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**FCC Part 15 Subparts B & C Report  
(FCC § 15.249)**

for

**BodyMedia, Inc.**

on the

**Wireless Communicator**

**Model: 908902PROD1**

and the

**Armband**

**Model: 908901PROD1**

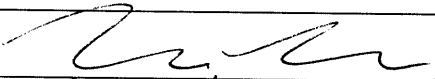
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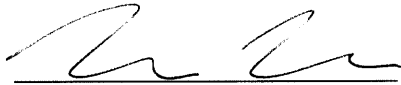
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**1.0 Summary of Tests****Models: 908902PROD1, 908901PROD1**

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## 2.0 General Description

### 2.1 Product Description

The Wireless Communicator is a transceiver that connects to a PC via a USB cable. It communicates with the transceiver in the Armband. The Armband uses sensors to measure physiological factors like motion, heat flow, and skin temperature that get translated by BodyMedia's customized algorithms and uploaded to a PC via the Wireless Communicator. At the time of testing, the model name of the two EUTs was given as "Firefly2". The EUT antennas are not user accessible.

The EUT has been tested at the request of

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In summary, this report confirms that the EUT is compliant with the FCC Part 15, Subpart B, and FCC Part 15, Subpart C, 15.249 requirements when production units conform to the initial sample. Please address all questions and comments concerning this report to Nicholas Abbondante, Compliance Engineer.

### 2.2 Test Facility

Site 2C (Middle Site) is a 3m and 10m sheltered EMI measurement range located in a light commercial environment in Boxborough, Massachusetts. It meets the technical requirements of ANSI C63.4-1992 and CISPR 22:1993/EN 55022:1994 for radiated and conducted emission measurements. The shelter structure is entirely fiberglass and plastic, with outside dimensions of 33 ft x 57 ft. The structure resembles a quonset hut with a center ceiling height of 16.5 ft.

The testing floor is covered by a galvanized sheet metal groundplane that is earth-grounded via copper rods around the perimeter of the site. The joints between individual metal sheets are bridged with 2 inch wide metal strips to provide low RF impedance contact throughout. The sheets of metal are screwed in place with stainless steel, round-head screws every three inches. Site illumination and HVAC are provided from beneath the ground reference plane through flush entry ports, the port covers are electrically bonded to the ground plane.

A flush metal turntable with 12 ft. diameter and 5000 lb. load capacity is provided for floor-standing equipment. A wooden table 80 cm high is used for table-top equipment. The turntable is electrically connected to the ground plane with three copper straps. The straps are connected to the turntable at the center of it with ground braid. The copper strap is directly connected to the groundplane at the edges of the turntable. The turntable is located on the south end of the structure and the antennas are mounted 3 and 10 meters away to the north. The antenna mast is non-conductive with remote control of antenna height and polarization. The antenna height is adjustable from 1 to 4 meters.

All final radiated emission measurements are performed with the testing personnel and measurement equipment located below the ground reference plane. The site has a full basement underneath the turntable where support equipment may be remotely located. Operation of the antenna, turntable and equipment under test is controlled by remote controls that manipulate the antenna height and polarization and with a turntable

control. Test personnel are located below the ellipse when measurements are performed, however the site maintains the ability of having personnel manipulate cables while monitoring test equipment. Ambient radiated emissions are 6 dB or more below the relevant FCC emission limits.

AC mains power is brought to the equipment under test through a power line filter, to remove ambient conducted noise. 50 Hz (240 VAC single phase), 60 Hz power (120 VAC single phase, 208 VAC three phase), and 60 Hz (480 VAC three phase) are available. Conducted emission measurements are performed with a Line Impedance Stabilization Network (LISN) or Artificial Mains Network (AMN) bonded to the ground reference plane. A removable vertical groundplane (2 meter X 2 meter area) is used for line-conducted measurements for table top equipment. The vertical groundplane is electrically connected to the reference groundplane.

