

# Measurement of RF Emissions from a AT75K0 Digital Television Transmitter

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# **REVISION HISTORY**

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_	October 19, 2009	Initial release



## Measurement of RF Emissions from a Digital Television Transmitter, Model No. AT75K0

## 1 INTRODUCTION

## 1.1 Scope of Tests

This report presents the results of the RF emissions measurements performed on a Digital Television Transmitter, Part No. AT75K0, Serial No. 0001, (hereinafter referred to as the test item). The test item is designed to transmit at 515MHz using an external antenna. The test item has a rated output power of 5000W. The test item was manufactured and submitted for testing by Linear Industries, Inc. located in Elgin, IL.

## 1.2 Purpose

The test series was performed to determine if the test item meets the field strength of spurious emissions requirements of the Code of Federal Regulations Title 47, Part 74, Subpart G. Testing was performed in accordance with TIA-603-C-2004.

## 1.3 Deviations, Additions and Exclusions

These tests were performed at the Linear Industries, Inc. facility in an open area inside the facility. The site attenuation was not verified.

## 1.4 EMC Laboratory Identification

This series of tests was performed by Elite Electronic Engineering Incorporated of Downers Grove, Illinois. The laboratory is accredited by the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) under the National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program (NVLAP). NVLAP Lab Code: 100278-0.

## 1.5 Laboratory Conditions

The temperature at the time of the test was 24°C and the relative humidity was 33%.

## 2 APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS

The following documents of the exact issue designated form part of this document to the extent specified herein:

- Federal Communications Commission "Code of Federal Regulations", Title 47, Part 74, dated 1 October 2008
- TIA-603-C-2004, "Land Mobile FM or PM Communications Equipment Measurement and Performance Standards"

## 3 TEST ITEM SET-UP AND OPERATION

## 3.1 General Description

The test item is a Linear Industries, Inc., Digital Television Transmitter, Model No. AT75K0. The test item is designed to transmit at 515MHz. A block diagram of the test item set-up is shown as Figure 1.

## 3.1.1 Power Input

The test item was powered by 240V, 60Hz single phase power.

## 3.1.2 Peripheral Equipment

The following peripheral equipment was submitted with the test item:

Item	Description
Filter	Com Tech, M/N: A-TC6D200C-NN, S/N: 0937-047171, was connected to the output of
	the test item
Dummy Load	UHF Digital Altronic Research Inc. (Model No. 6710DE3) 10kW dummy load was
	connected to the output of the filter



## 3.1.3 Signal Input/Output Leads

The following interconnect cables were submitted with the test item:

Item	Description
Coaxial Cable	Used to connect the output of the filter to the dummy load.

## 3.1.4 Grounding

The test item was grounded only through the third wire of its input power cord.

## 3.2 Operational Mode

For all tests, the test item was transmitting at 515MHz. The test was performed with the test item transmitting at 5000 Watts.

## 3.3 Test Item Modifications

No modifications were required to comply with the test series.

## 4 TEST FACILITY AND TEST INSTRUMENTATION

#### 4.1 Test Site

All tests were performed in an open area at the Linear Industries, Inc. facility.

### 4.2 Test Instrumentation

The test instrumentation and auxiliary equipment used during the tests are listed in Table 9-1.

## 4.3 Calibration Traceability

Test equipment is maintained and calibrated on a regular basis. All calibrations are traceable to the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST).

## 5 TEST PROCEDURES

## 5.1 Field Strength of Spurious Emissions

## 5.1.1 Requirements

Per 74.750(2), Radio frequency harmonics of the visual and aural carriers, measured at the output terminals of the transmitter, shall be attenuated no less than 60 dB below the peak visual output power within the assigned channel. All other emissions appearing on frequencies more than 3 megacycles above or below the upper and lower edges, respectively, of the assigned channel shall be attenuated no less than:

- 1) 30 dB for transmitters rated at no more than 1 watt power output.
- 2) 50 dB for transmitters rated at more than 1 watt power output.
- 3) 60 dB for transmitters rated at more than 100 watts power output.

## 5.1.2 Procedures

All tests were performed in an open area at the Linear Industries, Inc. facility.

Preliminary radiated emissions measurements were first performed using a peak detector and automatically plotted. The broadband measuring antenna was positioned at a 3 meter distance from the test item. The entire frequency range from 30MHz to 5150MHz was investigated using a peak detector function. All preliminary tests were performed with the test item transmitting at 515MHz into a dummy load.

All significant broadband and narrowband signals found in the preliminary sweeps were then measured using a peak detector at a test distance of 3 meters. The measurements were made with a bilog or double ridged waveguide antenna over the frequency range of 30MHz to 5150MHz. To ensure that maximum emission levels



were measured, the following steps were taken:

- 1) The test item was exposed to the receiving antenna at all 360 degrees.
- Since the measuring antennas are linearly polarized, both horizontal and vertical field components were measured.
- 3) The measuring antenna was raised and lowered for each antenna polarization to maximize the readings.

The equivalent power was determined from the field intensity levels measured at 3 meters using the substitution method. To determine the emission power a tuned dipole or double ridged waveguide antenna was set in place of the test item and connected to a calibrated signal generator. The output of the signal generator was adjusted to match the received level at the spectrum analyzer. The signal level was recorded. The reading was corrected to compensate for cable loss, as required, and when the double ridged waveguide antenna was used, increased by the difference in gain between the dipole and the waveguide antenna.

#### 5.1.3 Results

The preliminary radiated emissions of the site ambient are presented on pages 10 through 25. Factors for the antennas and cables were added to the data before it was plotted. This data is only presented for a reference, and is used to determine the ambient emissions of the site.

The preliminary radiated emissions plots are presented on pages 26 through 41. Factors for the antennas and cables were added to the data before it was plotted. This data is only presented for a reference, and is not used as official data.

The final radiated levels are presented on page 42. The radiated emissions were measured through the 10th harmonic. As can be seen from the data, all emissions measured from the test item were within the specification limits. Photographs of the test site and test setup configuration are shown on Figure 2.

## 6 OTHER TEST CONDITIONS

#### 6.1 Test Personnel and Witnesses

All tests were performed by qualified personnel from Elite Electronic Engineering Incorporated. The test series was witnessed by Linear Industries, Inc. personnel.

## 6.2 Disposition of the Test Item

The test item and all associated equipment were returned to Linear Industries, Inc. upon completion of the tests.

## 7 CONCLUSIONS

It was determined that the Linear Industries, Inc. Digital Television Transmitter, Part No. AT75K0, Serial No. 0001, did fully meet the spurious radiated emission requirements of the FCC "Code of Federal Regulations" Title 47, Part 74, Subpart G, when tested per TIA-603-C-2004.

## **8 CERTIFICATION**

Elite Electronic Engineering Incorporated certifies that the information contained in this report was obtained under conditions which meet or exceed those specified in the test specifications.

The data presented in this test report pertains to the test item at the test date as operated by Linear Industries, Inc. personnel. Any electrical or mechanical modification made to the test item subsequent to the specified test date will serve to invalidate the data and void this certification.

This report must not be used to claim product endorsement by NVLAP or any agency of the US Government.



## 9 EQUIPMENT LIST

# **Table 9-1 Equipment List**

Eq ID	Equipment Description	Manufacturer	Model No.	Serial No.	Frequency Range	Cal Date	Due Date
CDU2	LAPTOP COMPUTER	DELL	PRECISION			N/A	
GSD0	SIGNAL GENERATOR	ROHDE & SCHWARZ	SMB 100A	100395	9KHZ-6GHZ	2/12/2009	2/12/2010
NDN0	TUNED DIPOLE ANTENNA	EMCO	3121C-DB2	311	60-140MHZ	3/12/2009	3/12/2010
NDQ0	TUNED DIPOLE ANTENNA	EMCO	3121C-DB4	311	400-1000MHZ	3/12/2009	3/12/2010
NTA1	BILOG ANTENNA	CHASE EMC LTD.	BILOG CBL6112	2054	0.03-2GHZ	9/10/2009	9/10/2010
NWF0	RIDGED WAVE GUIDE	EMCO	3105	2035	1-12.4GHZ	10/25/2008	10/25/2009
NWH0	RIDGED WAVE GUIDE	TENSOR	4105	2081	1-12.4GHZ	10/25/2008	10/25/2009
RBB0	EMI TEST RECEIVER 20HZ TO 40 GHZ.	ROHDE & SCHWARZ	ESIB40	100250	20 HZ TO 40GHZ	3/11/2009	3/11/2010

N/A: Not Applicable

Note 1: For the purpose of this test, the equipment was calibrated over the specified frequency range, pulse rate, or modulation prior to the test or monitored by a calibrated instrument.



