







# Zakłócenia promieniowane ograniczanie i przeciwdziałanie

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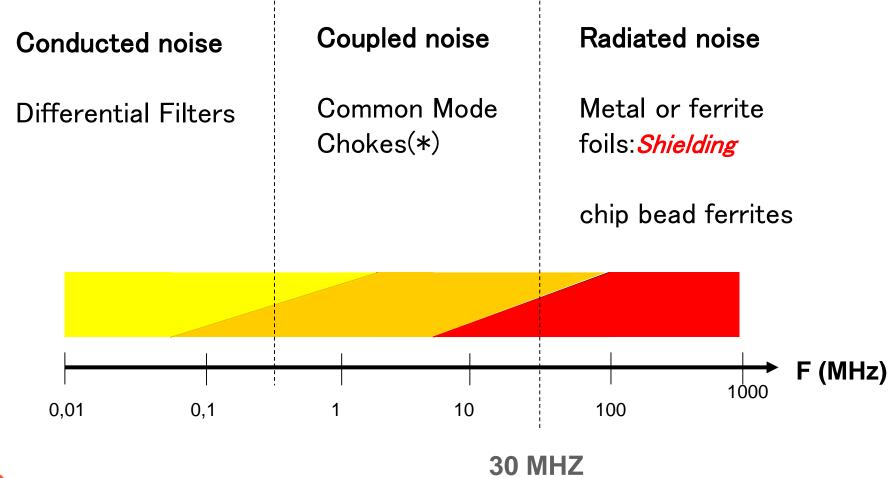






## Frequency Range for Conducted and Radiated Noise

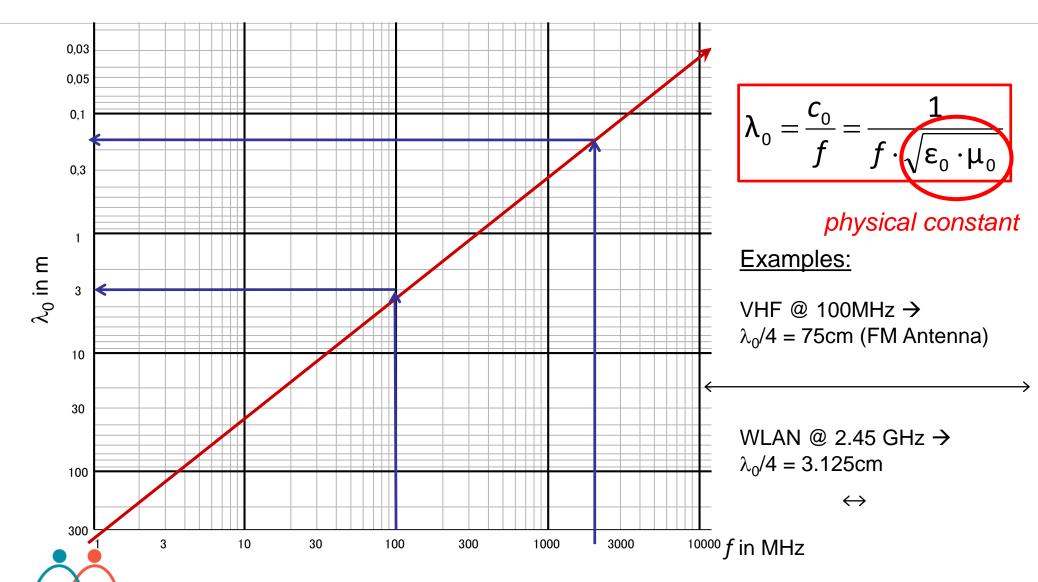




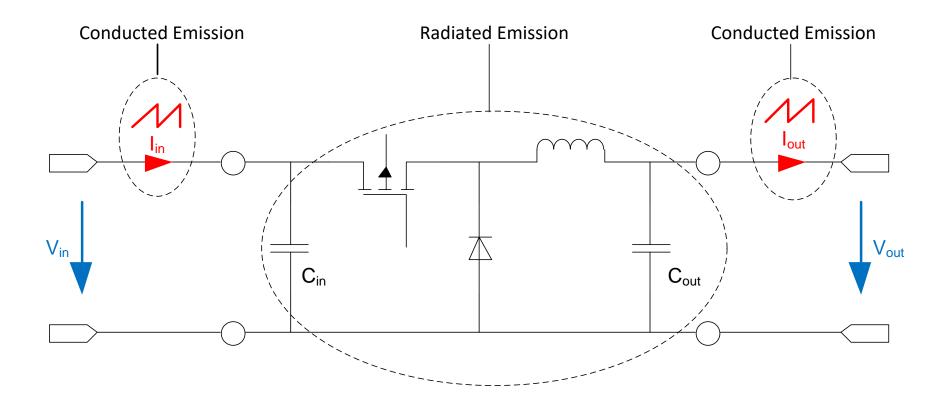


## Frequency relations – Wavelength







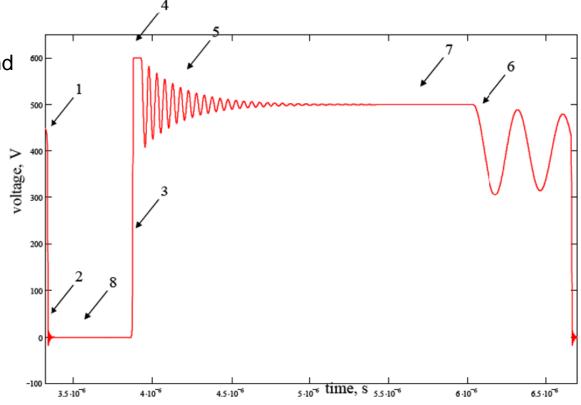






#### e.g. Flybuck™ DCDC or Flyback ACDC

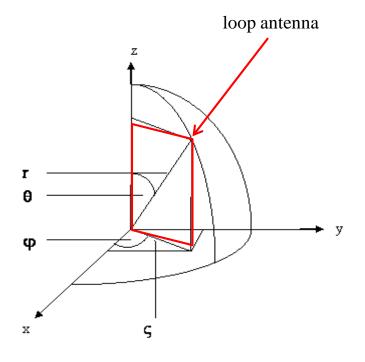
- Oscillation due to parasitic MOSFET output capacitance and leakage inductance of the transformer
- High frequency content
- Voltage overshoot







- Power and signal loops have antenna characteristics
- Radiation over all power and signal loops
- Field strength depends on :
  - Loop size
  - Amplitude of I<sub>AC</sub>
  - > Frequency
  - Distance between noise source and noise sink

