

# DFS PORTION of FCC 47 CFR PART 15 SUBPART E CERTIFICATION TEST REPORT

**FOR** 

**GENERAL CONSUMER HOME REBOT** 

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# 1. ATTESTATION OF TEST RESULTS

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**EUT DESCRIPTION:** GENERAL CONSUMER DEVICE

MODEL: AHR-M8T

SERIAL NUMBER: KR017420000002

**DATE TESTED:** NOVEMBER 17, 2017

#### **APPLICABLE STANDARDS**

**STANDARD** 

**TEST RESULTS** 

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Complies

UL Verification Services Inc. tested the above equipment in accordance with the requirements set forth in the above standards. All indications of Pass/Fail in this report are opinions expressed by UL Verification Services Inc. based on interpretations and/or observations of test results. Measurement Uncertainties were not taken into account and are published for informational purposes only. The test results show that the equipment tested is capable of demonstrating compliance with the requirements as documented in this report.

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# 2. TEST METHODOLOGY

The tests documented in this report were performed in accordance with the DFS portion of FCC CFR 47 Part 2, FCC CFR 47 Part 15, FCC 06-96, FCC KDB 789033, KDB 905462 D02 and D03.

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#### 3. REFERENCE DOCUMENTS

Measurements of transmitter parameters as referenced in this report are documented in UL Report number 11988903-E5V1 FCC IC UNII WLAN REPORT.

#### 4. FACILITIES AND ACCREDITATION

The test sites and measurement facilities used to collect data are located at 47173 Benicia Street, Fremont, California, USA.

UL Verification Services, Inc. is accredited by NVLAP, Laboratory Code 200065-0. The full scope of accreditation can be viewed at <a href="http://ts.nist.gov/standards/scopes/2000650.htm">http://ts.nist.gov/standards/scopes/2000650.htm</a>.

#### 5. CALIBRATION AND UNCERTAINTY

# 5.1. MEASURING INSTRUMENT CALIBRATION

The measuring equipment utilized to perform the tests documented in this report has been calibrated in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations, and is traceable to recognized national standards.

#### 5.2. MEASUREMENT UNCERTAINTY

Where relevant, the following measurement uncertainty level has been estimated for tests performed on the apparatus:

PARAMETER	UNCERTAINTY
Time	± 0.02 %

The Uncertainty figure is valid to a confidence level of 95%.

# 6. DYNAMIC FREQUENCY SELECTION

# 6.1. OVERVIEW

6.1.1. LIMITS

# **FCC**

§15.407 (h), FCC KDB 905462 D02 "COMPLIANCE MEASUREMENT PROCEDURES FOR UNLICENSED-NATIONAL INFORMATION INFRASTRUCTURE DEVICES OPERATING IN THE 5250-5350 MHz AND 5470-5725 MHz BANDS INCORPORATING DYNAMIC FREQUENCY SELECTION" and KDB 905462 D03 "U-NII CLIENT DEVICES WITHOUT RADAR DETECTION CAPABILITY".

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Table 1: Applicability of DFS requirements prior to use of a channel

Requirement	Operational Mode				
	Master	Client (without radar detection)	Client (with radar detection)		
Non-Occupancy Period	Yes	Not required	Yes		
DFS Detection Threshold	Yes	Not required	Yes		
Channel Availability Check Time	Yes	Not required	Not required		
U-NII Detection Bandwidth	Yes	Not required	Yes		

Table 2: Applicability of DFS requirements during normal operation

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Requirement	Operational	Operational Mode						
	Master	Client	Client					
		(without DFS)	(with DFS)					
DFS Detection Threshold	Yes	Not required	Yes					
Channel Closing Transmission Time	Yes	Yes	Yes					
Channel Move Time	Yes	Yes	Yes					
U-NII Detection Bandwidth	Yes	Not required	Yes					

Additional requirements for	Master Device or Client with	Client
devices with multiple bandwidth	Radar DFS	(without DFS)
modes		
U-NII Detection Bandwidth and	All BW modes must be	Not required
Statistical Performance Check	tested	
Channel Move Time and Channel	Test using widest BW mode	Test using the
Closing Transmission Time	available	widest BW mode
		available for the link
All other tests	Any single BW mode	Not required

**Note:** Frequencies selected for statistical performance check (Section 7.8.4) should include several frequencies within the radar detection bandwidth and frequencies near the edge of the radar detection bandwidth. For 802.11 devices it is suggested to select frequencies in all 20 MHz channel blocks and a null frequency between the bonded 20 MHz channel blocks.

