

# EMC TEST REPORT

According to FCC CFR47 Part 18 Subpart C

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**2. Identification of tested device**

2.1 FCC ID : A3LOTRC17E  
2.2 Device Name : MICROWAVE OVEN  
2.3 Trade Name : SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD.  
2.4 Model Number : ME179KFETSR  
Variant Model : None  
2.5 RF Output Power : **950** W ( by IEC 705 method )

**3. Test Procedure and Items**

3.1 FCC/OST MP-5 : 1986

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## 1. Product Description

The equipment under test is a microwave oven sold for commercial use.

Model : ME179KFETSR is a 950 W microwave oven with digital controls.

Installation Type: OTR

Clock Frequency : 16 MHz

### < Magnetron >

Model : **OM-75P** manufactured by Samsung Electronic Co., Ltd.

### < Electrical Ratings >

- 1) Power Supply : 120 V ac, 60 Hz
- 2) Operating Frequency : 2450 +/- 50 MHz
- 3) Power Input : 1700 W / 14.5 A
- 4) RF Power Output : 950 W (by IEC 705 method)

## 2. Test Facility

The Semi-anechoic chamber and Conducted measurement facilities used to collect the radiated data are located at 416, Maetan 3-Dong, Yeongtong-Gu, Suwon-Si, Gyeonggi-Do, Korea.

The sites are constructed in conformance with the requirements of ANSI C63.4 and CISPR Publication 22.

## 3. Accreditation and Listing

The test facilities used to perform radiated and conducted emissions tests are accredited by National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program for the specific of accreditation under Lab Code: 200623-0 to perform Electromagnetic Interference tests according to FCC PART 15 and CISPR 22 requirements.

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## 4. Radio Noise Emission Measurement Procedures/Results

### 4.1 Radiation Hazard Measurement

A 700-ml water load was placed in the center of the oven.

The power setting was set to maximum power.

While the oven was operating, the Microwave Survey Meter probe was moved slowly around the door seams to check for leakage.



**Fig. 1 Test Setup for Radiation Hazard Measurement**

The results of this test are as follows.

Probe Location	Maximum Leakage [mW/Cm2]	Limit [mW/Cm2]
1	0.20	1.0
4	0.14	1.0
5	0.08	1.0
All others	0.10	1.0

## 4.2 Input Power Measurement

Input power and current were measured using a Power Analyzer. A 700ml water load was placed in the center of the oven and the oven set to maximum power. A 700 ml water load was chosen for its compatibility. Manufacturers to determine their input ratings commonly use this procedure.



**Fig. 2 Test Setup for Input power**

The results of this test are as follows.

Input Voltage [Vac]	Input Current [amps]	Measured Input power [watts]	EUT Spec. Input power [watts]
<b>120</b>	<b>14.94</b>	<b>1742</b>	<b>1700W/14.5A</b>

Based on the measured input power, the EUT was found to be operating within the intended specifications.

### 4.3 RF Output Power Measurement

The Caloric Method was used to determine maximum output power. The initial temperature of a 1000-ml water load was measured. The water load was placed in the center of the oven. The oven was operated at maximum output power for 120 seconds. Then the temperature of the water re-measured.



**Fig.3 Test Setup for RF output power**

Quantity of water [ml]	Starting Temperature [centigrade]	Final Temperature [centigrade]	Elapsed Time [seconds]	RF Power [watts]
1000	10	<b>20.1</b>	120	965.0
1000	10	<b>19.9</b>	120	946.0
1000	10	<b>19.8</b>	120	927.0
<b>Average RF Power of 3 Trials</b>				946.0

$$\text{Power [W]} = \frac{(4.187) * L_w * (T_f - T_i) + 0.55 * B_i * (T_f - T_r)}{t}$$

