

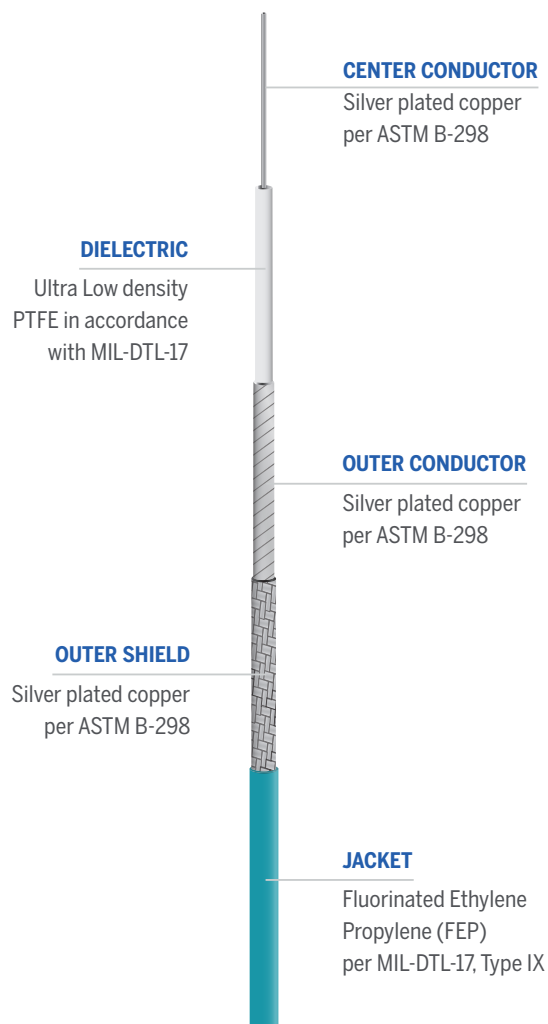
UFC185A

UTiFLEX®



The UFC185A coaxial solutions are optimized to provide outstanding insertion loss in a flexible cable construction. The cables utilize an ultra-low-density PTFE dielectric that lowers weight and insertion loss, improves electrical stability, and provides greater resilience and flexibility when compared to standard microwave cables.

Details and Materials



 **Impedance**
50 Ohms

 **Operating Temperature**
-65°C to +125°C

 **RoHS**
Compliant

Mechanical/Physical Properties

Jacket Diameter	in	0.185
	mm	4.70
Weight	grams/ft	≤ 17.6
	grams/m	≤ 57.7
Min Static Bend Radius	in	0.375
	mm	9.53
Flex Life - Snake ³	cycles	10,000
Center Conductor Strands		1

Electrical Properties

Velocity of Propagation	(%)	83
RF Shielding	(dB) at 1 GHz	≥ 100
Capacitance	pF/ft	24.35
	pF/m	79.90
Cutoff Frequency	GHz	34.03
Corona Extinction Voltage	VRMS @ 60Hz	3500
Dielectric Withstanding Voltage	VRMS @ 60Hz	5000
Insertion Loss Stability	% Change ²	≤ 5
K1	Ft (m)	8.05 (0.264)
K2	Ft (m)	0.11 (0.004)

Maximum Attenuation¹, Power, and VSWR^{6,7} (at 20°C and Sea Level)

Frequency GHz	Attenuation dB/100ft		Power Watts (CW)	VSWR
0.5	6.0	0.19	1221	1.20
1	8.0	0.27	861	1.20
5	19.0	0.61	380	1.20
10	27.0	0.87	267	1.20
18	36.0	1.19	197	1.20
26.5	44.0	1.46	161	1.25
33	50.0	1.64	146	1.25

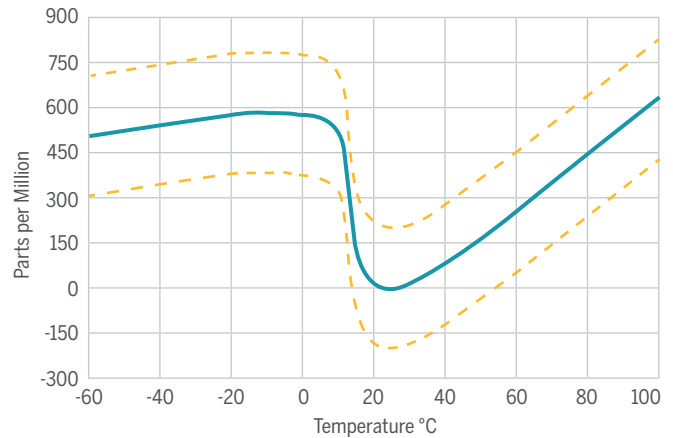
Environmental Properties

Thermal Shock	MIL-STD-202, Method 107, 20 Cycles, -65 to 125 °C (cable and SMA connectors only)
Aging Stability	MIL-DTL-17, Paragraph 4.8.16, +125 °C for 168 hours (cable and SMA connectors only)
Vibration	MIL-STD-202, Method 204, Test Condition B
High Pressure	Pressure increased ≤ 10 bar/min to 100 +/- 2 bar for 12 hrs.
Humidity	MIL-STD-810, Method 108, Procedure 1 and 2
Salt Fog	MIL-STD-810, Method 509, Procedure 1
Sand and Dust	MIL-STD-810, Method 510, Procedure 1
Stress Crack Resistance	MIL-DTL-17, Paragraph 4.8.17
Cold Bend Test	MIL-DTL-17, Paragraph 4.8.19
Outgassing	Less than 1% TML and 0.1% CVM
Radiation Resistance	30 Mrads
Flammability	14 CFR Part 25, Appendix F, Part I (b) (7), 60° flammability test

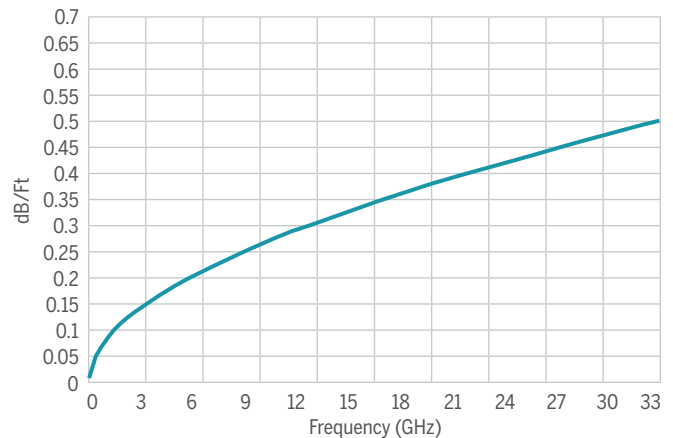
Notes

1. Maximum Attenuation (db/100Ft) = $K1\sqrt{F} + K2F$ where F is Frequency in GHz.
2. Insertion Loss change, while vibrated at a frequency of 6 Hz and an amplitude of 1 in.
3. Connect both ends of cable to flex (snake) machine. The movement of the flex machine arm from 36 to 18 inches, stopping, and then returning to 36 inches shall be 1 flex cycle.
4. Not used.
5. Cable assemblies of equal length and connectors made from the same cable manufacturing lot shall phase track within 200 PPM of each other.
6. Test Plots required with Shipment (Attenuation and VSWR).
7. VSWR testing to be performed on 20-foot minimum lengths with gating used to remove connector contributions. Minimum frequency points shall be 1601.

Typical Phase Change vs. Temperature⁵



Maximum Insertion Loss



Maximum Power Handling

