

SPECIFCATION

- Part No. : WA.500w.301151
- Product Name : Stingray Adhesive Mount Wi-Fi/Zigbee Antenna
- Features : Dual Band 2.4-2.5 GHz, 4.9-6.0 GHz IP-65 Water Resistance RG-174 – 3M, RP-SMA(M) ROHS Compliant





1. Introduction

The WA.500w Stingray is a high efficiency, high gain adhesive mount dual band wireless antenna. Its high quality low profile covert housing can be attached onto the glass or plastic. The WA.500w is designed for applications that require omni-directional gain across both bands to ensure wide coverage area and constant reception and transmission for Wi-Fi and ZigBee applications.

Many module manufacturers specify peak gain limits for any antennas that are to be connected to that module. Those peak gain limits are based on free-space conditions. In practice, the peak gain of an antenna tested in free-space can degrade by at least 1 or 2dBi when put inside a device. So ideally you should go for a slightly higher peak gain antenna than mentioned on the module specification to compensate for this effect, giving you better performance.

Upon testing of any of our antennas with your device and a selection of appropriate layout, integration technique, or cable, Taoglas can make sure any of our antennas' peak gain will be below the peak gain limits. Taoglas can then issue a specification and/or report for the selected antenna in your device that will clearly show it complying with the peak gain limits, so you can be assured you are meeting regulatory requirements for that module.

For example, a module manufacturer may state that the antenna must have less than 2dBi peak gain, but you don't need to select an embedded antenna that has a peak gain



of less than 2dBi in free-space. This will give you a less optimized solution. It is better to go for a slightly higher free-space peak gain of 3dBi or more if available. Once that antenna gets integrated into your device, performance will degrade below this 2dBi peak gain due to the effects of GND plane, surrounding components, and device housing. If you want to be absolutely sure, contact Taoglas and we will test. Choosing a Taoglas antenna with a higher peak gain than what is specified by the module manufacturer and enlisting our help will ensure you are getting the best performance possible without exceeding the peak gain limits.

Cables and Connectors are customizable.



2. Specifications

ELECTRICAL							
Frequency	2.4/5.8GHz						
Polarization	Linear						
Impedance	50Ω						
VSWR	1.92 Max						
Base Diameter	55mm						
MECHANICAL							
Base Height	10.8mm						
Dimensions	Diameter 55mm Height 10.80mm						
Colour	Black						
Connector	RP-SMA(M), Fully Customizable						
Cable	RG174 Length = 3M, Fully Customizable						
Weight	62g						



Frequency	Efficiend	cy (%)	Ave	rage	Gain dBi	Peak Gain dBi				
	On Plastic	On Glass	On Pl	astic	On Glass	On Plastic	On Glass			
2400	30.421	48.78	-6.957		-4.475	2.452	5.382			
2450	48.09	49.605	-4.2	217	-4.329	4.2	6.886			
2500	57	46.247	-3.4	73	-4.687	4.933	5.844			
5000	67.232	42.28	-2.45	5967	-3.64833	8.991	3.736			
5150	71	42.7	-2.11	.333	-3.94167	9.161	4.532			
5200	65.933	43.03	-2.4	48	-4.434	8.901	4.481			
5250	72	43.398	-1.8	852	-4.18833	9.154	5.129			
5300	63.761	40.8	-2.2	279	-4.954	8.502	4.369			
5350	72.267	43.751	-1.65933		-4.11033	8.906	5.757			
5400	61.363	42.88	-2.311		-4.658	7.905	5.056			
5450	68.398	43.649	-1.74467		-4.076	8.135	4.739			
5500	68.624	43.413	-1.69933		-4.00933	7.985	4.564			
5550	70.21	45.55	-1.51533		-3.73533	7.907	5.094			
5600	66.97	44.11	-1.72333		-3.898	7.656	4.863			
5650	66.678	43.04	-1.78233		-3.841	7.635	4.205			
5700	62.174	41.88	-2.12867		-3.92433	7.394	4.062			
5750	68.187	42.21	0.311	1333	-4.013	7.859	4.917			
5800	70.44	44.052	-1.505		-3.76133	7.901	4.308			
5825	67.31	42.43	-2.113		-4.32467	7.769	3.615			
5850	69.353	40.583	-1.62233		-4.21933	7.899	3.487			
5875	76.068	45.984	-1.22067		-3.56	8.091	3.856			
5900	69.981	43.385	-2.24767		-3.78733	7.611	3.990			
5925	70.424	43.379	-1.581		-3.83533	7.701	4.262			
5950	70.742	42.749	-1.59033		-3.876	7.755	3.899			
6000	72.374	56.95	-1.51533		-3.48933	7.701	3.239			
Plastic Dimension					520*520*13.8mm, PC+ABS					
Glass Dimension					500*500*3mm ³					











Efficiency vs. Frequency (Measured with plastic









Average Gain vs. Frequency (Measured with plastic)

Peak Gain vs. Frequency (Measured with plastic)





3. Mechanical Drawing (Unit: mm)





4. Antenna Characteristics

4.1. Test Setup



Testing Wi-Fi Antenna in 3D Chamber



Wi-Fi Antenna test with glass



Wi-Fi antenna test with plastic



Wi-Fi Antenna Return Loss

(Measured with RG-174 cable, length=3 M)



Measured with glass (500*500*3mm³)



Measured with glass (520*520*13.8mm³)





RG-174 cable attenuation (dB/100m)

GHz	0.5	1	1.5	2	2.5	3	3.5	4	4.5	5	5.5	6
RG-174	67	110	127	153	168	183	207	229	252	272	291	311













Wi-Fi Antenna Radiation Patterns (con.) Measured with glass





Wi-Fi Antenna Radiation Patterns (con.) Measured with glass









Wi-Fi Antenna Radiation Patterns (con.) Measured with glass









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