

FCC RF Test Report

Fibocom Wireless Inc.
LTE module
Fibocom
NL668-AM-00
ZMONL668AM00
47 CFR Part 2, 22(H), 24(E), 27(L)
PCS Licensed Transmitter (PCB)

The product was received on Sep. 11, 2020 and completely tested on Sep. 18, 2020. We, Sporton International (Kunshan) Inc., would like to declare that the tested sample has been evaluated in accordance with the procedures given in ANSI C63.26-2015 and shown compliance with the applicable technical standards.

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REVISION HISTORY

REPORT NO.	VERSION	DESCRIPTION	ISSUED DATE
FG091101A	Rev. 01	Initial issue of report	Oct. 10, 2020



SUMMARY OF TEST RESULT

Report Section	ECC Rule Description I Limit Result Remark									
§2.1046 Conducted Output Power Reporting Only PASS -										
	§22.913(a)(5)	Effective Radiated Power	< 7 Watts	PASS	-					
3.4	§24.232(c)	Equivalent Isotropic Radiated Power	< 2 Watts	PASS	-					
§27.50(d)(4) Equivalent Isotropic Radiated Power < 1 Watts PASS -										
4.4 §2.1053; §22.917(a); §24.238(a); §27.53(h) Field Strength of Spurious Radiation < 43+10log10(P[Watts]) PASS										
Declaration of Conformity:										
The test results with all measurement uncertainty excluded are presented in accordance with the regulation limits or requirements declared by manufacturers.										

Comments and Explanations:

The declared of product specification for EUT presented in the report are provided by the manufacturer, and the manufacturer takes all the responsibilities for the accuracy of product specification.



1 General Description

1.1 Applicant

Fibocom Wireless Inc.

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1.2 Manufacturer

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1.3 Product Feature of Equipment Under Test

Product Feature					
Equipment	LTE module				
Brand Name	Fibocom				
Model Name	NL668-AM-00				
FCC ID	ZMONL668AM00				
EUT supports Radios application	WCDMA/HSPA/DC-HSDPA/HSPA+(16QAM uplink is not supported)/LTE				
IMEI Code	Conducted: N/A Radiation: 359120100027757				
HW Version	V1.0				
SW Version	19006.1000.00.02.79.42				
EUT Stage	Production Unit				

Remark:

- **1.** The above EUT's information was declared by manufacturer. Please refer to the specifications or user's manual for more detailed description.
- 2. This is a variant report for NL668-AM-00. For change note, please refer the product equality declaration exhibit separately. Based on the similarity between current and previous project, only Conducted power/ERP/EIRP and the worst case of Radiation Spurious Emission from original test report (Sporton Report Number FG801914A) were verified for the differences.



	1.4	Product S	pecification	of Equi	pment U	Inder Test
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Standards-related Product Specification				
WCDMA:				
	Band V:	826.4 MHz ~ 846.6 MHz		
Tx Frequency	Band II:	1852.4 MHz ~ 1907.6 MHz		
	Band IV:	1712.4 MHz ~ 1752.6 MHz		
	WCDMA:			
	Band V:	871.4 MHz ~ 891.6 MHz		
Rx Frequency	Band II:	1932.4 MHz ~ 1987.6 MHz		
	Band IV:	2112.4 MHz ~ 2152.6 MHz		
	WCDMA:			
Maximum Quinut Dawar to Antonna	Band V: 23.25 dBm			
Maximum Output Power to Antenna	Band II:	22.65 dBm		
	Band IV:	22.43 dBm		
Antenna Type	Dipole Ante	enna		
	Cellular Ba	nd: 4.00 dBi		
Antenna Gain	PCS Band: 4.00 dBi			
	AWS Band: 4.50 dBi			
	WCDMA : BPSK (Uplink)			
	HSDPA/DC-HSDPA : QPSK (Uplink)			
Type of Modulation	HSUPA : QPSK (Uplink)			
	DC-HSDPA	SQAM (uplink is not supported)		

1.5 Modification of EUT

No modifications are made to the EUT during all test items.



