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Test standard/s

FCC - Title 47 CFR
Part 15

FCC - Title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations; Chapter I; Part 15 - Radio frequency devices

RSS - 247 Issue 2

Digital Transmission Systems (DTSs), Frequency Hopping Systems (FHSs) and Licence - Exempt Local Area Network (LE-LAN) Devices

For further applied test standards please refer to section 3 of this test report.

Test Item

Kind of test item: BLE Smart Tag

Model name: CFXBLE-1

FCC ID: 2AMK9-CFXBLE-1

IC: 22897-CFXBLE1

Frequency: DTS band 2400 MHz to 2483.5 MHz

Technology tested: Proprietary

Antenna: Integrated antenna

Power supply: 3.0 V DC by two CR2477 batteries

Temperature range: 0°C to +40°C

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2 General information

2.1 Notes and disclaimer

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This test report replaces the test report with the number 1-9721/19-01-02-A and dated 2020-08-31.

2.2 Application details

Date of receipt of order:	2020-06-11
Date of receipt of test item:	2020-07-02
Start of test:	2020-07-13
End of test:	2020-07-22
Person(s) present during the test:	-/-

2.3 Test laboratories sub-contracted

None

3 Test standard/s, references and accreditations

Test standard	Date	Description
FCC - Title 47 CFR Part 15	-/-	FCC - Title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations; Chapter I; Part 15 - Radio frequency devices
RSS - 247 Issue 2	February 2017	Digital Transmission Systems (DTSS), Frequency Hopping Systems (FHSs) and Licence - Exempt Local Area Network (LE-LAN) Devices
RSS - Gen Issue 5 incl. Amendment 1	March 2019	Spectrum Management and Telecommunications Radio Standards Specification - General Requirements for Compliance of Radio Apparatus

Guidance	Version	Description
KDB 558074 D01	v05r02	GUIDANCE FOR COMPLIANCE MEASUREMENTS ON DIGITAL TRANSMISSION SYSTEM, FREQUENCY HOPPING SPREAD SPECTRUM SYSTEM, AND HYBRID SYSTEM DEVICES OPERATING UNDER SECTION 15.247 OF THE FCC RULES
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
ANSI C63.10-2013	-/-	American National Standard of Procedures for Compliance Testing of Unlicensed Wireless Devices

Accreditation	Description
D-PL-12076-01-04	Telecommunication and EMC Canada https://www.dakks.de/as/ast/d/D-PL-12076-01-04.pdf
D-PL-12076-01-05	Telecommunication FCC requirements https://www.dakks.de/as/ast/d/D-PL-12076-01-05.pdf

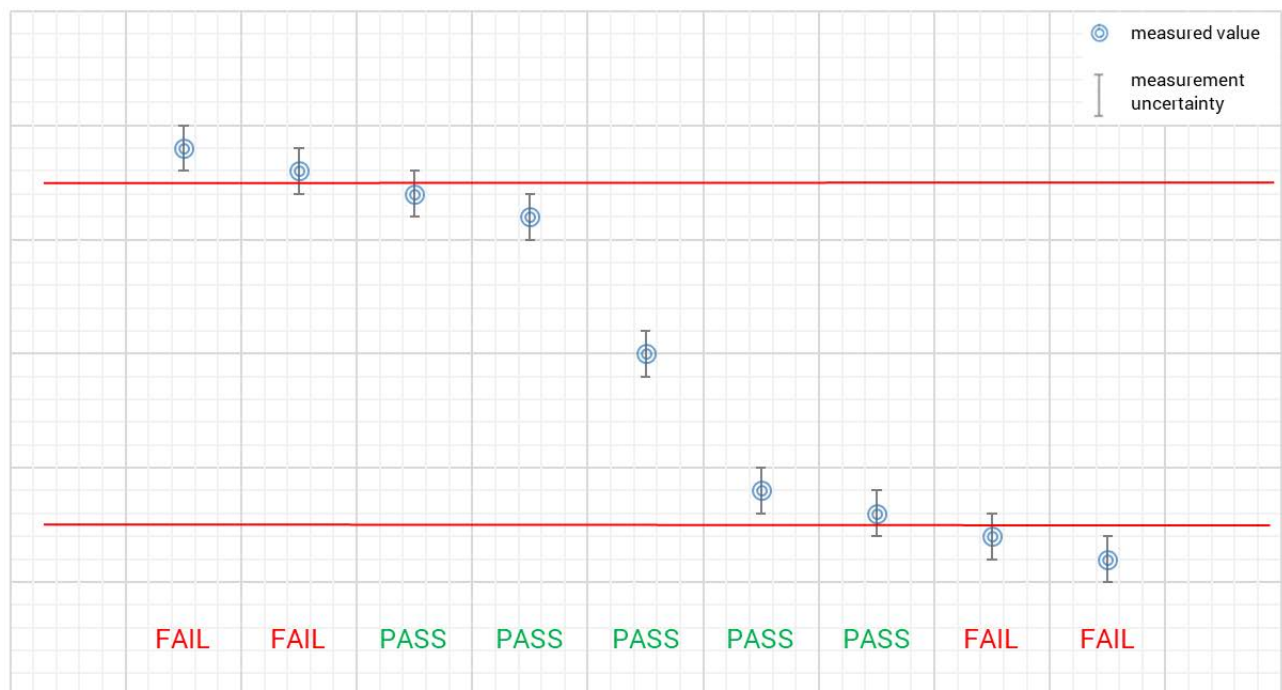


4 Reporting statements of conformity – decision rule

Only the measured values related to their corresponding limits will be used to decide whether the equipment under test meets the requirements of the test standards listed in chapter 3.

The measurement uncertainty is mentioned in this test report, see chapter 9 but is not taken into account - neither to the limits nor to the measurement results. Measurement results with a smaller margin to the corresponding limits than the measurement uncertainty have a potential risk of more than 5% that the decision might be wrong."

measured value, measurement uncertainty, verdict



5 Test environment

Temperature :	T_{nom} T_{max} T_{min}	+22 °C during room temperature tests No tests under extreme environmental conditions required. No tests under extreme environmental conditions required.
Relative humidity content :		55 %
Barometric pressure :		1021 hpa
Power supply :	V_{nom} V_{max} V_{min}	3.0 V DC by two CR2477 batteries No tests under extreme environmental conditions required. No tests under extreme environmental conditions required.

6 Test item

6.1 General description

Kind of test item :	BLE Smart Tag
Model name :	CFXBLE-1
HMN :	-/-
PMN :	Confidex Viking, Confidex Viking Tough
HVIN :	CFXBLE-1
FVIN :	1, 10
S/N serial number :	Rad. BT address: e8a4913d8288 Cond. 14598 481800072
Hardware status :	CFXBLE-1 finalized, approved for production
Software status :	n/a
Firmware status :	1.6.x finalized, approved for production
Frequency band :	DTS band 2400 MHz to 2483.5 MHz (Tested frequencies: 2401 MHz; 2440 MHz; 2481 MHz)
Type of radio transmission :	DSSS
Use of frequency spectrum :	
Type of modulation :	GFSK
Number of channels :	80
Antenna :	Integrated antenna
Power supply :	3.0 V DC by two CR2477 batteries
Temperature range :	0°C to +40°C

6.2 Additional information

The content of the following annexes is defined in the QA. It may be that not all of the listed annexes are necessary for this report, thus some values in between may be missing.

Test setup and EUT photos are included in test report:

- 1-9721/19-01-01_AnnexA
- 1-9721/19-01-01_AnnexB
- 1-9721/19-01-01_AnnexD

7 Sequence of testing

7.1 Sequence of testing radiated spurious 9 kHz to 30 MHz

Setup

- The equipment is set up to simulate normal operation mode as described in the user manual or defined by the manufacturer.
- If the EUT is a tabletop system, it is placed on a table with 0.8 m height.
- If the EUT is a floor standing device, it is placed directly on the turn table.
- Auxiliary equipment and cables are positioned to simulate normal operation conditions as described in ANSI C 63.4.
- The AC power port of the EUT (if available) is connected to a power outlet below the turntable.
- Measurement distance is 3 m (see ANSI C 63.4) – see test details.
- EUT is set into operation.

Premeasurement*

- The turntable rotates from 0° to 315° using 45° steps.
- The antenna height is 1 m.
- At each turntable position the analyzer sweeps with positive-peak detector to find the maximum of all emissions.

Final measurement

- Identified emissions during the pre-measurement are maximized by the software by rotating the turntable from 0° to 360°.
- Loop antenna is rotated about its vertical axis for maximum response at each azimuth about the EUT. (For certain applications, the loop antenna plane may also need to be positioned horizontally at the specified distance from the EUT)
- The final measurement is done in the position (turntable and elevation) causing the highest emissions with quasi-peak (as described in ANSI C 63.4).
- Final levels, frequency, measuring time, bandwidth, turntable position, correction factor, margin to the limit and limit will be recorded. A plot with the graph of the premeasurement and the limit is stored.

*)Note: The sequence will be repeated three times with different EUT orientations.

7.2 Sequence of testing radiated spurious 30 MHz to 1 GHz

Setup

- The equipment is set up to simulate normal operation mode as described in the user manual or defined by the manufacturer.
- If the EUT is a tabletop system, a table with 0.8 m height is used, which is placed on the ground plane.
- If the EUT is a floor standing device, it is placed on the ground plane with insulation between both.
- Auxiliary equipment and cables are positioned to simulate normal operation conditions as described in ANSI C 63.4.
- The AC power port of the EUT (if available) is connected to a power outlet below the turntable.
- Measurement distance is 10 m or 3 m (see ANSI C 63.4) – see test details.
- EUT is set into operation.

Premeasurement

- The turntable rotates from 0° to 315° using 45° steps.
- The antenna is polarized vertical and horizontal.
- The antenna height changes from 1 m to 3 m.
- At each turntable position, antenna polarization and height the analyzer sweeps three times in peak to find the maximum of all emissions.

Final measurement

- The final measurement is performed for at least six highest peaks according to the requirements of the ANSI C63.4.
- Based on antenna and turntable positions at which the peak values are measured the software maximize the peaks by changing turntable position $\pm 45^\circ$ and antenna height between 1 and 4 m.
- The final measurement is done with quasi-peak detector (as described in ANSI C 63.4).
- Final levels, frequency, measuring time, bandwidth, antenna height, antenna polarization, turntable angle, correction factor, margin to the limit and limit are recorded. A plot with the graph of the premeasurement with marked maximum final results and the limit is stored.

7.3 Sequence of testing radiated spurious 1 GHz to 18 GHz

Setup

- The equipment is set up to simulate normal operation mode as described in the user manual or defined by the manufacturer.
- If the EUT is a tabletop system, a 2-axis positioner with 1.5 m height is used.
- If the EUT is a floor standing device, it is placed directly on the turn table.
- Auxiliary equipment and cables are positioned to simulate normal operation conditions as described in ANSI C 63.4.
- The AC power port of the EUT (if available) is connected to a power outlet below the turntable.
- Measurement distance is 3 m (see ANSI C 63.4) – see test details.
- EUT is set into operation.

