

NORTHWEST EMC

Precor, Inc.

**WL1837MOD, Wi-Fi a,b,g,n, and combined BT 4.1 Module
13.56 MHz NFC Module**

FCC 2.1091:2015

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CERTIFICATE OF EVALUATION



Date of Evaluation: November 20, 2015

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Radio Equipment Evaluation

Standards

Specification	Method
FCC 2.1091:2015	FCC KDB 447498 D01 v06

Results

Method Clause	Description	Applied	Results	Comments
7.1	Maximum Permissible Exposure	Yes	Pass	

Deviations From Standards

None

Approved By:

Donald Fecteau, IS Manager

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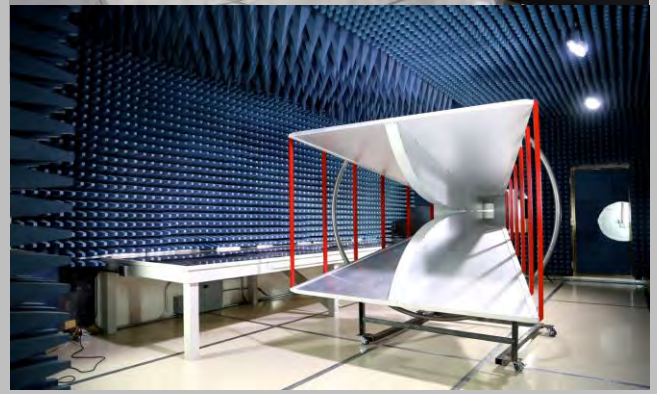
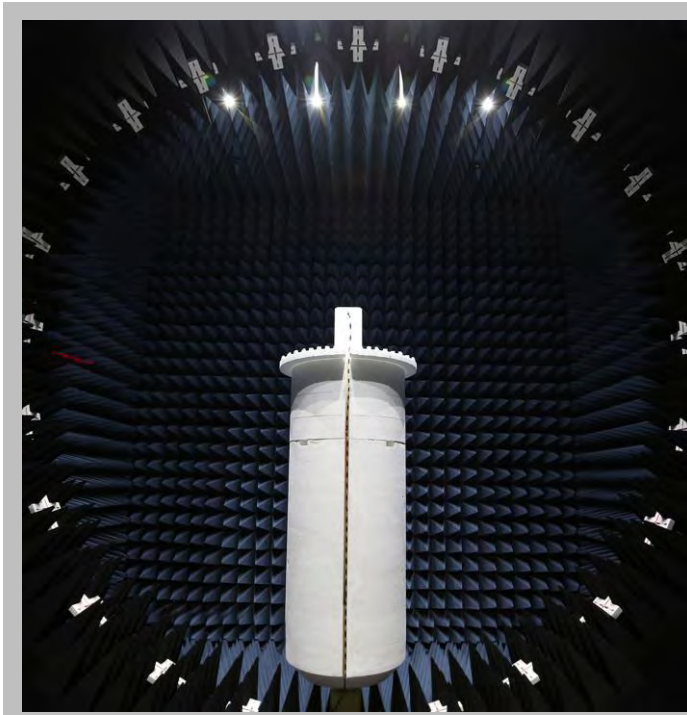
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PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

Client and Equipment Under Evaluation (EUT) Information

Customer Name:	Precor, Inc.
Address:	PO Box 7202
City, State, Zip:	Woodinville, WA 98072-4002
Evaluation Requested By:	James Minihan
Model:	WL1837MOD, Wi-Fi a,b,g,n and combined BT 4.1 Module 13.56 MHz NFC Module
Manufacturer:	Precor, Inc.
Evaluation Date:	November 20, 2015

Information Provided by the Party Requesting the Test

Functional Description of the EUT:

P82 Fitness Display Console contains the following radios: 802.11abgn combined with a Bluetooth 4.1 Module and a 13.56 MHz NFC Module. The 802.11bgn radio supports 20 MHz and 40 MHz channel bandwidths for the 2.4 GHz band. It supports only 20MHz channel bandwidths for the 5 GHz bands. It supports SISO and MIMO modes for the 2.4 GHz band and only SISO for the 5 GHz band. The 802.11n radio does not support MCS8 – MCS11 when operating in MIMO mode.

Evaluation Objective:

To demonstrate compliance of the 802.11abgn and Bluetooth radios to FCC 2.1091 RF exposure requirements for mobile devices. The FCC defines mobile devices as those used greater than 20cm from the user's head or torso.

The radios do not transmit simultaneously.

Note that the FCC does not have RF exposure requirements for the 13.56 MHz NFC module. Due to its low output power, it is inherently compliant.

MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE (MPE)

OVERVIEW

Human exposure to RF emissions from mobile devices (47 CFR §2.1091) may be evaluated based on the MPE limits adopted by the FCC for electric and magnetic field strength and/or power density, as appropriate, since exposures are assumed to occur at distances of 20 cm or more from persons. ANSI C95.1:2005 + Amd 1:2010 specifies a minimum separation distance of 20 cm for performing reliable field measurements to determine adherence to MPE limits. If the minimum separation distance between a transmitter and nearby persons is more than 20 cm under normal operating conditions, compliance with MPE limits may be determined at such distance from the transmitter. When applicable, operation instructions and prominent warning labels may be used to alert the exposed persons to maintain a specified distance from the transmitter or to limit their exposure durations and usage conditions to ensure compliance. If the use of warning labels on a transmitter is not effective or desirable, the alternative of performing SAR evaluation with the device at its closest range to persons under normal operating conditions may be used. The field strength and power density limits adopted by the FCC are based on whole-body averaged exposure and the assumption of RF field levels relate most accurately to estimating whole-body averaged SAR. This means some local values of exposures exceeding the stated field strength and power density limits may not necessarily imply non-compliance if the spatial average of spatially averaged RF fields over the exposed portions of a person's body does not exceed the limits.

