

# THEORETICAL REPORT



Site Number: MA1306

Site Name: ASHLAND CEDAR STREET

**Latitude:** 42.23527778 **Longitude:** -71.43972222

Address: 404 CEDAR STREET

ASHLAND, MA 01721

<u>Conclusion:</u> AT&T's proposed antenna installation is calculated to be within the FCC Standard for Uncontrolled/General Public and Controlled/Occupational Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE).

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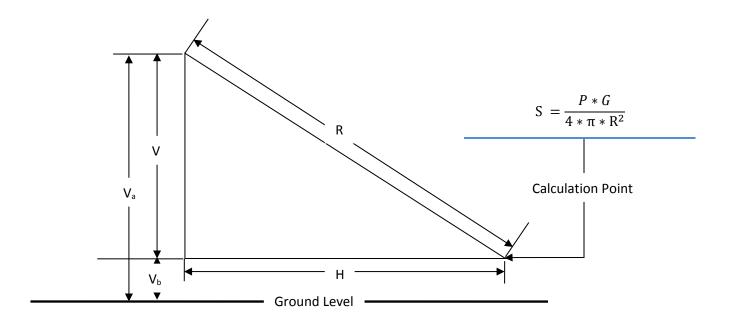
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## **Introduction**

SAI Group has conducted this theoretical analysis for AT&T, to ensure that the proposed radio facility complies with Federal Communications Commission (FCC) regulations. This report will show that, through the use of FCC suggested prediction methods, the radio facility in question will be in compliance with all appropriate Federal regulations in regards to Radio Frequency (RF) Exposure.

#### **RF Exposure Prediction Method**

Power Density is calculated in accordance with FCC OET Bulletin 65 formula (3):



#### Where:

S = Power Density

P = Power input to the antenna

G = Gain of an antenna

R = Radial distance =  $\sqrt{H^2 + V^2}$ 

H = Horizontal distance from antenna

V = Vertical distance from antenna = Va - Vb

V<sub>a</sub> = Antenna height above ground

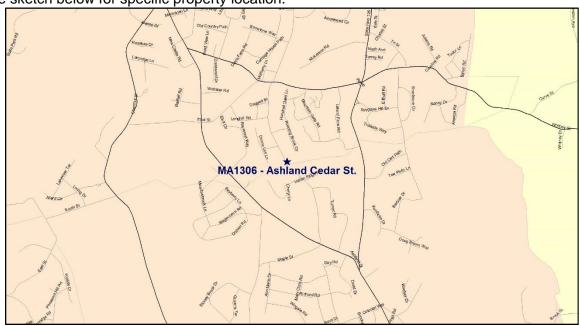
V<sub>b</sub> = Calculation height above ground = 6ft

## **Case Summary**

The proposed radio facility will have a radiation center of 75ft located at the following geographic coordinates:

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See sketch below for specific property location.



## **RF Design Specifications**

AT&T's proposed facility will have a total of 12 panel antennas, 4 per sector for UMTS, LTE and 5G Technologies with azimuths of 30-150-260/270 for alpha-beta-gamma sectors. Table below shows the technical data used for the calculation.

	UMTS850	LTE700DE	LTE1900	LTE700BC	LTE850	LTEWCS	5G 850	LTE700DE
Antenna Type:	Kathrein 800-10121	CO OPA-65R-			Kath 800-1			KMW AM-X-CD-14- 65-00T
Antenna Gain (dBd)	11.26	10.55	13.85	11.35	12.25	15.55	12.25	9.75
Rad Center, AGL (ft)	75	75	75	75	75	75	75	75
ERP (dBm)	59.04	59.55	64.63	63.35	61.25	64.55	60.00	58.75
No of Radios	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

## **FCC Guidelines**

Table 1. MPE Limits for General Population/ Uncontrolled Exposure					
Frequency Range (MHz)	Electric Field Strength (V/m)	Magnetic Field Strength (A/m)	Power Density (mW/cm²)	Averaging Time for  E ²,  H ², or S (Minutes)	
0.3 – 1.34	614	1.63	(100)*	30	
1.34 -30	824/f	2.19/f	(180/f <sup>2</sup> )*	30	
30 – 300	27.5	0.073	0.2	30	
300 – 1500			f/1500	30	
1500– 100,000			1.0	30	
f = frequency i	n MHz	* = Plane wave equivalent power density			

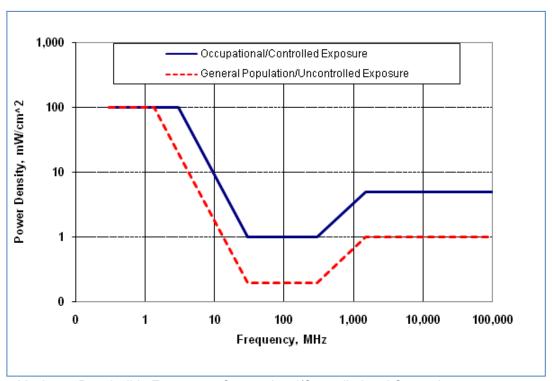
General population/uncontrolled exposures apply in situations in which the general public may be exposed, or in which persons that are exposed as a consequence of their employment may not be fully aware of the potential for exposure or can't exercise control over their exposure.