Premeasurement

- The turntable rotates from 0° to 315° using 45° steps.
- The antenna is polarized vertical and horizontal.
- The antenna height is 1.5 m.
- At each turntable position and antenna polarization the analyzer sweeps with positive peak detector to find the maximum of all emissions.

Final measurement

- The final measurement is performed for at least six highest peaks according to the requirements of the ANSI C63.4.
- Based on antenna and turntable positions at which the peak values are measured the software maximizes the peaks by rotating the turntable from 0° to 360°. This measurement is repeated for different EUT-table positions (0° to 150° in 30°-steps) and for both antenna polarizations.
- The final measurement is done in the position (turntable, EUT-table and antenna polarization) causing the highest emissions with Peak and RMS detector (as described in ANSI C 63.4).
- Final levels, frequency, measuring time, bandwidth, turntable position, EUT-table position, antenna polarization, correction factor, margin to the limit and limit are recorded. A plot with the graph of the premeasurement with marked maximum final results and the limit is stored.

7.4 Sequence of testing radiated spurious above 18 GHz

Setup

- The equipment is set up to simulate normal operation mode as described in the user manual or defined by the manufacturer.
- Auxiliary equipment and cables are positioned to simulate normal operation conditions as described in ANSI C 63.4.
- The AC power port of the EUT (if available) is connected to a power outlet.
- The measurement distance is as appropriate (e.g. 0.5 m).
- The EUT is set into operation.

Premeasurement

- The test antenna is handheld and moved carefully over the EUT to cover the EUT's whole sphere and different polarizations of the antenna.

Final measurement

- The final measurement is performed at the position and antenna orientation causing the highest emissions with Peak and RMS detector (as described in ANSI C 63.4).
- Final levels, frequency, measuring time, bandwidth, correction factor, margin to the limit and limit are recorded. A plot with the graph of the premeasurement and the limit is stored.

8 Description of the test setup

Typically, the calibrations of the test apparatus are commissioned to and performed by an accredited calibration laboratory. The calibration intervals are determined in accordance with the DIN EN ISO/IEC 17025. In addition to the external calibrations, the laboratory executes comparison measurements with other calibrated test systems or effective verifications. Weekly chamber inspections and range calibrations are performed. Where possible, RF generating and signaling equipment as well as measuring receivers and analyzers are connected to an external high-precision 10 MHz reference (GPS-based or rubidium frequency standard).

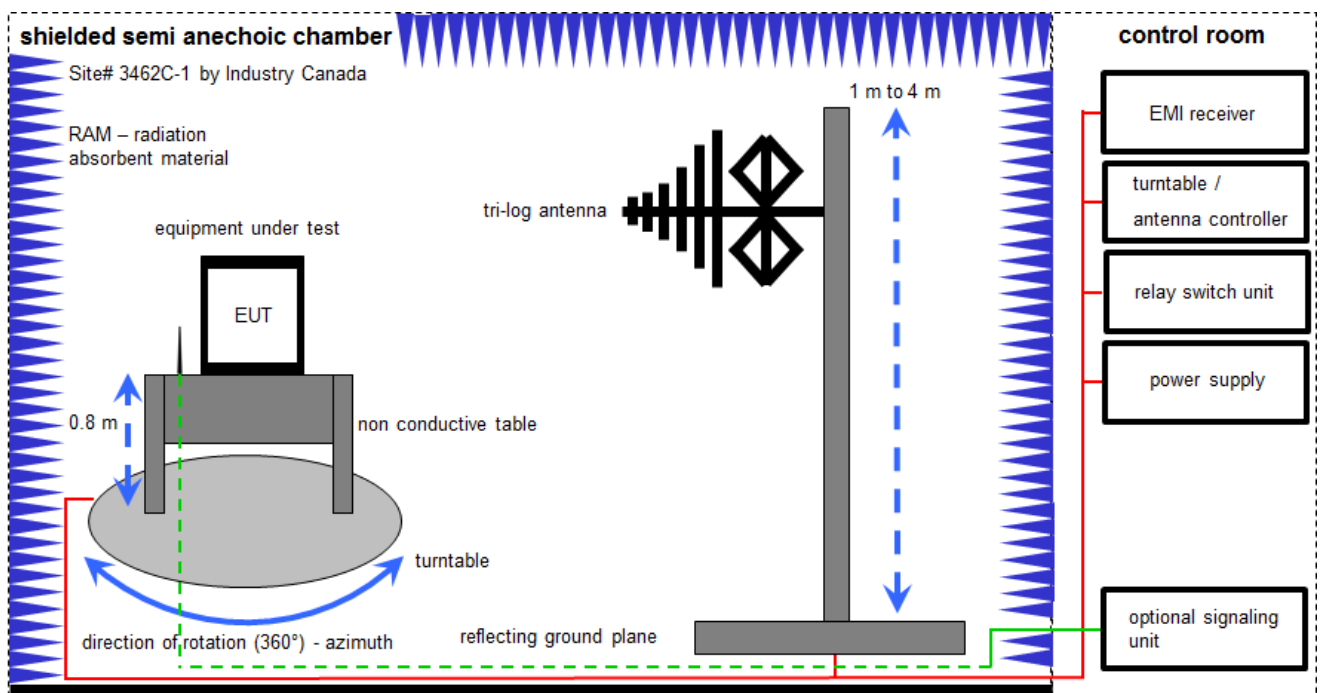
In order to simplify the identification of the equipment used at some special tests, some items of test equipment and ancillaries can be provided with an identifier or number in the equipment list below (Lab/Item).

Agenda: Kind of Calibration

k	calibration / calibrated	EK	limited calibration
ne	not required (k, ev, izw, zw not required)	zw	cyclical maintenance (external cyclical maintenance)
ev	periodic self verification	izw	internal cyclical maintenance
Ve	long-term stability recognized	g	blocked for accredited testing
vlk!	Attention: extended calibration interval		
NK!	Attention: not calibrated	*)	next calibration ordered / currently in progress

8.1 Shielded semi anechoic chamber

The radiated measurements are performed in vertical and horizontal plane in the frequency range from 30 MHz to 1 GHz in semi-anechoic chambers. The EUT is positioned on a non-conductive support with a height of 0.80 m above a conductive ground plane that covers the whole chamber. The receiving antennas are conform to specifications ANSI C63. These antennas can be moved over the height range between 1.0 m and 4.0 m in order to search for maximum field strength emitted from EUT. The measurement distances between EUT and receiving antennas are indicated in the test setups for the various frequency ranges. For each measurement, the EUT is rotated in all three axes until the maximum field strength is received. The wanted and unwanted emissions are received by spectrum analyzers where the detector modes and resolution bandwidths over various frequency ranges are set according to requirement ANSI C63.



Measurement distance: tri-log antenna 10 meter; EMC32 software version: 10.30.0

FS = UR + CL + AF

(FS-field strength; UR-voltage at the receiver; CL-loss of the cable; AF-antenna factor)

Example calculation:

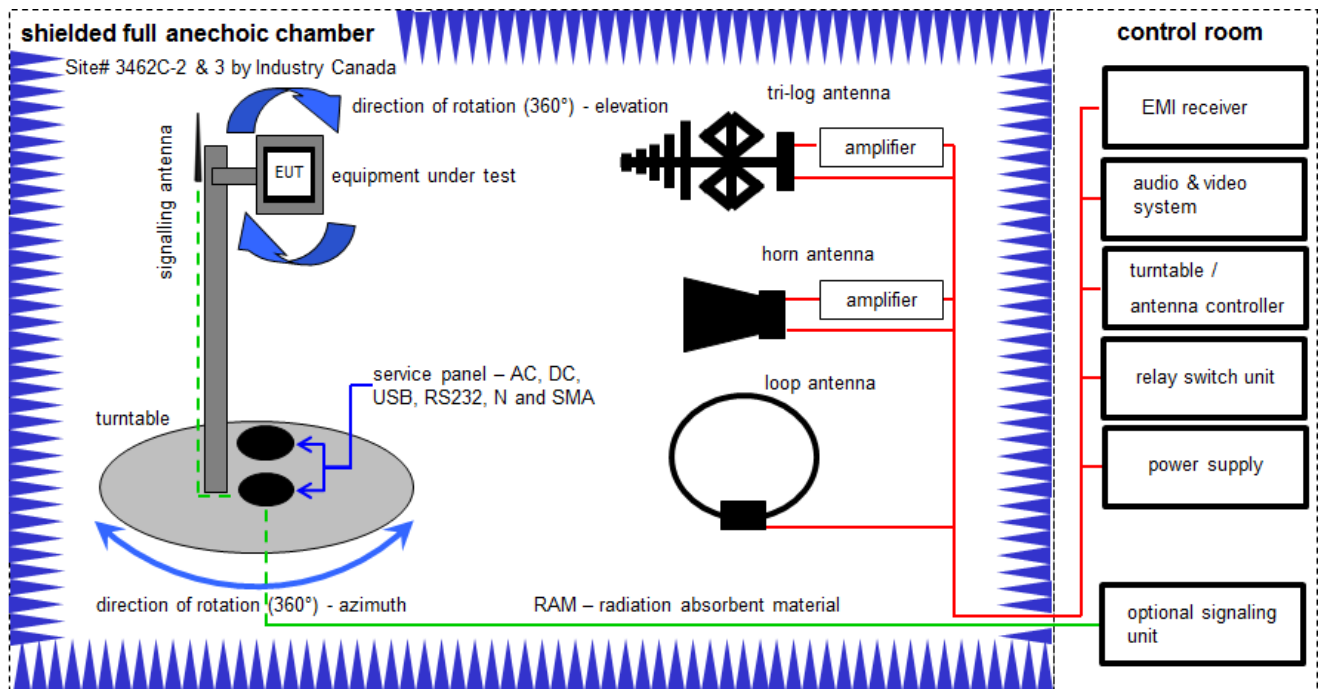
FS [dBμV/m] = 12.35 [dBμV/m] + 1.90 [dB] + 16.80 [dB/m] = 31.05 [dBμV/m] (35.69 μV/m)

Equipment table:

No.	Lab / Item	Equipment	Type	Manufacturer	Serial No.	INV. No.	Kind of Calibration	Last Calibration	Next Calibration
1	A	Switch-Unit	3488A	HP	2719A14505	300000368	ev	-/-	-/-
2	A	Meßkabine 1	HF-Absorberhalle	MWB AG 300023	-/-	300000551	ne	-/-	-/-
3	A	Analyzer-Reference-System (Harmonics and Flicker)	ARS 16/1	SPS	A3509 07/0 0205	300003314	vKI!	17.01.2020	16.01.2022
4	A	Antenna Tower	Model 2175	ETS-Lindgren	64762	300003745	izw	-/-	-/-
5	A	Positioning Controller	Model 2090	ETS-Lindgren	64672	300003746	izw	-/-	-/-
6	A	Turntable Interface-Box	Model 105637	ETS-Lindgren	44583	300003747	izw	-/-	-/-

