ATWINC15x0

ATWINC15x0-MR210xB IEEE® 802.11 b/g/n SmartConnect loT Module

Introduction

The ATWINC15x0-MR210xB is a low power consumption 802.11 b/g/n IoT (Internet of Things) module, specifically optimized for low power IoT applications. The module integrates Power Amplifier (PA), Low-Noise Amplifier (LNA), Switch, Power Management and a printed antenna or a micro co-ax (U.FL) connector for an external antenna resulting in a small form factor (21.7 x 14.7 x 2.1 mm) design. It is interoperable with various vendors' 802.11 b/g/n access points. This module provides Serial Peripheral Interface (SPI) ports to interface with a host controller.

The references to the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB module include the module devices listed in the following:

- ATWINC1500-MR210PB
- ATWINC1500-MR210UB
- ATWINC1510-MR210PB
- ATWINC1510-MR210UB

Features

- IEEE® 802.11 b/g/n 20 MHz (1x1) solution
- Single spatial stream in 2.4 GHz ISM band
- · Integrated Transmit/Receive switch
- · Integrated PCB antenna or U.FL micro co-ax connector for external antenna
- Superior sensitivity and range via advanced PHY signal processing
- · Advanced equalization and channel estimation
- · Advanced carrier and timing synchronization
- Wi-Fi[®] Direct (supported till firmware release 19.5.2)
- · Soft-AP support
- Supports IEEE 802.11 WEP, WPA, WPA2 security
- Support Enterprise security with WPA/WPA2 (802.1X)⁽¹⁾
 - EAP-TLS
 - EAP-PEAPv0/1 with TLS
 - EAP-TTLSv0 with MSCHAPv2
 - EAP-PEAPv0/1 with MSCHAPv2
- Superior MAC throughput via hardware accelerated two-level A-MSDU/A-MPDU frame aggregation and block acknowledgment
- On-chip memory management engine to reduce host load
- · SPI host interface
- Operating temperature range from -40°C to +85°C. RF performance at room temperature of 25°C with a 2-3 dB change at boundary conditions
- Power supply for I/O (VDDIO) rages from 2.7V to 3.6V
- · Power supply for DC/DC converter (VBAT) ranges from 3.0V to 4.2V
- Built-in 26 MHz crystal
- Integrated Flash memory for system software

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- · Power Save modes
 - 4 μA Power-Down mode typical at 3.3V I/O
 - 380 μA Doze mode with chip settings preserved (used for beacon monitoring) (2)
 - On-chip low power sleep oscillator
 - Fast host wake-up from Doze mode by a pin or SPI transaction
- · Fast Boot options
 - On-chip boot ROM (Firmware instant boot)
 - SPI flash boot
 - Low-leakage on-chip memory for state variables
 - Fast AP re-association (150 ms)
- · On-chip Network stack to offload MCU
 - Network features TCP, UDP, DHCP, ARP, HTTP, TLS and DNS
 - Hardware accelerators for Wi-Fi and TLS security to improve connection time
- · Hardware accelerator for IP checksum
- · Hardware accelerators for OTA security
- · Small footprint host driver
- Wi-Fi Alliance[®] certifications for Connectivity and Optimizations
 - ID: WFA61069

Notes:

- For more information on the software features, refer to the Wi-Fi Network Controller Software Design Guide at ww1.microchip.com/downloads/en/DeviceDoc/00002389A.pdf.
- 2. For more information on the module power modes, refer to Section 7. Power Consumption.

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1. Ordering Information and Module Marking

The following table provides the ordering information for the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB modules.

Table 1-1. Ordering Information

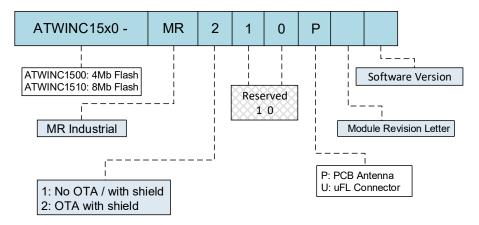
Model Number	Ordering Code ⁽¹⁾	Package Dimension	No. of Pins	Description	Regulatory Certification
ATWINC1500- MR210PB	ATWINC1500- MR210PBXXXX	21.7 x 14.7 x 2.1 mm	28	Certified Module with ATWINC1500B chip (4Mb Flash) and PCB printed antenna	FCC, ISED, CE, MIC, KCC, NCC, SRRC, ANATEL
ATWINC1500- MR210UB	ATWINC1500- MR210UBXXXX	21.7 x 14.7 x 2.1 mm	28	Certified Module with ATWINC1500B chip (4Mb Flash) and U.FL connector	FCC, ISED, CE, ANATEL
ATWINC1510- MR210PB	ATWINC1510- MR210PBXXXX	21.7 x 14.7 x 2.1 mm	28	Certified Module with ATWINC1510B chip (8Mb Flash) and PCB printed antenna	FCC, ISED, CE, MIC, KCC, NCC, SRRC, ANATEL
ATWINC1510- MR210UB	ATWINC1510- MR210UBXXXX	21.7 x 14.7 x 2.1 mm	28	Certified Module with ATWINC1510B chip (8Mb Flash) and U.FL connector	FCC, ISED, CE, ANATEL

Note:

1. XXXX in the Ordering Code represents the Firmware version of the product. For more details, refer to the *Software Release Notes* available on the Microchip web page.

The following figure illustrates the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB modules' marking information.

Figure 1-1. Marking Information

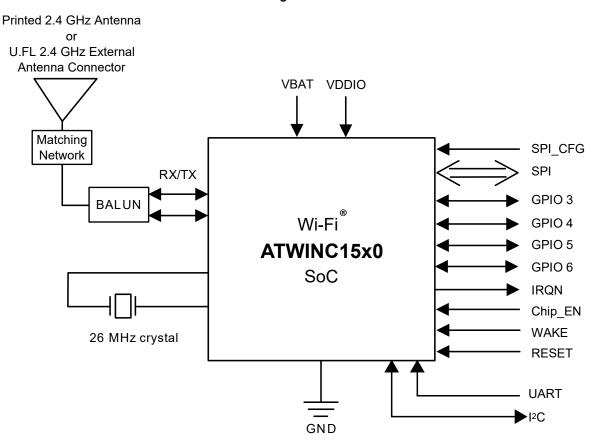


2. Functional Overview

2.1 Block Diagram

The following figure illustrates the ATWINC15x0 block diagram.

Figure 2-1. ATWINC15x0-MR210xB Module Block Diagram



2.2 Pin Description

The following figure illustrates the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB module pin out. This module has an exposed ground pad that must be connected to the system board ground.

Figure 2-2. Pin Diagram

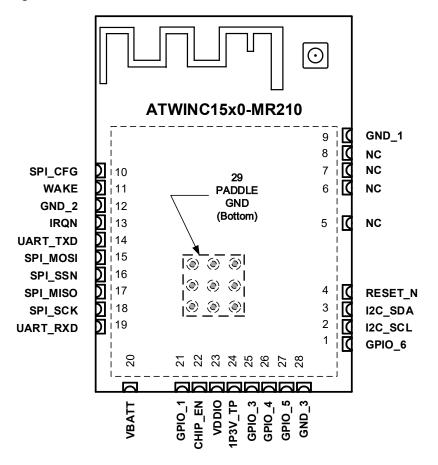


Table 2-1. ATWINC15x0-MR210xB Pin Description

Pin #	Name	Туре	Description	Programmable Pull Up Resistor
1	GPIO_6	I/O	General purpose I/O ⁽¹⁾ .	Yes
2	I2C_SCL	I/O	I ² C Slave Clock. Currently used only for development debugging. Leave unconnected. It is recommended to add Test Point to this pin.	Yes
3	I2C_SDA	I/O	I ² C Slave Data. Currently used only for development debugging. Leave unconnected. It is recommended to add Test Point to this pin.	Yes
4	RESET_N	I	Active-Low Hard Reset. When this pin is asserted low, the module is set to the reset state. When this pin is asserted high, the module comes out of reset and functions normally. Connect to a host output that defaults low at power up. If the host output is tri-stated, add a 1 $M\Omega$ pull-down resistor to ensure a low level at power-up.	No
5	NC	_	No connect.	_
6	NC	_	No connect.	_
7	NC	_	No connect.	_

	continued						
Pin #	Name	Туре	Description	Programmable Pull Up Resistor			
8	NC	_	No connect.	_			
9	GND_1	_	GND.	_			
10	SPI_CFG	I	Tie to VDDIO through a 1 $M\Omega$ resistor to enable the SPI interface.	No			
11	WAKE	1	Host Wake control. Can be used to wake up the module from Doze mode. Current FW implementation makes use of IRQ to wake up the host.	Yes			
12	GND_2	_	GND.	_			
13	IRQN	0	ATWINC15x0-MR210xB Device Interrupt output. Connect to host interrupt input pin.	Yes			
14	UART_TXD	0	UART Transmit Output from ATWINC15x0-MR210xB. Added for debugging and testing only.	Yes			
15	SPI_MOSI	I	SPI MOSI (Master Out, Slave In) pin.	Yes			
16	SPI_SSN	I	SPI Slave Select. Active-low.	Yes			
17	SPI_MISO	0	SPI MISO (Master In, Slave Out) pin.	Yes			
18	SPI_SCK	I	SPI Clock.	Yes			
19	UART_RXD	I	UART Receive input to ATWINC15x0-MR210xB. Added for debugging and testing only.	Yes			
20	VBATT	_	Battery power supply.	_			
21	GPIO_1	I	General Purpose I/O ⁽¹⁾ .	Yes			
22	CHIP_EN	I	Module enable. High level enables the module; low level places the module in Power-Down mode. Connect to a host output that defaults low at power-up. If the host output is tristated, add a 1 $M\Omega$ pull-down resistor to ensure a low level at power-up.	No			
23	VDDIO	_	I/O Power Supply. Must match the host I/O voltage.	_			
24	1P3V_TP	_	1.3V VDD Core Test Point. Decouple with the 10 μ F and 0.01 μ F to the GND. Close to the pin.	_			
25	GPIO_3	I/O	General purpose I/O ⁽¹⁾ .	Yes			
26	GPIO_4	I/O	General purpose I/O ⁽¹⁾ .	Yes			
27	GPIO_5	I/O	General purpose I/O ⁽¹⁾ .	Yes			
28	GND_3	_	GND.	_			
29	PADDLE GND	_	GND.	_			

Note:

1. Usage of the GPIO functionality is not supported by the WINC15x0 FW. The datasheet will be updated once the support for this feature is added.

3. **Electrical Specifications**

3.1 **Absolute Maximum Ratings**

Absolute maximum ratings for the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB modules are listed below.

Table 3-1. Conditions

Symbol	Description	Min.	Max.	Unit
VBATT	Input supply voltage	-0.3	5.0	V
VDDIO	I/O voltage	-0.3	5.0	V
Operating Temperature	_	-40	+85	°C



Stresses listed under "Absolute Maximum Ratings" may cause permanent damage to the device. This is a stress rating only. The functional operation of the device at those or any other conditions above those indicated in the operation listings of this specification is not implied. Exposure to the maximum rating conditions for extended periods may affect the device's reliability.

3.2 **Recommended Operating Conditions**

Table 3-2. Recommended Operating Conditions

Symbol	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
VBATT	3.0	3.3	4.2	V
VDDIO	2.7	3.3	3.6	V

3.3 **DC Electrical Characteristics**

The following table provides the DC characteristics for the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB digital pads.

