

Nemko Test Report: 2L0112RUS1

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**Equipment Under Test:
(E.U.T.)** RDR-MP-001

In Accordance With: **FCC Part 15, Subpart C, 15.247**
Frequency Hopping Transmitters

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Section 1. Summary of Test Results

Manufacturer: Telenexus, Inc.

Model No.: RDR-MP-001

Serial No.: P-0005

General: **All measurements are traceable to national standards.**

These tests were conducted on a sample of the equipment for the purpose of demonstrating compliance with Part 15, Subpart C, Paragraph 15.247 for Frequency Hopping Spread Spectrum devices. Radiated tests were conducted in accordance with ANSI C63.4-1992. Radiated emissions are made on an open area test site. A description of the test facility is on file with the FCC.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | New Submission | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Production Unit |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Class II Permissive Change | <input type="checkbox"/> | Pre-Production Unit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Family Listing | | |

THIS TEST REPORT RELATES ONLY TO THE ITEM(S) TESTED.

THE FOLLOWING DEVIATIONS FROM, ADDITIONS TO, OR EXCLUSIONS FROM THE TEST SPECIFICATIONS HAVE BEEN MADE.

See " Summary of Test Data".



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Summary Of Test Data

NAME OF TEST	PARA. NO.	SPEC.	RESULT
Powerline Conducted Emissions	15.207(a)	48 dB μ V	Not tested
Channel Separation	15.247(a)(1)	Greater of 25 kHz or 20 dB Bandwidth	Complies
Pseudorandom Hopping Algorithm	15.247(a)(1)	Separate exhibit	Complies
Time of Occupancy	15.247(a)(1)(ii)	\leq 0.4 sec in 30 sec	Complies
20 dB Occupied Bandwidth	15.247(a)(1)	\leq 1 MHz	Not tested
Peak Power Output	15.247(b)	1 Watt	Not tested
Spurious Emissions (Antenna Conducted)	15.247(c)	-20 dBc	Not tested
Spurious Emissions (Radiated)	15.247(c)	Table 15.209(a)	Not tested

Footnotes:

These items were not tested. The only change for this device is in the software controlling the hopping algorithm.

The duty cycle correction increased from -6.6 dB to -24.7, therefore increasing the margin on any radiated emissions.

Section 2. Equipment Under Test (E.U.T.)

General Equipment Information

Frequency Band: 902 – 928 MHz
 2400 – 2483.5 MHz

Number of Channels: >50

Channel Spacing: 500 kHz

Emissions Designator: AM/OOK

User Frequency Adjustment: Software controlled

Description of Modification for Modification Filing

The software controlling the hopping algorithm has been changed from the previously approved version. There are no hardware changes.

