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**FCC Part 15C & Industry Canada  
Verification Report**

for the

**Shearwell Data Ltd**

**Data Tag Reader**

**SDL 150L-002**



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## 1.0 DECLARATION

### 1.1 FCC Part 15C and Industry Canada Statement

The Equipment Under Test (EUT), as described and reported within this document, complies with the parts 15.207 and 15.209 of the CFR 47:2015 FCC rules in accordance with ANSI C63.4. The EUT operates at a transmit frequency of 134.2 kHz and complies with part 15C emission requirements. The EUT also complies with Industry Canada RSS-210 Issue 9.

Note: The EUT also contains a blue tooth module that was inactive during the test. The module is an FCC certified module and is not included within the scope of this report.

### 1.2 Related Submittal(s) Grants

The Blue tooth module carries the FCC ID: PVH0946

### 1.3 EUT Manufacturer

Trade name:	Shearwell
Company name:	Shearwell Data Ltd
Company address:	Putham Farm Wheddon Cross Minehead Somerset TA24 7AS United Kingdom
Manufacturing address:	As above.
Company representative:	Mr David Brown Tel: +44 (0) 1643 841611

## 2.0 EUT DESCRIPTION

### 2.1 Identity

EUT:	SDL 150L-002 Data Tag Reader
Model:	SDL 150L-002440-S 424
Serial numbers:	170517001
Sample build:	Production

### 2.2 Product Operation

The SDL150L-002 Reader has been designed for reading microchips that are housed in ear tags of livestock. To operate, the SDL150L-002 is activated when a tag passes near to the antenna.

### 2.3 Support Equipment

None.

### 2.4 Exerciser Program

The EUT was placed in a mode where once powered on it continually transmitted.

## 3.0 MEASUREMENT PROCEDURE AND INSTRUMENTATION

### 3.1 EMI Site Address & Test Date

EMI Company Offices	Hursley EMC Services Ltd Trafalgar House, Trafalgar Close, Chandlers Ford, Hampshire
EMI Measurement Site	Hursley EMC Services Ltd Hursley Park, Winchester; FCC Registered UK Designation number: UK0006
Test Date	19 <sup>th</sup> September 2017 to 17 <sup>th</sup> January 2018
HEMCS References:	17R503

### 3.2 General Operating Conditions

Testing was performed according to the procedures in ANSI C63.4:2003 and ANSI C63.4 2013. Final radiated testing was performed at a EUT to antenna distance of three metres (above 30 MHz).

Below 30 MHz the EUT was measured at an antenna distance of three and ten metres and the extrapolation factor calculated.

Instrumentation, including receiver and spectrum analyser bandwidth, comply with the requirements of ANSI C63.2:1996.

### 3.3 Environmental Ambient

Test Type	Temperature	Humidity	Atmospheric Pressure
Radiated	20.1 - 22 degrees Celsius	33 - 59% relative	1012 – 1023.5 millibars

## 3.4 Radiated Emissions

### Initial Scan

A radiated profile scan was taken at a three metre distance on eight azimuths of the system under test in both vertical and horizontal polarities of the antenna in a semi-anechoic chamber. Instrumentation used in the chamber as below:

#ID	CP	Manufacturer	Type	Serial No	Description	Calibration due date
033	1	HP	8593EM	3726U00203	Spectrum analyser (9kHz-26.5GHz)	29/11/2018
047	3	Rohde & Schwarz	HFH2-Z2	879021/22	Loop antenna (9kHz-30MHz)	01/06/2019
071a	3	Q-par Angus	WBH218HN	5367	Horn antenna (2-18GHz)	22/06/2019
250	1	HP	8449B	3008A01077	Pre-amplifier (1.0-26.5GHz)	31/08/2018
289	1	Rohde & Schwarz	ESCI 7	100765	CISPR 7GHz Receiver	24/08/2018
456	1	Rohde & Schwarz	ESCI7	1.145E+09	EMI Test Receiver	30/05/2018
456	1	Rohde & Schwarz	ESCI7	1.145E+09	EMI Test Receiver	30/05/2018
466	3	Schwarzbeck	BBHA 9120 571	571	1-10GHz Horn	24/02/2019
600	1	HP	8447D	2944A07419	Amplifier	24/07/2018
762	3	Schwarzbeck	VULB9162	129	30-7000MHz	07/04/2019
762a	3	Schwarzbeck	DGA 9552N	0	6dB attenuator for #762	07/04/2019

The data obtained from the profile scan was used as a guide for the final Open Area Test Site (OATS) measurements.

