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# **N5 ANT SoC Module Series**

# ANT® Operation (when loaded with the latest S210 or S310 SoftDevice)

- 79 selectable RF channels (2402 to 2480 MHz)
- Simple to complex network topologies: peer-topeer, star, tree, star-to-star and more
- Broadcast, acknowledged, and burst data communication modes
- · Built-in device search and pairing
- Built-in interference handling and radio coexistence management with application radio disable requests and application flash write/erase requests
- Enhanced ANT features
  - Supports up to 15 logical channels each with configurable channel periods (5.2ms 2s)
  - Advanced burst data transfer modes (up to 60kbps)
  - Optional channel encryption mode (AES-128)
  - Supports up to 8 public, private and/or managed networks
  - Advanced power management features to optimize application power consumption including Event Filtering and Selective data updates
  - Asynchronous transmit channel
  - Fast channel initiation

# ANT/BLUETOOTH® Low Energy Peripheral Operation (when loaded with the latest S310 SoftDevice)

- ANT operation functions as S210
- BLUETOOTH 4.1 compliant low energy singlemode protocol stack
  - Link Layer
  - L2CAP,ATT, and SM protocols
  - GATT, GAP, and L2CAP APIs
  - Peripheral and Broadcaster roles
  - GATT Client and Server
  - Full SMP support including MITM and OOB pairing



#### **Module Hardware**

- Integrated PCB meander antenna
- On-board 32 kHz and 16 MHz crystal clocks
- 1.8V to 3.6V supply voltage range
- DC/DC converter
- Operating temperature:
  - -25°C to +75°C (N5150 and N548)
  - -40°C to +85°C (N550)
- 24 GPIOs (LGA package)
- Programmable output per channel from -20dBm up to +4dBm
- Excellent receiver sensitivity
  - -90dBm ANT mode
  - -93dBm BLE mode
- 1dBm resolution RSSI
- Total 256kB embedded flash memory and 16kB/32kB RAM
- SPI, I2C and UART interface
- ARM SWD interface
- 14.0x9.8x2.0mm (LGA package)
- Drop-in compatible options with AP2/C7 modules
- Radio regulatory approval for major markets
- BLUETOOTH SIG qualification
- RoHS compliant

### **Series Members**

- N5150M8CD, N5150M4CD, N5150M5CD
- N550M8CC, N550M4CC
- N548M8CB, N548M4CB, N548M5CB

All these modules are pre-loaded with the S210 SoftDevice, the ANT-WP bootloader and an ANT network processor application code

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### 1 N5 ANT SoC Module Series

Based on Nordic Semiconductor's nRF51422 SoC, the N5 ANT SoC module series offers support for both ANT® and Bluetooth® low energy and enables both protocols to run concurrently, depending on the loaded protocol stack.

The N5 ANT SoC module series starts with the M8 model in a 14.0mm x 9.8mm x 2.0mm LGA (Land Array Grid) package. A compact design meeting the market requirements for small, light and wearable, the M8 model is a turnkey system hardware solution including antenna, onboard 32 kHz and 16 MHz crystal clocks, DC/DC converter and 24 GPIOs with 6 analogue inputs.

The N5 modules are pre-programmed with the following software components:

- S210 SoftDevice (scalable ANT protocol stack with max. 15 channels)
- ANT network processor application
- ANT-WP (Wireless Programming) bootloader

SoftDevices are protocol stack solutions from Nordic Semiconductor for the nRF51 SoCs. There are multiple SoftDevice choices available from the Nordic Semiconductor's web site. The ANT network processor application provides the standard ANT serial interface front-end that is connectable to an external application controller. The ANT-WP bootloader allows over-the-air updates of any software components on the N5 module.

The N5 module's pre-programmed image can be easily replaced via the onboard SWD interface pins using off-the-shelf ARM programming tools or over the air using the pre-loaded ANT-WP bootloader.

Pin compatible options for the 20mm x 20mm AP2 or C7 modules from Dynastream are also available. In these M4 and M5 model options, N5 M8 models are soldered on carrier boards that are pin compatible to the previous modules. Current AP2 or C7 module customers can easily use these models to evaluate the hardware and upgrade their products.

The N5 module series, if loaded with the ANT and/or BLUETOOTH low energy stack has been certified to comply with radio regulation or standards covering major markets include North America, Europe, Australia, New Zealand and Japan. The N5 ANT SoC modules series has also been qualified by the BLUETOOTH SIG.

