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Radio Test Report

Application for Grant of Equipment Authorization

FCC Part 22 and IC RSS-132
[869MHz – 894MHz]

FCC Part 27 and IC RSS-130
[746MHz – 756MHz]

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Model: AHBCC

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SCOPE

Tests have been performed on Nokia Solutions and Networks product Airscale Base Station Remote Radio Head (RRH) Model AHBCC, pursuant to the relevant requirements of the following standard(s) to obtain device certification against the regulatory requirements of the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada (ISED).

- Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Title 47 Part 2
- (Radio Standards Specification) RSS-Gen Issue 4 - November 2014
- CFR 47 Part 22 Subpart H
- RSS-132 Issue 3 - January 2013
- CFR Title 47 Part 27 Subpart C
- RSS-130 Issue 1 - October 2013

Conducted and radiated emissions data has been collected, reduced, and analyzed within this report in accordance with measurement guidelines set forth in the following reference standards:

ANSI C63.4-2014
ANSI TIA-603-D
FCC KDB 971168 D01 v02r02

The intentional radiator above has been tested in a simulated typical installation to demonstrate compliance with the relevant FCC and ISED requirements.

Every practical effort was made to perform an impartial test using appropriate test equipment of known calibration. All pertinent factors have been applied to reach the determination of compliance.

The test results recorded herein are based on a single type test of Nokia Solutions and Networks product Airscale Base Station Remote Radio Head (RRH) Model AHBCC and therefore apply only to the tested sample. The sample was selected and prepared by Hobert Smith and John Rattanavong of Nokia Solutions and Networks.

OBJECTIVE

The primary objective of the manufacturer is compliance with the regulations outlined in the previous section.

Prior to marketing in the USA and Canada, the device requires certification.

Certification is a procedure where the manufacturer submits test data and technical information to a certification body and receives a certificate or grant of equipment authorization upon successful completion of the certification body's review of the submitted documents. Once the equipment authorization has been obtained, the label indicating compliance must be attached to all identical units, which are subsequently manufactured.

Maintenance of compliance is the responsibility of the manufacturer. Any modification of the product which may result in increased emissions should be checked to ensure compliance has been maintained (i.e., printed circuit board layout changes, different line filter, different power supply, harnessing or I/O cable changes, etc.).

Testing was performed only on Model AHBCC. No additional models were described or supplied for testing.

STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE

The tested sample of Nokia Solutions and Networks product Airscale Base Transceiver Station Remote Radio Head (RRH) Model AHBCC complied with the requirements of the standards and frequency bands declared in the scope of this test report.

Maintenance of compliance is the responsibility of the manufacturer. Any modifications to the product should be assessed to determine their potential impact on the compliance status of the device with respect to the standards detailed in this test report.

DEVIATIONS FROM THE STANDARDS

No deviations were made from the published requirements listed in the scope of this report.

TEST RESULTS SUMMARY

The following tables provide a summary of the test results:

FCC Part 22 Subpart H and IC RSS-132 Issue 3 (Base Stations Operating in the 869 to 894MHz Band)

AHBCC operating in 869MHz to 894MHz Frequency Band					
FCC	IC	Description	Measured	Limit	Results
Transmitter Modulation, output power and other characteristics					
§22.905	RSS-132 Section 5.1	Frequency Ranges	LTE1.4: 869.7 – 893.3MHz LTE3: 870.5 – 892.5MHz LTE5: 871.5 – 891.5MHz LTE10: 874.0 – 889.0MHz	869.0MHz to 894.0MHz	Pass
§2.1047	RSS-132 Section 5.2	Modulation Type	QPSK, 16QAM, 64QAM and 256QAM for LTE 1.4, LTE3, LTE5 & LTE10	Digital	Pass
§22.913	RSS-132 Section 5.4	Output Power	Highest Conducted Power Output RMS: 46.09dBm ERP depends on antenna gain which is unknown	1000W ERP	Pass
	RSS-132 Section 5.4	Peak to Average Power Ratio	Highest Measured PAPR: 7.71dB	13dB	Pass
	RSS-Gen Section 6.6	99% Emission Bandwidth	LTE1.4: 1.1161MHz LTE3: 2.7117MHz LTE5: 4.4953MHz LTE10: 8.9812MHz	Remain in Block	Pass
§22.917(b)		26dB down Emission Bandwidth	LTE1.4: 1.264MHz LTE3: 2.928MHz LTE5: 4.844MHz LTE10: 9.685MHz	Remain in Block	Pass
Transmitter Spurious Emissions¹					
§22.917	RSS-132 Section 5.5	At the antenna terminals	< -19dBm	-19dBm per Transmit Chain	Pass
		Field Strength	50.247dBuV/m at 3m Eq. to -44.953dBm EIRP	-13dBm EIRP	Pass
Other Details					
§2.1057	RSS-132 Section 5.3	Frequency Stability	0.0016ppm	1.5ppm	Pass
§1.1310	RSS102	RF Exposure	N/A		Pass ²
Note 1: Based on 100kHz RBW. In the 1MHz immediately outside and adjacent to the frequency block a RBW of at least 1% of the emission bandwidth was used. The measurement bandwidth is 100kHz for measurements more than 1MHz from the band edge.					
Note 2: Applicant's declaration on a separate exhb bit based on hypothetical antenna gains.					

869MHz to 894MHz Band Emission Designators								
Channel Bandwidth	LTE-QPSK		LTE-16QAM		LTE-64QAM		LTE-256QAM	
	FCC	IC	FCC	IC	FCC	IC	FCC	IC
1.4M	1M26F9W	1M12F9W	1M24F9W	1M11F9W	1M24F9W	1M11F9W	1M25F9W	1M11F9W
3M	2M93F9W	2M71F9W	2M93F9W	2M71F9W	2M92F9W	2M71F9W	2M93F9W	2M70F9W
5M	4M84F9W	4M49F9W	4M82F9W	4M48F9W	4M84F9W	4M49F9W	4M84F9W	4M50F9W
10M	9M65F9W	8M98F9W	9M65F9W	8M98F9W	9M69F9W	8M98F9W	9M65F9W	8M97F9W

Note: FCC based on 26dB emission bandwidth; IC based on 99% emission bandwidth.

FCC Part 27 Subpart C and IC RSS-130 Issue 1 (Base Stations Operating in the 746 to 756MHz Band)

AHBCC operating in the 746MHz to 756MHz Frequency Band					
FCC	IC	Description	Measured	Limit	Results
Transmitter Modulation, output power and other characteristics					
27.5(b)	RSS-130 Section 4.2	Frequency Ranges	LTE5: 748.5 – 753.5MHz LTE10: 751.0MHz	746.0 – 756.0MHz	Pass
2.1033(c)(4)	RSS-130 Section 4.1	Modulation Type	QPSK, 16QAM, 64QAM and 256QAM for LTE5 & LTE10	Digital	Pass
27.50(b)	RSS-130 Section 4.4	Output Power	Highest Conducted Power Output RMS: 46.14dBm ERP depends on antenna gain which is unknown	1000W ERP	Pass
	RSS-130 Section 4.4	Peak to Average Power Ratio	Highest Measured PAPR: 7.74dB	13dB	Pass
2.1049	RSS-Gen Section 6.6	99% Emission Bandwidth	LTE5: 4.4942MHz LTE10: 8.9887MHz	Remain in Block	Pass
		26dB down Emission Bandwidth	LTE5: 4.848MHz LTE10: 9.682MHz	Remain in Block	Pass
Transmitter Spurious Emissions					
27.53(c)	RSS-130 Section 4.6.1	At the antenna terminals	< -19dBm	-19dBm per Transmit Chain	Pass ¹
		Field strength	50.247dBuV/m at 3m Eq. to -44.953dBm EIRP	-13 dBm ERP	Pass
27.53(c)(3)	RSS-130 Section 4.6.2	At the Ant terminals: Maximum emissions in 763-775 MHz and 793- 806MHz bands	Conducted emissions were less than -56.6dBm for RBW of 6.25kHz	-52dBm per 6.25kHz bandwidth	Pass ²
27.53f	RSS-130 Section 4.6.2	At the Ant terminals: Maximum emissions in 1559-1610MHz band	Conducted emissions were not observed above measurement instrumentation noise floor or less than -98dBW/MHz	EIRP< Wideband: -76dBW/MHz Discrete: -86dBW/MHz	Pass ³
Other Details					
27.54	RSS-130 Sec 4.3	Frequency Stability	Stays within authorized frequency block 0.0016ppm	Stays within block	Pass
1.1310	RSS102	RF Exposure	N/A		Pass ⁴
Note 1: Based on 100kHz RBW. In the 100kHz immediately outside and adjacent to the frequency block a RBW of 30kHz was used. The measurement bandwidth is 100kHz for measurements more than 100kHz from the band edge. See Section 27.53(c)(5) and RSS 130 4.6 for details. Note 2: Section 27.53(c)(3) and RSS-130 4.6.2 requires an emission limit of -46dBm for any 6.25 kHz bandwidth between frequency bands 763-775 MHz and 793-806MHz. Adjusting for the four port MIMO requirement the emission limit in these frequency ranges is -52 dBm [i.e.: Limit = -46 dBm/6.25kHz (FCC/IC Limit) – 6dB (4 port MIMO)]. Note 3: Section 27.53(f) and RSS 130 4.6.2(b), the EIRP limit for the frequency range 1559-1610 MHz is -70dBW/MHz for wideband signals and -80dBW for discrete emissions of bandwidths less than 700Hz. Adjusting for the four port MIMO requirement, the limit is -76 dBW [-70 dBW -10 log (4)] for wideband signals and -86dBW [-80 dBW -10 log (4)] for discrete emissions. Note 4: Applicant's declaration on a separate exhb bit based on hypothetical antenna gains.					