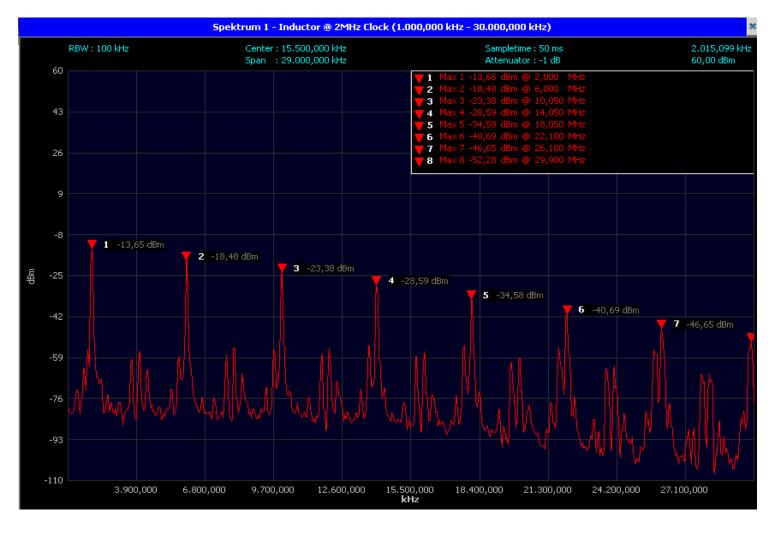






- WE PD2 unshielded
- 10µH, 2MHz, 1A





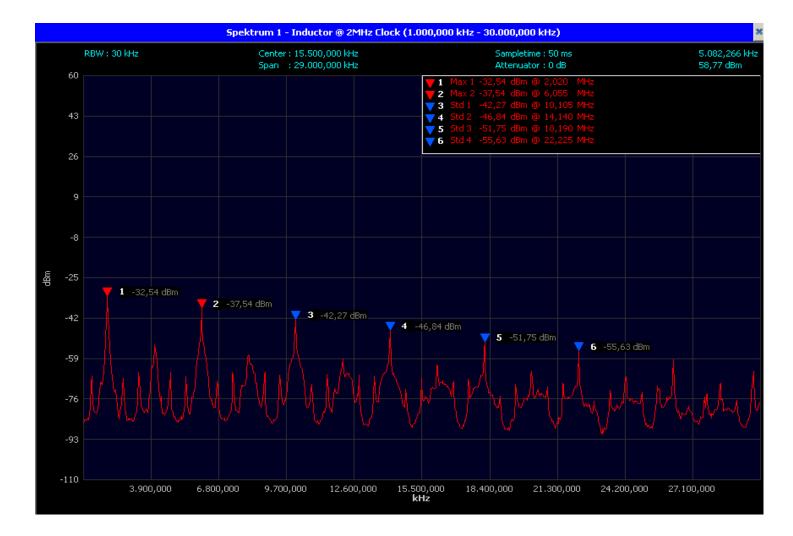




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19dBm Improvement

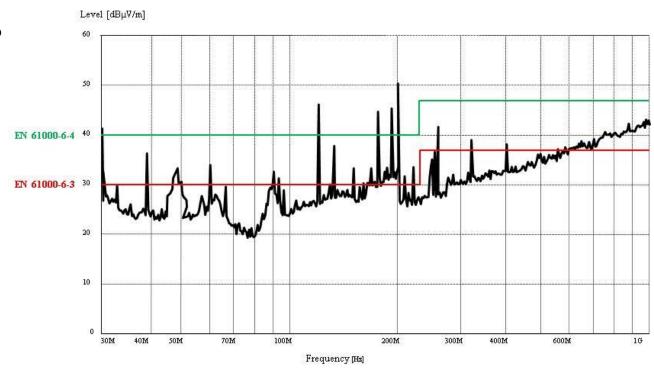




#### **Radiated Emission**



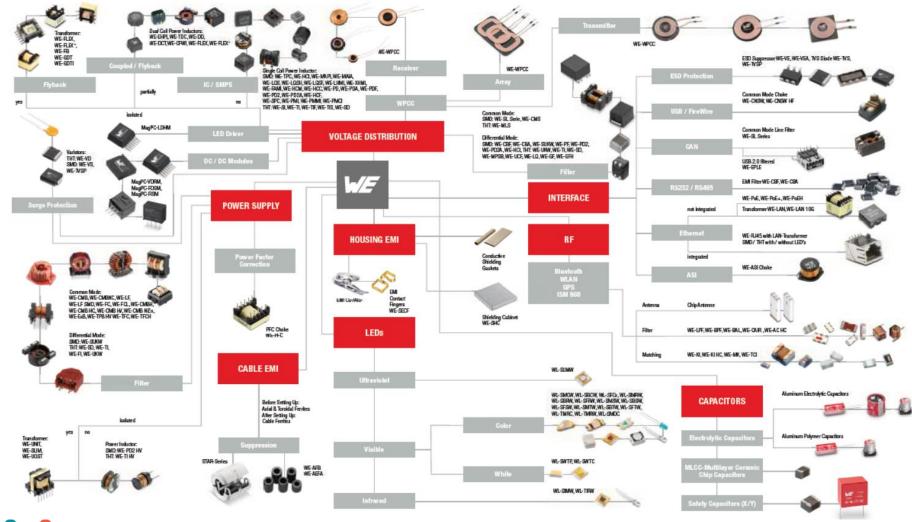
- Main sources:
  - Copper traces on PCBs
  - SMPS power chokes
- e.g.: EN 61000-6-4 (Industry) QP
- e.g.: EN 61000-6-3 (Home) QP





