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RSHD210329001-00B	2021-05-21	Original Report
RSHD210329001-00BM1	2021-06-03	Update requirement from 15.231(a)(b) to 15.231(e)

GENERAL INFORMATION

Product Description for Equipment under Test (EUT)

Applicant	Lifetime Brands, Inc
Tested Model	5282011
Product Type	Digital Weather Forecaster
Power Supply	DC 3V from batteries
Field Strength of Fundamental	51.99 dBμV/m @ 3m
RF Function	SRD
Operating Band/Frequency	433.92 MHz
Channel Number	1
Modulation Type	ASK
Antenna Type	Spring Antenna
*Maximum Antenna Gain	0.0 dBi

Note1: The maximum antenna gain is provided by the applicant.

**All measurement and test data in this report was gathered from production sample serial number: RSHD210329001-1. (Assigned by the BACL. The EUT supplied by the applicant was received on 2021-03-29)*

Objective

This test report is prepared on behalf of *Lifetime Brands, Inc* All the test measurements were performed according to the measurement procedure described in ANSI C63.10 - 2013.

The tests were performed in order to determine compliance with FCC Part 15, Subpart C, section 15.203, 15.205, 15.209, 15.35(c) and 15.231 rules.

Related Submittal(s)/Grant(s)

No related submittal/grant.

Test Methodology

All measurements contained in this report were conducted with ANSI C63.10 - 2013, American National Standard of Procedures for Compliance Testing of Unlicensed Wireless Devices.

All radiated and conducted emissions measurement was performed at Bay Area Compliance Laboratories Corp. (Kunshan). The radiated testing was performed at an antenna-to-EUT distance of 3 meters.

Measurement Uncertainty

Item		Uncertainty
AC Power Lines Conducted Emissions		3.19 dB
RF conducted test with spectrum		0.9dB
Radiated emission	30MHz~1GHz	6.11dB
	1GHz~6GHz	4.45dB
	6GHz ~18GHz	5.23dB
Occupied Bandwidth		0.5kHz
Temperature		1.0℃
Humidity		6%

Test Facility

The Test site used by Bay Area Compliance Laboratories Corp. (Kunshan) to collect test data is located on the No.248 Chenghu Road, Kunshan, Jiangsu province, China.

Bay Area Compliance Laboratories Corp. (Kunshan) Lab is accredited to ISO/IEC 17025 by A2LA (Lab code: 4323.01) and the FCC designation No. CN1185 under the FCC KDB 974614 D01 and CAB identifier CN0004 under the ISED requirement. The facility also complies with the radiated and AC line conducted test site criteria set forth in ANSI C63.4-2014.

SYSTEM TEST CONFIGURATION

Justification

Channel List:

Channel	Frequency (MHz)
1	433.92

All buttons triggered the same RF parameters (Contain bandwidth, power level and duty cycle).

EUT Exercise Software

No software was used during the test.

Equipment Modifications

No modification was made to the EUT.

Support Equipment List and Details

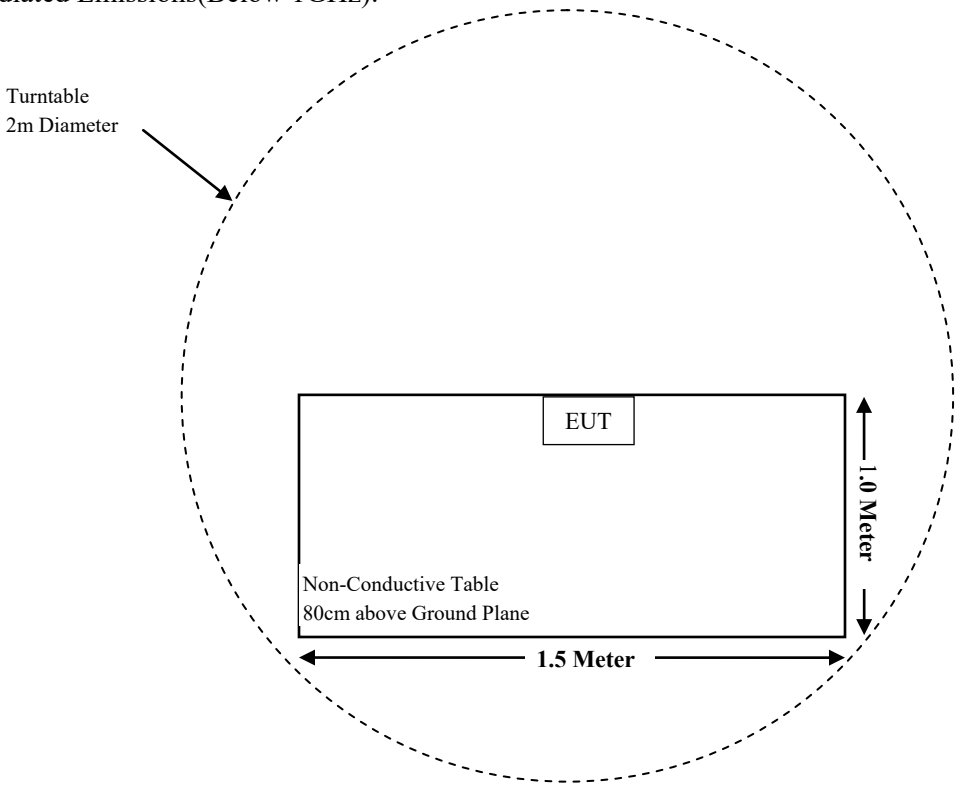
Manufacturer	Description	Model	Serial Number
/	/	/	/