746MHz to 756MHz Band Emission Designators								
Channel Bandwidth	LTE-QPSK		LTE-16QAM		LTE-64QAM		LTE-256QAM	
	FCC	IC	FCC	IC	FCC	IC	FCC	IC
5M	4M84F9W	4M49F9W	4M83F9W	4M48F9W	4M84F9W	4M49F9W	4M85F9W	4M49F9W
10M	9M64F9W	8M97F9W	9M65F9W	8M99F9W	9M68F9W	8M98F9W	9M64F9W	8M97F9W

Note: FCC based on 26dB emission bandwidth; IC based on 99% emission bandwidth.

Extreme Conditions

Frequency stability is determined over extremes of temperature and voltage.

The extremes of voltage were 85 to 115 percent of the nominal value.

The extremes of temperature were -30°C to +50°C as specified in FCC §2.1055(a)(1).

Measurement Uncertainties

Measurement uncertainties of the test facility based on a 95% confidence level are as follows:

Test	Uncertainty
Radio frequency	± 0.2ppm
RF power conducted	±1.2 dB
RF power radiated	±3.3 dB
RF power density conducted	±1.2 dB
Spurious emissions conducted	±1.2 dB
Adjacent channel power	±0.4 dB
Spurious emissions radiated	±4 dB
Temperature	±1°C
Humidity	±1.6 %
Voltage (DC)	±0.2 %
Voltage (AC)	±0.3 %

EQUIPMENT UNDER TEST (EUT) DETAILS

General

The equipment under test (EUT) is a Nokia Solutions and Networks AirScale Base Transceiver Station (BTS) Remote Radio Head (RRH) module, model AHBCC. The AHBCC remote radio head is a multistandard multicarrier radio module designed to support LTE, and narrow band IoT (internet of things) operations (in-band, guard band, standalone). The scope of testing in this effort is for LTE-FDD operations.

The AHBCC RRH has four transmit/four receive antenna ports (4TX/4RX for Band 5 and 4TX/4RX for Band 13). Each antenna port supports 3GPP frequency band 5 (BTS Rx: 824 to 849 MHz/BTS TX: 869 to 894 MHz) and 3GPP frequency band 13 (BTS Rx: 777 to 787 MHz/BTS TX: 746 to 756 MHz). The maximum RF output power of the RRH is 320 Watts (40 watts per carrier, 80 watts per antenna port). The RRH can be operated as a 4x4 MIMO, 2x2 MIMO or as non-MIMO. The TX and RX instantaneous bandwidth cover the full operational bandwidth. The RRH supports LTE bandwidths of 1.4, 3, 5 and 10MHz for 3GPP frequency band 5 operations. The RRH supports LTE bandwidths of 5 and 10MHz for 3GPP frequency band 13 operations. The RRH supports four LTE downlink modulation types (QPSK, 16QAM, 64QAM and 256QAM). Multi-carrier operation is supported.

The RRH has external interfaces including DC power (DC In), ground, transmit/receive (ANT), external alarm (EAC), optical CPRI (OPT) and remote electrical tilt (RET). The RRH with applicable installation kit may be pole or wall mounted. The RRH may be configured with optional cooling fan.

The AHBCC LTE channel numbers and frequencies are as follows:

	Downlink EARFCN	Downlink Frequency (MHz)	LTE Channel Bandwidth			
			1.4 MHz	3 MHz	5 MHz	10 MHz
AHBCC Band 5 (Ant 1, 2, 3, 4)	2400	869.0	Band Edge	Band Edge	Band Edge	Band Edge
					
	2407	869.7	Bottom Ch			
					
	2415	870.5		Bottom Ch		
					
	2425	871.5			Bottom Ch	
					
	2450	874.0				Bottom Ch
					
	2525	881.5	Middle Ch	Middle Ch	Middle Ch	Middle Ch
					
	2600	889.0				Top Channel
					
	2625	891.5			Top Channel	
					
	2635	892.5		Top Channel		
					
	2643	893.3	Top Channel			
					
	2650	894.0	Band Edge	Band Edge	Band Edge	Band Edge

AHBCC Downlink Band Edge LTE Band 5 Frequency Channels

Notes:

- (1) For two carrier operation, the bottom two LTE 1.4 MHz channels are EARFCN 2407 (869.7 MHz) and EARFCN 2421 (871.1 MHz).
- (2) For two carrier operation, the top two LTE 1.4 MHz channels are EARFCN 2629 (891.9 MHz) and EARFCN 2643 (893.3 MHz).

	Downlink EARFCN	Downlink Frequency (MHz)	LTE Channel Bandwidth	
			5 MHz	10 MHz
AHBCC Band 13 (Ant 1, 2, 3, 4)	5180	746.0	Band Edge	Band Edge
			
	5205	748.5	Bottom Channel	
			
	5230	751	Middle Channel	Bottom Channel Middle Channel Top Channel
			
	5255	753.5	Top Channel	
			
	5280	756	Band Edge	Band Edge

AHBCC Downlink Band Edge LTE Band 13 Frequency Channels

Notes: For band 13 two carrier operation, the LTE5 channels are EARFCN 5205 (748.5 MHz) and EARFCN 5255 (753.5 MHz).

EUT Hardware

The EUT hardware used in testing on March 16, 2018.

Company	Model	Description	Part/Serial Number	FCC ID/IC Number
Nokia Solutions and Networks	AHBCC	AirScale BTS RRH	Part#: 474341A.101 Serial#: K91800332366	FCC ID: VBNAHBCC-01 IC ID: 661W-AHBCC

Support Equipment

Company	Model	Description	Part/Serial Number	FCC ID/IC Number
Nokia Solutions and Networks	AMIA	Airscale System Module	Part#: 473098A.101 Serial#: RK164201509	N/A
HP	Elite Book 6930p	Laptop PC	N/A	N/A
Dell	Studio XPS	Instrumentation PC	N/A	N/A

Auxillary Equipment

Company	Description	Part Number	Serial Number
Nokia	FOUC 10GHz SFP Module (Plugs into RRH Opt Ports)	473842A.101	KR16180010053
RLC Electronics	1.1GHz High Pass Filter ¹	F-14699	0050
Weinschel	Attenuator 40dB-250 Watt ¹	58-40-43-LIM	TC909
Weinschel	Attenuator 20dB-150 Watt ¹	66-20-33	BZ2075
Weinschel	Attenuator 3dB-100 Watt ¹	47-3-33	CG5493
Huber & Suhner	RF Cable – 0.5 meter ¹	Sucoflex 104	553624/4
Huber & Suhner	RF Cable - 1 meter ¹	Sucoflex 106	297370

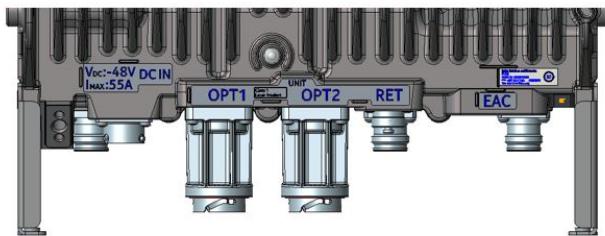
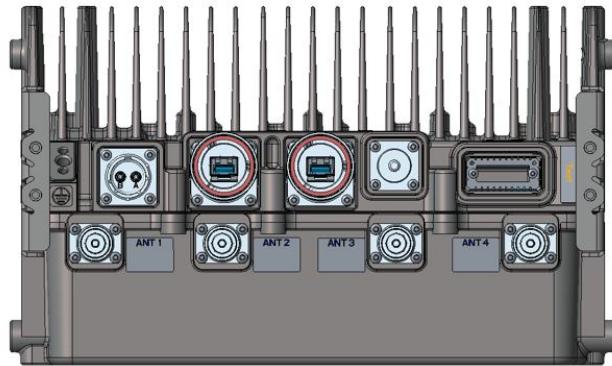
Note 1: Used only in antenna port RF conducted emission testing.

EUT Interface Ports

The I/O cabling configuration during testing was as follows:

Cable	Type	Shield	Length	Used in Test	Quantity	Termination
Power Input	Power	No	~ 3 m	Yes	1	Power Supply
Earth	Earth	No	~ 1 m	Yes	1	Lab earth ground
Antenna	RF	Yes	~ 3 m	Yes	4	50Ω Loads
External Alarm	Signal	Yes	~ 3 m	Yes	1	Un-terminated
Remote Electrical Tilt	Signal	Yes	~ 3 m	Yes	1	Un-terminated
Multimode Optical	Optical	No	>6 m	Yes	1	System Module

AHBCC Connector Layout:



EUT External Interfaces

Name	Qty	Connector Type	Purpose (and Description)
DC In	1	Quick Disconnect	2-pole Power Circular Connector
GND	1	Screw lug (2xM5/1xM8)	Ground
ANT	4	4.3-10	RF signal for Transmitter/Receiver (50 Ohm)
Unit	1	LED	Unit Status LED
EAC	1	MDR26	External Alarm Interface (4 alarms)
OPT	2	SFP+ cage	Optical CPRI Interface up to 10 Gps.
RET	1	8-pin circular connector conforming to IEC 60130-9 – Ed.3.0	AISG 2.0 to external devices
Fan	1	Molex Microfit	Power for RRH Fan. Located on the side of RRH.

EUT Operation

During testing, the EUT was transmitting continuously with 100% duty-cycle at full power on all chains.

EUT Software

The laptop PC connects to the System Module over the LMP (Ethernet) port. The system module controls the RRH via the optical (CPRI) interface. The laptop is used for changing configuration settings, monitoring tests and controlling the BTS. The following software versions are used for the testing:

- (1) RRH Unit Software: FRM58.02.R05
- (2) System Module Software: FL18SP_FSM4_9999_180207_019238
(configured for AHBCC characteristics)
- (3) BTS Site Manager: BTSSite-EM_FL00_0000_000416_000000

Modifications

No modifications were made to the EUT during testing.

