# FrSky Electronic Co., Ltd.

# **Digital Telemetry Radio System**

**Main Model: TARANIS X9D** 

Serial Model: HORUS X12D, X16D, S4D, S6D

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**Modifications made to the product: None** 

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#### 1 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY & EUT INFORMATION

The purpose of this test programme was to demonstrate compliance of the FrSky Electronic Co., Ltd., Digital Telemetry Radio System and model: TARANIS X9D against the current Stipulated Standards. The Digital Telemetry Radio System has demonstrated compliance with the FCC Part 15.247: 2012, ANSI C63.4: 2009.

#### **EUT Information**

EUT

**Digital Telemetry Radio System** 

Description **Main Model** 

TARANIS X9D

Serial Model

**HORUS X12D, X16D, S4D, S6D** 

Antenna Gain

: 2 dBi

**Switching Adapter** 

**Input Power** 

Model: YN6W-1200050VZ Input: 100-240V 50/60Hz 0.2A

**Output: 12.0V 0.5A** 

**Temperature** 

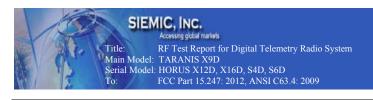
-10°C to 45°C

Classification

**Per Stipulated** : FCC Part 15.247: 2012, ANSI C63.4: 2009

**Test Standard** 

NOTE: in this report, we choice the model TARANIS X9D to test, and the differences of them please refer to the Annex E. DECLARATION OF SIMILARITY.



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	2 TECHNICAL DETAILS
Purpose	Compliance testing of Digital Telemetry Radio System with stipulated standard
Applicant / Client	FrSky Electronic Co., Ltd. No.100 Jinxi Road ,Wuxi,Jiangsu,China
Manufacturer	FrSky Electronic Co., Ltd. No.100 Jinxi Road ,Wuxi,Jiangsu,China
Laboratory performing the tests	SIEMIC Nanjing (China) Laboratories NO.2-1,Longcang Dadao, Yuhua Economic Development Zone, Nanjing, China Tel:+86(25)86730128/86730129 Fax:+86(25)86730127 Email:info@siemic.com
Test report reference number	13020317-FCC-R1
Date EUT received	April 23, 2013
Standard applied	FCC Part 15.247: 2012, ANSI C63.4: 2009
Dates of test (from - to)	April 27, 2013 to May 08, 2013
No of Units	#1
Equipment Category	DSS
Trade Name	Frsky
RF Operating Frequency (ies)	2404 - 2479 MHz(Tx)
Number of Channels	47 CH
Modulation	2-FSK
FCC ID	XYFX91216DK



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# **3 MODIFICATION**

**NONE** 

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## 4 TEST SUMMARY

The product was tested in accordance with the following specifications. All testing has been performed according to below product classification:

#### **Spread Spectrum System/Device**

**Test Results Summary** 

Test Standard	Description	Product Class	Pass / Fail
§15.203	Antenna Requirement	See Above	Pass
§15.207(a)	AC Line Conducted Emissions	See Above	N/A*
§15.205, §15.209, §15.247(d)	Radiated Emissions	See Above	Pass
§15.247(a)(1)	20 dB Bandwidth	See Above	Pass
§15.247(a)(1)	Channel Separation	See Above	Pass
§15.247(a)(1)(iii)	Time of Occupancy (Dwell Time)	See Above	Pass
§15.247(a)(1)(iii)	Quantity of Hopping Channel	See Above	Pass
§15.247(b)(1)	Peak Output Power	See Above	Pass
§15.247(d)	Band Edge	See Above	Pass

N/A\*-the device is battery powered, the test is not required.

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# 5 MEASUREMENTS, EXAMINATION AND DERIVED RESULTS

#### 5.1 §15.203 – Antenna Requirement

#### **Standard Requirement:**

According to § 15.203, an intentional radiator shall be designed to ensure that no antenna other than that furnished by the responsible party shall be used with the device. 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 provisions of this section. The manufacturer may design the unit so that a broken antenna can be replaced by the user, but the user of a standard antenna jack or electrical connector is prohibited. The structure and application of the EUT were analyzed to determine compliance with section §15.203 of the rules. §15.203 state that the subject device must meet the following criteria:

- a. Antenna must be permanently attached to the unit.
- b. Antenna must use a unique type of connector to attach to the EUT.
- c. Unit must be professionally installed, and installer shall be responsible for verifying that the correct antenna is employed with the unit.

And according to FCC 47 CFR section 15.247 (b), if the transmitting antennas of directional gain greater than 6dBi are used, the power shall be reduced by the amount in dB that the directional gain of the antenna exceeds 6 dBi.

#### **Antenna Connector Construction**

EUT antenna is integrated on PCB; It is in accordance to section 15.203(a); please refer to the internal photos.

**Test Result: Pass** 

#### 5.2 §15.207 (a) – AC Line Conducted Emissions

#### **Standard Requirement:**

	Conducted limit (dBµV)				
Frequency of emission (MHz)	Quasi-peak	Average			
0.15–0.5	66 to 56*	56 to 46*			
0.5–5	56	46			
5–30	60	50			

<sup>\*</sup>Decreases with the logarithm of the frequency.

#### **Procedures:**

- 1. All possible modes of operation were investigated. Only the 6 worst case emissions measured, using the correct CISPR and Average detectors, are reported. All other emissions were relatively insignificant.
- 2. A "-ve" margin indicates a PASS as it refers to the margin present below the limit line at the particular frequency.
- 3. Conducted Emissions Measurement Uncertainty
  - All test measurements carried out are traceable to national standards. The uncertainty of the measurement at a confidence level of approximately 95% (in the case where distributions are normal), with a coverage factor of 2, in the range 9kHz 30MHz (Average & Quasi-peak) is  $\pm 3.5dB$ .
- 4. Environmental Conditions Temperature 15°C Relative Humidity 50%

Atmospheric Pressure 1019mbar

5. Test date: N/A Tested By: N/A

Test Result: N/A

Note: the EUT is battery powered, and the device cannot work in charging mode.

#### 5.3 §15.209, §15.205 & §15.247(d) - Spurious Emissions

- 1. All possible modes of operation were investigated. Only the 6 worst case emissions measured, using the correct CISPR detectors, are reported. All other emissions were relatively insignificant.
- A "-ve" margin indicates a PASS as it refers to the margin present below the limit line at the particular frequency.
- 3. Radiated Emissions Measurement Uncertainty
  All test measurements carried out are traceable to national standards. The uncertainty of the measurement at a confidence level of approximately 95% (in the case where distributions are normal), with a coverage factor of 2, in the range 30MHz 1GHz (3m & 10m) & 1GHz above (3m) is +5.6/-4.5dB.

