

# RF Exposure Lab

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## CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE MPE EVALUATION

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Dates of Test: February 2, 2024  
Test Report Number: MPE.20240202

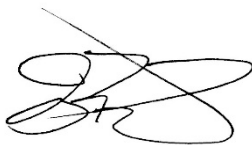
Revision A

Lab Designation Number: US1195 (FCC); US0194 (ISED)

FCC ID:	CASTBDHHF
IC Certificate:	737A-TBDHHF
Model:	TBDHHF
Equipment Type:	Wireless PTT Base Station Radio
Classification:	Mobile Transmitter
TX Frequency Range:	378 – 420 MHz
Frequency Tolerance:	± 2.5 ppm
Maximum RF Output:	400 MHz – 41.8 dBm Conducted
Signal Modulation:	P25 & Analogue
Antenna Type:	External
Application Type:	Certification
KDB Test Methodology:	KDB 447498 D01 v06
FCC Rules:	47 CFR 1.1310, 47 CFR 1.1307 & 47 CFR 2.1091
Industry Canada:	RSS-102 Issue 5, Safety Code 6
Maximum Power Density Value:	0.015 mW/cm <sup>2</sup> (FCC); 0.151 W/m <sup>2</sup> (IC)
Maximum E-Field Value:	7.54 V/m
Maximum H-Field Value:	0.020 A/m
Separation Distance:	360 cm for Body

This wireless mobile and/or portable device has been shown to be compliant for RF exposure requirements for uncontrolled environment/general exposure limits specified in 47 CFR 1.1310, 47 CFR 2.1307, 47 CFR 2.1091, RSS-102 Issue 5 & Safety Code 6 (See test report).

I attest to the accuracy of the data. I assume full responsibility for the completeness of these measurements and vouch for the qualifications of all persons taking them.



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Vice President



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Comment/Revision	Date
Original Release	February 2, 2024
Revision A – Correct model number	February 12, 2024

**Note: The latest version supersedes all previous versions listed in the above table. The latest version shall be used.**

## 1. Introduction

This measurement report shows compliance of the Tait International Limited Model TBDHHF Wireless PTT Base Station Radio with 47 CFR 1.1310, 47 CFR 1.1307, 47 CFR 2.1091, RSS-102 Issue 5 & Safety Code 6.

## 2. Characteristics of the Evaluation

### 2.1 Requirements and Methods

RF exposure assessment of the Tait International Limited Model TBDHHF Wireless PTT Base Station Radio.

Requirements	Frequency Bands
47 CFR 1.1310 Radio Frequency (RF) Radiation Exposure Limits, 47 CFR 1.1307 Actions Which May Have A Significant Environmental Effect & 47 CFR 2.1091 Radio Frequency Radiation Exposure Evaluation: Mobile Device.	378 – 420 MHz
RSS-102 Issue 5 Radio Frequency (RF) Exposure Compliance of Radio communication Apparatus (All Frequency Bands) & Safety Code 6 Recommended Limits for Safe Human Exposure to RF Electromagnetic Energy in the Frequency Range of 3 kHz to 300 GHz	378 – 420 MHz

### **3. Data Supplied by the Applicant**

#### **3.1 Applicant**

Name/Company: Tait International Limited  
Address: 245 Wooldridge Road, Harewood, Christchurch 8051  
Country: New Zealand

#### **3.2 US Representative**

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Country: USA

#### **3.3 Canadian Representative**

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Country: Canada

#### **3.4 Identification of Item Evaluated**

Product: Wireless PTT Base Station Radio  
Model: TBDHHF  
Manufacturer: Tait International Limited

## 4. Evaluation Results

Abbreviations used in the RESULTS column of the following tables are:

<b>C</b>	Compliant with requirements
<b>NC</b>	Not Compliant with requirements
<b>NA</b>	Not Applicable
<b>NE</b>	Not Evaluated

