

# EMC Test Report

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**Client:** Sanmina Corporation

**Equipment Under Test:** LoRa Module

**Model:** NIMBUS

**FCC ID:** 2AMS3NIMBUS

**Applicable Standards:** FCC Part 15 Subpart C, § 15.247

**ANSI C63.10: 2013**

**Report issued on:** 24 July 2017

**Test Result:** Compliant

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## 1 Summary of Test Results

| Test Description                 | Test Specification                 | Test Result   |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------|
| Occupied Bandwidth               | 15.247(a) (1)                      | Compliant (1) |
| Peak Power Output                | 15.247(a) (1)                      | Compliant (1) |
| Power Spectral Density           | 15.247(f)                          | Compliant (1) |
| Conducted Spurious Emissions     | 15.247(d)                          | Compliant (1) |
| Radiated Spurious Emissions      | 15.247(d), 15.35(b),15.205, 15.209 | Compliant     |
| Dwell time                       | 15.247(f)                          | Compliant (1) |
| Number of Hopping Frequencies    | 15.247(a) (1)(iii)                 | Compliant (1) |
| Channel separation               | 15.247(a)(1)                       | Compliant (1) |
| AC Power Line Conducted Emission | 15.107, 15.207                     | N/A(2)        |

(1) This test was not part of this evaluation. Compliance to this test was demonstrated in the Single Modular Approval of the certified radio module. Radiated spurious emissions were performed to support a Class II Permissive Change due to the usage of a different type of antenna.

(2) Not Applicable – The device is powered via internal battery.

### 1.1 Modifications Required for Compliance

None

## 2 General Information

### 2.1 Client Information

Name: Sanmina Corp  
Address: 13000 Memorial Parkway SW  
City, State, Zip, Country: Huntsville, AL 35803, USA

### 2.2 Test Laboratory

Name: SGS North America, Inc.  
Address: 620 Old Peachtree Road NW, Suite 100  
City, State, Zip, Country: Suwanee, GA 30024, USA

### 2.3 General Information of EUT

EUT: LoRa Module  
Model Number: NIMBUS  
Serial Number: Not labeled

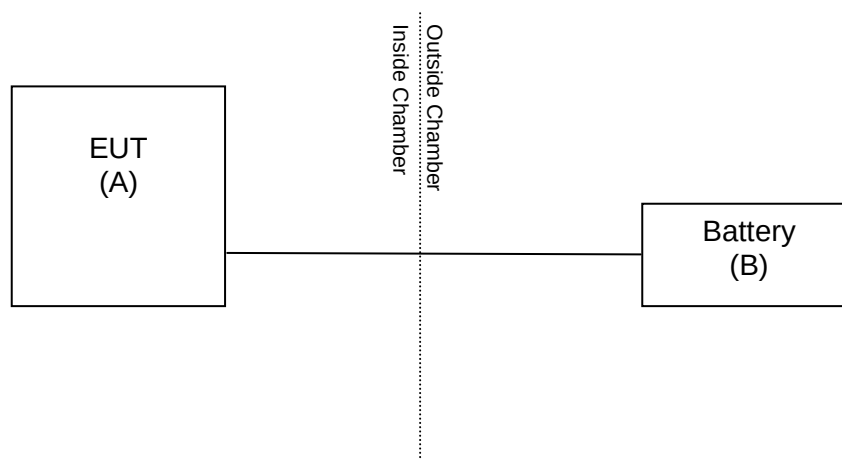
Frequency Range: 125kHz Channel: 902.3-914.9MHz  
500kHz Channel: 903.0-914.2MHz  
Number of channels: 125kHz Channel: 64  
500kHz Channel: 8  
Modulation type: LoRa  
Channel spacing: 125kHz Channel: 200kHz  
500kHz Channel: 1.6MHz  
Antenna: SMT Loop Antenna (taoglas, P/N: ILA.01), 1dBi Peak Gain  
Rated Voltage: 3.7Vdc Internal Battery  
Sample Received Date: 13 July 2017  
Dates of testing: 17 – 18 July 2017

### 2.4 Operating Modes and Conditions

During testing, the hopping sequence was stopped in accordance with Section 5.1 of ANSI C63.10-2013 so that the low, mid and high channels could be tested independently.