TESTING

General Information

Antenna port measurements were taken with NTS personnel (Jose Mendez) at Nokia premises located at 6000 Connection Drive; Irving, Texas 75309.

Radiated emissions and frequency accuracy/stability measurements were taken at NTS Plano branch located at 1701 E Plano Pkwy #150 Plano, TX 75074.

Radiated spurious emissions measurements were taken at the NTS Plano Anechoic Chamber listed below. The sites conform to the requirements of ANSI C63.4-2014: "American National Standard for Methods of Measurement of Radio-Noise Emissions from Low-Voltage Electrical and Electronic Equipment in the Range of 9 kHz to 40 GHz" and CISPR 16-1-4:2010-04: "Specification for radio disturbance and immunity measuring apparatus and methods - Part 1-4: Radio disturbance and immunity measuring apparatus – Antennas and test sites for radiated disturbance measurements". They are on file with the FCC and Industry Canada.

Site	Registration Numbers		Location
	FCC	Canada	
Chamber 1	A2LA Accredited Designation Number US1077	IC 4319A-2	1701 E Plano Pkwy #150 Plano, TX 75074.

Considerable engineering effort has been expended to ensure that the facilities conform to all pertinent requirements.

Measurement Procedures

The output power, emission bandwidth, conducted spurious and conducted band edge measurements were performed with a spectrum analyzer. The carrier frequency accuracy/stability measurements were performed with a LTE signal analyzer. The EUT was operated at maximum RF output power for all tests. While measuring one transmit chain, the others were terminated with termination blocks. All measurements were corrected for the insertion loss of the RF network (attenuators, filters, and cables) inserted between the RF port of the EUT and the spectrum analyzer. Block diagrams and photographs of the test setups are provided below.

The 26dB emission bandwidth was measured in accordance with Section 4.1 of FCC KDB 971168 D01 v02r02. The 99% occupied bandwidth was measured in accordance with Section 6.6 of RSS-Gen Issue 4. For both measurements, an occupied bandwidth built-in function in the spectrum analyzer was used and Keysight BenchVue Software was used to capture the spectrum analyzer screenshots. Spectrum analyzer settings are shown on their corresponding plots in test results section.

The emissions at the band edges were captured with Keysight BenchVue Software with settings described in the corresponding sections of the FCC and IC regulatory requirements. Spectrum analyzer settings are shown on their corresponding plots in test results section.

Peak and average output power measurements were performed in accordance with FCC KDB 971168 D01 v02r02. Measurements were performed with the built-in power meter function found in the spectrum analyzer and the screenshots were captured using Keysight BenchVue Software. Peak to average power ratio (PAPR) was calculated in accordance with Section 5.7.2 of FCC KDB 971168 D01 v02r02. Spectrum analyzer settings are shown on their corresponding plots in test results section.

Conducted spurious emissions were captured with Keysight BenchVue Software across the 9kHz-9GHz frequency span. A high pass filter was used to reduce measurement instrumentation noise floor for the frequency ranges above 1.1GHz. The total measurement RF path loss of the test setup (attenuators, high pass filter and test cables) were accounted for by the spectrum analyzer reference level offset. Spectrum analyzer settings are described in the corresponding test result section.

For frequency stability/accuracy measurements, the EUT was placed inside a temperature chamber with all support and test equipment located outside of the chamber. Temperature was varied across the specified range in 10 degree increments and EUT was allowed enough time to stabilize at each temperature step (a minimum of 30 minutes per step). The input voltage was varied as required by FCC/IC regulatory requirements. An LTE signal analyzer as detailed in the test equipment section was used for frequency stability/accuracy measurements.

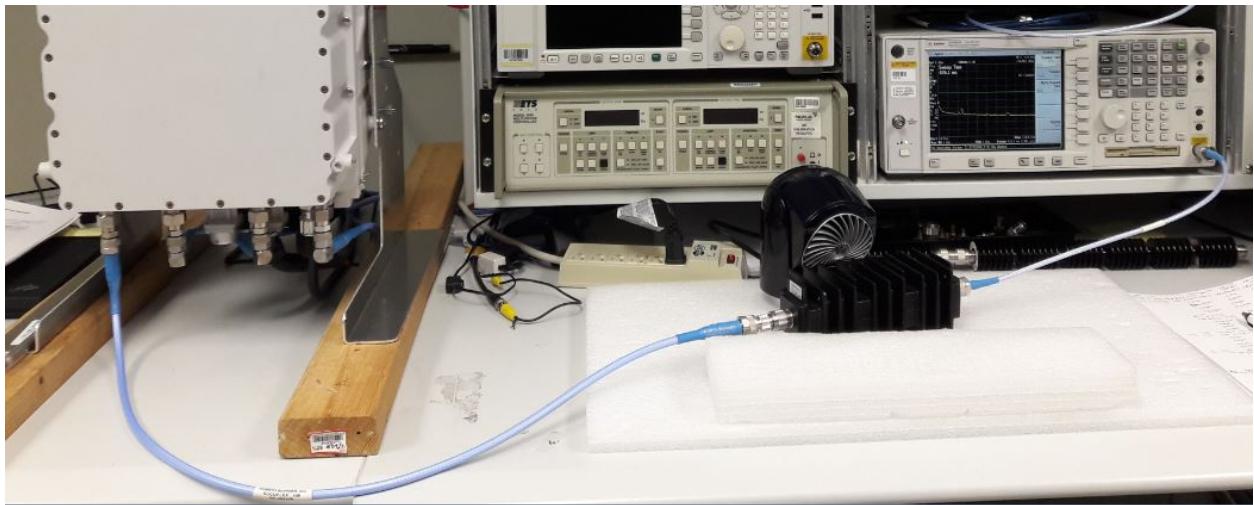
Transmitter radiated spurious emissions measurements were made in accordance with ANSI C63.4-2014 by measuring the field strength of the emissions from the device at 3m test distance. The eirp limit as specified in the relevant rule part(s) is converted to a field strength at the test distance and the emissions from the EUT are then compared to that limit. Only emissions within 20dB of this limit are subjected to a substitution measurement in accordance with TIA-603-C-2004. Both preliminary and final measurements were performed at the same FCC listed test chamber. Preliminary scans were performed with TILE6 software. This software corrected the measurements for antenna factors, cable losses and pre-amplifier gains. Both polarizations of the receiving antenna were scanned from 30MHz to 9GHz with a peak detector (RBW=100kHz, VBW=300kHz, with trace max hold over multiple sweeps). Based on the preliminary scan results, frequencies of interest have been maximized via rotating the EUT 360 degrees and varying the height of the test antenna (1m to 4m). Final measurements were also taken with the peak detector as described above. A biconilog antenna was used for 30MHz-1GHz range. A double ridged waveguide horn antenna was used for 1-9GHz range. The antennas used to measure the radiated electric field strength are mounted on a non-conductive antenna mast equipped with a motor-drive to vary the antenna height. EUT was placed on a non-conductive RF transparent structure to provide 80cm height from the ground floor. A motorized turntable allowed it to be rotated during testing to determine the angle with the highest level of emissions.

Antenna Port Conducted RF Measurement Test Setup Diagrams

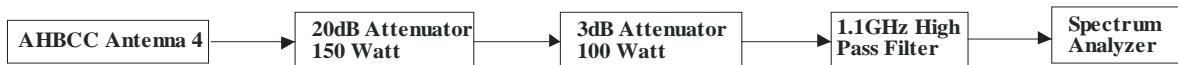
The following setups were used in the RF conducted emissions testing. Photographs of the test setups are also provided.



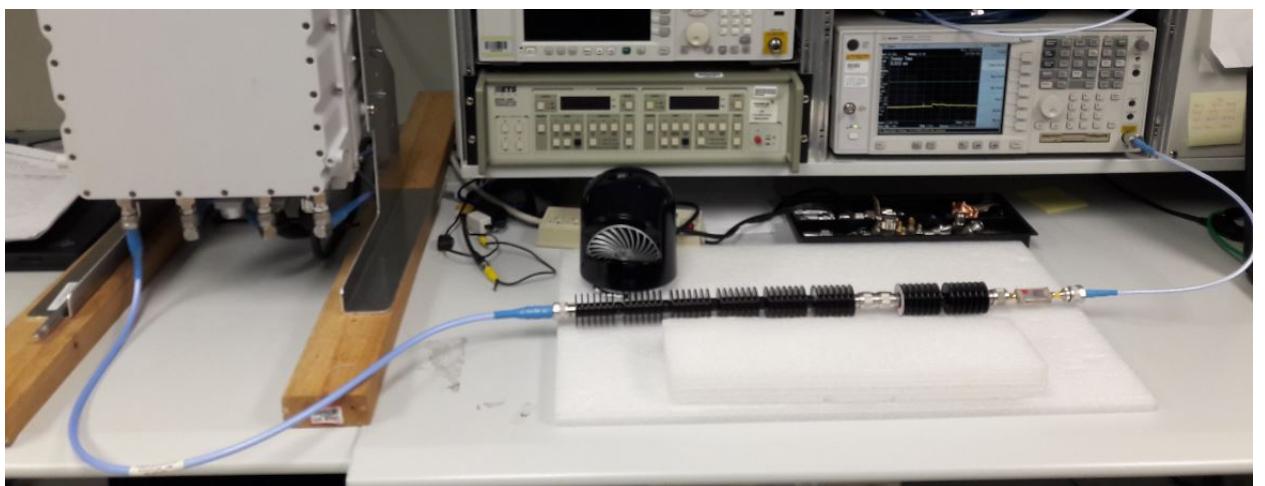
Setup for 9kHz to 150kHz, 150kHz to 20MHz, 20MHz to 700MHz, and 700MHz to 1.1GHz Measurements