**Magnetron type: OM-75P**

$L_w$ : Mass of the water, in grams

$B_i$ : Mass of the container, in grams

$T_f$ : Final temperature of the water, in °C

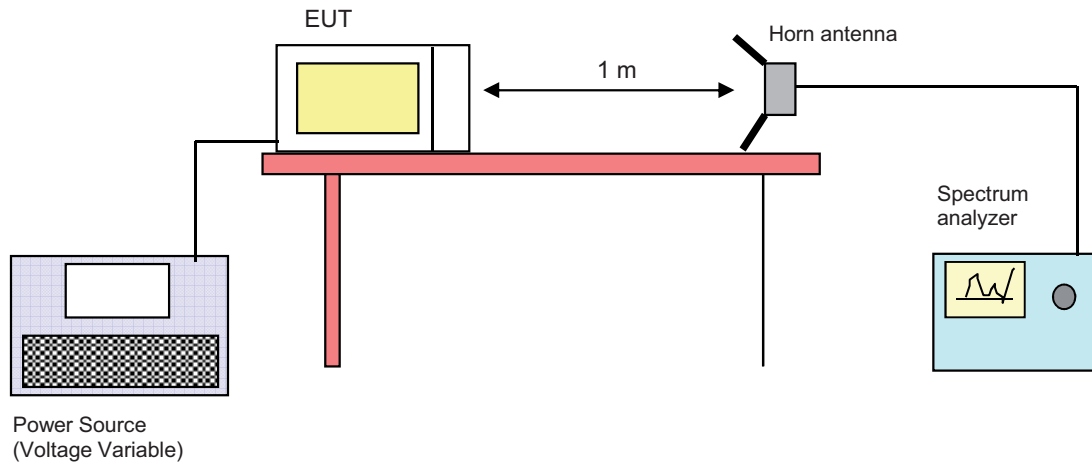
$T_i$ : Initial temperature of the water, in °C

$T_r$ : Ambient temperature, in °C

$t$ : Heating time in seconds, excluding the magnetron filament heat-up time.

The measured output was found to be **ABOVE 500Watts**. Therefore, in accordance with section 18.305 of Subpart C, the measured out-of-band emissions were compared to the  $25 \times \text{SQRT}(\text{power}/500) [\mu\text{V}/\text{m}] @ 300\text{M}$  limit.

### 4.4 Operation Frequency Measurement



**Fig. 4 Operating Frequency Measurements Configuration**



#### 4.4.1 Frequency Measurement

Following the above test, after operating the oven long enough to assure that stable operating temperature were obtained, the operating frequency was monitored as the input voltage was varied between 80 to 125 percent of the nominal rating.

The results of this test are as follows.  
Line voltage varied from 96Vac to 150Vac.

Initial load : 1000 ml water in the glass beaker

##### (1) Frequency vs Line Voltage Variation Test

[ Room Temperature : 22.6 °C ]

Line Voltage Variation (V)	Frequency (MHz)	Allowed Tolerance for the ISM Band (2450MHz)
150 ~ 96 (125 % ~ 80 %)	Lower : 2456	Lower: 2400 MHz Upper : 2500 MHz
	upper : 2485	

**Result : PASSED**

**(2) Frequency vs Load Variation Test**

Initial load : 1000 ml water in the glass beaker

[ Room Temperature : 22.6 °C ]

Volume of Water (cc)	Frequency (MHz)	Allowed Tolerance for the ISM Band (2450MHz)
1000 ~ 200	Lower : 2449	Lower: 2400 MHz Upper : 2500 MHz
	upper : 2456	

Note : Frequency was measured by using nominal voltage (AC120V )  
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**Result : PASSED**

## 4.5 Conducted Emission Measurement

### 4.5.1 Conducted Emission Measurement Procedure

Configure the EUT System in accordance with ANSI C63.4-2003 section 6 and 7.

Connect the EUT's AC line cord to the EUT port of LISN.

All input terminals are terminated in the proper impedance.

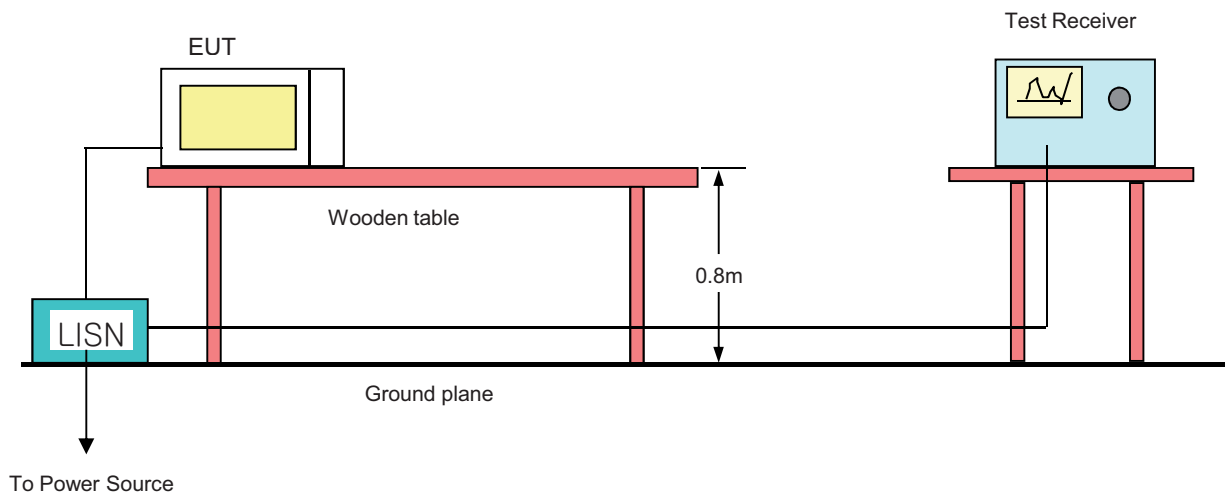
The output ports are connected to the cable provided with the device and the ending port are terminated in the proper impedance.

