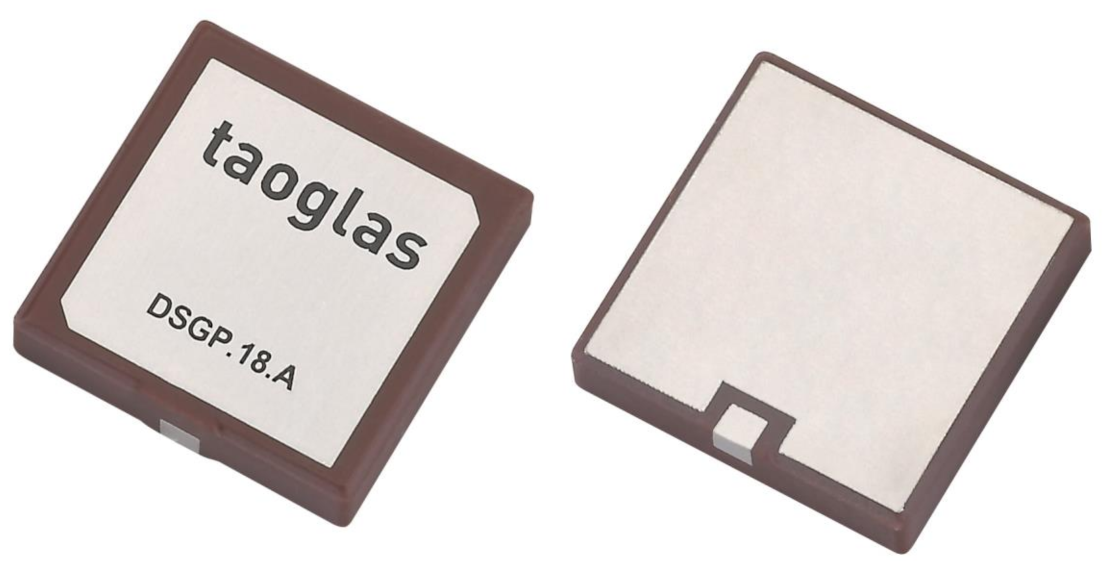
SPECIFICATION

Part No.	:	**DSGP.1575.18.4.A.02**
Description	:	GPS L1 / GALILEO E1 1575MHz SMT 18*18*4mm Ceramic Patch SMT Antenna
Features	:	4.20 dBi Peak Gain for GPS/GALILEO Band Dims: 18*18*4mm SMT Direct Mount Ceramic Patch Antenna Automotive TS16949 Approved RoHS Compliant



1. Introduction

The DSGP.1575.18.4.A.02 is an 18mm square ceramic GPS L1 / GALILEO E1 passive patch antenna. 18mm square with a height of just 4mm, this low profile antenna is ideal for space constrained applications in telematics devices, vehicle tracking/fleet management systems, wearables and navigation.

The antenna has been tuned on a 50*50mm ground plane, working at 1575.42MHz with a 4.20dBi gain. The radiation pattern is broadly hemispherical with a stable gain across elevations.

The ceramic patch is mounted via SMT process, ideal for high volume low cost assembly. It is manufactured and tested in a TS16949 first tier automotive approved facility.

For further optimization to customer specific device environments, custom tuned patch antennas can be supplied, subject to NRE and MOQ. For more details please contact your regional Taoglas sales office.

2. Specification

ELECTRICAL	
Application Bands	GPS/GALILEO
Operation Frequency	1575.42 ±1.023MHz
Return Loss	<-10dB
Gain at Zenith	4.20dBi
Efficiency	83.33%
Impedance	50Ω
MECHANICAL	
Ceramic Dimension	18*18*4mm
Weight	5.8g
ENVIRONMENTAL	
Operation Temperature	-40°C to 85°C
Humidity	Non-condensing 65°C 95% RH

*Antenna properties were measured with the antenna mounted on 50*50mm Ground Plane

