

FCC CFR47 PART 22H AND 24E & INDUSTRY CANADA RSS-132 AND RSS-133

CERTIFICATION TEST REPORT

FOR

850/900/1800/1900/2100 MHZ MULTI-BAND MODULE

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1. ATTESTATION OF TEST RESULTS

COMPANY NAME: SIERRA WIRELESS

13811 WIRELESS WAY

RICHMOND, BC V6V 3A4, CANADA

EUT DESCRIPTION: 850/900/1800/1900/2100 MHz MULTI-BAND MODULE

MODEL: MC8781

SERIAL NUMBER: S3505870144E3

DATE TESTED: MARCH 27-28, 2007

APPLICABLE STANDARDS

STANDARD TEST RESULTS

FCC PART 22H and 24E NO NON-COMPLIANCE NOTED

(Radiated Portion)

IC RSS-132 ISSUE 2 and RSS-133 ISSUE 3 NO NON-COMPLIANCE NOTED

(Radiated Portion)

Compliance Certification Services, Inc. tested the above equipment in accordance with the requirements set forth in the above standards. The test results show that the equipment tested is capable of demonstrating compliance with the requirements as documented in this report.

Note: The results documented in this report apply only to the tested sample, under the conditions and modes of operation as described herein. This document may not be altered or revised in any way unless done so by Compliance Certification Services and all revisions are duly noted in the revisions section. Any alteration of this document not carried out by Compliance Certification Services will constitute fraud and shall nullify the document. No part of this report may be used to claim product certification, approval, or endorsement by NVLAP, NIST, or any government agency.

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2. TEST METHODOLOGY

The tests documented in this report were performed in accordance with TIA/EIA 603C (2004), ANSI C63.4-2003, FCC CFR 47 Part 2, FCC CFR 47 Part 15 and FCC CFR 47 Part 22H, 24E, RSS-GEN, RSS132, & RSS133

3. FACILITIES AND ACCREDITATION

The test sites and measurement facilities used to collect data are located at 47173 Benicia Street, Fremont, California, USA. The sites are constructed in conformance with the requirements of ANSI C63.4, ANSI C63.7 and CISPR Publication 22. All receiving equipment conforms to CISPR Publication 16-1, "Radio Interference Measuring Apparatus and Measurement Methods."

CCS is accredited by NVLAP, Laboratory Code 200065-0. The full scope of accreditation can be viewed at http://www.ccsemc.com.

4. CALIBRATION AND UNCERTAINTY

4.1. MEASURING INSTRUMENT CALIBRATION

The measuring equipment utilized to perform the tests documented in this report has been calibrated in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations, and is traceable to recognized national standards.

4.2. MEASUREMENT UNCERTAINTY

Where relevant, the following measurement uncertainty levels have been estimated for tests performed on the apparatus:

PARAMETER	UNCERTAINTY
Radiated Emission, 30 to 200 MHz	+/- 3.3 dB
Radiated Emission, 200 to 1000 MHz	+4.5 / -2.9 dB
Radiated Emission, 1000 to 2000 MHz	+4.5 / -2.9 dB
Radiated Emission Above 2000 MHz	+/- 3.4 dB
Power Line Conducted Emission	+/- 2.9 dB

Uncertainty figures are valid to a confidence level of 95%.

5. EQUIPMENT UNDER TEST

5.1. DESCRIPTION OF EUT

The EUT is an 850/900/1800/1900/2100 MHz multi-band module and manufactured by Sierra Wireless, Inc.

The module supports GSM, GPRS, EGPRS and UMTS. Device capabilities are documented in the theory of operation

Only the 850/1900 MHz frequency bands were investigated under this project, and the test result documented in this report only applies to EUT operating in the 850/1900 MHz frequency bands. This device contains 900 MHz /1800 MHz/2100 MHz functions but these frequency bands are not operational in the U.S. territories.

