

# Measurement/Technical Report


## General Information

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| <b>Applicant:</b>               | Intermec Corporation              |
| <b>Address:</b>                 | 6001 36 <sup>th</sup> Avenue West |
| <b>City, State, Zip</b>         | Everett, WA 98203-9280            |
| <b>Test Requested By:</b>       | Carl Turk                         |
| <b>Model:</b>                   | SB555 Radio in 700C               |
| <b>FCC ID:</b>                  | HN2SB555                          |
| <b>First Date of Test:</b>      | August 21, 2003                   |
| <b>Last Date of Test:</b>       | August 21, 2003                   |
| <b>Receipt Date of Samples:</b> | August 21, 2003                   |
| <b>Job Number</b>               | INMC00102                         |

## Scope

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| <b>Regulatory Authority</b>         | Federal Communications Commission      |
| <b>Approval Type</b>                | Certification                          |
| <b>Equipment Type</b>               | Part 24 Licensed Body Worn Transmitter |
| <b>Rule Parts</b>                   | 47 CFR 22.917(e), 24.238(a)            |
| <b>Rule Exemptions</b>              | None                                   |
| <b>Related Submittals or Grants</b> | None                                   |

## Report Information

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| <b>Report Number</b> | INMC0102  |
| <b>Date Issued</b>   | August 25, 2003   |

## **Test Facility**

The measurement facility used to collect the radiated and conducted data is located at

Northwest EMC, Inc.  
22975 NW Evergreen Parkway, Suite 400  
Hillsboro, OR 97124  
(503) 844-4066  
Fax: 844-3826

This site has been fully described in a report filed with the FCC (Federal Communications Commission), and accepted by the FCC in a letter maintained in our files.

## **Laboratory Accreditation**

NVLAP has granted accreditation to Northwest EMC, Inc. to perform the Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) tests described in the Scope of Accreditation. Assessment performed to ISO/IEC 17025.  
Certificate Number 200629-0, Certificate Number 200630-0

## Justification

The individuals and/or the organization requesting the test provided the modes, configurations and settings available to evaluate. While scanning the radiated emissions, all of the EUT parameters listed below were investigated. This includes, but may not be limited to, antennas, tuned transmit frequency ranges, operating modes, and data rates.

### Channels in Specified Band Investigated:

|     |
|-----|
| Low |
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|     |
|-----|
| Mid |
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|      |
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| High |
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### Operating Modes Investigated:

|               |
|---------------|
| Cellular Mode |
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| PCS Mode |
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### Antennas Investigated:

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| PSTGO-1900SCI |
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| PSTGO-900 / 1900SCI |
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### Data Rates Investigated:

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| Maximum |
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### Power Input Settings Investigated:

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| 120 VAC, 60 Hz. |
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## Software\Firmware Applied During Test

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|-------------------|------------------|---------|-------|
| Exercise software | Sierra FCC_SMART | Version | v0.47 |
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| Description |
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| The system was tested using special software developed to test all functions of the device during the test. |
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## EUT and Peripherals

| Description      | Manufacturer        | Model/Part Number   | Serial Number |
|------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------|
| Antenna          | Mobile Mark         | PSTGO-1900SCI       | N/A           |
| Antenna          | Mobile Mark         | PSTGO-900 / 1900SCI | N/A           |
| Host Device      | Intermec            | 700C                | 08200300372   |
| EUT-Radio        | Sierra Wireless     | SB555               | 63020FB8      |
| AC Power Adapter | ELPAC Power Systems | FW1812              | 009605        |

## Cables

| Cable Type | Shield | Length (m) | Ferrite | Connection 1     | Connection 2 |
|------------|--------|------------|---------|------------------|--------------|
| AC Power   | No     | 1.65       | No      | AC Power Adapter | AC Mains     |
| DC Leads   | PA     | 1.9        | PA      | Host Device      | AC Adapter   |

PA = Cable is permanently attached to the device. Shielding and/or presence of ferrite may be unknown.

