

# FHHS EMC Test Report

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**Canada: IC RSS-247v2** (Emissions)

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## GC-ESP32-ETH

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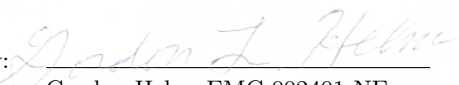
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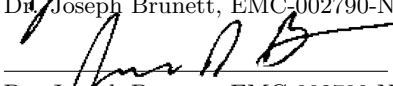
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## **1 Test Report Scope and Limitations**

### **1.1 Laboratory Authorization**

Test Facility description and attenuation characteristics are on file with the FCC Laboratory, Columbia, Maryland (FCC Reg. No: US5348 and US5356) and with ISED Canada, Ottawa, ON (File Ref. No: 3161A and 24249). Amber Helm Development L.C. holds accreditation under NVLAP Lab Code 200129-0.

### **1.2 Report Retention**

For equipment verified to comply with the regulations herein, the manufacturer is obliged to retain this report with the product records for the life of the product, and no less than ten years. A copy of this Report will remain on file with this laboratory until April 2031.

### **1.3 Subcontracted Testing**

This report does not contain data produced under subcontract.

### **1.4 Test Data**

This test report contains data included within the laboratory's scope of accreditation.

### **1.5 Limitation of Results**

The test results contained in this report relate only to the item(s) tested. Any electrical or mechanical modification made to the test item subsequent to the test date shall invalidate the data presented in this report. Any electrical or mechanical modification made to the test item subsequent to this test date shall require reevaluation.

### **1.6 Copyright**

This report shall not be reproduced, except in full, without the written approval of Amber Helm Development L.C.

### **1.7 Endorsements**

This report shall not be used to claim product endorsement by any accrediting, regulatory, or governmental agency.

## 1.8 Test Location

The EUT was fully tested by **Amber Helm Development L.C.**, headquartered at 92723 Michigan Hwy-152, Sister Lakes, Michigan 49047 USA. Table 1 lists all sites employed herein. Specific test sites utilized are also listed in the test results sections of this report where needed.

Table 1: Test Site List.

| Description    | Location  | Quality Num. |
|----------------|---|--------------|
| OATS (3 meter) | 3615 E Grand River Rd., Williamston, Michigan 48895 | OATSC        |

## 1.9 Traceability and Equipment Used

Pertinent test equipment used for measurements at this facility is listed in Table 2. The quality system employed at Amber Helm Development L.C. has been established to ensure all equipment has a clearly identifiable classification, calibration expiry date, and that all calibrations are traceable to the SI through NIST, other recognized national laboratories, accepted fundamental or natural physical constants, ratio type of calibration, or by comparison to consensus standards.

Table 2: Equipment List.

| Description          | Manufacturer/Model       | SN        | Quality Num. | Cal/Ver By / Date Due |
|----------------------|--------------------------|-----------|--------------|-----------------------|
| Spectrum Analyzer    | R & S / FPC1000          | 101060    | RSFPC1K01    | RS / Jan-2022         |
| Spectrum Analyzer    | R & S / FSW26            | 101873    | RSFSW2601    | RS / Sept-2021        |
| Biconical            | EMCO / 93110B            | 9802-3039 | BICEMCO01    | Keysight / Aug-2023   |
| Log Periodic Antenna | EMCO / 3146              | 9305-3614 | LOGEMCO01    | Keysight / Aug-2023   |
| Quad Ridge Horn      | Singer / A6100           | C35200    | HQR1TO18S01  | Keysight / Aug-2022   |
| BNC-BNC Coax         | WRTL / RG58/U            | 001       | CAB001-BLACK | AHD / Oct-2021        |
| 3.5-3.5MM Coax       | PhaseFlex / PhaseFlex    | 001       | CAB015-PURP  | AHD / Jul-2022        |
| K-Band Horn          | JEF / NRL Std.           | 001       | HRNK01       | AHD / Jul-2022        |
| LISN                 | Solar / 8012-50-R-24-BNC | 970917    | LISNB        | AHD / March-2022      |

## 2 Test Specifications and Procedures

### 2.1 Test Specification and General Procedures

The goal of Grid Connect, Inc. is to demonstrate that the Equipment Under Test (EUT) complies with the Rules and/or Directives below. Detailed in this report are the results of testing the Grid Connect, Inc. GC-ESP32-ETH for compliance to:

| Country/Region | Rules or Directive          | Referenced Section(s)     |
|----------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| United States  | Code of Federal Regulations | CFR Title 47, Part 15.247 |
| Canada         | ISED Canada                 | IC RSS-247v2              |

It has been determined that the equipment under test is subject to the rules and directives above at the date of this testing. In conjunction with these rules and directives, the following specifications and procedures are followed herein to demonstrate compliance (in whole or in part) with these regulations.

|                          |   |
|--------------------------|---|
| ANSI C63.4:2014          | "Methods of Measurement of Radio-Noise Emissions from Low-Voltage Electrical and Electronic Equipment in the Range of 9 kHz to 40 GHz"  |
| ANSI C63.10:2013         | "American National Standard of Procedures for Compliance Testing of Unlicensed Wireless Devices"  |
| KDB 558074 D01 v05r02    | "GUIDANCE FOR COMPLIANCE MEASUREMENTS ON DIGITAL TRANSMISSION SYSTEM, FREQUENCY HOPPING SPREAD SPECTRUM SYSTEM, AND HYBRID SYSTEM DEVICES OPERATING UNDER SECTION 15.247 OF THE FCC RULES " |
| TP0102RA                 | "AHD Internal Document TP0102 - Radiated Emissions Test Procedure"  |
| ISED Canada              | "The Measurement of Occupied Bandwidth"   |
| ICES-003; Issue 7 (2020) | "Information Technology Equipment (ITE) - Limits and methods of measurement"  |

### 3 Configuration and Identification of the Equipment Under Test

#### 3.1 Description and Declarations

The EUT is a wireless transceiver. The EUT is approximately 3.4 x 2.2 x 0.3 cm in dimension, and is depicted in Figure 1. It is powered by 3.3 VDC external supply. This product is used as modular transceiver with WLAN, BLE, and Bluetooth modes. Table 3 outlines provider declared EUT specifications.

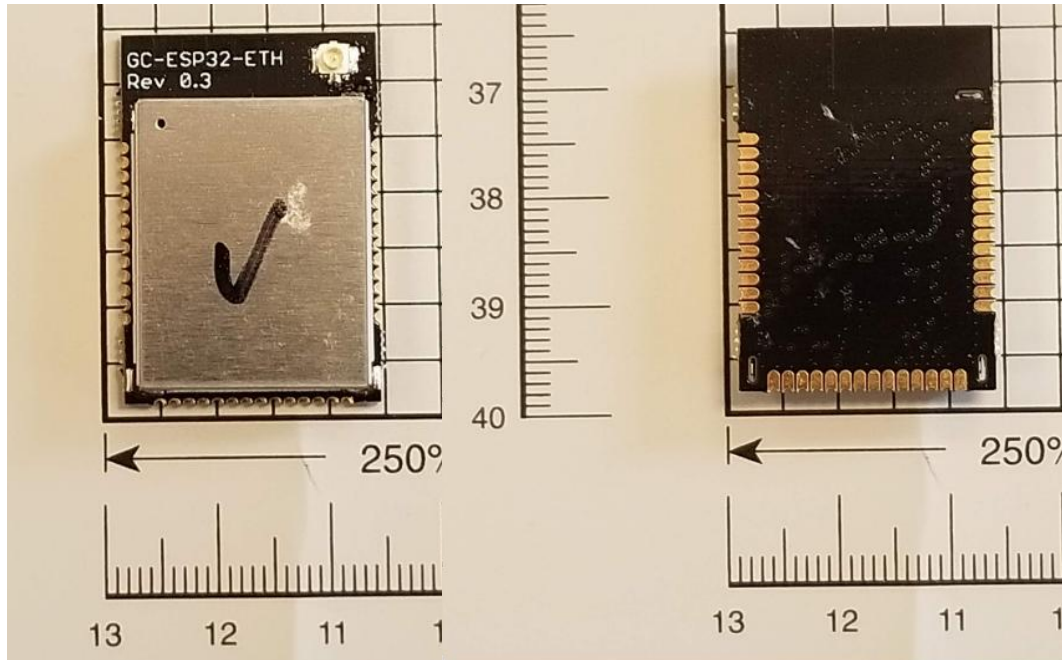


Figure 1: Photos of EUT.

