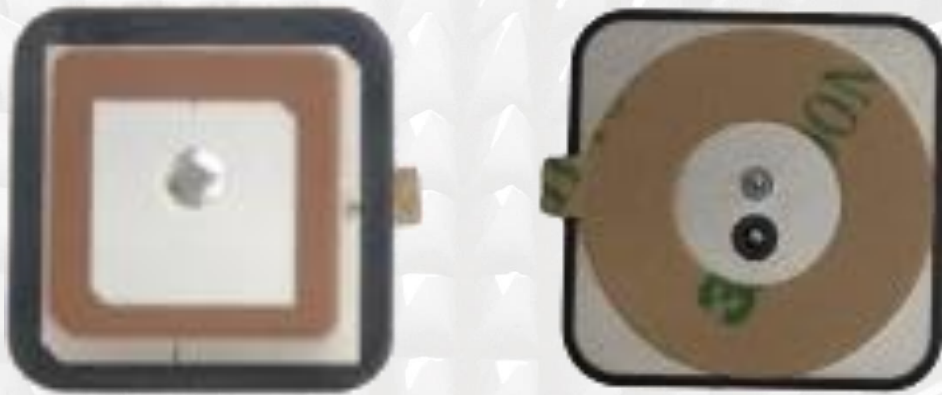




Antenna Datasheet

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Product Name: Passive GPS L1 & L5 Antenna

Key Features:

Frequency Band: 1559–1606 MHz; 1164–1189 MHz

Dimensions: 25 mm × 25 mm × 4 mm + 18 mm × 18 mm × 4 mm

Efficiency: Up to 60.6 %

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: on 50 mm × 50 mm PCB

1.1. Electrical

Electrical	
Frequency Range	1559–1606 MHz; 1164–1189 MHz
Impedance	50 Ω
Polarization	RHCP
Radiation Pattern	Directional

Band	GPS L5 GALILEO E5a BDS B2a- B2I QZSS L5 IRNSS L5	GALILEO E5b BDS B2b	GPS L2 QZSS L2C	GLONASS G2	BDS B3	BDS B1I	GPS L1 GALILEO E1 BDS B1C QZSS L1	GLONASS G1
Frequency (MHz)	1176	1207	1227	1248	1268	1561	1575	1602
VSWR	1.3	-	-	-	-	4.9	1.2	4.7
Return Loss (dB)	-18.7	-	-	-	-	-3.6	-20.8	-3.8
Efficiency (%)	52.7	-	-	-	-	28.3	58.7	32.8
Peak Gain (dBi)	1.1	-	-	-	-	-1.9	1.2	-1.6
Axial Ratio (dB)	1.4	-	-	-	-	11.0	2.3	5.9

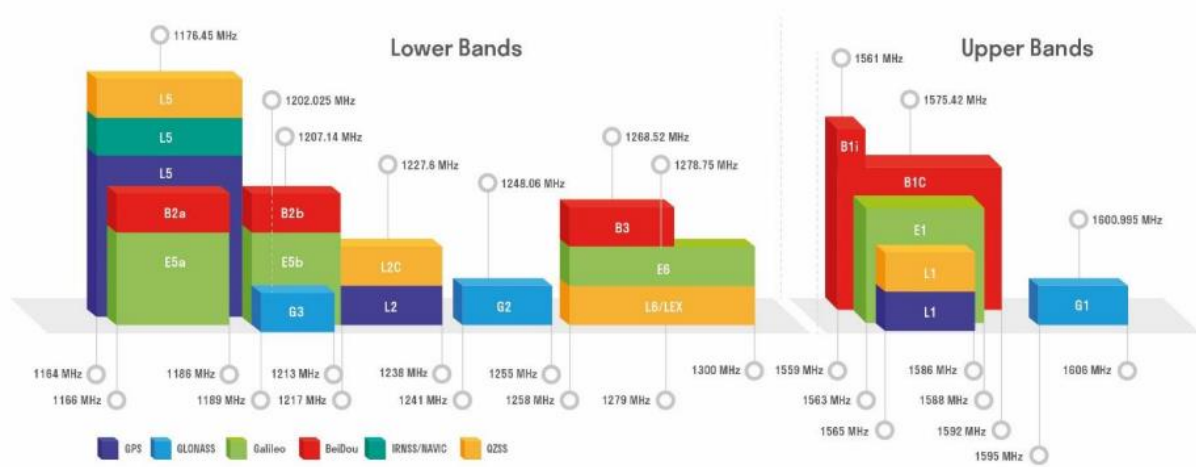
1.2. Mechanical & Environmental

Mechanical	
Antenna Dimensions	25 mm × 25 mm × 4 mm + 18 mm × 18 mm × 4 mm
Material	Ceramic
Mounting Type	Adhesive & Soldering
Weight	Typ. 14 g
Environmental	
Operation Temperature	-40 °C to +85 °C
Storage Temperature	-40 °C to +85 °C
Recommended reflow temperature and time	260 °C & 5 s
RoHS and REACH Compliant	Yes

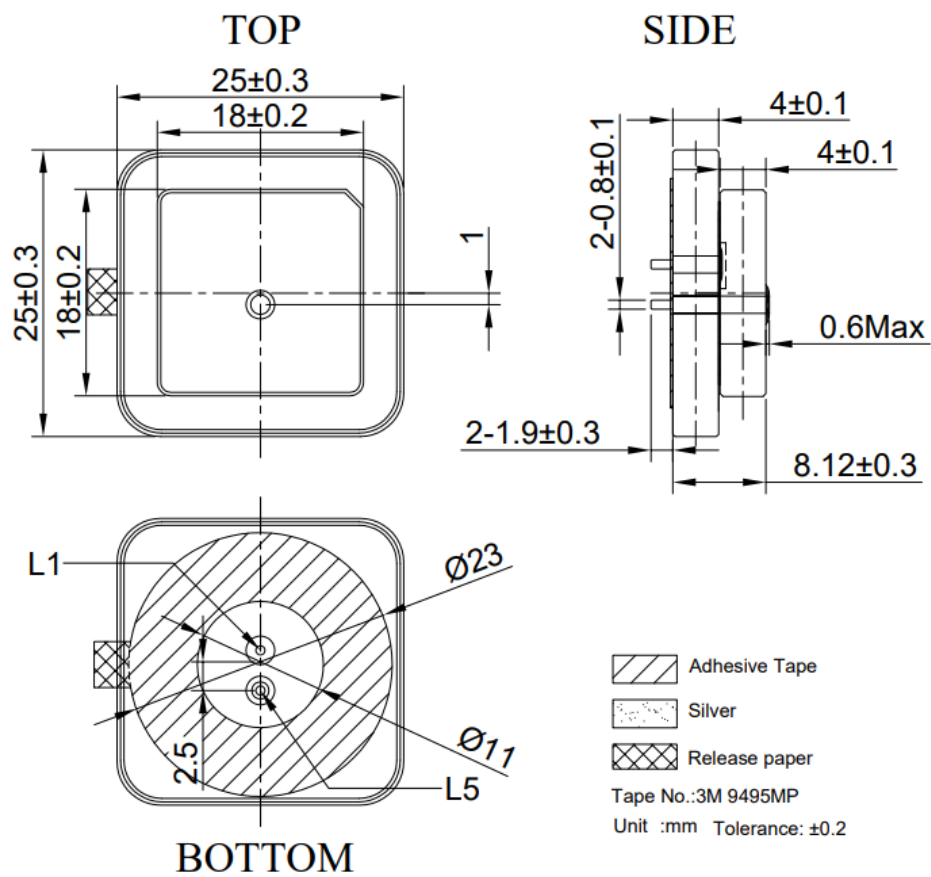
1.3. Supported GNSS Frequency Bands

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)	
	√	√	-	-	
BDS	B1I Centre 1561.098 (1559–1564)	B1C (BDS-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)				
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GNSS Bands and Constellations



