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for
VW instrument cluster

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1 Attestation of Test Results

Applicant Name	Continental Automotive Technologies GmbH
Model Name	23040401
Applicable Standards	FCC 47 CFR § 2.1091 FCC 47 CFR § 1.1307 FCC 47 CFR § 1.1310 Published RF exposure KDB procedures
Receive EUT Date:	August 10, 2023
Compliance Certification Services Inc. , tested the above equipment in accordance with the requirements set forth in the above standards. Determination of compliance is based on the results of the compliance measurement,not taking into account measurement instrumentation uncertainty.All indications of Pass/Fail in this report are opinions expressed by Compliance Certification Services Inc, based on interpretations and/or observations of test results. The test results show that the equipment tested is capable of demonstrating compliance with the requirements as documented in this report.	
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2 Test Specification, Methods and Procedures

The tests documented in this report were performed in accordance with FCC 47 CFR § 2.1091, the following FCC Published RF exposure [KDB](#) procedures:

- 447498 D04 Interim General RF Exposure Guidance v01
- 865664 D02 RF Exposure Reporting v01r02



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3 Device Under Test (DUT) Information

3.1 DUT Description

Product	VW instrument cluster
Trade Name	Continental
Model No.	23040401
Model Discrepancy	N/A
Hardware Version	HH10
Software Version	S0011
Sample Stage	Identical prototype

3.2 Wireless Technologies

Frequency bands	☐ Bluetooth: 2402MHz-2480MHz ☐ 802.11b/g/n HT20: 2412MHz ~ 2462 MHz ☐ 802.11n HT40: 2422MHz ~ 2452 MHz ☐ 802.11a/n HT20: 5180MHz ~ 5240MHz / 5260 ~ 5320MHz / 5500 ~ 5700MHz / 5745MHz ~ 5825MHz ☐ 802.11n HT40: 5190 MHz ~ 5230 MHz / 5270 MHz ~ 5310 MHz / 5510 MHz ~ 5670 MHz / 5755 MHz ~ 5795MHz ☐ 802.11ac VHT20: 5180MHz ~ 5240MHz / 5260 ~ 5320MHz / 5500 ~ 5700MHz / 5745MHz ~ 5825MHz ☐ 802.11ac VHT40: 5190 MHz ~ 5230 MHz / 5270 MHz ~ 5310 MHz / 5510 MHz ~ 5670 MHz / 5755 MHz ~ 5795MHz ☐ 802.11ac VHT80: 5210 MHz / 5290 MHz / 5530 MHz / 5775 MHz ☐ 802.11ax HE20: 5180MHz ~ 5240MHz / 5260 ~ 5320MHz / 5500 ~ 5700MHz / 5745MHz ~ 5825MHz ☐ 802.11ax HE40: 5190 MHz ~ 5230 MHz / 5270 MHz ~ 5310 MHz / 5510 MHz ~ 5670 MHz / 5755 MHz ~ 5795MHz ☐ 802.11ax HE80: 5210 MHz / 5290 MHz / 5530 MHz / 5775 MHz ☒ Others: 125KHz
Exposure classification	☐ Occupational/Controlled exposure (S = 5mW/cm ²) ☒ General Population/Uncontrolled exposure (S=1mW/cm ²)
Antenna Specification	Air coil Antenna
Result Peak Power in dBuV/m	125KHz: -6.03 dBuV/m (300m)

Notes:

- For more details, please refer to the User's manual of the EUT.
- Disclaimer: Antenna information is provided by the applicant, test results of this report are applicable to the sample EUT received.
- The max. peak power referred to the test report TMWK2308002725KR for RF Exposure assessment purpose.

4 Maximum Permissible Exposure

4.1 Limits for Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE)

Table 1 - Limits for Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE)

Frequency range (MHz)	Electric field strength (V/m)	Magnetic field strength (A/m)	Power density (mW/cm ²)	Averaging time (minutes)
(A) 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
300-1,500			f/300	6
1,500-100,000			5	6
(B) Limits for General Population/Uncontrolled Exposure				
0.3-1.34	614	1.63	* 100	30
1.34-30	824/f	2.19/f	* 180/f ²	30
30-300	27.5	0.073	0.2	30
300-1,500			f/1500	30
<u>1,500-100,000</u>			1.0	30

