

## **RF Exposure Evaluation**

**Report Prepared for:** Rainforest Automation Inc.

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**Equipment Under Test (EUT):** Model: RFA-Z109 EAGLE

FCC ID: YCXRFA-Z109
IC Certification number: 8919A-RFAZ109

FCC Rule Part(s): Part 15B, 15C Industry Canada Rule Part(s) RSS-210

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## 1.1 RF EXPOSURE EVALUATION

FCC 1.1310 states the criteria listed in the table below shall be used to evaluate the environmental impact of human exposure to radiofrequency (RF) radiation as specified in Section 1.1307(b), except in the case of portable devices which shall be evaluated according to the provisions of Section 2.1093. Further information on evaluating compliance with these limits can be found in the FCC's OST/OET Bulletin Number 65, "Evaluating Compliance with FCC-Specified Guidelines for Human Exposure to Radiofrequency Radiation".

Frequency Range (MHz)	Electric Field Strength (V/m)	Magnetic Field Strength (A/m)	Power Density (mW/cm²)	Average Time (s)			
(A) Limits for Occupational/Control Exposures							
300-1500	-	-	F/300	6			
1500-100,000	-	-	5	6			
(B) Limits for General Population/Uncontrolled Exposures							
300-1500	-	-	F/1500	6			
1500-100,000	-	-	1	30			

**TABLE 1 - POWER DENSITY LIMITS** 

## 1.2 EUT OPERATING CONDITION

Maximum antenna gain = 4.4 dBi.

## 1.3 RF Exposure Evaluation Distance Calculation

Frequency (MHz)	Conducted Output Power (dBm)	Max Antenna Gain (dBi)	Max EIRP (W)	Power Density Limit (mW/cm²)	R (cm)
2.405	15.0	3.6	0.073	1	2.4
2.440	16.3	4.0	0.107	1	2.9
2.480	16.4	4.4	0.120	1	3.1

**TABLE 2 - DISTANCE CALCULATIONS** 

where: S = Allowable Power density Limit (mW/cm<sup>2</sup>)

EIRP = Equivalent (or effective) isotropically radiated power (mW)

R = Distance to the center of radiation of the antenna (cm)

$$R = \sqrt{\frac{EIRP}{4.\pi.S}}$$

As shown above, the minimum distance where the MPE limit is reached is 3.1 cm from the EUT with 4.4dBi antenna.

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