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Datasheet

MA310.A.LB.003

Description:

Magnet Mount GPS/GLONASS-SMA(M) 4G LTE/Cellular-SMA(M) 3M CFD-200

Features:

1*LTE Antenna

1*Active GNSS Antenna - GPS L1 and GLONASS L1

Magnetic Mounting

Dimension: $\varnothing 77\text{mm} \times 23\text{mm}$

IP67 Rated Enclosure

LTE: 3M TGC-200 Cable and SMA(M)ST Connector

GNSS: 3M RG-174 Cable and SMA(M)ST Connector

RoHS and REACH Compliant

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1. Introduction



The MA310 antenna is a combination small form factor high performance GPS/GLONASS and Penta-band Cellular (GSM/GPRS/CDMA/ PCS/DCS/ WCDMA/UMTS) antenna to simplify AVL or Fleet management antenna systems worldwide.

It comes with magnetic mount as standard. An internal O-ring meets stringent IP-67 waterproof standards. With the strongest GPS/GLONASS and Cellular antenna design team in the industry and rigorous testing Taoglas offers guaranteed performance with your system and your environment.

The standard version comes with 3 metres RG174 cable and SMA(M) connectors for both GPS/GLONASS and TGC-200 for Cellular feeds. Cables and connectors are customizable upon requests.

Features

GPS/GLONASS

- High LNA Gain up to 31 dB
- Antenna Gain 28 ± 2 dB
- Miniaturized to 56.2 x 16.8 mm
- Low Noise Figure 2.8 dB typ.
for GPS
- 3.2 dB typ. for GLONASS
- Ultra-Low Power Consumption
7~10mA typ. (at 3.3V DC)

Cellular

- Advanced penta-band cellular
Antenna (GSM/GPRS/CDMA/
PCS/DCS/WCDMA/UMTS/HSPA)
- GSM850: 824~896MHz,
GSM900: 880~960MHz,
- DCS: 1710~1880MHz,
DCS: 1850~1990MHz
- UMTS/WCDMA/
HSPA: 1920~2170MHz

Other

- IP67 Water Resistant due to
Internal O-Ring Structure
- Quality textured covert design.
- Low profile.
- ABS housing
- Optional cables and connectors
- ROHS Compliant

2. Specifications

LTE Antenna								
Frequency (MHz)		LTE700	GSM850	GSM900	DCS	PCS	UMTS1	LTE2600
		698~824	824~894	880~960	1710~1880	1850~1990	1920~2170	2490~2690
Efficiency (%)								
Free Space	0.3M	24.98	63.74	66.67	50.46	60.06	58.44	40.03
	1M	23.74	60.87	63.66	46.01	54.76	53.84	36.51
	2M	22.15	55.72	58.06	41.00	48.41	47.18	31.73
	3M	20.44	51.81	54.05	36.44	42.61	41.71	27.66
On 30x30cm Ground Plane	0.3M	36.38	53.95	41.12	61.58	58.88	53.86	47.87
	1M	34.52	51.52	39.26	56.16	53.70	49.62	43.66
	2M	32.22	47.22	35.81	50.05	47.49	43.48	37.74
	3M	29.79	43.85	33.35	44.50	41.79	38.45	32.64
Average Gain (dB)								
Free Space	0.3M	-6.02	-1.96	-1.76	-2.97	-2.21	-2.33	-3.98
	1M	-6.25	-2.16	-1.96	-3.37	-2.62	-2.69	-4.38
	2M	-6.55	-2.54	-2.36	-3.87	-3.15	-3.26	-4.99
	3M	-6.89	-2.86	-2.67	-4.38	-3.71	-3.80	-5.58
On 30x30cm Ground Plane	0.3M	-4.39	-2.68	-3.86	-2.11	-2.30	-2.69	-3.20
	1M	-4.62	-2.88	-4.06	-2.51	-2.70	-3.04	-3.60
	2M	-4.92	-3.26	-4.46	-3.01	-3.23	-3.62	-4.23
	3M	-5.26	-3.58	-4.77	-3.52	-3.79	-4.15	-4.86
Peak Gain (dBi)								
Free Space	0.3M	-4.01	-1.14	-1.31	-2.33	-1.71	-1.71	-2.69
	1M	-4.21	-1.34	-1.51	-2.73	-2.11	-2.11	-3.09
	2M	-4.51	-1.74	-1.91	-3.23	-2.71	-2.71	-3.69
	3M	-4.91	-2.04	-2.21	-3.83	-3.21	-3.21	-4.19
On 30x30cm Ground Plane	0.3M	-3.13	-2.43	-2.81	-1.62	-2.10	-2.10	-2.76
	1M	-3.33	-2.63	-3.01	-2.02	-2.50	-2.50	-3.16
	2M	-3.63	-3.03	-3.41	-2.52	-3.10	-3.10	-3.86
	3M	-4.03	-3.33	-3.71	-3.02	-3.60	-3.60	-4.46
Impedance	50 Ω							
Return loss	< -3 dB							
Polarization	Vertical							

GNSS Electrical

Frequency	GPS L1: 1575.42 MHz $\pm$ 1.023 MHz GLONASS L1: 1602 MHz $\pm$ 1.023 MHz		
Bandwidth - Return Loss <-10 dB	6 MHz min		
Return loss (GPS L1 GLONASS L1)	< -10 dB		
Passive Gain at Zenith (GPS L1 and GLONASS L1)	+1.0 dBic typ.		
Polarization	RHCP		
Impedance	50 Ω		
LNA Out-band Attenuation	fo = 1575.42MHz fo $\pm$ 30 MHz 5dB Min. fo $\pm$ 50 MHz 20dB Min. fo $\pm$ 100 MHz 25dB Min.		
Input Voltage	Min:1.8V	Typ. 3.0V	Max: 5.5V
Total Gain @ Zenith	25dBic	27dBic	29dBic
Current Consumption	6mA	12mA	30mA
Noise Figure	3.5dB	3.5dB	3.7dB

Mechanical

Dimensions	Φ 77*23mm		
Cable	LTE: 3000mm TGC-200 GNSS: 3000mm RG-174		
Connector	LTE: SMA(M) GNSS: SMA(M)		
Casing	PC+ABS		
Adhesive	3M 9448HK + CR4305		
Sealant	Glue		
Weight	212g		

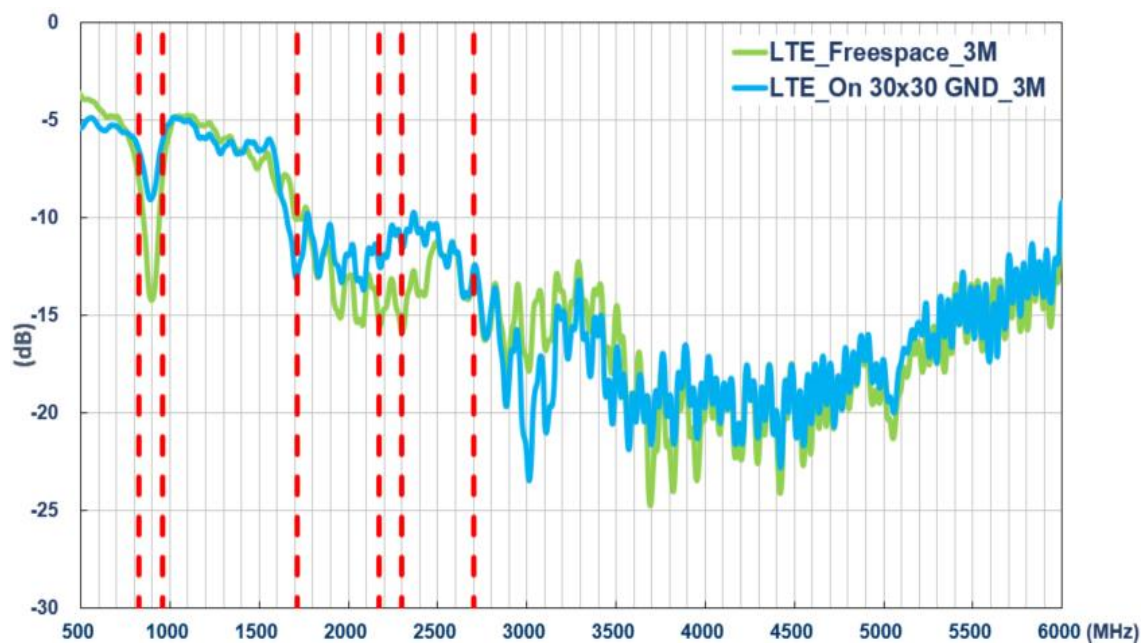
Environmental

IP Rating	IP67		
Corrosion	5% NaCl for 96hrs - Nickel plated steel base and thread		
Temperature Range	-40°C to +85°C		
Thermal Shock	100 cycles -40°C to +85°C		
Humidity	Non-condensing 65°C 95% RH		
Shock (Drop Test)	1m drop on concrete 6 axes		
Cable Pull	8 Kgf		
Magnetic Pull Force (Vertical)	1.5 Kg (f/cm ²)		