Table 3: EUT Declarations.

| General Declarations       |                                    |
|----------------------------|------------------------------------|
| <b>Equipment Type:</b>     | Bluetooth Module                   |
| <b>Country of Origin:</b>  | Not Declared                       |
| <b>Nominal Supply:</b>     | 3.3 VDC                            |
| <b>Oper. Temp Range:</b>   | not declared                       |
| <b>Frequency Range:</b>    | 2402 – 2480 MHz                    |
| <b>Antenna Dimension:</b>  | Integral                           |
| <b>Antenna Type:</b>       | Whip, Trace                        |
| <b>Antenna Gain:</b>       | Whip(5dBi), Trace(3.8dBi) declared |
| <b>Number of Channels:</b> | 79                                 |
| <b>Channel Spacing:</b>    | 1 MHz                              |
| <b>Alignment Range:</b>    | Not Declared                       |
| <b>Type of Modulation:</b> | GFSK, pi/4-DPSK, 8DPSK             |
| United States              |                                    |
| <b>FCC ID Number:</b>      | 2AFC3ESP32P001                     |
| <b>Classification:</b>     | DTS                                |
| Canada                     |                                    |
| <b>IC Number:</b>          | 22503-ESP32P001                    |
| <b>Classification:</b>     | Spread Spectrum (24002483.5 MHz)   |



### 3.1.1 EUT Configuration

The EUT is configured for testing as depicted in Figure 2.

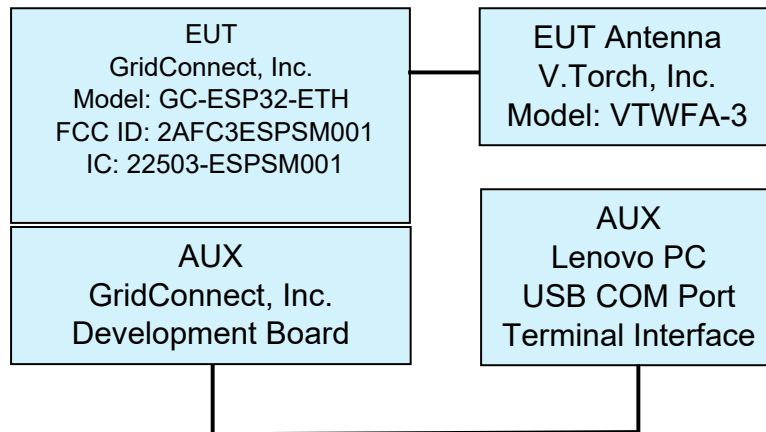


Figure 2: EUT Test Configuration Diagram.

### 3.1.2 Modes of Operation

The EUT is capable of operating as a Bluetooth 4.2 BR/EDR device employing GFSK, pi/4-DPSK, and 8DPSK modulations at 1, 2, and 3 Mbps data rates. Test samples were placed into worst-case operating states (highest data rate, highest operating power that may be employed in each mode) using a PC serial UART interface that could be attached and detached from the EUT interface board.

### 3.1.3 Variants

There is only a single version of the EUT.

### 3.1.4 Test Samples

Two samples of the EUT were provided for emissions testing. Both sample modules were tested when mounted onto a development PCB which provided UART and dc power interface to the module.

### 3.1.5 Functional Exerciser

Normal functionality was confirmed by measurement of transmitted signals.

### 3.1.6 Modifications Made

There were no modifications made to the EUT by this laboratory. Manufacturer states all modules manufactured will be firmware set with power setting levels equal to those tested herein.

### 3.1.7 Production Intent

The EUT appears to be a production ready sample.

### 3.1.8 Declared Exemptions and Additional Product Notes

The EUT is also capable of WLAN and BLE protocols, which are addressed in a separate test report. There is only one RFIC radio populated on this product and thus only a single radio mode may be active at a given time.

## 4 Emissions

### 4.1 General Test Procedures

#### 4.1.1 Radiated Test Setup and Procedures

Radiated electromagnetic emissions from the EUT are first pre-scanned in our screen room. Spectrum and modulation characteristics of all emissions are recorded. Instrumentation, including spectrum analyzers and other test equipment as detailed in Section 1.8 are employed. After pre-scan, emission measurements are made on the test site of record. If the EUT connects to auxiliary equipment and is table or floor standing, the configurations prescribed in relevant test standards are followed. Alternatively, a layout closest to normal use (as declared by the provider) is employed if the resulting emissions appear to be worst-case in such a configuration. See Figure 3. All intentionally radiating elements that are not fixed-mounted in use are placed on the test table lying flat, on their side, and on their end (3-axes) and the resulting worst case emissions are recorded. If the EUT is fixed-mounted in use, measurements are made with the device oriented in the manner consistent with installation and then emissions are recorded. If the EUT exhibits spurious emissions due to internal receiver circuitry, such emissions are measured with an appropriate carrier signal applied.

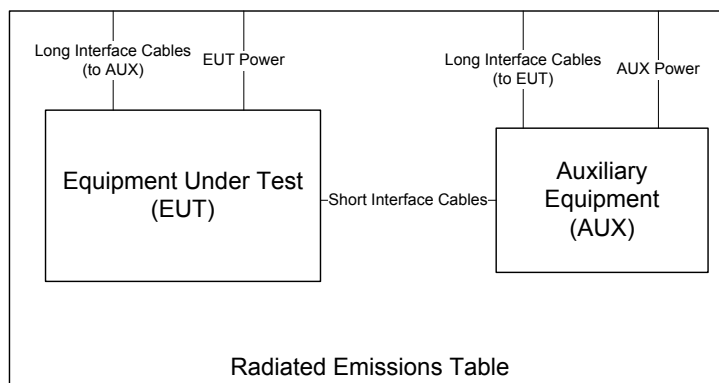


Figure 3: Radiated Emissions Diagram of the EUT.

For devices with intentional emissions below 30 MHz, a shielded loop antenna and/or E-field and H-Field broadband probes are used depending on the regulations. Shielded loops are placed at a 1 meter receive height at the desired measurement distance. For exposure in this band, the broadband probes employed are 10cm diameter single-axis shielded transducers and measurements are repeated and summed over three axes.

Emissions between 30 MHz and 1 GHz are measured using calibrated broadband antennas. For both horizontal and vertical polarizations, the test antenna is raised and lowered from 1 to 4 m in height until a maximum emission level is detected. The EUT is then rotated through  $360^\circ$  in azimuth until the highest emission is detected. The test antenna is then raised and lowered one last time from 1 to 4 m and the worst case value is recorded. Emissions above 1 GHz are characterized using standard gain or broadband ridge-horn antennas on our OATS with a  $4 \times 5$  m rectangle of ECCOSORB absorber covering the OATS ground screen and a 1.5m table height. Care is taken to ensure that test receiver resolution and video bandwidths meet the regulatory requirements, and that the emission bandwidth of the EUT is not reduced. Photographs of the test setup employed are depicted in Figure 4.

Where regulations allow for direct measurement of field strength, power values (dBm) measured on the test receiver / analyzer are converted to  $\text{dB}\mu\text{V}/\text{m}$  at the regulatory distance, using

$$E_{dist} = 107 + P_R + K_A - K_G + K_E - C_F$$

where  $P_R$  is the power recorded on spectrum analyzer, in dBm,  $K_A$  is the test antenna factor in dB/m,  $K_G$  is the combined pre-amplifier gain and cable loss in dB,  $K_E$  is duty correction factor (when applicable) in dB, and  $C_F$  is a distance conversion (employed only if limits are specified at alternate distance) in dB. This field strength value is then compared with the regulatory limit. If effective isotropic radiated power (EIRP) is computed, it is computed as

$$EIRP(\text{dBm}) = E_{3m}(\text{dB}\mu\text{V}/\text{m}) - 95.2.$$

When presenting data at each frequency, the highest measured emission under all possible EUT orientations (3-axes) is reported.



Figure 4: Radiated Emissions Test Setup Photograph(s).

#### 4.1.2 Conducted Emissions Test Setup and Procedures

**Transmit Antenna Port Conducted Emissions** At least one sample EUT supplied for testing was provided with a  $50\Omega$  antenna port. Conducted transmit chain emissions measurements (where applicable) are made by connecting the EUT antenna port directly to the test receiver port. Photographs of the test setup employed are depicted in Figure 5.



Figure 5: Conducted RF Test Setup Photograph(s).

