

Plug-In Low Noise Amplifier

AMP-15

50Ω

5 MHz to 1000 MHz

Features

- very low noise, 2.8 dB typ.
- wideband, 5 to 1000 MHz
- hermetic, TO-8 can

Applications

- military, hi-rel applications
- small signal amplifier
- buffer amplifier
- printed circuit design
- VHF/UHF
- cellular



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CASE STYLE: PP120

Low Noise Amplifier Electrical Specifications

MODEL NO.	FREQUENCY (MHz)		NOISE FIGURE (dB)	GAIN (dB)			MAXIMUM POWER (dBm)		INTERCEPT POINT (dBm)	VSWR (:1) Typ.		DC POWER	
	f_L	f_U		Typ.	Min.	m	Total Range	Output (1 dB Compr.)		Input (no damage)	IP3 Typ.	In	Out
AMP-15	5	1000	2.8	13	±0.6	±1.2	+8	+13	+22	2.0	2.0	15	29

m = mid range [2 f_L to $f_U/2$]

Open load is not recommended, potentially can cause damage.

With no load derate max input power by 20 dB

Pin Connections

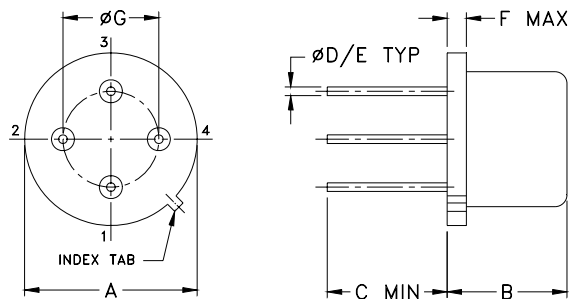
RF IN	2
RF OUT	4
DC	1
GROUND	3
CASE GROUND	3

Maximum Ratings

Operating Temperature	-54°C to 85°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to 100°C
DC Voltage	+17V Max.

Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.

Outline Drawing



Outline Dimensions (inch/mm)

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	wt
.50	.21	.15	.016	.020	.04	.300	grams
12.70	5.33	3.81	0.41	0.51	1.02	7.62	1.5

Notes

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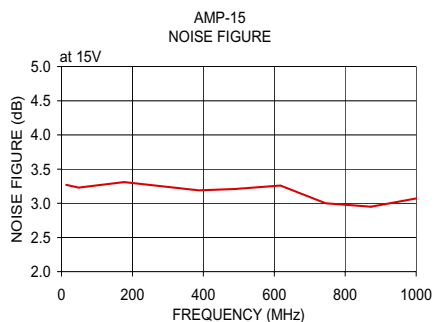
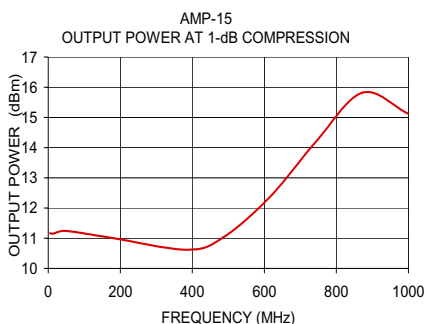
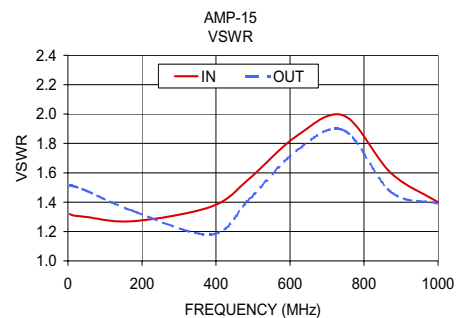
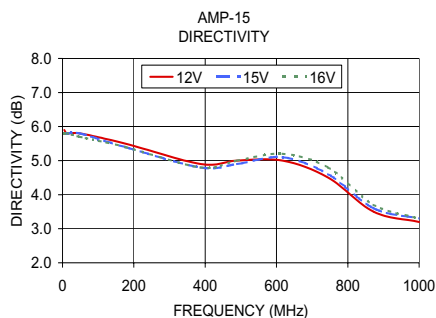
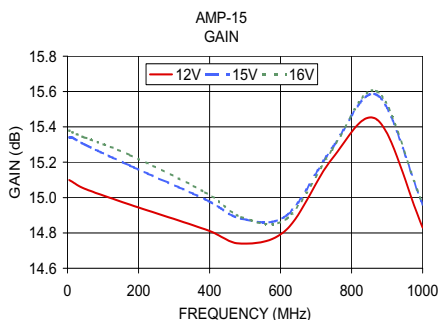
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FREQUENCY (MHz)	GAIN (dB)			DIRECTIVITY (dB)			VSWR (:1)		NOISE FIGURE (dB)	P _{OUT} at 1 dB COMPR. (dBm)
	12V	15V	16V	12V	15V	16V	IN	OUT		
5.00	15.10	15.34	15.38	5.90	5.80	5.80	1.32	1.51	—	11.17
13.20	15.09	15.34	15.37	5.80	5.80	5.80	1.31	1.51	3.27	11.15
48.20	15.05	15.30	15.34	5.80	5.80	5.70	1.30	1.48	3.23	11.24
176.20	14.96	15.18	15.24	5.50	5.40	5.40	1.27	1.34	3.31	11.01
387.70	14.82	14.99	15.03	4.90	4.80	4.80	1.37	1.18	3.19	10.62
489.70	14.74	14.88	14.89	5.00	4.90	5.00	1.56	1.42	3.21	11.06
617.30	14.82	14.90	14.88	5.00	5.10	5.20	1.85	1.75	3.26	12.39
744.90	15.22	15.28	15.27	4.50	4.60	4.80	1.99	1.89	3.00	14.22
872.40	15.44	15.58	15.60	3.50	3.60	3.70	1.60	1.47	2.95	15.82
1000.00	14.83	14.96	14.96	3.20	3.30	3.30	1.40	1.39	3.07	15.12



