

**EE6604**

**Personal & Mobile Communications**

Week 7

Path Loss Models

Shadowing

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# Okumura-Hata Model

$$L_p = \begin{cases} A + B \log_{10}(d) & \text{for urban area} \\ A + B \log_{10}(d) - C & \text{for suburban area} \\ A + B \log_{10}(d) - D & \text{for open area} \end{cases}$$

where

$$A = 69.55 + 26.16 \log_{10}(f_c) - 13.82 \log_{10}(h_b) - a(h_m)$$

$$B = 44.9 - 6.55 \log_{10}(h_b)$$

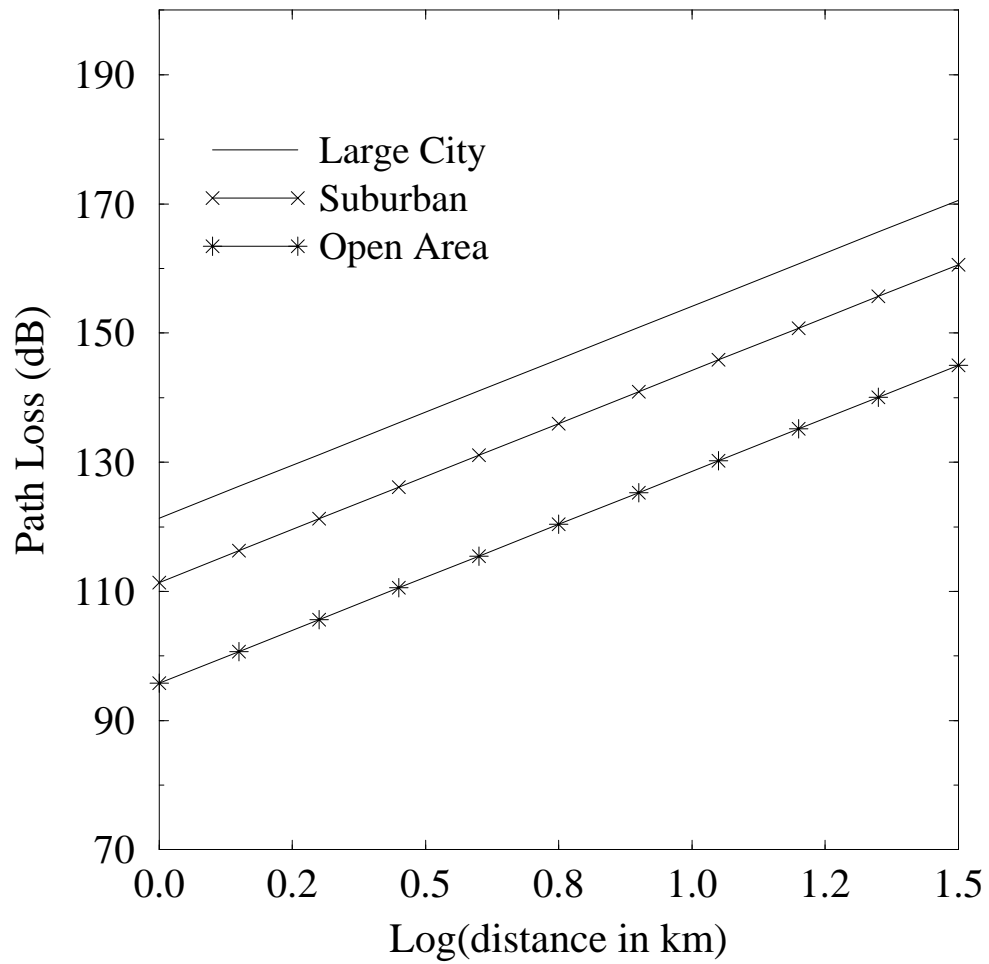
$$C = 5.4 + 2 [\log_{10}(f_c/28)]^2$$

$$D = 40.94 + 4.78 [\log_{10}(f_c)]^2 - 19.33 \log_{10}(f_c)$$

- Okumura and Hata's model is in terms of
  - carrier frequency  $150 \leq f_c \leq 1000$  (MHz)
  - BS antenna height  $30 \leq h_b \leq 200$  (m)
  - MS antenna height  $1 \leq h_m \leq 10$  (m)
  - distance  $1 \leq d \leq 20$  (km) between the BS and MS.
- The model is known to be accurate to within 1 dB for distances ranging from 1 to 20 km.

