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AND
FCC CFR47 PART 90, SUBPART I
CERTIFICATION TEST REPORT**

FOR

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1. ATTESTATION OF TEST RESULTS

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EUT DESCRIPTION: RF POWER AMPLIFIER

MODEL: PA3-1AE

SERIAL NUMBER: 1769

DATE TESTED: JULY 19- 20, 2006

APPLICABLE STANDARDS	
STANDARD	TEST RESULTS
FCC PART 22 SUBPART E	NO NON-COMPLIANCE NOTED
FCC PART 90 SUBPART I	NO NON-COMPLIANCE NOTED

Compliance Certification Services, Inc. tested the above equipment in accordance with the requirements set forth in the above standards. The test results show that the equipment tested is capable of demonstrating compliance with the requirements as documented in this report.

Note: The results documented in this report apply only to the tested sample, under the conditions and modes of operation as described herein. This document may not be altered or revised in any way unless done so by Compliance Certification Services and all revisions are duly noted in the revisions section. Any alteration of this document not carried out by Compliance Certification Services will constitute fraud and shall nullify the document. No part of this report may be used to claim product certification, approval, or endorsement by NVLAP, NIST, or any government agency.

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2. TEST METHODOLOGY

The tests documented in this report were performed in accordance with TIA/EIA 603C (2004), FCC CFR 47 Part 2, FCC CFR 47 Part 22, and FCC CFR 47 Part 90.

3. FACILITIES AND ACCREDITATION

The test sites and measurement facilities used to collect data are located at 561F Monterey Road, Morgan Hill, California, USA. The sites are constructed in conformance with the requirements of ANSI C63.4, ANSI C63.7 and CISPR Publication 22. All receiving equipment conforms to CISPR Publication 16-1, "Radio Interference Measuring Apparatus and Measurement Methods."

CCS is accredited by NVLAP, Laboratory Code 200065-0. The full scope of accreditation can be viewed at <http://www.ccsemc.com>.

4. CALIBRATION AND UNCERTAINTY

4.1. MEASURING INSTRUMENT CALIBRATION

The measuring equipment utilized to perform the tests documented in this report has been calibrated in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations, and is traceable to recognized national standards.

4.2. MEASUREMENT UNCERTAINTY

Where relevant, the following measurement uncertainty levels have been estimated for tests performed on the apparatus:

PARAMETER	UNCERTAINTY
Radiated Emission, 30 to 200 MHz	+/- 3.3 dB
Radiated Emission, 200 to 1000 MHz	+4.5 / -2.9 dB
Radiated Emission, 1000 to 2000 MHz	+4.5 / -2.9 dB
Power Line Conducted Emission	+/- 2.9 dB

Uncertainty figures are valid to a confidence level of 95%.

5. EQUIPMENT UNDER TEST

5.1. DESCRIPTION OF EUT

The EUT is a RF Power Amplifier, the operation frequency range is: 136 -174MHz, 125Watt
The radio module is manufactured by TPL Communications.

5.2. MAXIMUM OUTPUT POWER

The transmitter has a maximum conducted output power as follows:

FCC Part	Frequency Range (MHz)	Modulation	Conducted Output Power (dBm)	Conducted Output Power (W)
22	152-159	CW	50.95	124.5
90	150-174	CW	50.95	124.5

5.3. WORST-CASE CONFIGURATION AND MODE

The worst-case channel is determined as the channel with the highest output power and with the CW input signal. The highest measured output power was at 150MHz low channel.

5.4. DESCRIPTION OF TEST SETUP

SUPPORT EQUIPMENT

PERIPHERAL SUPPORT EQUIPMENT LIST				
Description	Manufacturer	Model	Serial Number	Cal Due
DC Power Supply	MTM Inc.	XHR 60-18	27519	NA
500 Watt 50 Ohm Terminator	Bird Electronic Corp	8201	13288	NA
Signal Generator, 1024 MHz	R & S	SMY01	842065/030	11/27/07
80-1000MHz Amplifier	Amplifier Research	150W1000M2	303370	CNR
Directional Coupler, 500W, 40 dB, 10 ~ 1000 MHz	Werlatone	C6021	8576	CNR

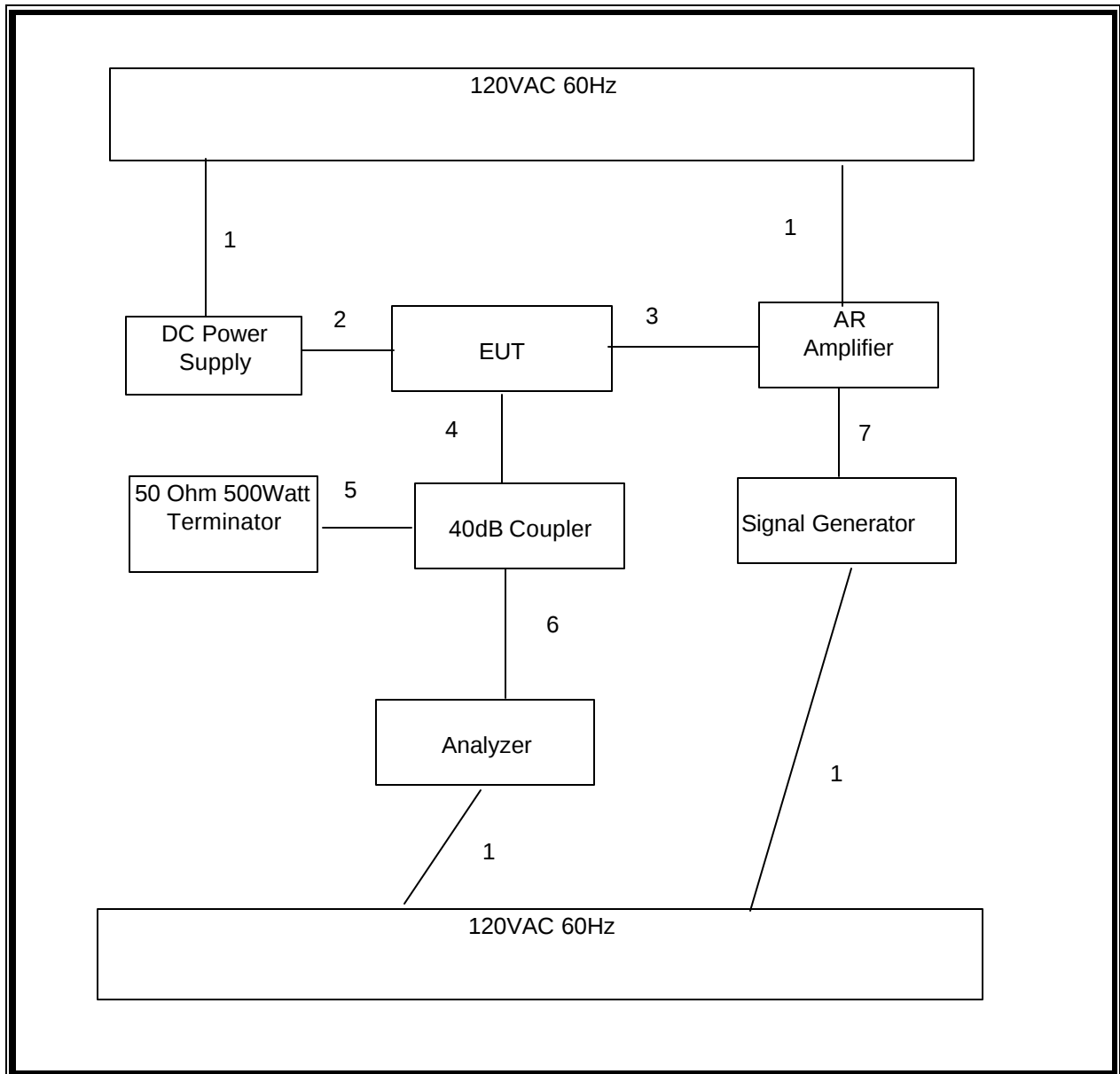
I/O CABLES

I/O CABLE LIST						
Cable No.	Port	# of Identical Ports	Connector Type	Cable Type	Cable Length	Remarks
1	AC	4	US 115V	Un-shielded	2m	N/A
2	DC	1	DC	Un-shielded	2m	N/A
3 -- 7	Input / Output	5	N-Connector	Shielded	1m	N/A

TEST SETUP

The EUT is a stand-alone device. The input was given by signal generator as the source modulations of CW and FM during the tests.

SETUP DIAGRAM FOR TESTS



6. TEST AND MEASUREMENT EQUIPMENT

The following test and measurement equipment was utilized for the tests documented in this report:

TEST EQUIPMENT LIST				
Description	Manufacturer	Model	Serial Number	Cal Due
Spectrum Analyzer 3 Hz ~ 44 GHz	Agilent	E4446A	US42510266	10/19/2006
Antenna, Bilog 30 MHz ~ 2 Ghz	Sunol Sciences	JB1	A121003	12/3/2006
EMI Receiver, 9 kHz ~ 2.9 GHz	HP	8542E	3942A00286	2/4/2007
RF Filter Section	HP	85420E	3705A00256	2/4/2007
Preamplifier, 1300 MHz	HP	8447D	1937A02062	1/23/2007
Antenna, Horn 1 ~ 18 GHz	EMCO	3115	6717	4/22/2007
Signal Generator, 1024 MHz	R & S	SMY01	839957/011	12/12/2007
Spectrum Analyzer, 26.5 GHz	HP	8593EM	3710A00205	7/26/06
Directional Coupler, 500W, 40 dB, 10 ~ 1000 MHz	Werlatone	C6021	8576	CNR

7. LIMITS AND RESULTS

7.1. OCCUPIED BANDWIDTH

LIMIT

None: for reporting purposes only.

