

Environmental evaluation and exposure limit according to FCC CFR 47part 1, §1.1307, §1.1310 and RSS-102

Limit for power density for general population/uncontrolled exposure is $f/1500$ mW/cm² for 300 – 1500 MHz frequency range:

$$P = 450/1500 = 0.3 \text{ mW/cm}^2$$

The power density P (mW/cm²) = $P_T / 4\pi r^2$, where P_T is the maximum equivalent isotropically radiated power (EIRP).

To confirm compliance with a safe distance for fixed base station the following calculation was done:

- 1) The peak output power of 43 dBm with 2 dBi antenna gain corresponds to the equivalent isotropically radiated power (EIRP) of

$$43 \text{ dBm} + 2 \text{ dBi} = 45 \text{ dBm}, \text{ which is equal to } 31622.8 \text{ mW}.$$

- 2) On sites with the 5.8 dBi antenna installation the peak output power of 39.2 dBm is permitted, the EIRP is 39.2 dBm + 5.8 dBi = 45 dBm, which is equal to 31622.8 mW.

The minimum safe distance “r”, where RF exposure does not exceed FCC permissible limit, is

$$r = \sqrt{P_T / (P \times 4\pi)} = \sqrt{31622.8 / (0.3 \times 12.56)} \approx 92 \text{ cm} < 2 \text{ m} .$$

General public cannot be exposed to dangerous RF level.