

- RADIAFLEX® functions as a distributed antenna to provide communications in tunnels, mines and large building complexes and is the solution for any application in confined areas.
- Slots in the copper outer conductor allow a controlled portion of the internal RF energy to be radiated into the surrounding environment. Conversely, a signal transmitted near the cable will couple into the slots and be carried along the cable length.
- RADIAFLEX® is used for both one-way and two-way communication systems and because of its broadband capability, a single radiating cable can handle multiple communication systems simultaneously.
- This RADIAFLEX® radiating cable utilize a low-loss cellular polyethylene foam dielectric and a smooth copper outer conductor which offers a superior electrical performance together with good bending properties.

Feature / Benefits

- Ultra wideband from 30 MHz to 2700 MHz
- For applications in tunnels and buildings
- Low coupling loss variations

Technical features

GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS

| Size | 1-1/4 |
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ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS

| Max. Operating Frequency | 2700 MHz | | | |
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| Cable Type | RLKU | | | |
| Impedance | 50 +/- 2 | | | |
| Velocity | 90 percent | | | |
| Capacitance | 74pF/m (22.6pF/ft) | | | |
| DC-resistance inner conductor | 0.83ohm/1000 m (0.253ohm/1000 ft) | | | |
| DC-resistance outer conductor | 1.75ohm/1000 m (0.534ohm/1000 ft) | | | |
| Stop bands | 540-610 | | | |
| Frequency Selection | 600, 900, 1800/1900, 2200, 2400, 2500, 2700 | | | |

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MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS

| Jacket | JFL, EN50575:2017 classified cable | | | |
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| Jacket Description | Halogen free, non corrosive, flame and fire retardant, low smoke, polyolefin + flame barrier tape above o conductor for lowest cable loss | | | |
| Slot Design | Groups of vertical slots at short intervals | | | |
| Inner Conductor Material | Corrugated Copper Tube | | | |
| Outer Conductor Material | Overlapping Copper Strip | | | |
| Diameter Inner Conductor | 13.9mm (0.55in) | | | |
| Diameter Outer Conductor | 34mm (1.34in) | | | |
| Minimum Bending Radius | 500mm (20in) | | | |
| Cable Weight | 0.87kg/m (0.58lb/ft) | | | |
| Tensile Force | 2000N (440lb) | | | |
| Indication of Slot Alignment | Guides opposite to slots | | | |
| Recommended / Maximum Clamp Spacing | 1.3m (4.3ft) | | | |
| Minimum Distance to Wall | 80mm (3.15in) | | | |

TESTING AND ENVIRONMENTAL

| Jacket Testing Methods | Test methods for fire behaviour of cable : | |
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| | IEC 60754-1/-2 smoke emission: halogen free, non corrosive | |
| | IEC 61034 low smoke | |
| | IEC 60332-1 flame retardant | |
| | IEC 60332-3-24 fire retardant | |
| | NFPA130 (ed. 2014) Ch.12 (NFPA70) via UL-1685/FT4/IEEE1202 | |
| | UL1666, ASTM E 662, NES711 and NES713 | |
| | EN50575:2017 (Hannover production) class Dca s1 d2 a1 | |

TEMPERATURE SPECIFICATIONS

| Storage Temperature | -70°C to 85°C (-94°F to 185°F) |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Installation Temperature | -25°C to 60°C (-13°F to 140°F) |
| Operation Temperature | -40°C to 85°C (-40°F to 185°F) |

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ATTENUATION AND POWER RATING

| Frequency, MHz | Longitudinal Loss, dB/100 m (dB/100 ft) | Coupling Loss 50%, dB | Coupling Loss 95%, dB |
|----------------|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 75 | 0.71 (0.23) | 58 (61) | 68 (71) |
| 150 | 1.08 (0.33) | 64 (67) | 75 (78) |
| 500 | 2.03 (0.62) | 69 (73) | 81 (84) |
| 700 | 2.55 (0.78) | 62 (65) | 66 (69) |
| 800 | 2.75 (0.84) | 62 (65) | 67 (70) |
| 860 | 2.88 (0.88) | 67 (70) | 73 (76) |
| 870 | 2.90 (0.89) | 68 (71) | 74 (77) |
| 900 | 2.97 (0.91) | 64 (67) | 67 (70) |
| 1900 | 5.39 (1.64) | 62 (65) | 67 (70) |
| 2000 | 5.69 (1.64) | 63 (66) | 69 (72) |
| 2100 | 5.96 (1.82) | 62 (65) | 67 (70) |
| 2200 | 6.37 (1.94) | 61 (64) | 66 (69) |
| 2300 | 6.79 (2.07) | 62 (65) | 67 (70) |
| 2400 | 7.32 (2.23) | 61 (64) | 67 (70) |
| 2700 | 9.12 (2.78) | 61 (64) | 67 (70) |

NOTES

- Coupling loss as well as longitudinal attenuation of RADIAFLEX® cables are measured by the free space method according to IEC 61196-4.
- Coupling loss values are measured with a radial (below 550 MHz) or parallel (above 550 MHz) orientated dipole antenna.
- The coupling loss values given in brackets are average values of all three spatial orientations (radial, parallel and orthogonal) of dipole antenna.
- Coupling loss values are given with a tolerance of +5 dB and longitudinal loss values with a tolerance of +5%. Note: Measured values below nominal are better. They are not limited by any tolerance-range.
- In case of a conflict of operational and stop band, please contact RFS for further assistance.
- As with any radiating cable, the performance in building or tunnel environments may deviate from figures based on free space method.

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