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# Table 3: Interference Threshold values, Master or Client incorporating In-Service Monitoring

Maximum Transmit Power	Value
	(see notes)
E.I.R.P. ≥ 200 mill watt	-64 dBm
E.I.R.P. < 200 mill watt and	-62 dBm
power spectral density < 10 dBm/MHz	
E.I.R.P. < 200 mill watt that do not meet power spectral	-64 dBm
density requirement	

Note 1: This is the level at the input of the receiver assuming a 0 dBi receive antenna

**Note 2:** Throughout these test procedures an additional 1 dB has been added to the amplitude of the test transmission waveforms to account for variations in measurement equipment. This will ensure that the test signal is at or above the detection threshold level to trigger a DFS response.

**Note 3:** E.I.R.P. is based on the highest antenna gain. For MIMO devices refer to KDB publication 662911 D01.

Table 4: DFS Response requirement values

Parameter	Value
Non-occupancy period	30 minutes
Channel Availability Check Time	60 seconds
Channel Move Time	10 seconds (See Note 1)
Channel Closing Transmission Time	200 milliseconds + approx. 60 milliseconds over remaining 10 second period. (See Notes 1 and 2)
U-NII Detection Bandwidth	Minimum 100% of the U- NII 99% transmission power bandwidth. (See Note 3)

**Note 1:** Channel Move Time and the Channel Closing Transmission Time should be performed with Radar Type 0. The measurement timing begins at the end of the Radar Type 0 burst.

**Note 2:** The *Channel Closing Transmission Time* is comprised of 200 milliseconds starting at the beginning of the *Channel Move Time* plus any additional intermittent control signals required to facilitate a *Channel* move (an aggregate of 60 milliseconds) during the remainder of the 10 second period. The aggregate duration of control signals will not count quiet periods in between transmissions.

**Note 3:** During the *U-NII Detection Bandwidth* detection test, radar type 0 should be used. For each frequency step the minimum percentage of detection is 90 percent. Measurements are performed with no data traffic.

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# Table 5 - Short Pulse Radar Test Waveforms

Radar	Pulse	PRI	Pulses	Minimum	Minimum
Type	Width	(usec)		Percentage	Trials
	(usec)			of Successful	
				Detection	
0	1	1428	18	See Note 1	See Note
					1
1	1	Test A: 15 unique		60%	30
		PRI values randomly			
		selected from the list	Roundup:		
		of 23 PRI values in	{(1/360) x (19 x 10 <sup>6</sup> PRI <sub>usec</sub> )}		
		table 5a			
		Test B: 15 unique			
		PRI values randomly			
		selected within the			
		range of 518-3066			
		usec. With a			
		minimum increment			
		of 1 usec, excluding			
		PRI values selected			
		in Test A			
2	1-5	150-230	23-29	60%	30
3	6-10	200-500	16-18	60%	30
4	11-20	200-500	12-16	60%	30
		Aggregate (Radar T	ypes 1-4)	80%	120

**Note 1:** Short Pulse Radar Type 0 should be used for the *Detection Bandwidth* test, *Channel Move Time*, and *Channel Closing Time* tests.