### 2.3 Test Equipment and Support Equipment

The following equipment was used to make measurements for emissions testing:

| Description                | Manufacturer      | Model            | Serial #   | Cal Due    |
|----------------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------|------------|
| Lisn, 50uH, .01-50Mhz, 24A | Solar Electronics | 9252-50-R-24-BNC | 941713     | 05/29/2004 |
| EMI Receiver Set           | Hewlett Packard   | 8542E            | 3520A00125 | 12/05/2003 |
| RF FILTER                  | Hewlett Packard   | 85420E           | 3427A00126 | 12/05/2003 |
| Lisn, 50uH, .01-50Mhz, 24A | Solar Electronics | 8012-50-R-24-BNC | 8379114    | 09/18/2003 |
| Attenuator, 20dB           | Mini Circuits     | 20dB, 50 ohm     | DS28       | 01/07/2004 |
| Cable, BNC-BNC, 10m        | Alpha             | RG-58C/U         | CBL10MS1   | 01/07/2004 |
| ANTENNA                    | EMCO              | 3142             | 9711-1223  | 11/05/2003 |
| HORN ANTENNA               | EMCO              | 3115             | 9512-4632  | 10/31/2003 |
| PREAMPLIFIER 1-10GHz       | MITEQ             | NSP4000-NF       | 507145     | 09/27/2003 |
| Hi-Frequency Cable 40Ghz   | Megaphase         | TM40 K1K1 80     | CBL029     | 11/13/2003 |
| Hi-Frequency Cable 40Ghz   | Megaphase         | TM40 K1K1 197    | CBL028     | 11/13/2003 |
| Spectrum Analyzer          | Hewlett Packard   | 8593A            | 3009A00659 | 04/09/2004 |

#### Cables:

| QTY | Description        | Shield Description | Hood Description           | Length (m) |
|-----|--------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|------------|
| 1   | PS/2 Mouse Cable   | None               | Plastic                    | 1.5        |
| 1   | USB Cable          | Foil               | Metal with 360° connection | 1          |
| 1   | Serial Mouse Cable | None               | Plastic                    | 1.5        |
| 4   | AC Mains           | None               | Plastic                    | 2          |
| 1   | Ethernet Cable     | None               | Plastic                    | 3          |
| 1   | Keyboard Cable     | None               | Plastic                    | 1.5        |
| 1   | Video Cable        | Braid Shield       | Metal with 360° connection | 1.5        |
| 1   | Speaker Cable      | None               | Plastic                    | 1.5        |
| 1   | Printer Cable      | Braid Shield       | Metal with 360° connection | 1.5        |

#### Support Equipment:

| Description | Manufacturer    | Model     | Serial #        |
|-------------|-----------------|-----------|-----------------|
| Keyboard    | NMB             | RT2257TWR | B1770278        |
| Speakers    | N/L             | N/L       | N/L             |
| Mouse       | Hewlett Packard | M-S34     | LTN42611501     |
| Mouse       | Microsoft       | 58266     | 00352406        |
| Monitor     | Philips         | 105S11    | 31307753        |
| Hub         | 3Com            | 3C16704A  | 0200/7H5F002458 |
| Printer     | Hewlett Packard | 660       | S65BNIQ06C      |
| PC          | Compaq          | Deskpro   | 6046FR3ZA180    |

