

# Starkey Laboratories, Inc.

**Edge AI RIC 312 with NFMI** 

FCC 15.209:2024

RSS-210 Issue 10:2019+A1:2020

RSS-Gen Issue 5:2018+A1:2019+A2:2021

**Inductive Radio** 

Report: STAK0333.0 Rev. 0, Issue Date: May 17, 2024







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# **CERTIFICATE OF TEST**



Last Date of Test: March 28, 2024 Starkey Laboratories, Inc. EUT: Edge AI RIC 312 with NFMI

### **Radio Equipment Testing**

#### **Standards**

Specification	Method
FCC 15.209:2024	
RSS-210 Issue 10:2019+A1:2020	ANSI C63.10:2013
RSS-Gen Issue 5:2018+A1:2019+A2:2021	

### Guidance

Notice 2020 - DRS0023

#### Results

Test Description	Result	FCC Section(s)	RSS Section(s)	ANSI C63.10 Section(s)	Comments
Powerline Conducted Emissions	N/A	15.207	RSS-Gen 8.8	6.2	Not required for a battery powered EUT.
Field Strength of Fundamental	Pass	15.209	RSS-210 7.2, RSS-Gen 6.12	6.4	
Spurious Radiated Emissions	Pass	15.209	RSS-210 7.2, RSS-Gen 6.13	6.4, 6.5	
Occupied Bandwidth	N/A	N/A	RSS-Gen 6.7	6.9.3	

#### **Deviations From Test Standards**

None

Approved By:

Mark Baytan, Department Manager Signed for and on behalf of Element

Product compliance is the responsibility of the client; therefore, the tests and equipment modes of operation represented in this report were agreed upon by the client, prior to testing. The results of this test pertain only to the sample(s) tested. The specific description is noted in each of the individual sections of the test report supporting this certificate of test. This report reflects only those tests from the referenced standards shown in the certificate of test. It does not include inspection or verification of labels, identification, marking or user information. As indicated in the Statement of Work sent with the quotation, Element's standard process is to always use the latest published version of the test methods even when earlier versions are cited in the test specification. Issuance of a purchase order was de facto acceptance of this approach. Otherwise, the client would have advised Element in writing of the specific version of the test methods they wanted applied to the subject testing.

# **REVISION HISTORY**



Revision Number	Description	Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Page Number
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# ACCREDITATIONS AND AUTHORIZATIONS



#### **United States**

FCC - Designated by the FCC as a Telecommunications Certification Body (TCB). Certification chambers, Open Area Test Sites, and conducted measurement facilities are listed with the FCC.

**A2LA** - Each laboratory is accredited by A2LA to ISO / IEC 17025, and as a product certifier to ISO / IEC 17065 which allows Element to certify transmitters to FCC and IC specifications.

#### Canada

**ISED** - Recognized by Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada as a Certification Body (CB) and as a CAB for the acceptance of test data.

### **European Union**

European Commission - Recognized as an EU Notified Body validated for the EMCD and RED Directives.

### **United Kingdom**

BEIS - Recognized by the UK as an Approved Body under the UK Radio Equipment and UK EMC Regulations.

#### Australia/New Zealand

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#### Korea

MSIT / RRA - Recognized by KCC's RRA as a CAB for the acceptance of test data.

#### Japan

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NCC - Recognized by NCC as a CAB for the acceptance of test data.

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#### **Vietnam**

MIC – Recognized by MIC as a CAB for the acceptance of test data.

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<u>California</u> <u>Minnesota</u> <u>Oregon</u> <u>Texas</u> <u>Washington</u>

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# **FACILITIES**



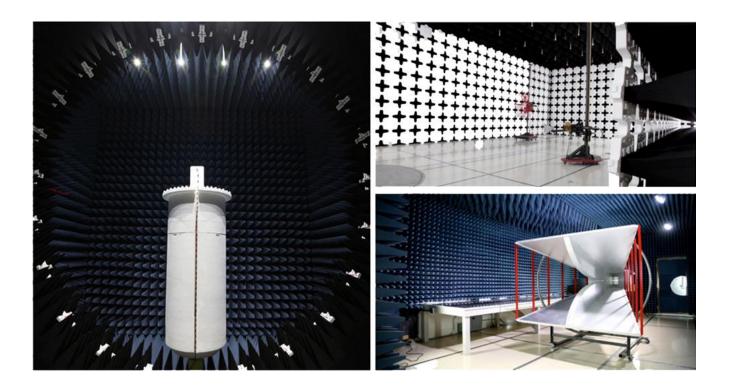
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#### Testing was performed at the following location(s)

