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Measured Radio Frequency Emissions From

HyperLink/Lucent Extended Range Radio Class II Permissive Change Model WL2401

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Summary

Tests for compliance with FCC Regulations, according to Part 15 (15.247), and with Industry Canada Regulations, RSS-210 (Issue 5, Draft 1, Section 6.2.2 (o)) were performed on HyperLink spread spectrum RF Extended Range LAN System. These tests are in support of a Class II Permissive Change/Reassessment. Two new antennas are being added to the system already approved.

In testing performed June 18, 2001 through June 21, 2001, the worst-case radiated emissions in restricted bands were met by 5.9 dB (see p. 8).

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1. Introduction

HyperLink/Lucent Extended Range Radio, Model WL2401, was tested for compliance with FCC Regulations, Part 15, adopted under Docket 87-389, April 18, 1989, and with Industry Canada RSS-210, Issue 5, Draft 1, Section 6.2.2 (t1), dated December 2000. The tests were performed at the University of Michigan Radiation Laboratory Willow Run Test Range following the procedures described in ANSI C63.4-1992 "Methods of Measurement of Radio-Noise Emissions from Low-Voltage Electrical and Electronic Equipment in the Range of 9 kHz to 40 GHz". The Site description and attenuation characteristics of the Open Site facility are on file with FCC Laboratory, Columbia, Maryland (FCC Reg. No: 91050) and with Industry Canada, Ottawa, ON (File Ref. No: IC 2057).

2. Test Procedure and Equipment Used

The test equipment commonly used in our facility is listed in Table 2.1 below. The second column identifies the specific equipment used in these tests. The HP 8593E spectrum analyzer is used for primary amplitude and frequency reference.

Table 2.1 Test Equipment

Test Instrument	Equipment <u>Used</u>	Manufacturer/Model	Cal. Date/By
Spectrum Analyzer		Hewlett-Packard 8593A	December 2000/UM
(9kHz-22GHz)		SN: 3107A01358	
Spectrum Analyzer	X	Hewlett-Packard 8593E	December 2000/HP
(9kHz-26GHz)		SN: 3107A01131	
Spectrum Analyzer		Hewlett-Packard 182T/8558B	December 2000/UM
(0.1-1500 MHz)		SN: 1529A01114/543592	
Preamplifier		Watkins-Johnson	December 2000/UM
(5-1000MHz)		A11 -1 plus A25-1S	
Preamplifier		Avantek	Oct. 1999/ U of M Rad Lab
(5-4000 MHz)			
Power Meter	X	Hewlett-Packard 432A	Dec. 2000/U of M Rad Lab
w/ Thermistor		Hewlett-Packard 478A	
Peak Power Meter	X	Pacific Instruments 1018B	Dec. 2000/U of M Rad Lab
w/ Sensor			1 1000 MI CM D 11 1
Broadband Bicone		University of Michigan	June 1999/U of M Rad Lab
(20-200 MHz)		77.1	I 1000/II - FM D1I - h
Broadband Bicone		University of Michigan	June 1999/U of M Rad Lab
(200-1000 MHz)		TT 1	I 2000/III
Dipole Antenna Set		University of Michigan	June 2000/UM
(25-1000 MHz)		EV 600 2121 C	T 2000/// IN /
Dipole Antenna Set		EMCO 3121C	June 2000/UM
(30-1000 MHz)	V	CA M LICCII 2.6	Manufacturan NDI design
S-Band Std. Gain Horn		S/A, Model SGH-2.6	Manufacturer, NRL design
C-Band Std. Gain Horr		University of Michigan	Manufacturer, NRL design
XN-Band Std. Gain Ho		University of Michigan	Manufacturer, NRL design
X-Band Std. Gain Horr		S/A, Model 12-8.2	Manufacturer, NRL design
Ku-Band Std. Gain Hor		University of Michigan	Manufacturer, NRL design
K-Band Std. Gain Horr	ı X	University of Michigan	Manufacturer, NRL design
Ridge-horn Antenna		University of Michigan	February 1991/U of M Rad Lab
(0.5-5 GHz)			D COOCH CMD II I
LISN Box		University of Michigan	Dec. 2000/U of M Rad Lab
Signal Generator		Hewlett-Packard 8657B	January 2000/Uof M Rad Lab
(0.1-2060 MHz)			1000/17
Printer	X	Hewlett-Packard 2225A	August 1989/HP