Table 3-3. ATWINC15x0-MR210xB Electrical Characteristics

Characteristic	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
Input low voltage (V _{IL})	-0.30	_	0.65	
Input high voltage (V _{IH})	VDDIO-0.60	_	VDDIO+0.30	V
Output low voltage (V _{OL})	_	_	0.45	V
Output high voltage (V _{OH})	VDDIO-0.50	_	-	
Output loading	_	_	20	,r
Digital input load	-	_	6	pF
Pad drive strength (regular pads ⁽¹⁾)	8	13.5	-	mA
Pad drive strength (high-drive pads ⁽¹⁾)	16	27	-	IIIA

Note:

The I2C_SCL and I2C_SDA are high-drive pads and all other pads are regular.

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3.3.1 Current Consumption in Various Device States

The following table provides the current consumption of ATWINC15x0-MR210xB in various device states.

Table 3-4. ATWINC15x0-MR210xB Current Consumption

Davisa State	Codo Boto	Output	Current Con	sumption ⁽¹⁾
Device State	Code Rate	Power, dBm	IVBATT	IVDDIO
	802.11b 1 Mbps	17.5	268 mA	22 mA
	802.11b 11 Mbps	18.5	264 mA	22 mA
ON Transmit	802.11g 6 Mbps	17.5	269 mA	22 mA
ON_Transmit	802.11g 54 Mbps	16.0	266 mA	22 mA
	802.11n MCS 0	17.0	268 mA	22 mA
	802.11n MCS 7	14.5	265 mA	22 mA
	802.11b 1 Mbps	N/A	61 mA	22 mA
	802.11b 11 Mbps	N/A	61 mA	22 mA
ON_Receive	802.11g 6 Mbps	N/A	61 mA	22 mA
ON_Neceive	802.11g 54 Mbps	N/A	61 mA	22 mA
	802.11n MCS 0	N/A	61 mA	22 mA
	802.11n MCS 7	N/A	61 mA	22 mA
ON_Doze	N/A	N/A	380 μΑ	<10 µA
Power_Down	N/A	N/A	<0.5 µA	<3.5 µA

Note:

1. Conditions: VBATT =3.3V, VDDIO=3.3V and at 25°C

3.4 Receiver Performance

Table 3-5. Receiver Performance

Parameter	Description	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Unit
Frequency	_	2,412	_	2,484	MHz

continued					
Parameter	Description	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Unit
	1 Mbps DSS	_	-95	_	
Sensitivity	2 Mbps DSS	_	-90	_	
802.11b	5.5 Mbps DSS	_	-92	_	
	11 Mbps DSS	_	-86	_	
	6 Mbps OFDM	_	-90	_	
	9 Mbps OFDM	_	-89	_	
	12 Mbps OFDM	_	-88	_	
Sensitivity	18 Mbps OFDM	_	-85	_	
802.11g	24 Mbps OFDM	_	-83	_	
	36 Mbps OFDM	_	-80	_	
	48 Mbps OFDM	_	-76	_	
	54 Mbps OFDM	_	-74	_	dBm
	MCS 0	_	-89	_	
	MCS 1	_	-87	_	
	MCS 2	_	-85	_	
Sensitivity	MCS 3	_	-82	_	
802.11n (BW=20 MHz)	MCS 4	_	-77	_	
	MCS 5	_	-74	_	
	MCS 6	_	-72	_	
	MCS 7	_	-70.5	_	
	1-11 Mbps DSS	_	0	_	
Maximum Receive Signal Level	6-54 Mbps OFDM	_	0	_	
20101	MCS 0-7	_	0	_	
	1 Mbps DSS (30 MHz offset)	_	50	_	
	11 Mbps DSS (25 MHz offset)	_	43	_	
	6 Mbps OFDM (25 MHz offset)	_	40	_	
Adjacent Channel Rejection	54 Mbps OFDM (25 MHz offset)	_	25	_	dB
	MCS 0-20 MHz BW (25 MHz offset)	_	40	_	
	MCS 7-20 MHz BW (25 MHz offset)	_	20	_	

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Parameter	Description	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Unit		
	776-794 MHz CDMA	_	-14	_			
	824-849 MHz GSM	_	-10	_			
	880-915 MHz GSM	_	-10	_			
Cellular Blocker Immunity	1710-1785 MHz GSM	_	-15	_	dBm		
	1850-1910 MHz GSM	_	-15	_			
	1850-1910 MHz WCDMA	_	-24	_			
	1920-1980 MHz WCDMA	_	-24	_			

3.5 Transmitter Performance

Table 3-6. Transmitter Performance^(3, 4, 5, 6, 7)

Parameter	Description	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Unit
Frequency	_	2,412	_	2,484	MHz
	802.11b 1 Mbps	_	13.6	_	
	802.11b 11 Mbps	_	15.3	_	
Output Power ^(1, 2)	802.11g 6 Mbps	_	18.9	_	dBm
ON_Transmit	802.11g 54 Mbps	_	14.3	_	ивш
	802.11n MCS 0	_	18.9	_	
	802.11n MCS 7	_	12.2	_	
TX Power Accuracy	_	_	±1.5 ⁽²⁾	_	dB
Carrier Suppression	_	_	30.0	_	dBc
Harmonic Output Power	2nd	_	_	-41	dBm/MHz
	3rd	_	_	-41	GDITI/IVII IZ

Notes:

- 1. Measured at 802.11 spec compliant EVM/Spectral Mask.
- 2. Measured at balun output.
- 3. Operating temperature range is -40°C to +85°C. RF performance is ensured at a room temperature of 25°C with a 2-3 dB change at boundary conditions.
- 4. With respect to TX power, different (higher/lower) RF output power settings may be used for specific antennas and/or enclosures, in which case recertification may be required.
- 5. The availability of some specific channels and/or operational frequency bands are country dependent and must be programmed at the host product factory to match the intended destination. Regulatory bodies prohibit exposing the settings to the end user. This requirement needs to be taken care of via host implementation.
- 6. The RF parameters for the ATWINC15x0-MR210UB is reduced approximately by 1 dB. This insertion loss accounts for PCB trace loss and a filter network to RF U.FL connector.
- 7. For more details on the I²C Slave interface, refer to **Section 6.1 "I²C Slave Interface"** from the *ATWINC15x0B-MU IEEE*® *802.11 b/g/n Network Controller SoC Datasheet* (DS70005374).

3.6 SPI Timing Characteristics

The SPI timing is provided in the following figure and table.

Figure 3-1. SPI Timing Diagram (SPI Mode CPOL = 0, CPHA = 0)

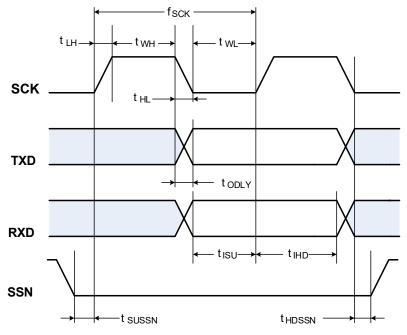


Table 3-7. SPI Slave Timing Parameters⁽¹⁾

Parameter	Symbol	Min.	Max.	Units
Clock Input Frequency ⁽²⁾	f _{SCK}		48	MHz

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Parameter	Symbol	Min.	Max.	Units	
Clock Low Pulse Width	t _{WL}	4	_		
Clock High Pulse Width	t _{WH}	5	_		
Clock Rise Time	t _{LH}	0	7		
Clock Fall Time	t _{HL}	0	7		
TXD Output Delay ⁽³⁾	t _{ODLY}	4	9 from SCK fall	ns	
RXD Input Setup Time	t _{ISU}	1	_		
RXD Input Hold Time	t _{IHD}	5	_		
SSN Input Setup Time	t _{SUSSN}	3	_		
SSN Input Hold Time	t _{HDSSN}	5.5	_		

Notes:

- 1. Timing is applicable to all SPI modes.
- 2. Maximum clock frequency specified is limited by the SPI Slave interface internal design, actual maximum clock frequency can be lower and depends on the specific PCB layout.
- 3. Timing based on 15pF output loading under all conditions, $t_{LH} + t_{WH} + t_{HL} + t_{WL}$ must be less than or equal to 1/ f_{SCK} .

4. CPU and Memory Subsystems

4.1 Processor

The ATWINC15x0-MR210xB modules have a Cortus APS3 32-bit processor. This processor performs many of the MAC functions, including but not limited to the association, authentication, power management, security key management and MSDU aggregation/de-aggregation. In addition, the processor provides flexibility for various modes of operation, such as STA and AP modes.

4.2 Memory Subsystem

The APS3 core uses a 128 kB instruction/boot ROM along with a 160 kB instruction RAM and a 64 kB data RAM. The ATWINC15x0-MR210xB modules come populated with either 4 MB or 8 MB of Flash memory depending on the module model that is ordered. This memory can be used for system software. See Table 1-1 for more information. In addition, the device uses a 128 kB shared RAM, accessible by the processor and MAC, which allows the APS3 core to perform various data management tasks on the TX and RX data packets.

4.3 Nonvolatile Memory (eFuse)

The ATWINC15x0-MR210xB modules have 768 bits of nonvolatile eFuse memory that can be read by the CPU after device reset. The eFuse is partitioned into six 128-bit banks (Bank 0 – Bank 5). Each bank has the same bit map (see the following figure). The purpose of the first 108 bits in each bank is fixed and the remaining 20 bits are general-purpose software-dependent bits, or reserved for future use.

Notes: If IQ Amp Used, IQ Amp Correction, IQ Pha Used, and IQ Pha Correction bit fields are programmed, Bank 0 must not be programmed with any values, and only the Bank Invalid bit must be programmed. This nonvolatile one-time-programmable (OTP) memory can be used for storing the following customer-specific parameters:

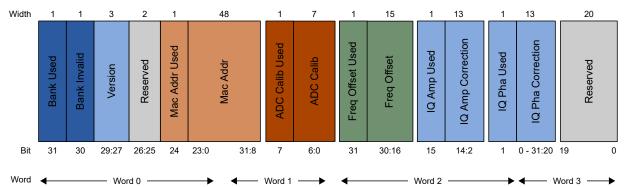
- MAC address
- Calibration information (crystal frequency offset and so on)
- · Other software-specific configuration parameters

Each bank can be programmed independently, which allows for several updates of the device parameters following the initial programming. For example, if the MAC address is currently programmed in Bank 2, and to update the new MAC address, perform the following steps:

- 1. Invalidate the contents of Bank 2 by programming the Bank Invalid bit field of Bank 2.
- 2. Program Bank 3 with the new MAC address along with the values of ADC Calib (if used in Bank 2), Frequency Offset (from Bank 2), IQ Amp Correction (from Bank 2) and IQ Pha Correction (from Bank 2). The Used bit field for each corresponding value bit field should also be programmed.
- 3. Validate the contents of Bank 3 by programming the Bank Used bit field of Bank 3.

Each bit field (i.e., MAC Address, ADC Calibration, Frequency Offset, IQ Amp Correction, and IQ Pha Correction) has its corresponding Used bit field. Each Used bit field indicates the firmware that the value in the related bit field is valid. A value of '0' in the Used bit field indicates that the following bit field is invalid and a value of '1' programmed to the Used bit field indicates that the corresponding bit field is valid and can be used by firmware. By default, ATWINC15x0-MR210xB modules are programmed with the MAC address, Frequency Offset bits, IQ Amp and IQ Phase fields of Bank 2.