### 1.1 Nomenclature

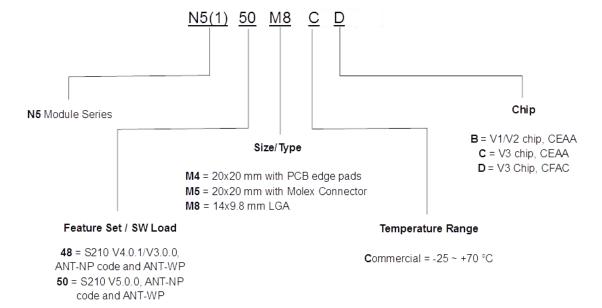


Figure 1: N5 ANT SoC Module Series Nomenclature



### 1.2 Production Tracking Code

For technical support and customer service purposes, a production code of three characters is laser marked on the RF shield as illustrated below. In the code, YW denotes production date code and R denotes module version.



**Figure 2: Production Tracking Code** 

Please refer to Appendix C: N5 Module Pre-Loaded Software Versions for differences and important notes of each version.

### 1.3 Models

|  |                         |                     |   |                   |                   | Preloaded Software |                |                |
|--|-------------------------|---------------------|---|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|----------------|----------------|
|  | Part Number             | Size (mm)           | Connection  | Chip              | RAM Size          | SoftDevice         | ANT-NP         | ANT-WP         |
|  | N5150M8CD               | 14.0 x 9.8 x<br>2.0 | LGA package,<br>31 pads, 24<br>GPIOs.                 | nRF51422-CFAC, V3 | 32k               | S210 V5.0.0        | BAW4.0<br>0B00 | BFD2.00<br>B00 |
| ESPANIE S  | N550M8CC                |                     |   | nRF51422-CEAA, V3 | 16k               |                    |                |                |
| Table Model  | N548M8CB <sup>(1)</sup> |                     |   | nRF51422-CEAA, V2 | 16k               | S210 V4.0.1        | BAW3.0<br>0B00 | BFD1.00<br>B00 |
| CSR/SCSSSS   | N5150M4CD               | 20.0 x 20.0         | 17 pins, SMT mount, 13 GPIOs  20 pin Molex connector. | nRF51422-CFAC, V3 | 32k               | S210 V5.0.0        | BAW4.0<br>0B00 | BFD2.00        |
| RESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY OF | N550M4CC                |                     |   | nRF51422-CEAA, V3 | 16k               |                    |                | B00            |
|  | N548M4CB <sup>(1)</sup> |                     |   | GPIOS             | nRF51422-CEAA, V2 | 16k                | S210 V4.0.1    | BAW3.0<br>0B00 |
| 27克雷州 。  | N5150M5CD               |                     |   | ·                 | nRF51422-CFAC, V3 | 32k                | S210 V5.0.0    | BAW4.0<br>0B00 |
|  | N548M5CB <sup>(1)</sup> | 20.0 x 20.0         | programming<br>connector. 13<br>GPIOs                 | nRF51422-CEAA, V2 | 16k               | S210 V4.0.1        | BAW3.0<br>0B00 | BFD1.00<br>B00 |

Note 1: Applies to rev B. Rev A module are pre-loaded with S210 V3.0.0 and BAW2.02B00 ANT NP code.

Table 1: N5 ANT SoC Module Series Model List

### 1.4 N5 ANT SoC Module Starter Kit

The N5 ANT SoC Module Starter Kit, ordering number "N5DK1", contains all the pieces you need to start evaluation and development using the N5 ANT SoC module, as well as the nRF51422 IC.



The kit contains the following hardware pieces as described in Table 2, with a pre-loaded application ready to be demonstrated when opening the box. Additional reference application code is available on <a href="https://www.dynastream.com/N5starterkit">www.dynastream.com/N5starterkit</a>. Most of the parts are orderable individually to create a more complex network.

| Order Number | Part Description   | Quantity |      |
|--------------|--|----------|------|
| N5150M5CD*   | Module with 20-pin Molex connector   | 2        |      |
| ANTBAT2      | Battery board with a Molex socket,<br>a reset button and a five-position<br>dip switch | 1        | ANT. |
| ANTIO1       | I/O board with a Molex connector, a<br>Molex socket, 4 LEDs and 4 buttons              | 1        |      |
| ANTUIF1      | USB Interface Board with a Molex socket  | 1        |      |
|              | Segger J-Link Lite Programmer  | 1        |      |

Note: Starter kits before the release of N5150M5CD contain N548M5CB instead.

Table 2: N5 ANT SoC Module Starter Kit



## 2 Product Overview

### 2.1 Block Diagram

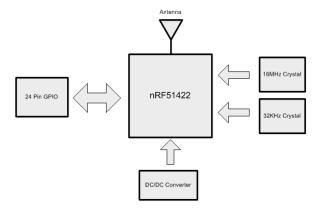
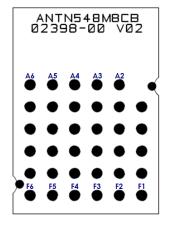