For this permissive change, the worst-case data rate (125kHz) was chosen for the radiated spurious emissions measurements

## 2.5 EUT Connection Block Diagram



## 2.6 System Configurations

| Device reference | Manufacturer | Description         | Model Number | Serial Number |
|------------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|---------------|
| A                | Sanmina Corp | LoRa Board Assembly | NIMBUS       | None          |
| B                | Rigol        | DC Power Supply     | DP711        | DP7A182700833 |

## 2.7 Cable List

| Cable reference | Port Name | Start     | End | Cable Length (m) | Ferrite installed? | Shielded? |
|-----------------|-----------|-----------|-----|------------------|--------------------|-----------|
| 1               | DC Power  | DC Supply | EUT | 15               | N                  | N         |

### 3 Field Strength of Spurious Radiation

#### 3.1 Test Result

| Test Description                     | Test Specification                  | Test Result |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Field strength of spurious radiation | 15.247(d), 15.35(b), 15.205, 15.209 | Compliant   |

#### 3.2 Test Method

Radiated spurious emissions measurements were recorded with the device configured to transmit at the lowest, middle, and highest channels. The frequency range investigated was up through the 10<sup>th</sup> harmonic of the fundamental transmit frequency. The methods defined in ANSI C63.10: 2013 were used.

For measurements below 1GHz, the device was manipulated through three orthogonal axes. Above 1GHz, the alternative method in Clause 6.6.5 was used.

Test distance:

30 MHz to 1 GHz - The EUT to measurement antenna distance is 3 meters

1 to 18 GHz - The EUT to measurement antenna distance is 3 meters

18 to 40 GHz - The EUT to measurement antenna distance is 1 meter

| Frequency      | Limits <sup>(1)</sup> |                     | Peak Limits<br>dBuV/m |
|----------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
|                | Microvolts/m          | dBuV/m              |                       |
| 30 - 88 MHz    | 100                   | 40 <sup>(2)</sup>   | --                    |
| 88 - 216 MHz   | 150                   | 43.5 <sup>(2)</sup> | --                    |
| 216 - 960 MHz  | 200                   | 46 <sup>(2)</sup>   | --                    |
| 960 - 1000 MHz | 500                   | 54 <sup>(2)</sup>   | --                    |
| 1 - 40 GHz     | 500                   | 54 <sup>(3)</sup>   | 74                    |

(1) These limits are applicable to emissions within the restricted bands of operation defined in FCC §15.205.

(2) Quasi-peak limit

(3) Average limit

### 3.3 Test Site

10m Absorber Lined Shielded Enclosure (ALSE), Suwanee, GA (Measurements < 1GHz)

Environmental Conditions

Temperature: 23.8 °C

Relative Humidity: 47.6 %

### 3.4 Test Equipment

Test End Date: 18-Jul-2017

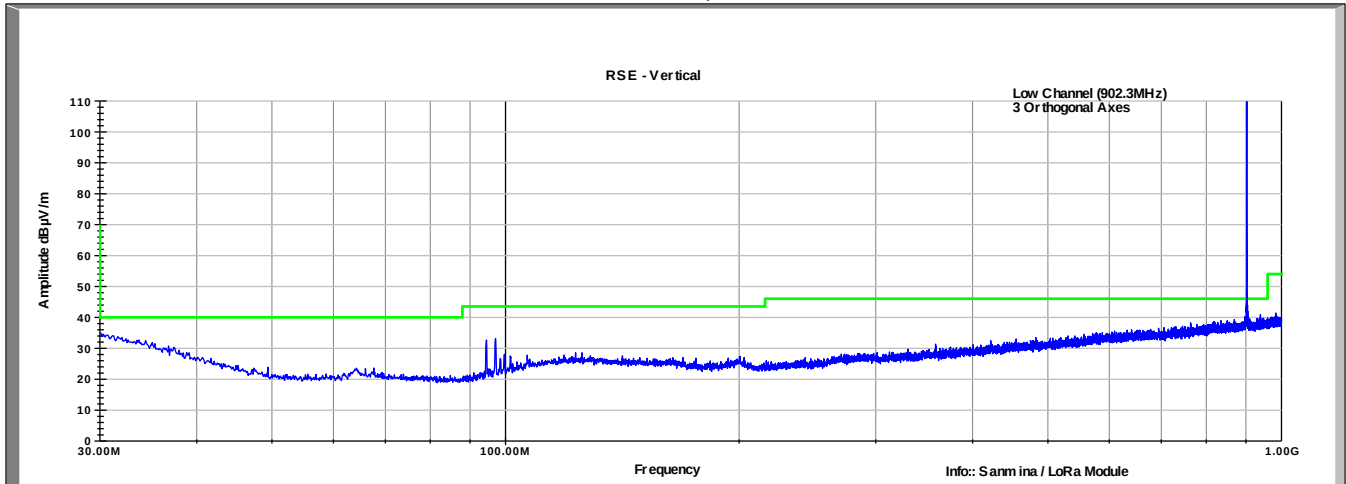
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| Equipment           | Model             | Manufacturer    | Asset Number | Cal Due Date |
|---------------------|-------------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|
| EMI TEST RECEIVER   | ESU40             | ROHDE & SCHWARZ | B079629      | 25-Apr-2018  |
| ANTENNA, BILOG      | JB6               | SUNOL           | B079689      | 8-Sep-2017   |
| RF CABLE            | NMS-290-236.2-NMS | FLORIDA RF LABS | B095020      | 24-Jul-2018  |
| RF CABLE            | NFS-290-78.7-NFS  | FLORIDA RF LABS | B095019      | 24-Jul-2018  |
| RF CABLE            | SF106             | HUBER & SUHNER  | B079660      | 25-Jul-2017  |
| ANTENNA, HORN       | BBHA 9120 B       | SCHWARZBECK     | 16001        | 16-Mar-2018  |
| RF CABLE            | 104PE             | HUBER & SUHNER  | B079793      | 24-Jul-2018  |
| LOW NOISE AMPLIFIER | TS-PR18           | ROHDE & SCHWARZ | B094463      | 22-Feb-2018  |

