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PART 2 : RF Exposure Compliance Test Report

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Test Site: HCT CO., LTD.

FCC ID:

A3LSMX808U

Equipment Type:

Portable Tablet

Application Type:

Class II permissive change

FCC Rule Part(s):

CFR §2.1093

Model name:

SM-X808U

Date of Test:

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Results:

Pass

I attest to the accuracy of data. All measurements reported herein were performed by me or were made under my supervision and are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I assume full responsibility for the completeness of these measurements and vouch for the qualifications of all persons taking them.

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REVISION HISTORY

The revision history for this test report is shown in table.

Revision No.	Date of Issue	Description
0	Jan.27, 2022	Initial Release

This test results were applied only to the test methods required by the standard.

The above Test Report is not related to the accredited test result by (KS Q) ISO/IEC 17025 and KOLAS(Korea Laboratory Accreditation Scheme), which signed the ILAC-MRA.

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1. RF Exposure Limits

1.1 RF Exposure Limits for Frequencies < 6 GHz

HUMAN EXPOSURE	UNCONTROLLED ENVIRONMENT General Population (W/kg) or (mW/g)	CONTROLLED ENVIRONMENT Occupational (W/kg) or (mW/g)
SPATIAL PEAK SAR * (Partial Body)	1.6	8.0
SPATIAL AVERAGE SAR ** (Whole Body)	0.08	0.4
SPATIAL PEAK SAR *** (Hands / Feet / Ankle / Wrist)	4.0	20.0

NOTES:

* The Spatial Peak value of the SAR averaged over any 1 g of tissue (defined as a tissue volume in the shape of a cube) and over the appropriate averaging time.

** The Spatial Average value of the SAR averaged over the whole-body.

*** The Spatial Peak value of the SAR averaged over any 10 g of tissue (defined as a tissue volume in the shape of a cube) and over the appropriate averaging time.

Uncontrolled Environments are defined as locations where there is the exposure of individuals who have no knowledge or control of their exposure. The general population/uncontrolled exposure limits are applicable to situations in which the general public may be exposed or in which persons who are exposed as a consequence of their employment may not be made fully aware of the potential for exposure or cannot exercise control over their exposure. Members of the general public would come under this category when exposure is not employment-related; for example, in the case of a wireless transmitter that exposes persons in its vicinity.

Controlled Environments are defined as locations where there is exposure that may be incurred by persons who are aware of the potential for exposure, (i.e. as a result of employment or occupation). In general, occupational/controlled exposure limits are applicable to situations in which persons are exposed as a consequence of their employment, who have been made fully aware of the potential for exposure and can exercise control over their exposure. This exposure category is also applicable when the exposure is of a transient nature due to incidental passage through a location where the exposure levels may be higher than the general population/uncontrolled limits, but the exposed person is fully aware of the potential for exposure and can exercise control over his or her exposure by leaving the area or by some other appropriate means.

1.2 RF Exposure Limits for Frequencies > 6 GHz

Per §1.1310 (d)(3), the MPE limits are applied for frequencies above 6 GHz. Power Density is expressed in units of W/m^2 or mW/cm^2 .

Peak Spatially Averaged Power Density was evaluated over a circular area of 4 cm^2 per interim FCC Guidance for near-field power density evaluations per October 2018 TCB Workshop notes

Frequency range (MHz)	Power density (mW/cm^2)	Averaging time (minutes)
(A) Limits for Occupational/Controlled Exposure		
1,500-100,000	5	6
(B) Limits for General Population/Uncontrolled Exposure		
1,500-100,000	1	30

Note: 1.0 mW/cm^2 is 10 W/m^2

1.3 Interim Guidance for Time Averaging

Per October 2018 TCB Workshop Notes, the below time-averaging windows can be used for assessing time-averaged exposures for devices that are capable of actively monitoring and adjusting power output over time to comply with exposure limits.

Interim Guidance	Frequency (GHz)	Maximum Averaging Time (sec)
SAR	< 3	100
	3 – 6	60
MPE	6 - 10	30
	10 - 16	14
	16 – 24	8
	24 – 42	4
	42 – 95	2

2. Test Location

2.1 Test Laboratory

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2.2 Test Facilities

Our laboratories are accredited and approved by the following approval agencies according to ISO/IEC 17025.

Korea	National Radio Research Agency (Designation No. KR0032)
	KOLAS (Testing No. KT197)

3. Information of the DUT

3.1 DUT Specification overview

Model Name	SM-X808U
Equipment Type	Tablet
FCC ID	A3LSMX808U
Application Type	Class II Permissive Change
Applicant	SAMSUNG Electronics Co., Ltd.

Band & Mode	Operating Mode	Tx Frequency
UMTS Band 5	Data	826.4 MHz~ 846.6 MHz
UMTS Band 4	Data	1 712.4 MHz~ 1 752.6 MHz
UMTS Band 2	Data	1 852.4 MHz~ 1 907.6 MHz
LTE Band 2	Data	1 850.7 MHz~ 1 909.3 MHz
LTE Band 4	Data	1 710.7 MHz~ 1 754.3 MHz
LTE Band 5 (Cell)	Data	824.7 MHz~ 848.3 MHz
LTE Band 7	Data	2 502.5 MHz~ 2 567.5 MHz
LTE Band 12	Data	699.7 MHz~ 715.3 MHz
LTE Band 13	Data	779.5 MHz~ 784.5 MHz
LTE Band 14	Data	790.5 MHz ~ 795.5 MHz
LTE Band 25	Data	1 850.7 MHz~ 1 914.3 MHz
LTE Band 26	Data	814.7 MHz~ 848.3 MHz
LTE TDD Band 41	Data	2 498.5 MHz ~ 2 687.5 MHz
LTE Band 30	Data	2 307.5 MHz ~ 2 312.5 MHz
LTE Band 66 (AWS)	Data	1 710.7 MHz ~ 1 779.3 MHz
LTE Band 71	Data	665.5 MHz~ 695.5 MHz
NR Band 2	Data	1 852.5 MHz~ 1 907.5 MHz
NR Band 5	Data	826.5 MHz~ 846.5 MHz
NR Band 25	Data	1 852.5 MHz ~ 1912.5 MHz
NR Band 30	Data	2 307.5 MHz ~ 2 312.5 MHz
NR Band 41	Data	2 506.02 MHz~ 2 679.99 MHz
NR Band 66	Data	1 712.5 MHz~ 1 777.5 MHz
NR Band 71	Data	665.5 MHz - 695.5 MHz
NR Band 77 DoD	Data	3 460.02 MHz~ 3 540 MHz
NR Band 77	Data	3 710.10 MHz~ 3 969.99 MHz
NR Band n260	Data	37000 MHz~ 40000 MHz
NR Band n261	Data	27500 MHz~ 28350 MHz
2.4 GHz WLAN	Data	2 412 MHz~ 2 462 MHz
U-NII-1	Data	5 180 MHz~ 5 240 MHz
U-NII-2A	Data	5 260 MHz~ 5 320 MHz
U-NII-2C	Data	5 500 MHz~ 5 720 MHz
U-NII-3	Data	5 745 MHz~ 5 825 MHz
U-NII-4	Data	5 845 MHz~ 5 885 MHz
U-NII-5	Data	5 935 MHz~ 6 415 MHz
U-NII-6	Data	6 435 MHz~ 6 525 MHz
U-NII-7	Data	6 535 MHz~ 6 875 MHz
U-NII-8	Data	6 895 MHz~ 7 115 MHz
Bluetooth	Data	2 402 MHz ~ 2 480 MHz
S-PEN	Data	530 kHz
Device Serial Numbers	Mode	Serial Number
	4G/5G Sub 6 NR	R52RC04WDMJ
	The manufacturer has confirmed that the devices tested have the same physical, mechanical and thermal characteristics are within operational tolerances expected for production units.	

