

# EN 300 328 v1.8.1

### **BLE TEST REPORT**

**FOR** 

### **BLE RADIO MODULE**

MODEL NUMBER: BCM20732S, BCM20736S, BCM20737S

REPORT NUMBER: 14U19243-E1

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# 1. ATTESTATION OF TEST RESULTS

**COMPANY NAME: BROADCOM CORPORATION** 

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**EUT DESCRIPTION: BLE RADIO MODULE** 

MODEL: BCM20732S, BCM20736S, BCM20737S

**SERIAL NUMBER:** 1869321 (FOR CONDUCTED TESTING)

375 (FOR RADIATED TESTING)

DATE TESTED: NOVEMBER 3 – NOVEMBER 6, 2014

APPLICABLE STANDARDS

**STANDARD TEST RESULTS** 

EN 300 328 v1.8.1 **PASS** 

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# 2. TEST METHODOLOGY

All tests were performed in accordance with the procedures documented in EN 300 328 v1.8.1.

#### 3. FACILITIES AND ACCREDITATION

The test sites and measurement facilities used to collect data are located at 47173 Benicia Street, Fremont, California, USA.

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47173 Benicia Street	47266 Benicia Street
	☐ Chamber D
☐ Chamber B	☐ Chamber E
☐ Chamber C	☐ Chamber F
	☐ Chamber G
	☐ Chamber H

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### 4. CALIBRATION AND UNCERTAINTY

# 4.1. MEASURING INSTRUMENT CALIBRATION

The measuring equipment utilized to perform the tests documented in this report has been calibrated in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations, and is traceable to recognized national standards.

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# 4.2. MEASUREMENT UNCERTAINTY

Where relevant, the following measurement uncertainty levels have been estimated for tests performed on the apparatus:

PARAMETER	UNCERTAINTY
Radio Frequency	±3.5 x 10^(-8)
Total RF power, conducted	±0.47 dB
RF power density, conducted	±0.55 dB
Spurious emissions, conducted	±2.94 dB
All emissions, radiated	±5.64 dB
Temperature	±0.9 deg C
Humidity	±4.5 % RH
DC and low frequency voltages	±0.45 %

Uncertainty figures are valid to a confidence level of 95%.

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# 5. EQUIPMENT UNDER TEST

#### 5.1. DESCRIPTION OF EUT

The EUT is a BLE radio module.

The radio module is manufactured by Broadcom Corporation

#### 5.2. DESCRIPTION OF MODEL DIFFERENCE

- 1. BCM20732S Base Part; Basic BLE function in the original limited SIP certification.
- 2. BCM20736S Adds Simultaneous Master Slave and A4WP to BCM20732S; All have the same circuit but with additional Software features. This change doesn't affect the radio parameters from base model BCM20732S.
- 3. BCM20737S Adds RSA Security and NFC bridging capabilities to the BCM20736S. All have the same circuit but with additional Software features. This change doesn't affect the radio parameters from base model BCM20732S.

The BCM20736S has one HW change. It has a pin strap to ground to be used by software to distinguish between the BCM20736S and the BCM20737S. This pin strap does NOT affect any of the radio parameters.

#### 5.3. MAXIMUM EIRP

The highest EIRP under normal and extreme environmental conditions in each mode is as follows:

Frequency Range (MHz)	Mode	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)
2402 - 2480	BLE	0.26	1.06

#### 5.4. DESCRIPTION OF AVAILABLE ANTENNAS

The radio utilizes a PCB antenna, with a maximum gain of -1.5 dBi.

#### 5.5. SOFTWARE AND FIRMWARE

The EUT driver software installed during testing was A\_20738A1-bleloopback-rom-ramspar 0x600218-0x7555 2

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The test utility software used during testing was Broadcom Bluetool, ver. 1.8.1.7.

### 5.6. WORST-CASE CONFIGURATIONS

For the fundamental investigation, since the EUT is a portable device that has three orientations; X, Y and Z orientations were investigated under previous report 13U15716-3 and the worst case was found to be at X orientation. X orientation was used for the radiated testing covered by this report.

EUT does not have AFH mode. Also, measured EIRP is less than 10 dBm; therefore, the EUT is exempt from the following requirements:

- Duty Cycle, Tx-Sequence, Tx-Gap
- Medium Utilisation
- Adaptivity
- Receiver Blocking

# 5.7. DESCRIPTION OF TEST SETUP

#### **SUPPORT EQUIPMENT**

Support Equipment List					
Description Manufacturer Model Serial Number					
Laptop	HP	EliteBook 2730p	2CE84601JN		
AC / DC Adapter	НР	РРР009Н	F1-09070642140A		
EUT - Adapter Board	BROADCOM	BCM920732TAG	1746850		

