



# **Test Report to EN 300 328 V2.1.1**

Wideband transmission systems;  
Data transmission equipment operating in the 2,4 GHz ISM band and using wide band modulation techniques;  
Harmonised Standard covering the essential requirements of article 3.2 of Directive 2014/53/EU

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Manufacturer: Johnson Outdoors, Inc

Model(s): Helix 7x CHIRP MSI GPS G3N

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## **1.0 GENERAL**

### **1.1 Purpose**

The purpose of this report is to demonstrate compliance with EN300 328.

### **1.2 Manufacturer Information**

Manufacturer Information:  
Johnson Outdoors, Inc.  
678 Humminbird Lane  
Eufaula, AL 36027

### **1.3 Product Description**

Product Name: HELIX 7X CHIRP MSI GPS G3N

The Humminbird Helix 7X CHIRP MSI GPS G3N (411080-1M) is a fish finder/GPS product with side imaging sonar capability. It is comprised of a keypad, 7" LCD display, two SD card slots, internal GPS, Bluetooth capability, Ethernet capability, transducer and power cable. All G3N CHIRP model variations are built exactly the same. The non G3N variations do not have Bluetooth. They all differ by installed options, SELV circuits, and languages. The only difference in the -1 (12) and -1M (12X) models are languages included in the model.

HELIX 7 CHIRP GPS G3  
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HELIX 7X CHIRP MSI GPS G3  
HELIX 7 CHIRP GPS G3N  
HELIX 7X CHIRP GPS G3N  
HELIX 7 CHIRP MDI GPS G3N  
HELIX 7X CHIRP MDI GPS G3N  
HELIX 7 CHIRP MSI GPS G3N  
HELIX 7X CHIRP MSI GPS G3N (Tested Variant)  
ICE HELIX 7 CHIRP GPS G2N

Serial numbers: 180731223006

Technical Information:

<b>Detail</b>	<b>Description</b>
Transmit Frequency / Alignment Range	2402 MHz – 2480 MHz
Receiver Frequency / Alignment Range	2402 MHz – 2480 MHz
Modulation Format	GFSK, $\pi/4$ -DQPSK, 8-DPSK
Rated RF Output Power	10dBm (Radiated)
Channel Spacing	2 MHz
Operating Voltage	1.8 VDC
Adaptive	Yes
Antenna Type / Gain:	Surface Mount Ceramic Chip / 0.9 dBi
Type of equipment:	Fixed
Software release:	1.730

Test Sample Condition: The test samples were provided in good working order with no visible defects.

#### **1.4 Test Methodology and Considerations**

No deviation from the test method was applied. The data presented in this report represents the worst case where applicable. All other essential requirements are documented in a separate test report.

For Radiated Emissions, the EUT was programmed to generate a continuously modulated signal. The EUT was evaluated in an orientation typical of normal installation. See test setup photos for more information.

Software Power Setting: +10 dBm

#### **1.5 Modifications of EUT**

No modification of the EUT where required for compliance.

#### **1.6 References**

- ETSI EN 300 328 V2.1.1: Wideband transmission systems; Data transmission equipment operating in the 2,4 GHz ISM band and using wide band modulation techniques; Harmonised Standard covering the essential requirements of article 2.3 of Directive 2014/53/EU.

## **2.0 TEST FACILITIES**

### **2.1 Location**

The radiated and conducted emissions test sites are located at the following addresses:

TÜV SÜD America, Inc.  
5945 Cabot Pkwy, Suite 100  
Alpharetta, GA 30005  
Phone: (678) 341-5900

### **2.2 Laboratory Accreditations/Recognitions/Certifications**

TÜV SÜD America, Inc. is accredited to ISO/IEC 17025 by the American Association for Laboratory Accreditation/A2LA accreditation program and has been issued certificate number 2955.09 in recognition of this accreditation.

Unless otherwise specified, all tests methods described within this report are covered under the ISO/IEC 17025 scopes of accreditation.