Note: The bit map has been updated with the IQ Amp correction and IQ Pha Correction fields from firmware version 19.7 onwards. Earlier these bit fields were reserved for future use. For customers using firmware older than 19.7, IQ Amp correction and IQ Pha Correction bit fields are not used by the firmware.

The matrix table below provides details on how different versions of the firmware would handle the IQ Amp used, IQ Amp correction, IQ Pha used and IQ Pha correction bit fields during Initialization.

	IQ Amp Used and IQ Pha Used Bit Status					
Firmware Version Used by Customer	Device with IQ Amp Used and IQ Pha Used Bits with Value '1'	Device with IQ Amp Used and IQ Pha Used Bits with Value '0'				
19.7 or later for ATWINC15x0	Firmware loads the IQ cal values from the IQ Amp correction and IQ Pha correction bit fields of corresponding eFuse bank and proceeds with Initialization.	Firmware ignores the values in the IQ Amp correction and IQ pha correction bit fields of corresponding eFuse bank and proceeds with initialization.				
Prior to 19.7 for ATWINC15x0	Firmware does not check for the IQ Amp and IQ Pha used bit fields and proceeds with Initialization.					

5. WLAN Subsystem

The WLAN subsystem is composed of the Media Access Controller (MAC) and the Physical Layer (PHY). The following two subsections describe the MAC and PHY in detail.

5.1 MAC

5.1.1 Description

The ATWINC15x0-MR210xB MAC is designed to operate at low power while providing high data throughput. The IEEE 802.11 MAC functions are implemented with a combination of dedicated datapath engines, hardwired control logic and a low-power, high-efficiency microprocessor. The combination of dedicated logic with a programmable processor provides optimal power efficiency and real-time response while providing the flexibility to accommodate evolving standards and future feature enhancements.

Dedicated datapath engines are used to implement datapath functions with heavy computational requirements. For example, an FCS engine checks the CRC of the transmitting and receiving packets and a cipher engine performs all the required encryption and decryption operations for the WEP, WPA-TKIP and WPA2 CCMP-AES.

Control functions that have real-time requirements are implemented using hardwired control logic modules. These logic modules offer real-time response while maintaining configurability via the processor. Examples of hardwired control logic modules are the channel access control module (implements EDCA/HCCA, Beacon TX control, interframe spacing, etc.), protocol timer module (responsible for the Network Access Vector, back-off timing, timing synchronization function and slot management), MPDU handling module, aggregation/de-aggregation module, block ACK controller (implements the protocol requirements for burst block communication) and TX/RX control FSMs (coordinate data movement between PHY-MAC interface, cipher engine and the DMA interface to the TX/RX FIFOs).

The MAC functions implemented solely in the software on the microprocessor have the following characteristics:

- Functions with high memory requirements or complex data structures. Examples are association table
 management and power save queuing.
- Functions with low computational load or without critical real-time requirements. Examples are authentication
 and association.
- Functions that need flexibility and upgradeability. Examples are beacon frame processing and QoS scheduling.

5.1.2 Features

The ATWINC15x0-MR210xB IEEE802.11 MAC supports the following functions:

- IEEE 802.11b/g/n
- IEEE 802.11e WMM QoS EDCA/PCF multiple access categories traffic scheduling
- Advanced IEEE 802.11n features:
 - Transmission and reception of aggregated MPDUs (A-MPDU)
 - Transmission and reception of aggregated MSDUs (A-MSDU)
 - Immediate Block Acknowledgment
 - Reduced Interframe Spacing (RIFS)
- IEEE802.11i and WFA security with key management:
 - WEP 64/128
 - WPA-TKIP
 - 128-bit WPA2 CCMP (AES)
- Advanced power management:
 - Standard 802.11 Power Save Mode
- RTS-CTS and CTS-self support
- Either STA or AP mode in the infrastructure basic service set mode

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5.2 PHY

5.2.1 Description

The ATWINC1500B WLAN PHY is designed to achieve reliable and power-efficient physical layer communication specified by IEEE 802.11 b/g/n in single stream mode with 20MHz bandwidth. Advanced algorithms have been employed to achieve maximum throughput in a real-world communication environment with impairments and interference. The PHY implements all the required functions that include FFT, filtering, FEC (Viterbi decoder), frequency, timing acquisition and tracking, channel estimation and equalization, carrier sensing, clear channel assessment and automatic gain control.

5.2.2 Features

The ATWINC1500B IEEE802.11 PHY supports the following functions:

- Single antenna 1x1 stream in 20 MHz channels
- IEEE 802.11b DSSS-CCK modulation: 1, 2, 5.5, 11 Mbps
- IEEE 802.11g OFDM modulation: 6, 9, 12,18, 24, 36, 48, 54 Mbps
- IEEE 802.11n HT modulations MCS0-7, 20 MHz, 800 and 400 ns guard interval: 6.5, 7.2, 13.0, 14.4, 19.5, 21.7, 26.0, 28.9, 39.0, 43.3, 52.0, 57.8, 58.5, 65.0, 72.2 Mbps⁽¹⁾
- IEEE 802.11n mixed mode operation
- · Per packet TX power control
- Advanced channel estimation/equalization, automatic gain control, CCA, carrier/symbol recovery and frame detection

Note:

1. Currently, short GI is not supported by firmware. The data sheet will be updated when the feature is supported.

5.3 Radio

This section describes the properties and characteristics of the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB radio device.

The performance measurements are taken at the RF pin assuming 50Ω impedance; the RF performance is ensured at a room temperature of 25°C with a derating of 2-3 dB at boundary conditions.

Measured under the following typical conditions:

- VBATT = 3.3V
- VDDIO = 3.3V
- Temperature: +25°C

Table 5-1. Features and Properties

Feature	Description
Part Number	ATWINC15x0-MR210xB
WLAN Standard	IEEE 802.11 b/g/n, Wi-Fi compliant
Host Interface	SPI
Dimension	21.7 x 14.7 x 2.1 mm
Frequency Range	2.412 GHz ~ 2.484 GHz (2.4 GHz ISM Band)
Number of Channels	11 for North America13 for Europe14 for Japan
Modulation	 802.11b: DQPSK, DBPSK, CCK 802.11g/n: OFDM/64-QAM,16-QAM, QPSK, BPSK

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Feature	Description				
Data Rate	802.11b: 1, 2, 5.5, 11 Mbps				
	802.11g: 6, 9, 12, 18, 24, 36, 48, 54 Mbps				
Data Rate (20 MHz, normal GI, 800 ns)	802.11n: 6.5, 13, 19.5, 26, 39, 52, 58.5, 65 Mbps				
Data Rate (20 MHz, short GI, 400 ns) ⁽¹⁾	802.11n: 7.2, 14.4, 21.7, 28.9, 43.3, 57.8, 65, 72.2 Mbps				
Operating temperature	-40 to +85°C				
Storage temperature	-40 to +125°C				
Humidity	Operating Humidity: 10% to 95% Non-condensingStorage Humidity: 5% to 95% Non-condensing				

Note:

1. Currently, short GI is not supported by firmware. The data sheet will be updated when the feature is supported.

6. External Interfaces

The ATWINC15x0-MR210xB external interfaces include:

- I²C for debugging
- · SPI for control and data transfer
- · UART for debugging
- General Purpose Input/Output pins(1)

Note:

 Usage of the GPIO functionality is not supported by the ATWINC15x0B firmware. The data sheet will be updated once the support for this feature is added.

6.1 Interfacing with the Host Microcontroller

This section describes interfacing the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB module with the host microcontroller. The interface is comprised of a slave SPI and additional control signals, as shown in the following figure. For more information on SPI interface specification and timing, refer to the SPI Interface. Additional control signals are connected to the GPIO/IRQ interface of the microcontroller.

Figure 6-1. Interfacing with the Host Microcontroller

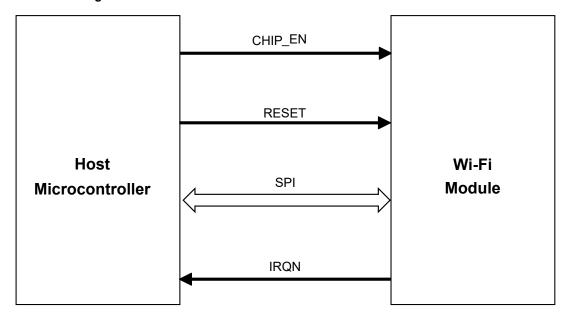


Table 6-1. Host Microcontroller Interface Pins

Pin Number	Function
4	RESET_N
13	IRQ_N
22	CHIP_EN
16	SPI_SSN
15	SPI_MOSI
17	SPI_MISO
18	SPI_SCK

External Interfaces

Related Links

6.2 SPI Slave Interface

6.2 SPI Slave Interface

6.2.1 Overview

The ATWINC15x0-MR210xB has a Serial Peripheral Interface (SPI) that operates as an SPI slave. The SPI interface can be used for control and for serial I/O of 802.11 data. The SPI pins are mapped as shown in the following table. The SPI is a full-duplex slave-synchronous serial interface that is available immediately following reset when pin 10 (SPI_CFG) is tied to VDDIO.

Table 6-2. SPI Interface Pin Mapping

Pin #	SPI function
10	CFG: Must be tied to VDDIO
16	SSN: Active-Low Slave Select
15	MOSI (RXD): Serial Data Receive
18	SCK: Serial Clock
17	MISO (TXD): Serial Data Transmit

When the SPI is not selected, that is, when SSN is high, the SPI interface will not interfere with data transfers between the serial-master and other serial-slave devices. When the serial slave is not selected, its transmitted data output is buffered, resulting in a high impedance drive onto the MISO line.

The SPI interface responds to a protocol that allows an external host to read or write any register in the chip as well as initiate DMA transfers.

The SPI SSN, MOSI, MISO and SCK pins of the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB have internal programmable pull-up resistors. These resistors must be programmed to be disabled; otherwise, if any of the SPI pins are driven to a low level while the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB is in the low power sleep state, the current will flow from the VDDIO supply through the pull-up resistors, increasing the current consumption of the module.

Related Links

8.1 Programmable Pull-Up Resistors

6.2.2 SPI Timing

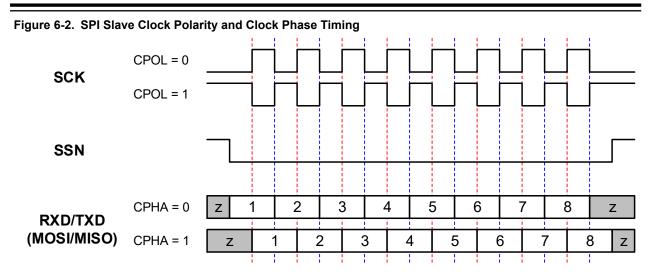
The SPI Slave interface supports four standard modes as determined by the Clock Polarity (CPOL) and Clock Phase (CPHA) settings. These modes are illustrated in the following table and figure.

Table 6-3. SPI Slave Modes

Mode	CPOL	СРНА
0	0	0
1	0	1
2	1	0
3	1	1

Note: The ATWINC15x0 firmware uses "SPI MODE 0" to communicate with the host.

The red lines in the following figure correspond to Clock Phase = 0 and the blue lines correspond to Clock Phase = 1.