Table 2. MPE Limits for Occupational/Controlled Exposure					
Frequency Range (MHz)	Electric Field Strength (V/m)	Magnetic Field Strength (A/m)	Power Density (mW/cm²)	Averaging Time for  E  <sup>2</sup> ,  H  <sup>2</sup> , or S (Minutes)	
0.3 - 3.0	614	1.63	(100)*	6	
3.0 – 30	1842/f	4.89/f	(900/f <sup>2</sup> )*	6	
30 – 300	61.4	0.163	1.0	6	
300 – 1500			f/300	6	
1500- 100,000			5.0	6	
f = frequency i	n MHz	* = Plane w	wave equivalent power density		

Occupational/controlled limits apply in situations in which persons are exposed as a consequence of their employment provided those persons are fully aware of the potential for exposure and can exercise control over their exposure. Limits for occupational/controlled exposure also apply in situations when an individual is transient through a location where such occupational/controlled limits apply provided he or she is made aware of the potential for exposure.

## **FCC RF Exposure Limits**

FCC MPE LIMITS (mW/cm²)				
EVDOSUBE ENVIDONMENT	AT&T FREQUENCY BANDS			
EXPOSURE ENVIRONMENT	Cellular	PCS		
General Public (Uncontrolled)	0.59	1.0		
Occupational (Controlled)	2.93	5.0		

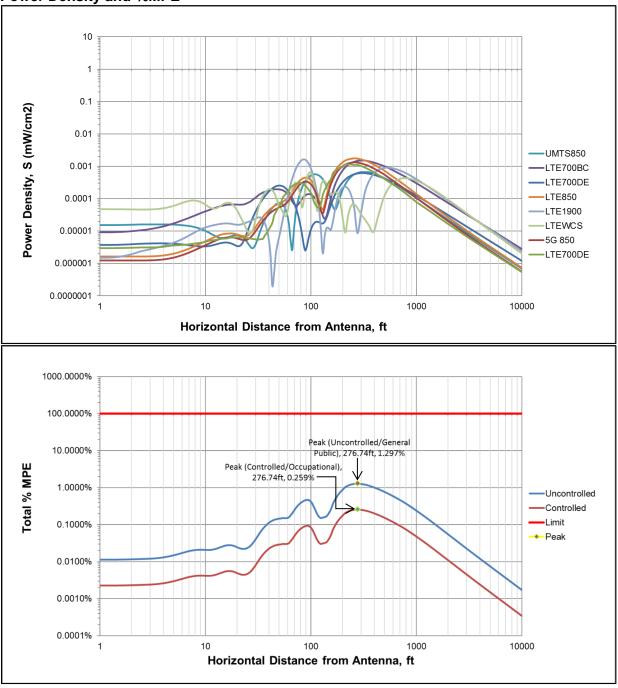


Maximum Permissible Exposures. Occupational/Controlled and General Population/Uncontrolled MPE's are functions of frequency.

#### **Calculation Results (6ft AGL)**

The following charts show the graphical representation of the calculated AT&T contribution on power density levels and % MPE at 6ft above ground, as horizontal distance from antenna increases. The calculations take into account the vertical pattern of the antennas and represent the immediate direction of each sector azimuth within the antenna horizontal beamwidth. The calculations also assume line of site to the antennas and the result will be lower if measured indoor due to in-building penetration loss.





#### **Statement of Certification**

I certify to the best of my knowledge that the statements contained in this report are true and accurate. The theoretical computations contained are based on FCC recommended methods, with industry standard assumptions & formulas, and complies with FCC mandated Maximum Permissible RF Exposure requirements.

A comprehensive field survey was not performed prior to the generation of this report. If questions arise regarding the calculations herein, SAI Group recommends that a comprehensive field survey be performed to resolve any disputes.

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Date

#### <u>APPENDIX A – REFERENCES</u>

FCC Radio Frequency Safety

http://www.fcc.gov/encyclopedia/radio-frequency-safety

FCC OET Bulletin 56

https://transition.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Engineering\_Technology/Documents/bulletins/oet56/oet56e4.pdf

FCC OET Bulletin 65

https://transition.fcc.gov/Bureaus/Engineering\_Technology/Documents/bulletins/oet65/oet65.pdf

National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements (NCRP) <a href="http://www.ncrponline.org">http://www.ncrponline.org</a>

American National Standards Institute (ANSI) <a href="http://www.ansi.org">http://www.ansi.org</a>

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) <a href="https://www3.epa.gov/radtown/wireless-technology.html">https://www3.epa.gov/radtown/wireless-technology.html</a>

National Institutes of Health (NIH) <a href="http://www.niehs.nih.gov/health/topics/agents/emf/">http://www.niehs.nih.gov/health/topics/agents/emf/</a>

Occupational Safety and Health Agency (OSHA) http://www.osha.gov/SLTC/radiofrequencyradiation/

International Commission on Non-Ionizing Radiation Protection (ICNIRP) <a href="http://www.icnirp.org/">http://www.icnirp.org/</a>