

Antenna Datasheet

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Product Name: Passive GNSS L1 Antenna

Key Features:

Frequency Band: 1565–1586 MHz

Dimensions: 10 mm × 10 mm × 6.3 mm

Efficiency: Up to 31.6 %

RoHS and REACH Compliant

Overview

This Quectel GNSS antenna adopts a diversity of forms to guarantee the most suitable polarization type. Quectel's positioning products support single-band or multi-band operation modes to meet various high-precision positioning requirements of customers' products. Quectel also provides both passive and active antennas to satisfy the customer demand for high gain. Such antenna supports different installation or connection methods such as pin mount, surface mount, magnetic mount, internal cable, and external SMA. Customized connector type and cable length are provided according to requirements.

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1 Specification

Test Condition: Test on a 30 mm × 30 mm PCB

1.1. Electrical

| Electrical | |
|-------------------|---------------|
| Frequency Range | 1565–1586 MHz |
| Impedance | 50 Ω |
| Polarization | RHCP |
| Radiation Pattern | Directional |

| Band Frequency (MHz) | GPS L5 GALILEO E5a BEIDOU B2a-B2I QZSS L5 IRNSS L5 | GALILEO E5b BEIDOU B2b | GPS L2 QZSS L2C | GLONASS G2 | BEIDOU B3 | BEIDOU B1I | GPS L1 GALILEO E1 BEIDOU B1C QZSS L1 | GLONASS G1 |
|-----------------------------|--|---------------------------------|--------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|---|---------------|
| | 1176 | 1207 | 1227 | 1248 | 1268 | 1561 | 1575 | 1602 |
| VSWR | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1.1 | - |
| Return Loss (dB) | - | - | - | - | - | - | -27.7 | - |
| Efficiency (%) | - | - | - | - | - | - | 25.5 | - |
| Peak Gain (dBi) | - | - | - | - | - | - | -2.5 | - |
| Axial Ratio (dB) | - | - | - | - | - | - | 11.65 | - |

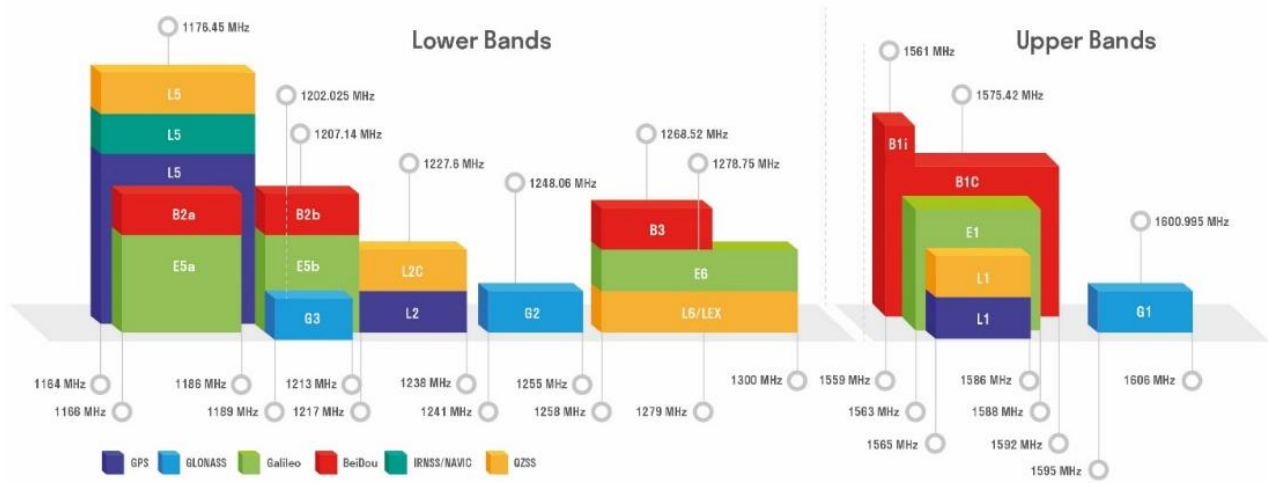
1.2. Mechanical & Environmental

| Mechanical | |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| Antenna Dimensions | 10 mm × 10 mm × 6.3 mm |
| Material | PCB + Ceramic |
| Cable Type & Color & Length | Φ 1.13 & Black & 50 mm |
| Connector Type | IPEX MHF 1 |
| Mounting Type | Buckle |
| Weight | Typ. 2.3 g |
| Environmental | |
| Operation Temperature | -40 °C to +85 °C |
| Storage Temperature | -40 °C to +85 °C |
| RoHS and REACH Compliant | Yes |