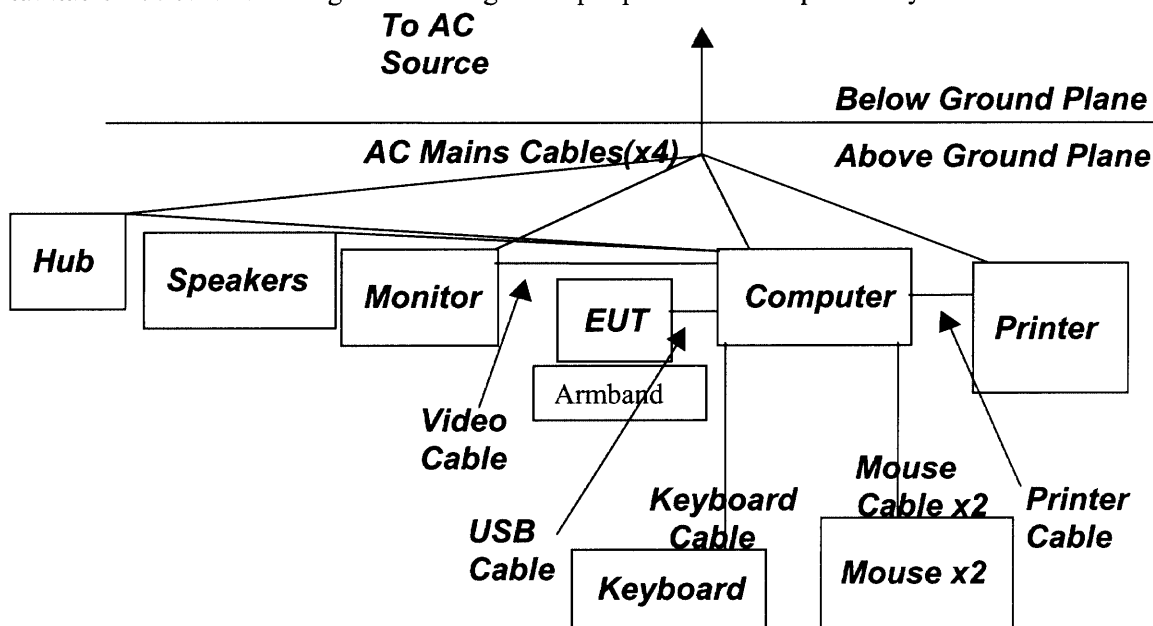
## 2.4 General Test Setup

### Description of how the EUT was exercised during test

The Armband was activated from a fresh battery, and the Wireless Communicator was connected to a computer. The software was configured to continuously trigger a transmission from the Wireless Communicator which then triggered a response transmission from the Armband. Both the transmitter and receiver of each device were active during testing, in a manner typical of actual operation.

### System Block Diagram

The diagram below details the interconnection of the EUT with the support equipment. Please note that equipment on the rear of the table was centered along the back edge. Equipment on the front of the turntable was centered along the front edge. All peripherals were separated by 10cm.



### Justification

The system was configured for testing in a typical fashion (as a customer would normally use it), and in the confines as outlined in ANSI C63.4 (1992).

During testing, the peripheral locations were not varied with respect to the main unit.

All interconnecting cables dropped from the rear of the turntable, but none were within 40 cm of the groundplane.

For maximizing emissions, the system was rotated through 360°, the antenna height was varied from 1 meter to 4 meters above the ground plane, and the antenna polarization was changed. This step by step procedure for maximizing emissions led to the data reported.

The transmitter was configured for testing in a typical fashion (as a customer would normally use it). The device was mounted to a cardboard box, which enabled the engineer to maximize emissions through its placement in the three orthogonal axes.

**3.0 Radiated Emissions**

FCC § 15.209, FCC § 15.249

**3.1 Test Procedure**

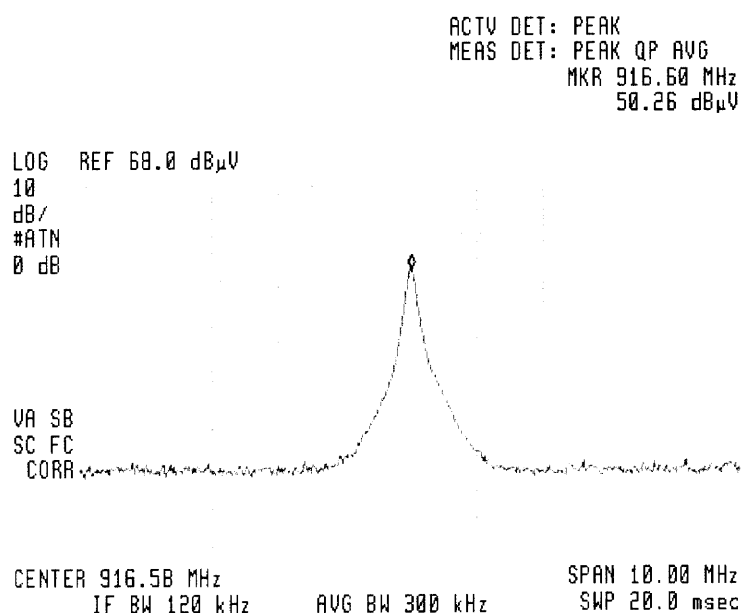
Radiated emissions from the complete system under test are measured on an open field test site, calibrated under ANSI C63.4. The EUT is rotated around its vertical axis and the measurement antenna height is varied from 1 to 4 meters above the reference ground plane in order to find the direction of the maximum emission at each relevant frequency. The EUT is investigated in three orthogonal axes by mounting it on a cardboard box if the EUT geometry precludes such manipulation. The frequency range investigated is from 30 MHz to the tenth harmonic of the fundamental frequency. A quasi-peak detector was used below 1 GHz, and an average detector was used above 1 GHz. A plot shows the fundamental.