The Semi-Anechoic Chamber Test Sites, Open Area Test Sites (OATS) and Conducted Emissions Sites have been fully described, submitted to, and accepted by the FCC, ISED Canada and the Japanese Voluntary Control Council for Interference by information technology equipment.

FCC Registration Number:	967699
ISED Canada Lab Code:	23932
VCCI Member Number:	1831
• VCCI Registration Number	A-0295

## 2.3 Radiated Emissions Test Site Description

### 2.3.1 Semi Anechoic Chamber Test Site

The Semi-Anechoic Chamber Test Site consists of a 20'W x 30'L x 20'H shielded enclosure. The chamber is lined with ETS-Lindgren Ferrite Absorber, model number FT-1500. The ferrite tile 600 mm x 600 mm (2.62 in x 23.62 in) panels and are mounted directly on the inner walls of the chamber shield.

The specular regions of the chamber are lined with additional ETS-Lindgren PS-600 hybrid absorber to extend its frequency range up to 18GHz and beyond.

The turntable is a 2m ETS-Lindgren Model 2170 and installed off the center axis is located 5'6" from the back wall of the chamber. The chamber is grounded via 1 - 8' copper ground rod, installed at the center of the back wall, it is bound to the shield using #8 solid copper wire.

The antenna mast is an EMCO 1060 and is remotely controlled from the control room for both antenna height and polarization.

