



FCC RF Test Report

APPLICANT : Quectel Wireless Solutions Co., Ltd.
EQUIPMENT : Smart LTE Module with Wi-Fi & Bluetooth
BRAND NAME : Quectel
MODEL NAME : SC20-AX
FCC ID : XMR202201SC20AX
STANDARD : 47 CFR Part 2, 27(F)
CLASSIFICATION : PCS Licensed Transmitter (PCB)
TEST DATE(S) : Jan. 04, 2022 ~ Jan. 20, 2022

We, Sporton International Inc. (Kunshan), would like to declare that the tested sample has been evaluated in accordance with the procedures given in ANSI C63.26-2015 and shown compliance with the applicable technical standards.

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REVISION HISTORY

REPORT NO.	VERSION	DESCRIPTION	ISSUED DATE
FG1D2405	Rev. 01	Initial issue of report	Feb. 14, 2022

SUMMARY OF TEST RESULT

Report Section	FCC Rule	Description	Limit	Result	Remark
3.4	§2.1046	Conducted Output Power	-	Report Only	-
	§27.50(b)(10)	Effective Radiated Power (Band 13)	ERP < 3 Watt	PASS	-
4.4	§2.1053 §27.53(c)(2) §27.53(f)	Radiated Spurious Emission (Band 13)	$< 43 + 10\log_{10}(P[\text{Watts}])$	PASS	Under limit 23.80 dB at 1560.000 MHz

Declaration of Conformity:

The test results with all measurement uncertainty excluded are presented in accordance with the regulation limits or requirements declared by manufacturers.

Comments and Explanations:

The declared of product specification for EUT presented in the report are provided by the manufacturer, and the manufacturer takes all the responsibilities for the accuracy of product specification.



1 General Description

1.1 Applicant

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1.2 Manufacturer

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1.3 Product Feature of Equipment Under Test

Product Feature	
Equipment	Smart LTE Module with Wi-Fi & Bluetooth
Brand Name	Quectel
Model Name	SC20-AX
FCC ID	XMR202201SC20AX
HW Version	R1.0
SW Version	SC20AXPAR09A06
EUT Stage	Identical Prototype

Remark: This is a variant report for SC20-AX, based on the spot check the power is lower than original test report, all power refer to the original parent. The change note could be referred to the SC20-AX_Class II Permissive Change letter which is exhibit separately. Based on the similarity between current and previous project, only the related test cases from original test report (Sporton Report Number FG1D2404B) were verified for the differences.

1.4 Product Specification of Equipment Under Test

Standards-related Product Specification	
Tx Frequency	LTE Band 13 : 777 MHz ~ 787 MHz
Rx Frequency	LTE Band 13 : 746 MHz ~ 756 MHz
Bandwidth	LTE Band 13 : 5MHz / 10MHz
Maximum Output Power to Antenna	LTE Band 13 : 23.37 dBm
Antenna Gain	LTE Band 13 : 4.00 dBi
Type of Modulation	QPSK / 16QAM



1.5 Modification of EUT

No modifications are made to the EUT during all test items.

1.6 Maximum Conducted Power and Emission Designator

LTE Band 13		QPSK		16QAM	
BW (MHz)	Frequency Range (MHz)	Maximum Conducted power (W)	Emission Designator (99%OBW)	Maximum Conducted power (W)	Emission Designator (99%OBW)
5	779.5 ~ 784.5	0.2094	-	0.1963	-
10	782.0	0.2173	-	0.1816	-

1.7 Testing Location

Sporton International Inc. (Kunshan) is accredited to ISO/IEC 17025:2017 by American Association for Laboratory Accreditation with Certificate Number 5145.02.

Test Firm	Sporton International Inc. (Kunshan)		
Test Site Location	No. 1098, Pengxi North Road, Kunshan Economic Development Zone Jiangsu Province 215300 People's Republic of China TEL : +86-512-57900158 FAX : +86-512-57900958		
Test Site No.	Sporton Site No.	FCC Designation No.	FCC Test Firm Registration No.
	03CH04-KS TH01-KS	CN1257	314309

1.8 Test Software

Item	Site	Manufacturer	Name	Version
1.	03CH04-KS	AUDIX	E3	6.2009-8-24a



1.9 Applicable Standards

According to the specifications of the manufacturer, the EUT must comply with the requirements of the following standards:

- ♦ 47 CFR Part 2, 27(F)
- ♦ ANSI C63.26-2015
- ♦ FCC KDB 971168 D01 Power Meas License Digital Systems v03r01
- ♦ FCC KDB 412172 D01 Determining ERP and EIRP v01r01

Remark:

1. All test items were verified and recorded according to the standards and without any deviation during the test.
2. This EUT has also been tested and complied with the requirements of FCC Part 15, Subpart B, recorded in a separate test report.

