



## 4G LTE SMD Antenna

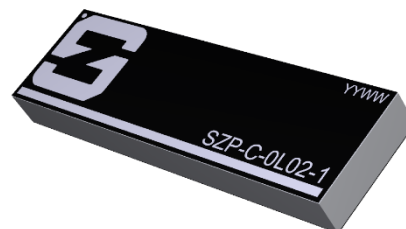
## SZP-C-0L02

4G LTE/3G/2G: 698 – 960 MHz; 1710 – 2690MHz

### Description

A highly compact yet high-performance solution for devices that require embedded antenna designs. Synzen have created the optimal solution for 4G LTE applications that also simplifies the design in process.

- Designed to work in compact devices with limited space
- Resistant to de-tuning
- For 4G LTE Applications, but also backward compatible for 3G/2G systems
- Less dependency on GND plane length
- SMD component supplied in Tape and reel
- Higher performance than larger OTS solutions
- Simple design in process
- Project life support Direct from Synzen Engineers
- Suitable for sealing with resin / potting compounds



### Applications

Telematics  
Smart City  
Drones

Smart Metering  
Gateways  
POS

Home Automation  
Healthcare  
OBD-II



*Patent pending design*



## General Specifications

### Mechanical Specifications

|                         |                       |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| Part Number             | SZP-C-0L02            |
| Name                    | OPALA                 |
| Dimensions              | 32.8 x 9.6 x 3.3 (mm) |
| Required Clearance area | 32.8 x 11.6 (mm)      |
| Weight                  | <2g                   |
| Antenna Type            | Surface Mount Device  |

### RF Specifications

| Frequency Range (MHz)       | 698-960     | 1710-2200 | 2300-2400 | 2500-2690 |
|-----------------------------|-------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Average Efficiency (Linear) | >50%        | >55%      | >50%      | >50%      |
| Peak Gain (dBi)             | 1.50        | 3.40      | 2.70      | 1.50      |
| S11 (max) dB                | <-6.0       | <-7.5     | <6.0      | <-5.0     |
| VSWR (max)                  | 3.10:1      | 2.90:1    | 3.25:1    | 3.50:1    |
| Impedance                   | 50 $\Omega$ |           |           |           |
| Polarization                | Linear      |           |           |           |

*The data shown was measured on Synzen DVK (SZDV-C-0L02)*

### Environmental Specifications

|                         |                  |
|-------------------------|------------------|
| Operational Temperature | -40 to +125 (°C) |
| Storage Temperature     | -10 to +40 (°C)  |
| Relative Humidity       | ≤75%             |



## LTE Bands Covered by SZP-C-0L02

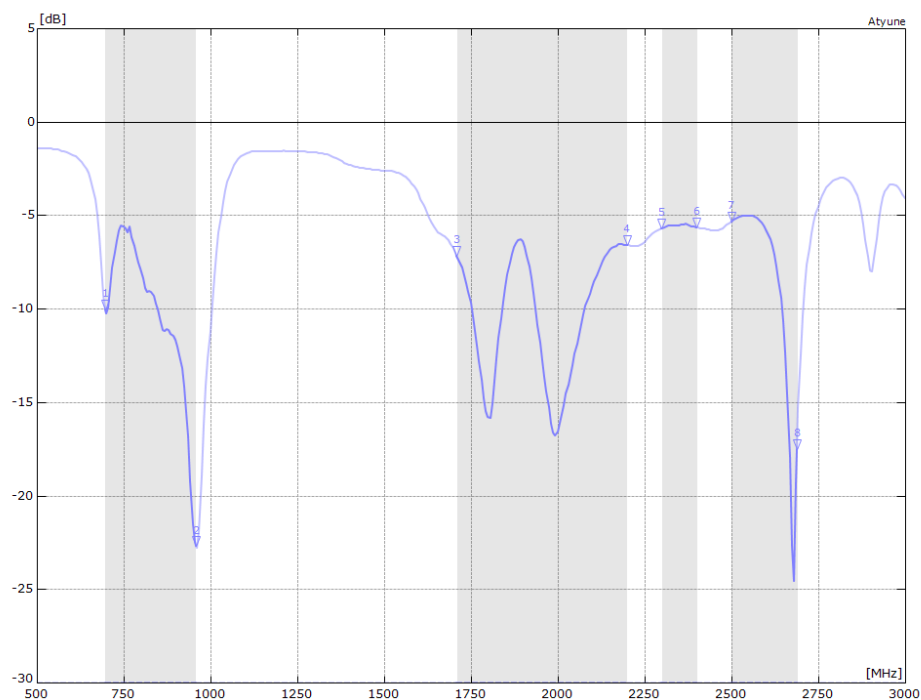
### Supported band list

| LTE Band | Frequency Band | Uplink (MHz)    | Downlink (MHz)  | Supported |
|----------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------|
| 1        | 2100           | 1920 – 1980     | 2110 – 2170     | YES       |
| 2        | 1900           | 1850 – 1910     | 1930 – 1990     | YES       |
| 3        | 1800           | 1710 – 1785     | 1805 – 1880     | YES       |
| 4        | 1700           | 1710 – 1755     | 2110 – 2155     | YES       |
| 5        | 850            | 824 – 849       | 869 – 894       | YES       |
| 7        | 2600           | 2500 – 2570     | 2620 – 2690     | YES       |
| 8        | 900            | 880 – 915       | 925 – 960       | YES       |
| 10       | 1700           | 1710 – 1770     | 2110 – 2170     | YES       |
| 11       | 1500           | 1427.9 – 1447.9 | 1475.9 – 1495.9 | NO        |
| 12       | 700            | 699 – 716       | 729 – 746       | YES       |
| 13       | 700            | 777 – 787       | 746 – 756       | YES       |
| 14       | 700            | 788 – 798       | 758 – 768       | YES       |
| 17       | 700            | 704 – 716       | 734 – 746       | YES       |
| 18       | 850            | 815 – 830       | 860 – 875       | YES       |
| 19       | 850            | 830 – 845       | 875 – 890       | YES       |
| 20       | 800            | 832 – 862       | 791 – 821       | YES       |
| 21       | 1500           | 1447.9 – 1462.9 | 1495.9 – 1510.9 | NO        |
| 22       | 3500           | 3410 – 3490     | 3510 – 3590     | NO        |
| 24       | 1600           | 1626.5 – 1660.5 | 1525 – 1559     | NO        |
| 25       | 1900           | 1850 – 1915     | 1930 – 1995     | YES       |
| 26       | 850            | 814 – 849       | 859 – 894       | YES       |
| 27       | 800            | 807 – 824       | 852 – 869       | YES       |
| 28       | 700            | 703 – 748       | 758 – 803       | YES       |
| 29       | 700            | N/A             | 717 – 728       | YES       |
| 30       | 2300           | 2305 – 2315     | 2350 – 2360     | YES       |
| 31       |                | 452.5 – 457.5   | 462.5 – 467.5   | NO        |
| 32       | 1500           | N/A             | 1452 – 1496     | NO        |
| 33       | 2100           | 1900 – 1920     |                 | YES       |
| 34       | 2100           | 2010 – 2025     |                 | YES       |
| 35       | 1900           | 1850 – 1910     |                 | YES       |
| 36       | 1900           | 1930 – 1990     |                 | YES       |
| 37       |                | 1910 – 1930     |                 | YES       |
| 38       | 2600           | 2570 – 2620     |                 | YES       |
| 39       | 1900           | 1880 – 1920     |                 | YES       |
| 40       | 2300           | 2300 – 2400     |                 | YES       |
| 41       | 2500           | 2496 – 2690     |                 | YES       |
| 42       | 3500           | 3400 – 3600     |                 | NO        |
| 43       | 3700           | 3600 – 3800     |                 | NO        |
| 44       | 700            | 703 – 803       |                 | YES       |
| 45       | 1500           | 1447 – 1467     |                 | NO        |
| 46       | 5200           | 5150 – 5925     |                 | NO        |
| 47       | 5900           | 5855 – 5925     |                 | NO        |
| 48       | 3600           | 3550 – 3700     |                 | NO        |
| 50       | 1500           | 1432 – 1517     |                 | NO        |
| 51       | 1500           | 1427 – 1432     |                 | NO        |
| 65       | 2100           | 1920 – 2010     | 2110 – 2200     | YES       |
| 66       | 1700           | 1710 – 1780     | 2110 – 2200[2]  | YES       |
| 67       | 700            | N/A             | 738 – 758       | YES       |
| 68       | 700            | 698 – 728       | 753 – 783       | YES       |
| 69       | 2600           | N/A             | 2570 – 2620     | YES       |
| 70       | 2000           | 1695 – 1710     | 1995 – 2020     | NO        |

