

# Mitis Antenna for LTE applications

Part No. SRFL026

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**Product Specification** 

### 1. Features

- Antenna for 4G LTE applications including MIMO systems.
- LTE 700, GSM850, GSM900, DCS1800, PCS1900, WCDMA2100, LTE B7 (2500-2690 MHz), LTE B40 (2300 – 2400 MHZ)
- 1.13mm diameter RF cable with I-PEX MHF connector
- Self-adhesive mounted
- Quick and simple integration minimizes design cycle
- Available in two standard cable lengths, 100mm and 200mm, other lengths available

## 2. Description

Mitis is intended for use with 4G LTE applications. This product specification shows the performance of this antenna in all workable bands. The antenna offers easy integration with plug and play simplicity.

# 3. Applications

- Smart meters
- Network devices
- Femto / Pico base stations
- Telematics
- Remote monitoring
- Machine to Machine
- POS (Point of Sale) terminals



## 4. Part Number

Mitis: SRFL026



## 5. General Data

| Product name                 | Mitis  |
|------------------------------|--|
| Part Number                  | SRFL026  |
| Frequency                    | 698-798MHz<br>824-960MHz<br>1710-2170MHz<br>2300-2400MHz<br>2500-2690MHz |
| Polarization                 | Linear   |
| Operating temperature        | - 40°C to +85°C  |
| Environmental condition test | ISO 16750-4 5.1.1 / 5.1.2  |
| Impedance with matching      | 50 Ω   |
| Weight                       | < 0.5 g  |
| Antenna type                 | FPC Self-adhesive 3M 468P  |
| Dimensions (Antenna)         | 110.0 x 20.0 x 0.15 (mm)   |
| Connection                   | I-PEX MHF1 (20278-112R-13)   |

### 6. RF Characteristics

|                     | 698 – 798 MHz | 824 – 960 MHz | 1710 - 2170 MHz |
|---------------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Peak gain           | 2.50dBi       | 2.30dBi       | 3.50dBi         |
| Average gain        | -1.50dBi      | -1.60dBi      | -1.70dBi        |
| Average efficiency  | >55%          | >65%          | >65%            |
| Maximum return loss | -5.5dB        | -10.0dB       | -7.0dB          |
| Maximum VSWR        | 3.20:1        | 1.95:1        | 1.90:1          |

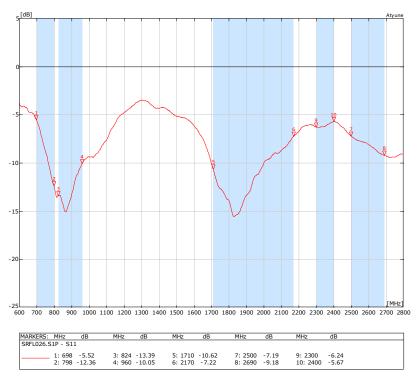
|                     | 2300 – 2400 MHz | 2500 – 2690 MHz |
|---------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Peak gain           | 4.00dBi         | 4.50dBi         |
| Average gain        | -170dBi         | -1.40dBi        |
| Average efficiency  | >55%            | >70%            |
| Maximum return loss | -7.0dB          | -5.5dB          |
| Maximum VSWR        | 2.10:1          | 3.10:1          |

All data measured in a loaded condition adhered to a 1.6mm thick plastic carrier free space.

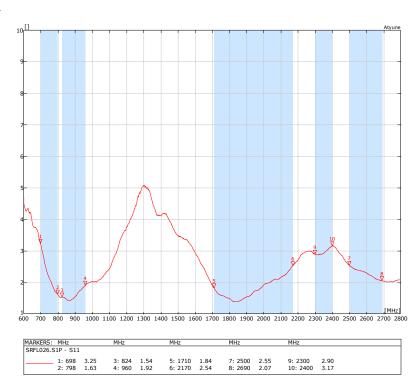
An RF choke was used to prevent cable radiation.

## 7. RF Performance

# 7.1 Return Loss

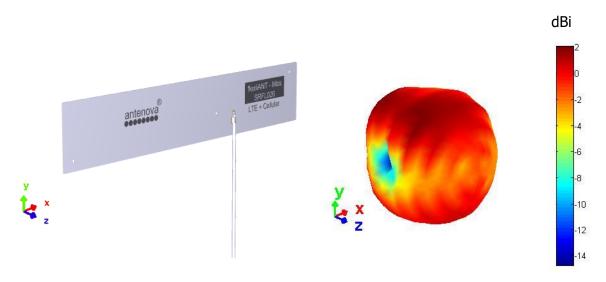


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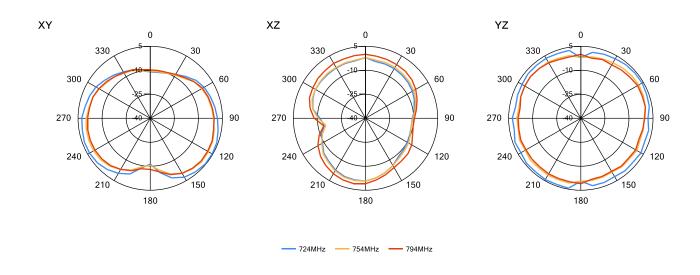


