# RF Power Density Measurements of Various Wireless Sources

The large numerical readings on the following pages are instantaneous readings of power density measurements of RF radiation in the frequency range 100MHz to 8 GHz.

Peak levels are usually higher than the large numerical readings on the screen. The readings should only be used as an indication of the order of magnitude of the RF power density levels

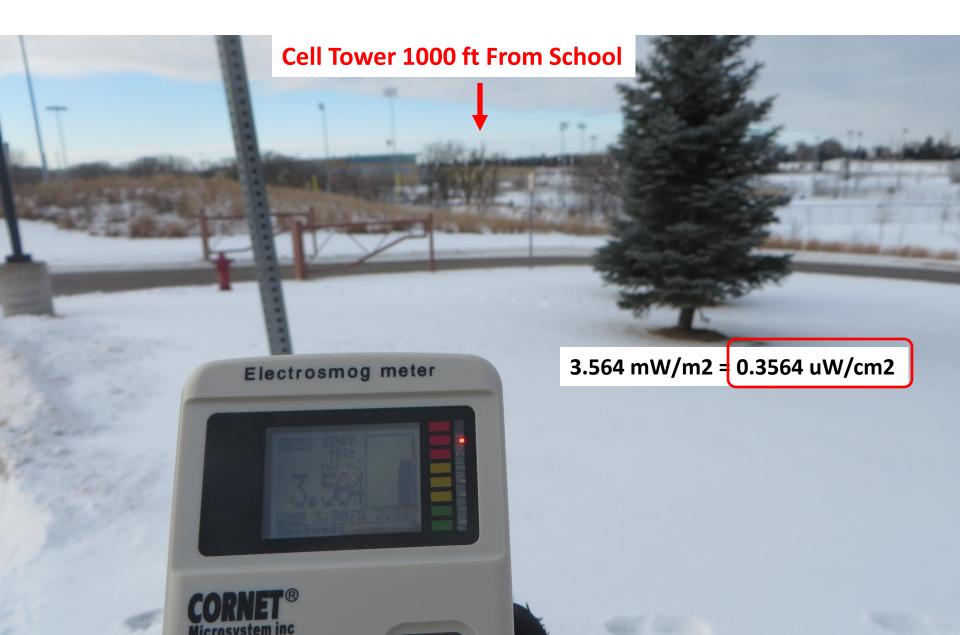
#### RF Radiation from Cell Towers Next to Schools

School "W", upstairs Bldg B 2.409mW/m2 = 0.2409uW/cm2 School "S", next to field 4.384mW/m2 = 0.4384uW/cm2





#### **RF Radiation from Cell Towers Next to Schools**



## RF Radiation at School w/ No Cell Towers

0.0034 mW/m2 = 0.00034 uW/cm2



The ambient environment of a School Without Cell Towers Closeby is ~ 1000 X lower in RF Radiation levels than a School With a Cell tower Closeby (3.564/0.0034 = ~1000)

## **RF Radiation Outside**



## **High RF Radiation Levels Inside Plane**





6.79 mW/m2 = 0.679 uW/cm2

0.4285 mW/m2 = 0.04285 uW/cm2

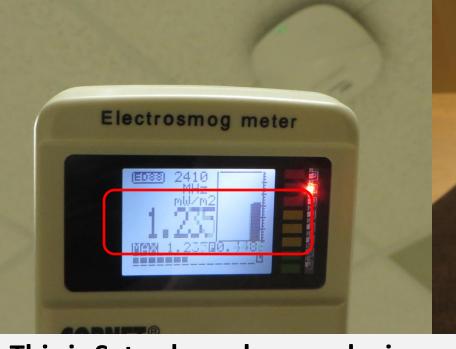
Sun Country Airlines Does Not Provide inflight Wi-Fi.

The RF radiation is from cell phones, ipads, laptops used by surrounding passengers. These radiation levels are comparable to what is emitted from a cell tower or in a school classroom when cell phones, ipads, laptops are using Wi-Fi in the room.

