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Model: HMA-L29, HMA-L09

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REV.	DESCRIPTION	ISSUED DATE	REMARK
Rev.1.0	Initial Test Report Release	2020-04-23	Sun Shaobin
Rev.1.1	Refresh the BT UHD conducted power in section 7.1	2020-05-07	Sun Shaobin



### 1 General Information

#### 1.1 Statement of Compliance

The maximum results of Specific Absorption Rate (SAR) found during testing are below Table 1.

	Max Reported SAR(W/kg)			
Band	Head	Body Worn	Hotspot	Product Specific 10-g
GSM850	0.33	0.44	0.62	1
GSM1900	0.22	0.66	0.81	1.86
UMTS Band II	0.48	0.92	0.80	2.14
UMTS Band IV	0.69	0.97	0.99	2.14
UMTS Band V	0.45	0.39	0.61	1
LTE Band 2	0.48	0.97	0.76	2.14
LTE Band 4	0.62	0.98	0.71	2.12
LTE Band 5	0.41	0.37	0.62	1
LTE Band 7	0.32	0.61	0.64	1.03
LTE Band 12	0.52	0.34	0.44	1
LTE Band 17	0.34	0.33	0.43	1
LTE Band 26	0.41	0.34	0.55	1
LTE Band 38	0.44	0.41	0.54	1
LTE Band 41	0.42	0.34	0.60	1
WiFi 2.4G	0.56	0.07	0.21	1
WiFi 5G	0.49	0.34	0.63	1.97
BT	0.13	0.05	0.08	0.17

The highest reported SAR for Head, Body Worn, Hotspot, Product Specific 10-g SAR and Simultaneous transmission exposure conditions are 0.69 W/kg, 0.98 W/kg, 0.99 W/kg, 2.14 W/kg and 1.45 W/kg per KDB690783 D01.

Table 1: Summary of test result

Note:

The device is tested Specific Absorption Rate (SAR) according to the FCC rule §2.1093, the ANSI C95.1:1992/IEEE C95.1:1991, the NCRP Report Number 86 for uncontrolled environment, and had been tested in accordance with the measurement methods and procedures specified in IEEE Std 1528-2013.

<sup>1)\*</sup> For body worn operation, this device has been tested with FCC RF exposure guidelines when used with any accessory that contains no metal and that positions the handset a minimum of 15mm from the body. Use of other accessories may not ensure compliance with FCC RF exposure guidelines.

<sup>2)\*\*</sup> For Product Specific 10-g SAR operation, this device has been tested and meets the 10-g SAR limits of 4.0 W/kg for general population/ uncontrolled exposure according to ANSI C95.1:1992/IEEE C95.1:1991.



#### 1.2 RF exposure limits

Human Exposure	Uncontrolled Environment General Population	Controlled Environment Occupational
Spatial Peak SAR* (Brain/Body/Arms/Legs)	1.60 W/kg	8.00 W/kg
Spatial Average SAR** (Whole Body)	0.08 W/kg	0.40 W/kg
Spatial Peak SAR*** (Hands/Feet/Ankle/Wrist)	4.00 W/kg	20.00 W/kg

Table 2: RF exposure limits

The limit applied in this test report is shown in **bold** letters

### Notes:

- \* The Spatial Peak value of the SAR averaged over any 1 gram of tissue (defined as a tissue volume in the shape of a cube) and over the appropriate averaging time.
- \*\* The Spatial Average value of the SAR averaged over the whole body.
- \*\*\* The Spatial Peak value of the SAR averaged over any 10 grams of tissue (defined as a tissue volume in the shape of a cube) and over the appropriate averaging time.

**Uncontrolled Environments** are defined as locations where there is the exposure of individuals who have no knowledge or control of their exposure.

**Controlled Environments** are defined as locations where there is exposure that may be incurred by persons who are aware of the potential for exposure, (i.e. as a result of employment or occupation

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### 1.3 EUT Description

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Device Information:			
Product Name:	Smart Phone		
Model:	HMA-L29, HMA-L09		
SN:	XPH0219114000006		
Device Type :	Portable device		
Device Phase:	Identical Prototype		
Exposure Category:	Uncontrolled environment /	general population	
Hardware Version :	HL1HIMAM	<u> </u>	
Software Version :	10.1.0.190(C432E23R2P5)		
Antenna Type :	Internal antenna		
Other Accessories	Headset		
Device Operating Configura			
Supporting Mode(s)	GSM850/1900, UMTS Ba WiFi 2.4G/5G, BT, NFC		2/4/5/7/12/17/26/38/41,
Test Modulation	GSM(GMSK/8PSK),UMTS( LTE(QPSK/16QAM/64QAM WiFi(DSSS/OFDM),BT(GF	ĺ),	
Device Class	В		
	Band	Tx (MHz)	Rx (MHz)
	GSM850	824-849	869 - 894
	GSM1900	1850-1910	1930-1990
	UMTS Band II	1850-1910	1930-1990
	UMTS Band IV	1710-1755	2110-2155
	UMTS Band V	824-849	869 - 894
	LTE Band 2	1850-1910	1930-1990
	LTE Band 4	1710-1755	2110-2155
	LTE Band 5	824-849	869-894
Operating Frequency	LTE Band 7 LTE Band 12	2500-2570	2620 -2690
Range(s)	LTE Band 12	699-716 704-716	729-746 734-746
	LTE Band 17	814-849	859-894
	LTE Band 38		-2620
	LTE Band 41		-2690
	BT		2483.5
	WiFi 2.4G		-2472
			-5350
	WiFi 5G		-5725
			-5850
	NFC	13	5.56
	Max Number of Timeslots in Uplink: 4		4
GPRS Multislot Class(12)	Max Number of Timeslots	in Downlink:	4
	Max Total Timeslot:		5
EGPRS Multislot Class(12)	Max Number of Timeslots in Uplink:		4
	Max Number of Timeslots	in Downlink:	4
	Max Total Timeslot: 5		
HSDPA UE Category	14		
HSUPA UE Category	6		
DC-HSDPA UE Category	4 tested with power level 5/	CCM0E0)	
Power Class:	4,tested with power level 5	GOIVIOOU)	



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		1,tested with power level 0(GSM1900)
		3, tested with power control "all 1"(UMTS Bands)
		3, tested with power control all Max.(LTE Bands)
		128-190-251(GSM850)
		512-661-810(GSM1900)
		9262-9400-9538(UMTS Band II)
		1312-1413-1513(UMTS Band IV)
		4132-4182-4233(UMTS Band V)
		18607-18900-19193(LTE Band 2 BW=1.4MHz)
		18615-18900-19185(LTE Band 2 BW=3MHz)
		18625-18900-19175(LTE Band 2 BW=5MHz)
		18650-18900-19150(LTE Band 2 BW=10MHz)
		18675-18900-19125(LTE Band 2 BW=15MHz)
		18700-18900-19100(LTE Band 2 BW=20MHz)
		19957-20175-20393(LTE Band 4 BW=1.4MHz)
		19965-20175-20385(LTE Band 4 BW=3MHz)
		19975-20175-20375(LTE Band 4 BW=5MHz)
		20000-20175-20350(LTE Band 4 BW=10MHz)
		20025-20175-20325(LTE Band 4 BW=15MHz)
		20050-20175-20300(LTE Band 4 BW=20MHz)
		20407-20525-20643(LTE Band 5 BW=1.4MHz)
		20415-20525-20635(LTE Band 5 BW=3MHz)
		20425-20525-20625(LTE Band 5 BW=5MHz)
		20450-20525-20600(LTE Band 5 BW=10MHz)
		20775-21100-21425(LTE Band 7 BW=5MHz)
		20800-21100-21400(LTE Band 7 BW=10MHz)
		20825-21100-21375(LTE Band 7 BW=15MHz)
Test Channels	(low-mid-	20850-21100-21350(LTE Band 7 BW=20MHz)
high):	(IOW-IIIId-	23017-23095-23173(LTE Band 12 BW=1.4MHz)
111g11).		23025-23095-23165(LTE Band 12 BW=3MHz)
		23035-23095-23155(LTE Band 12 BW=5MHz)
		23060-23095-23130(LTE Band 12 BW=10MHz)
		23755-23790-23825(LTE Band 17 BW=5MHz)
		23780-23790-23800(LTE Band 17 BW=10MHz)
		26697-26865-27033(LTE Band 26 BW=1.4MHz)
		26705-26865-27025(LTE Band 26 BW=1.4WHz)
		26715-26865-27015(LTE Band 26 BW=5MHz)
		26740-26865-26990(LTE Band 26 BW=10MHz)
		26765-26865-26965(LTE Band 26 BW=15MHz)
		37775-38000-38225(LTE Band 38 BW=5MHz)
		37800-38000-38200(LTE Band 38 BW=10MHz)
		37825-38000-38175(LTE Band 38 BW=15MHz)
		37850-38000-38150(LTE Band 38 BW=20MHz)
		39675-40148-40620-41093-41565(LTE Band 41 BW=5MHz)
		39700-40160-40620-41080-41540(LTE Band 41 BW=10MHz)
		39725-40173-40620-41068-41515(LTE Band 41 BW=15MHz)
		39750-40185-40620-41055-41490(LTE Band 41 BW=10MHz)
		802.11b/g/n 20M: 1-3-7 (WiFi 2.4G)
		802.11b/g/i1 20M. 1-3-7 (WIFI 2.4G) 802.11n 40M:3-6-9(WiFi 2.4G)
		, ,
		802.11a/n/ac 20M: 36-40-44-48-52-56-60-64-100-104-108-112-116-120-
		124-128-132-136-140-149-153-157-161-165 (WiFi 5G)
		802.11 n/ac 40M: 38-46-54-62-102-110-118-126-134-151-159 (WiFi 5G)
		802.11ac 80M: 42-58-106-122-155 (WiFi 5G)
		802.11ac 160M: 50-114 (WiFi 5G)



BT: 0-1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-19-20-21-22-23-24-26-
27-28-30-32-33-34-35-36-37-38-39-45-46-51-52-61-69-70-72-73-74-75-78

Table 3: Device information and operating configuration

1)\*For WiFi 5G,the device does not support channel 144(20M), channel 142(40M) and channel 138(80M).

### **Difference Description:**

The BT change HMA-L29/HMA-L09 new and HMA-L29/HMA-L09 old is as below:

Item	HMA-L29/HMA-L09 old	HMA-L29/HMA-L09 new
BT Function	Not support BT UHD function	Support BT UHD function by upgrade software, BT UHD has 5 kinds mode, which are BLE UHD 1M GFSK, BLE UHD 2M GFSK, BLE UHD 2M π/4-DQPSK, BLE UHD 4M π/4-DQPSK, BLE UHD 2M 8DQPSK

#### According to the difference description above:

- 1) The test plan for HMA-L29/HMA-L09 new is as below:
  - a) Additional conducted power tests are performed for BT UHD. SAR for BT UHD is not required because the maximum power of BT UHD is not higher than BT-DH5.
  - b) For other frequency bands, HMA-L29/HMA-L09 new shares the same test data of HMA-L29/HMA-L09 old(report no.: E5/2018/80016)



#### 1.3.1 General Description

HMA-L09/HMA-L29 is subscriber equipment in the GSM/WCDMA/LTE system. The GSM frequency band includes GSM850 and GSM900 and DCS1800 and PCS1900. The UMTS frequency band is B1 and B2 and B4 and B5 and B6 and B8 and B19. The LTE frequency band is B1 and B2 and B3 and B4 and B5 and B6 and B7 and B8 and B9 and B12 and B17 and B18 and B19 and B20 and B26 and B28 and B34 and B38 and B39 and B40 and B41. The LTE frequency band for intra-band carrier aggregation uplink operation band is CA\_1C and CA\_3C and CA\_5B and CA\_7C and CA\_39C and CA\_40C and CA\_41C. But only GSM900 and GSM1800, UMTS frequency B1 and B8, LTE frequency B1 and B3 and B7 and B8 and B20 and B28 and B34 and B38 and B40 bands, CA\_1C and CA\_3C and CA\_7C and CA\_38C and CA\_40C test data included in this report. The Mobile Phone implements such functions as RF signal receiving/transmitting, LTE/HSPA/UMTS and GSM/GPRS/EDGE protocol processing, voice, video MMS service, GPS, AGPS, FM and WIFI etc. Externally it provides one micro SD card interface (it can also used as SIM card interface), earphone port (to provide voice service) and one SIM card interface. HMA-L29 is dual SIM smart phone. HMA-L09 is single SIM smart phone. It also provides Bluetooth module to synchronize data between a PC and the phone, or to use the built-in modem of the phone to access the Internet with a PC, or to exchange data with other Bluetooth devices.

