# Analysis of Non-Ionizing Radiation for a 4.5-Meter Earth Station System

This report analyzes the non-ionizing radiation levels for a 4.5-meter earth station system. The analysis and calculations performed in this report comply with the methods described in the FCC Office of Engineering and Technology Bulletin, No. 65 first published in 1985 and revised in 1997 in Edition 97-01. The radiation safety limits used in the analysis are in conformance with the FCC R&O 96-326. Bulletin No. 65 and the FCC R&O specifies that there are two separate tiers of exposure limits that are dependent on the situation in which the exposure takes place and/or the status of the individuals who are subject to the exposure. The Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) limits for persons in a General Population/Uncontrolled environment are shown in Table 1. The General Population/Uncontrolled MPE is a function of transmit frequency and is for an exposure period of thirty minutes or less. The MPE limits for persons in an Occupational/Controlled environment are shown in Table 2. The Occupational MPE is a function of transmit frequency and is for an exposure period of six minutes or less. The purpose of the analysis described in this report is to determine the power flux density levels of the earth station in the far-field, near-field, transition region, between the subreflector or feed and main reflector surface, at the main reflector surface, and between the antenna edge and the ground and to compare these levels to the specified MPEs.

Table 1. Limits for General Population/Uncontrolled Exposure (MPE)

Frequency Range (MHz)	Power Density (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )
30-300	0.2
300-1500	Frequency (MHz)*(0.8/1200)
1500-100,000	1.0

Table 2. Limits for Occupational/Controlled Exposure (MPE)

Frequency Range (MHz)	Power Density (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )
30-300	1.0
300-1500	Frequency (MHz)*(4.0/1200)
1500-100,000	5.0

Table 3.	Formulas and Parameters	Used for Determining	a Power Flux Densities
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Parameter	Symbol	Formula	Value	Units
Antenna Diameter	D	Input	4.5	m
Antenna Surface Area	A <sub>surface</sub>	$\pi$ D <sup>2</sup> /4	15.90	m²
Feed Flange Diameter	D <sub>fa</sub>	Input	5.3	cm
Area of Feed Flange	A <sub>fa</sub>	$\pi$ D <sub>fa</sub> <sup>2</sup> /4	22.15	cm <sup>2</sup>
Frequency	F	Input	14250	MHz
Wavelength	λ	300 / F	0.021053	m
Transmit Power	Р	Input	40.00	W
Antenna Gain (dBi)	G <sub>es</sub>	Input	53.6	dBi
Antenna Gain (factor)	G	10 <sup>Ges/10</sup>	229086.8	n/a
Pi	π	Constant	3.1415927	n/a
Antenna Efficiency	η	$G\lambda^2/(\pi^2 D^2)$	0.51	n/a

#### 1. Far Field Distance Calculation

The distance to the beginning of the far field can be determined from the following equation:

Distance to the Far Field Region	$R_{\rm ff}$ = 0.60 D <sup>2</sup> / $\lambda$	(1)
	= 577.1 m	

The maximum main beam power density in the far field can be determined from the following equation:

On-Axis Power Density in the Far Field	$S_{\rm ff} = G P / (4 \pi R_{\rm ff}^2)$	(2)
-	$= 2.189 \text{ W/m}^2$	
	$= 0.219 \text{ mW/cm}^2$	

#### 2. Near Field Calculation

Power flux density is considered to be at a maximum value throughout the entire length of the defined Near Field region. The region is contained within a cylindrical volume having the same diameter as the antenna. Past the boundary of the Near Field region, the power density from the antenna decreases linearly with respect to increasing distance.

