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Abstract

This report has been prepared on behalf of NBB Controls and Components AG to support the attached Application for Equipment Authorization. The test report and application are submitted for an Intentional Radiator under Part 15.231(10/2014) of the FCC Rules and Regulations and Spectrum Management and Telecommunications Policy RSS-210 issue 8, 12/2010 of Industry Canada. This Certification Test Report documents the test configuration and test results for the NBB Controls and Components AG NANO-L SMJ43.

Testing was performed on an Open Area Test Site (OATS) of Washington Laboratories, Ltd, 7560 Lindbergh Drive, Gaithersburg, MD 20879. Site description and site attenuation data have been placed on file with the FCC's Sampling and Measurements Branch at the FCC laboratory in Columbia, MD. The Industry Canada OATS numbers are 3035A-1 and 3035A-2 for Washington Laboratories, Ltd. Site 1 and Site 2, respectively. Washington Laboratories, Ltd. has been accepted by the FCC and approved by ACLASS under Certificate AT-1448 as an independent FCC test laboratory.

The NBB Controls and Components AG NANO-L SMJ43 complies with the limits for an Intentional Radiator device under FCC Part 15.231 and RSS-210 of Industry Canada.

Revision History	Description of Change	Date
Rev 0	Initial Release	February 29, 2016
Rev 1	Changed Model Name from NANO-L SMJ to NANO-L SMJ43	March 14, 2016

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1 Introduction

1.1 Compliance Statement

The NBB Controls and Components AG NANO-L SMJ43 complies with the limits for an Intentional Radiator device under FCC Part 15.231 (10/2014) and Industry Canada RSS-210 issue 8 December 2010.

1.2 Test Scope

Tests for radiated and conducted emissions were performed. All measurements were performed in accordance 2013 version of ANSI C63.10. The measurement equipment conforms to ANSI C63.2 Specifications for Electromagnetic Noise and Field Strength Instrumentation.

1.3 Contract Information

Customer: NBB Controls and Components AG

Otto-Hahn-Strasse 3-5

Oelbronn-Duerrn, N-A 75248

Quotation Number: 68821

1.4 Test Dates

Testing was performed on the following date(s): 12/11/2015 and 2/18/2016

1.5 Test and Support Personnel

Washington Laboratories, LTD Misael Flores

Client Representative Thomas Burchard

1.6 Abbreviations

A	Ampere
ac	alternating current
AM	Amplitude Modulation
Amps	Amperes
b/s	bits per second
BW	B and W idth
CE	Conducted Emission
cm	c enti m eter
CW	Continuous Wave
dB	d eci B el
dc	direct current
EMI	Electromagnetic Interference
EUT	Equipment Under Test
FM	Frequency Modulation
G	giga – prefix for 10 ⁹ multiplier
Hz	H ertz
IF	Intermediate Frequency
k	k ilo – prefix for 10 ³ multiplier
LISN	Line Impedance Stabilization Network
M	Mega – prefix for 10 ⁶ multiplier
m	m eter
μ	m icro – prefix for 10 ⁻⁶ multiplier
NB	Narrow b and
QP	Quasi-Peak
RE	Radiated Emissions
RF	Radio Frequency
rms	root-mean-square
SN	Serial Number
S/A	Spectrum Analyzer
V	Volt

Equipment Under Test

2.1 EUT Identification & Description

The NBB Controls and Components AG NANO-L SMJ43 is a Low Power Transmitter for industrial radio control purposes.

