

Radio Frequency Emissions Analysis Report

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Site ID: CTHA527A

ATC Southington Monopole 80 Shuttle Meadow Road Southington, CT ZIP

October 7, 2022

Fox Hill Telecom Project Number: 221833

Site Compliance Summary				
Compliance Status:	COMPLIANT			
Site total MPE% of FCC				
general population	12.97 %			
allowable limit:				



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Fox Hill Telecom, Inc ("Fox Hill") was directed to analyze the proposed upgrades to the T-MOBILE facility located at **80 Shuttle Meadow Road, Southington, CT**, for the purpose of determining whether the emissions from the Proposed T-MOBILE Antenna Installation located on this property are within specified federal limits.

All information used in this report was analyzed as a percentage of current Maximum Permissible Exposure (% MPE) as listed in the FCC OET Bulletin 65 Edition 97-01 and ANSI/IEEE Std C95.1. The FCC regulates Maximum Permissible Exposure in units of microwatts per square centimeter (μ W/cm2). The number of μ W/cm² calculated at each sample point is called the power density. The exposure limit for power density varies depending upon the frequencies being utilized. Wireless Carriers and Paging Services use different frequency bands each with different exposure limits, therefore it is necessary to report results and limits in terms of percent MPE rather than power density.

All results were compared to the FCC (Federal Communications Commission) radio frequency exposure rules, 47 CFR 1.1307(b)(1) - (b)(3), to determine compliance with the Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) limits for General Population/Uncontrolled environments as defined below.

<u>General population/uncontrolled exposure</u> limits apply to situations in which the general population may be exposed or in which persons who are exposed as a consequence of their employment may not be made fully aware of the potential for exposure or cannot exercise control over their exposure. Therefore, members of the general population would always be considered under this category when exposure is not employment related, for example, in the case of a telecommunications tower that exposes persons in a nearby residential area.

General population exposure to radio frequencies is regulated and enforced in units of microwatts per square centimeter (μ W/cm²). The general population exposure limits for the 600 MHz & 700 MHz bands are approximately 400 μ W/cm² and 467 μ W/cm² respectively. The general population exposure limit for the 1900 MHz (PCS), 2100 MHz (AWS) and 2500 MHz (BRS) bands is 1000 μ W/cm². Because each carrier will be using different frequency bands, and each frequency band has different exposure limits, it is necessary to report percent of MPE rather than power density.



<u>Occupational/controlled exposure</u> limits apply to situations in which persons are exposed as a consequence of their employment and in which those persons who are exposed have been made fully aware of the potential for exposure and can exercise control over their exposure. Occupational/controlled exposure limits also apply where exposure is of a transient nature as a result of incidental passage through a location where exposure levels may be above general population/uncontrolled limits (see below), as long as the exposed person has been made fully aware of the potential for exposure and can exercise control over this or her exposure by leaving the area or by some other appropriate means.

Additional details can be found in FCC OET 65.



CALCULATIONS

Calculations were performed for the proposed upgrades to the T-MOBILE antenna facility located at **80 Shuttle Meadow Road, Southington, CT**, using the equipment information listed below. All calculations were performed per the specifications under FCC OET 65.

In OET-65, a far field model is presented to calculate the spatial peak power density. Calculations performed using this model incorporate antenna manufacturer's horizontal and vertical pattern data to determine the power density in all directions.

This model yields the power density at a single point in space. For this analysis, the maximum value calculated at 6 feet above ground level was used for compliance verification.

Predicted power densities are displayed as a percentage of the applicable FCC standards.

All emissions values for additional carriers were taken from the Connecticut Siting Council (CSC) active MPE database. Values in this database are provided by the individual carriers themselves



For each sector the following channel counts, frequency bands and power levels were utilized as shown in *Table 1*:

Technology	Frequency Band	Channel Count	Transmit Power per Channel (W)
LTE / 5G NR	600 MHz	2	40
LTE	700 MHz	2	20
LTE	1900 MHz (PCS)	4	40
LTE	2100 MHz (AWS)	4	40
UMTS	2100 MHz (AWS)	1	40

Table 1: Channel Data Table



The following antennas listed in *Table 2* were used in the modeling for transmission in the 600 MHz, 700 MHz, 1900 MHz (PCS) and 2100 MHz (AWS) frequency bands. This is based on feedback from the carrier with regards to anticipated antenna selection. Maximum gain values for all antennas are listed in the Inventory and Power Data table below.

			Antenna
	Antenna		Centerline
Sector	Number	Antenna Make / Model	(ft)
А	1	RFS APXVAALL24_43-U-NA20	130
В	1	RFS APXVAALL24_43-U-NA20	130
С	1	RFS APXVAALL24_43-U-NA20	130

Table 2: Antenna Data

All calculations were done with respect to uncontrolled / general population threshold limits.



