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## FCC PART 15.247 AND IC RSS-210 (i8)

### TEST REPORT

### DIGITAL SPREAD SPECTRUM

<b>Applicant</b>	SABINE, INC.	
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<b>FCC ID</b>	RBODS80P	
<b>IC</b>	8240A-DS80P	
<b>Model Number</b>	DS80P	
<b>Product Description</b>	PODIUM BASE TRANSMITTER	
<b>Date Sample Received</b>	1/16/2013	
<b>Date Tested</b>	1/18/2013	
<b>Tested By</b>	Joe Scoglio	
<b>Approved By</b>	Joe Scoglio	
<b>Report Number</b>	3092AZUT12TestReport.doc	
<b>Test Results</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PASS	<input type="checkbox"/> FAIL

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Testing Certificate #0955-01



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## **GENERAL REMARKS**

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The test results relate only to the items tested.

## **Summary**

The device under test does:

- fulfill the general approval requirements as identified in this test report
- not fulfill the general approval requirements as identified in this test report

## **Attestations**

This equipment has been tested in accordance with the standards identified in this test report. To the best of my knowledge and belief, these tests were performed using the measurement procedures described in this report.

All instrumentation and accessories used to test products for compliance to the indicated standards are calibrated regularly in accordance with ISO 17025: 2005 requirements.



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I attest that the necessary measurements were made, under my supervision, at:

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## **Authorized Signatory Name:**

Joe Scoglio  
Project Manager/Testing Technician

**Date:** June 3, 2013

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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### DUT Specification

<b>Applicable Standard</b>	Part 15.247 and RSS-210		
<b>DUT Description</b>	PODIUM BASE TRANSMITTER		
<b>FCC ID</b>	RBODS80P		
<b>IC</b>	8240A-DS80P		
<b>Operating Frequency</b>	TX: 902-928 MHz		
<b>Number of channels</b>			
<b>DUT Power Source</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> 110–120Vac/50– 60Hz <input type="checkbox"/> DC Power <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Battery Operated Exclusively		
<b>Test Item</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Prototype	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pre-Production	<input type="checkbox"/> Production
<b>Type of Equipment</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fixed	<input type="checkbox"/> Mobile	<input type="checkbox"/> Portable
<b>Antenna Connector</b>	none		
<b>Antenna</b>	internal		
<b>Test Facility</b>	Timco Engineering Inc. located at 849 NW State Road 45 Newberry, FL 32669 USA.		
<b>Test Conditions</b>	Temperature: 26°C Relative humidity: 50%		
<b>Test Exercise</b>	The DUT was placed in continuous transmit mode of operation.		

### Test Supporting Equipment

Supporting Device	Manufacturer	Model / FCC ID	Serial Number
N/A			

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**EMC EQUIPMENT LIST**

<b>Device</b>	<b>Manufacturer</b>	<b>Model</b>	<b>Serial Number</b>	<b>Cal/Char Date</b>	<b>Due Date</b>
Analyzer Tan Tower Spectrum Analyzer	HP	8566B Opt 462	3138A07786 3144A20661	11/24/09	10/28/13
Analyzer Tan Tower Preamplifier	HP	8449B-H02	3008A00372	11/21/09	10/28/13
Antenna: Biconnical	Electro-Metrics	BIA-25	1171	06/13/12	06/13/14
Antenna: Biconnical	Eaton	94455-1	1096	05/04/11	05/04/13
Antenna: Log-Periodic	Electro-Metrics	LPA-25	1122	05/04/11	05/04/13
Frequency Counter	HP	5352B	2632A00165	06/22/11	06/22/13
Frequency Counter	HP	5385A	2730A03025	08/17/11	08/17/13
Signal Generator	HP	8640B	2308A21464	02/23/12	02/23/14
Hygro-Thermometer	Extech	445703	0602	06/15/11	06/15/13
Digital Multimeter	Fluke	77	35053830	09/09/11	09/09/13
Analyzer Tan Tower RF Preselector	HP	85685A	3221A01400	11/21/09	10/28/13
Antenna: Passive Loop	EMC Test Systems	EMCO 6512	9706-1211	06/14/12	06/14/14
Analyzer Tan Tower Quasi-Peak Adapter	HP	85650A	3303A01690	11/22/09	10/28/13
Temperature Chamber	Tenney Engineering	TTRC	11717-7	07/03/12	07/03/14
Frequency Counter	HP	5385A	3242A07460	06/22/11	06/22/13
3-Meter Semi-Anechoic Chamber	Panashield	N/A	N/A	12/31/11	12/31/13