DESCRIPTION ITEM Manufacturer: NBB Controls and Components AG FCC ID: SJ7NLSMJ430 IC: 2634B-NLSMJ430 NANO-L SMJ43 Model: FCC Rule Parts: §15.231 RSS210 **Industry Canada:** 433.100 to 434.750 MHz Frequency Range: Maximum Output Power: 5568.8 uV/m at 3m Modulation: **GFSK** 18.86kHz (20dB) Occupied Bandwidth: Keying: Manual Type of Information: Control Data Number of Channels: 67 Channels Power Output Level Fixed Antenna Connector None Antenna Type Integral Interface Cables: None 1 x rechargeable Batteries NBB 7.2 Volt NiMH

Table 1: Device Summary

2.2 **Test Configuration**

Highest TX spurious Emission

Highest RX Spurious Emission

Power Source & Voltage:

Emission Designator

The NANO-L SMJ43 was is a standalone unit that is battery powered only

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The NANO-L SMJ43 was programmed to transmit on any of 67 channels via toggle buttons on the device that sequentially selected the frequency. The EUT transmitted continuously (modulated) on the desired test channel when the joystick was held in a fixed forward position. In order to create a continuous signal one of the joysticks were zipped tied into a position where the signal would be generated.

866.20 MHz: 266.7 uV/m @ 3m

935.50 MHz: 61.6 uV/m @ 3m

Worst case emission levels are provided in the test results data.

2.3 **Test Location**

All measurements herein were performed at Washington Laboratories, Ltd. test center in Gaithersburg, MD. Site description and site attenuation data have been placed on file with the FCC's Sampling and Measurements Branch at the FCC laboratory in Columbia, MD. The Industry Canada OATS numbers are 3035A-1 and 3035A-2 for Washington Laboratories, Ltd. Site 1 and Site 2, respectively. Washington Laboratories, Ltd. has been accepted by the FCC and approved by ACLASS under Certificate AT-1448 as an independent FCC test laboratory.

2.4 Measurements

2.4.1 References

ANSI C63.2 Specifications for Electromagnetic Noise and Field Strength Instrumentation

ANSI C63.10:2013 American National Standard for Methods of Procedures for Compliance Testing of Unlicensed Wireless Devices.

2.5 Measurement Uncertainty

All results reported herein relate only to the equipment tested. The basis for uncertainty calculation uses ANSI/NCSL Z540-2-1997 with a type B evaluation of the standard uncertainty. Elements contributing to the standard uncertainty are combined using the method described in Equation 1 to arrive at the total standard uncertainty. The standard uncertainty is multiplied by the coverage factor to determine the expanded uncertainty which is generally accepted for use in commercial, industrial, and regulatory applications and when health and safety are concerned (see

Equation 2). A coverage factor was selected to yield a 95% confidence in the uncertainty estimation.

Equation 1: Standard Uncertainty

$$u_c = \pm \sqrt{\frac{a^2}{div_a^2} + \frac{b^2}{div_b^2} + \frac{c^2}{div_c^2} + \dots}$$

Where u_c = standard uncertainty

a, b, c,.. = individual uncertainty elements

Div_a, _b, _c = the individual uncertainty element divisor based

on the probability distribution

Divisor = 1.732 for rectangular distribution

Divisor = 2 for normal distribution

Divisor = 1.414 for trapezoid distribution

Equation 2: Expanded Uncertainty

$$U = ku_c$$

Where U = expanded uncertainty

k = coverage factor

 $k \le 2$ for 95% coverage (ANSI/NCSL Z540-2 Annex G)

 u_c = standard uncertainty

The measurement uncertainty complies with the maximum allowed uncertainty from CISPR 16-4-2. Measurement uncertainty is <u>not</u> used to adjust the measurements to determine compliance. The expanded uncertainty values for the various scopes in the WLL accreditation are provided in Table 2 below.

Table 2: Expanded Uncertainty List

Scope	Standard(s)	Expanded Uncertainty
Conducted Emissions	CISPR11, CISPR22, CISPR14, FCC Part 15	2.63 dB
Radiated Emissions	CISPR11, CISPR22, CISPR14, FCC Part 15	4.55 dB

3 Test Equipment

Table 3 shows a list of the test equipment used for measurements along with the calibration information.

