# Summary of PEMF and EMF testing of MediCrystal Bio-Magnetic Amethyst Tourmaline V-mats

MediCrystal Bio-Magnetic Amethyst Tourmaline V-Mats feature Pulsed Electromagnetic Fields System. The PEMF function allows to adjust frequencies manually with a dial in the range between 1 and 30 Hz, with the 1 Hz increment. Also, you can select 1 of 13 programs of different length from 1 to 12 hours automatically changing frequencies as per set algorithms.

The mini mat has three PEMF coils, midsize mat comes with six coils, professional one with eight coils, and the single-size mat has ten PEMF coils positioned across two parallel lines extending from the feet zone to the logo area of the mat.

### PEMF for different frequencies over two coils

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MediCrystal Bio-Magnetic Amethyst Tourmaline V-Mat 72"x24".

Mat settings: PEMF On, Heat Off

Controller: H-60VA, 50 Gauss pulses at 1-30Hz (variable)

Magnetometer: EMF Tester PCE-EMF823. Although the quoted range is 30-300 Hz, a careful independent comparison indicated the PCE-EMF823 was accurate down to at least 8Hz.

Magnetometer was laid horizontally on mat to reduce effect of uneven surface, sensor was 5/8" (1.6 cm) above mat surface.\* Distance from PEMF coil to mat surface is unknown.

#### PEMF for different frequency settings at two coils\*

| PEMF Frequency` | Meter reading |
|-----------------|---------------|
| (Hz)            | (mGauss)      |
| 30              | 5188          |
| 25              | 5238          |
| 20              | 5173          |
| 15              | 4960          |
| 10              | 5020          |
| 6               | 4973          |
| 4               | 4845          |
| 2               | 4788          |
| 1               | 4740          |

\*Meter was placed over two coils located at 53.5" from top of mat and 7.25 inches or 16 from the side of the mat that included the power plug. Combined average of the measurements are presented.

**Observations:** 

- 1. Measured values varied little while the frequency changed over a factor of 30.
- 2. Measured values were 9.5-10.3 % of the 50 Gauss rated intensity.

# Profile of PEMF over two lines of coils along length of mat

MediCrystal Bio-Magnetic Amethyst Tourmaline V-Mat 72"x24".

Mat settings: PEMF On, Heat Off

Controller: H-60VA, 50 Gauss pulses at 30Hz

Magnetometer: PCE-EMF823. Range used: 0 - 20000 mGauss

Magnetometer was laid horizontally on mat to reduce effect of uneven surface, sensor was 5/8" above mat surface. Measurements over the peaks were also made with the meter held vertically with sensor directly against the mat surface.

# <u>PEMF measurements made over two lines of coils along length of mat, distances</u> <u>measured from top edge of heated area</u>

|                   | Line 1*        |             | Line 2*        |             |
|-------------------|----------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|
| Meter position    | 5/8" above mat | Mat surface | 5/8" above mat | Mat surface |
| Distance from top | PEMF level     |             | PEMF level     |             |
| (inch)            | (mGauss)       |             | (mGauss)       |             |
| 10                | 140            |             | 150            |             |
| 13.5              | 515            |             | 615            |             |
| 17.5**            | 5990           | 6365        | 5575           | 6875        |
| 22                | 825            |             | 865            |             |
| 26.5              | 225            |             | 230            |             |
| 31                | 470            |             | 535            |             |
| 35.5**            | 5030           | 6230        | 5375           | 5795        |
| 40                | 760            |             | 775            |             |
| 44.5              | 15             |             | 225            |             |
| 49                | 345            |             | 415            |             |
| 53.5**            | 4880           | 5790        | 5450           | 6210        |
| 58                | 535            |             | 430            |             |
| 62.5              | 90             |             | 55             |             |

\*Line 1: 7.25" from power plug side of mat; Line 2 at 16"

\*\* Denotes PEMF peaks, presumably over PEMF coils, evenly spaced along Line 1 or Line 2 Observations:

- 1. Measurements over coils on mat surface was 5.8-6.9 Gauss (~12% of rated 50 Gauss coils).
- 2. PEMF intensity dropped roughly 89% from the peak value within 4.5" along the mat length.

3. Horizontal placement of meter resulted in roughly 87% of intensity value at mat surface.

### PEMF at Bottom Surface over 6 Coils

MediCrystal Bio-Magnetic Amethyst Tourmaline V-Mat 72"x24".

Mat settings: PEMF On, Heat Off

Controller: H-60VA, 50 Gauss pulses at 30Hz

Magnetometer: PCE-EMF823. Range used: 0 - 20000 mGauss

Magnetometer was placed vertically with sensor directly against the mat surface.

| Meter p                         | osition                              | Bottom surface | Top surface |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------|-------------|
| Distance from<br>top end of mat | Distance from power plug side of mat | PEMF level     | PEMF level  |
| (inch)                          |                                      | (mGauss)       | (mGauss)    |
| 17.5                            | 7.25                                 | 9740           | 6365        |
| u                               | 16                                   | 8710           | 6875        |
| 35.5                            | 7.25                                 | 9310           | 6230        |
| u                               | 16                                   | 8488           | 5795        |
| 53.5                            | 7.25                                 | 8320           | 5790        |
| "                               | 16                                   | 8825           | 6210        |

#### PEMF measurements on Bottom and Top Surface of 6 coils\*

\*Coil positions determined in previous experiments.