5.2. SOFTWARE AND FIRMWARE

This procedure assumes the Agilent 8960 Test Set has the following applications installed and with valid license.

GPRS Mode

- Call Setup > Shift & Preset
- Active Cell > Active Cell (GPRS)
- Connection Type > ETSI Type A
- BCH Parameters > Cell Band > PCS or GSM850 (US band)
- TCH Parameters > Traffic Band > PCS or GSM850 (US band)
 - > MS TX Level > 3 (33dBm for Cell band); 3 (30dBm for PCS band)
- PDTCH > Multislot Config > 1 Down, 4 Up
 - > MS TX Level > 3 (33dBm Cell band); 3 (30dBm PCS band)
 - > Coding Scheme > CS-4
- Press "Start Data Connection"

EGPRS Mode

- Call Setup > Shift & Preset
- Active Cell > Active Cell (EGPRS)
- Connection Type > ETSI Type A
- BCH Parameters > Cell Band > PCS or GSM850 (US band)
- TCH Parameters > Traffic Band > PCS or GSM850 (US band)
 - > MS TX Level > 6 (27dBm Cell band); 5 (26dBm PCS band)
- PDTCH > Multislot Config > 1 Down, 4 Up
 - > MS TX Level > 6 (27dBm Cell band); 5 (26dBm PCS band)
 - > Modulation Coding Scheme > Downlink > As Uplink
 - > Uplink > MSC-5 (8PSK)
- Press "Start Data Connection" and you will see "Transferring"

UMTS

- Call Setup > Shift & Preset
- Cell Parameters: PS Domain Information > Present
 - ATT (IMSI Attach) Flag State > Set
- Security Parameter System Operations > None
- Channel Type:
 - RMC: 12.2k, 64k, 144k, or 384k
 - AMC: 12.2 UL / 64/ DL AM RMC, 12.2 UL / 144/ DL AM RMC, or 12.2 UL / 384/ DL AM RMC,
- Paging Service: RB Test Mode
- Channel (UARFCN) Parms:

PCS band Cell band

DL Channel: 9662 / 9800 / 9938 / 4357 / 4407 / 4458

UL Channel: 9262 / 9400 / 9538 / 4132 / 4182 / 4233

- DL DTCH Data: All Ones
- RLC Reestablish: Off
- Call Limit State: Off
- Call Drop Timer: Off
 SRB Config.: 13.6k DCCH
 UE Target Power: 25 dBm
 UL CL Power Ctrl Parameters
 - UL CL Power Ctrl Mode: All Up Bits

HSDPA

- Uplink Parameter:
 - UPLINK DPCH Bc / Bd Control: Manual
 - Manual Uplink DPCH Bc: 9
 - Manual Uplink DPCH Bd: 15
- Channel Type: 12.2k+HSDPA
- HSDPA Parameters:
 - o HSDPA RB Test Mode Setup
 - HS-DSCH Configuration Type: FRC
 - FRC Type: H-Set 3
 - CN Domain: CS Domain
 - Uplink 64k DTCH for HSDPA Loopback State: On
 - HS-DSCH Data Pattern: All Ones
 - RLC Header on HS-DSCH: Present
 - HSDPA Uplink Parameters
 - DeltaACK: 5
 - DeltaNACK: 5
 - DeltaCQI: 2

5.3. DESCRIPTION OF TEST SETUP

SUPPORT EQUIPMENT

PERIPHERAL SUPPORT EQUIPMENT LIST						
Description Manufacturer Model Serial Number FC						
AC Adapter	ELPAC	FW1805	46688	NA		
Communications Test Set	Agilent	E5515C	10092	DoC		
Test Fixture	Sierra Wireless	Mini Card Dev Board	1201102 Rev 2.X	NA		

