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Limited Testing of the Orolia Limited SAFELINK SOLO PLB In accordance with Cospas-Sarsat T.007

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# **SECTION 1**

Limited Testing of the Orolia Limited SAFELINK SOLO PLB



#### 1.1 INTRODUCTION

The information contained in this report is intended to show verification of Orolia Limited SAFELINK SOLO PLB to limited requirements of Cospas-Sarsat T.007.

Objective To perform Emergency Beacon Testing to determine the

Equipment Under Test's (EUT's) compliance with the Test Specification, for the series of tests carried out.

Manufacturer Orolia Limited

Model Number(s) SAFELINK SOLO

Serial Number(s) #10

#18

Number of Samples Tested 2

Test Specification/Issue/Date Cospas-Sarsat T.007 Issue 5 - Rev 2 June 2018

Incoming Release Application Form 13 April 2018

Date of Receipt of Test Samples 28 June 2018

Order Number AOR002 Date 30/04/18

Start of Test 24 April 2018

Finish of Test 27 November 2018

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Related Documents Cospas-Sarsat T.001 Issue 4, Rev 3 June 2018

TUV SUD original Testing Ref 75942209 Report 1

75942209 Report 14

The SAFELINK SOLO PLB is a variant of the Fastfind PLB 220, with minor variations as indicated in Annex A.

The original testing for the Fastfind PLB 220 can be found in TUV SUD document 75942209 Report 14.

TUV SUD document 75942209 Report 1 relates to the initial T.007 testing of the Fastfind PLB 220.



## 1.2 APPLICATION FORM

# G.1 INFORMATION PROVIDED BY THE BEACON MANUFACTURER

#### Beacon Manufacturer and Beacon Model

Beacon Manufacturer	Orolia Ltd
Beacon Model Name	SAFELINK SOLO FAST FIND RANGER
Additional Beacon Model Names	Z424

#### Beacon Type and Operational Configurations

Beacon Type	Beacon used while:	Tick where appropriate
EPIRB Float Free	Floating in water or on deck or in a safety raft	
EPIRB Non-Float Free (automatic and manual activation)	Floating in water or on deck or in a safety raft	
EPIRB Non-Float Free (manual activation only)	Floating in water or on deck or in a safety raft	
EPIRB Float Free with VDR	Floating in water or on deck or in a safety raft	
PLB	On ground and above ground	х
FLB	On ground and above ground and floating in water	
ELT Survival	On ground and above ground	
ELI Survivai	On ground and above ground and floating in water	
ELT Auto Fixed	Fixed ELT with aircraft external antenna	
ELT(DT)	Distress Tracking ELT with aircraft external antenna	
	In aircraft with an external antenna	
ELT Auto Portable	On ground, above ground, or in a safety raft with an integrated antenna	
ELT Auto Deployable	Deployable ELT with attached antenna	
Other (specify)		



#### Beacon Characteristics

Characteristic	Specification
Operating frequency (406 MHz operating channel = 406.xxx)	406.031 MHz
Operating temperature range	Tmin= -20°C Tmax= +55°C
Temperature, at which minimum duration of continuous operation is expected (Submit C/S T.007 Section 5, part s, if applicable)	-20°C
Operating lifetime	24 hours
Beacon power supply type (internal non-rechargeable, internal re-chargeable, external, combined, other)	Internal non-rechargeable
External power supply parameters (AC/DC and nominal voltage)	N/A
Is external power supply needed to energise the beacon or its ancillary devices in any of operational modes (N/A or Yes orNo)	N/A
Battery cell chemistry	Lithium Manganese Dioxide
Battery cell model name, cell size, number of cells in a battery pack, and details of the battery pack electrical configuration	GPCR123A x4 cells in series
Battery cell manufacturer	GP
Battery pack manufacturer and part number	Orolia Ltd
Beacon manufacturers declared maximum allowed cell shelf-life (from date of cell manufacture to date of battery pack installation in the beacon)	l year
Declared beacon battery replacement period (from date of installation in the beacon to expiry date marked on the beacon)	6 years
Oscillator type (e.g. OCXO, MCXO, TCXO)	TCXO
Oscillator manufacturer	Rakon
Oscillator model name/ part number	E7472LF
Oscillator satisfies long-term frequency stability requirements (Yes or No)	Yes
Antenna type: Integral or Other (e.g. External, Detachable – specify type)	Integral
Antenna manufacturer	Orolia Ltd
Antenna part name and part number (OEM, if applicable, and beacon manufacturer's)	Fastfind PLB Antenna 91-206
Antenna cable assembly min/max RF- losses at 406 MHz, if applicable	N/A
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Characteristic	Specification
Navigation device type (Internal, External or None)	Internal
Features in beacon that prevent degradation to 406 MHz signal or beacon lifetime resulting from a failure of navigation device or failure to acquire position data (Yes, No, or N/A)	Yes
Features in beacon that ensure erroneous position data is not encoded into the beacon message (Yes, No or N/A)	Yes
Navigation device capable of supporting global coverage (Yes, No or N/A)	Yes
Encoded position update capability (Yes, No, N/A) and	Yes
Encoded position update interval value (range)	> 5min to ~1h
For Internal Navigation Devices	
Geodetic reference system (WGS 84 or GTRF)	WGS 84
<ul> <li>GNSS receiver cold start forced at every beacon activation (Yes or No)</li> </ul>	Yes
Navigation device manufacturer	UBLOX
Navigation device model name and partNumber	NEO-M8N
<ul> <li>Internal navigation device antenna type(integrated, internal, external, passive/active), manufacturer and model</li> </ul>	Internal, taoglas, CGGP.18.2.A.02
<ul> <li>GNSS system supported (e.g. GPS, GLONASS, Galileo)</li> </ul>	GPS, Galileo
For External Navigation Devices	N/A
Data protocol for GNSS receiver to beacon interface	
Physical interface for beacon to navigation device	
Electrical interface for beacon to navigation device	
Part number of the external navigation interface device (if applicable)	
<ul> <li>Navigation device model and manufacturer (if beacon designed to use specific devices)</li> </ul>	



Self-Te	st Mode Characteristics:	Self-Test Mode	Optional GNSS Self-test Mode
-	Activated by a separate switch/ separate switch position (Yes or No)	Yes	Yes
-	Self-test/GNSS self-test mode switch automatically returns to normal position when released (Yes or No)	Yes	Yes
-	Self-test/ GNSS self-test activation can cause an operational mode transmission (Yes or No)	No	No
-	Results in transmission of a single self-test burst only, regardless of how long the self-test activation mechanism is applied (Yes or No)	Yes	Yes
-	Results of self-test/ GNSS self-test are indicated by (provide details, e.g. Pass / Fail indicator light, strobe light, etc.)	Pass/Fail LED	Pass/Fail LED
-	The content of the encoded position data fields of the self-test message has default values	Yes	N/A
-	Performs an internal check and indicates that RF-power is being emitted at 406 MHz and 121.5 MHz, if beacon includes a 121.5 Hz homer (Yes or No)	Yes	No
-	Self-test results in transmission of a signal other than at 406 MHz (Yes & details or No)	Yes (121.5 MHz)	No
-	Self-test can be activated directly at beacon (Yes or No)	Yes	Yes
-	List of Items checked by self-test	406/121.5 power, GNSS receiver, battery	GNSS position fit GNSS self test lin
-	Self-test/ GNSS self-test 406 MHz burst duration (440 or 520 ms)	520 ms	520 ms
_	Self-test message length format flag in bit 25, ("0" or "1")	"1"	"1"
-	Maximum duration of a self-test mode, sec	17 s	320 s
-	Maximum recommended number of self-tests / GNSS self-tests during battery pack replacement period (as applicable)	60	10
_	Distinct indication of self-test start (Yes or No)	Yes	Yes
_	Indication of self-test results(Yes orNo)	Yes	Yes
-	Distinct indication of insufficient battery capacity (Yes or No)	Yes	Yes
-	Automatic termination of self-test mode immediately after completion of the self-test cycle (Yes or No)	Yes	Yes
	-	Yes	Yes



