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Project Number: 3030592



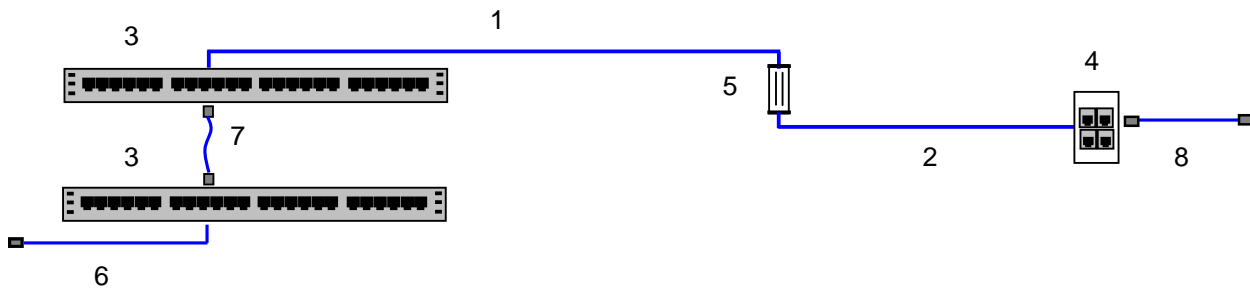
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**TEST:**

Electrical transmission performance testing of a cabling configuration to the requirements of ANSI/TIA-568-C.2 Balanced Twisted-Pair Telecommunication Cabling and Component Standards for Category 6 Channel.

**SAMPLE DESCRIPTION:**

The client supplied and tested a 4-Connector channel as illustrated below and referenced to as “nCompass CAT 6+ U/UTP Channel, 4-Connector, 100 meters (328 ft)”.



Component ID	Manufacturer	Part Number	Length/Qty	Description
1	Superior Essex	66-272-xB	70m (229 ft) /1	DataGain Cable, C6+ U/UTP CMP
2	Superior Essex	66-272-xB	20m (65 ft) /1	DataGain Cable, C6+ U/UTP CMP
3	Ortronics, Inc.	OR-PHD66U24	2	Clarity C6 24 Port Patch Panel
4	Ortronics, Inc.	OR-HDJ6	1	Clarity C6 High Density Jack
5	Ortronics, Inc.	OR-110ABC6050	1	Clarity C6 IDC 110 Block kit
6,7,8	Ortronics, Inc.	OR-MC609-06	3m (9.8 ft) /3	Clarity C6 U/UTP Patch Cords

**STANDARD USED:**

ANSI/TIA-568-C.2-2009: Balanced Twisted-Pair Telecommunications Cabling and Components Standard, dated August 2009

Note: U/UTP is a newer designation for LAN UTP cable construction.

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**SECTIONS:**

6.2: Channel transmission performance (6.2.1 to 6.2.26)

**AUTHORIZATION:**

The project was authorized by Mr. Rob Aekins RCDD, Legrand Data Communications Incorporated.

**EQUIPMENT LIST:**

The following equipment was employed in conducting the tests.

<u>Equipment used</u>	<u>Model number</u>	<u>Serial number</u>	<u>Calibration date</u>	<u>Calibration due date</u>
Agilent Technologies Network Analyzer	E5071B	MY42403324	06/01/2012	06/01/2013
Hewlett Packard Multimeter	34401A	US36035667	06/01/2012	06/01/2013

**DATE OF TEST:**

April 3, 2013

**TEST REPORT REVISION HISTORY:**

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**RESULTS:** See appendixes A through C for the test results.

**CONCLUSION:**

The channel cabling configuration, as previously described and supplied by the client, was tested in accordance with the standard referred to herein, and did comply with the indicated applicable transmission requirements.

The procedures and requirements from the standard were followed, and the testing was performed at the client's facility as part of their qualifications under Intertek's SAT program.

