



Comtech Systems, Inc.

- Subsidiary of Comtech Telecom (CMTL-NASDAQ)
- Provide communications systems integration and networks around the world
- Established 1959, Based in Orlando FL



**We are the world leader in Tropospheric Scatter (“Tropo”) Communications:
Long Range, Non-satellite, high data rate communications**

Key Takeaway: Right now we have the smallest, most advanced long-range microwave communications system on the planet- COMET as part of our systems integration tool kit.

Comtech Systems Key Capabilities

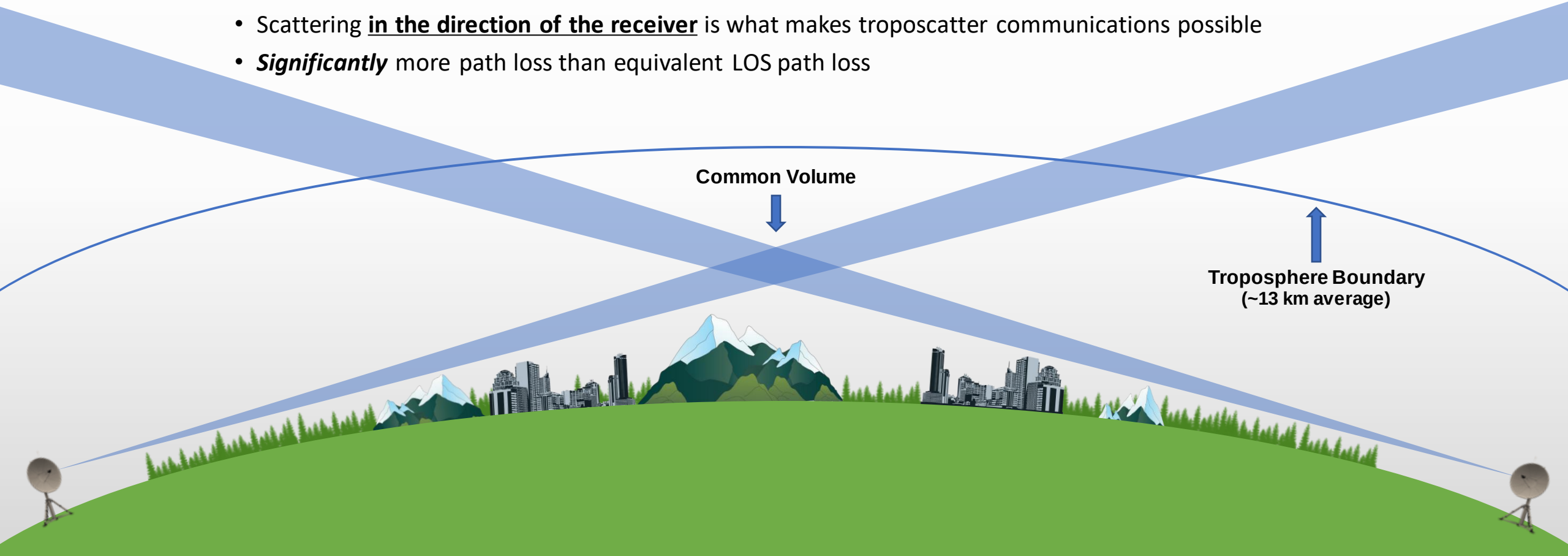
- Provides communications and networks to remote areas or locations where infrastructure is disrupted or destroyed
- Space denied, secure communications technology
- Provides high data rate comms connection (including Full Motion Video) over the horizon without a mast
- Bounces signal off sky, bends over mountains, and refracts through buildings
- Difficult to detect or intercept, functions when transmitting very low power.
- Smallest systems are airline checkable. Draws less power than a desktop computer.
- Works over land or sea
- Roadmap- airborne platform capable for satellite independent video and data transmission