Family List Rational

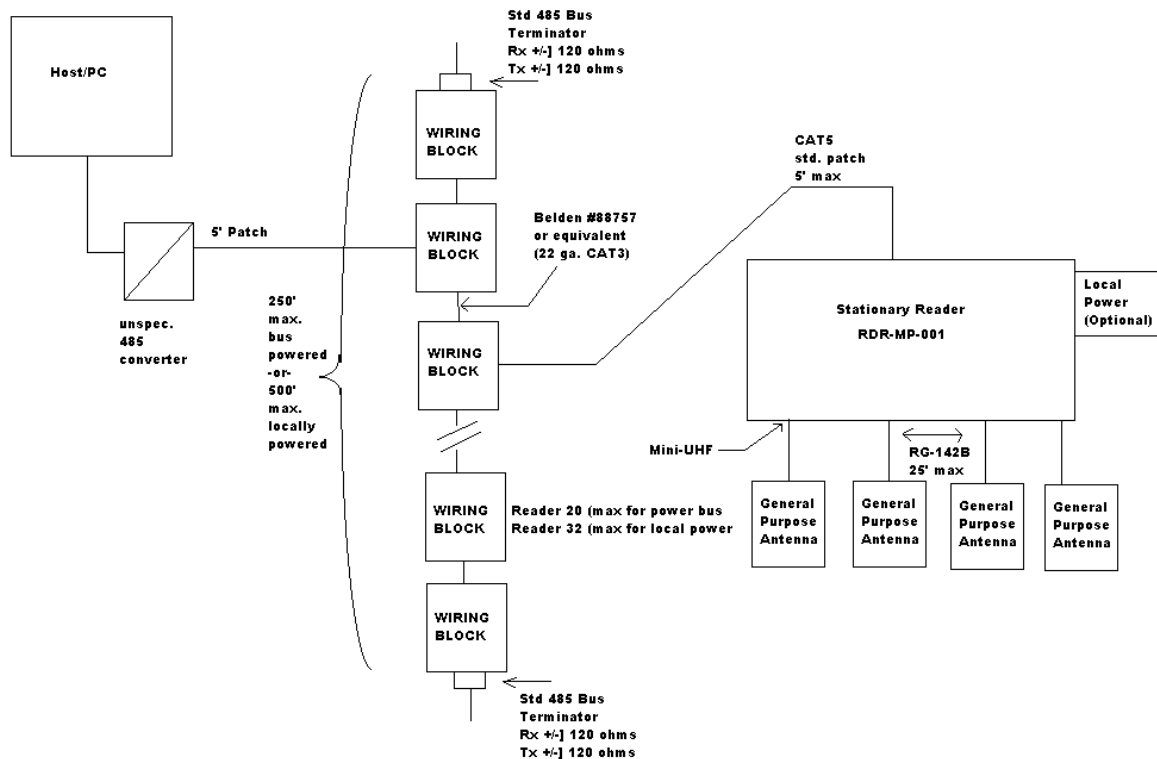
Not Applicable

Theory of Operation

Using a unique communication protocol, the 915 MHz frequency hopping spread spectrum reader can read a passive tag over a distance of more than 10 feet. The communication protocol greatly simplifies the tag circuitry and provides the ability to passively power the tag to greater distances.

The tag is completely passive and is powered by the energy it receives from the reader. Digital data is sent to the tag on a pulse width modulated On Off Keyed (OOK) transmitter signal. Data is communicated from the tag to the reader by modulated backscattered radiation.

System Diagram



Section 3. Channel Separation

NAME OF TEST: Channel Separation	PARA. NO.: 15.247(a)(1)
TESTED BY: David Light	DATE: 6/17/2002

Test Results: Complies.

