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FCC Measurement/Technical Report on

GSM/UMTS PC Express Card

Option GT Express

GE0421

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0 Summary

Technical Report Summary

Type of Authorization

Certification for an Unintentional Radiator (Class B digital device)

Applicable FCC Rules

Prepared in accordance with the requirements of FCC Rules and Regulations as listed in 47 CFR Ch.1 Parts 2 (10-1-07 Edition) and 15 (10-1-07 Edition). The following subparts are applicable to the results in this test report.

Part 2, Subpart J - Equipment Authorization Procedures, Certification

Part 15, Subpart A – General

§ 15.31 Measurement standards

§ 15.33 Frequency range of radiated measurements

Part 15, Subpart B – Unintentional Radiators

§ 15.101 Equipment authorization of unintentional radiators

§ 15.107 Conducted limits

§ 15.109 Radiated emission limits

Note:

None.

Summary Test Results:

The EUT complied with all performed tests as listed in chapter 0.2 Measurement Summary.

1.2 Measurement Summary

FCC Part 15, Subpart B		§ 15.107	
Conducted Emissions (AC power line)			
The measurement was performed according to ANSI C63.4			
OP-Mode	Setup	Port	2003 Final Result
op-mode 1	Setup_01	AC Port (power line)	passed

FCC Part 15, Subpart B		§ 15.109	
Spurious Radiated Emissions			
The measurement was performed according to ANSI C63.4			
OP-Mode	Setup	Port	2003 Final Result
op-mode 2	Setup_01	Enclosure	passed

n/a: not applicable

n/p: not performed

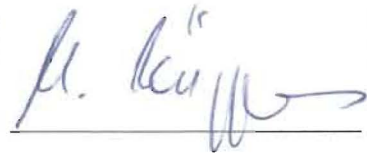


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1 Administrative Data

Testing Laboratory

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This facility has been fully described in a report submitted to the FCC and accepted under the registration number 96716.

The test facility is also accredited by the following accreditation organisation:
- Deutscher Akkreditierungs Rat DAR-Registration no. DAT-P-192/99-01

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Report Template Version: 2007-07-16

Project Data

Responsible for testing and report: Dr.-Ing. Michael Küppers
Date of Test(s): 2008-06-16 to 2008-06-20
Date of Report: 2008-06-20

Applicant Data

Company Name: Option NV
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Manufacturer Data

Company Name: please see applicant data
Address:
Contact Person:



2 Product labelling

FCC ID label

FCC ID: NCMOGE0421

Location of the label on the EUT

see above



3 Test object Data

General EUT Description

Equipment under Test	GSM/UMTS Data Card
Type Designation:	Type1 (Name of the Device)
Kind of Device: (optional)	GSM/EDGE 850/900/1800/1900 and FDD I, II and VIII with HSDPA and HSUPA
Voltage Type:	AC / DC
Voltage level:	115 V / 5.0 V

General product description:

The Equipment under Test (EUT) is a data card that supports GSM/EDGE 850/900/1800/1900 and FDD I, II and VIII with HSDPA and HSUPA. The manufacturer declared that nominal voltage is equal to high voltage.

In PCS1900 mode the EUT operates in blocks A through F from 1850.2 MHz (lowest channel = 512) to 1909.8 MHz (highest channel = 810).

In FDD II mode the EUT operates in channel blocks A through F from 1852.4 MHz (lowest channel = 9262) to 1907.6 MHz (highest channel = 9538).

The EUT provides the following ports:

Ports

Enclosure
AC Port (power line)

The main components of the EUT are listed and described in Chapter 3.2



EUT Main components

Type, S/N, Short Descriptions etc. used in this Test Report

Short Description	Equipment under Test	Type Designation	Serial No.	HW Status	SW Status	Date of Receipt
EUT A (Code: 37400L05)	Option GT Express	GE0421	IMEI: 0044014409 82730	3.1	1.2.4.0Hd	2008-05-26
Remark: EUT A is equipped with an integral antenna (gain= 2.3 dBi).						