1.6 Testing Location

Sporton International (Kunshan) Inc. is accredited to ISO/IEC 17025:2017 by American Association for Laboratory Accreditation with Certificate Number 5145.02.

Test Firm	Sporton International (Kunshan) Inc.				
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	Sporton Site No.	FCC Designation No.	FCC Test Firm		
Test Site No.	Sporton Site No.	TCC Designation No.	Registration No.		
	03CH04-KS TH01-KS	CN1257	314309		

1.7 Test Software

Item Site		Site	Manufacture	Name	Version
	1.	03CH04-KS	AUDIX	E3	6.2009-8-24a

1.8 Applicable Standards

According to the specifications of the manufacturer, the EUT must comply with the requirements of the following standards:

- 47 CFR Part 2, 22(H), 24(E), 27(L)
- ANSI C63.26-2015
- FCC KDB 971168 D01 Power Meas. License Digital Systems v03r01
- FCC KDB 412172 D01 Determining ERP and EIRP v01r01

Remark: All test items were verified and recorded according to the standards and without any deviation during the test.



2 Test Configuration of Equipment Under Test

2.1 Test Mode

Antenna port conducted and radiated test items were performed according to KDB 971168 D01 Power Meas. License Digital Systems v03r01 with maximum output power.

Radiated measurements were performed with rotating EUT in different three orthogonal test planes to find the maximum emission.

Radiated emissions were investigated as following frequency range:

- 1. 30 MHz to 10th harmonic for WCDMA Band V.
- 2. 30 MHz to 10th harmonic for WCDMA Band IV.
- 3. 30 MHz to 10th harmonic for WCDMA Band II.

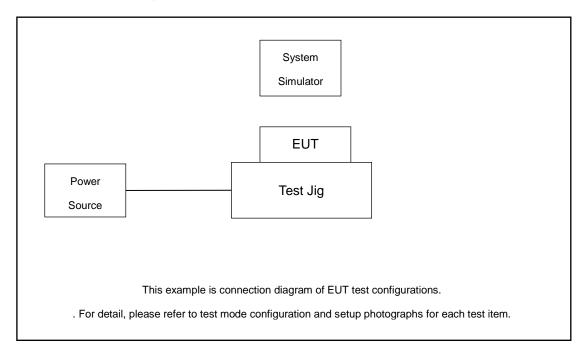
All modes and data rates and positions were investigated.

Test modes are chosen to be reported as the worst case configuration below:

Test Modes						
Band	Radiated TCs	Conducted TCs				
WCDMA Band V	RMC 12.2Kbps Link	RMC 12.2Kbps Link				
WCDMA Band II	RMC 12.2Kbps Link	RMC 12.2Kbps Link				
WCDMA Band IV	RMC 12.2Kbps Link	RMC 12.2Kbps Link				



2.2 Connection Diagram of Test System



2.3 Support Unit used in test configuration

ltem	Equipment	Trade Name	Model No.	FCC ID	Data Cable	Power Cord
1.	System Simulator	R&S	CMU 200	N/A	N/A	Unshielded, 1.8 m
2.	DC Power Supply	GW INSTEK	GPS-3030D	N/A	N/A	Unshielded, 1.8m
3.	Adapter	N/A	N/A	N/A	Unshielded,1.2m	N/A
4.	Test Jig	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
5.	WWAN Antenna	N/A	HYT-690-2700H-3	N/A	N/A	N/A

2.4 Frequency List of Low/Middle/High Channels

Frequency List							
Band	Channel/Frequency(MHz)	Lowest	Middle	Highest			
WCDMA	Channel	4132	4182	4233			
Band V	Frequency	826.4	836.4	846.6			
WCDMA	Channel	9262	9400	9538			
Band II	Frequency	1852.4	1880.0	1907.6			
WCDMA	Channel	1312	1413	1513			
Band IV	Frequency	1712.4	1732.6	1752.6			



3 Conducted Test Result

3.1 Measuring Instruments

See list of measuring instruments of this test report.

3.2 Test Setup

3.2.1 Conducted Output Power



3.3 Test Result of Conducted Test

Please refer to Appendix A.