Table 3: Test Equipment List

Test Name:	Radiated Emissions	Test Date:	02/18/2016
Asset #	Manufacturer/Model	Description	Cal. Due
528	AGILENT - E4446A	3HZ - 44GHZ ANALYZER SPECTRUM	7/15/2016
276	ELECTROMETRICS - BPA-1000	PRE-AMPLIFIER RF 50KHZ-1GHZ	9/18/2016
382	SUNOL SCIENCES CORPORATION - JB1	ANTENNA BICONLOG	8/31/2017
728	AGILENT - 8564EC	SPECTRUM ANALYZER 30HZ - 40GHZ	6/9/2016
65	HP - 8447D	PRE-AMPLIFIER RF 50KHZ-1GHZ	6/6/2016
644	SUNOL SCIENCES CORPORATION - JB1 925-833-9936	BICONALOG ANTENNA	8/14/2017
626	ARA - DRG-118/A	ANTENNA HORN	2/29/2016

4 Test Results

4.1 Transmission Cessation from Time-of-Release (FCC Part §15.231(a), RSS210 A2.9)

FCC Part 15.231 states that a periodic intentional radiator shall cease transmission within a five second period from release of automatic or manual keying of operation.

Testing was conducted to verify that the NANO-L SMJ43 Industrial Remote Control stopped transmitting within the required time period. A 6 second sweep was made, during which the control toggle was activated and released, and the time to transmission end was measured Error! Reference source not found. shows the indicated time period from un-keying the device until cessation of transmission. The EUT complies with the requirements for this section.

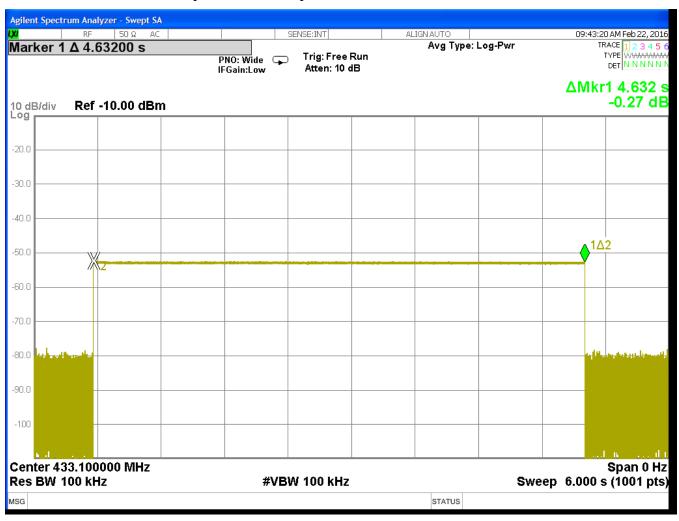


Figure 1: Time Period: Release to Termination of Transmission

4.2 Occupied Bandwidth (FCC Part §2.1049 and RSS-Gen [6.6]):

Occupied bandwidth was performed by coupling the output of the EUT to the input of a spectrum analyzer.

No Limits are provided for this measurement. Since the operating range of this device is 1.65MHz the low and high channels was investigated.

Table 4: Occupied Bandwidth Spectrum Analyzer Settings

Resolution Bandwidth	Video Bandwidth
300Hz	3kHz

At full modulation, the occupied bandwidth was measured as shown:

Table 5 provides a summary of the Occupied Bandwidth Results.

Table 5: Occupied Bandwidth Results

Frequency	20dB Bandwidth	Limit	Pass/Fail
Low Channel: 433.100MHz	18.86 kHz	NA	Pass
High Channel: 434.750MHz	18.98 kHz	NA	Pass