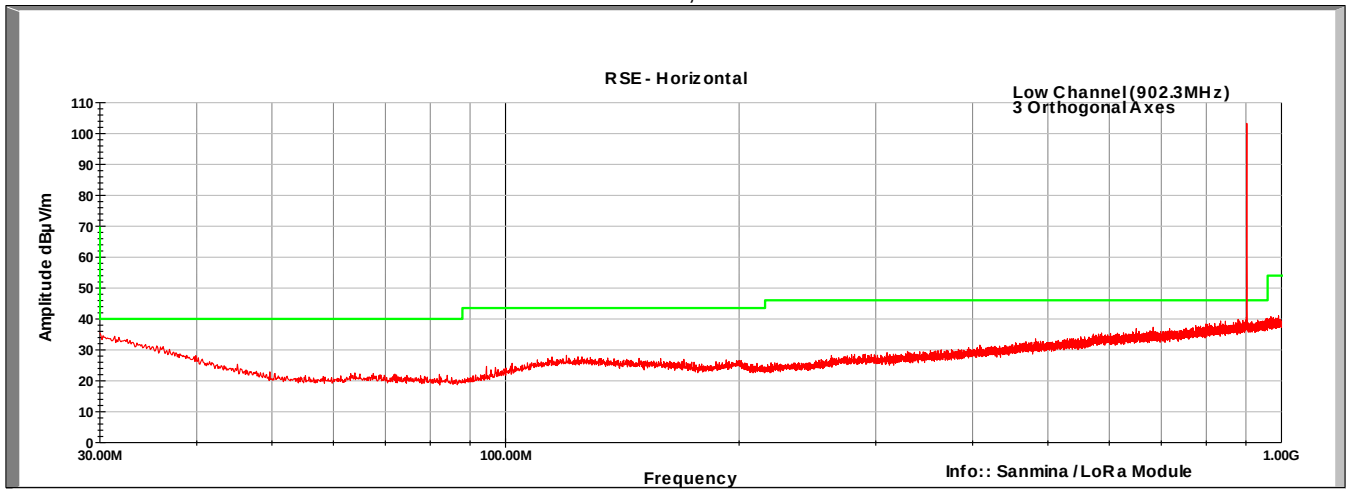
Note: The equipment calibration period is 1 year.