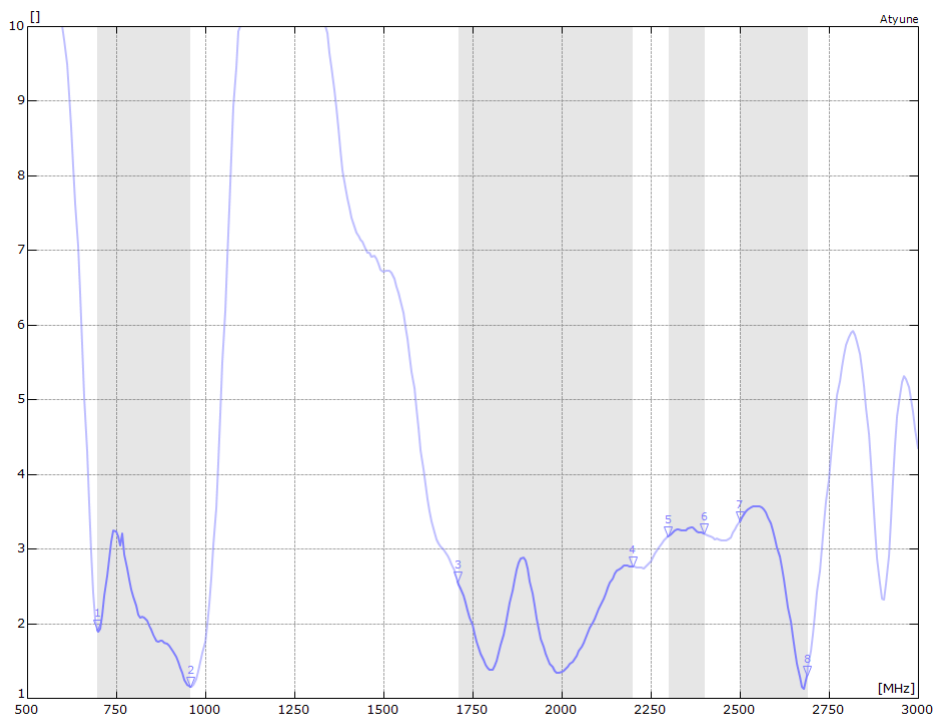


## RF Characteristics

### S11 Parameter



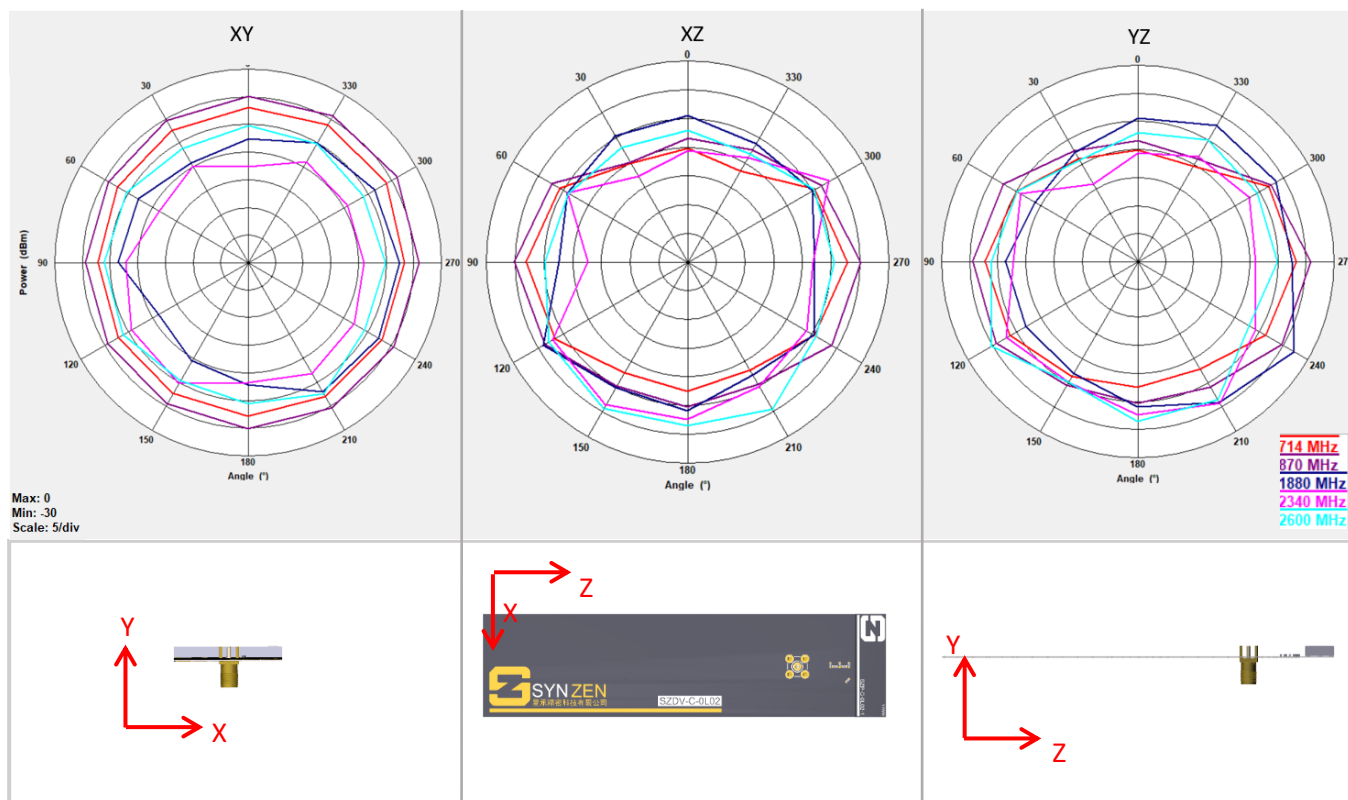
### VSWR



## Radiated Performance

### 2D Polar Plot

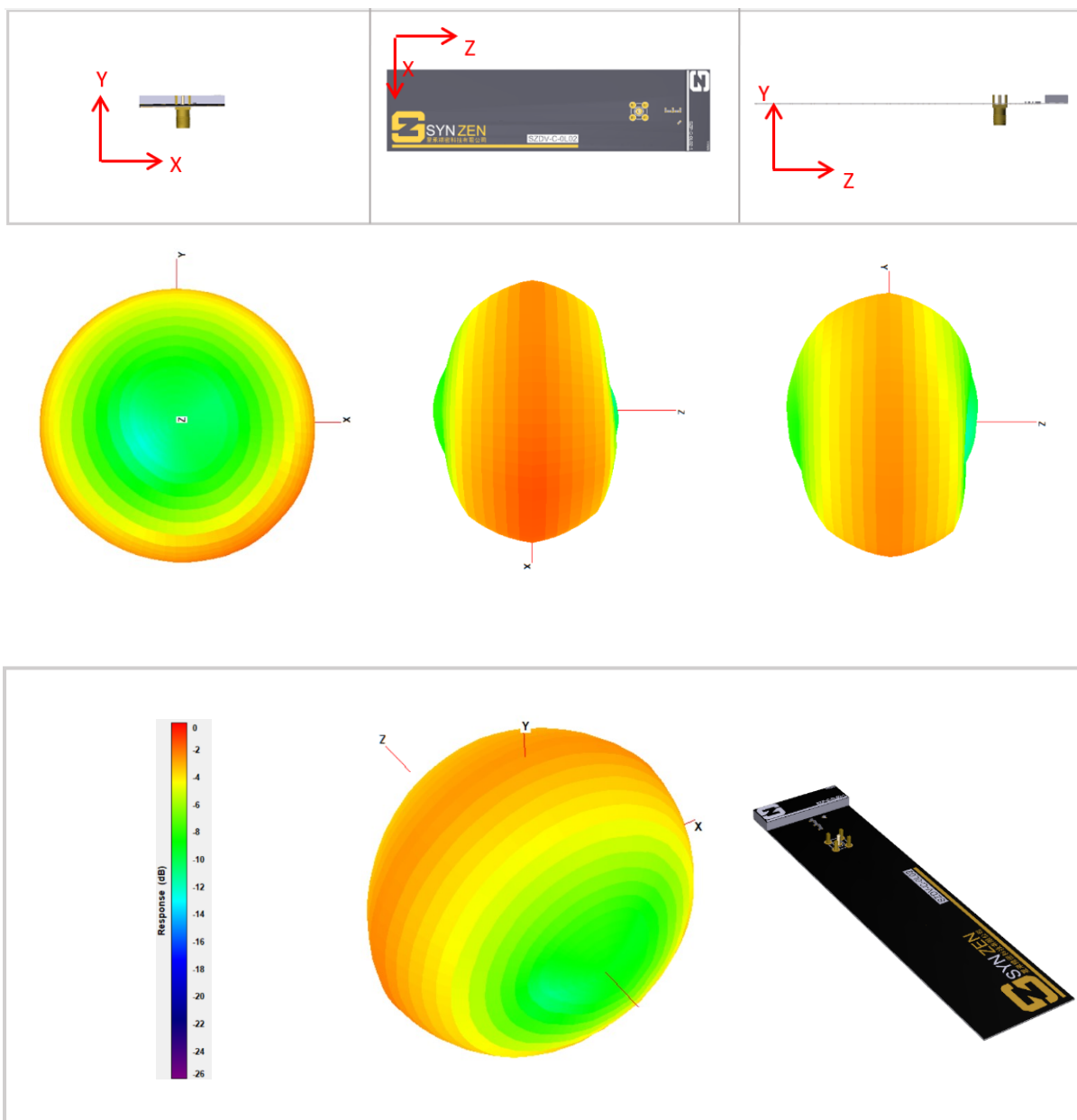
