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The present document has been prepared under the Commission's standardization request C (2015) 5376 final [i.4] to provide one voluntary means of conforming to the essential requirements of Directive 2014/53/EU on the harmonisation of the laws of the Member States relating to the making available on the market of radio equipment and repealing Directive 1999/5/EC [i.1].

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# Introduction

Animal Implant Devices (AIDs) and associated peripheral equipment are a technology in the medical field that supports the development of new drugs and surgical procedures that are under development by pharmaceutical firms, medically related research college and university institutions. AIDs provide, on a continuing basis, data related to the physical effects of new drugs and the efficacy of new surgical procedures after the implant is inserted. These animals are typically housed in commercial surroundings such as laboratory environments or similar facilities such as colleges and universities.

The present document is structured as follows:

- Clauses 1 through 3 provide a general description of the types of equipment covered by the present document and the definitions of terms and symbols and abbreviations used.
- Clause 4 specifies the requirements and limits relative to transmitter, receiver, and spectrum access.
- Clause 5 specifies the methods of measurement for the parameters specified in clause 4.
- Annex A (informative) provides the relationship between the present document and the essential requirements of Directive 2014/53/EU [i.1].
- Annex B (normative) provides specifications concerning radiated measurements.
- Annex C (normative) provides technical relationship between the radiating H-field and measurement distance.
- Annex D (informative) bibliography; provides additional information.

# 1 Scope

The present document specifies technical characteristics and methods of measurements for Ultra Low Power-Animal Implant Devices (ULP-AIDs) and Peripherals as used by industry to develop new drugs and surgical techniques that provide improved health care for the benefit of human patients. ULP-AIDs operate in a Communications System using inductive technology in the frequency band 315 kHz to 600 kHz.

	Ultra Low Power Animal Implants and Peripherals service frequency bands
Transmitters - Ultra Low Power Animal Implants and Peripherals	315 kHz to 600 kHz
Receivers - Ultra Low Power Animal Implants and Peripherals	315 kHz to 600 kHz

#### Table 1: Ultra Low Power Animal Implants and Peripherals Operating in the frequency band 315 kHz to 600 kHz

The present document contains the technical requirements for characteristics of ULP-AID and ULP-AID-P radio equipment which are aligned with annex 12 sub-band (c) of CEPT/ERC Recommendation 70-03 [i.3].

The frequency usage conditions for the bands 315 kHz to 600 kHz are EU wide harmonised for the SRD category "active medical implant devices" according to 2013/752/EU [i.6] with the following usage restrictions:

• "This set of usage conditions is only available to animal implantable devices".

The present document covers the essential requirements of article 3.2 of Directive 2014/53/EU [i.1] under the conditions identified in annex A for Ultra Low Power Animal Implants and peripherals used in an implant communications system that supports development of medically related treatments that provide improved health care for patients. It does not necessarily include all the characteristics, which may be required by a user, nor does it necessarily represent the optimum performance achievable.

# 2 References

# 2.1 Normative references

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[1] CISPR 16-2-3 (2016): "Specification for radio disturbance and immunity measuring apparatus and methods. Part 2-3: Methods of measurement of disturbances and immunity - Radiated disturbance measurements".

# 2.2 Informative references

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- [i.1] Directive 2014/53/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 April 2014 on the harmonisation of the laws of the Member States relating to the making available on the market of radio equipment and repealing Directive 1999/5/EC.
- [i.2] ETSI TR 100 028 (V1.3.1): "Electromagnetic compatibility and Radio spectrum Matters (ERM); Uncertainties in the measurement of mobile radio equipment characteristics".
- [i.3] CEPT/ERC Recommendation 70-03: "Relating to the use of Short Range Devices (SRD)".
- [i.4] Commission Implementing Decision C (2015) 5376 final of 4.8.2015 on a standardisation request to the European Committee for Electro technical Standardisation and to the European Telecommunications Standards Institute as regards radio equipment in support of Directive 2014/53/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council.
- [i.5] Recommendation ITU-T O.153: "Basic parameters for the measurement of error performance at bit rates below the primary rate".
- [i.6] 2013/752/EU: "Commission Implementing Decision of 11 December 2013 amending Decision 2006/771/EC on harmonisation of the radio spectrum for use by short-range devices and repealing Decision 2005/928/EC".
- [i.7] CEPT/ERC/Recommendation 74-01E: "Unwanted Emissions in the Spurious Domain".
- [i.8] Radiofrequency Radiation Dosimetry Handbook (October 1986): "USAF School of Aerospace Medicine, Aerospace Medical Division (AFSC)", Brooks Air Force Base, TX 78235-5301.

# 3 Definitions, symbols and abbreviations

# 3.1 Definitions

For the purposes of the present document, the following terms and definitions apply:

**animal implant device:** active implant that includes a transmitter, with or without an integral receiver, that operates in the ULP-AID band that is placed inside the body of the animal for the purpose of performing diagnostic functions and/or delivery of therapeutic treatment

artificial antenna: tuned reduced-radiating dummy load whose impedance is equal to the nominal impedance specified by the manufacturer

**body worn device:** physiologic sensor, holter type device, or other physiological data transfer device containing a transmitter or transceiver intended to be operated in close proximity to the animal body, which has its radio antenna external to the body, and is used to sense and/or transfer, via means of radio frequency transmission, physiological parameters or system programming information

conducted measurements: measurements which are made using a direct connection to the equipment under test

**dedicated antenna:** removable antenna supplied and tested with the radio equipment that is designed as an indispensable part of the equipment

**H-field test antenna:** electric field shielded loop or equivalent antenna, with which the magnetic component of the radio frequency field can be measured

integral antenna: permanent fixed antenna, which may be built-in, that is designed as an indispensable part of the equipment

magnetic dipole moment: product of (Number of coil turns) × (coil area) × (coil current)

NOTE: Air coils only.

**mobile station:** equipment external to the animal body intended to provide communication capability to an active implant device placed within the body

**programmer/controller:** ULP-AID-P equipment used to communicate with an ultra low power animal implant device (ULP-AID)

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radiated measurements: measurements which involve the absolute measurement of a radiated field

**telecommand:** use of radio communication for the transmission of signals to initiate, modify or terminate functions of equipment at a distance

telemetry: use of radio communication for transferring data at a distance

**Ultra Low Power Animal Implant Device(ULP-AID):** active implant transmitter that is designed to radiate RF energy in accordance with the provisions of Annex 12, band (c), to CEPT/ECC Recommendation 70-03 [i.3]

**Ultra Low Power Animal Implant Device Peripheral (ULP-AID-P):** peripheral to an active implant transmitter that is designed to radiate RF energy in accordance with the provisions of Annex 12, band (c), to CEPT/ECC Recommendation 70-03 [i.3]

# 3.2 Symbols

For the purposes of the present document, the following symbols apply:

Е	Electrical field strength
Eo	Reference electrical field strength (see annex B)
f	frequency
Н	Magnetic field strength
Но	Reference magnetic field strength (see annex B)
$\mu_{ m d}$	magnetic dipole moment
Р	Power
R	Distance
Ro	Reference distance (see annex B)
t	time

# 3.3 Abbreviations

For the purposes of the present document, the following abbreviations apply:

ERC	European Radio Committee
EUT	Equipment Under Test
RF	Radio Frequency
RMS	Root Mean Square
SRD	Short Range Device
ULP-AID	Ultra Low Power - Animal Implant Device
ULP-AID-P	Ultra Low Power- Animal Implant Device Peripheral

# 4 Technical requirements specifications

# 4.1 Environmental profile

## 4.1.0 General requirements

The technical requirements of the present document apply under the environmental profile for operation of the equipment, which shall be declared by the manufacturer.

## 4.1.1 Conformance requirements

The equipment shall comply with all the technical requirements of the present document which are identified as applicable in annex A at all times when operating within the boundary limits of the declared operational environmental profile.

# 4.2 Transmitter requirements

## 4.2.1 Radiated Field Strength

#### 4.2.1.1 Definition

The radiated Field is defined as the average level of the emitted H-field in the direction of maximum field strength during the interval of continuous transmission within the operating frequency range of the EUT.

