



**Nemko Test Report:** 19864RUS1

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**Equipment Under Test:** AF1727  
(E.U.T.)

**In Accordance With:** **CFR 47, Part 27, Subpart C**  
Miscellaneous Wireless Communication Services

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## Section 1. Summary of Test Results

Manufacturer Andrew Corporation

Model No.: AF1727

Serial No.: 14

General: **All measurements are traceable to national standards.**

These tests were conducted on a sample of the equipment for the purpose of demonstrating compliance with CFR 47, Part 27, Subpart C.



New Submission



Production Unit



Class II Permissive Change



Pre-Production Unit

THIS TEST REPORT RELATES ONLY TO THE ITEM(S) TESTED.

THE FOLLOWING DEVIATIONS FROM, ADDITIONS TO, OR EXCLUSIONS FROM THE TEST SPECIFICATIONS HAVE BEEN MADE.

See "Summary of Test Data".



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**Summary Of Test Data**

<b>NAME OF TEST</b>	<b>PARA. NO.</b>	<b>SPEC.</b>	<b>RESULT</b>
RF Power Output	27.50(d)	1640 Watts	Complies
Occupied Bandwidth	2.1049	Input/Output	Complies
Spurious Emissions at Antenna Terminals	27.53(g)	-13 dBm	Complies
Field Strength of Spurious Emissions	27.53(g)	-13 dBm E.I.R.P.	Complies
Frequency Stability	27.54	Must stay in band	NA

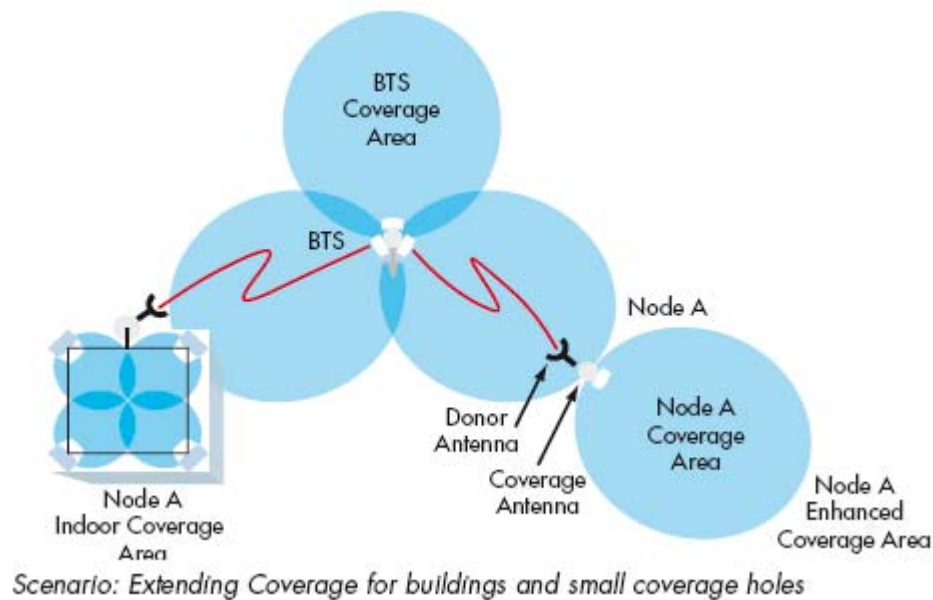
**Section 2. General Equipment Specification**

<b>Supply Voltage Input:</b>	120 Vac				
<b>Frequency Bands: Downlink:</b>	2110 to 2155 MHz				
<b>Frequency Bands: Uplink:</b>	1710 to 1755 MHz				
<b>Type of Modulation and Designator:</b>	<b>CDMA (F9W)</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>GSM (GXW)</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>NADC (DXW)</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>W-CDMA (F9W)</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>EDGE (G7W)</b> <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>System Gain:</b>	84 dB				
<b>Output Impedance:</b>	50 ohms				
<b>RF Output (Rated): Uplink</b>	$\frac{1.0}{30} \text{ W dBm}$				
<b>RF Output (Rated): Downlink</b>	$\frac{0.5}{27} \text{ W dBm}$				
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## Description of EUT

The Node A is an RF enhancer which is capable of filtering and amplifying a multitude of distinct sub-bands up to 120 MHz in total anywhere within multiple frequency bands. It is designed to be part of the primary infrastructure

## System Diagram



**Section 3. RF Power Output**

NAME OF TEST: RF Power Output	PARA. NO.: 27.50
TESTED BY: David Light	DATE: 23 October 2008

**Test Results:** Complies.**Measurement Data:**

Direction	Modulation	Composite Power (dBm)	RF Power (W)
Downlink	CDMA	27	0.50
	UMTS	25	0.32
Uplink	CDMA	30	1.0
	UMTS	28	0.63

**Equipment Used:** 1663-1604-1065-1082**Measurement Uncertainty:** +/- 1.7 dB**Temperature:** 22 °C**Relative Humidity:** 48 %

**Section 4. Occupied Bandwidth**

NAME OF TEST: Occupied Bandwidth	PARA. NO.: 2.1049
TESTED BY: David Light	DATE: 23 October 2008

