

# RF-BM-2340B1 And RF-BM-2340B1I CC2340R5 BLE Wireless Module

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#### 1 Device Overview

## 1.1 Description

RF-BM-2340B1 and RF-BM-2340B1I are RF modules based on TI lower-power CC2340R5 SoC. They are multiprotocol 2.4 GHz wireless modules supporting Bluetooth® 5.3 Low Energy. The modules integrate a 48 MHz crystal, 512 KB of in-system Programmable Flash, 12 KB ROM for bootloader, and 36 KB of ultra-low leakage SRAM. The ARM® Cortex®-M0+ core application processor can operate at an extremely low current at flexible power modes. And the modules enable long-range and low-power applications using 8 dBm high-power with best-in-class transmit current consumption at 12 mA. They feature a small size, robust connection distance, and rigid reliability. The 1.27-mm half-hole pitch stamp stick makes the module more convenient for application and development. RF-BM-2340B1 has a high-performance PCB antenna, while RF-BM-2340B1I has an IPEX connector or a half-hole RF out interface option for the different needs of external antennas. The UART serial port protocol can also enable you to start your development with a quick path.

# 1.2 Key Features

- RF Features
  - Bluetooth® 5.3 Low Energy
  - Bluetooth Mesh (Low power node)
- TX power: up to +8 dBm with temperature compensation
- Excellent receiver sensitivity
- -102 dBm for Bluetooth 125 kbps (LE coded PHY)
- -99 dBm for Bluetooth 500 kbps (LE coded PHY)
- -96.5 dBm for Bluetooth 1 Mbps
- -92 dBm for Bluetooth 2 Mbps
- Wide Operation Range
  - Power supply:

    - ♦ DCDC mode: 2.2 V ~ 3.8 V, recommend to 3.3 V
  - Operating temperature: -40 °C to +85 °C
  - Storage temperature: -40 °C to +125 °C
  - Frequency range: 2360 MHz ~ 2510 MHz
- Microcontroller
  - Powerful 48 MHz ARM® Cortex®-M0+ processor
  - Integrated Balun
  - Support OTA upgrade

- Memory
  - 512 KB of in-system programmable flash
- 12 KB of ROM for bootloader and drivers
- 36 KB of ultra-low leakage SRAM. Retained in standby mode
- Rich Peripherals
- 24 IO Pads
  - ♦ 2 IO pads SWD, muxed with GPIOs
  - ♦ Up to 22 DIOs (analog or digital IOs)
- 3 × 16-bit or 1 × 24-bit general-purpose timers,
   Quadrature decode mode support
- 12-bit ADC, 1.2 Msps with external reference,
   267 kbps with internal reference, up to 12 external ADC inputs
- 1× low power comparator
- 1 × UART
- 1 × SPI
- 1 × I<sup>2</sup>C
- Real-time clock (RTC)
- Integrated temperature and battery monitor
- Watchdog timer
- Security Enablers
  - AES 128-bit Crypto accelerator



 Random number generator from on-chip analog noise

- Dimension:
  - RF-BM-2340B1: 22.50 mm × 15.55 mm × 2.10

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- RF-BM-2340B1I: 22.50 mm × 15.55 mm × 2.10 m

# 1.3 Applications

- Home healthcare
- Blood glucose monitors
- Blood pressure monitor
- CPAP machine
- Electronic thermometer
- Patient monitoring & diagnostics
- Medical sensor patches
- Personal care & Fitness
- Electric toothbrush
- Wearable fitness & activity monitor
- Building automation
- Building security systems
- Motion detector
- Electronic smart lock
- Door and window sensor
- Garage door system
- Gateway
- HVAC
- Thermostat
- Wireless environmental sensor
- Fire safety system
- Smoke and heat detector

- Video surveillance
- IP network camera
- Lighting
- LED luminaire
- Lighting Control
- Daylight sensor, lighting sensor
- Wireless control
- Factory automation and control
- Retail automation & payment
- Electronic point of sale
- Communication equipment
- Wired networking
- Personal electronics
- · Connected peripherals
- Consumer wireless module
- Pointing devices
- Keyboards and keypads
- Gaming
- Electronic and robotic toys
- Wearables (non-medical)
- Smart trackers
- Smart clothing



# 1.4 Functional Block Diagram

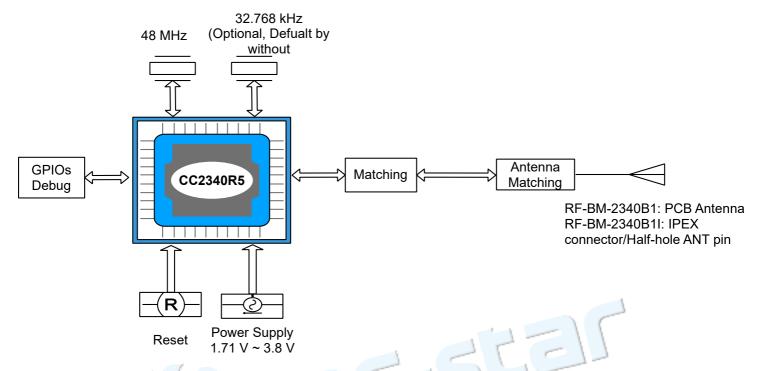


Figure 1. Functional Block Diagram of RF-BM-2340B1(I)

## 1.6 Part Number Conventions

The part numbers are of the form of RF-BM-2340B1(I) where the fields are defined as follows:

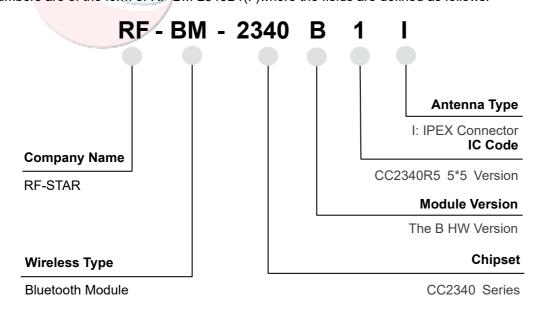


Figure 2. Part Number Conventions of RF-BM-2340B1(I)



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# **2 Module Configuration and Functions**

# 2.1 Module Parameters

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Chipset  CC2340R5  DCDC mode: 2.2 V ~ 3.8 V, 3.3 V is recommended GLDO mode: 1.71 V ~ 3.8 V, 3.3 V is recommended Remark: When set to DCDC mode, if the supply voltage is lower than 2.2 V, it will automatically switch to GLDO mode.  Frequency  2360 MHz ~ 2510 MHz  Maximum Transmit Power  +8.0 dBm  -102 dBm @ Bluetooth 125 kbps (LE Coded PHY) -99 dBm @ Bluetooth 500 kbps (LE Coded PHY) -96.5 dBm @ Bluetooth 1 Mbps -92 dBm @ Bluetooth 2 Mbps  GPIO  24  Flash  512 KB  ROM  12 KB for bootloader and drivers  SRAM  8K KU current: 5.1 mA @ 0 dBm  <11.0 mA @ 8 dBm  MCU (CoreMark): 2.6 mA @ active mode Standby: <710 nA @RTC, 36 KB RAM Shutdown: 150 nA @ wake-up on pin  Support Protocol  Bluetooth 5.3 Low Energy  Crystal  48 MHz, 32.768 kHz (optional, without 32.768 kHz by default)  Package  SMT packaging (1.27-mm half-hole pitch stamp stick)  Dimension  7ype of Antenna  RF-BM-2340B1: PCB antenna  RF-BM-2340B1: PCB antenna  RF-BM-2340B1: PCB antenna  RF-BM-2340B1: PCB connector or half-hole ANT pin  Operating Temperature  40 °C ~ +85 °C  Storage Temperature  40 °C ~ +125 °C		Table 1.1 drameters of the -Bivi-2040B (i)			
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# 2.2 Module Pin Diagram

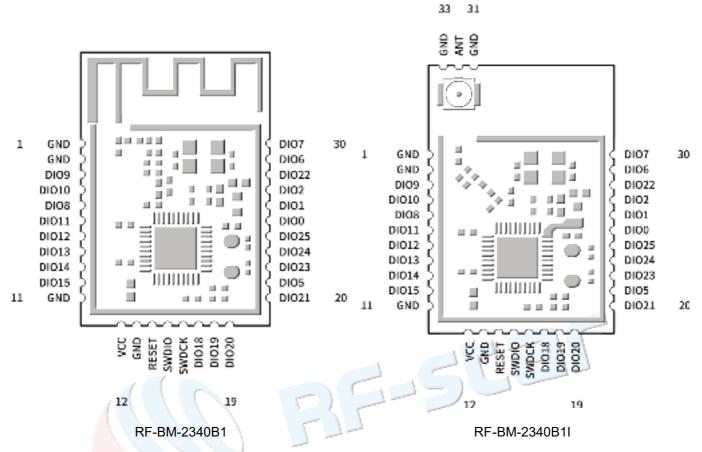


Figure 3. Pin Diagram of RF-BM-2340B1(I)

# 2.3 Pin Functions

Table 2. Pin Functions of RF-BM-2340B1(I)

Pin	Name	Chip Pin	Function	Description
1	GND	GND	Ground	Ground
2	GND	GND	Ground	Ground
3	DIO9	DIO9	Digital	GPIO
4	DIO10	DIO10	Digital	GPIO
5	DIO8	DIO8	Digital	GPIO
6	DIO11	DIO11	Digital	GPIO
7	DIO12	DIO12	Digital	GPIO, high-drive capability
8	DIO13	DIO13	Digital	GPIO
9	DIO14	DIO14	Digital	GPIO
10	DIO15	DIO15	Digital	GPIO
11	GND	GND	Ground	Ground



Power supply: 1.71 V ~ 3.8 V, recommended to 3.3 VCC VCC 12 **VCCS** ٧ **GND** Ground 13 **GND GND** 14 **RESET RSTN** Digital Reset, active low. Internal pullup. GPIO, SWD interface: mode select or SWDIO 15 **SWDIO** DIO16\_SWDIO Digital (JTAG\_TMSC), high-drive capability GPIO, SWD interface: clock(JTAG\_TCKC), high-16 **SWDCK** DIO17\_SWDCK Digital drive capability Digital 17 DIO18 DIO18 GPIO, high-drive capability 18 DIO19 **DIO19** Digital GPIO, high-drive capability 19 **DIO20** DIO20\_A11 Digital or Analog GPIO, analog capability 20 **DIO21** DIO21 A10 Digital or Analog GPIO, analog capability 21 DIO5 DIO5 A2 Digital or Analog GPIO, analog capability 22 DIO23 **DIO23 A8** Digital or Analog GPIO, analog capability **DIO24** GPIO, analog capability, high-drive capability 23 DIO24 A7 Digital or Analog DIO25\_A6 24 **DIO25** Digital or Analog GPIO, analog capability 25 DIO0 Digital or Analog GPIO, analog capability DIO0 A5 26 DIO1 DIO1\_A4 Digital or Analog GPIO, analog capability 27 DIO2 DIO<sub>2</sub> A<sub>3</sub> Digital or Analog GPIO, analog capability **DIO22 A9** 28 **DIO22** Digital or Analog GPIO, analog capability 29 DIO6 DIO6 A1 Digital or Analog GPIO, analog capability 30 DIO7 DIO7\_A0 Digital or Analog GPIO, analog capability 31 GND **GND** Ground Ground, for RF-BM-2340B1I only ANT RF External ANT output pin, for RF-BM-2340B1I only 32 ANT **GND** 33 **GND** Ground Ground, for RF-BM-2340B1I only