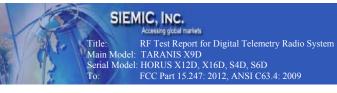
4. Environmental Conditions Temperature 15°C
Relative Humidity 50%
Atmospheric Pressure 1019mbar

5. Test date: May 08, 2013 Tested By: Deon Dai

#### **Standard Requirement:**

The emissions from the Low-power radio-frequency devices shall not exceed the field strength levels specified in the following table and the level of any unwanted emissions shall not exceed the level of the fundamental emission. The tighter limit applies at the band edges.

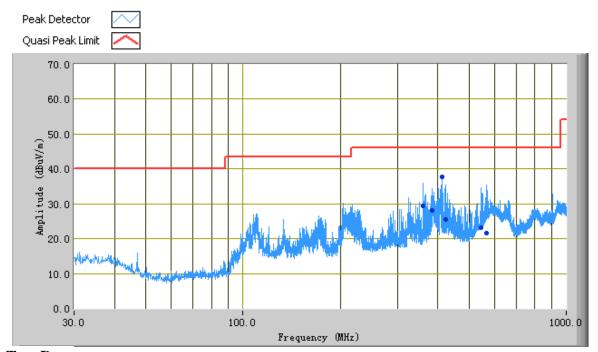
**Test Result: Pass** 



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**Test Mode: Transmitting** 

#### Below 1GHz



#### Test Data

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Frequency (MHz)	Quasi Peak (dBμV/m)	Azimuth	Polarity (H/V)	Height (cm)	Factors (dB)	Limit (dBµV/m)	Margin (dB)	
411.86	37.79	137.00	Н	102.00	-28.35	46.00	-8.21	
360.04	29.51	88.00	Н	100.00	-29.34	46.00	-16.49	
424.17	25.61	344.00	Н	101.00	-28.40	46.00	-20.39	
567.31	21.65	258.00	V	109.00	-22.22	46.00	-24.35	
544.07	23.21	249.00	V	102.00	-24.20	46.00	-22.79	
385.40	28.20	250.00	Н	99.00	-29.02	46.00	-17.80	



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Transmitting **Test Mode:** 

#### Above 1 GHz

Low Channel (2404 MHz)

Frequency (MHz)	S.A. Reading (dBµV)	Detector (PK/AV)	Direction (degree)	Height (cm)	Polarity (H/V)	Ant. Factor (dB/m)	Cable Loss (dB)	Pre- Amp. Gain (dB)	Cord. Amp. (dBµV/m)	Limit (dBµV/m)	Margin (dB)
4808.00	59.39	AV	158	100	V	32.7	8.17	55	45.26	54	-8.74
4808.00	58.11	AV	177	200	Н	32.7	8.17	55	43.98	54	-10.02
4808.00	71.25	PK	158	100	V	32.7	8.17	55	57.12	74	-16.88
4808.00	68.14	PK	177	200	Н	32.7	8.17	55	54.01	74	-19.99
2397.50	58.44	AV	360	110	V	9.2	5.67	55	18.31	54	-35.69
2397.50	55.11	AV	198	199	Н	9.2	5.67	55	14.98	54	-39.02
2397.50	68.15	PK	360	110	V	9.2	5.67	55	28.02	74	-45.98
2397.50	65.54	PK	198	199	Н	9.2	5.67	55	25.41	74	-48.59

Middle Channel (2441.45 MHz)

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Frequency (MHz)	S.A. Reading (dBµV)	Detector (PK/AV)	Direction (degree)	Height (cm)	Polarity (H/V)	Ant. Factor (dB/m)	Cable Loss (dB)	Pre- Amp. Gain (dB)	Cord. Amp. (dBµV/m)	Limit (dBµV/m)	Margin (dB)
4882.50	56.14	AV	19	100	V	32.8	9	55	42.94	54	-11.06
4882.50	55.84	AV	255	210	Н	32.8	9	55	42.64	54	-11.36
4882.50	64.85	PK	19	100	V	32.8	9	55	51.65	74	-22.35
4882.50	63.18	PK	255	210	Н	32.8	9	55	49.98	74	-24.02
7325.00	42.18	AV	180	110	V	35.6	11.16	55	33.94	54	-20.06
7325.00	41.91	AV	232	200	Н	35.6	11.16	55	33.67	54	-20.33
7325.00	45.28	PK	180	110	V	35.6	11.16	55	37.04	74	-36.96
7325.00	44.62	PK	232	200	Н	35.6	11.16	55	36.38	74	-37.62

High Channel (2479 MHz)

Frequency (MHz)	S.A. Reading (dBµV)	Detector (PK/AV)	Direction (degree)	Height (cm)	Polarity (H/V)	Ant. Factor (dB/m)	Cable Loss (dB)	Pre- Amp. Gain (dB)	Cord. Amp. (dBµV/m)	Limit (dBµV/m)	Margin (dB)
4958.00	58.21	AV	211	150	V	32.9	10.16	55	46.27	54	-7.73
4958.00	55.14	AV	314	210	Н	32.9	10.16	55	43.2	54	-10.8
4958.00	63.58	PK	211	150	V	32.9	10.16	55	51.64	74	-22.36
4958.00	59.23	PK	314	210	Н	32.9	10.16	55	47.29	74	-26.71
2483.00	54.25	AV	154	120	V	9.4	5.5	55	14.15	54	-39.85
2483.00	51.35	AV	231	200	Н	9.4	5.5	55	11.25	54	-42.75
2483.00	60.88	PK	154	120	V	9.4	5.5	55	20.78	74	-53.22
2483.00	58.44	PK	231	200	Н	9.4	5.5	55	18.34	74	-55.66

#### **5.4** §15.247(a) (1)-Channel Separation

1. Conducted Measurement

EUT was set for low, mid, high channel with modulated mode and highest RF output power.

The spectrum analyzer was connected to the antenna terminal.

2. Environmental Conditions Temperature 15°C

Relative Humidity 50% Atmospheric Pressure 1019mbar

3. Conducted Emissions Measurement Uncertainty

All test measurements carried out are traceable to national standards. The uncertainty of the measurement at a confidence level of approximately 95% (in the case where distributions are normal), with a coverage factor of 2, in the range 30 MHz - 40 GHz is  $\pm 1.5 \text{dB}$ .

4. Test date: May 08, 2013 Tested By: Deon Dai

#### **Standard Requirement:**

According to §15.247(a)(1), Frequency hopping systems shall have hopping channel carrier frequencies separated by a minimum of 25 kHz or two-thirds of the 20dB bandwidth of the hopping channel, whichever is greater. Alternatively, frequency hopping systems operating in the 2400-2483.5 MHz band may have hopping channel carrier frequencies that are separated by 25 kHz or two-thirds of the 20 dB bandwidth of the hopping channel, whichever is greater, provided the systems operate with an output power no greater than 125 mW.

#### **Procedures:**

- 1. Place the EUT on the table and set it in hopping function transmitting mode.
- 2. Remove the antenna from the EUT and then connect a low loss RF cable from the antenna port to the spectrum analyzer.
- 3. Set center frequency of spectrum analyzer = middle of hopping channel.
- 4. Set the spectrum analyzer as Resolution (or IF) Bandwidth (RBW) ≥ 1% of the span, Video (or Average) Bandwidth (VBW) ≥ RBW, Sweep = auto, Detector function = peak, Trace = max hold.
- 5. Max hold, mark 2 peaks of hopping channel and record the 2 peaks frequency.

