

RF EXPOSURE TEST REPORT

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Equipment Tested: Verizon Connect RFID reader

Model Tested: PLA-X21

Standards: ISED SPR-002 Issue 1 September 2016
Supplementary Procedure for Assessing Compliance with RSS-102 Nerve
Stimulation Exposure Limits

FCC KDB 447498 D04 (Interim General RF Exposure Guidance v01)

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1 Introduction and Conclusion

The tests indicated in section 2.0 were performed on the product constructed as described in section 4.0. The remaining test sections are the verbatim text from the actual data sheets used during the investigation. These test sections include the test name, the specified test Method, a list of the actual Test Equipment Used, documentation Photos, Results and raw Data. 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 tested **complies** with the requirements of the standard(s) indicated. The results obtained in this test report pertain only to the item(s) tested. Intertek does not make any claims of compliance for samples or variants which were not tested.

2 Test Summary

Section	Test full name	Result
3	Client Information	-
4	Description of Equipment Under Test and Variant Models	-
5	System Setup and Method	-
6	Test Results	Compliant
7	Revision History	-

3 Client Information

This EUT was tested at the request of:

Client: VERIZON CONNECT, INC.
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4 Description of Equipment Under Test and Variant Models

Manufacturer: VERIZON CONNECT, INC.
5055 North Point Parkway
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USA

Equipment Under Test			
Description	Manufacturer	Model Number	Serial Number
Verizon Connect RFID reader	VERIZON CONNECT, INC.	PLA-X21	0000292

Receive Date:	07/28/23	Test Started:	09/07/23
Received Condition:	Good	Test Completed:	09/07/23
Type:	Production		

Description of Equipment Under Test (provided by client)
The PLA-X21 is a 110kHz to 125kHz low power RFID card reader.

Operating modes of the EUT:

No.	Description of EUT Exercising
1	The EUT was configured to continuously transmit and looking for tags.

Variant Models:

None

5 System Setup and Method

5.1 Method:

FCC: The RF device is exempt and compliant to RF exposure limit per FCC 1.1307(b)(3)(i)(A).

INDUSTRY CANADA:

Configuration as required by Annex E, para E1.1 Passively used Table top device of SPR-002 Supplementary Procedure for Assessing Compliance with RSS-102 Nerve Stimulation Exposure Limits

and

Radio Standards Specification RSS-102, Radio Frequency (RF) Exposure Compliance of Radiocommunication Apparatus

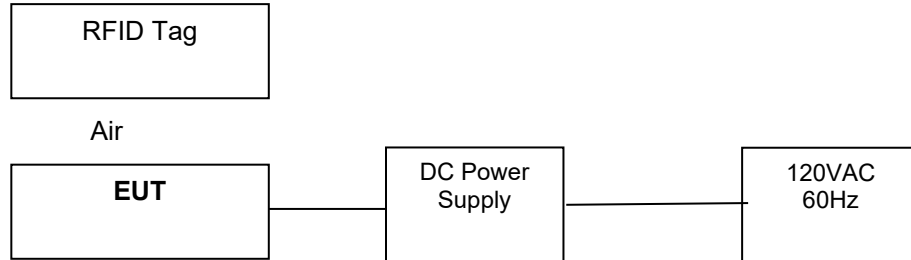
Radiofrequency radiation exposure evaluation:

Measurements were performed on all sides of the device and the worst result is recorded.

Measurement Uncertainty:

Measurement uncertainty is estimated 2.0 dB for the coverage factor of 2.

5.2 EUT Block Diagram:



6 Test Results

6.1 FCC Evaluation

According to FCC 1.1307(b)(3)(i)(A), a single RF source is exempt if the available maximum time-averaged power is no more than 1mW, regardless of separation distance.

Frequency (MHz)	Peak FS @10m dB(uV/m) ¹	EIRP ² (dBm)	EIRP (mW)	Results
0.125	45.21	-39.56	0.00011	Complies

Note:

¹ Field strength measurement was taken from Report #105530563MPK-001.

² $EIRP(dBm) = E(dBuV/m) + 20\log D - 104.8$

where:

E = electric field strength in dBuV/m,

EIRP = equivalent isotropic radiated power in dBm

D = specified measurement distance in meters.

