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(54) **ANTENNA UNIT AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF, DISPLAY DEVICE, AND ELECTRONIC APPARATUS**

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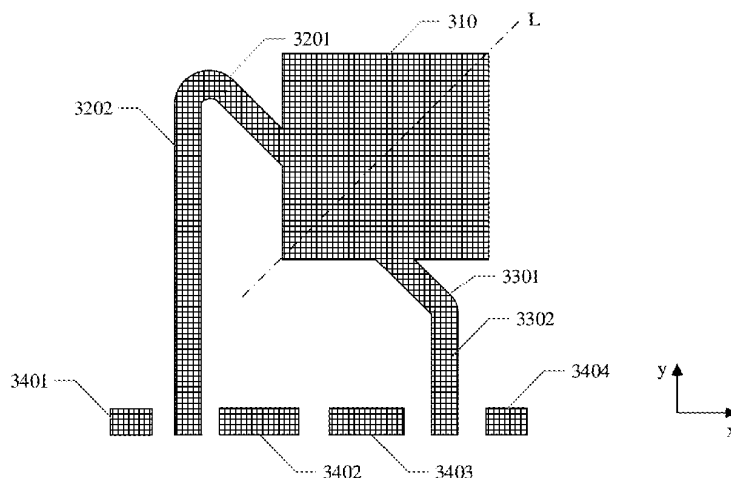
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

An antenna unit, a manufacturing method thereof, a display device, and an electronic apparatus. The antenna unit includes a radiation main body, at least one feed line, and a plurality of grounding portions. The at least one feed line and the radiation main body are electrically connected, the radiation main body, the at least one feed line, and the plurality of grounding portions are provided in a same layer.

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(54) **ELECTRONIC DEVICE HAVING ANTENNA**

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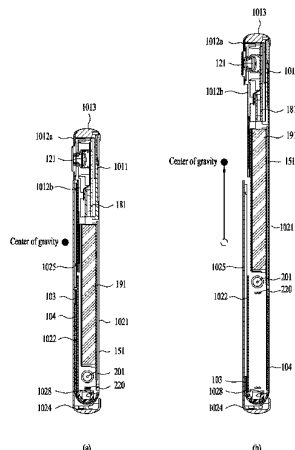
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A mobile terminal having an antenna according to one embodiment is provided. The mobile terminal comprises: a first metal housing having a left side surface and a right side surface that define the exterior; and a second metal housing having a left side surface, a right side surface, and a bottom side surface that define the exterior. A first conductive member and a second conductive member of the second metal housing each include a first sub member disposed on a lower side surface and a second sub member disposed on a left side surface or a right side surface; the left side surface of the first metal housing and the second sub member of the second metal housing overlap; the overlapping first metal housing is not exposed to the exterior, while the second sub member may be exposed to the exterior.

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(54) **ANTENNA SYSTEM**

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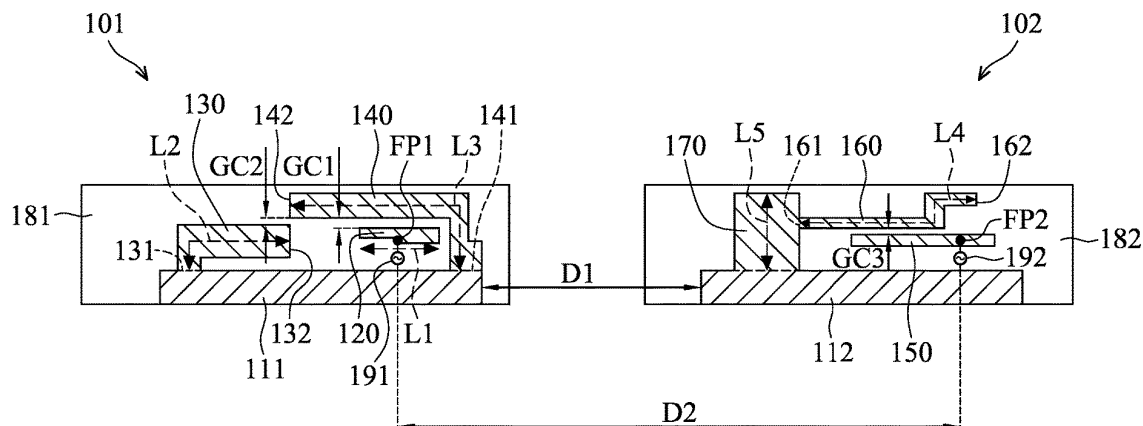
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