Only operations relevant to this permissive change LTE B14/LTE B30 and n30 for Main 1 Ant and LTE B30 for Sub 1 Ant with EN-DC configuration were evaluated for compliance. Please See original compliance evaluation in Part2: RF Exposure Report NO: HCT-SR-2111-FC006.for complete evaluation of these operation modes.

3.2 Time-Averaging Algorithm for RF Exposure Compliance

The device is enabled with Qualcomm® Smart Transmit feature.

This feature performs time averaging algorithm in real time to control and manage transmitting power and ensure the time-averaged RF exposure is in compliance with FCC requirements all the time. DUT contains embedded file system (EFS) version 16 configured for the second generation (GEN 2) for sub 6 and for the first generation (GEN 1) for mmWave.

The Smart Transmit algorithm maintains the time-averaged transmit power, in turn, time-averaged RF exposure of SAR_design_target for sub 6 radio or PD_design_target for 5G mmW NR, below the predefined time averaged power limit for each characterized technology and band. Smart Transmit allows the device to transmit at higher power instantaneously, as high as Pmax, when needed, but enforces power limiting to maintain time-averaged transmit power to Plimit for frequencies < 6 GHz and input.power.limit for frequencies > 6 GHz.

Note that the device uncertainty for sub 6 GHz WWAN is 1.0 dB for this DUT, the device uncertainty for mmW is 2.1 dB, and the reserve power margin is 3 dB.

This purpose of the Part 2 report is to demonstrate the DUT complies with FCC RF exposure requirement under Tx varying transmission scenarios, thereby validity of Qualcomm® Smart Transmit feature implementation in this device.

It serves to compliment the Part 0 and Part 1 Test Reports to justify compliance per FCC.

■ Regulatory body configuration:

Based on regulatory requirement for each countries/regions, FCC time window/limits and/or ICNIRP 1998 time window/limits can be selected and/or combined. Additionally, Time-Averaged Exposure mode or Peak Exposure mode can be selected based on MCC for Smart Transmit to operate. In Time-Averaged Exposure mode, the wireless device can instantaneously transmit at high transmit powers and exceed the Plimit for a short duration before limiting the power to maintain the time-averaged transmit power under the Plimit; while in Peak Exposure mode, the maximum instantaneous transmit power is limited to Plimit. Depending on EFS version, regulatory body configuration is different.

■ force peak for Tx transmitting frequency

The Smart Transmit feature applies time-averaging windows when the device detects an MCC that matches Time-Averaged Exposure MCCs list. For each of the MCCs under Time-Averaged Exposure MCCs list, the Smart Transmit feature can limit either maximum peak power or maximum time-average power to Plimit per tech/band/antenna/DSI. If force peak is set to '1' for a given tech/band/antenna/DSI in the EFS, then the Smart Transmit feature limits the maximum Tx power to Plimit for the selected tech/band/antenna/DSI. In other words, with force peak set to '1', under static condition (i.e., fixed tech/band/antenna/DSI) and in single active Tx scenario, Smart Transmit can guarantee Tx power level of Plimit at all times.

The EFS Version of DUT is EFS ver.16

This device was tested in part 2 of Tx Varying transmission (Time-Averaged Exposure mode) testing using US MCC (310). and MCC '1' was used to test the peak exposure mode.

All Part 2 tests of this device were conducted according to the guidelines of the Qualcomm document 80-W2112-5 Rev. R

■ Test case reduction for multiple filings

Per the Guidance of the FCC and Qualcomm (Document No: 80-W2112-5 Rev. R, Sec.4.2.2, Appendix K) For multiple filings with same chipset, the test case reduction proposal for Part 2 testing is:

1. Full set of tests in the first filing, i.e., both power measurement and RF exposure measurement, are required.
2. For all subsequent filings with the same chipset, only power measurement (scenarios (a) – (h)) is required. In the case of scenario (a) time-varying Tx transmission test, only one band (instead of two bands) per technology is sufficient

Measurement Plot Summary Table

Test Case#	Test Scenario	Tech	Band	Antenna	DSI	Channel	Frequency	Conducted Plot No.
1	Time-varying Tx. power transmission (Conducted Power, SAR)	LTE	B30	Main1	1	27710	2310	1
2		Sub6 NR	n30	Main1	1	462000	2310	2
3	SAR1 vs SAR2	LTE	B12	Main1	1	23095	707.5	3
		Sub6 NR	n30	Main1	1	462000	2310	

Only operations relevant to this permissive change LTE B14/LTE B30 and n30 for Main 1 Ant and LTE B30 for Sub 1 Ant with EN-DC configuration were evaluated for compliance. Please See original compliance evaluation in Part2:RF Exposure Report NO: HCT-SR-2111-FC006.for complete evaluation of these operation modes.

4. WWAN (sub-6)transmission

The *Plimit* values, corresponding to 1.0 W/kg (1gSAR) and 2.5 W/kg (10gSAR) of *SAR design target*, for technologies and bands supported by EUT are derived in Part 0 report and summarized in Table 4-1. Note all *Plimit* power levels entered in Table 4-1 correspond to average power levels after accounting for duty cycle in the case of TDD modulation schemes (for e.g., GSM, LTE TDD & Sub6 NR TDD).

Table 4-1: *Plimit* for supported technologies and bands (*Plimit* in EFS file)