The distance to the end of the Near Field can be determined from the following equation:

Extent of the Near Field

 $R_{nf} = D^2 / (4 \lambda)$ = 240.5 m (3)

The maximum power density in the Near Field can be determined from the following equation:

Near Field

Power Density	$S_{nf} = 16.0 \ \eta \ P / (\pi \ D^2)$	(4)
	$= 5.111 \text{ W/m}^2$	
	= 0.511 mW/cm <sup>2</sup>	

#### 3. **Transition Region Calculation**

The Transition region is located between the Near and Far Field regions. The power density begins to decrease linearly with increasing distance in the Transition region. While the power density decreases inversely with distance in the Transition region, the power density decreases inversely with the square of the distance in the Far Field region. The maximum power density in the Transition region will not exceed that calculated for the Near Field region. The power density calculated in Section 1 is the highest power density the antenna can produce in any of the regions away from the antenna. The power density at a distance R<sub>t</sub> can be determined from the following equation:

Transition Region Power Density

$$S_t = S_{nf} R_{nf} / R_t$$
 (5)  
= 0.511 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>

### 4. Region between the Feed Assembly and the Antenna Reflector

Transmissions from the feed assembly are directed toward the antenna reflector surface, and are confined within a conical shape defined by the type of feed assembly. The most common feed assemblies are waveguide flanges, horns or subreflectors. The energy between the feed assembly and reflector surface can be calculated by determining the power density at the feed assembly surface. This can be determined from the following equation:

Power Density at the Feed Flange

 $\begin{array}{l} S_{fa} = 4000 \ P \ / \ A_{fa} \\ = 7225.053 \ mW/cm^2 \end{array} \tag{6}$ 

## 5. Main Reflector Region

The power density in the main reflector is determined in the same manner as the power density at the feed assembly. The area is now the area of the reflector aperture and can be determined from the following equation:

<b>Power Density</b>	at the Reflector Surface	è
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$S_{surface} = 4 P / A_{surface}$	(7)
$= 10.060 \text{ W/m}^2$	
= 1.006 mW/cm <sup>2</sup>	

## 6. Region between the Reflector and the Ground

Assuming uniform illumination of the reflector surface, the power density between the antenna and the ground can be determined from the following equation:

Power Density between Reflector and Ground

$$S_g = P / A_{surface}$$
 (8)  
= 2.515 W/m<sup>2</sup>  
= 0.252 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>

### 7. Summary of Calculations

#### Table 4. Summary of Expected Radiation levels for Uncontrolled Environment

	Calculated Maximum Radiation Power Density Level	
Region	(mW/cm²)	Hazard Assessment
1. Far Field (R <sub>ff</sub> = 577.1 m)	S <sub>ff</sub> 0.219	Satisfies FCC MPE
2. Near Field (R <sub>nf</sub> = 240.5 m)	S <sub>nf</sub> 0.511	Satisfies FCC MPE
3. Transition Region ( $R_{nf} < R_t < R_{ff}$ )	S <sub>t</sub> 0.511	Satisfies FCC MPE
4. Between Feed Assembly and Antenna Reflector	S <sub>fa</sub> 7225.053	Potential Hazard
5. Main Reflector	S <sub>surface</sub> 1.006	Potential Hazard
6. Between Reflector and Ground	S <sub>q</sub> 0.252	Satisfies FCC MPE

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3. Transition Region ( $R_{nf} < R_t < R_{ff}$ )	S <sub>t</sub> 0.511	Satisfies FCC MPE
<ol> <li>Between Feed Assembly and Antenna Reflector</li> </ol>	S <sub>fa</sub> 7225.053	Potential Hazard
5. Main Reflector	S <sub>surface</sub> 1.006	Satisfies FCC MPE
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It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that the public and operational personnel are not exposed to harmful levels of radiation.

## 8. Conclusions

Based on the above analysis it is concluded that the FCC MPE guidelines have been exceeded (or met) in the regions of Table 4 and 5. The applicant proposes to comply with the MPE limits by one or more of the following methods.

Radiation hazard signs will be posted while this earth station is in operation. The area of operation around the antenna will be limited to those that have knowledge of the potential for radiation exposure

Finally, occupational exposure will be limited, and the transmitter will be turned off during periods of maintenance, so that the MPE standard of 5.0 mw/cm\*\*2 will be complied with for those regions in close proximity to the main reflector, and subreflector, which could be occupied by operating personnel.

