

GPS Antenna Datasheet

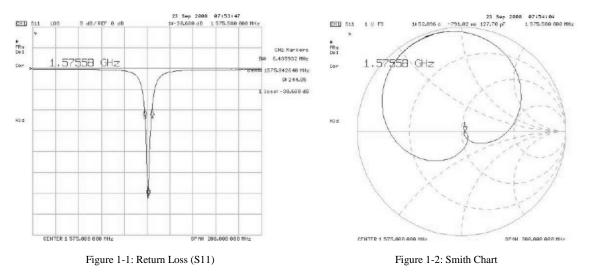
1. Specifications

1.1. Electrical Characteristics

Parameter		Value	Unit	Notes
Center Frequency (f _c)		1575 ± 3	MHz	12mm x 12mm GP
Return Loss (S ₁₁)		-20 (min)	dB	@f _c
Bandwidth (BW)		10 (min)	MHz	@ f(S ₁₁ =-9dB)
VSWR		1.5 (max)		
Impedance (Z _A)		50	Ω	
Axial Ratio (AR)		3.0 (max)	dB	
Gain @ f _c	@ zenith	-1.3 (typ.)	dBic	12mm x 12mm GP
Polarization		R.H.C.P		
Temperature Factor (tF)		0±20	ppm/°C	-40°C to +85°C

Table 1: Electrical Specifications

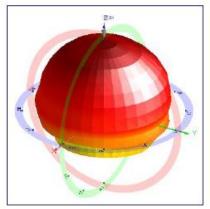
1.2. Typical S₁₁



Note: Measured on 12x12mm Ground Plane of copper poured FR4 with adhesive tape.



1.3. Radiation Pattern



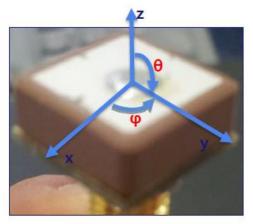


Figure 1-3-1: 3D EIRP

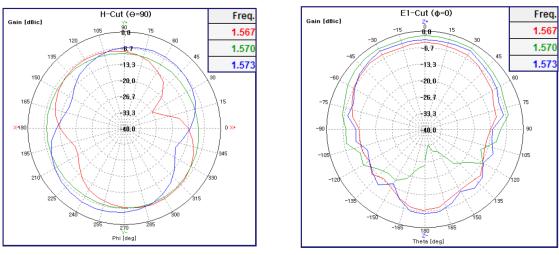




Figure 1-3-3: E1-Cut

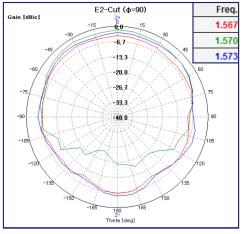


Figure 1-3-4: E2-Cut



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2. Mechanical Specifications

2.1. Dimensions

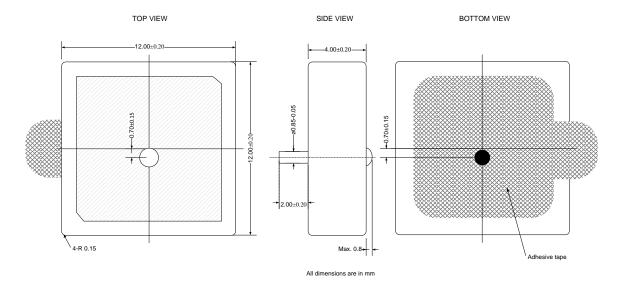


Figure 2-1: Mechanical outline

Dimensions	Length	Width	Thickness	We	ight
mm	12.0 ± 0.2	12.0 ± 0.2	4.0 ± 0.2	gr	3.4
inch	0.472 ± 0.008	0.472 ± 0.008	0.157 ± 0.008	oz	0.1

Table 2-1: Mechanical information

2.2. Materials

Item	Material	
Electrode (Top and Bottom)	Silver	
Probe	Silver Plated Brass	
Probe pin solder material	Stannum	
Dielectric constant		
Adhesive tape thickness	0.125mm (typ.)	

Table 2-2: Materials

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3. Soldering Condition

Wetability to IEC 68-2-58: \geq 75% (after aging) Manual iron soldering (Solder Sn/Ag/Cu 96.5/3.0/0.5) Soldering must comply with above soldering conditions to prevent degradation of antenna performance

4. Storage

Electrode metallization is unprotected silver and will tarnish after opening. Elevated temperature and humidity will accelerate this process. Typical floor life should not exceed 6 months after package has been opened. Bulk antennas older than 6 months should be tested for solderability before use. Avoid intentional shock or drop to prevent cracking of antenna.

5. Compliance

Antennas are designed and being manufactured and handled to comply with and according to Pb-Free/RoHS Directive 2002/95/EC on the restriction of the use of certain hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment. Antennas are manufactured in ISO 9001:2000 accredited facilities.

Parameter	Description	Pass Criteria
Drop Test	 Place antenna on set 1.5m height Drop 5 times 	1. No visible damage 2. S ₁₁ satisfy (Δf _c < 0.2%)
Vibration Test	5 – 55 – 5 Hz, 1 Octave/min Amp.= 1.5mm, acceleration=2gr Crossover freq.= 18Hz, Hold time= 2H,R	 No visible damage S₁₁ satisfy (Δf_c < 0.2%)
Humidity	60°C, 95% RH, 96Hr	 No visible damage S₁₁ satisfy (Δf_c < 0.2%)
Thermal Shock	 +80°C (30 min) → 5 min → -40°C (30 min) 10 cycles 	 No visible damage S₁₁ satisfy (Δf_c < 0.2%)
High Temperature Resistance	+90°C, 96Hr	 No visible damage S₁₁ satisfy (Δf_c < 0.2%)
Low Temperature Resistance	- 40°C, 96Hr	 No visible damage S₁₁ satisfy (Δf_c < 0.2%)
Adhesion Strength of Soldering	Use of pull-push gauge	Spec (min. 5kgf)
IEC Climatic Category (IEC88-1)	-40°C / +90°C / 56h	

6. Reliability

Notes:

Table 6-1: Reliability data

1. Sample must satisfy the requirement after 24 hours of test

2. Based on IEC climatic category (IEC68-1) -40°C / +85°C / 56Hr



