

RF Exposure Evaluation

According to KDB 447498 D01 General RF Exposure Guidance v06 and part 2.1091, Unless specifically required by the published RF exposure KDB procedures, standalone 1-g head or body and 10-g extremity SAR evaluation for general population exposure conditions, by measurement or numerical simulation, is not required when the corresponding SAR Test Exclusion Threshold condition(s), listed below, is (are) satisfied.

Limits

The criteria listed in the following table shall be used to evaluate the environment impact of human exposure to radio frequency (RF) radiation as specified in 1.1307(b)

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 Exposures				
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
300–1500			f/300	6
1500–100,000			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
300–1500			f/1500	30
1500–100,000			1.0	30

f = frequency in MHz

Friis transmission formula: $Pd = (P_{out} * G) / (4 * \pi * r^2)$

Where

Pd = power density in mW/cm², **Pout** = output power to antenna in mW;

G = gain of antenna in linear scale, **Pi** = 3.1416;

R = distance between observation point and center of the radiator in cm

Pd is the limit of MPE, 1 mW/cm². If we know the maximum gain of the antenna and the total power input to the antenna, through the calculation, we will know the distance r where the MPE limit is reached.

Test Procedure

Software provided by client enabled the EUT to transmit and receive data at lowest, middle and highest channel individually.

Test Result of RF Exposure Evaluation

Operating Mode	Frequency	Measured Power	Tune up tolerance	Max. Tune up Power	Antenna Gain	Power Density at R=20cm	Power Density Limit	Result
	(MHz)	(dBm)	(dBm)	(dBm)	(dBi)	(mW/cm ²)	(mW/cm ²)	
BLE(1M)	2402-2480	-3.956	-3±1	-2	0.93	0.00016	1	PASS
BLE(2M)	2402-2480	-4.051	-4±1	-3	0.93	0.00012	1	PASS
LoRa	902.3-914.9	11.181	11±1	12	2	0.005	0.6	PASS
LoRa	923.3-927.5	11.454	11±1	12	1.42	0.00437	0.62	PASS

Remark:

BT+lora supported simultaneous transmission:

BT+ lora: $\Sigma \text{MPE Ratio} = 0.00016/1 + 0.005/0.6 = 0.00849 \leq 1$,

So a SAR test is not required