7	A	TRILOG Broadband Test-Antenna 30 MHz - 3 GHz	VULB9163	Schwarzbeck Mess - Elektronik	295	300003787	vIKI!	19.02.2019	18.02.2021
8	A	EMI Test Receiver	ESR3	Rohde & Schwarz	102587	300005771	k	21.05.2019	20.11.2020

8.2 Shielded fully anechoic chamber



Measurement distance: tri-log antenna and horn antenna 3 meter; loop antenna 3 meter

$$FS = UR + CA + AF$$

(FS-field strength; UR-voltage at the receiver; CA-loss of the signal path; AF-antenna factor)

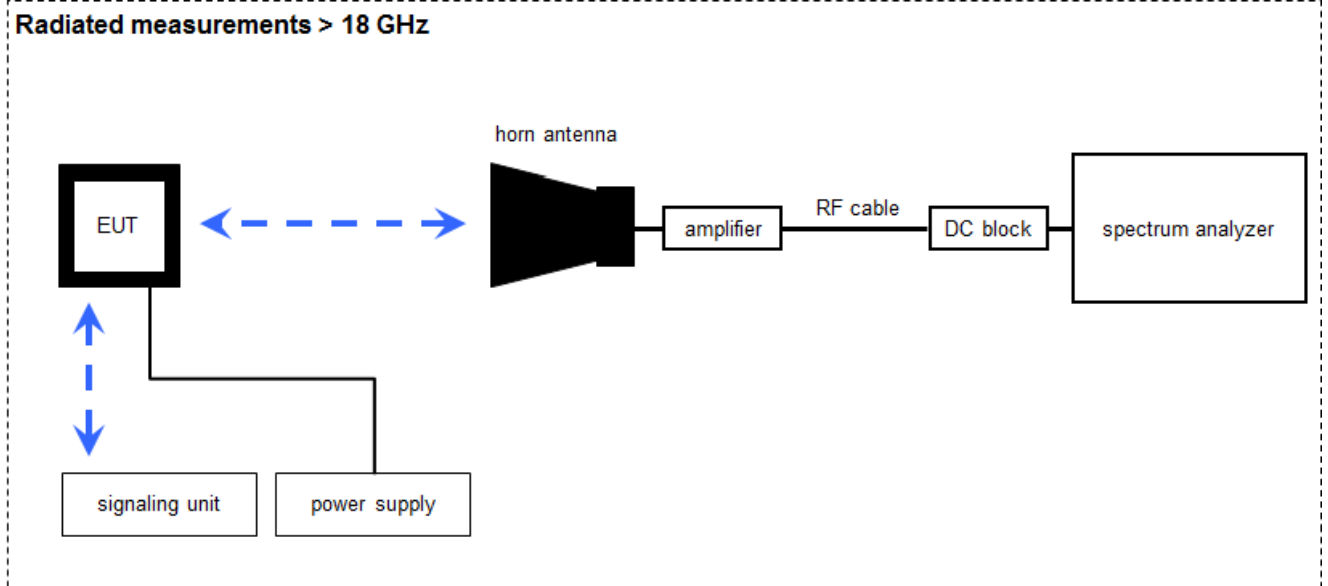
Example calculation:

$$FS \text{ [dB}\mu\text{V/m]} = 40.0 \text{ [dB}\mu\text{V/m]} + (-35.8) \text{ [dB]} + 32.9 \text{ [dB/m]} = 37.1 \text{ [dB}\mu\text{V/m]} \text{ (71.61 } \mu\text{V/m)}$$

Equipment table:

No.	Lab / Item	Equipment	Type	Manufacturer	Serial No.	INV. No.	Kind of Calibration	Last Calibration	Next Calibration
1	C	Active Loop Antenna 9 kHz to 30 MHz	6502	EMCO	2210	300001015	vKI!	13.06.2019	12.06.2021
2	A, B, C	Anechoic chamber	FAC 3/5m	MWB / TDK	87400/02	300000996	ev	-/-	-/-
3	A, B	Double-Ridged Waveguide Horn Antenna 1-18.0GHz	3115	EMCO	9107-3697	300001605	vKI!	27.02.2019	26.02.2021
4	A, B, C	Switch / Control Unit	3488A	HP	*	300000199	ne	-/-	-/-
5	A, B, C	EMI Test Receiver 20Hz- 26,5GHz	ESU26	R&S	100037	300003555	k	11.12.2019	10.12.2020
6	A	Highpass Filter WHK1.1/15G-10SS	WHK1.1/15G-10SS	Wainwright	3	300003255	ev	-/-	-/-
7	A	Highpass Filter WHKX7.0/18G-8SS	WHKX7.0/18G-8SS	Wainwright	19	300003790	ne	-/-	-/-
8	A, B	Broadband Amplifier 0.5-18 GHz	CBLU5184540	CERNEX	22049	300004481	ev	-/-	-/-
9	A, B, C	4U RF Switch Platform	L4491A	Agilent Technologies	MY50000037	300004509	ne	-/-	-/-
10	A, B, C	NEXIO EMV-Software	BAT EMC V3.19.1.9	EMCO	-/-	300004682	ne	-/-	-/-
11	A, B, C	PC	ExOne	F+W	-/-	300004703	ne	-/-	-/-
12	A, B	RF-Amplifier	AMF-6F06001800-30-10P-R	NARDA-MITEQ Inc	2011572	300005241	ev	-/-	-/-

8.3 Radiated measurements > 18 GHz



Measurement distance: horn antenna 50 cm

FS = UR + CA + AF

(FS-field strength; UR-voltage at the receiver; CA-loss signal path & distance correction; AF-antenna factor)

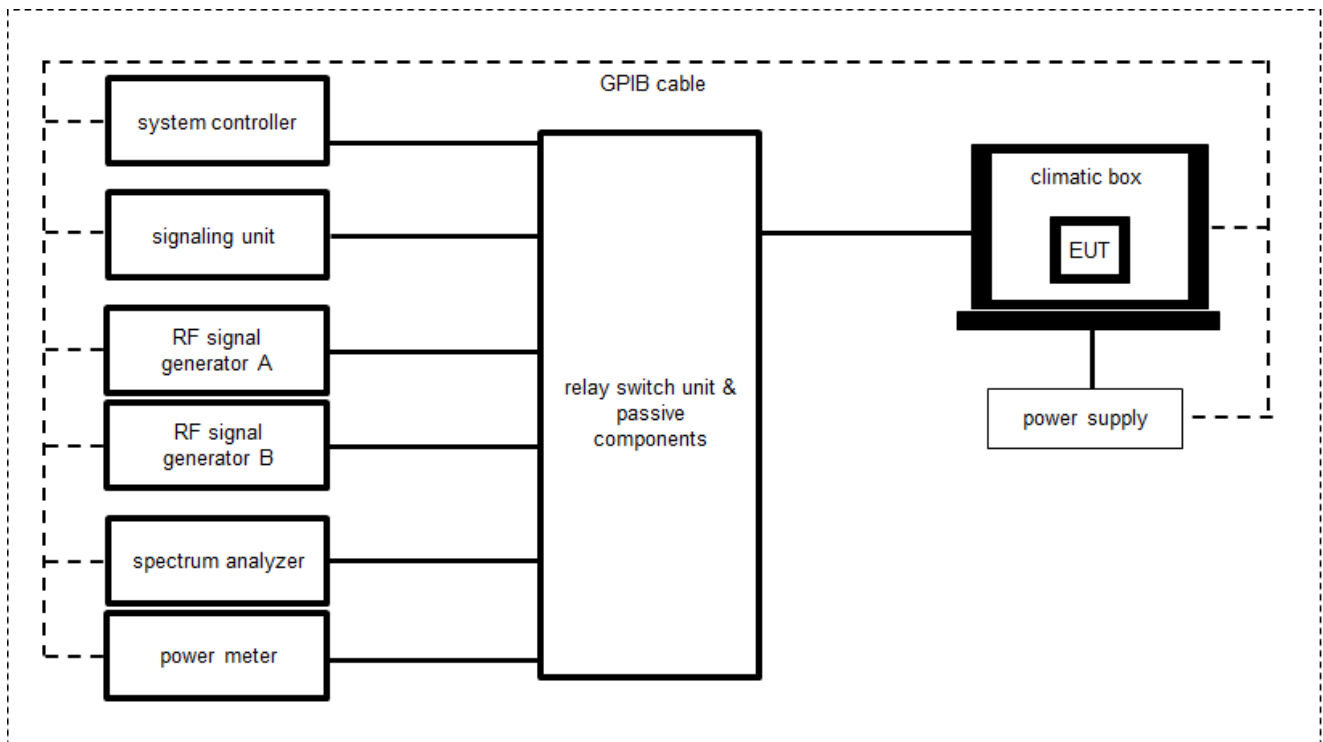
Example calculation:

FS [dBμV/m] = 40.0 [dBμV/m] + (-60.1) [dB] + 36.74 [dB/m] = 16.64 [dBμV/m] (6.79 μV/m)

Equipment table:

No.	Lab / Item	Equipment	Type	Manufacturer	Serial No.	INV. No.	Kind of Calibration	Last Calibration	Next Calibration
1	A	Microwave System Amplifier, 0.5-26.5 GHz	83017A	HP	00419	300002268	ev	-/-	-/-
2	A	Horn Antenna 18.0-40.0 GHz	LHAF180	Microw.Devel	39180-103-021	300001747	vIKI!	18.02.2019	17.02.2022
3	A	Signal Analyzer 40 GHz	FSV40	R&S	101042	300004517	k	17.12.2019	16.12.2020
4	A	RF-Cable	ST18/SMAM/SMAM /48	Huber & Suhner	Batch no. 600918	400001182	ev	-/-	-/-
5	A	RF-Cable	ST18/SMAM/SMAM /48	Huber & Suhner	Batch no. 127377	400001183	ev	-/-	-/-
6	A	DC-Blocker 0.1-40 GHz	8141A	Inmet	-/-	400001185	ev	-/-	-/-

8.4 Conducted measurements Bluetooth system



OP = AV + CA
 (OP-output power; AV-analyzer value; CA-loss signal path)

Example calculation:

OP [dBm] = 6.0 [dBm] + 11.7 [dB] = 17.7 [dBm] (58.88 mW)

Equipment table:

No.	Lab / Item	Equipment	Type	Manufacturer	Serial No.	INV. No.	Kind of Calibration	Last Calibration	Next Calibration
1	A	Hygro-Thermometer	-/-, 5-45C, 20-100rF	Thies Clima	-/-	400000080	ev	11.05.2018	10.05.2020
2	A	PC Laboratory 19"	Exone i3	Fröhlich + Walter	35230157A0370	300004646	ne	-/-	-/-
3	A	Spectrum Analyzer	FSV30	Rohde & Schwarz	103170	300004855	vKI!	11.12.2018	10.12.2020
4	A	USB-GPIB-Interface	82357B	Agilent Technologies	MY54323070	300004852	ne	-/-	-/-
5	A	Power Supply DC	HMP2020	Rohde & Schwarz	102123	300005235	vKI!	11.12.2018	10.12.2020
6	A	Relay Switch Matrix	RSM-1	CTC advanced GmbH	0001	400001355	ev	07.01.2020	06.01.2021
7	A	Tester Software RadioStar (C.BER2 for BT Conformance)	Version 1.0.0.X	CTC advanced GmbH	0001	400001380	ne	-/-	-/-

9 Measurement uncertainty

Measurement uncertainty	
Test case	Uncertainty
Antenna gain	± 3 dB
Spectrum bandwidth	± 21.5 kHz absolute; ± 15.0 kHz relative
Maximum output power	± 1 dB
Detailed conducted spurious emissions @ the band edge	± 1 dB
Band edge compliance radiated	± 3 dB
Band edge compliance conducted	± 1.5 dB
Spurious emissions conducted	± 3 dB
Spurious emissions radiated below 30 MHz	± 3 dB
Spurious emissions radiated 30 MHz to 1 GHz	± 3 dB
Spurious emissions radiated 1 GHz to 12.75 GHz	± 3.7 dB
Spurious emissions radiated above 12.75 GHz	± 4.5 dB
Spurious emissions conducted below 30 MHz (AC conducted)	± 2.6 dB

10 Summary of measurement results

☒	No deviations from the technical specifications were ascertained
☐	There were deviations from the technical specifications ascertained
☐	This test report is only a partial test report. The content and verdict of the performed test cases are listed below.