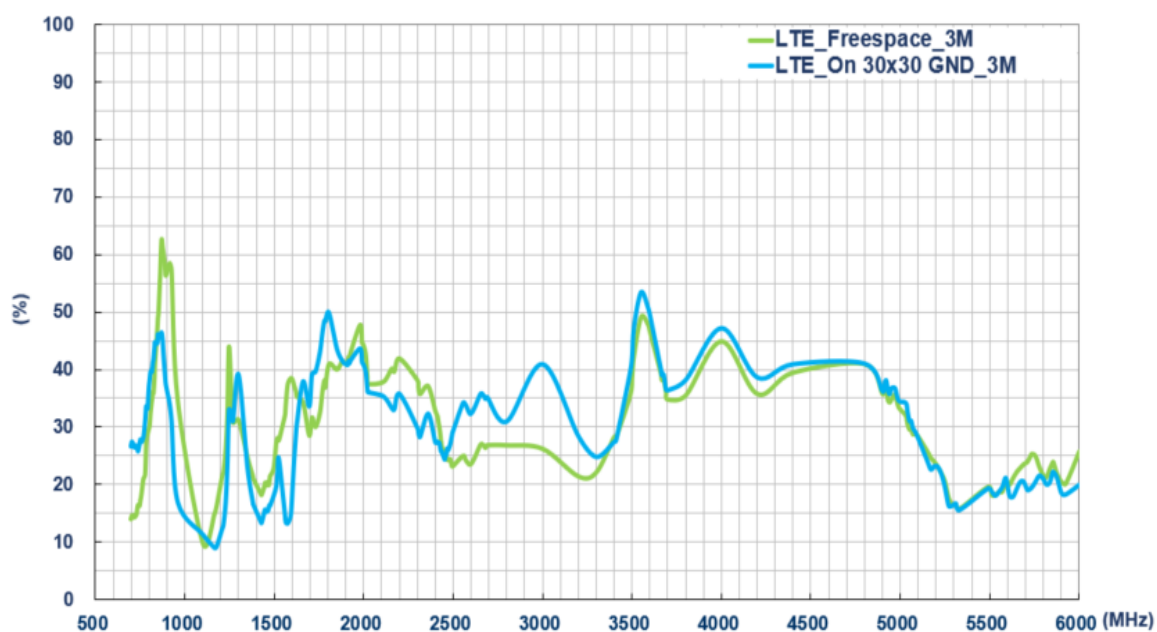
3. Antenna Characteristics

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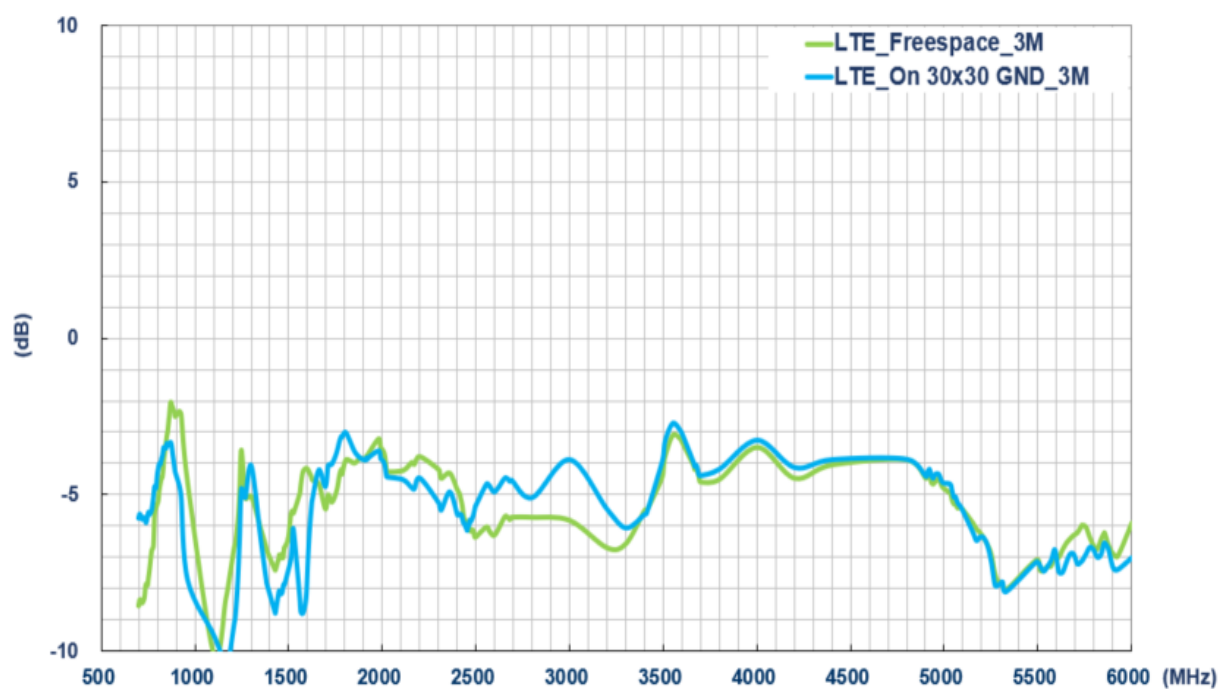
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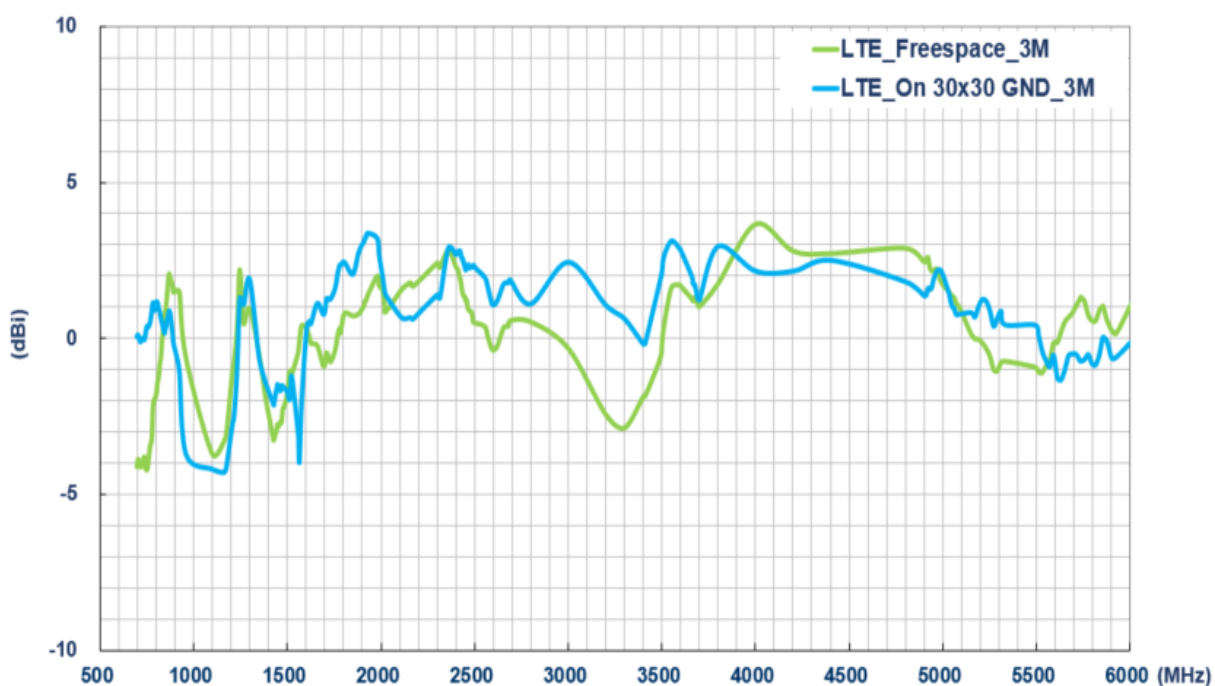
3.1.2. Efficiency – LTE



3.1.3. Average Gain – LTE

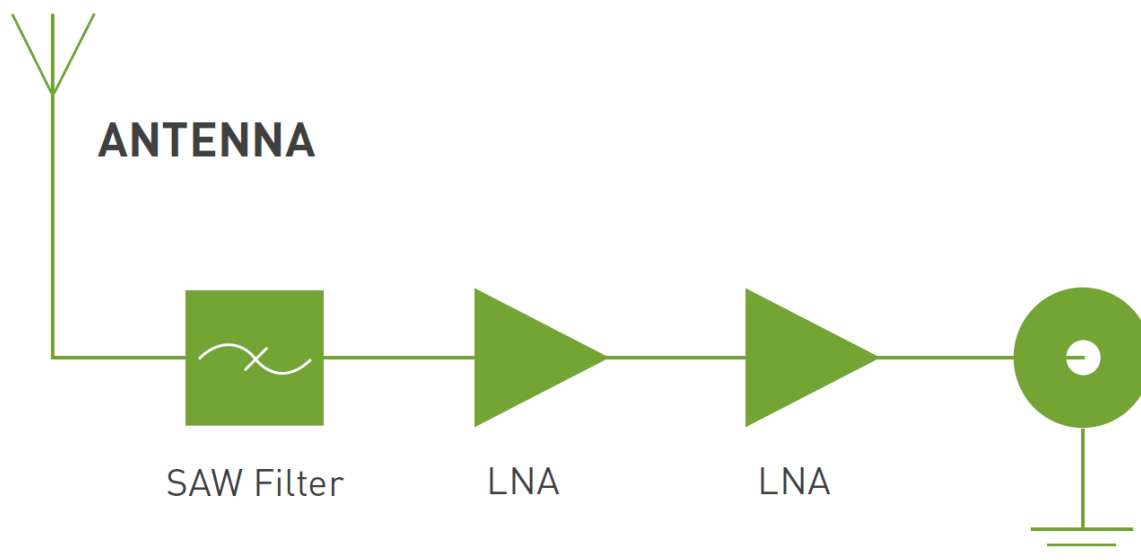


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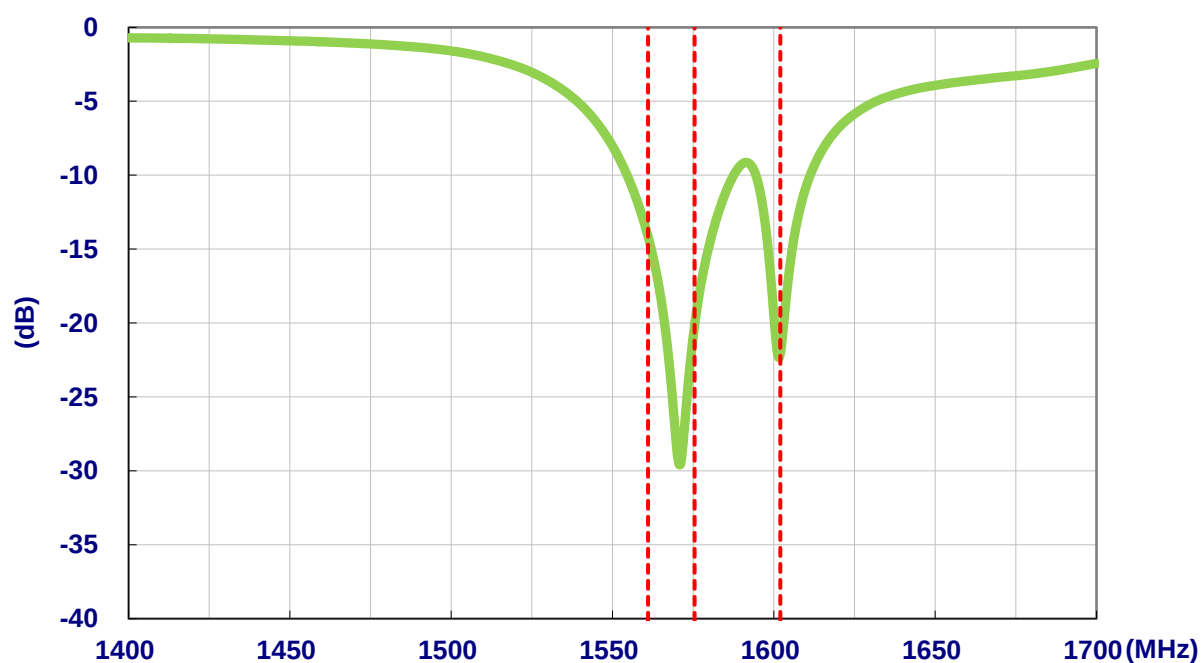


3.2 GNSS Antenna

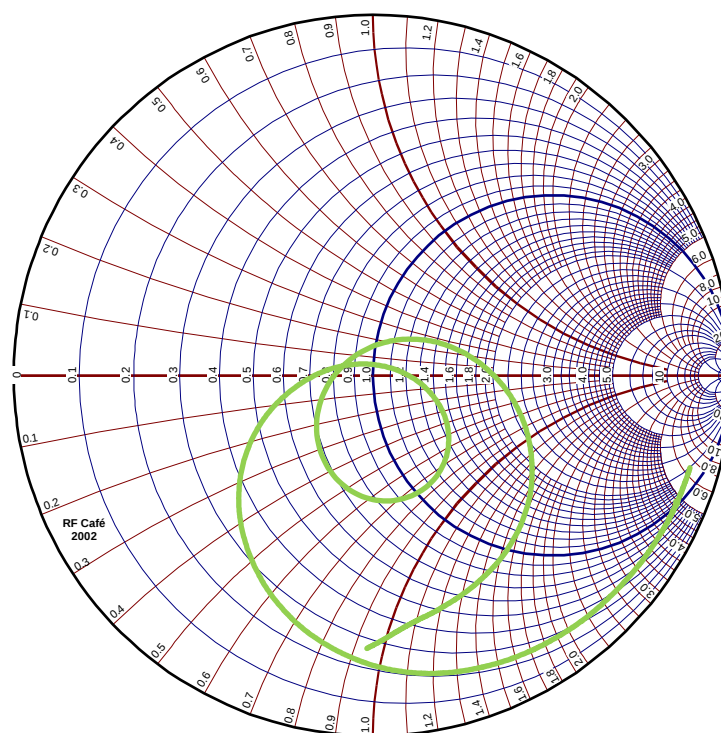
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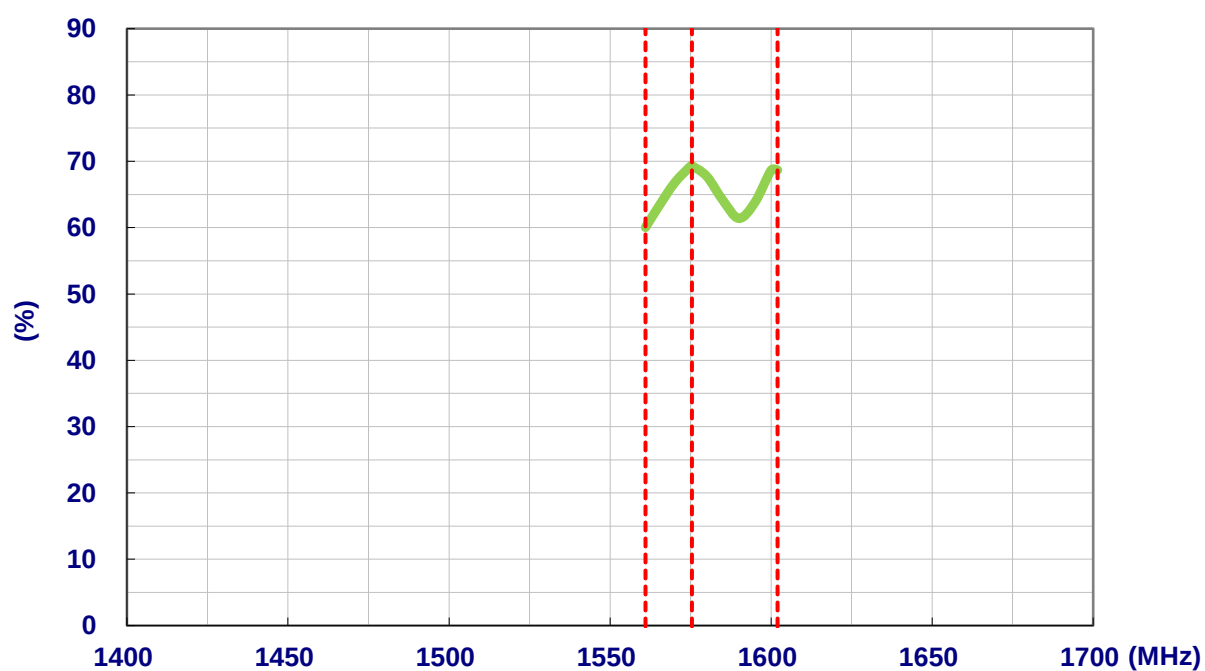
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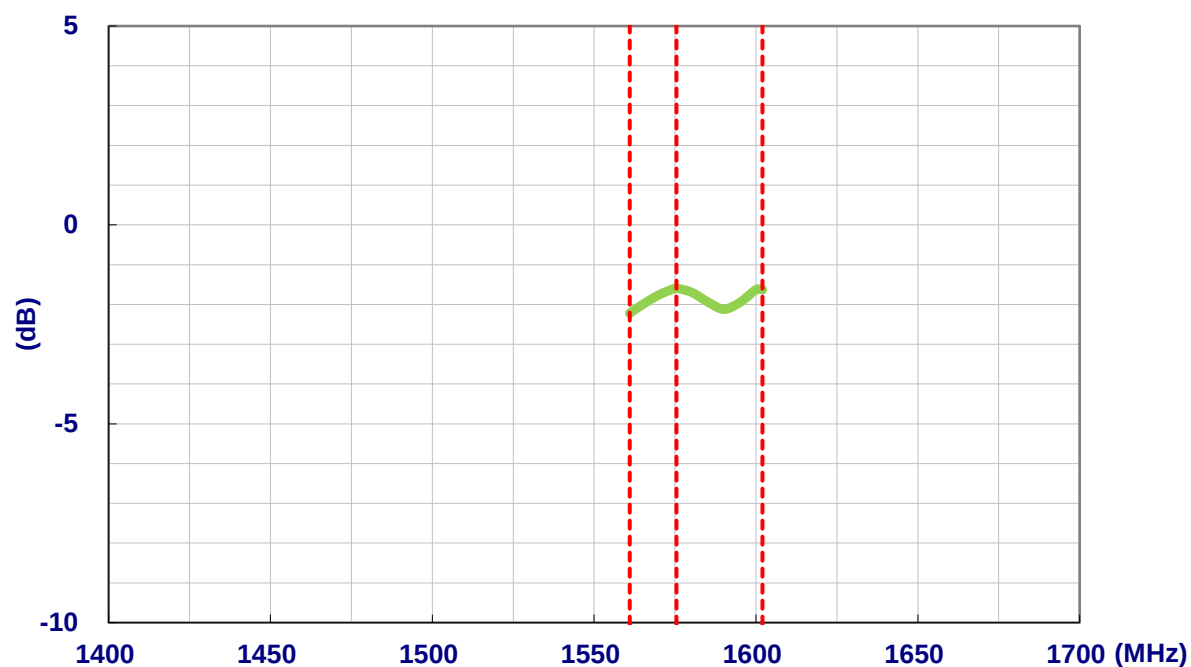
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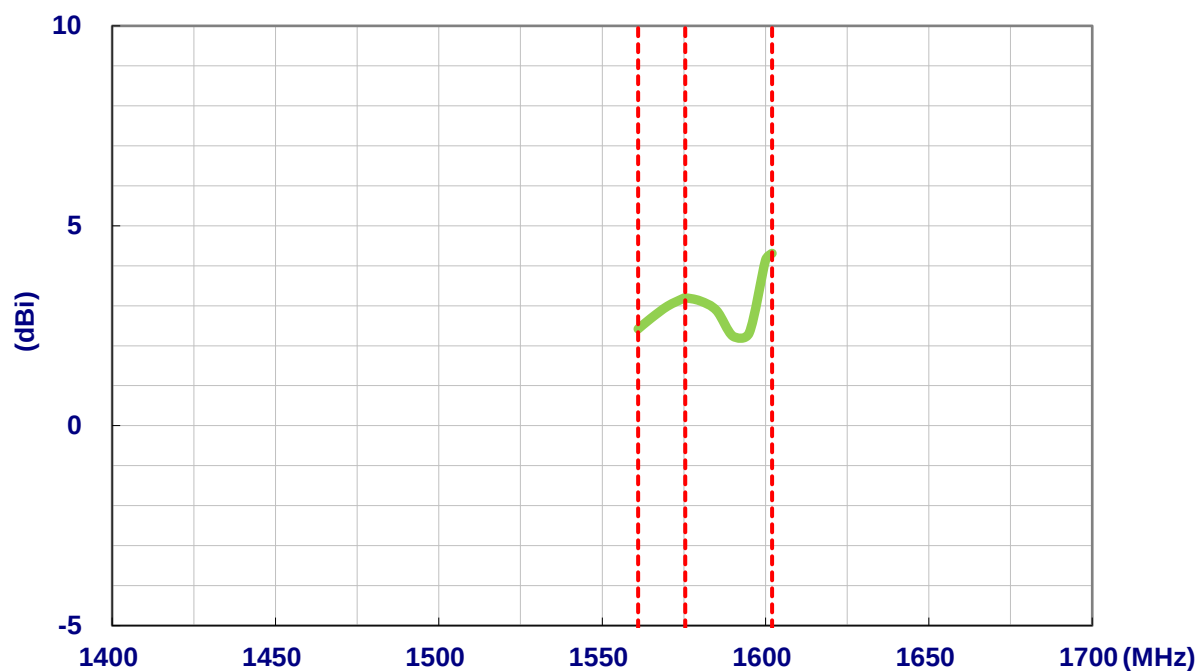
3.2.4. Efficiency – GNSS Antenna (passive measurement)