External I/O Cable

Cable Description	Length (m)	From Port	To Port
/	/	/	/

Block Diagram of Test Setup

For Radiated Emissions(Below 1GHz):



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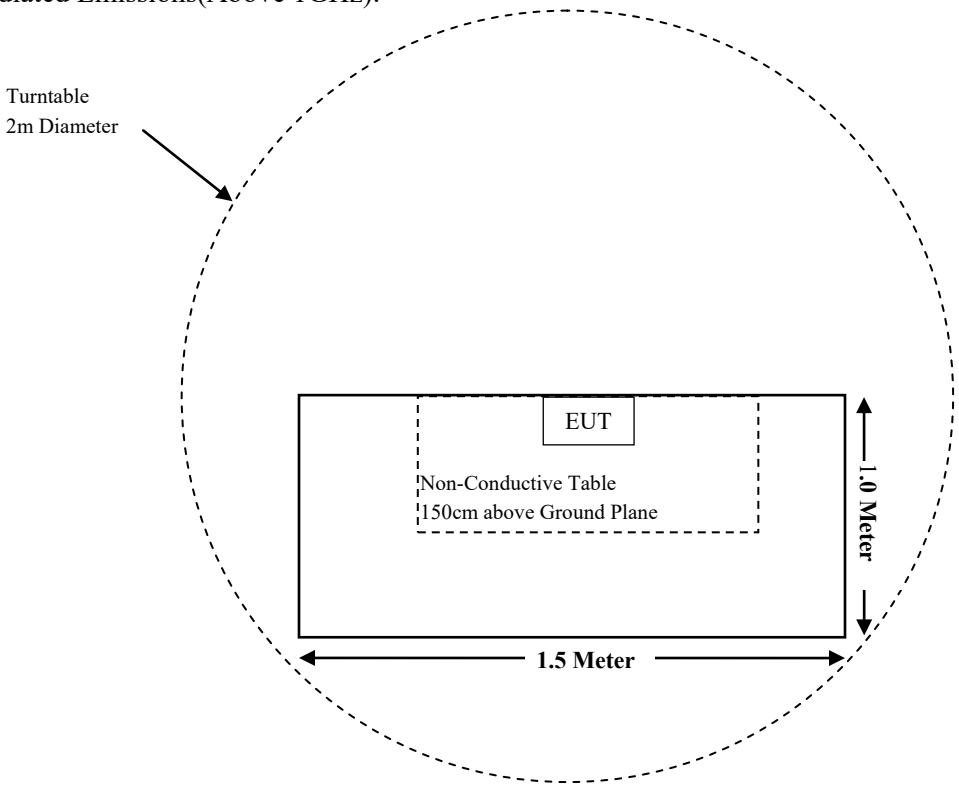


SUMMARY OF TEST RESULTS

FCC Rules	Description of Test	Result
§15.203	Antenna Requirement	Compliant
§15.207(a)	Conducted Emissions	Not applicable (See Note)
§15.205, §15.209, §15.231(e)	Radiated Emissions	Compliant
§15.231 (c)	20dB Emission Bandwidth	Compliant
§15.231 (e)	Deactivation	Compliant

Note: The EUT is powered by battery.

TEST EQUIPMENT LIST

Manufacturer	Description	Model	Serial Number	Calibration Date	Calibration Due Date
Radiated Emission Test (Chamber 1#)					
Rohde & Schwarz	EMI Test Receiver	ESCI	100195	2020-11-27	2021-11-26
Rohde & Schwarz	Signal Analyzer	FSV40	101116	2020-08-05	2021-08-04
Sunol Sciences	Hybrid Antenna	JB3	A090314-2	2020-01-07	2023-01-06
Sonoma Instrunent	Pre-amplifier	310N	171205	2020-08-14	2021-08-13
Rohde & Schwarz	Auto test Software	EMC32	100361	/	/
MICRO-COAX	Coaxial Cable	Cable-8	008	2020-08-15	2021-08-14
MICRO-COAX	Coaxial Cable	Cable-9	009	2020-08-15	2021-08-14
MICRO-COAX	Coaxial Cable	Cable-10	010	2020-08-15	2021-08-14
Radiated Emission Test (Chamber 2#)					
Rohde & Schwarz	EMI Test Receiver	ESU40	100207	2020-04-01	2021-03-31
ETS-LINDGREN	Horn Antenna	3115	9207-3900	2020-07-15	2023-07-14
A.H.Systems,inc	Amplifier	PAM-0118P	512	2020-08-14	2021-08-13
Narda	Attenuator	10dB	010	2020-08-15	2021-08-14
Rohde & Schwarz	Auto test Software	EMC32	100361	/	/
MICRO-COAX	Coaxial Cable	Cable-6	006	2020-08-15	2021-08-14
MICRO-COAX	Coaxial Cable	Cable-11	011	2020-08-15	2021-08-14
MICRO-COAX	Coaxial Cable	Cable-12	012	2020-08-15	2021-08-14
MICRO-COAX	Coaxial Cable	Cable-13	013	2020-08-15	2021-08-14

*** Statement of Traceability:** Bay Area Compliance Laboratories Corp. (Kunshan) attests that all calibrations have been performed in accordance to requirements that traceable to National Primary Standards and International System of Units (SI).