### Final Measurements

The system under test was transferred to the OATS from the semi-anechoic chamber. The data obtained from the chamber profile-scan was used to guide the test engineer. Above 30 MHz, each emission from the transmitter was maximised by revolving the system on the turntable and moving the antennae in height and azimuth. Below 30 MHz the loop antenna was set at a height of 1m, the EUT was measured with the antenna in the vertical and horizontal polarity and each emission was maximised by revolving the system on the turntable. The worst-case data is presented in this report. Test instrumentation used in the OAT's measurements was as follows:

#ID	CP	Manufacturer	Type	Serial No	Description	Calibration due date
047	3	Rohde & Schwarz	HFH2-Z2	879021/22	Loop antenna (9kHz-30MHz)	01/06/2019
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CP = Interval period [year] prescribed for external calibrations

**Note:** 'Calibration due date' means that the instrument is certified with a UKAS or traceable calibration certificate.  
 '\*\*' denotes that the calibration, as defined by Hursley EMC Services quality system, remains valid whilst within four calendar months of the due date.

### 3.5 Conducted Emissions

#ID	CP	Manufacturer	Type	Serial No	Description	Calibration due date
189	1	Rohde & Schwarz	ESH3-Z2	-	Pulse limiter N type	11/11/2018
674	1	Rohde & Schwarz	ESH3-Z5	838576-018	1 phase LISN	26/05/2018
698	1	Gauss	TDEMI30M	1510002	Time Domain Conducted Receiver	24/01/2019

## 4.0 TEST DATA

### 4.1 FCC – Conducted Emissions (Transmitting)

#### MAINS - NEUTRAL

Frequency	Quasi-peak value (dB $\mu$ V)			Average value (dB $\mu$ V)			Status
	Measured	Class A Limit	Pass Margin	Measured	Class A Limit	Pass Margin	
150.000 kHz	43.10	66.00	22.90	34.28	54.54	20.26	Pass
207.424 kHz	42.77	63.31	20.54	43.62	54.32	10.71	Pass
240.803 kHz	34.88	62.07	27.19	32.74	52.07	19.33	Pass
278.950 kHz	32.09	60.85	28.76	27.46	50.85	23.39	Pass
312.328 kHz	29.50	59.91	30.40	26.35	49.91	23.55	Pass
345.707 kHz	27.68	59.06	31.38	24.34	49.06	24.73	Pass
379.086 kHz	25.26	58.30	33.04	20.73	48.30	27.57	Pass
417.233 kHz	24.70	57.50	32.80	19.80	47.50	27.71	Pass
450.611 kHz	24.58	56.86	32.29	20.40	46.86	26.46	Pass
483.990 kHz	23.65	56.27	32.62	18.88	46.27	27.39	Pass
517.368 kHz	22.45	56.00	33.55	17.93	46.00	28.07	Pass
1.061 MHz	26.52	56.00	29.48	22.89	46.00	23.11	Pass
1.743 MHz	26.45	56.00	29.55	24.20	46.00	21.80	Pass
2.148 MHz	32.67	56.00	23.33	32.44	46.00	13.56	Pass
2.682 MHz	32.44	56.00	23.56	32.25	46.00	13.75	Pass
2.954 MHz	31.78	56.00	24.22	31.28	46.00	14.72	Pass
3.221 MHz	30.17	56.00	25.83	29.33	46.00	16.67	Pass
3.760 MHz	22.63	56.00	33.37	19.29	46.00	26.71	Pass
4.160 MHz	20.02	56.00	35.98	15.56	46.00	30.44	Pass
4.966 MHz	18.68	56.00	37.32	13.64	46.00	32.36	Pass
5.772 MHz	18.95	60.00	41.05	13.65	50.00	36.35	Pass
9.797 MHz	21.10	60.00	38.90	16.49	50.00	33.51	Pass
10.335 MHz	20.74	60.00	39.26	15.71	50.00	34.29	Pass
12.887 MHz	20.33	60.00	39.67	15.30	50.00	34.70	Pass
17.178 MHz	24.83	60.00	35.17	22.17	50.00	27.83	Pass
17.712 MHz	20.23	60.00	39.77	14.98	50.00	35.02	Pass
21.474 MHz	21.67	60.00	38.33	17.16	50.00	32.84	Pass
24.993 MHz	20.18	60.00	39.82	14.41	50.00	35.59	Pass
26.944 MHz	22.09	60.00	37.91	14.82	50.00	35.18	Pass
27.649 MHz	22.09	60.00	37.91	15.19	50.00	34.81	Pass



