

# EMSCOPE WEBSOCKET PROTOCOL DOCUMENTATION

The Emscope software consists in a *WebSocket* server listening on *port 8010* of the machine and a *Web Server* listening on the standard HTTP *port 80* that serves the front end html and related files.

To configure, parametrize the measurements and manage the standards, a *JSON* style command set is used through a *WebSocket* connection.

## 1. First connection

Once the connection is established, the server will return the device's *serial number*, *measurement uncertainty* and *number of points*, i.e:

```
{
  "SN": "123456789",
  "measurement_uncertainty": "0.5 dB",
  "num_points": 8192
}
```

## 2. Default values

The default values for measurements are:

- Channel: LG
- Detector: PK
- Tracer: Clear/write
- Units: dbuv
- RWB: 9
- Subranges: 10
- Margin: 10
- Active: true
- Mode: circuit
- input\_attenuator: auto
- reference\_level: 100 (dbuV)

## 3. Commands and responses

The following parameters can be sent to configure the device:

| Name                     | Parameter        | Type  | Default      |
|--------------------------|------------------|---|--------------|
| Channel                  | measure_channel  | "lg", "ng", "cm", "dm"                        | "lg"         |
| Detector type            | detector_type    | "pk", "qp", "av"                              | "pk"         |
| Tracer                   | trace_type       | "clearwrite", "maxhold", "minhold", "freeze"  | "clearwrite" |
| RBW                      | rbw              | "9", "200", "120", "1", "10", "200_9", "1_10" | "9"          |
| Mode                     | mode             | "circuit", "modal"                            | "circuit"    |
| Reference level          | reference_level  | integer                                       | 100          |
| Input attenuator         | input_attenuator | {0..78} (integer), "auto"                     | "auto"       |
| Amplitude units          | amp_units        | "dbm", "dbmv", "dbuv", "watts", "volts"       | "dbuv"       |
| Serial number            | SN               | string  |              |
| Sweep time               | sweep_time       | {1..15} (float)                               | 1            |
| External loss attenuator | external_loss    | External loss name (string)                   | none         |

## 4. Changing RBW

After setting the RBW we shouldn't send any commands until the device it sends back the RBW value. This is so because a hot-change of firmware, that typically takes around 3.5 seconds, is required. To set a new RBW, send a **rbw** field with the string corresponding to the RBW:

```
{
  "rbw": "9"
}
```

RBW table:

| Value | RBW            | Frequency        | Standard     |
|-------|----------------|------------------|--------------|
| 200   | 200 Hz         | 9 kHz - 150 kHz  | CISPR 16-1-1 |
| 9     | 9 kHz          | 150 kHz - 30 MHz | CISPR 16-1-1 |
| 120   | 120 kHz        | 30 MHz - 110 MHz | CISPR 16-1-1 |
| 1     | 1 kHz          | 10 kHz - 150 kHz | MIL-STD-461  |
| 10    | 10 kHz         | 150 kHz - 30 MHz | MIL-STD-461  |
| 200_9 | 200 Hz / 9 kHz | 9 kHz - 30 MHz   | Dual-band    |
| 1_10  | 1 kHz / 10 kHz | 10 kHz - 30 MHz  | Dual-band    |

## 5. Initial configuration

A typical initial configuration parameters example would be:

```
{
  "detector_type": "pk",
  "measure_channel": "lg",
  "trace_type": "clearwrite",
  "amp_units": "dbmv",
```

```
"rbw": "9",
"reference_level": 70,
"input_attenuator": "auto",
"sweep_time": "1"
}
```

## 6. Receiving the measurements

To start receiving measurements, we should at least send the **trace\_type**. The measurements are sent in a **values** object immediately after the measure is done. The result contains an array of arrays recodesenting the frequency and the read value ( **[frequency, value]** ) Another key, named **overload**, will be set to *true* if an overload situation is detected. Example:

```
{
  "values": [
    [ 0, 0.024687 ],
    [ 7326, 0.014846 ],
    [ 10000, 0.00344 ],
    ...
  ],
  "overload": false
}
```

## 7. Locking the device to the current session

To ensure that the device is only being configured from one source, you ought to set a *session\_UUID* variable to a random value. Use the same value for subsequent connections. I.e:

```
{
  "session_UUID": "12345qwerty"
}
```

This *session UUID* must be sent with every *WebSocket* connection. If the device is currently locked with another *session UUID*, the device will disconnect us with *WebSocket* close reason code 4003.