Self-Test Mode Characteristics:		Self-Test Mode	Optional GNSS Self-test Mode
<ul> <li>GNSS Self-test results in transmission of a single burst, irrespectively of the test result (Yes or No)</li> </ul>		N/A	Yes
Self-test/ GNSS self-test can be activated from beacon remote activation points (Yes & details or No)	No No		No
<ul> <li>List all methods of Self-test mode and GNSS Self-test modes activation. Provide details on a separate sheet to describe</li> </ul>	Pn	Press TEST button >2s and <10s Press & hold TEST button for 10 s	
Message Coding Protocols:	Tick the boxes below against the intended protocol options		
User Protocol (tick where appropriate)		Maritime with MMSI Maritime with Radio Call Sign EPIRB Float Free with Serial Number EPIRB Non Float Free with Serial Number Radio Call Sign Aviation ELT with Serial Number ELT with Aircraft Operator and Serial Number ELT with Aircraft 24-bit Address PLB with Serial Number National (Short Message Format) National (Long Message Format)	
Standard Location Protocol (tick where appropriate)	X	EPIRB with Serial Number  ELT with 24-bit Address  ELT with Aircraft Operator Designator  ELT with Serial Number	
National Location Protocol (tick where appropriate)	X	National Location: ELT	
ELT(DT) Location Protocol (tick where appropriate)	ELT with Serial Number  ELT with Aircraft Operator and Serial Number  ELT with Aircraft 24-bit Address		
RLS Location Protocol (tick where appropriate) *	EPIRB		



		ELT	
		PLB	
	X	Maritime with MMSI	
X X		Maritime with Radio Call Sign	
		EPIRB Float Free with Serial Number	
		EPIRB Non Float Free with Serial Number	
User Location Protocol (tick where appropriate)	Х	Radio Call Sign	
Carl Estates (the Will appropriate)		Aviation	
	ELT with Serial Number		
		ELT with Aircraft Operator and Serial Number	
		ELT with Aircraft 24-bit Address	
	X	PLB with Serial Number	
Beacon includes a homer transmitter(s) (Yes or No) - homer transmitter(s) frequency and power			
- homer transmitter(s) duty cycle	ıty cycle <u>99.13</u> %		
-duty cycle of homer swepttone		5%	
Beacon includes a high intensity flashing light (e.g. Strobe)	No		
- light intensity		N/A	
- flash rate	N/A		
Beacon transmission repetition period satisfies C/S T.001 requirement that two beacon's repetition periods are not synchronised closer than a few seconds over 5 minute period, and the time intervals betweentransmissions are randomly distributed on the interval 47.5 to 52.5 seconds (Yes or No)			
Other ancillary devices (e.g. voice transceiver, remote control, external audio and light indicators, external activation device). List details on a separate sheet if insufficient space to describe.			
Beacon includes automatic activation mechanism (Yes or No). Specify type of automatic beacon activation mechanism		No	
	_		



Beacon includes a voice-transceiver (Yes or No)  - provides prevention against continuous operation of voice transmitter (Yes or No), and if Yes specify:  - maximum continuous voice-transmission duration (limit), minutes  - Manufacturer-specified total duration of voice-transmitter operation during the declared rated lifetime ("On time"), (hrs)	No
Beacon includes features and functions not listed above, related or non-related to 406 MHz (Yes or No)  List features and use a separate sheet if insufficient space	No
Beacon model hardware part number (P/N) and version	Z424
Beacon model software/firmware P/N, version, date of issue/releases	1001767 issue A01
Beacon model printed circuit board P/N and version	1001488 issue A
Known non-compliances with C/S T,001 requirements(Yes or No)  If Yes, provide details (Submit C/S T.007 Section 5, part t, if applicable)	No
Beacon Manufacturer Point of Contact (POC) for this Type Approval application:	Name and Job Title: Erwan THOMAS Certification and Hardware Engineer Phone: +33 (0)2 91 02 49 83 E-mail: erwan.thomas@orolia.com

Dated: 11/01/2019

Signed:..

Stephane JINCHELEAU, R&D Manager and Marine Design Authority (Name, Postion and Signature of Beacon Manufacturer Representative)



# 1.2.1 Information Provided by the Cospas-Sarsat Accepted Test Facility

Name and Location of Beacon Test Facility: TÜV SÜD Product Service, United Kingdom

Date of Submission for Testing: March 2018

Applicable C/S Standards:

Document	Issue	Revision	Date
C/S T.001	4	3	June-18
C/S T.007	5	2	June-18
C/S T.IP (TCXO)	1	5	Oct-13

I hereby confirm that the 406 MHz beacon described above has been successfully tested in accordance with the Cospas-Sarsat Type Approval Standard (C/S T.007) and complies with the Specification for Cospas-Sarsat 406 MHz Distress Beacons (C/S T.001) as demonstrated in the attached report.<sup>1</sup>

Non-compliances: None	
Deviations: None	
Observations / Notes	
None	
Signed:	Taxsell
Name:	Matthew Russell
Position Held:	Authorised Signatory

14 January 2019

Date:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> If the test results do not indicate full compliance to the above standards, or deviations from the standard test procedures took place during type approval testing, the test laboratory shall modify this statement to identify discrepancies. A complete explanation of such discrepancies should be provided in the test report and the report references identified in this statement.



#### 1.3 PRODUCT INFORMATION

## 1.3.1 Technical Description

The Equipment Under Test (EUT) was a Orolia Limited SAFELINK SOLO PLB as shown in the photograph below. A full technical description can be found in the manufacturer's documentation.



**Equipment Under Test** 

#### 1.3.2 Physical Test Configuration

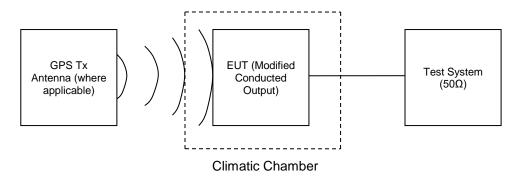
The Equipment Under Test (EUT) was operated using its own power source (internal battery). One EUT was configured so that the antenna port was connected to the  $50\Omega$  test system using a coaxial cable. The test configuration for all tests is identical with the exception of Antenna Characteristics, Satellite Qualitative and Position Acquisition Time and Position Accuracy.