## Measurement Equipment

| Description               | Manufacturer      | Model  | Identifier | Last Cal   | Interval |
|---------------------------|-------------------|--------|------------|------------|----------|
| Spectrum Analyzer         | Hewlett-Packard   | 8566B  | AAL        | 01/07/2003 | 12 mo    |
| Spectrum Analyzer Display | Hewlett Packard   | 85662A | AALD       | 01/07/2003 | 12 mo    |
| Antenna, Biconilog        | EMCO              | 3141   | AXE        | 12/31/2001 | 36 mo    |
| Antenna, Horn             | EMCO              | 3115   | AHC        | 08/12/2002 | 15 mo    |
| Antenna, Dipole           | Compliance Design | A100   | ADB        | 12/26/2002 | 36 mo    |
| Antenna, Horn             | EMCO              | 3115   | AHF        | 03/18/2003 | 12 mo    |
| Signal Generator          | Hewlett Packard   | 8341B  | TGN        | 12/20/2002 | 12 mo    |
| Power Meter               | Hewlett Packard   | E4418A | SPA        | 06/21/2002 | 24 mo    |

## Test Description

**Requirement:** Per 2.1043, the peak power of the modulated carrier was measured. The applicable limits are 22.913(a) for the cellular band, and 24.232(b) for the PCS band.

Per 22.913(a), the ERP of mobile transmitters and auxiliary test transmitters must not exceed 7 Watts.

Per 24.232(b), Mobile/portable stations are limited to 2 Watts e.i.r.p. peak power.

**Configuration:** Spectrum analyzer, signal generator, and linearly polarized antennas were used to measure the fundamental emissions. The orientation of the EUT was varied in 3 orthogonal axes to maximize the level of emissions. The EUT was configured to transmit at the highest output at low, mid, and high channels. The EUT was tested with each antenna. Only one antenna can be used at a time.

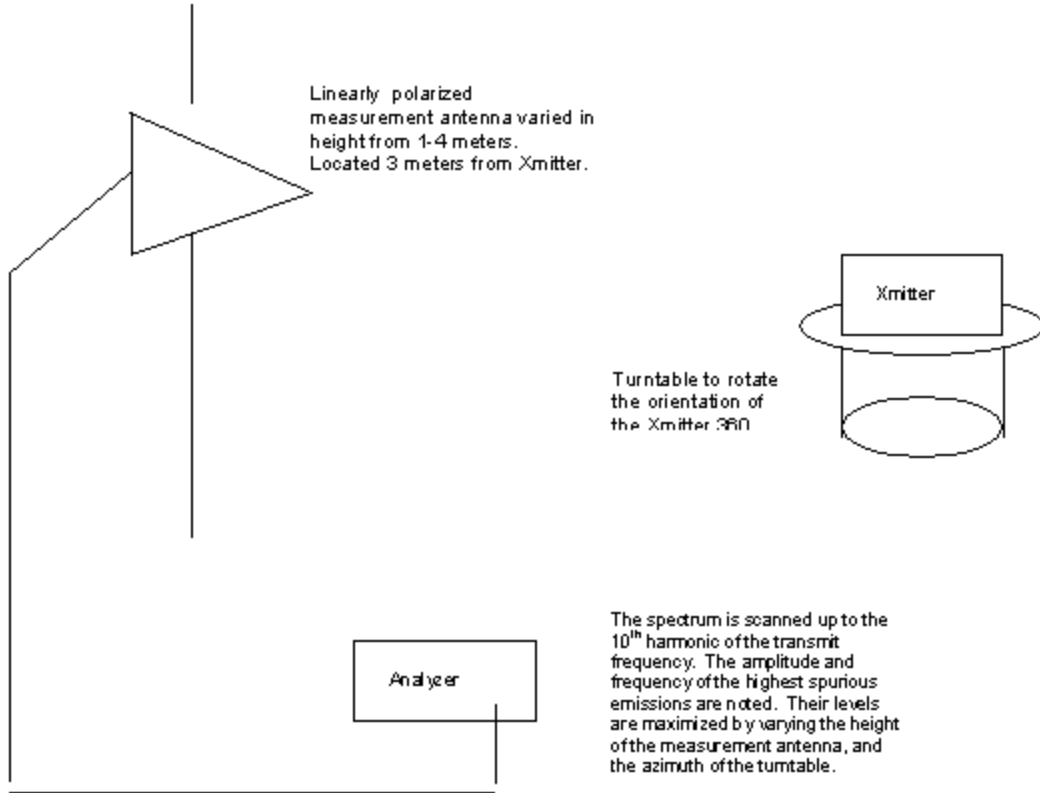
The substitution method as described in TIA/EIA-603 Section 2.2.12 was used.