#### 4.1.3 Power Supply Variation

Tests at extreme supply voltages are made if required by the procedures specified in the test standard, and results of this testing are detailed in this report.

## 4.2 Intentional Emissions

### 4.2.1 Duty and Transmission Cycle, Pulsed Operation

The details and results of testing the EUT for pulsed operation are summarized in Table 4.

Table 4: Pulsed Emission Characteristics (Duty Cycle).

**Test Date:** 23-Apr-21  
**Test Engineer:** Joseph Brunett  
**EUT:** GridConnect ESP32-ETH  
**Meas. Distance:** Conducted

| Test Mode Pulsed Operation / Average Measurement Duty Cycle |   |                       |                    |              |                   |                      |                |                 |                             |
|---|---|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|-------------------|----------------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------------------|
| #   | Transmit Mode   | Symbol Rate<br>Msym/s | Data Rate<br>Mbps  | Voltage<br>V | Oper. Freq<br>MHz | Tx Cycle Time*<br>ms | On-Time*<br>ms | Duty Cycle<br>% | Power Duty Correction<br>dB |
| R1  | CM  | 1.000                 | GFSK (1 Mbps)      | 3.3          | 2441.0            | 10.000               | 5.800          | 58.0            | -2.4                        |
| R2  |   | 1.000                 | Pi/4 DPSK (2 Mbps) | 3.3          | 2441.0            | 10.025               | 5.800          | 57.9            | -2.4                        |
| R3  |   | 1.000                 | 8DPSK (3 Mbps)     | 3.3          | 2441.0            | 10.000               | 5.850          | 58.5            | -2.3                        |
| R4  | NOTE: SUPPLY VOLTAGE TO THE EUT WAS VARIED FROM 2 V TO 4 V DC. BELOW 2.3 VDC THE EUT DID NOT OPERATE. ABOVE 3.6 |                       |                    |              |                   |                      |                |                 |                             |
| R5  | VDC THE EUT OVERHEATED AND STOPPED OPERATING. WORST CASE EMISSIONS OBSERVED AT NOMINAL 3.3 VDC.                 |                       |                    |              |                   |                      |                |                 |                             |
| #   | C1  | C2                    | C3                 | C4           | C5                | C6                   | C7             | C8              | C9                          |

### 4.2.2 Hopping Channel Dwell Time

The average time of occupancy on any hopping channel must not be greater than 0.4 seconds within a 20 second period for FHSS device with 50 operating channels. For this test, the EUT was set for data transmission with hopping enabled. Results of this testing are depicted in Table 5. Plots showing example measurements made to obtain these values are provided in Figure 6.

Table 5: Hopping Channel Dwell Time.

|                        |            |                     |                        |                        |                       |
|------------------------|------------|---------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Frequency Range</b> | <b>Det</b> | <b>IF Bandwidth</b> | <b>Video Bandwidth</b> | <b>Test Date:</b>      | 23-Apr-21             |
| 25 MHz ≤ f ≤ 1 000 MHz | Pk/QPk     | 100/120 kHz         | 300 kHz                | <b>Test Engineer:</b>  | Joseph Brunett        |
| f > 1 000 MHz          | Pk         | 1 MHz               | 3 MHz                  | <b>EUT:</b>            | GridConnect ESP32-ETH |
|                        |            |                     |                        | <b>Meas. Distance:</b> | Conducted             |

| Dwell Time |             |                 |          |                        |              |                   |                     |           |           |
|------------|-------------|-----------------|----------|------------------------|--------------|-------------------|---------------------|-----------|-----------|
| #          | Packet Type | Frequency (MHz) | # Bursts | Observation Time (sec) | Window (sec) | Active Time (sec) | Total On Time** (s) | Limit (s) | Pass/Fail |
| R1         | DH1 (min)   | 2441.0          | 132      | 33.0                   | 33.0         | 0.00039           | 0.0510              | <0.4      | Pass      |
| R2         | DH5 (max)   | 2441.0          | 87       | 33.0                   | 33.0         | 0.00291           | 0.2532              | <0.4      | Pass      |
| #          | C1          | C2              | C3       | C4                     | C5           | C6                | C7                  | C8        | C9        |

\* Dwell Time Observed with EUT placed into self-test hopping mode via PC interface.

\*\*The measured dwell time may not indicate the actual single channel dwell time of the DUT. A dwell time of 0.3797 seconds in data mode is independent from the packet type (packet length) for all Bluetooth devices. Therefore, Bluetooth devices comply with the dwell time requirement.

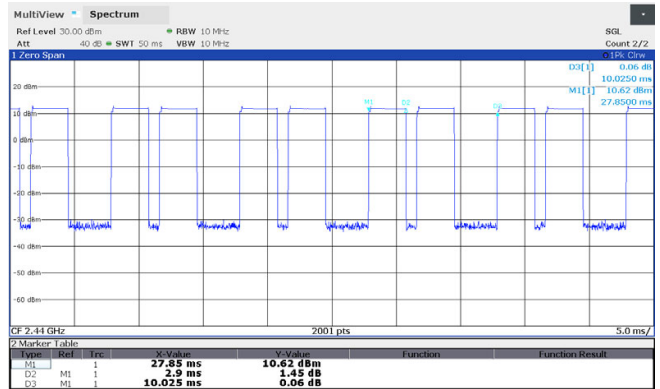
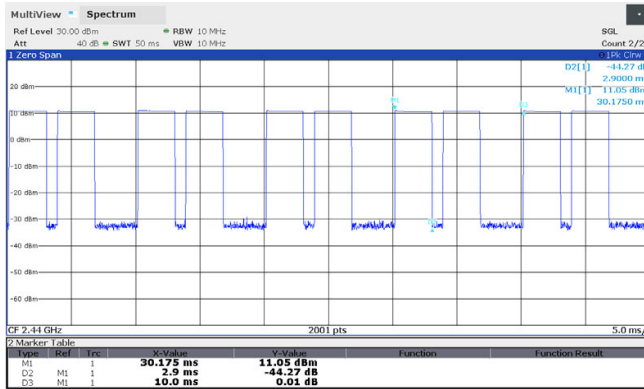


Figure 6(a): Example Plots of Duty Cycle and Channel Dwell Time.

