

ASMi-54

SHDSL.bis Modem



- SHDSL.bis managed modem operating at full-duplex data rates of up to 5.7 Mbps per copper pair
- Ethernet service over 8-wire line of up to 22.8 Mbps in Point-to-Point, Multipoint, Daisy Chain and Ring topologies
- Two platforms for Ethernet encapsulation with up to 22 Mbps throughput over 8-wire lines: HDLC and SHDSL EFM bonding (in Point-to-Point topology)
- Optional 4xE1 service in addition to HDLC encapsulated Ethernet in Multipoint, Daisy Chain and Ring topologies

ASMi-54 is a simple, cost-effective, dedicated managed SHDSL.bis modem that extends the range of high-speed services over existing copper pairs.

The modem features a variety of topologies, which extend up to 4 E1 and 4 ETH ports with integrated switch to the SHDSL line.

ASMi-54 operates in the following topologies:

- Point-to-Point – extending traffic on four Ethernet links at rates of up to 22.8 Mbps (EFM bonding)

Note: Refer to Table 1 for the EFM supporting options.

- Daisy-chain and Ring topologies for Ethernet connectivity – ASMi-54 enables service resiliency and protection by implementing the ITU-T G.8032 ETH ring protection switching standard for bandwidth of up to 11.4 Mbps
- Multipoint – each ASMi-54 operates with four ASMi-54L modems to enable extension of E1 and HDLC-encapsulated Ethernet traffic, while connectivity towards the IP network can be either copper or fiber, using an SFP transceiver
- Point-to-Point – four Ethernet links (HDLC encapsulation) in addition to four E1 ports, up to 22.8 Mbps.

Table 1 illustrates the topologies and features supported by selected ASMi-54 options.

The modem also features line probing according to G.991.2. When enabled, the SHDSL interface adapts its rate to the condition of the line (noise, loop attenuation, etc.). When disabled, the SHDSL line operates at a fixed rate selected by the user.

ASMi-54 can operate as a CO device or a CPE device according to user configuration.

Up to eight SHDSL repeaters can be installed in-line to increase the operation range of E1- and Ethernet-based modems.

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TECHNOLOGY

EFM Bonding

EFM bonding on the Ethernet interface ensures that a failure or addition of a link does not drop the traffic being transmitted over the other wires in the group. The capacity of the group does not decrease when a new link is added operating at a lower rate.

The modem transports Ethernet point-to-point at the rate of up to 22.8 Mbps using EFM bonding technology, which enables each link to synchronize at a different rate.

Note: This feature relates to Ethernet service in point-to-point topology only (see EFM supporting options in Table 1).

Ethernet

ASMi-54 features up to four Ethernet 10/100BaseT ports with half/full-duplex autonegotiation and flow control.

Fault propagation enables the unit to shut down the Ethernet user port when an SHDSL line failure is detected. LANs are connected by bridging.

The internal forwarding of Ethernet traffic can be configured by:

- Specifying the ports (a mode identified as *unaware* in accordance with Metro Ethernet Forum (MEF) standards). In this mode, all the Ethernet traffic reaching one of the ports is forwarded to the other port, and vice versa
- Using VLANs for classification (a mode identified as *aware* in accordance with Metro Ethernet Forum (MEF) standards). In this mode, Ethernet traffic reaching one of the ports is forwarded to another port in accordance with its VLAN identifier.

Quality of Service

The 802.1D DSCP schemes allow users to define different QoS levels according to application requirements.

The modem implements the IEEE's 802.1q standards to provide VLAN-tagging with four levels of prioritization, enabling carriers to offer differentiated Ethernet services.