An antenna system includes a first antenna element and a second antenna element. The first antenna element includes a first ground element, a first radiation element, a second radiation element, and a third radiation element. The first radiation element has a first feeding point. The second radiation element is coupled to the first ground element. The third radiation element is coupled to the first ground element. The third radiation element is adjacent to the first radiation element and the second radiation element. The second antenna element includes a second ground element, a fourth radiation element, a fifth radiation element, and a sixth radiation element. The fourth radiation element has a second feeding point. The fifth radiation element is adjacent to the fourth radiation element. The fifth radiation element is coupled through the sixth radiation element to the second ground element.

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

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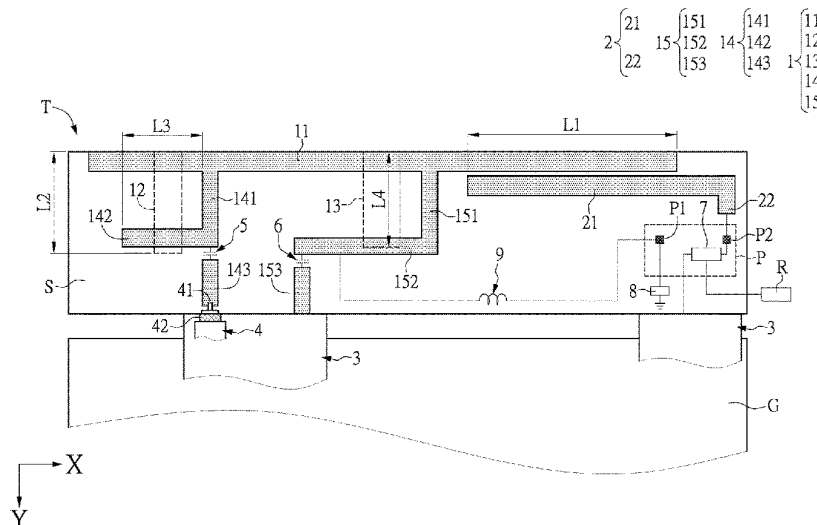
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

An antenna structure and an electronic device are provided. The antenna structure includes a substrate with opposing first and second surfaces, a first radiating element with a first radiating portion and a second radiating portion, a third radiating portion, a feeding portion, and a grounding portion that are connected to the first radiating portion, a second radiating element separate from but coupling with the first radiating portion, a grounding element connected to the grounding portion, and a feeding element. The first radiating portion, the feeding portion, and the grounding portion are disposed on the first surface. The second radiating portion and the third radiating portion are disposed on the second surface. A projected area of the second radiating portion onto the first surface partially overlaps with the feeding portion. A projected area of the third radiating portion onto the first surface partially overlaps with the grounding portion.

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(54) **ELECTRONIC DEVICE INCLUDING ANTENNA**

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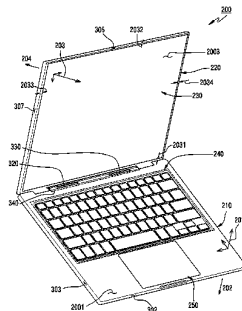
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According to an embodiment, an electronic device may comprise: a first housing structure comprising a first surface facing in a first direction, a second surface facing in a second direction opposite to the first direction, a first side surface and a second side surface facing opposite to each other and surrounding at least a part of the space between the first surface and the second surface, and a third side surface and a fourth side surface facing opposite to each other while being perpendicular to the first side surface; a second housing structure comprising a third surface facing in a third direction, a fourth surface facing in a fourth direction opposite to the third direction, a fifth side surface and a sixth side surface facing opposite to each other and surrounding at least a part of the space between the third surface and the fourth surface, and a seventh side surface and an eighth side surface facing opposite to each other while being perpendicular to the fifth side surface; a hinge structure connecting between the first side surface and the fifth side surface; a display disposed along at least a part of the third surface; at least one antenna disposed near the first side surface inside the first housing structure; and at least one wireless communication module configured to transmit and/or receive a signal in a selected or designated frequency band through the at least one antenna. Various other embodiments may be possible.