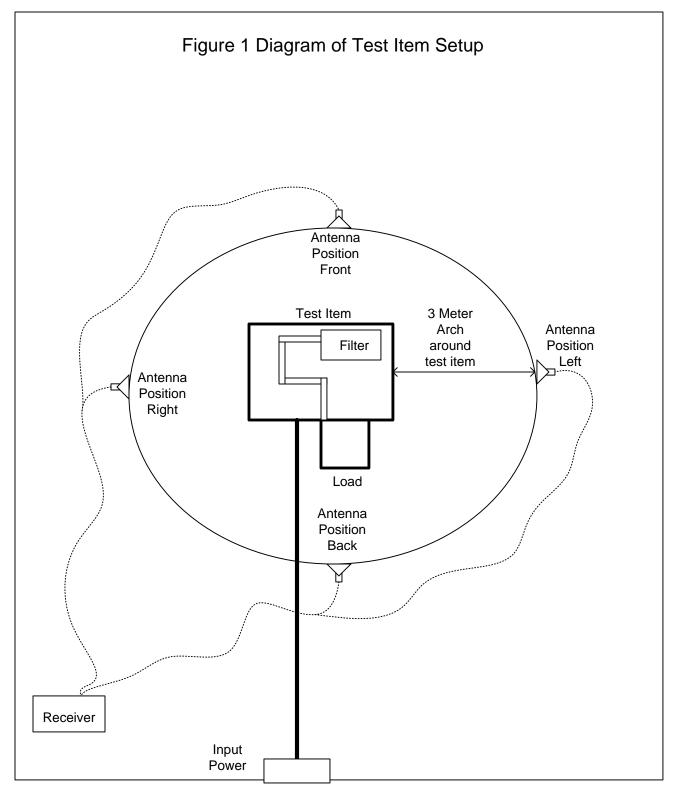




Figure 2

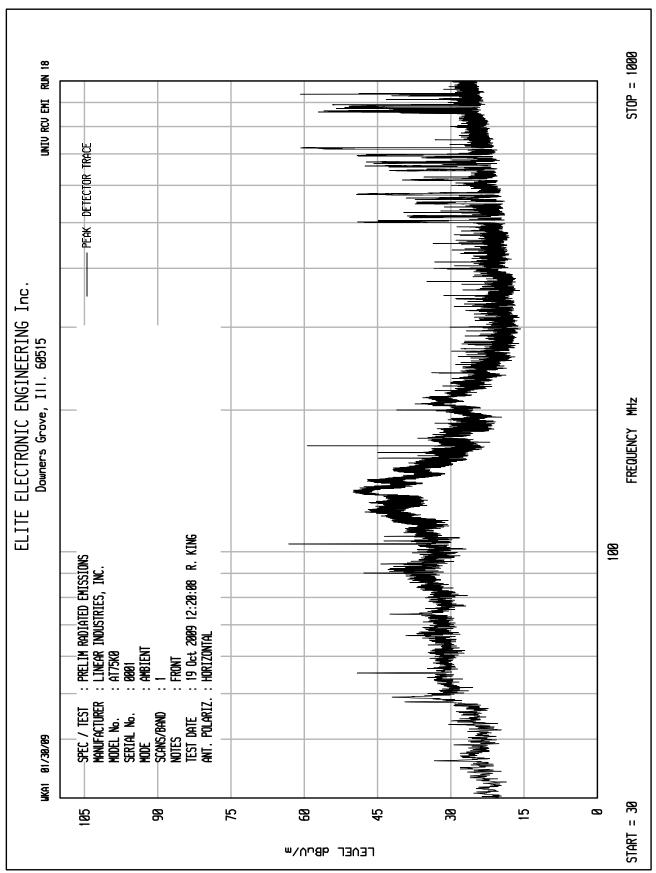


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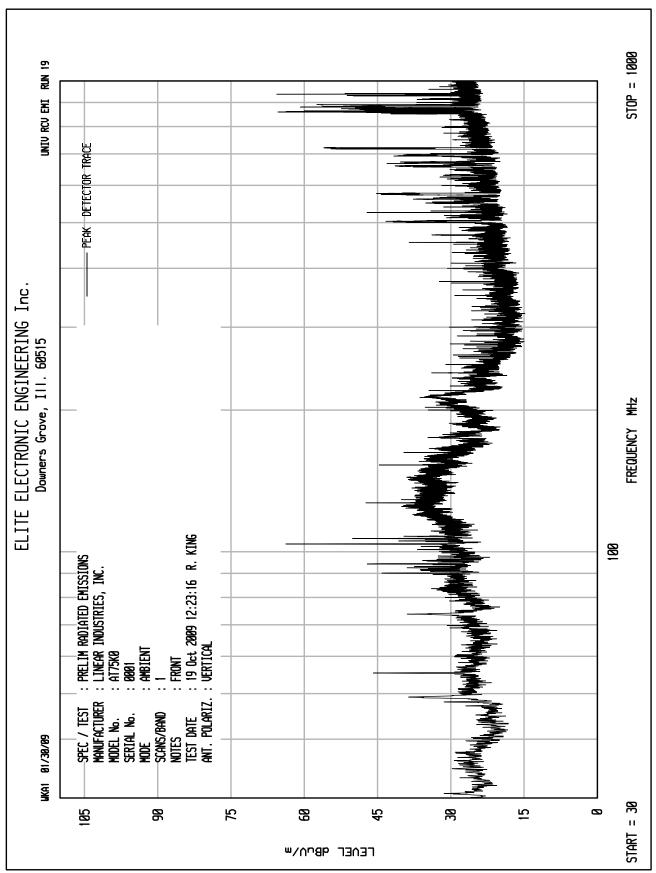