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## Radiated Performance

### 3D Radiation Pattern at 714MHz

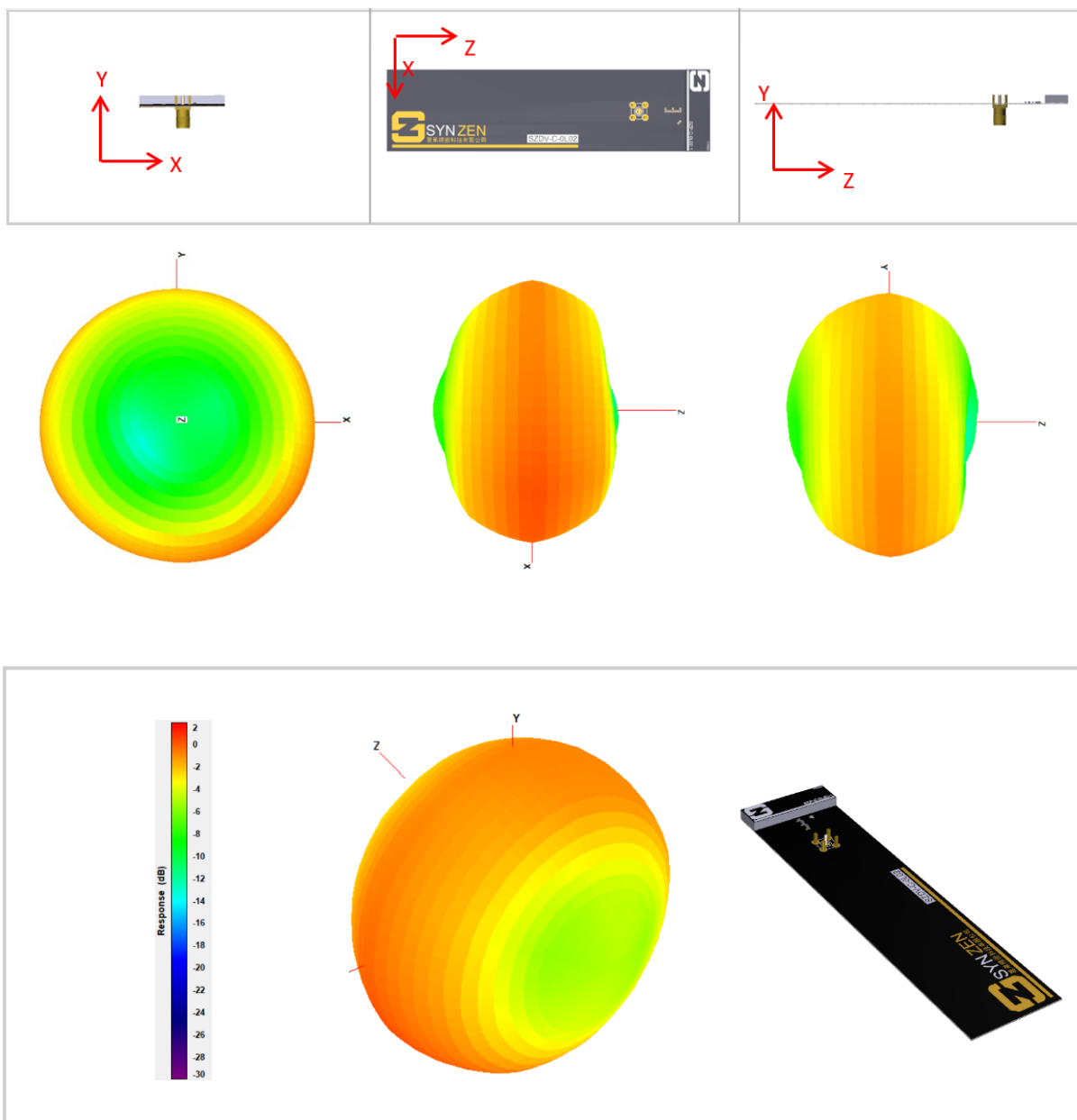
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## Radiated Performance

