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1. Introduction

In this test report, compliance of the Ericsson A1228ds portable telephone with RF safety guidelines is demonstrated (applicable RF safety guidelines are given in [1]). The device was tested in accordance with the latest available test guidelines [1]. Detailed procedures of the test are described in the *Ericsson SAR Measurement Specification* [2].

2. Device Under Test

2.1 Antenna description

Type	Fixed stub	
Location	Left side	
Dimensions	length	30 mm
	width at base	11 mm
Configuration	Helix	

2.2 Device description

Device model	A1228ds	
Serial number	UA201641LR	
Mode	800 AMPS	800 TDMA
Multiple Access Scheme	FDMA	TDMA
Maximum Output Power Setting¹	26 dBm	26 dBm
Factory Tolerance in Power Setting	± 0.25	± 0.25
Maximum Peak Output Power²	26.25 dBm	26.25 dBm
Duty Cycle	1	1 / 3
Transmitting Frequency Range	824 – 849 MHz	824 – 849 MHz
Prototype or Production Unit³	Prototype	

3. Test equipment

3.1 Dosimetric system

SAR measurements were made using the DASY3 professional system (software version 3.1c), manufactured by Schmid & Partner Engineering AG and installed February, 1998. The total SAR assessment uncertainty (K = 1) of the system is ±16% and includes a +15% offset (overestimation). The extended uncertainty (K = 2) is ±32% with a +15% offset. This results in a total uncertainty range of –1% to +31% for K = 1, or –17% to +47% for K = 2. The equipment list is given below.

Description	Serial Number	Due Date
DASY3 DAE V1	345	10/00
E-field probe ETDV5	1337	3/00
Dipole Validation Kit, D900V2	049	12/00

¹ This is the conducted power measured at the antenna port when the device is set to its highest power setting. It is measured at the middle of the transmit frequency band. Note that the output power may be different at other frequencies.

² This equals the maximum output power setting plus the factory tolerance.

³ It shall be understood that a statement of compliance for a prototype unit also applies to production units [3].

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3.2 Additional equipment

Description	Serial Number	Due Date
Signal Generator HP8648C	3537A01598	9/00
Dielectric probe kit HP 85070B	US33020390	2/00
Network analyzer HP 8752C	3410A03105	7/00
Power meter HP 437B	3125U16190	5/00
Power sensor HP 8482H	2704A06235	5/00
Radio communications analyzer Anritsu MT8801B	MB16186	10/00

4. Electrical parameters of the tissue simulating liquid

Prior to conducting SAR measurements, the relative permittivity, ϵ_r , and the conductivity, σ , of the tissue simulating liquids were measured with the dielectric probe kit. These values are shown in the table below. The mass density, ρ , entered into the DASY3 program is also given. Recommended limits for maximum permittivity, minimum conductivity and maximum mass density are also shown [3]. It is seen that the measured parameters satisfy the recommendations, resulting in an overestimation of SAR.

f (MHz)	Limits / Measured	Dielectric Parameters		
		ϵ_r	σ (S/m)	ρ (g/cm ³)
835	Measured	41.6	0.91	1.00
	Recommended Limits [3]	46.1	0.74	1.03
	Difference	-9.8%	+23.0%	-2.9%

5. System accuracy verification

A system accuracy verification of the DASY3 was performed using the dipole validation kits listed in Section 3.1. The system verification test was conducted on the same day as the measurement of the DUT. The obtained results are displayed in the table below. It is seen that the system is operating within its specification, as the results are within $\pm 5\%$ of the reference values. Due to recent changes in the liquid dielectric parameters, reference values from the manufacturer were not available, so reference values were generated from careful measurements of the same liquid by our laboratory. The distributions of SAR compare well with those of the reference measurements (see Appendix 1).

f (MHz)	Measured / Reference	SAR (W/kg), 1 gram	Dielectric Parameters			Temp. (°C)
			ϵ_r	σ (S/m)	ρ (g/cm ³)	
900	Measured	10.24	40.8	0.96	1.00	25
	Reference	10.13	40.0	0.95	1.00	23

6. Test results

The measured SAR values and conducted output powers are shown in Table 1. The device was tested on both the right-hand phantom (corresponding to the right side of the head) and the left-hand phantom. The SAR results shown are maximum SAR values averaged over 1 g of tissue.

