.2
3.6 GHz OFDM	Integrated BHS, 8 dBi patch	0.316 W (25 dBm)	6.3 (8 dB)	10 W/m^2 or 1 mW/cm^2	12.5 cm	50 cm (8 in)	160
	Integrated BHS, 8 dBi patch with 11 dBi Reflector Dish	0.316 W (25 dBm)	79.4 (19 dB)	10 W/m^2 or 1 mW/cm^2	44.6 cm	100 cm (40 in)	50.2
	Connectorized BHS, with 22 dBi panel	0.316 W (19 dBm)	158.5 (22 dB)	10 W/m^2 or 1 mW/cm^2	63.1 cm	130 cm (51 in)	25.1
3.5, 3.6 GHz OFDM	Connectorized BHM, with 17 dBi Sector Antenna	0.316 W (25 dBm)	50 (17 dB)	10 W/m^2 or 1 mW/cm^2	35.4 cm	100 cm (40 in)	79.7

NOTE

Gain of antenna in dBi = 10*log (G).

The regulations require that the power used for the calculations is the maximum power in the transmit burst subject to allowance for source-based time-averaging.

If there are no EIRP limits in the country of deployment, use the distance calculations for FCC 5.8 GHz for all frequency bands.

Compliance with radio regulations

This section describes how the PTP 450 complies with the radio regulations that are enforced in various countries.

CAUTION

Changes or modifications not expressly approved by Cambium could void the user's authority to operate the system.

Type approvals

This system has achieved Type Approval in various countries around the world. This means that the system has been tested against various local technical regulations and found to comply. The frequency bands in which the system operates may be 'unlicensed' and, in these bands, the system can be used provided it does not cause interference. The system is not guaranteed protection against interference from other products and installations.

The radio specification type approvals that have been granted for PTP 450 frequency variants are listed in Table 56.

Table 56 Radio certifications

Variant	Region	Specification (Type Approvals)
3.5 GHz PTP 450	Canada	RSS Gen and RSS 192
	Europe	ETSI EN 302 326-2 V1.2.2
3.6 GHz PTP 450	Canada	RSS Gen and RSS 192
	Europe	ETSI EN 302 326-2 V1.2.2
	USA	FCC Part 15 Class B
5.4 GHz PTP 450	Europe	ETSI EN 301 893 v1.6.1
	USA	FCC Part 15 Class B
5.8 GHz PTP 450	Canada	RSS Gen and RSS 210
	USA	FCC Part 15 Class B
	Europe	ETSI EN 302 502 v1.2.1

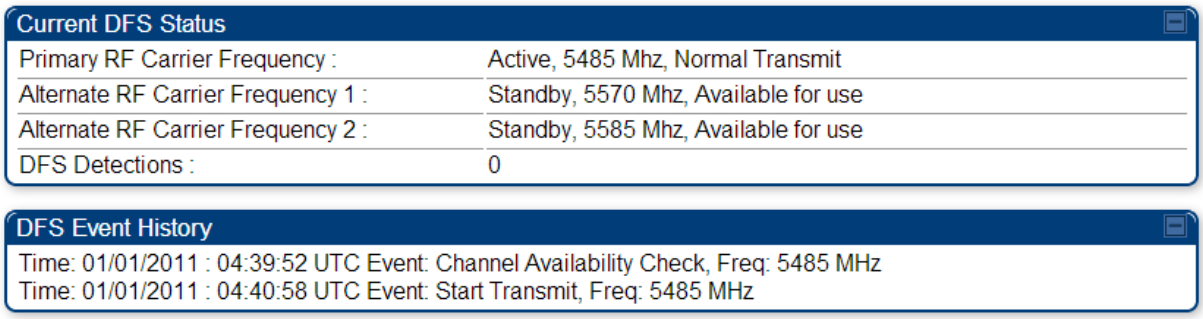
DFS for 5.4 GHz Radios

Dynamic Frequency Selection (DFS) is a requirement in several countries and regions for 5 GHz unlicensed systems to detect radar systems and avoid co-channel operation. DFS and other regulatory requirements drive the settings for the following parameters, as discussed in this section:

- Country Code
- Primary Frequency
- Alternate 1 and Alternate 2 Frequencies
- External Antenna Gain

On the BHM, the **Home** => **DFS Status** page shows current DFS status of all three frequencies and a DFS log of past DFS events.

Figure 27 BHM DFS Status



Current DFS Status	
Primary RF Carrier Frequency :	Active, 5485 Mhz, Normal Transmit
Alternate RF Carrier Frequency 1 :	Standby, 5570 Mhz, Available for use
Alternate RF Carrier Frequency 2 :	Standby, 5585 Mhz, Available for use
DFS Detections :	0

DFS Event History

Time: 01/01/2011 : 04:39:52 UTC Event: Channel Availability Check, Freq: 5485 MHz
Time: 01/01/2011 : 04:40:58 UTC Event: Start Transmit, Freq: 5485 MHz

Background and Operation

The modules use region-specific DFS based on the **Country Code** selected on the module's Configuration, General page. By directing installers and technicians to set the Country Code correctly, the operator gains confidence the module is operating according to national or regional regulations without having to deal with the details for each region.

Some regions have requirements to avoid certain 5.4-GHz frequencies used by some weather radar. To meet this requirement, modules set to Europe will display the certain channel frequencies on the BHM's Carrier Frequency pop-up and on the BHS's Frequency Scan Selection List.

Details of DFS operation and channels available for each Country Code including whether DFS is active on the BHM, BHS, which DFS regulation applies and any channel restrictions are shown in Table 57 on page 4-126. DFS does not apply to 4.9 GHz.

Table 57 OFDM DFS operation based on Country Code setting

Region Code	Country Code	Band	BHM	BHS	Weather Radar Notch-Out
Asia	Vietnam	5.4-GHz	ETSI EN 301 893 v1.6.1 DFS	ETSI EN 301 893 v1.6.1 DFS	No
	India, Vietnam, Indonesia	5.8-GHz	No effect	No effect	
Africa	Algeria	5.4-GHz	No effect	No effect	No
Oceania	Australia	5.4-GHz	ETSI EN 301 893 v1.6.1 DFS	ETSI EN 301 893 v1.6.1 DFS	No
		5.8-GHz	No effect	No effect	No
Europe	Denmark, Finland, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Portugal, Serbia, Spain, Switzerland, United Kingdom	5.4-GHz	ETSI EN 301 893 v1.6.1 DFS	ETSI EN 301 893 v1.6.1 DFS	Yes
		5.8-GHz	ETSI EN 302 502 v1.2.1 DFS	ETSI EN 302 502 v1.2.1 DFS	No
South America	Brazil	5.4-GHz	ETSI EN 301 893 v1.6.1 DFS	No effect	No
		5.8-GHz	No effect	No effect	No
North America	Canada				
		5.4-GHz	FCC/IC DFS	No effect	Yes
		5.8-GHz	No effect	No effect	No
	United States				
		5.4-GHz	FCC DFS	No effect	Yes
		5.8-GHz	No effect	No effect	No
Other-Regulatory	Other-FCC				
		5.4-GHz	FCC DFS	No effect	

Region Code	Country Code	Band	BHM	BHS	Weather Radar Notch-Out
		5.8-GHz	No effect	No effect	
	Other-ETSI	5.4-GHz	ETSI EN 301 893 v1.6.1 DFS	ETSI EN 301 893 v1.6.1 DFS	No
		5.8-GHz	ETSI EN 302 502 v1.2.1 DFS	ETSI EN 302 502 v1.2.1 DFS	No

Country Codes and available spectrum

The following tables list the Country Codes available on PTP 450 BHM and BHS units. Country Code settings affect the radios in the following ways:

- Maximum transmit power limiting (based on radio transmitter power plus configured antenna gain)
- DFS operation is enabled based on the configured region code, if applicable

PTP 450 equipment shipped to the United States is locked to a Country Code setting of “United States”. Units shipped to regions other than the United States must be configured with the corresponding Country Code to comply with local regulatory requirements.