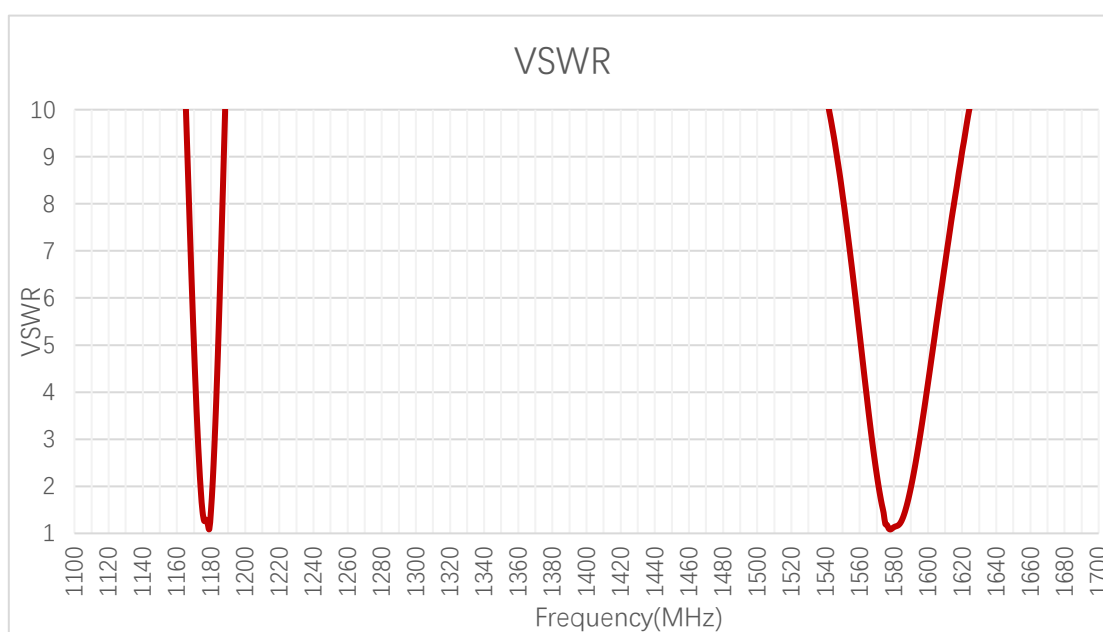
2 Drawing



3 Detailed Performance

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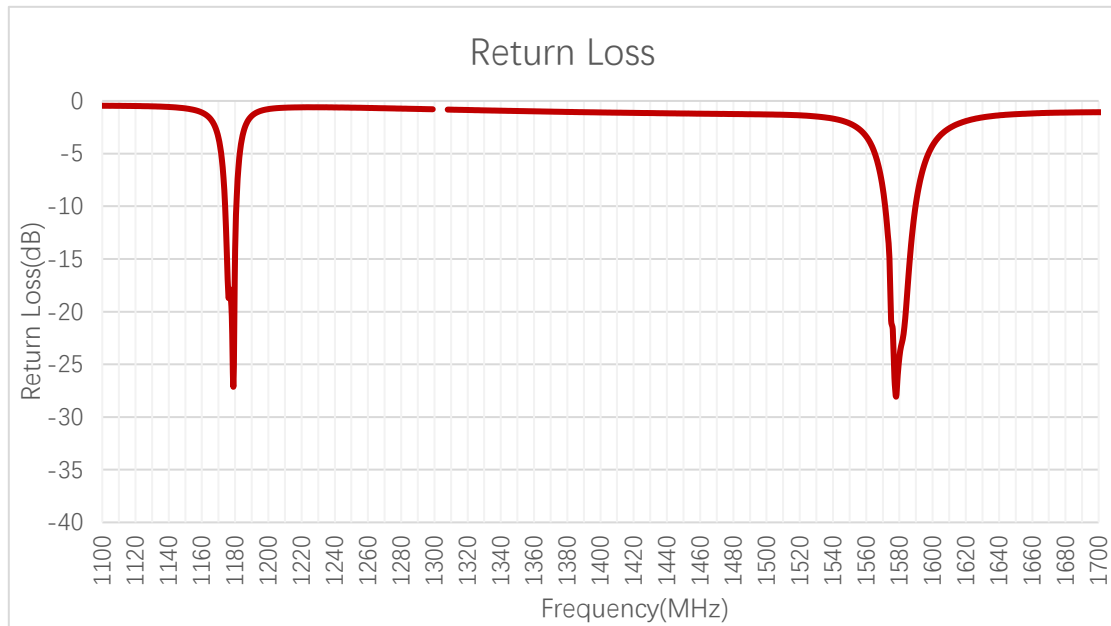
3.1.1. VSWR



VSWR

Frequency (MHz)	1176	1207	1227	1248	1268	1561	1575	1602
VSWR	1.3	-	-	-	-	4.9	1.2	4.7

3.1.2. Return Loss

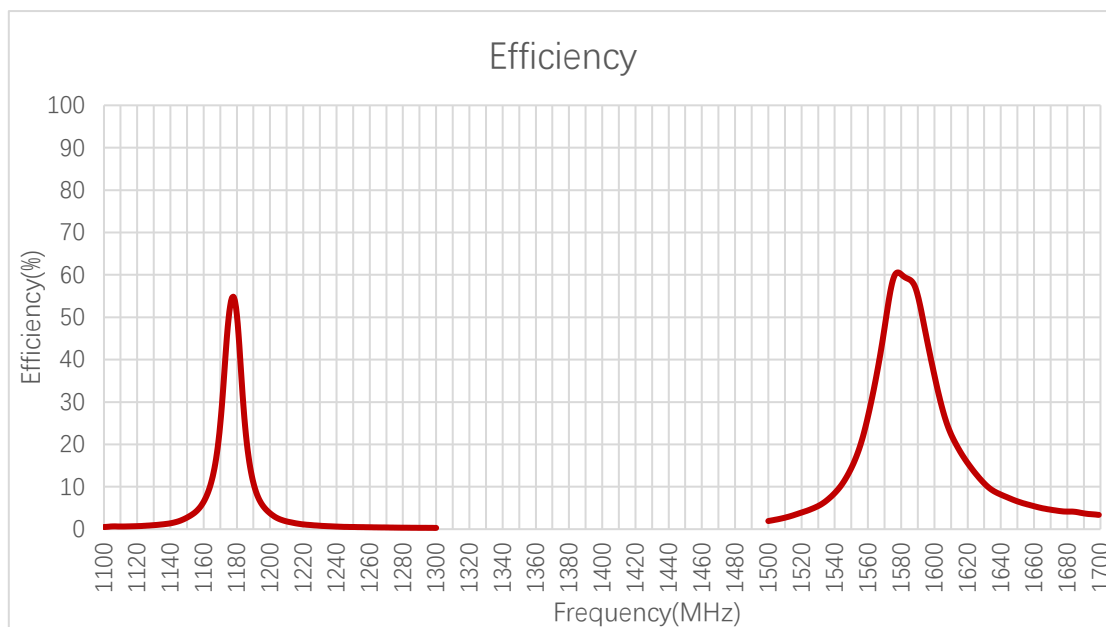


Return Loss (dB)

