



## SAR EVALUATION REPORT

For

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## FCC ID: DBZSSMA1A

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| Summary of Test Results   |   |  |              |  |  |
|---|---|--|--------------|--|--|
|   | EUT Description   | Description Wireless Microphone Transmitter  |              |  |  |
| Tested Moo  |   | SSM-A1   |              |  |  |
| EUT   | FCC ID  | DBZSSMA1A  |              |  |  |
| Information   | Serial Number   | SSM-A1: 2870   |              |  |  |
|   | Test Date   | 2018-10-08   |              |  |  |
|   | Accessories   | P/N 26995 Slide-on Belt Clip, P/N 27079 Slide-   | on Belt Clip |  |  |
| Frequency   | SAR Type  | Max. SAR Level(s) Reported(W/kg)   | Limit (W/kg) |  |  |
| 470.1-537.575 MHz   | 1g Body SAR   | 0.32   | 1.6          |  |  |
|   | FCC 47 CFR part<br>Radiofrequency rad   | <b>2.1093</b> liation exposure evaluation: portable devices  |              |  |  |
|   | IEEE Standard for   | / IEEE C95.1: 2005<br>Standard for Safety Levels with Respect to Human Exposure to Radio<br>ency Electromagnetic Fileds, 3 kHz to 300 GHz. |              |  |  |
|   | ANSI / IEEE C95.3: 2002<br>IEEE Recommended Practice for Measurements and Computations of Radio<br>Frequency Electromagnetic Fields With Respect to Human Exposure to<br>SuchFields,100 kHz-300 GHz.  |  |              |  |  |
| Applicable Standards  | <b>IEEE1528: 2013</b><br>IEEE Recommended Practice for Determining the Peak Spatial-Average Specific<br>Absorption Rate (SAR) in the Human Head from Wireless Communications Devices:<br>Measurement Techniques   |  |              |  |  |
|   | <b>IEC 62209-2: 2010</b><br>Human exposure to radio frequency fields from hand-held and body-mounted wireless communication devices-Human models, instrumentation, and procedur Part 2: Procedure to determine the specific absorption rate (SAR) for wireless communication devices used in close proximity to the human body (frequency r of 30 MHz to 6 GHz) |  |              |  |  |
| <b>KDB procedures</b><br>KDB 447498 D01 General RF Exposure Guidance v06<br>KDB 865664 D01 SAR Measurement 100 MHz to 6 GHz v01r04<br>KDB 865664 D02 RF Exposure Reporting v01r02   |   |  |              |  |  |
| <b>Note:</b> This wireless device has been shown to be capable of compliance for localized specific absorption rate (SAR) for General Population/Uncontrolled Exposure limits specified in FCC 47 CFR part 2.1093 and has been tested in accordance with the measurement procedures specified in IEEE 1528-2013 and RF exposure KDB procedures. |   |  |              |  |  |
| The results and statements contained in this report pertain only to the device(s) evaluated.  |   |  |              |  |  |

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## **DOCUMENT REVISION HISTORY**

| Revision Number | Report Number | Description of Revision | Date of Revision |
|-----------------|---------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| 0               | R1808219-SAR  | Original Report         | 2018-10-09       |

## **1** General Description

#### **1.1 Product Description for Equipment Under Test (EUT)**

This test and measurement report has been compiled on behalf of *Lectrosonics, Inc.* and their product model: SSM-A1, *FCC ID: DBZSSMA1A* which henceforth is referred to as the EUT (Equipment Under Test). The EUT is a wireless microphone transmitter. The EUT operates in the frequency range: 470.1-537.575 MHz.

### **1.2 Test EUT Technical Specification**

| Item                                     | Desc                      | ription     |
|--|---------------------------|-------------|
| Modulation Type                          | FM                        |             |
| Frequency Range                          | 470.1-573.575 MHz         |             |
| Maximum Conducted Power<br>Tested SSM-A1 | 16.90 dBm                 | 470.1 MHz   |
|  | 16.66 dBm                 | 503.85 MHz  |
|  | 17.12 dBm                 | 537.575 MHz |
| Power Source                             | SSM-A1: 1 DC 1.5V battery |             |
| Normal Operation                         | Body-worn                 |             |

The test data gathered are from typical production sample, product SSM-A1 S/N 2870 provided by the client.

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- 2-All Licensed radio frequency devices within FCC Scopes B1, B2, B3, and B4;
- All Telephone Terminal Equipment within FCC Scope C. 3-

- For the Canada (Innovation, Science and Economic development Canada - ISEDC):

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- 2-All Scope 2-Licensed Personal Mobile Radio Services;
- 3-All Scope 3-Licensed General Mobile & Fixed Radio Services;
- 4-All Scope 4-Licensed Maritime & Aviation Radio Services;
- 5-All Scope 5-Licensed Fixed Microwave Radio Services
- 6-All Broadcasting Technical Standards (BETS) in the Category I Equipment Standards List

For Singapore (Infocomm Media Development Authority - IMDA):

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  - All Radio-Communication Equipment: All Technical Specifications for Radio-

Communication Equipment – Table 2 of IMDA MRA Recognition Scheme: 2011, Annex 2 - For the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region:

- All Radio Equipment, per KHCA 10XX-series Specifications; 1
- 2 All GMDSS Marine Radio Equipment, per HKCA 12XX-series Specifications; 3
  - All Fixed Network Equipment, per HKCA 20XX-series Specifications.

- For Japan:

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- MIC Telecommunication Business Law (Terminal Equipment):
- All Scope A1 Terminal Equipment for the Purpose of Calls;
- All Scope A2 Other Terminal Equipment
- Radio Law (Radio Equipment):
  - All Scope B1 Specified Radio Equipment specified in Article 38-2-2, paragraph 1, item 1 of the Radio Law
  - All Scope B2 Specified Radio Equipment specified in Article 38-2-2, paragraph 1, item 2 of the Radio Law
  - All Scope B3 Specified Radio Equipment specified in Article 38-2-2, paragraph 1, item 3 of the Radio Law

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  - for Commercial Ice Machines (ver. 2.0)
  - for Commercial Ovens (ver. 2.1)
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  - For Integral LED Lamps (ver. 1.4)
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  - NCC (National Communications Commission) APEC Tel MRA -Phase I;
- European Union:
  - EMC Directive 2014/30/EU US-EU EMC & Telecom MRA CAB (NB)
  - o Radio Equipment (RE) Directive 2014/53/EU US-EU EMC & Telecom MRA CAB (NB)
  - o Low Voltage Directive (LVD) 2014/35/EU
- Hong Kong Special Administrative Region: (Office of the Telecommunications Authority OFTA)
  - APEC Tel MRA -Phase I & Phase II
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- Republic of Korea (Ministry of Communications Radio Research Laboratory) APEC Tel MRA -Phase I
- Singapore: (Infocomm Development Authority IDA) APEC Tel MRA -Phase I & Phase II;
- Japan: VCCI Voluntary Control Council for Interference US-Japan Telecom Treaty VCCI Side Letter
- USA:
  - ENERGY STAR Recognized Test Laboratory US EPA
  - Telecommunications Certification Body (TCB) US FCC;
  - Nationally Recognized Test Laboratory (NRTL) US OSHA
  - Vietnam: APEC Tel MRA -Phase I

## **3** Reference and Guidelines

#### FCC/ISED:

The Report and Order requires routine SAR evaluation prior to equipment authorization of portable transmitter devices, including portable telephones. For consumer products, the applicable limit is 1.6 mW/g as recommended by the ANSI/IEEE standard C95.1-1992 [6] for an uncontrolled environment (Paragraph 65). According to the FCC KDB 447498 D01 "RF Exposure Procedures and Equipment Authorization Polices for Mobile and Portable Devices", RF Exposure compliance must be determined at the maximum average power level according to source-based time-averaging requirements to determine compliance for general population exposure conditions.