Table 58 Center channel details based on Country Code, 3.5 GHz

Region	Country	Channel Size	Band Edges (MHz)	Range of Center Frequencies Available (MHz)	Center Channel Spacing	# of Center Channels (based on PTP 450 available range)	# of Non-overlapping center channels (based on PTP 450 available range)[16]
Other	Other	5 MHz	3300 – 3600	3302.5 – 3597.5	50 kHz	5900	60
		10 MHz		3305 – 3595		5800	30
		20 MHz		3310 – 3590		5600	15
	Other - ETSI (Any country that follows ETSI rules)	5 MHz	3400 – 3600	3402.5 – 3597.5	50 kHz	3900	40
		10 MHz		3405 – 3595		3800	20
		20 MHz		3410 – 3590		3600	10
Asia	China	5 MHz	3300 – 3400	3302.5 – 3397.5	50 kHz	1900	20
		10 MHz		3305 – 3395		1800	10
		20 MHz		3310 – 3390		1600	5
	India	5 MHz	3300 – 3600	3302.5 – 3597.5	50 kHz	5900	60
		10 MHz		3305 – 3595		5800	30
		20 MHz		3310 – 3590		5600	15
	Indonesia	5 MHz	3300 – 3400	3302.5 – 3397.5	50 kHz	1900	20
		10 MHz		3305 – 3395		1800	10
		20 MHz		3310 – 3390		1600	5
Oceania	Australia	5 MHz	3300 – 3600	3302.5 – 3597.5	50 kHz	5900	60
		10 MHz		3305 – 3595		5800	30
		20 MHz		3310 – 3590		5600	15
North America	Canada	5 MHz	3450 -3650[17] (3475-3650 for new deployments)	3452.5 – 3647.5	50 kHz	3900	40
		10 MHz		3455 – 3645		3800	20
		20 MHz		3460 – 3640		3600	10
	Mexico	5 MHz	3300 – 3600	3302.5 – 3597.5	50 kHz	5900	60
		10 MHz		3305 – 3595		5800	30
		20 MHz		3310 – 3590		5600	15
Europe	Europe (Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Liechtenstein, Norway, Portugal, Serbia, Spain, Switzerland, United Kingdom)	5 MHz	3400 – 3600	3402.5 – 3597.5	50 kHz	3900	40
		10 MHz		3405 – 3595		3800	20
		20 MHz		3410 – 3590		3600	10

[16] With Adjacent Channel Support enabled on the AP (located in tab **Configuration->Radio**)

[17] As of System Release 13.0, 3600 MHz is the upper limit. Range may be extended in a future release.

Table 59 BHM Default combined Tx power per Country Code and Channel Bandwidth, 3.5 GHz.

Country	Antenna Gain (dBi)	Combined TX Default	BHM EIRP Limit	Combined TX Default	BHM EIRP Limit	Combined TX Default	BHM EIRP Limit	Device Country Code Setting (Level 2)
		5 MHz Channel Bandwidth (dBm)		10 MHz Channel Bandwidth (dBm)		20 MHz Channel Bandwidth (dBm)		
Australia	17	23	57	23	60	23	63	Australia
Canada	17	23	62	23	62	23	62	Canada
China	17	23	N/A	23	N/A	23	N/A	China
Denmark	17	23	60	23	63	23	66	Denmark
Finland	17	23	60	23	63	23	66	Finland
France	17	23	60	23	63	23	66	France
Germany	17	23	60	23	63	23	66	Germany
India	17	23	N/A	23	N/A	23	N/A	India
Iceland	17	23	60	23	63	23	66	Iceland
Indonesia	17	23	N/A	23	N/A	23	N/A	Indonesia
Ireland	17	23	60	23	63	23	66	Ireland
Italy	17	23	60	23	63	23	66	Italy
Mexico	17	23	N/A	23	N/A	23	N/A	Mexico
Norway	17	23	60	23	63	23	66	Norway
Portugal	17	23	60	23	63	23	66	Portugal
Spain	17	23	60	23	63	23	66	Spain
Switzerland	17	23	60	23	63	23	66	Switzerland

Table 60 Center channel details based on Country Code, 3.6 GHz

Region	Country	Channel Size	Band Edges (MHz)	Range of Center Frequencies Available (MHz)	Center Channel Spacing	# of Center Channels (based on PTP 450 available range)	# of Non-overlapping center channels (based on PTP 450 available range)[18]
Other	Other	5 MHz	3550 – 3800	3552.5 – 3797.5	50 kHz	4900	50
		10 MHz		3555 – 3795		4800	25
		20 MHz		3560 – 3790		4600	12
	Other - ETSI (Any country that follows ETSI rules)	5 MHz	3550 – 3800	3552.5 – 3797.5	50 kHz	4900	50
		10 MHz		3555 – 3795		4800	25
		20 MHz		3560 – 3790		4600	12
	Other – FCC (Any non-US country that follows FCC rules)	5 MHz	3650 – 3700	3652.5 – 3697.5	50 kHz	900	10
		10 MHz		3655 – 3695		800	5
		20 MHz		3660 – 3690		600	2
Asia	India	5 MHz	3550 – 3800	3552.5 – 3797.5	50 kHz	4900	50
		10 MHz		3555 – 3795		4800	25
		20 MHz		3560 – 3790		4600	12
	Indonesia	5 MHz	3600 – 3800	3602.5 – 3797.5	50 kHz	3900	40
		10 MHz		3605 – 3795		3800	20
		20 MHz		3610 – 3790		3600	10
Oceania	Australia	5 MHz	3500 – 3800	3502.5 – 3797.5	50 kHz	5900	60
		10 MHz		3505 – 3795		5800	30
		20 MHz		3510 – 3790		5600	15
North America	Canada	5 MHz	3650 – 3700	3652.5 – 3697.5	50 kHz	900	10
		10 MHz		3655 – 3695		800	5
		20 MHz		3660 – 3690		600	2
	Mexico	5 MHz	3550 – 3750	3552.5 – 3747.5	50 kHz	3900	40
		10 MHz		3555 – 3745		3800	20
		20 MHz		3560 – 3740		3600	10
	United States	5 MHz	3650 – 3700	3652.5 – 3697.5	50 kHz	900	10
		10 MHz		3655 – 3695		800	5
		20 MHz		3660 – 3690		600	2
Europe	Europe (Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Liechtenstein, Norway, Portugal, Serbia, Spain, Switzerland, United Kingdom)	5 MHz	3550 – 3800	3552.5 – 3797.5	50 kHz	4900	50
		10 MHz		3555 – 3795		4800	25
		20 MHz		3560 – 3790		4600	12

[18] With Adjacent Channel Support enabled on the AP (located in tab **Configuration->Radio**)

Table 61 BHM Default combined Tx power per Country Code and Channel Bandwidth, 3.6 GHz.

Country	Antenna Gain (dBi)	Combined TX Default	BHM EIRP Limit	Combined TX Default	BHM EIRP Limit	Combined TX Default	BHM EIRP Limit	Device Country Code Setting (Level 2)
		5 MHz Channel Bandwidth (dBm)		10 MHz Channel Bandwidth (dBm)		20 MHz Channel Bandwidth (dBm)		
Australia	17	25	N/A	25	N/A	25	N/A	Australia
Canada	17	19	37	22	40	25	43	Canada
Denmark	17	25	60	25	63	25	66	Denmark
Finland	17	25	60	25	63	25	66	Finland
France	17	25	60	25	63	25	66	France
Germany	17	25	60	25	63	25	66	Germany
Greece	17	25	60	25	63	25	66	Greece
India	17	25	N/A	25	N/A	25	N/A	India
Indonesia	17	25	N/A	25	N/A	25	N/A	Indonesia
Ireland	17	25	60	25	63	25	66	Ireland
Italy	17	25	60	25	63	25	66	Italy
Liechtenstein	17	25	60	25	63	25	66	Liechtenstein
Mexico	17	25	N/A	25	N/A	25	N/A	Mexico
Norway	17	25	60	25	63	25	66	Norway
Portugal	17	25	60	25	63	25	66	Portugal
Serbia	17	25	60	25	63	25	66	Serbia
Spain	17	25	60	25	63	25	66	Spain
Switzerland	17	25	60	25	63	25	66	Switzerland
United Kingdom	17	25	60	25	63	25	66	United Kingdom
United States	17	19	37	22	40	25	43	United States

Table 62 Center channel details based on Country Code, 5.4 GHz

Region Code	Country Code	Channel Size	Band Edges (MHz)	Range of Center Frequencies Available (MHz)	Center Channel Spacing	# of Center Channels (based on PTP 450 available range)	# of Non-overlapping center channels (based on PTP 450 available range)
Level 1	Level 2						
Other	Any	5 MHz	5470 – 5725	5472.5 – 5722.5	2.5 MHz	100	49
		10 MHz		5475 – 5720		98	23
		20 MHz		5480 – 5715		94	10
	Other – FCC (Any non-US country that follows FCC rules)	10 MHz	5470 – 5600; 5650 - 5725[19]	5475 – 5595 5645 – 5720	2.5 MHz	74	16
		20 MHz		5465 – 5490 5640 – 5715		66	6
	Other-ETSI (Any country that follows ETSI rules)	10 MHz	5470 – 5600; 5650 - 572519	5475 – 5595 5645 – 5720	2.5 MHz	74	16
		20 MHz		5465 – 5490 5640 – 5715		66	6
Oceania	Australia	10 MHz	5470 – 5600; 5650 - 572519	5475 – 5595 5645 – 5720	2.5 MHz	74	16
		20 MHz		5465 – 5490 5640 – 5715		66	6
North America	Canada	10 MHz	5470 – 5600; 5650 - 572519	5475 – 5595 5645 – 5720	2.5 MHz	74	16
		20 MHz		5465 – 5490 5640 – 5715		66	6
South America	Brazil	10 MHz	5470 – 5725	5475 – 5720	2.5 MHz	98	23
		20 MHz		5480 – 5715		94	10
Asia	Vietnam	10 MHz	5470 – 5725	5475 – 5720	2.5 MHz	98	23
		20 MHz		5480 – 5715		94	10
Africa	Algeria	5 MHz	5470 – 5600	5472.5 – 5597.5	2.5 MHz	50	24
		10 MHz		5475 – 5595		48	11
		20 MHz		5465 – 5490		44	4

