

# NORTHWEST EMC

**Digital Control Incorporated**

**BTPL**

**FCC 15.209:2016**

**Report # DIGC0240**



NVLAP Lab Code: 200630-0

# CERTIFICATE OF TEST

Last Date of Test: May 3, 2016  
Digital Control Incorporated  
Model: BTPL

## Radio Equipment Testing

### Standards

Specification	Method
FCC 15.209:2016	ANSI C63.10:2013

### Results

Method Clause	Test Description	Applied	Results	Comments
6.4	Field Strength of Fundamental	Yes	Pass	
6.4, 6.5	Spurious Radiated Emissions	Yes	Pass	
6.2	Powerline Conducted Emissions	No	N/A	Not required for a battery powered EUT.

### Deviations From Test Standards

None

### Approved By:



Kyle Holgate, Operations Manager

*Product compliance is the responsibility of the client; therefore, the tests and equipment modes of operation represented in this report were agreed upon by the client, prior to testing. The results of this test pertain only to the sample(s) tested. The specific description is noted in each of the individual sections of the test report supporting this certificate of test. This report reflects only those tests from the referenced standards shown in the certificate of test. It does not include inspection or verification of labels, identification, marking or user information.*

# REVISION HISTORY

Revision Number	Description	Date	Page Number
00	None		

# ACCREDITATIONS AND AUTHORIZATIONS

## United States

**FCC** - Designated by the FCC as a Telecommunications Certification Body (TCB). Certification chambers, Open Area Test Sites, and conducted measurement facilities are listed with the FCC.

**A2LA** - Accredited by A2LA to ISO / IEC 17065 as a product certifier. This allows Northwest EMC to certify transmitters to FCC and IC specifications.

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# MEASUREMENT UNCERTAINTY

## Measurement Uncertainty

When a measurement is made, the result will be different from the true or theoretically correct value. The difference is the result of tolerances in the measurement system that cannot be completely eliminated. To the extent that technology allows us, it has been our aim to minimize this error. Measurement uncertainty is a statistical expression of measurement error qualified by a probability distribution.

A measurement uncertainty estimation has been performed for each test per our internal quality document QM205.4.6. The estimation is used to compare the measured result with its "true" or theoretically correct value. The expanded measurement uncertainty (K=2) can be found included as part of the applicable test description page. Our measurement data meets or exceeds the measurement uncertainty requirements of the applicable specification; therefore, the test data can be compared directly to the specification limit to determine compliance. The calculations for estimating measurement uncertainty are based upon ETSI TR 100 028 (or CISPR 16-4-2 as applicable), and are available upon request.

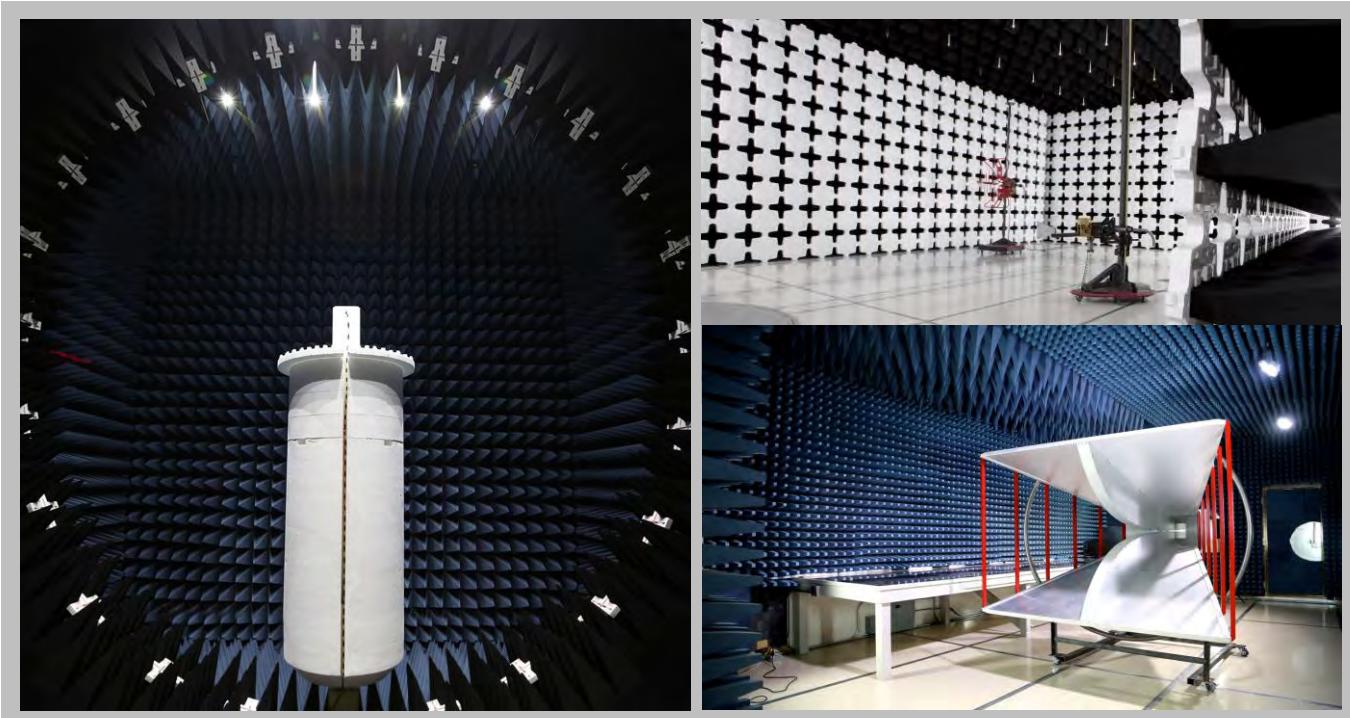
The following table represents the Measurement Uncertainty (MU) budgets for each of the tests that may be contained in this report.