- The parameter  $a(h_m)$  is a “correction factor”

$$a(h_m) = \begin{cases} (1.1 \log_{10}(f_c) - 0.7) h_m - (1.56 \log_{10}(f_c) - 0.8) & \text{for medium or small city} \\ \begin{cases} 8.28 (\log_{10}(1.54h_m))^2 - 1.1 & \text{for } f_c \leq 200 \text{ MHz} \\ 3.2 (\log_{10}(11.75h_m))^2 - 4.97 & \text{for } f_c \geq 400 \text{ MHz} \end{cases} & \text{for large city} \end{cases}$$



*Path loss predicted by the Okumura-Hata model. Large city,  $f_c = 900$  MHz,  $h_b = 70$  m,  $h_m = 1.5$  m.*

# CCIR Model

- To account for varying degrees of urbanization, the CCIR (Comité International des Radio-Communication, now ITU-R) developed an empirical model for the path loss as:

$$L_p \text{ (dB)} = A + B \log_{10}(d) - E$$

where  $A$  and  $B$  are defined in the Okumura-Hata model with  $a(h_m)$  being the medium or small city value.

- The parameter  $E$  accounts for the degree of urbanization and is given by

$$E = 30 - 25 \log_{10}(\% \text{ of area covered by buildings})$$

where  $E = 0$  when the area is covered by approximately 16% buildings.

# Lee's Area-to-area Model

- Lee's area-to-area model is used to predict a path loss over flat terrain. If the actual terrain is not flat, e.g., hilly, there will be large prediction errors.
- Two parameters are required for Lee's area-to-area model; the power at a 1 mile (1.6 km) point of interception,  $\mu_{\Omega_p}(d_o)$ , and the path-loss exponent,  $\beta$ .
- The received signal power at distance  $d$  can be expressed as

$$\mu_{\Omega_p}(d) = \mu_{\Omega_p}(d_o) \left(\frac{d}{d_o}\right)^{-\beta} \left(\frac{f}{f_o}\right)^{-n} \alpha_0$$

or in decibel units

$$\mu_{\Omega_p} \text{ (dBm)}(d) = \mu_{\Omega_p} \text{ (dBm)}(d_o) - 10\beta \log_{10} \left(\frac{d}{d_o}\right) - 10n \log_{10} \left(\frac{f}{f_o}\right) + 10 \log_{10} \alpha_0 ,$$

where  $d$  is in units of kilometers and  $d_o = 1.6$  km.

- The parameter  $\alpha_0$  is a correction factor used to account for different BS and MS antenna heights, transmit powers, and antenna gains.

# Lee's Area-to-area Model

- The following set of *nominal* conditions are assumed in Lee's area-to-area model:
  - frequency  $f_o = 900$  MHz
  - BS antenna height = 30.48 m
  - BS transmit power = 10 watts
  - BS antenna gain = 6 dB above dipole gain
  - MS antenna height = 3 m
  - MS antenna gain = 0 dB above dipole gain
- If the actual conditions are different from those listed above, then we compute the following parameters:

$$\alpha_1 = \left( \frac{\text{BS antenna height (m)}}{30.48 \text{ m}} \right)^2$$

$$\alpha_2 = \left( \frac{\text{MS antenna height (m)}}{3 \text{ m}} \right)^\kappa$$

$$\alpha_3 = \frac{\text{transmitter power}}{10 \text{ watts}}$$

$$\alpha_4 = \frac{\text{BS antenna gain with respect to } \lambda_c/2 \text{ dipole}}{4}$$

$$\alpha_5 = \text{different antenna-gain correction factor at the MS}$$

# Lee's Area-to-area Model

- The parameters  $\beta$  and  $\mu_{\Omega_p}(d_o)$  have been found from empirical measurements, and are listed in the Table below.

