

Appendix C – SAR Test Setup Photos

System Body Configuration

Body Tissue Depth

Top With USB Cable

Bottom Installed In Toshiba Laptop

Vertical - Right Side With USB Cable

Vertical - Left Side Installed In HP Laptop

Desk Mount

Front of Device

Back of Device

Top of Desk Mount

Side of Desk Mount

Diversity Antenna

Diversity Antenna Close Up

Appendix D – Probe Calibration Data Sheets

NCL CALIBRATION LABORATORIES

Calibration File No.: CP-840

Client.: RFEL

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 835 MHz

BODY Calibration

Manufacturer: APREL Laboratories

Model No.: E-020

Serial No.: 217

Calibration Procedure: SSI/DRB-TP-D01-032-E020-V2

Project No: RFEB-ALS-E-020-5318

Calibrated: 3rd December 2007
Released on: 3rd December 2007

This Calibration Certificate is Incomplete Unless Accompanied with the Calibration Results Summary
This calibration has been conducted in line with the SCC ISO-IEC 17025 Scope of Accreditation
Accredited Laboratory Number 48

Released By: _____

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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-020 217.

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

IEC 62209 "Human exposure to radio frequency fields from hand-held and body-mounted wireless communication devices – Human models, instrumentation, and procedures –Part 1 & 2: Procedure to determine the Specific Absorption Rate (SAR) for hand-held devices used in close proximity of the ear (frequency range of 300 MHz to 3 GHz)"

IEEE 1309 Draft Standard for Calibration of Electromagnetic Field Sensors and Probes, Excluding Antennas, from 9kHz to 40GHz

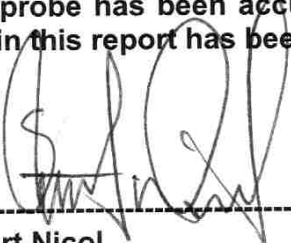
Conditions

Probe 217 was a re-calibration.

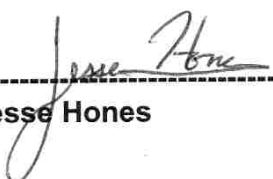
Ambient Temperature of the Laboratory: 22 °C +/- 0.5°C

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.



Stuart Nicol



Jesse Hones

Calibration Results Summary

Probe Type:	E-Field Probe E-020
Serial Number:	217
Frequency:	835 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 $\mu\text{V}/(\text{V}/\text{m})^2$
Channel Y:	1.2 $\mu\text{V}/(\text{V}/\text{m})^2$
Channel Z:	1.2 $\mu\text{V}/(\text{V}/\text{m})^2$
Diode Compression Point:	95 mV

Sensitivity in Body Tissue Measured

Frequency: 835 MHz

Epsilon: 55.2 (+/-5%) **Sigma:** 1.05 S/m (+/-10%)

ConvF

Channel X: 6.1

Channel Y: 6.1

Channel Z: 6.1

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

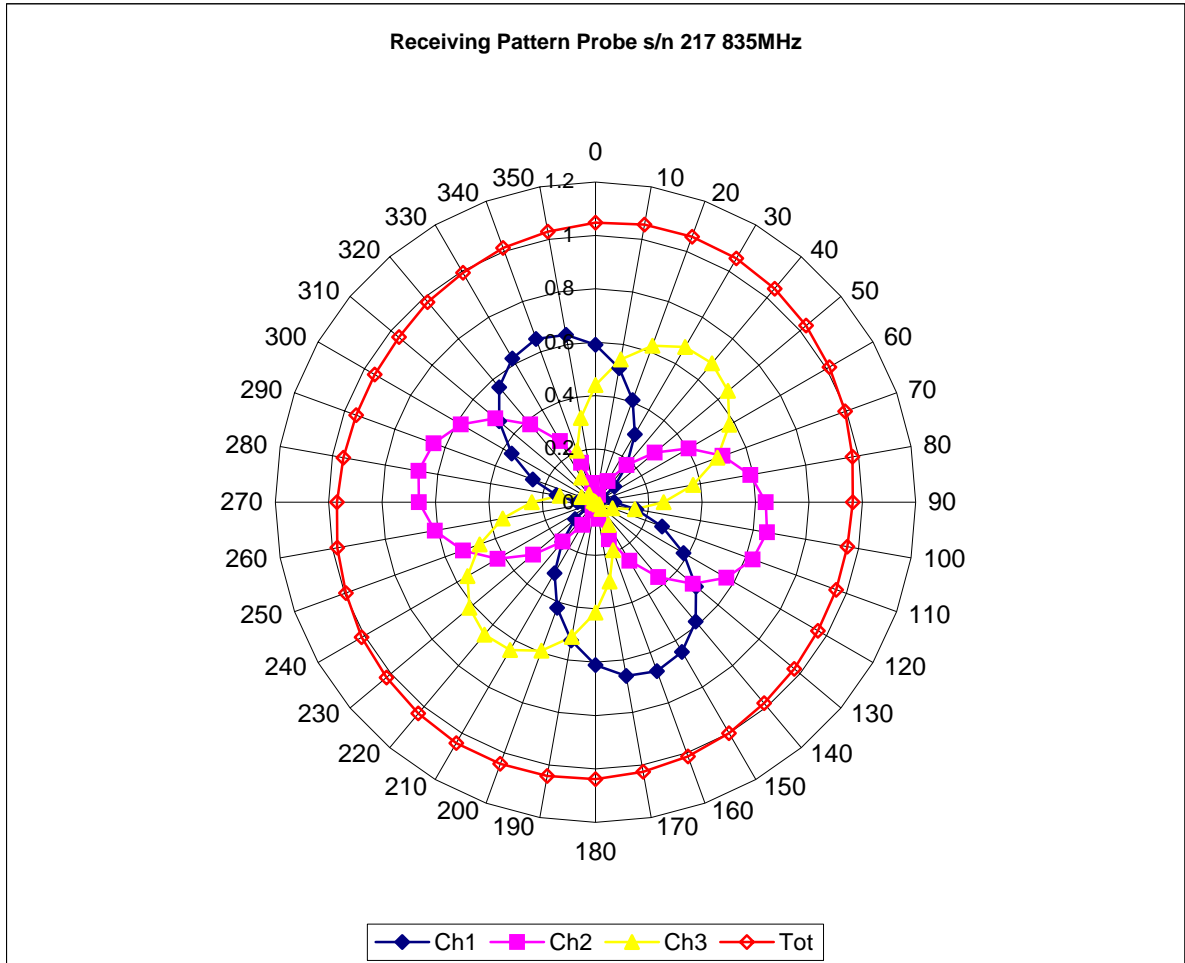
Boundary Effect:

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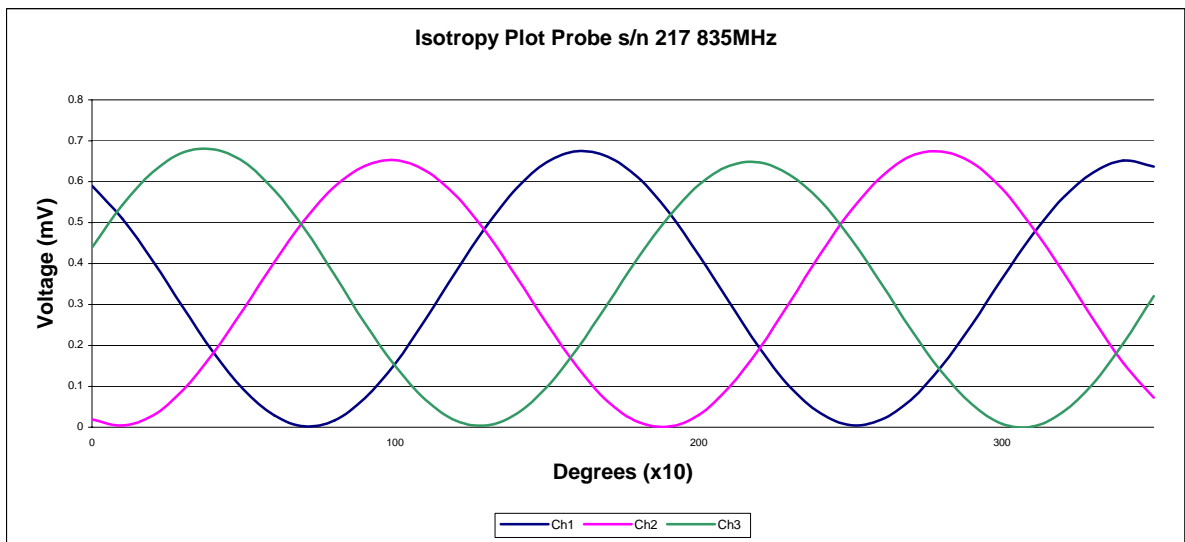
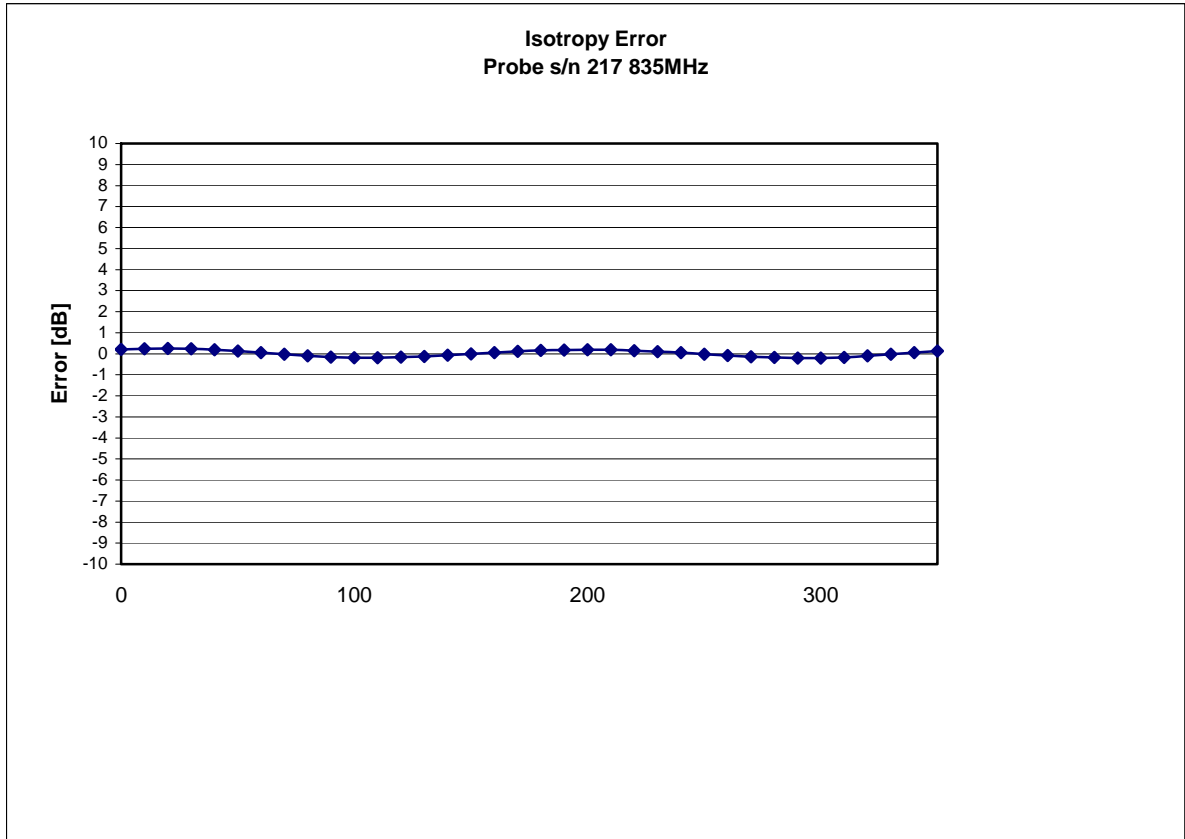
Spatial Resolution:

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 835 MHz (Air)



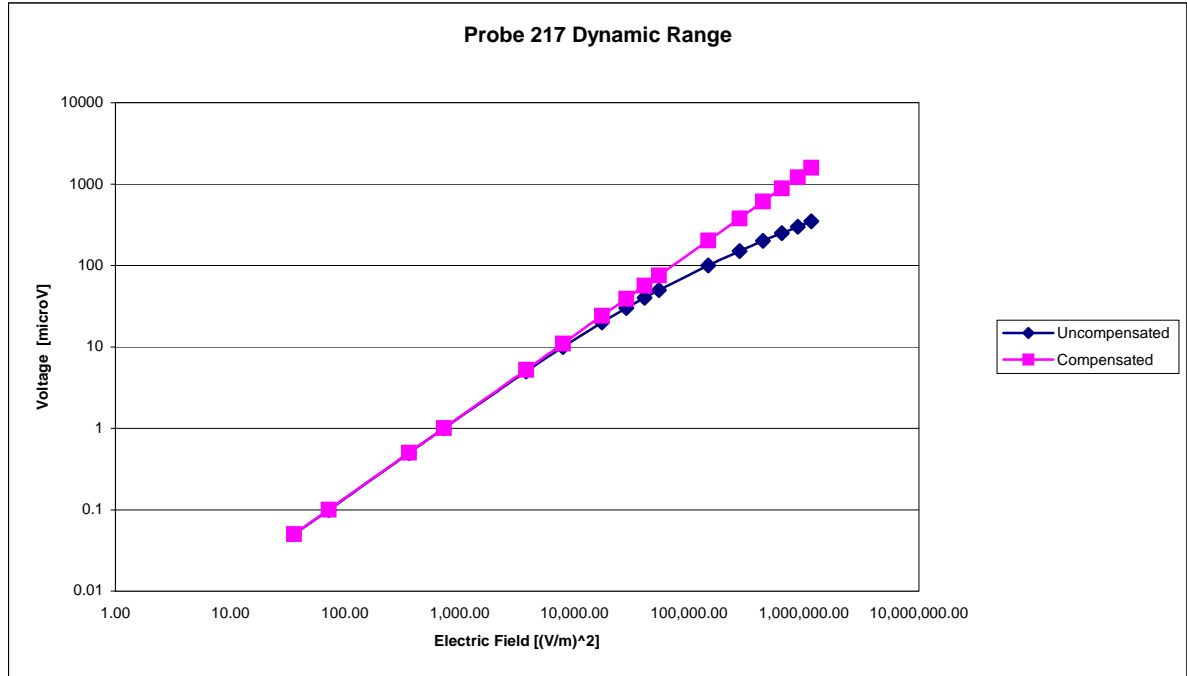
Isotropy Error 835 MHz (Air)



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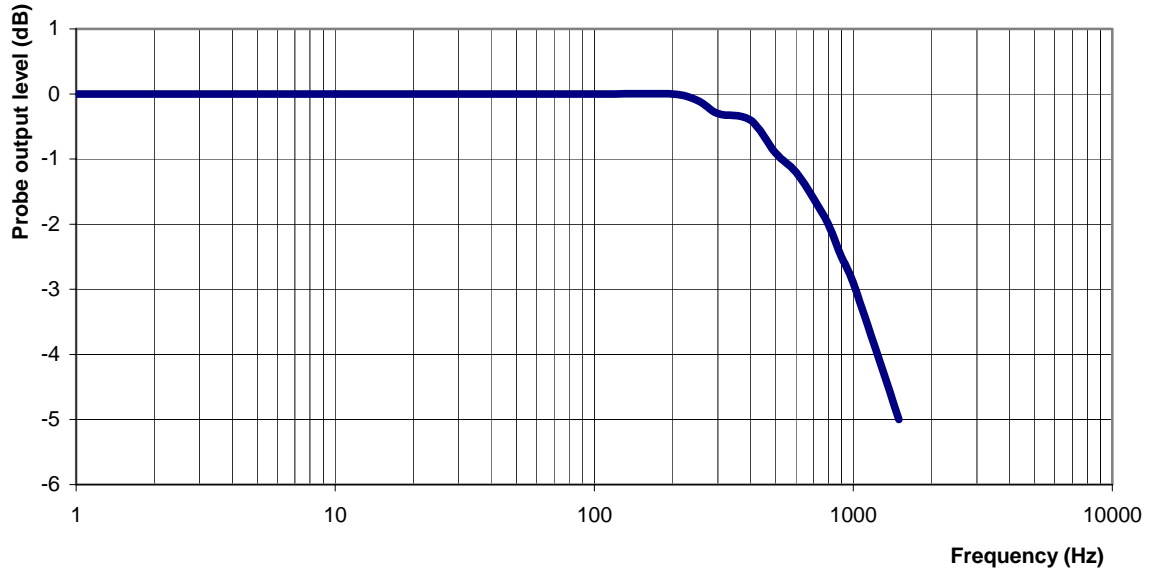
0.10 dB

Dynamic Range



Video Bandwidth

Probe Frequency Characteristics



Video Bandwidth at 500 Hz 1 dB
Video Bandwidth at 1.02 KHz: 3 dB

Conversion Factor Uncertainty Assessment Measured

Sensitivity in Body Tissue

Frequency: 835 MHz
Epsilon: 55.2 (+/-5%) **Sigma:** 1.05 S/m (+/-10%)

ConvF

Channel X: 6.1 7%(K=2)
Channel Y: 6.1 7%(K=2)
Channel Z: 6.1 7%(K=2)

To minimize the uncertainty calculation all tissue sensitivity values were calculated using a load impedance of 5 MΩ.

Boundary Effect:

For a distance of 2.5mm 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.

NCL CALIBRATION LABORATORIES

Calibration File No.: CP-842

Client.: RFEL

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Equipment: Miniature Isotropic RF Probe 1900 MHz

BODY Calibration

Manufacturer: APREL Laboratories

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Calibration Results Summary

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Frequency:	1900 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

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Sensitivity in Air

Channel X:	1.2 $\mu\text{V}/(\text{V}/\text{m})^2$
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Channel Z:	1.2 $\mu\text{V}/(\text{V}/\text{m})^2$
Diode Compression Point:	95 mV

Sensitivity in Body Tissue Measured

Frequency: 1900 MHz

Epsilon: 54.2 (+/-5%) **Sigma:** 1.57 S/m (+/-5%)