SAR Exposure Configurations			Plimt (all values are time averaged)		Pmax		
			Body SAR Grip Off	Body SAR Grip ON	Burst Average Power [dBm]	Frame Averaged Power [dBm]	UL:DL Ratio
Test Configuration			Max Power	Reduced Power			
Averaging volume			1g	1g			
DSI			0	1			
Mode	Band	Antenna	Plimt		Pmax		
UMTS	5	Main 1	23.5	16.0	23.5	FDD	100%
UMTS	4	Main 1	23.5	13.0	23.5	FDD	100%
UMTS	2	Main 1	23.5	13.0	23.5	FDD	100%
LTE FDD	2	Main 1	24.0	13.0	24.0	FDD	100%
LTE FDD	4	Main 1	24.0	13.0	24.0	FDD	100%
LTE FDD	5	Main 1	24.0	16.0	24.0	FDD	100%
LTE FDD	7	Main 1	21.5	10.5	21.5	FDD	100%
LTE FDD	12	Main 1	24.0	14.0	24.0	FDD	100%
LTE FDD	13	Main 1	24.0	14.0	24.0	FDD	100%
LTE FDD	14	Main 1	24.0	14.0	24.0	FDD	100%
LTE FDD	25	Main 1	24.0	13.0	24.0	FDD	100%
LTE FDD	26	Main 1	24.0	14.0	24.0	FDD	100%
LTE FDD	30	Main 1	22.0	10.5	22.0	FDD	100%
LTE FDD	66	Main 1	24.0	13.0	24.0	FDD	100%
LTE FDD	71	Main 1	24.0	14.0	24.0	FDD	100%
LTE TDD PC3	41	Main 1	22.0	11.0	24.0	22.0	63.3%
LTE TDD PC2	41	Main 1	22.9	11.0	26.5	22.9	43.3%
LTE FDD With FR1 ENDC	2	Sub 1	24.0	13.5	24.0	FDD	100%
LTE FDD With FR1 ENDC	30	Sub 1	22.0	10.5	22.0	FDD	100%
LTE FDD With FR1 ENDC	66	Sub 1	24.0	13.5	24.0	FDD	100%
LTE FDD With FR1 ENDC	7	Sub 1	21.5	13.0	21.5	FDD	100%
NR FDD	2	Main 1	24.0	13.5	24.0	FDD	100%
NR FDD	5	Main 1	24.0	16.0	24.0	FDD	100%
NR FDD	25	Main 1	24.0	13.5	24.0	FDD	100%
NR FDD	30	Main 1	22.0	12.0	22.0	FDD	100%
NR FDD	66	Main 1	24.0	13.5	24.0	FDD	100%
NR TDD	71	Main 1	24.0	14.0	24.0	FDD	100%
NR TDD (PC3)	77	Main 3	18.5	8.0	24.5	18.5	25%
NR TDD (PC2)	77	Main 3	20.5	8.0	26.5	20.5	25%
NR TDD (PC3)	41	Main 1	18.0	8.0	24.0	18.0	25%
NR TDD (PC2)	41	Main 1	20.5	8.0	26.5	20.5	25%

* Maximum tune up target power, *Pmax*, is configured in NV settings in EUT to limit maximum transmitting power. This power is converted into peak power in NV settings for TDD schemes. The EUT maximum allowed output power is equal to *Pmax* + 1dB device uncertainty.

Table 4-2: Radio configurations selected for Part 2 test

Test Case #	Test Scenario	Tech	Band	Antenna	DSI	Channel	Frequency [MHz]	RB/RB Offset/Bandwidth (MHz)	Mode	SAR Exposure Scenario	Part 1 Worst Case Measured SAR at Plimit (W/kg)
1	Time-varying Tx power transmission	LTE	B30	Main1	1	27710	2310	1/24/10 MHz BW	QPSK	Grip On, Top, 0mm	0.711
2		Sub6 NR	n30	Main1	1	462000	2310	1/1/10 MHz BW	QPSK	Grip On, Top, 0mm	0.964
3	SAR1 vs SAR2	LTE	B12	Main1	1	23095	707.5	25/24/10 MHz BW	QPSK	Grip On, Top, 0mm	0.468
		Sub6 NR	n30	Main1	1	462000	2310	1/1/10 MHz BW	QPSK	Grip On, Top, 0mm	0.964

Note

1. the EUT has a proximity sensor to manage Body SAR exposure at 0 mm, which is represented using DSI = 1. the maximum 1g SAR among all remaining exposure scenarios or the minimum *Plimit* among all remaining exposure scenarios is used in Smart Transmit feature for time averaging operation

1. Antenna switch test case was not included in the test plan selection since the DUT does not support any SA transmission on any additional antennas.

Based on the selection criteria described in Section 4.2, the radio configurations for the Tx varying transmission test cases listed in Section 6 are:

1. Technologies and bands for time-varying Tx power transmission: The test case 1~2 listed in Table 4-2 are selected to test with the test sequences defined in Section 4.1 in both time-varying conducted power measurement and time-varying SAR measurement.

2. Technologies and bands for switch in SAR exposure: Based on selection criteria in Section 4.2, test case in Table 7-2 is selected for SAR exposure switching test in one of the supported simultaneous WWAN transmission scenario, i.e., LTE + Sub6 NR active in the same 100s time window, in conducted power setup.

5. Time-varying Tx power measurement for below 6GHz frequency

5.1 P_{limit} and P_{max} measurement Results

The measured P_{limit} for all the selected radio configurations given in Table 4-2 are listed in below Table 5-1. P_{max} was also measured for radio configurations selected for testing time-varying Txpower transmission scenarios in order to generate test sequences following the test procedures in Section 5.1.

Test Case #	Test Scenario	Tech	Band	Antenna	DSI	Channel	Frequency [MHz]	RB/RB Offset/Bandwidth (MHz)	Mode	SAR Exposure Scenario	P_{limit} EFS Setting[dBm]	Tune Up Target Power P_{max} [dBm]	Measured P_{limit} [dBm]	Measured P_{max} [dBm]	Part 1 Worst Case Measured SAR at P_{limit} (W/kg)
1	Time-varying Tx power transmission	LTE	B30	Main1	1	27710	2310	1/24/10 MHz BW	QPSK	Grip on, Top, 0mm	10.5	22	10.71	21.7	0.711
2		Sub6 NR	n30	Main1	1	462000	2310	1/1/10 MHz BW	QPSK	Grip on, Top, 0mm	12	22	12.14	22.54	0.964
3	SAR1 vs SAR2	LTE	B12	Main1	1	23095	707.5	25/24/10 MHz BW	QPSK	Grip on, Top, 0mm	14	24	14.2	24.51	0.468
		Sub6 NR	n30	Main1	1	462000	2310	1/1/10 MHz BW	QPSK	Grip on, Top, 0mm	12	22	12.14	22.54	0.964

Table 5-1: Measured P_{limit} and P_{max} of selected radio configuration

Note:

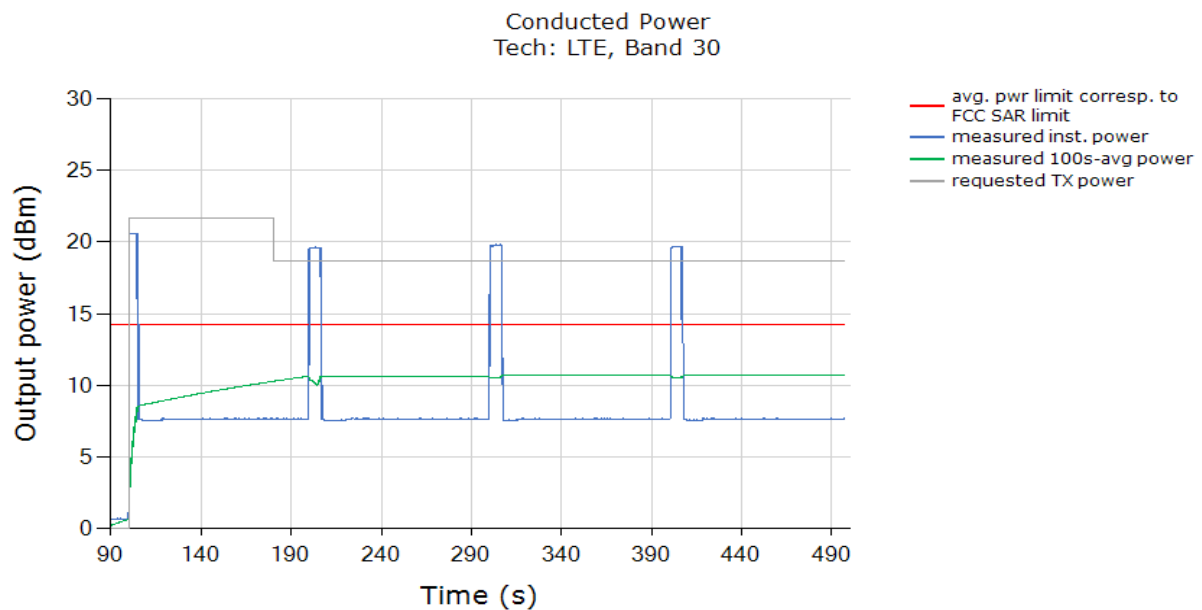
- The device uncertainty of P_{max} is +1dB/-1.5dB as provided by manufacturer.

