

# NORTHWEST EMC

## Multi-Tech Systems, Inc.

MTDOT-915

FCC 15.247:2016

902 - 928 MHz Transceiver

Report # CDVE0013.1



NVLAP Lab Code: 200676-0

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# CERTIFICATE OF TEST

Last Date of Test: November 23, 2016  
Multi-Tech Systems, Inc.  
Model: MTDOT-915

## Radio Equipment Testing

### Standards

Specification	Method
FCC 15.247:2016	ANSI C63.10:2013

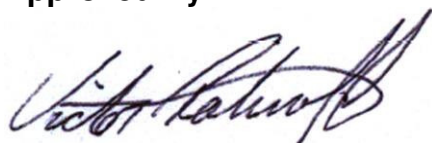
### Results

Method Clause	Test Description	Applied	Results	Comments
6.2	Powerline Conducted Emissions	No	N/A	Not required for a battery powered EUT.
6.5, 6.6	Spurious Radiated Emissions	Yes	Pass	
7.5	Duty Cycle	No	N/A	Not required for Permissive Change for new antenna.
7.8.2	Carrier Frequency Separation	No	N/A	Not required for Permissive Change for new antenna.
7.8.3	Number of Hopping Frequencies	No	N/A	Not required for Permissive Change for new antenna.
7.8.4	Dwell Time	No	N/A	Not required for Permissive Change for new antenna.
7.8.5	Output Power	No	N/A	Not required for Permissive Change for new antenna.
7.8.6	Band Edge Compliance	No	N/A	Not required for Permissive Change for new antenna.
7.8.6	Band Edge Compliance - Hopping Mode	No	N/A	Not required for Permissive Change for new antenna.
7.8.7	Occupied Bandwidth	No	N/A	Not required for Permissive Change for new antenna.
7.8.8	Spurious Conducted Emissions	No	N/A	Not required for Permissive Change for new antenna.
11.10.2	Power Spectral Density	No	N/A	Not required for Permissive Change for new antenna.

### Deviations From Test Standards

None

### Approved By:



Victor Ratinoff, Operations Manager

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# REVISION HISTORY

Revision Number	Description	Date	Page Number
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# ACCREDITATIONS AND AUTHORIZATIONS

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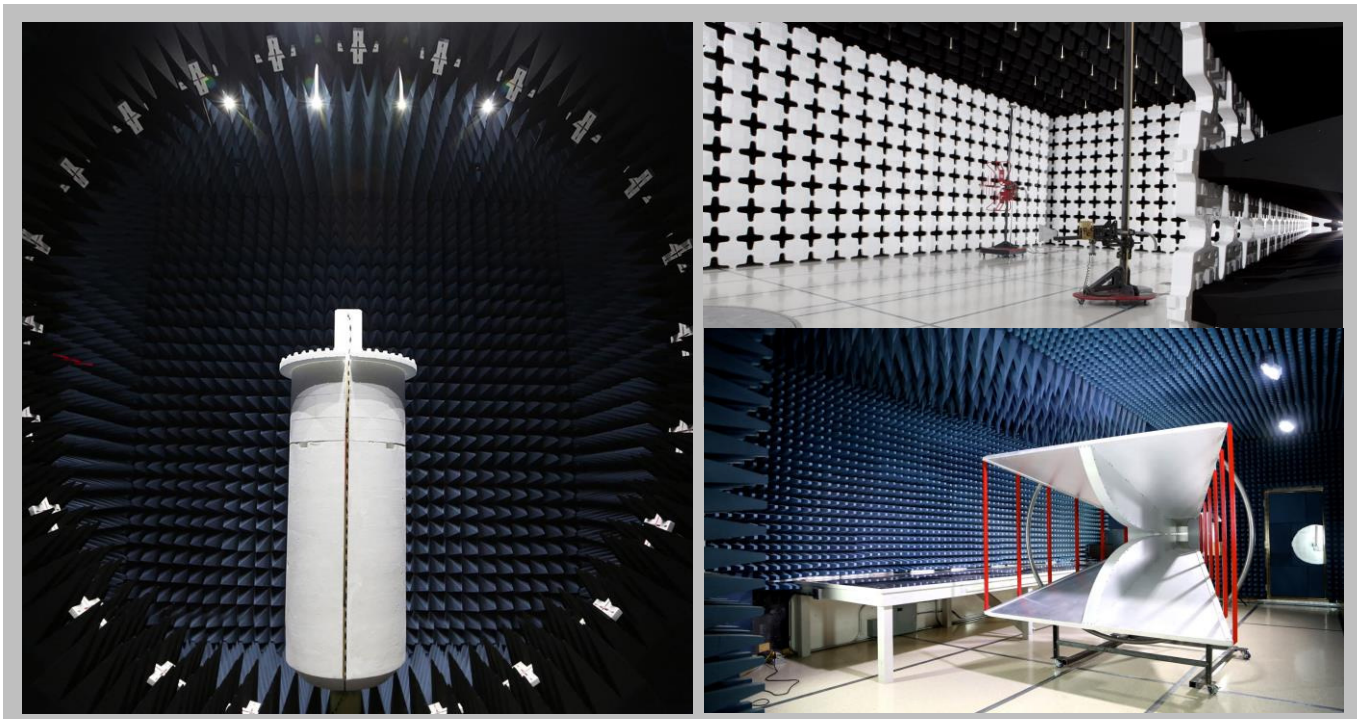
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US0158	US0175	N/A	US0017	US0191	US0157



