

# **Certification Test Report**

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## 1 GENERAL

## 1.1 Purpose

The purpose of this report is to demonstrate compliance with Part 15 Subpart C of the FCC's Code of Federal Regulations and Industry Canada's Radio Standards Specification RSS-210 for limited modular approval (LMA) certification.

## 1.2 Product Description

The Itron 570973-001 (Kv2c-AMPZ) is an electricity metering module used in the GE Kv2c EPS meter platform in forms 2S, 9S, 12S, 16S, and 45S. The 570973-001 (Kv2c-AMPZ) includes (1) HAN 802.15.4 2.4 GHz radio for home automation interface with Zigbee compliant devices and an on-board Sierra Wireless CDMA modem SL5011 (FCC ID: N7NSL5011 / IC: 2417C-SL5011). The Sierra Wireless CDMA modem SL5011 is modular approved and not covered under the scope of this report.

The 570973-001 Kv2c-AMPZ is designed to be integrated into 2S, 9S, 12S, 16S and 45S electric utility meter forms and be collocated and transmit simultaneously with the on-board Sierra Wireless CDMA modem SL5011 (FCC ID: N7NSL5011 / IC: 2417C-SL5011).

#### Technical Information:

Detail	Description
Frequency Range	2405 – 2475 MHz
Number of Channels	15
Modulation Format	O-QPSK
Operating Voltage	28 VDC (Via supply of host meter)
Antenna Type / Gain	Embedded PCB inverted F; 3.3 dBi

Manufacturer Information: Itron 4400 Old Canton Road Suite 300 Jackson, MS 39211

Test Sample Serial Number: D49000046101

Test Sample Condition: The test samples were provided in good working order with no visible defects.

## 1.3 Test Methodology and Considerations

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The 570973-001 Kv2c-AMPZ is designed to be integrated into 2S, 9S, 12S, 16S and 45S electric utility meter forms therefore for radiated emissions, including band edge, the EUT were evaluated in the multiple hosts and worst case data presented in this report. Worst case data represents 2S electric utility meter form at 120Vac/60Hz.

The EUT is designed to be integrated into 2S, 9S, 12S, 16S and 45S electric utility meter host forms and be collocated and transmit simultaneously with an on-board Sierra Wireless CDMA modem SL5011 (FCC ID: N7NSL5011 / IC: 2417C-SL5011). Radiated inter-modulation testing was performed for all combinations of simultaneous transmission and found to be in compliance.

(2) antenna options for the on-board Sierra Wireless CDMA modem SL5011 (FCC ID: N7NSL5011 / IC: 2417C-SL5011) are available. The antenna options include an under glass flexible ribbon (0 dBi both bands) or external mono-pole (+3dBi 800 band, +4dBi 1900 band). Use of the external mono-pole requires an antenna interface PCB for providing an external antenna connection. Both antenna options were evaluated for radiated emissions to determine the effects on the 802.15.4 transceiver covered under this report. Both antenna options were also evaluated for radiated inter-modulation products for all combinations of simultaneous transmission.

The 570973-001 Kv2c-AMPZ is designed to be integrated into 2S, 9S, 12S, 16S and 45S electric utility meter forms which can operate at various voltages. Input voltage did not affect the RF parameters however each meter form was evaluated for AC power line conducted emissions at all possible input voltages and all data is presented in this report.

For the purpose of RF conducted measurements, the EUT was modified with a temporary 50 ohm antenna port.

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## **2 TEST FACILITIES**

#### 2.1 Location

The radiated and conducted emissions test sites are located at the following address:

Advanced Compliance Solutions 5015 B.U. Bowman Drive Buford, GA 30518 Phone: (770) 831-8048 Fax: (770) 831-8598

## 2.2 Laboratory Accreditations/Recognitions/Certifications

ACS is accredited to ISO/IEC 17025 by the National Institute of Standards and Technology under their National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program (NVLAP), Lab Code 200612-0. Unless otherwise specified, all tests methods described within this report are covered under the ISO/IEC 17025 scope of accreditation.

The Semi-Anechoic Chamber Test Site, Open Area Test Site (OATS) and Conducted Emissions Site have been fully described, submitted to, and accepted by the FCC, Industry Canada and the Japanese Voluntary Control Council for Interference by information technology equipment.

FCC Registration Number: 511277 Industry Canada Lab Code: IC 4175A-1

VCCI Member Number: 1831

VCCI OATS Registration Number R-1526

VCCI Conducted Emissions Site Registration Number: C-1608

## 2.3 Radiated Emissions Test Site Description

#### 2.3.1 Semi-Anechoic Chamber Test Site

Model: 570973-001

The Semi-Anechoic Chamber Test Site consists of a 20' x 30' x 18' shielded enclosure. The chamber is lined with Toyo Ferrite Grid Absorber, model number FFG-1000. The ferrite tile grid is 101 x 101 x 19mm thick and weighs approximately 550 grams. These tiles are mounted on steel panels and installed directly on the inner walls of the chamber.

The turntable is 150cm in diameter and is located 160cm from the back wall of the chamber. The chamber is grounded via 1 - 8' copper ground rod, installed at the center of the back wall, it is bound to the ground plane using 3/4" stainless steel braided cable.

The turntable is all steel, flush mounted table installed in an all steel frame. The table is remotely operated from inside the control room located 25' from the range. The turntable is electrically bonded to the surrounding ground plane via steel fingers installed on the edge of the turn table. The steel fingers make constant contact with the ground plane during operation.

Behind the turntable is a 3' x 6' x 4' deep shielded pit used for support equipment if necessary. The pit is equipped with 1 - 4" PVC chases from the turntable to the pit that allow for cabling to the EUT if necessary. The underside of the turntable can be accessed from the pit so cables can be supplied to the EUT from the pit.