# 2.4 Pin Peripheral Singal Descriptions

Table 3. Pin Peripheral Singal Description of RF-BM-2340B1(I)

Function	Singal Name	Module	Chip Pin	Signal	Description
	3.	Pin	r	Direction	•
		DIO13	DIO13		
		DIO17	DIO17_SWDCK		
	UART0TXD	DIO18	DIO18	0	UART0 TX data
		DIO20	DIO20_A11		
		DIO6	DIO6_A1		
		DIO12	DIO12		
UART		DIO15	DIO15		
UAKI	UART0RXD	DIO16	DIO16_SWDIO	I	UART0 RX data
		DIO20	DIO20_A11		
		DIO22	DIO22_A9		
	UART0CTS	DIO21	DIO21_A10	ı	LIARTO cloor to cond input (active law)
	UARTUCTS	DIO2	DIO2_A3	l	UART0 clear-to-send input (active low)
	LIADTODIC	DIO8	DIO8	0	LIADTO request to good (active leve)
	UARTORTS O DIO1_A4	U	UART0 request-to-send (active low)		
	ADC11	DIO20	DIO20_A11		HP ADC channel 11 input
	ADC10/LPC+	DIO21	DIO21_A10		HP ADC channel 10 input
	ADC9	DIO22	DIO22_A9		HP ADC channel 9 input
	ADC8/LPC+/LPC-	DIO23	DIO23_A8		HP ADC channel 8 input
ADC	ADC7/LPC+/LPC-	DIO24	DIO24_A7	l	HP ADC channel 7 input
ADC	ADC6	DIO25	DIO25_A6	<b>I</b>	ADC channel 6 input
	ADC5	DIO0	DIO0_A5		ADC channel 5 input
	ADC4	DIO1	DIO1_A4		ADC channel 4 input
	ADC3	DIO2	DIO2_A3		ADC channel 3 input
	ADC2	DIO5	DIO5_A2		ADC channel 2 input
	ADC1/ADEE.	DIOG	DIOC A4	ı	HP ADC channel 1 input. ADC external
ADC	ADC1/AREF+	DIO6	DIO6_A1		voltage reference, positive terminal
Reference	ADC0/AREF-	DIO7	DIO7_A0		HP ADC channel 0 input. ADC external voltage reference, negative terminal



Table 4. Pin Peripheral Singal Description of RF-BM-2340B1(I) (Continued 1)

Function	Singal Name	Module	Chip Pin	Signal	Description
Function	Siligal Name	Pin	Chip Pin	Direction	Description
		DIO8	DIO8		
	SDIOSCI K	DIO17	DIO17_SWDCK	I/O	SPI clock
	SPI0SCLK	DIO18	DIO18	1/0	SPI CIOCK
		DIO24	DIO24_A7		
		DIO11	DIO11		
	SPI0POCI	DIO12	DIO12	I/O	SDI DOCI (MISO)
	SPIOPOCI	DIO13	DIO13	1/0	SPI POCI (MISO)
SPI		DIO20	DIO20_A11		
		DIO11	DIO11		
	SPI0CSN	DIO0	DIO0_A5	I/O	SPI chip select
		DIO6	DIO6_A1		
		DIO12	DIO12		
	SPI0PICO	DIO13	DIO13	I/O	SPI PICO (MOSI)
	SFIORICO	DIO16	DIO16_SWDIO	1/0	of thioo (Moor)
		DIO19	DIO19		
		DIO17	DIO17_SWDCK		
	I2C0SCL	DIO24	DIO24_A7	I/O	I <sup>2</sup> C clock data
	120030L	DIO25	DIO25_A6	1/0	1 C Clock data
I <sup>2</sup> C		DIO6	DIO6_A1		
		DIO8	DIO8		
	I2C0SDA	DIO12	DIO12	I/O	I <sup>2</sup> C data
	1200001	DIO16	DIO16_SWDIO	1/0	i O uala
		DIO0	DIO0_A5		



Table 5. Pin Peripheral Singal Description of RF-BM-2340B1(I) (Continued 2)

Function	Cingal Name	Module	Chip Pin	Signal	Description				
runction	Singal Name	Pin	Chip Pin	Direction	Description				
	GPIO8	DIO8	DIO8						
	GPIO9	DIO9	DIO9						
	GPIO10	DIO10	DIO10						
	GPIO11	DIO11	DIO11						
	GPIO12	DIO12	DIO12						
	GPIO13	DIO13	DIO13						
	GPIO14	DIO14	DIO14						
	GPIO15	DIO15	DIO15						
	GPIO16	DIO16	DIO16_SWDIO						
	GPIO17	DIO17	DIO17_SWDCK						
	GPIO18	DIO18	DIO18						
GPIO	GPIO19	DIO19	DIO19	I/O	General-purpose input or output				
GFIO	GPIO20	DIO20	DIO20_A11	1/0	General-purpose input or output				
	GPIO21	DIO21	DIO21_A10						
	GPIO22	DIO22	DIO22_A9						
	GPIO23	DIO23	DIO23_A8						
	GPIO24	DIO24	DIO24_A7						
	GPIO25	DIO25	DIO25_A6						
	GPIO0	DIO0	DIO0_A5						
	GPIO1	DIO1	DIO1_A4						
	GPIO2	DIO2	DIO2_A3						
	GPIO5	DIO5	DIO5_A2						
	GPIO6	DIO6	DIO6_A1						
	GPIO7	DIO7	DIO7_A0						



# 3 Specifications

# 3.1 Recommended Operating Conditions

The functional operation does not guarantee performance beyond the limits of the conditional parameter values in the table below. Long-term work beyond this limit will affect the reliability of the module more or less.

