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Test Report

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Model: TAG-006

Description: Body Worn Location Device

Serial Number: N/A

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15.21 - Information to User

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15.27(a) - Special Accessories

Equipment marked to a consumer must be capable of complying with the necessary regulations in the configuration in which the equipment is marketed. Where special accessories, such as shielded cables and/or special connectors are required to enable an unintentional or intentional radiator to comply with the emission limits in this part, the equipment must be marketed with, i.e. shipped and sold with, those special accessories. However, in lieu of shipping or packaging the special accessories with the unintentional or intentional radiator, the responsible party may employ other methods of ensuring that the special accessories are provided to the consumer without an additional charge.

Information detailing any alternative method used to supply the special accessories for a grant of equipment authorization or retained in the verification records, as appropriate. The party responsible for the equipment, as detailed in § 2.909 of this chapter, shall ensure that these special accessories are provided with the equipment. The instruction manual for such devices shall include appropriate instructions on the first page of text concerned with the installation of the device that these special accessories must be used with the device. It is the responsibility of the user to use the needed special accessories supplied with the equipment.



Standard Test Conditions Engineering Practices

Except as noted herein, the following conditions and procedures were observed during the testing:

In accordance with ANSI C63.10-2013 and unless otherwise indicated in the specific measurement results, the ambient temperature of the actual EUT was maintained within the range of 10° to 40°C (50° to 104°F) unless the particular equipment requirements specified testing over a different temperature range. Also, unless otherwise indicated, the humidity levels were in the range of 10% to 90% relative humidity.

Measurement results, unless otherwise noted, are worst-case measurements.

Environmental Conditions		
Temperature (°C)	Humidity (%)	Pressure (mbar)
20-27	26-37	942-989

EUT Description

Model: TAG-006

Description: Body Worn Location Device

Firmware: N/A

Software: N/A

Serial Number: N/A

Antenna Gain: -1.6 dBi

Additional Information: The EUT implements GFSK.

EUT Operation during Tests

The EUT was set to transmit at 100% duty cycle on the low, middle and highest channel of operation at the maximum available power level.

Accessories: None

Cables: None

Modifications: None

15.203: Antenna Requirement:

- ☒ The antenna is permanently attached to the EUT
- ☐ The antenna uses a unique coupling
- ☐ The EUT must be professionally installed
- ☐ The antenna requirement does not apply



Test Results Summary

FCC 15.247 Specification	RSS-247 Specification	Test Name	Pass, Fail, N/A	Comments
15.247(b)	Section 5.4(d)	Peak Output Power	Pass	
15.247(d)	Section 5.5	Conducted Spurious Emissions	Pass	
15.247(d), 15.209(a), 15.205	Section 5.5	Radiated Spurious Emissions	Pass	
15.247(d), 15.209(a), 15.205	Section 5.5	Emissions At Band Edges	Pass	
15.247(a)(2)	Sections 5.2(a)	Occupied Bandwidth	Pass	
15.247(e)	Section 5.2(b)	Transmitter Power Spectral Density	Pass	
15.207	RSS-GEN Section 8.8	A/C Powerline Conducted Emissions	N/A	EUT is Battery Powered

References	Description
CFR47, Part 15, Subpart B	Unintentional Radiators
CFR47, Part 15, Subpart C	Intentional Radiators
ANSI C63.10-2013	American National standard for testing Unlicensed Wireless Devices
ANSI C63.4-2014	Method and Measurements of Radio-Noise Emissions from low-Voltage Electrical and Electronic Equipment in the range 9kHz to 40GHz.
ISO/IEC 17025:2005	General requirements for the Competence of Testing and Calibrations Laboratories
KDB 558074 D01 v04	Guidance for Performing Compliance Measurements on Digital Transmission Systems (DTS) Operating under §15.247



Output Power

Engineer: Kenneth Lee

Test Date: 6/19/2018

Test Procedure

The EUT was connected directly to a spectrum analyzer. The Spectrum Analyzer was set to the following:

RBW $\geq$ DTS Bandwidth

VBW $\geq 3 \times$ RBW

Span $\geq 3 \times$ RBW

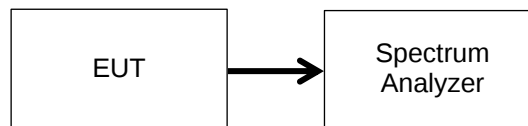
Sweep time = auto couple

Detector = peak

Trace Mode = max hold

The EUT was set to transmit on the lowest, middle and highest frequencies at the maximum power level. The RF output power was measured using the spectrum analyzer's marker peak function

Test Setup



Transmitter Output Power

Tuned Frequency (MHz)	Measured Value (dBm)	Specification Limit	Result
2402	3.327	1 W (30 dBm)	Pass
2426	3.549	1 W (30 dBm)	Pass
2480	2.433	1 W (30 dBm)	Pass



Radiated Spurious Emissions

Engineer: Kenneth Lee

Test Date: 6/19/2018

Test Procedure Radiated Spurious Emissions: 30 – 1000 MHz

The EUT was setup in a semi-anechoic test chamber set 3m from the receiving antenna. The EUT was set to transmit on the lowest, middle and highest frequency of operation at the maximum power level. The EUT was tested, in 3 orthogonal axis, by rotating it 360° with the receive antenna in both the vertical and horizontal orientation while raised from 1 to 4 meters to ensure the TX signal levels were maximized. A spectrum analyzer was used to verify that the EUT met the requirements for Radiated Spurious Emissions.

All emissions from 30 MHz to 1 GHz were examined.

Measured Level includes antenna and receiver cable correction factors.

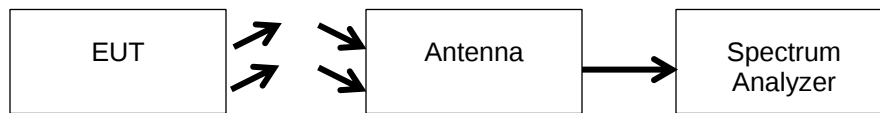
Correction factors were input into the spectrum analyzer before recording “Measured Level”.

RBW = 100 KHz

VBW = 300 KHz

Detector – Quasi Peak

Test Setup



Test Procedure for Radiated Spurious Emissions above 1 GHz

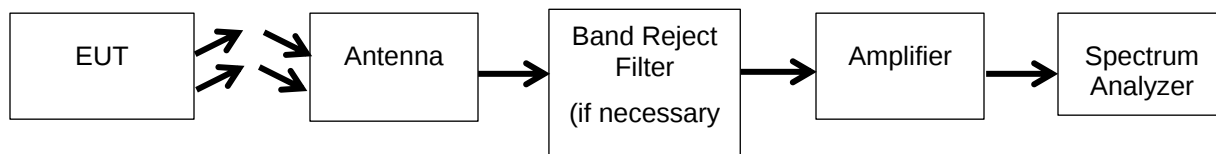
The EUT was setup in a semi-anechoic test chamber set 3m from the receiving antenna. The EUT was set to transmit on the lowest, middle and highest frequency of operation at the maximum power level. The EUT was tested, in 3 orthogonal axis, by rotating it 360° with the receive antenna in both the vertical and horizontal orientation while raised from 1 to 4 meters to ensure the TX signal levels were maximized. A spectrum analyzer was used to verify that the EUT met the requirements for Radiated Spurious Emissions.

