

EMI & EMC Simulation for Automotive Imager Module

Scope : EMI & EMC Simulation

Application : Advanced Driver Assistance System (ADAS)

EMI/EMC in automotive imager modules are a critical concern, especially with the increasing complexity of electronic systems in vehicles. To ensure compliance with industry standards like CISPR 25, engineers employ various EMI mitigation techniques. These include filtering, spread spectrum, and E-field shielding to reduce interference and protect the functionality of sensitive components such as cameras and sensors. Understanding and controlling EMI/EMC is essential for the reliability and safety of the system.

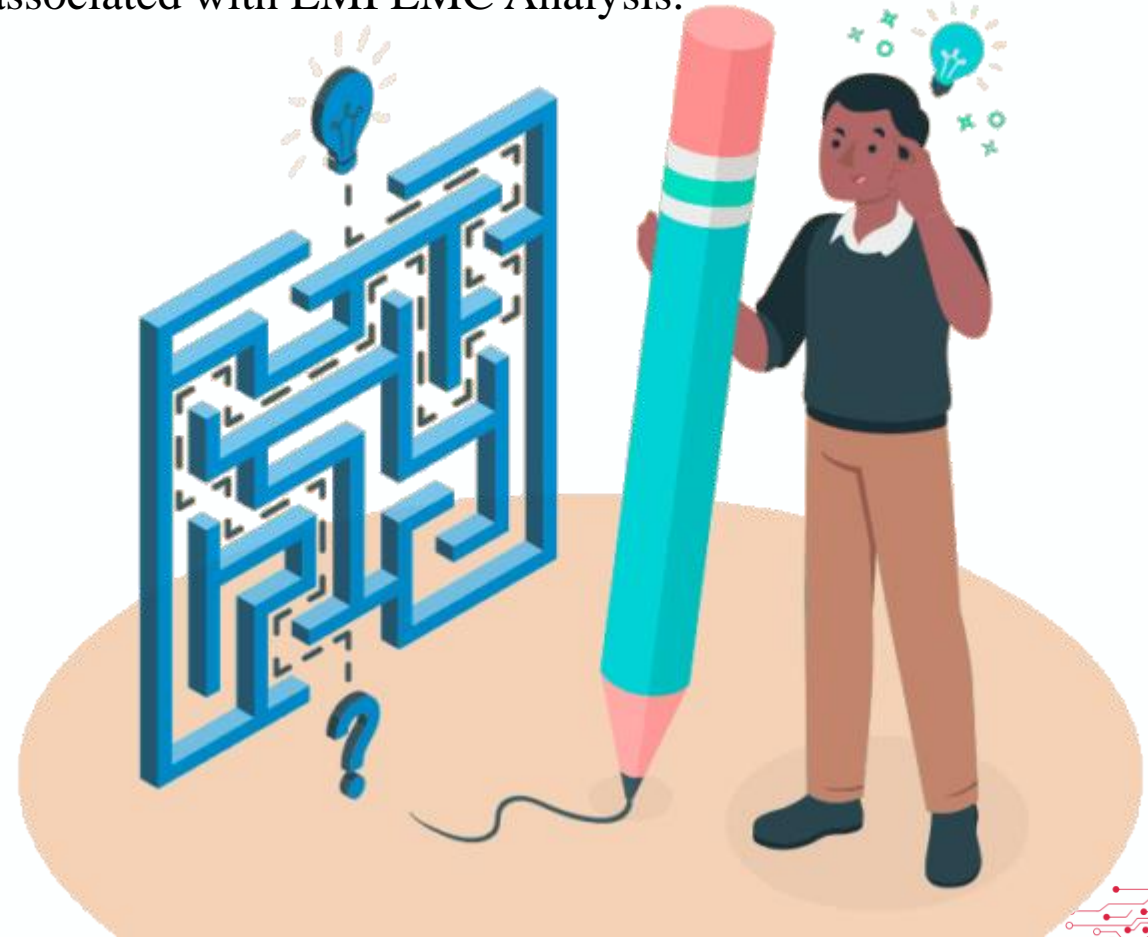


Simulation Challenges

The client requested to perform EMI & EMC analysis (Simulation in Tool) of the layout to ensure it passes CISPR 25. The following outlines the challenges associated with EMI EMC Analysis.