NOTE: The short description is used to simplify the identification of the EUT in this test report.

Ancillary Equipment

For the purposes of this test report, ancillary equipment is defined as equipment which is used in conjunction with the EUT to provide operational and control features to the EUT. It is necessary to configure the system in a typical fashion, as a customer would normally use it. But nevertheless Ancillary Equipment can influence the test results.

Short Description	Equipment under Test	Type Designation	HW Status	SW Status	Serial no.	FCC ID
AE1	PC	Fujitsu Siemens C1410 WB3	-	-	YK5T053778	-
AE2	Monitor	LG Flatron L1740 BQ	-	-	509WANF1 W607	BEJL17NU
AE3	Mouse	Logitech M-BB48	-	-	LZC9050547 8	-
AE4	Keyboard	RS 6000 USB ON	-	-	G 0000273 2P28	-
AE5	Printer	EPSON Stylus C84	-	-	FBPT048906	-
AE6	AC Adaptor	ADp-80NB A	-	-	CP293661- 01	-
AE7	Card Adaptor			-		-

EUT Setups

This chapter describes the combination of EUTs and ancillary equipment used for testing.

Setup No.	Combination of EUTs	Description
Setup_01	EUTA + AE1+AE2+AE3+AE4+ AE5+AE6+AE7	setup for conducted and radiated measurements

Operating Modes

This chapter describes the operating modes of the EUTs used for testing.

Op. Mode	Description of Operating Modes	Remarks
op-mode 1	periodic operation	Transmitter is sending a pulse coded signal
op-mode 2	continuous operation	Transmitter is sending a CW signal



4 Test Results

4.1 Conducted emissions (AC power line)

Standard FCC Part 15, 10-1-07
 Subpart B

The test was performed according to: ANSI C 63.4, 2003

4.1.1 Test Description

The test set-up was made in accordance to the general provisions of ANSI C 63.4-2003. The Equipment Under Test (EUT) was setup in a shielded room to perform the conducted emissions measurements in a typical installation configuration. The EUT was powered from 50 μ H || 50 Ohm Line Impedance Stabilization Network (LISN). The LISN's unused connections were terminated with 50 Ohm loads.

The measurement procedure consists of two steps. It is implemented into the EMI test software ES-K1 from R&S.

Step 1: Preliminary scan

Intention of this step is, to determine the conducted EMI-profile of the EUT.

EMI receiver settings:

- Detector: Peak - Maxhold
- Frequency range: 150 kHz – 30 MHz
- Frequency steps: 5 kHz
- IF-Bandwidth: 9 kHz
- Measuring time / Frequency step: 20 ms
- Measurement on phase + neutral lines of the power cords

On basis of this preliminary scan the highest amplitudes and the corresponding frequencies relative to the limit are identified. Emissions above the limit and emissions which are in the 10 dB range below the limit are considered.

Step 2: Final measurement

Intention of this step is, to determine the highest emissions with the settings defined in the test specification for the frequencies identified in step 1.

EMI receiver settings:

- Detector: Quasi-Peak
- IF - Bandwidth: 9 kHz
- Measuring time: 1 s / frequency

At each frequency determined in step 1, four measurements are performed in the following combinations:

- 1) Neutral lead - reference ground (PE grounded)
- 2) Phase lead - reference ground (PE grounded)
- 3) Neutral lead - reference ground (PE floating)
- 4) Phase lead - reference ground (PE floating)

The highest value is reported.



4.1.2 Test Requirements / Limits

FCC Part 15, Subpart B, §15.107

Frequency Range (MHz)	QP Limit (dBµV)	AV Limit (dBµV)
0.15 – 0.5	66 to 56	56 to 46
0.5 – 5	56	46
5 – 30	60	50

Used conversion factor: Limit (dBµV) = 20 log (Limit (µV)/1µV).