3. Configuration and Identification of Device Under Test

The DUT is a spread spectrum RF wireless link operating in 2400 - 2483.5 MHz band. The system tested consisted of a laptop computer, Lucent radio, 10-foot coax cable (attached to antenna), 250 mW amplifier, and (choice of) an antenna. Figure 3.1 shows the block diagram of the basic system. The system has been designed to operate from 2422 to 2452 MHz.

The DUT was designed and manufactured by Hyperlink Technologies Inc., 1200 Clint Moore Rd., Suite 14, Boca Raton, FL 33687. It is identified as:

HyperLink/Lucent Extended Range Radio

Model: WL2401 SN: Proto6

FCC ID: MYF-WL2401

There were 2 combinations, varying in antenna used.

With components evaluated:

Lucent RF Card

WaveLan

IBM Laptop

Model: IBM Thinkpad 710C

Amplifier, HyperAmp

DC Injector, HyperLink

Model 2404

Power Supply for HyperLink Amplifier

DVE, Model: SDSA-0301-12

Pigtail Cable from Radio to DC Injector

Antennas

Antenna, Omni, V-pol

Model: HG 2403MU, 3.0 dBi

Antenna, Omni, V-pol

Model: HG 2405MU, 5.0 dBi

SN: 994T12466095

FCC ID: IMRWLPCE24H

SN: 23-RYY74

FCC ID: ANO263OCS

SN: 005233

FCC ID: MYF-WL2401

SN: N/A

SN: 4497

3.1 EMI Relevant Modifications

None

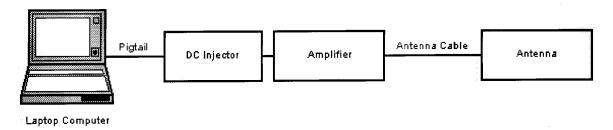


Figure 3.1 Diagram of System

4. Emission Limits

4.1 Radiated Emission Limits

Since the DUT is a spread spectrum device (15.247, 2.4 GHz), the radiated emissions are subject to emissions in restricted bands only (15.205). The applicable frequencies, through ten harmonics, are given below in Table 4.1. Emission limits from digital circuitry are specified in Table 4.2.

Table 4.1 Radiated Emission Limits (FCC:15.205; IC:RSS-210, 6.3) - Transmitter

Frequency	Funda Ave. E _{li}		Spurious* Ave. E _{lim} (3m)			
(MHz)	(μV/m)	dB (μV/m)	(μV/m)	dB (μV/m)		
2400-2483.5						
2310-2390	Restricted		500	54.0		
2483.5-2500	Bands					
4500-5250	Bands					
7250-7750			500	54.0		
14470-14500						
17700-21400	Restricted					
22010-23120	Bands					
23600-24000						

^{*} Measure up to tenth harmonic; 1 MHz res. BW, 100 Hz video BW (for average detection)

Table 4.2 Radiated Emission Limits (FCC:15.109;IC: RSS-210, 7.3) - Digital device.

Frequency	Class A	ls = 10 m	Class B	ds = 3 m
(MHz)	(µV/m)	dB (μV/m)	(µV/m)	dB (μV/m)
30-88	90	39.0	100	40.0
88-216	150	43.5	150	43.5
219-960	210	46.4	200	46.0
960-	300	49.5	500	54.0

120 kHz BW up to 1 GHz, 1 MHz BW above 1 GHz

5. Radiated Emission Tests and Results

5.1 Anechoic Chamber Measurements

In our chamber, there is a set-up similar to that of an outdoor 3-meter site, with a turntable, an antenna mast, and a ground plane. Instrumentation includes spectrum analyzers and other equipment as needed. For these tests the receiver (horn) antennas were placed on a Styrofoam block, at about 1.2 m height, and the DUT on a turntable at 3 meter distance, then moved to 1 m distance, if needed.

