SAR EVALUATION REPORT

FCC 47 CFR Part 2.1093
ISED RSS-102

RF-Exposure evaluation of portable equipment

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Test Specification Standard(s)	FCC 47 CFR 2.1093 ISED RSS-102 Issue 5 IEEE 1528:2013
Non-Standard Test Method	None
Equipment under Test (EUT):	
Product Description	Internet USB device for connection with a laptop like host device
Model(s)	USB Connect 4G - NF
Additional Model(s)	None
Brand Name(s)	Exelonix
Hardware Version(s)	20-004-1.3-NF
Software Version(s)	25.20.668
FCC ID	2AUC4-UC4GNF
IC	25377-UC4GNF
Test Result	**PASSED**

Possible test case verdicts:	
Required by standard but not tested	N/T
Not required by standard	N/R
Not applicable to EUT	N/A
Test object does meet the requirement	P(PASS)
Test object does not meet the requirement	F(FAIL)
Testing:	
Test Lab Temperature	15 - 35 °C
Test Lab Humidity	30 – 50 %
Date of receipt of test item	2021-11-10
Report:	
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General Remarks:	
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Additional Comments:	

SAR EVALUATION SUMMARY

SAR Summary								
Exposure Condition		Equipment Classes						
		PCE	PCF	PCT	NII	DTS	DSS	TNT
Standalone-Tx	Head (1-g) [W/kg]	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Body-worn (1-g) [W/kg]	-	-	1.353	-	-	-	-
	Hotspot (1-g) [W/kg]	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Extremities (10-g) [W/kg]	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Simultaneous-Tx	Head (1-g) [W/kg]	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Body-worn (1-g) [W/kg]	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Hotspot (1-g) [W/kg]	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Extremities (10-g) [W/kg]	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

VERSION HISTORY

Version History			
Version	Issue Date	Remarks	Revised By
01	2022-02-17	Initial Release	-

ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

Acronyms	
Acronym	Description
EIRP	Equivalent Isotropic Radiated Power
ERP	Effective Radiated Power
EUT	Equipment Under Test
LPE	Low Power Exclusion
SAR	Specific Absorption Rate
PCE	PCS Licensed Transmitter held to ear
PCF	PCS Licensed Transmitter held to face
PCT	PCS Licensed Transmitter worn on body
NII	Unlicensed national Information Infrastructure TX
DTS	Digital Transmission System
DSS	Part 15 Spread Spectrum Transmitter
TNT	Licensed Nin-Broadcast Transmitter Worn on Body

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1 Equipment (Test Item) Under Test

General Information	
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Serial Number(s)	354328097161977
Sample ID(s)	37138
Hardware Version(s)	20-004-1.3-NF
Software Version(s)	25.20.668
FCC Certification	
FCC ID	2AUC4-UC4GNF
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PMN	USB Connect 4G - NF
HVIN	20-004-1.3-NF
FVIN	N/A
HMN	N/A
Equipment Classification	
Environment	General public
Type	Production Unit
Special Device Type	☐Handset ☐UMPC Mini-Tablet ☒USB Dongle ☐Non-specific
Number of radio chipsets/modules	1
Radio technologies of chipset/module 1	LTE

Equipment Radio Chipset/Module 1					
LTE	Type	4G-LTE-Modul			
	Model	LE910C4-NF			
	Manufacturer	Telit			
	HW Version	HW1.2			
	SW Version	25.20.668			
	Equipment Class	PCT			
	Frequency Band(s)	FDD2 FDD4 FDD12 FDD66			
	Frequency Range(s)	UL: 1850-1910 MHz UL: 1710-1755 MHz UL: 699-716 MHz UL: 1710-1780 MHz			
	Supported Bandwidths	FDD2	☒ 1.4 MHz ☒ 3 MHz	☒ 5 MHz ☒ 10 MHz	☒ 15 MHz ☒ 20 MHz
		FDD4	☒ 1.4 MHz ☒ 3 MHz	☒ 5 MHz ☒ 10 MHz	☒ 15 MHz ☒ 20 MHz
		FDD12	☒ 1.4 MHz ☒ 3 MHz	☒ 5 MHz ☒ 10 MHz	☐ 15 MHz ☐ 20 MHz
		FDD66	☒ 1.4 MHz ☒ 3 MHz	☒ 5 MHz ☒ 10 MHz	☒ 15 MHz ☒ 20 MHz
	Modulation(s)	QPSK, 16-QAM			
	Power Class	3 (23 dBm) ±2dB tolerance			
	Mode(s)	Data			
	Overlapping Bandwidth Support	Yes			
	Downlink Carrier Aggregation Mode(s)	No			
	Uplink Carrier Aggregation	No			
	Downlink MIMO	Yes			
	Uplink MIMO	No			
	Antenna	2 x Synzen (CZ0006-0L01)			
	Use case(s)	Body-worn			
	Hotspot mode(s)	None			

2 Reference Documents

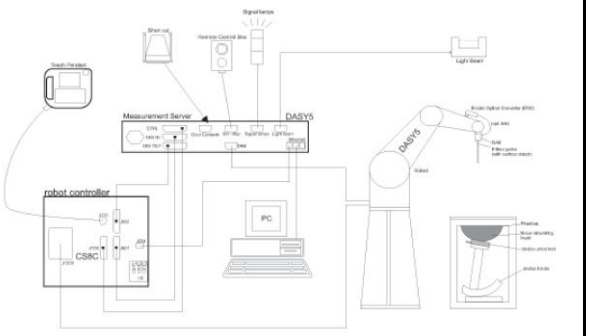
KDB Publications		
Name	**Description**	**Date**
447498 D01 v06	Mobile and Portable Devices RF Exposure Procedures And Equipment Authorization Policies	2015-10
865664 D01 v01r04	SAR Measurement Requirements for 100 MHz to 6 GHz	2015-08
865664 D02 v01r02	RF Exposure Compliance Reporting and Documentation Considerations	2015-10
648474 D03 v01r04	Evaluation and Approval Considerations for Handsets with Specific Wireless Charging Battery Covers	2015-12
680106 D01 v03	RF Exposure Considerations for Wireless Charging Applications	2021-01
616217 D04 v01r02	SAR Evaluation Consideration for Laptops and Netbooks and Tablets	2015-10
941225 D05 v02r05	SAR Evaluation Considerations for LTE Devices	2015-12
941225 D05A v01r02	Rel. 10 LTE SAR Test Guidance and KDB Inquiries	2015-10
648474 D04 v01r03	SAR Evaluation Considerations for Wireless Handsets	2015-10
941225 D06 v02r01	SAR Evaluation Procedures for Portable Devices with Wireless Router Capabilities	2015-10
941225 D07 v01r02	SAR Evaluation Procedures for UMPC Mini-Tablet Devices	2015-10
248227 D01 v02r02	SAR Guidance for 802.11 (Wi-Fi) Transmitters	2015-10
690783 D01 v01r03	SAR Listings on Equipment Authorization Grants	2013-09
941225 D01 v03r01	SAR Measurement Procedures for 3G Devices	2015-10
447498 D02 v02r01	SAR Measurement Procedures for USB Dongle Transmitters	2015-10

ISED Publications		
Name	**Description**	**Date**
RSS-102	Radio Frequency (RF) Exposure Compliance of Radiocommunication Apparatus (All Frequency Bands)	2015-03
TN-261	Safety Code 6 (SC6) Radio Frequency Exposure Compliance Evaluation Template (Uncontrolled Environment Exposure Limits)	2015-03
GL-01	Guidelines for the Measurement of Radio Frequency Fields at Frequencies From 3 kHz to 300 GHz	2021-12

TCB Council Presentations		
Name	**Description**	**Date**
RF Exposure Procedures Update	GSM/GPRS SAR	2013-10
RF Exposure Procedures	Overlapping LTE Bands	2015-04
RF Exposure Procedures	Bluetooth Duty Factor	2016-10
RF Exposure Procedures	DUT Holder Pertubations	2016-10
RF Exposure Procedures	HSUPA Configuration Update	2017-05
RF Exposure Procedures	802.11ax SAR Testing	2019-04
RF Exposure Procedures	SPLSR Hotspot Combination	2019-11
RF Exposure Procedures	LTE UL/DL Carrier Aggregation	2017-11
RF Exposure Procedures	LTE DL CA Test Exclusion	2018-04

3 SAR System and Procedures

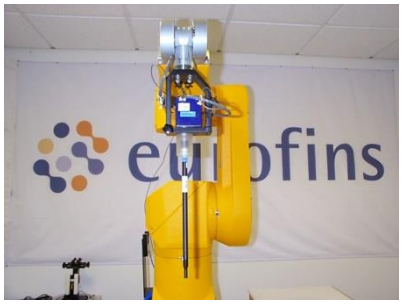
3.1 SAR System Description

SAR System	
	

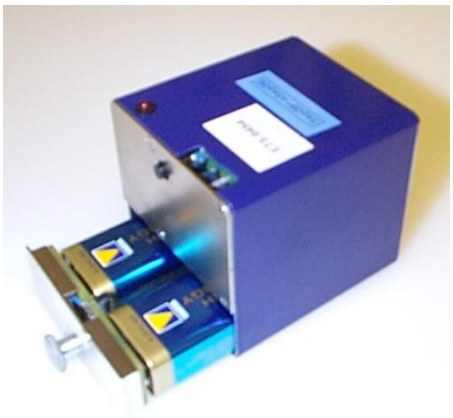
SAR System Components
– A standard high precision 6-axis robot (Stäubli TX=RX family) with controller, teach pendant and software. An arm extension for accommodating the data acquisition electronics (DAE)
– An isotropic field probe optimized and calibrated for the targeted measurement
– A data acquisition electronics (DAE) which performs the signal amplification, signal multiplexing, AD-conversion, offset measurements, mechanical surface detection, collision detection, etc. The unit is battery powered with standard or rechargeable batteries. The signal is optically transmitted to the EOC
– The Electro-optical converter (EOC) performs the conversion from optical to electrical signals for the digital communication to the DAE. To use optical surface detection, a special version of the EOC is required. The EOC signal is transmitted to the measurement server
– The function of the measurement server is to perform the time critical tasks such as signal filtering, control of the robot operation and fast movement interrupts
– The Light Beam used is for probe alignment. This improves the (absolute) accuracy of the probe positioning
– A computer running Win7 profesional operating system and the DASY5 software
– Remote control and teach pendant as well as additional circuitry for robot safety such as warning lamps, etc
– The phantom, the device holder and other accessories according to the targeted measurement

3.2 SAR System Components

SAR Component - Robot
– The DASY5 system uses the high precision robots RX90BL type out of the newer series from Stäubli SA (France) – High precision (repeatability 0.02 mm) – High reliability (industrial design) – Jerk-free straight movements – Low ELF interference (the closed metallic construction shields against motor control fields) – 6-axis controller



SAR Component - DAE
– The data acquisition electronics (DAE3) consists of a highly sensitive electrometer-grade preamplifier with auto-zeroing, a channel and gain-switching multi-plexer, a fast 16 bit AD-converter and a command decoder and control logic unit. Transmission to the measurement server is accomplished through an optical downlink for data and status information as well as an optical uplink for commands and the clock – The mechanical probe mounting device includes two different sensor systems for frontal and sideways probe contacts. They are used for mechanical surface detection and probe collision detection. The input impedance of the DAE3 is 200M Ohm; the inputs are symmetrical and floating. Common mode rejection is above 80dB



SAR Component - Probe
– One dipole parallel, two dipoles normal to probe axis built-in shielding against static charges – Frequency Range: 10 MHz to 6 GHz – Linearity: ±0.2dB (30MHz to 6GHz) – Directivity: ▪ ±0.3 dB in HSL (rotation around probe axis) ▪ ±0.5 dB in tissue material (rotation normal to probe axis) – Dynamic Range: 5µW/g to > 100mW/g – Dimensions: ▪ Overall Length: 337mm (Tip: 20mm) ▪ Tip Diameter: 2.5mm (Body: 12mm) ▪ Distance from probe tip to dipole centers: 1mm

SAR Component – Twin Phantom
– Material: Vinyl ester, fiberglass reinforced (VE-GF) – Shell Thickness: 2 ± 0.2 mm (6 ± 0.2 mm at ear point) – Three measurement areas: ▪ Left Hand ▪ Right Hand ▪ Flat Phantom – Length: 1000 mm – Width: 500 mm – Height: adjustable feet – Filling Volume: approx. 25 liters 

SAR Component – ELI Phantom
– Intended for compliance testing of handheld and body-mounted wireless devices in the frequency range of 30 MHz to 6 GHz – Material: Vinyl ester, fiberglass reinforced (VE-GF) – Shell thickness: 2.0 ± 0.2 mm (bottom plate) – Major axis: 600 mm – Minor axis: 400 mm – Filling Volume: approx. 30 liters 

SAR Component – EUT positioner
– Is designed to cope with the different positions given in the standard – It has two scales for device rotation (with respect to the body axis) and device inclination (with respect to the line between the ear reference points) – The rotation centers for both scales is the ear reference point (ERP) – Is constructed of low-loss POM material having the following dielectric parameters: relative permittivity ε=3 and loss tangent δ=0.02 

SAR Component – Dipole 750 MHz – SAM Twin Phantom	
– Symmetrical dipole with λ/4 balun – Frequency: 750 MHz – Return Loss: >20 dB at specified validation position – Power Capability: ▪ >100 W (f <1 GHz) ▪ >40 W (f >1 GHz) – Dipole length: 179.0 mm – Overall height: 330.0	

SAR Component – Dipole 900 MHz – SAM Twin Phantom	
– Symmetrical dipole with λ/4 balun – Frequency: 900 MHz – Return Loss: >20 dB at specified validation position – Power Capability: ▪ >100 W (f <1 GHz) ▪ >40 W (f >1 GHz) – Dipole length: 148.5 mm – Overall height: 340.0	

SAR Component – Dipole 1750 MHz – SAM Twin Phantom	
– Symmetrical dipole with λ/4 balun – Frequency: 1750 MHz – Return Loss: >20 dB at specified validation position – Power Capability: ▪ >100 W (f <1 GHz) ▪ >40 W (f >1 GHz) – Dipole length: 75.2 mm – Overall height: 301.5	

SAR Component – Dipole 1800 MHz – SAM Twin Phantom	
– Symmetrical dipole with λ/4 balun – Frequency: 1800 MHz – Return Loss: >20 dB at specified validation position – Power Capability: ▪ >100 W (f <1 GHz) ▪ >40 W (f >1 GHz) – Dipole length: 72.5 mm – Overall height: 300.0	

SAR Component – Dipole 1900 MHz – SAM Twin Phantom	
– Symmetrical dipole with λ/4 balun – Frequency: 1900 MHz – Return Loss: >20 dB at specified validation position – Power Capability: ▪ >100 W (f <1 GHz) ▪ >40 W (f >1 GHz) – Dipole length: 67.7 mm – Overall height: 300.0	

SAR Component – Dipole 2450 MHz – SAM Twin Phantom	
– Symmetrical dipole with λ/4 balun – Frequency: 2450 MHz – Return Loss: >20 dB at specified validation position – Power Capability: ▪ >100 W (f <1 GHz) ▪ >40 W (f >1 GHz) – Dipole length: 52 mm – Overall height: 290.0	

SAR Component – Dipole 2600 MHz – SAM Twin Phantom	
– Symmetrical dipole with λ/4 balun – Frequency: 2600 MHz – Return Loss: >20 dB at specified validation position – Power Capability: ▪ >100 W (f <1 GHz) ▪ >40 W (f >1 GHz) – Dipole length: 49.2 mm – Overall height: 290.0	

SAR Component – Dipole 5000 MHz – SAM Twin Phantom	
– Symmetrical dipole with λ/4 balun – Frequency: 5000 – 6000 MHz – Return Loss: >20 dB at specified validation position – Power Capability: ▪ >100 W (f <1 GHz) ▪ >40 W (f >1 GHz) – Dipole length: 20.6 mm – Overall height: 300.0	

SAR Component – Dipole 750 MHz – ELI Phantom	
– Symmetrical dipole with λ/4 balun – Frequency: 750 MHz – Return Loss: >20 dB at specified validation position – Power Capability: ▪ >100 W (f <1 GHz) ▪ >40 W (f >1 GHz) – Dipole length: 179.0 mm – Overall height: 330.0	

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SAR Component – Dipole 5000 MHz – ELI Phantom	
– Symmetrical dipole with λ/4 balun – Frequency: 5000 – 6000 MHz – Return Loss: >20 dB at specified validation position – Power Capability: ▪ >100 W (f <1 GHz) ▪ >40 W (f >1 GHz) – Dipole length: 20.6 mm – Overall height: 300.0	

SAR Component – SAM Twin Phantom Liquid Depth (FCC KDB 865664 D01)	
– The depth of tissue-equivalent liquid in a phantom must be ≥ 15.0 cm with ≤ 0.5 cm variation for SAR measurements ≤ 3 GHz and ≥ 10.0 cm with ≤ 0.5 cm variation for measurements > 3 GHz. These depths should ensure the SAR probe is immersed sufficiently in the tissue medium while scanning along the curved surfaces of the SAM phantom at various probe angles, with an acceptable separation between the top of the zoom scan volume and the liquid-air boundary above. The required liquid depth for typical SAR measurements is determined at the ERP location of the SAM phantom and at the center of the measurement region for a flat phantom.	

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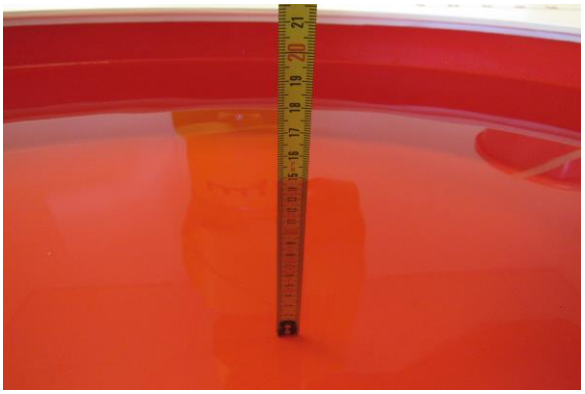
– The depth of tissue-equivalent liquid in a phantom must be ≥ 15.0 cm with ≤ 0.5 cm variation for SAR measurements ≤ 3 GHz and ≥ 10.0 cm with ≤ 0.5 cm variation for measurements > 3 GHz. These depths should ensure the SAR probe is immersed sufficiently in the tissue medium while scanning along the curved surfaces of the SAM phantom at various probe angles, with an acceptable separation between the top of the zoom scan volume and the liquid-air boundary above. The required liquid depth for typical SAR measurements is determined at the ERP location of the SAM phantom and at the center of the measurement region for a flat phantom.	

3.3 Tissue Liquid Validation

Tissue Simulating Liquid Target Values (FCC KDB 865664 D01)				
Target Frequency [MHz]	Head		Body	
	ε_r	σ [S/m]	ε_r	σ [S/m]
150	52.3	0.76	61.9	0.80
300	45.3	0.87	58.2	0.92
450	43.5	0.87	56.7	0.94
835	41.5	0.90	55.2	0.97
900	41.5	0.97	55.0	1.05
915	41.5	0.98	55.0	1.06
1450	40.5	1.20	54.0	1.30
1610	40.3	1.29	53.8	1.40
1800 – 2000	40.0	1.40	53.3	1.52
2450	39.2	1.80	52.7	1.95
3000	38.5	2.40	52.0	2.73
5800	35.3	5.27	48.2	6.00
Note1: Per FCC KDB 865664 D01 the dielectric parameters should be linearly interpolated between the closest pair of target frequencies to determine the applicable dielectric parameters corresponding to the device test frequency				
Note 2: Per FCC KDB 865664 D01 if the deviation from the target values are within 5 to 10 % the measured SAR values must be compensated for the tissue dielectric deviations				

DAK 3.5 Tissue Simulating Liquid System Components

DAK 3.5 System Tissue Validation Procedure (FCC KDB 865664 D01, IEEE 1528:2013)	
1.	The target frequency range is set in the measurement software
2.	The DAK-System is calibrated with open termination
3.	The DAK-System is calibrated with short termination using the shorting block of the system
4.	The DAK-System is calibrated with load termination using distilled water
5.	The Probe is put into the tissue simulating liquid inside the measurement phantom
6.	The tissue simulating liquid parameters are measured over the target frequency range
7.	The liquid parameters are interpolated in order to get the target parameters of the source target frequencies
8.	The deviations $\Delta\varepsilon_r$ and $\Delta\sigma$ of the liquid parameters from the target parameters given by the FCC and IEEE 1528:2013 in % are calculated: $\Delta\epsilon_r[\%] = \frac{\epsilon_{r\,measured} - \epsilon_{r\,target}}{\epsilon_{r\,target}} \cdot 100$ $\Delta\sigma[\%] = \frac{\sigma_{measured} - \sigma_{target}}{\sigma_{target}} \cdot 100$
9.	The deviations must be ≤ 5% according to FCC KDB 865664 D01 and ≤ 10% for IEEE 1528:2013
10.	The liquid parameters are exported from the measurement software and imported to the DASY Software

3.4 Tissue Liquid Recipes

Body Tissue Simulating Liquids < 3 GHz					
Ingredient	M 750 weight (%)	M 900 weight (%)	M 1800 weight (%)	M 1900 weight (%)	M 2450 weight (%)
Water	51.7	50.75	70.17	69.79	68.64
Sugar	47.2	48.21	-	-	-
Cellulose	-	-	-	-	-
Salt	0.9	-	0.39	0.2	-
Preventol	0.1	0.1	-	-	-
DGBE	-	-	29.44	30	31.37

Head Tissue Simulating Liquids < 3 GHz					
Ingredient	HSL 750 weight (%)	HSL 900 weight (%)	HSL 1800 weight (%)	HSL 1900 weight (%)	HSL 2450 weight (%)
Water	41.1	40.29	55.24	55.41	55
Sugar	57.0	57.9	-	-	-
Cellulose	0.20	0.24	-	-	-
Salt	1.4	1.38	0.31	0.08	-
Preventol	0.2	0.18	-	-	-
DGBE	-	-	44.45	44.51	45