6.3 UART Interface

The ATWINC15x0-MR210xB supports the Universal Asynchronous Receiver/Transmitter (UART) interface. This interface is intended for debugging purposes only. The two UART pins TXD/RXD are available on pin J14 and pin J19, respectively. The UART is compatible with the RS-232 standard.

The default configuration for accessing the UART interface of ATWINC15x0-MR210xB is mentioned below:

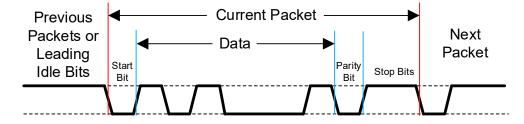
Baud rate: 460800

Data: 8 bitParity: NoneStop bit: 1 bitFlow control: None

It also has RX and TX FIFOs, which ensure reliable high-speed reception and low software overhead transmission. FIFO size is 4 x 8 for both RX and TX direction. The UART also has status registers showing the number of received characters available in the FIFO and various error conditions, as well as the ability to generate interrupts based on these status bits.

An example of the UART receiving or transmitting a single packet is shown in the following figure. This example shows 7-bit data (0x45), odd parity and two stop bits.

Figure 6-3. Example of UART RX of TX Packet



6.4 GPIO Pins

Seven General Purpose Input/Output (GPIO) pins, labeled GPIO 0 to 6, are available to allow for application specific functions. Each GPIO pin can be programmed as an input (the value of the pin can be read by the host or internal processor) or as an output (the output values can be programmed by the host or internal processor), where the default mode after power-up is input.

ATWINC15x0 External Interfaces

Note: Usage of the GPIO functionality is not supported by the WINC15x0 FW. The datasheet will be updated once the support for this feature is added.

7. Power Consumption

7.1 Description of Device States

The ATWINC15x0-MR210xB has several device states:

- ON_Transmit Device is actively transmitting an 802.11 signal. This is the highest output power and nominal current consumption.
- ON_Receive Device is actively receiving an 802.11 signal. This is the lowest sensitivity and nominal current consumption.
- ON Doze Device is ON but is neither transmitting nor receiving.
- Power_Down Device core supply off (Leakage).
- IDLE connect Device is connected with 1 DTIM beacon interval.

The following pins are used to switch between the ON and Power_Down states:

- CHIP EN Device pin (pin #22) used to enable DC/DC Converter
- VDDIO I/O supply voltage from external supply
 In the ON states, VDDIO is on and CHIP_EN is high (at VDDIO voltage level). To switch between the ON states
 and the Power_Down state, CHIP_EN has to change between high and low (GND) voltage. When VDDIO is off
 and CHIP_EN is low, the chip is powered off with no leakage (refer to Section 7.3 Restrictions for Power
 States).

7.2 Current Consumption in Various Device States

Table 7-1. Current Consumption

Davisa State	Code Rate	Output	Current Consumption ⁽¹⁾		
Device State	Code Rate	power, dBm ^(1, 2)	IVBATT	IVDDIO	
	802.11b 1 Mbps	17.5	268 mA	22 mA	
	802.11b 11 Mbps	18.5	264 mA	22 mA	
ON Transmit	802.11g 6 Mbps	17.5	269 mA	22 mA	
ON_Transmit	802.11g 54 Mbps	16.0	266 mA	22 mA	
	802.11n MCS 0	17.0	268 mA	22 mA	
	802.11n MCS 7	14.5	265 mA	22 mA	
	802.11b 1 Mbps	N/A	61 mA	22 mA	
	802.11b 11 Mbps	N/A	61 mA	22 mA	
ON Pagaiya	802.11g 6 Mbps	N/A	61 mA	22 mA	
ON_Receive	802.11g 54 Mbps	N/A	61 mA	22 mA	
	802.11n MCS 0	N/A	61 mA	22 mA	
	802.11n MCS 7	N/A	61 mA	22 mA	
ON_Doze	N/A	N/A	380 μΑ	<10 µA	
Power_Down	N/A	N/A	<0.5 µA	<3.5 µA	

Notes:

- 1. Measured conditions (Channel 6): VBATT @ 3.3V, VDDIO@ 3.3V, temp. 25°C
- 2. RF output power is approximately 1 dB lower for the ATWINC15x0 UB module.

7.3 Restrictions for Power States

When no power is supplied to the device, for example, the DC/DC Converter output and VDDIO are both off (at ground potential), a voltage cannot be applied to the device pins because each pin contains an ESD diode from the pin to supply. This diode will turn on when a voltage higher than one diode drop is supplied to the pin.

If a voltage must be applied to the signal pads while the chip is in a low-power state, the VDDIO supply must be on, so the SLEEP or Power Down state can be used.

Similarly, to prevent the pin-to-ground diode from turning on, do not apply a voltage that is more than one diode drop below the ground to any pin.

7.4 Power-up/down Sequence

The power-up/down sequence for ATWINC15x0-MR210xB is shown in the following figure. The timing parameters are shown in the following table.

Figure 7-1. Power Up/Down Sequence

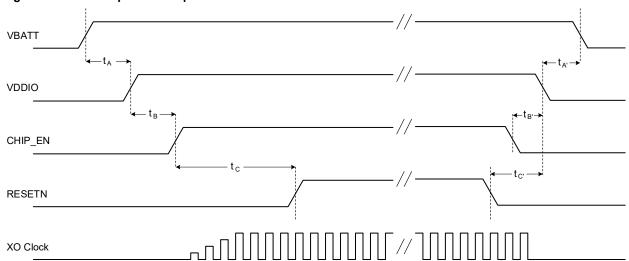


Table 7-2. Power-up/down Sequence Timing

Parameter	Min.	Max.	Units	Description	Notes
t _A	0	_	ms	VBATT rise to VDDIO rise	VBATT and VDDIO can rise simultaneously or can be tied together. VDDIO must not rise before VBATT.
t _B	0	_	ms	VDDIO rise to CHIP_EN rise	CHIP_EN must not rise before VDDIO. CHIP_EN must be driven high or low, not left floating.
t _C	5	_	ms	CHIP_EN rise to RESETN rise	This delay is needed because the XO clock must stabilize before RESETN removal. RESETN must be driven high or low, not left floating.

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Parameter	Min.	Max.	Units	Description	Notes	
t _A .	0	_	ms	VDDIO fall to VBATT fall	VBATT and VDDIO can fall simultaneously or can be tied together. VBATT must not fall before VDDIO.	
t _B ,	0	_	ms	CHIP_EN fall to VDDIO fall	VDDIO must not fall before CHIP_EN. CHIP_EN and RESETN can fall simultaneously.	
t _{C'}	0	_	ms	RESETN fall to VDDIO fall	VDDIO must not fall before RESETN. RESETN and CHIP_EN can fall simultaneously.	

7.5 Digital I/O Pin Behavior During Power-up Sequences

The following table represents digital I/O pin states corresponding to device power modes.

Table 7-3. Digital I/O Pin Behavior in Different Device States

Device state	VDDIO	CHIP_EN	RESETN	Output driver	Input driver	Pull up/down resistor (96kΩ)
Power-Down: core supply off	High	Low	Low	Disabled (Hi-Z)	Disabled	Disabled
Power-on Reset: core supply on, hard reset on	High	High	Low	Disabled (Hi-Z)	Disabled	Enabled
Power-On Default: core supply on, the device is out of reset but not programmed yet	High	High	High	Disabled (Hi-Z)	Enabled	Enabled
On Sleep/ On Transmit/ On Receive: core supply on, device programmed by firmware	High	High	High	Programmed by firmware for each pin: Enabled or Disabled	Opposite of Output Driver state	Programmed by firmware for each pin: Enabled or Disabled

7.6 Module Reset

If a module reset is performed, the RESETN pin must be pulsed low for a minimum of 1μ second.

8. Notes On Interfacing to the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB

8.1 Programmable Pull-Up Resistors

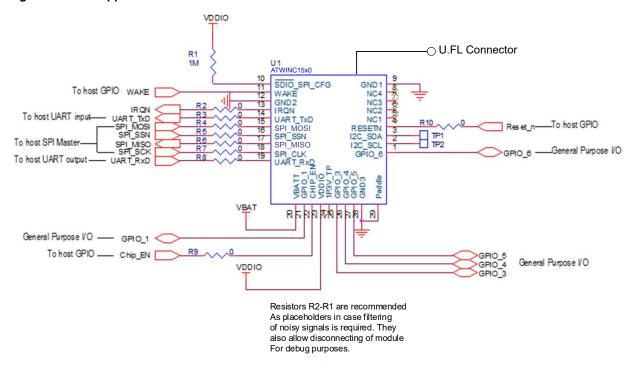
The ATWINC15x0-MR210xB provides programmable pull-up resistors on various pins. The purpose of these resistors is to keep any unused input pins from floating, which can cause excess current to flow through the input buffer from the VDDIO supply. These pull-up resistors must remain enabled on any unused module pin on the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB so the pin will not float. The default state at power-up is for the pull-up resistor to be enabled. However, any pin that is used must have the pull-up resistor disabled. This is because if any pins are driven to a low level while the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB is in the low power sleep state, current will flow from the VDDIO supply through the pull-up resistors, increasing the current consumption of the module. The current through any pull-up resistor that is being driven low will be VDDIO/100K because the value of the pull-up resistor is approximately 100 K Ω . For VDDIO = 3.3V, the current through each pull-up resistor that is driven low would be approximately 3.3V/100K = 33 μ A. Pins that are used and have had the programmable pull-up resistor disabled must always be actively driven to either a high or low level and not be allowed to float.

9. Schematic Design Information

This section provides schematic information for reference. Application schematics for SPI are provided in the following figure. Module design information, such as module schematics, can be obtained under an NDA from Microchip. These schematics are applicable to the ATWINC1500-MR210PB, ATWINC1510-MR210PB, ATWINC1500-MR210UB and ATWINC1510-MR210UB modules.

9.1 Application Schematic

Figure 9-1. SPI Application Schematic^(1, 2, 3)



Notes:

- 1. Add 10 uF and 0.01 uF decoupling capacitors very close to pin 24 (1P3V_TP) and GND.
- 2. U.FL connector feature is available only in the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB variant.
- 3. Add test points for pins 2, 3, 18 and 19.

10. Module Drawing

This section provides information about the module package outline drawings.