Table 6. Recommended Operating Conditions of RF-BM-2340B1(I)

Items	Condition	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
Operating Supply Voltage	1	1.71	3.3	3.8	V
Operating Temperature	1	-40	+25	+85	${\mathbb C}$

# 3.2 Handling Ratings

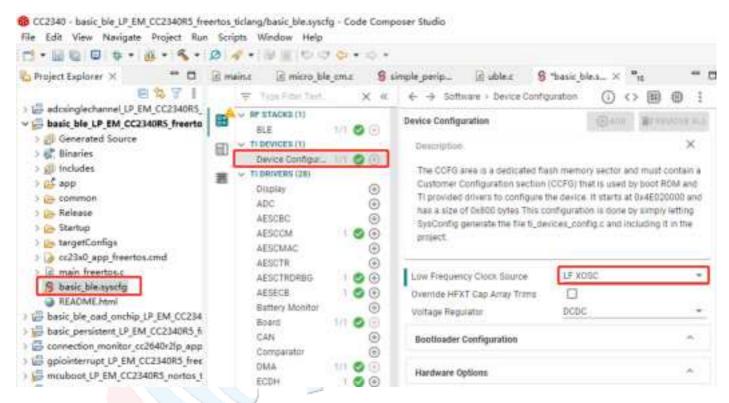
Table 7. Handling Ratings of RF-BM-2340B1(I)

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Items	Condition	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
Storage Temperature	Tstg	-40	+25	+125	$^{\circ}$ C
Human Body Model	НВМ	<b>5)</b> L	±1000		V
Moisture Sensitivity Level			3		
Charged Device Model			±500		V

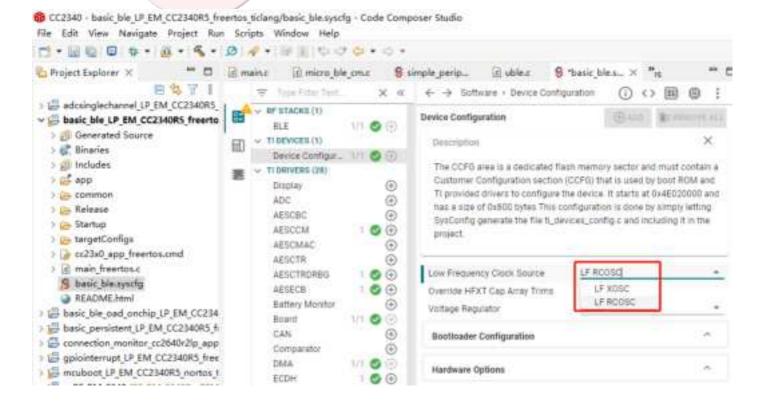


# 4 Internal 32.768 kHz Crystal Setting

The module hardware is without an external 32.768 kHz crystal by default. However, the SDK adopts the external 32.768 kHz crystal by default, pls see the details below:



Therefore, in order no problem during debugging, pls modify the default crystal setting to the internal crystal LF RCOSC as follows:





# 5 Application, Implementation, and Layout

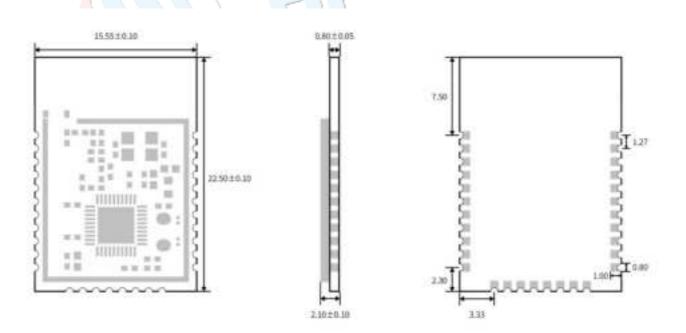
# **5.1 Module Photos**



RF-BM-2340B1 RF-BM-2340B1I

Figure 3. Photos of RF-BM-2340B1(I)

# **5.2 Recommended PCB Footprint**



RF-BM-2340B1



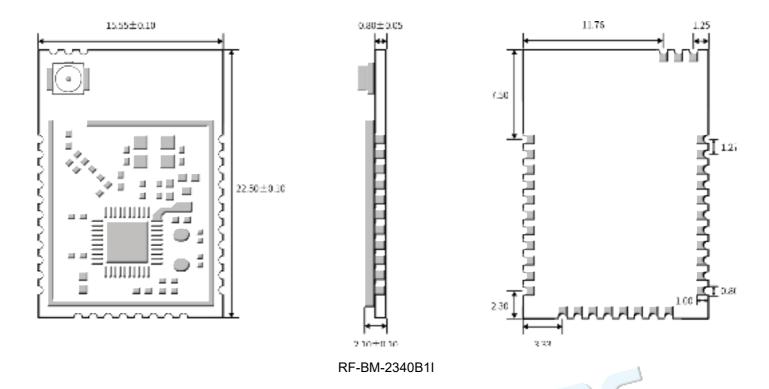
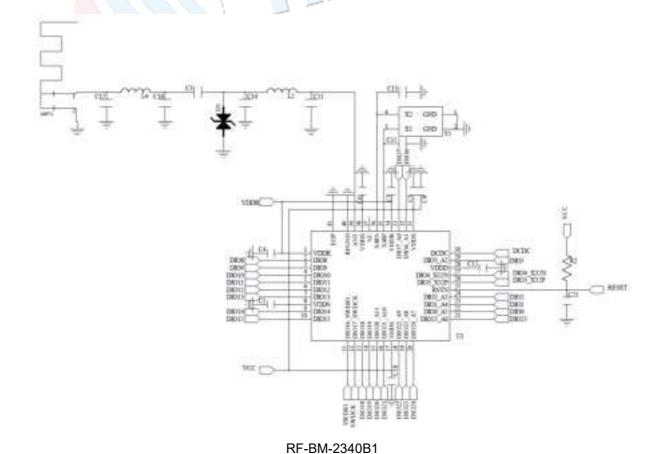