Test	+ MU	- MU
Frequency Accuracy (Hz)	0.0007%	-0.0007%
Amplitude Accuracy (dB)	1.2 dB	-1.2 dB
Conducted Power (dB)	0.3 dB	-0.3 dB
Radiated Power via Substitution (dB)	0.7 dB	-0.7 dB
Temperature (degrees C)	0.7°C	-0.7°C
Humidity (% RH)	2.5% RH	-2.5% RH
Voltage (AC)	1.0%	-1.0%
Voltage (DC)	0.7%	-0.7%
Field Strength (dB)	5.0 dB	-5.0 dB
AC Powerline Conducted Emissions (dB)	2.4 dB	-2.4 dB

# FACILITIES



California	Minnesota	New York	Oregon	Texas	Washington
Labs OC01-13 41 Tesla Irvine, CA 92618 (949) 861-8918	Labs MN01-08, MN10 9349 W Broadway Ave. Brooklyn Park, MN 55445 (612)-638-5136	Labs NY01-04 4939 Jordan Rd. Elbridge, NY 13060 (315) 554-8214	Labs EV01-12 22975 NW Evergreen Pkwy Hillsboro, OR 97124 (503) 844-4066	Labs TX01-09 3801 E Plano Pkwy Plano, TX 75074 (469) 304-5255	Labs NC01-05 19201 120 <sup>th</sup> Ave NE Bothell, WA 98011 (425)984-6600
<b>NVLAP</b>					
NVLAP Lab Code: 200676-0	NVLAP Lab Code: 200881-0	NVLAP Lab Code: 200761-0	NVLAP Lab Code: 200630-0	NVLAP Lab Code: 201049-0	NVLAP Lab Code: 200629-0
<b>Industry Canada</b>					
2834B-1, 2834B-3	2834E-1	N/A	2834D-1, 2834D-2	2834G-1	2834F-1
<b>BSMI</b>					
SL2-IN-E-1154R	SL2-IN-E-1152R	N/A	SL2-IN-E-1017	SL2-IN-E-1158R	SL2-IN-E-1153R
<b>VCCI</b>					
A-0029	A-0109	N/A	A-0108	A-0201	A-0110
<b>Recognized Phase I CAB for ACMA, BSMI, IDA, KCC/RRA, MIC, MOC, NCC, OFCA</b>					
US0158	US0175	N/A	US0017	US0191	US0157



# PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

## Client and Equipment Under Test (EUT) Information

<b>Company Name:</b>	Digital Control Incorporated
<b>Address:</b>	19625 62nd Avenue South, Suite B103
<b>City, State, Zip:</b>	Kent, WA 98032
<b>Test Requested By:</b>	Ashley Olson
<b>Model:</b>	BTPL
<b>First Date of Test:</b>	May 03, 2016
<b>Last Date of Test:</b>	May 03, 2016
<b>Receipt Date of Samples:</b>	April 22, 2016
<b>Equipment Design Stage:</b>	Production
<b>Equipment Condition:</b>	No Damage

## Information Provided by the Party Requesting the Test

<b>Functional Description of the EUT:</b>
Fluid Pressure Transmitter
<b>Testing Objective:</b>
To demonstrate compliance of the inductive portion of the device to FCC Part 15.209 specifications.

