

# Appendix D. Probe Calibration

Miniature Isotropic RF Probe M/N: ALS-E-020 S/N: 264

2450MHz Body Calibration

### NCL CALIBRATION LABORATORIES

Calibration File No.: CP-832

**Client: QUIETEK** 

# CERTIFICATE OF CALIBRATION

It is certified that the equipment identified below has been calibrated in the **NCL CALIBRATION LABORATORIES** by qualified personnel following recognized procedures and using transfer standards traceable to NRC/NIST.

Equipment: Miniature Isotropic RF Probe 2450 MHz

Manufacturer: APREL Laboratories Model No.: ALS-E-020 Serial No.: 264

**BODY** Calibration

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Calibration Procedure: SSI/DRB-TP-D01-032-E020-V2 Project No: QTKB-E-Probe-5305

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### Introduction

This Calibration Report reproduces the results of the calibration performed in line with the SSI/DRB-TP-D01-032-E020-V2 E-Field Probe Calibration Procedure. The results contained within this report are for APREL E-Field Probe E-020 264.

### References

SSI/DRB-TP-D01-032-E020-V2 E-Field Probe Calibration Procedure IEEE 1528 "Recommended Practice for Determining the Peak Spatial-Average Specific Absorption Rate (SAR) in the Human Body Due to Wireless Communications Devices: Experimental Techniques" SSI-TP-011 Tissue Calibration Procedure

### Conditions

Probe 264 was a re-calibration.

Ambient Temperature of the Laboratory:	22 °C +/- 0.5°C
Temperature of the Tissue:	21 °C +/- 0.5°C

We the undersigned attest that to the best of our knowledge the calibration of this probe has been accurately conducted and that all information contained within this report has been reviewed for accuracy.

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## **Calibration Results Summary**

Probe Type:	E-Field Probe E-020
Serial Number:	264
Frequency:	2450 MHz
Sensor Offset:	1.56 mm
Sensor Length:	2.5 mm
Tip Enclosure:	Ertalyte*
Tip Diameter:	<5 mm
Tip Length:	60 mm
Total Length:	290 mm

\*Resistive to recommended tissue recipes per IEEE-1528

# Sensitivity in Air

Channel X:	1.2 μV/(V/m) <sup>2</sup>
Channel Y:	1.2 μV/(V/m) <sup>2</sup>
Channel Z:	1.2 μV/(V/m) <sup>2</sup>
Diode Compression Point:	95 mV

Sensitivity in Body Tissue				
Frequency:		2450 MHz		
Epsilon:	52.7 (+/-5%)	Sigma:	1.95 S/m (+/-5%)	
ConvF				
Channel X:	5.2			
Channel Y:	5.2			
Channel Z:	5.2			

Tissue sensitivity values were calculated using the load impedance of the APREL Laboratories Daq-Paq.

