

CABLE SPECIFICATIONS

Lab-Flex® 290

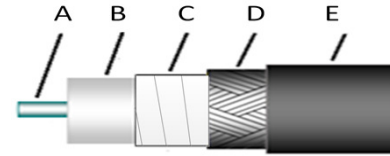


DATA SHEET PART SERIES: Lab-Flex®

SHEET 1 OF 2

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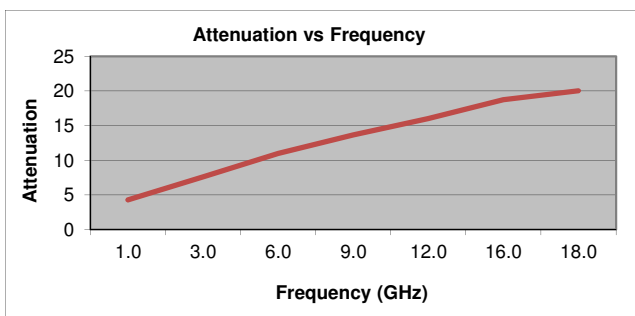
Lab-flex® 290 offers the lowest loss flexible cable up to 18GHz. This cable is ideal for applications where low loss or high power is a concern. Most Connectors are stainless steel with mode free operation to 18GHz.



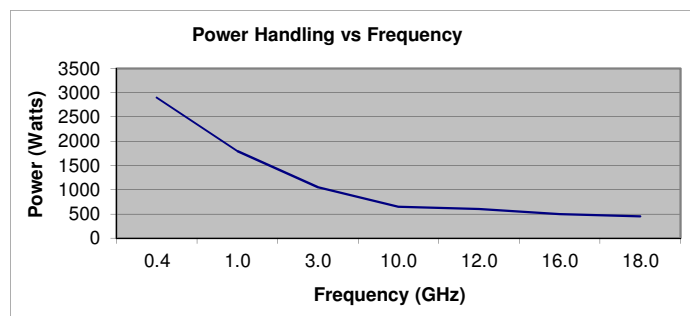
| 1.0 Electrical Data | | | |
|---|----------|----------|---|
| Frequency, Max (GHz) | 18.0 | | |
| Impedance, nominal (Ω) | 50 | | |
| Velocity of Propagation (%) | 85 | | |
| Shielding Effectiveness, 18 GHz (dB/ft) | >-100dB | | |
| Capacitance (pF/ft) | 24 | | |
| Delay (ns/ft), (ns/meter) | 1.25 | 4.104331 | |
| Attenuation k1 (db/100ft) @ 23 deg C | 0.1314 | | Attenuation (Typical) at any Frequency =k1 x SqRt (FMHz) + k2 x (FMHz) |
| Attenuation k2 (db/100ft) @ 23 deg C | 0.000134 | | |

| 2.0 Mechanical/Environmental Data | | | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|-------|--|
| Weight (lbs/100ft), (Kg/100m) | 9.00 | 13.53 | |
| Temperature Range (°C) | -55 to +200 | | |
| Minimum Bend Radius (inch), (mm) | 1.60 | 40.64 | |

| 3.0 Construction Data | | | |
|----------------------------|---|-------|-----------------|
| Inner Conductor (inch) | A | - | Solid SPC |
| Dielectric (inch) | B | - | Expanded PTFE |
| First Outer Shield (inch) | C | - | SPC Spiral Wrap |
| Second Outer Shield (inch) | D | - | SPC Round Braid |
| Jacket (inch O.D.) | E | 0.301 | FEP |



(dB per 100 feet)



*CW Power in watts at sea level and 23°C

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|-----------------------|-----|-----|------|------|------|------|
| Frequency GHz | 1.0 | 3.0 | 10.0 | 12.0 | 16.0 | 18.0 |
| Typical Loss dB/100ft | 4.3 | 7.6 | 14.5 | 16.0 | 18.8 | 20.0 |

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|-------------------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Frequency GHz | 1.0 | 3.0 | 10.0 | 12.0 | 16.0 | 18.0 |
| CW Power in Watts | 1800.0 | 1050.0 | 650.0 | 600.0 | 500.0 | 450.0 |

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Standard Connectors:

| Cable Code | Connector Code | Series | Gender | Type | C-Nut Style* | Body Material* | Body Finish* | Loss per GHz | Frequency Max GHz |
|------------|----------------|--------|-------------------|-------------|--------------|----------------|--------------|--------------|-------------------|
| 290 | SMS | SMA | (Male) | Straight | H | SS | P | 0.012 | 18 |
| 290 | SMR | SMA | (Male) | Right Angle | H | SS | P | 0.023 | 18 |
| 290 | SFBS | SMA | (Female) Bulkhead | Straight | N/A | SS | P | 0.015 | 18 |
| 290 | SFS | SMA | (Female) | Straight | N/A | SS | P | 0.015 | 18 |
| 290 | NMS | Type-N | (Male) | Straight | HK | SS | P | 0.011 | 18 |
| 290 | NMR | Type-N | (Male) | Right Angle | H | SS | P | 0.02 | 18 |
| 290 | NFBS | Type-N | (Female) Bulkhead | Straight | N/A | SS | P | 0.015 | 18 |
| 290 | NFS | Type-N | (Female) | Straight | N/A | SS | P | 0.015 | 18 |
| 290 | TMS | TNC | (Male) | Straight | H | SS | P | 0.01 | 18 |
| 290 | TFBS | TNC | (Female) Bulkhead | Straight | N/A | SS | P | 0.015 | 18 |
| 290 | TFS | TNC | (Female) | Straight | N/A | SS | P | 0.015 | 18 |
| 290 | 7/16MS | 7/16 | (Male) | Straight | H | B | WB | 0.01 | 6 |
| 290 | SCMS | SC | (Male) | Straight | H | SS | P | 0.01 | 10 |
| 290 | SCMR | SC | (Male) | Right Angle | H | SS | P | 0.02 | 10 |
| 290 | SCFBS | SC | (Female) Bulkhead | Straight | N/A | SS | P | 0.015 | 10 |

* C-nut Style: H= Hex, K=Knurled, HK= Hex Nut & Knurled

*Body Materials: B=Brass, SS=Stainless Steel, Be= Beryllium Copper

*Body Finish: N= Nickel, S=Silver, G=Gold, P= Passivated, T= Tri-metal, WB= White Bronze

Sex of connector is determined by center pin

Standard Options:

| Cable Code | Option Code | Option Description | Option Details |
|------------|-------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| 290 | +/-2.8PS | Phase Match | Standard Tolerance of +/-2.8PS |
| 290 | RoHS | RoHS Compliant | Per EU Directive 2002/95/EC |
| 290 | A | Armor | SS interlock armor |
| 290 | W | Weatherized | Weatherized Jacket (With Pel-Seal) |
| 290 | AW | Armor/Weatherized | SS interlock armor with extruded PVC cover |
| 290 | D/DD | Dust Cap one side/Both Sides | |
| 290 | E/EE | Extended Booting One Side/ Both Sides | |

*for RoHS complaint assemblies (-ROHS) is required to be added to end of standard part number
ex. NMS-290-120.0-NMS-ROHS

*for phase matched assemblies (+/-2.8PS) is require to be added to the end of standard part number
ex. NMS-290-120.0-NMS+/-2.8PS

Custom Options:

The above connectors and options the most common types used. Florida RF Labs offers a wide range of cables, connectors and options. If you do not see an option you require please consult the sales department.