

5. RF EXPOSURE EVALUATION

5.1 MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE (MPE)

5.1.1 Applicable Standard

According to 1.1307 (b)(1), 2.1091 systems operating under the provisions of this section shall be operated in a manner that ensures the public is not exposed to RF energy level in excess of the communication guidelines.

Limits for Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE)

Limits for Occupational/Controlled Exposure				
Frequency Range (MHz)	Electric Field Strength (V/m)	Magnetic Field Strength (A/m)	Power Density (mW/cm ²)	Averaging Time (minutes)
0.3- 3.0	614	1.63	(100)*	6
3.0 - 30	1842/f	4.89/f	(900/f ²)*	6
30-300	61.4	0.163	1.0	6
300-1500	/	/	f/300	6
1500-100,000	/	/	5	6

f = frequency in MHz;

* = Plane-wave equivalent power density;

5.1.2 MPE Calculation

Prediction of power density at the distance of the applicable MPE limit

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

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

R = distance to the center of radiation of the antenna (appropriate units, e.g., cm);

5.1.3 Calculated Result

Frequency (MHz)	Maximum Allowable Antenna Gain (dBi)	Cable Loss (dB)	Maximum Average output power including Tune-up Tolerance (dBm)	Operation Duty Cycle (%)	Evaluation Distance (cm)	Power Density (mW/cm ²)	Power Density Limit (mW/cm ²)
156.025-157.425	9	1	43.98	50	89	0.794	1

Result: Device meet MPE requirement at 89 cm distance away from Antenna.

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