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# **Test Report**

Prepared for: Taser International, Inc.

Model: AX1006

**Description: Body Worn POV Camera System** 

Serial Number: DVR FCC TEST1, DVR FCC TEST4, Controller FCC TEST1

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To

FCC Part 15.247

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#### 15.21 - Information to User

The user's manual or instruction manual for an intentional radiator shall caution the user that changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

#### 15.27(a) - Special Accessories

Equipment marked to a consumer must be capable of complying with the necessary regulations in the configuration in which the equipment is marketed. Where special accessories, such as shielded cables and/or special connectors are required to enable an unintentional or intentional radiator to comply with the emission limits in this part, the equipment must be marketed with, i.e. shipped and sold with, those special accessories. However, in lieu of shipping or packaging the special accessories with the unintentional or intentional radiator, the responsible party may employ other methods of ensuring that the special accessories are provided to the consumer without an additional charge.

Information detailing any alternative method used to supply the special accessories for a grant of equipment authorization or retained in the verification records, as appropriate. The party responsible for the equipment, as detailed in § 2.909 of this chapter, shall ensure that these special accessories are provided with the equipment. The instruction manual for such devices shall include appropriate instructions on the first page of text concerned with the installation of the device that these special accessories must be used with the device. It is the responsibility of the user to use the needed special accessories supplied with the equipment.

# **Standard Test Conditions Engineering Practices**

Except as noted herein, the following conditions and procedures were observed during the testing:

In accordance with ANSI C63.10-2013 and unless otherwise indicated in the specific measurement results, the ambient temperature of the actual EUT was maintained within the range of 10° to 40°C (50° to 104°F) unless the particular equipment requirements specified testing over a different temperature range. Also, unless otherwise indicated, the humidity levels were in the range of 10% to 90% relative humidity.

Measurement results, unless otherwise noted, are worst-case measurements.

Environmental Conditions					
Temperature (°C)	Humidity (%)	Pressure (mbar)			
22.7 – 24.3	25.1 – 35.6	967.8 – 972.5			

# **EUT Description**

#### Additional Information:

The EUT is a wireless POV camera utilizing 2.4GHz WiFi and BLE. It is designed to be used by police officers.

The EUT incorporates a chip antenna with typical peak gain of -6dBi between 2400 and 2500 MHz.

## **EUT Operation during Tests**

The EUT was placed into a test mode by the manufacturer. The manufacturer was present during all testing

## Accessories:

Qty	Description	Manufacturer	Model	S/N
1	Controller	Taser	N/A	N/A

# Cables:

Qty	Description	Length (M)	Shielding Y/N	Shielded Hood Y/N	Ferrite Y/N
1	UFL to SMA	<.2	Υ	Υ	N

Modifications: None

No.	Manufacturer	Part #	Antenna Type	Peak Gain
1	Taser	VGAP-CLB-AS-A1	Chip	-3.0 dBi Typ.

# 15.203: Antenna Requirement:

X	The antenna is permanently attached to the EUT
	The antenna uses a unique coupling
	The EUT must be professionally installed
	The antenna requirement does not apply

# **Test Results Summary**

FCC 15.247 Specification	Test Name	Pass, Fail, N/A	Comments
15.247(b)	Peak Output Power	Pass	
15.247(d), 15.209(a), 15.205	Conducted Spurious Emissions	Pass	
15.247(d), 15.209(a), 15.205	Radiated Spurious Emissions	Pass	
15.247(d), 15.209(a), 15.205	Emissions At Band Edges	Pass	
15.247(a)(2)	Occupied Bandwidth	Pass	
15.247(e)	Transmitter Power Spectral Density	Pass	
15.207	A/C Powerline Conducted Emissions	N/A	EUT is DC powered

References	Description
CFR47, Part 15, Subpart B	Unintentional Radiators
CFR47, Part 15, Subpart C	Intentional Radiators
ANSI C63.10-2013	American National standard for testing Unlicensed Wireless Devices
ANSI C63.4-2014	Method and Measurements of Radio-Noise Emissions from low-Voltage Electrical and Electronic Equipment in the range 9kHz to 40GHz.
ISO/IEC 17025:2005	General requirements for the Competence of Testing and Calibrations Laboratories
KDB 558074 D01 v03r05	Guidance for Performing Compliance Measurements on Digital Transmission Systems (DTS) Operating under §15.247