Document/Standard	Results
47 CFR 1.1310 Radio Frequency (RF) Radiation Exposure Limits, 47 CFR 1.1307 Actions Which May Have A Significant Environmental Effect & 47 CFR 2.1091 Radio Frequency Radiation Exposure Evaluation: Mobile Device.	C
RSS-102 Issue 5 Radio Frequency (RF) Exposure Compliance of Radio communication Apparatus (All Frequency Bands) & Safety Code 6 Recommended Limits for Safe Human Exposure to RF Electromagnetic Energy in the Frequency Range of 3 kHz to 300 GHz	C

## 5. Summary

Considering the results of the performed analysis and evaluation, stated in Appendix A and B, the item under evaluation is **IN COMPLIANCE** with the specifications listed in Section 2.1 "Requirements and Methods".

## Appendix A

### Host Analysis

#### A.1. Device

The device is in a mobile exposure condition (antenna-to-user distance > 20 cm).

#### Main/Primary Transmitter:

#### PTT Transmitter:

Type of Equipment : Wireless PTT Base Station Radio  
Model : TBDHHF  
Antennas Evaluated : Model RFI COL41-58, COL41-64, COL41-70, COL41-71, COL41-72 and dBSpectra DS4A00F36U-D, DS4A00F36U-N (2.1 dBi Gain)  
Cable Use for Install: : RG214  
Minimum Cable Loss: : No Cable Loss was used for the evaluation. Therefore, any cable length could be used for the installation.  
Maximum gain (Ant – Cable) : 2.1 dBi  
Output power : 41.8 dBm

Frequency Band	Mode	Frequency Range (MHz)	Maximum Conducted output power (dBm)	Maximum Conducted output power (mW)	Duty Cycle	Equivalent conducted output power (mW)	Maximum antenna gain (dBi)	Maximum antenna gain (numerical)	EIRP (mW)
400 MHz	PTT	378-420	41.8	15,000	100%	15,000	2.1	1.6365	24,547

**Worst Case Considerations:**

- Minimum Antenna-to-user distance: 360 cm
  - Any antenna-to-user distance > 360 cm would be covered by the analysis included in this report as far as it would provide better exposure conditions.
- Maximum Antenna gains: 400 MHz band PTT: 2.1 dBi
  - Any antenna gains below the specified would be covered by the analysis included in this report as far as it would provide better exposure conditions.



## Appendix B

### RF Exposure Assessment

#### B.1 Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) Limits

##### B.1.1 FCC MPE Limits

###### Normative document:

- 47 CFR 1.1310 Radio Frequency (RF) Radiation Exposure Limits, 47 CFR 1.1307 Actions Which May Have A Significant Environmental Effect & 47 CFR 2.1091 Radio Frequency Radiation Exposure Evaluation: Mobile Device: Mobile Device.

###### Reference levels:

The table below is excerpted from Table 1 of 47 CFR 1.1310 Radio Frequency (RF) Radiation Exposure Limits:

Frequency Range (MHz)	E-field strength (V/m)	H-field strength (A/m)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Averaging Time (minutes)
0.3-3.0	614	1.63	100	30
3.0-30	842/f	2.19/f	180/f <sup>2</sup>	30
30-300	27.5	0.073	0.2	30
300-1,500	--	--	f/1500	30
1,00-100,000	--	--	1.0	30

Note: f is frequency in MHz.

###### MPE limits:

Frequency Band	Mode	Frequency Range (MHz)	Reference frequency (MHz)	MPE limit S <sub>eq</sub> (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )
400 MHz	PTT	378-420	420	0.28

### B.1.2 IC MPE Limits

#### Normative document:

- RSS-102 Issue 5 Radio Frequency (RF) Exposure Compliance of Radio communication Apparatus (All Frequency Bands) & Safety Code 6 Recommended Limits for Safe Human Exposure to RF Electromagnetic Energy in the Frequency Range of 3 kHz to 300 GHz

#### Reference levels:

The table below is excerpted from Table 6 of RSS-102 Issue 5 Radio Frequency (RF) Exposure Compliance of Radio communication Apparatus (All Frequency Bands):