Challenges

- ◆ Modeling Accuracy
- ◆ Computational Complexity
- ◆ Material Characterization
- ◆ Meshing and Resolution
- ◆ Multi-Physics Interactions
- ◆ Obtaining IBIS Models for Components
- ◆ Simulation Setup at the Tool
- ◆ Layout Rework Based on Commands

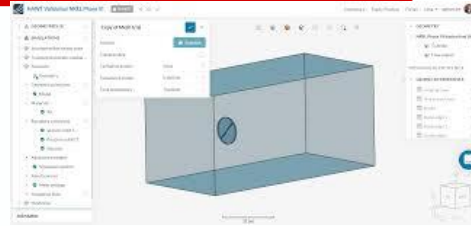


Analysis - SoW

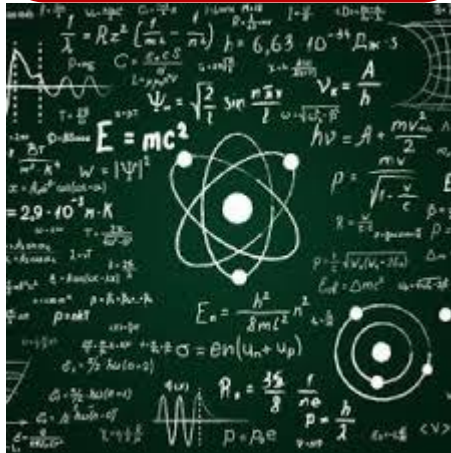
Input Study



Pre-Simulation Preparation



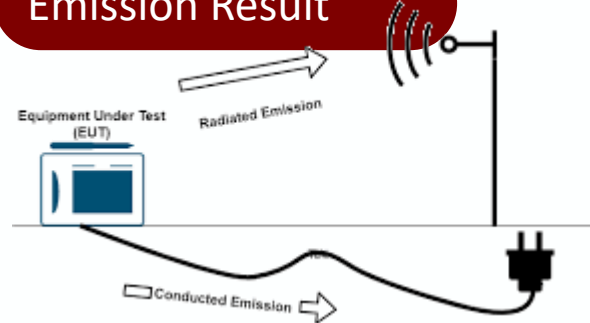
Physics Set-up



Anechoic Chamber set up



Emission Result



Immunity Result



Result & Conclusion

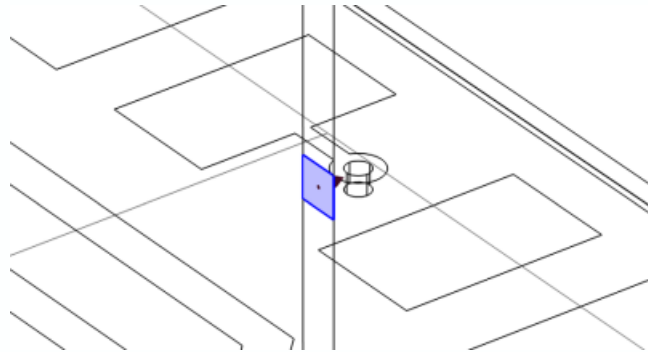
Pre-Simulation Preparation

The necessary inputs for simulating radiated emissions and interference in COMSOL were collected and imported into the simulation setup to ensure a realistic simulation.

Input Parameters Listing

#	Name	Material	Type	Weight	Thickness	Dk	Df
	Top Overlay		Overlay				
	Top Solder	Solder Resist	Solder Mask		0.4mil	3.5	
1	Top Layer	FR-4	Signal	1oz	1.4mil		
	Dielectric1	FR-4	Core		6.8mil	4.8	
2	Layer 2	FR-4	Signal	1/2oz	0.7mil		
	Dielectric2	FR-4	Prepreg		7mil	4.8	
3	Layer 3	FR-4	Signal	1/2oz	0.7mil		
	Dielectric3	FR-4	Core		6mil	4.8	
4	Layer 4	FR-4	Signal	1/2oz	0.7mil		
	Dielectric4	FR-4	Prepreg		7mil	4.8	
5	Layer 5	FR-4	Signal	1/2oz	0.7mil		
	Dielectric5	FR-4	Core		6.8mil	4.8	
6	Bottom Lay	FR-4	Signal				
7	Bottom Sdk	FR-4	Signal				
8	Bottom Ove	FR-4	Signal				

