

# **Radio Frequency Exposure Evaluation Report**

For

Xirgo Technologies, Inc.

Wireless Zigbee Sensor

FCC ID: **GKM-XT1000** IC ID: **10281A-XT1000** Model No.: **XT-1010** 

# **Applied Rules and Standards**

CFR Part Part 1 (1.1307 &1.1310), Part 2 (2.1091), FCC KDB 447498 D01 General 24 RF Exposure Guidance v05r02

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#### **Administrative Data** 1

# 1.1 Identification of the Testing Laboratory Issuing the Test Report

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#### **Equipment under Assessment** 2

Marketing Name / Description:	Wireless Zigbee Sensor				
FCC-ID:	GKM-XT1000				
IC certification no.:	10281A-XT1000				
<b>Model Number:</b>	XT-1010				
<b>Product Description:</b>	Sensor with Zigbee Transmitter				
Transmitter information:	ZigBee IEEE 802.15.4 (2.4GHz);				
Antennae:	SMD				
Co-located Transmitters/ Antennas?	none				
<b>Device Category:</b>	■ Fixed Installation □ Mobile (mark mobile if both possible) □ Portable □ mixed Mobile and Portable				
<b>Exposure Category:</b>	☐ Occupational/ Controlled ☐ General Population/ Uncontrolled				
Rated Operating Voltage:	Vmin: 8.0V/ Vnom: 12.0V/ Vmax: 24V, supplied by solar or car battery;				
Rated Operating temperature range:	Tmin: -30°C / Tmax: 70°C				
<b>Test Sample Status:</b>	Pre-production				

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### 3 Assessment

This RF Exposure evaluation report provides information about compliance of the below identified device with the RF Exposure limits for mobile devices as defined in FCC CFR Part 1 (1.1307 &1.1310), Part 2 (2.1091) and IC standard RSS-102 under given conditions (measured or rated RF output power, antenna gain, distance towards human body, multiple transmitter information as presented by the applicant).

In addition, maximum antenna gain or minimum distance towards the human body is calculated, respectively, where relevant.

The device meets the limits as stipulated by the above given FCC and IC rule parts based on available specifications.

Company	Description	Model #		
Xirgo Technologies, Inc	Wireless Zigbee Sensor	XT-1010		

### Report reviewed by:

Franz Engert

Date	Section	Name	Signature	
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### 4 RF Exposure Limits and FCC and IC Basic Rules

**For the specific described radio apparatus** the following basic limits and rules apply for both, FCC and IC where not indicated differently.

### 4.1 Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) Limits acc. to FCC 1.1310(e) / RSS-102, cl. 4.2:

Frequency Range (MHz)	Power density (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Averaging time (minutes)
300 – 1500	f (MHz) /1500	30 (IC:6)
1500 – 100.000 (IC:1500 – 150000)	1.0	30 (IC:6)

# 4.2 Routine Environmental Evaluation Categorical Exclusion Limits acc. to FCC 2.109(c) / RSS-102, cl. 2.5 (rounded to 1 decimal point):

Operating frequency < 1.5GHz: excluded if ERP < 1.5W / 31.8dBm (IC: 2.5W / 34.0dBm EIRP); Operating frequency > 1.5GHz: excluded if ERP < 3.0W / 34.8dBm (IC: 5.0W / 37.0dBm EIRP);

# 4.3 EMC Output Power Limits (ERP/EIRP) acc. to FCC part 15.247 / IC RSS-210, (to be additionally taken into account for maximum antenna gain considerations)

FCC part 15.247 and IC RSS-210 Annex 8: 4W EIRP

Per KDB 447498 D01 FCC allows calculative estimation of RF exposure for mobile applications when routine environmental evaluation categorical exclusion applies and also for fixed applications. When categorical exclusion can not be claimed for mobile applications MPE measurement is required for TCB approval.

RSS-102 of Industry Canada does generally not require RF exposure evaluation for fixed or mobile applications which stay below the given exclusion limits.

### **4.4** RF Exposure Estimation (MPE Estimation)

Having available the source based average output power and peak antenna gain or the ERP/EIRP of the specified device and for a known minimum distance of it's radiating structures from the body of persons according to it's use cases (at least 20cm) the power density at that distance can be estimated by the following formula for plane-wave equivalent conditions (far-field conditions), when ground reflection is neglected.

$$S = \frac{PG}{4\pi R^2}$$

where:  $S = power density (mW/cm^2 or W/m^2)$ 

P = power input to the antenna (mW or W)

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 (cm or m)

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### 5 Evaluations

## 5.1 Routine Environmental Evaluation Applicability

Transmission Mode	Pr	peak gain	attenu ation	duty cycle	EIRP, source based time averaged (EIRPmax)	total EIRP simul taneous trans missions intra-band (worst cases only)	FCC & IC Limit for Routine Environme ntal Evaluation Applicabili ty, EIRP	excluded?
	dBm	dBi	dB	%	dBm	dBm	dBm	
ZigBee 2.4 GHz	10.8	0.5	n.a.	100	11.3	n.a.	36.9	yes

**Result:** The transmitter in the equipment is categorically excluded from Routine Environmental Evaluation. There are no intra-band co-transmissions possible in the device.

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### 5.2 Compliance with MPE (Power Density) limits

### **Limits:**

Smax @ 824MHz = 0.55mW/cm<sup>2</sup> (824MHz is worst case as lowest operating frequency in the cellular band):

Smax @ 1900MHz and @ 2400MHz =  $1.0 \text{mW/cm}^{2}$ ;

The highest source base time averaged EIRPmax per band calculated with the rated peak antenna gain values are taken from the table in section 5.1 above;

The highest power density is resulting from the formula:  $S = EIRPmax / 4*\pi*r^2$ ;

The power density is calculated for the minimum distance r = 20cm (which is a very unlikely narrow distance for the device under consideration);

Highest source base time averaged EIRP with Zigbee 2.4GHz: 11.3dBm; Resulting maximum power density at 2400MHz: **S(2400MHz)** = **0.002mW/cm<sup>2</sup>** 

**Result:** The equipment fulfills the MPE limits for the minimum distance between the antenna and the human body of 20cm, for the rated peak antenna gain.

### 5.3 Simultaneous Transmission MPE Test Exclusion (per KDB 447498 D01)

n.a.

### 5.4 Maximum allowed Antenna Gain – Gmax

not applicable since fixed internal antenna is used in the product.

### 6 Revision History

Date	Change Description	Revision
2014-09-08	Initial version	initial