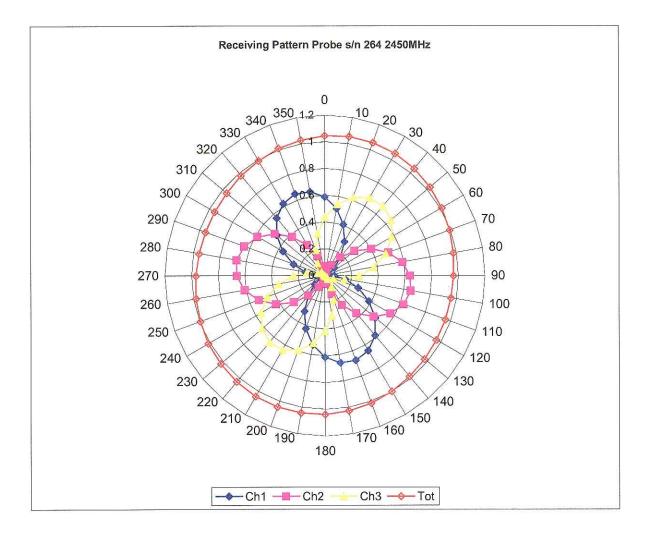
### **Boundary Effect:**

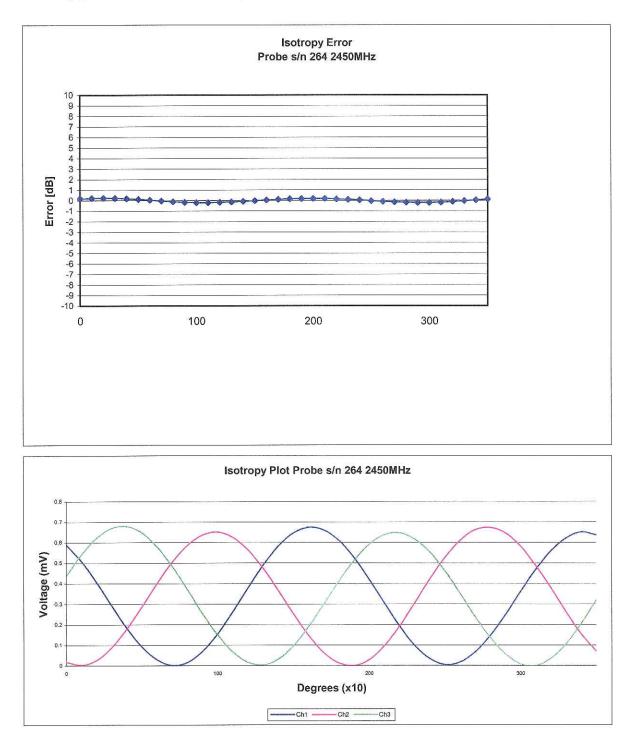
Uncertainty resulting from the boundary effect is less than 2% for the distance between the tip of the probe and the tissue boundary, when less than 2.44mm.

### **Spatial Resolution:**

The measured probe tip diameter is 5 mm (+/- 0.01 mm) and therefore meets the requirements of SSI/DRB-TP-D01-032 for spatial resolution.

# Receiving Pattern 2450 MHz (Air)



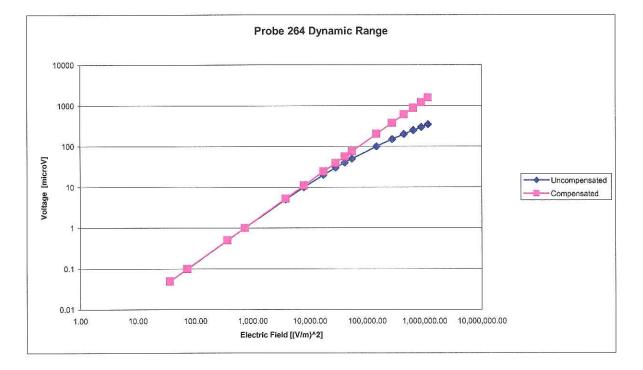


# Isotropy Error 2450 MHz (Air)

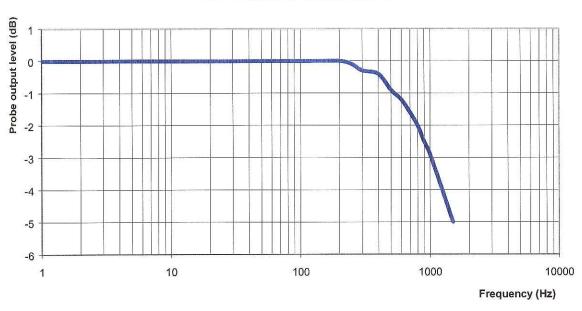
#### Isotropicity in Tissue:

0.10 dB

# **Dynamic Range**



# Video Bandwidth



**Probe Frequency Characteristics** 

Video	Bandwidth	at	500 Hz	1 dB
Video	Bandwidth	at	1000 Hz	3 dB

## **Conversion Factor Uncertainty Assessment**

Frequency:		2450MHz	
Epsilon:	52.7 (+/-5%)	Sigma:	1.95 S/m (+/-5%)
ConvF			
Channel X:	5.2	7%(K=2)	
Channel Y:	5.2	7%(K=2)	
Channel Z:	5.2	7%(K=2)	

To minimize the uncertainty calculation all tissue sensitivity values were calculated using a load impedance of 5 M $\Omega$ .