Table 6 - Long Pulse Radar Test Signal

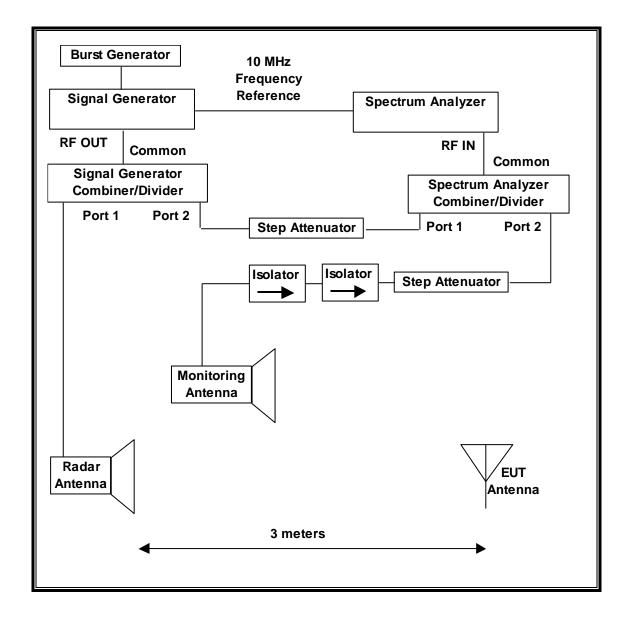
Radar	Pulse	Chirp	PRI	Pulses	Number	Minimum	Minimum
Waveform	Width	Width	(µsec)	per	of	Percentage	Trials
Type	(µsec)	(MHz)		Burst	Bursts	of Successful	
						Detection	
5	50-100	5-20	1000-	1-3	8-20	80%	30
			2000				

Table 7 - Frequency Hopping Radar Test Signal

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Radar	Pulse	PRI	Pulses	Hopping	Hopping	Minimum	Minimum			
Waveform	Width	(µsec)	per	Rate	Sequence	Percentage of	Trials			
Type	(µsec)		Hop	(kHz)	Length	Successful				
					(msec)	Detection				
6	1	333	9	0.333	300	70%	30			

#### 6.1.2. TEST AND MEASUREMENT SYSTEM

# RADIATED METHOD SYSTEM BLOCK DIAGRAM



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#### **SYSTEM OVERVIEW**

The short pulse and long pulse signal generating system utilizes the NTIA software. The Vector Signal Generator has been validated by the NTIA. The hopping signal generating system utilizes the CCS simulated hopping method and system, which has been validated by the DoD, FCC and NTIA. The software selects waveform parameters from within the bounds of the signal type on a random basis using uniform distribution.

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The short pulse types 1, 2, 3 and 4, and the long pulse type 5 parameters are randomized at run-time.

The hopping type 6 pulse parameters are fixed while the hopping sequence is based on the August 2005 NTIA Hopping Frequency List. The initial starting point randomized at run-time and each subsequent starting point is incremented by 475. Each frequency in the 100-length segment is compared to the boundaries of the EUT Detection Bandwidth and the software creates a hopping burst pattern in accordance with Section 7.4.1.3 Method #2 Simulated Frequency Hopping Radar Waveform Generating Subsystem of KDB 905462 D02. The frequency of the signal generator is incremented in 1 MHz steps from  $F_L$  to  $F_H$  for each successive trial. This incremental sequence is repeated as required to generate a minimum of 30 total trials and to maintain a uniform frequency distribution over the entire Detection Bandwidth.

The signal monitoring equipment consists of a spectrum analyzer. The aggregate ON time is calculated by multiplying the number of bins above a threshold during a particular observation period by the dwell time per bin, with the analyzer set to peak detection and max hold.

#### **SYSTEM CALIBRATION**

A 50-ohm load is connected in place of the spectrum analyzer, and the spectrum analyzer is connected to a horn antenna via a coaxial cable, with the reference level offset set to (horn antenna gain – coaxial cable loss). The signal generator is set to CW mode. The amplitude of the signal generator is adjusted to yield a level of –64 dBm as measured on the spectrum analyzer.

Without changing any of the instrument settings, the spectrum analyzer is reconnected to the Common port of the Spectrum Analyzer Combiner/Divider. The Reference Level Offset of the spectrum analyzer is adjusted so that the displayed amplitude of the signal is –64 dBm.

The spectrum analyzer displays the level of the signal generator as received at the antenna ports of the Master Device. The interference detection threshold may be varied from the calibrated value of –64 dBm and the spectrum analyzer will still indicate the level as received by the Master Device.

#### ADJUSTMENT OF DISPLAYED TRAFFIC LEVEL

A link is established between the Master and Slave and the distance between the units is adjusted as needed to provide a suitable received level at the Master and Slave devices. Iperf is utilized to generate WLAN traffic. The monitoring antenna is adjusted so that the WLAN traffic level, as displayed on the spectrum analyzer, is at lower amplitude than the radar detection threshold.

