

1.0 Introduction

This application for Permissive change is submitted based on modifications to the original product certified under FCC ID: HDCTRACER2T1.

Modifications are being made to the device enclosure and the filter section of the transmitter.

The attached data measured at Intertek Testing Services indicates that the emissions performance is as good or better than those obtained for the original filing.

2.0 Product Modifications

The following modifications were made to the transmitter section of the EUT.

The enclosure was modified. The enclosure maintains the same overall appearance of the original rack mount enclosure. Small modifications were made to the overall width to allow the device to accommodate various rack mount situations. The internal RF unit is contained in a sealed, milled aluminum housings that did not change.

The modifications to the RF filter section are as follows. The Circulator (Adtran PN 3216S245CCW) and Filter section (Adtran PN 321624212462) have been replaced with a Diplexer (Adtran PN 3354DIPLEX02A). The removal of the filter/circulator and replacement with a diplexer with additional poles improved the overall system performance reduced emissions even further in the FCC restricted bands.

3.0 Emissions Data

Conducted Spurious Emissions and Radiated Spurious emissions are provided in the attached plots. For Radiated Emissions data, the EUT was configured with a typical radiating antenna. Measurements in the restricted band were performed using a bandpass filter installed on the input of the measurement receiver to improve sensitivity and reduce overload conditions.

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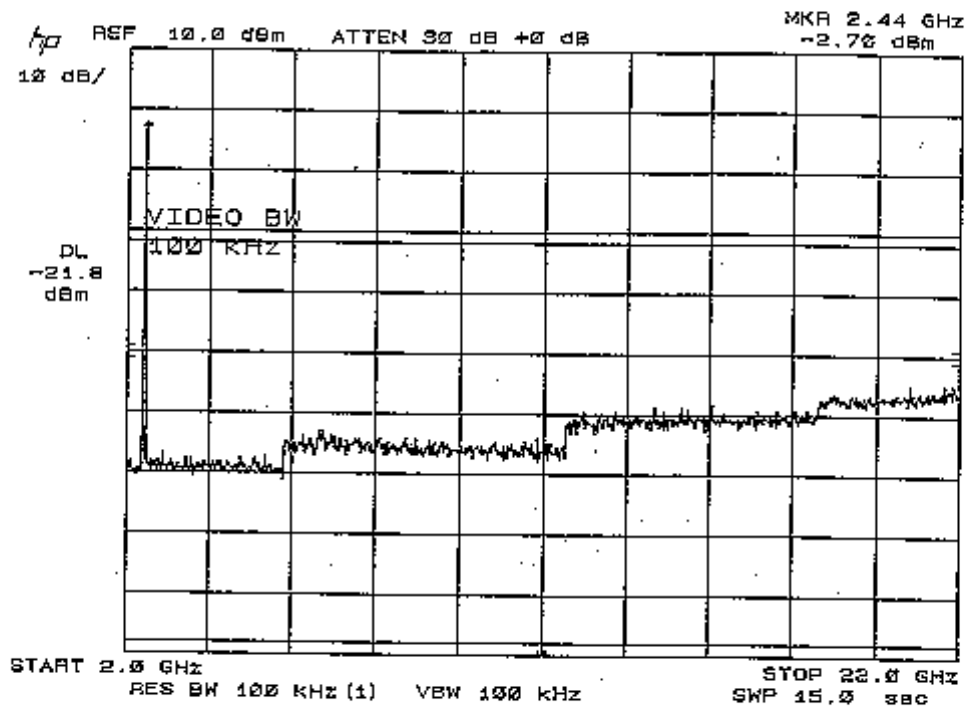


Figure 3.5 - 1: Conducted Spurious - Frequency Plan A

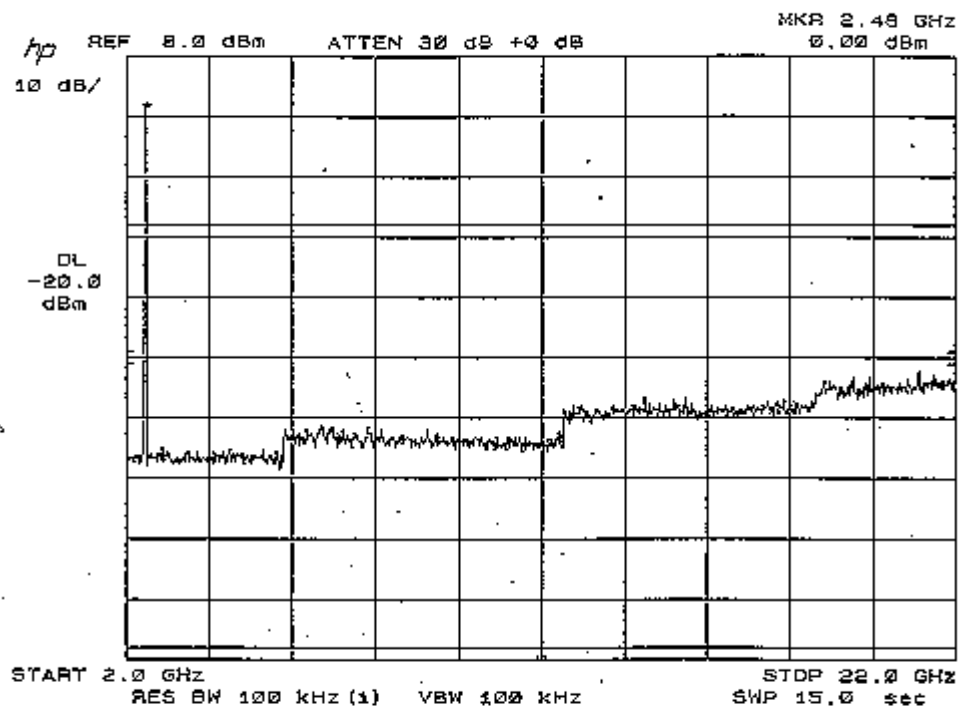


Figure 3.5 - 2: Conducted Spurious - Frequency Plan B

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Semi Parabolic Reflector Antenna: Radiated Emission Test per

The data shown below lists the significant emission frequencies, the limit and the margin of compliance. Numbers with a minus sign are below the limit.

The antenna used during this test was a Conifer 26T-2400 with 23 dBi of gain. This was the highest gain of listed antennas of this type.

Table 3.5 - 2: Radiated Spurious Emissions, 1000 - 22000 MHz

Company: Adtran Inc.
Model: 4280TRACERT1L1

Date: 03/17/98
Tested by: Jeffrey D. Hiday
Test Distance: 3
Job Number: J96C02908

Notes: Initial Results

Standard: FCC Part 15
Class B

Antenna Polarity	Frequency (MHz)	Reading (dBuV)	Antenna Factor (dB)	Cable Loss (dB)	Pre-amp Factor (dB)	External Attn (dB)	Net (dBuV/m)	Limit (dBuV/m)	Margin (dB)
h	7246.4	42.0	38.5	4.7	36.3	3.0	49.9	54.0	-4.1
v	7244.0	35.8	38.5	4.7	36.3	3.0	44.7	54.0	-9.3

Note: There were no other emissions detected within 10 dB of the limit.