**Test Results:** Complies.

**Test Data:** See attached plot(s).

**Equipment Used:** 1663-1604-1065-1082

**Measurement Uncertainty:** 1X10<sup>-7</sup> ppm

**Temperature:** 22 °C

**Relative Humidity:** 48 %



# Test Data – Occupied Bandwidth

CDMA/EV-DO

Downlink

OUTPUT



\*RBW 30 kHz

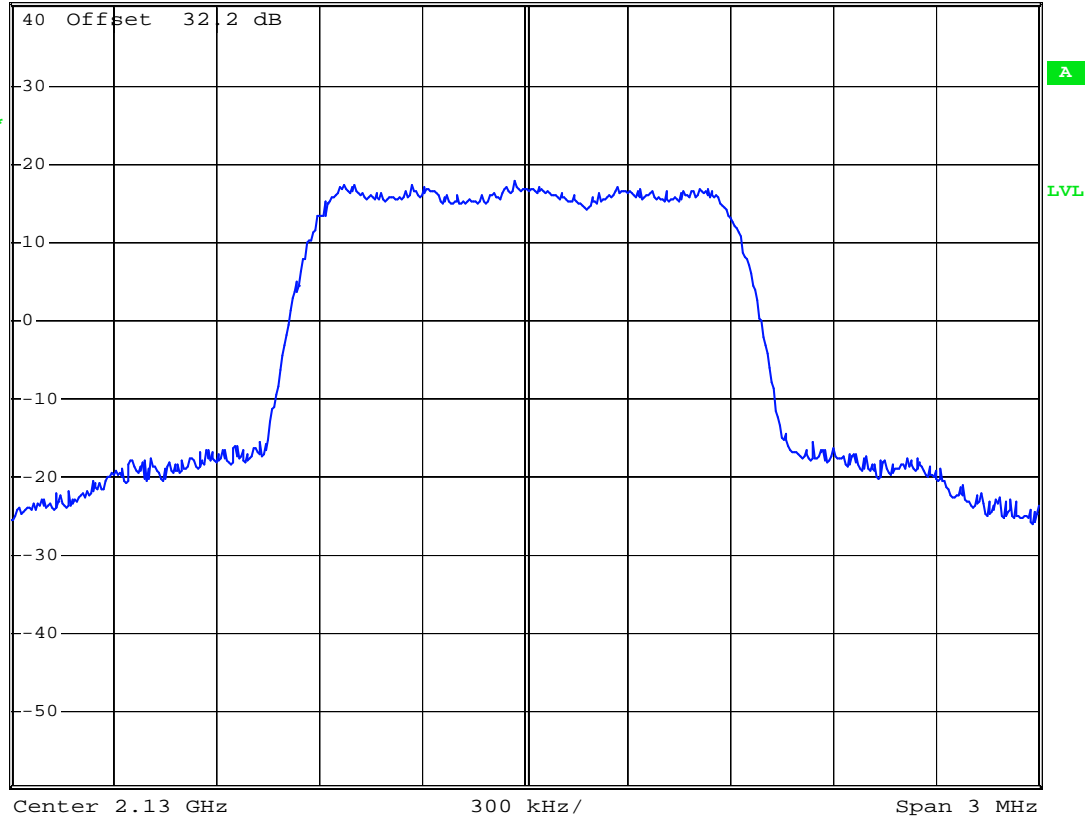
\*VBW 300 kHz

\*SWT 100 ms

Ref 40.5 dBm

\*Att 30 dB

1 PK  
VIEW



Date: 23.OCT.2008 13:10:20

**Test Data – Occupied Bandwidth**

CDMA/EV-DO

Downlink

INPUT



\*RBW 30 kHz

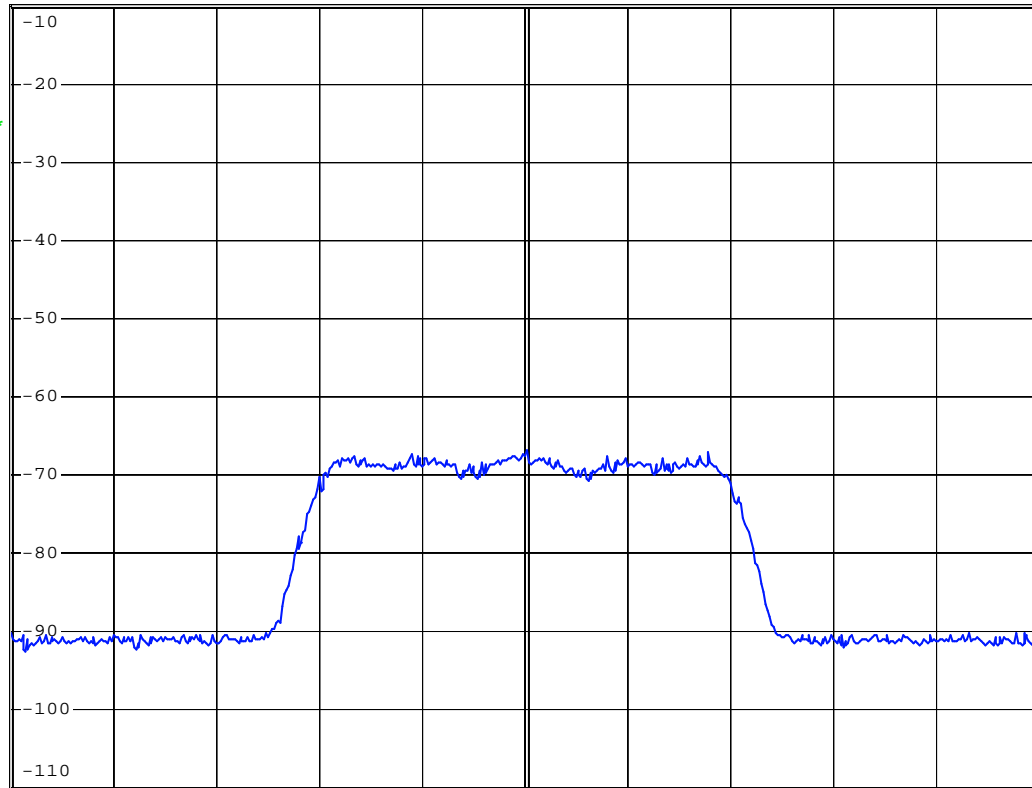
\*VBW 300 kHz

\*SWT 100 ms

Ref -10 dBm

\*Att 0 dB

1 PK  
VIEW



Center 2.13 GHz

300 kHz/

Span 3 MHz

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# Test Data – Occupied Bandwidth

WCDMA/UMTS

Downlink

OUTPUT



\*RBW 100 kHz

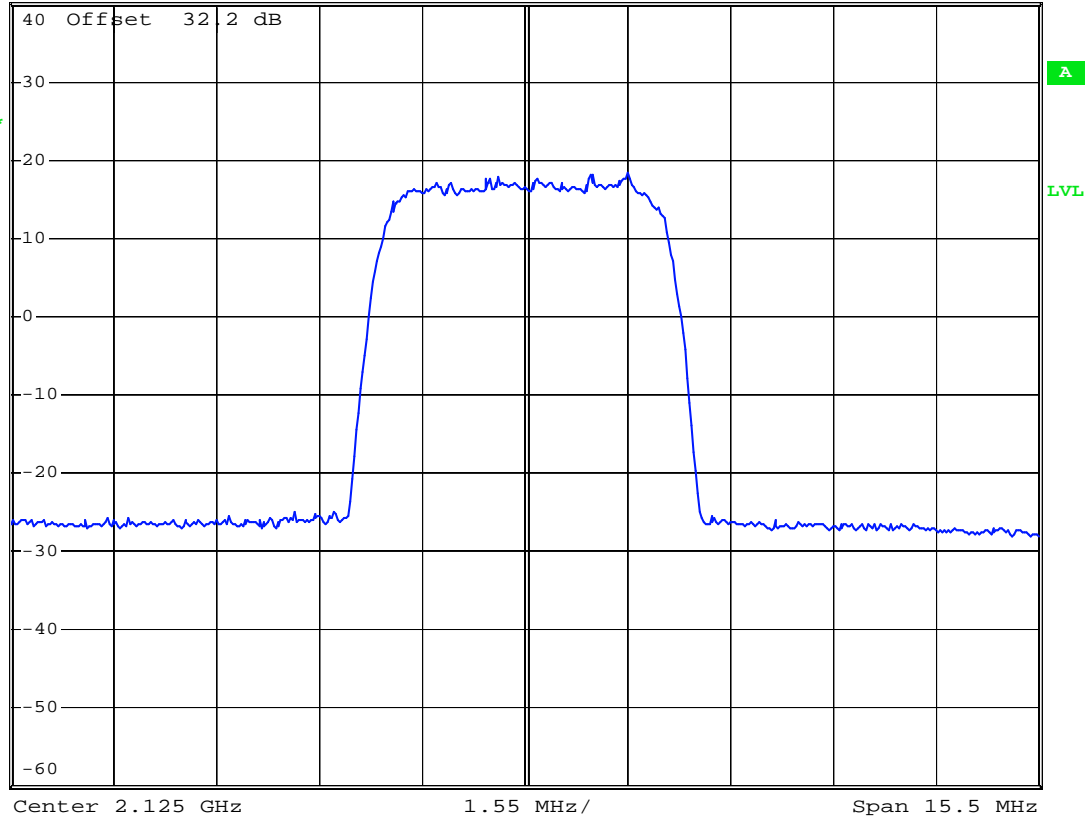
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\*SWT 100 ms

Ref 40 dBm

\*Att 30 dB

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VIEW



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# Test Data – Occupied Bandwidth

WCDMA/UMTS

Downlink

INPUT



\*RBW 100 kHz

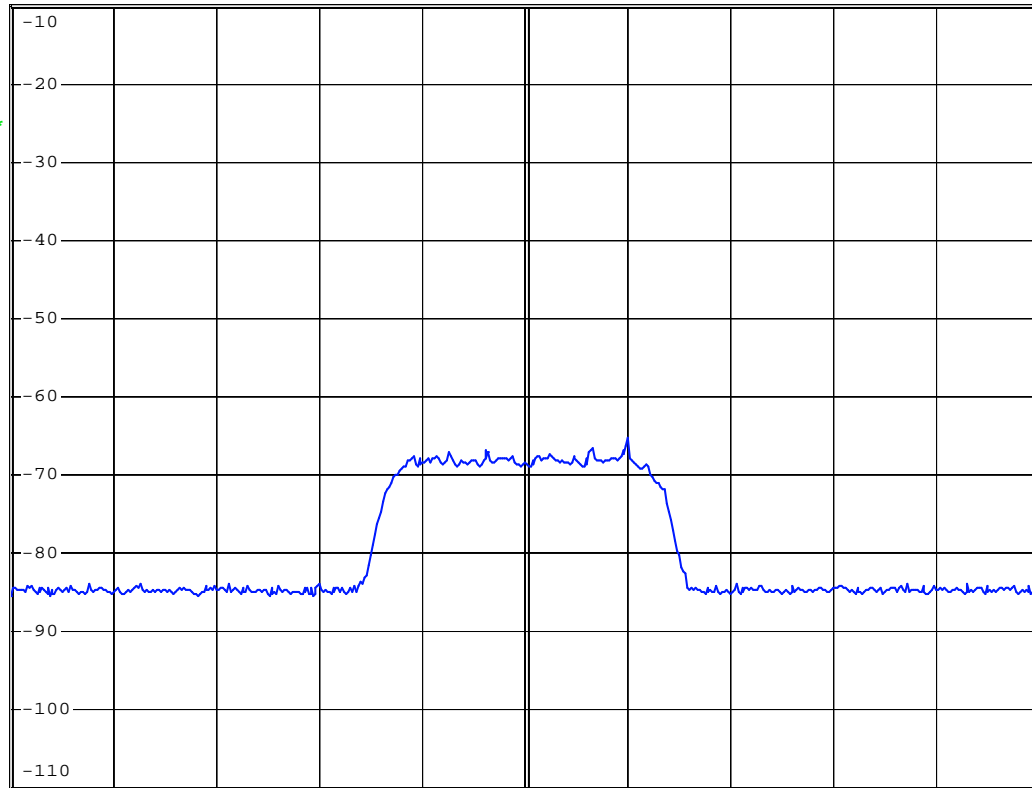
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\*SWT 100 ms

Ref -10 dBm

\*Att 0 dB

1 PK  
VIEW



Center 2.125 GHz

1.55 MHz/

Span 15.5 MHz

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**Test Data – Occupied Bandwidth**