## MAINS - LINE

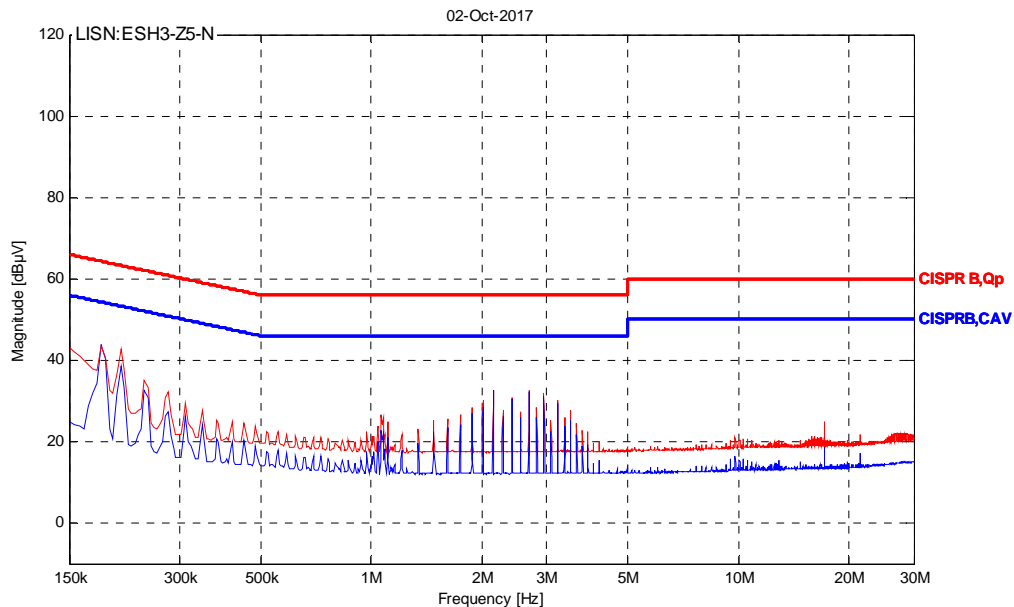
Frequency	Quasi-peak value (dB $\mu$ V)			Average value (dB $\mu$ V)			Status
	Measured	Class A Limit	Pass Margin	Measured	Class A Limit	Pass Margin	
							Pass
150.000 kHz	42.76	66.00	23.24	27.48	54.77	27.28	Pass
183.582 kHz	35.37	64.32	28.95	30.97	54.32	23.35	Pass
216.961 kHz	27.19	62.93	35.75	20.16	52.07	31.90	Pass
283.718 kHz	25.28	60.71	35.42	20.28	50.71	30.42	Pass
312.328 kHz	24.32	59.91	35.59	19.50	49.91	30.40	Pass
345.707 kHz	22.42	59.06	36.64	17.32	49.06	31.75	Pass
379.086 kHz	20.86	58.30	37.44	15.34	48.30	32.96	Pass
402.927 kHz	20.88	57.79	36.92	14.97	47.50	32.53	Pass
450.611 kHz	20.45	56.86	36.42	14.96	46.86	31.91	Pass
483.990 kHz	20.29	56.27	35.98	15.01	46.27	31.26	Pass
517.368 kHz	19.93	56.00	36.07	14.61	46.00	31.39	Pass
1.061 MHz	23.21	56.00	32.79	19.08	46.00	26.92	Pass
1.743 MHz	24.86	56.00	31.14	22.30	46.00	23.70	Pass
2.148 MHz	30.92	56.00	25.08	30.50	46.00	15.50	Pass
2.682 MHz	30.78	56.00	25.22	30.45	46.00	15.55	Pass
2.954 MHz	30.25	56.00	25.75	29.57	46.00	16.43	Pass
3.221 MHz	28.80	56.00	27.20	27.77	46.00	18.23	Pass
3.893 MHz	21.80	56.00	34.20	17.99	46.00	28.01	Pass
4.160 MHz	19.39	56.00	36.61	14.66	46.00	31.34	Pass
4.966 MHz	18.33	56.00	37.67	13.20	46.00	32.80	Pass
6.039 MHz	18.77	60.00	41.23	13.31	50.00	36.69	Pass
9.797 MHz	20.85	60.00	39.15	16.10	50.00	33.90	Pass
10.335 MHz	20.47	60.00	39.53	15.30	50.00	34.70	Pass
12.887 MHz	19.97	60.00	40.03	14.48	50.00	35.52	Pass
17.178 MHz	24.82	60.00	35.18	21.89	50.00	28.11	Pass
17.984 MHz	20.54	60.00	39.46	15.28	50.00	34.72	Pass
21.474 MHz	22.43	60.00	37.57	18.19	50.00	31.81	Pass
24.984 MHz	20.77	60.00	39.23	14.54	50.00	35.46	Pass
27.125 MHz	22.77	60.00	37.23	14.79	50.00	35.21	Pass
27.649 MHz	23.13	60.00	36.87	15.79	50.00	34.21	Pass

Uncertainty of measurement:  $\pm 3.22\text{dB}\mu\text{V}$  for a 95% confidence level.