The second EUT was a fully packaged beacon, similar to the proposed production beacons equipped with its proper antenna. This EUT was used to perform Antenna Characteristics, Satellite Qualitative and Position Acquisition Time and Position Accuracy. The test configuration for these tests is a function of the beacon type and the operational environments supported by the beacon, as declared by the manufacturer.

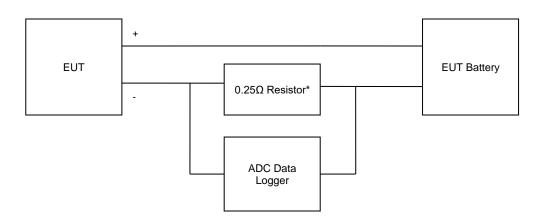


## **System Configurations**

## **Conducted Laboratory Tests**



#### **Battery Current Measurements**



Note: The resistor in series with negative line of battery

\* Removed for Standby mode measurements.

For other Navigation, Satellite and Antenna test configurations, see photographs in section 5 of this report.

## **Further Information**

The EUT is fitted with an internal GPS receiver. From cold start, without GPS signal data present, the duty cycle of the receiver is as described in the manufacturer information. After a 15-minute warm up, electrical and functional tests were carried out for 30 minutes to ensure that measurements were made during periods when the GPS receiver was active and inactive.



## 1.3.3 Modes of Operation

Modes of operation of the EUT during testing were as follows:

#### Off/Standby Mode

- Main switch to "OFF" position. (Activation button not depressed)
- No apparent activity

#### Self-test

- "TEST" button pressed and held for > 2 < 10 seconds
- List of items checked as per Customer Supplied Information (Application Form)
- Navigation data applied at ambient temperature

## **GNSS Self-test**

- "TEST" button pressed and held for 10 seconds
- List of items checked as per Customer Supplied Information (Application Form)
- Navigation data applied as applicable (e.g. none applied for timeout, data applied for 'fast acquisition')

## Operating

- "ON" button pressed until strobe light indicted activation
- 121 Homer active and offset
- GPS operating in normal duty cycle for the following navigation input conditions
- No navigation data applied (unless otherwise stated)



#### 1.4 TEST LOCATIONS

Antenna Test: Hursley EMC Services Ltd. Hursley, Hants, UK Satellite Qualitative/Navigation test A.3.8.2.1: Daedalus Airfield, Lee-on-the-Solent, Hants, UK All other tests: Octagon House Laboratory, Fareham, Hampshire, UK

## 1.5 MODIFICATIONS

The table below details modifications made to the EUT during the test programme. The modifications incorporated during each test are recorded on the appropriate test pages.

Modification State	Description of Modification still fitted to EUT	Modification Fitted By	Date Modification Fitted
0	As supplied by the customer	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
1	Firmware update regarding: User Location test protocol, 121 homing transmitter, firmware update regarding PIE	TUV SUD	06 August 2018

#### 1.6 REPORT MODIFICATION RECORD

Issue 1 - First Issue

Issue 2 – Revised EUT name format. Application form updated as per Manufacturer supplied document. Annex A (manufacturer document) updated as supplied.



# **SECTION 2**

**TEST DETAILS** 

Limited Testing of the Orolia Limited SAFELINK SOLO PLB



#### TEST RESULTS TABLE

					Test Results			
Parameters to be Measured		Range of Specification	Units	Tmin	Tamb	Tmax	Comments	
		Specification		( -20°C)	(+21°C)	(+55°C)		
1. Power Output							Result: Pass	
Model: SAFELINK SOLO, S/N: #10, TU	V Ref: TSR41 an	d Modification State	0				•	
Tananaitta anno ann an tanat	(maximum)	35 - 39	dD	-	37.44	-		
Transmitter power output	(minimum)	35 - 39	dBm	-	37.42	-		
Davida autorit siaa tiina	(maximum)	Ī.,		-	0.07	-		
Power output rise time	(minimum)	< 5	ms	-	0.06	-		
	(maximum)	10	dD	-	-39.51	-		
Power output 1ms before burst	(minimum)	< -10	dBm	-	-40.81	-		
2. Digital Message Coding								
Model: SAFELINK SOLO, S/N: #10, TU	V Ref: TSR41 an	d Modification State	0				•	
Bit Sync	1 - 15	15 bits "1"	P/F	-	Р	-		
Frame sync	16 - 24	"000101111"	P/F	-	Р	-		
Format flag	25	1 bit	bit value	-	1	-		
Protocol flag	26	1 bit	bit value	-	0	-		
Identification / position data	27 - 85	59 bits	P/F	-	Р	-		
BCH code	86 -106	21 bits	P/F	-	Р	-		
Emerg. Code/nat. use/supplem. Data	107 - 112	6 bits	bit value	-	110111	-		
Additional data / BCH (if applicable)	112 - 144	32 bits	P/F	-	Р	-		
Position Error (if applicable)		< 5	km	-	N/A	-		



		Range of Specification			Test Results		
Parameters to be Measured			Units	Tmin	Tamb	Tmax	Comments
		Specification		( -20°C)	(+21°C)	(+55°C)	
3. Digital Message Generator							Result: Pass
Model: SAFELINK SOLO, S/N: #10	0, TUV Ref: TSR41 an	d Modification State 0					
Repetition rate, T <sub>R</sub> :							
Average T <sub>R</sub>		$48.5 \le T_{Ravg} \le 51.5$	seconds	-	49.993	-	
Minimum T <sub>R</sub>		$47.5 \le T_{Rmin} \le 48.0$	seconds	-	47.689	-	
Maximum T <sub>R</sub>		$52.0 \le T_{Rmax} \le 52.5$	seconds	-	52.214	-	
Standard deviation		0.5 - 2.0	seconds	-	1.31	-	
Bit rate							
Minimum fb		≥ 396	bits/sec	-	400.02	-	
Maximum fb		≤ 404	bits/sec	-	400.02	-	
Total transmission time							
Short message	(maximum)	435.6 - 444.4	ms	-	N/A	-	
Onor message	(minimum)	400.0 - 444.4	1113	-	N/A	-	
Long message	(maximum)	514.8 - 525.2	ms	-	522.69	-	
	(minimum)	014.0 020.2	1110	-	522.64	-	
Unmodulated carrier							
Minimum T1		≥ 158.4	ms	-	160.09	-	
Maximum T1		≤ 161.6	ms	-	160.14	-	
First burst delay		≥ 47.5	seconds	-	50	-	