### Dwell Time

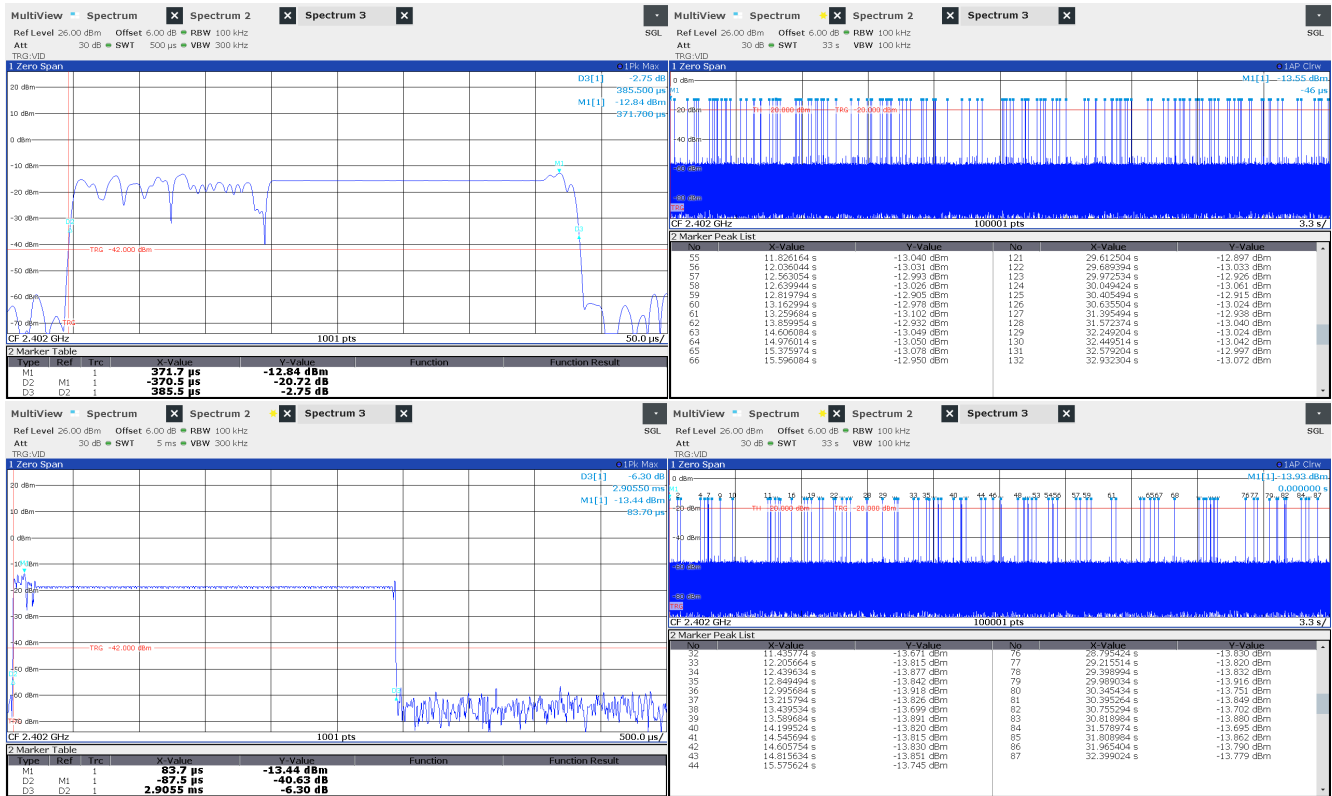


Figure 6(b): Example Plots of Duty Cycle and Channel Dwell Time.



### 4.2.3 Hopping Sequence and Spectrum Use

It is required that the EUT hop to channel frequencies that are selected at the system hopping rate from a pseudo randomly ordered list of hopping frequencies. Each frequency must be used equally on the average. In addition, system receivers are required to have input bandwidths that match the hopping channel bandwidths of their corresponding transmitters and that shift frequencies in synchronization with the transmitted signals. Furthermore, the system must be designed to comply should the transmitter be presented with a continuous data (or information) stream. In addition, a system employing short transmission bursts must comply with the definition of a frequency hopping system and must distribute its transmissions over the minimum number of hopping channels specified in this section. Finally, the incorporation of intelligence within a frequency hopping spread spectrum system that permits the system to recognize other users within the spectrum band so that it individually and independently chooses and adapts its hopsets to avoid hopping on occupied channels is permitted. The coordination of frequency hopping systems in any other manner for the express purpose of avoiding the simultaneous occupancy of individual hopping frequencies by multiple transmitters is not permitted.

The manufacturer has provided a separate exhibit addressing these items.

### 4.2.4 Channel Bandwidth

For this test, the EUT was set continuous data transmission (hopping disabled) in each modulation. The 20-dB bandwidth as well as 99% emission bandwidth were measured for the low, middle, and high channels. Results of these measurements are shown in Table 6. Plots showing example measurements employed to obtain this data are provided in Figure 9.

Table 6: Intentional Emission Bandwidth.

**Frequency Range**  
f > 1 000 MHz

**Det** Pk  
**IFBW** 100 kHz  
**VBW** 1 MHz

**Test Date:** 04/23/21  
**Test Engineer:** Joseph Brunett  
**EUT** GridConnect ESP32-ETH  
**Meas. Distance:** Conducted

| Occupied Bandwidth |               |                      |                   |             |                  |               |                     |               |                |           |
|--------------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------|-------------|------------------|---------------|---------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------|
| #                  | Transmit Mode | Symbol Rate (Msym/s) | Data Rate* (Mbps) | Voltage (V) | Oper. Freq (MHz) | 6 dB BW (MHz) | 6 dB BW Limit (MHz) | 99% OBW (MHz) | 20 dB BW (MHz) | Pass/Fail |
| R1                 | GFSK          | 1                    | 1.0               | 3.3         | 2402.0           | -             | -                   | 0.912         | 1.071          | Pass      |
| R2                 |               |                      |                   |             | 2441.0           | -             | -                   | 0.905         | 1.041          | Pass      |
| R3                 |               |                      |                   |             | 2480.0           | -             | -                   | 0.901         | 1.048          | Pass      |
| R4                 | PI/4 DQPSK    | 1                    | 2.0               | 3.3         | 2402.0           | -             | -                   | 1.193         | 1.342          | Pass      |
| R5                 |               |                      |                   |             | 2441.0           | -             | -                   | 1.192         | 1.342          | Pass      |
| R6                 |               |                      |                   |             | 2480.0           | -             | -                   | 1.193         | 1.342          | Pass      |
| R7                 | 8QPSK         | 1                    | 3.0               | 3.3         | 2402.0           | -             | -                   | 1.176         | 1.304          | Pass      |
| R8                 |               |                      |                   |             | 2441.0           | -             | -                   | 1.175         | 1.306          | Pass      |
| R9                 |               |                      |                   |             | 2480.0           | -             | -                   | 1.181         | 1.312          | Pass      |
| #                  | C1            | C2                   | C3                | C4          | C5               | C6            | C7                  | C8            | C9             | C10       |

\* Over all modes of operation, the worst case (highest data rate) in each form of modulation was tested to demonstrate compliance. For GFSK, worst test pattern employed F0F0 dataset, for pi/4-DQPSK the PN15 dataset, for 8-DQPSK the PN15 dataset.

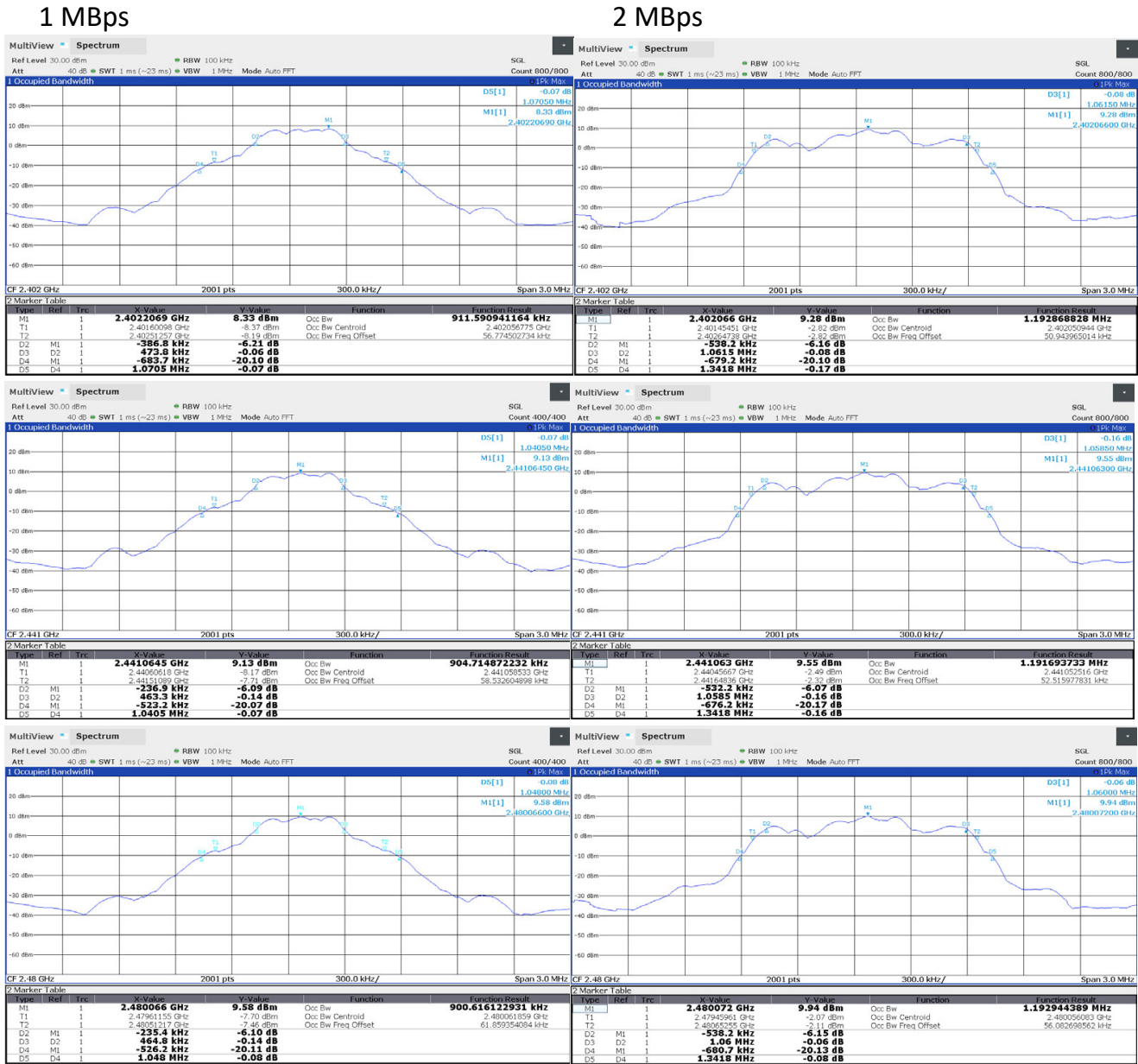


Figure 7(a): Intentional Emission Bandwidth.

