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Procedures Implementing the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969
*§1.1307 Actions that may have a significant environmental effect, for which
Environmental Assessments (EAs) must be prepared.*

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Radio Frequency (RF) Exposure Compliance of Radiocommunication Apparatus
(All Frequency Bands)

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1 Introduction and Conclusion

This evaluation report covers for a mobile device subject to routine environmental evaluation for RF exposure. A mobile device is defined as a transmitting device designed to generally be used in such a way that a separation distance of at least 20 centimeters is normally maintained between the transmitter’s radiating structure(s) and the body of the user or nearby persons.

The evaluation indicated in section 2.0 were performed on the product constructed as described in section 4.0. The remaining sections are the verbatim text from the actual evaluation during the investigation. These sections include the evaluation name, the specified Method, and Results. No additions, deviations, or exclusions have been made from the standard(s) unless specifically noted.

Based on the results of our investigation, we have concluded the product evaluated **complies** with the requirements of the standard(s) indicated. The results obtained in this report pertain only to the item(s) evaluated. Intertek does not make any claims of compliance for samples or variants which were not evaluated.

2 Evaluation Summary

Section	Test full name	Result
3	Client Information	-
4	Description of Equipment Under Evaluation and Variant Models	-
5	System Setup and Method	-
6	Power Density Calculation (FCC §1.1310; ISED RSS-102 Issue 5)	Compliant
7	Revision History	-

3 Client Information

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4 Description of Equipment Under Test and Variant Models

Manufacturer: Sargent Manufacturing Co.
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Description of Equipment Under Test (provided by client)
<p>Electronic access control system. It contains the radio modules as below.</p> <p>The Limited Module FCC ID containing all 4 radios is: FCC ID: U4A-SCYMCA1 IC: 6982A-SCYMCA1</p> <p>Contains BLE Limited Module FCC ID: Y88-MBM1CC2640 IC: 9504A-MBM1CC2640</p> <p>ZigBee change: The Balun at output of 2.4GHz radio, MURATA LDB212G4005C-001 has gone obsolete and was replaced by Johanson Technology 2450BM15A0002E, same footprint. The ZigBee antenna has a gain of 5.4 dBi</p>

Equipment Under Test Power Configuration			
Rated Voltage	Rated Current	Rated Frequency	Number of Phases
9 V (6 x 1.5 V Batteries)	1.5 A	DC	N/A

Variant Models:

The following variant models have been identified by the manufacturer as being electrically identical models, depopulated models, or with reasonable similarity to the model(s) tested. Intertek does not make any claims of compliance for samples or variants which were not tested.

None

5 Power Density Calculation

5.1 Requirement(s)

FCC §1.1310 Radiofrequency radiation exposure limits

Table 1 below sets forth limits for Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) to radiofrequency electromagnetic field.

Table 1 – Limits for Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE)

Frequency range (MHz)	Electric field strength (V/m)	Magnetic field strength (A/m)	Power Density (mW/cm ²)	Averaging time (minutes)
(A) Limits for Occupational/Controlled Exposure				
0.3-3.0	614	1.63	*100	6
3.0-30	1842/f	4.89/f	*900/f ²	6
30-300	61.4	0.163	1.0	6
300-1,500			f/300	6
1,500-100,000			5	6
(B) Limits for General Population/Uncontrolled Exposure				
0.3-1.34	614	1.63	*100	30
1.34-30	842/f	2.19/f	*180/f ²	30
30-300	27.5	0.073	0.2	30
300-1,500			f/1500	30
1,500-100,000			1.0	30

F = frequency in MHz * = Plane-wave equivalent power density

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Table 2 below sets forth limits for the RF field strength.

Table 2 – RF Field Strength Limits for Devices Used by the General Public (Uncontrolled Environment)

Frequency range (MHz)	Electric field strength (V/m rms)	Magnetic field strength (A/m rms)	Power Density (W/m ²)	Reference Period (minutes)
0.003-10	83	90	-	Instantaneous*
0.1-10	-	0.73/ f	-	6**
1.1-10	87/ f ^{0.5}	-	-	6**
10-20	27.46	0.0728	2	6
20-48	58.07/ f ^{0.25}	0.1540/ f ^{0.25}	8.944/ f ^{0.5}	6
48-300	22.06	0.05852	1.291	6
300-6000	3.142 f ^{0.3417}	0.008335 f ^{0.3417}	0.02619 f ^{0.6834}	6
6000-15000	61.4	0.163	10	6
15000-150000	61.4	0.163	10	616000/ f ^{1.2}
150000-300000	0.158 f ^{0.5}	4.21 x 10 ⁻⁴ f ^{0.5}	6.67 x 10 ⁻⁵ f	616000/f ^{1.2}

Note: f is frequency in MHz. *Based on nerve stimulation (NS) **Based on specific absorption rate (SAR)

5.2 Method

An MPE evaluation was performed in order to show that the device was compliant with FCC §2.1091 and ISED RSS-102. The maximum power density was calculated for each transmitter at a separation distance of 20 cm. The calculation was performed using the maximum gain from the internal and external antennas declared by the manufacturer.

