

SPECIFICATION

Part No. : **AP.35A.07.0054A**

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Product Name : 35mm One Stage GPS Active Patch

Antenna Module with back-end Saw Filter

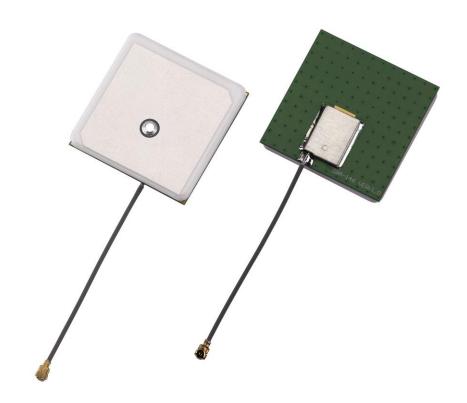
Features : 35mm*35mm*5.5mm (Ground Plane)

54mm Ø1.13 I-PEX MHFI (U.FL)

15dB LNA

ROHS Compliant

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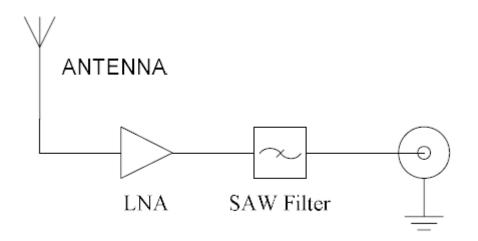


1. Introduction

The AP.35A has been designed for embedded (inside device) integration with GPS receiver modules, the AP.35A combines a 35*35*3.5mm advanced low profile ceramic patch antenna with a one stage LNA and ultra thin coaxial cable.

The Ground Plane size of 35*35mm combined with the larger size GPS Patch, gives this solution a performance increase in gain of 1~2dB. It also helps shields the patch antenna from noise and increases performance at low elevations. Taoglas active antenna modules utilise XtremeGainTM technology for the highest sensitivity in the industry.

This antenna system consists of two functional blocks, the LNA portion and the patch antenna. The AP.35A has a back-end SAW filter.



I-PEX +cable



2. Specification

2.1 Patch Antenna

Parameter	Specification		
Frequency	1575.42 ± 1.023MHz		
Gain @ Zenith	+2.5 dBic Typ. @ Zenith (35mm GP)		
Polarization	RHCP		
Axial Ratio	3.0dB max. @Zenith		
Patch Dimension	35*35*3.5mm		

2.2 LNA

LIVA			
Parameter	Specification		
Frequency	1575.42 ± 1.023MHz		
	F0=1575.42MHz		
	F0±30MHz 5dB min.		
Outer Band	F0±50MHz 23dB min.		
Attenuation	F0±100MHz 28dB min.		
Output Impedance	50Ω		
Output VSWR	2.0 Max		
Pout at 1dB Gain	Typ2dBm		
Compression point	Min6dBm		

LNA Gain, Power Consumption and Noise Figure

	LNA Gain	Power Consumption(mA)	Noise Figure	
Voltage	(Typ)	Тур	Тур	
Min. 1.8V	14dB	3mA	1.5dB	
Typ. 3.0V	15dB	3mA	1.5dB	
Max. 5.5V	15dB	3mA	1.5dB	

2.3 Cable & Connector

Parameter	Specification			
RF Cable	Coaxial Cable \emptyset 1.13 ± 0.1mm, length 54 ± 2.5mm			
Connector	IPEX MHFI (U.FL)			