**Test Methodology:** For licensed transmitters, the FCC references TIA/EIA-603 as the measurement procedure standard. TIA/EIA-603 Section 2.2.12 describes a method for measuring radiated emissions that utilizes an antenna substitution method:

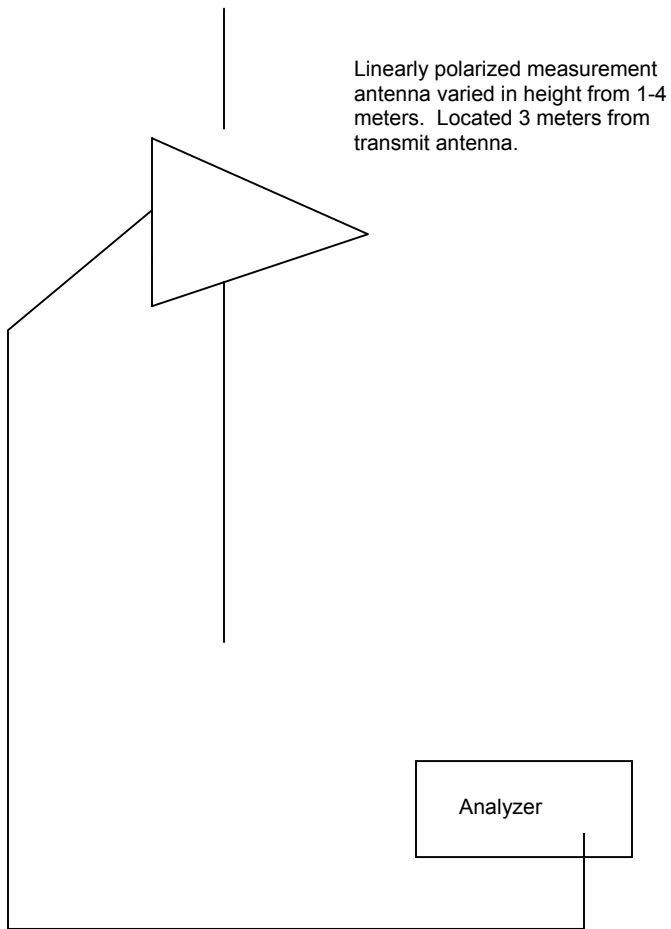
At an approved test site, the transmitter is placed on a remotely controlled turntable, and the measurement antenna is placed 3 meters from the transmitter. The turntable azimuth is varied to maximize the level of emissions. The height of the measurement antenna is also varied from 1 to 4 meters. The amplitude and frequency of the highest emissions are noted. The transmitter is then replaced with a ½ wave dipole that is successively tuned to each of the highest emissions. A signal generator is connected to the dipole (horn antenna for frequencies above 1 GHz), and its output is adjusted to match the level previously noted for each frequency. The output of the signal generator is recorded, and by factoring in the cable loss to the dipole antenna and its gain; the power (ERP or e.i.r.p) is determined for each radiated emission.

