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# Comata 2.4GHz SMD Antenna

Part No. A6111H

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Product Specification

#### 1. Features

- Designed for 2.4GHz applications: BT / BLE, Wi-Fi<sup>®</sup> (802.11a/b/g/n), ZigBee<sup>®</sup>, etc.
- Designed for use with the ground plane extended beneath the antenna
- Easy to integrate
- Low profile design
- High efficiency
- Intended for SMD mounting
- Supplied in tape and reel

#### 2. Description

Comata is intended for use with all 2.4 GHz applications. The antenna uses a ground plane in order to radiate efficiently and the ground plane must extend underneath the antenna itself.

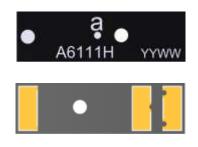
#### 3. Applications

- Wearables
- Notebooks
- PC-cards
- Sensors



#### 4. Part Number

#### Comata: A6111H



#### 5. General Data

Product name	Comata
Part Number	A6111H
Frequency	2.4 – 2.5GHz
Polarization	Linear
Operating temperature	-40°C to140°C
Environmental Condition Test	ISO 16750-4 5.1.1.1/5.1.2.1/5.3.2
Impedance with matching	50 Ω
Weight	0.3 g
Antenna type	SMD
Dimensions	12.8 x 3.6 x 3.3 (mm)

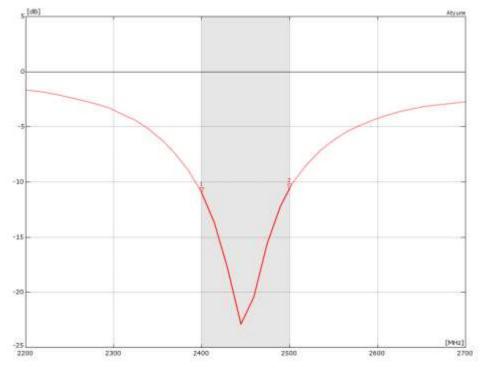
#### 6. **RF Characteristics**

	2.4 – 2.5 GHz
Peak gain	0.0dBi
Average gain (Linear)	-3.5dBi
Average efficiency	45%
Maximum return loss	-8dB
Maximum VSWR	2.3:1

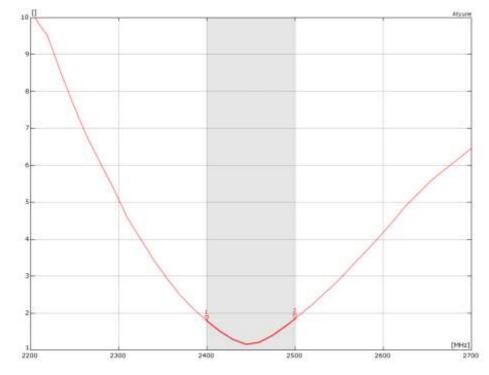
All data measured on Antenova's evaluation PCB Part No. A6111 EVB

#### 7. **RF Performance**

#### 7.1 Return Loss

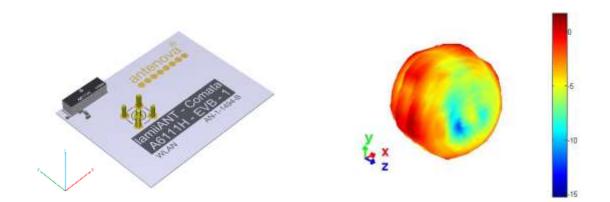


#### 7.2 **VSWR**

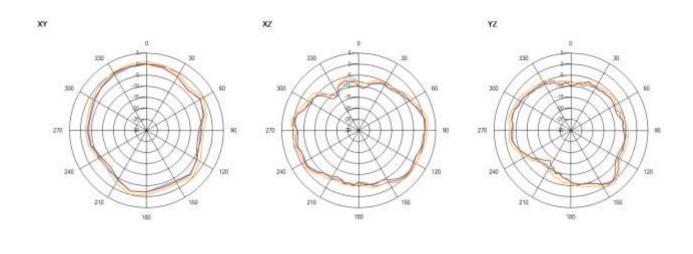


#### 7.3 Antenna pattern

#### 7.3.1 2400 MHz – 2500 MHz



**3D pattern at 2450 MHz** Drag to rotate pattern and PCB by using Adobe Reader (Click to Activate)



2.4GHz - 2.45GHz - 2.5GHz

#### 8. Antenna Dimensions

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All Dimensions in (mm)