TEST PERSONNEL:


Tester Signature

Jeffrey D. Hiday / Project Engineer
Typed/Printed Name

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Date

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Table 3.5 - 3: Radiated Emissions (Frequency Plan A), 30 - 1000 MHz

Company: Adtran Inc. Date: 02/19/98
 Model: 4280 Tracer Mast Mount (Transmit Section) Tested by: Jeffrey D. Hiday
 Plan A Test Distance: 10
 Notes: Conifer 3' Semi-Parabolic Job Number: JB8002308

Standard: FCC Part 15
 Class A

Antenna Polarity	Frequency (MHz)	Reading (dBuV)	Antenna Factor (dB)	Cable Loss (dB)	Pre-amp Factor (dB)	Distance Factor (dB)	Net (dBuV/m)	Limit (dBuV/m)	Margin (dB)
V	70.024	26.0	6.2	2.6	16.7	0.0	18.9	39.1	-21.1
H	100.822	19.7	10.2	3.0	16.8	0.0	16.1	43.5	-27.4
V	100.858	25.4	10.6	3.0	16.8	0.0	22.2	43.5	-21.3
V	140.045	26.8	12.0	3.6	16.5	0.0	25.8	43.5	-17.6
H	178.518	27.5	9.9	4.1	16.5	0.0	25.0	43.5	-18.5
V	210.058	28.4	10.7	4.4	16.6	0.0	26.3	43.5	-16.6

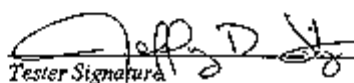
Table 3.5 - 4: Radiated Emissions (Frequency Plan B), 30 - 1000 MHz

Company: Adtran Inc. Date: 02/20/98
 Model: 4280 Tracer Mast Mount (Transmit Section) Tested by: Jim McDonald
 Plan B Test Distance: 10
 Notes: Conifer 3' Semi-Parabolic Job Number: JB8002309

Standard: FCC Part 15
 Class A

Antenna Polarity	Frequency (MHz)	Reading (dBuV)	Antenna Factor (dB)	Cable Loss (dB)	Pre-amp Factor (dB)	Distance Factor (dB)	Net (dBuV/m)	Limit (dBuV/m)	Margin (dB)
H	70.024	27.6	6.2	2.6	16.7	0.0	19.6	39.1	-19.5
H	100.822	27.0	10.2	3.0	16.8	0.0	23.8	43.5	-19.7
V	140.045	28.6	12.0	3.6	16.5	0.0	22.7	43.5	-20.8
V	178.518	22.5	9.9	4.1	16.5	0.0	20.0	43.5	-23.5
V	210.058	35.6	10.7	4.4	16.6	0.0	34.1	43.5	-9.4

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 Tester Signature

Jeffrey D. Hiday / Project Engineer
 Typed/Printed Name

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 Date

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Semi Parabolic Reflector Antenna: Conifer 3' Semi-Parabolic Plots

- The following plot contains the peak radiated output of the Conifer 3' Semi-Parabolic dish antenna (Model Number: 26T-2400). This antenna has a 23 dBi gain. The plot shows average carrier data for the antenna in horizontal polarization. No pre-amplifier and no external attenuation were used for this plot. The measuring systems losses were 32.4 dB.

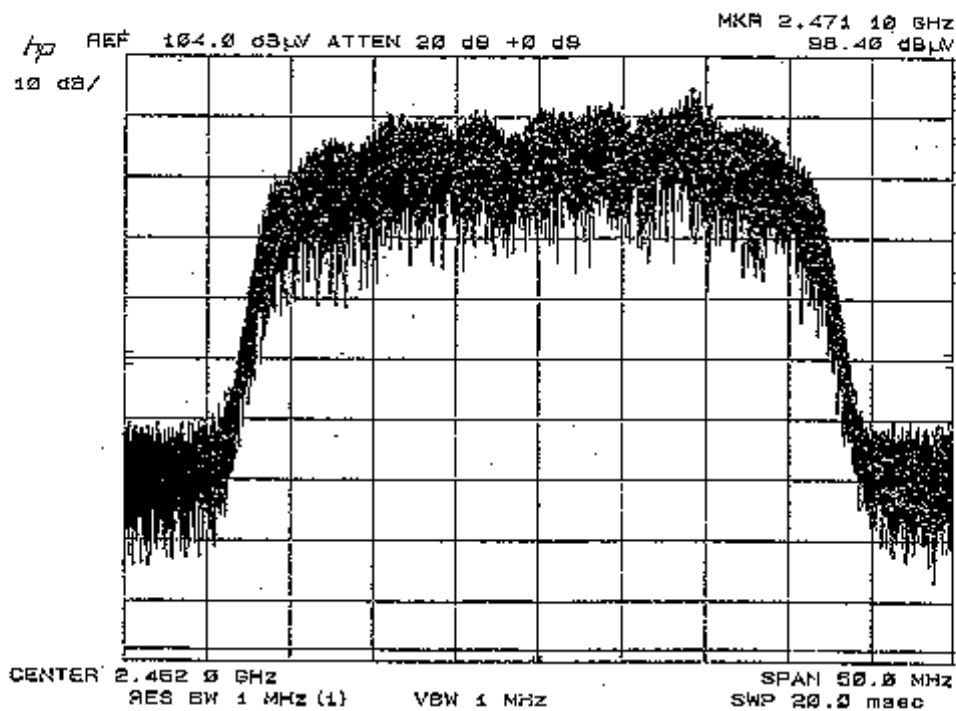


Figure 3.5 - 3: Conifer 3' Semi-Parabolic (26T-2400) 23 dBi - Peak Plot

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Semi Parabolic Reflector Antenna: Conifer 3' Semi-Parabolic Plots

The following plot contains the average radiated output of the Conifer 3' Semi-Parabolic dish antenna (Model Number: 26T-2400). This antenna has a 23 dBi gain. The plot shows peak carrier data for the antenna in horizontal polarization. No pre-amplifier and no external attenuation were used for this plot. The measuring systems losses were 32.4 dB.

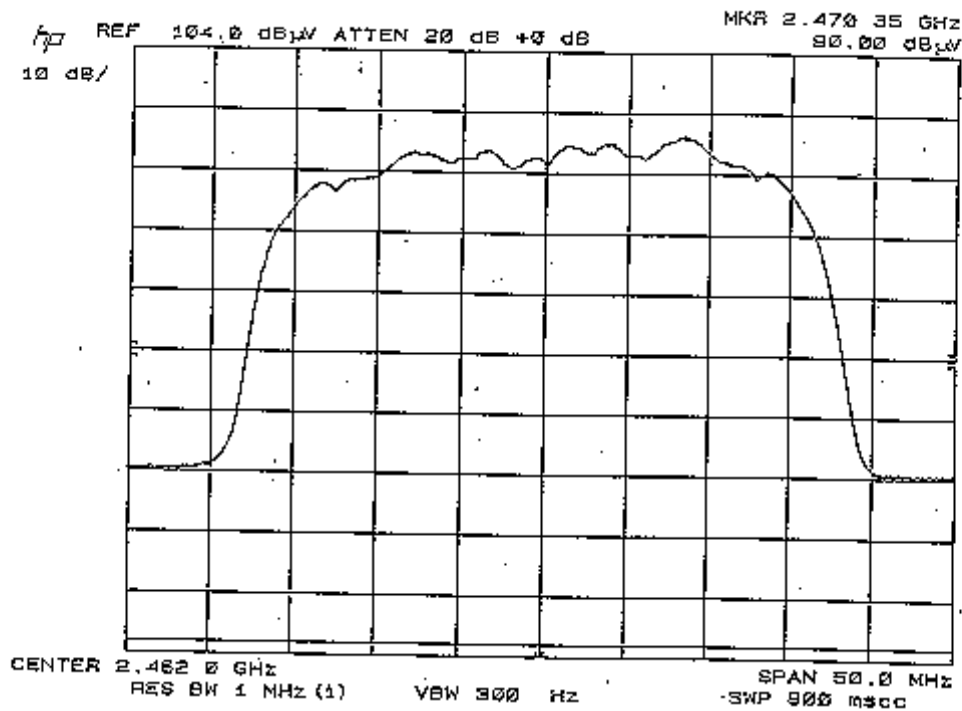


Figure 3.5 - 4: Conifer 3' Semi-Parabolic (26T-2400) 23 dBi - Average Plot

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Semi Parabolic Reflector Antenna: Conifer 3' Semi-Parabolic Plots

The following two plots show the horizontal and vertical emissions of the EUT within the restricted band 2.4835 – 2.5 GHz. The EUT was set for frequency plan A. The analyzer was set for average detection. A bandpass filter was used to pass 2.48 – 2.6 GHz allowing the measurements to be made without overloading the analyzer. The insertion loss of this filter is approximately 3 dB. The antenna factor in the restricted band is approximately 30 dB/m. The cable loss in this band is approximately 2 dB. The pre-amplifier factor in this band is approximately 37 dB. This yields a margin of approximately 11 dB throughout this restricted band.

