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TEST REPORT

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Product Description for Equipment under Test (EUT)

Product	LoRa Concentrator Module
Tested Model	RAK2247
Frequency Range	923.3-927.5 MHz
Maximum Conducted Peak Output Power	12.70dBm
Modulation Technique	Chirp-based Spread-Spectrum
Antenna Specification*	5.8dBi(It is provided by the applicant)
Voltage Range	DC 3.3V
Date of Test	2021-03-01 to 2021-03-05
Sample serial number	SZ1210128-03510E -RF-S1(Assigned by BACL, Shenzhen)
Received date	2021-01-28
Sample/EUT Status	Good condition

Objective

This report is in accordance with Part 2-Subpart J, Part 15-Subparts A and C of the Federal Communication Commission's rules.

The tests were performed in order to determine compliance with FCC Part 15, Subpart C, and section 15.203, 15.205, 15.209 and 15.247 rules.

This is a CIIPC application of the device; the differences between the original device and the current one are as follows:

(1) Change one antenna.

Based on above difference listed, the modifications will impact the test item of " FCC §15.209, §15.205 & §15.247(d) - SPURIOUS EMISSIONS ", so in this report, we will updated this item and related photos, the other test data and photos please refer to the original report.

Test Methodology

All measurements contained in this report were conducted with ANSI C63.10-2013, American National Standard of Procedures for Compliance Testing of Unlicensed Wireless Devices.

And KDB 558074 D01 15.247 Meas Guidance v05r02.

All emissions measurement was performed at Bay Area Compliance Laboratories Corp. (Shenzhen). The radiated testing was performed at an antenna-to-EUT distance of 3 meters.

Measurement Uncertainty

Parameter		Uncertainty
Occupied Channel Bandwidth		±5%
RF Output Power with Power meter		±0.73dB
RF conducted test with spectrum		±1.6dB
AC Power Lines Conducted Emissions		±1.95dB
Emissions, Radiated	Below 1GHz	±4.75dB
	Above 1GHz	±4.88dB
Temperature		±1°C
Humidity		±6%
Supply voltages		±0.4%

Note: The extended uncertainty given in this report is obtained by combining the standard uncertainty times the coverage factor K with the 95% confidence interval. Otherwise required by the applicant or Product Regulations, Decision Rule in this report did not consider the uncertainty.

Test Facility

The test site used by Bay Area Compliance Laboratories Corp. (Shenzhen) to collect test data is located on the 6/F., West Wing, Third Phase of Wanli Industrial Building, Shihua Road, Futian Free Trade Zone, Shenzhen, Guangdong, China.

The test site has been approved by the FCC under the KDB 974614 D01 and is listed in the FCC Public Access Link (PAL) database, FCC Registration No. : 342867, the FCC Designation No. : CN1221.

The test site has been registered with ISED Canada under ISED Canada Registration Number 3062B.

SYSTEM TEST CONFIGURATION

Description of Test Configuration

The system was configured for testing in testing mode, which was provided by manufacturer.

Frequency List

Channel	Frequency (MHz)	Channel	Frequency (MHz)
1	923.3	5	925.7
2	923.9	6	926.3
3	924.5	7	926.9
4	925.1	8	927.5

EUT was tested with Channel 1, 4 and 8.

Equipment Modifications

No modification was made to the EUT tested.

EUT Exercise Software

“SecureCRTPortable”* software was used to the EUT tested and power level is --dig 0 --mix 14 --pa 1*. The software and power level was provided by the applicant.