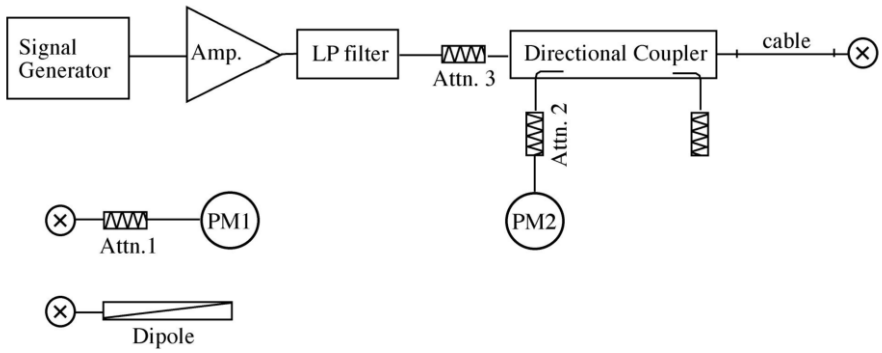
Ingredients	
Water	deionized water. resistivity ≥ 16 MΩ
Sugar	refined white sugar
Cellulose	Hydroxyethyl-cellulose
Salt	pure NaCl
Preventol	Preventol D-7
DGBE	Diethylenglycol-monobuthyl ether

Body Tissue Simulating Liquids > 3 GHz	
MBBL 3-6 GHz	Liquids are direct from Speag

Head Tissue Simulating Liquids > 3 GHz	
HBBL 3-6 GHz	Liquids are direct from Speag

3.5 SAR System Validation

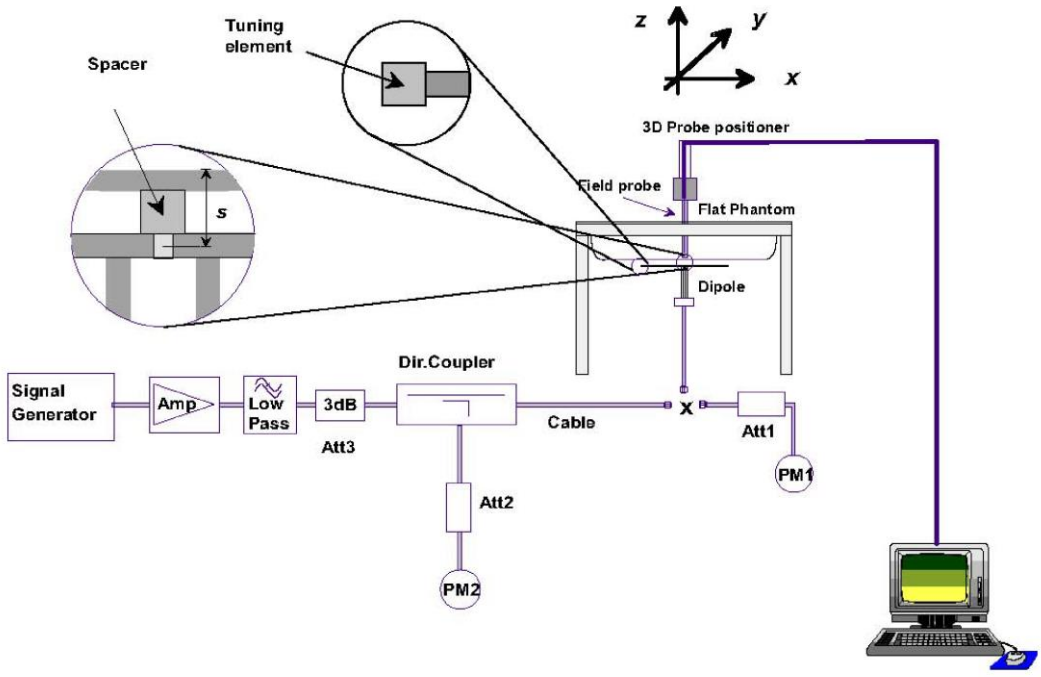
SAR System Validation Power Setup (FCC KDB 865664 D01, IEEE 1528:2013)



SAR System Validation Power Setup Procedure (FCC KDB 865664 D01, IEEE 1528:2013)

1. The power sensor PM1 is connected to the end of the feeding cable where the dipole is later connected
2. The signal generator is set to the target frequency and the output power of the signal generator is set to a value that the power sensor PM1 shows the target system validation power (e.g 250 mW or 100 mW)
3. The reading of the power sensor PM2 is recorded
4. The dipole is connected to the end of the feeding cable and placed under the phantom with the corresponding tissue simulating liquid
5. The power level of the signal generator is readjusted until the reading of PM2 in step 3 is shown again

SAR System Validation Measurement Setup (FCC KDB 865664 D01, IEEE 1528:2013)



SAR System Validation Measurement Procedure (FCC KDB 865664 D01, IEEE 1528:2013)

Setup:

1. The system validation dipole is placed beneath the flat phantom (ELI phantom or flat phantom section of twin phantom) filled with the corresponding tissue simulating liquid of interest
2. A spacer is used to set the correct distance of the dipole from the phantom:

   From IEEE 1528:2013: s = 15 mm ± 0.2 mm for 300 MHz ≤ f ≤ 1000 MHz

   From IEEE 1528:2013: s = 10 mm ± 0.2 mm for 1000 MHz < f ≤ 6000 MHz
3. The power setup procedure is used to set the target feed power given in the calibration documentation of the validation dipole (e.g. 250 mW or 100 mW)

Power reference Measurement:

4. At the center of the dipole area scan an initial power measurement is performed with the SAR probe in oder to determine the power drift during the validation measurement

Area Scan:

5. A plane area parallel to the phantom surface is scanned using fixed grid spacing
6. The measurement values are interpolated in oder to find the peak SAR location inside the area
7. The cube for the zoom scan is centred at the location of the peak SAR location

Zoom Scan:

8. The cube for the zoom scan is scanned using a fine 3 dimensional grid
9. The measurement values are interpolated and the average peak SAR value is calculated for the desired reference mass (e.g. 1-g or 10-g)

Power Drift Measurement:

10. An other power measurement is performed at the same location as for step 4
11. The power difference between step 10 and 4 is calculated
12. According to FCC KDB 865664 D01 the power drift must be ≤ ± 5 % (or ≤ ± 0.2 dB) for the measurement to be valid

Deviation Analysis:

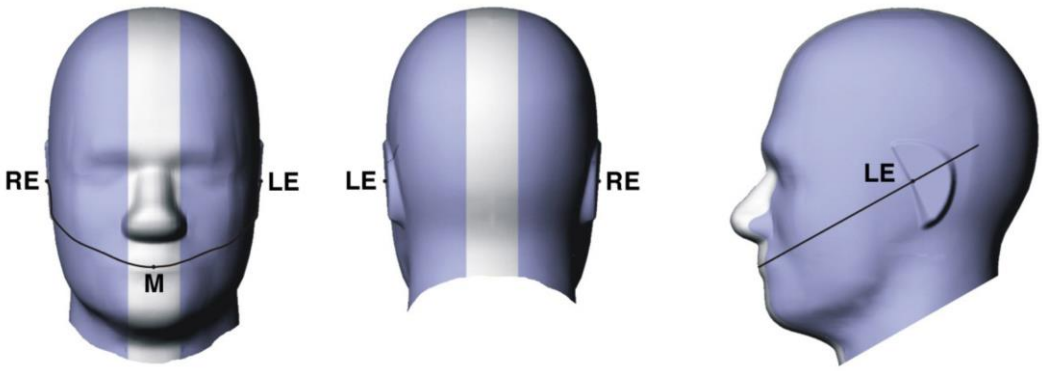
13. The measured SAR values are normalized to 1 W input power
    (SAR values times 4 for 250 mW or times 10 for 100 mW input power)
14. The deviation in % from the SAR values given in the calibration sheet for the dipole and tissue simulating liquid is calculated

$$\Delta SAR[\%] = \frac{SAR_{measured} - SAR_{target}}{SAR_{target}} \cdot 100$$

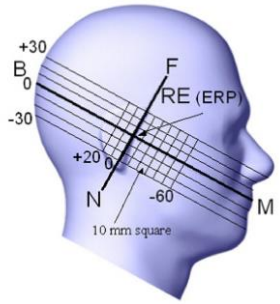
15. Per FCC KDB 865664 D01 the device must be ≤ ± 10 % of the target values given in the calibration document of the dipole

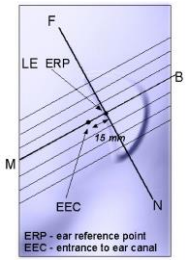
3.6 SAR Head Positions

SAM Twin Phantom (IEEE 1528:2013)
SAM Phantom – Phantom shells for use with the test procedures in this recommended practice shall be manufactured using the CAD file of the SAM model – When used in a horizontal configuration, the SAM phantom shell is bisected along the mid-sagittal plane into right and left halves – Testing is required on both right and left sides – The perimeter sidewalls of each phantom half are extended to allow filling with liquid to a depth that is sufficient to minimize reflections from the upper surface – The liquid depth shall be measured from the ERP (inside the SAM phantom) to the air-liquid interface – shall be constructed from chemical-resistant, low-permittivity and low-loss material, with relative permittivity between 2 and 5; however, less than 2 is acceptable for frequencies up to 3 GHz – The shape of the phantom shell shall have a tolerance of less than ± 0.2 mm with respect to the SAM CAD file – In any area within the projection of the handset, the shell thickness shall be 2 mm, except for the ear and the extended perimeter walls; The tolerance on the shell thickness shall be ± 0.2 mm – In any area within the projection of the handset, the shell thickness shall be 2 mm, except for the ear and the extended perimeter walls; The tolerance on the shell thickness shall be ± 0.2 mm Flat Phantom – The minimum transverse dimensions (width and length) shall be used such that the SAR results are within 1% of a phantom with larger dimensions – For a half-wavelength dipole source, the length shall be at least 0.6 times the wavelength in air in the major dimension, and width shall be at least 0.4 times the wavelength in air in the minor dimension, with the bottom surface area larger than a corresponding ellipse – For 800 MHz to 6 GHz, the minimum dimensions of the flat phantom shall be 22.5 cm × 15 cm in the major and minor axes, respectively – The relative permittivity of the phantom shell material shall be between 2 and 5; however, less than 2 is acceptable below 3 GHz – The loss tangent of the phantom shell material shall be less than or equal to 0.05 – The thickness of the flat phantom bottom section shall be 2 mm. The thickness shall be uniform within a tolerance of ± 0.2 mm – When filled with liquid, the sagging of the phantom directly above the source (e.g., dipole) due to the weight of the liquid shall be less than 1% of a wavelength in air in the frequency range of 800 MHz to 6 GHz, and less than 0.5% of a wavelength in air at frequencies below 800 MHz

Head Reference Lines (IEEE 1528:2013)


Ear Reference Lines (IEEE 1528:2013)





Test Positions (IEEE 1528:2013)

– two device test positions against the head phantom—the “cheek” position and the “tilt” position

– The device shall be tested in both positions on left and right sides of the SAM phantom

Cheek Position (IEEE 1528:2013)

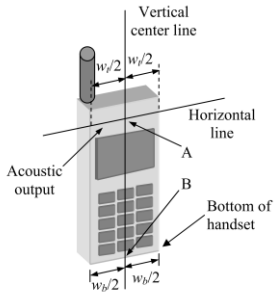
– The N-F line is in the plane defined by the handset vertical centerline and horizontal line

– Handset touches the pinna

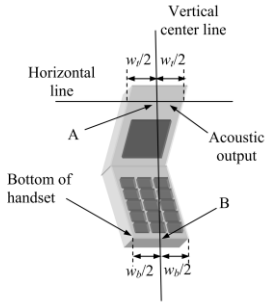
– The handset vertical centerline is aligned with the Reference Plane

Procedure:

1. Ready the handset for talk operation, if necessary. For example, for handsets with a flip, swivel, or slide cover piece, open the cover if this is consistent with talk operation. If the handset can transmit with the cover closed, this configuration shall be tested also
2. Define two imaginary lines on the handset—the vertical centerline and the horizontal line. The vertical centerline passes through two points on the front side of the handset—the midpoint of the width wt of the handset at the level of the acoustic output [point A in Figure (a) and Figure (b)], and the midpoint of the width wb at the bottom of the handset (point B). The horizontal line is perpendicular to the vertical centerline and passes through the center of the acoustic output [see Figure (a)]. The horizontal line is also tangential to the face of the handset at point A. The two lines intersect at point A.

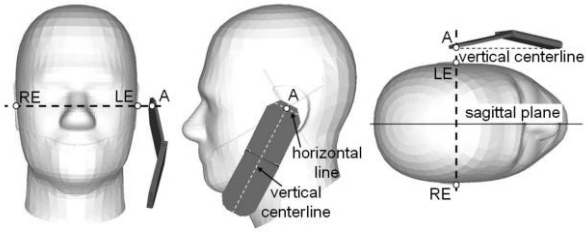


a) Fixed case

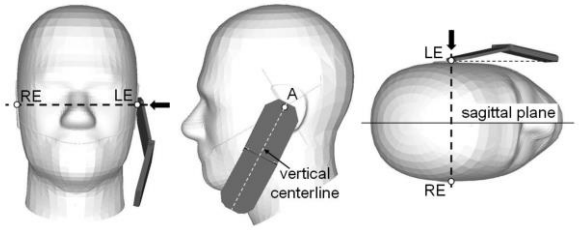


b) Clamshell case

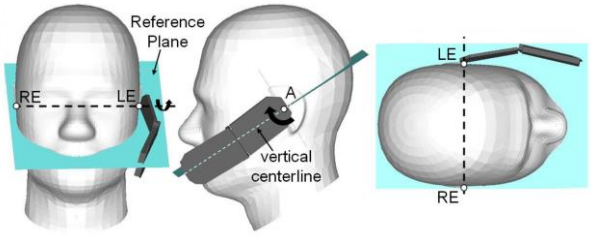
3. Position the handset close to the surface of the phantom such that point A is on the (virtual) extension of the line passing through points RE and LE on the phantom. The plane defined by the vertical centerline and the horizontal line of the handset is parallel to the sagittal plane of the phantom



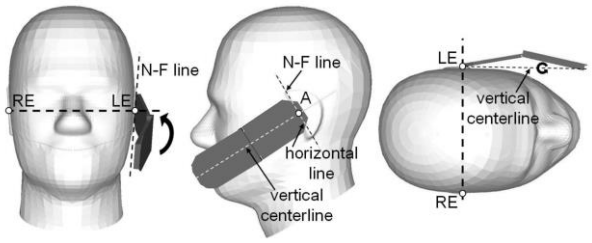
4. Translate the handset towards the phantom along the line passing through RE and LE until the handset touches the pinna



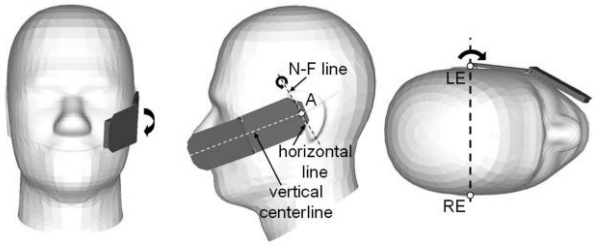
5. Rotate the handset around the (virtual) LE-RE line until the handset vertical centerline is in the Reference Plane



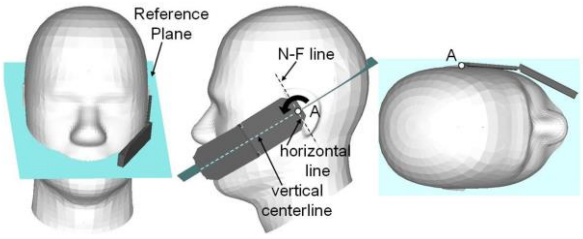
6. Rotate the handset around the vertical centerline until the plane defined by the handset vertical centerline and horizontal line is parallel to the N-F line, and translate the handset along the LE-RE line toward the phantom until handset touches the pinna

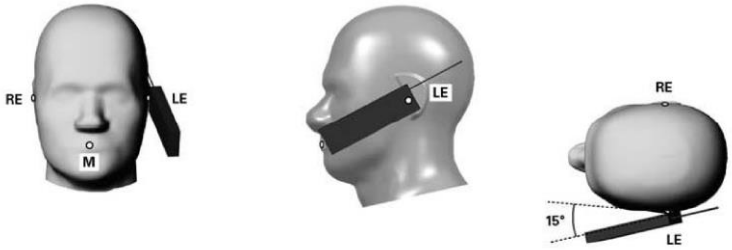


7. While keeping point A on the line passing through RE and LE, and maintaining the handset in contact with the pinna at the ERP, rotate the handset about the N-F line until any point on the handset is in contact with a phantom point below the pinna on the cheek

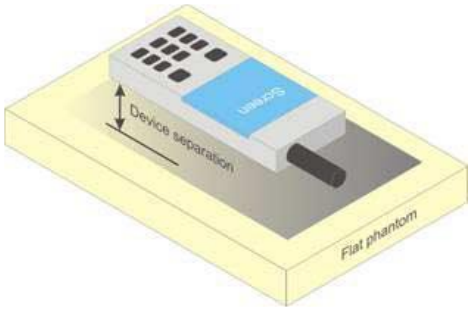
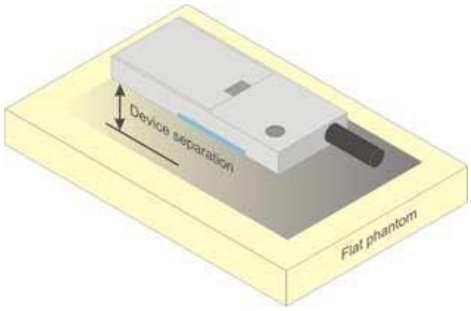


8. While keeping the handset in contact with the pinna, rotate the handset around a line perpendicular to the plane defined by the handset vertical centerline and horizontal line and passing through handset point A, until the handset vertical centerline is in the Reference Plane. Note that this step is necessary, as the handset may not be in the reference plane after step 7)



Tilt Position (IEEE 1528:2013)
Procedure: 1. Repeat the steps for the cheek position to place the device in the cheek position 2. While maintaining the orientation of the handset, move the handset away from the pinna along the line passing through RE and LE far enough to allow a rotation of the handset away from the cheek by 15° 3. Rotate the handset around the horizontal line by 15° 4. While maintaining the orientation of the handset, move the handset towards the phantom on the line passing through RE and LE until any part of the handset touches the ear. The tilt position is obtained when the contact point is on the pinna. If contact occurs at any location other than the pinna, e.g., the antenna at the back of the phantom head, the angle of the handset shall be reduced. In this case, the tilt position is obtained if any point on the handset is in contact with the pinna and a second point on the handset is in contact with the phantom, e.g., the antenna with the back of the head 

3.7 SAR Body Positions

Body-worn Positions (FCC KDB 447498 D01)
– Devices that support transmission while used with body-worn accessories must be tested for body worn accessory SAR compliance – Body SAR compliance is also tested with a flat phantom – SAR evaluation is required for body-worn accessories supplied with the host device – All body-worn accessories containing metallic components, either supplied with the product or available as an option from the device manufacturer, must be tested in conjunction with the host device to demonstrate compliance – Body-worn accessory SAR compliance must be based on a single minimum test separation distance for all wireless and operating modes applicable to each body-worn accessory used by the host, and according to the relevant voice and/or data mode transmissions and operations – A conservative minimum test separation distance for supporting off-the-shelf body-worn accessories – that may be acquired by users of consumer handsets should be used to test for body-worn accessory SAR compliance – This distance is determined by the handset manufacturer according to the typical body-worn accessories users may acquire at the time of equipment certification, but not more than 2.5 cm, to enable users to purchase aftermarket body-worn accessories with the required minimum separation – The selected test separation distance must be clearly explained in the SAR report to support the body-worn accessory test configurations – Devices that are designed to operate on the body of users using lanyards and straps or without requiring additional body-worn accessories must be tested for SAR compliance using a conservative minimum test separation distance ≤ 5 mm to support compliance    

3.8 SAR Measurement Procedure

Step 1: Power Reference Measurement (FCC KDB 865664 D01, IEEE 1528:2013)

1. The probe is positioned at the closest distance to the surface of the phantom
2. A power measurement is performed as later reference for the second power drift measurement at the same position

Step 2: Area Scan (FCC KDB 865664 D01, IEEE 1528:2013)

1. An area larger than all radiating structures and antennas of the equipment under test is defined
2. The grid spacing and distance to the phantom surface is selected according to the requirements given in FCC KDB 865664 D01

	≤ 3 GHz	> 3 GHz
Maximum distance from closest measurement point (geometric center of probe sensors) to phantom surface	5 mm ± 1 mm	½·δ·ln(2) mm ± 0.5 mm
Maximum probe angle from probe axis to phantom surface normal at the measurement location	30° ± 1°	20° ± 1°
Maximum area scan spatial resolution: Δx_{Area}, Δy_{Area}	≤ 2 GHz: ≤ 15 mm 2 – 3 GHz: ≤ 12 mm	3 – 4 GHz: ≤ 12 mm 4 – 6 GHz: ≤ 10 mm
	When the x or y dimension of the test device, in the measurement plane orientation, is smaller than the above, the measurement resolution must be ≤ the corresponding x or y dimension of the test device with at least one measurement point on the test device.	

