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Microwave Pulse-Induced Acoustic Resonances in Spherical Head Models (Short Papers)

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Microwave-induced acoustic pressures in the spherical models of human and animal heads are measured using a small hydrophone transducer. The measured acoustic frequencies that correspond to mechanical resonance of the head model agree with those predicted by the thermoelastic theory of interaction. Further, a three-pulse burst applied at the appropriate pulse repetition frequencies could effectively drive the model to respond in such a manner that the microwave-induced pressure amplitude would be increased by threefold or more.

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