3.2.5. Average Gain – GNSS Antenna (passive measurement)

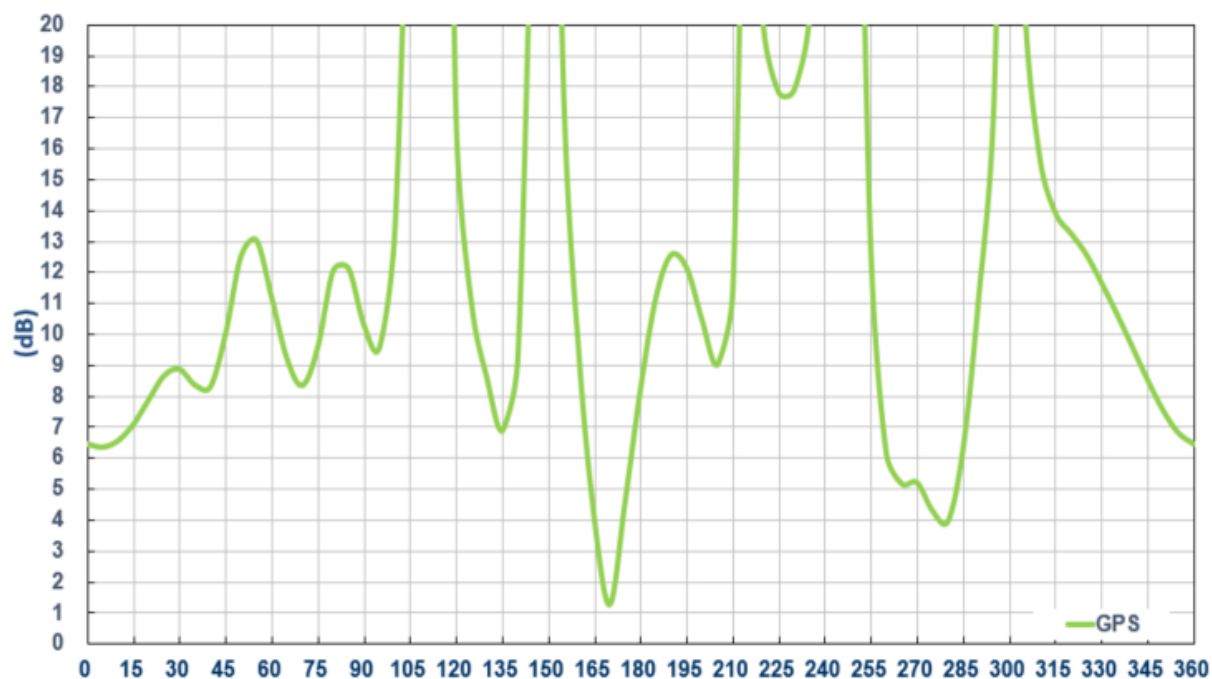


3.2.6. Peak Gain – GNSS Antenna (passive measurement)

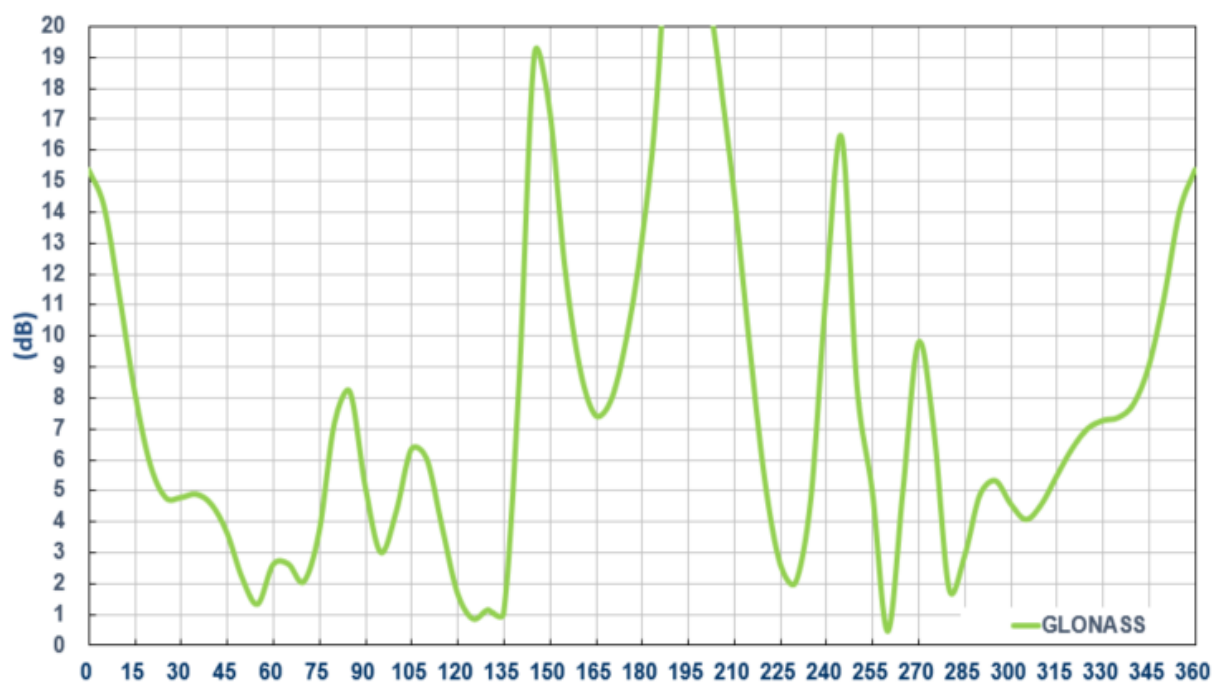


3.2.7. Axial Ratio – GNSS Antenna (Zenith is at 0°)

Axial Ratio at GPS L1 (1575.42 MHz)

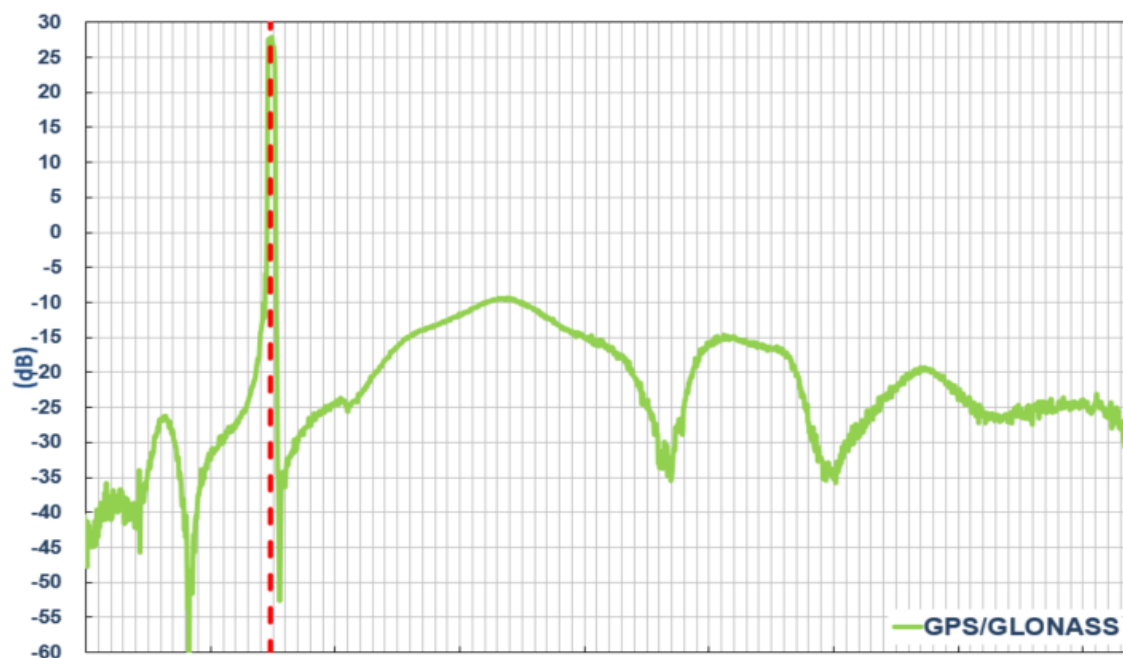


Axial Ratio at GLONASS L1 (1575.42 MHz)