#### 4.2.1.2 Limits

The maximum average field strength of an emission within the band 315 kHz to 600 kHz shall be -5 dB $\mu$ A/m at 10 m. Correction of a peak power measurement by a factor determined by the duration of each pulse and the period of the pulse train at the measurement frequency is permitted to determine compliance with the limit.

#### 4.2.1.3 Conformance

Conformance tests as defined in clause 5.12.2 shall be carried out.

## 4.2.2 Permitted range of modulation bandwidth

#### 4.2.2.0 General

The permitted range of modulation bandwidth, as defined in clause 4.2.2.1, shall not exceed the limits in clause 4.2.2.2.

#### 4.2.2.1 Definition

The modulation bandwidth contains all associated side bands above the following level:

- a) for carrier frequencies in the range of 315 kHz to 600 kHz, at the highest level of either:
  - 20 dB below the carrier; or
  - the appropriate spurious limit, see clause 4.2.3.2.

Where the assigned frequency band has been divided into sub-bands by the regulatory body, the above measuring levels and bandwidths apply inside these sub-bands.

#### 4.2.2.2 Limits

The permitted range of the modulation bandwidth shall be within the limits of the 315 kHz to 600 kHz designated frequency band stated in annex 12 sub-band (b) of CEPT/ERC Recommendation 70-03 [i.3].

#### 4.2.2.3 Conformance

Conformance tests as defined in clause 5.12.3 shall be carried out.

# 4.2.3 Transmitter Spurious emissions

#### 4.2.3.1 Definition

Emissions considered to be in the spurious domain for purposes of the present document are emissions at frequencies outside the modulation bandwidth as defined in clause 4.2.2.1. The level of unwanted emissions in the spurious domain shall be measured only for frequencies below 30 MHz.

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Their effective radiated power or field strength when radiated by a transmitter with integral antenna, if applicable, is determined and any other dedicated antenna supplied by the manufacturer.

#### 4.2.3.2 Limits

Radiated spurious emissions below 30 MHz shall not exceed the generated H-field dBµA/m at 10 m given in table 2.

Table 2

State	Frequency 9 kHz ≤ f < 10 MHz	Frequency 10 MHz ≤ f < 30 MHz
Transmit	-25 dBuA/m	-25 dBμA/m
Standby	-25 dBµA/m	-25 dBµA/m

- Limits are defined in terms of the following reference bandwidths per CEPT/ERC/Recommendation 74-01 [i.7]: 1 kHz between 9 kHz and 150 kHz;
- 10 kHz between 150 kHz and 30 MHz.

#### 4.2.3.3 Conformance

Conformance tests as defined in clause 5.12.4 shall be carried out.

# 4.2.4 Duty Cycle

#### 4.2.4.1 Definition

For the purpose of the present document the term duty cycle refers to the ratio of the total on time of transmission in any one hour period of time under repeated normal operation during the time measurement interval. Whether the duty cycle is fixed or random depends on how the device is triggered.

NOTE: 'Repeated normal operation' is intended to represent that operation of the EUT which results in the maximum possible on time in the final application and may include such abnormal operations as 'stuck keys' in mechanical systems or 'infinite loops' in programmed systems.

#### 4.2.4.2 Limits

In a period of 1 hour the duty cycle shall not exceed 10 %.

#### 4.2.4.3 Conformance

Conformance is based on the manufacturers declaration that the duty cycle limiting requirement of 10 % is met. See clause 5.12.5.

# 4.3 Receiver requirements

## 4.3.1 Receiver Classification

The product family of ULP-AID and ULP-AID-P radio devices are divided into three Equipment Classes see table 3, each having its own set of minimum performance criteria. This classification is based upon the impact on data collection and its impact on the animal and/or experiment results in case the equipment does not operate above the specified minimum performance level. Applicable equipment classification shall be specified by the manufacturer in the test report.

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Receiver class	Relevant receiver clauses	Risk assessment of receiver ULP-AID and ULP-AID-P performance
1	4.3.2	Highly reliable ULP-AID and ULP-AID-P communication media; e.g. serving life inherent systems (may result in a physical risk to a subject or loss of data)
2	4.3.2	Medium reliable ULP-AID and ULP-AID-P communication media e.g. causing inconvenience to laboratory personnel, which cannot simply be overcome by other means
3	4.3.2	Standard reliable ULP-AID and ULP-AID-P communication media e.g. inconvenience to laboratory personnel, which can simply be overcome by other means (e.g. manual)

Table 3

# 4.3.2 Receiver Blocking

#### 4.3.2.1 Definition

Blocking is a measure of the capability of the receiver to receive a wanted signal without exceeding a given degradation due to the presence of an unwanted input signal at frequencies other than those of the spurious responses in adjacent channels or bands.

#### 4.3.2.2 Limits

The blocking ratio, for any frequency within the specified ranges, shall not be less than the values given in table 4, except at frequencies on which spurious responses are found. The limit value is determined by a reference limit (Ref) plus a correction factor (dB) depending of the appropriate receiver classification.

Receiver Generator B frequency offset from band edge Classification		Limit
1	± 2 x receiver bandwidth or 250 kHz whichever is greater	Ref
	± 4 x receiver bandwidth or 250 kHz whichever is greater	Ref
	± 8 x receiver bandwidth or 250 kHz whichever is greater	Ref
	± 20 x receiver bandwidth or 250 kHz whichever is greater	Ref
	± 2 x receiver bandwidth or 250 kHz whichever is greater	Ref -15 dB
2	± 4 x receiver bandwidth or 250 kHz whichever is greater	Ref -10 dB
	± 8 x receiver bandwidth or 250 kHz whichever is greater	Ref -5 dB
	± 20 x receiver bandwidth or 250 kHz whichever is greater	Ref
	± 2 x receiver bandwidth or 250 kHz whichever is greater	Ref -18 dB
2	± 4 x receiver bandwidth or 250 kHz whichever is greater	Ref -13 dB
3	± 8 x receiver bandwidth or 250 kHz whichever is greater	Ref -8 dB
	± 20 x receiver bandwidth or 250 kHz whichever is greater	Ref -3 dB

#### Table 4: Receiver blocking limits

#### 4.3.2.3 Conformance

Conformance test as defined in clause 5.14 shall be carried out.

# 4.3.3 Receiver spurious radiations

#### 4.3.3.0 General

The spurious radiations below 30 MHz, as defined in clause 4.3.3.1, shall not exceed the limits in clause 4.3.3.2.

Measurements above 30 MHz are not required.

#### 4.3.3.1 Definition

Spurious radiation from receivers consists of emissions radiated from the antenna, the chassis and case of the receiver. It is specified as the radiated power or field strength of a discrete signal. Included in this definition are modulation products that are outside the 20 dB down point on either side of the fundamental emission.

#### 4.3.3.2 Limits

The spurious components below 30 MHz shall not exceed the generated H-field in  $dB\mu A/m$  at 10 m according to table 5.

#### Table 5: Receiver spurious radiation limits

Frequency 9 kHz ≤ f < 10 MHz	Frequency 10 MHz ≤ f < 30 MHz
5,5 dBµA/m at 9 kHz descending 3 dB/oct	-22 dBμA/m

## 4.3.3.3 Conformance

Conformance test as defined in clause 5.13.1 of the present document shall be carried out.

# 5 Testing for compliance with technical requirements

# 5.0 General requirement

Tests defined in the present document shall be carried out at representative points within the boundary limits of the declared operational environmental profile. Clause 5 is written to define conditions for individual units to be separately tested. However, it is not intended to prevent a "system approach" to performing the testing where each individual unit in a given system will be operational during testing. Where individual units have differing requirements, the test report shall list and identify the unit separately together with the information showing compliance with the applicable requirement.

# 5.1 Normal test signals and test modulation

## 5.1.0 General requirement

The test modulating signal is a signal which modulates a carrier, is dependent upon the type of equipment under test and also the measurement to be performed. Modulation test signals only apply to products with an external modulation connector. For equipment without an external modulation connector, normal operating modulation shall be used.