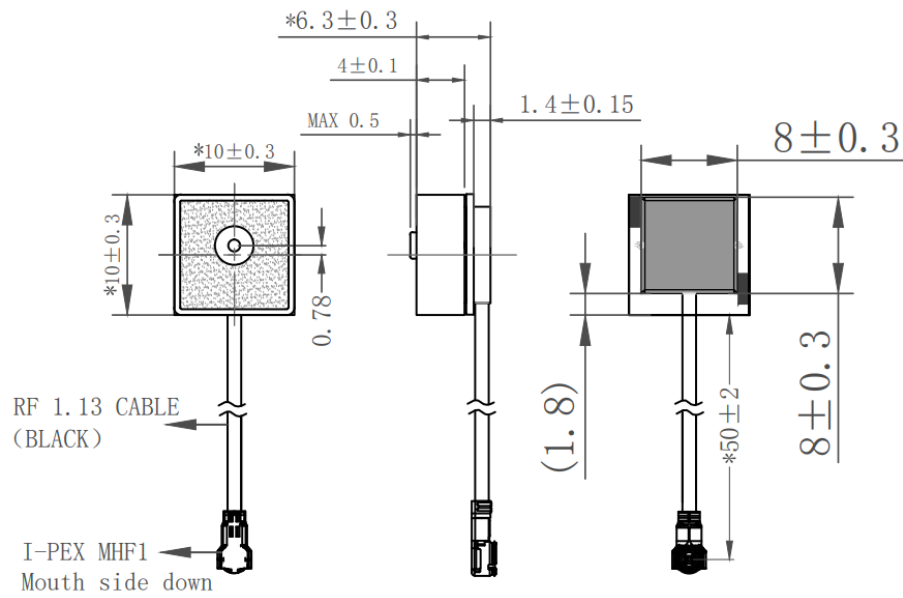
1.3. Supported GNSS Frequency Bands

| GNSS Frequency Bands (MHz) | | | | | |
|----------------------------|---|--|--|---|--|
| GPS | L1 Centre 1575.42 (1565–1586) | L2 Centre 1227.6 (1217–1238) | L5 Centre 1176.45 (1164–1189) | | |
| | √ | - | - | | |
| GLONASS | G1-L10C-L10F Centre 1601 (1595–1606) | G2-L20C-L20F Centre 1248.06 (1241–1255) | G3-L30C Centre 1202.025 (1189–1213) | | |
| | - | - | - | | |
| GALILEO | E1 Centre 1575.42 (1563–1588) | E5a Centre 1176.45 (1166–1187) | E5b Centre 1207.14 (1197–1218) | E6 Centre 1278.75 (1258–1300) | |
| | √ | - | - | - | |
| BEIDOU | B1I Centre 1561.098 (1559–1564) | B1C (BeiDou-3) Centre 1575.42 (1559–1592) | B2a Centre 1176.45 (1166–1187) | B2b-B2I Centre 1207.14 (1197–1217) | B3 Centre 1268.52 (1258–1279) |
| | - | √ | - | - | - |
| QZSS | L1 Centre 1575.42 (1573–1578) | L2C Centre 1227.6 (1226–1229) | L5 Centre 1176.45 (1166–1187) | L6 Centre 1278.75 (1257–1300) | |
| | √ | - | - | - | |
| IRNSS | L5 Centre 1176.45 (1164–1189) | | | | |
| | - | | | | |