This report describes the methodology and results of experiments performed on wireless data terminal. The objective was to determine if there is RF radiation, and what is the extent of radiation with respect to safety limits if radiation is found. SAR (Specific Absorption Rate) is the measure of RF exposure determined by the amount of RF energy absorbed by human body (or its parts) – to determine how the RF energy couples to the body or head which is a primary health concern for body worn devices. The limit below which the exposure to RF is considered safe by regulatory bodies in North America is 1.6 mW/g average over 1 gram of tissue mass.

#### CE:

The CE requires routine SAR evaluation prior to equipment authorization of portable transmitter devices, including portable telephones. For consumer products, the applicable limit is 2 mW/g as recommended by the EN50360 for an uncontrolled environment. According to the Standard, the device should be evaluated at maximum output power (radiated from the antenna) under "worst-case" conditions for normal or intended use, incorporating normal antenna operating positions, device peak performance frequencies and positions for maximum RF energy coupling.

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The test configurations were laid out on a specially designed test fixture to ensure the reproducibility of measurements. Each configuration was scanned for SAR. Analysis of each scan was carried out to characterize the above effects in the device.

### 3.1 SAR Limits

|  | SAR (W/kg)   |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|
| EXPOSURE LIMITS  | (General Population /<br>Uncontrolled Exposure<br>Environment) | (Occupational /<br>Controlled Exposure<br>Environment) |  |
| Spatial Average<br>(averaged over the whole body)                | 0.08   | 0.4  |  |
| Spatial Peak<br>(averaged over any 1 g of tissue)                | 1.60   | 8.0  |  |
| Spatial Peak<br>(hands/wrists/feet/ankles<br>averaged over 10 g) | 4.0  | 20.0   |  |

#### FCC/ISED Limit

#### CE Limit

|  | SAR (W/kg)   |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|--|
| EXPOSURE LIMITS  | (General Population /<br>Uncontrolled Exposure<br>Environment) | (Occupational /<br>Controlled Exposure<br>Environment) |  |  |
| Spatial Average<br>(averaged over the whole body)                | 0.08   | 0.4  |  |  |
| Spatial Peak<br>(averaged over any 10 g of tissue)               | 2.0  | 10   |  |  |
| Spatial Peak<br>(hands/wrists/feet/ankles<br>averaged over 10 g) | 4.0  | 20.0   |  |  |

Population/Uncontrolled Environments are defined as locations where there is the exposure of individual who have no knowledge or control of their exposure.

Occupational/Controlled Environments are defined as locations where there is exposure that may be incurred by people who are aware of the potential for exposure (i.e. as a result of employment or occupation).

General Population/Uncontrolled environments Spatial Peak limit 1.6 W/kg (FCC/ISED) applied to the EUT.

## 4 Equipment List and Calibration

## 4.1 Equipment List & Calibration Info

| Type/Model  | Cal. Due Date | S/N             |
|---|---------------|-----------------|
| DASY6 Professional Dosimetric System                    | NCR           | None            |
| Robot TX90XL  | NCR           | F17/5DBKA1/A/01 |
| Robot Controller CS8Cspeag-TX90                         | NCR           | F17/5DBKA1/C/01 |
| Pendant Control Box D21142607B                          | NCR           | 013151          |
| Robot Remote Control Box SE UWS032 AA                   | NCR           | None            |
| HP Elitedesk 800 G3 TWR                                 | NCR           | CZC048171C      |
| HP Elitedisplay E271i LED Backlit Monitor               | NCR           | 3CM7208TJZ      |
| SPEAG DAE4  | 2019-09-13    | 530             |
| DASY6 Measurement Server SE UMS 028BB                   | NCR           | 1551            |
| SPEAG E-Field Probe EX3DV4                              | 2019-09-20    | 3619            |
| Antenna, Dipole D450V2                                  | 2020-09-15    | BCL-180         |
| SPEAG Twin SAM Phantom                                  | NCR           | TP-1032         |
| SPEAG ELI Phantom V8.0                                  | NCR           | 2074            |
| Body Tissue Simulating Liquid MBBL600-<br>6000V6        | Each Time     | 171031-2        |
| Power Sensor Agilent E4419B EPM Series                  | 2018-10-22    | MY40510985      |
| Power Sensor Agilent 8481A                              | 2018-10-22    | 3318A94106      |
| Power Sensor ETS-LINDGREN 7002-006                      | 2018-12-05    | 160097          |
| Dielectric Probe Kit SPEAG DAK-3.5 Probe                | NCR           | 1252            |
| HP Network Analyzer 8753D                               | 2019-03-01    | 3410A04346      |
| HEWLETT PACKARD 779D Directional Coupler                | NCR           | 1144A05102      |
| Keysight Technologies Vector Signal Generator<br>N5182B | 2019-01-06    | MY51350070      |
| Mini Circuits, AMPLIFIER 2VA-183-S+                     | NCR           | 576400946       |

Note: NCR=No Calibration Required

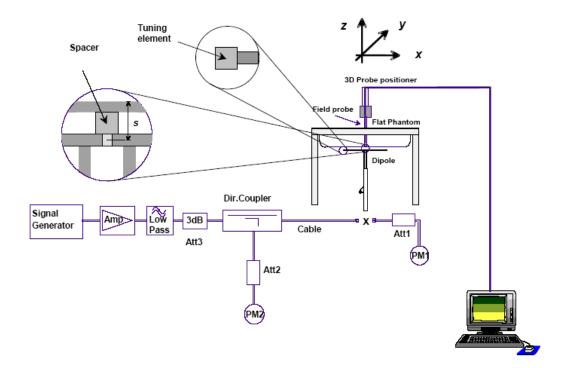
**Statement of Traceability: BACL Corp.** attests that all of the calibrations on the equipment items listed above were traceable to NIST or to another internationally recognized National Metrology Institute (NMI), and were compliant with A2LA Policy P102 (dated 09 June 2016) "A2LA Policy on Metrological Traceability".

## 5 SAR Measurement System Verification

#### 5.1 System Accuracy Verification

SAR system verification is required to confirm measurement accuracy. The system verification must be performed for each frequency band. System verification must be performed before each series of SAR measurements.

### 5.2 System Setup Block Diagram



#### **Procedure:**

1) The SAR system verification measurements were performed in the flat section of TWIN SAM or flat phantom with shell thickness of  $2\pm0.2$ mm filled with head or body liquid.

2) The depth of liquid in phantom must be  $\geq 15$  cm for SAR measurement less than 3 GHz and  $\geq 10$  cm for SAR measurement above 3 GHz.

3) The dipole was mounted below the center of flat phantom, and oriented parallel to the Y-Axis. The standard measurement distance is 15mm (below 1 GHz ) and 10mm (above 1 GHz) from dipole center to the liquid surface.

4) The dipole input power was 25 mW or 100 mW or 250 mW or 500 mW.

5) The SAR results are normalized to 1 Watt input power.

6) compared the normalized the SAR results to the dipole calibration results.