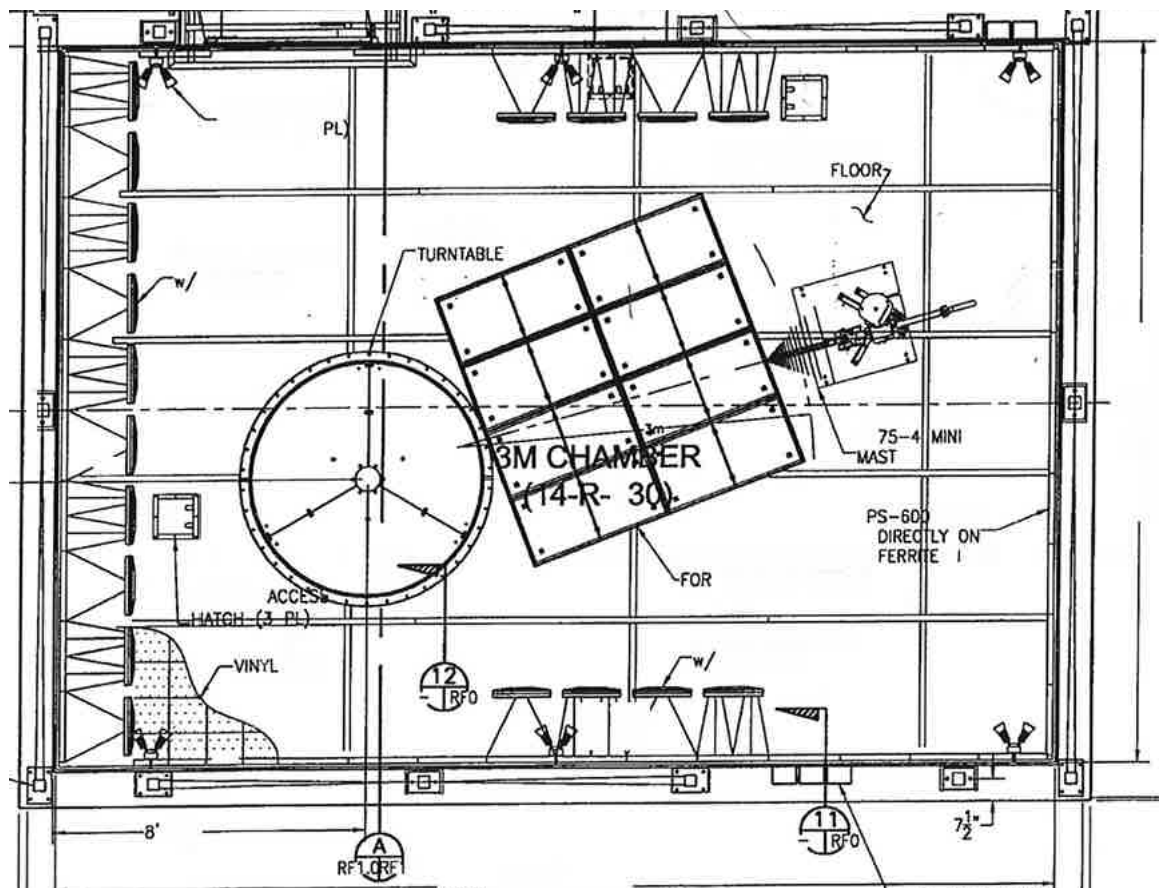


Figure 2.3.1-1: Semi-Anechoic Chamber Test Site

### 3.0 EQUIPMENT UNDER TEST SYSTEM BLOCK DIAGRAM

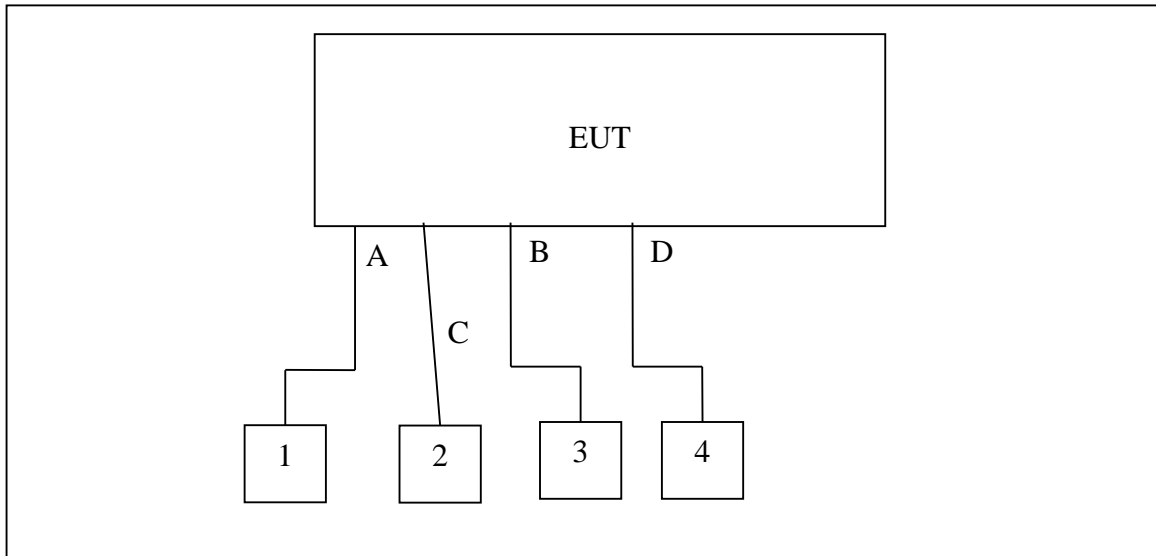


Figure 3-1: EUT System Block Diagram

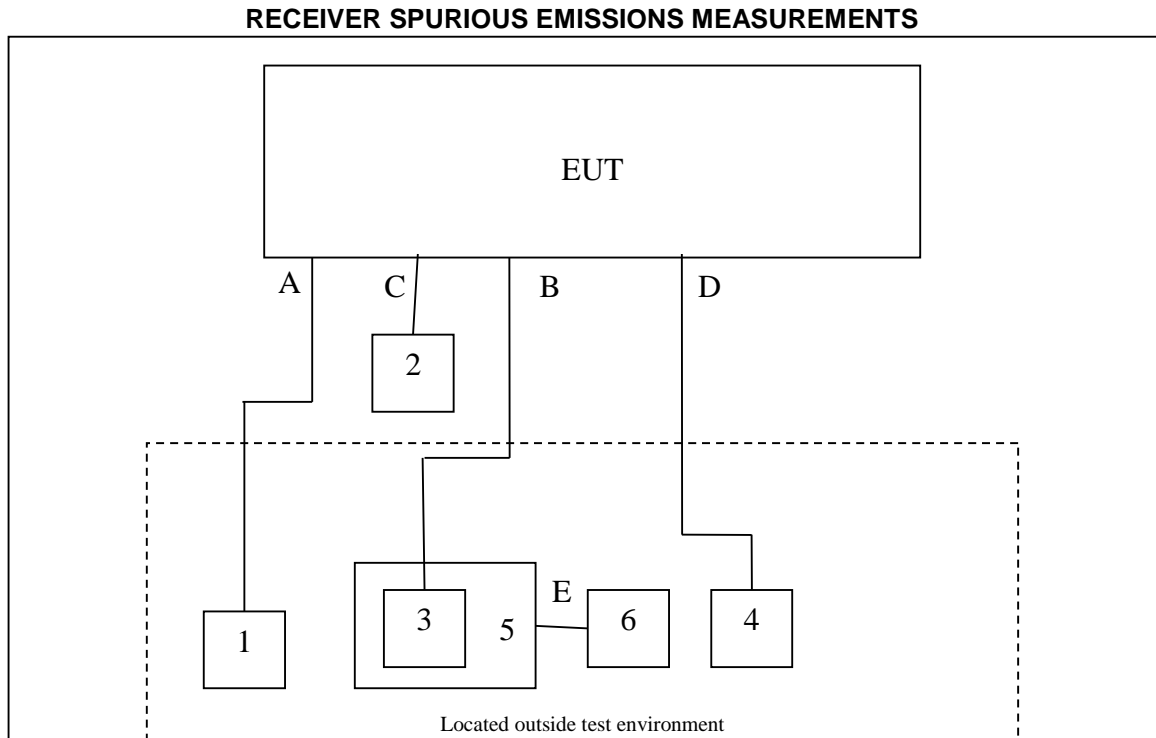
Table 3-1: Support Equipment

Item #	Type Device	Manufacturer	Model/Part #	Serial #
1	External GPS Receiver	Johnson Outdoors	AS GPS HS	14121642-0035
2	Marine Battery	AUTOCRAFT	29HM	N/A
3	Transducer	Johnson Outdoors	N/A	N/A
4	Remote Unit	Johnson Outdoors	Helix 7 CHIRP SI GPS G2N	180424220007

Table 3-2: Cable Description

Cable #	Cable Type	Length	Shield	Termination
A	GPS Cable	600 cm	No	EUT – External GPS Receiver
B	Transducer Cable	600 cm	No	EUT – Transducer
C	DC Power Cable	190 cm	No	EUT – Marine Battery
D	Ethernet Cable	500 cm	No	EUT – Remote Unit

## 4.0 TEST SETUP BLOCK DIAGRAM(S)

**Figure 4-1: Test Setup Block****Table 4-1: Support Equipment Description**

Item #	Type Device	Manufacturer	Model/Part #	Serial #
1	External GPS Receiver	Johnson Outdoors	AS GPS HS	12071842-0039
2	Marine Battery	AUTOCRAFT	29HM	N/A
3	Transducer	Johnson Outdoors	N/A	N/A
4	Remote Unit	Johnson Outdoors	Helix 7 CHIRP SI GPS G2N	160621040008
5	Depth Simulator Transducer	Johnson Outdoors	N/A	N/A
6	Depth Simulator	Johnson Outdoors	N/A	N/A

**Table 4-2: Support Equipment Cable Description**

Cable #	Cable Type	Length	Shield	Termination
A	GPS Cable	600 cm	No	EUT – External GPS Receiver
B	Transducer Cable	600 cm	No	EUT – Transducer
C	DC Power Cable	190 cm	No	EUT – Marine Battery
D	Ethernet Cable	500 cm	No	EUT – Remote Unit
E	BNC Cable	85 cm	Yes	Depth Simulator Transducer – Depth Simulator



## 5.0 CONCLUSIONS, OBSERVATIONS AND COMMENTS

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The results of the tests as stated in this report are exclusively applicable to the EUT as identified in this report. TÜV SÜD America, Inc. cannot be held liable for properties of the EUT that have not been observed during these tests.