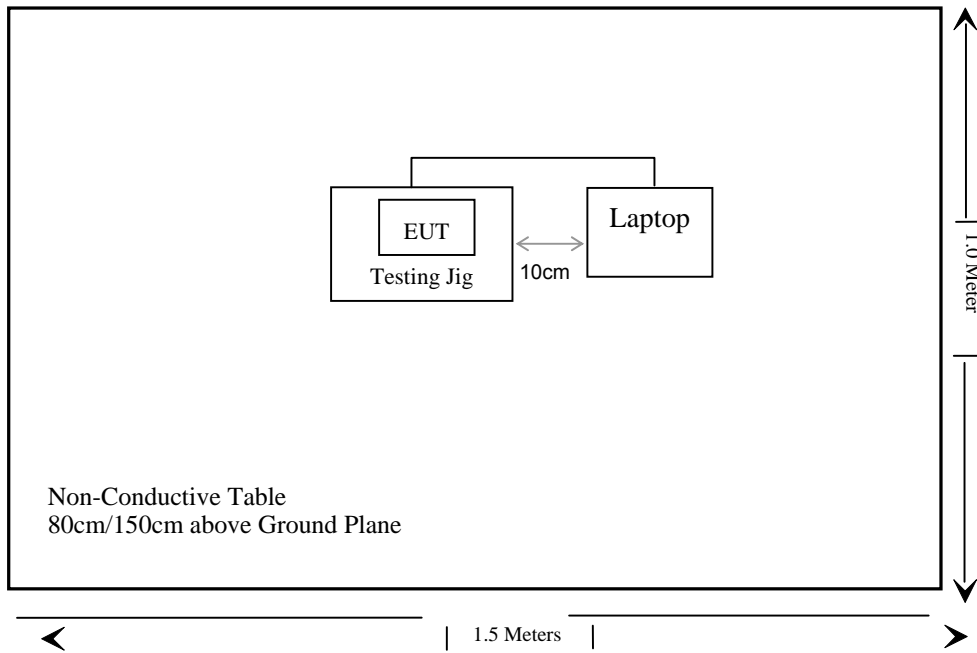
Local Support Equipment List and Details

Manufacturer	Description	Model	Serial Number
Dell	Laptop	Latitude E5430	26913588589
Rakwireless	Testing Jig	EVK-Pak833	EVK-Pak833

External I/O Cable

Cable Description	Length (m)	From Port	To
Un-shielding Detachable USB Cable	1.0	Notebook	Testing Jig

Block Diagram of Test Setup



SUMMARY OF TEST RESULTS

FCC Rules	Description of Test	Result
§15.247 (i) & §1.1310 & §2.1091	Maximum Permissible exposure (MPE)	Compliance
§15.203	Antenna Requirement	Compliance
§15.207 (a)	AC Line Conducted Emissions	Compliance*
§15.205, §15.209, §15.247(d)	Spurious Emissions	Compliance
§15.247 (a)(2)	6 dB Emission Bandwidth	Compliance*
§15.247(b)(3)	Maximum Conducted Output Power	Compliance*
§15.247(d)	100 kHz Bandwidth of Frequency Band Edge	Compliance*
§15.247(e)	Power Spectral Density	Compliance*

Compliance*: Please refer to the original report RSZ181207002-00B which was issued on 2018-12-24 under the FCC ID: 2AF6B-RAK2247 and tested by Bay Area Compliance Laboratories Corp. (Shenzhen).

TEST EQUIPMENT LIST

Manufacturer	Description	Model	Serial Number	Calibration Date	Calibration Due Date
Radiated Emission Test					
R&S	EMI Test Receiver	ESR3	102455	2020/08/04	2021/08/03
Sonoma instrument	Pre-amplifier	310 N	186238	2020/08/04	2021/08/03
Sunol Sciences	Broadband Antenna	JB1	A040904-1	2020/12/22	2023/12/21
Unknown	Cable 2	RF Cable 2	F-03-EM197	2020/11/29	2021/11/28
Unknown	Cable	Chamber Cable 1	F-03-EM236	2020/11/29	2021/11/28
Rohde & Schwarz	Auto test software	EMC 32	V9.10	NCR	NCR
Rohde & Schwarz	Spectrum Analyzer	FSV40-N	102259	2020/08/04	2021/08/03
COM-POWER	Pre-amplifier	PA-122	181919	2020/11/29	2021/11/28
Sunol Sciences	Horn Antenna	3115	9107-3694	2021/01/15	2024/01/14
Insulated Wire Inc.	RF Cable	SPS-2503-3150	02222010	2020/11/29	2021/11/28
Unknown	Signal Cable	RG-214	2	2020/11/29	2021/11/28

