



# JN5179-001-M1x

ZigBee 3.0, ZigBee PRO, Thread and IEEE802.15.4 modules

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Product data sheet

## 1. General description

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The JN5179-001-M1x (with x = 0, 3 or 6) module family provides designers with a ready-made component that provides a fully integrated solution for applications, using the IEEE802.15.4 standard in the 2.4 GHz - 2.5 GHz ISM frequency band, including ZigBee Smart Energy and Home Automation and can be quickly and easily included in product designs. The modules integrate all of the RF components required, removing the need to perform expensive RF design and test. Products can be designed by simply connecting sensors and switches to the module IO pins. The modules use NXP's single chip IEEE802.15.4 wireless microcontroller, allowing designers to make use of the extensive chip development support material. Hence, this range of modules allows designers to bring wireless applications to market in the minimum time with significantly reduced development effort and cost.

3 variants are available: JN5179-001-M10, JN5179-001-M13 and JN5179-001-M16. All modules have FCC modular approval. The JN5179-001-M10 and JN5179-001-M13 are also CE-compliant and subject to a Notified Body Opinion.

The variants available are described in the [Table 1](#).

### 1.1 Regulatory Approvals

The JN5179-001-M10 and JN5179-001-M13 have been tested against the requirements of the following European standards.

- Radio EN 300 328 v 1.9.1
- EMC, EN 301 489-17 v 2.2.1, EN 62479 2010, EN 301 489-1 v 1.9.2
- Basic Safety Assessment (BSA) EN 60950-1:2006

A Notified Body statement of opinion for this standard is available on request.

The High-power module with M16 suffix is not approved for use in Europe.

Additionally, both module types have received FCC "Modular Approval", in compliance with CFR 47 FCC part 15 regulations and in accordance to FCC public notice DA00-1407. The modular approvals notice and test reports are available on request.

The JN5179-001-M16 module is subject to user proximity restrictions under FCC regulations; more specific information is available in [Section 13.1.2](#).



## 2. Features and benefits

### 2.1 Benefits

- Microminiature module solutions
- Ready to use in products
- Minimizes product development time
- No RF test required for systems
- Compliant with:
  - ◆ FCC 47CFR Part 15C
  - ◆ ETSI EN 300 328 V1.9
  - ◆ EN 301-489-17 V2.2.1
  - ◆ EN60950-1-2006
  - ◆ Temperature range:  $-40\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$  to  $+85\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
  - ◆ Lead-free and RoHS compliant

### 2.2 Features: modules

- 2.4 GHz IEEE 802.15.4, ZigBee Smart Energy and Home Automation compatible
- JN5179-001-M10
  - ◆ Dimensions: 14.5 mm × 20.5 mm
  - ◆ Integrated printed antenna
  - ◆ TX power 8.5 dBm/10 dBm
  - ◆ Receiver sensitivity  $-96\text{ dBm}$
  - ◆ TX current 24 mA at 10 dBm
  - ◆ TX current 21.2 mA at 8.5 dBm
  - ◆ RX current 14.3 mA at maximum input level  $-2\text{ dBm}$
  - ◆ 2.0 V/3.6 V operation
- JN5179-001-M13
  - ◆ Dimensions: 14.5 mm × 20.5 mm
  - ◆  $\mu\text{FI}$  connector
  - ◆ TX power 8.5 dBm/10 dBm
  - ◆ Receiver sensitivity  $-96\text{ dBm}$
  - ◆ TX current 24 mA at 10 dBm
  - ◆ TX current 21.2 mA at 8.5 dBm
  - ◆ RX current 14.3 mA at maximum input level  $-2\text{ dBm}$
  - ◆ 2.0 V/3.6 V operation
- JN5179-001-M16
  - ◆ Dimensions: 14.5 mm × 20.5 mm
  - ◆ Integrated printed antenna and  $\mu\text{FI}$  connector
  - ◆ Antenna diversity
  - ◆ TX power 21 dBm
  - ◆ Receiver sensitivity  $-100\text{ dBm}$
  - ◆ TX current 114 mA at 21 dBm
  - ◆ RX current 19 mA at maximum input level  $-11\text{ dBm}$

- ◆ 2.0 V/3.6 V operation

### 2.3 Features: microcontroller

- ARM Cortex-M3 CPU with debug support
- 512 kB/32 kB/4 kB (Flash/RAM/EEPROM)
- OTA firmware upgrade capability
- 32 MHz clock selectable down to 1 MHz for low-power operation
- Dual PAN ID support
- Fail-safe I<sup>2</sup>C-bus interface. operates as either master or slave
- 8 × Timers (6 × PWM and 2 timer/counter)
- 2 low-power sleep counters
- 2 × UART, one with flow control
- SPI-bus master and slave port, 2 simultaneous selects
- Variable instruction width for high coding efficiency
- Multi-stage instruction pipeline
- Data EEPROM with guaranteed 100 k write operations
- ZigBee PRO stack with Smart Home, Smart Lighting and Smart Energy profiles
- Supply voltage monitor with 8 programmable thresholds
- Battery voltage and temperature sensors
- 6-input 10-bit ADC
- Analog comparator
- Digital monitor for ADC
- Watchdog timer and POR
- Standby power controller
- Up to 18 Digital IO (DIO) and 2 digital outputs pins

## 3. Applications

- Robust and secure low-power wireless applications
- ZigBee Home Automation networks
- Toys and gaming peripherals
- Energy harvesting - for example, self-powered light switch

## 4. Overview

The JN5179-001-M1x family is a range of ultra-low power, high performance surface mount modules targeted at IEEE 802.15.4, ZigBee Home Automation networking applications, enabling users to realize products with minimum time to market and at the lowest cost. They remove the need for expensive and lengthy development of custom RF board designs and test suites. The modules use NXP's JN5179 wireless microcontroller to provide a comprehensive solution with large memory, high CPU and radio performance and all RF components included. All that is required to develop and manufacture wireless control or sensing products is to connect a power supply and peripherals such as switches, actuators and sensors, considerably simplifying product development.

3 module variants are available: JN5179-001-M10 with an integrated printed antenna, JN5179-001-M13 with a  $\mu$ FL antenna connector and JN5179-001-M16 with a power amplifier, LNA for extended range and antenna diversity, thanks to the integrated antenna and  $\mu$ FL antenna connector.

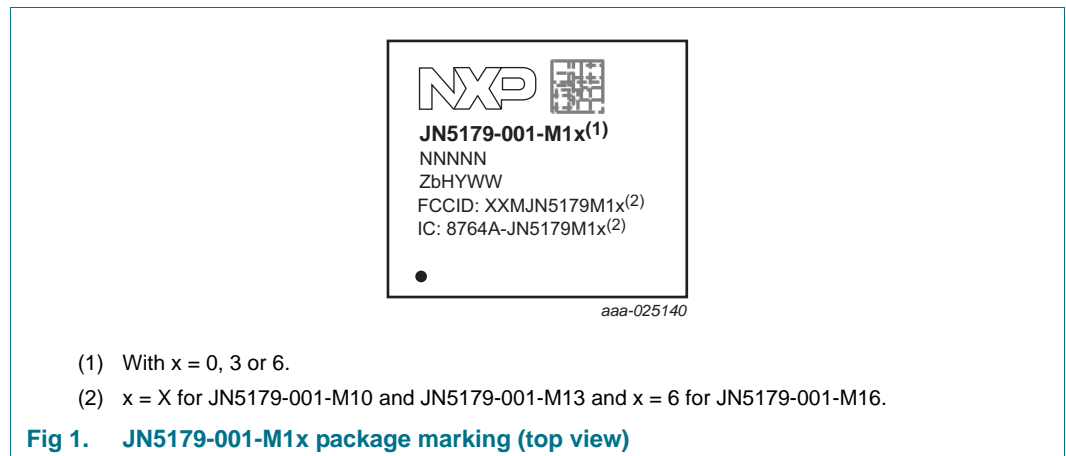
The dimensions of the 3 module variants are: 14.5 x 20.5 mm.

