

# RF Exposure Evaluation Report

APPLICANT : DZS Inc.  
EQUIPMENT : XGSPON ONT  
BRAND NAME :   
MODEL NAME : 5228XG  
FCC ID : PJZ5228XG  
STANDARD : 47 CFR Part 2.1091  
FCC KDB 447498 D01 v06

The product evaluation date was started from Apr. 24, 2023 and completed on Apr. 24, 2023. We, Sporton International Inc. (Kunshan), would like to declare that the device has been evaluated in accordance with 47 CFR Part 2.1091 and FCC KDB 447498 D01 v06, and pass the limit. Without written approval of Sporton International Inc. (Kunshan), the test report shall not be reproduced except in full.



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## **1. Administration Data**

### **1.1. Testing Laboratory**

Sporton International Inc. (Kunshan) is accredited to ISO/IEC 17025:2017 by American Association for Laboratory Accreditation with Certificate Number 5145.02.

| Testing Laboratory |                                                                                                                                                                          |                     |                                |
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## 2. Description of Equipment Under Test (EUT)

| Product Feature & Specification         |                                                                                                                                                                                   |       |       |       |       |
|-----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| EUT Type                                | XGSPON ONT                                                                                                                                                                        |       |       |       |       |
| Brand Name                              |                                                                                                  |       |       |       |       |
| Model Name                              | 5228XG                                                                                                                                                                            |       |       |       |       |
| FCC ID                                  | PJZ5228XG                                                                                                                                                                         |       |       |       |       |
| Wireless Technology and Frequency Range | WLAN 2.4GHz Band: 2412 MHz ~ 2462 MHz<br>WLAN 5.2GHz Band: 5180 MHz ~ 5240 MHz<br>WLAN 5.8GHz Band: 5745 MHz ~ 5825 MHz                                                           |       |       |       |       |
| Mode                                    | WLAN 2.4GHz 802.11b/g/n HT20/HT40<br>WLAN 2.4GHz 802.11ax HE20/HE40<br>WLAN 5GHz 802.11a/n HT20/HT40<br>WLAN 5GHz 802.11ac VHT20/VHT40/VHT80<br>WLAN 5GHz 802.11ax HE20/HE40/HE80 |       |       |       |       |
| Antenna Gain                            | WLAN                                                                                                                                                                              | Ant 0 | Ant 1 | Ant 2 |       |
|                                         | WLAN2.4GHz                                                                                                                                                                        | 3.51  | 3.67  | 3.47  |       |
|                                         | WLAN                                                                                                                                                                              | Ant 0 | Ant 1 | Ant 2 | Ant 3 |
|                                         | WLAN5.2GHz                                                                                                                                                                        | 4.50  | 4.55  | 4.55  | 4.41  |
|                                         | WLAN5.8GHz                                                                                                                                                                        | 4.52  | 4.54  | 4.46  | 4.37  |
| Antenna Type                            | WLAN: PCB Antenna                                                                                                                                                                 |       |       |       |       |
| HW Version                              | V02                                                                                                                                                                               |       |       |       |       |
| SW Version                              | S7.0.021                                                                                                                                                                          |       |       |       |       |
| EUT Stage                               | Production Unit                                                                                                                                                                   |       |       |       |       |

**Remark:**

1. The above EUT's information was declared by manufacturer. Please refer to the specifications or user's manual for more detailed description.
2. WLAN2.4GHz/WLAN5GHz all support SISO and MIMO mode, we chose MIMO tune up power to perform MPE calculation conservatively.
3. The device supports 1S3T(CDD&TXBF) mode in WLAN 2.4GHz and 1S4T(CDD&TXBF) mode in WLAN 5GHz.
4. This device support beamforming for WLAN 2.4GHz 802.11n/ax HT20/HT40/HE20/HE40, WLAN 5GHz 802.11n/ac/ax HT20/HT40/VHT20/VHT40/VHT80/HE20/HE40/HE80.
5. The gain calculation method of WLAN beamforming mode is referenced to KDB 662911.

**Comments and Explanations:**

1. The declared of product specification for EUT presented in the report are provided by the manufacturer, and the manufacturer takes all the responsibilities for the accuracy of product specification.
2. The maximum RF output tune up power, antenna gain also the safe distance used for evaluate RF exposure were declared by manufacturer.