Figure 3: N5 ANT SoC Module Series Block Diagram

### 2.2 Pin-outs



|   | 6    | 5    | 4    | 3    | 2    | 1         |
|---|------|------|------|------|------|-----------|
| Α | GND  | GND  | GND  | GND  | GND  |           |
| В | VCC  | VCC  | P019 | P020 | P018 | RST/SWDIO |
| С | VCC  | VCC  | P022 | P016 | P013 | SWDCLK    |
| D | P024 | P021 | P023 | P025 | P015 | P012      |
| Ε | P030 | P000 | P004 | P006 | P011 | P009      |
| F | P031 | P002 | P001 | P003 | P005 | P008      |

Figure 4: N5 M8 LGA Bottom View

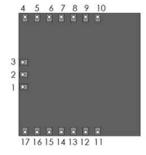


Figure 5: N5 M4 Bottom View



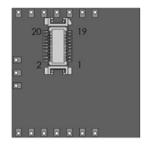


Figure 6: N5 M5 Module Bottom View

| N5 M8<br>LGA Pad | N5 M4 Pin | N5 M5<br>Molex<br>Connector | nRF51422<br>Pin Name | Description   |
|------------------|-----------|-----------------------------|----------------------|---|
| A2-6             | 4         | 19                          | GND                  | Power supply ground                                   |
| B1               | 2         | 10                          | RST<br>/SWDIO        | System reset. Also HW debug and flash programming I/O |
| В2               |           |                             | P018                 | GPIO  |
| В3               |           |                             | P020                 | GPIO  |
| B4               |           |                             | P019                 | GPIO  |
| B5, B6           | 3         | 1                           | Vcc                  | Power supply source                                   |
| C1               | 5         | 6                           | SWDCLK               | HW debug and flash programming I/O                    |
| C2               |           |                             | P013                 | GPIO  |
| C3               |           |                             | P016                 | GPIO  |
| C4               |           |                             | P022                 | GPIO  |
| C5, C6           | 3         | 1                           | Vcc                  | Power supply source                                   |
| D1               | 12        | 3                           | P012                 | GPIO  |
| D2               | 11        | 4                           | P015                 | GPIO  |
| D3               |           |                             | P025                 | GPIO  |
| D4               | 6         | 17                          | P023                 | GPIO  |
| D5               |           | 16                          | P021                 | GPIO  |
| D6               | 10        | 7                           | P024                 | GPIO  |
| E1               | 14        | 9                           | P009                 | GPIO  |
| E2               | 15        | 14                          | P011                 | GPIO  |
| E3               | 13        | 5                           | P006                 | GPIO / ADC input 7/ ADC reference voltage 1           |
| E4               |           | 20                          | P004                 | GPIO / ADC input 5                                    |
| E5               | 9         | 11                          | P000                 | GPIO / ADC reference voltage 0                        |
| E6               | 8         | 13                          | P030                 | GPIO  |
| F1               | 16        | 12                          | P008                 | GPIO  |
| F2               | 17        | 2                           | P005                 | GPIO / ADC input 6                                    |
| F3               | 1         | 8                           | P003                 | GPIO / ADC input 4                                    |
| F4               |           | 18                          | P001                 | GPIO / ADC input 2                                    |
| F5               | 7         | 15                          | P002                 | GPIO / ADC input 3                                    |
| F6               |           |                             | P031                 | GPIO  |

**Table 3: N5 ANT SoC Module Pin-Outs** 



### 2.3 N5 Module Preloaded Software

The N5 module is preloaded with the S210 SoftDevice, the ANT-WP bootloader, and the ANT Network Processor (NP) code as illustrated in Figure 7: Memory Map of the Preloaded Software. Depending on the module revision, the preloaded code varies. Please refer to Appendix C: N5 Module Pre-Loaded Software Versions.

- **S210 SoftDevice** Refer to nRF51422 S210 SoftDevice Specification
- ANT-WP Bootloader Refer to Appendix B: Using the ANT Bootloader for OTA Firmware Update
- ANT Network Processor Application Refer to Appendix A: Using the ANT Network Processor Configuration

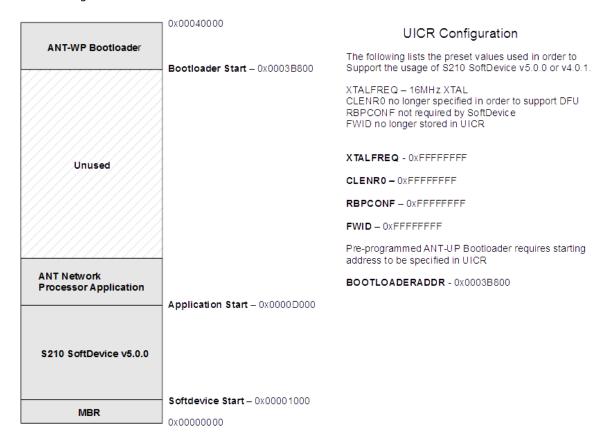


Figure 7: Memory Map of the Preloaded Software

### 2.4 N5 Module Programming

The N5 ANT SoC module series supports two programming methods:

- Standard Serial Wire Debug (SWD) interface
- Over-The-Air (OTA) updates using the preloaded ANT-WP bootloader (Not available for N548 Rev A)

These two programming methods are complementary. While the ANT-WP bootloader offers the convenience of programming wirelessly, it does consume some of the available application space. In case the space for the bootloader must be reclaimed for a large application, programming via SWD interface would be the option.

