



## SSMC Plug to SSMC Jack Bulkhead Cable Using RG178 Coax

### RF Cable Assemblies Technical Data Sheet

PE3C4389

#### Configuration

- Connector 1: SSMC Plug
- Connector 2: SSMC Jack Bulkhead
- Cable Type: RG178

#### Features

- SSMC Cable Assembly Max. Operating Frequency of 3 GHz
- Small SSMC cable connection form factor (50% smaller than SMA, radially)
- Reliable threaded coupling
- In stock and ready to ship

#### Applications

- SSMC Cable General Purpose Test
- Data Acquisition Systems
- A/D Conversion Systems
- Ultra Wideband Digital Receivers
- Software defined radio (SDR)

#### Description

Pasternack's SSMC cable assemblies are part of our full line of RF components available for same-day shipping. These SSMC cable assemblies are designed to connect SSMC system components and test connections, delivering signal frequencies as high as 12.4 GHz. Our family of SSMC cables can also be used to connect SSMC ports on data acquisition systems, A/D modules or SSMC coax patch panels. If none of our standard options fit your application, you can specify your own custom SSMC cable assembly using Pasternack's online Cable Creator.

Our SSMC cable assembly datasheet specifications and drawing with dimensions are shown below in this PDF. Pasternack's broad catalog of RF, microwave and millimeter wave cable assemblies allow designers to configure and customize their signal connections however they like. Whether the need is to provide SSMC cabling for a data acquisition system, or simply create a custom cable assembly configuration, Pasternack has the right cable assemblies for the job. Pasternack can also expertly build your custom cable assemblies for you and ship same day.

#### Electrical Specifications

Description	Minimum	Typical	Maximum	Units
Frequency Range	DC		3	GHz
VSWR			1.44:1	
Velocity of Propagation		70		%
Capacitance		29.4 [96.46]		pF/ft [pF/m]
Operating Voltage (AC)			250	Vrms

Click the following link (or enter part number in "SEARCH" on website) to obtain additional part information including price, inventory and certifications: [SSMC Plug to SSMC Jack Bulkhead Cable Using RG178 Coax PE3C4389](#)



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#### Specifications by Frequency

Description	F1	F2	F3	F4	F5	Units
Frequency	0.1	0.4	1	3		GHz
Insertion Loss (Typ.)	0.14	0.28	0.44	0.78		dB/m
	0.46	0.92	1.44	2.56		dB/ft

#### Electrical Specification Notes:

Insertion Loss does not include the loss of the connectors. Insertion Loss is estimated as 0.1 dB per connector.

#### Mechanical Specifications

##### Cable Assembly

Diameter 0.156 in [3.96 mm]

##### Cable

Cable Type RG178  
 Impedance 50 Ohms  
 Inner Conductor Type Stranded  
 Inner Conductor Material and Plating Copper Clad Steel, Silver  
 Dielectric Type PTFE  
 Number of Shields 1  
 Shield Layer 1 Silver Plated Copper Braid  
 Jacket Material FEP, Tan  
 Jacket Diameter 0.072 in [1.83 mm]  
 Repeated Minimum Bend Radius 0.4 in [10.16 mm]

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#### Connectors

Description	Connector 1	Connector 2
Type	SSMC Plug	SSMC Jack Bulkhead
Impedance	50 Ohms	50 Ohms
Mating Cycles	500	500
Contact Material and Plating	Beryllium Copper, Gold	Beryllium Copper, Gold
Contact Plating Specification	MIL-G-45204	MIL-G-45204
Dielectric Type	Teflon	Teflon
Outer Conductor Material and Plating		Beryllium Copper, Gold
Outer Conductor Plating Specification		MIL-G-45204
Body Material and Plating	Beryllium Copper, Gold	Beryllium Copper, Gold
Body Plating Specification	MIL-G-45204	MIL-G-45204
Coupling Nut Material and Plating	Beryllium Copper, Gold	
Coupling Nut Plating Specification	MIL-G-45205	
Torque	1.75 in-lbs [0.2 Nm]	1.75 in-lbs [0.2 Nm]

#### Mechanical Specification Notes:

\*All cable assemblies have a length tolerance of 1.5% or  $\pm 3/8$ ", whichever is greater.

#### Environmental Specifications

##### Temperature

Operating Range -55 to +165 deg C

#### Compliance Certifications (see [product page](#) for current document)

#### Plotted and Other Data

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#### How to Order

Part Number Configuration:

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Unit of Measure:  
cm = Centimeters  
<blank> = Inches  
Length  
Base Number

Example: PE3C4389-12 = 12 inches long cable  
PE3C4389-100cm = 100 cm long cable

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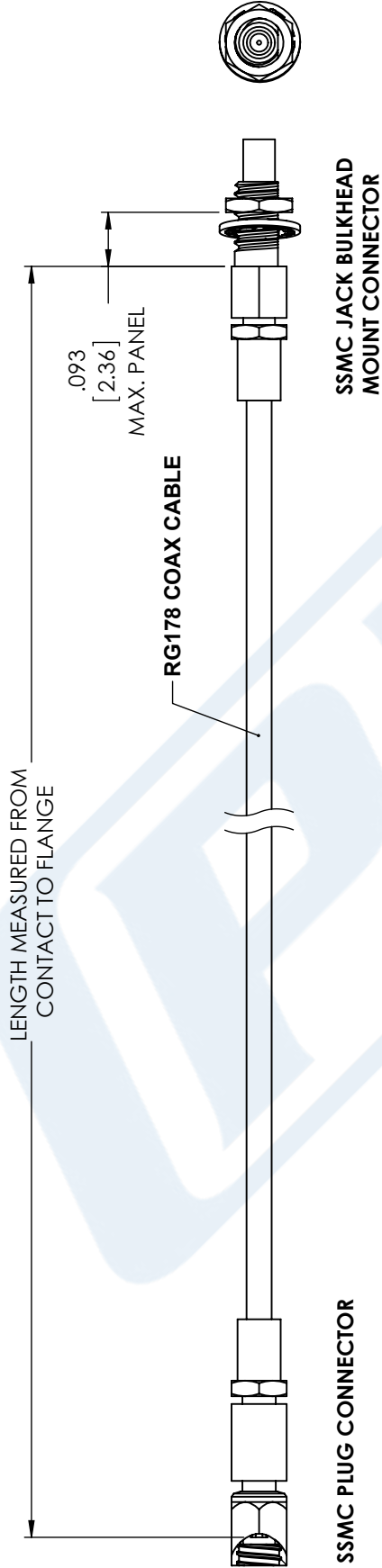
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# PE3C4389 CAD Drawing

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**STANDARD TOLERANCES**

.X ±0.2  
 .XX ±0.01  
 .XXX ±0.005

\*STANDARD TOLERANCES APPLY ONLY TO DIMENSIONS IN INCHES



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NOTES:  
 1. UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED ALL DIMENSIONS ARE NOMINAL.  
 2. ALL SPECIFICATIONS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE AT ANY TIME  
 3. DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES [mm].

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