## 5.1.1 Normal test signals for data

Normal test signals for data are specified as follows:

D-M2: A test signal representing a pseudo-random bit sequence of at least 511 bits in accordance with Recommendation ITU-T O.153 [i.5]. This sequence shall be continuously repeated. If the sequence cannot be continuously repeated, the actual method used shall be stated in the test report.

D-M3: A test signal that is agreed between the test laboratory and the manufacturer in case selective messages are used and are generated or decoded within the equipment. The agreed test signal may be formatted and may contain error detection and correction.

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For angle modulation, the normal level of the test signal D-M3 shall produce a deviation of 20 % of the channel separation or any other value as declared by the manufacturer as the normal operating level.

In case of amplitude modulation, the modulation ratio shall be 60 %, or any value, as declared by the manufacturer, as the normal operating level.

For other forms of modulation, the ratio and level will be as declared by the manufacturer.

# 5.2 Antenna

## 5.2.0 General remark

Equipment operating in the 315 kHz to 600 kHz band shall have an integral antenna, an external dedicated antenna or both. If provision for an external antenna connection is made, provision shall be made to prevent the use of any antenna other than an antenna or antennas intended to be connected to the equipment by the manufacturer.

## 5.2.1 Artificial antenna

An artificial antenna that simulates the actual antenna configuration specified by the manufacturer may be used only as necessary. The test laboratory and the manufacturer shall agree as to the arrangement.

# 5.3 Test fixture

## 5.3.0 General remark

With equipment intended for use with an integral antenna, and not equipped with a 50  $\Omega$  RF output connector, a suitable test fixture may be used as agreed with the test laboratory, if radiated measurements with the intended antenna cannot be made.

This fixture is a RF coupling device for coupling the integral antenna to a 50  $\Omega$  RF terminal at the working frequencies of the equipment under test. This allows certain measurements to be performed using conducted measuring methods. However, only relative measurements may be performed. The test fixture is normally only required for extreme temperature measurements and shall be calibrated only with the equipment under test.

The test fixture shall be fully described by the manufacturer. The test laboratory, where applicable, shall calibrate the test fixture by carrying out the required field measurements at normal temperatures at the prescribed test site. Then the same measurements shall be repeated on the equipment under test using the test fixture for all identified frequency components.

In addition, the test fixture may provide:

- a connection to an external power supply;
- a connection to a data interface.

The performance characteristics of the test fixture shall be agreed upon with the test laboratory, where applicable and shall conform to the following basic parameters:

- the circuit associated with the RF coupling shall contain no active or non linear devices;
- the coupling loss shall not influence the measuring results;
- the coupling loss shall be independent of the position of the test fixture and be unaffected by the proximity of the surrounding objects or people;
- the coupling loss shall be reproducible when the equipment under test is removed and replaced;

• the coupling loss shall remain substantially constant when the environmental conditions are varied.

# 5.3.1 Alternate test fixture for equipment intended to be implanted within and transmitters worn on the body of the animal

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For measurement purposes, to determine compliance with all emission limits, active implants and transmitters worn on the body may be tested in a fixture that approximates the physical conditions of a transmitter placed in/on a body. This fixture, a torso simulator, with the transmitter mounted inside or outside the fixture as appropriate, shall be filled with a tissue substitute material and placed on the radiated emissions test site turntable with the implant at a height of 1,5 m above the ground plane for testing purposes. The tissue substitute material conductivity and dielectric parameters shall be in accordance with tissue characteristics at the frequency of interest in accordance with clause B.1.1.2. Typically they will be equivalent to those of muscle tissue at the fundamental frequency. The tissue substitute material shall be sufficiently fluid that it will flow around the implant transmitter without creating any voids.

# 5.4 Test sites and general arrangements for radiated measurements

For guidance on radiated measurement test sites, see annex B. Detailed descriptions of radiated measurement arrangements are included in annex B.

# 5.5 Modes of operation of the transmitter

## 5.5.0 General remark

For the purpose of the measurements according to the present document, there should preferably be a facility to operate the transmitter in an unmodulated state. The method of achieving an unmodulated carrier frequency or special types of modulation patterns may also be decided by agreement between the manufacturer and the test laboratory. It shall be described in the test report. It may involve suitable temporary internal modifications of the equipment under test. If it is not possible to provide an unmodulated carrier then this shall be stated in the test report.

For the purpose of testing, the normal test signal, see clause 5.1, shall be applied to the input of the transmitter under test with the normal input device disconnected when possible.

Where technical performance varies subject to environmental conditions, tests shall be carried out under a sufficient variety of environmental conditions (within the boundary limits of the declared operational environmental profile) to give confidence of compliance for the affected technical requirements (see clause 5.11 Interpretation of the measurement results).

## 5.5.1 Presentation of equipment for testing purposes

Each equipment submitted for testing shall fulfil the requirements of the present document on all frequencies over which it is intended to operate. Compliance with this requirement should be shown by testing each unit at the fundamental frequency as declared by the manufacturer.

The manufacturer shall complete the appropriate application form when submitting the equipment for testing. In addition, the manufacturer shall declare the range of operating conditions and power requirements, as applicable; to establish the appropriate test conditions.

Additionally, technical documentation and operating manuals, sufficient to make the test, shall be supplied for all ULP-AID-P and ULP-AID.

Measurements shall be performed, according to the present document, on samples of equipment defined in clauses 5.5.3.1 and 5.5.3.2.

# 5.5.2 Choice of model for testing

The applicant shall provide one or more samples of the equipment, as appropriate for testing.

Stand-alone equipment shall be offered by the applicant complete with any ancillary equipment needed for testing.

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If equipment has several optional features, considered not to affect the RF parameters then the tests need only to be performed on the equipment configured with that combination of features considered to be the most complex, as proposed by the applicant and agreed by the test laboratory.

In the case of integral or dedicated antenna equipment, if the equipment does not have an internal permanent 50  $\Omega$  connector then it is permissible to supply a second sample of the equipment with a temporary antenna connector fitted to facilitate testing, see clause 5.5.3.1.

# 5.5.3 Presentation of equipment that does not have an external 50 Ω RF connector (integral antenna equipment)

#### 5.5.3.0 General remark

This type of equipment will normally be tested by performing radiated tests at 10 m. For devices with very low radiated field levels, measurements may be made at closer distance and the levels extrapolated to 10 m using the procedures in annex C.

#### 5.5.3.1 Equipment with an internal permanent or temporary antenna connector

The means to access and/or implement the internal permanent or temporary antenna connector shall be stated by the applicant with the aid of a diagram. The fact that use has been made of the internal antenna connection, or of a temporary connection, to facilitate measurements shall be recorded in the test report.

#### 5.5.3.2 Equipment with a temporary antenna connector

The applicant may submit one set of equipment with the normal antenna connected, to enable radiated measurements to be made. The applicant shall attend the test laboratory at the conclusion of the radiated measurements, to disconnect the antenna and fit the temporary connector if needed. The testing laboratory staff shall not connect or disconnect any temporary antenna connector.

Alternatively, the applicant may submit two sets of equipment to the test laboratory, one fitted with a temporary antenna connector with the antenna disconnected and another equipment with the antenna connected. Each equipment shall be used for the appropriate tests. The applicant shall declare that the two sets of equipment are identical in all aspects except for the antenna connector.

# 5.5.4 Controls

Those controls which, if maladjusted, might increase the interfering potentialities of the equipment should not be easily accessible to the user.

## 5.5.5 Transmitter shut-off facility

If the transmitter is equipped with an automatic transmitter shut-off facility, it should be made inoperative for the duration of the test.

## 5.5.6 Receiver power save capability

If the receiver is equipped with a battery-saving circuit, this circuit should be made inoperative for the duration of the tests.

# 5.5.7 Declarations by the Applicant

When submitting equipment for testing, the applicant shall supply the necessary information required by the test laboratory.

The performance of the equipment submitted for testing shall be a representative sample of the equipment.

# 5.5.8 Auxiliary test equipment

All necessary test signal sources, test fixtures, specialized test apparatus and set-up information shall accompany the equipment when it is submitted for type testing unless alternative arrangements are agreed to by the test laboratory and the manufacturer.