The three software components (the SoftDevice, the bootloader and the application code) must be version compatible to operate properly. Because each individual component can be reprogrammed, it is not safe to always assume the default factory image on a module by reading the module revision mark and referring to the history of



preloaded images as summarized in Appendix C: N5 Module Pre-Loaded Software Versions. When versions of the software components are unclear, to ensure proper operation after reprogramming, it is recommended that the module undergoes a full erasure (e.g. using the erase-all option in nrfjprog.exe/nRFgo Studio) and all desired software components be explicitly programmed onto the module.

Some reference application code is provided on http://www.dynastream.com/N5starterkit.

### 2.4.1 Programming via SWD Interface

The N5 ANT SoC Module series supports the Serial Wire Debug (SWD) interface SWDCLK and SWDIO (refer to Table 3). Programming and debugging of the module only require common available tools, such as the Keil software development environment and the Segger J-Link programmer.

Please refer to "nRF51422 Evaluation Kit - Developing with the MDK-ARM Microcontroller Development Kit" from Nordic Semiconductor for a specific reference on using the Keil software and J-Link programmer.

It is important to note that the BOOTLOADERADDR field in the UICR is set to the starting bootloader address location by default. If the desired programmed application needs to reclaim the bootloader region and/or if bootloader support is not required, then the BOOTLOADERADDR field in the UICR must be set to 0xFFFFFFF. The erase-all command via nrfjprog.exe/nRFgo Studio should reset this field. Please refer to Figure 7: Memory Map of the Preloaded Software.

### 2.4.2 Programming Over the Air

The pre-programmed SoftDevice and ANT-WP bootloader in the N5 ANT SoC Module provides over-the-air firmware update capability. The pre-programmed ANT Network Processor Application provides two methods of entry into the bootloader mode in order to perform the software updates. SoftDevice, bootloader and application code in the module can be changed or updated in this manner.

Please refer to Appendix B: Using the ANT Bootloader for OTA Firmware Update.

#### 2.4.3 Initializing the SoftDevice

The N5 module comes with 50ppm onboard 32 kHz crystal. When initializing the SoftDevice, it is important to set the crystal accuracy to be 50ppm. In the preloaded ANT Network Processor code, this line is used:

sd\_softdevice\_enable(NRF\_CLOCK\_LFCLKSRC\_XTAL\_50\_PPM, softdevice\_assert\_callback)

### 2.4.4 Configuring the DC/DC Converter

The N5 module can make use of the DC/DC Converter on supported nRF51422 chip revisions. This can improve power consumption under certain conditions.

sd\_softdevice\_enable(NRF\_CLOCK\_LFCLKSRC\_XTAL\_50\_PPM, softdevice\_assert\_callback)

#### 2.5 Design Considerations

RF performance is always affected by the environment. Good design makes a product less susceptive. Guidelines provided in this section are for recommendations only. Users should thoroughly test their products in the intended use cases and make necessary modifications and trade-offs.

For design assistance purpose, a STEP model package of all the three module types and an Altium library of the M8 module are provided online.

#### 2.5.1 M8 Module Mounting

Best RF performance is achieved by using 0.032" thickness FR4 under the module antenna and following the quideline on Figure 8.



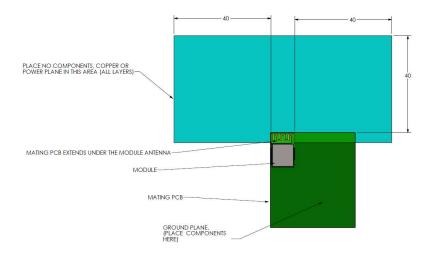


Figure 8: N5 M8 Module Mounting (all dimensions in mm)

### 2.5.2 M4 Module Mounting

Best possible RF performance is achieved when the module is placed such that the module antenna is protruding out from the mating PCB into free space as Figure 9. Place no exposed copper underneath the M4 module. If possible, place continuous ground plane under the module.

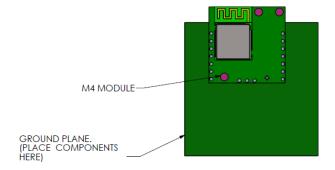


Figure 9: N5 M4 Module Mounting

### 2.5.3 M5 Module Mounting

The mating socket is Molex 52991-0208.

Note: The M5 module is provided for application prototyping and lab use. The M5 module should not be used to evaluate the RF performance of the N5 module family.

