

DFS TEST REPORT

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1. LAB DECLARATION

PRODUCT: AirStation Wireless-N NFINITI Ethernet Converter

MODEL: WLI-TX4-AG300N

BRAND: Buffalo

APPLICANT: Buffalo Inc.

TESTED: Dec. 17, 2008

TEST SAMPLE: ENGINEERING SAMPLE

STANDARDS: FCC Part 15, Subpart E (Section 15.407)

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The above equipment (model: WLI-TX4-AG300N) has been tested by **Bureau Veritas Consumer Products Services (H.K.) Ltd., Taoyuan Branch**, and found compliance with the requirement of the above standards. The test record, data evaluation & Equipment Under Test (EUT) configurations represented herein are true and accurate accounts of the measurements of the sample's EMC characteristics under the conditions specified in this report.

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2. EUT INFORMATION

2.1 OPERATING FREQUENCY BANDS AND MODE OF EUT

TABLE 1: OPERATING FREQUENCY BANDS AND MODE OF EUT

OPERATIONAL MODE	OPERATING FREQUENCY RANGE		
OFERATIONAL MODE	5250~5350MHz	5470~5725MHz	
Client without radar detection and ad hoc function	✓	✓	

2.2 EUT SOFTWARE AND FIRMWARE VERSION

TABLE 2: THE EUT SOFTWARE/FIRMWARE VERSION

NO.	PRODUCT	MODEL NO.	SOFTWARE/FIRMWARE VERSION
	AirStation Wireless-N NFINITI Ethernet Converter	WLI-TX4-AG300N	1.52

2.3 DESCRIPTION OF AVAILABLE ANTENNAS TO THE EUT

TABLE 3: ANTENNA LIST

ANT NO.	ANTENNA TYPE	OPERATION FREQUENCY RANGE (MHz)	MAX. GAIN (dBi)
1	Monopole	5250~5350	4.01
1	Monopole	5470~5725	4.32



2.4 EUT MAXIMUM AND MINIMUM CONDUCTED POWER

TABLE 4: THE MEASURED CONDUCTED OUTPUT POWER

IEEE 802.11a

A	NT	FREQUENCY BAND	MAX. POWER		MIN. P	OWER
NO.	(MHz)	OUTPUT POWER(dBm)	OUTPUT POWER(mW)	OUTPUT POWER(dBm)	OUTPUT POWER(mW)	
	1	5250~5350	14.62	28.973	10	10
	1	5470~5725	13.03	20.091	10	10

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ANT	FREQUENCY BAND	MAX. POWER		MIN. P	OWER
NO.	(MHz)	OUTPUT POWER(dBm)	OUTPUT POWER(mW)	OUTPUT POWER(dBm)	OUTPUT POWER(mW)
1	5250~5350	18.02	63.392	10	10
1	5470~5725	15.53	35.749	10	10

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ANT	FREQUENCY BAND	MAX. POWER		MIN. P	OWER
NO.	(MHz)	OUTPUT POWER(dBm)	OUTPUT POWER(mW)	OUTPUT POWER(dBm)	OUTPUT POWER(mW)
1	5250~5350	17.44	55.470	10	10
1	5470~5725	17.11	51.409	10	10

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2.5 EUT MAXIMUM AND MINIMUM E.I.R.P. POWER

TABLE 5: THE E.I.R.P OUTPUT POWER LIST

IEEE 802.11a

ANT	FREQUENCY BAND	MAX. POWER		MIN. P	OWER
NO. (MHz)	` ,	OUTPUT POWER(dBm)	OUTPUT POWER(mW)	OUTPUT POWER(dBm)	OUTPUT POWER(mW)
1	5250~5350	18.63	72.946	14.01	25.177
1	5470~5725	17.35	54.325	14.32	27.04

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ANT	FREQUENCY BAND	MAX. POWER		MIN. P	OWER
NO.	(MHz)	OUTPUT POWER(dBm)	OUTPUT POWER(mW)	OUTPUT POWER(dBm)	OUTPUT POWER(mW)
1	5250~5350	22.03	159.588	14.01	25.177
1	5470~5725	19.85	96.605	14.32	27.04

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ANT	FREQUENCY BAND	MAX. F	POWER	MIN. P	OWER
NO.	(MHz)	OUTPUT POWER(dBm)	OUTPUT POWER(mW)	OUTPUT POWER(dBm)	OUTPUT POWER(mW)
1	5250~5350	21.45	139.637	14.01	25.177
1	5470~5725	21.43	138.995	14.32	27.04

2.6 STATEMENT OF MAUNFACTURER

Manufacturer statement confirming that information regarding the parameters of the detected Radar Waveforms is not available to the end user. **And the device doesn't have Ad Hoc mode on DFS frequency band.**



3. U-NII DFS RULE REQUIREMENTS

3.1 WORKING MODES AND REQUIRED TEST ITEMS

The manufacturer shall state whether the UUT is capable of operating as a Master and/or a Client. If the UUT is capable of operating in more than one operating mode then each operating mode shall be tested separately. See tables 1 and 2 for the applicability of DFS requirements for each of the operational modes.

