# **User Manual**

WMDQ-174AC

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# 5GHz 802.11ac/n/a 1.3Gbps

WMDQ-174AC is a 5GHz Single Band 3T3R PCle mini Card Module based on the Qualcomm QCA9880 solution which features improved transmission power and sensitivity by Gemtek.

Using the QCA9880 external PA, it is the ideal cost effective solution for platform integration.

With enhanced technologies such as advanced power management and receiver boost, it makes the WMDQ-174AC the ideal 5GHz 3T3R module.

General Information						
PA	SE5003L1-R					
Interface	PCI Express 1.1 interface					
Operating Voltage	DC 3.3V & 4.2V (for PA) with Advanced DC Power					
	management support					
Antenna Connectors	3 x I-PEX connectors					
PCB Dimensions	50 x 50.8mm (WxL)- (20mm longer than standard					
	full-size mini card)					
Temperature Range	0 to 45 °C (Operating),					
	-20 to 80 °C (Storage)					
Security	WEP, TKIP, AES, and WAPI hardware encryption					
Data rates	802.11a: 6, 9, 12, 18, 24, 36, 48, 54Mbps					
	802.11n:					
	• 20MHz channel:					
	♦ 1Nss: 65Mbps @ 800GI, 72.2Mbps @ 400GI					
	(Max.)					
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	♦ 3Nss: 195Mbps @ 800GI, 216.7Mbps @ 400GI					
	(Max.)					
	• 40MHz channel:					
	♦ 1Nss: 135Mbps @ 800GI, 150Mbps @ 400GI					
	(Max.)					
	(Max.)					
	♦ 3Nss: 405Mbps @ 800GI, 450Mbps @ 400GI					
	(Max.)					
	802.11ac:					
	20MHz channel:					

	↑ 1Nss: 78Mbps @ 800GI, 86.7Mbps @ 400GI				
	(Max.)				
	♦ 2Nss: 156Mbps @ 800GI, 173.3Mbps @ 400GI				
	(Max.)				
	♦ 3Nss: 260Mbps @ 800GI, 288.9Mbps @ 400GI				
	(Max.)				
	• 40MHz channel:				
	♦ 1Nss: 180Mbps @ 800GI, 200Mbps @ 400GI				
	(Max.)				
	♦ 2Nss: 360Mbps @ 800GI, 400Mbps @ 400GI				
	(Max.)				
	♦ 3Nss: 540Mbps @ 800GI, 600Mbps @ 400GI				
	(Max.)				
	80MHz channel:				
	↑ 1Nss: 390Mbps @ 800GI, 433.3Mbps @ 400GI				
	(Max.)				
	(Max.)				
	♦ 3Nss: 1.17Gbps @ 800GI, 1.3Gbps @ 400GI				
	(Max.)				
T x channel width support	20MHz / 40MHz /80MHz				
Standard/Compliance	IEEE 802.11ac, 802.11n, 802.11a				

RF Spec				
Frequency band	5G			
Radio Stream	3T3R			
Transmit Power	802.11a 6Mbps: 23 dBm			
(Per Radio Stream)	802.11n HT20 MCS0: 23dBm			
Tolerance ( +/- 2dBm)	802.11n HT40 MCS0: 21dBm			
	802.11ac VHT20 MCS0: 23dBm			
	802.11ac VHT40 MCS0: 21dBm			
	802.11ac VHT80 MCS0: 12dBm			
Receive Sensitivity	802.11a:			
Tolerance ( +/- 2dBm)	6Mbps: -94dBm			
	54M: -80dBm			
	802.11n HT20/HT40:			
	HT20 MCS0: -94dBm			

HT20 MCS7: -76dBm

HT40 MCS0: -92dBm

HT40 MCS7: -74 dBm

802.11ac VHT20/VHT40/VHT80:

VHT20 MCS0: -94dbm

VHT20 MCS8: -73dBm

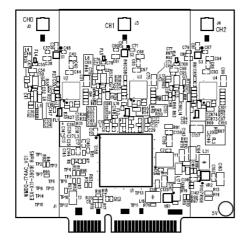
VHT40 MCS0: -92dBm

VHT40 MCS9: -68dBm

VHT80 MCS0: -90dBm

VHT80 MCS9: -66dBm

Dimension: 50mmx50mm



#### **Federal Communication Commission Interference Statement**

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

FCC Caution: Any changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate this equipment.