3.2.8. GNSS Antenna Active Measurements

LNA Gain @ 3.0V

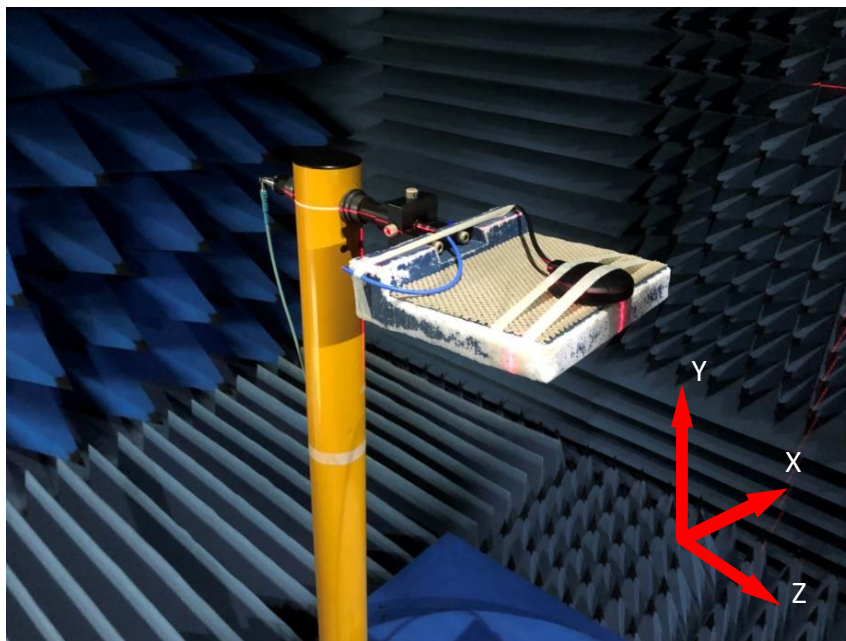


LNA Gain and Noise Figure @ 3.0V

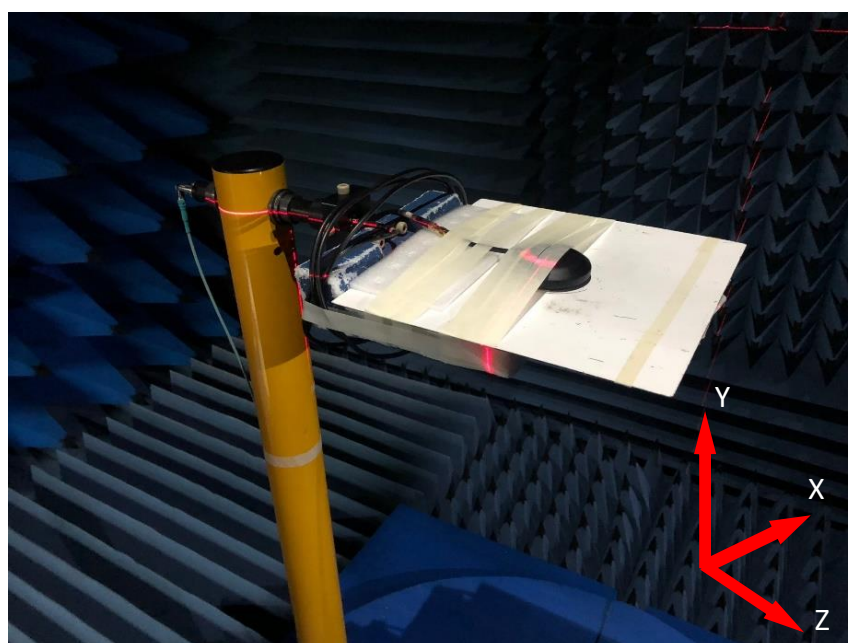


4. Antenna Radiation Patterns

4.1 Test Setup



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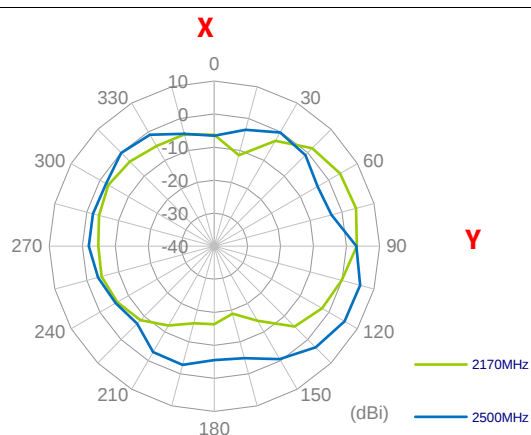
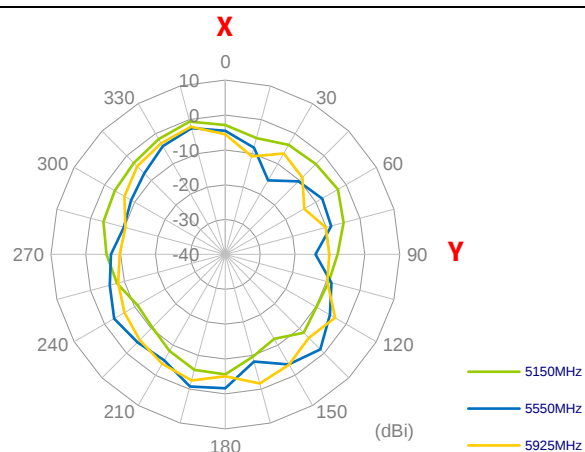
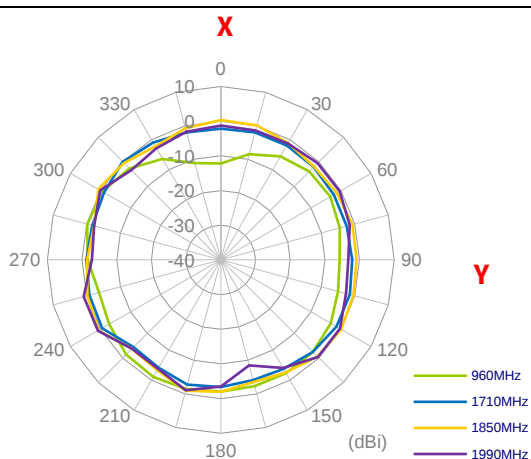
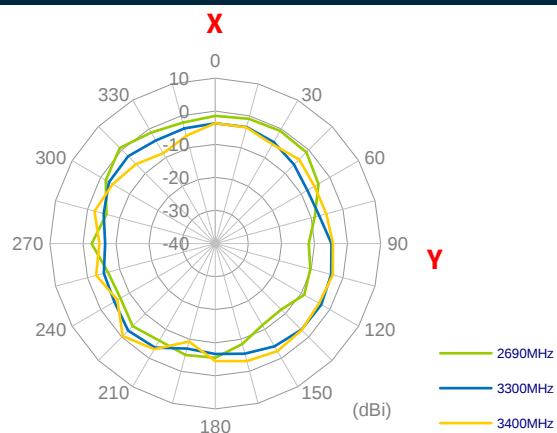
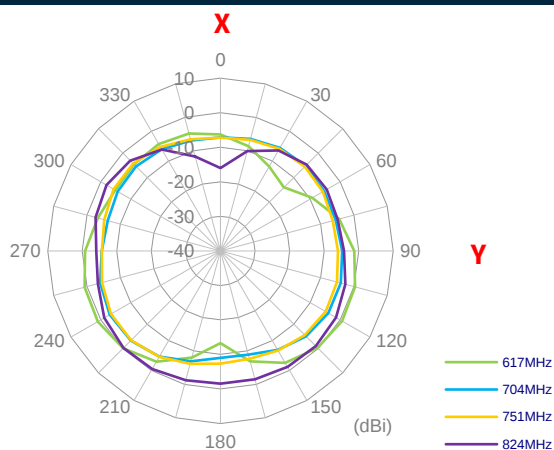


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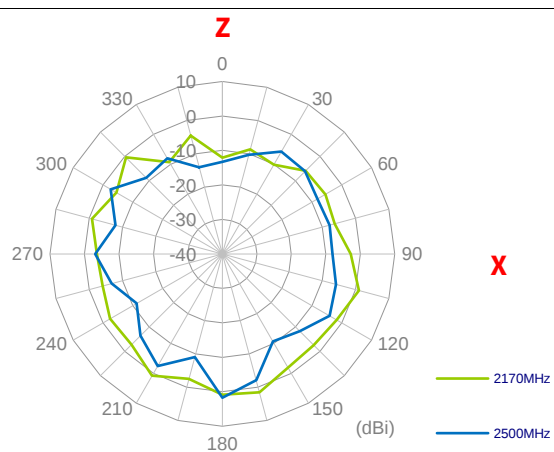
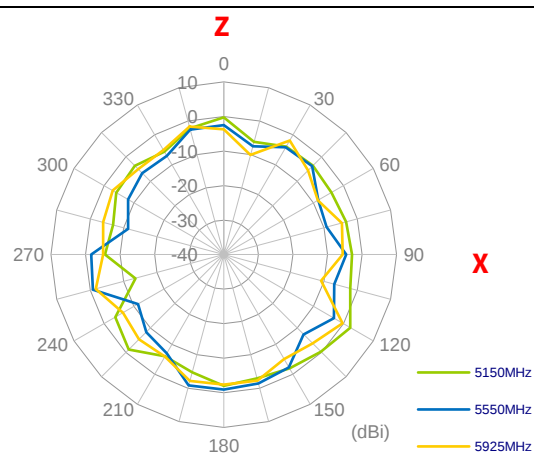
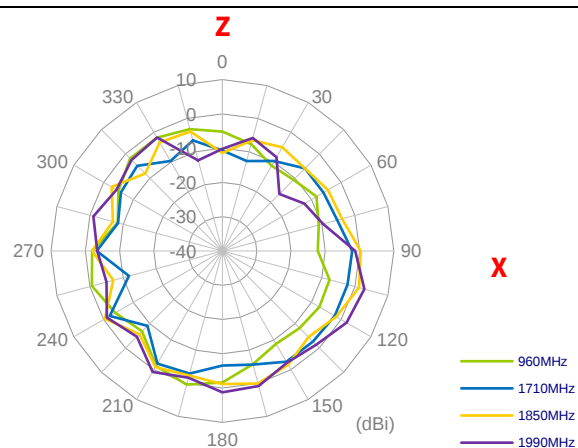
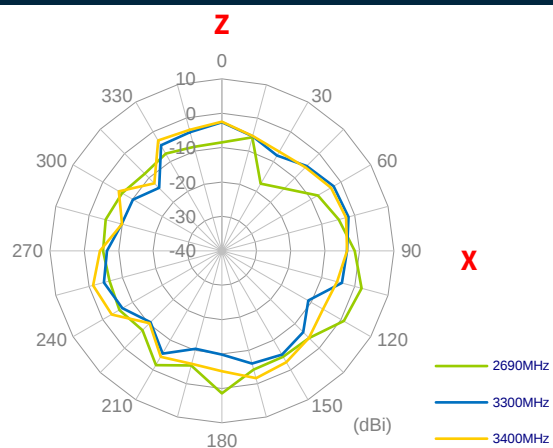
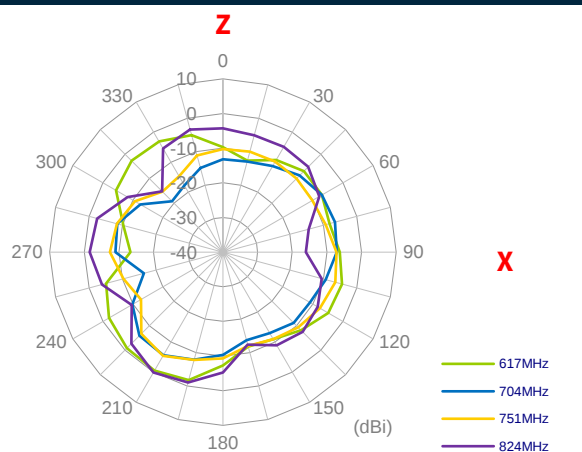
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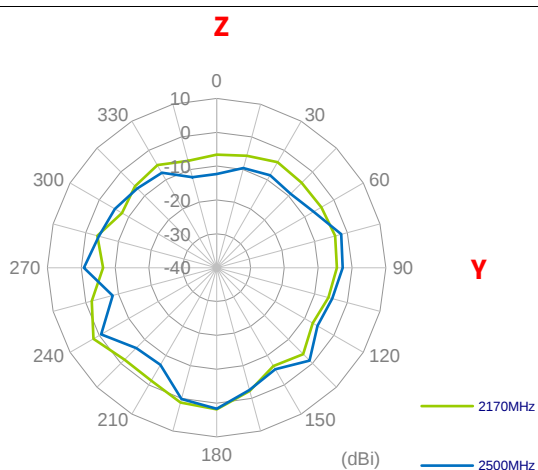
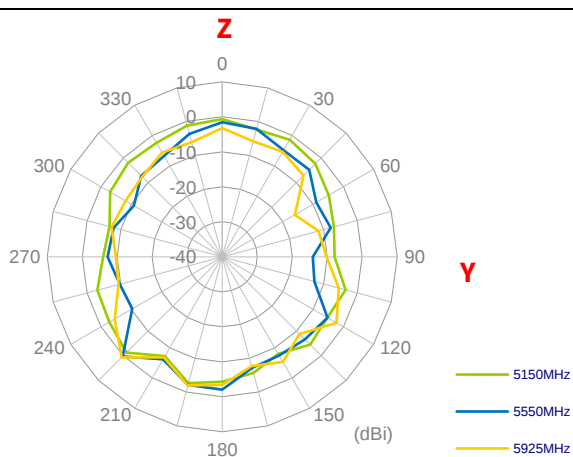
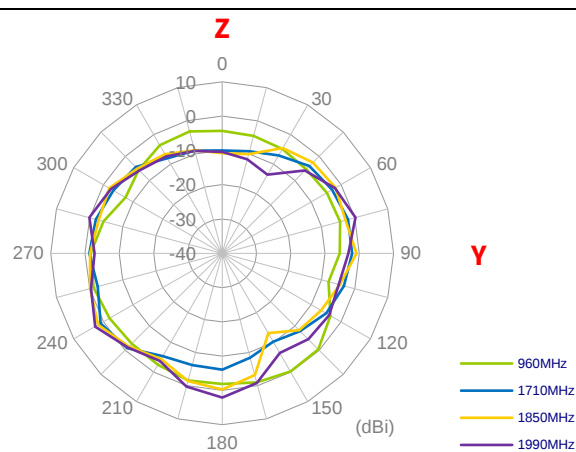
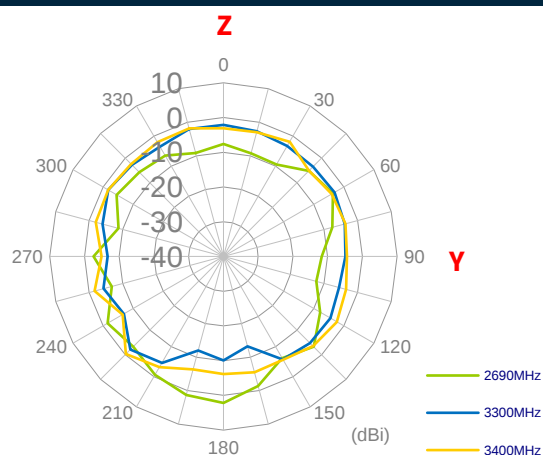
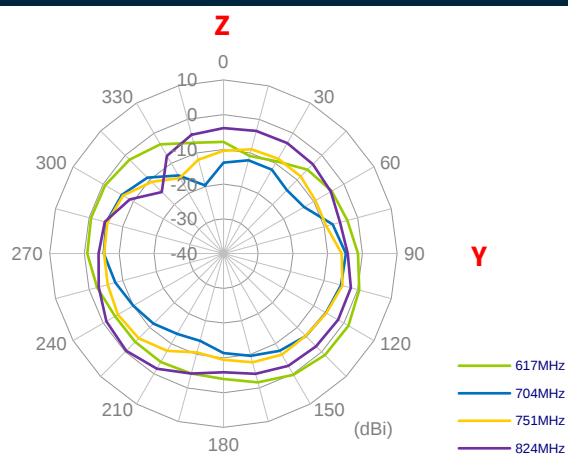
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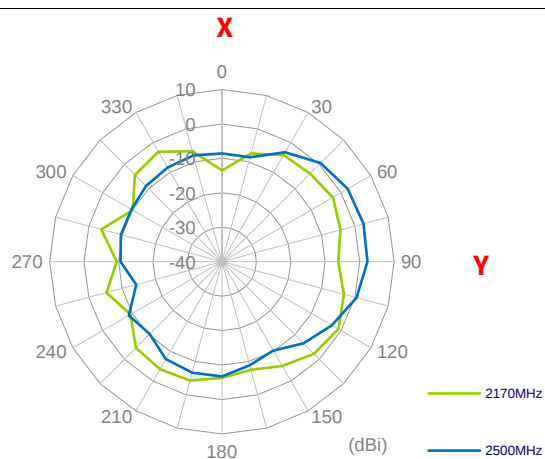
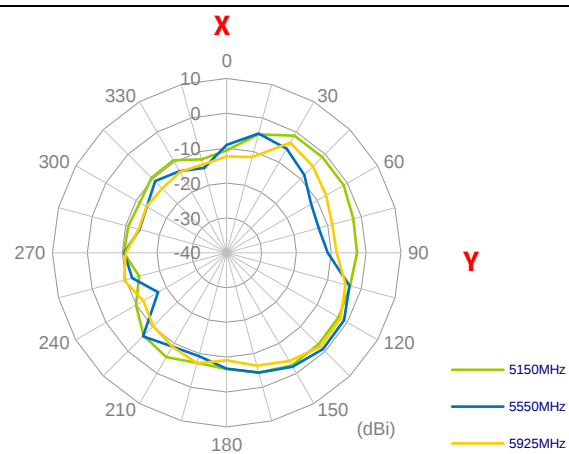
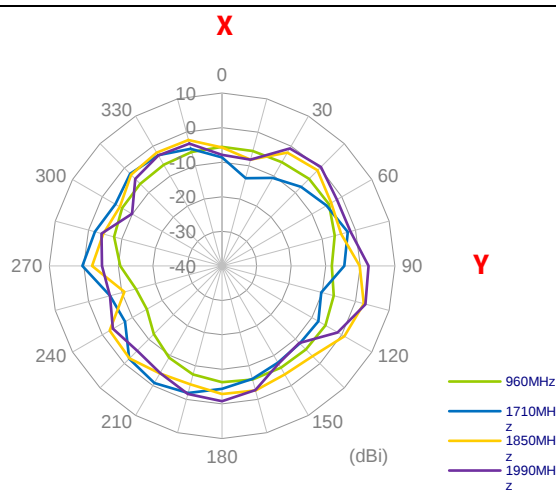
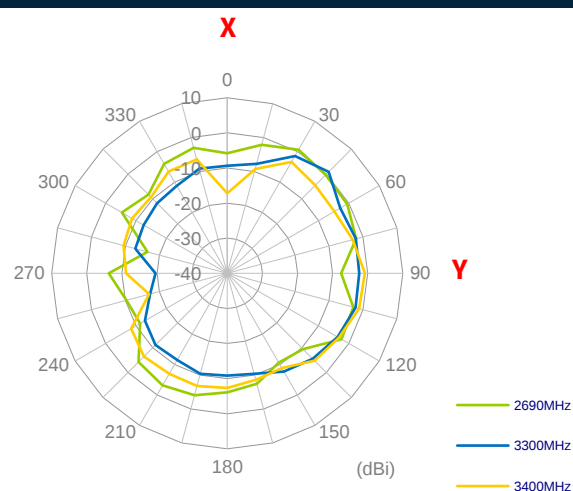
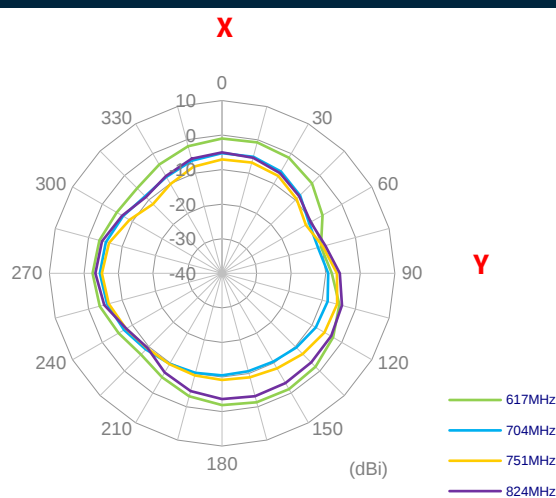


