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## **WIFI 6E PCB CABLED BALANCED ANTENNA**

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#### 1.0 SCOPE

This Product Specification covers the mechanical, electrical and environmental performances specification for WIFI 6E PCB cabled balance antenna.

### 2.0 PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

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

Product name: WiFi 6E PCB Cabled Balanced Antenna

Series Number: 146187

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### 2.2 DESCRIPTION

Series 146187 is a balanced, dipole-type, high efficiency antenna for applications, including WiFi 6E, Bluetooth, Zigbee and others. This antenna is made from poly PCB material with small size.

#### 2.3 FEATURES

- 2400~2500MHz,5150~5850MHz, 5925~7125MHz, Linear polarization
- · Ground plane independent, balanced dual band antenna
- PCB size 40.95 x 9 x 0.7mm (not contain solder area)
- MHF-I (U.FL compatible) connector
- Cable OD1.13mm, 6 standard length options (50/100/150/200/250/300mm)
- Cable and connector can be customized



MODULE 3D VIEW

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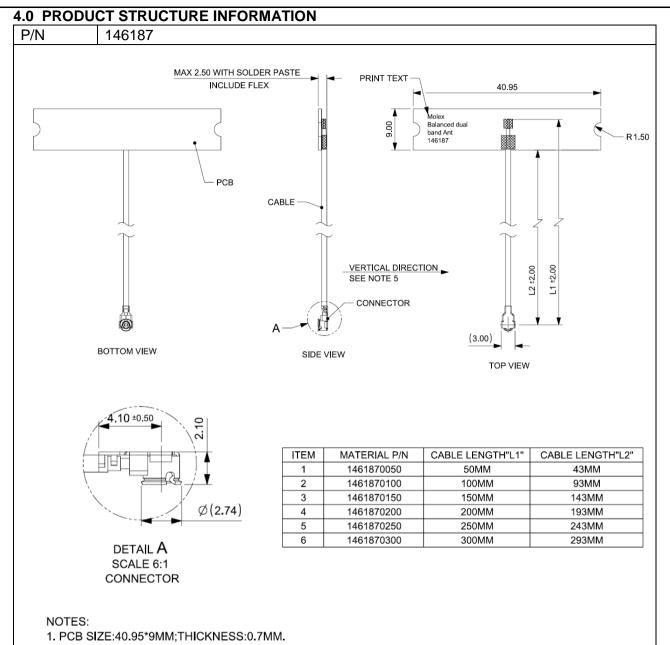


### 3.0 GENERAL SPECIFICATION

Product name	WiFi 6E PCB Cabled Balanced Antenna		
Part number		146187	
Frequency	2.4GHz-2.5GHz	5.15GHz- 5.85GHz	5.925GHz- 7.125GHz
Polarization		Linear	
Operating with matching	-40°C to 85°C		
Storage with matching	-40℃ to 85℃		
RF Power	2 Watts		
Impedance with matching	50 Ohms		
Antenna type	PCB		
Connector type	MHF-I		
Cable diameter		Ø1.13mm	
	50 m	nm (P/N for 14618700	050)
	100 mm (P/N for 1461870100)		
Cable law of b	150 mm (P/N for 1461870150)		
Cable length	200 r	nm (P/N for 1461870	200)
	250 mm (P/N for 1461870250)		
	300 mm (P/N for 1461870300)		

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- 2. PCB SOLDER MASK COLOR:GREEN.
- 3. CABLE: Ø1.13MM; COLOR: BLACK.
- 4. CONNECTOR: MHF-I/U.FL GOLD PATING.
- 5. CAN NOT LIFT UP CABLE IN VERTICAL DIRECTION.

Mechanical Structure Information for 146187 series

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### **5.0 APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS**

DOCUMENT	NUMBER	DESCRIPTION
Sale Drawing (SD)	SD-1461870050	Mechanical Dimension of the product
Application Guide (AS)	AS-1461870100	Antenna Application and surrounding
Packing Drawing (PK)	PK-1461870100	Product packaging specifications

#### **6.0 ANTENNA SPECIFICATION**

All measurements are done of the antenna in free space with VNA Agilent E5071C and Over-The-Air (OTA) chamber. All measurements in this document are done with the part no.1461870100 with a cable length of 100mm.