Troposcatter: How it Works

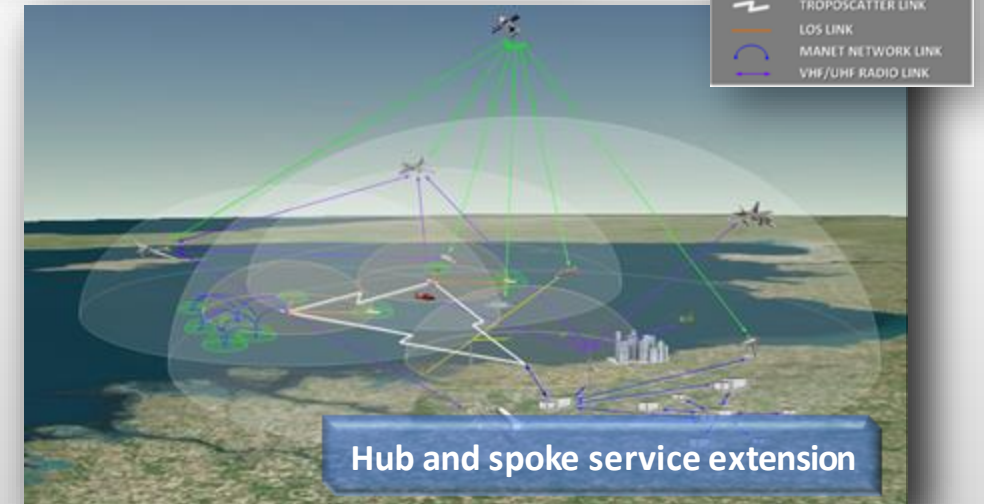
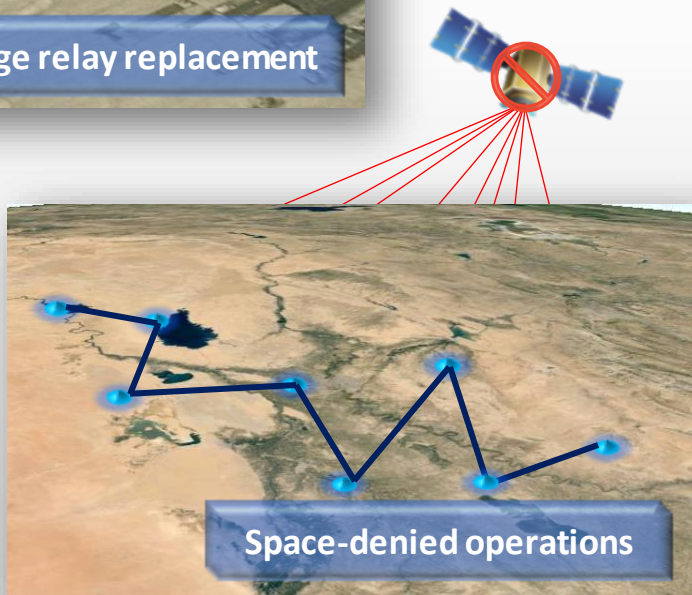
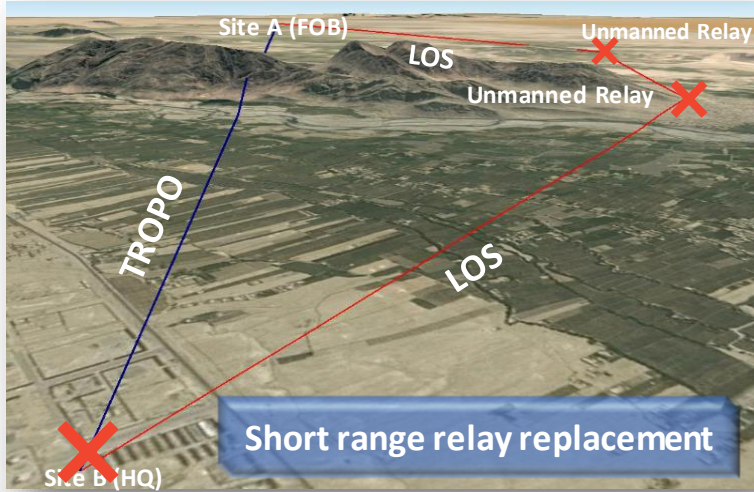
Troposcatter Communications uses the properties of the troposphere to complete a Beyond Line-of-Sight Link

- Signal energy scatters in all directions, much of it passes into space
- Scattering **in the direction of the receiver** is what makes troposcatter communications possible
- ***Significantly*** more path loss than equivalent LOS path loss