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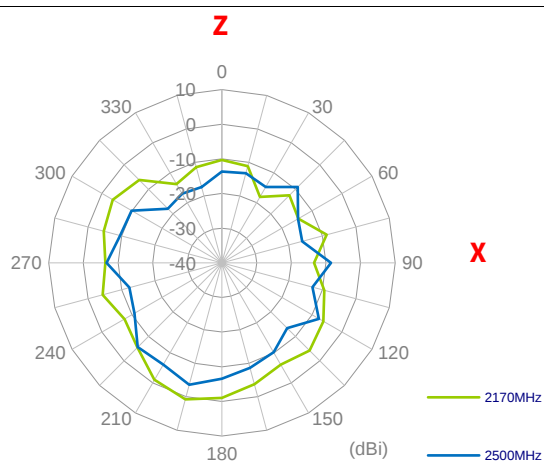
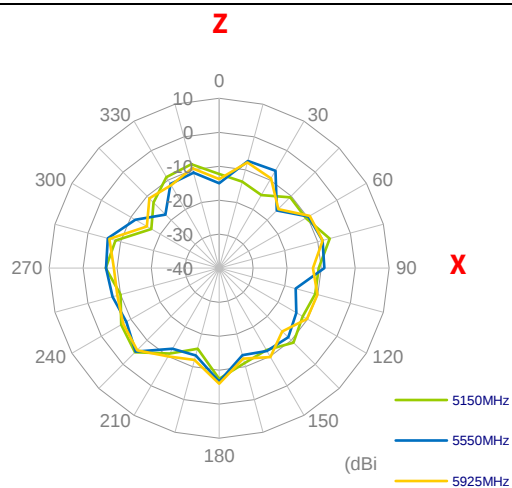
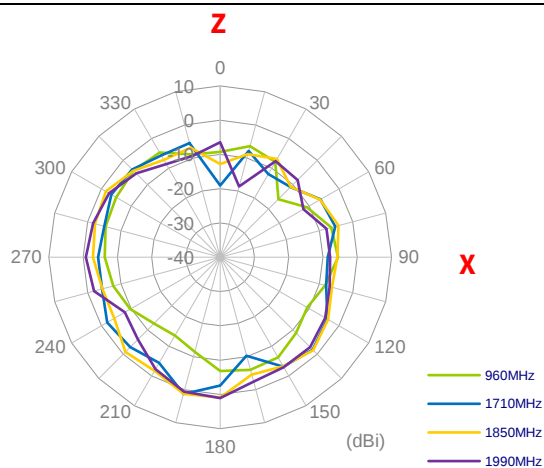
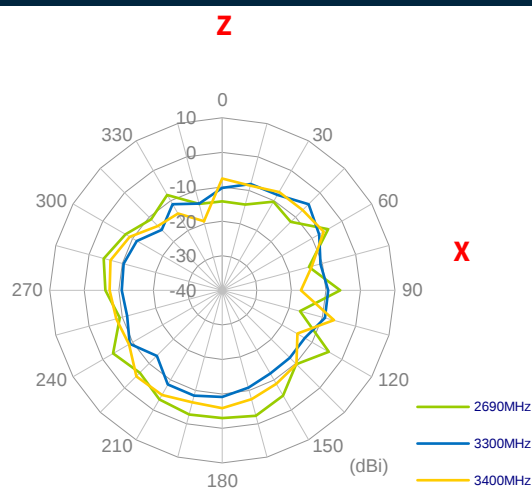
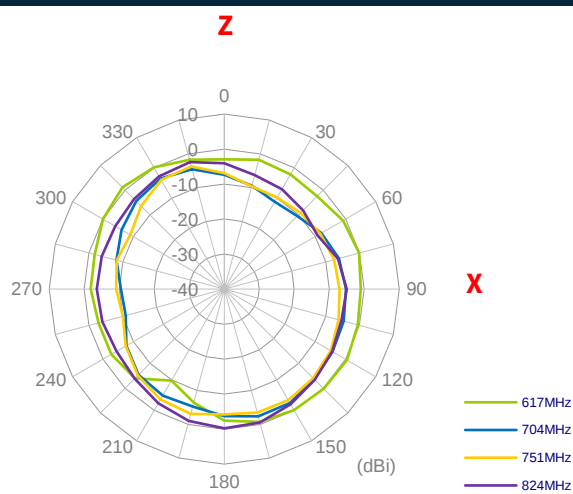


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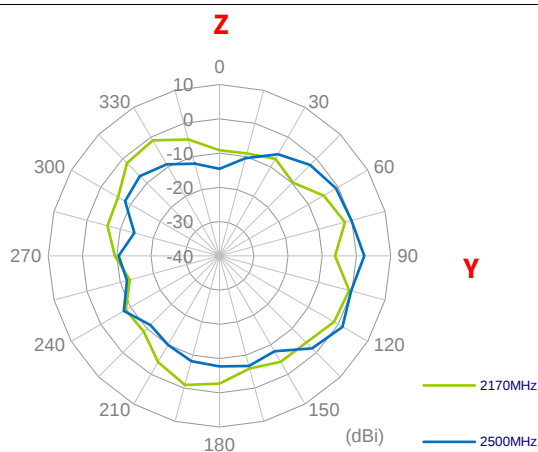
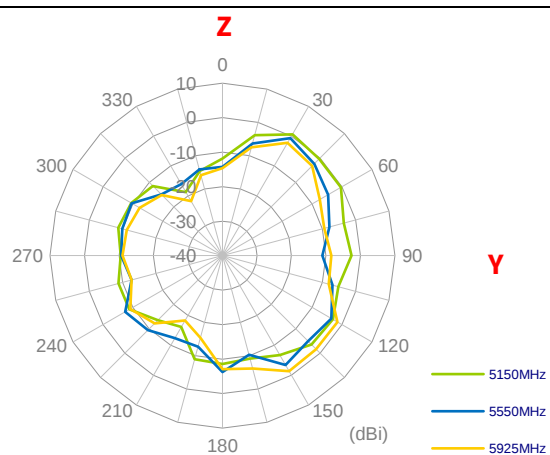
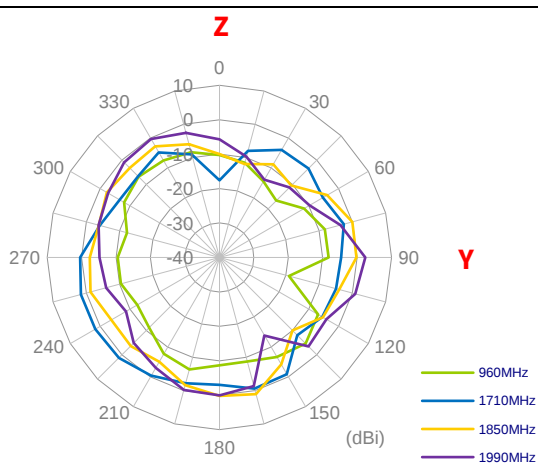
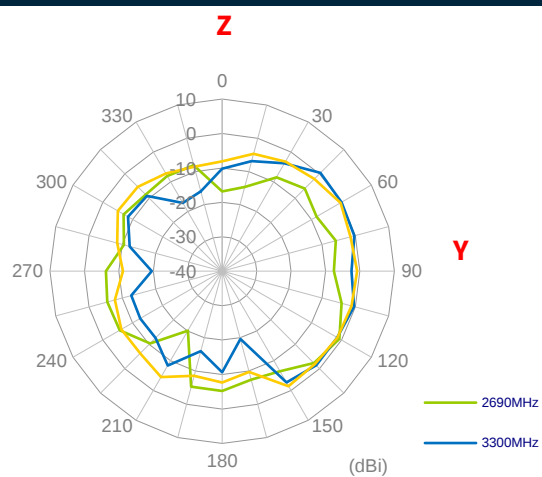
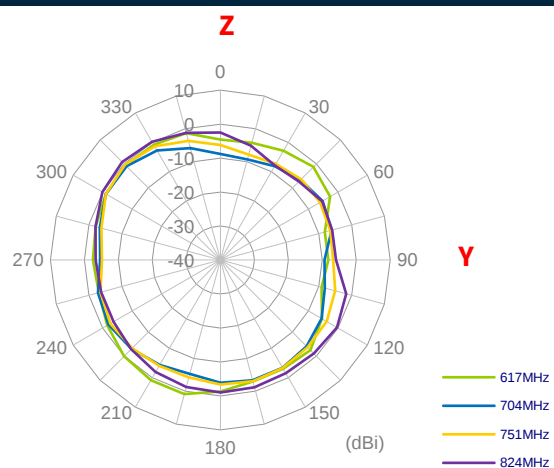
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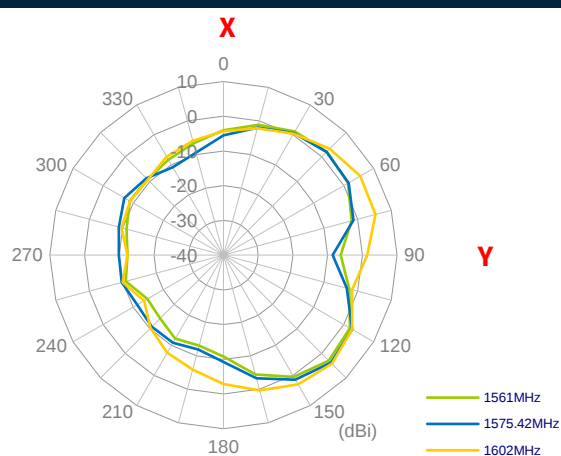


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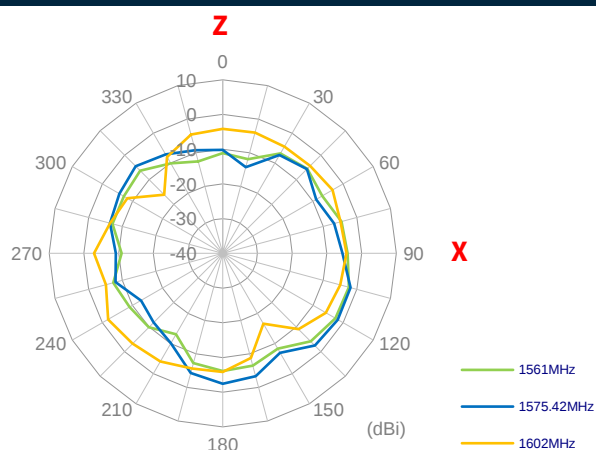