### **6.1 ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENT**

6.1.1 ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR CABLE LENGHTH 50mm				
P/N	1461870050			
Frequency Range	2.4GHz-2.5GHz 5.15GHz-5.85GHz 5.925GHz-7.125GHz			
Peak Gain (Max)	3.2dBi	4.25dBi	4.6dBi	
Average Total efficiency	>78% >79% >75%			
Return Loss	< -10 dB	< -10 dB	< -5 dB	

6.1.2 ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR CABLE LENGHTH 100mm				
P/N	1461870100			
Frequency Range	2.4GHz-2.5GHz	5.15GHz-5.85GHz	5.925GHz-7.125GHz	
Peak Gain (Max)	3.0dBi	4.0dBi	4.3dBi	
Average Total efficiency	>75%	>75%	>70%	
Return Loss	< -10 dB	< -10 dB	< -5 dB	

6.1.3 ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR CABLE LENGHTH 150mm				
P/N	1461870150			
Frequency Range	2.4GHz-2.5GHz 5.15GHz-5.85GHz 5.925GHz-7.125GHz			
Peak Gain (Max)	2.8dBi	3.7dBi	4.0dBi	
Average Total efficiency	>72% >70% >65%			
Return Loss	< -10 dB	< -10 dB	< -5 dB	

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6.1.4 ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR CABLE LENGHTH 200mm				
P/N	1461870200			
Frequency Range	2.4GHz-2.5GHz	5.15GHz-5.85GHz	5.925GHz-7.125GHz	
Peak Gain (Max)	2.6dBi	3.5dBi	3.7dBi	
Average Total efficiency	>69%	>66%	>60%	
Return Loss	< -10 dB	< -10 dB	< -5 dB	

6.1.5 ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR CABLE LENGHTH 250mm				
P/N	1461870250			
Frequency Range	2.4GHz-2.5GHz	5.15GHz-5.85GHz	5.925GHz-7.125GHz	
Peak Gain (Max)	2.4dBi	3.2dBi	3.4dBi	
Average Total efficiency	>66% >63% >55%			
Return Loss	< -10 dB	< -10 dB	< -5 dB	

6.1.6 ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS FOR CABLE LENGHTH 300mm				
P/N	1461870300			
Frequency Range	2.4GHz-2.5GHz	5.15GHz-5.85GHz	5.925GHz-7.125GHz	
Peak Gain (Max)	2.2dBi	2.8dBi	3.1dBi	
Average Total efficiency	>63%	>59%	>50%	
Return Loss	< -10 dB	< -10 dB	< -5 dB	

Note that the above antenna performance is measured with just the antenna mounted on a PC/ABS block to similar a free-space condition. When implement into the system, the frequency resonant might be off-tune due to the loading of surrounding components especially metal plane. This off-tune can be compensated through matching. Although module manufacturers specify a peak gain limit, it is based on free-space conditions. The peak gain will be degraded by 1 to 2dBi in the actual implementation as the radiation pattern will change due to the surround components. As such, during selection of antenna, you can select one with high peak gain to compensate for the loss. Molex can offer assistant to choose the best location and best tuning in-order to meet this peak gain requirement.

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### **6.2 CABLE LOSS**

DESCRIPTION	TEST CONDITION		REQUIREMENTS	3
Frequency Range	2.4GHz/5GHz	2GHz~3GHz	5GHz~6GHz	6-7.125GHz
Attenuation 1m cable measured by VNA5071C		≤3.5dB/m	≤5.5dB/m	≤6.5dB/m

Balance antenna resonance is insensitive to cable's length, but the cable's loss will affect the total efficiency.