Test codes in the device were used to control the device during the SAR measurements. The phone was supplied with a fully-charged battery for the tests. The temperature of the test facility during the tests was 22.0 ± 1 °C, and the depth of the tissue simulating liquid was 15.3 cm.

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mode	f (MHz)	Output Power (dBm)	SAR, 1g (W/kg)			
			left-hand		right-hand	
			measured	calculated to max. power ⁴	measured	calculated to max. power ⁴
800 AMPS	824	26.23	1.29	1.33	1.41	1.45
	837	26.13	1.25	1.29	1.33	1.37
	849	25.82	1.22	1.25	1.32	1.36
800 TDMA ⁵	824	25.83	0.398	0.512	0.433	0.558
	837	25.15	0.374	0.482	0.396	0.510
	849	25.15	0.364	0.469	0.395	0.509

Table 1: SAR measurement results for the Ericsson A1228ds telephone at highest possible output power.

References

- [1] C. Törnevik, "Ericsson SAR measurement specification, part 1: Introduction and Purpose," Internal Document ERA/T/U-98:446, February, 1999.
- [2] C. Törnevik, M. Siegbahn, T. Persson, M. Douglas, and R. Plicanic, "Ericsson SAR measurement specification", Internal Document ERA/T/U-98:442, February 1999.
- [3] Federal Communications Commission, "Tissue Dielectric Properties," <http://www.fcc.gov/fcc-bin/dielec.sh>.

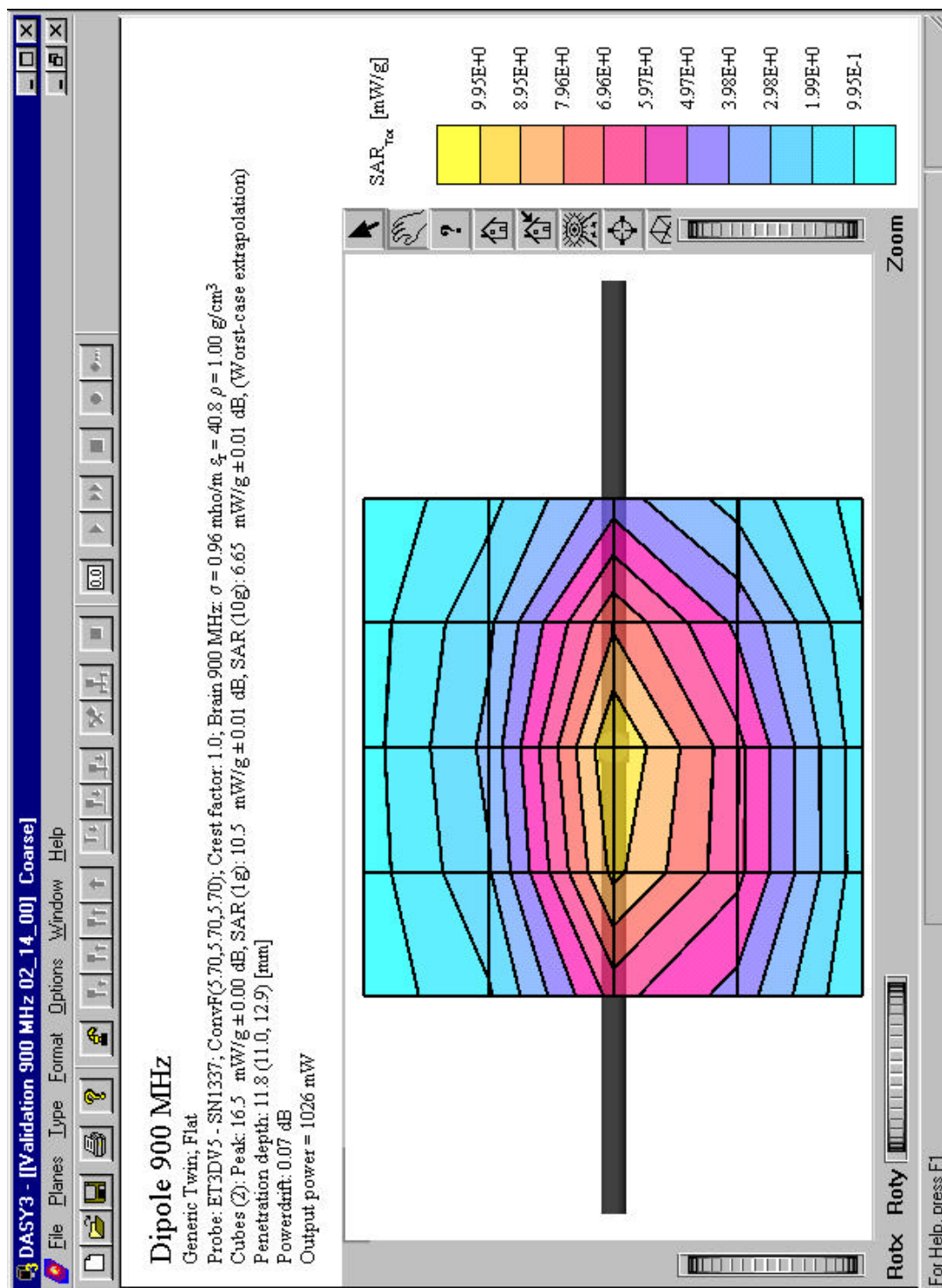
⁴ The maximum output power setting for each mode is measured at the middle of the transmit frequency band (see footnote 1). Therefore, the measured SAR is scaled to the maximum power by multiplying it by the ratio of the measured output power in the middle of the transmit band to the maximum output power setting. The same scaling factor applies across the band, regardless of what the output power is at the other frequencies.