Test Set-up for Radiated Emissions, 1GHz to 5150MHz – Vertical Polarization

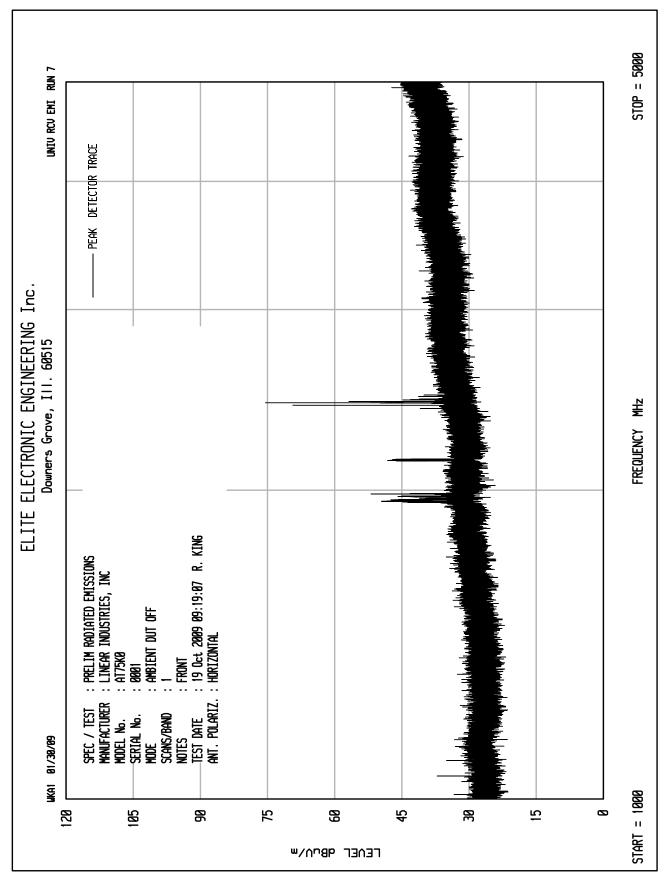




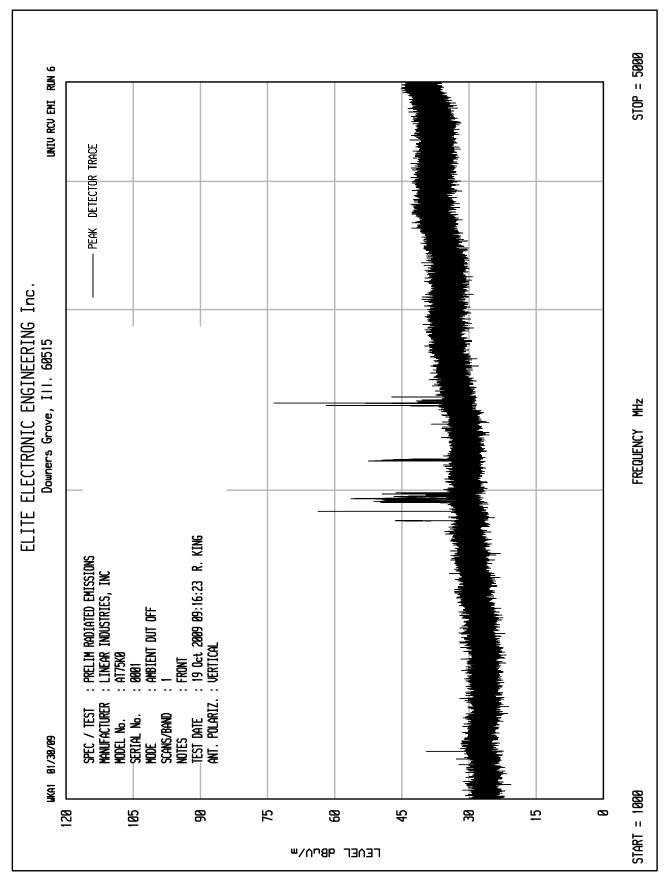




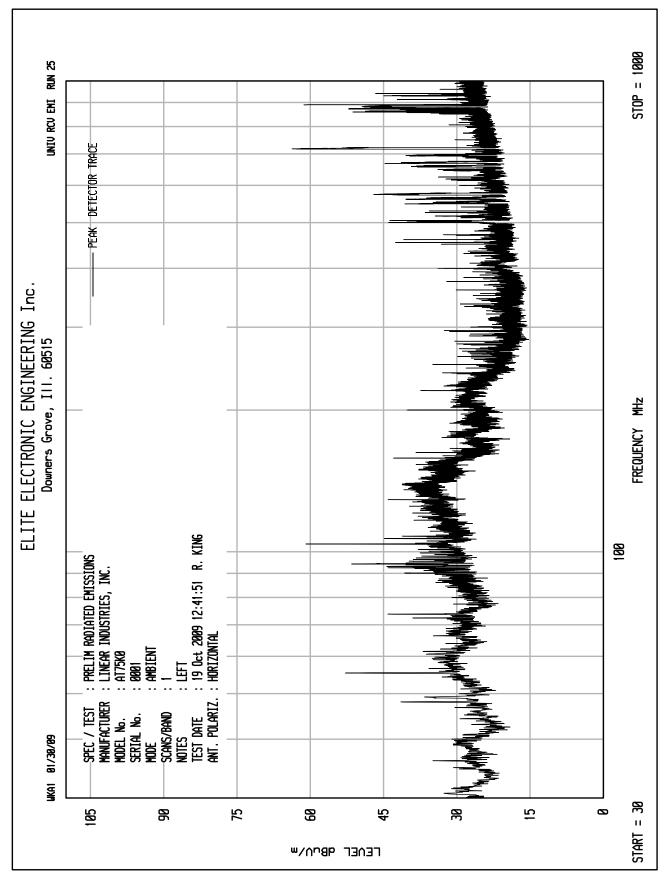




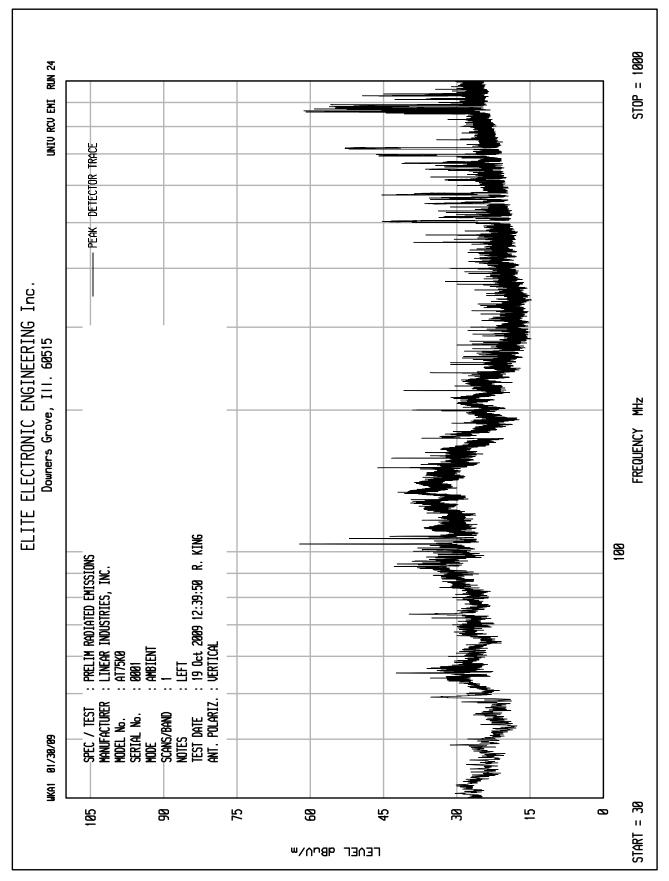




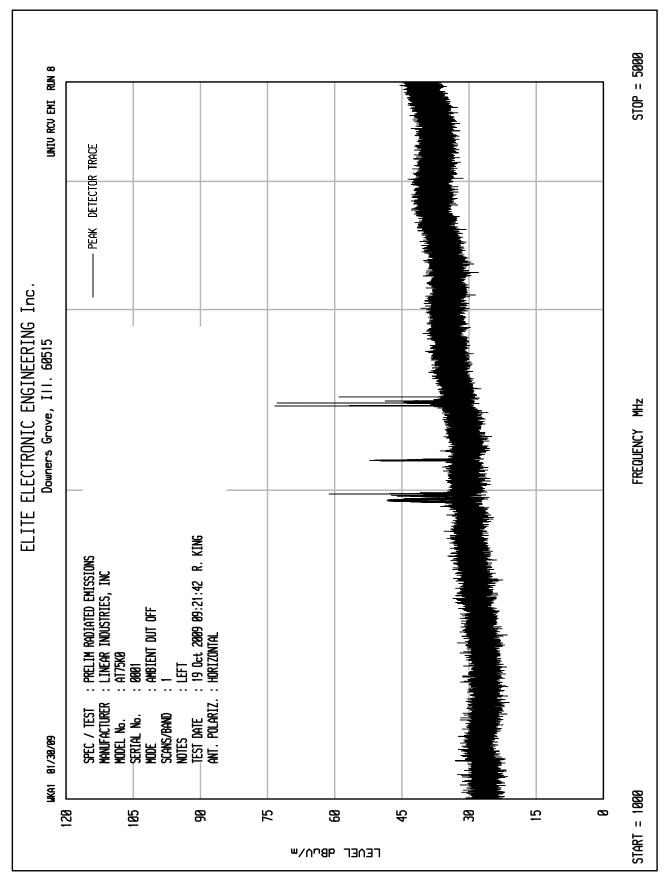




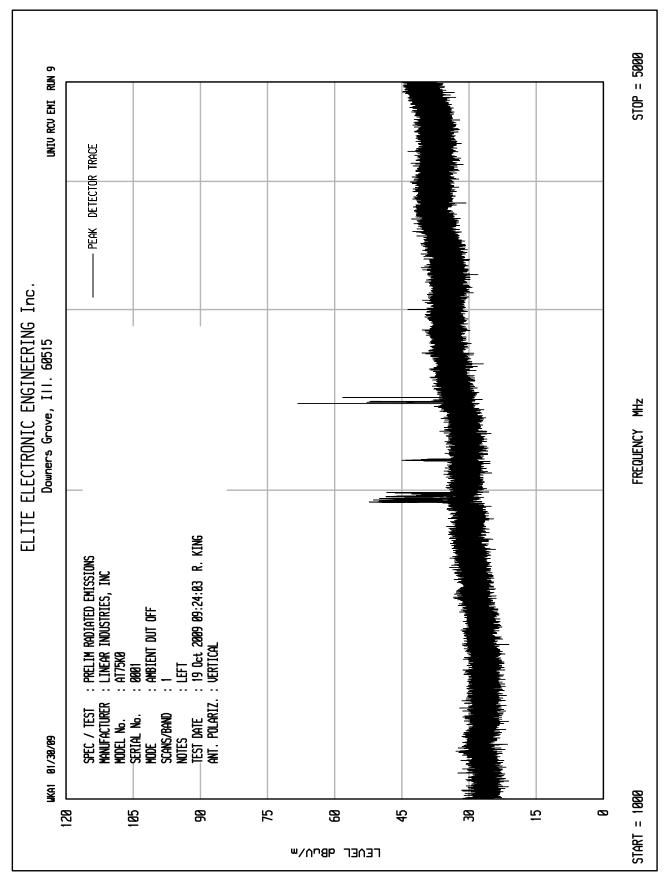




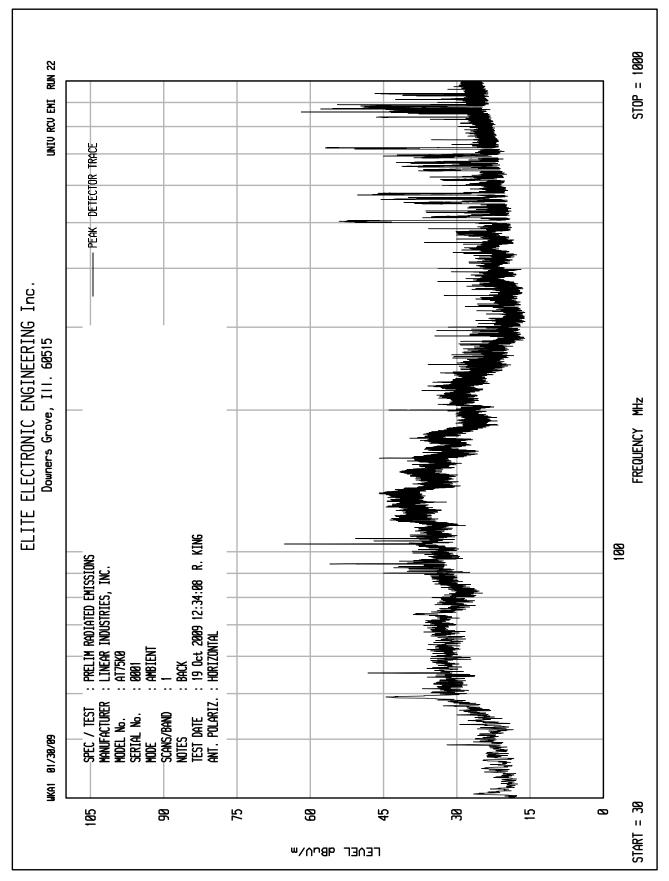




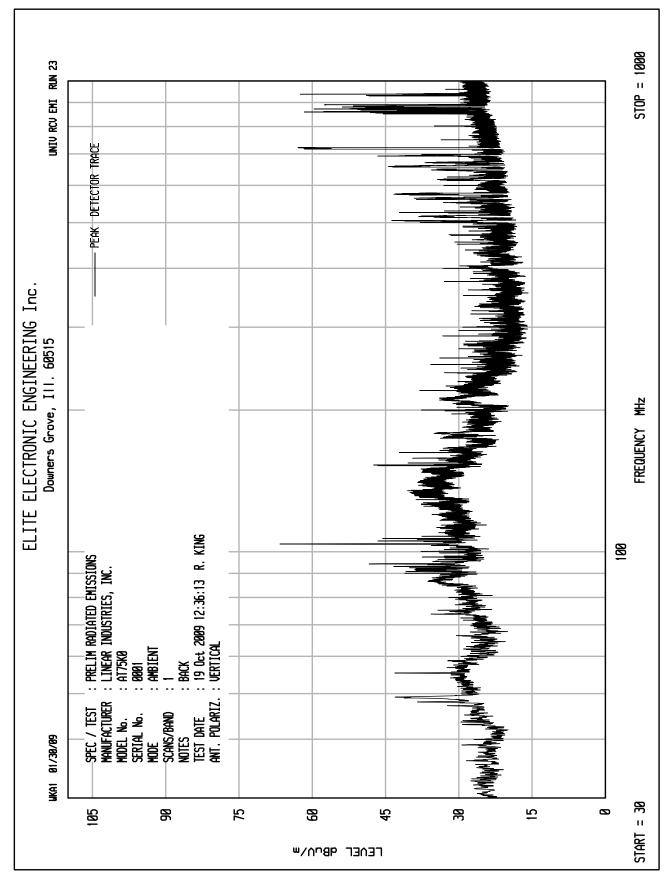