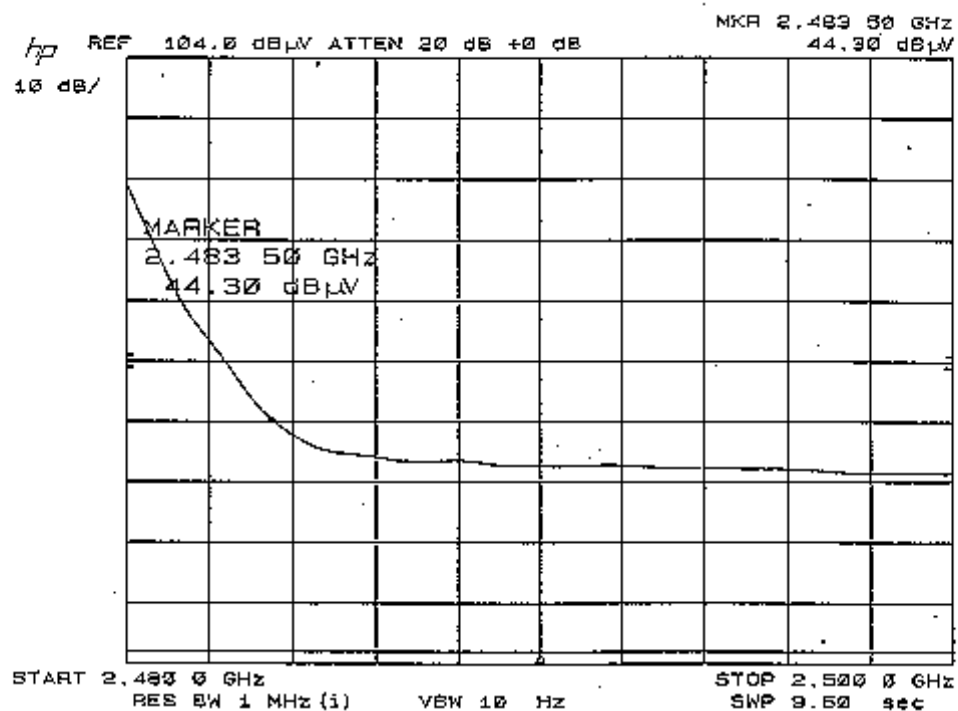


Figure 3.5 - 5: Conifer 3' Semi-Parabolic (26T-2400) 23 dBi - Restricted Band, Vertical

Semi Parabolic Reflector Antenna: Conifer 3' Semi-Parabolic Plots

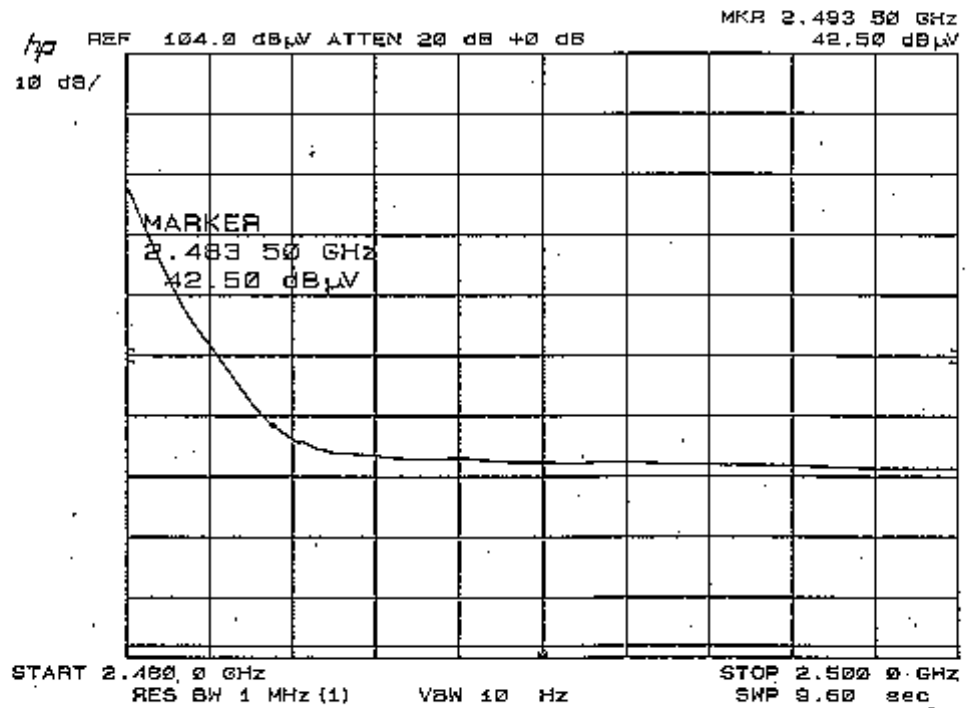


Figure 3.5 - 6: Conifer 3' Semi-Parabolic (26T-2400) 23 dBi - Restricted Band, Horizontal

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Semi Parabolic Reflector Antenna: Conifer 3' Semi-Parabolic Plots

The following two plots show the horizontal and vertical emissions of the EUT within the restricted band 2.4835 – 2.5 GHz. The EUT was set for frequency plan B. The analyzer was set for average detection. A bandpass filter was used to pass 2.48 – 2.6 GHz allowing the measurements to be made without overloading the analyzer. The insertion loss of this filter is approximately 3 dB. The antenna factor in the restricted band is approximately 30 dB/m. The cable loss in this band is approximately 2 dB. The pre-amplifier factor in this band is approximately 37 dB. This yields a margin of approximately 11 dB throughout this restricted band.