FCC§15.203 - ANTENNA REQUIREMENT

Applicable Standard

An intentional radiator shall be designed to ensure that no antenna other than that furnished by the responsible party shall be used with the device. The use of a permanently attached antenna or of an antenna that uses a unique coupling to the intentional radiator shall be considered sufficient to comply with the provisions of this section.

Antenna Connected Construction

The EUT has a spring antenna which was permanently attached and the antenna gain is 0 dBi; fulfill the requirement of this section. Please refer to EUT photos.

Result: Compliant.

FCC §15.205, §15.209, §15.231 (e) - RADIATED EMISSIONS

Applicable Standard

FCC §15.205, §15.209,§15.231(e)

According to §15.231(e), the field strength of emissions from intentional radiators operated under this section shall not exceed the following

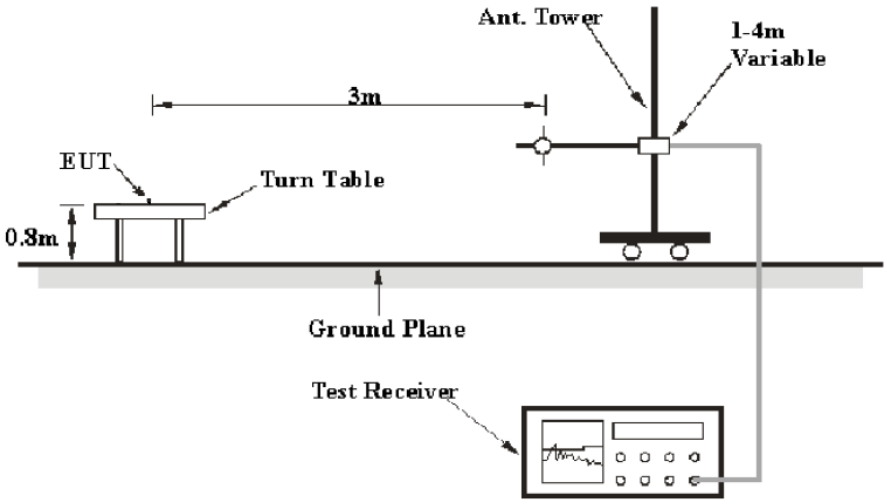
Fundamental frequency (MHz)	Field strength of fundamental (microvolts/meter)	Field strength of spurious emission (microvolts/meter)
40.66-40.70	1,000	100
70-130	500	50
130-174	500 to 1,500 *	50 to 150 *
174-260	1,500	150
260-470	1,500 to 5,000 *	150 to 500*
Above 470	5,000	500

*Linear interpolations.

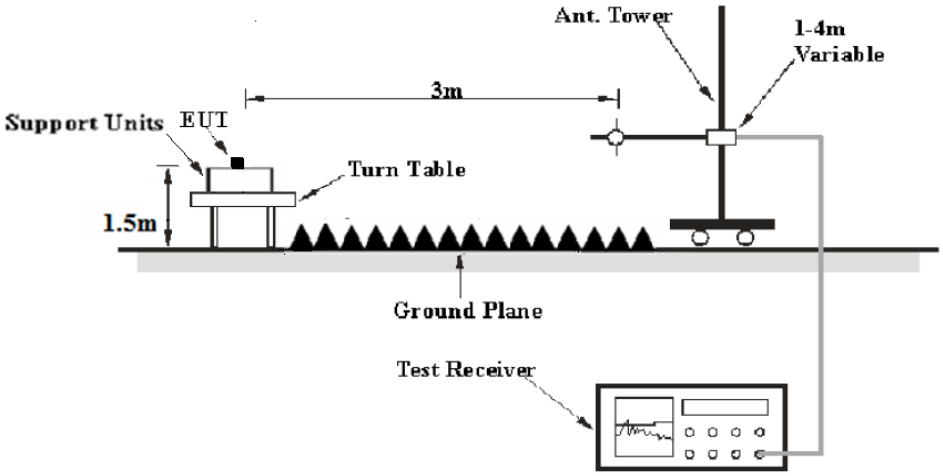
The above field strength limits are specified at a distance of 3 meters. The tighter limits apply at the band edges.

EUT Setup

Below 1GHz:



Above 1 GHz:



The radiated emission tests were performed in the 3 meters test site, using the setup accordance with the ANSI C63.10 - 2013. The specification used was the FCC 15 § 15.209, 15.205 and 15.231.

EMI Test Receiver Setup

The system was investigated from 30 MHz to 5 GHz.

During the radiated emission test, the EMI test Receiver was set with the following configurations:

Frequency Range	RBW	Video B/W	IF B/W	Detector
30 MHz – 1000 MHz	120 kHz	300 kHz	120kHz	PK
1000MHz – 5000MHz	1MHz	3MHz	/	PK

Test Procedure

Maximizing procedure was performed on the highest emissions to ensure that the EUT complied with all installation combinations.