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The applicant agrees to abide by the conditions specified in Condition 5208 provided below:

Condition 5208 - The licensee shall take all necessary measures to ensure that the antenna does not create potential exposure of humans to radiofrequency radiation in excess of the FCC exposure limits defined in 47 CFR 1.1307(b) and 1.1310 wherever such exposures might occur. Measures must be taken to ensure compliance with limits for both occupational/controlled exposure and for general population/uncontrolled exposure, as defined in these rule sections. Compliance can be accomplished in most cases by appropriate restrictions such as fencing. Requirements for restrictions can be determined by predictions based on calculations, modeling or by field measurements. The FCC's OET Bulletin 65 (available on-line at www.fcc.gov/oet/rfsafety) provides information on predicting exposure levels and on methods for ensuring compliance, including the use of warning and alerting signs and protective equipment for worker.

# Analysis of Non-Ionizing Radiation for a 2.4-Meter Earth Station System

This report analyzes the non-ionizing radiation levels for a 2.4-meter earth station system. The analysis and calculations performed in this report comply with the methods described in the FCC Office of Engineering and Technology Bulletin, No. 65 first published in 1985 and revised in 1997 in Edition 97-01. The radiation safety limits used in the analysis are in conformance with the FCC R&O 96-326. Bulletin No. 65 and the FCC R&O specifies that there are two separate tiers of exposure limits that are dependent on the situation in which the exposure takes place and/or the status of the individuals who are subject to the exposure. The Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) limits for persons in a General Population/Uncontrolled environment are shown in Table 1. The General Population/Uncontrolled MPE is a function of transmit frequency and is for an exposure period of thirty minutes or less. The MPE limits for persons in an Occupational/Controlled environment are shown in Table 2. The Occupational MPE is a function of transmit frequency and is for an exposure period of six minutes or less. The purpose of the analysis described in this report is to determine the power flux density levels of the earth station in the far-field, near-field, transition region, between the subreflector or feed and main reflector surface, at the main reflector surface, and between the antenna edge and the ground and to compare these levels to the specified MPEs.

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Frequency Range (MHz)	Power Density (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )
30-300	0.2
300-1500	Frequency (MHz)*(0.8/1200)
1500-100,000	1.0

Table 2. Limits for Occupational/Controlled Exposure (MPE)

Frequency Range (MHz)	Power Density (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )
30-300	1.0
300-1500	Frequency (MHz)*(4.0/1200)
1500-100,000	5.0

Table 3.	Formulas and Parameters	Used for Determining	Power Flux Densities
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Parameter	Symbol	Formula	Value	Units
Antenna Diameter	D	Input	2.4	m
Antenna Surface Area	A <sub>surface</sub>	$\pi$ D <sup>2</sup> /4	4.52	m²
Subreflector Diameter	D <sub>sr</sub>	Input	19.0	cm
Area of Subreflector	A <sub>sr</sub>	$\pi$ D <sub>sr</sub> <sup>2</sup> /4	283.53	cm <sup>2</sup>
Frequency	F	Input	14250	MHz
Wavelength	λ	300 / F	0.021053	m
Transmit Power	Р	Input	25.00	W
Antenna Gain (dBi)	G <sub>es</sub>	Input	49.3	dBi
Antenna Gain (factor)	G	10 <sup>Ges/10</sup>	85113.8	n/a
Pi	π	Constant	3.1415927	n/a
Antenna Efficiency	η	$G\lambda^2/(\pi^2 D^2)$	0.66	n/a

#### 9. Far Field Distance Calculation

The distance to the beginning of the far field can be determined from the following equation:

Distance to the Far Field Region	$R_{ff} = 0.60 D^2 / \lambda$	(1)
	= 164.2 m	

The maximum main beam power density in the far field can be determined from the following equation:

On-Axis Power Density in the Far Field	$S_{ff} = G P / (4 \pi R_{ff}^2)$	(2)
-	$= 6.283 \text{ W/m}^2$	
	$= 0.628 \text{ mW/cm}^2$	

#### 10. **Near Field Calculation**

Power flux density is considered to be at a maximum value throughout the entire length of the defined Near Field region. The region is contained within a cylindrical volume having the same diameter as the antenna. Past the boundary of the Near Field region, the power density from the antenna decreases linearly with respect to increasing distance.