4.1.3 Test Protocol

Temperature: 27°C
 Air Pressure: 1017 hPa
 Humidity: 35%

Op. Mode	Setup	Port
op-mode 1	Setup_01	AC Port (power line)

Power line	Frequency MHz	Measured value dBµV	Delta to limit dBµV	Remarks
-	-	-	-	-

Remark: Please see annex for the measurement plot.
 An empty table means that no final measurement was performed because no relevant frequencies (peaks) were found during the preliminary scan.

4.1.4 Test result: Conducted emissions (AC power line)

FCC Part 15, Subpart B	Op. Mode	Result
	op-mode 1	passed

4.2 Spurious radiated emissions

Standard FCC Part 15, 10-1-07
Subpart B

The test was performed according to: ANSI C 63.4, 2003

4.2.1 Test Description

Measurement below 1 GHz:

The test set-up was made in accordance to the general provisions of ANSI C 63.4-2003. The Equipment Under Test (EUT) was set up on a non-conductive table 1.0 x 2.0 m in the semi-anechoic chamber. The test was performed at the distance of 3 m between the EUT and the receiving antenna.

The radiated emissions measurements were made in a typical installation configuration. The measurement procedure is implemented into the EMI test software ES-K1 from R&S.

Step 1: Preliminary scan (test to identify the highest amplitudes relative to the limit)

Intention of this step is, to determine the radiated EMI-profile of the EUT.

Settings for step 1:

- Detector: Peak-Maxhold
- Frequency range: 30 – 1000 MHz
- Frequency steps: 60 kHz
- IF-Bandwidth: 120 kHz
- Measuring time / Frequency step: 100 μ s
- Turntable angle range: -180° to 180°
- Turntable step size: 90°
- Height variation range: 1 – 3 m
- Height variation step size: 2 m
- Polarisation: Horizontal + Vertical

On basis of this preliminary scan the highest amplitudes and the corresponding frequencies relative to the limit are identified. Emissions above the limit and emissions which are in the 10 dB range below the limit are considered.

Step 2:

A further measurement will be performed on the frequencies determined in step 1.

Intention of this step is, to find out the approximate turntable angle and antenna height for each frequency.

Settings for step 2:

- Detector: Peak – Maxhold
- Measured frequencies: in step 1 determined frequencies
- IF – Bandwidth: 120 kHz
- Measuring time: 100 ms
- Turntable angle range: -180° to 180°
- Turntable step size: 45°
- Height variation range: 1 – 4 m
- Height variation step size: 0.5 m
- Polarisation: horizontal + vertical

After this step the EMI test system has determined the following values for each frequency (of step 1):

- Frequency
- Azimuth value (of turntable)
- Antenna height

The last two values have now the following accuracy:

- Azimuth value (of turntable): 45°
- Antenna height: 0.5 m



Step 3: final measurement

In this step the accuracy of the turntable azimuth and antenna height will be improved. This is necessary to find out the maximum value of every frequency.

For each frequency, which was determined the turntable azimuth and antenna height will be adjusted. The turntable azimuth will be slowly varied by +/- 22.5° around this value. During this action the value of emission is continuously measured. The turntable azimuth at the highest emission will be recorded and adjusted. In this position the antenna height is also slowly varied by +/- 25 cm around the antenna height determined. During this action the value of emission is also continuously measured. The antenna height of the highest emission will also be recorded and adjusted.

- Detector: Peak – Maxhold
- Measured frequencies: in step 1 determined frequencies
- IF – Bandwidth: 120 kHz
- Measuring time: 100ms
- Turntable angle range: -22.5° to + 22.5 ° around the determined value
- Height variation range: -0.25m to + 0.25m around the determined value

Step 4: Final measurement (with QP detector)

With the settings determined in step 3, the final measurement will be performed:

EMI receiver settings for step 4:

- Detector: Quasi-Peak(< 1GHz)
- Measured frequencies: in step 3 determined frequencies
- IF – Bandwidth: 120 kHz
- Measuring time: 1 s

Measurement above 1 GHz:

The following modifications apply to the measurement procedure for the frequency range above 1 GHz:

The measurement distance was reduced to 1 m. The results were extrapolated by the extrapolation factor of 20 dB/decade (inverse linear-distance for field strength measurements, inverse-linear-distance-squared for the power density measurements). Due to the fact that in this frequency range a double ridged wave guided horn antenna (up to 18 GHz) and a horn antenna (18–25 GHz) are used, the steps 2-4 as described before, are omitted. Step 1 was performed at one height of the receiving antenna only.