# MEASUREMENT UNCERTAINTY

## Measurement Uncertainty

When a measurement is made, the result will be different from the true or theoretically correct value. The difference is the result of tolerances in the measurement system that cannot be completely eliminated. To the extent that technology allows us, it has been our aim to minimize this error. Measurement uncertainty is a statistical expression of measurement error qualified by a probability distribution.

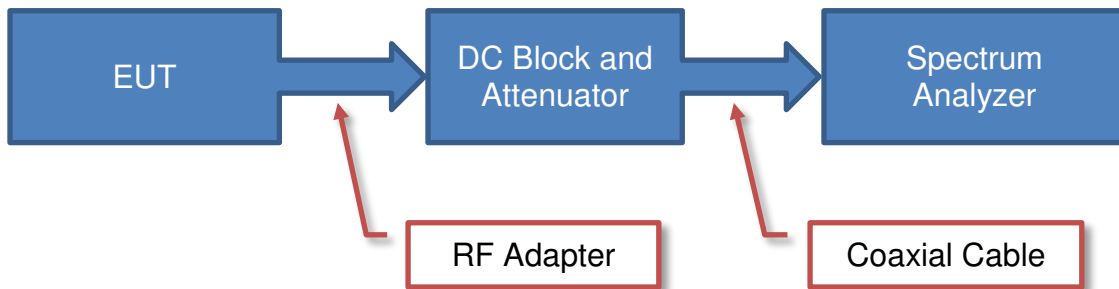
A measurement uncertainty estimation has been performed for each test per our internal quality document QM205.4.6. The estimation is used to compare the measured result with its "true" or theoretically correct value. The expanded measurement uncertainty (K=2) can be found included as part of the applicable test description page. Our measurement data meets or exceeds the measurement uncertainty requirements of the applicable specification; therefore, the test data can be compared directly to the specification limit to determine compliance. The calculations for estimating measurement uncertainty are based upon ETSI TR 100 028 (or CISPR 16-4-2 as applicable), and are available upon request.

The following table represents the Measurement Uncertainty (MU) budgets for each of the tests that may be contained in this report.

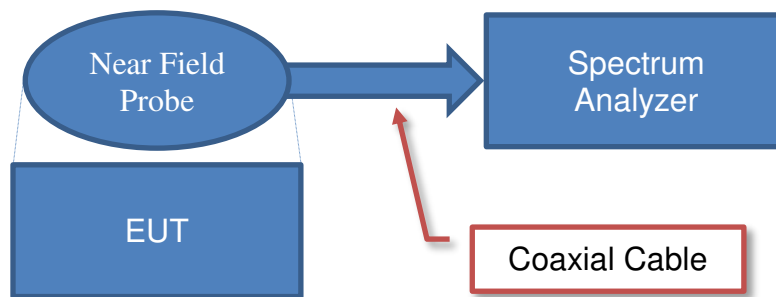
<b>Test</b>	<b>+ MU</b>	<b>- MU</b>
Frequency Accuracy (Hz)	0.0007%	-0.0007%
Amplitude Accuracy (dB)	1.2 dB	-1.2 dB
Conducted Power (dB)	0.3 dB	-0.3 dB
Radiated Power via Substitution (dB)	0.7 dB	-0.7 dB
Temperature (degrees C)	0.7°C	-0.7°C
Humidity (% RH)	2.5% RH	-2.5% RH
Voltage (AC)	1.0%	-1.0%
Voltage (DC)	0.7%	-0.7%
Field Strength (dB)	5.2 dB	-5.2 dB
AC Powerline Conducted Emissions (dB)	2.4 dB	-2.4 dB