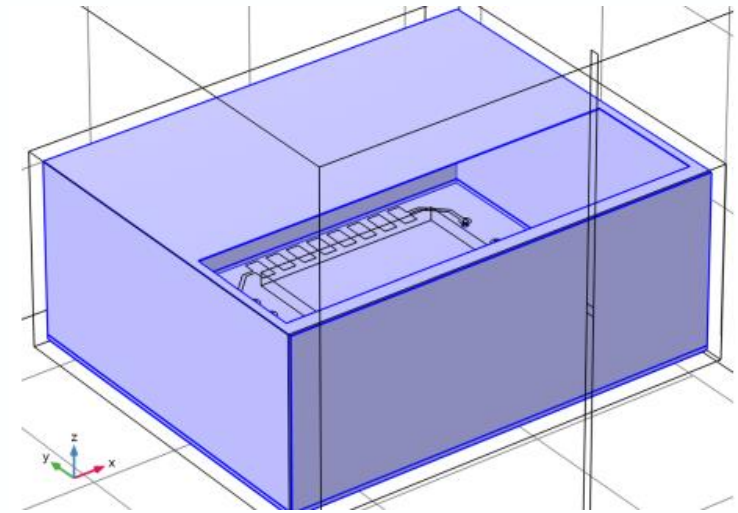
Dipole antenna



Equations

$$f_{nml} = \frac{c}{2\pi\sqrt{\epsilon_r\mu_r}} \sqrt{\left(\frac{m\pi}{a}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{n\pi}{b}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{l\pi}{d}\right)^2}$$

Layout in COMSOL

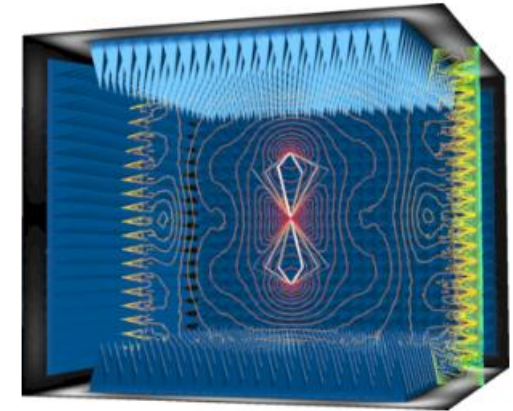


Physics Set-up

For power nets (1.8V, 1.2V, 2.8V), the S-parameter is calculated based on the simulation over the range of frequency from 2GHz to 6GHz.

As CISPR 25 is for frequency will be 30MHz to 5GHz for emission and radiation.

Anechoic Chamber set up



Physics Setting

TABLE 1: PHYSICS FEATURE LIST

FEATURES	PURPOSE	STUDY 1	STI
Lumped Port 1	Microstrip line excitation		Di
Port 2	Dipole antenna excitation	Disabled	
Element 1	50 Ω via termination		
Element 2	50 Ω via termination		
on Boundary Condition 1	Lossy copper surfaces		
Electric Conductor 2	Printed dipole strip, lossless	Disabled	
Electric Conductor 3	Metalized vias, lossless		
Electric Conductor 4	Jumpers, lossless		
Electric Conductor 5	Shielded interior walls, lossless		
ng Boundary Condition 1	Absorbing boundaries		
d Domain 1 and Far-Field tion 1	Near-field to far-field transformation		Disabled

Input Configuration

Property	Variable	Value	Unit	Property group
Relative permittivity	epsilon _{nr_iso} ; epsilon _{nrii} = epsilon _{nr_iso} , epsilon _{nrij} = 0	12	1	Basic
Relative permeability	mu _{r_iso} ; mu _{rii} = mu _{r_iso} , mu _{rij} = 0	1	1	Basic
Electrical conductivity	sigma _{iso} ; sigma _{mai} = sigma _{iso} , sigma _{maj} = 0	0	S/m	Basic