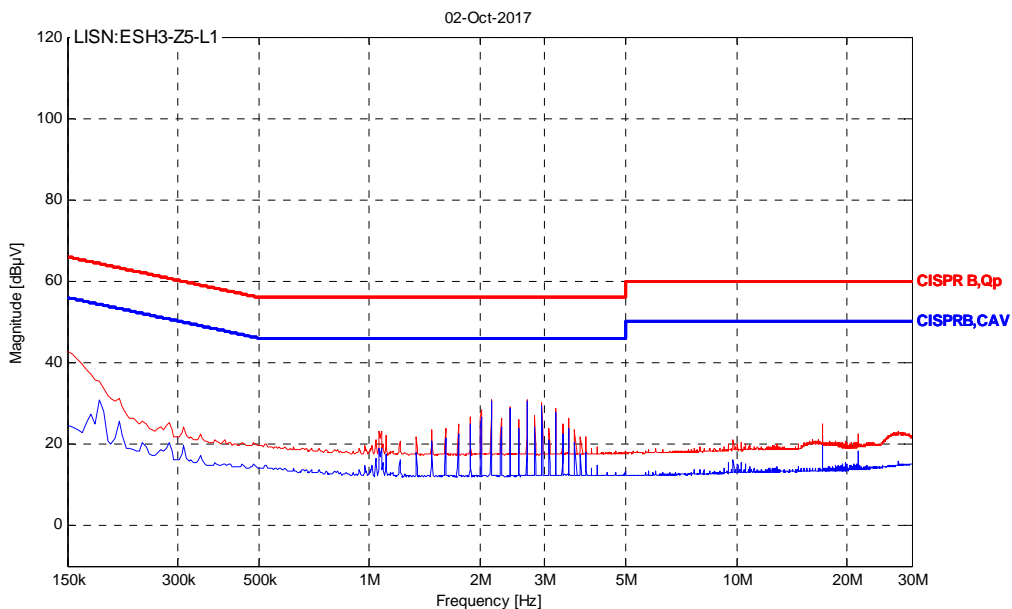
TEST ENGINEER: Richard Pennell

### 4.1.1 Profiles

Shown here is the mains-neutral plot



Shown here is the mains-line plot



## 4.2 FCC – Radiated Emissions (Transmitting)

A search was made of the frequency spectrum from 9 kHz to 18 GHz and the measurements reported are the highest emissions relative to the ‘FCC CFR 47 Section 15.209 and 15.249 Limits’ at a measuring distance of three metres. Below 30 MHz the results have been extrapolated from measurements made at a distance of three and ten metres to the limit distance set at 300m.

To calculate the extrapolation factor (see FCC Part 15.31) measurements were made at three metres and ten metres from the EUT. The extrapolation factor (x) was then calculated as shown below:

Between 110 and 490 kHz measurements were made using an average detector with a 200 Hz bandwidth.

### RESULTS - 9 kHz to 30 MHz

MHz	Measured amplitude (E <sub>2</sub> )	Extrapolation Factor (x)	Calculated amplitude @ 300m		Specified limit @ 300m	
	dBµV/m @ 10m (d <sub>2</sub> )		dBµV/m	µV/m	dBµV/m	µV/m
0.13422	103.71	-54.8884	22.63	13.54	25.05	17.88

Uncertainty of measurement: ± 3.2 dBµV/m for a 95% confidence level.

## Extrapolation

To calculate the extrapolation factor (see FCC Part 15.31 (2) ) measurements were made at three metres and ten metres from the EUT. The extrapolation factor (x) was then calculated as follows:

**The figures below were measured using pk detector**

Limit at 134.22kHz is calculated from FCC 15.209 as  $\frac{2400}{134.22} = 17.88\mu\text{V/m} \Rightarrow 25.05\text{dBuV/m}$

$$\text{Extrapolation factor } X = E_1 - E_2 \quad x = 20 \frac{\log\left(\frac{E_1}{E_2}\right)}{\log\left(\frac{D_1}{D_2}\right)}$$

Where: E1 field strength uV/m at D1 (closest distance)

E1 field strength uV/m at D2 (farthest distance)

E1 = 138.07 dBuV/m @ 3m => 8007556uV/m

E2 = 109.37 dBuV/m @ 10m => 294103.4uV/m

$$\Rightarrow X = 20 \frac{\log\left(\frac{8007556}{294103.4}\right)}{\log\left(\frac{3}{10}\right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow X = -54.8884$$

EUT measured Average Value at 200Hz measurement bandwidth 134.22kHz = 103.71dBuV/m at 10m