### 2.6 Assembly Considerations

### 2.6.1 Moisture Control

The moisture control of the module is rated at level 1 defined by IPC/JEDEC J-STD-020. The modules do not require special storage conditions provided:

- They are maintained at conditions equal to or less than 30 °C/85 % RH, and
- They are solder reflowed at a peak body temperature which does not exceed 260 °C



To ensure good solderability of the PCB pads, it is highly recommended to always have the modules intended for reflow well sealed when in storage.

### 2.6.2 Solder Stencil Design of M8 Module

The following reference stencil design is used to produce N5 M4 and M5 models.

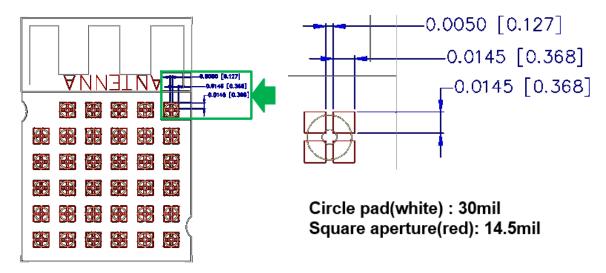


Figure 10: Solder Stencil Reference

### 2.6.3 Cleaning Process

The module is made using no-clean solder paste. No-clean process is recommended.



### 3 Regulatory Approvals and Compliances

The N5 ANT SoC module series, when loaded with ANT and/or BLUETOOTH low energy stack, has received regulatory approvals in the United States (FCC) and Canada (IC), and has been verified to conform to the appropriate regulations in Europe, Australia and New Zealand, and Japan. The module series has been qualified by BLUETOOTH SIG. Such approvals and qualification allow the user to place the module inside a finished product and, in most cases, not require regulatory testing for an intentional radiator, provided no changes or modifications are made to the module circuitry. This does not preclude the possibility that some other form of authorization or testing may be required for the finished product. Changes or modifications could void the user's authority to operate the equipment. The end user must comply with all of the instructions provided by the Grantee, which indicate installation and/or operating conditions necessary for compliance.

#### 3.1 United States

The N5 ANT SoC module series has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one of the following measures:

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

The N5 module series 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 N5 module series does not contain any user-serviceable parts. Unauthorized repairs or modifications could result in permanent damage to the equipment, and void your warranty and your authority to operate this device under Part 15 regulations.

The N5 module series is labelled with its own FCC ID, O6R2398 (note: First Character is the letter O, not the # 0.) If the FCC ID 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 Transmitter Module FCC ID: O6R2398" or "Contains FCC ID: O6R2398". Any similar wording that expresses the same meaning may be used.

#### 3.2 Canada

The N5 ANT SoC module series complies with Industry Canada licence-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.)

To comply with Industry Canada regulations, it is required that product containing the N5 module series display a label referring to the enclosed module. This exterior label can use wording similar to the following: "Contains IC: 3797A-2398"



This information shall be affixed in such a manner as not to be removable except by destruction or defacement. The size of the lettering shall be legible without the aid of magnification but is not required to be larger than 8-point font size. If the device is too small to meet this condition, the information can be included in the user manual upon agreement with Industry Canada.

### 3.3 European Economic Area

The N5 ANT SoC module series is declared to be in conformance with the essential requirements and other relevant provisions of Directive 1999/5/EC, as a low-powered unlicensed transmitter:

- IEC 60950-1:2005 (2nd Edition)+Am 1:2009+Am 2:2013,
   EN 60950-1:2006+A11:2009+A1:2010+A12:2011+A2:2013
   Information technology equipment Safety Part 1: General requirements
- EN 300 440-2 v1.4.1 Electromagnetic compatibility and Radio spectrum Matters (ERM); Short range devices; Radio equipment to be used in the 1 GHz to 40 GHz frequency range
- EN 300 328 v1.9.1 Electromagnetic compatibility and Radio spectrum Matters (ERM);
   Wideband transmission systems; Data transmission equipment operating in the 2,4 GHz ISM band and using wide band modulation techniques; Harmonized EN covering the essential requirements of article 3.2 of the R&TTE Directive
- EN 301 489-3 v1.6.1 Electromagnetic compatibility and Radio spectrum Matters (ERM);
   Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC); standard for radio equipment and services; Part 3:
   Specific conditions for Short-Range Devices (SRD) operating on frequencies between 9 kHz and 40 GHz
- EN 301 489-17 v2.2.1 Electromagnetic compatibility and Radio spectrum Matters (ERM);
   Electromagnetic Compatibility (EMC); standard for radio equipment and services; Part 17:
   Specific conditions for Broadband Data Transmissions

#### 3.4 Australia & New Zealand



The N5 ANT SoC module series has been tested and found to comply with

- AS/NZS 4268:2012 + A1:2013 Radio equipment and systems Short range devices Limits and methods of measurement
- AS/NZS CISPR 22:2009 + A1:2010 Information technology equipment Radio disturbance characteristics - Limits and methods of measurement

The ACMA supplier code number is N20233

### 3.5 Japan

The N548, N550 and N5150 models have been granted type certificate (mark number R203-JN6049). Standard applied:

Notification No. 88 of MIC 2004, 2.4GHz band wide-band low-power data communication system (item 19 of Article 2 paragraph 1)

### 3.6 BLUETOOTH Qualification

The N5 ANT SoC module series is listed as a Bluetooth End Product on the Bluetooth SIG Qualified Design List [Qualified Design ID 54799; Declaration ID is D022375]. Further use of this design to create subsequent BLUETOOTH implementations can be achieved without further qualification provided that the resulting implementation has no negative material impact on the BLUETOOTH performance or functionality of the design.