⁵ The output power in 800 MHz TDMA mode is lower than nominal for the device tested. Factory production units will have the power properly set within the allowable range as reported on the grant application.

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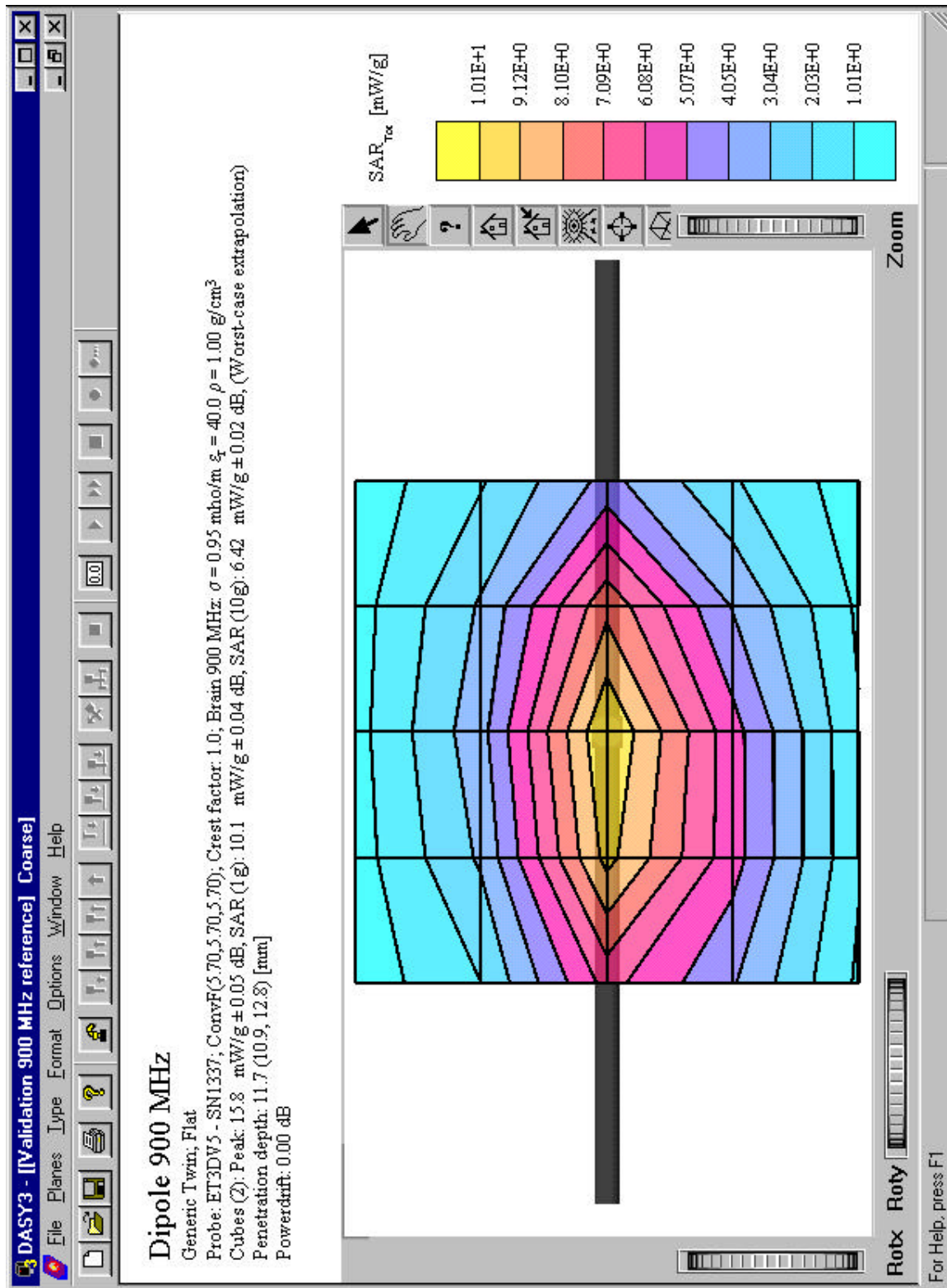
Appendix 1: SAR distribution comparison for system accuracy verification



