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## **Report Revision History**

Date Revision Comments					
08/04/2023	А	Initial release			
08/04/2023 A 09/27/2023 B		Updated DUT Description in cover page, Added simultaneous transmission info in section 8, Updated BT duty cycle justification (Appendix A) & tethering accessory info (Appendix B)			

## 1.0 Introduction

This report details the RF Exposure assessment for Wireless RSM model number PMMN4156A.

## 2.0 Abbreviations / Definitions

BT:	Bluetooth
EME:	Electromagnetic Energy
DQPSK:	Differential Quadrature Phase Shift Keying
8DPSK:	Eight Differential Phase Shift Keying
GFSK:	Gaussian Frequency-Shift Keying
RSM:	Remote Speaker Microphone
SAR:	Specific Absorption Rate
MPP:	Motorola Proximity Pairing

Audio accessories: These accessories allow communication while the device is worn on the body.

Body worn accessories: These accessories allow the device to be worn on the body of the user.

Maximum Power: Defined as the upper limit of the production line final test station

#### 3.0 Referenced Standards and Guidelines

This product is designed to comply with the following applicable national and international standards and guidelines.

- Federal Communications Commission, "Evaluating Compliance with FCC Guidelines for Human Exposure to Radio frequency Electromagnetic Fields", OET Bulletin 65, FCC, Washington, D.C.: 1997.
- Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) C95.1-2019
- International Commission on Non-Ionizing Radiation Protection (ICNIRP) 2020
- Ministry of Health (Canada) Safety Code 6 (2015), Limits of Human Exposure to Radio frequency Electromagnetic Fields in the Frequency Range from 3 kHz to 300 GHz
- RSS-102 (Issue 5) Radio Frequency (RF) Exposure Compliance of Radio communication Apparatus (All Frequency Bands)
- Australian Communications Authority Radio communications (Electromagnetic Radiation -Human Exposure) Standard (2014)
- ANATEL, Brazil Regulatory Authority, Resolution No 700 of September 28, 2018 "Approves the Regulation on the Assessment of Human Exposure to Electric, Magnetic and Electromagnetic Fields Associated with the Operation of Radio communication Transmitting Stations.
- IEC/IEEE 62209-1528-2020- Measurement procedure for the assessment of specific absorption rate of human exposure to radio frequency fields from hand-held and body-mounted wireless communication devices Part 1528: Human models, instrumentation, and procedures (Frequency range of 4 MHz to 10 GHz)
- FCC KDB 865664 D01 SAR Measurement 100 MHz to 6 GHz v01r04
- FCC KDB 865664 D02 RF Exposure Reporting v01r02
- FCC KDB 447498 D04 Interim General RF Exposure Guidance v01

#### 4.0 Description of Device

This device incorporates BT, BT LE & MPP technology which operate at the frequency spectrum per Table 1. Table 1 below summarizes the output power information.

Technology	TX Frequency (MHz)	Modulation	Duty Cycle (%)	Nominal Power (mW)	Maximum Power (mW)					
BT	2402 2480	GFSK	77*	19.055	19.055					
BT LE	2402-2480	GFSK	111	4.955	4.955					
MPP	0.125	NA	NA	0.50	0.50					

Table 1

\*Refer to Appendix A for duty cycle justification

#### 5.0 Optional Accessories and Test Criteria

This device is offered with the accessories listed as below.

## 5.1 Antenna

Table	2
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No.	Model	Description
1	A NIOOOO 1 2 A O 2	ANTENNA, STAMPED METAL, BLUETOOTH ANTENNA, WM800
1	AIN000012A05	2400-2483.5GHz, ¼ wavelength, 2.9 dBi gain

## 5.2 Battery

Table 3						
No.	Description					
1	PMNN4846A	BATTERY PACK, BATT LIION IP68 2050mAh Typical				

## 5.3 Body worn Accessories

		Table 4			
No.	Model	Description	Remarks		
1	0104083J48	Swivel clip, New J-Hook Design			
2	PMLN9066A	WM800 Tethering Accessory	Must be hooked to the swivel clip		
-		(111000 100100 1000000)	(Refer to Appendix B)		

## 5.4 Audio Accessory

#### Table 5

No.	Model	Description
1	PMLN8120A	3.5mm Rx only secondary audio accessory

#### 6.0 Assessment for Bluetooth

#### 6.1 FCC Requirement

Per guidelines in KDB 447498 D04 Interim General RF Exposure Guidance v01, SAR-based thresholds are derived based on frequency, power and separation distance of the RF source.

The SAR-based exemption formula indicated below, applies for single fixed, mobile, and portable RF sources with available maximum time-averaged power or effective radiated power (ERP), whichever is greater, or less than or equal to the threshold *P*th (mW) refer to Table B.2.

Pth (mW) = 
$$ERP_{20cm}(\frac{d}{20})^x$$
 for distance  $d \le 20$  cm  
Where  $x = -log 10 \left(\frac{60}{ERP_{20}\sqrt{f}}\right)$ 

This method shall only be used at separation distances from 0.5 cm to 40 cm and at frequencies from 0.3 GHz to 6 GHz (inclusive).

	-				Di	stance	(mm)				_
		5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50
ŝ	300	39	65	88	110	129	148	166	184	201	217
HIM	450	22	44	67	89	112	135	158	180	203	226
y 0	835	9	25	44	66	90	116	145	175	207	240
enc	1900	3	12	26	44	66	92	122	157	195	236
Frequ	2450	3	10	22	38	59	83	111	143	179	219
	3600	2	8	18	32	49	71	96	125	158	195
	5800	1	6	14	25	40	58	80	106	136	169

Table B.2-Example Power Thresholds (mW)

The closest separation distance from the outer housing to the phantom is 20 mm with a swivel clip, as indicated in the picture below. The separation distance is similar when the tethering accessory is in use since it needs to be used together with the swivel clip.



The BT maximum power of the device is 19.055 mW with 77% duty cycle, therefore the standalone Bluetooth transmitter operates at maximum time-averaged power:

= 19.055 mW \* 77%

= 14.67 mW or 11.66 dBm

According to Table B.2, at the distance 20 mm, the power threshold, *P*th at frequency 2450 MHz is 38 mW.

Since the maximum time-averaged power of the device is lower than the power threshold, routine evaluation can be exempted.

## 7.0 Assessment for MPP

Per guidelines in KDB 447498 D04 Interim General RF Exposure Guidance v01, routine evaluation can be exempted if the output power level is below 1mW. Since the output power level for MPP is 0.5 mW, routine evaluation can be exempted.

#### 8.0 Simultaneous transmission

MPP is for pairing purpose only, BT will only activate after pairing is successful, hence simultaneous transmission is not possible.

#### 9.0 Result Summary

Based on the assessments in section 6.0 and 7.0, SAR testing for BT and MPP are exempted.

## Appendix A BT Duty Cycle Justification

# Duty Cycle ~= 76.9%



**Duty Cycle = on time (Tx) / total period of the waveform.** 

# Appendix B Accessory Photo



\*Tethering accessory (left) hooked to the swivel clip (right)