# CONFIGURATIONS

## Configuration DIGC0240- 2

<b>EUT</b>				
<b>Description</b>	<b>Manufacturer</b>	<b>Model/Part Number</b>	<b>Serial Number</b>	
Fluid Pressure Transmitter	Digital Control Incorporated	BTPL	90000713	

<b>Peripherals in test setup boundary</b>				
<b>Description</b>	<b>Manufacturer</b>	<b>Model/Part Number</b>	<b>Serial Number</b>	
Receiver	Digital Control Incorporated	DigiTrak Falcon	700-5190-00	

# MODIFICATIONS

## Equipment Modifications

Item	Date	Test	Modification	Note	Disposition of EUT
1	5/3/2016	Field Strength of Fundamental	Tested as delivered to Test Station.	No EMI suppression devices were added or modified during this test.	EUT remained at Northwest EMC following the test.
2	5/3/2016	Spurious Radiated Emissions	Tested as delivered to Test Station.	No EMI suppression devices were added or modified during this test.	Scheduled testing was completed.

# FIELD STRENGTH OF FUNDAMENTAL

Testing was performed using the mode(s) of operation and configuration(s) noted within the report. The individuals and/or the organization requesting the test provided the modes, configurations and settings used to complete the evaluation. The actual test parameters are specified in the test data, this includes items such as investigated frequency range (scanned) and test levels. The testing methods and performance specifications, as well as the test site used for the evaluation are indicated in the test data. The test data represents the configuration / operating mode/ model that produced the highest emission levels as compared to the specification limit.

## MODES OF OPERATION

On transmitting, 30Hz Data CW Depth 23.490kHz - 26.250kHz

## POWER SETTINGS INVESTIGATED

Battery 3.0VDC

## CONFIGURATIONS INVESTIGATED

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## FREQUENCY RANGE INVESTIGATED

Start Frequency	9 kHz	Stop Frequency	490 kHz
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## SAMPLE CALCULATIONS

Radiated Emissions: Field Strength = Measured Level + Antenna Factor + Cable Factor - Amplifier Gain + Distance Adjustment Factor + External Attenuation

## TEST EQUIPMENT

Description	Manufacturer	Model	ID	Last Cal.	Interval
Antenna	EMCO	6502	AOA	6/24/2014	24 mo
Cable	None	10m Test Distance Cable	EVL	5/11/2015	12 mo
Analyzer - Spectrum Analyzer	Agilent	E4443A	AFB	3/17/2015	24 mo

## TEST DESCRIPTION

The antennas to be used with the EUT were tested. The EUT was continuously transmitting while set to the channel specified.

Per ANSI C63.10 sections 6.4.4.1 and 6.4.4.2, the emissions from the EUT were maximized by rotating the EUT on the turntable. Also, the EUT and/or associated antenna was positioned in 3 orthogonal planes. A calibrated active loop antenna was used for this test in order to provide sufficient measurement sensitivity per section 4.5.1. The center of the loop antenna was maintained at 1m above the ground plane during the testing.

