FCC RF Exposure Requirements

General information:

FCC ID: BGA-WHT24RX

Device category: Mobile per Part 2.1091 Environment: Uncontrolled Exposure

Mobile devices that operate under Part 15.247 of this chapter are subject to environmental evaluation for RF exposure prior to equipment authorization.

Antenna:

The manufacturer does specify an antenna with a gain of 2.15 dBi to be used with this device.

This device has provisions for operation in a vehicle location.

Configuration	Antenna p/n	Type	Freq. Band	Max. Gain (dBi)
Car	Any	omni	2400 MHz	2.15

Operating configuration and exposure conditions:

The conducted output power is 0.05 Watts. Typical use qualifies for a maximum duty cycle factor of $\leq 50\%$.

MPE Calculation:

The minimum separation distance is calculated as follows:

$$E(V/m) = \frac{\sqrt{30 \times P \times G}}{d}$$
 Power density: $P_d(mW/cm^2) = \frac{E^2}{3770}$

The limit for general uncontrolled exposure environment above 1500 MHz is 1.0 mW/cm².

Channel frequency: 2440 MHz

The conducted power output is 0.05 mwatt.

Antenna gain was taken as 3 dBi

50% Duty cycle

$$W := 0.05$$
 power in Watts

$$D := 1$$
 Duty Factor in decimal % (1=100%)

1 for FM

E := 15 exposure time in minutes

U := 30 (use 6 for controlled and 30 for uncontrolled)

$$Wexp := W \cdot D \cdot \left(\frac{E}{U}\right)$$

$$Wexp = 0.025$$
 Watts

$$PC := \left(\frac{E}{U}\right) \cdot 100$$

$$PC = 50$$
 % on time

Po := 25 mWatts

dBd := 0 antenna gain in dBd

G1 := dBd + 2.15 gain in dBi

G1 = 2.15 dBi

CL := 0

dB coax loss

$$G := G1 - CL$$

$$\frac{G}{Gn} = 10^{\frac{10}{10}}$$
 gain numeric

$$Gn = 1.641$$
 dB

$$R := \sqrt{\frac{(Po \cdot Gn)}{(4 \cdot \pi \cdot S)}}$$

$$R=1.807$$
 distance in centimeters required for compliance

$$f := 2400$$
 Frequency in MHz

$$S := \frac{f}{2400}$$
 power density limit for uncontrolled exposure

$$S = 1$$
 $\frac{mW}{am^2}$

inches :=
$$\frac{R}{2.54}$$

inches = 0.711

Conclusion:

The device complies with the MPE requirements by providing a safe separation distance of 3 cm between the antenna, including any radiating structure, and any persons when normally operated.

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Proposed RF exposure safety information to include in User's Manual:

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CAUTION:

The antenna(s) used for this transmitter must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter. This device is approved with emissions having a source-based time-averaging duty factor not exceeding 50%. The safe operating distance between the general population and the antenna when transmitting is 2.0 cm or 0.8 inches inches.

Failure to observe these restrictions will result in exceeding the FCC RF exposure limits.