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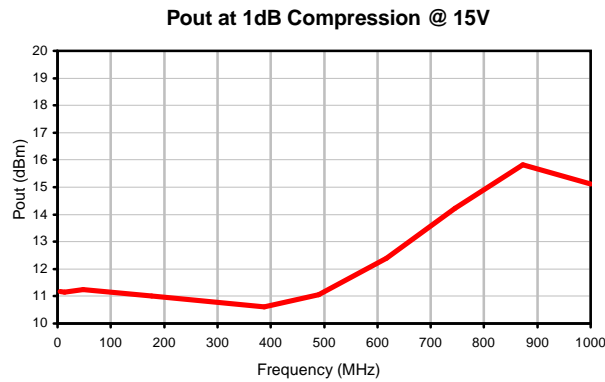
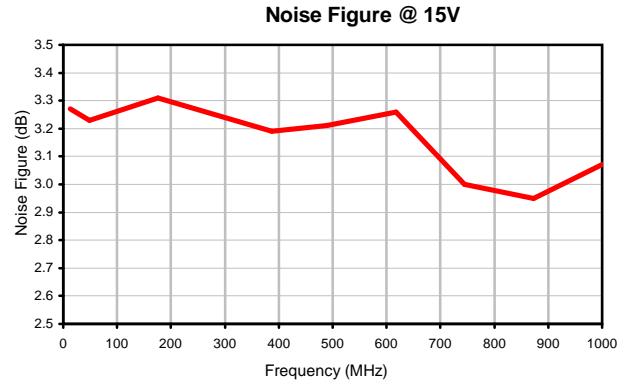
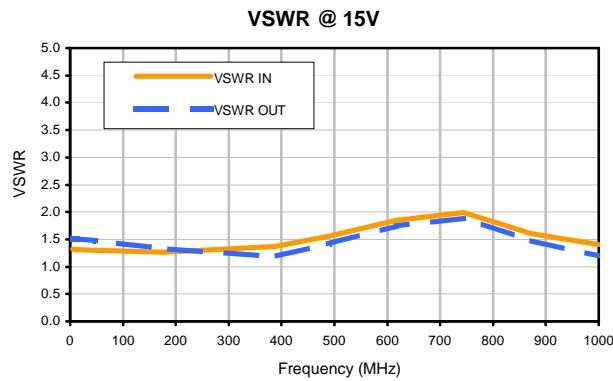
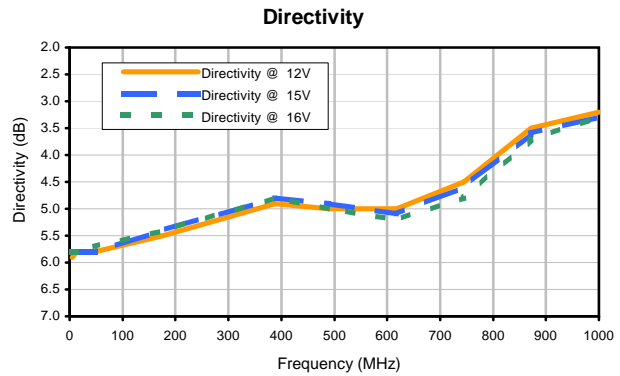
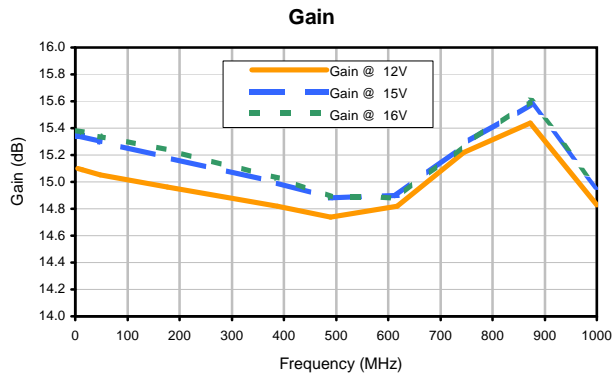
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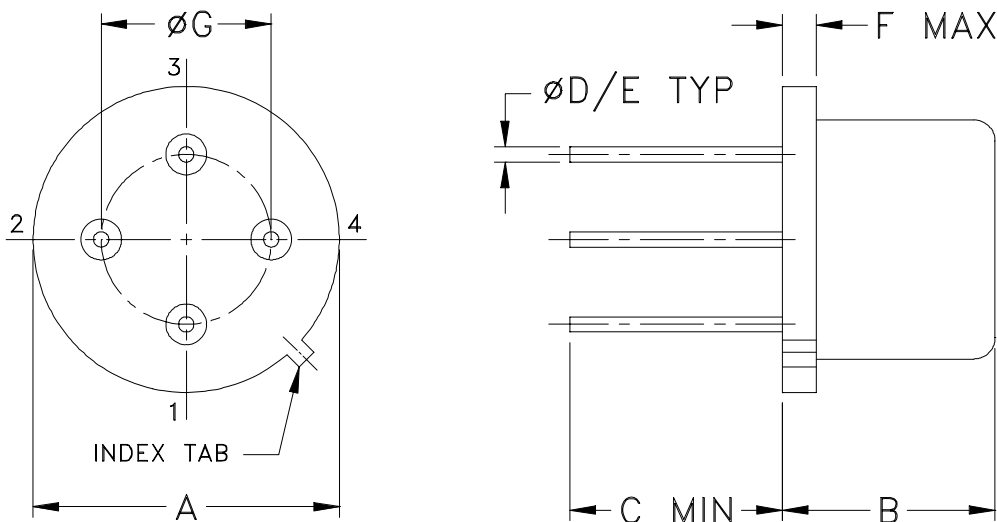
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Typical Performance Curves



