

# APPENDIX I RADIO FREQUENCY EXPOSURE

# LIMIT

According to \$15.247(i), systems operating under the provisions of this section shall be operated in a manner that ensures that the public is not exposed to radio frequency energy levels in excess of the Commission's guidelines. See \$1.1307(b)(1) of this chapter.

## **EUT Specification**

IEEE802.11 b/g AP
<ul> <li>✓ WLAN: 2.412GHz ~ 2.462GHz</li> <li>✓ WLAN: 5.18GHz ~ 5.32GHz / 5.50GHz ~ 5.70GHz</li> <li>✓ WLAN: 5.745GHz ~ 5.825GHz</li> </ul>
○ Others         ○ Portable (<20cm separation)         ○ Mobile (>20cm separation)         ○ Others
Occupational/Controlled exposure (S = $5 \text{mW/cm}^2$ ) General Population/Uncontrolled exposure (S= $1 \text{mW/cm}^2$ )
<ul> <li>Single antenna</li> <li>Multiple antennas</li> <li>Tx diversity</li> <li>Rx diversity</li> <li>Tx/Rx diversity</li> </ul>
IEEE 802.11b: 16.34 dBm (43.06mW) IEEE 802.11g: 15.55 dBm (35.89mW)
2 dBi (Numeric gain: 1.58)
MPE Evaluation* SAR Evaluation

#### Remark:

- 1. The maximum output power is <u>16.34dBm (43.06mW)</u> at <u>2462MHz</u> (with <u>1.58 numeric</u> <u>antenna gain</u>.)
- 2. DTS device is not subject to routine RF evaluation; MPE estimate is used to justify the compliance.
- 3. For mobile or fixed location transmitters, no SAR consideration applied. The maximum power density is 1.0 mW/cm<sup>2</sup> even if the calculation indicates that the power density would be larger.

# TEST RESULTS

No non-compliance noted.



### **Calculation**

Given

 $E = \frac{\sqrt{30 \times P \times G}}{d} \& S = \frac{E^2}{3770}$ Where E = Field strength in Volts / meter P = Power in Watts G = Numeric antenna gain d = Distance in meters S = Power density in milliwatts / square centimeter

Combining equations and re-arranging the terms to express the distance as a function of the remaining variables yields:

$$S = \frac{30 \times P \times G}{3770d^2}$$

Changing to units of mW and cm, using:

$$P(mW) = P(W) / 1000 \text{ and}$$
  
 $d(cm) = d(m) / 100$ 

Yields

$$S = \frac{30 \times (P/1000) \times G}{3770 \times (d/100)^2} = 0.0796 \times \frac{P \times G}{d^2}$$
 Equation 1

Where 
$$d = Distance$$
 in cm  
 $P = Power$  in mW  
 $G = Numeric$  antenna gain  
 $S = Power$  density in mW / cm<sup>2</sup>

### Maximum Permissible Exposure

EUT output power = 43.06mW

Numeric Antenna gain = 1.58

Substituting the MPE safe distance using d = 20 cm into Equation 1:

Yields

 $S = 0.000199 \times P \times G$ 

*Where* P = Power in mW

G = Numeric antenna gain

 $S = Power density in mW/cm^2$ 

 $\rightarrow$  Power density = 0.0135 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>

(For mobile or fixed location transmitters, the maximum power density is  $1.0 \text{ mW/cm}^2$  even if the calculation indicates that the power density would be larger.)