**Test Result: Pass** 

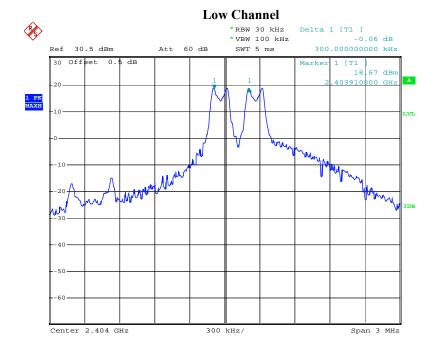
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**Test Mode:** Transmitting

Channel	Channel Frequency (MHz)	Channel Separation (MHz)	Limit (MHz)	Result
Low Channel	2404	0.300	0.203	Pass
Adjacency Channel	2404.3	0.500	0.203	1 435
Mid Channel	2441.45	0.300	0.200	Pass
Adjacency Channel	2441.15	0.500	0.200	1 433
High Channel	2479	0.300	0.201	Pass
Adjacency Channel	2478.7	0.300	0.201	1 488

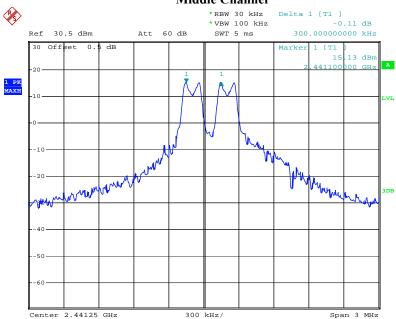
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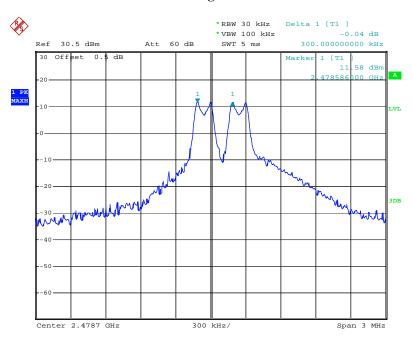
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#### Middle Channel



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#### **High Channel**



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#### $\S15.247(a)$ (1) – 20dB Bandwidth

1. Conducted Measurement

EUT was set for low, mid, high channel with modulated mode and highest RF output power.

The spectrum analyzer was connected to the antenna terminal.

2. 15°C **Environmental Conditions** Temperature

**Relative Humidity** 50% Atmospheric Pressure 1019mbar

3. Conducted Emissions Measurement Uncertainty

> All test measurements carried out are traceable to national standards. The uncertainty of the measurement at a confidence level of approximately 95% (in the case where distributions are normal), with a coverage factor

of 2, in the range 30MHz - 40GHz is  $\pm 1.5dB$ .

4. Test date: May 13, 2013 Tested By: Deon Dai

#### **Standard Requirement:**

According to §15.247(a)(1), Frequency hopping systems shall have hopping channel carrier frequencies separated by a minimum of 25 kHz or the 20 dB bandwidth of the hopping channel, whichever is greater.

#### **Procedures:**

- 1. Place the EUT on the table and set it in transmitting mode.
- 2. Remove the antenna from the EUT and then connect a low loss RF cable from the antenna port to the spectrum analyzer.
- 3. Set the spectrum analyzer as Span = approximately 2 to 3 times the 20 dB bandwidth, centered on a hopping channel,  $RBW \ge 1\%$  of the 20 dB bandwidth,  $VBW \ge RBW$ , Sweep = auto, Detector function = peak, Trace = max hold.
- 4. Set the measured low, middle and high frequency and test 20dB bandwidth with spectrum analyzer.

**Test Result: Pass** 

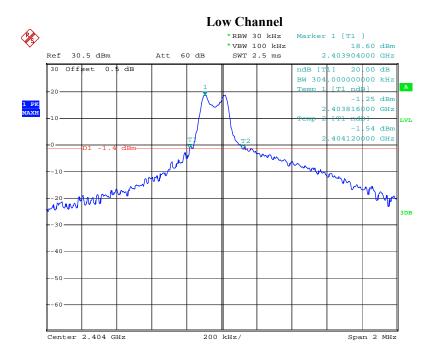
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**Test Mode:** Transmitting

Channel	Frequency (MHz)	20 dB Bandwidth (MHz)
Low	2404	0.304
Middle	2441.45	0.300
High	2479	0.301

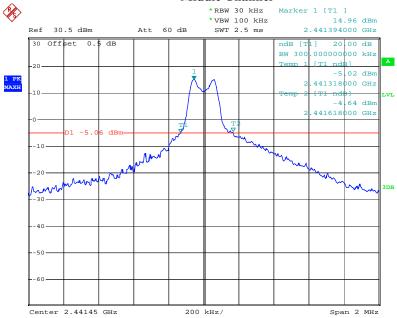
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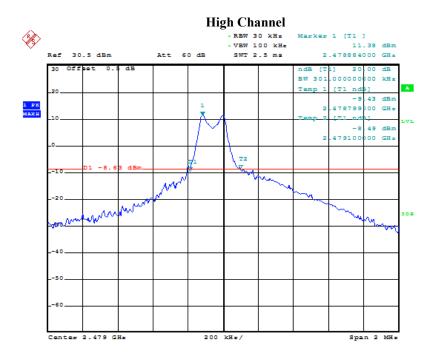
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#### Middle Channel



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#### 5.5 §15.247(a) (1) (iii)-Number of Hopping Channels

1. Conducted Measurement

EUT was set for low, mid, high channel with modulated mode and highest RF output power.

The spectrum analyzer was connected to the antenna terminal.

2. Conducted Emissions Measurement Uncertainty

All test measurements carried out are traceable to national standards. The uncertainty of the measurement at a confidence level of approximately 95% (in the case where distributions are normal), with a coverage factor of 2, in the range 30MHz - 40GHz is  $\pm 1.5dB$ .

3. Environmental Conditions

Temperature 15°C Relative Humidity 50%

Atmospheric Pressure

1019mbar

4. Test date : April 27, 2013 Tested By : Deon Dai

#### **Standard Requirement:**

According to §15.247(a) (1)(iii), Frequency hopping systems in the 2400–2483.5 MHz band shall use at least 15 channels.

#### **Procedures:**

- 1. Place the EUT on the table and set it in hopping function transmitting mode.
- 2. Remove the antenna from the EUT and then connect a low loss RF cable from the antenna port to the spectrum analyzer.
- 3. Set the spectrum analyzer as Start=2400MHz, Stop = 2483.5MHz, Span = the frequency band of operation, RBW ≥1% of the span, VBW ≥ RBW, Sweep = auto, Detector function = peak, Trace = max hold.
- 4. Count the quantity of peaks to get the number of hopping channels.