2 Test Configuration of Equipment Under Test

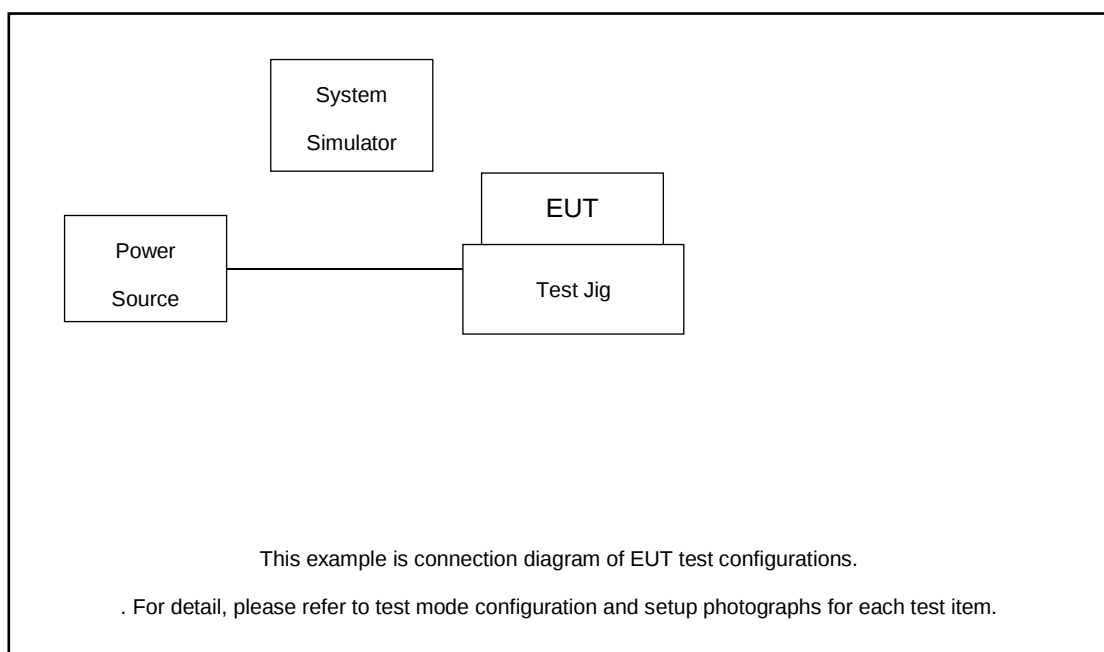
2.1 Test Mode

Antenna port conducted and radiated test items listed below are performed according to KDB 971168 D01 Power Meas License Digital Systems v03r01 with maximum output power.

Radiated measurements are performed by rotating the EUT in three different orthogonal test planes to find the maximum emission.

Test Items	Band	Bandwidth (MHz)						Modulation			RB #			Test Channel		
		1.4	3	5	10	15	20	QPSK	16QAM	64QAM	1	Half	Full	L	M	H
Max. Output Power	13			v	v			v	v		v	v	v	v	v	v
E.R.P / E.I.R.P	13	-	-	v	v	-	-	v	v		v			v	v	v
Radiated Spurious Emission	13	Worst Case													v	
Note	1. The mark “v “ means that this configuration is chosen for testing 2. The mark “-“ means that this bandwidth is not supported. 3. The device is investigated from 30MHz to 10 times of fundamental signal for radiated spurious emission test under different RB size/offset and modulations in exploratory test. Subsequently, only the worst case emissions are reported.															