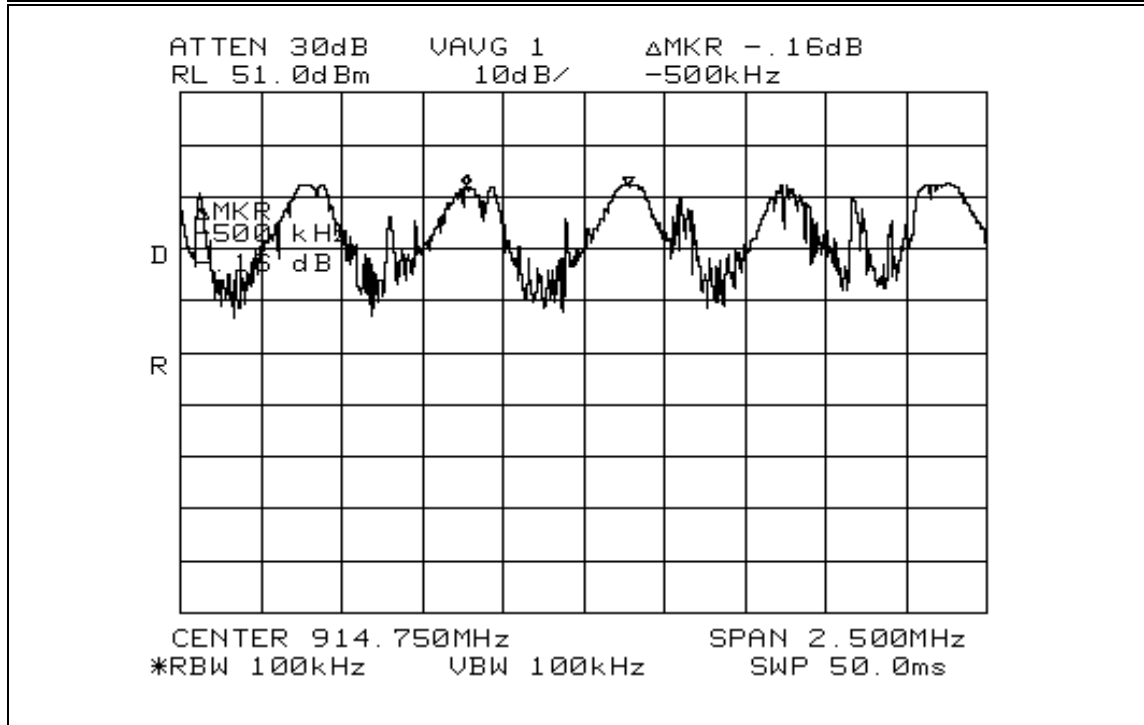


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Data Plot		Channel Separation			
Page <u>1</u> of <u>1</u>				Complete <u>X</u>	
Job No.: 2L0112		Date: <u>6/17/2002</u>		Preliminary: _____	
Specification: 15.247		Temperature(°C): <u>24</u>			
Tested By: <u>David Light</u>		Relative Humidity(%): <u>40</u>			
E.U.T.: <u>900 MHz HOPPER</u>					
Configuration: <u>TX ON ALL CHANNELS</u>					
Sample Number: <u>1</u>					
Location: <u>Lab 2</u>		RBW: <u>Refer to plots</u>		Measurement	
Detector Type: <u>Peak</u>		VBW: <u>Refer to plots</u>		Distance: <u>NA</u> m	
Test Equipment Used					
Antenna: _____		Directional Coupler: _____			
Pre-Amp: _____		Cable #1: <u>1045</u>			
Filter: _____		Cable #2: _____			
Receiver: <u>1464</u>		Cable #3: _____			
Attenuator #1: <u>1469</u>		Cable #4: _____			
Attenuator #2: <u>1476</u>		Mixer: _____			
Additional equipment used: _____					
Measurement Uncertainty: <u>+/-1.7 dB</u>					



Notes: _____

Section 4. Pseudorandom Hopping Algorithm

NAME OF TEST: Pseudorandom Hopping Algorithm	PARA. NO.: 15.247(a)(1)
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Test Results: Complies.

Measurement Data: See sample hopping sequence and description of algorithm in separate exhibit.
Number of Hopping Frequencies: 50+

Section 5. Time of Occupancy

NAME OF TEST: Time of Occupancy	PARA. NO.: 15.247(a)(1)
TESTED BY: David Light	DATE: 6/17/2002

Test Results: Complies.