### 3.5 Test Data – Peak Data

Low Channel  
30-1000MHz, Vertical

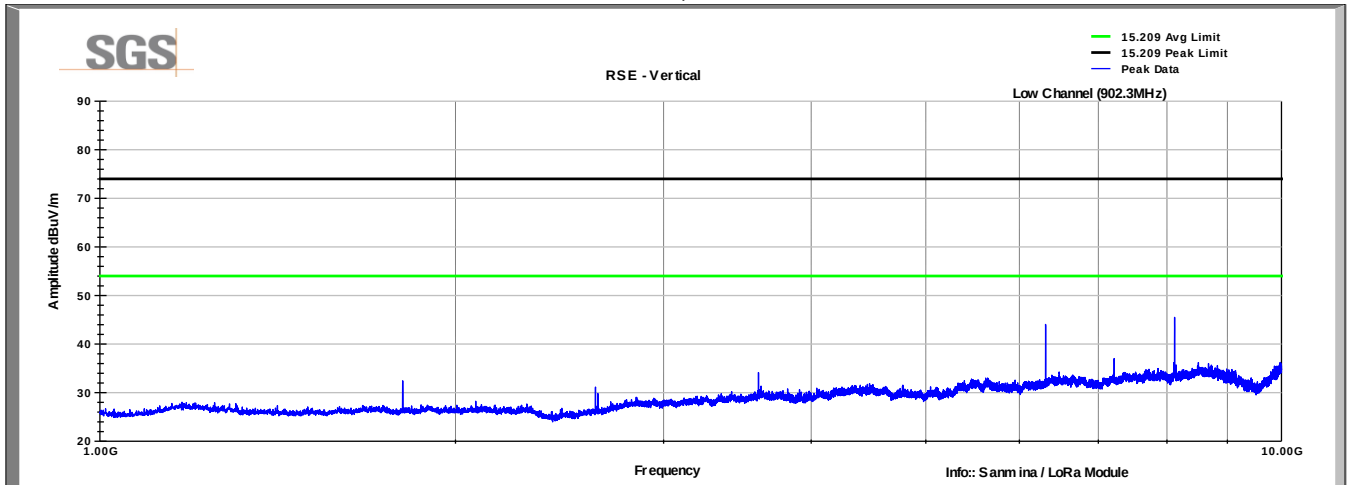


Low Channel  
30-1000MHz, Horizontal

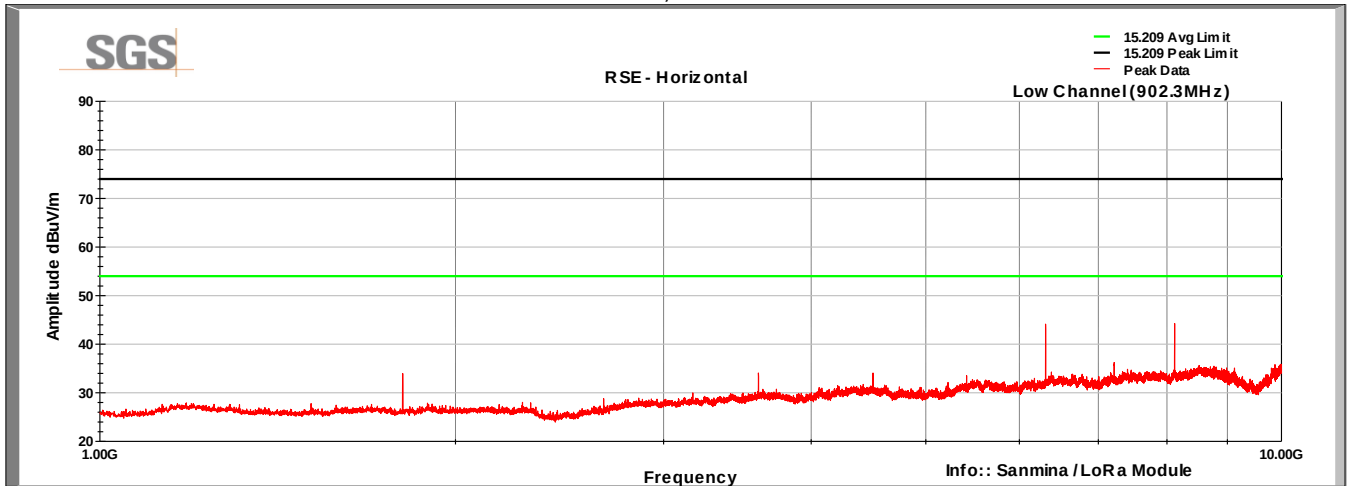