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## TEST PROCEDURES

**Radiation Interference:** ANSI C63.4-2003 using a spectrum analyzer, a preselector, a quasi-peak adapter, and an appropriate antenna. The analyzer was calibrated in dB above a microvolt at the output of the antenna. The resolution bandwidth was 100 kHz with an appropriate sweep speed and the video bandwidth was 300 kHz up to 1 GHz and 1 MHz with a video BW of 3 MHz above 1 GHz. When an emission was found, the table was rotated to produce the maximum signal strength. The antenna was placed in both the horizontal and vertical planes and the worse case emissions were reported. The spectrum was searched to at least the tenth (10) harmonic of the fundamental.

**Formula Of Conversion Factors:** The field strength at 3m was established by adding the meter reading of the spectrum analyzer (which is set to read in units of  $\text{dB}\mu\text{V}$ ) to the antenna correction factor supplied by the antenna manufacturer plus the coax loss. The antenna correction factors are stated in terms of dB. The gain of the preselector was accounted for in the spectrum analyzer meter reading.

Example:

$$\begin{array}{llll}
 \text{Freq (MHz)} & \text{Meter Reading} & + \text{ACF} & + \text{CL} = \text{FS} \\
 33 & 20 \text{ dB}\mu\text{V} & + 10.36 \text{ dB} & + 0.5 = 30.86 \text{ dB}\mu\text{V/m} @ 3\text{m}
 \end{array}$$

**Power Line Conducted Interference:** The procedure used was ANSI C63.4-2003 using a 50uH LISN. Both lines were observed. The bandwidth of the spectrum analyzer was 10 kHz with an appropriate sweep speed. The spectrum was scanned from 0.15 to 30 MHz.

**Occupied Bandwidth:** A small sample of the transmitter output was fed into the spectrum analyzer and the attached plot was printed. The vertical scale is set to -10 dBm per division.

**Bandwidth 6.0dB:** The measurements were made with the spectrum analyzer's resolution bandwidth (RBW)=1 MHz and the video bandwidth (VBW) =3 MHz and the span set as shown on plot.

**Power Output:** The RF power output was measured at the antenna feed point using a peak power meter.

**Antenna Conducted Emissions:** The RBW=100 kHz, VBW=300 kHz and the span set to 10 MHz and the spectrum was scanned from 30 MHz to the 10<sup>th</sup> Harmonic of the fundamental. Above 1 GHz the resolution bandwidth was 1 MHz and the VBW = 3 MHz and the span to 50 MHz.

**ANSI C63.4-2003 10.1 Measurement Procedures:** The DUT was placed on a table 80 cm high and with dimensions of 1m by 1.5m. The DUT was placed in the center of the table (1.5m side). The table used for radiated measurements is capable of continuous rotation.

When an emission was found, the table was rotated to produce the maximum signal strength. At this point, the antenna was raised and lowered from 1m to 4m. The antenna was placed in both the horizontal and vertical planes. Emissions attenuated more than 20 dB below the permissible value are not reported.

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## RADIATION INTERFERENCE

**Rules Part No.:** 15.247, 15.209, RSS-210, RSS-GEN

### Requirements:

Frequency	Limits
Part 15.209	
9 to 490 kHz	2400/F (kHz) $\mu$ V/m @ 300 meters
490 to 1705 kHz	24000/F (kHz) $\mu$ V/m @ 30 meters
1705 kHz to 30 MHz	29.54 dB $\mu$ V/m @ 30 meters
30 – 88	40.0 dB $\mu$ V/m @ 3 meters
80 – 216	43.5 dB $\mu$ V/m @ 3 meters
216 – 960	46.0 dB $\mu$ V/m @ 3 meters
Above 960	54.0 dB $\mu$ V/m @ 3 meters
Part 15.247	
Fundamental 902 – 928 MHz	127.37 dB $\mu$ V/m @ 3 meters
Fundamental 2.4 – 2.4835 MHz	127.37 dB $\mu$ V/m @ 3 meters
Harmonics	54.0 dB $\mu$ V/m @ 3 meters

Any emissions that fall in the restricted bands (15.205) must be less than or equal to 54 dB $\mu$ V/m. Spurious emissions not in a restricted band must be 20 dBc. Measurements were made from the lowest frequency generated or 9 kHz to the 10<sup>th</sup> harmonic.