According to the difference description above, full test is performed on HMA-L29. The model HMA-L09 shares the same test data of HMA-L29 for the same frequency bands and operation modes.

#### **Battery information:**

Name	Manufacture	Description	
	HUAWEI (Manufacturer Sunwoda)	Battery Model: HB436486ECW Rated capacity: 3900mAh	
Rechargeable Li-ion	HUAWEI (Manufacturer Desay)	Nominal Voltage: +3.82V Charging Voltage: +4.40V	



### 1.4 Test specification(s)

ANSI C95.1:1992/	Safety Levels with Respect to Human Exposure to Radio Frequency
IEEE C95.1:1991	Electromagnetic Fields, 3 kHz – 300 GHz.
	Recommended Practice for Determining the Peak Spatial-Average Specific
IEEE Std 1528-2013	Absorption Rate (SAR) in the Human Head from Wireless Communications
	Devices: Measurement Techniques
KDB 941225 D01	3G SAR Procedures v03r01
KDB 941225 D05	SAR for LTE Devices v02r05
KDB 941225 D05A	LTE Rel.10 KDB Inquiry Sheet v01r02
KDB 941225 D06	Hotspot SAR v02r01
KDB 447498 D01	General RF Exposure Guidance v06
KDB 648474 D04	Handsets SAR v01r03
KDB 248227 D01	SAR Guidance for IEEE 802 11 Wi-Fi SAR v02r02
KDB 865664 D01	SAR measurement 100 MHz to 6 GHz v01r04
KDB 865664 D02	RF Exposure Reporting v01r02
KDB 690783 D01	SAR Listings on Grants v01r03
KDB 616217 D04	SAR for laptop and tablets v01r02

### 1.5 Testing laboratory

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Test Site	Reliability Laboratory of Huawei Technologies Co., Ltd.
Test Location	NO.2 New City Avenue Songshan Lake Sci. & Tech. Industry Park, Dongguan, Guangdong, P.R.C
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State of accreditation	The Test laboratory (area of testing) is accredited according to ISO/IEC 17025.  CNAS Registration number: L0310  A2LA TESTING CERT # 2174.01 & 2174.02 & 2174.03

### 1.6 Applicant and Manufacturer

Company Name	HUAWEI TECHNOLOGIES CO., LTD
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### 1.7 Application details

Start Date of test	2020-04-08
End Date of test	2020-04-08

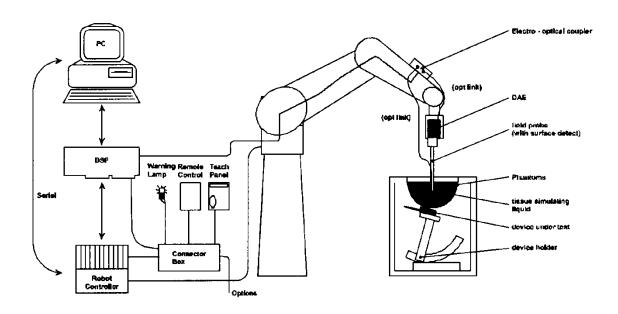
### 1.8 Ambient Condition

Ambient temperature	18°C – 25°C
Relative Humidity	30% – 70%



### 2 SAR Measurement System

#### 2.1 SAR Measurement Set-up



The DASY system for performing compliance tests consists of the following items:

- A standard high precision 6-axis robot (Stäubli RX family) with controller and software. An arm extension for accommodating the data acquisition electronics (DAE).
- A dosimetric probe, i.e. an isotropic E-field probe optimized and calibrated for usage in tissue simulating liquid. The probe is equipped with an optical surface detector system.
- A data acquisition electronic (DAE) which performs the signal amplification, signal multiplexing, ADconversion, offset measurements, mechanical surface detection, collision detection, etc. The unit is battery powered with standard or rechargeable batteries. The signal is optically transmitted to the EOC.
- A unit to operate the optical surface detector which is connected to the EOC.
- The <u>E</u>lectro-<u>O</u>ptical <u>C</u>oupler (EOC) performs the conversion from the optical into a digital electric signal of the DAE. The EOC is connected to the DASY measurement server.
- The DASY measurement server, which performs all real-time data evaluation for field measurements and surface detection, controls robot movements and handles safety operation. A computer operating Windows 7.
- DASY software and SEMCAD data evaluation software.
- Remote control with teach panel and additional circuitry for robot safety such as warning lamps, etc.
- The generic twin phantom enabling the testing of left-hand and right-hand usage.
- The device holder for handheld mobile phones.
- Tissue simulating liquid mixed according to the given recipes.
- System check dipoles allowing to validate the proper functioning of the system.



#### 2.2 Test environment

The DASY measurement system is placed at the head end of a room with dimensions:

 $5 \times 2.5 \times 3 \text{ m}^3$ , the SAM phantom is placed in a distance of 75 cm from the side walls and 1.1m from the rear wall. Above the test system a 1.5 x 1.5 m<sup>2</sup> array of pyramid absorbers is installed to reduce reflections from the ceiling.

Picture 1 of the photo documentation shows a complete view of the test environment.

The system allows the measurement of SAR values larger than 0.005 mW/g.

#### 2.3 Data Acquisition Electronics description

The data acquisition electronics (DAE) consist of a highly sensitive electrometer-grade preamplifier with auto-zeroing, a channel and gain-switching multiplexer, a fast 16 bit AD-converted and a command decoder with a control logic unit. Transmission to the measurement server is accomplished through an optical downlink for data and status information, as well as an optical uplink for commands and the clock.

The mechanical probe mounting device includes two different sensor systems for frontal and sideways Probe contacts. They are used for mechanical surface detection and probe collision detection.

#### DAE

DAE		
Input Impedance	200MOhm	American Service Control of the Cont
The Inputs	symmetrical and floating	DAE 4 PART NO. 60 000 dole au 60 000
Common mode rejection	above 80 dB	01/08 01/08

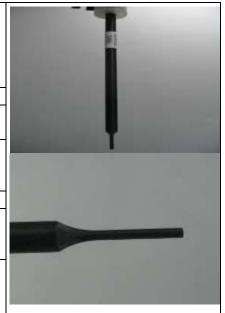


### 2.4 Probe description

These probes are specially designed and calibrated for use in liquids with high permittivities. They should not be used in air, since the spherical isotropy in air is poor (±2 dB). The dosimetric probes have special calibrations in various liquids at different frequencies.

Isotropic E-Field Probe ES3DV3 for Dosimetric Measurements

Isotropic E-Field Probe ES3DV3 for Dosimetric Measurements			
Construction	Symmetrical design with triangular core Interleaved sensors Built-in shielding against static charges		
	PEEK enclosure material (resistant to organic solvents, e.g., DGBE)		
Calibration	ISO/IEC 17025 calibration service available.		
Frequency	10 MHz to 4 GHz; Linearity: ± 0.2 dB (30 MHz to 4 GHz)		
Directivity	± 0.2 dB in HSL (rotation around probe axis) ± 0.3 dB in tissue material (rotation normal to probe axis)		
Dynamic range	5 μW/g to > 100 mW/g; Linearity: ± 0.2 dB		
Dimensions	Overall length: 337 mm (Tip: 20 mm) Tip diameter: 3.9 mm (Body: 12 mm) Distance from probe tip to dipole centers: 2.0 mm		
Application	General dosimetry up to 4 GHz Dosimetry in strong gradient fields Compliance tests of mobile phones		



Isotropic E-Field Probe EX3DV4 for Dosimetric Measurements

Construction	Symmetrical design with triangular core Built-in shielding against static charges PEEK enclosure material (resistant to organic solvents, e.g., DGBE)
Calibration	ISO/IEC 17025 calibration service available.
Frequency	10 MHz to >6 GHz; Linearity: ± 0.2 dB (30 MHz to 6 GHz)
Directivity	± 0.3 dB in HSL (rotation around probe axis) ± 0.5 dB in tissue material (rotation normal to probe axis)
Dynamic range	10 μW/g to > 100 mW/g; Linearity: ± 0.2 dB(noise: typically<1μW/g)
Dimensions	Overall length: 337 mm (Tip:20 mm) Tip diameter:2.5 mm (Body:12 mm) Typical distance from probe tip to dipole centers: 1mm
Application	High precision dosimetric measurements in any exposure scenario (e.g., very strong gradient fields). Only probe which enables compliance testing for frequencies up to 6 GHz with precision of better 30%





#### 2.5 Phantom description

#### **SAM Twin Phantom**

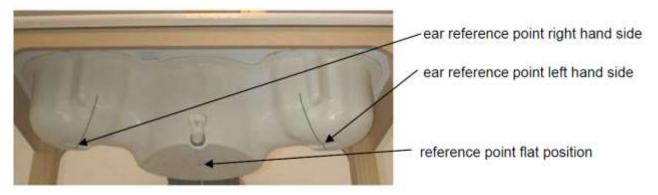
Shell Thickness	2mm±0.2mm;The ear region:6.0±0.2mm	0
Filling Volume	Approximately 25 liters	
Dimensions	Length:1000mm; Width:500mm; Height: adjustable feet	
Measurement Areas	Left hand Right hand Flat phantom	



The bottom plate contains three pairs of bolts for locking the device holder. The device holder positions are adjusted to the standard measurement positions in the three sections.

A white cover is provided to cover the phantom during off-periods to prevent water evaporation and changes in the liquid parameters. Free space scans of devices on top of this phantom cover are possible. Three reference marks are provided on the phantom counter. These reference marks are used to teach the absolute phantom position relative to the robot.

The following figure shows the definition of reference point:



#### **ELI4 Phantom**

Shell Thickness	2mm±0.2mm	
Filling Volume	Approximately 30 liters	
Dimensions	Major axis:600mm; Minor axis:400mm;	
Measurement Areas	Flat phantom	

The ELI4 phantom is intended for compliance testing of handheld and body-mounted wireless devices in the frequency range of 30MHz to 6GHz. ELI4 is fully compatible with the latest draft of the standard IEC 62209-2 and all known tissue simulating liquids.

The phantom shell material is resistant to all ingredients used in the tissue-equivalent liquid recipes. The shell of the phantom including ear spacers is constructed from low permittivity and low loss material, with a relative permittivity  $2 \le \le \le 3$  at  $\le 3$  GHz,  $3 \le \le \le 4$  at  $\ge 3$  GHz and a loss tangent  $\le 0.05$ .



#### Modular Triple Flat Phantom

Shell Thickness (bottom plate)	2mm±0.2mm	
Filling Volume (Module)	approx. 8.1 liters (filling height: 155 mm)	E Browners
Dimensions	Length: 292 mm Width: 178 mm Height: 178 mm Useable area: 280 × 175 mm	
Measurement Areas	Flat phantom	

The Modular Flat Phantom consists of three identical modules that can be installed and removed separately without emptying the liquid. It is used for compliance testing of small wireless devices in body-worn configurations according to IEC 62209-2, etc.