ConvF

Channel X: 4.85

Channel Y: 4.85

Channel Z: 4.85

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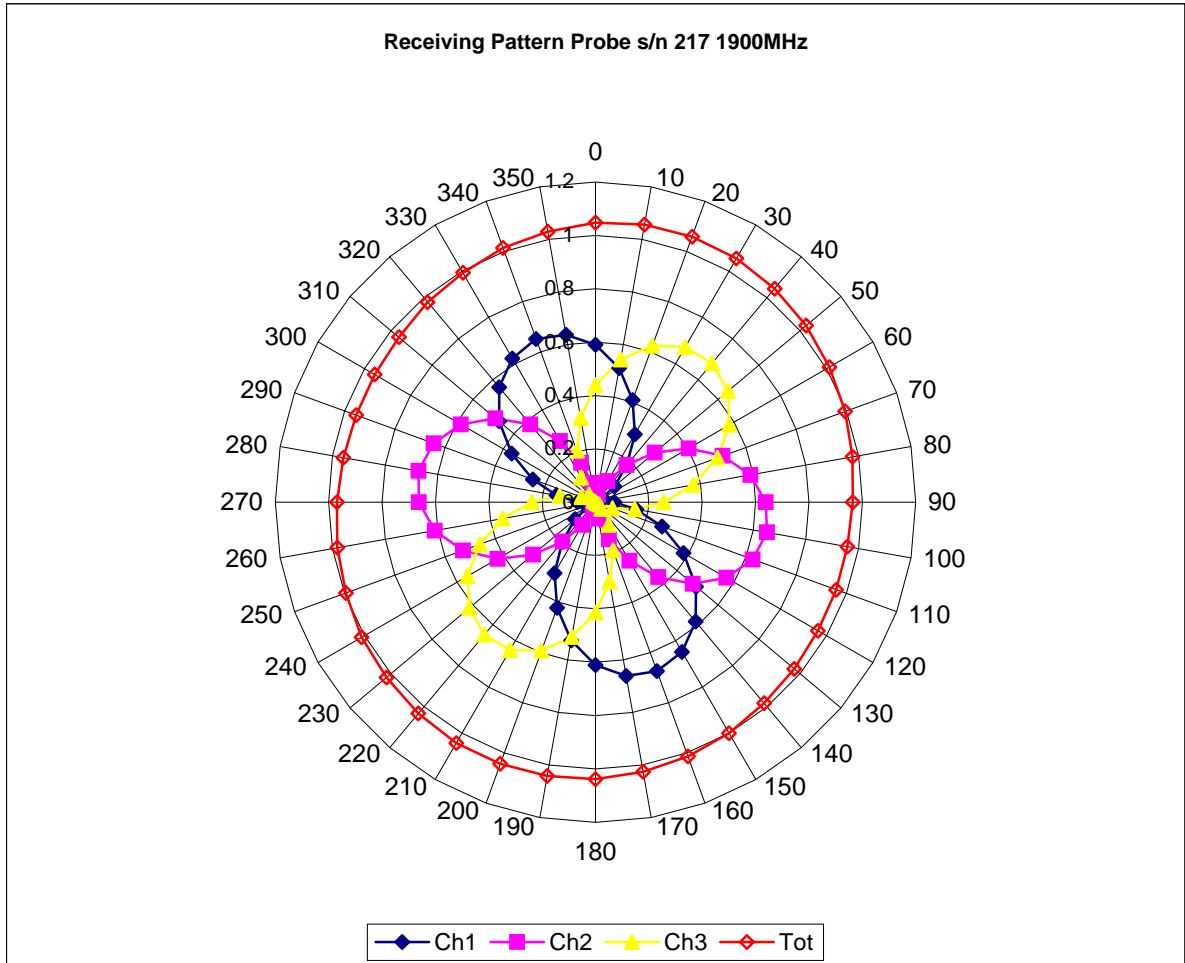
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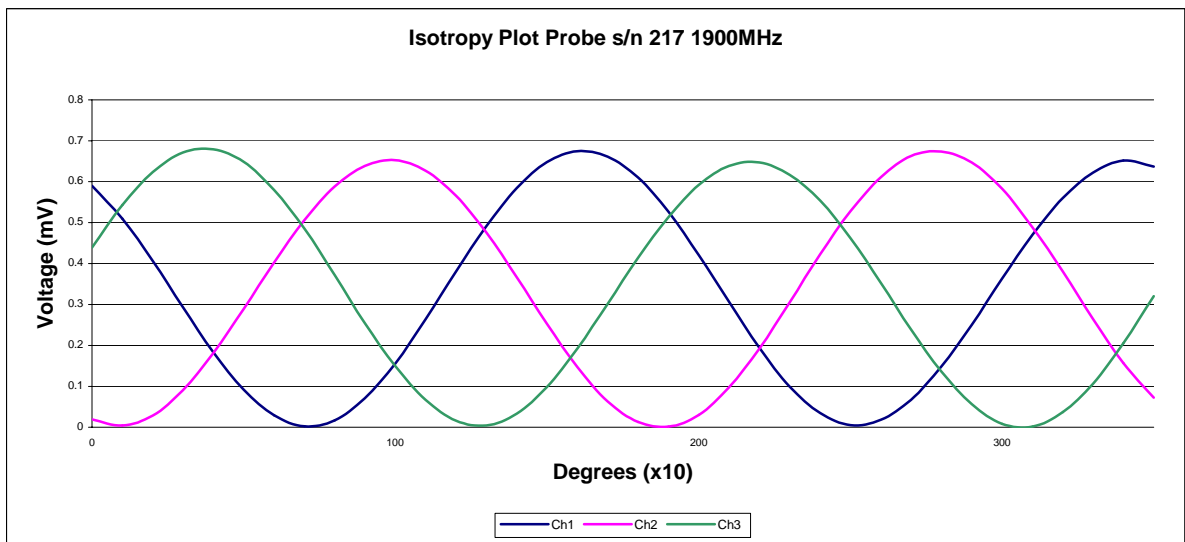
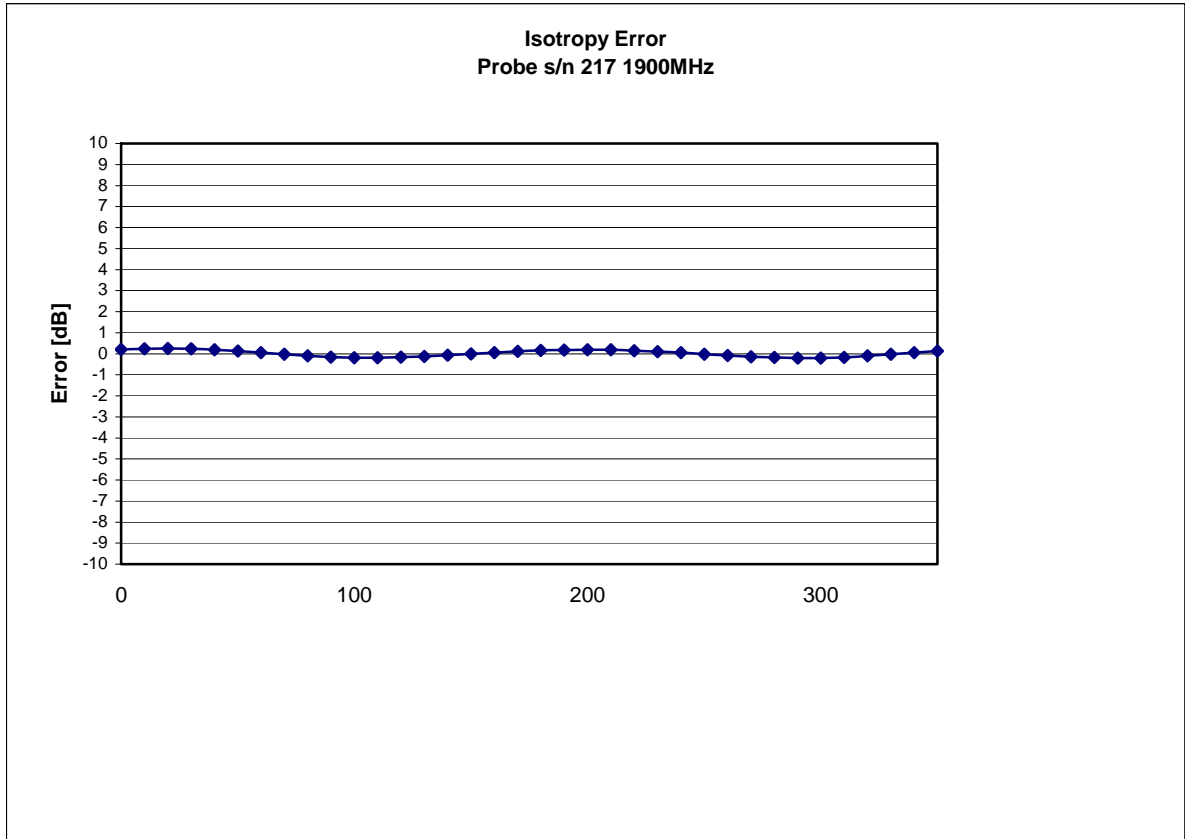
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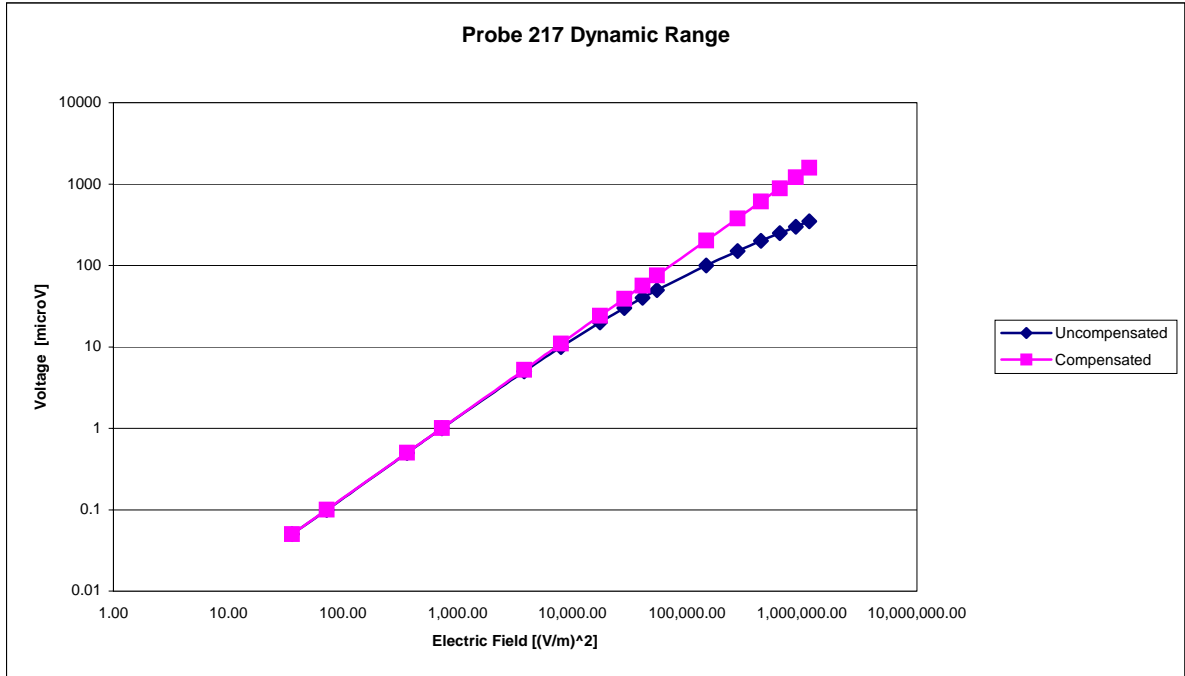
Isotropy Error 1900 MHz (Air)



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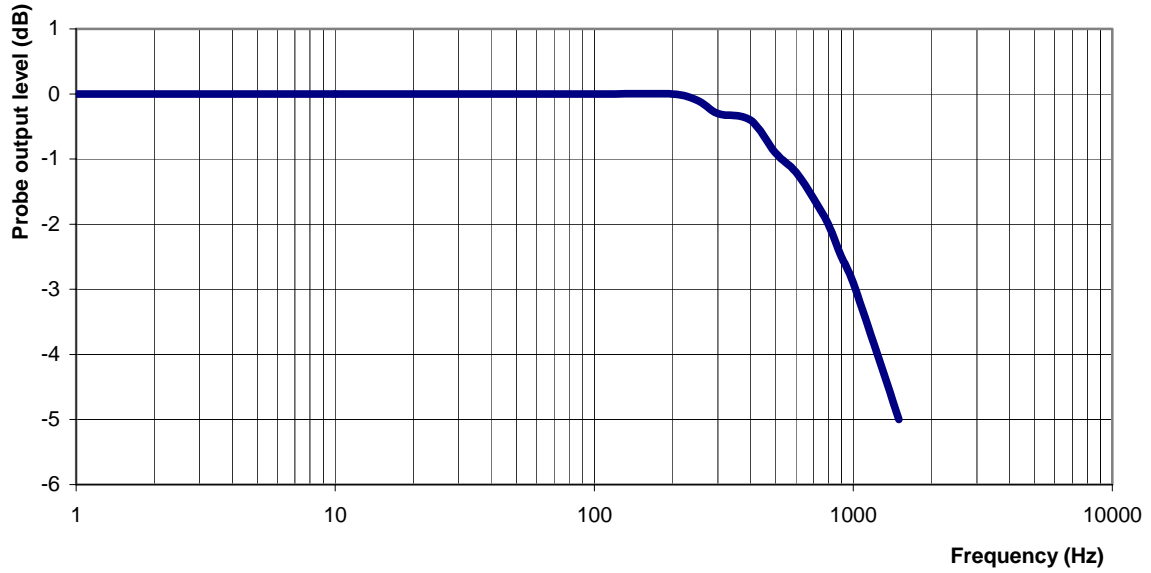
0.10 dB

Dynamic Range



Video Bandwidth

Probe Frequency Characteristics



Video Bandwidth at 500 Hz 1 dB
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Conversion Factor Uncertainty Assessment Measured

Sensitivity in Body Tissue

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ConvF

Channel X: 4.85 7%(K=2)

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Boundary Effect:

For a distance of 2.5mm 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 Data Sheets

RF Exposure Lab, LLC

Calibration File No: CAL.20080203

CERTIFICATE OF CALIBRATION

It is certified that the equipment identified below has been calibrated at RF Exposure Lab, LLC by qualified personnel following recognized procedures and using transfer standards traceable to NRC/NIST.

Validation Dipole

Manufacturer: APREL Laboratories

Part Number: ALS-D-835-S-2

Frequency: 835 MHz

Serial No: RFE-274

Manufactured: 20 February 2004
Calibrated: 22 February 2008

Calibrated By: Signature on File
Jay Moulton – Technical Manager

Approved By: Signature on File
Tamara Moulton – Quality Manager

Measurement Uncertainty:

Repeatability:	2.3%
Tissue Uncertainty:	3.2%
Network Analyzer:	2.5%



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Calibration Results Summary

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

Mechanical Dimensions

Length: 161.8 mm
Height: 91.1 mm

Electrical Specifications

Head

SWR: 1.1182 U
Return Loss: -27.508 dB
Impedance: 49.648 Ω

System Validation Results

Frequency	1 Gram	10 Gram
835 MHz	9.500	6.000

Body

SWR: 1.1533 U
Return Loss: -23.596 dB
Impedance: 51.395 Ω

System Validation Results

Frequency	1 Gram	10 Gram
835 MHz	9.750	6.240

Head Measurement Conditions

The measurements were performed in the Uni-Phantom filled with head simulating liquid of the following electrical parameters at 835 MHz:

Relative Dielectricity	41.48	± 5%
Conductivity	0.92 mho/m	± 5%

The APREL Laboratories ALSAS system with a dosimetric E-field probe E-020 (SN:217, Conversion factor 6.0 at 835 MHz) was used for the measurements.