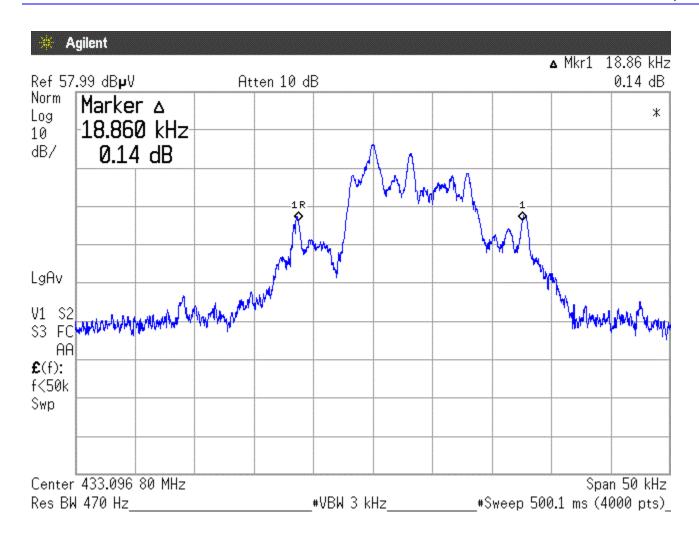


Figure 2: 20dB Occupied Bandwidth, Low Channel

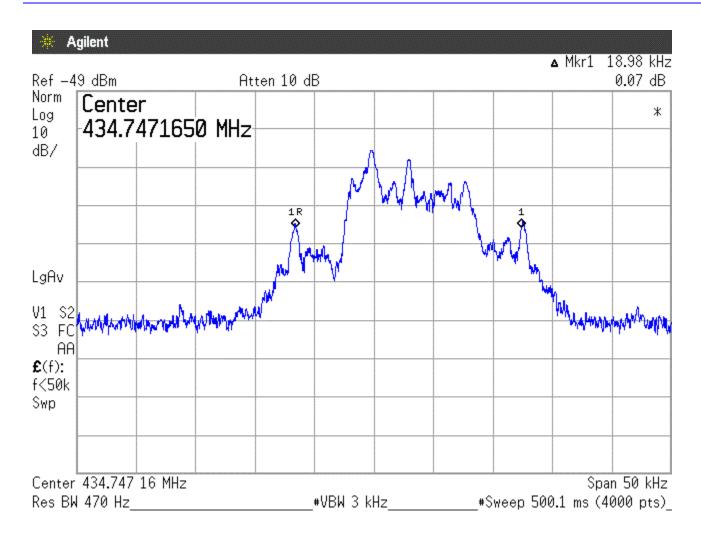


Figure 3: 20dB Occupied Bandwidth, High Channel

4.3 Radiated Spurious Emissions: (FCC Part §15.231(a), RSS210 A2.9)

4.3.1 Limits

The EUT must comply with the radiated emission limits of 15.231(a) & RSS210 A2.9. The limits are as shown in the following table.

Table 6: Radiated Emissions Limits

Fundamental Frequency	Field Strength of Fundamental (µV/m@3m)	Field Strength of Harmonics (µV/m @3m)
260-470 MHz	11291.6	1129.2
260-470 MHz	11347.8	1134.8

Emissions radiated outside of the specified frequency bands, except for harmonics, shall be attenuated by at least 50 dB below the level of the fundamental or to the general radiated emission limits in § 15.209, whichever is the lesser attenuation.

4.3.2 Test Procedure

The EUT was placed on motorized turntable for radiated testing on a 3-meter open field test site. The emissions from the EUT were measured continuously at every azimuth by rotating the turntable. Receiving antennas were mounted on an antenna mast to determine the height of maximum emissions. The height of the antenna was varied between 1 and 4 meters. Cables were varied in position to produce maximum emissions. Both the horizontal and vertical field components were measured.

In accordance with ANSI C63.10 measurements above 1GHz were conducted with RF absorber between the EUT and Receive antenna with the EUT placed 1.5meters above the ground.

Since the operating range of this device is less than 10 MHz only the Low and High channels were investigated.

The emissions were measured using the following resolution bandwidths:

Table 7: Spectrum Analyzer Settings

Frequency Range	Resolution Bandwidth	Video Bandwidth
30MHz-1000 MHz	120kHz	>100 kHz
>1000 MHz	1 MHz	10 Hz (Avg.), 1MHz (Peak)

Average measurements made with the Spectrum analyzer set to the linear mode with a Video bandwidth of 10Hz, and the resultant reading converted to dBuV. Correction factors were then applied and the resulting value was compared to the limit.