#### What we have:



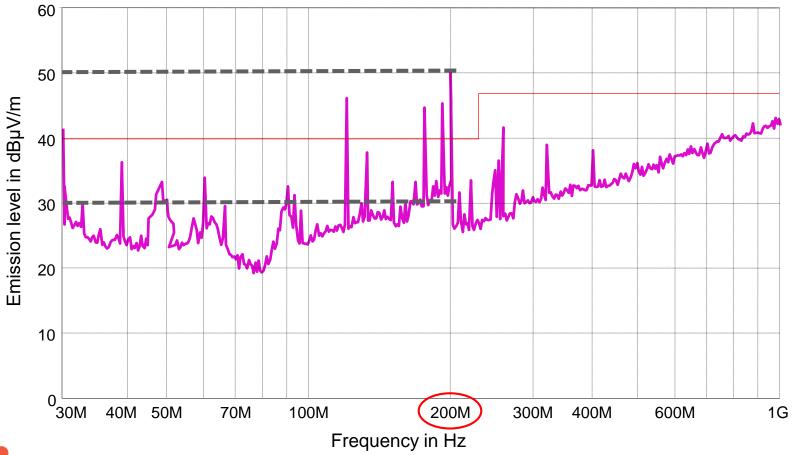




## **Practical example:**



#### Measurement of the radiated emission:





### **Available tools: RedExpert**



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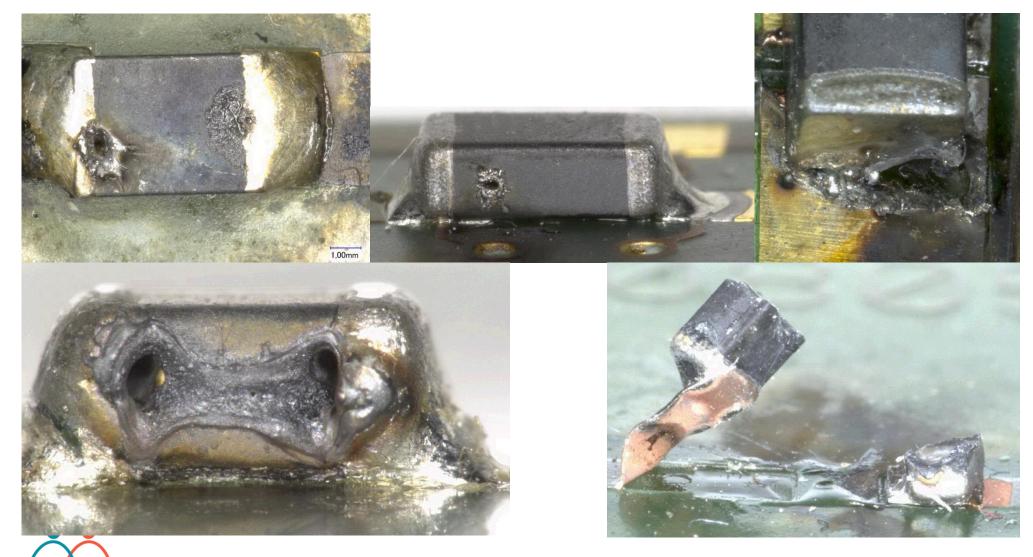


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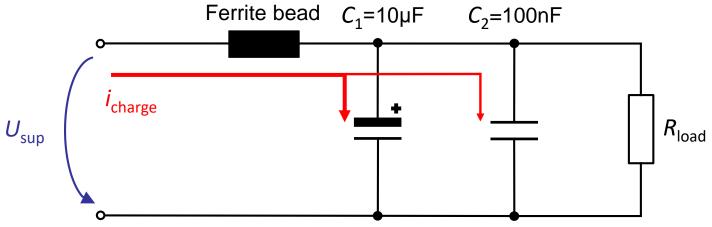




### Pulse current capability



- The specified rated (DC) current given in the datasheet is guaranteed.
- Pulse currents due to charging of uncharged capacitors can cause thermal stress on a ferrite bead.
- Multilayer ferrites are endangered.
- Statistically based pulse testing can determine the breakdown level of the filter component.





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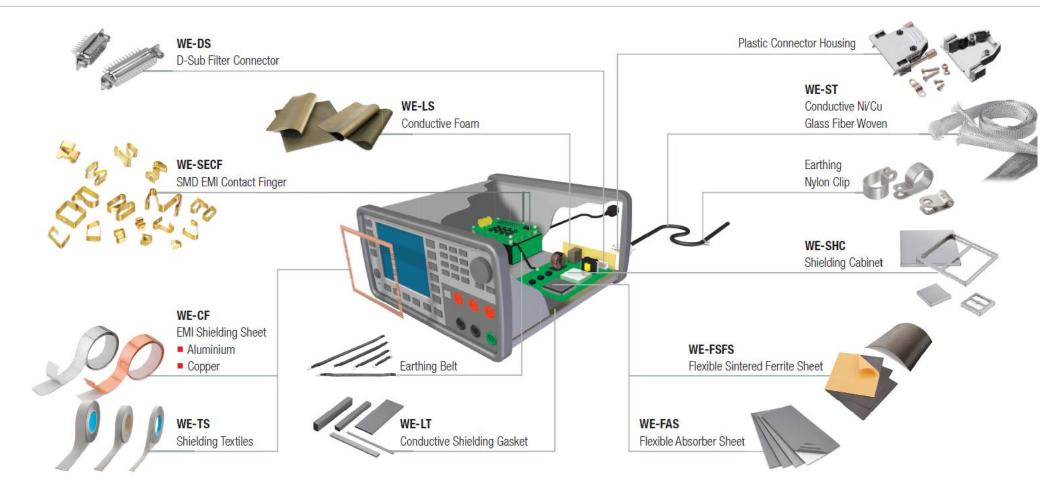


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## Shielding: what WE have







## **Shield Behavior Modes - Absorption mode**



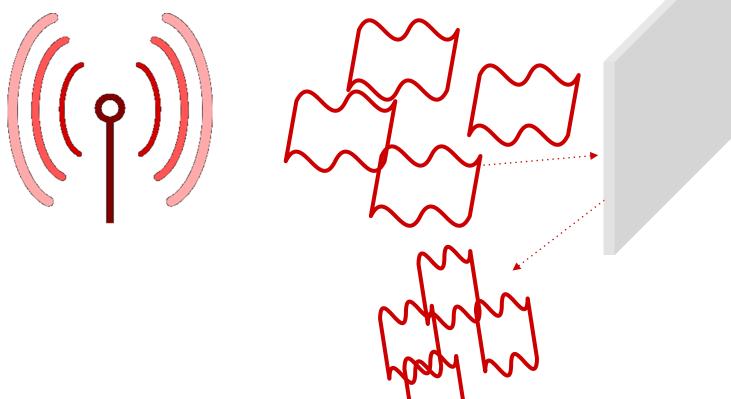
Source Before Shield



#### **Shield Behavior Modes - Reflection mode**



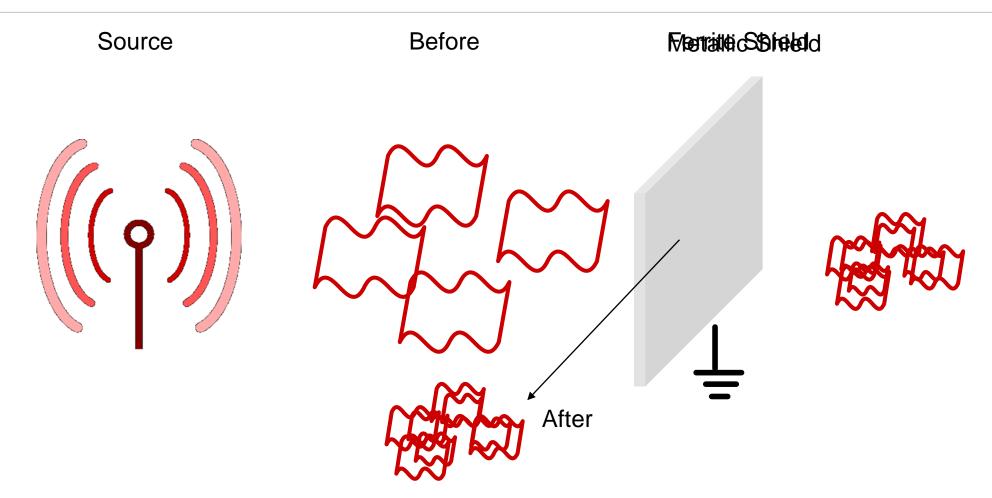
Source Before Shield After





## A realistic scenario: Absorption + Reflection Mode



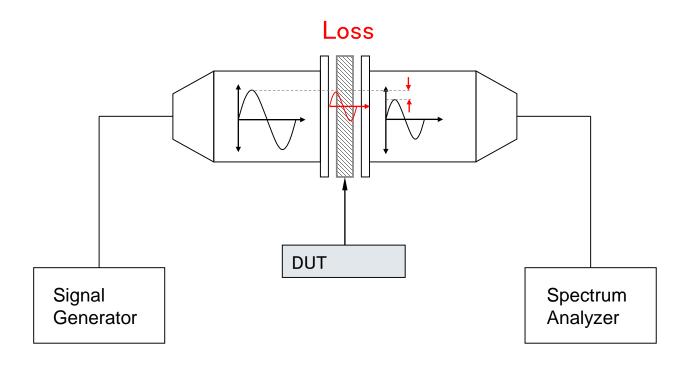


Metal need to be grounded in some cases! But a ferrite does not.