Corrected Amplitude & Margin Calculation

The Corrected Amplitude is calculated by adding the Antenna Factor and Cable Loss, and subtracting the Amplifier Gain from the Meter Reading. The basic equation is as follows:

Corrected Amplitude (dBμV /m) = Meter Reading (dBμV) + Antenna Factor (dB/m) + Cable Loss (dB) - Amplifier Gain (dB)

The "**Margin**" column of the following data tables indicates the degree of compliance with the applicable limit. For example, a margin of 7dB means the emission is 7dB below the limit. The equation for margin calculation is as follows:

Margin (dB) = Limit (dBμV/m) – Corrected Amplitude (dBμV /m)

Test Results Summary

According to the data in the following table, the EUT complied with the FCC §15.205, §15.209, §15.231 (b).

Test Data

Environmental Conditions

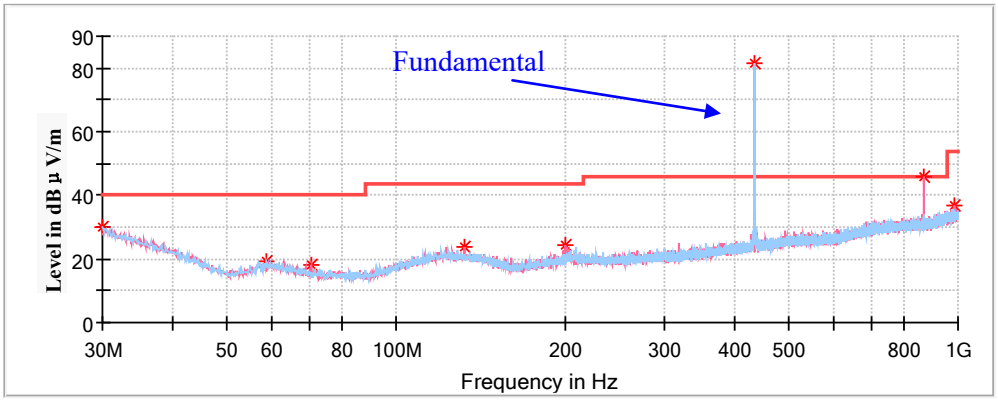
Temperature:	22.3-23.2 ℃
Relative Humidity:	46-50 %
ATM Pressure:	101.1-101.5 kPa

The testing was performed by Miller Xie from 2021-04-01 to 2021-05-21.

Test mode: Transmitting

30MHz-1GHz (ASK modulation)

*(Pre-scan in the X,Y and Z axes of orientation, the worst case **Y-axis of orientation** was recorded.)*



Frequency (MHz)	Corrected Amplitude	Rx Antenna		Turntable Degree	Corrected Factor (dB/m)	QP/Average Limit (dBµV/m)	Margin (dB)
	Max Peak (dBµV/m)	Height (cm)	Polar (H/V)				
30.00	30.12	100	H	57	-3.7	52.87	22.75
58.86	19.37	200	H	47	-14.8	52.87	33.50
70.38	18.39	200	H	260	-16.8	52.87	34.48
131.97	23.83	100	V	341	-11.3	43.50	19.67
200.60	24.19	200	V	341	-12	52.87	28.68
867.96	46.05	100	V	251	-0.3	52.87	6.82
988.12	36.73	200	H	96	2.6	54.00	17.27

Frequency (MHz)	Corrected Amplitude	Rx Antenna		Turntable Degree	Corrected Factor (dB/m)	Peak Limit (dBµV/m)	Margin (dB)
	Max Peak (dBµV/m)	Height (cm)	Polar (H/V)				
433.92	81.76	100	H	83	-7.2	92.87	11.11

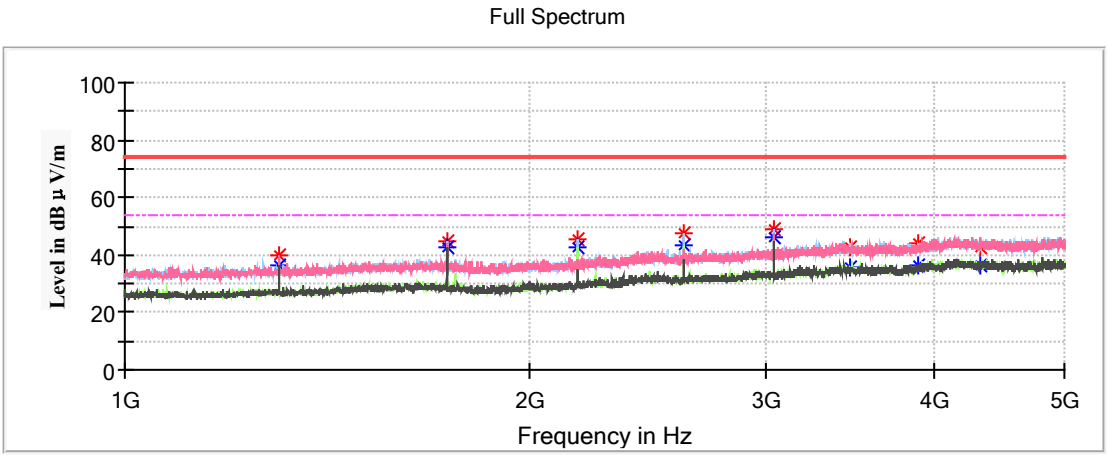
Note: If the spurious emissions maximized peak measured value complies with the QP/Average limit, it is unnecessary to perform QP/Average measurement.

