

EMC Verification Test Report


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1 Summary of Test Results

The EUT was tested for compliance with the following standards and/or regulations.

1.1 Emissions Test Results

The EUT was tested for compliance to:

FCC Part 15.209
ISED RSS-210 Issue 10
RSS-Gen Issue 5

Below is a summary of the test results. Complete results of testing can be found in Section 3.

Table 1 – Emissions Test Results

| Emissions Tests | Test Method and Limits | Result |
|------------------------|---|---------------|
| Radiated Emissions | FCC Part 15.209 ISED RSS-210 Issue 10 RSS-Gen Issue 5 | Complies |

2 EUT Description

2.1 Equipment under Test (EUT)

Table 2 – Equipment under Test (EUT)

| | |
|-------------------|--------------------------|
| Manufacturer | RFID Inc. |
| FCC ID | YVU3049E |
| Model | 3049E |
| Serial Number | 011705 (Lab-assigned SN) |
| EUT Received Date | 12/28/2023 |
| EUT Tested Date | 12/28/2023 – 7/3/2024 |

2.2 Laboratory Description

Testing was performed at the following Facility:

The Nebraska Center for Excellence in Electronics (NCEE Labs)
4740 Discovery Drive
Lincoln, NE 68521

A2LA Certificate Number: 1953.01
FCC Accredited Test Site Designation No: US1060
Industry Canada Test Site Registration No: 4294A-1
NCC CAB Identification No: US0177

Environmental conditions varied slightly throughout the tests:

Relative humidity of $35 \pm 10\%$
Temperature of $24 \pm 3^{\circ} \text{C}$

2.3 EUT Setup

The EUT was powered by internal batteries. During the radiated emissions tests, the button on the EUT's handle was held down so the device would be in the 'scanning' state and the 125kHz transmitter would be active.

3 Test Results

3.1 Radiated Emissions

| | |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Test: | FCC Part 15.209 ISED RSS-210 Issue 10 RSS-Gen Issue 5 |
| Test Specifications: | Class B |
| Test Result: | Complies |

3.1.1 Test Description

Radiated emissions measurements were made from 30MHz to 1GHz at a distance of 10m inside a semi-anechoic chamber. The EUT was rotated 360°, the antenna height varied from 1-4 meters and both the vertical and horizontal antenna polarizations examined. The results were compared against the limits. Measurements were made by first using a spectrum analyzer to acquire the signal spectrum; individual frequencies were then measured using a CISPR 16.1 compliant receiver with the following bandwidth setting:

150kHz – 30MHz: 9kHz IF bandwidth, 4.5kHz steps
30MHz – 1GHz: 120kHz IF bandwidth, 60kHz steps

3.1.2 Test Results

No radiated emissions measurements were found in excess of the limits. Test result data can be seen below.

3.1.3 Test Environment

Testing was performed at the NCEE Labs Lincoln facility in the 10m semi-anechoic chamber. Laboratory environmental conditions varied slightly throughout the test:

Relative humidity of $35 \pm 5\%$
Temperature of $23 \pm 2^\circ \text{C}$

3.1.4 Test Setup

Radiated ☒

All the radiated measurements were taken at a distance of 3m from the EUT. The information regarding resolution bandwidth, video bandwidth, span and the detector used can be found in the graphs provided in Appendix C. All the radio measurements were performed using the sections from ANSI C63.10, details about the section used can be found in the spectrum analyzer titles on the graph.

