



This is a quarter wave antenna. It is bent into an L-shape. The shorter side is connected to earth. The longer side is left open circuit at the end. The feed point is located somewhere between the earth end and the open end. The resulting structure resembles the letter F and possesses the properties of both a loop antenna due to the circulating current from the feed point to ground and a whip antenna due to the open circuited straight section. In the PCB version the antenna is printed on the top layer and a ground plane is placed near the antenna on the top layer. There must not be a ground plane underneath the antenna. The aim is to make the quarter wave section resonate at mid band frequency. The feed point (which is the input/output connection) is connected to the L-Shape at the point corresponding to 50W. Experiment with measurement to determine correct location for the feed point and length of this antenna.