CDMA/EV-DO

Uplink

OUTPUT



\*RBW 30 kHz

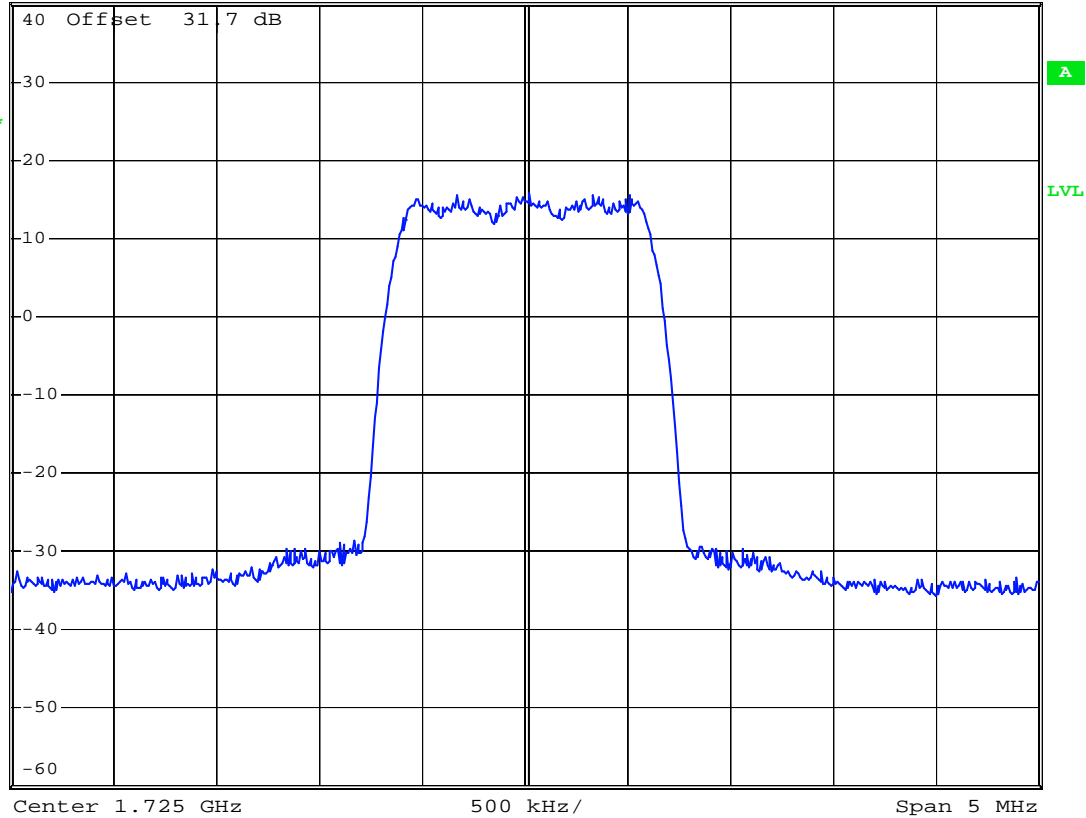
\*VBW 300 kHz

\*SWT 100 ms

Ref 40 dBm

\*Att 20 dB

1 PK  
VIEW



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**Test Data – Occupied Bandwidth**

CDMA/EV-DO

Uplink

INPUT



\*RBW 30 kHz

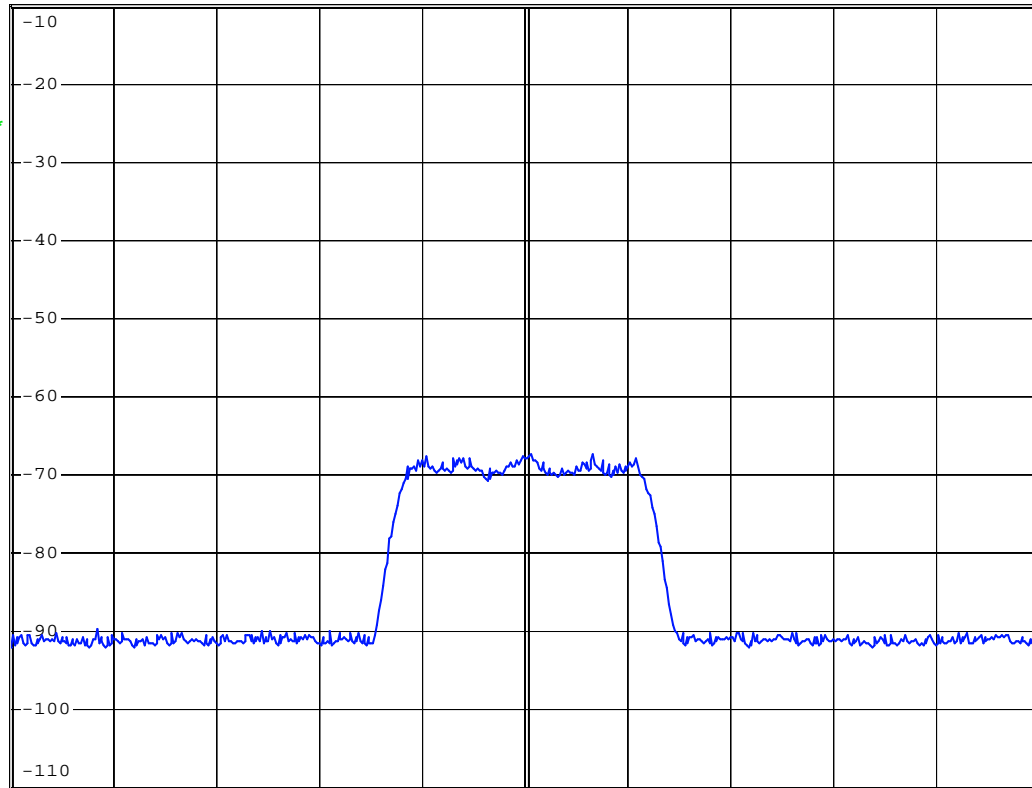
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\*SWT 100 ms

Ref -10 dBm

\*Att 0 dB

1 PK  
VIEW



Center 1.725 GHz

500 kHz/

Span 5 MHz

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# Test Data – Occupied Bandwidth

WCDMA/UMTS

Uplink

OUTPUT



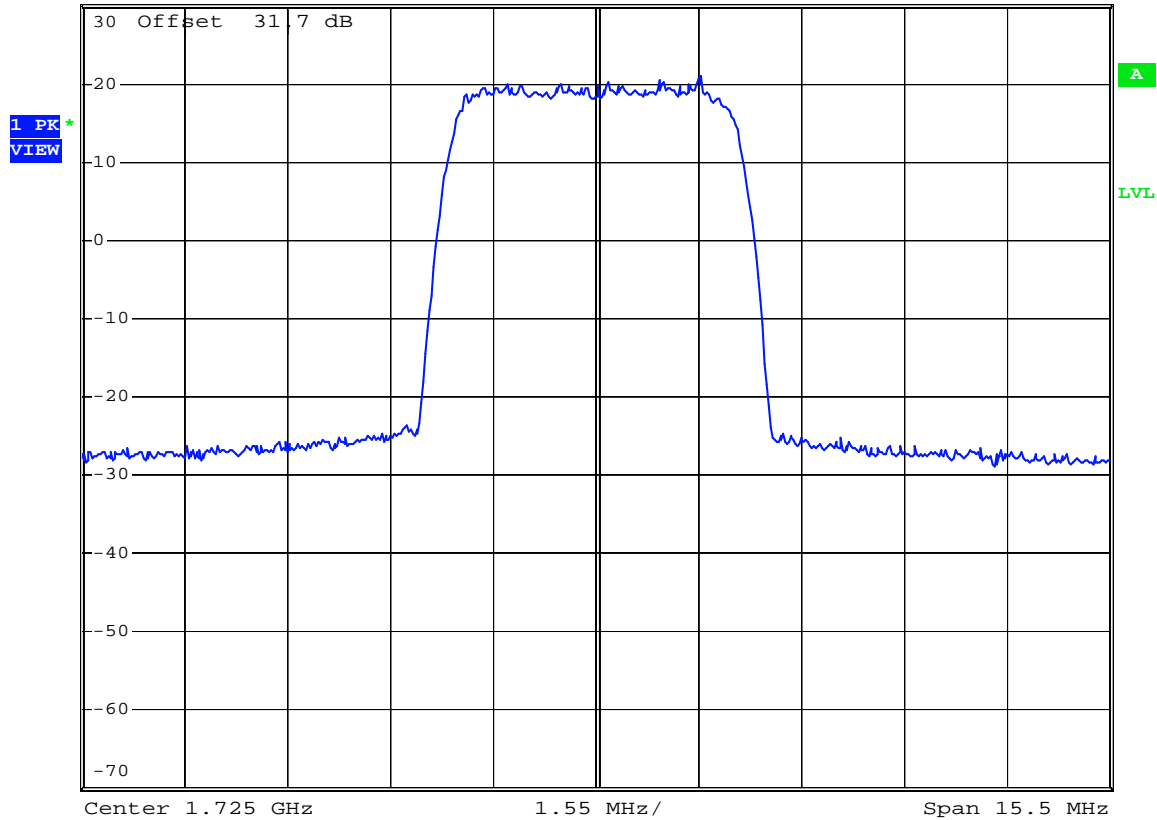
\*RBW 100 kHz

VBW 300 kHz

\*SWT 100 ms

Ref 30 dBm

\*Att 30 dB



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**Test Data – Occupied Bandwidth**

WCDMA/UMTS

Uplink

INPUT



\*RBW 100 kHz

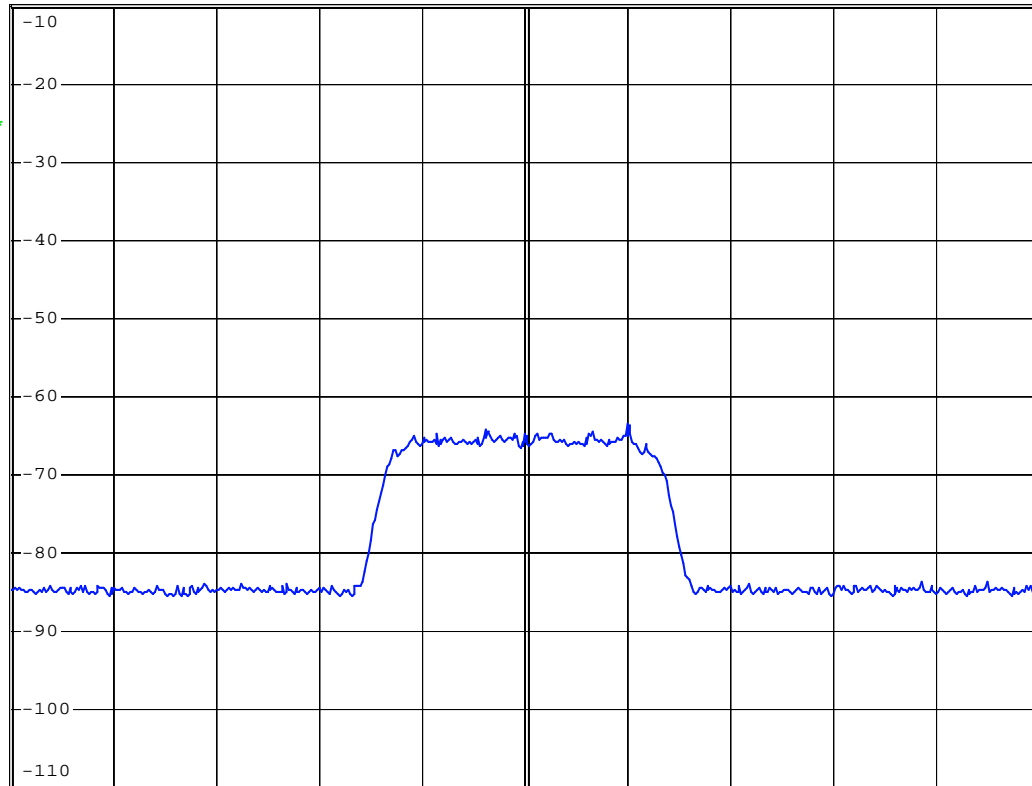
VBW 300 kHz

\*SWT 100 ms

Ref -10 dBm

\*Att 0 dB

1 PK  
VIEW



Center 1.725 GHz

1.55 MHz/

Span 15.5 MHz

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**Section 5. Spurious Emissions at Antenna Terminals**