Table 8: Radiated Emission Test Data, Low Channel

Frequency (MHz)	Polarity H/V	Azimuth (Degree)	Ant. Height (m)	SA Level (dBuV)	Corr Factors (dB)	Corr. Level (uV/m)	Limit (uV/m)	Margin (dB)	Comments
Power									
433.10	V	270.00	3.00	72.31	-6.8	1884.8	11291.6	-15.5	Upright
433.10	V	90.00	1.00	78.57	-6.8	3874.9	11291.6	-9.3	Side
433.10	V	270.00	1.00	73.78	-6.8	2232.3	11291.6	-14.1	Invert
Non- Harmonics									
123.97	V	0.00	1.00	37.85	-11.7	20.4	150.0	-17.3	Amb
57.18	V	180.00	1.00	45.12	-19.2	19.8	100.0	-14.1	Amb
120.03	V	180.00	1.00	35.21	-11.8	14.8	150.0	-20.1	
770.72	V	0.00	1.00	38.20	-0.9	73.5	200.0	-8.7	Amb
935.52	V	45.00	1.00	32.48	1.3	49.1	200.0	-12.2	
85.82	V	0.00	1.00	41.25	-18.2	14.2	100.0	-17.0	Amb
143.02	V	0.00	1.00	36.75	-12.7	15.9	150.0	-19.5	Amb
Harmonics									
433.10	V	270.00	2.50	71.00	-6.1	1752.9	11291.6	-16.2	Fund
866.20	V	350.00	2.50	35.21	1.3	67.3	1129.2	-24.5	
Power									
433.10	Н	180.00	1.00	81.72	-6.8	5568.8	11291.6	-6.1	Upright
433.10	Н	180.00	3.00	70.39	-6.8	1511.0	11291.6	-17.5	Side
433.10	Н	180.00	2.50	81.65	-6.8	5524.1	11291.6	-6.2	Invert
Non- Harmonics									
143.02	Н	0.00	1.00	36.62	-12.7	15.6	150.0	-19.6	Amb
219.32	Н	90.00	1.00	39.34	-14.1	18.3	200.0	-20.8	Amb
300.00	Н	90.00	1.00	32.79	-10.9	12.4	200.0	-24.1	Amb
332.00	Н	195.00	1.50	31.90	-10.0	12.4	200.0	-24.1	
444.10	Н	90.00	1.00	36.94	-6.4	33.6	200.0	-15.5	Amb
935.50	Н	90.00	2.00	34.45	1.3	61.6	200.0	-10.2	
Harmonics									
433.10	Н	0.00	2.50	78.17	-6.1	4001.8	11291.6	-9.0	pk
433.10	Н	0.00	2.50	77.83	-6.1	3848.2	11291.6	-9.3	avg
866.20	Н	350.00	2.50	47.17	1.3	266.7	1129.2	-12.5	pk
866.20	Н	350.00	2.50	43.67	1.3	178.2	1129.2	-16.0	avg