**3. Maximum RF average output tune up power among production units**

&lt;For MIMO mode&gt;

**<2.4GHz WLAN >**

| Mode   |               | Maximum Average Power (dBm) |
|--------|---------------|-----------------------------|
|        |               | Ant 0+1+2                   |
| 2.4GHz | 802.11b       | 30.0                        |
|        | 802.11g       | 30.0                        |
|        | 802.11n-HT20  | 29.0                        |
|        | 802.11n-HT40  | 25.0                        |
|        | 802.11ax-HE20 | 29.0                        |
|        | 802.11ax-HE40 | 25.0                        |

**<5GHz WLAN >**

| Mode   |                | Maximum Average Power (dBm) |
|--------|----------------|-----------------------------|
|        |                | Ant 0+1+2+3                 |
| 5.2GHz | 802.11a        | 26.0                        |
|        | 802.11n-HT20   | 27.0                        |
|        | 802.11n-HT40   | 29.5                        |
|        | 802.11ac-VHT20 | 27.0                        |
|        | 802.11ac-VHT40 | 29.5                        |
|        | 802.11ac-VHT80 | 27.0                        |
|        | 802.11ax-HE20  | 27.0                        |
|        | 802.11ax-HE40  | 29.5                        |
|        | 802.11ax-HE80  | 27.0                        |
| 5.8GHz | 802.11a        | 21.0                        |
|        | 802.11n-HT20   | 22.0                        |
|        | 802.11n-HT40   | 30.0                        |
|        | 802.11ac-VHT20 | 22.0                        |
|        | 802.11ac-VHT40 | 30.0                        |
|        | 802.11ac-VHT80 | 26.0                        |
|        | 802.11ax-HE20  | 22.0                        |
|        | 802.11ax-HE40  | 30.0                        |
|        | 802.11ax-HE80  | 26.0                        |



&lt;For Beamforming mode&gt;

**<2.4GHz WLAN >**

| Mode   |               | Maximum Average Power (dBm) |
|--------|---------------|-----------------------------|
|        |               | Ant 0+1+2                   |
| 2.4GHz | 802.11n-HT20  | 25.0                        |
|        | 802.11n-HT40  | 20.0                        |
|        | 802.11ax-HE20 | 25.0                        |
|        | 802.11ax-HE40 | 20.0                        |

**<5GHz WLAN >**

| Mode   |                | Maximum Average Power (dBm) |
|--------|----------------|-----------------------------|
|        |                | Ant 0+1+2+3                 |
| 5.2GHz | 802.11n-HT20   | 20.5                        |
|        | 802.11n-HT40   | 23.0                        |
|        | 802.11ac-VHT20 | 20.5                        |
|        | 802.11ac-VHT40 | 23.0                        |
|        | 802.11ac-VHT80 | 22.0                        |
|        | 802.11ax-HE20  | 20.5                        |
|        | 802.11ax-HE40  | 23.0                        |
|        | 802.11ax-HE80  | 22.0                        |
| 5.8GHz | 802.11n-HT20   | 15.5                        |
|        | 802.11n-HT40   | 25.0                        |
|        | 802.11ac-VHT20 | 15.5                        |
|        | 802.11ac-VHT40 | 25.0                        |
|        | 802.11ac-VHT80 | 20.0                        |
|        | 802.11ax-HE20  | 15.5                        |
|        | 802.11ax-HE40  | 25.0                        |
|        | 802.11ax-HE80  | 20.0                        |

Note: This device support beamforming for WLAN 2.4GHz 802.11n/ax HT20/HT40/HE20/HE40, WLAN 5GHz 802.11n/ac/ax HT20/HT40/VHT20/VHT40/VHT80/HE20/HE40/HE80.