## 5.3 Liquid and System Validation

| Date       | Simulant | Freq.<br>[MHz] | Parameters | Liquid<br>Temp<br>[°C] | Target<br>Value | Measured<br>Value | Deviation<br>[%] | Limits<br>[%] |
|------------|----------|----------------|------------|------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------------------|---------------|
|            |          |                | ъr         | 22                     | 56.70           | 55.81             | -1.57            | ± 5           |
| 2018-10-08 | Body     | 450            | σ          | 22                     | 0.94            | 0.92              | -2.13            | ± 5           |
|            |          |                | 1g SAR     | 22                     | 4.79            | 4.55              | -5.01            | ± 10          |

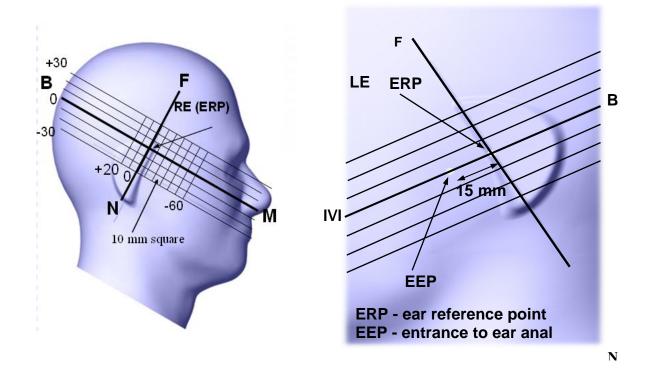
 $\varepsilon r$  = relative permittivity,  $\sigma$  = conductivity and  $\rho$ =1000 kg/m<sup>3</sup>

## 6 EUT Test Strategy and Methodology

### 6.1 Test Positions for Device Operating Next to a Person's Ear

This category includes most wireless handsets with fixed, retractable or internal antennas located toward the top half of the device, with or without a foldout, sliding or similar keypad cover. The handset should have its earpiece located within the upper <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of the device, either along the centerline or off-centered, as perceived by its users. This type of handset should be positioned in a normal operating position with the "test device reference point" located along the "vertical centerline" on the front of the device aligned to the "ear reference point". The "test device reference point" should be located at the same level as the center of the earpiece region. The "vertical centerline" should bisect the front surface of the handset at its top and bottom edges. An "ear reference point" is located on the outer surface of the head phantom on each ear spacer. It is located 1.5 cm above the center of the ear reference point" (left and right) and the tip of the mouth.

A handset should be initially positioned with the earpiece region pressed against the ear spacer of a head phantom. For the SCC-34/SC-2 head phantom, the device should be positioned parallel to the "N-F" line defined along the base of the ear spacer that contains the "ear reference point". For interim head phantoms, the device should be positioned parallel to the cheek for maximum RF energy coupling. The "test device reference point" is aligned to the "ear reference point" on the head phantom and the "vertical centerline" is aligned to the "phantom reference plane". This is called the "initial ear position". While maintaining these three alignments, the body of the handset is gradually adjusted to each of the following positions for evaluating SAR:



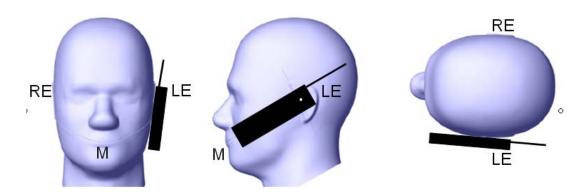
### 6.2 Cheek/Touch Position

The device is brought toward the mouth of the head phantom by pivoting against the "ear reference point" or along the "N-F" line for the SCC-34/SC-2 head phantom.

This test position is established:

- When any point on the display, keypad or mouthpiece portions of the handset is in contact with the phantom.
- (or) When any portion of a foldout, sliding or similar keypad cover opened to its intended self-adjusting normal use position is in contact with the cheek or mouth of the phantom.

For existing head phantoms – when the handset loses contact with the phantom at the pivoting point, rotation should continue until the device touches the cheek of the phantom or breaks its last contact from the ear spacer.



#### **Cheek /Touch Position**

#### 6.3 Ear/Tilt Position

With the handset aligned in the "Cheek/Touch Position":

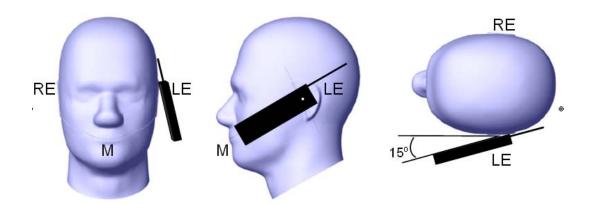
1) If the earpiece of the handset is not in full contact with the phantom's ear spacer (in the "Cheek/Touch position") and the peak SAR location for the "Cheek/Touch" position is located at the ear spacer region or corresponds to the earpiece region of the handset, the device should be returned to the "initial ear position" by rotating it away from the mouth until the earpiece is in full contact with the ear spacer. 2) (otherwise) The handset should be moved (translated) away from the cheek perpendicular to the line passes through both "ear reference points" (note: one of these ear reference points may not physically exist on a split head model) for approximate 2-3 cm. While it is in this position, the device handset is tilted away from the mouth with respect to the "test device reference point" until the inside angle between the vertical centerline on the front surface of the phone and the horizontal line passing through the ear reference point is by 15 80°. After the tilt, it is then moved (translated) back toward the head perpendicular to the line passes through both "ear reference points" until the device touches the phantom or the ear spacer. If the antenna touches the head first, the positioning process should be repeated with a tilt angle less than 15 80° so that the device and its antenna would touch the phantom simultaneously. This test position may require a device holder or positioner to achieve the translation and tilting with acceptable positioning repeatability.

If a device is also designed to transmit with its keypad cover closed for operating in the head position, such positions should also be considered in the SAR evaluation. The device should be tested on the left and right side of the head phantom in the "Cheek/Touch" and "Ear/Tilt" positions. When applicable, each configuration should be tested with the antenna in its fully extended and fully retracted positions. These test configurations should be tested at the high, middle and low frequency channels of each operating mode; for example, AMPS, CDMA, and TDMA. If the SAR measured at the middle channel for each test configuration (left, right, Cheek/Touch, Tile/Ear, extended and retracted) is at least 2.0 dB lower than the SAR limit, testing at the high and low channels is optional for such test configuration(s).

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If the transmission band of the test device is less than 10 MHz, testing at the high and low frequency channels is optional.

### Ear /Tilt 15° Position



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#### 6.4 Test position for body-support device and other configurations

A typical example of a body supported device is a wireless enabled laptop device that among other orientations may be supported on the thighs of a sitting use. To represent this orientation, the device shall be positioned with its base against the flat phantom. Other orientations may be specified by the manufactures in the user instructions. If the intended use is not specified, the device shall be tested directly against the flat phantom in all usable orientations.

The screen portion of the device shall be in an open position at a  $90^{\circ}$  angle, or at an operating angle specified for intended use by the manufacturer in the operating instructions. Where a body supported device has an integral screen required for normal operation, then the screen-side will not need to be tested if it ordinarily remains 200 mm from the body. Where a screen mounted antenna is present, this position shall be repeated with the screen against the flat phantom, if this is consistent with the intended use.

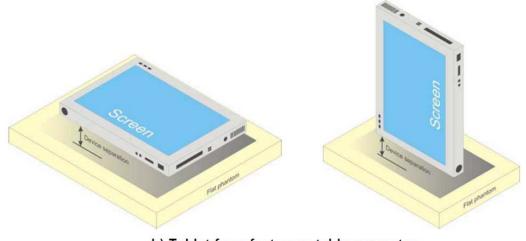
Other devices that fall into this category include tablet type portable computers and credit card transaction authorization terminals, point-of-sale and/or inventory terminals. Where these devices may be torso or limb-supported, the same principles for body-supported devices are applied.

The example in Figure b) shows a tablet from factor portable computer for which SAR should be separately assessed with

- a) Each surface and
- b) The separation distances

Positioned against the flat phantom that correspond to the intended use as specified by the manufacturer. If the intended use is not specified in the user instructions, the device shall be tested directly against the flat phantom in all usable orientations.