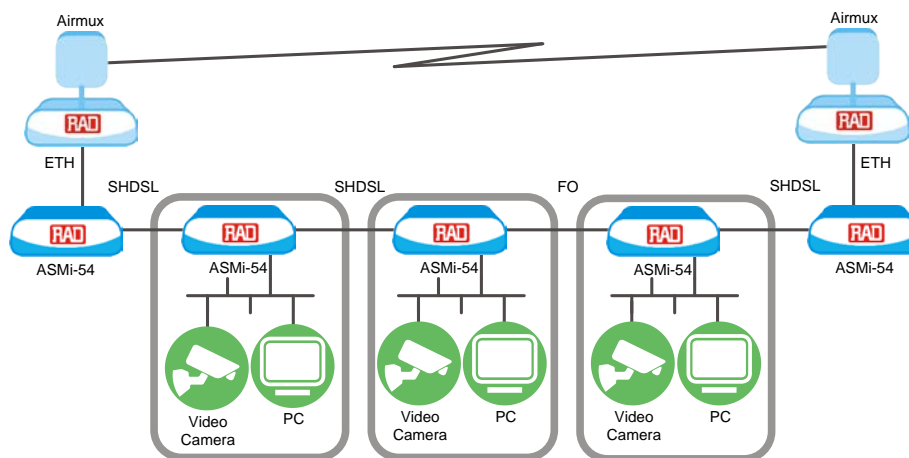


Figure 1. Daisy Chain over any Infrastructure for HDLC-Encapsulated Ethernet

VLAN tagging can also be employed to separate traffic, ensuring transparency of the customer traffic and bolstering security of management traffic. The user can activate or deactivate the priority mechanism, and each priority (VLAN priority, DSCP) can be configured and mapped to one of four priority queues.

MANAGEMENT AND SECURITY

The ASMi-54 unit can be managed using the following connections:

- Local RS-232 terminal
- Telnet server, SNMP
- Web-based management application
- Inband management with or without dedicated VLAN.

The following security protocols are provided by ASMi-54 to ensure client server communication privacy and correct user authentication:

- Access control for SNMPv3, Telnet and Web-based management interface for granting access only to users that appear in the manager list
- SSL/SSH for Telnet and secure Web access
- RADIUS for password management and user authentication.

Note: Refer to Table 1 for the security protocols supporting options.

POWER

ASMi-54 is available with several power options:

- AC/DC wide-range (100 to 240 VAC, -48 to -60 VDC nominal)

- Redundant AC/DC wide-range power supply configuration in a 1U-high 19-inch metal enclosure (Ring and Daisy-chain topology only)
- 24 VDC
- Via power feeding of DC voltage over the SHDSL line (4-wire and 8-wire Ethernet versions only).

ARCHITECTURE

ASMi-54 is supplied in 1U-high plastic, metal (8.5- or 19-inch), or rail-mount enclosures.

Modems with metal and plastic enclosures can be mounted alone or in pairs in a 19-inch rack using RAD's optional mounting kits. 8.5-inch units in metal enclosure can also be mounted in an 8.5-inch rack (see *Ordering*).

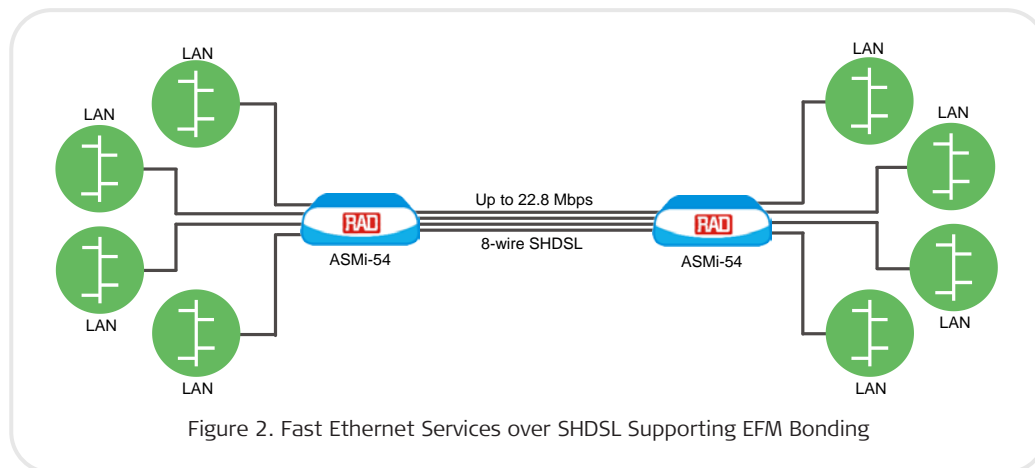


Figure 2. Fast Ethernet Services over SHDSL Supporting EFM Bonding

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Specifications

SHDSL INTERFACE

Number of Ports

2

Type

Symmetrical PSD

8-wires unconditioned dedicated line (twisted pair)

Connectors

RJ-45

Bonding

Per IEEE802.3ah and ITU-T G.991.2

Note: Applicable to Ethernet service in the point-to-point topology only.

Line Coding

16 or 32 TC-PAM

Frame Size

2048 bytes

Note: For version 3.5 and above.

