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Sigfox Demonstrator 915
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1 Revision Record

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2 Summary

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PURPOSE OF TEST: USA: Testing of radio frequency equipment per the relevant authorization procedure of chapter 47 of CFR (code of federal regulations) Part 2, subpart J.

TEST SPECIFICATION(S): 47CFR15.247

EQUIPMENT UNDER TEST (EUT): Sigfox Demonstrator 915

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2.1 Test Summary

<i>Test Method and Description</i>	<i>Requirement Clause</i>	<i>Applicable to this equipment</i>	<i>Result / Note</i>
	47CFR15		
Radiated spurious emissions (restricted bands of operation and cabinet radiation)	15.205	☒	<i>Pass</i>
AC power line conducted emissions	15.207	☒	<i>Pass</i>
Carrier frequency separation	15.247(a)(1)	☒	<i>Pass</i>
Number of hopping channels	15.247(a)(1) (i), (ii) and (iii)	☒	<i>Pass</i>
Average time of occupancy	15.247(a)(1) (i), (ii) and (iii)	☒	<i>Pass</i>
Maximum peak conducted output power	15.247 (a)(1), (b)(1) and (b)(2)	☒	<i>Pass</i>
20dB emission bandwidth	15.247(a)(1) (i) and (ii)	☒	<i>Pass</i>
Unintentional radiation / receiver emissions	15.109	☒	<i>Pass</i>

Notes:

The results contained in this report relate only to the items tested, in the condition at time of test, and were obtained in the period between the date of initial receipt of samples and the date of issue of the report.

The apparatus was set up and exercised using the configurations, modes of operation and arrangements defined in this report only. Any modifications made are identified in Section 8 of this report.

Particular operating modes, apparatus monitoring methods and performance criteria required by the standards tested to have been performed except where identified in Section 5.2 of this test report (Deviations from Test Standards).

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4 Introduction

This report TRA-030856-47-00-A presents the results of the Radio testing on a Sigfox Demonstrator to specification 47CFR15 Radio Frequency Devices and RSS-247 Licence-exempt Radio Apparatus (All Frequency Bands): Category I Equipment.

The testing was carried out for Sigfox by Element, at the address(es) detailed below.

<input type="checkbox"/>	Element Hull Unit E South Orbital Trading Park Hedon Road Hull HU9 1NJ UK	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Element Skelmersdale Unit 1 Pendle Place Skemersdale West Lancashire WN8 9PN UK
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This report details the configuration of the equipment, the test methods used and any relevant modifications where appropriate.

All test and measurement equipment under the control of the laboratory and requiring calibration is subject to an established programme and procedures to control and maintain measurement standards. The quality management system meets the principles of ISO 9001, and has quality control procedures for monitoring the validity of tests undertaken. Records and sufficient detail are retained to establish an audit trail of calibration records relating to its test results for a defined period. Under control of the established calibration programme, key quantities or values of the test & measurement instrumentation are within specification and comply with the relevant traceable internationally recognised and appropriate standard specifications, which are UKAS calibrated as such where these properties have a significant effect on results. Participation in inter-laboratory comparisons and proficiency testing ensures satisfactory correlation of results conform to Elements own procedures, as well as statistical techniques for analysis of test data providing the appropriate confidence in measurements.

Throughout this report EUT denotes equipment under test.

FCC Site Listing:

Element is accredited for the above sites under the US-EU MRA, Designation number UK0009.

IC Registration Number(s):

Element Hull	3483A
Element North West	3930B

The test site requirements of ANSI C63.4-2014 are met up to 1GHz.

The test site SVSWR requirements of CISPR 16-1-4:2010 are met over the frequency range 1 GHz to 18 GHz.

5 Test Specifications

5.1 Normative References

- FCC 47 CFR Ch. I – Part 15 – Radio Frequency Devices.
- ANSI C63.10-2013 – American National Standard of Procedures for Compliance Testing of Unlicensed Wireless Devices.
- ANSI C63.4-2014 – American National Standard for Methods of Measurement of Radio-Noise Emissions from Low-Voltage Electrical and Electronic Equipment in the Range of 9 kHz to 40 GHz.
- Industry Canada RSS-247, Issue 1, May 2015 – Digital Transmission Systems (DTSs), Frequency Hopping Systems (FHSs) and Licence-Exempt Local Area Network (LE-LAN) Devices
- Industry Canada RSS-Gen, Issue 4, November 2014 – General Requirements for Compliance of Radio Apparatus.

5.2 Deviations from Test Standards

There were no deviations from the test standard.

6 Glossary of Terms

§	denotes a section reference from the standard, not this document
AC	Alternating Current
ANSI	American National Standards Institute
BW	bandwidth
C	Celsius
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CW	Continuous Wave
dB	decibel
dBm	dB relative to 1 milliwatt
DC	Direct Current
DSSS	Direct Sequence Spread Spectrum
EIRP	Equivalent Isotropically Radiated Power
ERP	Effective Radiated Power
EUT	Equipment Under Test
FCC	Federal Communications Commission
FHSS	Frequency Hopping Spread Spectrum
Hz	hertz
IC	Industry Canada
ITU	International Telecommunication Union
LBT	Listen Before Talk
m	metre
max	maximum
MIMO	Multiple Input and Multiple Output
min	minimum
MRA	Mutual Recognition Agreement
N/A	Not Applicable
PCB	Printed Circuit Board
PDF	Portable Document Format
Pt-mpt	Point-to-multipoint
Pt-pt	Point-to-point
RF	Radio Frequency
RH	Relative Humidity
RMS	Root Mean Square
Rx	receiver
s	second
SVSWR	Site Voltage Standing Wave Ratio
Tx	transmitter
UKAS	United Kingdom Accreditation Service
V	volt
W	watt
Ω	ohm

7 Equipment Under Test

7.1 EUT Identification

- Name: Sigfox Demonstrator 915

7.2 System Equipment

Equipment listed below forms part of the overall test setup and is required for equipment functionality and/or monitoring during testing. The compliance levels achieved in this report relate only to the EUT and not items given in the following list.

Not Applicable – No support/monitoring equipment required.

7.3 EUT Mode of Operation

7.3.1 Transmission

The mode of operation for Tx tests was as follows...
Transmitter operating on hopping channels selected by customer software

7.3.2 Reception

The mode of operation for Rx tests was as follows...
EUT in receive mode.

7.4 EUT Radio Parameters

7.4.1 General

Frequency of operation:	902-929MHz
Modulation type(s):	BPSK @ 600bps
Occupied channel bandwidth(s):	21.826kHz
Channel spacing:	25kHz
Nominal Supply Voltage:	3.7Vdc
Software version	V2.00e
Hardware version	B

7.4.2 Antennas

Type:	Integral
Frequency range:	902.928MHz

7.4.3 Product specific declarations

Multiple antenna configuration(s), e.g. MIMO:	N/A
Fixed pt-pt operations (yes/no):	N/A
Installation manual advice on pt-pt operational restrictions (yes/no):	N/A
Fixed pt-mpt operations (yes/no):	N/A

7.5 EUT Description

The EUT is a radio device that operates in the 902-928MHz band. The main function of the radio is for the validation of applications like sensor networks, environment , intelligent buildings, metering, security, or M2M.

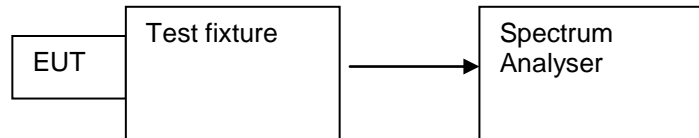
8 Modifications

No modifications were performed during this assessment.

9 EUT Test Setup

9.1 Block Diagram

The following diagram shows basic EUT interconnections with cable type and cable lengths identified:



9.2 General Set-up Photograph

The following photograph shows basic EUT set-up:



10 General Technical Parameters

10.1 Normal Conditions

The E U T was tested under the normal environmental conditions of the test laboratory, except where otherwise stated. The normal power source applied was approx. 3.7 V dc.

10.2 Varying Test Conditions

There are no specific frequency stability requirements for the type of device. The results contained in this report demonstrate that the occupied bandwidth is contained within the authorised band and the manufacturer has declared sufficient frequency stability (refer to section 7.4).

Variation of supply voltage is required to ensure stability of the declared output power. During carrier power testing the following variations were made:

	Category	Nominal	Variation
<input type="checkbox"/>	Mains	110 V ac +/-2 %	85 % and 115 %
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Battery	New battery	N/A

11 Radiated emissions

11.1 Definitions

Spurious emissions

Emissions on a frequency or frequencies, which are outside the necessary bandwidth and the level of which may be reduced without affecting the corresponding transmission of information. Spurious emissions include harmonic emissions, parasitic emissions, intermodulation products and frequency conversion products, but exclude out-of-band emissions.

Restricted bands

A frequency band in which intentional radiators are permitted to radiate only spurious emissions but not fundamental signals.

11.2 Test Parameters

Test Location:	Element Skelmersdale
Test Chamber:	Radio Chamnber
Test Standard and Clause:	ANSI C63.10-2013, Clause 6.5 and 6.6
EUT Channels / Frequencies Measured:	Low High
EUT Channel Bandwidths:	21.826kHz
Deviations From Standard:	None
Measurement BW:	30 MHz to 1 GHz: 120 kHz Above 1 GHz: 1 MHz
Measurement Detector:	Up to 1 GHz: quasi-peak Above 1 GHz: RMS average and Peak

Environmental Conditions (Normal Environment)

Temperature: 23 °C	+15 °C to +35 °C (as declared)
Humidity: 32 % RH	20 % RH to 75 % RH (as declared)
Supply:3.7 Vdc	Via Battery (as declared)

11.3 Test Limit

Unwanted emissions that fall within the restricted frequency bands shall comply with the limits specified:

General Field Strength Limits for License-Exempt Transmitters at Frequencies above 30 MHz

<i>Frequency (MHz)</i>	<i>Field Strength (μV/m at 3 m)</i>
30 to 88	100
88 to 216	150
216 to 960	200
Above 960	500

11.4 Test Method

With the EUT setup as per section 9 of this report and connected as per Figure i, the emissions from the EUT were measured on a spectrum analyzer / EMI receiver.

Radiated electromagnetic emissions from the EUT are checked first by preview scans. Preview scans for all spectrum and modulation characteristics are checked, using a peak detector and where applicable worst-case determined for function, operation, orientation, etc. for both vertical and horizontal polarisations. Pre-scan plots are shown with a peak detector and 100 kHz RBW.