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## **Appendix A**

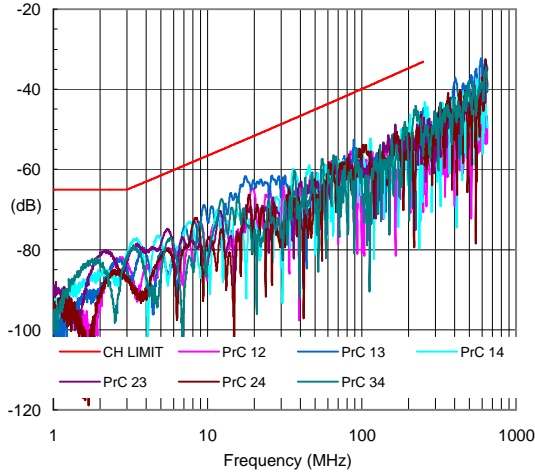
Test results

Internal (core) transmission characteristics

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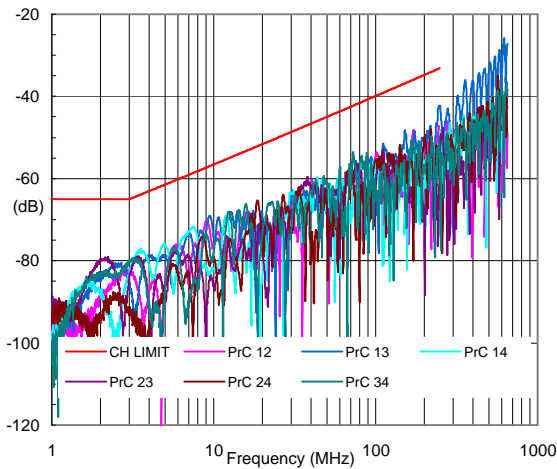


NEXT as measured from the TELECOMMUNICATIONS ROOM (TR)



Worst Case Margin				
	Frequency Point (MHz)	Calculated Margin (dB)	Measured Value (dB)	CH LIMIT Value (dB)
Swept Freq	52.6	9.2	61.8	52.6
Discrete Points	1.00	24.0	89.0	65.0
	4.00	17.8	80.9	63.0
	8.00	15.6	73.7	58.2
	10.00	16.4	72.9	56.6
	16.00	13.3	66.5	53.2
	20.00	11.3	62.9	51.6
	25.00	15.3	65.3	50.0
	31.25	15.2	63.6	48.4
	62.50	17.7	61.1	43.4
	100.00	16.3	56.2	39.9
	200.00	17.5	52.2	34.8
	250.00	12.3	45.4	33.1
	300.00		46.4	n/a
	400.00		38.1	n/a
	500.00		38.4	n/a
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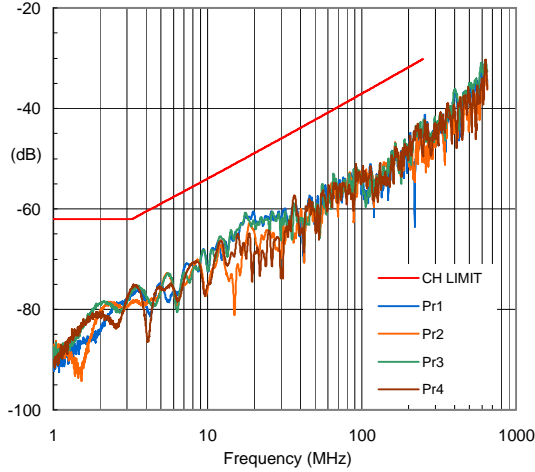
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Worst Case Margin				
	Frequency Point (MHz)	Calculated Margin (dB)	Measured Value (dB)	CH LIMIT Value (dB)
Swept Freq	248.2	9.1	42.2	33.2
Discrete Points	1.00	24.7	89.7	65.0
	4.00	15.9	78.9	63.0
	8.00	17.0	75.1	58.2
	10.00	18.1	74.7	56.6
	16.00	13.6	66.8	53.2
	20.00	17.0	68.7	51.6
	25.00	15.6	65.6	50.0
	31.25	15.2	63.6	48.4
	62.50	16.9	60.3	43.4
	100.00	14.4	54.3	39.9
	200.00	15.5	50.3	34.8
	250.00	9.1	42.2	33.1
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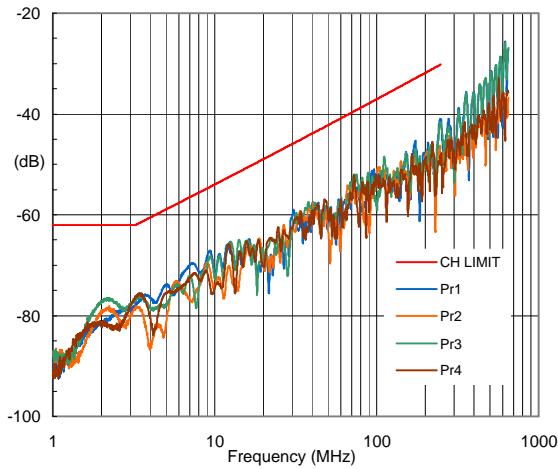


