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(54) **ANTENNA STRUCTURE**

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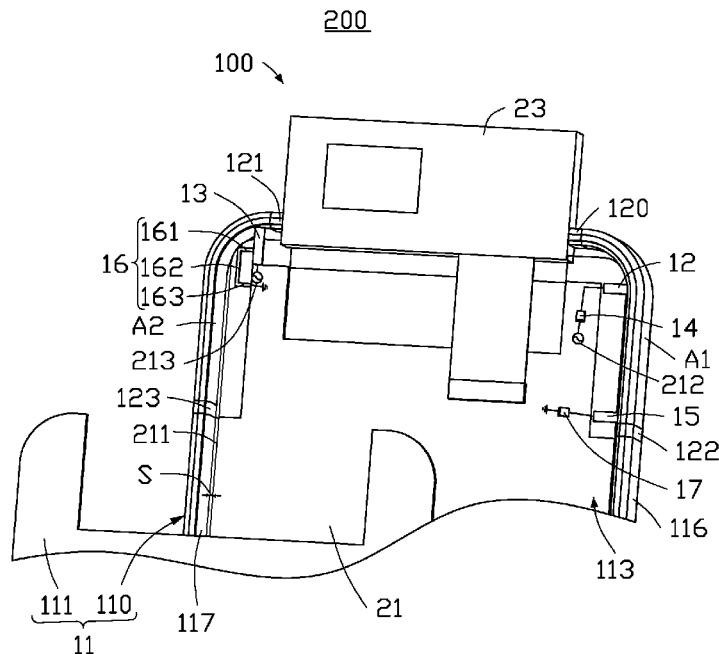
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

An antenna structure includes a border frame, a first feed portion, and a second feed portion. The border frame includes an end portion, a first side portion, and a second side portion. The border frame defines a first gap, a second gap, a first slot, and a second slot. The first gap and the second gap are disposed in the end portion. The first slot is disposed in the first side portion. The second slot is disposed in the second side portion. The first gap, the second gap, the first slot, and the second slot divide the border frame into two radiating portions. The first feed portion and the second feed portion are electrically coupled to the two radiating portions and supply current to the two radiating portions respectively.

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(54) **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MULTI-FEED MULTI-BAND MIMO ANTENNA SYSTEM**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

According to aspects of the disclosure, a multi-feed multi-band MIMO antenna system comprises at least two antennas orthogonally positioned with respect to each other, which are operating over two different frequency ranges; at least two out-of-band resonators coupled with the two antennas respectively; and, at least two other in-band resonators coupled with the two antennas respectively and designed to decrease mutual coupling in the frequency ranges, where the first resonator filters out signals having the second frequency range leaking into a first antenna, while the second resonator filters out other signals having the first frequency range leaking into a second antenna.

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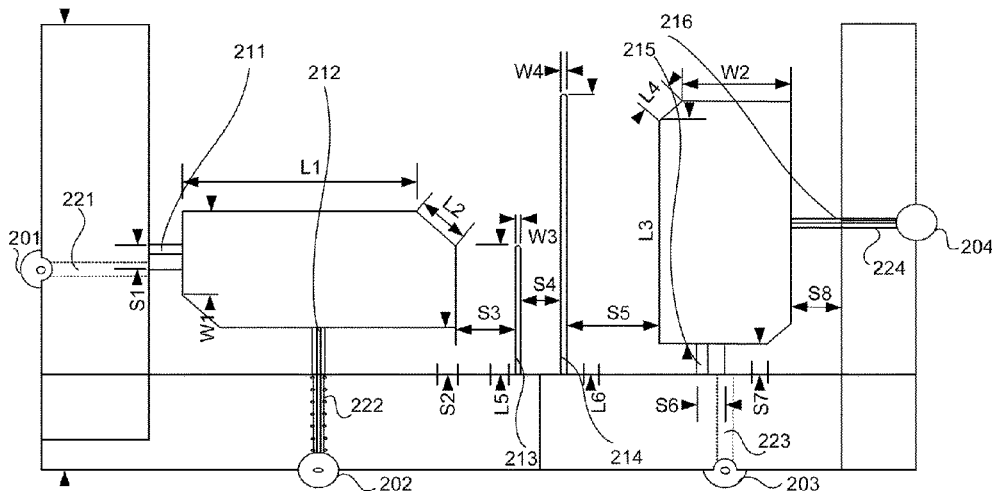
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(54) **ANTENNA FOR ELECTROMAGNETIC INTERFERENCE DETECTION AND PORTABLE ELECTRONIC DEVICE INCLUDING THE SAME**

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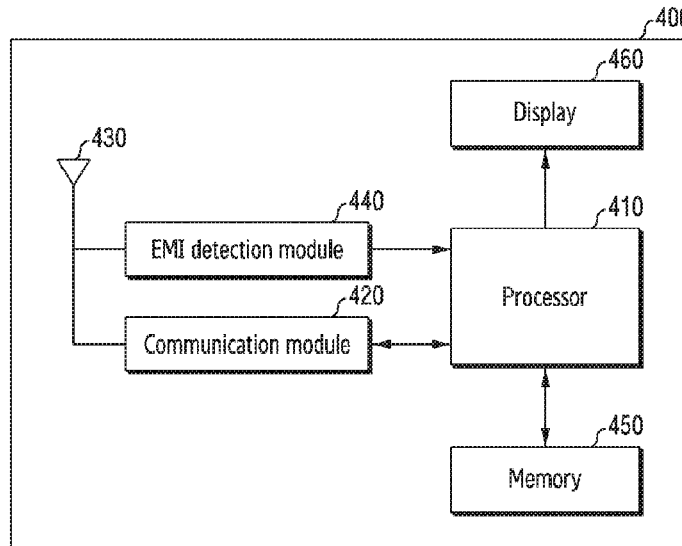
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

According to an embodiment, an electronic device may include a display, a Printed Circuit Board (PCB), a communication module comprising communication circuitry disposed to the PCB, an Electro Magnetic Interference (EMI) detection module comprising EMI detecting circuitry disposed to the PCB, at least one antenna electrically coupled to the communication module and the EMI detection module, and a processor, wherein the processor is configured to: output an image using the display, control a communication configuration of the electronic device with an external electronic device using the communication module, detect an EMI signal using the antenna and the EMI detection module, and perform a designated operation based on at least the detected EMI signal.

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(54) **CHIP-TYPE ANTENNA IMPROVED STRUCTURE**

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A chip-type antenna structure includes a baseboard, a matching element, a radiation single body and a frequency-modulation element. The baseboard includes a first-ground surface, a first-clearance area and a signal-feed-in unit. A second-ground surface, a second-clearance area, a third-ground surface and a plurality of via holes through the baseboard and electrically connected to the first-ground surface and the second-ground surface are arranged on the other side of the baseboard. The matching element is electrically connected between the signal-feed-in unit and the first-ground surface. One side of the radiation single body is electrically connected to the signal-feed-in unit through the via holes. The other side of the radiation single body is electrically connected to the third-ground surface. The frequency-modulation element is electrically connected between the second-ground surface and the third-ground surface to adjust the frequency-modulation element to adjust a receiving-transmitting frequency of the chip-type antenna structure.

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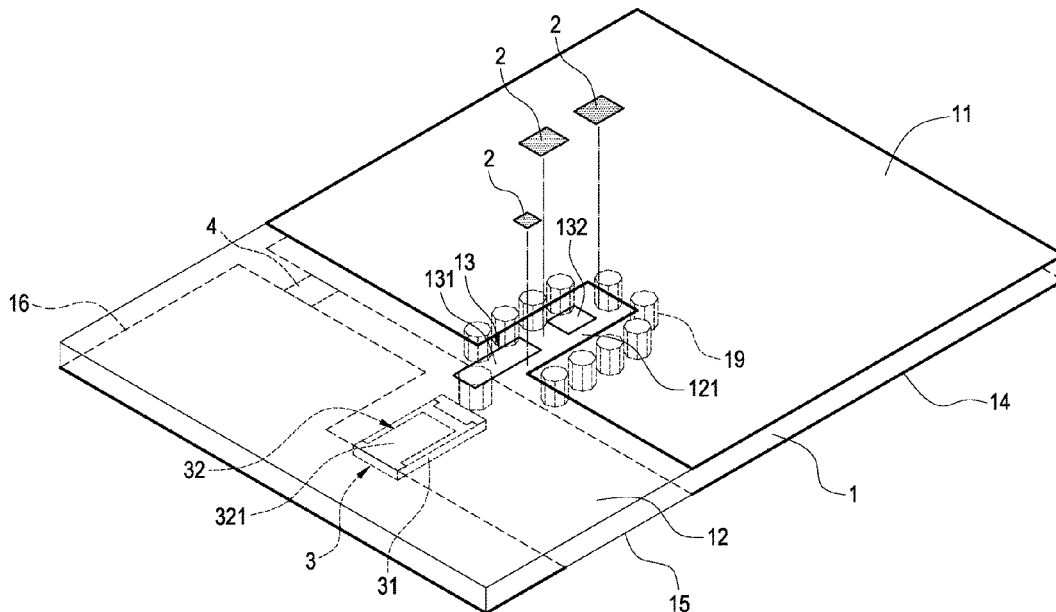
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(54) **ELECTRONIC DEVICE COMPRISING ANTENNA**

