## SPECIFICATION

| Part No. | $:$ | MA208.A.AB.001 |
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| Product Name | $:$ | GPS and LTE/GSM/UMTS <br> $(2 G / 3 G / 4 G 700 M h z$ <br> Combination Antenna $960 M H z / 1710 M H z ~ t o ~ 2200 M H z) ~$ |
| Description | $: \quad$Adhesive Mount IP67 Antenna <br> GPS: 3M RG-174 SMA(M) <br> Cellular: 3M CFD-200 SMA(M) <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br> 200.8~5.5V/30dB <br> RoHS Compliant |  |



## 1. Introduction

The Stream MA. 208 GPS/LTE Cellular antenna is a low profile, heavy-duty, fully IP67 waterproof external M2M antenna for use by RF professionals in telematics, transportation and remote monitoring applications. The Stream is unique in the market as it combines the highest possible efficiency and peak gain for GPS and all cellular bands in 2G/3G/4G in a low profile compact format for mounting via high quality first tier automotive approved 3M adhesive foam.

The patent pending design incorporates internally a custom Taoglas 35 mm patch antenna on an extended integral ground-plane to deliver more than 3.5 dBiC gain. A front-end SAW filter dramatically reduces radiated spurious emissions. The extended ground-plane used with an innovative internal cellular PIFA also enables the unique wide-band $2 G / 3 G / 4 G$ response to deliver the highest performance possible, at 3 metres cable length. Nothing else out there comes close in terms of consistency of efficiency and peak gain at all cellular bands, with an awesome $70 \%+$ at the LTE 700 MHz band, again including 3 metres of cable loss. High antenna efficiencies are absolutely critical in today's 3G and 4G systems to achieving targeted data-speeds and coverage.

All this is done while still maintaining 20dB isolation between antennas. The Stream uses high-shielded PTFE dielectric ultra low-loss cables that maintain low attenuation at all frequency bands, and high noise rejection, with an average loss of only 0.3 dB per meter ( 0.1 dB per foot), compared to 0.7 dB for RG58 and 1.2 dB for RG174. Because of this, the Stream maximizes chances of passing PTCRB and network approvals first time. The Stream works best when attached to plastic or glass, but can also be used on metal if some foam spacing is added.

The Stream comes packaged with a separate 3M first tier automotive approved adhesive which can be attached to either the bottom of the top of the product, for easy mounting directly on glass, or on plastic.
2. System Configuration

This antenna specification covers the LTE/GSM/UMTS Full band for $700 \mathrm{MHz} \sim 960 \mathrm{MHz}, 1710 \mathrm{MHz} \sim 2170 \mathrm{MHz}$ and GPS (L1 Band).

3. Antenna Specification

Performance Specifications

| Items | GPS Antenna | Cellular Antenna |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Features | High performance GPS $35 * 35 * 4 \mathrm{~mm}$ ceramic patch antenna with two stage high gain LNA$1575.42+/-1.023 \mathrm{MHz}$ | LTE - 700MHz |
|  |  | CDMA: $824-896 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
|  |  | GSM: $\quad 880-960 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
|  |  | DCS: $1710-1880 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
|  |  | PCS: $1850-1990 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
|  |  | 3G: 1920-2170MHz |
| Gain | 3.5dBic typ @ Zenith | Average: $\begin{aligned} & -3.03 \mathrm{dBi} \text { at } 700- \\ & 960 \mathrm{MHz}\end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | -4.34 dBi at $1710-2170 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
|  |  | Peak: 2.16 dBi at $700-960 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
|  |  | 0.42 dBi at $1710-2170 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
| Polarization | RHCP | Linear |
| VSWR |  | 3.3 Max. at $700-960 \mathrm{MHz}$ 3.6 Max. at $1710-1850 \mathrm{MHz}$ 2.2 Max. at $1880-2170 \mathrm{MHz}$ |
| Impedance | $50 \Omega$ | $50 \Omega$ |
| Efficiency |  | $\begin{aligned} & \geqq 68 \% \text { @ } 700 \mathrm{MHz}, \\ & \geqq 72 \% \text { @ } 750 \mathrm{MHz}, \\ & \geqq 66 \% \text { @ } 824 \mathrm{MHz}, \\ & \geqq 56 \% \text { @ } 890 \mathrm{MHz}, \\ & \geqq 61 \% \text { @ } 880 \mathrm{MHz}, \\ & \geqq 53 \% \text { @ } 960 \mathrm{MHz}, \\ & \geqq 37 \% \text { @ } 1710 \mathrm{MHz}, \\ & \geqq 51 \% \text { @1880MHz, } \\ & \geqq 55 \% \text { @1990MHz, } \\ & \geqq 54 \% \text { @2110MHz, } \\ & \geqq 45 \% \text { @2170MHz } \end{aligned}$ |