TEST PROCEDURE

Measurements were made with the modulating signal at 2.5 KHz with 5 KHz of FM deviation. The transmitter output is connected to a spectrum analyzer. The RBW is set to 1% to 3% of the 26 dB bandwidth. The VBW is set to 3 times the RBW. The sweep time is coupled.

RESULTS

No non-compliance noted:

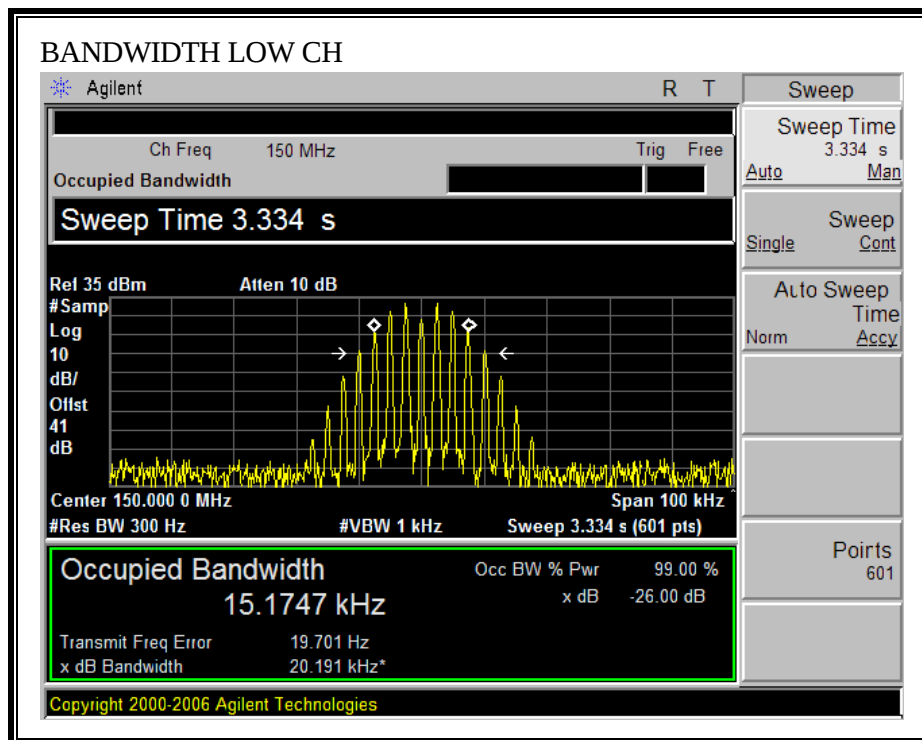
FM Modulation - Input

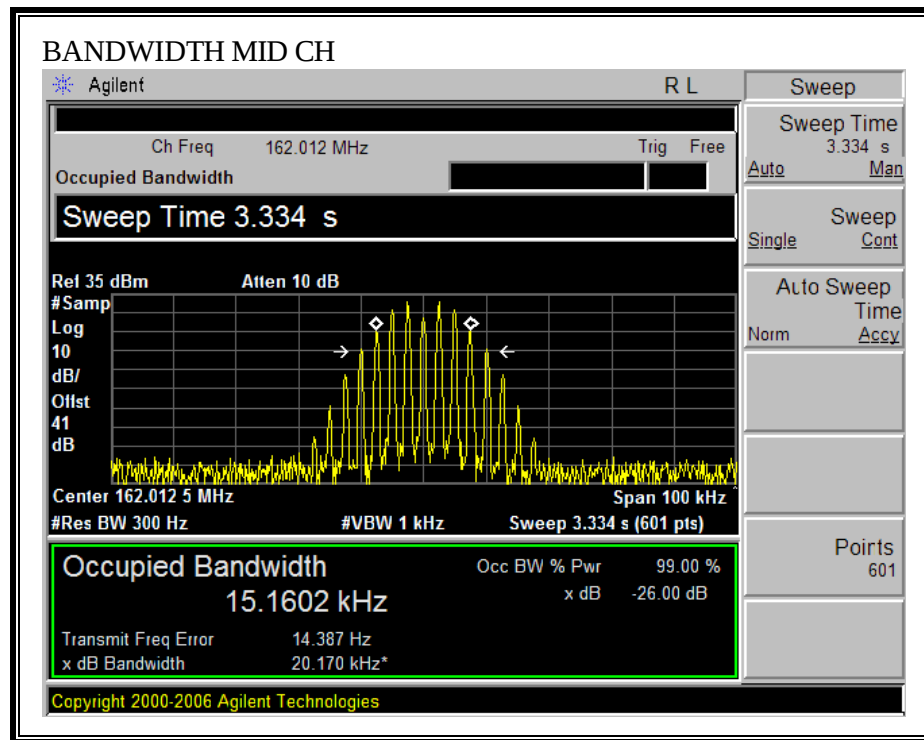
Channel	Frequency (MHz)	Bandwidth (KHz)
Low	150	20.191
Middle	162.0125	20.170
High	174	20.172

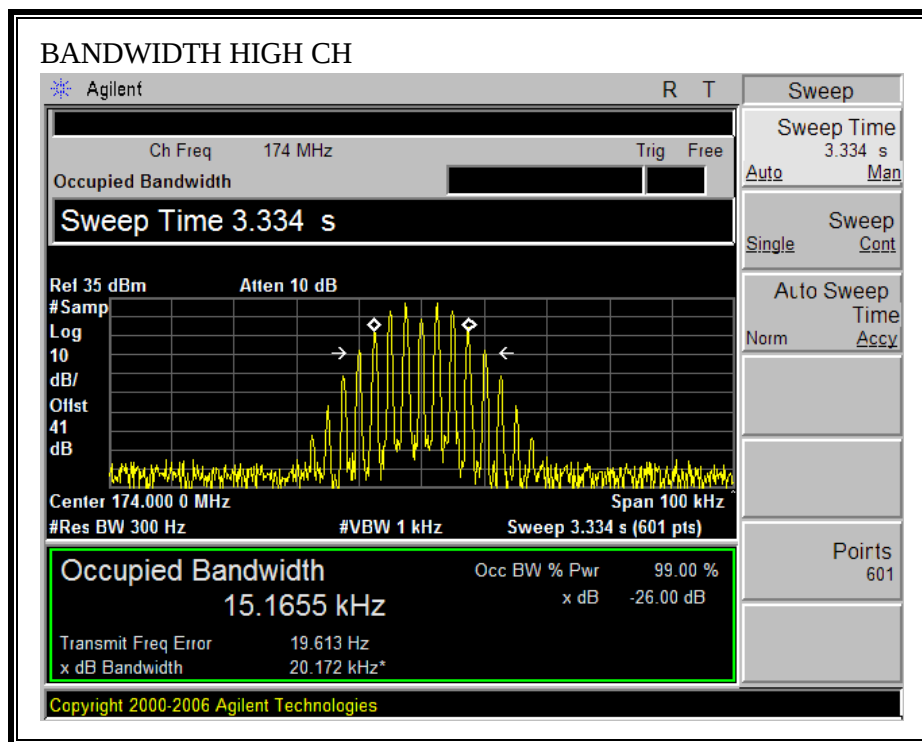
FM Modulation - Output

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Middle	162.0125	20.172
High	174	20.173

