

Appendix B. Maximum Permissible Exposure

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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 0.2 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/ cm²) | Averaging Time E ², H ² 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/ cm²) | Averaging Time E ², H ² 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

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

 \mathbf{E} = Electric field (V/m)

 \mathbf{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=0.2m, as well as the gain of the used antenna, the RF power density can be obtained.

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1.3. Calculated Result and Limit

Exposure Environment: General Population / Uncontrolled Exposure

For Zigbee:

Antenna Type: Dipole Antenna

Conducted Power for IEEE 802.15.4 ZigBee: 0.68 dBm

| Distance | Antenna Gain | Antenna Gain | Average Output Power | | Power Density (S) | Limit of Power | Test Result |
|----------|--------------|--------------|----------------------|--------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------------|
| (m) | (dBi) | (numeric) | (dBm) | (mW) | (mW/cm ²) | Density (S) (mW/cm²) | Test Result |
| 0.2 | -2.50 | 0.5623 | 0.6800 | 1.1695 | 0.000131 | 1 | Complies |

For 3G Module (FCC ID: XPYLISAU200):

Frequency range: 850 MHz

Antenna Type: Dipole Antenna (-0.13 dBi)

Max Conducted Power: 23.15 dBm

| EIRP power (dBm) | EIRP power (mW) | Power Density (S) | Limit of Power Density (S) | |
|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------------------|--|
| | EIRI powei (mw) | (mW/cm²) | (mW/cm²) | |
| 23.02 | 200.4472 | 0.039898 | 0.57 | |

Frequency range: 1900 MHz

Antenna Type: Dipole Antenna (-0.13 dBi)

Max Conducted Power: 23.73 dBm

| EIRP power (dBm) | EIRP power (mW) | Power Density (S) | Limit of Power Density (S) | |
|------------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------------------------|--|
| | EIRI powei (mw) | (mW/cm²) | (mW/cm²) | |
| 23.60 | 229.0868 | 0.045598 | 1 | |

Conclusion:

Both of the Zigbee and 3G can transmit simultaneously, the formula of calculated the MPE is:

CPD1 / LPD1 + CPD2 / LPD2 +etc. < 1

CPD = Calculation power density

LPD = Limit of power density

(1) Zigbee + 3G (850MHz) = 0.000131 / 1 + 0.039898 / 0.57 = 0.070127

(2) Zigbee + 3G (1900MHz) = 0.000131 / 1 + 0.045598 / 1 = 0.045729

Therefore, the worst-case situation is **Zigbee** + **3G** (**850MHz**), which is less than "1". This confirmed that the device comply with FCC 1.1310 MPE limit.

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