900 MHz SAR distribution of validation dipole antenna from system accuracy verification test.

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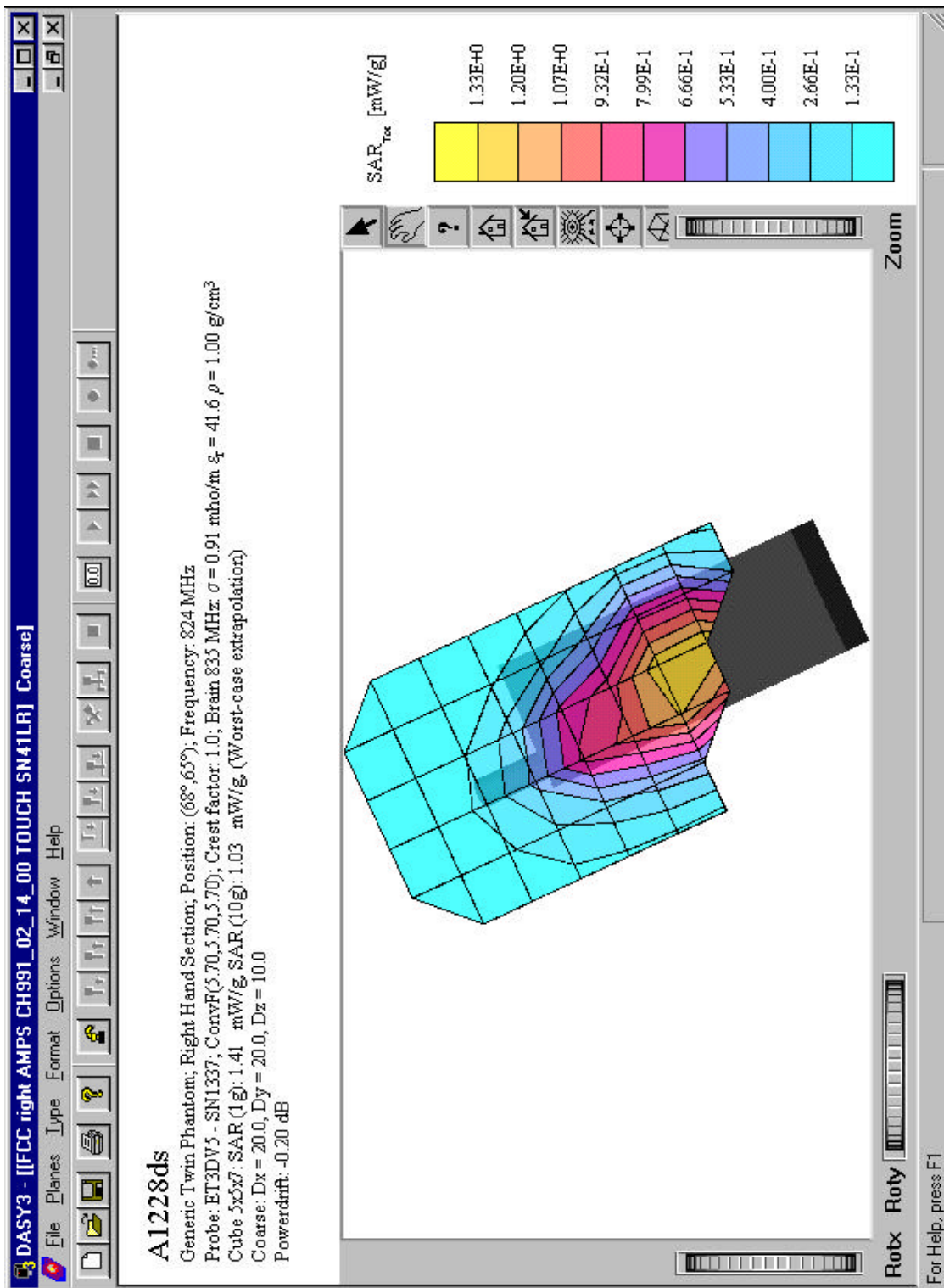