#### 2.6 Device holder description

The DASY device holder has two scales for device rotation (with respect to the body axis) and the device inclination (with respect to the line between the ear openings). The plane between the ear openings and the mouth tip has a rotation angle of 65°. The bottom plate contains three pair of bolts for locking the device holder. The device holder positions are adjusted to the standard measurement positions in the three sections. This device holder is used for standard mobile phones or PDA's only. If necessary an additional support of polystyrene material is used.



The DASY device holder is constructed of low-loss POM material having the following dielectric parameters: relative permittivity  $\varepsilon$  =3 and loss tangent  $\sigma$  =0.02. The amount of dielectric material has been reduced in the closest vicinity of the device, since measurements have suggested that the influence of the clamp on the test results could thus be lowered.

The device holder permits the device to be positioned with a tolerance of  $\pm 1^{\circ}$  in the tilt angle.

Larger DUT's (e.g. notebooks) cannot be tested using this device holder. Instead a support of bigger polystyrene cubes and thin polystyrene plates is used to position the DUT in all relevant positions to find and measure spots with maximum SAR values.

Therefore those devices are normally only tested at the flat part of the SAM.



#### 2.7 Test Equipment List

This table gives a complete overview of the SAR measurement equipment.

Devices used during the test described are marked  $\boxtimes$ 

	Manufacturer	Device	Туре	Serial number	Date of last calibration	Valid period
$\boxtimes$	R&S	Power Meter	NRP	100740	2019-07-04	One year
$\boxtimes$	R&S	Power Meter Sensor	NRP-Z11	106288	2019-07-04	One year

Table 4: Test equipment list

Note: only BT conducted power test data is included in this report.

### 3 SAR Measurement Procedure

#### 3.1 Scanning procedure

The DASY installation includes predefined files with recommended procedures for measurements and system check. They are read-only document files and destined as fully defined but unmeasured masks. All test positions (head or body-worn) are tested with the same configuration of test steps differing only in the grid definition for the different test positions.

- The "reference" and "drift" measurements are located at the beginning and end of the batch process. They measure the field drift at one single point in the liquid over the complete procedure. The indicated drift is mainly the variation of the DUT's output power and should vary max. +/- 5 %.
- For power drift measurement, DASY software supports that the reference position can be either the selected section's grid reference point or a user point. If the E-field of power reference measurement in the default grid reference point is very small, the test lab may set the reference position to the user point near the hotspot location to avoid large measurement uncertainty.
- The "surface check" measurement tests the optical surface detection system of the DASY system by repeatedly detecting the surface with the optical and mechanical surface detector and comparing the results. The output gives the detecting heights of both systems, the difference between the two systems and the standard deviation of the detection repeatability. Air bubbles or refraction in the liquid due to separation of the sugar-water mixture gives poor repeatability (above ± 0.1mm). To prevent wrong results tests are only executed when the liquid is free of air bubbles. The difference between the optical surface detection and the actual surface depends on the probe and is specified with each probe. (It does not depend on the surface reflectivity or the probe angle to the surface within ± 30°.)
- The "area scan" measures the SAR above the DUT or verification dipole on a parallel plane to the surface. It is used to locate the approximate location of the peak SAR with 2D spline interpolation. The robot performs a stepped movement along one grid axis while the local electrical field strength is measured by the probe. The probe is touching the surface of the SAM during acquisition of measurement values. The standard scan uses large grid spacing for faster measurement. Standard grid spacing for head measurements is 15 mm in x- and y- dimension (≤2GHz), 12 mm in x- and y- dimension (2-4 GHz) and 10mm in x- and y- dimension (4-6GHz). If a finer resolution is needed, the grid spacing can be reduced. Grid spacing and orientation have no influence on the SAR result. For special applications where the standard scan method does not find the peak SAR within the grid, e.g. mobile phones with flip cover, the grid can be adapted in orientation. Results of this coarse scan are shown in Appendix B.
- A "zoom scan" measures the field in a volume around the 2D peak SAR value acquired in the previous "coarse" scan. This is a fine grid with maximum scan spatial resolution:  $\Delta x_{zoom}$ ,  $\Delta y_{zoom} \leq$



2GHz -  $\leq$ 8mm, 2-4GHz -  $\leq$ 5 mm and 4-6 GHz- $\leq$ 4mm;  $\Delta$  z<sub>zoom</sub>  $\leq$ 3GHz -  $\leq$ 5 mm, 3-4 GHz- $\leq$ 4mm and 4-6GHz- $\leq$ 2mm where the robot additionally moves the probe along the z-axis away from the bottom of the Phantom. DASY is also able to perform repeated zoom scans if more than 1 peak is found during area scan. In this document, the evaluated peak 1g and 10g averaged SAR values are shown in the 2D-graphics in Appendix B. Test results relevant for the specified standard (see chapter 1.4.)are shown in table form in chapter 7.2.

 A Z-axis scan measures the total SAR value at the x-and y-position of the maximum SAR value found during the cube scan. The probe is moved away in z-direction from the bottom of the SAM phantom in 2 mm steps. This measurement shows the continuity of the liquid and can - depending in the field strength – also show the liquid depth. A z-axis scan of the measurement with maximum SAR value is shown in Appendix B.

The following table summarizes the area scan and zoom scan resolutions per FCC KDB865664 D01:

	Maximum	Maximum	Maximum Zoo	Maximum Zoom Scan spatial resolution		
	Area Scan	Zoom Scan	Uniform Grid	Graded Grad		Minimum zoom scan
Frequency	resolution $(\Delta x_{area}, \Delta y_{area})$	spatial resolution (Δx <sub>Zoom</sub> , Δy <sub>Zoom</sub> )	$\Delta z_{Zoom}(n)$	$\Delta z_{Zoom}(1)^*$	Δz <sub>Zoom</sub> (n>1)*	volume (x,y,z)
≤2GHz	≤15mm	≤8mm	≤5mm	≤4mm	$\leq 1.5^*\Delta z_{Zoom}(n-1)$	≥30mm
2-3GHz	≤12mm	≤5mm	≤5mm	≤4mm	$\leq 1.5^*\Delta z_{Zoom}(n-1)$	≥30mm
3-4GHz	≤12mm	≤5mm	≤4mm	≤3mm	$\leq 1.5^*\Delta z_{Zoom}(n-1)$	≥28mm
4-5GHz	≤10mm	≤4mm	≤3mm	≤2.5mm	$\leq 1.5^*\Delta z_{Zoom}(n-1)$	≥25mm
5-6GHz	≤10mm	≤4mm	≤2mm	≤2mm	$\leq 1.5^*\Delta z_{Zoom}(n-1)$	≥22mm

#### 3.2 Spatial Peak SAR Evaluation

The spatial peak SAR - value for 1 and 10 g is evaluated after the Cube measurements have been done. The basis of the evaluation are the SAR values measured at the points of the fine cube grid consisting of 5 x 5 x 7 points (with 8mm horizontal resolution) or 7 x 7 x 7 points (with 5mm horizontal resolution) or 8 x 8 x 7 points (with 4mm horizontal resolution). The algorithm that finds the maximal averaged volume is separated into three different stages.

- The data between the dipole center of the probe and the surface of the phantom are extrapolated. This data cannot be measured since the center of the dipole is 2.7 mm away from the tip of the probe and the distance between the surface and the lowest measuring point is about 1 mm (see probe calibration sheet). The extrapolated data from a cube measurement can be visualized by selecting 'Graph Evaluated'.
- The maximum interpolated value is searched with a straight-forward algorithm. Around this maximum the SAR values averaged over the spatial volumes (1g or 10 g) are computed using the 3d-spline interpolation algorithm. If the volume cannot be evaluated (i.e., if a part of the grid was cut off by the boundary of the measurement area) the evaluation will be started on the corners of the bottom plane of the cube.
- All neighboring volumes are evaluated until no neighboring volume with a higher average value is found.

#### **Extrapolation**

The extrapolation is based on a least square algorithm [W. Gander, Computermathematik, p.168-180]. Through the points in the first 3 cm along the z-axis, polynomials of order four are calculated. These polynomials are then used to evaluate the points between the surface and the probe tip. The points, calculated from the surface, have a distance of 1 mm from each other.

#### Interpolation



The interpolation of the points is done with a 3d-Spline. The 3d-Spline is composed of three one-dimensional splines with the "Not a knot"-condition [W. Gander, Computermathematik, p.141-150] (x, y and z -direction) [Numerical Recipes in C, Second Edition, p.123ff].

### **Volume Averaging**

At First the size of the cube is calculated. Then the volume is integrated with the trapezoidal algorithm. 8000 points (20x20x20) are interpolated to calculate the average.

#### **Advanced Extrapolation**

DASY uses the advanced extrapolation option which is able to compensate boundary effects on E-field probes.



#### 3.3 Data Storage and Evaluation

#### **Data Storage**

The DASY software stores the acquired data from the data acquisition electronics as raw data (in microvolt readings from the probe sensors), together with all necessary software parameters for the data evaluation (probe calibration data, liquid parameters and device frequency and modulation data) in measurement files with the extension "DAE". The software evaluates the desired unit and format for output each time the data is visualized or exported. This allows verification of the complete software setup even after the measurement and allows correction of incorrect parameter settings. For example, if a measurement has been performed with a wrong crest factor parameter in the device setup, the parameter can be corrected afterwards and the data can be re-evaluated.

The measured data can be visualized or exported in different units or formats, depending on the selected probe type ([V/m], [A/m], [°C], [mW/g], [mW/cm²], [dBrel], etc.). Some of these units are not available in certain situations or show meaningless results, e.g., a SAR output in a lossless media will always be zero. Raw data can also be exported to perform the evaluation with other software packages.

#### **Data Evaluation by SEMCAD**

The SEMCAD software automatically executes the following procedures to calculate the field units from the microvolt readings at the probe connector. The parameters used in the evaluation are stored in the configuration modules of the software:

Probe parameters: - Sensitivity Normi, a<sub>i0</sub>, a<sub>i1</sub>, a<sub>i2</sub>

Conversion factor ConvF<sub>i</sub>
 Diode compression point Dcpi

Device parameters: - Frequency f

- Crest factor cf - Conductivity  $\sigma$ 

- Density ho

These parameters must be set correctly in the software. They can be found in the component documents or they can be imported into the software from the configuration files issued for the DASY components. In the direct measuring mode of the multimeter option, the parameters of the actual system setup are used. In the scan visualization and export modes, the parameters stored in the corresponding document files are used.

The first step of the evaluation is a linearization of the filtered input signal to account for the compression characteristics of the detector diode. The compensation depends on the input signal, the diode type and the DC-transmission factor from the diode to the evaluation electronics.