RBW = 1 MHz

VBW = 3 MHz

Detector – Peak

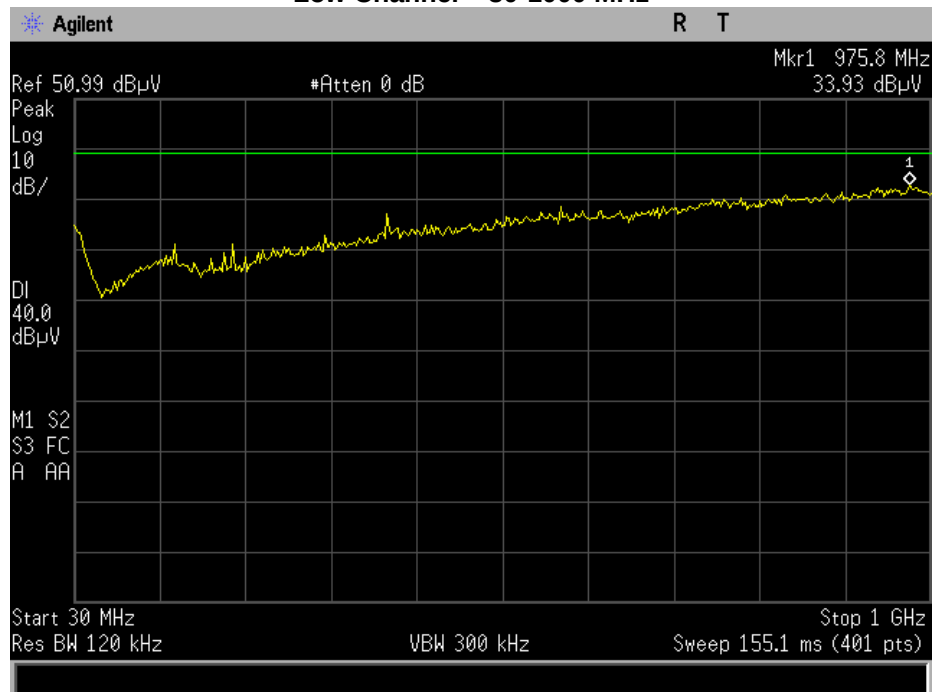
Test Setup



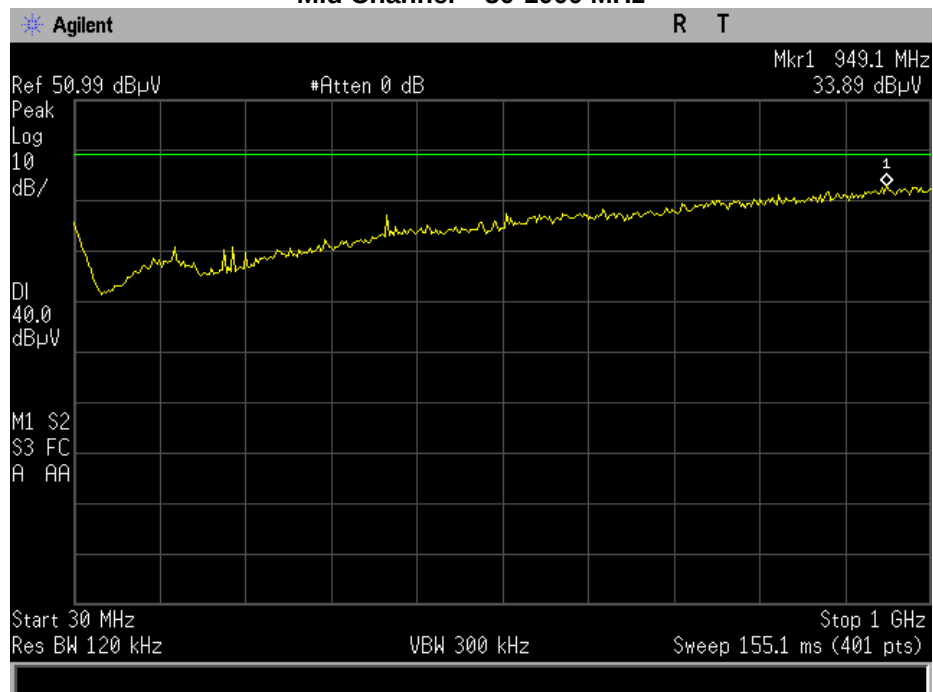


Radiated Spurious Emissions Plots

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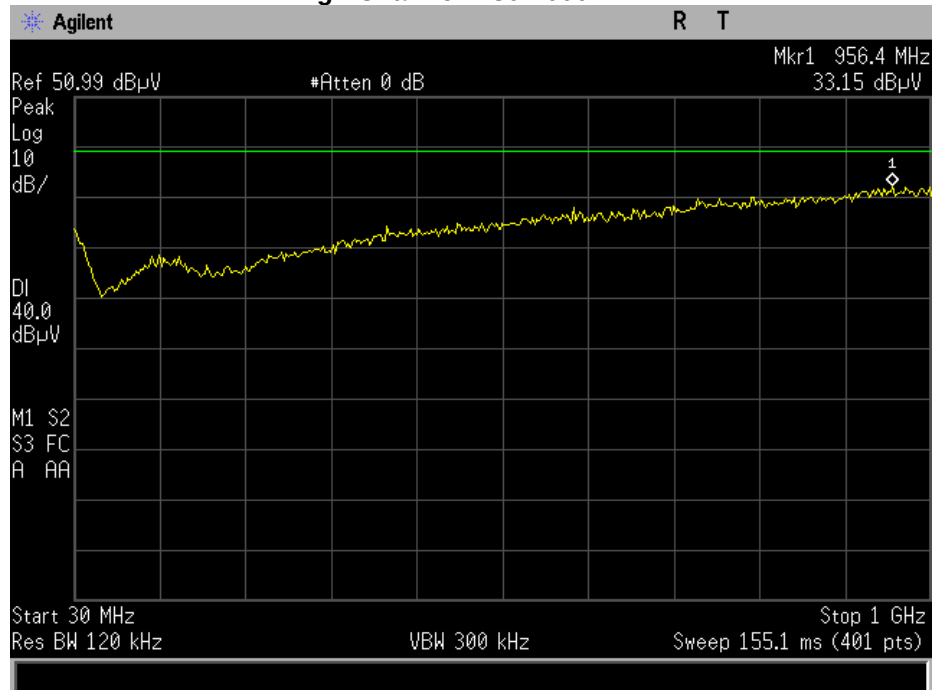