900 MHz SAR distribution of validation dipole antenna from reference measurement.

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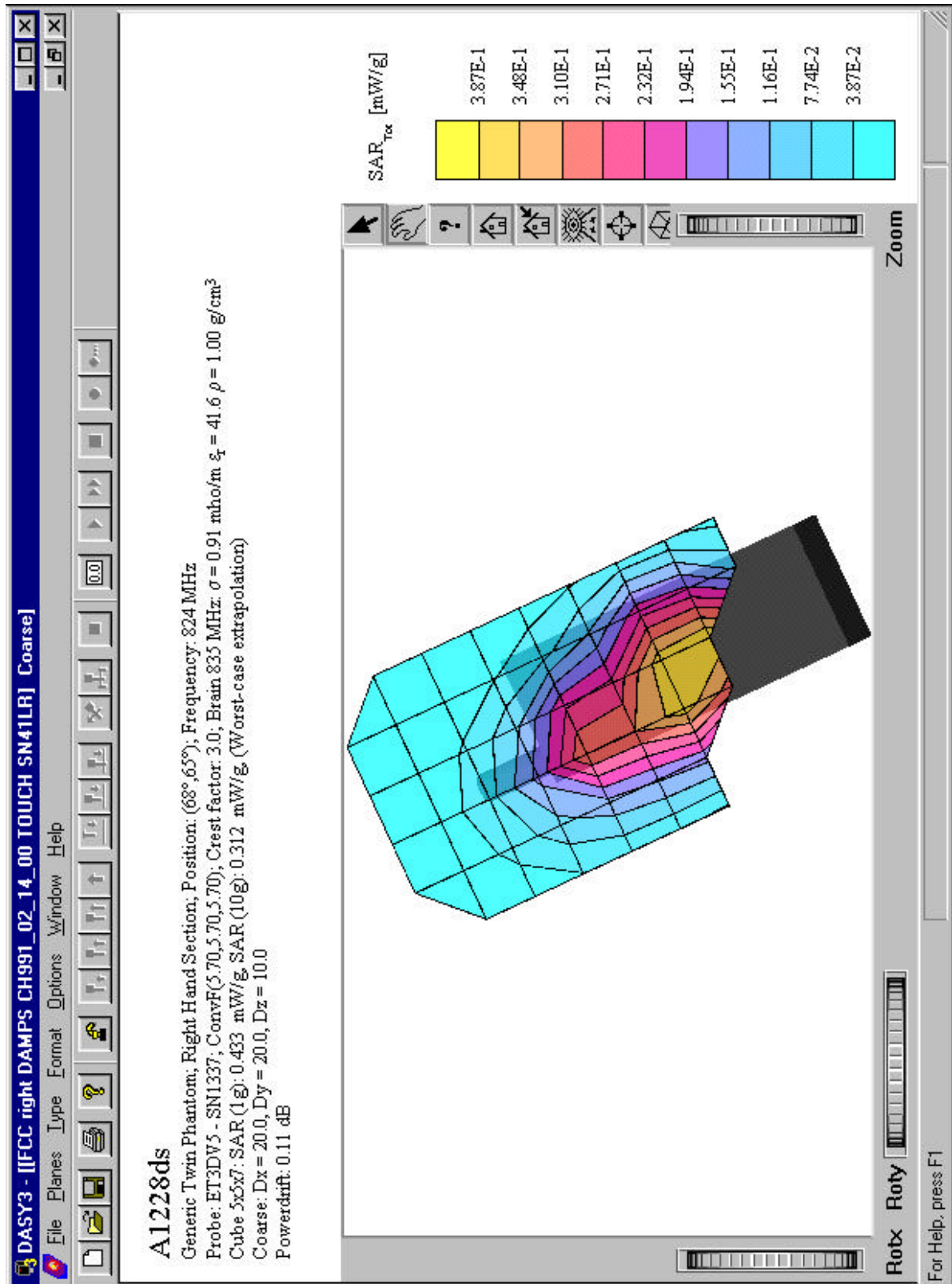
Appendix 2: SAR distribution plots