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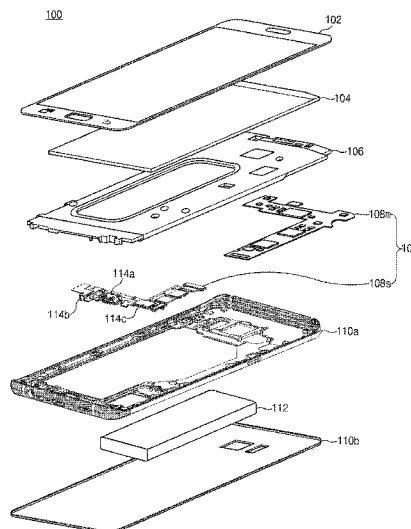
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

An electronic device according to an embodiment of the disclosure includes a first antenna element that includes at least a portion of a housing, a metal component that is disposed adjacent to the first antenna element within the housing, a second antenna element that is disposed adjacent to the metal component, and a communication circuit that supplies a power to the first antenna element and the second antenna element. The communication circuit may indirectly supply a power to the metal component through at least one of the first antenna element and the second antenna element, and the communication circuit may transmit/receive a signal in a specified frequency band through an electrical path that is formed by the first antenna element, the second antenna element, and the metal component. Moreover, various embodiment found through the disclosure are possible.

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(54) **COMBO SUB 6GHZ AND MMWAVE ANTENNA SYSTEM**

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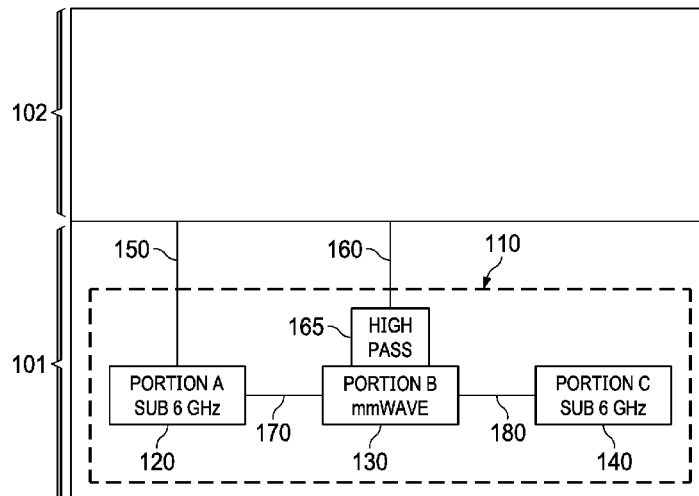
An embodiment antenna system includes a first antenna portion configured to transmit a first signal received from a first feed and a second antenna portion configured to transmit a second signal received from a second feed. The second antenna portion is capacitively coupled to the second feed and inductively coupled to the first antenna portion, and the second signal has a frequency greater than a frequency of the first signal.

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(54) **VERTICALLY POLARIZED MIMO ANTENNA AND TERMINAL HAVING SAME**

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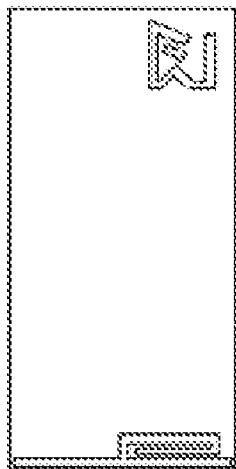
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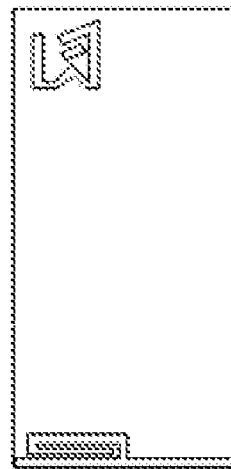
(57) **ABSTRACT**

Provided are a vertically polarized MIMO antenna and a terminal having an MIMO antenna. The antenna includes a primary antenna and a diversity antenna, where a radiation end of the diversity antenna is disposed vertically to a radiation end of the primary antenna. The terminal includes the above-mentioned antenna.

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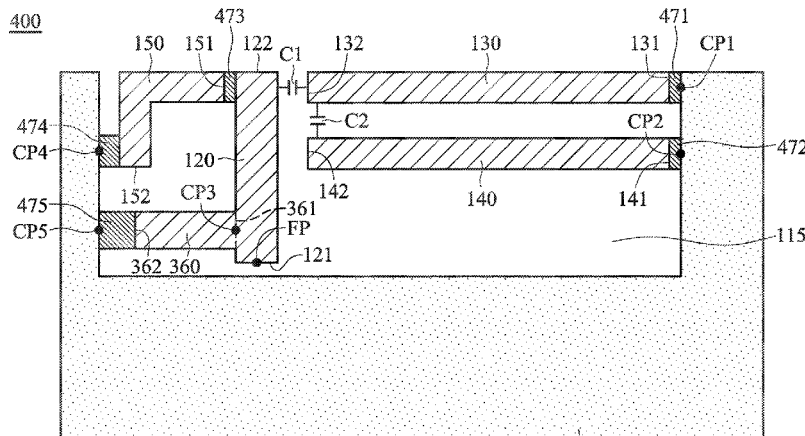
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

An antenna structure includes a ground element, a feeding radiation element, a first radiation element, a second radiation element, a third radiation element, a first capacitor, and a second capacitor. The ground element has a notch region. The feeding radiation element has a feeding point. The first radiation element is coupled to the ground element. The first capacitor is coupled between the feeding radiation element and the first radiation element. The second radiation element is coupled to the ground element. The second capacitor is coupled between the first radiation element and the second radiation element. The third radiation element is coupled to the feeding radiation element. The feeding radiation element, the first radiation element, the second radiation element, the third radiation element, the first capacitor, and the second capacitor are all disposed inside the notch region of the ground element.

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(54) **DUAL-BAND ANTENNA**

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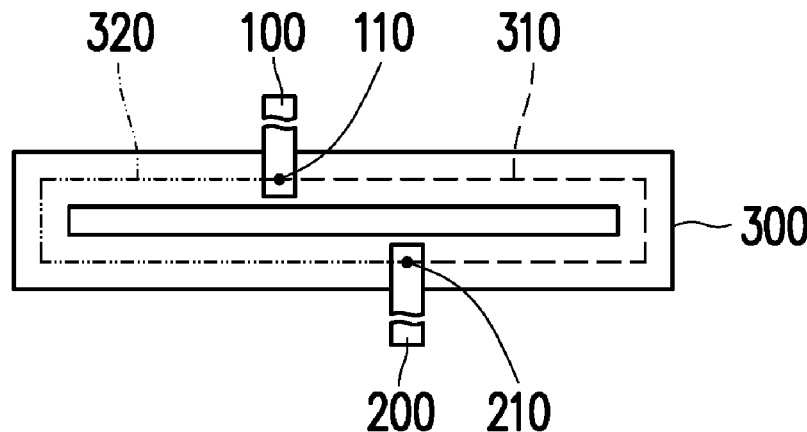
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(57) **ABSTRACT**  
A dual-band antenna is provided. The dual-band antenna includes a first antenna, a second antenna, and a grounding component. The first antenna has a first feed point for transmitting a first signal. The second antenna has a second feed point. The grounding component is electrically coupled to the first feed point and the second feed point, wherein the grounding component forms a first path and a second path between the first feed point and the second feed point, wherein a first path length of the first path and a second path length of the second path are integer multiples of a first wavelength of the first signal.

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(54) **ANTENNA APPARATUS AND ANTENNA MODULE**

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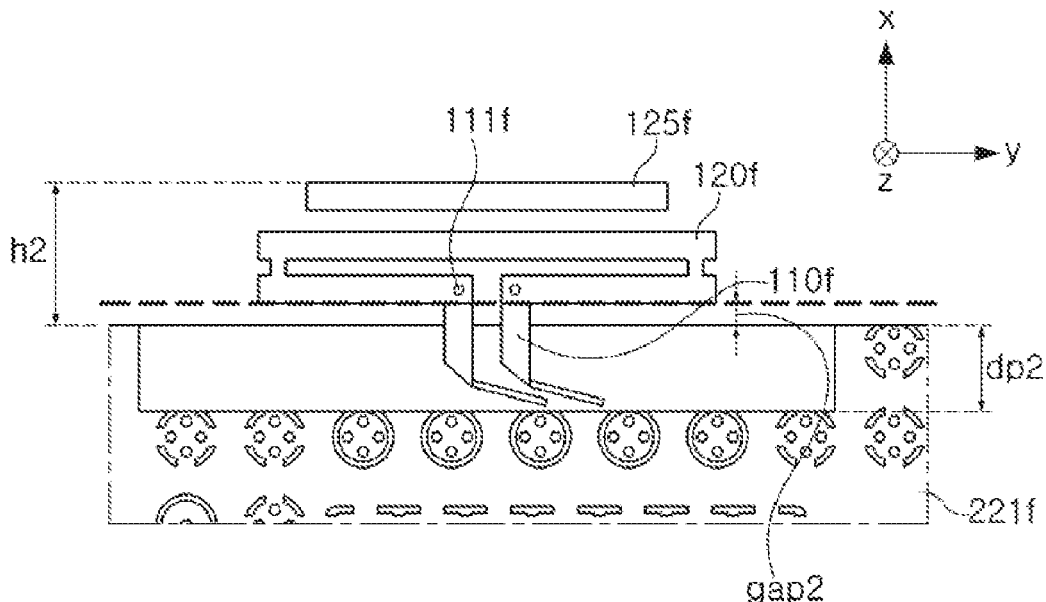
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

An antenna apparatus includes: a first ground layer; a second ground layer disposed on a surface of the first ground layer; an antenna pattern spaced apart from the first and second ground layers in a direction of the surface, and configured to transmit and/or receive a radio frequency (RF) signal; and a feed line electrically connected to the antenna pattern and extending from the antenna pattern toward the first ground layer in the direction of the surface, wherein the first ground layer includes a first region recessed, relative to the second ground layer, in the direction of the surface.