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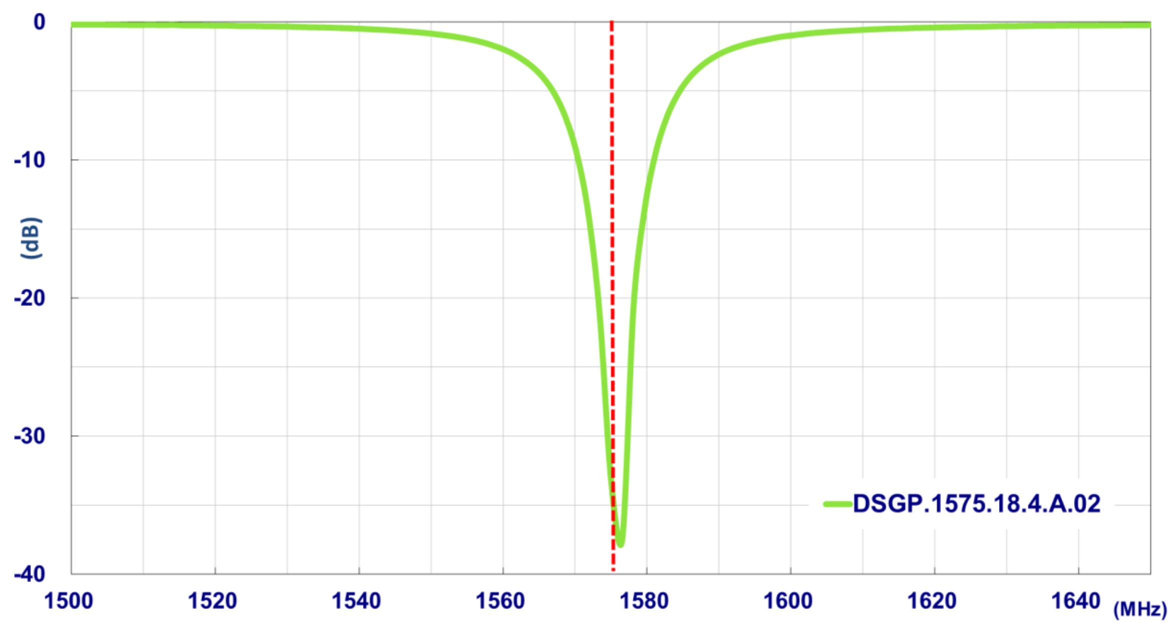
3. Antenna Characteristics

3.1. Return Loss



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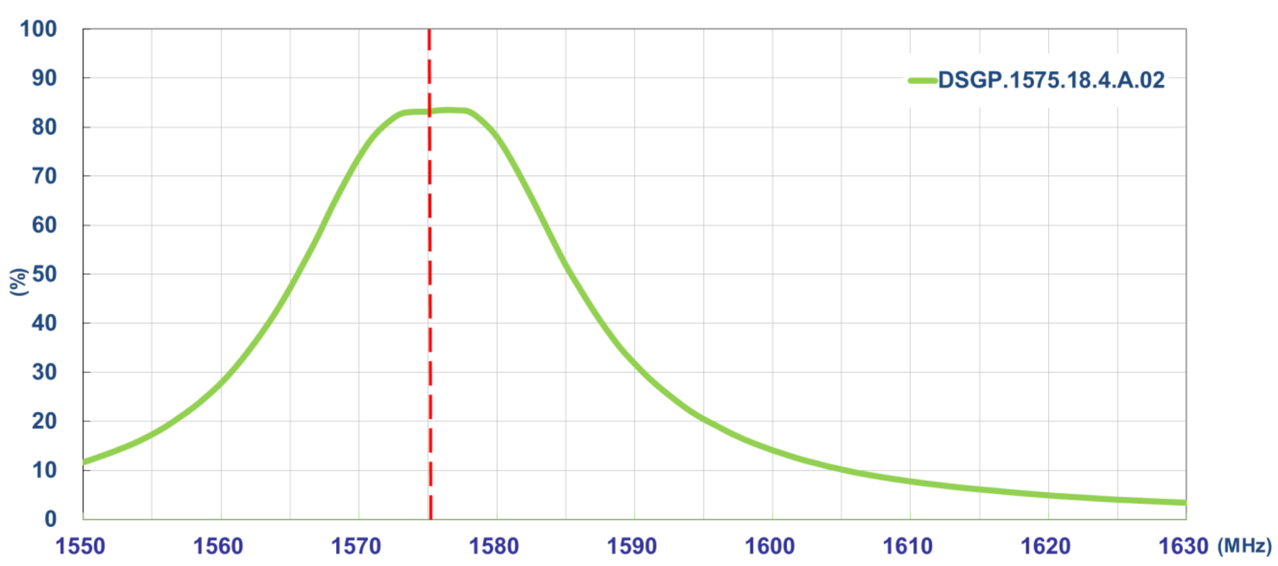