Frequency (MHz)	1176	1207	1227	1248	1268	1561	1575	1602
Return Loss (dB)	-18.7	-	-	-	-	-3.6	-20.8	-3.8

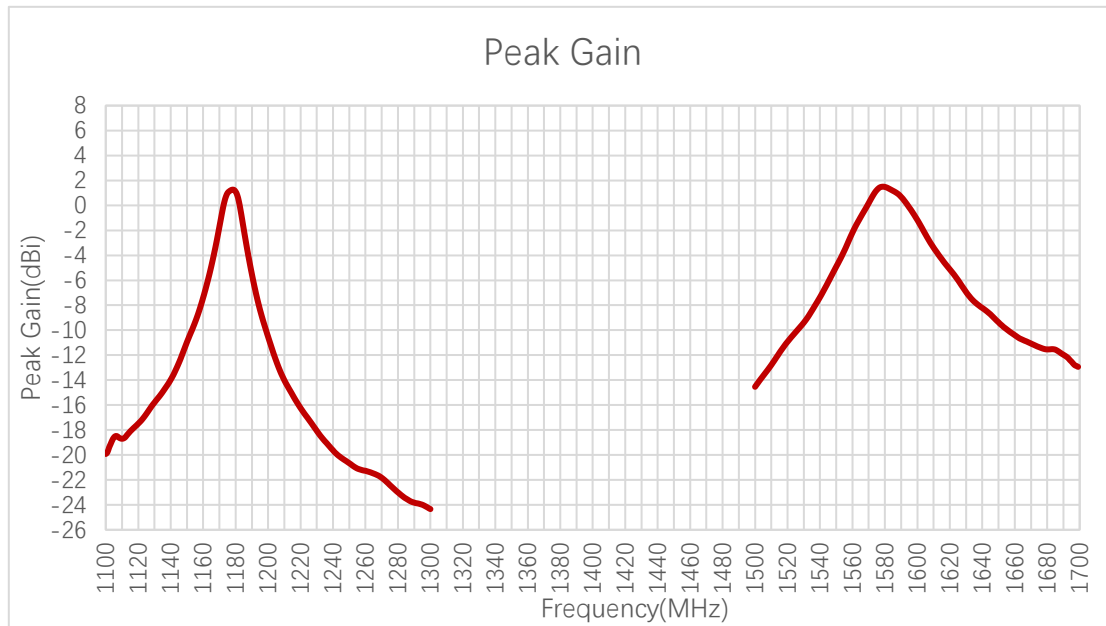
3.2. Radiation Performance Test

3.2.1. Efficiency



Efficiency (%)								
Frequency (MHz)	1176	1207	1227	1248	1268	1561	1575	1602
Efficiency (%)	52.7	-	-	-	-	28.3	58.7	32.8

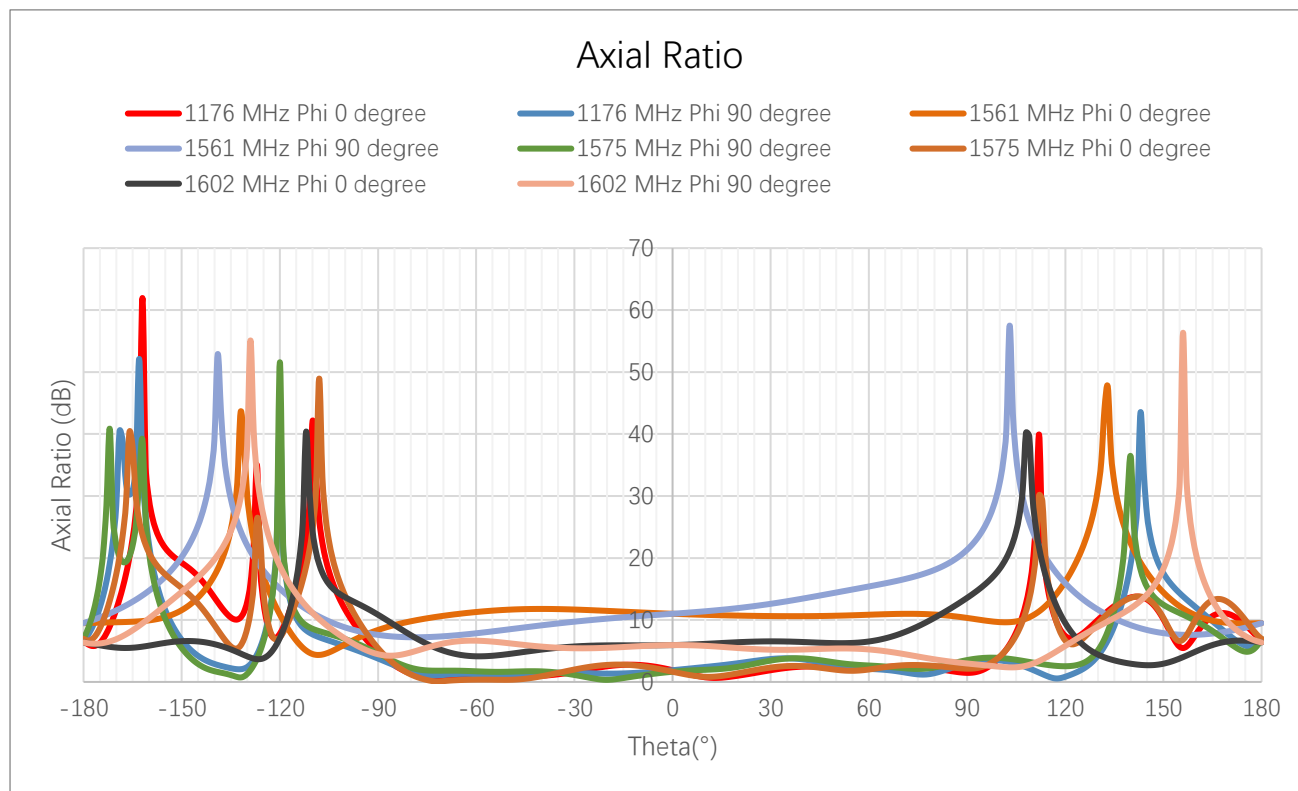
3.2.2. Peak Gain



Peak Gain (dBi)

Frequency (MHz)	1176	1207	1227	1248	1268	1561	1575	1602
Peak Gain (dBi)	1.1	-	-	-	-	-1.9	1.2	-1.6

