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RF Exposure Evaluation Report

Application No.:	SZEM1805004652CR(GZEM1805002970CR)
Applicant:	Harman International Industries, Inc.
Address of Applicant:	8500 Balboa Boulevard, Northridge, California, 91329, United States
Manufacturer:	Harman International Industries, Inc.
Address of Manufacturer:	8500 Balboa Boulevard, Northridge, California, 91329, United States
Factory:	Guoguang Electric Co., Ltd.
Address of Factory:	No.8 Jinghu Road, Xinya Street, Huadu Reg, Guangzhou, China
EUT Name:	Wireless Multi-Channel Soundbar
Model No.:	CITATION BAR
Trade mark:	harman/kardon
FCC ID:	APIHKCTBAR
Standards:	47 CFR Part 1.1307 47 CFR Part 1.1310
Date of Receipt:	2018-06-01
Date of Test:	2018-06-07 to 2018-06-27
Date of Issue:	2018-08-21
Test Result :	**Pass***

* In the configuration tested, the EUT complied with the standards specified above.

Keny Xu
EMC Laboratory Manager

The manufacturer should ensure that all products in series production are in conformity with the product sample detailed in this report. If the product in this report is used in any configuration other than that detailed in the report, the manufacturer must ensure the new system complies with all relevant standards. Any mention of SGS International Electrical Approvals or testing done by SGS International Electrical Approvals in connection with, distribution or use of the product described in this report must be approved by SGS International Electrical Approvals in writing.

2 Version

Revision Record				
Version	**Chapter**	**Date**	**Modifier**	**Remark**
01		2018-08-21		Original

Authorized for issue by:				
				
		Benson Wang /Project Engineer		
				
		Eric Fu /Reviewer		

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4 General Description of EUT

Power supply:	Powered by AC120V
Cable:	HDMI cable: 102cm shielded with two ferrite cores AC cable: 180cm unshielded Remote cable: 107cm unshielded

For AP6398S module:

For BT:	
Channel Spacing	1MHz
Frequency Range:	2402MHz to 2480MHz
Bluetooth Version:	BT 4.2 Dual mode
Modulation Technique:	Frequency Hopping Spread Spectrum(FHSS)
Modulation Type:	GFSK, π/4DQPSK, 8DPSK
Number of Channels:	79
Hopping Channel Type:	Adaptive Frequency Hopping systems
Antenna Type	PIFA Antenna
Antenna Gain	2.25dBi
For BLE:	
Frequency Range:	2402MHz to 2480MHz
Bluetooth Version:	BT 4.2 Dual mode
Modulation Type:	GFSK
Number of Channels:	40
Antenna Type:	PIFA Antenna
Antenna Gain:	2.25dBi
For 2.4G wifi:	
Modulation Type	802.11b: DSSS (CCK, DQPSK, DBPSK) 802.11g/n: OFDM (64QAM, 16QAM, QPSK, BPSK)
Number of Channels	802.11b/g/n(HT20):11
Operation Frequency	802.11b/g/n(HT20): 2412MHz to 2462MHz
Channel Spacing	5MHz
Antenna Type	PIFA Antenna
Antenna Gain	Antenna 1: 2.27dBi, Antenna 2: 2.25dBi Two antennas can simultaneous transmission.

For 5G wifi:

Operation Frequency:

Band	Mode	Frequency Range(MHz)	Number of channels
UNII Band I	IEEE 802.11a	5180-5240	4
	IEEE 802.11n/ac 20MHz	5180-5240	4
	IEEE 802.11n/ac 40MHz	5190-5230	2
	IEEE 802.11ac 80MHz	5210	1
UNII Band II-A	IEEE 802.11a	5260-5320	4
	IEEE 802.11n/ac 20MHz	5260-5320	4
	IEEE 802.11n/ac 40MHz	5270-5310	2
	IEEE 802.11ac 80MHz	5290	1
UNII Band II-C	IEEE 802.11a	5500-5700	11
	IEEE 802.11n/ac 20MHz	5500-5700	11
	IEEE 802.11n/ac 40MHz	5510-5670	5
	IEEE 802.11ac 80MHz	5530-5610	2
UNII Band III	IEEE 802.11a	5745-5825	5
	IEEE 802.11n/ac 20MHz	5745-5825	5
	IEEE 802.11n/ac 40MHz	5755-5795	2
	IEEE 802.11ac 80MHz	5775	1

Modulation Type:	802.11a: OFDM (BPSK, QPSK, 16QAM, 64QAM) 802.11n: OFDM (BPSK, QPSK, 16QAM, 64QAM) 802.11ac: OFDM (BPSK, QPSK, 16QAM, 64QAM, 256QAM)
DFS Function	Slave without Radar detection
Antenna Type	PIFA Antenna
Antenna Gain	Antenna 1: 3.86dBi, Antenna 2: 3.88dBi Two antennas can simultaneous transmission.

For SWM908SD module:

Operation Frequency:	Band	Mode	Frequency Range(MHz)	Number of channels
	Band I	802.11a	5180-5240	4
	Band II-A	802.11a	5260-5320	4
	Band II-C	802.11a	5500-5700	11
	Band III	802.11a	5745-5825	5
Modulation Type:	802.11a: OFDM (64QAM, 16QAM, QPSK, BPSK)			
Channel Spacing:	802.11a: 20MHz			
DFS Function:	Master with Radar detection			
Antenna Type:	Integral Antenna			
Antenna Gain:	1dBi			

4.1 Test Location

All tests were performed at:

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No tests were sub-contracted.