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Worst Case Margin				
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Swept Freq	17.6	10.9	60.8	49.9
Discrete Points	1.00	25.4	87.4	62.0
	4.00	17.1	77.6	60.5
	8.00	15.2	70.8	55.6
	10.00	18.2	72.2	54.0
	16.00	13.3	63.9	50.6
	20.00	11.8	60.7	49.0
	25.00	14.5	61.9	47.3
	31.25	14.9	60.7	45.7
	62.50	16.3	56.9	40.6
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	200.00	17.0	48.8	31.9
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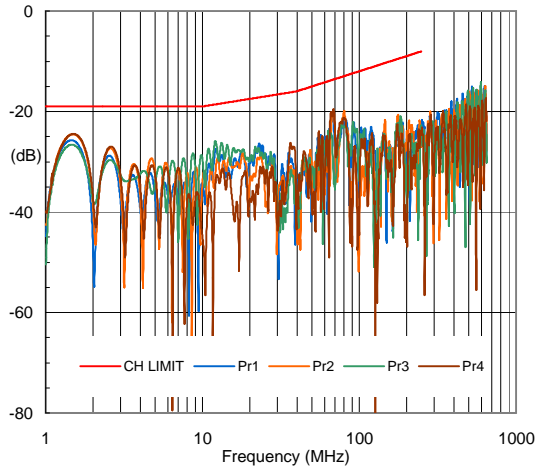
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Swept Freq	247.0	10.8	41.0	30.3
Discrete Points	1.00	25.0	87.0	62.0
	4.00	15.9	76.4	60.5
	8.00	15.8	71.4	55.6
	10.00	17.9	71.9	54.0
	16.00	14.5	65.1	50.6
	20.00	18.1	67.1	49.0
	25.00	16.1	63.5	47.3
	31.25	14.6	60.3	45.7
	62.50	16.9	57.5	40.6
	100.00	14.5	51.6	37.1
	200.00	16.2	48.1	31.9
	250.00	11.0	41.2	30.2
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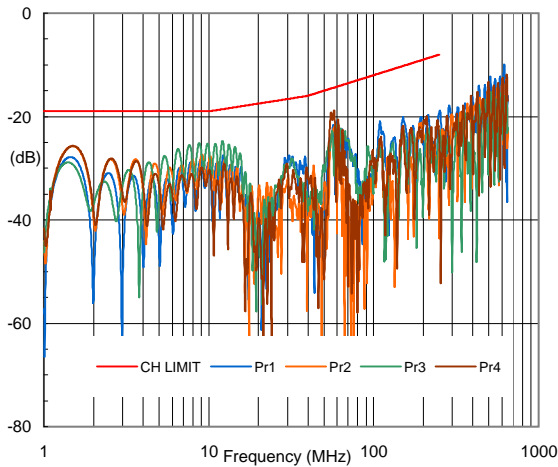


RL as measured from the TELECOMMUNICATIONS ROOM (TR)



Worst Case Margin				
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Swept Freq	1.5	5.5	24.5	19.0
Discrete Points	1.00	20.9	39.9	19.0
	4.00	13.4	32.4	19.0
	8.00	13.3	32.3	19.0
	10.00	10.4	29.4	19.0
	16.00	9.6	27.6	18.0
	20.00	12.4	29.9	17.5
	25.00	11.3	28.3	17.0
	31.25	17.9	34.4	16.5
	62.50	10.9	24.9	14.0
	100.00	19.7	31.7	12.0
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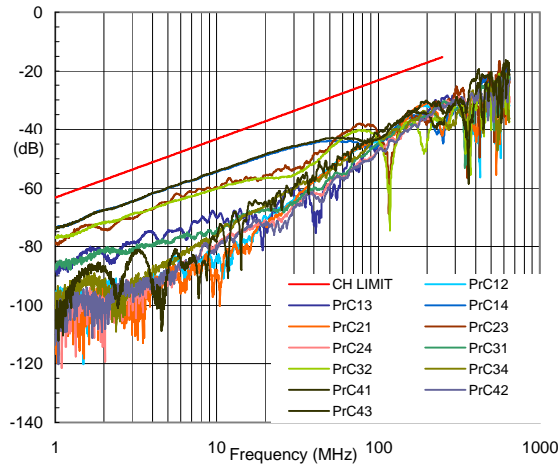
RL as measured from the WORK AREA (WA)