3.4 Conducted Output Power and ERP/EIRP

3.4.1 Description of the Conducted Output Power and ERP/EIRP

A system simulator was used to establish communication with the EUT. Its parameters were set to enforce EUT transmitting at the maximum power. The measured power in the radio frequency on the transmitter output terminals shall be reported.

The ERP of mobile transmitters must not exceed 7 Watts for GSM850 and WCDMA Band V.

The EIRP of mobile transmitters must not exceed 2 Watts for GSM1900 and WCDMA Band II.

The EIRP of mobile transmitters must not exceed 1 Watts for WCDMA Band IV.

According to KDB 412172 D01 Power Approach,

 $EIRP = P_T + G_T - L_C$, ERP = EIRP - 2.15, where

 P_T = transmitter output power in dBm

 G_T = gain of the transmitting antenna in dBi

 L_{C} = signal attenuation in the connecting cable between the transmitter and antenna in dB

3.4.2 Test Procedures

- 1. The testing follows ANSI C63.26 Section 5.2
- 2. The transmitter output port was connected to the system simulator.
- 3. Set EUT at maximum power through the system simulator.
- 4. Select lowest, middle, and highest channels for each band and different modulation.
- 5. Measure and record the power level from the system simulator.



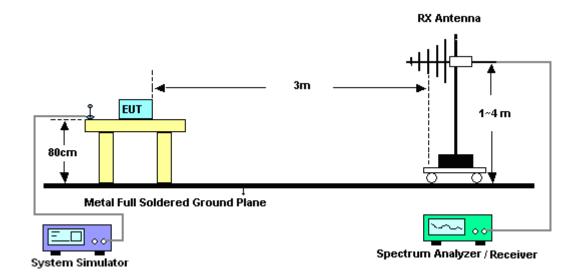
4 Radiated Test Items

4.1 Measuring Instruments

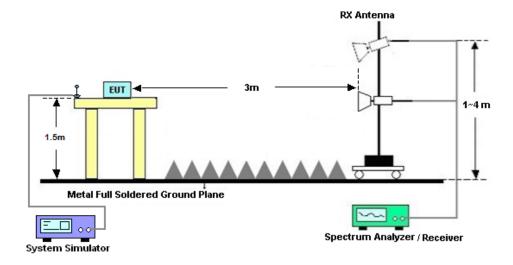
See list of measuring instruments of this test report.

4.2 Test Setup

4.2.1 For radiated test from 30MHz to 1GHz



4.2.2 For radiated test above 1GHz



4.3 Test Result of Radiated Test

Please refer to Appendix B.

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4.4 Field Strength of Spurious Radiation Measurement

4.4.1 Description of Field Strength of Spurious Radiated Measurement

The power of any emission outside of the authorized operating frequency ranges must be attenuated below the transmitter power (P) by a factor of at least 43 + 10 log (P) dB. The spectrum is scanned from 30 MHz up to a frequency including its 10th harmonic.

4.4.2 Test Procedures

- 1. The testing follows ANSI C63.26 Section 5.5
- 2. The EUT was placed on a rotatable wooden table 0.8 meters for frequency below 1GHz and 1.5 meter for frequency above 1GHz above the ground.
- 3. The EUT was set 3 meters from the receiving antenna, which was mounted on the antenna tower.
- 4. The table was rotated 360 degrees to determine the position of the highest spurious emission.
- 5. The height of the receiving antenna is varied between one meter and four meters to search for the maximum spurious emission for both horizontal and vertical polarizations.
- 6. Make the measurement with the spectrum analyzer's RBW = 1MHz, VBW = 3MHz, taking record of maximum spurious emission.
- 7. A horn antenna was substituted in place of the EUT and was driven by a signal generator.
- 8. Tune the output power of signal generator to the same emission level with EUT maximum spurious emission.
- 9. Taking the record of output power at antenna port.
- 10. Repeat step 7 to step 8 for another polarization.
- 11. EIRP (dBm) = S.G. Power Tx Cable Loss + Tx Antenna Gain
- 12. ERP (dBm) = EIRP 2.15
- 13. The RF fundamental frequency should be excluded against the limit line in the operating frequency band.
- 14. The limit line is derived from 43 + 10log(P) dB below the transmitter power P(Watts)