	Location	Labs (1)	Address	A2LA (2)	ISED (3)	BSMI (4)	VCCI (5)	CAB (6)	FDA (7)
	California	OC01-17	41 Tesla Irvine, CA 92618 (949) 861-8918	3310.04	2834B	SL2-IN-E-1154R	A-0029	US0158	TL-55
×	Minnesota	MN01-11	9349 W Broadway Ave. Brooklyn Park, MN 55445 (612) 638-5136	3310.05	2834E	SL2-IN-E-1152R	A-0109	US0175	TL-57
	Oregon	EV01-12	6775 NE Evergreen Pkwy #400 Hillsboro, OR 97124 (503) 844-4066	3310.02	2834D	SL2-IN-E-1017	A-0108	US0017	TL-56
	Texas	TX01-09	3801 E Plano Pkwy Plano, TX 75074 (469) 304-5255	3310.03	2834G	SL2-IN-E-1158R	A-0201	US0191	TL-54
	Washington	NC01-05	19201 120th Ave NE Bothell, WA 98011 (425) 984-6600	3310.06	2834F	SL2-IN-E-1153R	A-0110	US0157	TL-67
	Offsite	N/A	See Product Description	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

See data sheets for specific labs

- The lab designations denote individual rooms within each location. (OC01, OC02, OC03, etc.)
  AZLA Certificate No.
  ISED Company No.
  BSMI No.
  VCCI Site Filing No.
  CAB Identifier. Recognized Phase I CAB for ISED, ACMA, BSMI, IDA, KCC/RRA, MIC, MOC, NCC, OFCA FDA ASCA No.



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### MEASUREMENT UNCERTAINTY



### **Measurement Uncertainty**

When a measurement is made, the result will be different from the true or theoretically correct value. The difference is the result of tolerances in the measurement system that cannot be completely eliminated. To the extent that technology allows us, it has been our aim to minimize this error. Measurement uncertainty is a statistical expression of measurement error qualified by a probability distribution.

A measurement uncertainty estimation has been performed for each test per our internal quality document QM205.4.6. The estimation is used to compare the measured result with its "true" or theoretically correct value. The expanded measurement uncertainty (K=2) can be found in the table below. A lab specific value may also be found in the applicable test description section. Our measurement data meets or exceeds the measurement uncertainty requirements of the applicable specification; therefore, the test data can be compared directly to the specification limit to determine compliance. The calculations for estimating measurement uncertainty are based upon ETSI TR 100 028 (or CISPR 16-4-2 as applicable), and are available upon request.

The following table represents the Measurement Uncertainty (MU) budgets for each of the tests that may be contained in this report.

Test	+ MU	- MU
Frequency Accuracy	0.0007%	-0.0007%
Amplitude Accuracy (dB)	1.2 dB	-1.2 dB
Conducted Power (dB)	1.2 dB	-1.2 dB
Radiated Power via Substitution (dB)	0.7 dB	-0.7 dB
Temperature (degrees C)	0.7°C	-0.7°C
Humidity (% RH)	2.5% RH	-2.5% RH
Voltage (AC)	1.0%	-1.0%
Voltage (DC)	0.7%	-0.7%
Field Strength (dB)	5.2 dB	-5.2 dB
AC Powerline Conducted Emissions (dB)	3.2 dB	-3.2 dB

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# **TEST SETUP BLOCK DIAGRAMS**

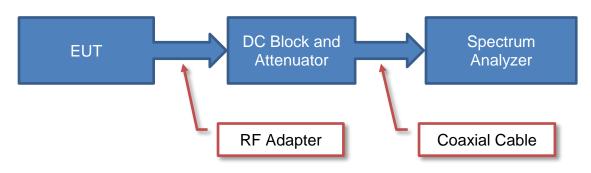


### **Measurement Bandwidths**

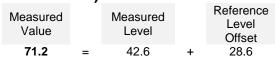
Frequency Range (MHz)	Peak Data (kHz)	Quasi-Peak Data (kHz)	Average Data (kHz)
0.01 - 0.15	1.0	0.2	0.2
0.15 - 30.0	10.0	9.0	9.0
30.0 - 1000	100.0	120.0	120.0
Above 1000	1000.0	N/A	1000.0

Unless otherwise stated, measurements were made using the bandwidths and detectors specified. No video filter was used.

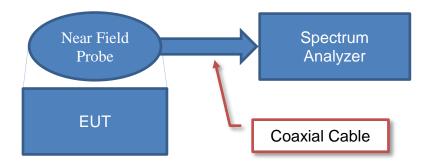
#### **Antenna Port Conducted Measurements**



### Sample Calculation (logarithmic units)



### **Near Field Test Fixture Measurements**



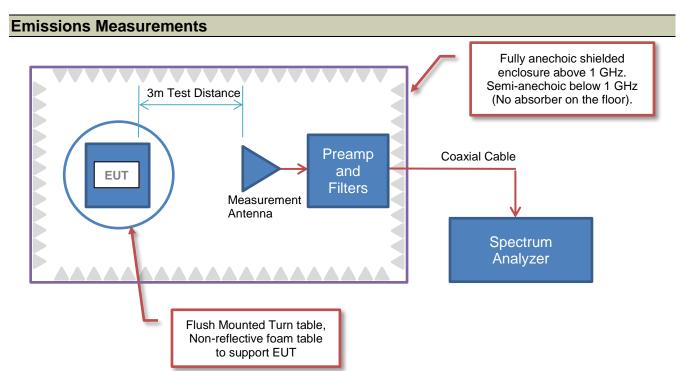
### Sample Calculation (logarithmic units)

