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Calibration Laboratory for Electric Field, Magnetic Field and SAR Sensors and Dielectric Measurement Instrumentation

Calibration and Measurement Capability (CMC)

Measured Quantity / Instrument or Gauge	Measurement Range	Measurement Conditions	Best Measurement Uncertainty CMC at (22 ± 3) °C (1)	Remarks
Electric field				
Calibration of E-field probes	0.8 V/m ... 800 V/m	4 MHz ... 6 GHz	5,1 %	e.g. ER3DV6x, EF3DVx, EU2DVx, EE3DVx, EL3DVx
Calibration of E-field probes	10 V/m ... 2000 V/m	750 MHz ... 6 GHz 6 GHz ... 110 GHz	5,1 % 0,98 dB	e.g. EUmmWVx
Magnetic field				
Calibration of H-field probes	2 mA/m ... 2 A/m	4 MHz ... 3 GHz	5,1 %	e.g. H2DVx, H3DVx, HL3DVx
Calibration of sensitivity for magnetic field probes in the audio range	0,001 ... 0,1 V/(A/m)	1 kHz 0,1 ... 1 A/m	2,2 %	e.g. AM1DVx



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Calibration of magnetic field simulator Specific absorption rate (SAR)	-30 ... +40 dB A/m E* field (typical ²)	1 kHz	4,1 %	e.g. TMFS (Telephone Magnetic Field Simulator) e.g. ET3Dvx, ES3Dvx, EX3Dvx, ET1Dvx, EU2Dvx
Calibration of dosimetric E-field probes	0,5 V/m ... 500 V/m E* field (typical ²)	4 MHz ... 450 MHz	6,7 % (13,3 % for SAR)	Temperature transfer calibration *) As example, the indicated range corresponds to 0,2 mW/kg ... 200 W/kg for head tissue simulating liquid and f = 450 MHz e.g. ET3Dvx, ES3Dvx, EX3Dvx, ET1Dvx, EU2Dvx
Calibration of dosimetric E-field probes	0,45 V/m ... 450 V/m E* field (typical ²)	750 MHz ... 3 GHz	5,5 % (11 % for SAR)	Waveguide analytical calibration *) As example, the indicated range corresponds to 0,2 mW/kg ... 200 W/kg for head tissue simulating liquid and f = 1800 MHz e.g. EX3DVx, ET1DVx
 Calibration of temperature SAR probes	0,4 V/m ... 450 V/m 0 °C ... + 60 °C	3 GHz ... 6 GHz Tissue simulating Liquids	6,5 % (13,1 % for SAR) 0,15 K (5 % temperature gradient for SAR)	Waveguide analytical calibration *) As example, the indicated range corresponds to 0,2 mW/kg ... 200 W/kg for head tissue simulating liquid and f = 5200 MHz As example, the temperature gradient of T1Vx and T1V3LAB probes can be determined to 5 %, which is also contribution to SAR accuracy. (Noise is dominating the lower SAR threshold to typically 0,2 W/kg)



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Calibration of test system validation sources	SAR* 1 g and 10 g per 1 W input power	4 MHz ... 290 MHz	18,4 % for SAR 1 g 18,0 % for SAR 10 g	e.g. CLA-6, CLA-13, CLA-30, CLA-64, CLA-128, CLA-150, CLA-220
		300 MHz ... 450 MHz	18,1 % for SAR 1 g 17,6 % for SAR 10 g	e.g. D835V2 ... D3000V2 according to IEEE 1528, IEC 62209-1/2, for 1 g and 10 g SAR
		750 MHz ... 3 GHz	17,0 % for SAR 1 g 16,5 % for SAR 10 g	*) SAR given (as example) for head tissue simulating liquid
	SAR* 1 g and 10 g per 1 W input power	3 GHz ... 6 GHz	19,9 % for SAR 1 g 19,5 % for SAR 10 g	e.g. D3500V2 ... D5GHzV2 according to IEC 62209-2, for 1 g and 10 g SAR
				*) SAR given (as example) for head tissue simulating liquid
Near-Field Calibration of dipoles in air	E* field per 0,1 W input power 30 V/m ... 300 V/m	700 MHz ... 6 GHz	9,5 % for E field	e.g. CD835V3 ... CD5500V3 according to ANSI C 63.19, for E field and H field
	H* field per 0,1 W input power 0,07 A/m ... 0,7 A/m	385 MHz – 3 GHz	8,3 % for H field	e.g. AdxxxV5 according to ANSI 14117 for H-field
Calibration of Golden Validation Device	SAR* 1 g and 10 g per GVD input power	900 MHz	15,0 % for SAR 1 g 15,1 % for SAR 10 g	e.g. GVD – SR 004001 AA
DC Voltage				
Calibration of readout units for field and SAR probes	2 mV 200 mV		1,5 % 1 %	e.g. DAE3Vx, DAE4Vx, DAEasyVx
Calibration of SAR for planar array systems	SAR* peak at 4 mm depth per 1 W input power	650 MHz ... 3 GHz	25,8 % for iSAR Flat 29,3 % for iSAR Head	e.g. iSAR Flat, iSAR Head
	SAR* peak at 3 mm depth per 1 W input power	650 MHz ... 3 GHz	22,4 % for cSAR3D Flat 25,9 % for cSAR3D Left/Right Head	e.g., cSAR3D Flat, cSAR3D Left Head, cSAR3D Right Head
	SAR* peak at 3 mm depth per 1 W input power	3 GHz ... 6 GHz	25,1 % for cSAR3D Flat 28,3 % for cSAR3D Left/Right Head	e.g., cSAR3D Flat, cSAR3D Left Head, cSAR3D Right Head
				also possible in the Subsidiary