# Test Setup Block Diagrams

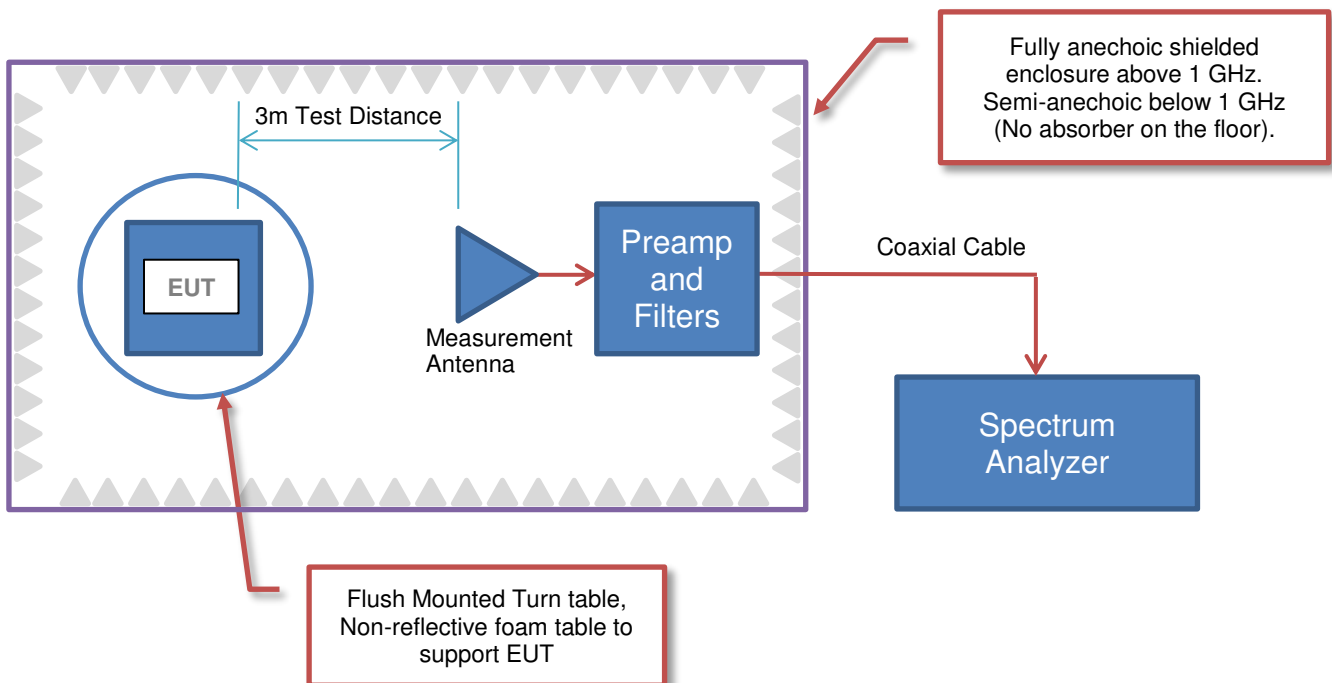
## Antenna Port Conducted Measurements



## Near Field Test Fixture Measurements



## Spurious Radiated Emissions



# PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

## Client and Equipment Under Test (EUT) Information

<b>Company Name:</b>	Multi-Tech Systems, Inc.
<b>Address:</b>	2205 Woodale Dr.
<b>City, State, Zip:</b>	Mounds View, MN 55112
<b>Test Requested By:</b>	Darin Hatcher of Connected Development, LLC
<b>Model:</b>	MTDOT-915
<b>First Date of Test:</b>	November 23, 2016
<b>Last Date of Test:</b>	November 23, 2016
<b>Receipt Date of Samples:</b>	November 23, 2016
<b>Equipment Design Stage:</b>	Production
<b>Equipment Condition:</b>	No Damage
<b>Purchase Authorization:</b>	Verified