## 5. Ordering information

**Table 1. Ordering information**

| Type number    | Description  | FCCID        |
|----------------|--|--------------|
| JN5179-001-M10 | standard power, integrated printed antenna   | XXMJN5179M1X |
| JN5179-001-M13 | standard power, $\mu$ FL antenna connector   | XXMJN5179M1X |
| JN5179-001-M16 | high power, LNA, antenna diversity (integrated printed antenna and $\mu$ FL antenna connector) | XXMJN5179M16 |

## 6. Marking



**Table 2. Marking code**

| Line number | Marking code  |
|-------------|---|
| Line 1      | NXP Logo: B&W outline logo - 2D barcode (internal NXP usage)  |
| Line 2      | part ID: JN5179-001-M1x, with x the module type 0, 3 or 6   |
| Line 3      | serial number: NNNNN  |
| Line 4      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Z: SSMC</li> <li>• b: SPIL</li> <li>• H: halogen free</li> <li>• Y: year</li> <li>• WW: week code</li> </ul> |
| Line 5      | FFC ID = FCCID: XXMJN5179M1x, with x the module type 0, 3 or 6  |
| Line 6      | IC ID = IC: 8764A-JN5179M1x, with x = X for JN5179-001-M10 and JN5179-001-M13 and x = 6 for JN5179-001-M16  |

JN5179-001-M1x modules meet the requirements of Directive 2002/95/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council on the Restriction of Hazardous Substance (RoHS) and of the Chinese RoHS requirements SJ/T11363-2006 which came into force on 1 March 2007.

## 7. Block diagram

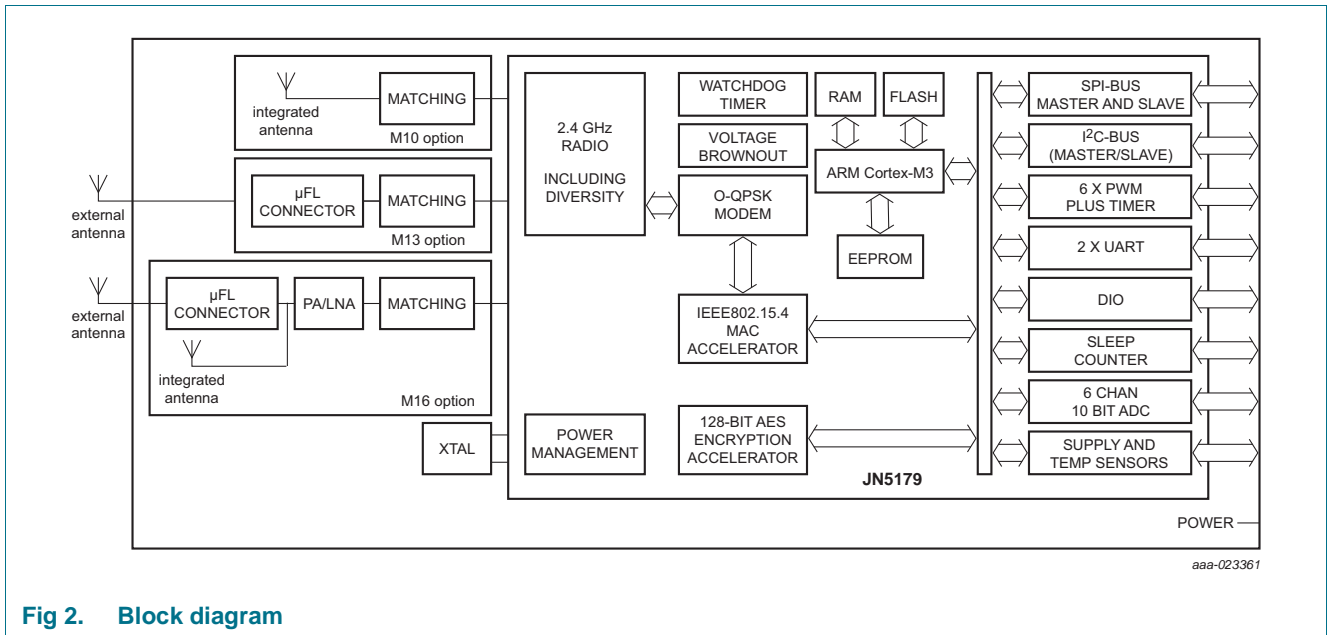
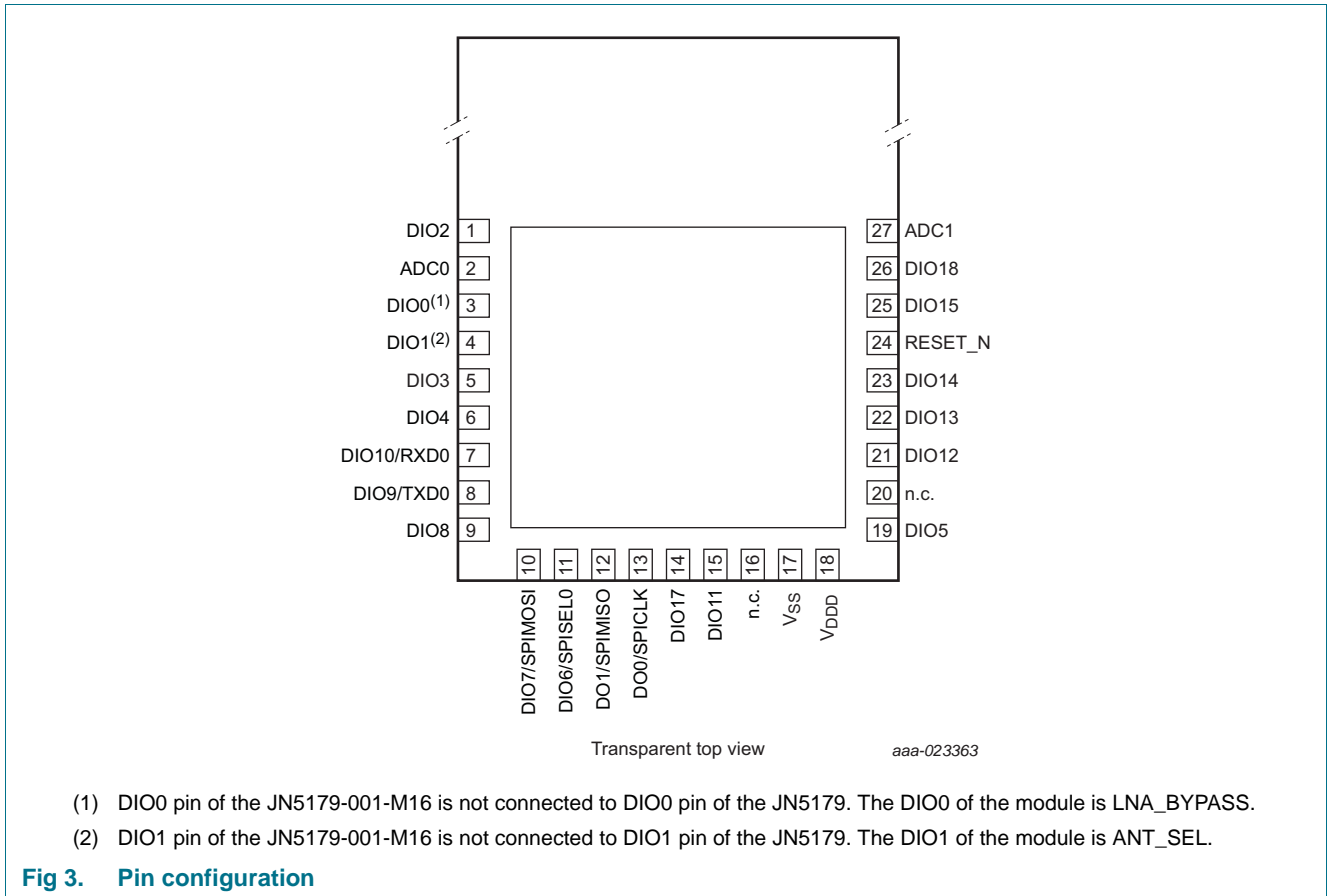


Fig 2. Block diagram

## 8. Pinning information

### 8.1 Pinning



### 8.2 Pin description

Table 3. Pin description

| Symbol | Pin | Type <sup>[1]</sup> | Description   |
|--------|-----|---------------------|---|
| DIO2   | 1   | IO                  | DIO2 — digital input/output 2<br>ADC5 — ADC input 5<br>SDA — I <sup>2</sup> C-bus master/slave SDA input/output (push-pull output)<br>RXD1 — UART 1 receive data input<br>TIM0CAP — Timer0 capture input<br>RFRX — radios receiver control output |
| ADC0   | 2   | I                   | ADC0 — ADC input 0  |

