



FCC RF Test Report

APPLICANT : Quectel Wireless Solutions Co., Ltd.
EQUIPMENT : Smart Module
BRAND NAME : Quectel
MODEL NAME : SC20-W
FCC ID : XMR201709SC20W
STANDARD : FCC Part 15 Subpart C §15.247
CLASSIFICATION : (DTS) Digital Transmission System

This is a data re-used report which is only valid together with the original test report. The product was received on Apr. 10, 2017 and testing was completed on Aug. 17, 2017. We, Sporton International (KunShan) Inc., would like to declare that the tested sample has been evaluated in accordance with the test procedures and has been in compliance with the applicable technical standards.

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REVISION HISTORY

REPORT NO.	VERSION	DESCRIPTION	ISSUED DATE
FR741007-02B	Rev. 01	Initial issue of report	Aug. 30, 2017



SUMMARY OF TEST RESULT

Report Section	FCC Rule	Description	Limit	Result	Remark
2.1	15.247(d)	Radiated Band Edges and Spurious Emission	15.209(a) & 15.247(d)	Pass	Under limit 9.60 dB at 450.980 MHz
2.2	15.203 & 15.247(b)	Antenna Requirement	N/A	Pass	-



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 Module
Brand Name	Quectel
Model Name	SC20-W
FCC ID	XMR201709SC20W
EUT supports Radios application	WLAN 2.4GHz 802.11b/g/n HT20/HT40 WLAN 5GHz 802.11a/n HT20/HT40 Bluetooth v3.0 + EDR/Bluetooth v4.1 LE
HW Version	R1.0
SW Version	SC20WSCR04A01H8G
EUT Stage	Identical Prototype

Remark: The above EUT's information was declared by manufacturer. Please refer to the specifications or user's manual for more detailed description.

1.4 Product Specification of Equipment Under Test

Standards-related Product Specification	
Tx/Rx Frequency Range	2402 MHz ~ 2480 MHz
Number of Channels	40
Carrier Frequency of Each Channel	40 Channel(37 hopping + 3 advertising channel)
Antenna Type	Dipole Antenna with gain 3.00 dBi
Type of Modulation	Bluetooth LE : GFSK

1.5 Modification of EUT

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

1.6 Testing Location

Sporton Lab is accredited to ISO 17025 by National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program (NVLAP code: 600155-0) and the FCC designation No is CN5013.

Test Site	Sporton International (Kunshan) Inc.	
Test Site Location	No.3-2 Ping-Xiang Rd, Kunshan Development Zone Kunshan City Jiangsu Province 215335 China TEL : +86-512-57900158 FAX : +86-512-57900958	
Test Site No.	Sporton Site No.	FCC Test Firm Registration No.
	03CH03-KS	630927

Note: The test site complies with ANSI C63.4 2014 requirement.



1.7 Re-use of Measured Data

1.7.1 Introduction Section

This application re-uses data collected on a similar device. The subject device of this application (Model: SC20-W, FCC ID: XMR201709SC20W) is electrically identical to the reference device (Model: SC20-A, FCC ID: XMR201706SC20A) for the portions of the circuitry corresponding to the data being re-used, as treated by KDB Publication 178919 D01.

1.7.2 Difference Section

For details concerning the similarity with respect to component placement, mechanical/electrical design etc., please refer to the Operational Description.

The re-used RF data includes the following bands provided in Appendix B (Sporton RF Report No. FR741007B for the reference device Model: SC20-A, FCC ID: XMR201706SC20A):

1.7.3 Spot Check Verification Data Section

In order to confirm hardware similarity of the subject device with the reference device, spot check measurements were performed on the subject device for the worst of radiated spurious emission.

Assertions concerning the similarity of these devices are based on representations by the applicant. The applicant accepts full responsibility for the validity of the similarity claim, and for the determination that verification test data are sufficient to support it.