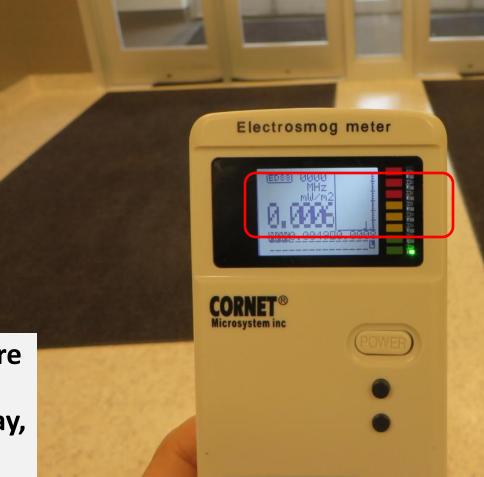
# Distance - A Huge Factor in Radiation Exposure At School

Radiation Highest Under Wi-Fi Access Point

Radiation over 1000X lower in hallway at least 30 ft from Wi-Fi Access Point



This is Saturday, when no devices are connected to Wi-Fi. When devices are connected to Wi-Fi on school day, it is even higher



### **School Wi-Fi Access Point**



This was a Saturday, not a school day, and no one was using this Wi-Fi router.

This is the RF radiation level that a person's head would be exposed to if he were standing under a Wi-Fi router even if no one was using Wi-Fi.

If this was an actual school day with students connected to the Wi-Fi router, RF radiation levels would be much higher.

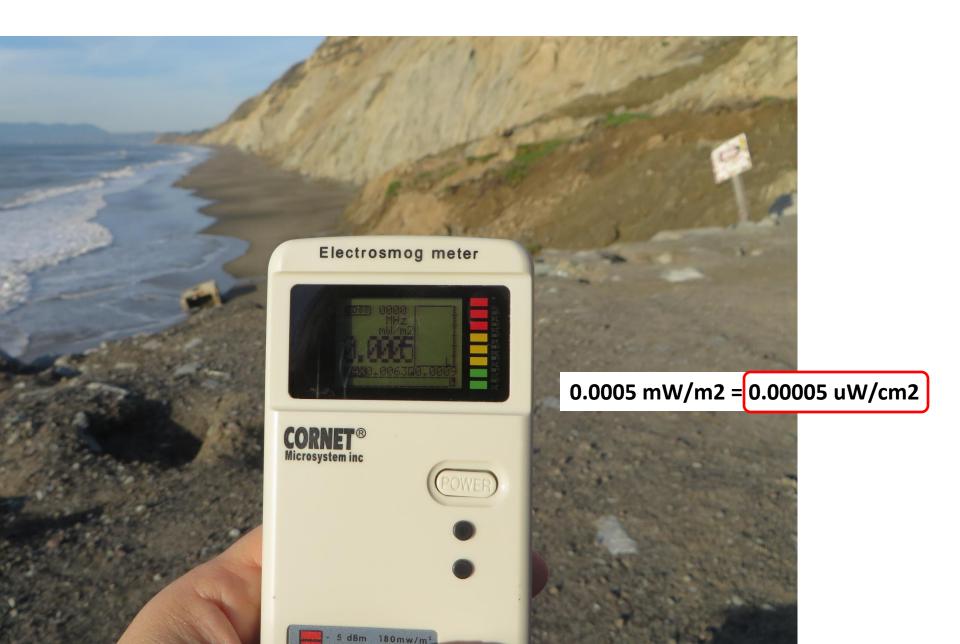
## In a School Gym with Wi-Fi, Cell Phones