| Cable / Connector | 3m RG-174 Cable SMA(M) connector Fully Customisable | CFD-200 with SMA(M) Fully customisable |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Housing | UV resistant PVC |  |
| Adhesive Mount | 3M 1600SB(197.5*63.5*1.2mm) |  |
| Protection Class | IP-67 |  |
| Operation Temperature | $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |
| Storage Temperature | $-40^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ to $+85^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |  |
| Relative Humidity | 20\% to 95\% |  |
| Weight per unit | 0.18 kg |  |
| *note: specifications may be subject to change |  |  |


| LTE BANDS |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Band Number | LTE/LTE- Advanced /WCDMA/HSPA.HSPA+ |  |  |
|  | Uplink | Downlink | Covered |
| 1 | UL: 1920 to 1980 | DL: 2110 to 2170 | $\checkmark$ |
| 2 | UL: 1850 to 1910 | DL: 1930 to 1990 | $\checkmark$ |
| 3 | UL: 1710 to 1785 | DL: 1805 to 1880 | $\checkmark$ |
| 4 | UL: 1710 to 1755 | DL: 2110 to 2155 | $\checkmark$ |
| 5 | UL: 824 to 849 | DL: 869 to 894 | $\checkmark$ |
| 7 | UL: 2500 to 2570 | DL:2620 to 2690 | $\times$ |
| 8 | UL: 880 to 915 | DL: 925 to 960 | $\checkmark$ |
| 9 | UL: 1749.9 to 1784.9 | DL: 1844.9 to 1879.9 | $\checkmark$ |
| 11 | UL: 1427.9 to 1447.9 | DL: 1475.9 to 1495.9 | $\checkmark$ |
| 12 | UL: 699 to 716 | DL: 729 to 746 | $\checkmark$ |
| 13 | UL: 777 to 787 | DL: 746 to 756 | $\checkmark$ |
| 14 | UL: 788 to 798 | DL: 758 to 768 | $\checkmark$ |
| 17 | UL: 704 to 716 | DL: 734 to 746 (LTE only) | $\checkmark$ |
| 18 | UL: 815 to 830 | DL: 860 to 875 (LET only) | $\checkmark$ |
| 19 | UL: 830 to 845 | DL: 875 to 890 | $\checkmark$ |
| 20 | UL: 832 to 862 | DL: 791 to 821 | $\checkmark$ |
| 21 | UL: 1447.9 to 1462.9 | DL: 1495.9 to 1510.9 | $\checkmark$ |
| 22 | UL: 3410 to 3490 | DL: 3510 to 3590 | $\times$ |
| 23 | UL:2000 to 2020 | DL: 2180 to 2200 (LTE only) | $\checkmark$ |
| 24 | UL:1625.5 to 1660.5 | DL: 1525 to 1559 (LTE only) | $\checkmark$ |
| 25 | UL: 1850 to 1915 | DL: 1930 to 1995 | $\checkmark$ |
| 26 | UL: 814 to 849 | DL: 859 to 894 | $\checkmark$ |
| 27 | UL: 807 to 824 | DL: 852 to 869 (LTE only) | $\checkmark$ |
| 28 | UL: 703 to 748 | DL: 758 to 803 (LTE only) | $\checkmark$ |
| 29 | UL: - | DL: 717 to 728 (LTE only) | $\checkmark$ |
| 30 | UL: 2305 to 2315 | DL: 2350 to 2360 (LTE only) | $x$ |
| 31 | UL: 452.5 to 457.5 | DL: 462.5 to 467.5 (LTE only) | $x$ |
| 32 | UL: - | DL: 1452-1496 | $\checkmark$ |
| 35 |  | - 1910 | $\checkmark$ |
| 38 |  | - 2620 | $\times$ |
| 39 |  | 1920 | $\checkmark$ |
| 40 |  | + 2400 | $\checkmark$ |
| 41 |  | - 2690 | $x$ |
| 42 |  | - 3600 | $x$ |
| 43 |  | - 3800 | $x$ |