1.7.4 Reference detail Section:

Equipment Class	Reference FCC ID	Folder Test/RF Exposure	Report Title/Section
DSS	XMR201706SC20A	Part15C(FR741007A)	All sections applicable
DTS (BLE)	XMR201706SC20A	Part15C(FR741007B)	All sections applicable
DTS (WLAN)	XMR201706SC20A	Part15C(FR741007C)	All sections applicable

2 Test Result

2.1 Radiated Band Edges and Spurious Emission Measurement

2.1.1 Limit of Radiated Band Edges and Spurious Emission

In any 100 kHz bandwidth outside the intentional radiator frequency band, all harmonics/spurious must be at least 20 dB below the highest emission level within the authorized band. If the output power of this device was measured by spectrum analyzer, the attenuation under this paragraph shall be 30 dB instead of 20 dB. In addition, radiated emissions which fall in the restricted bands must also comply with the limits as below.

Frequency (MHz)	Field Strength (microvolts/meter)	Measurement Distance (meters)
0.009 – 0.490	2400/F(kHz)	300
0.490 – 1.705	24000/F(kHz)	30
1.705 – 30.0	30	30
30 – 88	100	3
88 – 216	150	3
216 - 960	200	3
Above 960	500	3

2.1.2 Measuring Instruments

The section 4.0 of List of Measuring Equipment of this test report is used for test.



2.1.3 Test Procedures

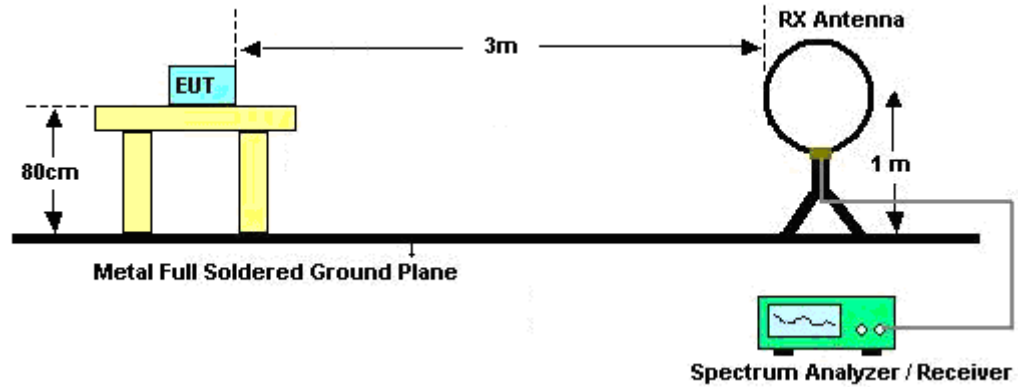
1. The testing follows FCC KDB Publication No. 558074 D01 DTS Meas. Guidance v03r05.
2. The EUT was arranged to its worst case and then tune the antenna tower (from 1 m to 4 m) and turntable (from 0 degree to 360 degrees) to find the maximum reading. A pre-amp and a high pass filter are used for the test in order to get better signal level.
3. The EUT was placed on a turntable with 0.8 meter for frequency below 1GHz and 1.5 meter for frequency above 1GHz respectively above ground.
4. The EUT was set 3 meters from the interference receiving antenna, which was mounted on the top of a variable height antenna tower.
5. Corrected Reading: Antenna Factor + Cable Loss + Read Level - Preamp Factor = Level
6. For measurement below 1GHz, If the emission level of the EUT measured by the peak detector is 3 dB lower than the applicable limit, the peak emission level will be reported. Otherwise, the emission measurement will be repeated using the quasi-peak detector and reported.
7. Use the following spectrum analyzer settings:
 - (1) Span shall wide enough to fully capture the emission being measured;
 - (2) Set RBW=100 kHz for $f < 1$ GHz; VBW $\geq$ RBW; Sweep = auto; Detector function = peak; Trace = max hold;
 - (3) Set RBW = 1 MHz, VBW= 3MHz for $f \geq 1$ GHz for peak measurement.

