

# **RF Exposure Evaluation Declaration**

- FCC ID: LNQ-WF825
- Applicant: Actiontec Electronics Inc.
- Product: Tri-band Wi-Fi 7 Wireless AP
- Model No.: GRBE330C, WF-825
- **FCC Classification:** Digital Transmission System (DTS)
  - Unlicensed National Information Infrastructure (NII)

15E 6GHz Low Power Indoor Access Point (6ID)

- FCC Rule Part(s): FCC Part 2.1091
- Evaluated Date: 2024-03-07
- Result: Complies

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### 1. General Information

#### 1.1. Applicant

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### 1.3. Testing Facility

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	Laboratory Accre	editations						
	A2LA: 3628.01		CNAS	: L10551				
	FCC: CN1166		ISED:	CN0001				
	VOOL	<b>R-20025</b>	□G-20034	C-20020	T-20020			
	VCCI:	□R-20141	□G-20134	C-20103	□T-20104			
	Test Site – MRT Shenzhen Laboratory							
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	China							
	Laboratory Accre	ditations						
	A2LA: 3628.02	CNAS: L10551						
	FCC: CN1284		ISED:	CN0105				
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	Laboratory Accre	editations						
	TAF: 3261							
	FCC: 291082, TW	3261	ISED:	TW3261				



#### 1.4. Product Information

Product Name	Tri-band Wi-Fi 7 Wireless AP			
Model No.	GRBE330C, WF-825			
Wi-Fi Specification	802.11a/b/g/n/ac/ax/be			
Bluetooth Specification	V5.0 (Single mode, LE only)			
Antenna Information	Refer to Section 1.7			
Accessory				
Adapter	Model: KL-WA150400-Q1			
Input: 100-240V ~ 50/60Hz 2.0A				
Output: 15.0V - 4.0A				
Notes:				

votes:

- 1. There is not any hardware or software differences between GRBE330C and WF-825, only for different brand.
- 2. The information of EUT was provided by the manufacturer, and the accuracy of the information shall be the responsibility of the manufacturer.

#### 1.5. Antenna Details

Ante	enna Type	Frequency (MHz)	TX Paths		Antenna Gain (dBi)		Directional Gain (dBi)		
				Ant 0	Ant 1	Ant 2	Ant 3	Correlated	Uncorrelated
Wi-F	-i Antenna								
		2412 ~ 2462	4	3.72	3.73	3.79	3.59	5.49	0.23
	PIFA	5180 ~ 5825	4	4.40	4.82	4.57	4.34	6.74	1.45
		5925 ~ 7125	4	4.50	4.88	4.91	4.70	6.90	1.27
Blue	etooth Anten	na							
	PCB 2402 ~ 2480 1 4.99								
Rem	nark:								
1.	The antenr	na gain and direction	nal gain ref	er to ma	nufactu	rer's ante	enna spec	cification.	
2.	The device	e supports CDD Mod	de, STBC m	node and	d SISO i	mode, de	etails refe	r to the table a	s below.
3.	CDD signa	lls are correlated, th	e directiona	al gain a	s follows	S,			
	For power	measurements: Arra	ay Gain = 0	dB for I	N <sub>ANT</sub> ≤ 4	, the dire	ectional ga	ain = max ante	nna gain +
	array gain								
	For power	spectral density (PS	SD) measur	ements	the ma	x directio	onal gain	(each angle) =	10 log[(10 <sup>G1</sup>
	<sup>/20</sup> + 10 <sup>G2 /20</sup> + + 10 <sup>GN /20</sup> ) <sup>2</sup> /N <sub>ANT</sub> ]								
4.	STBC sign	als are uncorrelated	l, the direct	ional ga	in as fol	lows,			
	the max di	rectional gain (each	angle) = 10	0 log[(10	) <sup>G1 /10</sup> + ′	10 <sup>G2 /10</sup> +	+ 10 <sup>G</sup>	<sup>N /10</sup> )/NANT]	



Test Mode	Tx Paths	SISO	CDD Mode	STBC Mode				
Wi-Fi 2.4G								
802.11b/g	4	Х	$\checkmark$	Х				
802.11n/ax	4	Х	Х	$\checkmark$				
Wi-Fi 5G	Wi-Fi 5G							
802.11a	4	Х		Х				
802.11n/ac/ax/be	4	Х	Х	$\checkmark$				
Wi-Fi 6G								
802.11a	1 (Ant 0)		Х	Х				
802.11a	4	Х	$\checkmark$	Х				
802.11ax/be	4	Х	Х	$\checkmark$				
Remark: "√" means "S	upport", "X" means "N	ot support".	·					

#### 1.6. Device Classification

According to the user manual, the antenna of this device is at least 20cm away from the body of the user, this device is classified as a Mobile Device. So, the RF exposure evaluation requirements of § 2.1091 for mobile device exposure conditions subject to MPE limits.

