

5-1/2" HELIFLEX® Air-Dielectric Coaxial Cable

HELIFLEX® 5-1/2" low loss air dielectric cable

FEATURES / BENEFITS

Low Attenuation

The low attenuation of HELIFLEX® coaxial cable results in highly efficient signal transfer in your RF system.

Complete Shielding

The solid outer conductor of HELIFLEX® coaxial cable creates a continuous RFI/EMI shield that minimizes system interference.

♠ Low VSWR

Special low VSWR versions of HELIFLEX® coaxial cables contribute to low system noise.

Outstanding Intermodulation Performance

HELIFLEX® 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, HELIFLEX® 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.



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Technical Features

APPLICATIONS		
Applications		TV, Broadcast
STRUCTURE		
Cable Type		Air-Dielectric, Corrugated
Size		5-1/2"
Jacket Option		Black
Inner Conductor	mm (in)	58 (2.28) Corrugated Copper Tube
Dielectric	mm (in)	127 (5) Helical Polyethylene Spacer
Outer Conductor	mm (in)	140.5 (5.53) Corrugated Copper
Jacket	mm (in)	147.1 (5.79) Polyethylene, PE
ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS		
Impedance	Ω	50 +/- 0.5
Maximum Frequency	GHz	0.86
Velocity	%	96
Capacitance	pF/m (pF/ft)	70 (21.3)
Inductance	μH/m (μH/ft)	0.175 (0.053)
Peak Power Rating	kW	2250
RF Peak Voltage	Volts	15000
Jacket Spark	Volt RMS	8000
Inner Conductor dc Resistance	Ω/1000 m (Ω/1000 ft)	0.2 (0.06)
Outer Conductor dc Resistance	Ω/1000 m (Ω/1000 ft)	0.057 (0.017)
Return Loss (VSWR) Performance		Standard
Maximum Return Loss	dB (VSWR)	Typical 20.8dB (1.2 VSWR) or better within the operation bands of most global frequency ranges. Premium also available. Contact factory for options in your specific frequency band.
Phase Stabilized		Phase stabilized and phase matched cables and assemblies are available upon request.
Temperature & Power		Standard
MECHANICAL SPECIFICATIONS		
Cable Weight	kg/m (lb/ft)	7.5 (5)
Minimum Bending Radius, Single Bend	mm (in)	800 (31)
Minimum Bending Radius, Repeated Bends	mm (in)	1500 (59)
Bending Moment	Nm (lb*ft)	580 (428)
Tensile Strength	N (lb)	4000 (900)
Recommended / Maximum Clamp Spacing	m (ft)	1 / 2 (3.3 / 6.6)

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ATTENUATION AND POWER RATING Frequency Attenuation Power dB/100m dB/100ft MHz kW 0.5 0.01 1890.00 0.005 0.02 0.006 1330.00 1.5 0.03 0.008 1090.00 940.00 0.03 0.009 10 0.07 0.021 418.00 0.10 0.029 294.00 20 30 0.12 0.036 239.00 50 0.15 0.047 184.00 88 0.21 0.062 138.00 100 0.22 0.067 129.00 108 0.23 0.069 124.00 150 0.27 0.082 105.00 174 0.29 0.089 97.70 0.31 0.096 91.10 200 300 0.39 0.119 74.00 400 0.46 0.139 64.00 450 0.49 0.148 60.30 500 0.51 0.156 57.20 512 0.52 0.158 56 50 600 0.57 0.173 52.20 0.62 48.50 700 0.188 800 0.66 0.202 45.40 824 0.67 0.206 44.70

TESTING AND ENVIRONMENTAL		
Fire Performance	Halogene Free	
Flame Retardant Jacket Specifications	Meets the requirements according to: IEC60754-1, IEC60754-2	
Installation Temperature	-40 to 60 (-40 to 140) °C(°F)	
Storage Temperature	-70 to 85 (-94 to 185) °C(°F)	
Operation Temperature	-50 to 85 (-58 to 185) °C(°F)	

Attenuation at 20°C (68°F) cable temperature; tolerance +/- 5% max.; Mean power rating at 40°C (104°F) ambient temperature

0.215

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