

TEST REPORT

EUT Description	WLAN and BT, 2x2 PCIe M.2 2230 adapter card
Brand Name	Intel® Wi-Fi 6E AX211
Model Name	AX211NGW
FCC ID	PD9AX211NG
Date of Test Start/End	2021-05-20 /2021-09-07
Features	802.11ax, Dual Band, 2x2 Wi-Fi 6E + Bluetooth® 5.2 (see section 5)

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1. Standards, reference documents and applicable test methods

FCC	1. FCC Title 47 eCFR part 15 – Subpart E - Unlicensed National Information Infrastructure Devices. 2021-02-08 Online edition
	2. FCC Title 47 eCFR part 15 – Subpart C – §15.209 Radiated emission limits; general requirements. 2019-10-01 Edition
	3. FCC OET KDB 987594 D01 U-NII 6GHz General Requirements v01r02
	4. FCC OET KDB 987594 D02 U-NII 6 GHz EMC Measurement v01r01
	5. FCC OET KDB 987594 D03 U-NII 6 GHz QA v01
	6. FCC OET KDB 789033 D02 v02r01 General U-NII Test Procedures New Rules – Guidelines for compliance testing of Unlicensed National Information Infrastructure (U-NII) Devices (Part 15, Subpart E).
	7. ANSI C63.10-2013 American National Standard of Procedures for Compliance Testing of Unlicensed Wireless Devices.

2. General conditions, competences and guarantees

- ✓ Tests performed under FCC standards identified in section 1 are covered by A2LA accreditation.
- ✓ Intel Corporation SAS Wireless RF Lab (Intel WRF Lab) is an ISO/IEC 17025:2017 laboratory accredited by the American Association for Laboratory Accreditation (A2LA) with the certificate number 3478.01.
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- ✓ This report is only referred to the item that has undergone the test.
- ✓ This report does not imply an approval of the product by the Certification Bodies or competent Authorities.

3. Environmental Conditions

- ✓ At the site where the measurements were performed the following limits were not exceeded during the tests:

Temperature	24.3°C ± 1.7°C
Humidity	47.3% ± 1.9%

4. Test samples

Sample	Control #	Description	Model	Serial #	Date of receipt	Note
#01	200611-01.S04	WiFi 6E Module	AX211NGW	WFM:D8F8835981DE	2020-11-23	Used for 30MHz – 1GHz Spurious Emissions tests
	200611-03.S26	Extender	ADEXELEC	-	2020-07-01	
	200611-01.S07	Adaptor	PowerBy SNJ A4	-	2020-11-30	
	200602-03.S06	Absorber	MCS0	-	2020-07-03	
	170000-01.S01	Laptop	Latitude E5470	DBPLMC2	2017-03-28	
	200921-01.S01	Wieson Antenna	-	-	2020-09-28	
	200921-01.S02	Wieson Antenna	-	-	2020-09-28	
#02	200611-01.S17	WiFi 6E Module	AX211NGW	WFM:D8F883596CD0	2020-12-01	Used for 1GHz – 18GHz Spurious Emissions tests
	200611-03.S26	Extender	ADEXELEC	-	2020-07-01	
	200611-01.S07	Adaptor	PowerBy SNJ A4	-	2020-11-30	
	200602-03.S06	Absorber	MCS0	-	2020-07-03	
	170000-01.S01	Laptop	Latitude E5470	DBPLMC2	2017-03-28	
	200921-01.S01	Wieson Antenna	-	-	2020-09-28	
	200921-01.S02	Wieson Antenna	-	-	2020-09-28	
#03	200611-01.S17	WiFi 6E Module	AX211NGW	WFM:D8F883596CD0	2020-12-01	Used for 18GHz – 40GHz Spurious Emissions tests
	200611-03.S26	Extender	ADEXELEC	-	2020-07-01	
	200611-01.S07	Adaptor	PowerBy SNJ A4	-	2020-11-30	
	200602-03.S06	Absorber	MCS0	-	2020-07-03	
	170000-01.S01	Laptop	Latitude E5470	DBPLMC2	2017-03-28	
	200921-01.S03	Wieson Antenna	-	-	2020-09-28	
	200921-01.S04	Wieson Antenna	-	-	2020-09-28	

5. EUT Features

The herein information is provided by the customer.