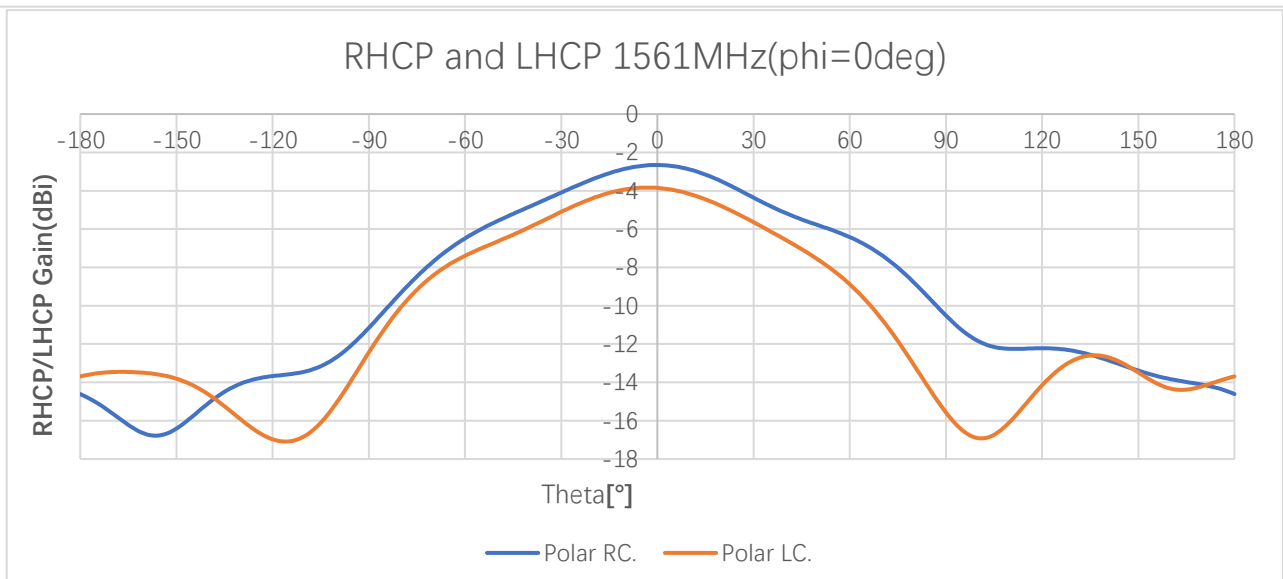
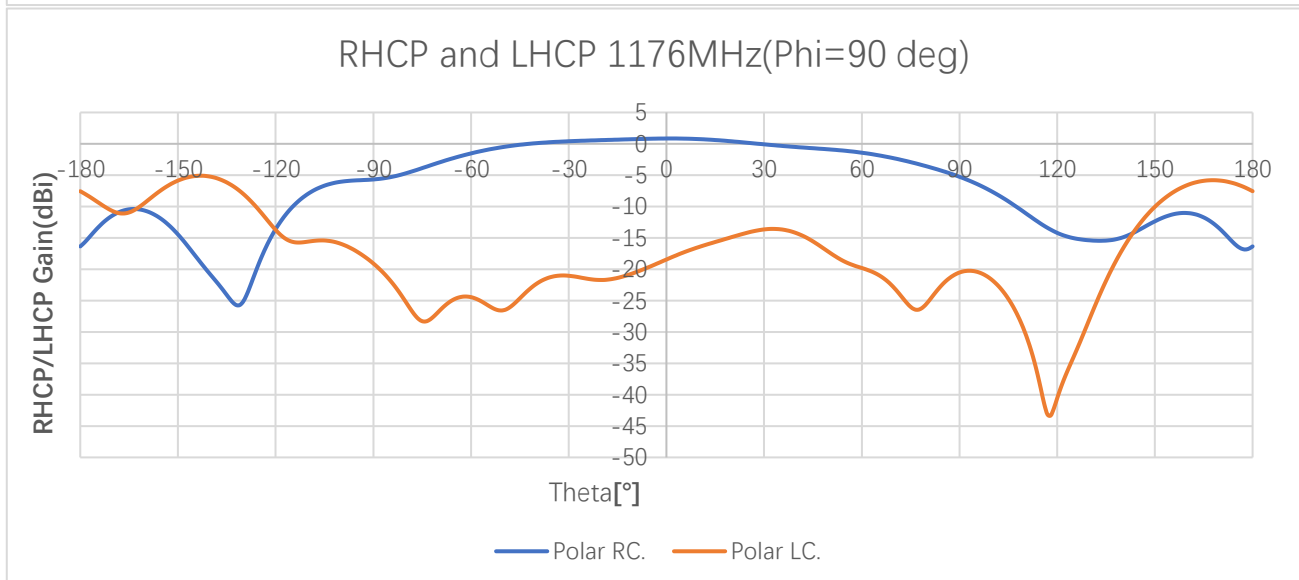
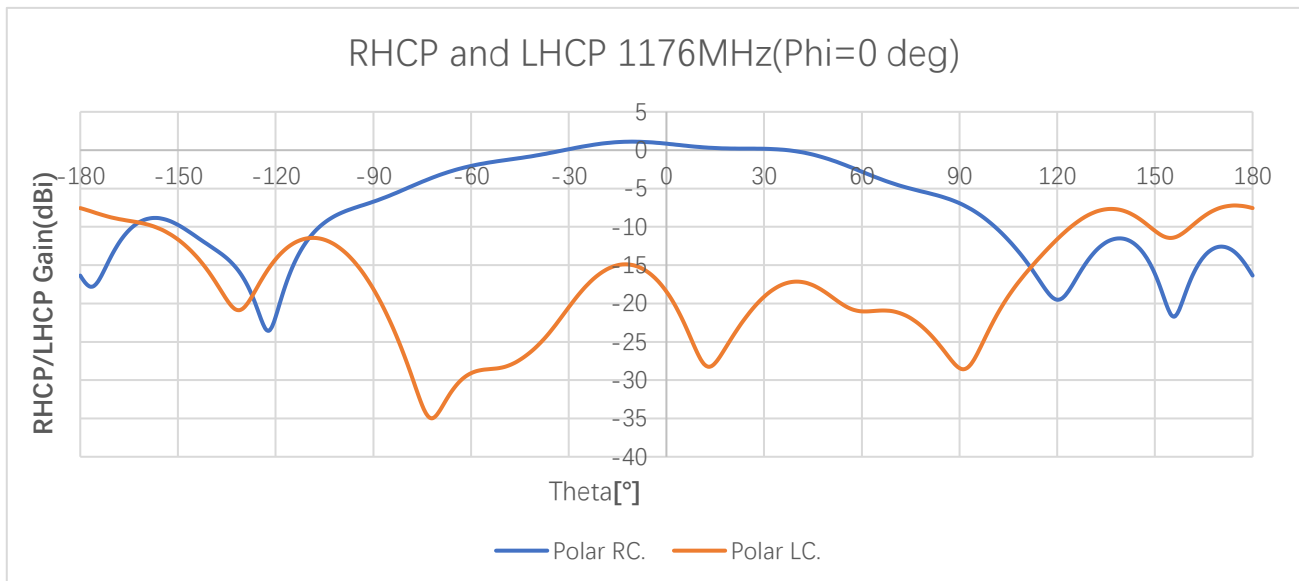
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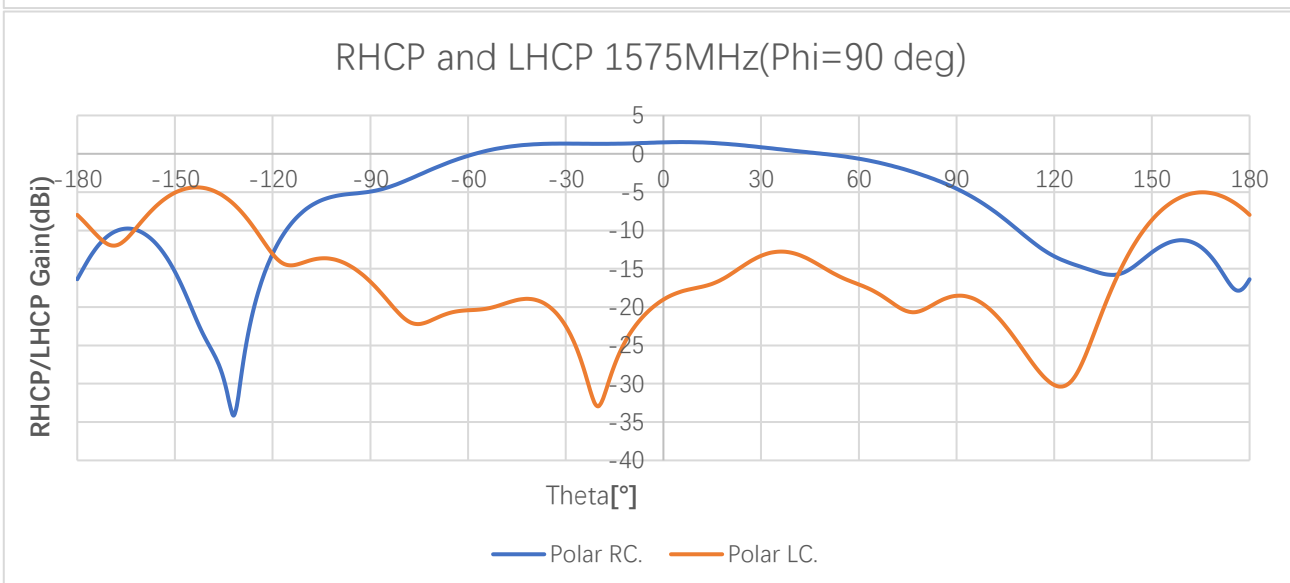
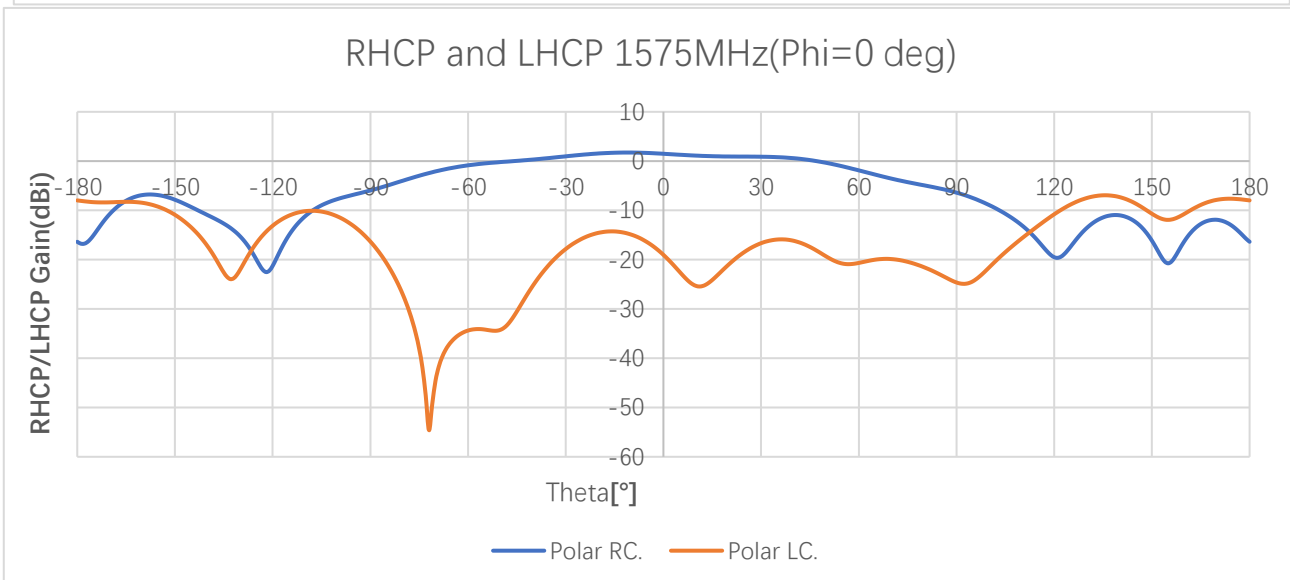
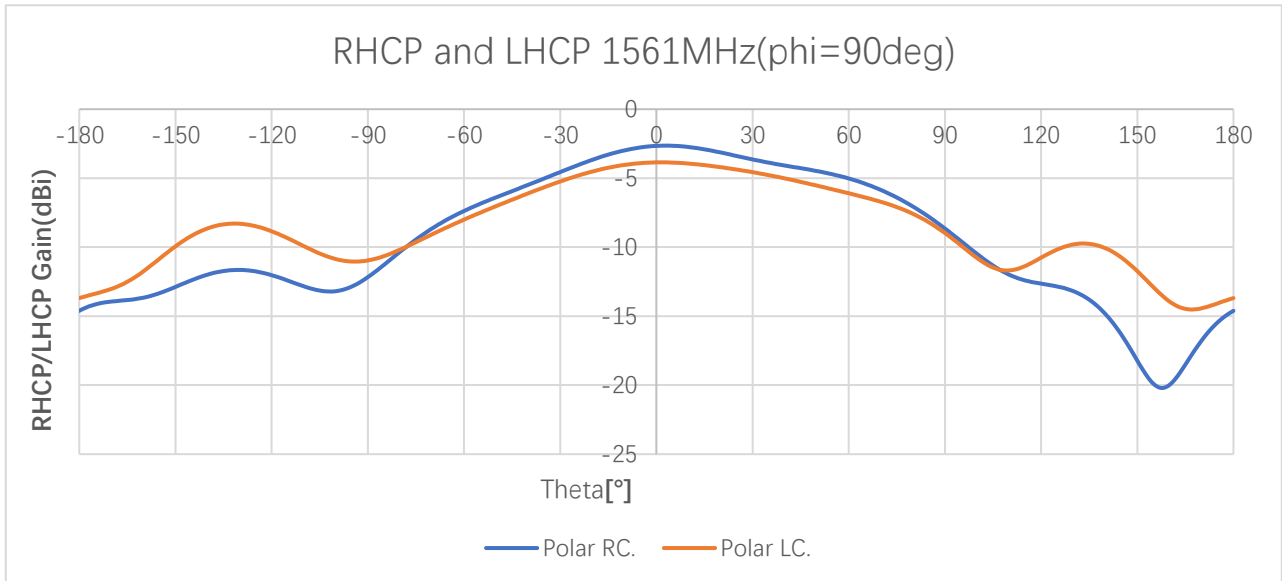