Conducted Output Power Engineer: Alex Macon Test Date: 10/18/16

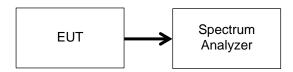
#### **Test Procedure**

The EUT was connected directly to a spectrum analyzer. The Spectrum Analyzer was set to the following:

RBW = 1-5% of the OBW, not to exceed 1MHz VBW ≥ 3 x RBW, RMS Detector Number of points in sweep ≥ 2 x span / RBW Trace average at least 100 traces in power averaging mode

The EUT was set to transmit on the lowest, middle and highest frequencies at the maximum power level. The RF output power was measured using the spectrum analyzer's channel power function. A duty cycle of >98% was achievable for B mode and BLE. A duty cycle of 34% was achievable for G and N Mode. KDB 558074 Method AVGSA-2 was referenced to obtain a correction factor of 4.68 dB. "Add 10log(1/0.34)"

# **Test Setup**



## **Transmitter Output Power**

#### **G** Mode

Tuned Frequency (MHz)	Measured Value (dBm)	Duty Cycle Correction (dB)	Corrected Value (dBm)	Specification Limit	Result
2412	14.07	4.68	18.75	1 W (30 dBm)	Pass
2437	14.02	4.68	18.7	1 W (30 dBm)	Pass
2462	14.11	4.68	18.79	1 W (30 dBm)	Pass

#### N Mode

Tuned Frequency (MHz)	Measured Value (dBm)	Duty Cycle Correction (dB)	Corrected Value (dBm)	Specification Limit	Result
2412	12.17	4.68	16.85	1 W (30 dBm)	Pass
2437	12.15	4.68	16.83	1 W (30 dBm)	Pass
2462	11.90	4.68	16.58	1 W (30 dBm)	Pass

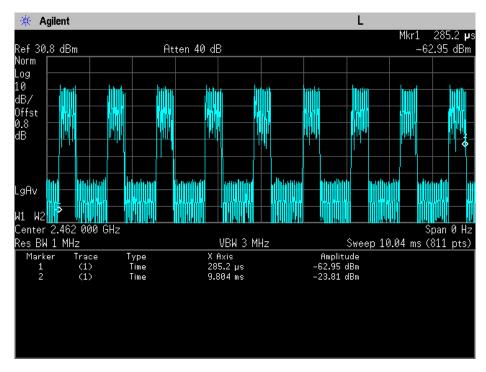
#### **B** Mode

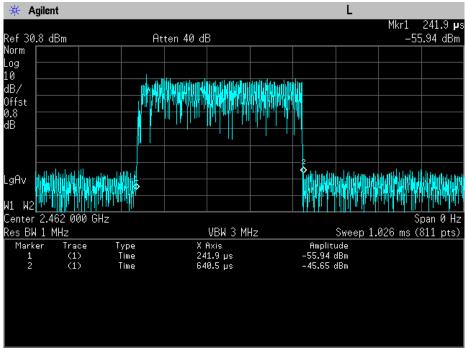
Tuned Frequency (MHz)	Measured Value (dBm)	Specification Limit	Result
2412	18.20	1 W (30 dBm)	Pass
2437	18.23	1 W (30 dBm)	Pass
2462	18.26	1 W (30 dBm)	Pass

#### **BLE**

Tuned Frequency (MHz)	Measured Value (dBm)	Specification Limit	Result
2402	9.41	1 W (30 dBm)	Pass
2440	8.78	1 W (30 dBm)	Pass
2480	8.44	1 W (30 dBm)	Pass

# **Example of Duty Cycle Measurement:**





Conducted RF Measurements (15.209)

Engineer: Alex Macon Test Date: 11/17/16

#### **Test Procedure**

Antenna-port conducted measurements were performed as an alternative to radiated measurements for demonstrating compliance in the restricted frequency bands for 15.209.

The following offsets were added to the measurements:

The maximum transmit antenna gain (in dBi) to the measured output power level to determine the EIRP level A maximum ground reflection factor to the EIRP level, 6 dB for frequencies ≤ 30 MHz, 4.7 dB for frequencies between 30 MHz and 1000 MHz, inclusive and 0 dB for frequencies > 1000MHz.

The following equations were used to determine the field strength from the conducted values.  $E[dB\mu V/m] = EIRP[dBm] - 20 log(d[meters]) + 104.77$ , where E = field strength and d = 3m  $E[dB\mu V/m] = EIRP[dBm] + 95.2$ , for d = 3 meters.