Table 3. Pin description ...continued

| Symbol                              | Pin | Type <sup>[1]</sup> | Description   |
|-------------------------------------|-----|---------------------|---|
| DIO0 <sup>[2]</sup>                 | 3   | IO                  | DIO0 — digital input/output 0   |
|                                     |     |                     | ADC4 — ADC input 4  |
|                                     |     |                     | SPISEL0 — SPI-bus master select output 0                                    |
|                                     |     |                     | RFRX — radio receiver control output  |
|                                     |     |                     | FLICK_CTRL — flicker control output   |
|                                     |     |                     | ADO — antenna diversity odd output  |
|                                     |     |                     | LNA-BYPASS — LNA bypass on JN5179-001-M16                                   |
| DIO1 <sup>[2]</sup>                 | 4   | IO                  | DIO1 — digital input/output 1   |
|                                     |     |                     | ADC3 — ADC input 3  |
|                                     |     |                     | RFTX — radio transmitter control input                                      |
|                                     |     |                     | PC0 — pulse counter 0 input   |
|                                     |     |                     | ADE — antenna diversity even output   |
|                                     |     |                     | ANT_SELECT — antenna select on JN5179-001-M16                               |
| DIO3                                | 5   | IO                  | DIO3 — digital input/output 3   |
|                                     |     |                     | ADC2 — ADC input 2  |
|                                     |     |                     | PWM4 — PWM4 output  |
|                                     |     |                     | SCL — I <sup>2</sup> C-bus master/slave SCL input/output (push-pull output) |
|                                     |     |                     | TXD1 — UART 1 transmit data output  |
|                                     |     |                     | TIM0OUT — Timer0 output   |
|                                     |     |                     | RFTX — radio transmit control input   |
| FLICK_CTRL — flicker control output |     |                     |   |
| DIO4 <sup>[5]</sup>                 | 6   | IO                  | DIO4 — digital input/output 4   |
|                                     |     |                     | SCL — I <sup>2</sup> C-bus master/slave SCL input/output (open-drain)       |
|                                     |     |                     | RXD0 — UART 0 receive data input  |
|                                     |     |                     | TIM0CK_GT — Timer0 clock/gate input   |
|                                     |     |                     | ADO — antenna diversity odd output  |
| DIO10/RXD0                          | 7   | IO                  | DIO10 — digital input/output 10   |
|                                     |     |                     | JTAG_TDI — JTAG TDI data input  |
|                                     |     |                     | RXD0 — UART 0 receive data input  |
| DIO9/TXD0                           | 8   | IO                  | DIO9 — digital input/output 9   |
|                                     |     |                     | JTAG_TDO — JTAG TDO data output   |
|                                     |     |                     | TXD0 — UART 0 transmit data output  |
|                                     |     |                     | TRACESWV — ARM trace serial wire viewer output                              |
| DIO8                                | 9   | IO                  | DIO8 — digital input/output 8   |
|                                     |     |                     | PWM5 — PWM5 output  |
|                                     |     |                     | TIM0OUT — Timer0 output   |
|                                     |     |                     | TRACECLK — trace clock output   |
|                                     |     |                     | 32KXTALIN — 32 kHz clock input  |

Table 3. Pin description ...continued

| Symbol                      | Pin | Type <sup>[1]</sup> | Description                               |
|-----------------------------|-----|---------------------|---|
| DIO7/SPI MOSI               | 10  | IO                  | DIO7 — digital input/output 7             |
|                             |     |                     | SPI MOSI — SPI-bus master data output     |
|                             |     |                     | JTAG_TDI — JTAG TDI data input            |
|                             |     |                     | SPI SEL2 — SPI-bus master select output 2 |
|                             |     |                     | SPI SSEL — SPI-bus slave select input     |
|                             |     |                     | CMP_OUT — comparator output               |
|                             |     |                     | 32KIN — 32 kHz External clock input       |
|                             |     |                     | 32KXTALOUT — 32 kHz clock output          |
| DIO6/SPI SEL0               | 11  | IO                  | DIO6 — digital input/output 6             |
|                             |     |                     | SPI SEL0 — SPI-bus master select output 0 |
|                             |     |                     | CTS0 — UART 0 clear to send input         |
|                             |     |                     | RXD1 — UART 1 receive data input          |
|                             |     |                     | JTAG_TCK — JTAG TCK input                 |
|                             |     |                     | SWCK — Serial Wire Debugger Clock input   |
|                             |     |                     | SPI SCLK — SPI-bus slave clock input      |
|                             |     |                     | TIM1CAP — Timer1 capture input            |
| DO1/SPI MISO <sup>[3]</sup> | 12  | IO                  | DO1 — digital output 1                    |
|                             |     |                     | SPI MISO — SPI-bus master data input      |
|                             |     |                     | SPI SMISO — SPI-bus slave data output     |
|                             |     |                     | ADO — antenna diversity odd output        |
| DO0/SPI CLK <sup>[4]</sup>  | 13  | O                   | DO0 — digital output 0                    |
|                             |     |                     | SPI CLK — SPI-bus master clock output     |
|                             |     |                     | ADE — antenna diversity even output       |
| DIO17                       | 14  | IO                  | DIO17 — digital input/output 17           |
|                             |     |                     | JTAG_TCK — JTAG TCK input                 |
|                             |     |                     | SWCK — Serial Wire Debugger Clock input   |
|                             |     |                     | SPI SEL0 — SPI-bus master select output 0 |
|                             |     |                     | TIM1CAP — Timer1 capture input            |
|                             |     |                     | COMP1P — comparator plus input            |
|                             |     |                     | SPI SMISO — SPI-bus slave data output     |
| DIO11                       | 15  | IO                  | DIO11 — digital input/output 11           |
|                             |     |                     | JTAG_TMS — JTAG TMS input                 |
|                             |     |                     | SWD — serial wire debugger input          |
|                             |     |                     | RTS0 — UART 0 request to send output      |
|                             |     |                     | TXD1 — UART 1 transmit data output        |
|                             |     |                     | SPI CLK — SPI-bus master clock output     |
|                             |     |                     | SPI MOSI — SPI-bus slave data input       |
|                             |     |                     | TIM1OUT — Timer1 output                   |
|                             |     |                     | TRACED0 — ARM trace data0 output          |
| n.c.                        | 16  | -                   | not connected; keep floating or ground    |
| V <sub>SS</sub>             | 17  | G                   | V <sub>SS</sub> — ground                  |



Table 3. Pin description ...continued

| Symbol              | Pin | Type <sup>[1]</sup> | Description   |
|---------------------|-----|---------------------|---|
| V <sub>DD</sub>     | 18  | P                   | V <sub>DD</sub> — digital and analog supply voltage   |
| DIO5 <sup>[5]</sup> | 19  | IO                  | DIO5 — digital input/output 5<br>SDA — I <sup>2</sup> C-bus master/slave SDA input/output (open-drain)<br>TXD0 — UART 0 transmit data output<br>PC1 — pulse counter 1 input<br>TIM0CAP — Timer0 capture input<br>ADE — antenna diversity even output  |
| n.c.                | 20  | -                   | not connected; keep floating or ground  |
| DIO12               | 21  | IO                  | DIO12 — digital input/output 12<br>PWM1 — PWM1 output<br>TXD0 — UART 0 transmit data output<br>TRACED3 — ARM trace data3 output   |
| DIO13               | 22  | IO                  | DIO13 — digital input/output 13<br>PWM2 — PWM2 output<br>RXD0 — UART 0 receive data input<br>PC0 — pulse counter 0 input<br>TRACED2 — ARM trace data2 output  |
| DIO14               | 23  | IO                  | DIO14 — digital input/output 14<br>PWM3 — PWM3 output<br>PC1 — pulse counter 1 input<br>CMP_OUT — comparator output<br>TRACED1 — ARM trace data1 output<br>SPISMOSI — SPI-bus slave data input  |
| RESET_N             | 24  | I                   | RESET_N — reset input   |
| DIO15               | 25  | IO                  | DIO15 — digital input/output 15<br>PWM6 — PWM6 output<br>JTAG_TDO — JTAG TDO data output<br>SPIMOSI — SPI-bus master data output<br>SPISEL1 — SPI-bus master select output 1<br>TIM0CK_GT — Timer0 - clock gate input<br>TRACESWV — ARM trace Serial Wire Viewer output<br>SPISSEL — SPI-bus slave select input |

