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Maximum Permissible Exposure Report

Applicant's company	Linksys LLC
Applicant Address	121 Theory, Irvine CA 92617, United States
FCC ID	Q87-EA7500

Product Name	LINKSYS MAX-STREAM AC1900 MU-MIMO GIGABIT ROUTER
Brand Name	LINKSYS
Model Name	EA7500
Ref. Standard(s)	47 CFR FCC Part 2 Subpart J, section 2.1091
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Submission Type	Class II Change

Testing Laboratory
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History of This Test Report

REPORT NO.	VERSION	DESCRIPTION	ISSUED DATE
FA4N1172-41	Rev. 01	Initial issue of report	Jun. 22, 2016

1. GENERAL DESCRIPTION

1.1. EUT General Information

RF General Information			
Evaluation Mode	Frequency Range (MHz)	Operating Frequency (MHz)	Modulation Type
2.4GHz WLAN	2400-2483.5	2412-2462	802.11b: DSSS (DBPSK, DQPSK, CCK) 802.11g/n: OFDM (BPSK, QPSK, 16QAM, 64QAM) 802.11ac: OFDM (BPSK, QPSK, 16QAM, 64QAM, 256QAM)
5GHz WLAN	5150-5250 5725-5850	5180-5240 5745-5825	802.11a/n: OFDM (BPSK, QPSK, 16QAM, 64QAM) 802.11ac: OFDM (BPSK, QPSK, 16QAM, 64QAM, 256QAM)

1.2. Table for Class II Change

This product is an extension of original one reported under Sporton project number: FA582115

Below is the table for the change of the product with respect to the original one.

Modifications	Performance Checking
Updating test rule of 5GHz band 4 to "15.407 (b)(4)(i) of New Rules (ET Docket No. 13–49; FCC 16–24)" from "Old Rules".	Maximum Permissible Exposure.
Remove three adapters. Model No.: HK-X142-A12S, KSAS0451200350D5, HK-X142-A12.	Do not effect the test results.

Note: Maximum Permissible Exposure of 2.4GHz and 5GHz Band1 is based on original report.

1.3. Testing Location

Testing Location			
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2. MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE

2.1. Limit of Maximum Permissible Exposure

(A) Limits for Occupational / Controlled Exposure

Frequency Range (MHz)	Electric Field Strength (E) (V/m)	Magnetic Field Strength (H) (A/m)	Power Density (S) (mW/ cm²)	Averaging Time |E|², |H|² or S (minutes)
0.3-3.0	614	1.63	(100)*	6
3.0-30	1842 / f	4.89 / f	(900 / f)*	6
30-300	61.4	0.163	1.0	6
300-1500			F/300	6
1500-100,000			5	6

(B) Limits for General Population / Uncontrolled Exposure

Frequency Range (MHz)	Electric Field Strength (E) (V/m)	Magnetic Field Strength (H) (A/m)	Power Density (S) (mW/ cm²)	Averaging Time |E|², |H|² or S (minutes)
0.3-1.34	614	1.63	(100)*	30
1.34-30	824/f	2.19/f	(180/f)*	30
30-300	27.5	0.073	0.2	30
300-1500			F/1500	30
1500-100,000			1.0	30

Note: f = frequency in MHz ; *Plane-wave equivalent power density

2.2. MPE Calculation Method

The MPE was calculated at 24 cm to show compliance with the power density limit.

The following formula was used to calculate the Power Density:

E (V/m) = $\frac{\sqrt{30 \times P \times G}}{d}$ Power Density: *Pd* (W/m²) = $\frac{E^2}{377}$

E = Electric field (V/m)

P = Peak RF output power (W)

G = EUT Antenna numeric gain (numeric)

d = Separation distance between radiator and human body (m)

The formula can be changed to

Pd = $\frac{30 \times P \times G}{377 \times d^2}$

2.3. Calculated Result and Limit

Exposure Environment: General Population / Uncontrolled Exposure

For 5GHz Band 1:

Antenna Type : Dipole Antenna

Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11ac MCS0/Nss1 (VHT40): 29.64 dBm

Distance (cm)	Test Freq. (MHz)	Directional Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	The maximum combined Average Output Power		Power Density (S) (mW/cm²)	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm²)	Test Result
				(dBm)	(mW)			
24	5230	5.74	3.7464	29.6380	920.0268	0.4764	1	Complies

Note: $DirectionalGain = 10 \cdot \log \left[\frac{\sum_{j=1}^{N_{SS}} \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^{N_{ANT}} g_{j,k} \right\}^2}{N_{ANT}} \right]$ = 5.74 dBi.

For 5GHz Band 4:

Antenna Type : Dipole Antenna

Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11a: 29.32dBm

Distance (cm)	Test Freq. (MHz)	Directional Gain or Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	The maximum combined Average Output Power		Power Density (S) (mW/cm²)	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm²)	Test Result
				(dBm)	(mW)			
24	5745	6.40	4.3613	29.3235	855.7657	0.5158	1	Complies

Note: $DirectionalGain = 10 \cdot \log \left[\frac{\sum_{j=1}^{N_{SS}} \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^{N_{ANT}} g_{j,k} \right\}^2}{N_{ANT}} \right]$ = 6.40 dBi.

For 2.4GHz Band:

Antenna Type : Dipole Antenna

Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11ac MCS0/Nss1 (VHT20): 29.60 dBm

Distance (cm)	Test Freq. (MHz)	Directional Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	The maximum combined Average Output Power		Power Density (S) (mW/cm²)	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm²)	Test Result
				(dBm)	(mW)			
24	2437	5.41	3.4785	29.5992	911.8449	0.4384	1	Complies

Note: $DirectionalGain = 10 \cdot \log \left[\frac{\sum_{j=1}^{N_{SS}} \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^{N_{ANT}} g_{j,k} \right\}^2}{N_{ANT}} \right]$ = 5.41 dBi.

Conclusion:

Both of the WLAN 2.4GHz Band and WLAN 5GHz Band can transmit simultaneously, the formula of calculated the MPE is:

CPD1 / LPD1 + CPD2 / LPD2 + ...etc. < 1

CPD = Calculation power density

LPD = Limit of power density

Therefore, the worst-case situation is=0.4384 / 1 + 0.5158 / 1=0.9542 , which is less than "1". This confirmed that the device complies.