Detector: Peak, Average (simultaneously)
RBW = VBW = 1 MHz; above 7 GHz 100 kHz



4.2.2 Test Requirements / Limits

FCC Part 15, Subpart B, §15.109, Radiated Emission Limits
 Frequency Range (MHz): Class B Limit (dBµV/m)

Frequency Range (MHz)	Class B Limit (dBµV/m)
30 – 88	40.0
88 – 216	43.5
216 – 960	46.0
above 960	54.0

§15.35(b)

..., there is also a limit on the radio frequency emissions, as measured using instrumentation with a peak detector function, corresponding to 20 dB above the maximum permitted average limit....

Used conversion factor: Limit (dBµV/m) = 20 log (Limit (µV/m)/1µV/m)

4.2.3 Test Protocol

Temperature: 27°C
 Air Pressure: 1017 hPa
 Humidity: 35%

Op. Mode	Setup	Port
op-mode 2	Setup_01	Enclosure

Polarisation	Frequency MHz	Corrected value dBµV/m			Limit dBµV/m	Limit dBµV/m	Limit dBµV/m	Delta to limit dB	Delta to limit dB
		QP	Peak	AV	QP	Peak	AV	QP/Peak	AV
Vertical	51.90	34.4			40.0			5.6	
Vertical	79.50	30.5			40.0			9.5	
Vertical	84.18	31.0			40.0			9.0	
Horizontal	166.56	36.0			43.5			7.5	
Horizontal	311.04	35.3			46.0			10.7	
Vertical	325.68	43.4			46.0			2.6	
Horizontal	336.90	38.0			46.0			8.0	
Horizontal	340.20	33.9			46.0			12.1	
Horizontal	343.50	40.2			46.0			5.8	
Horizontal	345.12	34.2			46.0			11.8	

Remark: Please see annex for the measurement plot. The measurement was performed up to 1GHz.

4.2.4 Test result: Spurious radiated emissions

FCC Part 15, Subpart B	Op. Mode	Result
	op-mode 2	passed

5 Test Equipment

EUT Digital Signalling System

Equipment	Type	Serial No.	Manufacturer	Cal data	Next cal
Digital Radio Communication Tester	CMD 55	831050/020	Rohde & Schwarz	01.12.05	01.12.08
Signalling Unit for Bluetooth	PTW60	100004	Rohde & Schwarz	-	-
Universal Radio Communication Tester	CMU200	102366	Rohde & Schwarz	22.09.07	22.09.09

EMI Test System

Equipment	Type	Serial No.	Manufacturer	Cal data	Next cal
Comparison Noise Emitter	CNE III	99/016	York	-	-
EMI Analyzer	ESI 26	830482/004	Rohde & Schwarz	06.12.07	06.12.09
Signal Generator	SMR 20	846834/008	Rohde & Schwarz	05.12.07	05.12.09
AC Power Source	6404	64040000B04	Croma ATE INC.	01.06.08	N/A the parameters will be checked before testing