NAME OF TEST: Spurious Emissions @ Antenna Terminals	PARA. NO.: 27.53
TESTED BY: David Light	DATE: 23 October 2008

**Test Results:** Complies.

**Test Data:** See attached plot(s).

**Equipment Used:** 1663-1604-1065-1082-1464

**Measurement Uncertainty:** +/- 1.7 dB

**Temperature:** 22 °C

**Relative Humidity:** 48 %

**Test Data – Spurious Emissions at Antenna Terminals**

CDMA/EV-DO

LOW BANDEDGE

Downlink



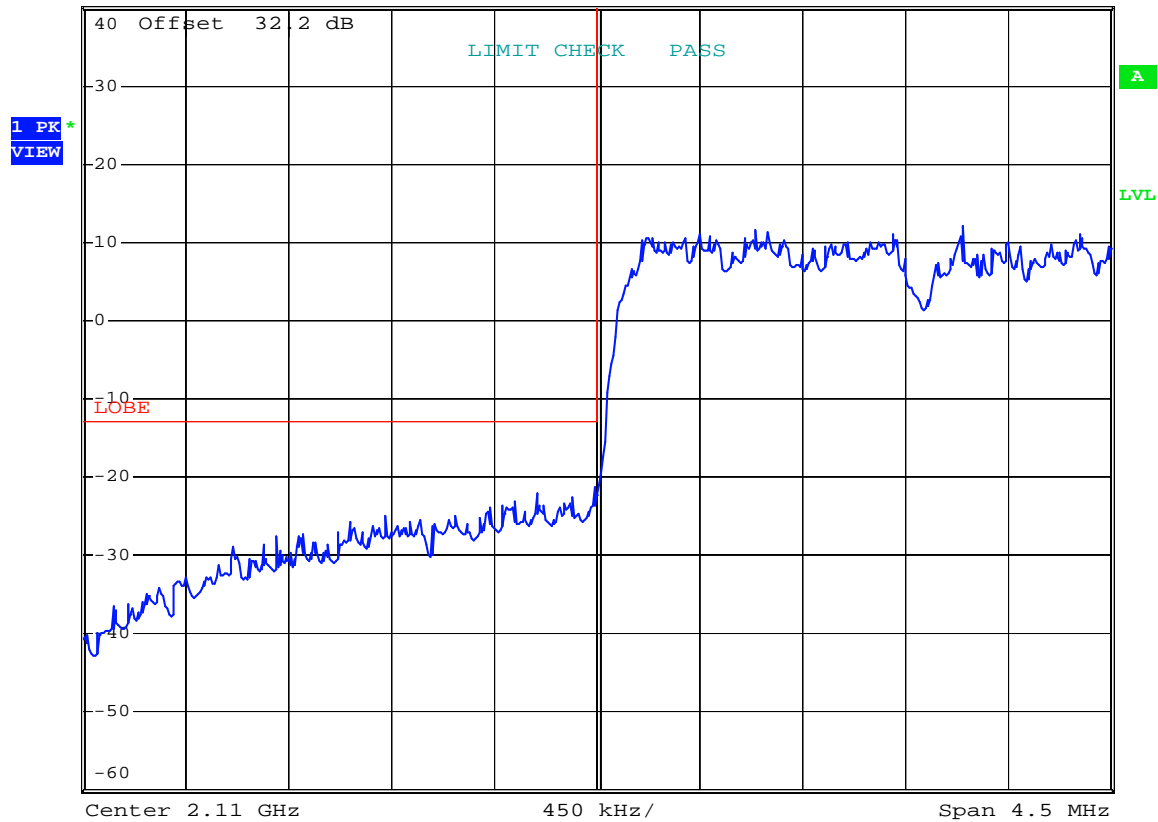
\*RBW 30 kHz

\*VBW 300 kHz

Ref 40 dBm

\*Att 30 dB

SWT 5 ms



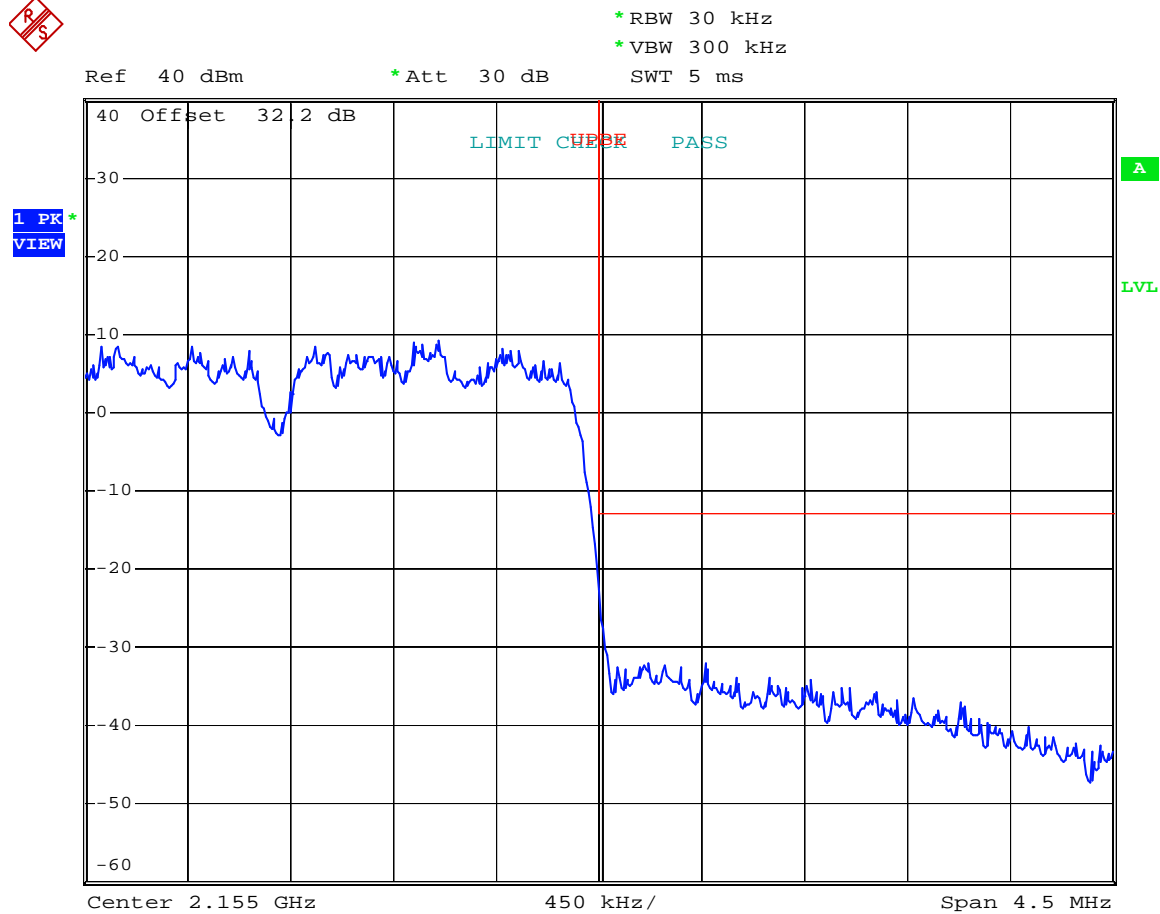
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**Test Data – Spurious Emissions at Antenna Terminals**