Measured Value		Measured Level		Reference Level Offset
71.2	=	42.6	+	28.6

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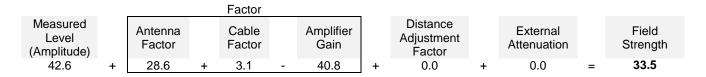
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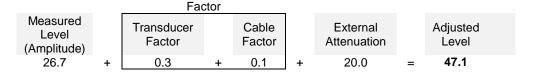


### Sample Calculation (logarithmic units)

#### **Radiated Emissions:**



#### **Conducted Emissions:**



#### Radiated Power (ERP/EIRP) - Substitution Method:

Measured Level into Substitution Antenna (Amplitude dBm)		Substitution Antenna Factor (dBi)		EIRP to ERP (if applicable)		Measured power (dBm ERP/EIRP)
10.0	+	6.0	-	2.15	=	13.9/16.0

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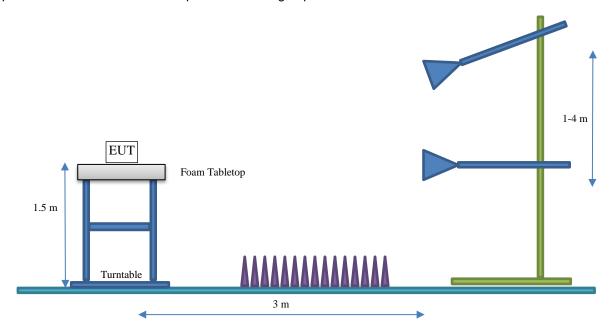
# **TEST SETUP BLOCK DIAGRAMS**



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### **Bore Sighting (>1GHz)**

The diameter of the illumination area is the dimension of the line tangent to the EUT formed by 3 dB beamwidth of the measurement antenna at the measurement distance. At a 3 meter test distance, the diameter of the illumination area was 3.8 meters at 1 GHz and greater than 2.1 meters up to 6 GHz. Above 1 GHz, when required by the measurement standard, the antenna is pointed for both azimuth and elevation to maintain the receive antenna within the cone of radiation from the EUT. The specified measurement detectors were used for comparison of the emissions to the peak and average specification limits.



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# PRODUCT DESCRIPTION



### Client and Equipment under Test (EUT) Information

Company Name:	Starkey Laboratories, Inc.
Address:	6600 Washington Ave S
City, State, Zip:	Eden Prairie, MN 55344-3404
Test Requested By:	Bill Mitchell
EUT:	Edge Al RIC 312 with NFMI
First Date of Test:	March 28, 2024
Last Date of Test:	March 28, 2024
Receipt Date of Samples:	March 28, 2024
<b>Equipment Design Stage:</b>	Prototype
Equipment Condition:	No Damage
Purchase Authorization:	Verified

### **Information Provided by the Party Requesting the Test**

<b>Functional Descriptio</b>	n of the EUT:
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Hearing aid with BLE and NFMI

#### **Testing Objective:**

To demonstrate compliance of the inductive portion of the device to FCC Part 15.209 specifications and the General Field Strength (<30MHz) Inductive radio to ISED specifications per RSS-210 section 7.3

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# **POWER SETTINGS AND ANTENNAS**



The power settings, antenna gain value(s) and cable loss (if applicable) used for the testing contained in this report were provided by the customer and will affect the validity of the results. Element assumes no responsibility for the accuracy of this information. The power settings below reflect the maximum power that the EUT is allowed to transmit at during normal operation.

**ANTENNA GAIN (dBi)** 

Туре	Provided by:	Frequency Range (MHz)
Coil	Starkey Laboratories, Inc	10.281

The NFMI antenna coil is a SMD cubical block of nominal length 5.1 mm and width 1.9 mm. The max height is 1.915 mm. There are 41 turns going from one end of the coil to the other.

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FW Version: 10.0.0.14.342 SW Version Monaco 7.0.2.0

SETTINGS FOR ALL TESTS IN THIS REPORT

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Modulation Types	Frequency Range (MHz)	Power Setting *								
Single Data Rate / Modulation Data Rate - 894 kbps, Modulation - 8-DPSK	10.281 MHz	3.4 mW								

<sup>\*</sup> power value was obtained from the NXH2281 (NFMI Radio) datasheet.