Table 3. Pin description ...continued

| Symbol | Pin | Type <sup>[1]</sup> | Description                                       |
|--------|-----|---------------------|---|
| DIO18  | 26  | IO                  | <b>DIO18</b> — digital input/output 18            |
|        |     |                     | <b>JTAG_TMS</b> — JTAG TMS input                  |
|        |     |                     | <b>SWD</b> — Serial Wire Debugger input           |
|        |     |                     | <b>SPIMISO</b> — SPI-bus master data input        |
|        |     |                     | <b>TIM1OUT</b> — Timer1 output                    |
|        |     |                     | <b>COMP1M</b> — comparator minus input            |
|        |     |                     | <b>SPISCLK</b> — SPI-bus slave clock input        |
| ADC1   | 27  | I                   | <b>VREF</b> — analog peripheral reference voltage |
|        |     |                     | <b>ADC1</b> — ADC input 1                         |

- [1] P = power supply; G = ground; I = input, O = output; IO = input/output.
- [2] Not available on the JN5179-001-M16 since they are used to control the front-end module. DIO0 of the module is LNA\_BYPASS and the DIO1 of the module is ANT\_SEL.
- [3] UART programming mode: leave pin floating high during reset to avoid entering UART programming mode or hold it low to program.
- [4] JTAG programming mode: must be left floating high during reset to avoid entering JTAG programming mode.
- [5] Open-drain.

## 9. Functional description

### 9.1 JN5179 single chip wireless microcontroller

The JN5179-001-M1x series is constructed around the JN5179-001 single chip wireless microcontroller, which includes the radio system, an ARM Cortex-M3 CPU, Flash, RAM and EEPROM memory and a range of analog and digital peripherals.

The chip is described fully in JN5179 Wireless Microcontroller Datasheet (see [Ref. 2](#)).

### 9.2 Peripherals

Table 4. Peripherals description

| Peripherals   | JN5179-001-M10 | JN5179-001-M13 | JN5179-001-M16 | Notes   |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|---|
| Master SPI-bus port   | 3 selects      | 3 selects      | 3 selects      | 125 kHz - 16 MHz  |
| Slave SPI-bus port  | 1              | 1              | 1              | 125 kHz - 4 MHz   |
| UART  | 2              | 2              | 2              | 16550 compatible  |
| Two-wire serial I/F (compatible with SMBus and I <sup>2</sup> C-bus)  | 1              | 1              | 1              | Up to 400 kHz   |
| PWM   |                |                |                | 16 MHz clock  |
| timer   | 6              | 6              | 6              |   |
| timer/counter   | 2              | 2              | 2              |   |
| Programmable Sleep Timers   | 2              | 2              | 2              | 32 kHz clock  |
| Digital IO lines (multiplexed with UARTs, timers and SPI-bus selects) | 20             | 20             | 18             | DIO2 and DIO3 are not available on JN5179-001-M16 modules |

Table 4. Peripherals description ...continued

| Peripherals                    | JN5179-001-M10 | JN5179-001-M13 | JN5179-001-M16 | Notes                          |
|--------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------------------|
| Analog-to-Digital converter    | 6              | 6              | 6              | 10 bit, up to 100 ks/s         |
| Programmable analog comparator | 1              | 1              | 1              | ultra low-power mode for sleep |
| Internal temperature sensor    | 1              | 1              | 1              |                                |
| Internal battery sensor        | 1              | 1              | 1              |                                |

The performance of all peripherals is defined in the JN5179 Wireless Microcontroller Datasheet (see [Ref. 2](#)).

NXP supplies all the development tools and networking stacks needed to enable end-product development to occur quickly and efficiently. These are all freely available from the NXP Wireless Connectivity TechZone (see [Ref. 3](#)). A range of evaluation/developer kits is also available, allowing products to be quickly bread boarded. Efficient development of software applications is enabled by the provision of a complete, unlimited, software developer kit. Together with the available libraries for the IEEE802.15.4 MAC and ZigBee PRO network stacks, this package provides everything required to develop application code and to trial it with hardware representative of the final module.

The modules can be user programmed both in development and in production using software supplied by NXP. Access to the on-chip peripherals, MAC and network stack software is provided through specific APIs. This information is available on the NXP support website, together with many example applications, user guides, reference manuals and application notes.

### 9.3 JN5179-001-M16 Antenna diversity

ANT\_SEL is used to select between the two antennas on the M16 module. Leaving ANT\_SEL unconnected or connecting to V<sub>CC</sub> selects the printed antenna. Tying ANT\_SEL to ground selects the  $\mu$ FL connector. The module can also be used in antenna diversity solutions where the module will automatically swap between the two antennas in order to achieve the best radio performance. This can be done connecting ANT\_SEL to DIO4, DIO5, DO0 or DO1 depend upon your application. The antenna diversity functionality can be enabled by calling vAHI\_AntennaDiversityEnable. The DIO can be selected using vAHI\_SetDIOpinMultiplexValue. Please see JN-UG-3118-JN517x-Integrated-Peripherals-API for more details.

The LNA bypass signal can be used to switch off the LNA in the frontend. This can be useful when in the presence of strong Wifi signals that can overload the frontend. If the pin is left unconnected or tied to V<sub>CC</sub> then the LNA is enabled. If the signal is tied to ground then the LNA will be bypassed during RX. The signal can be connected to a DIO to give software control over the LNA if required.

## 10. Limiting values

**Table 5. Limiting values**

In accordance with the Absolute Maximum Rating System (IEC 60134).

| Symbol        | Parameter                    | Conditions | Min  | Max              | Unit |
|---------------|------------------------------|------------|------|------------------|------|
| $V_{DD}$      | supply voltage               |            | -0.3 | +3.6             | V    |
| $V_{ADC0}$    | voltage on pin ADC0          |            | -0.3 | $V_{DD} + 0.3$ V | V    |
| $V_{ADC1}$    | voltage on pin ADC1          |            | -0.3 | $V_{DD} + 0.3$ V | V    |
| $V_{IO(dig)}$ | digital input/output voltage |            | -0.3 | $V_{DD} + 0.3$ V | V    |

## 11. Recommended operating conditions

**Table 6. Operating conditions**

| Symbol    | Parameter           | Conditions     | Min | Max | Unit |
|-----------|---------------------|----------------|-----|-----|------|
| $V_{DD}$  | supply voltage      | [1]            | 2   | 3.6 | V    |
| $T_{amb}$ | ambient temperature | standard range | -40 | +85 | °C   |

[1] To reach the maximum TX power, 2.8 V is the minimum.

## 12. Characteristics

### 12.1 DC current

**Table 7. Active processing**

$V_{DD} = 2$  V to 3.6 V;  $T_{amb} = -40$  °C to +85 °C; CPU running at 16 MHz; unless otherwise specified.

| Symbol   | Parameter      | Conditions   | Min | Typ  | Max | Unit |
|----------|----------------|--|-----|------|-----|------|
| $I_{DD}$ | supply current | M10  |     |      |     |      |
|          |                | radio in receive mode; maximum input level at 10 dBm | -   | 16.4 | -   | mA   |
|          |                | radio in receive mode; maximum input level at -2 dBm | -   | 14.3 | -   | mA   |
|          |                | radio in transmit mode 10 dBm                        | [1] | 24   | -   | mA   |
|          |                | radio in transmit mode 8.5 dBm                       | [1] | 21.2 | -   | mA   |
|          |                | M13  |     |      |     |      |
|          |                | radio in receive mode; maximum input level at 10 dBm | -   | 16.4 | -   | mA   |
|          |                | radio in receive mode; maximum input level at -2 dBm | -   | 14.3 | -   | mA   |
|          |                | radio in transmit mode 10 dBm                        | [1] | 24   | -   | mA   |
|          |                | radio in transmit mode 8.5 dBm                       | [1] | 21.2 | -   | mA   |
|          |                | M16  |     |      |     |      |
|          |                | radio in receive mode for $\mu$ FI and PCB antenna   | -   | 19   | -   | mA   |
|          |                | radio in transmit mode for $\mu$ FI                  | [1] | 114  | -   | mA   |
|          |                | radio in transmit mode for PCB antenna               | [1] | 78   | -   | mA   |

[1] To reach the maximum TX power, 2.8 V is the minimum.