Field Strength of Average Emission

Frequency (MHz)	Peak Measurement@3m (dBµV/m)	Height (cm)	Polar (H/V)	Duty Cycle Corrected Factor (dB)	Corrected Amplitude (dBµV/m)	FCC Part 15.231(b)/205/209	
						Limit (dBµV/m)	Margin (dB)
433.92	81.76	200	V	-29.77	51.99	72.87	20.88

1GHz-5 GHz (ASK modulation)

*(Pre-scan in the X,Y and Z axes of orientation, the worst case **Y-axis of orientation** was recorded.)*



Frequency (MHz)	Corrected Amplitude	Rx Antenna		Turntable Degree	Corrected Factor (dB/m)	Average Limit (dBµV/m)	Margin (dB)
	Max Peak (dBµV/m)	Height (cm)	Polar (H/V)				
1301.76	39.79	200	V	80	-17.4	54.00	14.21
1735.68	44.82	200	H	292	-15.5	54.00	9.18
2169.60	45.29	150	H	152	-13.8	54.00	8.71
2603.52	47.54	100	H	62	-11.9	54.00	6.46
3037.44	48.76	150	H	84	-10	54.00	5.24
3471.36	42.84	100	V	96	-8.9	54.00	11.16
3905.28	44.06	150	H	73	-7.3	54.00	9.94
4339.20	42.83	200	H	281	-6.5	54.00	11.17

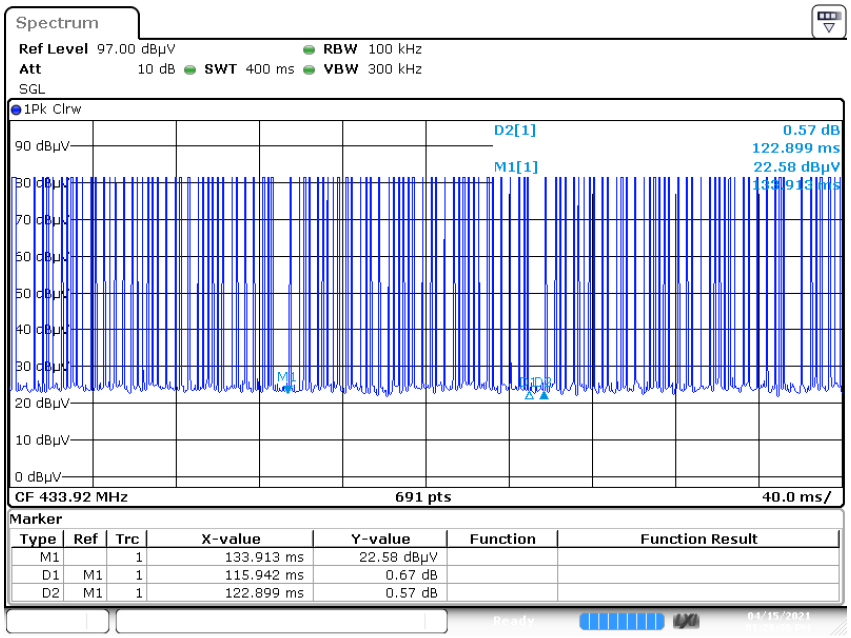
Note: If the spurious emissions maximized peak measured value complies with the Average limit, it is unnecessary to perform an Average measurement.

Note 1:
Corrected Factor (dB/m) = Antenna factor (RX) (dB/m) + Cable Loss (dB) – Amplifier Factor (dB)
Margin (dB) = Limit (dBµV/m) – Corrected Amplitude (dBµV /m)

Note 2:
Calculate Average value based on Duty Cycle correction factor:
Tp=100ms
Ton=0.10145*32=3.2464ms
Duty Cycle Corrected Factor =20*log (Ton/Tp) =20*log (3.2464ms/100ms) =-29.77dB
Average value = Peak value + Duty Cycle Corrected Factor

This duty cycle is the worst case for the EUT

Duty Cycle



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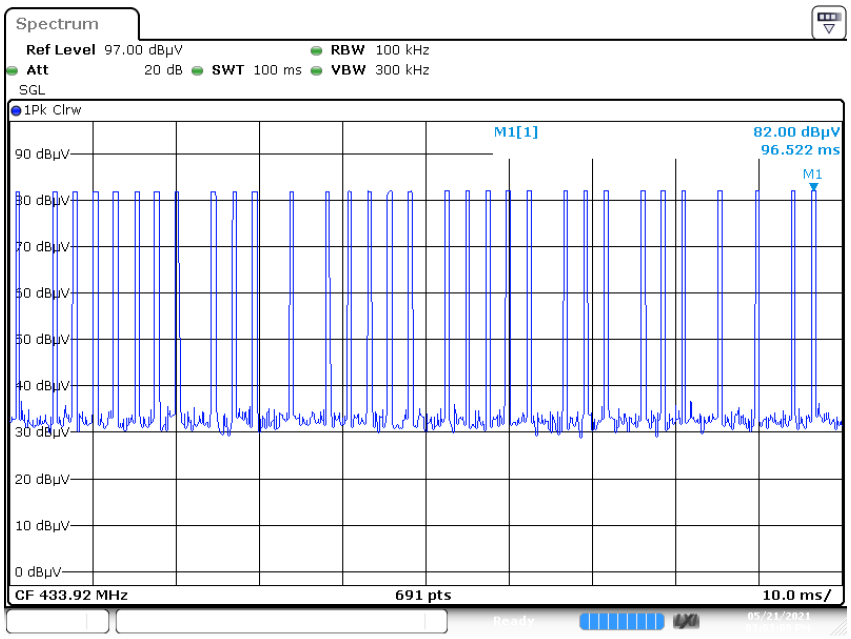