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Calibration of antenna sources for transfer calibration of planar array systems	SAR* peak per 1 W input power	650 MHz ... 3 GHz	17,7 % for SAR peak	e.g., SA AAE 083B, SA AAE 190 A, etc.
	SAR* peak per 1 W input power	3 GHz ... 6 GHz	19,9 % for SAR peak	
Calibration of thermometers	0 °C ... + 60 °C		0.1K	
Measurement capability of the dielectric probe	Permittivity, Conductivity or Loss Tangent from 4 MHz ... 67 GHz	homogeneous isotropic material		Open-ended coaxial probes, e.g. DAK-12, DAK-3.5, DAK-1.2 E
Permittivity	1...15	4 MHz ... 20 MHz 20 MHz ... 200 MHz 200 MHz ... 3 GHz 3 GHz ... 6 GHz 6 GHz ... 20 GHz 20 GHz ... 40 GHz 40 GHz ... 67 GHz 40 GHz ... 67 GHz	24,3 % 11,2 % 2,0 % 2,0 % 2,1 % 3,2 % 3,2 % 4,5 %	Loss tangent < 0,1 Conductivity: > 10 S/m
	10...40	4 MHz ... 10 MHz 10 MHz ... 50 MHz 50 MHz ... 200 MHz 200 MHz ... 3 GHz 3 GHz ... 6 GHz 6 GHz ... 20 GHz 20 GHz ... 40 GHz 40 GHz ... 67 GHz	6,4 % 3,8 % 1,8 % 1,8 % 2,3 % 3,7 % 4,8 % 6,4 %	Conductivity < 0,1 S/m Conductivity < 0,1 S/m Conductivity: 0,1 – 10 S/m Conductivity: 0,1 – 10 S/m Conductivity: 1 – 10 S/m Conductivity: > 10 S/m Conductivity: > 10 S/m Conductivity: > 10 S/m
	35...100	4 MHz ... 10 MHz 10 MHz ... 50 MHz 50 MHz ... 200 MHz 200 MHz ... 3 GHz 3 GHz ... 6 GHz 6 GHz ... 20 GHz	6,7 % 2,9 % 2,2 % 1,7 % 1,9 % 2,4 %	Conductivity: 0,1 – 1 S/m Conductivity: 0,1 – 1 S/m Conductivity: 1 – 10 S/m Conductivity: 1 – 10 S/m Conductivity: > 10 S/m