DCF = Duty Cycle Correction Factor

6.2 Industry Canada Evaluation

6.2.1 Electric Field

6.2.1.1 Performance Requirement(s)

IEEE std C95.1 -2005

Table 9—Action level (MPE for the general public when an RF safety program is unavailable) (see Figure 4 for graphical representation)

Frequency range (MHz)	RMS electric field strength (E) ^a (V/m)	RMS magnetic field strength (H) ^a (A/m)	RMS power density (S) E-field, H-field (W/m ²)	Averaging time ^b E ² , H ² or S (min)	
0.1–1.34	614	16.3/f _M	(1000, 100 000/f _M ²) ^c	6	6
1.34–3	823.8/f _M	16.3/f _M	(1800/f _M ² , 100 000/f _M ²)	f _M ² /0.3	6
3–30	823.8/f _M	16.3/f _M	(1800/f _M ² , 100 000/f _M ²)	30	6
30–100	27.5	158.3/f _M ^{1.668}	(2, 9 400 000/f _M ^{3.336})	30	0.0636 f _M ^{1.337}
100–400	27.5	0.0729	2	30	30
400–2000	–	–	f _M /200	30	
2000–5000	–	–	10	30	
5000–30 000	–	–	10	150/f _G	
30 000–100 000	–	–	10	25.24/f _G ^{0.476}	
100 000–300 000	–	–	(90f _G –7000)/200	5048/[(9f _G –700)f _G ^{0.476}]	

NOTE—f_M is the frequency in MHz, f_G is the frequency in GHz.

^aFor exposures that are uniform over the dimensions of the body, such as certain far-field plane-wave exposures, the exposure field strengths and power densities are compared with the MPEs in the Table. For non-uniform exposures, the mean values of the exposure fields, as obtained by spatially averaging the squares of the field strengths or averaging the power densities over an area equivalent to the vertical cross section of the human body (projected area) or a smaller area depending on the frequency (see NOTES to Table 8 and Table 9 below), are compared with the MPEs in the Table.

^bThe left column is the averaging time for |E|², the right column is the averaging time for |H|². For frequencies greater than 400 MHz, the averaging time is for power density S

^cThese plane-wave equivalent power density values are commonly used as a convenient comparison with MPEs at higher frequencies and are displayed on some instruments in use.

The field strength limits are established in Health Canada’s RF exposure guideline, Safety Code 6.

Frequency Range (MHz)	Electric Field (V/m rms)	Magnetic Field (A/m rms)	Power Density (W/m ²)	Reference Period (minutes)
0.003-10	83	90	-	Instantaneous

More stringent of the above two standards was used.

6.2.1.2 Method

Tests are performed in accordance with IEEE C95.1-2005 and ISED SPR-002.

The EMC-20 three-axis electric field probe with X, Y, Z field sensors was used.

Direct measurement was used. Measurements were performed on all sides of the device and the worst result is recorded. Fully charged battery was used for testing.

Test Site:

The test facility is located at 1365 Adams Court, Menlo Park CA 94025 USA. This test laboratory has been accredited by A2LA and registered with ISED, company number: 2042L.

6.2.1.3 Test Equipment Used:

Description	Manufacturer	Model	Serial	Cal Date	Cal Due
Probe Interface	Wandel & Golterman	Type 8.2	None	05/23/23	05/23/24
Electric Field Probe	Wandel & Goltermann	EMC-20	BN2244/29	05/23/23	05/23/24

6.2.1.4 Results:

The sample tested at 0mm and 10cm from EUT was found to Comply.

6.2.1.5 Data:

EUT Location (worst-case)	Measured Value (V/m rms)	Limit (V/m rms)
Top	16.38	83
Left Side	13.09	83
Right Side	14.88	83
Front Side	15.74	83
Bottom	4.4	83
Back side	15.21	83

1) Test was performed with probe touching the EUT i.e. 0mm from EUT and 10cm from EUT, worst case results are reported here. The values indicated above are highest instantaneous values observed on the meter used for measurement.

Test Result:	The EUT PASSED at 0mm Complies for Annex E, para E1.1 Passively used Table top device of SPR-002
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Product Standard: ISED SPR-002
Input Voltage: 13.8 VDC
Pretest Verification
w/ Ambient Signals
or
BB Source: Yes

Test Date: 09/07/23
Limit Applied: ISED RSS-102 Table 4
Ambient Temperature: 23.1°C
Relative Humidity: 45.9 %
Atmospheric Pressure: 989 mBar

Deviations, Additions, or Exclusions: None

6.2.1.6 Setup Photographs:





6.2.2 Magnetic Field

6.2.2.1 Performance Requirement(s)

IEEE std C95.1 -2005

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The field strength limits are established in Health Canada’s RF exposure guideline, Safety Code 6.

Frequency Range (MHz)	Electric Field (V/m rms)	Magnetic Field (A/m rms)	Power Density (W/m ²)	Reference Period (minutes)
0.003-10	83	90	-	Instantaneous

More stringent of the above two limits was used.

6.2.2.2 Method

Tests are performed in accordance with ISED SPR-002.

The Narda ELT-400 Exposure Level Tester measures magnetic field in the frequency range 1 Hz to 400 kHz. Its display takes all frequency components into account automatically. It uses a standard-compliant three-axis 100 cm² probe.