[19] Frequencies 5600 – 5650 MHz are excluded, as ten minute Channel Availability Check is required

Region Code	Country Code	Channel Size	Band Edges (MHz)	Range of Center Frequencies Available (MHz)	Center Channel Spacing	# of Center Channels (based on PTP 450 available range)	# of Non-overlapping center channels (based on PTP 450 available range)
Level 1	Level 2						
Europe	Europe (Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Liechtenstein, Norway, Portugal, Serbia, Spain, Switzerland, United Kingdom)	10 MHz	5470 – 5600; 5650 - 5725[20]	5475 – 5595 5645 – 5720	2.5 MHz	74	16
		20 MHz		5465 – 5490 5640 – 5715		66	6

[20] Frequencies 5600 – 5650 MHz are excluded, as ten minute Channel Availability Check is required

Table 63 Center channel details based on Country Code, 5.8 GHz

OFDM Radio Model	Country	Channel Size	Band Edges (MHz)	Range of Center Frequencies Available (MHz)	Center Channel Spacing	# of Center Channels (based on PTP 450 available range, weather notch-out)	# of Non-overlapping center channels (based on PTP 450 available range)
PTP 450 Series BHM, 5.8-GHz	Denmark, Norway, United Kingdom, Finland	10 MHz	5725 – 5795; 5815 – 5850	5730 – 5790; 5820 – 5845	2.5 MHz	37	10
		20 MHz		5735 – 5785; 5825 – 5840		29	4
	Germany	10 MHz	5755 – 5875;	5760 – 5870		45	12
		20 MHz		5765 – 5865		41	6
	Spain	10 MHz	5725 – 5795; 5815 – 5855	5730- 5790; 5820 – 5850		39	10
		20 MHz		5735 – 5785; 5825 – 5845		31	4
	Greece	10 MHz	5725 – 5795	5730 – 5790		25	7
		20 MHz		5735 – 5785		21	3
	Portugal, Iceland, Serbia	10 MHz	5725 – 5875	5730 – 5870		57	15
		20 MHz		5735 – 5865		53	7
	Switzerland, Liechtenstein	10 MHz	5725 – 5795; 5815 – 5875	5730 – 5790; 5820 – 5870		47	12
		20 MHz		5735 – 5785; 5825 – 5865		39	5
	Australia	5 MHz	5725 - 5850	5727.5 – 5847.5		49	25
		10 MHz		5730 – 5845		47	12
		20 MHz		5735 – 5840		43	6
	Canada, United States	5 MHz	5725 - 5850	5730 - 5845		47	24
		10 MHz		5730 – 5845			12
		20 MHz		5735 – 5845		45	6
	India	5 MHz	5825 – 5875	5827.5 – 5872.5		19	10
		10 MHz		5830 - 5870		17	5

		20 MHz		5835 - 5865		13	2
	Brazil, Vietnam	5 MHz	5725 – 5850	5727.5 – 5847.5		49	25
		10 MHz		5730 – 5845		47	12
		20 MHz		5735 - 5840		43	6
	Indonesia	5 MHz	5725 - 5825	5727.5 – 5822.5		39	20
		10 MHz		5730 – 5820		37	10
		20 MHz		5735 - 5815		33	5

Table 64 Default combined transmit power per Country Code – 5.4 GHz band

Country	Antenna Gain (dBi) (18 dBi – 1dB cable loss)	Combined TX Default Setting	BHM EIRP Limit	Combined TX Default Setting	BHM EIRP Limit	Device Country Code Setting
		10 MHz Channel Bandwidth (dBm)		20 MHz Channel Bandwidth (dBm)		
United States, Canada	17	10	27	13	30	United States, Canada
Brazil	17	10	27	13	30	Brazil
Algeria	17	13	30	13	30	Algeria
Australia	17	10	27	13	30	Australia
Austria, Belgium, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, France, , Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Macedonia, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia , Sweden	17	10	27[21]	13	30	Other-ETSI
Denmark	17	10	27	13	30	Denmark
Finland	17	10	27	13	30	Finland
Germany	17	10	27	13	30	Germany
Greece	17	10	27	13	30	Greece

[21] At 5.4 GHz, EU regulations are harmonized. 5600 – 5650 MHz excluded, as ten minute Channel Availability Check (CAC) is required

Country	Antenna Gain (dBi) (18 dBi – 1dB cable loss)	Combined TX Default Setting	BHM EIRP Limit	Combined TX Default Setting	BHM EIRP Limit	Device Country Code Setting
		10 MHz Channel Bandwidth (dBm)		20 MHz Channel Bandwidth (dBm)		
Liechtenstein	17	10	27	13	30	Liechtenstein
Norway	17	10	27	13	30	Norway
Portugal	17	10	27	13	30	Portugal
Spain	17	10	27	13	30	Spain
United Kingdom	17	10	27	13	30	United Kingdom
Vietnam	17	10	27	13	30	Vietnam
Other	17	19	No EIRP / Conducted power limit	19	No EIRP / Conducted power limit	Other

Table 65 Default combined transmit power per Country Code – 5.8 GHz band

Country	Antenna Gain (dBi) (18 dBi – 1dB cable loss)	Combined TX Default	BHM EIRP Limit	Combined TX Default Setting	BHM EIRP Limit	Combined TX Default Setting	BHM EIRP Limit	Device Country Code Setting
		5 MHz Channel Bandwidth (dBm)		10 MHz Channel Bandwidth (dBm)		20 MHz Channel Bandwidth (dBm)		
Australia	17	19	36	19	36	19	36	Australia
Brazil	17	7	24	10	27	13	30	Brazil
Canada	17	9	26	19	36	19	36	Canada
Denmark	17			16	33	19	36	Denmark
Finland	17			16	33	19	36	Finland
Germany	17			16	33	19	36	Germany
Greece	17			16	33	19	36	Greece
India	17	19	36	19	36	19	36	India
Iceland	17			16	33	19	36	Iceland
Indonesia	17	13	30	19	36	19	36	Indonesia
Ireland	17			13	30	16	33	Ireland
Liechtenstein	17			16	33	19	36	Liechtenstein
Norway	17			16	33	19	36	Norway
Portugal	17			16	33	19	36	Portugal
Serbia	17			16	33	19	36	Serbia
Spain	17			16	33	19	36	Spain
Switzerland	17			16	33	19	36	Switzerland
United Kingdom	17			16	33	19	36	United Kingdom
United States	17	19	36	19	36	19	36	United States
Vietnam	17	7	24	10	27	13	30	Vietnam

After an BHM with DFS is powered on it performs a channel availability check on its main carrier frequency for 1 minute, monitoring for the radar signature without transmitting. If no radar signature is detected during this minute, the module then proceeds to normal beacon transmit mode. If it does detect a radar signature, the frequency is marked for a 30 minute non-occupancy period, and the module moves to its 1st alternate carrier frequency. The BHM continues this behavior through its 2nd alternate frequency if needed and then waits until the first frequency ends the 30 minute non-occupancy period. While operating, if the BHM detects a weather radar signature it marks the current carrier frequency for a 30 minute non-occupancy period and moves to check the next-in-line carrier frequency.

An BHS does not begin transmission until it detects a beacon from an BHM. If BHMs are not transmitting, BHSs will be silent.

Europe applies the ETSI specification to both BHMs and BHSs, while Brazil applies it only to BHMs. In the ETSI case, when an BHS is powered on, it scans to find a Canopy beacon from a BHM. If an BHM is found, the BHS performs a channel availability check on that frequency for 1 minute, monitoring for the radar signature, without transmitting. A DFS decision is made based on the following:

- If no radar pulse is detected during this 1 minute, the BHS proceeds through normal steps to register to an BHM.
- If the BHS does detect radar, it locks out that frequency for 30 minutes and continues scanning other frequencies in its scan list.

After an BHS with DFS has seen a radar signature on a frequency and locked out that frequency, it may connect to a different BHM if color codes, BHM transmitting frequencies, and BHS scanned frequencies support that connection.

To simplify operation and ensure compliance, an BHS takes on the DFS type of the BHM to which it registers. For example, when an BHS in Europe registers to an BHM with the Country Code set to “United Kingdom”, that BHS will use ETSI DFS, no matter what its Country Code is set to, even if its Country Code is set to “None”. Note, the operator should still configure the Country Code in the BHS correctly, as future releases may use the Country Code for additional region-specific options.

For all modules running DFS, the module displays its DFS state on its Home => General Status page as one of the following:

- `Checking Channel Availability Remaining time n seconds`, where n counts down from 60 to 1.
- `Normal Transmit`
- `Radar Detected Stop Transmitting for n minutes`, where n counts down from 30 to 1.
- `Idle`, only for BHS/BHS, indicates module is scanning, but has not detected a beacon from an BHM/BHM. Once it detects beacon, the BHS/BHS begins a Channel Availability Check on that frequency.