For average measurement:

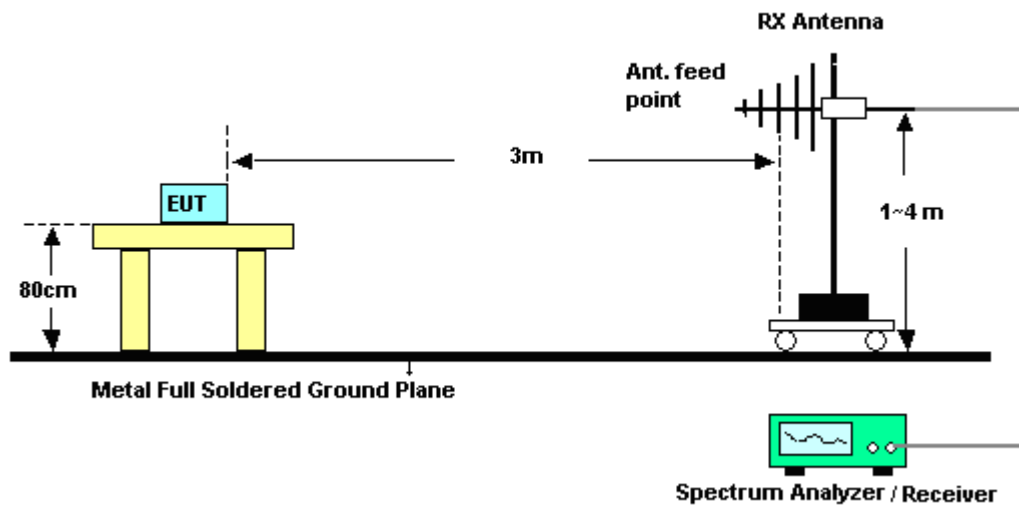
 - VBW = 10 Hz, when duty cycle is no less than 98 percent.
 - VBW $\geq 1/T$, when duty cycle is less than 98 percent where T is the minimum transmission duration over which the transmitter is on and is transmitting at its maximum power control level for the tested mode of operation.

2.1.4 Test Setup

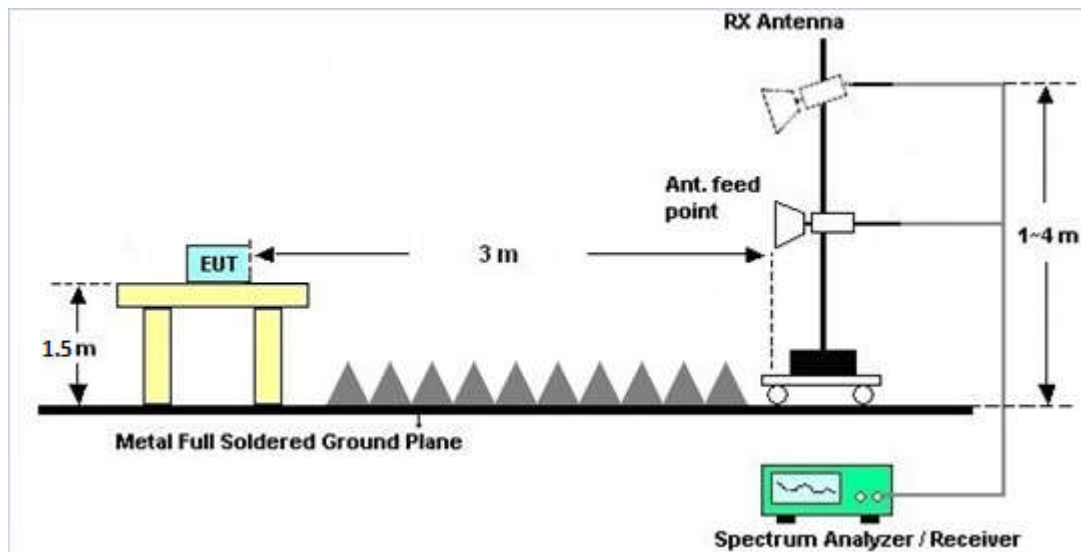
For radiated emissions below 30MHz



For radiated emissions from 30MHz to 1GHz



For radiated emissions above 1GHz



2.1.5 Test Results of Radiated Spurious Emissions (9 kHz ~ 30 MHz)

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.

2.1.6 Test Result of Radiated Spurious at Band Edges

Please refer to Appendix A.

2.1.7 Duty Cycle

Please refer to Appendix B.

2.1.8 Test Result of Radiated Spurious Emission (30MHz ~ 10th Harmonic)

Please refer to Appendix A.