If the exciting field is pulsed, the crest factor of the signal must be known to correctly compensate for peak power. The formula for each channel can be given as:

 $V_i = U_i + U_i^2 \cdot cf/dcp_i$ 

Media parameters:

with  $V_i$  = compensated signal of channel i (i = x, y, z)  $U_i$  = input signal of channel i (i = x, y, z)

cf = crest factor of exciting field (DASY parameter)

dcp<sub>i</sub> = diode compression point (DASY parameter)



From the compensated input signals the primary field data for each channel can be evaluated:

 $E_i = (V_i / Norm_i \cdot ConvF)^{1/2}$   $H_i = (V_i)^{1/2} \cdot (a_{i0} + a_{i1}f + a_{i2}f^2)/f$ E-field probes: H-field probes:

with Vi = compensated signal of channel i (i = x, y, z)Norm<sub>i</sub>

= sensor sensitivity of channel i (i = x, y, z)

[mV/ (V/m)<sup>2</sup>] for E-field Probes

ConvF = sensitivity enhancement in solution

= sensor sensitivity factors for H-field probes

f = carrier frequency [GHz]

= electric field strength of channel i in V/m Ei = magnetic field strength of channel i in A/m Hi

The RSS value of the field components gives the total field strength (Hermitian magnitude):

$$E_{tot} = (E_x^2 + E_y^2 + E_z^2)^{1/2}$$

The primary field data are used to calculate the derived field units.

$$SAR = (E_{tot}^2 \cdot \sigma) / (\rho \cdot 1000)$$

with = local specific absorption rate in mW/g SAR

> = total field strength in V/m  $E_{tot}$

= conductivity in [mho/m] or [Siemens/m]  $\sigma$ = equivalent tissue density in g/cm<sup>3</sup> ρ

Note that the density is normally set to 1 (or 1.06), to account for actual brain density rather than the density of the simulation liquid. The power flow density is calculated assuming the excitation field to be a free space field.

$$P_{\text{pwe}} = E_{tot}^2 / 3770$$
 or  $P_{\text{pwe}} = H_{tot}^2 \cdot 37.7$ 

= equivalent power density of a plane wave in mW/cm<sup>2</sup> with

> Etot = total electric field strength in V/m Htot = total magnetic field strength in A/m



### 4 System Verification Procedure

#### 4.1 Tissue Verification

The simulating liquids should be checked at the beginning of a series of SAR measurements to determine of the dielectic parameter are within the tolerances of the specified target values. The measured conductivity and relative permittivity should be within  $\pm$  5% of the target values.

The following materials are used for producing the tissue-equivalent materials.

Ingredients (% of weight)	Head Tissue					
Frequency Band (MHz)	750	835	1750	1900	2450	2600
Water	39.2	41.45	52.64	55.242	62.7	55.242
Salt (NaCl)	2.7	1.45	0.36	0.306	0.5	0.306
Sugar	57.0	56.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
HEC	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Bactericide	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Triton X-100	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
DGBE	0.0	0.0	47.0	44.542	36.8	44.452
Ingredients (% of weight)	Body Tissue	е				
Frequency Band (MHz)	750	835	1750	1900	2450	2600
Water	50.3	52.4	69.91	69.91	73.2	64.493
Salt (NaCl)	1.60	1.40	0.13	0.13	0.04	0.024
Sugar	47.0	45.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
HEC	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Bactericide	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Triton X-100	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
DGBE	0.0	0.0	29.96	29.96	26.7	32.252

Table 5: Tissue Dielectric Properties

Salt: 99+% Pure Sodium Chloride; Sugar: 98+% Pure Sucrose; Water: De-ionized,  $16M\Omega$ + resistivity HEC: Hydroxyethyl Cellulose; DGBE: 99+% Di(ethylene glycol) butyl ether, [2-(2-butoxyethoxy)ethanol] Triton X-100(ultra pure): Polyethylene glycol mono [4-(1,1,3,3-tetramethylbutyl)phenyl]ether

Simulating Head Liquid (HBBL600-6000MHz), Manufactured by SPEAG:

Ingredients	(% by weight)
Water	50-65%
Esters, Emulsifiers, Inhibitors	10-30%
Sodium salt	8-25%

☐ Simulating Body Liquid (MBBL600-6000MHz), Manufactured by SPEAG:

Ingredients	(% by weight)
Water	60-80%
Esters, Emulsifiers, Inhibitors	20-40%
Sodium salt	0-1.5%

Note: According to 201904 FCC TCB workshop slides for RF Exposure Procedures, FCC has permitted the use of single head tissue simulating liquid specified in IEC 62209-1 for all SAR tests. So the single head tissue simulating liquid is used for all SAR tests in this test report. The conservative  $\pm 5\%$  tolerance is used in tissue dielectric parameters measurements.



#### 4.2 System Check

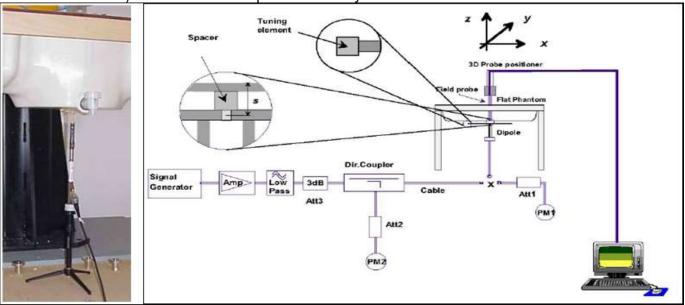
The system check is performed for verifying the accuracy of the complete measurement system and performance of the software. The system check is performed with tissue equivalent material according to IEEE 1528 (described above).

Note: Only BT conducted power is included in this report, it is not required for system check.

#### 4.3 **System check Procedure**

The system check is performed by using a system check dipole which is positioned parallel to the planar part of the SAM phantom at the reference point. The distance of the dipole to the SAM phantom is determined by a plexiglass spacer. The dipole is connected to the signal source consisting of signal generator and amplifier via a directional coupler, N-connector cable and adaption to SAM. It is fed with a power of 250 mW (below 3GHz) or 100mW (3-6GHz). To adjust this power, a power meter is used. The power sensor is connected to the cable before the system check to measure the power at this point and do adjustments at the signal generator. At the outputs of the directional coupler both return loss as well as forward power are controlled during the system check to make sure that emitted power at the dipole is kept constant. This can also be checked by the power drift measurement after the test (result on plot). System check results have to be equal or near the values determined during dipole calibration (target

SAR in table above) with the relevant liquids and test system.





### 5 SAR measurement variability and uncertainty

#### 5.1 SAR measurement variability

Per KDB865664 D01 SAR measurement 100 MHz to 6 GHz, SAR measurement variability must be assessed for each frequency band, which is determined by the SAR probe calibration point and tissue-equivalent medium used for the device measurements. The additional measurements are repeated after the completion of all measurements requiring the same head or body tissue-equivalent medium in a frequency band. The test device should be returned to ambient conditions (normal room temperature) with the battery fully charged before it is re-mounted on the device holder for the repeated measurement(s) to minimize any unexpected variations in the repeated results.

- 1) Repeated measurement is not required when the original highest measured SAR is < 0.80 W/kg; steps 2) through 4) do not apply.
- 2) When the original highest measured SAR is  $\geq$  0.80 W/kg, repeat that measurement once.
- 3) Perform a second repeated measurement only if the ratio of largest to smallest SAR for the original and first repeated measurements is > 1.20 or when the original or repeated measurement is  $\ge 1.45$  W/kg ( $\sim 10\%$  from the 1-g SAR limit).
- 4) Perform a third repeated measurement only if the original, first or second repeated measurement is  $\geq$  1.5 W/kg and the ratio of largest to smallest SAR for the original, first and second repeated measurements is > 1.20.

The same procedures should be adapted for measurements according to extremity and occupational exposure limits by applying a factor of 2.5 for extremity exposure and a factor of 5 for occupational exposure to the corresponding SAR thresholds.

The detailed repeated measurement results are shown in the following section.

#### 5.2 SAR measurement uncertainty

Per KDB865664 D01 SAR Measurement 100 MHz to 6 GHz, when the highest measured 1-g SAR within a frequency band is < 1.5 W/kg, the extensive SAR measurement uncertainty analysis described in IEEE Std 1528-2013 is not required in SAR reports submitted for equipment approval. The equivalent ratio (1.5/1.6) is applied to extremity and occupational exposure conditions.



## 6 SAR Test Configuration

#### **6.1 Test Positions Configuration**

#### 6.1.1 General considerations

Per IEEE 1528-2013, two imaginary lines on the handset were established: the vertical centerline and the horizontal line (See Figure 1).

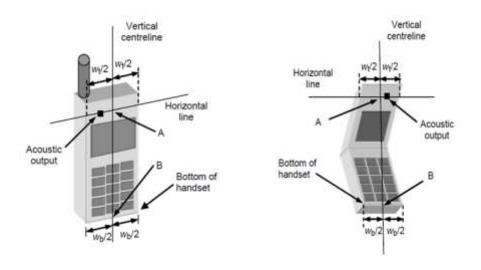


Figure 1 Hand Vertical Center & Horizontal Line Reference Points

#### 6.1.2 Head Exposure Condition

Per IEEE 1528-2013, Head SAR measurements were made in the "cheek" position (See Figure 2) and the "tilt" position (See Figure 3). The device should be tested in both positions on left and right sides of the SAM phantom.



Figure 2 Front, Side and Top View of Cheek Position



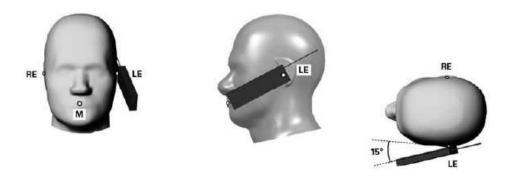


Figure 3 Front, Side and Top View of Tilt 15° Position

Note:

M Mouth reference point

LE Left ear reference point (ERP)

RE Right ear reference point(ERP)

For this device, the receiver is designed under the screen and invisible. In order to solve the head positioning issue and locate the receiver accurately during Head SAR test, the SAR test lab should follow the manufacturer specification and precisely identify the earpiece location and the best acoustic position on the handset. Then the Horizontal line and the Vertical center line should also be identified on the handset. The head SAR positioning procedure in section 6.4 of IEEE 1528-2013 is followed. (Refer to Appendix D Test photo and Appendix E The Position of Audio Receiver photo for details)

For Head SAR test, full SAR test is perform with the normal audio receiver position per IEEE 1528-2013 as above. Additional Head SAR spot check tests are also performed with the best acoustic position based on the Head SAR worst case of each Tx antenna to ensure SAR compliance.

#### 6.1.3 Body-worn Exposure Condition

Body-worn operating configurations are tested with the holder attached to the device and positioned against a flat phantom with test separation distance of 15mm in a normal use configuration (See Figure 4). Per FCC KDB648474 D04, Body-worn accessory exposure is typically related to voice mode operations when handsets are carried in body-worn accessories. The body-worn accessory procedures in FCC KDB447498 should be used to test for body-worn accessory SAR compliance, without a headset connected to it. When the reported SAR for a body-worn accessory, measured without a headset connected to the handset, is > 1.2 W/kg, the highest reported SAR configuration for that wireless mode and frequency band should be repeated for that body-worn accessory with a headset attached to the handset.

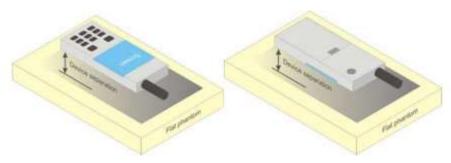




Figure 4 Test position for Body-Worn device

#### 6.1.4 Hotspot Exposure Condition

Per FCC KDB941225 D06, the SAR test separation distance for hotspot mode is determined according to device form factor. When the overall length and width of a device is > 9 cm x 5 cm, a test separation distance of 10 mm is required for hotspot mode SAR measurements. A test separation distance of 5 mm or less is required for smaller devices. Hotspot mode SAR is measured for all edges and surfaces of the device with a transmitting antenna located within 25 mm from that surface or edge; for the data modes, wireless technologies and frequency bands supporting hotspot mode. The SAR results are used to determine simultaneous transmission SAR test exclusion for hotspot mode; otherwise, simultaneous transmission SAR measurement is required.

#### 6.1.5 Product Specific 10-g SAR Exposure Condition

Per FCC KDB648474 D04, for smart phones with a display diagonal dimension > 15.0 cm or an overall diagonal dimension > 16.0 cm that provide similar mobile web access and multimedia support found in mini-tablets or UMPC mini-tablets that support voice calls next to the ear, the device is marketed as "Phablet".