2.2 Connection Diagram of Test System





2.3 Support Unit used in test configuration and system

Item	Equipment	Trade Name	Model No.	FCC ID	Data Cable	Power Cord
1.	Power Supply	GWINSTEK	PSS-2002	N/A	N/A	Unshielded, 1.8 m
2.	LTE Base Station	Anritsu	MT8820C	N/A	N/A	Unshielded, 1.8 m
3.	Test jig	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
4.	Antenna	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
5.	Adapter	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

2.4 Frequency List of Low/Middle/High Channels

LTE Band 13 Channel and Frequency List				
BW [MHz]	Channel/Frequency(MHz)	Lowest	Middle	Highest
10	Channel	-	23230	-
	Frequency	-	782	-
5	Channel	23205	23230	23255
	Frequency	779.5	782	784.5

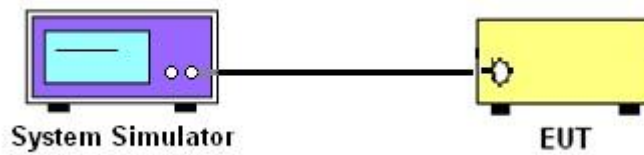
3 Conducted Test Items

3.1 Measuring Instruments

See list of measuring instruments of this test report.

3.2 Test Setup

3.2.1 Conducted Output Power



3.3 Test Result of Conducted Test

Please refer to Appendix A.

3.4 Conducted Output Power and ERP/EIRP

3.4.1 Description of the Conducted Output Power Measurement and ERP/EIRP Measurement

A system simulator was used to establish communication with the EUT. Its parameters were set to force the EUT transmitting at maximum output power. The measured power in the radio frequency on the transmitter output terminals shall be reported.

The ERP of mobile transmitters must not exceed 3 Watts for LTE Band 13.

According to KDB 412172 D01 Power Approach,

$EIRP = P_T + G_T - L_C$, $ERP = EIRP - 2.15$, where

P_T = transmitter output power in dBm

G_T = gain of the transmitting antenna in dBi

L_C = signal attenuation in the connecting cable between the transmitter and antenna in dB

3.4.2 Test Procedures

1. The testing follows ANSI C63.26 Section 5.2
2. The transmitter output port was connected to the system simulator.
3. Set EUT at maximum power through the system simulator.
4. Select lowest, middle, and highest channels for each band and different modulation.
5. Measure and record the power level from the system simulator.

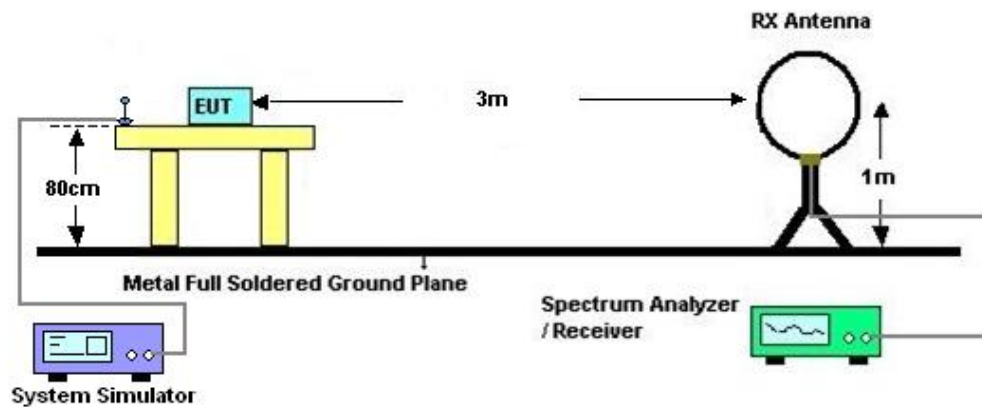
4 Radiated Test Items

4.1 Measuring Instruments

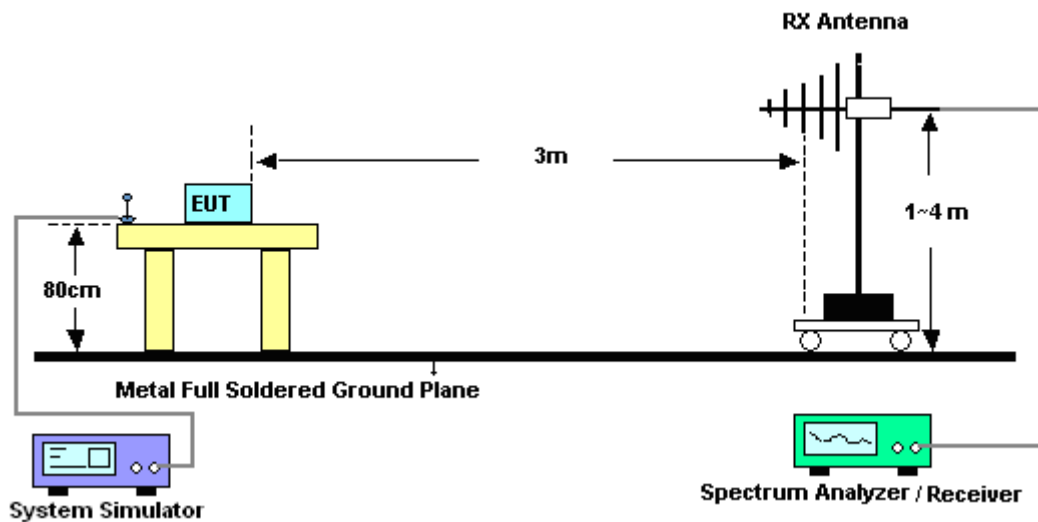
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4.2 Test Setup