5.2 Time-varying Tx power measurement results

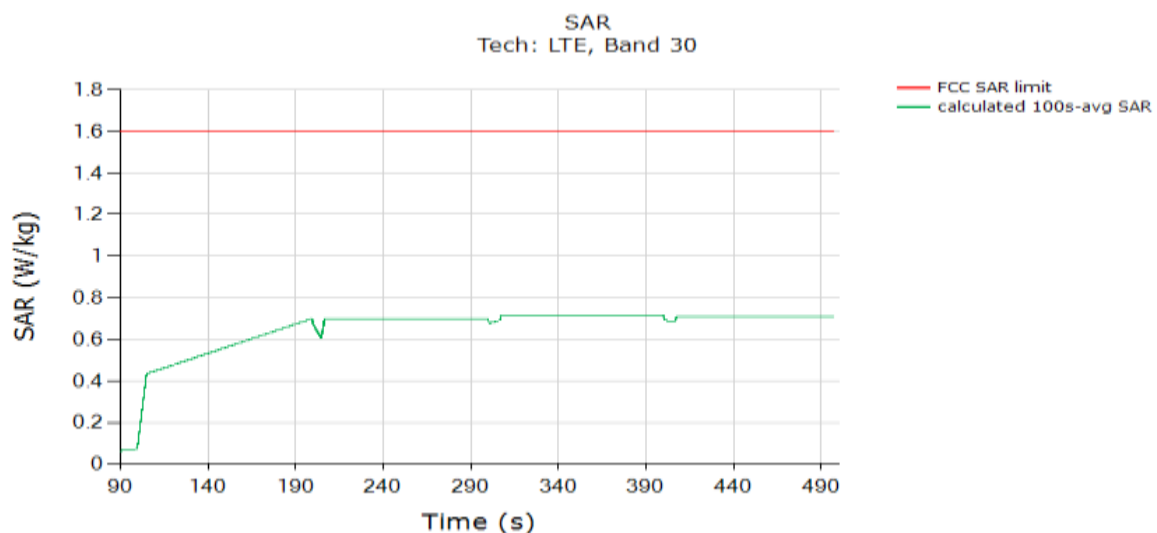
5.2.1 LTE Band 30 (test case 1 in Table 4-2)

Conducted Plot No. 1

Test result for test sequence 1:

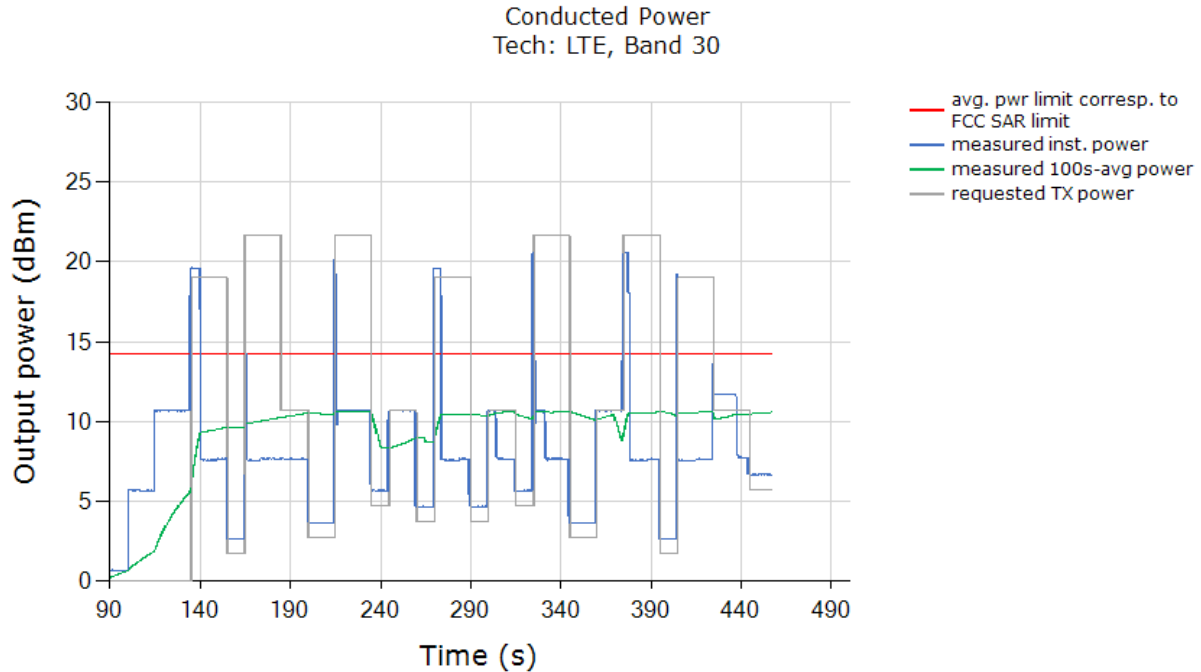


Above time-averaged conducted Tx power is converted/calculated into time-averaged 1gSAR using Equation (1a) and plotted below to demonstrate that the time-averaged 1gSAR versus time does not exceed the FCC limit of 1.6 W/kg for 1gSAR:

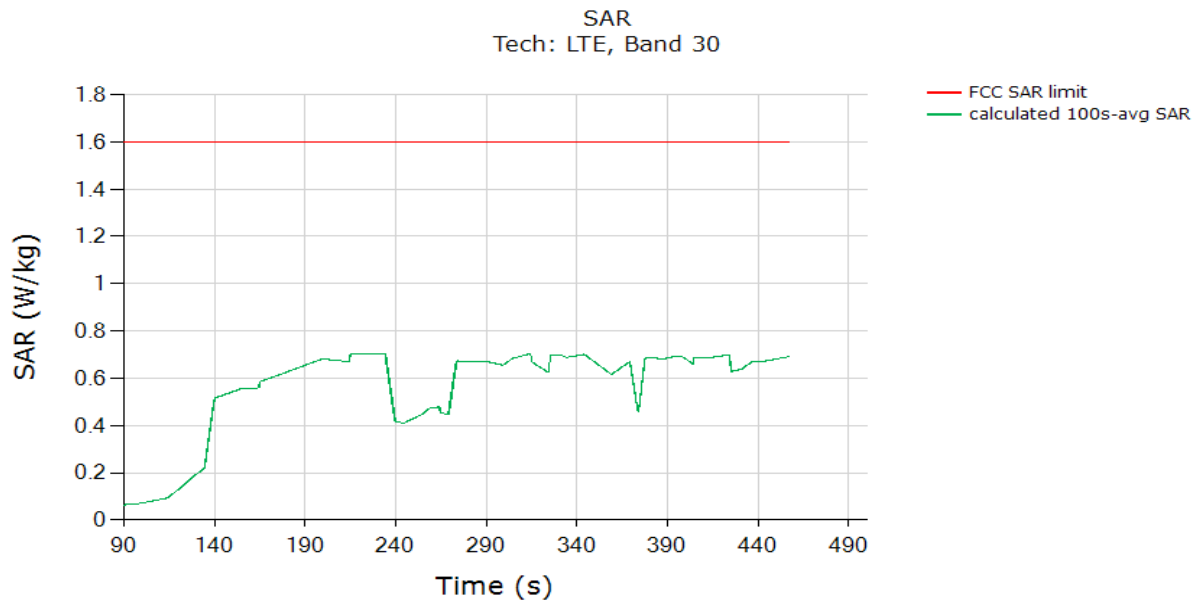


FCC 1g SAR Limit [W/kg]	1.6 W/kg
Max 100s-time averaged 1gSAR (green curve)	0.714 W/kg
Validated: Max time averaged SAR (green curve) is within 1dB device uncertainty of measured SAR at P_{limit} (last column in Table 4-2).	

Test result for test sequence 2:



Above time-averaged conducted Tx power is converted/calculated into time-averaged 1gSAR using Equation and plotted below to demonstrate that the time-averaged 1gSAR versus time does not exceed the FCC limit of 1.6 W/kg for 1gSAR:

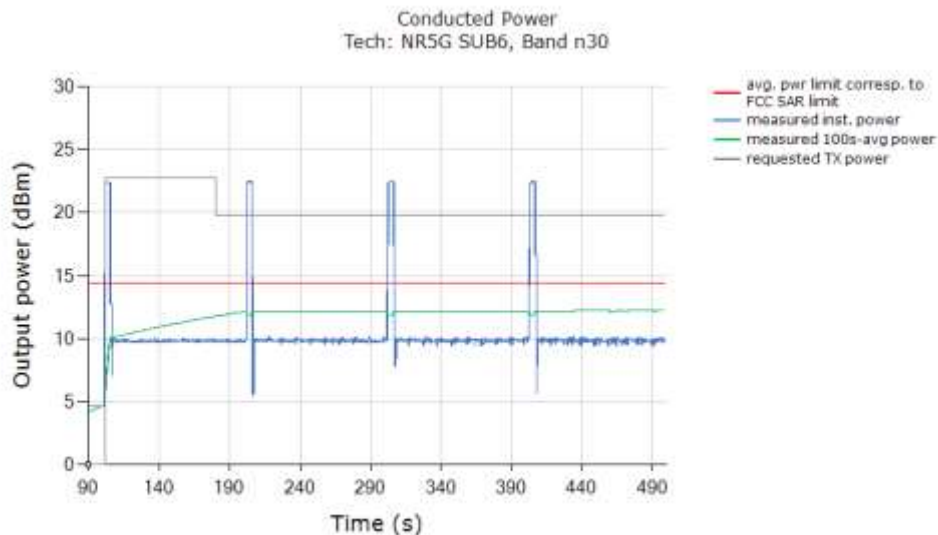


FCC 1g SAR Limit [W/kg]	1.6 W/kg
Max 100s-time averaged 1gSAR (green curve)	0.703W/kg
Validated: Max time averaged SAR (green curve) is within 1dB device uncertainty of measured SAR at P_{limit} (last column in Table 7-2).	

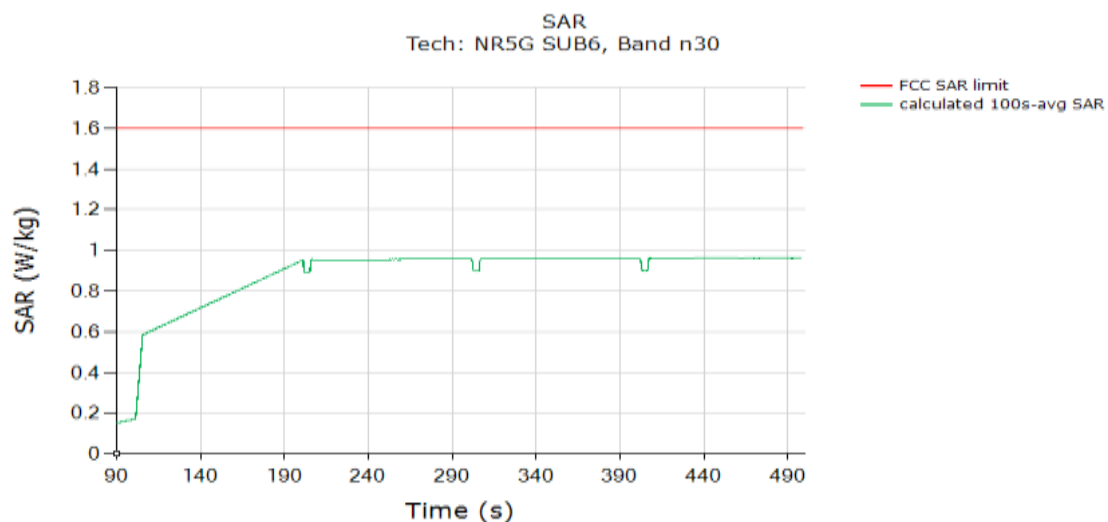
5.2.2.Sub6 NR n30 (test case 2 in Table 4-2)

Conducted Plot No. 2

Test result for test sequence 1

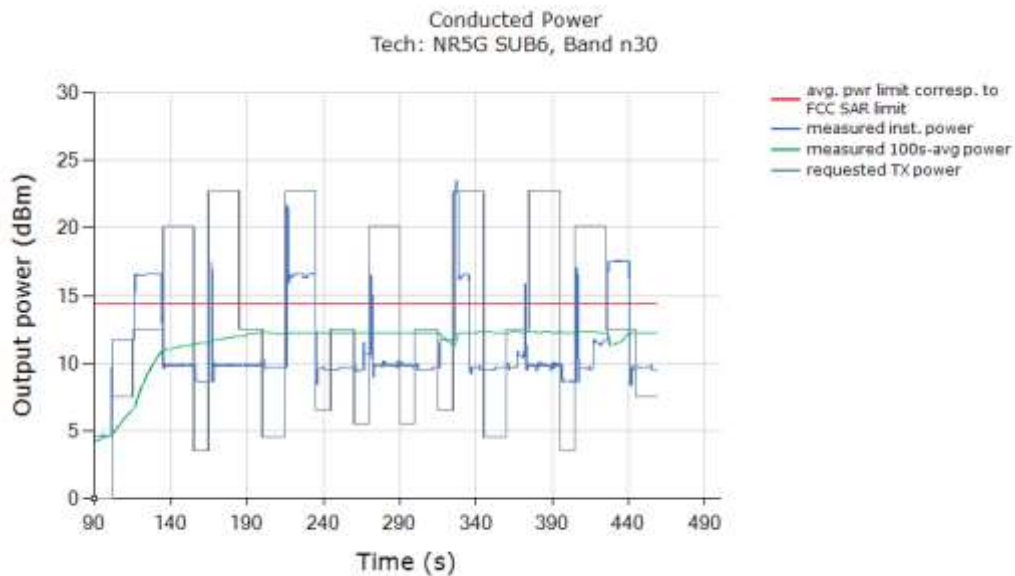


Above time-averaged conducted Tx power is converted/calculated into time-averaged 1gSAR using Equation and plotted below to demonstrate that the time-averaged 1gSAR versus time does not exceed the FCC limit of 1.6 W/kg for 1gSAR:

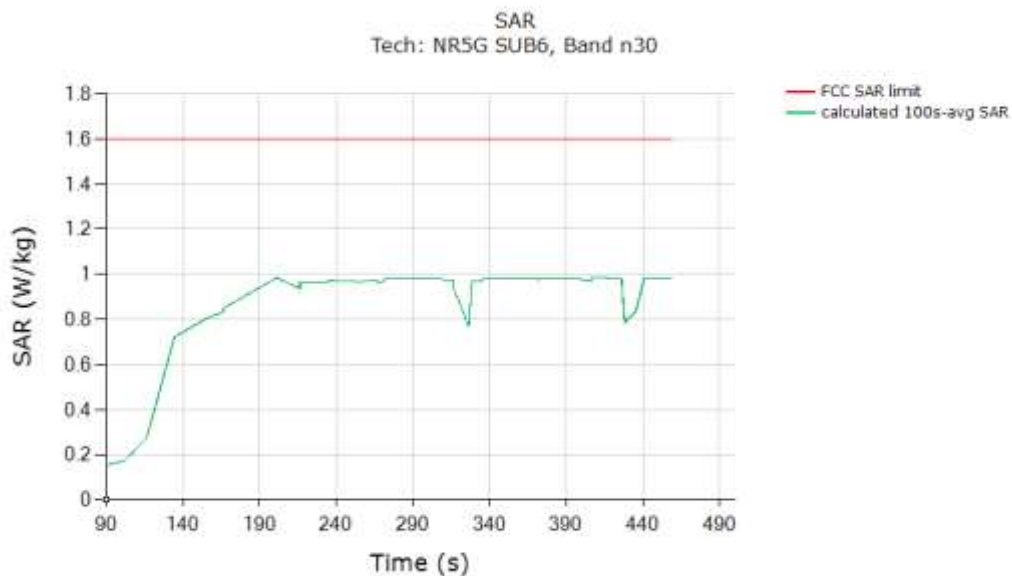


FCC 1g SAR Limit [W/kg]	1.6 W/kg
Max 100s-time averaged 1g SAR (green curve)	0.962W/kg
Validated: Max time averaged SAR (green curve) is within 1dB device uncertainty of measured SAR at P_{limit} (last column in Table 4-2).	

Test result for test sequence 2:



Above time-averaged conducted Tx power is converted/calculated into time-averaged 1gSAR using Equation and plotted below to demonstrate that the time-averaged 1gSAR versus time does not exceed the FCC limit of 1.6 W/kg for 1gSAR:



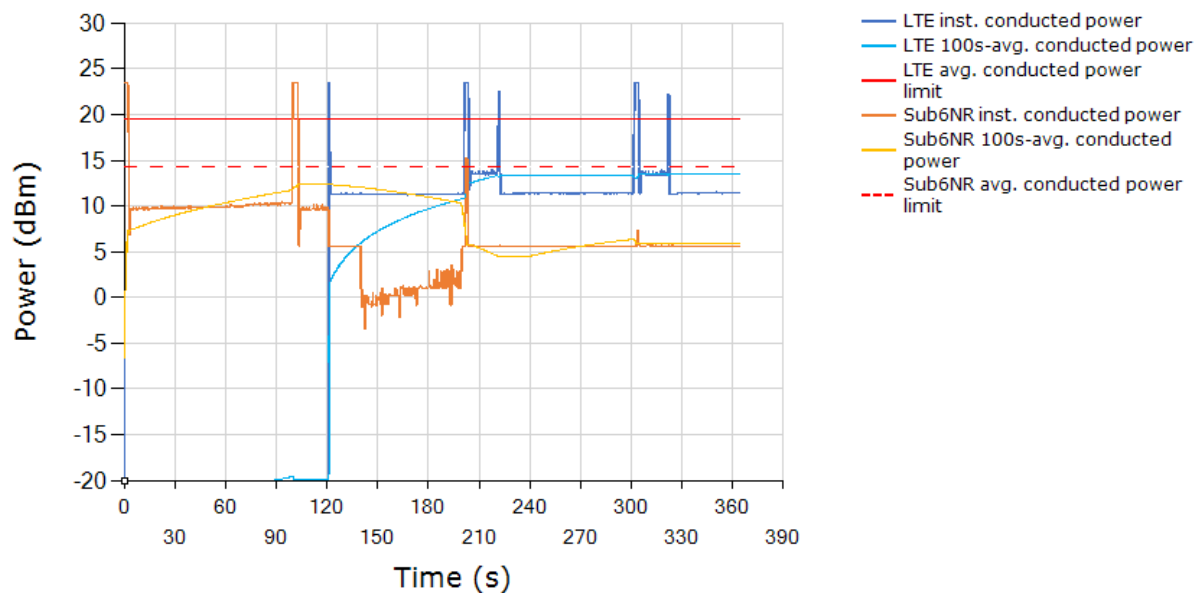
FCC 1g SAR Limit [W/kg]	1.6 W/kg
Max 100s-time averaged 1gSAR (green curve)	0.984W/kg
Validated: Max time averaged SAR (green curve) is within 1dB device uncertainty of measured SAR at P_{limit} (last column in Table 4-2).	

5.3 Switch in SAR exposure test results (test case 3 in Table 4-2)

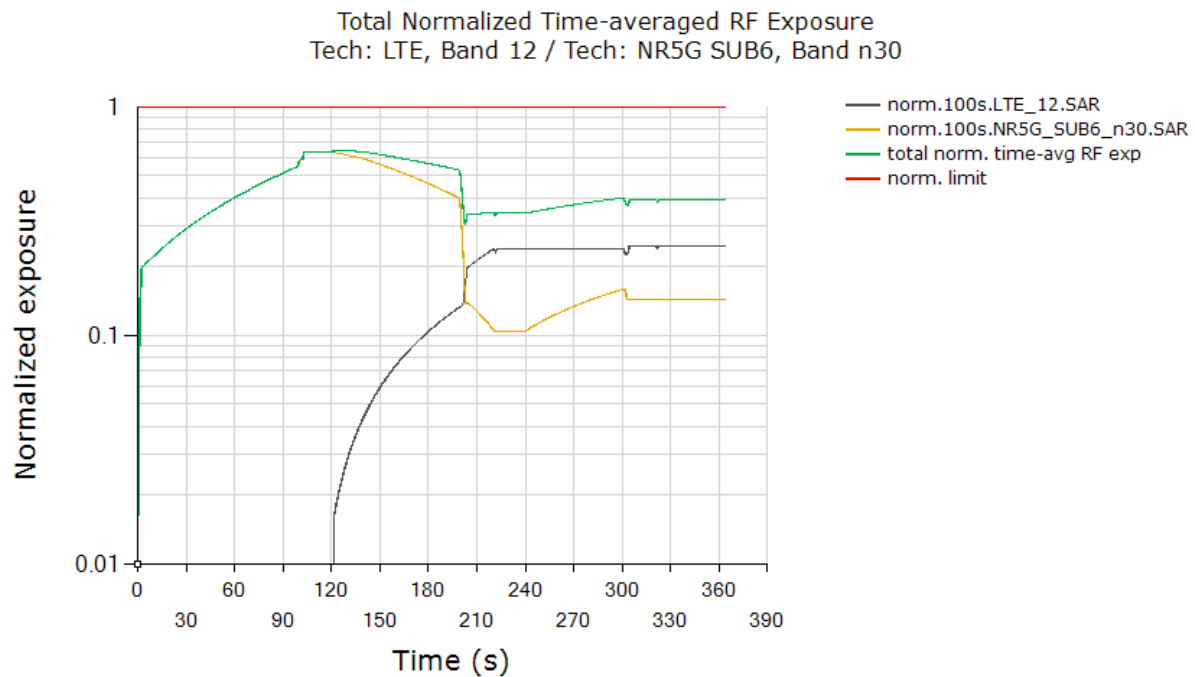
This test was conducted with callbox requesting maximum power, and with the EUT in LTE B12 + Sub6 NR Band n30 call. Here, LTE B12, DSI = 1 (100s window, EFS P_{limit} = 14.0dBm, P_{max} = 24.0dBm, measured P_{limit} = 14.20dBm), and Sub6 NR Band n30, DSI = 1 (100s window, P_{limit} = 12.0dBm in EFS setting, EUT's average P_{max} = 22.0dBm, measured P_{limit} = 12.14dBm). The SAR exposure switch measurement is performed with the EUT in various SAR exposure scenarios, i.e., in SAR_{sub6NR} only scenario (t = 10s ~ 125s), SAR_{sub6NR} + SAR_{LTE} scenario (t = 125s ~ 245s) and SAR_{LTE} only scenario (t > 245s).