TÜV SÜD America, Inc. assumes the sample to comply with the requirements of EN 300 328 for the respective test sector, if the test results turn out positive.

Comments: The provider was responsible for ensuring the test samples provided were representative of final production units.

## 6.0 MEASUREMENT UNCERTAINTY

In accordance with ETSI TR 100 028, measurement uncertainties associated with each test have been estimated and expressed in Table 6-1 below:

**Table 6-1: Measurement Uncertainties**

Parameter	$U_{std}$	$U_{lab}$
Occupied Channel Bandwidth	$\pm 5 \%$	$\pm 0.009 \%$
RF Output Power, Conducted	$\pm 1.5 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 0.349 \text{ dB}$
Power Spectral Density, Conducted	$\pm 3 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 0.372 \text{ dB}$
Unwanted Emissions, Conducted	$\pm 3 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 1.264 \text{ dB}$
All Emissions, Radiated	$\pm 6 \text{ dB}$	$\pm 5.814 \text{ dB}$
Temperature	$\pm 1 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	$\pm 0.860 \text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
Humidity	$\pm 5 \%$	$\pm 0.740 \%$
DC and Low Frequency Voltages	$\pm 3 \%$	$\pm 0.566 \%$
Time (slower than 10us)	$\pm 5 \%$	$\pm 5.000 \%$
Duty Cycle	$\pm 5 \%$	$\pm 5.000 \%$

The expressed measurement uncertainties shown in the above table have been calculated using a coverage factor of  $k=2$  resulting in a confidence level of 95%.

## 7.0 TEST RESULTS SUMMARY

Table 7-1 summarizes the results for the tested EUT corresponding with the essential requirements defined in EN 300 328. Table 7-2 summarizes the frequencies evaluated for each essential requirement.

**Table 7-1: Test results summary**

<b>Harmonized Standard EN 300 328</b> The following requirements and test specifications are relevant to the presumption of conformity under the article 3.2 of the RE Directive					
<b>Test Parameter</b>	<b>Test plan (Yes/No)</b>	<b>Test Result</b>	<b>Test Specification Reference: Clause No</b>	<b>Test Report Page No.</b>	<b>Comment</b>
RF output power	N	--	5.4.2	--	(1)
Duty Cycle	N	--	5.4.2	--	(1)
Tx-sequence	N	--	5.4.2	--	(1)
Tx-gap	N	--	5.4.2	--	(1)
Medium Utilisation (MU) factor	N	--	5.4.2	--	(1)
Power Spectral Density	N	--	5.4.3	--	(1)
Accumulated Transmit Time	N	--	5.4.4	--	(1)
Minimum Frequency Occupation	N	--	5.4.4	--	(1)
Hopping Sequence	N	--	5.4.4	--	(1)
Hopping Frequency Separation	N	--	5.4.5	--	(1)
Adaptivity	N	--	5.4.6	--	(1)
Occupied Channel Bandwidth	N	--	5.4.7	--	(1)
Transmitter unwanted emissions in the out-of-band domain	N	--	5.4.8	--	(1)
Transmitter unwanted emissions in the spurious domain	Y	PASS	5.4.9	12	
Receiver spurious emissions	N	--	5.4.10	--	(1)
Receiver Blocking	N	--	5.4.11	--	(1)

(1) This test was not under the scope of evaluation. Testing was limited to the radiated spurious emissions on the host device integrating a previously evaluated Bluetooth module.