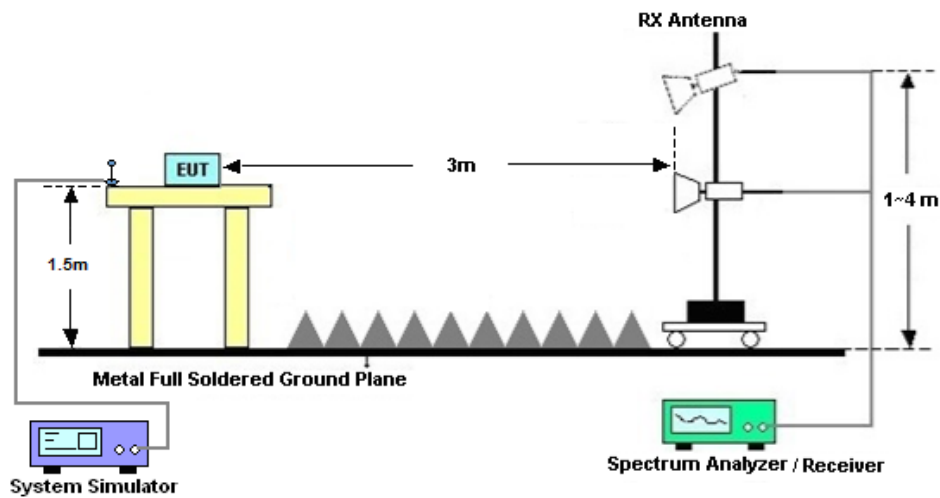
4.2.1 For radiated test below 30MHz



4.2.2 For radiated test from 30MHz to 1GHz



4.2.3 For radiated test above 1GHz



4.3 Test Result of Radiated Test

The low frequency, which started from 9 kHz to 30MHz, was pre-scanned and the result which was 20dB lower than the limit line was not reported.

Please refer to Appendix B.



4.4 Radiated Spurious Emission

4.4.1 Description of Radiated Spurious Emission

The radiated spurious emission was measured by substitution method according to ANSI C63.26. The power of any emission outside of the authorized operating frequency ranges must be attenuated below the transmitter power (P) by a factor of at least $43 + 10 \log (P)$ dB.

For LTE Band 13

For operations in the 746-758 MHz, 775-788 MHz, and 805-806 MHz bands, emissions in the band 1559-1610 MHz shall be limited to -70 dBW/MHz equivalent isotropically radiated power (EIRP) for wideband signals, and -80 dBW EIRP for discrete emissions of less than 700 Hz bandwidth.

The spectrum is scanned from 30 MHz up to a frequency including its 10th harmonic.

4.4.2 Test Procedures

1. The testing follows ANSI C63.26 Section 5.5
2. The EUT was placed on a turntable with 0.8 meter height for frequency below 1GHz and 1.5 meter height for frequency above 1GHz respectively above ground.
3. The EUT was set 3 meters from the receiving antenna mounted on the antenna tower.
4. The table was rotated 360 degrees to determine the position of the highest spurious emission.
5. The height of the receiving antenna is varied between 1m to 4m to search the maximum spurious emission for both horizontal and vertical polarizations.
6. During the measurement, the system simulator parameters were set to force the EUT transmitting at maximum output power.
7. Make the measurement with the spectrum analyzer's RBW = 1MHz, VBW = 3MHz, taking the record of maximum spurious emission.
8. A horn antenna was substituted in place of the EUT and was driven by a signal generator.
9. Tune the output power of signal generator to the same emission level with EUT maximum spurious emission.
10. $\text{EIRP (dBm)} = \text{S.G. Power} - \text{Tx Cable Loss} + \text{Tx Antenna Gain}$
11. $\text{ERP (dBm)} = \text{EIRP} - 2.15$
12. The RF fundamental frequency should be excluded against the limit line in the operating frequency band.

