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NIE: 70707RAN.002

Assessment report
RF EXPOSURE REPORT ACCORDING TO
FCC 47 CFR Part 2.1091; FCC 47 CFR Part 1.1307
FCC 47 CFR Part 1.1310

(*) Identification of item under evaluation	Machine Controller iCA202
(*) Trademark	iCON aps 202
(*) Model and /or type reference	iCA202 400MHz
(*) Other identification of the product	FCC ID : RFD-ICA20X IC ID : 3177A-ICA20X HW version : 7E SW Version : 0.9.104
(*) Features	Bluetooth 3.0 EDR, 802.11@2.4GHz, LTE, 400MHz SDR, GNSS RTK
(*) Manufacturer	LEICA GEOSYSTEMS AG Heinrich-Wild-Strasse 201, 9435 Heerbrugg, Switzerland
Test method requested, standard	FCC 47 CFR Part 2.1091 Radiofrequency radiation exposure evaluation: mobile devices. FCC 47 CFR Part 1.1307: Actions that may have a significant environmental effect, for which Environmental Assessments (EAs) must be prepared. FCC 47 CFR Part 1.1310: Radiofrequency radiation exposure limits.
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1. Information relating to the description of the sample ("Identification of the item under evaluation", "Trademark", "Model and/or type reference", "General description of the device", "Other identification of the product").

2. Maximum output power, maximum antenna gain and use distance information.

3. The device under evaluation consists of a Machine Controller which supplies RTK positioning data to an earthmoving machine or paver.

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Identification of the client

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Appendix A: FCC RF Exposure assessment result

General description of the device under evaluation

The device under evaluation consists of a Machine Controller which supplies RTK positioning data to an earthmoving machine or paver.

According to the manufacturer, during its normal use, the separation distance between the radiating structures of the device and nearby users will be greater than 30cm. In order to perform the assessment a conservative evaluation distance of 30cm has been used.

The equipment specifications declared by the manufacturer for each supported technology and band are:

Technology / Mode	Band	Frequency (MHz)	Maximum Conducted Output Power (Incl. Tune-Up) (dBm)	Antenna peak gain (dBi)	Maximum E.I.R.P. (dBm)	Maximum E.I.R.P. (mW)
UMTS	II	1850 - 1910	24,00	2,50	26,50	446,68
UMTS	IV	1710 - 1755	24,00	2,50	26,50	446,68
UMTS	V	824 - 849	24,00	2,50	26,50	446,68
LTE	2	1850 - 1910	24,00	2,50	26,50	446,68
LTE	4	1710 - 1755	24,00	2,50	26,50	446,68
LTE	5	824 - 849	24,00	2,50	26,50	446,68
LTE	7	2500 - 2570	24,00	2,50	26,50	446,68
LTE	12	699 - 716	24,00	2,50	26,50	446,68
LTE	13	777 - 787	24,00	2,50	26,50	446,68
LTE	26	814 - 849	24,00	2,50	26,50	446,68
LTE	30	2305 - 2315	24,00	2,50	26,50	446,68
LTE	41	2496 - 2690	24,00	2,50	26,50	446,68
LTE	42	3400 - 3600	24,00	2,50	26,50	446,68
LTE	43	3600 - 3800	24,00	2,50	26,50	446,68
LTE	48	3550 - 3700	24,00	2,50	26,50	446,68
LTE	66	1710 - 1780	24,00	2,50	26,50	446,68
802.11b/g/n	2.4 GHz	2412 - 2484	17,00	3,00	20,00	100,00
Bluetooth	2.4 GHz	2400 - 2483.5	3,98	3,00	6,98	4,99
SRD	Band	403 - 473	30,00	0,00	30,00	1000,00