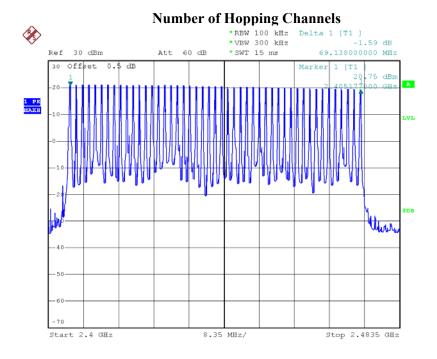
**Test Result: Pass** 

Note: the test result please refers to the FCC ID: XYFW2409T.

Test Mode: Hopping Mode

Frequency Range (MHz)	Number of Hopping Channels	Limit
2400-2483.5	47	≥15

Please refer to following tables and plots



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#### 5.6 §15.247(a) (1) (iii) -Time of Occupancy (Dwell Time)

1. Conducted Measurement

EUT was set for low, mid, high channel with modulated mode and highest RF output power.

The spectrum analyzer was connected to the antenna terminal.

2. Conducted Emissions Measurement Uncertainty

All test measurements carried out are traceable to national standards. The uncertainty of the measurement at a confidence level of approximately 95% (in the case where distributions are normal), with a coverage factor of 2, in the range 30MHz - 40GHz is  $\pm 1.5dB$ .

3. Environmental Conditions

Temperature 15°C
Relative Humidity 50%
Atmospheric Pressure 1019mbar

4. Test date : April 27, 2013 Tested By : Deon Dai

#### **Standard Requirement:**

According to §15.247(a)(1)(iii), The average time of occupancy on any channel shall not be greater than 0.4 seconds within a period of 0.4 seconds multiplied by the number of hopping channels employed. Frequency hopping systems may avoid or suppress transmissions on a particular hopping frequency provided that a minimum of 15 channels are used.

#### **Procedures:**

- 1. Place the EUT on the table and set it in transmitting mode and switch on frequency hopping function.
- 2. Remove the antenna from the EUT and then connect a low loss RF cable from the antenna port to the spectrum analyzer.
- 3. Set the spectrum analyzer as Span = zero span, centered on a hopping channel, RBW=1MHz, VBW ≥ RBW, Sweep = as necessary to capture the entire dwell time per hopping channel, Detector function = peak, Trace = max hold.
- 4. Calculate the time of occupancy in a period with time occupancy of a burst and quantity of bursts.

**Test Result: Pass** 

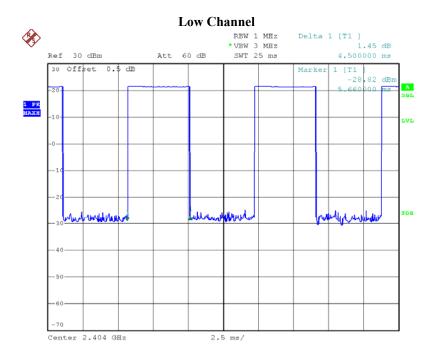
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**Test Mode:** Hopping Mode

Mode	Channel	Pulse Width (ms)	Dwell Time (s)	Limit (s)	Result
Transmitting	Low	4.500	0.0990	0.4	Pass
	Middle	4.500	0.0990	0.4	Pass
	High	4.450	0.0979	0.4	Pass
	<i>Note:</i> Dwell time=Pulse time (ms) × $(110 \div 2 \div 47) \times 0.4 \times 47$ Second				cond

Please refer to the following plots.



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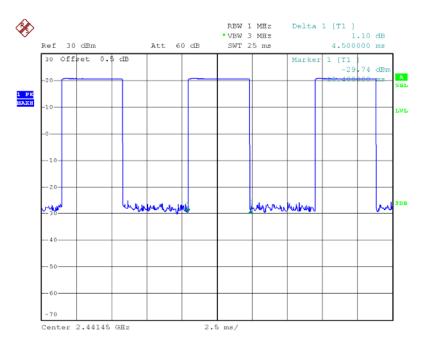
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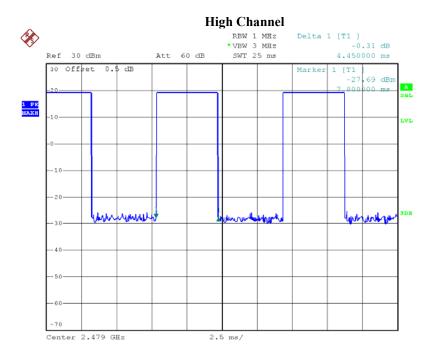
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#### Middle Channel



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#### **5.7** §15.247(b) (1) - Peak Output Power

Conducted Measurement

EUT was set for low, mid, high channel with modulated mode and highest RF output power.

The spectrum analyzer was connected to the antenna terminal.

2. Conducted Emissions Measurement Uncertainty

All test measurements carried out are traceable to national standards. The uncertainty of the measurement at a confidence level of approximately 95% (in the case where distributions are normal), with a coverage factor of 2, in the range 30MHz - 40GHz is  $\pm 1.5\text{dB}$ .

3. Environmental Conditions

Temperature 15°C
Relative Humidity 50%
Atmospheric Pressure 1019mbar

4. Test date: May 08, 2013 Tested By: Deon Dai

#### **Standard Requirement:**

According to §15.247(b)(2), For frequency hopping systems in the 2400-2483.5 MHz band employing at least 75 non-overlapping hopping channels, and all frequency hopping systems in the 5725-5850MHz band: 1 watt. For all other frequency hopping systems in the 2400-2483.5MHz band: 0.125watts.

#### **Procedures:**

- 1. Place the EUT on the table and set it in transmitting mode.
- 2. Remove the antenna from the EUT and then connect a low loss RF cable from the antenna port to the spectrum analyzer.
- 3. Set the spectrum analyzer as Span = approximately 5 times the 20 dB bandwidth, centered on a hopping channel, RBW > the 20 dB bandwidth of the emission being measured, VBW ≥ RBW, Sweep=auto, Detector function=peak, Trace = max hold.
- 4. Then set the EUT to transmit at low, middle and high channel and measure the conducted output power separately.

**Test Result: Pass** 

Note: the test result please refers to the FCC ID: XYFW2409T.

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**Test Mode:** Transmitting

Channel	Channel frequency (MHz)	Peak output power (dBm)	Power output (mW)	Limit (mW)
Low channel	2404	18.58	72.11	125
Middle channel	2441.45	15.06	32.06	125
High channel	2479	11.39	13.77	125

Please refer to the following plots.

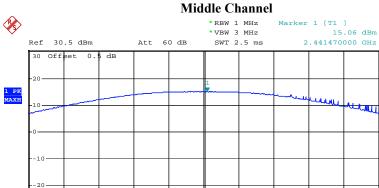
**Note:** The data above was tested in conducted mode.



