

Test Report

Report Number:

F211971E1

Equipment under Test (EUT):

People Counter LoRaWAN (IR Receiver)
People Counter LoRaWAN (IR Transmitter)

Applicant:

IMBuildings B.V.

Manufacturer:

IMBuildings B.V.



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D-PL-17186-01-02
D-PL-17186-01-03

References

- [1] **ANSI C63.4:2014** American National Standard for Methods of Measuring of Radio-Noise Emissions from Low-Voltage Electrical and Electronic Equipment in the Range of 9 kHz to 40 GHz.
- [2] **FCC 47 CFR Part 2:** General Rules and Regulations
- [3] **FCC 47 CFR Part 15:** Radio Frequency Devices (Subpart B)
- [4] **ICES-003 Issue 7: (October 2020)** Spectrum Management and Telecommunications. Interference-Causing Equipment Standard. Information Technology Equipment (Including Digital Apparatus) —Limits and Methods of Measurement

Test Result

The requirements of the tests performed as shown in the overview (clause 4) were fulfilled by the equipment under test. The complete test results are presented in the following.

“Passed” indicates that the equipment under test conforms with the relevant limits of the testing standard without taking any measurement uncertainty into account as stated in clause 10.2.8.2 of ANSI C63.4 (2014). However, the measurement uncertainty is calculated and shown in this test report.

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1 Identification

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1.2 Manufacturer

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Manufacturer represented during the test by the following person:	-

1.3 Test Laboratory

The tests were carried out by: **PHOENIX TESTLAB GmbH**
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Accredited by Deutsche Akkreditierungsstelle GmbH (DAkkS) in compliance with DIN EN ISO/IEC 17025 under Reg. No. D-PL-17186-01-06 and D-PL-17186-01-05, FCC Test Firm Designation Number DE0004, FCC Test Firm Registration Number 469623, CAB Identifier DE0003 and ISED# 3469A.

1.4 EUT (Equipment under Test)

1.4.1 IR receiver

Test object: *	People counter IR receiver
Model name: *	IR Receiver
FCC ID: *	2AW6WL-PCLR1
Contains FCC ID: *	2AW6WLRN2903

	EUT number (IR receiver)		
	1	2	3
Serial number: *	0004A30B00F6F7F6	-	-
DeviceEUI:		-	-
PCB identifier: *	PRx20-LoRa	-	-
Hardware version: *	V1.1	-	-
Software version: *	Not available	-	-

* Declared by the applicant

1.4.2 IR transmitter

Test object: *	People counter IR Transmitter
Model name: *	IR Transmitter
FCC ID: *	2AW6WLPCTX1

	EUT number (IR transmitter)		
	1	2	3
Serial number: *	213100023068	-	-
PCB identifier: *	15030201-23-Z	-	-
Hardware version: *	V1.0	-	-
Software version: *	Not available	-	-

* Declared by the applicant

One EUT set was used for all tests.

Note: PHOENIX TESTLAB GmbH does not take samples. The samples used for tests are provided exclusively by the applicant.

1.5 Technical Data of Equipment

1.5.1 IR transmitter

General EUT data	
Power supply EUT: *	2* 1.5 V AA Alkaline Battery
Supply voltage EUT: *	$U_{nom} = 3 V_{DC}$
Temperature range: *	0°C to +40°C
Lowest / highest internal clock frequency: *	32.768 kHz / 16 MHz

* Declared by the applicant

Ports / Connectors				
Identification	Connector		Length during test	Shielding (Yes / No)
	EUT	Ancillary		
-	-	-	-	-
	No ports connectable			

1.5.2 IR receiver

General EUT data	
Power supply EUT: *	2* 1.5 V AA Alkaline Battery
Supply voltage EUT: *	$U_{nom} = 3 V_{DC}$
Temperature range: *	0°C to +40°C
Lowest / highest internal clock frequency: *	32.768 kHz / 928 MHz