Table 1: Equipment specifications

Evaluation Results

Technology / Mode	Band	Frequency (MHz)	Distance (cm)	Maximum E.R.P. output power (mW)	Limit (mW)	Verdict	Power density (mW/cm²)	FCC General Population Limit (mW/cm²)	Verdict
UMTS	II	1850 - 1910	30,00	272,27	1728,00	Pass	-	-	-
UMTS	IV	1710 - 1755	30,00	272,27	1728,00	Pass	-	-	-
UMTS	V	824 - 849	30,00	272,27	978,05	Pass	-	-	-
LTE	2	1850 - 1910	30,00	272,27	1728,00	Pass	-	-	-
LTE	4	1710 - 1755	30,00	272,27	1728,00	Pass	-	-	-
LTE	5	824 - 849	30,00	272,27	978,05	Pass	-	-	-
LTE	7	2500 - 2570	30,00	272,27	1728,00	Pass	-	-	-
LTE	12	699 - 716	30,00	272,27	824,83	Pass	-	-	-
LTE	13	777 - 787	30,00	272,27	906,62	Pass	-	-	-
LTE	26	814 - 849	30,00	272,27	978,05	Pass	-	-	-
LTE	30	2305 - 2315	30,00	272,27	1728,00	Pass	-	-	-
LTE	41	2496 - 2690	30,00	272,27	1728,00	Pass	-	-	-
LTE	42	3400 - 3600	30,00	272,27	1728,00	Pass	-	-	-
LTE	43	3600 - 3800	30,00	272,27	1728,00	Pass	-	-	-
LTE	48	3550 - 3700	30,00	272,27	1728,00	Pass	-	-	-
LTE	66	1710 - 1780	30,00	272,27	1728,00	Pass	-	-	-
802.11b/g/n	2.4 GHz	2412 - 2484	30,00	60,95	1728,00	Pass	-	-	-
Bluetooth	2.4 GHz	2400 - 2483.5	30,00	3,04	1728,00	Pass	-	-	-
SRD	Band	403 - 473	30,00	1000,00	964,92	MPE required	0,09	0,27	Pass

Table 2: FCC Evaluation Results

The computed value(s) are below the limit(s), so these modes meet the requirements stated in FCC 47 CFR Part 1.1307.

Simultaneous technologies and modes	Result (∑ of Pout/Pmax ratios)	Verdict (∑ ≤ 1)
LTE 12 + 802.11b/g/n 2.4 GHz + Bluetooth 2.4 GHz + SRD Band	0,42	Pass

Table 3: Simultaneous Transmission assessment

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Appendix B: FCC RF Exposure information

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RF Exposure determination of exemption

According to FCC 47 CFR §1.1307 (b)(3) Determination of exemption:

(i) For single RF sources (i.e., any single fixed RF source, mobile device, or portable device, as defined in paragraph (b)(2), a single RF source is exempt if:

(A) The available maximum time-averaged power is no more than 1 mW, regardless of separation distance. This exemption may not be used in conjunction with other exemption criteria other than those in paragraph (b)(3)(ii)(A) of this section. Medical implant devices may only use this exemption and that in paragraph (b)(3)(ii)(A);

(B) Or the available maximum time-averaged power or effective radiated power (ERP), whichever is greater, is less than or equal to the threshold Pth (mW) described in the following formula. This method shall only be used at separation distances (cm) from 0.5 centimeters to 40 centimeters and at frequencies from 0.3 GHz to 6 GHz (inclusive). Pth is given by:

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

Where

$$x = -\log_{10}\left(\frac{60}{ERP_{20\,cm}\sqrt{f}}\right) \text{ and } f \text{ is in GHz;}$$

and

$$ERP_{20\,cm} \ (mW) = \begin{cases} 2040f & 0.3\,GHz \leq f < 1.5\,GHz \\ 3060 & 1.5\,GHz \leq f \leq 6\,GHz \end{cases}$$

d = the separation distance (cm);

(C) Or using Table 1 and the minimum separation distance (R in meters) from the body of a nearby person for the frequency (f in MHz) at which the source operates, the ERP (watts) is no more than the calculated value prescribed for that frequency. For the exemption in Table 1 to apply, R must be at least λ/2π, where λ is the free-space operating wavelength in meters. If the ERP of a single RF source is not easily obtained, then the available maximum time-averaged power may be used in lieu of ERP if the physical dimensions of the radiating structure(s) do not exceed the electrical length of λ/4 or if the antenna gain is less than that of a half-wave dipole (1.64 linear value).

TABLE 1 TO §1.1307(b)(3)(i)(C)—SINGLE RF SOURCES SUBJECT TO ROUTINE ENVIRONMENTAL EVALUATION

RF Source frequency (MHz)	Threshold ERP (watts)
0.3-1.34	1,920 R^2.
1.34-30	3,450 R^2/f^2.
30-300	3.83 R^2.
300-1,500	0.0128 R^2f.
1,500-100,000	19.2R^2.