GNSS Bands and Constellations



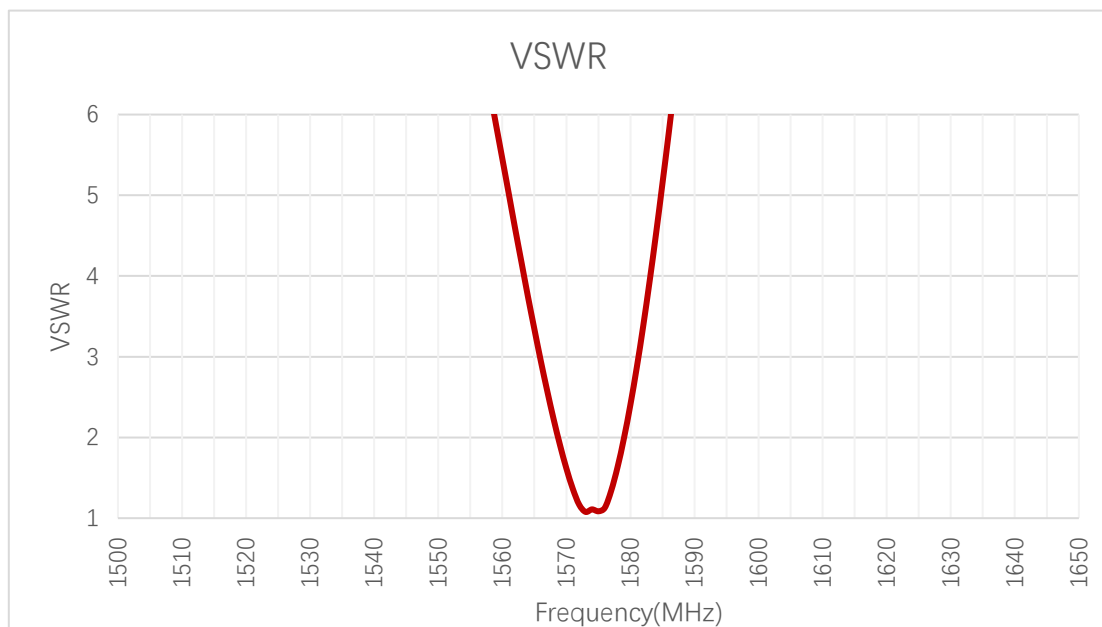
2 Drawing



3 Detailed Performance

3.1. S-Parameter Test

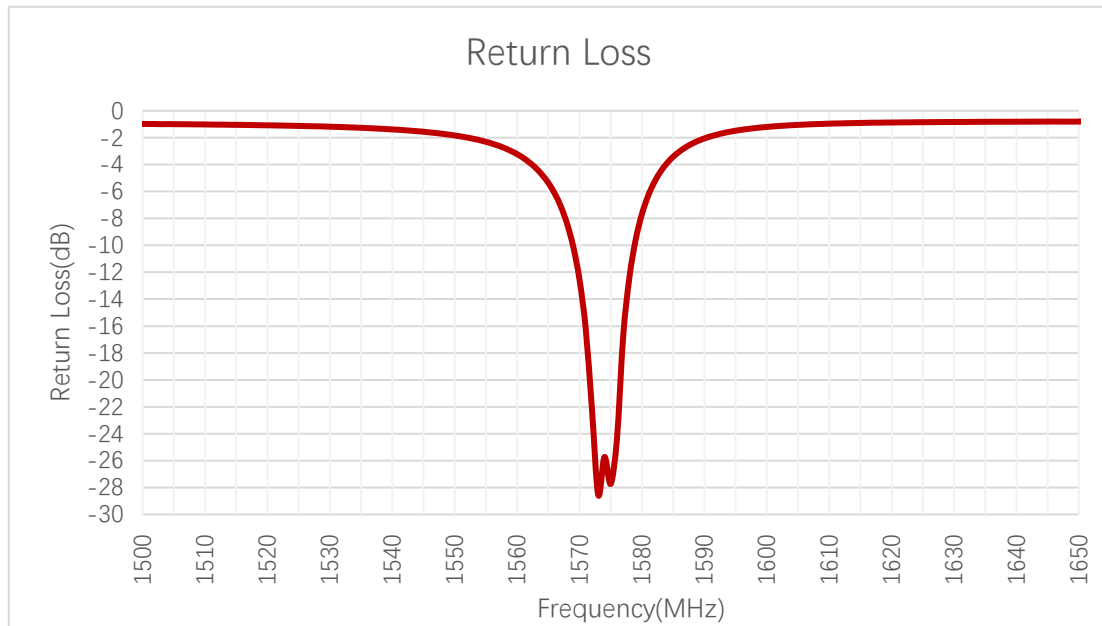
3.1.1. VSWR



VSWR

| Frequency (MHz) | 1176 | 1207 | 1227 | 1248 | 1268 | 1561 | 1575 | 1602 |
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| VSWR | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1.1 | - |

