



RF Exposure Evaluation Declaration

FCC ID: H8N-RG8000W

APPLICANT: ASKEY COMPUTER CORP

Application Type: Certification

Product: Gateway

Model No.: QB-GW-TAC

Trademark: ASKEY

FCC Classification: Digital Transmission System (DTS)
Unlicensed National Information Infrastructure (UNII)

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Revision History

| Report No. | Version | Description | Issue Date |
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1. PRODUCT INFORMATION

1.1. Equipment Description

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|------------------------------|--|
| Product Name | Gateway |
| Model No. | QB-GW-TAC |
| Brand Name | ASKEY |
| Wi-Fi Specification | 802.11a/b/g/n/ac |
| Frequency Range | <p><u>2.4GHz:</u> For 802.11b/g/n-HT20: 2412 ~ 2462 MHz For 802.11n-HT40: 2422 ~ 2452 MHz</p> <p><u>5GHz:</u> For 802.11a/n-HT20: 5180~5320MHz, 5500~5700MHz, 5745~5825MHz For 802.11ac-VHT20: 5180~5320MHz, 5500~5720MHz, 5745~5825MHz For 802.11n-HT40: 5190~5310MHz, 5510~5670MHz, 5755~5795MHz For 802.11ac-VHT40: 5190~5310MHz, 5510~5710MHz, 5755~5795MHz For 802.11ac-VHT80: 5210MHz, 5290MHz, 5530MHz, 5610MHz, 5690MHz, 5775MHz</p> |
| Type of Modulation | 802.11b: DSSS 802.11g/a/n/ac: OFDM |
| Maximum Average Output Power | <p><u>For 2.4GHz Band:</u> 802.11b: 26.60dBm 802.11g: 25.80dBm 802.11n-HT20: 25.44dBm 802.11n-HT40: 26.72dBm</p> <p><u>For 5GHz Band:</u> 802.11a: 24.91dBm 802.11n-HT20: 25.00dBm 802.11n-HT40: 24.57dBm 802.11ac-VHT20: 24.93dBm 802.11ac-VHT40: 25.03dBm 802.11ac-VHT80: 24.22dBm</p> |

1.2. Antenna Description

| Antenna Type | Frequency Band (MHz) | Tx Paths | Per Chain Max Antenna Gain (dBi) | | | Beam Forming & CDD Directional Gain (dBi) |
|--------------|----------------------|----------|----------------------------------|-------|-------|---|
| | | | Ant 0 | Ant 1 | Ant 2 | |
| PCB Antenna | 2412 ~2462 | 3 | 5.41 | 2.62 | 1.99 | 8.24 |

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|--------------|----------------------|----------|----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|------------------------|
| | | | Ant 0 | Ant 1 | Ant 2 | Ant 3 | |
| PCB Antenna | 5150 ~ 5250 | 4 | 4.84 | 5.12 | 4.34 | 5.41 | 10.96 |
| | 5250 ~ 5350 | 4 | 4.74 | 5.02 | 4.39 | 5.41 | 10.92 |
| | 5470 ~ 5725 | 4 | 4.53 | 5.14 | 4.51 | 4.98 | 10.81 |
| | 5725 ~ 5850 | 4 | 4.28 | 5.14 | 3.48 | 5.11 | 10.55 |

1. The EUT supports Cyclic Delay Diversity (CDD) technology, and that CDD technology is correlated.

(1) *Correlated signals include, but are not limited to, signals transmitted in any of the following modes:*

- Unequal Antenna gains, with equal transmit powers. For Antenna gains given by G_1, G_2, \dots, G_N dBi transmit signals are correlated, then
- Directional gain = $10 \cdot \log\left[\frac{(10^{G_1/20} + 10^{G_2/20} + \dots + 10^{G_N/20})^2}{N_{ANT}}\right]$ dBi [Note the “20”s in the denominator of each exponent and the square of the sum of terms; the object is to combine the signal levels coherently.]

For example: 2.4GHz Directional Gain = $10 \cdot \log\left[\frac{(10^{4.13/20} + 10^{3.82/20})^2}{2}\right] = 6.99$ dBi

5150 ~ 5250MHz Directional Gain = $10 \cdot \log\left[\frac{(10^{4.84/20} + 10^{5.12/20} + 10^{4.34/20} + 10^{5.41/20})^2}{4}\right] = 10.96$ dBi

2. RF Exposure Evaluation

2.1. Limits

According to FCC 1.1310: The criteria listed in the following table shall be used to evaluate the environment impact of human exposure to radio frequency (RF) radiation as specified in 1.1307(b)

LIMITS FOR MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE (MPE)

| Frequency Range (MHz) | Electric Field Strength (V/m) | Magnetic Field Strength (A/m) | Power Density (mW/cm ²) | Average Time (Minutes) |
|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------|
| (A) Limits for Occupational/ Control Exposures | | | | |
| 300-1500 | -- | -- | f/300 | 6 |
| 1500-100,000 | -- | -- | 5 | 6 |
| (B) Limits for General Population/ Uncontrolled Exposures | | | | |
| 300-1500 | -- | -- | f/1500 | 6 |
| 1500-100,000 | -- | -- | 1 | 30 |

f= Frequency in MHz

Calculation Formula: $Pd = (Pout \cdot G) / (4 \cdot \pi \cdot r^2)$

Where

Pd = power density in mW/cm²

Pout = output power to antenna in mW

G = gain of antenna in linear scale

Pi = 3.1416

r = distance between observation point and center of the radiator in cm

Pd is the limit of MPE, 1mW/cm². If we know the maximum gain of the antenna and the total power input to the antenna, through the calculation, we will know the distance r where the MPE limit is reached.