Line Rate

EFM

192 to 5696 kbps in steps of 64 kbps for each 2-wires

HDLC

2W: 192 to 5696 kbps (n x 64 kbps, n=3 to 89)

4W: 384 to 11392 kbps (n x 64 kbps, n=6 to 178)

8W: 768 to 22784 kbps (n x 64, n = 12 to 356)

Range

Typical Ranges
(26 AWG, noise-free)

Data Rate [kbps]	2-wire	
	[km]	[miles]
192	6.6	4.1
1536	4.9	3.0
2048	4.5	2.8
4096	3.2	2.0
4608	3.0	1.9
5696	2.6	1.6

Impedance

135Ω

Compliance

ITU-T G.991.2, ETSI TS 101524

E1 INTERFACES**Number of Ports**

4 x RJ-45

Coding

HDB3

Impedance

120Ω, balanced

75Ω, unbalanced (via adapter cable)

Jitter

As per ITU G.823

Connectors

RJ-45

Loopback Tests

Local analog loopback

Remote digital loopback

ETHERNET INTERFACES**Number of Ports**

4 x UTP

3 x UTP + 1 SFP socket

2 x UTP + 2 SFP socket

Type

10/100BaseT

100BaseFx

Connectors

n x RJ-45

n x SFP

Frame Size

2048 bytes

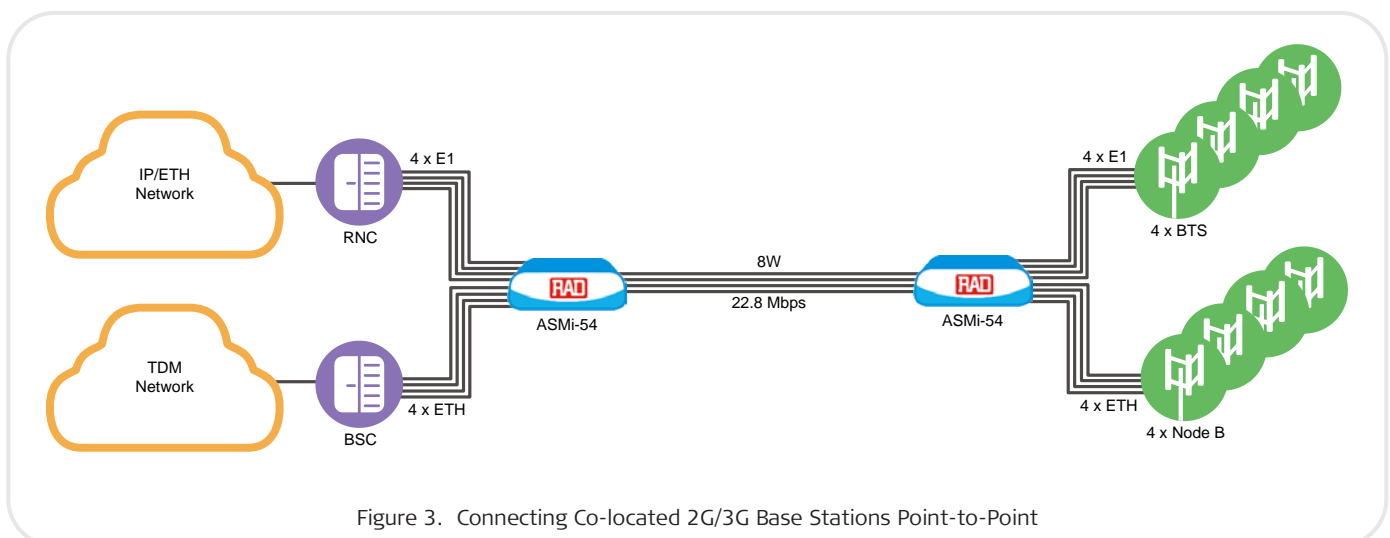


Figure 3. Connecting Co-located 2G/3G Base Stations Point-to-Point

CONTROL PORT

Interface

V.24/RS-232

Type

DCE

Format

Asynchronous; 8 bits, 1 stop bit, no parity

Data Rate

9.6, 19.2, 115.2 kbps

Connector

9-pin, D-type, female

MONITORING AND DIAGNOSTICS

Real-time alarms

SHDSL, E1, and Ethernet statistics collection

Local and remote loopbacks

Indicators

Front Panel

PWR

Green (on) - Power supply on

TST

Yellow (on) - Test in process

ALM

Red (on) - Alarm is detected

SHDSL SYNC (per line)