Brand Name	Intel® Wi-Fi 6E AX211		
Model Name	AX211NGW		
Software Version	DRTU 01465_99_3500_57W		
Driver Version	99.0.58.3		
Prototype / Production	Production		
Supported Radios	802.11b/g/n/ax	2.4GHz (2400.0 – 2483.5 MHz)	
	802.11a/n/ac/ax	5.2GHz (5150.0 – 5350.0 MHz) 5.6GHz (5470.0 – 5725.0 MHz) 5.8GHz (5725.0 – 5850.0 MHz)	
	802.11ax	6.0GHz (5925.0 - 7125.0MHz)	
	Bluetooth 5.2	2.4GHz (2400.0 – 2483.5 MHz)	
Antenna Information	Transmitter	Chain A (Main)	Chain B (Aux)
	Manufacturer	Wieson	Wieson
	Antenna type	Dipole	Dipole
	Part number	ARY121-0009-002-H0	ARY121-0009-002-H0
	Declared Antenna gain (dBi) – 6-7 GHz	+5.39	+5.39

6. Remarks and comments

For all bands U-NII 5 to U-NII 8, the low, mid, high channels were tested for each RF chain (A, B or A+B), each bandwidth and each modulation. Only the worst case among the low, mid and high channels per sub-band has been reported in this test report

7. Test Verdicts summary

The statement of conformity to applicable standards in the table below are based on the measured values, without taking into account the measurement uncertainties.

7.1. 802.11 ax – U-NII- 5 to U-NII-8

FCC part	Test name	Verdict
15.209 15.35 (b) 15.407 (b) (5) (8)	Undesirable emissions limits (radiated)	P

8. Document Revision History

Revision #	Modified by	Revision Details
Rev. 00	K. RIDA	First Issue
Rev.01	N.BUI	Additional configurations tested for spurious emissions were performed

Annex A. Test & System Description

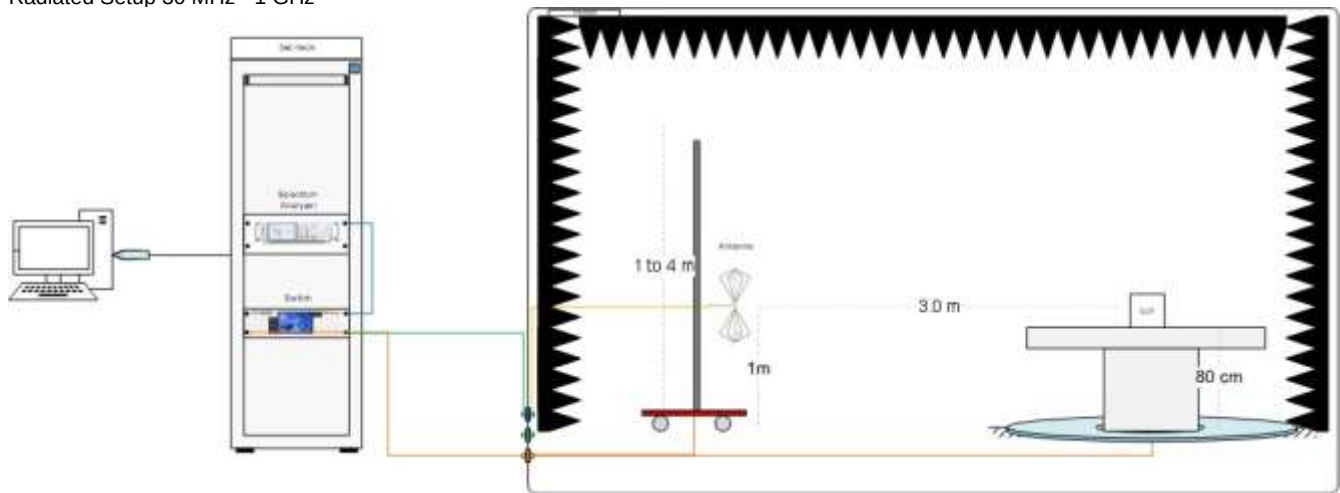
A.1 Measurement System

Measurements were performed using the following setups, made in accordance to the general provisions of ANSI C63.10-2013 Test Procedures.