### Test Setup Diagram

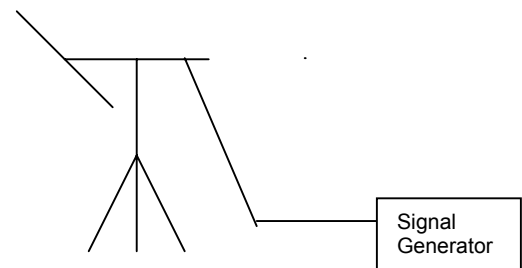
#### Test Setup for Field Strength Measurements



## Test Setup for Power Measurements Utilizing the Antenna Substitution Method



During field strength measurements, the amplitude and frequency of the highest emissions are noted. The transmitter is then replaced with a  $\frac{1}{2}$  wave dipole (at the same height) that is successively tuned to each of the highest spurious emissions. A signal generator is connected to the dipole (horn antenna for frequencies above 1 GHz), and its output is adjusted to match the level previously noted for each frequency.



The spectrum analyzer is monitored to verify that the output of the signal generator produces a signal equal in amplitude to a previously measured spurious emission.

Completed by:

*Rocky Le Felings*

# Effective Radiated Power

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| EUT: <b>SB555 Radio</b>                            | Work Order: <b>INMC0102</b>       |
| Serial Number: <b>Unknown</b>                      | Date: <b>08/21/03</b>             |
| Customer: <b>INTERMEC Technologies Corporation</b> | Temperature: <b>75</b>            |
| Attendees: <b>N/A</b>                              | Humidity: <b>39%</b>              |
| Cust. Ref. No.:                                    | Barometric Pressure: <b>29.94</b> |
| Tested by: <b>Rod Peloquin</b>                     | Power: <b>120VAC/60Hz</b>         |
|  | Job Site: <b>EV01</b>             |

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| <b>TEST SPECIFICATIONS</b>               |                   |
| Specification: <b>FCC Part 22.913(a)</b> | Year: <b>2002</b> |
| Method: <b>TIA/EIA-603</b>               | Year: <b>1998</b> |

**SAMPLE CALCULATIONS**  
 Radiated Emissions: Field Strength = Measured Level + Antenna Factor + Cable Factor - Amplifier Gain + Distance Adjustment Factor + External Attenuation  
 Conducted Emissions: Adjusted Level = Measured Level + Transducer Factor + Cable Attenuation Factor + External Attenuator