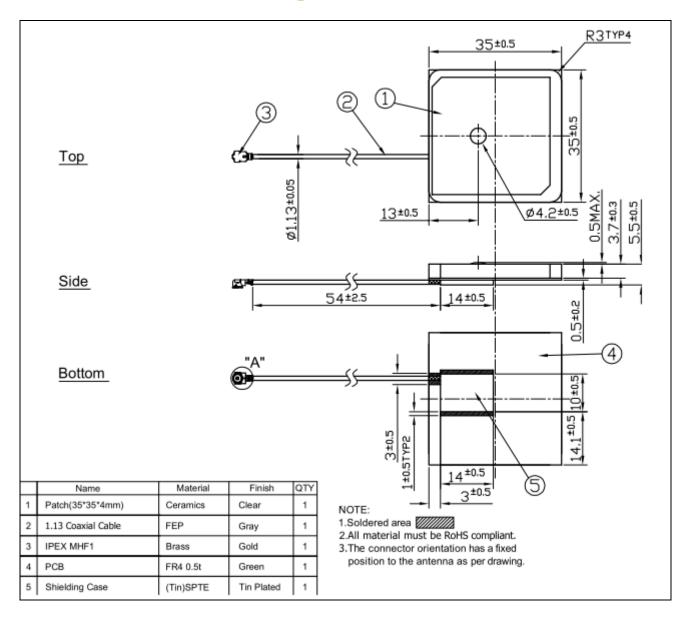


2.4 Total Specification (through Antenna, LNA, Cable and Connector)

Parameter	Specification				
Frequency	1575.42 ± 1.023MHz				
	At 90° At 5V:18± 3dBic				
	At 3V: 17.5 ± 3 dBic				
Gain	At 1.8V: 15.5 ± 3 dBic				
Output Impedance	50Ω				
Polarization	RHCP				
Output VSWR	Max 2.0				
Operation Temperature	-40°C to + 85°C				
Storage Temperature	-40°C to + 85°C				
Relative Humidity	40% to 95%				
Input Voltage	Min:1.8V Typ. 3.0V Max:5V				
Antenna	35*35*5.5mm				