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#### **TEST AND MEASUREMENT EQUIPMENT**

The following test and measurement equipment was utilized for the DFS tests documented in this report:

TEST EQUIPMENT LIST									
Description Manufacturer Model Serial Number Cal Due									
Spectrum Analyzer, PXA, 3Hz to 44GHz	Keysight	N9030A	US51350187	06/22/18					
Signal Generator, MXG X-Series RF Vector	Agilent	N5182B	MY51350337	04/21/18					

#### 6.1.3. TEST AND MEASUREMENT SOFTWARE

The following test and measurement software was utilized for the tests documented in this report:

TEST SOFTWARE LIST				
Name	Version	Test / Function		
Aggregate Time-PXA	3.0	Channel Loading and Aggregate Closing Time		
PXA Read	3.0.0.9	Signal Generator Screen Capture		
SGXProject.exe	1.7	Radar Waveform Generation and Download		

#### **6.1.4. TEST ROOM ENVIRONMENT**

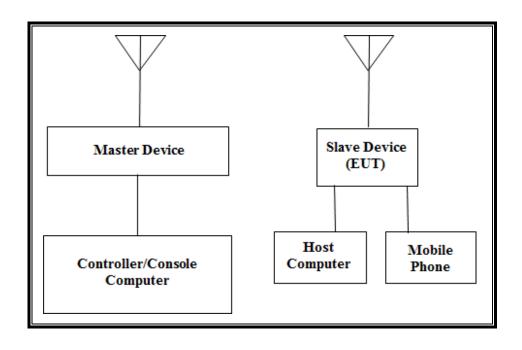
The test room temperature and humidity shall be maintained within normal temperature of 15~35 °C and normal humidity 20~75% (relative humidity).

#### **ENVIRONMENT CONDITION**

Parameter	Value
Temperature	24.9 °C
Humidity	29 %

# 6.1.5. SETUP OF EUT

# **RADIATED METHOD EUT TEST SETUP**



#### **SUPPORT EQUIPMENT**

The following support equipment was utilized for the DFS tests documented in this report:

PERIPHERAL SUPPORT EQUIPMENT LIST					
Description	Manufacturer	Model	Serial Number	FCC ID	
802.11ac Dual Band Wireless Access Point (Master)	Cisco	AIR-CAP3702E-A- K9	FTX181570A6	LDK102087	
P.O.E. Injector	Phihong	POE30U-560(G)	PHI170102N2	DoC	
Notebook PC (Master)	Lenovo	Type 4236-B92	PB-HEXC4 12/05	DoC	
AC Adapter (Master PC)	Lenovo	42T4418	11S42T4418Z1ZGWG08R 90M	DoC	
Power Dock	Mayfield Robotics	AHR-M8D	Cert Dock 4	DoC	
AC Adapter (Dock)	Dongguan Dongsong Electronic Co.	DYS902-190473W	DYS902-190473-17502	DoC	
Notebook PC(EUT Console)	Dell	P54G	G07HW A03	PPD-QCNFA364AH	
AC Adapter (EUT PC)	Lite-On Technology Co.	LA4SNM131	CN-0CDF57-LOC00	DoC	
Mobile Phone	Apple	A1660	F4GTD115HG6Y	BCG-3085A	
Ac Adapter(Phone)	Apple	A1385	E199967	DoC	

Mobile phone was used to connect the EUT to the AP via "Gizmo Edge" App.

# **6.1.6. DESCRIPTION OF EUT**

For FCC the EUT operates over the 5250-5350 MHz and 5470-5725 MHz ranges.

The EUT is a Slave Device without Radar Detection.

The highest power level within these bands is 15.93 dBm EIRP in the 5250-5350 MHz band and 18.85 dBm EIRP in the 5470-5725 MHz band.

The only antenna assembly utilized with the EUT has a gain of 2.6 dBi in the 5250-5350 MHz band and 3.3 dBi in the 5470-5725 MHz band.

Two integrated antennas are utilized to meet the diversity and MIMO operational requirements.

The rated output power of the Master unit is > 23dBm (EIRP). Therefore the required interference threshold level is -64 dBm. After correction for procedural adjustments, the required radiated threshold at the antenna port is -64 + 1 = -63 dBm.

The calibrated radiated DFS Detection Threshold level is set to –64 dBm. The tested level is lower than the required level hence it provides a margin to the limit.