CDMA/EV-DO

HIGH BAND EDGE

Downlink



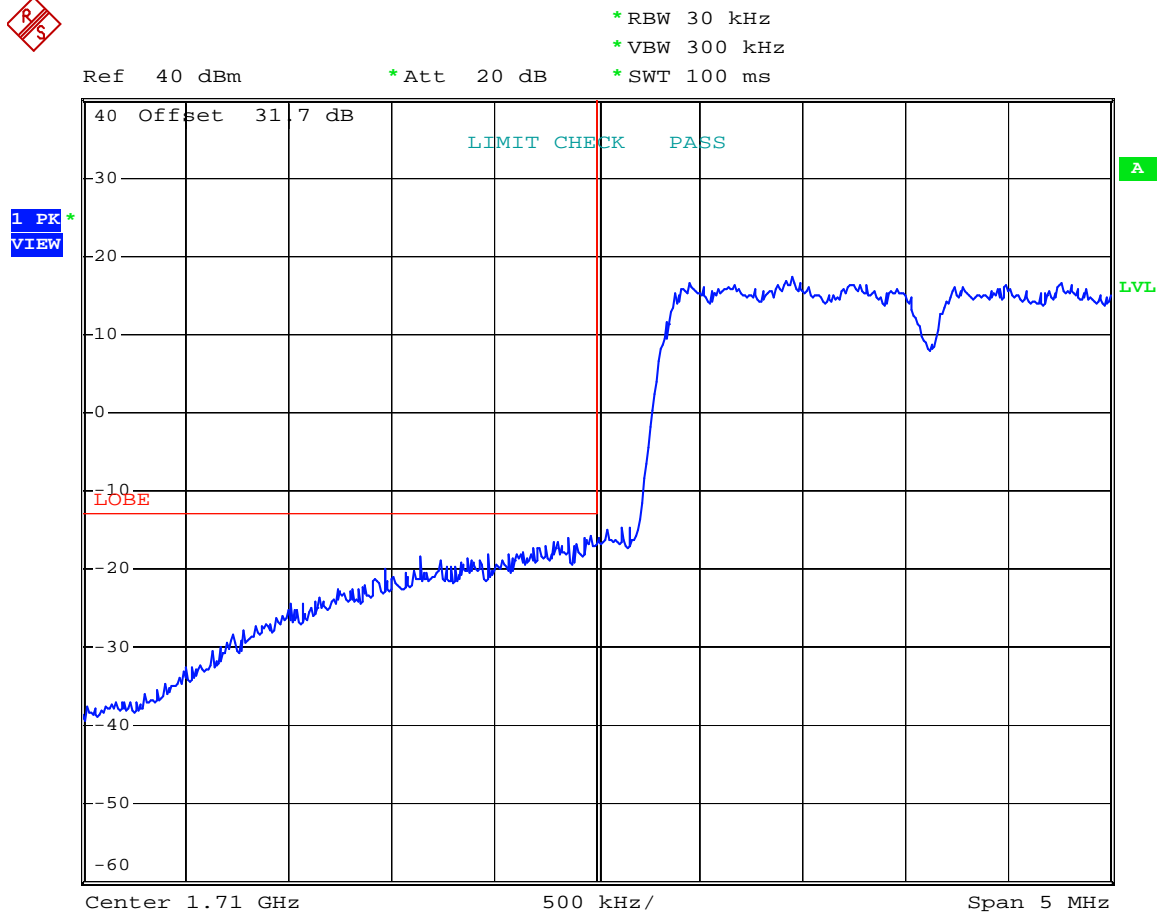
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**Test Data – Spurious Emissions at Antenna Terminals**

CDMA/EV-DO

LOW BANDEDGE

Uplink



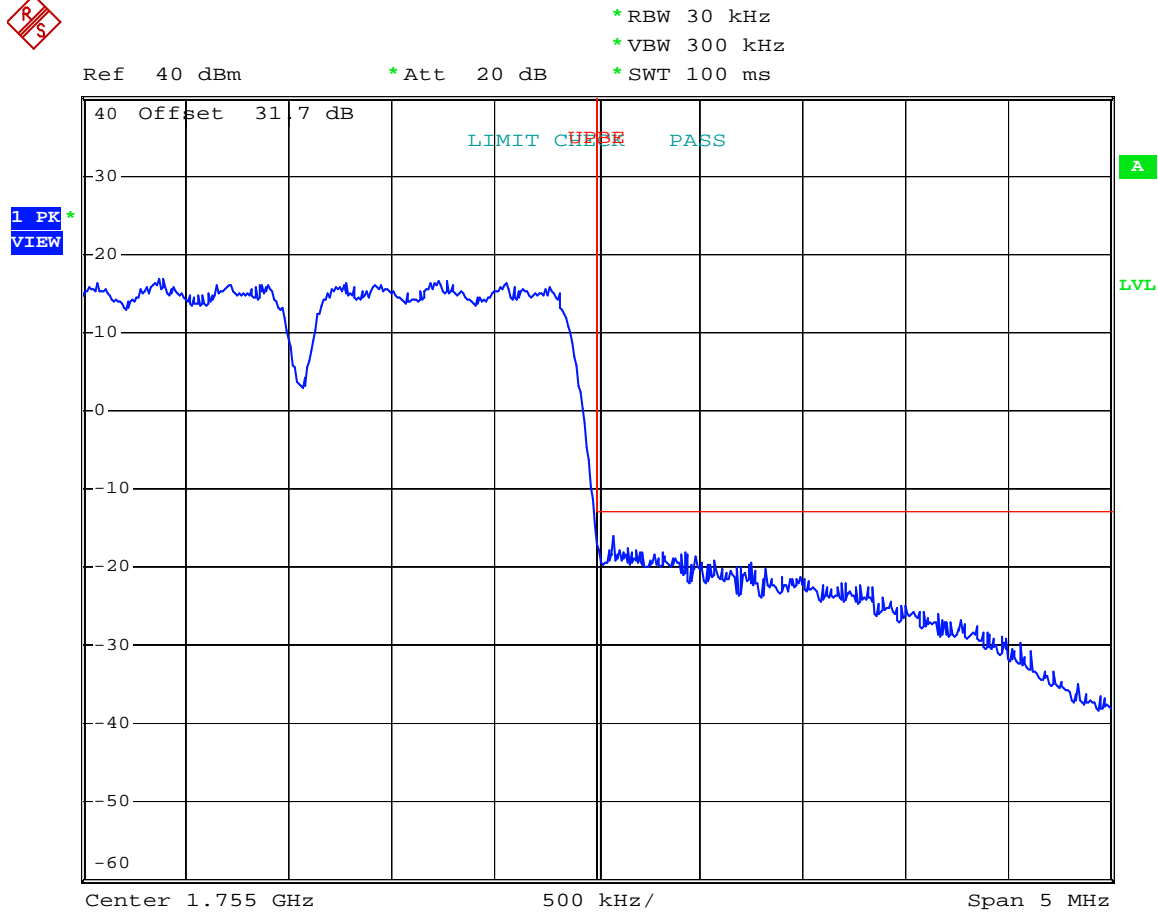
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**Test Data – Spurious Emissions at Antenna Terminals**

CDMA/EV-DO

HIGH BAND EDGE

Uplink



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# Test Data – Spurious Emissions at Antenna Terminals