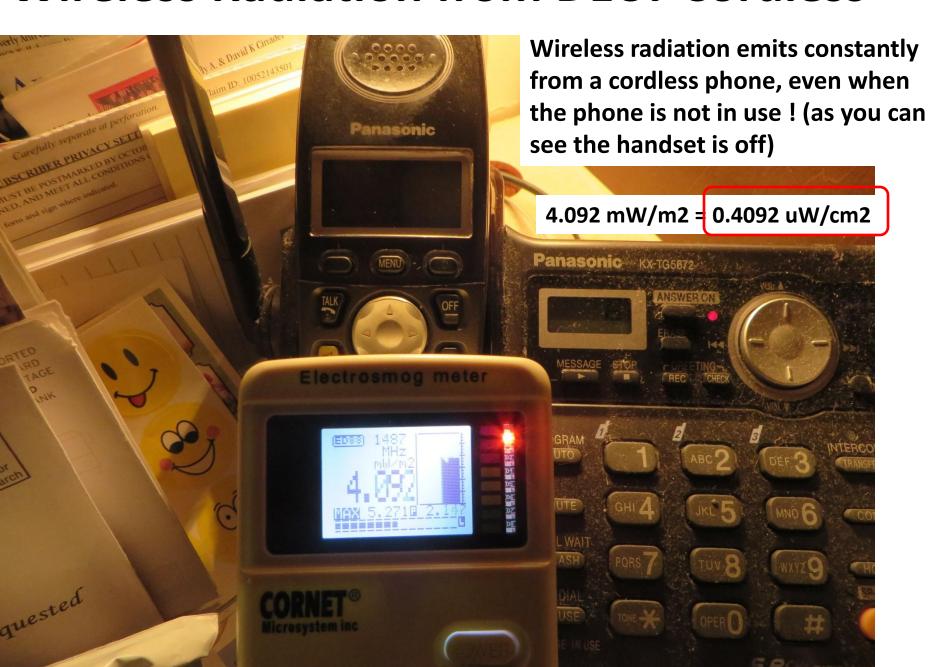
This school gym has a Wi-Fi access point.

There were about 30 adults and 20 students in the gym for a basketball game (Most carried cell phones. Some were using cell phones during the game)

## **Low Wireless Radiation Levels at Beach**



### **Wireless Radiation from DECT Cordless**



## **Laptop Radiation – Wi-fi On vs.Off**

Wi-Fi Turned Off on laptop

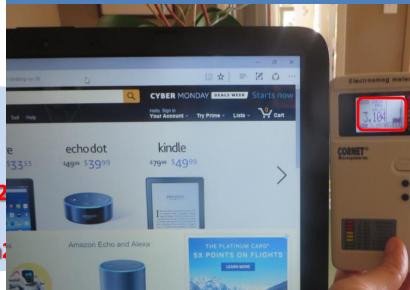
Wi-Fi ON, no webpage open



When Wi-fi OFF, RF radiation is at lowest,
0.0010 mW/m2 = 0.0001uW/cm2 (ambient level)
When Wi-fi ON, even though not using internet,
RF 1000X+ higher at 1.786 mW/m2 = 0.1786uW/cm2
When Wi-fi ON AND using internet,
RF 3000X+ higher at 3.104 mW/m2 = 0.3104uW/cm2