The Spectrum Analyzer was set to the following:

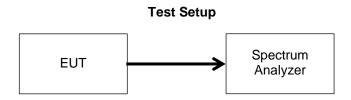
# The Spectrum Analyzer was set to the following for emissions > 1000MHz:

- a. RBW = 1 MHz
- b. VBW ≥ 3 MHz
- c. Detector = Peak.
- d. Sweep time = auto
- e. Trace mode = max hold
  - 1. Note: For emissions where the peak exceeded that of the average 15.209 emission limit the following was performed.
- f. RBW = 1 MHz
- g. VBW ≤ RBW/100 (i.e., 10 kHz) but not less than 10 Hz

# For emissions below 1000MHz the Spectrum Analyzer settings were as follows:

- a. RBW = 100 kHz
- b. VBW ≥ 300 kHz
- c. Detector = Peak
- d. Sweep time = auto
- e. Trace mode = max hold

The EUT was connected to a spectrum analyzer to verify that the EUT met the requirements for spurious emissions. The EUT was set to transmit on the lowest, middle and highest frequencies at the maximum power level. The frequency range from 30 MHz to the 10<sup>th</sup> harmonic of the fundamental transmitter was investigated.



See Annex A for test data



**Radiated Spurious Emissions** 

Engineer: Alex Macon Test Date: 11/21/16

# Test Procedure Radiated Spurious Emissions: 30 – 1000 MHz

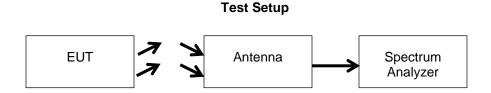
The EUT was setup in a semi-anechoic test chamber set 3m from the receiving antenna. The output of the transmitter was connected to a non-radiating balance load. The EUT was set to transmit on the lowest, middle and highest frequencies at the maximum power level. A spectrum analyzer was used to verify that the EUT met the requirements for Radiated Emissions. The EUT was tested by rotating it 360° with the antennas in both the vertical and horizontal orientation and was raised from 1 to 4 meters to ensure the TX signal levels were maximized.

All emissions from 30 MHz to 1 GHz were examined.

Measured Level includes antenna and receiver cable correction factors.

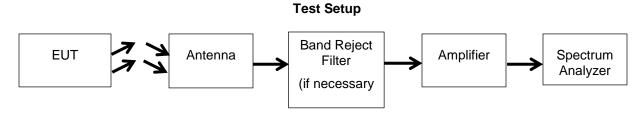
Correction factors were input into the spectrum analyzer before recording "Measured Level".

RBW = 100 KHz VBW = 300 KHz Detector – Quasi Peak



# Test Procedure for Radiated Spurious Emissions above 1 GHz

The EUT was setup in a semi-anechoic test chamber set 3m from the receiving antenna. The output of the transmitter was connected to a non-radiating balance load. The EUT was set to transmit on the lowest, middle and highest frequencies at the maximum power level. A spectrum analyzer was used to verify that the EUT met the requirements for Radiated Emissions. The EUT was tested by rotating it 360° with the antennas in both the vertical and horizontal orientation and was raised from 1 to 4 meters to ensure the TX signal levels were maximized.



\*Note: All modulations and protocols were investigated. Only the emissions associated with the highest amplitude modulation are included.

#### See Annex B for Test Data

**Conducted Spurious Emissions** 

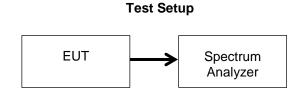
Engineer: Alex Macon Test Date:10/19/16

#### **Test Procedure**

The EUT was connected directly to a spectrum analyzer. The Spectrum Analyzer was set to the following:

RBW = 100 kHz VBW  $\geq$  3 x RBW Peak Detector Trace mode = max hold Sweep = auto couple Frequency Range =  $30MHz - 10^{th}$  Harmonic of the fundamental

The EUT was set to transmit on the lowest, middle and highest frequencies at the maximum power level. The trace was allowed to stabilize. All emissions were investigated to insure they were attenuated from the peak fundamental by at least 20dB. If the average power levels were measured then the out-of-band emissions needed to be attenuated by 30dB. In addition emissions were investigated at the band edges to insure all out-of-band emissions were attenuated 20 or 30dB as necessary.