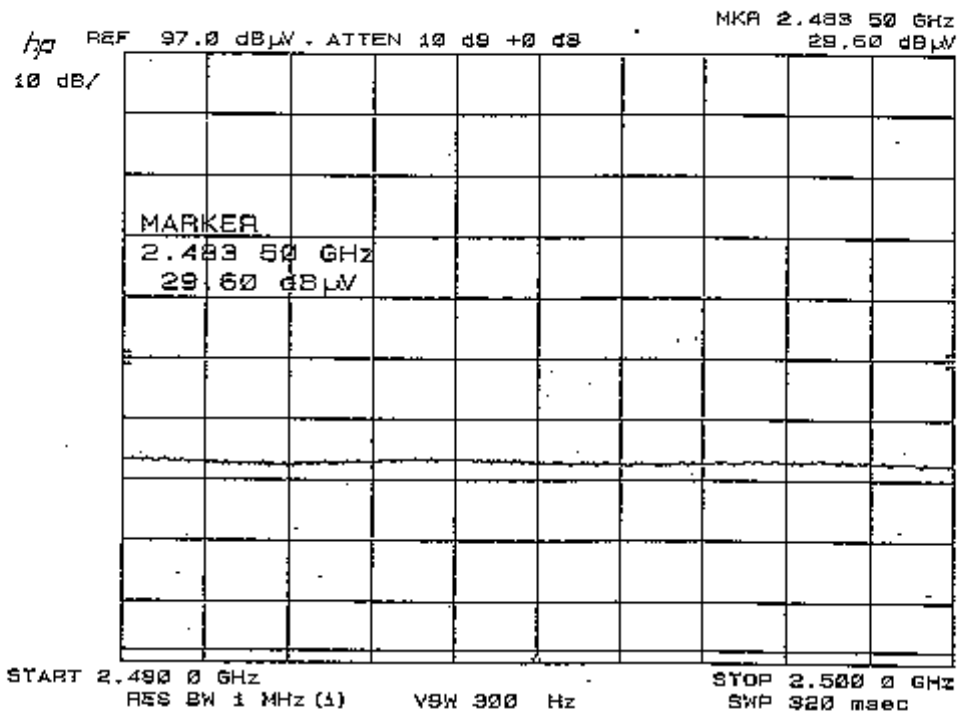


Figure 3.5 - 7: Conifer 3' Semi-Parabolic (26T-2400) 23 dBi - Restricted Band, Frequency Plan B

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Parabolic Dish Antenna: Radiated Emission Test per

The data shown below lists the significant emission frequencies, the limit and the margin of compliance. Numbers with a minus sign are below the limit.

The antenna used for this test was the Comstat P24A48GN-U. This antenna had 27.5 dBi of gain. The data indicates a margin of 10 dB from the FCC limits for all restricted bands. The largest antenna of the type listed for use with this device has a gain of 35.0 dBi.

Table 3.5 - 5: Radiated Spurious Emissions, 1000 - 22000 MHz

Company: Adtran Inc.
Model: 4280TRACERT1L1

Notes: Initial Results

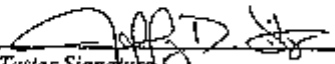
Date: 02/18/98
Tested by: Jeffrey D. Hiday
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Job Number J98002308

Standard: FCC Part 15
Class B

Antenna Polarity	Frequency (MHz)	Reading (dBuV)	Antenna Factor (dB)	Cable Loss (dB)	Pre-amp Factor (dB)	External Attn (dB)	Net (dBuV/m)	Limit (dBuV/m)	Margin (dB)
v	7261.0	33.1	36.5	4.7	36.3	3.0	41.0	54.0	-13.1

Note: There were no other emissions detected within 10 dB of the limit.

TEST PERSONNEL:


Tester Signature

Jeffrey D. Hiday / Project Engineer
Typed/Printed Name

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Date

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Parabolic Dish Antenna: Radiated Emission Test

The following plot contains the peak radiated output of the Comstat 4' Parabolic dish antenna (Model Number: P24A48GN-U). This antenna has a 27.5 dBi gain. The plot shows peak carrier data for the antenna in vertical polarization. No pre-amplifier was used, however, 30 dB of external attenuation was used for this plot. The measuring systems losses were 32.4 dB.

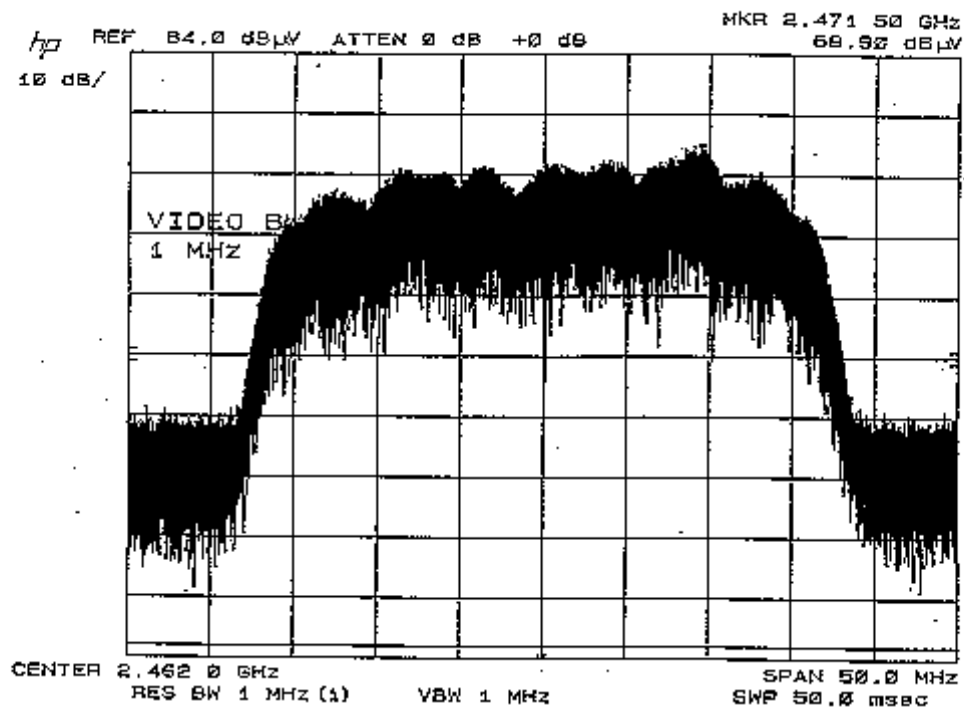


Figure 3.5 - 8: Comstat 4' Parabolic (24A48GN-U) 27.5 dBi - Peak Plot

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Parabolic Dish Antenna: Radiated Emission Test per

The following plot contains the average radiated output of the Comstat 4' Parabolic dish antenna (Model Number: P24A48GN-U). This antenna has a 27.5 dBi gain. The plot shows average carrier data for the antenna in vertical polarization. No pre-amplifier was used, however, 30 dB of external attenuation was used for this plot. The measuring systems losses were 32.4 dB.

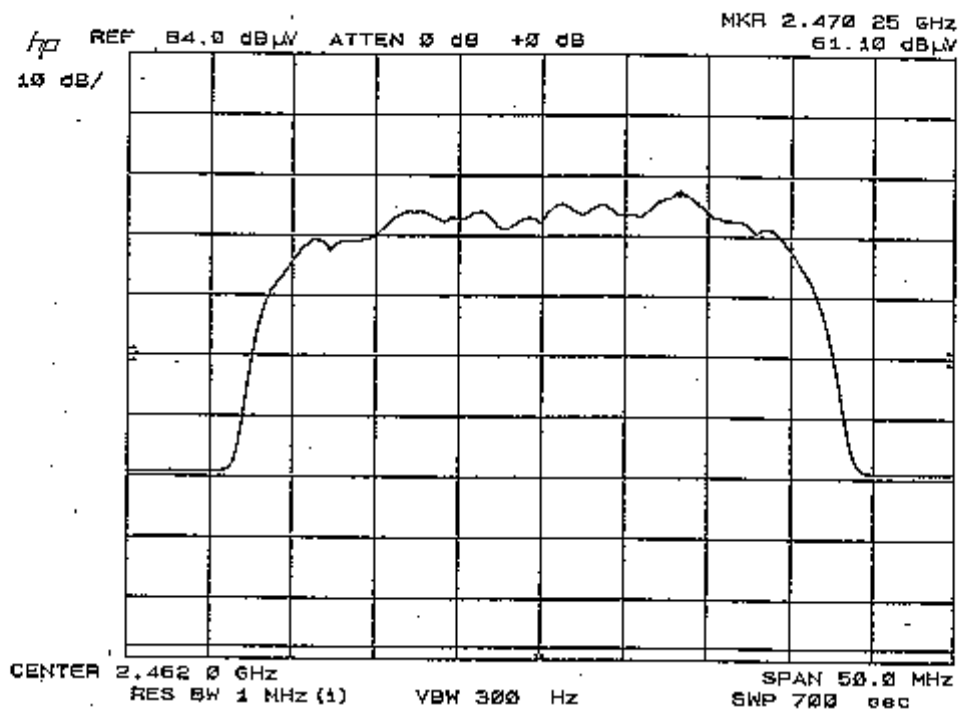


Figure 3.5 - 9: Comstat 4' Parabolic (24A48GN-U) 27.5 dBi - Average Plot

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Parabolic Dish Antenna: Radiated Emission Test