Requirement: The FCC states that the fundamental field strength must not exceed 50,000 uV/m (94 dBuV/m) between 902-928 MHz. The fundamental must be within the 902-928 MHz band. Harmonics must not exceed 500 uV/m (54 dBuV/m). Spurious emissions must be attenuated by 50 dB below the fundamental or must not exceed the general limits of FCC § 15.209 shown in the table below. Limits are specified as measured at a distance of 3 meters from the EUT. Receiver spurious emissions (Non-fundamental and non-harmonic emissions) must not exceed the limits of FCC § 15.209.

| Frequency Range (MHz) | Field Strength (dB $\mu$ V/m) | Measurement Distance (m) |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 30-88                 | 40.0                          | 3                        |
| 88-216                | 43.5                          | 3                        |
| 216-960               | 46.0                          | 3                        |
| Above 960             | 54.0                          | 3                        |

**3.2 Test Results**

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**Radiated Emissions / Interference**

Company: BodyMedia Model #: Firefly2  
 Engineer: Nicholas Abbondante Location: Site 2 Serial #: 13002  
 Project #: 3043111 Pressure: 29.44inHg Receiver: HP 8542E  
 Date: 06/19/03 06/27/03 Temp: 21c Antenna: LOG2 11-5-03 V10.ant LOG2 11-5-03 H10.ant  
 Standard: FCC Part 15 Subpart B Humidity: 59% PreAmp: None  
 Class: B Group: None Cable(s): 2C, 10MPRIME\_9-19-03.cbl None  
 Limit Distance: 3 meters Test Distance: 10 meters  
 Voltage/Frequency: 120V/60Hz Frequency Range: 30 MHz - 1 GHz