EMI Radiated Auxiliary Equipment

Equipment	Type	Serial No.	Manufacturer	Cal data	Next cal
Antenna mast 4m	MA 240	240/492	HD GmbH H. Deisel	-	-
Biconical dipole	VUBA 9117	9117108	Schwarzbeck	02.07.03	02.07.08
Broadband Amplifier 18MHz-26GHz	JS4- 18002600 -32	849785	Miteq	06.02.08	06.08.08
Broadband Amplifier 30MHz-18GHz	JS4- 00101800 -35	896037	Miteq	06.02.08	06.08.08
Broadband Amplifier 45MHz-27GHz	JS4- 00102600 -42	619368	Miteq	06.02.08	06.08.08
Cable "ESI to EMI Antenna"	EcoFlex10	W18.01-2 W38.01-2	Kabel Kusch	06.02.08	06.08.08
Cable "ESI to Horn Antenna"	UFB311A UFB293C	W18.02-2 W38.02-2	Rosenberger- Microcoax	06.02.08	06.08.08
Double-ridged horn	HF 906	357357/002	Rohde & Schwarz	12.05.06	12.05.08
Double-ridged horn	HF 906	357357/001	Rohde & Schwarz	20.01.04	N/A - spare antenna
High Pass Filter	5HC3500/ 12750- 1.2-KK	200035008	Trilithic	06.02.08	06.08.08
High Pass Filter	5HC2700/ 12750- 1.5-KK	9942012	Trilithic	06.02.08	06.08.08
High Pass Filter	4HC1600/ 12750- 1.5-KK	9942011	Trilithic	06.02.08	06.08.08
Log.-per. Antenna	HL 562 Ultralog	830547/003	Rohde & Schwarz	17.05.06	17.05.09
Loop Antenna	HFH2-Z2	829324/006	Rohde & Schwarz	19.08.02	N/A - only used for pre-testing
Pyramidal Horn Antenna 26.5 GHz	Model 3160-09	9910-1184	EMCO	06.02.08	06.08.08

EMI Conducted Auxiliary Equipment

Equipment	Type	Serial No.	Manufacturer	Cal data	Next cal
Cable "LISN to ESI"	RG214	W18.03+W48.03	Huber+Suhner	06.02.08	06.08.08
Two-Line V-Network	ESH 3-Z5	828304/029	Rohde & Schwarz	01.11.05	01.11.08
Two-Line V-Network	ESH 3-Z5	829996/002	Rohde & Schwarz	-	-

Auxiliary Test Equipment – calibration not applicable; spare equipment

Equipment	Type	Serial No.	Manufacturer	Cal data	Next cal
Broadband Resist. Power Divider N	1506A / 93459	LM390	Weinschel	-	-
Broadband Resist. Power Divider SMA	1515 / 93459	LN673	Weinschel	-	-
Digital Multimeter 01	Voltcraft M-3860M	IJ096055	Conrad	-	-
Digital Multimeter 02	Voltcraft M-3860M	IJ095955	Conrad	-	-
Digital Oscilloscope	TDS 784C	B021311	Tektronix	-	-
Fibre optic link Satellite	FO RS232 Link	181-018	Pontis	-	-
Fibre optic link Transceiver	FO RS232 Link	182-018	Pontis	-	-
I/Q Modulation Generator	AMIQ-B1	832085/018	Rohde & Schwarz	-	-
Notch Filter ultra stable	WRCA800 /960-6E	24	Wainwright	-	-
Spectrum Analyzer 9 kHz to 3 GHz	FSP3	838164/004	Rohde & Schwarz	-	-
Temperature Chamber	VT 4002	58566002150010	Vötsch	-	-
Temperature Chamber	KWP 120/70	59226012190010	Weiss	-	-
ThermoHygro Datalogger 03	Opus10 THI (8152.00)	7482	Lufft Mess- und Regeltechnik GmbH	-	-