A diagram of the Semi-Anechoic Chamber Test Site is shown in Figure 2.3-1 below:

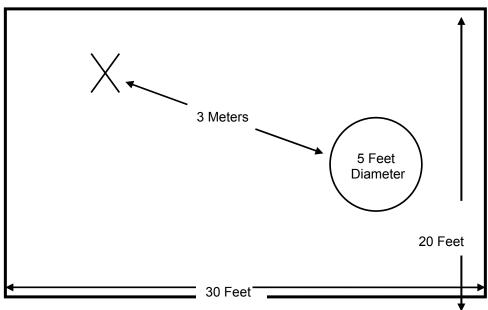


Figure 2.3-1: Semi-Anechoic Chamber Test Site

## 2.3.2 Open Area Tests Site (OATS)

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The open area test site consists of a 40' x 66' concrete pad covered with a perforated electroplated galvanized sheet metal. The perforations in the sheet metal are 1/8" holes that are staggered every 3/16". The individual sheets are placed to overlap each other by 1/4" and are riveted together to provide a continuous seam. Rivets are spaced every 3" in a 3 x 20 meter perimeter around the antenna mast and EUT area. Rivets in the remaining area are spaced as necessary to properly secure the ground plane and maintain the electrical continuity.

The entire ground plane extends 12' beyond the turntable edge and 16' beyond the antenna mast when set to a 10 meter measurement distance. The ground plane is grounded via 4 - 8' copper ground rods, each installed at a corner of the ground plane and bound to the ground plane using 3/4" stainless steel braided cable.

The turntable is an all aluminum 10' flush mounted table installed in an all aluminum frame. The table is remotely operated from inside the control room located 40' from the range. The turntable is electrically bonded to the surrounding ground plane via steel fingers installed on the edge of the turn table. The steel fingers make constant contact with the ground plane during operation.

Adjacent to the turntable is a 7' x 7' square and 4' deep concrete pit used for support equipment if necessary. The pit is equipped with 5 - 4" PVC chases from the pit to the control room that allow for cabling to the EUT if necessary. The underside of the turntable can be accessed from the pit so cables can be supplied to the EUT from the pit. The pit is covered with 2 sheets of 1/4" diamond style re-enforced steel sheets. The sheets are painted to match the perforated steel ground plane; however the underside edges have been masked off to maintain the electrical continuity of the ground plane. All reflecting objects are located outside of the ellipse defined in ANSI C63.4.

A diagram of the Open Area Test Site is shown in Figure 2.3-2 below:

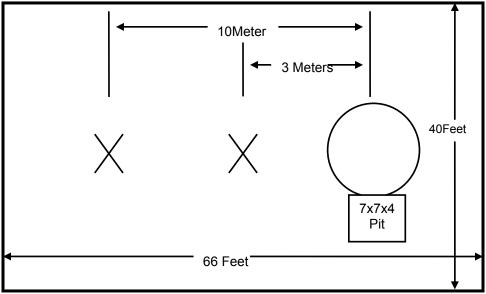


Figure 2.3-2: Open Area Test Site

## 2.4 Conducted Emissions Test Site Description

The AC mains conducted EMI site is located in the main EMC lab. It consists of an 8' x 8' solid aluminum horizontal ground reference plane (GRP) bonded every 3" to an 8' X 8' vertical ground plane.

The site is of sufficient size to test table top and floor standing equipment in accordance with section 6.1.4 of ANSI C63.4.

A diagram of the room is shown below in figure 4.1.3-1:

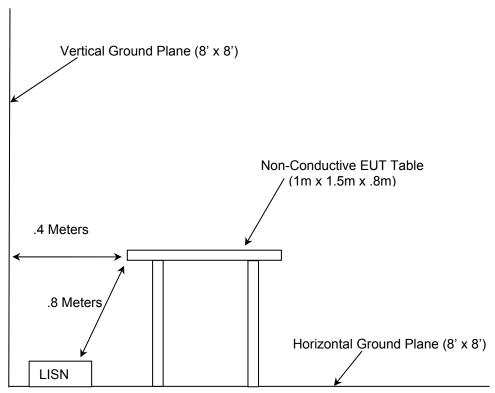


Figure 2.4-1: AC Mains Conducted EMI Site

#### 3 APPLICABLE STANDARD REFERENCES

The following standards were used:

- ANSI C63.4-2003: Method of Measurements of Radio-Noise Emissions from Low-Voltage Electrical and Electronic Equipment in the 9KHz to 40GHz
- ANSI C63.10-2009: American National Standard for Testing Unlicensed Wireless Devices
- US Code of Federal Regulations (CFR): Title 47, Part 2, Subpart J: Equipment Authorization Procedures, 2013
- US Code of Federal Regulations (CFR): Title 47, Part 15, Subpart C: Radio Frequency Devices, Intentional Radiators, 2013
- FCC KDB 558074 D01 DTS Meas Guidance v03r01 Guidance for Performing Compliance Measurements on Digital Transmission Systems (DTS) Operating Under §15.247, April 9, 2013
- Industry Canada Radio Standards Specification: RSS-210 Low-power License-exempt Radiocommunication Devices (All Frequency Bands): Category I Equipment, Issue 8, Dec 2010
- ❖ Industry Canada Radio Standards Specification: RSS-GEN − General Requirements and Information for the Certification of Radiocommunication Equipment, Issue 3, Dec 2010.

## 4 LIST OF TEST EQUIPMENT

The calibration interval of test equipment is annually or the manufacturer's recommendations. Where the calibration interval deviates from the annual cycle based on the instrument manufacturer's recommendations, it shall be stated below.