TABLE 6: APPLICABILITY OF DFS REQUIREMENTS PRIOR TO USE A CHANNEL

		OPERATIONAL MODE				
REQUIREMENT	MENT MASTER		CLIENT WITH RADAR DETECTION			
Non-Occupancy Period	✓	Not required	✓			
DFS Detection Threshold	✓	Not required	✓			
Channel Availability Check Time	✓	Not required	Not required			
Uniform Spreading	✓	Not required	Not required			
U-NII Detection Bandwidth	✓	Not required	✓			

TABLE 7: APPLICABILITY OF DFS REQUIREMENTS DURING NORMAL OPERATION

	OPERATIONAL MODE				
REQUIREMENT	MASTER	CLIENT WITHOUT RADAR DETECTION	CLIENT WITH RADAR DETECTION		
DFS Detection Threshold	✓	Not required	✓		
Channel Closing Transmission Time	✓	✓	✓		
Channel Move Time	✓	✓	✓		
U-NII Detection Bandwidth	✓	Not required	√		



3.2 TEST LIMITS AND RADAR SIGNAL PARAMETERS

DETECTION THRESHOLD VALUES

TABLE 8: DFS DETECTION THRESHOLDS FOR MASTER DEVICES AND CLIENT DEVICES WITH RADAR DETECTION

MAXIMUM TRANSMIT POWER	VALUE (SEE Note 1 and 2)
≥ 200 milliwatt	-64 dBm
< 200 milliwatt	-62 dBm

Note 1: This is the level at the input of the receiver assuming a 0 dBi receive antenna.

Note 2: Throughout these test procedures an additional 1 dB has been added to the amplitude of the test transmission waveforms to account for variations in measurement equipment. This will ensure that the test signal is at or above the detection threshold level to trigger a DFS response.



TABLE 9: DFS RESPONSE REQUIREMENT VALUES

PARAMETER	VALUE
Non-occupancy period	Minimum 30 minutes
Channel Availability Check Time	60 seconds
Channel Move Time	10 seconds
	See Note 1.
Channel Closing Transmission Time	200 milliseconds + an aggregate of 60 milliseconds over remaining 10 second period.
	See Notes 1 and 2.
U-NII Detection Bandwidth	Minimum 80% of the UNII 99% transmission power bandwidth.
	See Note 3.

Note 1: The instant that the Channel Move Time and the Channel Closing Transmission Time begins is as follows:

- For the Short Pulse Radar Test Signals this instant is the end of the Burst.
- For the Frequency Hopping radar Test Signal, this instant is the end of the last radar Burst generated.
- For the Long Pulse Radar Test Signal this instant is the end of the 12 second period defining the Radar Waveform.

Note 2: The Channel Closing Transmission Time is comprised of 200 milliseconds starting at the beginning of the Channel Move Time plus any additional intermittent control signals required to facilitate a Channel move (an aggregate of 60 milliseconds) during the remainder of the 10 second period. The aggregate duration of control signals will not count quiet periods in between transmissions.

Note 3: During the U-NII Detection Bandwidth detection test, radar type 1 is used and for each frequency step the minimum percentage of detection is 90 percent. Measurements are performed with no data traffic.



PARAMETERS OF DFS TEST SIGNALS

Step intervals of 0.1 microsecond for Pulse Width, 1 microsecond for PRI, 1 MHz for chirp width and 1 for the number of pulses will be utilized for the random determination of specific test waveforms.

