

**KEY FEATURES**

- Wideband Frequency Coverage DC to 18 GHz
- Low Insertion Loss
- Excellent Return Loss
- 35 mm Bend Radius for Tight Installations
- Insulated Outer Jacket Standard
- Connector Interface Meets MIL-STD-348
- Straight N-Type Male Connector With Coupling Nut

APPLICATIONS

- Communication Receivers and Transmitters
- Telecom Systems
- Test and Measurement Systems
- SATCOM

*Generic photo used for illustration purposes only***PRODUCT OVERVIEW**

The L235-xxNM+ series coaxial cables are ideal for telecom and SATCOM applications and for connecting subsystems. The construction includes a low-loss 0.235-inch coaxial cable with a silver-plated copper center conductor. The dielectric is tape-wrapped PTFE. The connector body is passivated stainless steel, and the contacts are gold-plated BeCu. These cables are available in standard lengths of 0.5, 1, 2, and 3 feet. For custom lengths, please contact Mini-Circuits Sales.

ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS¹

Operating Frequency (GHz)	18
Impedance (Ω)	50
Velocity of Propagation (%)	70
Shielding Effectiveness Min. (dB)	100
Voltage Withstand Max. (VDC)	6600
Return Loss Typ. [VSWR]	32 dB [1.05:1]
Return Loss Max. [VSWR]	18 dB [1.3:1]

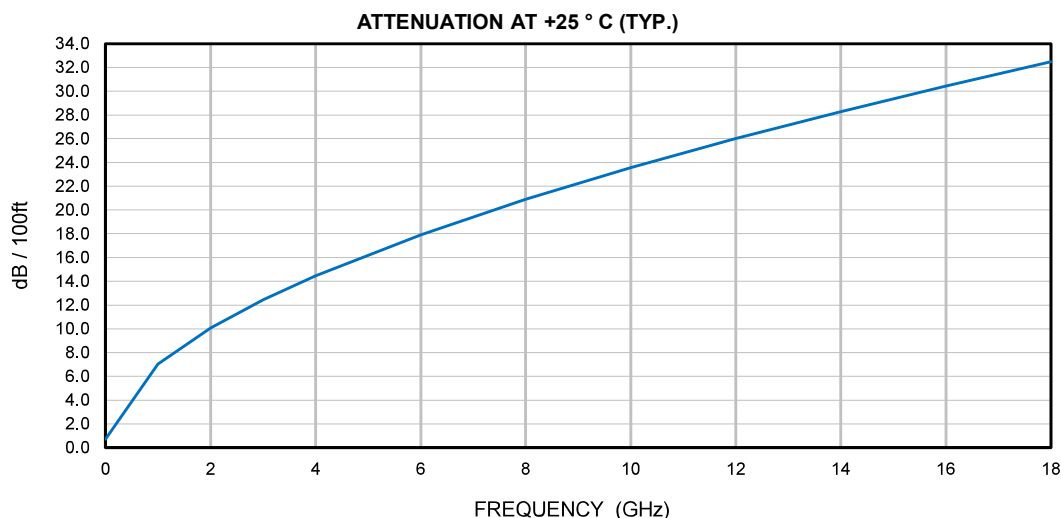
1. Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded

MECHANICAL & ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS¹

Operating Case Temperature ²	-45 °C to +125 °C
Storage Temperature	-45 °C to +125 °C
Bend Radius: Installation mm [in]	350.52 [13.8]
Bend Radius: Repeated mm [in]	35.05 [1.38]
Cable Weight (g/m) [lbs/1000ft]	90 [60]

2. Temperature extremes are not intended for continuous normal operation.

3. Total connector weight is 75 g per cable.



Attenuation (Typical @ +25 °C & VSWR = 1.0:1) dB

Frequency (MHz)	1000	2000	4000	6000	8000	10000	12000	14000	16000	18000
dB / 100 m	23.09	33.02	47.43	58.77	68.53	77.27	85.29	92.77	99.82	106.51
dB / 100 ft	7.04	10.07	14.46	17.92	20.90	23.56	26.01	28.29	30.44	32.48

