LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

Abbreviation	Details
ABW	Absolute Bandwidth
BPF	Bandpass Filter
BSF	Bandstop Filter
CPW	Co-planar Waveguide
CST	Computer Simulation Technology
CSRR	Complimentary Split Ring Resonator
DGS	Defected Ground Structure
DMS	Defected Microstrip Structure
DRS	Double Radius Stub
FBW	Fractional Bandwidth
FCC	Federal communications commission
FEM	Finite Element Method
EM	Electromagnetic
GD	Group Delay
GPS	Global Positioning System
HPF	Highpass Filter
HFSS	High Frequency Structure Simulator
IBPF	Interdigital Bandpass Filter
IF	Intermediate Frequency
IL	Insertion Loss
LNA	Low Noise Amplifier
LPF	Lowpass Filter

MCL Meandered Coupled-line

MMR Multi-mode Resonator

MPA Monopole Antenna

MWS Microwave Studio

PBG Photonic Bandgap

PCB Printed Circuit Board

PMA Planer Monopole Antenna

RL Return Loss

RO Roll-off

SFF System Fidelity Factor

SI Stepped-impedance

SIR Stepped-impedance Resonator

SIW Substrate-integrated Waveguide

SMA SubMiniature Version-A

S/N Signal-to-noise Ratio

UDGS U-shaped DGS

UWB Ultra-wideband

VNA Vector Network Analyzer

VSWR Voltage Standing Wave Ratio