**COMMENTS**  
 SB555 radio in 700C host system with PSTGO-900 / 1900SCI antenna

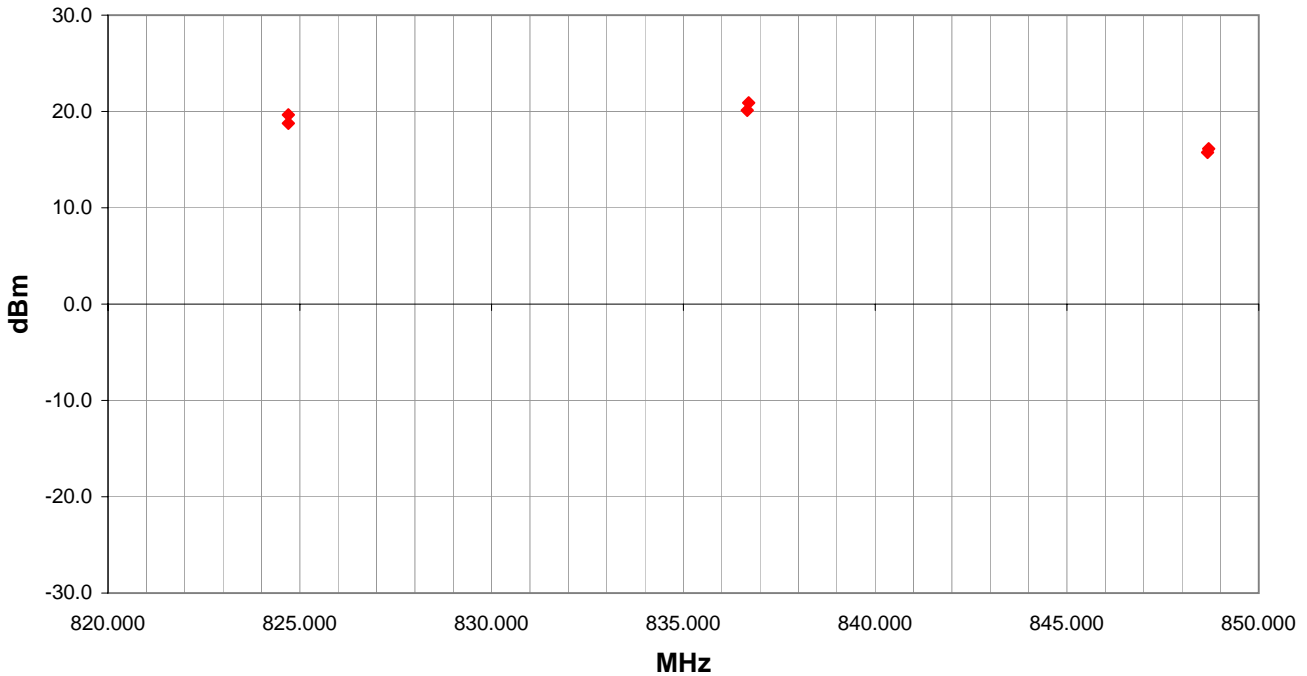
**EUT OPERATING MODES**  
 transmitting

**DEVIATIONS FROM TEST STANDARD**  
 No deviations.

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| <b>RESULTS</b> | <b>Run #</b> |
| Pass           | 2            |

**Other**

  
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 Tested By:



| Freq (MHz) | Azimuth (degrees) | Height (meters) | Polarity | Detector | EIRP (dBm) | ERP (Watts) |
|------------|-------------------|-----------------|----------|----------|------------|-------------|
| 836.700    | 200.0             | 1.0             | H-Bilog  | PK       | 20.9       | 0.075       |
| 824.700    | 191.0             | 1.1             | H-Bilog  | PK       | 19.6       | 0.056       |
| 836.665    | 196.0             | 1.2             | V-Bilog  | PK       | 20.1       | 0.063       |
| 824.700    | 199.0             | 1.2             | V-Bilog  | PK       | 18.8       | 0.046       |
| 848.693    | 198.0             | 1.0             | H-Bilog  | PK       | 16.1       | 0.025       |
| 848.666    | 175.0             | 1.2             | V-Bilog  | PK       | 15.8       | 0.023       |

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| Attendees: <b>N/A</b>                              | Humidity: <b>39%</b>              |
| Cust. Ref. No.:                                    | Barometric Pressure: <b>29.94</b> |
| Tested by: <b>Rod Peloquin</b>                     | Power: <b>120VAC/60Hz</b>         |
|  | Job Site: <b>EV01</b>             |

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| <b>TEST SPECIFICATIONS</b>               |                   |
| Specification: <b>FCC Part 24.232(b)</b> | Year: <b>2002</b> |
| Method: <b>TIA/EIA-603</b>               | Year: <b>1998</b> |