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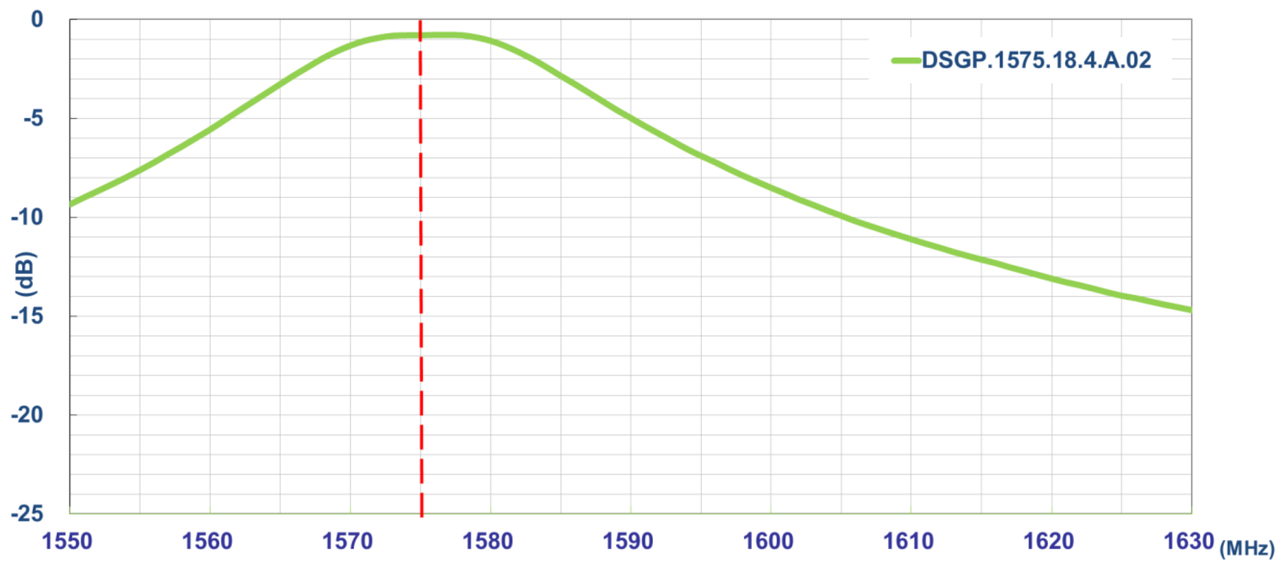

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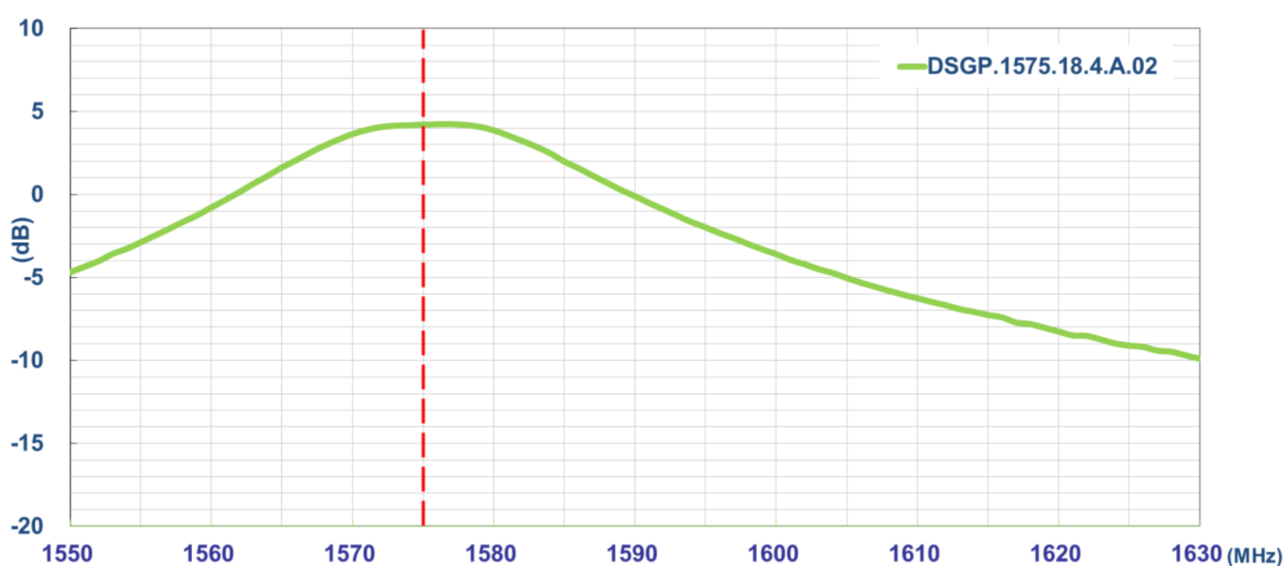
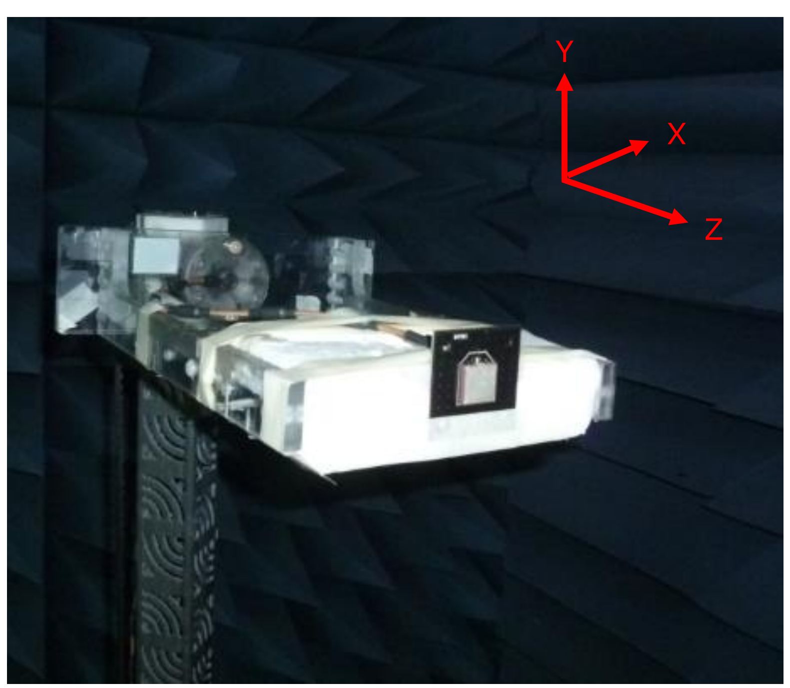


4. Antenna Radiation Pattern

4.1. Measurement Setup

The DSGP.1575.18.4 antenna is tested with 50*50mm ground plane in a CTIA certified ETS-Lindgren Anechoic Chamber. The test setup is shown below.



