

# Ceramic High Pass Filter

## HFCG-3500+

50Ω      3900 to 16500 MHz



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CASE STYLE: GE0805C-9

### The Big Deal

- Low insertion loss, 1 dB typ.
- Very good rejection, 43 dB typ
- Small size 2.0 mm x 1.25 mm
- Good power handling, 3W
- Ceramic construction

### Product Overview

HFCG-3500+ is a high pass filter with passband from 3900 MHz to 16500 MHz supporting a variety of applications. This model provides 1 dB typical insertion loss over a wide band due to strategically constructed layout. Housed in a tiny 0805 ceramic form factor with wraparound terminations, the filter is ideal for dense PCB layouts with minimal performance variation due to parasitics.

### Key Features

Feature	Advantages
Small size, 2.0 mm x 1.25 mm	Accommodates tight space requirements for dense PCB layouts.
Wrap around termination	Provides excellent solderability and easy visual inspection capability.
LTCC construction	Provides a rugged package that is well suited for tough environments including high humidity and high temperature extremes.
Ultra-wide pass band	This filter has a very wide passband from 3.9 GHz to 16.5 GHz.

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**+RoHS Compliant**

The +Suffix identifies RoHS Compliance. See our web site for RoHS Compliance methodologies and qualifications

### Features

- Low insertion loss, 1 dB typ.
- Very good rejection, 43 dB typical
- Small size 2.0 mm x 1.25 mm
- Temperature stable
- LTCC construction

### Applications

- Test and measurements
- Military applications
- Telecommunications and broadband wireless system
- 5G Sub 6 GHz
- WiFi 6E and X-band Radar

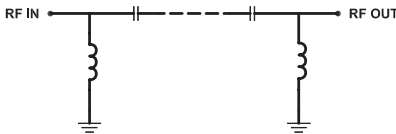
### Electrical Specifications<sup>(1,2)</sup> at 25°C

Parameter		F#	Frequency (MHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Stop Band	Rejection Loss	DC-F1	DC - 2400	37	43	-	dB
		F1-F2	2400 - 2700	26	38	-	dB
	Freq. Cut-Off	F3	3550	-	3.0	-	dB
Pass Band	Insertion Loss	F4-F5	3900 - 4400	-	1.8	-	dB
		F5-F6	4400 - 5200	-	0.9	1.6	dB
		F6-F7	5200 - 15000	-	0.8	1.4	dB
	F7-F8	15000 - 16500	-	1.0	-	dB	
Return Loss		F4-F8	3900 - 16500	-	12	-	dB

1 This component is not intended to act as a DC block. Please consult with Mini-Circuits for further details  
2 Measured on Mini-Circuits Characterization Test Board TB-HFCG-3500+

\* Typically, a ±5% frequency deviation from the stated value may occur on a unit-to-unit basis

### Functional Schematic



### Maximum Ratings

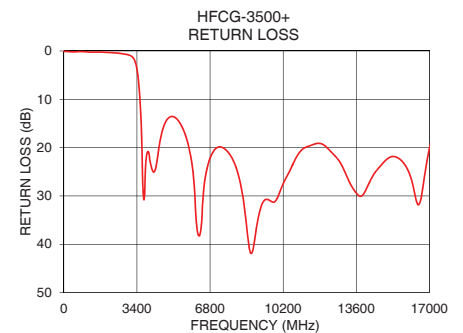
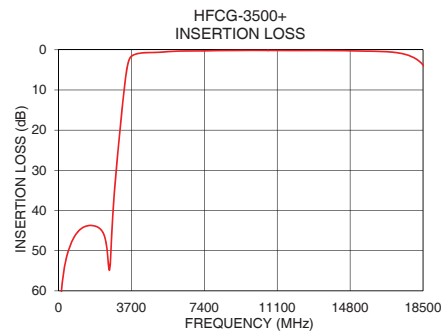
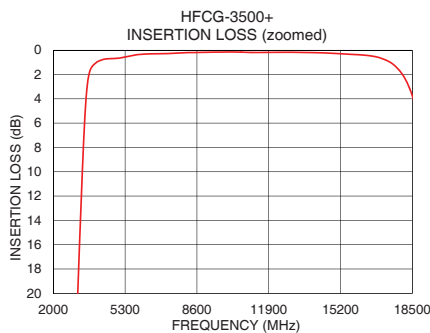
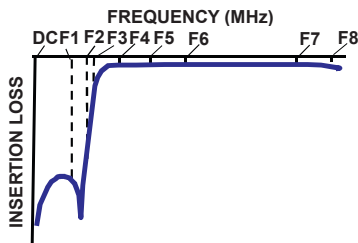
Operating Temperature	-55°C to 125°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to 125°C
RF Power Input*	3W @ 25°C