The distance to the end of the Near Field can be determined from the following equation:

Extent of the Near Field

 $R_{nf} = D^2 / (4 \lambda)$ = 68.4 m (3)

The maximum power density in the Near Field can be determined from the following equation:

Near Field

$S_{nf} = 16.0 \ \eta \ P / (\pi \ D^2)$	(4)
$= 14.668 \text{ W/m}^2$	
= 1.467 mW/cm <sup>2</sup>	
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#### 11. **Transition Region Calculation**

The Transition region is located between the Near and Far Field regions. The power density begins to decrease linearly with increasing distance in the Transition region. While the power density decreases inversely with distance in the Transition region, the power density decreases inversely with the square of the distance in the Far Field region. The maximum power density in the Transition region will not exceed that calculated for the Near Field region. The power density calculated in Section 1 is the highest power density the antenna can produce in any of the regions away from the antenna. The power density at a distance R<sub>t</sub> can be determined from the following equation:

Transition Region Power Density

$$S_t = S_{nf} R_{nf} / R_t$$
(5)  
= 1.467 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>

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#### 12. Region between the Main Reflector and the Subreflector

Transmissions from the feed assembly are directed toward the subreflector surface, and are reflected back toward the main reflector. The most common feed assemblies are waveguide flanges, horns or subreflectors. The energy between the subreflector and the reflector surfaces can be calculated by determining the power density at the subreflector surface. This can be determined from the following equation:

Power Density at the Subreflector

$$S_{sr} = 4000 P / A_{sr}$$
 (6)  
= 352.698 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>

#### 13. Main Reflector Region

The power density in the main reflector is determined in the same manner as the power density at the subreflector. The area is now the area of the main reflector aperture and can be determined from the following equation:

Power Densit	y at the Main Reflector Surface
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$S_{surface} = 4 P / A_{surface}$	(7)
= 22.105 W/m <sup>2</sup>	
= 2.210 mW/cm <sup>2</sup>	

### 14. Region between the Main Reflector and the Ground

Assuming uniform illumination of the reflector surface, the power density between the antenna and the ground can be determined from the following equation:

Power Density between Reflector and Ground

$$S_g = P / A_{surface}$$
 (8)  
= 5.526 W/m<sup>2</sup>  
= 0.553 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>

### 15. Summary of Calculations

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1. Far Field (R <sub>ff</sub> = 164.2 m)	S <sub>ff</sub>	0.628	Satisfies FCC MPE
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3. Transition Region ( $R_{nf} < R_t < R_{ff}$ )	St	1.467	Potential Hazard
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## 16. Conclusions

Based on the above analysis it is concluded that the FCC MPE guidelines have been exceeded (or met) in the regions of Table 4 and 5. The applicant proposes to comply with the MPE limits by one or more of the following methods.

The earth station will be located on the roof of a vehicle with secured access. All individuals having access to the vehicle will be aware of the Radiation Hazard from the antenna, thus creating a controlled environment. Warning signs are attached to the vehicle to warn individuals of the potential for radiation hazard. The earth station antenna will be located approximately 3 meters above ground level and since one diameter removed from the center of main beam the levels are down at least 20 dB, or by a factor of 100, public safety will be ensured for the near and far field regions of the Uncontrolled Environment.