#### 1.7. Applied Standards

According to the specifications of the manufacturer, the EUT must comply with the requirements of the following standards:

• FCC Part 2.1091 & KDB 447498 D04 Interim General RF Exposure Guidance v01



## 2. RF Exposure Evaluation

#### 2.1. Test 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)

Frequency Range	Electric Field	Magnetic Field	Power Density	Average Time				
(MHz)	Strength (V/m)	Strength (A/m)	(mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	(Minutes)				
(A) Limits for Occupational/ Control Exposures								
0.3-3.0	614	1.63	*(100)	≤6				
3.0-30	1842/f	4.89/f	*(900/f <sup>2</sup> )	<6				
30-300	61.4	0.163	1.0	<6				
300-1,500	-		f/300	<6				
1,500-100,000			5	<6				
	(B) Limits for Gen	eral Population/ Uncor	trolled Exposures					
0.3-1.34	614	1.63	*(100)	<30				
1.34-30	824/f	2.19/f	*(180/f <sup>2</sup> )	<30				
30-300	27.5	0.073	0.2	<30				
300-1,500			f/1500	<30				
1,500-100,000			1.0	<30				

#### Limits For Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE)

f= frequency in MHz. \* = Plane-wave equivalent power density.

#### 2.2. MPE Exemptions

**For single RF sources** (i.e., any single fixed RF source, mobile device, or portable device, as defined in paragraph §1.1307(b)(2) of this section): A single RF source is exempt if:

**(Option A)** The available maximum time-averaged power is no more than 1 mW, regardless of separation distance. This exemption may not be used in conjunction with other exemption criteria other than those in paragraph §1.1307(b)(3)(ii)(A) of this section.

Medical implant devices may only use this exemption and that in paragraph §1.1307(b)(3)(ii)(A);

**(Option B)** Or the available maximum time-averaged power or effective radiated power (ERP), whichever is greater, is less than or equal to the threshold P (mW) described in the following formula. This method shall only be used at separation distances (cm) from 0.5 centimeters to 40 centimeters and at frequencies from 0.3 GHz to 6 GHz (inclusive). P is given by:

 $P th(mW) = \{ERP_{20cm}(d / 20cm)^{x} d \le 20cm\}$ 

 $P th(mW) = \{ERP_{20cm} \ 20cm < d \le 40cm$ 

Where

 $x = -\log_{10}\left(\frac{60}{ERP_{20}cm\sqrt{f}}\right)$  and f is in GHz;

and

 $ERP_{20cm}(mW) = \{2040f \ 0.3GHz \le f < 1.5GHz \\ ERP_{20cm}(mW) = \{3060 \ 1.5GHz \le f \le 6GHz \}$ 

(**Option C**) Or using Table 1 and the minimum separation distance (R in meters) from the body of a nearby person for the frequency (f in MHz) at which the source operates, the ERP (watts) is no more than the calculated value prescribed for that frequency. For the exemption in Table 1 to apply, R must be at least  $\lambda/2\pi$ , where  $\lambda$  is the free-space operating wavelength in meters. If the ERP of a single RF source is not easily obtained, then the available maximum time-averaged power may be used in lieu of ERP if the physical dimensions of the radiating structure(s) do not exceed the electrical length of  $\lambda/4$  or if the antenna gain is less than that of a half-wave dipole (1.64 linear value).



RF Source Frequency (MHz)	Threshold ERP (watts)
0.3-1.34	1920R <sup>2</sup>
1.34-30	3450R <sup>2</sup> /f <sup>2</sup>
30-300	3.83R <sup>2</sup>
300-1,500	0.0128R <sup>2</sup> f
1,500-100,000	19.2R <sup>2</sup>

Table 1 to §1.1307(b)(3)(i)(C) - Single RF Sources Subject to Routine Environmental Evaluation

For multiple RF sources: Multiple RF sources are exempt if:

(A) The available maximum time-averaged power of each source is no more than 1 mW and there is a separation distance of two centimeters between any portion of a radiating structure operating and the nearest portion of any other radiating structure in the same device, except if the sum of multiple sources is less than 1 mW during the time-averaging period, in which case they may be treated as a single source (separation is not required). This exemption may not be used in conjunction with other exemption criteria other than those is paragraph \$1.1307(b)(3)(i)(A) of this section. Medical implant devices may only use this exemption and that in paragraph \$1.1307(b)(3)(i)(A).