Distribution of maximum SAR in 800 AMPS band.

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Distribution of maximum SAR in 800 TDMA band.

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Appendix 3: Photographs of the device under test**Front view of device.**

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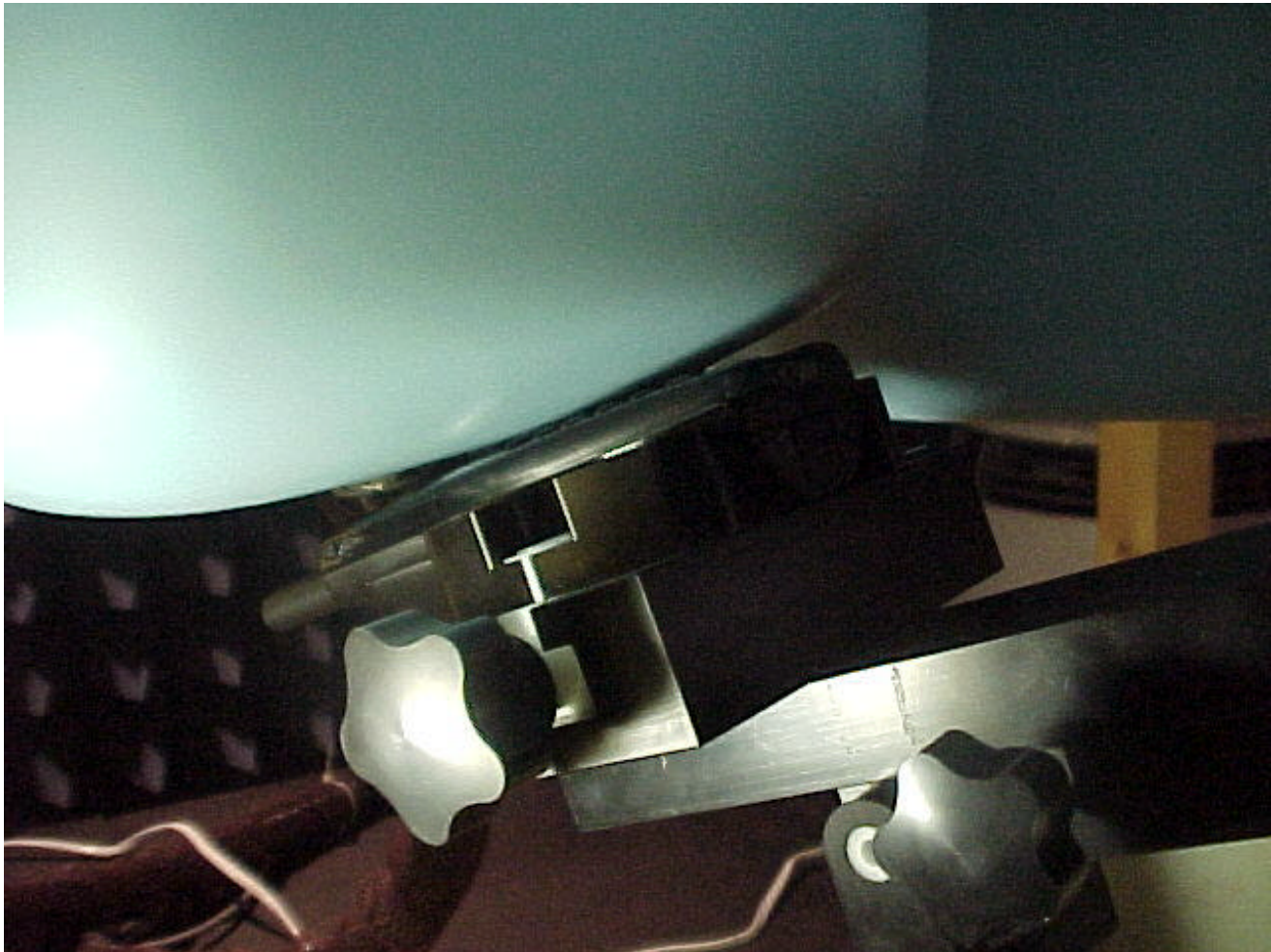
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Side view of device.

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Appendix 4: Position of device on Generic Twin Phantom

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ET3DV SN:1337

DASY3 - Parameters of Probe: ET3DV SN:1337

Sensitivity in Free Space

NormX	2.32	$\mu\text{V}/(\text{V}/\text{m})^2$
NormY	2.09	$\mu\text{V}/(\text{V}/\text{m})^2$
NormZ	2.16	$\mu\text{V}/(\text{V}/\text{m})^2$

Diode Compression

DCP X	98	mV
DCP Y	98	mV