		Range of			Test Results		
Parameters to be Measured	Parameters to be Measured		Units	Tmin	Tamb	Tmax	Comments
		Specification		( -20°C)	(+21°C)	(+55°C)	
4. Modulation							Result: Pass
Model: SAFELINK SOLO, S/N: #10, T	UV Ref: TSR41 ar	d Modification State (	)				
Biphase-L		P/F	P/F	-	Р	-	
Rise time	(maximum)	50 - 250	μs	-	197.4	-	
Nise time	(minimum)	50 - 250	μs	-	195.4	-	
Fall time	(maximum)	50 - 250	μs	-	197.7	-	
i all tille	(minimum)	50 - 250	μs	-	195.6	-	
Phase deviation: positive	(maximum)	+(1.0 to 1.2)	radians	-	1.1356	-	
Thase deviation, positive	(minimum)	+(1.0 to 1.2)	radians	-	1.0836	-	
Phase deviation: negative	(maximum)	-(1.0 to 1.2)	radians	-	-1.1271	-	
Friase deviation. Hegative	(minimum)	-(1.0 to 1.2)	radians	-	-1.0739	-	
Symmetry measurement		≤ 0.05		-	0.0028	-	
5. 406 MHz Transmitted Frequency							Result: Pass
Model: SAFELINK SOLO, S/N: #10, T	UV Ref: TSR41 ar	d Modification State (	)				
Nominal Value	(maximum)	C/S T.001	MHz	-	406.0310767	-	
Norminal Value	(minimum)			-	406.0310765	-	
Short-term stability	(maximum)	≤ 2x10 <sup>-9</sup>	/100ms	-	75.959E-12	-	
Short-term stability	(minimum)			-	58.067E-12	-	
Madium tarm atability Clans	(maximum)	(-1 to +1)x10 <sup>-9</sup>	/minutes	-	52.096E-12	-	
Medium-term stability – Slope	(minimum)			-	-84.652E-12	-	
Medium-term stability – Residual	(maximum)	≤ 3x10 <sup>-9</sup>		-	17.016E-11	-	
frequency variation	(minimum)			-	10.806E-11	-	
6. Spurious Emissions into 50ohms					Result: Pass		
Model: SAFELINK SOLO, S/N: #10, T	UV Ref: TSR41 ar	d Modification State 0	)				
In band (406.0 – 406.1 MHz)		C/S T.001 mask	P/F	-	Р	-	



Parameters to be Measured	Range of Specification	Units	Test Results				Comments		
14. Satellite Qualitative Tests		Result: Pass							
Model: SAFELINK SOLO, S/N:#10, TUV Ref: TS	R41 and Modification Sta	ate 1							
To al Oca formation			Config	uration					
Test Configuration	T.007		5	6 7 8		8	]		
15 Hex ID Decoded by LUT	correct	P/F	-	-	Р	Р	1		
Doppler Location results with error ≤ 5km	≥ 80	%	-	-	95.00	83.33			
15. Antenna Characteristics (EIRP re-calculation of	only)						Result: Pass		
Model: SAFELINK SOLO, S/N: #18, TUV Ref: TS	SR2 and Modification Sta	ite 0							
Test Configuration	As per C/S			Config	uration				
Test Configuration	T.007		1	2	3	4			
Polarisation	linear or RHCP		-	-	Linear	Linear			
VSWR	≤ 1.5		-	-	N/A	N/A	Detachable Antennas Only		
EIRP <sub>LOSS</sub>		dB	-	-	2.27	2.27			
EIRP <sub>maxEOL</sub>	≤ 43	dBm	-	-	42.9	38.8			
EIRP <sub>minEOL</sub>	≥ 32	dBm	-	-	32.9	31.7	EIRP <sub>minEOL</sub> limit decreases to 30 dBm for Configuration 4		



Parameters to be Measured	Range of Specification	Units		Test Results		Comments				
17. Navigation System	Result: Pass									
Model: SAFELINK SOLO, S/N: #10, TUV Ref: TSR41 and Modification State 1										
Location protocol	C/S T.001		National	Standard	User					
Configuration 7										
Position accuracy - A.3.8.2.1	C/S T.001	m	24.2	24.2	1553.3					
Position Acquisition Time - A.3.8.2.1	<10/1	min	51	51	51					
Position accuracy - A.3.8.2.2	C/S T.001	m	35.6	35.6	1553.3					
Position Acquisition Time - A.3.8.2.2	<10/1	min	51	51	51					
Configuration 8										
Position accuracy - A.3.8.2.1	C/S T.001	m	24.2	24.2	1597.4					
Position Acquisition Time - A.3.8.2.1	<10/1	min	51	51	51					
Position accuracy - A.3.8.2.2	C/S T.001	m	24.2	35.6	1597.4					
Position Acquisition Time - A.3.8.2.2	<10/1	min	51	51	51					



# 2.1 POWER OUTPUT

# 2.1.1 Specification

Cospas-Sarsat T.007, Clause A.2.1 (a)

# 2.1.2 Equipment Under Test and Modification State

SAFELINK SOLO S/N: #10 - Modification State 0

# 2.1.3 Date of Test

04 July 2018

# 2.1.4 Test Equipment Used

The major items of test equipment used for the above tests are identified in Section 3.1.

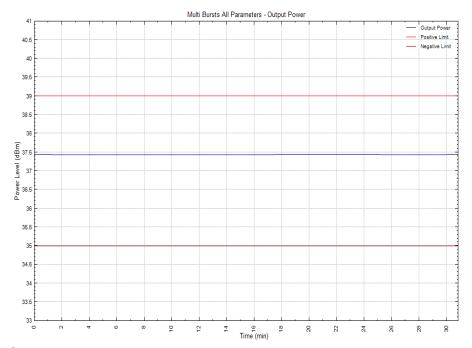
# 2.1.5 Environmental Conditions

Ambient Temperature 24.0°C Relative Humidity 44.6%



# 2.1.6 Test Results

# **Ambient Temperature**



# **Summary**

The EUT complies with clause A.3.2.2 of Cospas-Sarsat T.007.



# 2.2 DIGITAL MESSAGE

# 2.2.1 Specification

Cospas-Sarsat T.007, Clause A.2.1 (b)

# 2.2.2 Equipment Under Test and Modification State

SAFELINK SOLO S/N: #10 - Modification State 0

# 2.2.3 Date of Test

04 July 2018

# 2.2.4 Test Equipment Used

The major items of test equipment used for the above tests are identified in Section 3.1.

# 2.2.5 Environmental Conditions

Ambient Temperature 24.0°C Relative Humidity 44.6%



# 2.2.6 Test Results

Test Duration: 30 minutes

No. of bursts: 38

# **Ambient Temperature**

Message	FFFE2F8	FFFE2F8C9F70465FC0FF01F754779F3C0010							
Hex ID	193EE080	193EE08CBF81FE0							
Position	None - De	efault Values							
Parameter	Bit	Data Bits	Decoded Value						
Bit synchronization	1-15	11111111111111	11111111111111						
Frame synchronization	16-24	000101111	000101111						
Format Flag	25	1	1						
Protocol Flag	26	0	0						
Country Code	27-36	0011001001	Albania (Republic of)						
Protocol Code	37-40	1111	National Test Location Protocol						
National ID Number	41-58	011100000100011001	011100000100011001						
N/S	59	0	Default						
Latitude Degrees	60-66	1111111	Default						
Latitude Minutes	67-71	00000	Default						
E/W	72	0	Default						
Longitude Degrees	73-80	11111111	Default						
Longitude Minutes	81-85	00000	Default						
BCH Code (21 Bit)	86-106	001111101110101010001	001111101110101010001						
Calculated BCH Code (21 Bit)	-	001111101110101010001	001111101110101010001						
Supplementary Data Fixed	107-109	110	110						
Additional Data Flag	110	1	Delta Position						
Encoded Position Data Source	111	1	Internal						
121.5 MHz Homing	112	1	Yes						
Delta Latitude +/-	113	1	Default						
Delta Latitude Minutes	114-115	00	Default						
Delta Latitude Seconds	116-119	1111	Default						
Delta Longitude +/-	120	1	Default						
Delta Longitude Minutes	121-122	00	Default						
Delta Longitude Seconds	123-126	1111	Default						
National Use	127-132	000000	000000						
BCH Code (12 Bit)	133-144	00000010000	00000010000						
Calculated BCH Code (12 Bit)	-	00000010000	00000010000						

# <u>Summary</u>

The EUT complies with clause A.3.1.4 of Cospas-Sarsat T.007.