* **Statement of Traceability:** Bay Area Compliance Laboratories Corp. (Shenzhen) attests that all calibrations have been performed in accordance to requirements that traceable to National Primary Standards and International System of Units (SI).

FCC §15.247 (I) & §1.1310 & §2.1091- MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE (MPE)

Applicable Standard

According to subpart 15.247(i) and subpart §1.1310, systems operating under the provisions of this section shall be operated in a manner that ensures that the public is not exposed to radio frequency energy level in excess of the Commission’s guidelines.

Limits for Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) (§1.1310, §2.1091)

(B) Limits for General Population/Uncontrolled Exposure				
Frequency Range (MHz)	Electric Field Strength (V/m)	Magnetic Field Strength (A/m)	Power Density (mW/cm ²)	Averaging Time (minutes)
0.3–1.34	614	1.63	*(100)	30
1.34–30	824/f	2.19/f	*(180/f ²)	30
30–300	27.5	0.073	0.2	30
300–1500	/	/	f/1500	30
1500–100,000	/	/	1.0	30

f = frequency in MHz; * = Plane-wave equivalent power density;

According to §1.1310 and §2.1091 RF exposure is calculated.

Calculated Formulary:

Predication of MPE limit at a given distance

$S = PG/4\pi R^2$ = power density (in appropriate units, e.g. mW/cm²);

P = power input to the antenna (in appropriate units, e.g., mW);

G = power gain of the antenna in the direction of interest relative to an isotropic radiator, the power gain factor, is normally numeric gain;

R = distance to the center of radiation of the antenna (appropriate units, e.g., cm);

Calculated Data:

The worst case as below:

Frequency (MHz)	Antenna Gain	Cable Loss	Max Tune-up Conducted Power		Evaluation Distance (cm)	Power Density (mW/cm ²)	MPE Limit (mW/cm ²)
	(dBi)	dB	(dBm)	(mW)			
923.3-927.5	5.8	0.5	13.0	19.95	20	0.013	0.616

Note: the antenna gain, cable loss and tune up power were declared by the applicant.

Result: The device meet FCC MPE at 20 cm distance

FCC §15.203 - ANTENNA REQUIREMENT

Applicable Standard

According to § 15.203, an intentional radiator shall be designed to ensure that no antenna other than that furnished by the responsible party shall be used with the device. The use of a permanently attached antenna or of an antenna that uses a unique coupling to the intentional radiator shall be considered sufficient to comply with the provisions of this section. The manufacturer may design the unit so that a broken antenna can be replaced by the user, but the user of a standard antenna jack or electrical connector is prohibited. The structure and application of the EUT were analyzed to determine compliance with section §15.203 of the rules. §15.203 state that the subject device must meet the following criteria:

- a. Antenna must be permanently attached to the unit.
- b. Antenna must use a unique type of connector to attach to the EUT.

Unit must be professionally installed, and installer shall be responsible for verifying that the correct antenna is employed with the unit.

And according to FCC 47 CFR section 15.247 (b), if the transmitting antennas of directional gain greater than 6dBi are used, the power shall be reduced by the amount in dB that the directional gain of the antenna exceeds 6 dBi.

Antenna Connector Construction

The EUT has an external antenna with a U.FL antenna jack which the maximum antenna gain is 5.8dBi, fulfill the requirement of this section. Please refer to the EUT photos.

Result: Compliance.

