# 5. RF EXPOSURE EVALUATION

### **5.1 Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE)**

## 5.1.1 Applicable Standard

According to subpart §1.1310, 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 level in excess of the Commission's guidelines.

#### **5.1.2** Limits

Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) (§1.1310, §2.1091)

(B) Limits for General Population/Uncontrolled Exposure				
Frequency Range (MHz)	Electric Field Strength (V/m)	Magnetic Field Strength (A/m)	Power Density (mW/cm²)	Averaging Time (minutes)
0.3-1.34	614	1.63	*(100)	30
1.34–30	824/f	2.19/f	*(180/f <sup>2</sup> )	30
30–300	27.5	0.073	0.2	30
300–1500	/	/	f/1500	30
1500-100,000	/	/	1.0	30

f = frequency in MHz; \* = Plane-wave equivalent power density;

According to §1.1310 and §2.1091 RF exposure is calculated.

#### **5.1.3 Measurement**

Radiation leakage was measured in the as-received condition with the oven door closed using a microwave leakage meter.

A 275 mL water load was placed in the center of the oven and the oven was operated at maximum output power.

There was no microwave leakage exceeding a power level of <u>0.1m</u>W/cm<sup>2</sup> observed at any point 5 cm or more from the external surface of the oven.

A maximum of 1.0 mW/cm<sup>2</sup> is allowed in accordance with the applicable Federal Standards. Hence, microwave leakage in the as-received condition with the oven door closed was below the maximum allowed.

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