Regulatory Note: A PTP 450 Series BHM with a Country Code set to United States will not be configurable to another Country Code by installers or end users. This is in response to FCC KDB 594280 and ensures that end users and professional installers will not have access to settings which could allow a radio to be configured to operate in a manner other than that which was specified in the FCC equipment authorization grant.

Within the United States and its territories the PTP 450 Country Code is pre-configured to United States and not selectable in the Configuration, General web page. Radios sold in regions outside of the United States and its territories are required to set the Country Code to the region in which it is used.

FCC compliance testing

With GPS synchronization installed, the system has been tested for compliance to US (FCC) specifications. It has been shown to comply with the limits for emitted spurious radiation for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules in the USA. These limits have been designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference. However the equipment can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to other radio communications. There is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation.

NOTE

A Class B Digital Device is a device that is marketed for use in a residential environment, notwithstanding use in commercial, business and industrial environments.

NOTE

Notwithstanding that Cambium has designed (and qualified) the PTP 450 products to generally meet the Class B requirement to minimize the potential for interference, the PTP 450 product range is not marketed for use in a residential environment.

FCC and ICC IDs and certification numbers

The US FCC IDs, and Industry Canada Certification numbers and covered configurations are shown below:

Table 66 US FCC IDs and Industry Canada Certification Numbers and Covered Configurations

FCC ID	Industry Canada Cert Number	Module Families	Frequencies	Antenna (OFDM)	Maximum Combined Tx Output Power
Z8H89FT0004	109W-0004	PMP 450 AP 2.4-GHz	20 MHz channels, centered on 2417.5 – 2460 in 2.5 MHz increments (within the 2400 – 2483.5 MHz ISM band)	17 dBi Connectorized	19 dBm
			10 MHz channels, centered on 2405 – 2470 in 2.5 MHz increments (within the 2400 – 2483.5 MHz ISM band)		
			5 MHz channels, centered on 2402.5 – 2475 in 2.5 MHz increments (within the 2400 – 2483.5 MHz ISM band)		
	109W-0008	PMP 450 AP 3.5-GHz	20 MHz channels, centered on 3460 – 3640 in 50 kHz increments (within the 3300 – 3600 MHz ISM band)	17 dBi Connectorized	25 dBm

FCC ID	Industry Canada Cert Number	Module Families	Frequencies	Antenna (OFDM)	Maximum Combined Tx Output Power
			10 MHz channels, centered on 3455 – 3645 in 50 kHz increments (within the 3300 – 3600 MHz ISM band)		
			5 MHz channels, centered on 3452.5 - 3647.5 in 50 kHz increments (within the 3300 – 3600 MHz ISM band)		
Z8H89FT0010	109W-0010	PMP 450 AP 3.6-GHz	20 MHz channels, centered on 3660 – 3690 in 50 kHz increments (within the 3550 – 3800 MHz ISM band)	17 dBi Connectorized	25 dBm
			10 MHz channels, centered on 3655 – 3695 in 50 kHz increments (within the 3550 – 3800 MHz ISM band)		22 dBm
			5 MHz channels, centered on 3652.5 - 3697.5 in 50 kHz increments (within the 3550 – 3800 MHz ISM band)		19 dBm
Z8H89FT0002	109W-0002	PMP 450 AP 5.8-GHz	20 MHz channels, centered on 5735-5840 in 2.5 MHz increments (within the 5725-5850 MHz ISM band)	17 dBi Connectorized	19 dBm
			10 MHz channels, centered on 5730-5845 in 2.5 MHz increments (within the 5725-5850 MHz ISM band)		
			5 MHz channels, centered on 5725-5850 in 2.5 MHz increments (within the 5725-5850 MHz ISM band)		

FCC ID	Industry Canada Cert Number	Module Families	Frequencies	Antenna (OFDM)	Maximum Combined Tx Output Power
Z8H89FT0002	109W-0002	PMP 450 AP 5.4-GHz	20 MHz channels, centered on 5480 – 5590; 5660 – 5715 in 2.5 MHz increments (within the 5470 – 5600; 5650 – 5725 MHz UNII band)	17 dBi Connectorized	13 dBm
			10 MHz channels, centered on 5475 – 5595; 5655 – 5720 in 2.5 MHz increments (within the 5470 – 5600; 5650 – 5725 MHz UNII band)		10 dBm
Z8H89FT0003	109W-0003	PMP 450 SM 2.4-GHz	20 MHz channels, centered on 2417.5 – 2460 in 2.5 MHz increments (within the 2400 – 2483.5 MHz ISM band)	7 dBi Integrated	19 dBm
				7 dBi Integrated with 12 dBi Reflector Dish	17 dBm
			10 MHz channels, centered on 2405 – 2470 in 2.5 MHz increments (within the 2400 – 2483.5 MHz ISM band)	7 dBi Integrated	19 dBm
				7 dBi Integrated with 12 dBi Reflector Dish	17 dBm
			5 MHz channels, centered on 2402.5 – 2475 in 2.5 MHz increments (within the 2400 – 2483.5 MHz ISM band)	7 dBi Integrated	19 dBm
				7 dBi Integrated with 12 dBi Reflector Dish	17 dBm
	109W-0007	PMP 450 SM 3.5-GHz	20 MHz channels, centered on 3460 – 3640 in 50 kHz increments (within the 3300 – 3600 MHz ISM band)	8 dBi Integrated	25 dBm
				8 dBi Integrated with 11 dBi Reflector Dish	25 dBm
			10 MHz channels, centered on 3455 – 3645 in 50 kHz increments (within the 3300 – 3600 MHz ISM band)	8 dBi Integrated	25 dBm
				8 dBi Integrated with 11 dBi Reflector Dish	25 dBm
			5 MHz channels, centered on 3452.5 - 3647.5 in 50 kHz increments (within the 3300 – 3600 MHz ISM band)	8 dBi Integrated	25 dBm
				8 dBi Integrated with 11 dBi Reflector Dish	25 dBm

FCC ID	Industry Canada Cert Number	Module Families	Frequencies	Antenna (OFDM)	Maximum Combined Tx Output Power
Z8H89FT0009	109W-0009	PMP 450 SM 3.6-GHz	20 MHz channels, centered on 3560 – 3690 in 50 kHz increments (within the 3550 – 3800 MHz ISM band)	8 dBi Integrated	25 dBm
				8 dBi Integrated with 11 dBi Reflector Dish	25 dBm
				Connectorized with 22 dBi panel	19 dBm
			10 MHz channels, centered on 3555 – 3695 in 50 kHz increments (within the 3550 – 3800 MHz ISM band)	8 dBi Integrated	22 dBm
				8 dBi Integrated with 11 dBi Reflector Dish	22 dBm
				Connectorized with 22 dBi panel	19 dBm
			5 MHz channels, centered on 3552.5 - 3697.5 in 50 kHz increments (within the 3550 – 3800 MHz ISM band)	8 dBi Integrated	19 dBm
				8 dBi Integrated with 11 dBi Reflector Dish	19 dBm
				Connectorized with 22 dBi panel	19 dBm
Z8H89FT0001	109W-0001	PMP 450 SM 5.8-GHz	20 MHz channels, centered on 5735-5840 in 2.5 MHz increments (within the 5725-5850 MHz ISM band)	9 dBi Integrated	19 dBm
				9 dBi Integrated with 14 dBi Reflector Dish	
				9 dBi Integrated with 5.5 dBi LENS	
				9 dBi Integrated with 8 dBi CLIP	
			10 MHz channels, centered on 5730-5845 in 2.5 MHz increments (within the 5725-5850 MHz ISM band)	9 dBi Integrated	19 dBm
				9 dBi Integrated with 14 dBi Reflector Dish	

FCC ID	Industry Canada Cert Number	Module Families	Frequencies	Antenna (OFDM)	Maximum Combined Tx Output Power
				9 dBi Integrated with 5.5 dBi LENS	
				9 dBi Integrated with 8 dBi CLIP	
			5 MHz channels, centered on 5725-5845 in 2.5 MHz increments (within the 5725-5850 MHz ISM band)	9 dBi Integrated	19 dBm
				9 dBi Integrated with 14 dBi Reflector Dish	
				9 dBi Integrated with 5.5 dBi LENS	
				9 dBi Integrated with 8 dBi CLIP	
Z8H89FT0001	109W-0001	PMP 450 SM 5.4-GHz	20 MHz channels, centered on 5480 – 5590; 5660 – 5715 in 2.5 MHz increments (within the 5470 – 5600; 5650 – 5725 MHz UNII band)	9 dBi Integrated	11 dBm
				9 dBi Integrated with 14 dBi Reflector Dish	7 dBm
				9 dBi Integrated with 5.5 dBi LENS	15 dBm
				9 dBi Integrated with 8 dBi CLIP	13 dBm
			10 MHz channels, centered on 5475 – 5595; 5655 – 5720 in 2.5 MHz increments (within the 5470 – 5600; 5650 – 5725 MHz UNII band)	9 dBi Integrated	10 dBm
				9 dBi Integrated with 14 dBi Reflector Dish	4 dBm
				9 dBi Integrated with 5.5 dBi LENS	12 dBm
				9 dBi Integrated with 8 dBi CLIP	10 dBm

Listen Before Talk (LBT) for 3.6 GHz Radios

In the Unites States the 3650-3700 MHz band is licensed on a non-exclusive basis. Operators have the responsibility to minimize the potential of interference to deployed systems.