Figure 10-1. Module Drawing - ATWINC15x0-MR210PB (unit = mm)

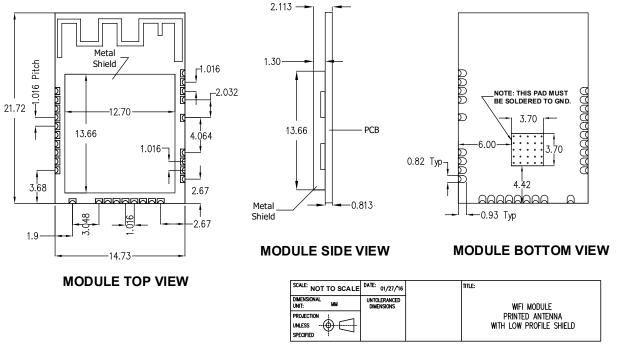
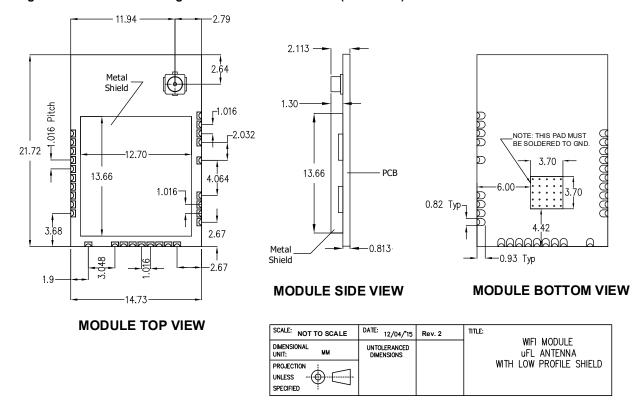


Figure 10-2. Module Drawings - ATWINC15x0-MR210UB (unit = mm)

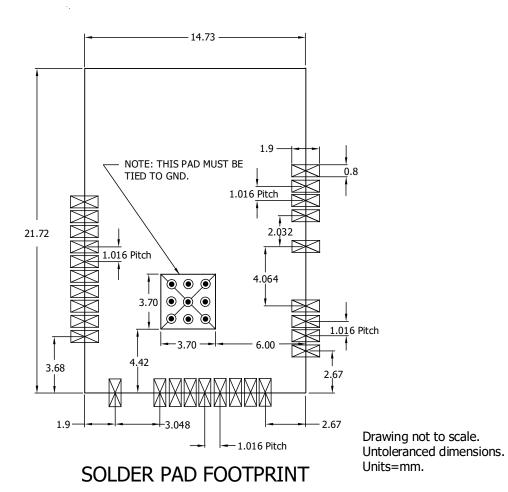


10.1 Module Footprint

This section provides the outline drawing for the recommended footprint for the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB module. It is imperative that the center Ground Pad is provided, with an array of vias to provide for a good ground and thermal transfer for the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB module.

This footprint is applicable to the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB module devices.

Figure 10-3. Module Solder Pad Footprint (unit = mm).



11. Design Considerations

This section provides the guidelines on placement and routing to achieve the best performance.

11.1 ATWINC15x0-MR210PB Placement and Routing Guidelines

- The module must be placed on the main board the printed antenna area must overlap with the carrier board. The portion of the module containing the antenna must not go outside the edge of the main board. The antenna is designed to work properly when it is sitting directly on top of a 1.5 mm thick printed circuit board. The following figure shows the best, poor and worst case module placements in the host board.
- If the module is placed at the edge of the host board, a minimum 22 mm by 5 mm area directly under the antenna must be clear of all metal on all layers of the board. "In-land" placement is acceptable; however, the depth of the keep-out area must groove to: module edge to host board edge plus 5 mm.
 - **Note:** Do not place the module in the middle of the host board or far away from the host board edge.
- · Follow the module placement, keepout and host PCB cutout recommendation as shown in the following figure.
 - Avoid routing any traces in the highlighted region on the top layer of the host board, which is directly below the module area.
 - Follow the electrical keep-out layer recommendation as shown in the following figure. There must not be
 any copper in any of the layers of the host board in this region. Avoid placing any components (like
 mechanical spacers, bumpon, etc.) in the recommended electrical keep-out area.
 - Place the GND polygon pour below the module with the recommended boundary in the top layer of the host board as shown in the following figure. There must not be any breaks in this GND plane.
 - Place sufficient GND vias in the highlighted area below the module for better RF performance.
 - It is recommended to have a 3x3 grid of GND vias solidly connecting the exposed GND paddle of the module to the inner layer ground plane. This acts as a good ground and thermal conduction for the ATWINC15x0-MR210PB module. The GND vias must have a minimum via hole size of 0.3 mm.
 - Follow the mechanical boundary of the host PCB as shown in the the following figure.
- · Keep large metal objects away from the antenna to avoid electromagnetic field blocking.
- · Do not enclose the antenna within a metal shield.
- Keep any components that may radiate noise or signals within the 2.4 GHz 2.5 GHz frequency band away from the antenna and if possible, shield those components. Any noise radiated from the host board in this frequency band will degrade the sensitivity of the module.
- Make sure the width of the traces routed to GND, VDDIO and VBAT rails are sufficiently larger for handling the peak TX current consumption.

Figure 11-1. ATWINC15x0-MR210PB Placement Reference

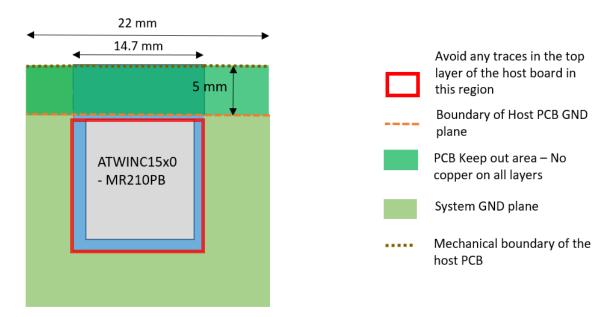
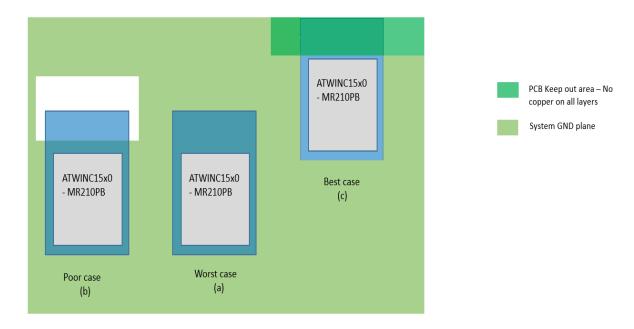


Figure 11-2. ATWINC15x0-MR210PB Placement Example



11.2 Printed PCB Antenna Performance of ATWINC15x0-MR210PB

The printed PCB antenna on the ATWINC15x0-MR210PB is a meandered Inverted F Antenna (IFA). The antenna is fed via matching network that is matched for the module installed on a 1.5 mm thick main board (FR4 substrate material). Main board thickness deviation by ± 1 mm changes RX/TX performance by ± 1 dB maximum, referring to RX/TX performance with a default antenna-matching network and installed on a 1.5 mm thick main board.

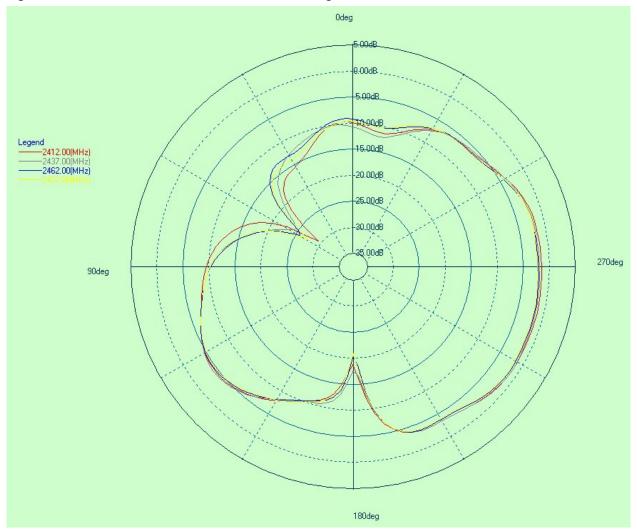
Measured peak antenna gain is -0. 3 dBi.

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Antenna Radiation Pattern

The following figures illustrate the Antenna Radiation Patterns.

Figure 11-3. Antenna Radiation Pattern when Phi = 0 Degree



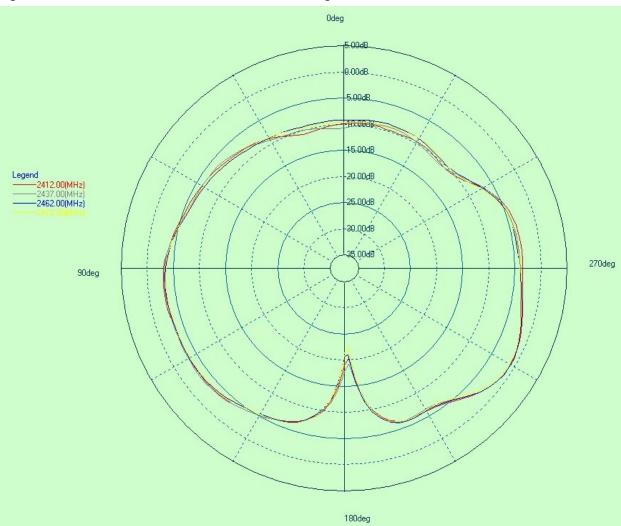


Figure 11-4. Antenna Radiation Pattern when Phi = 90 Degree

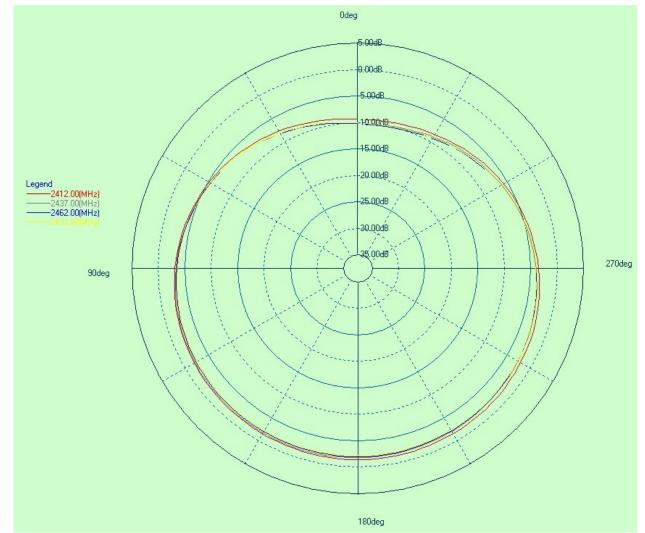


Figure 11-5. Antenna Radiation Pattern when Theta = 90 Degree

11.3 ATWINC15x0-MR210UB Placement and Routing Guidelines

The ATWINC15x0-MR210UB module has an Ultra Small Miniature RF Connector (U.FL) for the external antenna.

The choice of antenna is limited to the antenna types that the module was tested and approved for. For a list of tested and approved antennas that may be used with the module in their respective country, refer to the respective country in **Section 12**. **Regulatory Approval**.

It is critical to follow the recommendations listed below to achieve the best RF performance:

- 1. Avoid routing any traces on the top layer of the host board that is directly below the module area.
- 2. Place the GND polygon pour below the complete module area. There must not be any breaks in this GND plane.
- Place sufficient GND vias in the GND polygon pour below the module area for better RF performance.
- 4. It is recommended to have a 3x3 grid of GND vias solidly connecting the exposed GND paddle of the module to the inner layer ground plane of the host board. This will act as a good ground and thermal conduction path for the ATWINC15x0-MR210UB module. The GND vias must have a minimum via hole size of 0.3 mm.
- 5. Keep large metal objects away from the external antenna to avoid electromagnetic field blocking.
- 6. Do not enclose the external antenna within a metal shield.

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- 7. Keep any components that may radiate noise or signals within the 2.4 GHz 2.5 GHz frequency band away from the external antenna and if possible, shield those components. Any noise radiated from the host board in this frequency band will degrade the sensitivity of the module.
- Make sure the width of the traces routed to GND, VDDIO and VBAT rails are sufficiently larger for handling the peak TX current consumption.