## Information Provided by the Party Requesting the Test

### Functional Description of the EUT:

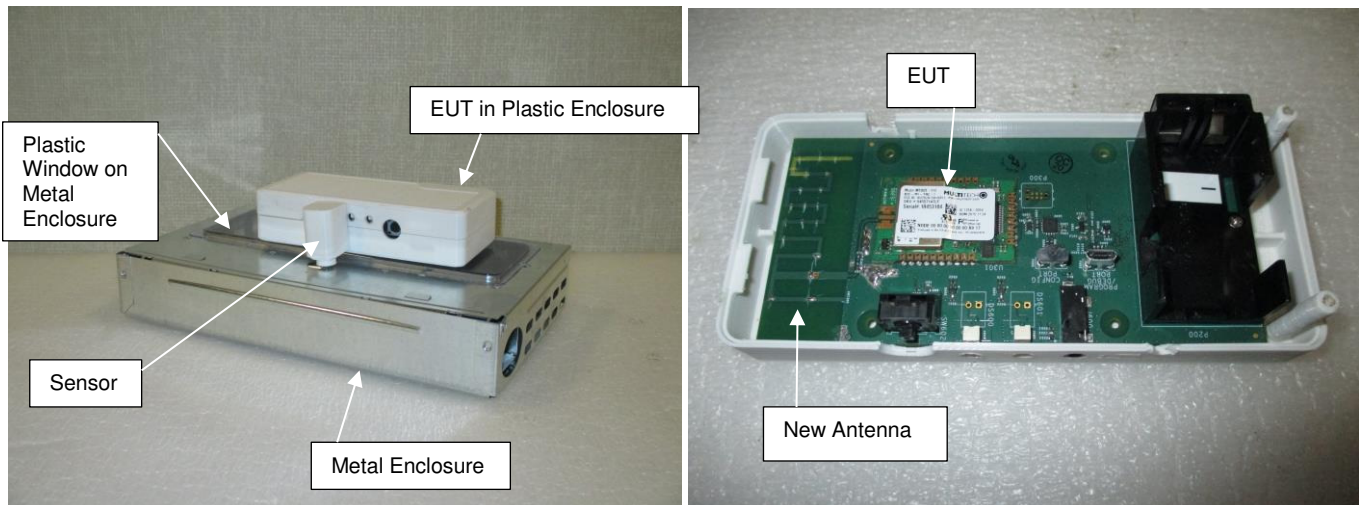
Previously certified Long Range 868/915 MHz ISM Radio module.

### Testing Objective:

Seeking to demonstrate compliance of a new antenna to Spurious Radiated Emissions requirements under FCC 15.247:2016.

### Test Configuration:

The radio module was tested as shown below in a plastic enclosure. For the FCC test code to operate, the radio required the sensor which had to be in contact with the metal enclosure. Since the module was in a plastic enclosure and next to the plastic window of the metal enclosure, it was tested in a "stand-alone" configuration.





## Configuration CDVE0013- 1

EUT			
Description	Manufacturer	Model/Part Number	Serial Number
MTDOT-915	Multi-Tech Systems, Inc	MTDOT-915	None
Antenna Board	Connected Development	16006-1	None
Sensor	Connected Development	None	None
Trap	Kness	104-0-004	None

# MODIFICATIONS

## Equipment Modifications

Item	Date	Test	Modification	Note	Disposition of EUT
1	11/23/2016	Spurious Radiated Emissions	Tested as delivered to Test Station.	No EMI suppression devices were added or modified during this test.	Scheduled testing was completed.

# SPURIOUS RADIATED EMISSIONS

Testing was performed using the mode(s) of operation and configuration(s) noted within the report. The individuals and/or the organization requesting the test provided the modes, configurations and settings used to complete the evaluation. The actual test parameters are specified in the test data, this includes items such as investigated frequency range (scanned) and test levels. The testing methods and performance specifications, as well as the test site used for the evaluation are indicated in the test data. The test data represents the configuration / operating mode/ model that produced the highest emission levels as compared to the specification limit.