Using a calibrated coaxial cable, the TEST RECEIVER is connected to the measuring port of the LISN for EUT.

To find out the maximum emission, change the position of the cable, and the EUT operation mode under normal usage of the EUT.

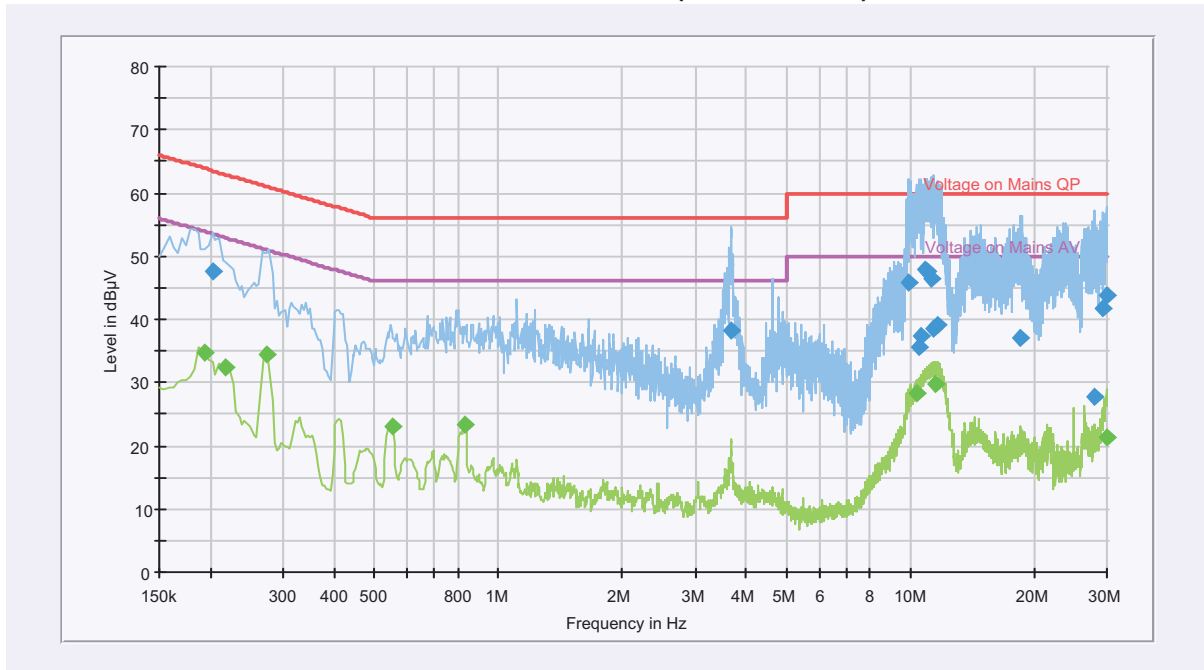
Then, the emission are scanned from 0.15MHz to 30MHz relative to the limit are recorded.

### 4.5.2 Conducted Emission Measurement Configuration



**Fig. 5 Conducted Emission Configuration(0.15 - 30MHz)**

### 4.5.3 Conducted Emission Measurement Data(0.15 - 30MHz)



Frequency (MHz)	QuasiPeak (dBµV)	Line	Corr. (dB)	Margin (dB)	Limit (dBµV)
0.202	47.7	L1	9.7	15.8	63.5
3.668	38.3	N	9.7	17.7	56.0
9.900	45.7	L1	9.8	14.3	60.0
10.552	35.6	N	9.8	24.4	60.0
10.676	37.4	N	9.8	22.6	60.0
10.852	47.9	L1	9.8	12.1	60.0
11.040	47.6	L1	9.8	12.4	60.0
11.192	46.5	L1	9.8	13.5	60.0
11.392	38.6	N	9.9	21.4	60.0
11.584	39.1	N	9.9	20.9	60.0
18.440	37.0	L1	9.9	23.0	60.0
27.940	27.6	N	10.3	32.4	60.0
29.168	41.7	L1	10.1	18.3	60.0
29.964	43.9	L1	10.1	16.1	60.0

Frequency (MHz)	Average (dBµV)	Line	Corr. (dB)	Margin (dB)	Limit (dBµV)
0.194	34.7	N	9.7	19.2	53.9
0.218	32.4	N	9.7	20.5	52.9
0.274	34.6	N	9.7	16.4	51.0
0.550	23.0	N	9.7	23.0	46.0
0.830	23.4	N	9.7	22.6	46.0
10.352	28.4	N	9.8	21.6	50.0
11.524	29.7	N	9.9	20.3	50.0
29.972	21.4	N	10.3	28.6	50.0

## 4.6 Radiated Emission Measurement

### 4.6.1 Radiated Emission Measurement Procedure

Radiated emission were measured over an inclusive frequency range to 30MHz through the tenth harmonic of the operating frequency. For this test, a 0.8-meter high wooden table in a semi-anechoic chamber supported the device under test. The table was placed on a turntable.