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Finally, occupational exposure will be limited, and the transmitter will be turned off during periods of maintenance, so that the MPE standard of 5.0 mw/cm\*\*2 will be complied with for those regions in close proximity to the main reflector, and subreflector, which could be occupied by operating personnel.

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# Analysis of Non-Ionizing Radiation for a 1.2-Meter Earth Station System

This report analyzes the non-ionizing radiation levels for a 1.2-meter earth station system. The analysis and calculations performed in this report comply with the methods described in the FCC Office of Engineering and Technology Bulletin, No. 65 first published in 1985 and revised in 1997 in Edition 97-01. The radiation safety limits used in the analysis are in conformance with the FCC R&O 96-326. Bulletin No. 65 and the FCC R&O specifies that there are two separate tiers of exposure limits that are dependent on the situation in which the exposure takes place and/or the status of the individuals who are subject to the exposure. The Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) limits for persons in a General Population/Uncontrolled environment are shown in Table 1. The General Population/Uncontrolled MPE is a function of transmit frequency and is for an exposure period of thirty minutes or less. The MPE limits for persons in an Occupational/Controlled environment are shown in Table 2. The Occupational MPE is a function of transmit frequency and is for an exposure period of six minutes or less. The purpose of the analysis described in this report is to determine the power flux density levels of the earth station in the far-field, near-field, transition region, between the subreflector or feed and main reflector surface, at the main reflector surface, and between the antenna edge and the ground and to compare these levels to the specified MPEs.

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Frequency Range (MHz)	Power Density (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )
30-300	0.2
300-1500	Frequency (MHz)*(0.8/1200)
1500-100,000	1.0

Table 2. Limits for Occupational/Controlled Exposure (MPE)

Frequency Range (MHz)	Power Density (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )
30-300	1.0
300-1500	Frequency (MHz)*(4.0/1200)
1500-100,000	5.0

Table 3.	Formulas and Parameters	Used for Determining	Power Flux Densities
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Parameter	Symbol	Formula	Value	Units
Antenna Diameter	D	Input	1.2	m
Antenna Surface Area	A <sub>surface</sub>	$\pi$ D <sup>2</sup> /4	1.13	m²
Subreflector Diameter	D <sub>sr</sub>	Input	19.0	cm
Area of Subreflector	A <sub>sr</sub>	$\pi$ D <sub>sr</sub> <sup>2</sup> /4	283.53	cm <sup>2</sup>
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Antenna Gain (dBi)	G <sub>es</sub>	Input	43.1	dBi
Antenna Gain (factor)	G	10 <sup>Ges/10</sup>	20417.4	n/a
Pi	π	Constant	3.1415927	n/a
Antenna Efficiency	η	$G\lambda^2/(\pi^2 D^2)$	0.64	n/a

#### 17. Far Field Distance Calculation

The distance to the beginning of the far field can be determined from the following equation:

Distance to the Far Field Region	$R_{\rm ff} = 0.60 \ D^2 / \lambda$	(1)
	= 41.0 m	

The maximum main beam power density in the far field can be determined from the following equation:

On-Axis Power Density in the Far Field	$S_{\rm ff} = G P / (4 \pi R_{\rm ff}^2)$	(2)
	$= 7.717 W/m^2$	
	$= 0.772 \text{ mW/cm}^2$	

#### 18. Near Field Calculation

Power flux density is considered to be at a maximum value throughout the entire length of the defined Near Field region. The region is contained within a cylindrical volume having the same diameter as the antenna. Past the boundary of the Near Field region, the power density from the antenna decreases linearly with respect to increasing distance.