## **How is Attenuation Measured (Absoprtion Mode)**

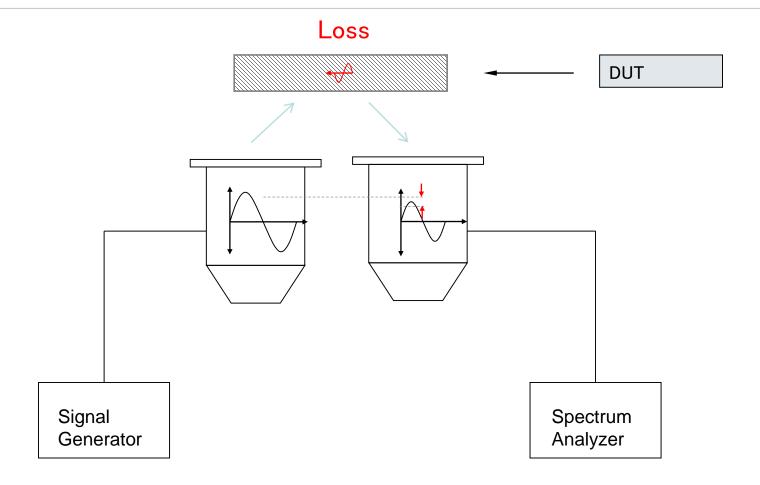






## **How is Attenuation Measured (Reflection Mode)**







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## Types of shielding materials



Two main types: Metallic (Cu, Al, Steel) and Ferrites (NiZn, MnZn or other materials)





#### **Characterization of Shields**



**Resistivity** – a measure of ability to conduct current

**Permeability** – a measure of abilitiy to concentrate a magnetic field

**Thickness** – a measure of the Z dimension in 3D space

**Weight** – a measure of mechanical mass and density

**Melting Point** – a measure of ability to resist heat

Flammability – a measure of ability to catch fire

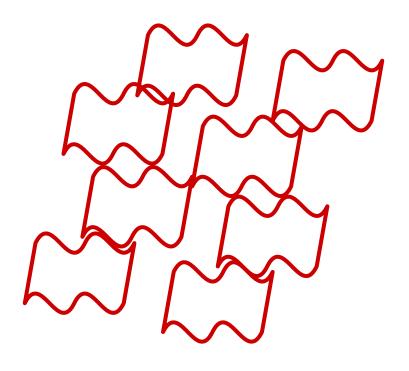
Insertion Loss – a measure of how much noise is reduced

(this last parameter is the most important one)

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#### How Shields affect each component of EM waves





**Ferrite** 

Metal



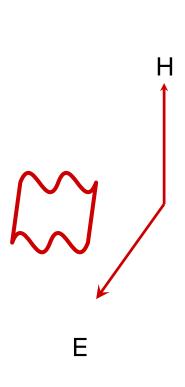
Ferrite works better at short distances and it affects more significantly the magnetic field

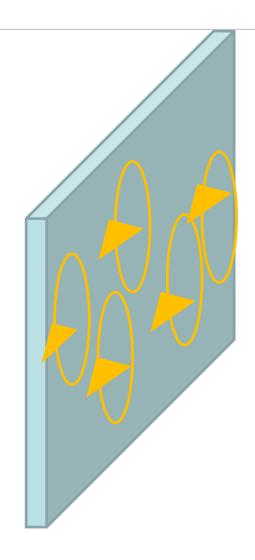
Metal works at any distance and it affects more significantly the electric field



## Metallic Shielding: In more detail





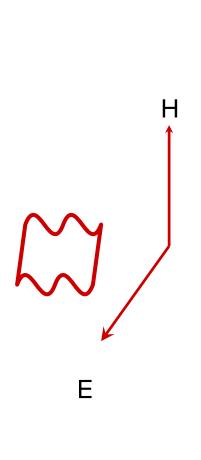


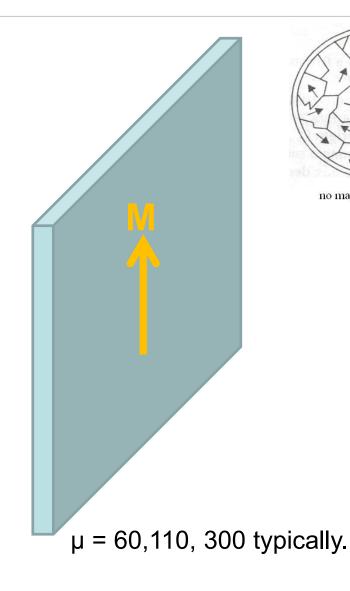
Eddy currents account for the majority of the attenuation

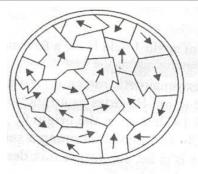


#### Ferrite shields in more detail









no magneic field applied

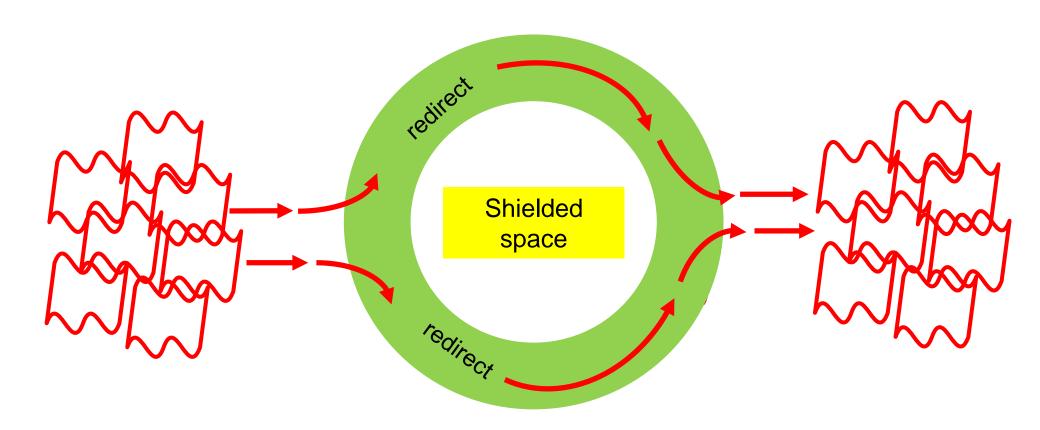
magnetic field is applied

Low Remanence High Permeability

The magnetic moments of each magnetic domain try to align with the incoming magnetic field. Energy is lost due to both Mechanical torque and phase lag.