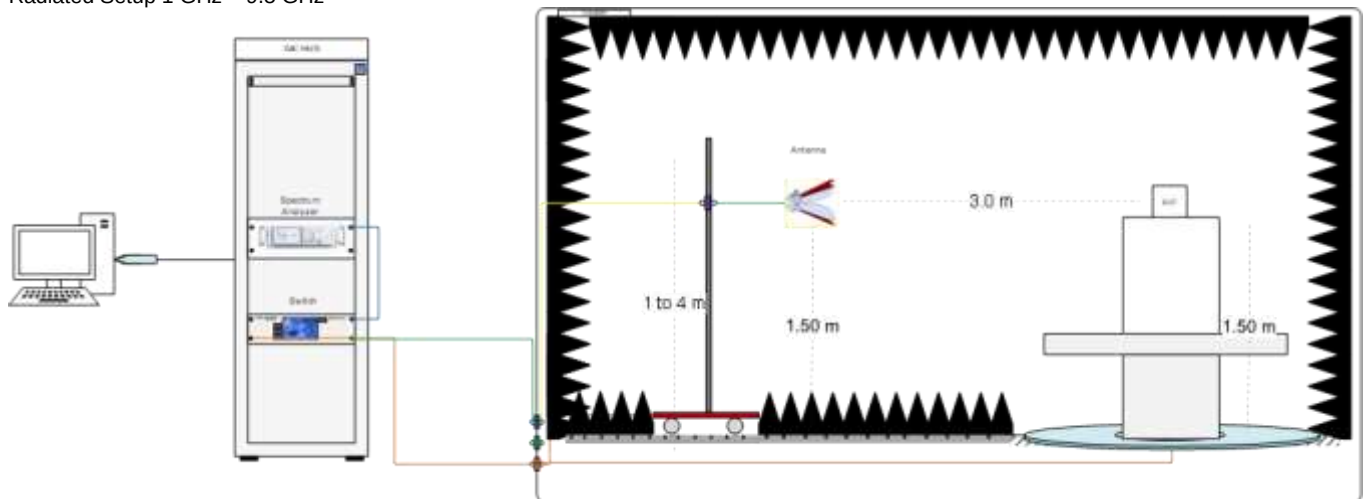
The DUT is installed in a test fixture and this test fixture is connected to a laptop computer and AC/DC power adapter. The laptop computer was used to configure the EUT to continuously transmit at a specified output power using all different modes and modulation schemes, using the Intel proprietary tool DRTU.