## 8. Standards (or Limits)

### 8.1 Getting the standards list

Send the field **get\_standards** with a value of "true":

```
{  
  "get_standards": true  
}
```

It will return a **standards** object with an array of standards with the following format:

```
"Standard name": [ { "rbw": value, "data":  
  [ From frequency (Mhz), To frequency (Mhz), From Quasi-peak (dBuV), To  
  Quasi-peak (dBuV), Average from Quasi-peak (dBuV), Average to Quasi-peak  
  (dBuV) ],  
  ...  
  }  
]
```

For example:

```
{  
  "standards": [  
    {  
      "Standard One": { "rbw": "9", "data": [  
        [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6],  
        [7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12],  
        ...  
      ]  
    },  
    {  
      "Standard Two": { "rbw": "200", "data": [  
        [21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26],  
        [27, 28, 29, 210, 211, 212],  
        ...  
      ]  
    },  
    ...  
  ]  
}
```

## 8.2 Creating a standard

To create a standard, send a **name** field with the name of the new standard, a **modify** field set to "false" and a **values** array in the same format we described before when receiving the standards list.

```
{  
  "name": "New standard",  
  "modify": false,  
  "standard_rbw": "10",  
  "values": [  
    ...  
  ]  
}
```

```
    ["1","2","3","4","5","6"],
    ["11","12","13","14","15","16"],
    ...
  ]
}
```

### 8.3 Editing a standard

Send the same values as creating it, but with the field *modify* set to *true* and an additional field, *original\_name*, just in case we wanted to rename the original *name*, i.e:

```
{
  "original_name": "New standard",
  "name": "Modified standard",
  "modify": true,
  "standard_rbw": "1",
  "values": [
    ["21","22","23","24","25","26"],
    ["11","12","13","14","15","16"],
    ...
  ]
}
```

### 8.4 Deleting a standard

Simply send a **delete\_standard** with the name of the standard, i.e:

```
{
  "delete_standard": "Standard One"
}
```

## 9. Sessions (or Presets)

### 9.1 Getting the sessions list

Send the field **get\_sessions** with a value of "true":

```
{
  "get_sessions": true
}
```

It will return a **sessions** object with an array of sessions with the following format:

```
"Session name": [BLOB DATA],
  ...
]
```

For example:

```
{
  "sessions": [
    {
      "Session One":
      "{\\"PROGRAM_VERSION\\":1.25,\\"id_counter\\":2,\\"current_center_freq_units\\":\\"
      mhz\\",\\"current_start_freq_units\\":\\"mhz\\",\\"current_stop_freq_units\\":\\"mhz
      \",\\"current_span_units\\":\\"mhz\\",\\"current_center_frequency\\":15000000,\\"cu
      rrent_start_frequency\\":0,\\"current_stop_frequency\\":30000000,\\"current_span
      \":30000000,\\"measure_mode\\":\\"circuit\\",\\"current_display_scale\\":0,\\"aDete
      ctors\\":[{\\"type\\":\\"normal\\",\\"measure_channel\\":\\"lg\\",\\"trace_type\\":\\"cl
      earwrite\\",\\"detector_type\\":\\"pk\\",\\"amp_units\\":\\"dbuv\\",\\"color\\":\\"red\\
      \",\\"hidden\\":false,\\"standard\\":null,\\"id\\":0,\\"sweep_time\\":1},{\\"type\\":\\"n
      ormal\\",\\"measure_channel\\":\\"lg\\",\\"trace_type\\":\\"clearwrite\\",\\"detector_
      type\\":\\"pk\\",\\"amp_units\\":\\"dbuv\\",\\"color\\":\\"red\\",\\"hidden\\":false,\\"st
      andard\\":null,\\"id\\":1}],\\"reference_level\\":100,\\"reference_level_volts\\":0
      .1,\\"amplitude_step\\":10,\\"aCurrentFreq\\":[150000,30000000],\\"aCurrentSpan\\
      ":[0,100],\\"aMarkers\\":[[],[]],\\"aMMarkers\\":[],\\"aStandards\\":{\\"CISPR 22
      CLASS
      A\\":[{\\"0.15\\",\\"0.5\\",\\"79\\",\\"79\\",\\"66\\",\\"66\\"],[\\"0.5\\",\\"30\\",\\"73\\",\
      \\"73\\",\\"60\\",\\"60\\"}],\\"CISPR 22 CLASS
      B\\":[{\\"0.15\\",\\"0.5\\",\\"66\\",\\"56\\",\\"56\\",\\"46\\"],[\\"0.5\\",\\"5\\",\\"56\\",\
      \\"56\\",\\"46\\",\\"46\\"],[\\"5\\",\\"30\\",\\"60\\",\\"60\\",\\"50\\",\\"50\\"}]},\\"aStandard
      sQuasiPeak\\":{\},\\"aStandardsAverage\\":{\},\\"active_tab\\":1,\\"ZERO_SPAN_MODE\\
      ":false,\\"amp_units\\":\\"dbuv\\",\\"rbw\\":\\"9\\",\\"input_attenuator\\":\\"auto\\",\
      \\"sweep_time\\":1,\\"current_color_theme\\":\\"dark\\"}",
      ...
    ]
  },
  {
    "Session Two": ".....",
    ...
  ]
  ...
}
```