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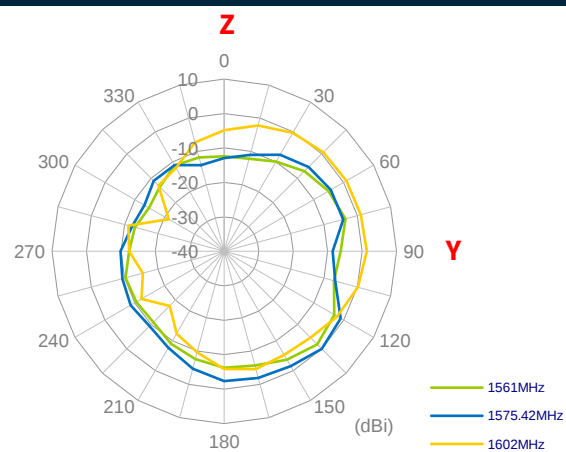
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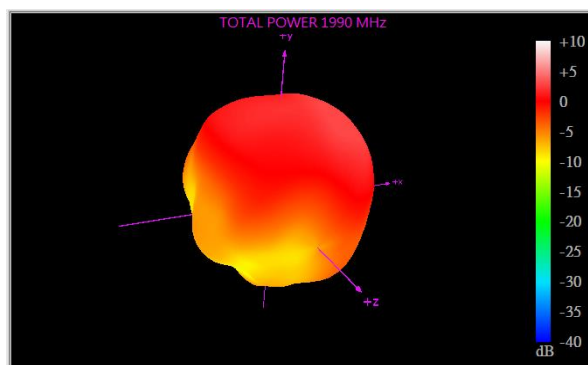
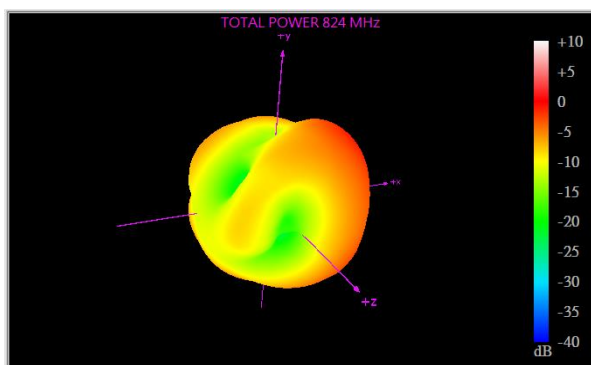
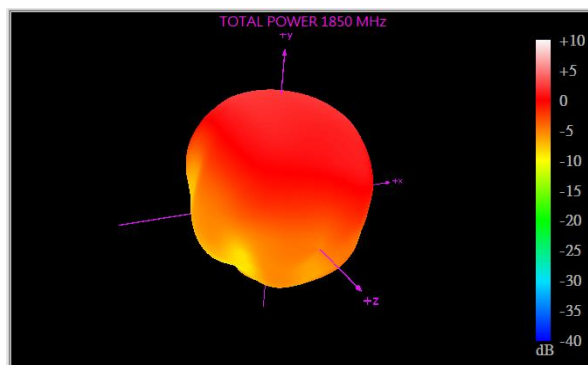
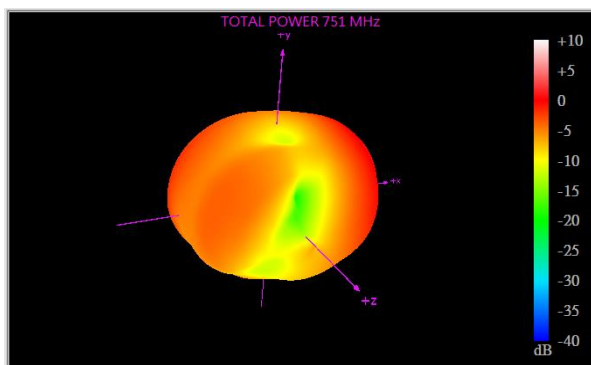
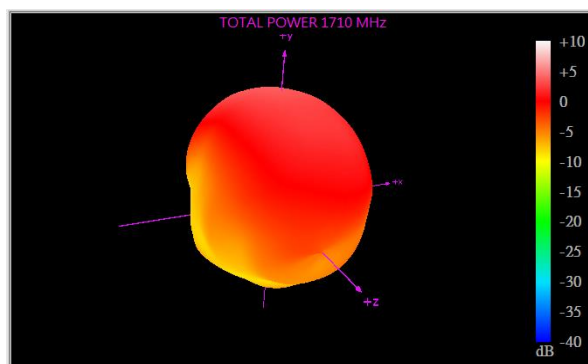
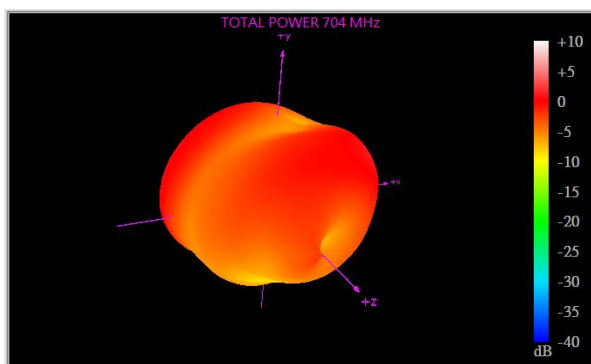
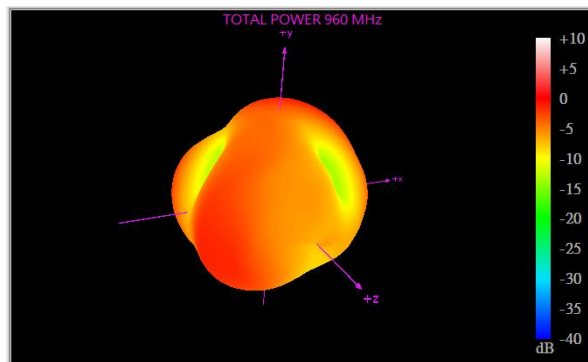
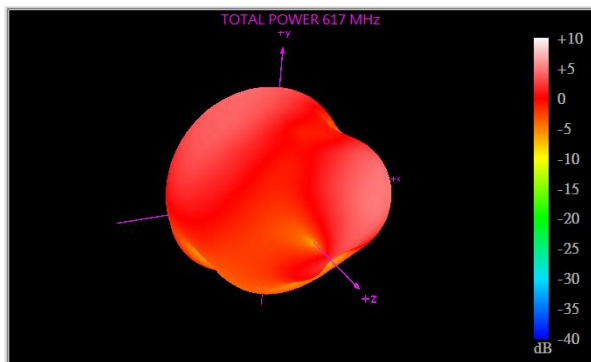


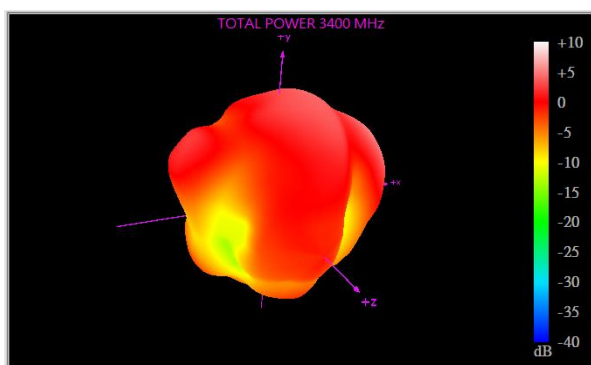
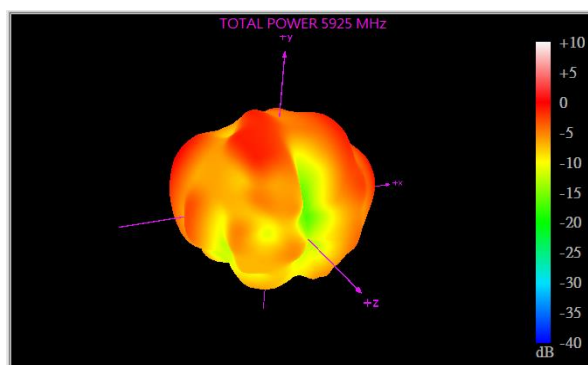
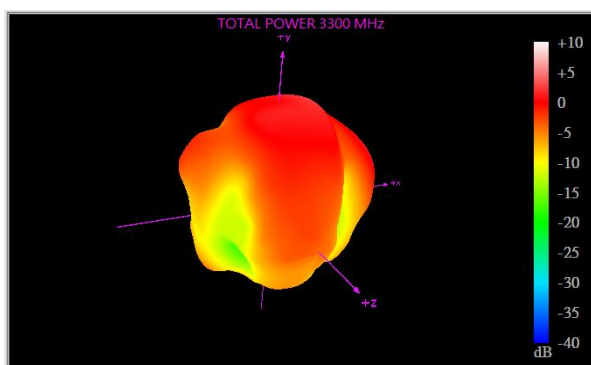
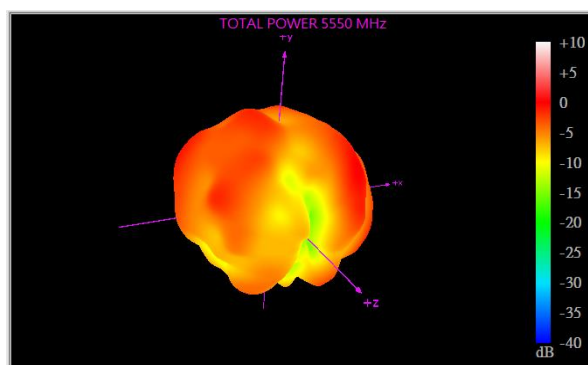
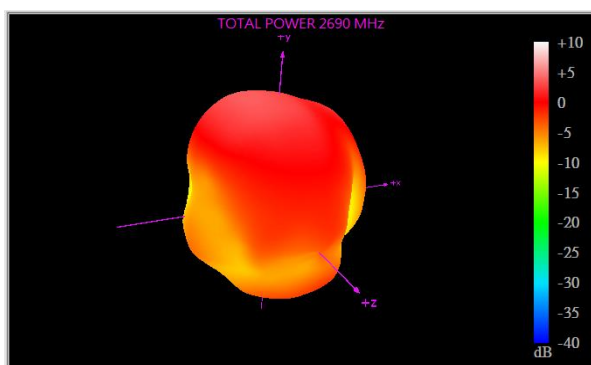
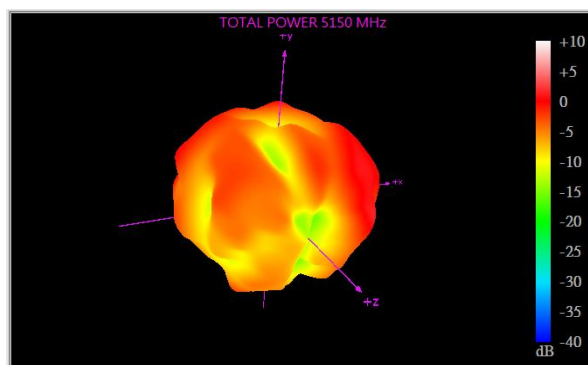
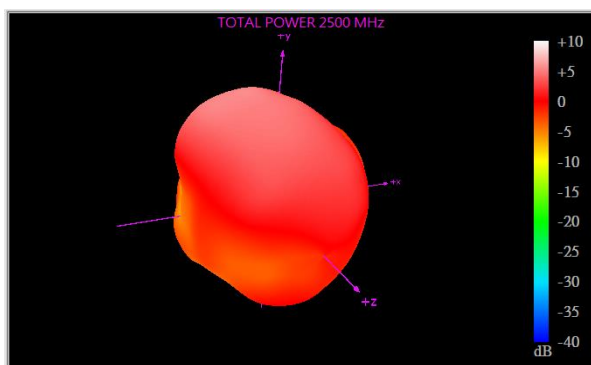
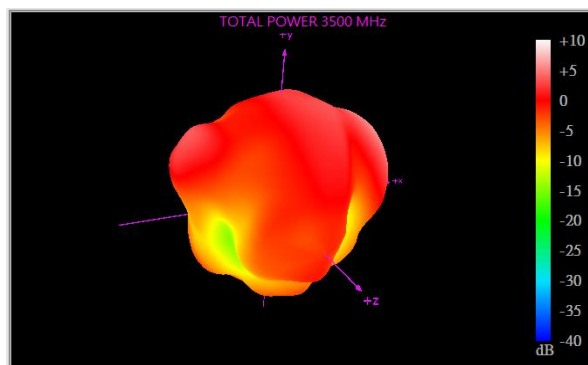
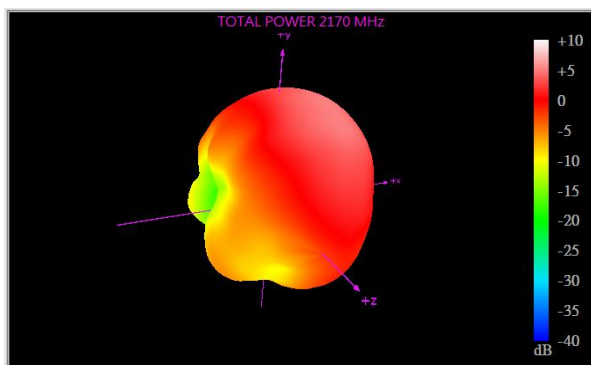
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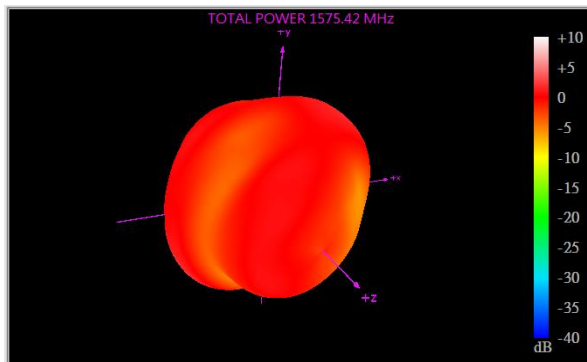
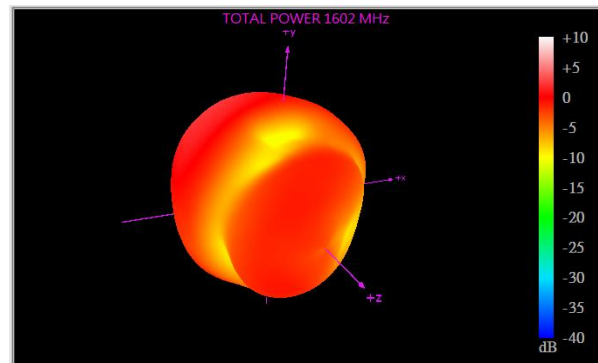
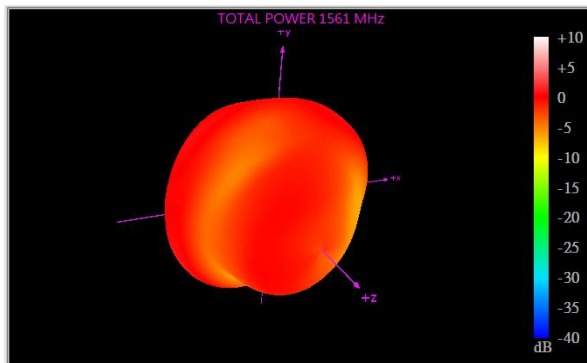
4.3 3D Radiation Patterns