Settings applied: for frequencies < 3 GHz: Δx = Δy = 10 mm; Δz = 4 mm (Note 1)

Settings applied: for frequencies > 3 GHz: Δx = Δy = 5 mm; Δz = 2 mm (Note 2)

3. At each grid point a measurement is performed until all points of the grid are measured
4. The values are interpolated an the location of the peak SAR value is determined
5. If a location closer than ½ the zoom scan volume to the edges is determined, the area is extended

Note 1: According the DASY 5.2 Manual a distance of the Probe Sensor to the Phantom Surface should be between 4 mm up to 3 GHz

Note 2: According the DASY 5.2 Manual a distance of the Probe Sensor to the Phantom Surface should be between 1.5 and 2.0 mm above 3 GHz

½ · δ · ln(2) (IEEE 1528:2013)	
Frequency [MHz]	½ · δ ·ln(2) [mm]
3000	4.8
4000	3.3
5000	2.5
5200	2.4
5400	2.3
5600	2.2
5800	2.1
6000	2.0

Note 1: According the DASY 5.2 Manual a distance of the Probe Sensor to the Phantom Surface should be between 1.5 and 2.0 mm

Step 3: Zoom Scan (FCC KDB 865664 D01, IEEE 1528:2013)

1. The zoom scan is initially performed at the location of the highest peak SAR in the area scan
2. For the zoom scan a 3d cube is used with grid settings as required from FCC KDB 865664 D01:

			≤ 3 GHz	> 3 GHz
Maximum zoom scan spatial resolution: Δx_{Zoom}, Δy_{Zoom}			≤ 2 GHz: ≤ 8 mm 2 – 3 GHz: ≤ 5 mm*	3 – 4 GHz: ≤ 5 mm* 4 – 6 GHz: ≤ 4 mm*
Maximum zoom scan spatial resolution, normal to phantom surface	uniform grid: $\Delta z_{Zoom}(n)$		≤ 5 mm	3 – 4 GHz: ≤ 4 mm 4 – 5 GHz: ≤ 3 mm 5 – 6 GHz: ≤ 2 mm
	graded grid	$\Delta z_{Zoom}(1)$: between 1st two points closest to phantom surface	≤ 4 mm	3 – 4 GHz: ≤ 3 mm 4 – 5 GHz: ≤ 2.5 mm 5 – 6 GHz: ≤ 2 mm
		$\Delta z_{Zoom}(n>1)$: between subsequent points	≤ 1.5·$\Delta z_{Zoom}(n-1)$ mm	
Minimum zoom scan volume	x, y, z		≥ 30 mm	3 – 4 GHz: ≥ 28 mm 4 – 5 GHz: ≥ 25 mm 5 – 6 GHz: ≥ 22 mm

Note: δ is the penetration depth of a plane-wave at normal incidence to the tissue medium; see IEEE Std 1528-2013 for details.

* When zoom scan is required and the *reported* SAR from the *area scan based 1-g SAR estimation* procedures of KDB Publication 447498 is ≤ 1.4 W/kg, ≤ 8 mm, ≤ 7 mm and ≤ 5 mm zoom scan resolution may be applied, respectively, for 2 GHz to 3 GHz, 3 GHz to 4 GHz and 4 GHz to 6 GHz.

Settings applied: for frequencies < 3 GHz: $\Delta x = \Delta y = \Delta z = 5$ mm; volume x,y,z = 30 mm

Settings applied: for frequencies > 3 GHz: $\Delta x = \Delta y = \Delta z = 2$ mm; volume x,y,z = 30 mm

3. The measured field strength values are interpolated and the average SAR value is calculated
4. When the 1-g SAR is within 2 dB of the SAR limit, additional zoom scans are performed for other peaks within 2 dB of the highest SAR peak
5. The determined 1-g and 10-g average SAR values are recorded for all determined SAR locations

Step 4: Power Drift Measurement (FCC KDB 865664 D01, IEEE 1528:2013)

1. At the same location as in step 1 the power measurement is repeated
2. The power drift is calculated from the values measured in step 4 (M_{step4}) and step 1 (M_{step1}) as

   Deviation = M_{step4} / M_{step1}
3. The drift in % is calculated as

   $10 \cdot \log_{10}$(Deviation) [dB]
4. The drift shall be ≤ ± 5 % or ≤ $10 \cdot \log_{10}(1.05)$ = 0.2 dB or ≤ $10 \cdot \log_{10}(0.95)$ = -0.2 dB

3.9 SAR Equipment List

SAR Test Equipment					
Description	Manufacturer	Model	Identifier	Cal. Date	Cal. Due
Stäubli Robot	Stäubli	RX90B L	EF00271	functional test	functional test
Stäubli Robot Controller	Stäubli	CS7MB	EF00272	functional test	functional test
DASY 5.2 Measurement Server	Schmid & Partner	-	EF00273	functional test	functional test
Control Pendant	Stäubli	-	EF00274	functional test	functional test
Dell Computer	Schmid & Partner	Intel	EF00275	functional test	functional test
Data Acquisition Electronics	Schmid & Partner	DAE3V1	EF00276	2021-10	2022-10
Dosimetric E-Field Probe	Schmid & Partner	EX3DV4	EF00826	2021-10	2022-10
SAM Twin phantom	Schmid & Partner	V 4.0	EF00286	functional test	functional test
Oval flat phantom	Schmid & Partner	ELI4	EF00289	functional test	functional test
System Validation Kit	Schmid & Partner	D750V3	EF00946	2020-09	2023-09
System Validation Kit	Schmid & Partner	D900V2	EF00281	2021-10	2024-10
System Validation Kit	Schmid & Partner	D1750V2	EF00947	2020-09	2023-09
System Validation Kit	Schmid & Partner	D1800V2	EF00282	2021-10	2024-10
System Validation Kit	Schmid & Partner	D1900V2	EF00283	2021-10	2024-10
System Validation Kit	Schmid & Partner	D2450V2	EF00284	2021-10	2024-10
System Validation Kit	Schmid & Partner	D2600V2	EF00948	2020-09	2023-09
System Validation Kit	Schmid & Partner	D5GHzV2	EF00827	2020-09	2023-09
DAK Thermometer (-20..110°C)	Schmid & Partner	DTM3000	EF00967	2021-03	2022-03
Mounting Device	Schmid & Partner	V3.1	EF00287	functional test	functional test
Millivoltmeter	R&S	URV5	EF00126	2019-07	2022-07
Power sensor	R&S	NRV-Z1	EF00127	2020-07	2022-07
Power sensor	R&S	NRV-Z2	EF00003	2020-07	2022-07
Spectrum- and Network-Analyzer	R&S	FSMS26	EF00005	no certification testing	no certification testing
Signal generator	R&S	SME 03	EF00169	functional test	functional test
DAK Probe Stand	Schmid & Partner	SM DAK 300 AA	EF00944	no calibration required	no calibration required
DAK Probe (200MHz-20GHz)	Schmid & Partner	DAK-3.5	EF00945	2021-10	2022-10
DAK Measurement Software	Schmid & Partner	DAK v2.6.0.5	EF00965	no calibration required	no calibration required
DAK Verification Kit	Schmid & Partner	SL AAH U16 BD	EF01128	no calibration required	no calibration required

3.10 Other Equipment List

Test Equipment					
Description	Manufacturer	Model	Identifier	Cal. Date	Cal. Due
R&S	Communication tester	CMW500	EF00677	2021-02	2022-02
Laptop 1	Lenovo	-	-	-	-
Laptop 2	Lenovo	-	-	-	-

3.11 SAR Measurement Uncertainty

Measurement Uncertainty (IEEE 1528)							
Error Description	**Uncertainty Value**	**Probability Distribution**	**Div.**	**ci (1g)**	**ci (10g)**	**Std. Unc. 1 g**	**Std. Unc. 10 g**
Measurement System							
Probe Calibration	±6.55%	N	1	1	1	±6.55%	±6.55%
Axial Isotropy	±4.7%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	0.7	0.7	±1.9%	±1.9%
Hemispherical Isotropy	±9.6%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	0.7	0.7	±3.9%	±3.9%
Linearity	±4.7%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	1	1	±2.7%	±2.7%
Modulation Response	±2.4%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	1	1	±1.4%	±1.4%
System Detection Limits	±1.0%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	1	1	±0.6%	±0.6%
Boundary effects	±2.0%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	1	1	±1.2%	±1.2%
Readout Electronics	±0.3%	N	1	1	1	±0.3%	±0.3%
Response Time	±0.8%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	1	1	±0.5%	±0.5%
Integration Time	±2.6%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	1	1	±1.5%	±1.5%
RF Ambient Noise	±3.0%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	1	1	±1.7%	±1.7%
RF Ambient Reflections	±3.0%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	1	1	±1.7%	±1.7%
Probe Positioner	±0.8%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	1	1	±0.5%	±0.5%
Probe Positioning	±6.7%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	1	1	±3.9%	±3.9%
Post processing	±4.0%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	1	1	±2.3%	±2.3%
Test Sample Related							
Device Holder	±3.6%	N	1	1	1	±3.6%	±3.6%
Test Sample Positioning	±2.9%	N	1	1	1	±2.9%	±2.9%
Power Scaling	±0%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	1	1	±0%	±0%
Power Drift	±5.0%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	1	1	±2.9%	±2.9%
Phantom and Setup Related							
Phantom Uncertainty	±7.9%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	1	1	±4.6%	±4.6%
SAR correction	±1.9%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	1	0.84	±1.1%	±0.9%
Liquid conductivity (measured)	±2.5%	N	1	0.78	0.71	±2.0%	±1.8%
Liquid permittivity (measured)	±2.5%	N	1	0.26	0.26	±0.1%	±0.1%
Temperature uncertainty - Conductivity	±5.2%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	0.78	0.71	±2.3%	±2.1%
Temperature uncertainty - Permittivity	±0.8%	R	$\sqrt{3}$	0.23	0.26	±0.1%	±0.1%
Combined Standard Uncertainty						±12.8%	±12.7%
Expanded Standard Uncertainty						**±25.6%**	**±25.4%**

4 General Evaluation Guidance and Procedures

4.1 SAR Limits

Exposure Environments (FCC and ISED)	
General Population/ Uncontrolled Environment	Defined as locations where there is the exposure of individuals who has no knowledge or control of their exposure
Occupational/ Controlled Environment	Defined as locations where there is exposure that may be incurred by persons who are aware of the potential for exposure

SAR Limits (FCC and ISED)		
Exposure Condition	General Population	Occupational
Spatial Peak SAR (1-g) (Brain/Body/Arms/Legs)	1.60 W/kg	8.00 W/kg
Spatial Average SAR (Whole Body)	0.08 W/kg	0.40 W/kg
Spatial Peak SAR (10-g) (Hands/Feet/Ankle/Wrist)	4.00 W/kg	20.00 W/kg

4.2 SAR Evaluation for Head

SAR Evaluation for Head (FCC KDB 447498 D01)
– Devices that are designed to transmit next to the ear and operate according to the handset procedures in IEEE Std 1528-2013, or conditions described in the published RF exposure KDB procedures, must be tested using the SAM phantom defined in IEEE Std 1528-2013
– When antennas are near the bottom of a handset and the peak SAR location is located in regions of the SAM phantom where SAR probe access can be limited, the procedures in KDB Publication 648474 D04 must be applied
– Other head exposure conditions, for example, in-front-of the face, should be tested using a flat phantom according to the required published RF exposure KDB procedures

4.3 SAR Evaluation for body-worn accessory

SAR Evaluation for body-worn accessory (FCC KDB 447498 D01)
– Body SAR compliance is also tested with a flat phantom
– For devices with irregular shapes or form factors that do not conform to a flat phantom, and/or unusual operating configurations and exposure conditions, a KDB inquiry is also required to determine the appropriate SAR measurement procedures
Devices
– Devices that support transmission while used with body-worn accessories must be tested for bodyworn accessory SAR compliance
Accessories
– All body-worn accessories containing metallic components, either supplied with the product or available as an option from the device manufacturer, must be tested in conjunction with the host device to demonstrate compliance
– Body-worn accessories that do not contain metallic or conductive components may be tested according to worst-case exposure configurations, typically according to the smallest test separation distance required for the group of body-worn accessories with similar operating and exposure characteristics
– Body-worn accessory SAR compliance must be based on a single minimum test separation distance for all wireless and operating modes applicable to each body-worn accessory used by the host, and according to the relevant voice and/or data mode transmissions and operations
– If a body-worn accessory supports voice only operations in its normal and expected use conditions (for example, beltclips and holsters for cellphones), testing of data mode for body-worn compliance is not required

– A conservative minimum test separation distance for supporting off-the-shelf body-worn accessories that may be acquired by users of consumer handsets should be used to test for body-worn accessory

  This distance is determined by the handset manufacturer according to the typical body-worn accessories users may acquire at the time of equipment certification, but not more than 2.5 cm

  The selected test separation distance must be clearly explained in the SAR report to support the body-worn accessory test configurations

– Devices that are designed to operate on the body of users using lanyards and straps or without requiring additional body-worn accessories must be tested for SAR compliance using a conservative minimum test separation distance ≤ 5 mm to support compliance

– Users must be fully informed of the operating requirements and restrictions, to the extent that the typical user can easily understand the information, to acquire the required body-worn accessories to maintain compliance

4.4 SAR Evaluation for Extremities

SAR Evaluation for Extremities (FCC KDB 447498 D01)

– Devices that are designed or intended for use on extremities, or mainly operated in extremity only exposure conditions, i.e., hands, wrists, feet and ankles, may require extremity SAR evaluation

– When extremity SAR testing is required, a flat phantom must be used if the exposure condition is more conservative than the actual use conditions

  otherwise, a KDB inquiry is required to determine the phantom and test requirements

– When the device also operates in close proximity to the user's body, SAR compliance for the body is also required

– The 1-g body and 10-g extremity SAR Test Exclusion Thresholds should be applied to determine SAR test requirements

– For devices with irregular shapes or form factors that do not conform to a flat phantom, and/or unusual operating configurations and exposure conditions, a KDB inquiry is also required to determine the appropriate SAR measurement procedures

– when simultaneous transmission applies to extremity exposure, the simultaneous transmission SAR test exclusion provisions should be applied

– When simultaneous transmission SAR measurement is required, the enlarged zoom scan and volume scan post-processing procedures in KDB Publication 865664 D01 should be applied

4.5 Required test channels

Required SAR Test Channels (FCC KDB 447498 D01)

When the frequency channels required for SAR testing are not specified in the published RF exposure KDB procedures, the following should be applied to determine the number of required test channels:

$$N_c = Round\left[\sqrt{100 \cdot \frac{f_{high} - f_{low}}{f_c}} \cdot \left(\frac{f_c}{100}\right)^{0.2}\right]$$

where:

N_c:	number of test channels, rounded to the nearest integer
f_{high}:	highest channel frequencies within the transmission band in MHz
f_{low}:	lowest channel frequencies within the transmission band in MHz
f_c:	mid-band channel frequency in MHz

4.6 Maximum output power and tune-up tolerance

Maximum rated output power and tune-up tolerance (FCC KDB 447498 D01)
– The maximum output power and tolerance allowed for production units should be used to determine RF exposure test exclusion and compliance – Each device must be evaluated for SAR compliance in the required operating modes and test configurations, at the maximum rated output power and within the tune-up tolerance range specified for the product – SAR evaluation must be performed at power level not more than 2 dB lower than the maximum tune-up tolerance limit – The range of expected maximum output power variations from the rated nominal maximum output power specified for the product or wireless mode is referred to as the tune-up tolerance in this document. All devices must be tested within the tune-up tolerance specification range

Maximum source-based time-averaged conducted output power (KDB 865664 D01, TCB Council 2016-10)
– RF exposure compliance must be determined at the maximum average power level according to source-based time-averaging requirements – Time-averaged maximum conducted output power applies to SAR – When SAR evaluation is required to determine compliance, the duty factor established in the SAR analysis may be applied to scale the measured SAR

4.7 Reported SAR

Reported SAR according (FCC KDB 447498 D01)
Measured SAR values must be scales to the maximum tune-up tolerance limit. The results are referred to as reported SAR values: $$SAR_{Reported}\left[\frac{W}{kg}\right] = SAR_{Measured}\left[\frac{W}{kg}\right] \cdot \frac{Power_{Maximum\ including\ tune-up\ tolerance}[mW]}{Power_{Actual\ for\ measurement}[mW]}$$

Reported SAR Duty Factor Scaling (FCC KDB 248227 D01)
The reported SAR values must be scales to the maximum duty factor specified for production units. The results are referred to as scaled reported SAR values: $$SAR_{Reported\ \ Scaled}\left[\frac{W}{kg}\right] = SAR_{Reported}\left[\frac{W}{kg}\right] \cdot \frac{1}{Duty\ Factor}$$

4.8 Standalone SAR Test Exclusion

Standalone SAR test exclusion (FCC KDB 447498 D01)

Input:

1. P: Source-based time-averaged maximum conducted output power of RF channel requiring evaluation
2. d: Minimum test separation distance required for exposure conditions (Note 1, 2)
3. f: RF channel frequency

Test exclusion power level calculation:

1. Frequency 100 MHz to 6 GHz, Test separation distance ≤ 50 mm:

   1-g SAR: $P[mW] = 3.0 \cdot \frac{d[mm]}{\sqrt{f[GHz]}}$

   10-g SAR: $P[mW] = 7.5 \cdot \frac{d[mm]}{\sqrt{f[GHz]}}$

   When test separation distance is < 5 mm, a distance of 5 mm is applied to determine test exclusion

2. Frequency 100 MHz to 6 GHz, Test separation distance > 50 mm:

   1-g SAR: (100 – 1500 MHz) $P[mW] = \left(3.0 \cdot \frac{50\ mm}{\sqrt{f[GHz]}}\right) + \left[(d[mm] - 50\ mm) \cdot \frac{f[MHz]}{150}\right]$

   1-g SAR: (>1500 – 6000 MHz) $P[mW] = \left(3.0 \cdot \frac{50\ mm}{\sqrt{f[GHz]}}\right) + [(d[mm] - 50\ mm) \cdot 10]$

   10-g SAR: (100 – 1500 MHz) $P[mW] = \left(7.5 \cdot \frac{50\ mm}{\sqrt{f[GHz]}}\right) + \left[(d[mm] - 50\ mm) \cdot \frac{f[MHz]}{150}\right]$

   10-g SAR: (>1500 – 6000 MHz) $P[mW] = \left(7.5 \cdot \frac{50\ mm}{\sqrt{f[GHz]}}\right) + [(d[mm] - 50\ mm) \cdot 10]$

3. Frequency < 100 MHz:

   1-g SAR: (> 50 and <200 mm) $P[mW] = \left\{\left(3.0 \cdot \frac{50\ mm}{\sqrt{0.1}}\right) + \left[(d[mm] - 50\ mm) \cdot \frac{100}{150}\right]\right\} \cdot \left[1 + \log\left(\frac{100}{f[MHz]}\right)\right]$

   1-g SAR: (≤ 50 mm) $P[mW] = \left\{\left(3.0 \cdot \frac{50\ mm}{\sqrt{0.1}}\right) + \left[(d[mm] - 50\ mm) \cdot \frac{100}{150}\right]\right\} \cdot \left[1 + \log\left(\frac{100}{f[MHz]}\right)\right] \cdot \frac{1}{2}$

   10-g SAR: (> 50 and <200 mm) $P[mW] = \left\{\left(7.5 \cdot \frac{50\ mm}{\sqrt{0.1}}\right) + \left[(d[mm] - 50\ mm) \cdot \frac{100}{150}\right]\right\} \cdot \left[1 + \log\left(\frac{100}{f[MHz]}\right)\right]$

   10-g SAR: (≤ 50 mm) $P[mW] = \left\{\left(7.5 \cdot \frac{50\ mm}{\sqrt{0.1}}\right) + \left[(d[mm] - 50\ mm) \cdot \frac{100}{150}\right]\right\} \cdot \left[1 + \log\left(\frac{100}{f[MHz]}\right)\right] \cdot \frac{1}{2}$

4. If the source-based time-averaged maximum conducted output power is lower or equal than the test exclusion power level no SAR testing will be required

Note 1: Minimum test separation distance is determined by the smallest distance from the antenna and radiating structures or outer surface of the device, according to the host form factor, exposure conditions and platform requirements, to any part of the body or extremity of a user or bystander

Note 2: To qualify for SAR test exclusion, the test separation distances applied must be fully explained and justified, typically in the SAR measurement or SAR analysis report, by the operating configurations and exposure conditions of the transmitter and applicable host platform requirements, according to the required published RF exposure KDB procedures

Standalone SAR test exclusion (ISED RSS-102)
Input: 1. Output power level; shall be the higher of the maximum conducted or equivalent isotropically radiated power (e.i.r.p.) source-based, time-averaged output power 2. Minimum test separation distance D required for exposure conditions (Note) 3. RF channel frequency Test exclusion power level calculation: 1. Use linear interpolation of frequency and Separation distance in order to determine the excemption power level that applies to the test frequency and distance 2. If the output power level of the device is lower or equal than the excemption power level no SAR testing will be required
Note: When test separation distance is < 5 mm, a distance of 5 mm is applied to determine test exclusion

Excemption Power Limits [mW] (ISED RSS-102)										
Freq. [MHz]	Separation Distance [mm]									
	≤ 5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	≥ 50
≤ 300	71	101	132	162	193	223	254	284	315	345
450	52	70	88	106	123	141	159	177	195	213
835	17	30	42	55	67	80	92	105	117	130
1900	7	10	18	34	60	99	153	225	316	431
2450	4	7	15	30	52	83	123	173	235	309
3500	2	6	16	32	55	86	124	170	225	290
5800	1	6	15	27	41	56	71	85	97	106
Note: For limb-worn devices where the 10 gram value applies, the exemption limits for routine evaluation in the Table are multiplied by a factor of 2.5										

4.9 SAR Value Estimation

Estimated SAR (FCC KDB 447498 D01)
Input: 1. P: Source-based time-averaged maximum conducted output power of RF channel requiring evaluation 2. d: Minimum test separation distance required for exposure conditions (Note) 3. f: RF channel frequency Estimated SAR calculation: 1. Test separation distance ≤ 50 mm: 1-g SAR: $SAR_{Estimated}\left[\frac{W}{kg}\right] = \frac{P[mW]}{d[mm]} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{f[GHz]}}{7.5}$ 10-g SAR: $SAR_{Estimated}\left[\frac{W}{kg}\right] = \frac{P[mW]}{d[mm]} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{f[GHz]}}{18.75}$ 2. Test separation distance > 50 mm: 1-g SAR: $SAR_{Estimated}\left[\frac{W}{kg}\right] = 0.4$ 10-g SAR: $SAR_{Estimated}\left[\frac{W}{kg}\right] = 1.0$
Note: Minimum test separation distance is determined by the smallest distance from the antenna and radiating structures or outer surface of the device, according to the host form factor, exposure conditions and platform requirements, to any part of the body or extremity of a user or bystander