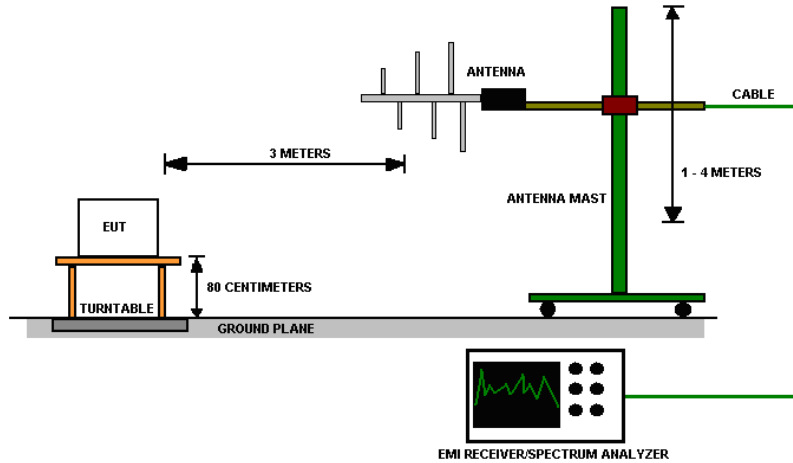


Figure 1 - Radiated Emissions Test Setup

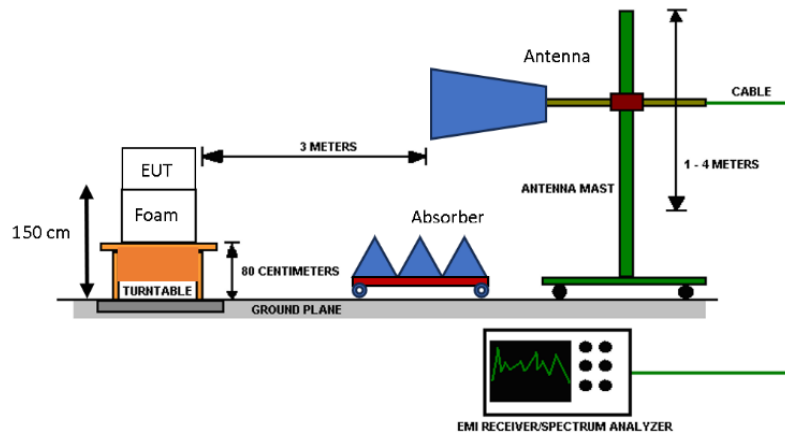


Figure 2 - Radiated Emissions Test Setup, >1GHz

3.1.5 Test Equipment Used

| DESCRIPTION AND MANUFACTURER | MODEL NO. | SERIAL NO. | LAST CALIBRATION DATE | CALIBRATION DUE DATE |
|--|--------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|
| Keysight MXE Signal Analyzer (44GHz) | N9038A | MY59050109 | July 17, 2023 | July 17, 2025 |
| Keysight MXE Signal Analyzer (26.5GHz)** | N9038A | MY56400083 | July 17, 2023 | July 17, 2025 |
| SunAR RF Motion | JB1 | A091418 | July 26, 2023 | July 26, 2024 |
| ComPower Active Loop Antenna | AL-130R | 10160084 | July 24, 2023 | July 24, 2024 |
| ETS – Lindgren- VSWR on 10m Chamber | 10m Semi-anechoic chamber-VSWR | 4740 Discovery Drive | July 30, 2020 | July 30, 2024 |
| NCEE Labs-NSA on 10m Chamber* | 10m Semi-anechoic chamber-NSA | NCEE-001 | May 25, 2022 | May 25, 2025 |
| RF Cable (antenna to 10m chamber bulkhead) | FSCM 64639 | 01E3872 | June 5, 2023 | June 5, 2025 |
| RF Cable (10m chamber bulkhead to control room bulkhead) | FSCM 64639 | 01E3874 | June 5, 2023 | June 5, 2025 |
| RF Cable (control room bulkhead to test receiver) | FSCM 64639 | 01F1206 | June 5, 2023 | June 5, 2025 |
| N connector bulkhead (10m chamber) | PE9128 | NCEEBH1 | June 5, 2023 | June 5, 2025 |
| N connector bulkhead (control room) | PE9128 | NCEEBH2 | June 5, 2023 | June 5, 2025 |
| TDK Emissions Lab Software | V11.25 | 700307 | NA | NA |