Refer to Duty Cycle plot



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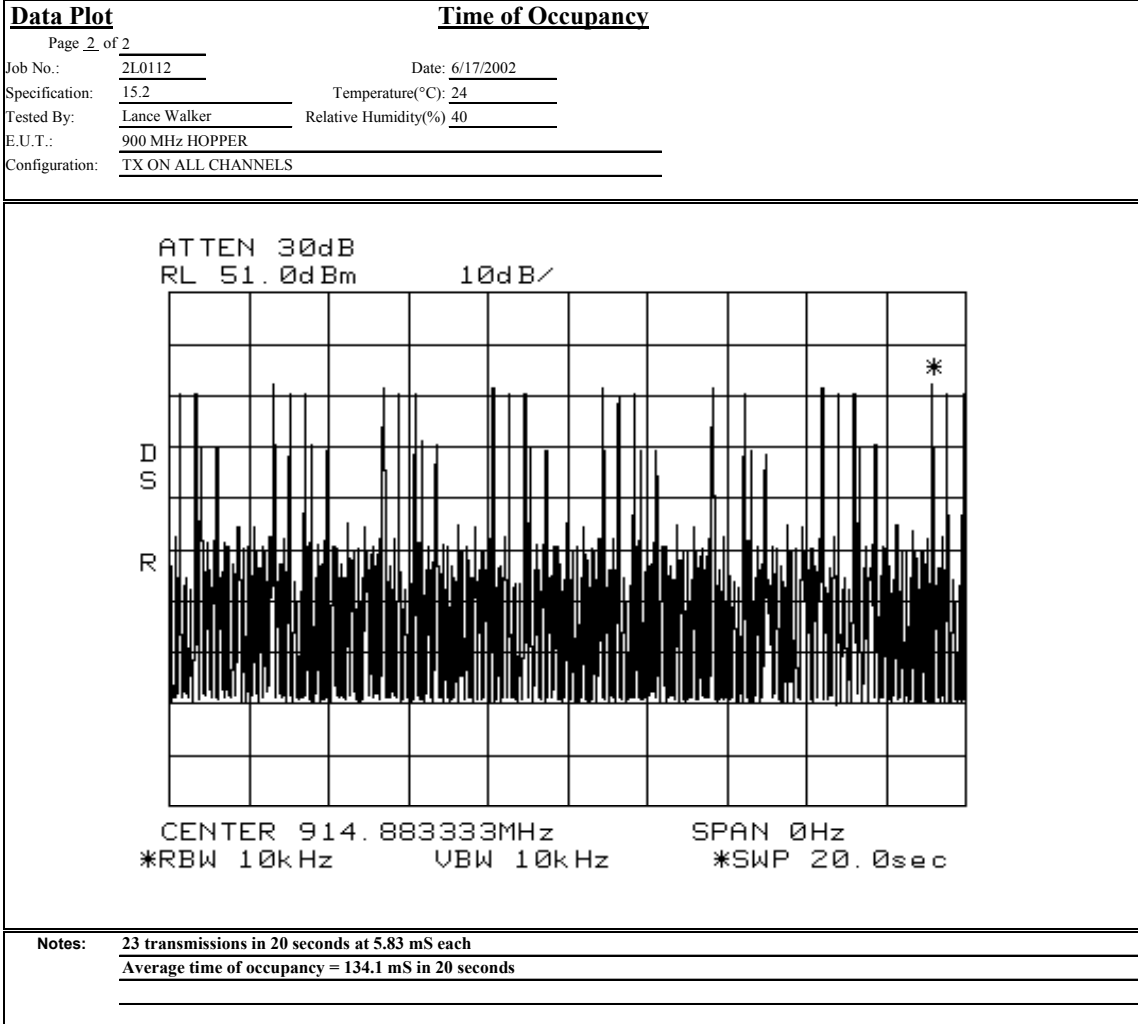
Data Plot	Time of Occupancy	
Page <u>1</u> of <u>2</u>	Date: <u>6/17/2002</u>	Complete _____
Job No.: <u>2L0112</u>	Temperature(°C): <u>24</u>	Preliminary: _____
Specification: <u>15.247</u>	Relative Humidity(%): <u>40</u>	
Tested By: <u>Lance Walker</u>		
E.U.T.: <u>900 MHz HOPPER</u>		
Configuration: <u>TX ON ALL CHANNELS</u>		
Sample Number: <u>1</u>		
Location: <u>Lab 2</u>	RBW: <u>Refer to plots</u>	Measurement
Detector Type: <u>Peak</u>	VBW: <u>Refer to plots</u>	Distance: <u>NA</u> m
Test Equipment Used		
Antenna: _____	Directional Coupler: _____	
Pre-Amp: _____	Cable #1: <u>1045</u>	
Filter: _____	Cable #2: _____	
Receiver: <u>1464</u>	Cable #3: _____	
Attenuator #1: <u>1469</u>	Cable #4: _____	
Attenuator #2: <u>1477</u>	Mixer: _____	
Additional equipment used: _____		
Measurement Uncertainty: <u>+/-1.7 dB</u>		
<p>ATTEN 30dB ΔMKR -42.66dB RL 51.0dBm 10dB/ 5.83ms</p> <p>CENTER 914.883333MHz SPAN 0Hz *RBW 10kHz UBW 10kHz *SWP 100ms</p>		
<p>Notes: <u>5.83 mS/100 mS</u> <u>20 log(5.83mS/100mS) = -24.7 dB Duty Cycle Correction</u></p>		



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Section 6. Test Equipment List

Nemko ID	Description	Manufacturer Model Number	Serial Number	Calibration Date
1464	Spectrum analyzer	Hewlett Packard 8563E	3551A04428	01/02/01
1477	20db Attenuator DC 18 Ghz	MCL Inc. BW-S20W5	NONE	CBU
1469	10 db Attenuator DC 18 Ghz	MCL Inc. BW-S10W2 10db-2WDC	NONE	CBU
1042	CABLE, 4M	STORM PR90-010-144	N/A	06/14/02

ANNEX A - TEST DETAILS

NAME OF TEST: Powerline Conducted Emissions	PARA. NO.: 15.207(a)
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Minimum Standard:

The R.F. that is conducted back onto the AC power line on any frequency within the band 0.45 to 30 MHz shall not exceed 250 μ V (48 dB μ V) across 50 ohms.