| Ant.<br>Pol.<br>(V/H) | Frequency<br>MHz | Reading<br>dB(uV) | Antenna<br>Factor<br>dB(1/m) | Cable<br>Loss<br>dB | Pre-amp<br>Factor<br>dB | Distance<br>Factor<br>dB | Net<br>dB(uV/m) | Limit<br>dB(uV/m) | Margin<br>dB |
|-----------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------|
| V                     | 40.500           | 13.9              | 11.3                         | 1.2                 | 0.0                     | -10.5                    | 36.8            | 40.0              | -3.2         |
| V                     | 49.070           | 12.0              | 8.9                          | 1.3                 | 0.0                     | -10.5                    | 32.6            | 40.0              | -7.4         |
| V                     | 74.440           | 16.1              | 6.5                          | 1.6                 | 0.0                     | -10.5                    | 34.6            | 40.0              | -5.4         |
| V                     | 121.700          | 9.3               | 6.9                          | 1.9                 | 0.0                     | -10.5                    | 28.6            | 43.5              | -14.9        |
| V                     | 133.200          | 19.6              | 6.9                          | 2.0                 | 0.0                     | -10.5                    | 39.0            | 43.5              | -4.5         |
| V                     | 156.000          | 14.5              | 8.8                          | 2.2                 | 0.0                     | -10.5                    | 36.0            | 43.5              | -7.5         |
| V                     | 166.000          | 7.4               | 9.1                          | 2.3                 | 0.0                     | -10.5                    | 29.2            | 43.5              | -14.3        |
| V                     | 168.000          | 15.1              | 9.2                          | 2.3                 | 0.0                     | -10.5                    | 37.0            | 43.5              | -6.5         |
| V                     | 215.400          | 4.9               | 11.1                         | 2.7                 | 0.0                     | -10.5                    | 29.1            | 43.5              | -14.4        |
| V                     | 233.100          | 4.9               | 11.8                         | 2.7                 | 0.0                     | -10.5                    | 29.9            | 46.0              | -16.1        |
| V                     | 240.000          | 8.8               | 12.0                         | 2.8                 | 0.0                     | -10.5                    | 34.1            | 46.0              | -11.9        |
| V                     | 260.600          | 2.3               | 12.7                         | 2.9                 | 0.0                     | -10.5                    | 28.3            | 46.0              | -17.7        |
| V                     | 333.000          | 3.5               | 14.9                         | 3.3                 | 0.0                     | -10.5                    | 32.1            | 46.0              | -13.9        |
| V                     | 366.500          | 0.7               | 15.8                         | 3.5                 | 0.0                     | -10.5                    | 30.4            | 46.0              | -15.6        |
| H                     | 397.700          | 3.5               | 16.6                         | 3.6                 | 0.0                     | -10.5                    | 34.2            | 46.0              | -11.8        |
| H                     | 432.100          | 3.8               | 16.7                         | 3.9                 | 0.0                     | -10.5                    | 34.9            | 46.0              | -11.1        |
| H                     | 466.300          | 3.0               | 17.7                         | 4.1                 | 0.0                     | -10.5                    | 35.3            | 46.0              | -10.7        |
| H                     | 666.100          | 8.4               | 21.3                         | 5.1                 | 0.0                     | -10.5                    | 45.2            | 46.0              | -0.8         |

+ - Note that this emission falls within our range of measurement uncertainty, which is +/- 4dB.

BodyMedia, Inc.

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Models: 908902PROD1, 908901PROD1

**Harmonics and High Frequency Spurious Emissions****Radiated Emissions / Interference**

Company: BodyMedia Model #: Firefly2  
 Engineer: Nicholas Abbondante Location: Site 2 Serial #: 13002  
 Project #: 3043111 Pressure: 29.44inHg Receiver: HP 8593A  
 Date: 06/27/03 Temp: 21c Antenna: HORN1 10-31-03 V3.ant HORN1 10-31-03 H3.ant  
 Standard: FCC Part 15 Subpart B Humidity: 59% PreAmp: PRE8 9-27-03.amp  
 Class: B Group: None Cable(s): CBL028 11-13-03.cbl CBL029 11-13-03.cbl  
 Limit Distance: 3 meters Test Distance: 3 meters  
 Voltage/Frequency: 120V/60Hz Frequency Range: 1 GHz - 9.2 GHz