Mid Channel – 30-1000 MHz

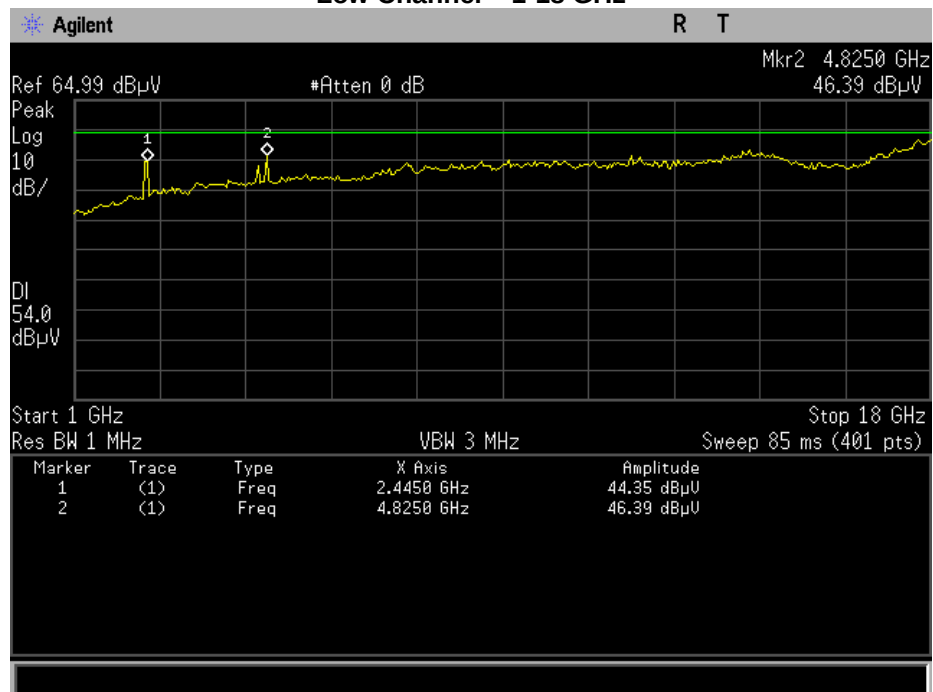




High Channel – 30-1000 MHz

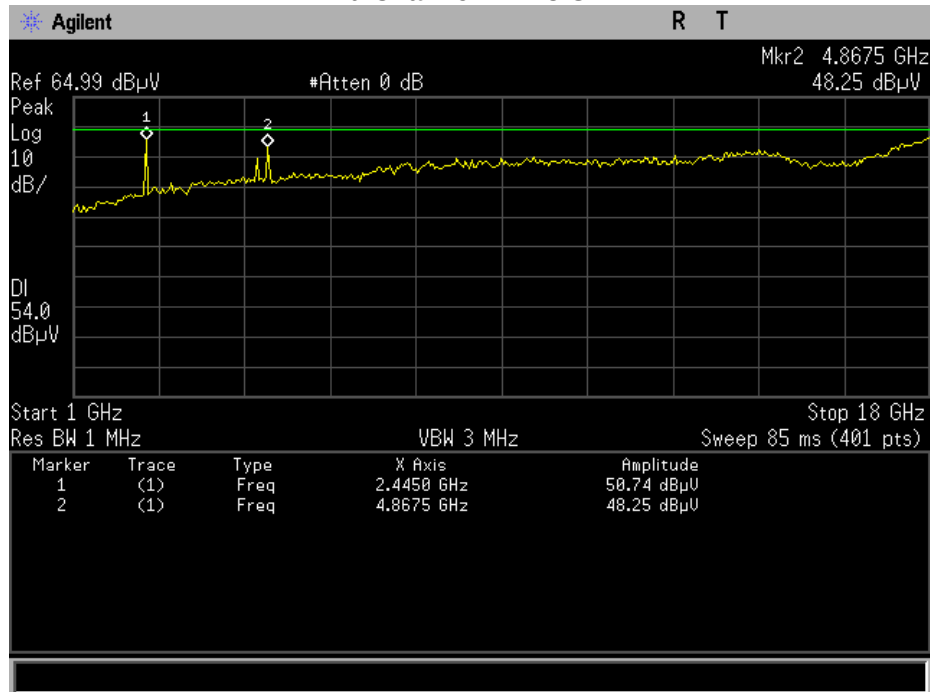


Low Channel – 1-18 GHz

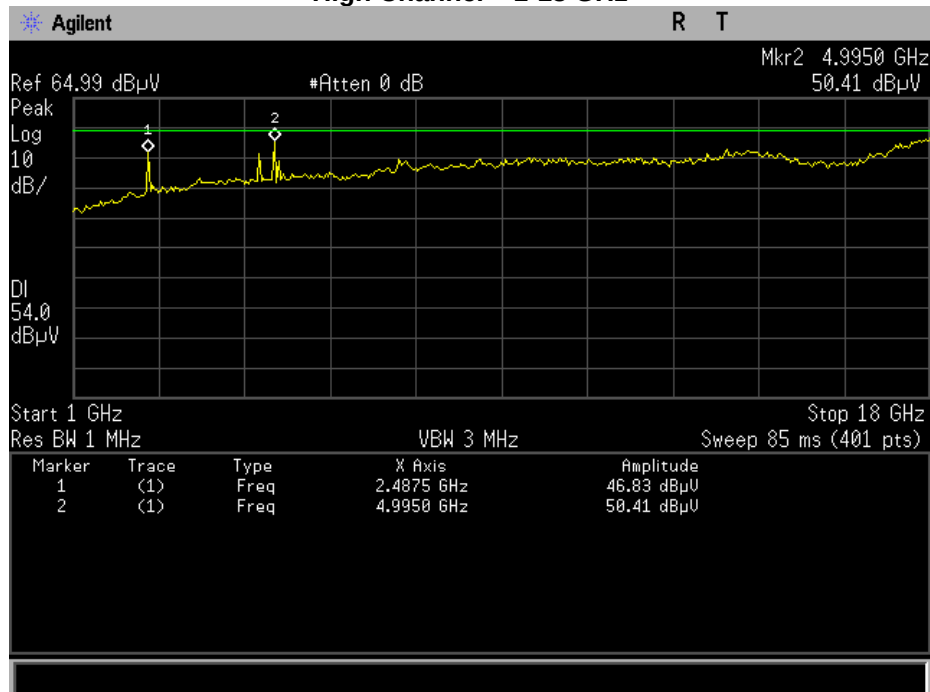




Mid Channel – 1-18 GHz



High Channel – 1-18 GHz



Testing was performed to the 10th harmonic of the device, only noise floor was discovered above 18 GHz.