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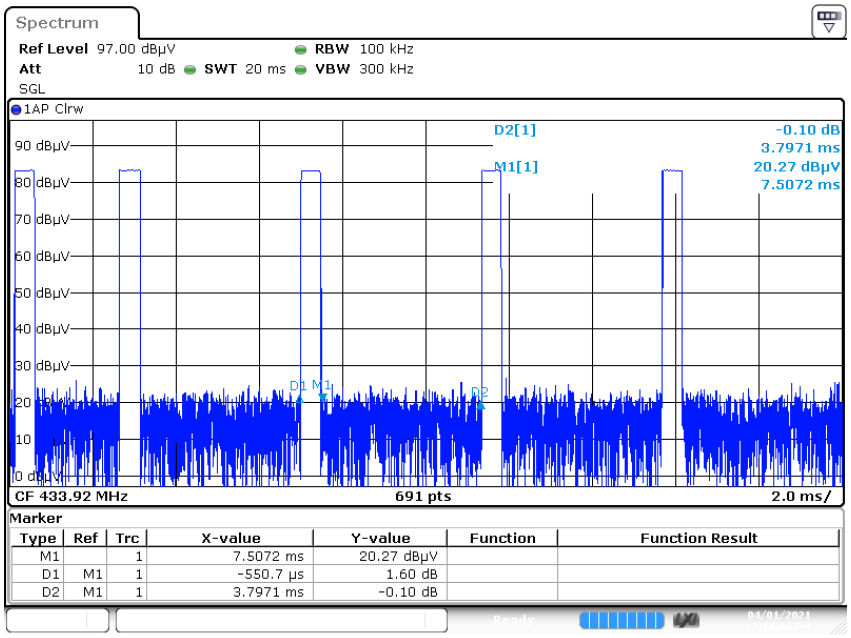

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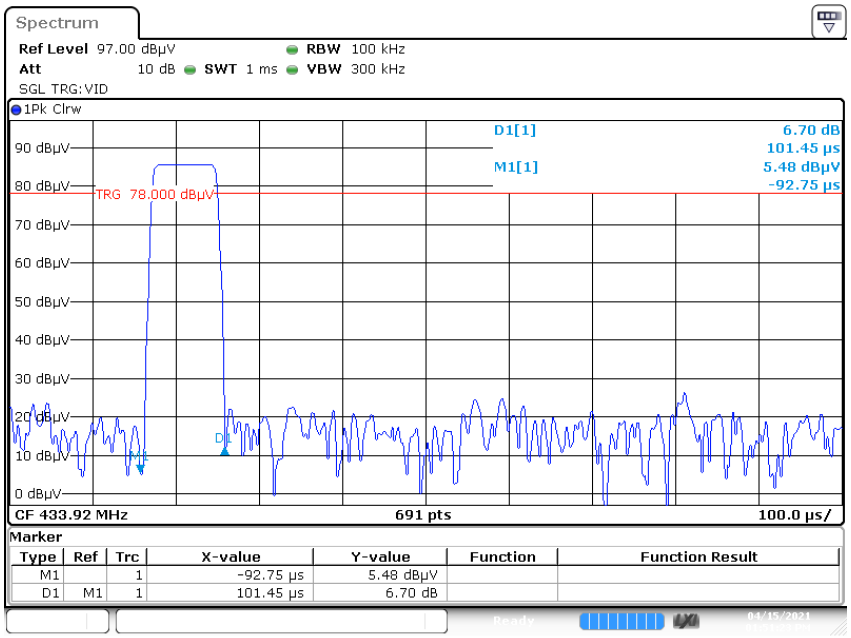