COMPLIANCE WITH 2.1091

*“Mobile devices that operate in the Cellular Radiotelephone Service, the Personal Communications Services, the Satellite Communications Services, the General Wireless Communications Service, the Wireless Communications Service, the Maritime Services and the Specialized Mobile Radio Service authorized under subpart H of part 22 of this chapter, parts 24, 25, 26 and 27 of this chapter, part 80 of this chapter (ship earth stations devices only) and part 90 of this chapter are subject to routine environmental evaluation for RF exposure prior to equipment authorization or use if they operate at frequencies of 1.5 GHz or below and their effective radiated power (ERP) is 1.5 watts or more, or if they operate at frequencies above 1.5 GHz and their ERP is 3 watts or more. Unlicensed personal communications service devices, unlicensed millimeter wave devices and unlicensed NII devices authorized under §§15.253, 15.255, and 15.257, and subparts D and E of part 15 of this chapter are also subject to routine environmental evaluation for RF exposure prior to equipment authorization or use if their ERP is 3 watts or more or if they meet the definition of a portable device as specified in §2.1093(b) requiring evaluation under the provisions of that section. **All other mobile and unlicensed transmitting devices are categorically excluded from routine environmental evaluation for RF exposure prior to equipment authorization or use, except as specified in §§1.1307(c) and 1.1307(d) of this chapter. Applications for equipment authorization of mobile and unlicensed transmitting devices subject to routine environmental evaluation must contain a statement confirming compliance with the limits specified in paragraph (d) of this section as part of their application.**”*

The EUT will only be used with a separation distance of 20 centimeters or greater between the antenna and the body of the user or nearby persons and can therefore be considered a mobile transmitter per 47 CFR 2.1091(b). Per 47 CFR 1.1310, the EUT meets the General Population / Uncontrolled exposure limits listed in Table 1.

COMPLIANCE WITH FCC KDB 447498 D01 General RF Exposure Guidance v06

"KDB 447498 D01 General RF Exposure Guidance v06" provides the procedures, requirements, and authorization policies for mobile and portable devices. Section 7.1 best fits the exposure condition described in this report. Since these mobile devices are categorically excluded from routine evaluation; simple calculations may be used to estimate the power density to demonstrate compliance with 47 CFR 1.1310 requirements. The attached estimate shows MPE limits are met for standalone transmission at a 20 cm boundary.

MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE (MPE)

FCC LIMITS FOR MPE

Limits for General Population /Uncontrolled Exposure: 47 CFR 1.1310

Frequency Range (MHz)	Electric Field Strength (V/m)	Magnetic Field Strength (A/m)	Power Density (mW/cm ²)	Averaging Time (minutes)
0.3 - 1.34	614	1.63	*(100)	30
1.34 - 30	824/f	2.19/f	*(180/f ²)	30
30 - 300	27.5	0.073	0.2	30
300 - 1500			f/1500	30
1500 - 100000			1	30

f = frequency in MHz

* = Plane-wave equivalent power density

METHOD OF EVALUATION

The exposure level for the radio is evaluated at a 20 cm distance from the radio's transmitting antenna using the general equation:

$$S = \frac{P * G}{4 * \pi * R^2}$$

Where: S = power density (mW/cm²)

P = power input to the antenna (mW)

G = numeric power gain relative to an isotropic radiator

R = distance to the center of the radiation of the antenna ((20 cm = limit for MPE estimates)

P*G = EIRP

Solving for S, the maximum power density 20 cm from the transmitting antenna is determined. This level is then compared to the applicable limit for that transmit frequency.

The standalone MPE ratio is summarized in the following table:

MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE (MPE)

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Serial Number:	None	Date:	11-20-2015
Customer:	None		

SPECIFICATIONS

Specification:	Method:
FCC 2.1091:2015	KDB 447498 D01 General RF Exposure Guidance v06

COMMENTS

See Product Description

DEVIATIONS FROM STANDARD

None

Radio	Antenna Type	Antenna Manufacturer	Antenna Part No.	Transmit Frequency (MHz)	Max Peak Conducted Output Power (mW)	Duty Cycle	Duty Cycle Corrected Output Power (mW)	Antenna Gain (dBi)	Power Density @ 20 cm (mW/cm ²)	General Population Exposure Limit from 1.1310 (mW/cm ²)
802.11abgn	Linear Balanced Flex	Molex	889056310857	2437	54.626	1	54.626	2.2	0.018	1.000
				5240	30.2	1	30.2	3.3	0.013	1.000
				5320	15.849	1	15.849	3.3	0.007	1.000
				5600	36.308	1	36.308	3.3	0.015	1.000
				5785	51.286	1	51.286	3.3	0.022	1.000
Bluetooth				2440	7.461	1	7.461	2.2	0.002	1.000