4.2 MPE Calculation Method

Calculation

Given $E = \frac{\sqrt{30 \times P \times G}}{d}$ & $S = \frac{E^2}{377}$

Where E = Field strength in Volts / meter

P = Power in Watts

G = Numeric antenna gain

d = Distance in meters

S = Power density in milliwatts / square centimeter

Combining equations and re-arranging the terms to express the distance as a function of the remaining variables yields:

$$S = \frac{30 \times P \times G}{377 d^2}$$

Changing to units of mW and cm, using:

$$P \text{ (mW)} = P \text{ (W)} / 1000 \text{ and}$$

$$d \text{ (cm)} = d \text{ (m)} / 100$$

Yields

$$S = \frac{30 \times (P/1000) \times G}{377 \times (d/100)^2} = 0.0796 \times \frac{P \times G}{d^2} \text{ Equation 1}$$

Where d = Distance in cm

P = Power in mW

G = Numeric antenna gain

S = Power density in mW / cm²

If, Substituting the MPE safe distance using d = 20 cm into Equation 1:

$$S = 0.000199 \times P \times G$$

4.3 MPE EXEMPTION

- (A) The available maximum time-averaged power is no more than 1 mW
- (B) The available maximum time-averaged power or effective radiated power (ERP), whichever is greater, is less than or equal to the threshold P_{th} (mW) described in the following formula. This method shall only be used at separation distances (cm) from 0.5 centimeters to 40 centimeters and at frequencies from 0.3 GHz to 6 GHz (inclusive). P_{th} is given by:

$$P_{th} \text{ (mW)} = \begin{cases} ERP_{20 \text{ cm}} (d/20 \text{ cm})^x & d \leq 20 \text{ cm} \\ ERP_{20 \text{ cm}} & 20 \text{ cm} < d \leq 40 \text{ cm} \end{cases}$$

Where

$$x = -\log_{10} \left(\frac{60}{ERP_{20 \text{ cm}} \sqrt{f}} \right) \text{ and } f \text{ is in GHz;}$$

and

$$ERP_{20 \text{ cm}} \text{ (mW)} = \begin{cases} 2040f & 0.3 \text{ GHz} \leq f < 1.5 \text{ GHz} \\ 3060 & 1.5 \text{ GHz} \leq f \leq 6 \text{ GHz} \end{cases}$$

d = the separation distance (cm);

- (C) Using Table 1 and the minimum separation distance (R in meters) from the body of a nearby person for the frequency (f in MHz) at which the source operates, the ERP (watts) is no more than the calculated value prescribed for that frequency. For the exemption in Table 1 to apply, R must be at least $\lambda/2\pi$, where λ is the free-space operating wavelength in meters. If the ERP of a single RF source is not easily obtained, then the available maximum time-averaged power may be used in lieu of ERP if the physical dimensions of the radiating structure(s) do not exceed the electrical length of $\lambda/4$ or if the antenna gain is less than that of a half-wave dipole (1.64 linear value).

Single RF Sources Subject to Routine Environmental Evaluation	
RF Source frequency (MHz)	Threshold ERP (watts)
0.3-1.34	$1,920 R^2$.
1.34-30	$3,450 R^2/f^2$.
30-300	$3.83 R^2$.
300-1,500	$0.0128 R^2 f$.
1,500-100,000	$19.2 R^2$.
Note: R is in meters, f is in MHz.	

4.4 Multiple RF sources

In the case of fixed RF sources operating in the same time-averaging period, or of multiple mobile or portable RF sources within a device operating in the same time averaging period, if the sum of the fractional contributions to the applicable thresholds is less than or equal to 1 as indicated in the following equation),

$$\sum_{i=1}^a \frac{P_i}{P_{th,i}} + \sum_{j=1}^b \frac{ERP_j}{ERP_{th,j}} + \sum_{k=1}^c \frac{Evaluated_k}{Exposure Limit_k} \leq 1$$



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5 MPE Exemption Option A

$-6.03 \text{ dBuV/m (300m)} = 73.97 \text{ dBuV/m (3m)}$
 $73.97 \text{ dBuV/m (3m)} = 0.0075 \text{ mW (EIRP)} < 1\text{mW}$
 $73.97 \text{ dBuV/m (3m)} = 0.0046 \text{ mW (ERP)} < 1\text{mW}$



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6 Facilities

All measurement facilities used to collect the measurement data are located at

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☐ No. 12, Ln. 116, Wugong 3rd Rd., Wugu Dist., New Taipei City, Taiwan.

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