The limit line is derived from $43 + 10\log(P)$ dB below the transmitter power P(Watts)
 $= P(W) - [43 + 10\log(P)] \text{ (dB)}$
 $= [30 + 10\log(P)] \text{ (dBm)} - [43 + 10\log(P)] \text{ (dB)}$
 $= -13\text{dBm}.$



5 List of Measuring Equipment

Instrument	Manufacturer	Model No.	Serial No.	Characteristics	Calibration Date	Test Date	Due Date	Remark
Spectrum Analyzer	R&S	FSV40	101040	10Hz~40GHz	Oct. 14, 2021	Jan. 04, 2022	Oct. 13, 2022	Conducted (TH01-KS)
Power divider	STI	STI08-0055	-	0.5~40GHz	Aug. 26, 2021	Jan. 04, 2022	Aug. 25, 2022	Conducted (TH01-KS)
Temperature & humidity chamber	Hongzhan	LP-150U	H2014011440	-40~+150°C 20%~95%RH	Jul. 12, 2021	Jan. 04, 2022	Jul. 11, 2022	Conducted (TH01-KS)
EXA Spectrum Analyzer	Keysight	N9010A	MY55150244	10Hz~44G, MAX 30dB	Apr. 13, 2021	Jan. 20, 2022	Apr. 12, 2022	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
Loop Antenna	R&S	HFH2-Z2	100321	9kHz~30MHz	Oct. 30, 2021	Jan. 20, 2022	Oct. 29, 2022	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
Bilog Antenna	TeseQ	CBL6111D	49922	30MHz~1GHz	May 30, 2021	Jan. 20, 2022	May 29, 2022	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
Horn Antenna	Schwarzbeck	BBHA9120D	1356	1GHz~18GHz	Apr. 18, 2021	Jan. 20, 2022	Apr. 17, 2022	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
SHF-EHF Horn	Com-power	AH-840	101115	18GHz~40GHz	Jan. 05, 2022	Jan. 20, 2022	Jan. 04, 2023	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
Amplifier	SONOMA	310N	187289	9KHz~1GHz	Jan. 05, 2022	Jan. 20, 2022	Jan. 04, 2023	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
Amplifier	MITEQ	EM18G40GGA	060728	18~40GHz	Jan. 05, 2022	Jan. 20, 2022	Jan. 04, 2023	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
high gain Amplifier	MITEQ	AMF-7D-00101800-30-10P	2025788	1Ghz~18Ghz	Jan. 05, 2022	Jan. 20, 2022	Jan. 04, 2023	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
Amplifier	Keysight	83017A	MY57280106	500MHz~26.5GHz	Oct. 13, 2021	Jan. 20, 2022	Oct. 12, 2022	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
AC Power Source	Chroma	61601	F104090004	N/A	NCR	Jan. 20, 2022	NCR	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
Turn Table	ChamPro	EM 1000-T	060762-T	0~360 degree	NCR	Jan. 20, 2022	NCR	Radiation (03CH04-KS)
Antenna Mast	ChamPro	EM 1000-A	060762-A	1 m~4 m	NCR	Jan. 20, 2022	NCR	Radiation (03CH04-KS)

NCR: No Calibration Required.

6 Uncertainty of Evaluation

The measurement uncertainties shown below were calculated in accordance with the requirements of ANSI 63.26-2015. All the measurement uncertainty value were shown with a coverage $K=2$ to indicate 95% level of confidence. The measurement data show herein meets or exceeds the CISPR measurement uncertainty values specified in CISPR 16-4-2 and can be compared directly to specified limit to determine compliance.