3.1.2. Return Loss

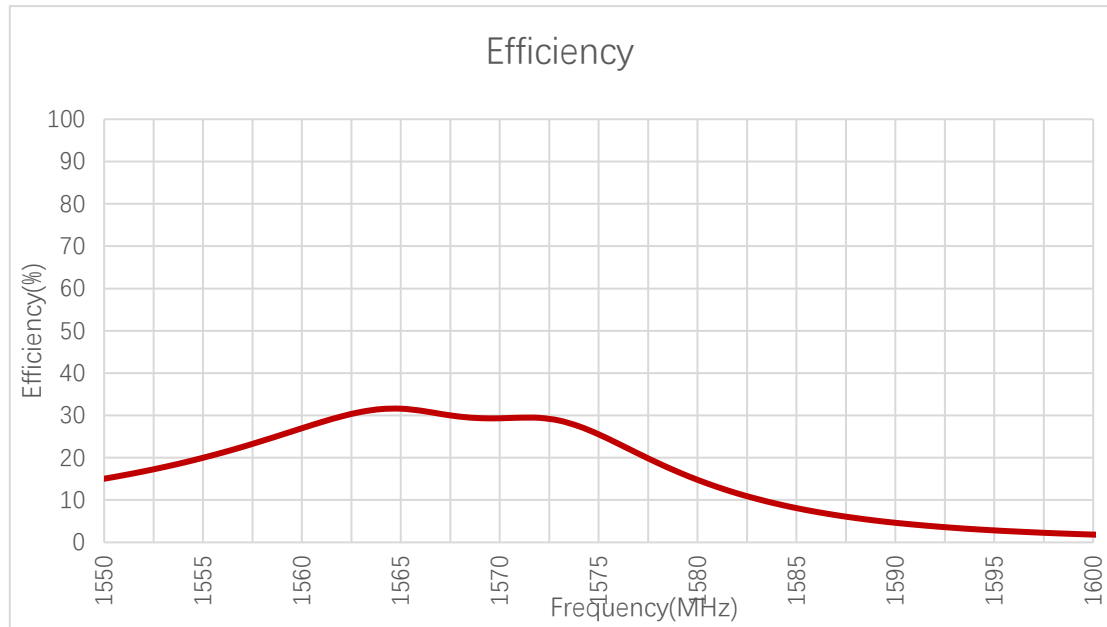


Return Loss (dB)

| Frequency (MHz) | 1176 | 1207 | 1227 | 1248 | 1268 | 1561 | 1575 | 1602 |
|------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|
| Return Loss (dB) | - | - | - | - | - | - | -27.7 | - |

3.2. Radiation Performance Test

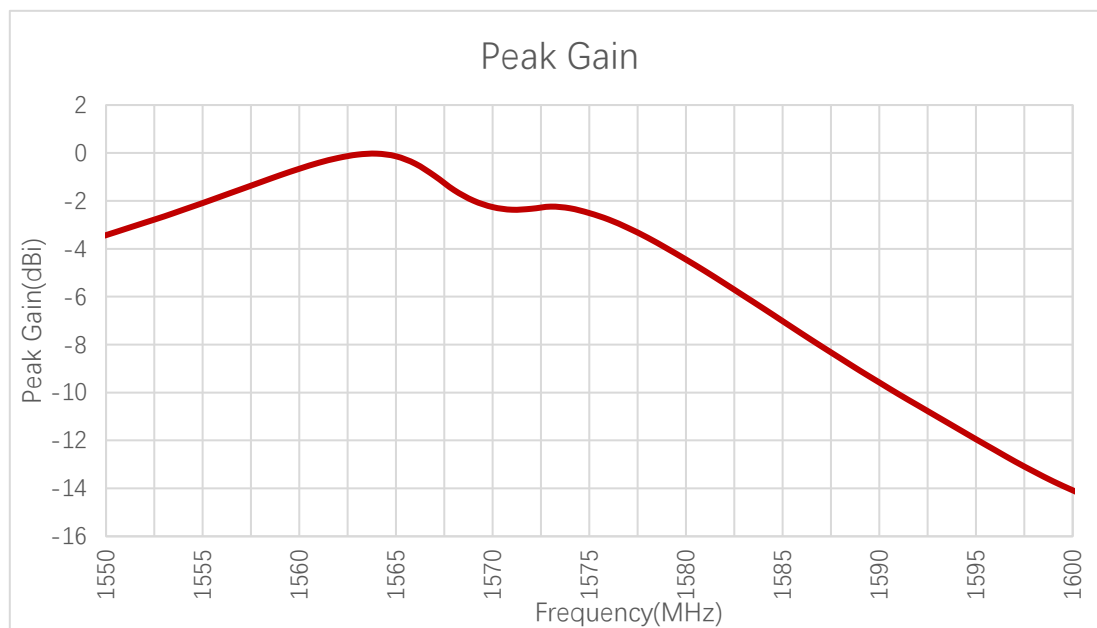
3.2.1. Efficiency



Efficiency (%)

| Frequency (MHz) | 1176 | 1207 | 1227 | 1248 | 1268 | 1561 | 1575 | 1602 |
|-----------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Efficiency (%) | - | - | - | - | - | - | 25.5 | - |