### 4 Electrical Specifications

### 4.1 Absolute Maximum Ratings

| PARAMETER                  | TEST CONDITIONS   | Min  | Max            | Unit |
|----------------------------|---|------|----------------|------|
| Supply voltage (VCC)       | All supply pins must have the same voltage                            | -0.3 | 3.9            | V    |
| Voltage on any digital pin |   | -0.3 | VCC+0.3, ≤ 3.9 | V    |
| Storage temperature range  |   | -40  | 85             | °C   |
| ESD                        | All pads, according to human-body model,<br>JEDEC STD 22, method A114 |      | 4              | kV   |
| ESD                        | According to charged-device model, JEDEC STD 22, method C101          |      | 500            | V    |

**Table 4: Absolute Maximum Ratings** 

Stresses beyond those listed under Absolute Maximum Ratings may cause permanent damage to the device. These are stress ratings only and functional operation of the device at these or any other conditions beyond those indicated under Recommended Operating Conditions are not implied. Exposure to absolute-maximum-rated conditions for extended periods may affect device reliability.

### 4.2 Recommended Operating Conditions

| PARAMETER   | Min | Max | Unit |
|---|-----|-----|------|
| Operating ambient temperature range, T <sub>A</sub> | -25 | +75 | °C   |
| Operating supply voltage                            | 1.8 | 3.6 | V    |

**Table 5: Recommended Operating Conditions** 

### 4.3 Industrial Temperature Range

The N550 modules are able to operate from -40°C to +85°C when the supply voltage is from 1.9V to 3.6V. For details, please refer to "nRF51422 Specification for Industrial Temperature Range" from Nordic Semiconductor.

### 4.4 Radio Operation Specifications and Antenna Characteristics

| nRF5142 Output Setting (dBm) | Peak Antenna Gain (dBi) | EIRP (dBm) |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|------------|
| 0                            | 0                       | 0          |
| +4                           | 0                       | +4         |

**Table 6: N5 Module Antenna Gain** 



| nRF51422 Output Setting (dBm) | Typical Radio current (mA)* |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 0                             | 10.5                        |
| +4                            | 16.0                        |

**Table 7: Current Consumption of Radio Operation** 

The following typical radiation pattern is recorded in an anechoic chamber at 2440MHz and 0dBm output following the recommended mounting guideline.

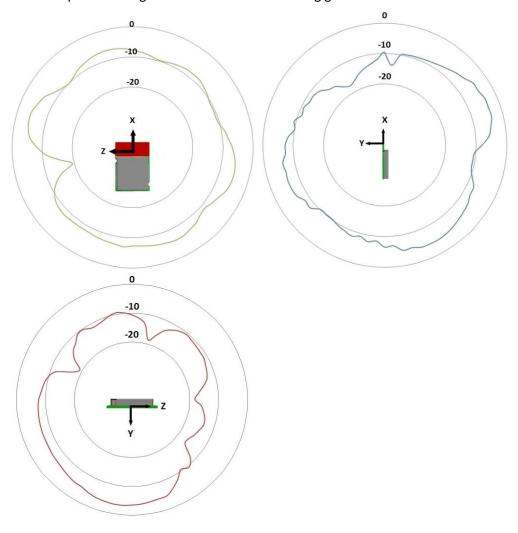


Figure 11: N5 M4 Module Typical Antenna Gain (dBi)

To understand and properly use the radiation pattern for your design, please refer to the application note: Interpreting RF Radiation Patterns.



<sup>\*</sup> Note: For additional information regarding radio current, please refer to the nRF51422 product specification by Nordic Semiconductor.

## 4.5 Electrical Specifications

Please refer to the nRF51422 Product Specification by Nordic Semiconductor.