The dipole was mounted so that the dipole feed point was positioned below the center marking of the flat phantom and the dipole was oriented parallel to the body axis (the long side of the phantom). The standard measuring distance was 15mm from the dipole center to the solution surface.

The coarse grid with a grid spacing of 10mm was aligned with the dipole. The 5x5x8 fine cube was chosen for cube integration. The dipole input power (forward power) was 100mW ± 3%. The results are normalized to 1W input power.

The laboratories environmental conditions were as follows during the calibration sequence.

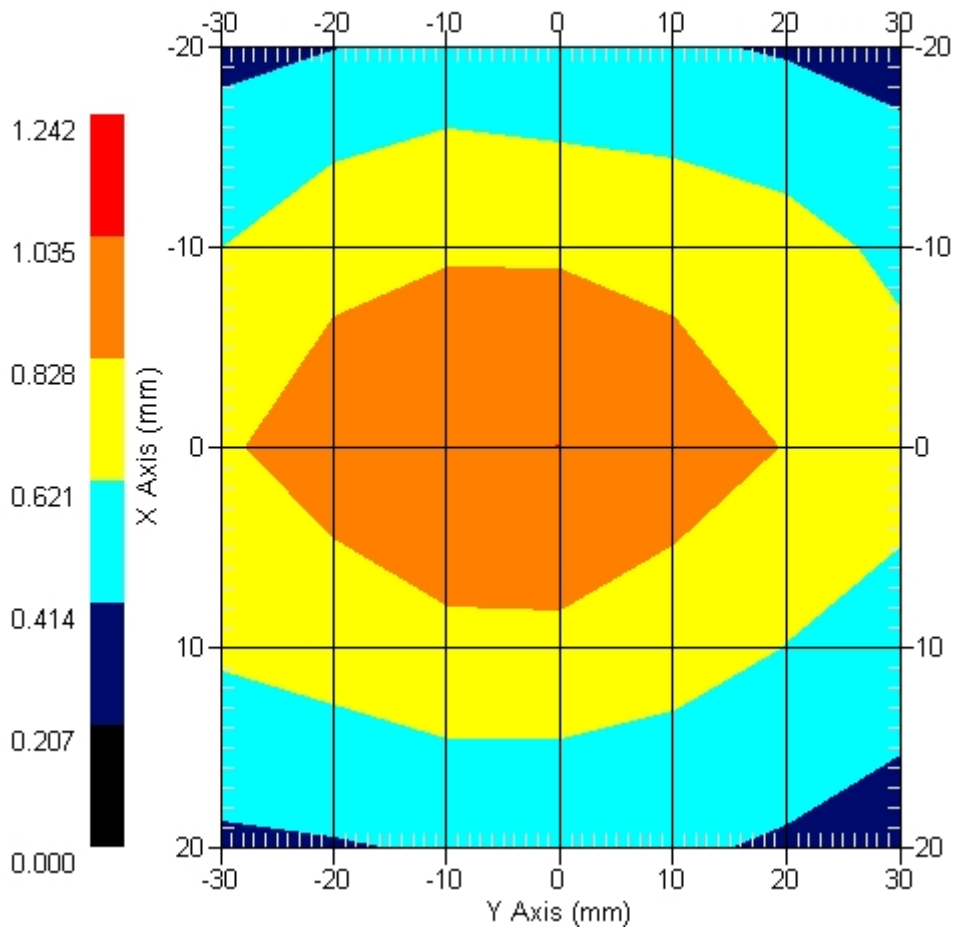
Ambient Temperature of the Laboratory:	24 °C ± 1.0 °C
Temperature of the Tissue:	20 °C ± 1.0 °C
Relative Humidity:	40%

SAR Measurement

Standard SAR measurements were performed according to the measurement conditions described above. The results have been normalized to a dipole input power of 1W (forward power). The resulting averaged SAR values measured with the dosimetric probe E-020 SN:217 and applying the advanced extrapolation are:

Averaged over 1 cm³ (1 g) of tissue: 9.500 mW/g ± 19.0% (k=2)¹
 Averaged over 10 cm³ (10 g) of tissue: 6.000 mW/g ± 18.5% (k=2)¹

Area Scan



1 gram SAR value : 0.950 W/kg
 10 gram SAR value : 0.600 W/kg
 Area Scan Peak SAR : 1.037 W/kg
 Zoom Scan Peak SAR : 1.541 W/kg

¹ validation uncertainty

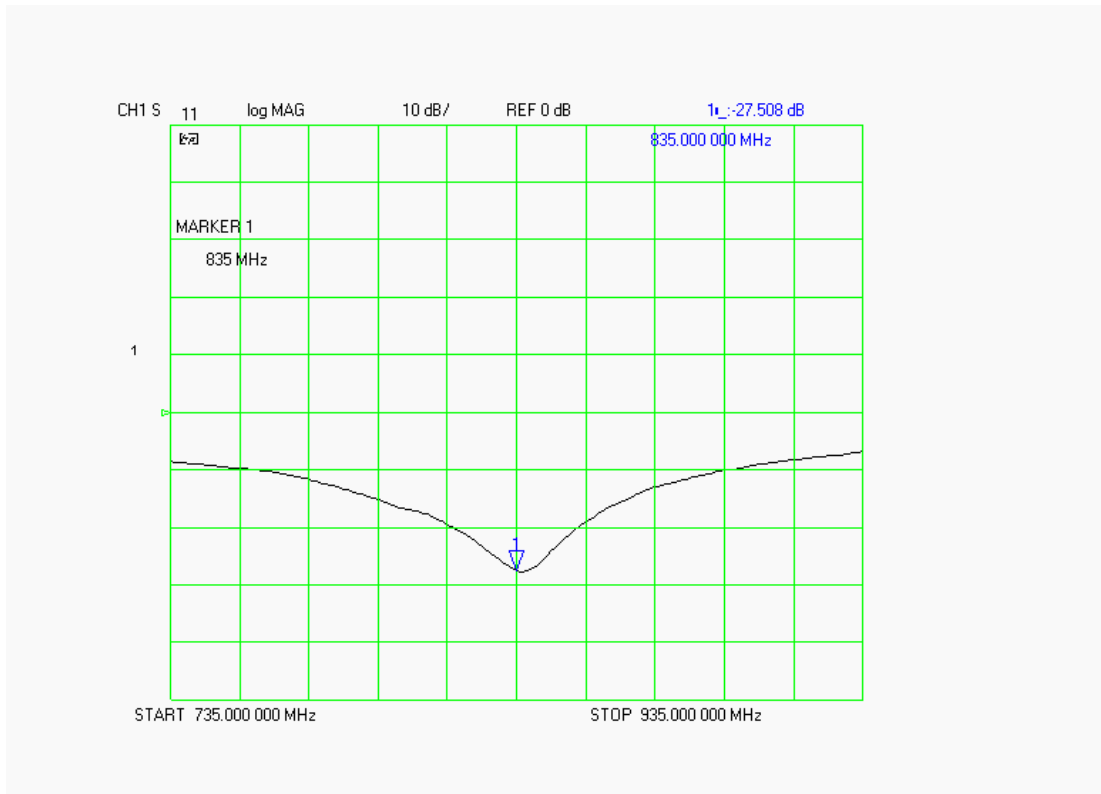
Dipole Impedance and Return Loss

The impedance was measured at the SMA connector with a network analyzer. The dipole was positioned at the flat phantom sections according to measurement conditions stated above during impedance measurements.

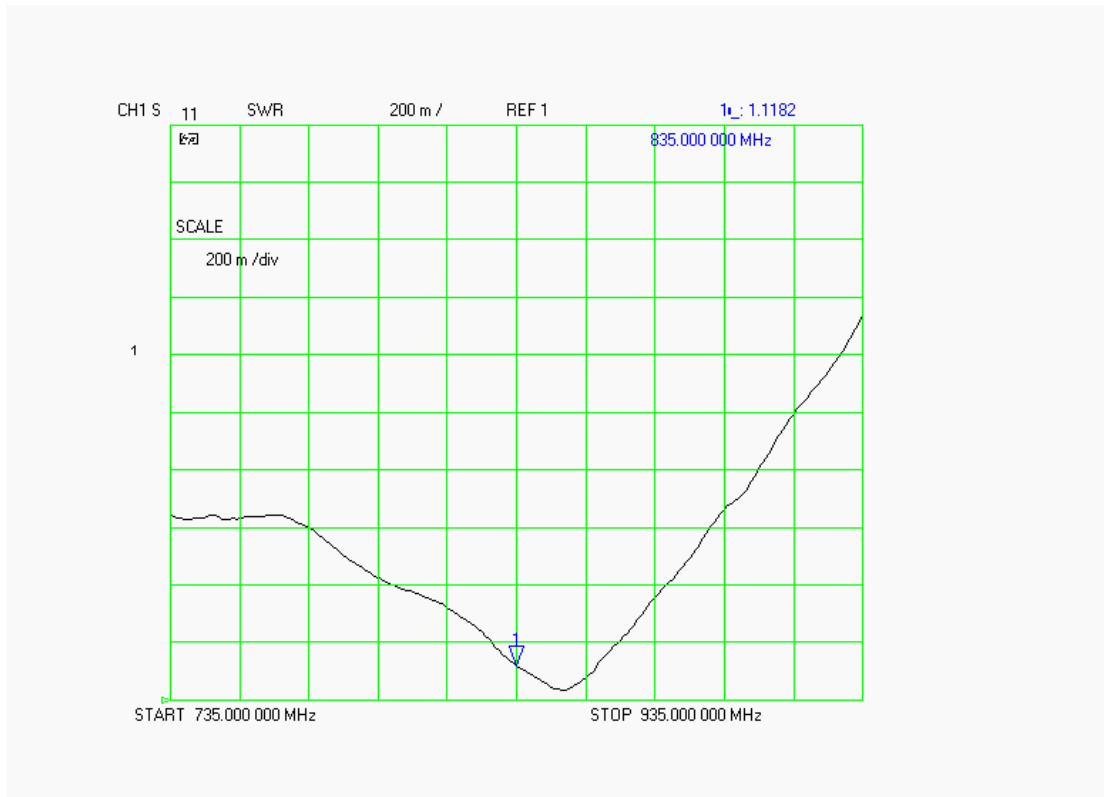
Test	Result
S11 R/L	-27.508 dB
SWR	1.1182 U
Impedance	49.648 Ω

The following graphs are the results as displayed on the Vector Network Analyzer.