I/O CABLES

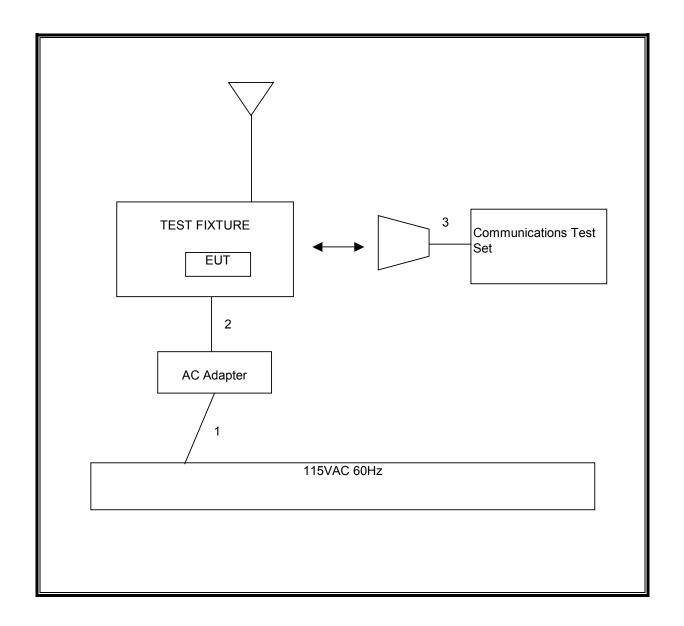
I/O CABLE LIST						
Cable No.	Port	# of Identical	Connector	Cable Type	Cable Length	Remarks
110.		Ports	Туре	Туре	Length	
1	AC	1	US 115V	Un-shielded	2m	NA
2	DC	1	DC	Un-shielded	2m	NA
3	RF In/Out	1	Horn	Un-shielded	2m	NA

TEST SETUP

The EUT module is installed in a test fixture during the tests. The Wireless Communication test set exercised the EUT.

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SETUP DIAGRAM FOR TESTS



6. TEST AND MEASUREMENT EQUIPMENT

The following test and measurement equipment was utilized for the tests documented in this report:

TEST EQUIPMENT LIST					
Description	Manufacturer Model		Serial Number	Cal Due	
Preamplifier, 1 ~ 26.5 GHz	Agilent / HP	8449B	3008A00561	10/03/07	
Antenna, Horn 1 ~ 18 GHz	EMCO	3115	6717	04/22/07	
Antenna, Horn 1 ~ 18 GHz	ETS	3117	35234	04/22/07	
Spectrum Analyzer 3 Hz ~ 44 GHz	Agilent / HP	E4446A	MY43360112	05/03/07	
Wireless Communications Test Set	Agilent	E5515C	10092	10/19/07	
2.7GHz HPF	MicroTronic	HPM13194	2	CNR	
1.5GHz HPF	MicroTronic	HPM13195	1	CNR	
Signal Generator 2 -40 GHz	R & S	SMP04	DE 34210	06/02/07	
Signal Generator 1024 MHz	R & S	SMY01	DE 12311	05/11/07	
Dipole	EMCO	3121C-DB2	22435	06/25/07	

7. LIMITS AND RESULTS

7.1. FIELD STRENGTH OF SPURIOUS RADIATION

LIMIT

22.917 (e), §24.238 (a), RSS-132 § 4.5.1, & RSS-133 § 6.5.1 (a) (i) & (b): Out of band emissions. The power of any emission outside of the authorized operating frequency ranges must be attenuated below the transmitting power (P) by a factor of at least $43 + 10 \log (P) dB$.