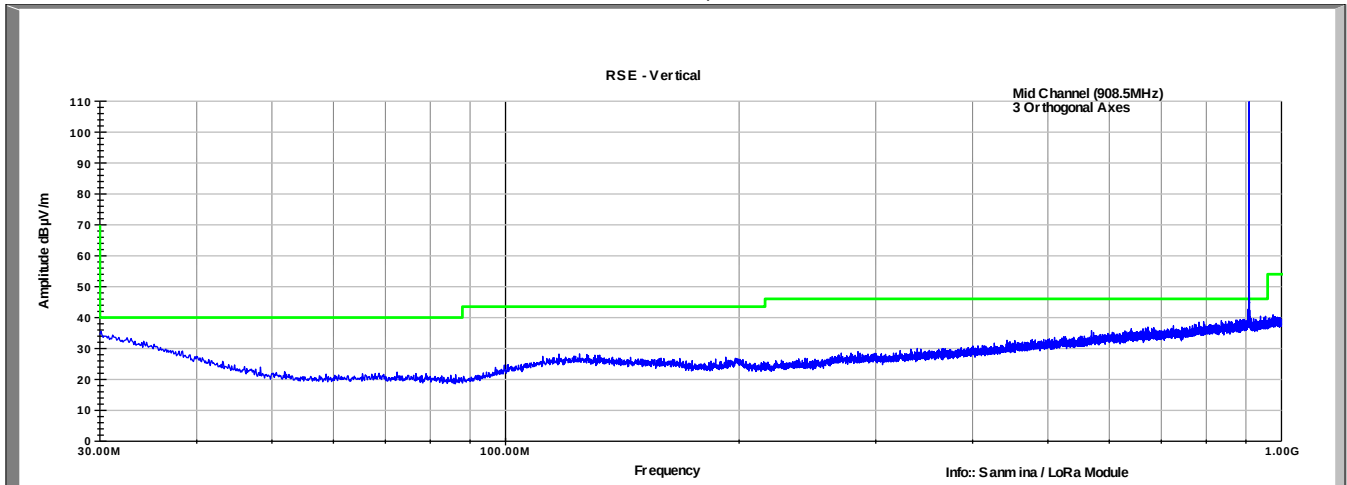
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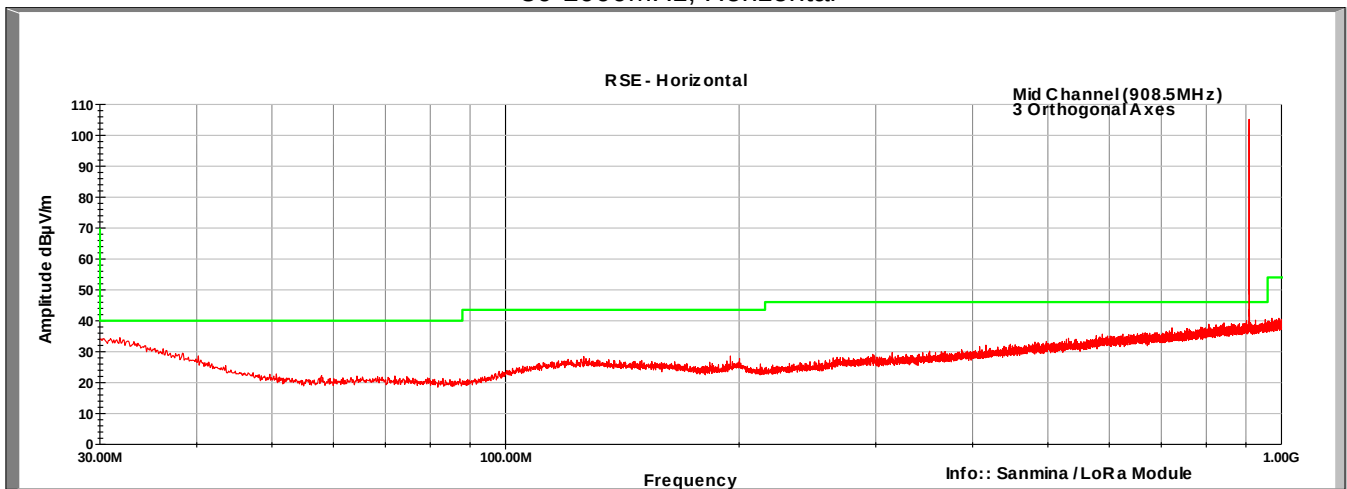
### Low Channel 1-10GHz, Horizontal