If the EUT connects to auxiliary equipment and is table or floor standing, the configurations prescribed in ANSI C63.10 are followed. Alternatively, a layout closest to normal use (as declared by the provider) is employed, (see EUT setup photographs for more detail).

Emissions between 30 MHz and 1 GHz are measured using calibrated broadband antennas. Emissions above 1 GHz are characterized using standard gain horn antennas. Pre-amplifiers and filters are used where required. Care is taken to ensure that test receiver resolution bandwidth, video bandwidth and detector type(s) meet the regulatory requirements.

For both horizontal and vertical polarizations, the EUT is then rotated through 360 degrees in azimuth until the highest emission is detected. At the previously determined azimuth the test antenna is raised and lowered from 1 to 4 m in height until a maximum emission level is detected, this maximum value is recorded.

Power values measured on the test receiver / analyzer are converted to field strength, FS, in dB μ V/m at the regulatory distance, using:

$$FS = PR + CL + AF - PA + DC - CF$$

Where,

PR is the power recorded on the receiver / spectrum analyzer in dB μ V;

CL is the cable loss in dB;

AF is the test antenna factor in dB/m;

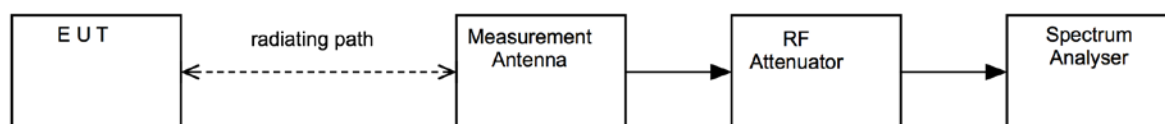
PA is the pre-amplifier gain in dB (where used);

DC is the duty correction factor in dB (where used, e.g. harmonics of pulsed fundamental);

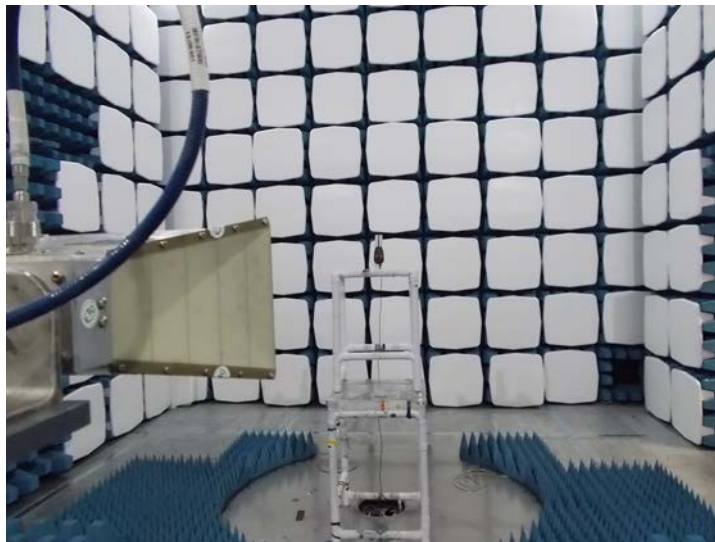
CF is the distance factor in dB (where measurement distance different to limit distance);

This field strength value is then compared with the regulatory limit.

Figure i Test Setup



11.5 Test Set-up Photograph

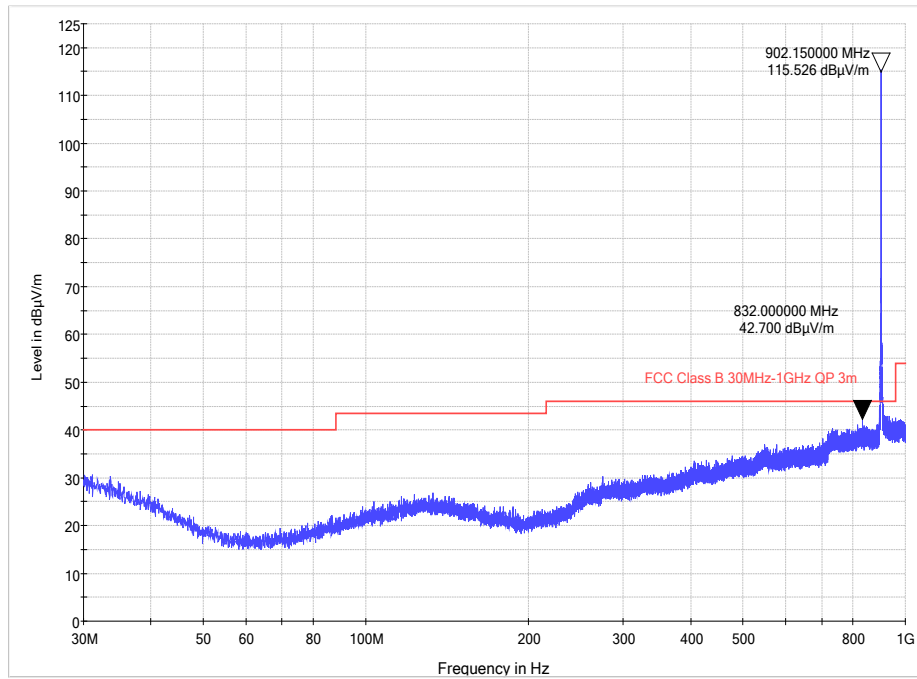


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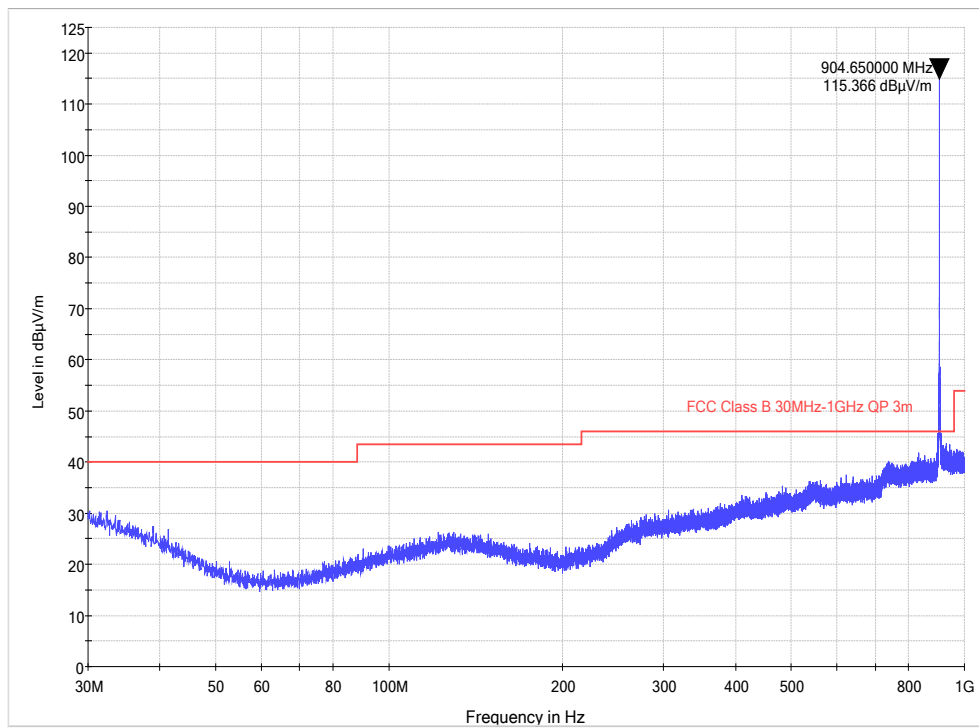
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ESVS10	R&S	Receiver	L352	07/08/2016
ATS	Rainford EMC	Radio Chamber - PP	REF940	08/09/2016
3115	EMCO	1-18GHz Horn	L139	25/09/2017
FSU46	R&S	Spectrum Analyser	U281	24/04/2016
8449B	Agilent	Pre Amp	L572	16/02/2017
SH4141	BSC	High Pass Filter	REF977	25/02/2017

11.7 Test Results

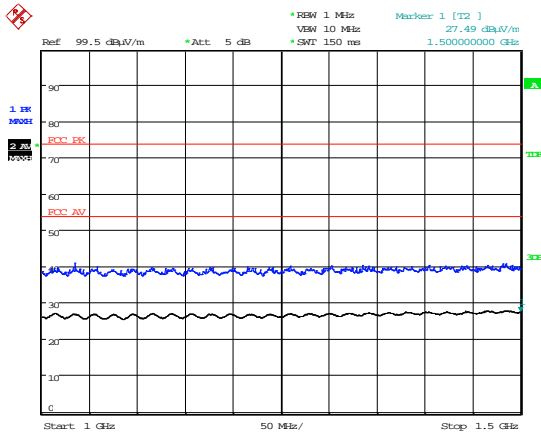
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Tx Top 30MHz-1GHz

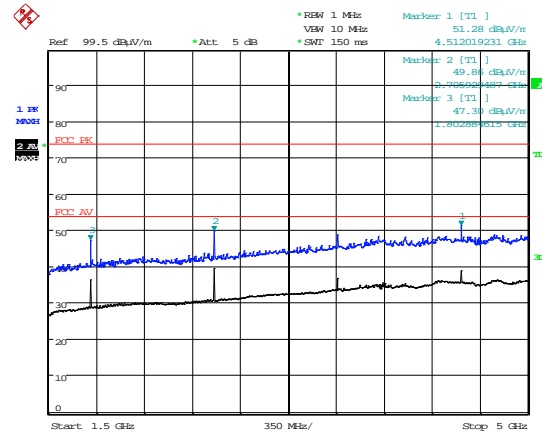


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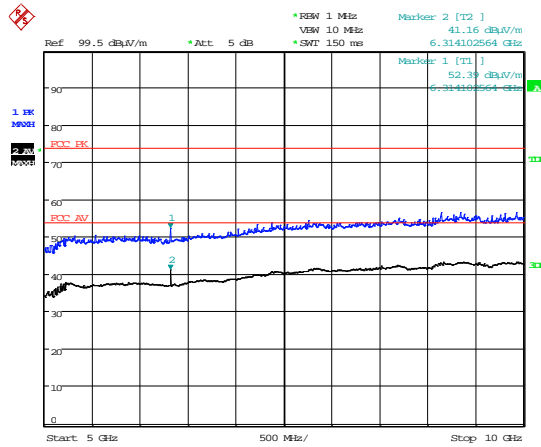