Uncertainty of Radiated Emission Measurement (30 MHz ~ 1000 MHz)

Measuring Uncertainty for a Level of Confidence of 95% ($U = 2Uc(y)$)	3.3dB
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Uncertainty of Radiated Emission Measurement (1 GHz ~ 18 GHz)

Measuring Uncertainty for a Level of Confidence of 95% ($U = 2Uc(y)$)	2.8dB
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Uncertainty of Radiated Emission Measurement (18 GHz ~ 40 GHz)

Measuring Uncertainty for a Level of Confidence of 95% ($U = 2Uc(y)$)	2.8dB
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Appendix A. Test Results of Conducted Test

Test Engineer :	Carl Ni	Temperature :	22~23°C
		Relative Humidity :	41~42%

Conducted Output Power(Average power) and ERP/EIRP

LTE Band 13:

BW [MHz]	Modulation	RB Size	RB Offset	Power Low Ch. / Freq.	Power Middle Ch. / Freq.	Power High Ch. / Freq.
Channel				23230		
Frequency (MHz)				782		
10	QPSK	1	0		23.37	
10	QPSK	1	25		23.13	
10	QPSK	1	49		22.98	
10	QPSK	25	0		22.15	
10	QPSK	25	12		22.10	
10	QPSK	25	25		22.05	
10	QPSK	50	0		22.13	
10	16QAM	1	0		22.28	
10	16QAM	1	25		22.59	
10	16QAM	1	49		22.06	
10	16QAM	25	0		20.99	
10	16QAM	25	12		21.14	
10	16QAM	25	25		21.21	
10	16QAM	50	0		21.05	
Channel				23205	23230	23255
Frequency (MHz)				779.5	782	784.5
5	QPSK	1	0	23.12	23.20	23.21
5	QPSK	1	12	23.03	23.29	22.77
5	QPSK	1	24	23.05	23.13	22.99
5	QPSK	12	0	22.19	22.00	22.19
5	QPSK	12	7	22.10	22.13	22.08
5	QPSK	12	13	21.99	22.14	22.13
5	QPSK	25	0	22.01	22.06	22.19
5	16QAM	1	0	21.97	22.09	21.82
5	16QAM	1	12	21.59	22.01	21.76
5	16QAM	1	24	21.78	22.93	21.47
5	16QAM	12	0	20.94	20.92	21.12
5	16QAM	12	7	21.07	20.83	21.11
5	16QAM	12	13	20.90	20.93	21.10



LTE Band 13 (GT - LC = 4.00 dB) QPSK						
Bandwidth	5M			10M		
Channel	23205	23230	23255	23230		
	(Low)	(Mid)	(High)	-	(Mid)	-
Frequency	779.5	782	784.5	-	782	-
(MHz)						
Conducted Power (dBm)	23.12	23.20	23.21	-	23.37	-
Conducted Power (Watts)	0.2051	0.2089	0.2094	-	0.2173	-
ERP(dBm)	24.97	25.05	25.06	-	25.22	-
ERP(Watts)	0.3141	0.3199	0.3206	-	0.3327	-

LTE Band 13 (GT - LC = 4.00 dB) 16QAM						
Bandwidth	5M			10M		
Channel	23205	23230	23255	23230		
	(Low)	(Mid)	(High)	-	(Mid)	-
Frequency	779.5	782	784.5	-	782	-
(MHz)						
Conducted Power (dBm)	21.78	22.93	21.47	-	22.59	-
Conducted Power (Watts)	0.1507	0.1963	0.1403	-	0.1816	-
ERP(dBm)	23.63	24.78	23.32	-	24.44	-
ERP(Watts)	0.2307	0.3006	0.2148	-	0.2780	-



Appendix B. Test Results of Radiated Test

Radiated Spurious Emission

Test Engineer :	Chris Chen	Temperature :	22~23°C
		Relative Humidity :	41~42%

LTE Band 13 / 10MHz / QPSK								
Channel	Frequency (MHz)	ERP (dBm)	Limit (dBm)	Over Limit (dB)	S.G. Power (dBm)	TX Cable loss (dB)	TX Antenna Gain (dBi)	Polarization (H/V)
Middle	1559	-66.94	-42.15	-24.79	-69.57	1.09	5.87	H
	2339	-62.50	-13	-49.50	-64.90	1.37	5.92	H
	3120	-60.86	-13	-47.86	-64.75	1.64	7.68	H
	1560	-65.95	-42.15	-23.80	-68.58	1.09	5.87	V
	2339	-61.08	-13	-48.08	-63.48	1.37	5.92	V
	3119	-60.77	-13	-47.77	-64.66	1.64	7.68	V

Remark: Spurious emissions within 30-1000MHz were found more than 20dB below limit line.