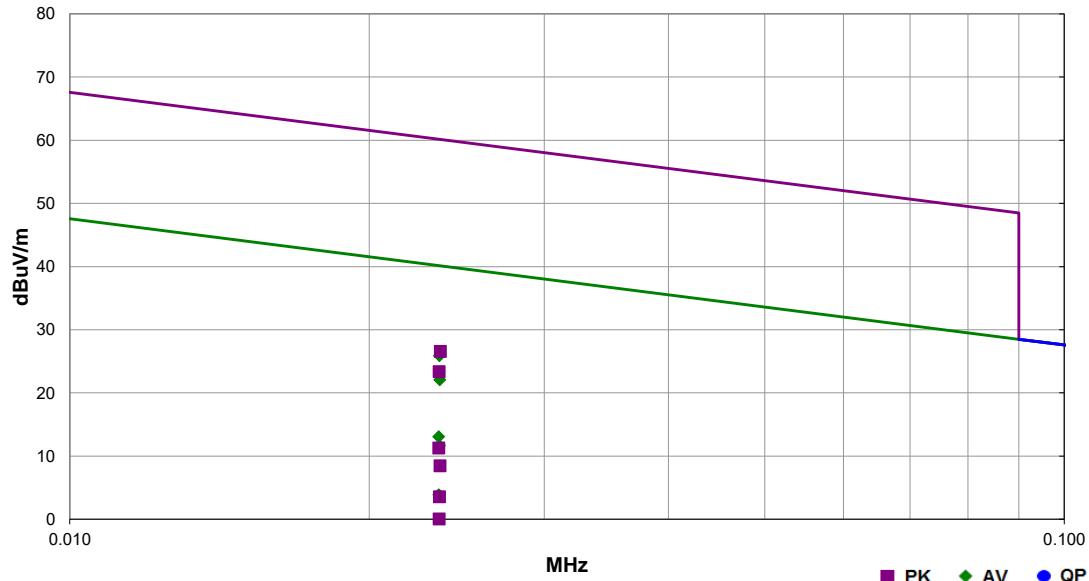
As outlined in 15.209(e) and 15.31(f)(2), measurements may be performed at a distance closer than what is specified with the limit. The limit at the specified distance is shown on the data sheet. Measurements are made at a closer distance and the data is adjusted using a distance correction factor of 40dB/decade for comparison to the limit.

If there are no detectable emissions above the noise floor, the data included will show noise floor measurements for reference only.

Work Order:	DIGC0240	Date:	05/03/16	 Tested by: Jeff Alcock and Rod Peloquin
Project:	None	Temperature:	22.7 °C	
Job Site:	EV11	Humidity:	45.9% RH	
Serial Number:	90000713	Barometric Pres.:	1020 mbar	
EUT:	BTPL			
Configuration:	2			
Customer:	Digital Control Incorporated			
Attendees:	None			
EUT Power:	Battery 3.0VDC			
Operating Mode:	On transmitting, 30Hz Data CW Depth 23.490kHz - 26.250kHz			
Deviations:	None			
Comments:	See comments below for antenna and EUT orientation			

Test Specifications	Test Method
FCC 15.209:2016	ANSI C63.10:2013

Run #	8	Test Distance (m)	10	Antenna Height(s)	1 to 4(m)	Results	Pass
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Freq (MHz)	Amplitude (dBuV)	Factor (dB)	Antenna Height (meters)	Azimuth (degrees)	Test Distance (meters)	External Attenuation (dB)	Polarity/Transducer Type	Detector	Distance Adjustment (dB)	Adjusted (dBuV/m)	Spec. Limit (dBuV/m)	Compared to Spec. (dB)	Comments
0.024	71.2	13.8	1.0	27.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	AV	-59.1	25.9	40.2	-14.3	Ant perp to GND, perp to EUT, EUT Horz
0.024	67.4	13.7	1.0	300.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	AV	-59.1	22.1	40.1	-18.1	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT Horz
0.024	58.4	13.8	1.0	235.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	AV	-59.1	13.1	40.2	-27.1	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT Vert
0.024	57.0	13.8	1.0	101.0	10.0	0.0	Vert	AV	-59.1	11.7	40.2	-28.5	Ant para to GND, perp to EUT, EUT Horz
0.024	71.9	13.7	1.0	27.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	PK	-59.1	26.6	60.1	-33.6	Ant perp to GND, perp to EUT, EUT Horz
0.024	49.2	13.8	1.0	206.0	10.0	0.0	Vert	AV	-59.1	3.9	40.2	-36.3	Ant para to GND, para to EUT, EUT Vert
0.024	49.1	13.8	1.0	343.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	AV	-59.1	3.8	40.2	-36.4	Ant perp to GND, perp to EUT, EUT Vert
0.024	68.7	13.8	1.0	300.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	PK	-59.1	23.4	60.2	-36.8	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT Horz
0.024	56.6	13.8	1.0	235.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	PK	-59.1	11.3	60.2	-48.9	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT Vert
0.024	53.8	13.7	1.0	101.0	10.0	0.0	Vert	PK	-59.1	8.5	60.1	-51.7	Ant para to GND, perp to EUT, EUT Horz
0.024	48.9	13.8	1.0	206.0	10.0	0.0	Vert	PK	-59.1	3.6	60.2	-56.6	Ant para to GND, perp to EUT, EUT Vert
0.024	45.4	13.8	1.0	343.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	PK	-59.1	0.1	60.2	-60.1	Ant perp to GND, perp to EUT, EUT Vert

# Spurious Radiated Emissions

Testing was performed using the mode(s) of operation and configuration(s) noted within the report. The individuals and/or the organization requesting the test provided the modes, configurations and settings used to complete the evaluation. The actual test parameters are specified in the test data, this includes items such as investigated frequency range (scanned) and test levels. The testing methods and performance specifications, as well as the test site used for the evaluation are indicated in the test data. The test data represents the configuration / operating mode/ model that produced the highest emission levels as compared to the specification limit.