Standards

In FCC Part 90, Subpart Z[22], the FCC requires that all systems implement a contention-based protocol which would stop transmission if the system detects transmissions from other systems. In Canada, the IC adopted the FCC's definition of a contention-based protocol and adopted the same requirements as the FCC[23] in the 3650-3700 MHz band.

In FCC Part 90, Subpart Z two categories of contention-based protocols are defined: restricted and un-restricted. A restricted contention-based protocol describes the ability to detect interference from products of similar contention technology. An un-restricted contention-based protocol describes the ability to detect interference from products with dissimilar contention technology. Systems incorporating a restricted contention-based protocol are allowed to operate in the lower 25 MHz of this frequency band (i.e. 3650-3675 MHz), while systems incorporating an un-restricted contention-based protocol are allowed to use the full 50 MHz (i.e. 3650-3700MHz) of this frequency band. The 3.6 GHz PTP 450 operates over the full 50 MHz of this frequency band; and hence complies with the un-restricted contention-based protocol solution.

Guidelines for FCC approval of devices operating in the 3650-3700 MHz band are provided in a publication from the FCC Office of Engineering and Technology[24]. The guidance addresses several questions to help determine the contention based protocol capability of a device.

PTP 450 Compliance

The Listen Before Talk feature (hereafter referred to as LBT) is an BHM requirement in the 3.6 band for North America and Canada. Currently the PTP 450 only supports DFS for the Europe and ETSI regions. The Listen Before Talk feature is closely modelled after the current implementation of DFS. The BHM for the PTP 450 system uses a LBT protocol that is embedded into a TDD/TDMA frame structure. Energy detection is done at a regular time interval of once every 2.5 ms defined by the frame structure of the PTP 450 air interface.

The system uses a fixed time interval at the end of the receive portion of each frame for sensing energy present in the channel on both MIMO paths. The sensed energy is measured and stored as a running average and compared to a pre-determined detection threshold. When the average energy exceeds the detection threshold on either MIMO path, the system will respond in such a way to cause the BHM to cease transmission on the current channel and switch to the next channel on its prioritized list of alternate channel frequencies.

A channel availability check is performed over a pre-determined time interval on any alternate channel before the BHM is allowed to initiate transmission. If no alternate channels are configured, the BHM will wait a pre-determined channel back-off time on the existing channel before attempting to initiate transmission. If the running average of the energy sensed during the channel back-off time is below the detection threshold, the BHM is allowed to initiate transmission.

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[22] FCC Title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations Part 90 Subpart Z – Wireless Broadband Services in the 3650-3700 MHz Band

[23] SP 3650 MHz – Spectrum Utilization Policy, Technical and Licensing Requirements for Wireless Broadband Services (WBS) in the Band 3650-3700 MHz

[24] FCC Office of Engineering and Technology Knowledge Database (KDB) Publication Number 552295 "CBP Guidance for 3650-3700 Band v02r02"

LBT detection threshold calculation

The energy detection threshold used for LBT is proportional to the maximum transmit power of the transmitter. For a 23 dBm EIRP transmitter the detection threshold is -73 dBm/MHz at the receiver's input (assuming a 0 dBi receive antenna). At start up the system monitors the channel frequency for 1 second before determining if the channel is busy.

The detection threshold is proportional to the maximum transmit power of the transmitter. The detection threshold is modified according to the following formula:

$$\textbf{Detection Threshold (dBm)} = -73\ \text{dBm/MHz} + 10\log_{10}(B) + 23 - P_T + A$$

Where:	Is:
B	Monitored bandwidth in MHz
P_T	maximum transmit power in dBm EIRP
A	receive antenna gain in dBi

The receive antenna gain A is set equal to the external antenna gain. As part of the radio configuration for LBT the operator must enter the maximum desired conducted power P_C, the external antenna gain A and the channel bandwidth B. The PTP 450 BHM will ensure that the sum of the actual conducted power and the external antenna gain used to calculate P_T does not exceed the regulatory EIRP limit.

LBT operation of PTP 450 BHS

Only the PTP 450 BHM (BHM) performs the threshold detection. The PTP 450 system employs a proprietary media access layer that utilizes a TDD/TDMA scheduled transmission which is synchronously framed. The client PTP 450 Subscriber Module (BHS) cannot transmit data until it is allocated bandwidth from the BHM. If the BHM detects co-channel signals, then the BHM will not allocate any uplink data symbols to the BHS.

In this system, since permission to transmit is granted by the BHM, there is no hidden node problem like that experienced by purely contention based protocols (e.g. Wi-Fi using CBHSA/CA in the Distributed Coordination Function mode). The BHM is typically installed in a high location where it is most likely to receive co-channel interference and is most susceptible to detection.

LBT on startup versus operational mode

The same energy detection method is performed by the PTP 450 BHM whether it is in start-up acquisition mode or operational mode. In start-up acquisition mode the BHM monitors the channel frequency for 1 second before determining if the channel is unoccupied. In operational mode, if channel occupancy is detected and an alternate channel frequency is configured, the BHM switches to the alternate channel and monitors that channel for 1 second before deciding if the channel is unoccupied. In operational mode, if channel occupancy is detected and no alternate channel frequencies are configured, the BHM will cease transmission while continuing to monitor the existing channel frequency for 2 seconds before determining if the channel is unoccupied.

Notifications

This section contains notifications of compliance with the radio regulations that are enforced in various regions.

PTP 450 regulatory compliance

The PTP 450 complies with the regulations that are enforced in the USA and Canada. The relevant notifications are specified in this section.

PTP 450 FCC and IC notification

U.S. Federal Communication Commission (FCC) and Industry Canada (IC) Notification.

This system has achieved Type Approval in various countries around the world. This means that the system has been tested against various local technical regulations and found to comply. The frequency band in which the system operates is 'license exempt' and the system is allowed to be used provided it does not cause interference. The licensing authority does not guarantee protection against interference from other products and installations.

This device complies with part 15 of the US FCC Rules and Regulations and with RSS-210 of Industry Canada. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation. In Canada, users should be cautioned to take note that high power radars are allocated as primary users (meaning they have priority) of the 5650 – 5850 MHz spectrum and these radars could cause interference and/or damage to license-exempt local area networks (LELAN).

Le présent appareil est conforme aux CNR d'Industrie Canada applicables aux appareils radio exempts de licence. L'exploitation est autorisée aux deux conditions suivantes : (1) l'appareil ne doit pas produire de brouillage, et (2) l'utilisateur de l'appareil doit accepter tout brouillage radioélectrique subi, même si le brouillage est susceptible d'en compromettre le fonctionnement.

Under Industry Canada regulations, this radio transmitter may only operate using an antenna of a type and maximum (or lesser) gain approved for the transmitter by Industry Canada. To reduce potential radio interference to other users, the antenna type and its gain should be so chosen that the equivalent isotropically radiated power (EIRP) is not more than that necessary for successful communication.

Conformément à la réglementation d'Industrie Canada, le présent émetteur radio peut fonctionner avec une antenne d'un type et d'un gain maximal (ou inférieur) approuvé pour l'émetteur par Industrie Canada. Dans le but de réduire les risques de brouillage radioélectrique à l'intention des autres utilisateurs, il faut choisir le type d'antenne et son gain de sorte que la puissance isotrope rayonnée équivalente (PIRE) ne dépasse pas l'intensité nécessaire à l'établissement d'une communication satisfaisante.

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the US FCC Rules and with RSS-210 of Industry Canada. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio-frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with these instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment on and off, the user is encouraged to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Increase the separation between the affected equipment and the unit;

- Connect the affected equipment to a power outlet on a different circuit from that which the receiver is connected to;
- Consult the dealer and/or experienced radio/TV technician for help.

Where necessary, the end user is responsible for obtaining any National licenses required to operate this product and these must be obtained before using the product in any particular country. Contact the appropriate national administrations for details on the conditions of use for the bands in question and any exceptions that might apply.

This radio transmitter (identify the device by certification number, or model number if Category II) has been approved by Industry Canada to operate with the antenna types listed below with the maximum permissible gain and required antenna impedance for each antenna type indicated. Antenna types not included in this list, having a gain greater than the maximum gain indicated for that type, are strictly prohibited for use with this device.

Le présent émetteur radio (identifier le dispositif par son numéro de certification ou son numéro de modèle s'il fait partie du matériel de catégorie I) a été approuvé par Industrie Canada pour fonctionner avec les types d'antenne énumérés ci-dessous et ayant un gain admissible maximal et l'impédance requise pour chaque type d'antenne. Les types d'antenne non inclus dans cette liste, ou dont le gain est supérieur au gain maximal indiqué, sont strictement interdits pour l'exploitation de l'émetteur.