## 4. Axial Ratio

### 4.1 With IPEX Cable



| Pattern | Model No. | Test Mode | Freq (MHz) | Max Gain(dBi) | Min Gain(dBi) | Avg. Gain(dBi) | Source Polar. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | MA208.A.AB.001 | Axial Ratio | 1575.42 | $0.06 / 15.14$ | $-16.87 / 204.77$ | -4.51 | CP |

### 4.2 3M CFD-200 Cable



| Pattern | Model No. | Test Mode | Freq (MHz) | Max Gain(dBi) | Min Gain(dBi) | Avg. Gain(dBi) | Source Polar. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 |  | MA208.A.AB.001 | Axial Ratio | 1575.42 | $-3.19 / 4.61$ | $-34.89 / 178.75$ | -8.79 |

## 5. Radiation Patterns

### 5.1 Radiation Pattern in XZ plane



### 5.2 Radiation Pattern in YZ plane



270deg
5.3 Radiation Pattern in XY plane


## 6. VSWR


7. Efficiency


## 8. Average Gain



## 9. Peak Gain



## 10. LNA

| Frequency Range | $1575.42+/-1.023 \mathrm{Mhz}$ |
| :--- | :---: |
| Output Impedance | 50 Ohm |
| Output Power at 1 dB Compression Point | -35 dBm typ. |
| Output VSWR | 2.0 Max. |


| Supply Voltage | Gain(Typ) | Noise <br> Figure(Iyp) | Power Consumption <br> (Typ.) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1.8 V | 27.0 dB | 2.2 dB | 5.5 mA |
| 3.0 V | 32.9 dB | 2.3 dB | 12.5 mA |
| 5.5 V | 33.8 dB | 2.5 dB | 15.0 mA |



## 11. LNA Noise Figure at 3.0V



12. LNA Gain and Output of VSWR at 3.0V


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Ch1 Tr1 S21 >1 1.5754200 GHz 32.936 dB
Ch1 Tr2 S21 1 1.5754200 GHz 
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13. GPS Antenna Specifications (Through Antenna, LNA and Cable Assembly)

| Frequency Range | $1575.42+/-1.023 \mathrm{Mhz}$ |
| :--- | :---: |
| Gain at 3.0V | $32.5 \mathrm{dBic} @$ Zenith |
| Output Impedance | 50 Ohm |
| Output VSWR | 2.0 Max. |

14. 20dB min isolation to GPS LNA input and LTE/ GSM/ UMTS ANTENNA


## 15. Drawing



|  | Name | Material | Finish | QTY |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Housing Top | ABS | Black | 1 |
| 2 | Housing Bottom | ABS | Black | 1 |
| 3 | Double Sided Adhesive Foam | 3M 1600 SB | Green Liner | 1 |
| 4 | Clear Label | PET | Black | 1 |
| 5 | Heat Shrink Tube | PE | Black | 1 |
| 6 | Heat Shrink Tube | PE | Black | 1 |
| 7 | GPS Label | Coated Paper | Orange | 1 |
| 8 | $2 G / 3 G / 4 G$ Label | Coated Paper | White | 1 |
| 9 | White Label (48×30) | PET | White | 1 |
| 10 | Barcode Label $(25 \times 9)$ | PET | White | 1 |
|  | Name |  | Spec | Finish |
| QTY |  |  |  |  |
| W | Cable Type | RG174 | Black | 1 |
| WW | Cable Type | CFD-200 | Black | 1 |
| XX | Connector Type | SMA(M)ST | Au Plated | 1 |
| YY | Connector Type | SMA(M)ST | Au Plated | 1 |



### 15.1 Separate Adhesive Pad




## 16. SPQ Packing


(1) $\mathrm{P} / \mathrm{N}$ : Taoglas
(2) $S P Q$ QTY: $S P Q$
(3) Unit:

( $740 \times 370 \times 300 \mathrm{~mm}$ )

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## 17. Packaging

2 pc MA208.A.AB. 001 per carton Carton Dimensions - $300^{*} 200 \mathrm{~mm}$ Total Weight -260 g


50 pcs MA208.A.AB. 001 per carton Carton Dimensions $-740^{*} 370^{*} 300 \mathrm{~mm}$ Total Weight - 14.4 kg

Pallet Dimensions $1200 \mathrm{~mm} * 1000 \mathrm{~mm} * 1350 \mathrm{~mm}$ 16 Cartons per pallet 4 Cartons per layer 4 Layers


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