See Annex C for Test Data



**DTS Bandwidth** 

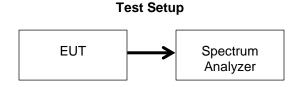
Engineer: Alex Macon Test Date: 10/18/16

#### **Test Procedure**

The EUT was connected directly to a spectrum analyzer. The Spectrum Analyzer was set to the following:

RBW = 100 kHz VBW ≥ 3 x RBW Peak Detector Trace mode = max hold Sweep = auto couple Span = 1.5 x EBW

The EUT was set to transmit at the lowest, middle and highest channels of the band at the maximum power levels. The maximum width of the emission that was determined by the frequencies associated with the two outermost amplitude points (upper and lower frequencies) that were attenuated by 6db and this value was used to determine the width of the carrier. Alternatively the spectrum analyzer's automatic bandwidth capability was used.



See Annex E for Test Data

**Transmitter Power Spectral Density (PSD)** 

Engineer: Alex Macon Test Date: 10/19/16

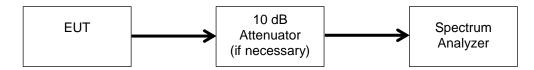
#### **Test Procedure**

The EUT was connected directly to a spectrum analyzer. The Spectrum Analyzer was set to the following:

DTS channel center frequency Span 1.5 x DTS bandwidth RBW =3 kHz ≤ RBW ≤ 100 kHz VBW ≥ 3 x RBW Peak Detector Sweep time = auto couple Trace mode = max hold

The EUT was set to transmit at the lowest, middle and highest channels of the band at the maximum power levels. Once the trace has stabilize the peak marker was used to determine the peak power spectral density.

# **Test Setup**



# **BLE**

Tuned Frequency (MHz)	Measured Value (dBm)	Specification Limit	
2412	-5.42	8 dBm	Pass
2437	-5.20	8 dBm	Pass
2480	-6.21	8 dBm	Pass

#### **B** Mode

Tuned Frequency (MHz)	Measured Value (dBm)	Specification Limit	Result	
2412	-4.45	8 dBm	Pass	
2437	-4.24	8 dBm	Pass	
2462	-4.36	8 dBm	Pass	

# **G** Mode

Tuned Frequency (MHz)	Measured Value (dBm)	Specification Limit	Result
2412	-9.50	8 dBm	Pass
2437	-8.74	8 dBm	Pass
2462	-8.20	8 dBm	Pass

### N Mode

Tuned Frequency (MHz)	Measured Value (dBm)	Specification Limit	Result
2412	-9.60	8 dBm	Pass
2437	-10.15	8 dBm	Pass
2462	-9.69	8 dBm	Pass

See Annex D for test results

# **Test Equipment Utilized**

Description	Manufacturer	Model #	CT Asset #	Last Cal Date	Cal Due Date
Temperature Chamber	Tenney	Tenney Jr	i00027	NCR	NCR
Horn Antenna	ARA	DRG-118/A	i00271	6/16/16	6/16/18
Horn Antenna, Amplified	ARA	MWH-1826/B	i00273	4/22/15	4/22/18
Humidity / Temp Meter	Newport	IBTHX-W-5	i00282	5/26/16	5/26/17
Voltmeter	Fluke	87III	i00319	4/11/16	4/11/17
Spectrum Analyzer	Agilent	E4407B	i00331	10/19/16	10/19/17
Data Logger	Fluke	Hydra Data Bucket	i00343	4/5/16	4/5/17
Vector Signal Generator	Agilent	E4438C	i00348	2/16/16	2/16/18
Bi-Log Antenna	Schaffner	CBL 6111D	i00349	8/3/16	8/3/18
EMI Analyzer	Agilent	E7405A	i00379	2/11/16	2/11/17
3 Meter Semi-Anechoic Chamber	Panashield	3 Meter Semi-Anechoic Chamber	i00428	8/15/16	8/15/19
Signal Generator	Agilent	E4438C	i00457	10/19/16	10/19/18
PSA Spectrum Analyzer	Agilent	E4445A	i00471	8/30/16	8/30/17
Signal Generator	Agilent	E4437B	i00489	3/18/16	3/18/17

In addition to the above listed equipment standard RF connectors and cables were utilized in the testing of the described equipment. Prior to testing these components were tested to verify proper operation.

**END OF TEST REPORT**