<i>Terrain</i>	$\mu_{\Omega_p}(d_o)$ (dBm)	$\beta$
Free Space	-45	2
Open Area	-49	4.35
North American Suburban	-61.7	3.84
North American Urban (Philadelphia)	-70	3.68
North American Urban (Newark)	-64	4.31
Japanese Urban (Tokyo)	-84	3.05

- For  $f_c < 450$  MHz in a suburban or open area,  $n = 2$  is recommended. In an urban area with  $f_c > 450$  MHz,  $n = 3$  is recommended.
- The value of  $\kappa$  in is also determined from empirical data as

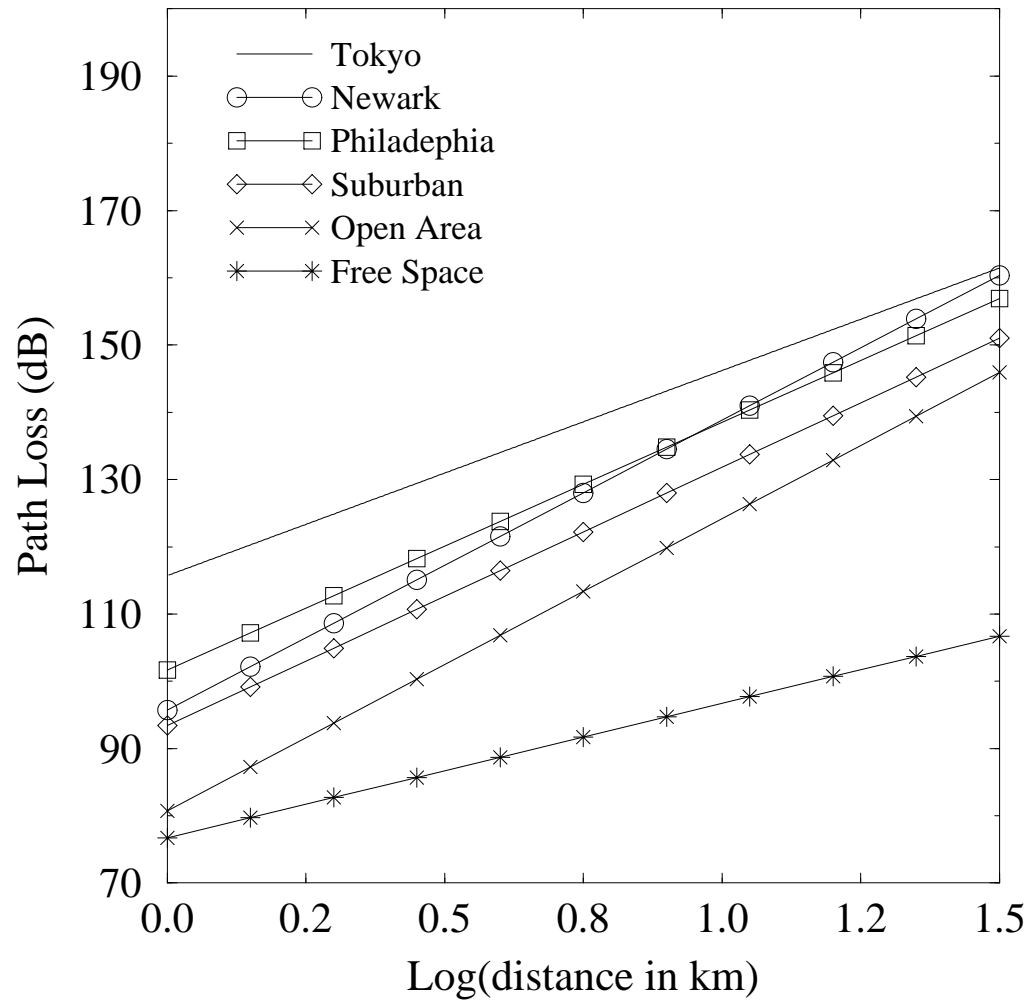
$$\kappa = \begin{cases} 2 & \text{for a MS antenna height} > 10 \text{ m} \\ 3 & \text{for a MS antenna height} < 3 \text{ m} \end{cases} .$$



# Lee's Area-to-area Model

- The path loss  $L_p$  (dB) is the difference between the transmitted and received field strengths,  $L_p$  (dB) =  $\mu_{\Omega_p}$  (dBm)( $d$ ) -  $\mu_{\Omega_t}$  (dBm).
- To compare with the Okumura-Hata model, we assume a half wave dipole BS antenna, so that  $\alpha_4 = -6$  dB.
- Then by using the same parameters as before,  $h_b = 70$  m,  $h_m = 1.5$ m,  $f_c = 900$  MHz, a nominal BS transmitter power of 40 dBm (10 watts), and the parameters in the Table for  $\mu_{\Omega_p}$  (dBm)( $d_o$ ) and  $\beta$ , the following path losses are obtained:

$$L_p$$
 (dB) =  $\left\{ \begin{array}{ll} 85.74 + 20.0 \log_{10} d & \text{Free Space} \\ 84.94 + 43.5 \log_{10} d & \text{Open Area} \\ 98.68 + 38.4 \log_{10} d & \text{Suburban} \\ 107.31 + 36.8 \log_{10} d & \text{Philadelphia} \\ 100.02 + 43.1 \log_{10} d & \text{Newark} \\ 122.59 + 30.5 \log_{10} d & \text{Tokyo} \end{array} \right.$