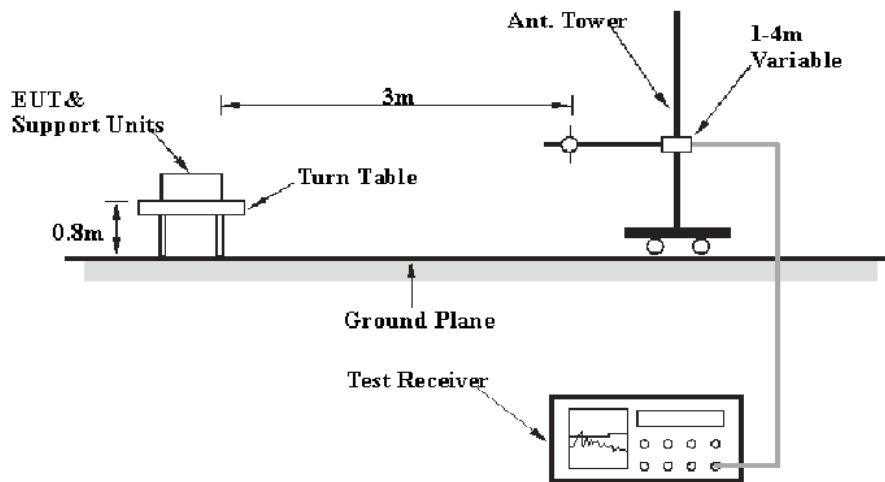
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Applicable Standard

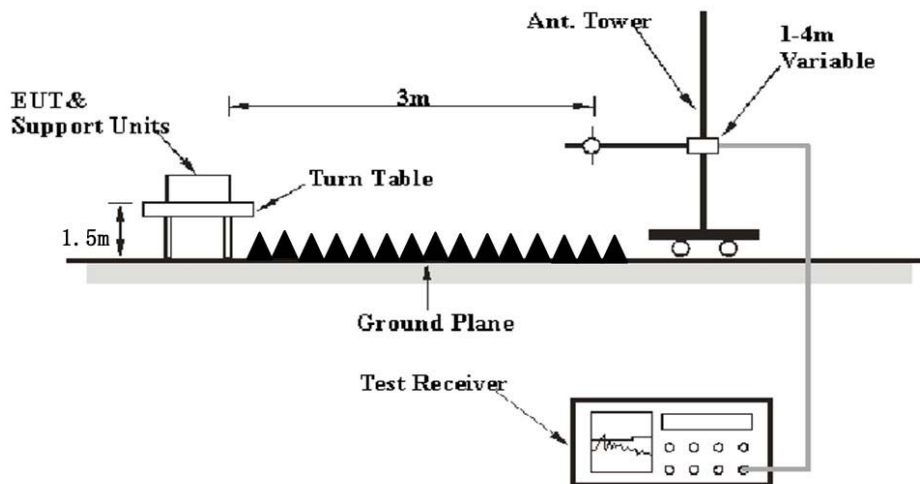
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EUT Setup

Below 1 GHz:



Above 1GHz:



The radiated emission tests were performed in the 3 meters test site, using the setup accordance with the ANSI C63.10-2013. The specification used was the FCC 15.209, and FCC 15.247 limits.

EMI Test Receiver & Spectrum Analyzer Setup

The system was investigated from 30 MHz to 10 GHz.

During the radiated emission test, the EMI test receiver & Spectrum Analyzer Setup were set with the following configurations:

Frequency Range	RBW	Video B/W	IF B/W	Measurements
30 MHz – 1000 MHz	100 kHz	300 kHz	120 kHz	QP
Above 1 GHz	1MHz	3 MHz	/	PK
	1MHz	10 Hz ^{Note 1}	/	Average
	1MHz	> 1/T ^{Note 2}	/	Average

Note 1: when duty cycle is no less than 98%

Note 2: when duty cycle is less than 98%

Test Procedure

Maximizing procedure was performed on the highest emissions to ensure that the EUT complied with all installation combinations.