## MODES OF OPERATION

Transmit Mode: Low Channel (902.3 MHz), Mid Channel (908.5 MHz), High Channel (914.9 MHz)

## POWER SETTINGS INVESTIGATED

Battery

## CONFIGURATIONS INVESTIGATED

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## FREQUENCY RANGE INVESTIGATED

Start Frequency | 30 MHz | Stop Frequency | 18000 MHz

## SAMPLE CALCULATIONS

Radiated Emissions: Field Strength = Measured Level + Antenna Factor + Cable Factor - Amplifier Gain + Distance Adjustment Factor + External Attenuation

## TEST EQUIPMENT

Description	Manufacturer	Model	ID	Last Cal.	Interval
Antenna - Biconilog	EMCO	3142	AXB	11/6/2015	24 mo
Filter - High Pass	Micro-Tronics	HPM50108	HFW	2/9/2016	12 mo
Filter - Band Pass/Notch	K&L Microwave	3TNF-500/1000-N/N	HFR	3/3/2016	12 mo
Filter - Low Pass	Micro-Tronics	LPM50003	LFA	10/17/2016	12 mo
Cable	Northwest EMC	10kHz-1GHz RE Cables	OCH	8/9/2016	12 mo
Amplifier - Pre-Amplifier	Miteq	AM-1402	AOZ	8/10/2016	12 mo
Cable	Northwest EMC	8-18GHz RE Cables	OCO	8/10/2016	12 mo
Cable	Northwest EMC	1-8GHz RE Cables	OCJ	8/4/2016	12 mo
Amplifier - Pre-Amplifier	Miteq	AMF-4D-010120-30-10P-1	AOP	8/4/2016	12 mo
Amplifier - Pre-Amplifier	Miteq	AMF-6F-12001800-30-10P	AOE	8/10/2016	12 mo
Amplifier - Pre-Amplifier	Miteq	AMF-6F-08001200-30-10P	AOE	8/10/2016	12 mo
Antenna - Standard Gain	ETS Lindgren	3160-08	AHT	NCR	0 mo
Antenna - Standard Gain	ETS Lindgren	3160-07	AHR	NCR	0 mo
Antenna - Double Ridge	EMCO	3115	AHB	3/21/2016	24 mo
Analyzer - Spectrum Analyzer	Agilent	N9010A	AFJ	2/9/2016	12 mo

## MEASUREMENT BANDWIDTHS

Frequency Range (MHz)	Peak Data (kHz)	Quasi-Peak Data (kHz)	Average Data (kHz)
0.01 - 0.15	1.0	0.2	0.2
0.15 - 30.0	10.0	9.0	9.0
30.0 - 1000	100.0	120.0	120.0
Above 1000	1000.0	N/A	1000.0


## TEST DESCRIPTION

The highest gain of each type of antenna to be used with the EUT was tested. The EUT was configured for low, mid, and high band transmit frequencies. For each configuration, the spectrum was scanned throughout the specified range. In addition, measurements were made in the restricted bands to verify compliance. While scanning, emissions from the EUT were maximized by rotating the EUT on a turntable, adjusting the position of the EUT and the EUT antenna in three orthogonal axis, and adjusting measurement antenna height and polarization. A preamp and high pass filter were used for this test in order to provide sufficient measurement sensitivity.