Conducted Spurious Emissions

Engineer: Kenneth Lee

Test Date: 6/19/2018

Test Procedure

The EUT was connected directly to a spectrum analyzer. The Spectrum Analyzer was set to the following:

RBW = 100 kHz

VBW $\geq 3 \times$ RBW

Peak Detector

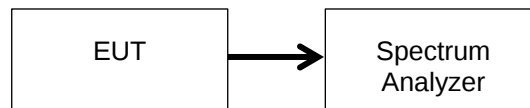
Trace mode = max hold

Sweep = auto couple

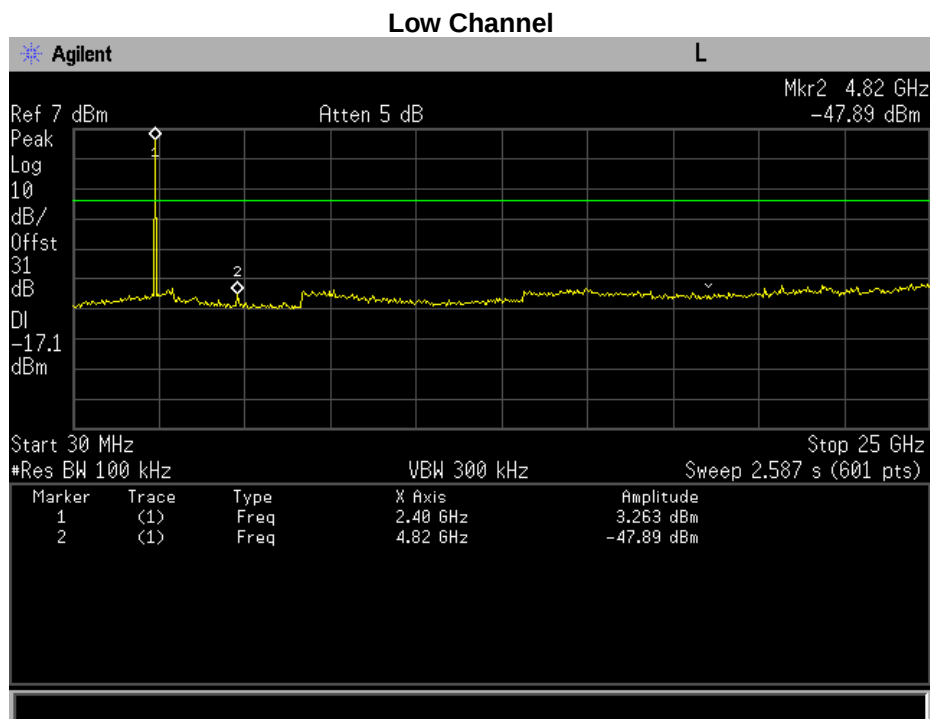
Frequency Range = 30MHz – 10th Harmonic of the fundamental

The EUT was set to transmit on the lowest, middle and highest frequencies at the maximum power level. The trace was allowed to stabilize. All emissions were investigated to insure they were attenuated from the peak fundamental by at least 20dB. If the average power levels were measured then the out-of-band emissions needed to be attenuated by 30dB. In addition, emissions were investigated at the band edges to insure all out-of-band emissions were attenuated 20 or 30dB as necessary.

Test Setup

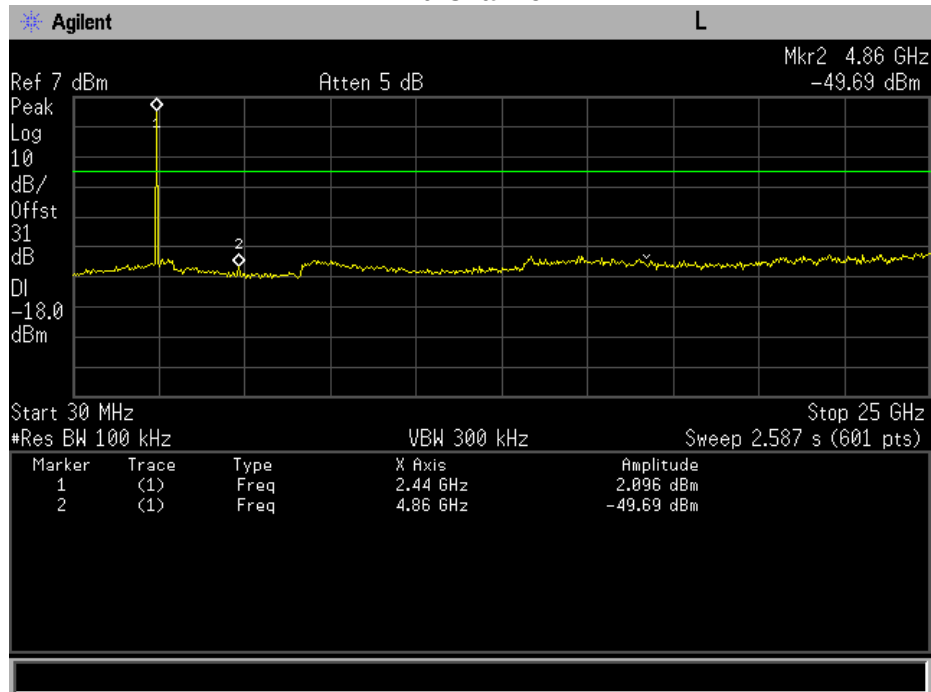


Conducted Spurious Emissions Plots

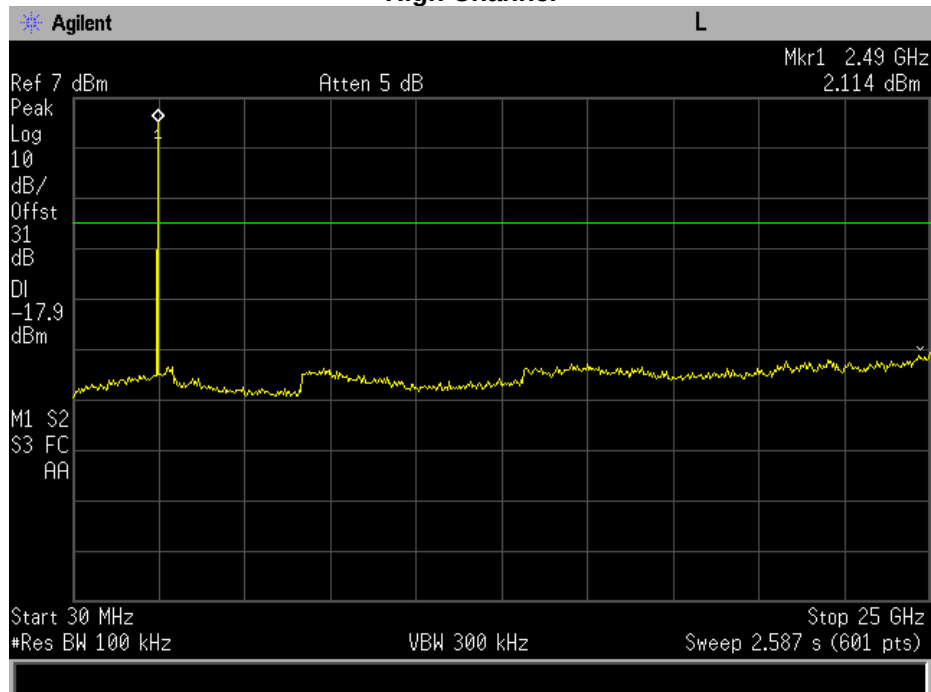




Mid Channel



High Channel





Emissions at Band Edges

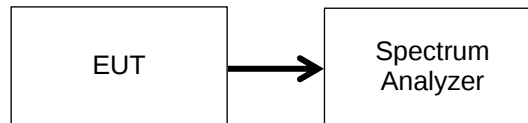
Engineer: Kenneth Lee

Test Date: 6/19/2018

Test Procedure

The EUT was connected directly to a spectrum analyzer. The spectrum analyzer was used to verify that the EUT met the requirements for band edges.