## 5 Mechanical Drawings

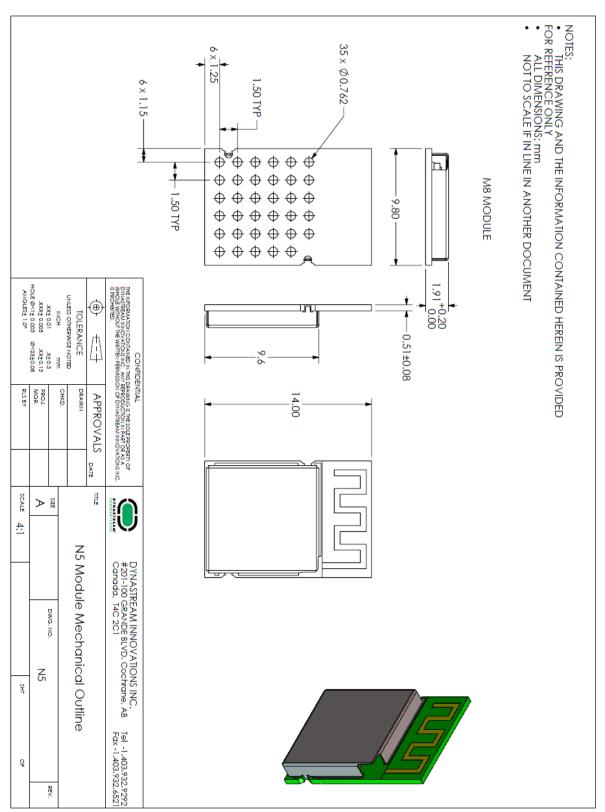


Figure 12: N5 M8 Mechanical Drawing



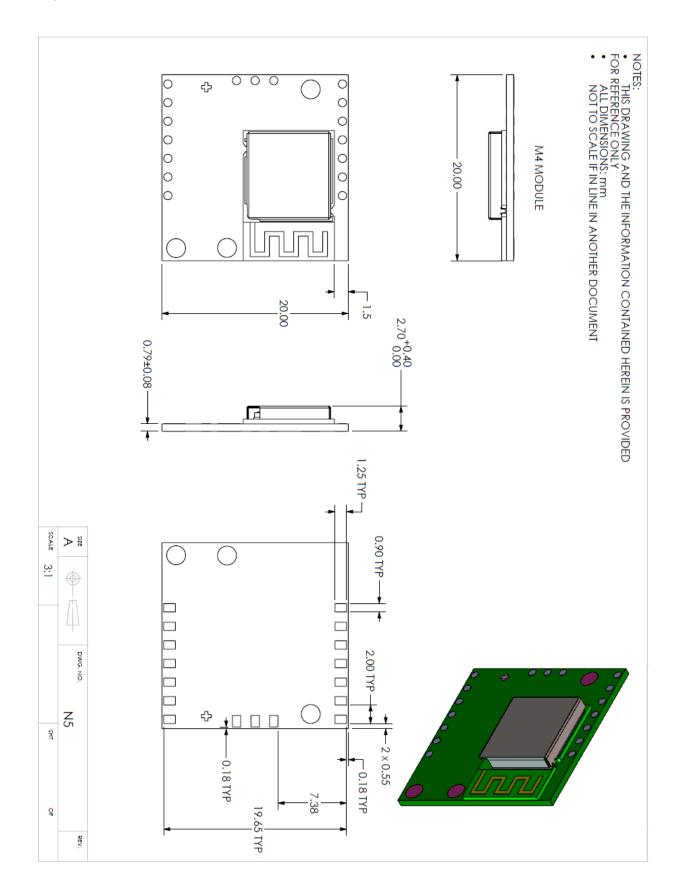


Figure 13: N5 M4 Mechanical Drawing



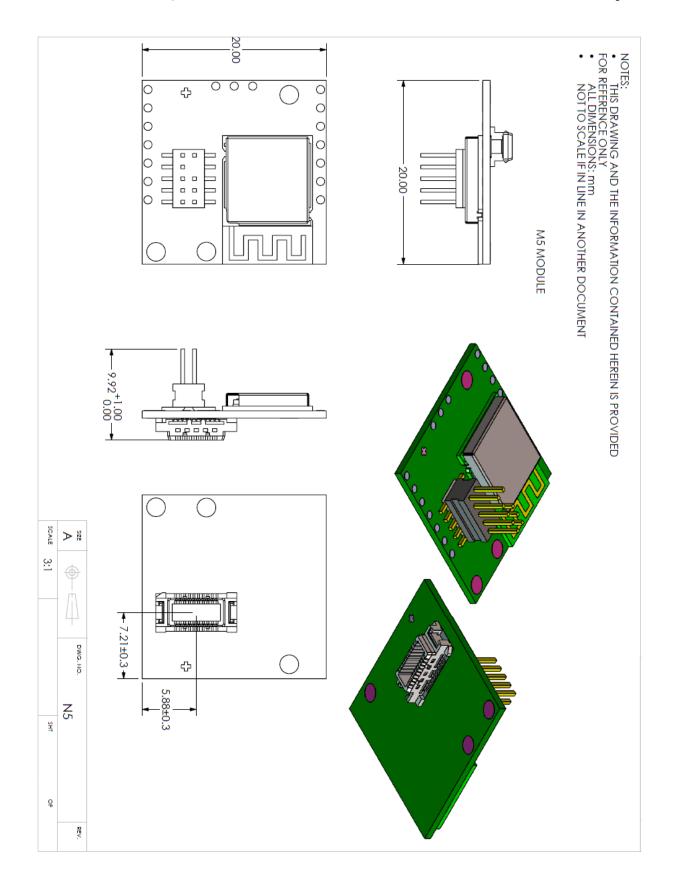


Figure 14: N5 M5 Mechanical Drawing



### 6 Support

The N5 ANT SoC module series uses nRF51422 from Nordic Semiconductor. Users can seek technical support from Nordic Semiconductor, <a href="www.nordicsemi.com">www.nordicsemi.com</a>. Users can seek application support from Dynastream Innovations, <a href="www.thisisant.com">www.thisisant.com</a>.

#### 6.1 ANT Forum

Users are encouraged to participate in the ANT forum moderated by the application engineering team of Dynastream Innovations for any engineering discussions. Joining the ANT forum is free and open at <a href="http://www.thisisant.com/forum">http://www.thisisant.com/forum</a>.

#### 6.2 Technical References

#### Documents:

- 1. nRF51422 Product Specification, Nordic semiconductor
- 2. nRF51422 Specification for Industrial Temperature Range, Nordic Semiconductor
- 3. nRF51 Series Compatibility Matrix, Nordic Semiconductor
- 4. nRF51822 and nRF51422 Product Anomaly Notification (PAN-028), Nordic Semiconductor
- 5. nRF51 Series Reference Manual, Nordic Semiconductor
- 6. nRF51422 S210 SoftDevice Specification, Nordic Semiconductor
- 7. nRF51422 S310 SoftDevice Specification, Nordic Semiconductor
- 8. nRF51822 S110 SoftDevice Specification, Nordic Semiconductor
- 9. nRF51822 S120 SoftDevice Specification, Nordic Semiconductor
- 10. S130 nRF51822 SoftDevice Specification, Nordic Semiconductor
- nRF51422 Evaluation Kit Developing with the MDK-ARM Microcontroller Development Kit, Nordic Semiconductor
- 12. N5 Starter Kit User Manual, Dynastream Innovations
- 13. ANT Message Protocol and Usage, Dynastream Innovations
- 14. Interfacing with ANT General Purpose Chipsets and Modules, Dynastream Innovations
- 15. ANT-FS Technical Specification, Dynastream Innovations
- 16. Application Note: Interpreting RF Radiation Patterns, Dynastream Innovations
- 17. Application Note: Over the Air Firmware Updates Using ANT-FS, Dynastream Innovations