**Table 7-2: Test Frequencies / Results**

Test	Frequency (MHz)	Nominal Power (dBm)	Nominal Bandwidth (MHz)	Result
Tx Spurious Emission	2402.000	10.0	1.000000	PASS
Tx Spurious Emission	2480.000	10.0	1.000000	PASS

## 8.0 TEST RESULTS

### 8.1 Test Results Details

#### 8.1.1 Transmitter unwanted emissions in the spurious domain

Test Conditions		Test Specification Reference: Clause No	Test Equip. Used with Equip Number	Method
Normal		5.4.9	30, 90, 213, 338, 432, 731, 819, 836	Radiated
Tnom	+23 °C			

#### Helix 7X CHIRP MSI GPS G3N – Bluetooth Low Energy

DUT Frequency (MHz)	Frequency (MHz)	level (dBm)	Limit (dBm)	Margin (dB)	Antenna Polarity (H/V)	Result
2402.0000	2398.0000	-78.52	-30.00	48.52	H	PASS
2402.0000	2398.0000	-68.62	-30.00	38.62	V	PASS
2402.0000	4804.0000	-46.01	-30.00	16.01	H	PASS
2402.0000	4804.0000	-56.21	-30.00	26.21	V	PASS
2480.0000	2485.5000	-70.60	-30.00	40.60	H	PASS
2480.0000	2485.5000	-67.10	-30.00	37.10	V	PASS
2480.0000	4960.0000	-46.40	-30.00	16.40	H	PASS
2480.0000	4960.0000	-54.10	-30.00	24.10	V	PASS

\*NOTE: Some of the emissions detected are results of emanations from the digital device or peripheral circuitry and components. Those emissions determined to be directly related to the digital device or peripheral circuitry and components are not included.

#### Helix 7X CHIRP MSI GPS G3N – Bluetooth GFSK

DUT Frequency (MHz)	Frequency (MHz)	level (dBm)	Limit (dBm)	Margin (dB)	Antenna Polarity (H/V)	Result
2402.0000	2398.0000	-64.52	-30.00	34.52	H	PASS
2402.0000	2398.0000	-59.02	-30.00	29.02	V	PASS
2402.0000	4804.0000	-46.11	-30.00	16.11	H	PASS
2402.0000	4804.0000	-56.21	-30.00	26.21	V	PASS
2480.0000	2485.5000	-69.19	-30.00	39.19	H	PASS
2480.0000	2485.5000	-74.40	-30.00	44.40	V	PASS
2480.0000	4960.0000	-46.60	-30.00	16.60	H	PASS
2480.0000	4960.0000	-52.00	-30.00	22.00	V	PASS
2480.0000	7440.0000	-51.53	-30.00	21.53	H	PASS
2480.0000	7440.0000	-56.93	-30.00	26.93	V	PASS
2480.0000	9920.0000	-52.39	-30.00	22.39	H	PASS
2480.0000	9920.0000	-59.99	-30.00	29.99	V	PASS

\*NOTE: Some of the emissions detected are results of emanations from the digital device or peripheral circuitry and components. Those emissions determined to be directly related to the digital device or peripheral circuitry and components are not included.

**Helix 7X CHIRP MSI GPS G3N – Bluetooth 8-DPSK**

DUT Frequency (MHz)	Frequency (MHz)	level (dBm)	Limit (dBm)	Margin (dB)	Antenna Polarity (H/V)	Result
2402.0000	2398.0000	-64.42	-30.00	34.42	H	PASS
2402.0000	2398.0000	-59.02	-30.00	29.02	V	PASS
2402.0000	4804.0000	-46.11	-30.00	16.11	H	PASS
2402.0000	4804.0000	-56.21	-30.00	26.21	V	PASS
2480.0000	2485.5000	-66.20	-30.00	36.20	H	PASS
2480.0000	2485.5000	-59.80	-30.00	29.80	V	PASS
2480.0000	4960.0000	-49.30	-30.00	19.30	H	PASS
2480.0000	4960.0000	-53.80	-30.00	23.80	V	PASS

\*NOTE: Some of the emissions detected are results of emanations from the digital device or peripheral circuitry and components. Those emissions determined to be directly related to the digital device or peripheral circuitry and components are not included.