# 5.6 Normal and extreme test conditions

## 5.6.0 General remark

Testing shall be performed under normal test conditions, and also, where stated, under extreme test conditions. It should be noted that emissions test on active implant devices may, at the option of the manufacturer, be performed using the torso simulator filled with the tissue substitute material at nominal room temperature. The purpose is to facilitate testing at the measurement facility. Measured emission levels at a nominal room temperature of 22 °C are not expected to vary significantly from actual levels measured on an implanted device.

The test conditions and procedures shall be as specified in clauses 5.7 and 5.8.

## 5.6.1 Test power source

The equipment shall be tested using the appropriate test power source as specified in clauses 5.6.2 or 5.6.3. Where equipment can be powered using either external or internal power sources, then the equipment shall be tested using the external power source as specified in clause 5.6.2 then repeated using the internal power source as specified in clause 5.6.3.

The test power source used shall be stated in the test report.

# 5.6.2 External test power source

During testing, the power source of the equipment shall be replaced by an external test power source capable of producing normal and extreme test voltages as specified in clauses 5.7 and clause 5.8. The internal impedance of the external test power source shall be low enough for its effect on the test results to be negligible. For the purpose of the tests, the voltage of the external test power source shall be measured at the input terminals of the equipment. The external test power source shall be suitably de-coupled as close to the equipment battery terminals as practicable. For radiated measurements any external power leads shall be so arranged so as not to affect the measurements.

During tests the test power source voltages shall be within a tolerance of  $< \pm 1$  % relative to the voltage at the beginning of each test. The value of this tolerance can be critical for certain measurements. Using a smaller tolerance will provide a better uncertainty value for these measurements.

## 5.6.3 Internal test power source

For radiated measurements on portable equipment with integral antenna, fully charged internal batteries should be used. The batteries used should be as supplied or recommended by the manufacturer. If internal batteries are used, at the end of each test the voltage shall be within a tolerance of  $< \pm 5$  % relative to the voltage at the beginning of each test. For devices where the batteries cannot be measured or replaced but have telemetry readout of battery voltage, it is acceptable to record the starting and ending voltages as provided by the telemetry readout. This shall be stated in the test report.

If appropriate, for conducted measurements or where a test fixture connected to the RF output port is used, an external power supply at the required voltage may replace the supplied or recommended internal batteries. This shall be stated in the test report.

For equipment, intended to be implanted in a body, that is hermetically sealed it may not be possible to measure the battery voltage directly or indirectly. For this type of equipment, it is not necessary to measure the voltage at the end of each test; however, care shall be taken to ensure that the internal battery supply voltage does not fall below the manufacturer's specification for normal operating voltage range. For battery operated devices, it is acceptable to read the battery voltage via telemetry readout.

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# 5.7 Normal test conditions

#### 5.7.1 Normal temperature and humidity

The normal temperature and humidity conditions for tests for devices external to the body shall be any convenient combination of temperature and humidity within the following ranges:

- temperature  $+15 \degree C$  to  $+37 \degree C$ ;
- relative humidity 20 % to 75 %.

Active implant transmitters operate after implant in the torso of a body. Accordingly, the body tends to serve as an oven to maintain the implant temperature. The actual temperature will vary as a function of the body but is expected to be near 37°C. Allowing for a variation, the normal temperature and humidity conditions for AID transmitters is within the following ranges:

- temperature  $+34 \degree C$  to  $+40 \degree C$ ;
- relative humidity not applicable.

Measured values are not expected to vary within the above range.

When it is impracticable to carry out tests under these conditions, a note to this effect, stating the ambient temperature and relative humidity during the tests, shall be added to the test report.

## 5.7.2 Normal test power source

#### 5.7.2.1 Mains voltage

The normal test voltage for equipment to be connected to the mains shall be the nominal mains voltage. For the purpose of the present document, the nominal voltage shall be the declared voltage, or any of the declared voltages, for which the equipment was designed.

The frequency of the test power source corresponding to the ac mains shall be between 49 Hz and 51 Hz.

#### 5.7.2.2 Regulated lead-acid battery power sources

When the radio equipment is intended for operation with the usual types of regulated lead-acid battery power source, the normal test voltage shall be 1,1 multiplied by the nominal voltage of the battery (e.g. 6 V, 12 V, etc.).

#### 5.7.2.3 Other power sources

For operation from other power sources or types of battery (primary or secondary), the normal test voltage shall be that declared by the equipment manufacturer and agreed to by the test laboratory. Such values shall be stated in the test report.

# 5.8 Extreme test conditions

## 5.8.1 Extreme temperatures

#### 5.8.1.1 Procedure for tests at extreme temperatures

Before measurements are made the equipment shall have reached thermal balance in the test chamber. The equipment shall be switched off during the temperature stabilizing period.

In the case of equipment containing temperature stabilization circuits designed to operate continuously, the temperature stabilization circuits shall be switched on for 15 minutes after thermal balance has been obtained, and the equipment shall then meet the specified requirements.

If the thermal balance is not checked by measurements, a temperature stabilizing period of at least one hour, or such period as may be decided by the test laboratory, shall be allowed. The sequence of measurements shall be chosen, and the humidity content in the test chamber shall be controlled so that excessive condensation does not occur.

If the equipment is incapable of transmitting an unmodulated carrier, an actual digital data sequence or a pseudorandom sequence representative of an actual digital data transmission shall be used to modulate the carrier.

## 5.8.1.2 Procedure for equipment designed for continuous operation

If the manufacturer states that the equipment is designed for continuous operation, the test procedure shall be as follows:

- before conducting tests at the upper extreme temperature the equipment shall be placed in the test chamber and left until thermal balance is attained. The equipment shall then be switched on in the transmit condition for a period of time specified by the manufacturer to be the maximum time the equipment will transmit in normal operation after which the equipment shall meet the specified requirements;
- for tests at the lower extreme temperature, the equipment shall be left in the test chamber until thermal balance is attained, then switched on for a period of one minute after which the equipment shall meet the specified requirements.

#### 5.8.1.3 Procedure for equipment designed for intermittent operation

If the manufacturer states that the equipment is designed for intermittent operation, the test procedure shall be as follows:

- before tests at the upper extreme temperature the equipment shall be placed in the test chamber and left until thermal balance is attained in the oven. The equipment shall then either:
  - transmit on and off according to the manufacturers declared duty cycle for a period of five minutes; or
  - if the manufacturer's declared on period exceeds one minute, then transmit in the on condition for a period not exceeding one minute, followed by a period in the off or standby mode for four minutes; after which the equipment shall meet the specified requirements;
- for tests at the lower extreme temperature, the equipment shall be left in the test chamber until thermal balance is attained, then switched to the standby or receive condition for one minute after which the equipment shall meet the specified requirements.

#### 5.8.1.4 Extreme temperature ranges

For tests at extreme temperatures, measurements shall be made in accordance with the procedures specified in clause 5.8.1.1 at the upper and lower temperatures of one of the following ranges.

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Category	Category I (General) -20 °C to +55 °C			
Category	Category II (Portable equipment for outdoor use) -10 °C to +55 °C			
Category	Category III (Equipment for normal indoor use) (see note 1) 0 °C to +55 °C			
Category	Category IV (Active implant Device transmitters) (see note 2) +25 °C to +45 °C			
	IOTE 1: The term "equipment for normal indoor use" is taken to mean that the room temperature is controlled and the minimum indoor temperature is equal to or greater than 5 °C.			
NOTE 2:	IOTE 2: The term "Active implant transmitters" refers only to equipment that is intended to be placed inside a body during normal operation. The range of +25 °C to +45 °C is the approximate core body temperature variation over which a body can survive.			

The manufacturer may define a different temperature range than specified in table 6 for any category provided the EUT meets the conditions set forth below. For specific applications, the manufacturer can specify wider temperature ranges than given as a minimum in table 6. In this case the test report shall show compliance with the limits in the present document over the extended ranges specified by the manufacturer. This shall be reflected in the manufacturers' product literature. Narrower temperature ranges than given in table 6 may be implemented provided the reduced range is reflected in the manufacturer's product literature and the test report shows that the device implements techniques which do not allow it to exceed the limits specified in the present document over the minimum ranges given in table 6.