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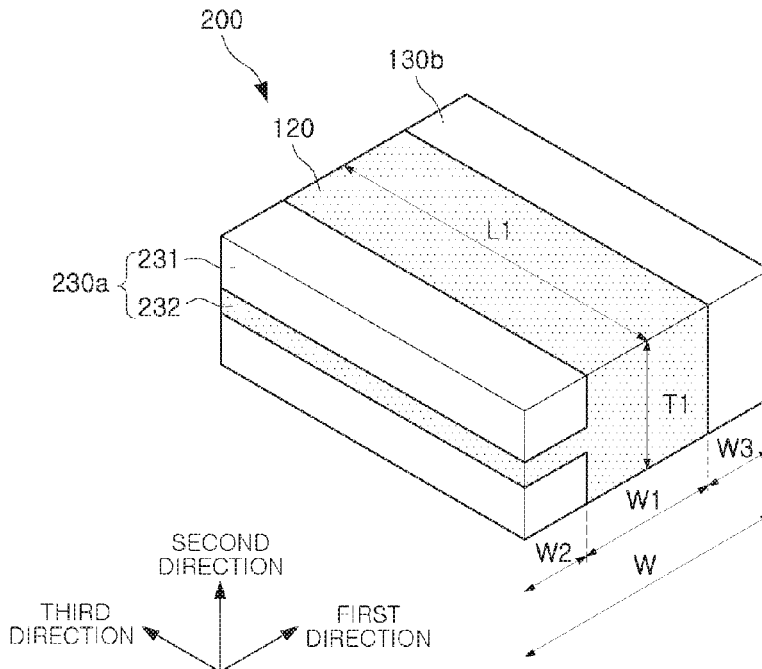
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A chip antenna includes: a body portion; a radiating portion disposed on one surface of the body portion in a width direction; and a ground portion disposed on another surface of the body portion in a width direction, wherein the radiating portion includes a dielectric substance and a conductor, and the dielectric substance and the conductor are respectively disposed in different regions in a thickness direction.

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(54) **PLANAR-SHAPED ANTENNA DEVICES,  
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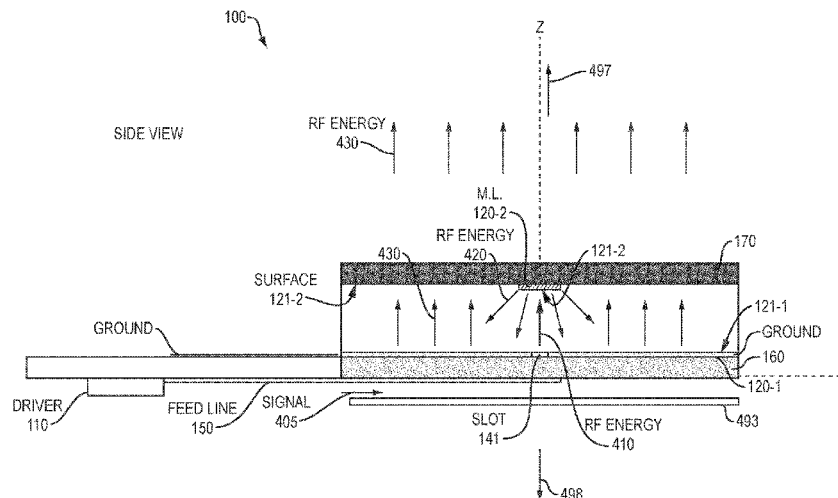
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

An antenna device as described herein includes a first metal layer and a second metal layer. The second metal layer is spaced apart from the first metal layer. The first metal layer includes an opening through which to transmit RF (Radio Frequency) energy to the second metal layer. The second metal layer is operable to reflect the RF energy received through the opening back to a surface of the first metal layer. The first metal layer is operable to reflect the RF energy (received from the reflection off the second metal layer) in a direction past the second metal layer through a communication medium. The surface area of the first metal layer is sufficiently larger than a surface area of the second metal layer to reflect the RF energy past the second metal layer into the communication medium. This ensures that the antenna device operates in a reflective mode as opposed to a resonant mode, resulting in high gain.

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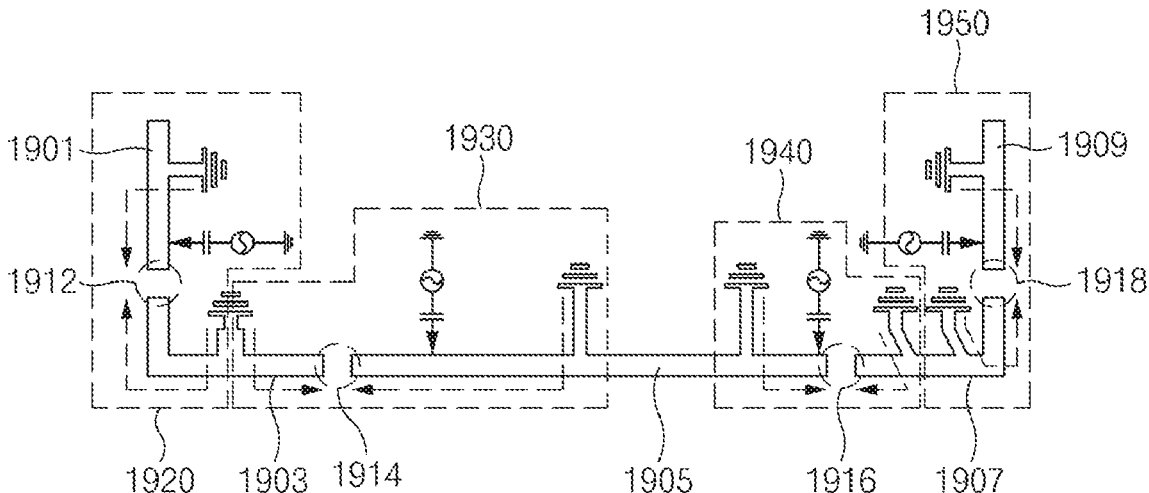
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An electronic device is provided. The electronic device includes a housing including a first surface, a second surface disposed facing an opposite side of the first surface, and a side surface configured to surround at least a portion of a space between the first surface and the second surface, a first elongated metal member configured to form a first portion of the side surface and including a first end and a second end, at least one communication circuit electrically connected to a first point of the first elongated metal member through a capacitive element, at least one ground member disposed in an interior of the housing, and a first conductive member configured to electrically connect a second point of the first elongated metal member to the ground member. The second point of the first elongated metal member is disposed closer to the second end than to the first point.

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(54) **ELECTRONIC DEVICE INCLUDING ANTENNA USING HOUSING THEREOF**

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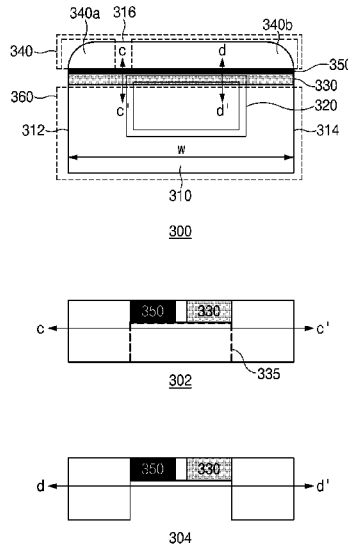
An electronic device includes a first antenna configured to transmit and receive a first signal of a first frequency band, and a housing in which the first antenna is accommodated, wherein the housing includes a first conductor having a first slit that at least partially overlaps the first antenna, wherein the first conductor is formed of a metal and at least a portion of the first slit is filled with a metal oxide. Additionally, the electronic device includes a second conductor configured to transmit and receive a second signal of a second frequency band, and a second slit formed between the first conductor and the second conductor, and wherein the second slit is filled with a material that has an external appearance that is different from that of the second conductor.