# SPURIOUS RADIATED EMISSIONS

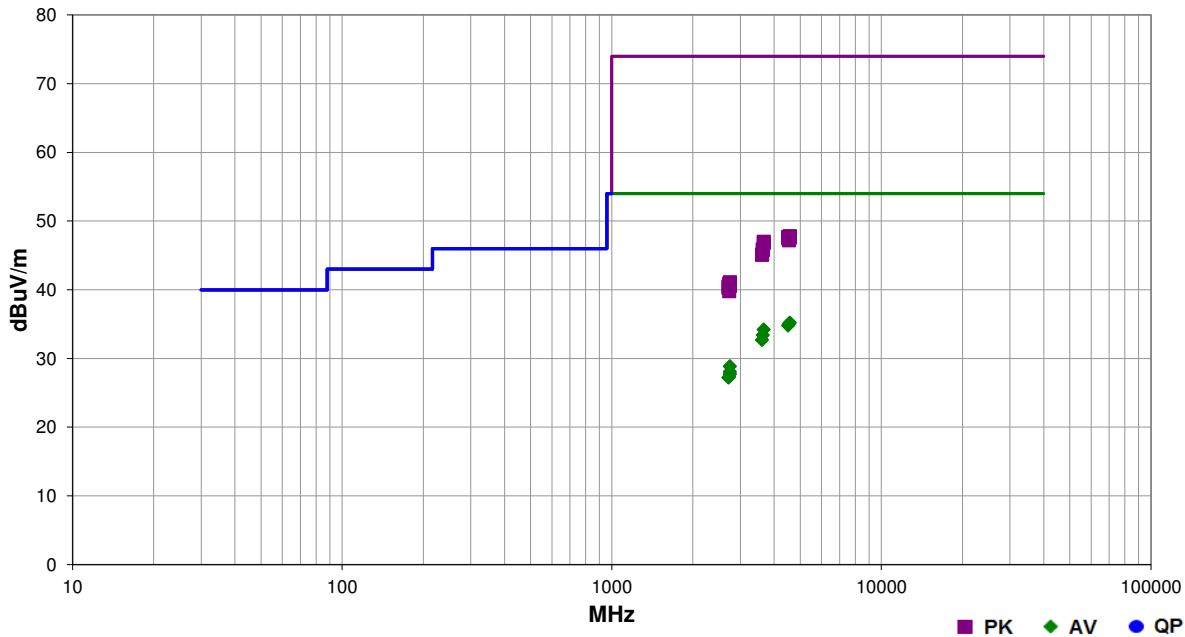


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<b>Work Order:</b>	CDVE0013	<b>Date:</b>	11/23/16	
<b>Project:</b>	None	<b>Temperature:</b>	20.3 °C	
<b>Job Site:</b>	OC10	<b>Humidity:</b>	52.2% RH	
<b>Serial Number:</b>	18453104	<b>Barometric Pres.:</b>	1021 mbar	
<b>EUT:</b>	MTDOT-915			
<b>Configuration:</b>	1			
<b>Customer:</b>	Multi-Tech Systems, Inc.			
<b>Attendees:</b>	None			
<b>EUT Power:</b>	Battery			
<b>Operating Mode:</b>	Transmit Mode: Low Channel (902.3 MHz), Mid Channel (908.5 MHz), High Channel (914.9 MHz)			
<b>Deviations:</b>	None			
<b>Comments:</b>	None			

<b>Test Specifications</b>	<b>Test Method</b>
FCC 15.247:2016	ANSI C63.10:2013

<b>Run #</b>	23	<b>Test Distance (m)</b>	3	<b>Antenna Height(s)</b>	1 to 4(m)	<b>Results</b>	Pass
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Freq (MHz)	Amplitude (dBuV)	Factor (dB)	Antenna Height (meters)	Azimuth (degrees)	Test Distance (meters)	External Attenuation (dB)	Polarity/Transducer Type	Detector	Distance Adjustment (dB)	Adjusted (dBuV/m)	Spec. Limit (dBuV/m)	Compared to Spec. (dB)	Comments
4574.492	24.0	11.2	1.0	75.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	AV	0.0	35.2	54.0	-18.8	High Ch, EUT Vert
4574.489	24.0	11.2	1.0	99.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	AV	0.0	35.2	54.0	-18.8	High Ch, EUT Vert
4542.496	24.0	11.0	1.0	283.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	AV	0.0	35.0	54.0	-19.0	Mid Ch, EUT Vert
4542.457	24.0	11.0	1.0	342.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	AV	0.0	35.0	54.0	-19.0	Mid Ch, EUT Vert
4511.482	24.0	10.8	1.0	105.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	AV	0.0	34.8	54.0	-19.2	Low Ch, EUT Vert
4511.548	24.0	10.8	1.0	311.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	AV	0.0	34.8	54.0	-19.2	Low Ch, EUT Vert
3659.506	25.2	9.0	3.5	226.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	AV	0.0	34.2	54.0	-19.8	High Ch, EUT Vert
3659.534	25.2	9.0	1.0	324.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	AV	0.0	34.2	54.0	-19.8	High Ch, EUT Vert
3633.985	24.9	8.5	1.0	351.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	AV	0.0	33.4	54.0	-20.6	Mid Ch, EUT Vert
3634.002	24.9	8.5	1.0	186.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	AV	0.0	33.4	54.0	-20.6	Mid Ch, EUT Vert
3609.153	24.7	8.0	1.0	323.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	AV	0.0	32.7	54.0	-21.3	Low Ch, EUT Vert
3609.195	24.7	8.0	1.0	209.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	AV	0.0	32.7	54.0	-21.3	Low Ch, EUT Vert
2744.650	25.7	3.2	2.7	214.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	AV	0.0	28.9	54.0	-25.1	High Ch, EUT Vert
2744.678	25.6	3.2	1.0	184.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	AV	0.0	28.8	54.0	-25.2	High Ch, EUT Vert
2744.675	24.9	3.2	1.0	144.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	AV	0.0	28.1	54.0	-25.9	High Ch, EUT Vert
2744.650	24.7	3.2	1.0	316.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	AV	0.0	27.9	54.0	-26.1	High Ch, EUT Vert
4574.536	36.6	11.2	1.0	99.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	PK	0.0	47.8	74.0	-26.2	High Ch, EUT Vert
4542.541	36.7	11.0	1.0	283.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	PK	0.0	47.7	74.0	-26.3	Mid Ch, EUT Vert