**Table 4-1: Test Equipment** 

AssetID	Manufacturer	Model #	Equipment Type	Serial #	Last Calibration Date	Calibration Due Date							
1	Rohde & Schwarz	ESMI - Display	Spectrum Analyzers	833771/007	8/2/2012	8/2/2014							
2	Rohde & Schwarz	ESMI-Receiver	Spectrum Analyzers	839587/003	8/2/2012	8/2/2014							
30	Spectrum Technologies	DRH-0118	Antennas	970102	4/23/2013	4/23/2015							
40	EMCO	3104 8447D		8447D	8447D	8447D	8447D			Antennas	3211	2/14/2013	2/14/2015
73	Agilent								Amplifiers	2727A05624	7/16/2013	7/16/2014	
153	EMCO	3825/2	LISN	9411-2268	7/31/2012	7/31/2014							
167	ACS	Chamber EMI Cable Set	Cable Set	167	11/7/2013	11/7/2014							
168	Hewlett Packard	11947A	Attenuators	44829	2/1/2013	2/1/2014							
267	Agilent	N1911A	Meters	MY45100129	7/30/2013	7/30/2015							
268	Agilent	N1921A	Sensors	MY45240184	7/30/2013	7/30/2015							
283	Rohde & Schwarz	FSP40	Spectrum Analyzers	1000033	9/18/2013	9/18/2015							
292	Florida RF Cables	SMR-290AW- 480.0-SMR	Cables	None	3/26/2013	3/26/2014							
324	ACS	Belden	Cables	8214	6/17/2013	6/17/2014 NCR							
334	Rohde&Schwarz	3160-09	Antennas	49404	11/4/2010								
335	Suhner	SF-102A	Cables	882/2A	7/29/2013	7/29/2014							
338	Hewlett Packard	8449B	Amplifiers	3008A01111	7/30/2013	7/30/2015							
340	Aeroflex/Weinschel	AS-20	Attenuators	7136	7/30/2013	7/30/2014							
345	Suhner Sucoflex	102A	Cables	1077/2A	7/29/2013	7/29/2014							
412	Electro Metrics	LPA-25	Antennas	1241	7/27/2012	7/27/2014							
422	Florida RF	SMS-200AW-72.0- SMR	Cables	805	11/7/2013	11/7/2014							
432	Microwave Circuits	H3G020G4	Filters	264066	6/19/2013	6/19/2014							
486	Hewlett Packard	8591E	Analyzers	3543A04709	7/12/2013	7/12/2014							
616	Florida RF Cables	SMRE-200W-12.0- SMRE	Cables	N/A	9/26/2013	9/26/2014							

## **5 SUPPORT EQUIPMENT**

**Table 5-1: Support Equipment** 

Item	Equipment Type	Manufacturer	Model Number	Serial Number
1	Form 2S, 9S, 12S, 16S and 45S Electric Utility Meter	Itron Inc.	2S: FM2S 9S: FM9S 12S: FM12S 16S: FM16S 45S: FM45S	2S: 57 847 145 9S: 59 133 935 12S: 57 847 345 16S: 57 847 077 45S: 57 847 182
2	Variac	General Radio USA	PLZ150W	N/A
3	Step-Up Transformer	Federal Pacific	SB16N1.5F	0828100128
4	Isolation Transformer	Hammond Manufacturing	171B	N/A

## 6 EQUIPMENT UNDER TEST SETUP BLOCK DIAGRAM

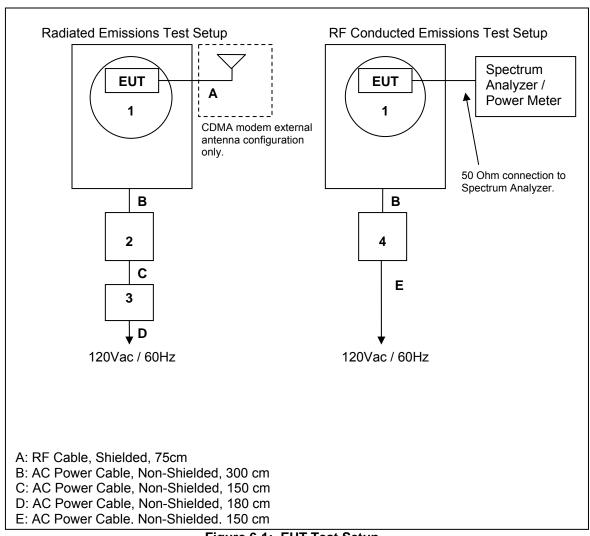


Figure 6-1: EUT Test Setup

## 7 SUMMARY OF TESTS

Model: 570973-001

Along with the tabular data shown below, plots were taken of all signals deemed important enough to document.

## 7.1 Antenna Requirement – Section 15.203

The EUT utilizes an embedded PCB F-type antenna which cannot be removed without permanently damaging the device thus satisfying Part 15.203. The gain on the F-type antenna is 3.3dBi.

## 7.2 Power Line Conducted Emissions – FCC: Section 15.207, IC: RSS-Gen 7.2.4

#### 7.2.1 Measurement Procedure

ANSI C63.4 sections 6 and 7 were the guiding documents for this evaluation. Conducted emissions were performed from 150kHz to 30MHz with the spectrum analyzer's resolution bandwidth set to 9kHz and the video bandwidth set to 30kHz. The calculation for the conducted emissions is as follows:

Corrected Reading = Analyzer Reading + LISN Loss + Cable Loss Margin = Applicable Limit - Corrected Reading

#### 7.2.2 Measurement Results

Results of the test are shown below in Tables 7.2.2-1 - 7.2.2-20.

Table 7.2.2-1: Conducted EMI Results – 2S Meter Host (120 VAC) – Line 1

Frequency (MHz)	Uncorrected Reading		Total Corrected		d Level Limit		it	Margin (dB)	
, ,	Quasi- Peak	Average	(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average
21.4015	21.4	15.947	10.934	32.334	26.881	60	50	27.666	23.119
18.6949	24.57	19.383	10.867	35.437	30.25	60	50	24.563	19.75
0.98706	21.61	15.637	10.487	32.097	26.124	56	46	23.903	19.876
0.68143	31.26	25.383	10.323	41.583	35.707	56	46	14.417	10.293
0.58053	29.11	24.037	10.491	39.601	34.527	56	46	16.399	11.473
0.17256	25.45	17.613	10.42	35.87	28.033	65.355	55.355	29.485	27.322

Table 7.2.2-2: Conducted EMI Results – 2S Meter Host (120 VAC) – Line 2

Frequency (MHz)	Uncorrected Reading		Total Correction Factor	Corrected	Corrected Level		Limit		Margin (dB)	
, ,	Quasi- Peak	Average	(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	
21.8413	27.41	22.02	10.956	38.366	32.976	60	50	21.634	17.024	
21.4592	28.12	22.683	10.937	39.057	33.62	60	50	20.943	16.38	
18.6395	25.89	20.557	10.867	36.757	31.424	60	50	23.243	18.576	
0.68186	18.06	11.367	10.323	28.383	21.689	56	46	27.617	24.311	
0.4962	17.04	15.42	10.489	27.529	25.909	56.109	46.109	28.579	20.199	
0.173	21.98	15.9	10.42	32.4	26.32	65.343	55.343	32.943	29.023	

