FCC §15.247 (i) & §2.1091- MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE (MPE)

Applicable Standard

According to FCC §15.247(i)and §1.1307(b)(1), 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 level in excess of the Commission's guidelines.

(B) Limits for General Population/Uncontrolled Exposure									
Frequency Range (MHz)	Electric Field Strength (V/m)	Magnetic Field Strength (A/m)	Power Density (mW/cm ²)	Averaging Time (minutes)					
0.3–1.34	614	1.63	*(100)	30					
1.34–30	824/f	2.19/f	*(180/f²)	30					
30–300	27.5	0.073	0.2	30					
300-1500	/	/	f/1500	30					
1500-100,000	/	/	1.0	30					

Limits for Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) (§1.1310, §2.1091)

f = frequency in MHz;

* = Plane-wave equivalent power density;

According to §1.1310 and §2.1091 RF exposure is calculated.

MPE Calculation

MPE is calculated at a given distance

$$S = PG/4\pi R^2$$

Where:

- S = power density (in appropriate units, e.g. mW/cm²);
- 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;
- \mathbf{R} = distance to the center of radiation of the antenna (appropriate units, e.g., cm)

Radio	Frequency (MHz)	Antenna Gain		Conducted Power		Evaluation	Power	MPE Limit
Mode		(dBi)	(numeric)	(dBm)	(mW)	(cm)	(mW/cm ²)	(mW/cm ²)
802.11b	2412	3	2.0	15.26	33.57	20	0.013363854	1.0
802.11g	2412	3	2.0	13.12	20.51	20	0.008164809	1.0
802.11n20	2412	3	2.0	12.97	19.82	20	0.007890127	1.0
802.11n40	2422	3	2.0	13.01	20.00	20	0.007961783	1.0

Result: The device meets the MPE limit at 20 cm distance, the RF exposure information for the end-user have been addressed in the user manual.