Test Setup



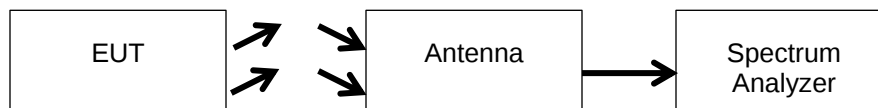
Band Edge Emissions Summary

Tuned Frequency (MHz)	Emission Frequency (MHz)	Monitored Level	Detector	Limit	Result
2402	2400	-52.49	Peak	-20 dBc	Pass
2480	2483.5	-48.27	Peak	-20 dBc	Pass

Restricted Band Edge Test Procedure

The EUT was tested in a semi-anechoic test chamber set 3m from the receiving antenna. A spectrum analyzer was used to verify that the EUT met the requirements for Restricted Band Edges. The EUT was tested in 3 orthogonal axis by rotating it 360° with the antenna in both the vertical and horizontal orientation and was raised from 1 to 4 meters to ensure the TX signal levels were maximized.

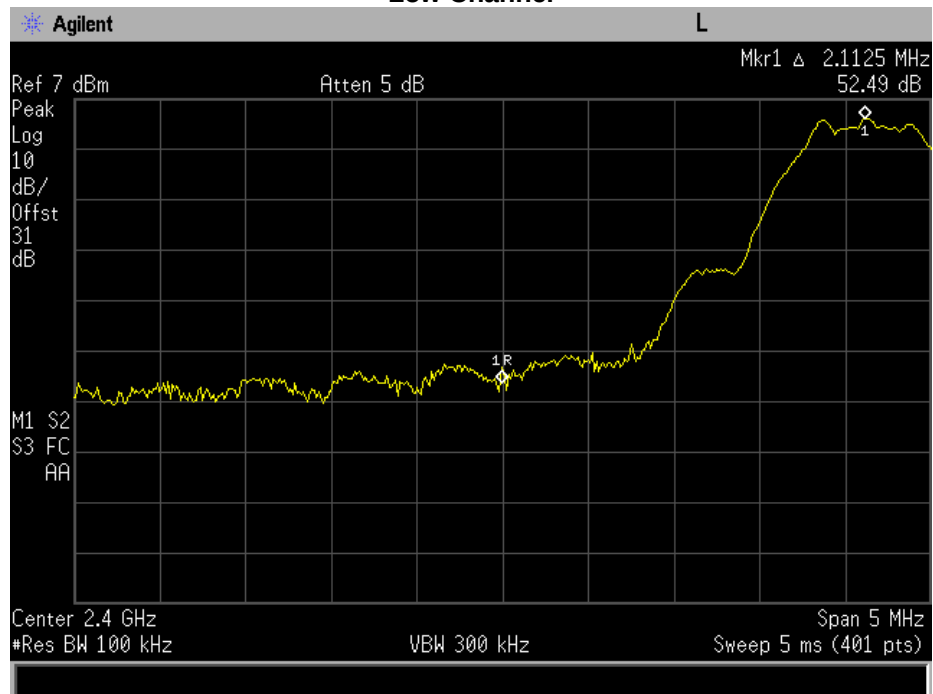
Test Setup



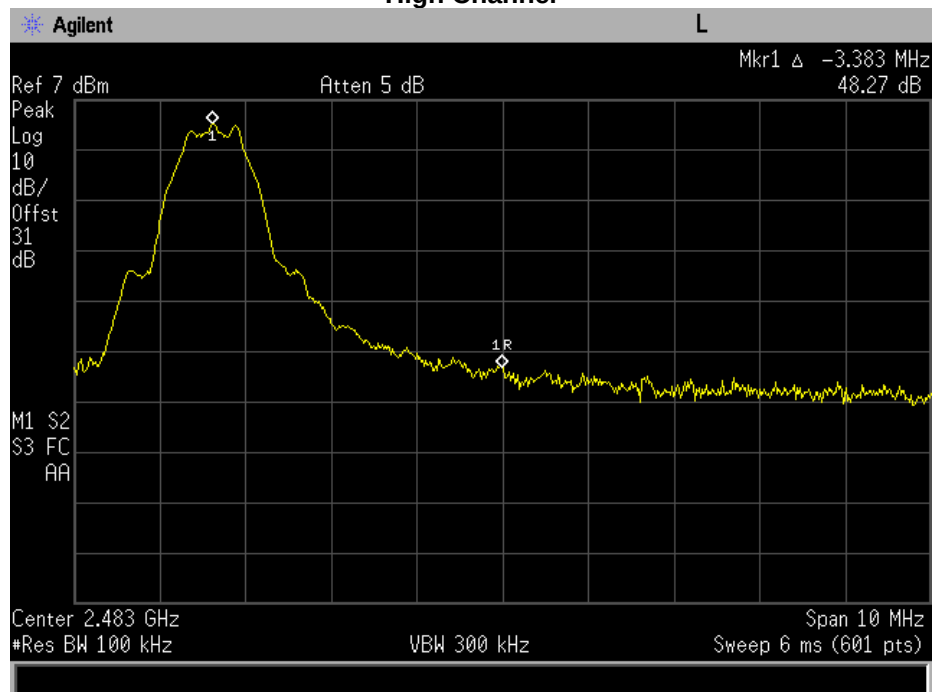


Band Edge Plots

Low Channel



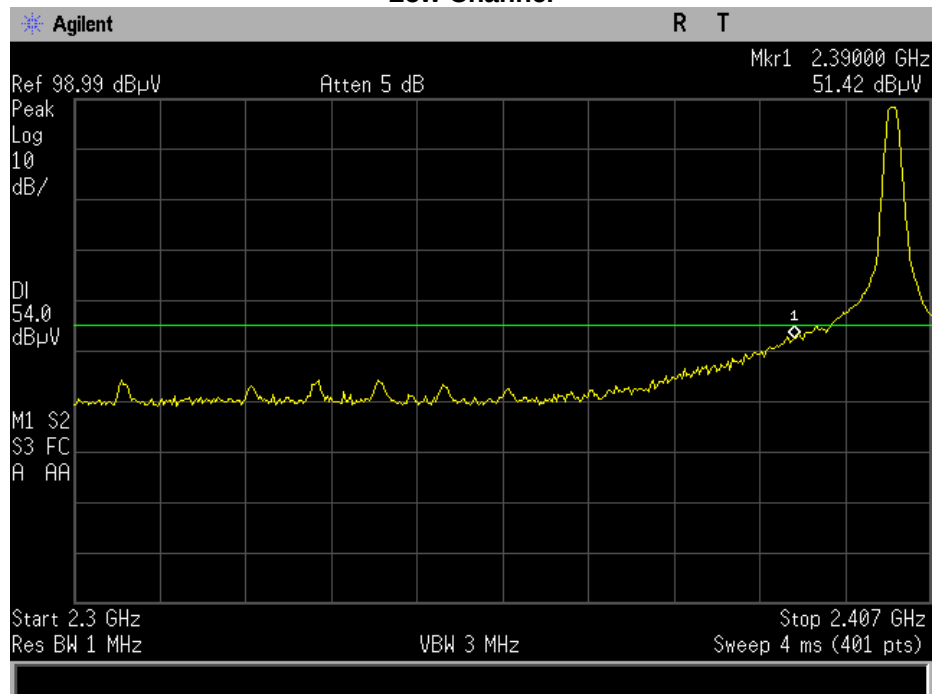
High Channel



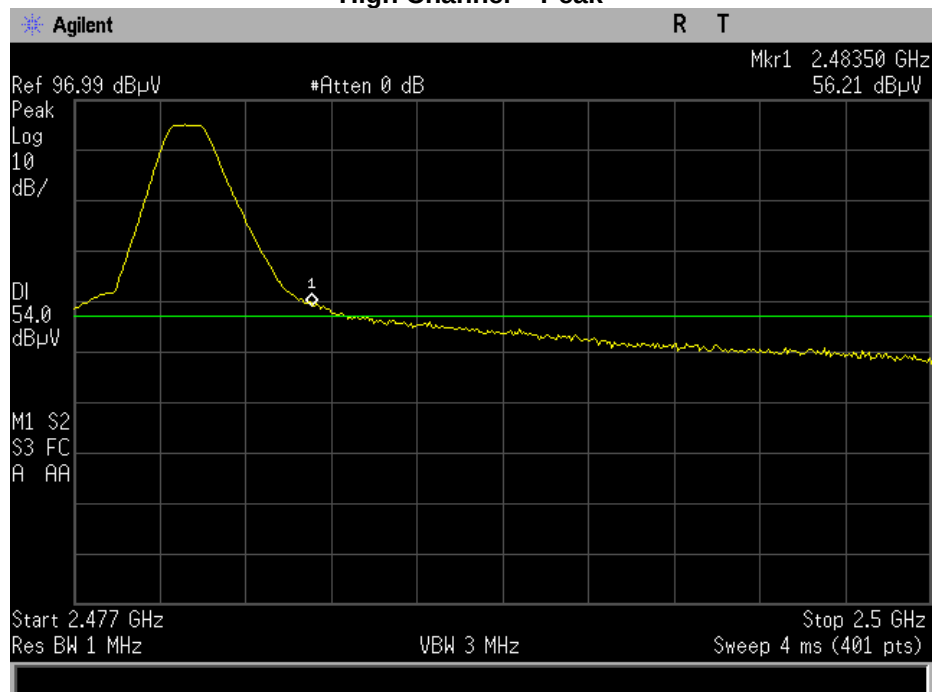


Restricted Band Edge Plots

Low Channel

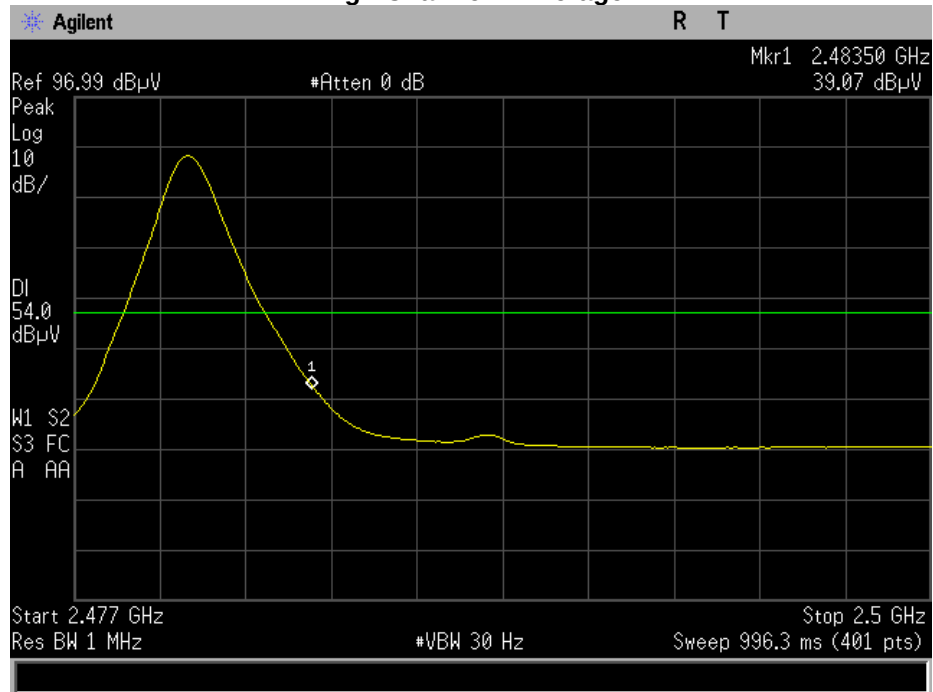


High Channel – Peak





High Channel – Average





DTS Bandwidth

Engineer: Kenneth Lee

Test Date: 6/19/2018