**Test Data:** All values are peak unless noted.

Items mark with an \* designate a frequency in a restricted band.

P is Peak / A is average

Tuned Frequency MHz	Emission Frequency MHz	Meter Reading dB $\mu$ V	Ant. Polarity	Coax Loss dB	Correction Factor dB/m	Field Strength dB $\mu$ V/m	Margin dB
902.8	902.80	82.4	V	1.95	23.80	108.15	19.23
902.8	902.80	87.0	H	1.95	23.80	112.75	14.63
902.8	1,805.60	20.8	H	2.74	30.47	54.01	38.74
902.8	1,805.60	23.5	V	2.74	30.47	56.71	36.04
902.8	2,708.40	18.2P	H	3.40	32.77	54.37	19.63
902.8	2,708.40	11.9A	H	3.40	32.77	48.07	5.93
902.8	2,708.40	18.4P	V	3.40	32.77	54.57	19.43
902.8	2,708.40	12.7A	V	3.40	32.77	48.87	5.13
902.8	3,611.20	17.2P	H	4.15	33.21	54.56	19.44
902.8	3,611.20	10.8A	H	4.15	33.21	48.16	5.84
902.8	3,611.20	20.1P	V	4.15	33.21	57.46	16.54
902.8	3,611.20	13.7A	V	4.15	33.21	51.06	2.94
902.8	4,514.00	11.5	H	4.76	34.21	50.47	3.53
902.8	4,514.00	12.0	V	4.76	34.21	50.97	3.03
902.8	5,416.80	9.2	H	5.13	34.75	49.08	4.92
902.8	5,416.80	10.7	V	5.13	34.75	50.58	3.42
902.8	6,319.60	15.8	H	5.40	35.79	56.99	35.76
902.8	6,319.60	17.3	V	5.40	35.79	58.49	34.26

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Tuned Frequency MHz	Emission Frequency MHz	Meter Reading dB $\mu$ V	Ant. Polarity	Coax Loss dB	Correction Factor dB/m	Field Strength dB $\mu$ V/m	Margin dB
902.8	7,222.40	10.1	H	5.73	36.16	51.99	40.76
902.8	7,222.40	11.4	V	5.73	36.16	53.29	39.46
902.8	8,125.20	11.0	H	6.25	36.10	53.35	39.40
902.8	8,125.20	14.6	V	6.25	36.10	56.95	35.80
915.8	915.80	81.9	V	1.97	23.80	107.67	19.71
915.8	915.80	85.9	H	1.97	23.80	111.67	15.71
915.8	1,831.60	23.8	V	2.77	30.62	57.19	34.48
915.8	1,831.60	24.5	H	2.77	30.62	57.89	33.78
915.8	2,747.40P	18.9	H	3.42	32.80	55.12	18.88
915.8	2,747.40A	12.4	H	3.42	32.80	48.62	5.38
915.8	2,747.40P	20.9	V	3.42	32.80	57.12	16.88
915.8	2,747.40A	13.9	V	3.42	32.80	50.12	3.88
915.8	3,663.20P	18.2	V	4.20	33.26	55.66	18.34
915.8	3,663.20A	12.1	V	4.20	33.26	49.56	4.44
915.8	3,663.20P	18.7	H	4.20	33.26	56.16	17.84
915.8	3,663.20A	11.9	H	4.20	33.26	49.36	4.64
915.8	4,579.00	12.5	V	4.79	34.25	51.54	2.46
915.8	4,579.00	13.4	H	4.79	34.25	52.44	1.56
915.8	5,494.80	9.5	H	5.15	34.80	49.45	42.22
915.8	5,494.80	13.0	V	5.15	34.80	52.95	38.72
915.8	6,410.60	14.4	H	5.42	35.85	55.67	36.00
915.8	6,410.60	17.1	V	5.42	35.85	58.37	33.30
915.8	7,326.40	10.5	H	5.80	36.13	52.43	39.24
915.8	7,326.40	11.2	V	5.80	36.13	53.13	38.54
915.8	8,242.20	11.0	H	6.30	36.10	53.40	38.27
915.8	8,242.20	11.3	V	6.30	36.10	53.70	37.97
915.8	9,158.00	8.8	H	6.65	36.33	51.78	39.89
915.8	9,158.00	9.5	V	6.65	36.33	52.48	39.19
927.2	927.20	81.3	V	1.99	22.66	105.95	21.43
927.2	927.20	85.1	H	1.99	22.66	109.75	17.63
927.2	1,854.40	20.9	H	2.78	30.76	54.44	35.31
927.2	1,854.40	22.9	V	2.78	30.76	56.44	33.31
927.2	2,781.60	16.3	H	3.45	32.83	52.58	1.42
927.2	2,781.60P	18.5	V	3.45	32.83	54.78	19.22
927.2	2,781.60A	12.4	V	3.45	32.83	48.68	5.32
927.2	3,708.80P	18.6	V	4.24	33.31	56.15	17.85
927.2	3,708.80A	11.9	V	4.24	33.31	49.45	4.55
927.2	3,708.80P	18.7	H	4.24	33.31	56.25	17.75
927.2	3,708.80A	11.4	H	4.24	33.31	48.95	5.05
927.2	4,636.00	13.8	H	4.82	34.28	52.90	1.10
927.2	4,636.00	13.9	V	4.82	34.28	53.00	1.00
927.2	5,563.20	11.1	H	5.17	34.90	51.17	38.58
927.2	5,563.20	13.1	V	5.17	34.90	53.17	36.58
927.2	6,490.40	12.6	H	5.45	35.89	53.94	35.81
927.2	6,490.40	15.5	V	5.45	35.89	56.84	32.91