Figure 4. Recommended PCB Footprint of RF-BM-2340B1(I)

# 5.3 Schematic Diagram





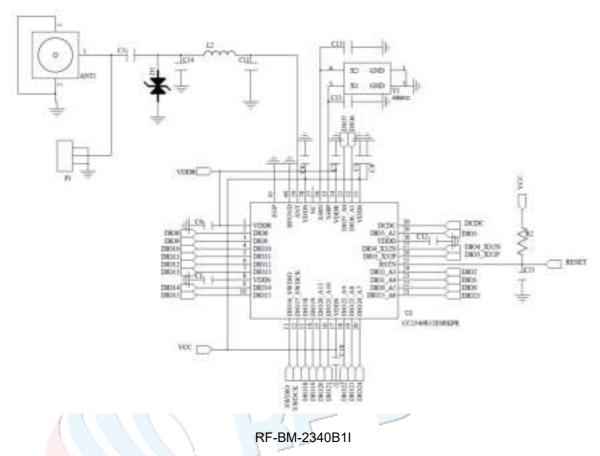


Figure 5. Schematic Diagram of RF-BM-2340B1(I)

# 5.4 Reference Design

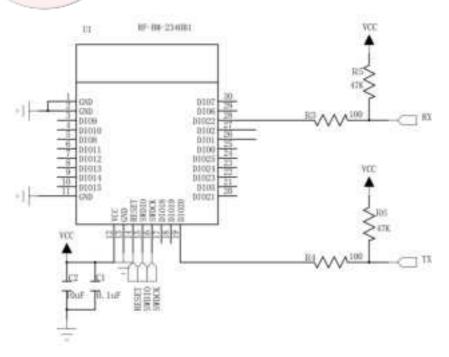


Figure 5. Reference Design of RF-BM-2340B1(I)



#### 5.5 Antenna

#### 5.5.1 Antenna Design Recommendation

- The antenna installation structure has a great influence on the module performance. It is necessary to ensure the
  antenna is exposed and preferably vertically upward. When the module is installed inside of the case, a high-quality
  antenna extension wire can be used to extend the antenna to the outside of the case.
- The antenna must not be installed inside the metal case, which will cause the transmission distance to be greatly weakened.
- 3. The recommendation of antenna layout.

The inverted-F antenna position on PCB is free-space electromagnetic radiation. The location and layout of the antenna are key factors to increase the data rate and transmission range.

Therefore, the layout of the module antenna location and routing is recommended as follows:

- (1) Place the antenna on the edge (corner) of the PCB.
- (2) Make sure that there is no signal line or copper foil in each layer below the antenna.
- (3) It is best to hollow out the antenna position in the following figure to ensure that the S11 of the module is minimally affected.

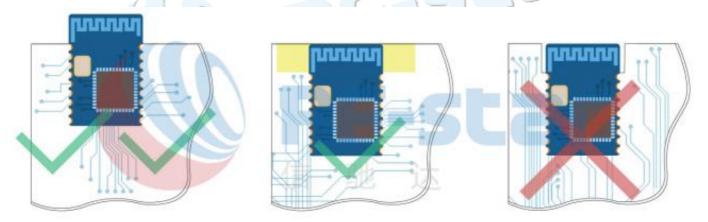


Figure 4. Recommendation of Antenna Layout

Note: The hollow-out position is based on the antenna used.

# 5.5.2 Antenna Output Mode Modification

RF-BM-2340B1I has two antenna output modes. One is an IPEX connector and the other is a stamp half-hole output (ANT pin, see pin function table for details).

The default delivery is the *IPEX connector*, and the capacitor connected to the IPEX is welded. If you want to use the external antenna by the ANT pin, just connect the external antenna to the ANT pin.



### 5.5.3 External Antenna Design Recommendation of the Half-Hole ANT Pin

1. A  $\Pi$ -type matching circuit is reserved for the antenna, and 50  $\Omega$  impedance control is performed on the RF traces. The traces are as short as possible, and 135° or arc traces are used as much as possible. No vias are used to change layers. More GND vias are placed around the RF traces.

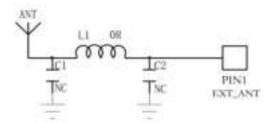


Figure 5. Reference Design of the External Antenna

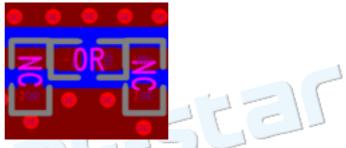


Figure 6. Reference Design of the External Antenna Traces

2. The RF trace width and copper-clad spacing can be calculated by SI9000 software, and the impedance is controlled to 50  $\Omega$  according to the actual board thickness, number of layers, plate, dielectric thickness, dielectric constant, copper thickness, line width, line spacing, and solder mask thickness.

Example: FR4 is a double-layer board with a thickness of 1.0 mm. Through calculation, the width of the trace is 0.8254 mm, and the spacing between traces and copper is 0.22 mm.