### 3D Radiation Pattern at 870MHz

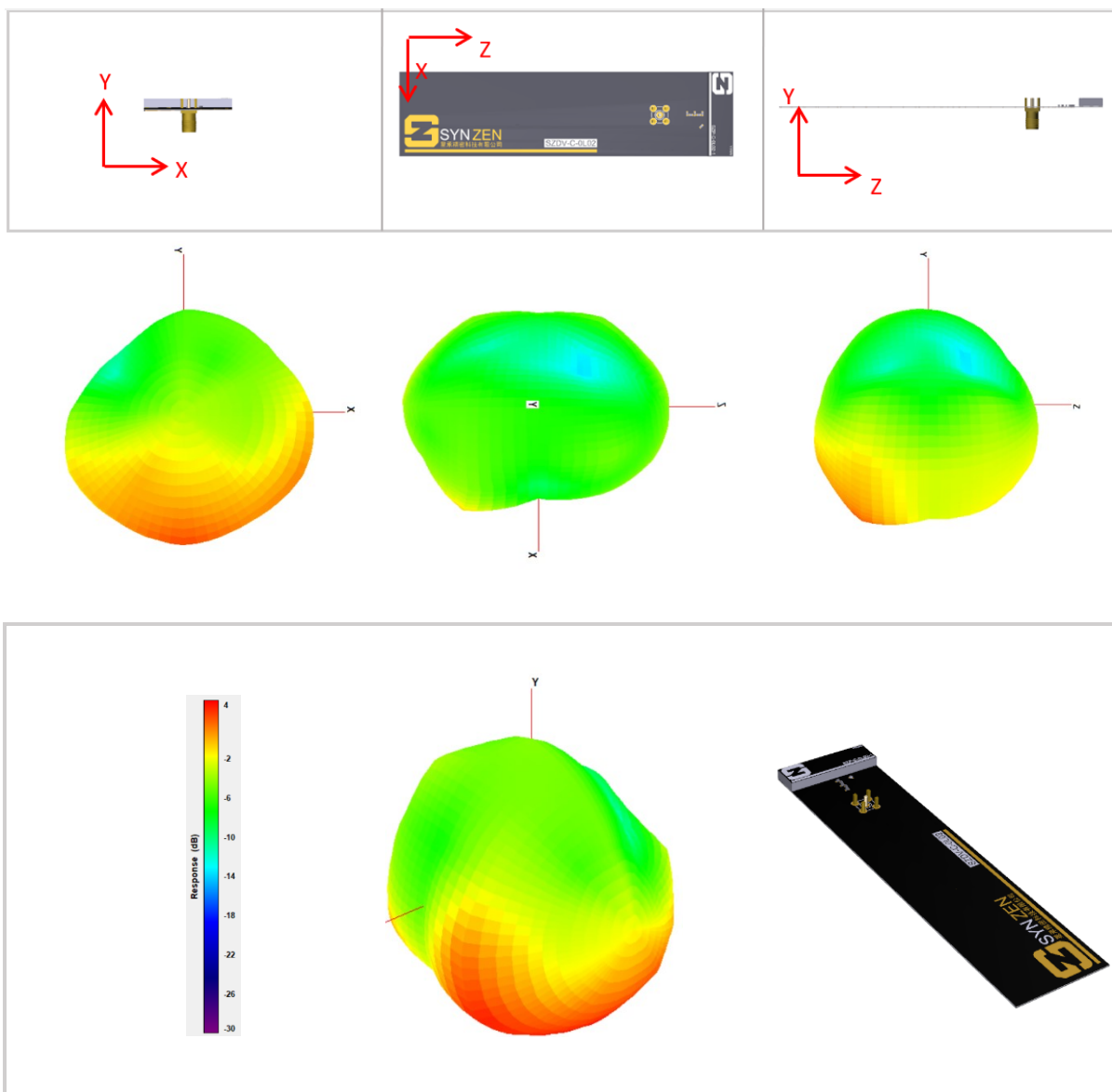
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## Radiated Performance