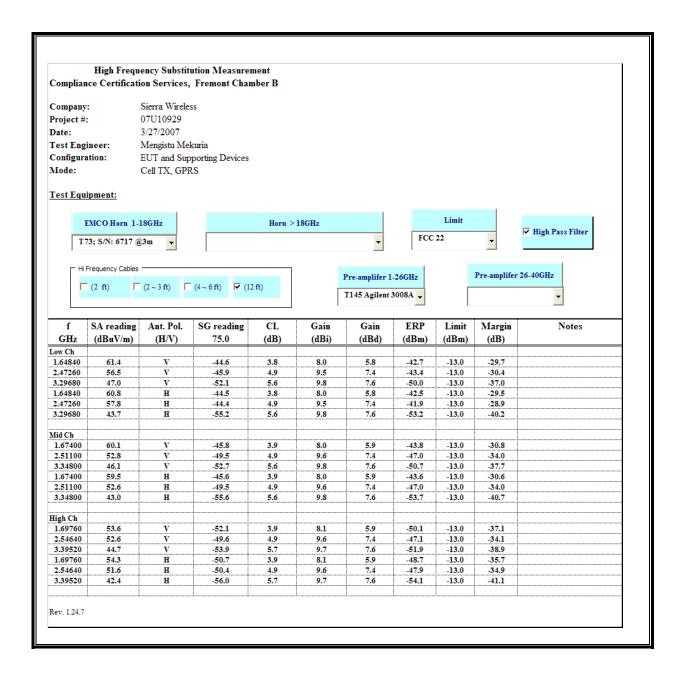
TEST PROCEDURE

RSS-132, RSS-133, & ANSI / TIA / EIA 603C Clause 2.2.12, FCC 22.917 (h), & FCC 24.238 (b)

RESULTS

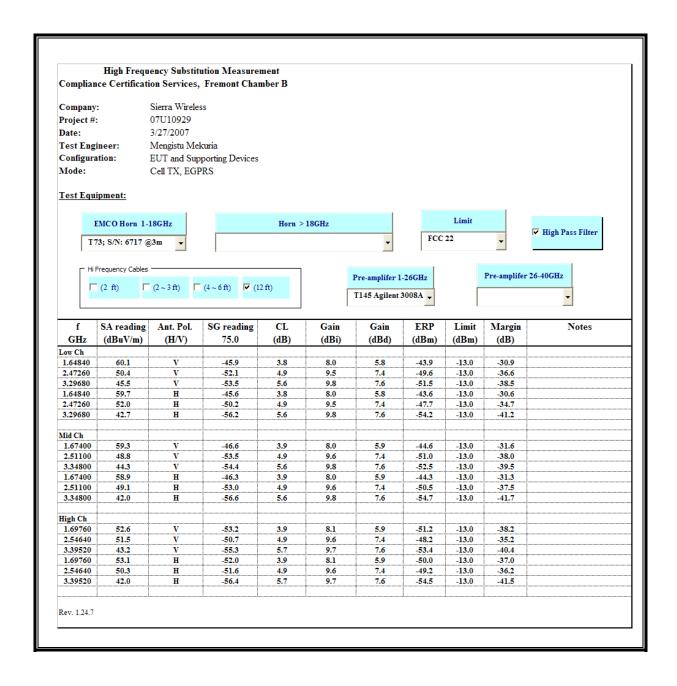
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GSM850 GPRS Spurious & Harmonic (ERP)



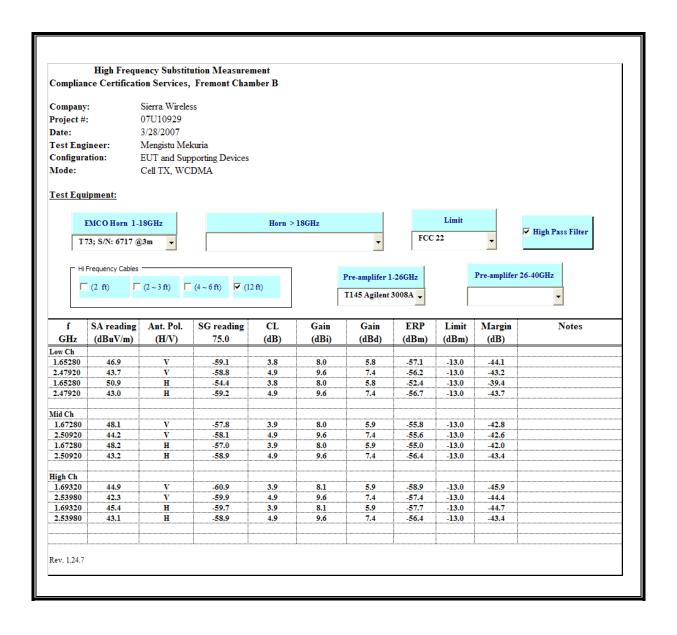
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GSM850 EGPRS Spurious & Harmonic (ERP)