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Measured Quantity / Instrument or Gauge	Measurement Range	Measurement Conditions	Best Measurement Uncertainty CMC at (22 ± 3) °C (1)	Remarks
Conductivity	1 ... 10 S/m	4 MHz ... 10 MHz 10 MHz ... 50 MHz 50 MHz ... 200 MHz 200 MHz ... 3 GHz 3 GHz ... 6 GHz 6 GHz ... 20 GHz 20 GHz ... 40 GHz 40 GHz ... 67 GHz	3,1 % 2,9 % 2,5 % 3,2 % 3,0 % 3,0 % 3,8 % 4,7 %	Permittivity: 35 – 100 Permittivity: 10 – 40 Permittivity: 10 – 40 Permittivity: 1 – 15
Loss Tangent	0 ... 0,1	4 MHz ... 20 MHz 20 MHz ... 200 MHz 200 MHz ... 3 GHz 3 GHz ... 6 GHz 6 GHz ... 20 GHz 20 GHz ... 40 GHz 40 GHz ... 67 GHz	0,46 0,28 0,03 0,03 0,03 0,03 0,03	Permittivity: 1 – 15
Measurement capability of the dielectric probe for liquids and gels	Permittivity and Conductivity from 4 MHz ... 67GHz	homogeneous isotropic material		Open-ended coaxial probes, e.g. DAK-12, DAK-3.5, DAK-1.2 E
Permittivity	1...100	4 MHz ... 10 MHz 10 MHz ... 20 MHz 20 MHz ... 30 MHz 30 MHz ... 50 MHz 50 MHz ... 5 GHz 5 GHz ... 20 GHz	6,4 % 3,8 % 2,3 % 1,9 % 2,2 % 3,7 %	static conductivity < 0,1 S/m
	1...100	4 MHz ... 10 MHz 10 MHz ... 20 MHz 20 MHz ... 30 MHz 30 MHz ... 50 MHz 50 MHz ... 5 GHz 5 GHz ... 20 GHz 20 GHz ... 40 GHz 40 GHz ... 67 GHz	6,8 % 3,2 % 3,3 % 3,3 % 3,1 % 3,9 % 5,0 % 6,5 %	static conductivity 0,1 – 10 S/m
Conductivity	0.01 ... 0,1 S/m	300 MHz ... 500 MHz 500 MHz ... 5 GHz 5 GHz ... 20 GHz	7,5 % 4,4 % 5,4 %	Permittivity: 1 – 100



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Conductivity	0,1 – 10 S/m				Permittivity: 1 – 100
		4 MHz ... 10 MHz	3,9 %		
		10 MHz ... 20 MHz	3,9 %		
		20 MHz ... 30 MHz	3,8 %		
		30 MHz ... 50 MHz	3,4 %		
		50 MHz ... 5 GHz	4,8 %		
		5 GHz ... 20 GHz	4,8 %		
		20 GHz ... 40 GHz	4,8 %		
		40 GHz ... 67 GHz	4,9 %		
Capability of the dielectric probe to measure thin layers of solids and liquids in small volume	Permittivity, Conductivity or Loss Tangent from 4 MHz ... 67 GHz	Homogeneous isotropic material	Permittivity	Loss tangent	Open-ended coaxial probes, e.g. DAK-TL-12, DAKTL-3.5, DAKTL-1.2 E
Permittivity Loss tangent	1< Permittivity<10 Loss tangent< 0,05	4 MHz ... 20 MHz 20 MHz ... 30 MHz 30 MHz ... 50 MHz 50 MHz ... 100 MHz 100 MHz ... 600 MHz 600 MHz ... 3 GHz 3 GHz ... 6 GHz 6 GHz ... 20 GHz 20 GHz ... 40 GHz 40 GHz ... 67 GHz	---	---	0.1 <thickness <0.2 mm
		4 MHz ... 20 MHz 20 MHz ... 30 MHz 30 MHz ... 50 MHz 50 MHz ... 100 MHz 100 MHz ... 600 MHz 600 MHz ... 3 GHz 3 GHz ... 6 GHz 6 GHz ... 20 GHz 20 GHz ... 40 GHz 40 GHz ... 67 GHz	32,6 % 29,5 % 12,6 % 10,0 % 9,1 % 4,5 %	0.06 0.03 0.03 0.03 0.03	
		4 MHz ... 20 MHz 20 MHz ... 30 MHz 30 MHz ... 50 MHz 50 MHz ... 100 MHz 100 MHz ... 600 MHz 600 MHz ... 3 GHz 3 GHz ... 6 GHz 6 GHz ... 20 GHz 20 GHz ... 40 GHz 40 GHz ... 67 GHz	34,6 % 27,0 % 25,6 % 20,7 % 9,1 % 6,5 % 3,7 % 3,3 % 3,9 % 3,5 %	0.45 0.27 0.17 0.10 0.06 0.03 0.03 0.03 0.03	0.2<thickness<1 mm
		4 MHz ... 20 MHz 20 MHz ... 30 MHz 30 MHz ... 50 MHz 50 MHz ... 100 MHz 100 MHz ... 600 MHz 600 MHz ... 3 GHz 3 GHz ... 6 GHz 6 GHz ... 20 GHz 20 GHz ... 40 GHz 40 GHz ... 67 GHz	24,3 % 11,2 % 7,1% 4,7 % 2,7 % 2,1 % 2,0 % 2,2 % 3,9 % 3,2 %	0.45 0.27 0.17 0.10 0.06 0.03 0.03 0.03 0.03	1 <thickness<10 mm