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According to various examples, an electronic device comprising: a housing, which is a foldable housing and includes a first housing part including a first surface and a second surface oppositely facing the first surface, a second housing part including a first surface facing the first surface of the first housing part when folded in a first direction, and a second surface facing the second surface of the first housing part when folded in a second direction, and a connection part connecting the first housing part and the second housing part; a communication circuit disposed inside the housing; a first antenna pattern disposed inside the first housing part; a second antenna pattern disposed inside the second housing part; a first display exposed to the first surface of the first housing part; a second display exposed to the first surface of

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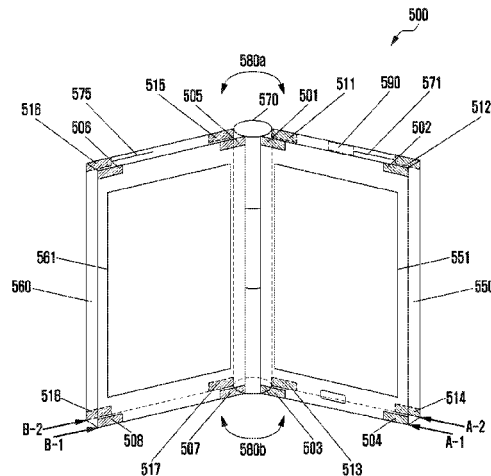
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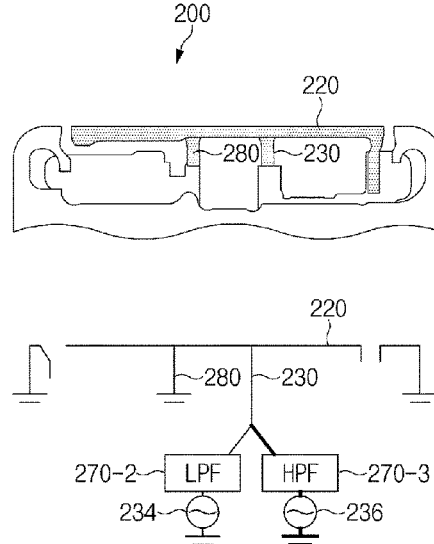
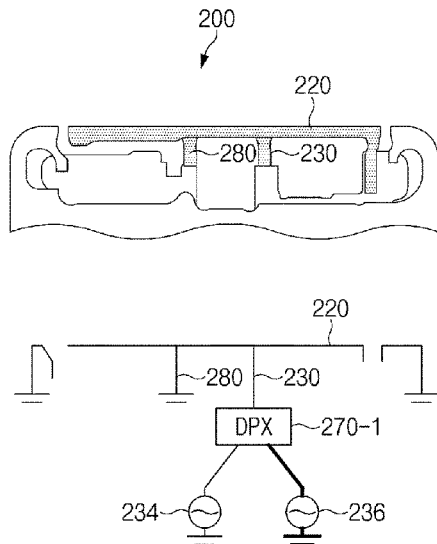
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

An electronic device may include a housing including a conductive area, a first conductive member comprising a conductive material in electrical contact with the conductive area, a first wireless communication circuit electrically connected to the conductive area, and a second wireless communication circuit electrically connected to the first conductive member. The first wireless communication circuit transmits and/or receives a first signal having a frequency of 6 GHz or less using the conductive area, and the second wireless communication circuit transmits and/or receives a second signal having a frequency of 20 GHz or more using at least part of the first conductive member and the conductive area.

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(54) **MULTI-ANTENNA SYSTEM AND ELECTRONIC DEVICE THEREOF**

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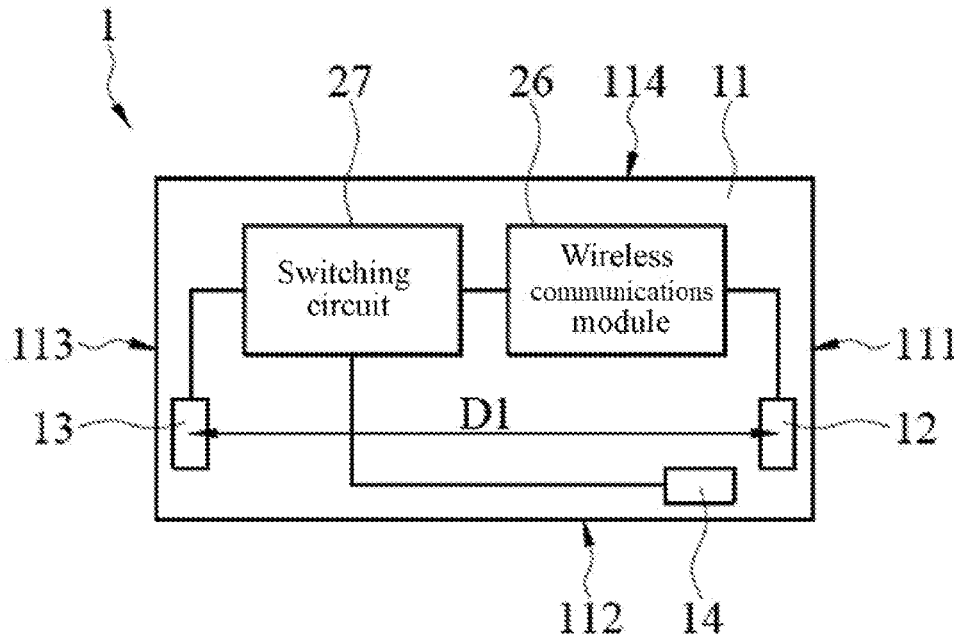
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A multi-antenna system includes a conductive plane with four adjacent sides, a main antenna unit disposed on any one of the four sides, a first secondary antenna unit disposed on any one of the four side, a second secondary antenna unit disposed on any one of the four sides of the conductive plane except the side on which the main antenna unit is disposed, a switching circuit disposed on the conductive plane and is selectively electrically connected to the first secondary antenna unit or the second secondary antenna unit and a wireless communications module disposed on the conductive plane and electrically connected to the switching circuit and the main antenna unit. The first secondary antenna unit is spaced apart from the main antenna unit by a spacing, where the spacing is greater than 0.5 times a wavelength distance of a low-frequency operating frequency of the multi-antenna system.

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(54) **ANTENNA MODULE AND ELECTRONIC DEVICE**

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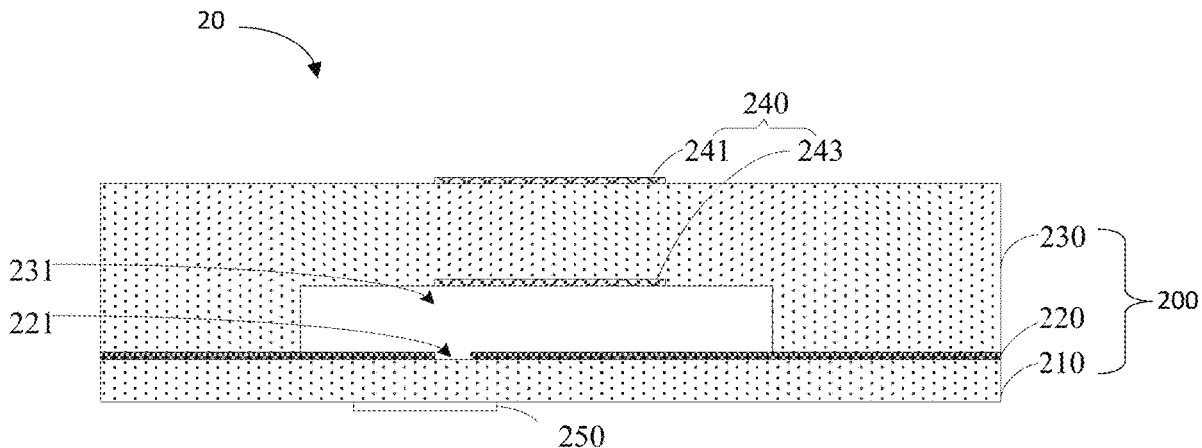
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

The present disclosure relates to an antenna module and an electronic device. The antenna module includes: a first dielectric layer; a ground layer arranged on the first dielectric layer, and provided with at least one slot; a second dielectric layer arranged on the ground layer, and provided with an air chamber communicated with the at least one slot; a stacked patch antenna including a first radiation patch and a second radiation patch, the first radiation patch being attached to a side of the second dielectric layer facing away from the ground layer, and the second radiation patch being attached to a side of the second dielectric layer provided with the air chamber; and a feeding unit arranged to a side of the first dielectric layer facing away from the ground layer, and configured to feed the stacked patch antenna by the at least one slot.