Radiated test setup

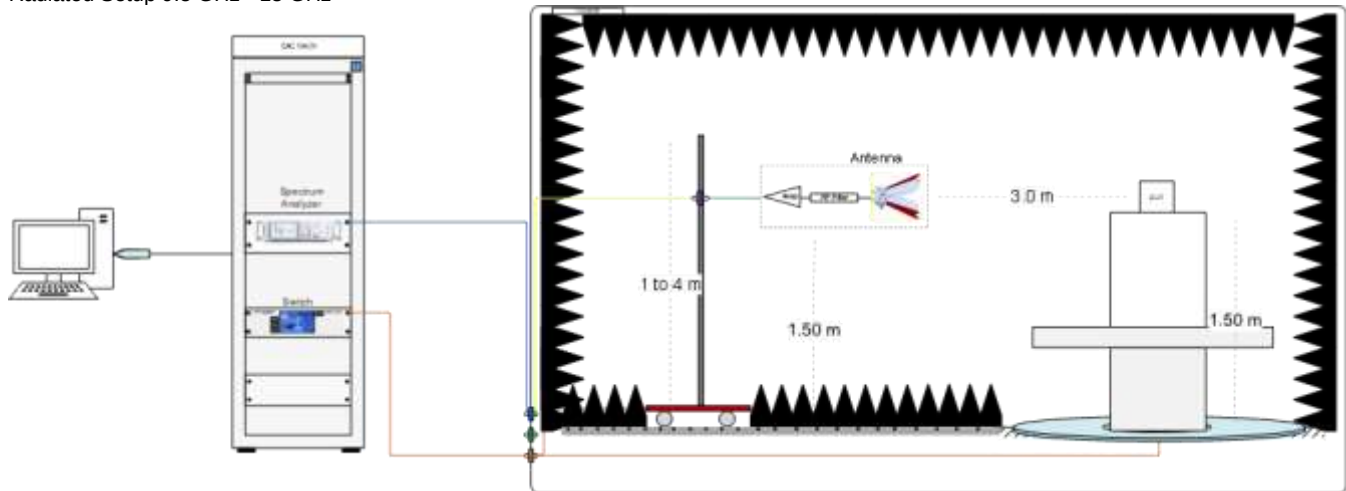
Radiated Setup 30 MHz - 1 GHz



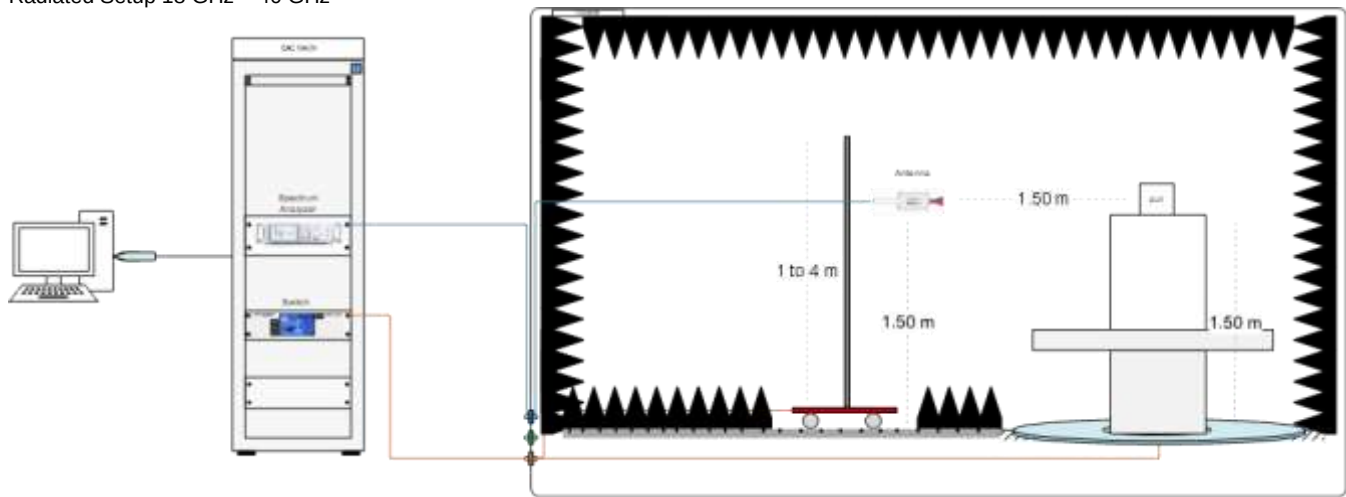
Radiated Setup 1 GHz – 9.5 GHz



Radiated Setup 9.5 GHz - 18 GHz



Radiated Setup 18 GHz – 40 GHz



Sample Calculation

The spurious received voltage $V(\text{dB}\mu\text{V})$ in the spectrum Analyzer is converted to Electric field strength using the transducer factor F corresponding to the Rx path Loss:

$$F(\text{dB/m}) = \text{Rx Antenna Factor (dB/m)} + \text{Cable losses (dB)} - \text{Amplifiers Gain (dBi)}$$