The UMPC mini-tablet procedures must also be applied to test the SAR of all surfaces and edges with an antenna located at  $\leq$  25 mm from that surface or edge, in direct contact with a flat phantom, for Product Specific 10-g SAR SAR according to the body-equivalent tissue dielectric parameters in KDB 865664 to address interactive hand use exposure conditions. The UMPC mini-tablet 1-g SAR at 5 mm is not required. When hotspot mode applies, Product Specific 10-g SAR is required only for the surfaces and edges with hotspot mode 1-g reported SAR > 1.2 W/kg; however, when power reduction applies to hotspot mode the measured SAR must be scaled to the maximum output power, including tolerance, allowed for phablet modes to compare with the 1.2 W/kg SAR test reduction threshold.

#### 6.2 3G SAR Test Reduction Procedure

Per KDB941225 D01, in the following procedures, the mode tested for SAR is referred to as the primary mode. The equivalent modes considered for SAR test reduction are denoted as secondary modes. Both primary and secondary modes must be in the same frequency band. When the maximum output power and tune-up tolerance specified for production units in a secondary mode is ≤ ¼ dB higher than the primary mode or when the highest *reported* SAR of the primary mode is scaled by the ratio of specified maximum output power and tune-up tolerance of secondary to primary mode and the adjusted SAR is ≤ 1.2 W/kg, SAR measurement is not required for the secondary mode. This is referred to as the 3G SAR test reduction procedure in the following SAR test guidance, where the primary mode is identified in the applicable wireless mode test procedures and the secondary mode is wireless mode being considered for SAR test reduction by that procedure. When the 3G SAR test reduction procedure is not satisfied, it is identified as "otherwise" in the applicable procedures; SAR measurement is required for the secondary mode.

### 6.3 GSM Test Configuration

SAR tests for GSM850 and GSM1900, a communication link is set up with a base station by air link. The power lever is set to "5" and "0" in SAR of GSM850 and GSM1900 using a Radio Communication Tester.



The tests in the band of GSM850 and GSM1900 are performed in the mode of GPRS/EGPRS function. Since the GPRS class is 12 for this EUT, it has at most 4 timeslots in uplink and at most 4 timeslots in downlink, the maximum total timeslot is 5. The EGPRS class is 12 for this EUT, it has at most 4 timeslots in uplink, and at most 4 timeslots in downlink, the maximum total timeslot is 5.

When SAR tests for EGPRS mode is necessary, GMSK modulation should be used to minimize SAR measurement error due to higher peak-to-average power (PAR) ratios inherent in 8 PSK.



#### 6.4 UMTS Test Configuration

#### 1) Output Power Verification

Maximum output power is verified on the high, middle and low channels according to procedures described in section 5.2 of 3GPP TS 34.121, using the appropriate RMC or AMR with TPC (transmit power control) set to all "1's" for WCDMA/HSDPA or by applying the required inner loop power control procedures to maintain maximum output power while HSUPA is active. Results for all applicable physical channel configurations (DPCCH, DPDCHn and spreading codes, HSDPA, HSPA) are requied in the SAR report. All configurations that are not supported by the handset or cannot be measured due to technical or equipment limitations must be clearly identified.

#### 2) WCDMA

#### a. Head SAR Measurements

SAR for next to the ear head exposure is measured using a 12.2 kbps RMC with TPC bits configured to all "1's". The 3G SAR test reduction procedure is applied to AMR configurations with 12.2 kbps RMC as the primary mode.

#### b. Body SAR Measurements

SAR for body-worn accessory configurations is measured using a 12.2 kbps RMC with TPC bits configured to all "1's". The 3G SAR test reduction procedure is applied to other spreading codes and multiple DPDCHn configurations supported by the handset with 12.2 kbps RMC as the primary mode

#### 3) HSDPA

SAR for body exposure configurations is measured according to the "Body SAR Measurements" procedures of 3G device. When the maximum output power and tune-up tolerance specified for production units in a secondary mode is  $\leq \frac{1}{4}$  dB higher than the primary mode or when the highest reported SAR of the primary mode is scaled by the ratio of specified maximum output power and tune-up tolerance of secondary to primary mode and the adjusted SAR is  $\leq 1.2$  W/kg, SAR measurement is not required for the secondary mode. This is referred to as the 3G SAR test reduction procedure in the following SAR test guidance, where the primary mode is identified in the applicable wireless mode test procedures and the secondary mode is wireless mode being considered for SAR test reduction by that procedure. When the 3G SAR test reduction procedure is not satisfied, it is identified as "otherwise" in the applicable procedures; SAR measurement is required for the secondary mode.

Per KDB941225 D01, the 3G SAR test reduction procedure is applied to HSDPA body configurations with 12.2 kbps RMC as the primary mode. Otherwise, SAR is measured for HSDPA using the HSDPA body SAR procedures for the highest reported SAR body exposure configuration in 12.2 kbps RMC.

HSDPA should be configured according to UE category of a test device. The number of HS-DSCH/HS-PDSCHs, HAPRQ processes, minimum inter-TTI interval, transport block sizes and RV coding sequence are defined by the H-set. To maintain a consistent test configuration and stable transmission condition, QPSK is used in the H-set for SAR testing. HS-DPCCH should be configured with a CQI feedback cycle of 4ms with a CQI repetition factor of 2 to maintain a constant rate of active CQI slots. The  $\beta_c$  and  $\beta_d$  gain factors for DPCCH and DPDCH were set according to the values in the below table,  $\beta_{hs}$  for HS-DPCCH is set automatically to the correct value when  $\Delta$ ACK,  $\Delta$ NACK,  $\Delta$ CQI = 8. The variation of the  $\beta_c$  / $\beta_d$  ratio causes a power reduction at sub-tests 2 - 4.



Sub-test₽	βح∘	β <sub>d</sub> ⇔	β <sub>d</sub> (SF)₽	β <sub>c</sub> /β <sub>d</sub> ₽	β <sub>hs</sub> (1) <sub>4</sub> 3	CM(dB)(2)₽	MPR (dB)₽
1₽	2/15₽	15/15₽	64₽	2/15₽	4/15₽	0.0₽	0₽
2₽	12/15(3)₽	15/15(3)₽	64₽	12/15(3)₽	24/15₽	1.0₽	0₽
3₽	15/15₽	8/15₽	64₽	15/8₽	30/15₽	1.5₽	0.5₽
4₽	15/15₽	4/15₽	64₽	15/4₽	30/15₽	1.5₽	0.5₽

Note 1:  $\triangle$  ACK,  $\triangle$  NACK and  $\triangle$  CQI = 8  $A_{hs} = \beta_{hs}/\beta_c = 30/15$   $\beta_{hs} = 30/15 * \beta_c + \beta_c +$ 

Note 2 : CM=1 for  $\beta_c/\beta_{d=}$  12/15,  $\beta_{hs}/\beta_c=24/15$ . For all other combinations of DPDCH,DPCCH and HS-DPCCH the MPR is based on the relative CM difference. This is applicable for only UEs that support HSDPA in release 6 and later releases. Note 3 : For subtest 2 the  $\beta_c/\beta_d$  ratio of 12/15 for the TFC during the measurement period (TF1, TF0) is achieved by setting the signalled gain factors for the reference TFC (TF1,TF1) to  $\beta_c=11/15$  and  $\beta_d=15/15$ .

Table 6: Sub-tests for UMTS Release 5 HSDPA

The measurements were performed with a Fixed Reference Channel (FRC) and H-Set 1 QPSK.

Parameter	Value
Nominal average inf. bit rate	534 kbit/s
Inter-TTI Distance	3 TTI's
Number of HARQ Processes	2 Processes
Information Bit Payload	3202 Bits
MAC-d PDU size	336 Bits
Number Code Blocks	1 Block
Binary Channel Bits Per TTI	4800 Bits
Total Available SMLs in UE	19200 SMLs
Number of SMLs per HARQ Process	9600 SMLs
Coding Rate	0.67
Number of Physical Channel Codes	5

Table 7: settings of required H-Set 1 QPSK acc. to 3GPP 34.121

HS-DSCH Category	Maximum HS-DSCH Codes Received	Minimum Inter-TTI Interval	Maximum HS-DSCH Transport Block Bits/HS- DSCH TTI	Total Soft Channel Bits
1	5	3	7298	19200
2	5	3	7298	28800
3	5	2	7298	28800
4	5	2	7298	38400
5	5	1	7298	57600
6	5	1	7298	67200
7	10	1	14411	115200
8	10	1	14411	134400
9	15	1	25251	172800
10	15	1	27952	172800
11	5	2	3630	14400
12	5	1	3630	28800
13	15	1	34800	259200
14	15	1	42196	259200
15	15	1	23370	345600
16	15	1	27952	345600

Table 8: HSDPA UE category



#### 4) HSUPA

SAR for body exposure configurations is measured according to the "Body SAR Measurements" procedures of 3G device. When the maximum output power and tune-up tolerance specified for production units in a secondary mode is  $\leq \frac{1}{4}$  dB higher than the primary mode or when the highest reported SAR of the primary mode is scaled by the ratio of specified maximum output power and tune-up tolerance of secondary to primary mode and the adjusted SAR is  $\leq$  1.2 W/kg, SAR measurement is not required for the secondary mode.

Per KDB941225 D01, the 3G SAR test reduction procedure is applied to HSPA (HSUPA/HSDPA with RMC) body configurations with 12.2 kbps RMC as the primary mode. Otherwise, SAR is measured for HSPA using the HSPA body SAR procedures for the highest reported body exposure SAR configuration in 12.2 kbps RMC.

Due to inner loop power control requirements in HSDPA, a commercial communication test set should be used for the output power and SAR tests. The 12.2 kbps RMC, FRC H-set 1 and E-DCH configurations for HSDPA should be configured according to the values indicated below as well as other applicable procedures described in the 'WCDMA Handset' and 'Release 5 HSDPA Data Device' sections of 3G device.

Sub -test₽	βc√³	βd€	β <sub>d</sub> (SF ) <sub>ν</sub>	β₀/β₫₽	β <sub>hs</sub> (1	β <sub>ec</sub>	$eta_{ ext{ed}^{arphi}}$	βe c↔ (SF )↔	βed↔ (code )↔	CM <sup>(</sup> 2)+ (dB )+2	MP R↓ (dB)↓	AG(4 )+/ Inde X+/	E- TFC I <sub>e</sub>
1₽	11/15(3)(3)(3)	15/15(3)+3	64₽	11/15(3)+3	22/15₽	209/22 5 <i>₽</i>	1039/225	4₽	1₽	1.0₽	0.0	20₽	75₽
2₽	6/15₽	15/15₽	64₽	6/15₽	12/15₽	12/15	94/75₽	4₽	1₽	3.0₽	2.0₽	12₽	67₽
3₽	15/15₽	9/15₽	64₽	15/9&	30/154	30/154	β <sub>ed1</sub> :47/1 5 <sub>4</sub> β <sub>ed2:47/1</sub> 5 <sub>4</sub>	4₽	2₽	2.0₽	1.0₽	15₽	924
4₽	2/15₽	15/15₽	64₽	2/15₽	4/15₽	2/15	56/75₽	4₽	1₽	3.0₽	2.0₽	17₽	71₽
5€	15/15(4)+2	15/15(4)+2	64₽	15/15(4)+2	30/15₽	24/15₽	134/15₽	4₽	1€	1.0₽	0.042	214	81₽

Note 1:  $\triangle$  ACK,  $\triangle$  NACK and  $\triangle$  CQI = 8  $A_{hs} = \beta_{hs}/\beta_c = 30/15$   $\beta_{hs} = 30/15 * \beta_{cv}$ 

Note 2: CM = 1 for  $\beta_c/\beta_d$  = 12/15,  $\beta_{hs}/\beta_c$  = 24/15. For all other combinations of DPDCH, DPCCH, HS-DPCCH, E-DPDCH and E-DPCCH the MPR is based on the relative CM difference.