### 3D Radiation Pattern at 1880MHz

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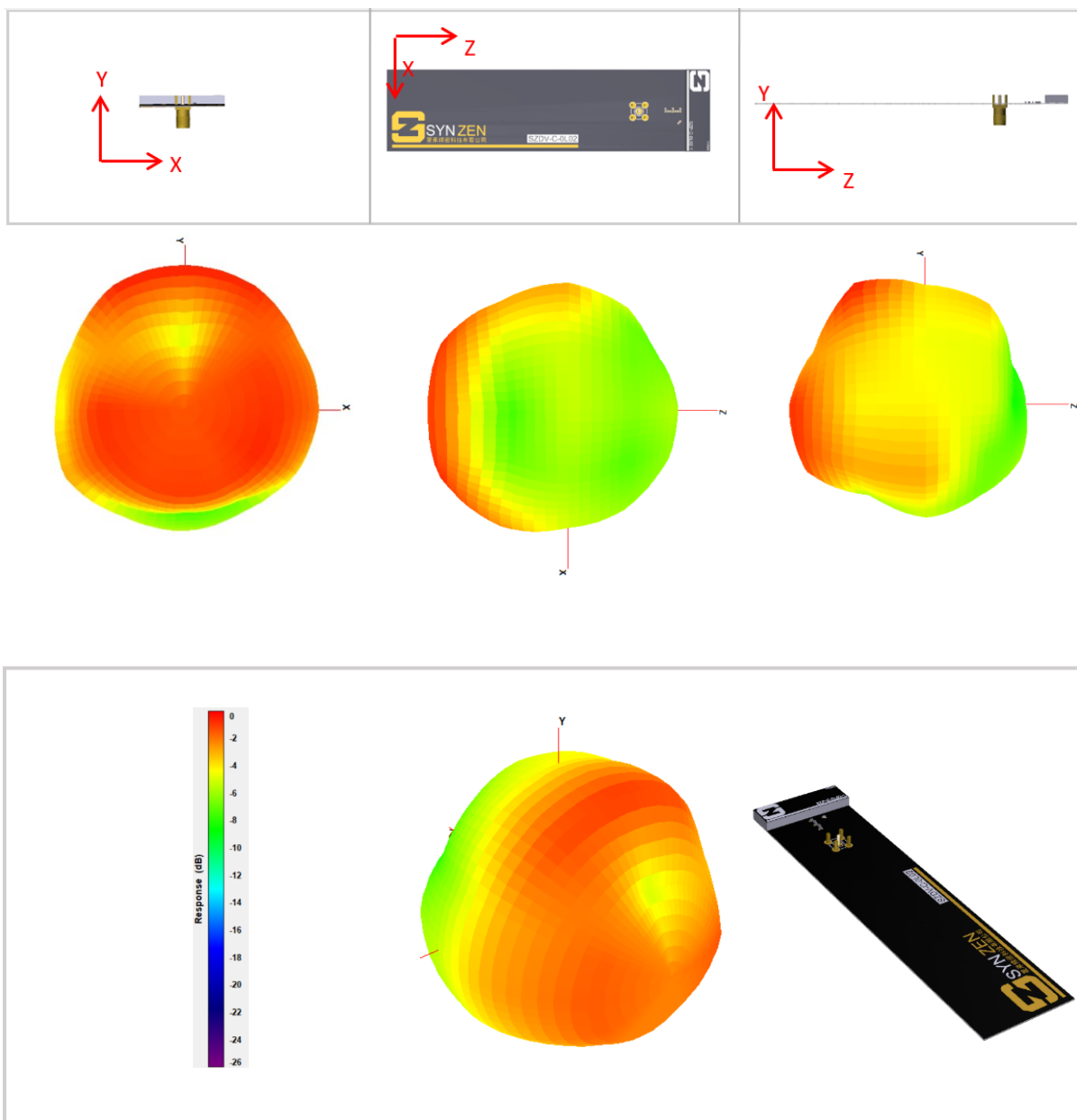




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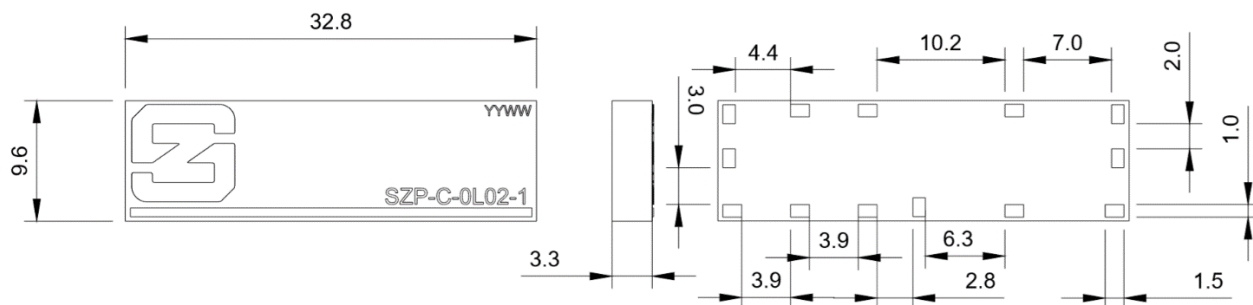
### 3D Radiation Pattern at 2600MHz

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## Mechanical

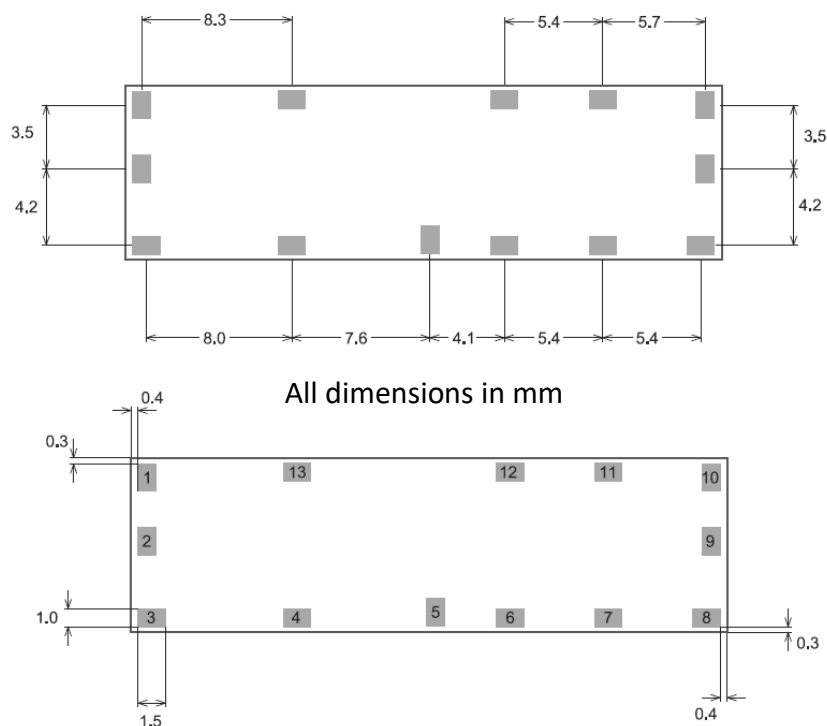
### Antenna Mechanical Drawing



All dimensions in mm

### Required Host PCB Footprint

The host PCB requires the footprint shown below. PCB library files and DXF is available from our website [www.synzen.com.tw/products](http://www.synzen.com.tw/products).

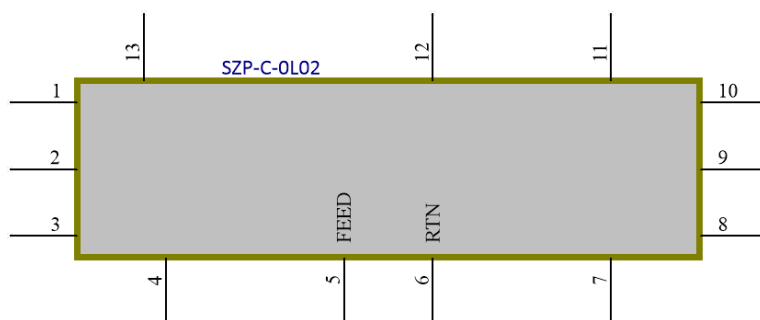


All dimensions in mm

## Antenna Pinout

### SZP-C-0L02 Schematic Symbol

The schematic symbol for the antenna is shown below with a description of each pin.