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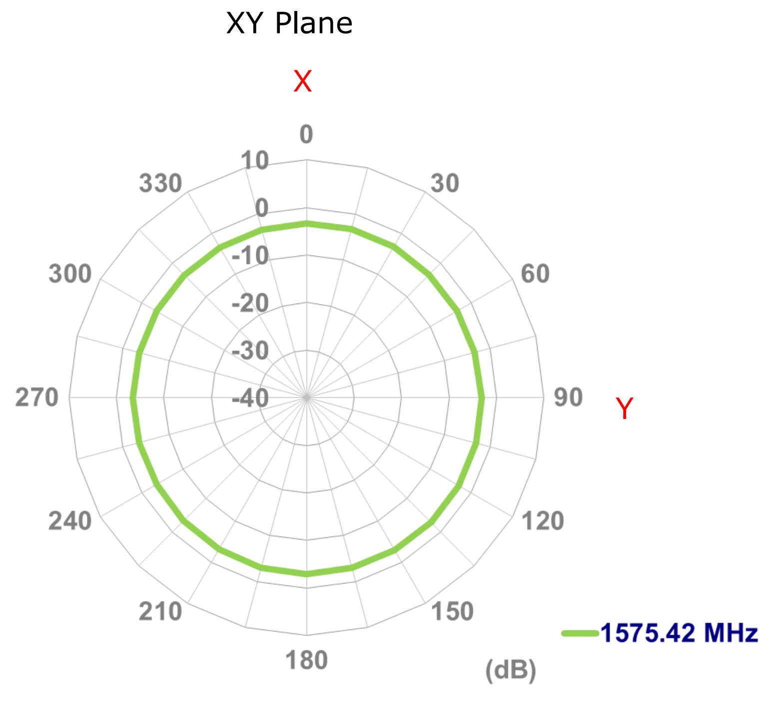
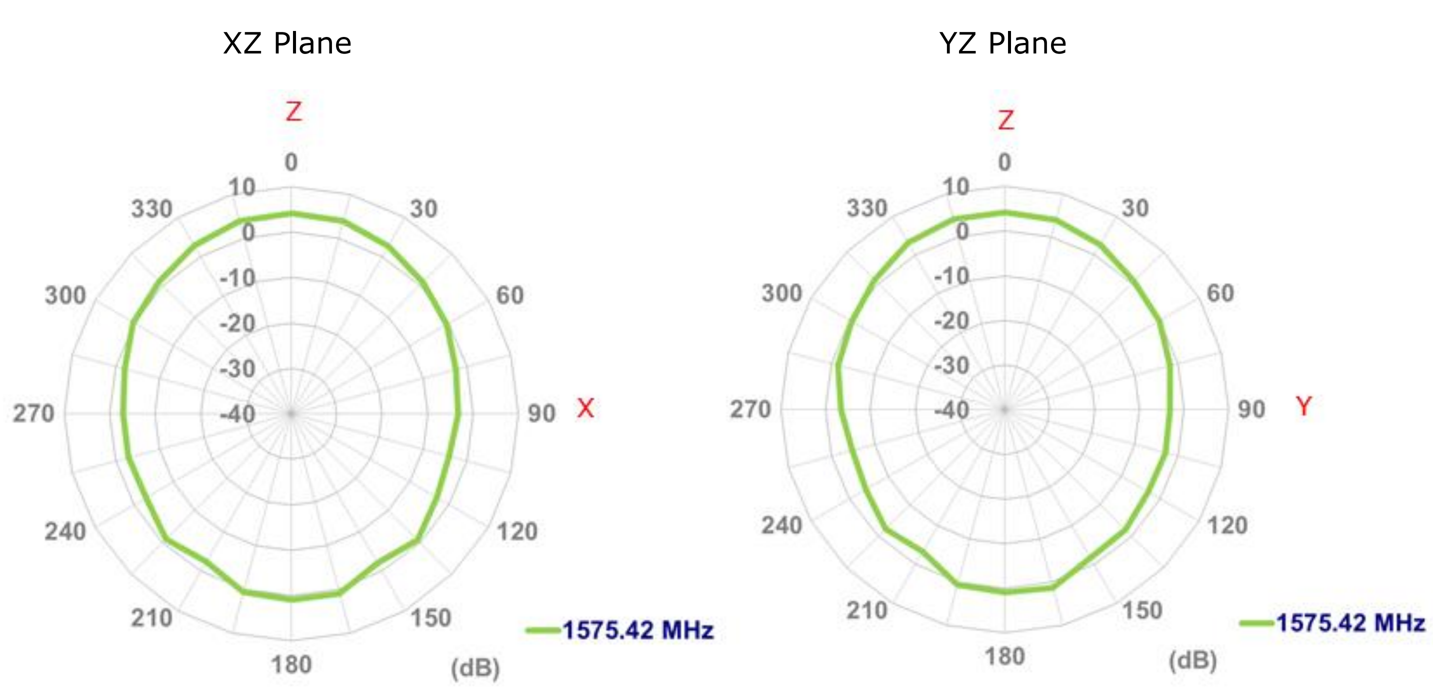
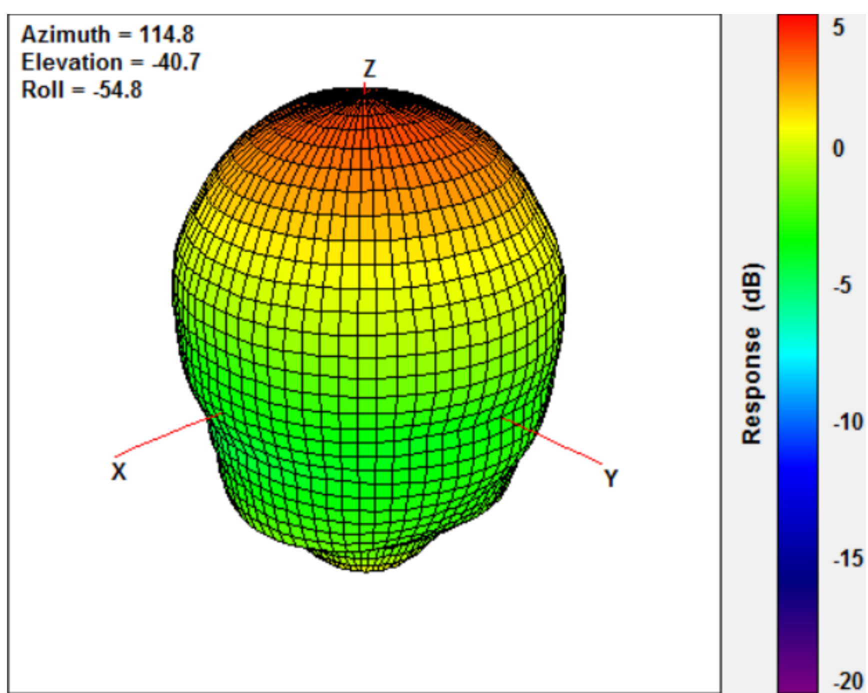