## MODES OF OPERATION

On transmitting, 30Hz Data CW Depth 23.490kHz - 26.250kHz

## POWER SETTINGS INVESTIGATED

Battery 3.0VDC

## CONFIGURATIONS INVESTIGATED

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## FREQUENCY RANGE INVESTIGATED

Start Frequency	9 kHz	Stop Frequency	30 MHz
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## SAMPLE CALCULATIONS

Radiated Emissions: Field Strength = Measured Level + Antenna Factor + Cable Factor - Amplifier Gain + Distance Adjustment Factor + External Attenuation

## TEST EQUIPMENT

Description	Manufacturer	Model	ID	Last Cal.	Interval
Cable	None	10m Test Distance Cable	EVL	5/11/2015	12 mo
Antenna	EMCO	6502	AOA	6/24/2014	24 mo
Analyzer - Spectrum Analyzer	Agilent	E4443A	AFB	3/17/2015	24 mo

## TEST DESCRIPTION

The antennas to be used with the EUT were tested. The EUT was continuously transmitting while set to the channel specified.

Per ANSI C63.10 sections 6.4.4.1 and 6.4.4.2, the emissions from the EUT were maximized by rotating the EUT on the turntable. Also, the EUT and/or associated antenna was positioned in 3 orthogonal planes. A calibrated active loop antenna was used for this test in order to provide sufficient measurement sensitivity per section 4.5.1. The center of the loop antenna was maintained at 1m above the ground plane during the testing.

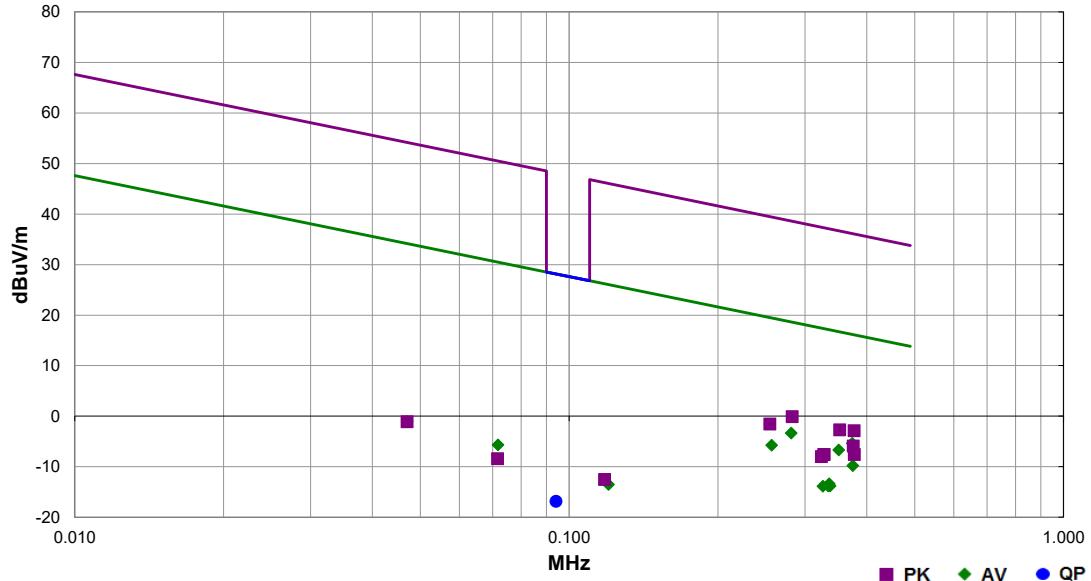
For measurements below 30 MHz, as outlined in 15.209(e) and 15.31(f)(2), measurements may be performed at a distance closer than what is specified with the limit. The limit at the specified distance is shown on the data sheet. Measurements are made at a closer distance and the data is adjusted using a distance correction factor of 40dB/decade for comparison to the limit. Per FCC 15.33(a)(4), measurements were taken up to the highest frequency range of either the 10th harmonic of the fundamental or the applicable digital frequency test range.