2.2 Antenna Requirements

2.2.1 Standard Applicable

If directional gain of transmitting antennas is greater than 6dBi, the power shall be reduced by the same level in dB comparing to gain minus 6dBi. The use of a permanently attached antenna or of an antenna that uses a unique coupling to the intentional radiator shall be considered sufficient to comply with the rule.

2.2.2 Antenna Anti-Replacement Construction

Non-standard antenna connector is used.

2.2.3 Antenna Gain

The antenna peak gain of EUT is less than 6 dBi. Therefore, it is not necessary to reduce maximum peak output power limit.



3 List of Measuring Equipment

Instrument	Manufacturer	Model No.	Serial No.	Characteristics	Calibration Date	Test Date	Due Date	Remark
EMI Test Receiver	Keysight	N9038A	MY56400004	3Hz~8.5GHz;Max 30dBm	Oct. 22,2016	Aug. 17, 2017	Oct. 21,2017	Radiation (03CH03-KS)
EXA Spectrum Analyzer	Keysight	N9010A	MY55150244	10Hz-44GHz	Apr. 18, 2017	Aug. 17, 2017	Apr. 17, 2018	Radiation (03CH03-KS)
Loop Antenna	R&S	HFH2-Z2	100321	9kHz~30MHz	Nov. 23, 2016	Aug. 17, 2017	Nov. 22, 2017	Radiation (03CH03-KS)
Bilog Antenna	TeseQ	CBL6112D	35406	25MHz-2GHz	Apr. 22, 2017	Aug. 17, 2017	Apr. 21, 2018	Radiation (03CH03-KS)
Horn Antenna	Schwarzbeck	BBHA9120D	9120D-1356	1GHz~18GHz	Apr. 22, 2017	Aug. 17, 2017	Apr. 21, 2018	Radiation (03CH03-KS)
SHF-EHF Horn	com-power	AH-840	101070	18GHz ~40GHz	Oct. 19, 2016	Aug. 17, 2017	Oct. 18, 2017	Radiation (03CH03-KS)
Amplifier	com-power	PA-103A	161069	1MHz ~1000MHz / 32 dB	Apr 18, 2017	Aug. 17, 2017	Apr 17, 2018	Radiation (03CH03-KS)
Amplifier	MITEQ	TTA1840-35-HG	1887435	18~40GHz	Oct. 13, 2016	Aug. 17, 2017	Oct. 12, 2017	Radiation (03CH03-KS)
high gain Amplifier	MITEQ	AMF-7D-00101800-30-10P	2025788	1Ghz-18Ghz	Apr. 18, 2017	Aug. 17, 2017	Apr. 17, 2018	Radiation (03CH03-KS)
Amplifier	Agilent	8449B	3008A02370	1GHz~26.5GHz	Oct. 13, 2016	Aug. 17, 2017	Oct. 12, 2017	Radiation (03CH03-KS)
AC Power Source	Chroma	61601	F104090004	N/A	NCR	Aug. 17, 2017	NCR	Radiation (03CH03-KS)
Turn Table	ChamPro	EM 1000-T	060762-T	0~360 degree	NCR	Aug. 17, 2017	NCR	Radiation (03CH03-KS)
Antenna Mast	ChamPro	EM 1000-A	060762-A	1 m~4 m	NCR	Aug. 17, 2017	NCR	Radiation (03CH03-KS)

NCR: No Calibration Required



4 Uncertainty of Evaluation

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

Measuring Uncertainty for a Level of Confidence of 95% ($U = 2Uc(y)$)	4.6dB
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Uncertainty of Radiated Emission Measurement (1000 MHz ~ 18000 MHz)

Measuring Uncertainty for a Level of Confidence of 95% ($U = 2Uc(y)$)	4.5dB
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Uncertainty of Radiated Emission Measurement (18000 MHz ~ 40000 MHz)

Measuring Uncertainty for a Level of Confidence of 95% ($U = 2Uc(y)$)	4.7dB
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Appendix A. Radiated Spurious Emission

2.4GHz 2400~2483.5MHz

BLE (Band Edge @ 3m)