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(ii) For multiple RF sources: Multiple RF sources are exempt if:

(A) The available maximum time-averaged power of each source is no more than 1 mW and there is a separation distance of two centimeters between any portion of a radiating structure operating and the nearest portion of any other radiating structure in the same device, except if the sum of multiple sources is less than 1 mW during the time-averaging period, in which case they may be treated as a single source (separation is not required). This exemption may not be used in conjunction with other exemption criteria other than those is paragraph (b)(3)(i)(A) of this section. Medical implant devices may only use this exemption and that in paragraph (b)(3)(i)(A).

(B) in the case of fixed RF sources operating in the same time-averaging period, or of multiple mobile or portable RF sources within a device operating in the same time averaging period, if the sum of the fractional contributions to the applicable thresholds is less than or equal to 1 as indicated in the following equation.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{a} \frac{P_i}{P_{th,i}} + \sum_{j=1}^{b} \frac{ERP_j}{ERP_{th,j}} + \sum_{k=1}^{c} \frac{Evaluated_k}{Exposure\ Limit_k} \leq 1$$

Where:

a = number of fixed, mobile, or portable RF sources claiming exemption using paragraph (b)(3)(i)(B) of this section for Pth, including existing exempt transmitters and those being added.

b = number of fixed, mobile, or portable RF sources claiming exemption using paragraph (b)(3)(i)(C) of this section for Threshold ERP, including existing exempt transmitters and those being added.

c = number of existing fixed, mobile, or portable RF sources with known evaluation for the specified minimum distance including existing evaluated transmitters.

P_i = the available maximum time-averaged power or the ERP, whichever is greater, for fixed, mobile, or portable RF source i at a distance between 0.5 cm and 40 cm (inclusive).

$P_{th,i}$ = the exemption threshold power (Pth) according to paragraph (b)(3)(i)(B) of this section for fixed, mobile, or portable RF source i.

ERP_j = the ERP of fixed, mobile, or portable RF source j.

$ERP_{th,j}$ = exemption threshold ERP for fixed, mobile, or portable RF source j, at a distance of at least λ/2π according to the applicable formula of paragraph (b)(3)(i)(C) of this section.

$Evaluated_k$ = the maximum reported SAR or MPE of fixed, mobile, or portable RF source k either in the device or at the transmitter site from an existing evaluation at the location of exposure.

$Exposure\ Limit_k$ = either the general population/uncontrolled maximum permissible exposure (MPE) or specific absorption rate (SAR) limit for each fixed, mobile, or portable RF source k, as applicable from §1.1310 of this chapter.

RF Exposure evaluation

Limits for Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) for RF sources are defined in FCC 47 CFR "§1.1310 Radiation Exposure limits, paragraph (e)":

TABLE 1 TO §1.1310(E)(1)—LIMITS FOR MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE (MPE)

Frequency range (MHz)	Electric field strength (V/m)	Magnetic field strength (A/m)	Power density (mW/cm^2)	Averaging time (minutes)
(i) Limits for Occupational/Controlled Exposure				
0.3-3.0	614	1.63	*(100)	≤6
3.0-30	1842/f	4.89/f	*(900/f^2)	<6
30-300	61.4	0.163	1.0	<6
300-1,500			f/300	<6
1,500-100,000			5	<6
(ii) Limits for General Population/Uncontrolled Exposure				
0.3-1.34	614	1.63	*(100)	<30
1.34-30	824/f	2.19/f	*(180/f^2)	<30
30-300	27.5	0.073	0.2	<30
300-1,500			f/1500	<30
1,500-100,000			1.0	<30

f = frequency in MHz. * = Plane-wave equivalent power density.

Each supported transmission technology will be evaluated to determine if it is in compliance with limits for Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) to radiofrequency electromagnetic fields.

In order to perform the assessment, the following equations have been used for the calculations; these equations are accurate in the far-field of an antenna and will over-predict power density in the near field, where they could be used for making a "worst-case" or conservative prediction:

Power density: $S[mW/cm^2] = \dfrac{P_{E.I.R.P.}[mW]}{4\Pi R[cm]^2}$

Where:

S = power density

$P_{E.I.R.P.}$ = Equivalent isotropically radiated power

R = distance to the center of radiation of the antenna (evaluation distance)

$P_{E.I.R.P.}$ = P$_T$ + G$_T$ - L$_C$

Where:

P$_T$ = transmitter output power (including tune-up tolerance)
G$_T$ = gain of the transmitting antenna
L$_C$ = signal attenuation in the connecting cable between the transmitter and the antenna if applicable