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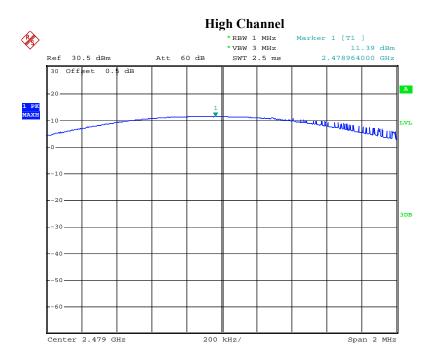


Center 2.44145 GHz 200 kHz/ Span 2 MHz

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#### **5.8** §15.247(d) - Band Edge

#### **Standard Requirement:**

In any 100 kHz bandwidth outside the frequency band in which the spread spectrum or digitally modulated intentional radiator is operating, the radio frequency power that is produced by the intentional radiator shall be at least 20 dB below that in the 100 kHz bandwidth within the band that contains the highest level of the desired power, based on either an RF conducted or a radiated measurement, provided the transmitter demonstrates compliance with the peak conducted power limits. If the transmitter complies with the conducted power limits based on the use of RMS averaging over a time interval, as permitted under paragraph (b)(3) of this section, the attenuation required under this paragraph shall be 30 dB instead of 20 dB. Attenuation below the general limits specified in §15.209(a) is not required. In addition, 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) (see §15.205(c)).

#### **Procedures:**

- 1. Check the calibration of the measuring instrument using either an internal calibrator or a known signal from an external generator.
- 2. Position the EUT without connection to measurement instrument. Put it on the Rotated table and turn on the EUT and make it operate in transmitting mode. Then set it to Low Channel and High Channel within its operating range, and make sure the instrument is operated in its linear range.
- 3. Set both RBW and VBW of spectrum analyzer to 100 kHz with a convenient frequency span including 100kHz bandwidth from band edge, for Radiated emissions restricted band RBW=1MHz, VBW=3MHz.
- 4. Measure the highest amplitude appearing on spectral display and set it as a reference level. Plot the graph with marking the highest point and edge frequency.
- 5. Repeat above procedures until all measured frequencies were complete.

**Test Result: Pass** 

Note: the test result please refers to the FCC ID: XYFW2409T.

Test Mode:
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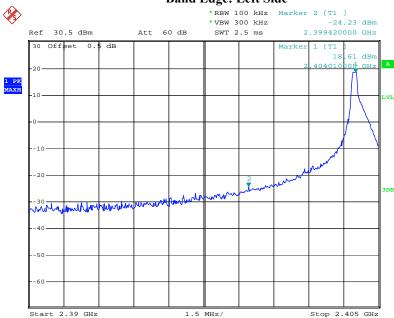
Frequency (MHz)	Delta Peak to Band Emission (dBc)	Limit (dBc)
2404.010	24.23	20
2478.924	31.57	20

Note: The point fall into the strict band was recorded in FCC 15.209, please refer to the restrict band testing.

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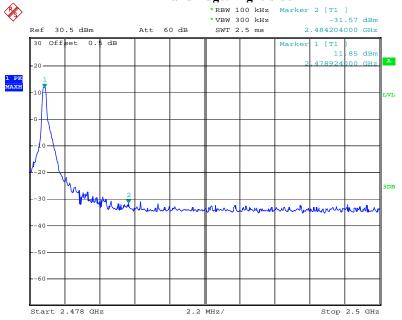
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#### Band Edge: Right Side



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#### **Annex A. TEST INSTRUMENT & METHOD**

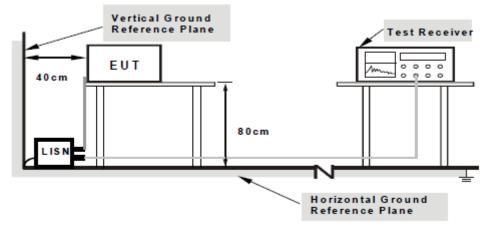
#### Annex A.i. TEST INSTRUMENTATION & GENERAL PROCEDURES

Instrument	Model	Serial #	Calibration Date	Calibration Due Date
AC Line Conducted Emissions				
R&S EMI Test Receiver	ESPI3	101216	10/28/2012	10/27/2013
ROHDE&SCHWARZ V-LISN	ESH3-Z5	838979/005	10/28/2012	10/27/2013
Com-Power Transient Limiter	LIT-153	531021	11/04/2012	11/03/2013
SIEMIC Labview Conducted Emissions software	V1.0	N/A	N/A	N/A
Radiated Emissions				
Hp Spectrum Analyzer	8563E	3821A09023	01/10/2013	01/09/2014
R&S EMI Receiver	ESPI3	101216	10/28/2012	10/27/2013
Antenna (30MHz~6GHz)	JB6	A121411	03/27/2013	03/26/2014
EMCO Horn Antenna	3115	N/A	10/30/2012	10/29/2013
A- INFOMW Antenna	JXTXLB-	J2031081120	06/24/2012	06/23/2013
(1~18GHz)	10180	092	00/24/2012	00/23/2013
Horn Antenna (18~40GHz)	AH-840	101013	04/22/2013	04/21/2014
Microwave Pre-Amp (18~40GHz)	PA-840	181250	05/30/2013	05/29/2014
Hp Agilent Pre-Amplifier	8447F	1937A01160	11/04/2012	11/03/2013
MITEQ Pre-Amplifier (0.1 ~ 18GHz)	AMF-7D- 00101800- 30-10P	1451710	11/04/2012	11/03/2013
Universal Radio Communication Tester	CMU200	104031	10/28/2012	10/27/2013
Chamber	3m	N/A	04/13/2013	04/12/2014
SIEMIC Labview Radiated Emissions software	V1.0	N/A	N/A	N/A

#### Annex A.ii. CONDUCTED EMISSIONS TEST DESCRIPTION

#### Test Set-up

- 1. The EUT and supporting equipment were set up in accordance with the requirements of the standard on top of a 1.5m x 1m x 0.8m high, non-metallic table, as shown in Annex B.
- 2. The power supply for the EUT was fed through a  $50\Omega/50\mu$ H EUT LISN, connected to filtered mains.
- 3. The RF OUT of the EUT LISN was connected to the EMI test receiver via a low-loss coaxial cable.
- 4. All other supporting equipments were powered separately from another main supply.



Note: 1.Support units were connected to second LISN.

2.Both of LISNs (AMN) are 80cm from EUT and at least 80cm from other units and other metal planes support units.

For the actual test configuration, please refer to the related item – Photographs of the Test Configuration1.

#### **Test Method**

- 1. The EUT was switched on and allowed to warm up to its normal operating condition.
- 2. A scan was made on the NEUTRAL line (for AC mains) or Earth line (for DC power) over the required frequency range using an EMI test receiver.
- 3. High peaks, relative to the limit line, were then selected.
- 4. The EMI test receiver was then tuned to the selected frequencies and the necessary measurements made with a receiver bandwidth setting of 10 kHz. For FCC tests, only Quasi-peak measurements were made; while for CISPR/EN tests, both Quasi-peak and Average measurements were made.
- 5. Steps 2 to 4 were then repeated for the LIVE line (for AC mains) or DC line (for DC power).