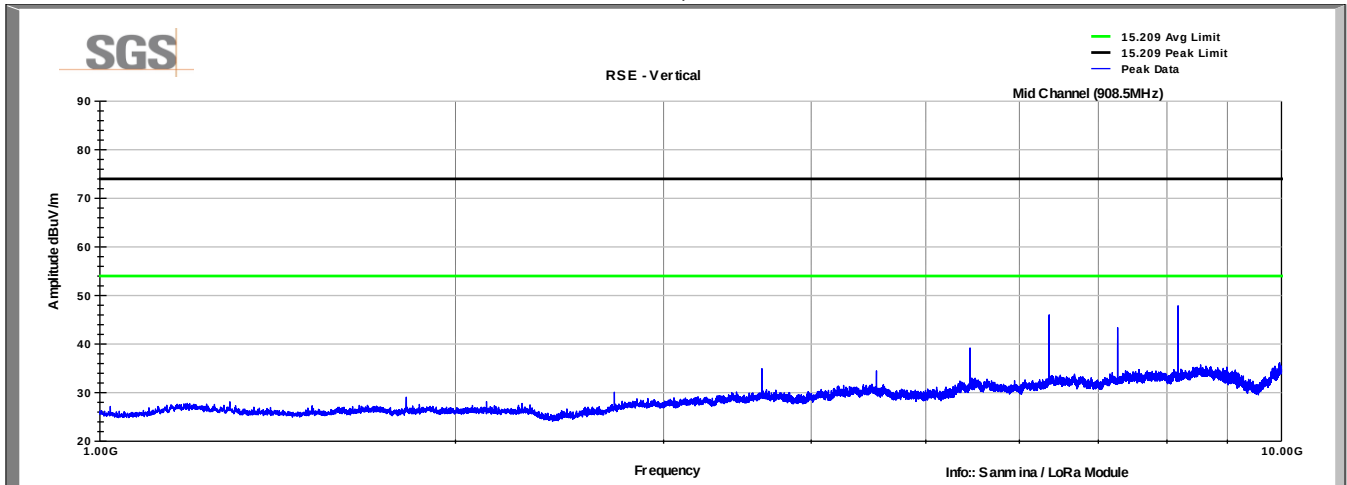
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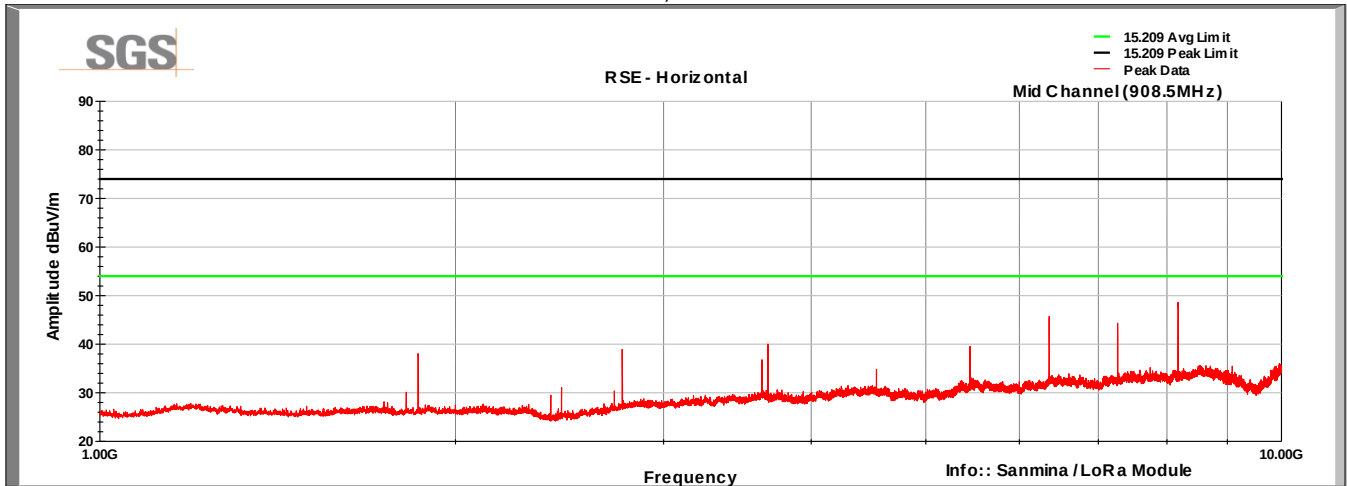
### Mid Channel 30-1000MHz, Horizontal