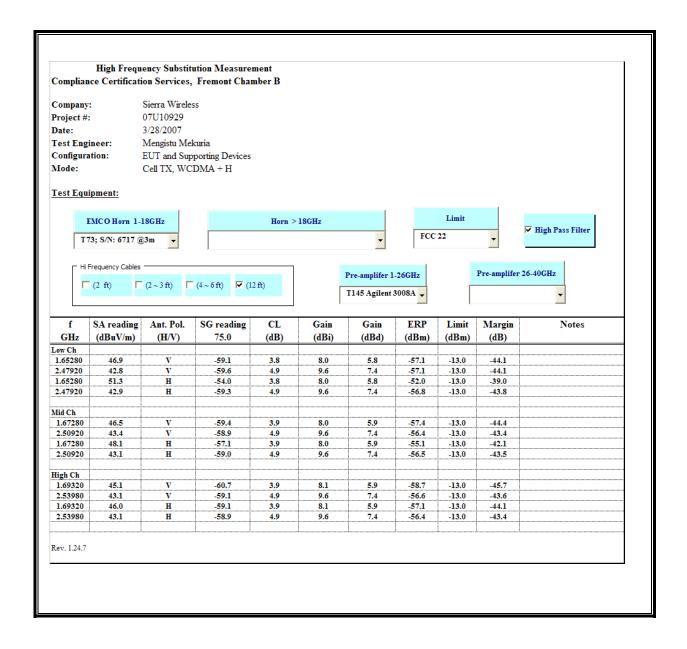
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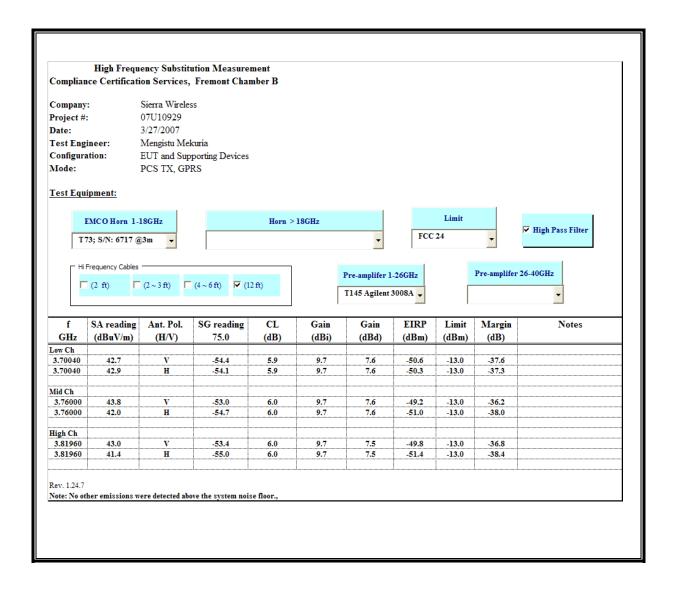