## **Shielding by magnetic re-direction**

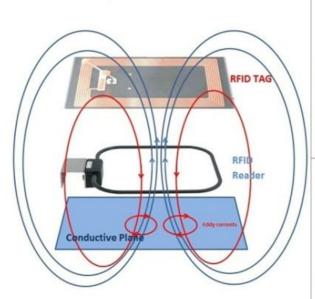


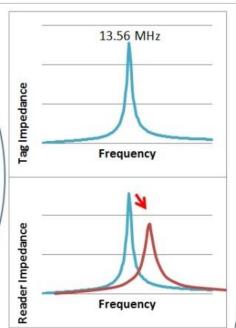


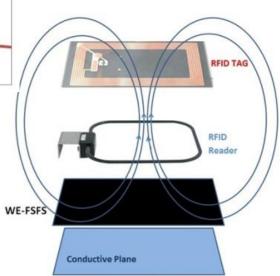


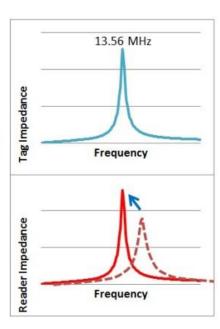
#### **WE-FSFS Flexible Sinterted Ferrite Sheet**









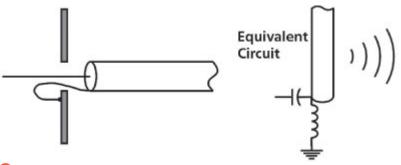




#### Cable shielding – closer look



- Cable shield is part of the product shield
- Surface conductivity must be high
- Most important is cable termination:
   The connection between the cable shield and the enclosure must be 360°
- Unproperly terminated cables behave like an antenna





Cable "perfect" antenna:

- 30 MHz ->  $\lambda/4 = 2.5$  m

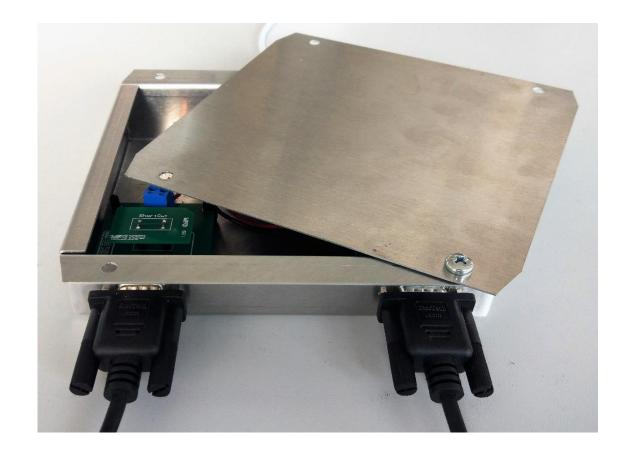
- 3 GHz ->  $\lambda/4 = 25$  mm



#### **Box characteristics**



- Metal enclosure with a removable metal cover and 4 threaded fasteners distributed around the cover to pin up it to the enclosure
- Internal noise source to generate Electromagnetic Interferences.
- Shielding adapters
- Common mode chokes adapters
- 2 DB9 connectors to connect an external cable.
- Supplied by microUSB connection.
- Resistive load
- Box dimensions:
  - 16x16x3.5 cm





#### **Box characteristics**



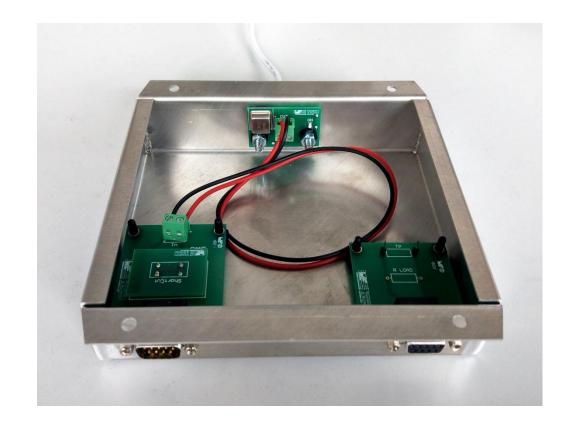
The internal noise source is composed by a high frequency oscillator circuit put inside the enclosure which is configured to generate a 1.8432 MHz square signal.

This oscillator can be replaced by other oscillators with different frequencies.

This setup could generate radiation on the cables and the box. It can also produce conducted emissions in the cable and, therefore, the DSUB connector.

#### **EMC Problems:**

- Radiated emissions through shielded enclosure seams (Slot Antenna)
- Radiation in cables
- Radiation in DSUB Connector
- Radiation in traces





#### Radiated emissions through seams

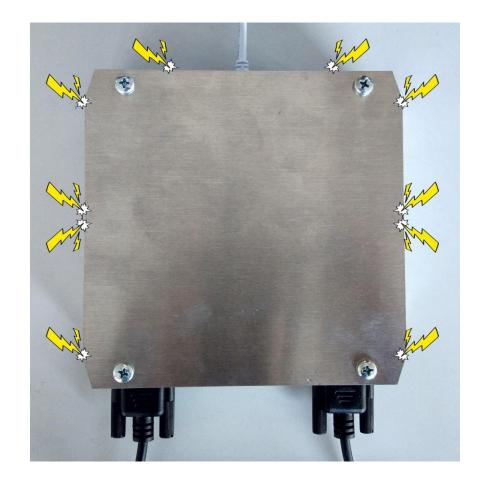


When the oscillator circuit is running, radiated emissions appear in the seams through slot antenna around the cover enclosure.

The screws shown on the picture must be placed to connect and pin up the cover to the enclosure in order to directly join them and provide a direct current path in those points.

In the slots between the positions of the screws there are radiation peaks due to the poor connection in the points without screws.

The emissions around the cover have variations due to the cover is not ideal and uniform.





# Radiated emissions through seams Solution: WE Conductive Gasket



The solution is to place a WE conductive gasket between the cover and the enclosure in order to get a transfer voltage close to zero through the seams.