5 List of Measuring Equipment

Instrument	Manufacturer	Model No.	Serial No.	Characteristics	Calibration Date	Test Date	Due Date	Remark
System Simulator	R&S	CMW500	150792	2G/3G/4G	Jan. 14, 2020	Sep. 18, 2020	Jan. 13, 2021	Conducted (TH01-KS)
EXA Spectrum Analyzer	Keysight	N9010A	MY55150244	10Hz-44G,MAX 30dB	Apr. 15, 2020	Sep. 17, 2020	Apr. 14, 2021	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
Bilog Antenna	TeseQ	CBL6111D	49922	30MHz-1GHz	Jan. 02, 2020	Sep. 17, 2020	Jan. 03, 2021	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
Horn Antenna	Schwarzbeck	BBHA9120D	1356	1GHz~18GHz	Apr. 20, 2020	Sep. 17, 2020	Apr. 19, 2021	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
SHF-EHF Horn	Com-power	AH-840	101115	18GHz~40GHz	Nov. 10, 2019	Sep. 17, 2020	Nov. 09, 2020	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
Amplifier	SONOMA	310N	187289	9KHz-1GHz	Jan. 02, 2020	Sep. 17, 2020	Jan. 03, 2021	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
Amplifier	MITEQ	EM18G40G GA	060728	18~40GHz	Jan. 08, 2020	Sep. 17, 2020	Jan. 07, 2021	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
high gain Amplifier	MITEQ	AMF-7D-00 101800-30-1 0P	2025788	1Ghz-18Ghz	Jan. 02, 2020	Sep. 17, 2020	Jan. 03, 2021	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
Amplifier	Keysight	83017A	MY57280106	500MHz~26.5GHz	Oct. 15, 2019	Sep. 17, 2020	Oct. 14, 2020	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
AC Power Source	Chroma	61601	F104090004	N/A	NCR	Sep. 17, 2020	NCR	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
Turn Table	ChamPro	EM 1000-T	060762-T	0~360 degree	NCR	Sep. 17, 2020	NCR	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
Antenna Mast	ChamPro	EM 1000-A	060762-A	1 m~4 m	NCR	Sep. 17, 2020	NCR	Radiation (03CH04-KS)

NCR: No Calibration Required



6 Uncertainty of Evaluation

The measurement uncertainties shown below were calculated in accordance with the requirements of ANSI 63.26-2015. All the measurement uncertainty value were shown with a coverage K=2 to indicate 95% level of confidence. The measurement data show herein meets or exceeds the CISPR measurement uncertainty values specified in CISPR 16-4-2 and can be compared directly to specified limit to determine compliance.

Uncertainty of Radiated Emission Measurement (30 MHz ~ 1000 MHz)

Measuring Uncertainty for a Level of	3.3dB
Confidence of 95% (U = 2Uc(y))	3.300

Uncertainty of Radiated Emission Measurement (1 GHz ~ 18 GHz)

Measuring Uncertainty for a Level of Confidence of 95% (U = 2Uc(y))	2.8dB
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Uncertainty of Radiated Emission Measurement (18 GHz ~ 40 GHz)

Measuring Uncertainty for a Level of	2.8dB
Confidence of 95% (U = 2Uc(y))	2.008



Appendix A. Test Results of Conducted Test

Conducted Output Power(Average power)

Conducted Power (*Unit: dBm)										
Band	WCE	WCDMA Band V			WCDMA Band II			WCDMA Band IV		
Channel	4132	4132 4182 4233			9400	9538	1312	1413	1513	
Frequency	826.4	836.4	846.6	1852.4	1880	1907.6	1712.4	1732.6	1752.6	
RMC 12.2K	23.01	23.18	23.25	22.65	22.58	22.61	22.38	22.42	22.43	

Note: Only the maximum power of RMC 12.2K is verified from original report.