Note 3: For subtest 1 the  $\beta_c/\beta_d$  ratio of 11/15 for the TFC during the measurement period (TF1, TF0) is achieved by setting the signalled gain factors for the reference TFC (TF1, TF1) to  $\beta_c = 10/15$  and  $\beta_d = 15/15$ .

Note 4: For subtest 5 the  $\beta_c/\beta_d$  ratio of 15/15 for the TFC during the measurement period (TF1, TF0) is achieved by setting the signalled gain factors for the reference TFC (TF1, TF1) to  $\beta_c = 14/15$  and  $\beta_d = 15/15$ .

Note 5: Testing UE using E-DPDCH Physical Layer category 1 Sub-test 3 is not required according to TS 25.306 Table 5.1g.

Note 6: βed can not be set directly; it is set by Absolute Grant Value.

Table 9: Subtests for UMTS Release 6 HSUPA



UE E-DCH Category	Maximum E-DCH Codes Transmitted	Number of HARQ Processes	E-DCH TTI(ms)	Minimum Speading Factor	Maximum E-DCH Transport Block Bits	Max Rate (Mbps)
1	1	4	10	4	7110	0.7296
2	2	8	2	4	2798	1 4500
2	2	4	10	4	14484	1.4592
3	2	4	10	4	14484	1.4592
4	2	8	2	2	5772	2.9185
4	2	4	10	2	20000	2.00
5	2	4	10	2	20000	2.00
6	4	8	10	2SF2&2SF	11484	5.76
(No DPDCH)	4	4	2	4	20000	2.00
7	4	8	2	2SF2&2SF	22996	?
(No DPDCH)	4	4	10	4	20000	?

NOTE: When 4 codes are transmitted in parallel, two codes shall be transmitted with SF2 and two with SF4.UE categories 1 to 6 support QPSK only. UE category 7 supports QPSK and 16QAM. (TS25.306-7.3.0).

Table 10: HSUPA UE category

### 5) DC-HSDPA

SAR is required for Rel. 8 DC-HSDPA when SAR is required for Rel. 5 HSDPA; otherwise, the 3G SAR test reduction procedure is applied to DC-HSDPA with 12.2 kbps RMC as the primary mode. Power is measured for DC-HSDPA according to the H-Set 12, FRC configuration in Table C.8.1.12 of 3GPP TS 34.121-1 to determine SAR test reduction. A primary and a Second serving HS-DSCH Cell are required to perform the power measurement and for the results to be acceptable.

The following tests were completed according to procedures in section 7.3.13 of 3GPP TS 34.108 v9.5.0. A summary of these settings are illustrated below:

Downlink Physical Channels are set as per 3GPP TS34.121-1 v9.0.0 E.5.0

Table E.5.0: Levels for HSDPA connection setup

Parameter During Connection setup	Unit	Value
P-CPICH_Ec/lor	dB	-10
P-CCPCH and SCH_Ec/lor	dB	-12
PICH _Ec/lor	dB	-15
HS-PDSCH	dB	off
HS-SCCH_1	dB	off
DPCH_Ec/lor	dB	-5
OCNS_Ec/lor	dB	-3.1

Call is set up as per 3GPP TS34.108 v9.5.0 sub clause 7.3.13

The configurations of the fixed reference channels for HSDPA RF tests are described in 3GPP TS 34.121, annex C for FDD and 3GPP TS 34.122.



The measurements were performed with a Fixed Reference Channel (FRC) H-Set 12 with QPSK

Parameter	Value
Nominal average inf. bit rate	60 kbit/s
Inter-TTI Distance	1 TTI's
Number of HARQ Processes	6 Processes
Information Bit Payload	120 Bits
Number Code Blocks	1 Block
Binary Channel Bits Per TTI	960 Bits
Total Available SMLs in UE	19200 SMLs
Number of SMLs per HARQ Process	3200 SMLs
Coding Rate	0.15
Number of Physical Channel Codes	1

Table 11: settings of required H-Set 12 QPSK acc. to 3GPP 34.121

#### Note:

- 1. The RMC is intended to be used for DC-HSDPA mode and both cells shall transmit with identical parameters as listed in the table above.
- 2. Maximum number of transmission is limited to 1, i.e., retransmission is not allowed. The redundancy and constellation version 0 shall be used.

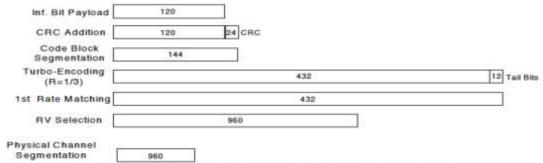


Figure C.8.19: Coding rate for Fixed reference Channel H-Set 12 (QPSK)

The following 4 Sub-tests for HSDPA were completed according to Release 5 procedures. A summary of subtest settings are illustrated below:

Sub-test-	βe	βde	β <sub>d</sub> (SF)	β <sub>c</sub> /β <sub>d</sub>	β <sub>hs</sub> (1)-	CM(dB)(2)	MPR (dB)
14	2/150	15/15-	64-	2/15≠	4/15-	0.0	0-
24	12/15(3)	15/15(3)	64-	12/15(3)	24/15-	1.0-	0-
3.	15/15	8/15≠	64+	15/8#	30/15∉	1.5	0.5₽
4.	15/15	4/15=	64-	15/4-	30/150	1.50	0.5

Note 1:  $\triangle$  ACK,  $\triangle$  NACK and  $\triangle$  CQI=8  $A_{hs} = \beta_{hs}/\beta_c = 30/15$   $\beta_{hs} = 30/15 * \beta_c = 30/15$ 

Note 2: CM=1 for  $\beta_c/\beta_{d*}$ 12/15,  $\beta_{hs}/\beta_c$ =24/15. For all other combinations of DPDCH, DPCCH and HS-DPCCH the MPR is based on the relative CM difference. This is applicable for only UEs that support HSDPA in release 6 and later releases. Note 3: For subtest 2 the  $\beta_c/\beta_d$  ratio of 12/15 for the TFC during the measurement period (TF1, TF0) is achieved by setting the signalled gain factors for the reference TFC (TF1, TF1) to  $\beta_c$ =11/15 and  $\beta_d$ =15/15.

Up commands are set continuously to set the UE to Max power.

#### Note:

- 1. The Dual Carriers transmission only applies to HSDPA physical channels
- 2. The Dual Carriers belong to the same Node and are on adjacent carriers.
- 3. The Dual Carriers do not support MIMO to serve UEs configured for dual cell operation
- 4. The Dual Carriers operate in the same frequency band.
- 5. The device doesn't support the modulation of 16QAM in uplink but 64QAM in downlink for DC-HSDPA mode.
- 6. The device doesn't support carrier aggregation for it just can operate in Release 8.



#### 6.5 LTE Test Configuration

SAR for LTE band exposure configurations is measured according to the procedures of KDB941225 D05 SAR for LTE Devices. The Radio Communication Tester was used for LTE output power measurements and SAR testing. Closed loop power control was used so the UE transmits with maximum output power during SAR testing. SAR test were performed with the same number of RB and RB offsets transmitting on all TTI frames (Maximum TTI)

### 1) Spectrum Plots for RB configurations

A properly configured base station simulator was used for LTE output power measurements and SAR testing. Therefore, spectrum plots for RB configurations were not required to be included in this report.

#### 2) MPR

When MPR is implemented permanently within the UE, regardless of network requirements, only those RB configurations allowed by 3GPP for the channel bandwidth and modulation combinations may be tested with MPR active. Configurations with RB allocations less than the RB thresholds required by 3GPP must be tested without MPR.

The allowed Maximum Power Reduction (MPR) for the maximum output power due to higher order modulation and transmit bandwidth configuration (resource blocks) is specified in Table 6.2.3-1 of the 3GPP TS36.101.

	Cha						
Modulation	1.4 MHz	3.0 MHz	5 MHz	10 MHz	15 MHz	20 MHz	MPR (dB)
QPSK	> 5	> 4	> 8	> 12	> 16	> 18	≤ 1
16 QAM	≤ 5	≤ 4	≤ 8	≤ 12	≤ 16	≤ 18	≤ 1
16 QAM	> 5	> 4	> 8	> 12	> 16	> 18	≤ 2
64 QAM	≤ 5	≤ 4	≤ 8	≤ 12	≤ 16	≤ 18	≤ 2
64 QAM	> 5	> 4	> 8	> 12	> 16	> 18	≤ 3

#### 3) A-MPR

A-MPR (Additional MPR) has been disabled for all SAR tests by using Network Signaling Value of "NS\_01" on the base station simulator.

#### 4) LTE procedures for SAR testing

A) Largest channel bandwidth standalone SAR test requirements

#### i) QPSK with 1 RB allocation

Start with the largest channel bandwidth and measure SAR for QPSK with 1 RB allocation, using the RB offset and required test channel combination with the highest maximum output power for RB offsets at the upper edge, middle and lower edge of each required test channel. When the reported SAR is  $\leq 0.8$  W/kg, testing of the remaining RB offset configurations and required test channels is not required for 1 RB allocation; otherwise, SAR is required for the remaining required test channels and only for the RB offset configuration with the highest output power for that channel. When the reported SAR of a required test channel is  $\geq 1.45$  W/kg, SAR is required for all three RB offset configurations for that required test channel.

#### ii) QPSK with 50% RB allocation

The procedures required for 1 RB allocation in i) are applied to measure the SAR for QPSK with 50% RB allocation.



### iv) QPSK with 100% RB allocation

For QPSK with 100% RB allocation, SAR is not required when the highest maximum output power for 100 % RB allocation is less than the highest maximum output power in 50% and 1 RB allocations and the highest reported SAR for 1 RB and 50% RB allocation in i) and ii) are ≤ 0.8 W/kg. Otherwise, SAR is measured for the highest output power channel and if the reported SAR is > 1.45 W/kg, the remaining required test channels must also be tested.

#### v) Higher order modulations

For each modulation besides QPSK; e.g., 16-QAM, 64-QAM, apply the QPSK procedures in above sections to determine the QAM configurations that may need SAR measurement. For each configuration identified as required for testing, SAR is required only when the highest maximum output power for the configuration in the higher order modulation is > ½ dB higher than the same configuration in QPSK or when the reported SAR for the QPSK configuration is > 1.45 W/kg.

#### B) Other channel bandwidth standalone SAR test requirements

For the other channel bandwidths used by the device in a frequency band, apply all the procedures required for the largest channel bandwidth in section A) to determine the channels and RB configurations that need SAR testing and only measure SAR when the highest maximum output power of a configuration requiring testing in the smaller channel bandwidth is  $> \frac{1}{2}$  dB higher than the equivalent channel configurations in the largest channel bandwidth configuration or the reported SAR of a configuration for the largest channel bandwidth is > 1.45 W/kg.

#### 5) TDD LTE test configuration

According to KDB941225 D05 SAR for LTE Devices, for Time-Division Duplex (TDD) systems, SAR must be tested using a fixed periodic duty factor according to the highest transmission duty factor implemented for the device and supported by the defined 3GPP LTE TDD configurations.

TDD LTE Band 41 supports 3GPP TS 36.211 section 4.2 for Type 2 Frame Structure and Table 4.2-2 for uplink-downlink configurations and Table 4.2-1 for Special subframe configurations.