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Figure 7(b): Intentional Emission Bandwidth.

### 4.2.5 Number of Hopping Channels

For this test, the EUT was enabled for data transmission with hopping. The number of channels measured is reported here in Table 7. Plots showing example measurements employed to obtain this data are provided in Figure 8.

Table 7: Measured Number of Hopping Channels.

|                        |            |                     |                        |                        |                       |
|------------------------|------------|---------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Frequency Range</b> | <b>Det</b> | <b>IF Bandwidth</b> | <b>Video Bandwidth</b> | <b>Test Date:</b>      | 23-Apr-21             |
| 25 MHz ≤ f ≤ 1 000 MHz | Pk/QPk     | 100/120 kHz         | 300 kHz                | <b>Test Engineer:</b>  | Joseph Brunett        |
| f > 1 000 MHz          | Pk         | 100 kHz             | 3 MHz                  | <b>EUT:</b>            | GridConnect ESP32-ETH |
|                        |            |                     |                        | <b>Meas. Distance:</b> | Conducted             |

| Number of Hopping Channels |                       |                      |                                 |                  |           |           |
|----------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Mode                       | Start Frequency (MHz) | Stop Frequency (MHz) | Number of Channels Observed (#) | Total Number (#) | Limit (#) | Pass/Fail |
| GFSK Hopping               | 2400.0                | 2483.5               | 79                              | 79               | 15.0      | Pass      |

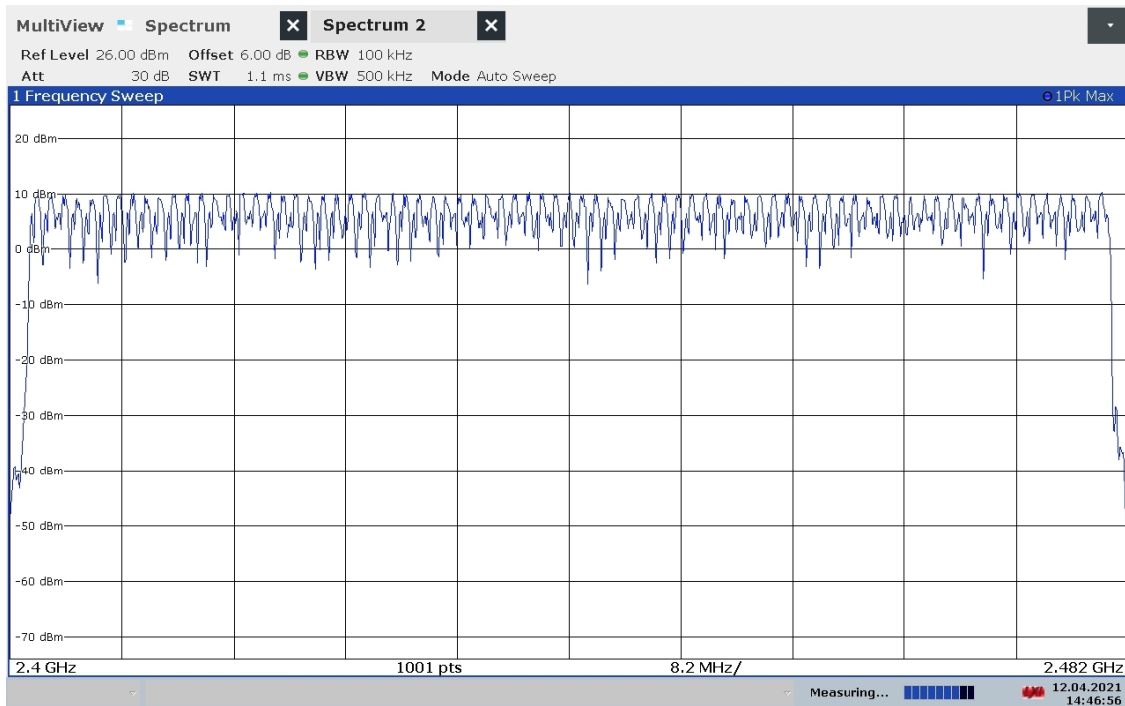


Figure 8: Measured Number of Hopping Channels.

### 4.2.6 Channel Separation

For this test, the EUT was enabled for data transmission with hopping. The Carrier Separation was measured for low, mid, and high channels. Results of these measurements are shown in Table 8.

Table 8: Measured Channel Separation.

|                        |            |                     |                        |                        |                       |
|------------------------|------------|---------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Frequency Range</b> | <b>Det</b> | <b>IF Bandwidth</b> | <b>Video Bandwidth</b> | <b>Test Date:</b>      | 23-Apr-21             |
| 25 MHz ≤ f ≤ 1 000 MHz | Pk/QPk     | 100/120 kHz         | 300 kHz                | <b>Test Engineer:</b>  | Joseph Brunett        |
| f > 1 000 MHz          | Pk         | 100 kHz             | 3 MHz                  | <b>EUT</b>             | GridConnect ESP32-ETH |
|                        |            |                     |                        | <b>Meas. Distance:</b> | Conducted             |

| Hopping Frequency Separation |  |                              |                   |                          |           |
|------------------------------|--|------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|-----------|
| Mode                         | Low Channel Frequency (MHz)  | High Channel Frequency (MHz) | *Separation (MHz) | **Separation Limit (kHz) | Pass/Fail |
| GFSK                         | 2402.0   | 2403.0                       | 0.983             | >900                     | Pass      |
|                              | 2441.0   | 2442.0                       | 0.972             | >900                     | Pass      |
|                              | 2479.0   | 2480.0                       | 1.040             | >900                     | Pass      |
| Pi/4DQPSK                    | Channel Separation is the same for all modulations in a Bluetooth transceiver. Only worst-case GFSK modulation was tested to demonstrate compliance. |                              |                   |                          |           |
| 8DQPSK                       |  |                              |                   |                          |           |

\* Channel Separation Observed with the Device hopping over all available channels.

\*\* Channel separation must be >2/3 20dB EBW according to §15.247 (a)(1)

