

Simultaneous Transmission SAR exclusion considerations

Since the WLAN (WiFi) and Bluetooth transmitters of this device may operate simultaneously, simultaneous transmission analysis is required. Per KDB 447498, simultaneous transmission SAR test exclusion can be applied when the sum of 1-g SAR of all simultaneously transmitting antennas in an operating mode and exposure condition combination is within the SAR limit ($\leq 1.6\text{W/kg}$). When the standalone SAR test exclusion is applied, the standalone 1-g SAR must be estimated according to the following equation,

$$\text{Estimated SAR} = (\sqrt{F(\text{GHz})} / 7.5) \times (P_{\text{max}} / TD)$$

where

$F(\text{GHz})$ is the RF channel transmit frequency in GHz

P_{max} is the max. power of channel, including tune-up tolerance, mW

TD is the min. test separation distance, mm

For WLAN (WiFi) operation,

Maximum Time-averaged Conducted Power of this device = **9.06 mW**

Therefore, the Estimated SAR will be determined as follow,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Estimated SAR} &= (\sqrt{F(\text{GHz})} / 7.5) \times (P_{\text{max}} / TD) \\ &= \mathbf{0.38 \text{ W/kg}} \end{aligned}$$

where $P_{\text{max}} = 9.06 \text{ mW}$, $TD = 5 \text{ mm}$ and $F(\text{GHz}) = 2.462 \text{ GHz}$

For Bluetooth 4.0 operation,

Maximum Time-averaged Conducted Power of this device = **9.49 mW**

Therefore, the Estimated SAR will be determined as follow,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Estimated SAR} &= (\sqrt{F(\text{GHz})} / 7.5) \times (P_{\text{max}} / TD) \\ &= \mathbf{0.40 \text{ W/kg}} \end{aligned}$$

where $P_{\text{max}} = 9.49\text{mW}$, $TD = 5 \text{ mm}$ and $F(\text{GHz}) = 2.480 \text{ GHz}$

Simultaneous Transmission Analysis

WLAN SAR (W/kg)	Bluetooth SAR (W/kg)	Σ SAR (W/kg)	Simultaneous SAR Required
0.38	0.40	0.78	No

Conclusion

Since the above summed SAR result for all simultaneous transmission conditions were below the SAR limit (1.6 W/kg), SAR evaluation for simultaneous transmission configuration are not required.