*Path loss obtained by using Lee's method;  $h_b = 70$  m,  $h_m = 1.5$  m,  $f_c = 900$  Mhz, and an isotropic BS antenna.*

# COST231-Hata Model

- COST231 models are for propagation in the PCS band.
- Path losses experienced at 1845 MHz are about 10 dB larger than those experienced at 955 MHz.
- The COST-231 Hata model for NLOS propagation is

$$L_p = A + B\log_{10}(d) + C$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} A &= 46.3 + 33.9\log_{10}(f_c) - 13.82\log_{10}(h_b) - a(h_m) \\ B &= 44.9 - 6.55\log_{10}(h_b) \\ C &= \begin{cases} 0 & \text{medium city and suburban areas} \\ & \text{with moderate tree density} \\ 3 & \text{for metropolitan centers} \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

# COST231-Walfish-Ikegami LOS Model

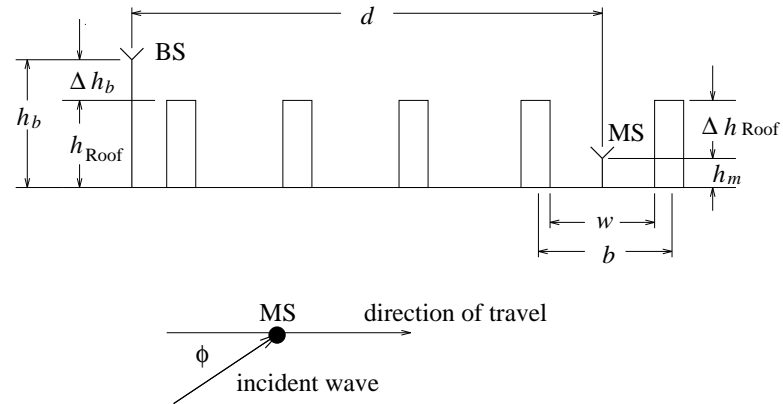
- For LOS propagation in a street canyon, the path loss is

$$L_p = 42.6 + 26\log_{10}(d) + 20\log_{10}(f_c), \quad d \geq 20 \text{ m}$$

where the first constant is chosen so that  $L_p$  is equal to the free-space path loss at a distance of 20 m.

- The model parameters are the distance  $d$  (km) and carrier frequency  $f_c$  (MHz).

# COST231-Walfish-Ikegami NLOS Model



*Definition of parameters used in the COST231-Walfish-Ikegami model.*

- For NLOS propagation, the path loss is composed of three terms, viz.,

$$L_p = \begin{cases} L_o + L_{rts} + L_{msd} & \text{for } L_{rts} + L_{msd} \geq 0 \\ L_o & \text{for } L_{rts} + L_{msd} < 0 \end{cases}$$

- The free-space loss is

$$L_o = 32.4 + 20\log_{10}(d) + 20\log_{10}(f_c)$$

- The roof-top-to-street diffraction and scatter loss is

$$L_{rts} = -16.9 - 10\log_{10}(w) + 10\log_{10}(f_c) + 20\log_{10}\Delta h_m + L_{ori}$$

where

$$L_{ori} = \begin{cases} -10 + 0.354(\phi) , & 0 \leq \phi \leq 35^\circ \\ 2.5 + 0.075(\phi - 35) , & 35 \leq \phi \leq 55^\circ \\ 4.0 - 0.114(\phi - 55) , & 55 \leq \phi \leq 90^\circ \end{cases}$$

$$\Delta h_m = h_{\text{Roof}} - h_m$$

- The multi-screen diffraction loss is

$$L_{\text{msd}} = L_{\text{bsh}} + k_a + k_d \log_{10}(d) + k_f \log_{10}(f_c) - 9 \log_{10}(b)$$

where

$$L_{\text{bsh}} = \begin{cases} -18 \log_{10}(1 + \Delta h_b) & h_b > h_{\text{Roof}} \\ 0 & h_b \leq h_{\text{Roof}} \end{cases}$$