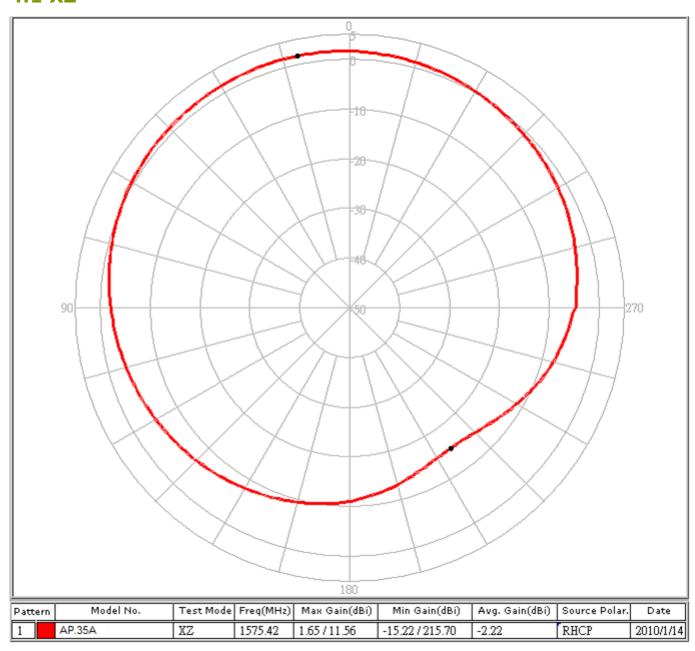
3. Technical Drawing





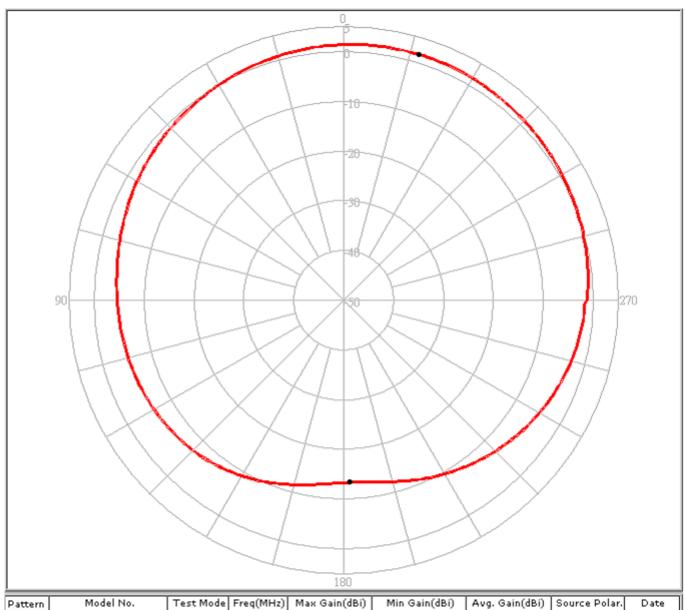
4. Radiation Patterns

4.1 XZ





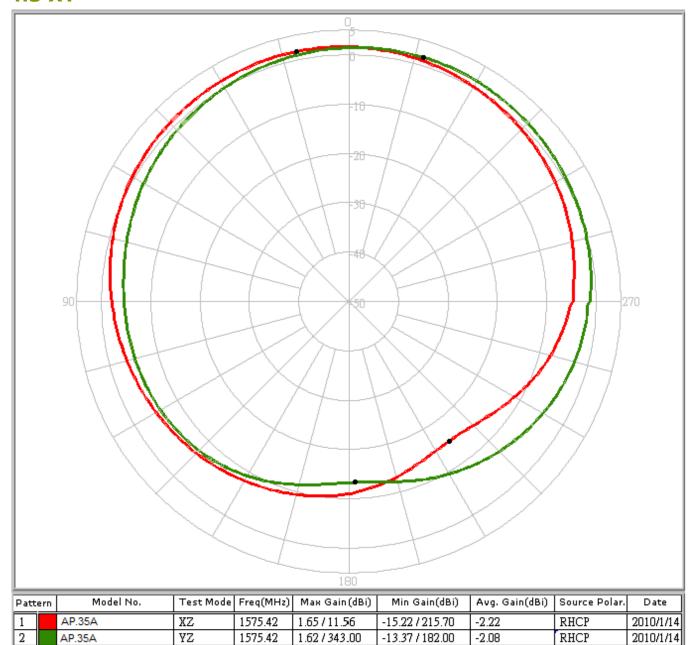
4.2 YZ



Patt	tern	Model No.	Test Mode	Freq(MHz)	Max Gain(dBi)	Min Gain(dBi)	Avg. Gain(dBi)	Source Polar.	Date
1		AP.35A	YZ	1575.42	1.62 / 343.00	-13.37 / 182.00	-2.08	RHCP	2010/1/14