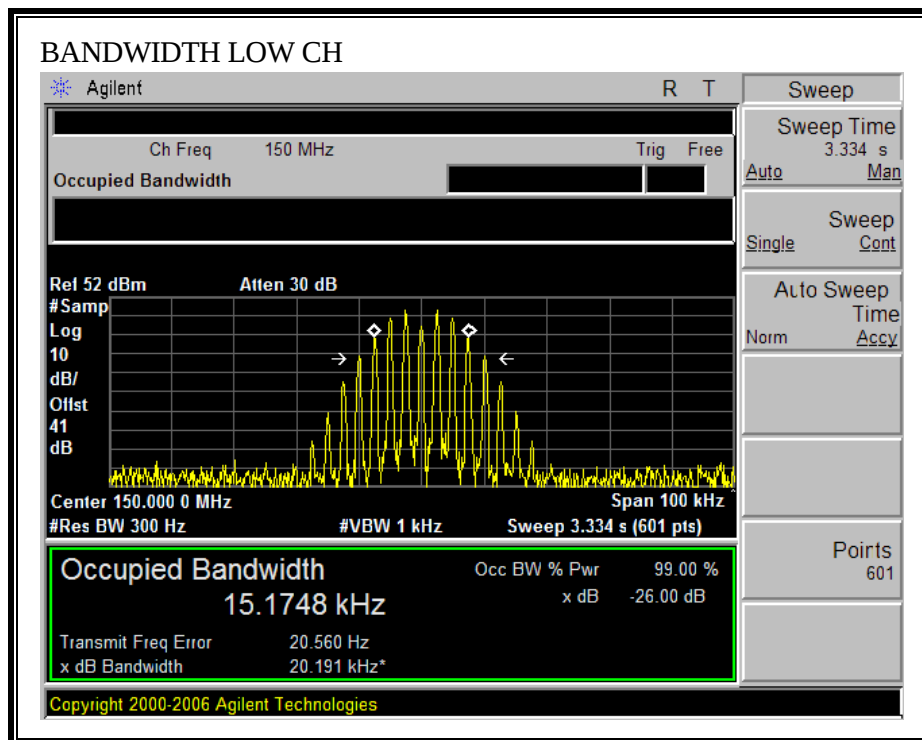
FM 26 dB BANDWIDTH - INPUT

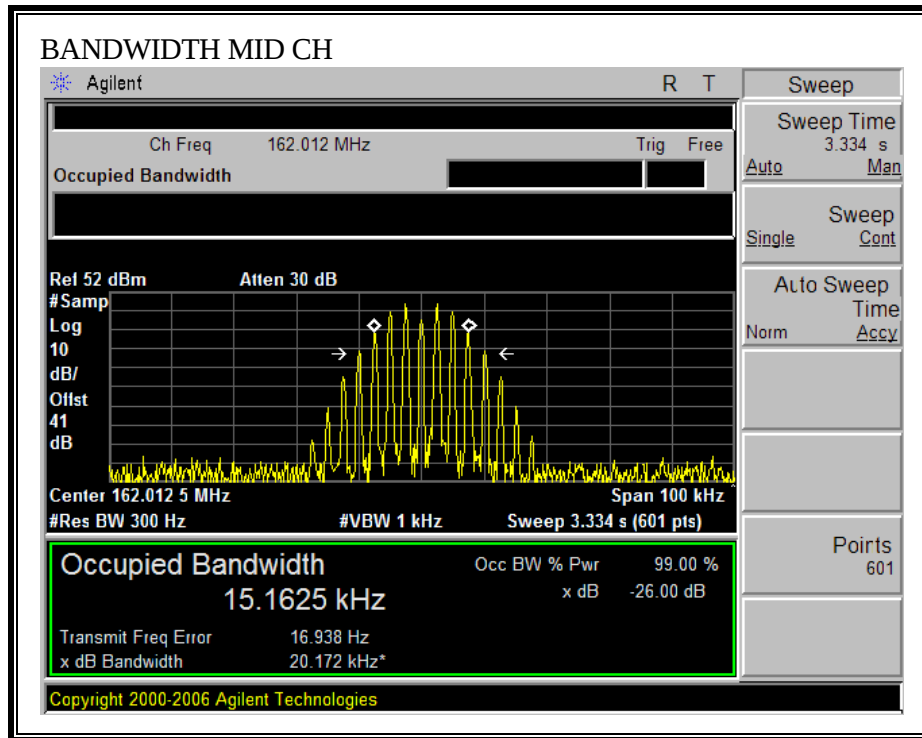


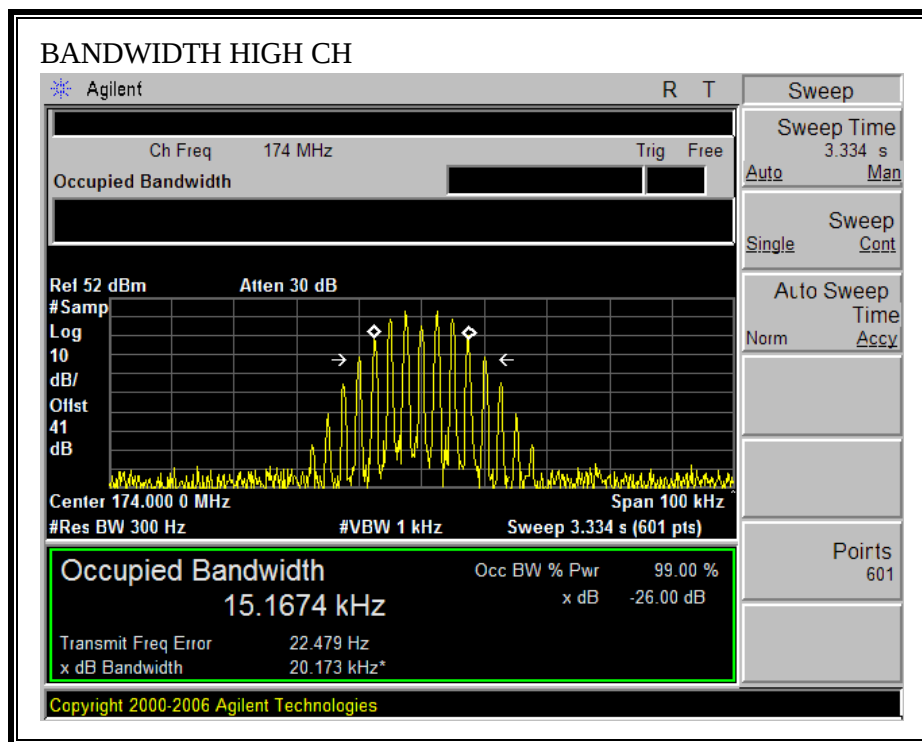




FM 26 dB BANDWIDTH -OUTPUT







7.2. FM EMISSION LIMITATION

LIMIT

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§22.359 & §90.210(c):

For transmitters that are not equipped with an audio low-pass filter, the power of any emission must be attenuated below the unmodulated carrier power (P) as follows:

- (1) On any frequency removed from the center of the authorized bandwidth by a displacement frequency (fd in kHz) of more than 5 kHz, but no more than 10 kHz: At least $83 \log (fd/5)$ dB;
- (2) On any frequency removed from the center of the authorized bandwidth by a displacement frequency (fd in kHz) of more than 10 kHz, but not more than 250 percent of the authorized bandwidth: At least $29 \log (fd/2/11)$ dB or 50 dB, whichever is the lesser attenuation;
- (3) On any frequency removed from the center of the authorized bandwidth by more than 250 percent of the authorized bandwidth: At least $43 + 10 \log (P)$ dB.