Standard gain horn antennas were used for the measurements. Up to 7 GHz the horns were connected to a spectrum analyzer via RG-214 coaxial cable, and above 7 GHz a pre-amp was added. The cables and the pre-amplifier used were specially calibrated for these tests using a network analyzer.

The DUT antenna was rotated in all possible ways and the maximum emission recorded. A photograph in Appendix (last page of the report) shows the measurement set-up.

5.2 Outdoor Measurements

None made

5.3 Computations and Results

To convert the dBm measured on the spectrum analyzer to $dB(\mu V/m)$, we use expression

$$E_3(dB\mu V/m) = 107 + P_R + K_A - K_G + K_E$$

where

P_R = power recorded on spectrum analyzer, dB, measured at 3m

 K_A = antenna factor, dB/m

KG = pre-amplifier gain, including cable loss, dB

KE = pulse operation correction factor, dB

When presenting the data, the dominant measured emissions at each frequency, under all of the possible orientations, are given. Computations and results are given in Tables 5.1 through 5.2. There we see that in the worst case the DUT meets the limit by 5.9 dB at 2390 MHz in Table 5.1.

Note, that besides the emission measurements, each table contains the frequency range of operation (in upper section of the table).

6. Other Measurements and Computations

6.1 Peak-to-Average Ratio (15.35(b))

For the measurements presented here for emissions in restricted bands, the DUT was programmed to

transmit continuous, and such was verified with spectrum analyzer set to zero-span mode. See Figure 6.1. The average measurements were made using 1 MHz RBW and 100 Hz VBW (sometimes to 300 Hz -- it goes faster). The peak measurements, were made using 1 MHz RBW and 3 MHz VBW.

Typically the difference between peak and average was 12 to 13 dB, and never exceeded the 20 dB limit.

6.2 Potential Health Hazard EM Radiation Level

The following table summarizes the minimum separation distance for each antenna/amplifier system, as calculated from FCC OET Bulletin 65, Appendix B, Table 1B.

Table 6.1 Potential Health Hazard Radiation Level

Ant.	Ant. Gain (dB)	Po(mW)	EIRP	R (cm)
03MU	3	250	0.50	6.30
05MU	5	250	0.79	7.93

6.3 Peak and Average Output Power (15.247(b))

For this measurement, the DUT was set in a test mode for continuous data transmission. A peak (diode detector) power meter and a bolometer type (average) microwave power meter were connected where the antenna attaches to the system. The power was measured for the 250 mW amplifier. No cable was used in measurement, as the cable is attached to the antenna. Since the DUT transmits in continuous mode, there is no adjustment needed to the readings. Table 6.2, below, presents the results. The Limit is 30dBm.

Table 6.2 Peak and Average Output Power (Antenna Conducted)

Freq (MHz)	Avg. P(dBm)	Peak P(dBm)	Comment
2422	23.2	25.0	
2437	23.5	25.2	(250 mW Amp)
2452	24.1	25.5	

6.4 RF Antenna Conducted Spurious Emissions (15.247(c))

For this test, the DUT was put in a test mode for continuous data transmission. The spectrum analyzer was connected where the antenna attaches to the system. The analyzer was set for RBW=VBW=100 kHz, the frequency was swept from 0 to 25 GHz. Emissions were measured for lowest, mid, and highest channels used in the system. See Figures 6.3 through 6.5. In the plots, only the fundamental is seen, the rest is noise. In all cases, the noise is at least 35 dB below the carrier. (Limit -20.0 dB below carrier).

The Figure 6.6 shows the band-edge scans at lower and upper edges.

