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Compact, High-Performance Mobile Device Antenna

Novel Ferrite Substrate for Antennas:

- Ferrite Substrate with permanent magnet film
 - o Provides a magnetic field to the ferrite substrate
 - o Reduces magnetic loss tangent of the substrate
 - o Results in high antenna radiation efficiency and gain, and wide bandwidth

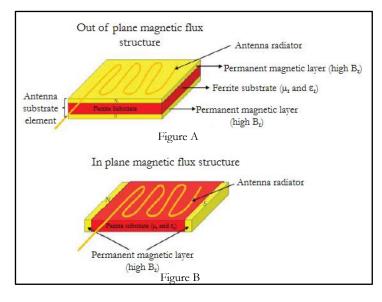
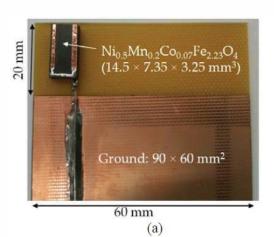


Fig. 1. Novel Ferrite Substrate for wireless communication antennas: (a) out of plane magnetization and (b) in-plane magnetization structure

Advantages:

- The permeability of ferrite increases the miniaturization factor and bandwidth of the antenna
- The magnetic field reduces the magnetic loss tangent of the ferrite substrate
- High antenna gain
- Can be used with other permanent magnets, electromagnets, solenoids, and other techniques



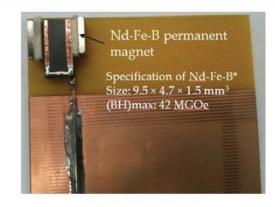


Fig. 2. Fabricated ferrite antennas: (a) without Nd-Fe-B permanent magnets (i.e. without applied magnetic field) and (b) with permanent magnets (i.e. with applied magnetic field).

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