Figure 7. SI9000 Impedance Calculation Diagram



# 5.5.4 IPEX Connector Specification

RF-BM-2340B1I module is integrated with the IPEX version 1 antenna seat, the specification of the antenna seat is as follows:

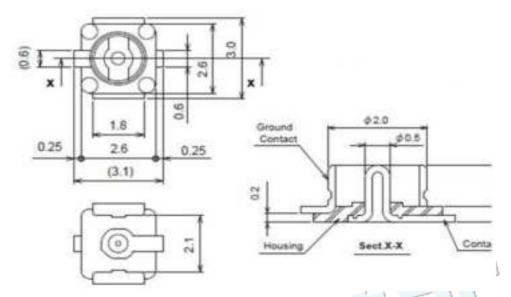


Figure 8. Specification of Antenna Seat

The specification of the IPEX wire end is as follows:

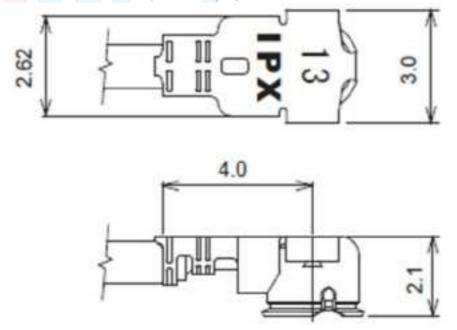


Figure 9. Specification of IPEX Wire

# 5.6 Basic Operation of Hardware Design

1. It is recommended to offer the module a DC stabilized power supply, a tiny power supply ripple coefficient, and reliable ground. Please pay attention to the correct connection between the positive and negative poles of the power



- supply. Otherwise, the reverse connection may cause permanent damage to the module.
- 2. Please ensure the supply voltage is between the recommended values. The module will be permanently damaged if the voltage exceeds the maximum value. Please ensure a stable power supply and no frequently fluctuating voltage.
- 3. When designing the power supply circuit for the module, it is recommended to reserve more than 30% of the margin, which is beneficial to the long-term stable operation of the whole machine. The module should be far away from the power electromagnetic, transformer, high-frequency wiring, and other parts with large electromagnetic interference.
- 4. The bottom of the module should avoid high-frequency digital routing, high-frequency analog routing, and power routing. If it has to route the wire on the bottom of the module, for example, it is assumed that the module is soldered to the Top Layer, the copper must be spread on the connection part of the top layer and the module, and be close to the digital part of the module and routed in the Bottom Layer (all copper is well-grounded).
- 5. Assuming that the module is soldered or placed in the Top Layer, it is also wrong to randomly route the Bottom Layer or other layers, which will affect the spurs and receiving sensitivity of the module to some degree.
- 6. Assuming that there are devices with large electromagnetic interference around the module, which will greatly affect the module performance. It is recommended to stay away from the module according to the strength of the interference. If circumstances permit, appropriate isolation and shielding can be done.
- 7. Assuming that there are routings of large electromagnetic interference around the module (high-frequency digital, high-frequency analog, power routings), which will also greatly affect the module performance. It is recommended to stay away from the module according to the strength of the interference. If circumstances permit, appropriate isolation and shielding can be done.
- 8. It is recommended to stay away from the devices whose TTL protocol is the same 2.4 GHz physical layer, for example, USB 3.0.

# 5.7 Trouble Shooting

# 5.7.1 Unsatisfactory Transmission Distance

- When there is a linear communication obstacle, the communication distance will be correspondingly weakened.
  Temperature, humidity, and co-channel interference will lead to an increase in the communication packet loss rate.
  The performances of ground absorption and reflection of radio waves will be poor when the module is tested close to the ground.
- 2. Seawater has a strong ability to absorb radio waves, so the test results by the seaside are poor.
- 3. The signal attenuation will be very obvious if there is metal near the antenna or if the module is placed inside the metal shell.
- 4. The incorrect power register set or the high data rate in the open air may shorten the communication distance. The higher the data rate, the closer the distance.



- The low voltage of the power supply is lower than the recommended value at ambient temperature, and the lower the voltage, the smaller the power is.
- 6. The unmatchable antennas and modules or the poor quality of antenna will affect the communication distance.

#### 5.7.2 Vulnerable Module

- Please ensure the supply voltage is between the recommended values. The module will be permanently damaged
  if the voltage exceeds the maximum value. Please ensure a stable power supply and no frequently fluctuating
  voltage.
- 2. Please ensure the anti-static installation and the electrostatic sensitivity of high-frequency devices.
- 3. Due to some humidity-sensitive components, please ensure the suitable humidity during installation and application.

  If there is no special demand, it is not recommended to use at too high or too low temperature.

#### 5.7.3 High Bit Error Rate

- 1. There are co-channel signal interferences nearby. It is recommended to be away from the interference sources or modify the frequency and channel to avoid interferences.
- 2. The unsatisfactory power supply may also cause garbled. It is necessary to ensure the power supply's reliability.
- 3. If the extension wire or feeder wire is of poor quality or too long, the bit error rate will be high.

## 5.8 Electrostatics Discharge Warnings

The module will be damaged by the discharge of static. RF-star suggests that all modules should follow the 3 precautions below:

- 1. According to the anti-static measures, bare hands are not allowed to touch modules.
- 2. Modules must be placed in anti-static areas.
- 3. Take the anti-static circuitry (when inputting HV or VHF) into consideration in product design. Static may result in the degradation in performance of the module, even causing failure.

#### 5.9 Soldering and Reflow Condition

- 1. Heating method: Conventional Convection or IR/convection.
- 2. Solder paste composition: Sn96.5/Ag3.0/Cu0.5
- 3. Allowable reflow soldering times: 2 times based on the following reflow soldering profile.
- 4. Temperature profile: Reflow soldering shall be done according to the following temperature profile.
- 5. Peak temperature: 245 °C.