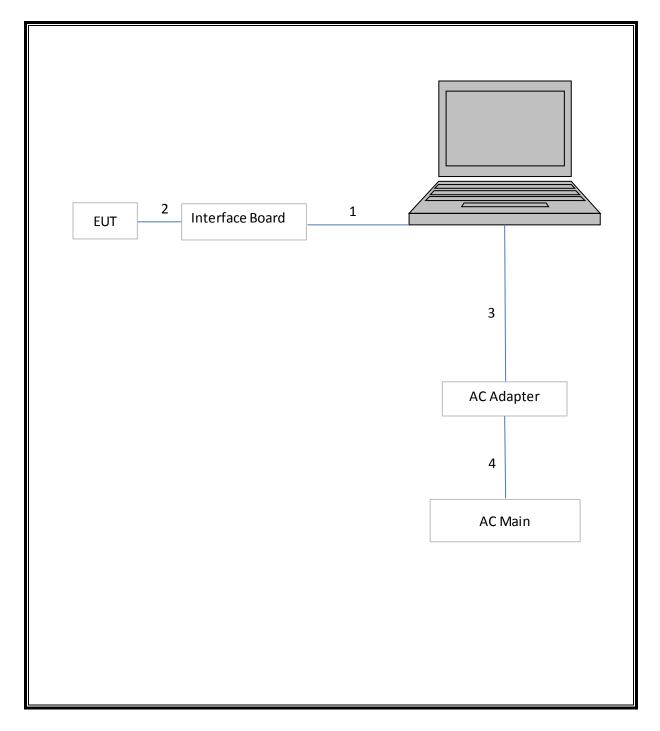
### **I/O CABLES**

	I/O Cable List							
Cable No	Port	# of identical ports	Connector Type		Cable Length (m)	Remarks		
1	USB	1	USB	Unshielded		N/A		
2	JTAG	1	JTAG	Unshielded	0.3m	N/A		
3	DC	1	DC	Unshielded	1.5m	N/A		
4	AC	1	US 115V	Shielded	1.5m	N/A		

#### **TEST SETUP**

The EUT is connected to an interface board via JTAG cables. The interface board is connected via USB to a laptop.

# **SETUP DIAGRAM FOR TESTS**



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# 6. TEST AND MEASUREMENT EQUIPMENT

The following test and measurement equipment was utilized for the tests documented in this report:

Test Equipment List						
Description	Manufacturer	Model	Asset	Cal Date	Cal Due	
Spectrum Analyzer, 3 Hz-44GHz	Agilent	N9030A	F00491	05/09/14	05/09/15	
Amplifier	Miteq	AFS42-0010180	F00002	08/19/14	08/19/15	
Antenna, Horn 1-18GHz	ETS Lindgren	3117	C01022	02/28/14	02/28/15	
Antenna, 30 to 2000MHz	Sunol Sciences	JB3	F00215	05/29/14	05/29/15	
Temperature / Humidity Chamber	Thermotron	SE 600-10-10	C00930	01/09/14	01/09/15	
Spectrum Analyzer, 3 Hz-44GHz	Agilent	N9030A-544	F00410	03/21/14	03/21/15	
USB RF Power Sensor, 10MHz- 6GHz	ETS Lindgren	7002-006	T1021	08/25/14	08/25/15	

# 7. TEST RESULTS

#### 7.1. NORMAL AND EXTREME CONDITIONS

### **LIMITS**

None; for reporting purposes only.

#### **RESULTS**

The normal and extreme conditions as declared by the customer are as follows:

Normal conditions are 25 deg C, 3.3 VDC. The low temperature condition is -20 deg C. The high temperature condition is 55 deg C. The low voltage condition is 1.62 VDC. The high voltage condition is 3.63 VDC.

### 7.2. OCCUPIED CHANNEL BANDWIDTH

# **LIMIT**

The Occupied Channel Bandwidth for each hopping frequency shall fall completely within 2.4 to 2.4835 GHz.

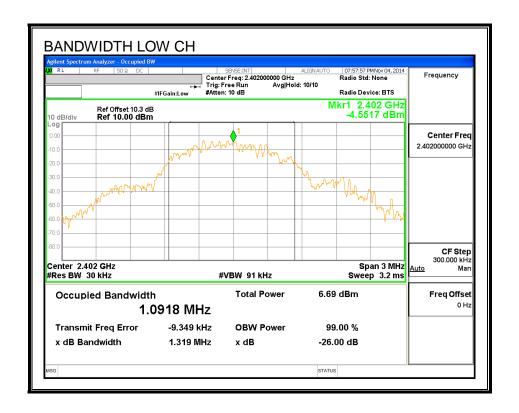
For non-adaptive Frequency Hopping equipment with e.i.r.p greater than 10 dBm, the Occupied Channel Bandwidth for every occupied hopping frequency shall be equal to or less than the value declared by the supplier. This declared value shall not be greater than 5MHz.