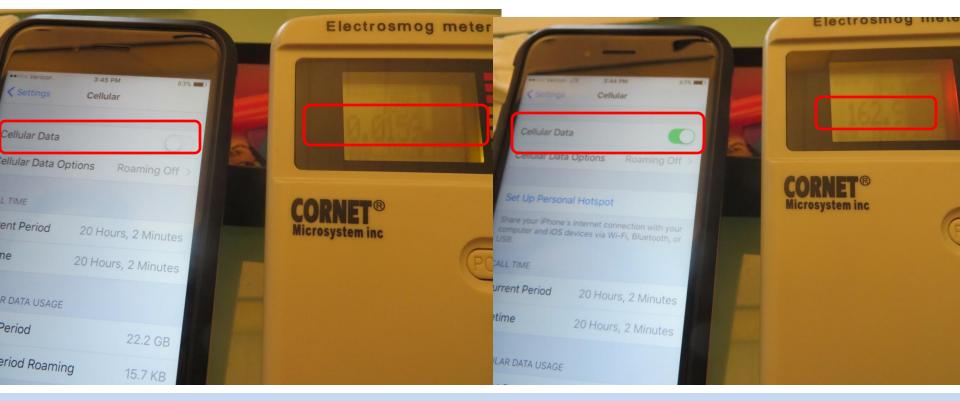
Wi-Fi On, webpage open on Amazon



## iphone Radiation – LTE On vs.Off

LTE Antenna off

LTE cellular data ON



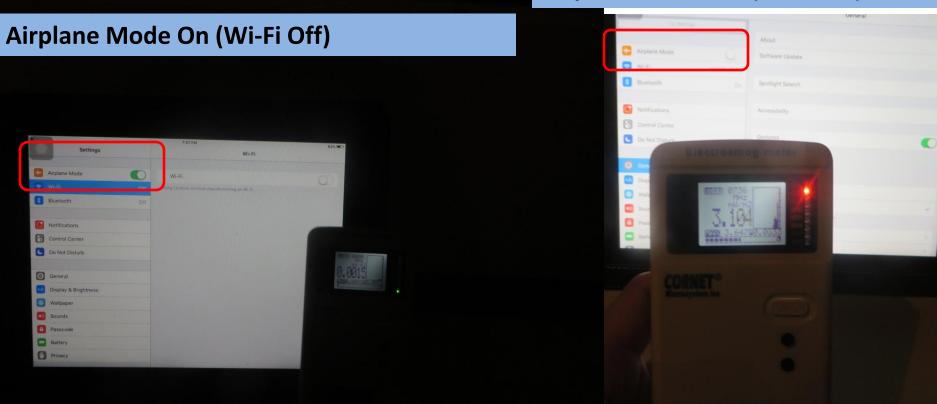
When LTE antenna is OFF, RF radiation at 0.0159 mW/m2 = 0.00159uW/cm2 When LTE is ON, RF radiation at 10,000X+ higher at 162.9 mw/m2 = 16.29uW/cm2

Carrying phone on your body, holding it to your head, holding it in your hand connected to LTE exposes you to high levels of RF radiation

Turn off LTE antenna when not using internet or airplane mode (shuts off all antennas)

## ipad Radiation - Wi-fi On vs.Off

Airplane Mode off (Wi-Fi On)



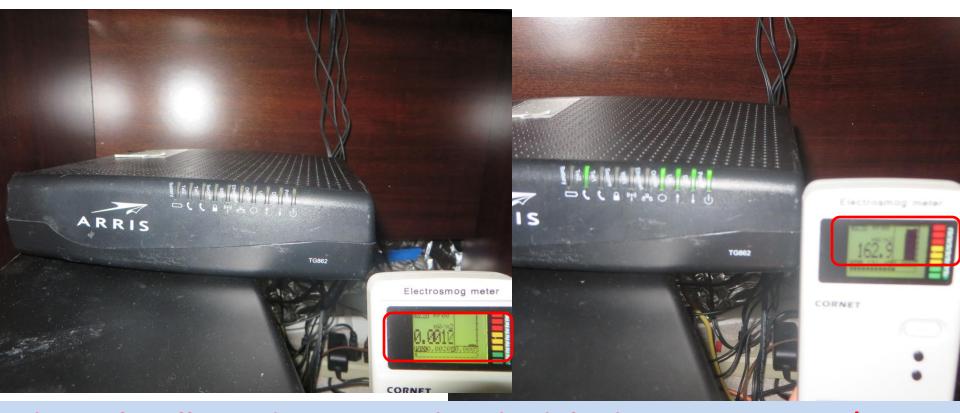
When Airplane Mode ON (Wi-fi off), RF radiation is at ambient levels, 0.0015 mW/m2. When Airplane Mode OFF (Wi-fi on), RF over 2000X higher at 3.104 mW/m2 = 0.3104uW/cm2.

To reduce your radiation exposure, don't hold ipad on your lap or in your hands. Use it on a stand at a table.

#### **Home Wi-Fi Router**

Wi-Fi OFF – 0.0015mW/m2 (ambient level)

Wi-Fi ON - 162.9 mW/m2



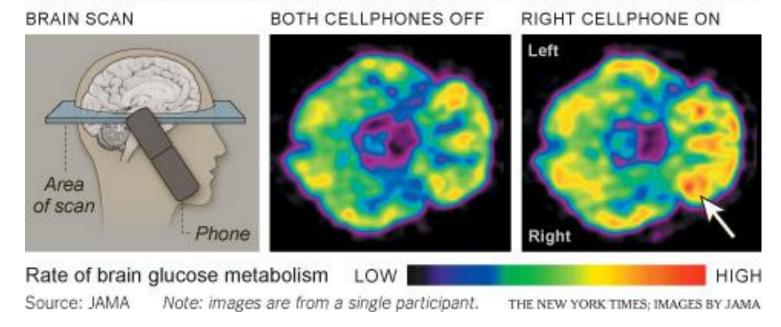
When wi-fi is off, RF radiation is at ambient levels for the room, 0.0010 mW/m2. When wi-fi is on, RF over 10,000X higher at 162.9 mW/m2 = 16.29 uW/cm2.