#### **Boundary Effect:**

For a distance of 2.4mm the evaluated uncertainty (increase in the probe sensitivity) is less than 2%.

## **Test Equipment**

The test equipment used during Probe Calibration, manufacturer, model number and, current calibration status are listed and located on the main APREL server R:\NCL\Calibration Equipment\Instrument List May 2007.



# Appendix E. Dipole Calibration

Validation Dipole 2450 MHz M/N: ALS-D-2450-S-2 S/N: QTK-319

# NCL CALIBRATION LABORATORIES

Calibration File No: DC-891

# CERTIFICATE OF CALIBRATION

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Quietek Validation Dipole

Manufacturer: APREL Laboratories Part number: ALS-D-2450-S-2 Frequency: 2.45 GHz Serial No: QTK-319

Customer: Quietek

Project Number: QTKB-Dipole-CAL-5336

Calibrated: 9<sup>th</sup> May 2008 Released on: 9<sup>th</sup> May 2008

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# **Calibration Results Summary**

The following results relate the Calibrated Dipole and should be used as a quick reference for the user.

#### **Mechanical Dimensions**

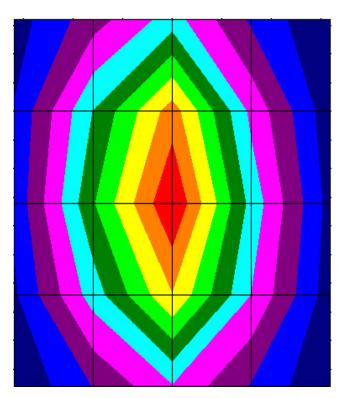
Length:	53.5 mm
Height:	30.4 mm

#### **Electrical Specification**

SWR:	1.19 U
Return Loss:	-20.8 dB
Impedance:	49.4 Ω

#### **System Validation Results**

Frequency	1 Gram	10 Gram	Peak
2.45 GHz	48.07	25.65	95.6



### Conditions

Dipole 319 is a recalibration.

Ambient Temperature of the Laboratory:	22 °C +/- 0.5°C
Temperature of the Tissue:	21 °C +/- 0.5°C

We the undersigned attest that to the best of our knowledge the calibration of this device has been accurately conducted and that all information contained within this report has been reviewed for accuracy.

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# **Dipole Calibration Results**

#### **Mechanical Verification**

IEEE Length	IEEE Height	Measured Length	Measured Height
51.5 mm	30.4 mm	53.5 mm	30.4 mm

### **Tissue Validation**

Body Tissue 2450 MHz	Measured
Dielectric constant, ε <sub>r</sub>	52.5
Conductivity, σ [S/m]	1.78