The following two plots show the horizontal and vertical emissions of the EUT within the restricted band 2.4835 – 2.5 GHz. The EUT was set for frequency plan A. The analyzer was set for average detection. A bandpass filter was used to pass 2.48 – 2.6 GHz allowing the measurements to be made without overloading the analyzer. The insertion loss of this filter is approximately 3 dB. The antenna factor in the restricted band is approximately 30 dB/m. The cable loss in this band is approximately 2 dB. The pre-amplifier factor in this band is approximately 37 dB. This yields a margin of approximately 15 dB throughout this restricted band.

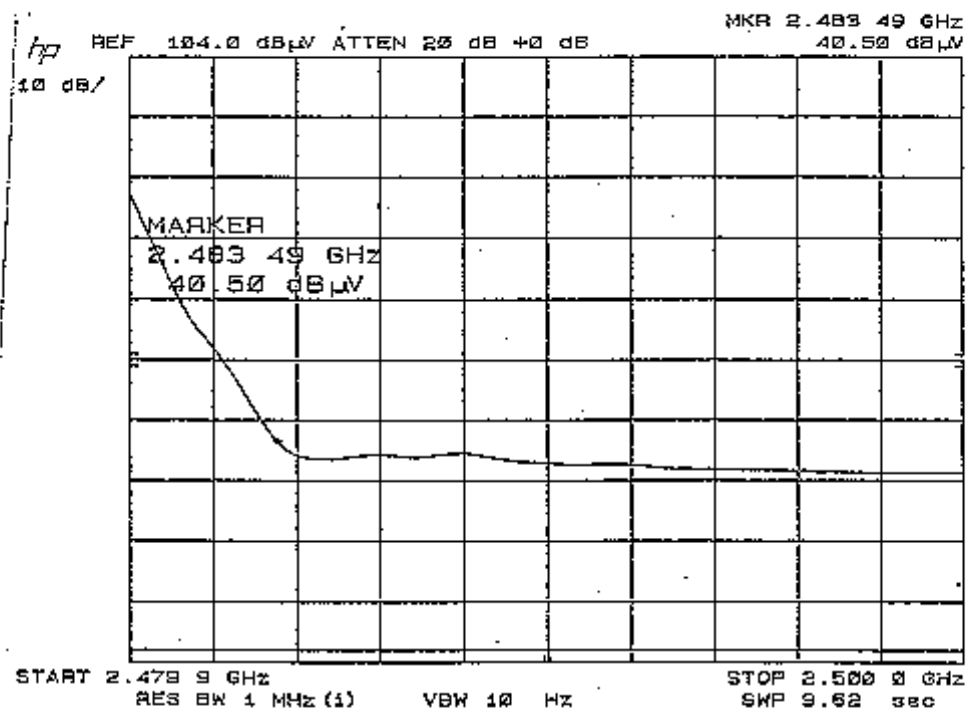


Figure 3.5 - 10: Comstat 4' Parabolic (24A48GN-U) 23 dBi – Restricted Band, Vertical

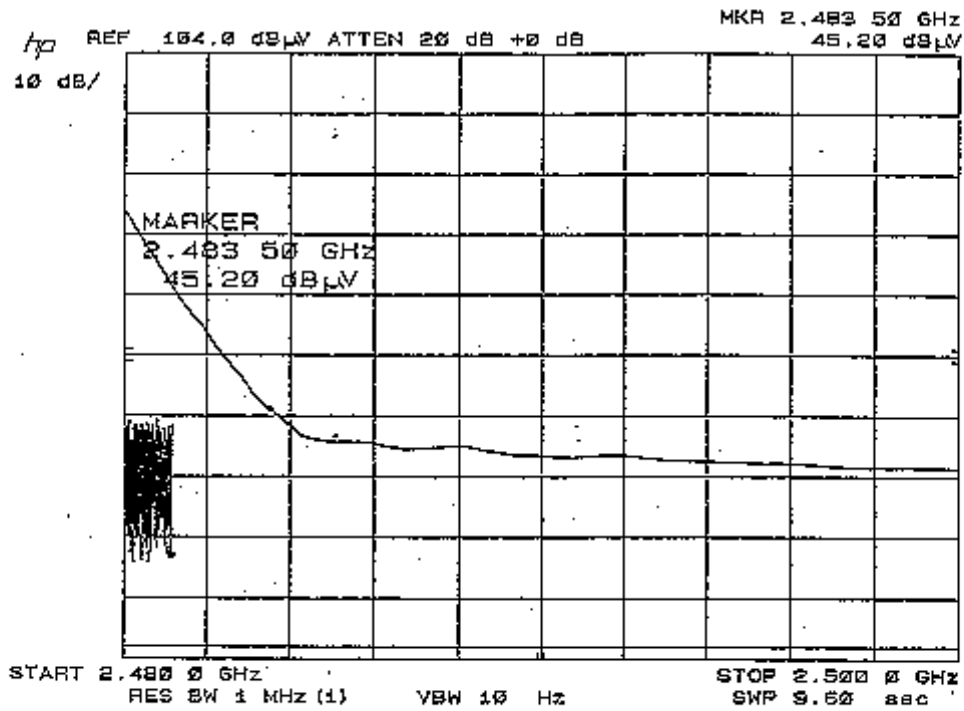


Figure 3.5 - 11: Comstat 4' Parabolic (24A48GN-U) 23 dBi - Restricted Band, Horizontal

Yagi Antenna: Radiated Emission Test

The following plot contains the peak radiated output of the Cushcraft Yagi antenna (Model Number: PC2415N). This antenna has a 13.9 dBi gain. The plot shows peak carrier data for the antenna in vertical polarization. No pre-amplifier was used and no external attenuation was used for this plot. The measuring systems losses were 32.4 dB.