$$E(\text{dB}\mu\text{V/m}) = V(\text{dB}\mu\text{V}) + F(\text{dB/m})$$

For field strength measurements made at other than the distance at which the applicable limit is specified, the field strength of the emission at the distance specified by the limit is deduced as follows:

$$E_{\text{SpecLimit}} = E_{\text{Meas}} + 20 \cdot \log(D_{\text{Meas}}/D_{\text{SpecLimit}})$$

where

$E_{\text{SpecLimit}}$ is the field strength of the emission at the distance specified by the limit, in $\text{dB}\mu\text{V/m}$

E_{Meas} is the field strength of the emission at the measurement distance, in $\text{dB}\mu\text{V/m}$

D_{Meas} is the measurement distance, in m

$D_{\text{SpecLimit}}$ is the distance specified by the limit, in m

A.2 Test Equipment List

Radiated Setup #1

ID#	Device	Type/Model	Serial #	Manufacturer	Cal. Date	Cal. Due Date
006-000	Anechoic Chamber	FACT3	5720	ETS-Lindgren	2020-07-06	2022-01-07
006-001	Turn Table	ETS	-	ETS-Lindgren	N/A	N/A
006-002	Switch & Positioning systems	EMC Center	00159757	ETS-Lindgren	N/A	N/A
006-008	Measurement SW	EMC32, v10.40.10	100623	Rohde & Schwarz	N/A	N/A
006-011	Boresight antenna mast	BAM 4.0-P	P/278/2890.01	Maturo	N/A	N/A
006-019	Biconical antenna 30 MHz – 1 GHz	UBAA9115 + BBVU9135 + DGA9552N	0286 + CH 9044	Schwarzbeck	2019-11-22	2021-11-22
147-000	Spectrum analyzer	FSW43	101847	Rohde & Schwarz	2020-11-02	2022-11-02
*006-020	Horn antenna 3117	3117	00157734	ETS-Lindgren	2021-08-05	2023-08-05
057-000	Horn Antenna 3117 + Amplifier + HPF9.5	3117	00167062+00169546	ETS-Lindgren	2020-06-15	2022-06-15
*007-008	Double Horn Ridged antenna	3116C-PA	00169308bis + 00196308	ETS-Lindgren	2021-08-05	2023-08-05
006-039	Cable 2.5m - 30MHz to 18GHz	0500990992500KE	19.23.395	Radiall	2021-02-24	2022-02-12
006-030	Cable 1.2m – 18 to 40 GHz	UFA147A-0-0480-200200	MFR 64639223720-003	Micro-coax	2021-02-15	2022-02-12
006-034	Cable 1m - 1GHz to 18GHz	UFA147A	-	Utilflex	2021-02-19	2022-02-12
006-036	Cable 1m – 30 MHz - 18GHz	UFB311A-0-0590-50U50U	MFR 64639 223230-001	Micro-coax	2021-02-24	2022-02-12
006-052	RF Cable 7.5m	0501051057000GX	19.35.850	Radiall	2021-02-24	2022-02-12
006-038	Cable 7m - 18GHz to 40GHz	R286304009	-	Radiall	2021-02-15	2022-02-12
006-051	RF Cable 1.0m	CBL-1.5M-SMSM+	202879	Mini-Circuits	2021-02-24	2022-02-12
365-000	Temperature & Humidity logger	RA12E-TH1-RAS	00-80-A3-E1-6E-55	Avtech	2021-03-08	2023-03-08
140-000	Power Sensor	NRP-Z81	104382	Rohde & Schwarz	2020-04-08	2022-04-08