Green (on) - Line is synchronized and can pass data

Green (flashing) - Line is in training process

Red (on) - Line is not synchronized

Rear Panel

Ethernet Ports ACT (per port)

Yellow (flashing) - Ethernet traffic on the port

Ethernet Ports LINK (per port)

Green (on) - Ethernet port link is up

Green (off) - No Ethernet link on the port

E1 LOC

Red (on) - Loss of signal or sync loss (framed mode only), or unframed AIS is received on the E1 port

E1 REM

Red (on) - Remote alarm is received on the E1 port

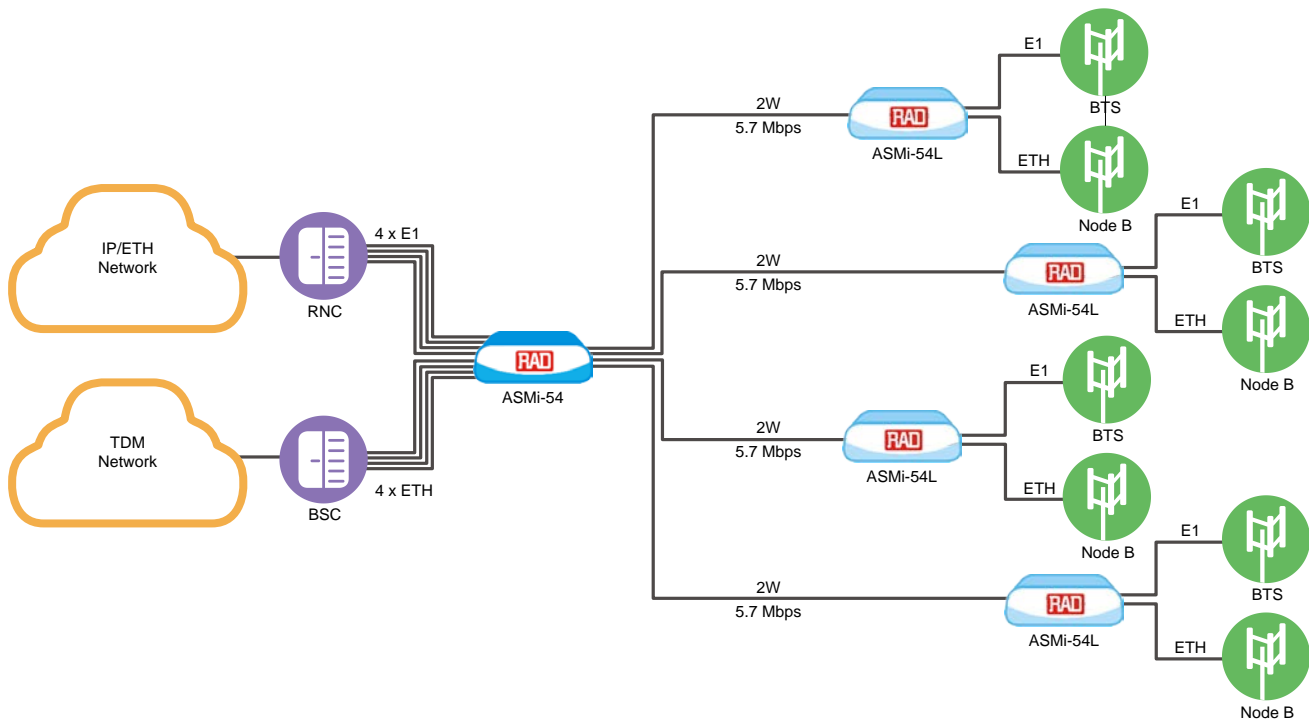


Figure 4. Connecting Co-located 2G/3G Base Stations using ASMi-54L Modems over Copper Lines

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TIMING

CO mode:

- Internal – derived from the modem
- External – derived from E1 port

CPE mode:

- Receive – derived from the SHDSL line

GENERAL

Power Supply

Wide-range AC/DC: 100 to 240 VAC, -48 to -90 VDC nominal

Note: Redundant AC/DC wide-range power supply configuration is available in a 19-inch metal enclosure (for Ring or Daisy-chain topologies only).