WCDMA/UMTS

LOW BANDEDGE

Downlink



\*RBW 100 kHz

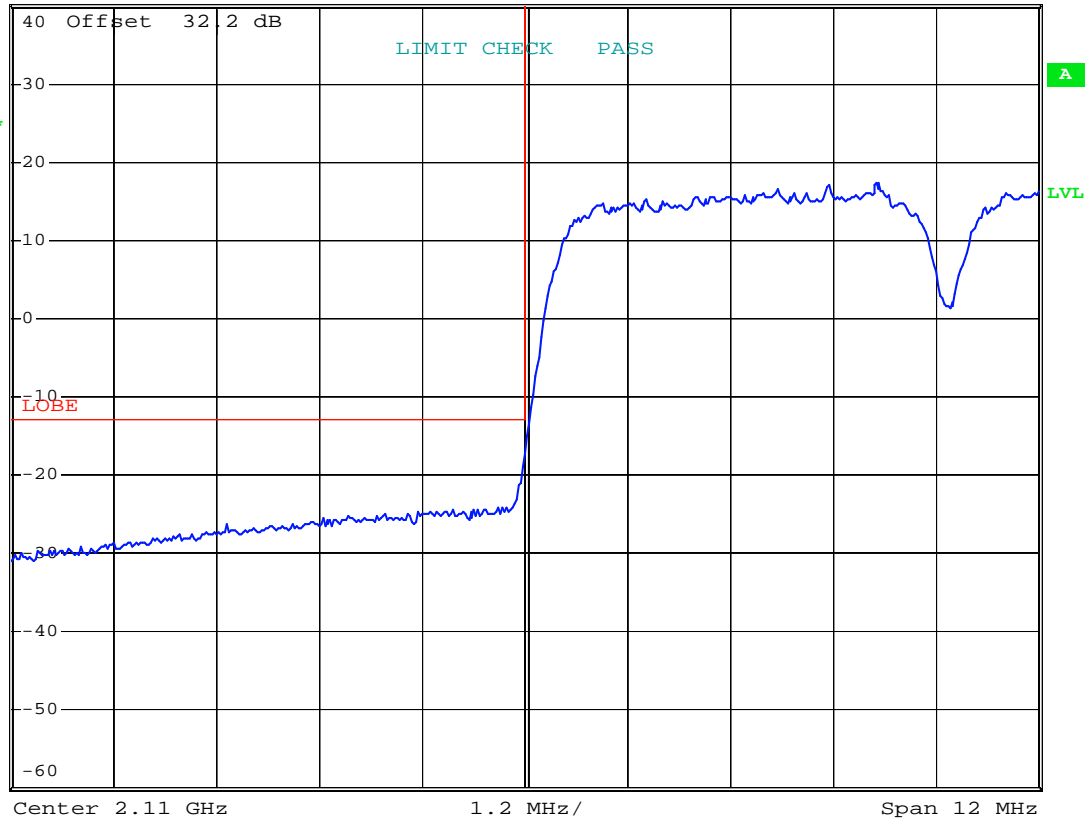
\*VBW 300 kHz

\*SWT 100 ms

Ref 40 dBm

\*Att 30 dB

1 PK  
VIEW



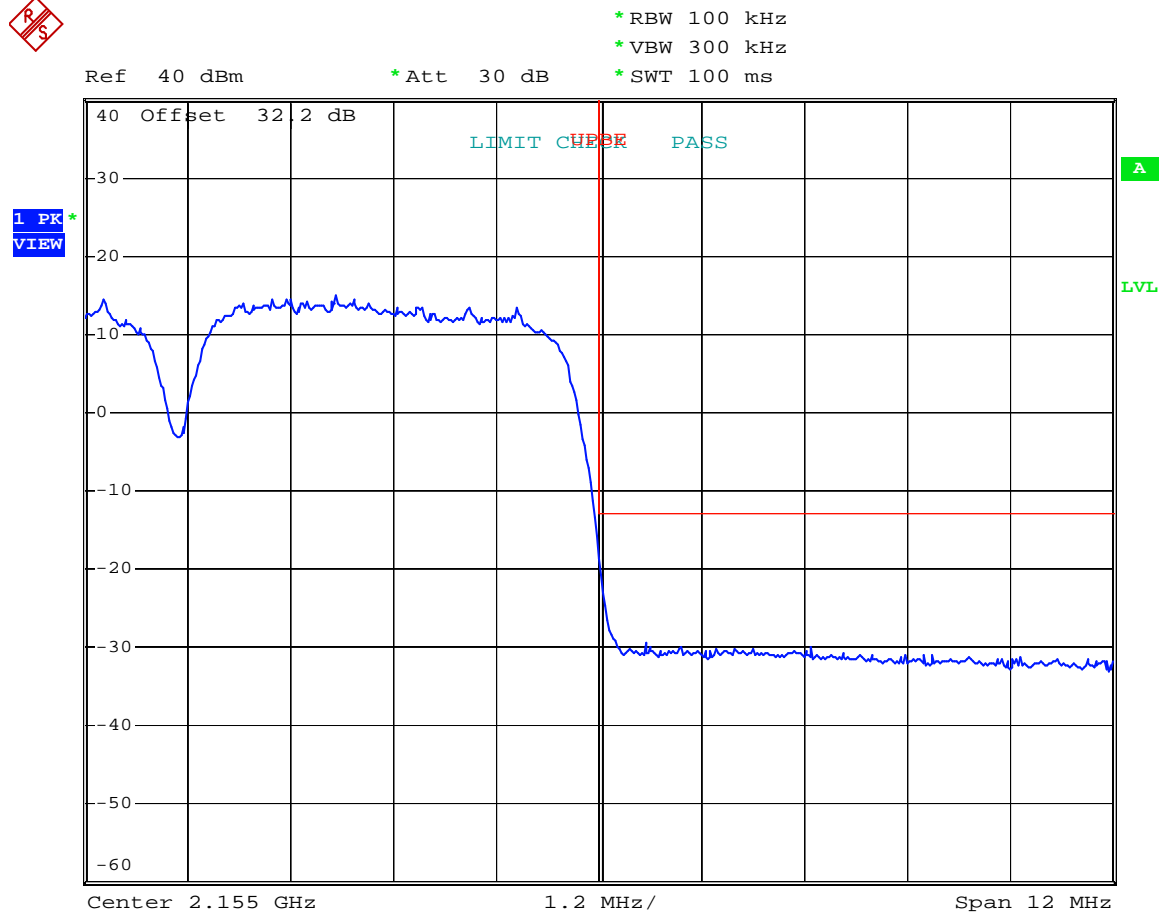
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**Test Data – Spurious Emissions at Antenna Terminals**

WCDMA/UMTS

HIGH BAND EDGE

Downlink



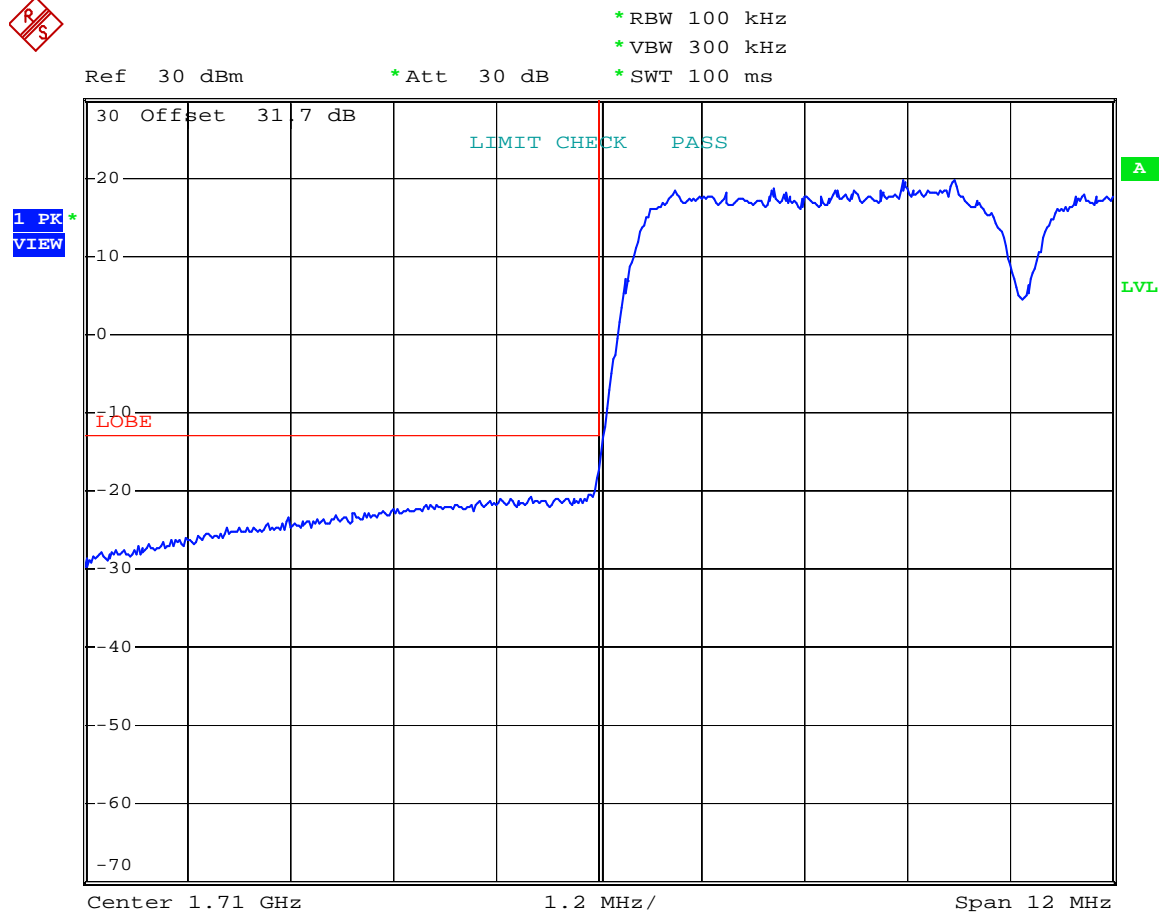
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**Test Data – Spurious Emissions at Antenna Terminals**

WCDMA/UMTS

LOW BANDEDGE

Uplink



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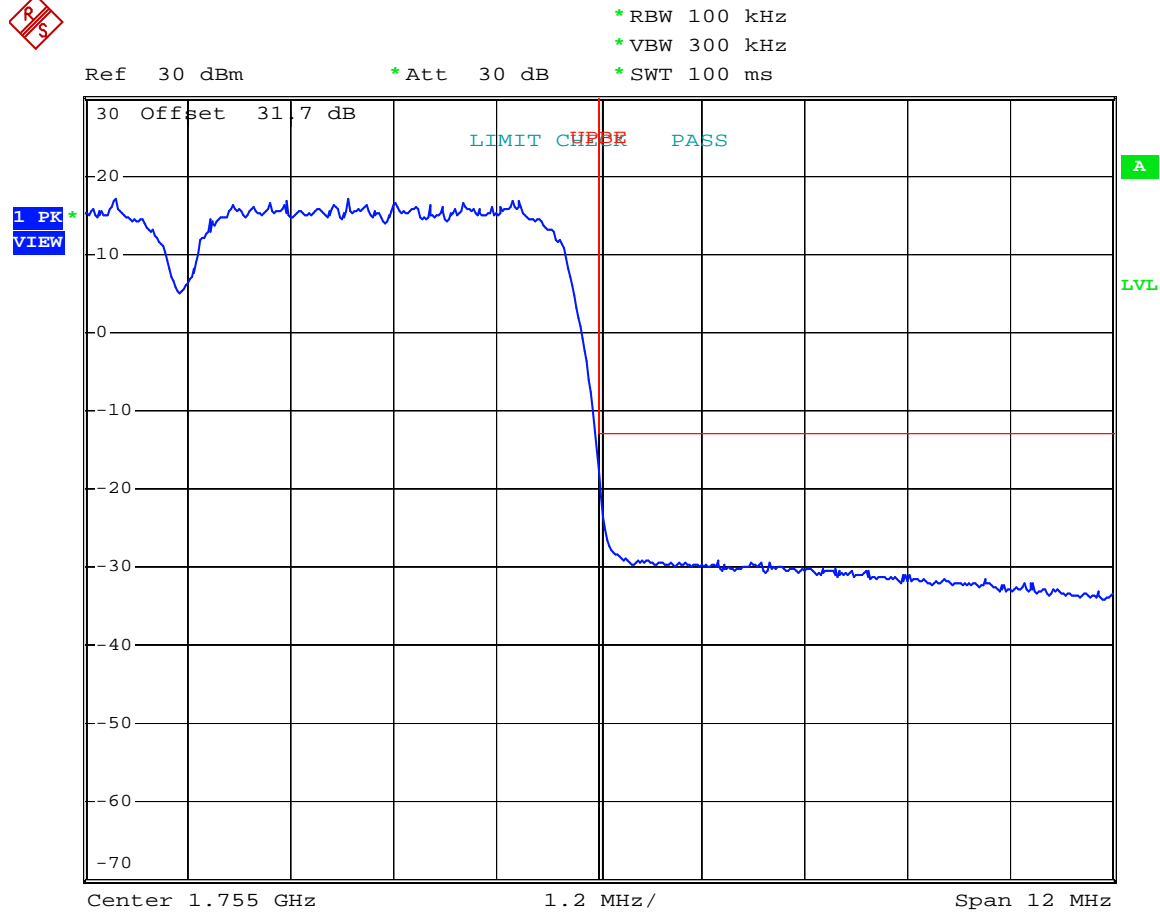