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927.2	7,417.60	10.9	V	5.85	36.12	52.87	36.88
927.2	7,417.60	10.9	H	5.85	36.12	52.87	36.88
927.2	8,344.80	11.7	H	6.34	36.10	54.14	35.61
927.2	8,344.80	12.0	V	6.34	36.10	54.44	35.31
927.2	9,272.00	7.9	H	6.68	36.42	51.00	38.75
927.2	9,272.00	8.7	V	6.68	36.42	51.80	37.95

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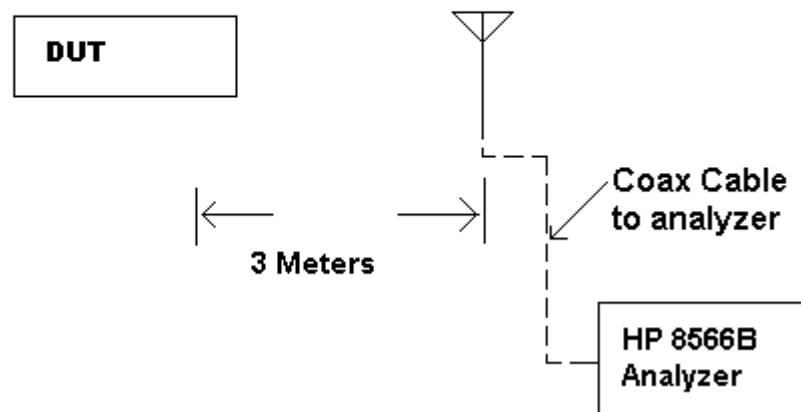
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### **Method of Measuring Radiated Spurious Emissions**

Antenna is Calibrated  
and appropriate one.  
Raised from 1 to 4 M.



**METHOD OF MEASUREMENT:** The procedure used was ANSI standard C63.4-2003 & the FCC/OET Guidance on Measurements for Spread Spectrum Systems – KDB 558074 dated March 23, 2005.

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**POWER LINE CONDUCTED INTERFERENCE**
**Rules Part No.:** Part 15.207

**Requirements:**

Frequency (MHz)	Quasi Peak Limits (dB $\mu$ V)	Average Limits (dB $\mu$ V)
0.15 – 0.5	66 – 56 *	56 – 46 *
0.5 – 5.0	56	46
5.0 – 30	60	50