$$k_a = \begin{cases} 54, & h_b > h_{\text{Roof}} \\ 54 - 0.8 \Delta h_b, & d \geq 0.5 \text{km and } h_b \leq h_{\text{Roof}} \\ 54 - 0.8 \Delta h_b d / 0.5, & d < 0.5 \text{km and } h_b \leq h_{\text{Roof}} \end{cases}$$

$$k_d = \begin{cases} 18, & h_b > h_{\text{Roof}} \\ 18 - 15 \Delta h_b / h_{\text{Roof}}, & h_b \leq h_{\text{Roof}} \end{cases}$$

$$k_f = -4 + \begin{cases} 0.7(f_c/925 - 1), & \text{medium city and suburban} \\ 1.5(f_c/925 - 1), & \text{metropolitan area} \end{cases}$$

and

$$\Delta h_b = h_b - h_{\text{Roof}} .$$

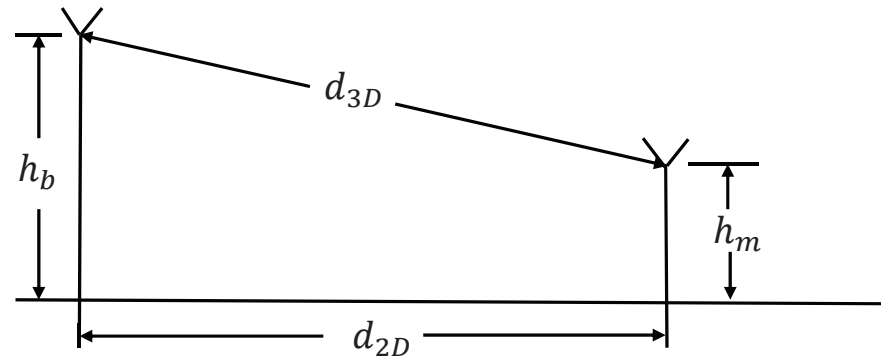
- $k_a$  is the increase in path loss for BS antennas below the roof tops of adjacent buildings.
- $k_d$  and  $k_f$  control the dependency of the multi-screen diffraction loss on the distance and frequency, respectively.
- The model is valid for the following ranges of parameters,  $800 \leq f_c \leq 2000$  (MHz),  $4 \leq h_b \leq 50$  (m),  $1 \leq h_m \leq 3$  (m), and  $0.02 \leq d \leq 5$  (km).
- The following default values are recommended,  $b = 20 \dots 50$  (m),  $w = b/2$ ,  $\phi = 90^\circ$ , and  $h_{\text{Roof}} = 3 \times \text{number of floors} + \text{roof}$  (m), where roof = 3 (m) pitched and 0 (m) flat.



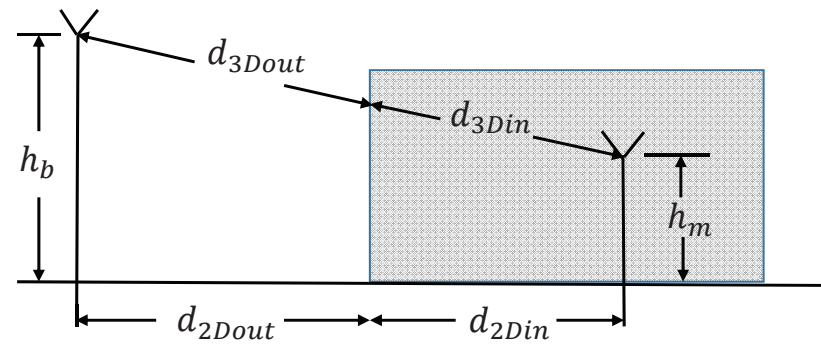
# 3GPP 3-D Path Loss Models

- The 3GPP path loss models are valid from 2 to 6 GHz for different BS and MS antenna heights.
- The 3GPP path loss models are categorized into urban macrocell (UMa) and urban micro-cell (UMi) cases, corresponding to BS antenna heights of 25 m or less and 25 m or more, respectively.
- The UMa and UMi cases are further categorized into LoS, NLoS, and outdoor-to-indoor scenarios.
- The distance definitions are defined below for outdoor scenarios and for outdoor-indoor scenarios.