#### Software:

- 18. S210 nRF51422 SoftDevice, Nordic Semiconductor
- 19. S310 nRF51422 SoftDevice, Nordic Semiconductor
- 20. S110 nRF51822 SoftDevice, Nordic Semiconductor
- 21. S120 nRF51822 SoftDevice, Nordic Semiconductor
- 22. S130 nRF51822 SoftDevice, Nordic Semiconductor
- 23. N5 Starter Kit SDK, Dynastream Innovations
- 24. N5 Starter Kit ANT IO Demo, Dynastream Innovations
- 25. OTA Updater a wireless firmware update tool, Dynastream Innovations
- 26. ANTwareII a system testing and debugging tool, Dynastream Innovations
- 27. ObservANT an ANT debugging tool, Dynastream Innovations

#### Design models:

- 28. N5 M8 Altium library, Dynastream Innovations
- 29. N5 module STEP mode, Dynastream Innovations

The above documents and software are available at <a href="https://www.nordicsemi.com">www.thisisant.com</a> and/or <a href="https://www.nordicsemi.com">www.nordicsemi.com</a>. User registration or supplier product code may be required.

### 6.3 ANT Developer's Zone

ANT development software tools, application notes, reference designs and other public resources are found in the ANT Developer's Zone at <a href="http://www.thisisant.com/developer">http://www.thisisant.com/developer</a>.

To begin development with the ANT+ interoperability, please become an <u>ANT+ Adopter or ANT+ Alliance member</u> to obtain the access to the ANT+ Adopter Zone. ANT+ documents and design tools contained in the ANT+



Adopter zone include the ANT+ Device Profiles, ANT-FS specification, ANT software (PC/Mac) libraries with source code, simulator tools (SimulANT+), embedded reference designs with source code, and more.

### 6.4 ANT and ANT+ Social Media

ANT is on the following social media sites,

YouTube: <a href="http://www.youtube.com/user/ANTAlliance">http://www.youtube.com/user/ANTAlliance</a>

Twitter: <a href="http://twitter.com/ANTPlus">http://twitter.com/ANTPlus</a>

Facebook: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/thisisant">https://www.facebook.com/thisisant</a>

LinkedIn: <a href="http://www.linkedin.com/groups?gid=1379137">http://www.linkedin.com/groups?gid=1379137</a>