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(54) **ANTENNA UNIT AND TERMINAL DEVICE**

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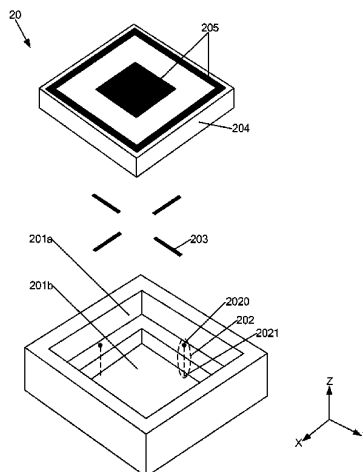
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An antenna unit and a terminal device are provided. The antenna unit includes a target metal groove, M feed portions arranged at the bottom of the target metal groove, M coupling bodies and a first insulator which are arranged in the target metal groove, and at least two radiating bodies borne by the first insulator, wherein the M feed portions are insulated from the target metal groove, the M coupling bodies are located between the bottom of the target metal groove and the first insulator, each of the M feed portions is electrically connected to one coupling body respectively, each of the M coupling bodies is coupled with the at least two radiating bodies and the target metal groove, different radiating bodies have different resonance frequencies, and M is a positive integer.

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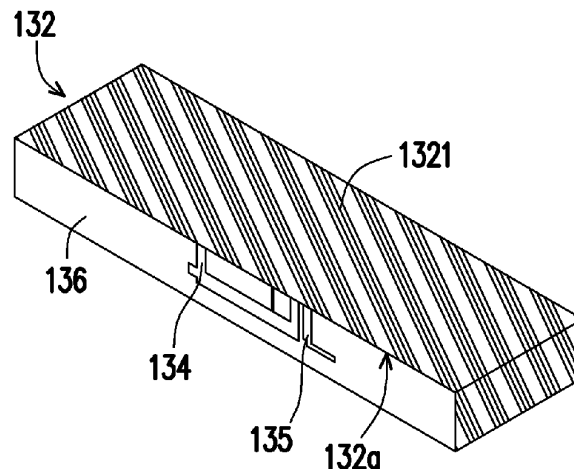
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An electronic device including a first body, a second body, and at least one cavity antenna module is provided. The second body has a pivot side and a plurality of non-pivot sides, and the pivot side is connected pivotally to the first body. The cavity antenna module includes a metal cavity body and a first antenna structure. The metal cavity body is disposed in the second body and has an opening. A distance between one of the non-pivot sides and the metal cavity body is smaller than a distance between the pivot side and the metal cavity body, and the opening faces the one of the non-pivot sides. The first antenna structure is disposed in the opening of the metal cavity body, and the first antenna structure includes a feeding portion, a radiating portion, and a ground portion connected with one another.

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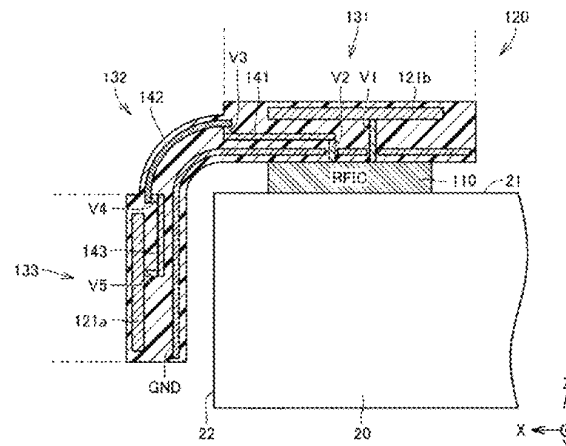
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

An antenna substrate includes a flat section where a radiating element is disposed, a flexible section disposed adjacent to the flat section, a first electrical conductor having one end portion connected to the radiating element inside the flat section, and a second electrical conductor having one end portion connected to the other end portion of the electrical conductor inside the flexible section. The average or median grain size in the extension direction of the first electrical conductor is larger than the average or median grain size in the extension direction of the second electrical conductor, and the average or median aspect ratio of the electrical conductor is larger than the average or median aspect ratio of the electrical conductor.

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

An electronic device including an antenna structure and a switching circuit is provided. The antenna structure includes a first radiating element, a second radiating element, a feeding element and a grounding element. The first radiating element includes a first radiating part and a feeding part. The second radiating element is coupled with the first radiating element, and includes a main body and an arm that is electrically connected to the switching circuit. The feeding element includes a feeding end electrically connected to the feeding part, and a grounding end electrically connected to the grounding element. The antenna structure generates a first operation bandwidth and second operation bandwidth when the switching circuit is switched to a first and second mode, respectively. A central frequency of the first operation bandwidth is different from that of the second operation bandwidth.