11.4 Recommended External Antenna for ATWINC15x0-MR210UB

The ATWINC15x0-MR210UB module is approved to use with the antennas listed in the following table. It is permissible to use different antenna, provided the same antenna type, antenna gain (equal or less than) and similar in-band and out-of-band characteristics are present (refer to the specification sheet for cutoff frequencies). If other antenna types are used, the OEM installer must conduct the necessary assessments and authorize the antenna with respective regulatory agencies and ensure compliance. Please refer to the corresponding regulatory approval sections under Section 12. Regulatory Approval for further guidance.

Table 11-1. ATWINC15x0-MR210UB Approved External Antenna Table with Antenna Gain^(1, 2, 3)

List Item	Part Number	Manufacturer	Antenna Gain	Antenna type	ATWINC15x0-MR210UB	
			at 2.4 GHz band		FCC/ISED	CE
1	RFA-02-P33	Aristotle	2	РСВ	Х	X
2	RFA-02-D3	Aristotle	2	Dipole	X	X
3	RFA-02-G03	Aristotle	2	Metal Stamp	X	X
4	RFA-02-L2H1	Aristotle	2	Dipole	X	X
5	RFA-02-P05	Aristotle	2	РСВ	X	X
6	RFA-02-C2M2	Aristotle	2	Dipole	X	X
7	86254	Delock	2	PCB	_	X
8	W3525B039	Pulse Electronics	2	РСВ	X	X
9	RFDPA870920 IMLB301	WALSIN	1.84	Dipole	Х	Х
10	RN-SMA-S	Microchip	0.56	Dipole	X	X
11	RN-SMA-4	Microchip	2.2	Dipole	X	X

Notes:

- 1. X = Antennas covered under the certification
- If the end product using the Module is designed to have an antenna port that is accessible to the end user, RP (Reverse Polarity)-SMA socket must be used.
- 3. If an RF coaxial cable is used between the module RF output and the enclosure, then an RP-SMA connector must be used in the enclosure wall for interface with the antenna.
- Contact the antenna vendor for detailed antenna specifications to review suitability to end-product operating environment and to identify alternatives.

11.4.1 Antenna Placement Recommendations for ATWINC15x0-MR210UB

The following recommendations must be applied for the placement of the antenna and its cable:

 The antenna cable must not be routed over circuits generating electrical noise on the host board or alongside or underneath the module. It is preferred that the cable be routed straight out of the module.

- The antenna must not be placed in direct contact or in close proximity of the plastic casing/objects.
- Do not enclose the antenna within a metal shield.
- Keep any components which may radiate noise, signals or harmonics within the 2.4 GHz to 2.5 GHz frequency band away from the antenna and, if possible, shield those components. Any noise radiated from the host board in this frequency band degrades the sensitivity of the module.
- The antenna should preferably be placed at a distance greater than 5 cm away from the module. The following
 figure shows the antenna keep-out area indication; where the antenna must not be placed in this area. This
 recommendation is based on an open-air measurement and does not take into account any metal shielding of
 the customer end product. When a metal enclosure is used, the antenna can be located closer to the
 ATWINC15x0-MR210UB module.

The drawing below provides an indication of how the antenna cable should be routed depending on the location of the antenna with respect to the ATWINC15x0-MR210UB PCB. There are two possible options for the optimum routing of the cable.

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Figure 11-6. ATWINC15x0-MR210UB Antenna Placement Guidelines

Note: These are generic guidelines and it is recommended that customers check and fine-tune the antenna positioning in the final host product based on RF performance.

11.5 Module Assembly Considerations

The ATWINC15x0-MR210xB modules are assembled with an EMI Shield to ensure compliance with EMI emission and immunity rules. The EMI shield is made of a tin-plated steel (SPTE) and is not hermetically sealed. Solutions like IPA and similar solvents can be used to clean the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB module. However, cleaning solutions that contain acid must never be used on the module.

11.6 Conformal Coating

The modules are not intended for use with a conformal coating and the customer assumes all risks (such as the module reliability, performance degradation and so on) if a conformal coating is applied to the modules.

11.7 Reflow Profile Information

For information on the reflow process guidelines, refer to the "Solder Reflow Recommendation" Application Note (www.microchip.com/DS00233).

12. Regulatory Approval

The ATWINC15x0-MR210xB module has received regulatory approval from the following countries:

- ATWINC1500-MR210PB
 - United States/FCC ID: 2ADHKATWINC1500
 - Canada
 - IC ID: 20266-WINC1500PB
 HVIN: ATWINC1500-MR210PB
 PMN: ATWINC1500-MR210PB
 - Europe: CE
 - Japan/MIC: 005-101762
 - Korea/KCC: R-CRM-mcp-WINC1510MR210P
 - Taiwan/NCC: CCAN18LP0321T2China/SRRC: CMIIT ID: 2018DJ1305
 - ANATEL: 08497-18-08759
- ATWINC1510-MR210PB
 - United States/FCC ID: 2ADHKATWINC1510
 - Canada
 - IC ID: 20266-ATWINC1510
 - HVIN: ATWINC1510-MR210PB
 PMN: ATWINC1510-MR210PB
 - Europe: CE
 - Japan/MIC: 005-101762
 - Korea/KCC: R-CRM-mcp-WINC1510MR210P
 - Taiwan/NCC: CCAN18LP0320T0China/SRRC: CMIIT ID: 2018DJ1310
 - ANATEL: 08497-18-08759
- ATWINC1500-MR210UB
 - United States/FCC ID: 2ADHKATWINC1500U
 - Canada
 - IC ID: 20266-WINC1500UB
 - HVIN: ATWINC1500-MR210UB
 - PMN: ATWINC1500-MR210UB
 - Europe: CE
 - ANATEL: 08497-18-08759
- ATWINC1510-MR210UB
 - United States/FCC ID: 2ADHKATWINC1500U
 - Canada
 - IC: 20266-WINC1500UB
 - HVIN: ATWINC1510-MR210UB
 - PMN: ATWINC1510-MR210UB
 - Europe: CE
 - ANATEL: 08497-18-08759

Gain Table for Individual Regulatory Region

The default firmware uses a common gain table that meets IEEE 802.11 specifications, and regulatory regions (ATWINC15x0-MR210PB - United States/FCC, Canada/ISED, Europe/CE, Japan/MIC, Korea/KCC, Taiwan/NCC and China/SRRC; ATWINC15x0-MR210UB - United States/FCC, Canada/ISED and Europe/CE). In some cases, the output power is limited by the regulatory region with the most stringent transmit power limits. If the end product's

destination is known, the region-specific gain table can optionally be embedded into the firmware to optimize performance.

The application gain table for individual regulatory region is available on ATWINC15x0-MR210PB and ATWINC15x0-MR210UB product page. Customers can update the gain table in firmware by following the instructions in section 6. Updating Application Gain Table into ATWINC15x0 of ATWINC15x0 – Deriving Application Gain Table Application Note.

Note: The users in Brazil must ensure that application gain table for Brazil is embedded into the firmware. The application gain table for Brazil/ANATEL is available on ATWINC15x0-MR210PB product page.

12.1 United States

The ATWINC1500-MR210PB, ATWINC1510-MR210PB, ATWINC1500-MR210UB and ATWINC1510-MR210UB modules have received Federal Communications Commission (FCC) CFR47 Telecommunications, Part 15 Subpart C "Intentional Radiators" single-modular approval in accordance with Part 15.212 Modular Transmitter approval. Single-modular transmitter approval is defined as a complete RF transmission sub-assembly, designed to be incorporated into another device, that must demonstrate compliance with FCC rules and policies independent of any host. A transmitter with a modular grant can be installed in different end-use products (referred to as a host, host product or host device) by the grantee or other equipment manufacturer, then the host product may not require additional testing or equipment authorization for the transmitter function provided by that specific module or limited module device.

The user must comply with all of the instructions provided by the Grantee, which include the installation and/or operating conditions necessary for compliance.

A host product itself is required to comply with all of the other applicable FCC equipment authorization regulations, requirements and equipment functions that are not associated with the transmitter module portion. For example, compliance must be demonstrated: to regulations for other transmitter components within a host product; to requirements for unintentional radiators (Part 15 Subpart B), such as digital devices, computer peripherals, radio receivers, etc.; and to additional authorization requirements for the non-transmitter functions on the transmitter module (i.e., Suppliers Declaration of Conformity (SDoC) or certification) as appropriate (e.g., Bluetooth and Wi-Fi transmitter modules may also contain digital logic functions).

12.1.1 Labeling And User Information Requirements

The ATWINC1500-MR210PB, ATWINC1510-MR210PB, ATWINC1500-MR210UB and ATWINC1510-MR210UB modules have been labeled with their own FCC ID numbers, and if the FCC ID is not visible when the module is installed inside another device, the outside of the finished product that the module is installed in must display a label referring to the enclosed module. This exterior label must use the following wording:

For the ATWINC1500-MR210PB:

Contains Transmitter Module FCC ID: 2ADHKATWINC1500

or

Contains FCC ID: 2ADHKATWINC1500

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.

For the ATWINC1510-MR210PB:

Contains Transmitter Module FCC ID: 2ADHKATWINC1510

or

Contains FCC ID: 2ADHKATWINC1510

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.

For the ATWINC1500-MR210UB:

Contains Transmitter Module FCC ID: 2ADHKATWINC1500U

or

Contains FCC ID: 2ADHKATWINC1500U

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.

For the ATWINC1510-MR210UB:

Contains Transmitter Module FCC ID: 2ADHKATWINC1500U

or

Contains FCC ID: 2ADHKATWINC1500U

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.

The user's manual for the finished product must include the following 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 or more 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

Additional information on labeling and user information requirements for Part 15 devices can be found in KDB Publication 784748, which is available at the FCC Office of Engineering and Technology (OET) Laboratory Division Knowledge Database (KDB) apps.fcc.gov/oetcf/kdb/index.cfm.

12.1.2 RF Exposure

All transmitters regulated by FCC must comply with RF exposure requirements. KDB 447498 General RF Exposure Guidance provides guidance in determining whether proposed or existing transmitting facilities, operations or devices comply with limits for human exposure to Radio Frequency (RF) fields adopted by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC).

From the FCC Grant: Output power listed is conducted. This transmitter is restricted for use with the specific antenna(s) tested in this application for Certification.

In the end product, the antenna(s) used with this transmitter must be installed to provide a separation distance of at least 6.5 cm from all persons and must not be co-located or operation in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter. User and installers must be provided with antenna installation instructions and transmitter operating conditions for satisfying the RF exposure compliance.

12.1.3 Approved Antenna Types

To maintain modular approval in the United States, only the antenna types that have been tested shall be used. It is permissible to use different antenna provided the same antenna type and antenna gain (equal to or less than) is used. An antenna type comprises antennas having similar in-band and out-of-band radiation patterns.

For the ATWINC15x0-MR210PB, the approval is received using the integral PCB antenna.

For the ATWINC15x0-MR210UB, approved antennas are listed in the 11.4 Recommended External Antenna for ATWINC15x0-MR210UB.

12.1.4 Helpful Web Sites

Federal Communications Commission (FCC): www.fcc.gov

FCC Office of Engineering and Technology (OET) Laboratory Division Knowledge Database (KDB):

apps.fcc.gov/oetcf/kdb/index.cfm

12.2 Canada

The ATWINC1500-MR210PB, ATWINC1510-MR210PB, ATWINC1500-MR210UB and ATWINC1510-MR210UB modules have been certified for use in Canada under Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada (ISED, formerly Industry Canada) Radio Standards Procedure (RSP) RSP-100, Radio Standards Specification (RSS) RSS-Gen and RSS-247. Modular approval permits the installation of a module in a host device without the need to recertify the device.