The measurement antenna was placed 3 meters for measurement from 30 to 1,000MHz and 1 meter for measurement from 1 - 25GHz, respectively, for the device under test. The indicated frequency range was swept as device under test was rotated along its vertical axis in 90 degree increments.

During the preliminary tests, the load consisted of 700-ml tap water placed in the center of the oven. The emissions were observed while the device under test was operated at maximum output power.

The level of the emissions near the edge of the designated ISM frequency band was measured. For this test, the load consisted of 700-ml water load located in the center of the oven.

The level of the second and third harmonic were measured inclusively with a 300-ml and 700-ml water load alternately placed in the center and side(or right front corner) of the oven.

The data obtained during these tests is contained on this report.

All other out-of-band emissions were measured while a 700-ml load was placed in the center of the oven. Maximum readings were recorded after variations in antenna polarizations, height, device orientation, load position, and size.

For frequencies above 1GHz, the test receiver detecting mode was set to average detection mode(Model no.:ESI , Rohde & Schwarz).

For all emissions the equivalent 300 meters intensity was calculated assuming linear decrease in the described, there were no over-limit emissions discovered.

### 4.6.2 Radiated Emission Measurement Configuration

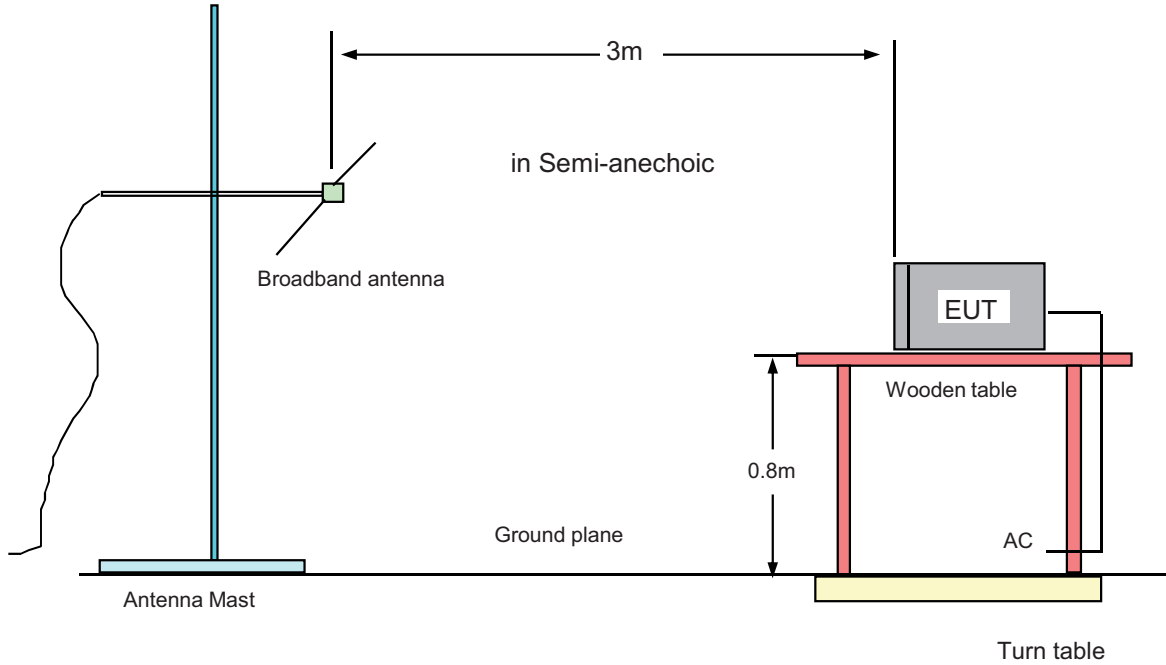


Fig. 6 Radiated Emission Configuration(30 - 1000MHz)