Outline Dimensions

PP120
PP230



CASE#	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	WT, GRAM
PP120	.50 (12.70)	.21 (5.33)	.15 (3.81)	.016 (.41)	.020 (.51)	.04 (1.02)	.300 (7.62)	1.5
PP230		.250 (6.35)	.24 (6.10)					1.8

Dimensions are in inches (mm). Tolerances: 2 Pl. $\pm .03$; 3 Pl. $\pm .015$

Notes:

- Header material: C.R.S. or kovar.
Pin material: # 52 alloy or kovar.
Cover material: Nickel.
- Pin finish: Gold plate 25 μ inches (.64 microns) min.
- For pin designations see specifications data sheet.
- Pin numbers do not appear on unit, for reference only.



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Specification	Test/Inspection Condition	Reference/Spec
Operating Temperature	-54° to 85°C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
Storage Temperature	-55° to 100° C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
Thermal Shock	-55° to 100°C, 10 cycles	MIL-STD-202, Method 107, Condition A, except +100°C & 10 cycles
Constant Acceleration	5000g, Y1 axis	MIL-STD-883, Method 2001, Condition A, except Y1 axis only
Solderability	10X Magnification	J-STD-002, 95% Coverage
Resistance to Solder Heat	260°C for 10 seconds	MIL-STD-202, Method 210, Condition B
Marking Resistance to Solvents	Isopropyl alcohol + mineral spirits at 25°C; terpene defluxer at 25°C; distilled water + proylene glycol monomethyl ether + monoethanolamine at 63°C to 70°C	MIL-STD-202, Method 215
Gross Leak	125°C Bubble Test	MIL-STD-202, Method 112, Condition D