The maximum permissible exposure (MPE) is predicted by using the following equation:

$$S = PG/4\pi R^2$$

where: S = power density (in appropriate units, e.g. mW/cm²)
 P = power input to the antenna (in appropriate units, e.g., mW)
 G = power gain of the antenna in the direction of interest relative to an isotropic radiator
 R = distance to the center of radiation of the antenna (appropriate units, e.g., cm)

5.3 Calculation:

EIRP [dBm] = E [dBμV/m] + 20*log [d(m)]-104.77, where d is the test distance

125 kHz RFID

Plastic Enclosure: 56.12 dBuV/m at 3 meters
 Metal Enclosure: 56.33 dBuV/m at 3 meters

13.56 MHz RFID

Plastic Enclosure: 64.40 dBuV/m at 3 meters,
 Metal Enclosure: 62.48 dBuV/m at 3 meters

Zigbee

Plastic Enclosure: 10.83 dBuV/m at 3 meters
 Metal Enclosure: 98.61 dBuV/m at 3 meters

Bluetooth Low Energy (BLE)

Plastic Enclosure: 96.57 dBuV/m at 3 meters
 Metal Enclosure: 95.16 dBuV/m at 3 meters

Enclosure	Frequency	Field Strength	Distance	Max. EIRP	Max. EIRP	Power Density at	Power Density at	Power Density at	Power Density at	Result
			(m)	(dBm)	(mW)	20 cm (mW/cm ²)	20 cm (W/m ²)	(V/m)	(W/m ²)	
125 kHz RFID										
Plastic	125 kHz	56.12 dBuV/m	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
		0.000640 V/m	3	--	--	--	--	614	--	Compliant
Metal	125 kHz	56.33 dBuV/m	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
		0.000655 V/m	3	--	--	--	--	614	--	Compliant
13.56 MHz RFID										
Plastic	13.56 MHz	64.4	3	-30.828	0.000826	1.64427E-07	1.64427E-06	--	4.895	Compliant
Metal	13.56 MHz	62.48	3	-32.748	0.000531	1.05675E-07	1.05675E-06	--	4.895	Compliant
2.4 GHz Zigbee										
Plastic	2.44 GHz	101.83	3	6.630	4.602566	0.000915652	0.009156521	--	1.000	Compliant
Metal	2.44 GHz	98.61	3	3.410	2.192805	0.000436245	0.00436245	--	1.000	Compliant
2.4 GHz Bluetooth Low Energy (BLE)										
Plastic	2.44 GHz	96.57	3	1.342	1.362205	0.000271002	0.002710023	--	1.000	Compliant
Metal	2.44 GHz	95.16	3	-0.068	0.984561	0.000195872	0.001958723	--	1.000	Compliant

Notes: Data for power density calculation was taken from Intertek test report number: 105626878BOX-001.

5.4 Results:

The sample tested was found to Comply. The calculated maximum power density at 20 cm distance is less than the limits for general population / uncontrolled exposure of 1 mW/cm² ZigBee/BLE and 4.895 mW/cm² for 13.56 MHz RFID.

6 ISED RSS-102 Issue 5 §2.5.2 Exemption

6.1 Requirement(s)

Power Density Limit: $0.02619 f^{0.6834} \text{ W/m}^2$ ($300 \text{ MHz} \leq f < 6 \text{ GHz}$), f is in MHz.
 Power Density Limit: $0.02619 * (2440^{0.6834}) = 5.409 \text{ W/m}^2$

6.2 Calculation

Enclosure	Frequency	Field Strength	Distance (m)	Max. EIRP (dBm)	Max. EIRP (mW)	Power Density at 20 cm (mW/cm ²)	Power Density at 20 cm (W/m ²)	Limit at 20 cm (V/m rms)	Limit at 20 cm (W/m ²)	Result
125 kHz RFID										
Plastic	125 kHz	56.12 dBuV/m	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
		0.000640 V/m	3	--	--	--	--	83	--	Compliant
Metal	125 kHz	56.33 dBuV/m	3	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
		0.000655 V/m	3	--	--	--	--	83	--	Compliant
13.56 MHz RFID										
Plastic	13.56 MHz	64.4	3	-30.828	0.0008265	1.64427E-07	1.64427E-06	--	2.000	Compliant
Metal	13.56 MHz	62.48	3	-32.748	0.00053118	1.05675E-07	1.05675E-06	--	2.000	Compliant
2.4 GHz Zigbee										
Plastic	2.44 GHz	101.83	3	6.630	4.60256574	0.000915652	0.009156521	--	5.409	Compliant
Metal	2.44 GHz	98.61	3	3.410	2.19280494	0.000436245	0.00436245	--	5.409	Compliant
2.4 GHz Bluetooth Low Energy (BLE)										
Plastic	2.44 GHz	96.57	3	1.342	1.36220512	0.000271002	0.002710023	--	5.409	Compliant
Metal	2.44 GHz	95.16	3	-0.068	0.98456073	0.000195872	0.001958723	--	5.409	Compliant

Notes: Data for power density calculation was taken from Intertek test report number: 105626878BOX-001.

6.3 Results:

The sample tested was found to Comply. The calculated maximum power density at 20 cm distance is less than the limits for general population / uncontrolled exposure of 5.409 W/m² for ZigBee/BLE and 2.00 W/m² for 13.56 MHz RFID.

7 Revision History

Revision Level	Date	Report Number	Prepared By	Reviewed By	Notes
0	02/06/2024	105626878BOX-001.MPE	KPS <i>KPS</i>	VFV <i>VFV</i>	Original Issue
1	02/28/2024	105626878BOX-001.MPE.1	KPS <i>KPS</i>	VFV <i>VFV</i>	Included RF exposure limit for 125 kHz RFID