4.10 Simultaneous SAR Test Exclusion

Simultaneous Transmitter SAR test exclusion (FCC KDB 447498 D01)
Method 1 – Sum of SAR: 1. The SAR values from the simultaneous transmitting radios are selected 2. If an excluded radio transmitter participates in the multi-transmitter mode, the SAR value must be estimated 3. The reported SAR values from the simultaneous transmitting radios are added 4. If the sum of SAR values is below the limit no further SAR testing is required Method 2 – SAR to Peak Location Separation Ratio (SPLSR) 1. The SAR values from the simultaneous transmitting radios are selected 2. If an excluded radio transmitter participates in the multi-transmitter mode, the SAR value must be estimated 3. From the various transmitters participating in the multi-transmitter mode, all pairs of two transmitters are evaluated (e.g. for three simultaneous transmitters = 1 and 2, 2 and 3, 1 and 3) 4. For the transmitter pair under evaluation the location of the hotspot is determined Measured SAR: The location of the hotspot as given in the SAR measurement results Estimated SAR: The center of the transmitter antenna 5. With the two reported SAR values SAR_1 and SAR_2 and the separation distance r the SPLSR is calculated: $SPLSR = \frac{\sqrt{(SAR_1 + SAR_2)^3}}{R}$ 6. If the result is below the exclusion value the pair is excluded 1-g SAR: $SPLSR \leq 0.04$ 10-g SAR: $SPLSR \leq 0.10$ 7. All antenna pair that do not qualify for test exclusion must be tested

4.11 General SAR Test Reduction

General SAR test reduction (FCC KDB 447498 D01)
1. SAR is measured for the mid-band or highest output power channel 2. Testing of the other required channels within the operating mode of a frequency band is not required if the reported 1-g or 10-g SAR of the test channel in step 1 is: 1-g SAR (Band ≤ 100 MHz) $SAR_{Reported} \leq 0.8 \frac{W}{kg}$ 1-g SAR (100 MHz < Band < 200 MHz) $SAR_{Reported} \leq 0.6 \frac{W}{kg}$ 1-g SAR (Band ≥ 200 MHz) $SAR_{Reported} \leq 0.4 \frac{W}{kg}$ 10-g SAR (Band ≤ 100 MHz) $SAR_{Reported} \leq 2.0 \frac{W}{kg}$ 10-g SAR (100 MHz < Band < 200 MHz) $SAR_{Reported} \leq 1.5 \frac{W}{kg}$ 10-g SAR (Band ≥ 200 MHz) $SAR_{Reported} \leq 1.0 \frac{W}{kg}$

4.12 SAR Measurement Variability

SAR Measurement Variability (FCC KDB 865664 D01)
– Repeated measurement is not required when the original highest measured SAR is < 0.80 W/kg – When the original highest measured SAR is ≥ 0.80 W/kg, repeat that measurement once – Perform a second repeated measurement only if the ratio of largest to smallest SAR for the original and first repeated measurements is > 1.20 or when the original or repeated measurement is ≥ 1.45 W/kg – Perform a third repeated measurement only if the original, first or second repeated measurement is ≥ 1.5 W/kg and the ratio of largest to smallest SAR for the original, first and second repeated measurements is > 1.20 – The same procedures should be adapted for measurements according to extremity and occupational exposure limits by applying a factor of 2.5 for extremity exposure and a factor of 5 for occupational exposure to the corresponding SAR thresholds
Procedure: 1. Additional measurements are repeated after the completion of all measurements requiring the same head or body tissue-equivalent medium in a frequency band 2. The test device should be returned to ambient conditions (normal room temperature) with the battery fully charged 3. The device is re-mounted on the device holder for the repeated measurement(s) using the same measurement settings and configuration as for the initial SAR measurement

4.13 SAR Measurement Uncertainty

SAR Measurement Uncertainty (FCC KDB 865664 D01)
– When the highest measured 1-g SAR within a frequency band is < 1.5 W/kg, the extensive SAR measurement uncertainty analysis described in IEEE Std 1528-2013 is not required in SAR reports submitted for equipment approval – SAR measurement uncertainty analysis is required in SAR reports only when the highest measured SAR in a frequency band is ≥ 1.5 W/kg for 1-g SAR – The procedures described in IEEE Std 1528-2013 should be applied – The expanded SAR measurement uncertainty must be ≤ 30%, for a confidence interval of k = 2

4.14 SAR DUT Holder Perturbations

SAR DUT Holder Perturbations (FCC TCB Council 2016-10)
– When the highest reported SAR of an antenna is > 1.2 W/kg (1-g) or 3.0 (10-g), holder perturbation verification is required for each antenna, using the highest SAR configuration among all applicable frequency bands – in the same exact device and holder positions used for head and body SAR measurements; i.e. same device/button locations in the holder – a KDB inquiry is required if the highest reported SAR for each antenna, adjusted for increases in holder perturbation, would introduce noncompliance conditions or noticeably high differences due to perturbation
Procedure: 1. For each frequency band and exposure condition the highest reported SAR is determined for each antenna 2. If the reported SAR is above the threshold value the procedure given in E.4.1.1 of IEEE 1528:2013 is followed for holder perturbation analysis 3. The SAR tolerance is calculated $$SAR_{tolerance}[\%] = \frac{SAR_{with\ holder} - SAR_{without\ holder}}{SAR_{with\ holder}} \cdot 100$$ 4. If the SAR tolerance is negative which means that the SAR value without DUT holder is larger than the SAR value with DUT holder, the reported SAR value is corrected by the SAR tolerance in order to take the decrease in SAR value because of the DUT holder into account. $$SAR_{Reported\ with\ DUT\ holder\ perturbations}\left[\frac{W}{kg}\right] = SAR_{Reported}\left[\frac{W}{kg}\right] \cdot \left(1 - \frac{SAR_{tolerance}[\%]}{100}\right)$$

4.15 SAR Reporting

General RF-Exposure Reporting Requirements (FCC KDB 865664 D02)
– The operating modes and exposure conditions of all wireless technologies applicable to the equipment approval must be clearly described 1. Nominal and maximum output power of all wireless modes and frequency bands of production units should be specified; Tune-up tolerances should also be included when it is required for equipment authorization otherwise, the maximum power allowed for production units should be identified. When multiple maximum output power levels are specified for a wireless or operating mode; for example, different time slots, data rates or modulation requirements, such as GPRS, EDGE, 802.11, WiMax and various 3GPP implementations, the maximum output power of each configuration should be identified separately 2. Antenna dimensions and separation distances should be illustrated in photos and/or diagrams 3. Voice and data mode transmission requirements in all supported operating configurations and exposure conditions for standalone and simultaneous transmission operations 4. Device implementation and operating requirements that can influence the RF exposure evaluation; for example, MPR, testing duty factor for TDD systems, power reduction requirements and multiple transmission configurations, such as data rate, data mode, channel bandwidth and modulation etc 5. Accessories supplied with the device or available as options from the device manufacturer or provisions for supporting other after-market accessories that can influence the RF exposure evaluation 6. Accessories supplied with the device or available as options from the device manufacturer or provisions for supporting other after-market accessories that can influence the RF exposure evaluation 7. Optional antennas – The device test setup and operating configurations used to establish transmission in various wireless modes should be documented; the information should include at least the following 1. The test setup, measurement, numerical simulation or analysis procedures and KDB numbers of published RF exposure KDB procedures applied to test the device, include latest applicable TCB workshop guidance, 2. Test guidance and other considerations provided through specific KDB inquiries to manufacturers and test labs should be fully described in test reports to support the test results. KDB tracking numbers should not be identified in test reports 3. Source-based time-averaging duty factors that are inherent to device transmissions or applied separately to the measured results must be clearly explained in the test reports 4. When test reduction and exclusion are applied, justifications according to the published RF exposure KDB procedures or KDB inquiries are required 5. Except for generic test setup photos, other diagrams and illustrations should include proper explanations and descriptions to support the test setup and measurement results 6. The test and supporting equipment or numerical simulation tools used to test the device should be uniquely identified in test reports, including actual calibration dates, required calibration interval and calibration status or software release versions. Equipment and apparatuses that are not used in the tests, except when clearly noted, should not be listed

SAR Reporting Requirements (FCC KDB 865664 D02)
– SAR system validation status and system verification results should be documented in a separate section of the SAR report, or as an attachment, to confirm measurement accuracy – Conducted output power measurements are required to support the SAR results and for scaling results to the maximum tune-up tolerance or production limit – When multiple maximum output power levels are applied to different transmission configurations; for example, due to time slot, data rate, transmission protocol or signal modulation requirements, such as GMSK vs. 8-PSK in EDGE and different MPR or RB configurations in WCDMA or LTE, separate maximum output power measurements are required to support the SAR test configurations and results – When power reduction is implemented, the maximum output power levels and triggering conditions for activating the power reduction and returning to normal full power conditions must be verified and reported according to published RF exposure KDB procedures or procedures determined through KDB inquiries

- The measured SAR results should be tabulated separately according to the test configurations documented in the test setup descriptions section of the test report, for the required test positions such as head, body-worn accessories, other use conditions (e.g. hotspot mode) and other host device specific exposure configurations
- Information relating to duty factors, TDMA time-slots and maximum output power of the various operating modes and conditions are also required to support the SAR results
- When SAR scaling is required to determine compliance for duty factors that are neither source-based nor inherent to the measurements, the scaling procedures and scaled results should be included after the tabulated SAR summary
- If the same scaling factor is applied to a group of SAR results; for example, a frequency band or operating mode, scaling the highest measured SAR within the group should generally be sufficient to demonstrate compliance
- The SAR scaling procedures required by the published RF exposure KDB procedures, specific KDB inquiries or other FCC requirements must be correctly applied to qualify for equipment approval
- When required, the SAR measurement variability and measurement uncertainty analysis results should be included after the tabulated SAR summary, according to procedures in KDB Publication 865664 D01. It should be clearly explained in the test report when SAR measurement uncertainty analysis is not required, but included for other purposes
- The analysis required to qualify for simultaneous transmission SAR test exclusion should be documented separately according to the head, body-worn accessory, other use conditions and host specific configurations described in the test setup section of the SAR report
- When applying SAR peak location separation ratio test exclusion, the peak location coordinates of each test configuration must be identified according to procedures in KDB Publication 447498 D01. The measured and estimated peak locations must be clearly identified, on SAR plots and illustrations as appropriate, to support the test exclusion
- The SAR distribution plots should be included in a separate attachment or appendix to the SAR report. The plots should be numbered sequentially and referenced in the tabulated SAR summary to facilitate review
- Information on test date, wireless mode, exposure configuration and test position, test channel & frequency, SAR probe serial number, probe conversion factors, transmission duty factor, tissue dielectric parameters, area and zoom scan measurement resolutions and dimensions, measurement drifts, 1-g or 10-g SAR and highest extrapolated SAR must be included on each SAR plot, with the peak location(s) clearly identified
- SAR plot is required for the highest measured SAR in each exposure configuration, wireless mode and frequency band combination; for example, WCDMA head SAR at 1900 MHz. Plots are also required when the measured SAR is > 1.5 W/kg, or > 7.0 W/kg for occupational exposure.
- The relevant boundaries of the test device should be correctly illustrated on SAR plots with peak SAR location(s) identified on the SAR distribution.
- Z-axis plots are generally optional; these are included to address certain specific concerns, as determined by the test laboratory and measurement results. When Z-axis plots are included, the results should be extrapolated to the phantom surface and the purpose of the plots must be clearly explained in the SAR report.
- The SAR numbers listed on the grant(s) of equipment authorization must be identified at the beginning of the SAR report, for each equipment class, according to procedures in KDB Publication 690783 D01. These reported SAR numbers should be highlighted in the SAR summary results for easy reference
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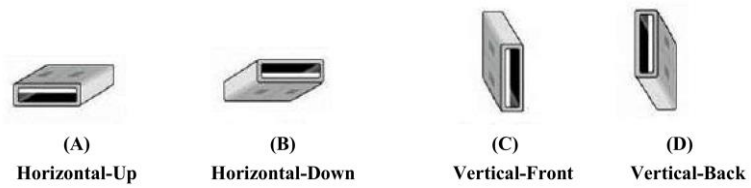
- General specifications of the SAR system, SAR probe and dipole calibration certificates and results, tissue-equivalent media recipes, SAR system verification (dipole) plots, generic test setup photos and SAR system validation status information etc. should be included in a separate attachment or appendix to the SAR report

5 Product specific SAR Evaluation Procedures

5.1 SAR Evaluation for USB Dongles

SAR Evaluation for USB Dongles (FCC KDB 447498 D02)
Simple dongles – Test all USB orientations [see figure below: (A) Horizontal-Up, (B) Horizontal-Down, (C) Vertical-Front, and (D) Vertical-Back] with a device-to-phantom separation distance of 5 mm or less  (A) Horizontal-Up (B) Horizontal-Down (C) Vertical-Front (D) Vertical-Back Current generation portable host computers should be used to establish the required SAR measurement separation distance – The same test separation distance must be used to test all frequency bands and modes in each USB orientation – The typical Horizontal-Up USB connection (A), found in the majority of host computers, must be tested using an appropriate host computer – A host computer with either Vertical-Front (C) or Vertical-Back (D) USB connection should be used to test one of the vertical USB orientations – If a suitable host computer is not available for testing the Horizontal-Down (B) or the remaining Vertical USB orientation, a high quality USB cable, 12 inches or less, may be used for testing these other orientations Dongles with swivel or rotating USB connectors – The 5 mm test separation distance used for testing simple dongles has been established based on the overall host platform (laptop/notebook/netbook) and device variations, and varying user operating configurations and exposure conditions expected for a peripheral device – The same test distance should generally apply to dongles with swivel or rotating connectors – The procedures described for simple dongles should be used to position the four surfaces of the dongle at 5 mm from the phantom to evaluate SAR – At least one of the horizontal and one of the vertical positions should be tested using an applicable host computer. – If the antenna is within 1 cm from the tip of the dongle (the end without the USB connector), the tip of the dongle should also be tested at 5 mm perpendicular to the phantom – For antennas located within 2.5 cm from the USB connector and if the dongle can be positioned at 45º to 90º from the horizontal position [(A) or (B)], testing in one or more of these configurations may need to be considered A KDB inquiry should be submitted to determine the applicable test configurations Dongles with external, swivel or rotating antennas – A KDB inquiry should be submitted to the FCC Laboratory to determine the applicable test configurations Other – the SAR scan resolutions should be smaller than those typically used for testing devices – when USB cables are used to connect a dongle to the host for SAR testing, the dongle should be supported in several cm of foamed polystyrene (e.g., Styrofoam) to minimize any field perturbation effects – Dongles with certain spacers, contours or tapering added to the housing should generally be tested according to the 5 mm test separation requirement required for simple dongles – USB dongle transmitters must show compliance at a test separation distance of 5 mm – When the SAR is ≥ 1.2 W/kg, applications for equipment certification require a KDB inquiry for equipment approval – When the SAR is ≥ 1.2 W/kg, especially for SAR > 1.5 W/kg, certain caution statements, labels and other means to ensure compliance may be required

5.2 SAR Evaluation for Handsets with Hotspot mode

SAR Evaluation for Handsets with Hotspot mode (FCC KDB 941225 D06)
– All applicable standalone and simultaneous transmission use conditions must be taken into consideration to determine SAR compliance
– The head, body-worn accessory, next to body and hotspot mode SAR results are used to determine simultaneous transmission SAR test exclusion for these exposure conditions
Near-body and hand-held use
– SAR is measured for all edges and surfaces of the device with a transmitting antenna located within 25 mm from that surface or edge for the data modes, wireless technologies and frequency bands supporting hotspot mode
– The SAR test separation distance for hotspot mode is determined according to device form factor
When the overall length and width of a device is > 9 cm x 5 cm (~3.5” x 2”)
A test separation distance of 10 mm is required for hotspot mode SAR measurements
Smaller devices
A test separation distance of 5 mm or less is required
– The combination of test distance and 1-g SAR measurements required for near-body exposure also supports hand-held exposure; therefore, separate 10-g extremity SAR evaluation is not necessary
– The SAR results are used to determine simultaneous transmission SAR test exclusion for hotspot mode; otherwise, simultaneous transmission SAR measurement is required
– For standalone battery-operated wireless router devices that require an external peripheral transmitter, such as an approved Wi-Fi or WWAN USB dongle or Express Card, to support hotspot mode:
A reported SAR of 1.6 W/kg is used for the external transmitter to determine simultaneous transmission SAR test exclusion
This excludes the use of sum of 1-g simultaneous transmission SAR test exclusion; the SAR to peak location separation ratio exclusion must be applied
For USB dongles, the peak SAR location is assumed to be at 1 cm or less from the router surface, on the USB dongle
For transmitter cards, SAR test exclusion is determined with peak SAR located at the edge of the router surface, centered along the plugin card slot
If the built-in transmitter qualifies for SAR test exclusion; for example, a Wi-Fi module, the estimated SAR procedures in KDB Publication 447498 D01 is applied in conjunction with the 1.6 W/kg assumed for an external transmitter to determine SAR to peak location ratio SAR test exclusion
Head and body-worn accessory
– When the same wireless mode transmission configurations for voice and data are required for SAR measurements, the more conservative configuration with a smaller separation distance should be tested for the overlapping SAR configurations
This typically applies to the back and front surfaces of a handset when SAR is required for both hotspot mode and body-worn accessory exposure conditions
For devices with dimension > 9 cm x 5 cm
the test separation distance used for hotspot mode SAR measurement is either 10 mm or that used in the body-worn accessory configuration, whichever is less
For smaller devices with dimensions ≤ 9 cm x 5 cm
a test separation of ≤ 5 mm must be used
The combination of test distance and 1-g SAR measurements required for near-body exposure also supports hand-held exposure; therefore, separate 10-g extremity SAR evaluation is not necessary
– When hotspot mode is enabled during voice calls, SAR compliance must be addressed for simultaneous voice and hotspot mode data in head (next to the ear) and body-worn accessory use conditions
When separate transmitters are used, simultaneous transmission SAR for voice and hotspot mode data must be addressed

6 Technology specific SAR Evaluation Procedures

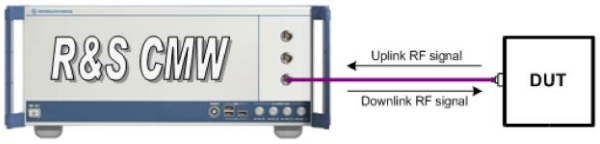
6.1 LTE

Evaluation Information
Frequency ranges and channel bandwidths:
The frequency range and channel bandwidths (1.4 MHz, 3 MHz, 5 MHz, 10 MHz, 15 MHz, 20 MHz) are listed for each frequency band
Channel selection:
The required test channels for each channel bandwidth and frequency band
Per KDB 941225 D05; if transmission bandwidth > 100 MHz the channel selection criteria of KDB 447498 D01 must be applied
otherwise, the low, mid, high channel should be used
Antenna implementation:
Antenna usage for the different operational modes and configurations are listed
Voice and data mode:
The applicability of voice and data modes for each rf-exposure configuration
Power class:
The power class of the radio implementation
Nominal and maximum output power and tune-up tolerance:
For each band, channel bandwidth and applicable resource block allocation the nominal and maximum conducted output power levels are given
Conducted and radiated output power of wireless modes:
On the required test channels (low, mid, high) the conducted output power levels are measured for all applicable channel bandwidths and resource block allocations and the corresponding modulations
Maximum power reduction:
The usage of Maximum power reduction and implementation details are given for each frequency band, channel, channel bandwidth, resource block allocation and modulation together with the 3GPP target values
Spectrum plots for resource block configurations:
If no properly configured base station simulator is used for the SAR or power measurements, spectrum plots for each RB allocation and offset configuration are given
UL and DL carrier aggregation configurations:
All supported uplink and downlink carrier aggregation configurations (inter-band all CCs, intra-band continuous all CCs, intra-band non-continuous all CCs)

Evaluation Test Mode

Test mode setup:

Communication tester based test mode



Channel type:

RMC according to 3GPP TS 36.521-1 Section A.2

Required test channels:

According to 3GPP TS 36.508 Section 4.3.1

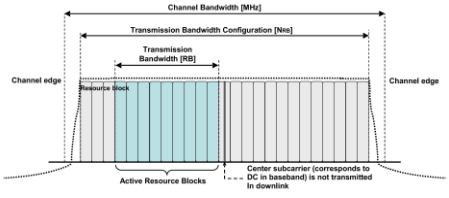
Channel bandwidths:

All supported channel bandwidths from the applicable bandwidth per band according to 3GPP TS 36.521-1

Resource block allocation:

For each frequency band and required test channel:

- 1 RB at lower edge, center position and upper edge of channel bandwidth
- 50 % RB allocation at lower edge, center position and upper edge of channel bandwidth
- 100 % RB allocation



Channel bandwidth $BW_{Channel}$ [MHz]	1.4	3	5	10	15	20
Transmission bandwidth configuration N_{RB}	6	15	25	50	75	100

Modulation:

QPSK, 16-QAM, 64-QAM, 256-QAM as applicable

3GPP Maximum power reduction:

QPSK and 16-QAM:

Modulation	Channel bandwidth / Transmission bandwidth configuration [RB]						MPR (dB)
	1.4 MHz	3.0 MHz	5 MHz	10 MHz	15 MHz	20 MHz	
QPSK	> 5	> 4	> 8	> 12	> 16	> 18	≤ 1
16 QAM	≤ 5	≤ 4	≤ 8	≤ 12	≤ 16	≤ 18	≤ 1
16 QAM	> 5	> 4	> 8	> 12	> 16	> 18	≤ 2

64-QAM:

Modulation	Channel bandwidth / Transmission bandwidth configuration [RB]						MPR (dB)
	1.4 MHz	3.0 MHz	5 MHz	10 MHz	15 MHz	20 MHz	
64 QAM	≤ 5	≤ 4	≤ 8	≤ 12	≤ 16	≤ 18	≤ 2
64 QAM	> 5	> 4	> 8	> 12	> 16	> 18	≤ 3

256-QAM:

Modulation	Channel bandwidth / Transmission bandwidth configuration [RB]						MPR (dB)
	1.4 MHz	3.0 MHz	5 MHz	10 MHz	15 MHz	20 MHz	
256 QAM	≥ 1						≤ 5