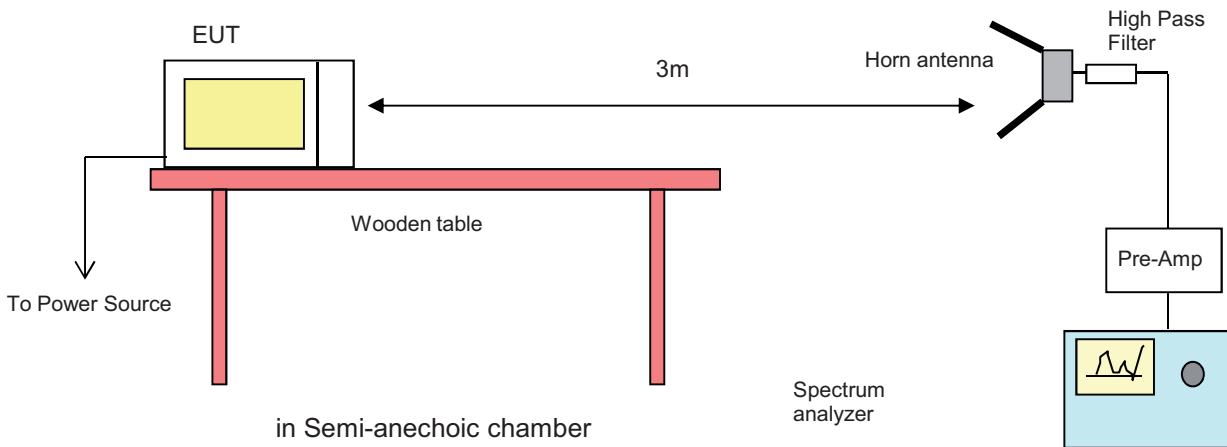


Fig. 7 Radiated Emission Configuration(1 - 25GHz)

**4.6.3 Radiated Emission Measurement Data(30 - 1000MHz)**

Test distance : 3m

Tested Frequency [MHz]	Meter Reading [A] [dBuV]	Total Loss [B] [dB]	Results [A+B] [dBuV/m]	Limits at 3m [dBuV/m]	ANT Pol.	Margin (Limit-Result) [dB]	Antenna Height [Cm]	Turn table Degree [Deg]
	<b>AV</b>		<b>AV</b>			<b>AV</b>		
33.88	54.30	-15.4	38.90	70.73	H	31.83	299	332.7
152.22	63.80	-23.1	40.70	70.73	H	30.03	299	329.9
153.19	65.40	-23.3	42.10	70.73	H	28.63	299	333.1
615.40	55.00	-14.0	41.00	70.73	H	29.73	199	22.4
110.39	64.50	-24.2	40.30	70.73	V	30.43	101	357.9
141.31	64.50	-22.7	41.80	70.73	V	28.93	301	324.2
142.64	67.40	-22.7	44.70	70.73	V	26.03	301	358
144.46	65.90	-22.7	43.20	70.73	V	27.53	301	358

**[NOTE]**

- \*  $f_0 = 2450\text{MHz}$
- \* Test distance : 3m
- \* Results = Meter Reading + Total Loss(Antenna factor + Cable loss)
- \* Distance Correction factor :  $20 \times \log(d1/d2)[\text{dBuV/m}]$

$$20 \times \log(300/3) = + 40\text{dBuV/m}$$

- \* The limit at 300 meters is 30.73 dBuV/m.
- Add 40dB to 30.73 dBuV/m gives a 70.73 dBuV/m @ 3 meters.

**4.6.4 Radiated Emission Measurement Data(1 - 25GHz)**

Test distance : 3m

Tested Frequency [MHz]	Meter Reading [AV] [dBuV]	Factor [dB]	HPF [dB]	Results at 300m [uV/m]	Limits at 300m [uV/m]	ANT Pol.	Margin [dB]
2346	39.32	28.82	0	25.53	34.39	H	8.86
2190	39.43	28.37	0	24.55	34.39	V	9.84
2196	35.88	28.39	0	16.35	34.39	H	18.04
2322	34.86	28.75	0	15.15	34.39	H	19.23
4913	57.02	-11.11	1	1.97	34.39	H	32.41
4961	60.54	-11.26	1	2.91	34.39	V	31.48
7382	59.67	-7.97	1	3.85	34.39	V	30.54
7446	67.19	-7.89	1	9.23	34.39	V	25.16
14681	60.24	1.36	1	12.02	34.39	H	22.36
14693	62.47	1.30	1	15.43	34.39	V	18.95
14897	60.38	0.22	1	10.72	34.39	V	23.67
14729	59.81	1.11	1	11.12	34.39	H	23.27

\*  $f_o = 2450\text{MHz}$

\* **Factor** : Antenna Factor + Cable Loss - Amplifier gain

\* **HPF** : High Pass Filter(4.5GHz)

\* The limit at 300 meters is  $25 * \sqrt{(RF\ Power/500)}$  [uV/m]

\* Margin = Limit-Result

*CALCULATIONS - Calculation of the equivalent 300 meter field strength was performed assuming a linear fall-off in the field strength with increased distance from the EUT.*