* Declared by the applicant

Ports / Connectors				
Identification	Connector		Length during test	Shielding (Yes / No)
	EUT	Ancillary		
-	-	-	-	-
	No ports connectable			

Equipment used for testing	
Gateway* ¹	Laird 915 MHz intelligent Gateway, Sentrius™ RG191
„Windmill“* ¹	People counting simulator
-	-

*¹ Provided by the applicant

Ancillary equipment	
-	-
-	-

1.6 Dates

Date of receipt of test sample:	14.12.2021
Start of test:	25.01.2022
End of test:	25.01.2022

2 Operational States

Description of function of the EUT:

The LoRaWAN People Counter is a battery powered sensor for counting people crossing a horizontal line. The counter consists of two parts, an infrared (ir) transmitter part and an infrared receiver part, which always work together.

The ir-transmitter creates an intermediate infrared signal in a fixed frequency.

The ir-receiver is the main part and holds the intelligence and communication with the outside world.

The created data is communicated from the internal algorithm microprocessor to the internal gateway microprocessor. The internal gateway processor communicates this information to the internal LoRaWAN module which takes care of the communication with the LoRaWAN network. Settings for the LoRaWAN interface are done via NFC memory.

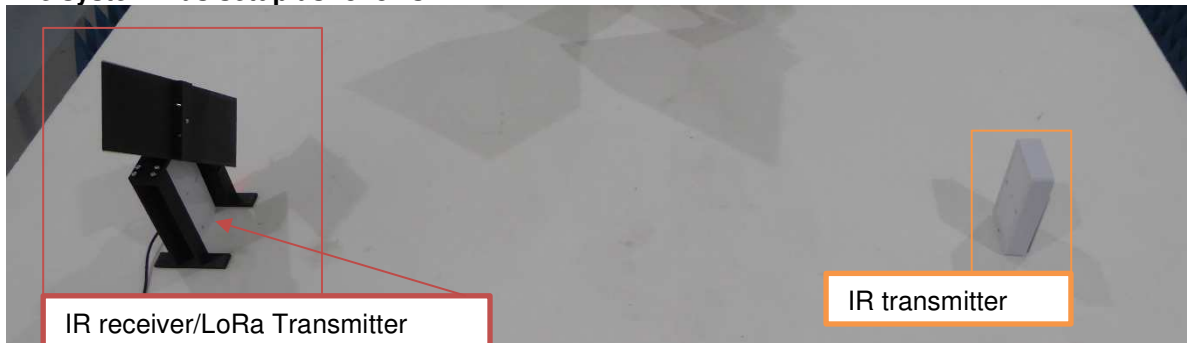
The EUT set:



The following states were defined as the operating conditions

The IR transmitter and receiver were setup face to face, with a motor that simulated the people that are counted during normal operation mode. The LoRa transmitter was connected to a LoRa gateway that was connected to the cloud.

The system was setup as follows:



3 Additional Information

The EUT was not labeled as required by FCC / IC.

4 Overview

Radiated emissions FCC 47 CFR Part 15 section 15.109 (a), (b) [3]					
Application	Frequency range	Limits	Reference standard	Tested EUT	Status
Radiated Emission Class B	30 to 88 MHz	40.0 dB(μ V/m) QP at 3 m	ANSI C63.4	1	Passed
	88 to 216 MHz	43.5 dB(μ V/m) QP at 3 m			
	216 to 960 MHz	46.0 dB(μ V/m) QP at 3 m			
	960 to 1000 MHz	54.0 dB(μ V/m) QP at 3 m			
	above 1000 MHz	54.0 dB(μ V/m) AV at 3 m and 74.0 dB(μ V/m) PK at 3 m			