Table 7.2.2-3: Conducted EMI Results – 2S Meter Host (277 VAC) – Line 1

Frequency (MHz)	Uncorrected Reading		Total Correction Factor	Corrected Level		Limit		Margin (dB)	
, ,	Quasi- Peak	Average	(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average
5.0142	23.55	17.517	10.547	34.097	28.064	60	50	25.903	21.936
4.99	22.3	16.26	10.547	32.847	26.807	56	46	23.153	19.193
4.50554	29.12	24.4	10.538	39.658	34.938	56	46	16.342	11.062
0.76593	32.19	25.25	10.418	42.608	35.668	56	46	13.392	10.332
0.65631	31.38	21.677	10.375	41.755	32.052	56	46	14.245	13.948
0.48674	30.03	24.9	10.489	40.519	35.389	56.379	46.379	15.859	10.989

Table 7.2.2-4: Conducted EMI Results – 2S Meter Host (277 VAC) – Line 2

Frequency (MHz)	Uncorrected Reading		Total Corrected		d Level Limi		Limit		Margin (dB)	
` ′	Quasi- Peak	Average	(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	
24.7425	24.66	21.4	11.178	35.838	32.578	60	50	24.162	17.422	
24.2401	30	27.53	11.102	41.102	38.632	60	50	18.898	11.368	
23.7313	27.7	22.53	11.052	38.752	33.582	60	50	21.248	16.418	
22.7275	28.87	24.44	11.001	39.871	35.441	60	50	20.129	14.559	
21.3552	23.63	16.73	10.931	34.561	27.661	60	50	25.439	22.339	
20.4165	20.87	14.457	10.884	31.754	25.34	60	50	28.246	24.66	

Table 7.2.2-5: Conducted EMI Results – 9S Meter Host (120 VAC) – Line 1

Frequency (MHz)	Uncorrected Reading		Total Correction Factor	Corrected	Corrected Level		Limit		Margin (dB)	
	Quasi- Peak Average (dB)		(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	
28.4687	19.86	11.68	11.346	31.206	23.026	60	50	28.794	26.974	
26.497	23.73	18.677	11.243	34.973	29.92	60	50	25.027	20.08	
25.9864	25.33	20.183	11.267	36.597	31.45	60	50	23.403	18.55	
24.4669	24.42	19.29	11.136	35.556	30.426	60	50	24.444	19.574	
23.4898	25.82	18.337	11.04	36.86	29.377	60	50	23.14	20.623	
19.3181	25.22	20.333	10.865	36.085	31.198	60	50	23.915	18.802	

Table 7.2.2-6: Conducted EMI Results – 9S Meter Host (120 VAC) – Line 2

Frequency (MHz)	Uncorrected Reading		Total Correction Factor	Corrected Level		Limit		Margin (dB)	
(2)	Quasi- Peak	Average	(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average
26.5426	18.01	12.783	11.241	29.251	24.024	60	50	30.749	25.976
26.0752	27.24	21.823	11.264	38.504	33.087	60	50	21.496	16.913
24.5715	27.07	23.25	11.152	38.222	34.402	60	50	21.778	15.598
19.1317	33.4	28.603	10.865	44.265	39.469	60	50	15.735	10.531
0.69629	30.97	23.693	10.293	41.263	33.986	56	46	14.737	12.014
0.50135	20.91	18.583	10.489	31.399	29.073	56	46	24.601	16.927

Table 7.2.2-7: Conducted EMI Results – 9S Meter Host (277 VAC) – Line 1

Frequency (MHz)	Uncorrected Reading		Total Correcte Correction Factor		d Level Limi		it	Margin (dB)	
, ,	Quasi- Peak Average (dB)	(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	
24.4124	16.28	9.303	11.128	27.408	20.431	60	50	32.592	29.569
23.9295	18.84	11.057	11.062	29.902	22.119	60	50	30.098	27.881
23.219	19.41	10.88	11.026	30.436	21.906	60	50	29.564	28.094
0.255	21.84	11.76	10.453	32.293	22.213	63	53	30.707	30.787
0.18141	23.29	16.407	10.416	33.706	26.823	65.103	55.103	31.396	28.28
0.152015	14.43	4.06	10.431	24.861	14.491	65.942	55.942	41.082	41.452

Table 7.2.2-8: Conducted EMI Results – 9S Meter Host (277 VAC) – Line 2

Frequency (MHz)	Uncorrected Reading		Total Correction Factor	Corrected Level		Limit		Margin (dB)	
, ,	Quasi- Peak Aver		(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average
5.43862	28.18	23.16	10.557	38.737	33.717	60	50	21.263	16.283
2.19275	28.33	22.497	10.501	38.831	32.998	56	46	17.169	13.002
1.23056	28.94	22.287	10.49	39.43	32.776	56	46	16.57	13.224
0.75971	31.76	23.007	10.405	42.165	33.412	56	46	13.835	12.588
0.66588	31.39	22.67	10.355	41.745	33.025	56	46	14.255	12.975
0.52688	30.37	22.613	10.49	40.86	33.103	56	46	15.14	12.897

Table 7.2.2-9: Conducted EMI Results - 12S Meter Host (120 VAC) - Line 1

					12 112 113 113 113 113 113 113 113 113 1				
Frequency (MHz)		rrected ading	Total Correction Factor	Corrected Level		Limit		Margin (dB)	
, ,	Quasi- Peak	Average	(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average
20.382	36.92	31.44	10.59	47.51	42.03	60.00	50.00	12.5	8.0
1.5	23.78	22.63	9.99	33.77	32.62	56.00	46.00	22.2	13.4
1	26.43	26.39	9.99	36.42	36.38	56.00	46.00	19.6	9.6
0.5026	27.21	26.58	9.99	37.20	36.57	55.96	45.96	18.8	9.4
0.5025	27.02	26.58	9.99	37.01	36.57	55.96	45.96	18.9	9.4
0.16795	19.37	15.707	10.422	29.792	26.129	65.487	55.487	35.695	29.358