Some body-supported devices may allow testing with an external power supply (e.g. a.c. adapter) supplemental to the battery, but it shall be verified and documented in the measurement report that SAR is still conservative

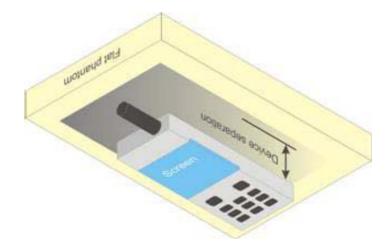


b) Tablet form factor portable computer

#### 6.5 Test positions for body-worn and other configurations

Body-worn operating configurations should be tested with the belt-clips and holsters attached to the device and positioned against a flat phantom in normal use configurations. Devices with a headset output should be tested with a headset connected to the device. When multiple accessories that do not contain metallic components are supplied with the device, the device may be tested with only the accessory that dictates the closest spacing to the body. When multiple accessories that contain metallic components are supplied with the device must be tested with each accessory that contains a unique metallic component. If multiple accessories share an identical metallic component (e.g., the same metallic belt-clip used with different holsters with no other metallic components), only the accessory that dictates the closest spacing to the body must be tested.

Body-worn accessories may not always be supplied or available as options for some devices that are intended to be authorized for body-worn use. A separation distance of 1.5 cm between the back of the device and a flat phantom is recommended for testing body-worn SAR compliance under such circumstances. Other separation distances may be used, but they should not exceed 2.5 cm. In these cases, the device may use body-worn accessories that provide a separation distance greater than that tested for the device provided however that the accessory contains no metallic components.



#### 6.6 SAR Evaluation Procedure

The evaluation was performed with the following procedure:

- **Step 1:** Measurement of the SAR value at a fixed location above central position was used as a reference value for assessing the power drop. The SAR at this point is measured at the start of the test and then again at the end of the testing.
- Step 2: The SAR distribution at the exposed side of body was measured at a distance of 4 mm from the inner surface of the shell. The area covered the entire dimension of the body or EUT and the horizontal grid spacing was 50 mm x 110 mm. Based on these data, the area of the maximum absorption was determined by line interpolation. The first Area Scan covers the entire dimension of the EUT to ensure that the hotspot was correctly identified.
- Step 3: Around this point, a volume of 30 mm x 30 mm x 21 mm was assessed by measuring 5 x 5 x 7 points. On the basis of this data set, the spatial peak SAR value was evaluated under the following procedure:
  - 1. The data at the surface were extrapolated, since the center of the dipoles is 1.2 mm away from the tip of the probe. The extrapolation was based on a least square algorithm. A polynomial of the fourth order was calculated through the points in z-axes. This polynomial was then used to evaluate the points between the surface and the probe tip.
  - 2. The maximum interpolated value was searched with a straightforward algorithm. Around this maximum the SAR values averaged over the spatial volumes (1 g or 10 g) were computed by the 3D-Spline interpolation algorithm. The 3D-Spline is composed of three one dimensional splines with the "Not a knot"-condition (in x, y and z-directions). The volume was integrated with the trapezoidal-algorithm. One thousand points (10 x 10 x 10) were interpolated to calculate the averages.
  - 3. All neighboring volumes were evaluated until no neighboring volume with a higher average value was found.
- Step 4: Re-measurement of the SAR value at the same location as in Step 1. If the value changed by more than 5%, the evaluation was repeated.

#### 6.7 Test Methodology

IEEE 1528: 2013 IEC 62209-2: 2010

### 7 DASY52 SAR Evaluation Procedure

#### 7.1 **Power Reference Measurement**

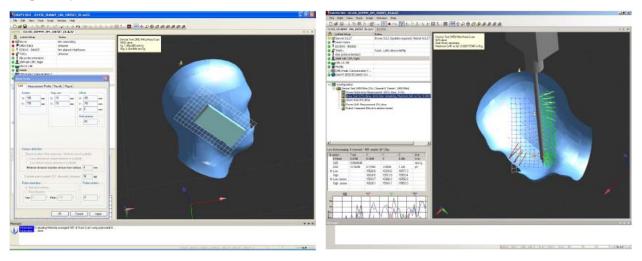
The Power Reference Measurement and Power Drift Measurement jobs are useful jobs for monitoring the power drift of the device under test in the batch process. Both jobs measure the field at a specified reference position, at a selectable distance from the phantom surface. The reference position can be either the selected section's grid reference point or a user point in this section. The reference job projects the selected point onto the phantom surface, orients the probe perpendicularly to the surface, and approaches the surface using the selected detection method. The Minimum distance of probe sensors to surface determines the closest measurement point to phantom surface. By default, the Minimum distance of probe sensors to surface of probe sensors to surface is 4mm. This distance can be modified by the user, but cannot be smaller than the Distance of sensor calibration points to probe tip as defined in the probe properties.

#### 7.2 Area Scan

The Area Scan is used as a fast scan in two dimensions to find the area of high field values, before doing a finer measurement around the hot spot. The sophisticated interpolation routines implemented in DASY52 software can find the maximum locations even in relatively coarse grids.

The scanning area is defined by an editable grid. This grid is anchored at the grid reference point of the selected section in the phantom. When the Area Scan's property sheet is brought-up, grid settings can be edited by a user.

When an Area Scan has measured all reachable points, it computes the field maxima found in the scanned area, within a range of the global maximum. The range (in dB) is specified in the standards for compliance testing. For example, a 2 dB range is required in IEEE 1528, EN 50361 and IEC 62209 standards, whereby 3 dB is a requirement when compliance is assessed in accordance with the ARIB standard (Japan). If only one Zoom Scan follows the Area Scan, then only the absolute maximum will be taken as reference. For cases where multiple maximums are detected, the number of Zoom Scans has to be increased accordingly (see Section 3.3.2.14 Zoom Scan for details). After measurement is completed, all maxima and their coordinates are listed in the Results property page. The maximum selected in the list is highlighted in the 3-D view. For the secondary maxima returned from an Area Scan, the user can specify a lower limit (peak SAR value), in addition to the Find secondary maxima within x dB condition. After measurement is completed, all maxima and their coordinates are listed in the 3-D view. For the secondary maxima within x dB condition. After measurement is completed, all maxima and their coordinates are listed in the 3-D view. For the secondary maxima within x dB condition. After measurement is completed, all maxima and their coordinates are listed in the 3-D view. For the secondary maxima returned from an Area Scan, the user can specify a lower limit (peak SAR value), in addition to the Find secondary maxima returned from an Area Scan, the user can specify a lower limit (peak SAR value), in addition to the SAR value), in addition to the Find secondary maxima returned from an Area Scan, the user can specify a lower limit (peak SAR value), in addition to the Find secondary maxima returned from an Area Scan, the user can specify a lower limit (peak SAR value), in addition to the Find secondary maxima within x dB condition. Only the primary maximum and any secondary maxima within x dB from the primary maximum and any seco



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#### 7.3 Zoom Scan

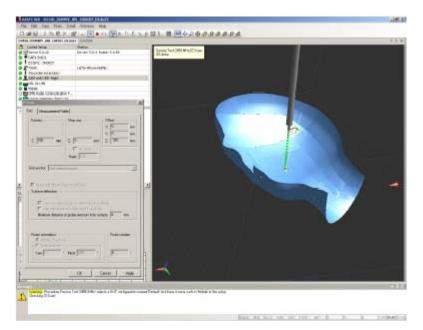
Zoom Scans are used to assess the peak spatial SAR values within a cubic averaging volume containing 1 g and 10 g of simulated tissue. The default Zoom Scan measures 5 x 5 x 7 points within a cube whose base faces are centered around the maxima found in a preceding area scan job within the same procedure. When the measurement is done, the Zoom Scan evaluates the averaged SAR for 1 g and 10 g and displays these values next to the job's label.

#### 7.4 Power drift measurement

The Power Drift Measurement job measures the field at the same location as the most recent power reference measurement job within the same procedure, and with the same settings. The Power Drift Measurement gives the field difference in dB from the reading conducted within the last Power Reference Measurement. Several drift measurements are possible for one reference measurement. This allows a user to monitor the power drift of the device under test within a batch process. The measurement procedure is the same as Step 1.