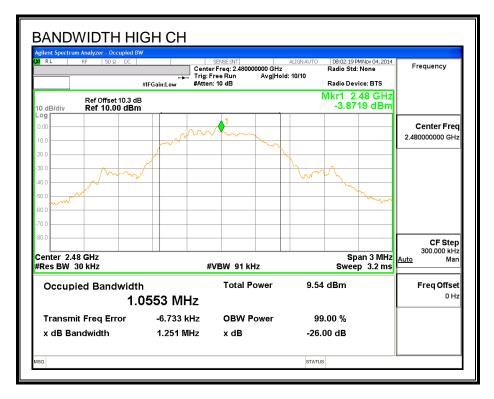
#### **TEST PROCEDURE**

ETSI EN 300 328 V1.8.1 Section 5.3.8.2.1

### **RESULTS**

Mode	Frequency (MHz)	Occupied Bandwidth (MHz)	Limit (MHz)	Margin (MHz)
BLE	-	-		
Low Channel	2402	1.0918	2400.00	-1.4541
High Channel	2480	1.0553	2483.50	-4.0276





#### 7.3. RF OUTPUT POWER

#### **LIMIT**

ETSI EN 300 328 Clause 4.3.2.1.2 (Non-AFH Wide Band Modulations)

For adaptive equipment using wide band modulations other than FHSS, the maximum RF output power shall be 20 dBm.

The maximum RF output power for non-adaptive equipment shall be declared by the supplier and shall not exceed 20 dBm. See clause 5.3.1 m).

For non-adaptive equipment using wide band modulations other than FHSS, the maximum RF output power shall be equal to or less than the value declared by the supplier.

This limit shall apply for any combination of power level and intended antenna assembly.

#### **TEST PROCEDURE**

ETSI EN 300 328 Clause 5.3.2.2.1.1

#### **CALCULATIONS**

EIRP = A + G + Y

Where,

EIRP is the effective isotropic radiated power in dBm A is the highest of all Pburst values as measured by the test system in dBm G is stated assembly antenna gain of the individual antenna in dBi Y is any additional beam-forming gain

### **RESULTS**

Antenna Gain	-1.5 dBi

Condition	Counducted Output Power	EIRP	Limit	Margin
	(dBm)	(dBm)	(dB)	(dB)
2402 MHz				
Normal	1.71	0.21	20	-19.79
Extreme T low, V low	1.76	0.26	20	-19.74
Extreme T low, V high	1.74	0.24	20	-19.76
Extreme T high, V low	1.15	-0.35	20	-20.35
Extreme T high, V high	1.13	-0.37	20	-20.37
2440 MHz				
Normal	1.71	0.21	20	-19.79
Extreme T low, V low	1.75	0.25	20	-19.75
Extreme T low, V high	1.74	0.24	20	-19.76
Extreme T high, V low	1.16	-0.34	20	-20.34
Extreme T high, V high	1.13	-0.37	20	-20.37
2480 MHz				
Normal	1.71	0.21	20	-19.79
Extreme T low, V low	1.73	0.23	20	-19.77
Extreme T low, V high	1.75	0.25	20	-19.75
Extreme T high, V low	1.15	-0.35	20	-20.35
Extreme T high, V high	1.12	-0.38	20	-20.38

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# 7.4. POWER SPECTRAL DENSITY

#### LIMIT

ETSI EN 300 328 Clause 4.3.2.2

For wide band modulations other then FHSS (e.g. DSSS, OFDM, etc.), the maximum e.i.r.p. spectral density is limited to 10 mW (10 dBm) per MHz.

#### **TEST PROCEDURE**

ETSI EN 300 328 Clause 5.3.3.2.1

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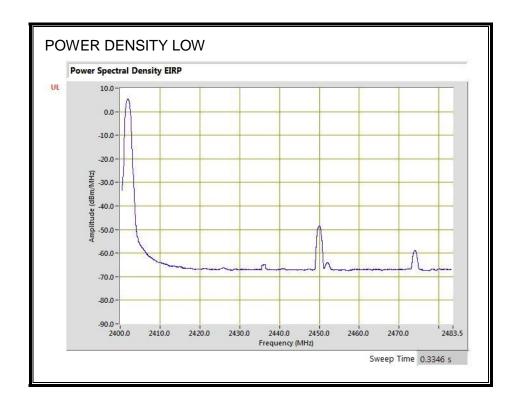
### **RESULTS**

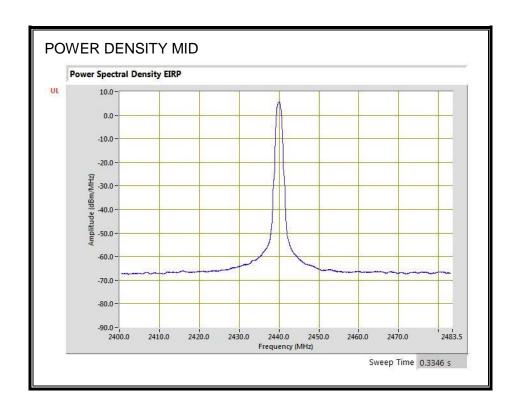
EUT Antenna Gain (dBi)	-1.5
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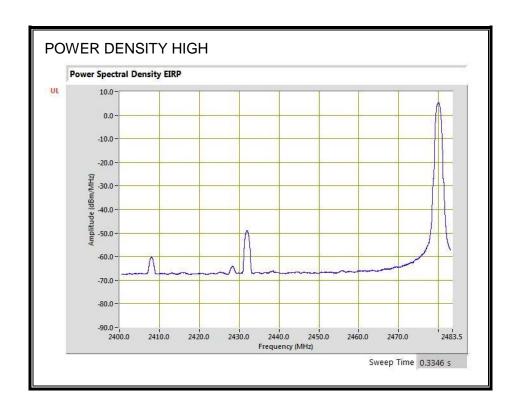
Frequency	Power Density EIRP	Limit EIRP	Margin
(MHz)	(dBm/MHz)	(dBm/MHz)	(dB)
2402	5.24	10	-4.76
2440	5.57	10	-4.43
2480	5.00	10	-5.00