Radiated emissions ICES-003 Issue 7 section 3.2.2 [4]					
Application	Frequency range	Limits	Reference standard	Tested EUT	Status
Radiated Emission Class B	30 to 88 MHz	40.0 dB(μ V/m) QP at 3 m	ANSI C63.4	1	Passed
	88 to 216 MHz	43.5 dB(μ V/m) QP at 3 m			
	216 to 230 MHz	46.0 dB(μ V/m) QP at 3 m			
	230 to 960 MHz	47.0 dB(μ V/m) QP at 3 m			
	960 to 1000 MHz	54.0 dB(μ V/m) QP at 3 m			
	above 1000 MHz	54 dB(μ V/m) AV at 3 m and 74 dB(μ V/m) PK at 3 m			

Remark: As declared by the applicant the highest internal clock frequency is 0.9275 GHz.
Therefore the radiated emission measurement must be carried out up to 5th of the highest internal clock frequency up to 9.3 GHz, in this case the measurement was carried out up to 10 GHz.

The EUT was classified by the applicant as CLASS B equipment.

5 Results

5.1 Test setups

5.1.1 Radiated: 30 MHz to 1 GHz

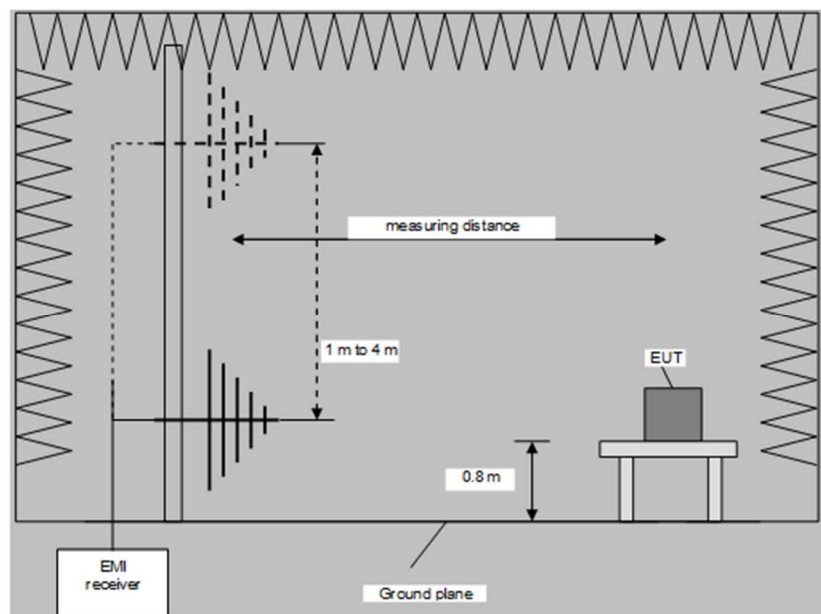
5.1.1.1 Preliminary and final measurement 30 MHz to 1 GHz

The preliminary and final measurements are performed in a semi-anechoic chamber with a metal ground plane at a measuring distance of 3 meters. Table-top devices are set up on a non-conducting support with a size of 1 m by 1.5 m and a height of 80 cm. Floor-standing devices are placed directly on the turntable / ground plane. The setup of the equipment under test is in accordance with [1].

During the tests the EUT is rotated in the range of 0 ° to 360 °, the measuring antenna is set to horizontal and vertical polarization and raised and lowered in the range from 1 m to 4 m to find the maximum level of emissions.

The resolution bandwidth of the EMI receiver is set to the following values:

Test	Frequency range	Step-size	Resolution bandwidth	Measuring time	Detector
Preliminary measurement	30 MHz to 1 GHz	30 kHz	120 kHz	-	Peak Average
Frequency peak search	± 120 kHz	10 kHz	120 kHz	1 s	Peak
Final measurement	30 MHz to 1 GHz	-	120 kHz	1 s	QuasiPeak



Procedure preliminary measurement:

The following procedure is used:

- 1) Set the measuring antenna to 1 m height.
- 2) Monitor the frequency range at horizontal polarization of the measuring antenna and an EUT / turntable azimuth of 0 °.
- 3) Rotate the EUT by 360° to maximize the detected signals.
- 4) Repeat steps 2 to 3 with the vertical polarization of the measuring antenna.
- 5) Increase the height of the measuring antenna for 0.5 m and repeat steps 2 to 4 until the final height of 4 m is reached.
- 6) The highest values for each frequency are saved by the software, including the measuring antenna height and polarization and the turntable azimuth for that value.