TC Identifier	Description				Verdict	Date				Remark
RF-Testing	CFR Part 15 RSS - 247, Issue 2				See table!	2021-07-29				-/-
Test specification clause	Test case	Guideline	Temperature conditions	Power source voltages	Mode	C	NC	NA	NP	Remark
§15.247(b)(4) RSS - 247 / 5.4 (4)	System gain	-/-	Nominal	Nominal	GFSK	☒	☐	☐	☐	-/-
§15.247(e) RSS - 247 / 5.2 (b)	Power spectral density	KDB 558074 DTS clause: 8.4	Nominal	Nominal	GFSK	☒	☐	☐	☐	-/-
§15.247(a)(2) RSS - 247 / 5.2 (a)	DTS bandwidth – 6 dB bandwidth	KDB 558074 DTS clause: 8.2	Nominal	Nominal	GFSK	☒	☐	☐	☐	-/-
RSS Gen clause 4.6.1	Occupied bandwidth	-/-	Nominal	Nominal	GFSK	☒	☐	☐	☐	-/-
§15.247(b)(3) RSS - 247 / 5.4 (4)	Maximum output power	KDB 558074 DTS clause: 8.3.1.1	Nominal	Nominal	GFSK	☒	☐	☐	☐	-/-
§15.247(d) RSS - 247 / 5.5	Detailed spurious emissions @ the band edge - conducted	KDB 558074 DTS clause: 8.5	Nominal	Nominal	GFSK	☒	☐	☐	☐	-/-
§15.205 RSS - 247 / 5.5 RSS - Gen	Band edge compliance cond. & rad.	KDB 558074 DTS clause: 8.7.2 or 8.7.3	Nominal	Nominal	GFSK	☒	☐	☐	☐	-/-
§15.247(d) RSS - 247 / 5.5	TX spurious emissions conducted	KDB 558074 DTS clause: 8.5	Nominal	Nominal	GFSK	☒	☐	☐	☐	-/-
§15.209(a) RSS - Gen	Spurious emissions radiated below 30 MHz	-/-	Nominal	Nominal	GFSK	☒	☐	☐	☐	-/-
§15.247(d) RSS - 247 / 5.5 §15.109 RSS - Gen	Spurious emissions radiated 30 MHz to 1 GHz	-/-	Nominal	Nominal	GFSK	☒	☐	☐	☐	-/-
§15.247(d) RSS - 247 / 5.5 §15.109 RSS - Gen	Spurious emissions radiated above 1 GHz	-/-	Nominal	Nominal	GFSK	☒	☐	☐	☐	-/-
§15.107(a) §15.207	Conducted emissions below 30 MHz (AC conducted)	-/-	Nominal	Nominal	GFSK	☐	☐	☒	☐	-/-

Note: C = Compliant; NC = Not compliant; NA = Not applicable; NP = Not performed

11 Additional comments

Reference documents: 1-9721_19-01-02_log1_conducted.pdf
Quuppa test instructions.pdf

Special test descriptions: None

Configuration descriptions: Power setting 4 dBm was used for all tests.

Test mode: ☒ Special software is used.
EUT is transmitting pseudo random data by itself

Antennas and transmit operating modes: ☒ Operating mode 1 (single antenna)

- *Equipment with 1 antenna,*
- *Equipment with 2 diversity antennas operating in switched diversity mode by which at any moment in time only 1 antenna is used,*
- *Smart antenna system with 2 or more transmit/receive chains, but operating in a mode where only 1 transmit/receive chain is used)*

☐ Operating mode 2 (multiple antennas, no beamforming)

- *Equipment operating in this mode contains a smart antenna system using two or more transmit/receive chains simultaneously but without beamforming.*

☐ Operating mode 3 (multiple antennas, with beamforming)

- *Equipment operating in this mode contains a smart antenna system using two or more transmit/receive chains simultaneously with beamforming. In addition to the antenna assembly gain (G), the beamforming gain (Y) may have to be taken into account when performing the measurements.*

12 Measurement results

12.1 System gain

Measurement:

The antenna gain of the complete system is calculated by the difference of radiated power in EIRP and the conducted power of the EUT.

Measurement parameters (radiated)	
Detector	Peak
Sweep time	Auto
Resolution bandwidth	3 MHz
Video bandwidth	10 MHz
Span	5 MHz
Trace mode	Max hold
Test setup	See sub clause 8.2 B
Measurement uncertainty	See sub clause 9

Measurement parameters (conducted)	
External result file	1-9721_19-01-02_log1_conducted.pdf FCC Part 15.247 Maximum Peak Conducted Output Power DTS
Test setup	See sub clause 8.4 A
Measurement uncertainty	See sub clause 9

Limits:

FCC	IC
6 dBi / > 6 dBi output power and power density reduction required	

Results:

T _{nom}	V _{nom}	2401 MHz	2440 MHz	2481 MHz
Conducted power [dBm] Measured with GFSK modulation (GFSK)		3.5	3.9	3.8
Radiated power [dBm] Measured with GFSK modulation (GFSK)		3.0	3.7	4.1
Gain [dBi] Calculated		-0.5	-0.2	0.3

12.2 Power spectral density

Description:

Measurement of the power spectral density of a digital modulated system.

Measurement parameters	
External result file	1-9721_19-01-02_log1_conducted.pdf FCC Part 15.247 Peak Power Spectral Density DTS
Test setup	See sub clause 8.4 A
Measurement uncertainty	See sub clause 9

Limits:

FCC	IC
Power spectral density	
For digitally modulated systems the transmitter power spectral density conducted from the transmitter to the antenna shall not be greater than 8 dBm in any 3 kHz band during any time interval of continuous transmission or over 1.0 second if the transmission exceeds 1.0-second duration.	

Results:

	Frequency		
	2401 MHz	2440 MHz	2481 MHz
Power spectral density [dBm / 3kHz] GFSK	-0.7	-1.5	-0.6

12.3 DTS bandwidth – 6 dB bandwidth

Description:

Measurement of the 6 dB bandwidth of the modulated signal.

Measurement parameters	
External result file	1-9721_19-01-02_log1_conducted.pdf FCC Part 15.247 Maximum Peak Conducted Output Power DTS
Test setup	See sub clause 8.4 A
Measurement uncertainty	See sub clause 9

Limits:

FCC	IC
DTS bandwidth – 6 dB bandwidth	
Systems using digital modulation techniques may operate in the 2400–2483.5 MHz band. The minimum 6 dB bandwidth shall be at least 500 kHz.	

Results:

	Frequency		
	2401 MHz	2440 MHz	2481 MHz
6 dB bandwidth [kHz] GFSK	697	676	687

12.4 Occupied bandwidth – 99% emission bandwidth

Description:

Measurement of the 99% bandwidth of the modulated signal acc. RSS-GEN.

Measurement parameters	
External result file	1-9721_19-01-02_log1_conducted.pdf FCC Part 15.247 Bandwidth 99PCT
Test setup	See sub clause 8.4 A
Measurement uncertainty	See sub clause 9

Usage:

-/-	IC
Occupied bandwidth – 99% emission bandwidth	
OBW is necessary for emission designator	

Results:

	Frequency		
	2401 MHz	2440 MHz	2481 MHz
99% bandwidth [kHz] GFSK	1013	1042	1030

12.5 Maximum output power

Description:

Measurement of the maximum output power conducted. EUT in single channel mode.

Measurement parameters	
External result file	1-9721_19-01-02_log1_conducted.pdf FCC Part 15.247 Maximum Peak Conducted Output Power DTS
Test setup	See sub clause 8.4 A
Measurement uncertainty	See sub clause 9

Limits:

FCC	IC
Maximum output power	
Conducted: 1.0 W – antenna gain max. 6 dBi	

Results:

	Frequency		
	2401 MHz	2440 MHz	2481 MHz
Maximum output power conducted [dBm] GFSK	3.5	3.9	3.8

12.6 Band edge compliance radiated

Description:

Measurement of the radiated band edge compliance. The EUT is turned in the position that results in the maximum level at the band edge. Then a sweep over the corresponding restricted band is performed. The EUT is set to single channel mode and the transmit frequency 2401 MHz for the lower restricted band and 2481 MHz for the upper restricted band. Measurement distance is 3m.

