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## INTRODUCTION

This document provides information on the current and latest applications for antenna measurement using radio-over-fibre technology. Antenna gain and antenna pattern measurement systems are covered, which are practically in use or will be used soon. It will be beneficial to system developers and system users in the fields of antenna measurement. As a Technical Report, this document contains no requirements and is informative only.

# TRANSMITTING EQUIPMENT FOR RADIOCOMMUNICATION – RADIO-OVER-FIBRE TECHNOLOGIES FOR ELECTROMAGNETIC-FIELD MEASUREMENT –

## Part 1: Radio-over-fibre technologies for antenna measurement

### 1 Scope

The purpose of this document is to provide information about the current and latest applications for antenna measurement that use radio-over-fibre technologies. Antenna gain and the antenna radiation pattern measurement system are covered, which are practically in use and will be used soon. Basic concepts, system configurations and measurement examples of the systems are included. The theoretical background of antenna measurement is beyond the scope of this document.

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##### 3.1.1

##### **Mach-Zehnder modulator**

optical modulator used for controlling the amplitude of an optical wave

##### 3.1.2

##### **UTC-PD**

##### **uni-travelling-carrier photo-diode**

high-speed photo-diode that can generate millimeter-wave and THz wave

##### 3.1.3

##### **log-periodic dipole array antenna**

LPDA antenna

antenna having wideband characteristics due to logarithmic periodically aligned dipole elements