#### **Description of Conducted Emission Program**

This EMC Measurement software run LabView automation software and offers a common user interface for electromagnetic interference (EMI) measurements. This software is a modern and powerful tool for controlling and monitoring EMI test receivers and EMC test systems. It guarantees reliable collection, evaluation, and documentation of measurement results. Basically, this program will run a pre-scan measurement before it proceeds with the final measurement. The pre-scan routine will run the common scan range from 150 kHz to 30 MHz; the program will first start a peak and average scan on selectable measurement time and step size. After the program complete the pre-scan, this program will perform the Quasi Peak and Average measurement, based on the pre-scan peak data reduction result.

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#### **Sample Calculation Example**

At 20 MHz  $limit = 250 \mu V = 47.96 dB\mu V$ 

Transducer factor of LISN, pulse limiter & cable loss at 20 MHz = 11.20 dB

Q-P reading obtained directly from EMI Receiver =  $40.00 \text{ dB}\mu\text{V}$ (Calibrated for system losses)

Therefore, Q-P margin = 47.96 - 40.00 = 7.96i.e. 7.96 dB below limit

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#### Annex A. iii. RADIATED EMISSIONS TEST DESCRIPTION

#### Limit

1. Except as provided elsewhere in this Subpart, the emissions from an intentional radiator shall not exceed the field strength levels specified in the following table:

Frequency (MHz)	Field Strength (mV/m)	Measurement Distance (m)
30-88	100*	3
88-216	150*	3
216-960	200*	3
Above 960	500	3

**Remark:** Except as provided in paragraph (g), fundamental emissions from intentional radiators operating under this Section shall not be located in the frequency bands 54-72 MHz, 76-88 MHz, 174-216 MHz or 470-806 MHz. However, operation within these frequency bands is permitted under other sections of this Part, e.g., Sections 15.231 and 15.241.

2. In the above emission table, the tighter limit applies at the band edges.

Frequency (Hz)	Field Strength (μV/m at 3-meter)	Field Strength (dBµV/m at 3-meter)
30-88	100	40
88-216	150	43.5
216-960	200	46
Above 960	500	54

#### **EUT Characterisation**

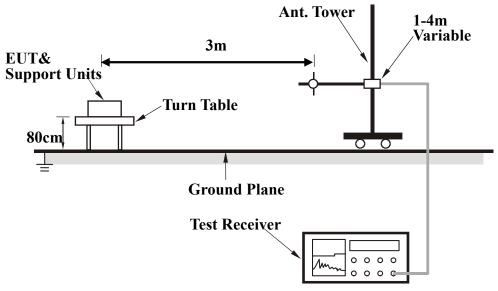
EUT characterisation, over the frequency range from 30MHz to 10<sup>th</sup> Harmonic, was done in order to minimise radiated emissions testing time while still maintaining high confidence in the test results.

The EUT was placed in the chamber, at a height of about 0.8m on a turntable. Its radiated emissions frequency profile was observed, using a spectrum analyzer /receiver with the appropriate broadband antenna placed 3m away from the EUT. Radiated emissions from the EUT were maximised by rotating the turntable manually, changing the antenna polarisation and manipulating the EUT cables while observing the frequency profile on the spectrum analyzer / receiver. Frequency points at which maximum emissions occurred, clock frequencies and operating frequencies were then noted for the formal radiated emissions test at the Open Area Test Site (OATS) or 3m EMC chamber.



#### Test Set-up

- 1. The EUT and supporting equipment were set up in accordance with the requirements of the standard on top of a 1.5m X 1.0m X 0.8m high, non-metallic table.
- 2. The filtered power supply for the EUT and supporting equipment were tapped from the appropriate power sockets located on the turntable.
- 3. The relevant broadband antenna was set at the required test distance away from the EUT and supporting equipment boundary.



#### **Test Method**

The following procedure was performed to determine the maximum emission axis of EUT:

- 1. With the receiving antenna is H polarization, rotate the EUT in turns with three orthogonal axes to determine the axis of maximum emission.
- 2. With the receiving antenna is V polarization, rotate the EUT in turns with three orthogonal axes to determine the axis of maximum emission.
- 3. Compare the results derived from above two steps. So, the axis of maximum emission from EUT was determined and the configuration was used to perform the final measurement.

#### Final Radiated Emission Measurement

- 1. Setup the configuration according to figure 1. Turn on EUT and make sure that it is in normal function.
- 2. For emission frequencies measured below 1 GHz, a pre-scan is performed in a shielded chamber to determine the accurate frequencies of higher emissions will be checked on an open test site. As the same purpose, for emission frequencies measured above 1 GHz, a pre-scan also be performed with a 1 meter measuring distance before final test.
- 3. For emission frequencies measured below and above 1 GHz, set the spectrum analyzer on a 100 kHz and 1 MHz resolution bandwidth respectively for each frequency measured in step 2.
- 4. The search antenna is to be raised and lowered over a range from 1 to 4 meters in horizontally polarized orientation. Position the highness when the highest value is indicated on spectrum analyzer, then change the orientation of EUT on test table over a range from 0 ° to 360 ° with a speed as slow as possible, and keep the azimuth that highest emission is indicated on the spectrum analyzer. Vary the antenna position again and record the highest value as a final reading.
- 5. Repeat step 4 until all frequencies need to be measured was complete.
- 6. Repeat step 5 with search antenna in vertical polarized orientations.

During the radiated emission test, the Spectrum Analyzer was set with the following configurations:

Frequency Band (MHz)	Function	Resolution bandwidth	Video Bandwidth
30 to 1000	Peak	100 kHz	100 kHz
Above 1000	Peak	1 MHz	1 MHz
	Average	1 MHz	10 Hz

#### **Description of Radiated Emissions Program**

This EMC Measurement software run LabView automation software and offers a common user interface for electromagnetic interference (EMI) measurements. This software is a modern and powerful tool for controlling and monitoring EMI test receivers and EMC test systems. It guarantees reliable collection, evaluation, and documentation of measurement results. Basically, this program will run a pre-scan measurement before it proceeds with the final measurement. The pre-scan routine will run the scan on four different antenna heights, 2 antenna polarity, and 360 degrees table rotation. For example, the program was set to run 30 MHz to 1 GHz scan; the program will first start from a meter antenna height and divide the 30 MHz to 1 GHz into 10 separate parts of maximum hold sweeps. Each parts of maximum hold sweep, the program will collect the data from 0 degree to 360 degrees table rotation. After the program complete the 1m scan, the antenna continues to rise to 2m and continue the scan. The step will repeated for all specified antenna height and polarity. This program will perform the Quasi Peak measurement after the signal maximization process and pre-scan routine. The final measurement will be base on the pre-scan data reduction result.