Data was recorded in Quasi-peak detection mode for frequency range of 30 MHz-1 GHz, peak and Average detection modes for frequencies above 1 GHz.

Corrected Amplitude & Margin Calculation

The Corrected Amplitude is calculated by adding the Antenna Factor and Cable Loss, and subtracting the Amplifier Gain from the Meter Reading. The basic equation is as follows:

$$\text{Corrected Amplitude} = \text{Meter Reading} + \text{Antenna Factor} + \text{Cable Loss} - \text{Amplifier Gain}$$

The “**Margin**” column of the following data tables indicates the degree of compliance with the applicable limit. For example, a margin of 7dB means the emission is 7dB below the limit. The equation for margin calculation is as follows:

$$\text{Margin} = \text{Limit} - \text{Corrected Amplitude}$$

Test Data

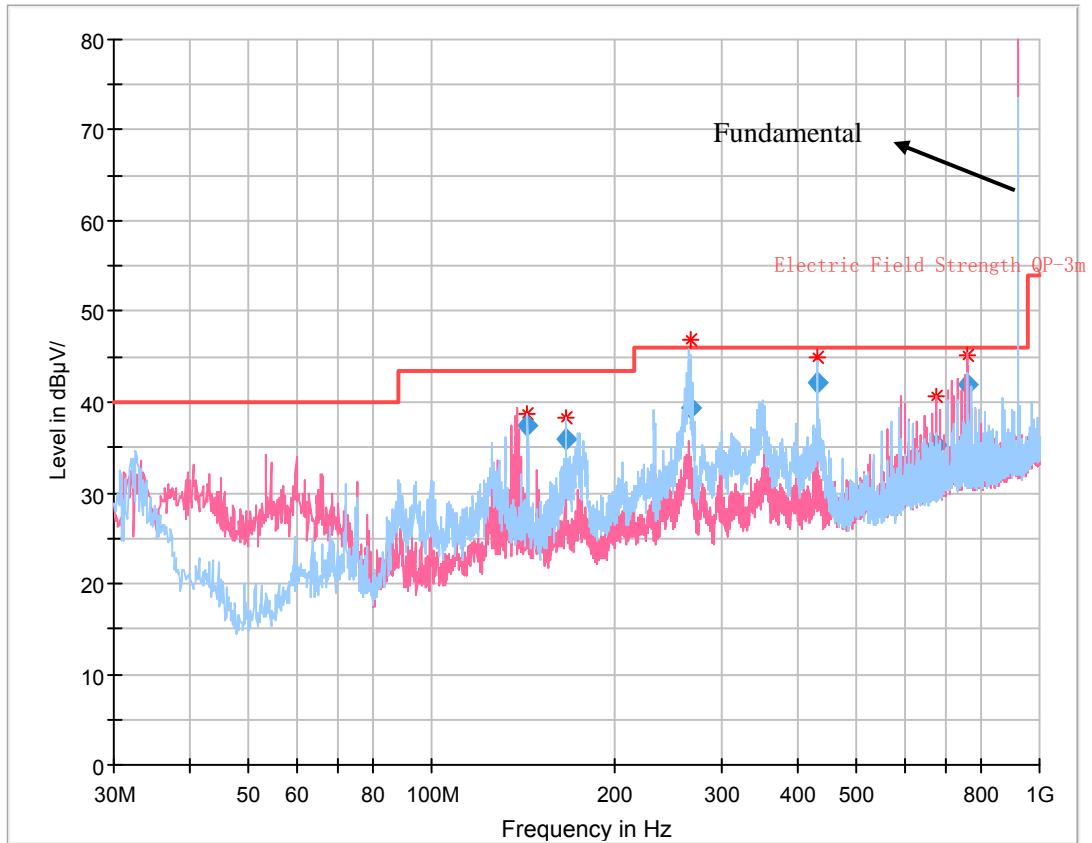
Environmental Conditions

Temperature:	21~24.1 °C
Relative Humidity:	44~52 %
ATM Pressure:	101.0~101.1 kPa

The testing was performed by Harris He on 2021-03-01 for below 1G and Troy Wang on 2021-03-05 for above 1G

