

6.11 Safety exposure levels

6.11.1 Standard Applicable: FCC 15.319(i) & RSS-102 Section 4

UPCS devices are subject to the radio frequency radiation exposure requirements specified in FCC parts 1.1307 (b), 2.1091 and 2.1093, as appropriate. All equipment shall be considered to operate in a "general population / uncontrolled environment. For portable devices tests according to IEEE 1528 are requested, if applicable.

RSS-102 Section 4 and IC Safety Code 6, Section 2.2.1 (a) A person other than an RF and microwave exposed worker shall not be exposed to electromagnetic radiation in a frequency band listed in Column 1 of Table 5, if the field strength exceeds the value given in Column 2 or 3 of Table 5, when averaged spatially and over time, or if the power density exceeds the value given in Column 4 of Table 5, when averaged spatially and over time.

Table 5
Exposure Limits for Persons Not Classified As RF and Microwave Exposed Workers (Including the General Public)

| 1 Frequency (MHz) | 2 Electric Field Strength, rms (V/m) | 3 Magnetic Field Strength, rms (A/m) | 4 Power Density (W/m ²) | 5 Averaging Time (min) |
|-------------------------|---|---|--|---------------------------------|
| 0.303-1 | 230 | 2.19 | | 6 |
| 1-10 | 280/f | 2.19/f | | 6 |
| 10-30 | 28 | 2.19/f | | 6 |
| 30-300 | 28 | 0.373 | 2* | 6 |
| 300-500 | 1.555j ^{0.5} | 0.0042j ^{0.5} | f/150 | 6 |
| 1500-15000 | 61.4 | 0.163 | 10 | 6 |
| 15000-150000 | 61.4 | 0.163 | 10 | 618000/f ² |
| 150000-300000 | 0.158j ^{0.5} | 4.21 x 10 ⁻⁴ f ^{0.5} | 3.67 x 10 ⁻⁶ f | 618000/f ² |

* Power density limit is applicable at frequencies greater than 100 MHz.

- Notes: 1. Frequency, *f*, is in MHz.
 2. A power density of 10 W/m² is equivalent to 1 mW/cm².
 3. A magnetic field strength of 1 A/m corresponds to 1.257 microtesla (μT) or 12.57 milligauss (mG).

6.11.2 Measurement procedure

Consideration of radio frequency radiation exposure for EUT is done as

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|---|-------------------------------------|
| SAR test according IEEE1528 (for PP) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| MPE calculation as below (for FP, Repeater) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

SAR test results: not applicable

MPE calculation:

The EUT is considered as a mobile device according to OET Bulletin 65, Edition -97-01. Therefore distance to human body of min. 20 cm is determined.

The limit of Power density for General Population / Uncontrolled Exposure is 1.0 mW/cm².

Formula:

$$S = \text{EIRP} / 4\pi R^2$$

Calculation:

| | | |
|------|-------------------------------------|--------|
| EIRP | Radiated Power (dBm) | 19.75 |
| EIRP | Radiated Power (mW) | 94.4 |
| R | Distance (cm) | 20 |
| S | Power Density (mW/cm ²) | 0.0188 |

The **Pd** at 20 cm distance calculated from the Friis transmission formula is much smaller than the limit requirement 1 mW/cm² or 10W/m².

The **Installation Manual** instructs the user to install the device such that it has a separation of at least 20 cm from persons to comply with the FCC's requirements. This separation of 20 cm more than meets the FCC's and Industry Canada RF exposure requirements.

6.11.3 Results : Complies