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Bottom 1.5 - 5GHz



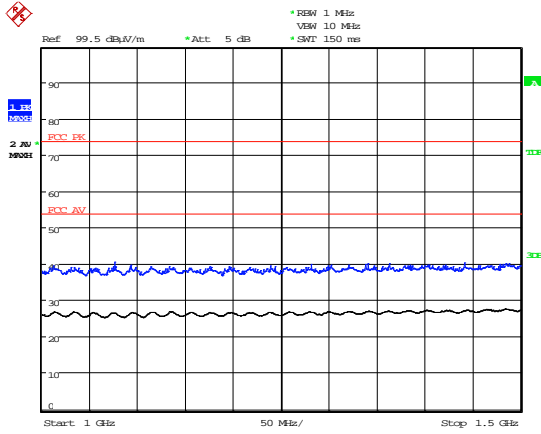
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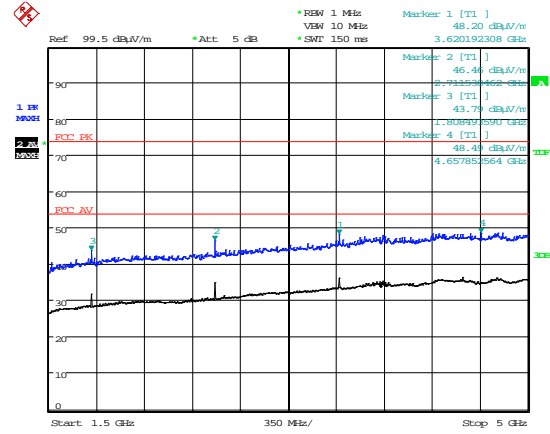
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Top 1-1.5GHz

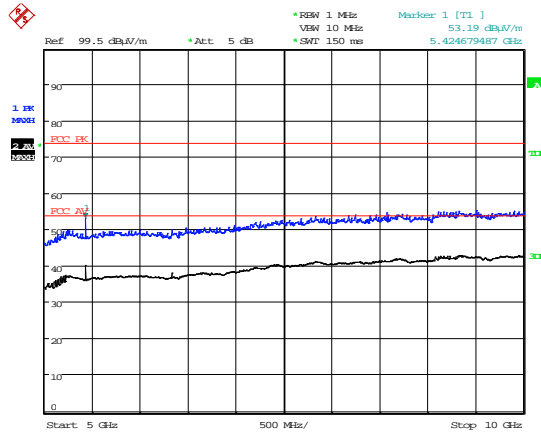


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Top 1.5-5GHz



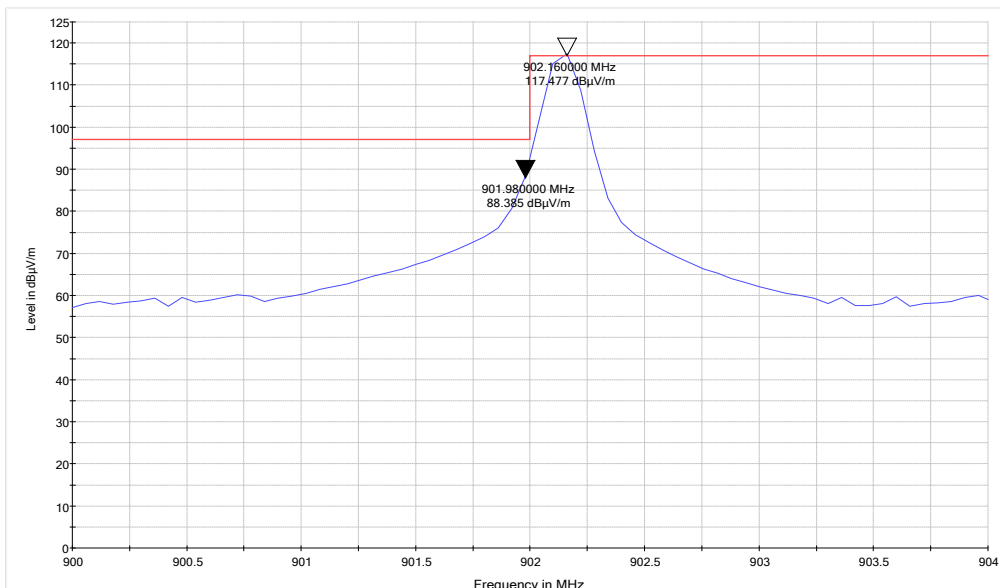
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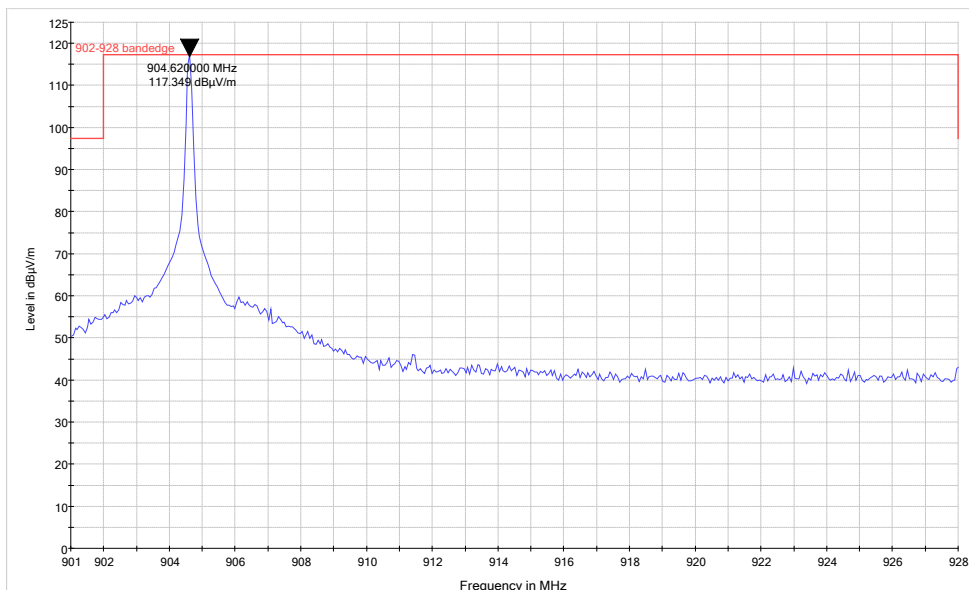
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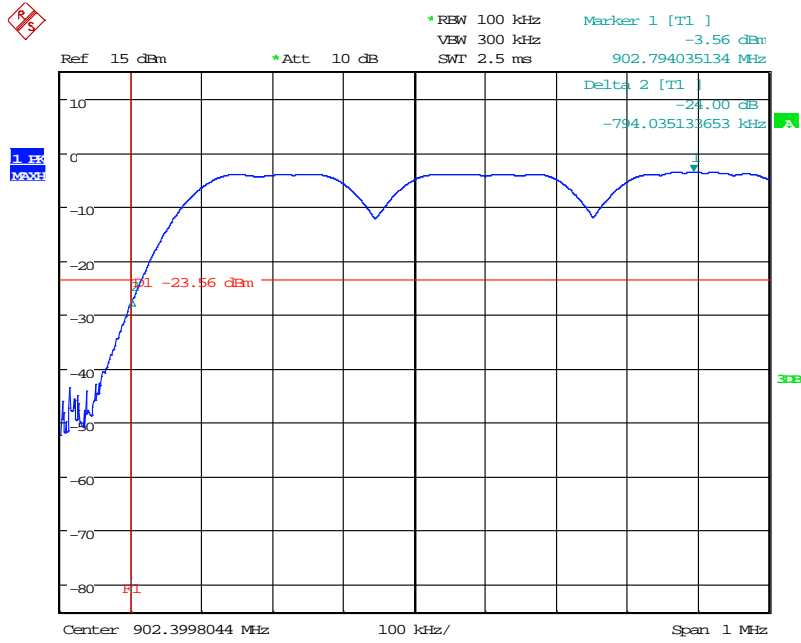
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Upper bandedge hopping mode disabled

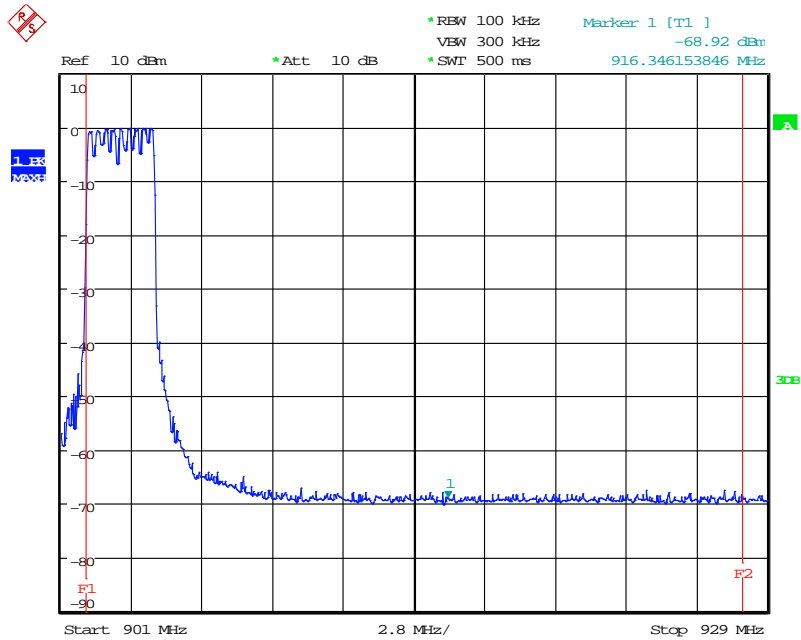


Lower Bandedge Hopping



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Upper Bandedge Hopping



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<i>MaxPower; low MHz</i>										
<i>Detector</i>	<i>Freq. (MHz)</i>	<i>Meas'd Emission (dBμV)</i>	<i>Cable Loss (dB)</i>	<i>Antenna Factor (dB/m)</i>	<i>Pre-amp Gain (dB)</i>	<i>Duty Cycle Corr'n (dB)</i>	<i>Distance Extrap'n Factor (dB)</i>	<i>Field Strength (dBμV/m)</i>	<i>Field Strength (μV/m)</i>	<i>Limit (μV/m)</i>
Pk	2706.420	56.46	3.2	28.9	36.1	N/A	N/A	53.90	495.45	5011
Av	2706.420	50.65	3.2	28.9	36.1	N/A	N/A	48.09	253.80	500
Pk	3608.525	53.19	3.7	31.5	35.7	N/A	N/A	53.15	454.46	5011
Av	3608.525	45.60	3.7	31.5	35.7	N/A	N/A	45.56	189.67	500
Pk	4510.663	53.12	4.2	32.3	35.7	N/A	N/A	54.09	506.41	5011
Av	4510.663	46.19	4.2	32.3	35.7	N/A	N/A	47.16	228.03	500
Pk	5412.792	49.95	4.6	34.4	35.9	N/A	N/A	53.45	470.44	5011
Av	5412.792	39.27	4.6	34.4	35.9	N/A	N/A	42.77	137.56	500
Pk	8119.26	49.41	5.9	37.1	5.9	N/A	N/A	56.55	672.20	5011
Av	8119.26	36.69	5.9	37.1	5.9	N/A	N/A	43.83	155.42	500
Pk	9021.366	327	6.2	37.7	36.4	N/A	N/A	57.47	747.31	5011
Av	9021.366	327	6.2	37.7	36.4	N/A	N/A	44.22	162.55	500