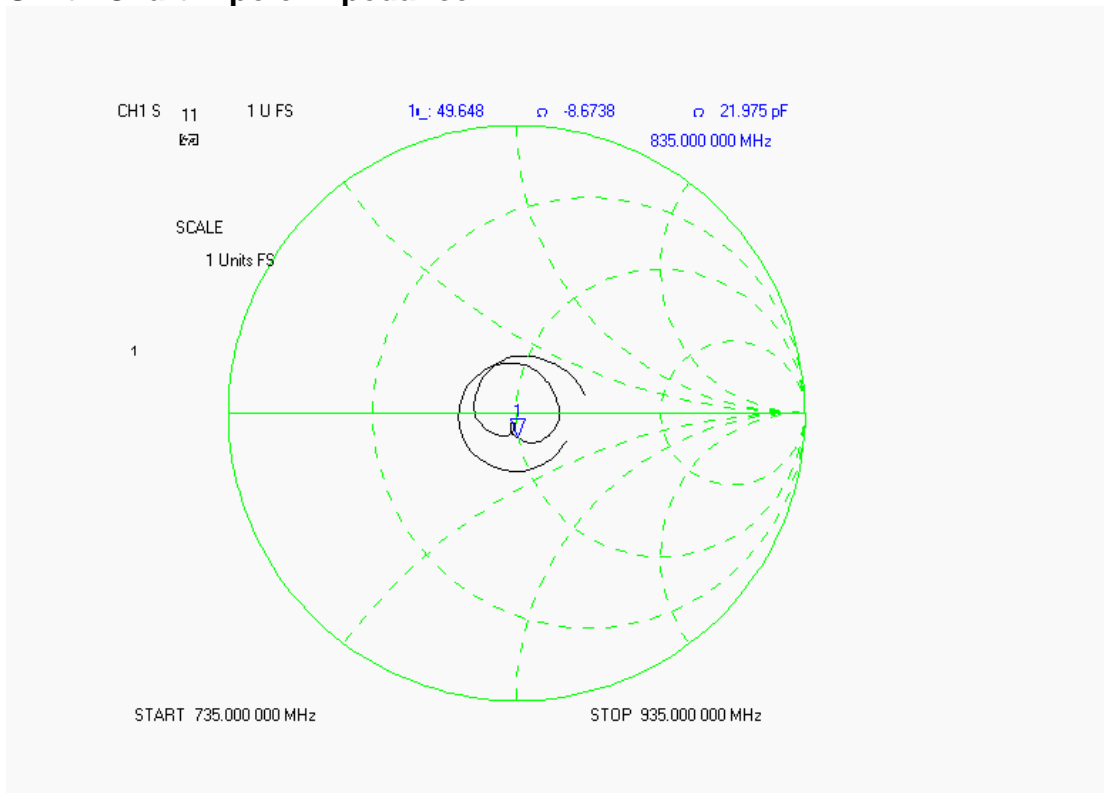
S11 Parameter Return Loss



SWR



Smith Chart Dipole Impedance



Body Measurement Conditions

The measurements were performed in the Uni-Phantom filled with body simulating liquid of the following electrical parameters at 835 MHz:

Relative Dielectricity	55.20	± 5%
Conductivity	0.96 mho/m	± 5%

The APREL Laboratories ALSAS system with a dosimetric E-field probe E-020 (SN:217, Conversion factor 6.1 at 835 MHz) was used for the measurements.

The dipole was mounted so that the dipole feed point was positioned below the center marking of the flat phantom and the dipole was oriented parallel to the body axis (the long side of the phantom). The standard measuring distance was 15mm from the dipole center to the solution surface.

The coarse grid with a grid spacing of 10mm was aligned with the dipole. The 5x5x8 fine cube was chosen for cube integration. The dipole input power (forward power) was 100mW ± 3%. The results are normalized to 1W input power.

The laboratories environmental conditions were as follows during the calibration sequence.

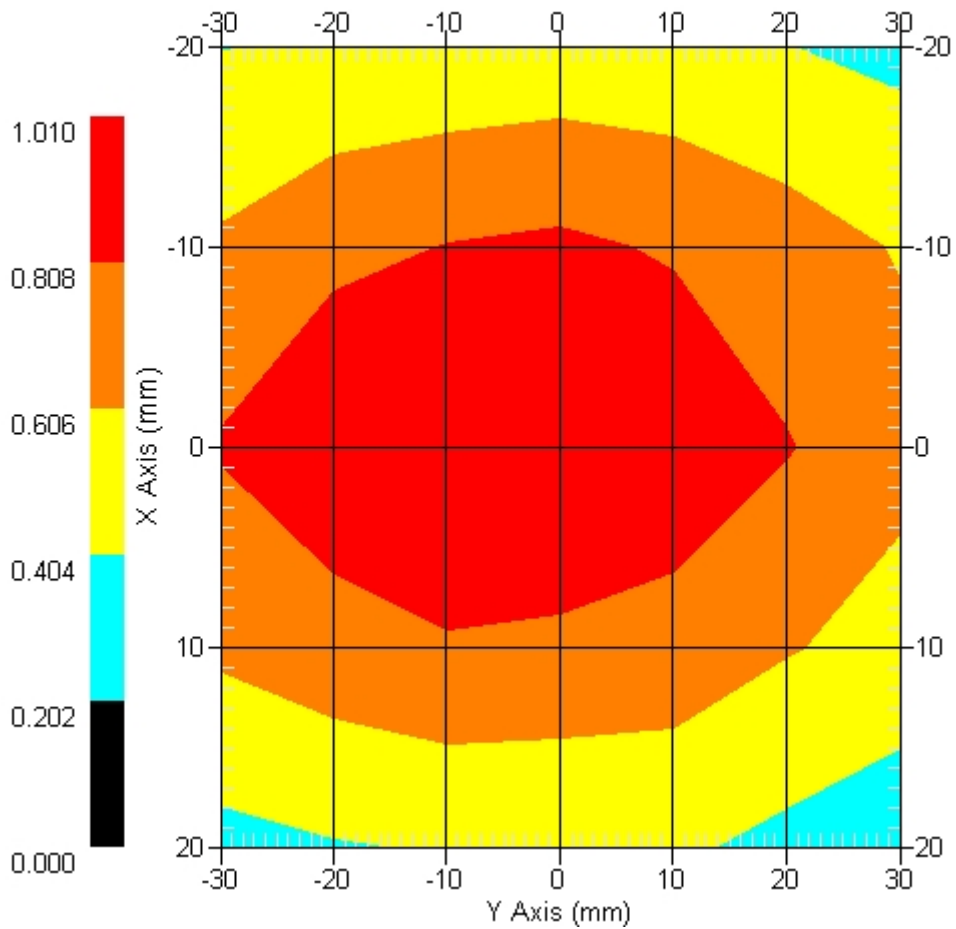
Ambient Temperature of the Laboratory:	24 °C ± 1.0 °C
Temperature of the Tissue:	20 °C ± 1.0 °C
Relative Humidity:	40%

SAR Measurement

Standard SAR measurements were performed according to the measurement conditions described above. The results have been normalized to a dipole input power of 1W (forward power). The resulting averaged SAR values measured with the dosimetric probe E-020 SN:217 and applying the advanced extrapolation are:

Averaged over 1 cm³ (1 g) of tissue: 9.750 mW/g ± 19.1% (k=2)¹
 Averaged over 10 cm³ (10 g) of tissue: 6.240 mW/g ± 18.6% (k=2)¹

Area Scan



1 gram SAR value : 0.975 W/kg
 10 gram SAR value : 0.624 W/kg
 Area Scan Peak SAR : 1.009 W/kg
 Zoom Scan Peak SAR : 1.571 W/kg

¹ validation uncertainty

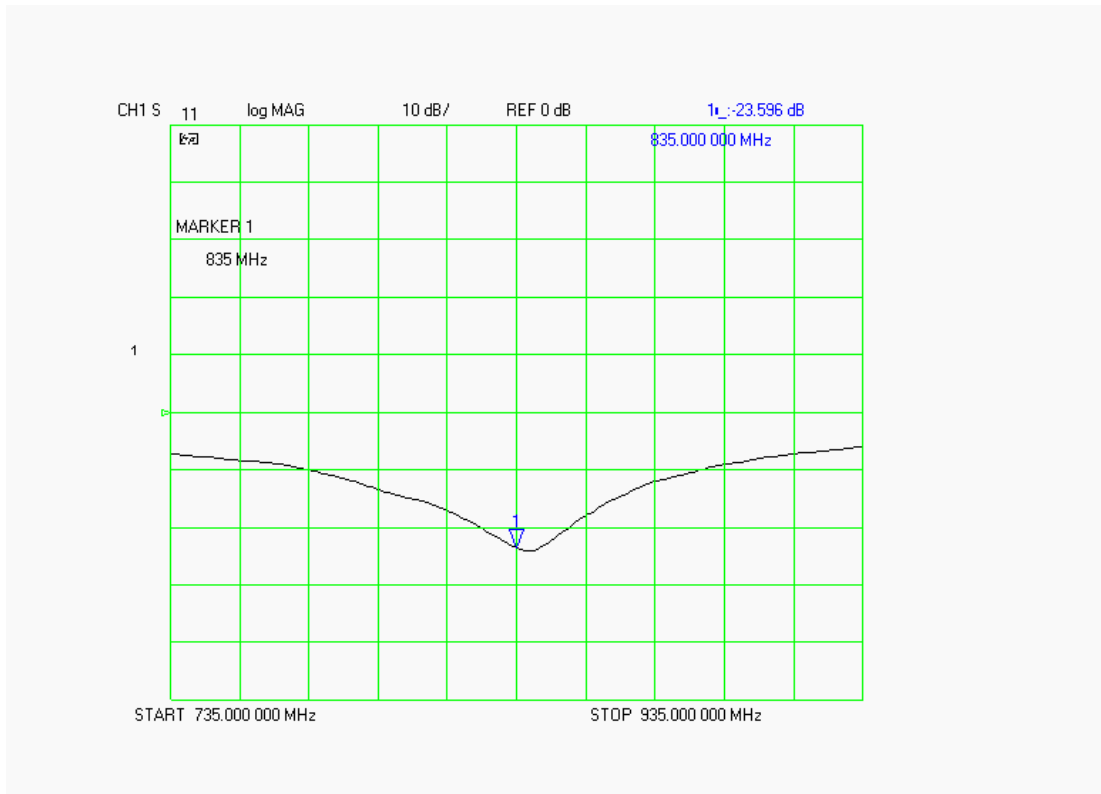
Dipole Impedance and Return Loss

The impedance was measured at the SMA connector with a network analyzer. The dipole was positioned at the flat phantom sections according to measurement conditions stated above during impedance measurements.