**SAMPLE CALCULATIONS**

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**EUT OPERATING MODES**

transmitting

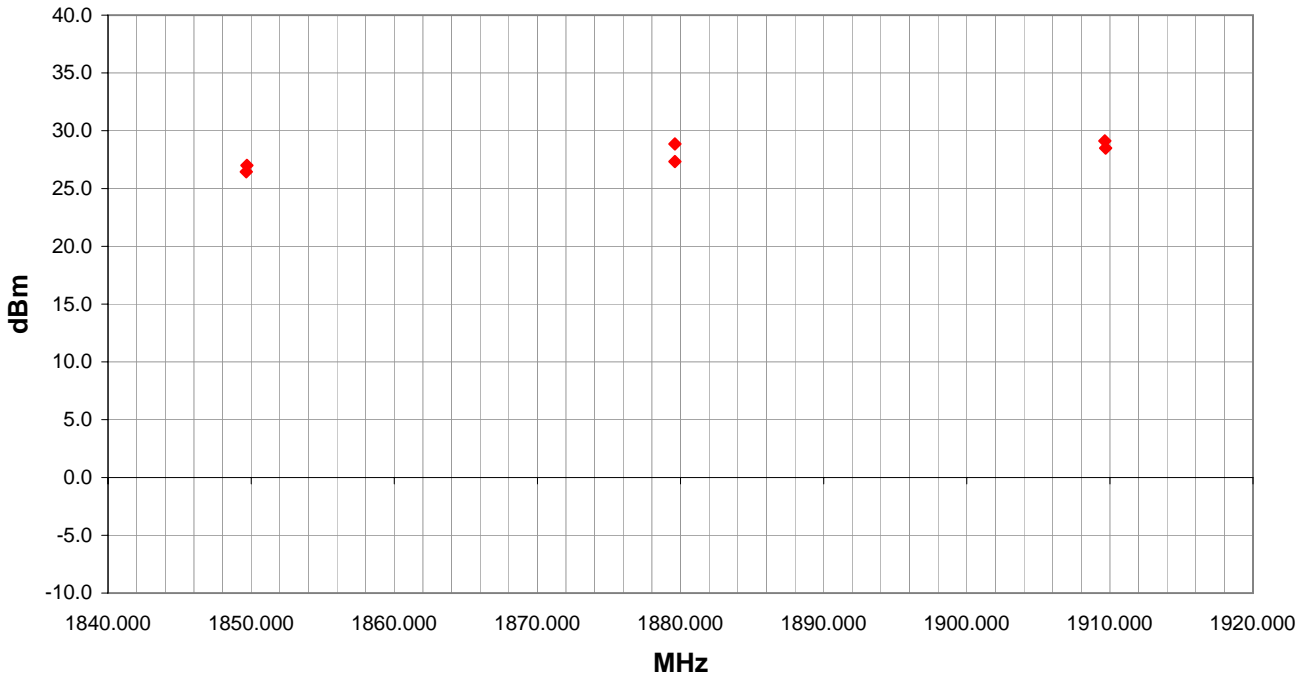
**DEVIATIONS FROM TEST STANDARD**

No deviations.

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|----------------|--------------|
| <b>RESULTS</b> | <b>Run #</b> |
| Pass           | 4            |

**Other**

  
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 Tested By:



| Freq (MHz) | Azimuth (degrees) | Height (meters) | Polarity | Detector | EIRP (dBm) | EIRP (Watts) |
|------------|-------------------|-----------------|----------|----------|------------|--------------|
| 1909.700   | 191.0             | 1.1             | H-Horn   | PK       | 28.5       | 0.708        |
| 1879.614   | 195.0             | 1.5             | H-Horn   | PK       | 27.3       | 0.541        |
| 1909.652   | 275.0             | 1.0             | V-Horn   | PK       | 29.1       | 0.816        |
| 1849.661   | 238.0             | 1.1             | H-Horn   | PK       | 26.5       | 0.442        |
| 1879.614   | 345.0             | 1.6             | V-Horn   | PK       | 28.9       | 0.769        |
| 1849.700   | 301.0             | 1.3             | V-Horn   | PK       | 27.0       | 0.502        |



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| Attendees: <b>N/A</b>                              | Humidity: <b>39%</b>              |
| Cust. Ref. No.:                                    | Barometric Pressure: <b>29.94</b> |
| Tested by: <b>Rod Peloquin</b>                     | Power: <b>120VAC/60Hz</b>         |
|  | Job Site: <b>EV01</b>             |

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| <b>TEST SPECIFICATIONS</b>         |                   |
| Specification: <b>FCC Part 24E</b> | Year: <b>2002</b> |
| Method: <b>TIA/EIA-603</b>         | Year: <b>1998</b> |