**Test Data – Spurious Emissions at Antenna Terminals**

WCDMA/UMTS

HIGH BAND EDGE

Uplink



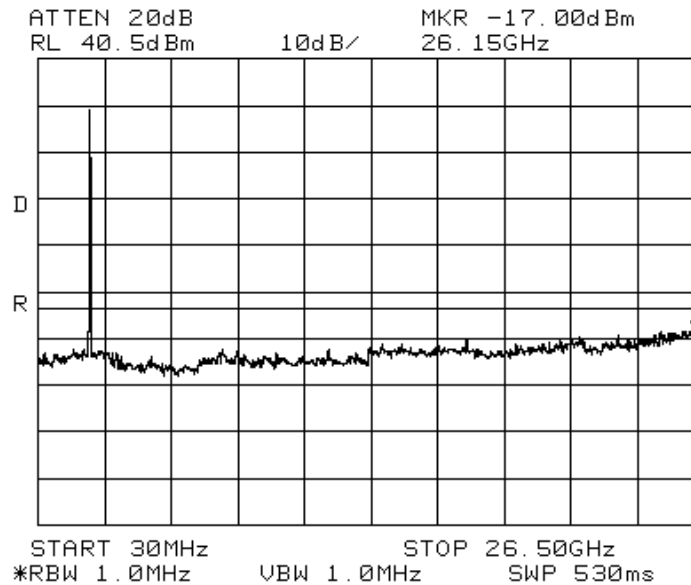
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**Test Data – Spurious Emissions at Antenna Terminals**

CDMA/EV-DO

SPURS

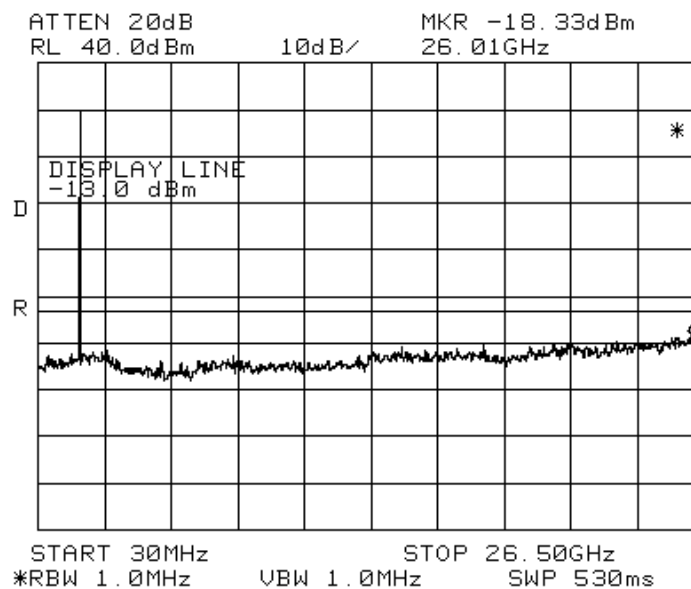
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CDMA/EV-DO

SPURS

Uplink

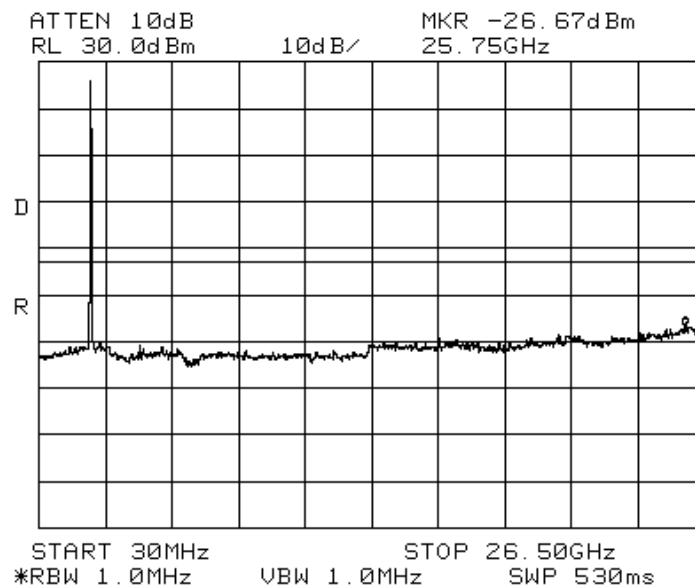


**Test Data – Spurious Emissions at Antenna Terminals**

WCDMA/UMTS

SPURS

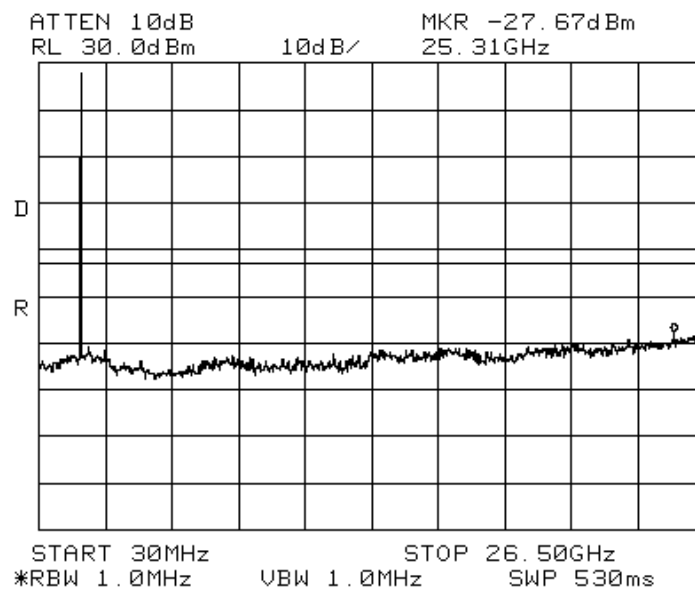
Downlink



WCDMA/UMTS

SPURS

Uplink



**Section 6. Field Strength of Spurious**

NAME OF TEST: Field Strength of Spurious Emissions	PARA. NO.: 27.53
TESTED BY: David Light	DATE: 23 October 2008

**Test Results:** Complies.

**Test Data:** The spectrum was searched from 30 MHz to the tenth harmonic of the carrier. There were no emissions detected above the noise floor which was at least 20 dB below the specification limit.

**Equipment Used:** 1464-1484-1485-1016-993-791-1763

**Measurement Uncertainty:** +/-1.7 dB

**Temperature:** 22 °C

**Relative Humidity:** 48 %

RBW=VBW=100 kHz below 1000 MHz

RBW=VBW=1 MHz above 1000 MHz

Peak detector

**Section 7. Test Equipment List**

Nemko ID	Description	Manufacturer Model Number	Serial Number	Calibration Date	Calibration Due
1464	Spectrum analyzer	Hewlett Packard 8563E	3551A04428	01/24/07	01/24/09
1663	Spectrum Analyzer	Rhode & Schwarz FSP3	100073	06/03/08	06/03/09
1604	ATTENUATOR	NARDA 776B-20	NONE	CBU	N/A
1065	ATTENUATOR	NARDA 776B-10	NONE	CBU	N/A
1082	CABLE 2m	Astrolab 32027-2-29094-72TC	N/A	CBU	N/A
1484	Cable	Storm PR90-010-072	N/A	05/07/08	05/07/09
1485	Cable	Storm PR90-010-216	N/A	05/07/08	05/07/09
993	Horn antenna	A.H. Systems SAS-200/571	XXX	08/31/07	08/30/08
1016	Pre-Amp	HEWLETT PACKARD 8449A	2749A00159	05/07/08	05/07/09
791	PREAMP, 25dB	Nemko USA, Inc. LNA25	398	05/07/08	05/07/09
1763	Bilog Antenna	Schaffner CBL 6111D	22926	10/25/08	10/25/09

## **ANNEX A - TEST DETAILS**

**NAME OF TEST: RF Power Output****PARA. NO.: 2.1046****Minimum Standard:**

Para. No.27.53(d)(1). The power of each fixed or base station transmitting in the 2110-2155 MHz band and located in any county with population density of 100 or fewer persons per square mile, based upon the most recently available population statistics from the Bureau of the Census, is limited to a peak equivalent isotropically radiated power (EIRP) of 3280 watts. The power of each fixed or base station transmitting in the 2110-2155 MHz band from any other location is limited to a peak EIRP of 1640 watts. A licensee operating a base or fixed station utilizing a power of more than 1640 watts EIRP must coordinate such operations in advance with all Government and non-Government satellite entities in the 2025-2110 MHz band. Operations above 1640 watts EIRP must also be coordinated in advance with the following licensees within 120 kilometers (75 miles) of the base or fixed station: all Broadband Radio Service (BRS) licensees authorized under Part 27 in the 2155-2160 MHz band and all AWS licensees in the 2110-2155 MHz band.