12.2.1 Labeling and User Information Requirements

Labeling Requirements (from RSP-100 - Issue 11, Section 3): The host product shall be properly labeled to identify the module within the host device.

The Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada certification label of a module shall be clearly visible at all times when installed in the host device; otherwise, the host product must be labeled to display the Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada certification number of the module, preceded by the word "Contains" or similar wording expressing the same meaning, as follows:

For the ATWINC1500-MR210PB:

Contains IC: 20266-WINC1500PB

For the ATWINC1510-MR210PB:

Contains IC: 20266-ATWINC1510

For the ATWINC1500-MR210UB module:

Contains IC: 20266-WINC1500UB

For the ATWINC1510-MR210UB module:

Contains IC: 20266-WINC1500UB

User Manual Notice for License-Exempt Radio Apparatus (from Section 8.4 RSS-Gen, Issue 4, November 2014): User manuals for license-exempt radio apparatus shall contain the following or equivalent notice in a conspicuous location in the user manual or alternatively on the device or both:

This device complies with Industry Canada's license exempt RSS standard(s). 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.

Le présent appareil est conforme aux CNR d'Industrie Canada applicables aux appareils radio exempts de licence. L'exploitation est autorisée aux deux conditions suivantes:

- (1) l'appareil ne doit pas produire de brouillage, et
- (2) l'utilisateur de l'appareil doit accepter tout brouillage radioélectrique subi, même si le brouillage est susceptible d'en compromettre le fonctionnement.

Guidelines on Transmitter Antenna for License Exempt Radio Apparatus:

Under Industry Canada regulations, this radio transmitter may only operate using an antenna of a type and maximum (or lesser) gain approved for the transmitter by Industry Canada. To reduce potential radio interference to other users, the antenna type and its gain should be so chosen that the equivalent isotropically radiated power (e.i.r.p.) is not more than that necessary for successful communication.

Conformément à la réglementation d'Industrie Canada, le présent émetteur radio peut fonctionner avec une antenne d'un type et d'un gain maximal (ou inférieur) approuvé pour l'émetteur par Industrie Canada. Dans le but de réduire les risques de brouillage radioélectrique à l'intention des autres utilisateurs, il faut choisir le type d'antenne et son gain de sorte que la puissance isotrope rayonnée équivalente (p.i.r.e.) ne dépasse pas l'intensité nécessaire à l'établisse-ment d'une communication satisfaisante.

Immediately following the above notice, the manufacturer shall provide a list of all antenna types approved for use with the transmitter, indicating the maximum permissible antenna gain (in dBi) and required impedance for each.

12.2.2 Transmitter Antenna (From Section 8.3 RSS-GEN, Issue 4, November 2014)

User manuals for transmitters equipped with detachable antennas shall also contain the following notice in a conspicuous location:

This radio transmitter (identify the device by certification number, or model number if Category II) has been approved by Industry Canada to operate with the antenna types listed below with the maximum permissible gain and required antenna impedance for each antenna type 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.

Le présent émetteur radio (identifier le dispositif par son numéro de certification) a été approuvé par Industrie Canada pour fonctionner avec les types d'antenne énumérés ci-dessous et ayant un gain admissible maximal. Les types d'antenne non inclus dans cette liste, et dont le gain est supérieur au gain maximal indiqué, sont strictement interdits pour l'exploitation de l'émetteur.

12.2.3 RF Exposure

All transmitters regulated by Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada (ISED) must comply with RF exposure requirements listed in RSS-102 - Radio Frequency (RF) Exposure Compliance of Radiocommunication Apparatus (All Frequency Bands).

This transmitter is restricted for use with a specific antenna tested in this application for certification, and must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitters within a host device, except in accordance with Canada multi-transmitter product procedures.

The installation of the transmitter must ensure that the antenna has a separation distance of at least 6.5 cm from all persons or compliance must be demonstrated according to the ISED SAR procedures.

12.2.4 Approved Antenna Types

For the ATWINC15x0-MR210PB, the approval is received using the integral PCB antenna.

For the ATWINC15x0-MR210UB, approved antennas are listed in the 11.4 Recommended External Antenna for ATWINC15x0-MR210UB.

12.2.5 Helpful Web Sites

Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada (ISED): www.ic.gc.ca/

12.3 Europe

The ATWINC15x0-MR210xB module is a Radio Equipment Directive (RED) assessed radio module that is CE marked and has been manufactured and tested with the intention of being integrated into a final product.

The ATWINC15x0-MR210xB modules have been tested to RED 2014/53/EU Essential Requirements mentioned in the following table.

Table 12-1. European Compliance

Certification	Standards	Article
Safety	EN60950	3.1(a)
Health	EN300328/EN62311	3.1(a)
EMC	EN301489-1	2 1/h)
EIVIC	EN301489-17	3.1(b)
Radio	EN300328	3.2

The ETSI provides guidance on modular devices in the "Guide to the application of harmonised standards covering articles 3.1b and 3.2 of the RED 2014/53/EU (RED) to multi-radio and combined radio and non-radio equipment" document available at http://www.etsi.org/deliver/etsi_eg/203300_203399/20 3367/01.01.01_60/eg_203367v010101p.pdf.

Note: To maintain conformance to the standards listed in the preceding European Compliance table, the module must be installed in accordance with the installation instructions in this data sheet and must not be modified. When integrating a radio module into a completed product, the integrator becomes the manufacturer of the final product and is therefore responsible for demonstrating compliance of the final product with the essential requirements against the RED.

12.3.1 Labeling and User Information Requirements

The label on the final product that contains the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB module must follow CE marking requirements.

12.3.2 Conformity Assessment

From ETSI Guidance Note EG 203367, section 6.1, when non-radio products are combined with a radio product:

If the manufacturer of the combined equipment installs the radio product in a host non-radio product in equivalent assessment conditions (i.e., host equivalent to the one used for the assessment of the radio product) and according to the installation instructions for the radio product, then no additional assessment of the combined equipment against article 3.2 of the RED is required.

12.3.2.1 Simplified EU Declaration of Conformity

Hereby, Microchip Technology Inc. declares that the radio equipment type ATWINC15x0-MR210xB is in compliance with Directive 2014/53/EU.

The full text of the EU declaration of conformity for this product is available at www.microchip.com/ATWINC1500 (available under Documents > Certifications).

12.3.3 Approved Antenna Types

For the ATWINC15x0-MR210PB, the approval is received using the integral PCB antenna.

For the ATWINC15x0-MR210UB, approved antennas are listed in the 11.4 Recommended External Antenna for ATWINC15x0-MR210UB.

12.3.4 Helpful Websites

A document that can be used as a starting point in understanding the use of Short Range Devices (SRD) in Europe is the European Radio Communications Committee (ERC) Recommendation 70-03 E, which can be downloaded from the European Communications Committee (ECC) at: http://www.ecodocdb.dk/.

Additional helpful web sites are:

- Radio Equipment Directive (2014/53/EU): https://ec.europa.eu/growth/single-market/european-standards/harmonised-standards/red_en
- European Conference of Postal and Telecommunications Administrations (CEPT): http://www.cept.org
- European Telecommunications Standards Institute (ETSI):

http://www.etsi.org

 The Radio Equipment Directive Compliance Association (REDCA): http://www.redca.eu/

12.4 Japan

The ATWINC15x0-MR210PB module has received type certification and is labeled with its own technical conformity mark and certification number as required to conform to the technical standards regulated by the Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications (MIC) of Japan pursuant to the Radio Act of Japan.

Integration of this module into a final product does not require additional radio certification provided installation instructions are followed and no modifications of the module are allowed. Additional testing may be required:

- If the host product is subject to electrical appliance safety (for example, powered from an AC mains), the host product may require Product Safety Electrical Appliance and Material (PSE) testing. The integrator can contact their conformance laboratory to determine if this testing is required.
- There is a voluntary Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC) test for the host product administered by VCCI: www.vcci.jp/vcci_e/index.html.

12.4.1 Labeling and User Information Requirements

The label on the final product containing the ATWINC15x0-MR210PB module must follow Japan's marking requirements. The integrator of the module must refer to the labeling requirements for Japan available at the Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications (MIC) website.

For the ATWINC15x0-MR210PB module, due to a limited module size, the technical conformity logo and ID is displayed in the data sheet and/or packaging and cannot be displayed on the module label. The final product containing this module must have a label referring to the type of certified module inside:



12.4.2 Helpful Web Sites

Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications (MIC): www.tele.soumu.go.jp/e/index.htm

Association of Radio Industries and Businesses (ARIB): www.arib.or.jp/english/

12.5 Korea

The ATWINC15x0-MR210PB module has received certification of conformity in accordance with the Radio Waves Act. Integration of this module into a final product does not require additional radio certification provided installation instructions are followed and no modifications of the module are allowed.

12.5.1 Labeling and User Information Requirements

The label on the final product containing the ATWINC15x0-MR210PB module must follow KC marking requirements. The integrator of the module must refer to the labeling requirements for Korea available on the Korea Communications Commission (KCC) website.

For the ATWINC15x0-MR210PB module, due to a limited module size, the KC mark and ID are displayed in the data sheet and/or packaging and cannot be displayed on the module label. The final product requires the KC mark and certificate number of the module:



12.5.2 Helpful Websites

Korea Communications Commission (KCC): www.kcc.go.kr

National Radio Research Agency (RRA): rra.go.kr

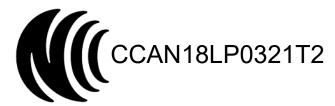
12.6 Taiwan

The ATWINC1500-MR210PB and ATWINC1510-MR210PB modules have received compliance approval in accordance with the Telecommunications Act. Customers seeking to use the compliance approval in their product must contact Microchip Technology Inc. sales or distribution partners to obtain a Letter of Authority.

Integration of these modules into a final product does not require additional radio certification provided installation instructions are followed and no modifications of the modules are allowed.

12.6.1 Labeling and User Information Requirements

For the ATWINC1500-MR210PB module, due to the limited module size, the NCC mark and ID are displayed in the data sheet only and cannot be displayed on the module label:



For the ATWINC1510-MR210PB module, due to the limited module size, the NCC mark and ID are displayed in the data sheet only and cannot be displayed on the module label:



The user's manual must contain the following warning (for RF device) in traditional Chinese:

注意!

依據 低功率電波輻射性電機管理辦法

第十二條 經型式認證合格之低功率射頻電機, 非經許 可,

公司、商號或使用者均不得擅自變更頻率、加大功率或 變更原設計之特性及功能。

第十四條 低功率射頻電機之使用不得影響飛航安全及 干擾合法通信;

經發現有干擾現象時,應立即停用,並改善至無干擾時 方得繼續使用。

前項合法通信,指依電信規定作業之無線電信。

低功率射頻電機須忍受合法通信或工業、科學及醫療用 電波輻射性

電機設備之干擾。

12.6.2 Helpful Web Sites

National Communications Commission (NCC): www.ncc.gov.tw

12.7 China

The ATWINC1500-MR210PB and ATWINC1510-MR210PB modules have received certification of conformity in accordance with the China MIIT Notice 2014-01 of State Radio Regulation Committee (SRRC) certification scheme. Integration of these modules into a final product does not require additional radio certification, provided installation instructions are followed and no modifications of the modules are allowed. Refer to SRRC certificate available in ATWINC15x0-MR210PB product page for expiry date.