Additional Maximum power reduction (A-MPR):

None via usage of NS_01:

Network Signalling value	Requirements (sub-clause)	E-UTRA Band	Channel bandwidth (MHz)	Resources Blocks (N_{RB})	A-MPR (dB)
NS_01	6.6.2.1.1	Table 5.2-1	1.4,3,5,10,15,20	Table 5.4.2-1	N/A

Uplink transmit power control:

Maximum power

Evaluation Steps
Rated highest maximum output power: 1. The highest rated conducted output power is listed for all frequency bands, channel bandwidth, RB allocations and modulations Conducted output power: 2. The actual conducted output power is measured on the required test channels (Low, Mid, High) for each band, for the required RB allocations and all applicable modulations It is verified that the actual output power is within 2 dB of the highest rated output power Test exclusion per KDB 447498 D01: 4. The test separation distance is determined with respect to the applicable device use cases 5. Using the highest rated maximum output power values a test exclusion is performed according to KDB 447498 D01 and RSS-102 Initial test selection per KDB 941225 D05: 6. SAR testing is initially performed for QPSK 1RB and 50 % RB allocation for the largest channel bandwidth in each frequency band for all test positions that are not excluded according to KDB 447498 D01 Tissue Simulating Liquid and System Validation: 7. The tissue simulating liquid is checked and the system validation is performed directly before SAR testing for each frequency band and corresponding liquid Tissue simulating liquid and system validation is repeated every 48 h if needed SAR Measurement: 8. SAR is measured for all required test positions on the channel with the highest average output power according to initial test selection per KDB 941225 D05 9. The measured SAR values are scaled to the highest rated maximum output power value for the operational mode under test 10. The test reduction rules per KDB 941225 D05 for the other 1 RB and 50 % RB allocations and required test channels is applied: SAR is not required: the reported SAR is ≤ 0.8 W/kg otherwise: SAR is required for the remaining required test channels and only for the RB offset configuration with the highest output power for that channel if the reported SAR is > 1.45 W/kg: SAR is required for all three RB offset configurations for that required test channel 11. The test reduction rules per KDB 941225 D05 for the 100 % RB allocation is applied: SAR is not required: the highest maximum output power for 100 % RB allocation is less than the highest maximum output power in 50% and 1 RB allocations and the highest reported SAR for 1 RB and 50% RB allocation are ≤ 0.8 W/kg otherwise: SAR is measured for the highest output power channel if the reported SAR is > 1.45 W/kg: The remaining required test channels must also be tested 12. The test reduction rules per KDB 941225 D05 for the higher order modulations is applied: The 1 RB, 50 % RB and 100 % allocation rules for QPSK are also applied to higher oder modulations in order to identify the configurations that require SAR testing

SAR is required only:

the highest maximum output power for the configuration in the higher order modulation is > ½ dB higher than the same configuration in QPSK

or

the reported SAR for the QPSK configuration is > 1.45 W/kg

13. The test reduction rules per KDB 941225 D05 for the lower channel bandwidths is applied:

The 1 RB, 50 % RB and 100 % allocation rules for QPSK are applied to low channel bandwidths in order to identify the configurations that require SAR testing

The 1 RB, 50 % RB and 100 % allocation rules for QPSK are also applied to higher oder modulations in lower channel bandwidths in order to identify the configurations that require SAR testing

SAR is required only:

the highest maximum output power of a configuration requiring testing in the smaller channel bandwidth is > ½ dB higher than the equivalent channel configurations in the largest channel bandwidth configuration

Or

the reported SAR of a configuration for the largest channel bandwidth is > 1.45 W/kg

14. Additional SAR testing is applied for all configurations that does not fall under the test reduction rules according to KDB 941225 D05

SAR Repeatability:

10. If needed due to SAR results, repeated measurements are performed after all other SAR tests are finished

DUT Holder Pertubations:

11. If needed due to SAR results DUT holder perturbation verification is performed

Evaluation Steps – DL Carrier Aggregation

Inter-band configuration selection:

1. The different configurations are tabulated in separate columns in increasing order of number of bands and component carriers per bands
(e.g. 2 bands/2 CC, 2 bands/3 CC, 3 bands/2 CC, 3 bands/3 CC etc.)
2. The CA/CC combinations in each columns are sorted so that frequency bands listed in subsequent columns on each row are ascending subsets
(i.e. columns to the right correspond to increasing number of frequency bands and CCs)
3. The subset with the largest number of combinations of frequency bands and CCs in each row; i.e., the right most configuration is selected for uplink maximum output power measurement

Inter-band conducted output power:

4. For each of the selected configurations the uplink conducted power is measured without downlink carrier aggration active

The uplink channel is selected according to the maximum output power channel when downlink carrier aggregation is inactive

5. For each of the selected configurations the uplink conducted power is measured with downlink carrier aggration active

The uplink channel is selected according to the maximum output power channel when downlink carrier aggregation is inactive

The downlink channels selected to perform the uplink power measurement must satisfy 3GPP channel spacing (5.4.1A of 3GPP TS 36.521 or equivalent) and channel bandwidth (5.4.2A) requirements

The nominal channel spacing is determined by [BW1 + BW2 – 0.1*|BW1 – BW2|]/2 MHz, where BW1 and BW2 are the channel bandwidths of the CC in a 2-CC aggregation configuration

The downlink PCC channel should be paired with the uplink channel according to normal configurations, as if there is no carrier aggregation

The SCC should be near the middle of its transmission band

Inter-band Test exclusion per KDB 941225 D05A:

4. If the uplink conducted power with downlink carrier aggregation active remains within the specified tune-up tolerance limits and is not more than ¼ dB higher than the maximum output power measured without downlink carrier aggregation active

   No SAR testing is required

   otherwise

   A KDB inquiry should be submitted to determine the downlink channel selection for the applicable CA configurations

5. When a power measurement configuration does not qualify for SAR test exclusion, power is measured for the previous lower order combination (next left column) for the remaining lower order subsets in the row to qualify for SAR test exclusion and to limit the number of SAR tests

Intra-band (continuous and non-continuous) configuration selection:

6. The different configurations are tabulated in separate columns
   (e.g. 2 bands/2 CC, 2 bands/3 CC, 3 bands/2 CC, 3 bands/3 CC etc.)

   . all CA configurations for the same frequency band are grouped together in adjacent rows in each column), for example:

   CA_41A-41A (0)(1) … CA_41A-41C (0) for non-contiguous CCs
   CA_7B (0) … CA_7C(0)(1)(2) for contiguous CCs

7. According to KDB 941225 D05A only the CA configuration with the largest aggregated DL CA bandwidth in each frequency band group (independently for contiguous and non-contiguous CA) is selected

   When the same frequency band is used for both contiguous and noncontiguous CA, power may be measured using the configuration with the largest aggregated bandwidth “and” maximum output power among the contiguous and non-contiguous CA configurations

   otherwise

   These are considered separately

Intra-band (continuous and non-continuous) conducted output power:

8. For each of the selected configurations the uplink conducted power is measured without downlink carrier aggration active

   The uplink channel is selected according to the maximum output power channel when downlink carrier aggregation is inactive

   The downlink channels selected to perform the uplink power measurement must satisfy 3GPP channel spacing (5.4.1A of 3GPP TS 36.521 or equivalent) and channel bandwidth (5.4.2A) requirements

   The nominal channel spacing is determined by [BW1 + BW2 – 0.1*|BW1 – BW2|]/2 MHz, where BW1 and BW2 are the channel bandwidths of the CC in a 2-CC aggregation configuration

   The downlink PCC channel should be paired with the uplink channel according to normal configurations, as if there is no carrier aggregation

   DL SCC and subsequent CCs should be configured using the channel bandwidth and RB configurations closest to that used for the DL PCC

   For contiguous intra-band CA the downlink SCC should be adjacent to the PCC and remain within the downlink transmission band

   For non-contiguous intra-band CA, the SCC should be selected to provide maximum separation from the PCC and must remain fully within the downlink transmission band

9. For each of the selected configurations the uplink conducted power is measured with downlink carrier aggration active

Intra-band (continuous and non-continuous) Test exclusion per KDB 941225 D05A:

4. If the uplink conducted power with downlink carrier aggregation active remains within the specified tune-up tolerance limits and is not more than ¼ dB higher than the maximum output power measured without downlink carrier aggregation active

   No SAR testing is required

   otherwise

   A KDB inquiry should be submitted to determine the downlink channel selection for the applicable CA configurations

5. When a power measurement configuration does not qualify for SAR test exclusion, power is measured for the next largest aggregated bandwidth to qualify for SAR test exclusion and to limit the number of SAR tests

Evaluation Steps – UL Carrier Aggregation

Configuration identification:

1. All applicable UL CA configurations intended for U.S. operations should be identified according to KDB 941225 D05A

   Maximum output power and tune-up tolerances for both standalone and UL CA operations, including any operating restrictions, power reduction or variations among LTE modes and configurations (channel BW, RB allocations, MPR, modulation, 3GPP release variations etc.)

Inter-band configurations:

2. A KDB Inquiry is required

Intra-band non-continuous configurations:

3. A KDB Inquiry is required

Intra-band continuous configurations:

Intra-band continuous Required test channels:

4. The required test channels are selected according to KDB 941225 D05

Intra-band continuous configuration selection:

1. SAR for UL CA is required in each exposure condition (highest standalone head test position, body etc.) and frequency band combination

   SAR testing is performed for the highest standalone SAR configuration form non-CA results

2. UL CA SAR is also required for standalone SAR configurations > 1.2 W/kg when they are scaled to the UL CA power level

Intra-band continuous conducted maximum output power:

3. For the selected configurations the maximum output power for UL CA is measured

   The channel bandwidth, channel number, RB allocation etc. are selected to allow for continuous CA of PCC and SCC(s)

   Measurements are performed with modulation of worst case standalone SAR configuration

   Measurements are made with all supported PCC bandwidth using channel and RB allocation combinations resulting in the highest standalone output power at MPR 0 dB

   SCCs were set to use the configurations similar to the PCC to establish the worst-case SAR test conditions

   Uplink output power for UL CA is the total output power measured across PCC and SCC(s)

Tissue Simulating Liquid and System Validation:

4. The tissue simulating liquid is checked and the system validation is performed directly before SAR testing for each frequency band and corresponding liquid

   Tissue simulating liquid and system validation is repeated every 48 h if needed

Intra-band continuous SAR testing:

5. SAR for UL CA is required in each exposure condition (highest standalone head test position, body etc.) and frequency band combination

   SAR testing is performed for the highest standalone SAR configuration form non-CA results

6. When the maximum output for UL CA is ≤ standalone LTE mode (without CA):

   PCC is configured according to the highest standalone SAR configuration tested

   SCC and subsequent CCs are configured according to procedures used for power measurement and parameters (BW, RB etc.) similar to that used for the PCC

   The channel bandwidth, channel number, RB allocation etc. are selected to allow for continuous CA of PCC and SCC(s)

   otherwise

   A KDB Inquiry is necessary

7. UL CA SAR is measured for all exposure conditions

Intra-band continuous SAR test reduction:

8. When the reported SAR for UL CA configuration is > 1.2 W/kg

   UL CA SAR is also required for all required test channels (PCC based)

7 SAR Evaluation for Standalone Transmitter Operation

7.1 Radio Chipset/Module 1: LTE

7.1.1 Maximum specified output power

Maximum Specified Output Power incl. Tune-up Tolerance					
Band	Modulation	Antenna Port	Maximum Conducted Power [dBm]	Anntena Gain [dBi]	Maximum Radiated Power [dBm]
FDD2	QPSK	LTE	25	5.53	30.53
FDD2	16-QAM	LTE	25	5.53	30.53
FDD4	QPSK	LTE	25	4.97	29.97
FDD4	16-QAM	LTE	25	4.97	29.97
FDD12	QPSK	LTE	25	2.89	27.89
FDD12	16-QAM	LTE	25	2.89	27.89
FDD66	QPSK	LTE	25	4.97	29.97
FDD66	16-QAM	LTE	25	4.97	29.97

Notes	
1:	Maximum conducted power is specified for the antenna feed point at the end of the antenna feeding transmission line between the radio module output port and the antenna
2:	According to April 2015 TCB workshop, SAR test exclusion can be applied for testing overlapping LTE bands as follows: a) The maximum output power, including tolerance, for the smaller band must be ≤ the larger band to qualify for the SAR test exclusion. Tune-up power of LTE band 4 is identical to tune-up power of LTE band 66. b) The channel bandwidth and other operating parameters for the smaller band must be fully supported by the larger band. All channel bandwidths supported for LTE band 4 are also supported for LTE band 66 → SAR test exclusion for overlapping frequency bands applies to LTE band 4
3:	Tune-up Tolerances are declared by customer

7.1.2 Conducted output power

Source-based time-averaged conducted Output Power - Antenna: - Band: FDD2										
Band	BW [MHz]	Mod	RB Allocation		MPR [dB]		Average Power [dBm]			
			RB#	RB Offset	3GPP	Target	18700	18900	19100	Tune-up Power
							1860 MHz	1880 MHz	1900 MHz	
FDD2	20	QPSK	1	0	0	0	23.65	24.05	**24.15**	25.0
			1	49	0	0	**23.99**	**24.18**	24.08	25.0
			1	99	0	0	23.96	23.99	23.77	25.0
			50	0	0	1	22.93	**23.20**	**22.93**	25.0
			50	24	0	1	22.86	23.11	22.85	25.0
			50	49	0	1	**22.95**	23.18	22.87	25.0
			100	0	0	1	23.33	23.18	22.94	25.0
		16-QAM	1	0	0	1	22.94	23.41	23.20	25.0
			1	49	0	1	23.16	23.60	23.17	25.0
			1	99	0	1	23.27	23.36	22.95	25.0
			50	0	0	2	21 .90	22.34	22.00	25.0
			50	24	0	2	21 .92	22.23	21.93	25.0
			50	49	0	2	22.02	22.24	21.82	25.0
			100	0	0	2	21.89	22.18	21.90	25.0

Notes	
1:	Conducted power is RMS average power
2:	The actual conducted power must be within 2 dB of the specified maximum tune-up power taking into account the implemented MPR

Source-based time-averaged conducted Output Power - Antenna: - Band: FDD2										
Band	BW [MHz]	Mod	RB Allocation		MPR [dB]		Average Power [dBm]			
			RB#	RB Offset	3GPP	Target	18675	18900	19125	Tune-up Power
							1857.5 MHz	1880 MHz	1902.5 MHz	
FDD2	15	QPSK	1	0	0	0	23.91	24.20	23.96	25.0
			1	36	0	0	24.17	24.38	24.05	25.0
			1	74	0	0	24.08	24.02	23.60	25.0
			36	0	0	1	22.76	23.36	22.97	25.0
			36	18	0	1	22.90	23.28	22.89	25.0
			36	37	0	1	22.87	23.19	22.75	25.0
			75	0	0	1	22.87	23.26	22.87	25.0
		16-QAM	1	0	0	1	22.92	23.60	22.97	25.0
			1	36	0	1	23.20	23.66	23.12	25.0
			1	74	0	1	22.97	23.24	22.67	25.0
			36	0	0	2	21 .80	22.33	21.82	25.0
			36	18	0	2	21 .89	22.23	21.84	25.0
			36	37	0	2	21 91	22.24	21.74	25.0
			75	0	0	2	21.92	22.23	21.94	25.0

Notes	
1:	Conducted power is RMS average power
2:	The actual conducted power must be within 2 dB of the specified maximum tune-up power taking into account the implemented MPR

Source-based time-averaged conducted Output Power - Antenna: - Band: FDD2										
Band	BW [MHz]	Mod	RB Allocation		MPR [dB]		Average Power [dBm]			
			RB#	RB Offset	3GPP	Target	18650	18900	19150	Tune-up Power
							1855 MHz	1880 MHz	1905 MHz	
FDD2	10	QPSK	1	0	0	0	24.06	24.42	24.14	25.0
			1	24	0	0	24.02	24.37	24.07	25.0
			1	49	0	0	24.09	24.36	24.00	25.0
			25	0	0	1	22.85	23.46	22.92	25.0
			25	12	0	1	22.88	23.34	22.85	25.0
			25	24	0	1	23.00	23.33	22.87	25.0
			50	0	0	1	23.03	23.37	22.97	25.0
		16-QAM	1	0	0	1	22.99	23.70	23.09	25.0
			1	24	0	1	23.05	23.71	23.02	25.0
			1	49	0	1	23.07	23.63	22.93	25.0
			25	0	0	2	21 .89	22.42	21.92	25.0
			25	12	0	2	21 .89	22.42	21.85	25.0
			25	24	0	2	22.00	22.40	21.80	25.0
			50	0	0	2	22.01	22.33	21.83	25.0

Notes	
1:	Conducted power is RMS average power
2:	The actual conducted power must be within 2 dB of the specified maximum tune-up power taking into account the implemented MPR

Source-based time-averaged conducted Output Power - Antenna: - Band: FDD2										
Band	BW [MHz]	Mod	RB Allocation		MPR [dB]		Average Power [dBm]			
			RB#	RB Offset	3GPP	Target	18625	18900	19175	Tune-up Power
							1852.5 MHz	1880 MHz	1907.5 MHz	
FDD2	5	QPSK	1	0	0	0	23.95	24.38	24.15	25.0
			1	12	0	0	24.08	24.56	24.05	25.0
			1	24	0	0	23.89	24.24	23.99	25.0
			12	0	0	1	22.86	23.70	22.88	25.0
			12	7	0	1	22.87	23.51	22.89	25.0
			12	13	0	1	22.88	23.51	23.01	25.0
			25	0	0	1	23.02	23.38	22.86	25.0
		16-QAM	1	0	0	1	23.00	23.48	22.60	25.0
			1	12	0	1	23.23	23.74	22.89	25.0
			1	24	0	1	22.89	23.34	22.56	25.0
			12	0	0	2	22.18	22.37	21.98	25.0
			12	7	0	2	22.18	22.36	21.91	25.0
			12	13	0	2	22.28	22.35	21.89	25.0
			25	0	0	2	22.06	22.40	21.85	25.0

Notes	
1:	Conducted power is RMS average power
2:	The actual conducted power must be within 2 dB of the specified maximum tune-up power taking into account the implemented MPR

Source-based time-averaged conducted Output Power - Antenna: - Band: FDD2										
Band	BW [MHz]	Mod	RB Allocation		MPR [dB]		Average Power [dBm]			
			RB#	RB Offset	3GPP	Target	18615	18900	19185	Tune-up Power
							1851.5 MHz	1880 MHz	1908.5 MHz	
FDD2	3	QPSK	1	0	0	0	24.07	24.42	24.08	25.0
			1	8	0	0	24.23	24.57	24.20	25.0
			1	14	0	0	24.14	24.35	24.01	25.0
			8	0	0	1	23.28	23.30	22.87	25.0
			8	4	0	1	23.17	23.38	22.85	25.0
			8	7	0	1	23.05	23.42	22.86	25.0
			15	0	0	1	23.15	23.39	22.90	25.0
		16-QAM	1	0	0	1	22.97	23.28	22.80	25.0
			1	8	0	1	23.05	23.53	22.93	25.0
			1	14	0	1	22.80	23.20	22.77	25.0
			8	0	0	2	21 .96	22.40	21.90	25.0
			8	4	0	2	21 .98	22.39	21.90	25.0
			8	7	0	2	21 98	22.39	21.88	25.0
			15	0	0	2	21.99	22.44	21.79	25.0

Notes	
1:	Conducted power is RMS average power
2:	The actual conducted power must be within 2 dB of the specified maximum tune-up power taking into account the implemented MPR

Source-based time-averaged conducted Output Power - Antenna: - Band: FDD2										
Band	BW [MHz]	Mod	RB Allocation		MPR [dB]		Average Power [dBm]			
			RB#	RB Offset	3GPP	Target	18607	18900	19193	Tune-up Power
							1850.7 MHz	1880 MHz	1909.3 MHz	
FDD2	1.4	QPSK	1	0	0	0	24.10	23.26	23.88	25.0
			1	2	0	0	24.14	23.30	24.00	25.0
			1	5	0	0	24.09	23.22	23.91	25.0
			3	0	0	0	24.10	23.39	23.77	25.0
			3	1	0	0	24.05	23.40	23.81	25.0
			3	2	0	0	24.06	23.38	23.82	25.0
			6	0	0	1	23.01	22.34	22.78	25.0
		16-QAM	1	0	0	1	22.85	23.26	22.76	25.0
			1	2	0	1	22.92	23.30	22.91	25.0
			1	5	0	1	22.86	23.22	22.80	25.0
			3	0	0	1	22.97	23.39	22.88	25.0
			3	1	0	1	23.03	23.40	22.90	25.0
			3	2	0	1	22.99	23.38	22.92	25.0
			6	0	0	2	21 .95	22.34	21.84	25.0

Notes	
1:	Conducted power is RMS average power
2:	The actual conducted power must be within 2 dB of the specified maximum tune-up power taking into account the implemented MPR

Source-based time-averaged conducted Output Power - Antenna: - Band: FDD12										
Band	BW [MHz]	Mod	RB Allocation		MPR [dB]		Average Power [dBm]			
			RB#	RB Offset	3GPP	Target	23060	23095	23130	Tune-up Power
							704 MHz	707.5 MHz	711 MHz	
FDD12	10	QPSK	1	0	0	0	23.83	23.88	23.82	25.0
			1	24	0	0	**24.13**	23.95	24.00	25.0
			1	49	0	0	23.95	**24.00**	**24.10**	25.0
			25	0	0	1	22.86	22.95	22.89	25.0
			25	12	0	1	22.97	22.84	23.01	25.0
			25	24	0	1	22.90	22.89	**23.09**	25.0
			50	0	0	1	22.93	22.80	22.93	25.0
		16-QAM	1	0	0	1	22.98	22.66	23.08	25.0
			1	24	0	1	23.11	22.83	23.28	25.0
			1	49	0	1	22.81	22.85	23.32	25.0
			25	0	0	2	21.91	21.89	21.84	25.0
			25	12	0	2	21.91	21.76	21.91	25.0
			25	24	0	2	21.92	21.85	21.97	25.0
			50	0	0	2	21.99	21.79	21.90	25.0