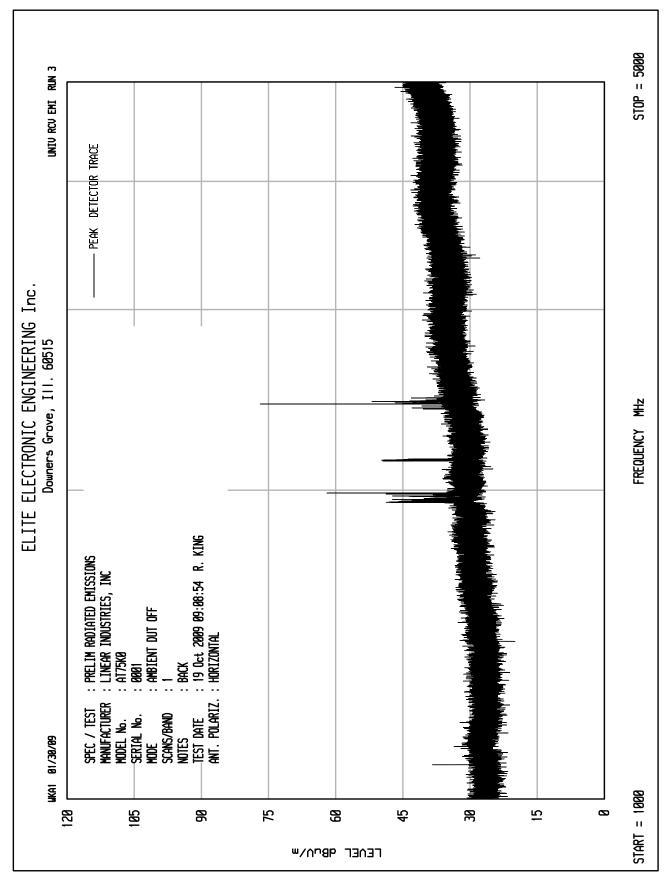




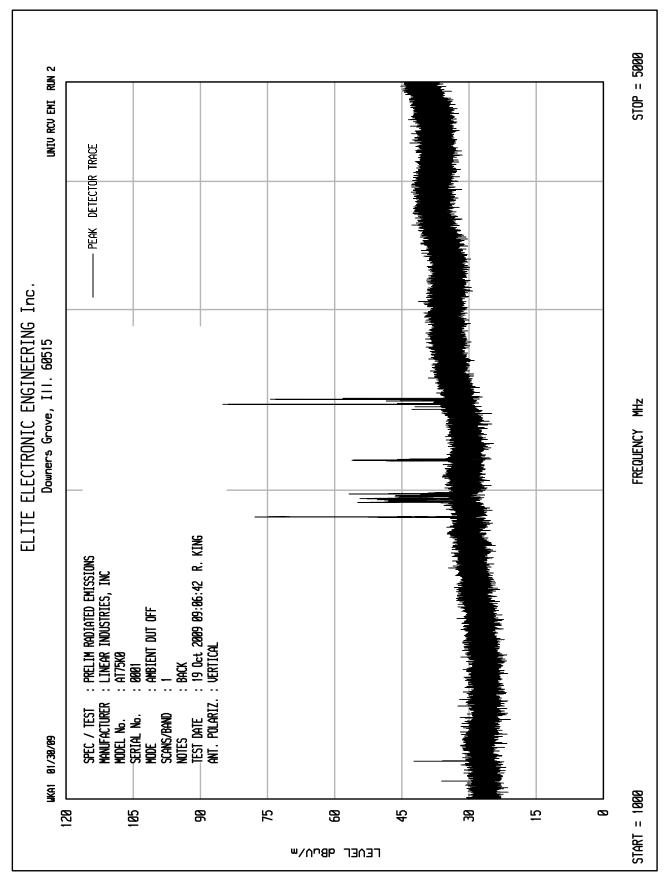




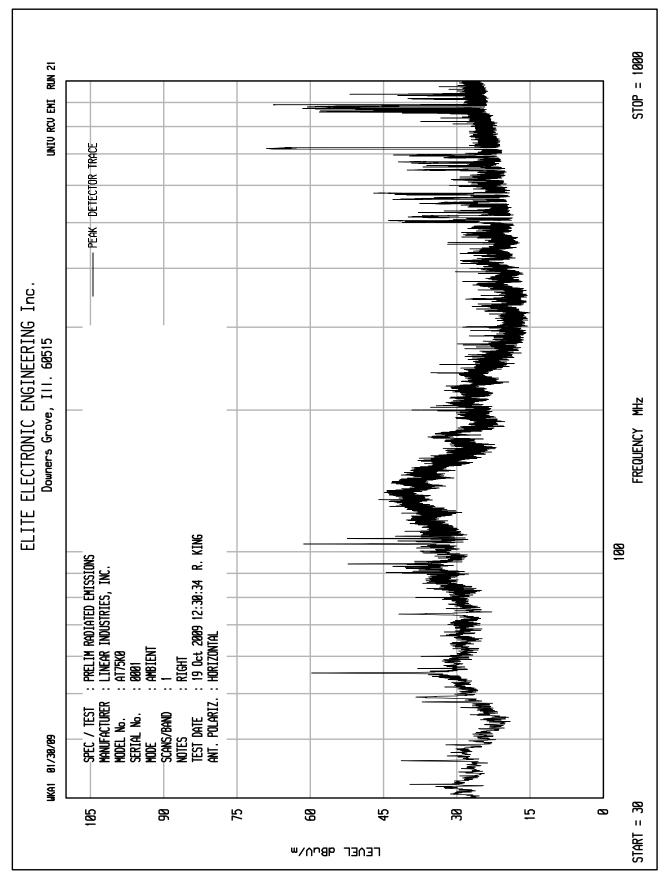




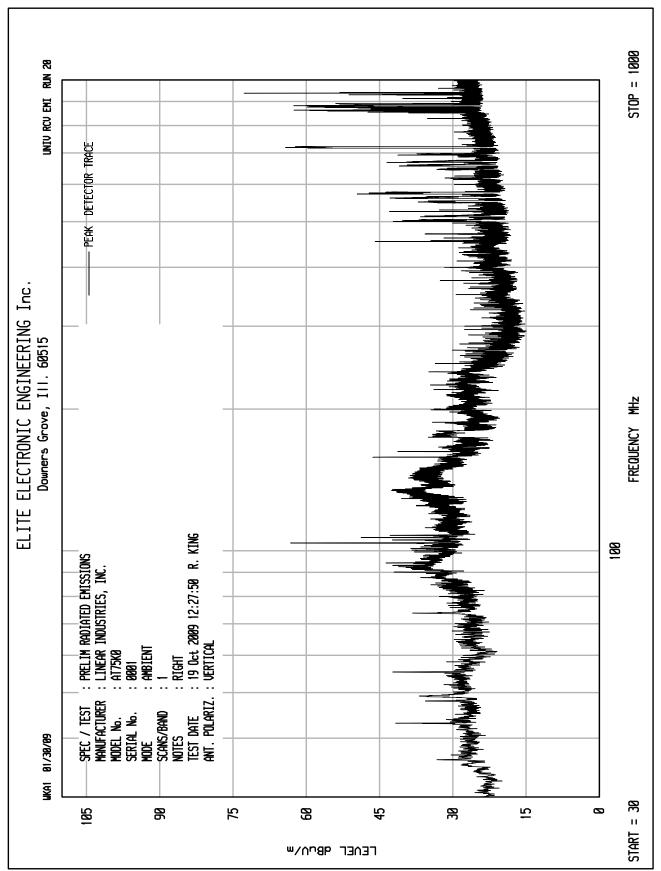




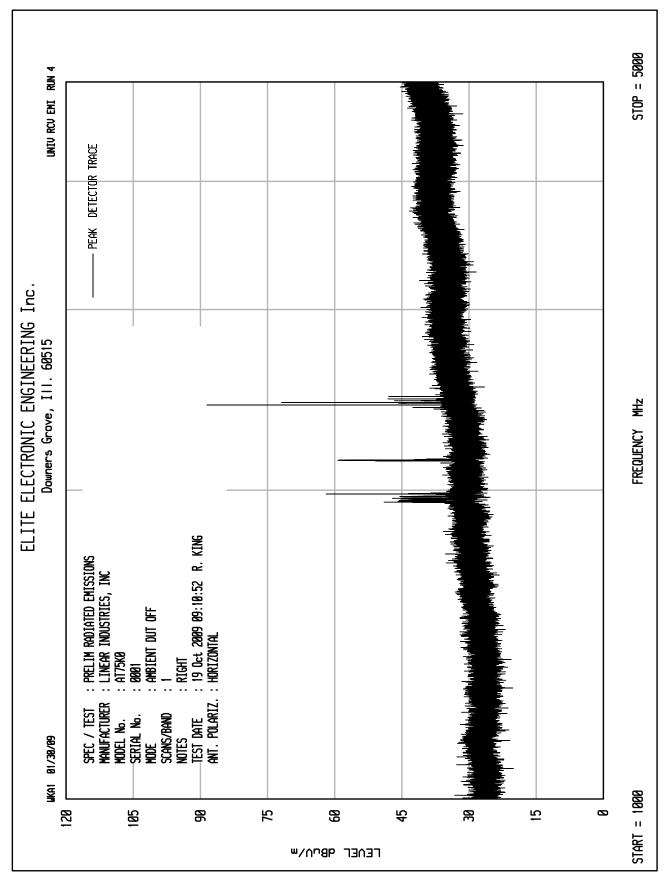




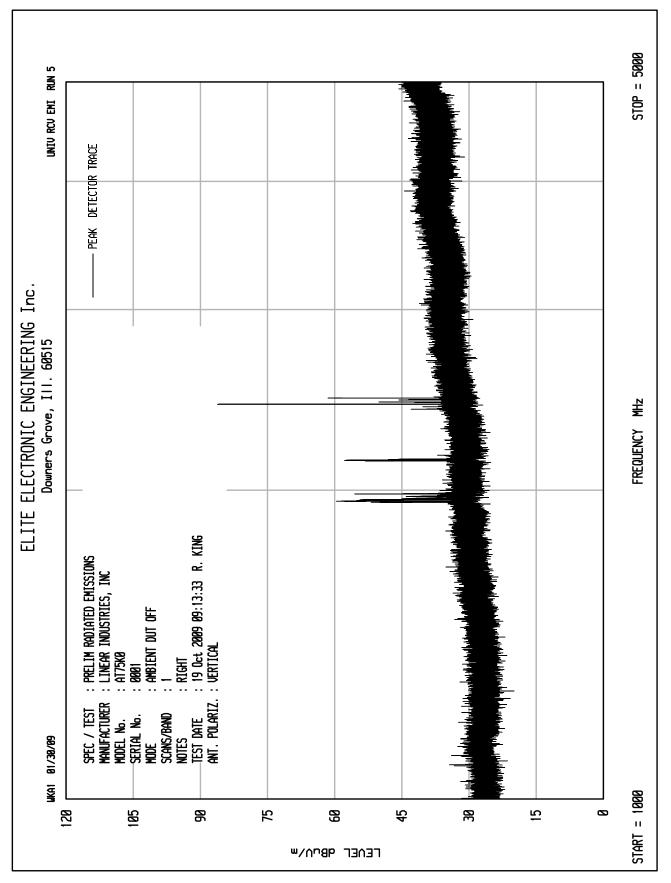




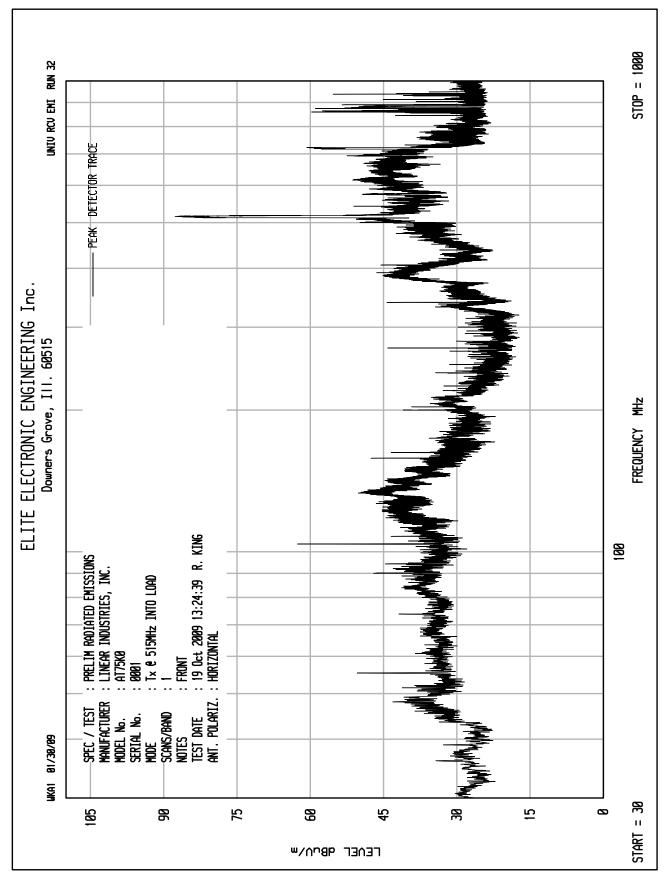




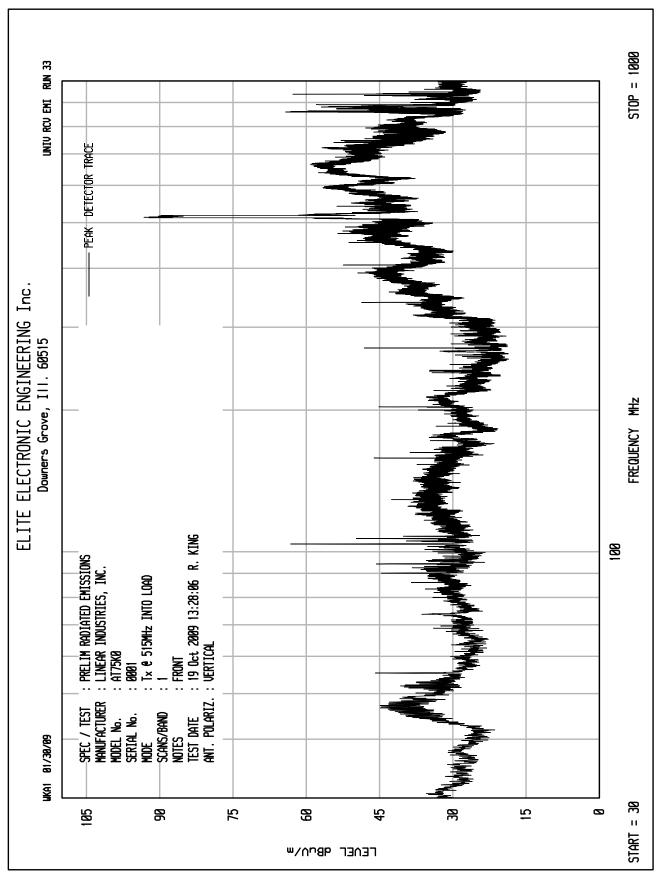




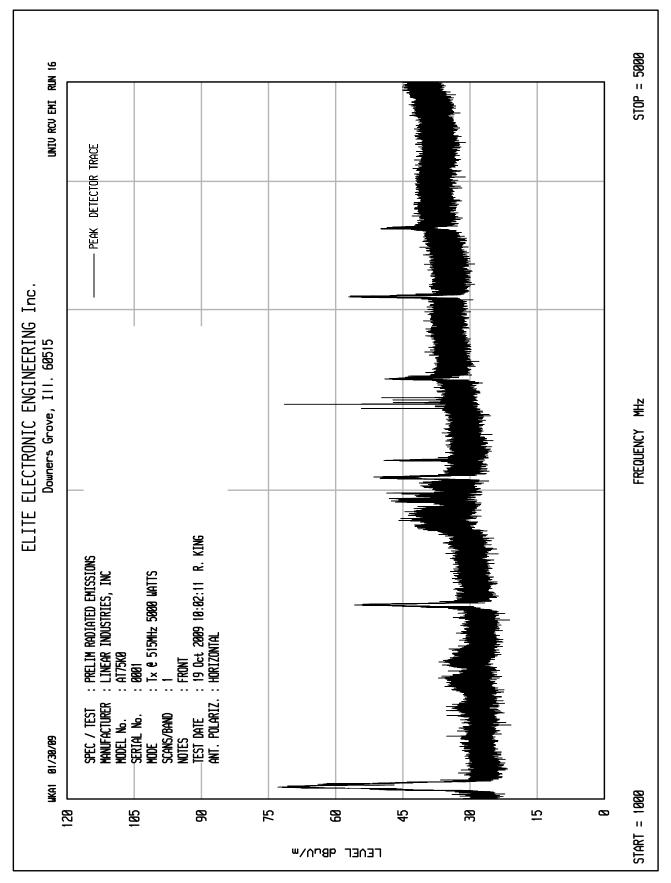




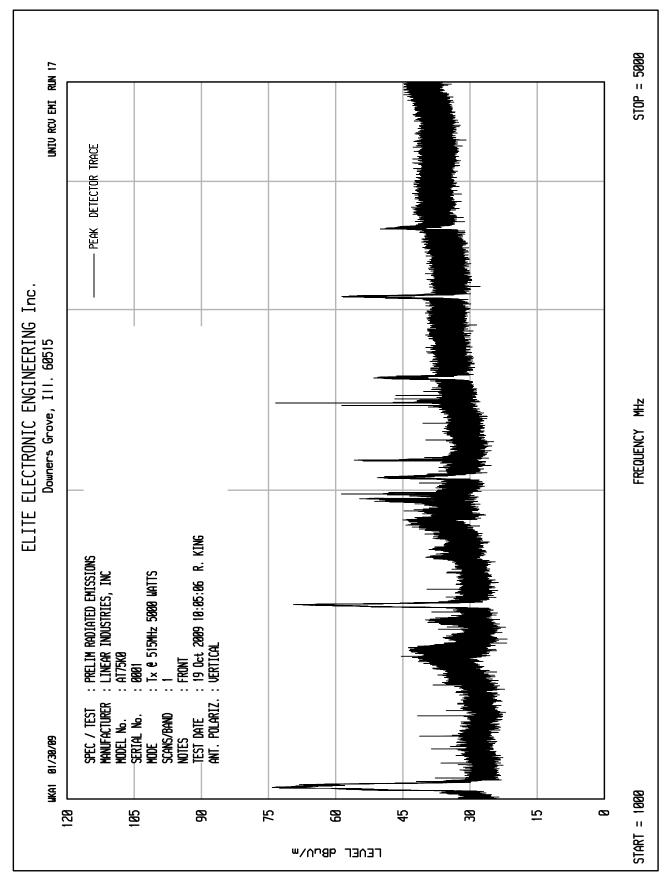