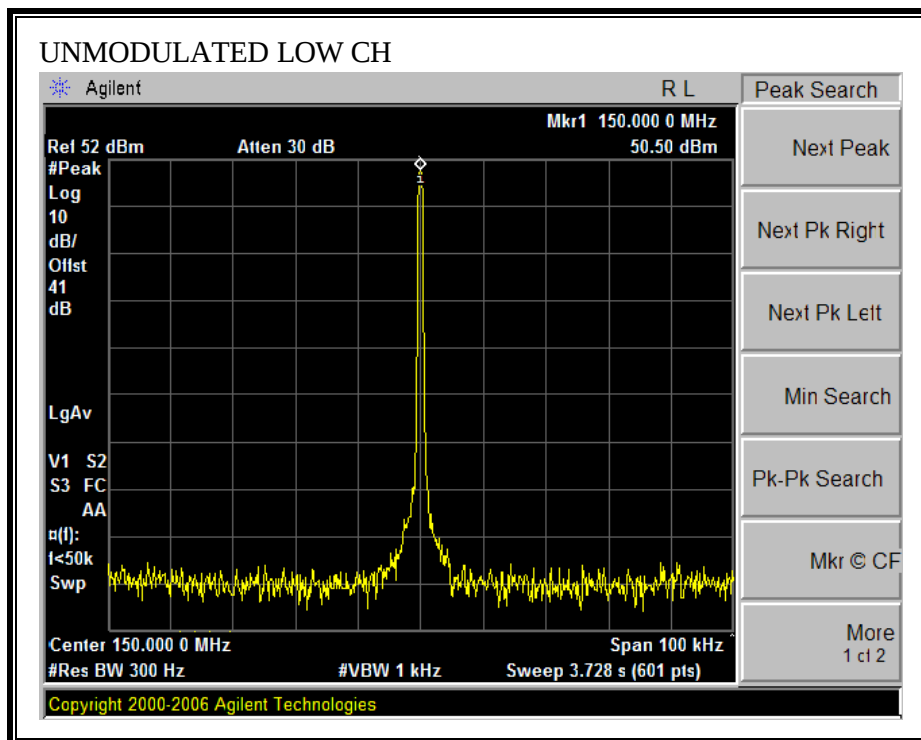
TEST PROCEDURE

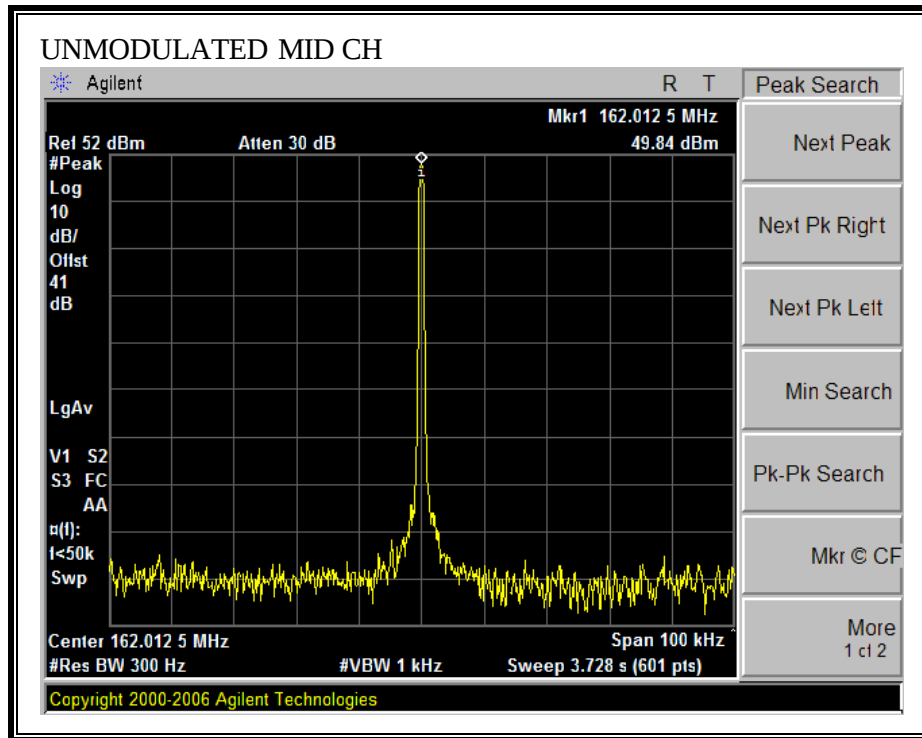
ANSI / TIA / EIA 603 Clause 3.2.11

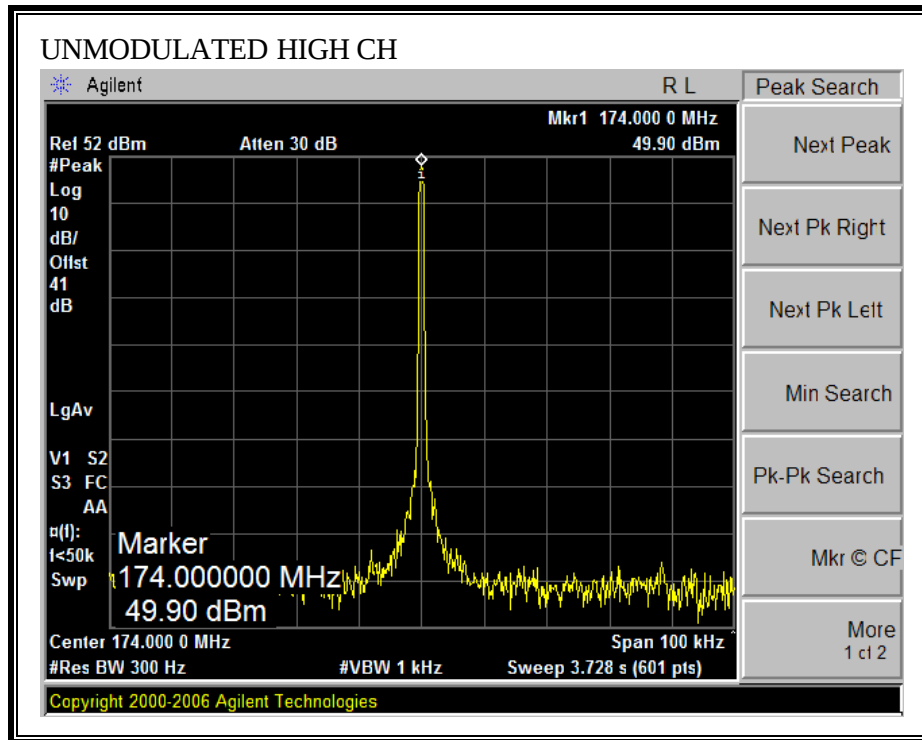
RESULTS

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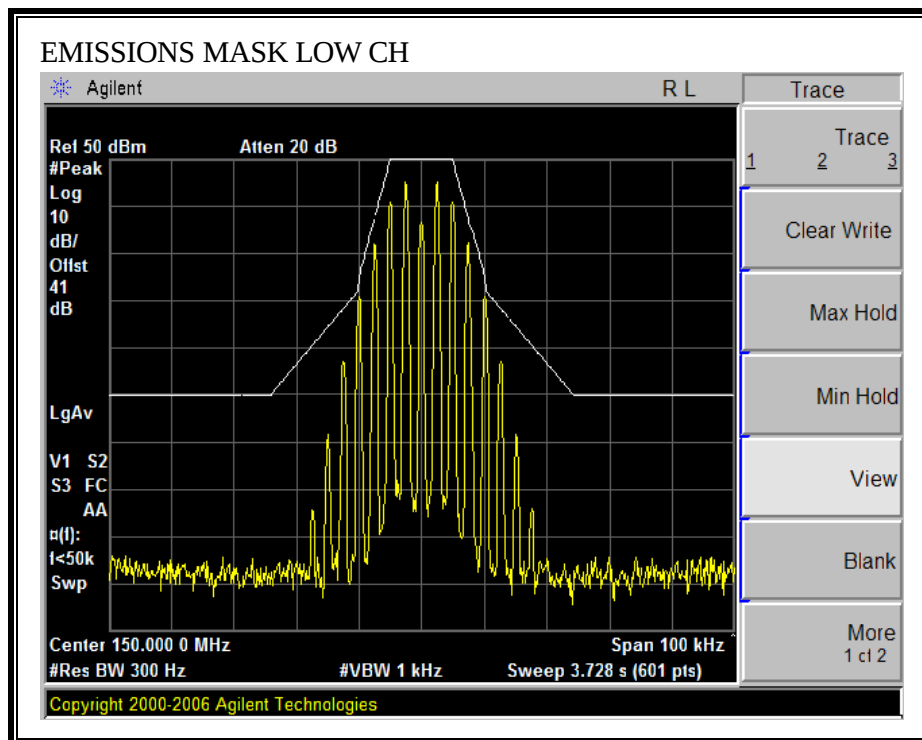
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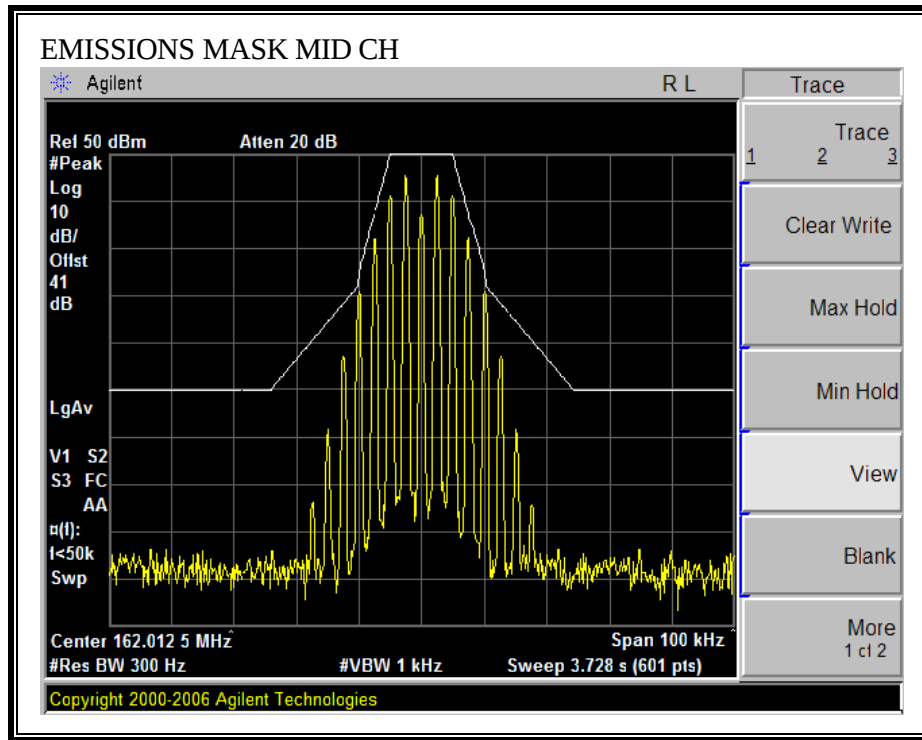


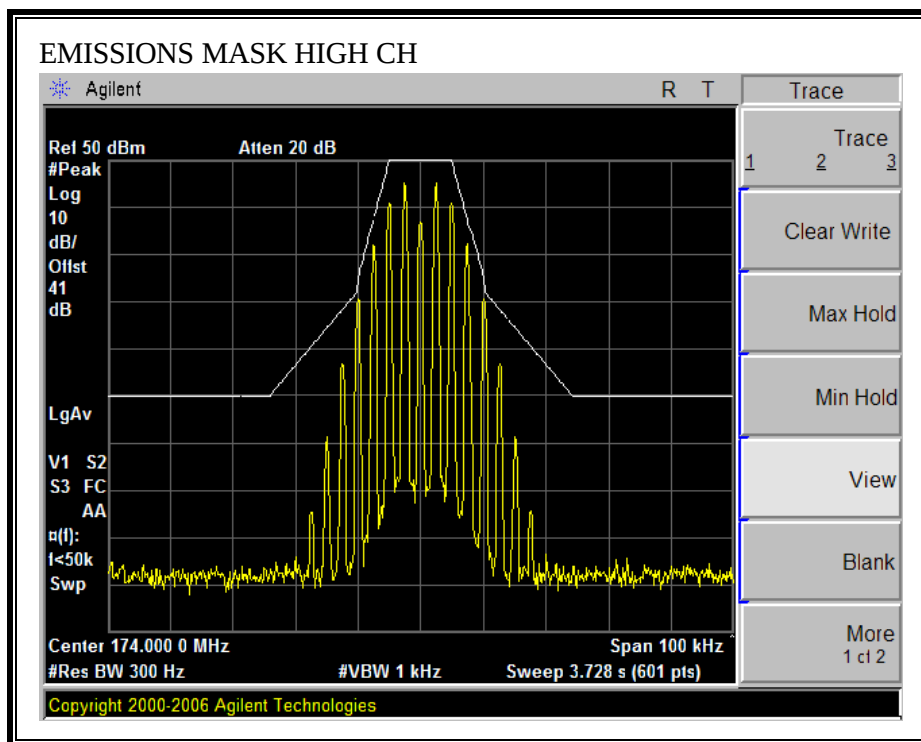




FM EMISSIONS MASK







7.3. MODULATION CHARACTERISTICS

Not Applicable. Due to this EUT is a power amplifier and has no Mix circuitry to modulate the RF signal.

7.4. RF POWER OUTPUT

LIMIT

§22.565(a): Frequency range 152 - 153MHz is 1400 Watts maximum (ERP), Frequency range 157 - 159MHz is 150 Watts maximum (ERP).

FCC part 90: The Maximum ERP transmitter power will be considered and authorized on a case-by-case basis. Please refer to the limitations on power and antenna heights are specified in §90.205, §90.279, and §90.309.