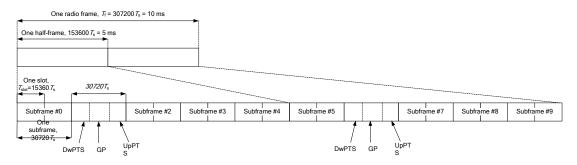


Figure 4.2-1: Frame structure type 2

Table 4.2-1: Configuration of special subframe (lengths of DwPTS/GP/UpPTS)



	Normal cycl	ic prefix in downli	nk	Extended cyclic prefix in downlink			
	DwPTS UpPTS			DwPTS	UpPTS		
Special subframe configuration		Normal cyclic prefix in uplink	Extended cyclic prefix in uplink		Normal cyclic prefix in uplink	Extended cyclic prefix in uplink	
0	$6592 \cdot T_{\rm s}$			$7680 \cdot T_{\rm s}$			
1	$19760 \cdot T_{\rm s}$			$20480 \cdot T_{\rm s}$	2102 T	$2560 \cdot T_{\rm s}$	
2	$21952 \cdot T_{\rm s}$	$2192 \cdot T_{\rm s}$	$2560 \cdot T_{\rm s}$	$23040 \cdot T_{\rm s}$	$2192 \cdot T_{\rm s}$		
3	$24144 \cdot T_{\rm s}$			$25600 \cdot T_{\rm s}$			
4	$26336 \cdot T_{\rm s}$			$7680 \cdot T_{\rm s}$			
5	$6592 \cdot T_{\rm s}$			$20480 \cdot T_{\rm s}$	$4384 \cdot T_s$	$5120 \cdot T_{\rm s}$	
6	$19760 \cdot T_{\rm s}$			$23040 \cdot T_{\rm s}$	4364 · I <sub>S</sub>	3120 · 1 <sub>s</sub>	
7	$21952 \cdot T_{\rm s}$	$4384 \cdot T_{\rm s}$	$5120 \cdot T_{\rm s}$	$12800 \cdot T_{\rm s}$			
8	$24144 \cdot T_{\rm s}$			-	-	-	
9	$13168 \cdot T_{\rm s}$			-	-	-	

Table 4.2-2: Uplink-downlink configurations

Uplink-downlink	Downlink-to-Uplink	Subframe number									
configuration	Switch-point periodicity	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
0	5 ms	D	S	U	U	U	D	S	U	U	U
1	5 ms	D	S	U	U	D	D	S	U	U	D
2	5 ms	D	S	U	D	D	D	S	U	D	D
3	10 ms	D	S	U	U	U	D	D	D	D	D
4	10 ms	D	S	U	U	D	D	D	D	D	D
5	10 ms	D	S	U	D	D	D	D	D	D	D
6	5 ms	D	S	U	U	U	D	S	U	U	D

According to Figure 4.2-1, one radio frame is configured by 10 subframes, which consist of Uplink-subframe, Downlink-subframe and Special subframe. For TDD-LTE, the Duty Cycle should be calculated on Uplink-subframes and Special subframes, due to Special subframe containing both Uplink transmissions. So for one radio frame, Duty Cycle can be calculated with formula as below. The count of Uplink subframes are according to Table 4.2-2:

Duty cycle = (30720Ts\*Ups+Uplink Component\*Specials)/ (307200Ts)

About the uplink component of Special subframes, we can figure out by Table 4.2-1:

Uplink Component=UpPTS

In conclusion, for the TDD LTE Band, Duty Cycle can be calculated with formula as below .all these sets are ok when we test, or we can set as below.

Duty cycle = [(30720Ts\*Ups) + UpPTS \*Specials]/ (307200Ts)



### And we can get different Duty cycles under different configurations:

	J					Con	figuration of	special subfr	rame			
Uplink-	Subframe		Normal cyclice prefix in downlink				Extended cyclice prefix in downlink					
Downlink configura	number			Normal cyclice prefix in uplink		Extended cyclice prefix in uplink		,	clice prefix plink	Extended cyclice prefix in uplink		
tion	D	S	U	configura tion 0~4	configura tion 5~9	configura tion 0~4	configura tion 5~9	configura tion 0~3	configura tion 4~7	configura tion 0~3	configura tion 4~7	
0	2	2	6	61.43%	62.85%	61.67%	63.33%	61.43%	62.85%	61.67%	63.33%	
1	4	2	4	41.43%	42.85%	41.67%	43.33%	41.43%	42.85%	41.67%	43.33%	
2	6	2	2	21.43%	22.85%	21.67%	23.33%	21.43%	22.85%	21.67%	23.33%	
3	6	1	3	30.71%	31.43%	30.83%	31.67%	30.71%	31.43%	30.83%	31.67%	
4	7	1	2	20.71%	21.43%	20.83%	21.67%	20.71%	21.43%	20.83%	21.67%	
5	8	1	1	10.71%	11.43%	10.83%	11.67%	10.71%	11.43%	10.83%	11.67%	
6	3	2	5	51.43%	52.85%	51.67%	53.33%	51.43%	52.85%	51.67%	53.33%	

For TDD LTE, SAR should be tested with the highest transmission duty factor (63.33%) using Uplink-downlink configuration 0 and Special subframe configuration 7 for Frame structure type 2.

### 6.6 LTE CA specification

### 6.6.1 LTE CA combinations specification

The device supports downlink and uplink LTE Carrier Aggregation (CA) for Intra-band and inter-band. Refer the FCC original SAR Report( report no.:E5/2018/80016) for the LTE CA detailed information and LTE CA test procedure.



#### 6.7 WiFi Test Configuration

For WiFi SAR testing, a communication link is set up with the testing software for WiFi mode test. During the test, at the each test frequency channel, the EUT is operated at the RF continuous emission mode. Per KDB248227 D01, a minimum transmission duty factor of 85% is required to avoid certain hardware and device implementation issues related to wide range SAR scaling. The reported SAR must be scaled to 100% transmission duty factor to determine compliance at the maximum tune-up tolerance limit.

#### 6.7.1 Initial Test Position Procedure

For exposure condition with multiple test position, such as handsets operating next to the ear, devices with hotspot mode or UMPC mini-tablet , procedures for <u>initial test position</u> can be applied. Using the transmission mode determined by the DSSS procedure or <u>initial test configuration</u>, area scans are measured for all position in an exposure condition. The test position with the highest extrapolated(peak) SAR is used as the initial test position. When reported SAR for the <u>initial test position</u> is  $\leq 0.4$ W/kg, no additional testing for the remaining test position is required. Otherwise, SAR is evaluated at the subsequent highest peak SAR position until the reported SAR result is  $\leq 0.8$ W/kg or all test position are measured. For all positions/configurations tested using the <u>initial test position</u> and subsequent test positions, when the *reported* SAR is > 0.8 W/kg, SAR is measured for these test positions/configurations on the subsequent next highest measured output power channel(s) until the *reported* SAR is  $\leq 1.2$  W/kg or all required channels are tested.

#### 6.7.2 Initial Test Configuration Procedure

An <u>initial test configuration</u> is determined for OFDM transmission modes according to the channel bandwidth, modulation and data rate combination(s) with the highest maximum output power specified for production units in each standalone and aggregated frequency band. SAR is measured using the highest measured maximum output power channel. For configurations with the same specified or measured maximum output power, additional transmission mode and test channel selection procedures are required (see section 5.3.2 of KDB248227 D01). SAR test reduction of subsequent highest output test channels is based on the *reported* SAR of the initial test configuration.

For next to the ear, hotspot mode and UMC mini-tablet exposure configurations where multiple test positions are required, the <u>initial test position</u> procedure is applied to minimize the number of test positions required for SAR measurement using the <u>initial test configuration</u> transmission mode. For fixed exposure conditions that do not have multiple SAR test positions, SAR is measured in the transmission mode determined by the initial test configuration.

When the *reported* SAR of the <u>initial test configuration</u> is > 0.8 W/kg, SAR measurement is required for the subsequent next highest measured output power channel(s) in the <u>initial test configuration</u> until the *reported* SAR is  $\le 1.2$  W/kg or all required channels are tested.

### **6.7.3 Sub Test Configuration Procedure**

SAR measurement requirements for the remaining 802.11 transmission mode configurations that have not been tested in the <u>initial test configuration</u> are determined separately for each standalone and aggregated frequency band, in each exposure condition, according to the maximum output power specified for production units.

When the highest reported SAR for the <u>initial test configuration</u>, according to the <u>initial test position</u> or fixed exposure position requirements, is adjusted by the ratio of the subsequent test configuration to



<u>initial test configuration</u> specified maximum output power and the adjusted SAR is  $\leq$  1.2 W/kg, SAR is not required for that <u>subsequent test configuration</u>.

#### 6.7.4 WiFi 2.4G SAR Test Procedures

Separate SAR procedures are applied to DSSS and OFDM configurations in the 2.4 GHz band to simplify DSSS test requirements. For 802.11b DSSS SAR measurements, DSSS SAR procedure applies to fixed exposure test position and initial test position procedure applies to multiple exposure test positions.

#### A) 802.11b DSSS SAR Test Requirements

SAR is measured for 2.4 GHz 802.11b DSSS using either a fixed test position or, when applicable, the initial test position procedure. SAR test reduction is determined according to the following:

- 1) When the *reported* SAR of the highest measured maximum output power channel (section 3.1 of of KDB248227 D01) for the exposure configuration is  $\leq$  0.8 W/kg, no further SAR testing is required for 802.11b DSSS in that exposure configuration.
- 2) When the *reported* SAR is > 0.8 W/kg, SAR is required for that exposure configuration using the next highest measured output power channel. When any *reported* SAR is > 1.2 W/kg, SAR is required for the third channel; i.e., all channels require testing.

#### B) 2.4GHz 802.11g/n OFDM SAR Test Exclusion Requirements

When SAR measurement is required for 2.4 GHz 802.11g/n OFDM configurations, the measurement and test reduction procedures for OFDM are applied (section 5.3 of of KDB248227 D01). SAR is not required for the following 2.4 GHz OFDM conditions.

- 1) When KDB Publication 447498 SAR test exclusion applies to the OFDM configuration.
- 2) When the highest *reported* SAR for DSSS is adjusted by the ratio of OFDM to DSSS specified maximum output power and the adjusted SAR is ≤ 1.2 W/kg.

#### C) SAR Test Requirements for OFDM configurations

When SAR measurement is required for 802.11 a/g/n/ac OFDM configurations, each standalone and frequency aggregated band is considered separately for SAR test reduction. When the same transmitter and antenna(s) are used for U-NII-1 and U-NII-2A bands, additional SAR test reduction applies. When band gap channels between U-NII-2C band and 5.8 GHz U-NII-3 or §15.247 band are supported, the highest maximum output power transmission mode configuration and maximum output power channel across the bands must be used to determine SAR test reduction, according to the <u>initial test configuration</u> and <u>subsequent test configuration</u> requirements. In applying the <u>initial test configuration</u> and <u>subsequent test configuration</u> procedures, the 802.11 transmission configuration with the highest specified maximum output power and the channel within a test configuration with the highest measured maximum output power should be clearly distinguished to apply the procedures.