Table 9: Radiated Emission Test Data, High Channel

Frequency (MHz)	Polarity H/V	Azimuth (Degree)	Ant. Height (m)	SA Level (dBuV)	Corr Factors (dB)	Corr. Level (uV/m)	Limit (uV/m)	Margin (dB)	Comments
Power									
434.75	V	100.00	3.00	70.44	-6.7	1539.0	11347.8	-17.4	Upright
434.75	V	100.00	1.00	80.43	-6.7	4861.3	11347.8	-7.4	Side
434.75	V	215.00	1.50	73.35	-6.7	2151.5	11347.8	-14.4	Invert
Non- Harmonics									
267.00	V	0.00	1.00	35.58	-11.6	15.8	200.0	-22.1	amb
935.49	V	270.00	1.00	35.80	1.3	71.9	200.0	-8.9	
85.80	V	90.00	1.00	45.27	-18.2	22.5	100.0	-12.9	amb
124.00	V	90.00	1.00	32.54	-11.7	11.1	150.0	-22.6	amb
143.00	V	90.00	1.00	35.06	-12.7	13.1	150.0	-21.2	amb
238.40	V	90.00	1.00	30.78	-13.2	7.6	200.0	-28.4	amb
371.90	V	90.00	1.00	31.83	-8.6	14.6	200.0	-22.8	amb
Harmonics									
434.75	V	215.00	2.00	71.17	-6.0	1809.0	11347.8	-15.9	Fund
869.50	V	0.00	2.50	34.53	1.3	61.8	1134.8	-25.3	
Power									
434.75	Н	180.00	1.00	79.71	-6.7	4474.5	11347.8	-8.1	Upright
434.75	Н	200.00	1.00	70.36	-6.7	1524.9	11347.8	-17.4	Side
434.75	Н	180.00	1.00	81.59	-6.7	5555.8	11347.8	-6.2	Invert
Non- Harmonics									
427.61	Н	180.00	1.00	34.92	-7.1	24.5	200.0	-18.2	
442.38	Н	180.00	1.00	32.87	-6.4	21.0	200.0	-19.6	
486.11	Н	180.00	2.00	30.32	-5.4	17.5	200.0	-21.1	
518.29	Н	0.00	2.00	37.23	-4.9	41.4	200.0	-13.7	
47.30	Н	90.00	1.00	39.46	-17.4	12.6	100.0	-18.0	amb
219.30	Н	90.00	1.00	38.49	-14.1	16.6	200.0	-21.6	amb
346.25	Н	180.00	3.00	33.24	-9.7	15.0	200.0	-22.5	
Harmonics									
434.75	Н	180.00	2.50	77.00	-6.0	3539.4	11347.8	-10.1	pk
434.75	Н	180.00	2.50	76.67	-6.0	3407.4	11347.8	-10.4	avg
869.50	Н	0.00	2.50	43.33	1.3	170.3	1134.8	-16.5	

4.4 Receiver Radiated Spurious Emissions

The EUT must comply with the requirements for radiated spurious emissions that fall within the restricted bands. These emissions must meet the limits specified in §15.209 and §15.35(b) for peak measurements.

4.4.1 Test Procedure

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The EUT was placed on motorized turntable for radiated testing on a 3-meter open field test site. The emissions from the EUT were measured continuously at every azimuth by rotating the turntable. Receiving antennas were mounted on an antenna mast to determine the height of maximum emissions. The height of the antenna was varied between 1 and 4 meters.. Cables were varied in position to produce maximum emissions. Both the horizontal and vertical field components were measured.

Measurements above 1GHz were performed with RF absorber material placed on the site between the receive antenna and the EUT unit.

The emissions were measured using the following resolution bandwidths:

Table 10: Spectrum Analyzer Settings

Frequency Range	Resolution Bandwidth	Video Bandwidth
30MHz-1000 MHz	120kHz	>100 kHz
>1000 MHz	1 MHz	10 Hz (Avg.), 1MHz (Peak)

Average measurements above 1GHz were made with the Spectrum analyzer set to the linear mode with a Video bandwidth of 10Hz, and the resultant reading mathematically converted to dBuV. Correction factors were then applied and the resulting value was compared to the limit.

Table 11: Radiated Emission Test Data, Receiver

Frequency (MHz)	Polarity H/V	Azimuth (Degree)	Ant. Height (m)	SA Level (dBuV)	Corr Factors (dB)	Corr. Level (uV/m)	Limit (uV/m)	Margin (dB)	Comments
935.50	Н	90.00	2.00	34.45	1.3	61.6	200.0	-10.2	
332.00	Н	195.00	1.50	31.90	-10.0	12.4	200.0	-24.1	
346.25	Н	180.00	3.00	33.24	-9.7	15.0	200.0	-22.5	
518.29	Н	0.00	2.00	37.23	-4.9	41.4	200.0	-13.7	
120.03	V	180.00	1.00	35.21	-11.8	14.8	150.0	-20.1	
267.00	V	0.00	1.00	35.58	-11.6	15.8	200.0	-22.1	amb
85.82	V	0.00	1.00	41.25	-18.2	14.2	100.0	-17.0	amb