\* Decrease with logarithm of frequency

**Test Data:** N/A Battery operated

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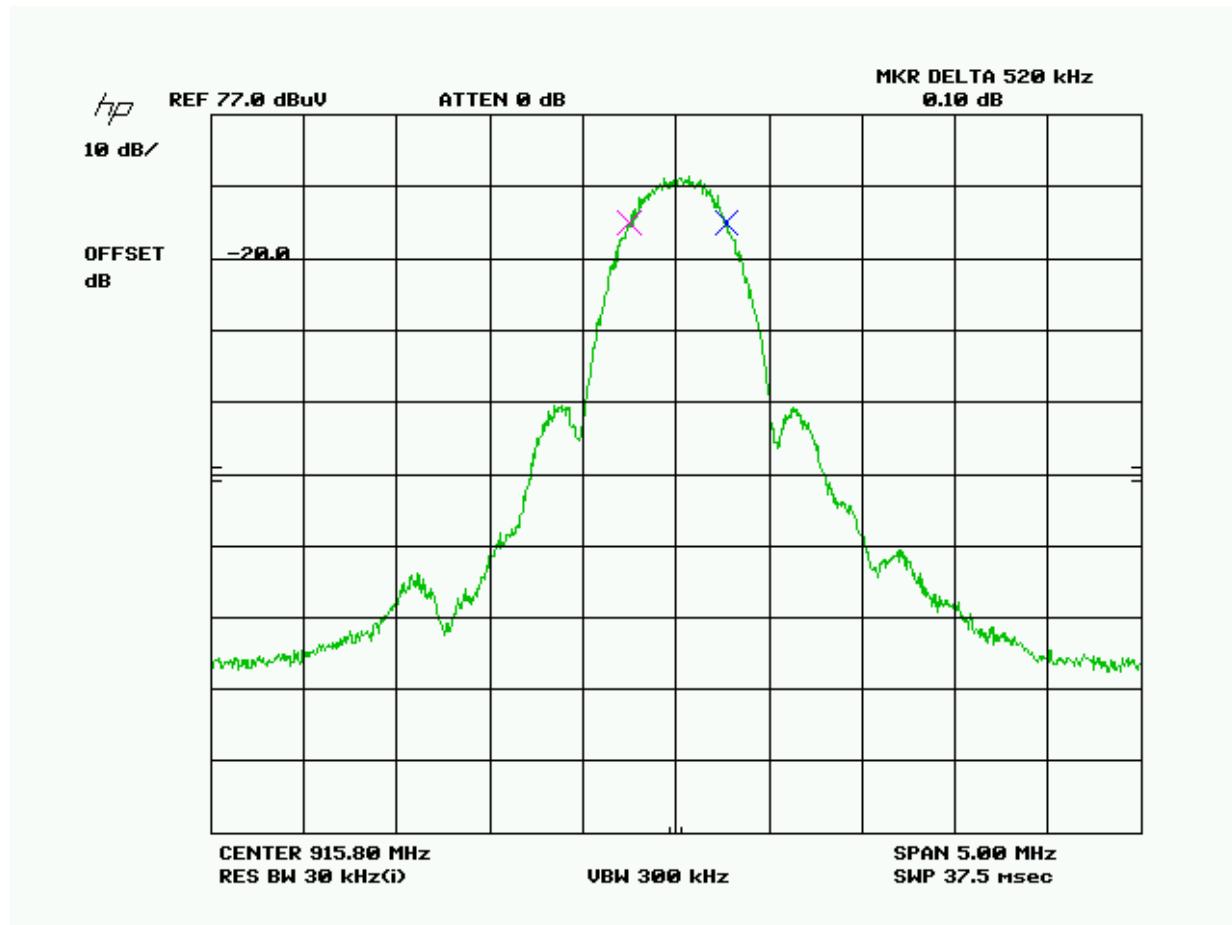
## OCCUPIED BANDWIDTH