Note: Measured Density values account for EUT Antenna gain

# **POWER DENSITY PLOTS**







# 7.5. TRANSMITTER UNWANTED EMISSIONS IN THE OOB DOMAIN

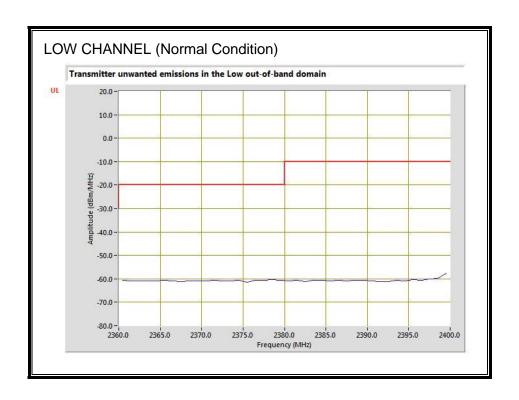
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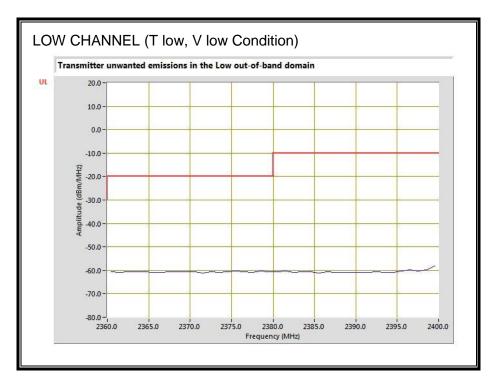
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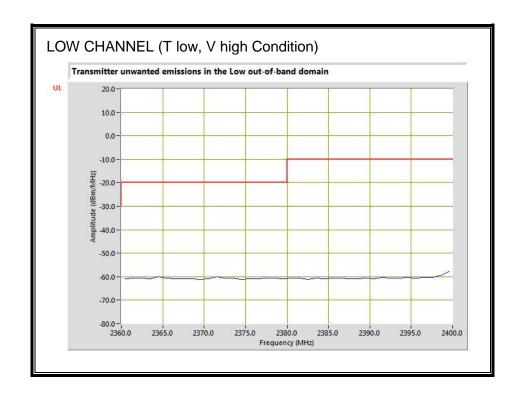
### **TEST PROCEDURE**

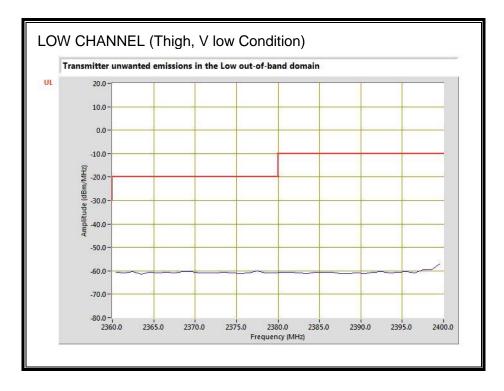
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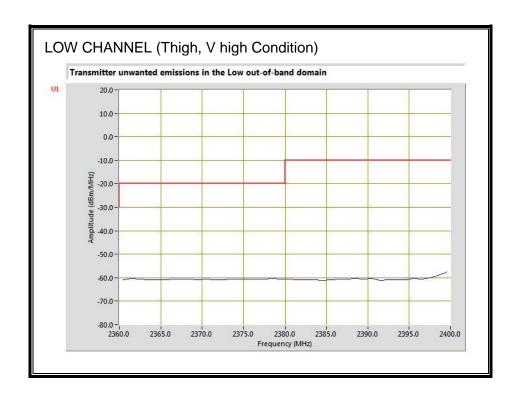
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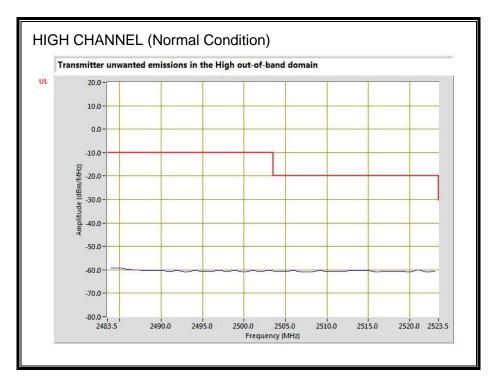