4.2 Test Facility

The test facility is recognized, certified, or accredited by the following organizations:

• **CNAS (No. CNAS L2929)**

CNAS has accredited SGS-CSTC Standards Technical Services Co., Ltd. Shenzhen Branch EMC

Lab to ISO/IEC 17025:2005 General Requirements for the Competence of Testing and Calibration Laboratories (CNAS-CL01 Accreditation Criteria for the Competence of Testing and Calibration Laboratories) for the competence in the field of testing.

• **A2LA (Certificate No. 3816.01)**

SGS-CSTC Standards Technical Services Co., Ltd., Shenzhen EMC Laboratory is accredited by the American Association for Laboratory Accreditation(A2LA). Certificate No. 3816.01.

• **VCCI**

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SGS-CSTC Standards Technical Services Co., Ltd., Shenzhen EMC Laboratory has been recognized as an accredited testing laboratory.

Designation Number: CN1178. Test Firm Registration Number: 406779.

• **Industry Canada (IC)**

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4.3 Deviation from Standards

None.

4.4 Abnormalities from Standard Conditions

None.

4.5 Other Information Requested by the Customer

None.

5 RF Exposure Evaluation

5.1 RF Exposure Compliance Requirement

5.1.1 Limits

According to FCC Part1.1310: The criteria listed in the following table shall be used to evaluate the environment impact of human exposure to radio frequency (RF) radiation as specified in part1.1307(b)

TABLE 1—LIMITS FOR MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE (MPE)

Frequency range (MHz)	Electric field strength (V/m)	Magnetic field strength (A/m)	Power density (mW/cm^2)	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

Friis Formula

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

Where

Pd = power density in mW/cm2

Pout = output power to antenna in mW

G = gain of antenna in linear scale

Pi = 3.1416

R = distance between observation point and center of the radiator in cm

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

5.1.2 Test Procedure

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

5.1.3 EUT RF Exposure Evaluation

Remark: AP6398S module and SWM908SD module can simultaneous transmission at the same time.

For BT/BLE

Ant 2: 2.25dBi

Antenna Gain: The maximum Gain measured in fully anechoic chamber is 1.68 in linear scale.

Output Power Into Antenna & RF Exposure Evaluation Distance:

Max Conducted Output Power (including tune-up tolerance) (dBm)	Output Power to Antenna (mW)	Power Density at R = 20 cm (mW/cm^2)	Limit	MPE Ratios	Result
8.4	6.92	0.002	1.0	0.002	PASS

For 2.4G WIFI

Antenna 1: 2.27dBi, Antenna 2: 2.25dBi

Antenna Gain: The maximum Gain measured in fully anechoic chamber is 1.69 / 1.68 in linear scale.

Output Power Into Antenna & RF Exposure Evaluation Distance:

Max Conducted Output Power (including tune-up tolerance) (dBm)	Output Power to Antenna (mW)	Power Density at R = 20 cm (mW/cm^2)	Sum of Power Density (mW/cm^2)	Limit	MPE Ratios	Result
25.78	378.443	0.129	0.257	1.0	0.257	PASS
25.82	381.944	0.128				

For 5GHz

Antenna 1: 3.86dBi, Antenna 2: 3.88dBi

Antenna Gain: The maximum Gain measured in fully anechoic chamber is 2.43 / 2.44 in linear scale.

Output Power Into Antenna & RF Exposure Evaluation Distance:

Max Conducted Output Power (including tune-up tolerance) (dBm)	Output Power to Antenna (mW)	Power Density at R = 20 cm (mW/cm^2)	Sum of Power Density (mW/cm^2)	Limit	MPE Ratios	Result
16.51	44.771	0.022	0.044	1.0	0.044	PASS
16.65	46.238	0.022				

The distancer (4th column) calculated from the Fries transmission formula is far greater than 20 cm separation requirement.

SWM908SD module:
Antenna: 1dBi
Antenna Gain: The maximum Gain measured in fully anechoic chamber is 1.26 in linear scale.
Output Power Into Antenna & RF Exposure Evaluation Distance:

Max Conducted Output Power (including tune-up tolerance) (dBm)	Output Power to Antenna (mW)	Power Density at R = 20 cm (mW/cm^2)	Limit	MPE Ratios	Result
14	25.119	0.006	1.0	0.006	PASS

The distancer (3RD column) calculated from the Fries transmission formula is far greater than 20 cm separation requirement.

exposure conditions for simultaneous transmission operations

The EUT has two modules: AP6398S module and SWM908SD module, they can simultaneous transmission at the same time.

For AP6398S module:

1. The Bluetooth only support one antenna to transmit.
2. The WIFI has two antenns to transmit and they can simultaneous transmission.
3. The antenna of Bluetooth and antennas of WIFI can't simultaneous transmission.

For SWM908SD module: There is only one antenna to transmit.

So, Simultaneous transmission SAR test is not required, because the Max. sum of the MPE ratios is 0.257+0.006=0.263<1.

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