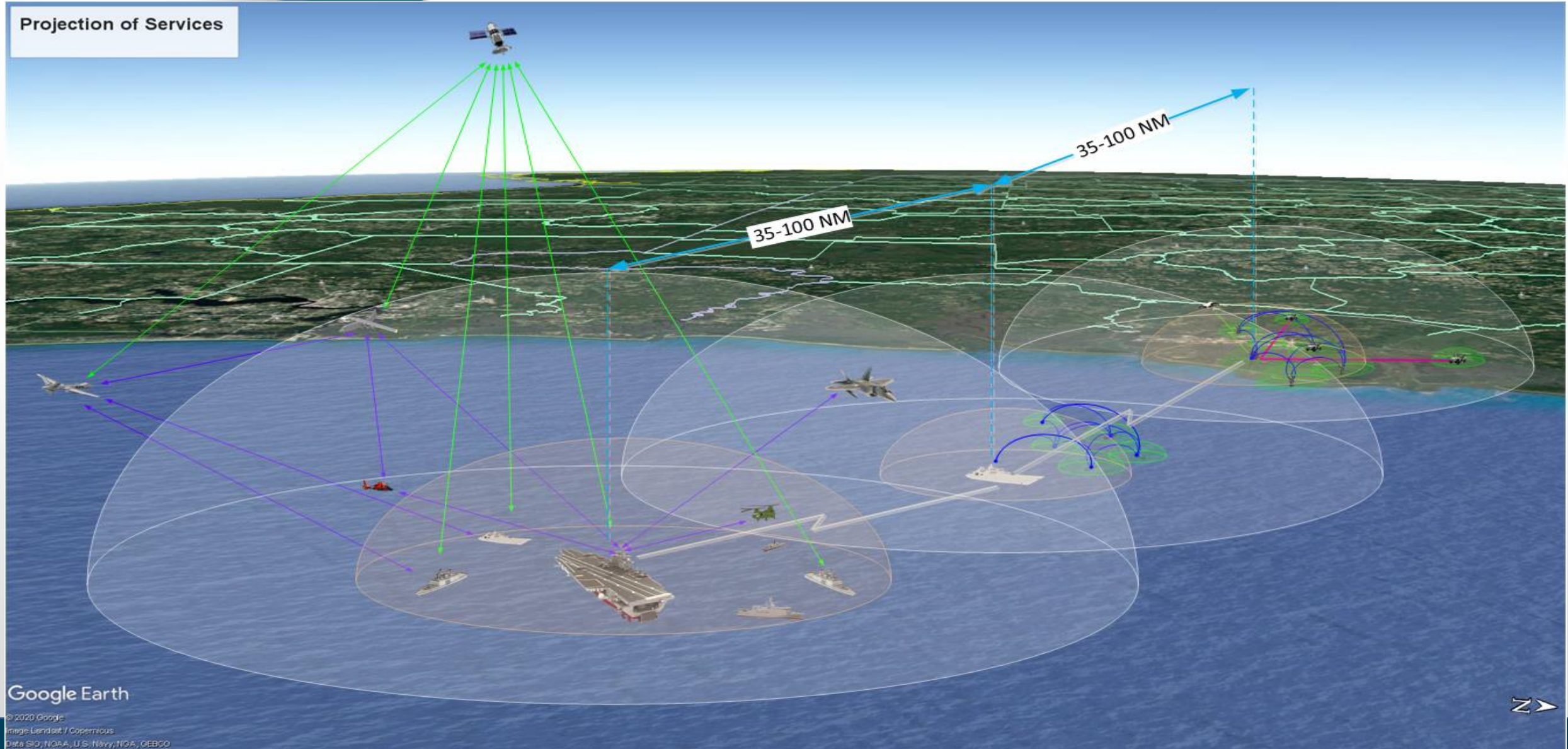
Real World Use Cases for Troposcatter

Multi-Mission



Over the Horizon Communications & Projection of Network Services

Projection of Services



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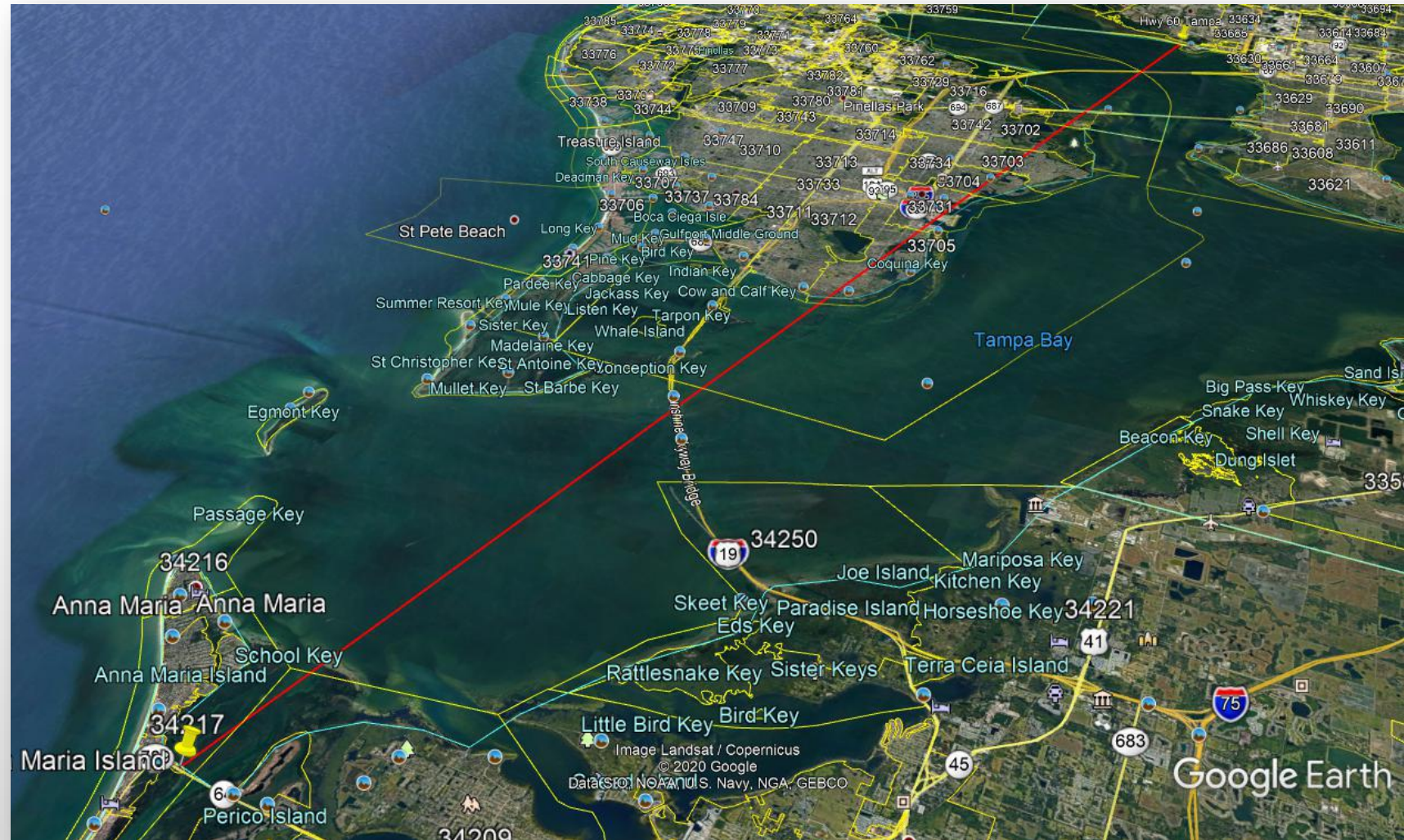
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COMET®

One-Person 15 Minute Setup

COMET Demo 10/7/2020- Joint Communications Support Element, Tampa FL

- **Site A:** Whiskey Joes, 7720 W. Courtney Campbell Causeway, Tampa, FL 33607
- 27.969184° -82.575294°
- AZ: 199.15 EL: 0
- **Site B:** Hwy 64 Anna Maria IS.
- 27.497546° -82.702948°
- AZ: 18.95 EL: 0