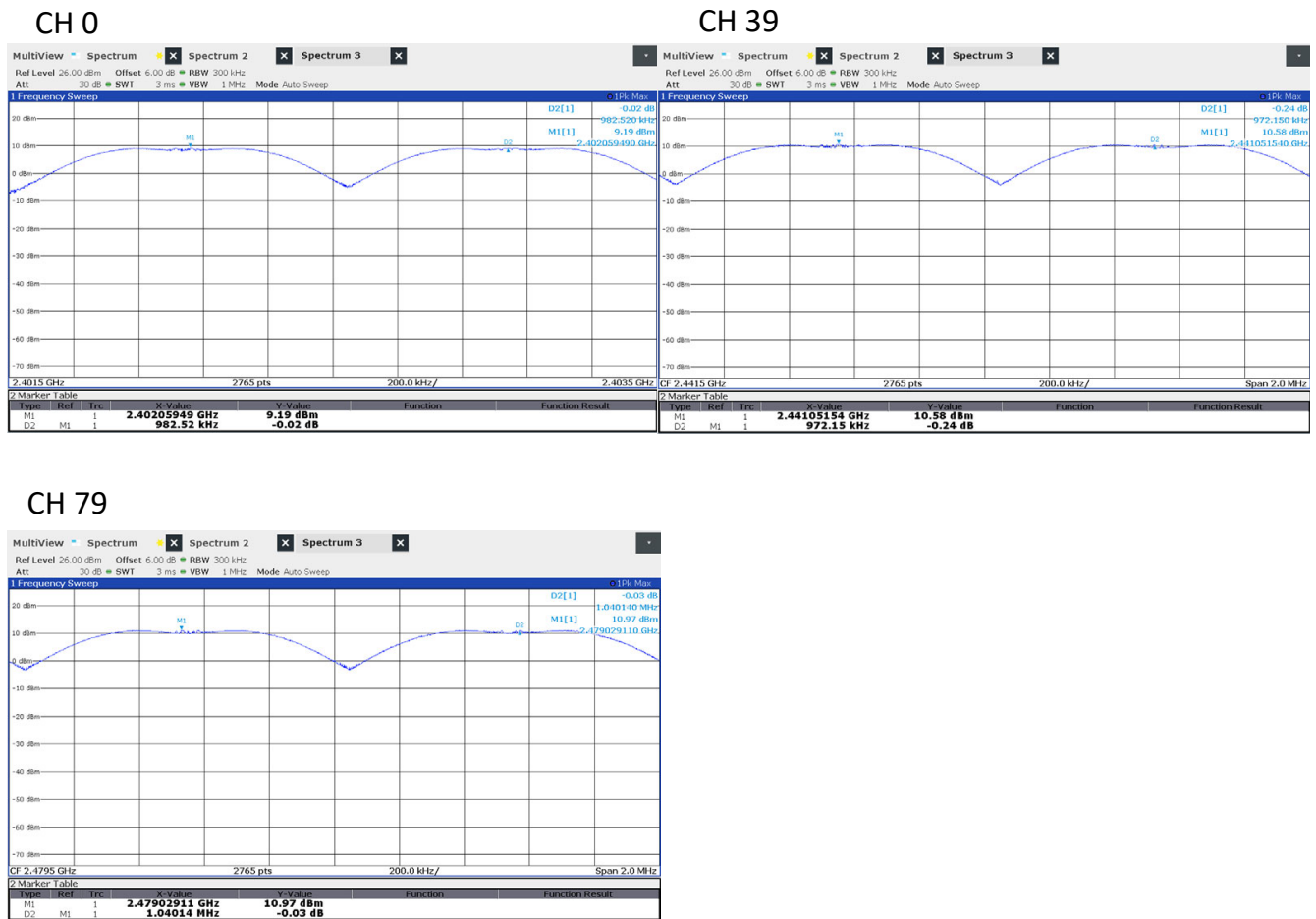


Figure 9: Measured Channel Separation.

**4.2.7 Effective Isotropic Radiated Power**

The EUT’s radiated power is computed from antenna port conducted power measurements and the gain of the EUT antenna(s). Where the EUT is not sold with an antenna connector, a modified product has been provided including such. The results of this testing are summarized in Table 9. Peak conducted output power was measured

Table 9: Radiated Power Results.

|                        |            |                        |                   |
|------------------------|------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Frequency Range</b> | <b>Det</b> | <b>Test Date:</b>      | 23-Apr-21         |
| f > 1 000 MHz          | Pk         | <b>Test Engineer:</b>  | J. Brunett        |
| <b>IFBW</b> <b>VBW</b> |            | <b>EUT:</b>            | GridConnect ESP32 |
| 2 MHz 5 MHz            |            | <b>Meas. Distance:</b> | Conducted         |

| #  | Mode              | Channel | Freq. MHz | *Pout (Pk) dBm | Ant Gain** dBi | EIRP (Pk) dBm | ***EIRP (Avg) Limit dBm | Pass dB     | FCC/IC   |
|----|-------------------|---------|-----------|----------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------------|-------------|----------|
|    |                   |         |           |                |                |               |                         |             | Comments |
| R1 | GFSK (1Mbps)      |         | 2402.0    | 9.7            | 5.0            | 14.7          | 27.0                    | 12.3        |          |
| R2 |                   | 39      | 2441.0    | 9.6            | 5.0            | 14.6          | 27.0                    | 12.4        |          |
| R3 |                   | 78      | 2480.0    | 9.8            | 5.0            | 14.8          | 27.0                    | 12.3        |          |
| R4 | Pi/4DQPSK (2Mbps) |         | 2402.0    | 11.1           | 5.0            | 16.1          | 27.0                    | 10.9        |          |
| R5 |                   | 39      | 2440.0    | 11.1           | 5.0            | 16.1          | 27.0                    | 10.9        |          |
| R6 |                   | 78      | 2480.0    | 11.2           | 5.0            | 16.2          | 27.0                    | 10.8        |          |
| R7 | 8QPSK (3Mbps)     |         | 2402.0    | 11.8           | 5.0            | 16.8          | 27.0                    | 10.2        |          |
| R8 |                   | 39      | 2440.0    | 11.8           | 5.0            | 16.8          | 27.0                    | 10.2        |          |
| R9 |                   | 78      | 2480.0    | <b>11.9</b>    | 5.0            | 16.9          | 27.0                    | <b>10.1</b> |          |
| #  | C1                | C2      | C3        | C4             | C5             | C6            | C7                      | C8          | C9       |

\*Measured conducted from the radio using conducted test sample. Pk Power measured according to ANSI C63.10, section 7.8.5.

\*\* Worst Case Antenna Gain as declared by Manufacturer (see antenna data sheet)

\*\*\*Equivalent EIRP limit considering a conducted limit of 125mW (21dBm) and maximum allowed Antenna gain (6dBi)

directly from the EUT at the port where the antenna attaches. The test receiver bandwidth was set to be greater than the measured emission bandwidth of the EUT to capture the true peak. Antenna gain is either provided directly by the manufacturer or measured by comparison between calculated EIRP and conducted output power. Plots showing conducted measurements made are depicted in Figure 10.



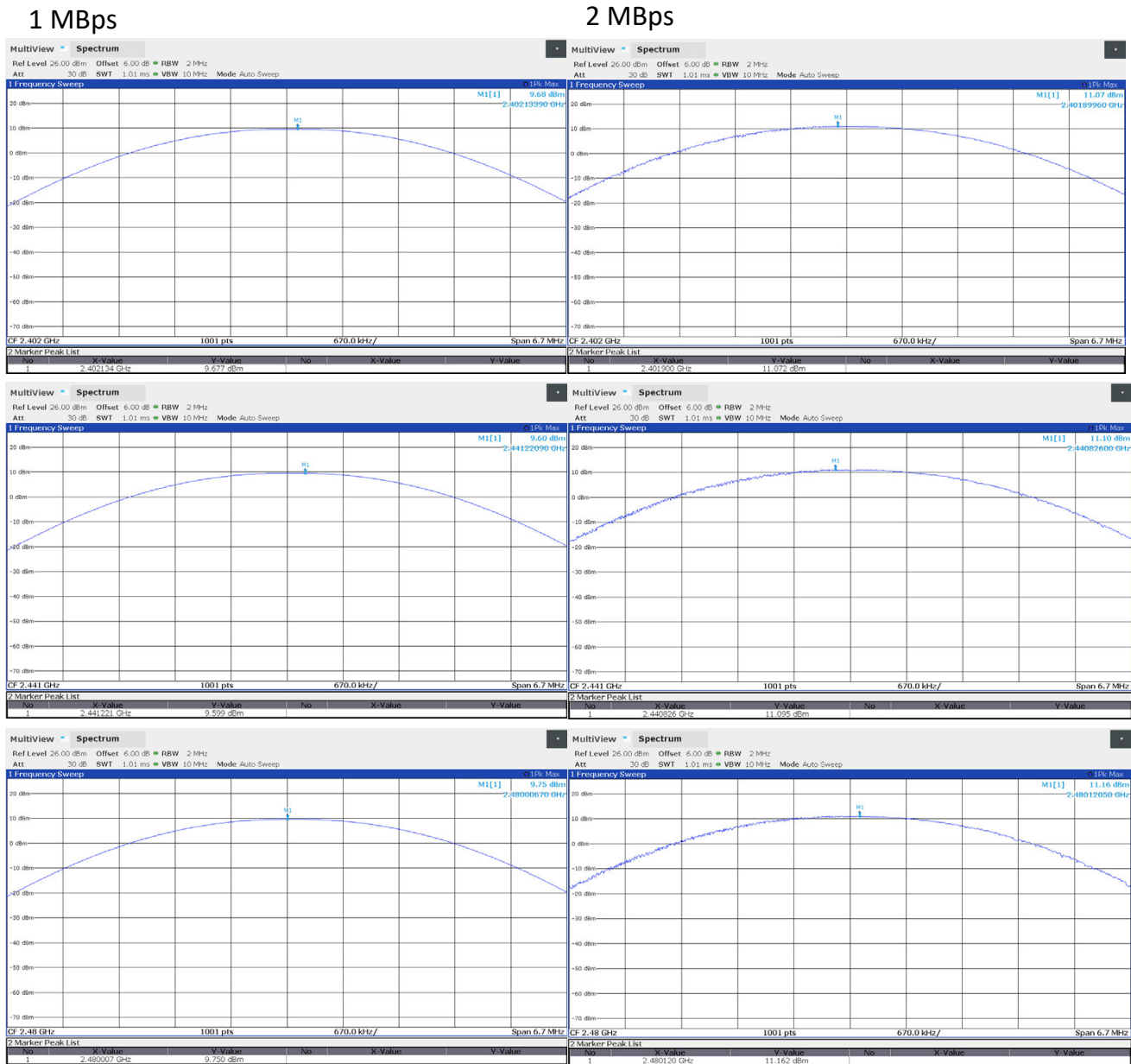


Figure 10(a): Conducted RF Power Plots

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Figure 10(b): Conducted RF Power Plots

### 4.3 Unintentional Emissions

#### 4.3.1 Transmit Chain Radiated Spurious Emissions

The results for the measurement of transmit chain spurious emissions at the nominal voltage and temperature are provided in Table 10. Measurements are performed to 10 times the highest fundamental operating frequency.