2.2. Test Procedure Used

1. Setup the EUT and simulators as shown in the test setup photo;
2. Make the EUT transmit at Max Power(refer section 1.1) in each band;
3. Move the Field Strength Meter to find position of each face which the Max Field Strength, and keep distance 20cm between the probe with EUT;
4. Rotating the Field Strength Meter to X, Y, Z axial, and record the Max Field Strength in each position of each face.

| Instrument | Manufacturer | Type No. | Measurement Range | Cali. Interval | Cali. Due Date |
|----------------------|--------------|----------|-------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Field Strength Meter | AR | FL7006 | 100kHz ~ 6GHz | 1 year | 2016/09/09 |

2.3. Test Result of RF Exposure Evaluation

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| Product | Gateway |
| Test Item | RF Exposure Evaluation |

Antenna Gain: refer to the section 1.2; the maximum Gain measured in fully anechoic chamber is 1dBi for Bluetooth Module.

For 2.4GHz ISM Band:

| Test Mode | Frequency Band (MHz) | Maximum Average Output Power (dBm) |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|
| 802.11b/g/n-HT20/ n-HT40 | 2412 ~ 2462 | 26.72 |

For 5GHz UNII Band:

| Test Mode | Frequency Band (MHz) | Maximum Average Output Power (dBm) |
|--|----------------------|------------------------------------|
| 802.11a/n-HT20/ n-H40/ac-VHT20 ac-VHT40/ac-VHT80 | 5180 ~ 5240 | 24.62 |
| | 5260 ~ 5320 | 18.58 |
| | 5500 ~ 5720 | 18.68 |
| | 5745 ~ 5825 | 25.03 |

Bluetooth Module

| Test Mode | Frequency Band (MHz) | Maximum Average Output Power (dBm) | Power Density at R = 20 cm (mW/cm ²) | Limit (mW/cm ²) |
|----------------|----------------------|------------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|
| Bluetooth v4.0 | 2402 ~ 2480 | 8.83 | 0.0019 | 1 |

MPE Measurement Result

| Test Mode | Frequency Band (MHz) | Position | Field Strength (V/m) |
|--|----------------------|----------|----------------------|
| 802.11b/g/n-HT20/ n-HT40 | 2412 ~ 2462 | Front | 15.84 |
| | | Back | 20.17 |
| | | Left | 14.97 |
| | | Right | 22.47 |
| | | Top | 24.78 |
| 802.11a/n-HT20/ n-H40/ac-VHT20 ac-VHT40/ac-VHT80 | 5180 ~ 5240 | Front | 21.88 |
| | | Back | 21.34 |
| | | Left | 26.17 |
| | | Right | 16.74 |
| | | Top | 22.06 |
| 802.11a/n-HT20/ n-H40/ac-VHT20 ac-VHT40/ac-VHT80 | 5260 ~ 5320 | Front | 18.08 |
| | | Back | 18.44 |
| | | Left | 20.43 |
| | | Right | 12.59 |
| | | Top | 18.57 |
| 802.11a/n-HT20/ n-H40/ac-VHT20 ac-VHT40/ac-VHT80 | 5500 ~ 5720 | Front | 17.10 |
| | | Back | 18.54 |
| | | Left | 19.84 |
| | | Right | 13.72 |
| | | Top | 17.42 |
| 802.11a/n-HT20/ n-H40/ac-VHT20 ac-VHT40/ac-VHT80 | 5745 ~ 5825 | Front | 17.79 |
| | | Back | 16.03 |
| | | Left | 24.07 |
| | | Right | 18.40 |
| | | Top | 18.99 |

Both of the WLAN 2.4GHz Band, WLAN 5GHz Band & Bluetooth Module can transmit simultaneously.

Therefore, $Max P_d = (V/m)^2 / 3770 \text{ mW/cm}^2$

$Max P_d = \{(2.4\text{GHz Max Field Strength})^2 + (5\text{GHz Max Field Strength})^2\} / 3770 + P_d(\text{Bluetooth Module}) = (24.78^2 + 26.17^2) / 3770 + 0.0019 = 0.3464 \text{ mW/cm}^2 < 1 \text{ mW/cm}^2$

Note: The detail Measurement result can refer to the Test Setup Photos.

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