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## **Cellular Quad Band Flex Antenna**

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## PRODUCT SPECIFICATION

# **Cellular Quad Band Flex Antenna**

#### 1.0 SCOPE

This Product Specification covers the mechanical, electrical and environmental performances requirements and test methods for Cellular Quad Band Flex Antenna with solder cable.

#### 2.0 PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

#### 2.1 PRODUCT NAME AND SERIES NUMBER (S)

Product name: Cellular Quad Band Flex Antenna-1461850100

#### 2.2 Design and Construction

Antenna construction and physical dimensions specified on the applicable sales drawing.

#### 2.3 Materials

a) Flex: Refer to sales drawing of 1461850100
b) Cable Line: Refer to sales drawing of 1461850100
c) Connector: Refer to sales drawing of 1461850100

#### 3.0 APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS AND SPECIFICATIONS

See drawings and other sections of this specification for the relevant reference documents. In cases where the specification differs from the drawings, the drawings take precedence.

#### 4.0 RATINGS

#### 4.1 RF POWER

2 WATTS MAX

#### **4.2 TEMPERATURE**

Operating: - 30°C to 85°C Storage: - 40°C to 95°C

#### 4.3 HUMIDITY

Operating: -30°C to 85°C

-30°C to 50°C, 85%RH or less 50°C to 85°C, 60%RH or less

Storage: -40°C to 95°C

-40°C to 50°C, 85%RH or less 50°C to 95°C, 60%RH or less

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## 5.0 PERFORMANCE

## 5.1 ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR CABLE LENGTH 50mm (1461850050)

DESCRIPTION	TEST CONDITION REQUIREMENTS		REMENTS
Frequency Range	0.824GHz~2.7GHz	824MHz~960MHz	1.71GHz~2.7GHz
Return Loss	Antenna loaded on PC/ABS housing (thickness 1mm) with 100mm 1.13mm diameter micro coaxial cable Measured by VNA5071C	< -4 dB	< -4 dB
Peak Gain	Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through OTA chamber	1.5dBi	3.2dBi
Total Efficiency	Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through OTA chamber	>61%	>67%
Measure antenna on Polarization recommended PC/ABS housing through OTA chamber		Lir	near
Input Impedance	ut Impedance Recommended PC/ABS 50 Ohms housing through VNA E5071C		Ohms

## 5.2 ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR CABLE LENGTH 100mm (1461850100)

DESCRIPTION	TEST CONDITION	REQUIREMENTS	
Frequency Range	0.824GHz~2.7GHz	824MHz~960MHz	1.71GHz~2.7GHz
Return Loss	Antenna loaded on PC/ABS housing (thickness 1mm) with 100mm 1.13mm diameter micro coaxial cable Measured by VNA5071C	< -4 dB	< -4 dB
Peak Gain	Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through OTA chamber	1.4 dBi	3 dBi
Total Efficiency	Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through OTA chamber	>60%	>65%
Polarization	Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through OTA chamber	Linear	
Input Impedance	Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through VNA E5071C	ABS 50 Ohms	

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## 5.3 ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR CABLE LENGTH 150mm (1461850150)

DESCRIPTION	TEST CONDITION	REQUIREMENTS		
Frequency Range	0.824GHz~2.7GHz	824MHz~960MHz	1.71GHz~2.7GHz	
Return Loss	Antenna loaded on PC/ABS housing (thickness 1mm) with 100mm 1.13mm diameter micro coaxial cable Measured by VNA5071C	< -4 dB	< -4 dB	
Peak Gain	Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through OTA chamber	1.3 dBi	2.8 dBi	
Total Efficiency	Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through OTA chamber	>58%	>62%	
Polarization	Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through OTA chamber	Linear		
Measure antenna on Input Impedance recommended PC/ABS housing through VNA E5071C 50 Ohms		Ohms		

## 5.4 ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR CABLE LENGTH 200mm (1461850200)

DESCRIPTION	TEST CONDITION	REQUIREMENTS	
Frequency Range	0.824GHz~2.7GHz	824MHz~960MHz	1.71GHz~2.7GHz
Return Loss	Antenna loaded on PC/ABS housing (thickness 1mm) with 100mm 1.13mm diameter micro coaxial cable Measured by VNA5071C	1mm) with neter micro < -4 dB < -4 dB	
Peak Gain	Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through OTA chamber	1.2dBi	2.7dBi
Total Efficiency	Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through OTA chamber	>57%	>60%
Polarization Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through OTA chamber		near	
Input Impedance	Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through VNA E5071C	50 Ohms	

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## 5.5 ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR CABLE LENGTH 250mm (1461850250)