Procedure final measurement:

The following procedure is used:

- 1) Select the highest frequency peaks (lowest margin to the limit) for the final measurement.
- 2) The software determines the exact peak frequencies by doing a partial scan with reduced step size of the pre-scan of the selected peaks.
- 3) If the EUT is portable or ceiling mounted, find the worst-case EUT orientation (x,y,z) for the final test.
- 4) The worst-case measuring antenna height is found via varying the height by +/- 0.5 m from the value obtained in the preliminary measurement while monitoring the emission level.
- 5) The worst-case turntable position is found via varying the turntable azimuth by +/- 30° from the value obtained in the preliminary measurement while monitoring the emission level.
- 6) The final measurement is performed at the worst-case measuring antenna height and the worst-case turntable azimuth.
- 7) Steps 2 to 6 are repeated for each frequency peak selected in step 1.

5.1.2 Radiated: 1 GHz to 40 GHz

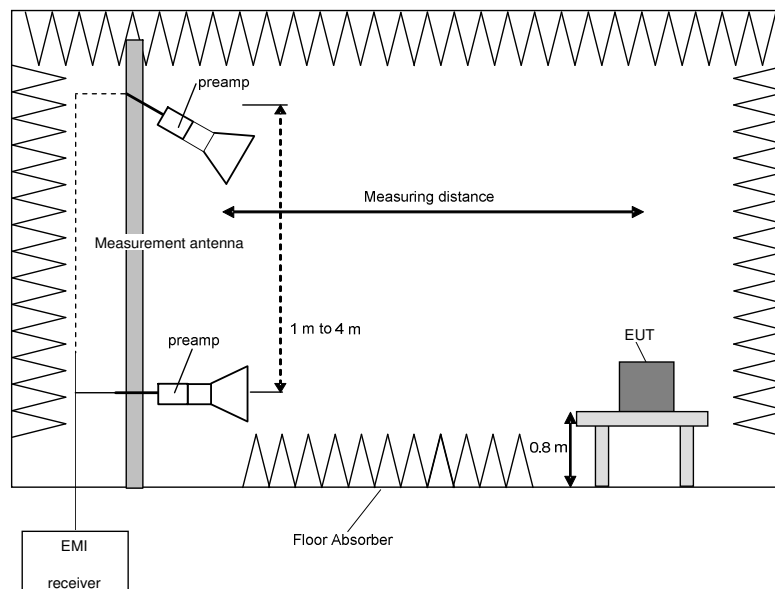
5.1.2.1 Preliminary and final measurement 1 to 40 GHz

The preliminary and final measurements are performed in a semi-anechoic chamber at a measuring distance of 3 meters, with floor absorbers between EUT and measuring antenna. Table-top devices are set up on a non-conducting support with a size of 1 m by 1.5 m and a height of 80 cm. Floor-standing devices are placed directly on the turntable / ground plane. The setup of the equipment under test is in accordance with [1].

During the tests the EUT is rotated in the range of 0 ° to 360 °, the measuring antenna is set to horizontal and vertical polarization and raised and lowered in the range from 1 m to 4 m to find the maximum level of emissions. While changing the height, the measuring antenna gets tilted so that it is always aiming at the EUT.

The resolution bandwidth of the EMI receiver is set to the following values:

Test	Frequency range	Step-size	Resolution bandwidth	Measuring time	Detector
Preliminary measurement	1 - 40 GHz	250 kHz	1 MHz	-	Peak Average
Frequency peak search	+ / - 1 MHz	50 kHz	1 MHz	100 ms	Peak
Final measurement	1 - 40 GHz	-	1 MHz	100 ms	Peak Average



Procedure preliminary measurement:

The following procedure is used:

- 1) Set the measuring antenna to 1 m height.
- 2) Monitor the frequency range at horizontal polarization of the measuring antenna and an EUT / turntable azimuth of 0 °.
- 3) Rotate the EUT by 360° to maximize the detected signals.
- 4) Repeat steps 2 to 3 with the vertical polarization of the measuring antenna.
- 5) Increase the height of the measuring antenna for 0.5 m and repeat steps 2 to 4 until the final height of 4 m is reached.
- 6) The highest values for each frequency are saved by the software, including the measuring antenna height and polarization and the turntable azimuth for that value.

