RF Exposure evaluation

Exposure category: General population/uncontrolled environment

EUT Type: LoRa SX-1276 1W module

Device Type: A-00700-HBT-HP

Refer Standard: KDB 447498 D01 General RF Exposure Guidance v06

FCC Part 2 §2.1091

FCC ID: Y8E-VM-LORA

1. Reference

According to §1.1307(b)(1), 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.

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

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2. Limit

Limits for Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE)/Controlled Exposure

Frequency	Electric Field	Magnetic Field	Power Density	Averaging Time			
Range(MHz)	Strength(V/m)	Strength(A/m)	(mW/cm ²)	(minute)			
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 - 1500	/	/	f/300	6			
1500 – 100,000	/	/	5	6			

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Range(MHz)	Strength(V/m)	Strength(A/m)	(mW/cm²)	(minute)			
Limits for Occupational/Controlled Exposure							
0.3 - 3.0	614	1.63	(100) *	30			
3.0 - 30	824/f	2.19/f	$(180/f^2)*$	30			
30 - 300	30 - 300 27.5		0.073 0.2				
300 – 1500	/	/	f/1500	30			
1500 – 100,000	/	/	1.0	30			

F=frequency in MHz

^{*=}Plane-wave equivalent power density

3. MPE Calculation Method

Predication of MPE limit at a given distance Equation from page 18 of OET Bulletin 65, Edition 97-01

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

Where: S=power density

P=power input to antenna

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

4. Result

As declared by the Applicant, the EUT is a wireless device used in a fix application, at least 20 cm from any body part of the user or nearby persons; from the maximum EUT RF output power, the minimum separation distance, r = 20cm, as well as the gain of the used antenna is 1.5 dBi, the RF power density can be obtained.

Freq. (MHz)	Output Power (dBm)	Target power W/ tolerance (dBm)	Max tune up power tolerance (dBm)	Output power to antenna (mW)	Ant Gain (dBi)	Power Density at R=20cm (mW/cm2)	Limit (mW/c m2)	Result
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908.7	29.655	30±1.0	31	1258.925	1.5	0.35378	1	Pass

Note: The estimation distance is 20cm

5. Conclusion

The measurement results comply with the FCC Limit per 47 CFR 2.1091 for the uncontrolled RF Exposure of mobile device.