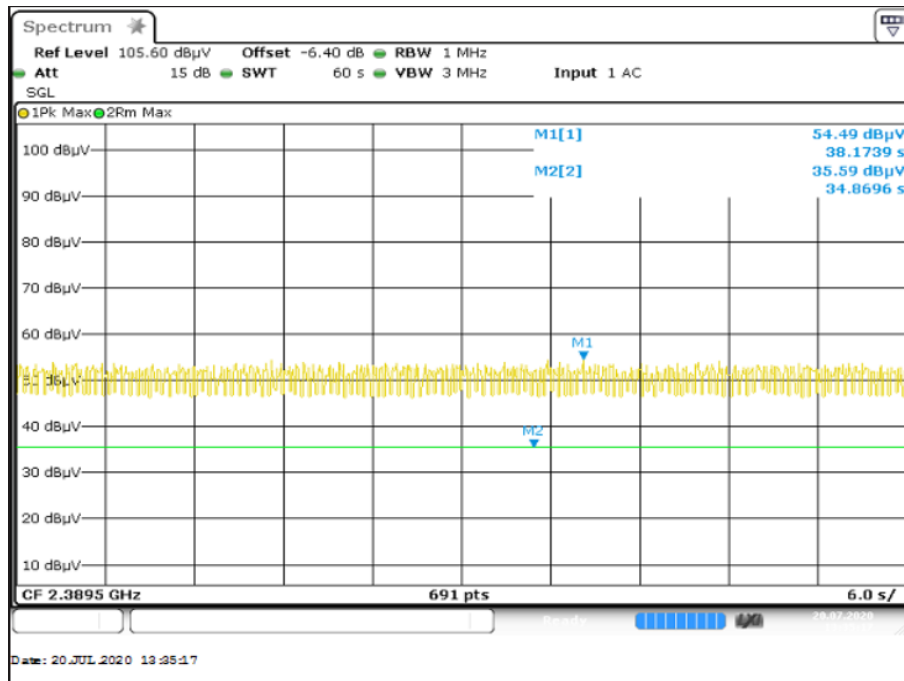
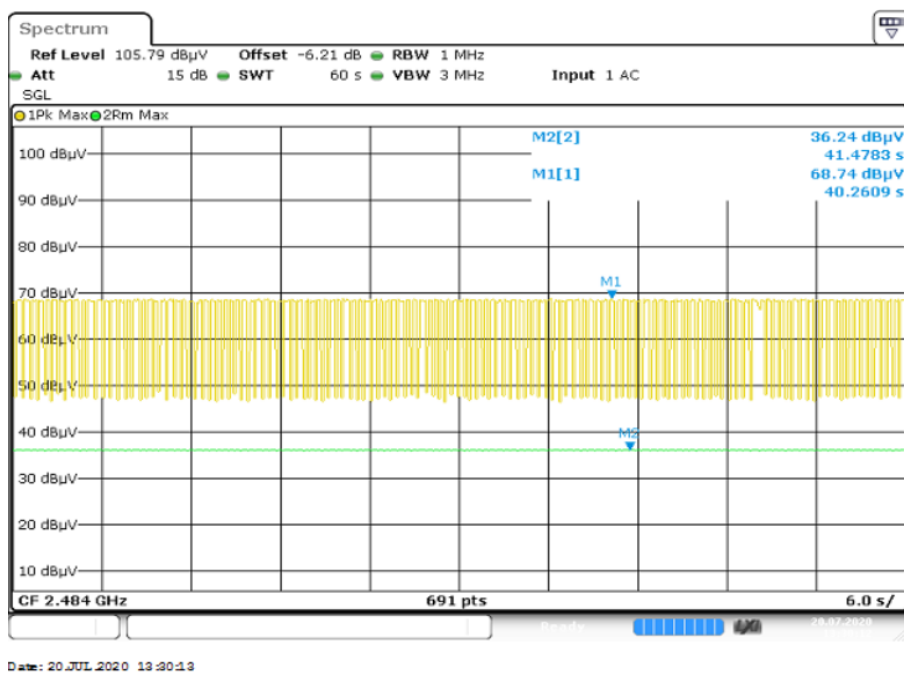
Measurement parameters	
Detector	Peak / RMS
Sweep time	Auto
Resolution bandwidth	1 MHz
Video bandwidth	3 MHz
Span	Lower Band: 2300 – 2400 MHz higher Band: 2480 – 2500 MHz
Trace mode	Max hold
Test setup	See sub clause 8.2 B
Measurement uncertainty	See sub clause 9

Limits:

FCC	IC
Band edge compliance radiated	
In any 100 kHz bandwidth outside the frequency band in which the spread spectrum or digitally modulated intentional radiator is operating, the radio frequency power that is produced by the intentional radiator shall be at least 20 dB below that in the 100 kHz bandwidth within the band that contains the highest level of the desired power, based on either an RF conducted or a radiated measurement. Attenuation below the general limits specified in Section 15.209(a) is not required. In addition, radiated emissions which fall in the restricted bands, as defined in Section 15.205(a), must also comply with the radiated emission limits specified in Section 15.209(a) (see Section 5.205(c)).	
54 dBµV/m AVG 74 dBµV/m Peak	

Result:

Scenario	Band edge compliance radiated [dBµV/m]
Data rate	GFSK
Lower restricted band	35.6 dBµV/m AVG 54.5 dBµV/m Peak
Upper restricted band	36.2 dBµV/m AVG 68.7 dBµV/m Peak

Plots:**Plot 1:** Lower restricted band, GFSK**Plot 2:** Upper restricted band, GFSK

12.7 TX spurious emissions conducted

Description:

Measurement of the conducted spurious emissions in transmit mode. The EUT is set to single channel mode and the transmit frequencies are 2401 MHz, 2440 MHz and 2481 MHz.

Measurement parameters	
External result file	1-9721_19-01-02_log1_conducted.pdf FCC Part 15.247 TX Spurious Conducted +Hardcopy Spectrum Analyzer
Test setup	See sub clause 8.4 A
Measurement uncertainty	See sub clause 9

Limits:

FCC	IC
TX spurious emissions conducted	
In any 100 kHz bandwidth outside the frequency band in which the spread spectrum or digitally modulated intentional radiator is operating, the radio frequency power that is produced by the intentional radiator shall be at least 20 dB below that in the 100 kHz bandwidth within the band that contains the highest level of the desired power, based on either an RF conducted or a radiated measurement. Attenuation below the general limits specified in Section 15.209(a) is not required	

Results: GFSK

TX spurious emissions conducted					
f [MHz]		amplitude of emission [dBm]	limit max. allowed emission power	actual attenuation below frequency of operation [dB]	results
2401		3.5	30 dBm		Operating frequency
All detected emissions are compliant with the -20 dBc limit!			-20 dBc		compliant
2440		3.7	30 dBm		Operating frequency
All detected emissions are compliant with the -20 dBc limit!			-20 dBc		compliant
2481		3.8	30 dBm		Operating frequency
All detected emissions are compliant with the -20 dBc limit!			-20 dBc		compliant

12.8 Spurious emissions radiated below 30 MHz

Description:

Measurement of the radiated spurious emissions in transmit mode below 30 MHz. The EUT is set to single channel mode and the transmit frequencies are 2401 MHz, 2440 MHz and 2481 MHz. The limits are recalculated to a measurement distance of 3 m according the ANSI C63.10.

Measurement parameters	
Detector	Peak / Quasi peak
Sweep time	Auto
Resolution bandwidth	F < 150 kHz: 200 Hz F > 150 kHz: 9 kHz
Video bandwidth	F < 150 kHz: 1 kHz F > 150 kHz: 30 kHz
Span	9 kHz to 30 MHz
Trace mode	Max hold
Test setup	See sub clause 8.2 C
Measurement uncertainty	See sub clause 9

Limits:

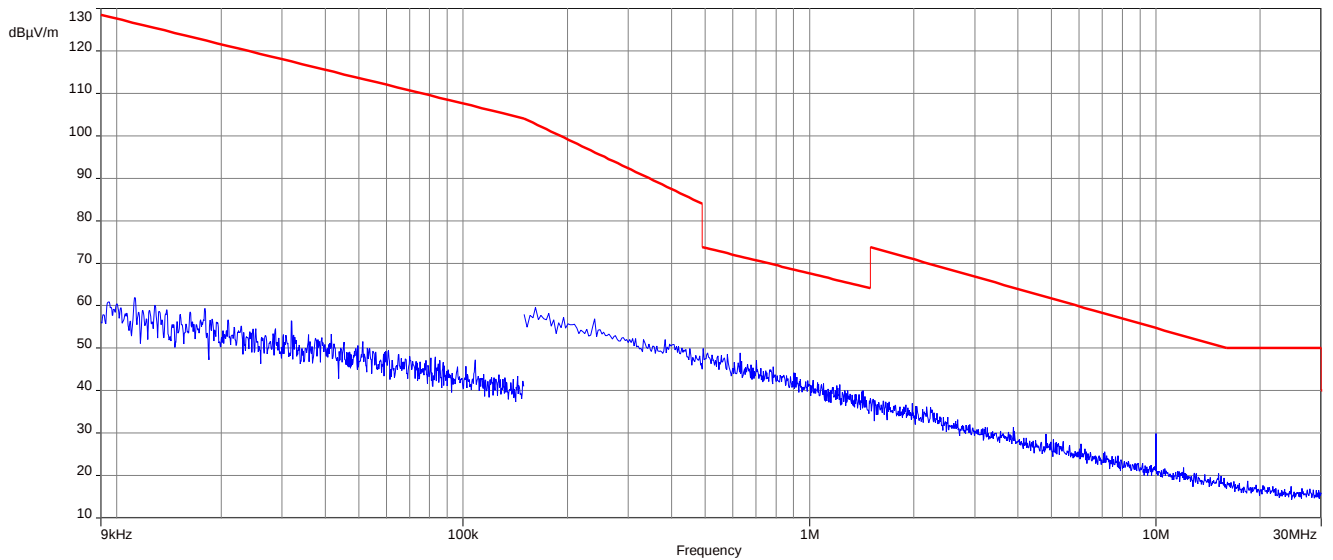
FCC		IC
TX spurious emissions radiated below 30 MHz		
Frequency (MHz)	Field strength (dBµV/m)	Measurement distance
0.009 – 0.490	2400/F(kHz)	300
0.490 – 1.705	24000/F(kHz)	30
1.705 – 30.0	30	30

Results:

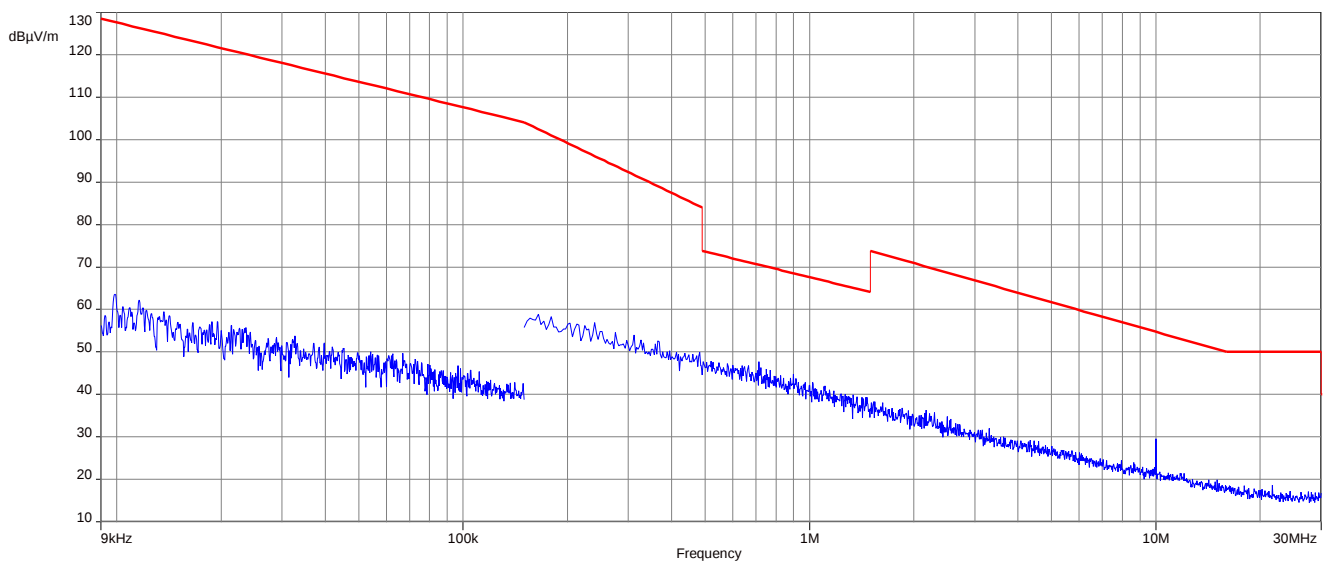
TX spurious emissions radiated below 30 MHz [dBµV/m]		
F [MHz]	Detector	Level [dBµV/m]
All detected emissions are more than 20 dB below the limit.		