N/A: Not Applicable

*Items not used during out of calibration period

Radiated Setup #2

ID#	Device	Type/Model	Serial #	Manufacturer	Cal. Date	Cal. Due Date
007-000	Anechoic chamber	RFD-FA-100	5996	ETS Lindgren	2020-07-06	2022-07-06
007-002	Turntable	-	-	ETS Lindgren	N/A	N/A
007-003	Antenna Tower	2171B-3.0M	00150123	ETS Lindgren	N/A	N/A
007-006	Switch & Positioner	EMCenter	00151232	ETS Lindgren	N/A	N/A
007-005	Measurement SW	EMC32, V11.20.00	100401	Rohde & Schwarz	N/A	N/A
127-000	Spectrum Analyzer	FSV40	101358	Rohde & Schwarz	2021-01-15	2023-01-15
*007-007	Double Ridge Horn (1- 18GHz)	3117	00152266	ETS Lindgren	2020-03-18	2022-03-18
057-000	Horn Antenna 3117 + Amplifier + HPF9.5	3117	00167062+00169546	ETS-Lindgren	2020-06-15	2022-06-15
*007-008	Double Horn Ridged antenna	3116C-PA	00169308bis 00196308	ETS-Lindgren	2021-08-05	2023-08-05
*007-022	RF Cable 1-18GHz, 1.5m	0501050991200GX	19.23.493	Radiall	2021-08-12	2022-02-12
*007-020	RF Cable 1-18GHz, 1.2 m	2301761761200PJ	12.22.1104	Radiall	2021-08-12	2022-02-12
*007-011	RF Cable 1-18GHz - 6.5m	140-8500-11-51	001	Spectrum	2021-08-12	2022-02-12
*007-015	RF Cable 1GHz-18GHz 1.5m	-	-	Spirent	2021-08-12	2022-02-12
*007-014	RF Cable 18-40 GHz 6m	R286304009	1747364	Radiall	2021-08-12	2022-02-12
*007-023	RF Cable 1m DC-40GHz	PE360-100CM	-	Pasternack	2021-08-12	2022-02-12
*007-018	RF Cable 1-9.5GHz 1.2m	0500990991200KE	-	Radiall	2021-08-12	2022-02-12
145-000	Temp & Humidity Logger	RA12E-TH1-RAS	RA12-B89BE3	Avtech	2020-01-22	2022-01-22

N/A: Not Applicable

*Items not used during out of calibration period

A.3 Measurement Uncertainty Evaluation

The system uncertainty evaluation is shown in the table below with a coverage factor of $k = 2$ to indicate a 95% level of confidence:

Measurement type	Uncertainty	Unit
Radiated tests <1GHz	± 5.99	dB
Radiated tests 1GHz – 40 GHz	± 5.85	dB

Annex B. Test Results

The herein test results were performed by:

Test case measurement	Test Personnel
Radiated spurious emissions	A. Lounes. N.Bui

B.1 Test Conditions

For 802.11ax20 (20 MHz channel bandwidth), 802.11ax40 (40MHz channel bandwidth), 802.11ax80 (80MHz channel bandwidth) and 802.11ax160 (160MHz channel bandwidth) modes the EUT can transmit at both CHAIN A and CHAIN B RF outputs individually, and also simultaneously.

The conducted RF output power at each chain was adjusted according to target values from the following table using the Intel DRTU tool and measuring the power by using a power meter.

Measured values for adjustment were within +/- 0.25 dB from the declared target values.

UNII-5 to UNII-8					Conducted Power, Target Value (dBm)		
Mode	BW (MHz)	Data Rate	CH #	Freq. (MHz)	SISO Chain A	SISO Chain B	MIMO at each ports A and B
802.11ax20	20	HE0	1	5955	21	21	21
			45	6175	21	21	21
			93	6415	21	21	21
			97	6435	18	18	18
			105	6475	18	18	15
			113	6515	18	18	15
			117	6535	21	21	21
			149	6695	21	21	21
			181	6855	21	21	21
			185	6875	18	18	15
			209	7095	18	18	15
			233	7115	18	18	15
802.11ax40	40	HE0	3	5965	21	21	21
			43	6165	21	21	21
			91	6405	21	21	21
			99	6445	18	18	15
			107	6485	18	18	15
			115	6525	18	18	15
			147	6685	21	21	21
			179	6845	21	21	21
			187	6885	18	18	15
802.11ax80	80	HE0	227	7085	18	18	15
			7	5985	21	21	21
			39	6145	21	21	21
			87	6385	21	21	21
			103	6465	18	18	15
			119	6545	18	18	15
			135	6625	21	21	21
			167	6785	21	21	21
			183	6865	18	18	15
802.11ax160	160	HE0	199	6945	18	18	15
			215	7025	18	18	15
			15	6015	21	21	21
			79	6345	21	21	21
			111	6175	18	18	15
			143	6335	21	21	21
			207	6985	18	18	15