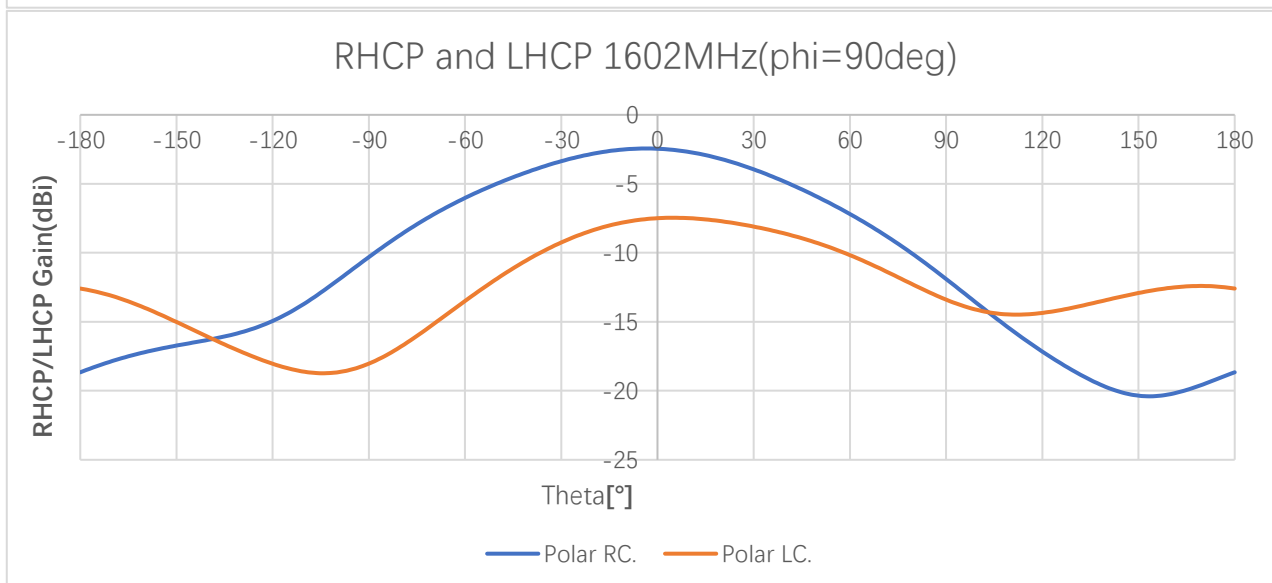
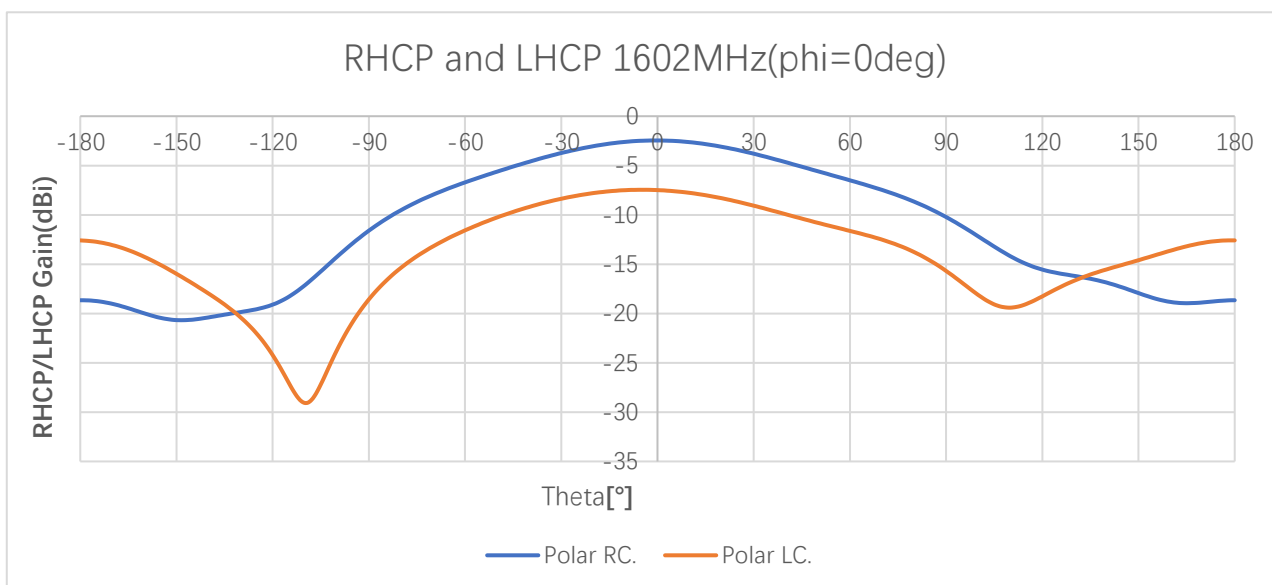
Axial Ratio (dB)