Plots:

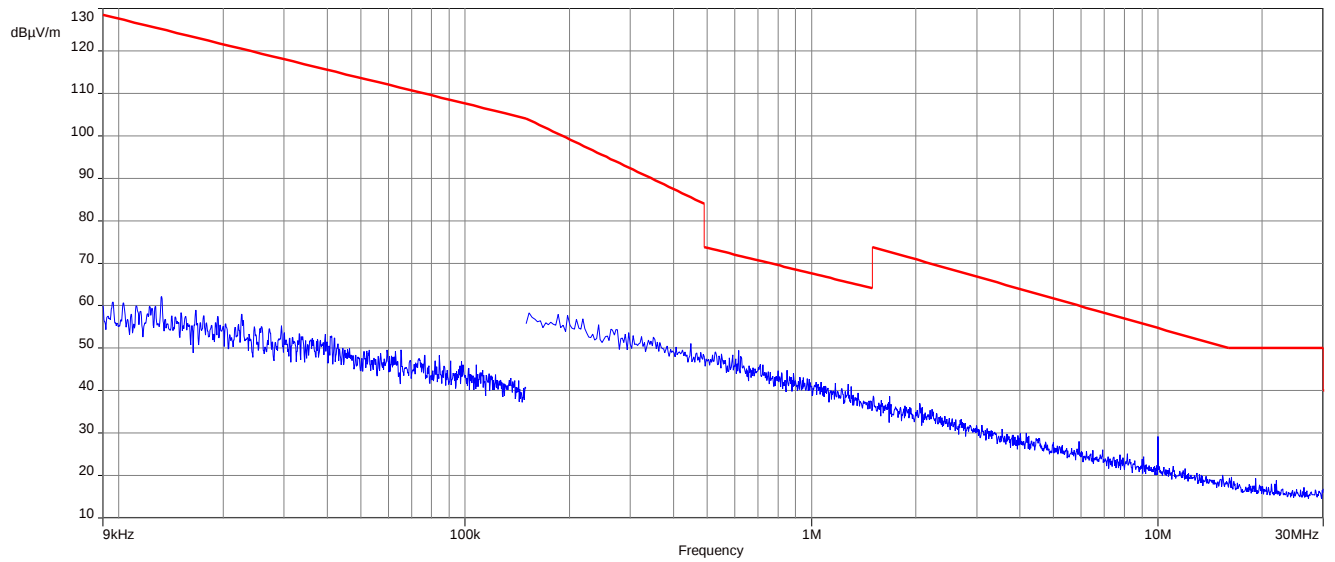
Plot 1: 9 kHz to 30 MHz, 2401 MHz, transmit mode, GFSK



Plot 2: 9 kHz to 30 MHz, 2440 MHz, transmit mode, GFSK



Plot 3: 9 kHz to 30 MHz, 2481 MHz, transmit mode, GFSK



12.9 Spurious emissions radiated 30 MHz to 1 GHz

Description:

Measurement of the radiated spurious emissions in transmit mode. The EUT is set to single channel mode and the transmit frequencies are 2401 MHz, 2440 MHz and 2481 MHz.

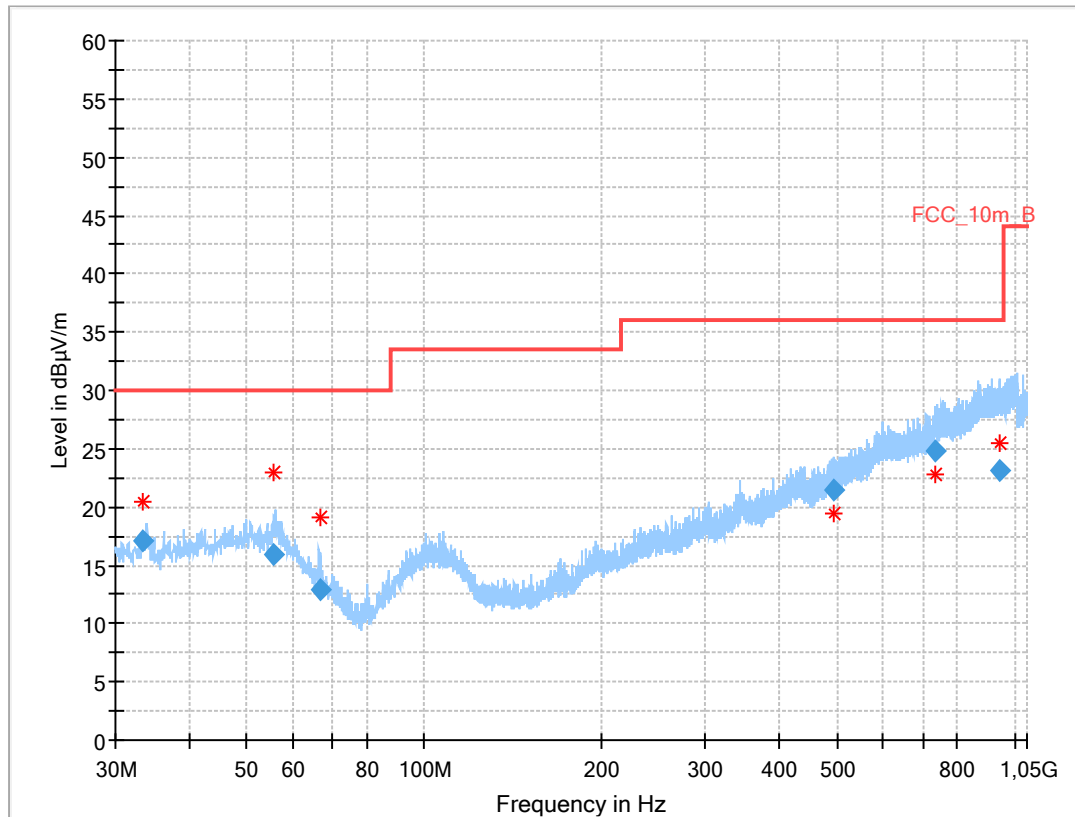
Measurement parameters	
Detector	Peak / Quasi Peak
Sweep time	Auto
Resolution bandwidth	120 kHz
Video bandwidth	3 x RBW
Span	30 MHz to 1 GHz
Trace mode	Max hold
Measured modulation	GFSK
Test setup	See sub clause 8.1 A
Measurement uncertainty	See sub clause 9

Limits:

FCC		IC
TX spurious emissions radiated		
In any 100 kHz bandwidth outside the frequency band in which the spread spectrum or digitally modulated intentional radiator is operating, the radio frequency power that is produced by the intentional radiator shall be at least 20 dB below that in the 100 kHz bandwidth within the band that contains the highest level of the desired power, based on either an RF conducted or a radiated measurement. Attenuation below the general limits specified in Section 15.209(a) is not required. In addition, radiated emissions which fall in the restricted bands, as defined in §15.205(a), must also comply with the radiated emission limits specified in §15.209(a) (see §15.205(c)).		
§15.209		
Frequency (MHz)	Field strength (dBµV/m)	Measurement distance
30 - 88	30.0	10
88 - 216	33.5	10
216 - 960	36.0	10
Above 960	54.0	3

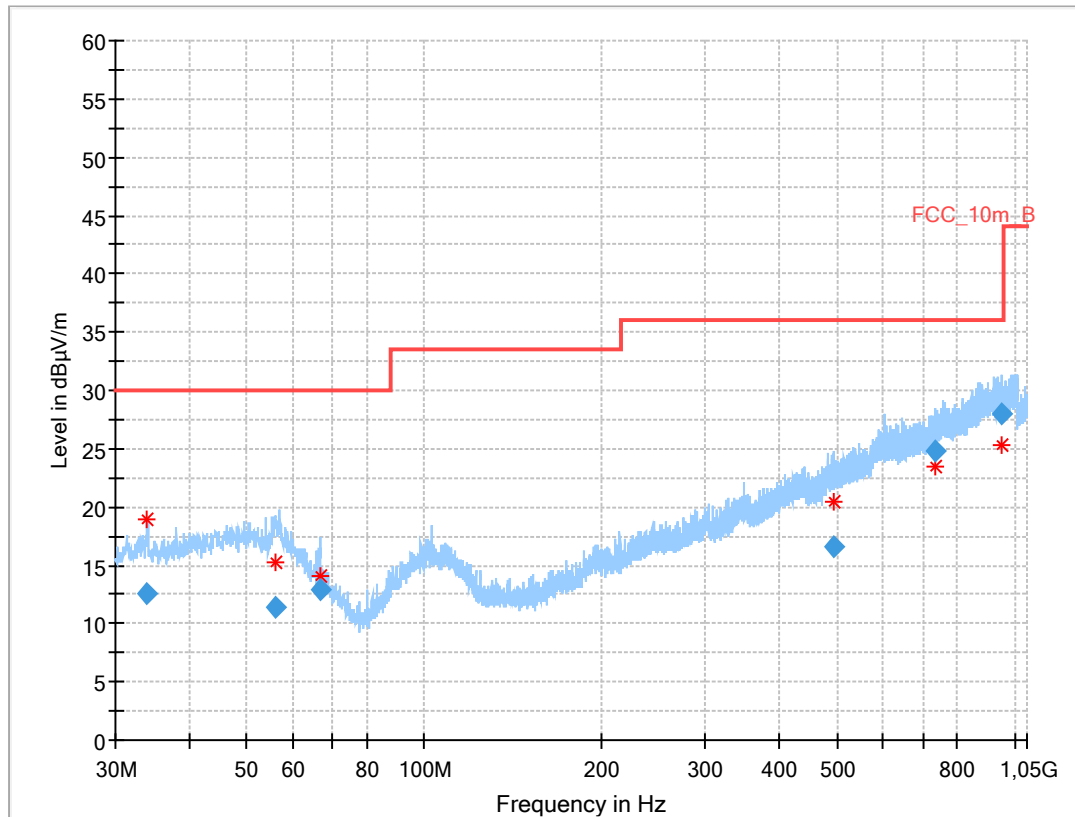
Plots: Transmit mode

Plot 1: 30 MHz to 1 GHz, TX mode, 2401 MHz, vertical & horizontal polarization, GFSK

