



All dimensions are in mm; tolerances according to ISO 2768 m-H

**Interface**

According to IEC 61169-40  
Mechanically compatible with RPC-1.85

**Documents**

Application note AN001 "Calibration Services"

**Material and plating**

**Connector parts**

Center conductor  
Outer conductor  
Coupling nut

**Material**

CuBe  
Brass  
Stainless steel

**Plating**

Gold, min. 1.27 µm, over chemical nickel  
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Passivated

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**Electrical data**

Insertion loss  $\leq 0.25$  dB at 50 GHz

**Mechanical data**

Mating cycles  $\geq 500$   
 Maximum torque 1.65 Nm  
 Recommended torque 0.90 Nm  
 Airline dimensions at 23 °C:  
 - Diameter outer conductor 2.400 mm  $\pm$  0.005 mm  
 - Diameter inner conductor 1.042 mm  $\pm$  0.005 mm  
 - Length outer conductor 25.50 mm + 0.02 mm  
 - Length inner conductor 25.50 mm - 0.02 mm  
 - Length difference  $\leq 0.04$  mm  
 (outer conductor – inner conductor)

**Calculated data (non warranted)**

Lossless characteristic impedance<sup>1</sup> 50  $\Omega$   $\pm$  0.95  $\Omega$   
 Return loss<sup>2</sup>  $\geq 36$  dB, 0.4 GHz to 4 GHz  
 $\geq 30$  dB, 4 GHz to 26.5 GHz  
 $\geq 26$  dB, 26.5 GHz to 50 GHz

1. The lossless characteristic impedance is calculated from the specified diameters of the inner and outer conductor.
2. The return loss is calculated from the characteristic impedance, the skin depth and the connector interface.

**General standard definitions**

For proper work the vector network analyzer (VNA) used needs a model describing the electrical behaviour of this calibration standard. Depending on the VNA type different models, units and terms are used and have to be entered into the VNA. All values are based on typical geometry and plating.

- Offset  $Z_0$  / Impedance /  $Z_0$  50  $\Omega$   
 - Offset Delay 85.1198 ps  
 - Length (electrical) / Offset Length 25.518 mm  
 - Offset Loss 3.40 G $\Omega$ /s  
 - Loss 0.0249 dB/ $\sqrt{\text{GHz}}$

**Environmental data**

Operating temperature range<sup>3</sup> +20 °C to +26 °C  
 Storage temperature range 0 °C to +50 °C  
 RoHS compliant

3. This range is a recommendation. However, the airline can be used in a wider range. Any temperature change from 23 °C results in dimensional changes.

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