COMET Demo 10/7/2020

Path Length

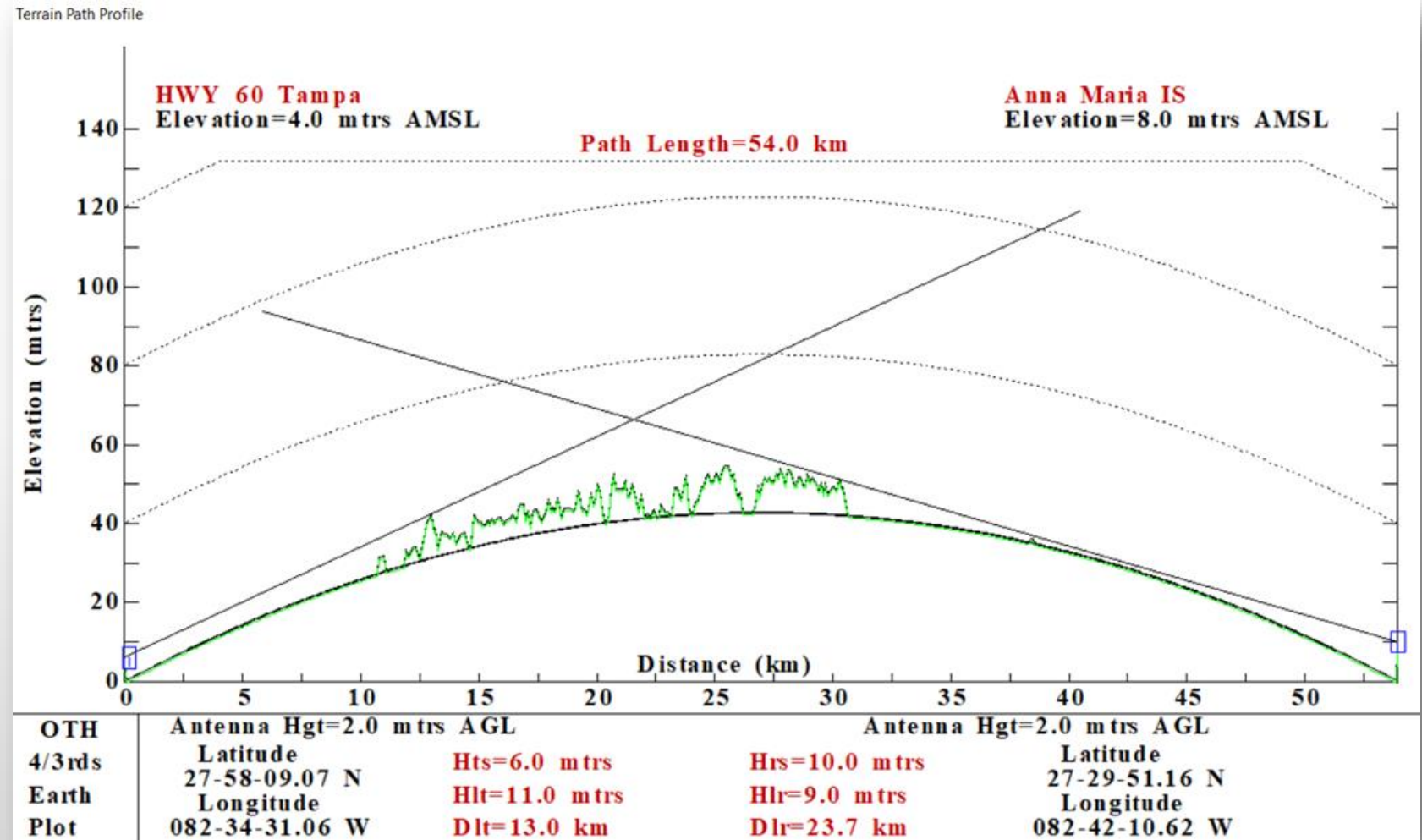
- 54 km/33.5miles

Terrain:

- Link crossed land, city of St Petersburg, and Tampa Bay.

Expected Throughput:

- 75 Mb/s Single Stream
- 100 Mb/s Dual Stream



COMET Link Results

- TX @ 4 Watts 150 Mb/s Data Throughput
- TX @ 1 Watt 100 Mb/s Data Throughput
- TX @ 0.1 Watt 50 Mb/s Data Throughput



Anna Maria IS.