*Internal verification

**2 Year Cal Cycle

3.1.6 Test Pictures and/or Figures

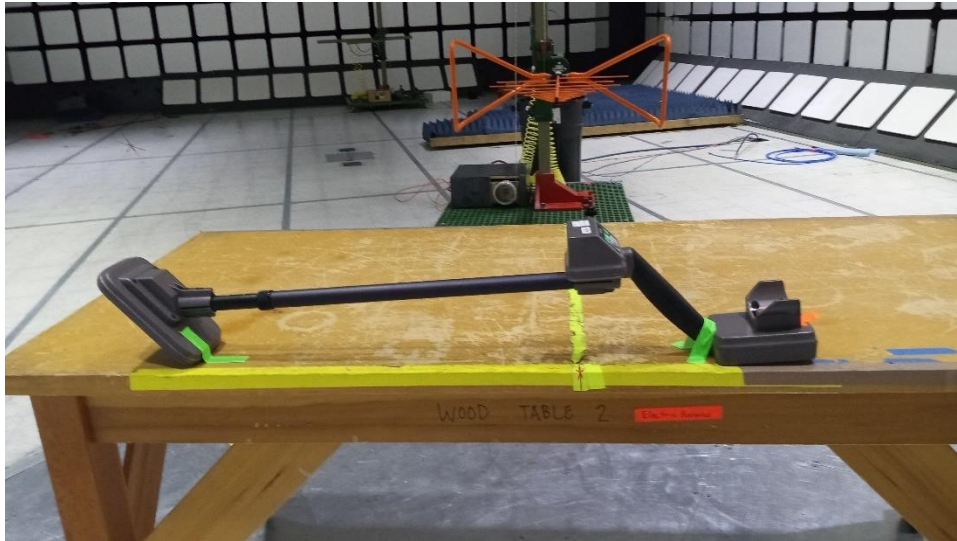


Figure 3 – Radiated Emissions Test Setup, 30MHz - 1GHz

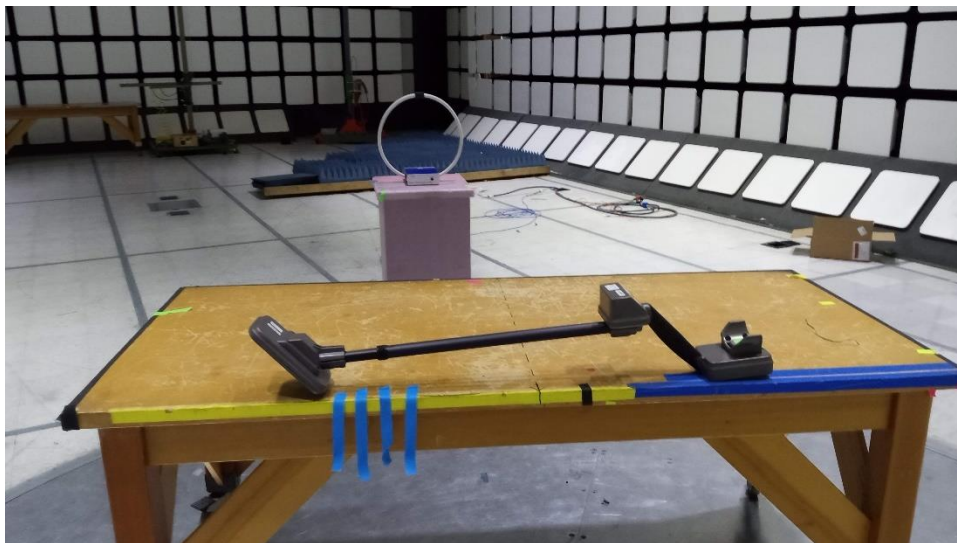


Figure 4 – Radiated Emissions Test Setup, 9kHz – 30MHz

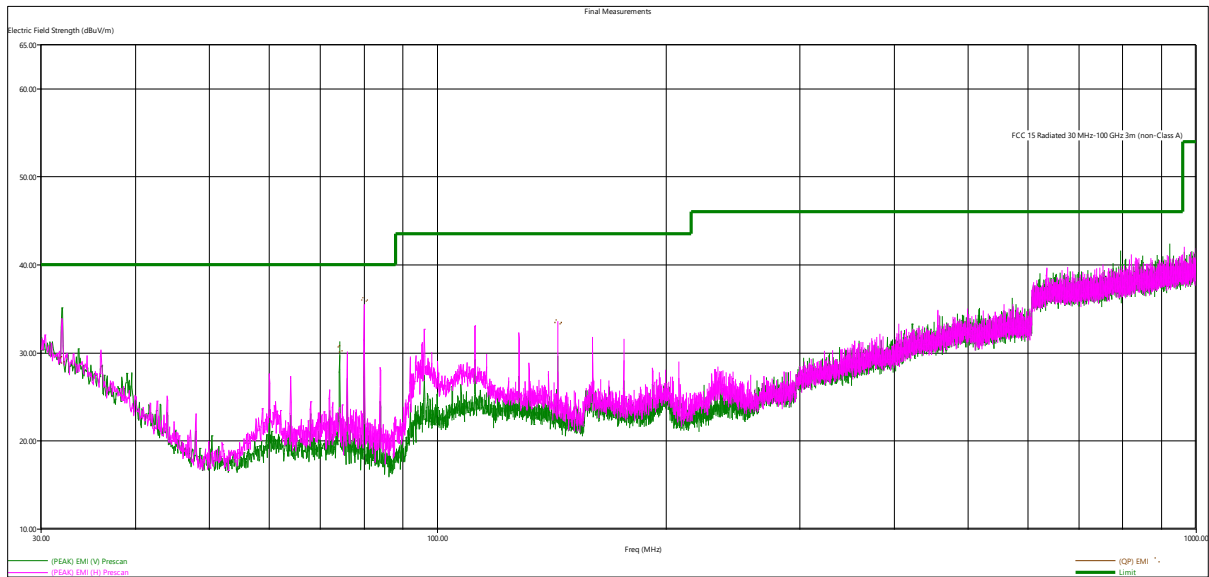


Figure 5 – Radiated Emission Plot, 30MHz – 1GHz

Table 3 – Radiated Emissions QP Data

| Freq | (QP) EMI | Limit | (QP) Margin | Twr Ht | Ttbl Ang | Pol |
|------------|----------|----------|-------------|--------|----------|-----|
| (MHz) | (dBuV/m) | (dBuV/m) | (dB) | (cm) | (deg) | |
| 80.006160 | 35.97 | 40.00 | 4.03 | 256.00 | 353.25 | H |
| 144.017760 | 33.43 | 43.52 | 10.09 | 185.79 | 329.25 | H |
| 31.978560 | 29.15 | 40.00 | 10.85 | 179.64 | 32.00 | V |
| 74.245920 | 30.33 | 40.00 | 9.67 | 215.46 | 318.00 | V |