NAME OF TEST: Channel Separation	PARA. NO.: 15.247(a)(1)
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Minimum Standard: Frequency hopping systems shall have hopping channel carrier frequencies separated by a minimum of 25 kHz or the 20 dB bandwidth of the hopping channel, whichever is greater.

NAME OF TEST: Pseudorandom Hopping Algorithm	PARA. NO.: 15.247(a)(1)
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Minimum Standard:

The system shall hop to channel frequencies that are selected from a pseudorandomly ordered list of hopping frequencies. Each frequency must be used equally on average by each transmitter. The system receivers shall have input bandwidths that match the hopping channel bandwidths of their transmitters and shall shift frequencies in synchronization with the transmitted signals.

NAME OF TEST: Time of Occupancy	PARA. NO.: 15.247(a)(1)(ii)
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Minimum Standard:

Frequency Band (MHz)	20 dB Bandwidth	No. of Hopping Channels	Average Time of Occupancy
902 - 928	<250 kHz	50	=<0.4 sec. in 20 sec.
902 - 928	=>250 kHz	25	=<0.4 sec. in 10 sec.
2400 - 2483.5	-----	75	=<0.4 sec. in 30 sec.
5725 - 5850	-----	75	=<0.4 sec. in 30 sec.

Method Of Measurement:

The spectrum analyzer is set as follows:

RBW: 1 MHz

VBW: = RBW

Span: 0 Hz

LOG dB/div.: 10 dB

Sweep: Sufficient to see one hop time sequence.

Trigger: Video

The occupancy time of one hop is measured as above. The average time of occupancy is calculated over the appropriate period of time from above table (10, 20, or 30 seconds).

Avg. time of occupancy = (period from table/duration of one hop)/no. of channels multiplied by the duration of one hop.

For instance:

If a 2.4 GHz system has a measured hop duration time of 1 msec. and uses 75 channels, then the average time of occupancy would be:

$$(30 \text{ sec.} / .001 \text{ sec.}) / 75 \text{ chan.} = 400 \times 1 \text{ msec.} = 400 \text{ msec. or } 0.4 \text{ sec. in } 30 \text{ sec.}$$

NAME OF TEST: Occupied Bandwidth	PARA. NO.: 15.247(a)(2)
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Minimum Standard:

Frequency Band (MHz)	Maximum 20 dB Bandwidth
902 - 928	500 kHz
2400 – 2483.5	1 MHz
5725 – 5850	1 MHz

Method Of Measurement:

The spectrum analyzer is set as follows:

RBW: At least 1% of span/div.

VBW: >RBW

Span: Sufficient to display 20 dB bandwidth

LOG dB/div.: 10 dB

Sweep: Auto

Number of channels tested:

Tuning range	Number of channels tested	Channel location in band
1 MHz or less	1	middle
1 to 10 MHz	2	top and bottom
more than 10 MHz	3	top, middle, bottom

NAME OF TEST: Peak Power Output	PARA. NO.: 15.247(b)
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Minimum Standard:

Frequency Band (MHz)	No. of Hopping Channels	Maximum Peak Power Output at Antenna Port
902 - 928	at least 50	1 watt
902 – 928	25 - 49	0.25 watts
2400 – 2483.5	75	1 watt
5725 – 5850	75	1 watt

If transmitting antennas of directional gain greater than 6 dBi are used, the power shall be reduced by the amount in dB that the directional gain of the antenna exceeds 6 dBi.

Systems operating in the 2400-2483.5 MHz band that are used exclusively for fixed, point to point operation may employ transmitting antennas with directional gain greater than 6 dBi provided the maximum peak output power is reduced by 1 dB for every 3 dB that the directional gain of the antenna exceed 6 dBi.

Systems operating in the 5725 – 5850 MHz band that are used exclusively for fixed, point-to-point operation may employ transmitting antennas with directional gain greater than 6 dBi without any corresponding reduction in transmitter peak output power.

Direct Measurement Method For Detachable Antennas:

If the antenna is detachable, a peak power meter is used to measure the power output with the transmitter operating into a 50 ohm load. The dBi gain of the antenna(s) employed shall be reported.