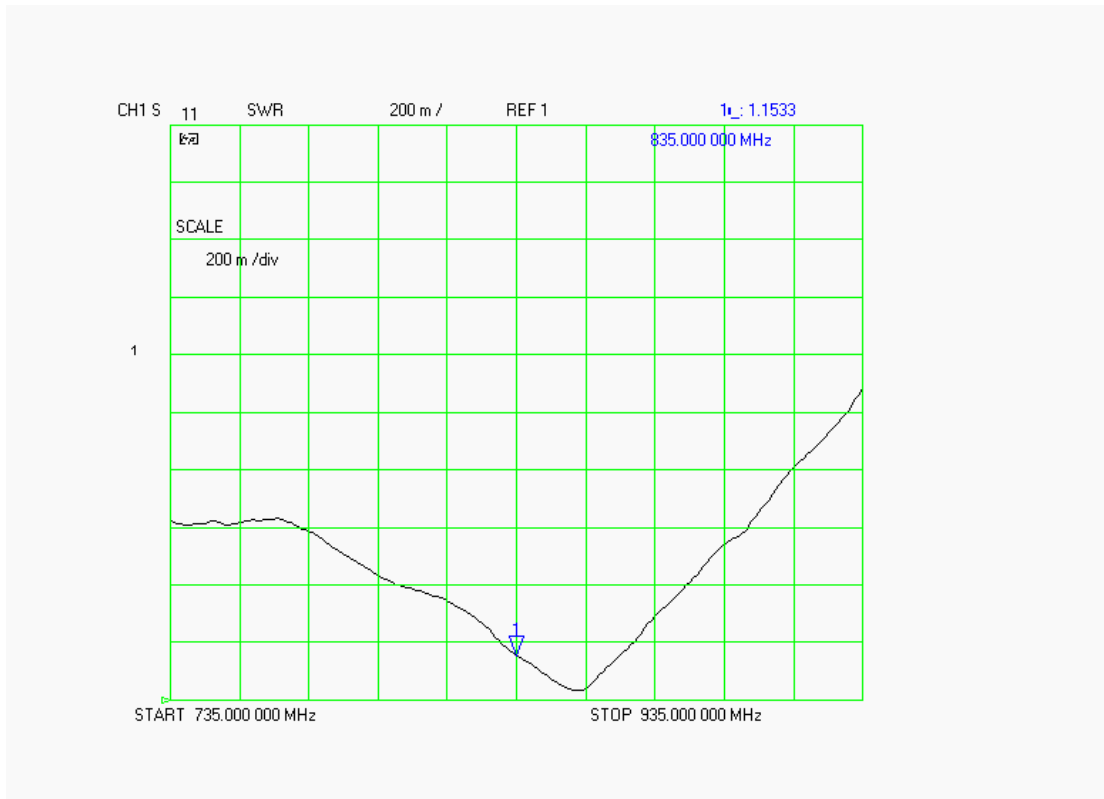
Test	Result
S11 R/L	-23.596 dB
SWR	1.1533 U
Impedance	51.395 Ω

The following graphs are the results as displayed on the Vector Network Analyzer.

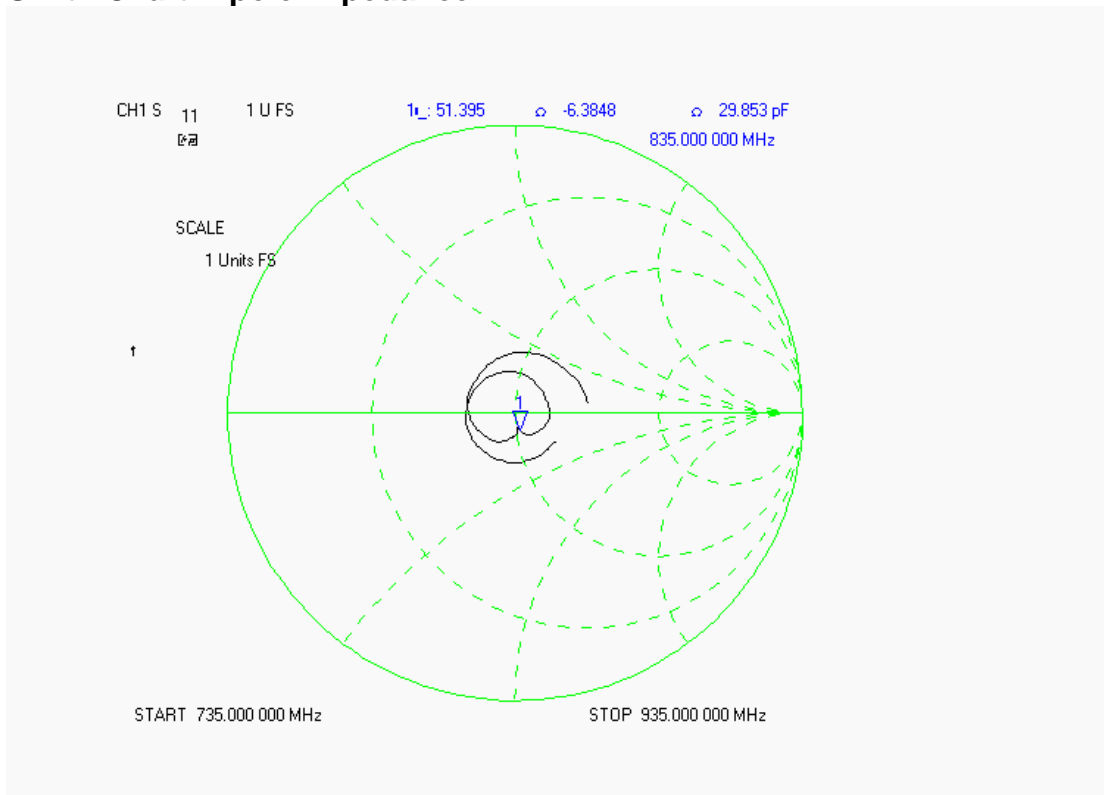
S11 Parameter Return Loss



SWR



Smith Chart Dipole Impedance



Test Equipment List

The test equipment used during Dipole Calibration, manufacturer, model number and, current calibration status are listed and located on the RF Exposure Lab, LLC system computer C:\Test Equipment\Calibration Equipment\Instrument List February 2008.

RF Exposure Lab, LLC

Calibration File No: CAL.20080202

CERTIFICATE OF CALIBRATION

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Validation Dipole

Manufacturer: APREL Laboratories

Part Number: ALS-D-1900-S-2

Frequency: 1.9 GHz

Serial No: RFE-277

Manufactured: 20 February 2004
Calibrated: 21 February 2008

Calibrated By: Signature on File
Jay Moulton – Technical Manager

Approved By: Signature on File
Tamara Moulton – Quality Manager

Measurement Uncertainty:

Repeatability:	2.3%
Tissue Uncertainty:	3.2%
Network Analyzer:	2.5%



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Calibration Results Summary

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Mechanical Dimensions

Length: 68.0 mm
Height: 37.5 mm

Electrical Specifications

Head

SWR: 1.0793 U
Return Loss: -38.514 dB
Impedance: 49.063 Ω

System Validation Results

Frequency	1 Gram	10 Gram
1.9 GHz	39.380	20.270

Body

SWR: 1.1006 U
Return Loss: -41.682 dB
Impedance: 53.580 Ω

System Validation Results

Frequency	1 Gram	10 Gram
1.9 GHz	40.990	21.090

Head Measurement Conditions

The measurements were performed in the Uni-Phantom filled with head simulating liquid of the following electrical parameters at 1900 MHz:

Relative Dielectricity	39.97	± 5%
Conductivity	1.41 mho/m	± 5%

The APREL Laboratories ALSAS system with a dosimetric E-field probe E-020 (SN:217, Conversion factor 4.65 at 1900 MHz) was used for the measurements.

The dipole was mounted so that the dipole feed point was positioned below the center marking of the flat phantom and the dipole was oriented parallel to the body axis (the long side of the phantom). The standard measuring distance was 10mm from the dipole center to the solution surface.

The coarse grid with a grid spacing of 10mm was aligned with the dipole. The 5x5x8 fine cube was chosen for cube integration. The dipole input power (forward power) was 100mW ± 3%. The results are normalized to 1W input power.

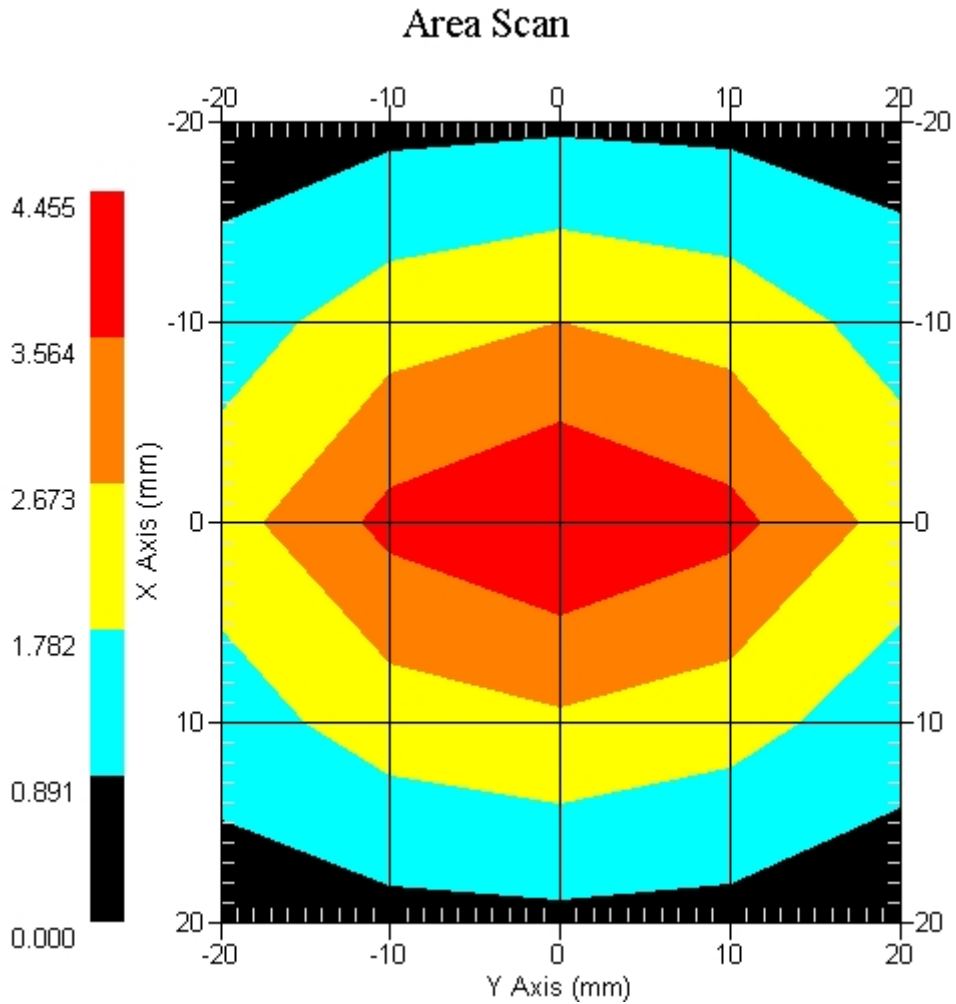
The laboratories environmental conditions were as follows during the calibration sequence.