ST PROCEDURE

ANSI / TIA / EIA 603 Clause 3.2.1

RESULTS

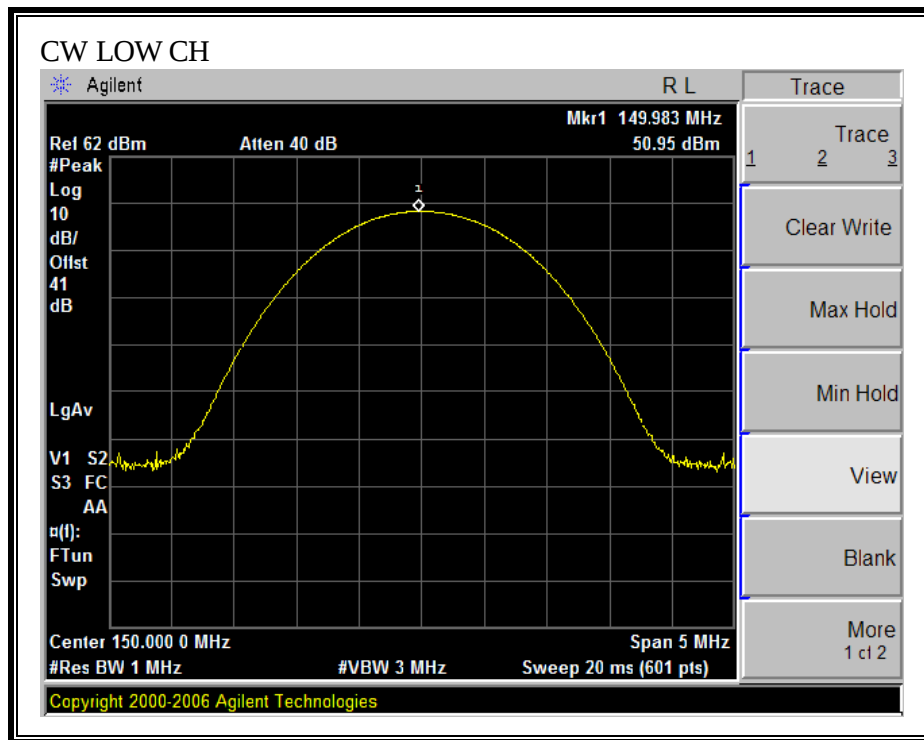
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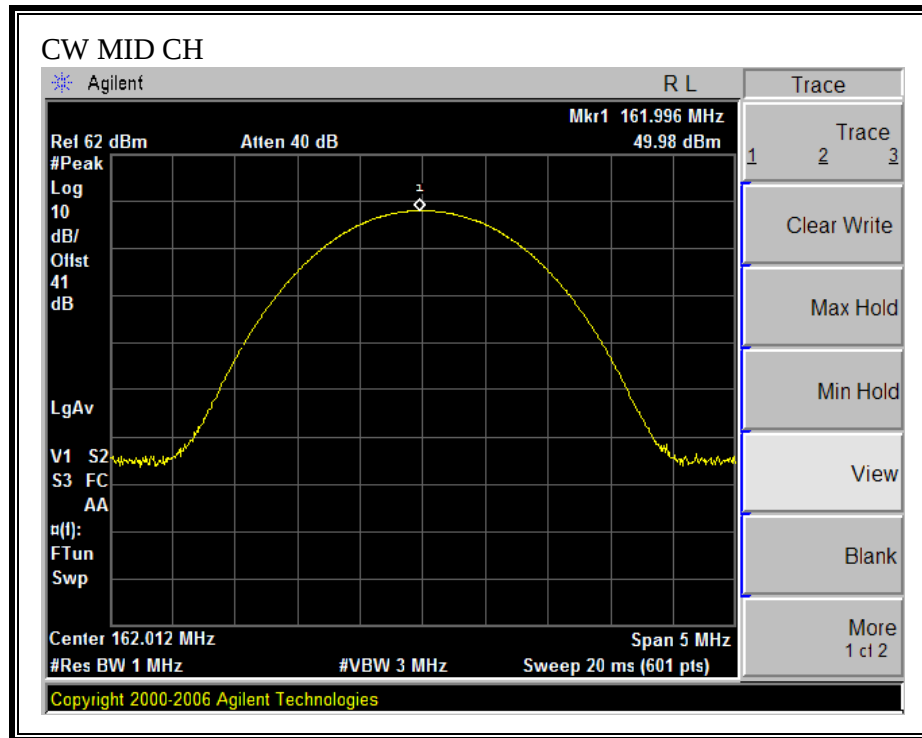
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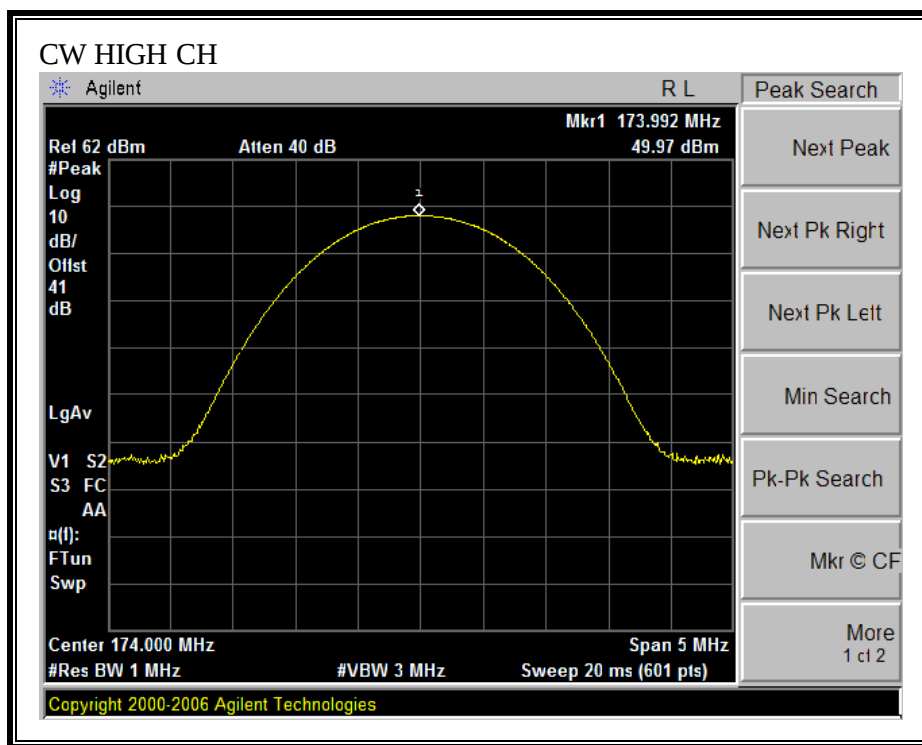
CW Output Power

Channel	Frequency (MHz)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (W)
Low	150	50.95	124.45
Mid	162.0125	49.98	99.54
High	174	49.97	99.31

Conducted Output Power







7.5. VOLTAGE STABILITY

LIMIT

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TEST PROCEDURE

ANSI / TIA / EIA 603 Clause 3.2.1

Conducted Output Power vs Voltage

CW Output Power vs Voltage

Channel Frequency (MHz)	Output Power at DC Normal Voltage 13.8		Output Power at 85% Voltage 11.73		Output Power at 115% Voltage 15.87	
	dBm	Watt	dBm	Watt	dBm	Watt
150	50.95	124.45	49.53	89.74	51.25	133.35
162.0125	49.98	99.54	49.07	80.72	51.03	126.77
174	49.97	99.31	48.62	72.78	50.92	123.59

7.6. SPURIOUS EMISSION AT ANTENNA TERMINAL

LIMIT

§22.861 and §90.210 Out of band emissions, The power of any emission outside of the authorized operating frequency ranges must be attenuated below the transmitting power (P) by a factor of at least $43 + 10 \log (P)$ dB