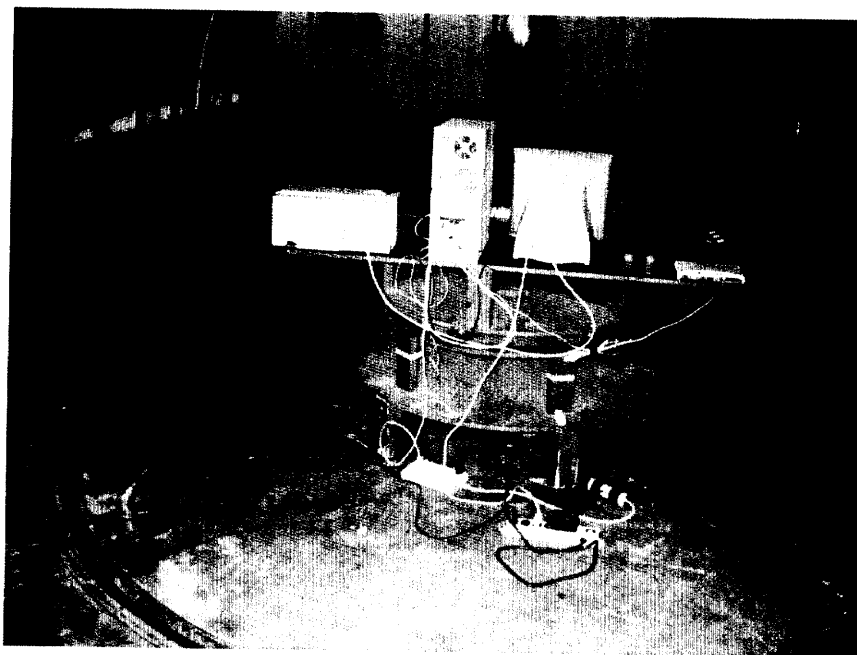
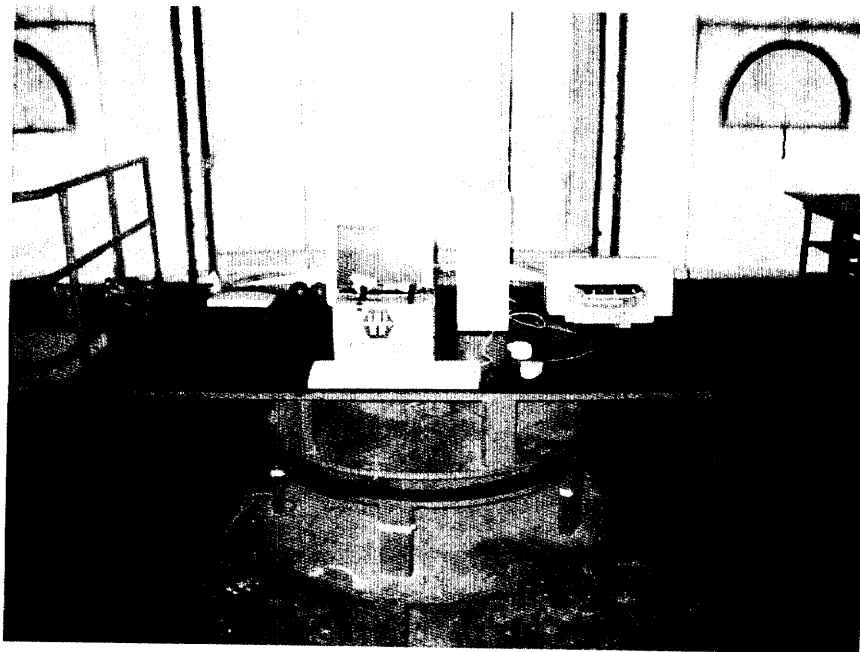
| Ant. Pol. (V/H) | Frequency MHz | Reading dB(uV) | Antenna Factor dB(1/m) | Cable Loss dB | Pre-amp Factor dB | Distance Factor dB | Net dB(uV/m) | Limit dB(uV/m) | Margin dB |
|-----------------|---------------|----------------|------------------------|---------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|-----------|
| V               | 1064.000      | 30.6           | 25.9                   | 2.8           | 22.0              | 0.0                | 37.3         | 54.0           | -16.7     |
| V               | 1198.000      | 29.1           | 26.2                   | 3.0           | 22.1              | 0.0                | 36.2         | 54.0           | -17.8     |
| V               | 1330.000      | 34.3           | 26.5                   | 3.1           | 22.1              | 0.0                | 41.8         | 54.0           | -12.2     |
| V               | 1465.000      | 28.5           | 26.7                   | 3.3           | 22.2              | 0.0                | 36.4         | 54.0           | -17.6     |
| V               | 1592.000      | 29.3           | 27.2                   | 3.5           | 22.2              | 0.0                | 37.8         | 54.0           | -16.2     |
| V               | 2127.000      | 25.2           | 29.3                   | 4.1           | 22.3              | 0.0                | 36.2         | 54.0           | -17.8     |
| V               | 2255.000      | 24.9           | 29.5                   | 4.2           | 22.3              | 0.0                | 36.3         | 54.0           | -17.7     |