**Table 8. Sleep mode**

$V_{DD} = 2\text{ V to }3.6\text{ V}$ ;  $T_{amb} = -40\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C to }+85\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ ; unless otherwise specified.

| Symbol       | Parameter                   | Conditions  | Min | Typ  | Max | Unit          |
|--------------|-----------------------------|---|-----|------|-----|---------------|
| $I_{DD(IO)}$ | input/output supply current | M10 and M13   |     |      |     |               |
|              |                             | with I/O and RC oscillator timer wake-up; typical values measured at $T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ | -   | 0.61 | -   | $\mu\text{A}$ |
|              |                             | M16   |     |      |     |               |
|              |                             | with I/O and RC oscillator timer wake-up; typical values measured at $T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ | -   | 0.64 | -   | $\mu\text{A}$ |

**Table 9. Deep sleep mode**

$V_{DD} = 2\text{ V to }3.6\text{ V}$ ;  $T_{amb} = -40\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C to }+85\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ ; unless otherwise specified.

| Symbol   | Parameter      | Conditions  | Min | Typ | Max | Unit |
|----------|----------------|---|-----|-----|-----|------|
| $I_{DD}$ | supply current | typical values measured at $T_{amb} = 25\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ and $V_{DD} = 3.3\text{ V}$ [1] | -   | 100 | -   | nA   |

[1] Waiting on chip RESET or I/O event.

## 12.2 AC characteristics

### 12.2.1 Radio transceiver

These modules meet all the requirements of the IEEE802.15.4 standard over 2.0 V to 3.6 V and offers the improved RF characteristics shown in [Table 10](#). All RF characteristics are measured single ended.

**Table 10. RF port characteristics**

Single-ended; Impedance =  $50\ \Omega$  [1];  $V_{DD} = 2\text{ V to }3.6\text{ V}$ ;  $T_{amb} = -40\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C to }+85\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$ ; unless otherwise specified.

| Symbol      | Parameter       | Conditions | Min | Typ | Max   | Unit |
|-------------|-----------------|------------|-----|-----|-------|------|
| $f_{range}$ | frequency range |            | 2.4 | -   | 2.485 | GHz  |

[1] With external matching inductors and assuming PCB layout.

**Table 11. Radio transceiver characteristics: +25 °C**

$V_{DD} = 2\text{ V to }3.6\text{ V}$ ; unless otherwise specified.

| Symbol                | Parameter                    | Conditions  | Min | Typ | Max   | Unit |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|---|-----|-----|-------|------|
| <b>Receiver</b>       |                              |   |     |     |       |      |
| <b>M10</b>            |                              |   |     |     |       |      |
| $S_{RX}$              | receiver sensitivity         | nominal for 1 % PER, as per 802.15.4  | -   | -96 | -93.5 | dBm  |
| $P_{i(RX)(max)}$      | maximum receiver input power | 1 % PER, measured as sensitivity; supply current at 14.3 mA                     | -   | -2  | -     | dBm  |
| $\Delta\alpha_{RSSI}$ | RSSI variation               | -95 dBm to -10 dBm; available through JN5179-001-M1x Integrated Peripherals API | -4  | -   | +4    | dB   |
| <b>M13</b>            |                              |   |     |     |       |      |
| $S_{RX}$              | receiver sensitivity         | nominal for 1 % PER, as per 802.15.4  | -   | -96 | -93.5 | dBm  |
| $P_{i(RX)(max)}$      | maximum receiver input power | 1 % PER, measured as sensitivity; supply current at 14.3 mA                     | -   | -2  | -     | dBm  |
| $\Delta\alpha_{RSSI}$ | RSSI variation               | -95 dBm to -10 dBm; available through JN5179-001-M1x Integrated Peripherals API | -4  | -   | +4    | dB   |

**Table 11. Radio transceiver characteristics: +25 °C ...continued** $V_{DD} = 2\text{ V}$  to 3.6 V; unless otherwise specified.

| Symbol                | Parameter                    | Conditions   | Min | Typ  | Max   | Unit |     |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|--|-----|------|-------|------|-----|
| <b>M16</b>            |                              |  |     |      |       |      |     |
| $S_{RX}$              | receiver sensitivity         | nominal for 1 % PER, as per 802.15.4   | -   | -100 | -98.5 | dBm  |     |
| $P_{I(RX)(max)}$      | maximum receiver input power | 1 % PER, measured as sensitivity   | -   | -11  | -     | dBm  |     |
| $\Delta\alpha_{RSSI}$ | RSSI variation               | -100 dBm to -25 dBm; available through JN5179-001-M1x Integrated Peripherals API | -4  | -    | +4    | dB   |     |
| <b>Transmitter</b>    |                              |  |     |      |       |      |     |
| <b>M10</b>            |                              |  |     |      |       |      |     |
| $P_o$                 | output power                 | $I_{DD} = 24\text{ mA}$  | [1] | -    | 10    | -    | dBm |
|                       |                              | $I_{DD} = 21.2\text{ mA}$  | [1] | -    | 8.5   | -    | dBm |
| $P_{o(cr)}$           | control range output power   | in 6 major steps and then 4 fine steps   | [2] | -    | -42   | -    | dB  |
| <b>M13</b>            |                              |  |     |      |       |      |     |
| $P_o$                 | output power                 | $I_{DD} = 24\text{ mA}$  | [1] | -    | 10    | -    | dBm |
|                       |                              | $I_{DD} = 21.2\text{ mA}$  | [1] | -    | 8.5   | -    | dBm |
| $P_{o(cr)}$           | control range output power   | in 6 major steps and then 4 fine steps   | [2] | -    | -42   | -    | dB  |
| <b>M16</b>            |                              |  |     |      |       |      |     |
| $P_o$                 | output power                 | $I_{DD} = 114\text{ mA}$   | [1] | -    | 21    | -    | dBm |

[1] To reach the maximum TX power, 2.8 V is the minimum on  $V_{DD}$ .

[2] Up to an extra 2.5 dB of attenuation is available if required.

## 13. Application information

### 13.1 Federal Communication Commission Interference Statement

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, according to Part 15 of the FCC Rules, see [Ref. 4](#). 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

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules, see [Ref. 4](#). Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

1. This device may not cause harmful interference
2. this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation

FCC Caution: Any changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate this equipment.

**Remark:** FCC Radiation Exposure Statement:

This portable equipment with its antenna complies with FCC's RF radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. To maintain compliance, follow the instructions below;

1. This transmitter must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.
2. Avoid direct contact to the antenna, or keep it to a minimum while using this equipment.

This transmitter module is authorized to be used in other devices only by OEM integrators under the following condition:

The transmitter module must not be co-located with any other antenna or transmitter.

As long as the above condition is met, further transmitter testing will not be required. However, the OEM integrator is still responsible for testing their end product for any additional compliance requirements required with this module installed (for example, digital device emissions, PC peripheral requirements, etc.).

This applies to the JN5179-001-M10 and JN5179-001-M13 devices, the JN5179-001-M16 is a mobile device (see [Section 13.1.2](#)).

### 13.1.1 Antennas approved by FCC for use with JN5179-M01-M0x-2

**Table 12. Antennas description (FCC)**

|    | Brand                    | Model Number      | Description                      | Gain (dBi) | Connector type |
|----|--------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|------------|----------------|
| 1  | Aveslink Technology, Inc | E-0005-AC         | vertical- flying lead            | 2          | RP-SMA         |
| 2  | Aveslink Technology, Inc | E-2411-GC         | vertical - swivel                | 2          | RP-SMA         |
| 3  | Aveslink Technology, Inc | E-2410-CA         | vertical - bulkhead- flying lead | 2          | μFL            |
| 4  | Aveslink Technology, Inc | E-2410-HA         | vertical- flying lead            | 2          | μFL            |
| 5  | Aveslink Technology, Inc | E-2410-GC         | vertical - swivel                | 2          | RP-SMA         |
| 6  | Aveslink Technology, Inc | E-2820-CA         | vertical - bulkhead- flying lead | 2          | μFL            |
| 7  | Aveslink Technology, Inc | E-2820-GC         | vertical - swivel                | 2          | RP-SMA         |
| 8  | Embedded Antenna Design  | FBKR35068-RS-KR   | vertical - knuckle antenna       | 2          | RP-SMA         |
| 9  | Nearson                  | S131CL-L-PX-2450S | vertical - knuckle-flying lead   | 2          | μFL            |
| 10 | Laird Technologies       | WRR2400-IP04      | vertical - knuckle-flying lead   | 1.5        | μFL            |
| 11 | Laird Technologies       | WRR2400-RPSMA     | vertical - knuckle-flying lead   | 1.3        | RP-SMA         |
| 12 | Aveslink Technology, Inc | E-6170-DA         | Vertical - right angle           | 1          | μFL            |
| 13 | Laird Technologies       | WCR2400-SMRP      | Vertical - knuckle antenna       | 1          | RP-SMA         |

This device has been designed to operate with the antennas listed above, and having a maximum gain of 2 dBi. Alternative vertical antennas may be used provided that the gain does not exceed 2 dBi. Antennas having a gain greater than 2 dBi are strictly prohibited for use with this device.

