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# 1 Scope

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The object of this standard is to demonstrate the compliance of such equipment with the reference levels or the basic restrictions related to public exposure to radio frequency electromagnetic fields.

## 2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 50420, Basic standard for the calculation and measurement of human exposure to electromagnetic fields from stand alone broadcast transmitters (30 MHz – 40 GHz)

Council Recommendation 1999/519/EC of 12 July 1999 on the limitation of exposure of the general public to electromagnetic fields (0 Hz to 300 GHz) (Official Journal L 199 of 30 July 1999)

# 3 Physical quantities, units and constants

Physical quantities, units and constants are defined in EN 50420.

### 4 Definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

#### 4.1

#### basic restriction

restrictions on exposure to time-varying electric, magnetic, and electromagnetic fields that are based directly on established health effects. In the frequency range from 30 MHz to 10 GHz, the physical quantity used is the specific absorption rate. Between 10 GHz and 40 GHz, the physical quantity is the power density

# 4.2

#### broadcasting service

radiocommunication service in which the transmissions are intended for direct reception by the general public. This service may include sound transmissions, television transmissions or other types of transmission

#### 4.3

### compliance distance

minimum distance from the antenna where a point of investigation is deemed to be compliant. The set of compliance distances therefore defines the boundary outside which the exposure levels do not exceed the basic restrictions irrespective of the time of exposure. The distances are measured related to the nearest point of the antenna in each investigation direction

#### 4.4

#### conductivity $(\sigma)$

ratio of the conduction-current density in a medium to the electric field strength. Conductivity is expressed in units of siemens per metre (S/m)