TABLE 10: SHORT PULSE RADAR TEST WAVEFORMS

RADAR TYPE	PULSE WIDTH (µsec)	PRI (µsec)	NUMBER OF PULSES	MINIMUM PERCENTAGE OF SUCCESSFUL DETECTION	MINIMUM NUMBER OF TRIALS
1	1	1428	18	60%	30
2	1-5	150-230	23-29	60%	30
3	6-10	200-500	16-18	60%	30
4	11-20	200-500	12-16	60%	30
	Aggregate (Ra	80%	120		

TABLE 11: LONG PULSE RADAR TEST WAVEFORM

RADAR TYPE	PULSE WIDTH (µsec)	CHIRP WIDTH (MHz)	PRI (µsec)	NUMBER OF PULSES PER BURST	NUMBER OF BURSTS	MINIMUM PERCENTAGE OF SUCCESSFUL DETECTION	MINIMUM NUMBER OF TRIALS
5	50-100	5-20	1000-2000	1-3	8-20	80%	30

TABLE 12: FREQUENCY HOPPING RADAR TEST WAVEFORM

RADAR TYPE	PULSE WIDTH (µsec)	PRI (µsec)	PULSES PER HOP	HOPPING RATE (kHz)	HOPPING SEQUENCE LENGTH (msec)	MINIMUM PERCENTAGE OF SUCCESSFUL DETECTION	MINIMUM NUMBER OF TRIALS
6	1	333	9	0.333	300	70%	30



4. TEST & SUPPORT EQUIPMENT LIST

4.1 TEST INSTRUMENTS

TABLE 1: TEST INSTRUMENTS LIST.

DESCRIPTION & MANUFACTURER	MODEL NO.	BRAND	CALIBRATED UNTIL
R&S Spectrum analyzer	FSP40	R&S	May 26, 2009
Signal generator	8645A	Agilent	Jun. 09, 2009
Oscilloscope	TDS 5104	Tektronix	Aug. 31, 2009
Control PC	Pailion a320d	HP	

4.2 DESCRIPTION OF SUPPORT UNITS

TABLE 2: SUPPORT UNIT INFORMATION.

NO.	PRODUCT	BRAND	MODEL NO.	FCC ID
1	802.11a/b/g/n AP Router	Ralink	RT2880AP	VQF-AP2800D

NOTE: This device was functioned as a Master Slave device during the DFS test.

TABLE 3: SOFTWARE/FIRMWARE INFORMATION.

NO.	PRODUCT	MODEL NO.	SOFTWARE/FIRMWARE VERSION
1.	802.11a/b/g/n AP Router	RT2880AP	2.2.15.0

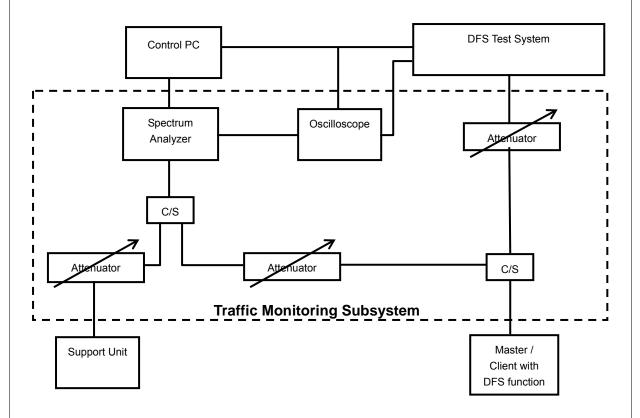


5. TEST PROCEDURE

5.1 ADT DFS MEASUREMENT SYSTEM:

A complete ADT DFS Measurement System consists of two subsystems: (1) the Radar Signal Generating Subsystem and (2) the Traffic Monitoring Subsystem. The control PC is necessary for generating the Radar waveforms in Table 6, 7 and 8. The traffic monitoring subsystem is specified to the type of unit under test (UUT).

CONDUCTED SETUP CONFIGURATION OF ADT DFS MEASUREMENT SYSTEM



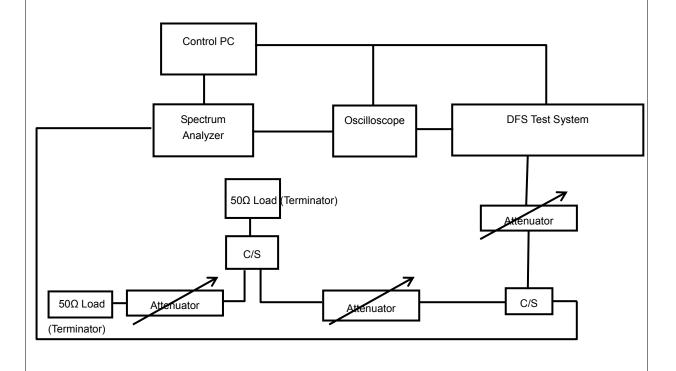
The test transmission will always be from the Master Device to the Client Device. While the Client device is set up to associate with the Master device and play the MPEG file (6 $\frac{1}{2}$ Magic Hours) from Master device, the designated MPEG test file and instructions are located at: http://ntiacsd.ntia.doc.gov/dfs/.