DC: 24 VDC nominal

Remote Power Feeding

Via SHDSL line, 120 VDC maximum (4-wire or 8-wire, for units with Ethernet service only)

Physical

Plastic enclosure:

Height: 43.7 mm (1.7 in)

Width: 220 mm (8.6 in)

Depth: 170 mm (6.7 in)

Weight: 0.6 kg (1.3 lb)

8.5-inch metal enclosure:

Height: 43.7 mm (1.7 in)

Width: 215.5 mm (8.5 in)

Depth: 153 mm (6.0 in)

Weight: 0.7 kg (1.5 lb)

19-inch metal enclosure:

Height: 44 mm (1.7 in)

Width: 427 mm (17.0 in)

Depth: 258 mm (10.1 in)

Weight: 4.0 kg (8.8 lb)

Rail-mount metal enclosure:

Height: 150 mm (5.9 in)

Width: 70 mm (2.8 in)

Depth: 163 mm (6.4 in)

Weight: 0.9 kg (1.9 lb)

Environment

Temperature: 0° to 50°C (32° to 122°F)

Extended temperature (4 x ETH interface version only): -20° to 70°C (-4° to 158°F)

Humidity: Up to 90%, non-condensing

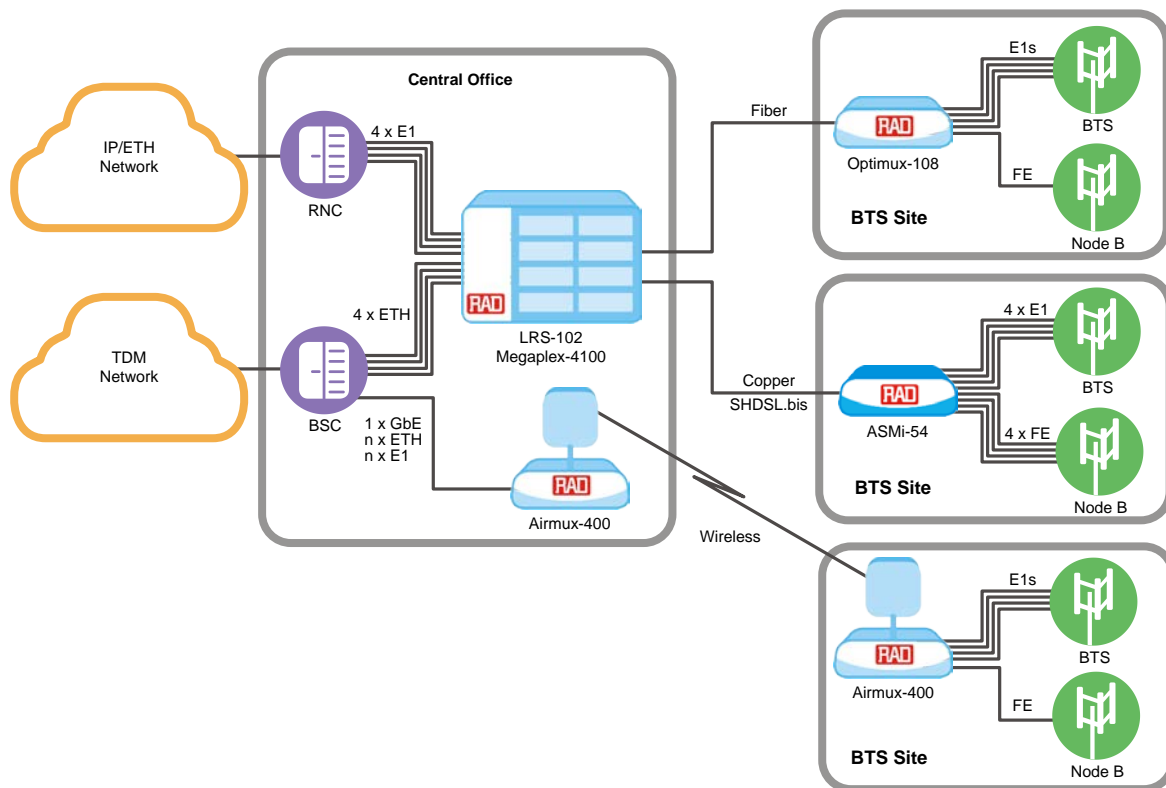


Figure 5. Connecting Co-located 2G/3G Base Stations using Fiber Optic, Copper and Wireless Connections

Ordering

RECOMMENDED CONFIGURATIONS

ASMi-54/4ETH/8W

EFM support, ver. 2.x, metal enclosure

ASMi-54/4E1/4ETH/8W

Four E1 ports, no EFM support, ver. 3.x, plastic enclosure

ASMi-54/4ETH/8W/M

Multipoint capabilities, no EFM support, ver. 3.x, plastic enclosure

ASMi-54/4ETH/8W/D

Daisy-chain/ring capabilities (4W on each side), no EFM support, ver. 3.x, plastic enclosure

ASMi-54/4ETH/8W/D/R

Daisy-chain/ring capabilities (4W on each side), no EFM support, ver. 3.x, 19-inch metal enclosure with redundant AC/DC wide-range power supply)

SPECIAL CONFIGURATIONS

Please contact your local RAD partner for additional configuration options.