Table 7.2.2-10: Conducted EMI Results – 12S Meter Host (120 VAC) – Line 2

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Frequency (MHz)		rrected ading	Total Correction Factor	Corrected Level		Limit		Margin (dB)	
	Quasi- Peak	Average	(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average
20.0735	33.81	29.077	10.866	44.676	39.943	60	50	15.324	10.057
13.9	35.1	30.08	10.50	45.60	40.58	60.00	50.00	14.4	9.4
0.99775	18.01	9.78	10.487	28.497	20.267	56	46	27.503	25.733
0.69686	31.39	24.74	10.292	41.682	35.032	56	46	14.318	10.968
0.5077	24.03	22.76	10.49	34.52	33.25	56	46	21.48	12.75
0.49413	13.15	8.713	10.489	23.639	19.203	56.168	46.168	32.528	26.965

Table 7.2.2-11: Conducted EMI Results – 12S Meter Host (277 VAC) – Line 1

Frequency (MHz)	0.1100	rrected ading	Total Correction Factor	Corrected Level		Limit		Margin (dB)	
, ,	Quasi- Peak	Average	(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average
21.9603	22.82	17.103	10.962	33.782	28.066	60	50	26.218	21.934
19.9944	23.86	18.247	10.863	34.723	29.109	60	50	25.277	20.891
13.902	23.27	17.973	10.833	34.103	28.807	60	50	25.897	21.193
0.998	26.84	26.36	10.07	36.91	36.43	56.00	46.00	19.1	9.6
0.503	27.72	27.39	9.99	37.71	37.38	55.95	45.95	18.2	8.6
0.49373	13.78	9.063	10.489	24.269	19.553	56.179	46.179	31.91	26.626

Table 7.2.2-12: Conducted EMI Results – 12S Meter Host (277 VAC) – Line 2

Frequency (MHz)		rrected ading	Total Correction Factor	Corrected Level		Limit		Margin (dB)	
	Quasi- Peak	Average	(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average
14.3491	29.42	24.347	10.852	40.272	35.198	60	50	19.728	14.802
6.15556	28.6	23.427	10.574	39.174	34	60	50	20.826	16
4.9911	24.9	19.183	10.547	35.447	29.73	56	46	20.553	16.27
4.45718	29.6	24.513	10.537	40.137	35.05	56	46	15.863	10.95
3.64109	30.14	24.687	10.523	40.663	35.21	56	46	15.337	10.79
0.66677	32.79	24.783	10.354	43.144	35.137	56	46	12.856	10.863

Table 7.2.2-13: Conducted EMI Results – 16S Meter Host (120 VAC) – Line 1

Frequency (MHz)		rrected ading	Total Correction Factor	Corrected Level		Limit		Margin (dB)	
	Quasi- Peak	Average	(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average
29.6357	17.16	9.503	11.48	28.64	20.983	60	50	31.36	29.017
29.1239	17.78	9.533	11.351	29.131	20.885	60	50	30.869	29.115
25.1096	16.54	11.383	11.222	27.762	22.606	60	50	32.238	27.394
20.2	39.33	34.07	10.58	49.91	44.65	60.00	50.00	10.1	5.4
13.4447	32.03	27.06	10.815	42.845	37.875	60	50	17.155	12.125
0.16378	16.21	6.41	10.424	26.634	16.834	65.606	55.606	38.972	38.772

Table 7.2.2-14: Conducted EMI Results – 16S Meter Host (120 VAC) – Line 2

Frequency (MHz)	0.1100	rrected ading	Total Correction Factor	Corrected	Corrected Level		Limit		Margin (dB)	
, ,	Quasi- Peak	Average	(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	
13.9	38.64	33.62	10.50	49.14	44.12	60.00	50.00	10.9	5.9	
19.8	37.76	32.42	10.61	48.37	43.03	60.00	50.00	11.6	7.0	
0.67959	31.49	23.927	10.327	41.817	34.254	56	46	14.183	11.746	
0.60361	27.62	22.113	10.483	38.103	32.597	56	46	17.897	13.403	
0.5062	22.17	18.28	10.489	32.659	28.769	56	46	23.341	17.231	
0.42751	24.57	16.74	10.489	35.059	27.229	58.071	48.071	23.012	20.842	

Table 7.2.2-15: Conducted EMI Results - 16S Meter Host (277 VAC) - Line 1

Frequency (MHz)		rrected ading	Total Correction Factor	Corrected Level		Limit		Margin (dB)	
. ,	Quasi- Peak	Average	(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average
22.6354	26.61	20.973	10.997	37.607	31.97	60	50	22.393	18.03
21.9161	25.82	19.357	10.96	36.78	30.317	60	50	23.22	19.683
20.9386	22.11	17.1	10.91	33.02	28.01	60	50	26.98	21.99
16.619	23.7	18.393	10.873	34.573	29.267	60	50	25.427	20.733
14.3336	28.84	23.607	10.851	39.691	34.458	60	50	20.309	15.542
0.18423	26.63	24.287	10.415	37.045	34.702	65.022	55.022	27.977	20.32

Table 7.2.2-16: Conducted EMI Results – 16S Meter Host (277 VAC) – Line 2

Frequency (MHz)		rrected ading	Total Correction Factor	Corrected Level		Limit		Margin (dB)	
, ,	Quasi- Peak	Average	(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average
14.594	31.56	26.36	10.862	42.422	37.222	60	50	17.578	12.778
5.41153	30.52	25.573	10.556	41.076	36.13	60	50	18.924	13.87
2.88504	31.47	25.017	10.511	41.981	35.528	56	46	14.019	10.472
0.617	32.96	25.33	9.99	42.95	35.32	56.00	46.00	13.1	10.7
0.64388	34.21	24.1	10.401	44.611	34.501	56	46	11.389	11.499
0.729	34.06	27.15	10.08	44.14	37.23	56.00	46.00	11.9	8.8

Table 7.2.2-17: Conducted EMI Results – 45S Meter Host (120 VAC) – Line 1

Frequency (MHz)	0.1100	rrected ading	Total Correction Factor	Corrected Level		Limit		Margin (dB)	
	Quasi- Peak	Average	(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average
27.6543	23.47	18.487	11.317	34.787	29.804	60	50	25.213	20.196
19.9475	23.58	18.62	10.863	34.443	29.483	60	50	25.557	20.517
13.4626	22.25	17.447	10.815	33.065	28.262	60	50	26.935	21.738
0.992	10.25	4.32	10.07	20.32	14.39	56.00	46.00	35.7	31.6
0.659	16.24	10.08	9.99	26.23	20.07	56.00	46.00	29.8	25.9
0.168	27.1	17.067	10.422	37.522	27.489	65.486	55.486	27.964	27.997