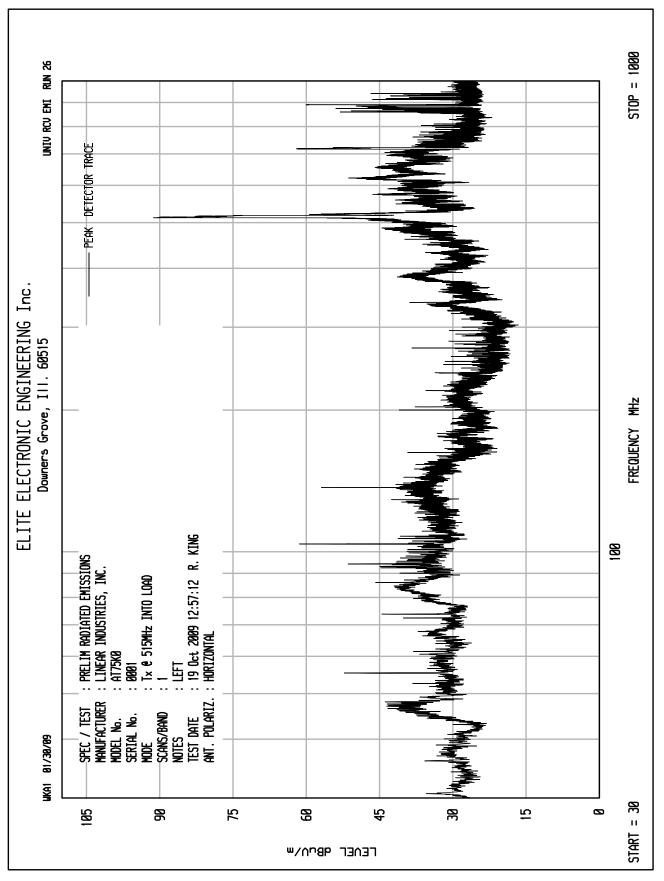




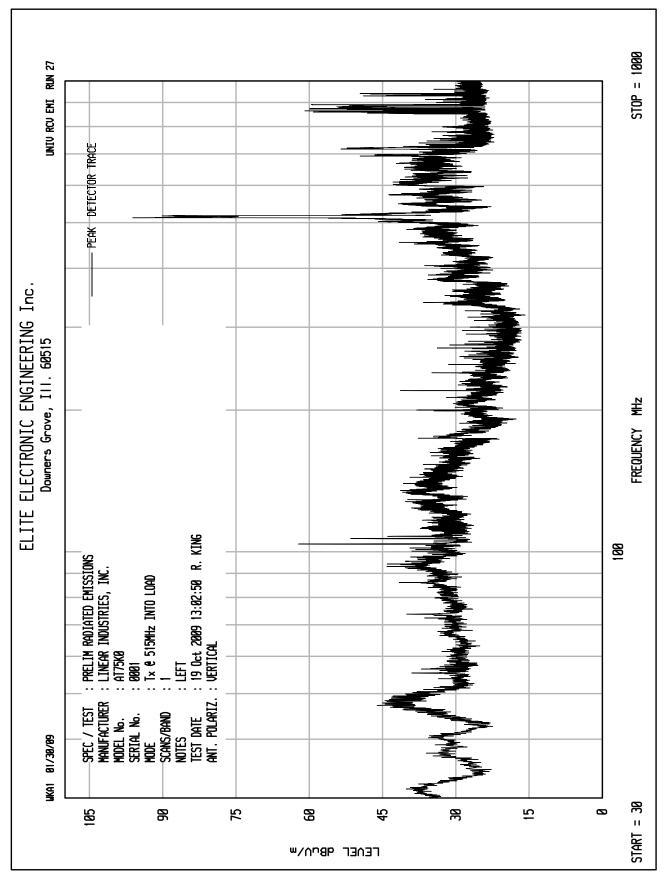




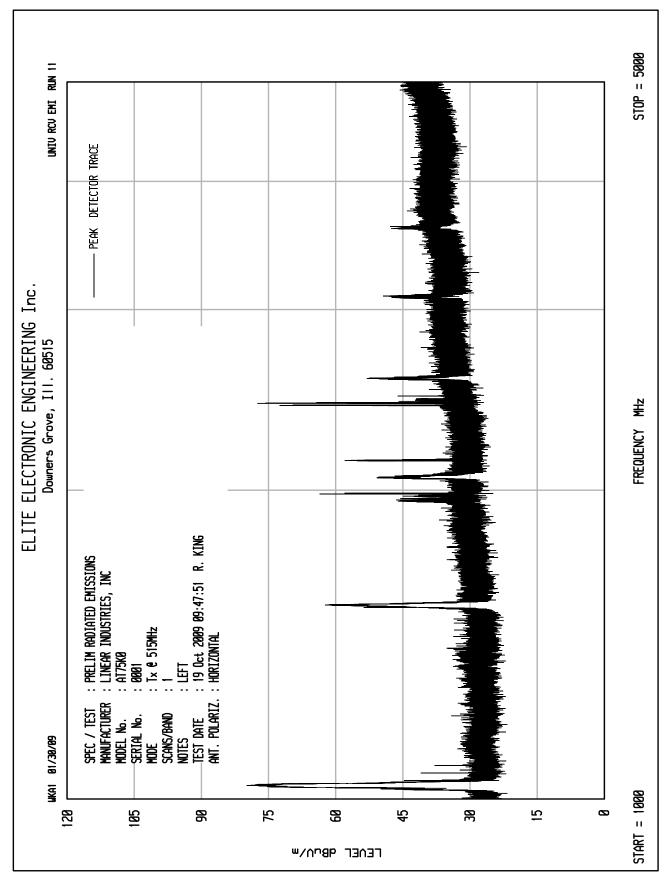




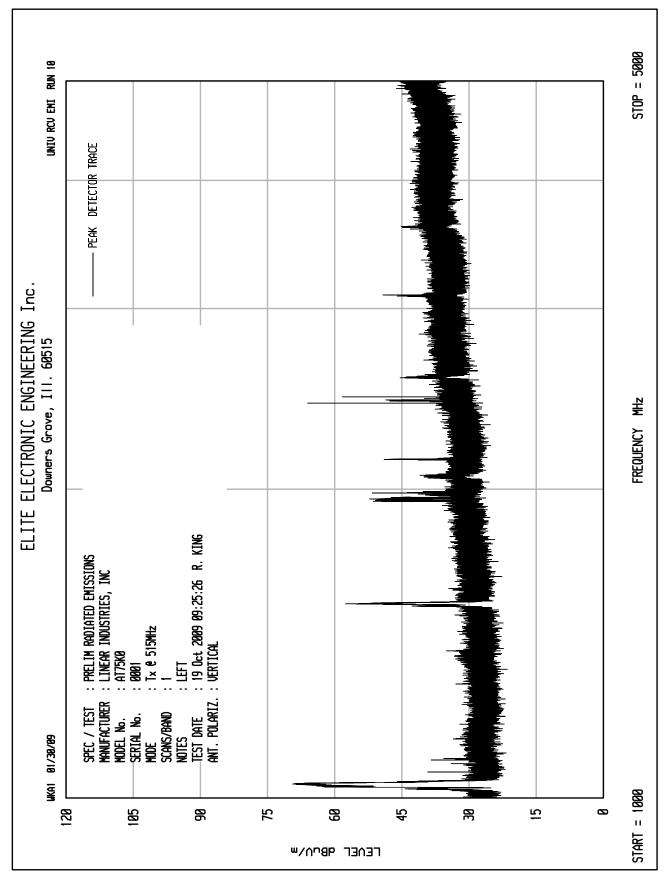




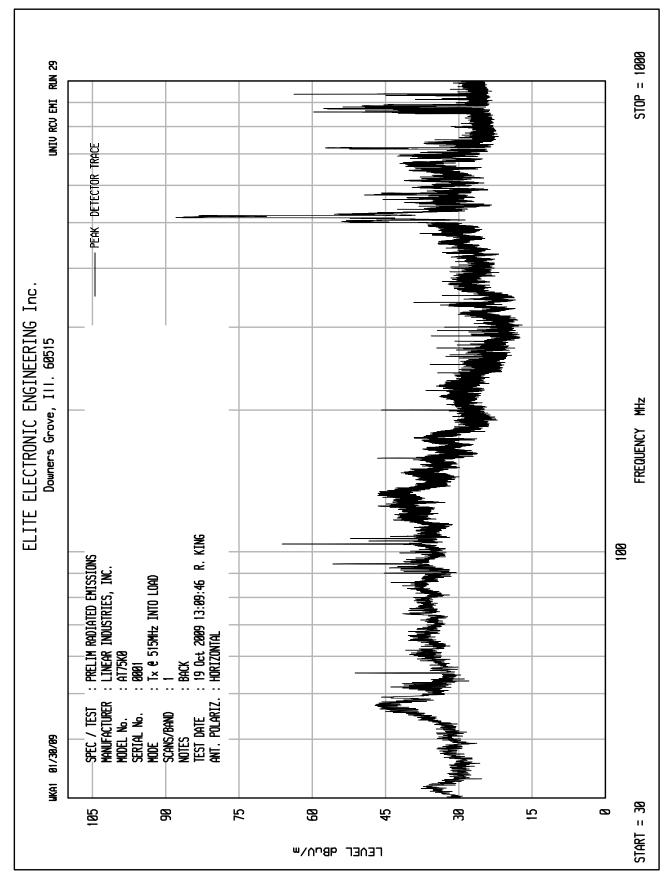




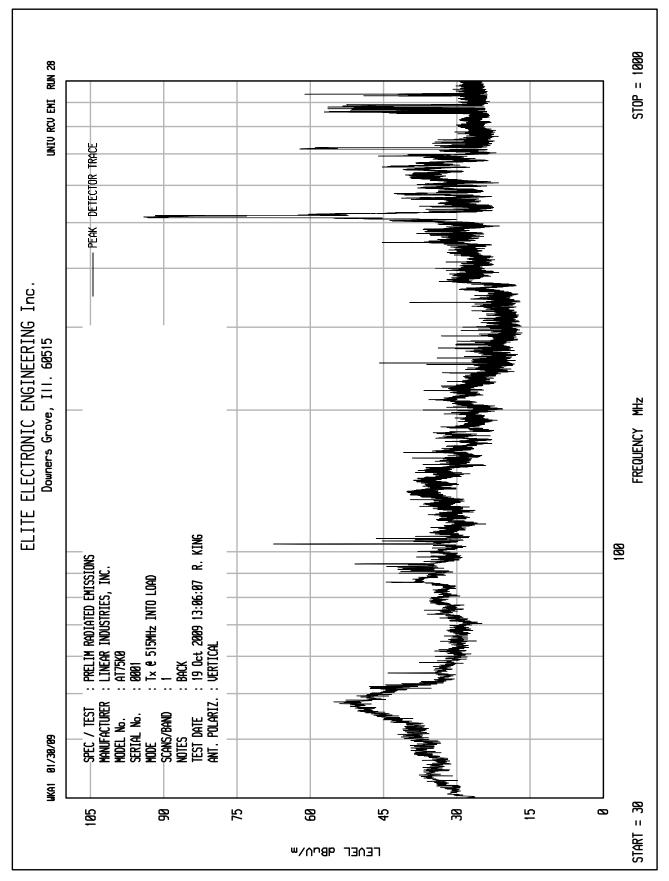




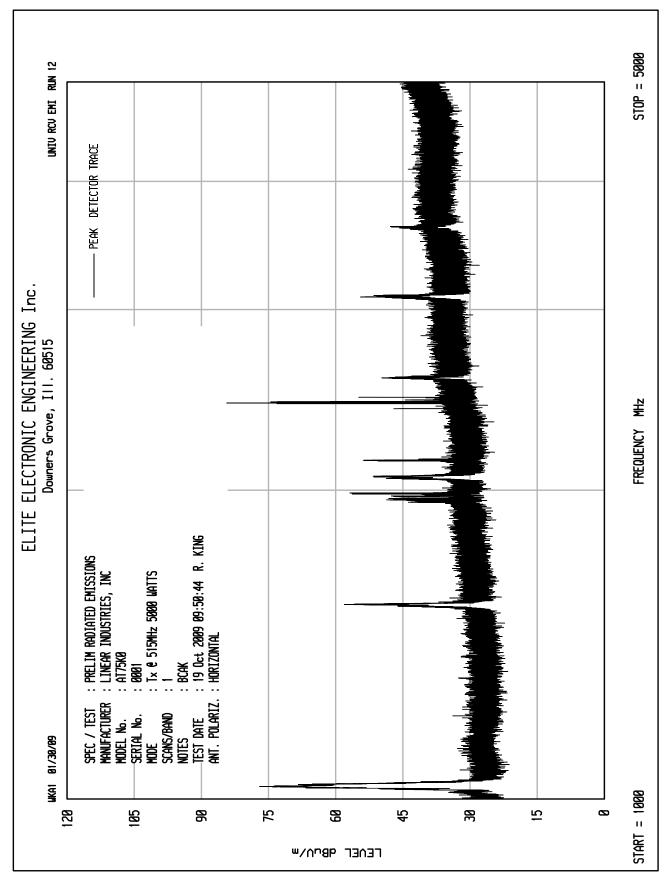




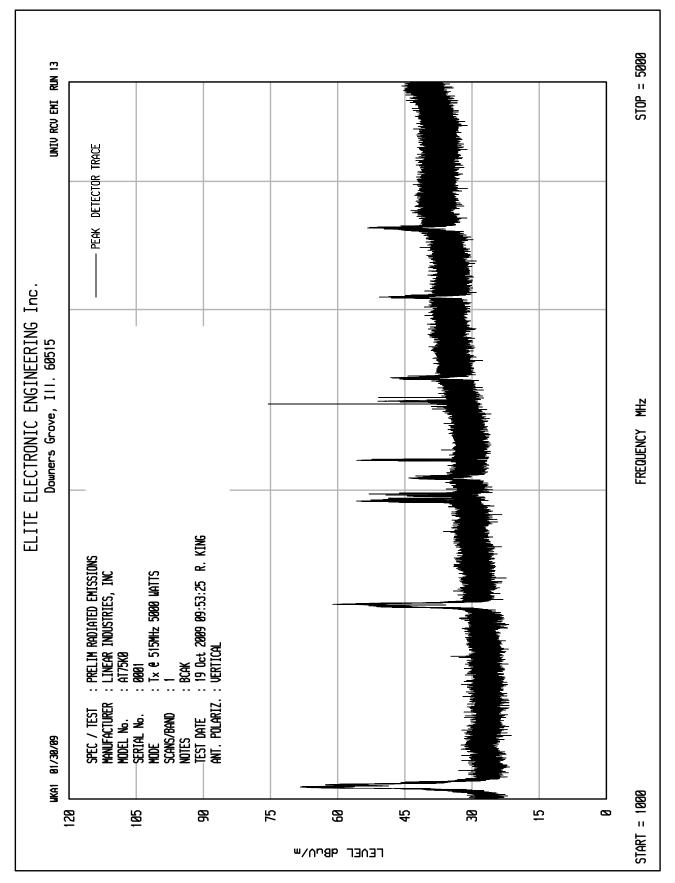




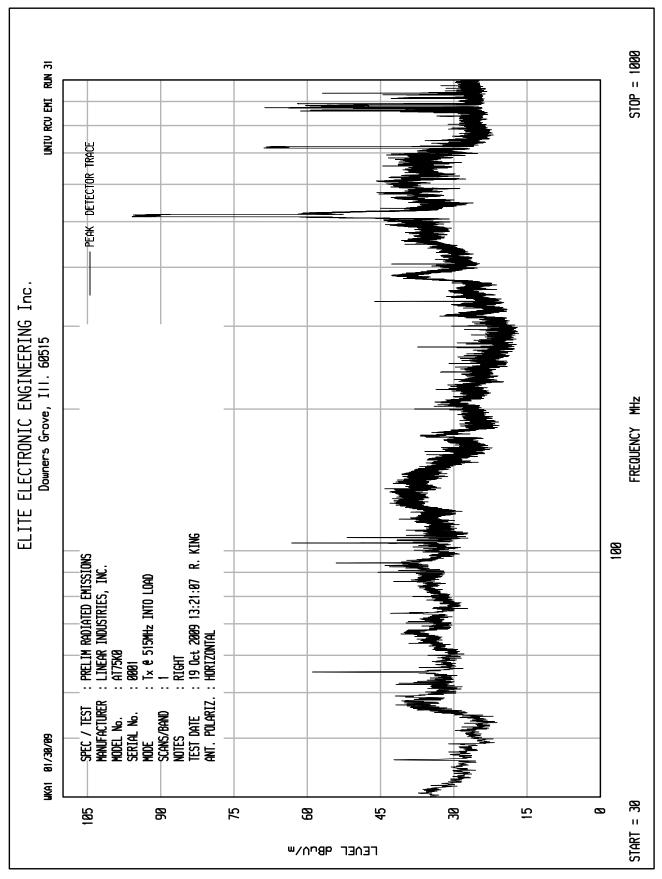




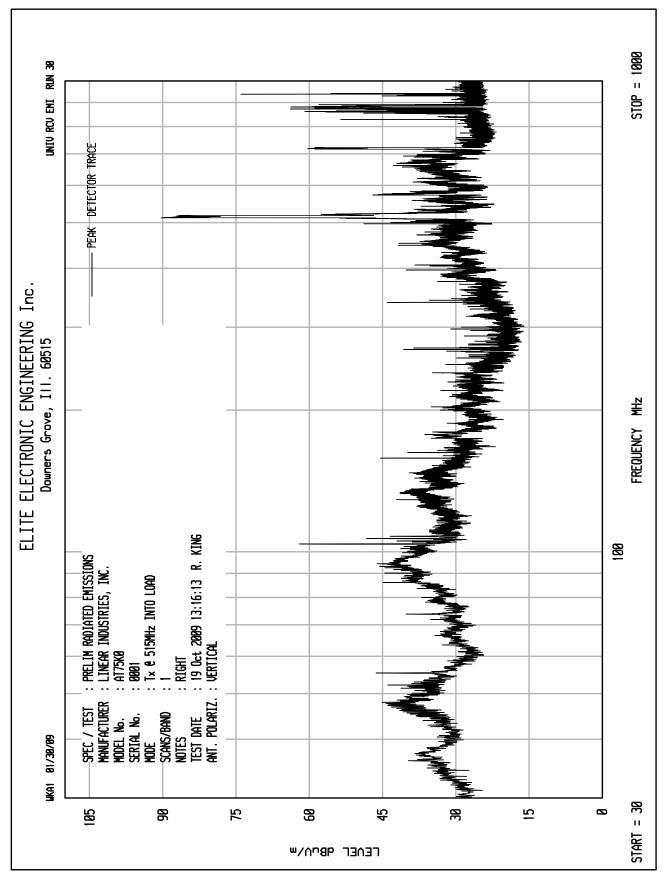