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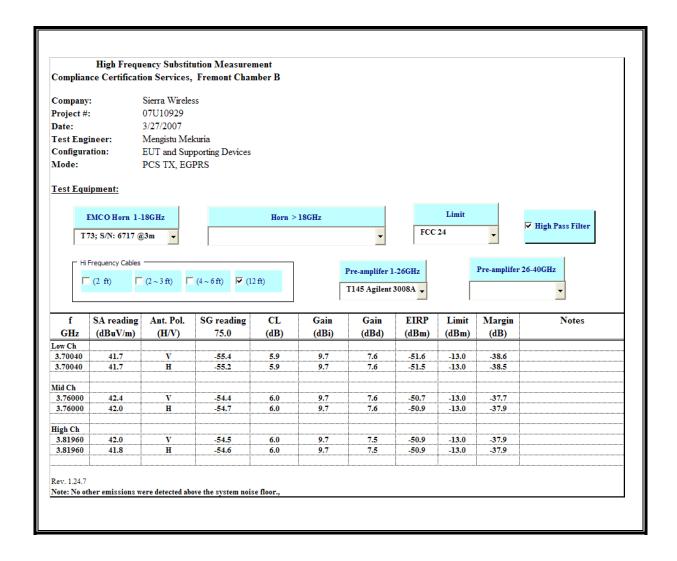
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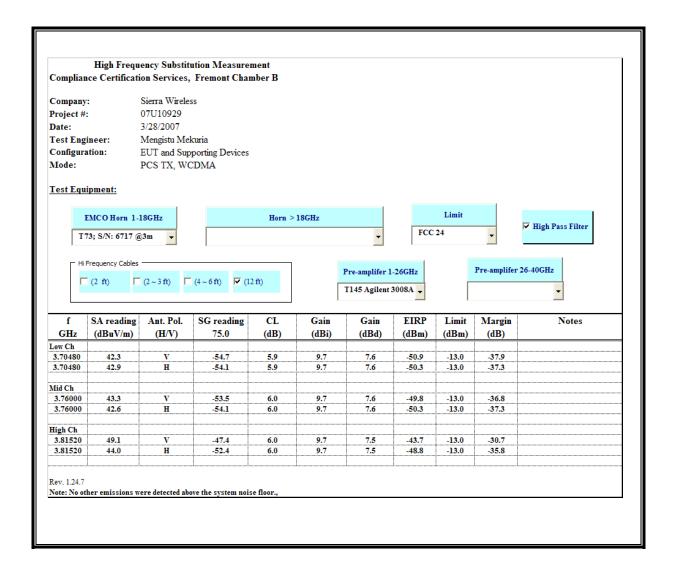
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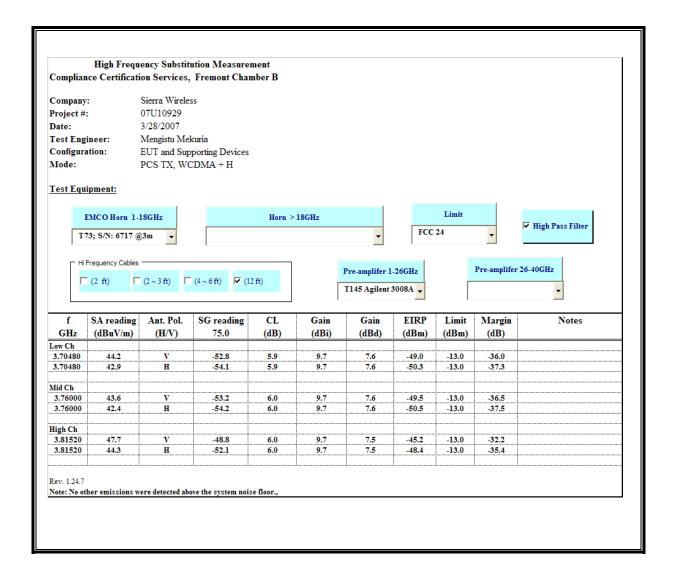
GSM1900 Band EGPRS Spurious & Harmonic (EIRP)



PCS Band WCDMA Spurious & Harmonic (EIRP)



PCS Band WCDMA+HSPDA Spurious & Harmonic (EIRP)



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