

AP150 Test Setup for FCC

Certification

Test Setup and Test Commands

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Introduction

This document describes test setup, test commands and test procedures for emission related tests for Meru Access Point AP150.

Test Setup

Equipments needed:

Meru AP150 (DUT) PoE Injector 5V DC Adapter Windows-XP PC/Laptop with Atheros ART and TFTP server Ethernet crossover cable Ethernet cable

Step 1a: Setting up the AP150 – PoE powered

- 1. Connect Ethernet port of PC/Laptop to PoE injector (Data) using the Ethernet Crossover cable.
- 2. Connect AP150 Ethernet port to PoE injectors (Power + Data) port with Ethernet cable

Now the Power LED of AP150 will be RED indicating that units is powered up.



Figure 1: Test Setup for AP150 – PoE Powered



Step 1b: Setting up the AP150 – +5V DC powered

- 1. Connect Ethernet port of PC/Laptop to AP150 Ethernet port using the Ethernet Crossover cable.
- 2. Connect AP150 +5V DC input to the power Adapter

Now the Power LED of AP150 will be RED indicating that units is powered up.



Figure 2: Test Setup for AP150 - +5V DC Powered

Step 2: Setting up the Windows-XP PC/Laptop

- 1. Set the IP address of the Ethernet connection to 192.168.1.202, address mask 255.255.255.0
- 2. Start the TFTP Server. (The art program file "freedomart_j.xyz" is available in TFTP-root).
- 3. Open 2 command windows. Each window will be used to control one radio.
- 4. In each window, change the directory to C:\art\art
- 5. In Command window1, type the following commands

C:\art\art> art48 \remote=192.168.1.91 \instance=1

This window is used to control the first 802.11a radio.

6. In Command window2, type the following commands



C:\art\art> art48 \remote=192.168.1.91 \instance=2

This window is used to control first 802.11b/g radio.

NOTE: The IP address of the units are labeled on the AP150 unit.

Step 3: Use ART Software to control the radios

Refer to the "AR5004 Atheros Radio Test Reference Guide" for Radio commands. Each radio is controlled independently using ART software.



Recommended Power Settings for the Radios

802.11a channels

Channel	Power in dBm
5180	10
5240	10
5260	18
5320	15
5745	20
5765	18
5825	15

802.11g channels

Channel	Power in dBm	
2412	15	5
2417	18	3
2457	18	3
2462	18	3
2472	16	5

802.11b channels

Channel	Power in dBm	
2412		18
2417		20
2462		20