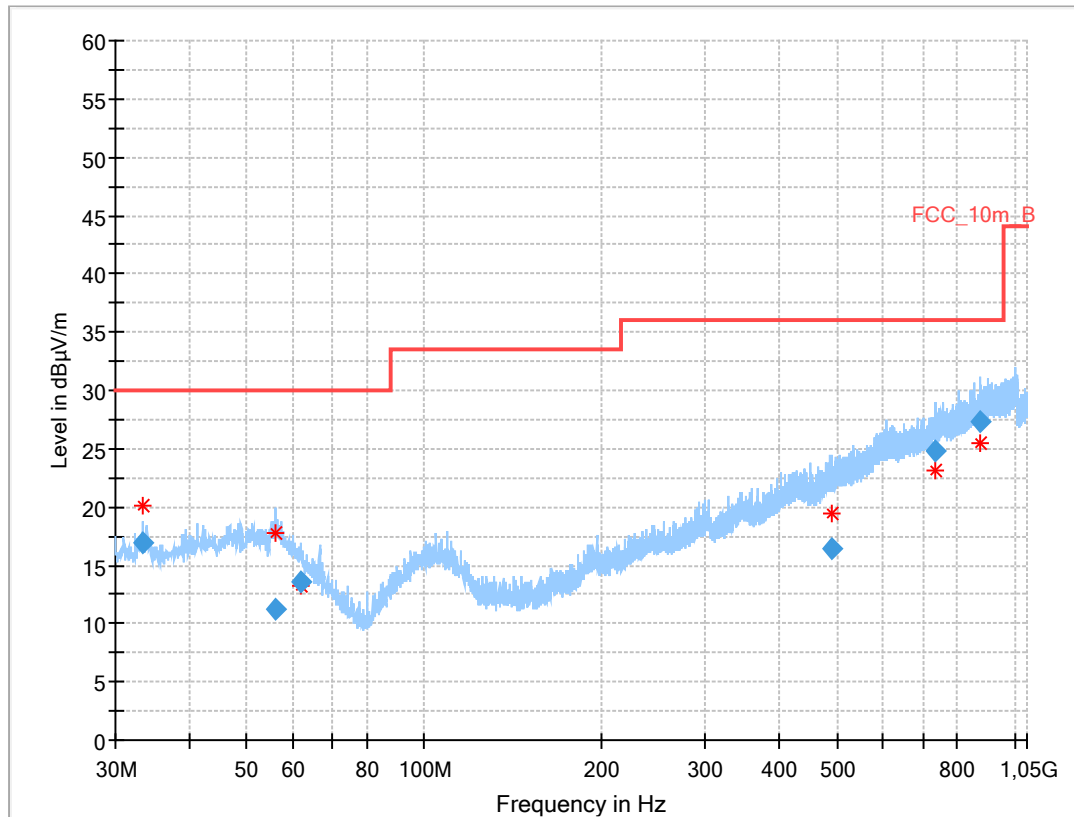


Final results:

Frequency (MHz)	QuasiPeak (dBµV/m)	Limit (dBµV/m)	Margin (dB)	Meas. Time (ms)	Bandwidth (kHz)	Height (cm)	Pol	Azimuth (deg)	Corr. (dB)
33.405	17.07	30.0	12.9	1000	120.0	101.0	V	180	12
55.545	15.95	30.0	14.1	1000	120.0	164.0	H	5	15
66.765	12.84	30.0	17.2	1000	120.0	121.0	V	67	11
493.538	21.50	36.0	14.5	1000	120.0	170.0	V	247	18
735.478	24.77	36.0	11.2	1000	120.0	170.0	H	22	22
945.683	23.09	36.0	12.9	1000	120.0	165.0	H	2	24

Plot 2: 30 MHz to 1 GHz, TX mode, 2440 MHz, vertical & horizontal polarization, GFSK**Final results:**

Frequency (MHz)	QuasiPeak (dBµV/m)	Limit (dBµV/m)	Margin (dB)	Meas. Time (ms)	Bandwidth (kHz)	Height (cm)	Pol	Azimuth (deg)	Corr. (dB)
33.847	12.65	30.0	17.4	1000	120.0	113.0	V	158	12
56.182	11.40	30.0	18.6	1000	120.0	170.0	V	97	15
66.573	12.97	30.0	17.0	1000	120.0	166.0	V	67	11
493.914	16.53	36.0	19.5	1000	120.0	170.0	H	79	18
735.224	24.83	36.0	11.2	1000	120.0	170.0	H	-20	22
953.738	27.92	36.0	8.1	1000	120.0	151.0	V	157	24

Plot 3: 30 MHz to 1 GHz, TX mode, 2481 MHz, vertical & horizontal polarization, GFSK**Final results:**

Frequency (MHz)	QuasiPeak (dBµV/m)	Limit (dBµV/m)	Margin (dB)	Meas. Time (ms)	Bandwidth (kHz)	Height (cm)	Pol	Azimuth (deg)	Corr. (dB)
33.324	16.99	30.0	13.0	1000	120.0	102.0	V	2	12
55.814	11.24	30.0	18.8	1000	120.0	106.0	V	247	15
62.005	13.62	30.0	16.4	1000	120.0	107.0	V	202	12
491.514	16.46	36.0	19.5	1000	120.0	170.0	V	248	18
734.797	24.82	36.0	11.2	1000	120.0	156.0	H	67	22
871.501	27.36	36.0	8.6	1000	120.0	170.0	V	247	23

12.10 Spurious emissions radiated above 1 GHz

Description:

Measurement of the radiated spurious emissions in transmit mode. The EUT is set to single channel mode and the transmit frequencies are 2401 MHz, 2440 MHz and 2481 MHz.

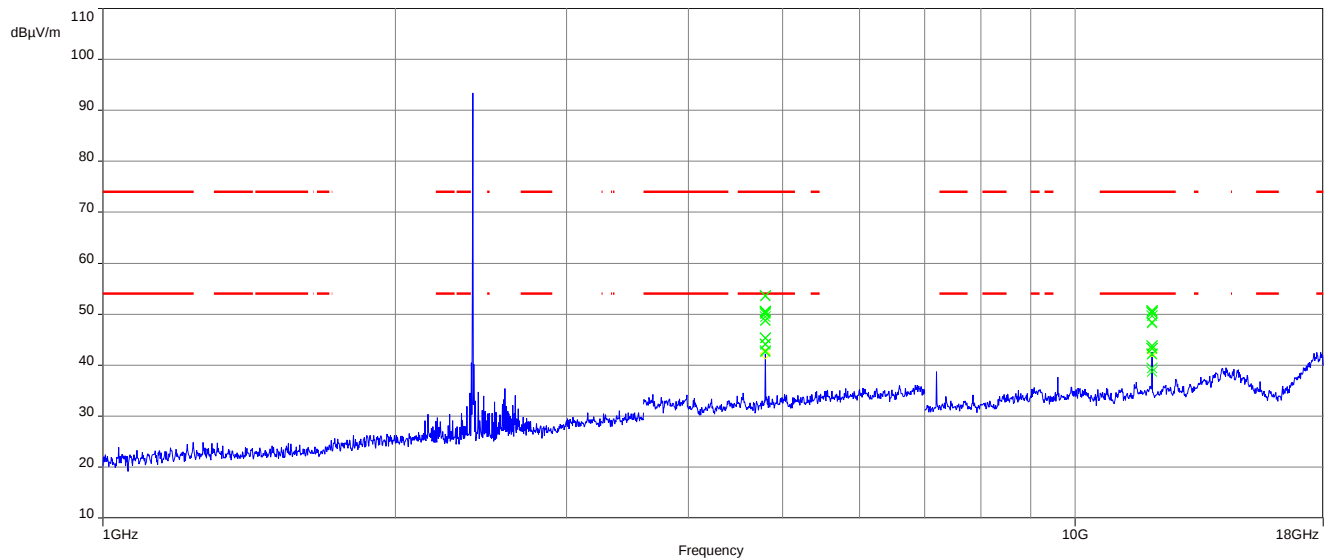
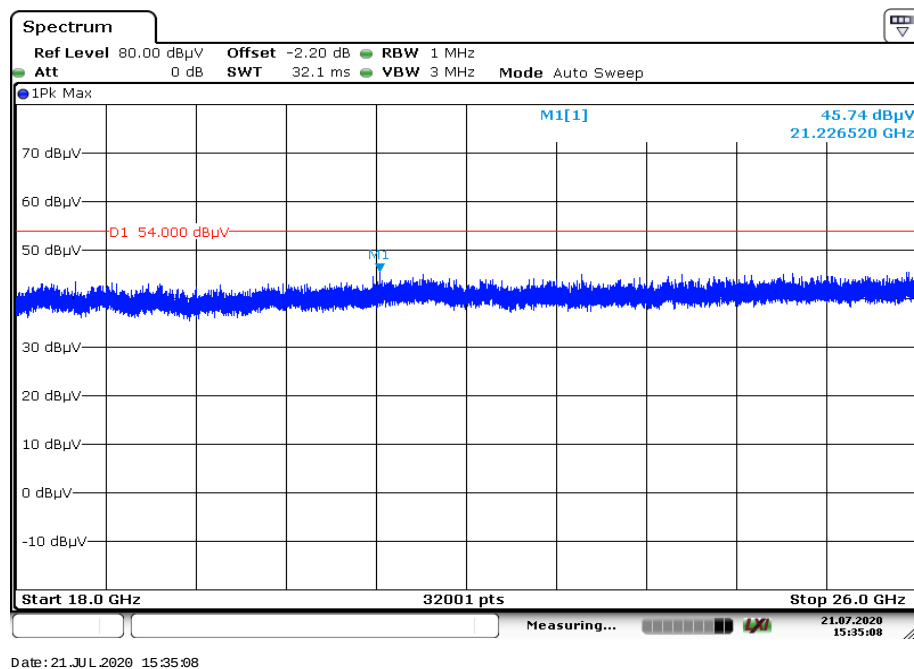
Measurement parameters	
Detector	Peak / RMS
Sweep time	Auto
Resolution bandwidth	1 MHz
Video bandwidth	3 x RBW
Span	1 GHz to 26 GHz
Trace mode	Max hold
Measured modulation	GFSK
Test setup	See sub clause 8.2 A (1 GHz - 18 GHz) See sub clause 8.3 A (18 GHz - 26 GHz)
Measurement uncertainty	See sub clause 9