Ambient Temperature of the Laboratory:	23 °C ± 1.0 °C
Temperature of the Tissue:	20 °C ± 1.0 °C
Relative Humidity:	40%

SAR Measurement

Standard SAR measurements were performed according to the measurement conditions described above. The results have been normalized to a dipole input power of 1W (forward power). The resulting averaged SAR values measured with the dosimetric probe E-020 SN:217 and applying the advanced extrapolation are:

Averaged over 1 cm³ (1 g) of tissue: 39.380 mW/g ± 19.2% (k=2)¹
 Averaged over 10 cm³ (10 g) of tissue: 20.270 mW/g ± 18.8% (k=2)¹



1 gram SAR value : 3.938 W/kg
 10 gram SAR value : 2.027 W/kg
 Area Scan Peak SAR : 4.455 W/kg
 Zoom Scan Peak SAR : 7.246 W/kg

¹ validation uncertainty

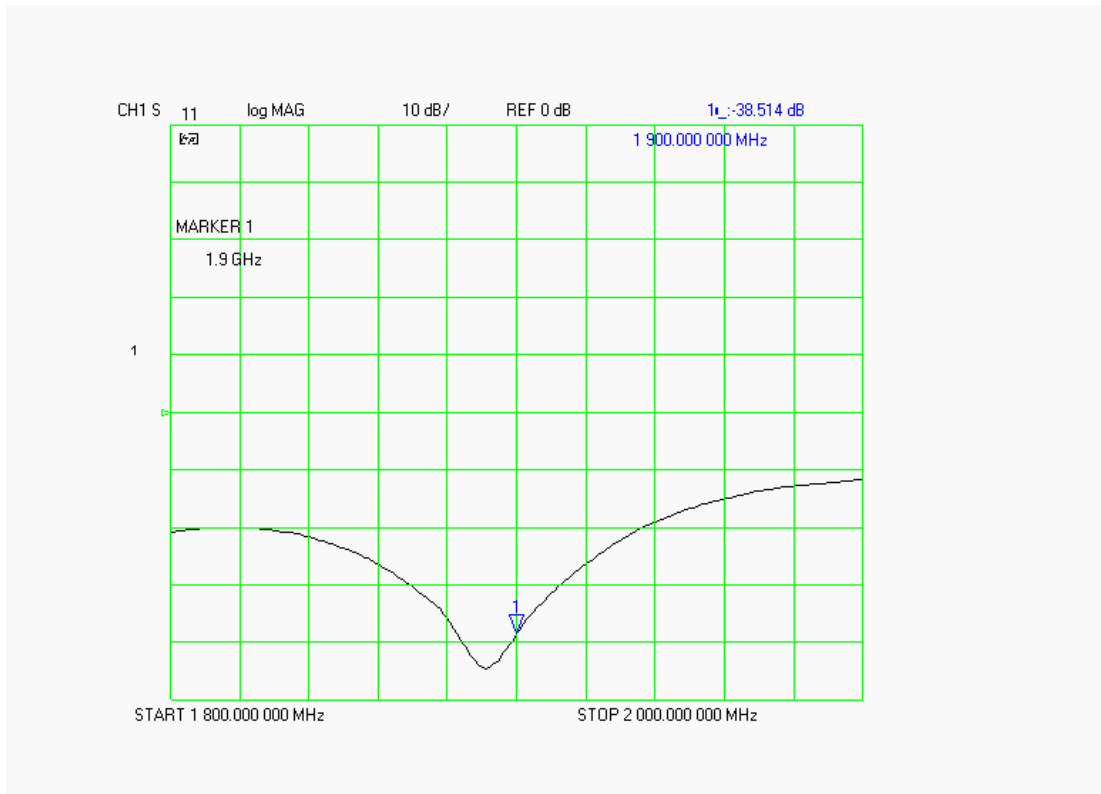
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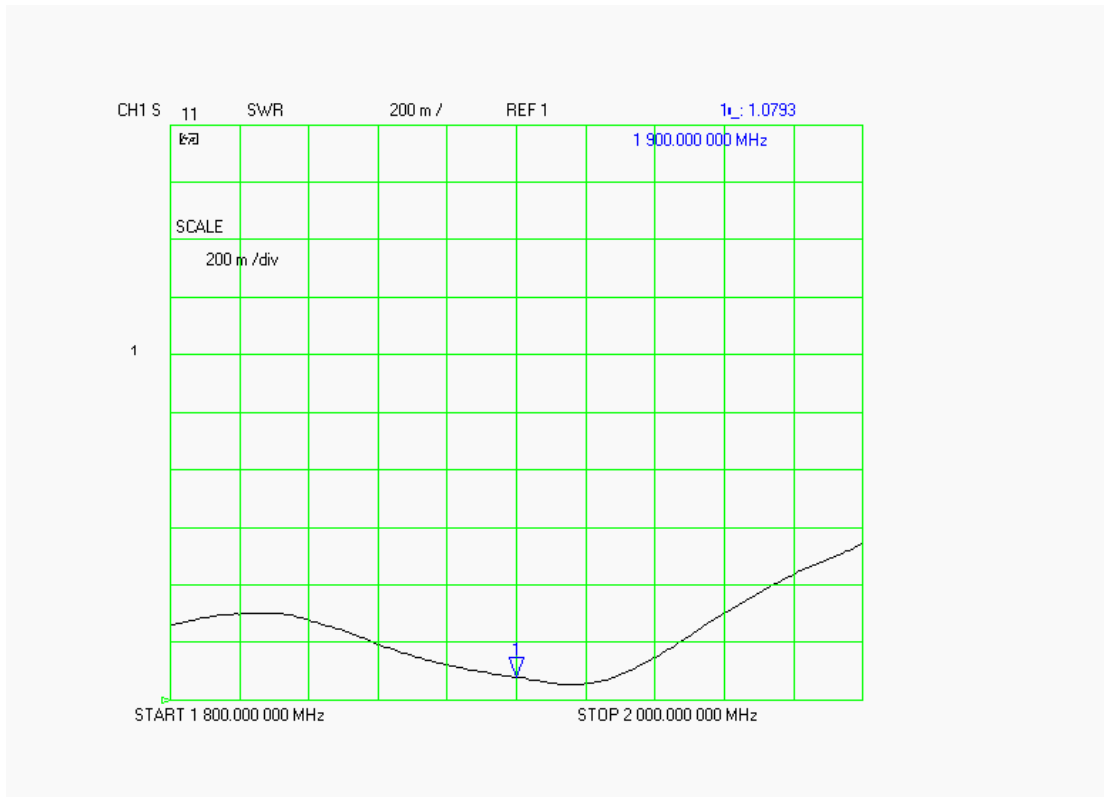
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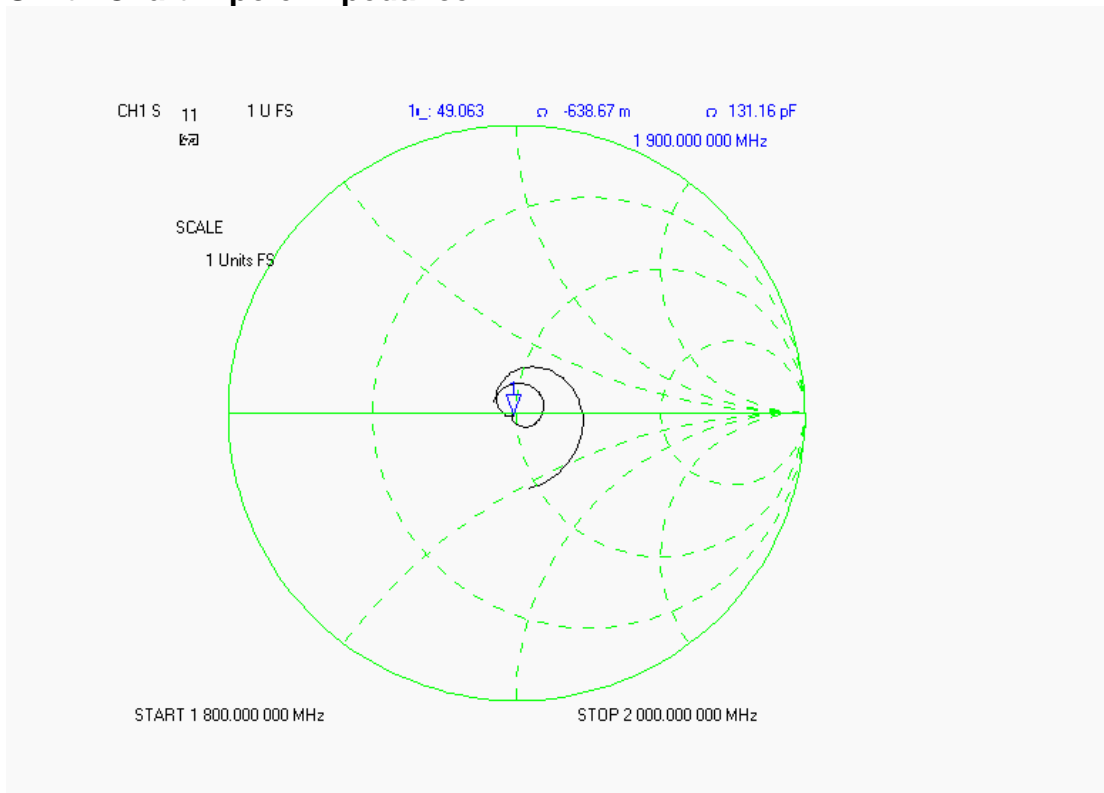
S11 Parameter Return Loss



SWR



Smith Chart Dipole Impedance



Body Measurement Conditions

The measurements were performed in the Uni-Phantom filled with body simulating liquid of the following electrical parameters at 1900 MHz:

Relative Dielectricity	53.27	± 5%
Conductivity	1.50 mho/m	± 5%

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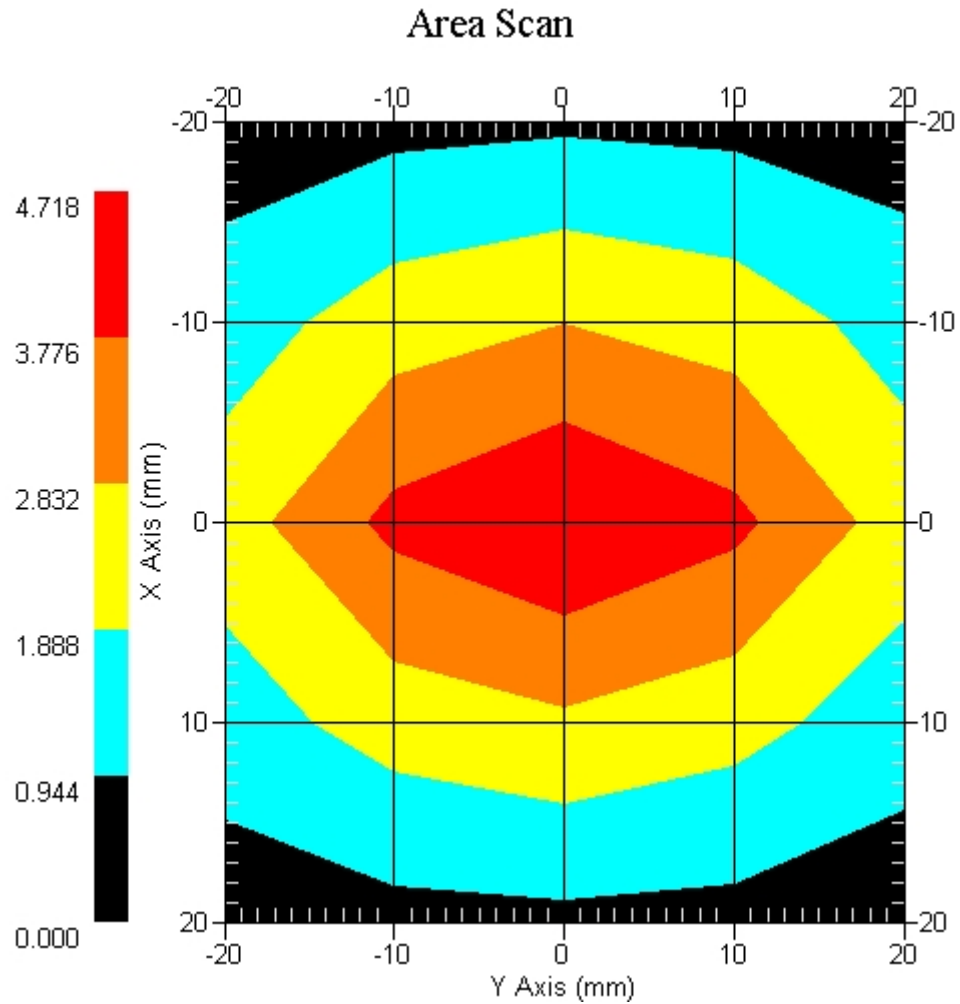
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Relative Humidity:	40%