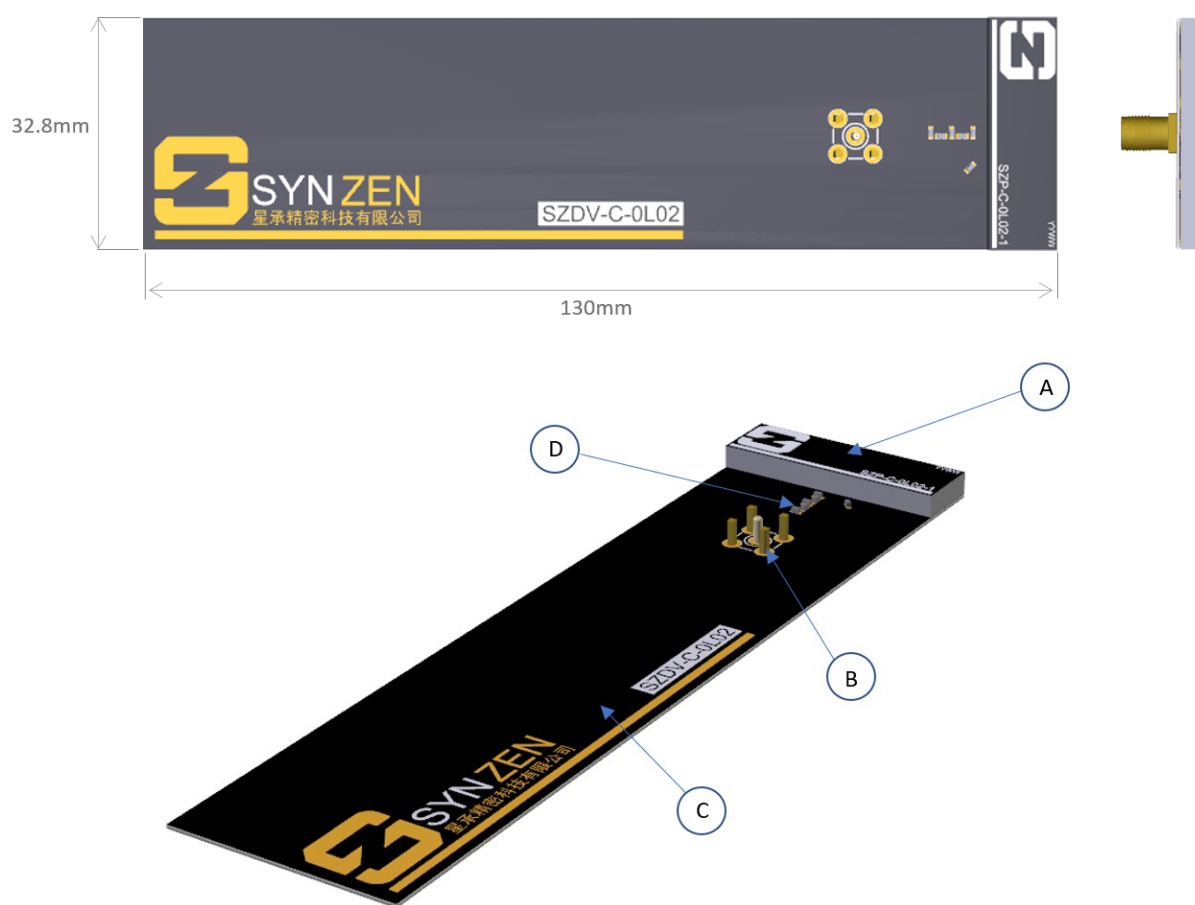


| Pin                       | Description                   |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1,2,3,4,7,8,9,10,11,12,13 | Not used (Mechanical support) |
| 5                         | Feed to Matching network      |
| 6                         | Tuning Return                 |

## Development Kit Mechanical

### SZDV-C-0L02 Development Kit

The SZDV-C-0L02 development kit is a PCBA with the LTE antenna (SZP-C-0L02) fitted and optimised with a matching network. Connection to the antenna is made using the fitted female SMA connector.

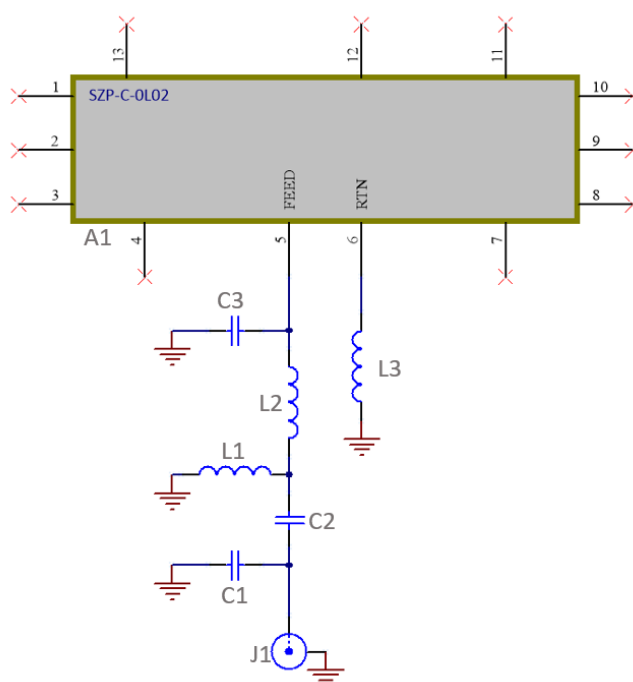


|   |                      |
|---|----------------------|
| A | SZP-C-0L02 (Antenna) |
| B | Host PCB             |
| C | SMA Connector        |
| D | Matching Circuit     |

## Development Kit Circuit

### Development Kit Matching Circuit

The circuit of the DEV kit along with the BOM is shown below. The matching network topology should be used on the device host PCB although the matching values will be dependent on the host PCB and device environment. Synzen provide a matching service to optimise your device to ensure the best performance, please contact [sales@synzen.com.tw](mailto:sales@synzen.com.tw) for more information.