B.2 Radiated spurious emission

Standard references

FCC part	Limits																				
15.407 (b) (5)	For transmitters operating within the 5.925-7.125 GHz band: Any emissions outside of the 5.925-7.125 GHz band must not exceed an e.i.r.p. of -27 dBm/MHz.																				
15.35 (b)	When average radiated emission measurements are specified in this part, including average emission measurements below 1000 MHz, there also is a limit on the peak level of the radio frequency emissions. Unless otherwise specified, e.g., see §§15.250, 15.252, 15.253(d), 15.255, 15.256, and 15.509 through 15.519, the limit on peak radio frequency emissions is 20 dB above the maximum permitted average emission limit applicable to the equipment under test.																				
15.407 (b) (8)	Unwanted emissions below 1 GHz must comply with the general field strength limits set forth in §15.209.																				
15.209	Radiated emissions which fall in the restricted bands, as defined in §15.205(a), must also comply with the radiated emission limits specified in §15.209(a): <table><tr><th>Freq Range (MHz)</th><th>Field Strength (μV/m)</th><th>Field Strength (dBμV/m)</th><th>Meas. Distance (m)</th></tr><tr><td>30-88</td><td>100</td><td>40</td><td>3</td></tr><tr><td>88-216</td><td>150</td><td>43.5</td><td>3</td></tr><tr><td>216-960</td><td>200</td><td>46</td><td>3</td></tr><tr><td>Above 960</td><td>500</td><td>54</td><td>3</td></tr></table> The emission limits shown in the above table are based on measurements employing CISPR quasi-peak detector except for the frequency bands above 1000 MHz. Radiated emission limits in this band is based on measurements employing an average detector. For average radiated emission measurements above 1000 MHz, there is also a limit specified when measuring with peak detector function, corresponding to 20 dB above the indicated values in the table.	Freq Range (MHz)	Field Strength (μV/m)	Field Strength (dBμV/m)	Meas. Distance (m)	30-88	100	40	3	88-216	150	43.5	3	216-960	200	46	3	Above 960	500	54	3
Freq Range (MHz)	Field Strength (μV/m)	Field Strength (dBμV/m)	Meas. Distance (m)																		
30-88	100	40	3																		
88-216	150	43.5	3																		
216-960	200	46	3																		
Above 960	500	54	3																		

Test procedure

The radiated setups shown in section *Test & System Description* were used to measure the radiated spurious emissions.

Depending of the frequency range and bands being tested, different antennas and filters were used.

- For frequencies less than or equal to 1000 MHz, measurements were made with the CISPR quasi-peak detector with a resolution bandwidth of 120kHz and a video bandwidth 3 times of the resolution bandwidth.
- For restricted bands, measurements above 1000 MHz were performed using average and peak detectors with a minimum resolution bandwidth of 1 MHz and a video bandwidth 3 times of the resolution bandwidth
- For unrestricted bands, measurements above 1000 MHz were performed using RMS and peak detectors with a minimum resolution bandwidth of 1 MHz and a video bandwidth 3 times of the resolution bandwidth

The final measurement is performed by varying the antenna height from 1 m to 4 m, the EUT rotating in azimuth over 360° for both vertical and horizontal polarizations.

Test Results

B.2.1 802.11ax U-NII-5 to U-NII-8

UNII-5

Radiated spurious - 30 MHz – 1 GHz

All modes

Frequency	QuasiPeak	Limit	Margin	Polar
MHz	dBμV/m	dBμV/m	dBμV/m	---
50.0	37.6	40.0	2.4	V
424.3	44.3	46.0	1.7	H

Note 1: The spurious signals detected do not depend on either the operating channel or the modulation mode.