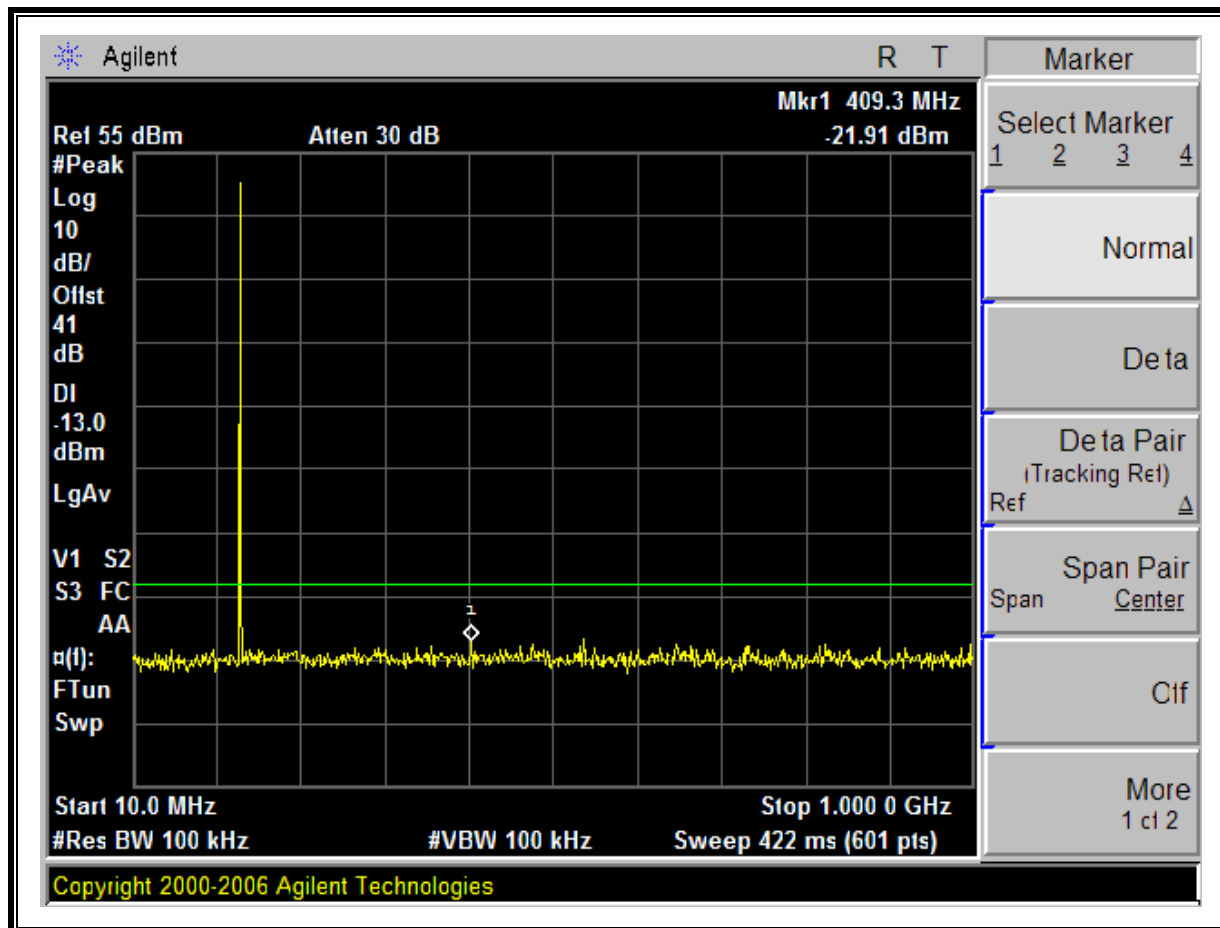
TEST PROCEDURE

ANSI / TIA / EIA 603 Clause 3.2.13, FCC 22.861, & FCC 90.210

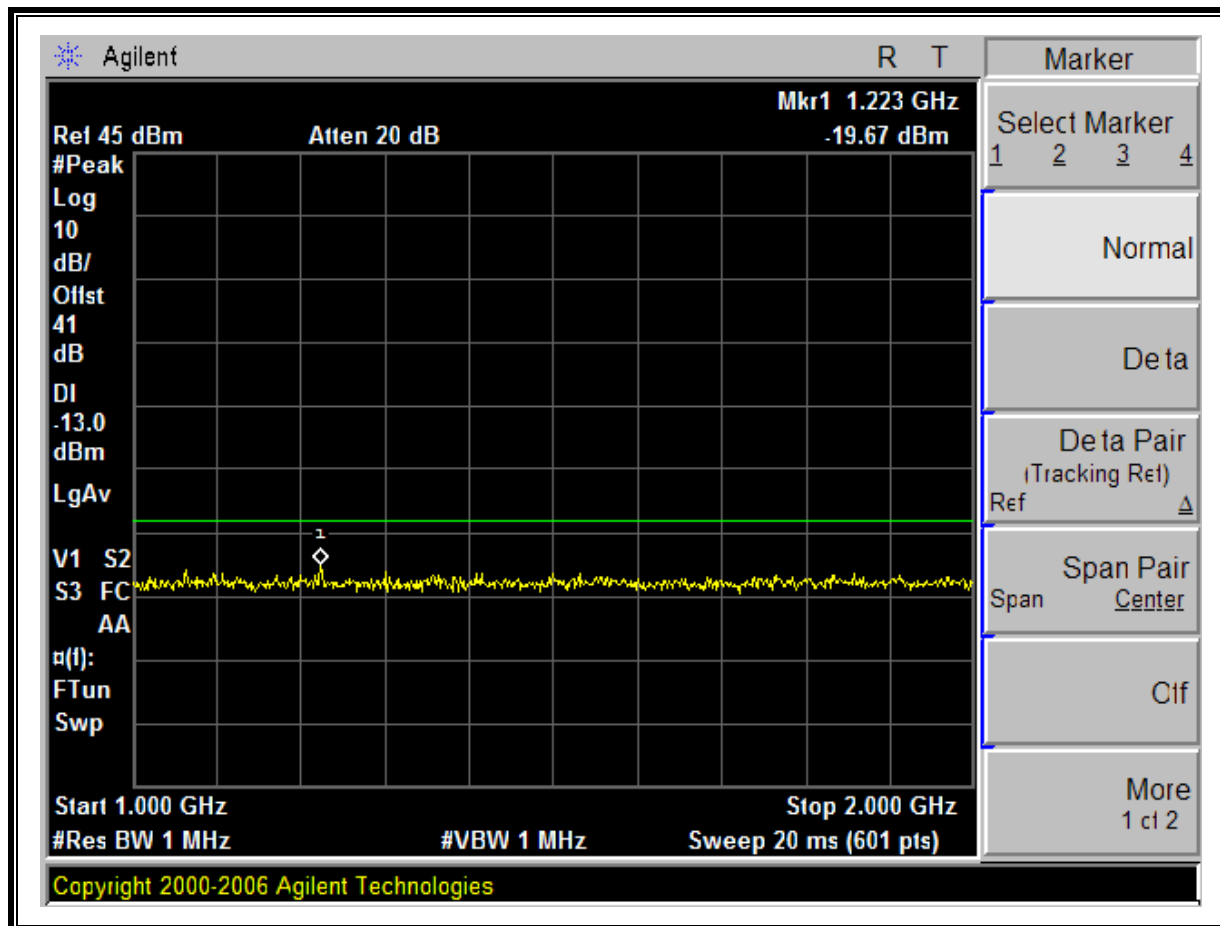
RESULTS

No non-compliance noted.