Frequency Range (MHz)	E-field strength (V/m)	H-field strength (A/m)	Power Density (S) (W/m <sup>2</sup> )	Averaging Time (minutes)
0.003-10 <sup>23</sup>	83	90	--	Instantaneous
0.1-10	--	0.73/f	--	6
1.29-10	87/f <sup>0.5</sup>	--	--	6
10-20	27.46	0.0728	2	6
20-48	58.07/f <sup>0.25</sup>	0.1540/f <sup>0.25</sup>	8.944/f <sup>0.5</sup>	6
48-300	22.06	0.05852	1.291	6
300-6000	3.142f <sup>0.3417</sup>	0.008335f <sup>0.3417</sup>	0.02619f <sup>0.6834</sup>	6
6000-15000	61.4	0.163	10	6
15000-150000	61.4	0.163	10	616000/f <sup>1.2</sup>
150000-300000	0.158f <sup>0.5</sup>	4.21x10 <sup>-4</sup> f <sup>0.5</sup>	6.67x10 <sup>-5</sup> f	616000/f <sup>1.2</sup>

Note: f is frequency in MHz.

#### MPE limits:

Frequency Band	Mode	Frequency Range (MHz)	Reference frequency (MHz)	MPE limit S <sub>eq</sub> (W/m <sup>2</sup> )	E-Field Strength (V/m)	H-Field Strength (A/m)
400 MHz	PTT	378-420	420	1.63	24.75	0.07

## B.2 RF Exposure Assessment – Individual Transmitters

### B.2.1 Introduction

Calculations to predict power density levels in the far-field of the antenna are made by use of the following equation:

$$S = \frac{P \cdot G}{4\pi R^2} = \frac{EIRP}{4\pi R^2}$$

where: S = power density (in appropriate units, e.g. mW/cm<sup>2</sup>)

P = power input to the antenna (in appropriate units, e.g. mW)

G = power gain of the antenna in the direction of interest relative to an isotropic radiator

R = distance to the center of radiation of the antenna (in appropriate units, e.g. cm)

### B.2.2 RF Exposure Assessment for TBDHWF Wireless PTT Base Station Radio

#### FCC Requirements

Frequency Band	Mode	Frequency Range (MHz)	EIRP (mW)	Evaluation distance (R) (cm)	Power Density (S <sub>eq</sub> ) $S = \frac{P \cdot G}{4\pi R^2} = \frac{EIRP}{4\pi R^2}$ (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	MPE limit (S <sub>lim</sub> ) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Compliance (S <sub>eq</sub> < S <sub>lim</sub> ) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )
400 MHz	PTT	378-420	24,547	360	0.015	0.28	COMPLIANT

### B.2.3 RF Exposure Assessment for TBDHWF Wireless PTT Base Station Radio

#### IC Requirements

Frequency Band	Mode	Frequency Range (MHz)	EIRP (mW)	Evaluation distance (R) (cm)	Power Density (S <sub>eq</sub> ) $S = \frac{P \cdot G}{4\pi R^2} = \frac{EIRP}{4\pi R^2}$ (W/m <sup>2</sup> )	MPE limit (S <sub>lim</sub> ) (W/m <sup>2</sup> )	Compliance (S <sub>eq</sub> < S <sub>lim</sub> ) (W/m <sup>2</sup> )
400 MHz	PTT	378-420	24,547	360	0.151	1.63	COMPLIANT

Frequency Band	Mode	Frequency Range (MHz)	EIRP (mW)	Evaluation distance (R) (cm)	E-Field Strength (V/m)	E-Field limit	Compliance
400 MHz	PTT	378-420	24,547	360	7.54	24.75	COMPLIANT

Frequency Band	Mode	Frequency Range (MHz)	EIRP (mW)	Evaluation distance (R) (cm)	H-Field Strength (A/m)	H-Field limit	Compliance
400 MHz	PTT	378-420	24,547	360	0.020	0.07	COMPLIANT