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Calculations of the safety distance due to the Rf emission from the VHF dipole antenna connected to the Sailor RT5020 VHF transmitter

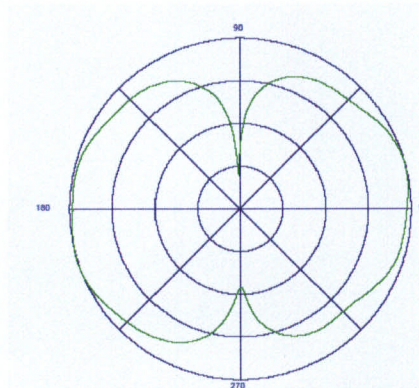
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According to the FCC rules described in OET Bulletin 65, edition 97-01 and in "A local Government Official's Guide to Transmitting antenna RF Emission safety: Rules, Procedures and Practical Guidance". The limits for Occupational/Controlled Maximum Permissible Exposure (MEP) is stated to 1.0 mW/cm²

This value is basis for the calculation of the safety distance to the VHF antenna under all conditions.

Technical data.

Maximum output Rf power	25 W
Antenna gain	3 dB equals 2 times
Antenna pattern	Omni-directional, half wave dipole
Gain correction factor relative to isotropic	1.64
Frequency	150 MHz to 165 MHz
Modulation	Phase modulation



Vertical radiation diagram

Radiating surface area of the isotropic radiating antenna: $S = 4 \pi r^2$

r = safety distance to the antenna

$$\text{Formula: } r = \sqrt{\frac{\text{Power} \times \text{Antenna gain}}{\text{Surface} \times \text{Rf limit}}} = \sqrt{\frac{25000 \times 2 \times 1.64}{4 \times \pi \times 1.0}} = \underline{0.81\text{m}}$$

The safety distance is therefore stated as **3 feet** equals 0.92m > 0.81m

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