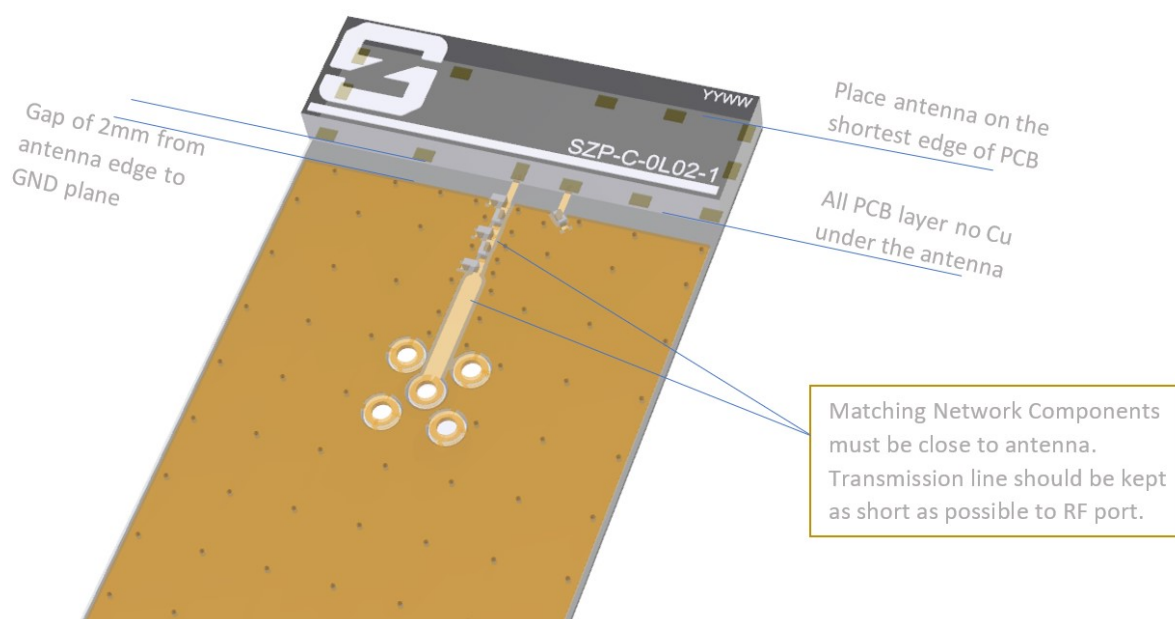


| Designator | Component Type | Value | Size | Manufacturing Part No.   |
|------------|----------------|-------|------|--------------------------|
| A1         | Antenna        | OPALA | -    | SZP-C-0L02               |
| L1         | Inductor       | 12nH  | 0402 | LQG15HS12NH02D           |
| L2         | Inductor       | 3.3nH | 0402 | LQG15HS3N3S02D           |
| C1, C3     | NA             | DNP   | 0402 | Do Not Place             |
| C2         | Capacitor      | 3.3pF | 0402 | GJM1555C1H3R3CB01D       |
| L3         | Inductor       | 27nH  | 0402 | LQG15HS27NJ02D           |
| J1         | SMA Connector  | -     | -    | ACE solution A3SAFTST135 |

## Host PCB Placement and Clearance

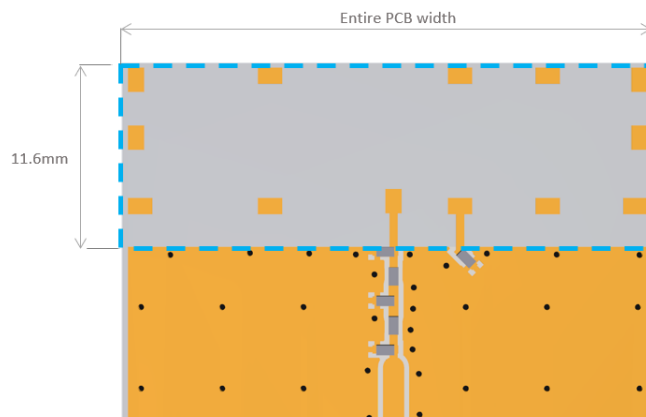
### Placement

The antenna is designed to function placed at the shortest PCB edge to utilise the PCB length for best low band performance.



### Clearance

A clearance is required through all PCB layers for the precise area shown. No components must be placed within this area otherwise RF coupling from the antenna to any conductor will occur reducing performance significantly. Also, any components such as battery or display must also avoid this area.



## Application Note for Smaller Devices

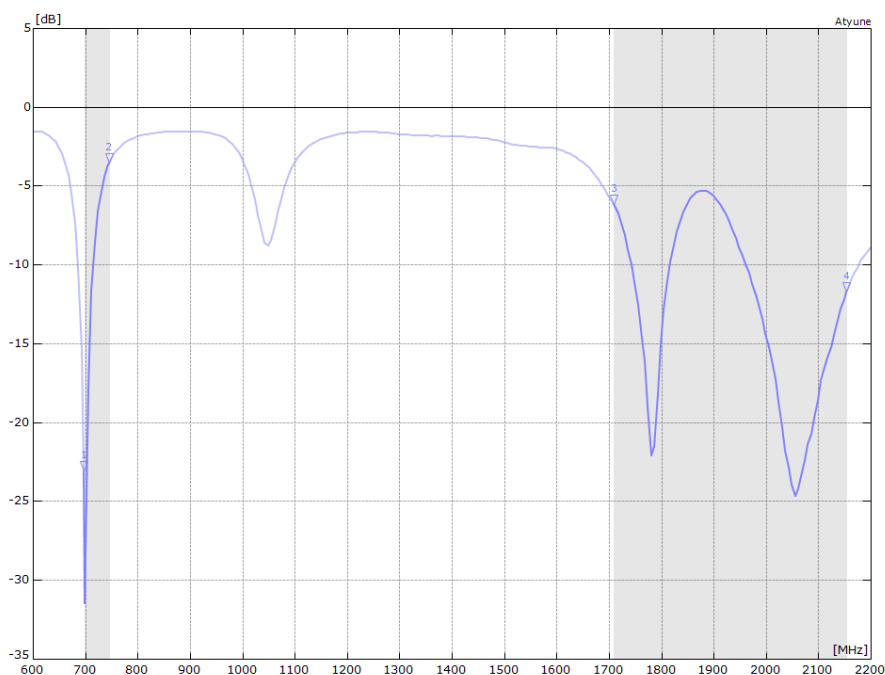
### Small host PCB Performance

Other antennas rely on the host PCB GND length for the low band to perform well. Opala still relies on the host GND to radiate but due to innovative antenna element design it can still function and perform well on a GND plane of only 60 x 33 (mm), smaller than a credit card.



### Example 1: AT&T CatM1 bands (2,4,12): 698-746MHz; 1710-2155MHz

| PCB Dimensions              | 60 x 30 (mm) |           |
|-----------------------------|--------------|-----------|
| Frequency Range (MHz)       | 698-746      | 1710-2155 |
| Average Efficiency (Linear) | 21%          | 55%       |
| Peak Gain (dBi)             | -3.0         | 3.50      |
| S11 (max) dB                | <-3.5        | <-6.0     |
| VSWR (max)                  | 3.10:1       | 2.90:1    |