\*Passband rating, derate linearly to 0.6W at 125°C ambient  
Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.

### Typical Performance Data at 25°C

Frequency (MHz)	Insertion Loss (dB)	Return Loss (dB)
10	76.10	0.09
100	64.08	0.09
550	49.32	0.17
1010	45.14	0.17
2400	47.66	0.40
2700	46.23	0.55
2920	30.57	0.71
3120	20.09	1.01
3330	10.07	2.36
3500	4.05	7.42
3550	3.02	10.58
3900	1.13	20.85
4400	0.72	20.77
5200	0.60	13.83
10000	0.15	29.68
12000	0.18	19.24
14000	0.20	29.11
15000	0.27	22.47
16000	0.37	24.71
16500	0.45	31.80

### Typical Frequency Response



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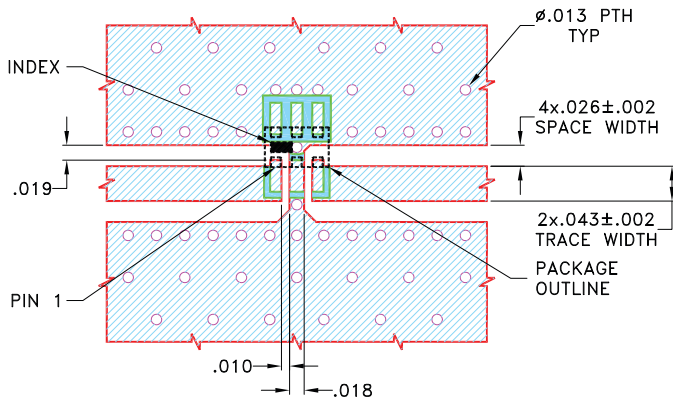
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HFCG-3500+  
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## Pad Connections

INPUT	1
OUTPUT	3
GROUND	2, 4, 5, 6

Product Marking: UK

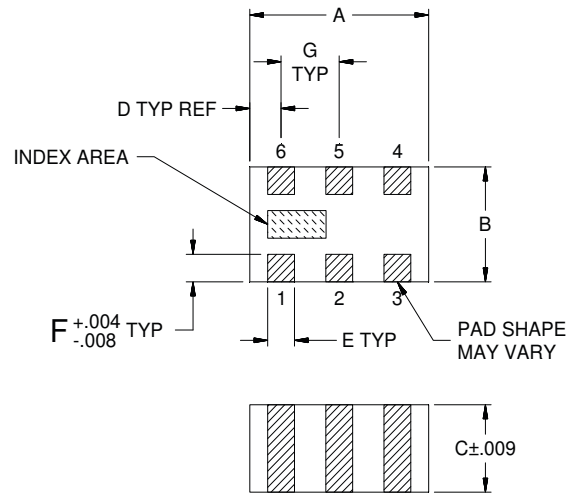
Demo Board MCL P/N: TB-HFCG-3500+  
Suggested PCB Layout (PL-633)