#### **Sample Calculation Example**

The field strength is calculated by adding the Antenna Factor and Cable Factor, and subtracting the Amplifier Gain (if any) from the measured reading. For the limit is employed average value, therefore the peak value can be transferred to average value by subtracting the duty factor. The basic equation with a sample calculation is as follows:

Peak = Reading + Corrected Factor

where

Corr. Factor = Antenna Factor + Cable Factor - Amplifier Gain (if any)

And the average value is

Average = Peak Value + Duty Factor or Set RBW = 1MHz, VBW = 10Hz.

Note

If the measured frequencies are fall in the restricted frequency band, the limit employed must be quasi peak value when frequencies are below or equal to 1 GHz. And the measuring instrument is set to quasi peak detector function.

# Radiated emission test facilities for frequencies above 1 GHz (ANSI C63.4-2009 Chapter 5.5)

Currently, test site reference validation requirements above 1 GHz have not been established. However, facilities suitable for measurements in the frequency range 30 MHz to 1000 MHz are considered suitable for the frequency range 1 GHz to 40 GHz with RF absorbing material covering the ground plane such that the site validation criterion called out in CISPR 16-1-4:2007 is met, or alternatively covering a minimum area of 2.4 m by 2.4 m (for a 3 m test distance) between the antenna and the EUT using RF absorbing material with a minimum-rated attenuation of 20 dB (for normal incidence) up to 18 GHz. For separation distances greater than 3 m, a proportional increase in the area of suitable absorbing material is required.



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#### **EUT AND TEST SETUP PHOTOGRAPHS** Annex B.

#### Annex B.i. **Photograph 1: EUT External Photo**



Whole Package - Top View



Adapter Front View



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EUT - Front View



EUT - Rear View



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EUT - Top View



EUT - Bottom View



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EUT - Left View



EUT - Right View

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#### Annex B.ii. Photograph 2: EUT Internal Photo



Cover Off - Top View1



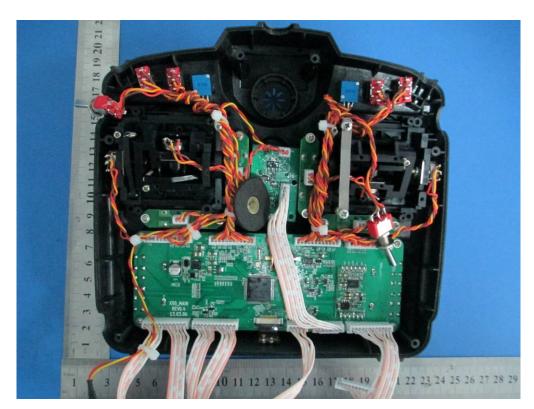
Battery - Front View



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Uncover view 1



Uncover view 2

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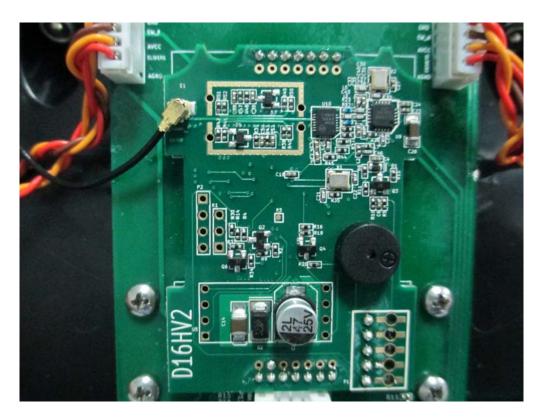
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Antenna



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Module - Front View

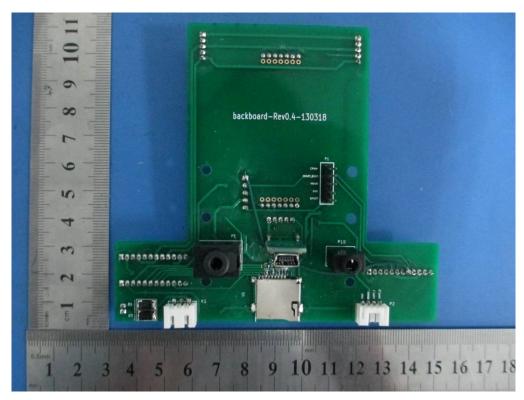
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PCB 1 - Front View

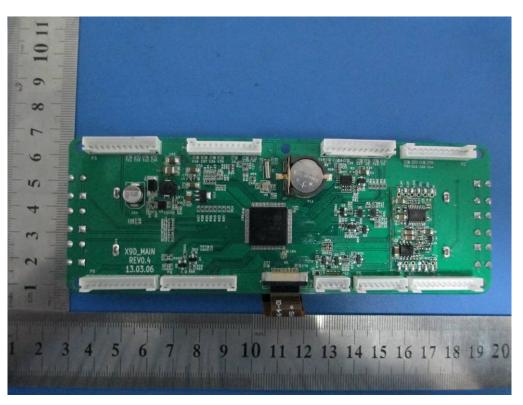


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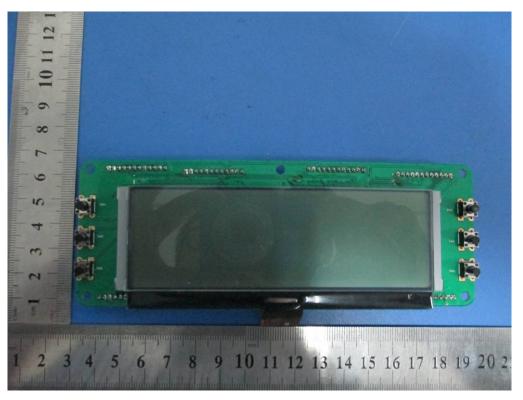
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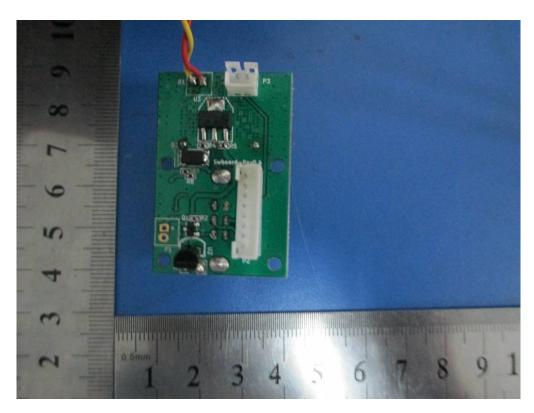
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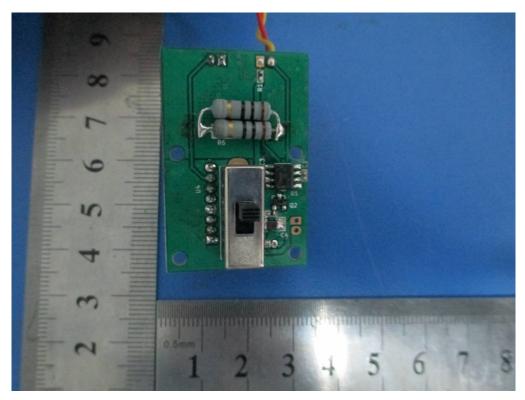
PCB 2 - Rear View