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

#### **IMPORTANT NOTE:**

# **Radiation Exposure Statement:**

This equipment complies with FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum distance 20cm between the radiator & your body.

This transmitter must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.

Country Code selection feature to be disabled for products marketed to the US/CANADA.

Operation of this device is restricted to indoor use only

#### This device is intended only for OEM integrators under the following conditions:

- 1) The antenna must be installed such that 20 cm is maintained between the antenna and users, and
- 2) The transmitter module may not be co-located with any other transmitter or antenna,
- 3) For all products market in US, OEM has to limit the operation channels in CH1 to CH11 for 2.4G band by supplied firmware programming tool. OEM shall not supply any tool or info to the end-user regarding to Regulatory Domain change.

As long as 3 conditions above are met, further <u>transmitter</u> test will not be required. However, the OEM integrator is still responsible for testing their end-product for any additional compliance requirements required with this module installed

#### **IMPORTANT NOTE**

In the event that these conditions <u>can not be met</u> (for example certain laptop configurations or co-location with another transmitter), then the FCC authorization is no longer considered valid and the FCC ID <u>can not</u> be used on the final product. In these circumstances, the OEM integrator will be responsible for re-evaluating the end product (including the transmitter) and obtaining a separate FCC authorization.

# **End Product Labeling**

This transmitter module is authorized only for use in device where the antenna may be installed such that 20 cm may be maintained between the antenna and users. The final end product must be labeled in a visible area with the following: "Contains FCC ID: TVE-130513".

#### Manual Information to the End User

The OEM integrator has to be aware not to provide information to the end user regarding how to install or remove this RF module in the user's manual of the end product which integrates this module.

The end user manual shall include all required regulatory information/warning as show in this manual.

## **Industry Canada statement**

This device complies with Industry Canada's licence-exempt RSSs. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

(1) This device may not cause interference; and (2) This device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

Cet appareil est conforme aux CNR exemptes de licence d'Industrie Canada. Son fonctionnement est soumis aux deux conditions suivantes:

(1) Ce dispositif ne peut causer d'interférences; et(2) Ce dispositif doit accepter toute interférence, y compris les interférences qui peuvent causer un mauvais fonctionnement de l'appareil.

#### Caution:

(i) the device for operation in the band 5150-5250 MHz is only for indoor use to reduce the potential for harmful interference to co-channel mobile satellite systems;

#### **Avertissement:**

(i) les dispositifs fonctionnant dans la bande 5 150-5 250 MHz sont réservés uniquement pour une utilisation à l'intérieur afin de réduire les risques de brouillage préjudiciable aux systèmes de satellites mobiles utilisant les mêmes canaux;

# **Radiation Exposure Statement:**

This equipment complies with IC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum distance 20cm between the radiator & your body.

# Déclaration d'exposition aux radiations:

Cet équipement est conforme aux limites d'exposition aux rayonnements IC établies pour un environnement non contrôlé. Cet équipement doit être installé et utilisé avec un minimum de 20 cm de distance entre la source de rayonnement et votre corps.

#### This device is intended only for OEM integrators under the following conditions:

- 1) The antenna must be installed such that 20 cm is maintained between the antenna and users, and
- 2) The transmitter module may not be co-located with any other transmitter or antenna.

As long as 2 conditions above are met, further transmitter test will not be required. However, the OEM integrator is still responsible for testing their end-product for any additional compliance requirements required with this module installed.