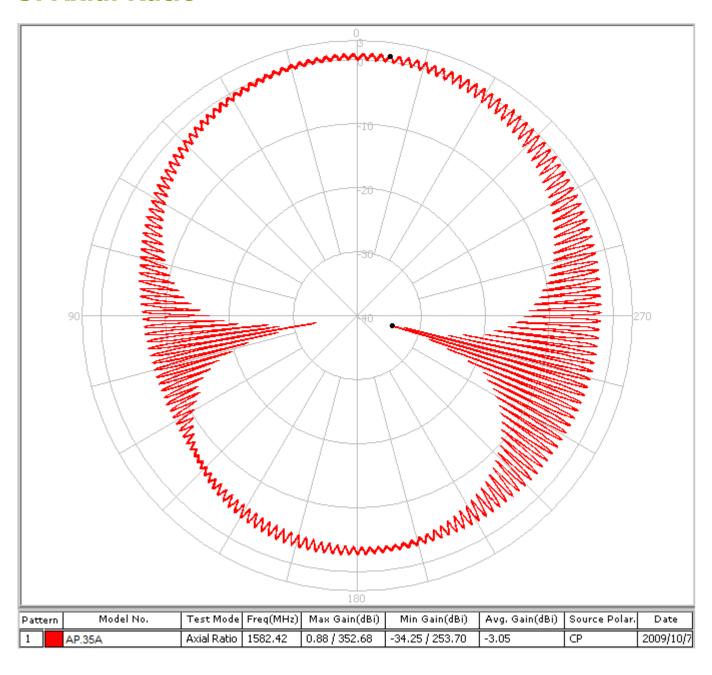


4.3 XY



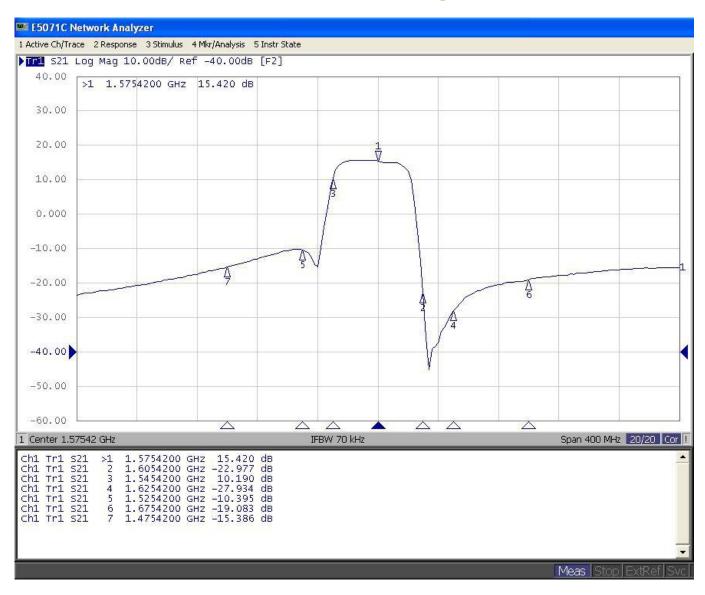


5. Axial Ratio



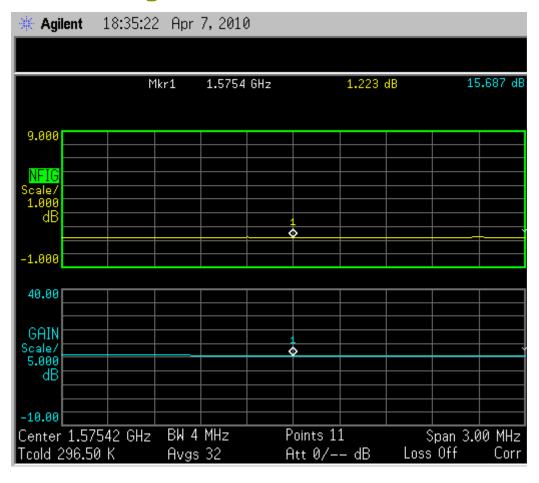


6. LNA Gain and Out of Band Rejection at 3.0V





7. LNA Noise Figure at 3.0V





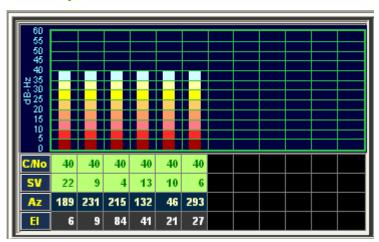
8. Reliability Tests

8.1 Reliability Test (Room temperature +25°C)

8.1.1 S21 Radiation Gain at +25°C

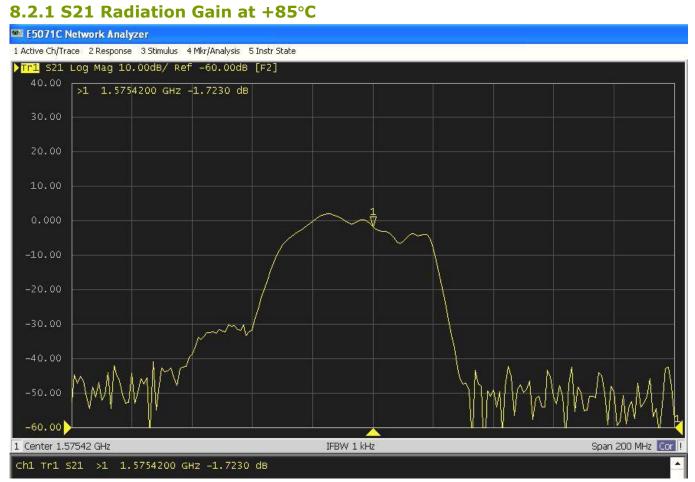


8.1.2 C/N at +25°C

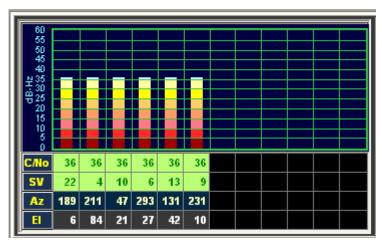




8.2 Reliability Test (High temperature +85°C)



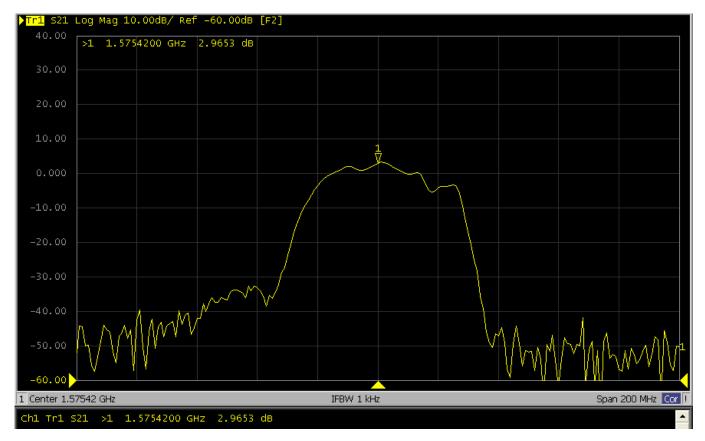
8.2.2 C/N at +85°C





8.3 Reliability Test (Low temperature -40°C)

8.3.1 S21 Radiation Gain at -40°C



8.3.2 C/N at -40°C