4.3.1. LTE

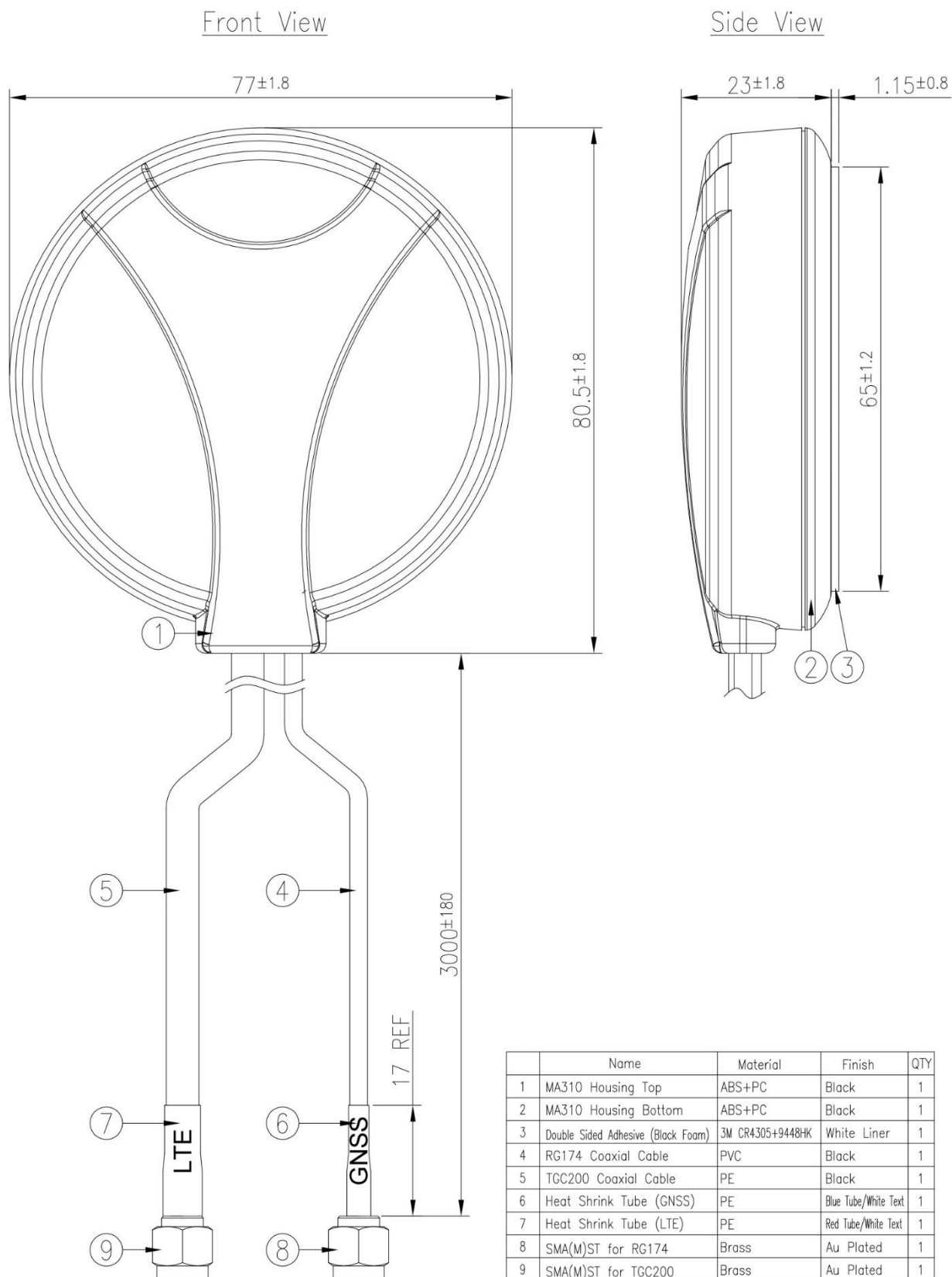




4.3.2. GNSS



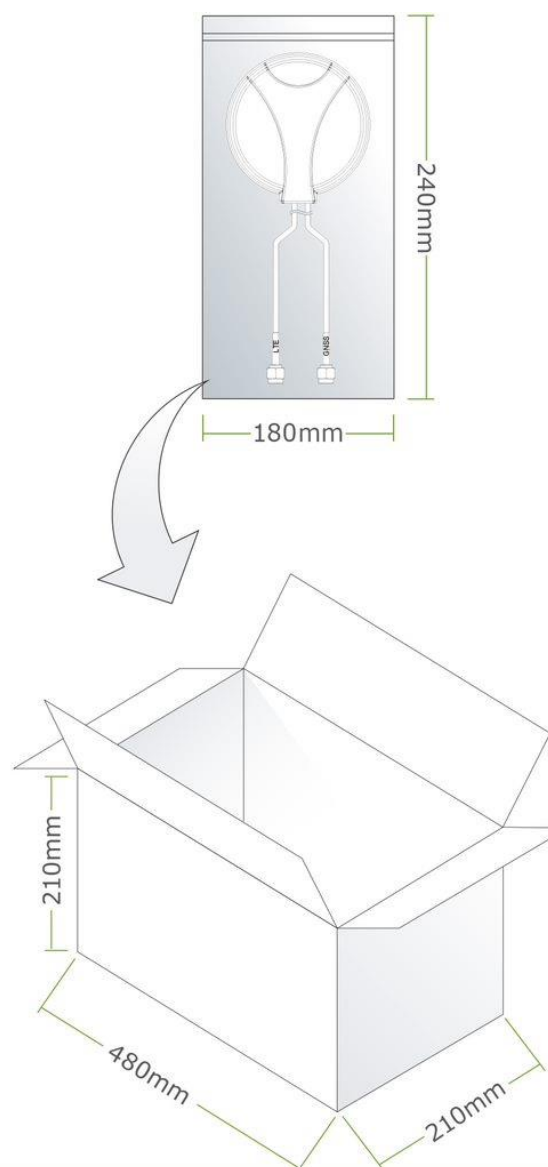
5. Mechanical Drawing (Units: mm)



6. Packaging

1pc MA310.A.LB.003 per PE Bag
PE Bag Dimensions - 240*180mm
Weight - 0.22Kg

10 Large PE Bags per Carton
Box Dimensions - 480*210*210mm
Weight - 2.9Kg

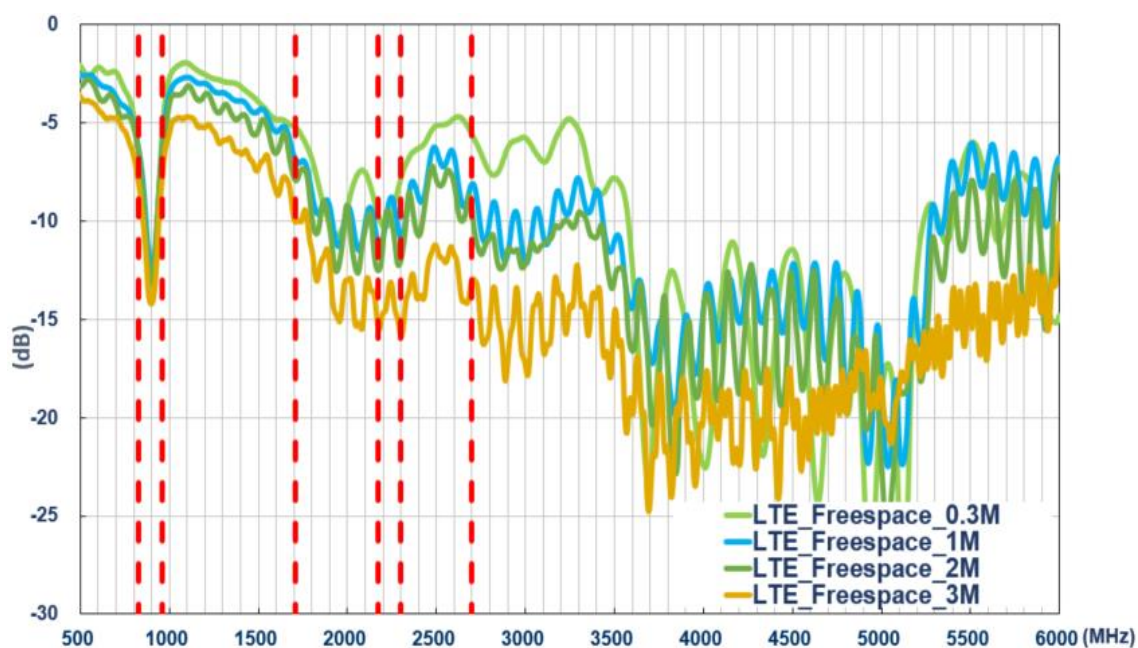


7. Application Note

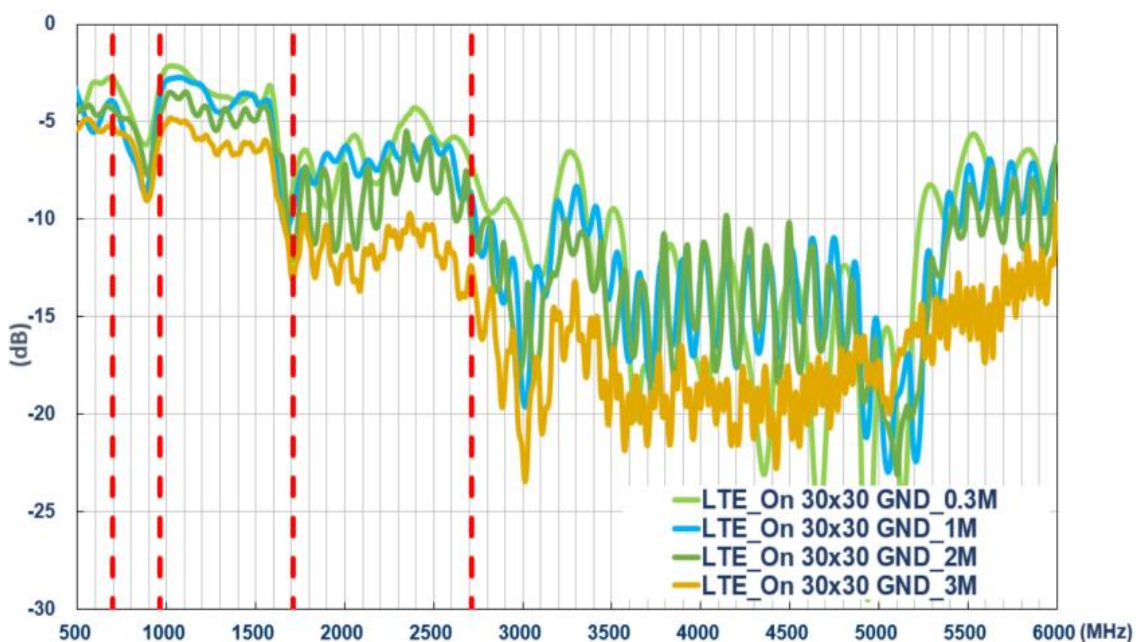
The MA310.A.LB.003 antenna performance with different cable lengths is shown below.