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#### ONE SIDE WITH GASKET





#### Radiated emissions through Short Cut Adapter



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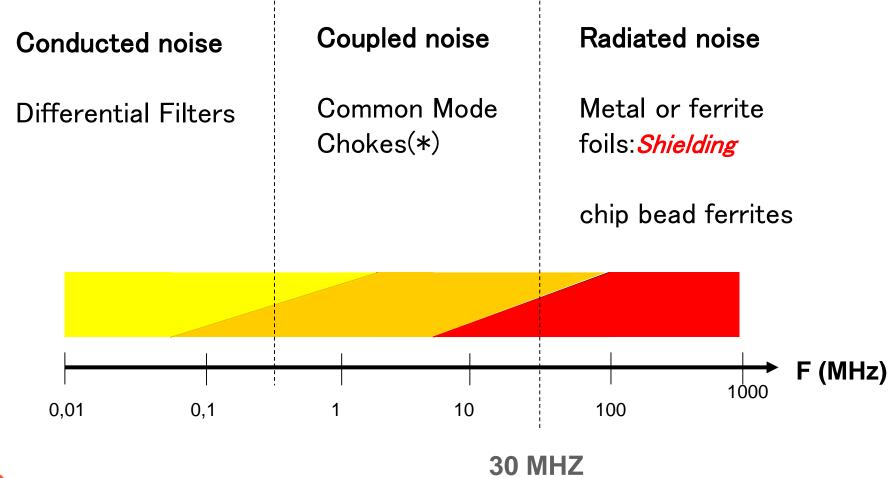
Radiation is generated from the traces and the pads, acting as antennas.





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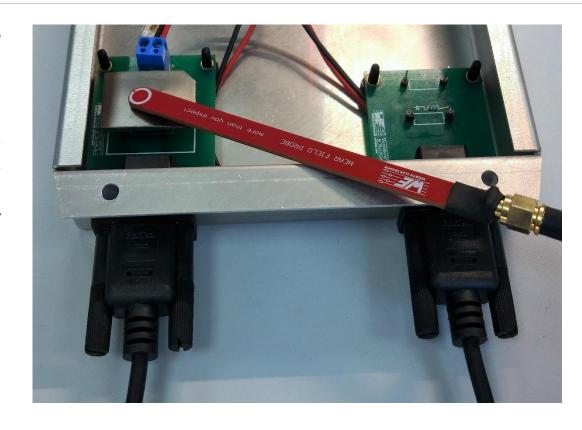


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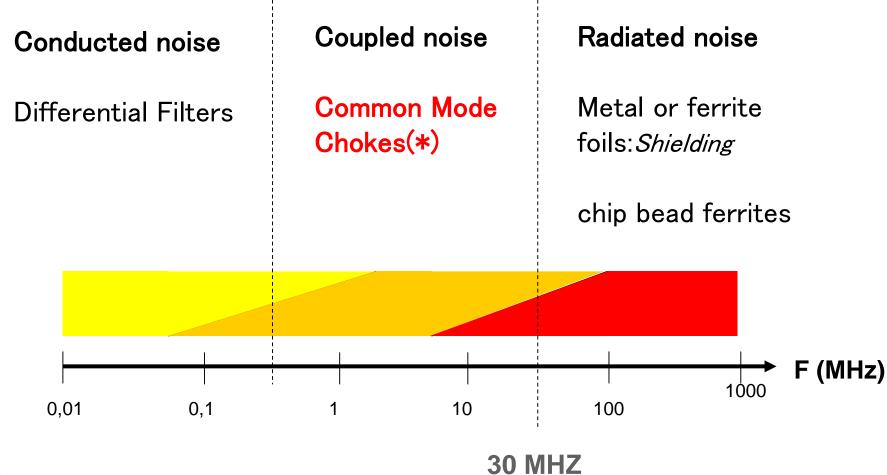






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## Structured noise suppression

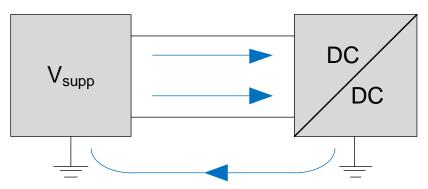


# Identification of the interference signal mode:

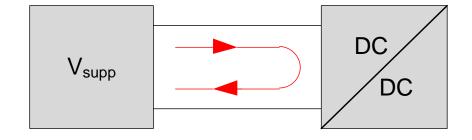
## Common-mode noise

## Differential-mode noise

#### Common Mode



#### **Differential Mode**





## Mode of interference – Identification



#### EMC laboratory approach:

Snap-ferrite attached to a cable (around all wires)

Reduced noise level?
Enhanced immunity?

yes

no

Cable acts as an antenna (common-mode)

Repeat of the procedure, until cable(s) identified



## Radiation in cables Solution 2: WE Snap Ferrite

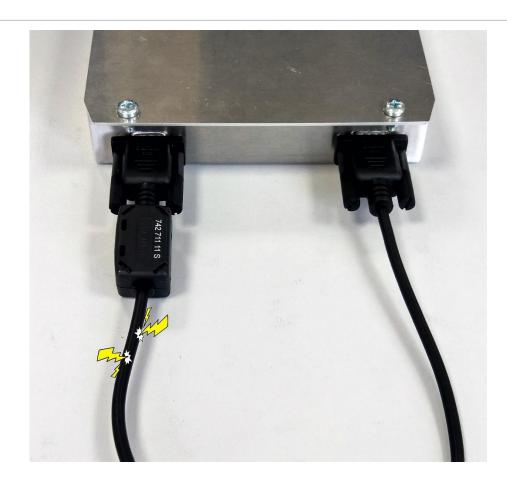


The second proposed solution is to set a WE Snap Ferrite in the external cable.

With this solution the snap ferrite placed absorbs the radiation caused by the common mode current.

In add the solution with this product achieves to reduce the radiation without changing the spectrum of the original signal.

Although it attenuates less the noise than the previous has the advantage of the signal is not changed by the ferrite material.





## **Available tools: RedExpert**



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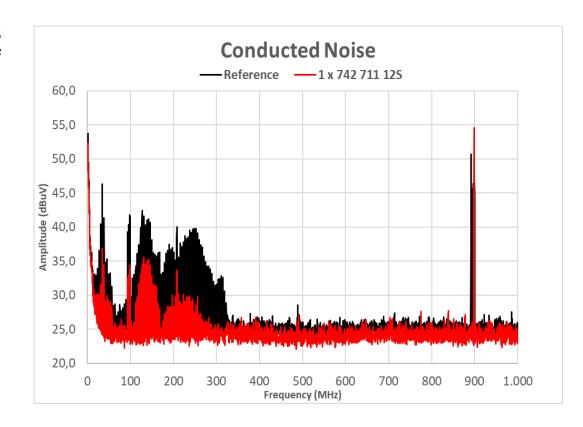




#### **Another example:**

WE Snap Ferrite, Ref no 742 711 12S is used this time, with the resulting figure of the right.



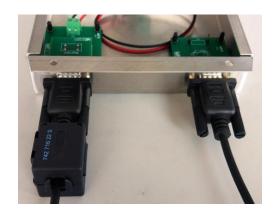


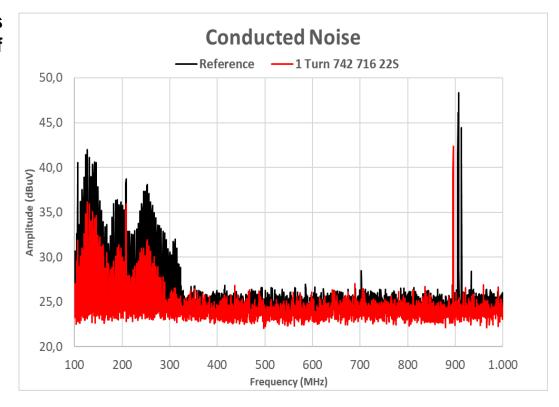




#### **Another example:**

WE Snap Ferrite, Ref no 742 716 22S is used this time, with the resulting figure of the right.