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(54) **MULTI-LOOP RESONANCE STRUCTURE
AND MULTIPLE-INPUT AND
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COMMUNICATION SYSTEM**

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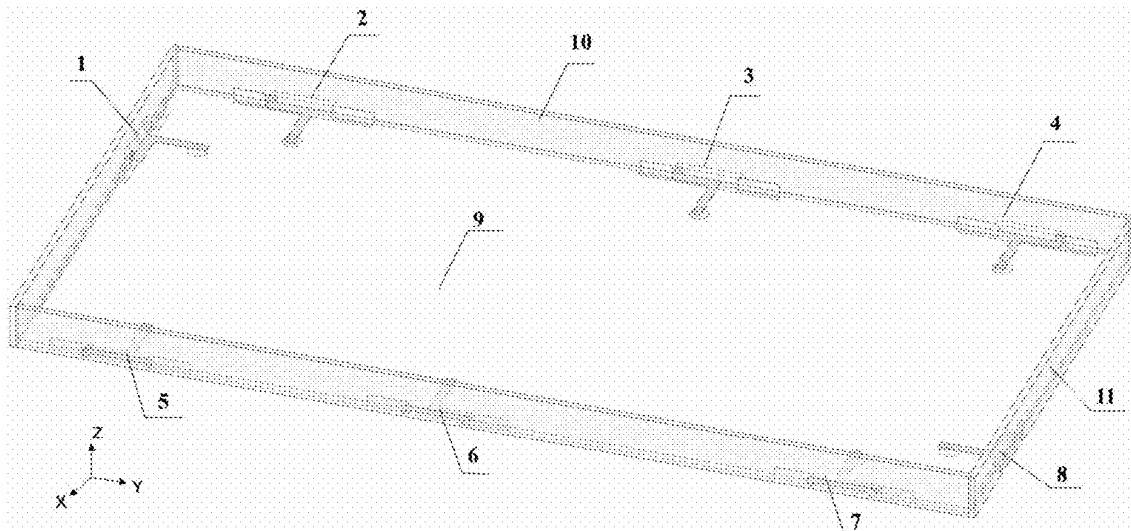
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A multi-loop resonance structure and a multiple-input and multiple-output (MIMO) antenna communication system. The multi-loop resonance structure includes a metal floor, a first feed branch plate, and a first metal patch, where the metal floor is disposed on a lower surface of the first dielectric substrate, and the metal floor is provided with a resonant-tank set; the first feed branch plate is disposed in parallel on an upper surface of the first dielectric substrate, and a first straight plate in the first feed branch plate is disposed opposite to the resonant-tank set along a substrate line; an end, in the first feed branch plate, far away from the substrate line is connected to the metal floor; and the first metal patch is connected to the metal floor through the first dielectric substrate along a first surface, in the second dielectric substrate, perpendicular to the first dielectric substrate.

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(54) **ANTENNA STRUCTURE AND ELECTRONIC DEVICE INCLUDING THE SAME**

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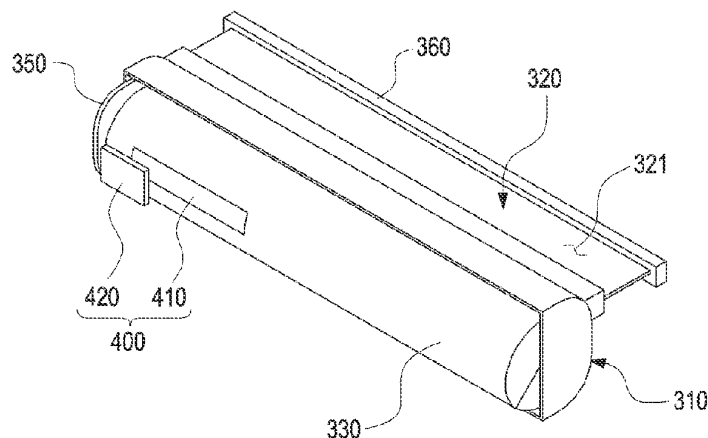
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(57) **ABSTRACT**
According to various embodiments of the disclosure, an electronic device may include: a housing, a rollable display, a shielding case disposed inside the housing and surrounding at least a part of the rollable display, and including a first opening accommodating the rollable display, and a first antenna structure including at least one antenna disposed in an area outside the shielding case.