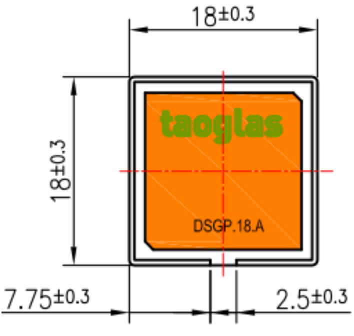
4.3. 3D Radiation Pattern

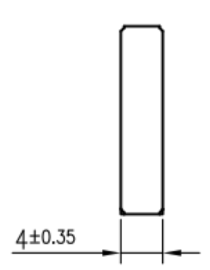
1575.42MHz

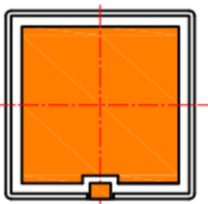


5. Mechanical Drawing (Unit: mm)

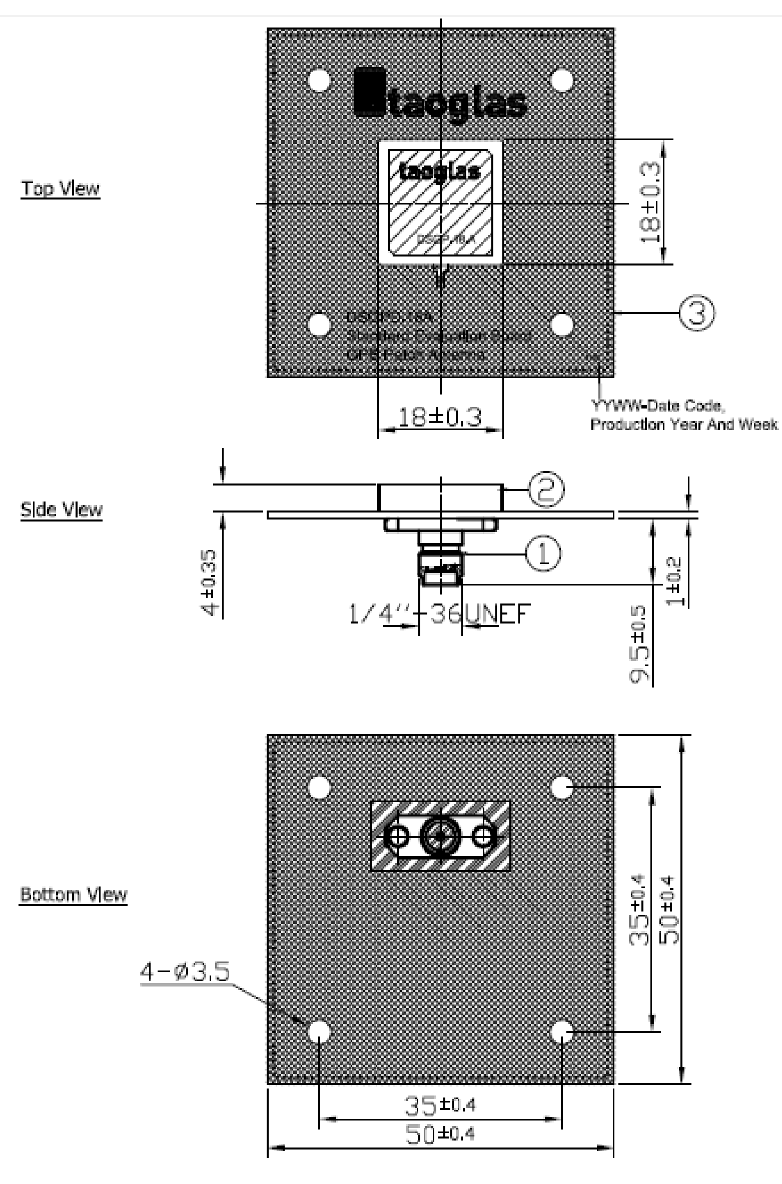
Top View | Side View | Bottom View







6. Evaluation Board - DSGPD.18A (Unit: mm)



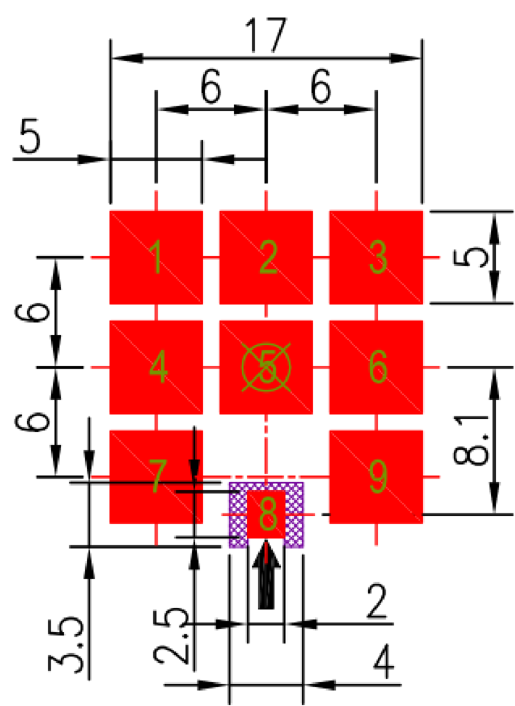
Unit:mm

	Name	Material	Finish	QTY
1	PCB SMA(F) ST	FR4	Gold	1
2	DSGP.1575.18.4.A.02 Antenna	Ceramic	Clear	1
3	PCB (50x50x1mm)	FR4 1.0t	Black	1

7. PCB Footprint Recommendation

7.1. Footprint Copper Keepout Area (Unit: mm)