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(54) **ANTENNA SYSTEM WITH DECREASED SAR VALUE**

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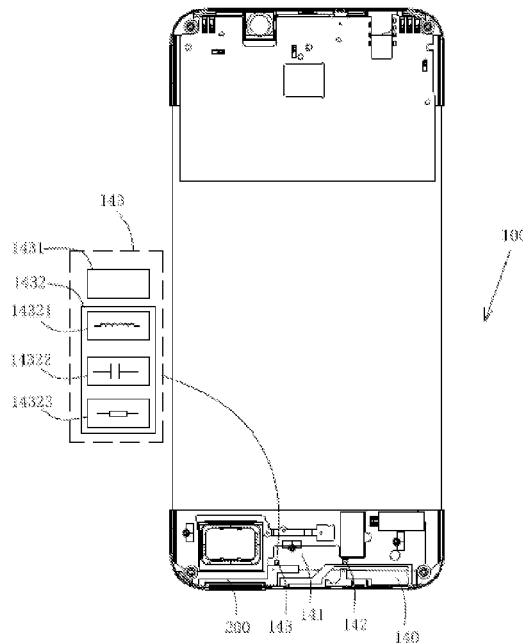
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

The present disclosure discloses an antenna system with decreased SAR. The antenna system includes a circuit board having a feeding point, an RF switch for making the antenna system work under a number of working modes with different frequency bands, and a system ground. The antenna further includes a radiation body including a feeding portion electrically connected to the feeding point, a ground portion connected to the system ground by the RF switch, and a connecting portion connecting the feeding portion to the ground portion. The ground portion includes a first metal segment for connecting to the connecting portion, and a second metal segment; the feeding portion includes a third metal segment and a fourth segment. The RF switch electrically connects to the second metal segment, and the feeding point electrically connects to the fourth segment. A method for decreasing the SAR value is also provide.

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(54) **ANTENNA AND MOBILE TERMINAL**

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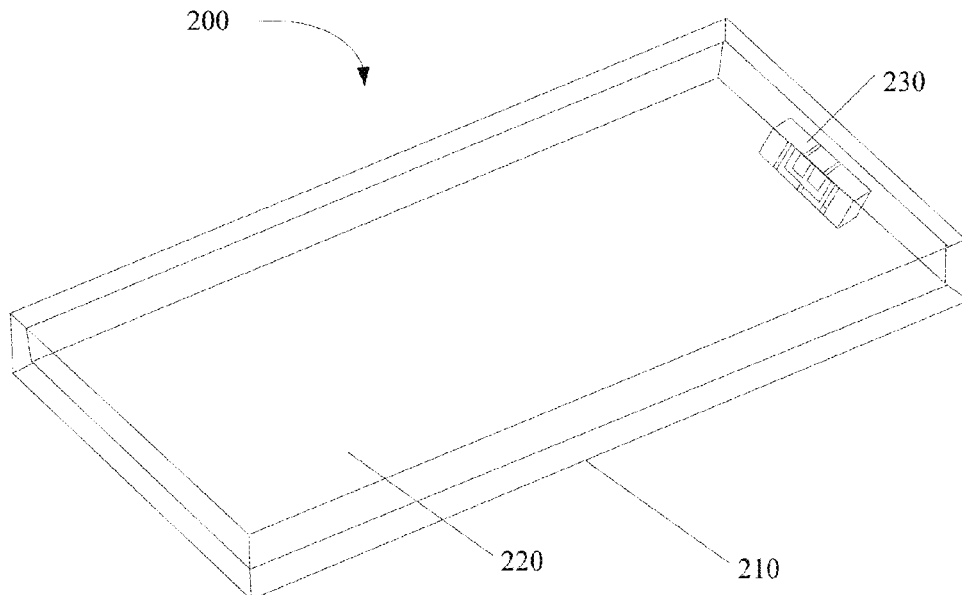
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

The application disclose an antenna. The antenna includes a first radiating element, a second radiating element, a third radiating element, and a closed ring, where the first radiating element is connected to a first feed point, the second radiating element is connected to a second feed point, and the third radiating element is connected to a third feed point; the closed ring is configured to be disposed in a clearance area of a ground plate, and configured to connect to the ground plate; the first radiating element, the second radiating element, and the third radiating element are connected by using a microstrip, to form a radiator; the third radiating element is disposed between the first radiating element and the second radiating element.

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The present disclosure provides an antenna system including a non-metallic housing. The non-metallic housing includes a top edge portion, a bottom edge portion provided correspondingly to the top edge portion, and a first long side edge portion and a second long side edge portion that connect the top edge portion with the bottom edge portion. The antenna system further includes seven antenna units provided on a periphery of the non-metallic housing. Compared with the related art, the antenna system provided by the present disclosure, by providing seven antenna units on the periphery of the non-metallic housing, achieves 3.3-3.6 GHz-4x4 MIMO, WIFI-2x2 MIMO, GPS, and 2G, 3G and 4G mobile communications.

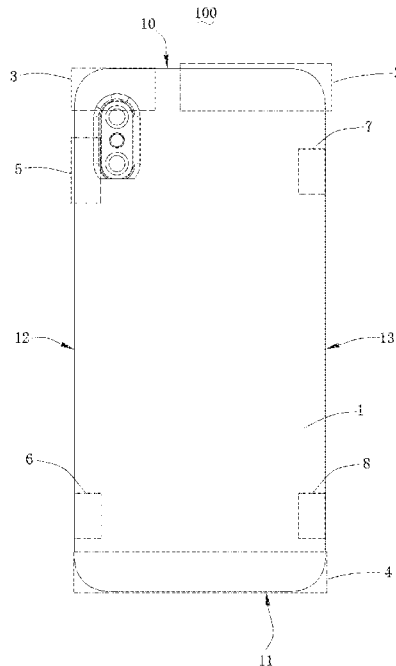
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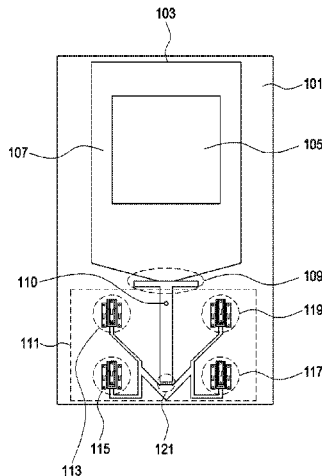
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A hybrid antenna used for an electronic device is disclosed. A hybrid antenna comprises: a substrate comprising a first surface and a second surface and having an insulator; a first conductive member disposed on the first surface of the

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(54) **DUAL-BAND CIRCULARLY POLARIZED ANTENNA STRUCTURE**

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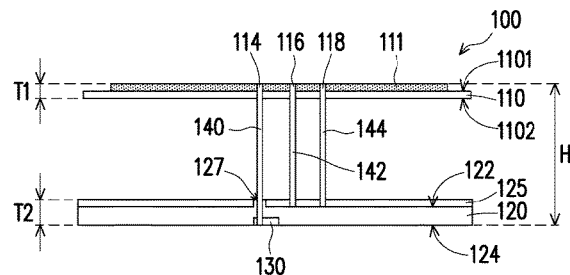
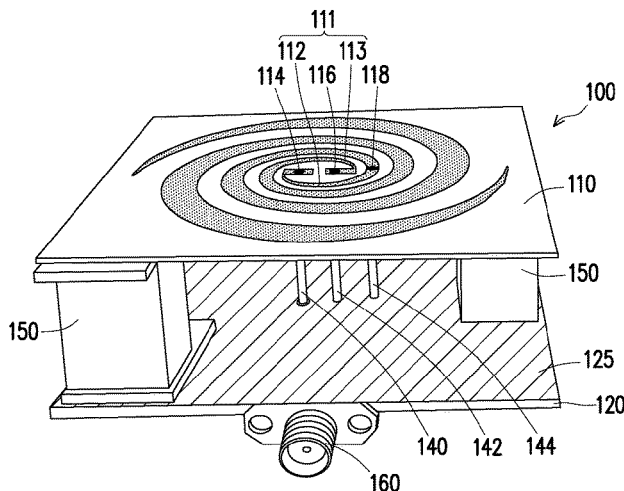
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A dual-band circularly polarized antenna structure includes a microstrip line, an antenna unit and a ground. The antenna unit includes a first radiator and a second radiator. The first radiator has a feed-in portion and a first spiral pattern. The first spiral pattern spirals outwardly from a starting point close to the feed-in portion. The second radiator has a first grounding portion and a second spiral pattern. The second spiral pattern spirals outwardly from a starting point close to the first grounding portion in a manner non-overlapping with the first spiral pattern. One of the first and the second radiators has a second grounding portion. The microstrip line and the antenna unit are arranged apart. The feed-in portion of the first radiator of the antenna unit is coupled to the microstrip line. The first and the second grounding portions are coupled to the ground.