The required antenna impedance is 50 Ω.

### 13.1.2 High-power module usage limitation

The high-power module variants are classified as ‘mobile’ device pursuant with FCC 2.1091 and must not be used at a distance of < 20 cm (8”) from any people. This applies to the JN5179-001-M16 module type (XXMJN5179M16).

**Remark:** In the event that these conditions cannot be met (for certain configurations or co-location with another transmitter), then the FCC authorization is no longer considered valid and the FCC ID cannot be used on the final product. In these circumstances, the OEM integrator will be responsible for re-evaluating the end product (including the transmitter) and obtaining a separate FCC authorization.

The OEM integrator has to be aware not to provide information to the end user regarding how to install or remove this RF module in the user manual of the end product.

The user manual for the end product must include the following information in a prominent location;

To comply with FCC’s RF radiation exposure requirements, the antenna(s) used for this transmitter must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.

### 13.1.3 FCC end product labeling

The final ‘end product’ should be labeled in a visible area with the following:

Contains TX FCC ID: XXMJN5179M1X for the modules JN5179-001-M10 and JN5179-001-M13, XXMJN5179M16 for the module JN5179-001-M16.

## 13.2 European R&TTE Directive 1999/5/EC statement

JN5179-001-M10 and JN5179-001-M13 are compliant with ETSI EN 300 328 V1.9, EMC, EN 301 489-17 v2.1.1 (2009-02) and the Basic Safety Assessment (BSA) EN 60950-1:2006 (2006-06) and are subject to a Notified Body Opinion.

These modules are approved for use with the antennas listed in the following table. The JN5179-001-M16 module is not approved for use in Europe.

Alternative vertical antennas may be used provided that the gain does not exceed 2 dBi.

**Table 13. Antennas description (R&TTE)**

|   | Brand                    | Model Number | Description                      | Gain (dBi) | Connector type |
|---|--------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|------------|----------------|
| 1 | Aveslink Technology, Inc | E-0005-AC    | vertical- flying lead            | 2          | RP-SMA         |
| 2 | Aveslink Technology, Inc | E-2411-GC    | vertical - swivel                | 2          | RP-SMA         |
| 3 | Aveslink Technology, Inc | E-2410-CA    | vertical - bulkhead- flying lead | 2          | μFL            |
| 4 | Aveslink Technology, Inc | E-2410-HA    | vertical- flying lead            | 2          | μFL            |
| 5 | Aveslink Technology, Inc | E-2410-GC    | vertical - swivel                | 2          | RP-SMA         |

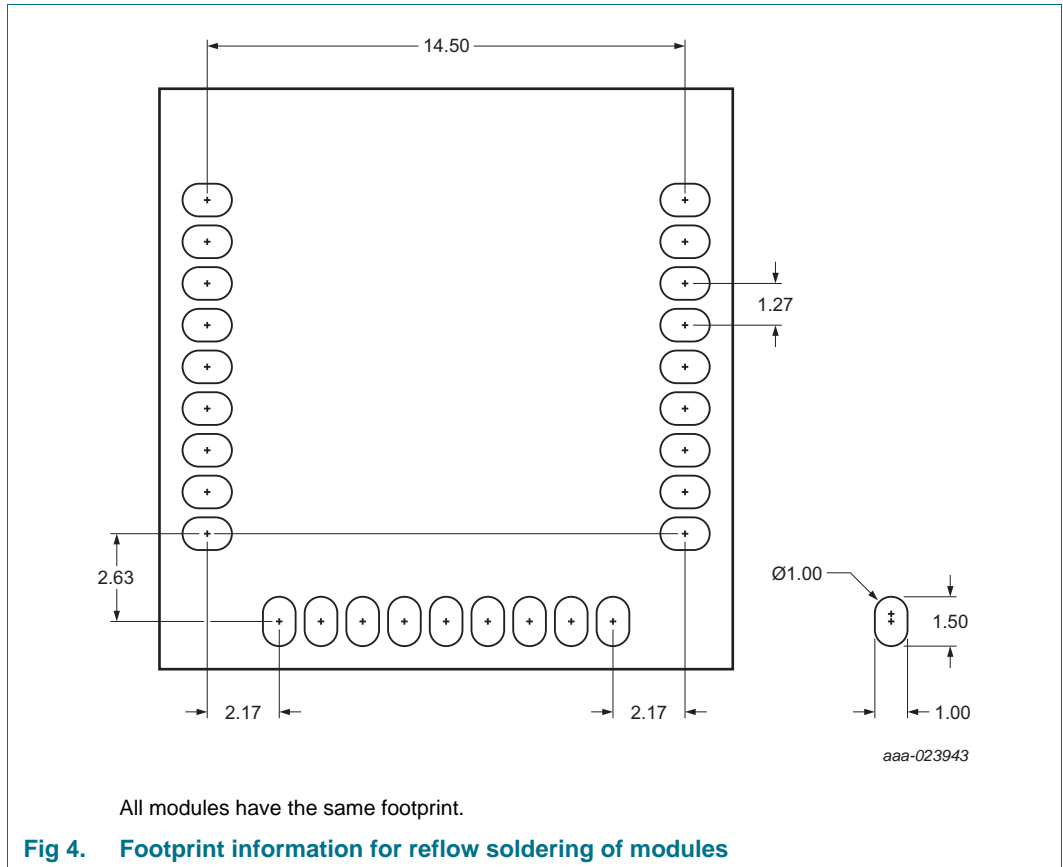


Table 13. Antennas description (R&amp;TTE) ...continued

|    | Brand                    | Model Number      | Description                      | Gain (dBi) | Connector type |
|----|--------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|------------|----------------|
| 6  | Aveslink Technology, Inc | E-2820-CA         | vertical - bulkhead- flying lead | 2          | μFL            |
| 7  | Aveslink Technology, Inc | E-2820-GC         | vertical - swivel                | 2          | RP-SMA         |
| 8  | Embedded Antenna Design  | FBKR35068-RS-KR   | vertical - knuckle antenna       | 2          | RP-SMA         |
| 9  | Nearson                  | S131CL-L-PX-2450S | vertical - knuckle-flying lead   | 2          | μFL            |
| 10 | Laird Technologies       | WRR2400-IP04      | vertical - knuckle-flying lead   | 1.5        | μFL            |
| 11 | Laird Technologies       | WRR2400-RPSMA     | vertical - knuckle-flying lead   | 1.3        | RP-SMA         |
| 12 | Aveslink Technology, Inc | E-6170-DA         | Vertical - right angle           | 1          | μFL            |
| 13 | Laird Technologies       | WCR2400-SMRP      | Vertical - knuckle antenna       | 1          | RP-SMA         |