### 7.5 Z-Scan

The Z Scan job measures points along a vertical straight line. The line runs along the Z axis of a onedimensional grid. A user can anchor the grid to the section reference point, to any defined user point or to the current probe location. As with any other grids, the local Z axis of the anchor location establishes the Z axis of the grid.



## 8 Description of Test System

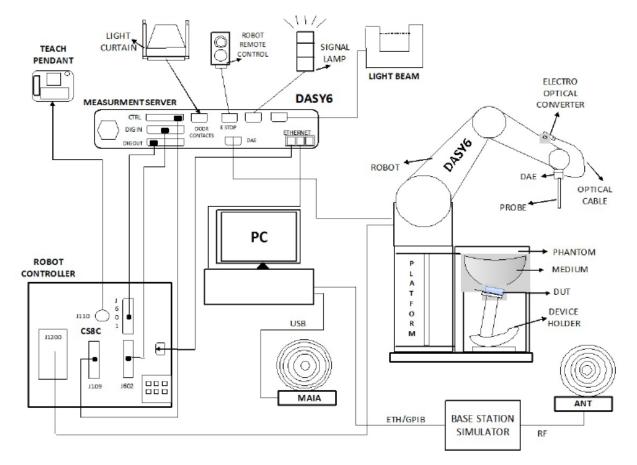
These measurements were performed with the automated near-field scanning system DASY6 from Schmid & Partner Engineering AG (SPEAG) which is the sixth generation of the system shown in the figure hereinafter:

The system is based on a high precision robot (working range greater than 1.45m), which positions the probes with a positional repeatability of better than  $\pm 0.02$ mm. Special E- and H-field probes have been developed for measurements close to material discontinuity, the sensors of which are directly loaded with a Schottky diode and connected via highly resistive lines to the data acquisition unit.

The SAR measurements were conducted with the dosimetric probe EX3DV4 SN: 3619 (manufactured by SPEAG), designed in the classical triangular configuration and optimized for dosimetric evaluation. The probe has been calibrated according to the procedure with accuracy of better than  $\pm 10\%$ . The spherical isotropy was evaluated with the procedure and found to be better than  $\pm 0.25$ dB.

| Frequency | Head           | Гissue               | Body           | 7 Tissue |
|-----------|----------------|----------------------|----------------|----------|
| (MHz)     | ε <sub>r</sub> | o <sup>.</sup> (S/m) | ε <sub>r</sub> | o' (S/m) |
| 150       | 52.3           | 0.76                 | 61.9           | 0.80     |
| 300       | 45.3           | 0.87                 | 58.2           | 0.92     |
| 450       | 43.5           | 0.87                 | 56.7           | 0.94     |
| 835       | 41.5           | 0.90                 | 55.2           | 0.97     |
| 900       | 41.5           | 0.97                 | 55.0           | 1.05     |
| 915       | 41.5           | 0.98                 | 55.0           | 1.06     |
| 1450      | 40.5           | 1.20                 | 54.0           | 1.30     |
| 1610      | 40.3           | 1.29                 | 53.8           | 1.40     |
| 1800-2000 | 40.0           | 1.40                 | 53.3           | 1.52     |
| 2450      | 39.2           | 1.80                 | 52.7           | 1.95     |
| 3000      | 38.5           | 2.40                 | 52.0           | 2.73     |
| 5800      | 35.3           | 5.27                 | 48.2           | 6.00     |

#### 8.1 IEEE 1528-2013 Recommended Tissue Dielectric Parameters



#### 8.2 Measurement System Diagram

The DASY6 system for performing compliance tests consists of the following items:

- A standard high precision 6-axis robot arm (Stäubli TX90XL) with controller, teach pendant and software. An arm extension for accommodating the data acquisition electronics (DAE).
- A dosimetric probe, i.e., an isotropic E-field probe optimized and calibrated for usage in tissue simulating liquid. The probe is equipped with an optical surface detector system.
- A data acquisition electronics (DAE4) which performs the signal amplification, signal multiplexing, AD-conversion, offset measurements, mechanical surface detection, collision detection, etc. The unit is battery powered with standard or rechargeable batteries. The signal is optically transmitted to the EOC.
- The Electro-optical converter (EOC) performs the conversion between optical and electrical of the signals for the digital communication to the DAE and for the analog signal from the optical surface detection. The EOC is connected to the measurement server.
- The function of the measurement server is to perform the time critical tasks such as signal filtering, control of the robot operation and fast movement interrupts.
- A probe alignment unit which improves the (absolute) accuracy of the probe positioning.

• A computer operating Windows 2000 or Windows XP.

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- DASY52 software.
- Remote control with teach pendant and additional circuitry for robot safety such as warning lamps, etc.
- The Twin SAM phantom enabling testing left-hand and right-hand usage.
- The ELI V8.0 phantom.
- The device holder for handheld mobile phones.
- Tissue simulating liquid mixed according to the given recipes.
- Validation dipole kits allowing system validation.

#### 8.3 System Components

- DASY6 Measurement Server
- Data Acquisition Electronics
- Probes
- Light Beam Unit
- Medium
- SAM Twin Phantom
- ELI V8.0 Phantom
- Device Holder for SAM Twin Phantom
- System Validation Kits
- Robot

#### 8.4 DASY6 Measurement Server

The DASY6 measurement server is based on a PC/104 CPU board with a 400MHz intel ULV Celeron, 128MB chip-disk and 128MB RAM. The necessary circuits for communication with the DAE4 (or DAE3) electronics box, as well as the 16-bit AD converter system for optical detection and digital I/O interface are contained on the DASY6 I/O board, which is directly connected to the PC/104 bus of the CPU board.



The measurement server performs all real-time data evaluations of field measurements and surface detection, controls robot movements, and handles safety operations. The PC operating system cannot interfere with these time-critical processes. All connections are supervised by a watchdog, and disconnection of any of the cables to the measurement server will automatically disarm the robot and disable all program controlled robot movements. Furthermore, the measurement server is equipped with an expansion port, which is reserved for future applications. Please note that this expansion port does not have a standardized pinout, and therefore only devices provided by SPEAG can be connected. Connection of devices from any other supplier could seriously damage the measurement server.

#### 8.5 Data Acquisition Electronics

The data acquisition electronics DAE4 consists of a highly sensitive electrometer grade preamplifier with auto-zeroing, a channel and gain-switching multiplexer, a fast 16 bit ADconverter and a command decoder and control logic unit. Transmission to the measurement server is accomplished through an optical downlink for data and status information as well as an optical uplink for commands and the clock.

#### 8.6 Probes

The DASY system can support many different probe types.

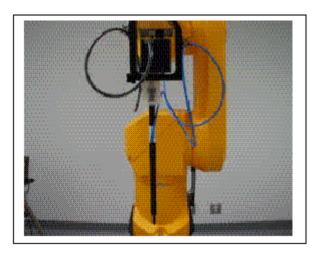
**Dosimetric Probes:** These probes are specially designed and calibrated for use in liquids with high permittivities. They should not be used in air, since the spherical isotropy in air is poor ( $\pm 2$  dB). The dosimetric probes have special calibrations in various liquids at different frequencies.

**Free Space Probes:** These are electric and magnetic field probes specially designed for measurements in free space. The z-sensor is aligned to the probe axis and the rotation angle of the x-sensor is specified. This allows the DASY system to automatically align the probe to the measurement grid for field component measurement. The free space probes are generally not calibrated in liquid. (The H-field probes can be used in liquids without any change of parameters.)

**Temperature Probes:** Small and sensitive temperature probes for general use. They use a completely different parameter set and different evaluation procedures. Temperature rise features allow direct SAR evaluations with these probes.