Test Procedure

The EUT was connected directly to a spectrum analyzer. The Spectrum Analyzer was set to the following:

RBW = 100 kHz

VBW $\geq 3 \times$ RBW

Peak Detector

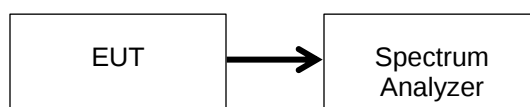
Trace mode = max hold

Sweep = auto couple

Span = $1.5 \times$ EBW

The EUT was set to transmit at the lowest, middle and highest channels of the band at the maximum power levels. The maximum width of the emission that was determined by the frequencies associated with the two outermost amplitude points (upper and lower frequencies) that were attenuated by 6db and this value was used to determine the width of the carrier. Alternatively, the spectrum analyzer's automatic bandwidth capability was used.

Test Setup



6 dB Occupied Bandwidth Summary

Frequency (MHz)	Measured Bandwidth (kHz)	Specification Limit (kHz)	Result
2402	731.947	≥ 500	Pass
2426	716.654	≥ 500	Pass
2480	735.127	≥ 500	Pass

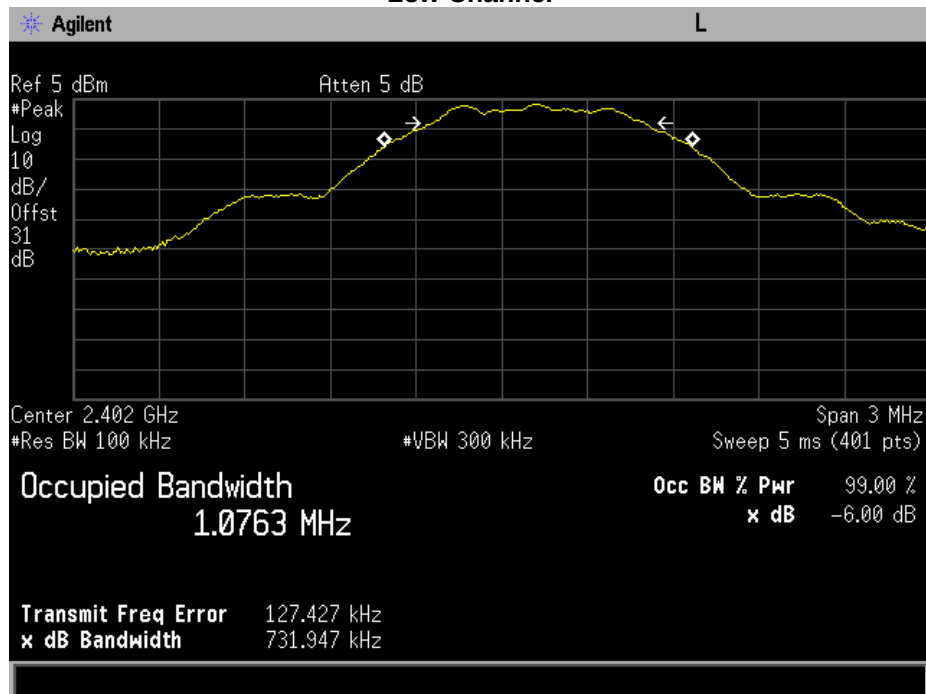
99% Bandwidth Summary

Frequency (MHz)	Measured Bandwidth (MHz)	Result
2402	1.0763	Pass
2426	1.0826	Pass
2480	1.0905	Pass

