Mini-Circuits

Gali Kit Test Board Instructions for Use

(for testing all kit "K1-Gali" and Gali-X9 models) (AN-60-013)

Introduction

Gali Models are a series of wide band amplifiers. They have different device voltages and currents (refer to catalog spec). The test board has been constructed in such a way as to make it useful for evaluating all the devices by suitable selection of bias resistor. This is done by soldering a jumper wire across one of the dashed-line positions 1 to 5 shown in Fig.1.

Component	Value	Function	Mo
C1 & C2	39000 pF	DC blocking	Ga
L1	MCL Model # ADCH-80A	RF choke	Ga
R1	189Ω	Sets bias current for Gali-3,-39	Ga
R2	163Ω	Sets bias current for Gali-1,-2, -21,-19,-29	Ga
R3	142Ω	Sets bias current for Gali-33	Ga
R4	81Ω	Sets bias current for Gali-4,-5,- 51,-49,-59	Ga
R5	70Ω	Sets bias current for Gali-6	Ga
R6	4.75Ω	Protects Zener	Ga
D1	Zener, 10V	Protects against excessive supply voltage	Ga
C3	0.1 μF	Bypass capacitor By passes noise of supply voltage	Ga
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The Test	Board has	the following	components:
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Model No.	Short at Position
Gali-1	2
Gali-2	2
Gali-21	2
Gali-3	1
Gali-33	3
Gali-4	4
Gali-5	4
Gali-51	4
Gali-6	5
Gali-19	2
Gali-29	2
Gali-39	1
Gali-49	4
Gali-59	4

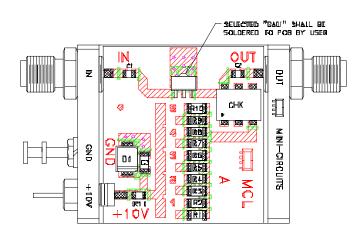
Procedure

Follow these steps to use the Test Board. Figure 2 shows the layout.

- 1. Solder selected Gali unit onto Test Board.
- 2. Make DC connection by soldering jumpe wire in accordance with the table depending on the selected Gali model. Al other positions should be open.
- 3. Calibrate test setup.
- 4. First, connect the RF output port of the test board to Network/Spectrum analyzer. Then, apply +10 V DC. Finally, apply RF input to the test board from Network Analyzer.
- 5. Test Board has Insertion Loss due to the length of its lines, DC blocking capacitors and RF choke as shown below. Add this loss to the measured gain to get actual gain.

Frequency	Insertion Loss
(GHz)	(dB)
1	0.64
2	1.03
3	1.63
4	1.32
5	1.46
6	1.90
8	3.21

Fig 2. Layout of the Test Board Gali-TB



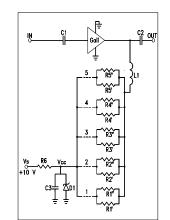


Fig 1. Schematic of the Test Board Gali - TB