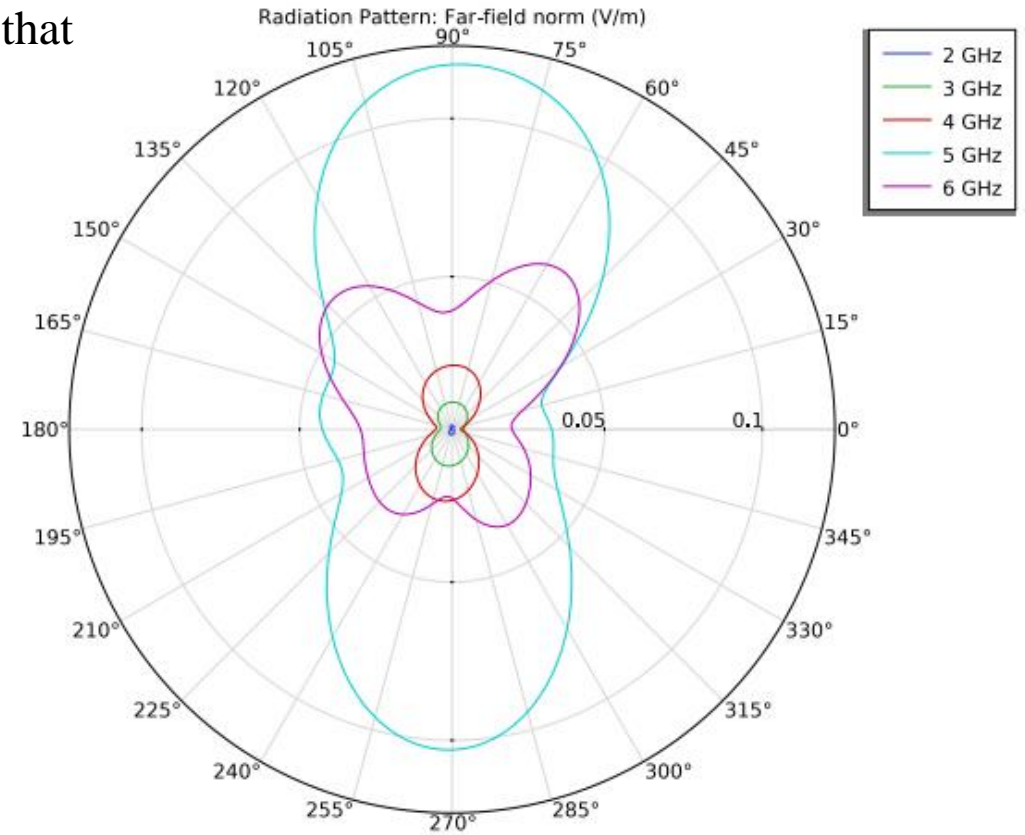
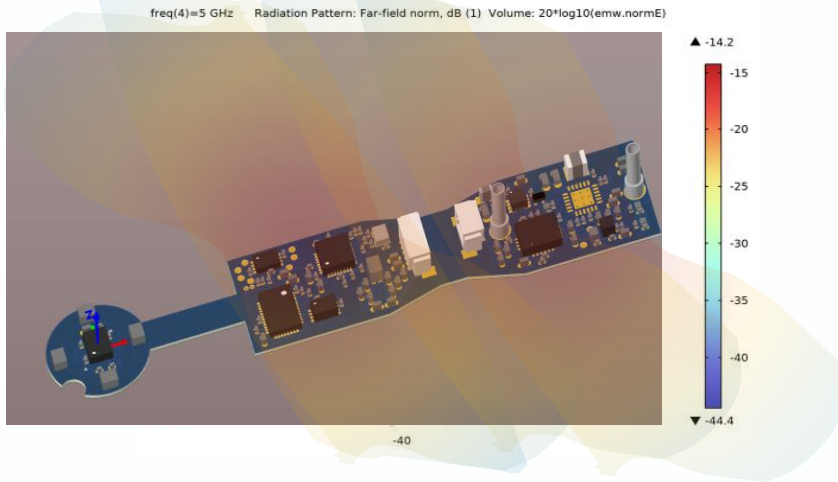
Start Simulation