Procedure final measurement:

The following procedure is used:

- 1) Select the highest frequency peaks (lowest margin to the limit) for the final measurement.
- 2) The software determines the exact peak frequencies by doing a partial scan with reduced step size of the pre-scan of the selected peaks.
- 3) If the EUT is portable or ceiling mounted, find the worst-case EUT orientation (x,y,z) for the final test.
- 4) The worst-case measuring antenna height is found via varying the height by +/- 0.5 m from the value obtained in the preliminary measurement while monitoring the emission level.
- 5) The worst-case turntable position is found via varying the turntable azimuth by +/- 30° from the value obtained in the preliminary measurement while monitoring the emission level.
- 6) The final measurement is performed at the worst-case measuring antenna height and the worst-case turntable azimuth.
- 7) Steps 2 to 6 are repeated for each frequency peak selected in step 1.

5.2 Radiated emissions

5.2.1 Test setup (Maximum unwanted emissions)

Test setup (Maximum unwanted emissions)			
Used	Setup	See sub-clause	Comment
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Radiated: 30 MHz to 1 GHz / 1 GHz to 40 GHz	5.1.1 / 5.1.2	-

5.2.2 Test method (Maximum unwanted emissions)

☒ Test method (radiated) see sub-clause 5.1.1 / 5.1.2 as described herein

5.2.3 Test results (Maximum unwanted emissions)

5.2.3.1 Test results (30 MHz – 1 GHz)

Ambient temperature:	22 °C
Relative humidity:	26 %

Date:	24.01.2022
Tested by:	B. ROHDE

Position of EUT: For tests for f between 30 MHz to 1 GHz, the EUT was set-up on a table with a height of 80 cm. The distance between EUT and antenna was 3 m.

Cable guide: For detail information of test set-up and the cable guide refer to the pictures in the annex A in the test report.

Test record: Plots for each frequency range are submitted below.

Remark: Only one nominal position was tested

Calculations:

Result [dBμV/m] = Reading [dBμV] + Correction [dBμV/m]

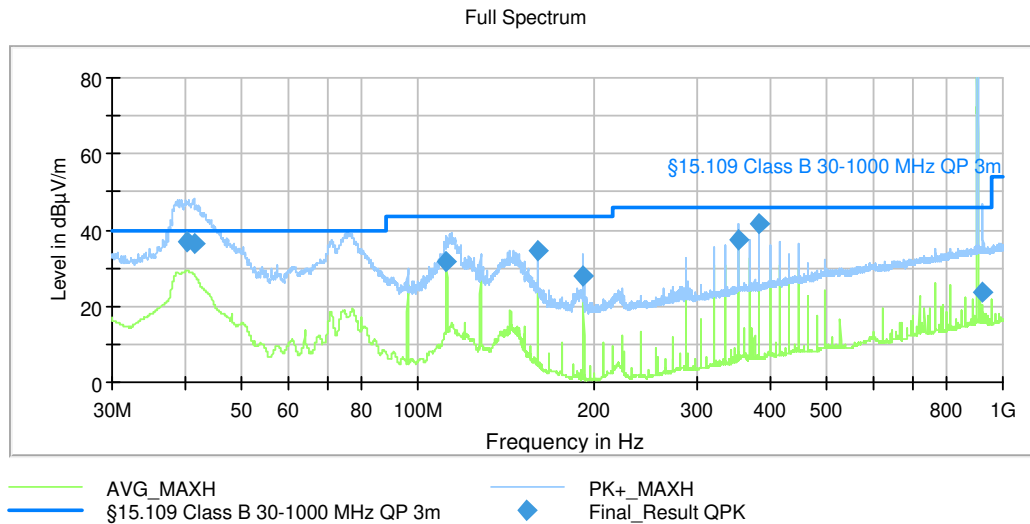
Correction [dBμV/m] = AF [dB/m] + Cable attenuation [dB] + optional preamp gain [dB]