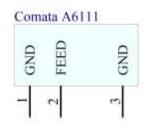
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#### 9. Schematic symbol and Pin definition

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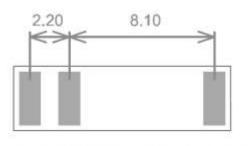
The circuit symbol for the antenna is shown below. The antenna has five pins with only two as functional. All other pins are for mechanical strength.

Pin	Description
2	Feed
1,3	GND



#### 10. Antenna footprint

The recommended host PCB footprint is below.



ALL PADS = 3.0 X 1.2 (MM) ALL DIMENSIONS IN MM

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#### 11. Electrical Interface

#### **11.1 Transmission Line**

All transmission lines should be designed to have a characteristic impedance of  $50\Omega$ .

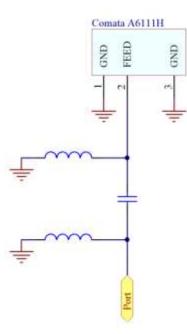
• The length of the transmission lines should be kept to a minimum

• Any other parts of the RF system like transceivers, power amplifiers, etc, should also be designed to have an impedance of 50  $\Omega$ 

Once the material for the PCB has been chosen (PCB thickness and dielectric constant), a coplanar transmission line can easily be designed using any of the commercial software packages for transmission line design. For the chosen PCB thickness, copper thickness and substrate dielectric constant, the program will calculate the appropriate transmission line width and gaps on either side of the track, so the characteristic impedance of the co-planar transmission is 50  $\Omega$ .

#### **11.2 Matching Circuit**

The antenna requires a matching circuit that must be optimized for each product. The matching circuit will require up to 3 components and the following circuit should be designed into the host PCB. Not all components may be required but should be included as a precaution. The matching network must be placed close to the antenna feed to ensure it is more effective in tuning the antenna.



#### 12. Antenna Integration Guide

#### **12.1 Antenna Placement**

Antenova strongly recommends placing the antenna at the edge of the board. Maximum antenna performance is achieved by placing the antenna towards one of the corners of the PCB and with the feed point of the antenna as close to same corner of the PCB as possible.

#### 13. Reference Board

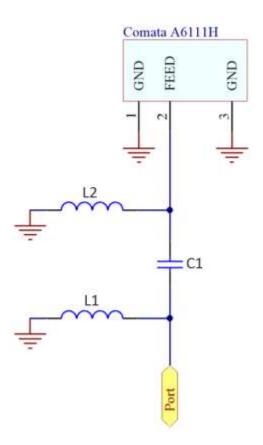
The reference board has been designed for evaluation purposes of A6111H includes a SMA female connector.



#### A6111H Evaluation Board

To order a reference board please see <u>www.antenova.com</u>

#### 14. Reference Board Matching Circuit

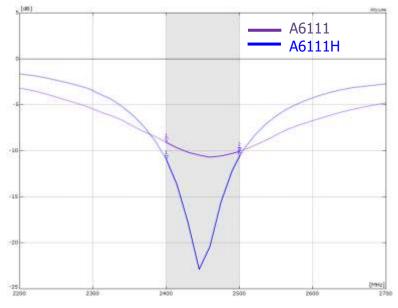


Designator	Туре	Value	Description
L1	Inductor	Not fitted	Not fitted
L2	Inductor	2.7nH	Murata LQG15HN series
C2	Capacitor	1.0pF	Murata GJM15 series

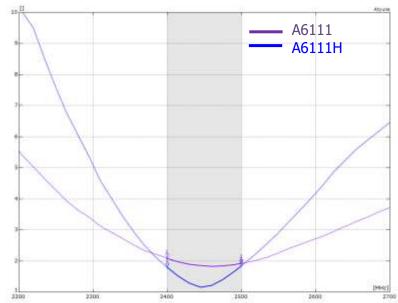
#### 15. Comparison S11

The A6111H is a direct replacement for the A6111 original part. The chart below shows a comparison between the two parts, on the same evaluation PCB.