# 7.3 Antenna patterns

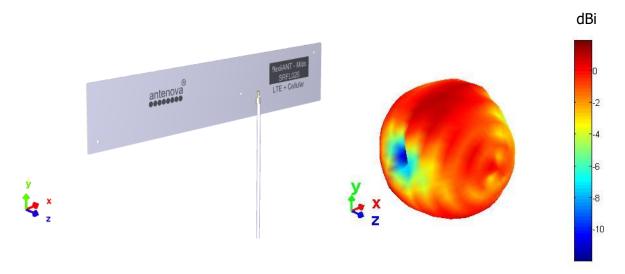
## 7.3.1 698 MHz – 798 MHz



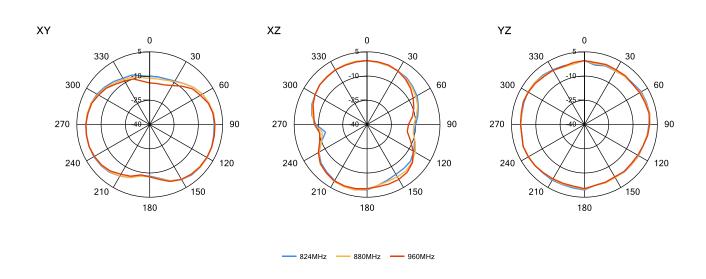
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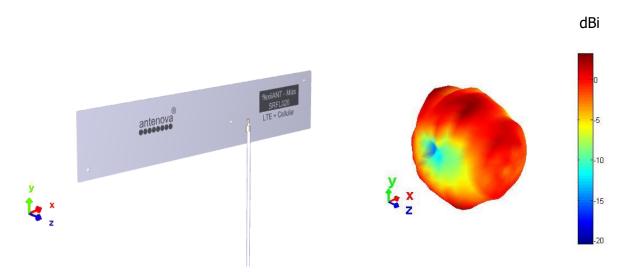
## 7.3.2 824 MHz - 960 MHz



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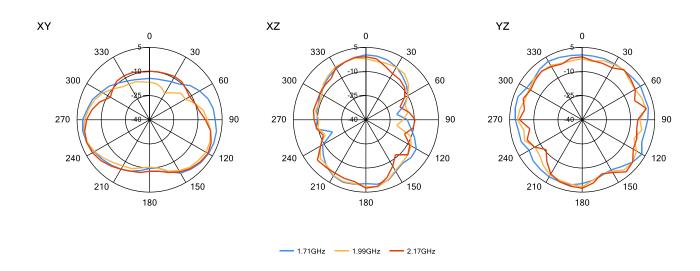