Table 10: Transmit Chain Spurious Emissions.

|   |                      |                              |                                 |                                     |
|---|----------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <b>Frequency Range</b><br>f > 1 000 MHz | <b>Det</b><br>Pk/Avg | <b>IF Bandwidth</b><br>1 MHz | <b>Video Bandwidth</b><br>3 MHz | <b>Test Date:</b><br>12-Apr-21      |
|   |                      |                              |                                 | <b>Test Engineer:</b><br>J. Brunett |
|   |                      |                              |                                 | <b>EUT:</b><br>GridConnect ESP32    |
|   |                      |                              |                                 | <b>Meas. Distance:</b><br>Conducted |

| FCC/IC |  |           |          |              |         |              |                 |                    |                     |                 |                  |                  |         |                             |
|--------|--|-----------|----------|--------------|---------|--------------|-----------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|---------|-----------------------------|
| #      | Mode   | Frequency |          | Output Power |         | Ant Gain dBi | ***GR Factor dB | Avg Duty Factor dB | Electric Field @ 3m |                 |                  |                  | Pass dB | Comments                    |
|        |  | Start MHz | Stop MHz | Pk dBm       | Avg dBm |              |                 |                    | Meas. Pk dBuV/m     | Limit Pk dBuV/m | Meas. Avg dBuV/m | Limit Avg dBuV/m |         |                             |
| R1     | Fundamental Restricted Band Edge (Low Side)  |           |          |              |         |              |                 |                    |                     |                 |                  |                  |         |                             |
| R2     | Max all                                      | 2390.0    | 2390.0   | -47.3        | -58.6   | 5.0          |                 | 2.4                | 52.9                | 74.0            | 44.1             | 54.0             | 9.9     | max all - L,M,H channels    |
| R3     | Fundamental Restricted Band Edge (High Side) |           |          |              |         |              |                 |                    |                     |                 |                  |                  |         |                             |
| R4     | Max all                                      | 2483.5    | 2483.5   | -45.0        | -58.6   | 5.0          |                 | 2.4                | 55.2                | 74.0            | 44.1             | 54.0             | 9.9     | max all - L,M,H channels    |
| R5     | Restricted Bands Emissions                   |           |          |              |         |              |                 |                    |                     |                 |                  |                  |         |                             |
| R6     | Max all                                      | 30        | 88       | -89.1        |         | 5.0          | 6.0             |                    | 17.1                |                 |                  | 40.0             | 22.9    |                             |
| R7     | Max all                                      | 88        | 216      | -81.8        |         | 5.0          | 6.0             |                    | 24.4                |                 |                  | 43.0             | 18.6    |                             |
| R8     | Max all                                      | 216       | 1000     | -71.9        |         | 5.0          | 6.0             |                    | 34.3                |                 |                  | 46.0             | 11.7    |                             |
| R9     | Max all                                      | 4804.0    | 4804.0   | -46.9        | -58.8   | 5.0          |                 | 2.4                | 53.3                | 74.0            | 43.9             | 54.0             | 10.1    | CH Low channel or noise     |
| R10    | Max all                                      | 4888.0    | 4888.0   | -48.3        | -59.0   | 5.0          |                 | 2.4                | 51.9                | 74.0            | 43.6             | 54.0             | 10.4    | CH Med channel or noise     |
| R11    | Max all                                      | 4960.0    | 4960.0   | -47.2        | -58.9   | 5.0          |                 | 2.4                | 53.0                | 74.0            | 43.7             | 54.0             | 10.3    | CH High channel or noise    |
| R12    | Max all                                      | 4000.0    | 6000.0   | -46.9        | -58.8   | 5.0          |                 | 2.4                | 53.3                | 74.0            | 43.9             | 54.0             | 10.1    | max L,M,H channels or noise |
| R13    | Max all                                      | 6000.0    | 8400.0   | -59.3        | -70.1   | 5.0          |                 | 2.4                | 40.9                | 74.0            | 32.6             | 54.0             | 21.4    | max L,M,H channels or noise |
| R14    | Max all                                      | 8400.0    | 12500.0  | -57.9        | -68.6   | 5.0          |                 | 2.4                | 42.3                | 74.0            | 34.1             | 54.0             | 19.9    | max L,M,H channels or noise |
| R15    | Max all                                      | 12500.0   | 26000.0  | -55.1        | -65.2   | 5.0          |                 | 2.4                | 45.1                | 74.0            | 37.4             | 54.0             | 16.6    | max L,M,H channels or noise |
| #      | C1   | C2        | C3       | C4           | C5      | C6           | C7              | C8                 | C9                  | C10             | C11              | C12              | C13     | C14                         |

\* Conducted measurements were made in line with DTS guidance 558074 D01 v5 r02 sections 8.5, 8.6 and 8.7 respectively.

\*\* Measured according to ANSI C63-10-2013 section 6.10.5.2

\*\*\* Ground Reflection Factor as described in ANSI C63.10-2013 section 11.12.2.2 (c)

\*\*\* Computed according to ANSI C63.10-2013 section 11.12.2.2 (e)

### 4.3.2 Relative Transmit Chain Spurious Emissions

The results for the measurement of transmit chain spurious emissions relative to the fundamental in a 100 kHz receiver bandwidth (at the nominal voltage and temperature) are provided in Figure 11 below.