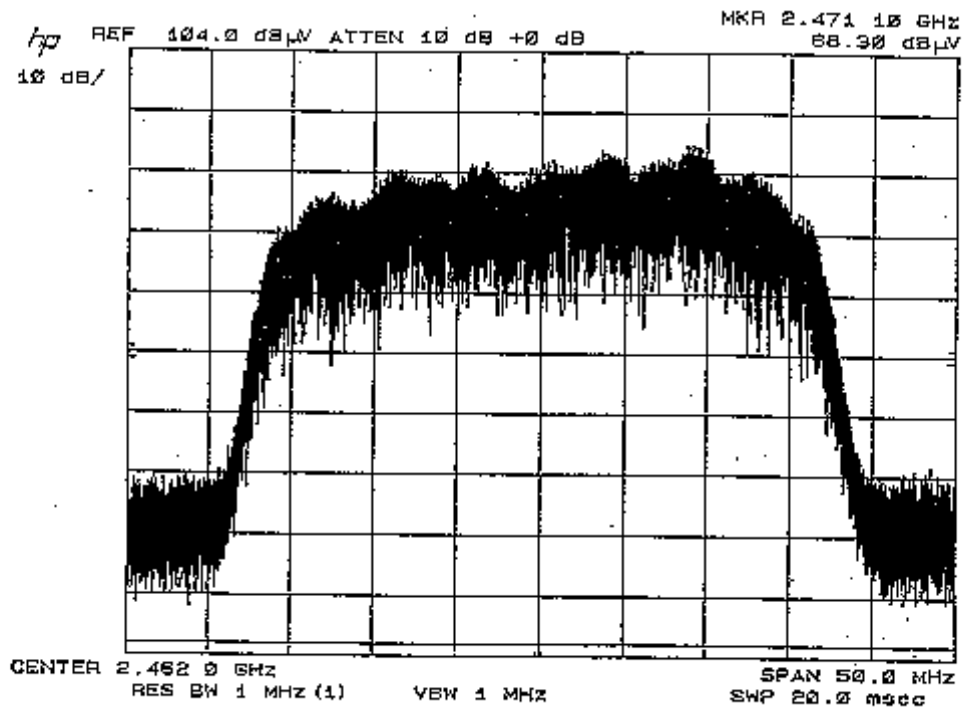


Figure 3.5 - 12: Cushcraft Yagi (PC-2415N) 13.9 dBi - Peak Plot

Yagi Antenna: Radiated Emission Test

The following plot contains the average radiated output of the Cushcraft Yagi antenna (Model Number: PC2415N). This antenna has a 13.9 dBi gain. The plot shows average carrier data for the antenna in vertical polarization. No pre-amplifier was used and no external attenuation was used for this plot. The measuring systems losses were 32.4 dB.

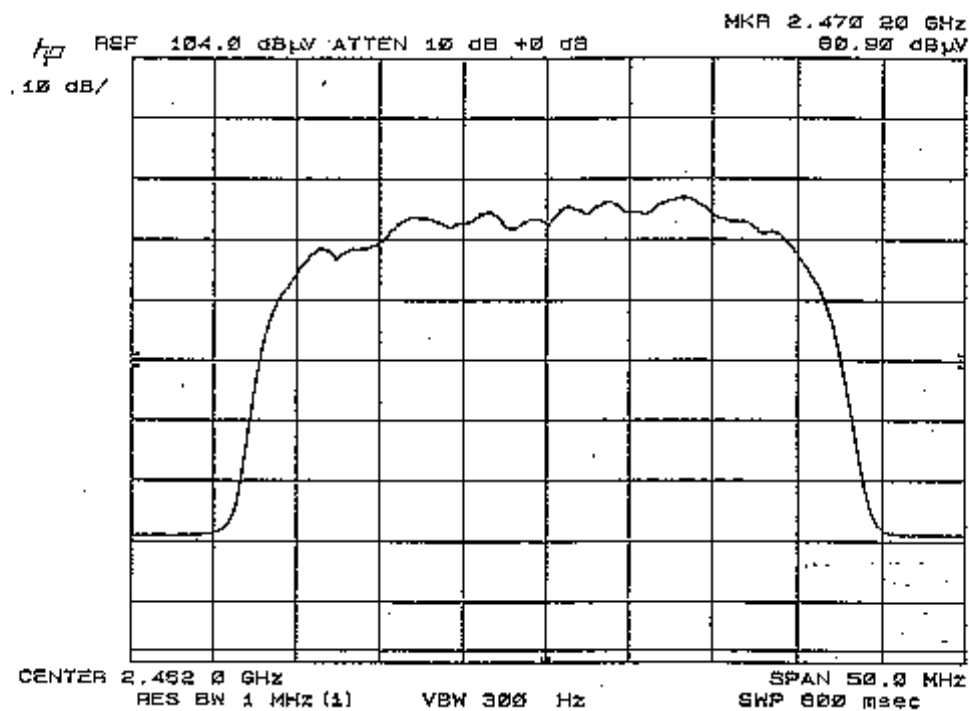


Figure 3.5 - 13: Cushcraft Yagi (PC-2415N) 13.9 dBi - Average Plot

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Yagi Antenna: Radiated Emission Test

The following two plots show the horizontal and vertical emissions of the EUT within the restricted band 2.4835 – 2.5 GHz. The EUT was set for frequency plan A. The analyzer was set for average detection. A bandpass filter was used to pass 2.48 – 2.6 GHz allowing the measurements to be made without overloading the analyzer. The insertion loss of this filter is approximately 3 dB. The antenna factor in the restricted band is approximately 30 dB/m. The cable loss in this band is approximately 2 dB. The pre-amplifier factor in this band is approximately 37 dB. This yields a margin of approximately 25 dB throughout this restricted band.