Table 7.2.2-18: Conducted EMI Results – 45S Meter Host (120 VAC) – Line 2

Frequency (MHz)		rrected ading	Total Correction Factor	Corrected Level		Limit		Margin (dB)	
	Quasi- Peak	Average	(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average
18.6539	32.42	27.8	10.867	43.287	38.667	60	50	16.713	11.333
7.87168	19.87	13.993	10.617	30.487	24.61	60	50	29.513	25.39
0.72647	24.84	18.95	10.339	35.179	29.289	56	46	20.821	16.711
0.65574	30.51	23.99	10.376	40.886	34.366	56	46	15.114	11.634
0.5014	25.39	19.74	10.489	35.879	30.229	56	46	20.121	15.771
0.42597	20.57	13.017	10.489	31.059	23.506	58.115	48.115	27.056	24.609

Table 7.2.2-19: Conducted EMI Results – 45S Meter Host (277 VAC) – Line 1

Frequency (MHz)		rrected ading	Total Correction Factor	Corrected Level		Limit		Margin (dB)	
, ,	Quasi- Peak	Average	(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average
15.2831	21.91	12.987	10.878	32.788	23.864	60	50	27.212	26.136
14.5844	20.98	14.987	10.861	31.841	25.848	60	50	28.159	24.152
13.9409	20.47	14.37	10.835	31.305	25.205	60	50	28.695	24.795
8.45149	18.4	13.357	10.632	29.032	23.989	60	50	30.968	26.011
6.02279	21.9	14.6	10.571	32.471	25.171	60	50	27.529	24.829
4.52738	19.5	13.6	10.538	30.038	24.138	56	46	25.962	21.862

Table 7.2.2-20: Conducted EMI Results – 45S Meter Host (277 VAC) – Line 2

Frequency (MHz)		rrected ading	Total Correction Factor	Corrected Level		Limit		Margin (dB)	
, ,	Quasi- Peak	Average	(dB)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average
14.6918	29.49	24.24	10.866	40.356	35.106	60	50	19.644	14.894
3.5988	29.81	24.21	10.523	40.333	34.733	56	46	15.667	11.267
2.82911	30.86	24.34	10.51	41.37	34.85	56	46	14.63	11.15
0.618	34.29	26.43	9.99	44.28	36.42	56.00	46.00	11.7	9.6
0.481	32.4	26.08	10.01	42.41	36.09	56.32	46.32	13.9	10.2
0.479	32.5	26.08	10.01	42.51	36.09	56.36	46.36	13.9	10.3

## 7.3 6dB / 99% Bandwidth - FCC: Section 15.247(a)(2), IC: RSS-210 A8.2(a)

#### 7.3.1 Measurement Procedure

The 6dB bandwidth was measured in accordance with the FCC KDB 558074 D01 DTS Meas Guidance v03r01. The Resolution Bandwidth (RBW) of the spectrum analyzer was set to 100 kHz. The Video Bandwidth (VBW) was set to  $\geq$  3 times the RBW. The trace was set to max hold with a peak detector active. The marker-delta function of the spectrum analyzer was utilized to determine the 6 dB bandwidth of the emission.

The occupied bandwidth measurement function of the spectrum analyzer was used to measure the 99% bandwidth. The span of the analyzer was set to capture all products of the modulation process, including the emission sidebands. The resolution bandwidth was set to as close to 1% of the selected span as is possible without being below 1%. The video bandwidth was set to 3 times the resolution bandwidth. A sampling detector was used.

#### 7.3.2 Measurement Results

Results are shown below in table 7.3.2-1 and figures 7.3.2-1 to 7.3.2-6:

Table 7.3.2-1: 6dB / 99% Bandwidth

Frequency [MHz]	6dB Bandwidth [MHz]	99% Bandwidth [MHz]
2405	1.798	2.515
2440	1.600	2.468
2475	1.590	2.443





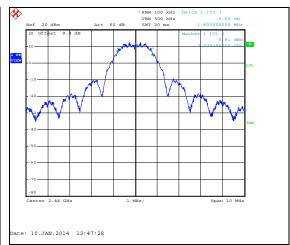
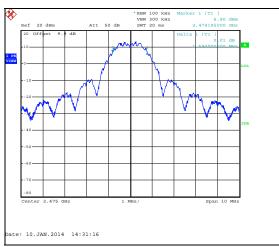


Figure 7.3.2-2: 6dB Bandwidth Plot – 2440 MHz



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Figure 7.3.2-3: 6dB Bandwidth Plot – 2475 MHz

Figure 7.3.2-4: 99% Bandwidth Plot – 2405 MHz



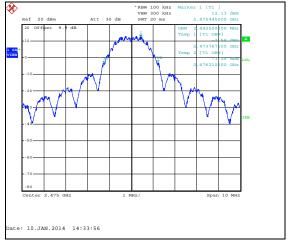


Figure 7.3.2-5: 99% Bandwidth Plot – 2440 MHz

Figure 7.3.2-6: 99% Bandwidth Plot – 2475 MHz

# 7.4 Fundamental Emission Output Power – FCC: Section 15.247(b)(3), IC: RSS-210 A8.4(4)

## 7.4.1 Measurement Procedure

The maximum peak conducted output power was measured in accordance with FCC KDB 558074 D01 DTS Meas Guidance v03r01 utilizing the PKPM1 Peak power meter method. The RF output of the equipment under test was directly connected to the input of the peak power meter applying suitable attenuation.

## 7.4.2 Measurement Results

Results are shown below in Table 7.4.2-1.