\* Field Strength (uV/meter at 300 meters) =  $K * 10^{[(MR+TL-AMP) / 20]}$

Where: K is the ratio of: [measurement distance / requirement distance]

MR: Meter Reading

TL: Total Loss

**[NOTE]**

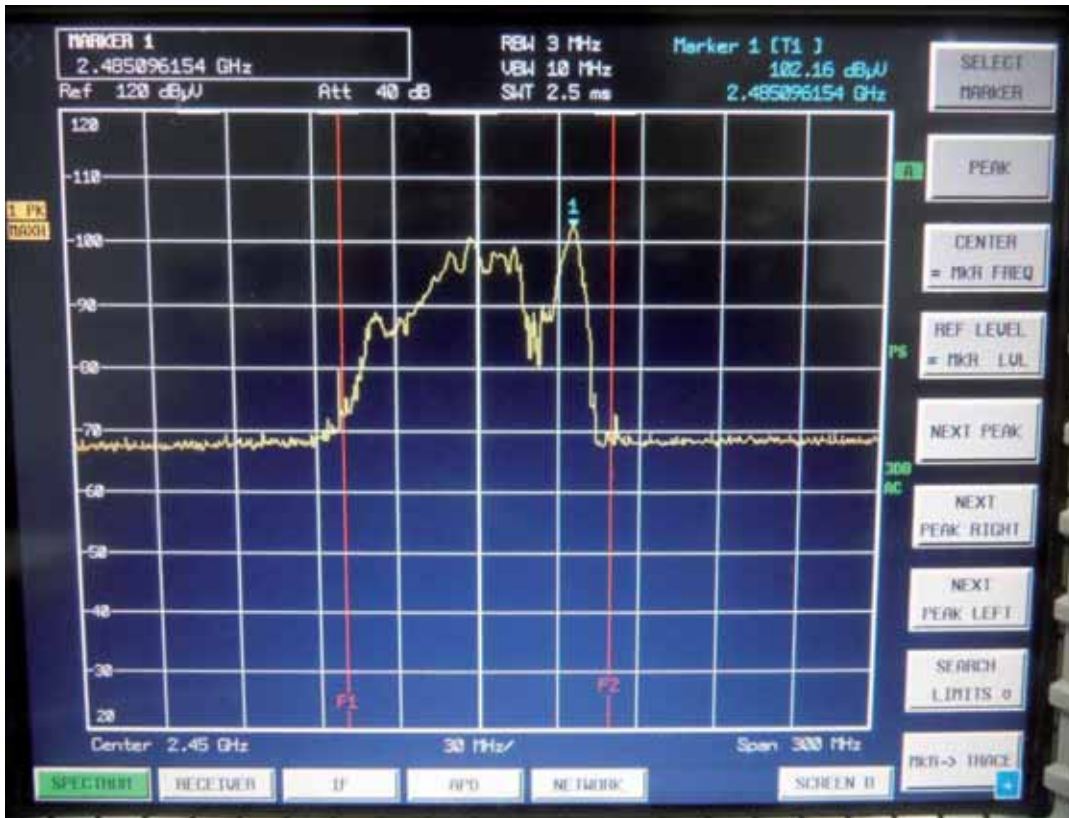
1. Load for measurement of radiation on second and third harmonic : Two loads, one of 1000ml and the other of 450ml, of water were used. Each load was tested both with the beaker located in the center of the oven and with it in the corner.