DESCRIPTION	TEST CONDITION	REQUIR	REMENTS
Frequency Range	0.824GHz~2.7GHz 824MHz~960M		1.71GHz~2.7GHz
Return Loss	Antenna loaded on PC/ABS housing (thickness 1mm) with 100mm 1.13mm diameter micro coaxial cable Measured by VNA5071C	< -4 dB	< -4 dB
Peak Gain	Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through OTA chamber	1dBi	2.5dBi
Total Efficiency	Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through OTA chamber	>56%	>58%
Polarization	Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through OTA chamber	Linear	
Input Impedance	Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through VNA E5071C	nded PC/ABS housing 50 Ohms	

## 5.6 ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR CABLE LENGTH 300mm (1461850300)

DESCRIPTION	TEST CONDITION	REQUIREMENTS		
Frequency Range	0.824GHz~2.7GHz	824MHz~960MHz	1.71GHz~2.7GHz	
Return Loss	Antenna loaded on PC/ABS housing (thickness 1mm) with 100mm 1.13mm diameter micro coaxial cable Measured by VNA5071C	< -4 dB	< -4 dB	
Peak Gain	Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through OTA chamber	0.9dBi	2.3dBi	
Total Efficiency	Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing >55% through OTA chamber		>56%	
Measure antenna on Polarization recommended PC/ABS housing through OTA chamber		near		
Input Impedance	Input Impedance Measure antenna on recommended PC/ABS housing through VNA E5071C 50 Ohms		Ohms	

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#### 5.7 CABLE LOSS

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	TEST CONDITION	REQUIREMENT			
5.7.1	Frequency Range	824MHz~6GHz	824MHz~960 MHz	1.7GHz~2.7 GHz	3GHz~5GHz	5GHz~6GHz
5.7.2	Attenuation	1m cable measured by VNA5071C	≤1.8dB/m	≤3.5dB/m	≤4dB/m	≤5dB/m

#### 5.8 CABLE LENGTH AFFECT THE ANTENNA PERFORMANCE

Balance antenna resonance is insensitive by cable's length, but the cable's loss will affect the total Efficiency. Refer to 5.7

#### 5.9 MECHANICAL REQUIREMENTS

ITEM DESCRIPTION		TEST CONDITION	REQUIREMENT	
5.9.1	Pull test	Test machine: Max intelligent load tester Stick the flex antenna in a PC block, pull cable in horizontal direction	Pull force >8 N	

#### 5.10 ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

	ITEM	DESCRIPTION	TEST CONDITION	REQUIREMENT		
	5.10.1	Temperature /Humidity cycling	<ol> <li>Test condition:         <ol> <li>The device under test is kept for 30 mins in an environment with a temperature of -40 °C.</li> <li>Kept for 4 Hours in an environment with a temperature of 85 degrees and a relative humidity of 95%.</li> <li>Kept for 2 Hours in an environment with a temperature of 125 degrees and a relative humidity of 95%.</li> </ol> </li> <li>The cycle is repeated until a total of 40 cycles have been completed. Hereafter the conditions are stabilized at room temperature.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Parts should meet RF spec before and after test.</li> <li>No cosmetic problem</li> </ol>		
4	5.10.2	Temperature Shock	Test condition: The device under test at -40 °C ⇔125 °C by 100 cycles, Dwell of 30 mins, transition time between Dwell 30 secs (~ 61 mins / cycle ) and each item should be measured after exposing them in normal temperature and humidity for 24 h.	<ol> <li>Parts should meet RF spec before and after test.</li> <li>No cosmetic problem</li> </ol>		

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5.10.3	High Temperature	Test condition:  1) Temperature:125℃, time:1008hours  2) There is no substantial obstruction to air flow across and around the samples, and the samples are not touching each other	Parts should meet RF spec before and after test.     No cosmetic problem
5.10.4	Salt mist test	1.Test condition: The device under test is exposed to a spray of a 5% (by volume) resolution of NaCL in water for 2 hours. Thereafter the device under test is left for 1 week in room temperature at a relative humidity of 95%. The cycle is repeated until a total of 2 cycles have been completed. Here after the conditions are stabilized at room temperature.	1) Parts should meet RF spec before and after test. 2) No visible corrosion, discoloration accept.

The meaning of text "No Cosmetic Problem" in the table above is:

- a. No soldering problemb. No adhesion problem of glue
- c. Cable & connector assembly orientation rotates 20°Max

#### 6.0 TEST GROUPINGS

Test Item	Description	Group1	Group2	Group3	Group4	Group5
5.9.1	Pull test	X				
5.10.1	Temperature /Humidity cycling		Х			
5.10.2	Temperature Shock			Х		
5.10.3	High Temperature				Х	
5.10.4	Salt mist test					Х
Sample Quantity		5	5	5	5	5

## 7.0 PACKAGING

Refer to Molex packaging drawing of 1461850100

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## **8.0 CHANGE HISTORY**

REV	DATA	DESCRIPTION
В	2022/10/31	Update the efficiency and gain values of Part 5 to be consistent with AS.

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