Courtney Campbell Causeway

CS67PLUS Troposcatter Radio

- Industry's fully software defined troposcatter radio (SDR)
- Tunable from 950MHz to 5.9GHz with zero IF (Baseband to RF no intermediate frequency)
- Supports Single, Dual and Quad Diversity
- Modulation BPSK, QPSK, 8 APSK, 16 APSK, 32 APSK and 64APSK
- Four different Symbol Rates to control channel size
- Throughput up to 105 Mb/s Single Stream, 210 Mb/s Dual Stream
- Asymmetric throughput capability
- User chooses automatic Adaptive Coding Modulation (ACM) or Constant Coding Modulation (CCM)
- Low Density Parity Check (LDPC) and Forward Error Correction (FEC)
- Adaptive Link Power Control (ALPC)
- GZIP Data Compression (for unencrypted data)



CS67PLUS Troposcatter Radio

Environmental Characteristics

Operating Temp: -40 to +60 deg C

Storage Temp: -50 to +85 deg C

Humidity: MIL-STD-810F, Method 507.4

Altitude: 3000 m Operating, 12000 m Storage

Shock and Vibration: MIL-STD-810F

Salt/Fog/Fungus: As encountered in coastal regions

Network Characteristics

10/100/1000 Ethernet Interfaces

Layer 2 Protocol aware

IEEE 802.1Q

SNMPv3

M&C and User traffic separation by VLAN

Provides interface for GUI

Physical Characteristics

Weight: 5.1 lbs / 2.3 kg

IP66 Outdoor Design

RF Input/Outputs: SMA(F)

Clock Inputs: SMA(F)

Dual/Redundant Radio Modules

Electrical Characteristics

Tuning Range: 950MHz – 6.0 GHz

Adaptive Link Power Control

Adaptive Coding and Modulation (with AI)