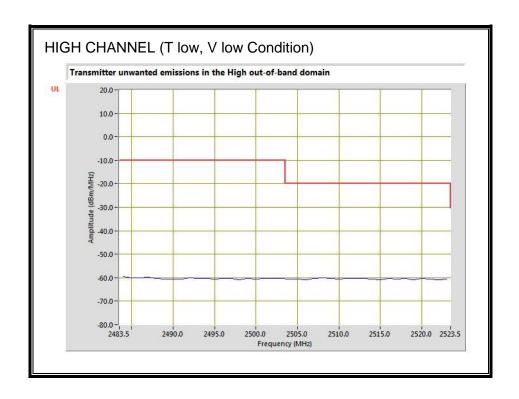


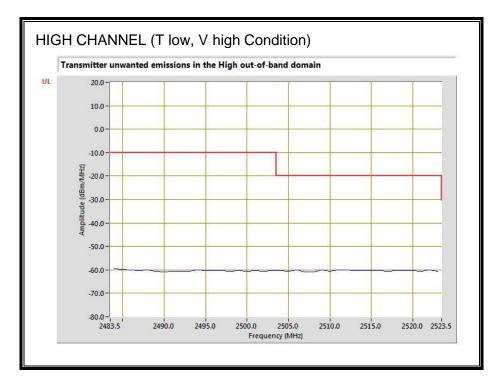


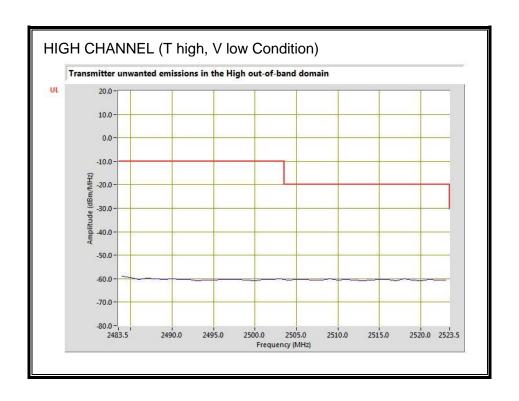


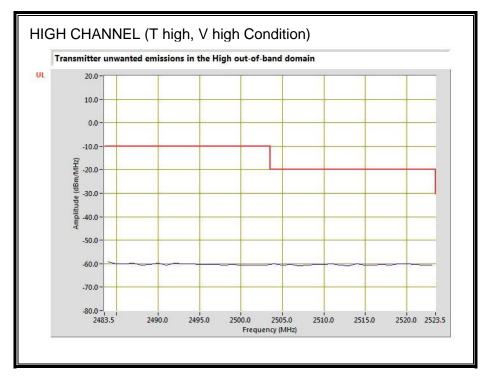












# 7.6. TRANSMITTER SPURIOUS EMISSIONS

# **LIMITS**

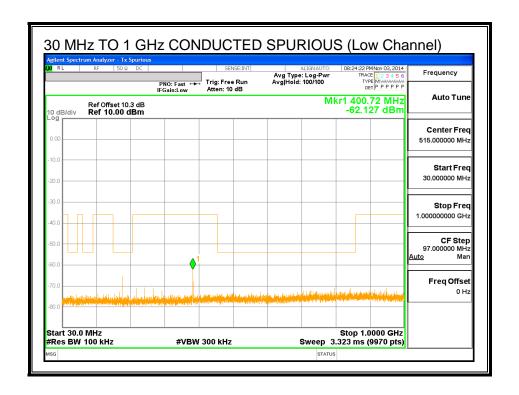
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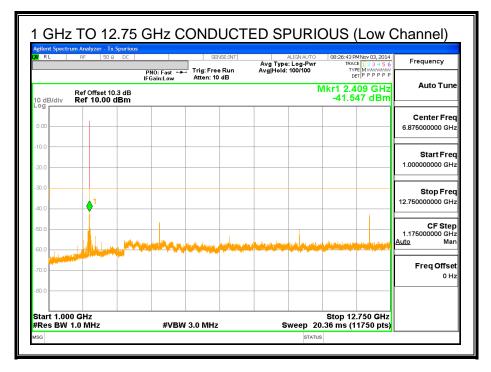
### **TEST PROCEDURE**

EN 300 328 Clause 5.3.10.2 of ETSI EN 300 328 V1.8.1 (2012-06)