#### 8.7 ET3DV6 Probe Specification

Construction Symmetrical design with triangular core Built-in shielding against static charges Calibration In air from 4 MHz to 10 GHz In brain and muscle simulating tissue at frequencies of 450 MHz, 600 MHz, 750 MHz, 835 MHz, 1750 MHz, 1900 MHz, 2450 MHz, 2600 MHz, 5250 MHz, 5600 MHz, and 5800 MHz (accuracy  $\pm$  13.3%). Frequency 4 MHz to 10 GHz; Linearity:  $\pm$  0.2 dB (30 MHz to 10 GHz) Directivity  $\pm$  0.1 dB in TSL (rotation around probe axis)  $\pm$  0.3 dB in TSL (rotation normal probe axis) Dynamic Range: 10  $\mu$ W/g to > 100 mW/g; Dynamic Range Linearity:  $\pm$  0.2 dB



#### Photograph of the probe

Dimensions Overall length: 337 mm; Tip length: 20 mm; Body diameter: 12 mm; Tip diameter: 2.5 mm Typical distance from probe tip to dipole centers: 1 mm

Application: High precision dosimetric measurements in ant exposure scenario (e.g., very strong gradient fields); the only probe that enables compliance testing for frequencies up to 6 GHz with precision of better than 30%.



#### 8.8 E-Field Probe Calibration Process

Each probe is calibrated according to a dosimetric assessment procedure described in [6] with accuracy better than +/- 10%. The spherical isotropy was evaluated with the procedure described in [7] and found to be better than +/-0.25dB. The sensitivity parameters (NormX, NormY, NormZ), the diode compression parameter (DCP) and the conversion factor (ConvF) of the probe are tested.

The free space E-field from amplified probe outputs is determined in a test chamber. This is performed in a TEM cell for frequencies bellow 1 GHz, and in a waveguide above 1 GHz for free space. For the free space calibration, the probe is placed in the volumetric center of the cavity and at the proper orientation with the field. The probe is then rotated 360 degrees.

E-field temperature correlation calibration is performed in a flat phantom filled with the appropriate simulated brain tissue. The measured free space E-field in the medium correlates to temperature rise in dielectric medium. For temperature correlation calibration a RF transparent thermistor-based temperature probe is used in conjunction with the E-field probe.

### 8.9 Data Evaluation

The DASY6 post-processing software (SEMCAD) automatically executes the following procedures to calculate the field units from the microvolt readings at the probe connector. The parameters used in the evaluation are stored in the configuration modules of the software:

| Probe parameters: - Sensitivity  | Normi, ai0, ai1, ai2 |
|----------------------------------|----------------------|
| - Conversion factor              | ConvFi               |
| - Diode compression point        | dcpi                 |
| Device parameters: - Frequency   | f                    |
| - Crest factor                   | cf                   |
| Media parameters: - Conductivity | σ                    |
| - Density                        | ρ                    |

These parameters must be set correctly in the software. They can be found in the component documents or they can be imported into the software from the configuration files issued for the DASY components. In the direct measuring mode of the multimeter option, the parameters of the actual system setup are used. In the scan visualization and export modes, the parameters stored in the corresponding document files are used.

The first step of the evaluation is a linearization of the filtered input signal to account for the compression characteristics of the detector diode. The compensation depends on the input signal, the diode type and the DC-transmission factor from the diode to the evaluation electronics. If the exciting field is pulsed, the crest factor of the signal must be known to correctly compensate for peak power. The formula for each channel can be given as:

$$V_i = U_i + U_i^2 \cdot \frac{cf}{dcp_i}$$

With Vi = compensated signal of channel i (i = x, y, z)

Ui = input signal of channel i (i = x, y, z)

cf = crest factor of exciting field (DASY parameter)

dcp<sub>i</sub> = diode compression point (DASY parameter)

From the compensated input signals the primary field data for each channel can be evaluated:

$$\begin{array}{ll} {\rm E-field probes:} & E_i = \sqrt{\frac{V_i}{Norm_i \cdot ConvF}} \\ {\rm H-field probes:} & H_i = \sqrt{V_i} \cdot \frac{a_{i0} + a_{i1}f + a_{i2}f^2}{f} \end{array}$$

With Vi = compensated signal of channel i (i =x, y, z) Norm<sub>i</sub> = sensor sensitivity of channel i (i =x, y, z)  $\mu V/ (V/m)^2$  for E-field probes ConF = sensitivity enhancement in solution  $a_{ij}$  = sensor sensitivity factors for H-field probes f = carrier frequency [GHz] Ei = electric field strenggy of channel i in V/m

 $H_i$  = diode compression point (DASY parameter)

The RSS value of the field components gives the total field strength (Hermitian magnitude):

$$E_{tot} = \sqrt{E_x^2 + E_y^2 + E_z^2}$$

The primary field data are used to calculate the derived field units.

$$SAR = E_{tot}^2 \cdot \frac{\sigma}{\rho \cdot 1'000}$$

With SAR = local specific absorption rate in mW/g

 $E_{tot}$  = total field strength in V/m

 $\sigma$  = conductivity in [mho/meter] or [Siemens/meter]

 $\rho$  = equivalent tissue density in g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Note that the density is normally set to 1, to account for actual brain density rather than the density of the simulation liquid.

#### 8.10 Light Beam Unit

The light beam switch allows automatic "tooling" of the probe. During the process, the actual position of the probe tip with respect to the robot arm is measured, as well as the probe length and the horizontal probe offset. The software then corrects all movements, so that the robot coordinates are valid for the probe tip. The repeatability of this process is better than 0.1 mm. If a position has been taught with an aligned probe, the same position will be reached with another aligned probe within 0.1 mm, even if the other probe has different dimensions. During probe rotations, the probe tip will keep its actual position.

### 8.11 Tissue Simulating Liquids

#### Parameters

The parameters of the tissue simulating liquid strongly influence the SAR in the liquid. The parameters for the different frequencies are defined in the corresponding compliance standards (e.g., EN 50361, IEEE 1528-2003).

Parameter measurements

The following measurement system was applied for measuring the dielectric parameters of liquids:

• The open coax test method (e.g., HP85070 dielectric probe kit) is easy to use, but has only moderate accuracy. It is calibrated with open, short, and deionized water and the calibrations a critical process.

#### 8.12 SAM Twin Phantom

The SAM twin phantom is a fiberglass shell phantom with 2mm shell thickness (except the ear region where shell thickness increases to 6mm). It has three measurement areas:

- Left hand
- Right hand
- Flat phantom

The phantom table comes in two sizes: A 100 x 50 x 85 cm (L x W x H) table for use with free standing robots (DASY6 professional system option) or as a second phantom and a 100 x 75 x 85 cm(L x W x H) table with reinforcements for table mounted robots (DASY6 compact system option).

The bottom plate contains three pair of bolts for locking the device holder. The device holder positions are adjusted to the standard measurement positions in the three sections. Only one device holder is necessary if two phantoms are used (e.g., for different liquids) A white cover is provided to tap the phantom during o\_-periods to prevent water evaporation and changes in the liquid parameters. Free space scans of devices on the cover are possible. On the phantom top, three reference markers are provided to identify the phantom position with respect to the robot.

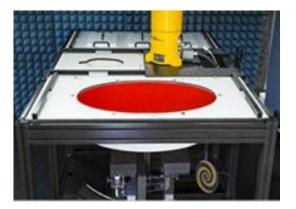
The phantom can be used with the following tissue simulating liquids:

- Water-sugar based liquids can be left permanently in the phantom. Always cover the liquid if the system is not used, otherwise the parameters will change due to water evaporation.
- Glycol based liquids should be used with care. As glycol is a softener for most plastics, the liquid should be taken out of the phantom and the phantom should be dried when the system is not used (desirable at least once a week).
- Do not use other organic solvents without previously testing the phantom's compatibility.