**Fundamental****Radiated Emissions / Interference**

Company: BodyMedia Model #: Firefly2  
 Engineer: Nicholas Abbondante Location: Site 2 Serial #: 13002  
 Project #: 3043111 Pressure: 29.80inHg Receiver: HP 8542E  
 Date: 08/29/03 Temp: 22c Antenna: LOG2 11-5-03 V10.ant LOG2 11-5-03 H10.ant  
 Standard: FCC Part 15 Subpart B Humidity: 58% PreAmp: None  
 Class: B Group: None Cable(s): 2C, 10MPRIME\_9-19-03.cbl None  
 Limit Distance: 3 meters Test Distance: 10 meters  
 Voltage/Frequency: 120V/60Hz Frequency Range: 30 MHz - 1 GHz

| Ant. Pol. (V/H) | Frequency MHz | Reading dB(uV) | Antenna Factor dB(1/m) | Cable Loss dB | Pre-amp Factor dB | Distance Factor dB | Net dB(uV/m) | Limit dB(uV/m) | Margin dB |
|-----------------|---------------|----------------|------------------------|---------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------|----------------|-----------|
| V               | 916.600       | 48.4           | 23.9                   | 6.2           | 0.0               | -10.5              | 89.0         | 94.0           | -5.0      |

3.3 Configuration Photographs - Radiated Emissions



**4.0 Line-Conducted Emissions**

FCC § 15.207

**4.1 Test Procedure**

Conducted emissions are measured in the frequency range of 450 kHz to 30 MHz on AC power lines. Floor-standing equipment is placed on a conductive ground plane. Interference voltages are measured with a LISN connected to a spectrum analyzer or receiver. Tabletop equipment is placed 40 cm from a vertical ground plane on a non-conductive table with a height of 80 cm above the horizontal ground plane.

Requirement: Line-conducted emissions must not exceed 48 dBuV. Note that after July 11, 2005, CISPR 22 limits apply to line-conducted tests.

**4.2 Test Results****Conducted Emissions / Interference**

Company: BodyMedia Model #: Firefly2  
 Engineer: Nicholas Abbondante Location: Site 2 Serial #: 13002  
 Project #: 3043111 Pressure: 29.44inHg Receiver: HP 8542E  
 Date: 06/19/03 Temp: 21c Cable: CBL10MS1 9-10-03.cbl  
 Standard: FCC Part 15 Subpart B Humidity: 65% LISN 1, 2: LISN11 [1] 5-29-04.lsn LISN11 [2] 5-29-04.lsn  
 Class: B Group: None LISN 3, N: None None  
 Preamp: None Attenuator: DS28 8-14-03.att  
 Voltage/Frequency: 120V/60Hz Frequency Range: 450 kHz - 30 MHz  
 Net is the sum of worst-case lsn, cable, & attenuator losses, preamp gain, and initial reading

| Frequency<br>MHz | Reading<br>Line 1<br>dB(uV) | Reading<br>Line 2<br>dB(uV) | Reading<br>Line 3<br>dB(uV) | Reading<br>Neutral<br>dB(uV) | Quasi-Peak    |                 |              |
|------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|
|                  |                             |                             |                             |                              | Net<br>dB(uV) | Limit<br>dB(uV) | Margin<br>dB |
| 0.700            | 17.6                        | 16.8                        |                             |                              | 39.1          | 48.0            | -8.9         |
| 4.388            | 18.5                        | 16.7                        |                             |                              | 39.9          | 48.0            | -8.1         |
| 6.753            | 23.5                        | 22.8                        |                             |                              | 45.0          | 48.0            | -3.0         |
| 12.810           | 22.1                        | 22.2                        |                             |                              | 44.0          | 48.0            | -4.0         |
| 15.450           | 16.1                        | 10.8                        |                             |                              | 38.0          | 48.0            | -10.0        |
| 26.620           | 10.0                        | 9.6                         |                             |                              | 32.3          | 48.0            | -15.7        |

#### 4.3 Configuration Photographs – Line-Conducted Emissions