Freq (MHz)	Amplitude (dBuV)	Factor (dB)	Antenna Height (meters)	Azimuth (degrees)	Test Distance (meters)	External Attenuation (dB)	Polarity/ Transducer Type	Detector	Distance Adjustment (dB)	Adjusted (dBuV/m)	Spec. Limit (dBuV/m)	Compared to Spec. (dB)	Comments
4511.488	36.9	10.8	1.0	311.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	PK	0.0	47.7	74.0	-26.3	Low Ch, EUT Vert
2744.650	24.5	3.2	2.5	289.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	AV	0.0	27.7	54.0	-26.3	High Ch, EUT on Slide
2744.689	24.5	3.2	1.0	275.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	AV	0.0	27.7	54.0	-26.3	High Ch, EUT on Slide
4574.521	36.4	11.2	1.0	75.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	PK	0.0	47.6	74.0	-26.4	High Ch, EUT Vert
4511.462	36.7	10.8	1.0	105.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	PK	0.0	47.5	74.0	-26.5	Low Ch, EUT Vert
2725.506	24.2	3.1	1.0	215.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	AV	0.0	27.3	54.0	-26.7	Mid Ch, EUT Vert
2725.457	24.2	3.1	1.0	143.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	AV	0.0	27.3	54.0	-26.7	Mid Ch, EUT Vert
4542.519	36.2	11.0	1.0	342.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	PK	0.0	47.2	74.0	-26.8	Mid Ch, EUT Vert
2706.868	24.2	3.0	1.0	290.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	AV	0.0	27.2	54.0	-26.8	Low Ch, EUT Vert
2706.913	24.2	3.0	1.0	52.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	AV	0.0	27.2	54.0	-26.8	Low Ch, EUT Vert
3659.490	38.0	9.0	1.0	324.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	PK	0.0	47.0	74.0	-27.0	High Ch, EUT Vert
3659.471	37.8	9.0	3.5	226.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	PK	0.0	46.8	74.0	-27.2	High Ch, EUT Vert
3634.047	37.4	8.5	1.0	186.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	PK	0.0	45.9	74.0	-28.1	Mid Ch, EUT Vert
3634.019	37.3	8.5	1.0	351.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	PK	0.0	45.8	74.0	-28.2	Mid Ch, EUT Vert
3609.165	37.1	8.0	1.0	323.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	PK	0.0	45.1	74.0	-28.9	Low Ch, EUT Vert
3609.168	37.1	8.0	1.0	209.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	PK	0.0	45.1	74.0	-28.9	Low Ch, EUT Vert
2744.741	37.9	3.2	2.7	214.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	PK	0.0	41.1	74.0	-32.9	High Ch, EUT Vert
2744.672	37.8	3.2	1.0	184.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	PK	0.0	41.0	74.0	-33.0	High Ch, EUT Horz
2744.748	37.7	3.2	1.0	316.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	PK	0.0	40.9	74.0	-33.1	High Ch, EUT Horz
2725.491	37.8	3.1	1.0	143.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	PK	0.0	40.9	74.0	-33.1	Mid Ch, EUT Vert
2744.666	37.6	3.2	1.0	144.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	PK	0.0	40.8	74.0	-33.2	High Ch, EUT Vert
2744.701	37.4	3.2	2.5	289.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	PK	0.0	40.6	74.0	-33.4	High Ch, EUT on Slide
2744.730	37.4	3.2	1.0	275.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	PK	0.0	40.6	74.0	-33.4	High Ch, EUT on Slide
2706.935	37.5	3.0	1.0	290.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	PK	0.0	40.5	74.0	-33.5	Low Ch, EUT Vert
2706.938	37.3	3.0	1.0	52.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	PK	0.0	40.3	74.0	-33.7	Low Ch, EUT Vert
2725.514	36.7	3.1	1.0	215.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	PK	0.0	39.8	74.0	-34.2	Mid Ch, EUT Vert