5.13. RF EXPOSURE REQUIREMENTS [§§ 1.1310 & 2.1091]

5.13.1. Limits

§ 1.1310: The criteria listed in the following table shall be used to evaluate the environmental impact of human exposure to radio-frequency (RF) radiation as specified in 1.1307(b).

Limits for Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE)

| Frequency range (MHz) | Electric field strength (V/m) | Magnetic field strength (A/m) | Power density (mW/cm²) | Averaging time (minutes) | |
|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| (A) Limits for Occupational/Controlled Exposures | | | | | |
| 0.3-3.0 | 614 | 1.63 | *(100) | 6 | |
| 3.0-30 | 1842/f | 4.89/f | *(900/f ²) | 6 | |
| 30-300 | 61.4 | 0.163 | 1.0 | 6 | |
| 300-1500 | | | f/300 | 6 | |
| 1500-100,000 | | | 5 | 6 | |
| (B) Limits for General Population/Uncontrolled Exposure | | | | | |
| 0.3-1.34 | 614 | 1.63 | *(100) | 30 | |
| 1.34-30 | 824/f | 2.19/f | *(180/f ²) | 30 | |
| 30-300 | 27.5 | 0.073 | 0.2 | 30 | |
| 300-1500 | | | f/1500 | 30 | |
| 1500-100,000 | | | 1.0 | 30 | |

f = frequency in MHz

Note 1: Occupational/controlled limits apply in situations in which persons are exposed as a consequence of their employment provided those persons are fully aware of the potential for exposure and can exercise control over their exposure. Limits for occupational/controlled exposure also apply in situations when an individual is transient through a location where occupational/controlled limits apply provided he or she is made aware of the potential for exposure.

Note 2: General population/uncontrolled exposures apply in situations in which the general public may be exposed, or in which persons that are exposed as a consequence of their employment may not be fully aware of the potential for exposure or can not exercise control over their exposure.

5.13.2. **Method of Measurements**

Calculation Method of RF Safety Distance:

$$S = \frac{PG}{4\pi \cdot r^2} = \frac{EIRP}{4\pi \cdot r^2}$$

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^{* =} Plane-wave equivalent power density

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Where,

P: power input to the antenna in mW

EIRP: Equivalent (effective) isotropic radiated power.

S: power density mW/cm²

G: numeric gain of antenna relative to isotropic radiator

r: distance to centre of radiation in cm

$$r = \sqrt{\frac{PG}{4\pi \cdot S}} = \sqrt{\frac{EIRP}{4\pi \cdot S}}$$

FCC radio frequency exposure limits may be exceeded at distances closer than r cm from the antenna of this device.

5.13.3. Evaluation of RF Exposure Compliance Requirements

| Maximum RF Power conducted, P _{conducted} [W]: | 46.56 |
|---|----------|
| Maximum Antenna Gain, G[dBi] : | 0 |
| Maximum EIRP, P _{EIRP} [W]: | 46.56 |
| User-based time-average for PTT | 50% |
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| MPE Limit for Occupational/Controlled Exposure, Scontrolled[mW/cm²]: | 1.5 |
| MPE Limit for General Population/Uncontrolled Exposure, Suncontrolled[mW/cm²] | 0.3 |
| Min Calculated RF Safety Distance for Occupational/Controlled Exposure, | 36cm |
| Min Calculated RF Safety Distance for General Population/Uncontrolled Exposure, r _{safety uncontrolled} [cm] | 79 cm |