HAND FLEX™

Coaxial Cable

086-SBSMR+ Model Series

50Ω DC to 18 GHz



CASE STYLE: KP1680

The Big Deal

- Hand-formable with 6mm bend radius
- SMA-M right-angle to SMA-F bulkhead connectors
- Excellent return and insertion loss
- Ideal for assembled systems

Product Overview

086-SBSMR+ Series Hand-Flex coaxial cables are ideal for interconnecting coaxial components and sub-assemblies in a wide range of systems, including communications, military and aerospace, environmental and test chamber systems and more. The hand-formable cable provides a minimum bend radius of 6mm to accommodate tight layouts without the need for bending tools, adapters or brackets. SMA right angle to SMA bulkhead connectors make these cables ideal for perpendicular connections run directly to the front panel of rack-mounted equipment. The connectors feature an anti-torque nut to prevent cable stress during installation and an insulated outer jacket to minimize signal leakage. They are available in a range of lengths to meet a variety of connection requirements.

Feature	Advantages
Hand-formable RF cables	Facilitates the assembly of coaxial systems and sub-systems without the need for special cable-bending tools or adapters. Reduces the risk of damage during bending.
Tight bend-radius	6mm bend-radius makes the cable ideal for connections in tight spaces and crowded layouts.
18 GHz right-angle SMA connector	Meets requirements of 90°connections without bending and without sacrificing high-frequency performance.
18 GHz SMA bulkhead connector	Ideal for making secure connections directly through equipment chassis panels.
Excellent return loss	Suitable for interconnecting a variety of RF components while minimizing VSWR ripple contribution.
Good power handling • 211 W at 0.5 GHz • 35 at 18 GHz	Supports medium to high RF power levels used in transmit paths.
Anti-torque nut	Reduces risk of twist damage to cable during installation.

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086-8SBSMR+

50Ω 8 inch DC to 18 GHz



CASE STYLE: KP1680-8

Connectors		Model
Conn1	Conn2	
Right Angle SMA-M	SMA-F Bulkhead	086-8SBSMR+

+RoHS Compliant

The +Suffix identifies RoHS Compliance. See our web site for RoHS Compliance methodologies and qualifications

Maximum Ratings

Operating Temperature	-55°C to 105°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to 105°C
Power Handling at 25°C, Sea Level	211W at 0.5 GHz 150W at 1 GHz 101W at 2 GHz 59W at 6 GHz 45W at 10 GHz 35W at 18 GHz

Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.

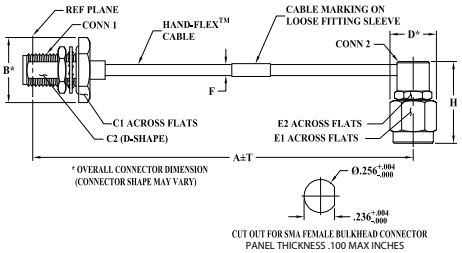
Features

- Wideband frequency coverage, DC to 18 GHz
- Low Loss, .78 dB at 18 GHz
- Excellent Return Loss, 19 dB at 18 GHz
- SMA-F bulkhead connector at one end
- Hand formable to almost any custom shape without special bending tools
- 6mm bend radius for tight installations
- Anti-torque nut prevents cable stress during installation
- Insulated outer jacket standard
- Connector interface, meets MIL-STD-348
- **Ideal for interconnect of assembled systems**

Applications

- Bulkhead connector mounts on front panel of equipment racks
- Replacement for custom bent 0.086" semi-rigid cables
- Communication receivers and transmitters
- Military and aerospace system
- Environmental and test chambers

Outline Drawing

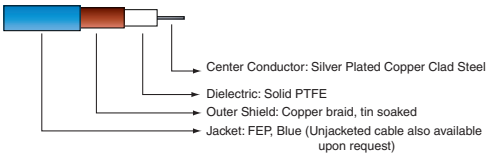


Outline Dimensions (inch / mm)

A	B	C1	C2	D	E1
8.0	.51	.438	.232	.36	.313
203.20	12.95	11.13	5.89	9.14	7.95

E2	F	H	T	wt
.250	.108	0.634	0.10	grams
6.35	2.75	16.10	2.54	10.46

Cable Construction



Connectors: Coupling Nut: Stainless Steel Passivated
Body: Stainless Steel Gold Plated
Center Pin: Brass, Gold Plated (SMA-M) and BeCuB Gold Plated (SMA-F)

Electrical Specifications at 25°C

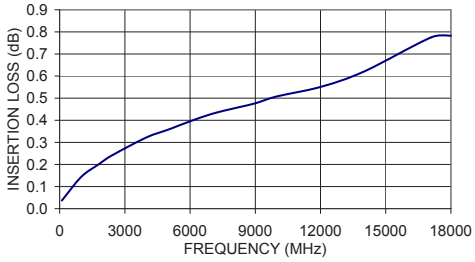
Parameter	Condition (GHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Frequency Range		DC		18	GHz
Length[1]			8		inches
Insertion Loss	DC - 2	—	0.23	0.44	dB
	2 - 6	—	0.41	0.77	
	6 - 10	—	0.54	1.02	
	10 - 18	—	0.86	1.41	
Return Loss	DC - 2	23	28	—	dB
	2 - 6	23	25	—	
	6 - 10	17	21	—	
	10 - 18	16	19	—	

1. Custom sizes available, consult factory.

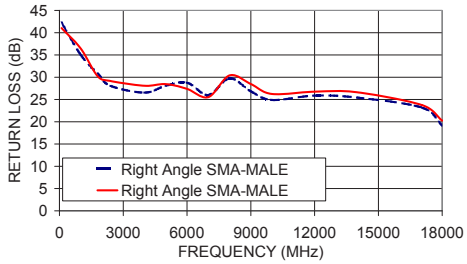
Typical Performance Data

Frequency (MHz)	Insertion Loss (dB)	Return Loss (dB)	
		Right Angle SMA-MALE	SMA-FEMALE BULKHEAD
100	0.04	42.3	41.0
1000	0.14	35.0	36.5
1800	0.20	30.8	30.2
2404	0.24	28.1	29.2
4001	0.32	26.6	28.1
5000	0.36	28.1	28.5
6000	0.40	28.8	27.4
7001	0.43	26.0	25.5
8001	0.45	29.8	30.4
9000	0.48	26.8	28.5
10000	0.51	24.9	26.2
12001	0.55	25.9	26.8
14001	0.62	25.4	26.6
17069	0.77	23.2	23.7
18000	0.78	19.2	20.2

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INSERTION LOSS



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RETURN LOSS



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