## 5. Measurement Equipment List

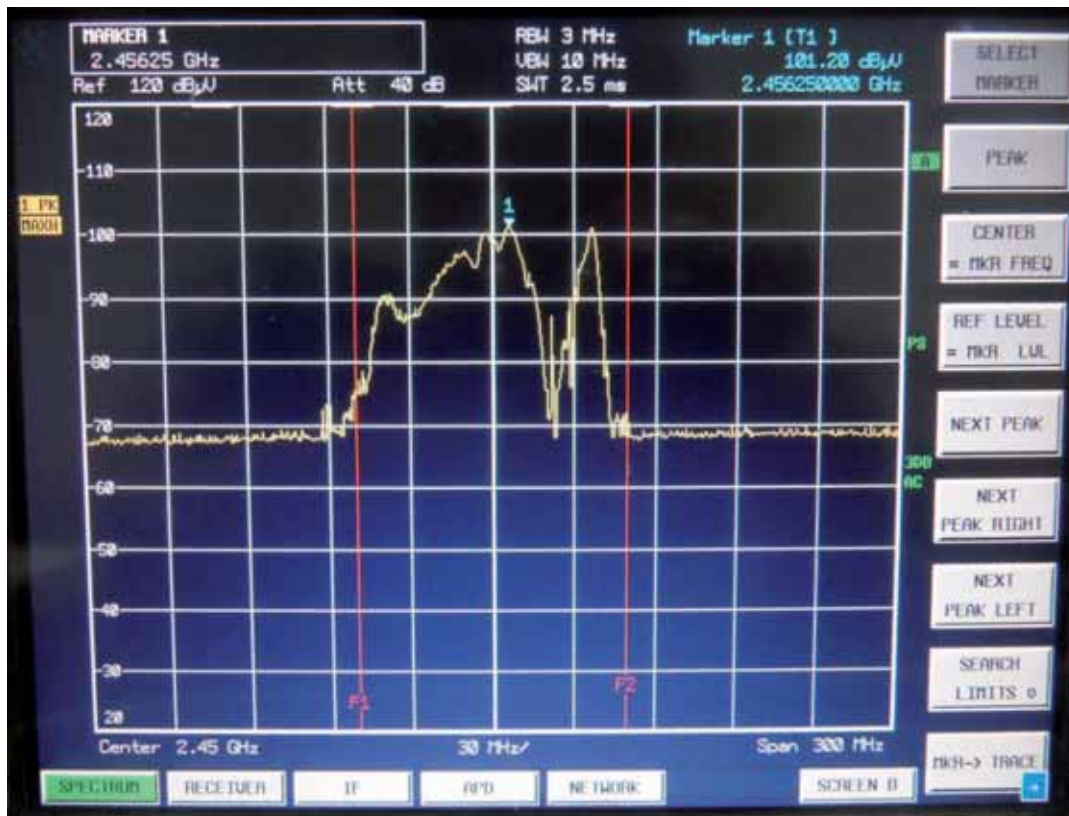
Equipment	Model No.	Serial No.	Makers	Calibration date and Interval (Y/M/D)
EMI TEST RECEIVER	ESU-08	100085	R & S	12/03/23, 12Months
ARTIFICIAL MAINS NETWORK	ENV216	100456	R & S	11/09/28, 12Months
Measurement Software	EMC 32	Ver 5.20.2	R & S	N/A
EMI TEST RECEIVER	ESU-26	100132	R & S	11/08/03, 12Months
Horn Antenna	3115	00027026	EMCO	12/04/19, 24Months
Microwave Survey Meter	HI-1501	93617	H.I	N/A
High Pass Filter	3H10-4500	2	K & L	12/01/27, 12Months
Amplifier	DWT-18213	004-9942	DSB Microwave	12/02/03, 12Months
Bilog Antenna	CBL6141A	4268	Schaffner	12/02/16, 24Months
Amplifier	317	260155	Sonoma	11/11/15, 12Months
EMI TEST RECEIVER	ESU-08	100085	R & S	12/03/23, 12Months

