

## Appendix B. Maximum Permissible Exposure

# 1. Maximum Permissible Exposure

## 1.1. Applicable Standard

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 limit for maximum permissible exposure. In accordance with 47 CFR FCC Part 2 Subpart J, section 2.1091 this device has been defined as a mobile device whereby a distance of 0.25 m normally can be maintained between the user and the device.

(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/ cm <sup>2</sup> )	Averaging Time  E  <sup>2</sup> ,  H  <sup>2</sup> 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/ cm <sup>2</sup> )	Averaging Time  E  <sup>2</sup> ,  H  <sup>2</sup> 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

## 1.2. MPE Calculation Method

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

**E** = Electric field (V/m)

**P** = Average 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

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

From the EUT RF output power, the minimum mobile separation distance, d=0.25m, as well as the gain of the used antenna, the RF power density can be obtained.

### 1.3. Calculated Result and Limit

**For 5GHz UNII Band: (15.407)**

<Radio 2: 2.4GHz + 5GHz>

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Antenna Type : Embedded Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11a: 12.57dBm

Directional Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
9.58	9.0782	12.5703	18.0732	0.020901	1	Complies

NOTE: Directional gain = 7.5 dBi + 10log(2) = 9.58dBi

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Antenna Type : Dipole Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11n MCS0 20MHz: 13.99dBm

Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
9.00	7.9433	13.9900	25.0611	0.025359	1	Complies

<Ant. 8>

Antenna Type : Patch Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11n MCS0 20MHz: 15.34dBm

Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
4.60	2.8840	15.3407	34.2033	0.012566	1	Complies

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Antenna Type : Panel Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11a: 10.49dBm

Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
12.50	17.7828	10.4900	11.1944	0.025359	1	Complies

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Antenna Type : Yagi Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11n MCS0 20MHz: 11.87dBm

Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
11.00	12.5893	11.8700	15.3815	0.024668	1	Complies

**For 5GHz ISM Band: (15.247)**

&lt;Radio 2: 2.4GHz + 5GHz&gt;

&lt;Ant. 2&gt;

Antenna Type : Embedded Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11a: 24.56dBm

Directional Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
9.58	9.0782	24.5600	285.7574	0.330467	1	Complies

NOTE: Directional gain = 7.5 dBi + 10log(2) = 9.58dBi

&lt;Ant. 7&gt;

Antenna Type : Dipole Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11a: 23.57dBm

Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
9.00	7.9433	23.5698	227.5008	0.230204	1	Complies

&lt;Ant. 8&gt;

Antenna Type : Patch Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11a: 23.57dBm

Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
4.60	2.8840	23.5698	227.5008	0.083582	1	Complies

&lt;Ant. 9&gt;

Antenna Type : Panel Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11n MCS0 20MHz: 22.30dBm

Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
12.50	17.7828	22.3000	169.8244	0.384707	1	Complies

&lt;Ant. 10&gt;

Antenna Type : Yagi Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11n MCS0 20MHz: 22.30dBm

Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
11.00	12.5893	22.3000	169.8244	0.272352	1	Complies

**For 2.4GHz Band:**

&lt;Radio 1: 2.4GHz&gt;

&lt;Ant. 1&gt;

Antenna Type : Embedded Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11g: 26.35dBm

Directional Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
6.86	4.8529	26.3474	431.2657	0.266609	1	Complies

NOTE: Directional gain = 3.92dBi + 10log(2) = 6.86dBi

&lt;Ant. 3&gt;

Antenna Type : Dipole Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11g: 23.96dBm

Directional Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
11.51	14.1579	23.9561	248.6641	0.448480	1	Complies

NOTE: Directional gain = 8.5dBi + 10log(2) = 11.51dBi

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Antenna Type : Patch Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11n MCS0 20MHz: 24.70dBm

Directional Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
6.51	4.4771	24.6975	294.9505	0.168221	1	Complies

NOTE: Directional gain = 3.5dBi + 10log(2) = 6.51dBi

&lt;Ant. 5&gt;

Antenna Type : Panel Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11b: 20.04dBm

Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
10.90	12.3027	20.0400	100.9253	0.158172	1	Complies

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Antenna Type : Yagi Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11b: 22.79dBm

Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
11.10	12.8825	22.7900	190.1078	0.311983	1	Complies

<Radio 2: 2.4GHz + 5GHz>

<Ant. 2>

Antenna Type : Embedded Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11n MCS0 20MHz: 26.93dBm

Directional Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
7.27	5.3333	26.9322	493.4245	0.335236	1	Complies

NOTE: Directional gain = 4.44dBi + 10log(2) = 7.27dBi

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Antenna Type : Dipole Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11b: 23.22dBm

Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
8.50	7.0795	23.2200	209.8940	0.189291	1	Complies

<Ant. 4>

Antenna Type : Patch Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11g: 25.41 dBm

Directional Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
6.51	4.4771	25.4128	347.7589	0.198339	1	Complies

NOTE: Directional gain = 3.5dBi + 10log(2) = 6.51 dBi

<Ant. 5>

Antenna Type : Panel Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11b: 18.65dBm

Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
10.90	12.3027	18.6500	73.2825	0.114850	1	Complies

<Ant. 6>

Antenna Type : Yagi Antenna

Max Conducted Power for IEEE 802.11b: 18.22dBm

Antenna Gain (dBi)	Antenna Gain (numeric)	Output Power (dBm)	Output Power (mW)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit of Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Test Result
11.10	12.8825	18.2200	66.3743	0.108926	1	Complies

**CONCLUSION:**

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

$$\text{CPD1} / \text{LPD1} + \text{CPD2} / \text{LPD2} + \dots \text{etc.} < 1$$

**CPD = Calculation power density**

**LPD = Limit of power density**

Therefore, the worst-case situation is  $0.448480 / 1 + 0.384707 / 1 = 0.833187$ , which is less than "1". This confirmed that the device comply with FCC 1.1310 MPE limit.

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**CPD = Calculation power density**

**LPD = Limit of power density**

Therefore, the worst-case situation is  $0.448480 / 1 + 0.335236 / 1 = 0.783716$ , which is less than "1". This confirmed that the device comply with FCC 1.1310 MPE limit.