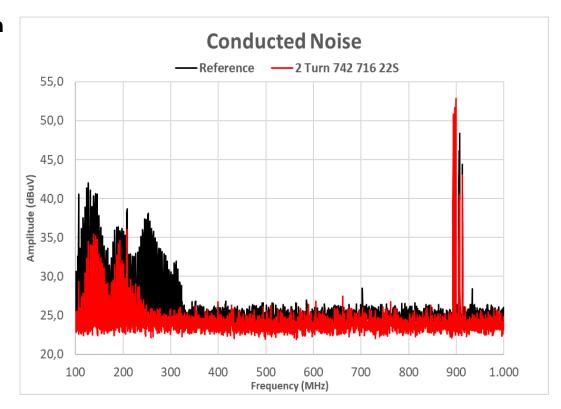






Now with two turns/two Snap Ferrites with WE Snap Ferrite, Ref no 742 716 22S.



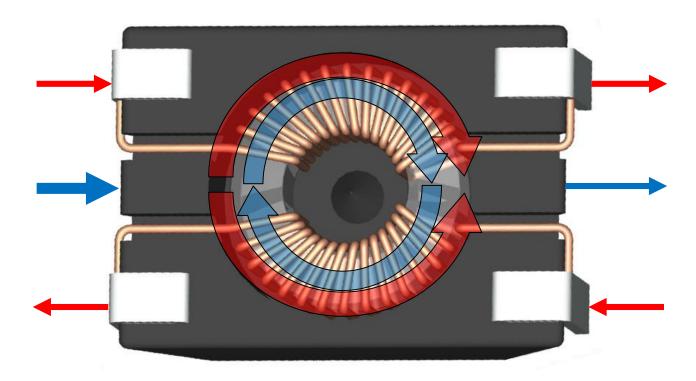




## **Common-mode choke – Signal theory**



#### Bidirectional filter element:



- Compensation of the <u>main</u> magnetic flux induced by the intended <u>DM</u> signal
- Attenuation of an unintended CM noise signal by reflection and absorption



## Radiation in cables Solution: WE Common Mode Choke



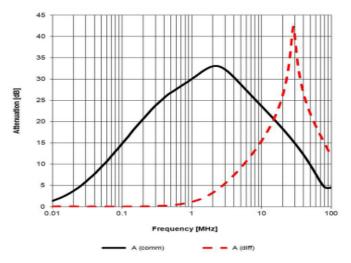
So next proposed solution is to include a WE Common Mode Choke (CMC) in the part that connects the internal circuit with the external cable (before the DB9 connector).

CMC works blocking through a huge impedance the noisy frequency components.

By placing it into the circuit all the highfrequency components can be reduced without modifying the original signal and decreasing considerably all the noise.

This solution is elegant because it achieves to reduce the noise without affecting the original signal. However, it has the disadvantage of that the internal circuit has to be redesigned.

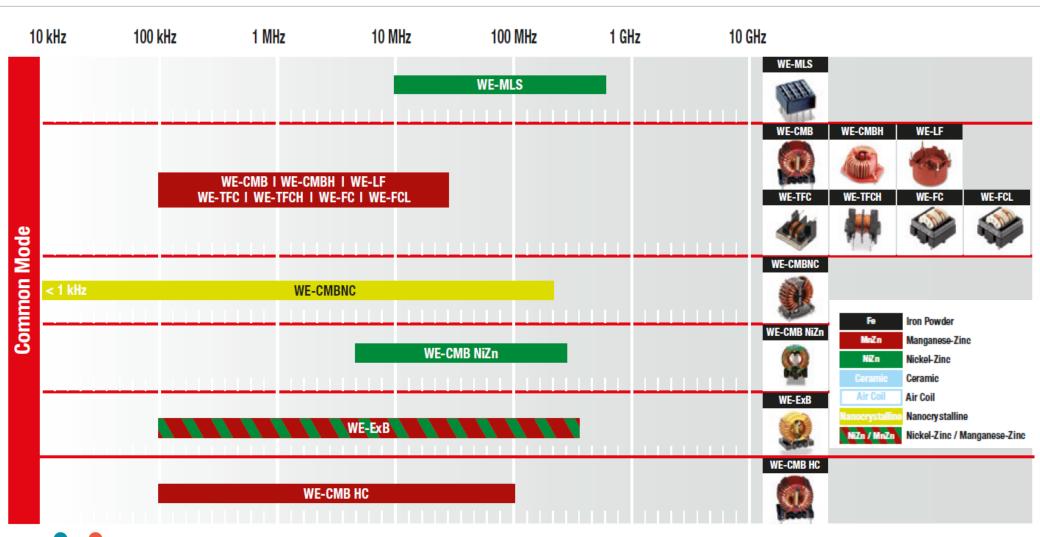






## **Core material – Common Mode Chokes**







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In order to test this solution, the desired WE Common Mode Choke has to be placed with the adapter (figures below the text) to the circuit as the figures of the right shows.

CMBNC SIZE XS

CNSW SIZE 0603









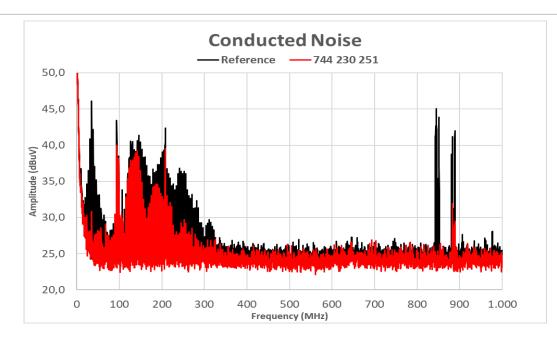




#### **Another example:**

Now with WE Common Mode Choke CNSW Size 0603, Ref no 744 230 251. It has a impedance of 250  $\Omega$  at 100 MHz.













