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Feedforward Linearization of Analog Modulated Laser Diodes--Theoretical Analysis and Experimental Verification

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This paper discusses feedforward linearization of directly modulated laser diodes for AM CATV lightwave transmission systems. Theoretical simulation and experimental results are presented showing a distortion cancellation of better than 20 dB over 850 MHz bandwidth. An investigation regarding tolerance and possible dispersion penalty in the system is performed. A noise analysis is presented including the theoretical examination of laser relative intensity noise (RIN) reduction by feedforward compensation.

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