<i>Max Power top MHz</i>										
<i>Detector</i>	<i>Freq. (MHz)</i>	<i>Meas'd Emission (dBμV)</i>	<i>Cable Loss (dB)</i>	<i>Antenna Factor (dB/m)</i>	<i>Pre-amp Gain (dB)</i>	<i>Duty Cycle Corr'n (dB)</i>	<i>Distance Extrap'n Factor (dB)</i>	<i>Field Strength (dBμV/m)</i>	<i>Field Strength (μV/m)</i>	<i>Limit (μV/m)</i>
Pk	2713.998	53.24	3.2	28.9	36.1	N/A	N/A	50.58	338.06	5011
Av	2713.998	45.69	3.2	28.9	36.1	N/A	N/A	43.03	141.74	500
Pk	3618.613	58.30	3.7	31.6	35.7	N/A	N/A	58.36	827.94	5011
Av	3618.613	52.92	3.7	31.6	35.7	N/A	N/A	52.98	445.66	500
Pk	4523.28	49.74	4.2	32.3	35.7	N/A	N/A	50.71	343.16	5011
Av	4523.28	39.12	4.2	32.3	35.7	N/A	N/A	40.09	101.04	500
Pk	5427.99	53.77	4.6	34.4	35.9	N/A	N/A	57.27	730.30	5011
Av	5427.99	46.28	4.6	34.4	35.9	N/A	N/A	49.78	308.32	500
Pk	8141.84	49.27	5.8	37.1	36.3	N/A	N/A	56.31	653.88	5011
Av	8141.84	37.71	5.8	37.1	36.3	N/A	N/A	44.75	172.78	500
Pk	9046.55	49.99	6.1	37.8	36.4	N/A	N/A	57.98	792.50	5011
Av	9046.55	38.09	6.1	37.8	36.4	N/A	N/A	46.08	201.37	500

12 AC power-line conducted emissions

12.1 Definition

Line-to-ground radio-noise voltage that is conducted from all of the EUT current-carrying power input terminals that are directly (or indirectly via separate transformers or power supplies) connected to a public power network.

12.2 Test Parameters

Test Location:	Element Skelmersdale
Test Standard and Clause:	ANSI C63.10-2013, Clause 6.2
EUT Channels / Frequencies Measured:	Mid
EUT Channel Bandwidths:	21.826kHz
EUT Modulation:	BPSK
Deviations From Standard:	None
Measurement BW:	10kHz
Measurement Detectors:	Quasi-Peak and Average,

Environmental Conditions (Normal Environment)

Temperature: 23 °C	+15 °C to +35 °C (as declared)
Humidity: 32 % RH	20 % RH to 75 % RH (as declared)
Supply: 3.7V dc	Via battery (as declared)

Test Limit

A radio apparatus that is designed to be connected to the public utility (AC) power line shall ensure that the radio frequency voltage, which is conducted back onto the AC power line on any frequency or frequencies within the band 150 kHz to 30 MHz, shall not exceed the limits in Table 3.

Table 3 – AC Power Line Conducted Emission Limits

Frequency (MHz)	Conducted limit (dBuV)	
	Quasi-Peak	Average**
0.15 to 0.5	66 to 56	56 to 46
0.5 to 5	56	46
5 to 30	60	50

*The level decreases linearly with the logarithm of the frequency.

**A linear average detector is required.

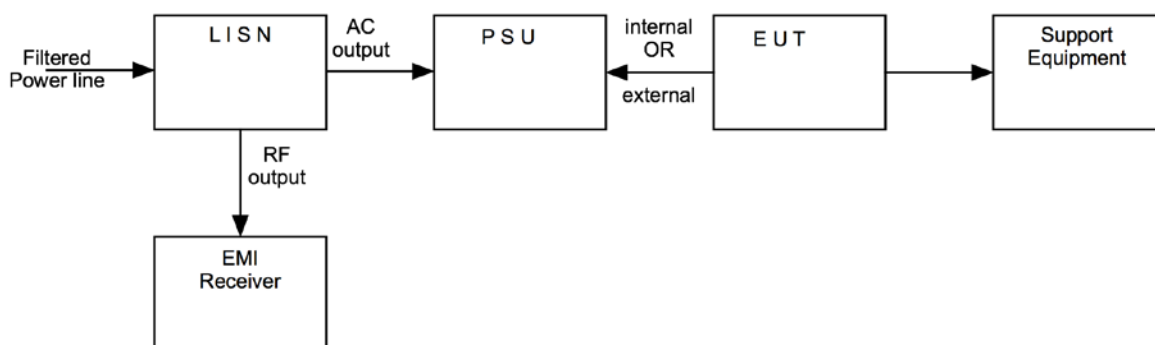
12.3 Test Method

With the EUT setup in a screened room, as per section 9 of this report and connected as per Figure ii, the power line emissions were measured on a spectrum analyzer / EMI receiver.

AC power line conducted emissions from the EUT are checked first by preview scans with peak and average detectors covering both live and neutral lines. A spectrum analyzer is used to determine if any periodic emissions are present.

Formal measurements using the correct detector(s) and bandwidth are made on frequencies identified from the preview scans. Final measurements were performed with EUT set at its maximum duty in transmit and receive modes.

Figure ii Test Setup



12.4 Test Set-up Photograph

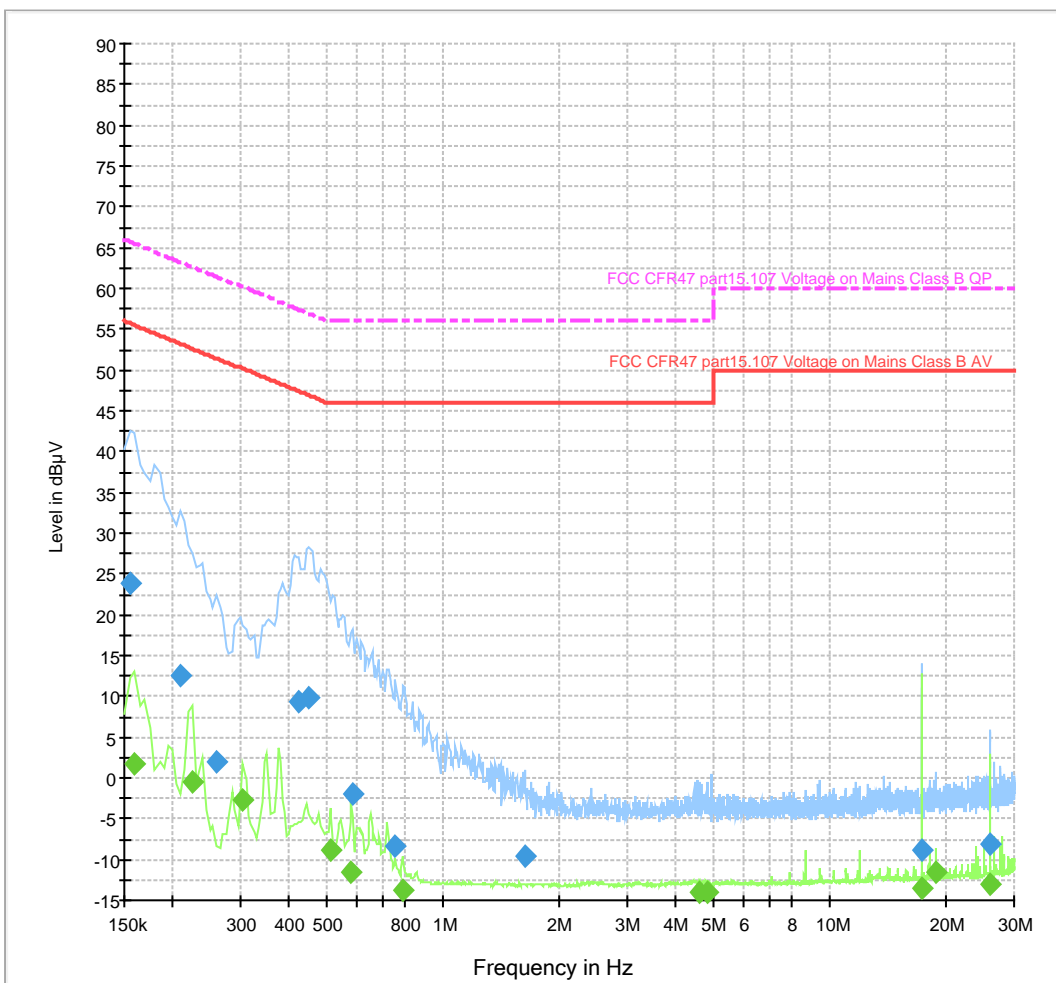


12.5 Test Equipment

Equipment Type	Manufacturer	Equipment Description	Element No	Due For Calibration
ENV216	R&S	Lisn	UH396	01/07/2016
ESHS10	R&S	Receiver	U187	29/10/2016