12.7.1 Labeling and User Information Requirements

The ATWINC1500-MR210PB module is labeled with its own CMIIT ID as follows:

CMIIT ID: 2018DJ1305

When the host system is using an approved Full Modular Approval (FMA) radio: The host must bear a label containing the statement "This device contains SRRC approved Radio module CMIIT ID: 2018DJ1305".

The ATWINC1510-MR210PB module is labeled with its own CMIIT ID as follows:

CMIIT ID: 2018DJ1310

When the host system is using an approved Full Modular Approval (FMA) radio: The host must bear a label containing the statement "This device contains SRRC approved Radio module CMIIT ID: 2018DJ1310".

12.8 Brazil

The ATWINC1500-MR210PB, ATWINC1510-MR210PB, ATWINC1500-MR210UB and ATWINC1510-MR210UB modules have received compliance approval in accordance with the Telecommunications Act of the Federal Republic of Brazil National Telecommunications Agency (ANATEL). Refer to CoC available in ATWINC15x0-MR210PB product webpage for expiry date. Customers seeking to use the compliance approval in their product must contact Microchip Technology Inc. sales or distribution partners to obtain a Letter of Authority.

Modelo: ATWINC1500-MR210PB



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Este equipamento opera em caráter secundário, isto é, não tem direito a proteção contra interferência prejudicial, mesmo de estações do mesmo tipo, e não pode causar interferência a sistemas operando em caráter primário

The End product (host) manual must include the following statement:

Este product contém a placa Modelo ATWINC1500-MR210PB código de homologação ANATEL 08497-18-08759.

Modelo: ATWINC1510-MR210PB



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Este equipamento opera em caráter secundário, isto é, não tem direito a proteção contra interferência prejudicial, mesmo de estações do mesmo tipo, e não pode causar interferência a sistemas operando em caráter primário

The End product (host) manual must include the following statement:

Este product contém a placa Modelo ATWINC1510-MR210PB código de homologação ANATEL 08497-18-08759.

Modelo: ATWINC1500-MR210UB



08497-18-08759

Este equipamento opera em caráter secundário, isto é, não tem direito a proteção contra interferência prejudicial, mesmo de estações do mesmo tipo, e não pode causar interferência a sistemas operando em caráter primário

The End product (host) manual must include the following statement:

Este product contém a placa Modelo ATWINC1500-MR210UB código de homologação ANATEL 08497-18-08759.

Modelo: ATWINC1510-MR210UB



08497-18-08759

Este equipamento opera em caráter secundário, isto é, não tem direito a proteção contra interferência prejudicial, mesmo de estações do mesmo tipo, e não pode causar interferência a sistemas operando em caráter primário

The End product (host) manual must include the following statement:

Este product contém a placa Modelo ATWINC1510-MR210UB código de homologação ANATEL 08497-18-08759.

12.9 Other Regulatory Information

For information about other countries' jurisdictions not covered here, refer to the specific product listed in the www.microchip.com/ATWINC1500 (available under *Documents > Certifications*).

ATWINC15x0 Regulatory Approval

 If the customer needs another regulatory jurisdiction certification or to recertify the module for other reasons, contact Microchip for the required utilities and documentation.

13. Reference Documentation and Support

13.1 Reference Documentation

The following table provides the set of collateral documents to ease integration and device ramp.

Table 13-1. Reference Documents

Title	Content	
ATWINC15x0B-MU SoC Data Sheet	Data sheet for the ATWINC15x0 SmartConnect Wi-Fi component. For more details, contact a Microchip sales representative.	
Platform Getting Started Guide	Details on how to evaluate the WINC15X0 Network Controller Module.	
Flash Memory Download Procedure	Details the download procedures of firmware, root certificate, gain table values, etc.	
ATWINC1500 Wi-Fi Network Controller Software Design Guide	Integration guide with a clear description of High-level Arch, an overview on how to write a networking application, list all APIs, parameters and structures. Features of the device, SPI/handshake protocol between device and host MCU, with flow/sequence/state diagram and timing.	
Software Programming Guide (ATWINC15x0)	Details the flow chart and how to use each API to implement all generic use cases (for example, start AP, start STA, provisioning, UDP, TCP, HTTP, TLS, p2p, errors management, connection/transfer recovery mechanism/state diagram) – usage and sample application note.	
ATWINC15x0B/ATWINC15x0 – MR210xB Errata	This document provides details on the anomalies identified in the ATWINC15x0 family of devices.	
ATWINC15x0 – Deriving Application Gain Table Application Note	This application note describes the Wi-Fi gain table structure and procedure to derive the application gain table. This document contains further details on the steps to update the device with the gain table.	
MCHPRT2 User guide	This document provides detailed information about the MCHPRT2 tool, which allows the user to easily configure, evaluate and test an RF system.	

Note: A Design Files Package is available under NDA. For more details, contact a Microchip sales representative.

For a complete list of development-support tools and documentation, visit www.microchip.com or refer to the customer support section on options to locate the nearest Microchip field representative.

14. Document Revision History

Note: The data sheet revision is independent of the die revision (Revision bit in the Device Identification register of the Device Service Unit, DSU.DID.REVISION) and the device variant (last letter of the ordering number).

Revision	Date	Section	Changes
D 10/20	10/2020	11.1 ATWINC15x0-MR210PB Placement and Routing Guidelines	Updated • Figure 11-1 • Figure 11-2
		4.3 Nonvolatile Memory (eFuse)	Updated
		6.1 Interfacing with the Host Microcontroller	Updated • Figure 6-1 • Table 6-1
		9.1 Application Schematic	Updated Figure 9-1
		11.3 ATWINC15x0-MR210UB Placement and Routing Guidelines	Updated
		13.1 Reference Documentation	Updated Table 13-1
		2.1 Block Diagram	Updated Figure 2-1
		2.2 Pin Description	Updated Figure 2-2
		5. WLAN Subsystem	Added footnotes for Short GI feature
		3.5 Transmitter Performance	Updated Table 3-6Added notes
		6. External Interfaces	 Added lead sentence Updated the list Updated Figure 6-1 Updated Table 6-1
		6.4 GPIO Pins	Added Notes
		7.2 Current Consumption in Various Device States	Updated Table 7-1
		11.4 Recommended External Antenna for ATWINC15x0- MR210UB	Added
		12. Regulatory Approval	 Added Gain Table for Individual Regulatory Region section Updated 12.1 United States, 12.2 Canada and 12.3 Europe with the details of antennas used for approval Revamped 12.3 Europe section Added expiry date information in 12.7 China Added regulatory note for Brazil (ANATEL) in 12.8 Brazil
		13.1 Reference Documentation	Updated Table 13-1

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Revision	Date	Section Changes	
С	09/2018	Features	Added Enterprise security feature and related note.
		Ordering Information and Module Marking	Updated Table 1-1.
		Pin Description	Updated Table 2-1.
		SPI Timing	Added note for Table 6-3.
		Schematic Design Information	Editorial updates.
		Module Assembly Considerations	Editorial updates.
		Reflow Profile Information	Removed Solder Paste.Removed Stencil Design.Editorial updates.
		Regulatory Approvals	Updated the content of certifications to include the details of ATWINC1510-MR210UB module.
В	12/2017	Introduction	Editorial updates.
		Features	Editorial updates.
		Regulatory Approvals	Revised the content of certifications.
		Reference Documents	Updated Table 15-1.
A	02/2017	Document	 Change of document style. Change the name to incorporate all the ATWINC15x0-MR210xB module family. New Microchip document number. Previous version was Atmel document 42502 rev. B.
		Product Description	 Added description information indicating that the document content is relevant to all WINC1500 Module models unless noted. Changed SSL references to TLS. Removed WAPI security. Removed UART as host interface. Editorial updates.
		Product Features	 Removed WAPI security. Removed UART and I²C as host interfaces. Removed Bluetooth coexistance interface. Replaced SSL with TLS. Added 26 MHz crystal. Removed: (4KB flash – less than 1KB RAM).
		Order Information and Module Marking	Revised Ordering table.Revised Marking information. Figure.

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		Block Diagram	Revised Block Diagram figure.	
		Pin Description	Revised Pin Description drawing.Editorial updates.	
		Electrical Specifications	 Revised VDDIO maximum voltage in table 4.1 and added max temperatures. Revised table 4-2 to include Recommended operating temperature. 	
		CPU and Memory Subsystems	Editorial update.	
		WLAN Subsystem RADIO	 Added text regarding performance derating at cold temperature. Features table revisions and changes: Corrected the package height Revised Storage temperature Added performance test conditions to the performance tables. Revised the Receive performance in table 6-2. Revised the 802.11b mode Transmit performance numbers in table 6-3. Revised Transmit performance Footnotes. Changed max frequency to 2.472GHz. Editorial updates. 	
		External Interfaces	 Revised SPI timing information in table 7-3. Removed Bluetooth Coexistance section. Removed SDIO. Editorial updates. 	
		Power Consumption	 Added Module Reset section for reset duration. Editorial updates. 	
		11.1 ATWINC15x0-MR210PB Placement and Routing Guidelines	 Added text for antenna types used in test and an associated table. Revised Co-Ax connector type. 	
		Schematic Design Information	Removed SDIO schematic.Editorial updates.	
		Module Drawings	Updated module drawing figures and figure titles.Added section with footprint drawing.	
		Design Considerations	 Added sections for Module design and assembly considerations, and module PCB placement. 	

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Revision	Date	Section	Changes	
		Reflow Profile Information	Revised reflow profile picture to be clearer.Editorial updates.	
		Certification Notices	Added section for Agency Certification notices (now under Regulatory Approvals with Rev. B).	
		Agency Regulatory Approvals	Added back Agency Approval section.Revised content of certifications.	
		Reference Documents	Moved Design File Package to a separate paragraph below the table to remove web availability aspect and to contact sales.	

(Atmel) Rev B - 02/2016

Document	Updated copyright date to 2016.Updated footers.
Module Outline Drawing	 Revised Module outline drawings to show Ground pad to be soldered. Pulled out Footprint drawing as this is covered in the Module drawing.
WLAN Subsystem Radio	Revised Transmit Performance Table 6-3.
Power Consumption	Revised current table references in Table 8-1.
Schematic Design Information	Updated Schematics Section 11 text and figures Figure 11-1 and Figure 11-2.
Reflow Profile Information	Revised section 12 Reflow Profile Information.
Reference Documents	Updated Document Reference table to include the ATWINC1500-MU datasheet.

(Atmel) Rev A - 07/2015

Document	Updated due to changes in the ATWINC1500 from Rev A to Rev B.		
Description	Updated model revisions to rev B.Corrected Package dimensions.		
Features	Added Hardware Accelerator content to features list.		
Pinout Information	Updated reference schematic.New pin list adds GPIO's 3,4,5 and 6.		
CPU and Memory Subsystems	Increased Memory from 182KB to 160KB.		

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Document Revision History

External Interfaces	 Improved and corrected description of Coexistence interface. Editorial updates.
Power Consumption	 Updated power numbers and description, added high-power and low-power modes.
WLAN Subsystem Radio	Updated Performance numbers.

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