Notes	
1:	Conducted power is RMS average power
2:	The actual conducted power must be within 2 dB of the specified maximum tune-up power taking into account the implemented MPR

Source-based time-averaged conducted Output Power - Antenna: - Band: FDD12										
Band	BW [MHz]	Mod	RB Allocation		MPR [dB]		Average Power [dBm]			
			RB#	RB Offset	3GPP	Target	23035	23095	23155	Tune-up Power
							701.5 MHz	707.5 MHz	713.5 MHz	
FDD12	5	QPSK	1	0	0	0	23.69	23.87	24.11	25.0
			1	12	0	0	24.13	23.97	24.67	25.0
			1	24	0	0	23.87	23.82	24.43	25.0
			12	0	0	1	22.78	23.24	23.14	25.0
			12	7	0	1	22.95	23.06	23.25	25.0
			12	13	0	1	22.95	23.04	23.39	25.0
			25	0	0	1	22.94	22.81	23.07	25.0
		16-QAM	1	0	0	1	22.77	23.07	22.65	25.0
			1	12	0	1	23.31	23.10	23.14	25.0
			1	24	0	1	23.10	23.08	22.92	25.0
			12	0	0	2	21.81	21 97	22.04	25.0
			12	7	0	2	21.86	21 79	22.13	25.0
			12	13	0	2	21.82	21.74	22.17	25.0
			25	0	0	2	21.91	21.80	22.04	25.0

Notes	
1:	Conducted power is RMS average power
2:	The actual conducted power must be within 2 dB of the specified maximum tune-up power taking into account the implemented MPR

Source-based time-averaged conducted Output Power - Antenna: - Band: FDD12										
Band	BW [MHz]	Mod	RB Allocation		MPR [dB]		Average Power [dBm]			
			RB#	RB Offset	3GPP	Target	23025	23095	23165	Tune-up Power
							700.5 MHz	707.5 MHz	714.5 MHz	
FDD12	3	QPSK	1	0	0	0	23.70	23.89	24.11	25.0
			1	8	0	0	24.00	24.08	24.39	25.0
			1	14	0	0	23.93	23.90	24.17	25.0
			8	0	0	1	23.41	22.89	23.17	25.0
			8	4	0	1	22.87	22.87	23.22	25.0
			8	7	0	1	22.86	22.89	23.22	25.0
			15	0	0	1	22.89	22.89	23.16	25.0
		16-QAM	1	0	0	1	22.58	22.90	22.93	25.0
			1	8	0	1	22.95	22.88	23.34	25.0
			1	14	0	1	22.83	22.61	22.99	25.0
			8	0	0	2	21.73	21 85	22.14	25.0
			8	4	0	2	21.85	21 80	22.17	25.0
			8	7	0	2	21.88	21.81	22.13	25.0
			15	0	0	2	21.82	21.83	22.14	25.0

Notes	
1:	Conducted power is RMS average power
2:	The actual conducted power must be within 2 dB of the specified maximum tune-up power taking into account the implemented MPR

Source-based time-averaged conducted Output Power - Antenna: - Band: FDD12										
Band	BW [MHz]	Mod	RB Allocation		MPR [dB]		Average Power [dBm]			
			RB#	RB Offset	3GPP	Target	23017	23095	23173	Tune-up Power
							699.7 MHz	707.5 MHz	715.3 MHz	
FDD12	1.4	QPSK	1	0	0	0	23.32	23.94	24.72	25.0
			1	2	0	0	23.41	24.03	24.74	25.0
			1	5	0	0	23.43	23.96	24.68	25.0
			3	0	0	0	23.43	23.84	24.53	25.0
			3	1	0	0	23.46	23.89	24.57	25.0
			3	2	0	0	23.53	23.87	24.60	25.0
			6	0	0	1	22.47	22.88	23.45	25.0
		16-QAM	1	0	0	1	22.28	22.87	23.32	25.0
			1	2	0	1	22.40	22.96	23.38	25.0
			1	5	0	1	22.46	22.84	23.24	25.0
			3	0	0	1	22.51	22.78	23.39	25.0
			3	1	0	1	22.59	22.83	23.41	25.0
			3	2	0	1	22.52	22.83	23.37	25.0
			6	0	0	2	21.47	21.82	22.49	25.0

Notes	
1:	Conducted power is RMS average power
2:	The actual conducted power must be within 2 dB of the specified maximum tune-up power taking into account the implemented MPR

Source-based time-averaged conducted Output Power - Antenna: - Band: FDD66										
Band	BW [MHz]	Mod	RB Allocation		MPR [dB]		Average Power [dBm]			
			RB#	RB Offset	3GPP	Target	132072	132322	132572	Tune-up Power
							1720 MHz	1745 MHz	1770 MHz	
FDD66	20	QPSK	1	0	0	0	24.00	24.00	23.91	25.0
			1	50	0	0	**24.14**	**24.14**	**23.97**	25.0
			1	99	0	0	24.10	24.10	23.93	25.0
			50	0	0	1	23.11	23.11	**23.06**	25.0
			50	25	0	1	23.18	23.18	23.01	25.0
			50	50	0	1	**23.20**	**23.24**	23.01	25.0
			100	0	0	1	23.13	23.15	22.90	25.0
		16-QAM	1	0	0	1	22.75	23.40	22.90	25.0
			1	49	0	1	23.04	23.49	22.89	25.0
			1	99	0	1	22.88	23.32	22.82	25.0
			50	0	0	2	22.19	22.28	22.10	25.0
			50	25	0	2	22.20	22.31	22.00	25.0
			50	50	0	2	22.23	22.22	21.99	25.0
			100	0	0	2	22.19	22.20	22.00	25.0

Notes	
1:	Conducted power is RMS average power
2:	The actual conducted power must be within 2 dB of the specified maximum tune-up power taking into account the implemented MPR

Source-based time-averaged conducted Output Power - Antenna: - Band: FDD66										
Band	BW [MHz]	Mod	RB Allocation		MPR [dB]		Average Power [dBm]			
			RB#	RB Offset	3GPP	Target	132047	132322	132597	Tune-up Power
							1717.5 MHz	1745 MHz	1772.5 MHz	
FDD66	15	QPSK	1	0	0	0	24.19	24.21	23.92	25.0
			1	36	0	0	**24.33**	**24.33**	**24.08**	25.0
			1	74	0	0	24.22	24.03	23.88	25.0
			36	0	0	1	23.00	23.23	22.89	25.0
			36	18	0	1	23.08	23.15	22.97	25.0
			36	37	0	1	23.07	23.17	23.00	25.0
			75	0	0	1	23.12	23.14	22.90	25.0
		16-QAM	1	0	0	1	23.16	23.54	23.08	25.0
			1	36	0	1	23.39	23.57	23.20	25.0
			1	74	0	1	23.21	23.32	22.97	25.0
			36	0	0	2	22.15	22.28	21.97	25.0
			36	18	0	2	22.17	22.30	22.01	25.0
			36	37	0	2	22.16	22.17	22.02	25.0
			75	0	0	2	22.16	22.22	22.00	25.0

Notes	
1:	Conducted power is RMS average power
2:	The actual conducted power must be within 2 dB of the specified maximum tune-up power taking into account the implemented MPR

Source-based time-averaged conducted Output Power - Antenna: - Band: FDD66										
Band	BW [MHz]	Mod	RB Allocation		MPR [dB]		Average Power [dBm]			
			RB#	RB Offset	3GPP	Target	132022	132322	132622	Tune-up Power
							1715 MHz	1745 MHz	1775 MHz	
FDD66	10	QPSK	1	0	0	0	24.32	24.30	24.04	25.0
			1	24	0	0	24.33	24.19	24.18	25.0
			1	49	0	0	24.31	24.14	24.05	25.0
			25	0	0	1	23.17	23.32	22.97	25.0
			25	12	0	1	23.17	23.21	22.96	25.0
			25	24	0	1	23.20	32.16	23.05	25.0
			50	0	0	1	23.13	23.18	22.95	25.0
		16-QAM	1	0	0	1	23.01	23.10	22.98	25.0
			1	24	0	1	23.27	23.24	23.06	25.0
			1	49	0	1	23.01	23.03	23.01	25.0
			25	0	0	2	22.14	22.29	22.02	25.0
			25	12	0	2	22.15	22.32	22.02	25.0
			25	24	0	2	22.13	22.21	22.05	25.0
			50	0	0	2	22.15	22.22	22.03	25.0

Notes	
1:	Conducted power is RMS average power
2:	The actual conducted power must be within 2 dB of the specified maximum tune-up power taking into account the implemented MPR

Source-based time-averaged conducted Output Power - Antenna: - Band: FDD66										
Band	BW [MHz]	Mod	RB Allocation		MPR [dB]		Average Power [dBm]			
			RB#	RB Offset	3GPP	Target	131997	132322	132647	Tune-up Power
							1712.5 MHz	1745 MHz	1777.5 MHz	
FDD66	5	QPSK	1	0	0	0	24.09	24.11	24.24	25.0
			1	12	0	0	24.30	24.09	24.19	25.0
			1	24	0	0	24.01	24.40	24.10	25.0
			12	0	0	1	23.10	23.27	22.99	25.0
			12	7	0	1	23.11	23.26	23.05	25.0
			12	13	0	1	23.13	23.25	23.02	25.0
			25	0	0	1	23.13	23.22	23.02	25.0
		16-QAM	1	0	0	1	23.15	23.16	23.12	25.0
			1	12	0	1	23.31	23.37	23.40	25.0
			1	24	0	1	23.18	23.05	23.15	25.0
			12	0	0	2	22.14	22.31	21.87	25.0
			12	7	0	2	22.17	22.30	22.05	25.0
			12	13	0	2	22.13	22.24	22.03	25.0
			25	0	0	2	22.12	22.30	22.04	25.0

Notes	
1:	Conducted power is RMS average power
2:	The actual conducted power must be within 2 dB of the specified maximum tune-up power taking into account the implemented MPR

Source-based time-averaged conducted Output Power - Antenna: - Band: FDD66										
Band	BW [MHz]	Mod	RB Allocation		MPR [dB]		Average Power [dBm]			
			RB#	RB Offset	3GPP	Target	131987	132322	132657	Tune-up Power
							1711.5 MHz	1745 MHz	1778.5 MHz	
FDD66	3	QPSK	1	0	0	0	24.13	24.25	24.05	25.0
			1	8	0	0	24.31	24.41	24.22	25.0
			1	14	0	0	24.15	24.17	24.04	25.0
			8	0	0	1	23.11	23.24	23.01	25.0
			8	4	0	1	23.10	23.28	23.00	25.0
			8	7	0	1	23.17	23.25	23.02	25.0
			15	0	0	1	23.17	23.21	23.00	25.0
		16-QAM	1	0	0	1	23.24	23.24	23.00	25.0
			1	8	0	1	23.50	23.45	23.17	25.0
			1	14	0	1	23.26	23.12	23.02	25.0
			8	0	0	2	22.13	22.27	22.00	25.0
			8	4	0	2	22.12	22.28	21.98	25.0
			8	7	0	2	22.13	22.29	22.01	25.0
			15	0	0	2	22.12	22.28	22.06	25.0

Notes	
1:	Conducted power is RMS average power
2:	The actual conducted power must be within 2 dB of the specified maximum tune-up power taking into account the implemented MPR

Source-based time-averaged conducted Output Power - Antenna: - Band: FDD66										
Band	BW [MHz]	Mod	RB Allocation		MPR [dB]		Average Power [dBm]			
			RB#	RB Offset	3GPP	Target	131979	132322	132665	Tune-up Power
							1710.7 MHz	1745 MHz	1779.3 MHz	
FDD66	1.4	QPSK	1	0	0	0	24.12	24.19	24.32	25.0
			1	2	0	0	24.18	24.27	24.29	25.0
			1	5	0	0	24.17	24.20	24.28	25.0
			3	0	0	0	24.14	24.14	24.11	25.0
			3	1	0	0	24.19	24.19	24.15	25.0
			3	2	0	0	24.20	24.20	24.17	25.0
			6	0	0	1	23.11	23.19	22.97	25.0
		16-QAM	1	0	0	1	23.41	23.27	22.92	25.0
			1	2	0	1	23.50	23.35	23.12	25.0
			1	5	0	1	23.43	23.22	22.96	25.0
			3	0	0	1	23.28	23.30	22.98	25.0
			3	1	0	1	23.33	23.32	23.04	25.0
			3	2	0	1	23.28	23.36	23.08	25.0
			6	0	0	2	22.06	22.30	22.01	25.0

Notes	
1:	Conducted power is RMS average power
2:	The actual conducted power must be within 2 dB of the specified maximum tune-up power taking into account the implemented MPR

7.1.3 Product specific SAR evaluation requirements

Simple USB Dongle (1-g) SAR					
Antenna	Test Position	Antenna to DUT Surface Separation [mm]	DUT to User Separation [mm]	SAR Required	Note
1	Horizontal-Up	< 25	5	Yes	1
1	Horizontal-Down	< 25	5	Yes	1
1	Vertical-Front	< 25	5	Yes	1
1	Vertical-Back	< 25	5	Yes	1

Notes	
1:	Test all USB orientations [(A) Horizontal-Up, (B) Horizontal-Down, (C) Vertical-Front and (D) Vertical-Back] with a device-to-phantom separation distance of 5 mm or less

7.1.4 General maximum output power based test exclusion per KDB 447498 D01

SAR Test Exclusion										
SAR Mode	Operating Band	Freqency [MHz]	Position	Tune-up Average Power [dBm]	Tune-up Average Power [mW]	Test Distance [mm]	Threshold Power [mW]	SAR Required	Estimated SAR (1-g) [W/kg]	Note
1-g	FDD2	1910	Front (Horizontal-Up)	25	316	5	11	Yes	31.7	1
1-g	FDD2	1910	Back (Horizontal-Down)	25	316	5	11	Yes	31.7	1
1-g	FDD2	1910	Left (Vertical-Front)	25	316	5	11	Yes	31.7	1
1-g	FDD2	1910	Right (Vertical-Back)	25	316	5	11	Yes	31.7	1
1-g	FDD12	707.5	Front (Horizontal-Up)	25	316	5	18	Yes	19.4	1
1-g	FDD12	707.5	Back (Horizontal-Down)	25	316	5	18	Yes	19.4	1
1-g	FDD12	707.5	Left (Vertical-Front)	25	316	5	18	Yes	19.4	1
1-g	FDD12	707.5	Right (Vertical-Back)	25	316	5	18	Yes	19.4	1
1-g	FDD66	1745	Front (Horizontal-Up)	25	316	5	11	Yes	30.5	1
1-g	FDD66	1745	Back (Horizontal-Down)	25	316	5	11	Yes	30.5	1
1-g	FDD66	1745	Left (Vertical-Front)	25	316	5	11	Yes	30.5	1
1-g	FDD66	1745	Right (Vertical-Back)	25	316	5	11	Yes	30.5	1

Notes
1: All surfaces and edges with a maximum power below the threshold power are excluded from SAR measurements; for all other surfaces or edges SAR measurements must be performed

7.1.5 General maximum output power based test exclusion per RSS-102

SAR Test Exclusion									
SAR Mode	Operating Band	Freqency [MHz]	Position	Tune-up Average Power [dBm]	Tune-up Average Power [mW]	Test Distance [mm]	Threshold Power [mW]	SAR Required	Note
1-g	FDD2	1910	Front (Horizontal-Up)	25.00	316.23	10	10.4	Yes	1
1-g	FDD2	1910	Back (Horizontal-Down)	25.00	316.23	10	10.4	Yes	1
1-g	FDD2	1910	Left (Vertical-Front)	25.00	316.23	6	7.8	Yes	1
1-g	FDD2	1910	Right (Vertical-Back)	25.00	316.23	19	31.2	Yes	1
1-g	FDD12	716	Front (Horizontal-Up)	25.00	316.23	10	38.8	Yes	1
1-g	FDD12	716	Back (Horizontal-Down)	25.00	316.23	10	43.6	Yes	1
1-g	FDD12	716	Left (Vertical-Front)	25.00	316.23	6	31.5	Yes	1
1-g	FDD12	716	Right (Vertical-Back)	25.00	316.23	19	68.5	Yes	1
1-g	FDD66	1745	Front (Horizontal-Up)	25.00	316.23	10	13.4	Yes	1
1-g	FDD66	1745	Back (Horizontal-Down)	25.00	316.23	10	12.8	Yes	1
1-g	FDD66	1745	Left (Vertical-Front)	25.00	316.23	6	9	Yes	1
1-g	FDD66	1745	Right (Vertical-Back)	25.00	316.23	19	33.6	Yes	1

Notes	
1:	All surfaces and edges with a maximum power below the threshold power are excluded from SAR measurements; for all other surfaces or edges SAR measurements must be performed
2:	Estimated SAR is calculated according to FCC KDB 447498 D01 from maximum conducted output power, operating frequency and test distance
3:	The values of the Test Distance were rounded.

7.1.6 Tissue simulating liquid validations

Tissue Validation									
Date	Tissue	Temp. [°C]	Frequency [MHz]	Liquid Parameter	Measured	Target	Delta [%]	Limit [%]	Note
2021-12-22	HSL-1800	22	1750	Relative Permittivity (ε_r)	38.186	40.079	-4.72	± 5	1
				Conductivity (σ)	1.327	1.371	-3.21	± 5	1
2021-12-22	HSL-1800	22	1720	Relative Permittivity (ε_r)	38.327	40.126	-4.48	± 5	1
				Conductivity (σ)	1.304	1.354	-3.67	± 5	1
2021-12-22	HSL-1800	22	1745	Relative Permittivity (ε_r)	38.226	40.087	-4.64	± 5	1
				Conductivity (σ)	1.331	1.368	-2.72	± 5	1
2021-12-22	HSL-1800	22	1770	Relative Permittivity (ε_r)	38.072	40.047	-4.93	± 5	1
				Conductivity (σ)	1.36	1.383	-1.64	± 5	1
2021-12-28	HSL-750	23	750	Relative Permittivity (ε_r)	41.707	41.942	-0.56	± 5	1
				Conductivity (σ)	0.906	0.893	1.41	± 5	1
2021-12-28	HSL-750	23	704	Relative Permittivity (ε_r)	42.535	42.181	0.84	± 5	1
				Conductivity (σ)	0.86	0.890	-3.35	± 5	1
2021-12-28	HSL-750	23	711	Relative Permittivity (ε_r)	42.272	42.144	0.30	± 5	1
				Conductivity (σ)	0.869	0.890	-2.40	± 5	1
2021-12-29	HSL-1900	22	1900	Relative Permittivity (ε_r)	40.756	40.000	1.89	± 5	1
				Conductivity (σ)	1.355	1.400	-3.21	± 5	1
2021-12-29	HSL-1900	22	1860	Relative Permittivity (ε_r)	40.708	40.000	1.77	± 5	1
				Conductivity (σ)	1.375	1.400	-1.79	± 5	1
2021-12-29	HSL-1900	22	1880	Relative Permittivity (ε_r)	40.576	40.000	1.44	± 5	1
				Conductivity (σ)	1.391	1.400	-0.64	± 5	1
2021-12-30	HSL-1800	22	1720	Relative Permittivity (ε_r)	38.429	40.126	-4.23	± 5	1
				Conductivity (σ)	1.39	1.354	2.68	± 5	1
2021-12-30	HSL-1800	22	1745	Relative Permittivity (ε_r)	38.323	40.087	-4.40	± 5	1
				Conductivity (σ)	1.423	1.368	4.01	± 5	1
2021-12-30	HSL-1800	22	1750	Relative Permittivity (ε_r)	38.233	40.079	-4.61	± 5	1
				Conductivity (σ)	1.43	1.371	4.30	± 5	1

Notes	
1:	Per KDB 865664 D01 the measured εr and σ of the tissue-equivalent medium used during probe calibration must be within 5% of the target parameters

7.1.7 System validations

System Validation													
Date	Dipole	Tissue	SAR	Freqency [MHz]	Power [mW]	Liquid Temp. [°C]	Power Drift [dB]	Measured SAR [W/kg]	Scaled 1W SAR [W/kg]	Target 1W SAR [W/kg]	Delta [%]	Limit [%]	Plot
2021-12-22	D1750V2	HSL-1800	1-g	1750	250	22	-0.11	9.54	38.16	36.40	4.6	± 10	
2021-12-28	D750V3	HSL-750	1-g	750	250	23	-0.16	2.19	8.76	8.22	6.2	± 10	1
2021-12-29	D1900V2	HSL-1900	1-g	1900	250	22	0.00	10.3	41.20	40.9	0.7	± 10	2
2021-12-30	D1750V2	HSL-1800	1-g	1750	250	22	0.05	10.1	40.40	36.40	9.9	± 10	3

Notes	
1:	Per KDB 865664 D01 the 1-g and 10-g SAR measured with a reference dipole, using the required tissue-equivalent medium at the test frequency, must be within 10% of the manufacturer calibrated dipole SAR target
2:	Per KDB 865664 D02 section 2.3 j) only the SAR system verification plots, with the largest deviation from the dipole or qualified source SAR target are to be reported for each dipole or qualified source
3:	Plots in *Annex E*