12.6 Test Results

Conducted emissions on Mains 9kHz-30MHz ESHS10 + UH396



Frequency (MHz)	QuasiPeak (dB μ V)	Meas. Time (ms)	Bandwidth (kHz)	Line	Corr. (dB)	Margin (dB)	Limit (dB μ V)	Comment
0.155000	23.9	5000.0	10.000	N	0.0	31.9	55.7	Pass
0.210000	12.5	5000.0	10.000	N	0.0	40.7	53.2	Pass
0.260000	2.1	5000.0	10.000	N	0.0	49.4	51.4	Pass
0.425000	9.3	5000.0	10.000	N	0.0	38.1	47.3	Pass
0.450000	10.0	5000.0	10.000	N	0.0	36.9	46.9	Pass
0.585000	-1.9	5000.0	10.000	N	0.1	47.9	46.0	Pass
0.755000	-8.4	5000.0	10.000	N	0.1	54.4	46.0	Pass
0.960000	-15.9	5000.0	10.000	N	0.1	61.9	46.0	Pass
1.270000	-18.0	5000.0	10.000	N	0.1	64.0	46.0	Pass
1.630000	-9.6	5000.0	10.000	L1	9.6	55.6	46.0	Pass
4.570000	-18.7	5000.0	10.000	N	0.1	64.7	46.0	Pass
4.930000	-19.2	5000.0	10.000	N	0.1	65.2	46.0	Pass
17.255000	-18.4	5000.0	10.000	N	0.3	68.4	50.0	Pass
17.275000	-8.8	5000.0	10.000	L1	9.9	58.8	50.0	Pass
25.885000	-8.1	5000.0	10.000	L1	9.9	58.1	50.0	Pass

Frequency (MHz)	Average (dB μ V)	Meas. Time (ms)	Bandwidth (kHz)	Line	Corr. (dB)	Margin (dB)	Limit (dB μ V)	Comment
0.160000	1.8	5000.0	10.000	N	0.0	63.7	65.5	Pass
0.225000	-0.5	5000.0	10.000	N	0.0	63.1	62.6	Pass
0.305000	-2.8	5000.0	10.000	L1	9.6	62.9	60.1	Pass
0.350000	-18.8	5000.0	10.000	N	0.0	77.7	59.0	Pass
0.375000	-17.4	5000.0	10.000	N	0.0	75.8	58.4	Pass
0.510000	-8.9	5000.0	10.000	L1	9.6	64.9	56.0	Pass
0.580000	-11.6	5000.0	10.000	L1	9.6	67.6	56.0	Pass
0.785000	-13.7	5000.0	10.000	L1	9.6	69.7	56.0	Pass
1.045000	-23.9	5000.0	10.000	N	0.1	79.9	56.0	Pass
4.635000	-13.9	5000.0	10.000	L1	9.7	69.9	56.0	Pass
4.820000	-14.1	5000.0	10.000	L1	9.7	70.1	56.0	Pass
17.255000	-23.3	5000.0	10.000	N	0.3	83.3	60.0	Pass
17.275000	-13.6	5000.0	10.000	L1	9.9	73.6	60.0	Pass
18.870000	-11.6	5000.0	10.000	L1	9.9	71.6	60.0	Pass
25.885000	-12.9	5000.0	10.000	L1	9.9	72.9	60.0	Pass

13 Carrier frequency separation

13.1 Definition

The carrier frequency separation is the frequency separation between two adjacent hopping frequencies.

13.2 Test Parameters

Test Location:	Element Skelmersdale
Test Chamber:	Radio Lab
Test Standard and Clause:	ANSI C63.10-2013, Clause 7.8.2
EUT 20dB Bandwidth:	21.826kHz
EUT Test Modulations:	Internal pattern generation – hopping enabled
Deviations From Standard:	None
Measurement BW:	1kHz
Measurement Detector:	Peak

Environmental Conditions (Normal Environment)

Temperature: 24 °C	+15 °C to +35 °C (as declared)
Humidity: 36 % RH	20 % RH to 75 % RH (as declared)
Supply: 3.7V dc	Via battery (as declared)

13.3 Test Limit

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. Alternatively, frequency hopping systems operating in the band 2400 to 2483.5 MHz may have hopping channel carrier frequencies that are separated by 25 kHz or two-thirds of the -20 dB bandwidth of the hopping channel, whichever is greater, provided that the systems operate with an output power no greater than 0.125 W.

13.4 Test Method

With the EUT setup as per section 9 of this report and connected as per Figure iii, the emissions of the EUT were measured on a spectrum analyser.

The measurements were performed with EUT set at its maximum duty. All modulation schemes, data rates and power settings were used to observe the worst-case configuration in each nominal bandwidth.

Figure iii Test Setup

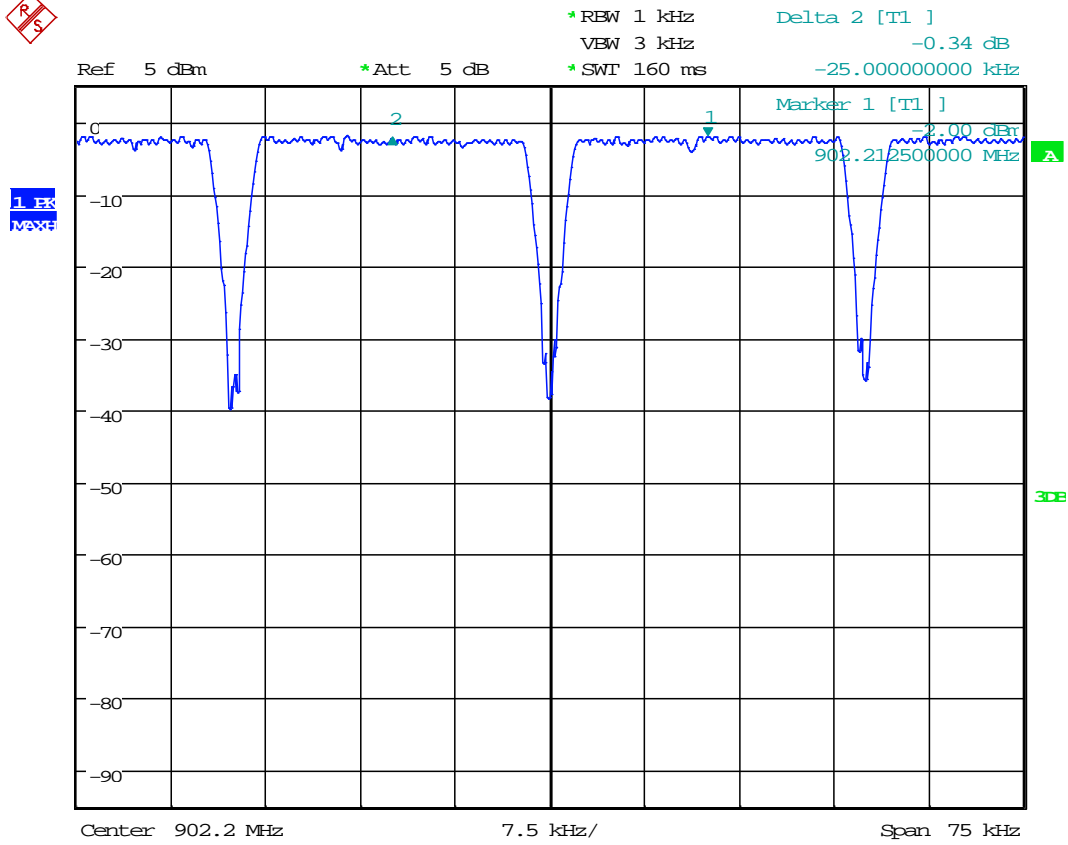


13.5 Test Equipment

Equipment Type	Manufacturer	Equipment Description	Element No	Due For Calibration
FSU46	R&S	Spectrum Analyser	U281	24/04/2016

13.6 Test Results

<i>Channel #: xx; Modulation: xx; Power setting: xx</i>				
<i>Data Rate</i>	<i>F_{1c} (MHz)</i>	<i>F_{2c} (MHz)</i>	<i>Channel Separation, F_{2c} - F_{1c} (kHz)</i>	<i>Result</i>
600bps	902.2125	902.1875	25kHz	PASS



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14 Number of hopping frequencies

14.1 Definition

The total number of hopping frequencies (the centre frequencies defined within the hopping sequence of a FHSS equipment) which are randomly sequenced in order to spread the transmission.

14.2 Test Parameters

Test Location:	Element Skelmersdale
Test Chamber:	Radio Lab
Test Standard and Clause:	ANSI C63.10-2013, Clause 7.8.3
EUT Channels / Frequencies Measured:	All; 902 – 928MHz
EUT 20dB Bandwidth:	21.62kHz
EUT Test Modulations:	Internal pattern generation – hopping enabled
Deviations From Standard:	None
Measurement BW:	10kHz/1kHz
Measurement Detector:	Peak

Environmental Conditions (Normal Environment)

Temperature: 23 °C	+15 °C to +35 °C (as declared)
Humidity: 36 % RH	20 % RH to 75 % RH (as declared)
Supply: 3.7V dc	Via battery (as declared)

14.3 Test Limit

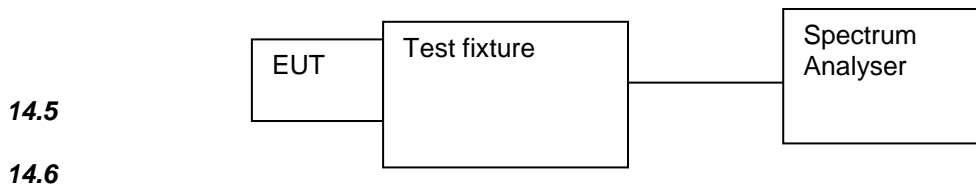
- For frequency hopping systems in the band 902 to 928 MHz: if the -20 dB bandwidth of the hopping channel is less than 250 kHz, the system shall use at least 50 hopping channels; If the -20 dB bandwidth of the hopping channel is 250 kHz or greater, the system shall use at least 25 hopping channels;
- Frequency hopping systems operating in the band 2400 to 2483.5 MHz shall use at least 15 hopping channels;
- Frequency hopping systems operating in the band 5725 to 5850 MHz shall use at least 75 hopping channels.

14.4 Test Method

With the EUT setup as per section 9 of this report and connected as per Figure iv, the emissions of the EUT were measured on a spectrum analyser.

The measurements were performed with EUT set at its maximum duty. All modulation schemes, data rates and power settings were used to observe the worst-case configuration in each nominal bandwidth.

