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Maximum Permissible Exposure Report

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Product Name	Broadcom 802.11a/b/g/n WLAN+ Bluetooth PCI-E NGFF2230 card
Brand Name	Broadcom
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History of This Test Report

REPORT NO.	VERSION	DESCRIPTION	ISSUED DATE
FA440181-03	Rev. 01	Initial issue of report	Sep. 10, 2015

1. GENERAL DESCRIPTION

1.1. EUT General Information

RF General Information			
Evaluation Mode	Frequency Range (MHz)	Operating Frequency (MHz)	Modulation Type
2.4GHz WLAN	2400-2483.5	2412-2462	802.11b: DSSS (DBPSK, DQPSK, CCK) 802.11g/n: OFDM (BPSK, QPSK, 16QAM, 64QAM)
5GHz WLAN	5150-5250 5250-5350 5470-5725 5725-5850	5180-5240 5260-5320 5500-5700 5745-5825	802.11a/n: OFDM (BPSK, QPSK, 16QAM, 64QAM)
Bluetooth	2400-2483.5	2402-2480	BR / EDR: FHSS (GFSK / $\pi/4$ -DQPSK / 8DPSK) LE: DSSS (GFSK)

1.2. Table for Class II Change

This product is an extension of original one reported under Sporton project number: 440181

Below is the table for the change of the product with respect to the original one.

Modifications	Performance Checking
Adding two sets dipole antennas for the device. The EUT now is limited to mobile use only.	MPE

1.3. Testing Location

Testing Location		
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2. MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE

2.1. Limit of Maximum Permissible Exposure

(A) Limits for Occupational / Controlled Exposure

Frequency Range (MHz)	Electric Field Strength (E) (V/m)	Magnetic Field Strength (H) (A/m)	Power Density (S) (mW/ cm ²)	Averaging Time E ² , H ² or S (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

(B) Limits for General Population / Uncontrolled Exposure

Frequency Range (MHz)	Electric Field Strength (E) (V/m)	Magnetic Field Strength (H) (A/m)	Power Density (S) (mW/ cm ²)	Averaging Time E ² , H ² or S (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

2.2. MPE Calculation Method

The MPE was calculated at 20 cm to show compliance with the power density limit.

The following formula was used to calculate the Power Density:

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

E = Electric field (V/m)

P = Peak 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

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

2.3. Calculated Result and Limit

Exposure Environment: General Population / Uncontrolled Exposure

For 5GHz Band (NII):

Antenna Type : Dipole antenna

Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11n MCS0 (HT40): 21.51dBm

Distance (cm)	Test Freq. (MHz)	Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	The maximum combined Average Output Power		Power Density (S) (mW/cm ²)	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm ²)	Test Result
				(dBm)	(mW)			
20	5270	1.58	1.4388	21.51	141.6896	0.040578	1	Complies

For 5GHz Band (DTS):

Antenna Type : Dipole antenna

Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11n MCS0 (HT40): 20.17dBm

Distance (cm)	Test Freq. (MHz)	Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	The maximum combined Average Output Power		Power Density (S) (mW/cm ²)	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm ²)	Test Result
				(dBm)	(mW)			
20	5795	1.09	1.2853	20.17	103.8798	0.026576	1	Complies

For 2.4GHz Band:

Antenna Type : Dipole antenna

Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11n MCS0 (HT20): 22.66dBm

Distance (cm)	Test Freq. (MHz)	Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	The maximum combined Average Output Power		Power Density (S) (mW/cm ²)	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm ²)	Test Result
				(dBm)	(mW)			
20	2437	1.26	1.3366	22.66	184.4796	0.049079	1	Complies

<Bluetooth>

Antenna Type : Dipole antenna

Conducted Power for EDR ($\pi/4$ -DQPSK) 2 Mbps: -2.05dBm

Distance (m)	Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Average Output Power		Power Density (S) (mW/cm ²)	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm ²)	Test Result
			(dBm)	(mW)			
20	1.26	1.3366	-2.05	0.6237	0.000166	1	Complies

Conclusion:

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

$$CPD1 / LPD1 + CPD2 / LPD2 + \dots \text{etc.} < 1$$

CPD = Calculation power density

LPD = Limit of power density

Therefore, the worst-case situation are $0.040578 / 1 + 0.000166 / 1 = 0.040744$ for WLAN 5GHz Band + Bluetooth and $0.049079 / 1 + 0.000166 / 1 = 0.049245$ for WLAN 2.4GHz Band + Bluetooth, which are less than "1". This confirmed that the device complies.