	MnZn ferrite	NC ferrite
Initial permeability $\mu_{i}$	80015000	4000150000
Operating temperature $\vartheta_{\text{op}}$	<120°C	<150°C
Saturation induction B <sub>sat</sub>	<480mT	>1.2T
Curie temperature $\vartheta_{\text{C}}$	150°C200°C	>600°C
Coercivity H <sub>C</sub>	5A/m60A/m	<3A/m
Core losses p <sub>core</sub> (100kHz,300mT,100°C)	140W/kg	80W/kg

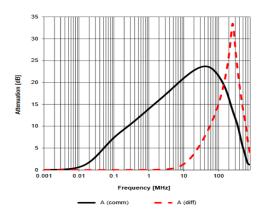


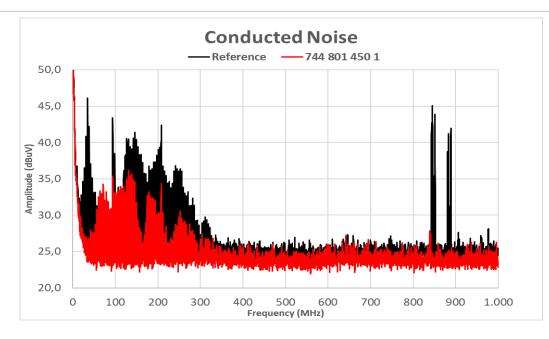


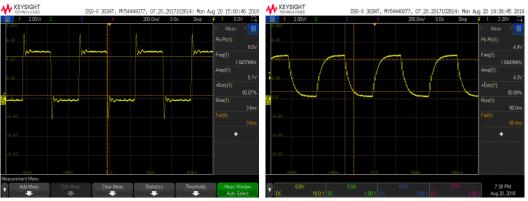
#### **Another example:**

This solution attenuates the noise at the same frequency than our system, this modifies the signal how it is observable on the bottom figures of the signal.

WE Common Mode Choke CMBNC Size XS, Ref n° 744 801 450 1 (0.4mH) is used this time, with the resulting figures of the right.





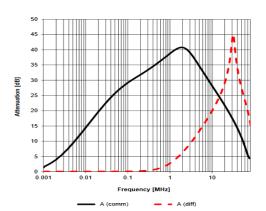


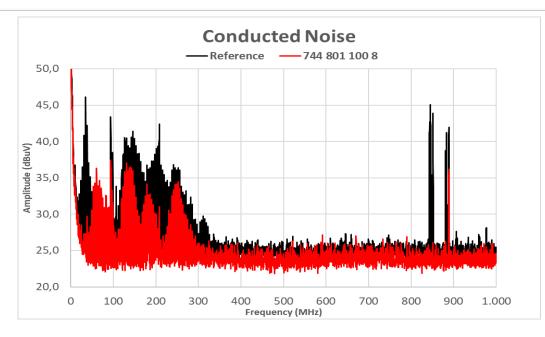




Now with WE Common Mode Choke CMBNC Size XS, Ref no 744 801 100 8 (8mH).

As it is observable, for a higher impedance the signal get worse. (differential mode impedance!)









### Radiation in cables

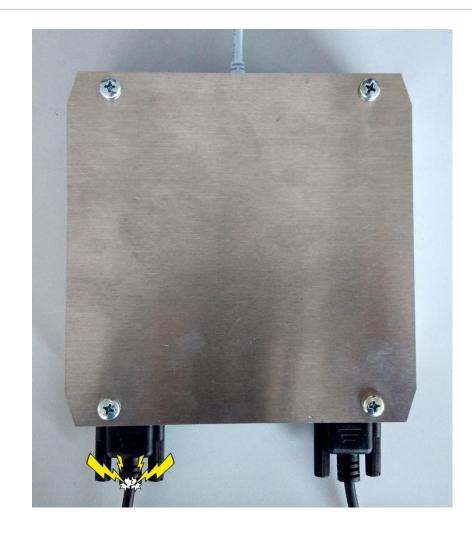


The second kind of problem is the directly dependence on edge time signal and common-mode currents with radiation in cables.

This problem can be studied by the measuring on the external cable without shielding.

The radiation spectrum of the external cable measured with a NFP shows a lot of frequency components.

These emissions are generated, mostly, by the common mode current in the cable, due to the different length of reference and signal leads.





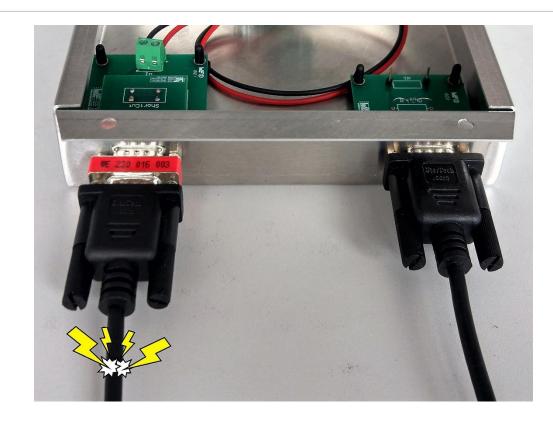
### Radiation in cables Solution 1: WE DB9 Filters



The first proposed solution is to set one WE DB9 in the enclosure output connector.

These filters are designed in order to apply a low-pass filter trimming down highfrequency spectrum of the signal. It also delays the rise/fall times to reduce all the frequency components (the noise).

By the setting of the filters, the high frequencies can be filtered and the fundamental peak is reduced although the signal may be modified.





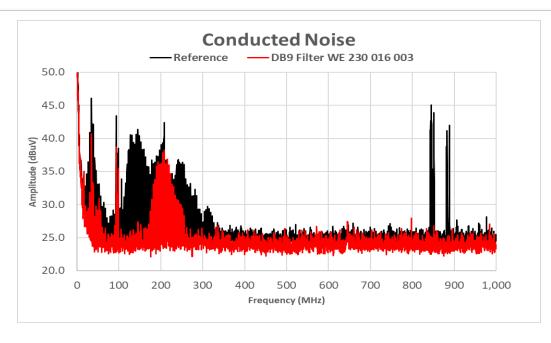


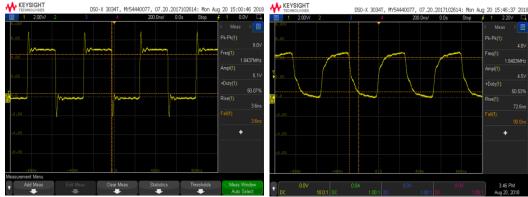
In the figure of the right, the yellow trace shows the measurement on the cable without any solution.

The blue trace shows the signal generated by the measurement of the first solution.

The figures of the bottom show the original signal measured on the load (left) and the figure on the right shows the degraded signal caused by the connection of the external cable to the DB9.

As can be observed, with the WE DB9 Filter the noise has been reduced but the signal has been modified.



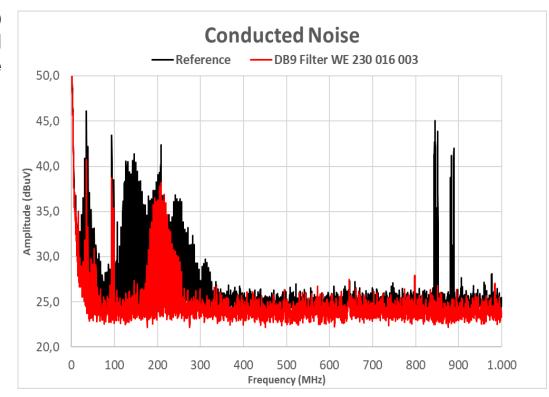






The WE DSUB-RF-Sealed Caps (black) achieves to diminish the radiated emissions through the connector as the red trace on the picture shows.







## Pytania





## Zakłócenia promieniowane ograniczanie i przeciwdziałanie

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