Equipment Disposal

Waste (Disposal) of Electronic and Electric Equipment

Please do not dispose of Electronic and Electric Equipment or Electronic and Electric Accessories with your household waste. In some countries or regions, collection systems have been set up to handle waste of electrical and electronic equipment. In European Union countries, please contact your local equipment supplier representative or service center for information about the waste collection system in your country.

European Union Notification for 5.4 and 5.8 GHz Product

The 5.4 and 5.8 GHz connectorized product is a two-way radio transceiver suitable for use in Broadband Wireless Access System (WAS), Radio Local Area Network (RLAN), or Fixed Wireless Access (FWA) systems. It is a Class 2 device and uses operating frequencies that are not harmonized throughout the EU member states. The operator is responsible for obtaining any national licenses required to operate this product and these must be obtained before using the product in any particular country.

Hereby, Cambium declares that the 5.4 and 5.8 GHz product complies with the essential requirements and other relevant provisions of Directive 1999/5/EC. The relevant Declaration of Conformity can be found at http://www.cambiumnetworks.com/support/ec-doc.

This equipment is marked CE 0977 ① to show compliance with the European R&TTE directive 1999/5/EC.

Regulatory Requirements for CEPT Member States (www.cept.org)

When operated in accordance with the instructions for use, Cambium Wireless equipment operating in the 5.4 GHz bands is compliant with CEPT Recommendation 70-03 Annex 3 for Wideband Data Transmission and HIPERLANs. For compliant operation in the 5.4 GHz band, the transmit power (EIRP) from the integrated antenna or a connectorized antenna shall be no more than 0.5 W (27 dBm).

For EU member states, RLAN equipment in the 5.4GHz bands is exempt from individual licensing under Commission Recommendation 2003/203/EC. Contact the appropriate national administrations for details on the conditions of use for the bands in question and any exceptions that might apply. Also see www.ero.dk for further information.

10 MHz channels are used, centered on 5475 to 5595 and 5655 to 5715 in 5 MHz increments. This is within the 5470 to 5725 MHz U-NII band with 5600 to 5650 MHz excluded.

Cambium Radio equipment operating in the 5470 to 5725 MHz band are categorized as “Class 1” devices within the EU in accordance with ECC DEC(04)08 and are “CE” marked CE 0977 ① to show compliance with the European Radio & Telecommunications Terminal Equipment (R&TTE) directive 1999/5/EC. The relevant Declaration of Conformity can be found at http://www.cambiumnetworks.com/support/ec_doc/.

A European Commission decision, implemented by Member States on 31 October 2005, makes the frequency band 5470-5725 MHz available in all EU Member States for wireless access systems. Under this decision, the designation of Canopy 5.4GHz products become “Class 1 devices” and these do not require notification under article 6, section 4 of the R&TTE Directive. Consequently, these 5.4GHz products are only marked with the CE 0977 ① symbol and may be used in any member state.

UK Notification

The 5.8 GHz connectorized product has been notified for operation in the UK, and when operated in accordance with instructions for use it is compliant with UK Interface Requirement IR2007. For UK use, installations must conform to the requirements of IR2007 in terms of EIRP spectral density against elevation profile above the local horizon in order to protect Fixed Satellite Services. The frequency range 5795-5815 MHz is assigned to Road Transport & Traffic Telematics (RTTT) in the U.K. and shall not be used by FWA systems in order to protect RTTT devices. UK licensing specifies that radiolocation services shall be protected by a Dynamic Frequency Selection (DFS) mechanism to prevent co-channel operation in the presence of radar signals.

Brazil Notification

For compliant operation in the 5.4 GHz band, the Equivalent Isotropic Radiated Power from the integrated antenna or connectorized antenna shall not exceed 27 dBm (0.5 W).

The operator is responsible for enabling the DFS feature on any Canopy 5.4 GHz radio by setting the Country Code to “Brazil”, including after the module is reset to factory defaults.

Important Note: This equipment operates as a secondary application, so it has no rights against harmful interference, even if generated by similar equipment, and cannot cause harmful interference on systems operating as primary applications.

Luxembourg Notification

5.4GHz products can only be used for mobile services.

Czech Republic Notification

5.4 GHz products can be operated in accordance with the Czech General License No. GL-30/R/2000.

Italy Notification

In Italy, there is a regulation which requires a general authorization of any 5.4 GHz radio link which is used outside the operator's own premises. It is the responsibility of the installer or operator to have the link authorized. Details may be found at:

http://www.sviluppoeconomico.gov.it/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&idmenu=672&idarea1=593&andor=AND&idarea2=1052&id=68433&sectionid=1,16&viewType=1&showMenu=1&showCat=1&idarea3=0&andorcat=AND&partebassaType=0&idareaCalendario1=0&MvediT=1&idarea4=0&showArchiveNewsBotton=0&directionidUser=0

The form to be used for general authorization may be found at:

http://www.sviluppoeconomico.gov.it/images/stories/mise_extra/Allegato%20n19.doc.

3.5 GHz and 3.6 GHz has been notified to all EU member states

Appendix A: Glossary

Table 67 Glossary

Term	Definition
10Base-T	Technology in Ethernet communications that can deliver 10 Mb of data across 328 feet (100 meters) of CAT 5 cable.
169.254.0.0	Default Gateway IP address in Cambium fixed wireless broadband IP network modules.
169.254.1.1	IP address default in Cambium fixed wireless broadband IP network modules.
255.255.0.0	Subnet mask default in Cambium fixed wireless broadband IP network modules and in Microsoft and Apple operating systems.
802.3	An IEEE standard that defines the contents of frames that are transferred through Ethernet connections. Each of these frames contains a preamble, the address to which the frame is sent, the address that sends the frame, the length of the data to expect, the data, and a checksum to validate that no contents were lost.
802.11	The IEEE standard for wireless local area networks.
802.15	The IEEE standard for wireless personal area networks.
BHM Cluster	Two to six BHM Modules that together distribute network or Internet services to a community of subscribers. Each BHM Module covers a 60° or 90° sector. This cluster covers as much as 360°. Also known as BHM cluster.
BHM Module	Also known as BHM. One module that distributes network or Internet services in a 60° or 90° sector.
ACT/4	Second-from-left LED in the module. In the operating mode, this LED is lit when data activity is present on the Ethernet link.
Activate	To provide feature capability to a module, but not to enable (turn on) the feature in the module. See also Enable.
Address Resolution Protocol	Protocol defined in RFC 826 to allow a network element to correlate a host IP address to the Ethernet address of the host. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc826.html.
Aggregate Throughput	The sum of the throughputs in the uplink and the downlink.
BHM	BHM Module. One module that distributes network or Internet services to subscriber modules.
BHMs MIB	Management Information Base file that defines objects that are specific to the BHM Module. See also Management Information Base.
ARP	Address Resolution Protocol. A protocol defined in RFC 826 to allow a network element to correlate a host IP address to the Ethernet address of the host. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc826.html.

ASN.1	Abstract Syntax Notation One language. The format of the text files that compose the Management Information Base.
Attenuation	Reduction of signal strength caused by the travel from the transmitter to the receiver, and caused by any object between. In the absence of objects between, a signal that has a short wavelength experiences a high degree of attenuation nevertheless.
BER	Bit Error Rate. The ratio of incorrect data received to correct data received.
Bit Error Rate	Ratio of incorrect data received to correct data received.
Box MIB	Management Information Base file that defines module-level objects. See also Management Information Base.
Bridge	Network element that uses the physical address (not the logical address) of another to pass data. The bridge passes the data to either the destination address, if found in the simple routing table, or to all network segments other than the one that transmitted the data. Modules are Layer 2 bridges except that, where NAT is enabled for an BHS, the BHS is a Layer 3 switch. Compare to Switch and Router, and see also NAT.
Bridge Entry Timeout Field	Value that the operator sets as the maximum interval for no activity with another module, whose MAC address is the Bridge Entry. This interval should be longer than the ARP (Address Resolution Protocol) cache timeout of the router that feeds the network.
Buckets	Theoretical data repositories that can be filled at preset rates or emptied when preset conditions are experienced, such as when data is transferred.
Burst	Preset amount limit of data that may be continuously transferred.
C/I Ratio	Ratio of intended signal (carrier) to unintended signal (interference) received.
Carrier-to-interference Ratio	Ratio of intended reception to unintended reception.
CarSenseLost Field	This field displays how many carrier sense lost errors occurred on the Ethernet controller.
CAT 5 Cable	Cable that delivers Ethernet communications from module to module. Later modules auto-sense whether this cable is wired in a straight-through or crossover scheme.
CIR	Committed Information Rate. For an BHS or specified group of BHSs, a level of bandwidth that can be guaranteed to never fall below a specified minimum (unless oversubscribed). In the Cambium implementation, this is controlled by the Low Priority Uplink CIR, Low Priority Downlink CIR, High Priority Uplink CIR, and High Priority Downlink CIR parameters.
CLIP	Cassegrain Lens for Improved Performance
Cluster Management Module	Module that provides power, GPS timing, and networking connections for an BHM cluster. Also known as CMM.
CMM	Cluster Management Module. A module that provides power, GPS timing, and networking connections for an BHM cluster.