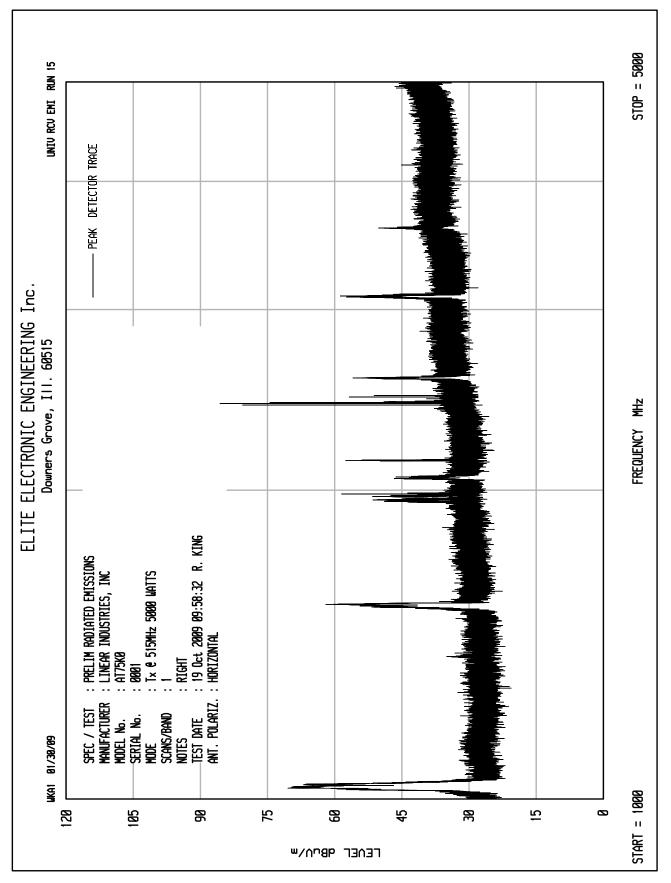




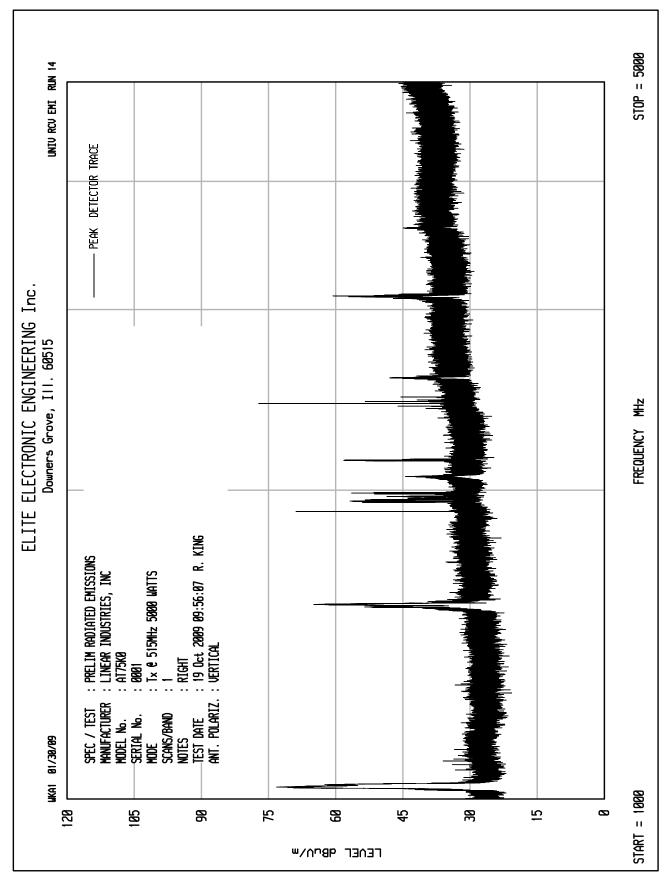














MANUFACTURER : Linear Industries, Inc.

MODEL : AT75K0 Digital Television Transmitter **SPECIFICATION** : FCC Part 74 Spurious Radiated Emissions

: October 19, 2009 DATE

: Transmit at Channel 515MHz, 5000 Watts NOTES

: Test Distance is 3 meters

				Matched				
Freq (MHz)	Ant Pol	Meter Reading (dBuV)	Ambient	SIG. GEN. (dB)	Ant Gain (dB)	CBL (dB)	Total* (dBm)	Limit** (dBm)
