EXPOSURE LIMITS FOR ELECTROMAGNETIC RADIATION

Referenced Documents "Guidelines for Limiting Exposure to Time-Varying Electric, Magnetic and Electromagnetic Fields (up to 300GHz)" ICNIRP Guidelines. Health Pysics 74 (4); 1998

IEEE C95.1-2005 IEEE Standard for Safety Levels with Respect to Human Exposure to Radio Frequency Electromagnetic Fields, 3 kHz to 300 GHz -Description Table 8 and Table 9 EN 62311:2008

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$$d = \frac{2.D^2}{\lambda} P_d = \frac{t \cdot x \cdot P \cdot G}{4 \cdot \pi \cdot R^2}$$

| | $ _{R}$ – | t.x.P.G |
|-------------|-----------|--------------------|
| > | Λ – | $\sqrt{4.\pi.P_d}$ |

t = time exposure correction factor (referenced to 3.5 minutes)

| near/far field boundary | d | 16.95 | m |
|------------------------------|--------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Wavelength | λ | 0.0174 | m |
| maximum dimension of the | | | |
| antenna | D | 0.384 | m |
| Transmit Power | Р | 6 | W |
| Maximum Duty Cycle | | | |
| correction factor | Х | 0.94 | |
| Mean Tx Power (inc. duty | | | |
| cycle) | | 5.64 | W |
| Gain of Antenna | G | 26 | dBi |
| Linear Gain of Antenna | | 398.1071706 | |
| Exposure Limit | | 10 | W/m ² |
| | | 1 | mW/cm ² |
| Power Density @ d (d=R) | P_d | 0.0622 | mW/cm ² |
| Safety margin @d | | 72.1 | dB |
| Exposure Limit in near field | 3.3333 | W/m ² | |
| see note 1 | 0.3333 | mW/cm ² | |
| Safe Distance from | | | |
| Antenna | R | 7.32 | m |

x = 69% Maximum Duty Cycle (general 5km), 84% duty cycle (normal 8km), max duty cycle 94% (Fast 8km mode) ref. 8BT3f

Taken from ICNIRP report. IEEE quote this as 10mW/cm²

Note 1: Applies 300% uncertainty factor for calculations in near field

Worst case scenario - Unscanning beam, 3.5 minutes exposure.

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| SAFE | | | Safe Distance | Matrix (m) | | | |
| DISTANCE MATRIX | | | FCC (Part 47 of CFR, para 1.1307) & ICNIRP | | IEEE C95.1-2005 | | |
| | Exposure Duration {e} (seconds) | t {e/210} | Uncontrolled Exposure (1mW/cm²) | Controlled Exposure (5mW/cm²) | Uncontrolled Exposure (1mW/cm²) | Controlled Exposure (10mW/cm²) | |
| In Front of Antenna (26dB) | i antenna gai | n) | 1 | 5 | 1 | 10 | |
| | 2 | 0.01 | 0.42 | 0.19 | 0.42 | 0.13 | Typical walk-by exposure time |
| Scanned | 10 | 0.05 | 0.94 | 0.42 | 0.94 | 0.30 | |
| (Does not take into | 30 | 0.15 | 1.62 | 0.73 | 1.62 | 0.51 | |
| account 300% uncertainty | 60 | 0.29 | 2.29 | 1.03 | 2.29 | 0.73 | |
| factor in near field) | 120 | 0.59 | 3.24 | 1.45 | 3.24 | 1.03 | |
| | 180 | 0.88 | 3.97 | 1.78 | 3.97 | 1.26 | |
| | 204 | 1.00 | 4.23 | 1.89 | 4.23 | 1.34 | |
| | 2 | 0.01 | 0.73 | 0.32 | 0.73 | 0.23 | Typical walk-by exposure time |
| Unscanned | 10 | 0.05 | 1.62 | 0.73 | 1.62 | 0.51 | |
| (Does take into | 30 | 0.15 | 2.81 | 1.26 | 2.81 | 0.89 | |
| account 300% uncertainty | 60 | 0.29 | 3.97 | 1.78 | 3.97 | 1.26 | |
| factor in near field) | 120 | 0.59 | 5.62 | 2.51 | 5.62 | 1.78 | |
| | 180 | 0.88 | 6.88 | 3.08 | 6.88 | 2.18 | |
| | 204 | 1.00 | 7.32 | 3.28 | 7.32 | 2.32 | Continuous exposure (i.e. Not time limited |
| Behind Antenna (0dBi antenna gain assumed) | | 1.00 | 5.00 | 1.00 | 10.00 | | |
| | 2 | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.01 | 0.02 | 0.01 | Typical walk-by exposure time |
| Scanned | 10 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.02 | 0.05 | 0.01 | |
| (Does not take into | 30 | 0.15 | 0.08 | 0.04 | 0.08 | 0.03 | |
| account 300% uncertainty | 60 | 0.29 | 0.11 | 0.05 | 0.11 | 0.04 | |
| factor in near field) | 120 | 0.59 | 0.16 | 0.07 | 0.16 | 0.05 | |
| | 180 | 0.88 | 0.20 | 0.09 | 0.20 | 0.06 | |
| | 204 | 1.00 | 0.21 | 0.09 | 0.21 | 0.07 | |
| | 2 | 0.01 | 0.04 | 0.02 | 0.04 | 0.01 | Typical walk-by exposure time |
| Unscanned | 10 | 0.05 | 0.08 | 0.04 | 0.08 | 0.03 | |
| (Does take into | 30 | 0.15 | 0.14 | 0.06 | 0.14 | 0.04 | |
| account 300% uncertainty | 60 | 0.29 | 0.20 | 0.09 | 0.20 | 0.06 | |
| factor in near field) | 120 | 0.59 | 0.28 | 0.13 | 0.28 | 0.09 | |
| | 180 | 0.88 | 0.34 | 0.15 | 0.34 | 0.11 | |
| | 204 | 1.00 | 0.37 | 0.16 | 0.37 | 0.12 | |

| | Assumptions |
|-----------------------|--|
| Scanned | Beam scanning across frequency range. Scanning is expected to average out any local maximum, therefore can lose the 300% uncertainty in near field |
| Unscanned | Use 300% uncertainty for near field measurement |
| Exposure Duration {t} | Any frequency above 10GHz has to use a mean power averaged over a 68/f ^{1.05} minute (3.5mins) period in the calculation. |
| | This expsoure duration is converted to a fraction of 3.5 mintues. |
| Uncontrolled Exposure | General public exposure |
| Controlled Exposure | Occupational exposure |
| WiFi | The WLAN transmitter and Antenna gain are not significant in this calculation (0.14W & 4dBi). |