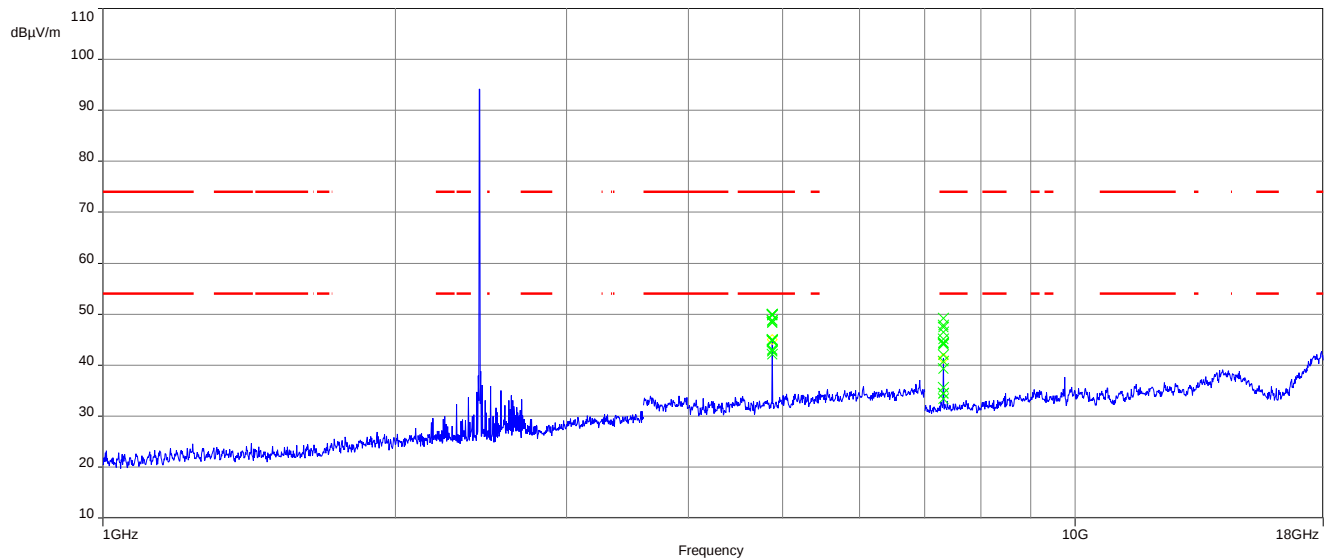
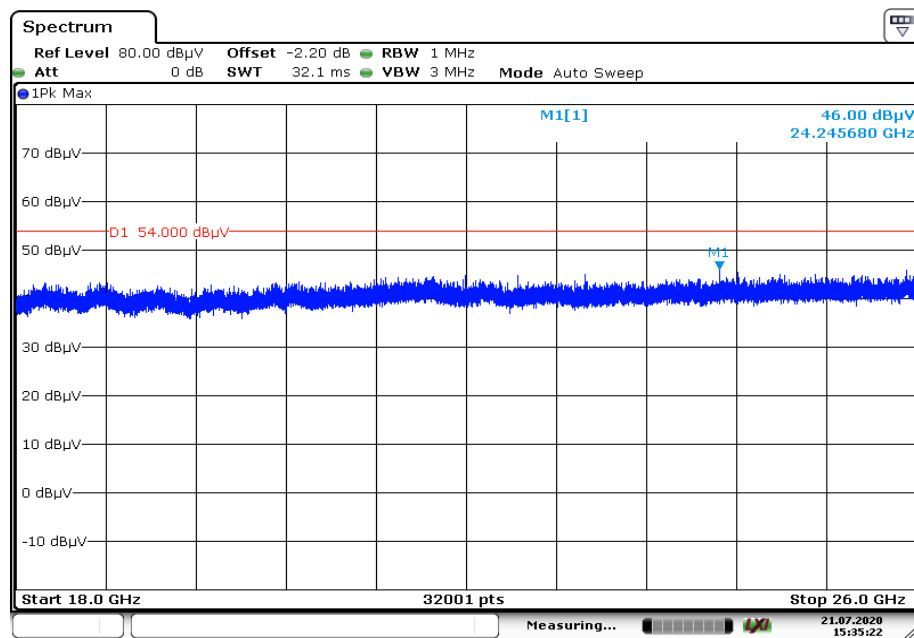
Limits:

FCC		IC
TX spurious emissions radiated		
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§15.209		
Frequency (MHz)	Field strength (dBµV/m)	Measurement distance
Above 960	54.0 (Average)	3
Above 960	74.0 (Peak)	3

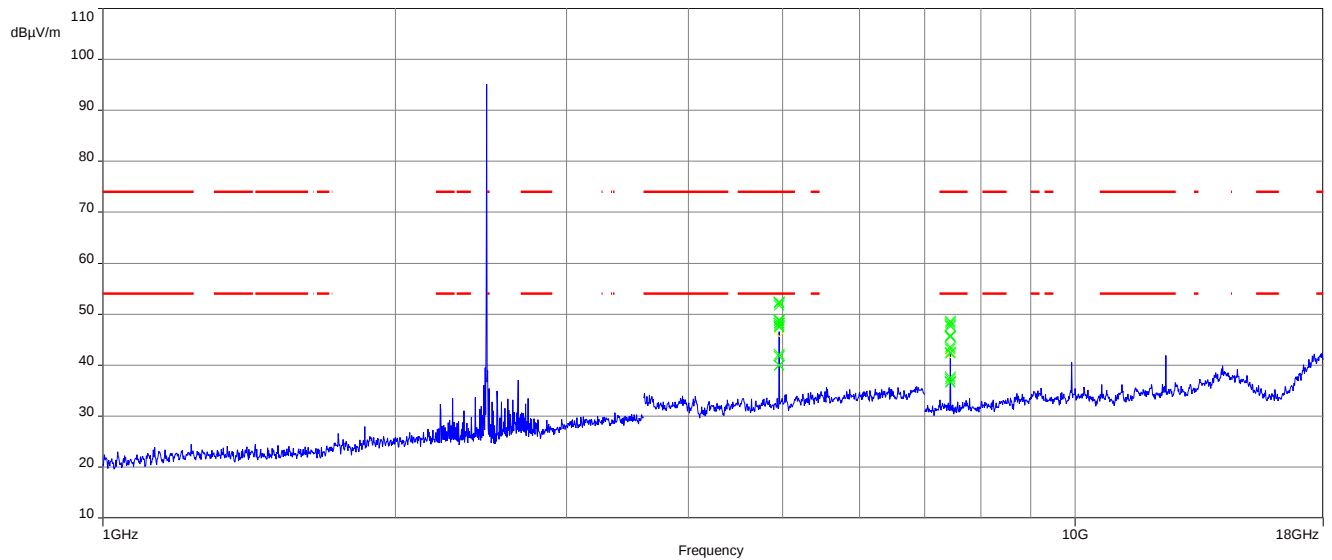
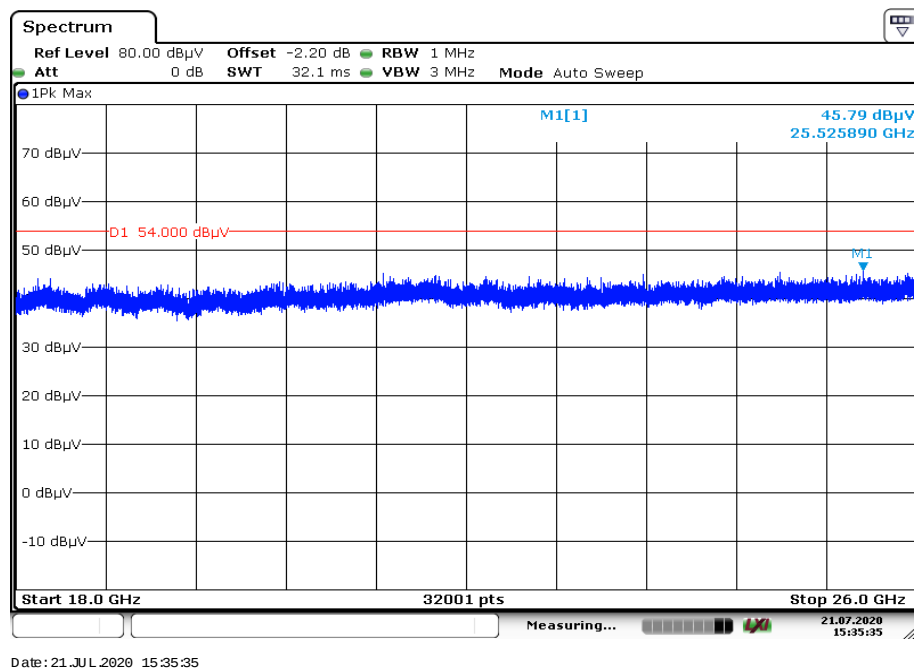
Results: Transmitter mode, GFSK

TX spurious emissions radiated [dBµV/m]								
2401 MHz			2440 MHz			2481 MHz		
F [MHz]	Detector	Level [dBµV/m]	F [MHz]	Detector	Level [dBµV/m]	F [MHz]	Detector	Level [dBµV/m]
4802	Peak	53.7	4880	Peak	50.0	4962	Peak	52.4
	AVG	50.5		AVG	44.8		AVG	48.2
12005	Peak	50.7	7320	Peak	49.2	7442	Peak	48.6
	AVG	43.8		AVG	44.3		AVG	43.5
	Peak			Peak			Peak	
	AVG			AVG			AVG	

Plots: Transmitter mode**Plot 1:** 1 GHz to 18 GHz, TX mode, 2401 MHz, vertical & horizontal polarization, GFSK**Plot 2:** 18 GHz to 26 GHz, TX mode, 2401 MHz, vertical & horizontal polarization, GFSK

Plot 3: 1 GHz to 18 GHz, TX mode, 2440 MHz, vertical & horizontal polarization, GFSK**Plot 4:** 18 GHz to 26 GHz, TX mode, 2440 MHz, vertical & horizontal polarization, GFSK

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Plot 5: 1 GHz to 18 GHz, TX mode, 2481 MHz, vertical & horizontal polarization, GFSK**Plot 6:** 18 GHz to 26 GHz, TX mode, 2481 MHz, vertical & horizontal polarization, GFSK

13 Glossary

EUT	Equipment under test
DUT	Device under test
UUT	Unit under test
GUE	GNSS User Equipment
ETSI	European Telecommunications Standards Institute
EN	European Standard
FCC	Federal Communications Commission
FCC ID	Company Identifier at FCC
IC	Industry Canada
PMN	Product marketing name
HMN	Host marketing name
HVIN	Hardware version identification number
FVIN	Firmware version identification number
EMC	Electromagnetic Compatibility
HW	Hardware
SW	Software
Inv. No.	Inventory number
S/N or SN	Serial number
C	Compliant
NC	Not compliant
NA	Not applicable
NP	Not performed
PP	Positive peak
QP	Quasi peak
AVG	Average
OC	Operating channel
OCW	Operating channel bandwidth
OBW	Occupied bandwidth
OOB	Out of band
DFS	Dynamic frequency selection
CAC	Channel availability check
OP	Occupancy period
NOP	Non occupancy period
DC	Duty cycle
PER	Packet error rate
CW	Clean wave
MC	Modulated carrier
WLAN	Wireless local area network
RLAN	Radio local area network
DSSS	Dynamic sequence spread spectrum
OFDM	Orthogonal frequency division multiplexing
FHSS	Frequency hopping spread spectrum
GNSS	Global Navigation Satellite System
C/N₀	Carrier to noise-density ratio, expressed in dB-Hz

14 Document history

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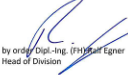
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