#### 6.7.5 U-NII-1 and U-NII-2A Bands

For devices that operate in only one of the U-NII-1 and U-NII-2A bands, the normally required SAR procedures for OFDM configurations are applied. For devices that operate in both U-NII bands using the same transmitter and antenna(s), SAR test reduction is determined according to the following:

- 1) When the same maximum output power is specified for both bands, begin SAR measurement in U-NII-2A band by applying the OFDM SAR requirements. If the highest *reported* SAR for a test configuration is  $\leq 1.2$  W/kg, SAR is not required for U-NII-1 band for that configuration (802.11 mode and exposure condition); otherwise, both bands are tested independently for SAR.
- 2) When different maximum output power is specified for the bands, begin SAR measurement in the band with higher specified maximum output power. The highest *reported* SAR for the tested configuration is adjusted by the ratio of lower to higher specified maximum output power for the two bands. When the adjusted SAR is  $\leq 1.2$  W/kg, SAR is not required for the band with lower maximum output power in that test configuration; otherwise, both bands are tested independently for SAR.
- 3) The two U-NII bands may be aggregated to support a 160 MHz channel on channel number 50. Without additional testing, the maximum output power for this is limited to the lower of the maximum output power certified for the two bands. When SAR measurement is required for at least one of the bands and the highest *reported* SAR adjusted by the ratio of specified maximum output power of aggregated to standalone band is > 1.2 W/kg, SAR is required for the 160 MHz channel. This procedure does not apply to an aggregated band with maximum output higher than the standalone band(s); the aggregated band must be tested independently for SAR. SAR is not required when the 160 MHz channel is operating at a reduced maximum power and also qualifies for SAR test exclusion.

#### 6.7.6 U-NII-2C and U-NII-3 Bands

The frequency range covered by these bands is 380 MHz (5.47 - 5.85 GHz), which requires a minimum of at least two SAR probe calibration frequency points to support SAR measurements. when Terminal Doppler Weather Radar (TDWR) restriction applies, the channels at 5.60 - 5.65 GHz in U-NII-2C band must be disabled with acceptable mechanisms and documented in the equipment certification to avoid SAR requirements.10 TDWR restriction does not apply under the new rules; all channels that operate at 5.60 - 5.65 GHz must be included to apply the SAR test reduction and measurement procedures.

When the same transmitter and antenna(s) are used for U-NII-2C band and U-NII-3 band or 5.8 GHz band of §15.247, the bands may be aggregated to enable additional channels with 20, 40 or 80 MHz bandwidth to span across the band gap, as illustrated in Appendix B. The maximum output power for the additional band gap channels is limited to the lower of those certified for the bands. Unless band gap channels are permanently disabled, they must be considered for SAR testing. The frequency range covered by these bands is 380 MHz (5.47 – 5.85 GHz), which requires a minimum of at least two SAR probe calibration frequency points to support SAR measurements. To maintain SAR measurement accuracy and to facilitate test reduction, the channels in U-NII-2C band above 5.65 GHz may be grouped with the 5.8 GHz channels in U-NII-3 or §15.247 band to enable two SAR probe calibration frequency points to cover the bands, including the band gap channels.11 When band gap channels are supported and the bands are not aggregated for SAR testing, band gap channels must be considered independently in each band according to the normally required OFDM SAR measurement and probe calibration frequency points requirements.



#### 6.7.7 OFDM Transmission Mode SAR Test Channel Selection Requirements

For 2.4 GHz and 5 GHz bands, When the same maximum output power was specified for multiple OFDM transmission mode configurations in a frequency band or aggregated band, SAR is measured using the configuration with the largest channel bandwidth, lowest order modulation and lowest data rate. When the maximum output power of a channel is the same for equivalent OFDM configurations (for example 802.11a, 802.11n and 802.11ac, or 802.11g and 802.11n, with the same channel bandwidth, modulation, and data rate, etc), the lower order 802.11 mode (i.e., 802.11a is chosen over 802.11n then 802.11ac, or 802.11g is chosen over 802.11n) is used for SAR measurement. When the maximum output power are the same for multiple test channel, either according to the default or additional power measurement requirement, SAR is measured using the channel closest to the middle of the frequency band or aggregated band. When there are multiple channels with the same maximum output power, SAR is measured using the higher number channel.

#### 6.7.8 MIMO SAR Considerations

Per KDB248227 D01, simultaneous transmission provisions in KDB Publication 447498 should be used to determine simultaneous transmission SAR test exclusion for WiFi MIMO. If the sum of 1-g SAR single transmission SAR measurement is <1.6W/kg, no additional SAR measurements for MIMO are required. Alternatively,SAR for MIMO can be measured with all antennas transmitting simultaneously at the specified maximum output power of MIMO operation.



#### 6.8 Dynamic antenna switching specification

The device supports the dynamic antenna switching function to optimize transmission efficiency for wide range frequency operations. It has two 2G/3G/4G Tx antennas (Main Antenna and Secondary Antenna). It can transmit from either Main Antenna or Secondary Antenna. The Main Antenna and Second Antenna can not transmit simultaneously.

SAR test procedure for dynamic antenna switching is as below:

The Main Antenna and Second Antenna are set to the MAX transmit power level respectively and test the SAR respectively in all applicable RF exposure conditions. Some commands or test scripts are supplied to fix the operation state so that only one TX antenna is chosen and tested at a time. All independent antennas are completely covered by the appropriate SAR measurements.

### 6.9 Power Reduction Specification

This device uses some power reduction features to reduce the transmit power and ensure SAR compliance. These power reduction features are implemented using a single fixed level of reduction through static table look-up for some wireless operating modes or frequency bands and triggered by a single event or operation.

Refer the FCC original SAR Report( report no.:E5/2018/80016) for detailed power reduction information.



### 7 SAR Measurement Results

### 7.1 Conducted power measurements

Mode	Channel	Frequency(MHz)	Data Rate(Mbps)	Max. Tune up	Average Power(dBm)
UHD GFSK 1Mbps	0	2404		9.00	4.23
	18	2440	1	9.00	5.88
	37	2478		9.00	4.23
UHD GFSK 2Mbps	0	2404		9.00	3.35
	18	2440	2	9.00	5.38
	37	2478		9.00	4.03
UHD 2M DQPSK	0	2404		9.30	3.50
	18	2440	4	9.30	5.58
	37	2478		9.30	4.31
UHD 2M 8DPSK	0	2404		9.30	3.86
	18	2440	6	9.30	6.47
	37	2478		9.30	5.95
UHD 4M DQPSK	0	2404		8.00	3.45
	18	2440	8	8.00	5.21
	36	2476		8.00	3.95

Table 12: Conducted power measurement results of BT UHD.

Note: Only BT UHD conducted power is included in this report. Refer to the FCC original SAR Report( report no.:E5/2018/80016) for other frequency bands' conducted power test data



#### 7.2 SAR measurement Results

#### **General Notes:**

- 1) Per KDB 447498 D01, all SAR measurement results are scaled to the maximum tune-up tolerance limit to demonstrate SAR compliance.
- 2) Per KDB 447498 D01, testing of other required channels within the operating mode of a frequency band is not required when the reported 1-g or 10-g SAR for the mid-band or highest output power channel is:
- ≤ 0.8W/kg for 1-g or 2.0W/kg for 10-g respectively, when the transmission band is ≤ 100MHz.
- ≤ 0.6 W/kg or 1.5 W/kg, for 1-g or 10-g respectively, when the transmission band is between 100 MHz and 200 MHz.
- ≤ 0.4 W/kg or 1.0 W/kg, for 1-g or 10-g respectively, when the transmission band is ≥ 200 MHz.

  When the maximum output power variation across the required test channels is > ½ dB, instead of

When the maximum output power variation across the required test channels is  $> \frac{1}{2}$  dB, instead of the middle channel, the highest output power channel must be used.

- 3) Per KDB 865664 D01,for each frequency band, repeated SAR measurement is required only when the measured SAR is ≥0.8W/kg; if the deviation among the repeated measurement is ≤20%, and the measured SAR <1.45W/kg, only one repeated measurement is required.
- 4) Per KDB 941225 D06, the DUT Dimension is bigger than 9 cm x 5 cm, so 10mm is chosen as the test separation distance for Hotspot mode. When the antenna-to-edge distance is greater than 2.5cm, such position does not need to be tested.
- 5) Per KDB 648474 D04, SAR is evaluated without a headset connected to the device. When the standalone reported body-worn SAR is ≤1.2 W/kg, no additional SAR evaluations using a headset are required.
- 6) Per KDB 865664 D02, SAR plot is only required for the highest measured SAR in each exposure configuration, wireless mode and frequency band combination; Plots are also required when the measured SAR is > 1.5 W/kg, or > 7.0 W/kg for occupational exposure. The published RF exposure KDB procedures may require additional plots; for example, to support SAR to peak location separation ratio test exclusion and/or volume scan post-processing (Refer to appendix B for details).
- 7) Per KDB 648474 D04, Body-worn accessories that do not contain metallic or conductive components is tested according to worst-case exposure configurations, typically according to the smallest test separation distance required for the group of body-worn accessories with similar operating and exposure characteristics.
- 8) Per KDB 648474 D04, Phones with built-in NFC functions do not require separate SAR testing and can generally be tested according to the SAR measurement procedures normally required for the phone. Influences of the hardware introduced by the built-in NFC functions are inherently considered through testing of the other transmitters that require SAR evaluation.

#### **GSM Notes:**

- 1) Per KDB941225 D01, SAR test reduction for GPRS and EDGE modes is determined by the source-based time-averaged output power specified for production units, including tune-up tolerance. The data mode with highest specified time-averaged output power should be tested for SAR compliance in the applicable exposure conditions. For modes with the same specified maximum output power and tolerance, the higher number time-slot configuration should be tested.
- 2) Per KDB 648474 D04, the device does not support DTM function. Body-worn accessory testing is typically associated with voice operations. Therefore, GSM voice was evaluated for body-worn SAR.



#### **UMTS Notes:**

1) Per KDB 941225 D01, When the maximum output power and tune-up tolerance specified for production units in a Second mode is  $\leq \frac{1}{4}$  dB higher than the primary mode or when the highest reported SAR of the primary mode is scaled by the ratio of specified maximum output power and tune-up tolerance of Second to primary mode and the adjusted SAR is  $\leq 1.2$  W/kg, SAR measurement is not required for the Second mode.

#### LTE Notes:

- 1) The LTE test configurations are determined according to KDB 941225 D05 SAR for LTE Devices. The general test procedures used for SAR testing can be found in Section 6.
- 2) A-MPR was disabled for all SAR test by setting NS\_01 on the base station simulator.SAR tests were performed with the same number of RB and RB offsets transmitting on all TTI frames(maximum TTI)
- 3) According to KDB 941225 D05 SAR for LTE Devices, for Time-Division Duplex (TDD) systems, SAR is tested using a fixed periodic duty factor according to the highest transmission duty factor (63.33%) implemented for the device and supported by the defined 3GPP LTE TDD configurations.

#### WiFi Notes:

WIFI was configured to transimit manximum averaged power level and max duty cycle for each antenna and operation mode to be tested. If the actual duty cycle is <100%, the SAR test results should be scaled to 100% duty cycle to ensure SAR compliance.

#### **BT Notes:**

BT was configured to transimit manximum averaged power level and max duty cycle for each operation mode to be tested. If the actual duty cycle is <100%, the SAR test results should be scaled to 100% duty cycle to ensure SAR compliance.

**Note:** Additional SAR test for BT UHD is not required, because the maximum power of BT UHD is not higher than BT-DH5. For other frequency bands, HMA-L29/HMA-L09 new share the same test data with HMA-L29/HMA-L09 original FCC SAR (report no.:E5/2018/80016)



### 7.3 Multiple Transmitter Evaluation

The detailed location of the Tx antennas inside the device refers to HMA-L29/HMA-L09 original FCC SAR (report no.:E5/2018/80016).

#### 7.3.1 Simultaneous Transmission Conclusion

The Simultaneous transmission SAR is shown in the HMA-L29/HMA-L09 original FCC SAR (report no.:E5/2018/80016). The numeral summed SAR results is sufficient to determine that simultaneous transmission cases will not exceed the SAR limit and therefore simultaneous transmission SAR with Volume Scans is not required per KDB 447498 D01.

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