## 4. RF Exposure Limit Introduction

According to ANSI/IEEE C95.1-1992, the criteria listed in Table 1 shall be used to evaluate the environmental impact of human exposure to radio frequency (RF) radiation as specified in §1.1310.

| Frequency range (MHz)                                          | Electric field strength (V/m) | Magnetic field strength (A/m) | Power density (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> ) | Averaging time (minutes) |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>(A) Limits for Occupational/Controlled Exposures</b>        |                               |                               |                                     |                          |
| 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                        |
| 300-1500                                                       |                               |                               | f/300                               | 6                        |
| 1500-100,000                                                   |                               |                               | 5                                   | 6                        |
| <b>(B) Limits for General Population/Uncontrolled Exposure</b> |                               |                               |                                     |                          |
| 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                       |
| 300-1500                                                       |                               |                               | f/1500                              | 30                       |
| 1500-100,000                                                   |                               |                               | 1.0                                 | 30                       |

The MPE was calculated at 22 cm to show compliance with the power density limit.

The following formula was used to calculate the Power Density:

$$S = \frac{PG}{4\pi R^2}$$

Where:

S = Power Density

P = Output Power at Antenna Terminals

G = Gain of Transmit Antenna (linear gain)

R = Distance from Transmitting Antenna



## 5. Radio Frequency Radiation Exposure Evaluation

### 5.1. Standalone Power Density Calculation

#### <MIMO mode>

| Band        | Frequency (MHz) | Antenna Gain (dBi) | Maximum Power (dBm) | Maximum EIRP (dBm) | Average EIRP (mW) | Power Density at 22cm (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> ) | Limit (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> ) | Power Density / Limit |
|-------------|-----------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| 2.4GHz WLAN | 2412.0          | 3.67               | 30.00               | 33.670             | 2328.091          | 0.383                                       | 1.000                       | <b>0.383</b>          |
| 5.2GHz WLAN | 5180.0          | 4.55               | 29.50               | 34.050             | 2540.973          | 0.418                                       | 1.000                       | 0.418                 |
| 5.8GHz WLAN | 5745.0          | 4.54               | 30.00               | 34.540             | 2844.461          | 0.468                                       | 1.000                       | <b>0.468</b>          |

#### <Beamforming mode>

| Band        | Frequency (MHz) | Antenna Gain (dBi) | Maximum Power (dBm) | Maximum EIRP (dBm) | Average EIRP (mW) | Power Density at 22cm (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> ) | Limit (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> ) | Power Density / Limit |
|-------------|-----------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| 2.4GHz WLAN | 2412.0          | 8.32               | 25.00               | 33.320             | 2147.830          | 0.353                                       | 1.000                       | <b>0.353</b>          |
| 5.2GHz WLAN | 5180.0          | 10.52              | 23.00               | 33.520             | 2249.055          | 0.370                                       | 1.000                       | 0.370                 |
| 5.8GHz WLAN | 5745.0          | 10.49              | 25.00               | 35.490             | 3539.973          | 0.582                                       | 1.000                       | <b>0.582</b>          |

#### Note:

1. For conservativeness, the lowest frequency of each band is used to determine the MPE limit of that band.
2. Chose the maximum power to do MPE analysis.
3. WLAN2.4GHz and WLAN5GHz chose the higher SISO gain as MIMO gain to perform MPE calculation.
4. The gain calculation method of WLAN beamforming mode is referenced to KDB 662911.

## 5.2. Collocated Power Density Calculation

### <For MIMO mode>

| WLAN2.4GHz<br>Power Density / Limit | WLAN5GHz<br>Power Density / Limit | $\Sigma$ (Power Density / Limit)<br>of<br>WLAN2.4GHz + WLAN5GH |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|
| 0.383                               | 0.468                             | 0.851                                                          |

### <For Beamforming mode>

| WLAN2.4GHz<br>Power Density / Limit | WLAN5GHz<br>Power Density / Limit | $\Sigma$ (Power Density / Limit)<br>of<br>WLAN2.4GHz + WLAN5GH |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|
| 0.353                               | 0.582                             | 0.935                                                          |

#### Note:

1. According to the EUT characteristic, WLAN2.4GHz and WLAN 5GHz can transmit simultaneously.
2.  $\Sigma$ (Power Density / Limit): This is a summation of [(power density for each transmitter/antenna included in the simultaneous transmission)/ (corresponding MPE limit)], for WLAN2.4GHz + WLAN5GHz.

## Conclusion:

According to 47 CFR §2.1091, the MPE was calculated at 22 cm to show compliance with the power density limit, the RF exposure analysis concludes that the RF Exposure is FCC compliant.

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