Using Extrapolation factor X = -54.8884

For E1 = 103.71, D1= 10, E2 = ? , D2 = 300

⇒ E2 = 22.63dBuV/m @ 300m, Limit = 25.05dBuV/m

⇒ E2 = 13.54uV/m @ 300m, Limit = 17.88uV/m

### Radiated emissions (continued)

#### RESULTS - 30 MHz to 1000 MHz

Frequency MHz	Receiver amplitude dB $\mu$ V	Antenna factor dB	Cable loss dB	Actual quasi-peak value @ 3m	Specified limit @ 3m	
				dB $\mu$ V/m	dB $\mu$ V/m	$\mu$ V/m
34.36	10.5	11.5	0.7	22.7	40	100
51.54	11.3	13.2	0.9	25.4	40	100
68.7	10.9	9.1	1.0	21.0	40	100
85.9	11.1	8.5	1.2	20.8	40	100
144	6.2	8.2	1.6	16.0	40	100
960	-7.5	22.1	5.2	19.8	47	200

Uncertainty of measurement:  $\pm 4.2$  dB $\mu$ V/m for a 95% confidence level.

Note: Above 1.0 GHz no significant emissions were detected.

Procedure: In accordance with ANSI C63.4:2003

Measurements below 1.0 GHz performed with a quasi-peak detector. Measurements above 1.0 GHz performed with an average and peak detector.

## 4.1 99% Occupied Bandwidth (IC)

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The output from the measuring antenna was fed into the input of the ESCI spectrum analyser/receiver. The bandwidth of the transmitter was measured with an ESIB receiver set to 99% Occupied Bandwidth with a sampling detector on max hold. The resolution bandwidth, span and video bandwidth are indicated on the occupied bandwidth plot (modulated) included with this report.

The bandwidth of the Transmitter was measured as 1.56 kHz.

Uncertainty of measurement: 4.6% for a 95% confidence level.

TEST ENGINEERS: Richard Pennell

## 4.2 20dB Occupied Bandwidth (FCC)

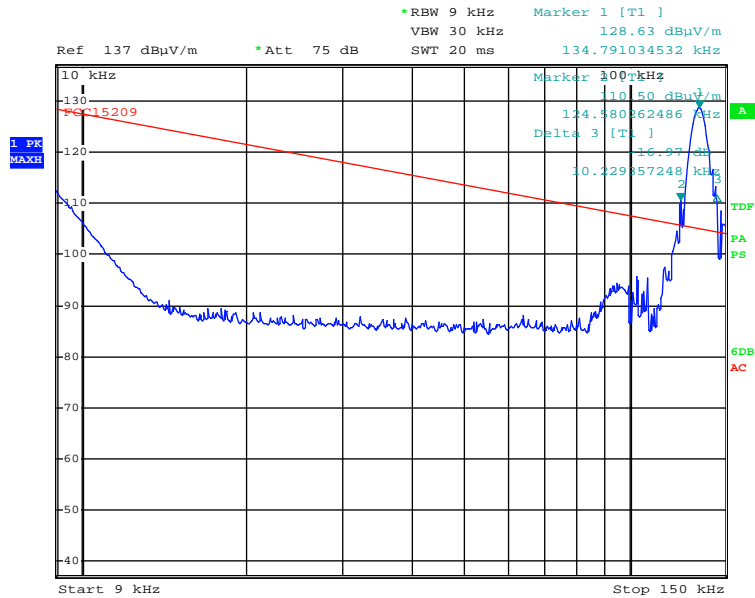
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The output from the measuring antenna was fed into the input of the ESCI spectrum analyser/receiver. The bandwidth of the transmitter was measured 20dB down either side of the peak. The ESCI7 analyser was set to sampling detector on max hold. The resolution bandwidth, span and video bandwidth are indicated on the occupied bandwidth plot (modulated) included with this report.

The bandwidth of the Transmitter signal was measured as 700 Hz.

