

# RX1 Modulated Input

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## Introduction

It has been quite some number of years since I dealt with Modulators and Receivers, so I did struggle a little with this recently, these are some notes of the values I used, just to get a Mod/Demod setup going.

## Hardware Connections

See below for the connection method between the AVP and the RX1.



The Monitor F-Type output of the AVP is connected directly to the RF input of the RX1 (RX4 is on the left). There is no up-convertor or attenuator in use.

## AVP Output Parameters

Below is the output settings I used on the AVP Modulator.

Satellite Modulator

Output Parameters	Modulation Parameters	Input Parameters	Carrier ID																		
RF Carrier ID State	On																				
Output Select	<input type="radio"/> IF <input checked="" type="radio"/> L-Band																				
Output State	<input type="radio"/> On (Nominal Power) <input checked="" type="radio"/> On (Reduced Power) <input type="radio"/> Off																				
Output Power-up State	<input type="radio"/> On (Reduced Power) <input type="radio"/> Off <input checked="" type="radio"/> Last State																				
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## Output Parameters

RF Carrier ID State	On (don't confuse this with Modulation on)
Output Select	L-Band
Output State	On Reduced Power (we don't want to overload the RX1 input)
Output Power-up State	(Last State)

## L-Band Output

Frequency Input Mode	L-Band Frequency
L-Band Frequency	1070 MHz
Reduced L-Band Line-up Power	-5
Nominal L-Band Power	-10
L-Band Spectrum Sense	Inverted
L-Band Tilt	0
L-Band Up-converter Frequency	2500 MHz
Upconverter Power	Off
Upconverter Reference	Of

The settings on this page determine what frequency you are transmitting on.

## AVP Modulation Parameters

Below is the Modulation settings I used on the AVP Modulator.

Satellite Modulator

Output Parameters	Modulation Parameters	Input Parameters	Carrier ID
Modulation Standard	DVB-S2		
Modulation State	On		
Modulation	8PSK		
FEC Rate	3/4		
Frame Size	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Normal <input type="radio"/> Short		
Pilots	Off		
NCR Stamping PID	8191	[ 0 - 8191 ]	
Symbol Mapping Mode	<input type="radio"/> Peak Power <input checked="" type="radio"/> Mean Power		
PL Scrambling Sequence Number	0	[ 0 - 262141 ]	
Symbol Rate	31.25	Msymbol/s [ 0.132 - 66 ]	
Roll-off Factor	20 percent		
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PL Scrambling Sequence Number	0
Symbol Rate	31.25
Roll-off Factor	20%
Bandwidth	37.5 Mhz (Auto Calculated from the above modulation settings)

The settings on this page determine the amount of bandwidth that is available, in this case it is 37.5 Mhz.

## RX1 Input Settings

See Below for the RX1 Demodulation settings.

**Parameters****Input**

Decrypt

Decoding

Output

**Redundancy mode**

Active active (switch on failure)

**Input loss timeout**

100 ms

**Primary****Secondary****Input type**

Satellite

**Status**

Service has exclusive use of source

**Source**

RF 4

**LNB****LNB frequency**

5150

MHz

**LNB voltage**

voltage off

**22kHz****Tuner****Frequency**

4080

MHz

**Symbol rate**

31.25

MSym/s

**Search range**

10000

kHz

**C/N margin alarm**

2.0

dB

**MIS enable****MIS stream ID**

1

**Gold code**

0

**Input Type**  
Source

Satellite  
RF4 (in this example)

**LNB****LNB Frequency**

5150

**LNB Voltage**

(voltage off) this is because we don't actually have an LNB in our system.

**22kHz**

not selected, same reason as above.

**Tuner****Frequency**

4080 (5150-4080=1070. 1070 is the L-Band Freq we set in the AVP)

**Symbol Rate**

31.25

**Search Range**

10000

C/N margin alarm 2.0

Everything else off.

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