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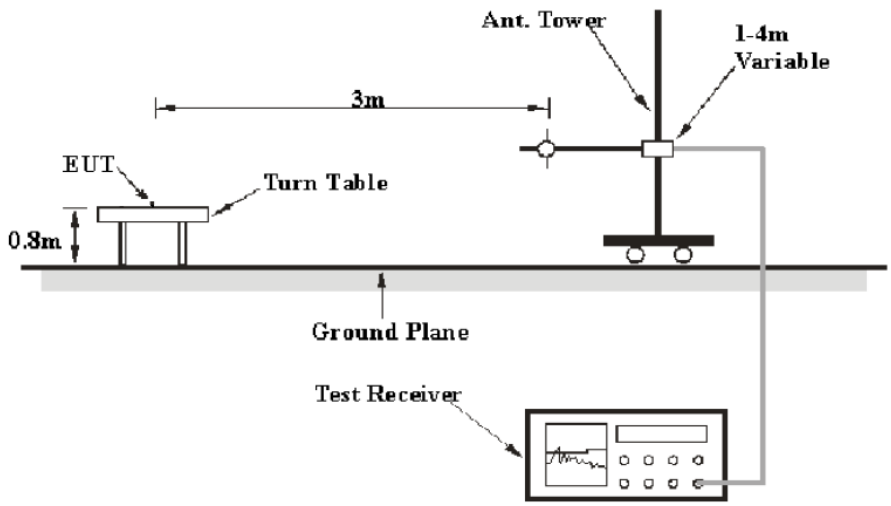
FCC §15.231(e) - DEACTIVATION TESTING

Applicable Standard

Per 15.231(e), devices operated under the provisions of this paragraph shall be provided with a means for automatically limiting operation so that the duration of each transmission shall not be greater than one second and the silent period between transmissions shall be at least 30 times the duration of the transmission but in no case less than 10 seconds.

EUT Setup



The deactivation test was performed in the 3 meters chamber test site, using the setup accordance with the ANSI C63.10- 2013. The specification used was the FCC 15.231(e) limits.

Test Procedure

1. With the EUT's antenna attached, the waveform was received by the test antenna which was connected to the spectrum analyzer.
2. Set center frequency of spectrum analyzer=operating frequency.
3. Set the spectrum analyzer as RBW=100 kHz VBW=300 kHz Span=0 Hz.
4. Repeat above procedures until all frequency measured was complete.

Test Data

Environmental Conditions

Temperature:	23.1 °C
Relative Humidity:	53 %
ATM Pressure:	101.8 kPa

The testing was performed by Miller Xie on 2021-05-28.

Test mode: Transmitting

Deactivation

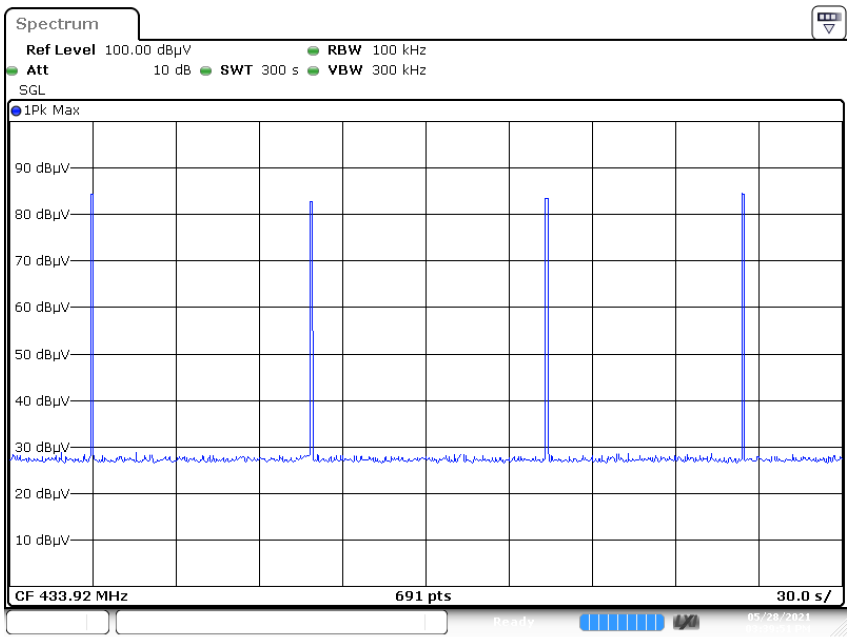
Transmission period (s)	Limit (s)	Result
0.84058	< 1	Pass

Silent period

Silent period (s)	Limit (s)	Result
75.652	>25.2174	Pass

Note:
The silent period between transmissions shall be at least 30 times the duration of the transmission but in no case less than 10 seconds.
The duration time is 0.84058s, 0.84058×30 =25.2174s.

Transmission period



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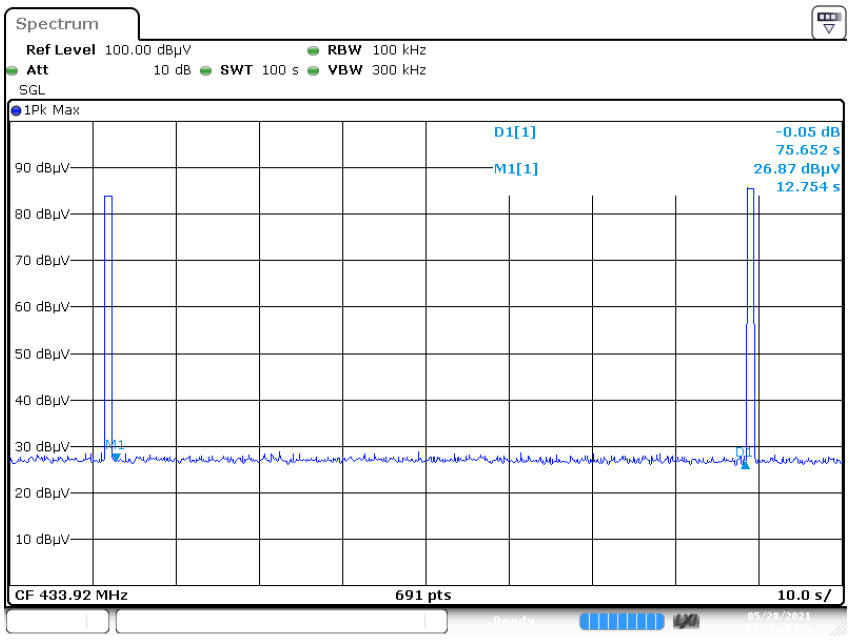

