

Product Data Sheet

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RFS

7/8" CELLFLEX® Premium Attenuation Low-Loss Foam-Dielectric Coaxial Cable

Product Description

CELLFLEX® 7/8" premium attenuation low loss flexible cable
 Application: Main feed line



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Features/Benefits

- Ultra Low Attenuation**
The further reduced attenuation of CELLFLEX® premium attenuation coaxial cable results in extremely efficient signal transfer in your RF system, especially at high frequencies.
- Complete Shielding**
The solid outer conductor of CELLFLEX® coaxial cable creates a continuous RFI/EMI shield that minimizes system interference.
- Low VSWR**
Special low VSWR versions of CELLFLEX® coaxial cables contribute to low system noise.
- Outstanding Intermodulation Performance**
CELLFLEX® coaxial cable's solid inner and outer conductors virtually eliminate intermods. Intermodulation performance is also confirmed with state-of-the-art equipment at the RFS factory.
- High Power Rating**
Due to their low attenuation, outstanding heat transfer properties and temperature stabilized dielectric materials, CELLFLEX® cable provides safe long term operating life at high transmit power levels.
- Wide Range of Application**
Typical areas of application are: feedlines for broadcast and terrestrial microwave antennas, wireless cellular, PCS and ESMR base stations, cabling of antenna arrays, and radio equipment interconnects.

Technical Features

Structure			
Inner conductor:	Copper Tube	[mm (in)]	9.32 (0.37)
Dielectric:	Foam Polyethylene	[mm (in)]	22.4 (0.88)
Outer conductor:	Corrugated Copper	[mm (in)]	25.2 (0.99)
Jacket:	Polyethylene, PE	[mm (in)]	27.8 (1.09)

Mechanical Properties

Weight, approximately	[kg/m (lb/ft)]	0.41 (0.28)
Minimum bending radius, single bending	[mm (in)]	120 (5)
Minimum bending radius, repeated bending	[mm (in)]	250 (10)
Bending moment	[Nm (lb-ft)]	13 (9.6)
Max. tensile force	[N (lb)]	1440 (324)
Recommended / maximum clamp spacing	[m (ft)]	0.8 / 1 (2.75 / 3.25)

Electrical Properties

Characteristic impedance	[Ω]	50 +/- 1
Relative propagation velocity	[%]	90
Capacitance	[pF/m (pF/ft)]	74 (22.5)
Inductance	[μH/m (μH/ft)]	0.185 (0.056)
Max. operating frequency	[GHz]	5
Jacket spark test RMS	[V]	8000
Peak power rating	[kW]	85
RF Peak voltage rating	[V]	2920
DC-resistance inner conductor	[Ω/km (Ω/1000ft)]	1.54 (0.47)
DC-resistance outer conductor	[Ω/km (Ω/1000ft)]	1.55 (0.47)

Recommended Temperature Range

Storage temperature	[°C (°F)]	-70 to 85 (-94 to 185)
Installation temperature	[°C (°F)]	-40 to 60 (-40 to 140)
Operation temperature	[°C (°F)]	-50 to 85 (-58 to 185)

Other Characteristics

Fire Performance: Halogene Free
 VSWR Performance: Standard 24 (1.135)
 Other Options: Phase stabilized and phase matched cables and assemblies are available upon request.

Frequency [MHz]	Attenuation		Power [kW]
	[dB/100m]	[dB/100ft]	
0.5	0.0780	0.0238	85.0
1.0	0.110	0.0336	85.0
1.5	0.135	0.0412	73.6
2.0	0.156	0.0476	63.7
10	0.351	0.107	28.3
20	0.498	0.152	20.0
30	0.612	0.186	16.2
50	0.793	0.242	12.5
88	1.06	0.323	9.38
100	1.13	0.345	8.80
108	1.18	0.358	8.42
150	1.39	0.425	7.15
174	1.50	0.458	6.63
200	1.62	0.493	6.14
300	2.0	0.608	4.97
400	2.32	0.707	4.28
450	2.47	0.753	4.02
500	2.61	0.796	3.81
512	2.64	0.806	3.77
600	2.88	0.876	3.45
700	3.12	0.951	3.19
750	3.24	0.987	3.07
800	3.35	1.02	2.97
824	3.41	1.04	2.91
894	3.56	1.08	2.79
900	3.57	1.09	2.78
925	3.62	1.10	2.75
960	3.70	1.13	2.69
1000	3.78	1.15	2.63
1250	4.27	1.30	2.33
1400	4.54	1.38	2.19
1500	4.71	1.44	2.11
1700	5.05	1.54	1.97
1800	5.21	1.59	1.91
2000	5.52	1.68	1.80
2100	5.67	1.73	1.75
2200	5.82	1.77	1.71
2400	6.11	1.86	1.63
2500	6.25	1.91	1.59
2600	6.39	1.95	1.56
2700	6.53	1.99	1.52
3000	6.93	2.11	1.43
3500	7.56	2.30	1.31
4000	8.16	2.49	1.22
4900	9.17	2.80	1.08
5000	9.28	2.83	1.07

Attenuation at 20°C (68°F) cable temperature
 Mean power rating at 40°C (104°F) ambient temperature