Figure iv Test Setup



14.5

14.6

14.7 Test Equipment

Equipment Type	Manufacturer	Equipment Description	Element No	Due For Calibration
FSU46	R&S	Spectrum Analyser	U281	24/04/2016

14.8 Test Results

Lowest channel, F_{CL} (MHz)	Highest channel, F_{CH} (MHz)	Number of channels observed	Result
902.1375	904.6625	54	PASS

15 Average channel occupancy

15.1 Definition

The channel occupancy is the total of the transmitter 'on' times, during an observation period, on a particular hopping frequency.

15.2 Test Parameters

Test Location:	Element Skelmersdale
Test Chamber:	Radio Lab
Test Standard and Clause:	ANSI C63.10-2013, Clause 7.8.4
EUT Channels / Frequencies Measured:	Mid
EUT 20dB bandwidth:	21.826kHz
EUT Number of hopping channels:	54
EUT Test Modulations:	Internal pattern generation – hopping enabled
Deviations From Standard:	None
Measurement Detector:	Peak

Environmental Conditions (Normal Environment)

Temperature: 24 °C	+15 °C to +35 °C (as declared)
Humidity: 36 % RH	20 % RH to 75 % RH (as declared)
Supply: 3.7V dc	Via battery (as declared)

15.3 Test Limit

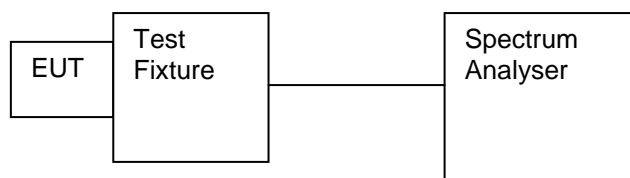
- For frequency hopping systems in the band 902 to 928 MHz: if the -20 dB bandwidth of the hopping channel is less than 250 kHz, the average time of occupancy on any channel shall not be greater than 0.4 seconds within a 20 second period;
If the -20 dB bandwidth of the hopping channel is 250 kHz or greater, the average time of occupancy on any channel shall not be greater than 0.4 seconds within a 10 second period;
- Frequency hopping systems operating in the band 2400 to 2483.5 MHz: The average time of occupancy on any channel shall not be greater than 0.4 seconds within a period of 0.4 seconds, multiplied by the number of hopping channels employed;
- Frequency hopping systems operating in the band 5725 to 5850 MHz: The average time of occupancy on any frequency shall not be greater than 0.4 seconds within a 30 second period.

15.4 Test Method

With the EUT setup as per section 9 of this report and connected as per Figure v, the emissions of the EUT were measured on a spectrum analyser.

The measurements were performed with EUT set at its maximum duty. A number of hops were observed to confirm consistency of the dwell time / observe the worst case. All modulation schemes, data rates and power settings were used to observe the worst-case configuration.

Figure v Test Setup

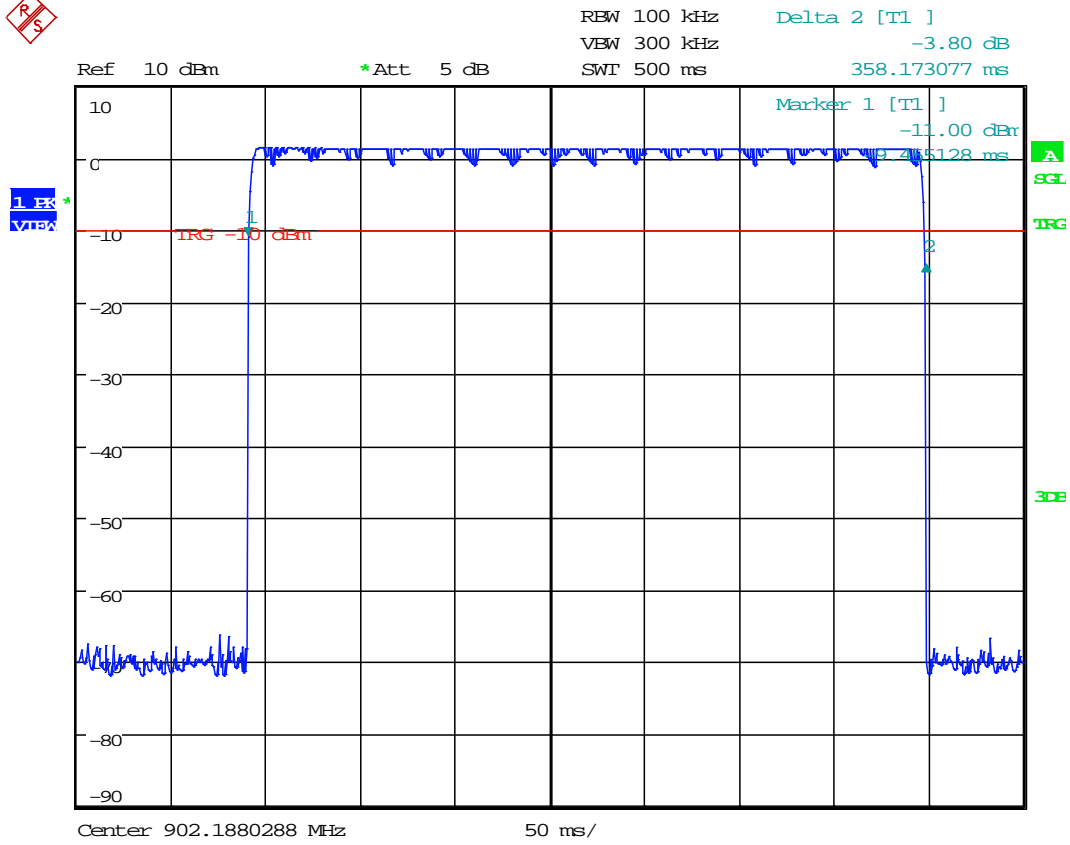


15.5 Test Equipment

Equipment Type	Manufacturer	Equipment Description	Element No	Due For Calibration
FSU46	R&S	Spectrum Analyser	U281	24/04/2016

15.6 Test Results

<i>Modulation BPSK ; Power setting: Max</i>					
<i>Data Rate</i>	<i>Individual occupancy time (ms)</i>	<i>Observation period (s)</i>	<i>Number of hops observed</i>	<i>Average time of occupancy (ms)</i>	<i>Result</i>
600	358.17	20	1	358.17	PASS



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16 Maximum peak conducted output power

16.1 Definition

The maximum peak conducted output power is defined as the maximum power level measured with a peak detector using a filter with width and shape of which is sufficient to accept the signal bandwidth.

16.2 Test Parameters

Test Location:	Element Skelmersdale / Element Hull
Test Chamber:	Radio Lab
Test Standard and Clause:	ANSI C63.10-2013, Clause 7.8.5
EUT Channels / Frequencies Measured:	Low / High – hopping disabled.
EUT Channel Bandwidths:	21.826MHz
Deviations From Standard:	None
Measurement BW:	100kHz
Spectrum Analyzer Video BW:	N/A
Measurement Detector:	Peak
Voltage Extreme Environment Test Range:	Mains Power = 85 % and 115 % of Nominal (FCC only requirement); Battery Power = new battery.

Environmental Conditions (Normal Environment)

Temperature: 24 °C	+15 °C to +35 °C (as declared)
Humidity: 36 % RH	20 % RH to 75 % RH (as declared)

16.3 Test Limit

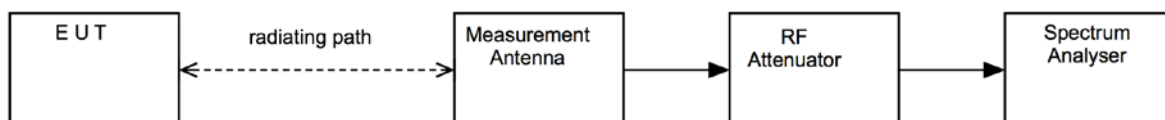
- For frequency hopping systems operating in the band 902 to 928 MHz, the maximum peak conducted output power shall not exceed 1 W, and the e.i.r.p. shall not exceed 4 W, if the hopset uses 50 or more hopping channels; the maximum peak conducted output power shall not exceed 0.25 W, and the e.i.r.p. shall not exceed 1 W, if the hopset uses less than 50 hopping channels.
- For frequency hopping systems operating in the band 2400 to 2483.5 MHz and employing at least 75 hopping channels, the maximum peak conducted output power shall not exceed 0.125 W. The e.i.r.p. shall not exceed 4 W.
- For frequency hopping systems operating in the band 5725 to 5850 MHz, the maximum peak conducted output power shall not exceed 1 W. The e.i.r.p. shall not exceed 4 W.
- Point-to-point systems in the bands 2400-2483.5 MHz and 5725 to 5850 MHz are permitted to have an e.i.r.p. higher than 4 W provided that the higher e.i.r.p. is achieved by employing higher gain directional antennas and not higher transmitter output powers.

16.4 Test Method

With the EUT setup as per section 9 of this report and connected as per Figure vi, the resolution bandwidth of the spectrum analyser was increased above the EUT occupied bandwidth and the peak emission data noted.

The measurements were performed with EUT set at its maximum duty. All modulation schemes, data rates and power settings were used to observe the worst-case configuration in each bandwidth.

Figure vi Test Setup



16.5 Test Equipment

Equipment Type	Manufacturer	Equipment Description	Element No	Due For Calibration
CBL6112B	Chase	Bilog	U093	17/06/2017
ESVS10	R&S	Receiver	L317	11/03/2017
ATS	Rainford EMC	Radio Chamber - PP	REF940	08/09/2016

16.6 Test Results

The following formula may be used to convert field strength (FS) in volts/metre to transmitter output power (TP) in watts:

$$TP = (FS \times D)^2 / (30 \times G)$$

where D is the distance in metres between the two antennas and G is the antenna numerical gain referenced to isotropic gain.

Modulation: bpsk; Data rate: 600; Power setting: Max							
Channel Frequency (MHz)	Peak Field Strength (dBµV/m)	Peak Field Strength (V/m)	Distance (m)	Antenna Gain ()	E.I.R.P. (W)	Maximum output power (W)	Result
902.1375	120.1	1.011579	3	0	.306902	4	PASS
904.6625	119.0	0.891250	3	0	.238297	4	PASS

17 Occupied Bandwidth

17.1 Definition

The emission bandwidth (x dB) is defined as the frequency range between two points, one above and one below the carrier frequency, at which the spectral density of the emission is attenuated x dB below the maximum in-band spectral density of the modulated signal.