# 2.3 MODULATION

# 2.3.1 Specification

Cospas-Sarsat T.007, Clause A.2.1 (d)

# 2.3.2 Equipment Under Test and Modification State

SAFELINK SOLO S/N: #10 - Modification State 0

## 2.3.3 Date of Test

04 July 2018

# 2.3.4 Test Equipment Used

The major items of test equipment used for the above tests are identified in Section 3.1.

# 2.3.5 Environmental Conditions

Ambient Temperature 24.0°C Relative Humidity 44.6%

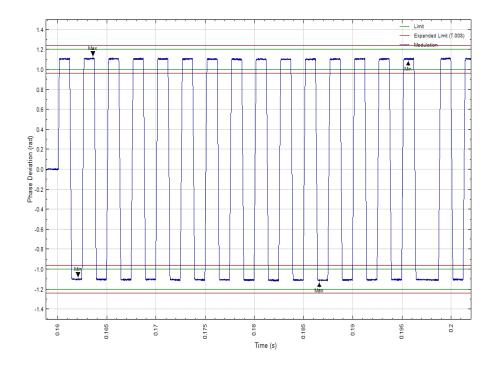


# 2.3.6 Test Results

Test Duration: 30 minutes

No. of bursts: 38

# **Ambient Temperature**



# <u>Summary</u>

The EUT complies with clause A.3.2.3 of Cospas-Sarsat T.007.



## 2.4 406 MHZ TRANSMITTED FREQUENCY

# 2.4.1 Specification

Cospas-Sarsat T.007, Clause A.2.1 (e)

## 2.4.2 Equipment Under Test and Modification State

SAFELINK SOLO S/N: #10 - Modification State 0

## 2.4.3 Date of Test

04 July 2018

## 2.4.4 Test Equipment Used

The major items of test equipment used for the above tests are identified in Section 3.1.

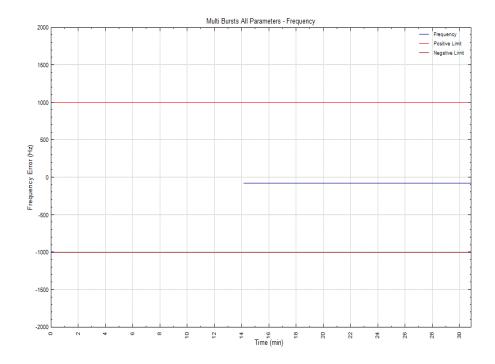
# 2.4.5 Environmental Conditions

Ambient Temperature 24.0°C Relative Humidity 44.6%

#### 2.4.6 Test Results

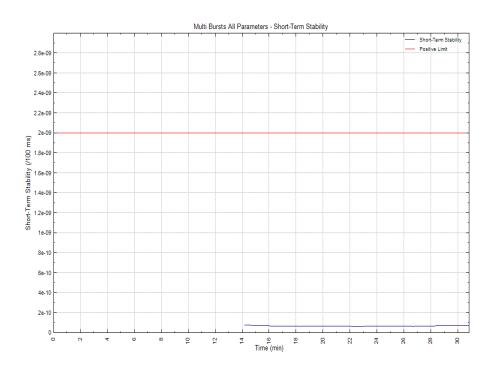
## **Ambient Temperature**

## **Nominal Frequency**

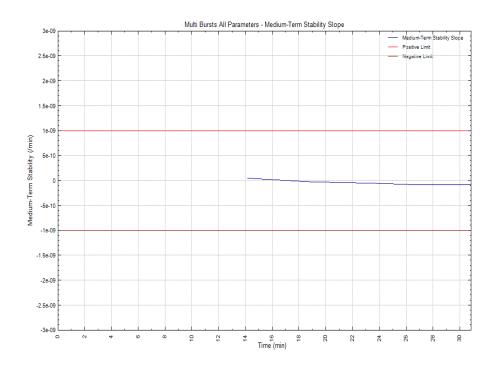




# **Short Term Stability**

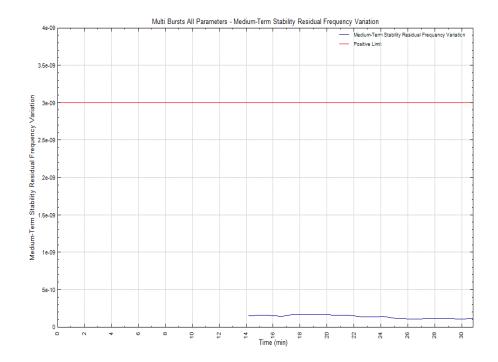


# Medium Term Stability - Slope





# Medium Term Stability, Residual Frequency Variation



# Summary

The EUT complies with clause A.3.2.1 of Cospas-Sarsat T.007.



# 2.5 SPURIOUS EMISSION INTO 50 OHMS

# 2.5.1 Specification

Cospas-Sarsat T.007, Clause A.2.1 (f)

# 2.5.2 Equipment Under Test and Modification State

SAFELINK SOLO S/N: #10 - Modification State 0

# 2.5.3 Date of Test

04 July 2018

# 2.5.4 Test Equipment Used

The major items of test equipment used for the above tests are identified in Section 3.1.

# 2.5.5 Environmental Conditions

Ambient Temperature 24.0°C Relative Humidity 44.6%

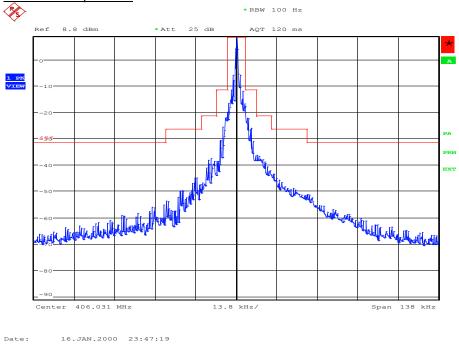


# 2.5.6 Test Results

Test Duration: 30 minutes

No. of bursts: 38

## **Ambient Temperature**



## Summary

The EUT complies with clause A.3.2.2.4 of Cospas-Sarsat T.007.



# 2.6 SATELLITE QUALITATIVE TESTS

# 2.6.1 Specification

Cospas-Sarsat T.007, Clause A.2.5

# 2.6.2 Equipment Under Test and Modification State

SAFELINK SOLO S/N: #10 - Modification State 1

## 2.6.3 Date of Test

29 October 2018 26 November 2018 – 27 November 2018

# 2.6.4 Test Equipment Used

The major items of test equipment used for the above tests are identified in Section 3.1.