Table 1. Special Topologies and Features

ASMi-54 Options	EFM/Version	Topology	SFP Socket	Security Protocols
ASMi-54/4ETH/8W	Yes/2.x	Point-to-point	No	No
ASMi-54/4E1/4ETH/8W	No/3.x	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Multipoint opposite LRS-102, Megaplex-4100 or ASMi-54L Point-to-point 	Yes	Yes
ASMi-54/4ETH/8W/D	No/3.x	Daisy-chain and Ring	Yes	Yes
ASMi-54/4ETH/8W/M	No/3.x	Multipoint	Yes	Yes

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SUPPLIED ACCESSORIES

AC power cord

AC/DC adapter for -48 VDC

RM-34

Mounting kit for installation of one ASMi-54/4ETH/8W/D/R in a 19-inch rack

OPTIONAL ACCESSORIES

RM-33-2

Hardware kit for mounting one or two plastic ASMi-54 units in a 19-inch rack

RM-35/@

Hardware kit for mounting one or two 8.5-inch metal ASMi-54 units in a 19-inch rack

Legend

@ Rack mount kit (Default=both kits):

P1 Mounting one unit

P2 Mounting two units

WM-35-TYPE4

Wall mounting kit for 8.5-inch units with metal enclosure

CBL-DB9F-DB9M-STR

Control cable

CBL-RJ45/2BNC/E1

Interface adapter for converting a balanced E1 RJ-45 connector into a pair of BNC unbalanced coaxial connectors

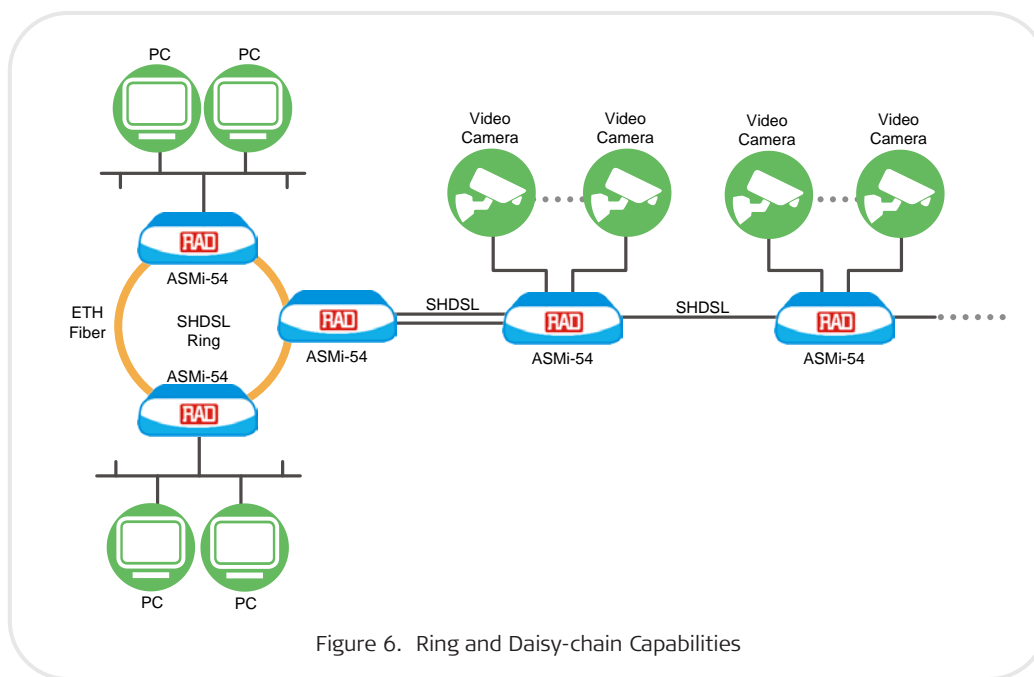


Figure 6. Ring and Daisy-chain Capabilities

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