Anechoic Chamber – calibration not applicable

Equipment	Type	Serial No.	Manufacturer	Cal data	Next cal
Air Compressor (pneumatic)			Atlas Copco	-	-
Controller	CO 2000	CO2000/328/12470406/L	Innco innovative constructions GmbH	-	-
EMC Camera	CE-CAM/1		CE-SYS	-	-
EMC Camera for observation of EUT	CCD-400E	0005033	Mitsubishi	-	-
Filter ISDN	B84312-C110-E1		Siemens & Matsushita	-	-
Filter telephone systems / modem	B84312-C40-B1		Siemens & Matsushita	-	-
Filter Universal 1A	B84312-C30-H3		Siemens & Matsushita	-	-
Fully/Semi AE Chamber	10.58x6.3 8x6		Frankonia	-	-
Turntable	DS 420S	420/573/99	HD GmbH, H.Deisel	-	-
Valve Control Unit (pneum.)	VE 615P	615/348/99	HD GmbH, H.Deisel	-	-

Photo Report



Photo 1: Test setup for conducted measurements



Photo 2: Test setup for radiated measurements



Photo 3: EUT (front side)



Photo 4: EUT (rear side)

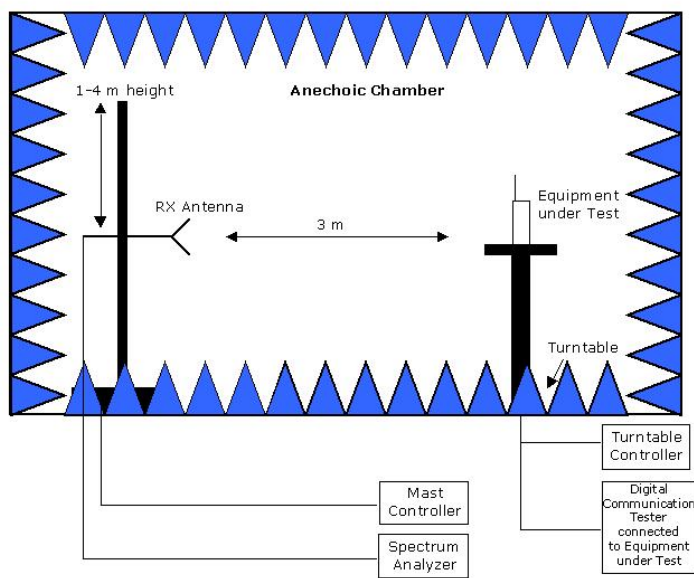


Photo 5: Card Adaptor (interface view)



Photo 6: Card Adaptor (top view)

6 Setup Drawings



Remark: Depending on the frequency range suitable antenna types, attenuators or preamplifiers are used.

Drawing 1: Setup in the Anechoic chamber. For measurements below 1 GHz the ground was replaced by a conducting ground plane.

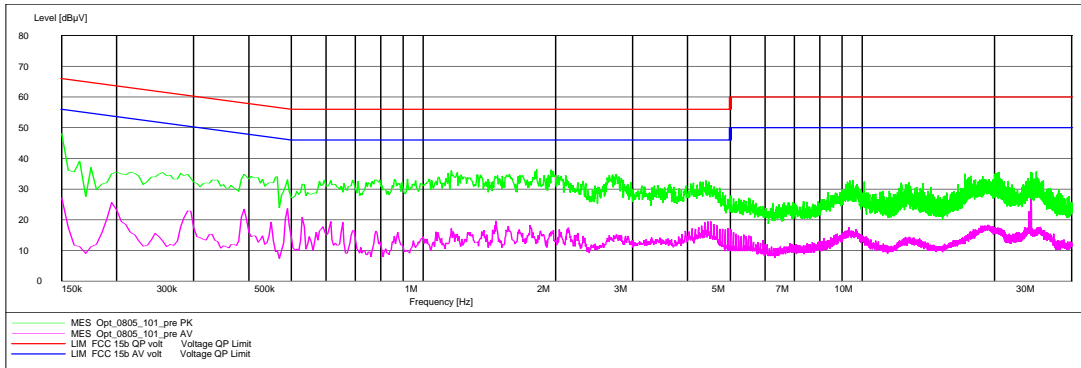


7 Annex measurement plots

AC Mains conducted

Op. Mode

op-mode 1





Radiated Emissions

Op. Mode

op-mode 2