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1< Permittivity<10 Loss tangent.> 0,05	4 MHz ... 20 MHz	---	---	---	0.1 <thickness <0.2 mm
	20 MHz ... 30 MHz	---	---	---	
	30 MHz ... 50 MHz	---	---	---	
	50 MHz ... 100 MHz	---	---	---	
	100 MHz ... 600 MHz	18,6 %	0.06	---	
	600 MHz ... 3 GHz	24,6 %	0.03	---	
	3 GHz ... 6 GHz	14,7 %	0.03	---	
	6 GHz ... 20 GHz	8,3 %	0.03	---	
	20 GHz ... 40 GHz	10,4 %	0.03	---	
	40 GHz ... 67 GHz	4,7 %	0.05	---	
1< Permittivity<10 Loss tangent.> 0,05	4 MHz ... 20 MHz	---	---	---	0.2<thickness<1 mm
	20 MHz ... 30 MHz	---	---	---	
	30 MHz ... 50 MHz	---	---	---	
	50 MHz ... 100 MHz	---	---	---	
	100 MHz ... 600 MHz	29,8 %	0.06	---	
	600 MHz ... 3 GHz	19,5 %	0.03	---	
	3 GHz ... 6 GHz	8,0 %	0.03	---	
	6 GHz ... 20 GHz	4,1 %	0.03	---	
	20 GHz ... 40 GHz	4,3 %	0.03	---	
	40 GHz ... 67 GHz	3,8 %	0.03	---	
1< Permittivity<10 Loss tangent.> 0,05	4 MHz ... 20 MHz	24,3 %	0.45	---	1 <thickness<10 mm
	20 MHz ... 30 MHz	11,2 %	0.27	---	
	30 MHz ... 50 MHz	7,1%	0.17	---	
	50 MHz ... 100 MHz	4,7 %	0.10	---	
	100 MHz ... 600 MHz	2,6 %	0.06	---	
	600 MHz ... 3 GHz	2,0 %	0.03	---	
	3 GHz ... 6 GHz	1,9 %	0.03	---	
	6 GHz ... 20 GHz	2,0 %	0.03	---	
	20 GHz ... 40 GHz	3,2 %	0.03	---	
	40 GHz ... 67 GHz	3,1 %	0.03	---	
Permittivity>10 Loss tangent< 0,05	4 MHz ... 20 MHz	28,4 %	0.45	---	0.1 <thickness <0.2 mm
	20 MHz ... 30 MHz	18,5 %	0.27	---	
	30 MHz ... 50 MHz	12,6 %	0.17	---	
	50 MHz ... 100 MHz	8,6 %	0.10	---	
	100 MHz ... 600 MHz	5,7 %	0.06	---	
	600 MHz ... 3 GHz	5,7 %	0.03	---	
	3 GHz ... 6 GHz	5,7 %	0.03	---	
	6 GHz ... 20 GHz	4,1 %	0.03	---	
	20 GHz ... 40 GHz	4,6 %	0.03	---	
	40 GHz ... 67 GHz	6,2 %	0.03	---	
Permittivity>10 Loss tangent< 0,05	4 MHz ... 20 MHz	24,7 %	0.45	---	0.2<thickness<1 mm
	20 MHz ... 30 MHz	12,1 %	0.27	---	
	30 MHz ... 50 MHz	8,5 %	0.17	---	
	50 MHz ... 100 MHz	6,6 %	0.10	---	
	100 MHz ... 600 MHz	3,7 %	0.06	---	
	600 MHz ... 3 GHz	4,0 %	0.03	---	
	3 GHz ... 6 GHz	3,0 %	0.03	---	
	6 GHz ... 20 GHz	3,5 %	0.03	---	
	20 GHz ... 40 GHz	3,8 %	0.03	---	
	40 GHz ... 67 GHz	3,9 %	0.03	---	