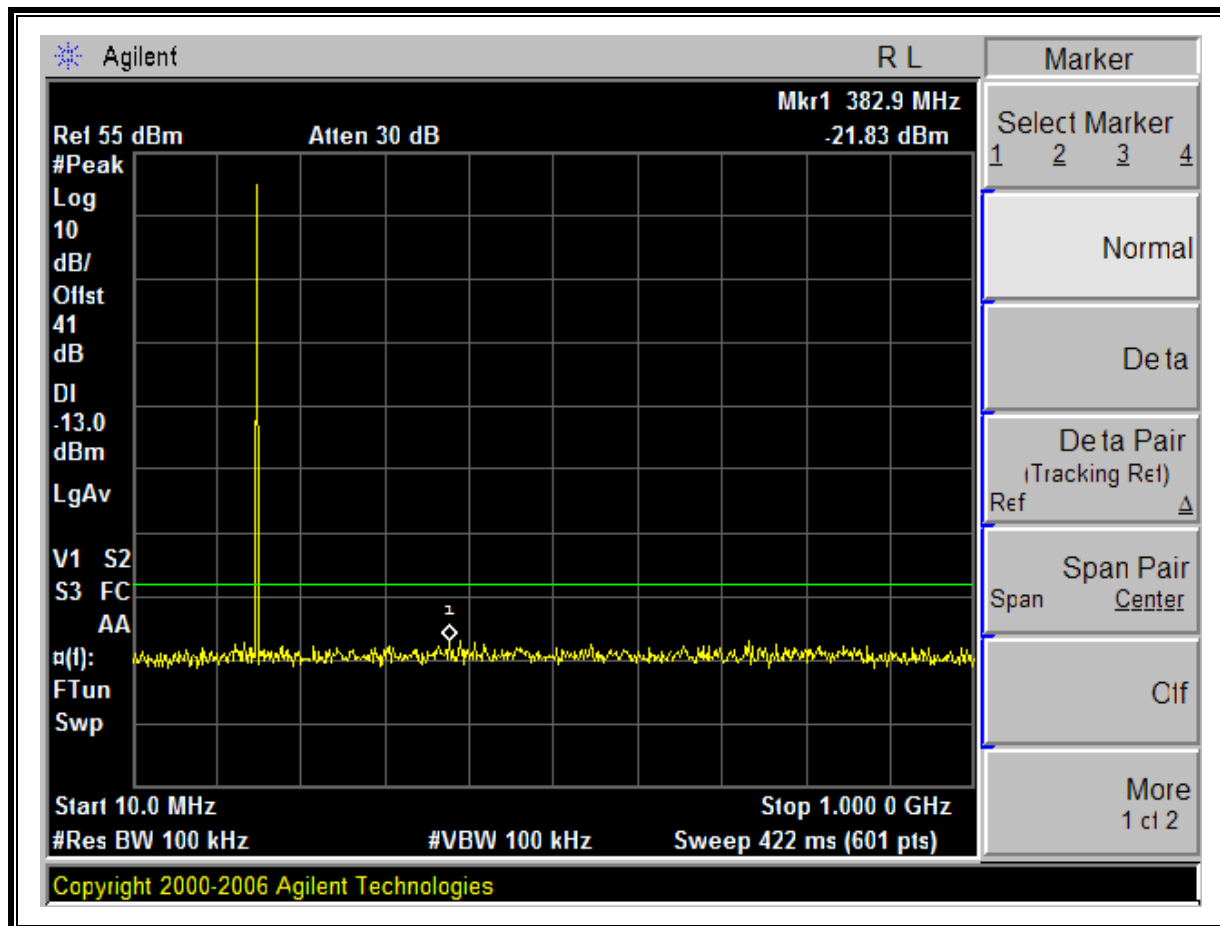
Low Channel, 10MHz to 1000MHz



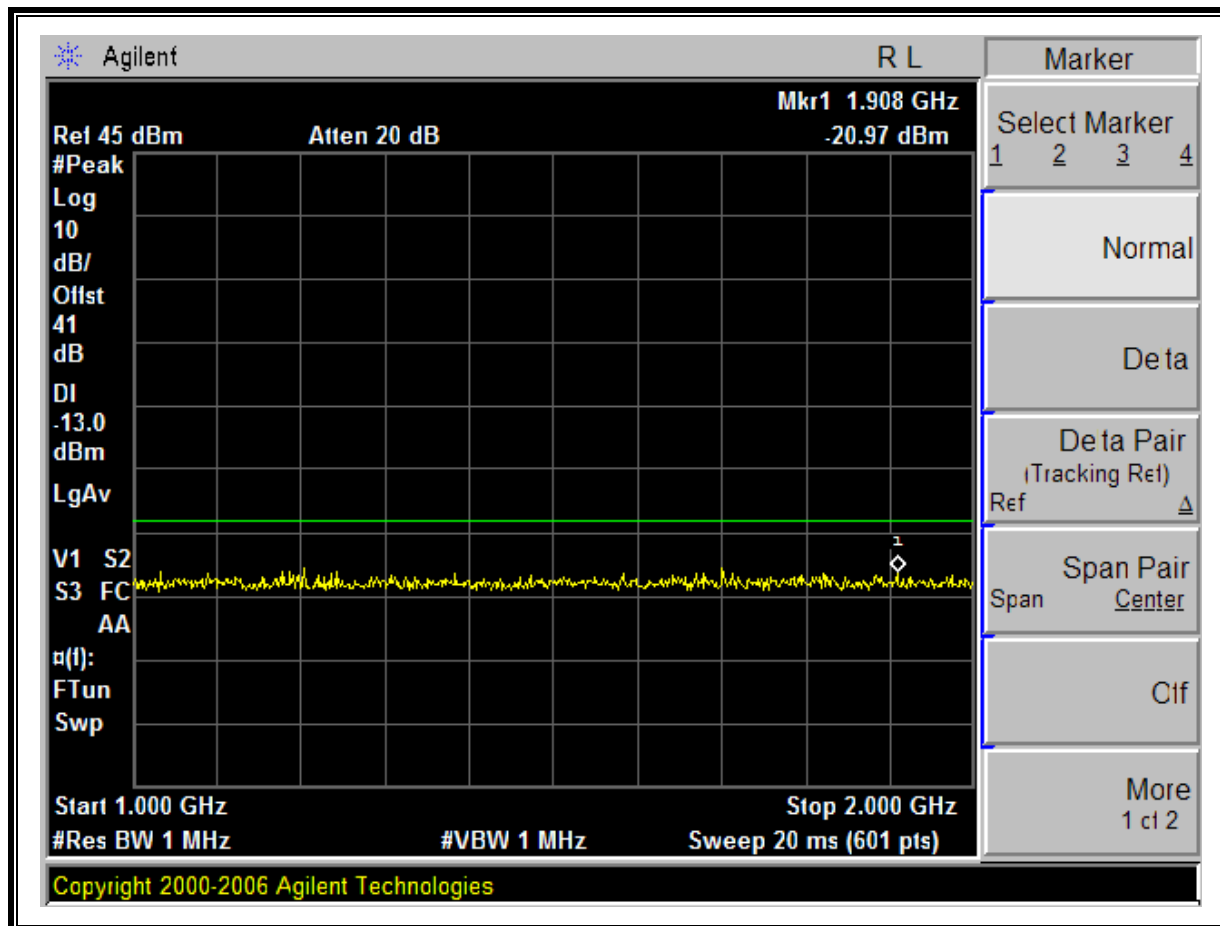
Low Channel, 1000MHz to 2000MHz



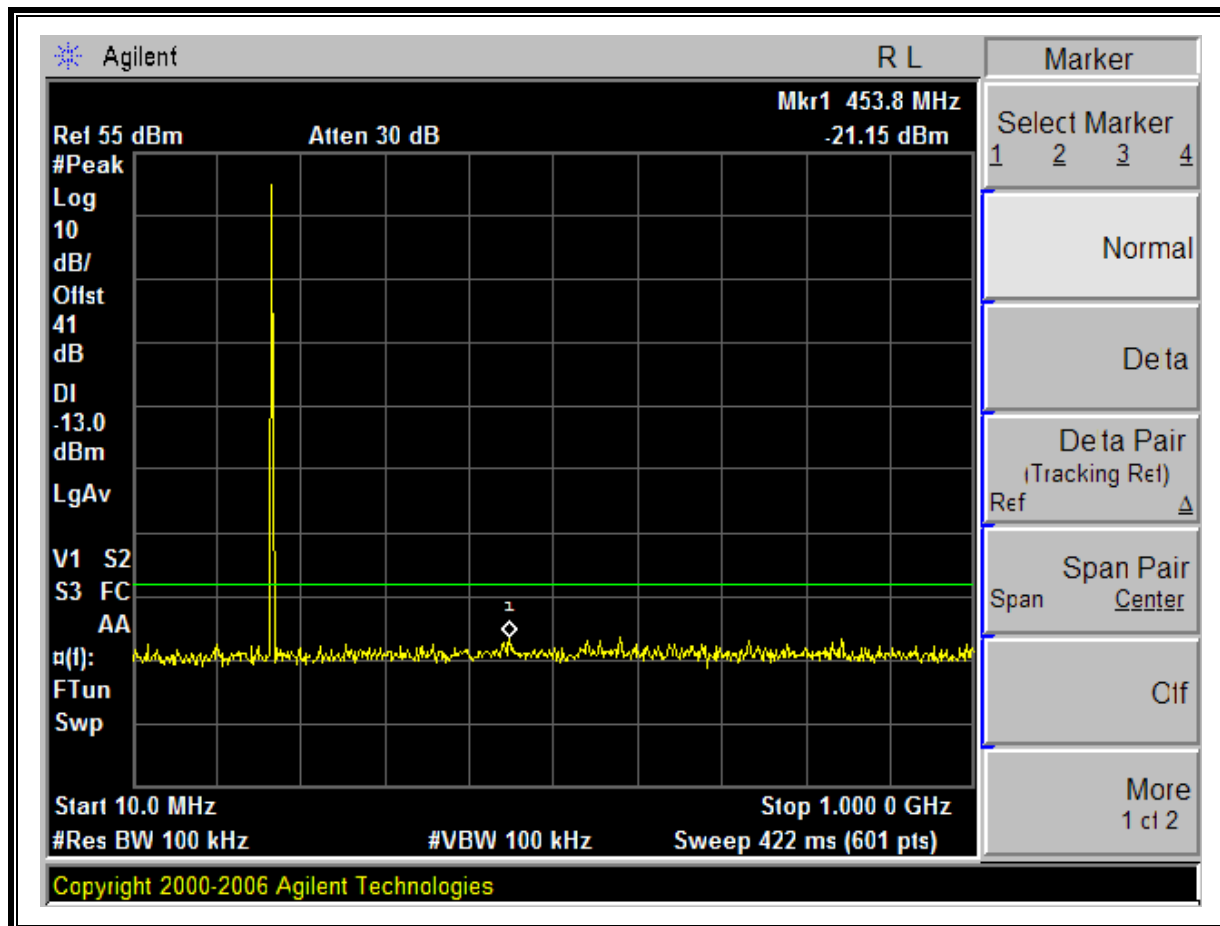
Mid Channel, 10MHz to 1000MHz



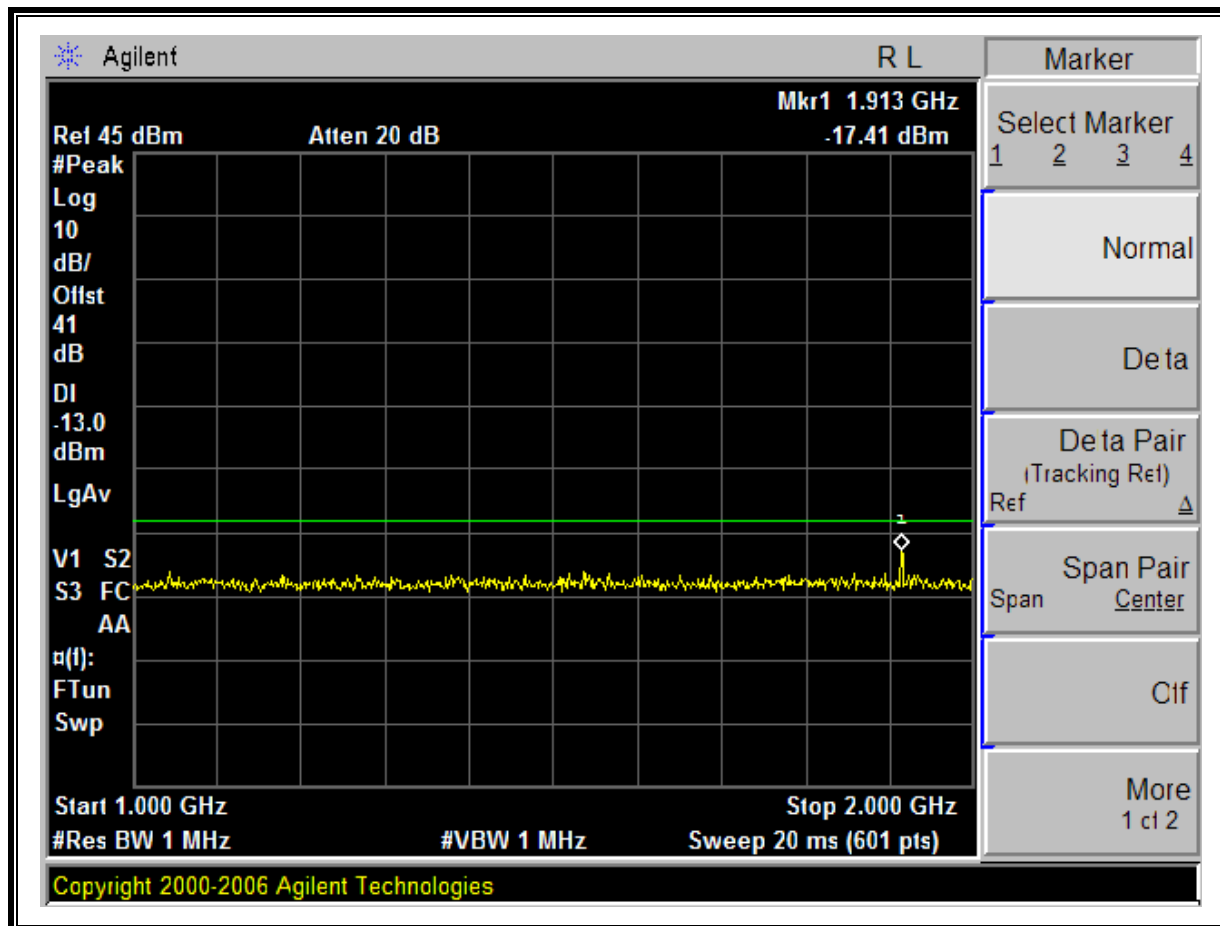
Mid Channel, 1000MHz to 2000MHz



High Channel, 10MHz to 1000MHz



High Channel, 1000MHz to 2000MHz



7.7. FIELD STRENGTH OF SPURIOUS RADIATION

LIMIT

22.861 and §90.210 Out of band emissions, The power of any emission outside of the authorized operating frequency ranges must be attenuated below the transmitting power (P) by a factor of at least $43 + 10 \log (P)$ dB.

TEST PROCEDURE

ANSI / TIA / EIA 603 Clause 3.2.13, FCC 22.861, & FCC 90.210

RESULTS

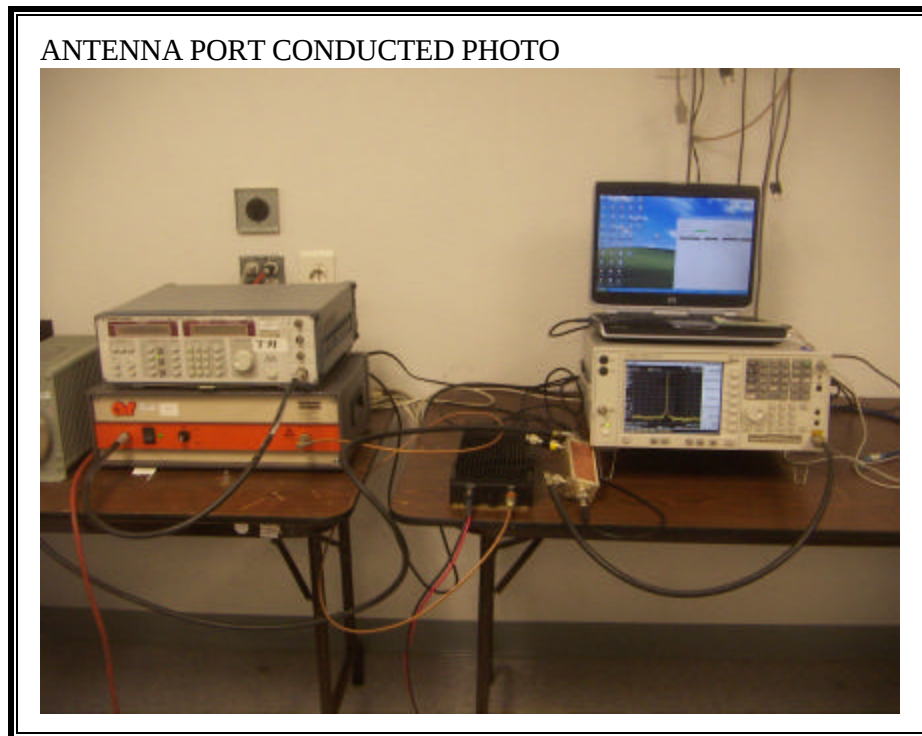
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7.7.1. 30MHz TO 1000MHz SPURIOUS RADIATION

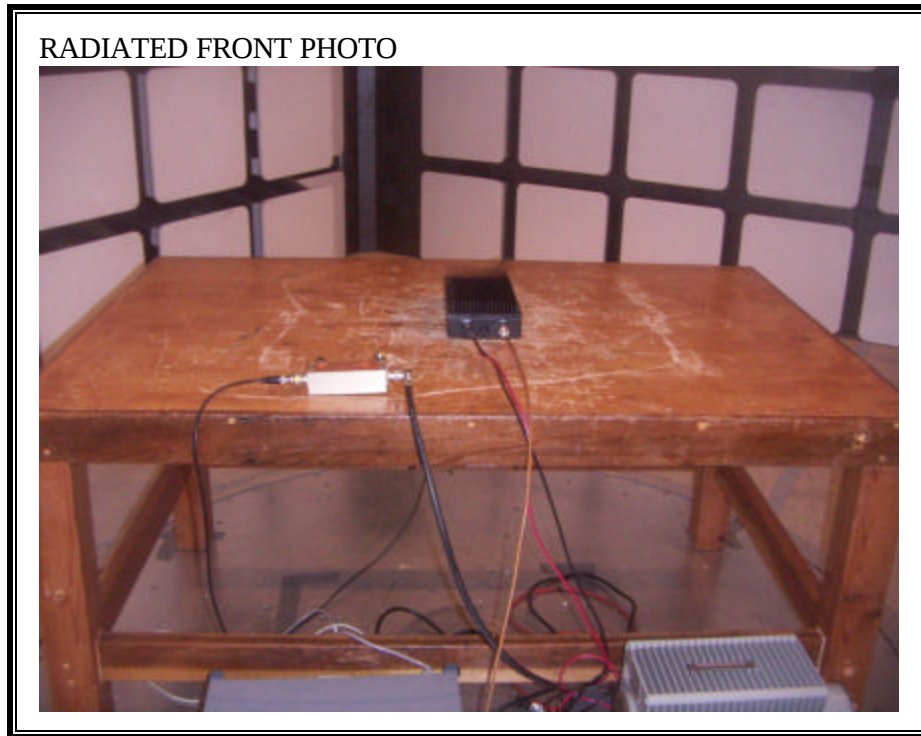
07/19/06 30 - 1000MHz Substitution Measurement										
Compliance Certification Services, Morgan Hill 5m Chamber Site										
Test Engr: Chin Pang Project #: 06U10416 Company: TPL Communications EUT Descr.: RF Power Amplifier EUT M/N: PA3-1AE Test Target: Part 22 and 90 Mode Oper: TX with 50 Ohm Load										
Test Equipment:										
Bilog Antenna		Cable		Pre-amplifier 8447D		Limit				
5m Chamber Sunol Bilog		5m Chamber Cable		T5 8447D		ERP				