17.2 Test Parameters

Test Location:	Element Skelmersdale
Test Chamber:	Radio Lab
Test Standard and Clause:	ANSI C63.10-2013, Clause 6.9
EUT Channels / Frequencies Measured:	902.2125MHz
EUT Channel Bandwidths:	21.826kHz
Deviations From Standard:	None
Measurement BW: (requirement: 1 % to 5 % OBW)	300Hz
Spectrum Analyzer Video BW: (requirement at least 3x RBW)	1kHz
Measurement Span: (requirement 2 to 5 times OBW)	See note 1
Measurement Detector:	Peak

Environmental Conditions (Normal Environment)

Temperature: 24 °C	+15 °C to +35 °C (as declared)
Humidity: 36 % RH	20 % RH to 75 % RH (as declared)
Supply: 3.7V dc	Via battery (as declared)

17.3 Test Limit

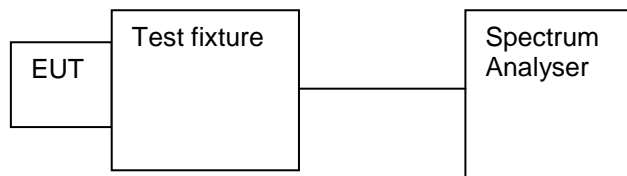
- For frequency hopping systems in the band 902 to 928 MHz: The maximum allowed -20 dB bandwidth of the hopping channel is 500 kHz.
- Frequency hopping systems operating in the band 5725 to 5850 MHz: The maximum -20 dB bandwidth of the hopping channel shall be 1 MHz

17.4 Test Method

With the EUT setup as per section 9 of this report and connected as per Figure vii, the bandwidth of the EUT was measured on a spectrum analyser.

The measurements were performed with EUT set at its maximum duty. All modulation schemes, data rates and power settings were used to observe the worst-case configuration in each bandwidth.

Figure vii Test Setup

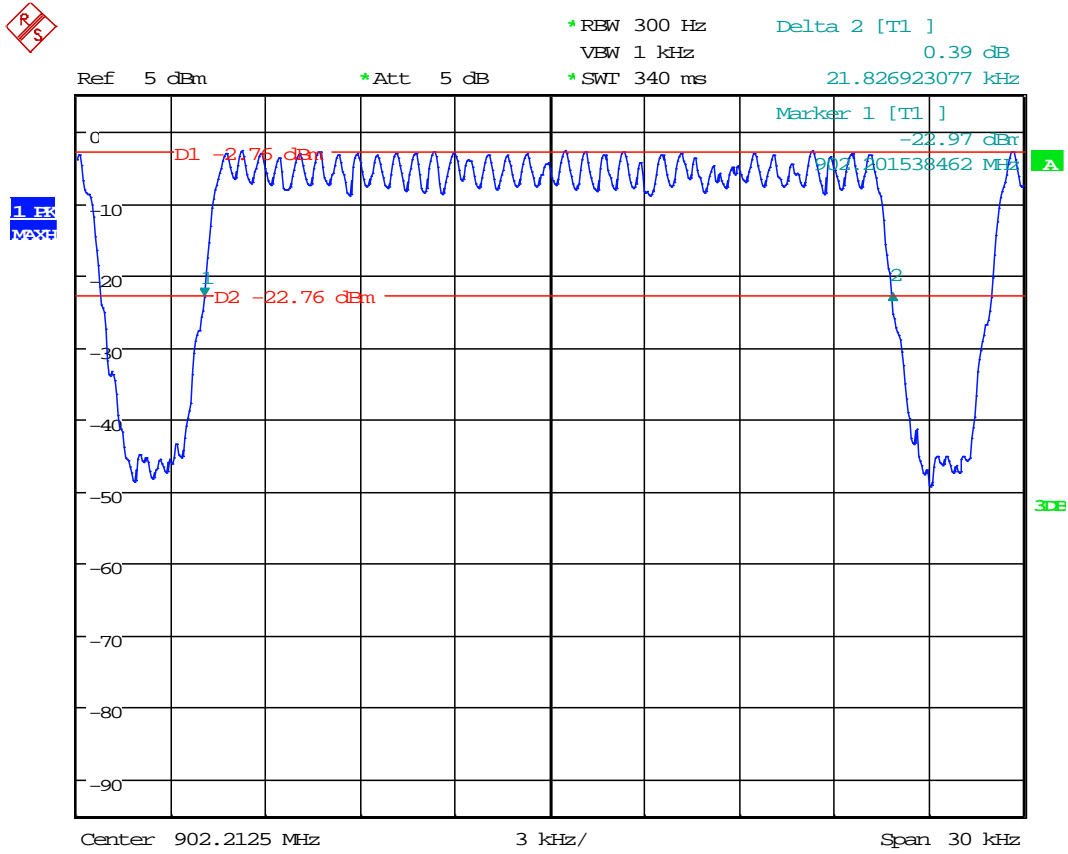


17.5 Test Equipment

Equipment Type	Manufacturer	Equipment Description	Element No	Due For Calibration
FSU46	R&S	Spectrum Analyser	U281	24/04/2016

17.6 Test Results

<i>Modulation: D-BPSK; Data rate: 600BPS; Power setting: Max</i>				
<i>Channel Frequency (MHz)</i>	<i>F_L (MHz)</i>	<i>F_H (MHz)</i>	<i>20dB Bandwidth (kHz)</i>	<i>Result</i>
902.201500	902.201538	902.223364	21.826	PASS



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18 Radiated emissions – unintentional radiation / receiver emissions

18.1 Definitions

Receiver spurious emissions

The radio frequency signals generated within the receiver, which may cause interference to other equipment. This includes the period during which the equipment is scanning or switching channels.

Unintentional radiator

A device that generates RF energy which is not intended to be radiated for reception by a radio receiver.

18.2 Test Parameters

Test Location:	Element Skelmersdale
Test Chamber:	Radio Chamber
Test Standard and Clause:	ANSI C63.10-2013, Clause 6.5 and 6.6
EUT Channels / Frequencies Measured:	Low / Mid / High
EUT Channel Bandwidths:	21.826kHz
Deviations From Standard:	None
Measurement BW:	30 MHz to 1 GHz: 120 kHz Above 1 GHz: 1 MHz
Measurement Detector:	Up to 1 GHz: quasi-peak Above 1 GHz: Peak

Environmental Conditions (Normal Environment)

Temperature: 23 °C	+15 °C to +35 °C (as declared)
Humidity: 37 % RH	20 % RH to 75 % RH (as declared)
Supply: 3.7 Vdc	230 V ac ±10 % (as declared)

18.3 Test Limit

Note:

Only radio communication receivers operating in stand-alone mode within the band 30 to 960 MHz, as well as scanner receivers, are subject to requirements, as described above. All other receivers are exempted from any certification, testing, labelling and reporting requirements.

However, all receivers in all frequency bands shall comply with the limits set forth in FCC 47CFR15B / IC RSS-Gen even in cases where testing, reporting and/or certification are not required.

Receiver Radiated Limits

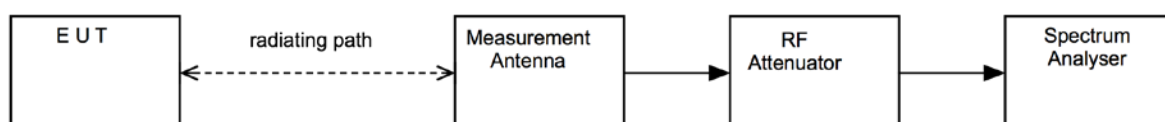
Frequency (MHz)	Field Strength (μV/m at 3 m)
30 to 88	100
88 to 216	150
216 to 960	200
Above 960	500

18.4 Test Method

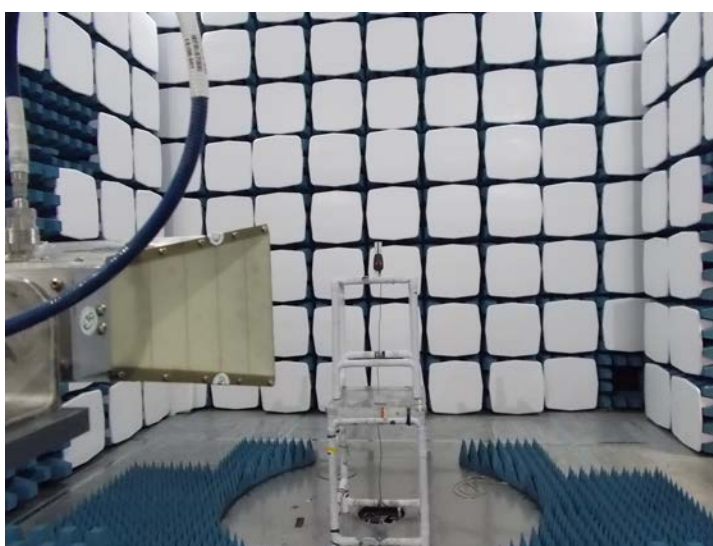
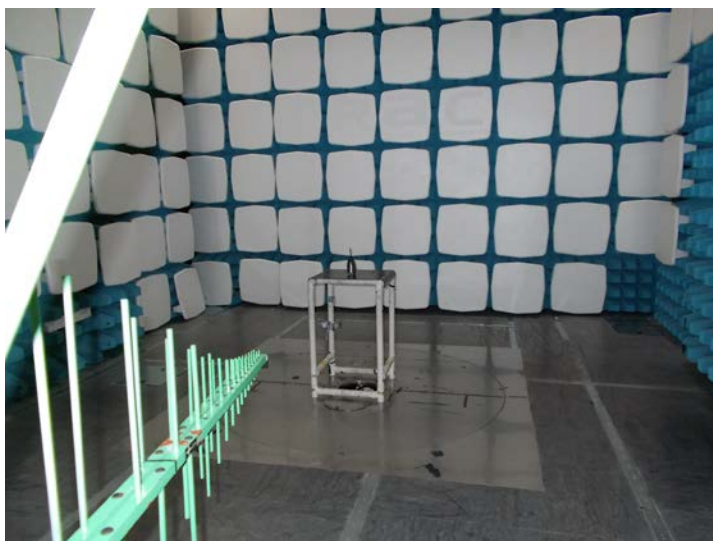
With the EUT setup as per section 9 of this report and connected as per Figure viii, the emissions from the EUT were measured on a spectrum analyzer / EMI receiver. The EUT was rotated in three orthogonal planes and the measurement antenna height scanned (below 1 GHz, from 1 to 4 m; above 1 GHz as necessary) in order to maximise emissions.