#### Observations

- 1. Measurements over coils on bottom mat surface was 8.3-9.7 Gauss (~18% of rated 50 Gauss coils).
- 2. PEMF intensity on the bottom surface of the mat was ~43% higher than that on the top. surface.
- 3. The differences found here confirm that the coils are nearer the bottom surface of the mat and further indicate that that surface is permeable to PEMF.
- 4. To get the PEMF of maximum intensity you can use the mat without heating with the bottom surface of the mat on your body, or laying on the bottom surface with crystals side to the floor or bed.

## Profile of PEMF across mat, perpendicular to length

MediCrystal Bio-Magnetic Amethyst Tourmaline V-Mat 72"x24".

Mat settings: PEMF On, Heat Off

Controller: H-60VA, 50 Gauss pulses at 30Hz

Magnetometer: PCE-EMF823. Range used: 0 - 20000 mGauss

Magnetometer was laid horizontally on mat to reduce effect of uneven surface, sensor was 5/8" above mat surface.

#### PEMF measurements made along line parallel to crystal tubes

| Distance from top of mat | Distance from power plug side of mat* |       |       |      |      |
|--------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------|-------|------|------|
|                          | 4.25                                  | 7.25* | 12    | 16*  | 19   |
|                          |                                       |       | PEMF  |      |      |
| (inches)                 |                                       |       | (mGau | iss) |      |
| 17.5                     | 920                                   | 5990  | 1160  | 5575 | 2300 |
| 35.5                     | 855                                   | 5030  | 1225  | 5375 | 2540 |
| 53.5                     | 915                                   | 4880  | 2465  | 5450 | 3095 |

\* measurements associated with apparent coil

**Observations:** 

1. PEMF intensity drop off from the peak value was roughly 83% by 3" on the power plug side of the mat, but only ~50% on the other side. Reason for asymmetry unknown.

### PEMF measured at different heights over one coil

MediCrystal Bio-Magnetic Amethyst Tourmaline V-Mat 72"x24".

Mat settings: PEMF On, Heat Off

Controller: H-60VA, 50 Gauss pulses at 30Hz

Magnetometer: PCE-EMF823. Range used: 0 - 20000 mGauss

Magnetometer was held horizontally on or above mat surface.

#### PEMF measurements above PEMF coil\*

| Height above mat surface | PEMF   | Intensity drop off |
|--------------------------|--------|--------------------|
| Inches                   | mGauss | %                  |
| 1.                       | 4217   |                    |
| 2.                       | 2060   | 51                 |
| 3.                       | 820    | 81                 |
| 4.                       | 390    | 91                 |
| 5.                       | 245    | 94                 |
| 6                        | 50     | 99                 |

\* measured at 53.5" from top of mat and 7.25" from power plug side of mat.

Observation:

**1.** PEMF intensity drop off measured above the mat was greater than that measured along the mat surface.

## **Distribution of 100 mGauss PEMF above mat**

MediCrystal Bio-Magnetic Amethyst Tourmaline V-Mat 72"x24".

Mat settings: PEMF On, Heat Off

Controller: H-60PVA, 50 Gauss pulses at 30Hz

Magnetometer: Trifield EMF Meter 100XE, range used: 0 - 100 mGauss

| Distance from | Distance from power plug side of mat |     |     |
|---------------|--------------------------------------|-----|-----|
| top of mat    | 6"                                   | 12" | 18" |
| 10"           | 10"                                  | 11" | 14" |
| 16"           | 11"                                  | 12" | 15" |
| 22"           | 11"                                  | 12" | 15" |
| 28"           | 11"                                  | 12" | 16" |
| 34"           | 11"                                  | 13" | 16" |
| 40"           | 10"                                  | 13" | 14" |
| 46"           | 11"                                  | 15" | 13" |
| 52"           | 13"                                  | 13" | 15" |
| 58"           | 12"                                  | 11" | 13" |
| 64"           | 11"                                  | 10" | 12" |

### Height above mat for 100 mGauss reading

Conclusion:

1. There is a 'cloud' of 100 mGauss PEMF over most of the mat extending at least 10 inches above the mat.

## Effectiveness of EMI (Electro-Magnetic Interception)

MediCrystal Bio-Magnetic Amethyst Tourmaline V-Mat 72"x24".

Mat settings: Heat On, PEMF Off

Controller: H-60VA

Magnetometer: Trifield EMF Meter 100XE, Ranges used: 0.2-3 mGauss or 0-100 mGauss

Magnetometer was laid horizontally on mat to reduce effect of uneven surface.

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|--|---|-------------|--|
| Distance from top of mat                               | Distance from power<br>plug side of mat | EMF reading |  |
| (inches)   | (inches)                                | (mGauss)    |  |
| 30.5   | 12                                      | 4.5         |  |
| 53   | 9.5                                     | 4.6         |  |
| 50   | 0.5                                     | 8.5         |  |
| Power Plug   |   | 30          |  |

#### Position on mat for EMF reading above 0.2 mGauss\*

\* No readings over the mat were at or above 0.2 mGauss, the limit of detectability of the meter, except at the noted locations when the heat was on.

Observations:

- 1. Three locations were located, in addition to the power plug.
- 2. Two locations were near the center of the mat, but not over PEMF coils.
- 3. The remaining location was very near the edge of the mat on the power plug side.
- 4. The 'hot spots' relate to the safety sensors or bimetal switches functioning.

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