Photograph of 9kHz to 150kHz, 150kHz to 20MHz, 20MHz to 700MHz, and 700MHz to 1.1GHz Test Setup



Setup for 1.1GHz to 5GHz and 5GHz to 9GHz Measurements



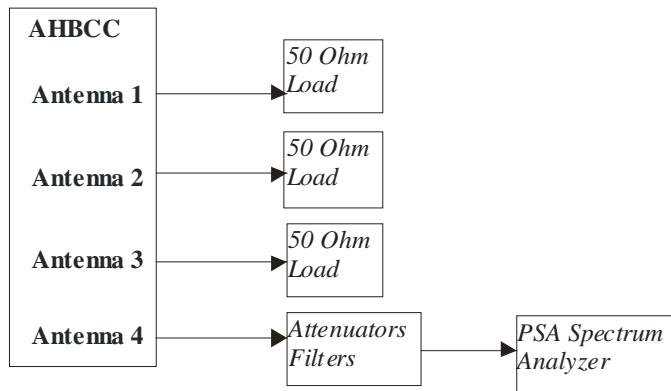
Photograph of 1.1GHz to 5GHz and 5GHz to 9GHz Test Setup

Test Measurement Equipment

NTS Equipment #	Description	Manufacturer	Model	Calibration Duration	Calibration Due Date
ENV1195P	Climatic Chamber	Thermotron	SE-300-2-2	N/A	NCR
E1529P	PSA	Agilent	E4446A	12 Months	4/16/2018
E1260P	PreAmp (1GHz-18GHz)	MITEQ	AFS44-01001800-45-10P-44	12 Months	5/1/2018
E1365P	PreAmp (30MHz-1GHz)	MITEQ	AM-1431-N-1197SC	12 Months	5/14/2018
E1289P	Biconilog Antenna (30MHz-1GHz)	ETS Lindgren	3142C	12 Months	4/21/2018
E1149P	Horn Antenna (1GHz-18GHz)	EMCO	3115	12 Months	3/24/2018
E1068P	Horn Antenna (18GHz-40GHz)	EMCO	3116	12 Months	11/15/2018
E1447P	RMS Multimeter	Fluke	87V	12 Months	7/5/2018
ENV1035P	Thermometer	Fluke	52 II	12 Months	4/13/2018
120194 ¹	PSA Spectrum Analyzer	Agilent	E4440A	12 Months	10/25/2018
NM05151 ¹	Network Analyzer	Rohde & Schwarz	ZVL 13	12 Months	02/07/2019
NM04508 ²	MXA Signal Analyzer	Agilent	N9020A	24 Months	5/2/2019
Note 1: Customer equipment used in antenna port RF conducted emission testing.					
Note 2: Customer equipment used in LTE frequency accuracy/stability measurements.					

APPENDIX A: ANTENNA PORT TEST DATA FOR BAND 5 (869-894MHZ)

All conducted RF measurements in this section were made at AHBCC antenna ports. The test setup used is provided below.



Test Setup Used for Conducted RF Measurements on AHBCC

RF Output Power

RF output power has been measured in both Peak and RMS Average terms for each Band 5 (869 to 894MHz) transmit chain at the middle channel for 256QAM modulation and LTE5 bandwidth. Peak to average power ratio (PAPR) has been calculated as described in Section 5.7.2 of KDB971168 D01 v02r02 and all results are presented in tabular form below.

Antenna	LTE Bandwidth	LTE - 256QAM		
		Peak (dBm)	Average (dBm)	PAPR (dB)
Port 1 Middle Channel	5M	53.22	45.76	7.46
Port 2 Middle Channel	5M	53.26	45.74	7.52
Port 3 Middle Channel	5M	53.35	45.86	7.49
Port 4 Middle Channel	5M	53.40	45.87	7.53

The variation in RMS output power levels between the antenna ports is 0.13 dB per data sample provided above. Pre-compliance testing (and testing of similar EUTs) shows that the output power variation between antenna ports is small (the output ports are essentially electrically identical). The highest power port was selected as the worst case.

Pre-compliance testing has shown that the output power variation between modulation types is small. Antenna port 4 power output measurements for the LTE5 bandwidth for all modulation types on the middle (center) channel are provided below.

	Modulation Type							
	QPSK		16QAM		64QAM		256QAM	
	Peak (dBm)	Ave (dBm)	Peak (dBm)	Ave (dBm)	Peak (dBm)	Ave (dBm)	Peak (dBm)	Ave (dBm)
Antenna Port 4 Middle Channel LTE5	53.39	45.81	53.35	45.85	53.34	45.81	53.40	45.87

The output power variation between modulation types is small in this measurement snapshot (and from past efforts on similar hardware as well). The variation of average power output versus modulation type is 0.06dB for the data snapshot provided. The variation of peak power output versus modulation type is 0.06dB for the data snapshot provided. All power measurements in this report (except the sample test noted above) were performed with the EUT operating with 256QAM modulation.

Based on the results above, Port 4 had the highest RMS average power for Band 5 (represents the worst case) and therefore it was selected for all the remaining antenna port tests. Port 4 has the highest combined RMS average power for Band 5 + Band 13.

Subsequently output power levels on bottom, middle, and top channels in all 4 LTE channel bandwidths using 256QAM modulation type were tested only at Port 4 and the results presented below. The highest measured values are highlighted.

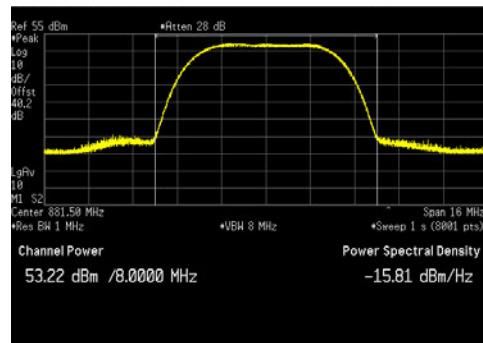
Antenna LTE Channel	LTE Bandwidth	LTE - 256QAM		
		Peak (dBm)	Ave (dBm)	PAPR (dB)
Port 4 Bottom Channel	1.4M	52.21	45.50	6.71
	3M	52.43	45.36	7.07
	5M	52.88	45.50	7.38
	10M	53.65	46.09	7.56
Port 4 Middle Channel	1.4M	52.40	45.70	6.70
	3M	53.50	45.97	7.53
	5M	53.40	45.87	7.53
	10M	53.71	46.00	7.71
Port 4 Top Channel	1.4M	51.65	45.08	6.57
	3M	52.34	45.35	6.99
	5M	52.86	45.52	7.34
	10M	53.06	45.53	7.53

The data provided in the table shows (and testing of similar EUTs) that the output RMS power variation between channel bandwidths at the center frequency channel is small (0.30dB).

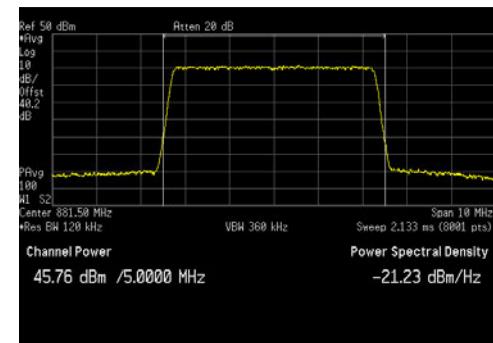
All measurement results are provided in the following pages. The total measurement RF path loss of the test setup (attenuator and test cables) was 40.2 dB and is accounted for by the spectrum analyzer reference level offset.

LTE5 Channel Power Plots at Middle Channel and 256QAM Modulation:

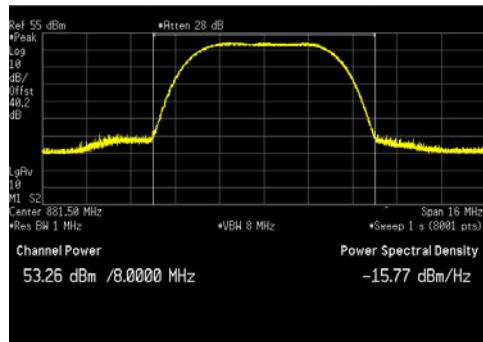
Port 1 - LTE5_Middle Channel_Peak



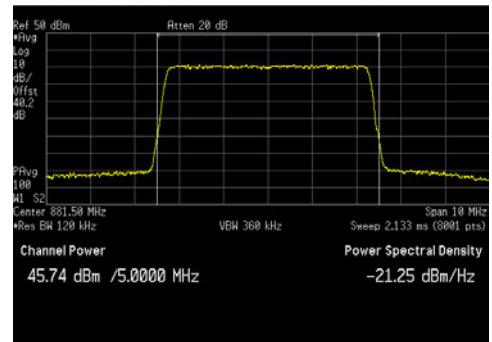
Port 1 - LTE5_Middle Channel_Average



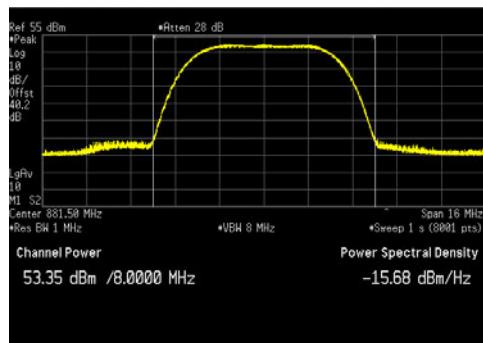
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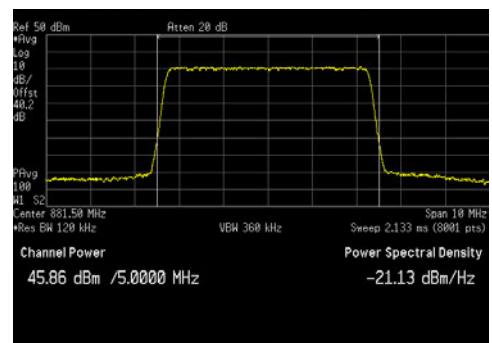
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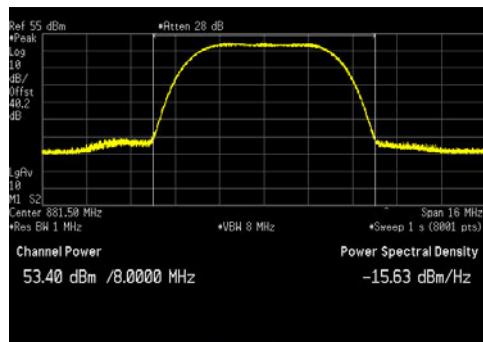
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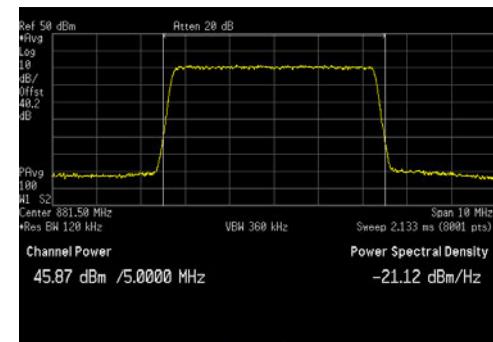
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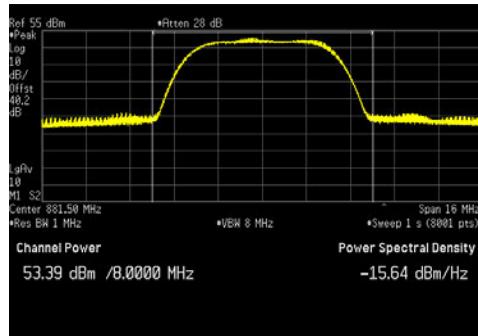
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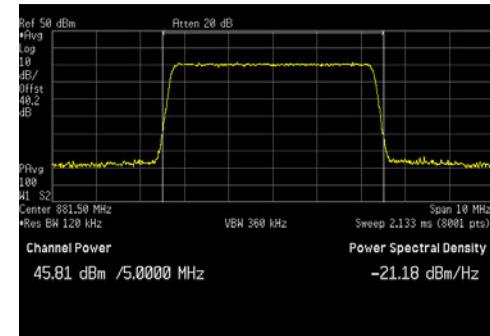
Port 4 - LTE5_Middle Channel_Average



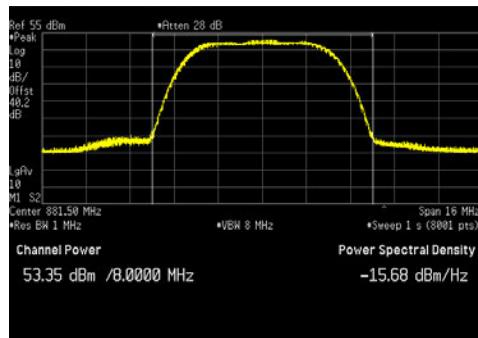
LTE5 Channel Power Plots for Antenna Port 4 at Middle Channel and all Modulation Types:
LTE5_Middle_Channel_QPSK_Peak



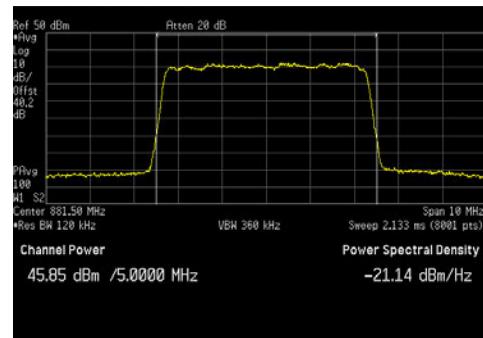
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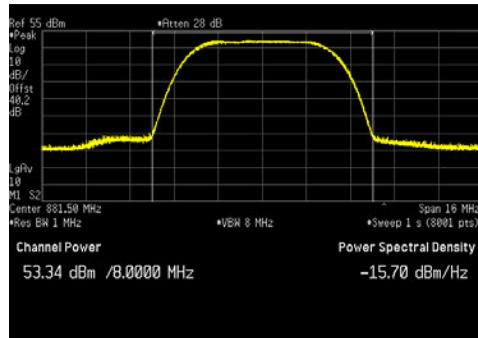
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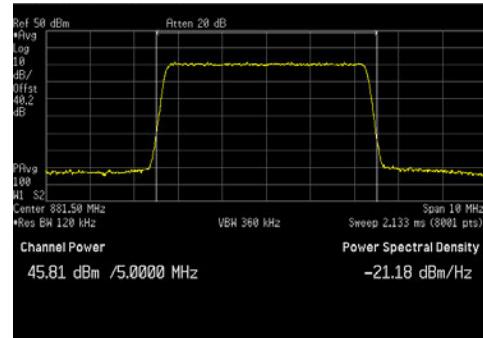
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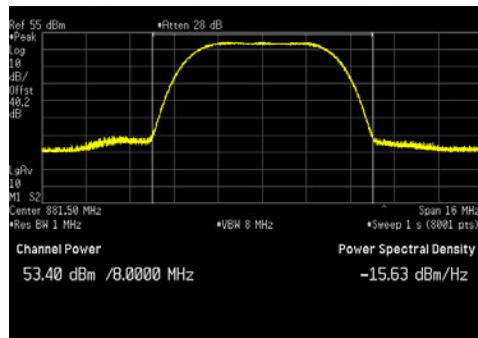
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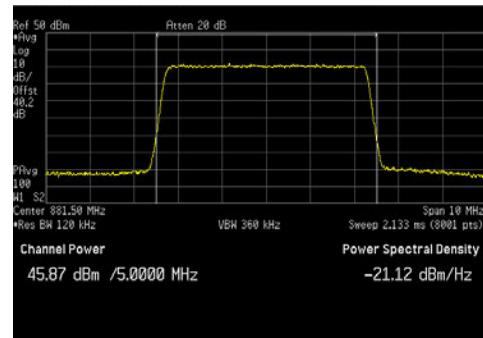
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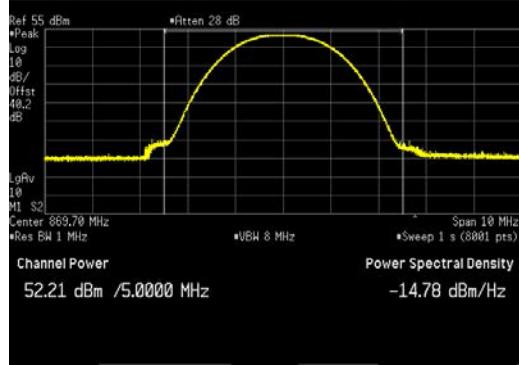


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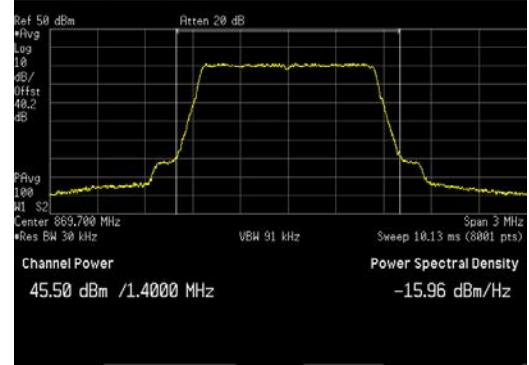


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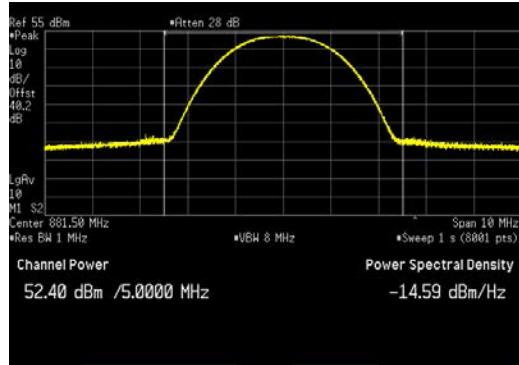
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LTE1.4_Bottom Channel_Average



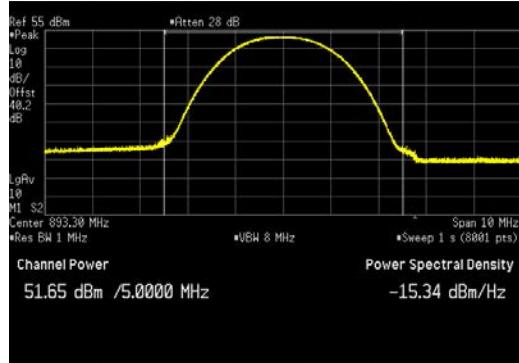
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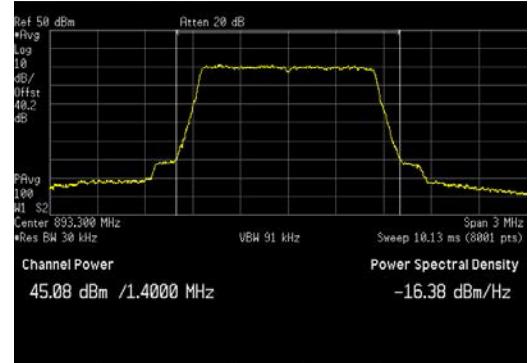
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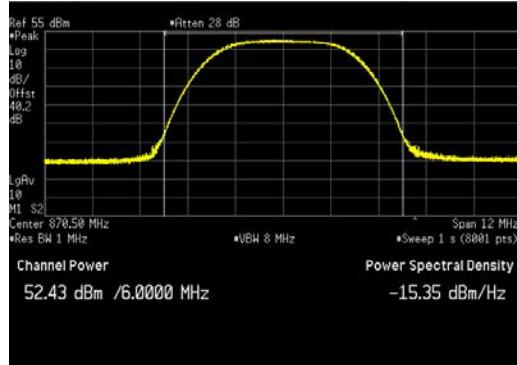