7.1 Return Loss

Return Loss – LTE Antenna (Free Space)

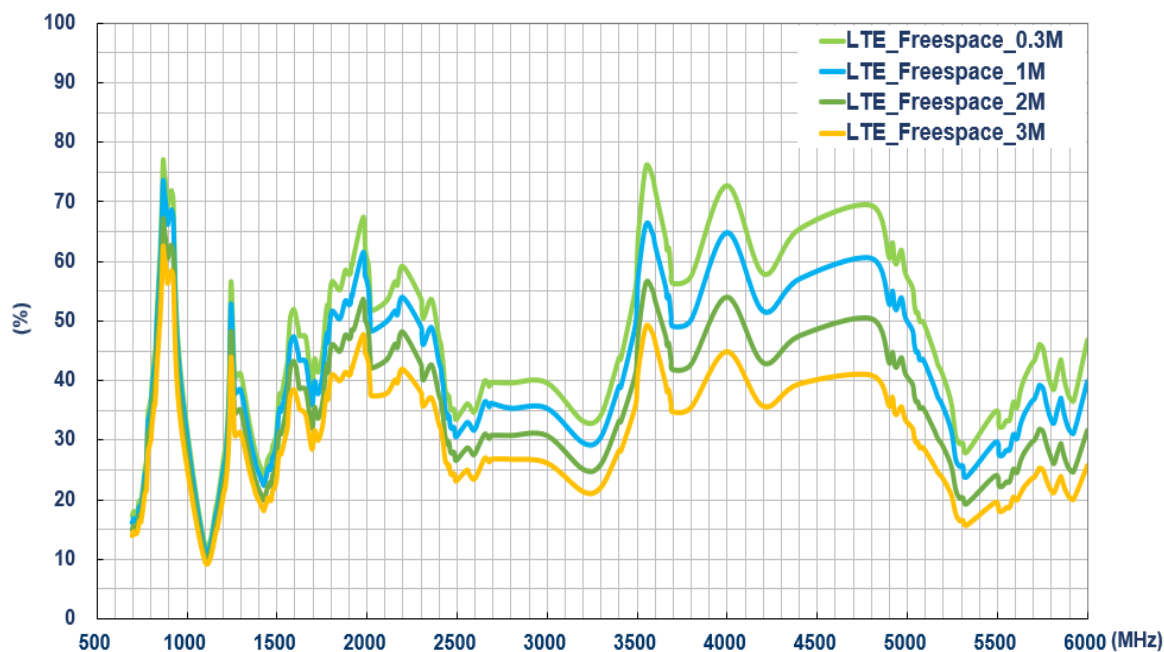


Return Loss – LTE Antenna (On 30*30cm GND)

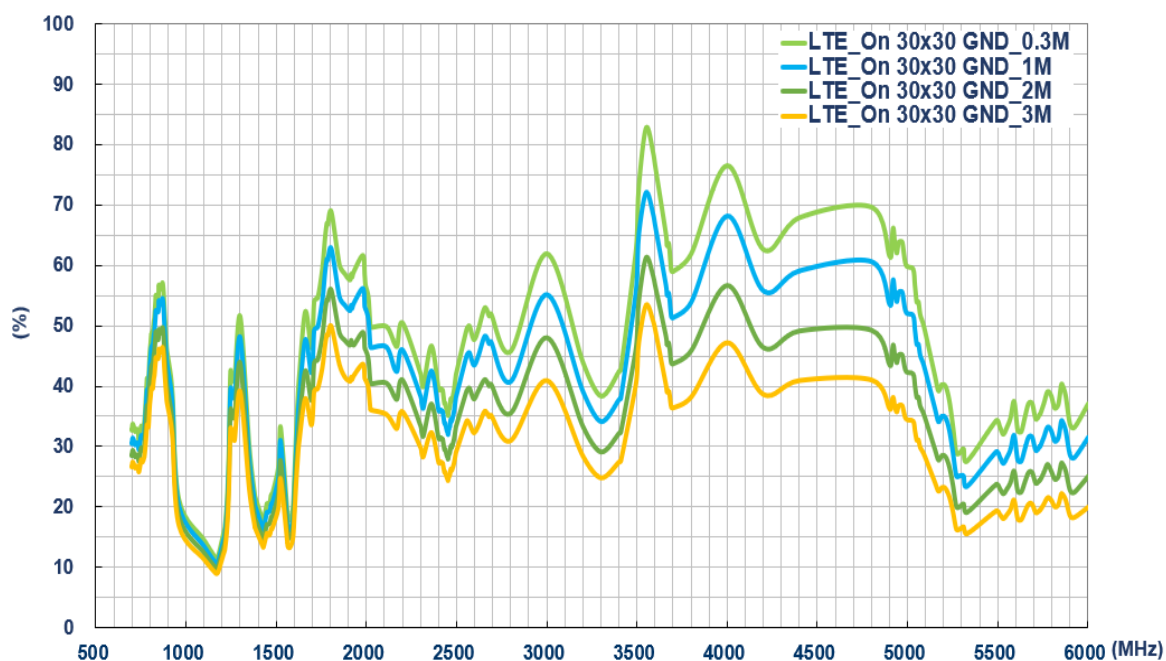


7.2 Efficiency

Efficiency – LTE Antenna (Free Space)

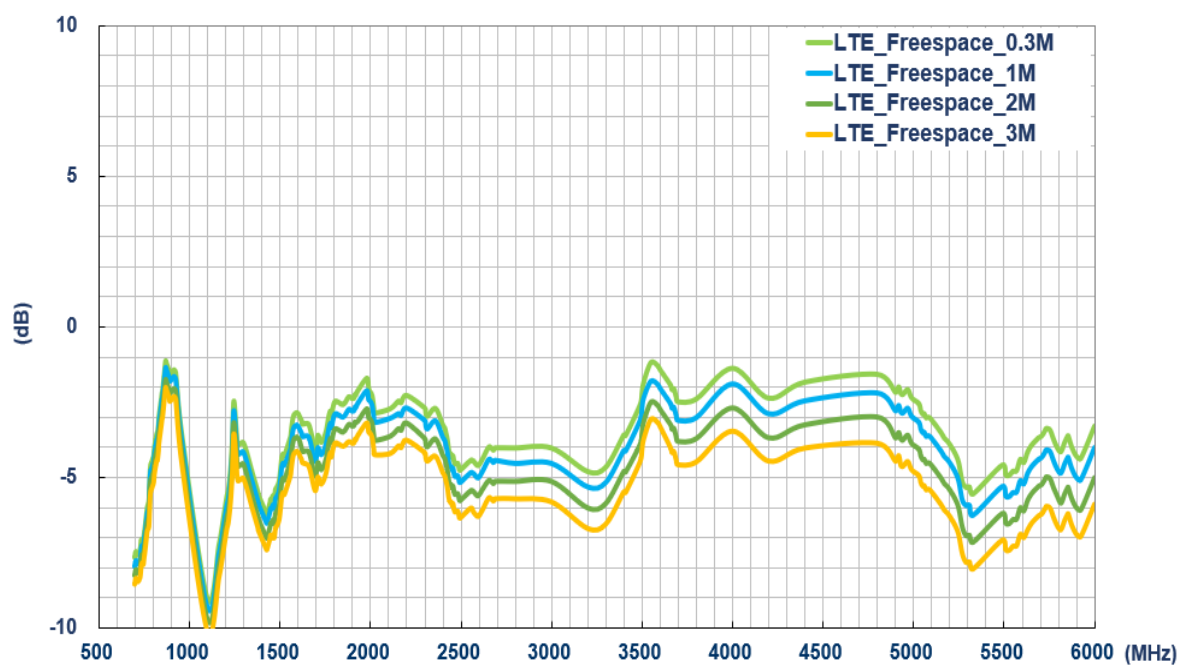


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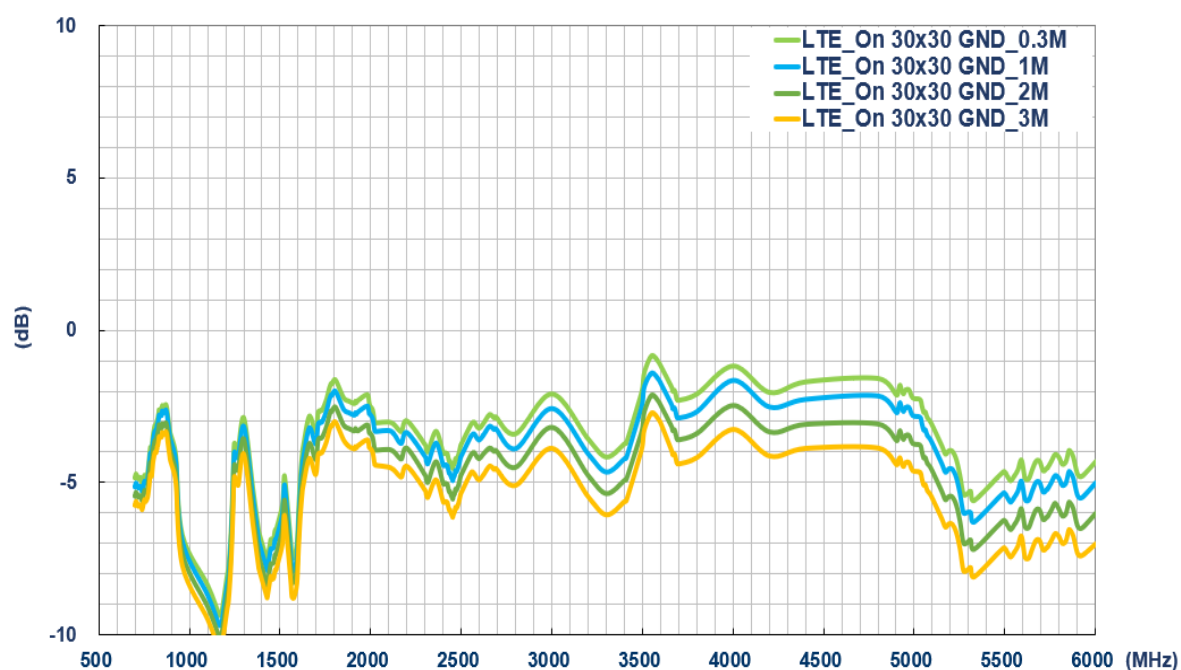


7.3 Average Gain

Average Gain – LTE Antenna (Free Space)

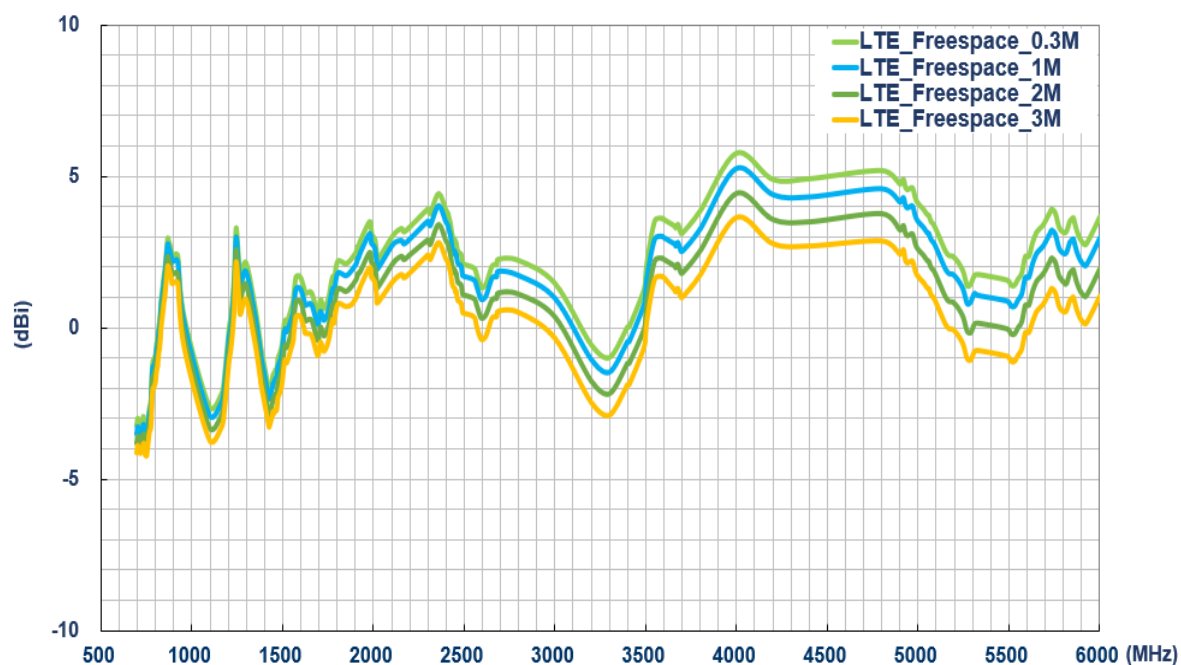


Average Gain – LTE Antenna (On 30*30cm GND)

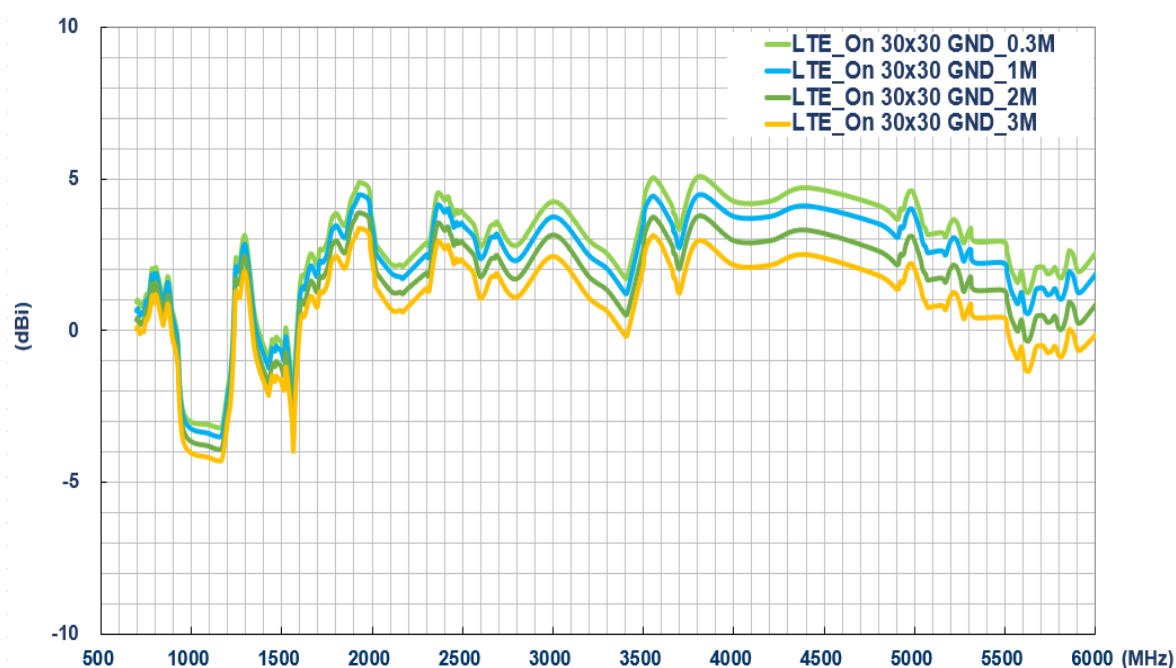


7.4 Peak Gain

Peak Gain – LTE Antenna (Free Space)



Peak Gain – LTE Antenna (On 30*30cm GND)



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