APPENDIX I RADIO FREQUENCY EXPOSURE

LIMIT

According to §15.247(i), systems operating under the provisions of this section shall be operated in a manner that ensures that the public is not exposed to radio frequency energy levels in excess of the Commission's guidelines. See § 1.1307(b)(1) of this chapter.

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EUT Specification

EUT	802.11a/n AP (Master)
Frequency band (Operating)	☐ WLAN: 2.412GHz ~ 2.462GHz
	Others: Bluetooth: 2.402GHz ~ 2.480GHz
Device category	Portable (<20cm separation)
	Mobile (>20cm separation)
	Others
Exposure classification	Occupational/Controlled exposure (S = 5mW/cm2)
	General Population/Uncontrolled exposure
	(S=1 mW/cm2)
Antenna diversity	Single antenna
	Multiple antennas
	Tx diversity
	Rx diversity
	$\overline{\boxtimes}$ Tx/Rx diversity
Max. output power	IEEE 802.11a mode: 20.31 dBm (107.4mW)
	draft 802.11n Standard-20 MHz Channel mode: 14.76 dBm (29.9mW)
	draft 802.11n Wide-40 MHz Channel mode: 16.26 dBm (42.2mW)
Antenna gain (Max)	Gain: IEEE 802.11a: 14.84 dBi (Numeric gain: 30.48)
	Gain: MIMO: $14.84 \text{ dBi} + 10 \log (2) = 17.85 \text{ dBi}$ (Numeric gain: 60.95)
Evaluation applied	MPE Evaluation
	SAR Evaluation
	N/A
Remark:	
	ower is <u>20.31dBm (107.4mW) at 5745MHz</u> (with <u>30.48 numeric antenna</u>
gain.)	
· ·	ct to routine RF evaluation; MPE estimate is used to justify the
compliance.	
	ation transmitters, no SAR consideration applied. The maximum power
dansity is 1 0 m W/cm2	even if the calculation indicates that the nower density would be

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larger.

No non-compliance noted.

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Calculation

$$\overline{E} = \frac{\sqrt{30 \times P \times G}}{d} \quad \& \quad S = \frac{E^2}{3770}$$

Where E = Field strength in Volts / meter

P = Power in Watts

G = Numeric antenna gain

d = Distance in meters

 $S = Power\ density\ in\ milliwatts\ /\ square\ centimeter$

Combining equations and re-arranging the terms to express the distance as a function of the remaining variables yields:

$$S = \frac{30 \times P \times G}{3770d^2}$$

Changing to units of mW and cm, using:

$$P(mW) = P(W) / 1000 \text{ and}$$

$$d(cm) = d(m) / 100$$

Yields

$$S = \frac{30 \times (P/1000) \times G}{3770 \times (d/100)^2} = 0.0796 \times \frac{P \times G}{d^2}$$
 Equation 1

Where

d = Distance in cm

P = Power in mW

G = Numeric antenna gain

 $S = Power\ density\ in\ mW/cm^2$

Maximum Permissible Exposure

EUT output power = 107.4mW

Numeric Antenna gain = 30.48

Substituting the MPE safe distance using d = 20 cm into Equation 1:

Yields

$$S = 0.000199 \times P \times G$$

Where P = Power in mW

G = Numeric antenna gain

 $S = Power\ density\ in\ mW/cm^2$

 \rightarrow Power density = 0.6514 mW/cm²

(For mobile or fixed location transmitters, the maximum power density is 1.0 mW/cm² even if the calculation indicates that the power density would be larger.)

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