**Rules Part No.:** 15.247(a)(2)

**Requirements:** The 6 dB bandwidth must be greater than 500 kHz.

**Test Data:**

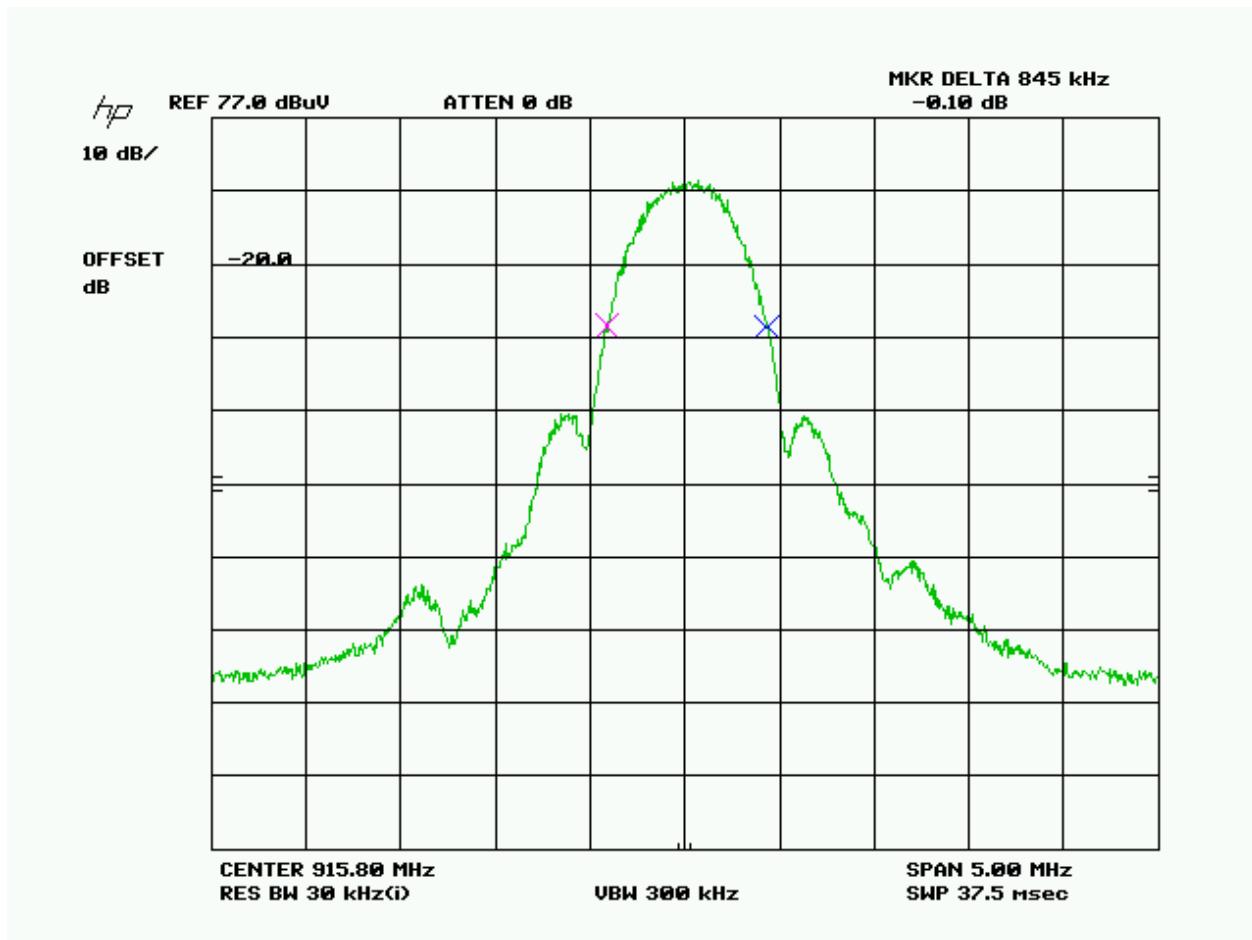
### 6dB Bandwidth



Three places in the band were measured and the worst case reported.

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**20 dB Bandwidth**

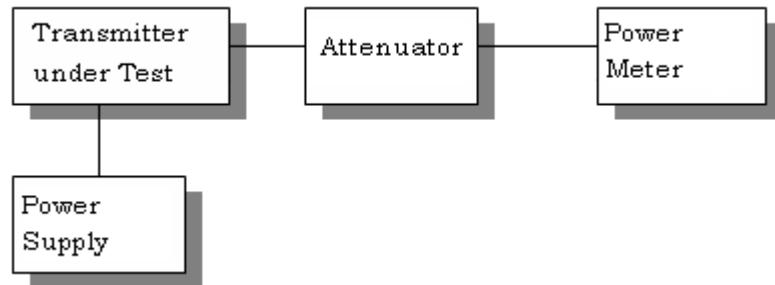


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## POWER OUTPUT

**Rules Part #:** 15.247(b) 1 Watt conducted, 4W ERP

TEST SET UP:



### Test Results:

Frequency MHz	Po dBm	Po Watts
902.8	14.9	.031
915.8	14.6	.029
927.2	14.1	.026

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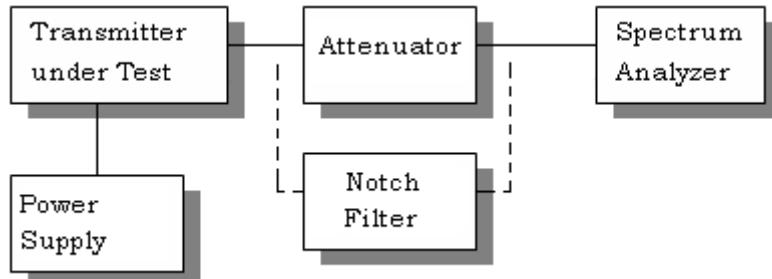
## SPURIOUS EMISSIONS AT ANTENNA TERMINALS

**Requirements:** Emissions must be at least 20dB down from the highest emission level within the authorized band as measured with a 100 kHz RBW.

### Test Data:

**N/A, Device has permanently attached antenna and no antenna connector.**

15.247(c) Method of Measuring RF Conducted Spurious Emissions



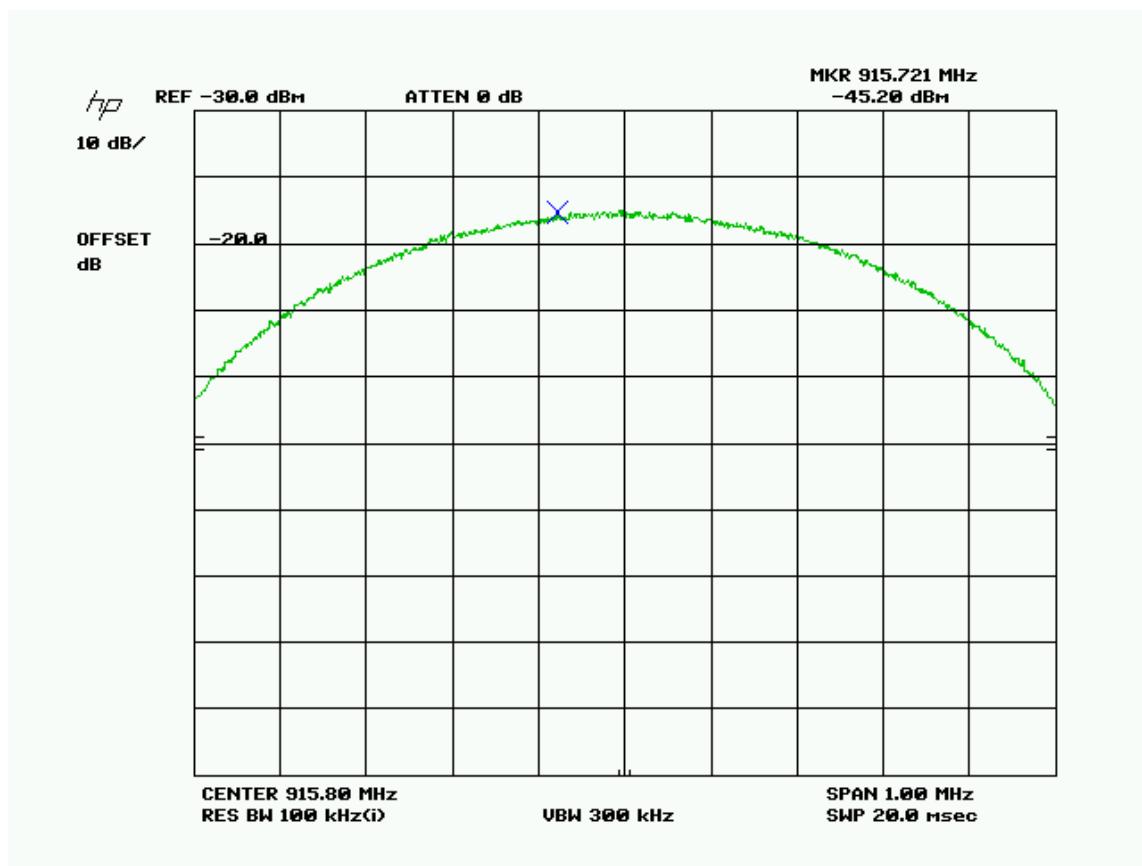
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## POWER SPECTRAL DENSITY

**Rules Part No.:** 15.247(d)

**Requirements:** The peak level measured must be less than +8.0 dBm.

**Test Data:** SEE THE FOLLOWING PLOTS



Three places in the band were measured and the worst case reported.

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