**Method Of Measurement:**Detachable Antenna:

The channel power integrated across the carrier's bandwidth at antenna terminals is measured using a spectrum analyzer. Power output is measured with the maximum rated input level.

Integral Antenna:

The antenna substitution method is used to determine the equivalent radiated power at spurious frequencies. The spurious emissions are measured at a distance of 3 meters. The EUT is then replaced with a reference substitution antenna with a known gain referenced to an isotropic radiator. This antenna is fed with a signal at the spurious frequency. The level of the signal is adjusted to repeat the previously measured level. The resulting eirp is the signal level fed to the reference antenna corrected for gain referenced to an isotropic radiator.

**NAME OF TEST: Occupied Bandwidth**

**PARA. NO.: 2.1049**

**Minimum Standard:** Input/Output

**Method Of Measurement:**

CDMA

Spectrum analyzer settings:

RBW=VBW=30 kHz

Span: 5 MHz

Sweep: Auto

GSM / EDGE

RBW=VBW= 3 kHz

Span: 1 MHz

Sweep: Auto

TDMA

RBW=VBW= 1 kHz

Span: 1 MHz

Sweep: Auto

W-CDMA

RBW=VBW= 50 kHz

Span: 10 MHz

Sweep: Auto



**NAME OF TEST: Spurious Emission at Antenna Terminals PARA. NO.: 27.53****Minimum Standard:**

Para. No.27.53(g) For operations in the 1710-1755 MHz and 2110-2155 MHz bands, the power of any emission outside a licensee's frequency block shall be attenuated below the transmitter power (P) by at least  $43 + 10 \log_{10} (P)$  dB.

**Method Of Measurement:**

Spectrum analyzer settings:

CDMA

RBW: 1 MHz (> 1 MHz from Band Edge)  
RBW: 30 kHz (< 1MHz from Band Edge)  
VBW:  $\geq$  RBW  
Sweep: Auto  
Video Avg: 6 Sweeps

GSM / EDGE

RBW: 1 MHz (> 1 MHz from Band Edge)  
RBW: 3 kHz (< 1 MHz from Band Edge)  
VBW:  $\geq$  RBW  
Sweep: Auto  
Video Avg: Disabled

TDMA

RBW: 1 MHz (> 1 MHz from Band Edge)  
RBW: 3 kHz (< 1 MHz from Band Edge)  
VBW:  $\geq$  RBW  
Sweep: Auto  
Video Avg: Disabled

W-CDMA

RBW: 1 MHz (> 1 MHz from Band Edge)  
RBW: 50 kHz (< 1MHz from Band Edge)  
VBW:  $\geq$  RBW  
Sweep: Auto  
Video Avg: 6 Sweeps

To demonstrate compliance at band edges the frequency of the input signal is set to the lowest and highest assigned channel and the center frequency of the spectrum analyzer is set to the upper and lower edges of the appropriate frequency block.

<b>NAME OF TEST: Field Strength of Spurious Radiation</b>	<b>PARA. NO.: 27.53</b>
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**Minimum Standard:**

Para. No.27.53(g) For operations in the 1710-1755 MHz and 2110-2155 MHz bands, the power of any emission outside a licensee's frequency block shall be attenuated below the transmitter power (P) by at least  $43 + 10 \log_{10} (P)$  dB.

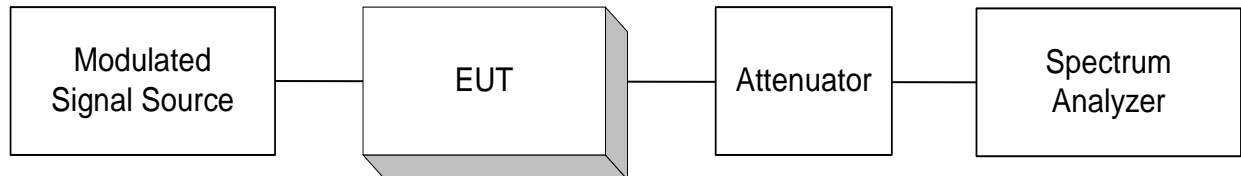
**Method of Measurement**

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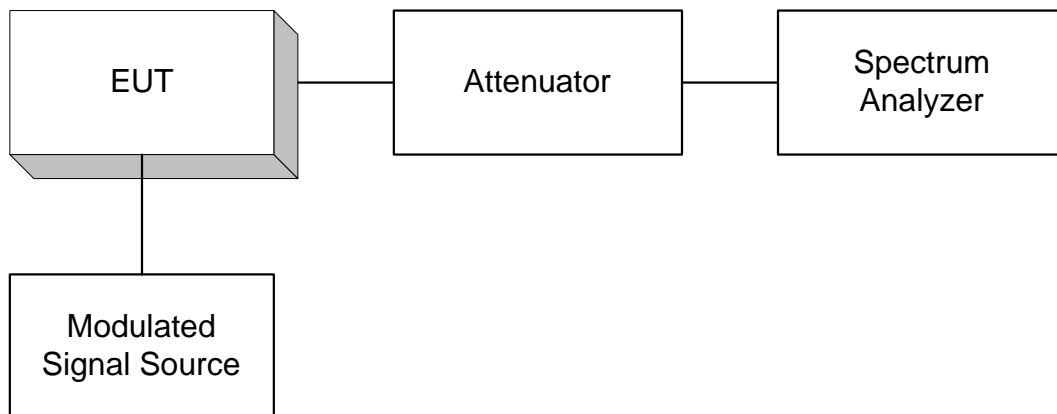
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## **ANNEX B - TEST DIAGRAMS**

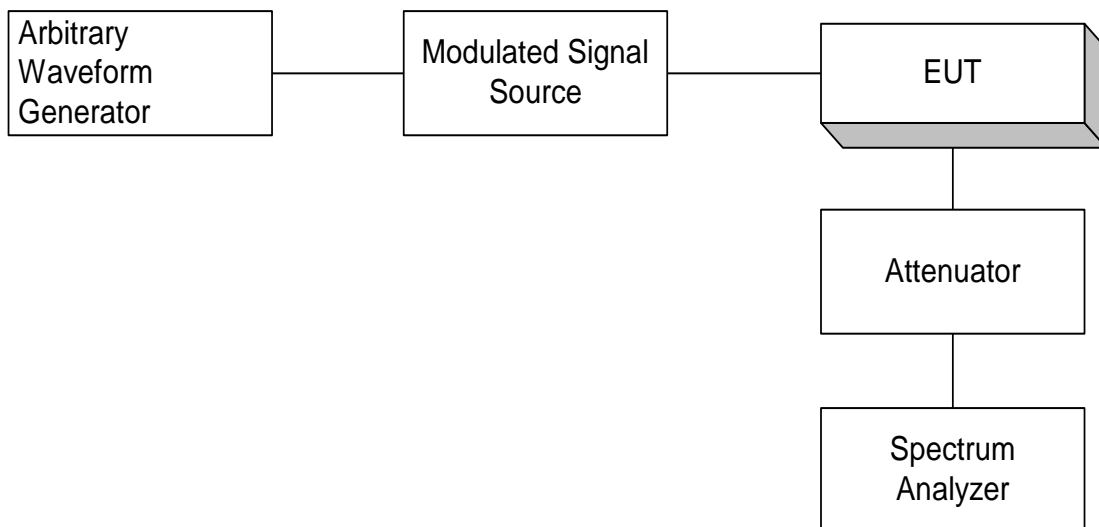
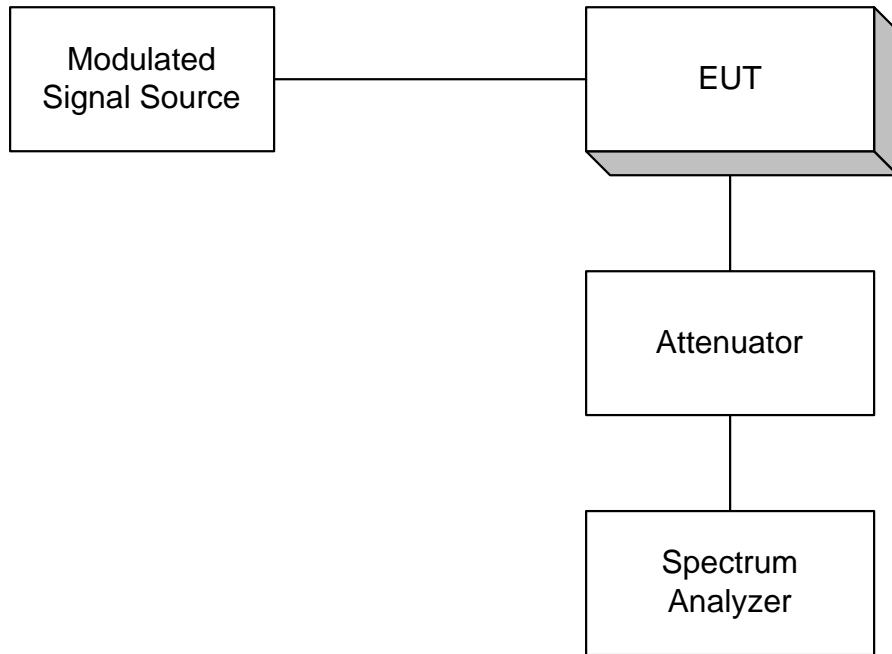
**Para. No. 2.985 - R.F. Power Output**



**Para. No. 2.989 - Occupied Bandwidth**



**Para. No. 2.991 Spurious Emissions at Antenna Terminals**



**Para. No. 2.993 - Field Strength of Spurious Radiation**