Margin [dB] = Limit [dBμV/m] - Result [dBμV/m]

The measured points and the limit line in the following diagram refer to the standard measurement of the emitted interference in compliance with the above-mentioned standard. The measured points marked with “◆” are the measured results of the standard subsequent measurement in a semi-anechoic chamber.

Worst case plot:

Spurious emissions from 30 MHz to 1 GHz (operation mode 1 - standing):



The emission @ ~903MHz is the wanted radio link and therefore not part of this report.

Result tables:

(Operation mode 1):

Frequency [MHz]	Result (QP) [dBμV/m]	Limit [dBμV/m]	Margin [dB]	Height [cm]	Pol. (H/V)	Azimuth [deg]	Correction [dB/m]	Position #
40.310	37.2	40.0	2.9	125.0	V	154	19.9	1
41.380	36.3	40.0	3.7	120.0	V	159	19.2	1
112.020	31.6	43.5	12.0	254.0	H	95	17.8	1
160.030	34.4	43.5	9.2	105.0	V	215	15.3	1
191.980	27.9	43.5	15.6	159.0	H	113	15.2	1
352.030	37.5	46.0	8.5	107.0	H	72	20.7	1
384.020	41.6	46.0	4.5	121.0	V	107	21.5	1
925.000	23.7	46.0	22.3	265.0	V	294	30.2	1

Test result: Passed

Test equipment (please refer to chapter 6 for details)

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5.2.3.2 Test results (radiated 1 to 40 GHz)

Ambient temperature:	22 °C
Relative humidity:	26 %

Date:	24.01.2022
Tested by:	B. ROHDE

Position of EUT: For tests for f between 1 GHz and the 5th harmonic, the EUT was set-up on a table with a height of 80 cm. The distance between EUT and antenna was 3 m.

Cable guide: For detail information of test set-up and the cable guide refer to the pictures in the annex A in the test report.

Test record: Plots for each frequency range are submitted below.

Remark: Only one nominal position was tested

Calculation:

Max Peak [dBμV/m] = Reading [dBμV] + Correction [dBμV/m]

Average [dBμV/m] = Reading [dBμV] + Correction [dBμV/m]

Correction [dBμV/m] = AF [dB/m] + Cable attenuation [dB] + optional preamp gain [dB] + DCCF* [dB]
* (if applicable – only for Average values, that are fundamental related)

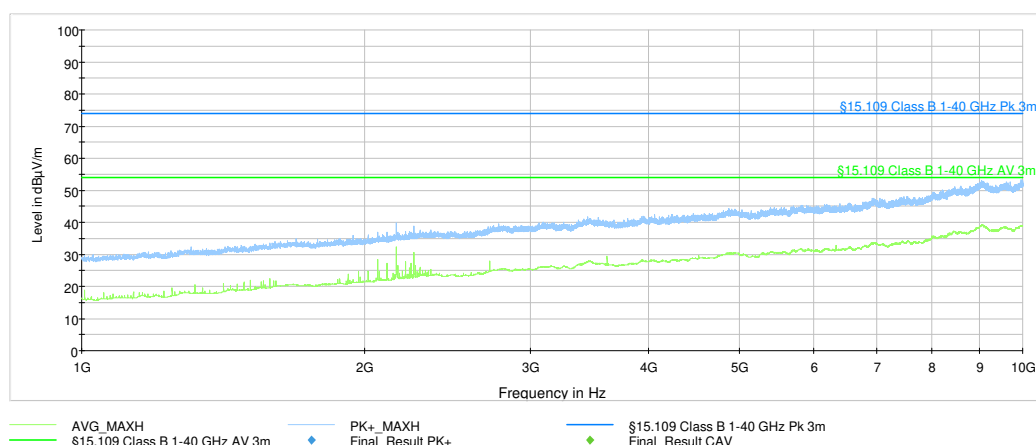
Margin [dB] = Limit [dBμV/m] – Max Peak | Average [dBμV/m]

The curves in the diagram only represent the maximum measured value for each frequency point of all preliminary measurements, which were carried out with various EUT and antenna positions.