The equipment shall comply with all the technical requirements of the present document at all times when operating within the boundary limits of the required operational temperature profile.

For special applications, the manufacturer can specify wider temperature ranges than given as a minimum above. This shall be reflected in the manufacturer's product literature.

The test report shall state which range is used.

## 5.8.2 Extreme test source voltages

#### 5.8.2.1 Mains voltage

The extreme test voltages for equipment to be connected to an ac mains source shall be the nominal mains voltage  $\pm 10$  %. For equipment operating over a range of mains voltages clause 5.7.2.3 applies.

#### 5.8.2.2 Regulated lead-acid battery power sources

When the radio equipment is intended for operation from the usual type of regulated lead-acid battery power sources the extreme test voltages shall be 1,3 and 0,9 multiplied by the nominal voltage of the battery (6 V, 12 V, etc.).

For float charge applications using "gel-cell" type batteries the extreme voltage shall be 1,15 and 0,85 multiplied by the nominal voltage of the declared battery voltage.

#### 5.8.2.3 Power sources using other types of batteries

The lower extreme test voltages for equipment with power sources using batteries shall be as follows:

• for equipment with a battery indicator, the end point voltage as indicated;

- for equipment without a battery indicator the following end point voltages shall be used:
  - a) for the Leclanché or the lithium type of battery:
    - 0,85 multiplied by the nominal voltage of the battery;
  - b) for the nickel-cadmium type of battery:
    - 0,9 multiplied the nominal voltage of the battery;
- for other types of battery or equipment, the lower extreme test voltage for the discharged condition shall be declared by the equipment manufacturer.

The nominal voltage is considered to be the upper extreme test voltage in this case.

#### 5.8.2.4 Other power sources

For equipment using other power sources, or capable of being operated from a variety of power sources, the extreme test voltages shall be according to manufacturers specification.

# 5.9 Test sites and general arrangements for radiated measurements

For guidance on radiation test sites, see annex B. Detailed descriptions of radiated measurement arrangements are included in this annex.

# 5.10 Measuring receiver

The term "measuring receiver" refers to a selective voltmeter or a spectrum analyser. The bandwidth and detector type of the measuring receiver are given in table 7.

Frequency (f)	Detector type	Bandwidth	
9 kHz ≤ f < 150 kHz	RMS	200 Hz to 300 Hz	
150 kHz ≤ f < 30 MHz	RMS	9 kHz to 10 kHz	

Table 7

Unless otherwise stated, the bandwidth and detector type of the measuring receiver given in table 7 shall be used.

# 5.11 Interpretation of the measurement results

The interpretation of the results recorded in the test report for the measurements described in the present document shall be as follows:

- the measured value related to the corresponding limit shall be used to decide whether an equipment meets the requirements of the present document;
- the value of the measurement uncertainty for the measurement of each parameter shall be separately included in the test report;
- the value of the measurement uncertainty shall be, for each measurement, equal to or less than the figures given in table 8.

RF frequency	±1 × 10 <sup>-7</sup>		
RF power, conducted	±0,75 dB		
RF power, radiated	±6 dB		
Temperature	±1 °C		
Humidity	±5 %		
Voltage	±1 %		

Table 8: Maximum measurement uncertainty
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For the test methods, according to the present document the uncertainty figures shall be calculated according to the methods described in the ETSI TR 100 028 [i.2] and shall correspond to an expansion factor (coverage factor) k = 1,96 or k = 2 (which provide confidence levels of respectively 95 % and 95,45 % for the case where the distributions characterizing the actual measurement uncertainties are normal (Gaussian)).

The measurement uncertainties given above are based on such expansion factors.

The particular expansion factor used for the evaluation of the measurement uncertainty shall be stated.

# 5.12 Transmitter measurements

## 5.12.0 General remark

To meet the requirements of the present document, the transmitter shall be measured as a radiated H-field, conducted current or power level as declared by the manufacturer.

Where the transmitter is designed with an adjustable carrier H-field or RF current, all parameters shall be measured using the highest output level as declared by the manufacturer. The equipment shall then be adjusted to the lowest setting, as declared by the manufacturer, and the spurious emissions measurement shall be repeated.

When making transmitter tests on equipment designed for intermittent operation, the duty cycle of the transmitter, as declared by the manufacturer on the application form, shall not be exceeded. The actual duty cycle used shall be stated on the test report form.

If the equipment is supplied with an integral antenna and a permanent antenna connector to be used with a dedicated antenna, the following full tests shall be carried out using the integral antenna and the dedicated antenna connected to the external connector:

- radiated field strength (H-field) (see clause 4.2.1);
- spurious emissions (see clause 4.2.3).

## 5.12.1 Transmitter design specifications

#### 5.12.1.0 Antenna requirements

Transmitters covered by the present document are considered to have internal and/or dedicated external antennas. Transmitters with more than one type of antenna available require testing of all antenna variations. User defined antenna systems are not permitted.

#### 5.12.1.1 The inductive loop coil transmitters

These transmitters are characterized by:

- a) the loop coil antenna area A shall be  $< 30 \text{ m}^2$ ;
- b) the length of any antenna loop element shall be  $\leq \frac{\lambda}{4}$  (<  $\frac{75}{f}$ , where f is in MHz) or < 30 m whichever is shorter;
- c) the antenna coil may have one or multiple turns.

#### 5.12.1.2 Antenna type

The different antenna types are referencing CEPT/ERC Recommendation 70-03 [i.3].

Inductive loop coil transmitter, tested with an attached or other provided antenna as either:

- an integral antenna; or
- a dedicated antenna supplied with the equipment.

The following restrictions apply to these products:

- 315 kHz to 600 kHz frequency range;
- no field customization of the antenna(s);
- loop antenna area  $< 30 \text{ m}^2$ ; and
- the length of any antenna loop element shall be  $<\frac{\lambda}{4}$  (<  $\frac{75}{f}$ , where f is in MHz) or < 30 m whichever is shorter.

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The transmitter carrier and spurious emissions are measured as the maximum generated H-field (see clause 4.2.1.1).

Where a manufacturer supplies a range of standard antennas, the equipment shall be tested with the antenna(s) attached. The measurements shall be repeated for each of such antenna.

## 5.12.2 Radiated Field Strength

#### 5.12.2.1 Radiated H-field

#### 5.12.2.1.1 General remark

The provisions of clause 5.12.2.1.2 are applicable to devices designed to intentionally radiate an inductive (magnetic) field.

#### 5.12.2.1.2 Methods of measurement

- Step 1: The measurements shall be made on an open field test site as specified in annex B. Any measured values shall be at least 6 dB above the ambient noise level.
- Step 2: The H-field produced by the equipment shall be measured at standard distance of 10 m. Where this is not practical, e.g. due to low power of the equipment including the antenna or with use of special field cancelling antenna, then other distances may be used. When another distance is used, the distance used and the field strength value measured shall be stated in the test report. In this case, the measured value at the actual test distance shall be extrapolated to 10 m and stated in the test report. If extrapolation is used, the method of extrapolation shall be stated in the report. More details on H-field measurements at distances other than 10 m are provided in annex C.
- Step 3: The H-field shall be measured with a shielded loop antenna connected to a measurement receiver. The RMS detector shall be used. The measurement bandwidth shall be  $\geq$  the permitted range of modulation bandwidth (see clause 5.12.3).
- Step 4: The equipment under test shall operate where possible, without modulation. If this is not possible, it shall be stated in the test report and a peak level detector shall be used to make the measurement. For transmitters using a continuous wideband swept carrier or stepped frequency function, the measurement shall be made with the sweep or stepping off. When it is not possible to turn the sweep off the measurements shall be made with the sweep on using a peak detector and this shall be stated in the test report.
- Step 5: The shielded loop antenna shall be orientated to one of the 3 possible polarizations (x-/y-/z-axis).
- Step 6: The transmitter shall then be rotated through 360° in the horizontal plane, until the maximum radiated signal level is detected by the measuring receiver and the test antenna height shall be adjusted again for maximum signal level.

