# UFJ311A **UTiFLEX®**



The UFJ311A 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-lowdensity 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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Jacket Diameter	in	0.311		
Jacket Diameter	mm	7.90		
Weight	grams/ft	≤ 34.6		
weight	grams/m	≤ 113.5		
Min Static Bend Radius	in	1000		
Will Static Deliu Raulus	mm	25.40		
Flex Life - Snake <sup>3</sup>	cycles	15,000		
Center Conductor Strands		1		

#### **Electrical Properties**

Velocity of Propagation	(%)	84.5	
RF Shielding	(dB) at 1 GHz	≥ 90	
Capacitance	pF/ft	24.11	
Сараспансе	pF/m	79.08	
Maximum Frequency	GHz	18.0	
Corona Extinction Voltage	VRMS @ 60Hz	3700	
Dielectric Withstanding Voltage	VRMS @ 60Hz	5000	
Insertion Loss Stability	% Change <sup>2</sup>	≤ 5	
K1	Ft (m)	4.43 (0.145)	
K2	Ft (m)	0.12 (0.004)	

#### Maximum Attenuation<sup>1</sup>, Power, and VSWR<sup>5,6</sup>

(at 20°C and Sea Level)

Frequency GHz	Attenuation dB/100ft	dB/m	Power	VSWR
0.5	3.2	0.10	3008	≤ 1.25:1
1	5.0	0.16	2116	≤ 1.25:1
5	10.6	0.35	926	≤ 1.25:1
10	16.0	0.52	644	≤ 1.25:1
18	21.0	0.69	471	≤ 1.25:1

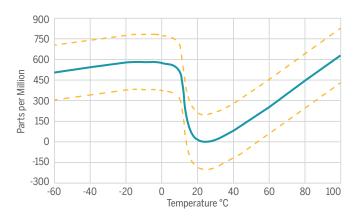


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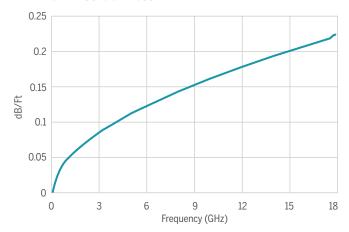
#### **Environmental Properties**

Thermal Shock	MIL-STD-202, Method 107, 20 Cycles, -65 to 125 °C (cable and SMA connectors only)
Aging Stability	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 507.5, Procedure1 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

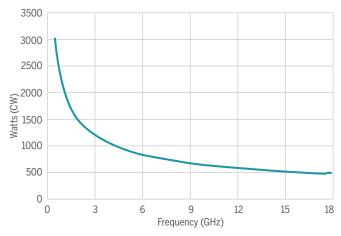
#### Typical Phase Change vs. Temperature<sup>4</sup>



#### **Maximum Insertion Loss**



## **Maximum Power Handling**



#### **Notes**

- **1.** Maximum attenuation (db/100Ft) = K1.VF + K2.F where F is Frequency in GHz.
- **2.** Insertion Loss change, while vibrated at a frequency of 6 Hz and an amplitude of 1 inch.
- 3. 3 ft sample. One end is fixed and the other end is moved inward along the axis of the sample for 1.5 ft forcing the cable into a "U" shape and then returns to straight configuration for one flex cycle.
- **4.** Cable assemblies of equal length and connectors made from the same cable manufacturing lot shall phase track within 200 PPM of each other.
- 5. Test Plots required with Shipment (Attenuation and VSWR).
- **6.** VSWR testing to be performed on 20-foot minimum lengths with gating used to remove connector contributions. Minimum frequency points shall be 1601.

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