

FCC §15.247 (i) & §2.1091- MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE (MPE)

Applicable Standard

According to subpart 15.247 (i) and subpart 2.1091 systems operating under the provisions of this section shall be operated in a manner that ensures the public is not exposed to RF energy level in excess of the communication guidelines.

Limits for General Population/Uncontrolled Exposure

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|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Frequency Range (MHz) | Electric Field Strength (V/m) | Magnetic Field Strength (A/m) | Power Density (mW/cm ²) | Averaging Time (Minutes) |
| 0.3-1.34 | 614 | 1.63 | *(100) | 30 |
| 1.34-30 | 824/f | 2.19/f | *(180/f ²) | 30 |
| 30-300 | 27.5 | 0.073 | 0.2 | 30 |
| 300-1500 | / | / | f/1500 | 30 |
| 1500-100,000 | / | / | 1.0 | 30 |

f = frequency in MHz

* = Plane-wave equivalent power density

Result

Calculated Formulary:

Predication of MPE limit at a given distance

$$S = \frac{PG}{4\pi R^2}$$

S = power density (in appropriate units, e.g. mW/cm²)

P = power input to the antenna (in appropriate units, e.g., mW).

G = power gain of the antenna in the direction of interest relative to an isotropic radiator, the power gain factor, is normally numeric gain.

R = distance to the center of radiation of the antenna (appropriate units, e.g., cm)

For simultaneously transmit system, the calculated power density should comply with:

$$\sum_i \frac{S_i}{S_{Limit,i}} \leq 1$$

| Mode | Frequency (MHz) | Antenna Gain | | Tune up conducted power | | Evaluation Distance (cm) | Power Density (mW/cm ²) | MPE Limit (mW/cm ²) |
|-------|-----------------|--------------|-----------|-------------------------|-------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | | (dBi) | (numeric) | (dBm) | (mW) | | | |
| BLE | 2402-2480 | 1.75 | 1.5 | 3.5 | 2.24 | 20 | 0.001 | 1.0 |
| Wi-Fi | 2412-2462 | 1.75 | 1.5 | 18.5 | 70.79 | 20 | 0.021 | 1.0 |
| Lora | 923.3-927.5 | 2.3 | 1.7 | 13.5 | 22.39 | 20 | 0.008 | 0.6 |

- Note: 1. The tune up conducted power was declared by the applicant
 2. Lora, BLE and Wi-Fi can transmit simultaneously for this device..
 3. Please refer to the MPE report of the FCC ID: 2AF6B-RAK2287 for the Lora output power.

So the worst simultaneous transmitting consideration:

$$\text{The ratio} = \text{MPE}_{\text{BLE}}/\text{limit} + \text{MPE}_{\text{Wi-Fi}}/\text{limit} + \text{MPE}_{\text{Lora}}/\text{limit} = 0.001/1.0 + 0.021/1.0 + 0.008/0.6 \\ = 0.035 < 1.0$$

To maintain compliance with the FCC's RF exposure guidelines, place the equipment at least 20cm from nearby persons.

Result: Compliance