# 3GPP 3-D Path Loss Model Distance Definitions



*Definition of  $d_{2D}$  and  $d_{3D}$  for outdoor mobile stations.*



*Definition of  $d_{2Dout}$ ,  $d_{2Din}$ ,  $d_{3Dout}$  and  $d_{3Din}$  for indoor mobile stations.*

# LoS Probability

- The various 3GPP path loss models make use of the probability of LoS condition. For microcells and outdoor MSs, the probability of LoS is

$$P_{\text{LoS}} = \min(18/d_{2D}, 1)(1 - e^{-d_{2D}/36}) + e^{-d_{2D}/36}$$

- For microcells and indoor MSs, the above formula is used with  $d_{2D}$  replaced by  $d_{2Dout}$ .
- For macrocells and outdoor MSs, the probability of LoS is

$$P_{\text{LoS}} = \left( \min(18/d_{2D}, 1)(1 - e^{-d_{2D}/63}) + e^{-d_{2D}/63} \right) (1 + C(d_{2D}, h_m))$$

where

$$C(d_{2D}, h_m) = \begin{cases} 0 & , h_m < 13 \text{ m} \\ \left(\frac{h_m-13}{10}\right)^{1.5} g(d_{2D}) & , 13 \text{ m} \leq h_m \leq 23 \text{ m} \end{cases}$$

and

$$g(d_{2D}) = \begin{cases} (1.25e^{-6})d_{2D}^2 e^{d_{2D}/150} & , d_{2D} > 18 \text{ m} \\ 0 & , \text{ otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- For macrocells and indoor MSs, the above formulas are used with  $d_{2D}$  replaced by  $d_{2Dout}$ .

# 3GPP 3D-UMa LoS

- For macrocells with LoS conditions

$$L_{\text{UMaLoS}} \text{ (dB)} = 22.0 \log_{10}(d_{3D}) + 28.0 + 20 \log_{10}(f_c) , \quad 10 \text{ m} < d_{2D} < d_{BP}$$

$$L_{\text{UMaLoS}} \text{ (dB)} = 40 \log_{10}(d_{3D}) + 28.0 + 20 \log_{10}(f_c) - 9 \log_{10} \left( d_{BP}^2 + (h_b - h_m)^2 \right) , \\ d_{BP} < d_{2D} < 5000 \text{ m}; \quad h_b = 25 \text{ m}; \quad 1.5 \text{ m} \leq h_m \leq 22.5 \text{ m}$$

- The break point distance is given by  $d_{BP} = 4h_b h_m f_c / c$  corresponding to the last local maxima in the flat earth model. In the 3D-UMa scenario the effective antenna heights  $h_b$  and  $h_m$  are computed as follows:  $h_b = \hat{h}_b - h_E$ ,  $h_m = \hat{h}_m - h_E$ , where  $\hat{h}_b$  and  $\hat{h}_m$  are the actual antenna heights, and the effective environment height  $h_E$  depends on the link between a BS and a MS. For LoS links,  $h_E = 1 \text{ m}$  with probability  $1/(1 + C(d_{2D}, h_m))$ , where the function  $C(d_{2D}, h_m)$  is defined earlier. Otherwise,  $h_E$  is chosen from a discrete uniform distribution on the set  $\{12, 15, \dots, (h_m - 1.5)\}$ .
- The shadow standard deviation is  $\sigma_\Omega = 4 \text{ dB}$ .

# 3GPP 3D-UMa NLoS

- For macrocells with NLoS conditions

$$L_{\text{UMaNLoS}} \text{ (dB)} = \max \left\{ L_{\text{UMaNLoS}} \text{ (dB)}, L_{\text{UMaLoS}} \text{ (dB)} \right\} ,$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} L_{\text{UMaNLoS}} \text{ (dB)} = & 161.04 - 7.1 \log_{10}(W) + 7.5 \log_{10}(h_{\text{build}}) \\ & - \left( 24.37 - 3.7(h_{\text{build}}/h_b)^2 \right) \log_{10}(h_b) \\ & + (43.42 - 3.1 \log_{10}(h_b)) (\log_{10}(d_{3D}) - 3) \\ & + 20 \log_{10}(f_c) - \left( 3.2(\log_{10}(17.625))^2 - 4.97 \right) - 0.6(h_m - 1.5) \end{aligned}$$

and

$$10 \text{ m} < d_{2D} < 5,000 \text{ m}$$

$h_{\text{build}}$  = average building height

$W$  = street width

$$h_b = 25 \text{ m}, 1.5 \text{ m} \leq h_m \leq 22.5 \text{ m}, W = 20 \text{ m}, h_{\text{build}} = 20 \text{ m}$$

Applicable ranges:

$$5 \text{ m} < h_{\text{build}} < 50 \text{ m}$$

$$5 \text{ m} < W < 50 \text{ m}$$

$$10 \text{ m} < h_b < 150 \text{ m}$$

$$1.5 \text{ m} \leq h_m \leq 22.5 \text{ m}$$

- The shadow standard deviation is  $\sigma_{\Omega} = 6$  dB.