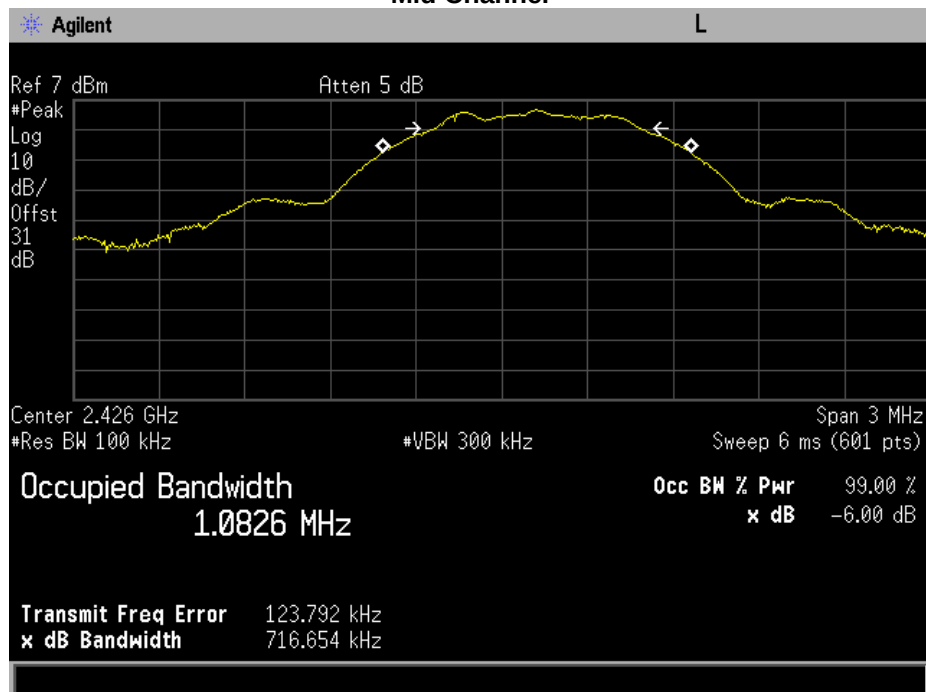


Occupied Bandwidth Plots

Low Channel

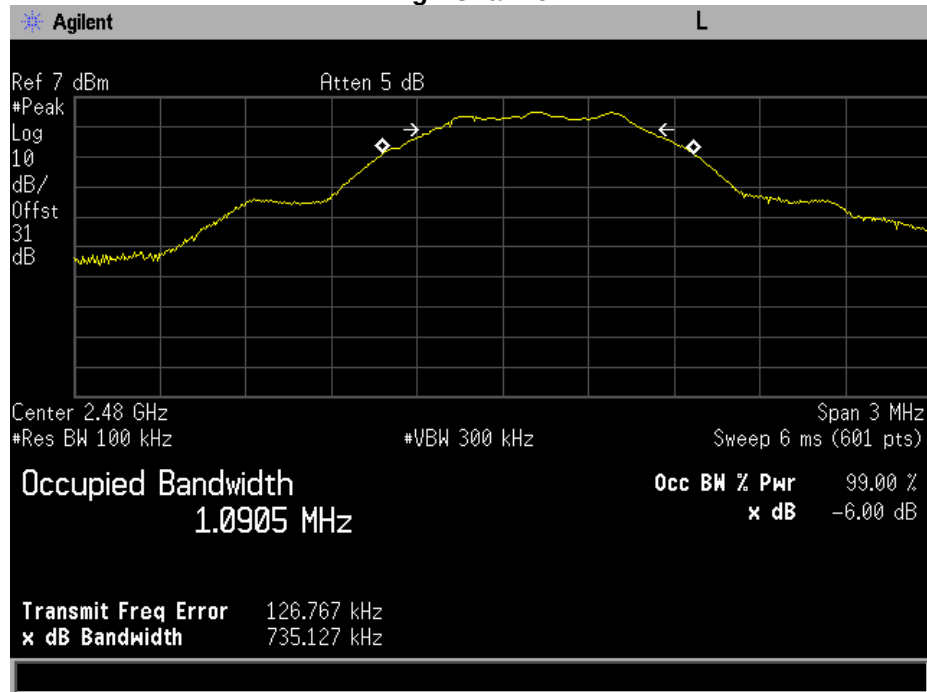


Mid Channel





High Channel





Transmitter Power Spectral Density (PSD)

Engineer: Kenneth Lee

Test Date: 6/19/2018

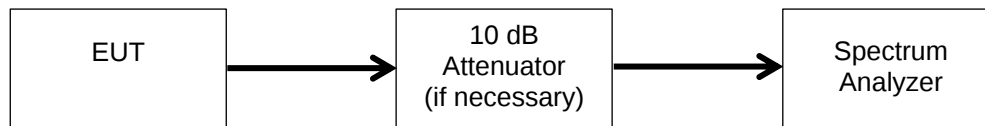
Test Procedure

The EUT was connected directly to a spectrum analyzer. The Spectrum Analyzer was set to the following:

DTS channel center frequency
Span 1.5 x DTS bandwidth
RBW = 3 kHz ≤ RBW ≤ 100 kHz
VBW ≥ 3 x RBW
Peak Detector
Sweep time = auto couple
Trace mode = max hold

The EUT was set to transmit at the lowest, middle and highest channels of the band at the maximum power levels. Once the trace has stabilized the peak marker was used to determine the peak power spectral density.

