

RETLIF TESTING LABORATORIES
TEST REPORT R-4603N
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FCC COMPLIANCE TEST REPORT
ON

ORTOVOX
D3 AVALANCHE TRANSCEIVER
FCC ID: KF5ORTOVOXD3

APPLICANT Ortovox Sportartikel Rotwandweg 5 D-82024 Taufkirchen Germany	MANUFACTURER Same
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TEST SPECIFICATION: FCC Rules and Regulations Part 15, Subpart C, Para. 15.209

TEST PROCEDURE: ANSI C63.4:2003

TEST SAMPLE DESCRIPTION:

BRANDNAME: Ortovox

MODEL: D3

TYPE: Avalanche Transceiver

POWER REQUIREMENTS: 3VDC Internal Battery

FREQUENCY OF OPERATION: 457kHz

MODULATION: Pulsed

APPLICATION: To Locate Avalanche Victims

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TESTS PERFORMED:

15.209 Fundamental & Spurious Radiated Emissions (450kHz to 1000MHz)

TEST SAMPLE OPERATION:

The Ortovox D3 Avalanche Transceiver is used to locate avalanche victims. It is manually activated by the user and in transmit mode will continuously transmit at 457kHz. During testing the EUT was continuously transmitting at 457kHz with new batteries installed.

TEST SAMPLE / TEST PROGRAM

- 15.203 Antenna Requirements - The device uses a permanently attached internal ferrite antenna. The antenna is totally enclosed inside the case.
- 15.205 Restricted Bands - No emissions were observed from the EUT in any restricted bands.
- 15.207 Conducted Emissions - Not applicable (battery operated device)
- 15.209 Radiated Emissions - Fundamental Frequency .457MHz, Harmonic/Spurious Emissions 450kHz to 1000MHz
- The peak value of fundamental emissions did not exceed a peak field strength limit corresponding to 20dB above the maximum permitted average limit.
- No harmonic or spurious emissions were observed within 20dB of the specified limit at test distances of 1 or 3 meters.
- Radiated Emissions from the EUT were measured in all three axis. The attached Radiated Emissions test data shows the maximized fundamental emission of each orientation.

DETERMINATION OF FIELD STRENGTH LIMITS

The field strength limits shown below were calculated as instructed in Section 15.231.

Fundamental Frequency: 457kHz

Where F is the frequency in kHz, the formula for calculating the maximum permitted fundamental field strength at 300 Meters is:

$$\begin{aligned} 2400/(F) &= \text{Field Strength Limit } (\mu\text{V/m}) \\ 2400/(457) &= 5.25\mu\text{V/M} \\ \text{Field Strength Limit} &= 14.4\text{dBuV/M} \end{aligned}$$

The maximum permitted unwanted emission level cannot exceed the level of the fundamental emission.

DUTY CYCLE

No Duty Cycle Factor was used. The test sample was operating at close to 100% duty cycle and the maximized peak signal of the 457kHz fundamental frequency met the average limit specified in 15.209.

Test Method

15.209 Fundamental & Spurious Radiated Emissions

The test sample was placed on a 80cm high wooden test stand which was located 3 meters from the test antenna on an FCC listed open area test site. Emissions from the EUT were maximized by rotating the test sample and adjusting the test sample orientation and antenna polarization. The maximized peak field strength of each emission was measured and recorded and compared to the specified limits. The 3 meter measurements were extrapolated to the 300 meter limits using the 40dB/decade extrapolation factor specified for frequencies less than 30MHz.

Test Results: The maximized peak field strength at 457kHz was below the average limit specified in 15.209 and therefore also met the peak emission requirement specified in 15.35. No harmonic or spurious emissions were observed.

RADIATED EMISSIONS SETUP PHOTOGRAPHS



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EMISSIONS DATA SHEET

Test Method:

Radiated Emissions 450 kHz to 1 GHz

Customer:

Ortovox

Job No:

R-4603N

Test Sample:

Avalanche Transceiver

Model No:

D3

Serial No:

	N/A
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Test Specification:

FCC Part 15, Subpart C

Paragraph: 15.209

Operating Mode:

Transmitting

Technician:

T. Hannemann

Date:

4/18/2006

Notes:

Test Distance: 3 Meters Detector used: Peak

Worst Case Antenna Polarization: Vertical

Test Frequency	Antenna Polarization	Uncorrected Reading	Correction Factor	Duty Cycle Factor	Corrected Reading	Distance Factor	Corrected Reading		Converted Reading	Average Limit at 300 Meters
MHz	/EUT Axis	dBuV	dB	dB	dBuV/m	dB	dBuV/m		uV/m	uV/m

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The frequency range from 450 kHz to 1 GHz was scanned. No harmonic or spurious emissions were observed at 3 or 1 meter meter distances.

RADIATED EMISSIONS EQUIPMENT LIST

EN	Type	Manufacturer	Description	Model No.	Cal Date	Due
3207	Loop Antenna, Active	EMCO	10 KHz - 30 MHz	6502	07/22/2005	07/22/2006
4029B	Test Site Attenuation	Retlif	3 / 10 Meters	RNH	12/03/2004	05/03/2006
5053	Biconilog	EMCO	26 MHz - 3000 MHz	3142C	02/07/2006	02/07/2007
713	EMI Test Receiver	Rohde & Schwarz	20 Hz - 26.5 GHz	ES126	04/03/2006	04/03/2007

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