The measurements were performed with EUT set at its maximum duty. All modulation schemes, data rates and power settings were used to observe the worst-case configuration at each frequency. Pre-scan plots are shown with a peak detector and 100 kHz RBW.

Figure viii Test Setup



18.5 Test Set-up Photograph

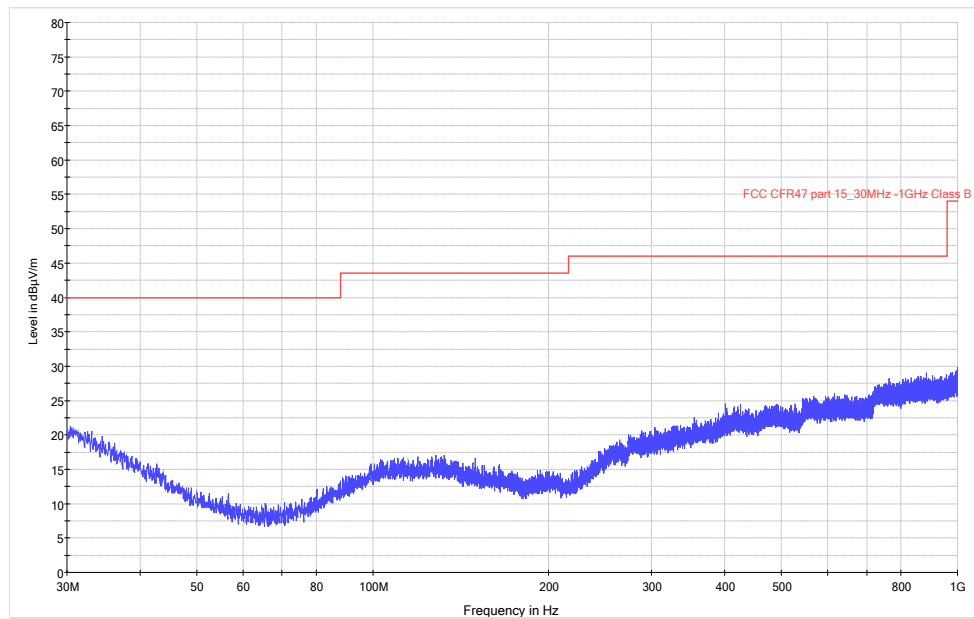


18.6 Test Equipment

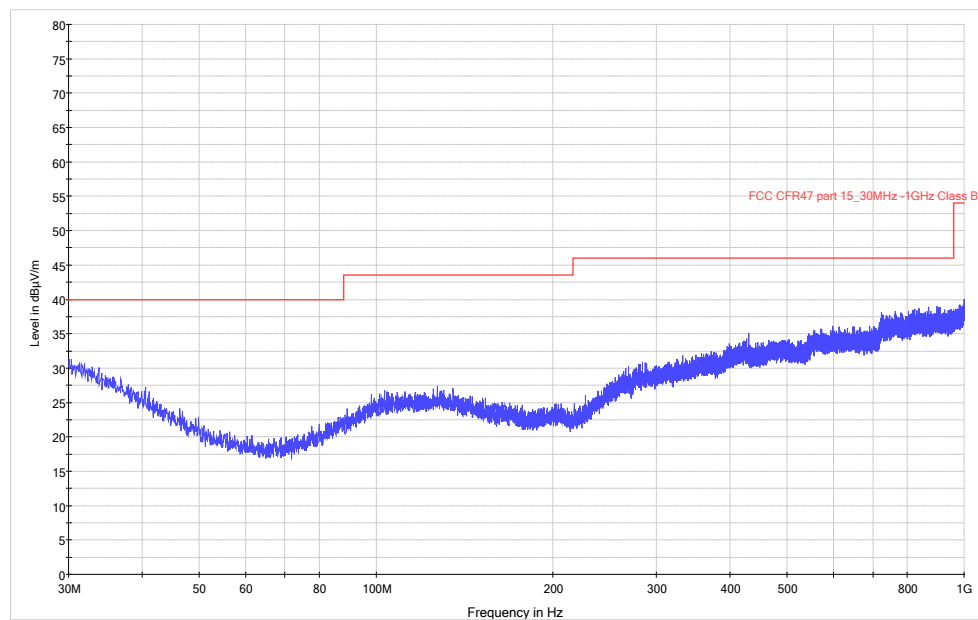
Equipment Type	Manufacturer	Equipment Description	Element No	Due For Calibration
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ESVS10	R&S	Receiver	L352	07/08/2016
ATS	Rainford EMC	Radio Chamber - PP	REF940	08/09/2016
3115	EMCO	1-18GHz Horn	L139	25/09/2017
FSU46	R&S	Spectrum Analyser	U281	24/04/2016
8449B	Agilent	Pre Amp	L572	16/02/2017
SH4141	BSC	High Pass Filter	REF977	25/02/2017

18.7 Test Results

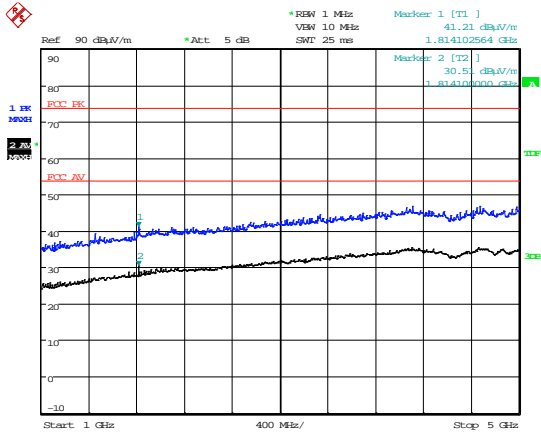
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Rx top channel 30MHz -1GHz

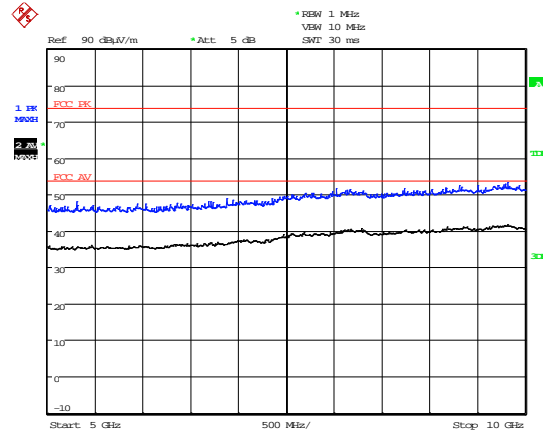


Rx bottom 1-5GHz



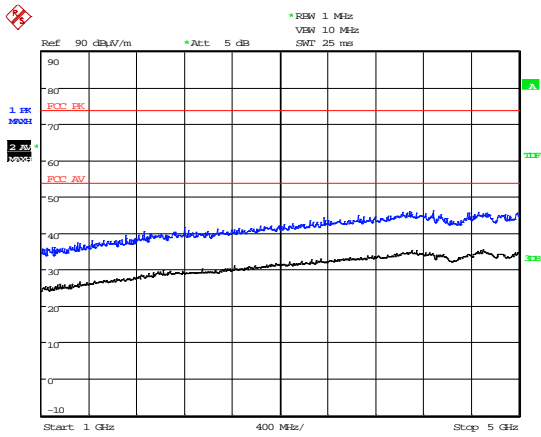
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Rx bottom 5-10GHz



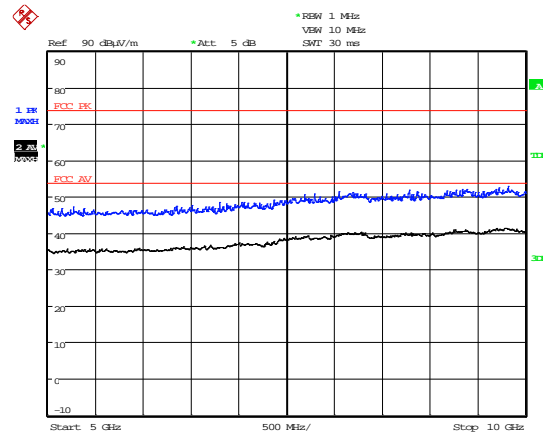
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Rx top 1-5GHz



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Rx top 5-10GHz



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<i>Rx bottom channel</i>									
<i>Detector</i>	<i>Freq. (MHz)</i>	<i>Measured Emission (dBµV/m)</i>	<i>Cable Loss (dB)</i>	<i>Antenna Factor (dB/m)</i>	<i>Pre-amp Gain (dB)</i>	<i>Field Strength (dBµV/m)</i>	<i>Extrap'n Factor (dB)</i>	<i>Field Strength (µV/m)</i>	<i>Limit (µV/m)</i>
No Significant emissions									

<i>Rx top channel</i>									
<i>Detector</i>	<i>Freq. (MHz)</i>	<i>Measured Emission (dBµV/m)</i>	<i>Cable Loss (dB)</i>	<i>Antenna Factor (dB/m)</i>	<i>Pre-amp Gain (dB)</i>	<i>Field Strength (dBµV/m)</i>	<i>Extrap'n Factor (dB)</i>	<i>Field Strength (µV/m)</i>	<i>Limit (µV/m)</i>
No Significant emissions									

19 Measurement Uncertainty

Calculated Measurement Uncertainties

All statements of uncertainty are expanded standard uncertainty using a coverage factor of 1.96 to give a 95 % confidence:

[1] Radiated spurious emissions

Uncertainty in test result (30 MHz to 1 GHz) = **4.6 dB**

Uncertainty in test result (1 GHz to 18 GHz) = **4.7 dB**

[2] AC power line conducted emissions

Uncertainty in test result = **3.4 dB**

[3] Occupied bandwidth

Uncertainty in test result = **15.5 %**

[4] Conducted carrier power

Uncertainty in test result (Power Meter) = **1.08 dB**

[5] Conducted / radiated RF power out-of-band

Uncertainty in test result – up to 8.1 GHz = **3.31 dB**

Uncertainty in test result – 8.1 GHz to 15.3 GHz = **4.43 dB**

Uncertainty in test result (30 MHz to 1 GHz) = **4.6 dB**

Uncertainty in test result (1 GHz to 18 GHz) = **4.7 dB**

[6] Frequency separation

Uncertainty in test result (Spectrum Analyser) = **3.6 kHz**

[7] Accumulated channel occupancy time

Uncertainty in test result = **7.98 %**