Direct measurement was used. The edge of magnetic field probe is at 5cm from the equipment under test (EUT) during the test, i.e., 10 cm to the center of the probe. Measurements were performed on all sides of the device and the worst result is recorded.

Test Site:

The test facility is located at 1365 Adams Court, Menlo Park USA. This test laboratory has been accredited by A2LA and registered with ISED, company number: 2042L.

6.2.2.3 Test Equipment Used:

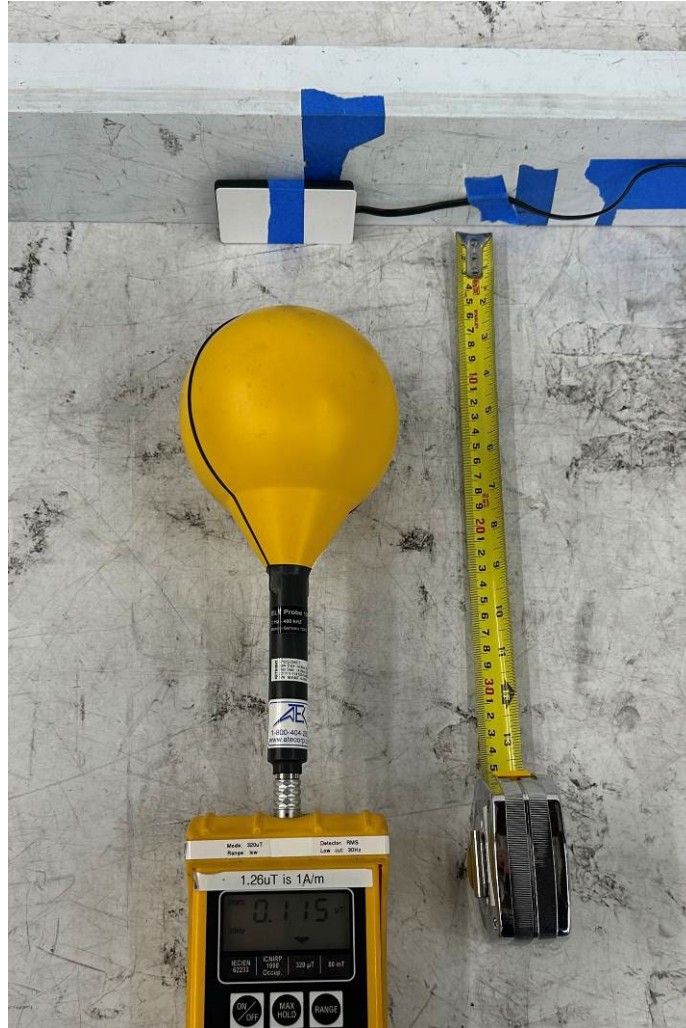
Description	Manufacturer	Model	Serial	Cal Date	Cal Due
Exposure Level Tester	Narda	ELT-400	N-0044	11/14/22	11/14/23
B-Field Probe	Narda	2300/90.10	M-0487	11/14/22	11/14/23

6.2.2.4 Results:

The sample tested at 0mm and 10cm from EUT was found to Comply.

6.2.2.5 Setup Photographs:





6.2.2.6 Data:

EUT Location (worst-case)	Measured Value (uT)	Measured Value (A/m rms)	Limit (A/m rms)
Top	0.434	0.34	90
Left Side	0.352	0.28	90
Right Side	0.471	0.37	90
Front Side	0.731	0.58	90
Bottom	0.154	0.12	90
Back side	0.691	0.55	90

Calculated Value (A/m) = Measured Value (uT) /1.26

- 1) Test was performed with probe touching the EUT i.e. 0mm from EUT and 10cm from EUT. The values indicated above are highest instantaneous rms values observed on the meter used for measurement.
- 2) The above values show the device complies without applying duty cycle correction
- 3) Test tests were performed with and without Tag card. Only highest readings of both conditions are reported here.

Test Result:	The EUT PASSED with probe 0mm from the EUT. Complies for Annex E, para E1.1 Passively used Table top device of SPR-002
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Test Personnel: Gilberto Gallegos Rangel
Product Standard: ISED SPR-002
Input Voltage: 13.7 VDC
Pretest Verification
w/ Ambient Signals
or
BB Source: Yes

Test Date: 09/07/23
Limit Applied: ISED RSS-102 Table 4
Ambient Temperature: 23.1°C
Relative Humidity: 45.9 %
Atmospheric Pressure: 989 mBar

Deviations, Additions, or Exclusions: None

7 Revision History

Revision Level	Date	Report Number	Prepared By	Reviewed By	Notes
1	September 07, 2023	105530563MPK-002	GGR	ML	Initial Release
2	September 20, 2023	105530563MPK-002	GGR	ML	Added FCC Exemption per FCC KDB 447498 D04