If there are no detectable emissions above the noise floor, the data included will show noise floor measurements for reference only.

Work Order:	DIGC0240	Date:	05/03/16	 Tested by: Jeff Alcock and Rod Peloquin
Project:	None	Temperature:	22.8 °C	
Job Site:	EV11	Humidity:	46.1% RH	
Serial Number:	90000713	Barometric Pres.:	1020 mbar	
EUT:	BTPL			
Configuration:	2			
Customer:	Digital Control Incorporated			
Attendees:	None			
EUT Power:	Battery 3.0VDC			
Operating Mode:	On transmitting, 30Hz Data CW Depth 23.490kHz - 26.250kHz			
Deviations:	None			
Comments:	See comments for antenna and EUT orientation			

Test Specifications	Test Method
FCC 15.209:2016	ANSI C63.10:2013

Run #	9	Test Distance (m)	10	Antenna Height(s)	1 to 4(m)	Results	Pass



Freq (MHz)	Amplitude (dBuV)	Factor (dB)	Antenna Height (meters)	Azimuth (degrees)	Test Distance (meters)	External Attenuation (dB)	Polarity/Transducer Type	Detector	Distance Adjustment (dB)	Adjusted (dBuV/m)	Spec. Limit (dBuV/m)	Compared to Spec. (dB)	Comments
0.374	43.7	10.0	1.0	9.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	AV	-59.1	-5.4	16.1	-21.5	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz
0.281	45.7	10.0	1.0	1.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	AV	-59.1	-3.4	18.6	-22.0	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz
0.351	42.4	10.0	1.0	5.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	AV	-59.1	-6.7	16.7	-23.4	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz
0.257	43.3	10.0	1.0	365.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	AV	-59.1	-5.7	19.4	-25.2	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz
0.375	39.3	10.0	1.0	312.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	AV	-59.1	-9.8	16.1	-25.9	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz
0.336	35.7	10.0	1.0	4.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	AV	-59.1	-13.4	17.1	-30.5	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT vert
0.337	35.3	10.0	1.0	11.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	AV	-59.1	-13.8	17.1	-30.8	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT vert
0.334	35.3	10.0	1.0	198.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	AV	-59.1	-13.8	17.1	-30.9	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz
0.326	35.2	10.0	1.0	347.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	AV	-59.1	-13.9	17.3	-31.2	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT vert
0.047	46.6	11.4	1.0	182.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	AV	-59.1	-1.1	34.1	-35.2	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz
0.072	42.7	10.7	1.0	174.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	AV	-59.1	-5.7	30.5	-36.2	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz
0.283	49.0	10.0	1.0	1.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	PK	-59.1	-0.1	38.6	-38.7	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz
0.377	46.2	10.0	1.0	9.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	PK	-59.1	-2.9	36.1	-39.0	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz
0.353	46.4	10.0	1.0	5.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	PK	-59.1	-2.7	36.7	-39.3	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz
0.120	35.3	10.3	1.0	208.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	AV	-59.1	-13.5	26.0	-39.6	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz
0.255	47.5	10.0	1.0	365.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	PK	-59.1	-1.5	39.5	-41.0	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz
0.376	43.2	10.0	1.0	312.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	PK	-59.1	-5.9	36.1	-42.0	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz
0.377	41.5	10.0	1.0	347.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	PK	-59.1	-7.6	36.1	-43.7	Ant para to GND, para to EUT, EUT vert
0.328	41.5	10.0	1.0	4.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	PK	-59.1	-7.6	37.3	-44.9	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT vert
0.328	41.5	10.0	1.0	198.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	PK	-59.1	-7.6	37.3	-44.9	Ant para to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz
0.094	31.7	10.5	1.0	234.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	QP	-59.1	-16.8	28.1	-45.0	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz
0.324	41.1	10.0	1.0	11.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	PK	-59.1	-8.0	37.4	-45.4	Ant para to GND, para to EUT, EUT vert
0.047	46.6	11.4	1.0	182.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	PK	-59.1	-1.1	54.1	-55.2	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz
0.118	36.3	10.3	1.0	208.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	PK	-59.1	-12.5	46.2	-58.7	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz
0.072	40.0	10.7	1.0	174.0	10.0	0.0	Horz	PK	-59.1	-8.4	50.5	-58.9	Ant perp to GND, para to EUT, EUT horz