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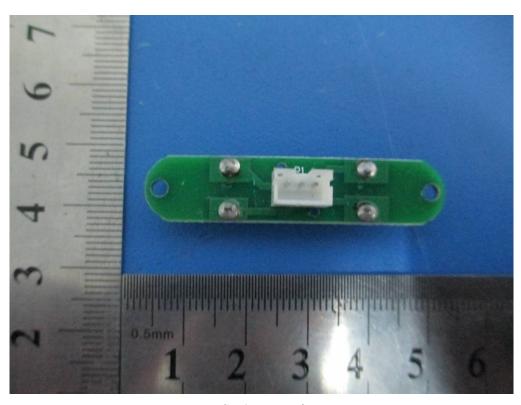
PCB 3 - Front View



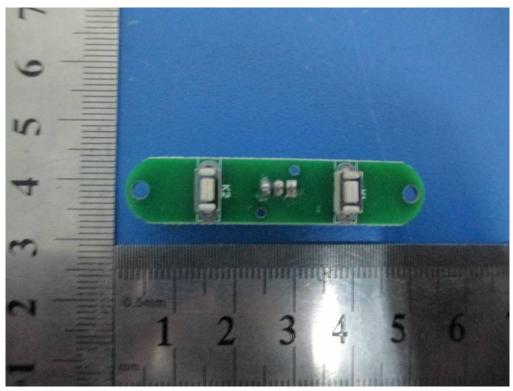
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PCB 4 - Front View

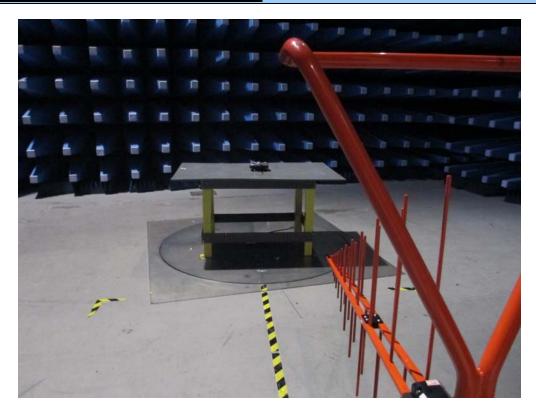


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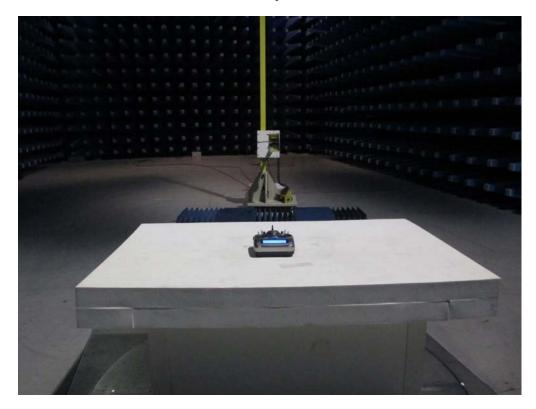


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#### Annex B.iii. **Photograph 3: Test Setup Photo**



Radiated Emissions Test Setup Below 1GHz - Rear View



Radiated Emissions Test Setup Above 1GHz - Front View

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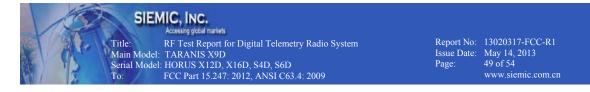
## **Annex C. TEST SETUP AND SUPPORTING EQUIPMENT**

#### **EUT TEST CONDITIONS**

#### Annex C. i. SUPPORTING EQUIPMENT DESCRIPTION

The following is a description of supporting equipment and details of cables used with the EUT.

Equipment Description (Including Brand Name)	Model	Calibration Date	Calibration Due Date
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

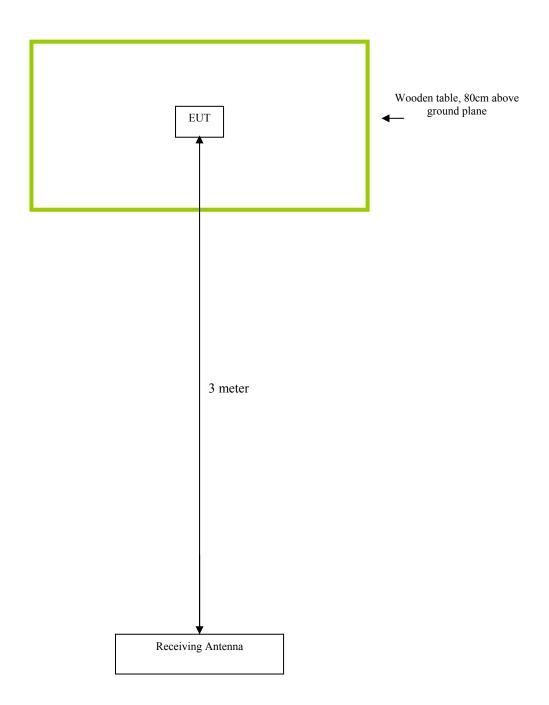


#### **Block Configuration Diagram for Conducted Emissions**

Note: the EUT is battery powered.

N/A

## **Block Configuration Diagram for Radiated Emissions**



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#### Annex C.ii. EUT OPERATING CONDITIONS

The following is the description of how the EUT is exercised during testing.

Test	Description Of Operation
<b>Emissions Testing</b>	The EUT was continuously transmitting to stimulate the worst case.

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# Annex D. USER MANUAL / BLOCK DIAGRAM / SCHEMATICS / PART LIST

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#### Annex E. DECLARATION OF SIMILARITY

#### **Declaration letter 1**

FrSky Electronic Co., Ltd

To: SIEMIC INC.

# **Declaration** letter

Dear Sir,

For our business issue and marketing requirement, we would like to list different models numbers on the FCC/CE certificates and reports, as following:

Model No.: TARANIS X9D, HORUS X12D, X16D, S4D, S6D

The difference between TARANIS X9D, and HORUS X12D, X16D, S4D, S6D are as follows:

Robert Zhang

The Serial Model Name HORUS X12D, X16D, S4D, S6D. Different mode name and shape only, like all the other.

Thank you!

Signature:

Printed name/title: Technical Director

Address: No. 1, Software Zone B, Huize Road, Shanshuicheng Science & Education Industrial

Park, Wuxi, 214081, Jiangsu, China

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#### **Declaration letter 2**

## FrSky Electronic Co., Ltd

To: SIEMIC INC.

# **Declearation Letter**

Dear Sir,

Equipment Name: 2.4G Radio System Model: XJT

Equipment Name: Digital Telemetry Radio System Model: TARANIS X9D

The RF parts between Model XJT and Model TARANIS X9D are same. Include PCB layout, components, and circuit. Please consider, as appropriate test.

Thank you!

Signature: Robert Zhang

Printed name/title: Technical Director

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