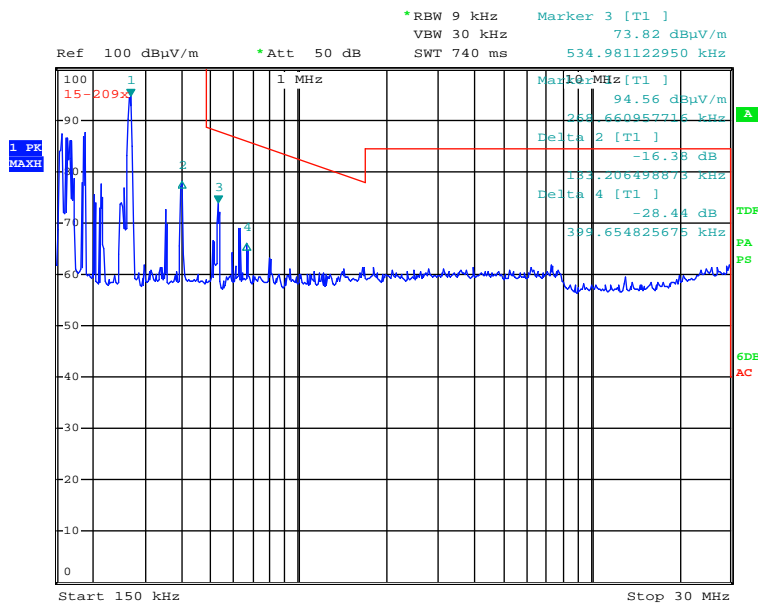
### 4.3 Emissions plots

#### 4.3.1 9kHz to 150kHz (carried out at 3m with the limits extrapolated at 40dB / Decade)



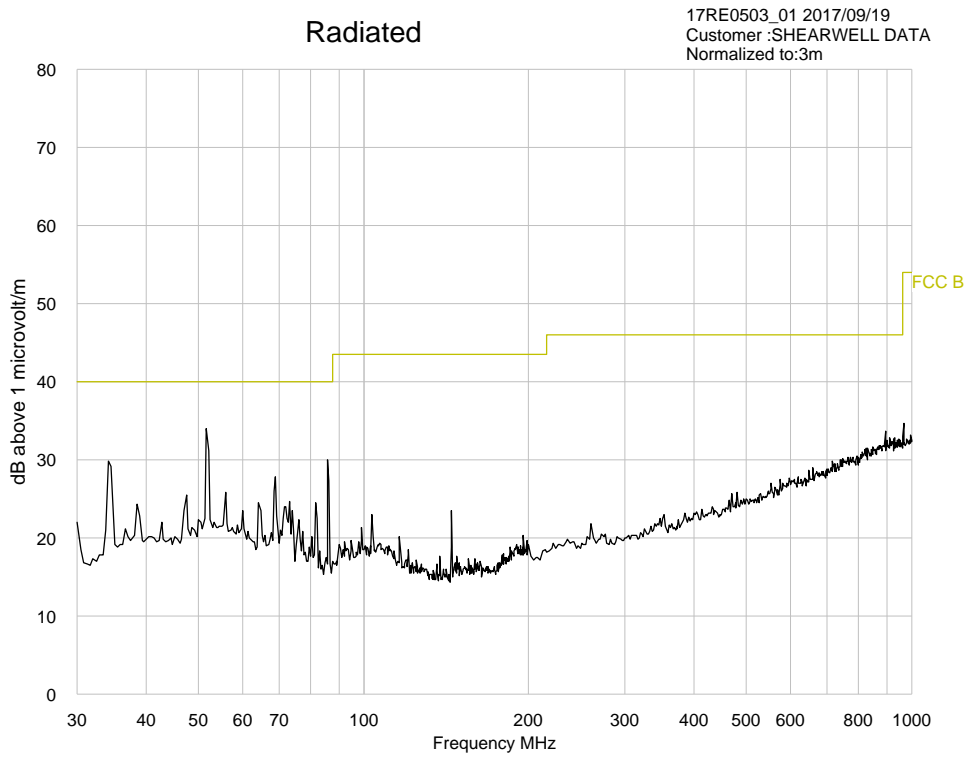
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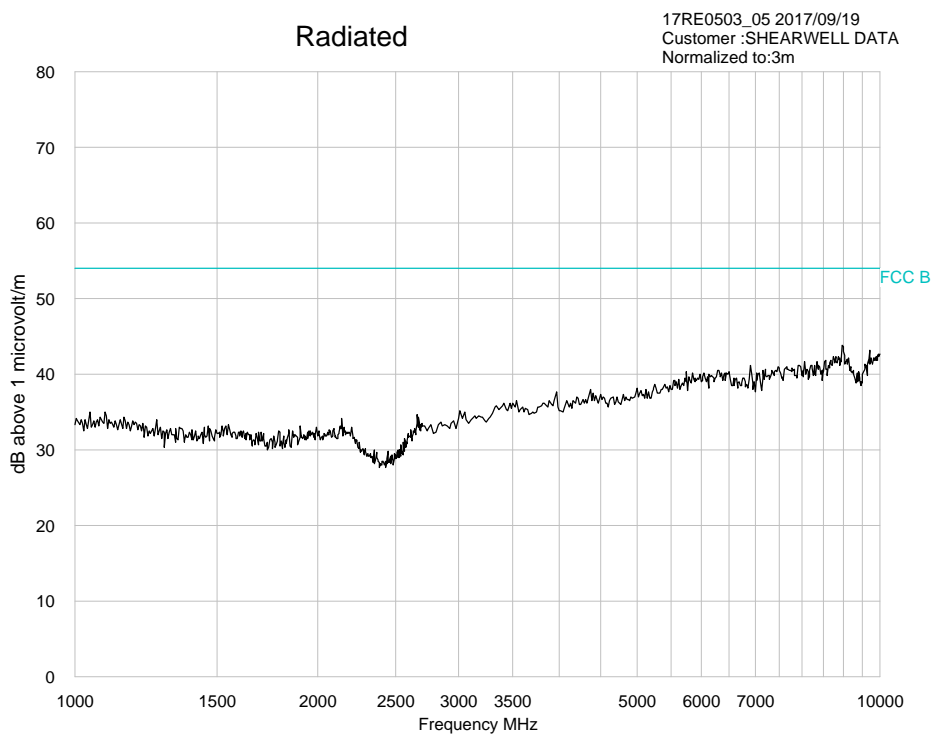