Frequency (MHz)		1176	1207	1227	1248	1268	1561	1575	1602
Axial Ratio (dB)	Phi = 0 (deg) Theta = 0 (deg)	1.9	-	-	-	-	11.0	1.7	5.9
	Phi = 90 (deg) Theta = 0 (deg)	1.9	-	-	-	-	11.0	1.7	5.9

3.2.4. 2D RHCP and LHCP Gain





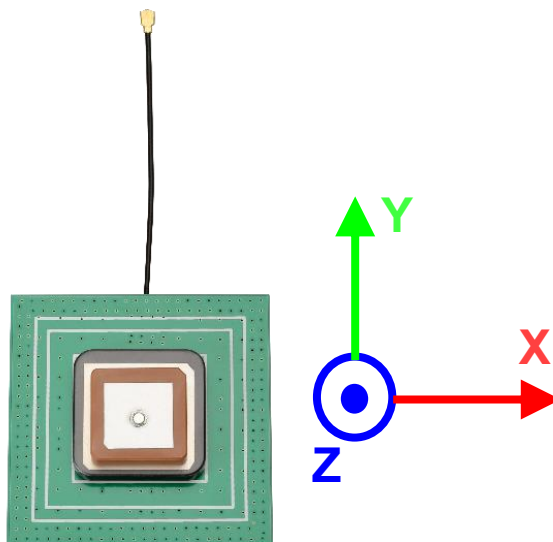


2D RHCP and LHCP Gain (dBi)