Sitting close to a wi-fi router exposes your body to high levels of RF radiation. Turn off wi-fi when not in use, and before going to bed at night.

#### **Cell Phone Radiation Affects Brain**

A 2011 U.S. study published in the Journal of the American Medical Association (JAMA) demonstrated that just 50 minutes of cell phone exposure increased brain glucose metabolism in the areas of the brain closest to the antenna. According Dr. Volkow, Director of the National Institute on Drug Abuse, part of the NIH, the study showed that the human brain is sensitive to cell phone radiation . <a href="http://jama.jamanetwork.com/article.aspx?articleid=645813">http://jama.jamanetwork.com/article.aspx?articleid=645813</a>

cellphone at each ear. Both phones were off in one test, and in the other test the right phone was on a muted call. After 50 minutes, brain scans showed increased consumption of glucose, or sugar, in areas of the brain near the activated phone.

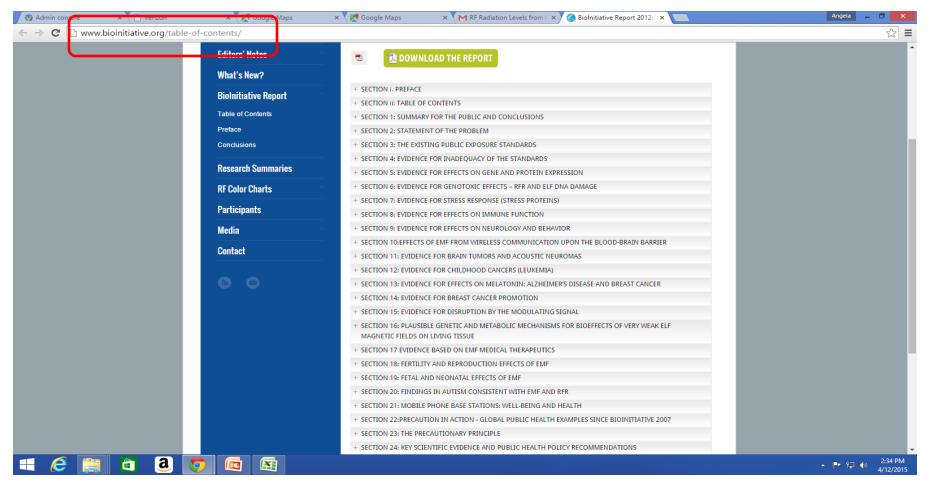


#### What are the health effects at these RF levels?

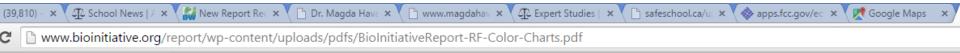
See the 2012 Bioinitiative Report ... (Note: Table lists RF readings in uW/cm2)

## **2012 Bioinitiative Report**

- Compendium by 29 int'l scientists/doctors 21 PhD's, 10 MD's
- 3800 peer-reviewed, published studies on bioeffects from RF radiatio
- EU Parliament used 2007 version to set limits



# **2012 Bioinitiative Report**



#### Reported Biological Effects from Radiofrequency Radiation at Low-Intensity Exposure (Cell Tower, Wi-Fi, Wireless Laptop and 'Smart' Meter RF Intensities)