BLE	Note	Frequency	Level	Over	Limit	Read	Antenna	Cable	Preamp	Ant	Table	Peak	Pol.
				Limit	Line	Level	Factor	Loss	Factor	Pos	Pos	Avg.	
		(MHz)	(dBμV/m)	(dB)	(dBμV/m)	(dBμV)	(dB/m)	(dB)	(dB)	(cm)	(deg)	(P/A)	(H/V)
BLE CH 39 2480MHz	*	2480	94.9	-	-	96.3	26.11	4.86	32.37	157	303	P	H
	*	2480	94.35	-	-	95.75	26.11	4.86	32.37	157	303	A	H
		2483.51	45.3	-28.7	74	46.7	26.11	4.86	32.37	157	303	P	H
		2483.51	38.58	-15.42	54	39.98	26.11	4.86	32.37	157	303	A	H
	*	2480	93.25	-	-	94.65	26.11	4.86	32.37	336	24	P	V
	*	2480	92.72	-	-	94.12	26.11	4.86	32.37	336	24	A	V
		2483.51	45.26	-28.74	74	46.66	26.11	4.86	32.37	336	24	P	V
		2483.51	37.16	-16.84	54	38.56	26.11	4.86	32.37	336	24	A	V
Remark	1. No other spurious found. 2. All results are PASS against Peak and Average limit line.												

**2.4GHz 2400~2483.5MHz****BLE (Harmonic @ 3m)**

BLE	Note	Frequency (MHz)	Level (dBμV/m)	Over Limit (dB)	Limit Line (dBμV/m)	Read Level (dBμV)	Antenna Factor (dB/m)	Cable Loss (dB)	Preamp Factor (dB)	Ant Pos (cm)	Table Pos (deg)	Peak Avg. (P/A)	Pol. (H/V)
BLE CH 39 2480MHz		4962	42.46	-31.54	74	61.26	31.19	6.83	56.82	100	360	P	H
		7440	37.97	-36.03	74	58.65	35.68	8.51	64.87	100	360	P	H
		4962	44.29	-29.71	74	63.09	31.19	6.83	56.82	100	360	P	V
		7440	38.13	-35.87	74	58.81	35.68	8.51	64.87	100	360	P	V
Remark	1. No other spurious found. 2. All results are PASS against Peak and Average limit line.												



Emission below 1GHz

2.4GHz BLE (LF)

BLE	Note	Frequency	Level	Over	Limit	Read	Antenna	Cable	Preamp	Ant	Table	Peak	Pol.
				Limit	Line	Level	Factor	Loss	Factor	Pos	Pos	Avg.	
		(MHz)	(dBμV/m)	(dB)	(dBμV/m)	(dBμV)	(dB/m)	(dB)	(dB)	(cm)	(deg)	(P/A)	(H/V)
2.4GHz BLE LF		30	25.04	-14.96	40	29.75	26.3	0.09	31.1	-	-	P	H
		148.34	25.27	-18.23	43.5	37.85	17.32	0.99	30.89	-	-	P	H
		223.03	33.75	-12.25	46	46.53	16.72	1.65	31.15	100	154	P	H
		458.74	27.4	-18.6	46	32.81	23.44	2.75	31.6	-	-	P	H
		712.88	30.59	-15.41	46	32.08	26.93	2.45	30.87	-	-	P	H
		884.57	29.77	-16.23	46	29.08	28.92	2.9	31.13	-	-	P	H
		36.79	29.69	-10.31	40	38.51	22.14	0.12	31.08	-	-	P	V
		82.38	29.02	-10.98	40	43.99	15.72	0.71	31.4	-	-	P	V
		116.33	23.27	-20.23	43.5	35.78	17.64	0.62	30.77	-	-	P	V
		296.75	28.05	-17.95	46	37.8	19.5	2.23	31.48	-	-	P	V
		450.98	36.4	-9.6	46	42.08	23.32	2.6	31.6	100	56	P	V
		617.82	32.5	-13.5	46	34.97	25.78	2.93	31.18	-	-	P	V
Remark		1. No other spurious found. 2. All results are PASS against limit line.											