Test mode: Transmitting

30MHz-1GHz: (High channel was worst case)



Final Result

Frequency (MHz)	QuasiPeak (dB µ V/m)	Limit (dB µ V/m)	Margin (dB)	Height (cm)	Pol	Azimuth (deg)	Corr. (dB)
143.975000	37.39	43.50	6.11	296.0	V	257.0	-4.7
166.302000	35.93	43.50	7.57	169.0	H	108.0	-6.0
265.800750	39.38	46.00	6.62	148.0	H	347.0	-5.2
432.000125	42.19	46.00	3.81	104.0	H	0.0	-0.2
676.652750	35.21	46.00	10.79	141.0	V	274.0	4.1
760.362125	41.93	46.00	4.07	400.0	V	246.0	5.5

Above 1GHz:

Frequency (MHz)	Receiver		Turntable Degree	Rx Antenna		Corrected Factor (dB/m)	Corrected Amplitude (dBµV/m)	FCC Part 15.247/205/209	
	Reading (dBµV)	PK/QP/Ave.		Height (m)	Polar (H/V)			Limit (dBµV/m)	Margin (dB)
Low Channel (923.3 MHz)									
1846.60	43.02	PK	177	1.4	V	-1.55	41.47	74	32.53
1846.60	28.27	Ave.	177	1.4	V	-1.55	26.72	54	27.28
2769.90	43.15	PK	46	1.2	V	1.42	44.57	74	29.43
2769.90	28.32	Ave.	46	1.2	V	1.42	29.74	54	24.26
3693.20	42.56	PK	337	1.5	V	3.16	45.72	74	28.28
3693.20	27.61	Ave.	337	1.5	V	3.16	30.77	54	23.23
Middle Channel(925.1 MHz)									
1850.20	43.12	PK	83	2.5	V	-1.26	41.86	74	32.14
1850.20	28.31	Ave.	83	2.5	V	-1.26	27.05	54	26.95
2775.30	43.18	PK	295	1.7	V	1.42	44.60	74	29.40
2775.30	28.30	Ave.	295	1.7	V	1.42	29.72	54	24.28
3700.40	43.02	PK	328	1.0	V	3.16	46.18	74	27.82
3700.40	28.18	Ave.	328	1.0	V	3.16	31.34	54	22.66
High Channel(927.5 MHz)									
1855.00	42.89	PK	90	2.0	V	-1.16	41.73	74	32.27
1855.00	28.24	Ave.	90	2.0	V	-1.16	27.08	54	26.92
2782.50	43.14	PK	108	1.1	V	1.42	44.56	74	29.44
2782.50	28.31	Ave.	108	1.1	V	1.42	29.73	54	24.27
3710.00	43.15	PK	128	1.2	V	3.16	46.31	74	27.69
3710.00	28.26	Ave.	128	1.2	V	3.16	31.42	54	22.58

Note:

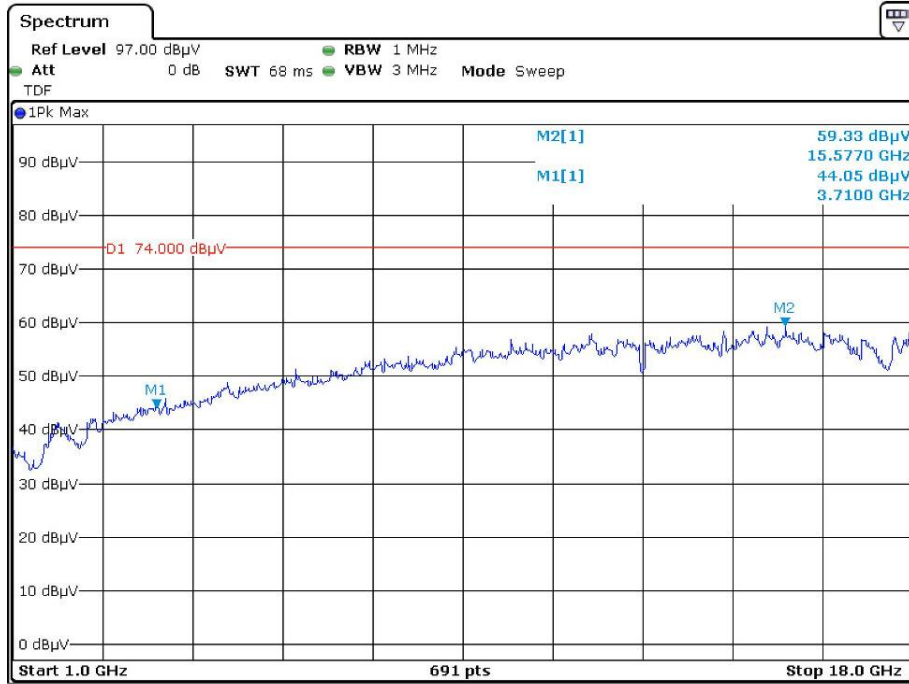
Corrected Factor = Antenna factor (RX) + Cable Loss – Amplifier Factor

Corrected Amplitude = Corrected Factor + Reading

Margin = Limit - Corrected. Amplitude

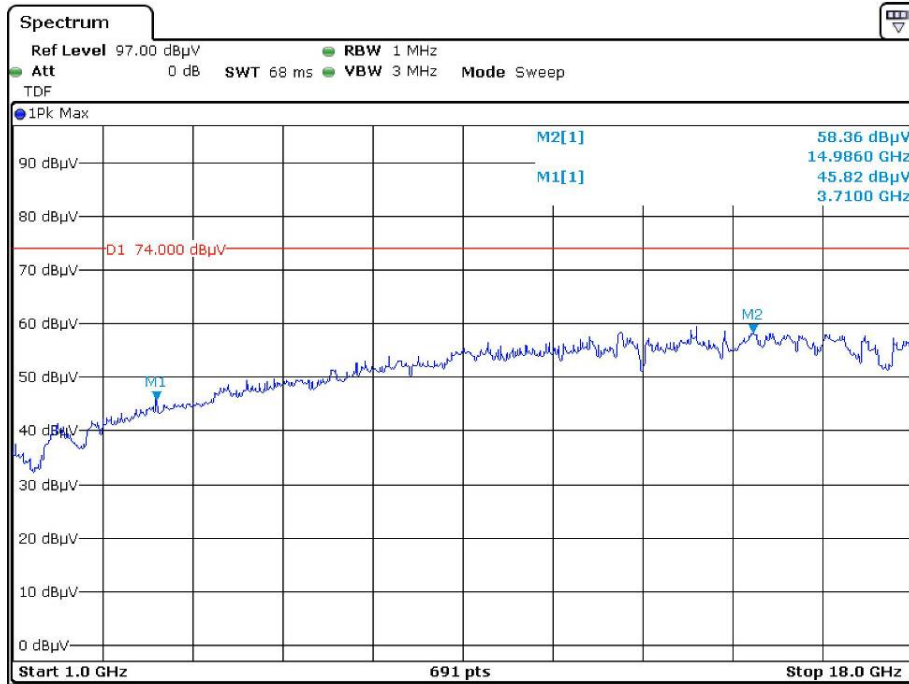
The other spurious emission which is 20dB to the limit was not recorded.