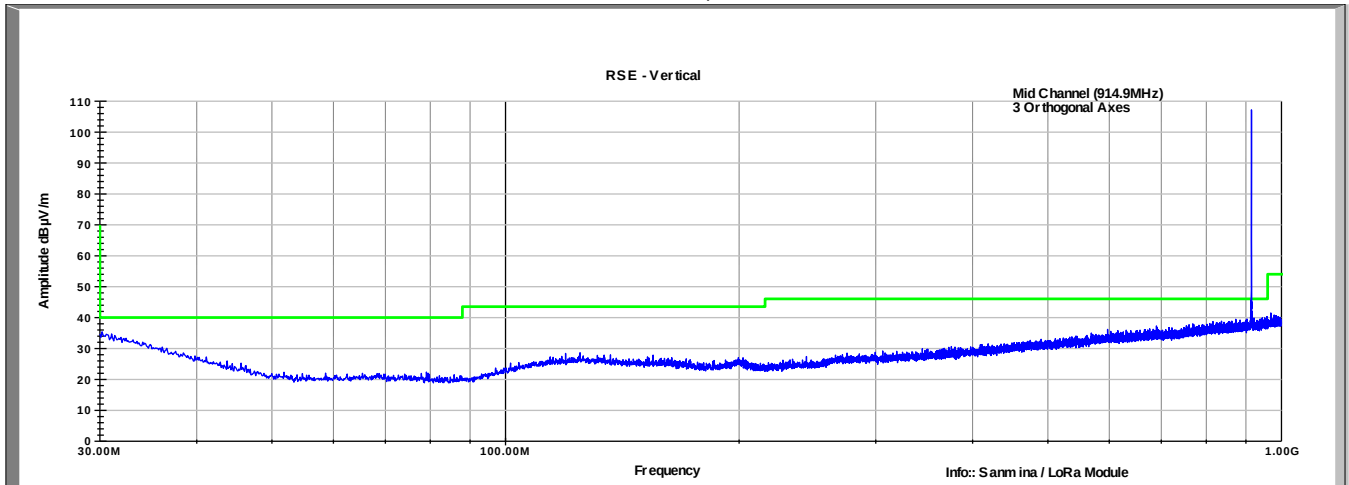
Mid Channel  
1-10GHz, Vertical



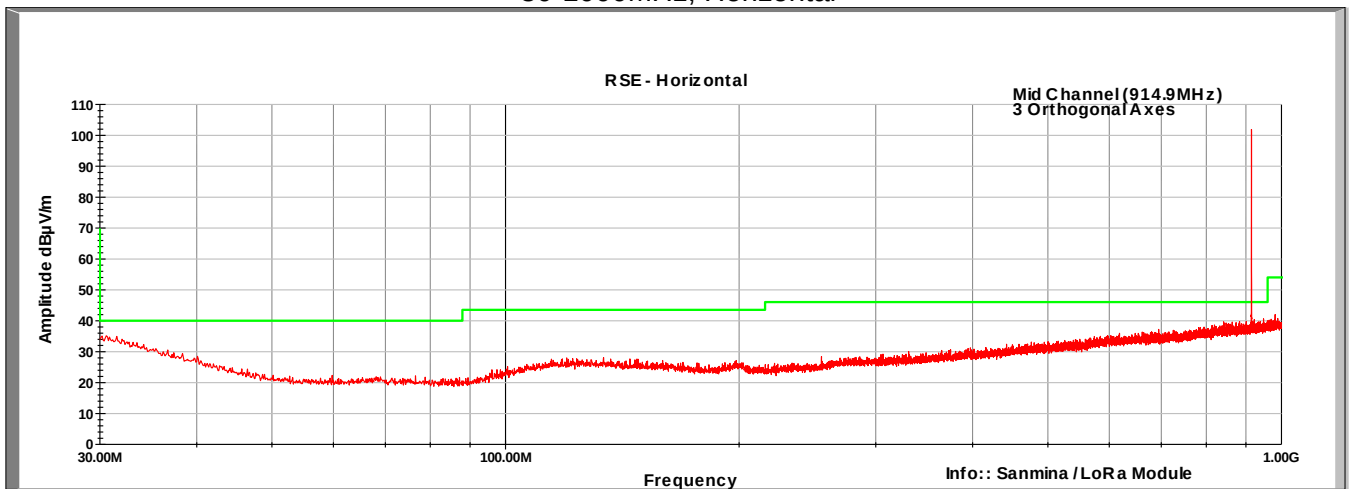
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1-10GHz, Horizontal



