

# Appendix B. Maximum Permissible Exposure



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### 1.1. Applicable Standard

Systems operating under the provisions of this section shall be operated in a manner that ensures that the public is not exposed to radio frequency energy levels in excess limit for maximum permissible exposure. In accordance with 47 CFR FCC Part 2 Subpart J, section 2.1091 this device has been defined as a mobile device whereby a distance of 0.2 m normally can be maintained between the user and the device.

| Frequency Range<br>(MHz) | Electric Field<br>Strength (E) (V/m) | Magnetic Field<br>Strength (H) (A/m) | Power Density (S)<br>(mW/ cm²) | Averaging Time<br> E  <sup>2</sup> ,  H  <sup>2</sup> or S<br>(minutes) |  |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|
| 0.3-3.0                  | 614                                  | 1.63 (100)*                          |                                | 6                                                                       |  |
| 3.0-30                   | 1842 / f                             | 4.89 / f (900 / f)*                  |                                | 6                                                                       |  |
| 30-300                   | 61.4                                 | 0.163                                | 1.0                            | 6                                                                       |  |
| 300-1500                 |                                      |                                      | F/300                          | 6                                                                       |  |
| 1500-100,000             |                                      |                                      | 5                              | 6                                                                       |  |

(A) Limits for Occupational / Controlled Exposure

(B) Limits for General Population / Uncontrolled Exposure

| Frequency Range<br>(MHz) | Electric Field<br>Strength (E) (V/m) | Magnetic Field<br>Strength (H) (A/m) | Power Density (S)<br>(mW/ cm²) | Averaging Time<br> E  <sup>2</sup> ,  H  <sup>2</sup> or S<br>(minutes) |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 0.3-1.34                 | 614                                  | 1.63                                 | (100)*                         | 30                                                                      |
| 1.34-30                  | 824/f                                | 2.19/f                               | (180/f)*                       | 30                                                                      |
| 30-300                   | 27.5                                 | 0.073                                | 0.2                            | 30                                                                      |
| 300-1500                 |                                      |                                      | F/1500                         | 30                                                                      |
| 1500-100,000             |                                      |                                      | 1.0                            | 30                                                                      |

Note: f = frequency in MHz ; \*Plane-wave equivalent power density

#### 1.2. MPE Calculation Method

$$E (V/m) = \frac{\sqrt{30 \times P \times G}}{d}$$
 Power Density:  $Pd (W/m^2) = \frac{E^2}{377}$ 

E = Electric field (V/m)

- P = Average RF output power (W)
- G = EUT Antenna numeric gain (numeric)
- d = Separation distance between radiator and human body (m)

The formula can be changed to

$$Pd = \frac{30 \times P \times G}{377 \times d^2}$$

From the EUT RF output power, the minimum mobile separation distance, d=0.2m, as well as the gain of the used antenna, the RF power density can be obtained.



#### 1.3. Calculated Result and Limit

Exposure Environment: General Population / Uncontrolled Exposure

For UNII:

For 5GHz Band 1  $\sim$  Band 3:

Antenna Type : PCB Antenna

Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11acVHT20 : 25.93 dBm

| Distance<br>(m) | Directional<br>Gain | Antenna<br>Gain | The maximum combined<br>Average Output Power |         | Power<br>Density (S) | Limit of<br>Power<br>Density (S) | Test Result           |          |
|-----------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------------------|---------|----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
|                 | (11)                | <b>B</b>        | (numeric)                                    | (dBm)   | (mW)                 | (mW/cm²)                         | (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> ) |          |
|                 | 0.2                 | 4.77            | 3.0000                                       | 25.9284 | 391.5972             | 0.233836                         | 1                     | Complies |

Note: DirectionalGain = 
$$10 \cdot \log \left[ \frac{\sum_{j=1}^{N_{SS}} \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^{N_{SS}} g_{j,k} \right\}^2}{N_{ANT}} \right]$$

For DTS:

For 5GHz Band 4:

Antenna Type : PCB Antenna

Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11ac VHT20: 27.10 dBm

| Distance<br>(m) | Directional<br>Gain | Antenna<br>Gain<br>(numeric) | The maximum combined<br>Average Output Power |          | Power<br>Density (S)  | Limit of<br>Power       | Test Result |
|-----------------|---------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|----------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------|
|                 |                     |                              | (dBm)                                        | (mW)     | (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> ) | Density (S)<br>(mW/cm²) |             |
| 0.2             | 4.77                | 3.0000                       | 27.0995                                      | 512.8031 | 0.306212              | 1                       | Complies    |

Note: DirectionalGain = 
$$10 \cdot \log \left| \frac{\sum_{j=1}^{N_{\text{ANT}}} \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^{N_{\text{ANT}}} g_{j,k} \right\}^2}{N_{\text{ANT}}} \right|$$

For 2.4GHz Band:

Antenna Type : PCB Antenna

Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11b: 24.50 dBm

| Distance<br>(m) | Antenna<br>Gain (dBi) | Antenna<br>Gain<br>(numeric) | Average Output Power |          | Power<br>Density (S)  | Limit of<br>Power       | Test Result |
|-----------------|-----------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|----------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------|
|                 |                       |                              | (dBm)                | (mW)     | (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> ) | Density (S)<br>(mW/cm²) |             |
| 0.2             | 2.50                  | 1.7783                       | 24.5000              | 281.8383 | 0.099759              | 1                       | Complies    |

#### Conclusion:

Both of the WLAN 2.4GHz Band and WLAN 5GHz Band can transmit simultaneously, the formula of calculated the MPE is:

CPD1 / LPD1 + CPD2 / LPD2 + .....etc. < 1

CPD = Calculation power density

#### LPD = Limit of power density

Therefore, the worst-case situation is 0.099759 / 1 + 0.306212 / 1 = 0.405971, which is less than "1". This confirmed that the device comply with FCC 1.1310 MPE limit.