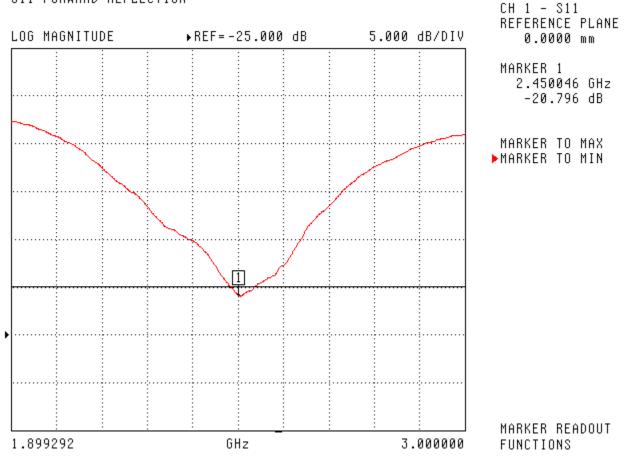
#### **Electrical Calibration**

Test	Result	
S11 R/L	-20.8 dB	
SWR	1.2 U	
Impedance	49.4 Ω	

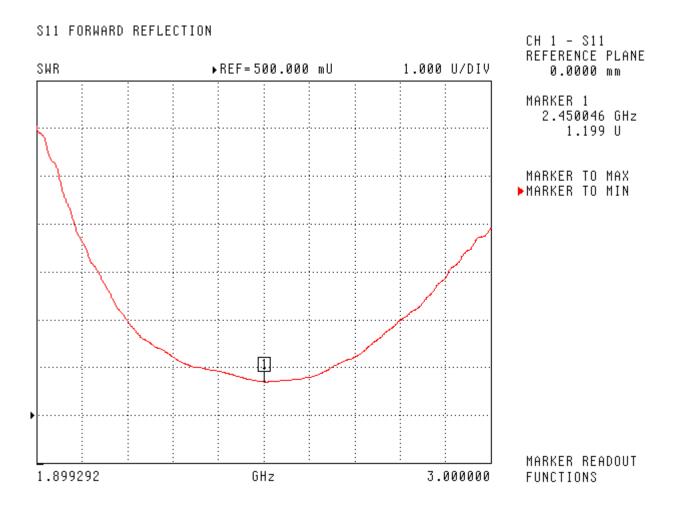
The Following Graphs are the results as displayed on the Vector Network Analyzer.

#### S11 Parameter Return Loss

#### S11 FORWARD REFLECTION

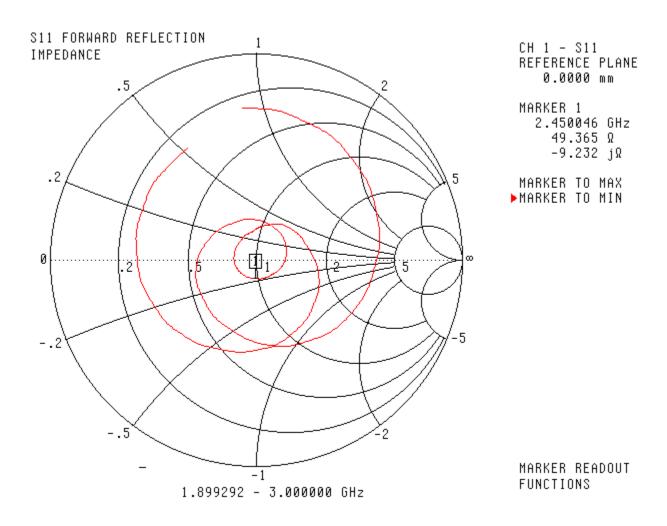


SWR



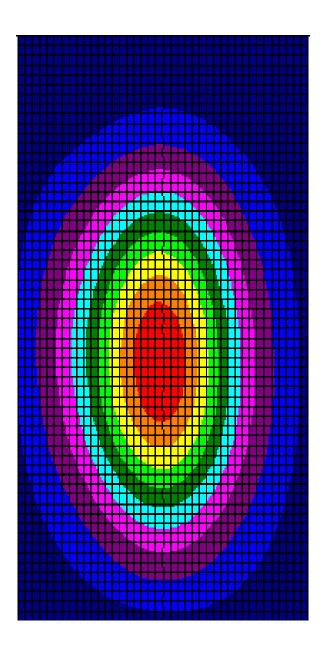
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## **Smith Chart Dipole Impedance**



### System Validation Results Using the Electrically Calibrated Dipole

Frequency	1 Gram	10 Gram	Peak Above Feed Point
2.45 GHz	48.07	25.65	95.6



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