Table 8. Temperature Table of Soldering and Reflow

Profile Feature	Sn-Pb Assembly	Pb-Free Assembly
Solder Paste	Sn63 / Pb37	Sn96.5 / Ag3.0 / Cu0.5
Min. Preheating Temperature (T <sub>min</sub> )	100 ℃	150 ℃
Max. Preheating Temperature (T <sub>max</sub> )	150 ℃	200 ℃
Preheating Time (T <sub>min</sub> to T <sub>max</sub> ) (t <sub>1</sub> )	60 s ~ 120 s	60 s ~ 120 s
Average Ascend Rate (T <sub>max</sub> to T <sub>p</sub> )	Max. 3 °C/s	Max. 3 °C/s
Liquid Temperature (T <sub>L</sub> )	183 ℃	217 ℃
Time above Liquidus (t <sub>L</sub> )	60 s ~ 90 s	30 s ~ 90 s
Peak Temperature (T <sub>p</sub> )	<b>220</b> ℃ ~ <b>235</b> ℃	230 ℃ ~ 250 ℃
Average Descend Rate (T <sub>p</sub> to T <sub>max</sub> )	Max. 6 °C/s	Max. 6 °C/s
Time from 25 ℃ to Peak Temperature (t₂)	Max. 6 minutes	Max. 8 minutes
Time of Soldering Zone (t <sub>P</sub> )	20±10 s	20±10 s

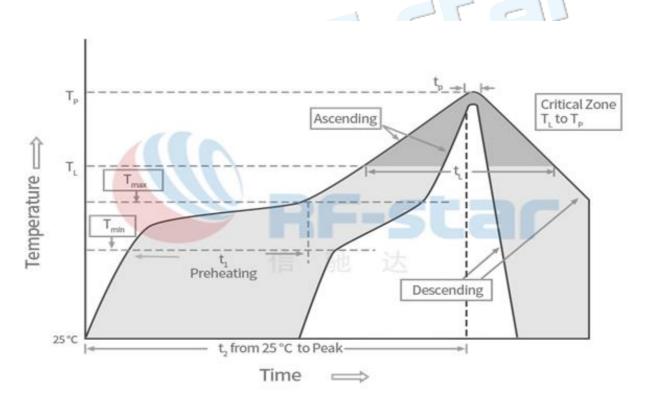


Figure 10. Recommended Reflow for Lead-Free Solder



# **6 Optional Package Specification**

The default package method is **by tray**. If you need the modules to be shipped by tape & reel, pls contact us in advance.

