

1. RF EXPOSURE

1.1. The Requirement

System 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 of the Commission’s guidelines. See Section 15.247(b)(4) and Section 1.1307(b)(1)

1.2. Limit For Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE)

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 |

F = frequency in MHz, * Plane-wave equivalent power density

1.3. MPE Calculation Method

Predication of MPE limit at a given distance

Equation from page 18 of OET Bulletin 65, Edition 97-01

$$S = PG / 4\pi R^2$$

Where:

S=power density

P=power input to antenna

G=power gain of the antenna in the direction of interest relative to an isotropic radiator

R=distance to the center of radiation of the antenna

From the peak EUT RF output power, the minimum mobile separation distance,

d=0.2m, as well as the gain of the BLE antenna is 2.5dBi and the gain the RF power density can be obtained.

1.4. TEST RESULTS

BLE mode

| Test Frequency (MHz) | Minimum Separation Distance (cm) | Output Power (dBm) | Target power (dBm) | Target power (mW) | Antenna Gain (Numeric) | Power Density Limit (mW/cm ²) | Power Density At 20 cm (mW/cm ²) | Test Results |
|----------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------|------------------------|---|--|--------------|
| 2402 | 20.00 | 2.238 | 2±1 | 1.995 | 1.47 | 1 | 0.0006 | Pass |
| 2440 | 20.00 | 1.884 | 2±1 | 1.995 | 1.47 | 1 | 0.0006 | Pass |
| 2480 | 20.00 | 3.066 | 3±1 | 2.521 | 1.47 | 1 | 0.0007 | Pass |

1.5. FCC Radiation Exposure Statement

This equipment complies with FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. In order to avoid the possibility of exceeding the FCC radio frequency exposure limits, Human proximity to the antenna shall not be less than 20cm (8 inches) during normal operation. Proposed RF exposure safety information to include in User's Manual.