Worst Case Margin				
	Frequency Point (MHz)	Calculated Margin (dB)	Measured Value (dB)	CH LIMIT Value (dB)
Swept Freq	57.6	4.4	18.8	14.4
Discrete Points	1.00	22.6	41.6	19.0
	4.00	14.4	33.4	19.0
	8.00	9.4	28.4	19.0
	10.00	6.8	25.8	19.0
	16.00	13.8	31.8	18.0
	20.00	17.2	34.7	17.5
	25.00	17.9	35.0	17.0
	31.25	12.5	29.0	16.5
	62.50	10.2	24.3	14.0
	100.00	17.8	29.8	12.0
	200.00	12.8	21.8	9.0
	250.00	11.1	19.2	8.0
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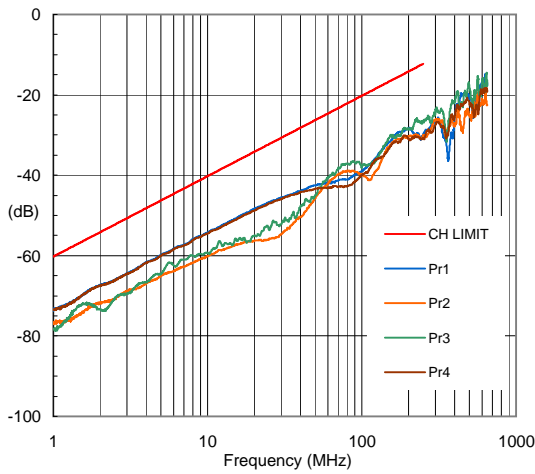
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Worst Case Margin

	Frequency Point (MHz)	Calculated Margin (dB)	Measured Value (dB)	CH LIMIT Value (dB)
Swept Freq	1.7	9.9	68.4	58.5
Discrete Points	1.00	10.2	73.4	63.3
	4.00	10.5	61.7	51.2
	8.00	10.8	56.0	45.2
	10.00	11.0	54.3	43.3
	16.00	11.1	50.3	39.2
	20.00	11.3	48.5	37.2
	25.00	11.5	46.8	35.3
	31.25	12.2	45.6	33.4
	62.50	13.6	40.9	27.3
	100.00	18.7	42.0	23.3
	200.00	13.3	30.5	17.2
	250.00	14.1	29.4	15.3
	300.00		26.4	n/a
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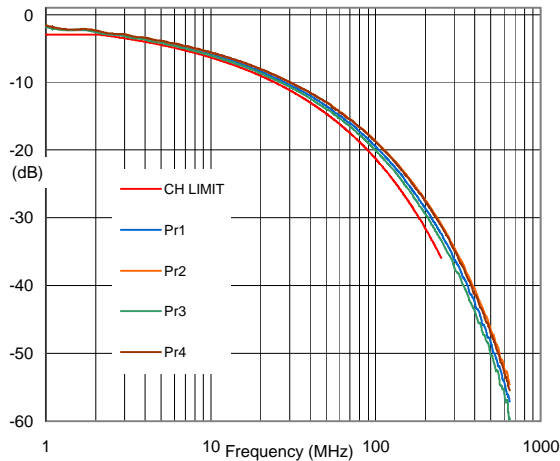


Worst Case Margin

	Frequency Point (MHz)	Calculated Margin (dB)	Calculated Value (dB)	CH LIMIT Value (dB)
Swept Freq	227.3	12.7	25.8	13.1
Discrete Points	1.00	13.0	73.2	60.3
	4.00	13.4	61.7	48.2
	8.00	13.8	56.0	42.2
	10.00	14.0	54.3	40.3
	16.00	14.0	50.2	36.2
	20.00	14.2	48.4	34.2
	25.00	14.5	46.8	32.3
	31.25	15.1	45.4	30.4
	62.50	15.6	40.0	24.3
	100.00	17.9	38.1	20.3
	200.00	14.2	28.4	14.2
	250.00	14.4	26.7	12.3
	300.00		24.0	n/a
	400.00		21.5	n/a
500.00		18.2	n/a	
650.00		17.7	n/a	



INSERTION LOSS (ATTN)



Worst Case Margin				
	Frequency Point (MHz)	Calculated Margin (dB)	Measured Value (dB)	CH LIMIT Value (dB)
Swept Freq	2.28	0.19	2.89	3.08
Discrete Points	1.00	1.16	1.8	3.0
	4.00	0.32	3.7	4.0
	8.00	0.29	5.4	5.7
	10.00	0.26	6.1	6.3
	16.00	0.36	7.7	8.0
	20.00	0.39	8.6	9.0
	25.00	0.40	9.7	10.1
	31.25	0.50	10.9	11.4
	62.50	0.88	15.6	16.5
	100.00	1.24	20.1	21.3
	200.00	2.15	29.4	31.5
	250.00	2.60	33.4	36.0
	300.00		37.3	n/a
	400.00		43.9	n/a
	500.00		50.3	n/a
	650.00		59.7	n/a