7.1.8 SAR measurements

SAR Measurements - Band: FDD2 - Bandwidth: 20 MHz													
Date	Configuration		Position	Dist. [mm]	Power / Duty cycle				SAR			Plot	Note
	Mode	Exposure Config.			Ch.	Freq. [MHz]	Meas. Power [dBm]	Tune-up Power [dBm]	Power Drift [dB]	Meas. SAR [W/kg]	Scaled SAR [W/kg]		
2021-12-29	Liquid Temperature [°C] = 22.0												
2021-12-29	QPSK RB1-50	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Up	5	18900	1880	24.18	25	-0.17	0.543	0.656	-	1
2021-12-29	QPSK RB1-50	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Down	5	18900	1880	24.18	25	-0.15	0.757	0.914	-	1
2021-12-29	QPSK RB1-50	Head (1-g)	Vertical-Front	5	18900	1880	24.18	25	-0.13	0.696	0.841	-	1
2021-12-29	QPSK RB1-50	Head (1-g)	Vertical-Back	5	18900	1880	24.18	25	0.20	0.326	0.394	-	1
2021-12-29	QPSK RB50-0	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Up	5	18900	1880	23.2	25	0.17	0.369	0.559	-	6
2021-12-29	QPSK RB50-0	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Down	5	18900	1880	23.2	25	0.11	0.705	1.067	-	6
2021-12-29	QPSK RB50-0	Head (1-g)	Vertical-Front	5	18900	1880	23.2	25	0.11	0.610	0.923	-	6
2021-12-29	QPSK RB50-0	Head (1-g)	Vertical-Back	5	18900	1880	23.2	25	-0.06	0.220	0.333	-	6
2021-12-29	QPSK RB1-50	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Down	5	18700	1860	23.99	25	0.10	0.657	0.829	-	3
2021-12-29	QPSK RB1-0	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Down	5	19100	1900	24.15	25	-0.06	0.732	0.890	-	3
2021-12-29	QPSK RB50-50	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Down	5	18700	1860	22.95	25	0.07	0.733	**1.175**	1	8
2021-12-29	QPSK RB50-0	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Down	5	19100	1900	22.93	25	-0.17	0.518	0.834	-	8

SAR Measurements - Band: FDD12 - Bandwidth: 10 MHz													
Date	Configuration		Position	Dist. [mm]	Power / Duty cycle				SAR			Plot	Note
	Mode	Exposure Config.			Ch.	Freq. [MHz]	Meas. Power [dBm]	Tune-up Power [dBm]	Power Drift [dB]	Meas. SAR [W/kg]	Scaled SAR [W/kg]		
2021-12-28	Liquid Temperature [°C] = 23.0												
2021-12-28	QPSK RB1-24	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Up	5	23060	704	24.13	25	-0.18	0.478	**0.579**	2	1
2021-12-28	QPSK RB1-24	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Down	5	23060	704	24.13	25	0.09	0.259	0.316	-	1
2021-12-28	QPSK RB1-24	Head (1-g)	Vertical-Front	5	23060	704	24.13	25	0.07	0.073	0.090	-	1
2021-12-28	QPSK RB1-24	Head (1-g)	Vertical-Back	5	23060	704	24.13	25	-0.05	0.213	0.260	-	1
2021-12-28	QPSK RB25-24	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Up	5	23130	711	23.09	25	0.08	0.339	0.526	-	6
2021-12-28	QPSK RB25-24	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Down	5	23130	711	23.09	25	0.17	0.185	0.287	-	6
2021-12-28	QPSK RB25-24	Head (1-g)	Vertical-Front	5	23130	711	23.09	25	-0.10	0.059	0.091	-	6
2021-12-28	QPSK RB25-24	Head (1-g)	Vertical-Back	5	23130	711	23.09	25	0.01	0.134	0.208	-	6

SAR Measurements - Band: FDD66 - Bandwidth: 20 MHz													
Date	Configuration		Position	Dist. [mm]	Power / Duty cycle				SAR			Plot	Note
	Mode	Exposure Config.			Ch.	Freq. [MHz]	Meas. Power [dBm]	Tune-up Power [dBm]	Power Drift [dB]	Meas. SAR [W/kg]	Scaled SAR [W/kg]		
2021-12-22	Liquid Temperature [°C] = 22.0												
2021-12-22	QPSK RB1-50	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Up	5	1132322	1745	24.18	25	-0.01	0.945	1.280	-	1
2021-12-22	QPSK RB1-50	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Down	5	1132322	1745	24.18	25	-0.20	0.805	1.280	-	1
2021-12-22	QPSK RB1-50	Head (1-g)	Vertical-Front	5	1132322	1745	24.18	25	-0.05	0.099	0.745	-	1
2021-12-22	QPSK RB1-50	Head (1-g)	Vertical-Back	5	1132322	1745	24.18	25	0.16	0.499	0.145	-	1
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2021-12-22	QPSK RB50-50	Head (1-g)	Vertical-Front	5	1132322	1745	23.24	25	-0.14	0.099	0.148	-	6
2021-12-22	QPSK RB50-50	Head (1-g)	Vertical-Back	5	1132322	1745	23.24	25	-0.20	0.499	0.748	-	6
2021-12-23	QPSK RB1-50	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Up	5	1132072	1720	24.14	25	-0.14	1.110	**1.353**	3	3
2021-12-23	QPSK RB1-50	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Down	5	1132072	1720	24.14	25	-0.20	0.834	1.017	-	3
2021-12-23	QPSK RB1-50	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Up	5	1132572	1770	23.97	25	-0.02	0.982	1.245	-	3
2021-12-23	QPSK RB1-50	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Down	5	1132572	1770	23.97	25	-0.13	0.784	0.994	-	3
2021-12-23	QPSK RB50-0	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Up	5	1132072	1720	23.20	25	-0.17	0.685	1.037	-	8
2021-12-23	QPSK RB50-0	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Down	5	1132072	1720	23.20	25	-0.07	0.677	1.025	-	8
2021-12-23	QPSK RB50-0	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Up	5	1132572	1770	23.06	25	-0.06	0.836	1.307	-	8
2021-12-23	QPSK RB50-0	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Down	5	1132572	1770	23.06	25	0.07	0.673	1.052	-	8

Notes	
A:	Measured SAR values are scaled to the maximum tune-up power specified for transmission mode
B:	The power drift must be ≤ ± 5 % or ≤ ± 0.2 dB
C:	Order of Resource Block configuration (RB:x1,x2) in column Mode: x1 = Number of RB, x2 = RB offset
D:	Per KDB 865664 D02 section 2.3 h) SAR plot is required for the highest measured SAR in each exposure configuration, wireless mode and frequency band combination. Plots are also required when the measured SAR is > 1.5 W/kg, or > 7.0 W/kg for occupational exposure
E:	Plots in *Annex D*

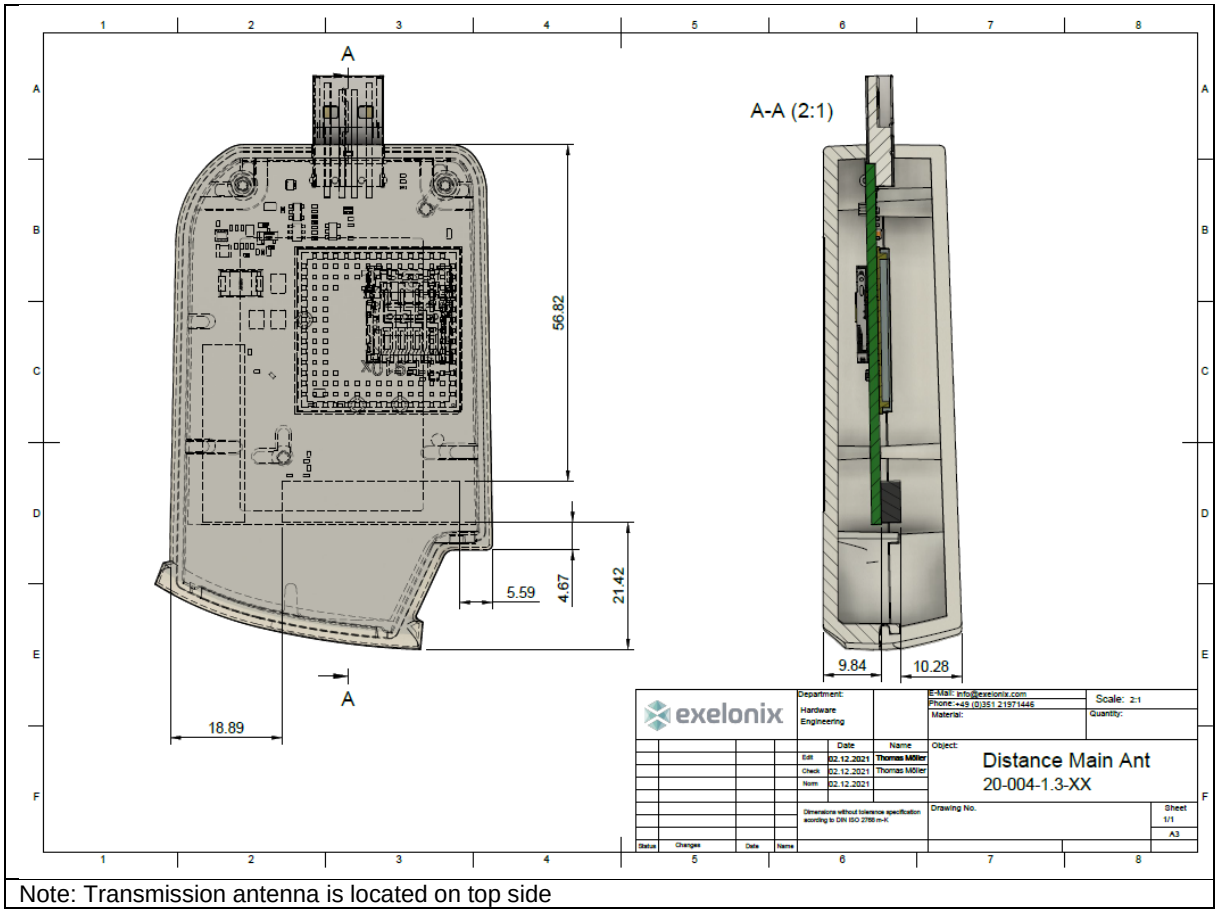
LTE Test Selection and Reduction Notes	
1:	Initial test channel for largest bandwidth 1 RB QPSK configuration with highest output power
2:	Reported SAR of initial 1 RB QPSK test channel ≤ 0.8 W/kg, testing of the remaining RB offset configurations and required test channels is not required for 1 RB QPSK allocation
3:	Reported SAR of initial 1 RB QPSK test channel > 0.8 W/kg, SAR is required for the remaining required 1 RB QPSK test channels and only for the RB offset configuration with the highest output power for that channel
4:	Reported SAR of all required 1 RB QPSK test channels ≤ 1.45 W/kg, SAR is not required for all three 1 RB QPSK offset configurations for that required test channel
5:	Reported SAR of required 1 RB QPSK test channel > 1.45 W/kg, SAR is required for all three 1 RB QPSK offset configurations for that required test channel
6:	Initial test channel for largest bandwidth 50 % RB QPSK configuration with highest output power
7:	Reported SAR of initial 50 % RB QPSK test channel ≤ 0.8 W/kg, testing of the remaining RB offset configurations and required test channels is not required for 50 % RB QPSK allocation
8:	Reported SAR of initial 50 % RB QPSK test channel > 0.8 W/kg, SAR is required for the remaining required 50 % RB QPSK test channels and only for the RB offset configuration with the highest output power for that channel
9:	Reported SAR of all required 50 % RB QPSK test channels ≤ 1.45 W/kg, SAR is not required for all three 50 % RB QPSK offset configurations for that required test channel
10:	Reported SAR of required 50 % RB QPSK test channel > 1.45 W/kg, SAR is required for all three 50 % RB QPSK offset configurations for that required test channel
11:	SAR is not required when the highest maximum output power for 100 % RB allocation is less than the highest maximum output power in 50 % and 1 RB allocations, and the highest reported SAR for 1 RB and 50 % RB allocation are ≤ 0.8 W/kg
12:	SAR testing for the highest output power channel with 100 % RB allocation is required because highest maximum output power for 100 % RB allocation is higher than the highest maximum output power in 50 % and 1 RB allocations
13:	SAR testing for the highest output power channel with 100 % RB allocation is required because the highest reported SAR of any 1 RB and 50 % RB allocation is > 0.8 W/kg
14:	SAR testing for remaining required channels with 100 % RB allocation is required because reported SAR for highest output power channel with 100 % RB allocation is > 1.45 W/kg
15:	SAR testing for remaining required channels with 100 % RB allocation is not required because reported SAR for highest output power channel with 100 % RB allocation is ≤ 1.45 W/kg
16:	SAR testing for the higher order modulations is not required because the highest output power for higher order modulation is not > 1/2 dB higher than the same configuration in QPSK
17:	SAR testing for required test channel according to notes 1 to 14 of higher order modulation is required because the highest output power for higher order modulation configuration is > 1/2 dB higher than the same configuration in QPSK
18:	SAR testing for other channel bandwidth is not required because the highest maximum output power of a configuration requiring testing according to notes 1 to 16 in the smaller channel bandwidth is not > 1/2 dB higher than the equivalent channel configurations in the largest channel bandwidth configuration and the reported SAR of a configuration for the largest channel bandwidth is ≤ 1.45 W/kg
19:	SAR testing for required test channel according to notes 1 to 16 of other channel bandwidth is required because the highest maximum output power of a configuration requiring testing in the smaller channel bandwidth is > 1/2 dB higher than the equivalent channel configurations in the largest channel bandwidth configuration
20:	SAR testing for required test channel according to notes 1 to 16 of other channel bandwidth is required because the reported SAR of a configuration for the largest channel bandwidth is > 1.45 W/kg

7.1.9 SAR repeatability

SAR Repeatability												
Date	Ant.	Exposure Configuration	Position	Mode	Dist. [mm]	Ch.	Frequency [MHz]	SAR [W/kg]		Largest to smallest Ratio	Plot	Note
								Original	Repeated			
2021-12-30	Liquid Temperature [°C] = 23.0											
2021-12-30	LTE	Head (1-g)	Horizontal-Up	FDD 66 QPSK BW20 RB50-50	5	1132322	1745	1.110	1.060	1.047	4	2

Notes	
1:	Repeated measurement is not required when the original highest measured SAR is < 0.80 W/kg
2:	When the original highest measured SAR is ≥ 0.80 W/kg, repeat that measurement once
3:	Perform a second repeated measurement only if the ratio of largest to smallest SAR for the original and first repeated measurements is > 1.20 or when the original or repeated measurement is ≥ 1.45 W/kg
4:	Perform a third repeated measurement only if the original, first or second repeated measurement is ≥ 1.5 W/kg and the ratio of largest to smallest SAR for the original, first and second repeated measurements is > 1.20

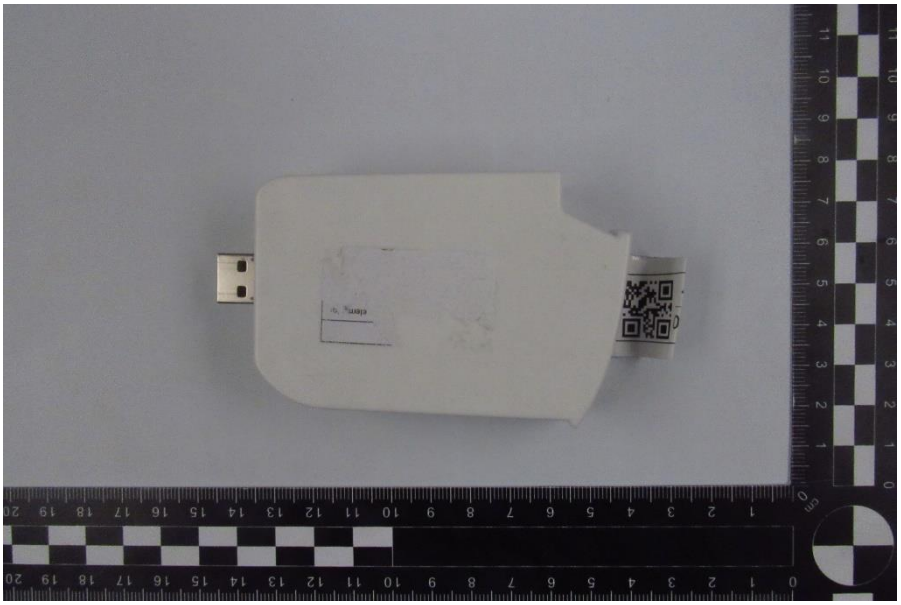
ANNEX A Antenna Dimensions and Separation Distances



Note: Transmission antenna is located on top side

ANNEX B EUT Photos

EUT front side

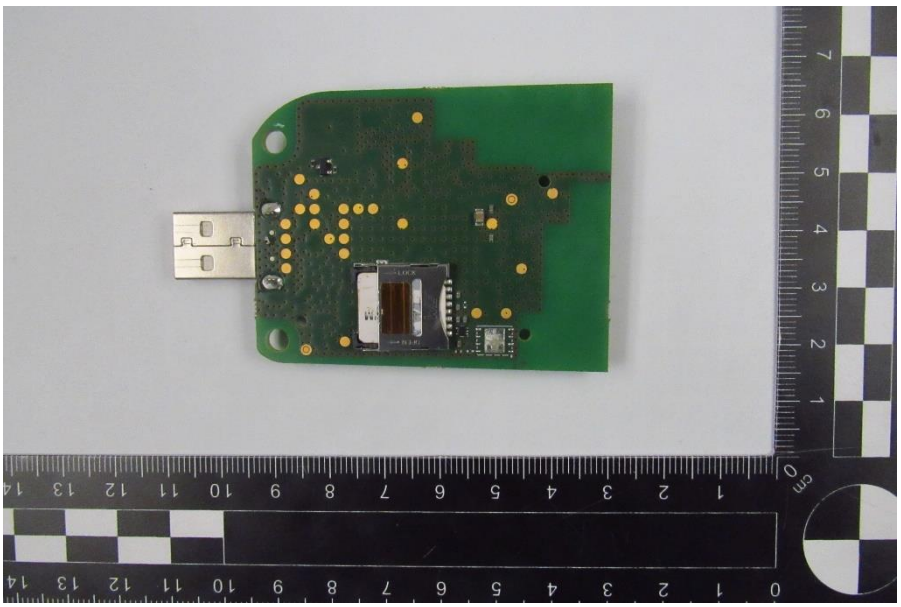

EUT back side


EUT left side

EUT right side

EUT bottom side


EUT top side


PCB front side


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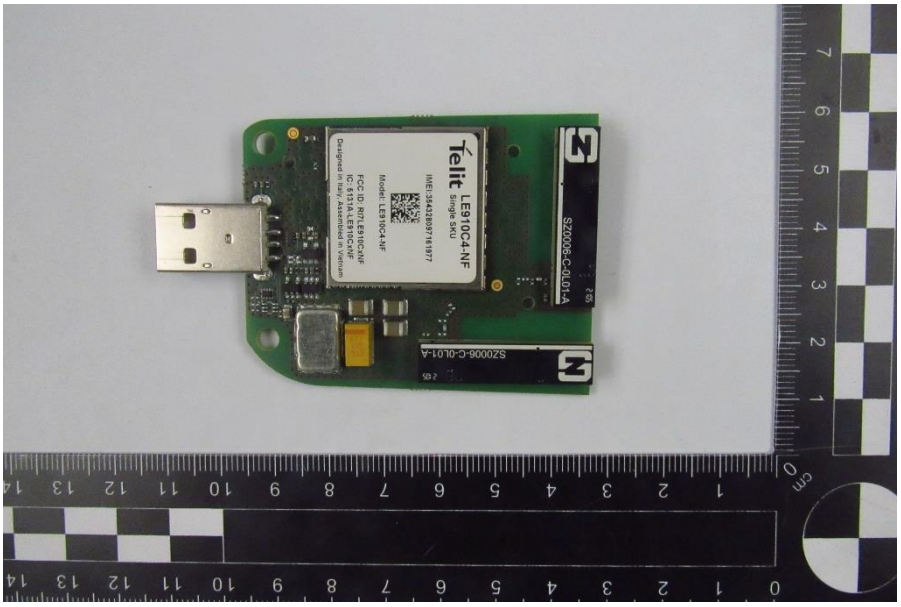
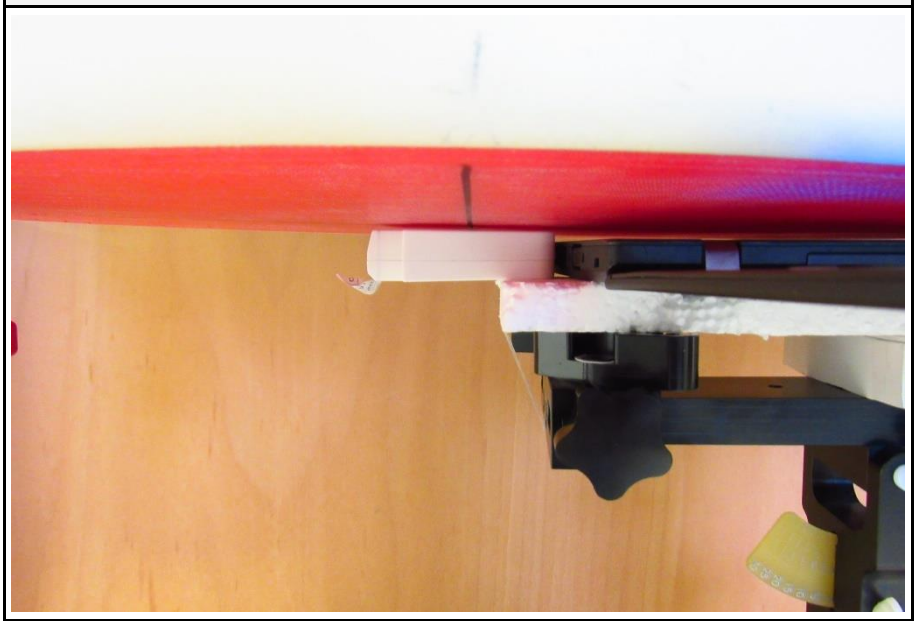
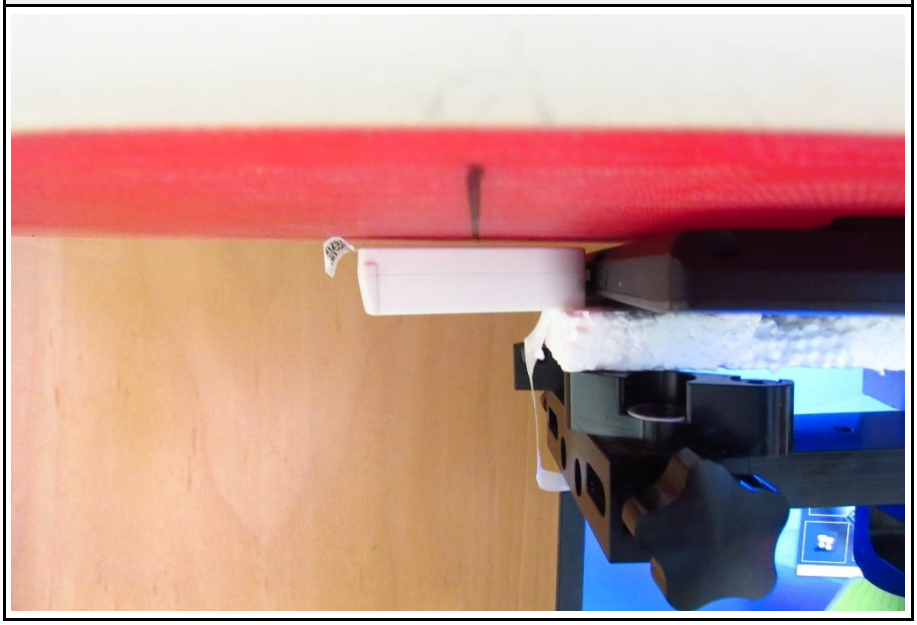