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	Permittivity>10 Loss tangent< 0,05	4 MHz ... 20 MHz 20 MHz ... 30 MHz 30 MHz ... 50 MHz 50 MHz ... 100 MHz 100 MHz ... 600 MHz 600 MHz ... 3 GHz 3 GHz ... 6 GHz 6 GHz ... 20 GHz 20 GHz ... 40 GHz 40 GHz ... 67 GHz	24,3 % 11,2 % 7,1% 4,7 % 2,6 % 1,9 % 1,9 % 2,0 % 4,5 % 3,6 %	0.45 0.27 0.17 0.10 0.06 0.03 0.03 0.03 0.03 0.03	1 <thickness<10 mm
	Permittivity>10 Loss tangent> 0,05	4 MHz ... 20 MHz 20 MHz ... 30 MHz 30 MHz ... 50 MHz 50 MHz ... 100 MHz 100 MHz ... 600 MHz 600 MHz ... 3 GHz 3 GHz ... 6 GHz 6 GHz ... 20 GHz 20 GHz ... 40 GHz 40 GHz ... 67 GHz	20,9 % 20,4 % 15,3 % 11,2 % 7,9 % 7,2 % 5,3 % 4,2 % 6,4 % 8,9 %	0.35 0.35 0.35 0.25 0.11 0.02 0.03 0.05 0.06 0.14	0.1 <thickness <0.2 mm
	Permittivity>10 Loss tangent> 0,05	4 MHz ... 20 MHz 20 MHz ... 30 MHz 30 MHz ... 50 MHz 50 MHz ... 100 MHz 100 MHz ... 600 MHz 600 MHz ... 3 GHz 3 GHz ... 6 GHz 6 GHz ... 20 GHz 20 GHz ... 40 GHz 40 GHz ... 67 GHz	7,6 % 6,1 % 6,1 % 6,0 % 4,8 % 5,4 % 3,5 % 3,8 % 5,2 % 6,0 %	0.35 0.35 0.35 0.25 0.11 0.02 0.03 0.05 0.06 0.08	0.2<thickness<1 mm
	Permittivity>10 Loss tangent> 0,05	4 MHz ... 20 MHz 20 MHz ... 30 MHz 30 MHz ... 50 MHz 50 MHz ... 100 MHz 100 MHz ... 600 MHz 600 MHz ... 3 GHz 3 GHz ... 6 GHz 6 GHz ... 20 GHz 20 GHz ... 40 GHz 40 GHz ... 67 GHz	5,2 % 2,6 % 2,6 % 2,5 % 2,5 % 2,8 % 2,8 % 3,6 % 3,3 % 4,5 %	0.35 0.35 0.35 0.25 0.11 0.02 0.03 0.05 0.06 0.08	1 <thickness<10 mm
			Permittivity	Conductivity	



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Permittivity Conductivity	Permittivity >10 Conductivity> 0,5 S/m	4 MHz ... 20 MHz 20 MHz ... 30 MHz 30 MHz ... 50 MHz 50 MHz ... 100 MHz 100 MHz ... 600 MHz 600 MHz ... 3 GHz 3 GHz ... 6 GHz 6 GHz ... 20 GHz 20 GHz ... 40 GHz 40 GHz ... 67 GHz	6.4 % 4.3 % 4.0 % 2,5 % 2,9 % 2,8 % 2,8 % 3,6 % 3,9 % 5,1 %	3.9 % 3.4 % 3.4 % 3.4 % 3.4 % 5,8 % 4,0 % 4,0 % 4,1 % 5,0 %	1 <thickness<10 mm
Calibration of active electro-optical E&H-field probes optimized for close near-field evaluations in air	15 mV/m ... 75 V/m 42 µA/m ... 0.5 A/m	50 MHz ... 6000 MHz 50 MHz ... 6000 MHz	3,3 dB 3,3 dB		for antenna factor (E-field) for antenna factor (H-field)
Calibration of active electro-optical RF over fiber systems	Gain: -55 ... 15dB	10 MHz ... 10 GHz	2,0 dB		For transfer function (gain)
Calibration of stabilized RF power sources	- 5 dBm ... + 17 dBm	600 MHz ... 6 GHz	0,43 dB		e.g. Powersource1
Calibration Procedure for sources in air above 6 GHz	10 V/m ...2000 V/m	10 GHz... 110 GHz	1,27 dB 1,47 dB 1,54 dB		e.g. verification source e.g. validation source e.g. general source
Calibration Procedure for sources in air above 6 GHz, for H and averaged S	25 mA/m ... 2,5 A/m 2.5 W/m2...2,5 kW/m2	10 GHz... 110 GHz	1,28 dB 1,63 dB 1,70 dB		e.g. verification source e.g. validation source e.g. general source

(2) Slightly depending on the frequency and probe type.

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