The EUT uses two transmitter/receiver chains, each connected to an antenna to perform radiated tests.

WLAN traffic that meets or exceeds the minimum required loading was generated by transferring a data stream from the Master Device to the Slave Device using iPerf version 2.0.5 software package.

TPC is not required since the maximum EIRP is less than 500 mW (27 dBm).

The EUT utilizes the 802.11a/n architecture. Two nominal channel bandwidths are implemented: 20 MHz and 40 MHz.

The software installed in the EUT is Ralink RT5x7xQA.exe with revisions RT5x7x\_V1.0.8.0.

The software installed in the access point is AP3G2-K9W7-M Version 15.3(3)JAB.

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#### **UNIFORM CHANNEL SPREADING**

This is requirement not applicable to Slave Devices.

#### **OVERVIEW OF MASTER DEVICE WITH RESPECT TO §15.407 (h) REQUIREMENTS**

The Master Device is a Cisco Access Point, FCC ID: LDK102087. The minimum antenna gain for the Master Device is 6 dBi.

The rated output power of the Master unit is > 23dBm (EIRP). Therefore the required interference threshold level is -64 dBm. After correction for procedural adjustments, the required radiated threshold at the antenna port is -64 + 1 = -63 dBm.

The calibrated radiated DFS Detection Threshold level is set to -64 dBm. The tested level is lower than the required level hence it provides a margin to the limit.

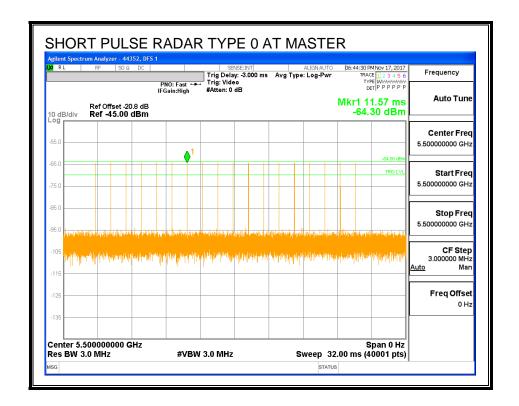
#### 6.2. **RESULTS FOR 20 MHz BANDWIDTH**

#### 6.2.1. TEST CHANNEL

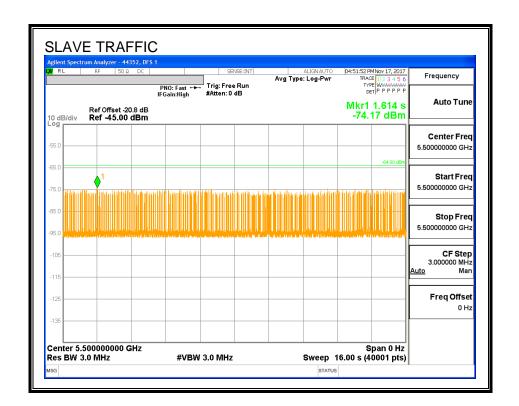
All tests were performed at a channel center frequency of 5500 MHz.

# 6.2.2. RADAR WAVEFORM AND TRAFFIC

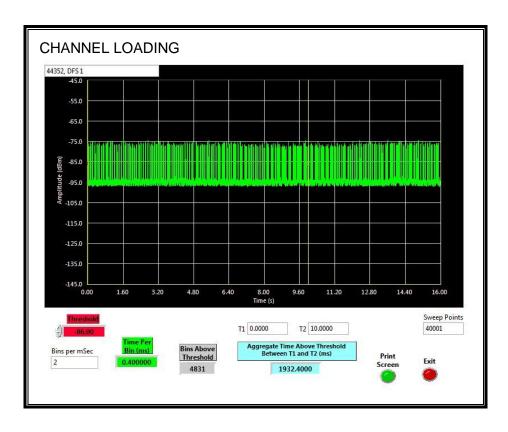
# **RADAR WAVEFORM**



# **TRAFFIC**



# **CHANNEL LOADING**



The level of traffic loading on the channel by the EUT is 19.324%.

#### 6.2.3. OVERLAPPING CHANNEL TESTS

#### **RESULTS**

These tests are not applicable.