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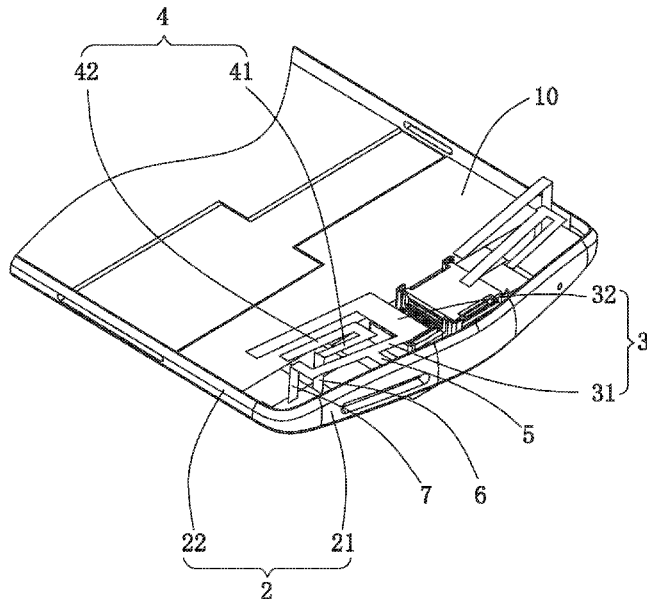
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(57) **ABSTRACT**  
The present disclosure provides an antenna system, including a mainboard having a system ground, a metal frame disposed around the mainboard and being closed-loop without any breakpoints, a first wire, a second wire, a third wire, a feed terminal, and a ground terminal. The system ground is electrically connected to the metal frame. The first wire is connected to the feed terminal and is opposite to and spaced apart from the metal frame, so that the first wire forms a first antenna unit. The second wire is connected to the ground terminal and is spaced apart from the first wire, and the second wire and the first wire are at least partially opposite, so that the second wire and the first wire are coupled with each other, to form a second antenna unit.

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- (54) **ARRAYS WITH FOLDABLE AND DEPLOYABLE CHARACTERISTICS**
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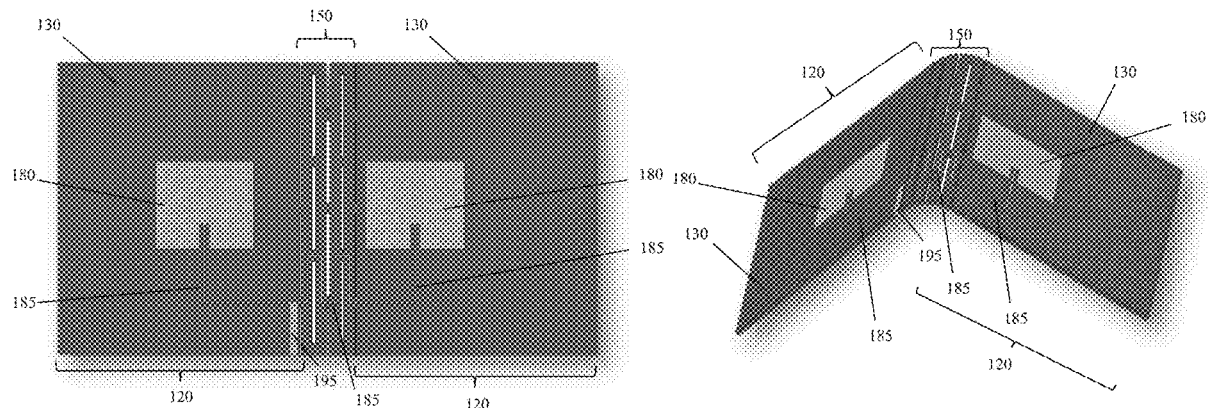
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(57) **ABSTRACT**  
Antenna devices are provided, including tightly coupled arrays, transmitarrays, and reflectarrays. An antenna device can include a plurality of substrates each having an antenna element. The substrates can be provided in connected series or in an array. The substrates can be part of an origami array such that the entire array is foldable. The substrates can optionally be attached to a framework that can actuate the substrates to different configurations. By bending, folding, or otherwise repositioning the substrates/array, the electromagnetic characteristics of the antenna device can be easily reconfigured for the desired task.

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(54) **ANTENNA-IN-PACKAGE SYSTEM AND MOBILE TERMINAL**

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An antenna-in-package system and a mobile terminal are provided. The mobile terminal includes a main board. The antenna-in-package system includes a substrate, a metal antenna provided on a side of the substrate facing away from the main board, an integrated circuit chip provided on a side of the substrate close to the main board, and a circuit provided in the substrate and connecting the metal antenna to the integrated circuit chip. The circuit is connected to the main board. The metal antenna is a patch antenna simultaneously fed with power by two feeding points. The two feeding points are used to excite electromagnetic waves in different bands. The antenna-in-package system provided by the present disclosure achieves dual-band coverage of 28 GHz and 39 GHz, and a size is reduced to 18x5 mm, so that an occupied area is greatly reduced, and a gain reduction is small.

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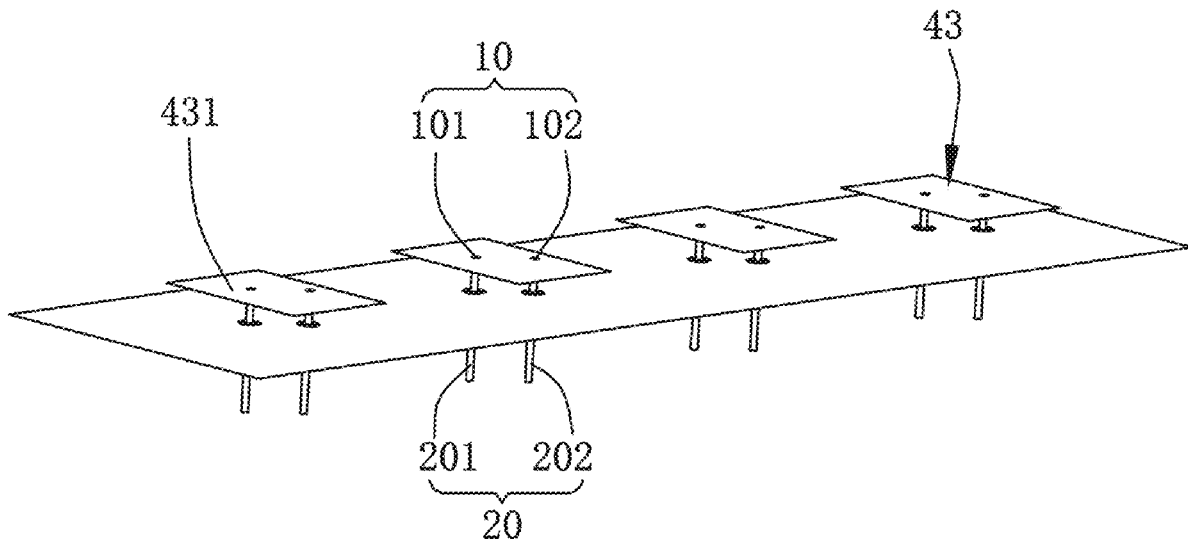
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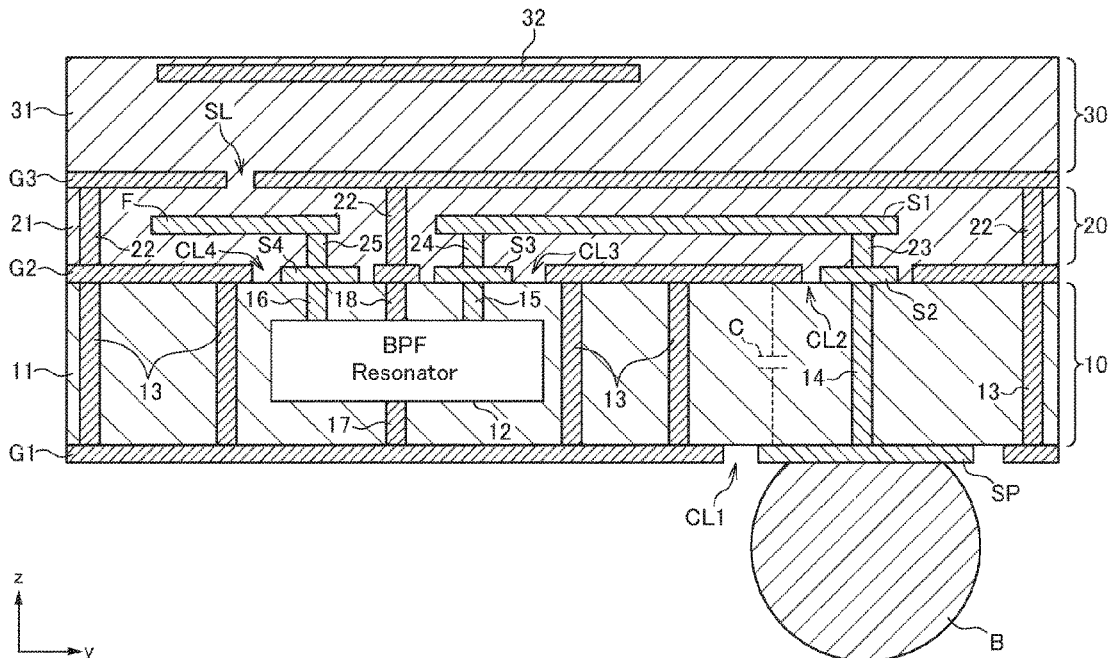
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(57) **ABSTRACT**  
Disclosed herein is an antenna module that includes a circuit layer having a filter circuit, an antenna layer having a radiation conductor, a wiring layer having a connection wiring, a first ground pattern provided on a surface of the circuit layer, a second ground pattern provided between the circuit layer and the wiring layer, a third ground pattern provided between the wiring layer and the antenna layer, and a signal terminal provided on the surface of the circuit layer where the first ground pattern is cut away. The clearance region is located so as not to overlap the filter circuit as viewed in a lamination direction. The signal terminal is connected to the filter circuit through a pillar conductor penetrating the circuit layer and the connection wiring. The radiation conductor receives power through a feed pattern connected to the filter circuit.

