Ceramic Bandpass Filter

50Ω 1580 to 2200 MHz

The Big Deal

- LTCC construction
- Temperature stable from -55 to +100°C
- Small size (0.126 x .063 X .037")



BFCN-1860+



Product Overview

The BFCN-1860+ LTCC bandpass filter covers the 1580 to 2200 MHz passband with 2 dB passband insertion loss and 20 dB upper/lower stopband rejection. This model handles up to 2.5W RF input power and provides a wide operating temperature range from -55 to +100°C. Utilizing LTCC multi-layer construction, the filter achieves excellent repeatability of performance and comes in a tiny 1206 ceramic package with wraparound terminations, minimizing performance variations due to parasitics and saving space in dense PCB layouts.

Key Features

Feature	Advantages
LTCC Construction	Provides a rugged package well suited for tough environments such as high humidity and temperature extremes.
Tiny size (0.126 x .063 x .037")	Saves space in dense circuit boards and minimizes the effects of parasitics.
Wrap-around terminations	Provides excellent solderability and easy visual inspection
Wide operating temperature range, -55 to +100°C	Enables reliable performance in extreme environments

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Features

- Good VSWR, 1.5:1 typ. @ passband
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Applications

- Harmonic rejection
- Transmitters / Receivers

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Generic photo used for illustration purposes only CASE STYLE: FV1206-4

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> Available Tape and Reel at no extra cost Reel Size Devices/Reel 7" 20, 50, 100, 200, 500, 1000, 3000

Specification Definition



Functional Schematic

Top View

Pad Connections

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Input

Output

Ground

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FREQUENCY (MHz)

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Electrical Specifications^{1,2} at 25°C

Parar	neter	F#	Frequency (MHz)	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
	Center Frequency	—			1860 — 2.0 3.5 — 1.5 2.5		MHz
Pass Band	Insertion Loss	F1 - F2	1580 - 2200	—			dB
	VSWR	F1 - F2	1580 - 2200	_			:1
Ctop Bond Lower	Insertion Loss	DC - F3	1300	_	20	_	dB
Stop Band, Lower	VSWR	DC - F3	1300 —		20	—	:1
Stan Band Unner	Insertion Loss	F4 - F5	2600 - 4800	— 20		_	dB
Stop Band, Opper	VSWR	F4 - F5	2600 - 4800	_	15	_	:1

1. Measured on Mini-Circuits Characterization Test Board TB-824+.

2. This filter is not intended for use as a DC Blocking circuit element. In Application where DC voltage is present at either input or output ports, blocking capacitors are required at the corresponding RF port.

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Maximum Ratings

Operating Temperature	-55°C to +100°C				
Storage Temperature	-55°C to +100°C				
RF Power Input*	2.5W at 25°C				
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*Passband rating, derate linearly to 0.7W at 100°C ambient Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.

Bandpass Filter

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Frequency (MHz)	Insertion Loss (dB)	VSWR (:1)	Frequency (MHz)	Insertion Loss (dB)	Group Delay (nsec)	
10	81.30	72.38	1580	1.78	1.06	
40	72.24	67.32	1600	1.71	0.98	
100	57.92	60.68	1620	1.66	0.93	
400	35.41	43.01	1640	1.62	0.87	
1000	24.12	22.58	1660	1.61	0.82	
1300	19.87	10.75	1700	1.58	0.75	
1580	1.78	1.10	1750	1.56	0.70	
1660	1.61	1.38	1800	1.54	0.66	
2000	1.56	1.55	1850	1.53	0.63	
2200	2.00	1.74	1900	1.53	0.62	
2600	24.98	5.02	1950	1.54	0.62	
3000	27.70	17.47	2000	1.56	0.62	
3500	37.29	23.88	2050	1.60	0.64	
4100	31.00	24.03	2100	1.68	0.66	
4800	30.01	2.93	2200	2.00	0.74	

Pad Connections

Input	1
Output	3
Ground	2,4

Product Marking: F8

Outline Drawing



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.069	.104	.182	.012	.075	.026	.037	.063	.126
1.75	2.64	4.62	0.30	1.91	0.66	0.94	1.60	3.20
wt		R	Q	Р	Ν	М	L	к
grams		.039	.020	.024	.013	.039	.041	.119
.020		0.99	0.51	0.61	0.33	0.99	1.04	3.02

Demo Board MCL P/N: TB-824+ Suggested PCB Layout (PL-454)



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