#### 15.1 Return Loss







#### 16. Soldering

This antenna is suitable for lead free soldering.

The reflow profile should be adjusted to suit the device, oven, and solder paste, while observing the following conditions:

- The maximum temperature should not exceed 240 °C
- However, for lead free soldering, a maximum temperature of 255 °C for no more than 20 seconds is permitted.
- The antenna should not be exposed to temperatures exceeding 120 °C more than three times during the soldering process.

#### 17. Hazardous Material Regulation Conformance

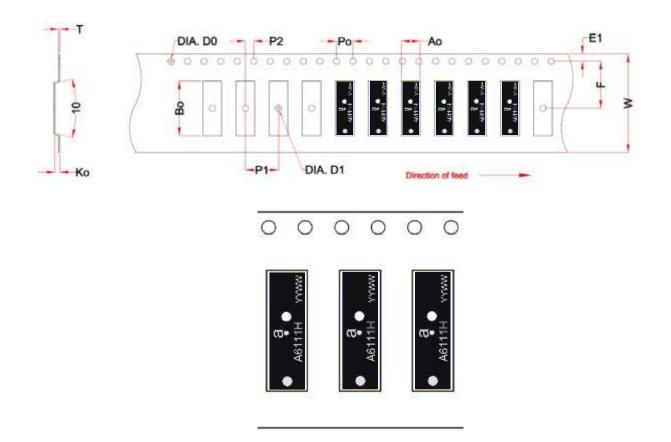
The antenna has been tested to conform to RoHS requirements. A certificate of conformance is available from Antenova's website.

#### 18. Packaging

#### **18.1 Optimal Storage Conditions**

Temperature	-10°C to 40°C
Humidity	Less than 75% RH
Shelf life	24 Months
Storage place	Away from corrosive gas and direct sunlight
Packaging	Reels should be stored in unopened sealed manufacturer's plastic packaging.

Note: Storage of open reels of antennas is not recommended due to possible oxidization of pads on antennas. If short term storage is necessary, then it is highly recommended that the bag containing the antenna reel is re-sealed and stored in like storage conditions as in above table.



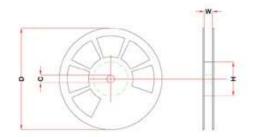
#### **18.2 Tape Characteristics**

W	F	E1	P0	P1	P2	A0	B0	K0	Т	D0	D1
24 ± 0.2	10.2 ± 0.1	1.75 ± 0.1	4 ± 0.1	8±0.1	2±0.1	3.9 ± 0.1	13.2 ± 0.1	3.7 ± 0.1	0.3 ± 0.05	Min 1.5	Min 1.5

Dimensions in mm

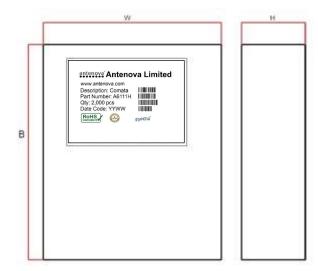
Quantity	Leading Space	Trailing Space
2000 pcs / reel	50 blank antenna holders	37 blank antenna holders

#### **18.3 Reel Dimensions**



Width (W)	Reel Diameter (D)	Hub Diameter (H)	Shaft Diameter (C)
24 mm	330 ± 2 mm (13*)	100 mm	13 ± 0.5 mm

#### **18.4 Box Dimensions**



Width	Breadth	Thickness
(W)	(B)	(H)
345 mm	345 mm	45 mm

#### **18.5 Bag Properties**

Reels are supplied in protective plastic packaging.

#### **18.6 Reel Label Information**