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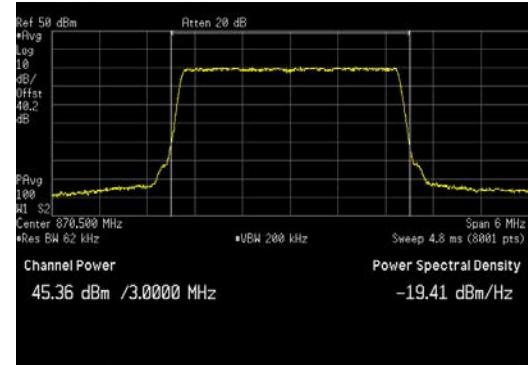


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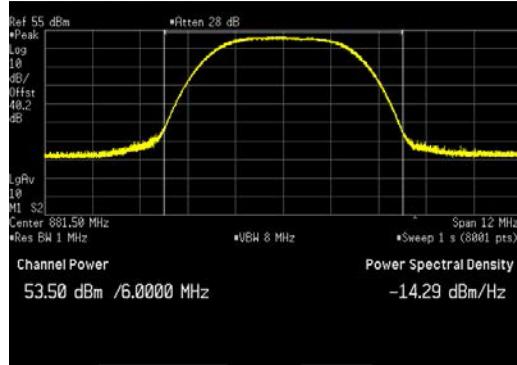
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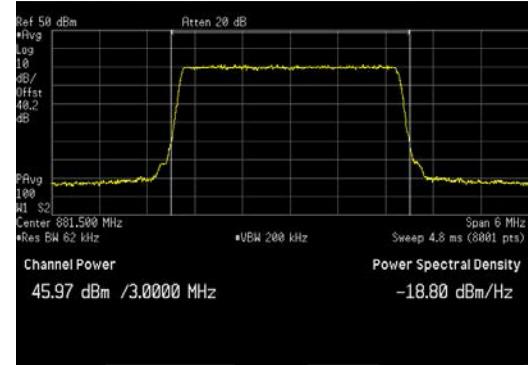
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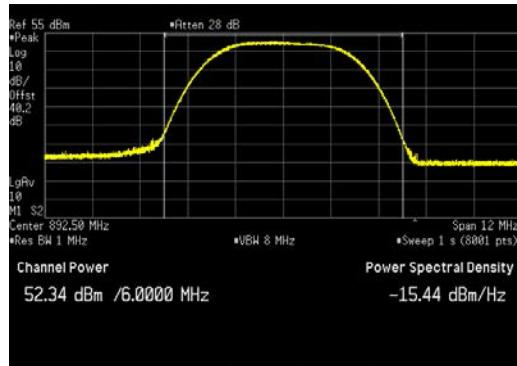
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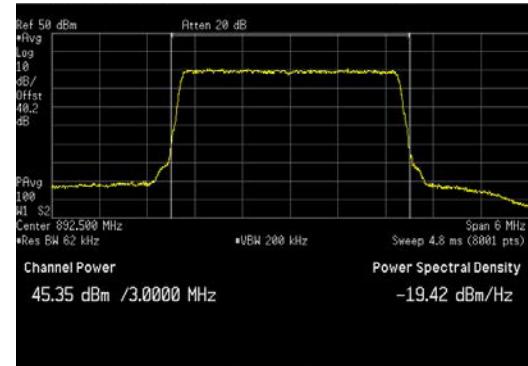
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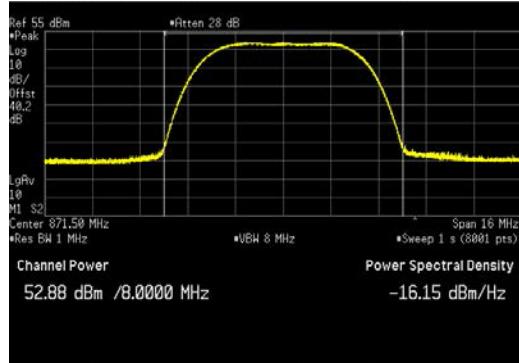


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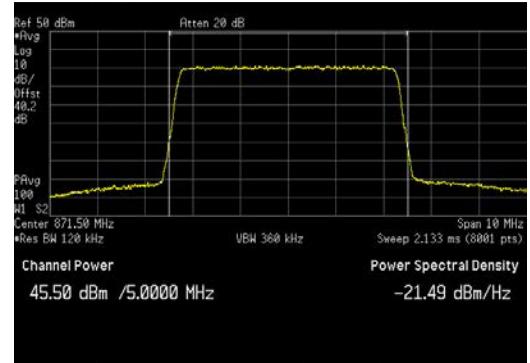


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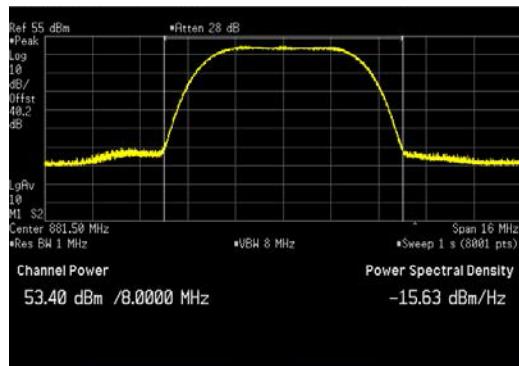
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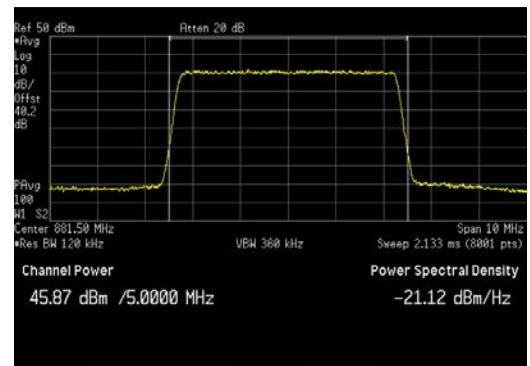
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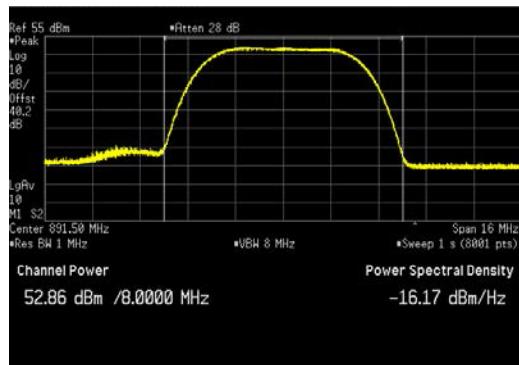
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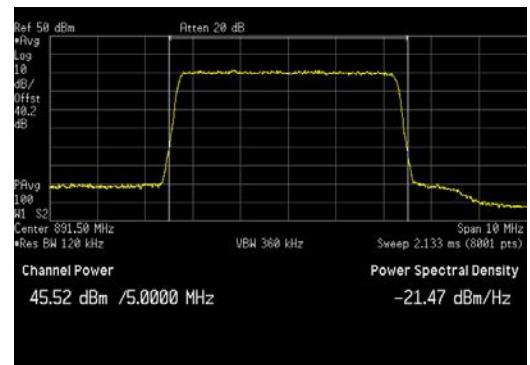
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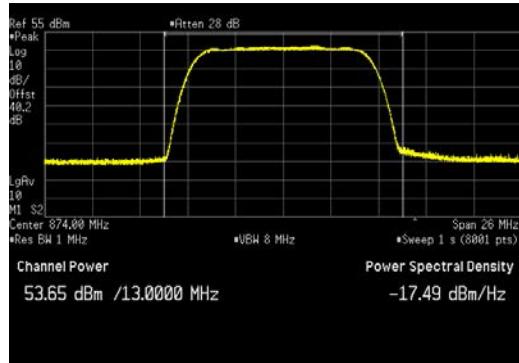


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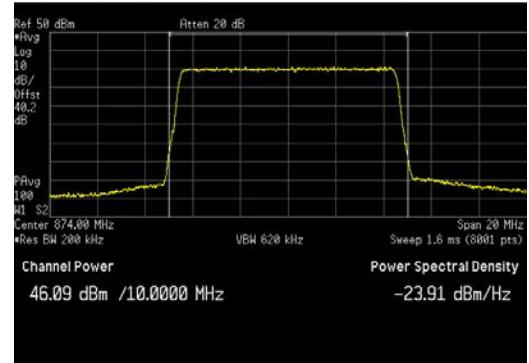