- Step 7: The H-Field shall be noted for the measured antenna polarization.
- Step 8: Step 5 to step 7 shall be repeated with the remaining antenna polarizations from step 5.
- Step 9: The maximum radiated H-field is the maximum of the three H-Field values for the different antenna polarizations.
- Step 10: If peak level measurements are made, the average level may be determined by applying a correction factor to the peak level based on the signal waveform. It is calculated by dividing the signal on time by the signal period time.

The measured or calculated power level and frequency will be recorded.

## 5.12.3 Permitted frequency range of the modulation bandwidth

#### 5.12.3.1 General remark

The difference between the frequencies of the upper and lower 20 dB down points, where the displayed power envelope of the modulation including frequency drift is equal to the appropriate level defined in clause 5.12.2 shall be recorded as the permitted frequency range of the modulation bandwidth.

#### 5.12.3.2 Method of measurement

The transmitter test shall be tested with all manufacturer supplied antenna(s). The spectrum analyser shall be connected to a shielded loop antenna placed at 10 meters distance from the transmitter antenna.

The transmitter shall be operated at the nominal carrier power or field strength measured under normal test conditions. The spectrum analyser's attenuator shall be adjusted to an appropriate level displayed at the spectrum analyser screen.

The transmitter shall be modulated with standard test modulation (see clause 5.1.1). If the equipment cannot be modulated externally, the internal modulating signal shall be used.

For transmitters using a continuous wideband swept carrier the measurement shall be made with the sweep on.

The output of the transmitter, with or without test fixture, shall be measured by using a spectrum analyser with a resolution bandwidth appropriate to accept all major side bands. Normally a resolution bandwidth setting of approximately 1 % of the upper and lower 20 dB down points relative to the maximum level of the modulated carrier would be used. The power level calibration of the spectrum analyser shall be related to the rms power level or field strength measured in clause 5.12.2. The 20 dB down data points on either side of the modulated carrier shall be recorded.

The test laboratory shall ensure that the spectrum analyser's span is sufficiently wide enough to ensure that the carrier and all its major side bands are captured in determining the upper and lower 20 dB down points.

The spectrum analyzer will then be set to measure the level of the out of band modulation products above the upper 20 dB down point using a 10 kHz resolution bandwidth and the level recorded. The analyzer will then be set to measure the out of band modulation products below the lower 20 dB down point and the process repeated.

## 5.12.4 Transmitter Spurious emissions

#### 5.12.4.1 Radiated field strength

#### 5.12.4.1.1 Methods of measurement (< 30 MHz)

The spurious field strengths shall be measured for frequencies below 30 MHz. The equipment under test shall be measured at a distance of 10 m on an outdoor test site. The test antenna shall be a calibrated shielded magnetic field antenna. The equipment under test and test antenna shall be arranged as stated in clause B.1.1.

The equipment under test shall be switched on with normal modulation. The characteristics of the modulation signal used shall be stated in the test report. The measuring receiver shall be tuned over the frequency range 9 kHz to 30 MHz, exclusive of the operating frequency range, in which the transmitter is operating.

At each frequency at which a relevant spurious signal is detected the equipment under test and the test antenna shall be rotated until maximum field strength is indicated on the measuring receiver using a measurement bandwidth as specified in clause 5.10. The level measured and frequency shall be recorded.

If the transmitter can be operated in the standby mode, then the measurements shall be repeated in the standby mode.

## 5.12.5 Duty cycle

#### 5.12.5.1 Declaration

For software controlled or pre-programmed devices, the manufacturer shall declare the duty cycle for the equipment under test.

For manually activated or event dependant devices, with or without software controlled functions, the manufacturer shall declare whether the device once triggered, follows a pre-programmed cycle, or whether the transmission is constant until the activation mechanism is released or otherwise reset. The manufacturer shall also give a description of the application for the device and include a typical usage pattern for maximizing duty cycle that would occur in a period of 1 hour. The typical usage pattern as declared by the manufacturer shall be used to determine the duty cycle. Where an acknowledgement is required, the additional transmitter on-time shall be included and declared by the manufacturer.

# 5.13 Receiver Requirement

## 5.13.1 Receiver spurious radiation

#### 5.13.1.1 General remark

Spurious emission levels from a transmitter and receiver of duplex equipment using a common port are measured and the test needs to be conducted on each function (see clause 5.12.4).

#### 5.13.1.2 Methods of measurement

The field strength shall be measured for frequencies below 30 MHz. The equipment under test shall be measured at a distance of 10 m on an outdoor test site with a receiver using a resolution bandwidth as stated in clause 5.10. The test antenna shall be a calibrated shielded magnetic field antenna. The equipment under test and test antenna shall be arranged as stated in clause B.1.1.

The equipment under test shall be switched on with normal modulation. The characteristics of the modulation signal used shall be stated in the test report. The measuring receiver shall be tuned over the frequency range 9 kHz to 30 MHz.

At each frequency at which a relevant spurious signal is detected the equipment under test and the test antenna shall be rotated until maximum field strength is indicated on the measuring receiver. This level and frequency shall be recorded.

# 5.14 Receiver Blocking

## 5.14.1 Measurement procedure

This measurement shall be conducted under normal conditions.

- Step 1: If possible, two signal generators A and B shall be connected and via a combining network to the receiver either:
  - a) a test fixture or a test antenna that close couples to the receiver integral or dedicated antenna; or
  - b) a test fixture directly to the receiver permanent or temporary antenna connector.

If this is not possible the method of coupling to the receiver shall be stated in the test report.

- Step 2: Signal generator A shall be at the nominal frequency of the receiver, with normal modulation of the wanted signal. Signal generator B shall be unmodulated. Initially signal generator B shall be switched off.
- Step 3: Signal generator A should then be switched on until the wanted criterion is just met: the wanted criterion is considered to be met as long as the receiver always protects the *well being of the animal*. For example, techniques that accomplish this protection may detect and mark corrupted data as invalid data. If the data link ceases functioning during this phase of the testing the manufacturer may inform the user that the non-functionality of the device can be easily overcome my other means such as use of a veterinary blood pressure monitor or inspection of the data stream. The nature of the technique used to protect the animal and the level at which it functions to provide this protection shall be stated in the test report.
- Step 4: The output level of signal generator A shall then be increased by 3 dB if possible. In some cases it may not be possible to use an external modulated source in which case the wanted signal (A) shall be the normal signal level from the implant for reference purposes.
- Step 5: The output power of signal generator A should be noted.
- Step 6: Signal generator B is then switched on at a test frequency from clause 4.3.2.2 and adjusted until the wanted criteria are just met.
- Step 7: The output power of signal generator B should be noted.
- Step 8: The blocking level shall be recorded as the difference between the power level from step 7 and step 5 (step 7 step 5).
- Step 9: The measurements step 1 to step 8 shall be repeated at all test frequencies specified in clause 4.3.2.2.

# Annex A (informative): Relationship between the present document and the essential requirements of Directive 2014/53/EU

The present document has been prepared under the Commission's standardization request C (2015) 5376 final [i.4] to provide one voluntary means of conforming to the essential requirements of Directive 2014/53/EU on the harmonisation of the laws of the Member States relating to the making available on the market of radio equipment and repealing Directive 1999/5/EC [i.1].

Once the present document is cited in the Official Journal of the European Union under that Directive, compliance with the normative clauses of the present document given in table A.1 confers, within the limits of the scope of the present document, a presumption of conformity with the corresponding essential requirements of that Directive, and associated EFTA regulations.

	Harmonised Standard ETSI EN 302 536				
Requirement			Requ	Requirement Conditionality	
No	Description	Reference: Clause No	U/C	Condition	
1	Radiated Field Strength	4.2.1	U		
2	Permitted range of modulation bandwidth	4.2.2	U		
3	Transmiter Spurious emissions	4.2.3	U		
4	Duty cycle	4.2.4	U		
5	Receiver blocking	4.3.2	U		
6	Receiver spurious radiations	4.3.3	U		

# Table A.1: Relationship between the present document and the essential requirements of Directive 2014/53/EU

#### Key to columns:

#### **Requirement:**

**No** A unique identifier for one row of the table which may be used to identify a requirement.

**Description** A textual reference to the requirement.

#### Clause(s) of the present document

Identification of clause(s) defining the requirement in the present document unless another document is referenced explicitly.

