

RADIO TEST REPORT – APFWL

Type of assessment:

SAR Exemption report

Manufacturer:

Kongsberg Automotive

Product Marketing Name (PMN):

Dess Post RFID Gen3

Hardware Version Identification Number (HVIN):

1001317030

HMN:

1001316154, 1001316155

FCC ID:

12006A-1001317030

ISED certification number:

12006A-1001317030

Specifications:

- ◆ FCC 47 CFR Part 2 Subpart J, §2.1093
- ◆ FCC KDB 447498 D01 General RF Exposure Guidance v06
- ◆ ISED Canada RSS-102 Issue 5 Amendment 1, (February 2021)
- ◆ Health Canada Safety Code 6

RSS-102 Annex C Attestation:

I attest that the radiocommunication apparatus meets the exemption from the routine evaluation limits in these standards; that the Technical Brief was prepared and the information contained therein is correct; that the device evaluation was performed or supervised by me; that applicable measurement methods and evaluation methodologies have been followed; and that the device meets the SAR and/or RF field strength limits of the above standards.

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1.1 SAR exemption for standalone transmission

1.1.1 References, definitions and limits

FCC §2.1093

(2) The SAR limits for general population/uncontrolled exposure are 0.08 W/kg, as averaged over the whole body, and a peak spatial-average SAR of 1.6 W/kg, averaged over any 1 gram of tissue (defined as a tissue volume in the shape of a cube). Exceptions are the parts of the human body treated as extremities, such as hands, wrists, feet, ankles, and pinnae, where the peak spatial-average SAR limit is 4 W/kg, averaged over any 10 grams of tissue (defined as a tissue volume in the shape of a cube). Exposure may be averaged over a time period not to exceed 30 minutes to determine compliance with general population/uncontrolled SAR limits.

FCC KDB 447498 D01

4.3.1 Standalone SAR test exclusion considerations

The SAR-based exemption formula of §1.1307(b)(3)(i)(B), repeated here, applies for single fixed, mobile, and portable RF sources with available maximum time-averaged power or effective radiated power (ERP), whichever is greater, of less than or equal to the threshold P_{th} (mW).

This method shall only be used at separation distances from 0.5 cm to 40 cm and at frequencies from 0.3 GHz to 6 GHz (inclusive). P_{th} is given by formula

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

where

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

Appendix C SAR Test Exclusion Thresholds for < 100 MHz and < 200 mm

Approximate SAR test exclusion power thresholds at selected frequencies and test separation distances are illustrated in the following table. The equation and threshold in 4.3.1 must be applied to determine SAR test exclusion.

MHz	< 50	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120	130	140	150	160	170	180	190	mm
100	237	474	481	487	494	501	507	514	521	527	534	541	547	554	561	567	mW
50	308	617	625	634	643	651	660	669	677	686	695	703	712	721	729	738	
10	474	948	961	975	988	1001	1015	1028	1041	1055	1068	1081	1095	1108	1121	1135	
1	711	1422	1442	1462	1482	1502	1522	1542	1562	1582	1602	1622	1642	1662	1682	1702	
0.1	948	1896	1923	1949	1976	2003	2029	2056	2083	2109	2136	2163	2189	2216	2243	2269	
0.05	1019	2039	2067	2096	2125	2153	2182	2211	2239	2268	2297	2325	2354	2383	2411	2440	
0.01	1185	2370	2403	2437	2470	2503	2537	2570	2603	2637	2670	2703	2737	2770	2803	2837	

References, definitions and limits, continued

RSS-102, Section 2.5.1

SAR evaluation is required if the separation distance between the user and/or bystander and the antenna and/or radiating element of the device is less than or equal to 20 cm, except when the device operates at or below the applicable output power level (adjusted for tune-up tolerance) for the specified separation distance defined in table below

Table 1.1-1: Exemption limits for routine evaluation based on frequency and separation distance

Separation:	≤5 mm	10 mm	15 mm	20 mm	25 mm	30 mm	35 mm	40 mm	45 mm	≥50 mm
≤300 MHz	71	101	132	162	193	223	254	284	315	345
450 MHz	52	70	88	106	123	141	159	177	195	213
835 MHz	17	30	42	55	67	80	92	105	117	130
900 MHz	7	10	18	34	60	99	153	225	316	431
2450 MHz	4	7	15	30	52	83	123	173	235	309
3500 MHz	2	6	16	32	55	86	124	170	225	290
5800 MHz	1	6	15	27	41	56	71	85	97	106

Notes: Values in the table are in mW

Output power level shall be the higher of the maximum conducted or equivalent isotropically radiated power (e.i.r.p.) source-based, time-averaged output power. For controlled use devices where the 8 W/kg for 1 gram of tissue applies, the exemption limits for routine evaluation in the table above are multiplied by a factor of 5. For limb-worn devices where the 10 gram value applies, the exemption limits for routine evaluation in the table above are multiplied by a factor of 2.5. If the operating frequency of the device is between two frequencies located in Table 1, linear interpolation shall be applied for the applicable separation distance. For test separation distance less than 5 mm, the exemption limits for a separation distance of 5 mm can be applied to determine if a routine evaluation is required.

For medical implants devices, the exemption limit for routine evaluation is set at 1 mW. The output power of a medical implants' device is defined as the higher of the conducted or e.i.r.p to determine whether the device is exempt from the SAR evaluation.

1.1.2 EUT technical information

Type of EUT use	Extremity
Minimum separation distance	6 cm
Highest operating frequency	13.56 MHz
Antenna type	Printed loop antenna
Maximum transmitter conducted power	N/A
Maximum system ERP	64.26 dB μ V/m @ 3 m

1.1.3 Justification for Standalone SAR test exclusion

Table 1.1-2: SAR exemption verification for FCC

Transmit frequency, MHz	Field strength @ 3 m, dB μ V/m	Maximum EIRP, dBm	Maximum EIRP, mW	Separation distance, mm	Limit*, mW	Margin, dB
13.56	64.27	-30.96	0.0008	60	625	59

Note: * Since there is no limit for frequency 13.56 MHz (in the table of Annex C) which is located between 10 MHz and 50 MHz, the 50 MHz limit (more stringent) was used as a worst case for compliance calculation. Margin was calculated as follows: $10 \times \log_{10}(\text{Limit} / \text{Maximum EIRP})$

Table 1.1-3: SAR exemption verification for ISED Canada

Transmit frequency, MHz	Field strength @ 3 m, dB μ V/m	Maximum EIRP, dBm	Maximum EIRP, mW	Separation distance, mm	Limit, mW	Margin, dB
13.56	64.27	-30.96	0.0008	60	345	56

Note: Margin was calculated as follows: $10 \times \log_{10}(\text{Limit} / \text{Maximum EIRP})$

1.1.4 Verdict

The calculation is below the threshold, therefore, the product exempt from the SAR test requirements.

End of the test report