# 6.2.4. MOVE AND CLOSING TIME

#### **REPORTING NOTES**

The reference marker is set at the end of last radar pulse.

The delta marker is set at the end of the last WLAN transmission following the radar pulse. This delta is the channel move time.

The aggregate channel closing transmission time is calculated as follows:

Aggregate Transmission Time = (Number of analyzer bins showing transmission) \* (dwell time per bin)

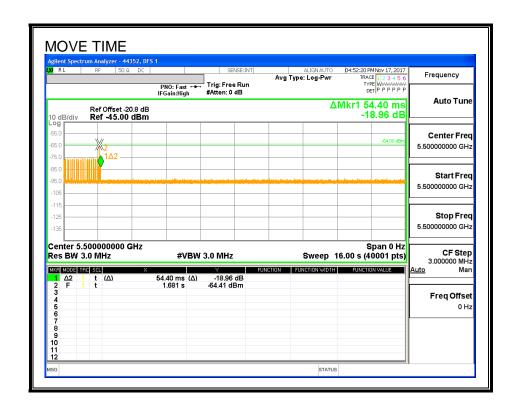
The observation period over which the aggregate time is calculated begins at (Reference Marker + 200 msec) and ends no earlier than (Reference Marker + 10 sec).

#### **RESULTS**

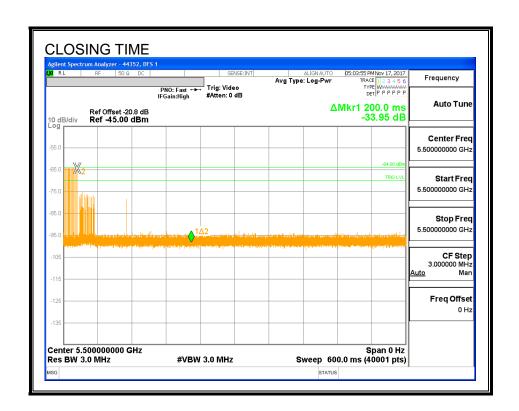
Channel Move Time	Limit
(sec)	(sec)
0.054	10

Aggregate Channel Closing Transmission Time	Limit
(msec)	(msec)
0.0	60

# **MOVE TIME**

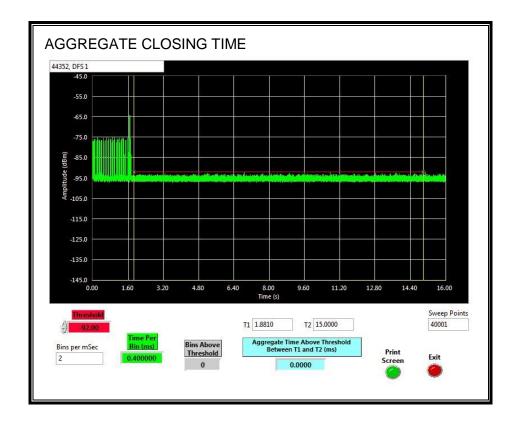


# **CHANNEL CLOSING TIME**



#### AGGREGATE CHANNEL CLOSING TRANSMISSION TIME

No transmissions are observed during the aggregate monitoring period.



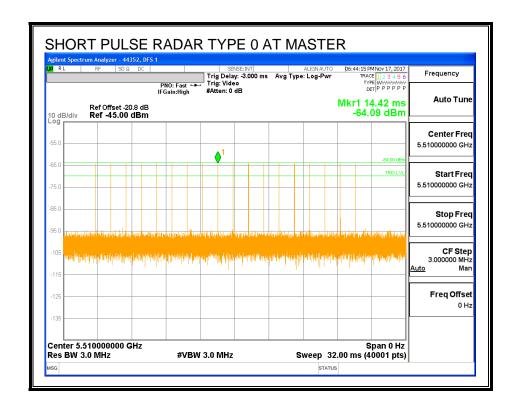
# 6.3. RESULTS FOR 40 MHz BANDWIDTH

#### 6.3.1. TEST CHANNEL

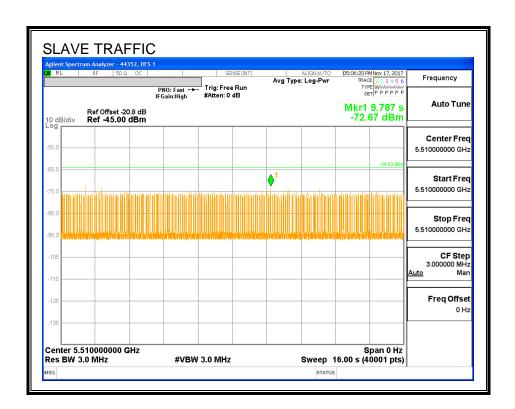
All tests were performed at a channel center frequency of 5510 MHz.