#### **Requirement Conditionality:**

- U/C Indicates whether the requirement is unconditionally applicable (U) or is conditional upon the manufacturer's claimed functionality of the equipment (C).
- **Condition** Explains the conditions when the requirement is or is not applicable for a requirement which is classified "conditional".

Presumption of conformity stays valid only as long as a reference to the present document is maintained in the list published in the Official Journal of the European Union. Users of the present document should consult frequently the latest list published in the Official Journal of the European Union.

Other Union legislation may be applicable to the product(s) falling within the scope of the present document.

# Annex B (normative): Radiated measurements

# B.1 Test sites and general arrangements for measurements involving the use of radiated fields

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# B.1.1 Outdoor test site

## B.1.1.0 General remarks

The outdoor test site shall be on a reasonably level surface or ground. For measurements at frequencies below 30 MHz no artificial ground plane shall be used and the measurement antenna shall be of a shielded loop type and placed on a table of 1 m height placed 10 m from the EUT. Closer distances are permitted if measurements of low level emissions are performed. For measurements at frequencies 30 MHz and above, a conducting ground plane of at least 5 m diameter shall be provided at one point on the site. In the middle of this ground plane, a non-conducting support, capable of rotation through 360° in the horizontal plane, shall be used to support the test sample in its standard position, at 1 m above the ground plane, with the exception of equipment with floor standing antenna. For this equipment, the antenna shall be raised, on a non-conducting support, 100 mm above the turntable, and the point of contact being consistent with normal use. The test site shall be large enough to allow the erection of a measuring or transmitting antenna at a distance of 10 m or optionally 30 m. The distance actually used shall be recorded with the results of the tests carried out on the site.

Sufficient precautions shall be taken to ensure that reflections from extraneous objects adjacent to the site do not degrade the measurement results according to the specification of CISPR 16-2-3 [1].

#### Figure B.1: Void.

## B.1.1.1 Standard position

The standard position in all test sites, except for equipment which is intended to be worn on a person, shall be as follows:

For purposes of the present document any equipment undergoing conformity testing based on use of the present document, should interpret any references to man or humans as a reference to an animal:

- for equipment with an integral antenna, it shall be placed in the position closest to normal use as declared by the manufacturer;
- for equipment with a rigid external rod antenna, the antenna shall be vertical and for an external magnetic field loop antenna for measurements below 30 MHz a calibrated loop antenna shall be used;
- for equipment with non-rigid external antenna, the antenna shall be extended vertically upwards by a non-conducting support.

For equipment intended to be worn close to the animals body, the non-conducting support may, at the request of the manufacturer be replaced with a simulated animal, if appropriate. The use of the simulated animal shall be stated in the test report.

The simulated animal shall consist of an acrylic tube, filled with salt water (1,5 grams NaCl per litre of distilled water). The tube shall have a length of 1,7 m  $\pm$  0,1 m and an internal diameter of 300 mm  $\pm$  5 mm with side wall thickness of 1,5 mm  $\pm$  0,5 mm.

To reduce the weight of the simulated animal it may be possible to use an alternative tube, which has a hollow centre of 200 mm maximum diameter.

The sample shall be fixed to the surface of the simulated animal, at the appropriate height for the intended use of the equipment.

## B.1.1.2 Equipment in close proximity to the animal body but external to it

The following provisions apply to equipment designed to be external to but in very close proximity to an animals body.

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For programmer/control equipment intended to be worn close to the body or hand held, the non-conducting support may, at the request of the applicant be replaced with a simulated animal, if appropriate. The use of the simulated animal shall be stated in the test report.

The simulated animal for equipment external to the body, if requested by the manufacturer, shall consist of an acrylic tube, filled with salt water (1,5 g NaCl per litre of distilled water). The tube shall have a length of 1,7 m  $\pm$  0,1 m and an internal diameter of 300 mm  $\pm$  5 mm with side wall thickness of 1,5 mm  $\pm$  0,5 mm.

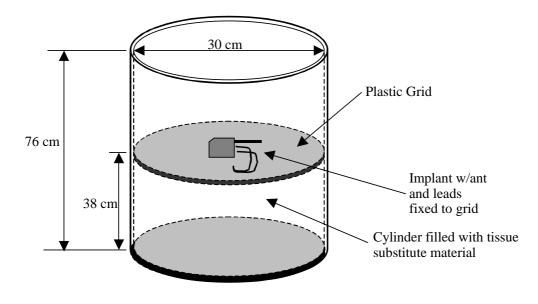
To reduce the weight of the simulated animal it may be possible to use an alternative tube that has a hollow centre of 200 mm maximum diameter.

The sample shall be fixed to the surface of the simulated animal, at the appropriate height for the equipment.

The following provisions apply to equipment designed to be implanted in an animal's body.

#### B.1.1.3 Active medical implant equipment (ULP-AID)

Equipment intended to be implanted in a animals body for purposes of the present document should be tested in a simulated animal constructed as follows in order to simulate operation of the implant under actual operating conditions as shown in figure B.2.





A torso simulator for testing animal implant transmitters consists of a cylindrical Plexiglas container with a size of  $30 \text{ cm} \pm 0.5 \text{ cm}$  by 76 cm  $\pm 0.5 \text{ cm}$  with a sidewall thickness of 0.635 cm  $\pm 0.05 \text{ cm}$ . It shall be completely filled with a material that is sufficiently fluid that it will flow around the implant without any voids.

The dielectric and conductivity properties of this material should match the dielectric and conductivity properties of animal muscle tissue, typical of the expected animal application, at the centre frequency of operation or, if desired, at the measurement frequency.

All radiated emissions measurements will be made using the above torso simulator with the tissue substitute material at a nominal temperature between 22 °C and 38 °C.

NOTE 1: This temperature will facilitate testing because it is representative of ambient conditions at many test sites.

A mounting fixture for the implant inside the container shall be provided that permits the radiating element or elements of the implant to be positioned vertically and horizontally. The fixture should also support any additional implant leads associated with the therapeutic function of the implant in a fixed repeatable manner such that they do not influence the measurement.

NOTE 2: In this frequency range, implant antennas are normally enclosed with the case of the implant.

For testing purposes the side of the implant case that is in closest proximity to the internal antenna shall be mounted in a vertical plane no further than  $6 \text{ cm} \pm 0.5 \text{ cm}$  from the sidewall of the container and centred vertically within the container. When switching from vertical to horizontal positioning, the implant case shall be mounted as above except the side of the case shall be mounted in a horizontal plane. In this case it may be necessary to reposition the implant to maintain a separation as above no greater than  $6 \text{ cm} \pm 0.5 \text{ cm}$  from the sidewall of the test fixture along its length. Implant leads shall be coiled and placed away from the implant antenna while maintaining a nominal 6 cm from the sidewall.

The above fixture shall be placed on a turntable such that the implant transmitter is located at a nominal 1,5 m above ground and at a 3 m distance from the measurement antenna.

Radiated emissions measurements shall then be performed to ensure compliance with the applicable technical specifications. In situations where the implant case that is in closest proximity to the internal antenna is unknown, the implant position will be investigated to determine the position producing maximum emissions. Data shall be recorded for this position to determine conformance with the applicable limit.

Implants that are designed to communicate with an external device may require the presence of the external device in order to transmit. Manufacturers should note that it is desirable if possible to activate normal implant transmitter function via a technique that does not require an external accessory device such as a programmer to be used.

Tissue parameters for various frequencies maybe obtained from the following website: <u>http://niremf.ifac.cnr.it</u>, maintained by the Italian National Research Council, Institute for Applied Physics. A formula and details for a suitable tissue substitute material are also defined in the book "Radiofrequency Radiation Dosimetry Handbook" [i.8]. A saline solution recognized by the medical industry as a tissue medium may be used if desired by the manufacturer. As guidance, a saline solution producing a 375  $\Omega$  cm conductivity using a standard test cell meets this requirement.