# 7.3.3 1710 MHz - 2170 MHz

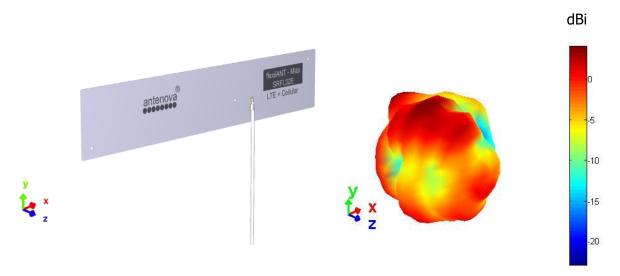


**3D pattern at 1990 MHz**Drag to rotate pattern and PCB by using Adobe Reader

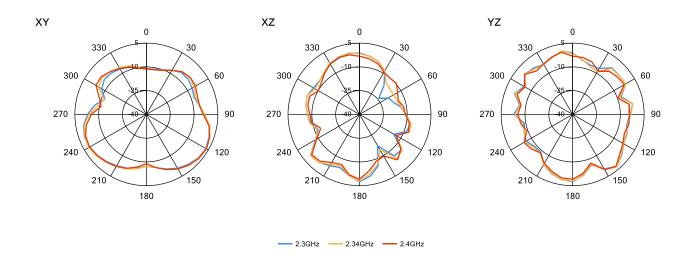
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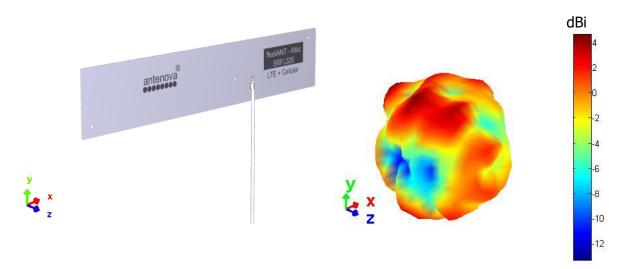
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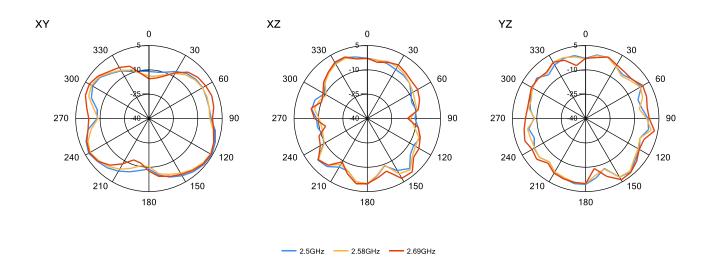
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### 7.3.5 2500 MHz - 2690 MHz

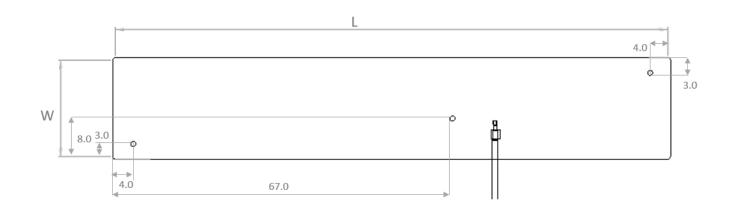


3D pattern at 2600 MHz
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### 8. Antenna Dimensions

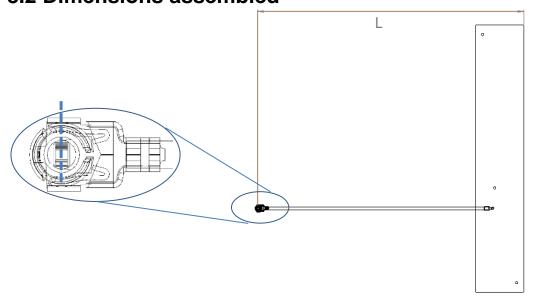
### 8.1 Dimensions FPC section



| L               | W              | T                 |
|-----------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Length          | Width          | Thickness         |
| 110.0 ±0.2 (mm) | 20.0 ±0.2 (mm) | 0.15 (mm) nominal |

All dimensions in mm

## 8.2 Dimensions assembled



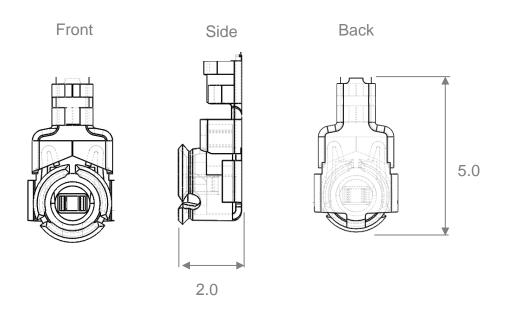
| SRFL026-100   | SRFL026-200   |  |
|---------------|---------------|--|
| L             | L             |  |
| 112 ±2.0 (mm) | 212 ±2.0 (mm) |  |

Standard cable lengths for this antenna - (other lengths are available, MOQs apply)

# 8.3 I-PEX Connector MHF1 (20278-112R-13)

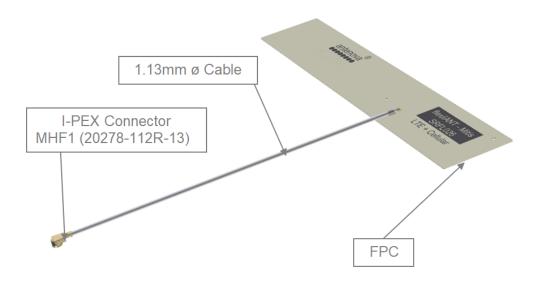
| I-PEX    |              |
|----------|--------------|
| Material | Copper Alloy |
| Plating  | Ag           |





All dimensions in mm

# 8.4 Assembly



### 9. Electrical Interface

### 9.1 Host Interface

The host PCB requires the mating connector which is I-PEX MHF (UFL) receptacle. The location should be close to the chip/modules pin for the RF. Any feed from this receptacle should be maintained at  $50\Omega$  impedance.

### 9.2 Transmission Line

All transmission lines should be designed to have a characteristic impedance of  $50\Omega$ .