Table 7.4.2-1: Maximum Peak Conducted Output Power

Frequency (MHz)	Output Power (dBm)
2405	15.25
2440	16.27
2475	17.50

## 7.5 Emission Levels – FCC: Section 15.247(d), 15.205 IC: RSS-210 2.2, A8.5

#### 7.5.1 Emissions into Non-restricted Frequency Bands

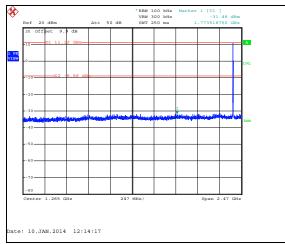
#### 7.5.1.1 Measurement Procedure

The unwanted emissions into non-restricted bands were measured conducted in accordance with FCC KDB 558074 D01 DTS Meas Guidance v03r01. The RF output of the equipment under test was directly connected to the input of the spectrum analyzer applying suitable attenuation. The Resolution Bandwidth (RBW) of the spectrum analyzer was set to 100 kHz. The Video Bandwidth (VBW) was set to  $\geq$  300 kHz. Span was set to 1.5 times the DTS bandwidth. The trace was set to max hold with a peak detector active. The resulting spectrum analyzer peak level was used to determine the reference level with respect to the 20 dBc limit. The spectrum span was then adjusted for the measurement of spurious emissions from 30MHz to 25GHz, 10 times the highest fundamental frequency.

Band-edge compliance was determined using the conducted marker-delta method in which the radio frequency power that is produced by the EUT is at least 20 dB below that in the 100 kHz bandwidth within the band that contains the highest level of desired power.

#### 7.5.1.2 Measurement Results

RF Conducted Emissions are displayed in Figures 7.5.1.2-1 through 7.5.1.2-11.



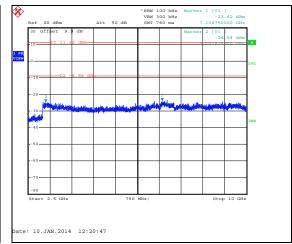
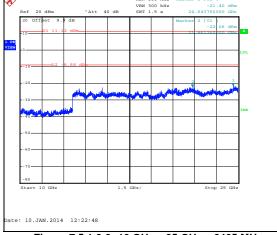


Figure 7.5.1.2-1: 30 MHz - 2.5 GHz - 2405 MHz

Figure 7.5.1.2-2: 2.5 GHz – 10 GHz – 2405 MHz



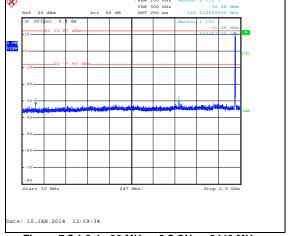
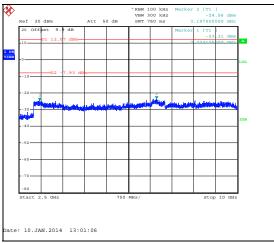


Figure 7.5.1.2-3: 10 GHz - 25 GHz - 2405 MHz

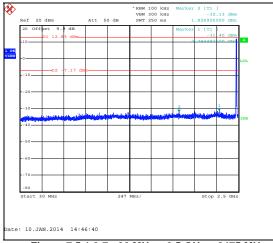
Figure 7.5.1.2-4: 30 MHz – 2.5 GHz – 2440 MHz



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Figure 7.5.1.2-5: 2.5 GHz - 10 GHz - 2440 MHz

Figure 7.5.1.2-6: 10 GHz – 25 GHz – 2440 MHz



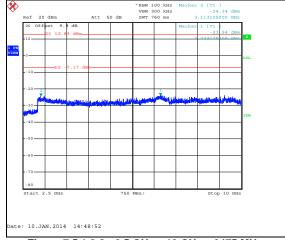


Figure 7.5.1.2-7: 30 MHz – 2.5 GHz – 2475 MHz

Figure 7.5.1.2-8: 2.5 GHz – 10 GHz – 2475 MHz

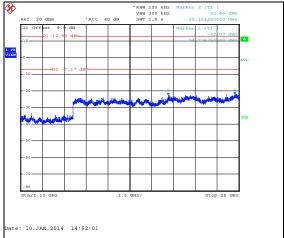


Figure 7.5.1.2-9: 10 GHz - 25 GHz - 2475 MHz

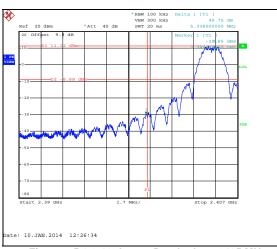




Figure 7.5.1.2-10: Lower Band-edge - 2405 MHz

Figure 7.5.1.2-11: Upper Band-edge - 2475 MHz

## 7.5.2 Emissions into Restricted Frequency Bands

#### 7.5.2.1 Measurement Procedure

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The unwanted emissions into restricted bands were measured radiated over the frequency range of 30MHz to 25GHz, 10 times the highest fundamental frequency.

The EUT was rotated through 360° and the receive antenna height was varied from 1m to 4m so that the maximum radiated emissions level would be detected. For frequencies below 1000MHz, quasi-peak measurements were made using a resolution bandwidth RBW of 120 kHz and a video bandwidth VBW of 300 kHz. For frequencies above 1000MHz, peak and average measurements were made with RBW and VBW of 1 MHz and 3 MHz respectively. The average emissions were further corrected by applying the duty cycle correction of the EUT for comparison to the average limit.

Each emission found to be in a restricted band as defined by section 15.205, including any emission at the operational band-edge, was compared to the radiated emission limits as defined in section 15.209.

#### 7.5.2.2 Duty Cycle Correction

For average radiated measurements, using a 27% duty cycle, the measured level was reduced by a factor 11.37dB. The duty cycle correction factor is determined using the formula: 20log (27/100) = - 11.37dB.

A detailed analysis of the duty cycle timing is provided in the Theory of Operation accompanying the application for certification.

#### 7.5.2.3 Measurement Results

Radiated spurious emissions found in the band of 30MHz to 25GHz are reported in the tables 7.5.2.3-1 and 7.5.2.3-2 below.