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Table 5.1 Highest Emissions Measured

	Radiated Emissions HL/Lucent; 03MU										HL/Lucent; 03MUA250
	Freq. Ant. Ant. Ave Peak Ka Kg E3 E3lim Pass										
#	MHz	Used	Pol.	dBm		dB/m	dB	dΒμV/m	dBµV/m	dB	Comments
1								'	•		
2	2422.0										Low channel
3		1									Mid channel
4	2452.0										High channel
5										-	
6	2390.0	HornS	H/V	-81.0		21.5	- 0.6	48.1	54.0	5.9	Low
7		HornS	H/V	-84.4		21.5	- 0.6	44.7	54.0	9.3	Mid
8		HornS	H/V	-84.3		21.5	- 0.6	44.8	54.0	9.2	High
9		HornS	H/V	-84.3		21.5	- 0.6	44.8	54.0	9.2	Low
10		HornS	H/V	-85.3		21.5	- 0.6	43.8	54.0	10.2	Mid
11	2483.5	HornS	H/V	-81.1		21.5	- 0.6	48.0	54.0	6.0	High
12	4844.0	HornC	H/V	-86.2		25.5	37.0	9.3	54.0	44.7	Low, noise
13	4874.0	HornC	H/V	-86.2		25.5	37.0	9.3	54.0	44.7	Mid, noise
14	4904.0	HornC	H/V	-86.2		25.5	37.0	9.3	54.0	44.7	High, noise
15	7266.0	HornXN	H/V	-78.1		25.5	36.0	18.4	54.0	35.6	Low, noise
16	7311.0	HornXN	H/V	-78.2		25.5	36.0	18.3	54.0	35.7	Mid, noise
17	7356.0	HomXN	H/V	-78.2		25.5	36.0	18.3	54.0	35.7	High, noise
18	12110.0	HornX	H/V	-73.6		25.5	34.0	24.9	54.0	29.1	Low, noise
19	12185.0	HornX	H/V	-73.4		25.5	34.0	25.1	54.0	28.9	Mid, noise
20	12260.0	HornX	H/V	-73.4		25.5	34.0	25.1	54.0	28.9	High, noise
21	14532.0	HornKu	H/V	-77.0		25.5	17.3	38.2	54.0	15.8	Low, noise
22	19376.0	HornK	H/V	-74.0		32.3	32.0	33.3	54.0	20.7	Low, noise
23	19496.0	HornK	H/V	-72.0		32.3	32.0	35.3	54.0	18.7	Mid, noise
24	19616.0	HornK	H/V	-72.6		32.3	32.0	34.7	54.0	19.3	High, noise
25	22041.0	HornK	H/V	-67.7		32.3	32.0	39.6	54.0	14.4	High, noise
26											
27											
28							* Ave: n	neasured v	vith 1 MF	Iz RBV	V and 100 Hz VBW
29							* Peak: r	neasured v	with 1 M	Hz RBV	W and 3 MHz VBW
30											
31	Configuration:										
32		Pwr feed	Coax	Amp		Ant					
33		yes	10 ft	250.0		03 MU					
34											
35											
36											
37											

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Table 5.2 Highest Emissions Measured