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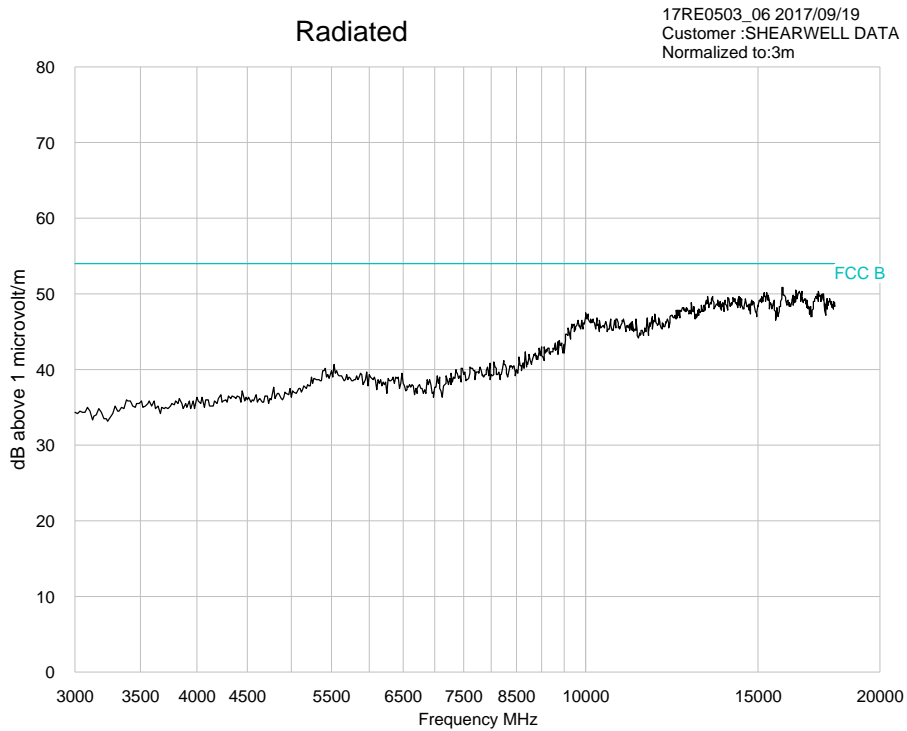
4.3.3 30MHz to 1GHz