# B.1.2 Test antenna

#### B.1.2.1 Below 30 MHz

A calibrated loop antenna shall be used to detect the field strength from the test sample. The antenna shall be supported in the vertical plane and be rotated about a vertical axis. The lowest point of the loop shall be 1 m above ground level.

# B.1.3 Optional additional indoor site

When the frequency of the signals being measured is greater than 80 MHz, use may be made of an indoor test site. If this alternative site is used, this shall be recorded in the test report.

The measurement site may be a laboratory room with a minimum area of 6 m by 7 m and at least 2,7 m in height.

Apart from the measuring apparatus and the operator, the room shall be as free as possible from reflecting objects other than the walls, floor and ceiling.

The potential reflections from the wall behind the equipment under test are reduced by placing a barrier of absorbent material in front of it. The corner reflector around the test antenna is used to reduce the effect of reflections from the opposite wall and from the floor and ceiling, in the case of horizontally polarized measurements. Similarly, the corner reflector reduces the effects of reflections from the sidewalls for vertically polarized measurements. For the lower part of the frequency range (below approximately 175 MHz), no corner reflector or absorbent barrier is needed. For practical reasons, the  $\lambda/2$  antenna in figure B.2 may be replaced by an antenna of constant length, provided that this length is between  $\lambda/4$  and  $\lambda$  at the frequency of measurement, and the sensitivity of the measuring system is sufficient. In the same way, the distance of  $\lambda/2$  to the apex may be varied.

The test antenna, measuring receiver, substitution antenna and calibrated signal generator are used in a way similar to that of the general method. To ensure that errors are not caused by the propagation path approaching the point at which phase cancellation between the direct and the remaining reflected signals occurs, the substitution antenna shall be moved through a distance of  $\pm 0.1$  m in the direction of the test antenna as well as in the two directions perpendicular to this first direction.

If these changes of distance cause a signal change of greater than 2 dB, the test sample should be re-sited until a change of less than 2 dB is obtained.

# B.2 Guidance on the use of radiation test sites

# B.2.0 General

For measurements involving the use of radiated fields, use may be made of a test site in conformity with the requirements of clause B.1. When using such a test site, the following conditions should be observed to ensure consistency of measuring results.

# B.2.1 Measuring distance

Evidence indicates that the measuring distance is not critical and does not significantly affect the measuring results. For ULP-AMI inductive systems covered by the present document, the measurement distance should generally be 10 m or less. Precautions described in this annex are to be observed. Measurements at low frequencies and distances less than  $\lambda/2$  are considered in the present document and shall be followed. Measuring distances of 3 m, 5 m, 10 m and 30 m are in common use in European test laboratories. Measurements at distances different to 10 m need to have a correction factor added to give a resultant at 10 m so that comparison with the limit is possible. The correction factor used shall be stated and justified in the test report.

# B.2.2 Auxiliary cables

The position of auxiliary cables (power supply and microphone cables etc.) which are not adequately de-coupled, may cause variations in the measurement results. In order to get reproducible results, cables and wires of auxiliaries should be arranged vertically downwards (through a hole in the non conducting support), or as specified in the technical documentation supplied with the equipment.

Care shall be taken to ensure that test cables do not adversely affect the measuring result.

# Annex C (normative): H-field measurements at distances other than 10 m

Measurements at longer distances than 10 m may be relevant for equipment using combination loop antennas having an increased reduction of the radiated H-field versus distance. An example of this performance is a "configure eight antenna" having two identical but physical spaced antenna loops driven with opposite phased currents.

The present document allows field measurements to be made at other distances than 10 m. In this case, the appropriate H-field limit,  $H_x$ , for applicant requested measurement distance,  $d_x$ , shall be calculated. The calculation of the new limit,  $H_x$ , shall be made by the applicant. Both the calculation of new limit and the requested measurement distance shall be stated in the Application and Test Report.

The following procedure shall be used:

a) For 
$$\frac{\lambda}{2\pi} \ge 3d(m)$$
;

where d is either 10 m or the new measurements distance,  $d_x$ , whichever is the longest.

The new limit  $H_x$  in dBµA/m at distance  $d_x$  is determined from the 10 m limit  $H_{10}$  in dBµA/m by:

$$H_{x} = H_{10} + 60 \times \log \frac{10}{d_{x}} (dB\mu A/m)$$
(C.1)

b) For  $\frac{\lambda}{2\pi} \leq 0.3d(m)$ ;

where d is either 10 m or the new measurements distance d<sub>x</sub> whichever is the shortest.

The new limit  $H_x$  in dBµA/m at distance  $d_x$  is determined from the 10 m limit  $H_{10}$  in dBµA/m by:

$$H_{x} = H_{10} + 20 \times \log \frac{10}{d_{x}} (dB\mu A/m)$$
(C.2)

c) If  $\frac{\lambda}{2\pi}$  is between the two boundaries determined in A and B above the following steps shall be followed:

Step 1: Calculate the radian wavelength, x:

$$x = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi} = \frac{300}{2\pi f} (m); \text{ where f is in MHz}$$
(C.3)

Step 2: Calculate the magnetic dipole moment from the 10 m limit, H<sub>10</sub> in A/m by either:

a) for  $x \times 2,354 \ge 10m$ 

$$m = H_{10} \frac{2\pi x \times 10^3}{\sqrt{x^2 + 10^2}} (Am^2) \text{ or;}$$
(C.4)

b) for  $x \times 2,354 < 10 m$ 

$$m = H_{10} \frac{x^2 \times 10^3 \times 4\pi}{\sqrt{x^4 - x^2 \times 10^2 + 10^4}} (Am^2)$$
(C.5)

Step 3: Calculate the new limit  $H_x$  in A/m for the new measurements distance,  $d_x$  is calculated by either:

a) for  $d_x \le x \times 2,354$ 

$$H_{x} = \frac{m\sqrt{x^{2} + d_{x}^{2}}}{2\pi \left(x + d_{x}^{3}\right)} (A / m) \text{ or;}$$
(C.6)

b) for  $d_x > x \times 2,354$ 

$$H_{x} = \frac{m\sqrt{x^{4} - x^{2}d_{x}^{2} + d_{x}^{4}}}{4\pi \left(x^{2} + d_{x}^{3}\right)} \left(A/m\right)$$
(C.7)

The calculated value for  $\boldsymbol{H}_{\boldsymbol{x}}$  in A/m may be converted to  $d\boldsymbol{B}\boldsymbol{\mu}\boldsymbol{A}\!/\!m$  as appropriate.

As an example, the H-field limits at 10 m are converted to 30 m by using the above method.

Table C.1: H-field limits at 30 m

Frequency range (MHz)H-field strength limit (H <sub>f</sub> ) dBμA/m at 30			
$0,009 \le f < 0,03$		43,5 or according to note	
	$0,03 \le f < 0,07$	43,5 at 0,03 MHz descending 3 dB/octave	
0,119 ≤ f < 0,135		or according to note	
0,05975 ≤ f < 0,06025		13,5	
	$0,07 \le f < 0,119$		
	0,135 ≤ f < 1,26	8,7 at 0,135 MHz descending 3 dB/octave	
	1,26 ≤ f < 30	-1	
6,765 ≤ f ≤ 6,795			
13,553 ≤ f ≤ 13,567		32,5	
	$26,957 \le f \le 27,283$		
NOTE:	apply to the higher limits:		
	- for loop coil antennas with an area $\geq 0,16 \text{ m}^2$ ;		
	- for loop coil antennas with an area between 0,05 m <sup>2</sup> and 0,16 m <sup>2</sup> , with a correction factor.		
	The limit is: +10 × log (area/0,16 m <sup>2</sup> ).		

# Annex D (informative): Bibliography

- ETSI TR 102 316 (V1.1.1) (03-2004): "Ultra Low Power Animal Implantable Devices (ULP-AID) operating in frequency band 315 600 kHz".
- CISPR 16-1: "Specifications for radio disturbance and immunity measuring apparatus and methods; Part 1: Radio disturbance and immunity measuring apparatus".

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