GLOSSARY of TERMS

- Calculated Margin:** The minimum difference in dB between the measured value and the LIMIT value at the specified frequency point for all tested pairs (CalculateMargin@100MHz = MeasuredValue@100MHz - LIMITValue@100MHz (dB)).
- Discrete Points:** Specific reference points of interest in MHz within the swept frequencies.
- Frequency Point:** A specific frequency point in megahertz (MHz) for which the data indicated is applicable.
- LIMIT Value:** The calculated response LIMIT in dB at the indicated frequency point as calculated using applicable equations defined by the appropriate standard.
- Measured Value:** The worst case measured response in dB at the frequency indicated for all tested pairs.
- Swept Freq:** The band of measured values from 1 MHz to the upper frequency LIMIT as defined by the category of test.
- Swept Freq (Margin):** The minimum margin in dB detected across the Swept Frequency band.
- Worst Case:** A composite value calculated from the maximum response of each pair or pair combination at a given frequency. (WorstCase<sub>100MHz</sub> = Max(Pr<sub>100MHz</sub>, Pr<sub>200MHz</sub>, Pr<sub>300MHz</sub>, Pr<sub>400MHz</sub>) etc.
- ACR / PSACR:** If Provided are for reference only. Limit line(s) are provided for reference and are calculated as the difference between the applicable NEXT Loss and Insertion loss limits (ACR<sub>limit</sub> = NEXT<sub>limit</sub> - II<sub>limit</sub>).





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## **Appendix B**

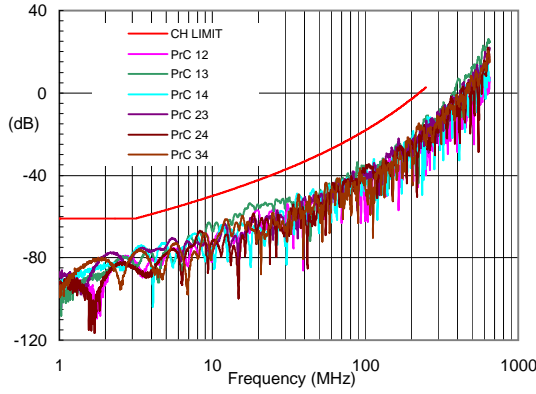
Test results

ACR transmission performance provided for reference ONLY

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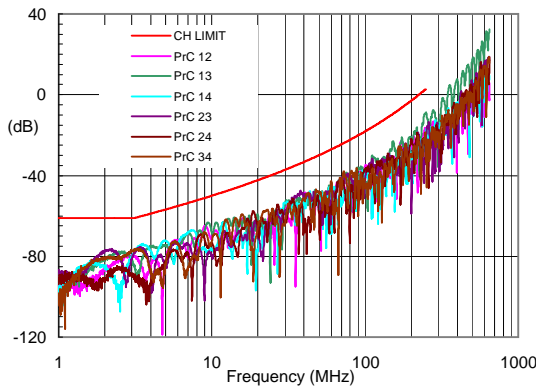
Pair-to-Pair ACR as measured from the TELECOMMUNICATIONS ROOM (TR)



Worst Case Margin				
	Frequency Point (MHz)	Calculated Margin (dB)	Calculated Value (dB)	CH LIMIT Value (dB)
Swept Freq	17.5	9.8	-53.7	-43.9
Discrete Points	1.00	26.2	-87.2	-61.0
	4.00	18.3	-77.2	-58.9
	8.00	16.5	-68.8	-52.3
	10.00	16.9	-66.9	-50.0
	16.00	13.9	-58.8	-44.9
	20.00	12.0	-54.3	-42.3
	25.00	16.7	-56.3	-39.6
	31.25	16.1	-52.8	-36.7
	62.50	20.0	-46.5	-26.5
	100.00	18.8	-37.0	-18.2
	200.00	20.0	-23.1	-3.1
	250.00	14.9	-12.1	2.8
	300.00		-11.2	n/a
	400.00		5.8	n/a
	500.00		11.9	n/a
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NOTE: Limit line/values provided for reference ONLY and are extrapolated from NEXT Loss and IL limit requirements.  $ACR_{limit} = NEXT_{limit} - IL_{limit}$