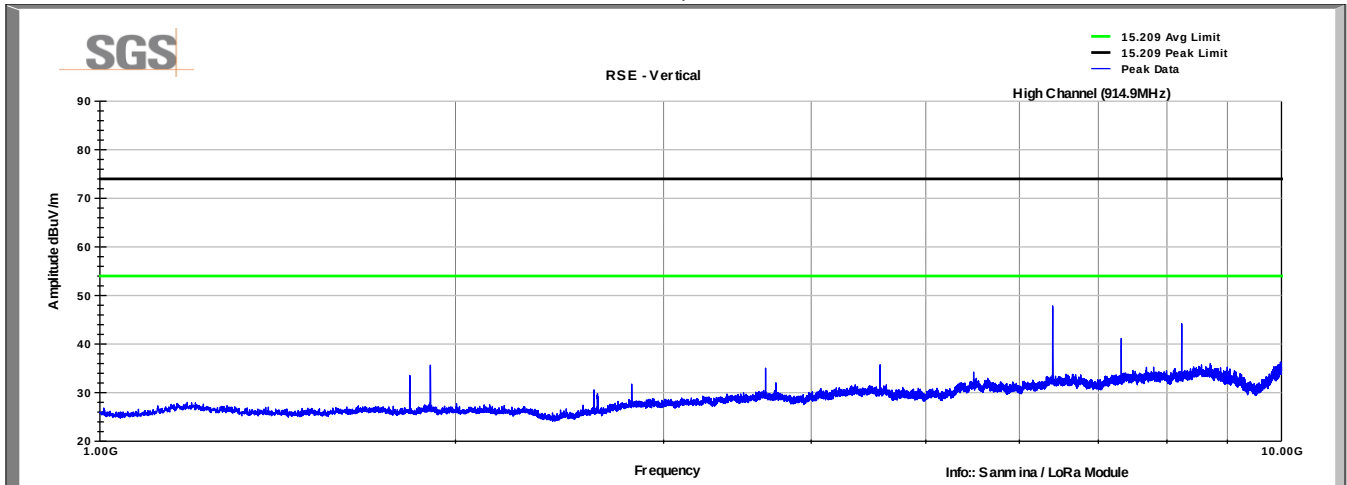
### High Channel 30-1000MHz, Vertical



### High Channel 30-1000MHz, Horizontal

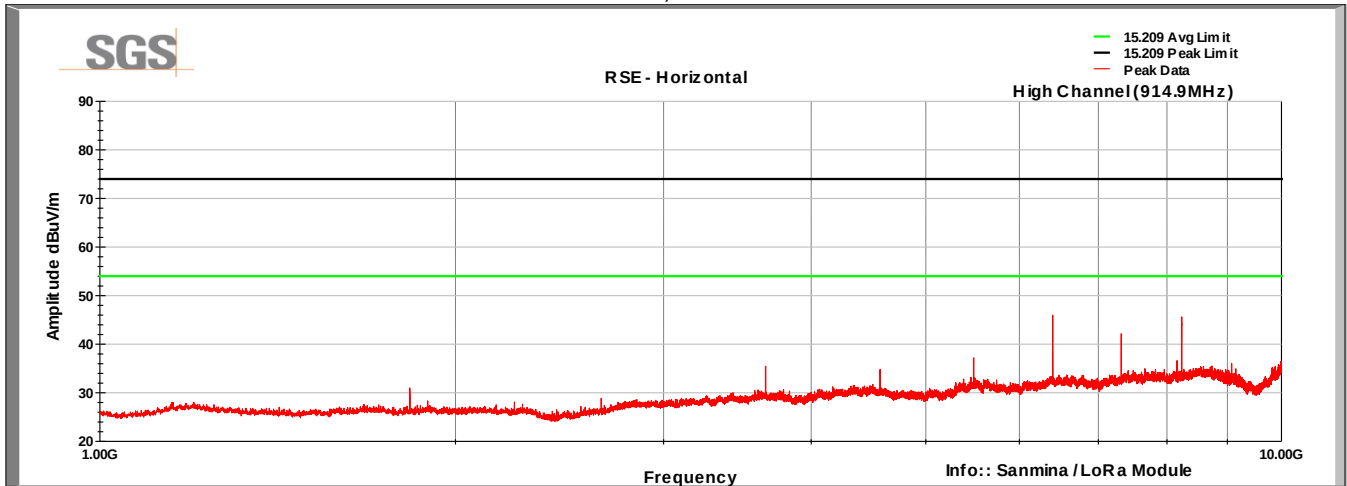


### High Channel 1-10GHz, Vertical



Worst Case Spur: 47.8dB $\mu$ V (Peak) @ 6404.3MHz

### High Channel 1-10GHz, Horizontal



Worst Case Spur: 46.0dB $\mu$ V (Peak) @ 6404.3MHz

## 4 Revision History

| Revision Level | Description of changes | Revision Date |
|----------------|------------------------|---------------|
| 0              | Initial release        | 24 July 2017  |
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