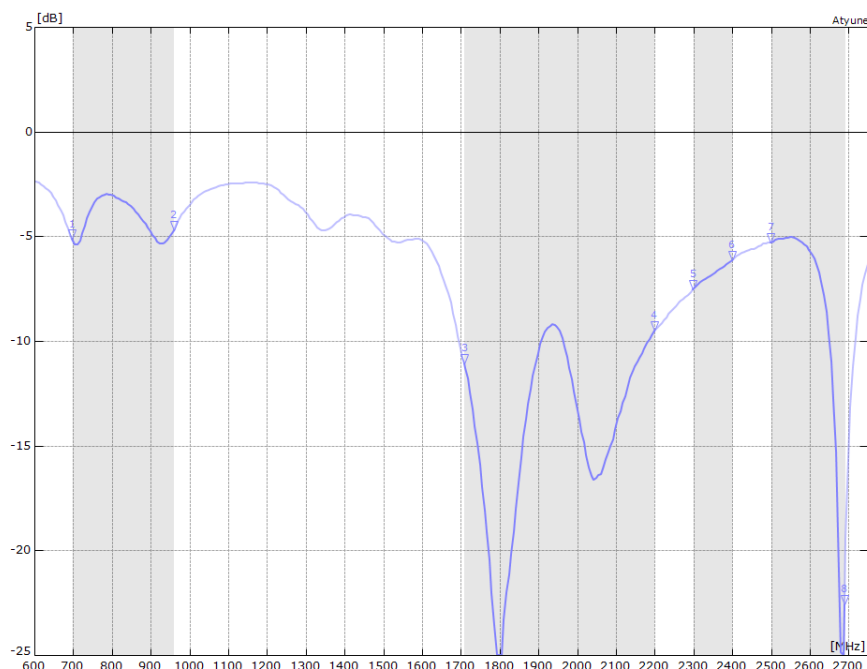


## Application Note for Smaller Devices

**Example 2: LTE bands: 698-746MHz;1710-2170MHz;2300-2400;2500-2690MHz**



| Frequency Range (MHz)       | 698-960 | 1710-2200 | 2300-2400 | 2500-2690 |
|-----------------------------|---------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Average Efficiency (Linear) | 15%     | 60%       | 45%       | 40%       |
| Peak Gain (dBi)             | -3.20   | 3.45      | 2.8.      | 0.50      |
| Peak Gain (dBi)             | 1.50    | 3.40      | 2.70      | 1.80      |
| S11 (max) dB                | <-3.0   | <-8.0     | <-6.5     | <-5.0     |

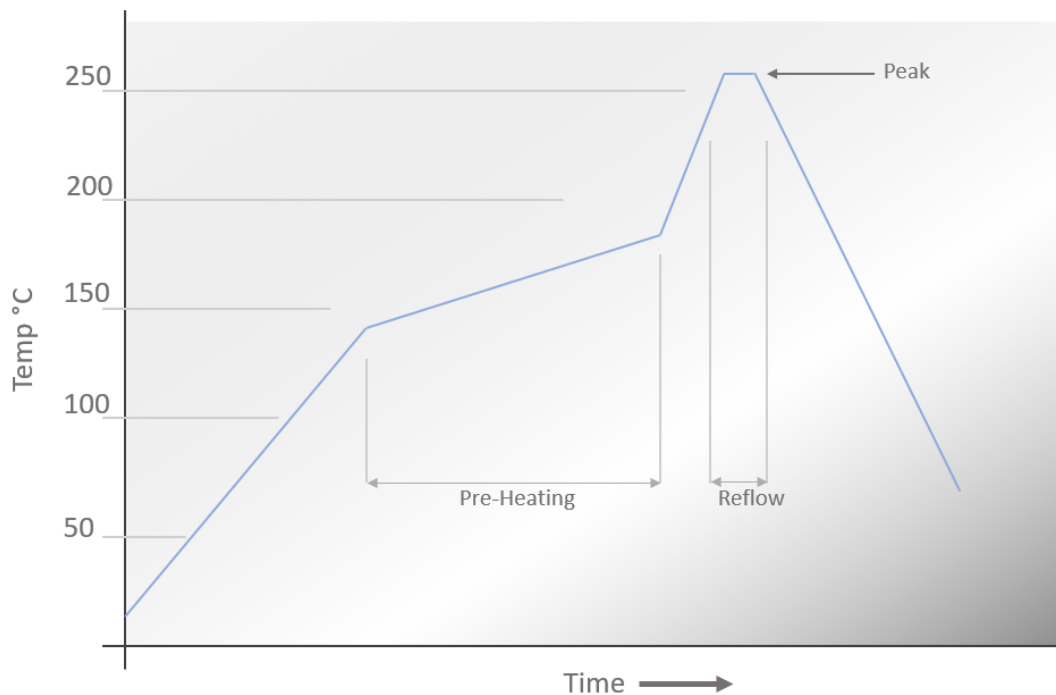






## Soldering

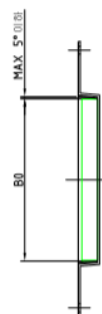
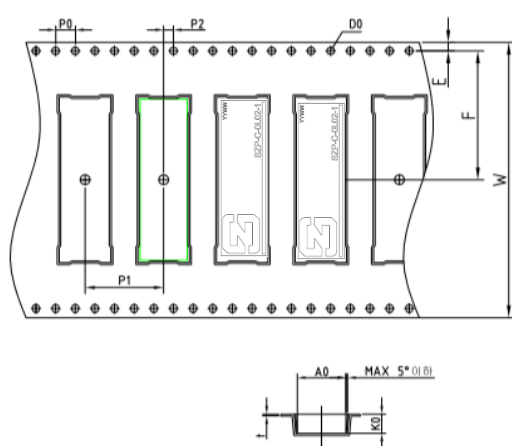
### Reflow Profile



|                         |             |                   |
|-------------------------|-------------|-------------------|
| <b>Pre-Heating</b>      | 130 - 180°C | 50 to 190 seconds |
| <b>Reflow</b>           | >220 °C     | 50 to 160 seconds |
| <b>Peak Temperature</b> | 260 °C      | 15 to 45 seconds  |

## Packaging

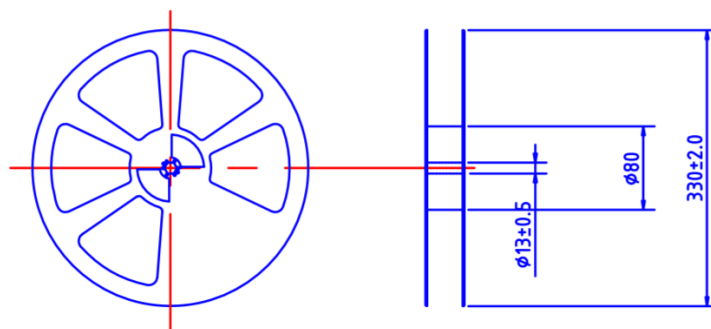
### Tape and Reel



USER FEEDING  
DIRECTION

| NAME | SPEC.     |
|------|-----------|
| W    | 56.0±0.3  |
| E    | 1.75±0.1  |
| F    | 26.20±0.1 |
| D0   | 1.55±0.05 |
| P1   | 16.0±0.1  |
| P0   | 4.0±0.1   |
| P2   | 2.0±0.1   |
| A0   | 9.90±0.1  |
| B0   | 33.10±0.1 |
| K0   | 3.90±0.1  |
| T    | 0.40±0.05 |

1. 10 sprocket hole pitch cumulative tolerance  $\pm 0.2$
2. Camber not to exceed 1mm in 100mm.
3. A0 and B0 measured on a plane 0.1mm above the bottom of the pocket
4. K0 measured from a plane on the inside bottom of the pocket to the top surface of the carrier.



#### ANTI-STATIC

| REEL<br>DIMENSION | Type | Color | Size | Hub |
|-------------------|------|-------|------|-----|
|                   | PS   | Black | ø330 | ø80 |



## Environmental

### Material Regulation

The antenna has been tested to conform to RoHS requirements. A certificate of conformance is available upon request.

This product is Halogen free.



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