RF Exposure - MPE Estimates, RFID frequency of operation 902.75 - 927.25 MHz IM11 RFID Radio Module

FCC regulations compliance

47 CFR 15.247(i) Systems operating under the provisions of this section shall be operated in a manner that ensures that the public is not exposed to radio frequency energy levels in excess of the Commission's guidelines. See § 1.1307(b)(1) of this Chapter.

47 CFR 2.1091 (b). The system is classified as a mobile transmitter.

47 CFR 2.1091(c) The EUT is categorically excluded from routine environmental evaluation.

47 CFR 1.1310 General Public Limit mW/cm² = F(MHz) / 1500

Limit 0.601 mW/cm² 902 MHz

System Description

The IM11 RFID radio module is utilized within Intermec RFID fixed readers. Antennas in this estimate represent the highest gain antennas used with the IM11. The user manual instruct to provide for a separation distance of 25.4-cm or greater distance between the IM11 RFID system antennas and the head or torso of the user or near by persons.

Radio Disc / Rule MHz - MHz Milliwatts (Conducted) IM11

RFID Radio FCC ID: EHA-IM11 IC: 1223A-IM11

15.247, RSS-210 902.75 927.25 1000.0

Antennas) Linear Intermec PN Vendor Vendor PN Type Polorization Gain Connector Dimensions (mm) N/A Kathrein 520 10087 Panel Circular 7.5 Ν 557 x 262 x 59 N/A Huber Suhner 1309.17.0085 Panel Linear 8 Ν 190 x 190 x 30 NeWave NSS-N7 Panel TNC 2200 x 229 x 38 N/A Linear 5.5

Antenna cables

All cables have a minimum of 2.4 dB loss

Table 1 in 47 CFR 1.1310 defines the maximum permissible exposure (MPE) for the general population. The exposure level at the distance listed from the EUT's transmitting antenna is calculated using the general equation:

The exposure level at a 25.4 cm distance from the EUT's transmitting antenna is calculated using the general equation (See OET 65, Page 19, Eq. 4):

 $S = (PG)/4(PI)R^2$

Where: S = power density (mW/cm²)

P = power input to the antenna (mW)

G = numeric power gain relative to an isotropic radiator

R = distance to the center of the radiation of the antenna (25.4 cm = limit for this MPE estimate)

PG = EIRP

Solving for S, the maximum power densities 25.4 cm from the transmitting antennas are summarized in the following tables:

Calculation of RF Exposure cm inches Calculations for Exposure 25.4 10.00

Vendor Part Number	Peak Conducted Power (mW)	Antenna Gain (dBi)	Cable Loss (dB)	Antenna - Cable System Gain (dBi)	Pwr Density @ 25.4 cm (mW/cm²)	Pwr Density Limit (mW/cm²)	Pass - Fail
520 10087	1000.0	7.5	2.4	5.1	0.399	0.601	Pass
1309.17.0085	1000.0	8	2.4	5.6	0.448	0.601	Pass
NSS-N7	1000.0	5.5	2.4	3.1	0.252	0.601	Pass

The worst case exposure for all antennas is below the limits defined by the FCC.