Pads 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 9 are the same size. They should be connected to GND



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Connected to 50 ohm transmission line.

NOTE:

1. Ag Plated area
2. Solder Mask area
3. Copper area
4. Paste area
5. Copper Keepout area
6. Copper Keepout should extend through all PCB layers.
7. Any vias in pads should be either filled or tented to prevent solder from wicking away from the pad during reflow
8. The dimension tolerances should follow standard PCB manufacturing guidelines

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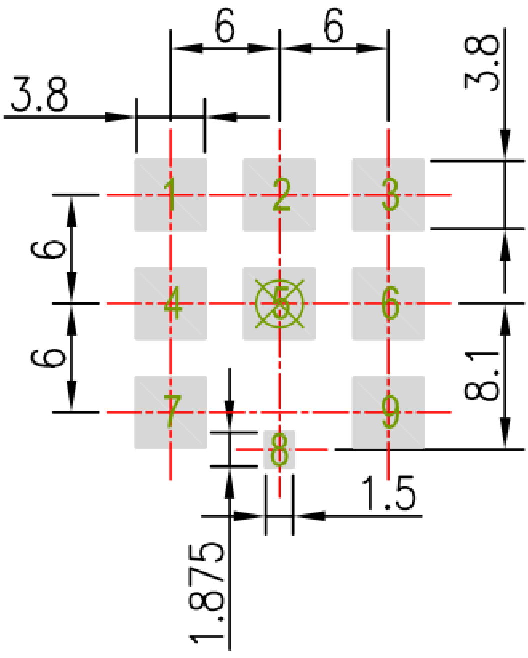