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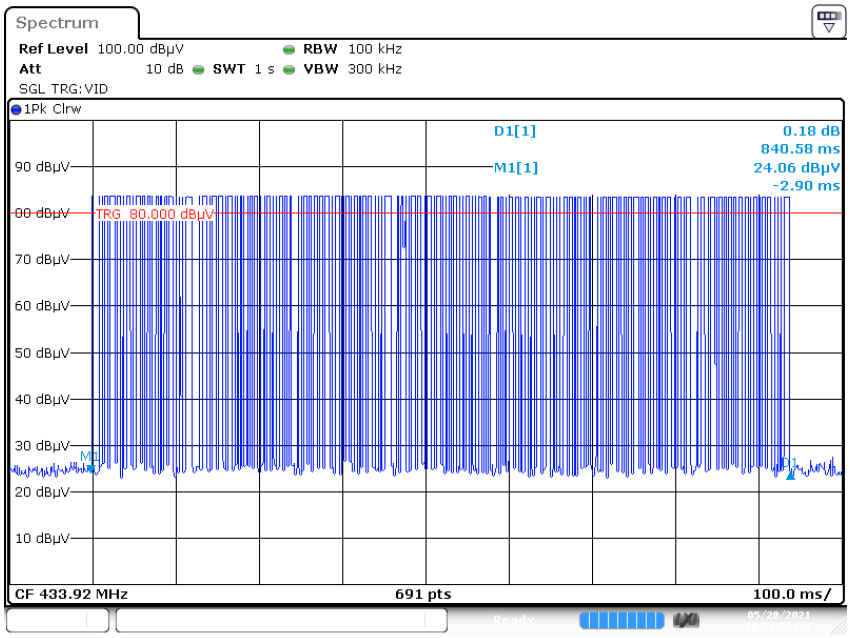

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FCC §15.231(c) - 20dB EMISSION BANDWIDTH TESTING

Applicable Standard

Per 15.231(c), The bandwidth of the emission shall be no wider than 0.25% of the center frequency for devices operating above 70 MHz and below 900 MHz. Bandwidth is determined at the points 20 dB down from the modulated carrier.

Test Procedure

With the EUT's antenna attached, the waveform was received by the test antenna which was connected to the spectrum analyzer, plot the 20 dB bandwidth.

Test Data

Environmental Conditions

Temperature:	24.3 ℃
Relative Humidity:	51 %
ATM Pressure:	101.2 kPa

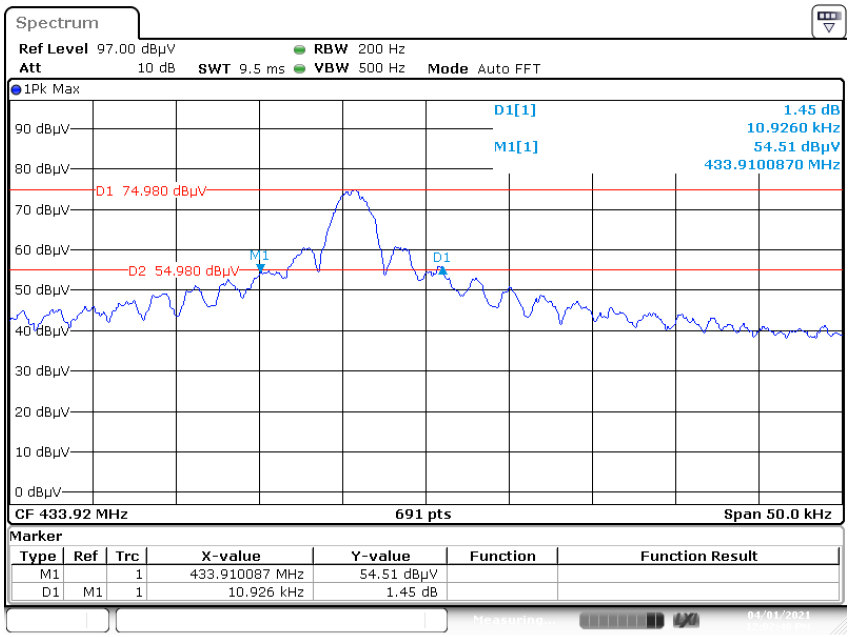
The testing was performed by Miller Xie on 2020-04-01.

Test Mode: Transmitting

Channel Frequency (MHz)	20dB Bandwidth (kHz)	Limit (kHz)	Result
433.92	10.93	1084.8	Pass

Note: Limit = 0.25% * Center Frequency = 0.25% * 433.92 MHz = 1084.8 kHz

20 dB Emission Bandwidth



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Declarations

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