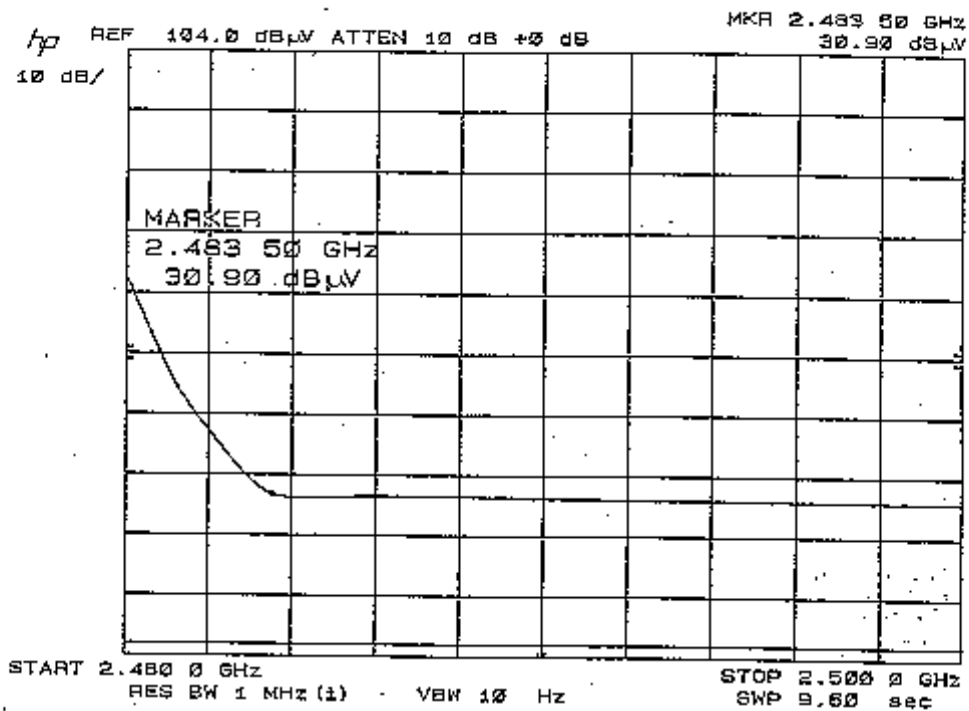


Figure 3.5 - 14: Cushcraft Yagi (PC-2415N) 13.9 dBi - Restricted Band, Vertical

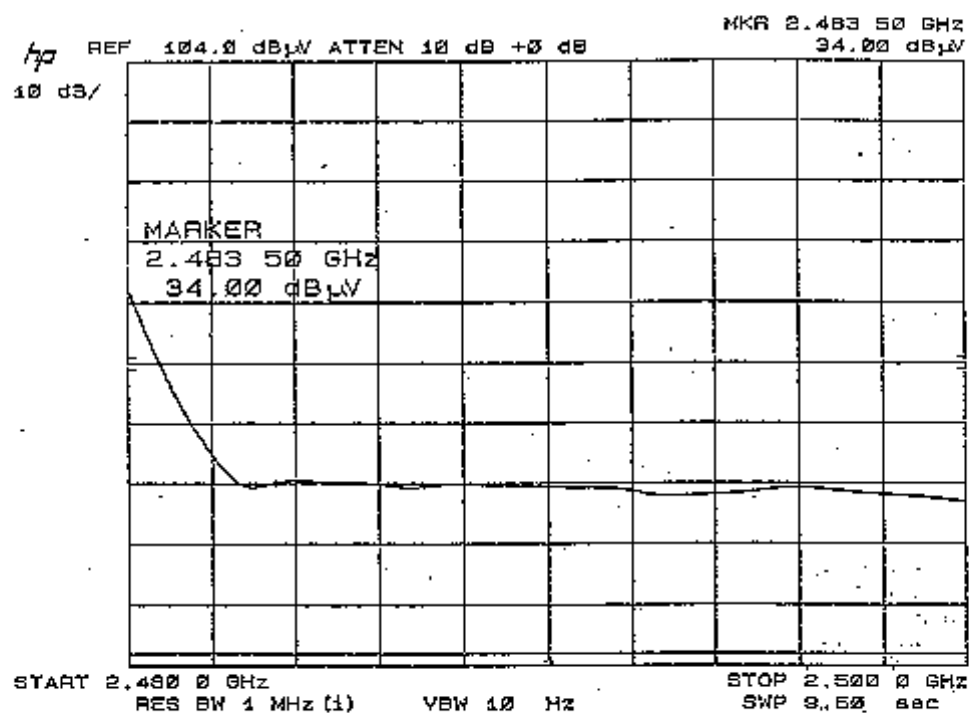


Figure 3.5 - 15: Cushcraft Yagi (PC-2415N) 13.9 dBi - Restricted Band, Horizontal

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Flat Panel Array: Radiated Emission Test

The data shown below lists the significant emission frequencies, the limit and the margin of compliance. Numbers with a minus sign are below the limit.

The antenna used during this test was the Avtronics AVFP-18 with 18 dBi of gain. The worst case restricted band was 6.7 dB below the FCC limit. The highest gain antenna of this type listed for the EUT is 21 dBi.

Table 3.5 - 7: Radiated Spurious Emissions, 1000 - 22000 MHz

Company: Adtran Inc.

Model: 4280TRACERT1L1

Notes: Avtronics (AVFP-18) antenna

Date: 02/18/98

Tested by: Jeremy Pickens

Test Distance: 3

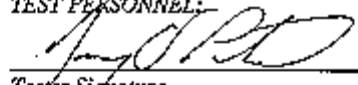
Job Number: J98002308

Standard: FCC Part 15

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Antenna Polarity	Frequency (MHz)	Reading (dBuV)	Antenna Factor (dB)	Cable Loss (dB)	Pre-amp Factor (dB)	External Attn (dB)	Net (dBuV/m)	Limit (dBuV/m)	Margin (dB)
h	7245.4	39.4	38.5	4.7	36.9	9.0	47.8	54.0	-6.7
v	7245.4	38.8	38.5	4.7	36.9	9.0	44.5	54.0	-9.5
h	7246.3	29.7	38.5	4.7	36.9	9.0	37.6	54.0	-16.5

TEST PERSONNEL:


Tester Signature

Jeremy Pickens / Project Engineer

Typed/Printed Name

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Date

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Flat Panel Antenna: Radiated Emission Test

The following plot contains the peak radiated output of the Avtronics Flat Panel antenna (Model Number: AVFP-18). This antenna has a 18 dBi gain. The plot shows peak carrier data for the antenna in vertical polarization. No pre-amplifier was used and no external attenuation was used for this plot. The measuring systems losses were 32.4 dB.

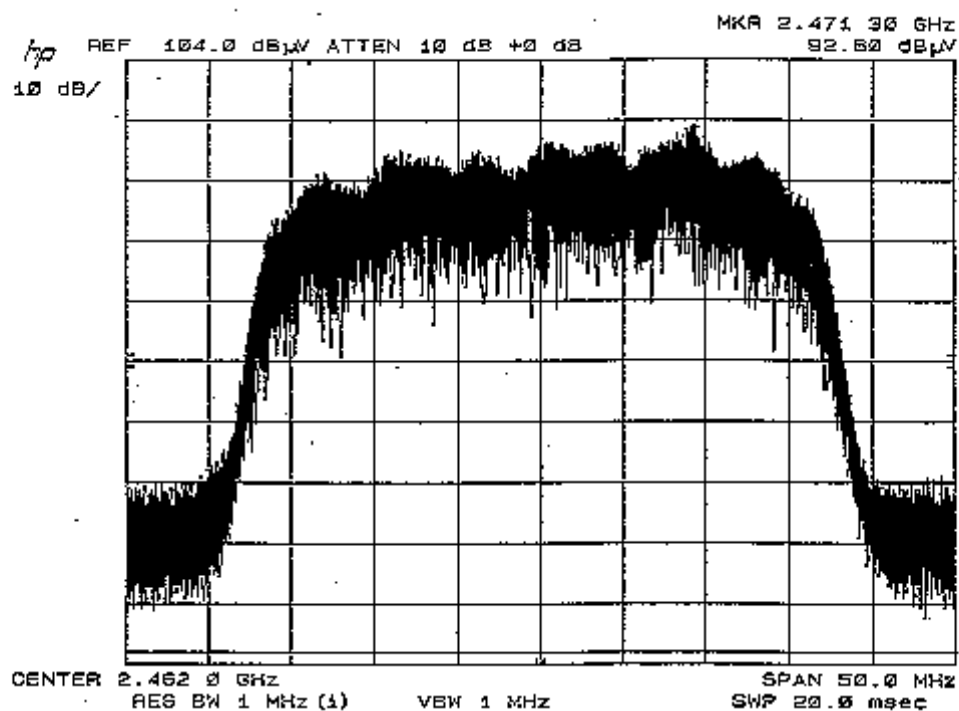


Figure 3.5 - 16: Avtronics Flat Panel (AVFP-18) 18 dBi - Peak Plot

Flat Panel Antenna: Radiated Emission Test

The following plot contains the average radiated output of the Avitronics Flat Panel antenna (Model Number: AVFP-18). This antenna has a 18 dBi gain. The plot shows average carrier data for the antenna in vertical polarization. No pre-amplifier was used and no external attenuation was used for this plot. The measuring systems losses were 32.4 dB.