The distance to the end of the Near Field can be determined from the following equation:

Extent of the Near Field

 $R_{nf} = D^2 / (4 \lambda)$ = 17.1 m (3)

The maximum power density in the Near Field can be determined from the following equation:

Near Field

Power Density	$S_{nf} = 16.0 \ \eta \ P / (\pi \ D^2)$	(4)
	$= 18.016 \text{ W/m}^2$	
	$= 1.802 \text{ mW/cm}^2$	

#### 19. **Transition Region Calculation**

The Transition region is located between the Near and Far Field regions. The power density begins to decrease linearly with increasing distance in the Transition region. While the power density decreases inversely with distance in the Transition region, the power density decreases inversely with the square of the distance in the Far Field region. The maximum power density in the Transition region will not exceed that calculated for the Near Field region. The power density calculated in Section 1 is the highest power density the antenna can produce in any of the regions away from the antenna. The power density at a distance R<sub>t</sub> can be determined from the following equation:

Transition Region Power Density

$$S_t = S_{nf} R_{nf} / R_t$$
(5)  
= 1.802 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>

#### 20. Region between the Main Reflector and the Subreflector

Transmissions from the feed assembly are directed toward the subreflector surface, and are reflected back toward the main reflector. The most common feed assemblies are waveguide flanges, horns or subreflectors. The energy between the subreflector and the reflector surfaces can be calculated by determining the power density at the subreflector surface. This can be determined from the following equation:

Power Density at the Subreflector

$$S_{sr} = 4000 P / A_{sr}$$
 (6)  
= 112.863 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>

### 21. Main Reflector Region

The power density in the main reflector is determined in the same manner as the power density at the subreflector. The area is now the area of the main reflector aperture and can be determined from the following equation:

Power Density at the Main Reflector Surface	$S_{surface} = 4 P / A_{surface}$	(7)
	= 28.294 W/m <sup>2</sup>	
	= 2.829 mW/cm <sup>2</sup>	

### 22. Region between the Main Reflector and the Ground

Assuming uniform illumination of the reflector surface, the power density between the antenna and the ground can be determined from the following equation:

Power Density between Reflector and Ground

$$S_g = P / A_{surface}$$
 (8)  
= 7.074 W/m<sup>2</sup>  
= 0.707 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>

### 23. Summary of Calculations

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3. Transition Region ( $R_{nf} < R_t < R_{ff}$ )	St	1.802	Potential Hazard
4. Between Main Reflector and Subreflector	S <sub>sr</sub>	112.863	Potential Hazard
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It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that the public and operational personnel are not exposed to harmful levels of radiation.

## 24. Conclusions

Based on the above analysis it is concluded that the FCC MPE guidelines have been exceeded (or met) in the regions of Table 4 and 5. The applicant proposes to comply with the MPE limits by one or more of the following methods.

The earth station will be located on the roof of a vehicle with secured access. All individuals having access to the vehicle will be aware of the Radiation Hazard from the antenna, thus creating a controlled environment. Warning signs are attached to the vehicle to warn individuals of the potential for radiation hazard. The earth station antenna will be located approximately 3 meters above ground level and since one diameter removed from the center of main beam the levels are down at least 20 dB, or by a factor of 100, public safety will be ensured for the near and far field regions of the Uncontrolled Environment.

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Finally, occupational exposure will be limited, and the transmitter will be turned off during periods of maintenance, so that the MPE standard of 5.0 mw/cm\*\*2 will be complied with for those regions in close proximity to the main reflector, and subreflector, which could be occupied by operating personnel.

The applicant agrees to abide by the conditions specified in Condition 5208 provided below:

Condition 5208 - The licensee shall take all necessary measures to ensure that the antenna does not create potential exposure of humans to radiofrequency radiation in excess of the FCC exposure limits defined in 47 CFR 1.1307(b) and 1.1310 wherever such exposures might occur. Measures must be taken to ensure compliance with limits for both occupational/controlled exposure and for general population/uncontrolled exposure, as defined in these rule sections. Compliance can be accomplished in most cases by appropriate restrictions such as fencing. Requirements for restrictions can be determined by predictions based on calculations, modeling or by field measurements. The FCC's OET Bulletin 65 (available on-line at www.fcc.gov/oet/rfsafety) provides information on predicting exposure levels and on methods for ensuring compliance, including the use of warning and alerting signs and protective equipment for worker.