Note symbol

*	Fundamental Frequency which can be ignored. However, the level of any unwanted emissions shall not exceed the level of the fundamental frequency.
!	Test result is over limit line.
P/A	P eak or A verage
H/V	H orizontal or V ertical



A calculation example for radiated spurious emission is shown as below:

WIFI	Note	Frequency	Level	Over	Limit	Read	Antenna	Cable	Preamp	Ant	Table	Peak	Pol.
Ant.				Limit	Line	Level	Factor	Loss	Factor	Pos	Pos	Avg.	
1+2		(MHz)	(dBμV/m)	(dB)	(dBμV/m)	(dBμV)	(dB/m)	(dB)	(dB)	(cm)	(deg)	(P/A)	(H/V)
802.11b		2390	55.45	-18.55	74	54.51	32.22	4.58	35.86	103	308	P	H
CH 01													
2412MHz		2390	43.54	-10.46	54	42.6	32.22	4.58	35.86	103	308	A	H

1. Level(dBμV/m) =

Antenna Factor(dB/m) + Cable Loss(dB) + Read Level(dBμV) - Preamp Factor(dB)

2. Over Limit(dB) = Level(dBμV/m) – Limit Line(dBμV/m)

For Peak Limit @ 2390MHz:

1. Level(dBμV/m)

= Antenna Factor(dB/m) + Cable Loss(dB) + Read Level(dBμV) - Preamp Factor(dB)

= 32.22(dB/m) + 4.58(dB) + 54.51(dBμV) – 35.86 (dB)

= 55.45 (dBμV/m)

2. Over Limit(dB)

= Level(dBμV/m) – Limit Line(dBμV/m)

= 55.45(dBμV/m) – 74(dBμV/m)

= -18.55(dB)

For Average Limit @ 2390MHz:

1. Level(dBμV/m)

= Antenna Factor(dB/m) + Cable Loss(dB) + Read Level(dBμV) - Preamp Factor(dB)

= 32.22(dB/m) + 4.58(dB) + 42.6(dBμV) – 35.86 (dB)

= 43.54 (dBμV/m)

2. Over Limit(dB)

= Level(dBμV/m) – Limit Line(dBμV/m)

= 43.54(dBμV/m) – 54(dBμV/m)

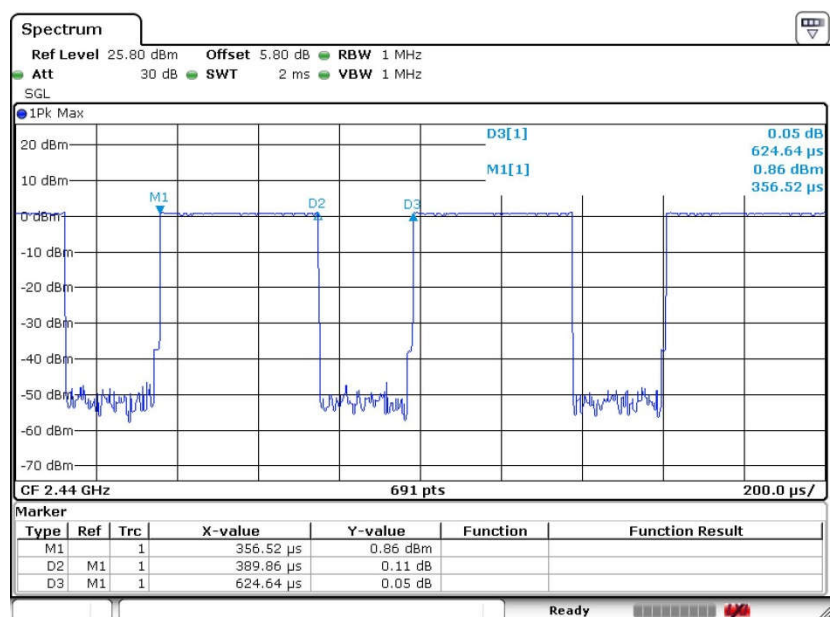
= -10.46(dB)

Both peak and average measured complies with the limit line, so test result is “PASS”.

Appendix B. Duty Cycle Plots

Band	Duty Cycle(%)	T(ms)	1/T(kHz)	VBW Setting
Bluetooth v4.0 LE	62.41	0.390	2.564	3kHz

Bluetooth v4.0 LE





Appendix D. Reference Report

Please refer to Sporton report number FR741007B which is issued separately.