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# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

FCCID: 2AIUF-FLOW001

# 1.1. Product description

PRODUCT	FLOW SENSOR
MODEL	FLow001
FCCID	2AUIF- FLOW001

# **Itk Flow Sensor Description**

The ITK Flow sensor has been designed for drip irrigation systems of watered crops. Its purpose is to measure the total **amount of water** served on a drip line during an irrigation phase

## Measuring system:

Water volume is measured with a magnetized turbine (2 magnets fitted into the turbine) combined with a reed switch that deliver pulses to count turbine rotations. The number of counted pulses is converted to a water volume in milliliters.

The flow sensor embeds a wireless technology to send measured data to a dedicated receiver.

A lithium battery located within the product provides power to the Flow sensor.



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#### 1.2. **Tested System Details**

Equipment under test (EUT): FLOW001

Serial Number: 0138A7FA & 0138A842



Photography of EUT

Power supply:
During all the tests, EUT is supplied by V<sub>nom</sub>: 3.6VDC

For measurement with different voltage, it will be presented in test method.

Name	Туре	Rating	Reference	Comments
Supply1	☐ AC ☐ DC ☑ Battery	3.6VDC	LS 14500	Lithium

Inputs/outputs - Cable:

Access	Туре	Length used (m)	Declared <3m	Shielded	Under test	Comments			
None									

Auxiliary equipment used during test:

Type	Reference	Sn	Comments
Laptop	DELL	-	-
Flow Master	-	-	5-3



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Equipment information:

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EUT information									
RF module:	Low Power Long Range LoRa Technology Transceiver Module								
Frequency Band	[903-927]MHz								
Antenna Type:	✓ Integral	□ Ext	ernal	□ Dedicated					
Antenna gain:	2.4 dBi Helical Wire (Linx / ANT-916-HETH)								
Standby mode:			□ No						
Equipment intended use:	d use: ☑ Fixed		□ Mol						
Equipment type:	□ Production me	odel	☑ Pre-production model						
Type of power source:	□ AC power supply	☐ DC pow	ver supply  ☑ Battery						

Channel details:

Channels	CH0	CH1	CH2	CH3	CH4	CH5	CH6	CH7	CH8	CH9	CH10	CH11	CH12	CH13	CH14	CH15
Freq	903	903,8	904,6	905,4	906,2	907	907,8	908,6	909,4	910,2	911	911,8	912,6	913,4	914,2	915
Channels	CH16	CH17	CH18	CH19	CH20	CH21	CH22	CH23	CH24	CH25	CH26	CH27	CH28	CH29	CH30	-
Freq	915,8	916,6	917.4	918,2	919	919,8	920,6	921,4	922.2	923	923.8	924.6	925.4	926,2	927	-

# 2.2. EUT CONFIGURATION

The EUT is set in the following modes during tests with simulator / software (Cloverflow version C0101):

- Permanent emission with modulation on a fixed channel in the data rate that produced the highest power
- Permanent reception

All tests are performed at Cmin, Cmid and Cmax.

The power command is set at 86("hexadecimal") by software and not "0E".

Following commands with the specific test software are used to set the product:

- # 1- Time before starting test (60s)
- #5- Time of a CloverMaster Test (120s)
- #9-Time of a FlowSensor Test (63s (max 63s))

=======FCC FlowMeter======

- #50 Timed TX (0A) channel 00, power 86
- #51 Timed TX (0A) channel 15, power 86
- # 52 Timed TX (0A) channel 30, power 86
- #53 Timed TX (0A) channel 00, power 86
- #54 Timed TX (0A) channel 15, power 86
- # 55 Timed TX (0A) channel 30, power 86
- =========FCC Modem=======
- # 60 Timed TX (0A) channel 00 (903 Mhz) ,power 87
- # 61 Timed TX (0A) channel 15 (915 Mhz), power 87
- # 62 Timed TX (0A) channel 30 (927 Mhz), power 87 # 63 Timed TX (0A) channel 00 (903 Mhz), power 87
- # 64 Timed TX (0A) channel 15 (915 Mhz), power 87
- # 65 Timed TX (0A) channel 30 (927 Mhz), power 87

# q – exit

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There are 2 configurations tests (cf §3):

- Configuration 1: The EUT is in TX mode.
- Configuration 2: The EUT is in IDLE mode.



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# 1.3. Test Methodology

Both conducted and radiated testing were performed according to the procedures in ANSI C63.4 or ANSI C63.10, FCC Part 15 Subpart C.

Radiated testing was performed at an antenna to EUT distance of 10 meters. During testing, all equipment's and cables were moved relative to each other in order to identify the worst case set-up.

# 1.4. Test facility

Tests have been performed June 30, 2016 to July 4, 2016.

This test facility has been fully described in a report and accepted by FCC as compliant with the radiated and AC line conducted test site criteria in ANSI C63.4 and ANSI C63.10 (registration number 94821).

This test facility has also been accredited by COFRAC (French accreditation authority for European Union test lab accreditation organization) according to NF EN ISO/IEC 17025, accreditation number 1-1633 as compliant with test site criteria and competence in 47 CFR Part 15/ANSI C63.4 and EN55022/CISPR22 norms for 89/336/EEC European EMC Directive application. All pertinent data for this test facility remains unchanged.