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# **CONFIGURATIONS**



# Configuration STAK0333-4

EUT									
Description	Manufacturer	Model/Part Number	Serial Number						
Edge Al RIC 312	Starkey	P00002200	240748867						
Edge AI RIC 312	Starkey	P00002200	240748875						

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# **MODIFICATIONS**



# **Equipment Modifications**

Item	Date	Test	Modification	Note	Disposition of EUT
1	2024-03-28	Field Strength of Fundamental	Tested as delivered to test Station.	No EMI suppression devices were added or modified during this test.	EUT remained at Element following the test.
2	2024-03-28	Occupied Bandwidth	Tested as delivered to test Station.	No EMI suppression devices were added or modified during this test.	EUT remained at Element following the test.
3	2024-03-28	Spurious Radiated Emissions	Tested as delivered to test Station.	No EMI suppression devices were added or modified during this test.	Scheduled testing was completed.

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# FIELD STRENGTH OF FUNDAMENTAL



#### **TEST DESCRIPTION**

The antennas to be used with the EUT were tested. The EUT was continuously transmitting while set to the channel specified.

The fundamental carrier of the EUT was maximized by rotating the EUT on a turntable, adjusting the position of the EUT and EUT antenna in three orthogonal axis, and adjusting the measurement antenna polarization (per ANSI C63.10). A calibrated active loop antenna was used for this test in order to provide sufficient measurement sensitivity. The reference point of the loop antenna was maintained at 1m above the ground plane during the testing.

Measurements were made with the required detectors and annotated on the data for each individual point using the following annotation:

QP = Quasi-Peak Detector

PK = Peak Detector

AV = CISPR Average Detector

As outlined in 15.209(e), 15.31(f)(2), and RSS-GEN, 6.5, measurements may be performed at a distance closer than what is specified with the limit. The limit at the specified distance is shown on the data sheet. Measurements are made at a closer distance and the data is adjusted using a distance correction factor of 40dB/decade for comparison to the limit.

The limits in CFR 47, Part 15C 15.209(a) are identical to those is RSS-Gen section 8.9 Table 6, since the measurements are performed in terms of magnetic field strength and converted to electric field strength levels (as reported in the table) using the free space impedance of 377 Ohms. For example, an E-Field measurement in dBuV/m can be converted to dBuA/m via the following formula: dBuV/m - 51.5 dB = dBuA/m. E-Field measurements have the same margin in dB to the corresponding RSS-Gen Table 6 limit as it has to 15.209(a) limits

#### **TEST EQUIPMENT**

Description	Manufacturer	Model	ID	Last Cal.	Cal. Due					
Antenna - Loop	ETS Lindgren	6502	AOB	2023-06-12	2025-06-12					
Cable	ESM Cable Corp.	Antenna Loop Cable	MNE	2024-01-28	2025-01-28					
Receiver	Rohde & Schwarz	ESR26	ARP	2023-05-10	2024-05-10					

#### **MEASUREMENT UNCERTAINTY**

Description		
Expanded k=2	1.8 dB	-1.8 dB

#### FREQUENCY RANGE INVESTIGATED

9 MHz TO 11 MHz

#### **POWER INVESTIGATED**

Battery

#### **CONFIGURATIONS INVESTIGATED**

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#### **MODES INVESTIGATED**

Transmitting NFMI, 10.281 MHz, Modulated. Communication between two devices. BLE is active because it cannot be disabled in this mode.

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# FIELD STRENGTH OF FUNDAMENTAL



EUT:	Edge AI RIC 312 with NFMI	Work Order:	STAK0333
Serial Number:	240748867	Date:	2024-03-28
Customer:	Starkey Laboratories, Inc.	Temperature:	24.5°C
Attendees:	John Quach	Relative Humidity:	20%
Customer Project:	None	Bar. Pressure (PMSL):	1019 mb
Tested By:	Christopher Heintzelman	Job Site:	MN04
Power:	Battery	Configuration:	STAK0333-4

#### **TEST SPECIFICATIONS**

Specification:	Method:
FCC 15.209:2024	ANSI C63.10:2013
RSS-210 Issue 10:2019+A1:2020	ANSI C63.10:2013
RSS-Gen Issue 5:2018+A1:2019+A2:2021	

#### **TEST PARAMETERS**

Run #:	3	Test Distance (m):	1	Ant. Height(s) (m):	1(m)

#### **COMMENTS**

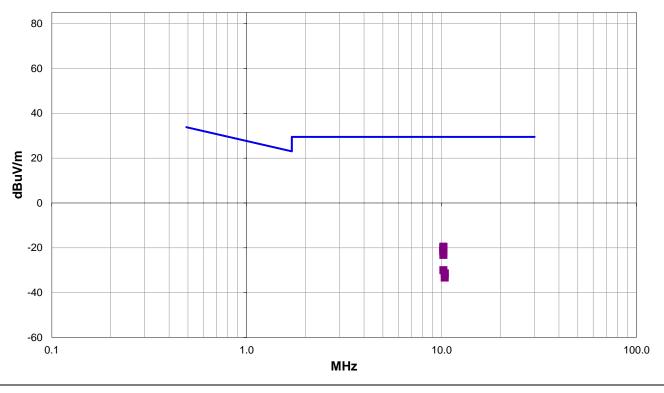
40dB/decade factor applied.