Pre-scan with High channel for Peak Horizontal



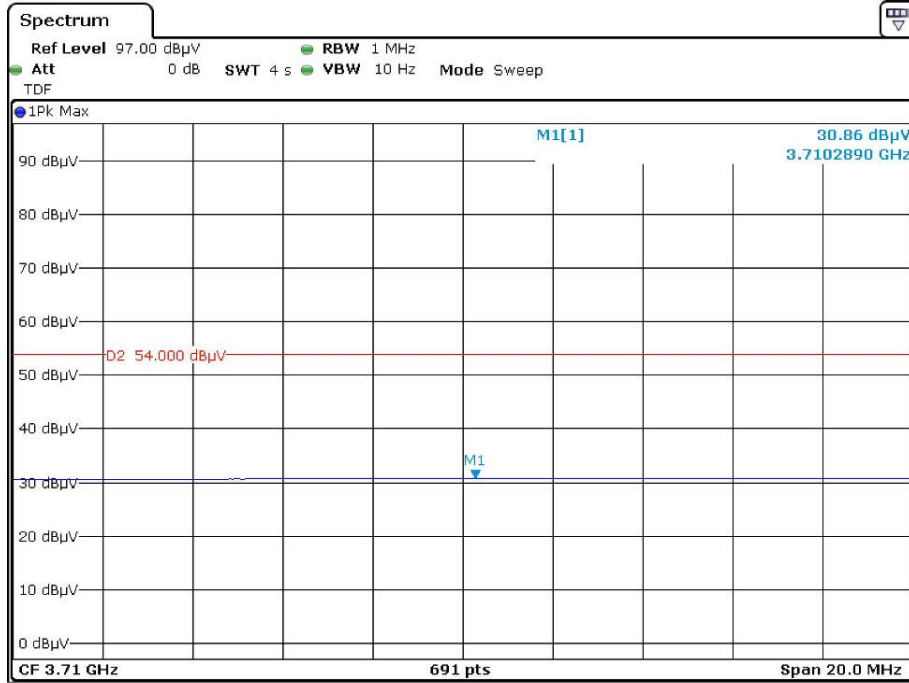
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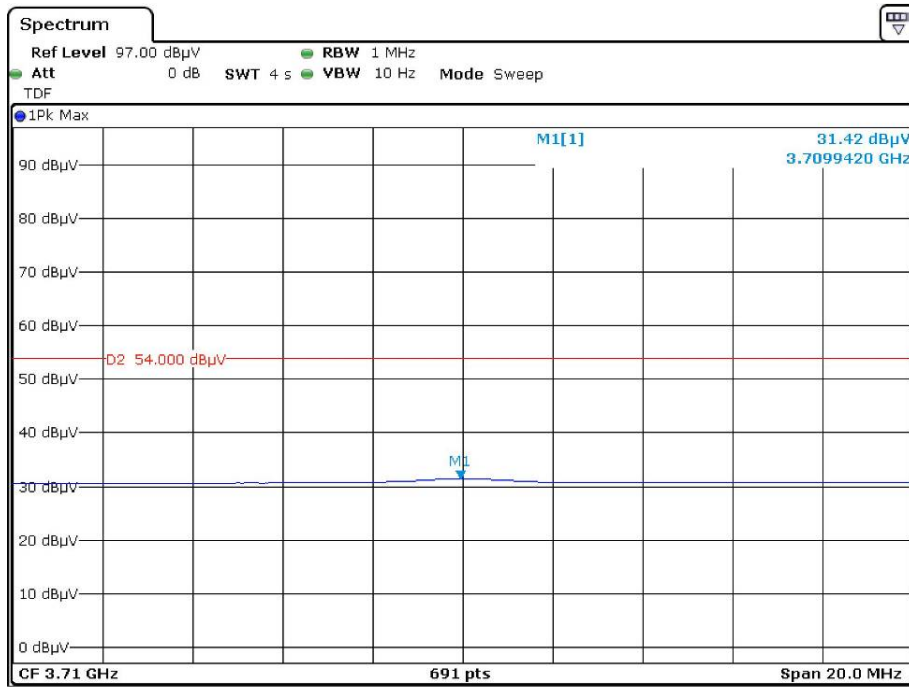
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