

RF Exposure Evaluation

Limits

The criteria listed in the following table shall be used to evaluate the environment impact of human exposure to radio frequency (RF) radiation as specified in 1.1307(b)

Limits for Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE)

Frequency range (MHz)	Electric field strength (V/m)	Magnetic field strength (A/m)	Power density (mW/cm²)	Averaging time (minutes)				
(A) Limits for Occupational/Controlled Exposures								
0.3–3.0	614	1.63	*(100)	6				
3.0–30	1842/f	4.89/f	*(900/f²)	6				
30–300	61.4	0.163	1.0	6				
300–1500		120.	f/300	6				
1500–100,000			5	6				
	(B) Limits for	General Population/Uncontro	olled Exposure					
0.3–1.34	614	1.63	*(100)	30				
1.34–30	824/f	2.19/f	*(180/f²)	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

Friis transmission formula: $Pd = (Pout*G)/(4*pi*r^2)$

Where

Pd = power density in mW/cm², **Pout** = output power to antenna in mW;

G = gain of antenna in linear scale, **Pi** = 3.1416;

 $\boldsymbol{\mathsf{R}}$ = distance between observation point and center of the radiator in cm

Pd id the limit of MPE, 1 mW/cm². If we know the maximum gain of the antenna and the total power input to the antenna, through the calculation, we will know the distance r where the MPE limit is reached.

Test Procedure

Software provided by client enabled the EUT to transmit and receive data at lowest, middle and highest channel individually.

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Test Result of RF Exposure Evaluation

Modulation	Output power to antenna (dBm)	Output power to antenna (mW)	Power Density at R=20cm (mW/cm²)	Limit (mW/cm²)	Result
802.11b	18.94	78.3430	0.020452	1.0	PASS
	19.23	83.7529	0.021864	1.0	PASS
	19.22	83.5603	0.021814	1.0	PASS
802.11g	17.81	60.3949	0.015766	1.0	PASS
	17.89	61.5177	0.016059	1.0	PASS
	17.93	62.0869	0.016208	1.0	PASS
802.11n20	17.72	59.1562	0.015443	1.0	PASS
	17.76	59.7035	0.015586	1.0	PASS
	17.78	59.9791	0.015658	1.0	PASS
802.11ah	18.53	71.2853	0.018609	1.0	PASS
	18.72	74.4732	0.019442	1.0	PASS
	18.15	65.3131	0.017050	1.0	PASS

In the case of simultaneous launches for wifi 2.4g and Wifi HaLow:

Calc. Thresholds: 0.021864+ 0.019442 = 0.041306 < 1(Limit)

So a SAR test is not required

Remark: Wifi 2.4g antenna gain= 1.18dBi
Wifi HaLow antenna gain= 0.61dBi