CodePoint	See DiffServ.
Color Code Field	Module parameter that identifies the other modules with which communication is allowed. The range of valid values is 0 to 255.
Community String Field	Control string that allows a network management station to access MIB information about the module.
Country Code	A parameter that offers multiple fixed selections, each of which automatically implements frequency band range restrictions for the selected country. Units shipped to countries other than the United States must be configured with the corresponding Region Code and Country Code to comply with local regulatory requirements.
CRCError Field	This field displays how many CRC errors occurred on the Ethernet controller.
Data Encryption Standard	Over-the-air link option that uses secret 56-bit keys and 8 parity bits. Data Encryption Standard (DES) performs a series of bit permutations, substitutions, and recombination operations on blocks of data.
Demilitarized Zone	Internet Protocol area outside of a firewall. Defined in RFC 2647. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc2647.html.
DES	Data Encryption Standard. An over-the-air link option that uses secret 56-bit keys and 8 parity bits. DES performs a series of bit permutations, substitutions, and recombination operations on blocks of data.
Desensed	Received an undesired signal that was strong enough to make the module insensitive to the desired signal.
DFS	See Dynamic Frequency Selection
DHCP	Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol, defined in RFC 2131. Protocol that enables a device to be assigned a new IP address and TCP/IP parameters, including a default gateway, whenever the device reboots. Thus DHCP reduces configuration time, conserves IP addresses, and allows modules to be moved to a different network within the system. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc2131.html. See also Static IP Address Assignment.
DiffServ	Differentiated Services, consistent with RFC 2474. A byte in the type of service (TOS) field of packets whose values correlates to the channel on which the packet should be sent. The value is a numeric code point. Cambium modules map each of 64 code points to values of 0 through 7. Three of these code points have fixed values, and the remaining 61 are settable. Values of 0 through 3 map to the low-priority channel; 4 through 7 to the high-priority channel. The mappings are the same as 802.1p VLAN priorities. (However, configuring DiffServ does not automatically enable the VLAN feature.) Among the settable parameters, the values are set in the BHM for all downlinks within the sector and in the BHS for each uplink.
Disable	To turn off a feature in the module after both the feature activation file has activated the module to use the feature and the operator has enabled the feature in the module. See also Activate and Enable.
DMZ	Demilitarized Zone as defined in RFC 2647. An Internet Protocol area outside of a firewall. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc2647.html.

Dynamic Frequency Selection	A requirement in certain countries and regions for systems to detect interferences from other systems, notably radar systems and to avoid co-channel operation with these systems.
Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol	See DHCP.
Electronic Serial Number	Hardware address that the factory assigns to the module for identification in the Data Link layer interface of the Open Systems Interconnection system. This address serves as an electronic serial number. Same as MAC Address.
Enable	To turn on a feature in the module after the feature activation file has activated the module to use the feature. See also Activate.
ESN	Electronic Serial Number. The hardware address that the factory assigns to the module for identification in the Data Link layer interface of the Open Systems Interconnection system. This address serves as an electronic serial number. Same as MAC Address.
EthBusErr Field	This field displays how many Ethernet bus errors occurred on the Ethernet controller.
Ethernet Protocol	Any of several IEEE standards that define the contents of frames that are transferred from one network element to another through Ethernet connections.
Fade Margin	The difference between strength of the received signal and the strength that the receiver requires for maintaining a reliable link. A higher fade margin is characteristic of a more reliable link. Standard operating margin.
FCC	Federal Communications Commission of the U.S.A.
Field-programmable Gate Array	Array of logic, relational data, and wiring data that is factory programmed and can be reprogrammed.
File Transfer Protocol	Utility that transfers of files through TCP (Transport Control Protocol) between computing devices that do not operate on the same platform. Defined in RFC 959. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc959.html.
FPGA	Field-programmable Gate Array. An array of logic, relational data, and wiring data that is factory programmed and can be reprogrammed.
Frame Timing Pulse Gated Field	Toggle parameter that prevents or allows the module to continue to propagate GPS sync timing when the module no longer receives the timing.
Free Space Path Loss	Signal attenuation that is naturally caused by atmospheric conditions and by the distance between the antenna and the receiver.
Fresnel Zone	Space in which no object should exist that can attenuate, diffract, or reflect a transmitted signal before the signal reaches the target receiver.
FTP	File Transfer Protocol, defined in RFC 959. Utility that transfers of files through TCP (Transport Control Protocol) between computing devices that do not operate on the same platform. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc959.html.

Global Positioning System	Network of satellites that provides absolute time to networks on earth, which use the time signal to synchronize transmission and reception cycles (to avoid interference) and to provide reference for troubleshooting activities.
GPS	Global Positioning System. A network of satellites that provides absolute time to networks on earth, which use the time signal to synchronize transmission and reception cycles (to avoid interference) and to provide reference for troubleshooting activities.
GPS/3	Third-from-left LED in the module. In the operating mode for an BHM Module, this LED is continuously lit as the module receives sync pulse. In the operating mode for a Subscriber, this LED flashes on and off to indicate that the module is not registered.
GUI	Graphical user interface.
High-priority Channel	Channel that supports low-latency traffic (such as Voice over IP) over low-latency traffic (such as standard web traffic and file downloads). To recognize the latency tolerance of traffic, this channel reads the IPv4 Type of Service DiffServ Control Point (DSCP) bits. Enabling the high-priority channel reduces the maximum number of BHSs that can be served in the sector.
HTTP	Hypertext Transfer Protocol, used to make the Internet resources available on the World Wide Web. Defined in RFC 2068. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc2068.html.
ICMP	Internet Control Message Protocols defined in RFC 792, used to identify Internet Protocol (IP)-level problems and to allow IP links to be tested. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc792.html.
indiscards count Field	How many inbound packets were discarded without errors that would have prevented their delivery to a higher-layer protocol. (Some of these packets may have been discarded to increase buffer space.)
inerrors count Field	How many inbound packets contained errors that prevented their delivery to a higher-layer protocol.
innucastpkts count Field	How many inbound non-unicast (subnetwork-broadcast or subnetwork-multicast) packets were delivered to a higher-layer protocol.
inoctets count Field	How many octets were received on the interface, including those that deliver framing information.
Intel	A registered trademark of Intel Corporation.
inucastpkts count Field	How many inbound subnetwork-unicast packets were delivered to a higher-layer protocol.
inunknownprotos count Field	How many inbound packets were discarded because of an unknown or unsupported protocol.
IP	Internet Protocol defined in RFC 791. The Network Layer in the TCP/IP protocol stack. This protocol is applied to addressing, routing, and delivering, and re-assembling data packets into the Data Link layer of the protocol stack. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc791.html.
IP Address	32-bit binary number that identifies a network element by both network and host. See also Subnet Mask.

IPv4	Traditional version of Internet Protocol, which defines 32-bit fields for data transmission.
IBHS	Industrial, Scientific, and Medical Equipment radio frequency band, in the 5.8-GHz ranges.
L2TP over IPSec	Level 2 Tunneling Protocol over IP Security. One of several virtual private network (VPN) implementation schemes. Regardless of whether Subscriber Modules have the Network Address Translation feature (NAT) enabled, they support VPNs that are based on this protocol.
Late Collision Field	This field displays how many late collisions occurred on the Ethernet controller. A normal collision occurs during the first 512 bits of the frame transmission. A collision that occurs after the first 512 bits is considered a late collision. A late collision is a serious network problem because the frame being transmitted is discarded. A late collision is most commonly caused by a mismatch between duplex configurations at the ends of a link segment.
Latency Tolerance	Acceptable tolerance for delay in the transfer of data to and from a module.
Line of Sight	Wireless path (not simply visual path) direct from module to module. The path that results provides both ideal aim and an ideal Fresnel zone.
LNK/5	Furthest left LED in the module. In the operating mode, this LED is continuously lit when the Ethernet link is present. In the aiming mode for a Subscriber Module, this LED is part of a bar graph that indicates the quality of the RF link.
Logical Unit ID	Final octet of the 4-octet IP address of the module.
LOS	Line of sight. The wireless path (not simply visual path) direct from module to module. The path that results provides both ideal aim and an ideal Fresnel zone.
LUID	Logical Unit ID. The final octet of the 4-octet IP address of the module.
MAC Address	Media Access Control address. The hardware address that the factory assigns to the module for identification in the Data Link layer interface of the Open Systems Interconnection system. This address serves as an electronic serial number.
Management Information Base	Space that allows a program (agent) in the network to relay information to a network monitor about the status of defined variables (objects).
Maximum Information Rate (MIR)	The cap applied to the bandwidth of an BHS or specified group of BHSs. In the Cambium implementation, this is controlled by the Sustained Uplink Data Rate, Uplink Burst Allocation, Sustained Downlink Data Rate, and Downlink Burst Allocation parameters.
Media Access Control Address	Hardware address that the factory assigns to the module for identification in the Data Link layer interface of the Open Systems Interconnection system. This address serves as an electronic serial number.
MIB	Management Information Base. Space that allows a program (agent) in the network to relay information to a network monitor about the status of defined variables (objects).
MIR	See Maximum Information Rate.