Calculate Max Attenuation⁴ = $[K1 \times \sqrt{FMHz} + K2 \times FMHz] \times 1.1 \text{ dB}$

dB / 100 m	K1 =	0.71070	K2 =	0.00062
dB / 100 ft	K1 =	0.21662	K2 =	0.00019

4. For cable only, include 0.5 dB loss for connectors

Max Power (VSWR = 1.0; +25 °C; Sea Level), W

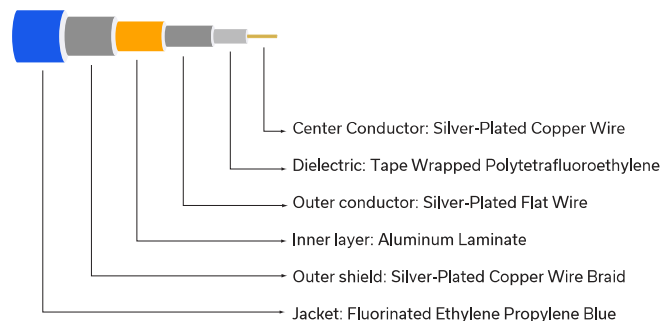
Frequency (MHz)	1000	2000	4000	6000	8000	10000	12000	14000	16000	18000
Avg. Power (W)	971	675	469	379	326	290	263	242	227	213



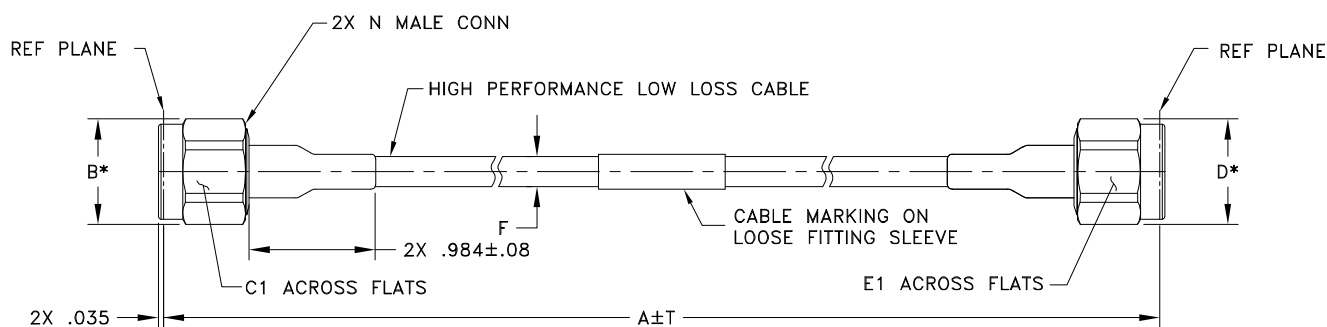
COAXIAL CONNECTIONS

Description	Connector 1	Connector 2
Connector Type	N-Type Male	N-Type Male
Orientation	Straight	Straight
Body Material/ Plating	Stainless Steel/Passivated	Stainless Steel/Passivated
Center Pin Material/ Plating	BeCu/Gold	BeCu/Gold

CABLE CONSTRUCTION



CASE STYLE DRAWING



*OVERALL CONNECTOR DIMENSION
[CONNECTOR SHAPE MAY VARY]

Dimensions are in inches [mm]

A		B	C1	C2	D	E1	F	T		Wt. grams
Feet	Meters							Feet	Meters	
0.5	0.15	.88 [22.35]	.748 [19.00]	.22 [5.6]	.88 [22.35]	.748 [19.00]	.236 [6.00 NOM]	± .008	± .002	99.00
1	0.3							± .010	± .003	114.00
2	0.61							± .013	± .004	144.00
3	0.91							± .025	± .008	174.00

PRODUCT MARKING*: L235-XXNM+

*Marking may contain other features or characters for internal lot control.