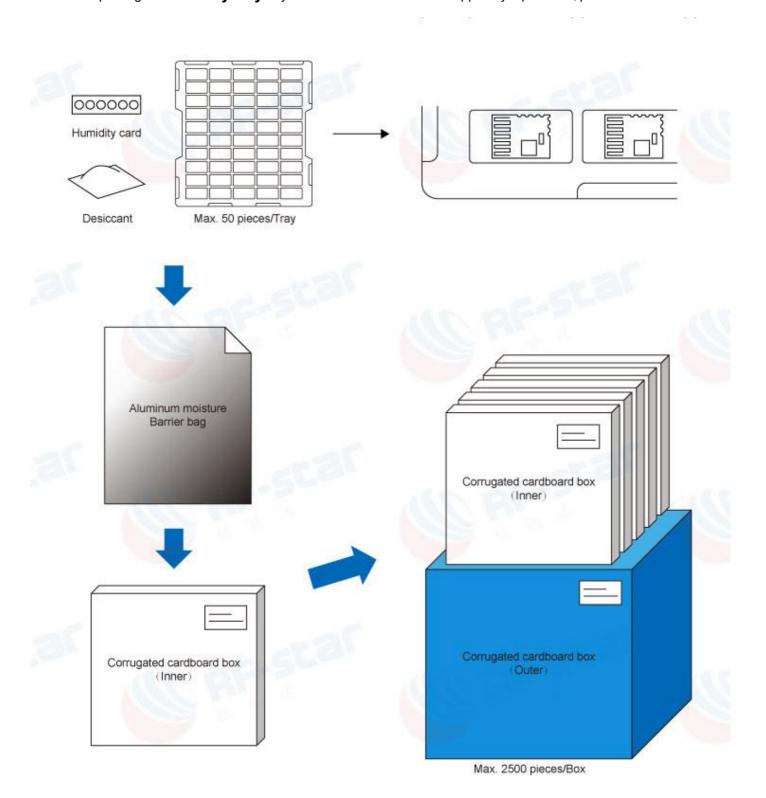


Figure 11. Default Package by Tray



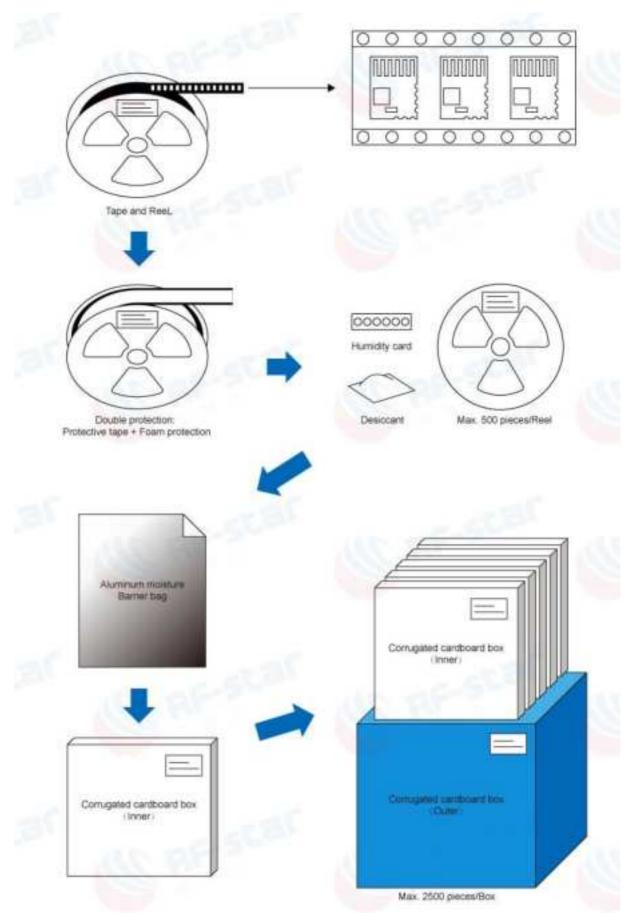
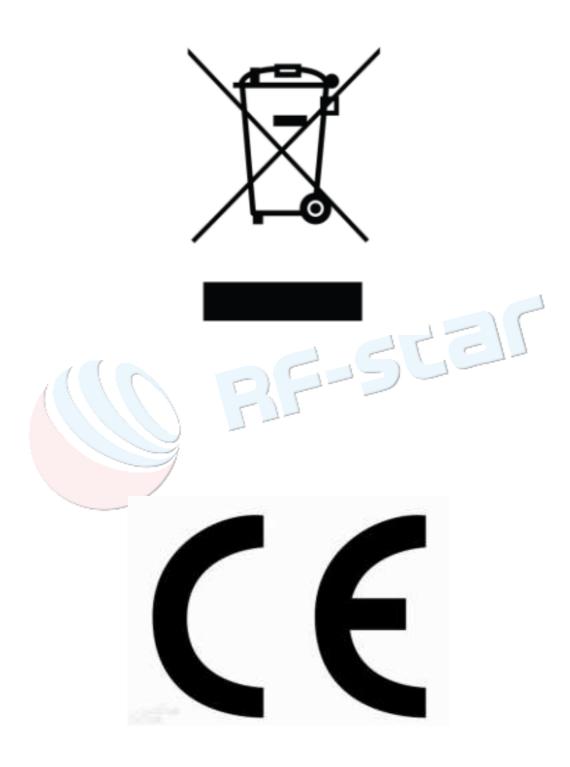


Figure 12. Package by Tape & Reel



# 7 CE mark





# 8 FCC Warning

#### FCC regulatory compliance statement

#### §15.19 Statement

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.

#### §15.21 Information to user

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

## List of applicable FCC rules:

47 CFR Part 15, Subpart C 15.247

#### Summarize the specific operational use conditions

This module can be used in IOT devices, the input voltage to the module is nominally 3.3V.

Limited module procedures

This module is a single module.

Trace antenna designs

The antenna is not a trace antenna.

#### RF exposure considerations

This Module complies with FCC radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This equipment should be installed and operated with a minimum distance of 20cm between the radiator and your body. This transmitter must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.

#### Antennas

If you desire to increase antenna gain and either change antenna type or use same antenna type certified, a Class II permissive change application is required to be filed by us, or you (host manufacturer) can take responsibility through the change in FCC ID (new application) procedure followed by a Class II permissive change application.

# Label and compliance information

Please notice that if the FCC identification number is not visible when the module is installed inside another device, then the outside of the device into which the module is installed must also display a label referring to the enclosed module. This exterior label can use wording such as the following: "Contains FCC ID: 2ABN2-2340B1" any similar wording that expresses the same meaning may be used.

§ 15.19 Labelling requirements shall be complied on end user device. Labelling rules for special device, please refer to §2.925, § 15.19 (a)(5) and relevant KDB publications. For E-label, please refer to §2.935.

Information on test modes and additional testing requirements



The OEM integrator is responsible for ensuring that the end-user has no manual instruction to remove or install module.

The module is limited to installation in mobile application, a separate approval is required for all other operating configurations, including portable configurations with respect to §2.1093 and difference antenna configurations.

Test software access to different test modes: Bluetooth test 3 (V2.6)

Testing item, Frequencies, Transmit Power, Modulation Type can be selected on the test script instructions.

#### FCC other Parts, Part 15B Compliance Requirements for Host product manufacturer

This modular transmitter is only FCC authorized for the specific rule parts listed on our grant, host product manufacturer is responsible for compliance to any other FCC rules that apply to the host not covered by the modular transmitter grant of certification.

Host manufacturer in any case shall ensure host product which is installed and operating with the module is in compliant with Part 15B requirements.

Please note that For a Class B or Class A digital device or peripheral, the instructions furnished the user manual of the end-user product shall include statement set out in §15.105 Information to the user or such similar statement and place it in a prominent location in the text of host product manual. Original texts as following:

For Class B

Note: 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.

# 9 IC Warning

#### ISED compliance statement

This device contains licence-exempt transmitter(s)/receiver(s) that comply with Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada's licence-exempt RSS(s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

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

L'émetteur/récepteur exempt de licence contenu dans le présent appareil est conforme aux CNR d'Innovation, Sciences et Développement économique 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;
- (2) L'appareil doit accepter tout brouillage radioélectrique subi, même si le brouillage est susceptible d'en compromettre le fonctionnement.

## ISED Radiation Exposure statement

This equipment complies with IC RSS-102 radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This equipment should be installed and operated with minimum distance 20 cm between the radiator and your body.

Cet équipement est conforme aux limites d'exposition aux radiations IC CNR-102 établies pour un environnement non contrôlé. Cet équipement doit être installé et utilisé avec une distance minimale de 20 cm entre le radiateur et votre corps. Cet émetteur ne doit pas être colocalisé ou fonctionner en conjonction avec une autre antenne ou un autre émetteur.

Please notice that if the IC identification number is not visible when the module is installed inside another device, then the outside of the device

into which the module is installed must also display a label referring to the enclosed module. This exterior label can use wording such as the

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