### 8.13 ELI Phantom

- The ELI phantom is a fiberglass shell phantom with 2mm shell thickness (except the ear region where shell thickness increases to 6mm). It has one measurement area: Flat Phantom
- Dimensions: Major Axis: 600mm, Minor Axis: 400mm
- Filling Volume:  $\approx 30$  Liters
- Support: DASY6: standard-size platform slot, DASY52 stand-alone: SPEAG standard phantom table
- The phantom can be used with the following tissue simulating liquids:



-Water-sugar based liquids can be left permanently in the phantom. Always cover the liquid if the system is not used, otherwise the parameters will change due to water evaporation.

-Glycol based liquids should be used with care. As glycol is a softener for most plastics, the liquid should be taken out of the phantom and the phantom should be dried when the system is not used (desirable at least once a week).

-Do not use other organic solvents without previously testing the phantom's compatibility.

#### 8.14 System Validation Kits

Each DASY system is equipped with one or more system validation kits. These units, together with the predefined measurement procedures within the DASY software, enable the user to conduct the system performance check and system validation. For that purpose a well-defined SAR distribution in the flat section of the SAM twin phantom or ELI phantom is produced.

System validation kit includes a dipole, tripod holder to fix it underneath the flat phantom and a corresponding distance holder. Dipoles are available for the variety of frequencies between 300MHz and 6 GHz (dipoles for other frequencies or media and other calibration conditions are available upon request).

The dipoles are highly symmetric and matched at the center frequency for the specified liquid and distance to the flat phantom (or flat section of the SAM-twin phantom). The accurate distance between the liquid surface and the dipole center is achieved with a distance holder that snaps on the dipole.

#### 8.15 Robot

BACL's DASY6 system uses the Stäubli TX90XL high precision industrial robots. This robot has many features:

- High precision (repeatability 0.02mm)
- High reliability (industrial design)
- Low maintenance costs (virtually maintenance-free due to direct drive gears; no belt drives)
- Jerk-free straight movements (brushless synchronous motors; no stepper motors)
- Low ELF interference (the closed metallic construction shields against motor control fields)

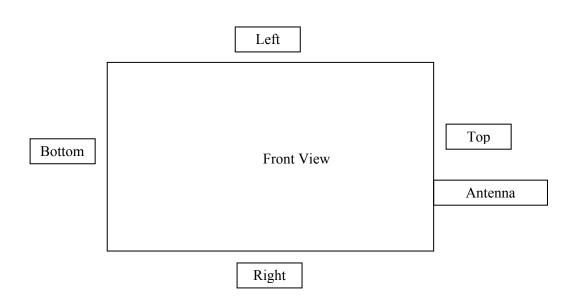
BACL's DASY6 system uses the SP1 controller with S/N D21142607B.

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## 9 SAR Measurement Consideration

#### 9.1 SAR Consideration

#### **EUT Antennas Location**



- Note 1: One position was chosen for SAR testing, i.e. rear side touches to human body for normal operation.
- Note 2: EUT was tested without any accessories attached (0 mm distance between the phantom & EUT), which represents the worst case separation distance.

## **10 SAR Measurement Results**

This page summarizes the results of the performed diametric evaluation. The plots with the corresponding SAR distributions, which reveal information about the location of the maximum SAR with respect to the device, could be found in Appendix E.

### **10.1** Environmental Conditions

| Temperature:              | 22° C   |
|---------------------------|---------|
| <b>Relative Humidity:</b> | 42 %    |
| ATM Pressure:             | 102 kPa |

Testing was performed by Frank Wang in SAR chamber on 2018-10-08.

#### 10.2 Standalone SAR Results

| 470.1-537.575 MHz Band SSM-A1  |                    |              |         |                         |                        |        |                                     |                                   |      |           |
|--------------------------------|--------------------|--------------|---------|-------------------------|------------------------|--------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------|-----------|
| EUT<br>Position                | Frequency<br>(MHz) | Test<br>Type | Phantom | Output<br>Power<br>(mW) | Rated<br>Power<br>(mW) | Scaled | Measured<br>SAR (W/kg)<br>1g Tissue | Scaled<br>SAR (W/kg)<br>1g Tissue | ( 8/ | Plot<br># |
| Rear Side<br>Touch<br>(Mid CH) | 503.85             | Body         | ELI     | 46.34                   | 50                     | 1.079  | 0.294                               | 0.317                             | 1.6  | 1         |

## 11 Appendix A – Measurement Uncertainty

The uncertainty budget has been determined for the DASY6 measurement system and is given in the following Table.

| DASY6 Uncertainty Budget<br>30 MHz – 3 GHz      |                      |                |            |             |              |                   |                    |               |
|---|----------------------|----------------|------------|-------------|--------------|-------------------|--------------------|---------------|
| Error Description                               | Uncertainty<br>Value | Prob.<br>Dist. | Div.       | (c i)<br>1g | (c i)<br>10g | Std. Unc.<br>(1g) | Std. Unc.<br>(10g) | (v i)<br>veff |
|   |                      | Measu          | ement Sy   | ystem       |              |                   |                    |               |
| Probe Calibration                               | ± 6.65 %             | Ν              | 1          | 1           | 1            | ± 6.65 %          | ± 6.65 %           | $\sim$        |
| Axial Isotropy                                  | ± 0.25 %             | R              | $\sqrt{3}$ | 0.7         | 0.7          | ± 0.10 %          | ± 0.10 %           | x             |
| Hemispherical Isotropy                          | ± 1.3 %              | R              | $\sqrt{3}$ | 0.7         | 0.7          | ± 0.53 %          | ± 0.53 %           | )<br>C        |
| Linearity                                       | ± 0.3 %              | R              | $\sqrt{3}$ | 1           | 1            | ± 0.17 %          | ± 0.17 %           | $\sim$        |
| Modulation Response                             | ± 4.8 %              | R              | $\sqrt{3}$ | 1           | 1            | ± 2.77 %          | ± 2.77 %           | $\sim$        |
| System Detection Limits                         | ± 1.0 %              | R              | $\sqrt{3}$ | 1           | 1            | ± 0.6 %           | ± 0.6 %            | $\sim$        |
| Boundary Effects                                | ± 1.0 %              | R              | $\sqrt{3}$ | 1           | 1            | $\pm 0.58$ %      | ± 0.58 %           | $\sim$        |
| Readout Electronics                             | $\pm 0.3$ %          | Ν              | 1          | 1           | 1            | ± 0.3 %           | $\pm 0.3$ %        | $\sim$        |
| Response Time                                   | $\pm 0.8$ %          | R              | $\sqrt{3}$ | 1           | 1            | $\pm \ 0.46 \ \%$ | $\pm 0.46$ %       | $\sim$        |
| Integration Time                                | ± 2.6 %              | R              | $\sqrt{3}$ | 1           | 1            | ± 1.5 %           | ± 1.5 %            | $\sim$        |
| RF Ambient Noise                                | ± 3.0 %              | R              | $\sqrt{3}$ | 1           | 1            | ± 1.7 %           | ± 1.7 %            | ∞             |
| RF Ambient Reflections                          | ± 3.0 %              | R              | $\sqrt{3}$ | 1           | 1            | ± 1.7 %           | ± 1.7 %            | )<br>C        |
| Probe Positioner                                | $\pm 0.04$ %         | R              | $\sqrt{3}$ | 1           | 1            | ± 0.0 %           | $\pm 0.0$ %        | ∞             |
| Probe Positioning                               | $\pm 0.8$ %          | R              | $\sqrt{3}$ | 1           | 1            | ± 0.5 %           | ± 0.5 %            | $\sim$        |
| Post-processing                                 | ± 4.0 %              | R              | $\sqrt{3}$ | 1           | 1            | ± 2.3 %           | ± 2.3 %            | $\sim$        |
| Test Sample Related                             |                      |                |            |             |              |                   |                    |               |
| Device Holder                                   | ± 3.6 %              | Ν              | 1          | 1           | 1            | ± 3.6 %           | ± 3.6 %            | 5             |
| Device Positioning                              | ± 2.9 %              | Ν              | 1          | 1           | 1            | ± 2.9 %           | ± 2.9 %            | 145           |
| SAR Scaling                                     | $\pm 0.0$ %          | R              | $\sqrt{3}$ | 1           | 1            | $\pm 0.0$ %       | $\pm 0.0$ %        | $\propto$     |
| Power Drift                                     | ± 5.0 %              | R              | $\sqrt{3}$ | 1           | 1            | ± 2.9 %           | ± 2.9 %            | $\sim$        |
| Phantom and Setup                               |                      |                |            |             |              |                   |                    |               |
| Phantom Uncertainty                             | ± 6.6 %              | R              | $\sqrt{3}$ | 1           | 1            | ± 3.8 %           | ± 3.8 %            | œ             |
| SAR Correction                                  | ± 1.9 %              | Ν              | 1          | 1           | 0.84         | ± 1.9 %           | ± 1.6 %            | œ             |
| Liquid Conductivity<br>(meas.) <sup>DAK</sup>   | ± 2.5 %              | Ν              | 1          | 0.78        | 0.71         | ± 2.0 %           | ± 1.8 %            | $\propto$     |
| Liquid Permittivity<br>(meas.) <sup>DAK</sup>   | ± 2.5 %              | Ν              | 1          | 0.23        | 0.26         | ± 0.6 %           | ± 0.7 %            | œ             |
| Temp. unc Conductivity<br>(meas.) <sup>BB</sup> | ± 3.4 %              | R              | $\sqrt{3}$ | 0.78        | 0.71         | ± 1.5 %           | ± 1.4 %            | 8             |
| Temp. unc Permittivity<br>(meas.) <sup>BB</sup> | ± 0.4 %              | R              | $\sqrt{3}$ | 0.23        | 0.26         | ± 0.1 %           | $\pm \ 0.1 \ \%$   | $\sim$        |
| Combined Std. Uncertainty                       | -                    | -              | -          | -           | -            | $\pm~10.9~\%$     | $\pm \ 10.7 \ \%$  | 414           |
| Expanded STD Uncertainty                        | -                    | -              | -          | -           | -            | ± 21.8 %          | ± 21.5 %           | -             |