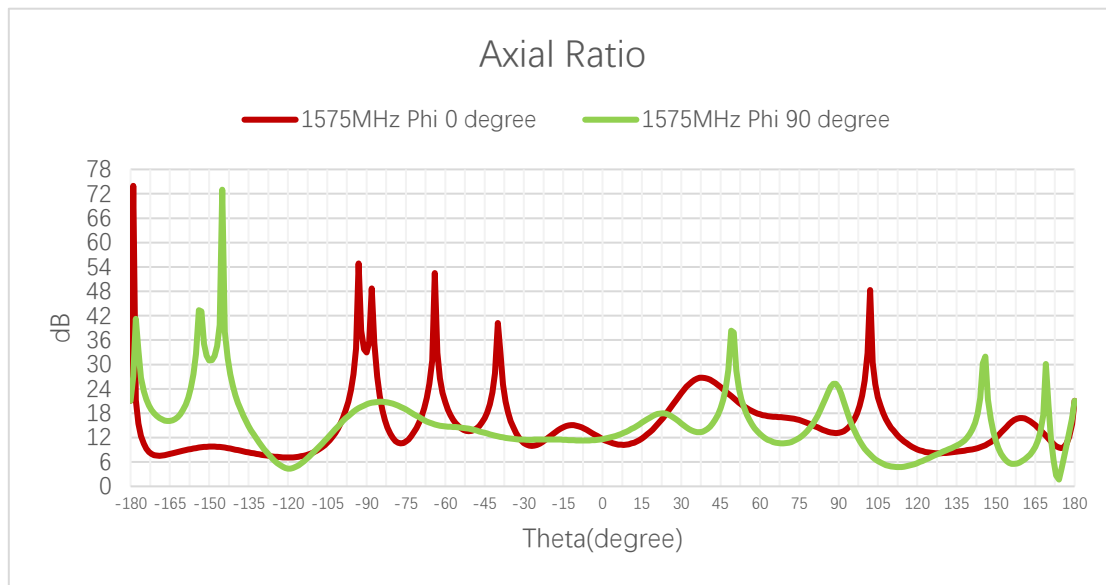
3.2.2. Peak Gain



Peak Gain (dBi)

| Frequency (MHz) | 1176 | 1207 | 1227 | 1248 | 1268 | 1561 | 1575 | 1602 |
|-----------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Peak Gain (dBi) | - | - | - | - | - | - | -2.5 | - |