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7.3. Top Solder Mask (Unit: mm)

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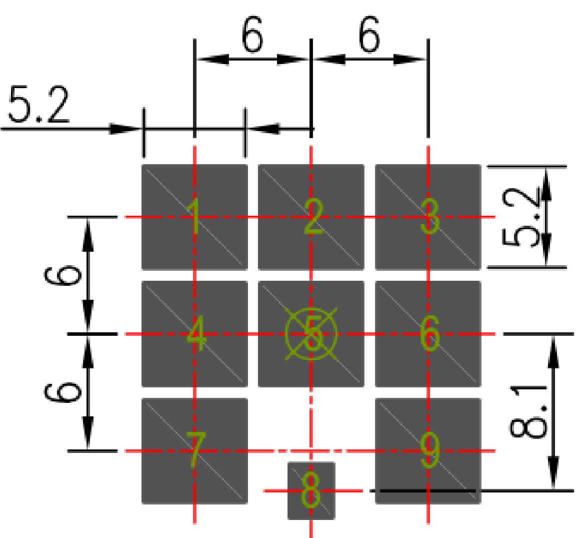

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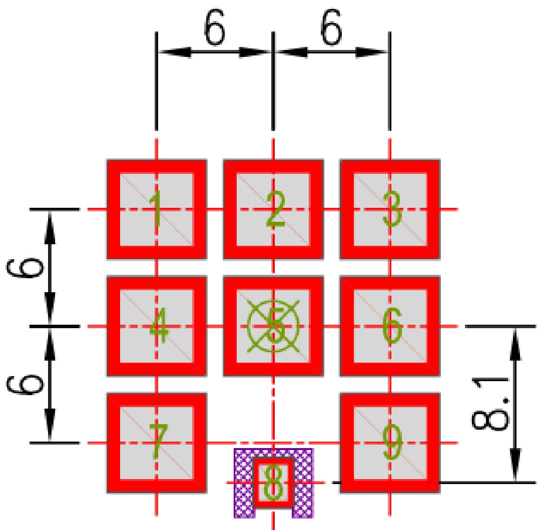
7.4. Composite Diagram (unit: mm)



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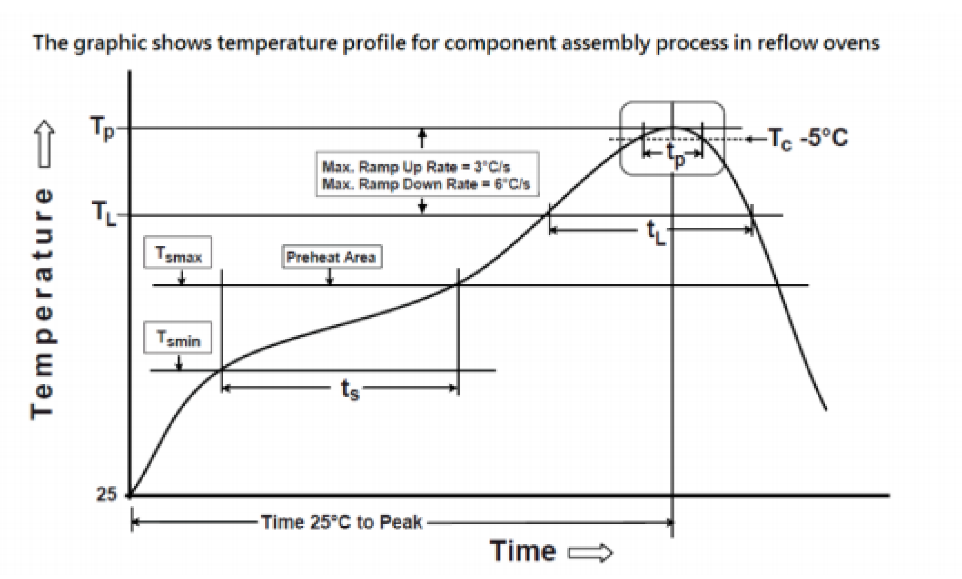
8. Recommended Reflow Soldering Profile

DSGP.18 can be assembled using lead-free process. According to the standard IPC/JEDEC J-STD-020C, the temperature profile suggested is as follows:

Phase	Profile Features	Pb-Free Assembly (SnAgCu)
PREHEAT	Temperature Min(Tsmin) Temperature Max(Tsmax) Time(ts) from (Tsmin to Tsmax)	150°C 200°C 60-120 seconds
RAMP-UP	Avg. Ramp-up Rate (Tsmax to TP)	3°C/second(max)
REFLOW	Temperature(TL) Total Time above TL (tL)	217°C 30-100 seconds
PEAK	Temperature(TP) Time(tp)	260°C 2-5 seconds
RAMP-DOWN	Rate	3°C/second(max)
Time from 25°C to Peak Temperature		8 minutes max.
Composition of solder paste		96.5Sn/3Ag/0.5Cu
Solder Paste Model		SHENMAO PF606-P26