(B) in the case of fixed RF sources operating in the same time-averaging period, or of multiple mobile or portable RF sources within a device operating in the same time averaging period, if the sum of the fractional contributions to the applicable thresholds is less than or equal to 1 as indicated in the following equation.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{a} \frac{P_i}{P_{th,i}} + \sum_{j=1}^{b} \frac{ERP_j}{ERP_{th,j}} + \sum_{k=1}^{c} \frac{Evaluated_k}{Exposure\ Limit_k} \le 1$$

1.

Where:

**a** = number of fixed, mobile, or portable RF sources claiming exemption using paragraph (1.1307(b)(3)(i)(B)) of this section for  $P_{th}$ , including existing exempt transmitters and those being added.

**b** = number of fixed, mobile, or portable RF sources claiming exemption using paragraph §1.1307(b)(3)(i)(C) of this section for Threshold ERP, including existing exempt transmitters and those being added.

c = number of existing fixed, mobile, or portable RF sources with known evaluation for the specified minimum distance including existing evaluated transmitters.

*P*<sub>i</sub> = the available maximum time-averaged power or the ERP, whichever is greater, for fixed, mobile, or

portable RF source *i* at a distance between 0.5 cm and 40 cm (inclusive).

 $P_{th,i}$  = the exemption threshold power ( $P_{th}$ ) according to paragraph §1.1307(b)(3)(i)(B) of this section for fixed, mobile, or portable RF source *i*.

**ERP**<sub>*j*</sub> = the ERP of fixed, mobile, or portable RF source *j*.



**ERP**<sub>th,j</sub> = exemption threshold ERP for fixed, mobile, or portable RF source *j*, at a distance of at least  $\lambda/2\pi$  according to the applicable formula of paragraph §1.1307(b)(3)(i)(C) of this section.

**Evaluated**<sub>k</sub> = the maximum reported SAR or MPE of fixed, mobile, or portable RF source k either in the device or at the transmitter site from an existing evaluation at the location of exposure.

*Exposure Limit*<sub>*k*</sub> = either the general population/uncontrolled maximum permissible exposure (MPE) or specific absorption rate (SAR) limit for each fixed, mobile, or portable RF source *k*, as applicable from §1.1310 of this chapter.



#### 2.3. Calculated Result

Product	Tri-band Wi-Fi 7 Wireless AP
Test Item	RF Exposure Evaluation

Test Mode	Frequency Band	Maximum	Tune-up	Antenna Gain	Tune-up ERP
	(MHz)	Conducted Power Conducted Power		(dBi)	(dBm)
		(dBm)	(dBm)		
BLE	2402 ~ 2480	9.27	9.77	4.99	12.61
802.11b/g/n/ax	2412 ~ 2462	29.53	30.03	3.79	31.67
802.11a/n/ac/ax/be	5180 ~ 5825	29.18	29.68	4.82	32.35
802.11a/ax/be	5955 ~ 7095				27.85

Note:

- 1. Tune-up power and the tune-up EIRP of  $5955 \sim 7095$  band were declared by manufacturer.
- 2. Tune-up ERP = Tune-up Conducted Power + Antenna Gain 2.15, for 5955 ~ 7095MHz band, the Tuneup ERP = Max. EIRP (dBm) + 0.5dB – 2.15, Max. EIRP is from 2312RSU008-U5.

#### For single RF source, Option C

Test Mode	λ / 2 π	R	Tune-up ERP	Threshold ERP
	(m)	(m)	(mW)	(mW)
BLE (DTS)	0.0199	0.45	18.24	3888.00
Wi-Fi (DTS)	0.0198	0.45	1468.93	3888.00
Wi-Fi (NII)	0.0092	0.45	1717.91	3888.00
Wi-Fi (6ID)	0.0080	0.45	609.54	3888.00

Note 1: R is from user manual.

Note 2: ERP (mW) =  $10^{(\text{Tune-up ERP(dBm))/10}}$  (mW)

#### For multiple RF sources

The EUT supports Wi-Fi 2.4GHz + Wi-Fi 5GHz + Wi-Fi 6GHz + Bluetooth simultaneous transmissions. So the Max Simultaneous Transmission = 18.24/3888 (DTS) + 1468.93/3888 (DTS) + 1717.91/3888 (NII) + 609.54/3888 (6ID) = 0.9811 < 1

Therefore, the device qualifies for RF exposure test exemption.

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