	Radiated Emissions HL										HL/Lucent; 05MUA250
	Freq.	Ant.	Ant.	Ave	Peak	Ka	Kg	E3	E3lim	Pass	<u> </u>
#	MHz	Used	Pol.	dBm	dBm	dB/m	dB	dΒμV/m	dΒμV/m	dB	Comments
1											
2	2422.0										Low channel
3	2437.0										Mid channel
4	2452.0										High channel
5											
6	2390.0	HornS	H/V	-83.1		21.5	- 0.6	46.0	54.0	8.0	Low
7	2390.0	HornS	H/V	-85.3		21.5	- 0.6	43.8	54.0	10.2	Mid
8	2390.0	HornS	H/V	-85.6		21.5	- 0.6	43.5	54.0	10.5	High
9	2483.5	HornS	H/V	-85.5		21.5	- 0.6	43.6	54.0	10.4	Low
10	2483.5	HornS	H/V	-86.2		21.5	- 0.6	42.9	54.0	11.1	Mid
11	2483.5	HornS	H/V	-83.9		21.5	- 0.6	45.2	54.0	8.8	High
12	4844.0	HornC	H/V	-85.8		25.5	37.0	9.7	54.0	44.3	Low, noise
13	4874.0	HornC	H/V	-85.9		25.5	37.0	9.6	54.0	44.4	Mid, noise
14	4904.0	HornC	H/V	-86.1		25.5	37.0	9.4	54.0	44.6	High, noise
15	7266.0	HornXN	H/V	-78.0		25.5	36.0	18.5	54.0	35.5	Low, noise
16	7311.0	HornXN	H/V	-78.2		25.5	36.0	18.3	54.0	35.7	Mid, noise
17	7356.0	HornXN	H/V	-78.2		25.5	36.0	18.3	54.0	35.7	High, noise
18	12110.0	HornX	H/V	-73.2		25.5	34.0	25.3	54.0	28.7	Low, noise
19	12185.0	HornX	H/V	-73.4		25.5	34.0	25.1	54.0	28.9	Mid, noise
20	12260.0	HornX	H/V	-73.3		25.5	34.0	25.2	54.0	28.8	High, noise
21	14532.0	HornKu	H/V	-76.9		25.5	17.3	38.3	54.0	15.7	Low, noise
22	19376.0	HornK	H/V	-73.8		32.3	32.0	33.5	54.0	20.5	Low, noise
23	19496.0	HornK	H/V	-72.2		32.3	32.0	35.1	54.0	18.9	Mid, noise
24	19616.0	HornK	H/V	-72.2		32.3	32.0	35.1	54.0	18.9	High, noise
25	22041.0	HomK	H/V	-67.2		32.3	32.0	40.1	54.0	13.9	High, noise
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27											
28							* Ave: m	easured w	ith 1 MF	Iz RBW	V and 100 Hz VBW
29							* Peak: r	neasured v	with 1 M	Hz RBV	W and 3 MHz VBW
30											
31	Configuration:										
32		Pwr feed	Coax	Amp	-	Ant					
33		yes	10 ft	250.0		05MU					
34											
35											
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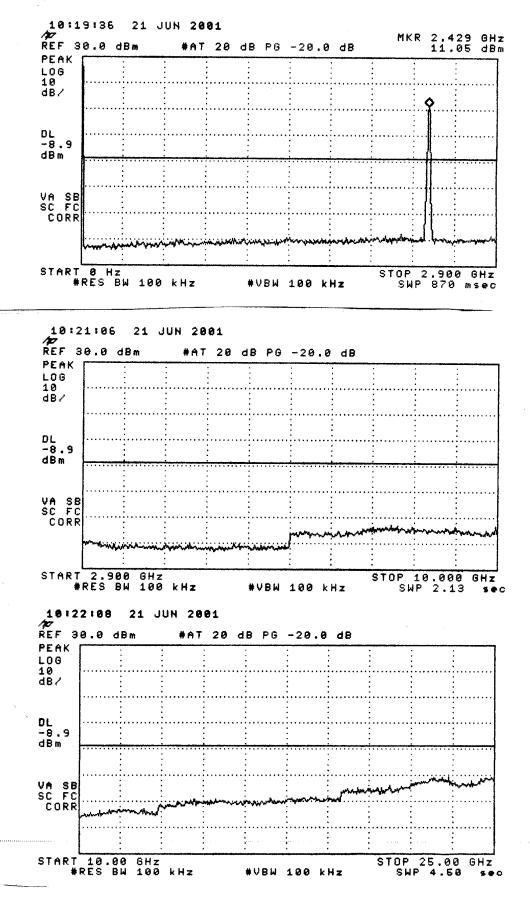


Figure 6.3 Antenna conducted spurious emissions, low channel.