## 9.2 Creating a session

To create a session, send a **session\_name** field with the name of the new session, a **modify** field set to "false" and a **session\_values** array in the same format we described before when receiving the sessions list.

```
{
  "session_name": "New session",
  "modify": false,
  "session_values": ".....",
  ...
}
```

### 9.3 Editing a session

Send the same values as creating it, but with the field *modify* set to *true* and an additional field, *original\_session*, just in case we wanted to rename the original *name*, i.e:

```
{
  "original_session": "New session",
  "session_name": "Modified session",
  "modify": true,
  "values": ".....",
  ...
}
```

### 9.4 Deleting a session

Simply send a **delete\_session** with the name of the session, i.e:

```
{
  "delete_session": "Session One"
}
```

## 10. External loss attenuators

### 10.1 Getting the external loss attenuators list

Send the field **get\_external\_losses** with a value of "true":

```
{
  "get_external_losses": true
}
```

It will return a **external\_losses** object with an array of external loss attenuators with the following format:

```
"External loss attenuator name": [ [ Frequency (Mhz), Line (dB), Neutral (dB) ], [ Frequency (Mhz), Line (dB), Neutral (dB) ], ... ]
```

For example:

```
{
  "external_losses": [
    {
      "External loss attenuator 1": [ [ 1, 2, 3 ], [ 2, 3, 4 ], ... ]
    },
    {
      "External loss attenuator 2": [ [ 10, 20, 30 ], [ 20, 30, 40 ], ... ]
    }
  ],
  ...
}
```

## 10.2 Creating an external loss attenuator

To create an external loss attenuator, send an **external\_loss\_name** field with the name of the new external loss attenuator, a **modify** field set to "false" and a **values** array in the same format we described before when receiving the external loss attenuators list.

```
{
  "external_loss_name": "New External loss attenuator",
  "modify": false,
  "values": [
    ["1", "2", "3"],
    ["10", "20", "30"],
    ...
  ]
}
```

## 10.3 Editing an external loss attenuator

Send the same values as creating it, but with the field *modify* set to *true* and an additional field, *original\_external\_loss\_name*, just in case we wanted to rename the original *external\_loss\_name*, i.e:

```
{
  "original_external_loss_name": "New External loss attenuator",
  "external_loss_name": "Modified External loss attenuator",
  "modify": true,
  "values": [
    ["11", "22", "33"],
    ["21", "22", "23"],
  ]
}
```



```
    ...  
  ]  
}
```

## 10.4 Deleting an external loss attenuator

Simply send a **delete\_external\_loss** with the name of the external loss attenuator, i.e:

```
{  
  "delete_external_loss": "External loss attenuator 1"  
}
```

## 11. Report lists

To generate a report list, we must send 3 values: *standard* (the standard name string), *subranges* (number of subranges, an integer) and *margin* (the margin, an integer), i.e:

```
{  
  "standard": "One standard",  
  "subranges": 10,  
  "margin": 10  
}
```

The answer to the request will be a boolean *frase* and a *report* object with an array of arrays in the following order:

```
[  
  Marker (integer),  
  Frequency in Mhz (float),  
  Peak level in dBuV (float),  
  Quasi-Peak level in dBuV (float),  
  Quasi-Peak limit in dBuV (float),  
  Distance to Quasi-Peak limit [dB] (float),  
  Average level in dBuV (float),  
  Average limit in dBuV (float),  
  Distance to Average limit [dB] (float),  
  Channel (string),  
  Compliance (PASS/FAIL)  
]
```

The *frase* will be **true** if fewer than 6 emissions are within 10dB of the observed limit, and **false** otherwise.

For example:

```
{
```

```
"report": [
  [ 1, 5, 116.964216, 116.418941, 119.000000, 10.000000, 116.480995,
109.000000, 10.000000, "L", "PASS" ],
  [ 2, 6, 313.963336, 133.418211, 1123440000, 111220000, 334.440995,
239.020000, 30.000000, "N", "FAIL" ],
  ...
],
"frase": true
}
```

## 12. Miscellaneous

### 12.1 Getting the activated licenses

Send the field **get\_licenses** with a value of "true":

```
{
  "get_licenses": true
}
```

As a response you will get a **licenses** object with an array with the name of each activated licenses:

```
{"licenses": [ "emi", "osc" ]}
```

### 12.2 Getting the current PCB and FPGA temperature

Send the field **get\_temps** with a value of "true":

```
{
  "get_temps": true
}
```

As a response you will get a **temperatures** object with an array with the celsius degrees. The first value is for the PCB, the second one for the FPGA:

```
{"temperatures": [ 45.12345, 50.12345 ]}
```

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