# 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	NexConnect II Router
Frequency band (Operating)	<ul> <li>WLAN: 2.412GHz ~ 2.462GHz</li> <li>WLAN: 5.18GHz ~ 5.32GHz / 5.50GHz ~ 5.70GHz</li> <li>WLAN: 5.745GHz ~ 5.825GHz</li> <li>Others</li> </ul>
Device category	<ul> <li>□ Portable (&lt;20cm separation)</li> <li>☑ Mobile (&gt;20cm separation)</li> <li>□ Others</li> </ul>
Exposure classification	<ul> <li>☐ Occupational/Controlled exposure (S = 5mW/cm²)</li> <li>☐ General Population/Uncontrolled exposure (S=1mW/cm²)</li> </ul>
Antenna diversity	☐ Single antenna ☐ Multiple antennas ☐ Tx diversity ☐ Rx diversity ☐ Tx/Rx diversity
Max. output power	IEEE 802.11b mode: 20.86 dBm (121.8990mW) IEEE 802.11g mode: 22.14 dBm (163.6817 mW) draft 802.11n Standard-20 MHz Channel mode: 25.03 dBm (318.4198mW) draft 802.11n Wide-40 MHz Channel mode: 26.77 dBm (475.3352 mW)
Antenna gain (Max)	Gain: 3.309 dBi (Numeric gain: 2.14) MIMO: 3.309 dBi + 10 log (2) = 6.309 dBi (Numeric gain: 4.27)
Evaluation applied	<ul><li></li></ul>
Remark:	
1. The maximum output power is 26.77dBm (475.3352mW) at 2437MHz (with 4.27 numeric antenna	
gain.) 2. DTS device is not subject to routine RF evaluation; MPE estimate is used to justify the compliance.	

3. For mobile or fixed location transmitters, no SAR consideration applied. The maximum power density is 1.0 mW/cm2 even if the calculation indicates that the power density would be larger.

## **TEST RESULTS**

No non-compliance noted.

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# **Calculation**

Given

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

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:

$$P(mW) = P(W) / 1000$$
 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**

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

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

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#### **IEEE 802.11b mode:**

EUT output power = 121.8990mW

Numeric Antenna gain = 2.14

 $\rightarrow$  Power density = 0.05191 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>

## **IEEE 802.11g mode:**

EUT output power = 163.6817 mW

Numeric Antenna gain = 2.14

 $\rightarrow$  Power density = 0.0697mW/cm<sup>2</sup>

### draft 802.11n Standard-20 MHz Channel mode:

EUT output power = 318.4198 mW

Numeric Antenna gain = 4.27

 $\rightarrow$  Power density =  $0.2705 \text{mW}/\text{cm}^2$ 

#### draft 802.11n Wide-40 MHz Channel mode:

EUT output power = 475.3352 mW

Numeric Antenna gain = 4.27

 $\rightarrow$  Power density = 0.4039 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>

(For mobile or fixed location transmitters, the maximum power density is 1.0 mW/cm<sup>2</sup> even if the calculation indicates that the power density would be larger.)

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