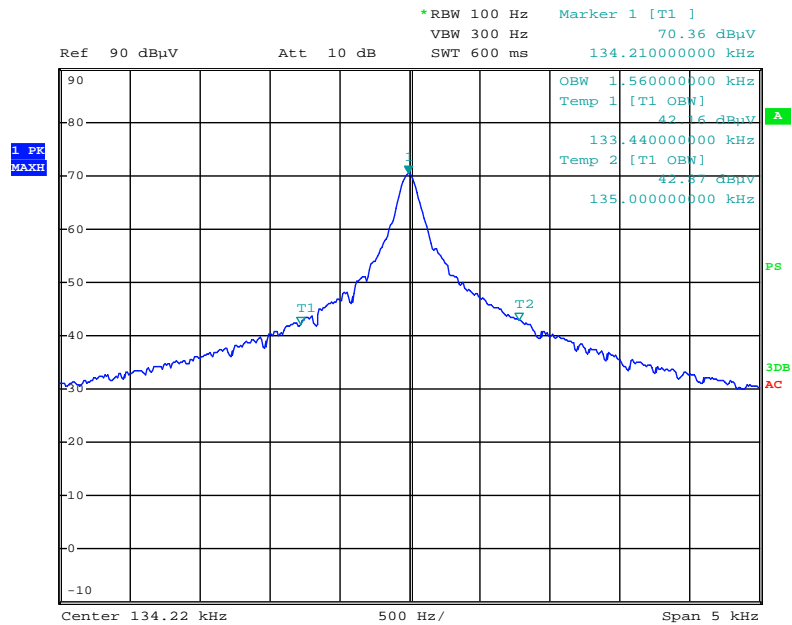
4.3.4 1GHz to 10GHz



### 4.3.5 10GHz to 18GHz



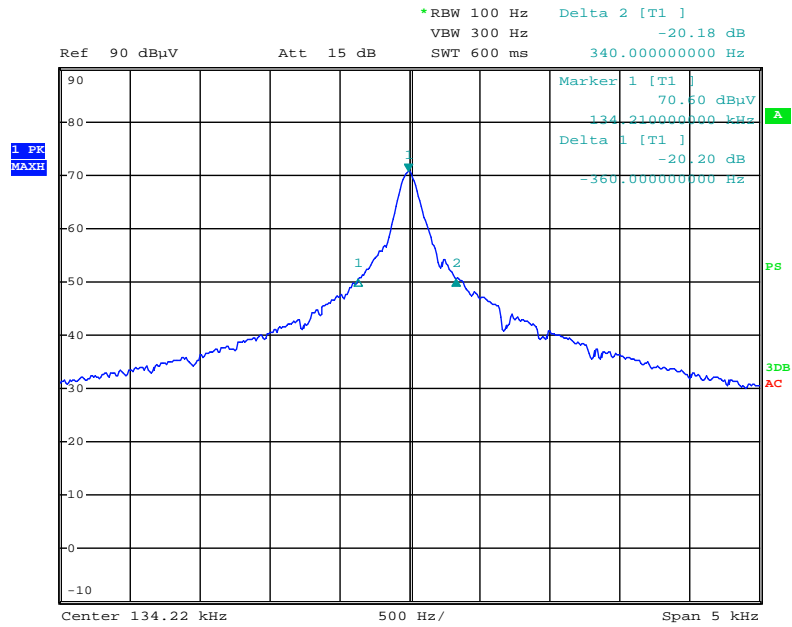
### 4.4 99% Bandwidth Plot (IC)



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### 4.5 20dB Bandwidth Plot (FCC)



Date: 2.OCT.2017 12:42:31

## 5.0 FCC DETAILS

### FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

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February 13, 2006

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Unit 16  
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Chandlers Ford - Hampshire, SO53 4DB  
United Kingdom  
Attention: R P St John James

Re: Accreditation of Hursley EMC Services Ltd.  
Designation Number: UK0006

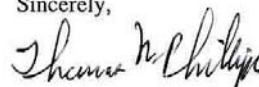
Dear Sir or Madam:

We have been notified by Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) that Hursley EMC Services Ltd. has been accredited as a Conformity Assessment Body (CAB).

At this time your organization is hereby designated to perform compliance testing on equipment subject to Declaration Of Conformity (DOC) and Certification under Parts 15 and 18 of the Commission's Rules.

This designation will expire upon expiration of the accreditation or notification of withdrawal of designation.

Sincerely,



Thomas Phillips  
Electronics Engineer

## 6.0 INDUSTRY CANADA LETTER



September 24, 2010

OUR FILE: 46405-7104

Submission No: 142641

**Hursley EMC Services Ltd.**  
Unit 16, Brickfield Lane, Eastleigh  
Hampshire, SO53 4DP  
Great Britain

*Attention:* Rob St. John James

Dear Sir/Madame:

The Bureau has received your application for the renewal of a 3/10m OATS. Be advised that the information received was satisfactory to Industry Canada. The following number(s) is now associated to the site(s) for which registration / renewal was sought ( **7104A-1** ). Please reference the appropriate site number in the body of test reports containing measurements performed on the site. In addition, please keep for your records the following information;

- The company address code associated to the site(s) located at the above address is: **7104A**

Furthermore, to obtain or renew a unique site number, the applicant shall demonstrate that the site has been accredited to ANSI C63.4-2003 or later. A scope of accreditation indicating the accreditation by a recognized accreditation body to ANSI C63.4-2003 or later shall be accepted. Please indicate in a letter the previous assigned site number if applicable and the type of site (example: 3 metre OATS or 3 metre chamber). If the test facility is not accredited to ANSI C63.4-2003 or later, the test facility shall submit test data demonstrating full compliance with the ANSI standard. The Bureau will evaluate the filing to determine if recognition shall be granted.

The frequency for re-validation of the test site and the information that is required to be filed or retained by the testing party shall comply with the requirements established by the accrediting organization. However, in all cases, test site re-validation shall occur on an interval not to exceed two years. There is no fee or form associated with an OATS filing. OATS submissions are encouraged to be submitted electronically to the Bureau using the following URL;  
[http://strategis.ic.gc.ca/epic/internet/inceb-bhst.nsf/en/h\\_tt00052e.html](http://strategis.ic.gc.ca/epic/internet/inceb-bhst.nsf/en/h_tt00052e.html).

If you have any questions, you may contact the Bureau by e-mail at [certification.bureau@ic.gc.ca](mailto:certification.bureau@ic.gc.ca) Please reference our file and submission number above for all correspondence.

Yours sincerely,



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