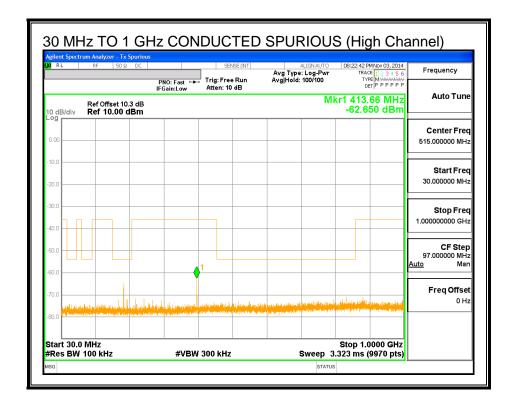
# **RESULTS**

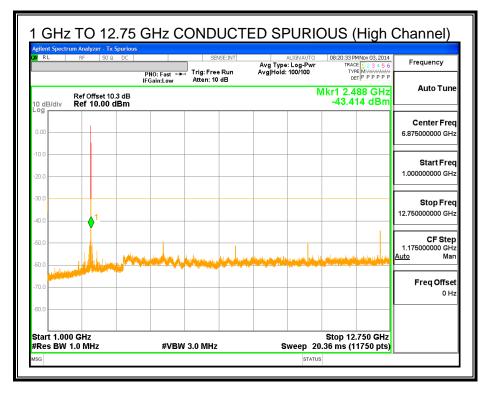
#### **CONDUCTED SPURIOUS EMISSIONS**



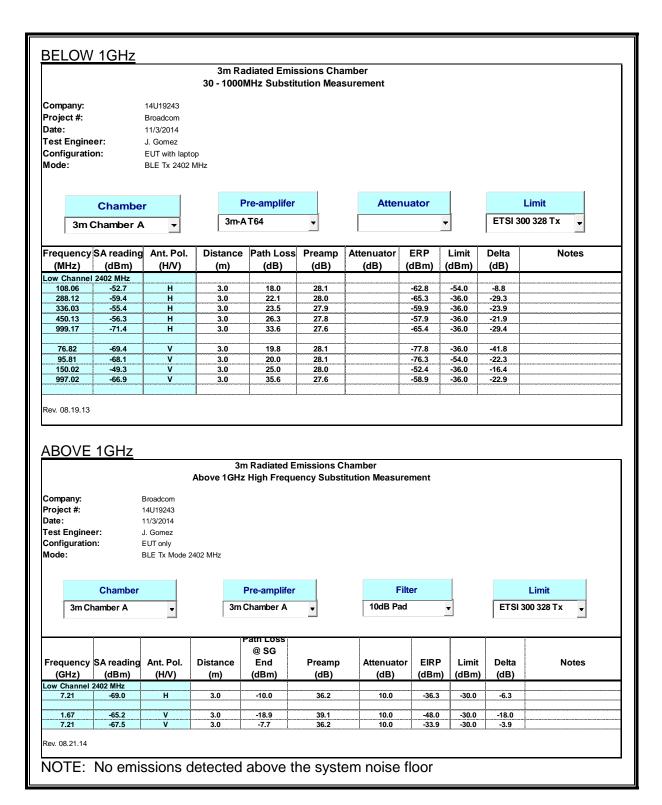


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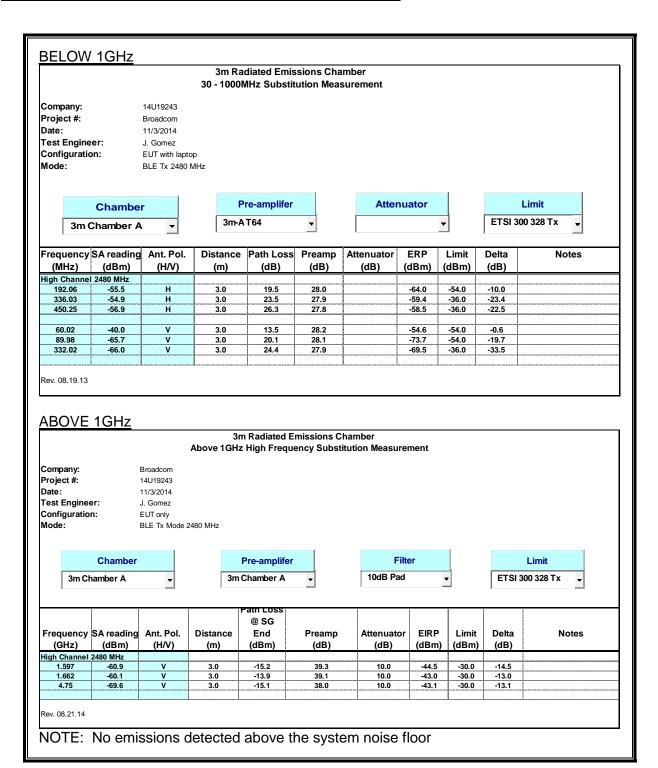