The top measured curve represents the peak measurement. The measured points marked with "♦" are frequency points for the final peak detector measurement. These values are indicated in the following table. The bottom measured curve represents the average measurement. The measured points marked with "◆" are frequency points for the final average detector measurement.

Worst case plots:

Spurious emissions from 1 GHz to 10 GHz (operation mode 1):



Result tables:

Operation mode 1:

No final result, because all emissions were more than 20 dB below the limit, highest noise level is about 54 dB μ V/m (peak)

Test result: Passed

Test equipment (please refer to chapter 6 for details)
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6 Measurement Uncertainties

Conducted measurements		
Measurement method	Standard used for calculating measurement uncertainty	Expanded measurement uncertainty (95 %) U_{lab}
Conducted emissions from 150 kHz to 30 MHz with LISN	CISPR 16-4-2	2.8 dB

Radiated measurements		
Radiated field strength M276		
R&S HL562E @ 3 m 30 MHz – 1 GHz	CISPR 16-4-2	4.8 dB
R&S HL050 @ 3 m	-	
1 – 6 GHz	CISPR 16-4-2	5.1 dB
6 – 18 GHz	CISPR 16-4-2	5.4 dB
Flann Standard Gain Horns 18 – 40 GHz	-	5.9 dB

7 Test Equipment used for Tests

No.	Test equipment	Type	Manufacturer	Serial No.	PM. No.	Cal. Date	Cal Due
1	RF Switch Matrix	OSP220	Rohde & Schwarz		482976	Calibration not necessary	
2	Turntable	TT3.0-3t	Maturo	825/2612/.01	483224	Calibration not necessary	
3	Antennasupport	BAM 4.5-P-10kg	Maturo	222/2612.01	483225	Calibration not necessary	
4	Controller	NCD	Maturo	474/2612.01	483226	Calibration not necessary	
5	Semi Anechoic Chamber M276	SAC5-2	Albatross Projects	C62128-A540-A138-10-0006	483227	Calibration not necessary	
6	Software	EMC32	Rohde & Schwarz	100970	482972	Calibration not necessary	
7	EMI Testreceiver	ESW44	Rohde & Schwarz	101828	482979	08.12.2021	12.2023
8	Attenuator 6 dB	WA2-6	Weinschel		482793	Calibration not necessary	
9	Ultralog Antenna	HL562E	Rohde & Schwarz	101079	482978	18.03.2021	03.2024
10	Low Noise Amplifier 100 MHz - 18 GHz	LNA-30-00101800-25-10P	Narda-Miteq	2110917	482967	18.02.2020	02.2022
11	Log.-Per. antenna	HL050	Rohde & Schwarz	100908	482977	13.08.2019	08.2022
12	High pass filter 1 GHz	WHKX12-935-1000-15000-40ST	Wainwright Instruments GmbH	12	482908	Calibration not necessary	

8 Test site Verification

Test equipment	PM. No.	Frequency range	Type of validation	According to	Val. Date	Val Due
Semi anechoic chamber M276	483227	30 – 1000 MHz	NSA/RSM	CISPR 16-1-4 + Cor1:2010 + A1:2012 +A2:2017	03.03.2021	02.03.2023
Semi anechoic chamber M276	483227	1 -18 GHz	SVSWR	CISPR 16-1-4 + Cor1:2010 + A1:2012 +A2:2017	25.02.2021	24.02.2023

9 Report History

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10 List of Annexes

Annex A Test Setup Photos

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