3.2.3. Axial Ratio

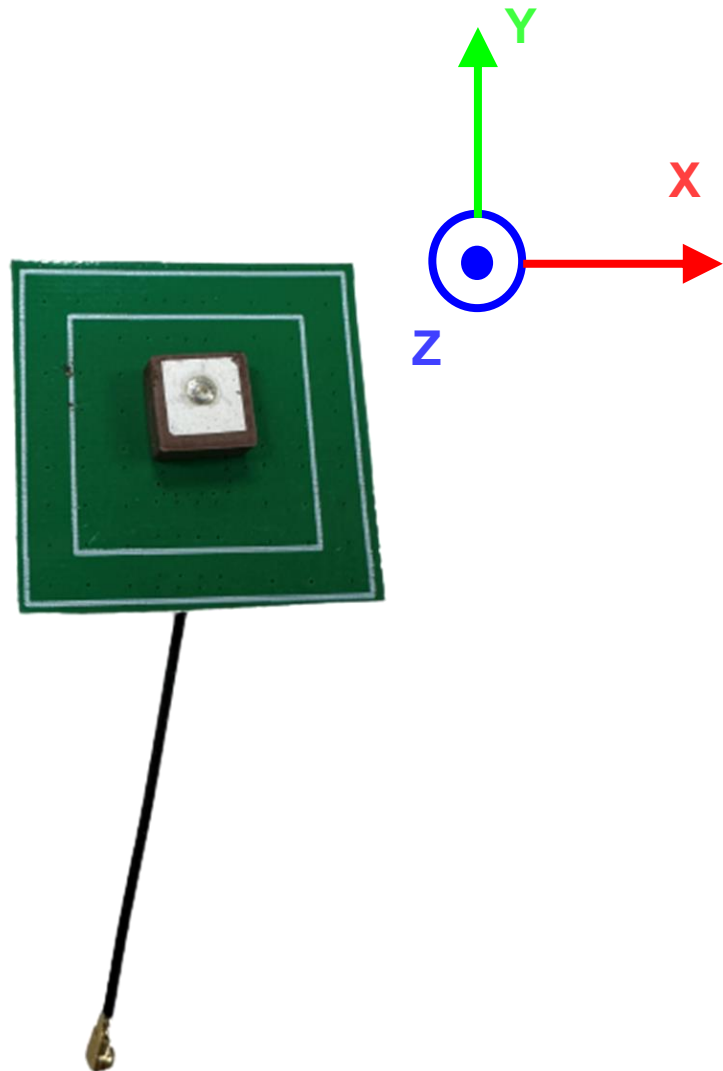


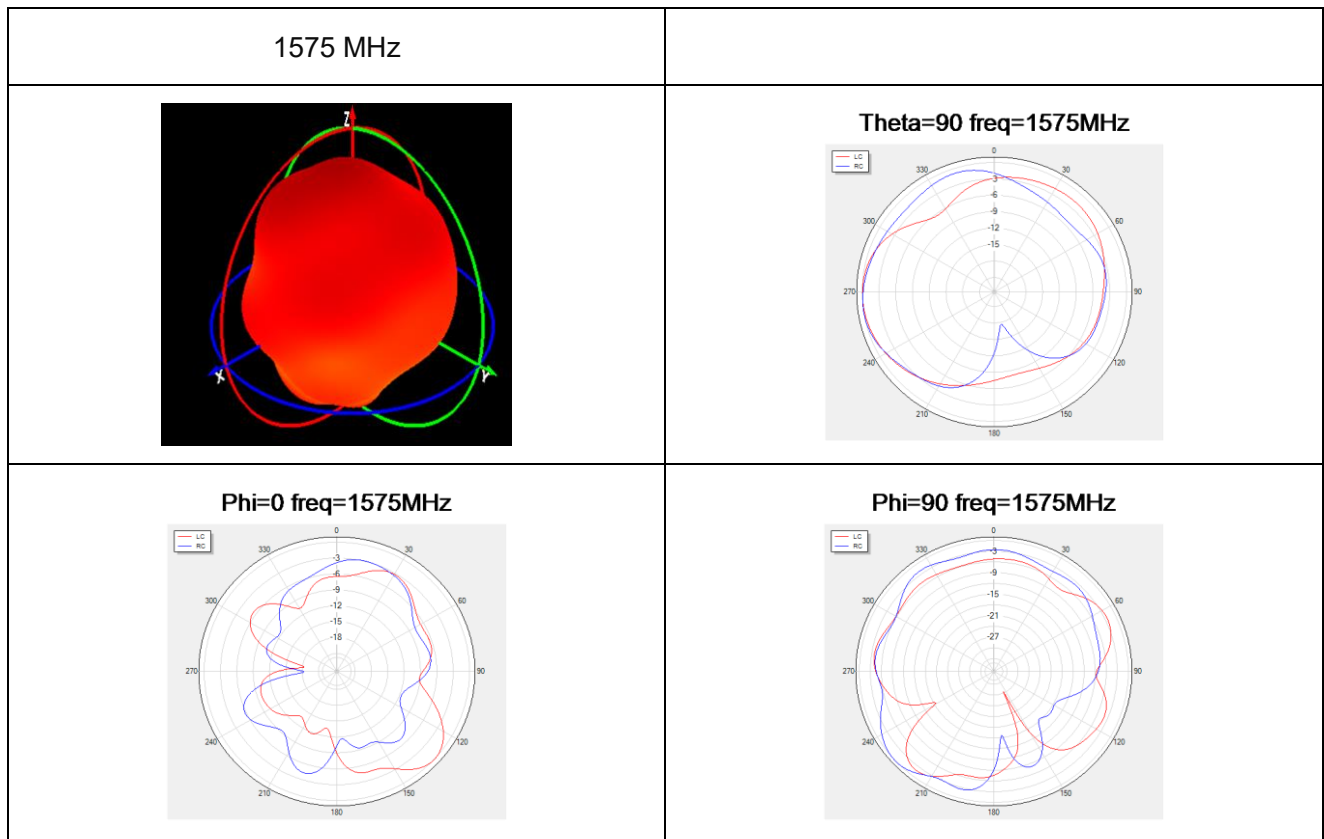
Axial Ratio (dB)

