UFJ142A UTIFLEX®



The UFJ142A coaxial solutions are optimized for spaceflight applications. They provide the lightest weight, lowest insertion loss, and best radiation resistance in a flexible cable construction. The cables utilize our ARACON® for the outer shield, an ultra-low-density PTFE for the dielectric, and a FEP jacket.

Details and Materials

CENTER CONDUCTOR

Silver plated copper per ASTM B-298

DIELECTRIC

Ultra Low density PTFE in accordance with MIL-DTL-17

OUTER CONDUCTOR

Silver plated copper per ASTM B-298

OUTER SHIELD

Silver plated poly-para-phenylene terephthalamide

JACKET

Fluorinated Ethylene Propylene (FEP) per MIL-DTL-17, Type IX







Mechanical/Physical Properties

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|---------------------------------|----------|--------|--|--|
| Includ Diameter | in | 0.142 | | |
| Jacket Diameter | mm | 3.61 | | |
| Weight | grams/ft | ≤ 8.8 | | |
| weight | grams/m | ≤ 28.9 | | |
| Min Static Bend Radius | in | 0.380 | | |
| WIIII Static Deliu Raulus | mm | 9.65 | | |
| Flex Life ³ | cycles | 18,000 | | |
| Center Conductor Strands | | 1 | | |

Electrical Properties

| Velocity of Propagation | (%) | 83 | | |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|--|--|
| RF Shielding | (dB) at 1 GHz | ≥ 100 | | |
| Canacitanas | pF/ft | 24.54 | | |
| Capacitance | pF/m | 80.51 | | |
| Maximum Frequency | GHz | 40 | | |
| Corona Extinction Voltage | VRMS @ 60Hz | 1500 | | |
| Dielectric Withstanding Voltage | VRMS @ 60Hz | 5000 | | |
| Insertion Loss Stability | % Change ² | ≤ 5 | | |
| K1 | Ft (m) | 10.01 (0.328) | | |
| K2 | Ft (m) | 0.11 (0.004) | | |

Attenuation¹. Power, and VSWR⁴

(at 20°C and Sea Level)

| Frequency GHz | Attenuation dB/100ft | dB/m | Power Watts (CW) | VSWR |
|------------------|----------------------|------|---------------------|----------|
| 0.5 | 8 | 0.26 | 787 | ≤1.35:1 |
| 1 | 11 | 0.36 | 555 | ≤1.35:1 |
| 5 | 23 | 0.75 | 246 | ≤1.35:1 |
| 10 | 33 | 1.08 | 173 | ≤1.35:1 |
| 18 | 45 | 1.48 | 128 | ≤1.35:1 |
| 26.5 | 55 | 1.80 | 105 | ≤ 1.45:1 |
| 40 | 68 | 2.23 | 84 | ≤ 1.45:1 |

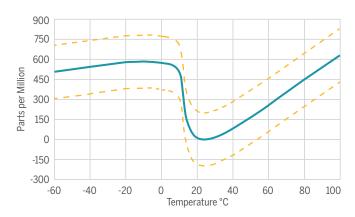


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Environmental Properties

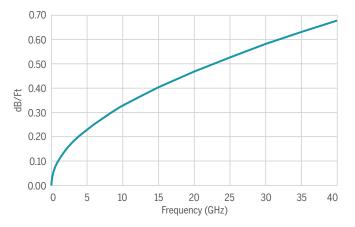
| Thermal Shock | MIL-STD-202, Method 107, 20 Cycles, -65 to 125 °C (cable and SMA connectors only) |
|-------------------------|---|
| Aging Stability | Not Applicable for MIL-DTL-17, Type IX Jackets |
| Vibration | MIL-STD-202, Method 204, Test Condition B |
| High Pressure | Pressure increased \leq 10 bar/min to 100 +/- 2 bar for 12 hrs. |
| Humidity | MIL-STD-810, Method 507.5, Procedure 1 and 2 |
| Salt Fog | MIL-STD-810, Method 509 |
| 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% CVCM |
| Radiation Resistance | 30 Mrads |
| Flammability | 14 CFR Part 25, Appendix F, Part I (b)(7), 60° flammability test |

Typical Phase Change vs. Temperature⁵

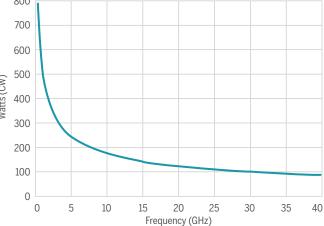


Maximum Insertion Loss

Maximum Power Handling



800



Notes

- 1. Maximum Attenuation (db./100Ft) = K1vF + K2F where F is Frequency in GHz.
- $\textbf{2.} \ \ \text{Insertion Loss change, while vibrated at a frequency of 6 Hz and an amplitude of 1 inch.}$
- **3.** Snake test. One end of a 3-ft sample is fixed. The other end is moved inward along the axis of the sample forcing the cable into a "U" shape. It then returns to straight configuration for one flex cycle.
- **4.** VSWR testing to be performed on 20-foot minimum lengths with gating used to remove connector contributions. Minimum frequency points shall be 1601.
- Cable assemblies of equal length and connectors made from the same cable manufacturing lot shall phase track within 200 PPM of each other.

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