Conducted Plot No.3

LTE and Sub6NR Instantaneous and Time-averaged TX Power
Tech: LTE, Band 12 / Tech: NR5G SUB6, Band n30



Plot 2: All the conducted Tx power measurement results were converted into time-averaged normalized SAR and plotted below to demonstrate that the time-averaged normalized SAR versus time does not exceed the FCC limit of 1 unit.



FCC normalized total exposure limit	1.0
Max Norm. Total time-avg. SAR (green curve) (green curve)	0.649
Validated:	

Plot Notes:

Device starts predominantly in Sub6 NR SAR exposure scenario between 5s and 125s, and in LTE SAR + Sub6 NR SAR exposure scenario between 125s and 245s, and in predominantly in LTE SAR exposure scenario after t=245s. Here, Smart Transmit allocates a maximum of 100% of exposure margin (based on 3dB reserve margin setting) for Sub6 NR. This corresponds to a normalized 1gSAR exposure value = $100\% * 0.964\text{W/kg measured SAR at Sub6 NR } P_{\text{limit}} / 1.6\text{W/kg limit} = 0.603 \pm 1\text{dB device related uncertainty}$ (see orange curve between 5s~125s). For predominantly LTE SAR exposure scenario, maximum normalized 1gSAR exposure should correspond to 100% exposure margin = $0.468\text{W/kg measured SAR at LTE } P_{\text{limit}} / 1.6\text{W/kg limit} = 0.293 \pm 1\text{dB device related uncertainty}$ (see black curve after t =245s).

Additionally, in SAR exposure switch test, at all times the total time-averaged normalized RF exposure (green curve) should not exceed normalized SAR_design_target + 1dB device uncertainty. In this test, with a maximum normalized SAR of 0.649 being $\leq 0.794 (= 1/1.6 + 1\text{dB device uncertainty})$, the above test result validated the continuity of power limiting in SAR exposure switch scenario.

6. Equipment List

Manufacturer	Type / Model	S/N	Calib. Date	Calib.Interval	Calib.Due
Keysight Technologies	UXM 5G Wireless Test Platform	E7515B	05/28/2020	Annual	05/17/2022
R&S	Power Sensor	1419.0006K02-109996-wi	12/16/2021	Annual	12/16/2022
R&S	Power Sensor	1419.0087K02101351-zV	12/16/2021	Annual	12/16/2022
Narda	Directional Coupler	03096	04/05/2021	Annual	04/05/2022
Narda	Directional Coupler	03089	04/05/2021	Annual	04/05/2022
Mini-circuits	Power Splitter	ZN2PD2-63-S+	04/13/2021	Annual	04/13/2022
R&S	Wireless Communication Test Set CMW500	127521	05/04/2021	Annual	05/04/2022

7. Conclusion

Qualcomm Smart Transmit feature employed in Samsung Portable Tablet (FCC A3LSMX808U) has been validated through the conducted/radiated power measurement (as demonstrated in Chapters 5)

As demonstrated in this report, the power limiting enforcement is effective and the total normalized time-averaged RF exposure does not exceed 1.0 for all the transmission scenarios described in Section 4.

Therefore, the EUT complies with FCC RF exposure requirement.

Appendix A: Test Sequences

1. Test sequence is generated based on below parameters of the EUT:

- Measured maximum power (P_{max})
- Measured Tx_power_at_SAR_design_target (P_{limit})
- Reserve_power_margin (dB)
 $P_{reserve} \text{ (dBm)} = \text{measured } P_{limit} \text{ (dBm)} - \text{Reserve_power_margin (dB)}$
- SAR_time_window (100s for FCC)

2. Test Sequence 1 Waveform:

Based on the parameters above, the Test Sequence 1 is generated with one transition between high and low Tx powers. Here, high power = P_{max} ; low power = $P_{max}/2$, and the transition occurs after 80 seconds at high power P_{max} . As long as the power enforcement is taking into effective during one 100s/60s time window, the validation test with this defined test sequence 1 is valid, otherwise, select other radio configuration (band/DSI within the same technology group) having lower P_{limit} for this test. The Test sequence 1 waveform is shown below:

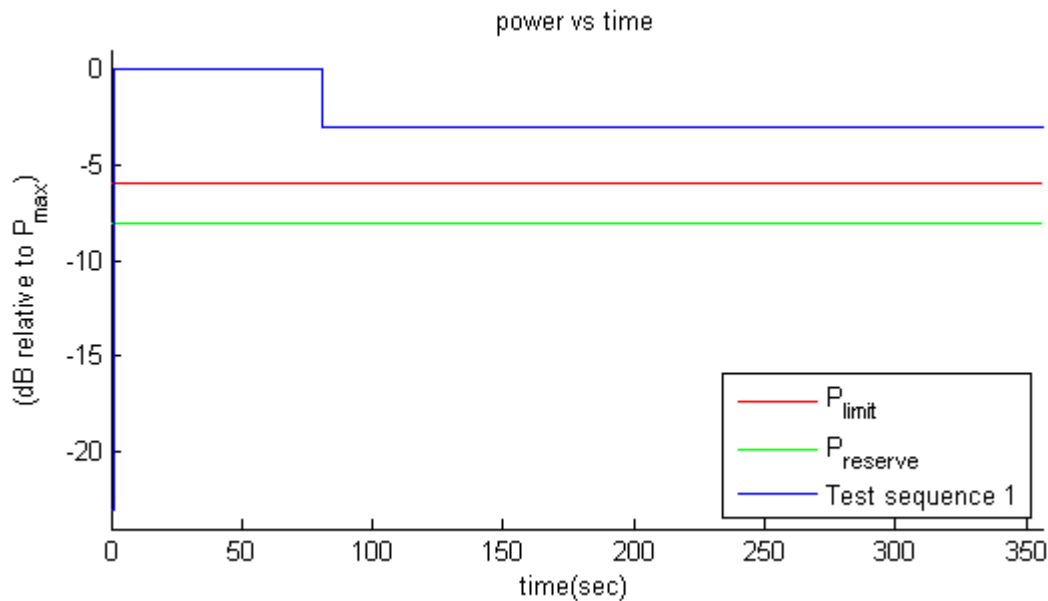


Figure 1 Test sequence 1 waveform

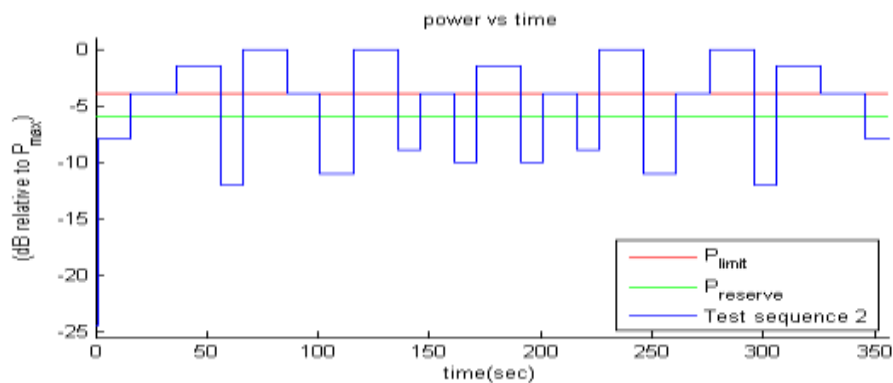
3. Test Sequence 2 Waveform:

Based on the parameters in A-1, the Test Sequence 2 is generated as described in Table A-1, which contains two 170 second-long sequences (yellow and green highlighted rows) that are mirrored around the center row of 20s, resulting in a total duration of 360 seconds:

Table -1 Test Sequence 2

Time duration (seconds)	dB relative to P_{limit} or $P_{reserve}$
15	$P_{reserve} - 2$
20	P_{limit}
20	$(P_{limit} + P_{max})/2$ averaged in mW and rounded to nearest 0.1 dB step
10	$P_{reserve} - 6$
20	P_{max}
15	P_{limit}
15	$P_{reserve} - 5$
20	P_{max}
10	$P_{reserve} - 3$
15	P_{limit}
10	$P_{reserve} - 4$
20	$(P_{limit} + P_{max})/2$ averaged in mW and rounded to nearest 0.1 dB step
10	$P_{reserve} - 4$
15	P_{limit}
10	$P_{reserve} - 3$
20	P_{max}
15	$P_{reserve} - 5$
15	P_{limit}
20	P_{max}
10	$P_{reserve} - 6$
20	$(P_{limit} + P_{max})/2$ averaged in mW and rounded to nearest 0.1 dB step
20	P_{limit}
15	$P_{reserve} - 2$

The Test Sequence 2 waveform is shown in Figure A-2



Appendix B: Test Procedures for sub6 NR + LTE Radio

Appendix B provides the test procedures for validating Qualcomm Smart Transmit feature for LTE + Sub6 NR non-standalone (NSA) mode transmission scenario, where sub-6GHz LTE link acts as an anchor.

B.1 Time-varying Tx power test for sub6 NR in NSA mode

Follows Section 5.2.1 to select test configurations for time-varying test. This test is performed with two pre-defined test sequences (described in Section 5.1) applied to Sub6 NR (with LTE on all-down bits or low power for the entire test after establishing the LTE+Sub6 NR call with the callbox). Follow the test procedures described in Section 5.3.1 to demonstrate the effectiveness of power limiting enforcement and that the time averaged Tx power of Sub6 NR when converted into 1gSAR values does not exceed the regulatory limit at all times (see Eq. (1a) and (1b)). Sub6 NR response to test sequence1 and test sequence2 will be similar to other technologies (say, LTE), and are shown in Sections 8.3.7 and 8.3.8.

B.2 Switch in SAR exposure between LTE vs. Sub6 NR during transmission

This test is to demonstrate that Smart Transmit feature accurately accounts for switching in exposures among SAR for LTE radio only, SAR from both LTE radio and sub6 NR, and SAR from sub6 NR only scenarios, and ensures total time-averaged RF exposure compliance with FCC limit.

Test procedure:

1. Measure conducted Tx power corresponding to P_{limit} for LTE and sub6 NR in selected band. Test condition to measure conducted P_{limit} is:

- Establish device in call with the callbox for LTE in desired band. Measure conducted Tx power corresponding to LTE P_{limit} with Smart Transmit enabled and *Reserve_power_margin* set to 0 dB, callbox set to request maximum power.
- Repeat above step to measure conducted Tx power corresponding to Sub6 NR P_{limit} . If testing LTE+Sub6 NR in non-standalone mode, then establish LTE+Sub6 NR call with callbox and request all down bits for radio1 LTE. In this scenario, with callbox requesting maximum power from Sub6 NR, measured conducted Tx power corresponds to radio2 P_{limit} (as radio1 LTE is at all-down bits)

2. Set *Reserve_power_margin* to actual (intended) value with EUT setup for LTE + Sub6 NR call. First, establish LTE connection in all-up bits with the callbox, and then Sub6 NR connection is added with callbox requesting UE to transmit at maximum power in Sub6 NR. As soon as the Sub6 NR connection is established, request all-down bits on LTE link (otherwise, Sub6 NR will not have sufficient RF exposure margin to sustain the call with LTE in all-up bits). Continue LTE (all-down bits)+Sub6 NR transmission for more than one time-window duration to test predominantly Sub6 NR SAR exposure scenario (as SAR exposure is negligible from all-down bits in LTE). After at least one time-window, request LTE to go all-up bits to test LTE SAR and Sub6 NR SAR exposure scenario. After at least one more time-window, drop (or request all-down bits) Sub6 NR transmission to test predominantly LTE SAR exposure scenario. Continue the test for at least one more time-window. Record the conducted Tx powers for both LTE and Sub6 NR for the entire duration of this test.

3. Once the measurement is done, extract instantaneous Tx power versus time for both LTE and Sub6 NR links. Similar to technology/band switch test in Section 5.3.3, convert the conducted Tx power for both these radios into 1gSAR value (see Eq. (6a) and (6b)) using corresponding technology/band P_{limit} measured in Step 1, and then perform 100s running average to determine time-averaged 1gSAR versus time as illustrated in Figure 3-1. Note that here it is assumed both radios have Tx frequencies < 3GHz, otherwise, 60s running average should be performed for radios having Tx frequency between 3GHz and 6GHz.

4. Make one plot containing: (a) instantaneous Tx power versus time measured in Step 2.

5. Make another plot containing: (a) instantaneous 1gSAR versus time determined in Step 3, (b) computed time-averaged 1gSAR versus time determined in Step 3, and (c) corresponding regulatory 1gSAR_{limit} of 1.6W/kg.

The validation criteria is, at all times, the time-averaged 1gSAR versus time shall not exceed the regulatory 1gSAR_{limit} of 1.6W/kg.