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## **12** Appendix B – Probe Calibration Certificates

Please refer to Exhibit.

## **13** Appendix C – Dipole Calibration Certificates

Please refer to Exhibit.

## 14 Appendix D - Test System Verifications Scans

Test Laboratory: Bay Area Compliance Lab Corp. (BACL)

#### 450 MHz Verification at 100 mW on 2018-10-08

#### DUT: 450 MHz Dipole Antenna

Phantom: ELI V8.0 (20deg probe tilt)

Probe: EX3DV4 - SN3619 ConvF(9.21, 9.21, 9.21); Calibrated: 9/20/2018

Electronics: DAE4 Sn530 Calibrated: 9/13/2018

Communication System Band: Generic

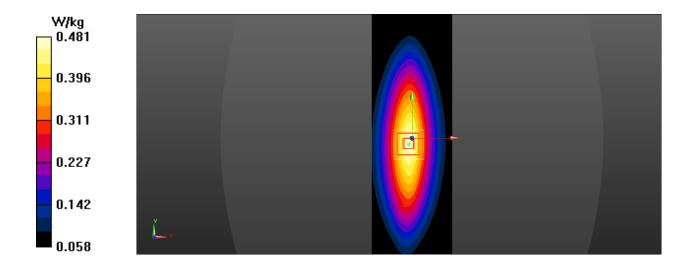
Frequency: 450 MHz

Medium: Lectrosonics Medium parameters used: f = 450 MHz;  $\sigma = 0.92$  S/m;  $\varepsilon_r = 55.81$ ;  $\rho = 1000$  kg/m<sup>3</sup>

**450 MHz Body System Check/Area Scan (81x321x1):** Interpolated grid: dx=1.000 mm, dy=1.000 mm Reference Value = 22.32 V/m; Power Drift = 0.06 dB

**450 MHz Body System Check/Zoom Scan (7x7x7)/Cube 0:** Measurement grid: dx=5mm, dy=5mm, dz=5mm Reference Value = 22.32 V/m; Power Drift = 0.06 dB Peak SAR (extrapolated) = 0.659 W/kg

SAR(1 g) = 0.455 W/kg; SAR(10 g) = 0.308 W/kg (SAR corrected for target medium) Maximum value of SAR (measured) = 0.481 W/kg



### **15** Appendix E – EUT Scan Results

Test Laboratory: Bay Area Compliance Lab Corp. (BACL)

#### Rear Side Touch SSM-A1 Mid 503.85 MHz

#### DUT: Lectrosonics; Type: Wireless Microphone Transmitter; Serial: 2870

Phantom: ELI V8.0 (20deg probe tilt)

Probe: EX3DV4 - SN3619 ConvF(9.21, 9.21, 9.21); Calibrated: 9/20/2018

Electronics: DAE4 Sn530 Calibrated: 9/13/2018

Communication System Band: Generic

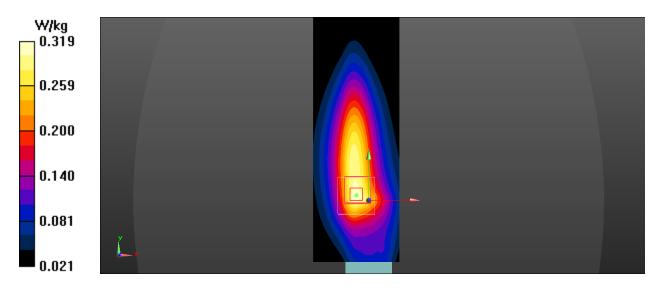
Frequency: 503.85 MHz

Medium: Lectrosonics Medium parameters used: f = 503.85 MHz;  $\sigma = 0.934$  S/m;  $\varepsilon_r = 55.12$ ;  $\rho = 1000$  kg/m<sup>3</sup>

Lectrosonics SSM-A1/Rear side touch Mid channel 503.850 MHz/Area Scan (71x211x1): Interpolated grid: dx=1.000 mm, dy=1.000 mm Reference Value = 16.71 V/m; Power Drift = 0.06 dB

Lectrosonics SSM-A1/Rear side touch Mid channel 503.850 MHz/Zoom Scan (7x7x7)/Cube 0: Measurement grid: dx=5mm, dy=5mm, dz=5mm Reference Value = 16.71 V/m; Power Drift = 0.06 dB Peak SAR (extrapolated) = 0.512 W/kg

SAR(1 g) = 0.294 W/kg; SAR(10 g) = 0.184 W/kg (SAR corrected for target medium) Maximum value of SAR (measured) = 0.319 W/kg



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## 16 Appendix F - RF Output Power Measurement

SSM-A1

| Channel | Frequency (MHz) | Conducted Output Power (dBm) |  |  |
|---------|-----------------|------------------------------|--|--|
| Low     | 470.1           | 16.90                        |  |  |
| Middle  | 503.85          | 16.66                        |  |  |
| High    | 537.575         | 17.12                        |  |  |

Note: The Rated maximum output power is 50 mW (17 dBm).

## **17** Appendix G - EUT Photographs

Please see attachments:

Exhibit – EUT Test Setup Photographs Exhibit – EUT External Photographs Exhibit – EUT Internal Photographs

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## 19 Appendix I (Normative) - A2LA Electrical Testing Certificate



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