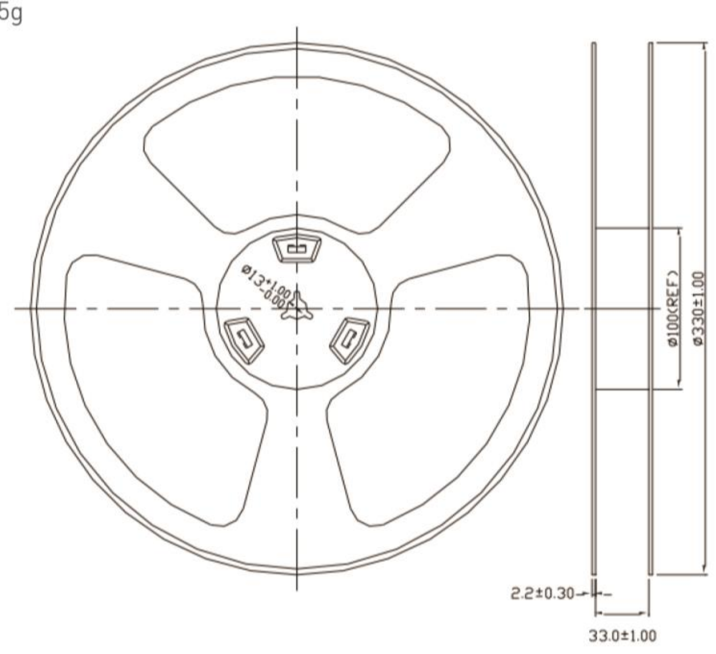


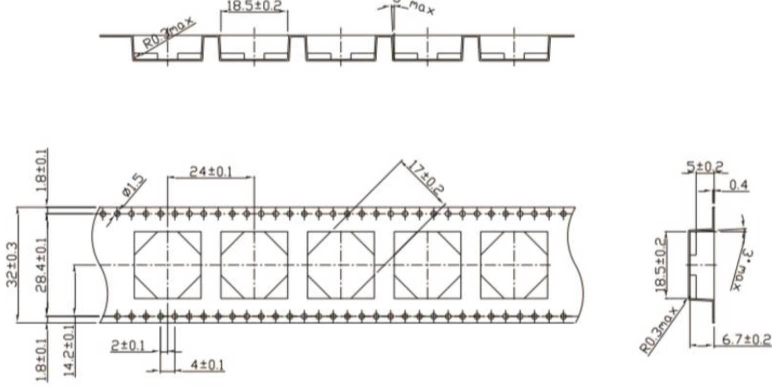
Soldering Iron condition: Soldering iron temperature 270°C±10°C.
Apply preheating at 120°C for 2-3 minutes. Finish soldering for each terminal within 3 seconds, if soldering iron temperature over270°C±10°C or 3 seconds, it will make cause component surface peeling or damage.

9. Packaging (Unit: mm)

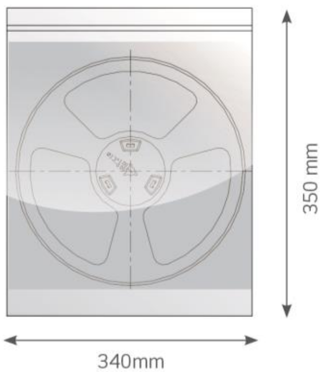
Packaging Specifications (1/2)

200 pc DSGP.1575.18.4.A.02 per reel
Dimensions - Ø330*50mm
Weight - 1556.5g

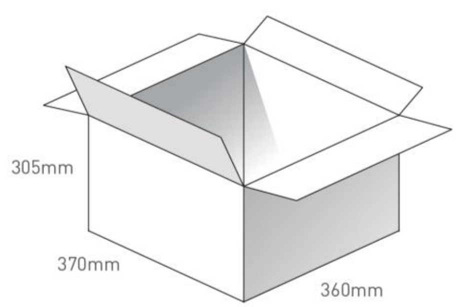




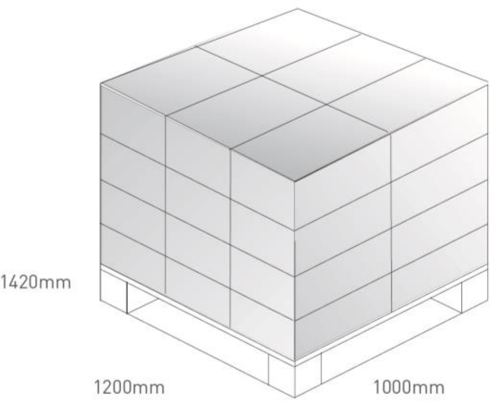
1 pc reel in small in Anti-static Bag
Dimensions - 340*350*70mm
Weight - 1.86Kg



4 Reels i n Anti-static Bags
800 pcs in one carton
Carton Dimensions - 370*360*305mm
Weight - 8.2Kg



Pallet Dimensions 1200*1000*1420mm
24 Cartons per Pallet
6 Cartons per layer
4 Layers



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