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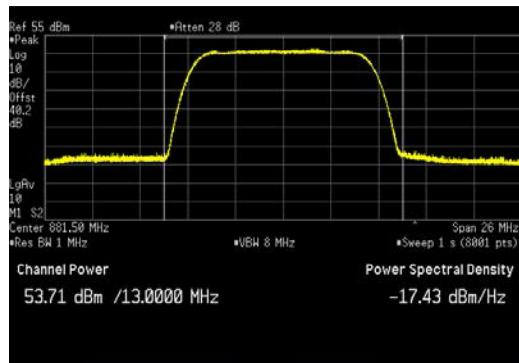
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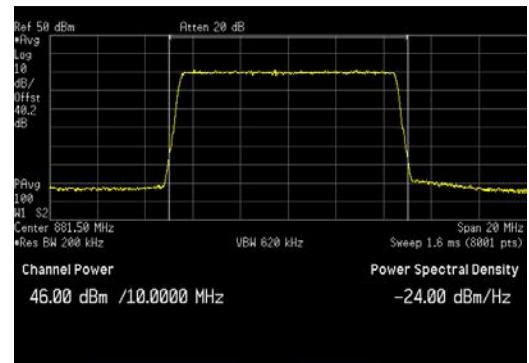
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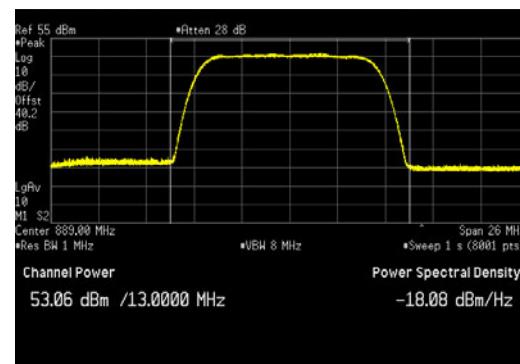
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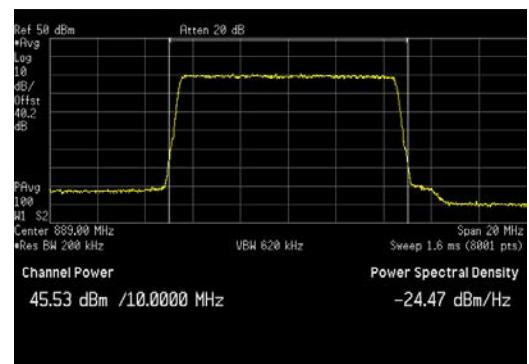
LTE10_Middle Channel_Average



LTE10_Top Channel_Peak



LTE10_Top Channel_Average



Emission Bandwidth (26 dB down and 99%)

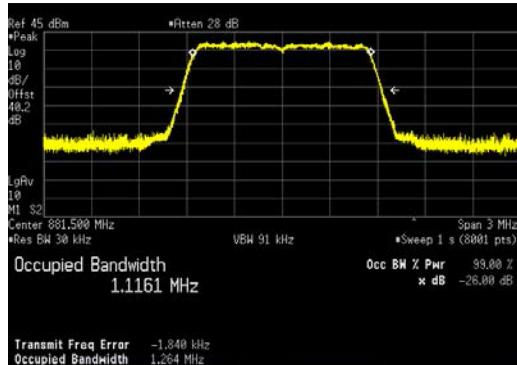
Emission bandwidth measurements were made at antenna port 4 on the middle channel with maximum RF output power. All available LTE modulations (QPSK, 16QAM, 64QAM, 256QAM) were used. All available LTE channel bandwidths (1.4MHz, 3MHz, 5MHz, and 10MHz) were used. The results are provided in the following table. The largest emission bandwidths in each channel type are highlighted.

LTE Ch BW	Modulation Type							
	QPSK		16QAM		64QAM		256QAM	
	26dB (MHz)	99% (MHz)	26dB (MHz)	99% (MHz)	26dB (MHz)	99% (MHz)	26dB (MHz)	99% (MHz)
1.4M	1.264	1.1161	1.244	1.1080	1.241	1.1089	1.247	1.1080
3M	2.926	2.7075	2.928	2.7063	2.916	2.7117	2.926	2.7044
5M	4.842	4.4853	4.821	4.4795	4.844	4.4945	4.843	4.4953
10M	9.652	8.9803	9.654	8.9803	9.685	8.9812	9.647	8.9744

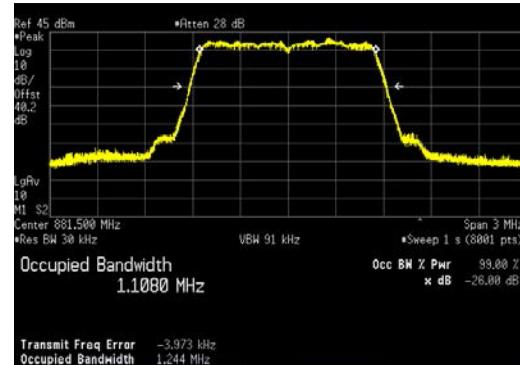
Emission bandwidth measurement data are provided in the following pages.

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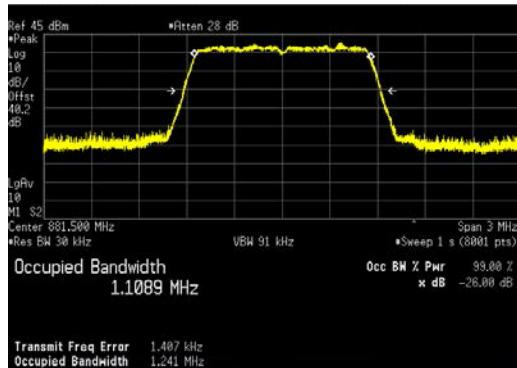
LTE1.4_QPSK



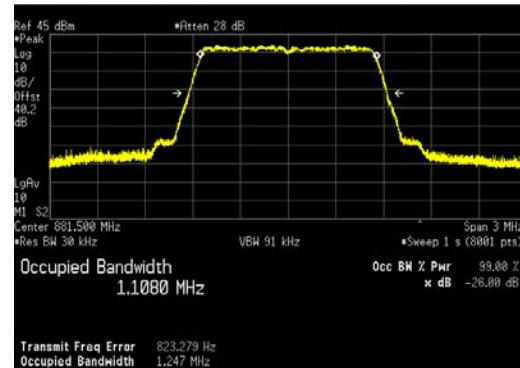
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LTE1.4_64QAM

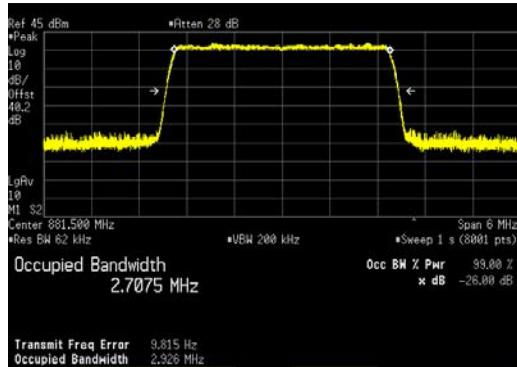


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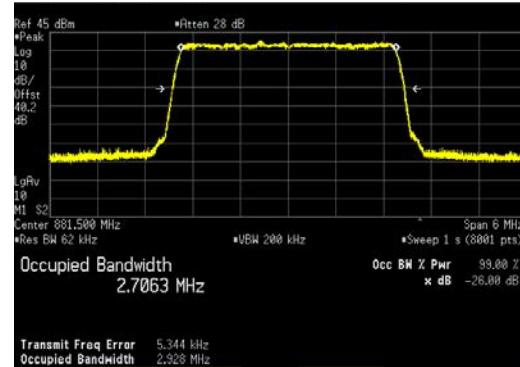


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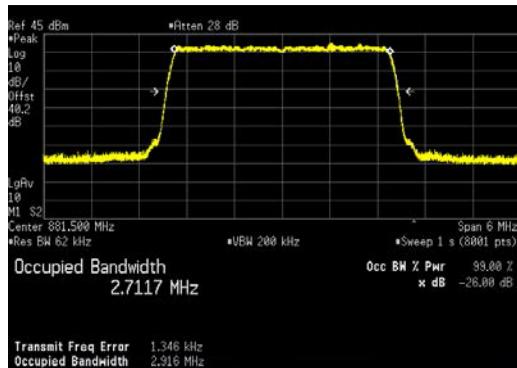
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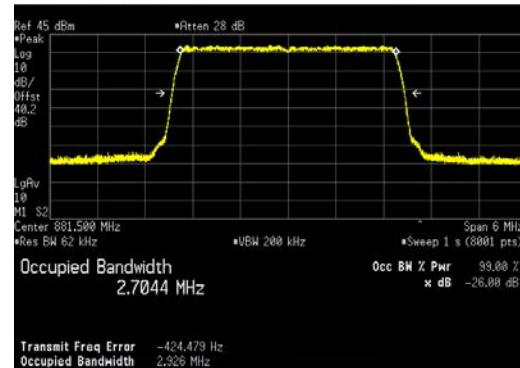
LTE3_16QAM



LTE3_64QAM

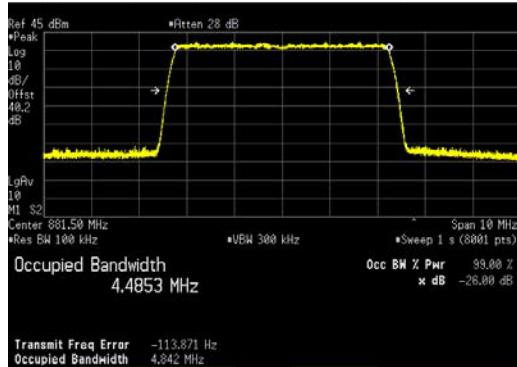


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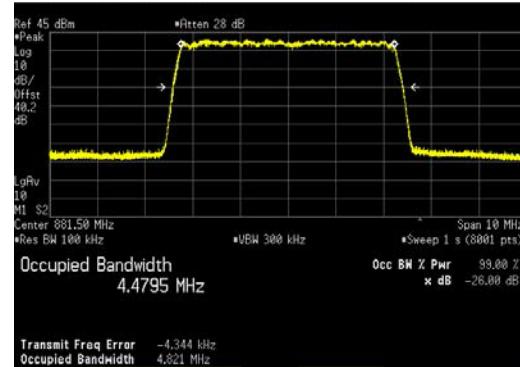