## 14. Footprint and PCB placement

### 14.1 Footprint information for reflow soldering



### 14.2 Optimal PCB placement of JN5179-001-M10 and JN5179-001-M16 modules

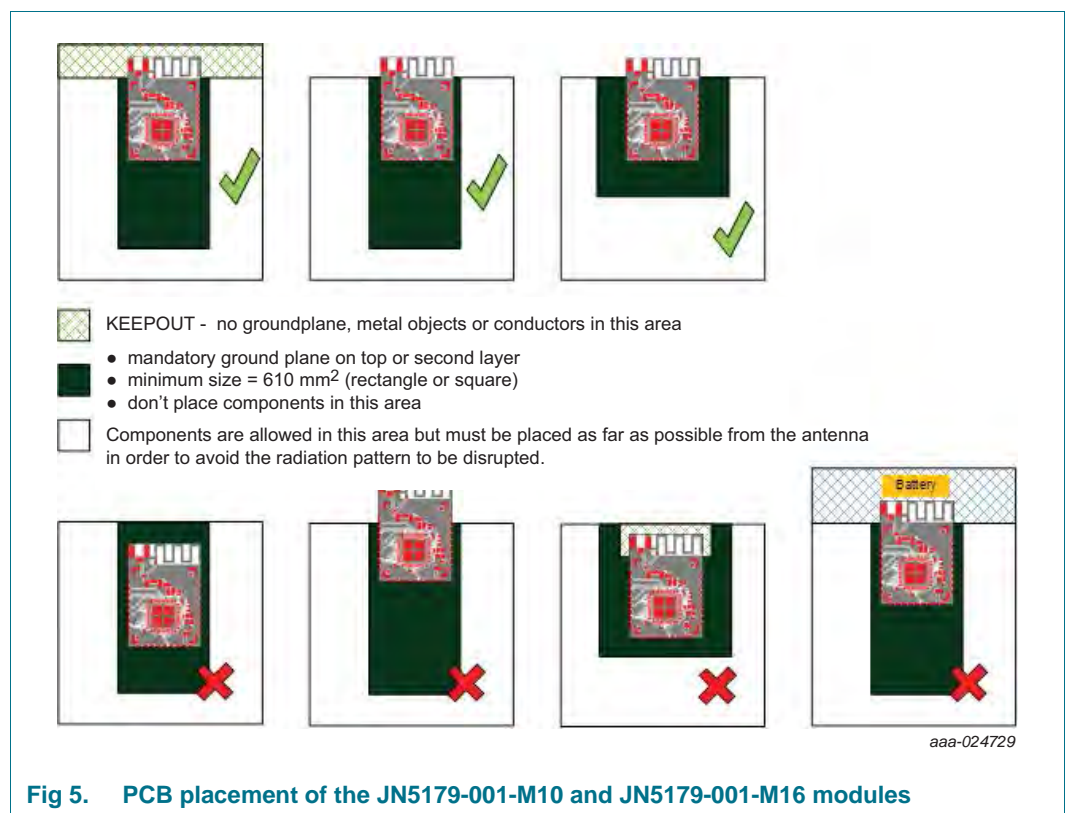
The JN5179-001-M10 and JN5179-001-M16 modules feature an optimised, low-cost, integrated, inverted F, printed PCB antenna. For size reduction no ground plane has been added between the antenna and the JN5179 chip. So an additional ground plane must be added on the main PCB beneath the module in order to ensure a good antenna efficiency. This ground plane can be a rectangle or a square with respect to 2 conditions: it must be as wide as the module (14.5 mm) and the area must be equal or greater than 610 mm<sup>2</sup>. See [Figure 5](#) below for correct placement of the module.

The antenna has a vertically polarised near omnidirectional radiation pattern and up to 1.8 dBi of peak gain. On the antenna side the ground plane of the module must be vertically aligned with the ground plane of the main PCB. The area around the antenna must be kept clear of conductors or other metal objects by a minimum distance of 20 mm except the mandatory ground plane as indicated above. This is true for all layers of the PCB and not just the top layer. Any conductive objects close to the antenna could severely disrupt the antenna pattern resulting in deep nulls and high directivity in some directions.

The [Figure 9](#) show various possible scenarios. The top 3 scenarios are correct - the ground plane must be placed beneath the JN5179-001-M10 or M16 module but it does not protrude beyond the edge of the top layer ground plane on the module PCB.

The bottom four scenarios are incorrect – in the left-hand side there is ground plane underneath the antenna, in the middle-left example the ground planes of the main PCB and the module are not vertically aligned, in the middle-right there is insufficient clearance around the antenna, and in the right-hand example a battery's metal casing is in the recommended 'keep out' area.

These recommendations do not apply to the JN5179-001-M13 module neither to the JN5179-001-M16 applications that use a single external antenna connected to the  $\mu$ FI connector.



### 14.3 Reflow Profile

For reflow soldering, it is recommended to follow the reflow profile in [Figure 6](#) as a guide, as well as the paste manufacturer's guidelines on peak flow temperature, soak times, time above liquid and ramp rates.

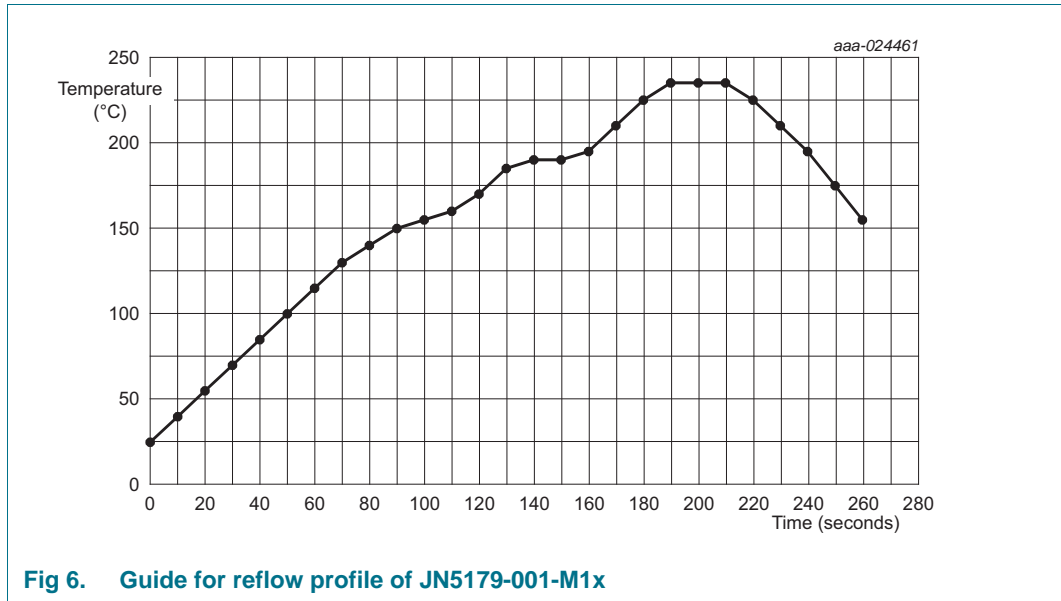


Fig 6. Guide for reflow profile of JN5179-001-M1x

Table 14. Recommended solder reflow profile

| Temperature range (°C) | Target time range (s) |
|------------------------|-----------------------|
| from 25 to ~160        | between 90 and ~130   |
| from 160 to ~220       | between 30 and ~60    |
| from 220 to ~230       | between 20 and ~50    |
| from 230 to ~peak      | between 10 and ~20    |
| from 25 to ~peak       | between 150 and ~260  |

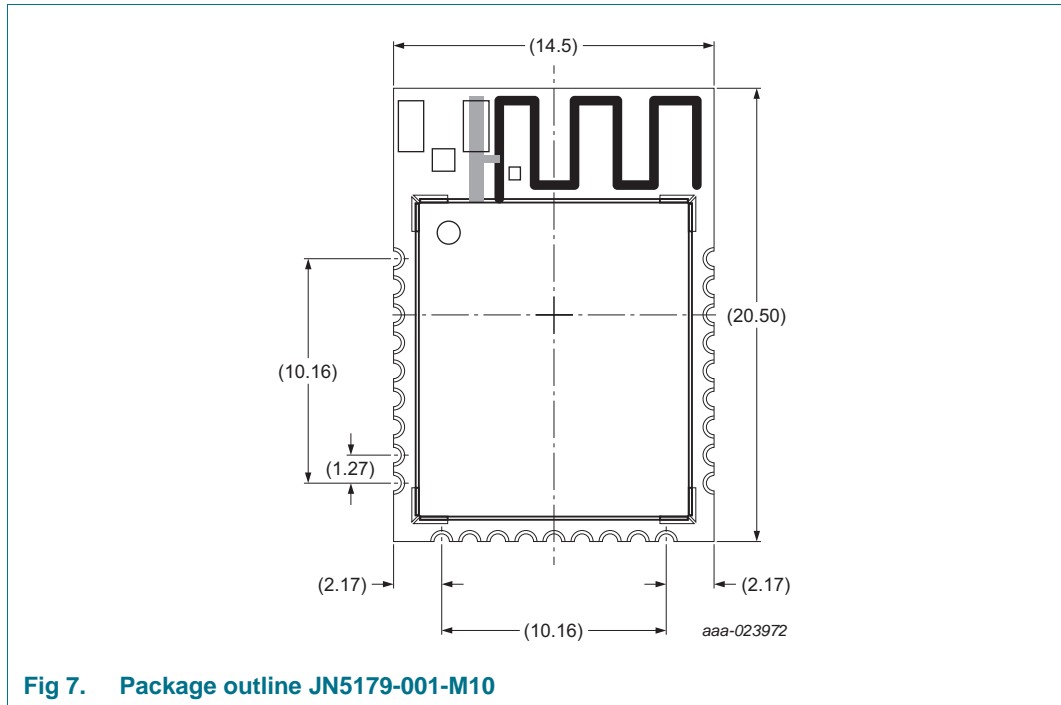
### 14.4 Soldering paste and cleaning

NXP does not recommend use of a solder paste that requires the module and PCB assembly to be cleaned (rinsed in water) for the following reasons:

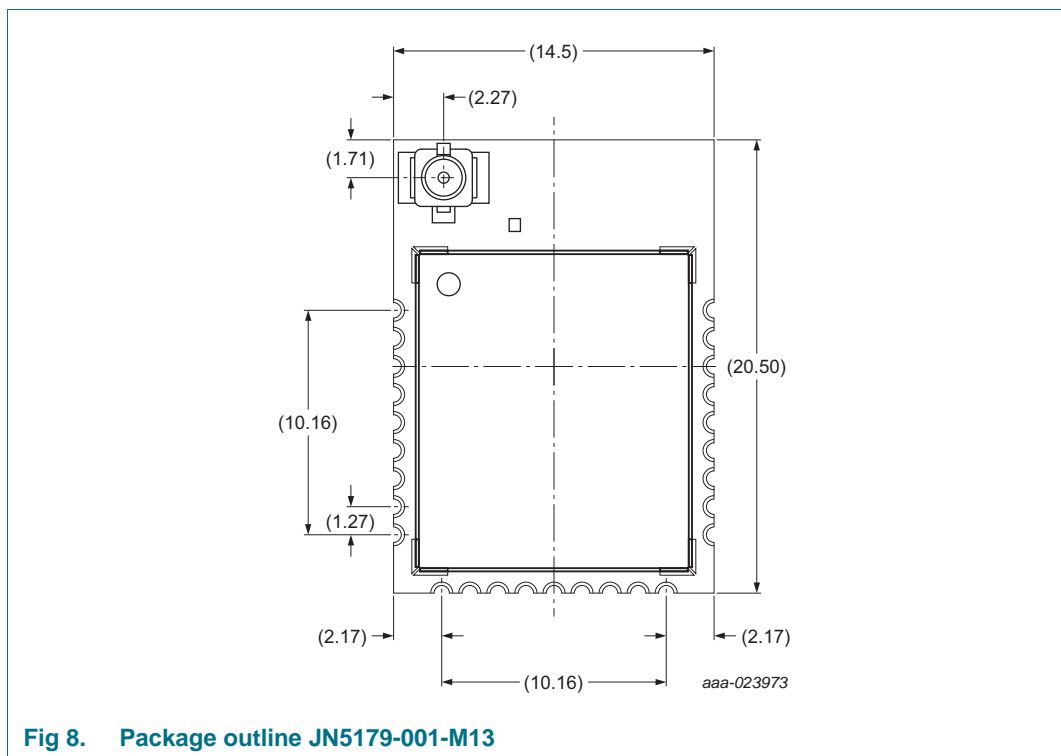
- Solder flux residues and water can be trapped by the PCB, can or components and result in short circuits

NXP recommends use of a 'no clean' solder paste for all its module products.

**15. Package outline**



**Fig 7. Package outline JN5179-001-M10**



**Fig 8. Package outline JN5179-001-M13**

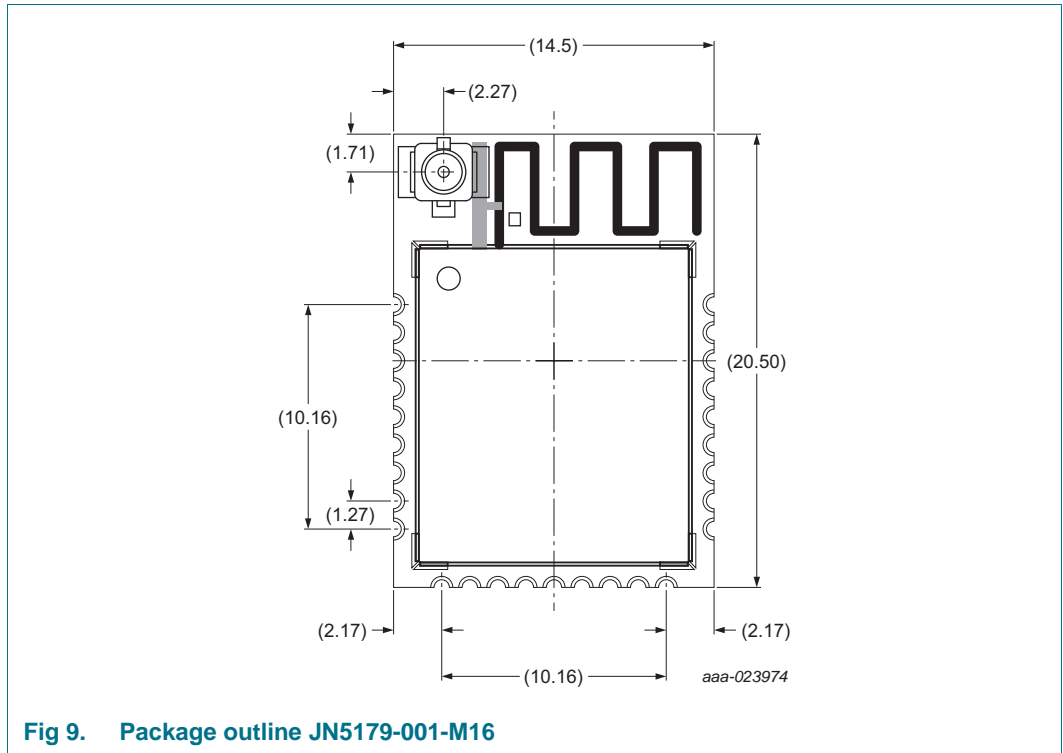


Fig 9. Package outline JN5179-001-M16

## 16. Abbreviations

Table 15. Abbreviations

| Acronym | Description   |
|---------|---|
| AC      | Alternating Current                                 |
| ADC     | Analog-to-Digital Converter                         |
| API     | Application Program Interface                       |
| CE      | Conformity European                                 |
| CPU     | Central Processing Unit                             |
| DC      | Direct Current                                      |
| DIO     | Digital Input Output                                |
| EEPROM  | Electrically-Erasable Programmable Read-Only Memory |
| FCC     | Federal Communication Commission                    |
| ID      | IDentification                                      |
| IO      | Input Output  |
| ISM     | Industrial, Scientific and Medical radio bands      |
| JTAG    | Joint Test Action Group                             |
| LNA     | Low Noise Amplifier                                 |
| MAC     | Media Access Control                                |
| OEM     | Original Equipment Manufacturer                     |
| PC      | Pulse Counter                                       |
| PCB     | Printed-Circuit Board                               |
| PER     | Packet Error Rate                                   |

Table 15. Abbreviations ...continued

| Acronym | Description                                    |
|---------|--|
| PRO     | PROtocol                                       |
| PWM     | Pulse-Width Modulation                         |
| TX      | Transmit                                       |
| R&TTE   | Radio And Terminal Telecommunication Equipment |
| RAM     | Random Access Memory                           |
| RC      | Resistance-Capacitance                         |
| RF      | Radio Frequency                                |
| RISC    | Reduced Instruction Set Computing              |
| RoHS    | Restriction of Hazardous Substance             |
| RSSI    | Received Signal Strength Indicator             |
| RX      | Receive  |
| UART    | Universal Asynchronous Receiver Transmitter    |

## 17. References

- [1] **IEEE Std 802.15.4-2011 IEEE Standard for Information Technology Part 15.4** — Wireless Medium Access Control (MAC) and Physical Layer (PHY) Specifications for Low-Rate Wireless Personal Area Networks (LR-WPANs).
- [2] **JN517x** — JN517x wireless microcontroller data sheet.
- [3] **Wireless Connectivity** — <http://www.nxp.com/products/interface-and-connectivity/wireless-connectivity:WIRELESS-CONNECTIVITY>
- [4] **Part 15 of the FCC Rules** — <http://www.ecfr.gov/cgi-bin/text-idx?SID=d01e00935bfc0d53b914e7c8e63f383&node=47:1.0.1.1.16&rgn=div5>

## 18. Revision history

Table 16. Revision history

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|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|---|
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