NAT	Network Address Translation defined in RFC 1631. A scheme that isolates Subscriber Modules from the Internet. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc1631.html.
NEC	National Electrical Code. The set of national wiring standards that are enforced in the U.S.A.
NetBIOS	Protocol defined in RFC 1001 and RFC 1002 to support an applications programming interface in TCP/IP. This interface allows a computer to transmit and receive data with another host computer on the network. RFC 1001 defines the concepts and methods. RFC 1002 defines the detailed specifications. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc1001.html and http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc1002.html.
Network Address Translation	Scheme that defines the BHM Module as a proxy server to isolate registered Subscriber Modules from the Internet. Defined in RFC 1631. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc1631.html.
Network Management Station	See NMS.
NMS	Network Management Station. A monitor device that uses Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP) to control, gather, and report information about predefined network variables (objects). See also Simple Network Management Protocol.
Object	Network variable that is defined in the Management Information Base.
outdiscards count Field	How many outbound packets were discarded without errors that would have prevented their transmission.(Some of these packets may have been discarded to increase buffer space.)
outerrrors count Field	How many outbound packets contained errors that prevented their transmission.
outnucastpkts count Field	How many packets for which the higher-level protocols requested transmission to a non-unicast (subnetwork-broadcast or subnetwork-multicast) address. The number includes those that were discarded or not sent.
outoctets count Field	How many octets were transmitted out of the interface, including those that deliver framing information.
outucastpkts count Field	How many packets for which the higher-level protocols requested transmission to a subnetwork-unicast address. The number includes those that were discarded or not sent.
Override Plug	Device that enables the operator to regain control of a module that has been locked by the No Remote Access feature, the 802.3 Link Disable feature, or a password or IP address that cannot be recalled. This device can be either fabricated on site or ordered.
PTP	See Point-to-Multipoint Protocol.
Point-to-Multipoint Protocol	Defined in RFC 2178, which specifies that data that originates from a central network element can be received by all other network elements, but data that originates from a non-central network element can be received by only the central network element. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc2178.html. Also referenced as PTP.

PPPoE	Point to Point Protocol over Ethernet. Supported on BHSs for operators who use PPPoE in other parts of their network operators who want to deploy PPPoE to realize per-subscriber authentication, metrics, and usage control.
PPTP	Point to Point Tunneling Protocol. One of several virtual private network implementations. Regardless of whether the Network Address Translation (NAT) feature enabled, Subscriber Modules support VPNs that are based on this protocol.
Protective Earth	Connection to earth (which has a charge of 0 volts). Also known as ground.
Proxy Server	Network computer that isolates another from the Internet. The proxy server communicates for the other computer, and sends replies to only the appropriate computer, which has an IP address that is not unique or not registered.
PTMP	See Point-to-Multipoint Protocol.
Quick Start	Interface page that requires minimal configuration for initial module operation.
Radio Signal Strength Indicator	Relative measure of the strength of a received signal. An acceptable link displays an Radio Signal Strength Indicator (RSSI) value of greater than 700.
Recharging	Resumed accumulation of data in available data space (buckets). See Buckets.
Reflection	Change of direction and reduction of amplitude of a signal that encounters an object larger than the wavelength. Reflection may cause an additional copy of the wavelength to arrive after the original, unobstructed wavelength arrives. This causes partial cancellation of the signal and may render the link unacceptable. However, in some instances where the direct signal cannot be received, the reflected copy may be received and render an otherwise unacceptable link acceptable.
Region Code	A parameter that offers multiple fixed selections, each of which automatically implements frequency band range restrictions for the selected region. Units shipped to regions other than the United States must be configured with the corresponding Region Code to comply with local regulatory requirements.
Registrations MIB	Management Information Base file that defines registrations for global items such as product identities and product components. See also Management Information Base.
RetransLimitExp Field	This field displays how many times the retransmit limit has expired.
RF	Radio frequency. How many times each second a cycle in the antenna occurs, from positive to negative and back to positive amplitude.
RJ-11	Standard cable that is typically used for telephone line or modem connection.
RJ-45	Standard cable that is typically used for Ethernet connection. This cable may be wired as straight-through or as crossover. Later modules auto-sense whether the cable is straight-through or crossover.
Router	Network element that uses the logical (IP) address of another to pass data to only the intended recipient. Compare to Switch and Bridge.

RSSI	Radio Signal Strength Indicator. A relative measure of the strength of a received signal. An acceptable link displays an RSSI value of greater than 700.
RxBabErr Field	This field displays how many receiver babble errors occurred.
RxOverrun Field	This field displays how many receiver overrun errors occurred on the Ethernet controller.
Secure Shell	A trademark of SSH Communications Security.
Self-interference	Interference with a module from another module in the same network.
SES/2	Third-from-right LED in the module. In the BHM Module, this LED is unused. In the operating mode for a Subscriber Module, this LED flashes on and off to indicate that the module is not registered. In the aiming mode for a Subscriber Module, this LED is part of a bar graph that indicates the quality of the RF link.
Simple Network Management Protocol	Standard that is used for communications between a program (agent) in the network and a network management station (monitor). Defined in RFC 1157. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc1157.html.
BHS	Customer premises equipment (CPE) device that extends network or Internet services by communication with an BHM Module or an BHM cluster.
BHS MIB	Management Information Base file that defines objects that are specific to the Subscriber Module. See also Management Information Base.
SNMP	See Simple Network Management Protocol, defined in RFC 1157.
SNMP Trap	Capture of information that informs the network monitor through Simple Network Management Protocol of a monitored occurrence in the module.
Static IP Address Assignment	Assignment of Internet Protocol address that can be changed only manually. Thus static IP address assignment requires more configuration time and consumes more of the available IP addresses than DHCP address assignment does. RFC 2050 provides guidelines for the static allocation of IP addresses. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc2050.html. See also DHCP.
Subnet Mask	32-bit binary number that filters an IP address to reveal what part identifies the network and what part identifies the host. The number of subnet mask bits that are set to 1 indicates how many leading bits of the IP address identify the network. The number of subnet mask bits that are set 0 indicate how many trailing bits of the IP address identify the host.
Subscriber Module	Customer premises equipment (CPE) device that extends network or Internet services by communication with an BHM Module or an BHM cluster.
Sustained Data Rate	Preset rate limit of data transfer.
Switch	Network element that uses the port that is associated with the physical address of another to pass data to only the intended recipient. Compare to Bridge and Router.

SYN/1	Second-from-right LED in the module. In the BHM Module or in a registered Subscriber, this LED is continuously lit to indicate the presence of sync. In the operating mode for a Subscriber Module, this LED flashes on and to indicate that the module is not registered.
Sync	GPS (Global Positioning System) absolute time, which is passed from one module to another. Sync enables timing that prevents modules from transmitting or receiving interference. Sync also provides correlative time stamps for troubleshooting efforts.
TCP	Alternatively known as Transmission Control Protocol or Transport Control Protocol. The Transport Layer in the TCP/IP protocol stack. This protocol is applied to assure that data packets arrive at the target network element and to control the flow of data through the Internet. Defined in RFC 793. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc793.html.
TDD	Time Division Duplexing. Synchronized data transmission with some time slots allocated to devices transmitting on the uplink and some to the device transmitting on the downlink.
telnet	Utility that allows a client computer to update a server. A firewall can prevent the use of the telnet utility to breach the security of the server. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc818.html, http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc854.html and http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc855.html.
Textual Conventions MIB	Management Information Base file that defines system-specific textual conventions. See also Management Information Base.
Tokens	Theoretical amounts of data. See also Buckets.
TOS	8-bit field in that prioritizes data in a IP transmission. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc1349.html.
TxUnderrun Field	This field displays how many transmission-underrun errors occurred on the Ethernet controller.
UDP	User Datagram Protocol. A set of Network, Transport, and Session Layer protocols that RFC 768 defines. These protocols include checksum and address information but does not retransmit data or process any errors. See http://www.faqs.org/rfcs/rfc768.html.
udp	User-defined type of port.
U-NII	Unlicensed National Information Infrastructure radio frequency band, in the 5.1-GHz through 5.8-GHz ranges.
VID	VLAN identifier. See also VLAN.
VLAN	Virtual local area network. An association of devices through software that contains broadcast traffic, as routers would, but in the switch-level protocol.
VPN	Virtual private network for communication over a public network. One typical use is to connect remote employees, who are at home or in a different city, to their corporate network over the Internet. Any of several VPN implementation schemes is possible. BHSs support L2TP over IPSec (Level 2 Tunneling Protocol over IP Security) VPNs and PPTP (Point to Point Tunneling Protocol) VPNs, regardless of whether the Network Address Translation (NAT) feature enabled.