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(54) **DUAL-POLARIZED ANTENNA**

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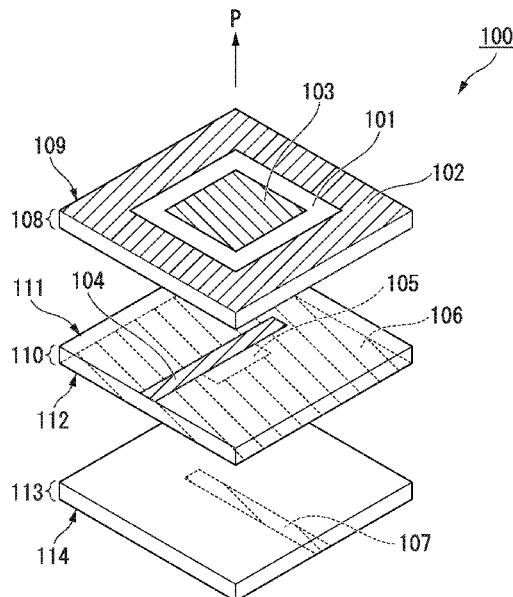
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A method for producing a dual-polarized antenna includes providing first, second and third dielectric substrates with first and second main surfaces. The method includes patterning a conductive film on the first main surface of the first dielectric substrate to form a first ground conductor having an opening and a metal patch as a radiation element, the patch aligned to the opening in a lamination direction, patterning a conductive film on the first main surface of the second dielectric substrate to form a first feed probe configured to excite the metal patch, patterning a conductive film on the second main surface of the second dielectric substrate to form a second ground conductor having a slot generally parallel to the first feed probe, and patterning a conductive film on the second main surface of the third dielectric substrate to form a second feed probe generally perpendicular to the slot.

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(54) **ANTENNA ARRAYS INTEGRATED INTO AN ELECTROMAGNETIC TRANSPARENT METALLIC SURFACE**

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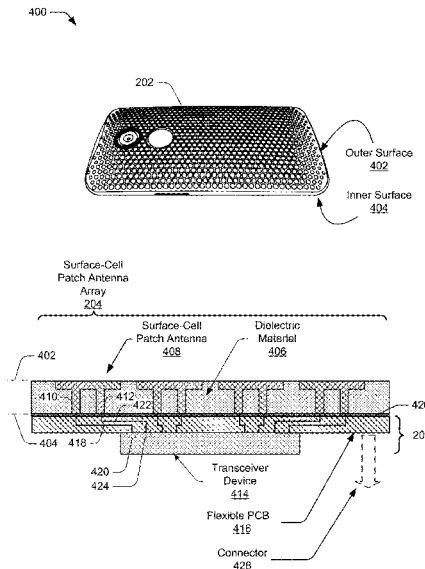
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

The present disclosure describes one or more aspects of surface-cell patch antenna arrays integrated as part of a user equipment housing. As part of integration, surface-cell patch antennas are formed from surface-cells that comprise an electromagnetic-transparent metallic surface proximate an outer surface of the housing. The surface-cell patch antennas, in turn, form a surface-cell patch antenna array. A transceiver module, disposed proximate an inner surface of the user equipment housing, includes a transceiver device and a flexible printed circuit board having traces that electrically couple the transceiver device to the surface-cell patch antenna array. The described aspects alleviate manufacturing and design challenges that are associated with use of patch array modules.

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(54) **ANTENNA MODULE AND COMMUNICATION DEVICE**

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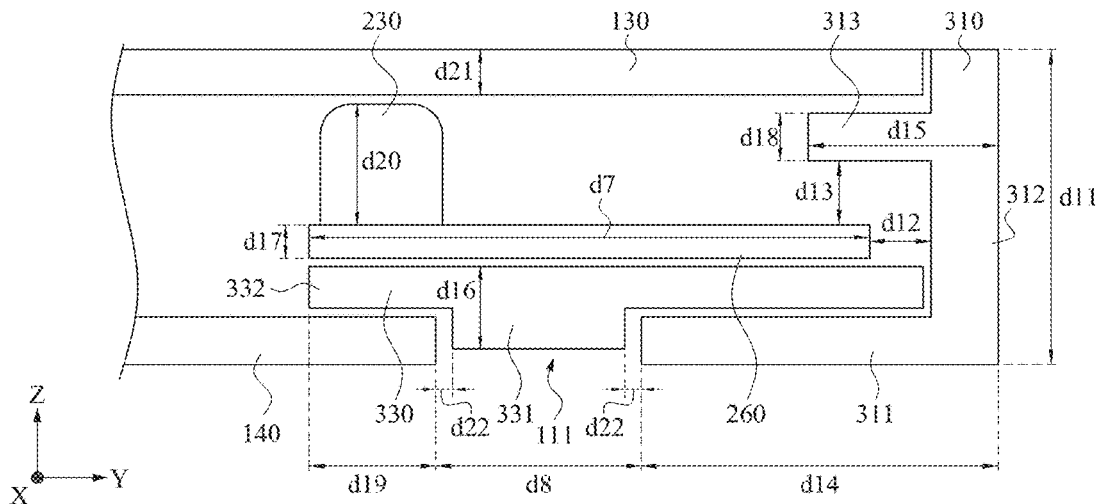
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

An antenna module includes a metal board, an inverted F metal plate and an antenna unit. A slot is provided between the inverted F metal plate and the metal board, the inverted F metal plate and the metal board are integrally formed, and the inverted F metal plate is disposed perpendicular to the metal board. The antenna unit is disposed corresponding to the slot and the inverted F metal plate, and includes a radiation part and a ground part. The radiation part is coupled to a signal feeding point and includes a first radiation body and a second radiation body. The first radiation body, the slot and the inverted F metal plate operate cooperatively to generate a wireless signal at a first operating frequency. The second radiation body, the slot and the inverted F metal plate operate cooperatively to generate a wireless signal at a second operating frequency.

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(54) **MOBILE DEVICE AND ANTENNA STRUCTURE**

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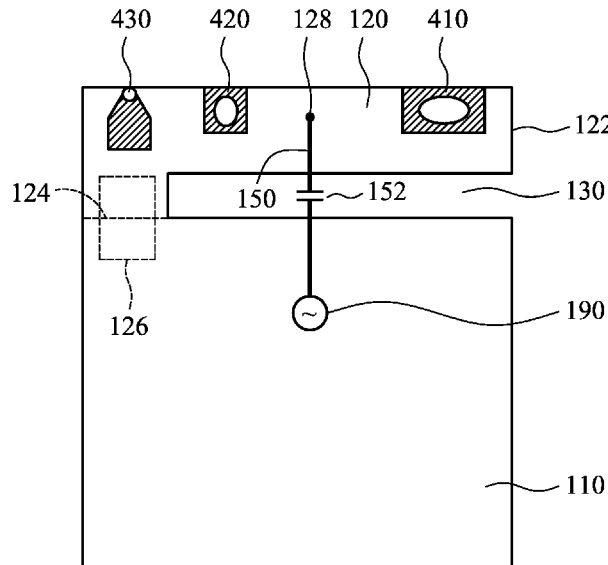
A mobile device including a ground plane, a grounding branch, wherein a slot is formed between the ground plane and the grounding branch, a connecting element, wherein the grounding branch is electrically coupled through the connecting element to the ground plane and a feeding element, extending across the slot, and electrically coupled between the grounding branch and a signal source, wherein an antenna structure is formed by the grounding branch and the feeding element.

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(54) **MOBILE DEVICE**

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A mobile device includes a metal back cover, an edge appearance element, a display device, a supporting element, an antenna structure, and a ground element. The edge appearance element is made of a nonconductive material. The edge appearance element is connected to the metal back cover. The display device is disposed opposite to the metal back cover. The antenna structure is disposed on the supporting element. The antenna structure is positioned between the edge appearance element and the display device. The ground element is coupled to the metal back cover. The electromagnetic waves of the antenna structure are transmitted through the edge appearance element, such that the mobile device supports wireless communication.

