

RFELA-5/8X9

902-928MHz - 8dBi Fiberglass Omnidirectional High Gain Outdoor Antenna for LoRa, LoRaWAN / LongFi and ISM applications



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RF Explorer® RFELA-5/8X9 8dBi 902-928MHz Fiberglass Antenna LoRa/LoRaWAN

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Features

- ✓ High gain 8dBi for 915MHz band
- ✓ High efficiency vertical polarized monopole
- \checkmark Robust hermetic fiberglass construction for outdoor usage
- ✓ Include easy to install mechanical support
- ✓ CE RoHS certified

Specification

Frequency Range	902-928MHz
Impedance	50Ω
VSWR	1.25 typical < 2 maximum
Gain	8dBi
Efficiency Maximum	82%
Polarization	Linear Vertical
Radiation pattern	360° Omni directional
Connector	Type N Male/Jack
Radiator Material	Copper
Covering Material	Fiber Reinforced Polymer FRP White
Physical length	130 cm
Temperature operation	-30°C to +65°C / -22°F to +150°F
Waterproof	IP65



Antenna VSWR



Antenna Gain





Antenna Efficiency





Antenna Radiation Pattern

Vertical and Horizontal radiation pattern 915MHz center frequency.





Antenna Mechanical Specifications





Antenna Support Mechanical Specifications





Included Cable

This antenna model includes a 1mt low loss cable, matching the N antenna connector with a RP-SMA Male connector.

1000 mm 2 All Dimensions in millimeters (mm) 1 - RF Connector RP-SMA Male 2 - CFD200 cable 3 - RF Connector N Female - Cu Nickel Plated		
	Diameter Diameter Diamet	al Material Material PVC (CFD200) Color
	Frequency Range	0-6000MHz
	Impedance	50Ω
	VSWR	<2.0
	Insertion Loss	< 0.5dB @ 900MHz
	Insulation Resistance	> 15 MΩ
	Voltage Breakdown	> 500V
	External Cable Diameter	5mm
	Connectors	Type N Female Type RP-SMA Male
	Mating Cycles	> 500
	Conductor Material	Copper
	Binder Material	Aluminum/PE Tape
	Braid Material	Tinned copper wire
	Operation Temperature	-40°C to +65°C



Antenna Assembly

This antenna is designed to be assembled over a vertical support in 90° vertical position.

Follow below indications for optimal performance of your antenna setup.

1) Install on a clear location with 360 degrees open area, otherwise coverage is lower and signals may be significantly distorted, providing very poor coverage.



2) If the antenna is installed on a location with metallic objects nearby, make sure the antenna is always above such objects and as far as possible. Metallic objects and surfaces negatively impact in antenna VSWR and signal reflections.



3) Provide solid mast assembly using included antenna support



For correct mast/pole assembly, the metallic support must fully contact the metallic antenna support sleeve, not the fiber glass body.

Follow image examples for correct assembly.

4) Use LMR400 quality cables for reduced signal loss and unwanted reflections.



Poor quality RF cables not only reduce signal levels but also distort signals due to out of phase VSWR imbalance.

A ground block or alternatively a lighting arrestor should be used to ground antenna in areas where it may be exposed to stormy weather.