| Frequency (MHz) | | 1176 | 1207 | 1227 | 1248 | 1268 | 1561 | 1575 | 1602 |
|-----------------|-----------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|
| Axial Ratio(dB) | Phi = 0 (deg) Theta = 0 (deg) | - | - | - | - | - | - | 11.65 | - |
| | Phi = 90 (deg) Theta = 0 (deg) | - | - | - | - | - | - | 11.65 | - |

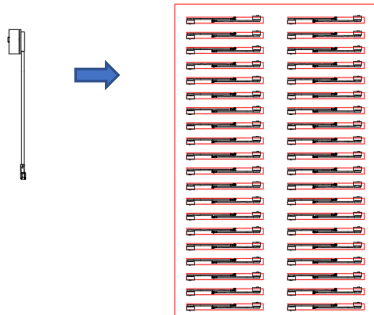
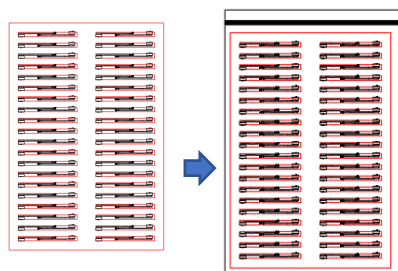
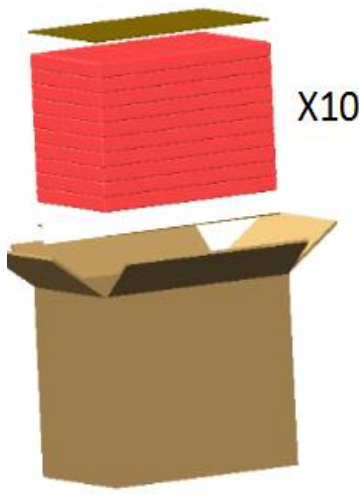
3.2.4. 3D & 2D Radiation Pattern

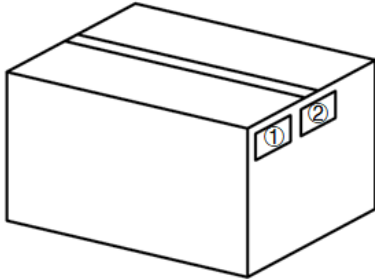
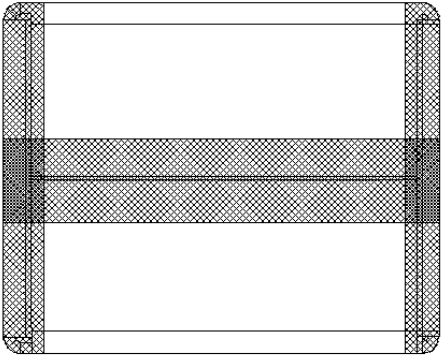
- Test Condition: Test on a 30 mm x 30 mm PCB
- Test Chamber: GL-S-1





4 Packaging

| Step | Packaging Picture / 2D Picture | Description |
|------|---|---|
| 1 |  | Put the product into the pearl cotton tray. (2 Products / Cavity) (80 PCS Antennas / Pearl Cotton Tray) |
| 2 |  | Place the pearl cotton tray into a vacuum bag to vacuum. |
| 3 |  | Put 10 vacuum bags into the carton. (800 PCS Antennas / Carton Box) Estimated quantity Products that cannot fill the entire carton box are packed in a suitable size carton box. <u>Carton Size:</u> <u>L × W × H = 390 × 270 × 295 mm</u> |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 4 |  | <p>Position for Attaching Labels</p> <p>① Carton Label ② Quality Label</p> |
| 5 |  | <p>Sealing Cartons</p> <p>“Ⅰ” type sealing cartons</p> |
| 6 | <p>The initial packaging method described above is for reference only, and the final actual packaging method shall be subject to the actual shipping packaging.</p> | |

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