### 7.0 MECHANICAL SPECIFICATION

All measurements in this document are done with the part no.1461870100 for different cable length.

DESCRIPTION	TEST CONDITION	TEST RESULT
Pull Test	Test machine: Max intelligent load tester     Stick the PCB antenna on a plastic board, pull cable in axial direction.	Pull force >8N
Un-mating force (connector)	Solder the receptacle connector to the test board ,then place the board and plug on push-on/pull-off machine, and repeat mating and un-mating 30 cycles at a speed 25±3mm/min. along the mating axis.	Un-mating force : 0.5 kgf min

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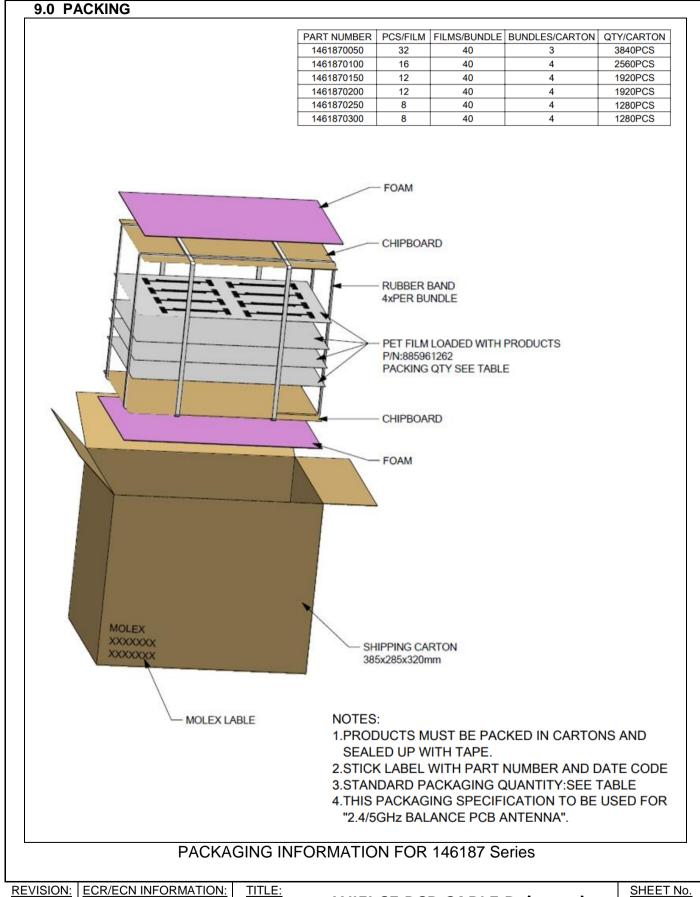


### **8.0 ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIFICATION**

DESCRIPTION	SPECIFICATION
	1.The device under test is kept for 30 mins in an environment with a temperature of -40 ℃.
	2. Kept for 4 Hours in an environment with a temperature of 85 $^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$ .
Town every very live sidily a very live	3. Kept for 2 Hours in an environment with a temperature of 125 $^{\circ}$ C.
Temperature /Humidity cycling	4. The cycle is repeated until a total of 40 cycles have been completed. Hereafter the conditions are stabilized at room temperature. Transfer temperature 8℃ per min.
	5. Parts should meet RF spec before and after test.
	No cosmetic problem (No soldering problem; No adhesion problem of glue.)
Temperature Shock	1.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.
	2. Parts should meet RF spec before and after test.
	3. No cosmetic problem (No soldering problem; No adhesion problem of glue).
	1.Temperature:125°C, time:1008 hours
High Temperature	There is no substantial obstruction to air flow across and around the samples, and the samples are not touching each other
	3. Parts should meet RF spec before and after test.
	4. No cosmetic problem (No soldering problem; No adhesion problem of glue).
Salt mist test	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.
	2. Parts should meet RF spec before and after test.
	3. No visible corrosion. Discoloration accept.

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### **10.0 CHANGE HISTORY**

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E	2020/05/27	Add 6-7.125GHz band

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