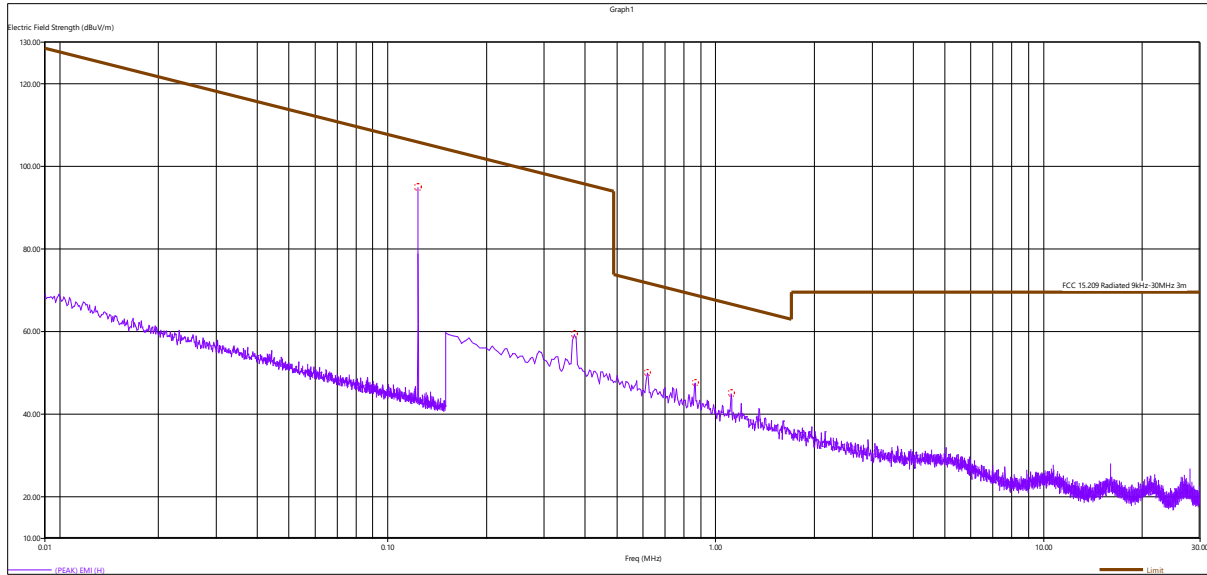


Figure 6 – Radiated Emission Plot, 9kHz – 30MHz

Table 4 – Radiated Emissions Peak Data

| Freq (MHz) | (Peak) EMI (dBuV/m) | Limit (dBuV/m) | (Peak) Margin (dB) |
|---------------|------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| 0.123600 | 94.80 | 105.76 | 10.97 |
| 0.370500 | 59.21 | 96.23 | 37.02 |
| 0.618000 | 49.95 | 71.78 | 21.83 |
| 0.865500 | 47.46 | 68.86 | 21.40 |
| 1.113000 | 44.94 | 66.67 | 21.74 |

Annex A: Measurement Uncertainty

NCEE Labs does not add uncertainty values to measurements

Where relevant, the following measurement uncertainty levels apply to tests performed in this test report:

| Test | Frequency Range | NCEE Labs Uncertainty Value (dB) | Maximum Uncertainty Values per CISPR 16-4-2:2003 |
|-------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|--|
| Radiated Emissions, 10m | 9kHz - 1GHz | 4.31 | 5.20 |

Expanded uncertainty values are calculated to a confidence level of 95%.

NCEE Labs meets the maximum uncertainty requirements per CISPR 16-4-2:2003, and therefore does not require a minimum passing margin to state that an EUT is less than the field strength limits of the applicable CISPR, IEC or EN limit per CISPR 16-4-2:2003, Section 4.1.

CISPR 16-4-2:2003 is called out in the Normative References in Section 2 of EN 55011:2009.

Annex B: Sample Field Strength Calculation

Radiated Emissions

The field strength is calculated in decibels (dB) by adding the Antenna Factor and Cable Factor, and subtracting the Amplifier Gain (if any) from the measured reading. The basic equation with a sample calculation is as follows:

$$FS = R + AF - (-CF + AG)$$

where FS = Field Strength

R = Receiver Amplitude Receiver reading in dB μ V

AF = Antenna Factor

CF = Cable Attenuation Factor

AG = Preamplifier Amplifier Gain

Assume a receiver reading of 55.00 dB μ V is obtained. The Antenna Factor of 12.00 and a Cable Factor of 1.10 is added. The Amplifier Gain of 20 dB is subtracted, giving a field strength of 48.10 dB μ V/m.

$$FS = 55.00 + 12.00 - (-1.10 + 20.00) = 48.1 \text{ dB}\mu\text{V/m}$$

The 48.1 dB μ V/m value can be mathematically converted to its corresponding level in μ V/m.

$$\text{Level in } \mu\text{V/m} = \text{Common Antilogarithm } [(48.1 \text{ dB}\mu\text{V/m})/20] = 254.1 \mu\text{V/m}$$

Conducted Emissions

Receiver readings are compared directly to the conducted emissions limits in decibels (dB) by adding the cable loss and LISN insertion loss to the receiver reading. The basic equations with a sample calculation is as follows;

$$FS = R + IL - (-CF)$$

where V = Conducted Emissions Voltage Measurement

R = Receiver reading in dB μ V

IL = LISN Insertion Loss

CF = Cable Attenuation Factor

Assume a receiver reading of 52.00 dB μ V is obtained. The LISN insertion loss of 0.80 dB and a Cable Factor of 1.10 is added. The Amplifier Gain of 20 dB is subtracted, giving a field strength of 48.1 dB μ V/m.

$$V = 52.00 + 0.80 - (-1.10) = 53.90 \text{ dB}\mu\text{V/m}$$

The 53.90 dB μ V/m value can be mathematically converted to its corresponding level in μ V/m.

$$\text{Level in } \mu\text{V/m} = \text{Common Antilogarithm } [(48.1 \text{ dB}\mu\text{V/m})/20] = 495.45 \mu\text{V/m}$$

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