5.2 CALIBRATION OF DFS DETECTION THRESHOLD LEVEL:

The measured channel is 5320 MHz. The radar signal was injected into the antenna port of AP (master) or Client Device with Radar Detection, measured the channel closing transmission time and channel move time. The Master antenna gain is 1.96 dBi and required detection threshold is -59.04 dBm (= -62 +1+1.96)dBm. The calibrated conducted detection threshold level is set to -59.04 dBm. The tested level is lower than required level hence it provides margin to the limit.

CONDUCTED SETUP CONFIGURATION OF CALIBRATION OF DFS DETECTION THRESHOLD LEVEL



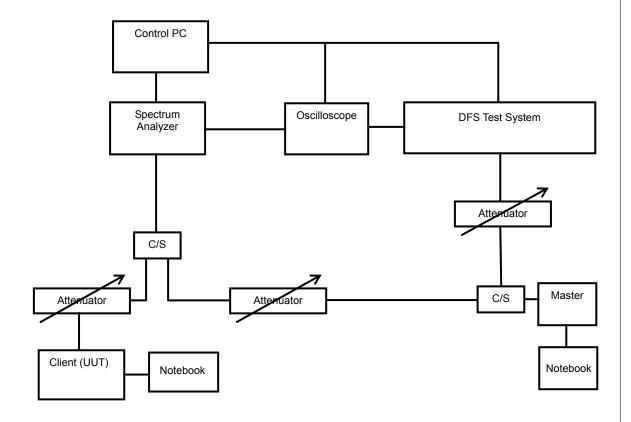


5.3 DEVIATION FROM TEST STANDARD

No deviation.

5.4 CONDUCTED TEST SETUP CONFIGURATION

5.4.1 CLIENT WITHOUT RADAR DETECTION MODE



The UUT is a U-NII Device operating in Client mode without radar detection. The radar test signals are injected into the Master Device.



6. TEST RESULTS

6.1 SUMMARY OF TEST RESULTS

CLAUSE	TEST PARAMETER	REMARKS	PASS/FAIL
15.407	DFS Detection Threshold	Not Applicable	NA
15.407	Channel Availability Check Time	Not Applicable	NA
15.407	Channel Move Time	Applicable	Pass
15.407	Channel Closing Transmission Time	Applicable	Pass
15.407	Non- Occupancy Period	Applicable	Pass
15.407	Uniform Spreading	Not Applicable	NA
15.407	U-NII Detection Bandwidth	Not Applicable	NA
15.407	Non-associated test	Not Applicable	NA



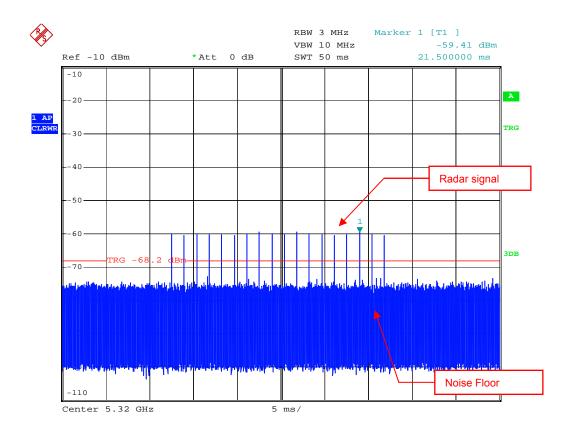
6.2 DETELED TEST RESULTS

6.2.1 TEST MODE: DEVICE OPERATING IN CLIENT WITHOUT RADAR DETECTION MODE.

Client with injection at the Master. (The radar test signals are injected into the Master Device)

6.2.1.1 DFS DETECTION THRESHOLD

For a detection threshold level of –62dBm and the Master antenna gain is 1.96dBi. The Required detection threshold is -59.04 dBm (= -62 +1+1.96)dBm. The tested level is lower than required level hence it provides margin to the limit.