Power Density (Microwatts/centimeter2 - uW/cm2)		Reference
As low as (10 <sup>-13</sup> ) or 100 femtowatts/cm2	Super-low intensity RFR effects at MW reasonant frequencies resulted in changes in genes; problems with chromatin conformation (DNA)	Belyaev, 1997
5 picowatts/cm2 (10- 12)	Changed growth rates in yeast cells	Grundler, 1992
0.1 nanowatt/cm2 (10- <sup>10</sup> ) or 100 picowatts/cm2	Super-low intensity RFR effects at MW reasonant frequencies resulted in changes in genes; problems with chromatin condensation (DNA) intensities comparable to base stations	Belyaev, 1997
0.00034 uW/cm2	Chronic exposure to mobile phone pulsed RF significantly reduced sperm count,	Behari, 2006
0.0005 uW/cm2	RFR decreased cell proliferation at 960 MHz GSM 217 Hz for 30-min exposure	Velizarov, 1999
0.0006 - 0.0128 uW/cm2	Fatigue, depressive tendency, sleeping disorders, concentration difficulties, cardio- vascular problems reported with exposure to GSM 900/1800 MHz cell phone signal at base station level exposures.	Oberfeld, 2004
0.003 - 0.02 uW/cm2	In children and adolescents (8-17 yrs) short-term exposure caused headache, irritation, concentration difficulties in school.	Heinrich, 2010
0.003 to 0.05 uW/cm2	In children and adolescents (8-17 yrs) short-term exposure caused conduct problems in school (behavioral problems)	Thomas, 2010
0.005 uW/cm2	In adults (30-60 yrs) chronic exposure caused sleep disturbances, (but not significantly increased across the entire population)	Mohler, 2010
0.005 - 0.04 uW/cm2	Adults exposed to short-term cell phone radiation reported headaches, concentration difficulties (differences not significant, but elevated)	Thomas, 2008
0.006 - 0.01 uW/cm2	Chronic exposure to base station RF (whole-body) in humans showed increased stress hormones; dopamine levels substantially decreased; higher levels of adrenaline and nor-adrenaline; dose-response seen; produced chronic physiological stress in cells even after 1.5 years.	Buchner, 2012
0.01 - 0.11 uW/cm2	RFR from cell towers caused fatigue, headaches, sleeping problems	Navarro, 2003

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0.01 - 0.05 uW/cm2	Adults (18-91 yrs) with short-term exposure to GSM cell phone radiation reported headache, neurological problems, sleep and concentration problems.	Hutter, 2006
0.005 - 0.04 uW/cm2	Adults exposed to short-term cell phone radiation reported headaches, concentration difficulties (differences not significant, but elevated)	Thomas, 2008
0.015 - 0.21 uW/cm2	Adults exposed to short-term GSM 900 radiation reported changes in mental state (e.g., calmness) but limitations of study on language descriptors prevented refined word choices (stupified, zoned-out)	Augner, 2009
0.05 - 0.1 uW/cm2	RFR linked to adverse neurological, cardio symptoms and cancer risk	Khurana, 2010
0.05 - 0.1 uW/cm2	RFR related to headache, concentration and sleeping problems, fatigue	Kundi, 2009
0.07 - 0.1 uW/cm2	Sperm head abnormalities in mice exposed for 6-months to base station level RF/MW. Sperm head abnormalities occurred in 39% to 46% exposed mice (only 2% in controls) abnormalities was also found to be dose dependent. The implications of the pin-head and banana-shaped sperm head. The occurrence of sperm head observed increase occurrence of sperm head abnormalities on the reproductive health of humans living in close proximity to GSM base stations were discussed.	Otitoloju, 2010
0.38 uW/cm2	RFR affected calcium metabolism in heart cells	Schwartz, 1990
0.8 - 10 uW/cm2	RFR caused emotional behavior changes, free-radical damage by super-weak MWs	Akoev, 2002
0.13 uW/cm2	RFR from 3G cell towers decreased cognition, well-being	Zwamborn, 2003
0.16 uW/cm2	Motor function, memory and attention of school children affected (Latvia)	Kolodynski, 1996
0.168 - 1.053 uW/cm2	Irreversible infertility in mice after 5 generations of exposure to RFR from an 'antenna park'	Magras & Zenos, 1997
0.2 - 8 uW/cm2	RFR caused two-fold increase in leukemia in children	Hocking, 1996
0.2 - 8 uW/cm2	RFR decreased survival in children with leukemia	Hocking, 2000
0.21 - 1.28 uW/cm2	Adolescents and adults exposed only 45 min to UMTS cell phone radiation reported increases In headaches.	Riddervold, 2008