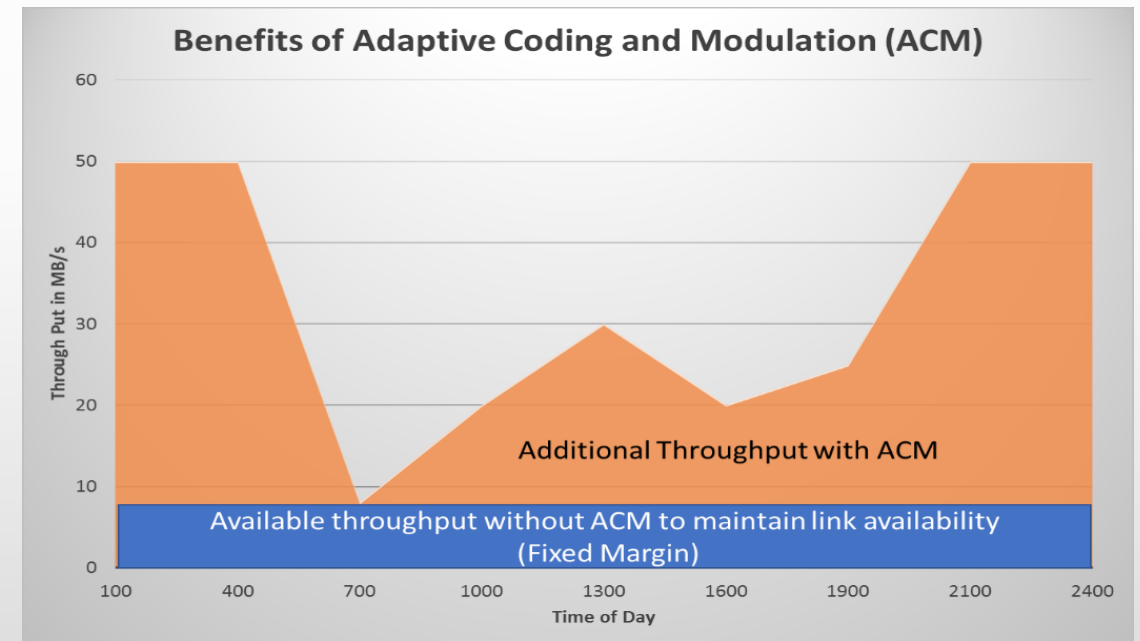
Adaptive Equalization

Diversity Combining

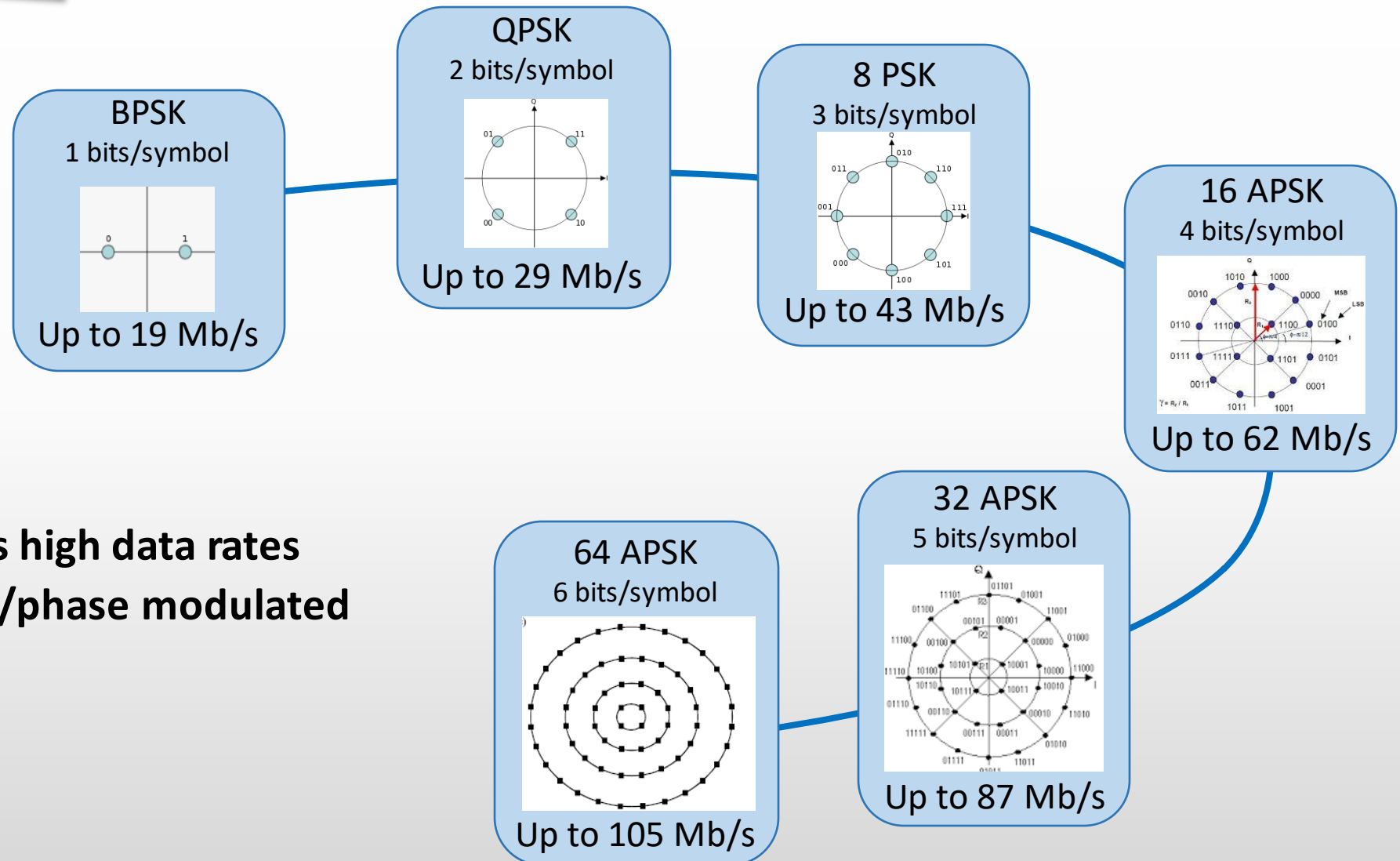
AES Encryption Capability

CS67PLUS Adaptive Coding Modulation (ACM)

- Traditional Troposcatter design is based on throughput during worst-case conditions - additional link margin is available at least 95% of the time
- ACM takes advantage of the additional link margin to increase data throughput of troposcatter links
 - **Link will support higher data rates most of the time**
 - **ACM takes advantage of available SNR margin**
- With the ability to maximize throughput under all conditions ACM achieves the maximum throughput, network efficiency, and availability.



CS67PLUS Unique Modulation (“M”-ary APSK)



CS67PLUS achieves high data rates with an amplitude/phase modulated single carrier.

Thank You!