# 2.6.5 Environmental Conditions

Ambient Temperature 6.0 – 10.2°C Relative Humidity 49.9 – 93.2%



## 2.6.6 Test Results

# Configuration 7

Test Start: 2018-11-26 15:20:00
Test End: 2018-11-27 10:13:00
15 Hex ID: 193DF380C6FFBFF

Actual location of the test beacon: 50.814305 (Daedalus Airfield, Lee-on-the-Solent, Central) -1.2017598

Satellite ID	Satellite Pass Number	15 Hex ID Provided by LUT	Doppler Latitude	Doppler Longitude	Mean Rx Power (dBm)	TCA	CTA (deg)	Location Error (km)
S12	50512	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.81367	-1.13411	-130.10	17:45:44	-18.940	4.749
S13	32126	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.83242	-1.17216	-140.18	22:59:15	-20.405	2.890
S13	32125	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.81833	-1.19741	-126.18	21:17:58	-4.415	0.538
S11	62810	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.82143	-1.19022	-126.74	21:54:05	-12.061	1.130
S11	62809	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.81817	-1.20525	-118.06	20:13:36	3.633	0.493
S11	62808	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.81959	-1.20569	-121.05	18:34:30	17.382	0.647
S10	69674	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.82700	-1.20151	-128.79	20:07:56	-5.183	1.408
S13	32124	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.81920	-1.22091	-133.90	19:38:10	10.567	1.451
S7	6819	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.82455	-1.19729	-128.85	18:57:40	-7.781	1.178
S10	69673	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.82441	-1.21842	-130.93	18:27:29	9.915	1.620
S12	50511	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.77910	-0.86564	-130.65	16:04:00	-3.050	23.930
S7	6818	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.82579	-1.21486	-129.33	17:17:53	7.511	1.571
S7	6817	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.82404	-1.22388	-136.35	15:39:27	20.354	1.892
S7	6827	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.80259	-1.20480	-128.69	08:46:47	10.658	1.323
S10	69681	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.80363	-1.20867	-131.47	08:24:31	-6.316	1.285
S12	50520	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.80712	-1.20327	-130.67	07:40:48	19.768	0.809
S7	6826	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.80477	-1.21480	-127.71	07:07:17	-4.258	1.404
S12	50519	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.81074	-1.19710	-128.86	06:01:26	6.753	0.515
S7	6825	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.81108	-1.20359	-139.96	05:26:21	-20.179	0.384
S12	50518	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.80897	-1.20522	-130.20	04:20:40	-8.713	0.644

Location Errors greater than 5 km are marked in red text.

Ratio of Successful Solutions

= number of Doppler solutions within 5 km with 1°<CTA<21°
number of satellite passes over test duration with 1°<CTA<21°

$$=\frac{19}{20}$$

= 95.0%



### Configuration 8

Test Start: 2018-10-29 16:05:00 Test End: 2018-10-29 22:45:00 15 Hex ID: 193E0031BF81FE0

Actual location of the test beacon: 50.814305 (Daedalus Airfield, Lee-on-the-Solent, Central) -1.2017598

Satellite ID	Satellite Pass Number	15 Hex ID Provided by LUT	Doppler Latitude	Doppler Longitude	Mean Rx Power (dBm)	TCA	CTA (deg)	Location Error (km)
S13	31728	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.80907	-1.20403	-127.53	22:37:41	-17.057	0.607
S11	62412	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.82295	-1.19123	-125.11	21:34:19	-8.745	1.209
S13	31727	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.82271	-1.12475	-126.45	20:56:45	-1.192	5.485
S10	69279	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.82821	-1.18934	-125.77	20:33:23	-9.786	1.771
S11	62411	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.82639	-1.20987	-125.12	19:54:07	6.698	1.456
S11	62410	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.82104	-1.21259	-116.98	18:15:19	19.805	1.066
S13	31726	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.81859	-1.21778	-129.26	19:17:14	13.403	1.222
S7	6420	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.85904	-1.34299	-126.27	18:59:49	-8.281	11.088
S10	69278	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.83228	-1.21664	-125.51	18:52:31	5.783	2.252
S10	69277	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.82235	-1.21005	-119.08	17:13:03	19.027	1.065
S7	6419	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.82472	-1.21743	-125.43	17:19:57	6.978	1.596
S12	50116	193DF 380C6 FFBFF	50.82219	-1.19575	-125.87	16:27:16	-7.133	0.969

Location Errors greater than 5 km are marked in red text.

Ratio of Successful Solutions

= number of Doppler solutions within 5 km with 1°<CTA<21°
number of satellite passes over test duration with 1°<CTA<21°

=  $\frac{10}{12}$ 

= 83.33%

### Summary

The EUT complies with clause A.2.5 of Cospas-Sarsat T.007.



## 2.7 BEACON ANTENNA TEST

# 2.7.1 Specification

Cospas-Sarsat T.007, Clause A.2.6

# 2.7.2 Equipment Under Test and Modification State

SAFELINK SOLO S/N: #18 - Modification State 0

### 2.7.3 Date of Test

24 April 2018

# 2.7.4 Test Equipment Used

The major items of test equipment used for the above tests are identified in Section 3.1.

## 2.7.5 Environmental Conditions

Ambient Temperature 17.3°C Relative Humidity 54.6%



## 2.7.6 Test Results

## Configuration 3

Lege	nd:	Strike	<del>eout</del>	Under-ra	inge	Over-rai	nge	Vv-Vh <	10 dB	
				Elevat	ion Angle	e (degree	s)			
	10	0	2	20	3	30	4	0	5	C
Azimuth Angle (Degrees)	EIRP dBm	Ant dBi	EIRP dBm	Ant dBi	EIRP dBm	Ant dBi	EIRP dBm	Ant dBi	EIRP dBm	Ant dBi
0	39.1	1.6	41.3	3.9	42.8	5.4	37.4	0.0	35.2	-2.2
30	38.9	1.5	41.1	3.7	42.7	5.3	37.4	-0.1	35.3	-2.1
60	38.9	1.4	41.3	3.9	42.8	5.4	37.6	0.1	35.7	-1.8
90	38.9	1.4	41.3	3.9	42.8	5.4	37.6	0.1	35.4	-2.1
120	38.8	1.3	41.3	3.9	42.9	5.5	37.7	0.2	35.2	-2.3
150	38.8	1.3	41.2	3.8	42.9	5.5	37.5	0.1	35.4	-2.0
180	38.9	1.4	41.3	3.9	42.8	5.4	37.6	0.2	35.4	-2.0
210	38.9	1.4	41.3	3.9	42.7	5.3	37.2	-0.2	35.2	-2.2
240	39.0	1.5	41.4	4.0	42.8	5.4	37.4	0.0	35.6	-1.9
270	39.2	1.7	41.5	4.1	42.8	5.4	37.4	0.0	35.4	-2.0
300	39.0	1.5	41.4	4.0	42.8	5.4	37.5	0.1	35.3	-2.1
330	39.1	1.6	41.5	4.1	42.9	5.5	37.4	0.0	35.5	-2.0