# RADIATED SPURIOUS EMISSIONS (LOW CHANNEL 2402 MHz)



#### RADIATED SPURIOUS EMISSIONS (HIGH CHANNEL 2480 MHz)



#### 7.7. RECEIVER SPURIOUS EMISSIONS

# **LIMITS**

ETSI EN 300 328 Clause 4.3.2.9.2

#### **TEST PROCEDURE**

EN 300 328 Clause 5.3.11.2

#### **TEST CONDITIONS**

EN 300 328 Clause 5.3.11.1

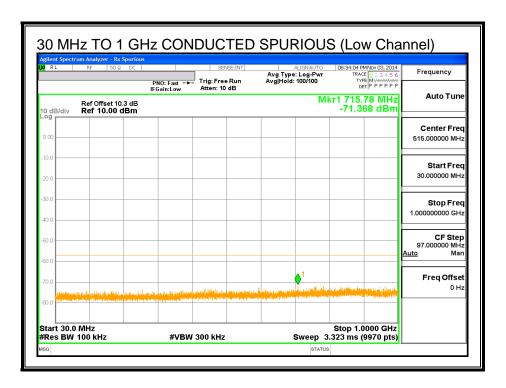
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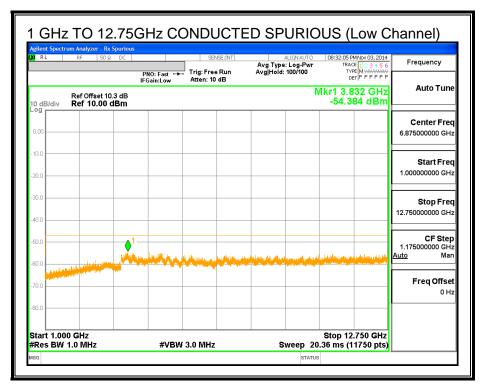
- a) their power in a specified load (conducted spurious emissions) and their effective radiated power when radiated by the cabinet or structure of the equipment (cabinet radiation); or
- b) their effective radiated power when radiated by cabinet and antenna

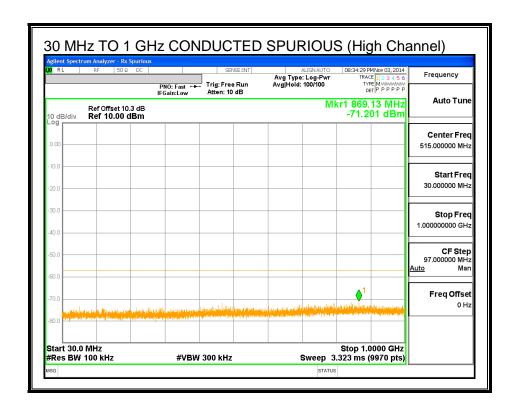
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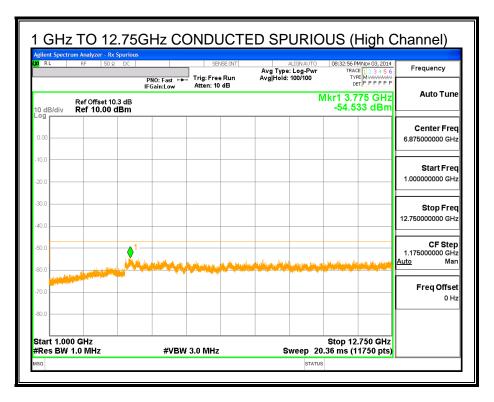
# **RESULTS**