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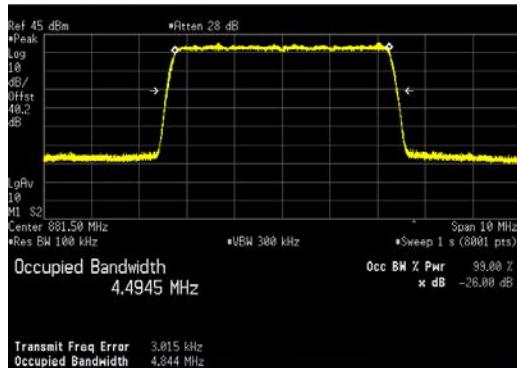
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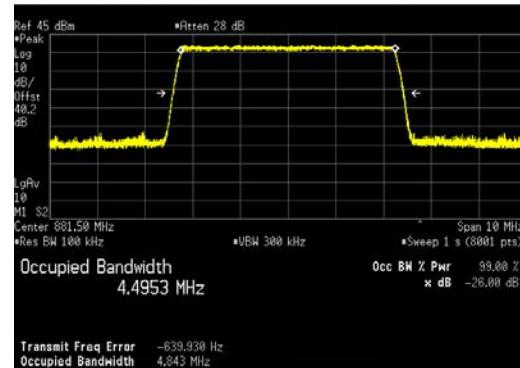
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LTE5_64QAM

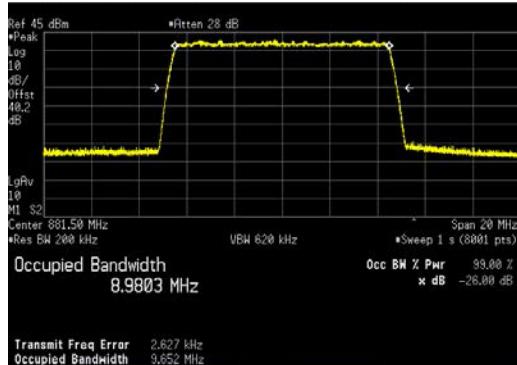


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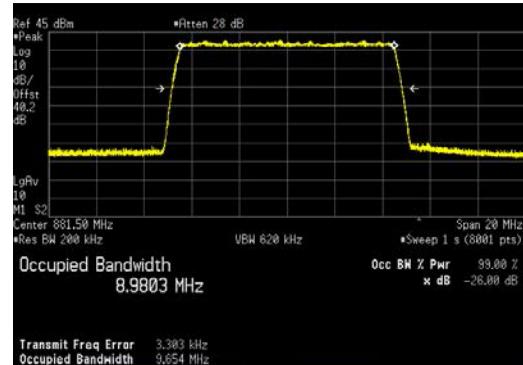


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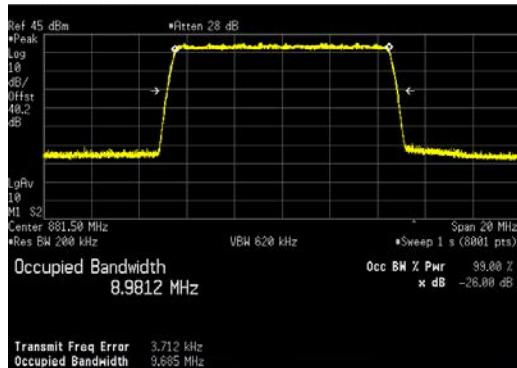
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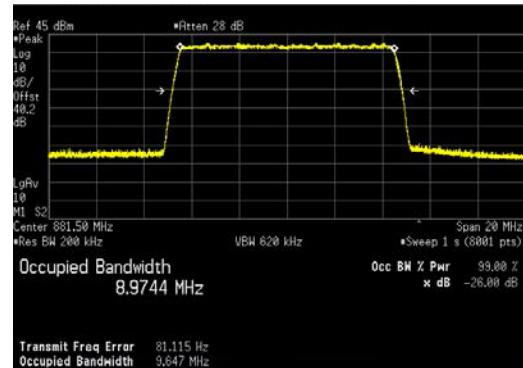
LTE10_16QAM



LTE10_64QAM



LTE10_256QAM



Antenna Port Conducted Band Edge

Conducted band edge measurements were made at RRH antenna port 4. The RRH was operated at the band edge frequencies with all modulation types (QPSK, 16QAM, 64QAM, 256QAM) for 1.4MHz, 3MHz, 5MHz and 10MHz LTE bandwidths.

The limit of -19dBm was used in the certification testing. The limit is adjusted to -19dBm [-13dBm -10 log (4)] per FCC KDB 662911D01 v02r01 because the BTS may operate as a 4 port MIMO transmitter.

Measurements were performed with the spectrum analyzer in the RMS average mode over 100 traces. In the 1MHz bands outside and adjacent to the frequency block, a resolution bandwidth of 1% of the emission bandwidth was used. In the 1 to 5MHz frequency range outside the band edge (i.e.: 863 to 868MHz and 895 to 900MHz bands) a 100kHz RBW and 300kHz VBW was used.

The results are summarized in the following table. The highest (worst case) emissions from the measurement data are provided.

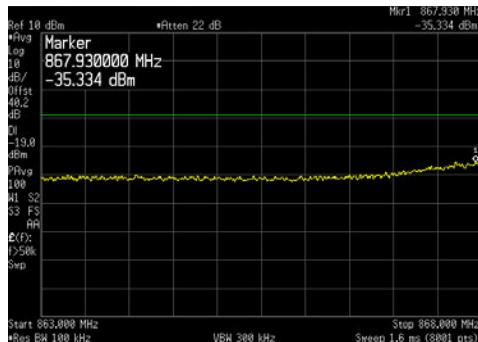
LTE BW	QPSK (dBm)		16QAM (dBm)		64QAM (dBm)		256QAM (dBm)	
	Bottom Channel	Top Channel	Bottom Channel	Top Channel	Bottom Channel	Top Channel	Bottom Channel	Top Channel
1.4M	-22.720	-23.259	-25.133	-23.519	-23.725	-22.517	-23.509	-24.390
3M	-20.817	-20.616	-21.294	-20.255	-20.071	-20.165	-20.128	-20.452
5M	-21.842	-22.179	-22.377	-22.731	-23.527	-22.489	-23.132	-23.672
10M	-25.786	-24.350	-23.948	-25.729	-26.158	-23.952	-24.314	-25.820
Dual 1.4M	-20.489	-20.620	-21.413	-21.311	-20.893	-20.805	-20.474	-20.534

The total measurement RF path loss of the test setup (attenuator and test cables) was 40.2 dB and is accounted for by the spectrum analyzer reference level offset. The display line on the plots reflects the required limit.

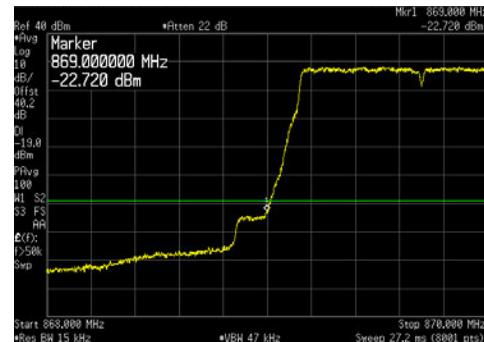
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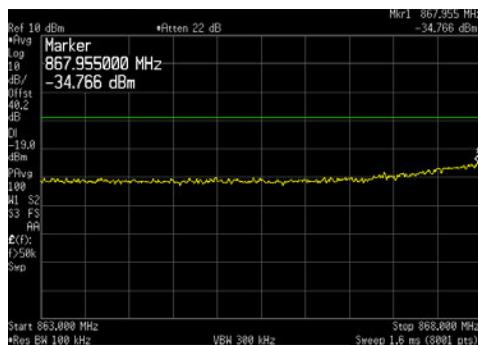
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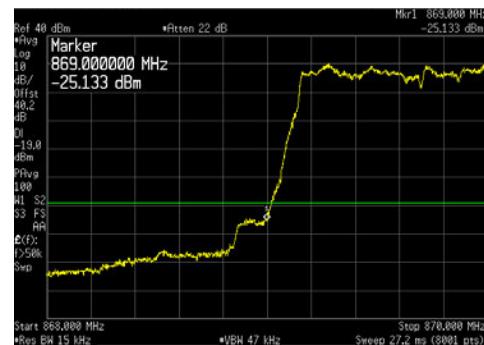
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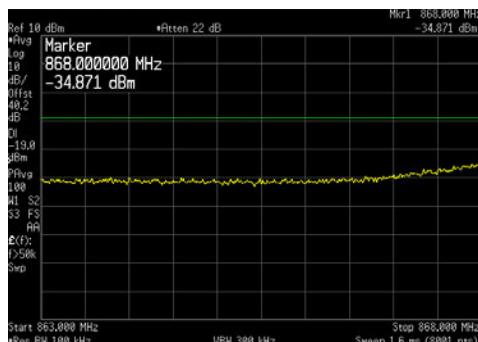
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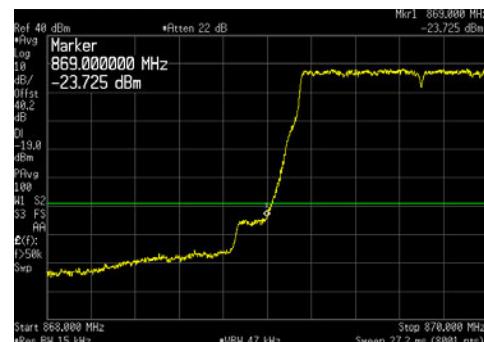
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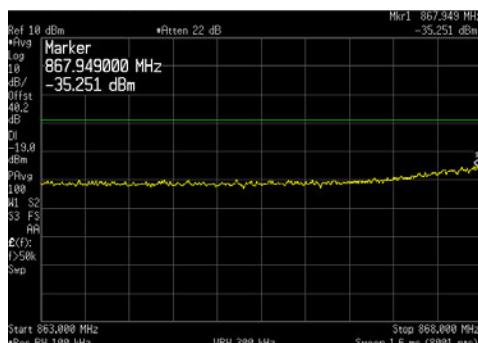
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