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LOW LOSS

Coaxial Cables

L235-XXNM+ SERIES

50Ω DC to 18 GHz N-Type Male to N-Type Male

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Performance Data & Graphs	Data
	Graphs
	S-Parameter (S2P Files) Data Set (.zip file)
Case Style	BCA3871
RoHS Status	Compliant
Environmental Ratings	ENV157

NOTES

- Performance and quality attributes and conditions not expressly stated in this specification document are intended to be excluded and do not form a part of this specification document.
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Low loss N Type Male to N Type Male

L235-2FTNM+

Typical Performance Data

FREQ.	INSERTION LOSS	N - MALE VSWR	N - MALE VSWR
(GHz)	(dB)	(:1)	(:1)
0.1	-0.08	1.03	1.03
0.50	-0.18	1.07	1.07
1.00	-0.26	1.09	1.09
1.50	-0.31	1.05	1.05
2.00	-0.37	1.13	1.12
2.50	-0.39	1.05	1.05
3.00	-0.43	1.07	1.07
3.50	-0.47	1.11	1.11
4.00	-0.49	1.04	1.04
4.50	-0.52	1.04	1.03
5.00	-0.55	1.06	1.06
5.50	-0.57	1.06	1.06
6.00	-0.60	1.03	1.04
6.50	-0.62	1.04	1.04
7.00	-0.64	1.06	1.06
7.50	-0.67	1.04	1.04
8.00	-0.69	1.01	1.03
8.50	-0.71	1.02	1.02
9.00	-0.72	1.02	1.03
9.50	-0.74	1.03	1.02
10.00	-0.77	1.06	1.07
10.50	-0.79	1.04	1.05
11.00	-0.81	1.07	1.05
11.50	-0.83	1.11	1.12
12.00	-0.85	1.09	1.11
12.50	-0.85	1.06	1.03
13.00	-0.87	1.14	1.13
13.50	-0.89	1.12	1.12
14.00	-0.92	1.03	1.04
14.50	-0.93	1.10	1.11
15.00	-0.96	1.11	1.12
15.50	-0.96	1.05	1.07
16.00	-0.97	1.03	1.06
16.50	-1.00	1.04	1.04
17.00	-1.02	1.04	1.04
17.50	-1.05	1.04	1.03
18.00	-1.06	1.04	1.04