Result – Radiated Emission

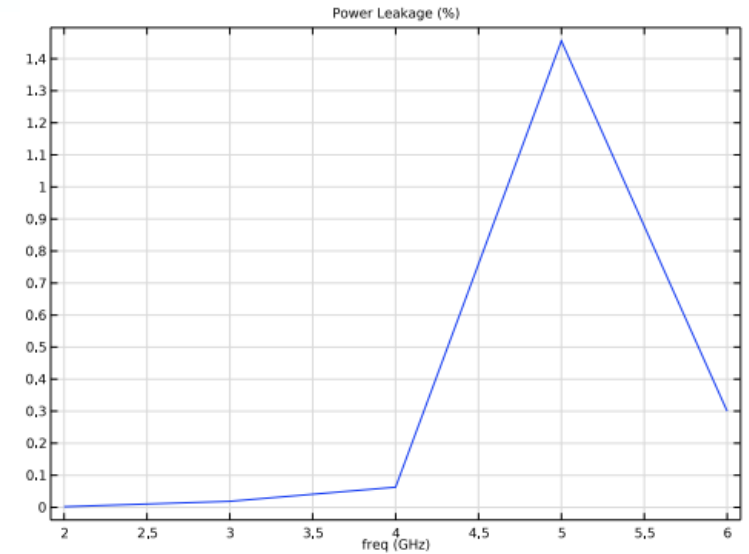
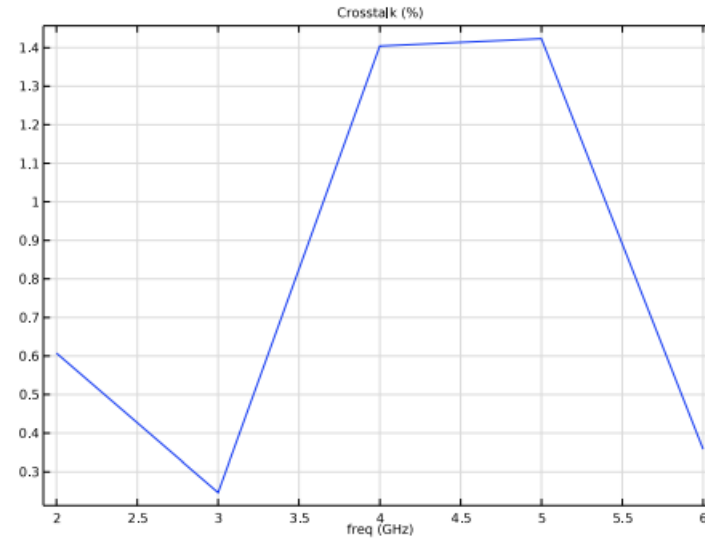
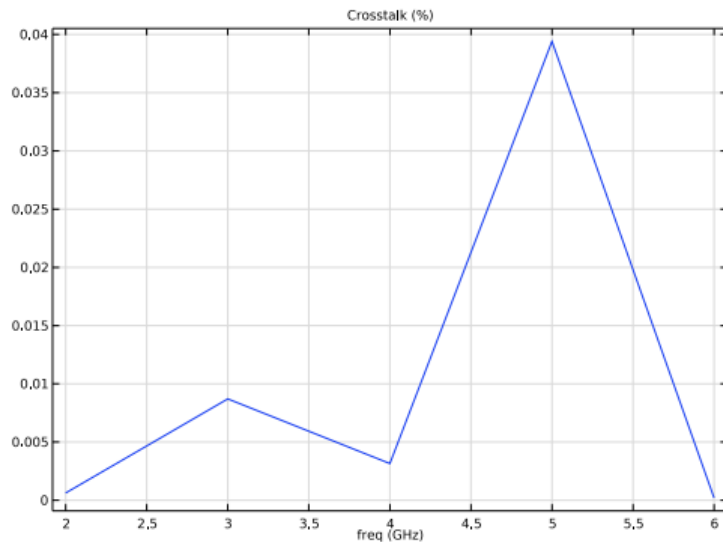
Radiated emission pattern for far field analysis shows that at right angle to board shows low (0.14 V/m) value. This concluded that the emission is low in the far field.

Distance: in all Direction. Far field



Result - Immunity

Based on the results, it is observed that the strongest coupled field, crosstalk, and radiation happen around 5GHz even when the printed dipole antenna is supposed to be better for the Wi-Fi frequency. But this is not high as per CISPER 25 condition.



Crosstalk ratio, the coupled power (adjacent line) to the input power (signal path).



Customer Testimonial

Excited to present a testimonial from a content client, emphasizing the success and positive impact of our EMI & EMC Analysis.

We are thrilled with the results of our recent EMI & EMC simulation project. The team delivered exceptional performance, achieving accurate and reliable simulation results at a remarkably low cost. Despite the complexity of the task, they completed the project within a tight timeframe without compromising on quality. Their expertise and efficiency have significantly contributed to our product's compliance with regulatory standard (CISPR-25), all while staying well within budget. We highly recommend them for their dedication to excellence and cost-effective solutions.



Conclusion

Our commitment to excellence and technical expertise was evident in the successful delivery of tailored EMI/EMC handling solutions that met the CISPR 25 requirements.

We simulate the PCB with real time simulation to verify the circuit will pass the CISPR 25 EMI & EMC test, that reduce the product testing cost.

Our commitment is focused to delivering top-tier Analysis services, showcasing our unparalleled skills and unwavering reliability in achieving outstanding results.