# 3GPP 3D-UMa O-to-I

- For macrocells with outdoor-to-indoor conditions

$$L_{\text{UMaO-to-I}} \text{ (dB)} = L_{\text{b}} \text{ (dB)} + L_{\text{tw}} \text{ (dB)} + L_{\text{in}} \text{ (dB)}$$

For a hexagonal cell layout:

$$L_{\text{b}} \text{ (dB)} = L_{\text{UMa}} \text{ (dB)}(d_{3D\text{-out}} + d_{3D\text{-in}})$$

$$L_{\text{tw}} \text{ (dB)} = 20 \text{ (loss through wall)}$$

$$L_{\text{in}} \text{ (dB)} = 0.5d_{2D\text{-in}} \text{ (inside loss)}$$

where

$$10 \text{ m} < d_{2D\text{-out}} + d_{2D\text{-in}} < 1000 \text{ m}$$

$$0 \text{ m} < d_{2D\text{-in}} < 25 \text{ m}$$

$$h_b = 25 \text{ m}, h_m = 3(n_{fl} - 1) + 1.5, \quad n_{fl} = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8$$

$d_{2D\text{-in}}$  is assumed uniformly distributed between 0 and 25 .

- The shadow standard deviation is  $\sigma_{\Omega} = 7$  dB.
- The building penetration loss (BPL) or “loss through wall” in the 3GPP 3D-UMa O-to-I model is 20 dB. However, this will vary greatly depending on the building. Moreover, the building penetration loss increases with frequency. An empirical BPL model is

$$\text{BPL}_{\text{(dB)}} = 10 \log_{10} \left( A + B f_c^2 \right),$$

where  $f_c$  is the frequency in GHz,  $A = 5$  and  $B = 0.03$  for low loss buildings and  $A = 10$  and  $B = 5$  for high loss buildings.

# 3GPP 3D-UMi LoS, NLoS and 3D-UMi O-to-I

- The microcell LoS path loss is the same as the macrocell LoS path loss  $L_{\text{UMaLoS}}$  (dB), except that  $h_E = 1$  m with probability one and the shadow standard deviation is  $\sigma_\Omega = 3$  dB.
- For NLoS and a hexagonal cell layout

$$L_{\text{UMiNLoS}} \text{ (dB)} = \max \left\{ L_{\text{UMiNLoS}} \text{ (dB)}, L_{\text{UMiLoS}} \text{ (dB)} \right\} \text{ ,}$$

where

$$L_{\text{UMiNLoS}} \text{ (dB)} = 36.7 \log_{10}(d_{3D}) + 22.7 + 26 \log_{10}(fc) - 0.3(h_m - 1.5)$$

$$10 \text{ m} < d_{2D} < 2000 \text{ m}$$

$$h_b = 10 \text{ m}$$

$$1.5 \text{ m} \leq h_m \leq 22.5 \text{ m}$$

The shadow standard deviation is  $\sigma_\Omega = 4$  dB.

- The microcell outdoor-to-indoor path loss is the same as the macrocell outdoor-to-indoor path loss  $L_{\text{UMaO-to-I}}$  (dB), except that  $h_b = 10$  m instead of  $h_b = 25$  m. The shadow standard deviation remains at  $\sigma_\Omega = 7$  dB.

# Shadowing

- Shadows are very often modeled as being log-normally distributed.
- Let

$$\begin{aligned}\Omega_v &= \text{E}[\alpha(t)], & \mu_{\Omega_v} &= \text{E}[\Omega_v] \\ \Omega_p &= \text{E}[\alpha^2(t)], & \mu_{\Omega_p} &= \text{E}[\Omega_p]\end{aligned}$$

- Then distributions of  $\Omega_v$  and  $\Omega_p$  are

$$\begin{aligned}p_{\Omega_v}(x) &= \frac{2\xi}{x\sigma_\Omega\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left\{-\frac{\left(10\log_{10}x^2 - \mu_{\Omega_v} \text{ (dBm)}\right)^2}{2\sigma_\Omega^2}\right\} \\ p_{\Omega_p}(x) &= \frac{\xi}{x\sigma_\Omega\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left\{-\frac{\left(10\log_{10}x - \mu_{\Omega_p} \text{ (dBm)}\right)^2}{2\sigma_\Omega^2}\right\}\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}\mu_{\Omega_v} \text{ (dBm)} &= 10\text{E}[\log_{10}\Omega_v^2] \\ \mu_{\Omega_p} \text{ (dBm)} &= 10\text{E}[\log_{10}\Omega_p]\end{aligned}$$

and  $\xi = \ln 10/10$ .