Calculation Of EIRP For Integral Antenna:

If the antenna is not detachable from the circuit then the Peak Power Output is derived from the peak radiated field strength of the fundamental emission by using the plane wave relation $GP/4\pi$

$R^2 = E^2/120\pi$ and proceeding as follows:

$$P = \frac{E^2 R^2}{30G} = \frac{E^2 3^2}{30G}$$

where,

P = the equivalent isotropic radiated power in watts

E = the maximum measured field strength in V/m

R = the measurement range (3 meters)

G = the numeric gain of the transmit antenna in relation to an isotropic radiator

The RBW of the spectrum analyzer shall be set to a value greater than the measured 20 dB occupied bandwidth of the E.U.T.

Number of channels tested:

Tuning range	Number of channels tested	Channel location in band
1 MHz or less	1	middle
1 to 10 MHz	2	top and bottom
more than 10 MHz	3	top, middle, bottom

NAME OF TEST: Spurious Emissions at Antenna Terminals PARA. NO.: 15.247(c)

Minimum Standard: In any 100kHz bandwidth outside the frequency band in which the transmitter is operating, emissions shall be at least 20 dB below the fundamental emission or shall not exceed the following field strength limits. Emissions falling in the restricted bands of 15.205 shall not exceed the following field strength limits:

Frequency (MHz)	Field Strength (µV/m @ 3m)	Field Strength (dB @ 3m)
30 - 88	100	40.0
88 - 216	150	43.5
216 - 960	200	46.0
Above 960	500	54.0

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Method Of Measurement:

30 MHz - 10th harmonic plot

RBW: 100 kHz
 VBW: 300 kHz
 Sweep: Auto
 Display line: -20 dBc

Lower Band Edge

RBW: At least 1% of span/div.
 VBW: >RBW
 Span: As necessary to display any spurious at band edge.
 Sweep: Auto
 Center Frequency: 902 MHz, 2400 MHz, or 5725 MHz
 Marker: Peak of fundamental emission
 Marker Δ: Peak of highest spurious level below center frequency.

Upper Band Edge

RBW: At least 1% of span/div.
 VBW: >RBW
 Span: As necessary to display any spurious at band edge.
 Sweep: Auto
 Center Frequency: 928 MHz, 2483.5 MHz, or 5850 MHz
 Marker: Peak of fundamental emission
 Marker Δ: Peak of highest spurious level above center frequency.

Number of channels tested:

Tuning range	Number of channels tested	Channel location in band
1 MHz or less	1	middle
1 to 10 MHz	2	top and bottom
more than 10 MHz	3	top, middle, bottom

NAME OF TEST: Radiated Spurious Emissions	PARA. NO.: 15.247(c)
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Minimum Standard: In any 100kHz bandwidth outside the frequency band in which the transmitter is operating, emissions shall be at least 20 dB below the fundamental emission or shall not exceed the following field strength limits:

Emissions falling in the restricted bands of 15.205 shall not exceed the following field strength limits:

Frequency (MHz)	Field Strength (µV/m @ 3m)	Field Strength (dB @ 3m)
30 - 88	100	40.0
88 - 216	150	43.5
216 - 960	200	46.0
Above 960	500	54.0