Test Setup



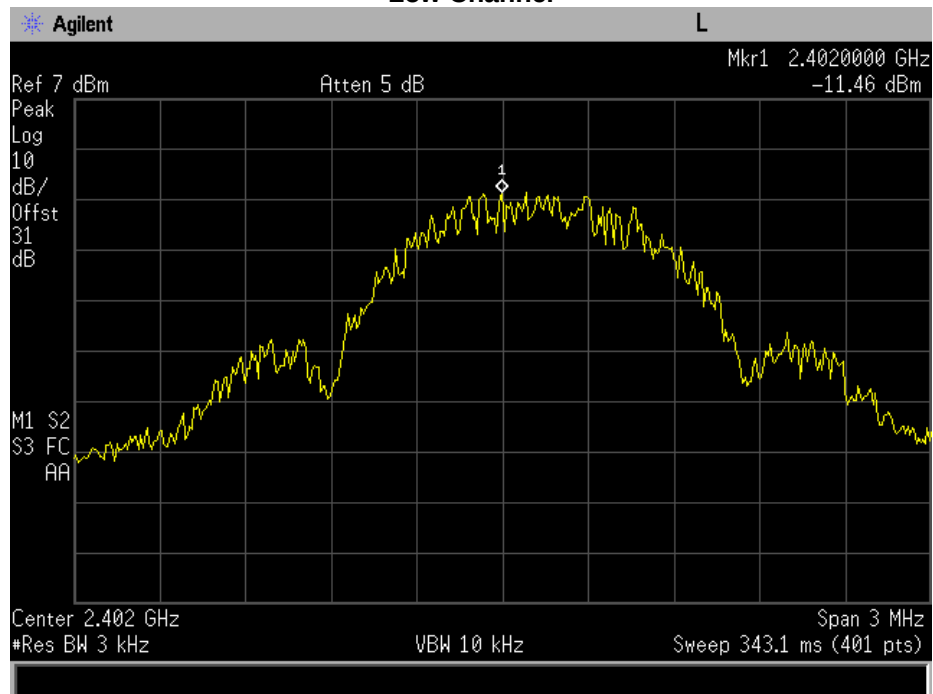
PSD Summary

Frequency (MHz)	Measured Data (dBm)	Specification Limit (dBm)	Result
2402	-11.46	8	Pass
2426	-10.44	8	Pass
2480	-10.27	8	Pass

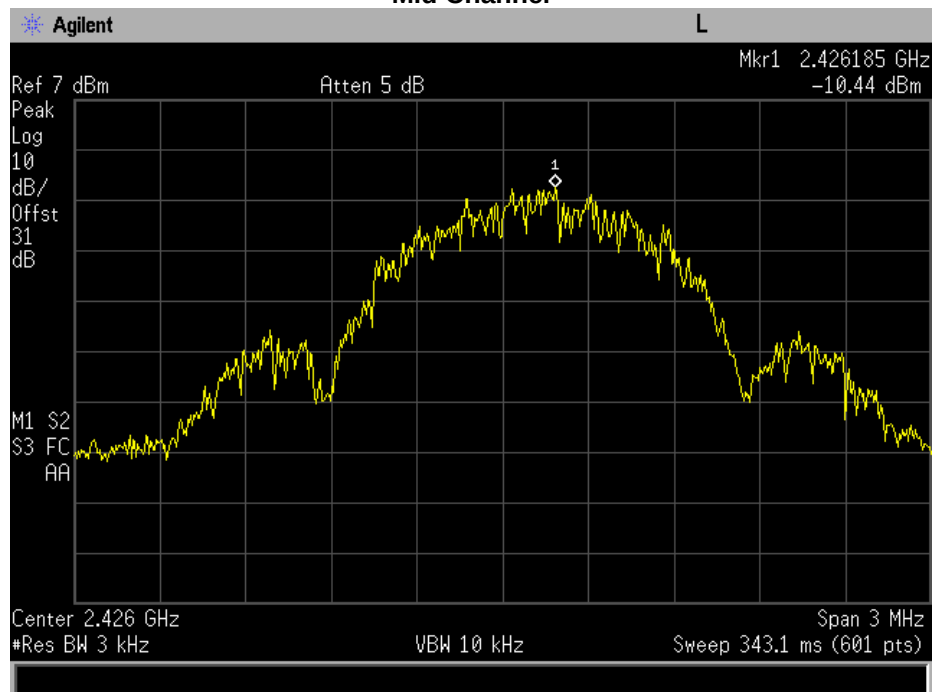


PSD Plots

Low Channel

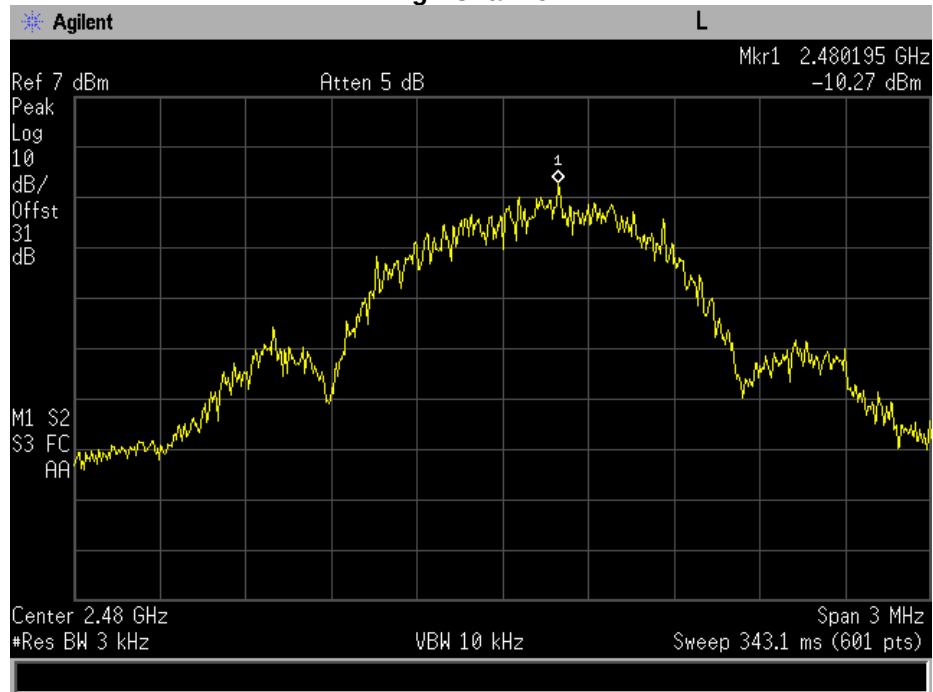


Mid Channel





High Channel





Test Equipment Utilized

Description	Manufacturer	Model #	CT Asset #	Last Cal Date	Cal Due Date
EMI Receiver	HP	8546A	i00033	3/26/18	3/26/19
Horn Antenna	EMCO	3115	i00103	2/3/17	2/3/19
Bi-Log antenna	Chase	CBL6111C	i00267	3/8/18	3/8/20
Humidity / Temp Meter	Newport	IBTHX-W-5	i00282	6/9/17	6/9/18
Bi-Log Antenna	Schaffner	CBL 6111D	i00349	8/3/16	8/3/18
EMI Analyzer	Agilent	E7405A	i00379	2/13/18	2/13/19
3 Meter Semi-Anechoic Chamber	Panashield	3 Meter Semi-Anechoic Chamber	i00428	8/15/16	8/15/19
Spectrum Analyzer	Agilent	E4407B	i00331	11/21/17	11/21/18
Preamplifier for 1-18GHz horn antenna	Miteq	AFS44 00101 400 23-10P-44	i00509	N/A	N/A

In addition to the above listed equipment standard RF connectors and cables were utilized in the testing of the described equipment. Prior to testing these components were tested to verify proper operation.

END OF TEST REPORT