## 9.0 TEST SETUP PHOTOGRAPHS

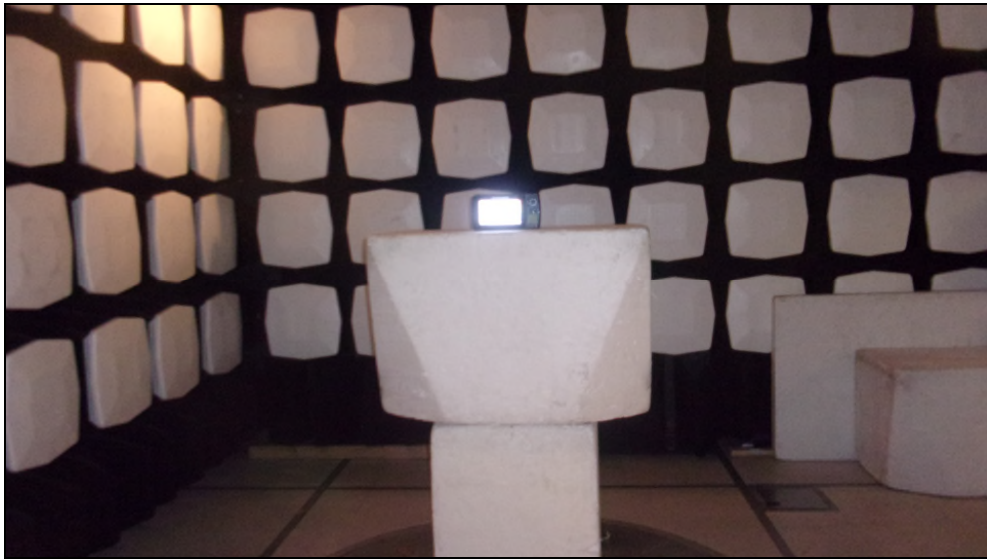


Figure 9-3: Radiated Emissions Test Setup



Figure 9-4: Radiated Emissions Test Setup

## 10.0 PHOTOGRAPHS OF THE EQUIPMENT (UUT)



Figure 10-1: Isotropic View – Equipment Under Test



Figure 10-2: Isotropic View – Equipment Under Test

**11.0 TEST EQUIPMENT**

The calibration interval of test equipment is annually or the manufacturer's recommendations. Where the calibration interval deviates from the annual cycle based on the instrument manufacturer's recommendations, it shall be stated below.

**Table 10-1: Test Equipment**

Asset ID	Manufacturer	Model	Equipment Type	Serial Number	Last Calibration Date	Calibration Due Date
30	Spectrum Technologies	DRH-0118	1-18GHz Horn Antenna	970102	05/09/2017	05/09/2019
90	Electro-metrics	LPA25	LPA Antenna	1476	01/03/2018	01/03/2020
213	TEC	PA 102	Amplifier	44927	7/19/2018	7/19/2019
329	A.H.Systems	SAS-571	Horn Antenna	721	08/03/2017	08/03/2019
338	Hewlett Packard	8449B	High Frequency Pre-Amp	3008A01111	07/11/2017	07/11/2019
432	Microwave Circuits	H3G020G4	Highpass Filter	264066	05/16/2018	05/16/2019
701	United Microwave Products Inc.	AA-190-20.00.0	Cable	N/A	07/25/2018	7/25/2019
731	EMCO	3104	Bicon Antenna	2659	11/09/2016	11/09/2018
819	Rohde & Schwarz	ESR26	EMI Test Receiver	101345	10/31/2017	10/31/2018
836	ETS Lindgren	SAC Cable Set	SAC Cable Set includes 620, 837, 838	N/A	05/01/2018	05/01/2019

**NCR = No Calibration Required**

**NOTE: All Equipment only used during active calibration cycles.**

**END REPORT**