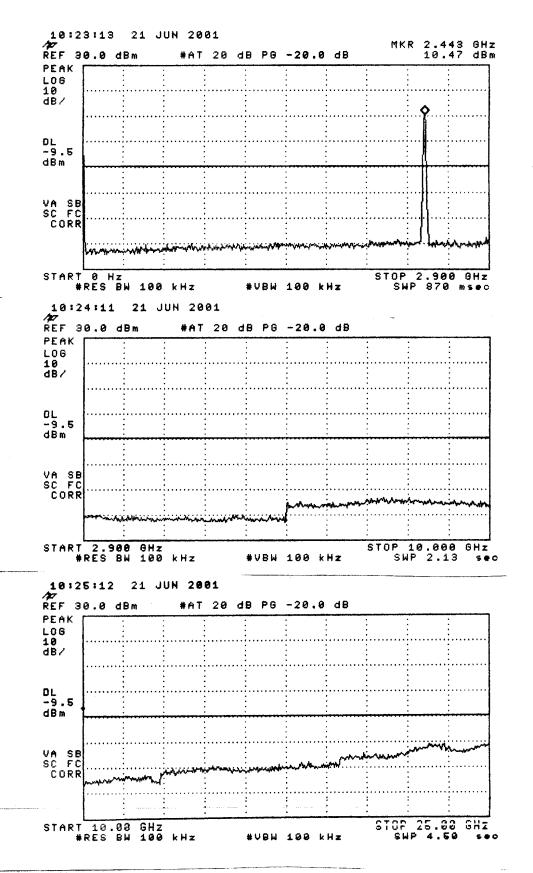


Figure 6.4 Antenna conducted spurious emissions, mid channel.

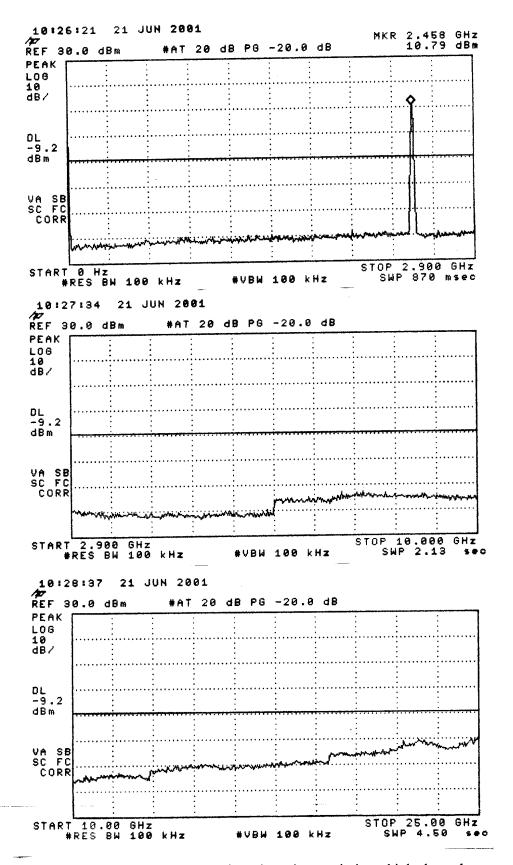
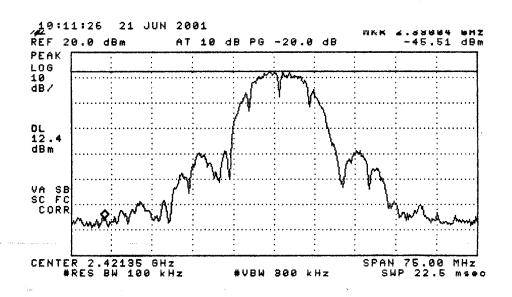


Figure 6.5 Antenna conducted spurious emissions, high channel.



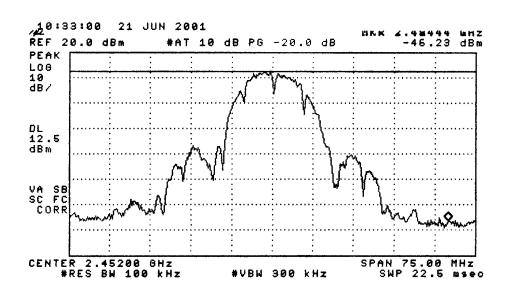


Figure 6.6 Band-edge behavior at low end and high end of the band.