**ABSTRACT** 

In the development of information technology and communication today, FTTH

network will be a communication network that is more reliable to use today, where people

today need faster data transmission and wider bandwidth for communication access. A

Gigabit Passive Optical Network (GPON) technology is able to achieve a highly reliable due

to the high bitrates of up to 2,5 Gbps for downstream and 1,25 Gbps downstream for

upstream. GPON is not the only factor affecting performance FTTH network, another factor

that affect the performance is the location of the modulation on the transmitter side of the

network.

Modulation is the process of converting the signals into specific shapes in order to be

transmitted to the destination. Based on layout of the modulation, light in optical fibers can

be modulated directly and externally. In the direct modulation light will be modulated in the

light source device, while the external modulation of light to be modulated beyond the light

sources. This research analyzes the feasibility of network parameters such as link power

budget, rise time budget. And Signal to Noise Ratio (SNR), Bit Error Rate (BER), and eye

diagrams obtained from the simulation results with Optisystem software.

This research simulate the network based on map of Batunggal Residence at ODC

FBG and one distribution from FBG 43 to FBG 54. The network uses a transmitter with

direct and external modulation according to the specifications from the datasheet. At the end

of the research obtained the output power of direct modulation is 2,388 dBm greater than the

external modulation is 0.934 dBm. And on the power link budget analysis at the direct and

external modulation at the nearest and farthest distances obtained receiver power greater

than detector sensitivty by -28 dBm. For the rise time budget analysis on both modulation

also meet eligibility because it is below the maximum limit t<sub>total</sub> of NRZ is 0.28 ns. SNR

obtained in both modulation also remained above the threshold SNR at 21.5 dBm. And BER

are obtained on the external modulation is much better than direct modulation modulation

but both is still feasible because BER is still below the maximum limit BER of 10<sup>-9</sup>.

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