# 6.3.2. RADAR WAVEFORM AND TRAFFIC

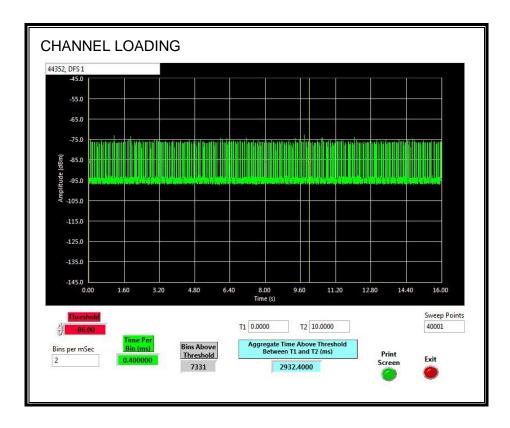
# **RADAR WAVEFORM**



# **TRAFFIC**



# **CHANNEL LOADING**



The level of traffic loading on the channel by the EUT is 29.324%.

#### 6.3.3. OVERLAPPING CHANNEL TESTS

#### **RESULTS**

These tests are not applicable.

# 6.3.4. MOVE AND CLOSING TIME

#### **REPORTING NOTES**

The reference marker is set at the end of last radar pulse.

The delta marker is set at the end of the last WLAN transmission following the radar pulse. This delta is the channel move time.

The aggregate channel closing transmission time is calculated as follows:

Aggregate Transmission Time = (Number of analyzer bins showing transmission) \* (dwell time per bin)

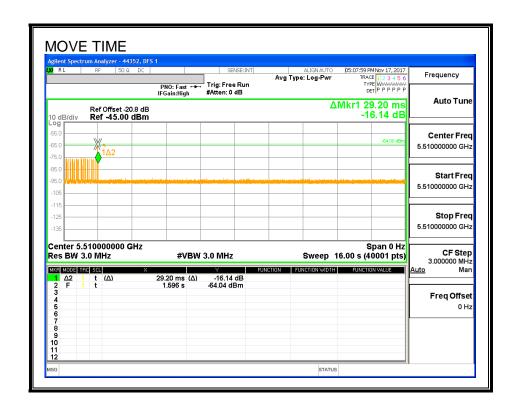
The observation period over which the aggregate time is calculated begins at (Reference Marker + 200 msec) and ends no earlier than (Reference Marker + 10 sec).

#### **RESULTS**

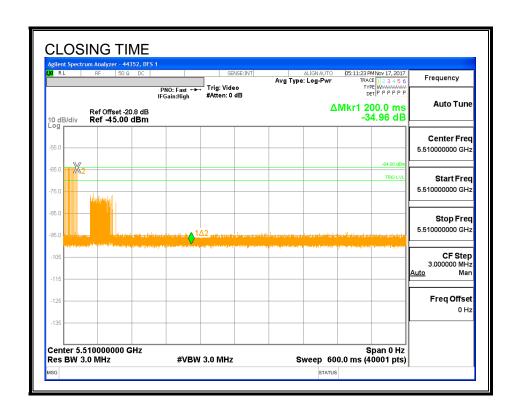
Channel Move Time	Limit
(sec)	(sec)
0.029	10

Aggregate Channel Closing Transmission Time	Limit
(msec)	(msec)
0.0	60

# **MOVE TIME**



# **CHANNEL CLOSING TIME**



#### AGGREGATE CHANNEL CLOSING TRANSMISSION TIME

No transmissions are observed during the aggregate monitoring period.



#### 6.3.5. 30-MINUTE NON-OCCUPANCY PERIOD

# **RESULTS**

No EUT transmissions were observed on the test channel during the 30-minute observation time.