1030.0	Н	65.9		-6.2	2.4	1.5	-5.3	7.0
1030.0	V	64.5		-7.4	2.4	1.5	-6.5	7.0
1545.0	Н	52.2		-20.3	4.9	1.9	-17.3	7.0
1545.0	V	51.6		-21.7	4.9	1.9	-18.7	7.0
2060.0	Н	42.4		-29.8	5.3	2.3	-26.8	7.0
2060.0	V	37.8		-32.0	5.3	2.3	-29.0	7.0
2575.0	Н	41.9		-27.0	5.4	2.7	-24.4	7.0
2575.0	V	40.7		-26.5	5.4	2.7	-23.9	7.0
3090.0	Н	41.6		-24.1	5.6	3.1	-21.6	7.0
3090.0	V	40.9		-23.5	5.6	3.1	-21.0	7.0
3605.0	Н	39.7		-25.6	6.7	3.3	-22.2	7.0
3605.0	V	37.3		-28.0	6.7	3.3	-24.6	7.0
4120.0	Н	39.8		-24.2	7.4	3.6	-20.5	7.0
4120.0	V	37.2		-27.1	7.4	3.6	-23.4	7.0
4635.0	Н	22.9		-42.1	8.2	4.0	-37.8	7.0
4635.0	V	22.1		-44.5	8.2	4.0	-40.2	7.0
5150.0	Н	23.1		-40.5	7.7	4.3	-37.0	7.0
5150.0	V	22.2		-42.2	7.7	4.3	-38.7	7.0

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<sup>\*</sup> ERP = matched signal + antenna gain - cable loss \*\* Limit = Power (dBm) - 60dB = 67dBm (5000 W) - 60dB = 7dBm