SAR Measurement

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Averaged over 1 cm³ (1 g) of tissue: 40.990 mW/g ± 18.9% (k=2)¹
 Averaged over 10 cm³ (10 g) of tissue: 21.090 mW/g ± 18.5% (k=2)¹



1 gram SAR value : 4.099 W/kg
 10 gram SAR value : 2.109 W/kg
 Area Scan Peak SAR : 4.718 W/kg
 Zoom Scan Peak SAR : 7.606 W/kg

¹ validation uncertainty

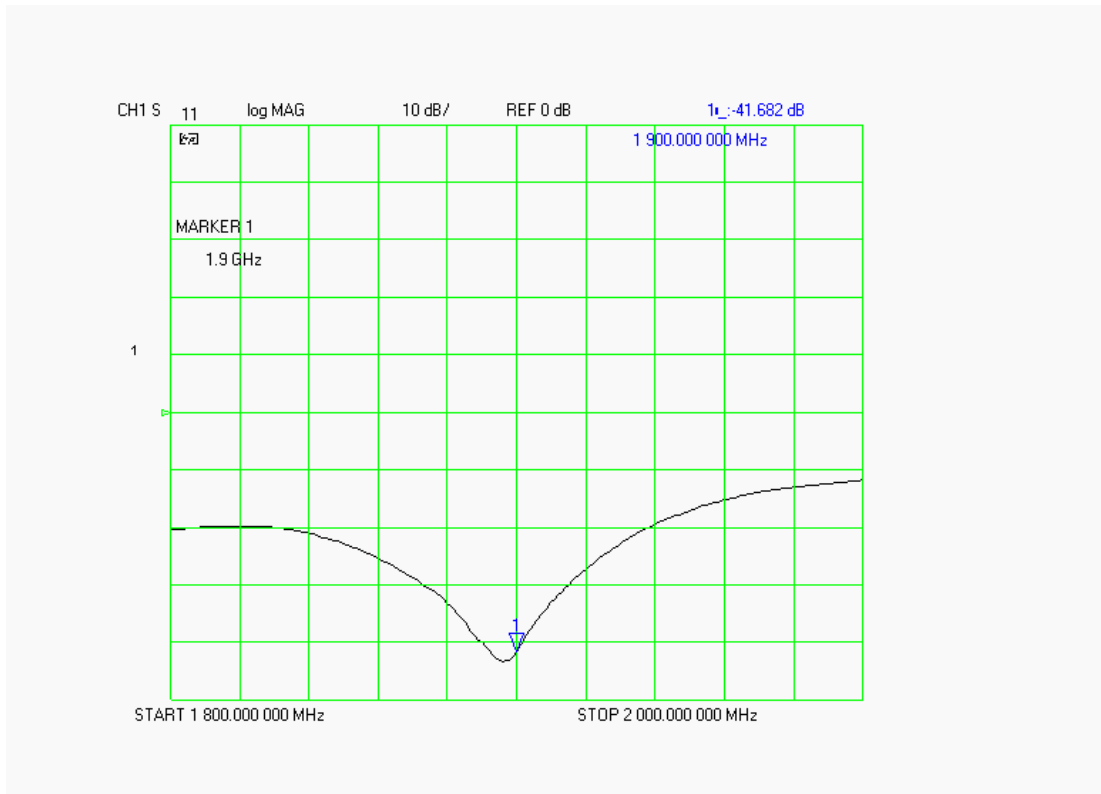
Dipole Impedance and Return Loss

The impedance was measured at the SMA connector with a network analyzer. The dipole was positioned at the flat phantom sections according to measurement conditions stated above during impedance measurements.

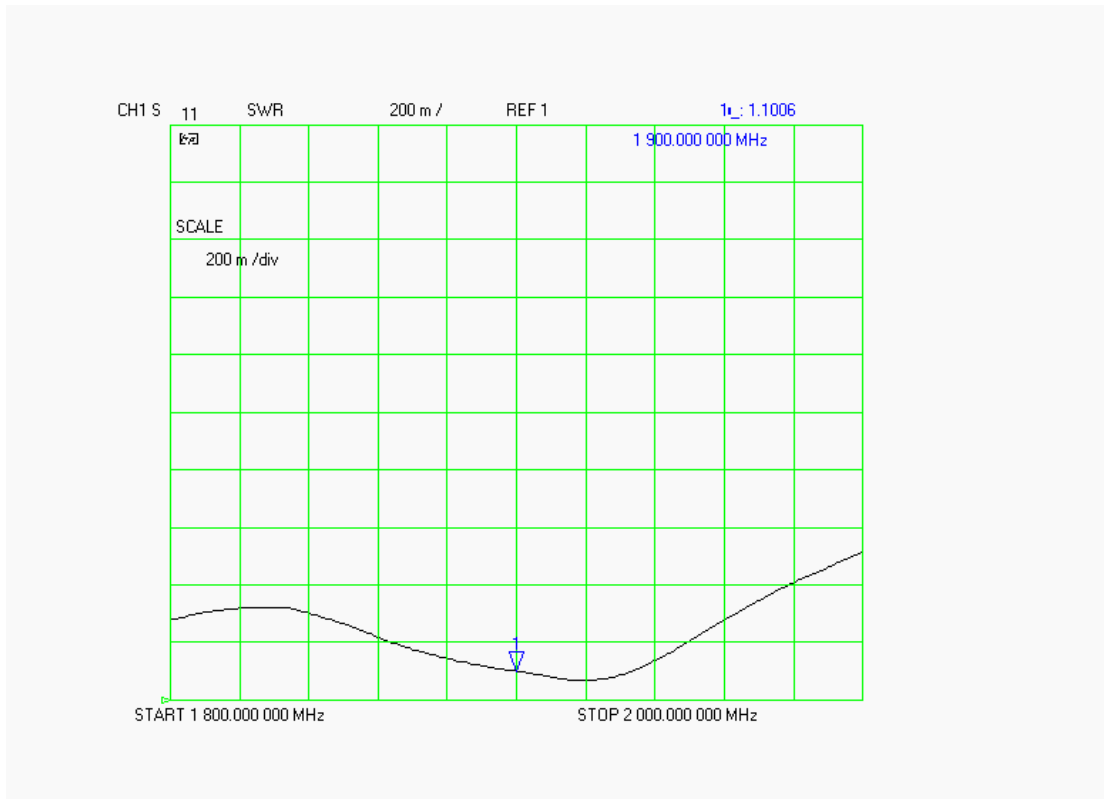
Test	Result
S11 R/L	-41.682 dB
SWR	1.1006 U
Impedance	53.580 Ω

The following graphs are the results as displayed on the Vector Network Analyzer.

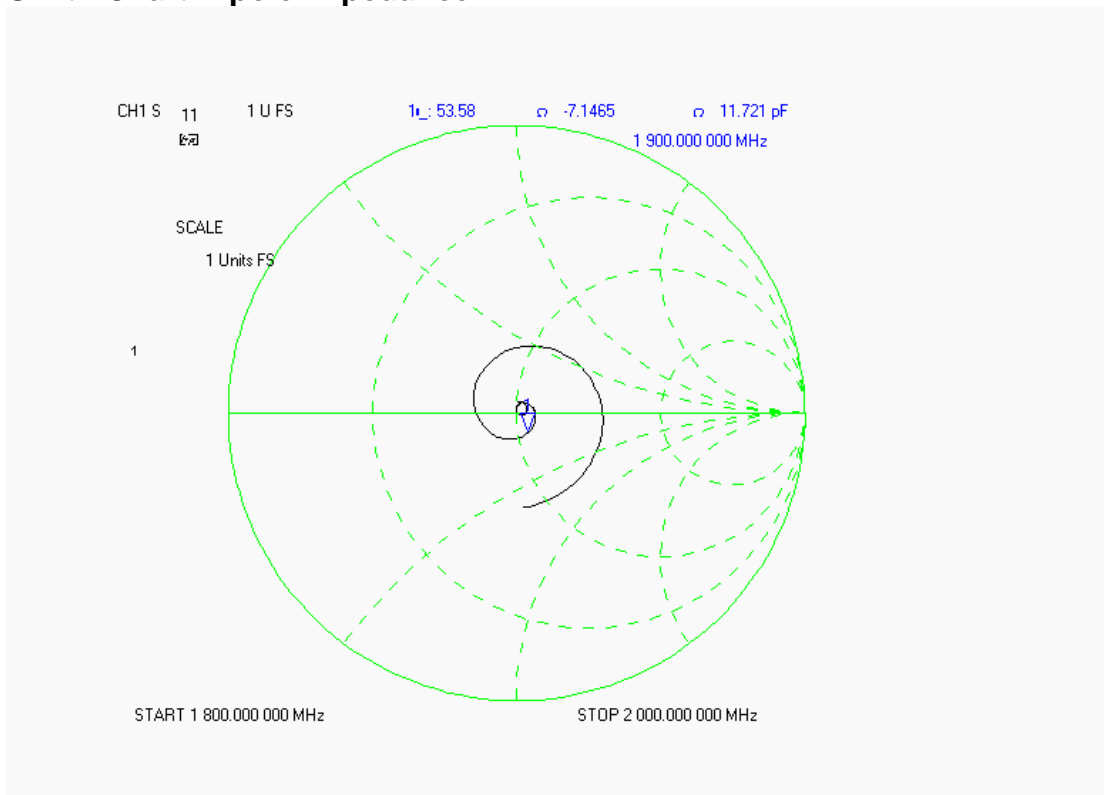
S11 Parameter Return Loss



SWR



Smith Chart Dipole Impedance



Test Equipment List

The test equipment used during Dipole Calibration, manufacturer, model number and, current calibration status are listed and located on the RF Exposure Lab, LLC system computer C:\Test Equipment\Calibration Equipment\Instrument List February 2008.

Appendix F – Phantom Calibration Data Sheets

NCL CALIBRATION LABORATORIES

Calibration File No.: RFE-273

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 National Standards.

Thickness of the UniPhantom is 2 mm \pm 10%
Pinna thickness is 6 mm \pm 10%

Resolution:	0.01 mm	Calibrated to:	0.0 mm
Stability:	OK	Accuracy:	< 0.1 mm

Calibrated By: Karen K. Feb 17/04.

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