Table 7.5.2.3-1: Radiated Spurious Emissions Tabulated Data – 2S Host (120VAC/60Hz) Internal Antenna

Frequency (dBuV) (MHz)		Antenna Polarity	Correction Factors	Corrected Level (dBuV/m)		Limit (dBuV/m)		Margin (dB)		
(11112)	pk	Qpk/Avg	(H/V)	(dB)	pk	Qpk/Avg	pk	Qpk/Avg	pk	Qpk/Avg
2405 MHz										
4810	54.38	46.31	Н	1.48	55.86	36.42	74.0	54.0	18.1	17.6
4810	54.76	46.71	V	1.48	56.24	36.82	74.0	54.0	17.8	17.2
2390	60.55	51.59	Н	-6.40	54.15	33.81	74.0	54.0	19.9	20.2
2390	59.87	51.03	V	-6.40	53.47	33.25	74.0	54.0	20.5	20.7
2440 MHz										
4880	53.24	44.91	Н	1.60	54.84	35.14	74.0	54.0	19.2	18.9
4880	55.85	48.14	V	1.60	57.45	38.37	74.0	54.0	16.5	15.6
7320	52.35	43.49	Н	8.00	60.35	40.12	74.0	54.0	13.6	13.9
7320	50.93	41.71	<b>&gt;</b>	8.00	58.93	38.34	74.0	54.0	15.1	15.7
2480 MHz										
4950	55.39	46.69	Н	1.72	57.11	37.04	74.0	54.0	16.9	17.0
4950	55.32	47.30	V	1.72	57.04	37.65	74.0	54.0	17.0	16.4
7425	49.52	38.92	Н	8.08	57.60	35.63	74.0	54.0	16.4	18.4
7425	48.27	37.57	V	8.08	56.35	34.28	74.0	54.0	17.6	19.7
2483.5	73.17	63.07	Н	-5.89	67.28	45.80	74.0	54.0	6.7	8.2
2483.5	73.91	63.85	V	-5.89	68.02	46.58	74.0	54.0	6.0	7.4

Table 7.5.2.3-2: Radiated Spurious Emissions Tabulated Data – 2S Host (120VAC/60Hz)

External Antenna

External Antenna										
Frequency (MHz)	Level (dBuV)		Antenna Polarity	Correction Factors	Corrected Level (dBuV/m)		Limit (dBuV/m)		Margin (dB)	
(141112)	pk	Qpk/Avg	(H/V)	(dB)	pk	Qpk/Avg	pk	Qpk/Avg	pk	Qpk/Avg
	2405 MHz									
4810	56.03	48.19	Н	1.48	57.51	38.30	74.0	54.0	16.5	15.7
4810	55.70	47.73	V	1.48	57.18	37.84	74.0	54.0	16.8	16.2
2389.37	60.76	49.02	Н	-6.41	54.35	31.24	74.0	54.0	19.6	22.8
2389.37	62.21	50.70	V	-6.41	55.80	32.92	74.0	54.0	18.2	21.1
	2440 MHz									
4880	56.21	48.21	Н	1.60	57.81	38.44	74.0	54.0	16.2	15.6
4880	56.46	48.57	V	1.60	58.06	38.80	74.0	54.0	15.9	15.2
7320	53.47	44.93	Н	8.00	61.47	41.56	74.0	54.0	12.5	12.4
7320	52.81	43.67	V	8.00	60.81	40.30	74.0	54.0	13.2	13.7
	2480 MHz									
4950	57.32	49.86	Н	1.72	59.04	40.21	74.0	54.0	15.0	13.8
4950	57.12	49.33	V	1.72	58.84	39.68	74.0	54.0	15.2	14.3
7425	49.69	39.40	Н	8.08	57.77	36.11	74.0	54.0	16.2	17.9
7425	48.16	37.62	V	8.08	56.24	34.33	74.0	54.0	17.8	19.7
12375	49.14	37.75	Н	16.56	65.70	42.93	83.5	63.5	17.8	20.6
12375	48.17	36.94	V	16.56	64.73	42.12	83.5	63.5	18.8	21.4
2483.5	69.59	59.61	Н	-5.89	63.70	42.34	74.0	54.0	10.3	11.7
2483.5	72.76	62.74	V	-5.89	66.87	45.47	74.0	54.0	7.1	8.5

## 7.5.2.4 Sample Calculation:

 $R_C = R_U + CF_T$ 

Where:

CF<sub>T</sub> = Total Correction Factor (AF+CA+AG)-DC (Average Measurements Only)

R<sub>U</sub> = Uncorrected Reading
R<sub>C</sub> = Corrected Level
AF = Antenna Factor
CA = Cable Attenuation
AG = Amplifier Gain

DC = Duty Cycle Correction Factor

**Example Calculation: Peak** 

Corrected Level: 54.38 + 1.48 = 55.86dBuV/m Margin: 74dBuV/m - 55.86dBuV/m = 18.1dB

**Example Calculation: Average** 

Corrected Level: 46.31 + 1.48 - 11.37 = 36.42dBuV

Margin: 54dBuV - 36.42dBuV = 17.6dB

# 7.6 Maximum Power Spectral Density in the Fundamental Emission – FCC: Section 15.247(e) IC: RSS-210 A8.2(b)

#### 7.6.1 Measurement Procedure

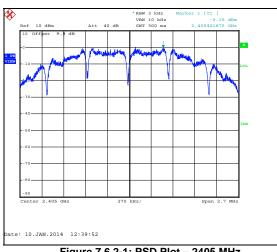
The power spectral density was measured in accordance with the FCC KDB 558074 D01 DTS Meas Guidance v03r01 utilizing the PKPSD (peak PSD) method. The RF output of the equipment under test was directly connected to the input of the spectrum analyzer applying suitable attenuation. The Resolution Bandwidth (RBW) of the spectrum analyzer was set to 3 kHz. The Video Bandwidth (VBW) was set to 10 kHz. Span was set to 1.5 times the DTS bandwidth. The trace was set to max hold with a peak detector active.

#### 7.6.2 Measurement Results

Results are shown below in table 7.6.2-1 and figures 7.6.2-1 to 7.6.2-3.

**Table 7.6.2-1: Peak Power Spectral Density** 

Frequency (MHz)	PSD Level (dBm)
2405	-0.15
2440	0.83
2475	1.40



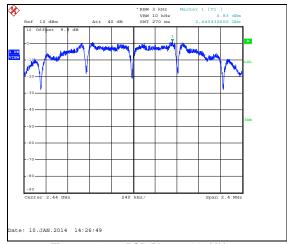


Figure 7.6.2-1: PSD Plot – 2405 MHz

Figure 7.6.2-2: PSD Plot – 2440 MHz



Figure 7.6.2-3: PSD Plot - 2475 MHz

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#### 8 CONCLUSION

In the opinion of ACS, Inc. the 570973-001, manufactured by Itron meets the requirements of FCC Part 15 subpart C and Industry Canada's Radio Standards Specification RSS-210.

## **END REPORT**