		Elevation Angle (degrees)								
	10	10 20		3	0	40		50		
Azimuth Angle (Degrees)	Vv	Vh	Vv	Vh	Vv	Vh	Vv	Vh	Vv	Vh
0	111.1	93.8	113.0	93.6	113.8	92.0	107.3	90.3	103.6	82.2
30	111.0	93.4	112.8	93.9	113.7	91.9	107.2	90.9	103.7	81.1
60	110.9	93.6	113.0	94.2	113.8	91.5	107.4	91.5	104.1	75.3
90	110.9	93.8	113.0	93.8	113.8	91.2	107.4	92.0	103.8	73.0
120	110.8	93.8	113.0	93.5	113.9	91.1	107.5	91.6	103.6	73.3
150	110.8	93.9	112.9	93.3	113.9	90.7	107.4	90.6	103.8	78.1
180	110.9	93.6	113.0	93.1	113.8	90.4	107.5	90.0	103.8	82.1
210	110.9	93.6	113.0	92.8	113.7	90.7	107.1	89.7	103.6	79.4
240	111.0	93.6	113.1	92.3	113.8	90.8	107.3	89.6	103.9	88.0
270	111.2	93.7	113.2	92.8	113.8	91.5	107.3	89.5	103.8	85.3
300	111.0	93.6	113.1	93.1	113.8	91.6	107.4	89.9	103.7	84.0
330	111.1	93.8	113.2	93.2	113.9	91.6	107.3	90.1	103.8	86.3
Min (Vv-Vh)	16	.9	1	8.8	21	.8	15	.4	15	.9

 $EIRP_{LOSS} = Pt_{ambient} - Pt_{EOL} = 37.44 - 35.17 = 2.27 dB$ 

 $\mathsf{EIRP}_{\mathsf{max}\mathsf{EOL}} = \mathsf{Max}[\mathsf{EIRP}_{\mathsf{max}}, \, (\mathsf{EIRP}_{\mathsf{max}} - \mathsf{EIRP}_{\mathsf{LOSS}})] = \\ \mathsf{Max}[\quad 42.9, \quad 40.6 \quad ] = 42.9 \, \mathsf{dBm}$ 

 $\mathsf{EIRP}_{\mathsf{minEOL}} = \mathsf{Min}[\mathsf{EIRP}_{\mathsf{min}}, (\mathsf{EIRP}_{\mathsf{min}} - \mathsf{EIRP}_{\mathsf{LOSS}})] = \mathsf{Min}[ \quad 35.2, \quad 32.9 \quad ] = 32.9 \; \mathsf{dBm}$ 



### Configuration 4

Legend: Strikeout Under-range Over-range Vv-Vh < 10 dB

		Elevation Angle (degrees)								
	10	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	50	0
Azimuth Angle (Degrees)	EIRP dBm	Ant dBi	EIRP dBm	Ant dBi	EIRP dBm	Ant dBi	EIRP dBm	Ant dBi	EIRP dBm	Ant dBi
0	33.9	-3.5	37.1	-0.3	36.4	-1.1	34.7	-2.8	31.4	-6.0
90	34.2	-3.2	38.0	0.5	37.8	0.3	36.1	-1.3	34.3	-3.1
180	34.9	-2.6	38.5	1.1	38.8	1.4	37.8	0.3	36.2	-1.2
270	34.8	-2.7	38.0	0.6	38.1	0.7	37.2	-0.2	34.4	-3.0

 $EIRP_{LOSS} = Pt_{ambient} - Pt_{EOL} = 37.44 - 35.17 = 2.27 dB$ 

 $EIRP_{maxEOL} = Max[EIRP_{max}, (EIRP_{max} - EIRP_{LOSS})] = Max[38.8, 36.5] = 38.8dBm$ 

 $EIRP_{minEOL} = Min[EIRP_{min}, (EIRP_{min} - EIRP_{LOSS})] = Min[ 33.9, 31.7 ]= 31.7dBm$ 

NOTE: The final results shown for Configurations 3 and 4 have been calculated using the Pt<sub>EOL</sub> value taken from TUV document 75942209 Report 14.

### **Summary**

The EUT complies with clause A.2.6 of Cospas-Sarsat T.007.



#### 2.8 NAVIGATION SYSTEM TEST

#### 2.8.1 Specification

Cospas-Sarsat T.007, Clause A.2.7

### 2.8.2 Equipment Under Test and Modification State

SAFELINK SOLO S/N: #10 - Modification State 1

#### 2.8.3 Date of Test

15 November 2018

### 2.8.4 Test Equipment Used

The major items of test equipment used for the above tests are identified in Section 3.1.

## 2.8.5 Environmental Conditions

Ambient Temperature 13.2 – 14.8°C Relative Humidity 86.1 – 90.8%

#### 2.8.6 Test Results

Position Acquisition Time and Position Accuracy (C/S T.007 A.3.8.2)

Locations:

The appropriate position was applied, the EUT activated and time to first message containing valid position data timed.

#### National Protocol

Configuration as per	C/S T.007 Se	ection A.3.8.2.1	C/S T.007 Section A.3.8.2.2		
C/S T.007	Time to Acquire Position (sec)	Location Error in metres	Time to Acquire Position (sec)	Location Error in metres	
Configuration 7	51	24.2	51	35.6	
Configuration 8	51	24.2	51	35.6	



### **Standard Protocol**

Configuration as per	C/S T.007 Se	ection A.3.8.2.1	.8.2.1 C/S T.007 Section A.3.8.2.2		
C/S T.007	Time to Acquire Position (sec)	Location Error in metres	Time to Acquire Position (sec)	Location Error in metres	
Configuration 7	51	24.2	51	35.6	
Configuration 8	51	24.2	51	35.6	

## **User Protocol**

Configuration as per	C/S T.007 Se	ection A.3.8.2.1	C/S T.007 Section A.3.8.2.2		
C/S T.007	Time to Acquire Position (sec)	Location Error in metres	Time to Acquire Position (sec)	Location Error in metres	
Configuration 7	51	1553.3	51	1597.4	
Configuration 8	51	1553.3	51	1597.4	

Positional accuracy was calculated using the Haversine Formula, The Earth's radius was taken as  $6367\ km$ .

① GPS Site Survey – Live Location

## **Summary**

The EUT complies with clause A.2.7 of Cospas-Sarsat T.007.



# **SECTION 3**

**TEST EQUIPMENT USED** 



## 3.1 TEST EQUIPMENT

List of absolute measuring and other principal items of test equipment.