# Shadowing

- By using a transformation of random variables,  $\Omega_v$  (dBm) =  $10\log_{10}\Omega_v^2$  and  $\Omega_p$  (dBm) =  $10\log_{10}\Omega_p$  have the Gaussian densities

$$p_{\Omega_v \text{ (dBm)}}(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_\Omega} \exp\left\{-\frac{(x - \mu_{\Omega_v \text{ (dBm)}})^2}{2\sigma_\Omega^2}\right\}$$

$$p_{\Omega_p \text{ (dBm)}}(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_\Omega} \exp\left\{-\frac{(x - \mu_{\Omega_p \text{ (dBm)}})^2}{2\sigma_\Omega^2}\right\}.$$

- Note that the standard deviation  $\sigma_\Omega$  of  $\Omega_v$  (dBm) and  $\Omega_p$  (dBm) are the same. However, for Rician fading channels the means differ by

$$\mu_{\Omega_p \text{ (dBm)}} = \mu_{\Omega_v \text{ (dBm)}} + 10 \cdot \log_{10}C(K)$$

where

$$C(K) = \frac{4e^{2K}(K+1)}{\pi {}_1F_1^2(3/2, 1; K)}$$

${}_1F_1(\cdot, \cdot; \cdot)$  is the confluent hypergeometric function (see Chap. 2, Appendix 3).

- Note that  $C(0) = 4/\pi$ ,  $C(\infty) = 1$ , and  $1 \leq C(K) \leq 4/\pi$  for  $0 \leq K \leq \infty$ .

# Shadow Simulation

- Shadows can be modelled by low-pass filtering white noise.
  - Here we suggest a first-order low pass digital filter.
- In a discrete-time simulation, the local mean  $\Omega_{k+1}$  (dBm) at step  $k + 1$  is generated recursively as follows:

$$\Omega_{k+1} \text{ (dBm)} = \xi \Omega_k \text{ (dBm)} + (1 - \xi)v_k$$

- $k$  is the step index.
  - $\{v_k\}$  is a sequence of independent zero-mean Gaussian random variables with variance  $\tilde{\sigma}^2$ .
  - $\xi$  controls the shadow correlation
- The autocorrelation function of  $\Omega_k$  (dBm) can be derived as:

$$\phi_{\Omega_{\text{(dBm)}}\Omega_{\text{(dBm)}}}(n) = \frac{1 - \xi}{1 + \xi} \tilde{\sigma}^2 \xi^{|n|}$$

- The variance of log-normal shadowing is

$$\sigma_{\Omega}^2 = \phi_{\Omega(\text{dBm})\Omega(\text{dBm})}(0) = \frac{1 - \xi}{1 + \xi} \tilde{\sigma}^2$$

- Consequently, we can express the autocorrelation of  $\Omega_k$  as

$$\phi_{\Omega(\text{dBm})\Omega(\text{dBm})}(n) = \sigma_{\Omega}^2 \xi^{|n|}$$

- Notice that the shadows decorrelated exponentially with the time lag in the autocorrelation function.

- Suppose we use discrete-time simulation, where each simulation step corresponds to  $T$  seconds.

- For a mobile station traveling at velocity  $v$ , the distance traveled in  $T$  seconds is  $vT$  meters.
- Let  $\xi_D$  be the shadow correlation between two points separated by a spatial distance of  $D$  meters.
- Then the time autocorrelation of the shadowing is

$$\phi_{\Omega(\text{dBm})\Omega(\text{dBm})}(n) \equiv \phi_{\Omega(\text{dBm})\Omega(\text{dBm})}(nT) = \sigma_{\Omega}^2 \xi_D^{(vT/D)|n|}$$

- Measurements in Stockholm have shown  $\xi_D = 0.1$  for  $D = 30$  meters (roughly). However, this can vary greatly depending on local topography.