#### **CONDUCTED SPURIOUS EMISSIONS**

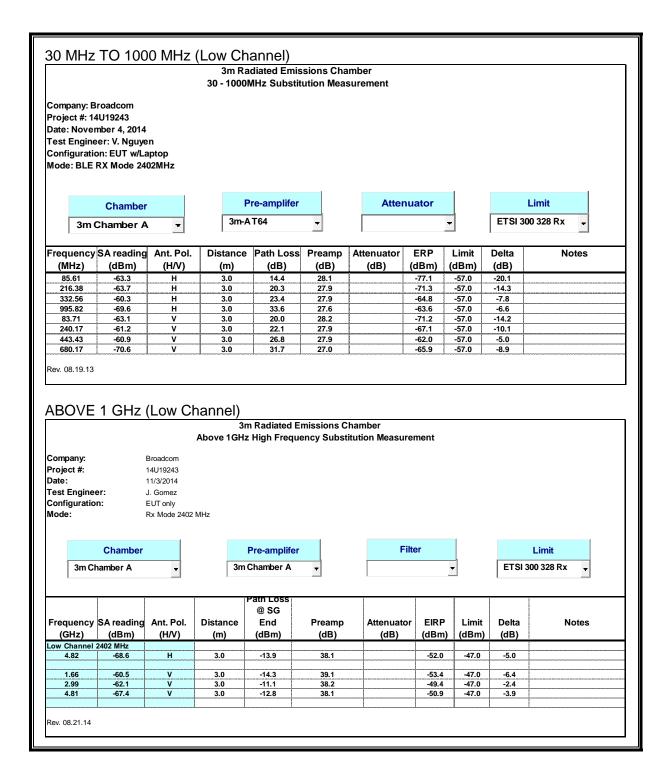




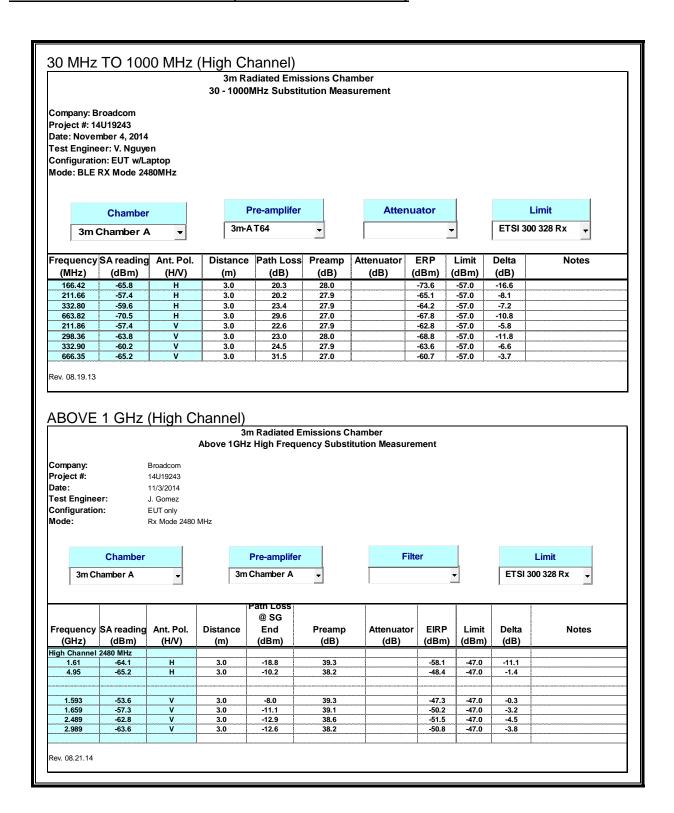




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#### **RADIATED SPURIOUS EMISSIONS (HIGH CHANNEL 2480 MHz)**

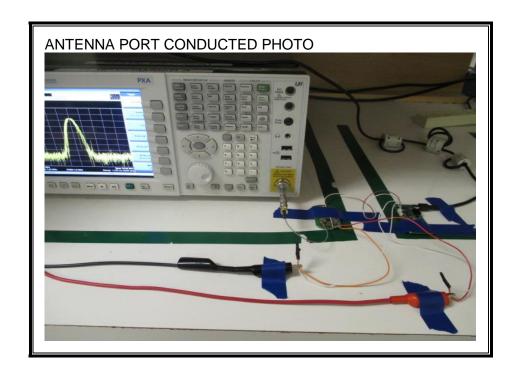


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# 8. SETUP PHOTO

# 8.1. RF CONDUCTED MEASUREMENT AT ANTENNA PORT

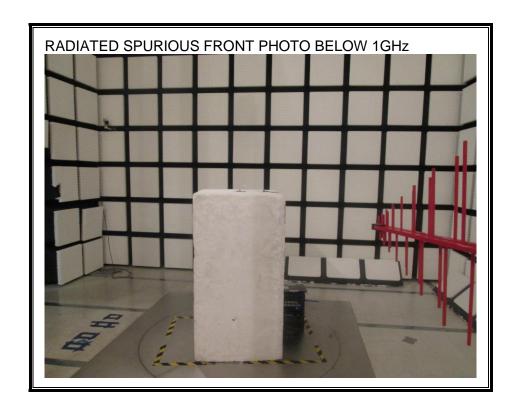


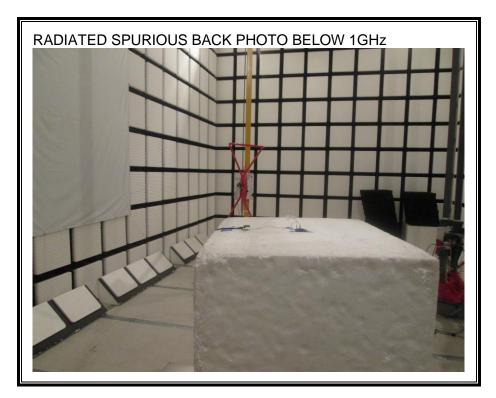
#### **ENVIRONMENTAL CHAMBER SETUP**

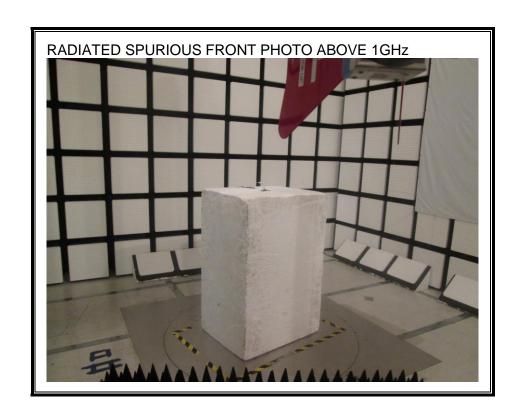


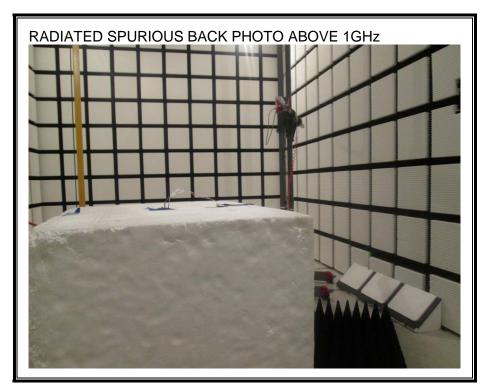
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#### 8.2. RADIATED SPURIOUS EMISSIONS









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