f MHz	SA reading (dBuV/m)	Ant. Pol. (H/V)	SG reading (dBm)	CL (dB)	Gain (dBi)	Gain (dBd)	ERP (dBm)	Limit (dBm)	Margin (dB)	Notes
Low Ch, 150MHz										
88.20	42.0	V	-68.9	1.3	-0.3	-2.4	-72.6	-13.0	-59.6	
163.40	45.0	V	-64.7	1.6	1.6	-0.6	-66.9	-13.0	-53.9	
937.00	40.0	V	-56.9	3.7	6.8	4.7	-55.9	-13.0	-42.9	
88.20	40.0	H	-73.9	1.3	-0.3	-2.4	-77.6	-13.0	-64.6	
161.00	43.5	H	-65.4	1.6	1.4	-0.8	-67.8	-13.0	-54.8	
925.00	37.0	H	-60.3	3.7	6.8	4.7	-59.3	-13.0	-46.3	
Mid Ch, 162.0125MHz										
85.00	43.5	V	-67.7	1.2	-0.4	-2.5	-71.4	-13.0	-58.4	
216.70	38.6	V	-71.6	1.9	5.8	3.6	-69.9	-13.0	-56.9	
941.80	36.6	V	-60.3	3.7	6.8	4.7	-59.3	-13.0	-46.3	
85.80	40.6	H	-73.6	1.2	-0.4	-2.5	-77.3	-13.0	-64.3	
161.00	42.0	H	-66.9	1.6	1.4	-0.8	-69.3	-13.0	-56.3	
956.00	35.0	H	-61.9	3.7	6.9	4.7	-60.9	-13.0	-47.9	
High, 174MHz Ch										
165.00	45.0	V	-64.8	1.6	1.7	-0.4	-66.8	-13.0	-53.8	
565.00	40.0	V	-62.6	2.8	6.7	4.5	-61.0	-13.0	-48.0	
893.00	38.0	V	-59.3	3.6	6.7	4.6	-58.3	-13.0	-45.3	
88.20	43.0	H	-70.9	1.3	-0.3	-2.4	-74.6	-13.0	-61.6	
243.00	43.8	H	-65.6	1.9	6.0	3.9	-63.7	-13.0	-50.7	
953.00	36.0	H	-60.9	3.7	6.9	4.7	-59.9	-13.0	-46.9	
Note: No other emissions were detected above the system noise floor up to 2GHz.										

8. SETUP PHOTOS

ANTENNA PORT CONDUCTED RF MEASUREMENT SETUP



RADIATED RF MEASUREMENT SETUP



RADIATED BACK PHOTO



END OF REPORT