# Cet appareil est conçu uniquement pour les intégrateurs OEM dans les conditions suivantes:

- 1) L'antenne doit être installée de telle sorte qu'une distance de 20 cm est respectée entre l'antenne et les utilisateurs, et
- 2) Le module émetteur peut ne pas être coïmplanté avec un autre émetteur ou antenne.

Tant que les 2 conditions ci-dessus sont remplies, des essais supplémentaires sur l'émetteur ne seront pas nécessaires. Toutefois, l'intégrateur OEM est toujours responsable des essais sur son produit final pour toutes exigences de conformité supplémentaires requis pour ce module installé.

### **IMPORTANT NOTE:**

In the event that these conditions can not be met (for example certain laptop configurations or co-location with another transmitter), then the Canada authorization is no longer considered valid and the IC ID can not be used on the final product. In these circumstances, the OEM integrator will be responsible for re-evaluating the end product (including the transmitter) and obtaining a separate Canada authorization.

# NOTE IMPORTANTE:

Dans le cas où ces conditions ne peuvent être satisfaites (par exemple pour certaines configurations d'ordinateur portable ou de certaines co-localisation avec un autre émetteur), l'autorisation du Canada n'est plus considéré comme valide et l'ID IC ne peut pas être utilisé sur le produit final. Dans ces circonstances, l'intégrateur OEM sera chargé de réévaluer le produit final (y compris l'émetteur) et l'obtention d'une autorisation distincte au Canada.

#### **End Prouct Labeling**

This transmitter module is authorized only for use in device where the antenna may be installed such that 20 cm may be maintained between the antenna and users. The final end product must be labeled in a visible area with the following: "Contains IC:7280B-130513".

#### Plaque signalétique du produit final

Ce module émetteur est autorisé uniquement pour une utilisation dans un dispositif où l'antenne peut être installée de telle sorte qu'une distance de 20cm peut être maintenue entre l'antenne et les utilisateurs. Le produit final doit être étiqueté dans un endroit visible avec l'inscription suivante: "Contient des IC: 7280B-130513".

#### **Manual Information To the End User**

The OEM integrator has to be aware not to provide information to the end user regarding how to install or remove this RF module in the user's manual of the end product which integrates this module.

The end user manual shall include all required regulatory information/warning as show in this manual.

# Manuel d'information à l'utilisateur final

L'intégrateur OEM doit être conscient de ne pas fournir des informations à l'utilisateur final quant à la façon d'installer ou de supprimer ce module RF dans le manuel de l'utilisateur du produit final qui intègre ce module.

Le manuel de l'utilisateur final doit inclure toutes les informations réglementaires requises et avertissements comme indiqué dans ce manuel.

This radio transmitter (IC: 7280B-130513) has been approved by Industry Canada to operate with the antenna types listed below with the maximum permissible gain indicated. Antenna types not included in this list, having a gain greater than the maximum gain indicated for that type, are strictly prohibited for use with this device

Cet émetteur radio (IC: 7280B-130513) a été approuvé par Industrie Canada pour fonctionner avec les types d'antenne énumérés ci-dessous avec le gain maximal admissible indiqué. Types d'antennes ne figurent pas dans cette liste, ayant un gain supérieur au gain maximum indiqué pour ce type, sont strictement interdits pour une utilisation avec cet appareil

Antenna model	Туре	Connector	5150~5250MHz	5725~5850 MHz
AK51010200	Dipole	R-SMA	4.78 dBi	5.67 dBi
LG19	PIFA	IPEX	3.46 dBi	4.34 dBi
FPC_ANT (Cable: 95mm)	PIFA	IPEX	2.78 dBi	3.32 dBi
FPC_ANT (Cable: 355mm)	PIFA	IPEX	2.21dBi	0.91 dBi
FPC_ANT (Cable: 150mm)	PIFA	IPEX	2.42 dBi	3.11 dBi