ERP/EIRP

WCDMA Band V ($G_T - L_c = 4.00 \text{ dB}$)								
Channel	4132	4182	4233					
Channel	(Low)	(Mid)	(High)					
Frequency	826.4							
(MHz)	826.4	836.4	846.6					
Conducted Power (dBm)	23.01	23.18	23.25					
Conducted Power (Watts)	0.2000	0.2080	0.2113					
ERP(dBm)	24.86	25.03	25.10					
ERP(Watts)	0.3062	0.3184	0.3236					

WCDMA Band II (G_T - L_c = 4.00 dB)								
Channel	9262	9400	9538					
Channel	(Low)	(Mid)	(High)					
Frequency	1952 4	1990	1907.6					
(MHz)	1852.4	1880	1907.0					
Conducted Power (dBm)	22.65	22.58	22.61					
Conducted Power (Watts)	0.1841	0.1811	0.1824					
EIRP(dBm)	26.65	26.58	26.61					
EIRP(Watts)	0.4624	0.4550	0.4581					

WCDMA Band IV ($G_T - L_c = 4.50 \text{ dB}$)								
Channel	1312	1413	1513					
Channel	(Low)	(Mid)	(High)					
Frequency	1712.4							
(MHz)	1712.4	1732.6	1752.6					
Conducted Power (dBm)	22.38	22.42	22.43					
Conducted Power (Watts)	0.1730	0.1746	0.1750					
EIRP(dBm)	26.88	26.92	26.93					
EIRP(Watts)	0.4875	0.4920	0.4932					



Appendix B. Test Results of Radiated Test

Radiated Spurious Emission

	WCDMA Band V(RMC 12.2Kbps)									
Channel	Frequency (MHz)	ERP (dBm)	Limit (dBm)	Over Limit (dB)	S.G. Power (dBm)	TX Cable loss (dB)	TX Antenna Gain (dBi)	Polarization (H/V)		
	1672	-63.15	-13	-50.15	-70.12	1.58	10.70	Н		
	2506	-65.65	-13	-52.65	-73.90	2.102	12.50	Н		
Middle	3348	-64.11	-13	-51.11	-73.00	2.856	13.90	Н		
Midule	1672	-63.15	-13	-50.15	-70.12	1.58	10.70	V		
	2506	-62.75	-13	-49.75	-71.00	2.10	12.50	V		
	3348	-64.03	-13	-51.03	-72.92	2.86	13.90	V		

Remark: Spurious emissions within 30-1000MHz were found more than 20dB below limit line.

	WCDMA Band II(RMC 12.2Kbps)										
Channel	Frequency (MHz)	EIRP (dBm)	Limit (dBm)	Over Limit (dB)	S.G. Power (dBm)	TX Cable loss (dB)	TX Antenna Gain (dBi)	Polarization (H/V)			
	3759	-60.33	-13	-47.33	-72.59	2.64	14.90	Н			
	5640	-56.45	-13	-43.45	-68.31	2.94	14.80	Н			
Middle	7524	-52.10	-13	-39.10	-61.87	3.39	13.16	Н			
Middle	3759	-59.53	-13	-46.53	-71.79	2.64	14.90	V			
	5640	-55.21	-13	-42.21	-67.07	2.94	14.80	V			
	7524	-51.40	-13	-38.40	-61.17	3.39	13.16	V			

Remark: Spurious emissions within 30-1000MHz were found more than 20dB below limit line.

	WCDMA Band IV(RMC 12.2Kbps)										
Channel	Frequency (MHz)	EIRP (dBm)	Limit (dBm)	Over Limit (dB)	S.G. Power (dBm)	TX Cable loss (dB)	TX Antenna Gain (dBi)	Polarization (H/V)			
	3465	-59.50	-13	-46.50	-70.24	2.604	13.34	Н			
	5199	-57.49	-13	-44.49	-68.00	3.011	13.52	Н			
Middle	6936	-54.21	-13	-41.21	-64.41	3.271	13.47	Н			
Middle	3465	-49.25	-13	-36.25	-59.99	2.604	13.34	V			
	5199	-56.89	-13	-43.89	-67.40	3.011	13.52	V			
	6936	-53.60	-13	-40.60	-63.80	3.271	13.47	V			

Remark: Spurious emissions within 30-1000MHz were found more than 20dB below limit line.