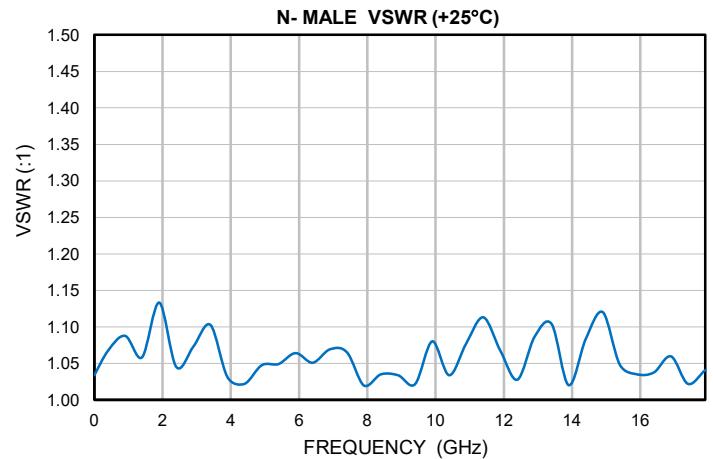
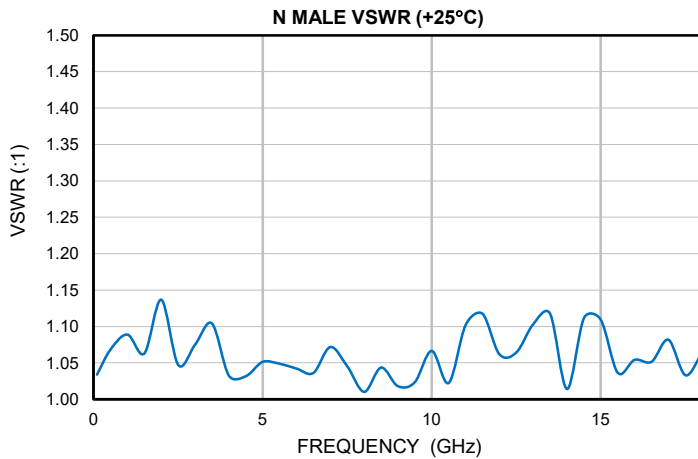
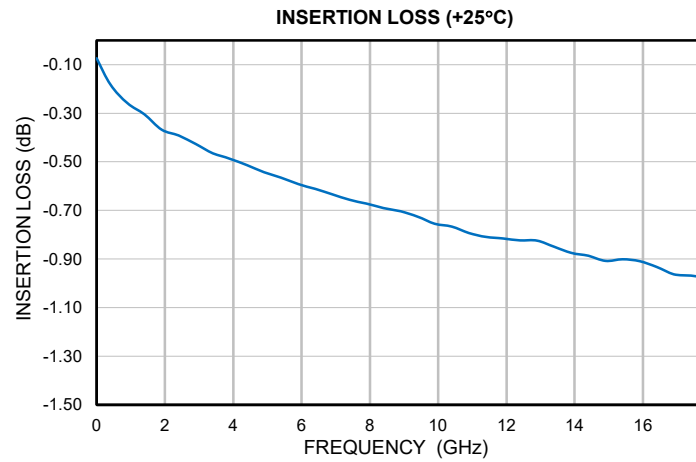
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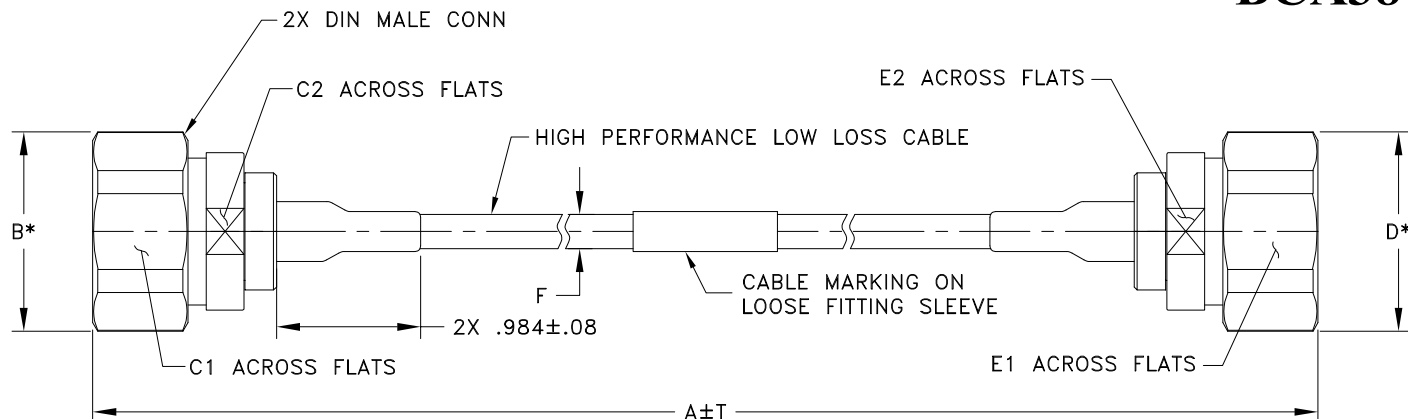


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Typical Performance Curves





* OVERALL CONNECTOR DIMENSION
[CONNECTOR SHAPE MAY VARY]

Case Style #	A		B	C1	C2	D	E1	E2	F		G	H	T		WT. GRAMS
	FEET	METERS							L235U-XXDINM+	L235-XXDINM+			FEET	METERS	
BCA3872-.5	0.50	0.15											.008	.003	219.00
BCA3872-1	1.00	0.30	1.36 [34.59]	1.260 [32.00]	.945 [24.00]	1.36 [34.59]	1.260 [32.00]	.945 [24.00]	.191±.002 [4.85±.05]	.236 NOM [6.00 NOM]	-	-	.010	.003	23400
BCA3872-2	2.00	0.61											.013	.004	264.00
BCA3872-3	3.00	0.91											.025	.008	294.00

Unless Otherwise Specified dimensions are in inches [mm],
Tolerances: 2 Pl.±0.03; 3 Pl. ±0.015 inches

Notes:

1. High Performance Low-Loss Coaxial Cable.
2. "A" Represents Length of Cable.

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Specification	Test/Inspection Condition	Reference/Spec
Operating Temperature	-45° C to 125° C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
Storage Temperature	-45° C to 125° C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
Thermal Shock	-55° to 125°C, 100 Cycles	MIL-STD-202, Method 107G
Multiple Bend Radius	40 mm, 5 times for 141 series cables 30 mm, 5 times for 086 series cables	
Single Bend Radius	8 mm for 141 series cables 6 mm for 086 series cables	
Connector Durability	500 mating/unmating cycles	MIL-PRF-39012E, PARAGRAPH 4.6.12