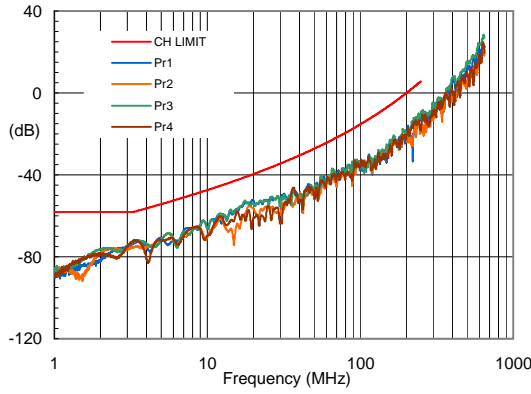
Pair-to-Pair ACR as measured from the WORK AREA (WA)



Worst Case Margin				
	Frequency Point (MHz)	Calculated Margin (dB)	Calculated Value (dB)	CH LIMIT Value (dB)
Swept Freq	248.2	11.6	-9.0	2.6
Discrete Points	1.00	26.9	-87.9	-61.0
	4.00	16.3	-75.2	-58.9
	8.00	17.5	-69.8	-52.3
	10.00	18.6	-68.6	-50.0
	16.00	14.8	-59.7	-44.9
	20.00	17.7	-60.0	-42.3
	25.00	17.0	-56.6	-39.6
	31.25	16.7	-53.4	-36.7
	62.50	19.2	-45.7	-26.5
	100.00	17.4	-35.7	-18.2
	200.00	18.0	-21.1	-3.1
	250.00	11.7	-8.9	2.8
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650.00		32.5	n/a	



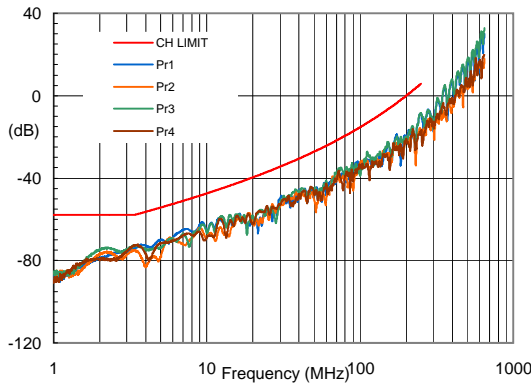
Power Sum (PS) ACR as measured from the TELECOMMUNICATIONS ROOM (TR)



Worst Case Margin				
	Frequency Point (MHz)	Calculated Margin (dB)	Calculated Value (dB)	CH LIMIT Value (dB)
Swept Freq	17.5	11.5	-52.7	-41.2
Discrete Points	1.00	27.5	-85.5	-58.0
	4.00	17.6	-73.9	-56.4
	8.00	16.1	-65.8	-49.7
	10.00	18.7	-66.1	-47.4
	16.00	13.9	-56.2	-42.3
	20.00	12.7	-52.3	-39.7
	25.00	15.6	-52.5	-36.9
	31.25	16.1	-50.1	-34.0
	62.50	18.5	-42.2	-23.7
	100.00	18.4	-33.7	-15.4
	200.00	19.5	-19.7	-0.1
	250.00	15.8	-10.0	5.8
	300.00		-6.8	n/a
	400.00		7.6	n/a
	500.00		14.6	n/a
	650.00		26.9	n/a

NOTE: Limit line/values provided for reference ONLY and are extrapolated from PSNEXT Loss and IL limit requirements.  $psACR_{limit} = psNEXT_{limit} - IL_{limit}$

Power Sum (PS) ACR as measured from the WORK AREA (WA)



Worst Case Margin				
	Frequency Point (MHz)	Calculated Margin (dB)	Calculated Value (dB)	CH LIMIT Value (dB)
Swept Freq	9.3	13.3	-61.4	-48.2
Discrete Points	1.00	27.2	-85.2	-58.0
	4.00	16.5	-72.8	-56.4
	8.00	16.5	-66.2	-49.7
	10.00	18.7	-66.1	-47.4
	16.00	15.1	-57.4	-42.3
	20.00	18.8	-58.4	-39.7
	25.00	17.5	-54.4	-36.9
	31.25	15.8	-49.8	-34.0
	62.50	18.6	-42.3	-23.7
	100.00	17.0	-32.3	-15.4
	200.00	19.4	-19.5	-0.1
	250.00	14.4	-8.6	5.8
	300.00		-12.5	n/a
	400.00		7.9	n/a
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