Instrument	Manufacturer	Type No.	TE No.	Calibration Period	Calibration Due
				(months)	
Section 2.7 Beacons - Ante	nna Characteristics				
Antenna, (Tuned Dipole Set)	Roberts Antenna	A-100	569	-	TU
Spectrum Analyser	Agilent Technologies	E4407B	1154	12	07-Nov-2018
Roberts Antenna 406MHz	Compliance Design		1860	24	06-Apr-2020
Beacon Tester	WS Technologies	BT100S	3263	-	TU
Humidity & Temperature Meter	Radio Spares	1361C	4420	12	21-Jun-2018
Section 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4 Be	acons - Constant Tem	perature Tests			
Power Meter	Hewlett Packard	436A	47	12	03-Aug-2018
Signal Generator	Hewlett Packard	8644A	96	12	04-May-2019
Time Interval Analyser	Yokogawa	TA720	181	12	20-Apr-2019
Termination (50ohm)	Diamond Antenna	DL-30N	337	12	19-Dec-2018
Termination (50ohm)	Radio Spares	613-690	353	12	26-Jun-2019
Attenuator (10dB, 10W)	Weinschel	23-10-34	470	12	18-Dec-2018
Attenuator: 10dB/20W	Narda	766-10	480	12	18-Dec-2018
Power Sensor	Hewlett Packard	8481A	1338	12	31-Oct-2018
Stop Clock	R.S Components	RS328 061	2674	12	13-Jul-2018
Hygromer	Rotronic	I-1000	2829	12	29-Nov-2018
Beacon RF Unit	TUV SUD Product Service	N/A	3066	-	TU
Bandpass Filter	Trilithic	5BE406/35-1- AA	3205	12	08-Jan-2019
Short Circuit	TUV SUD Product Service	Short Cicuit	3272	-	TU
Rubidium Frequency Standard	Symmetricom	8040C	3490	12	11-May-2019
Meter & T/C	R.S Components	Meter 615-8206 & Type K T/C	3612	12	12-Sep-2018
1 metre N-Type Cable	Florida Labs	NMS-235SP- 39.4-NMS	4510	12	10-Jun-2019
Oscilloscope	Yokogawa	DL750	4552	12	09-Apr-2019
Bandpass Filter (1MHz)	KR Electronics	3219-SMA	4602	12	13-Jul-2018
GPS/SBAS Simulator	Spirent	STR4500	3056	12	09-Oct-2018
Section 2.8 Beacons - Navi	gation System				
Beacon Tester	WS Technologies	BT100S	3263	-	TU
Humidity & Temperature Meter	Rotronic	HP21	4410	12	24-May-2019
Section 2.5 Beacons - Spur	rious Emissions	•	•	•	
Attenuator (10dB, 10W)	Weinschel	23-10-34	470	12	18-Dec-2018
Attenuator: 10dB/20W	Narda	766-10	480	12	18-Dec-2018
Hygromer	Rotronic	I-1000	2829	12	29-Nov-2018
Beacon RF Unit	TUV SUD Product Service	N/A	3066	-	TU
Bandpass Filter	Trilithic	5BE406/35-1- AA	3205	12	08-Jan-2019
Rubidium Frequency Standard	Symmetricom	8040C	3490	12	11-May-2019
Signal Analyser	Rohde & Schwarz	FSQ 26	3545	12	14-Mar-2019



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Meter & T/C	R.S Components	Meter 615-8206 & Type K T/C	3612	12	12-Sep-2018		
1 metre N-Type Cable	Florida Labs	NMS-235SP- 39.4-NMS	4509	12	14-Jun-2018		
1 metre N-Type Cable	Florida Labs	NMS-235SP- 39.4-NMS	4510	12	10-Jun-2019		
Section 2.6 Beacons - Satellite Qualitative Test							
Non Conductive Standoff Box	TUV SUD Product Service	-	4966	-	TU		
Copper GRP	TUV SUD Product Service	27cm Diameter	3538	-	TU		
Beacon Tester	WS Technologies	BT100S	3263	-	TU		
Humidity & Temperature Meter	Rotronic	HP21	4410	12	24-May-2019		

Note: some tests took place over one or more days and consequently it may appear that some of the test equipment could have been outside of the valid calibration period at the time of testing. However, we confirm that all equipment held a valid and in-date calibration when used, and we hold this information on record.

TU – Traceability Unscheduled OP MON – Output Monitored with Calibrated Equipment



# **SECTION 4**

# **PHOTOGRAPHS**



# 4.1 PHOTOGRAPHS OF EQUIPMENT UNDER TEST (EUT)



EUT (Front View)





EUT (Rear View)





EUT with antenna deployed





Satellite Qualitative - Configuration 8



Satellite Qualitative - Configuration 7





Position Time and Position Accuracy - Configuration 7



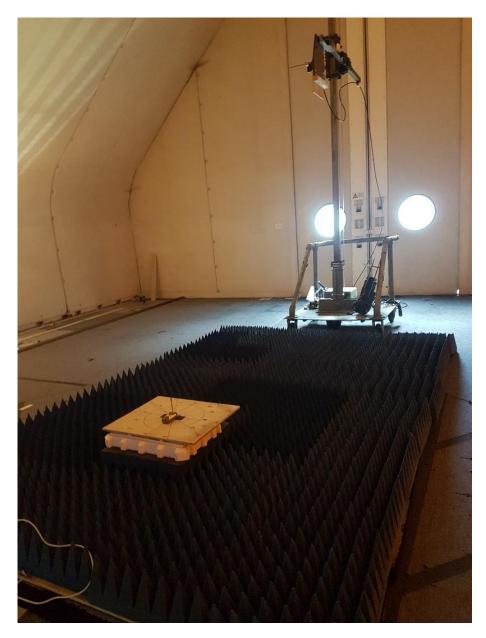
Position Time and Position Accuracy - Configuration 8





<u>Antenna Characteristics – Configuration 3</u>





Antenna Characteristics - Configuration 4



# **SECTION 5**

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## ANNEX A

# **MANUFACTURER SUPPLIED DATA**

# Exhibit 5q - Variants Description

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for beacon models with several variants, a comprehensive description of differences between these variants:

The FAST FIND Personal Locator Beacon (PLB) uses the dedicated 406MHz frequency to transmit a unique ID and precise GNSS location to the global network of search and rescue satellites. It also integrates a 121.5MHz homing transmission to help local rescue researches.

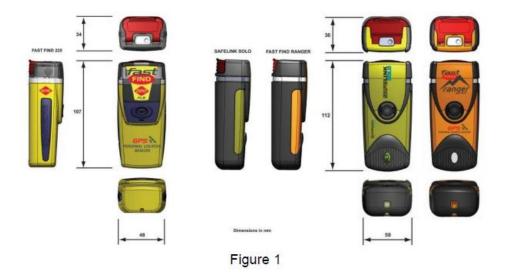
The FAST FIND PLB has 3 existing variants, where electronics is exactly the same :

- Fastfind 220 (Z423)
- FAST FIND RANGER (Z424)
- SAFELINK SOLO (Z424)

There are no functional differences or performance differences between the beacons with different Beacon Model Names.

The differences between those variants consist on minor modifications of the mechanical parts. The FAST FIND RANGER and SAFELINK SOLO are identical, except for the label and color.

Between all these variants, there are two existing mechanical parts with minor modifications as described below:



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	<b>Z</b> 424
Z423 (FF220)	FAST FIND RANGER
91-100-xxxB	SAFELINK SOLO
	91-103-xxxB
PCB and components	Identical
Battery	Identical
Programming software	Identical
Beacon firmware	Identical
Antenna	Identical
Antenna connection to PCB	Identical
Plastic material - Cycoloy	Identical
Weight = 150g	Weight = 165g
Dimensions	Dimensions
LxWxD in mm = 107x48x34	LxWxD in mm = 112x50x36
cover moulding	Minor change to external shape,
cover moditaling	dimensions see figure 1 below
Silicon keypad	Minor change to external shape
Silicon keypad	see figure 1 above
Base plastic moulding	Minor change to external shape,
base plastic moditing	dimensions see figure 1 above
Silicon side grips	None on FF220
Cilicon side grips	see figure 1 above
Lever moulding	identical
Top moulding	identical
Sealing gasket	identical

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