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15.205 Restricted Bands

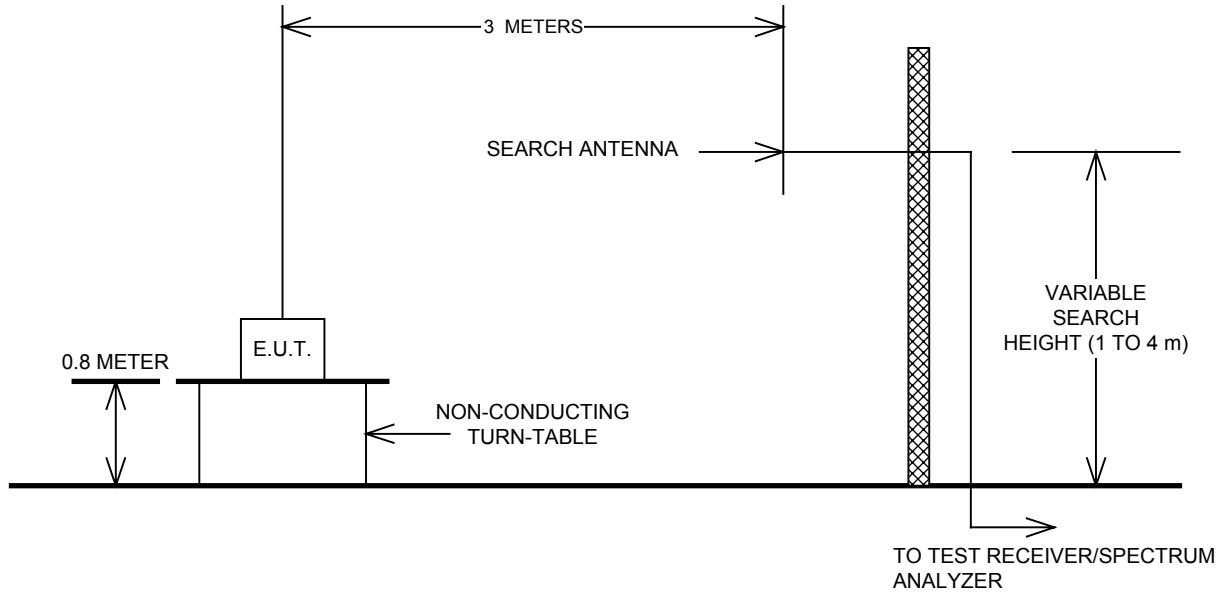
MHz	MHz	MHz	GHz
0.09-0.11	16.42-16.423	399.9-410	4.5-5.25
0.495-0.505	16.69475-16.69525	608-614	5.35-5.46
2.1735-2.1905	16.80425-16.80475	960-1240	7.25-7.75
4.125-4.128	25.5-25.67	1300-1427	8.025-8.5
4.17725-4.17775	37.5-38.25	1435-1626.5	9.0-9.2
4.20725-4.20775	73-74.6	1645.5-1646.5	9.3-9.5
6.125-6.218	74.8-75.2	1660-1710	10.6-12.7
6.26775-6.26825	108-121.94	1718.8-1722.2	13.25-13.4
6.31175-6.31225	123-138	2200-2300	14.47-14.5
8.291-8.294	149.9-150.05	2310-2390	15.35-16.2
8.362-8.366	156.52475-156.52525	2483.5-2500	17.7-21.4
8.37625-8.38675	156.7-156.9	2655-2900	22.01-23.12
8.41425-8.41475	162.0125-167.17	3260-3267	23.6-24.0
12.29-12.293	167.72-173.2	3332-3339	31.2-31.8
12.51975-12.52025	240-285	3345.8-3358	36.43-36.5
12.57675-12.57725	322-335.4	3600-4400	Above 38.6
13.36-13.41	1718		

Number of channels tested:

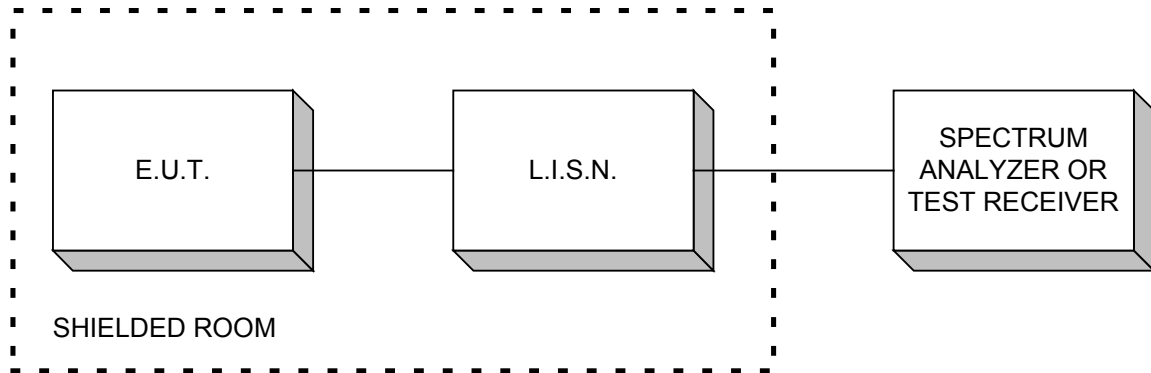
Tuning range	Number of channels tested	Channel location in band
1 MHz or less	1	middle
1 to 10 MHz	2	top and bottom
more than 10 MHz	3	top, middle, bottom

ANNEX B - TEST DIAGRAMS

Test Site For Radiated Emissions



Conducted Emissions



Peak Power At Antenna Terminals