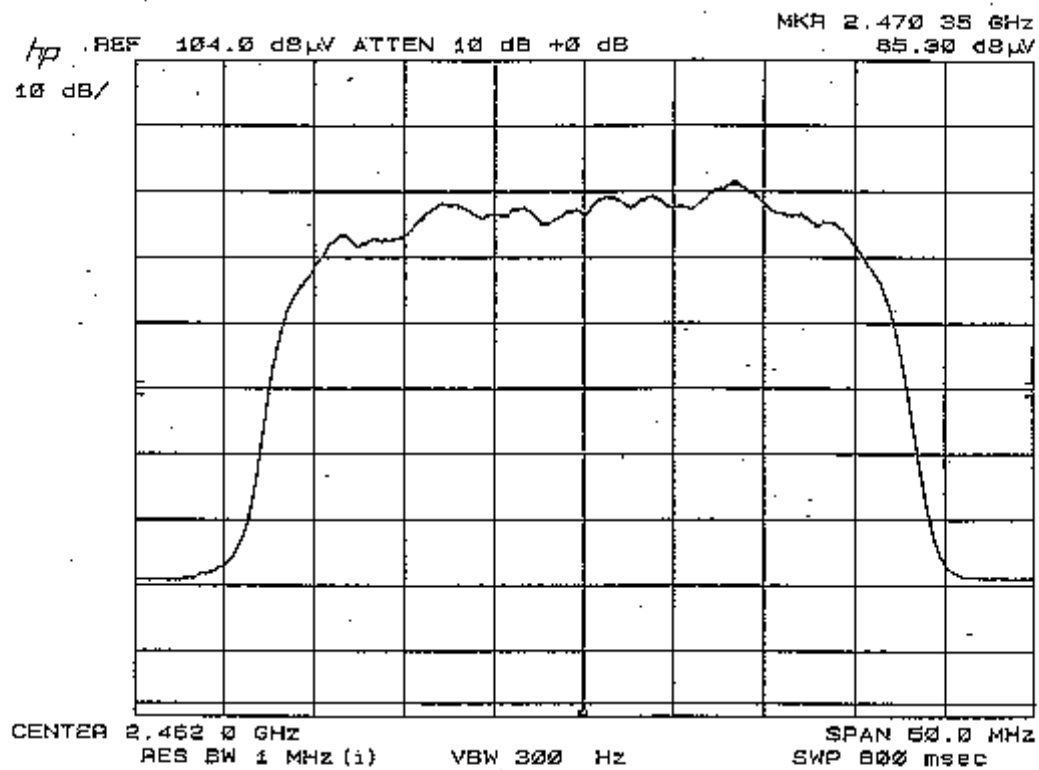


Figure 3.5 - 17: Avitronics Flat Panel (AVFP-18) 18 dBi - Average Plot

Flat Panel Antenna: Radiated Emission Test

The following two plots show the horizontal and vertical emissions of the EUT within the restricted band 2.4835 – 2.5 GHz. The EUT was set for frequency plan A. The analyzer was set for average detection. A bandpass filter was used to pass 2.48 – 2.6 GHz allowing the measurements to be made without overloading the analyzer. The insertion loss of this filter is approximately 3 dB. The antenna factor in the restricted band is approximately 30 dB/m. The cable loss in this band is approximately 2 dB. The pre-amplifier factor in this band is approximately 37 dB. This yields a margin of approximately 17 dB throughout this restricted band.

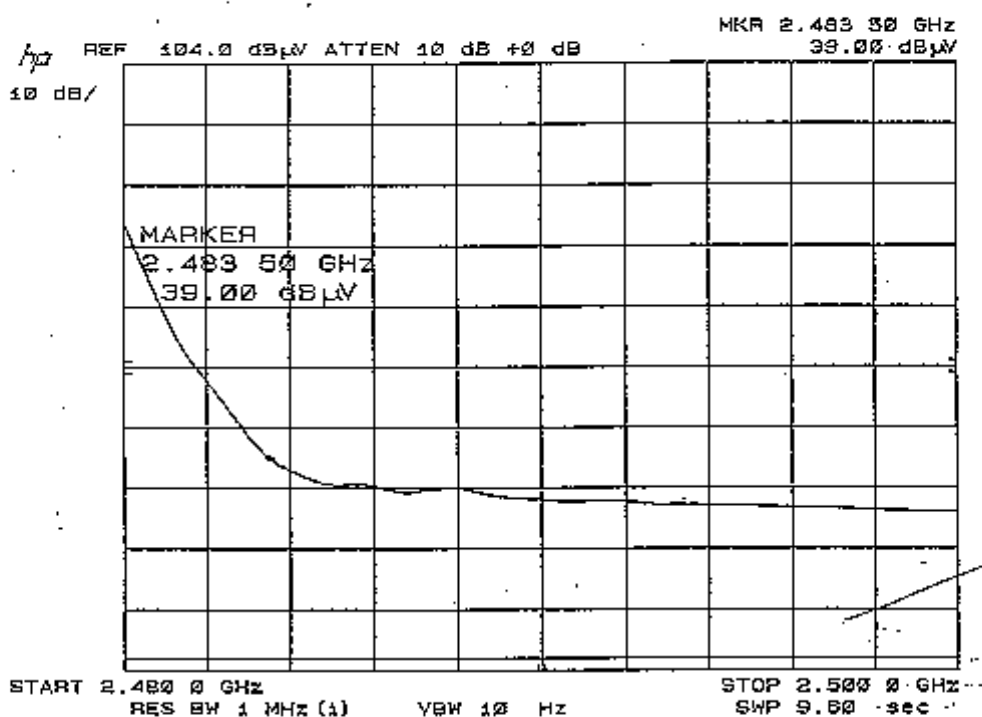


Figure 3.5 - 18: Avtronics Flat Panel (AVFP-18) Restricted Band - Horizontal

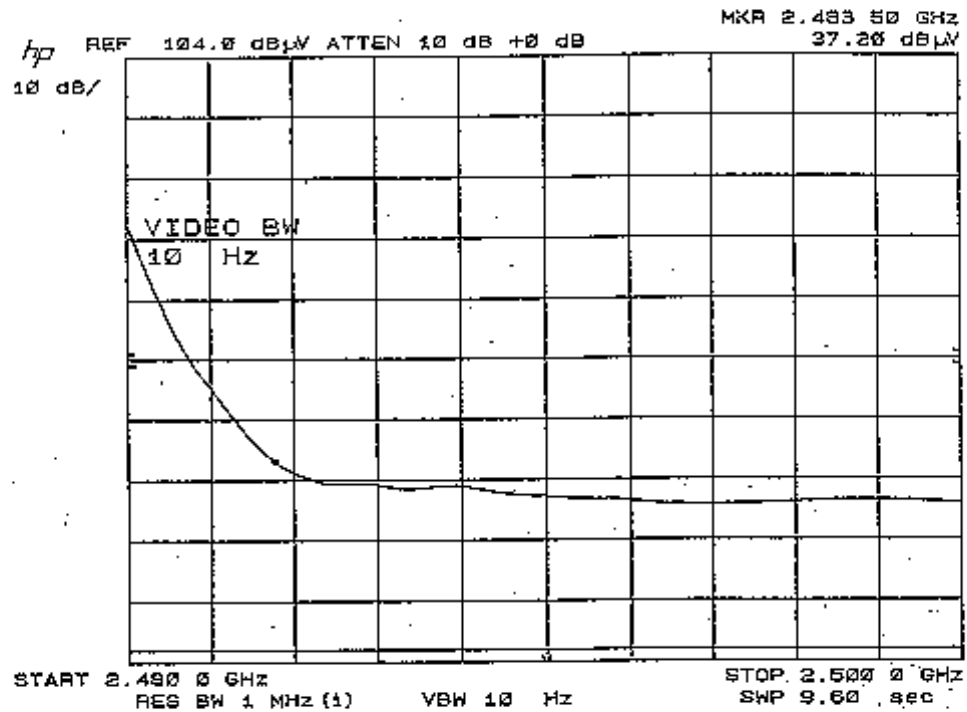


Figure 3.5 - 19: Avitronics Flat Panel (AVFP-18) Restricted Band - Vertical

4.0 Photographs

Photographs are provided in JPEG format in a separate attachment. The photograph descriptions are below.

Frontvie.jpg	Front view of new chassis
Rearview.jpg	Rear view of new chassis
Topview.jpg	Top view, cover removed
Rearv1.jpg	Rear view, cover removed
Diplex.jpg	Diplexer, cover removed