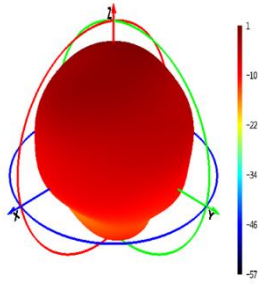
Frequency (MHz)		1176	1207	1227	1248	1268	1561	1575	1602
RHCP Gain (dBi)	Phi = 0 (deg) Theta = 0 (deg)	0.85	-	-	-	-	-2.7	1.5	-2.5
	Phi = 90 (deg) Theta = 0 (deg)	0.85	-	-	-	-	-2.7	1.5	-2.5
LHCP Gain (dBi)	Phi = 0 (deg) Theta = 0 (deg)	-18.5	-	-	-	-	-3.85	-19.0	-7.5
	Phi = 90 (deg) Theta = 0 (deg)	-18.5	-	-	-	-	-3.85	-19.0	-7.5

3.2.5. 3D & 2D Radiation Pattern

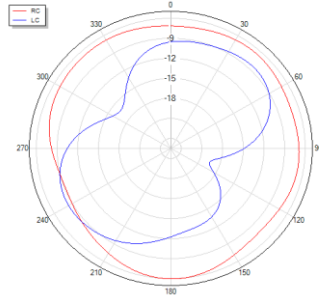
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- Test Chamber: GL-S-1



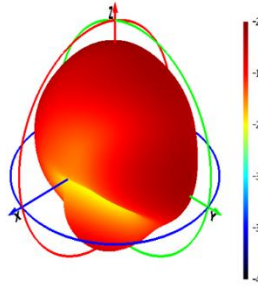
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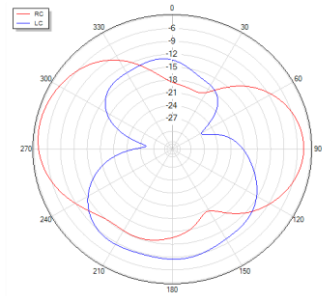
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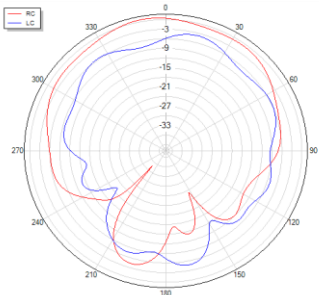
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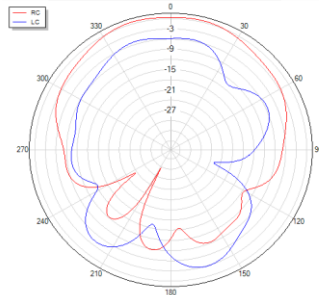
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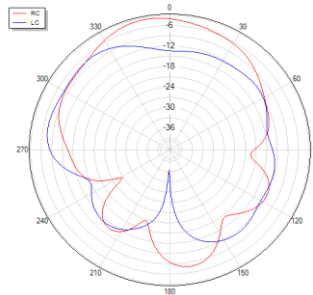
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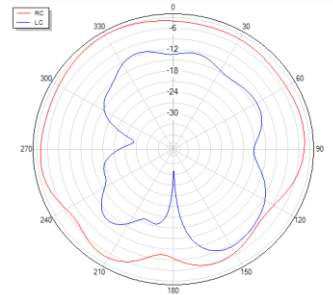
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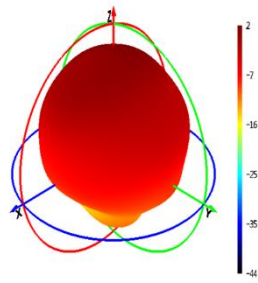
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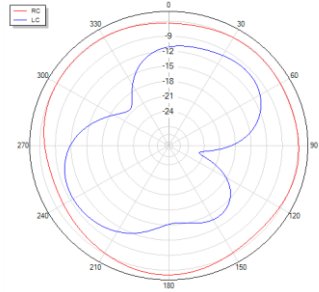
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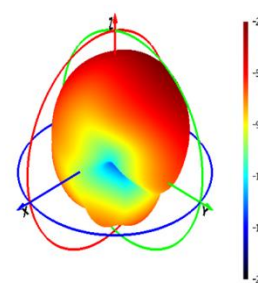
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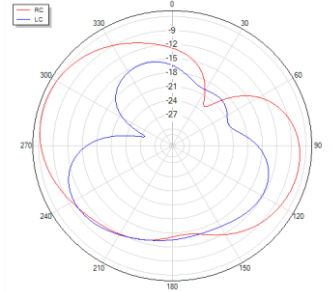
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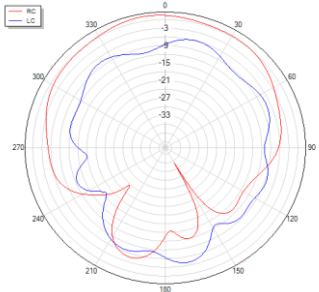
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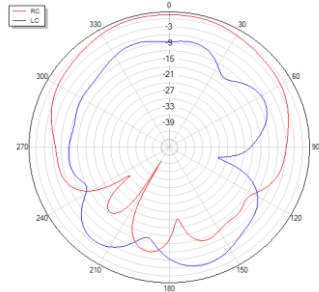
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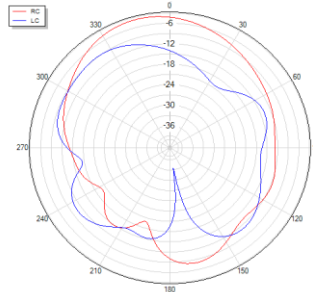
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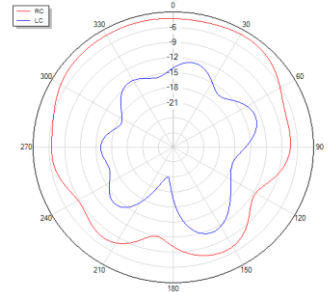
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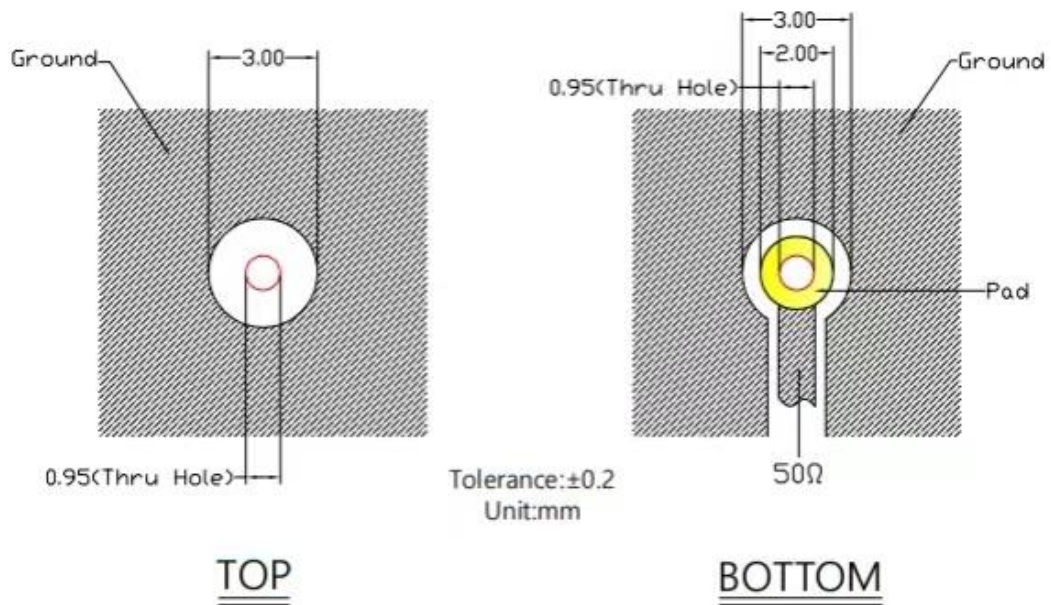