ANNEX C SAR Setup Photos

5 mm separation distance to phantom - Horizontal-down


5 mm separation distance to phantom - Horizontal-up


5 mm separation distance to phantom - Vertical Front


5 mm separation distance to phantom - Vertical Back


ANNEX D SAR Results

Test Laboratory: Eurofins Product Service GmbH

LTE-FDD2 CH18700 QPSK BW 20 RB 50 RBoffset 50 - horizontal-down 5 mm - 2021-12-29

DUT: USB Connect 4G - NF; Type: USB dongle; Serial: 354328097161977

Communication System: UID 0, LTE FDD 2 (0); Frequency: 1860 MHz;Duty Cycle: 1:1
Medium parameters used: f = 1860 MHz; σ = 1.356 S/m; ε_r = 40.755; ρ = 1000 kg/m^3
Phantom section: Flat Section

DASY5 Configuration:

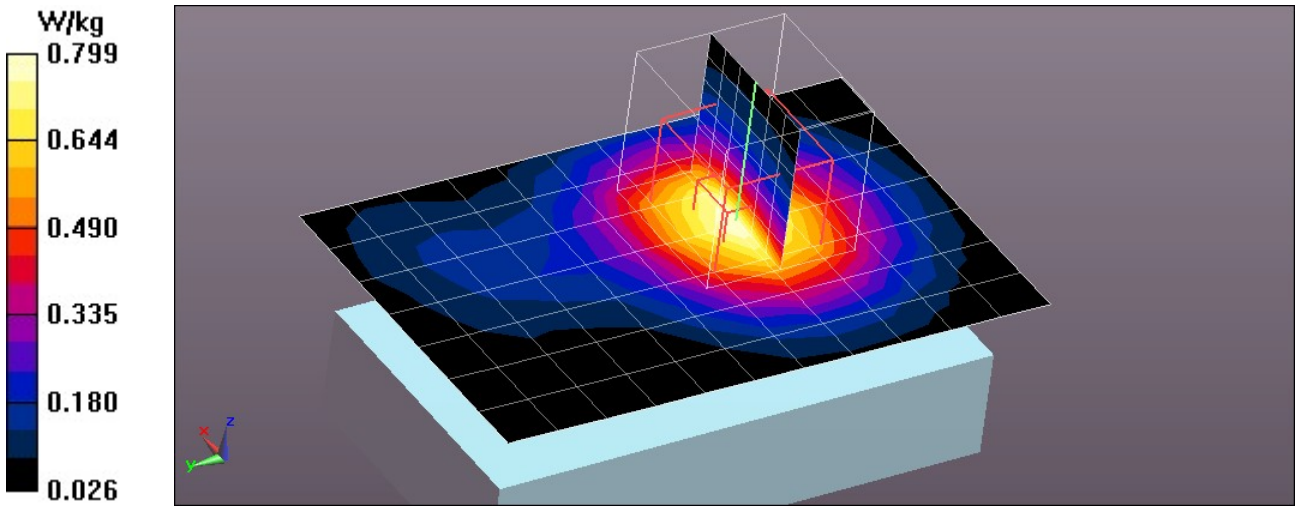
- Probe: EX3DV4 - SN3893; ConvF(8.93, 8.93, 8.93) @ 1860 MHz; Calibrated: 20.10.2021
- Sensor-Surface: 4mm (Mechanical Surface Detection)
- Electronics: DAE3 Sn522; Calibrated: 14.10.2021
- Phantom: ELI v4.0; Type: QDOVA001BB;
- Measurement SW: DASY52, Version 52.10 (2);

Configuration/USB Connect 4G - NF/Area Scan (8x12x1):

Measurement grid: dx=10mm, dy=10mm
Maximum value of SAR (measured) = 0.802 W/kg

Configuration/USB Connect 4G - NF/Zoom Scan (7x7x7)/Cube 0:

Measurement grid: dx=5mm, dy=5mm, dz=5mm
Reference Value = 17.60 V/m; Power Drift = 0.07 dB
Peak SAR (extrapolated) = 1.16 W/kg
SAR(1 g) = 0.733 W/kg; SAR(10 g) = 0.440 W/kg
Maximum value of SAR (measured) = 0.799 W/kg



Test Laboratory: Eurofins Product Service GmbH

LTE-FDD12 CH23060 QPSK BW 10 RB 1 RBoffset 24 - horizontal-up 5 mm - 2021-12-28

DUT: USB Connect 4G - NF; Type: USB dongle; Serial: 354328097161977

Communication System: UID 0, LTE FDD 12 (0); Frequency: 704 MHz;Duty Cycle: 1:1
Medium parameters used: f = 704 MHz; σ = 0.861 S/m; ε_r = 42.535; ρ = 1000 kg/m^3
Phantom section: Flat Section

DASY5 Configuration:

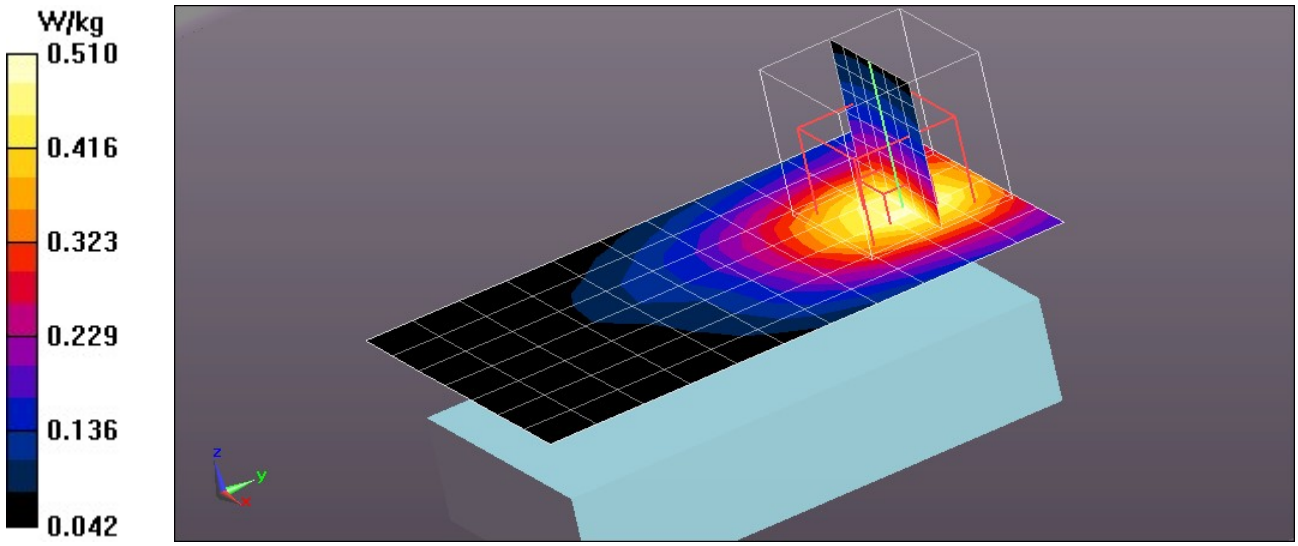
- Probe: EX3DV4 - SN3893; ConvF(10.54, 10.54, 10.54) @ 704 MHz; Calibrated: 20.10.2021
- Sensor-Surface: 4mm (Mechanical Surface Detection)
- Electronics: DAE3 Sn522; Calibrated: 14.10.2021
- Phantom: ELI v4.0; Type: QDOVA001BB;
- Measurement SW: DASY52, Version 52.10 (2);

Configuration/USB Connect 4G - NF/Area Scan (8x12x1):

Measurement grid: dx=10mm, dy=10mm
Maximum value of SAR (measured) = 0.488 W/kg

Configuration/USB Connect 4G - NF/Zoom Scan (7x7x7)/Cube 0:

Measurement grid: dx=5mm, dy=5mm, dz=5mm
Reference Value = 12.92 V/m; Power Drift = -0.18 dB
Peak SAR (extrapolated) = 0.712 W/kg
SAR(1 g) = 0.474 W/kg; SAR(10 g) = 0.317 W/kg
Maximum value of SAR (measured) = 0.510 W/kg



Test Laboratory: Eurofins Product Service GmbH

LTE-FDD66 CH132072 QPSK BW 20 RB 1 RBoffset 50 - horizontal-up 5 mm - 2021-12-23

DUT: USB Connect 4G - NF; Type: USB dongle; Serial: 354328097161977

Communication System: UID 0, LTE FDD 66 (0); Frequency: 1745 MHz;Duty Cycle: 1:1
Medium parameters used: f = 1745 MHz; σ = 1.332 S/m; ε_r = 38.226; ρ = 1000 kg/m^3
Phantom section: Flat Section

DASY5 Configuration:

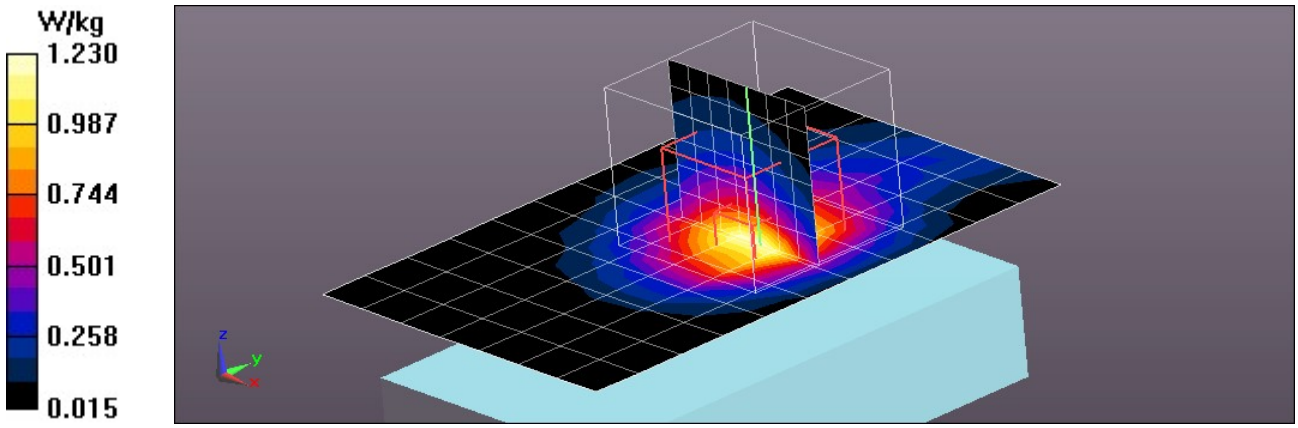
- Probe: EX3DV4 - SN3893; ConvF(9.08, 9.08, 9.08) @ 1745 MHz; Calibrated: 20.10.2021
- Sensor-Surface: 4mm (Mechanical Surface Detection)
- Electronics: DAE3 Sn522; Calibrated: 14.10.2021
- Phantom: ELI v4.0; Type: QDOVA001BB;
- Measurement SW: DASY52, Version 52.10 (2);

Configuration/USB Connect 4G - NF/Area Scan (8x12x1):

Measurement grid: dx=10mm, dy=10mm
Maximum value of SAR (measured) = 1.13 W/kg

Configuration/USB Connect 4G - NF/Zoom Scan (8x8x7)/Cube 0:

Measurement grid: dx=5mm, dy=5mm, dz=5mm
Reference Value = 24.76 V/m; Power Drift = -0.14 dB
Peak SAR (extrapolated) = 1.90 W/kg
SAR(1 g) = 1.11 W/kg; SAR(10 g) = 0.626 W/kg
Maximum value of SAR (measured) = 1.23 W/kg



Test Laboratory: Eurofins Product Service GmbH

LTE-FDD66 CH132072 QPSK BW 20 RB 1 RBoffset 50 - horizontal-up 5 mm - 2021-12-30 variability

DUT: USB Connect 4G - NF; Type: USB dongle; Serial: 354328097161977

Communication System: UID 0, LTE FDD 66 (0); Frequency: 1720 MHz;Duty Cycle: 1:1
Medium parameters used: f = 1720 MHz; σ = 1.39 S/m; ε_r = 38.429; ρ = 1000 kg/m^3
Phantom section: Flat Section

DASY5 Configuration:

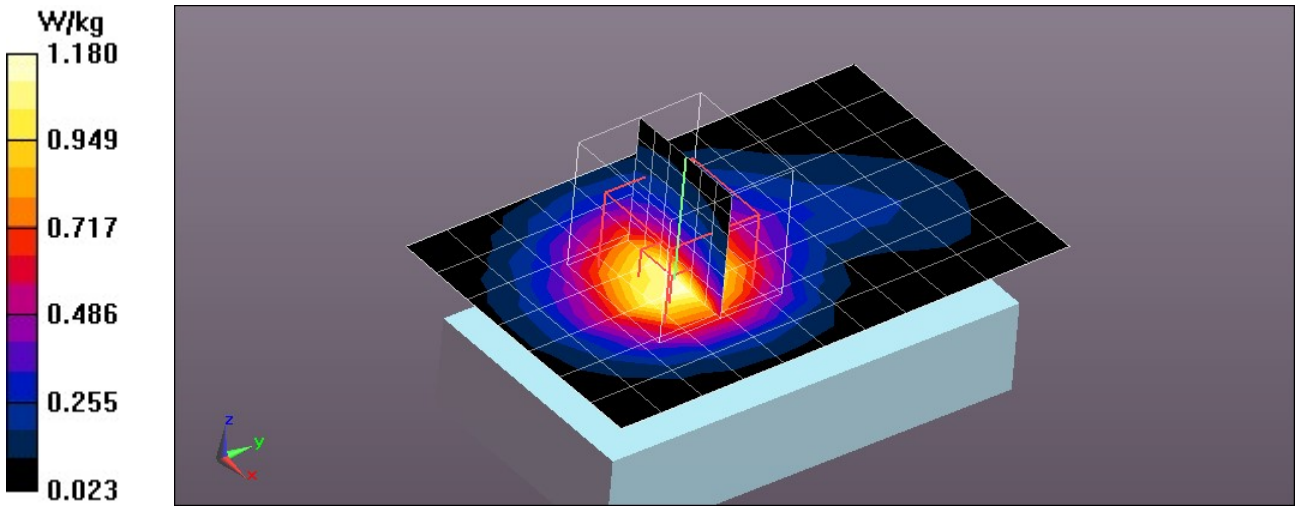
- Probe: EX3DV4 - SN3893; ConvF(9.08, 9.08, 9.08) @ 1720 MHz; Calibrated: 20.10.2021
- Sensor-Surface: 4mm (Mechanical Surface Detection)
- Electronics: DAE3 Sn522; Calibrated: 14.10.2021
- Phantom: ELI v4.0; Type: QDOVA001BB;
- Measurement SW: DASY52, Version 52.10 (2);

Configuration/USB Connect 4G - NF/Area Scan (8x12x1):

Measurement grid: dx=10mm, dy=10mm
Maximum value of SAR (measured) = 1.20 W/kg

Configuration/USB Connect 4G - NF/Zoom Scan (7x7x7)/Cube 0:

Measurement grid: dx=5mm, dy=5mm, dz=5mm
Reference Value = 20.07 V/m; Power Drift = 0.11 dB
Peak SAR (extrapolated) = 1.77 W/kg
SAR(1 g) = 1.06 W/kg; SAR(10 g) = 0.611 W/kg
Maximum value of SAR (measured) = 1.18 W/kg



ANNEX E System Validation Results

Test Laboratory: Eurofins Product Service GmbH

Dipol Valid.750 (m)_250mW ELI4 - 2021-12-28

DUT: Dipole 750 MHz D750V3; Type: D750V3; Serial: D750V3 - SN:1125

Communication System: UID 0, CW (0); Frequency: 750 MHz;Duty Cycle: 1:1
Medium parameters used: f = 750 MHz; σ = 0.906 S/m; ε_r = 41.707; ρ = 1000 kg/m^3
Phantom section: Flat Section

DASY5 Configuration:

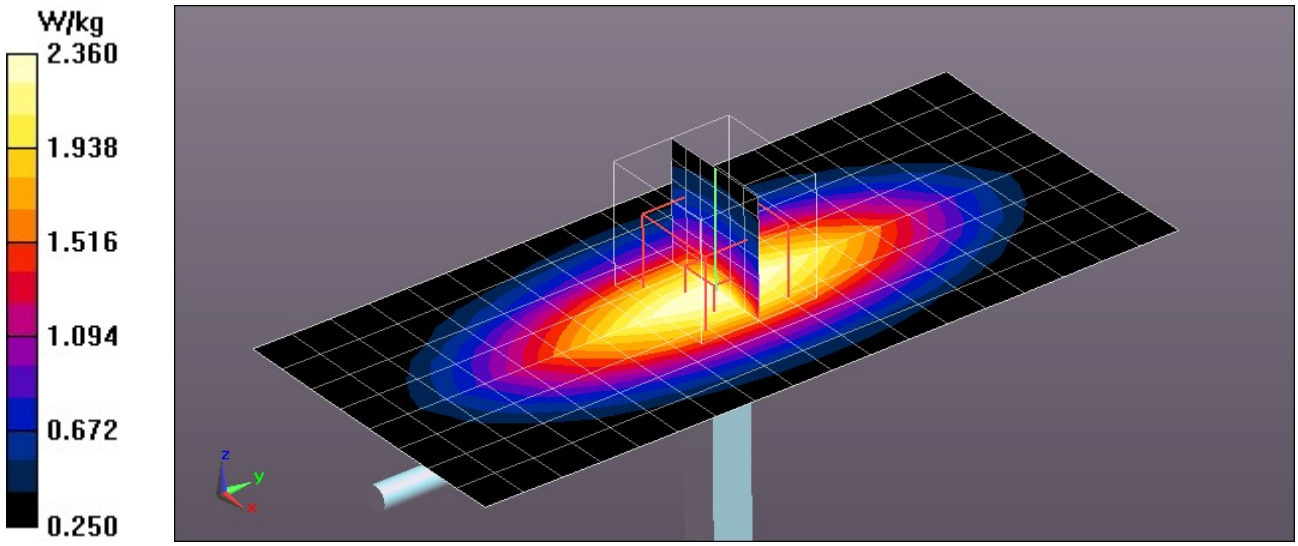
- Probe: EX3DV4 - SN3893; ConvF(10.54, 10.54, 10.54) @ 750 MHz; Calibrated: 20.10.2021
- Sensor-Surface: 4mm (Mechanical Surface Detection)
- Electronics: DAE3 Sn522; Calibrated: 14.10.2021
- Phantom: ELI v4.0; Type: QDOVA001BB;
- Measurement SW: DASY52, Version 52.10 (2);

System Performance Check at Frequencies above 1 GHz/d=10mm, Pin=250 mW, dist=4.0mm (EX-Probe)/Area Scan (9x19x1): Measurement grid: dx=10mm, dy=10mm

Maximum value of SAR (measured) = 2.45 W/kg

System Performance Check at Frequencies above 1 GHz/d=10mm, Pin=250 mW, dist=4.0mm (EX-Probe)/Zoom Scan (7x7x7) (7x7x7)/Cube 0:

Measurement grid: dx=5mm, dy=5mm, dz=5mm
Reference Value = 52.14 V/m; Power Drift = -0.16 dB
Peak SAR (extrapolated) = 3.25 W/kg
SAR(1 g) = 2.19 W/kg; SAR(10 g) = 1.46 W/kg
Maximum value of SAR (measured) = 2.36 W/kg



Test Laboratory: Eurofins Product Service GmbH

Dipol Valid.1900 (m)_250mW ELI4_2021-12-29

DUT: Dipole 1900 MHz; Type: D1900V2; Serial: 5d025

Communication System: UID 0, CW; Frequency: 1900 MHz;Duty Cycle: 1:1
Medium parameters used: f = 1900 MHz; σ = 1.391 S/m; ε_r = 40.576; ρ = 1000 kg/m^3
Phantom section: Flat Section

DASY5 Configuration:

- Probe: EX3DV4 - SN3893; ConvF(8.93, 8.93, 8.93) @ 1900 MHz; Calibrated: 20.10.2021
- Sensor-Surface: 4mm (Mechanical Surface Detection)
- Electronics: DAE3 Sn522; Calibrated: 14.10.2021
- Phantom: ELI v4.0; Type: QDOVA001BB; Serial: TP: 1013
- Measurement SW: DASY52, Version 52.10 (2); SEMCAD X Version 14.6.12 (7470)

System Performance Check at Frequencies above 1 GHz/d=10mm, Pin=250 mW, dist=4.0mm

(EX-Probe)/Area Scan (11x10x1): Measurement grid: dx=10mm, dy=10mm
Maximum value of SAR (measured) = 11.4 W/kg

System Performance Check at Frequencies above 1 GHz/d=10mm, Pin=250 mW, dist=4.0mm

(EX-Probe)/Zoom Scan (7x7x7) (7x7x7)/Cube 0: Measurement grid: dx=5mm, dy=5mm, dz=5mm
Reference Value = 82.47 V/m; Power Drift = 0.00 dB
Peak SAR (extrapolated) = 18.7 W/kg
SAR(1 g) = 10.3 W/kg; SAR(10 g) = 5.5 W/kg
Maximum value of SAR (measured) = 11.6 W/kg