Radar Signal 1



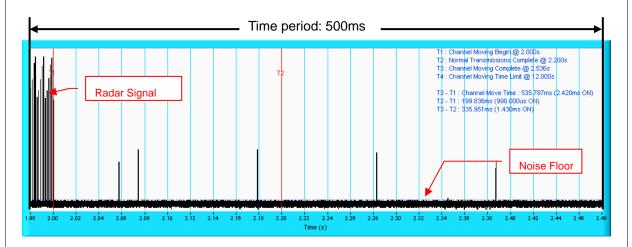
6.2.1.2 CHANNEL CLOSING TRANSMISSION AND CHANNEL MOVE TIME

RADAR SIGNAL 1

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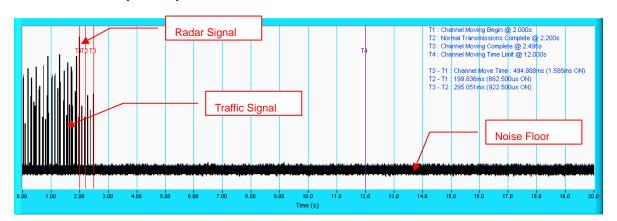
NOTE: T1 denotes the start of Channel Move Time upon the end of the last Radar burst. T2 denotes the data transmission time of 200ms from T1. T3 denotes the end of Channel Move Time.T4 denotes the 10 second from T1 to observe the aggregate duration of transmissions.



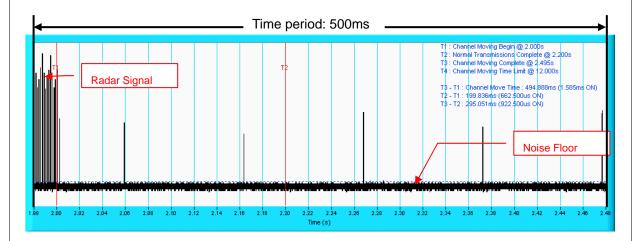
NOTE: An expanded plot for the device vacates the channel in the required 500ms.



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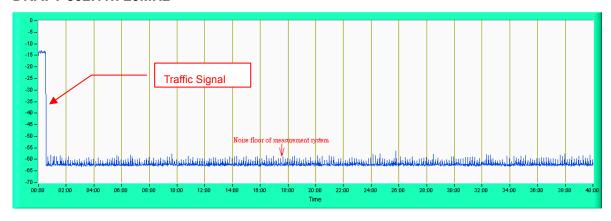
NOTE: An expanded plot for the device vacates the channel in the required 500ms.



NON- OCCUPANCY PERIOD

During the 30 minutes observation time, UUT did not make any transmissions on a channel after a radar signal was detected on that channel by either the Channel Availability Check or the In-Service Monitoring.

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7. TESTING LABORATORIES INFORMATION

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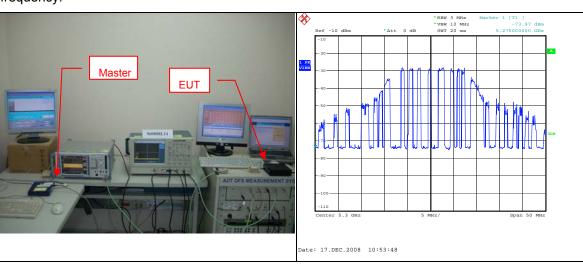
The address and road map of all our labs can be found in our web site also.



8. APPENDIX

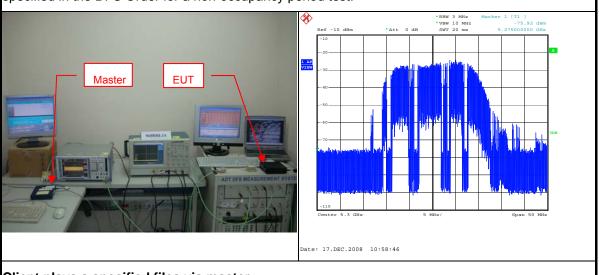
8.1 APPENDIX-A

1) Test results demonstrating an associated client link is established with the master on a test frequency.



EUT (Client) links with master on 5500MHz

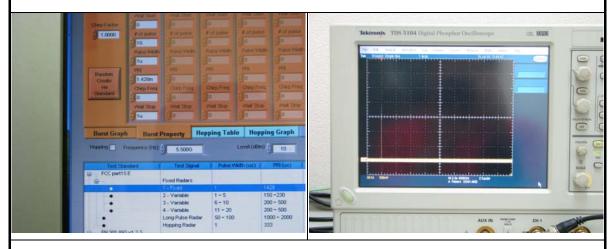
 The client and DFS-certified master device are associated, and the movie can be streamed as specified in the DFS Order for a non-occupancy period test.



Client plays a specified files via master.



3). The device transmits one type of radar as specified in the DFS Order.



Radar 1 is used to test during DFS testing.

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