# Frequency vs Line Voltage Variation Test

Upper

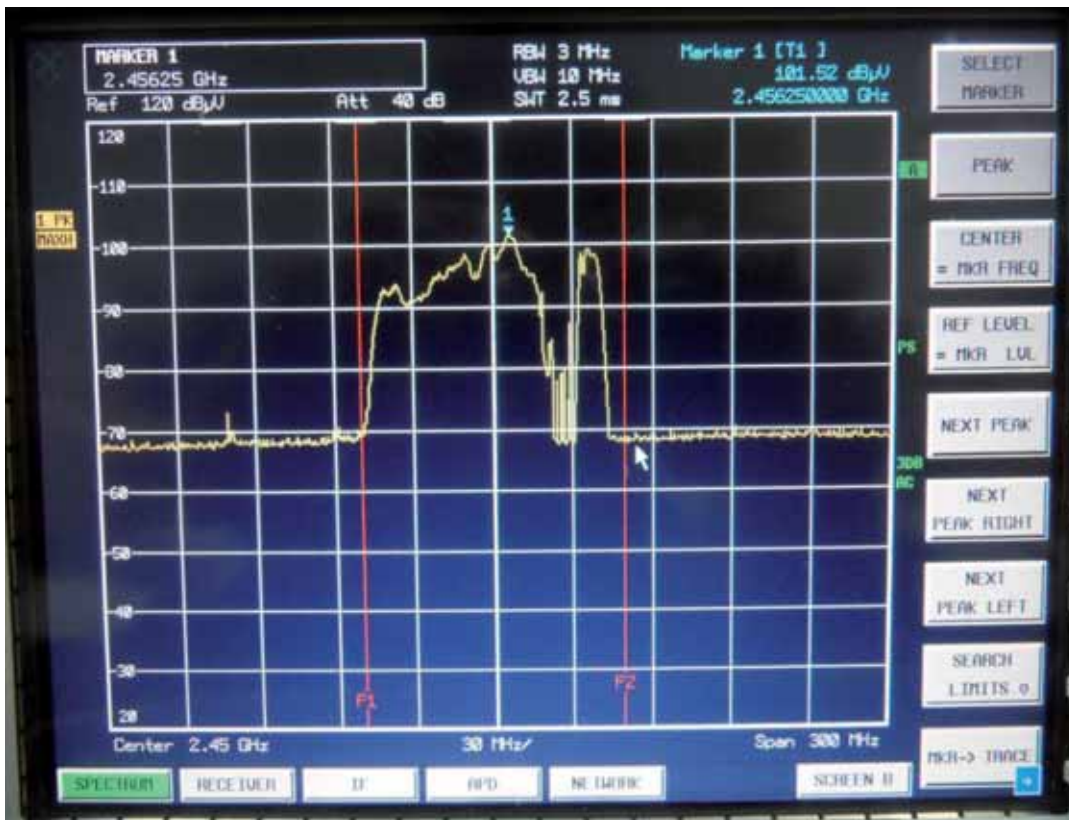


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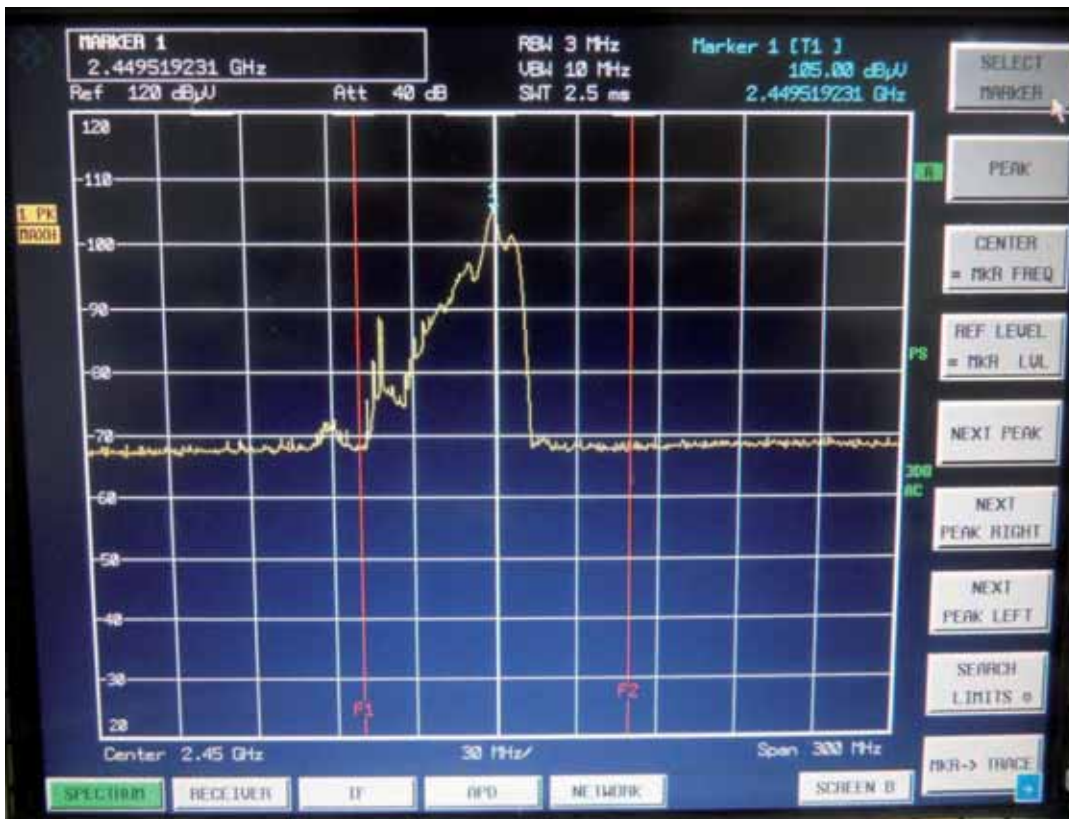


# Frequency vs Load Variation Test

Upper



Lower



EUT Photography



Front



Left



Right



Rear



Bottom



Top

Label location

<b>SAMSUNG</b>	HOUSEHOLD MICROWAVE OVEN 42000 PELABUHAN KLANG, SELANGOR, W. MALAYSIA	MANUFACTURED	120 Vac	60Hz	 <b>LISTED</b> 725F E70049
		JUNE-2012	1.7 kW MICROWAVE 1.75 kW HEATER		
MODEL	xx	SERIAL No.	MADE IN MALAYSIA	FCC ID : A3LOTRC17E	
ME179KFETSR			SEMA		
			THIS PRODUCT COMPLIES WITH DHHS RULES 21 CFR SUBCHAPTER J. <small>DE-68-01092C</small>		





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