### **EUT OPERATING MODES**

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#### **DEVIATIONS FROM TEST STANDARD**

None



Run #: 3 ■ PK ◆ AV • QP

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# FIELD STRENGTH OF FUNDAMENTAL



#### **RESULTS - Run #3**

Freq (MHz)	Amplitude (dBuV)	Factor (dB/m)	Antenna Height (meters)	Azimuth (degrees)	Test Distance (meters)	External Attenuation (dB)	Polarity/ Transducer Type	Detector	Distance Adjustment (dB)	Adjusted (dBuV/m)	Spec. Limit (dBuV/m)	Compared to Spec. (dB)	Comments
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10.212	28.5	11.1	1.0	107.0	1.0	0.0	Para to EUT	PK	-59.1	-19.5	29.5	-49.0	EUT Vert
10.212	28.2	11.1	1.0	52.0	1.0	0.0	Para to EUT	PK	-59.1	-19.8	29.5	-49.3	EUT Horz
10.212	28.0	11.1	1.0	161.0	1.0	0.0	Para to GND	PK	-59.1	-20.0	29.5	-49.5	EUT On Side
10.213	26.9	11.1	1.0	190.0	1.0	0.0	Perp to EUT	PK	-59.1	-21.1	29.5	-50.6	EUT Vert
10.212	26.8	11.1	1.0	325.0	1.0	0.0	Para to EUT	PK	-59.1	-21.2	29.5	-50.7	EUT Horz
10.212	26.4	11.1	1.0	123.0	1.0	0.0	Perp to EUT	PK	-59.1	-21.6	29.5	-51.1	EUT Horz
10.212	24.8	11.1	1.0	85.0	1.0	0.0	Para to EUT	PK	-59.1	-23.2	29.5	-52.7	EUT On Side
10.213	18.0	11.1	1.0	60.0	1.0	0.0	Para to GND	PK	-59.1	-30.0	29.5	-59.5	EUT Vert
10.395	16.6	11.1	1.0	292.0	1.0	0.0	Para to GND	PK	-59.1	-31.4	29.5	-60.9	EUT Horz
10.372	14.7	11.1	1.0	346.0	1.0	0.0	Perp to EUT	PK	-59.1	-33.3	29.5	-62.8	EUT On Side

### **CONCLUSION**

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#### **TEST DESCRIPTION**

The antennas to be used with the EUT were tested. The EUT was continuously transmitting while set to the channel specified.

For each configuration, the spectrum was scanned throughout the specified range as part of the exploratory investigation of the emissions. A reference preview scan (pre-scan) is included in the report. Final measurements on individual emissions were then made and included in this test report.

The individual emissions from the EUT were maximized by rotating the EUT on a turntable, adjusting the position of the EUT and EUT antenna in three orthogonal axis, and adjusting the measurement antenna height (where applicable) and polarization (per ANSI C63.10). A calibrated active loop antenna was used for this test in order to provide sufficient measurement sensitivity. The reference point of the loop antenna was maintained at 1m above the ground plane during the testing.

Measurements were made with the required detectors and annotated on the data for each individual point using the following annotation:

QP = Quasi-Peak Detector

PK = Peak Detector

AV = CISPR Average Detector

If there are no detectable emissions above the noise floor, the data included may show noise floor measurements for reference only.

As outlined in 15.209(e), 15.31(f)(2), and RSS-GEN, 6.5, measurements may be performed at a distance closer than what is specified with the limit. The limit at the specified distance is shown on the data sheet. Measurements are made at a closer distance and the data is adjusted using a distance correction factor of 40dB/decade for comparison to the limit.

The limits in CFR 47, Part 15C 15.209(a) are identical to those is RSS-Gen section 8.9 Table 6, since the measurements are performed in terms of magnetic field strength and converted to electric field strength levels (as reported in the table) using the free space impedance of 377 Ohms. For example, an E-Field measurement in dBuV/m can be converted to dBuA/m via the following formula: dBuV/m - 51.5 dB = dBuA/m. E-Field measurements have the same margin in dB to the corresponding RSS-Gen Table 6 limit as it has to 15.209(a) limits