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(54) **ELECTRONIC DEVICE COMPRISING ANTENNA**

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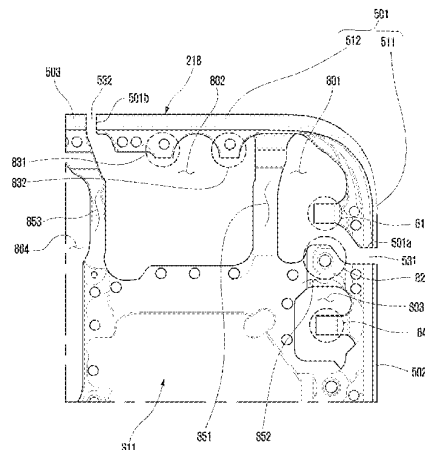
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(57) **ABSTRACT**

According to an embodiment of the disclosure, an electronic device comprises: a housing including a front plate, a rear plate positioned on the opposite side from the front plate, and a side bezel surrounding at least part of the space between the front plate and the rear plate, and including a first conduction unit comprising a conductor, a second conduction unit comprising a conductor positioned such that a first segment is between the second conduction unit and one end of the first conduction unit, and a third conduction unit comprising a conductor positioned such that a second segment is between the third conduction unit and an other end of the first conduction unit; a support positioned inside the space and connected to the first conduction unit, the second conduction unit, and the third conduction unit, and which includes a first opening extending from the first segment and positioned within a specified proximity of the first conduction unit; a printed circuit board positioned inside the space between the support and the rear plate, and including first and second terminals electrically connected to at least part of the support surrounding the first opening, a ground plane, a first electrical path electrically connecting

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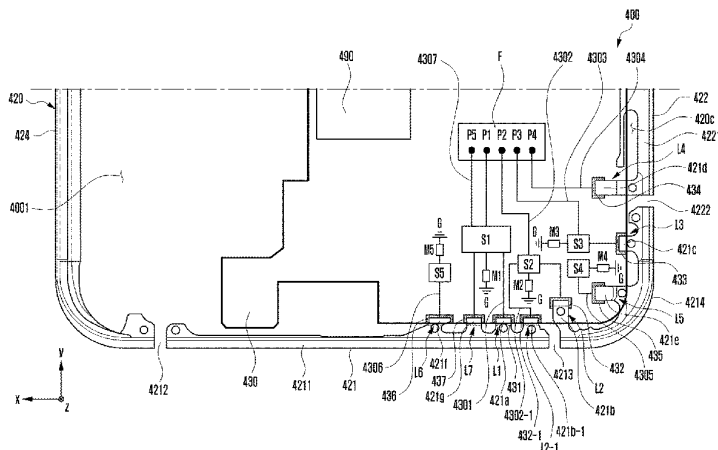
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An example electronic device may include: a side member including a first conductive portion disposed through a first non-conductive portion and a second non-conductive portion and a second conductive portion disposed through the second non-conductive portion and a third non-conductive portion; a substrate disposed in the internal space of the housing and including a ground; at least one wireless communication circuit disposed on the substrate; a first switching circuit disposed in a first electrical path connecting the wireless communication circuit and a first point of the first conductive portion; a second switching circuit disposed in a second electrical path connecting the wireless communication circuit and a second point of the second conductive portion; a third switching circuit disposed in a third electrical path connecting the wireless communication circuit and a third point of the second conductive portion between the second point and the third non-conductive portion; and at least one processor configured to control at least one switching circuit among the first, second, and third switching circuits, wherein the second switching circuit is

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(57) **ABSTRACT**

An electronic apparatus is provided. The electronic apparatus includes a housing which comprises a front surface plate, a rear surface plate oriented in the opposite direction to the front surface plate, and a side surface member surrounding the space between the front surface plate and the rear surface plate, at least a portion of the side surface member including at least one conductive section positioned between a first non-conductive section and a second non-conductive section which are spaced apart from each other, a conductive extended portion part extending from at least a partial area of the conductive section to the space, a printed circuit board disposed in the space, and a wireless communication circuit disposed on the printed circuit board and electrically con-

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