RESULTS

Per the calculations completed for the proposed T-MOBILE configurations *Table 3* shows resulting emissions power levels and percentages of the FCC's allowable general population limit.

							MPE % at 6 feet
Antenna			Antenna Gain	Channel	Total TX		above Ground
ID	Antenna Make / Model	Frequency Bands	(dBd)	Count	Power (W)	ERP (W)	Level
		600 MHz / 700 MHz /					
Antenna	RFS	1900 MHz (PCS) /	13.65 / 13.85 /				
A1	APXVAALL24_43-U-NA20	2100 MHz (AWS)	16.65 / 16.95	13	480	20,131.66	0.06
					Sector A Com	posite MPE%	0.06
		600 MHz / 700 MHz /					
Antenna	RFS	1900 MHz (PCS) /	13.65 / 13.85 /				
B1	APXVAALL24_43-U-NA20	2100 MHz (AWS)	16.65 / 16.95	13	480	20,131.66	0.06
					Sector B Com	posite MPE%	0.06
		600 MHz / 700 MHz /					
Antenna	RFS	1900 MHz (PCS) /	13.65 / 13.85 /				
C1	APXVAALL24_43-U-NA20	2100 MHz (AWS)	16.65 / 16.95	13	480	20,131.66	0.06
Sector C Composite MPE%					0.06		

Table 3: T-MOBILE Emissions Levels



The Following table (*table 4*) shows all additional carriers on site and their MPE% as recorded in the CSC active MPE database for this facility along with the newly calculated maximum T-MOBILE MPE contributions per this report. FCC OET 65 specifies that for carriers utilizing directional antennas that the highest recorded sector value be used for composite site MPE values due to their greatly reduced emissions contributions in the directions of the adjacent sectors. For this site, all three sectors have the same configuration yielding the same results on all three sectors. *Table 5* below shows a summary for each T-MOBILE Sector as well as the composite MPE value for the site.

Site Composite MPE%				
Carrier	MPE%			
T-MOBILE – Max Per Sector Value	0.06 %			
Verizon	3.30 %			
AT&T	5.51 %			
Sprint	4.10 %			
Site Total MPE %:	12.97 %			

Table 4: All Carrier MPE Contributions

T-MOBILE Sector A Total:	0.06 %
T-MOBILE Sector B Total:	0.06 %
T-MOBILE Sector C Total:	0.06 %
Site Total:	12.97 %

Table 5: Site MPE Summary



FCC OET 65 specifies that for carriers utilizing directional antennas that the highest recorded sector value be used for composite site MPE values due to their greatly reduced emissions contributions in the directions of the adjacent sectors. *Table 6* below details a breakdown by frequency band and technology for the MPE power values for the maximum calculated T-MOBILE sector(s). For this site, all three sectors have the same configuration yielding the same results on all three sectors.

T-MOBILE _ Frequency Band / Technology Max Power Values (Per Sector)	# Channels	Watts ERP (Per Channel)	Height (feet)	Total Power Density (µW/cm ²)	Frequency (MHz)	Allowable MPE (µW/cm ²)	Calculated % MPE
T-Mobile 600 MHz LTE / 5G NR	2	926.96	130	0.08	600 MHz	400	0.02%
T-Mobile 700 MHz LTE	2	485.32	130	0.05	700 MHz	467	0.01%
T-Mobile 1900 MHz (PCS) LTE	4	1,849.52	130	0.10	1900 MHz (PCS)	1000	0.01%
T-Mobile 2100 MHz (AWS) LTE	4	1,981.80	130	0.10	2100 MHz (AWS)	1000	0.01%
T-Mobile 2100 MHz (AWS) UMTS	1	1,981.80	130	0.10	2100 MHz (AWS)	1000	0.01%
						Total:	0.06 %

Table 6: T-MOBILE Maximum Sector MPE Power Values



Summary

All calculations performed for this analysis yielded results that were **within** the allowable limits for general population exposure to RF Emissions.

The anticipated maximum composite contributions from the T-MOBILE facility as well as the site composite emissions value with regards to compliance with FCC's allowable limits for general population exposure to RF Emissions are shown here:

T-MOBILE Sector	Power Density Value (%)
Sector A:	0.06 %
Sector B:	0.06 %
Sector C:	0.06 %
T-MOBILE Maximum	0.06.%
Total (per sector):	0.00 %
Site Total:	12.97 %
Site Compliance Status:	COMPLIANT

The anticipated composite MPE value for this site assuming all carriers present is **12.97** % of the allowable FCC established general population limit sampled at the ground level. This is based upon values listed in the Connecticut Siting Council database for existing carrier emissions.

FCC guidelines state that if a site is found to be out of compliance (over allowable thresholds), that carriers over a 5% contribution to the composite value will require measures to bring the site into compliance. For this facility, the composite values calculated were well within the allowable 100% threshold standard per the federal government.

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