#### **TEST EQUIPMENT**

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Cable	ESM Cable Corp.	Antenna Loop Cable	MNE	2024-01-28	2025-01-28
Receiver	Rohde & Schwarz	ESR26	ARP	2023-05-10	2024-05-10
Antenna - Biconilog	ETS Lindgren	3142D	AXN	2023-08-16	2025-08-16
Cable	ESM Cable Corp.	MN04 Bilog Cables	MND	2024-01-28	2025-01-28
Amplifier - Pre-Amplifier	Miteq	AM-1551	PAC	2023-06-11	2024-06-11
Antenna - Double Ridge	ETS Lindgren	3115	AJQ	2023-02-02	2025-02-02
Cable	ESM Cable Corp.	Double Ridge Horn Cable	MNS	2023-06-11	2024-06-11
Amplifier - Pre-Amplifier	Miteq	AMF-3D-00100800-32-13P	AVF	2023-06-11	2024-06-11
Antenna - Standard Gain	ETS Lindgren	3160-07	AHZ	NCR	NCR
Cable	ESM Cable Corp.	8GHz-18GHz Cable	MNT	2023-06-11	2024-06-11
Amplifier - Pre-Amplifier	Miteq	AMF-6F-08001200-30-10P	AVH	2023-06-11	2024-06-11

#### **MEASUREMENT UNCERTAINTY**

Description		
Expanded k=2	5.2 dB	-5.2 dB

#### FREQUENCY RANGE INVESTIGATED

9 kHz TO 12400 MHz

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#### **POWER INVESTIGATED**

Battery

### **CONFIGURATIONS INVESTIGATED**

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#### **MODES INVESTIGATED**

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EUT:	Edge Al RIC 312 with NFMI	Work Order:	STAK0333
Serial Number:	240748867	Date:	2024-03-28
Customer:	Starkey Laboratories, Inc.	Temperature:	
Attendees:	John Quach	Relative Humidity:	20.6%
Customer Project:	None	Bar. Pressure (PMSL):	1019 mb
Tested By:	Christopher Heintzelman	Job Site:	MN04
Power:	Battery	Configuration:	STAK0333-4

#### **TEST SPECIFICATIONS**

Specification:	Method:
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RSS-210 Issue 10:2019+A1:2020	ANSI C63.10:2013
RSS-Gen Issue 5:2018+A1:2019+A2:2021	

### TEST PARAMETERS

Run #: 5	Test D	ance (m): 1	A	Ant. Height(s) (m):	1(m)
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#### **COMMENTS**

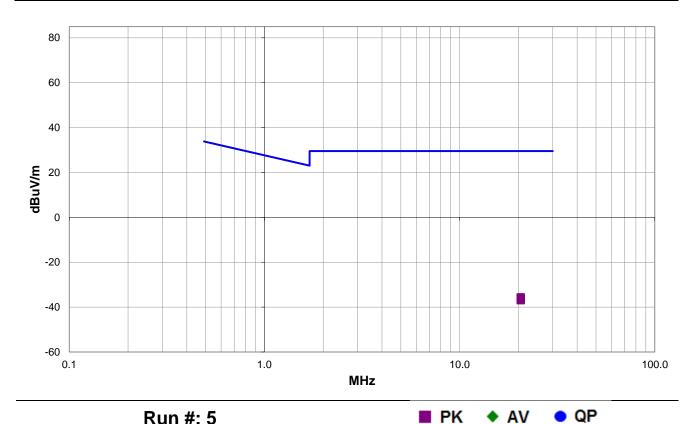
40dB/decade factor applied.

#### **EUT OPERATING MODES**

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#### **DEVIATIONS FROM TEST STANDARD**

None





### **RESULTS - Run #5**

Freq (MHz)	Amplitude (dBuV)	Factor (dB/m)	Antenna Height (meters)	Azimuth (degrees)	Test Distance (meters)	External Attenuation (dB)	Polarity/ Transducer Type	Detector	Distance Adjustment (dB)	Adjusted (dBuV/m)	Spec. Limit (dBuV/m)	Compared to Spec. (dB)	Comments
20.562	13.0	10.5	1.0	17.0	1.0	0.0	Perp to EUT	PK	-59.1	-35.6	29.5	-65.1	EUT Horz
20.561	12.8	10.5	1.0	189.0	1.0	0.0	Para to GND	PK	-59.1	-35.8	29.5	-65.3	EUT Horz
20.560	12.7	10.5	1.0	37.0	1.0	0.0	Para tp EUT	PK	-59.1	-35.9	29.5	-65.4	EUT Vert
20.565	12.5	10.5	1.0	30.0	1.0	0.0	Para to GND	PK	-59.1	-36.1	29.5	-65.6	EUT Vert
20.564	12.4	10.5	1.0	27.0	1.0	0.0	Perp to EUT	PK	-59.1	-36.2	29.5	-65.7	EUT Vert
20.564	12.3	10.5	1.0	238.0	1.0	0.0	Perp to EUT	PK	-59.1	-36.3	29.5	-65.8	EUT On Side
20.563	12.3	10.5	1.0	356.0	1.0	0.0	Para tp EUT	PK	-59.1	-36.3	29.5	-65.8	EUT On Side
20.563	11.8	10.5	1.0	214.0	1.0	0.0	Para to GND	PK	-59.1	-36.8	29.5	-66.3	EUT On Side
20.562	11.6	10.5	1.0	160.0	1.0	0.0	Para tp EUT	PK	-59.1	-37.0	29.5	-66.5	EUT Horz