1 GHz – 40 GHz, 802.11ax80, HE0, Chain A+B

CH87

Frequency	MaxPeak	Average	RMS	Limit	Margin	Polar
MHz	dBμV/m	dBμV/m	dBμV/m	dBμV/m	dB	---
5107.6	54.5	---	---	74.0	19.6	H
5108.0	---	48.5	---	54.0	5.5	H
17796.5	52.0	---	---	74.0	22.0	H
17806.4	---	41.7	---	54.0	12.3	V
39594.0	---	46.7	---	54.0	7.4	V
39594.5	58.3	---	---	74.0	15.7	H

UNII-6

Radiated spurious - 30 MHz – 1 GHz

All modes

Frequency	QuasiPeak	Limit	Margin	Polar
MHz	dBµV/m	dBµV/m	dBµV/m	---
50.0	33.2	40.0	6.8	V
416.0	43.8	46.0	2.2	H

Note 1: The spurious signals detected do not depend on either the operating channel or the modulation mode.

1 GHz – 40 GHz, 802.11ax20, HE0, Chain A+B

CH97

Frequency	MaxPeak	Average	RMS	Limit	Margin	Polar
MHz	dBµV/m	dBµV/m	dBµV/m	dBµV/m	dB	---
3860.3	49.2	---	---	74.0	24.8	V
3860.8	---	41.5	---	54.0	12.5	H
5147.8	53.6	---	---	74.0	20.4	V
5147.8	---	50.1	---	54.0	3.9	V
17820.6	53.7	---	---	74.0	20.3	V
17833.8	---	41.4	---	54.0	12.6	V
39474.9	---	46.4	---	54.0	7.7	H
39483.6	56.9	---	---	74.0	17.1	V

UNII-7**Radiated spurious - 30 MHz – 1 GHz****All modes**

Frequency	QuasiPeak	Limit	Margin	Polar
MHz	dBμV/m	dBμV/m	dBμV/m	---
50.0	33.6	40.0	6.4	V
416.0	43.5	46.0	2.5	H

Note 1: The spurious signals detected do not depend on either the operating channel or the modulation mode.

1 GHz – 40 GHz, 802.11ax80, HE0, Chain A+B**CH167**

Frequency	MaxPeak	Average	RMS	Limit	Margin	Polar
MHz	dBμV/m	dBμV/m	dBμV/m	dBμV/m	dB	---
5427.8	---	49.9	---	54.0	4.1	V
5427.8	54.2	---	---	74.0	19.8	V
17792.7	53.2	---	---	74.0	20.8	V
17796.5	---	41.4	---	54.0	12.6	V
39448.4	56.9	---	---	74.0	17.1	H
39505.3	---	46.9	---	54.0	7.1	V

UNII-8

Radiated spurious - 30 MHz – 1 GHz

All modes

Frequency	QuasiPeak	Limit	Margin	Polar
MHz	dBµV/m	dBµV/m	dBµV/m	---
37.5	34.8	40.0	5.2	V
50.0	38.1	40.0	1.9	V

Note 1: The spurious signals detected do not depend on either the operating channel or the modulation mode.

1 GHz – 40 GHz, 802.11ax20, HE0, Chain A+B

CH233

Frequency	MaxPeak	Average	RMS	Limit	Margin	Polar
MHz	dBµV/m	dBµV/m	dBµV/m	dBµV/m	dB	---
4268.9	50.7	---	---	74.0	23.3	V
4268.9	---	41.4	---	54.0	12.6	H
5691.9	55.7	---	---	88.2	32.6	V
5691.9	---	51.2	68.2	---	17.0	V
17806.9	53.4	---	---	74.0	20.6	H
17838.5	---	41.4	---	54.0	12.6	V
39417.1	56.8	---	---	74.0	17.2	V
39428.7	---	46.0	---	54.0	8.0	H