

Title (en)
HEARING AID HAVING A MICROPHONE MODULE WITH IMPROVED ULTRASOUND PROPERTIES

Title (de)
HÖRGERÄT MIT EINEM MIKROFONMODUL MIT VERBESSERTEN ULTRASCHALLEIGENSCHAFTEN

Title (fr)
APPAREIL AUDITIF POSSÉDANT UN MODULE DE MICROPHONE PRÉSENTANT DE MEILLEURES PROPRIÉTÉS D'ULTRASONS

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Abstract (en)
A microphone module for use in a hearing aid comprises a PCB, a MEMS microphone mounted on one surface of the PCB, having an acoustic inlet facing the one surface of the PCB, an opening formed in the PCB, which faces the acoustic inlet of the MEMS microphone, a snout element, which is provided opposing the MEMS microphone on the other surface of the PCB, and a passage extending through the snout element, one end thereof facing the opening in the PCB. The passage forms an acoustic channel and is configured to be longer than the length of the opening in the printed circuit board, and at least a part of the passage has a cross-sectional area which is smaller than the opening area in the PCB.

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