### **CONCLUSION**

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EUT:	Edge Al RIC 312 with NFMI	Work Order:	STAK0333
Serial Number:	240748867	Date:	2024-03-28
Customer:	Starkey Laboratories, Inc.	Temperature:	23.3°C
Attendees:	John Quach	Relative Humidity:	0.206%
Customer Project:	None	Bar. Pressure (PMSL):	1019 mb
Tested By:	Christopher Heintzelman	Job Site:	MN04
Power:	Battery	Configuration:	STAK0333-3

#### **TEST SPECIFICATIONS**

Specification:	Method:
FCC 15.209:2024	ANSI C63.10:2013
RSS-210 Issue 10:2019+A1:2020	ANSI C63.10:2013
RSS-Gen Issue 5:2018+A1:2019+A2:2021	

#### **TEST PARAMETERS**

Run #:	6	Test Distance (m):	3	Ant. Height(s) (m):	1 to 4(m)

#### **COMMENTS**

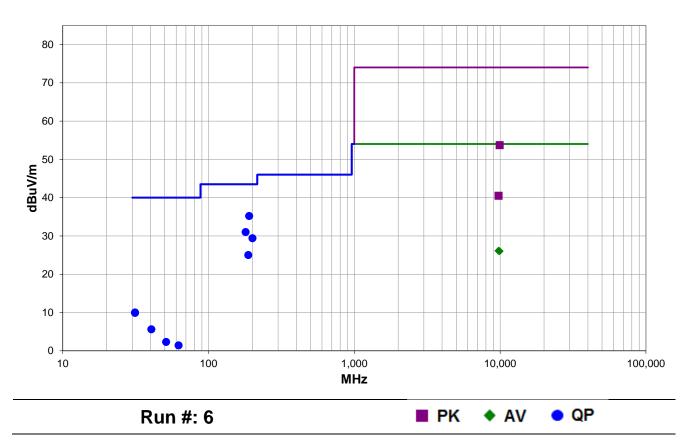
40dB/decade factor applied.

#### **EUT OPERATING MODES**

Transmitting NFMI, 10.281 MHz, Modulated. Communication between two devices. BLE is active because it cannot be disabled in this mode.

### **DEVIATIONS FROM TEST STANDARD**

BLE is active. Emissions at 2.4 GHz were ignored because they were at BLE frequencies. These emissions were over the limit. The available test modes does not allow for NFMI to be active while BLE is also disabled.



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#### **RESULTS - Run #6**

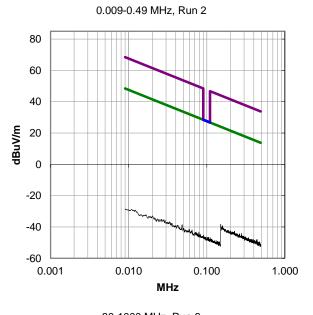
Freq (MHz)	Amplitude (dBuV)	Factor (dB/m)	Antenna Height (meters)	Azimuth (degrees)	Test Distance (meters)	External Attenuation (dB)	Polarity/ Transducer	Detector	Distance Adjustment (dB)	Adjusted (dBuV/m)	Spec. Limit (dBuV/m)	Compared to Spec. (dB)	Comments
189.957	62.4	-27.2	1.5	39.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	QP	0.0	35.2	43.5	-8.3	EUT Horz
179.722	58.2	-27.2	1.0	27.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	QP	0.0	31.0	43.5	-12.5	EUT Horz
200.225	55.8	-26.4	1.8	350.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	QP	0.0	29.4	43.5	-14.1	EUT Horz
187.434	52.5	-27.5	1.5	202.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	QP	0.0	25.0	43.5	-18.5	EUT Horz
9919.824	62.1	-8.4	1.2	346.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	PK	0.0	53.7	74.0	-20.3	EUT Horz
9753.707	33.7	-7.6	1.2	98.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	AV	0.0	26.1	54.0	-27.9	EUT Horz
9920.714	34.4	-8.4	1.2	346.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	AV	0.0	26.0	54.0	-28.0	EUT Horz
31.322	32.0	-22.0	1.0	345.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	QP	0.0	10.0	40.0	-30.0	EUT Horz
31.333	31.9	-22.0	1.0	99.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	QP	0.0	9.9	40.0	-30.1	EUT Horz
9754.656	48.0	-7.5	1.2	98.0	3.0	0.0	Vert	PK	0.0	40.5	74.0	-33.5	EUT Horz
40.501	32.5	-26.9	2.8	322.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	QP	0.0	5.6	40.0	-34.4	EUT Horz
51.210	32.4	-30.1	1.0	198.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	QP	0.0	2.3	40.0	-37.7	EUT Horz
62.346	32.3	-30.9	1.0	267.0	3.0	0.0	Horz	QP	0.0	1.4	40.0	-38.6	EUT Horz