**SAMPLE CALCULATIONS**

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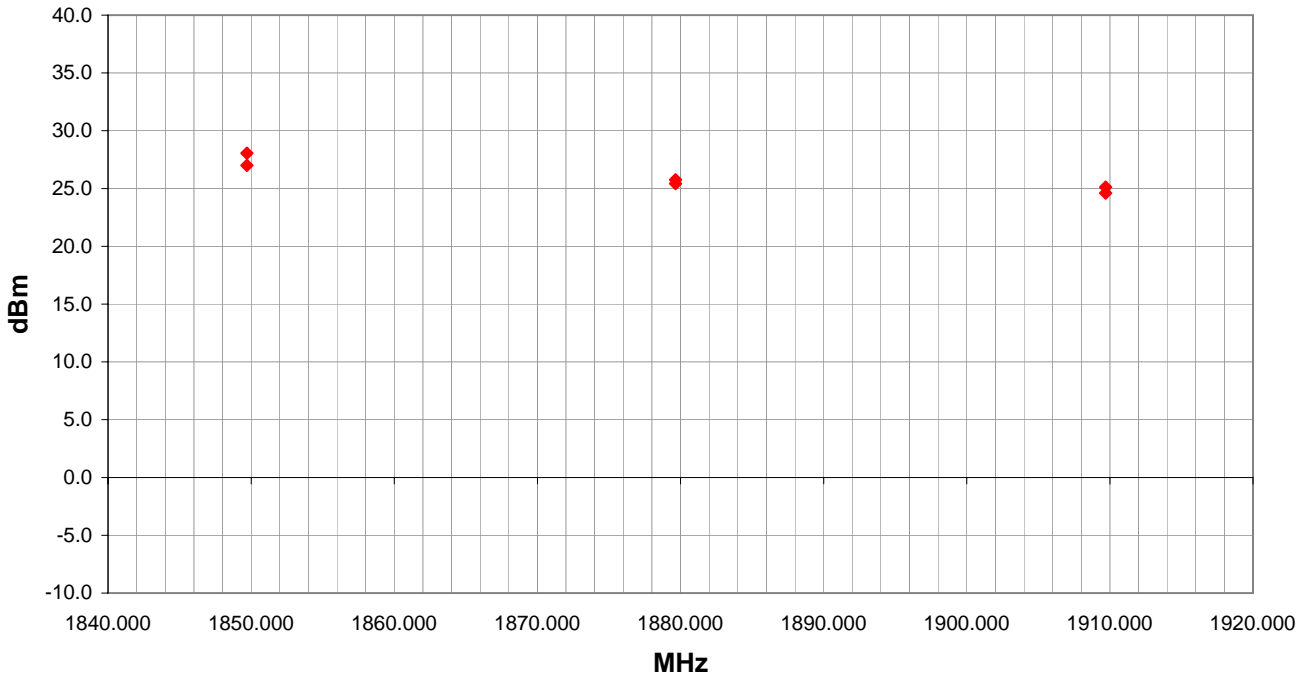
**DEVIATIONS FROM TEST STANDARD**

No deviations.

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|----------------|--------------|
| <b>RESULTS</b> | <b>Run #</b> |
| Pass           | 5            |

**Other**

  
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 Tested By:



| Freq (MHz) | Azimuth (degrees) | Height (meters) | Polarity | Detector | EIRP (dBm) | EIRP (Watts) |
|------------|-------------------|-----------------|----------|----------|------------|--------------|
| 1849.700   | 245.0             | 1.1             | H-Horn   | PK       | 28.1       | 0.639        |
| 1879.652   | 187.0             | 1.5             | H-Horn   | PK       | 25.4       | 0.349        |
| 1909.700   | 208.0             | 1.4             | H-Horn   | PK       | 24.6       | 0.289        |
| 1849.700   | 300.0             | 1.4             | V-Horn   | PK       | 27.0       | 0.502        |
| 1879.652   | 309.0             | 1.3             | V-Horn   | PK       | 25.8       | 0.377        |
| 1909.700   | 14.0              | 1.7             | V-Horn   | PK       | 25.1       | 0.325        |