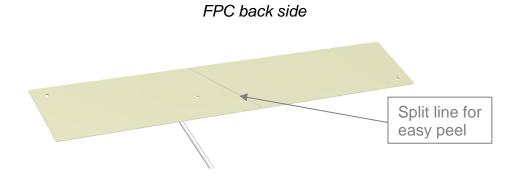
- The length of the transmission lines should be kept to a minimum
- Any other parts of the RF system like transceivers, power amplifiers, etc, should also be designed to have an impedance of  $50\Omega$

Once the material for the PCB has been chosen, (PCB thickness and dielectric constant), a coplanar transmission line can easily be designed using any of the commercial software packages for transmission line design. For the chosen PCB thickness, copper thickness and substrate dielectric constant, the program will calculate the appropriate transmission line width and gaps on either side of the feed.

A DC blocking capacitor should be placed in line to protect the RF front end.

# 10. Mechanical Fixing

The antenna uses 3M 468MP adhesive on the reverse side of the FPC. The antenna has an easy access split line to peel off to reveal the adhesive side. It is designed for a one time fix to a clean smooth surface.



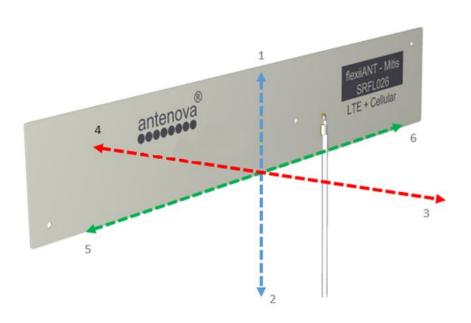
# 11.0 Antenna Integration Guide

### 11.1 Placement

For placing the FPC antenna within a device, the host PCB size is not a factor like with PCB mounted antennas. However placement still needs to follow some basic rules, as any antenna is sensitive to its environment.

Use the six spatial directions shown below as a guide. The antenna FPC section should ideally maintain a minimum of three directions free from obstructions to be able to operate effectively. The other directions will have obstacles in their paths these directions still require a minimum clearance. These minimum clearances are further defined in this section. The plastic case is not included in this, only metal objects/components that will obstruct or come in close proximity to the antenna.

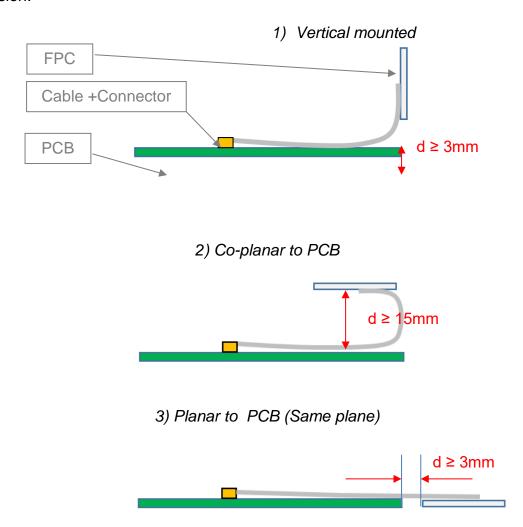
Six spatial directions relative to FPC



### 11.2 Orientation of FPC

The orientation of the FPC with respect to the host PCB should be defined depending on the unit. The proximity of the GND will have an influence on the antenna so the PCB location relative to the antenna should be considered.

The FPC will normally be placed in one of the three following options for orientation. In each option a distance (d) is the critical dimension to consider. The diagram below shows the minimum value of (d) for each. Other obstructions may increase this dimension.

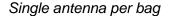


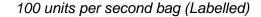
# 12. Hazardous Material Regulation Conformance

The antenna has been tested to conform to RoHS requirements. A certificate of conformance is available from Antenova's website.

# 13. Packaging

The antennas are stored in individual plastic (PE) bags, and then stored within a second bag of 100 pcs.









# 13.1 Optimal Storage Conditions

| Temperature   | -10°C to 40°C  |
|---------------|--|
| Humidity      | Less than 75% RH   |
| Shelf life    | 18 Months  |
| Storage place | Away from corrosive gas and direct sunlight                                    |
| Packaging     | Antennas should be stored in unopened sealed manufacturer's plastic packaging. |

The shelf life of the antenna is 18 months, provided the bag of 10 pieces remains factory sealed.

### 13.2 Label Information

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Description: Mitis 100mm cable Part Number: SRFL026-100

Qty: 100 pcs Date Code: YYWW







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Qty: 100 pcs Date Code: YYWW







## **Quality statements**

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# Antenna design, integration and test resources

Product designers – the details contained in this datasheet will help you to complete your embedded antenna design. Please follow our technical advice carefully to obtain optimum antenna performance.

It is our goal that every customer will create a high performing wireless product using Antenova's antennas. You will find a wealth of design resources, calculators and case studies to aid your design at our website.

Antenova's design laboratories are equipped with the latest antenna design tools and test chambers. We provide antenna design, test and technical integration services to help you complete your design and obtain certifications.

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