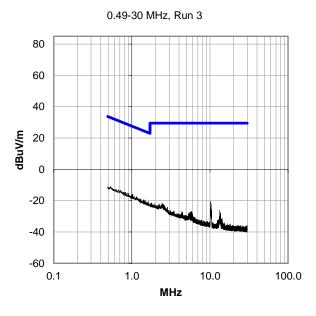
### **CONCLUSION**

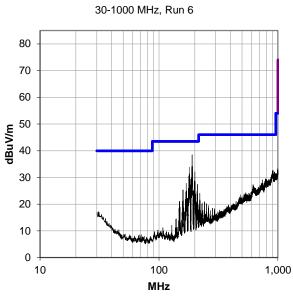
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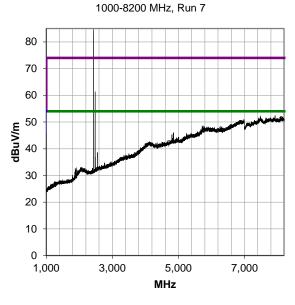
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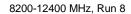


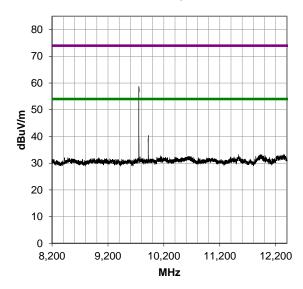




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# **OCCUPIED BANDWIDTH (99%)**



#### **TEST DESCRIPTION**

Testing was performed using the mode(s) of operation and configuration(s) noted within the report. The individuals and/or the organization requesting the test provided the modes, configurations and settings used to complete the evaluation. The actual test parameters are specified in the test data, this includes items such as investigated frequency range (scanned) and test levels. The testing methods and performance specifications, as well as the test site used for the evaluation are indicated in the test data.

A near-field probe was placed near the transmitter. A low-loss coaxial cable was used to connect the near-field probe to the spectrum analyzer.

When the occupied bandwidth limit is not stated in the applicable RSS or reference measurement method, the transmitted signal bandwidth shall be reported as the 99% emission bandwidth as defined in RSS-Gen.

The 99% occupied bandwidth was measured with the EUT configured for continuous modulated operation.

The span of the analyzer shall be set to capture all products of the modulation process, including the emission skirts.

The resolution bandwidth (RBW) of the spectrum analyzer was set to the range of 1% to 5% of the occupied bandwidth (OBW) and video bandwidth (VBW) bandwidth was set to at least 3 times the resolution bandwidth. The analyzer sweep time was set to auto to prevent video filtering or averaging. A sample detector was used unless the device was not able to be operated in a continuous transmit mode, in which case a peak detector was used.

The spectrum analyzer occupied bandwidth measurement function was used to sum the power of the transmission in linear terms to obtain the 99% bandwidth.

#### **TEST EQUIPMENT**

Description	Manufacturer	Model	ID	Last Cal.	Cal. Due
Probe - Near Field Set	ETS Lindgren	7405	IPO	NCR	NCR
Analyzer - Spectrum Analyzer	Keysight	N9010A	AFM	2023-05-01	2024-05-01
Cable	Micro-Coax	UFD150A-1-0720-200200	MNL	2023-09-05	2024-09-05

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# **OCCUPIED BANDWIDTH (99%)**



EUT:	Edge AI RIC 312 with NFMI	Work Order:	STAK0333
Serial Number:	240748867	Date:	2024-03-28
Customer:	Starkey Laboratories, Inc.	Temperature: 2	
Attendees:	John Quach	Relative Humidity:	23.4%
Customer Project:	None	Bar. Pressure (PMSL):	1018 mbar
Tested By:	Christopher Heintzelman	Job Site:	MN11
Power:	Battery	Configuration:	STAK0333-4

#### **TEST SPECIFICATIONS**

Specification:	Method:
RSS-Gen Issue 5:2018+A1:2019+A2:2021	ANSI C63.10:2013

#### **COMMENTS**

No reference level offset set because this is a frequency measurement only.

#### **DEVIATIONS FROM TEST STANDARD**

None

#### **CONCLUSION**

N/A

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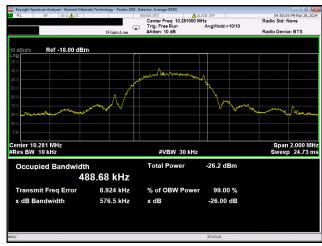
#### **TEST RESULTS**

	Value	Limit	Result
10.281 MHz NFMI	488.712 kHz	N/A	N/A

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# **OCCUPIED BANDWIDTH (99%)**





10.281 MHz NFMI

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### End of Test Report

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