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4 Pin Footprint Recommendation

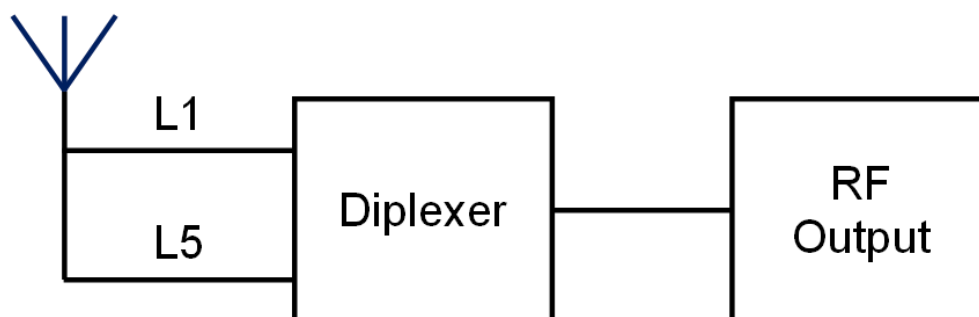
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5 Schematic Design Recommendation

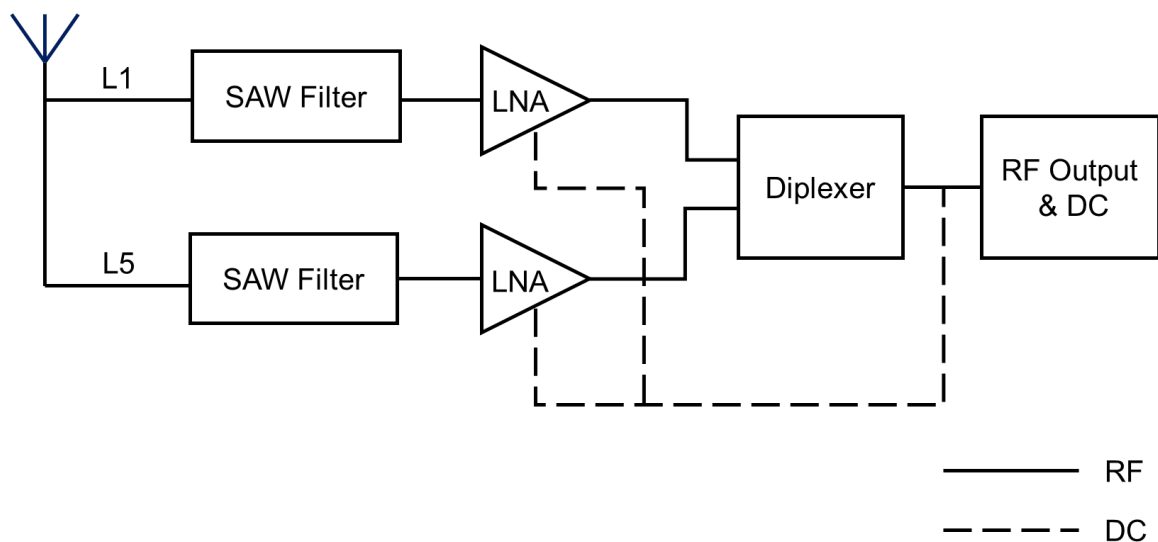
5.1. Passive Circuit Design Recommendation

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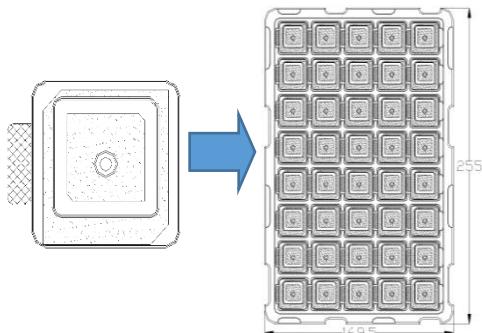
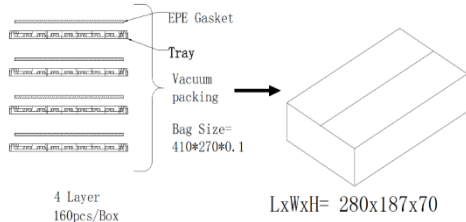
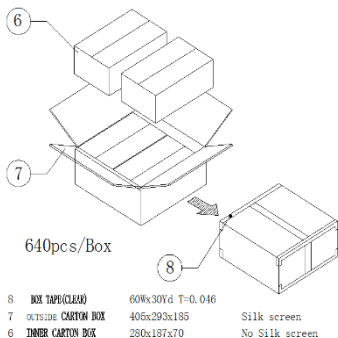


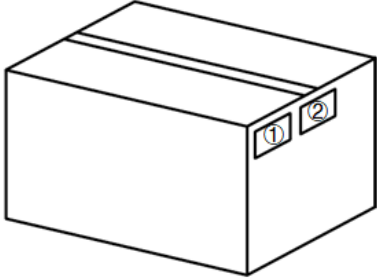
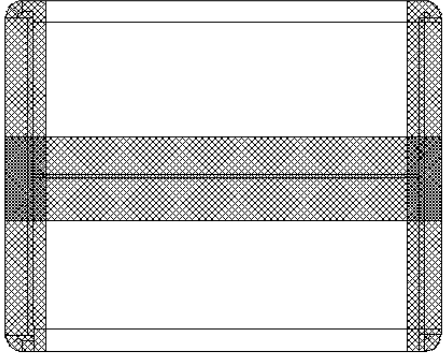
5.2. Active Circuit Design Recommendation

Antenna



6 Packaging

Step	Packaging Picture / 2D Picture	Description
1		(40 PCS Antennas / Tray)
2		The inner box contains 4 plastic trays. (160 PCS Antennas / Inner Box)
3	 640pcs/Box 8 BOX TAPPCLEAR 60Wx30Vd T=0.046 7 OUTSIDE CARTON BOX 405x293x185 6 INNER CARTON BOX 280x187x70 Silk screen No Silk screen ..	(4 Inner Boxes / Carton Box) (640 pcs Antenna / Per 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 = 405 × 293 × 185 mm</u>

4		Position for Attaching Labels ① Carton Label ② Quality Label
5		Sealing Cartons H-shaped sealing cartons
Note	The initial packaging method described above is for reference only, and the final actual packaging method shall be subject to the actual shipping packaging.	

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1.2	2024-10-12	Rhone WEI	- Added the description of the pin footprint figure (Chapter 4). - Added Chapter 5.
2.0	2024-12-07	Rhone WEI	Numerous changes were made to this document. It should be read in its entirety.



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