DCP Z	98	mV

Sensitivity in Tissue Simulating Liquid

450 MHz	ConvF X	6.0	extrapolated	$\epsilon_r = 48 \pm 5\%$ $\sigma = 0.50 \pm 10\% \text{ mho/m}$ (brain tissue simulating liquid)
	ConvF Y	6.0	extrapolated	
	ConvF Z	6.0	extrapolated	
900 MHz	ConvF X	5.7	$\pm 10\%$	$\epsilon_r = 42.5 \pm 5\%$ $\sigma = 0.86 \pm 10\% \text{ mho/m}$ (brain tissue simulating liquid)
	ConvF Y	5.7	$\pm 10\%$	
	ConvF Z	5.7	$\pm 10\%$	
1500 MHz	ConvF X	5.3	interpolated	$\epsilon_r = 41 \pm 5\%$ $\sigma = 1.32 \pm 10\% \text{ mho/m}$ (brain tissue simulating liquid)
	ConvF Y	5.3	interpolated	
	ConvF Z	5.3	interpolated	
1800 MHz	ConvF X	5.0	$\pm 10\%$	$\epsilon_r = 41 \pm 5\%$ $\sigma = 1.69 \pm 10\% \text{ mho/m}$ (brain tissue simulating liquid)
	ConvF Y	5.0	$\pm 10\%$	
	ConvF Z	5.0	$\pm 10\%$	

Sensor Offset

Probe Tip to Sensor Center	2.7	mm
Surface to Probe Tip	1.9 ± 0.2	mm