Channels 0,39,78

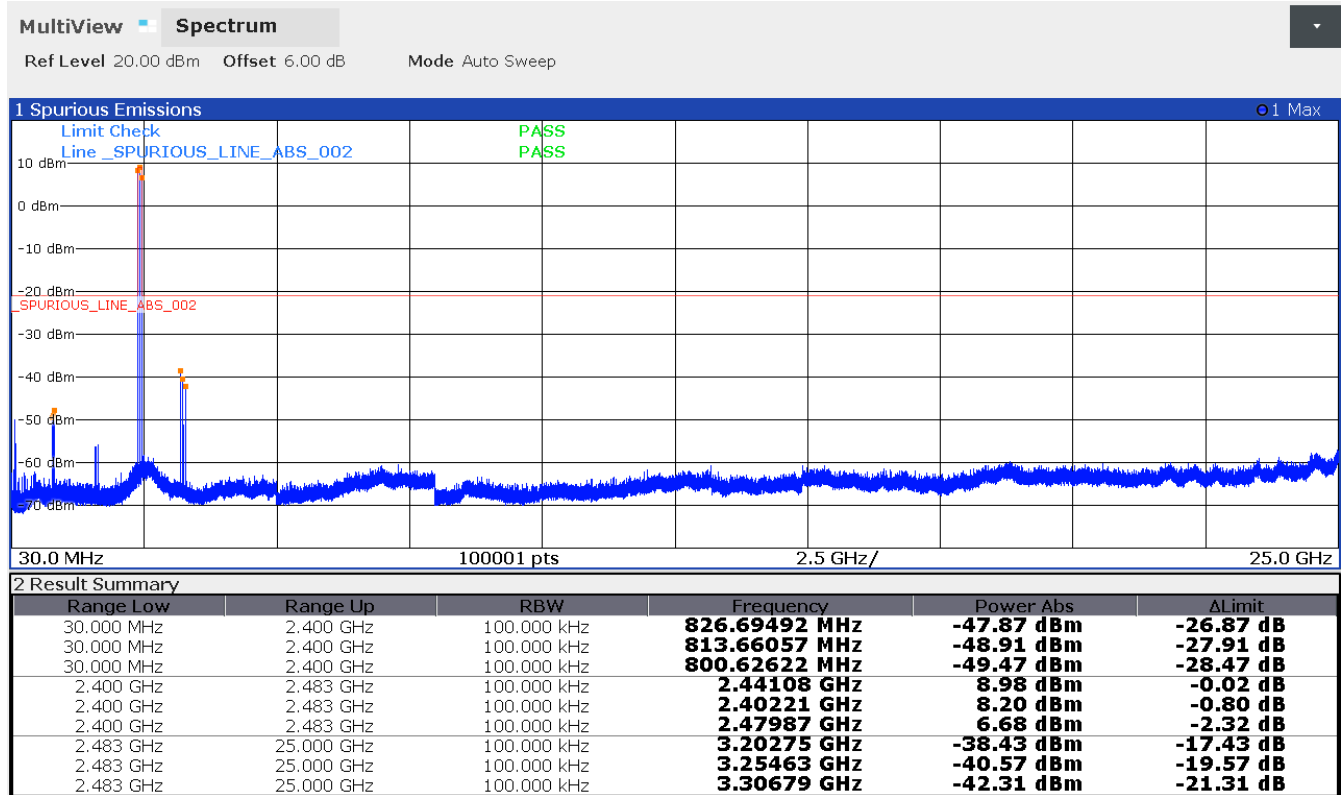


Figure 11: Conducted Transmitter Emissions Measured.

### 4.3.3 General Radiated Spurious

The results for the measurement of general spurious emissions (emissions arising from digital circuitry) at the nominal voltage and temperature are provided in Table 11. Radiation from digital components are measured up to 1000 MHz or to the highest frequency required by the applied standards, whichever is greater.

Table 11: Radiated Digital Spurious Emissions.

|                        |            |                     |                        |                        |                    |
|------------------------|------------|---------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| <b>Frequency Range</b> | <b>Det</b> | <b>IF Bandwidth</b> | <b>Video Bandwidth</b> | <b>Test Date:</b>      | 20-Apr-21          |
| 25 MHz ≤ f ≤ 1 000 MHz | Pk/QPk     | 120 kHz             | 300 kHz                | <b>Test Engineer:</b>  | J. Brunett         |
| f > 1 000 MHz          | Avg/RM:    | 1 MHz               | 3 MHz                  | <b>*** EUT:</b>        | Grid Connect ESP32 |
|                        |            |                     |                        | <b>EUT Mode:</b>       | Active             |
|                        |            |                     |                        | <b>Meas. Distance:</b> | 3 m                |
|                        |            |                     |                        | <b>Temperature:</b>    | 4.3C               |
|                        |            |                     |                        | <b>Rel. Humidity:</b>  | 39%                |

| Digital Spurious Emissions |  |           |           |                |       |           |                |                |         |                  |         | FCC/IC + EU(CISPR) |         |                  |         |          |
|----------------------------|--|-----------|-----------|----------------|-------|-----------|----------------|----------------|---------|------------------|---------|--------------------|---------|------------------|---------|----------|
| #                          | Test Freq. MHz   | Antenna   |           | E-Field @ 3m** |       |           |                | FCC/IC Class B |         | EU 55032 Class B |         | FCC/IC Class A     |         | EU 55032 Class A |         | Comments |
|                            |  | QN Used   | Test Pol. | Ka dB/m        | Kg dB | Pk dBµV/m | QPk/Avg dBµV/m | E3lim dBµV/m   | Pass dB | E3lim dBµV/m     | Pass dB | E3lim dBµV/m       | Pass dB | E3lim dBµV/m     | Pass dB |          |
| 1                          | 160.0  | BICEMCO01 | H         | 13.1           | -7    | 38.9      | 35.9           | 43.5           | 7.6     | 40.5             | 4.6     | 54.0               | 18.1    | 50.5             | 14.6    |          |
| 2                          | 160.0  | BICEMCO01 | V         | 13.1           | -7    | 32.1      | 26.8           | 43.5           | 16.7    | 40.5             | 13.7    | 54.0               | 27.2    | 50.5             | 23.7    |          |
| 3                          | 181.0  | BICEMCO01 | H         | 14.2           | -8    | 24.7      | 19.2           | 43.5           | 24.3    | 40.5             | 21.3    | 54.0               | 34.8    | 50.5             | 31.3    |          |
| 4                          | 181.0  | BICEMCO01 | V         | 14.2           | -8    | 27.6      | 21.3           | 43.5           | 22.2    | 40.5             | 19.2    | 54.0               | 32.7    | 50.5             | 29.2    |          |
| 5                          | 199.0  | BICEMCO01 | H         | 14.7           | -8    | 25.7      | 19.4           | 43.5           | 24.1    | 40.5             | 21.1    | 54.0               | 34.6    | 50.5             | 31.1    |          |
| 6                          | 199.0  | BICEMCO01 | V         | 14.7           | -8    | 29.9      | 23.4           | 43.5           | 20.1    | 40.5             | 17.1    | 54.0               | 30.6    | 50.5             | 27.1    |          |
| 7                          | 320.0  | LOGEMCO01 | H         | 14.2           | -1.2  | 33.7      | 31.1           | 46.0           | 14.9    | 47.5             | 16.4    | 56.9               | 25.8    | 57.5             | 26.4    |          |
| 8                          | 320.0  | LOGEMCO01 | V         | 14.2           | -1.2  | 30.4      | 26.0           | 46.0           | 20.0    | 47.5             | 21.5    | 56.9               | 30.9    | 57.5             | 31.5    |          |
| 9                          | 480.2  | LOGEMCO01 | H         | 17.1           | -1.7  | 40.3      | 34.8           | 46.0           | 11.2    | 47.5             | 12.7    | 56.9               | 22.1    | 57.5             | 22.7    |          |
| 10                         | 480.2  | LOGEMCO01 | V         | 17.1           | -1.7  | 31.1      | 25.7           | 46.0           | 20.3    | 47.5             | 21.8    | 56.9               | 31.2    | 57.5             | 31.8    |          |
| 11                         | 962.1  | LOGEMCO01 | H         | 23.4           | -3.0  | 38.5      | 32.9           | 54.0           | 21.1    | 47.5             | 14.6    | 60.0               | 27.1    | 57.5             | 24.6    |          |
| 12                         | 962.1  | LOGEMCO01 | V         | 23.4           | -3.0  | 39        | 32.8           | 54.0           | 21.2    | 47.5             | 14.7    | 60.0               | 27.2    | 57.5             | 24.7    |          |
| 13                         |  |           |           |                |       |           |                |                |         |                  |         |                    |         |                  |         |          |
| 14                         | No other spurious emissions observed within 20 dB of the regulatory limit. |           |           |                |       |           |                |                |         |                  |         |                    |         |                  |         |          |
| 15                         |  |           |           |                |       |           |                |                |         |                  |         |                    |         |                  |         |          |

\*QPk detection below 1 GHz, Avg detection at or above 1 GHz with receiver bandwidth as specified at top of table.  
 \*\* When E-field is reported directly from Spectrum Analyzer, Antenna Factors and Cable losses are included directly in SA settings.  
 \*\*\* The EUT was tested as provided and declared by the customer.

## 5 Measurement Uncertainty and Accreditation Documents

The maximum values of measurement uncertainty for the laboratory test equipment and facilities associated with each test are given in the table below. This uncertainty is computed for a 95.45% confidence level based on a coverage factor of  $k = 2$ .

Table 12: Measurement Uncertainty.

| Measured Parameter                                 | Measurement Uncertainty <sup>†</sup>                            |
|--|---|
| Radio Frequency                                    | $\pm(f_{Mkr}/10^7 + RBW/10 + (SPN/(PTS - 1))/2 + 1 \text{ Hz})$ |
| Conducted Emm. Amplitude                           | $\pm 1.9 \text{ dB}$  |
| Radiated Emm. Amplitude ( $f < 30 \text{ MHz}$ )   | $\pm 3.1 \text{ dB}$  |
| Radiated Emm. Amplitude (30 – 200 MHz)             | $\pm 4.0 \text{ dB}$  |
| Radiated Emm. Amplitude (200 – 1000 MHz)           | $\pm 5.2 \text{ dB}$  |
| Radiated Emm. Amplitude ( $f > 1000 \text{ MHz}$ ) | $\pm 3.7 \text{ dB}$  |

<sup>†</sup>Ref: CISPR 16-4-2:2011+A1:2014



Figure 12: Accreditation Documents