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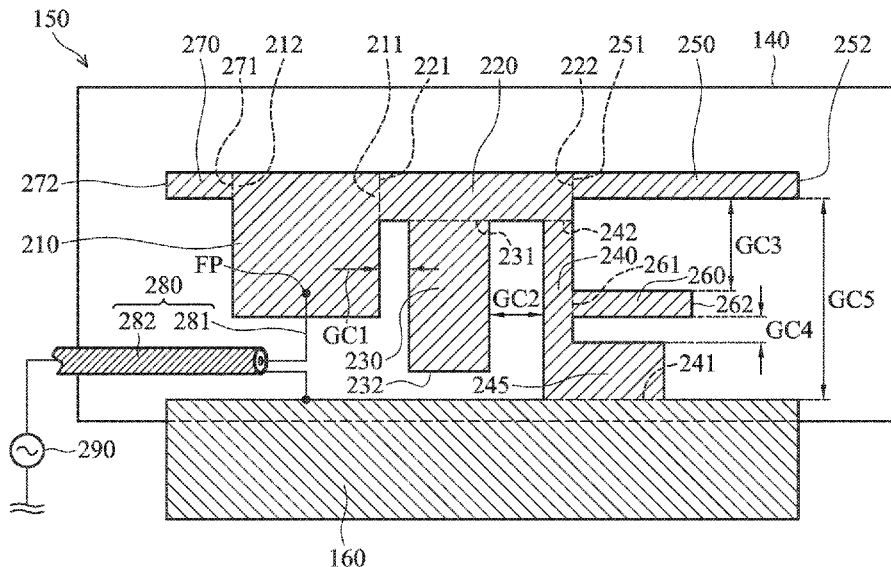
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(54) **EDGE ENABLED VOID ANTENNA APPARATUS**

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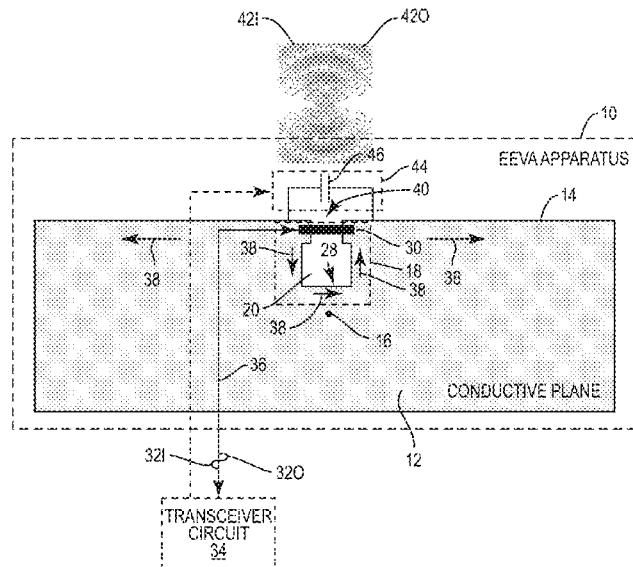
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(57) **ABSTRACT**  
An edge enabled void antenna (EEVA) apparatus is provided. The EEVA apparatus includes a conductive plane and a void is created on a geometric perimeter of the conductive plane to form an EEVA. A radio frequency (RF) port is coupled to the void to receive an RF signal. The RF signal excites the conductive plane to induce an electrical current along the geometric perimeter of the conductive plane. The void can cause the electrical current to increase and decrease on the geometric perimeter of the conductive plane, thus causing an electromagnetic wave corresponding to the RF signal being radiated from the EEVA. By forming the EEVA on the geometric perimeter of the conductive plane, it may be possible to enable a well-functioning antenna apparatus with a small effective footprint, thus allowing multiple EEVAs to be provided in a space confined wireless device with sufficient isolation for improved RF performance.

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(54) **ANTENNA SYSTEM**

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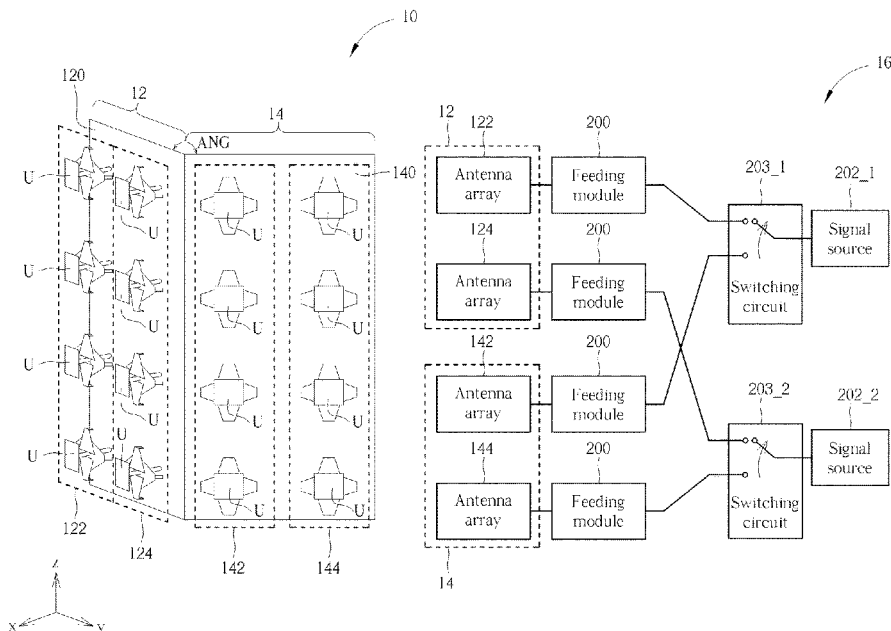
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

An antenna system for receiving and transmitting wireless signals includes a first complex antenna including a first reflection element, a first antenna array and a second antenna array; a second complex antenna including a second reflection element, a third antenna array and a fourth antenna array, wherein the first reflection element and the second reflection element are fixed to form an included angle to each other; and a feeding device, coupled to the first complex antenna and the second complex antenna, for alternately outputting radio-frequency signals to the first complex antenna and the second complex antenna, to emit wireless signals via the first complex antenna and the second complex antenna, and switching phases of the radio-frequency signals outputted to the first complex antenna and the second complex antenna, to change characteristics of beam generated by the first complex antenna and the second complex antenna in a vertical plane.

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(54) **ANTENNA ELEMENT, ANTENNA MODULE, AND COMMUNICATION DEVICE**

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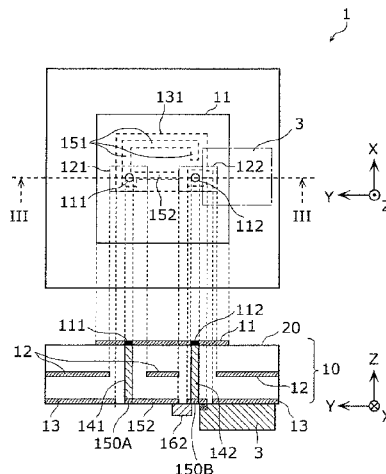
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

A patch antenna includes: a ground conductor pattern lying in a plane and set to ground potential; a feeding conductor pattern lying in a plane and disposed in a manner so as to face the ground conductor pattern, the feeding conductor pattern having feed points that are opposite to each other with respect to a center point of the feeding conductor pattern; feed lines that are connected in parallel between the feed points and are of different lengths; and a frequency selection circuits disposed on a path of at least one of the feed lines, the frequency selection circuits being configured to allow passage of radio-frequency signals in one frequency band and to attenuate radio-frequency signals in another frequency band.

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(54) **DUAL BAND SLOT ANTENNA**

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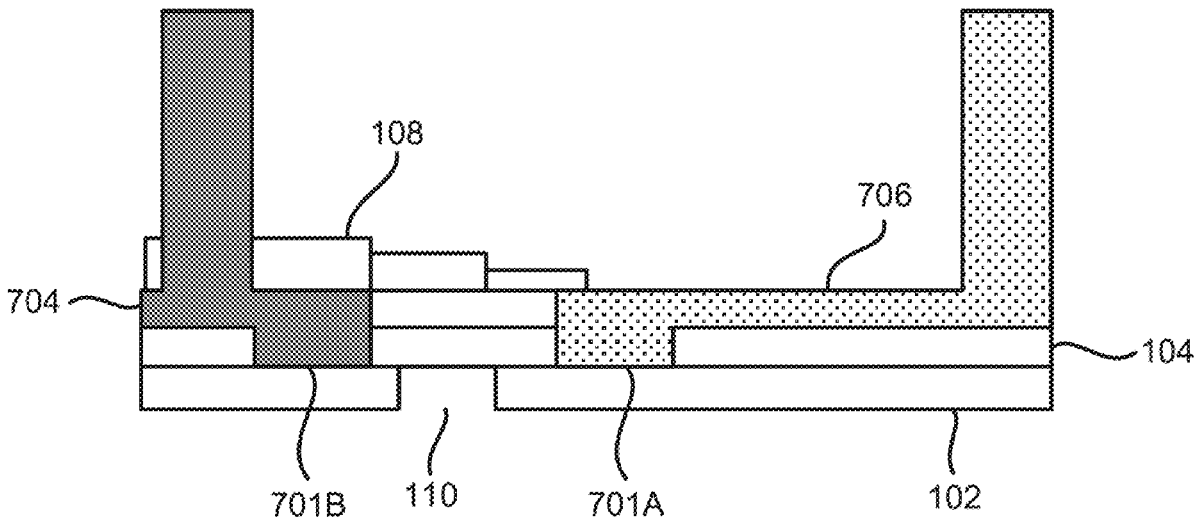
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

Dual band slot antenna is described. The dual band slot antenna includes a ground plane having a slot, a conductive patch, a dielectric substrate disposed between the conductive patch and the ground plane, and a coaxial cable fastened on the conductive patch to form a first loop region and a second loop region of different sizes for dual band operation.

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