### NOTES:

1. COPLANAR WAVEGUIDE PARAMETERS ARE SHOWN FOR ROGERS (R04350B) WITH DIELECTRIC THICKNESS  $.020 \pm .0015$ . COPPER: 1/2 Oz. EACH SIDE. FOR OTHER MATERIALS TRACE WIDTH AND GAP MAY NEED TO BE MODIFIED.
  2. BOTTOM SIDE OF THE PCB IS CONTINUOUS GROUND PLANE.
- DENOTES PCB COPPER PATTERN WITH SMOBC (SOLDER MASK OVER BARE COPPER)  
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## Outline Drawing



### Outline Dimensions (inch)

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	Wt.
.079	.049	.037	.014	.012	.012	.026	grams
2.00	1.25	0.95	0.35	0.30	0.30	0.65	.008

Note: Please refer to case style drawing for details.

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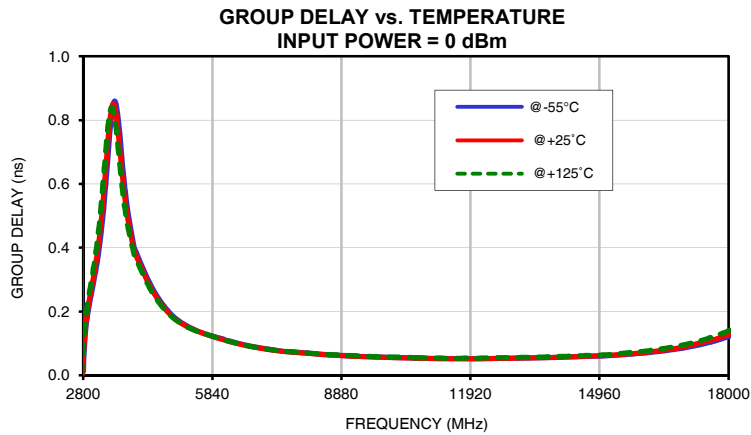
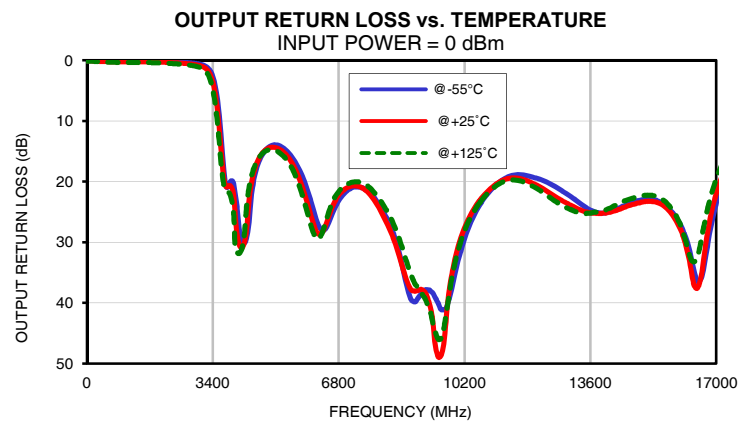
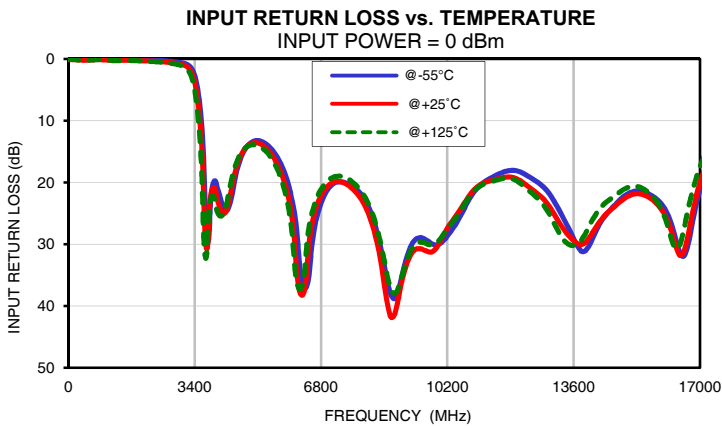
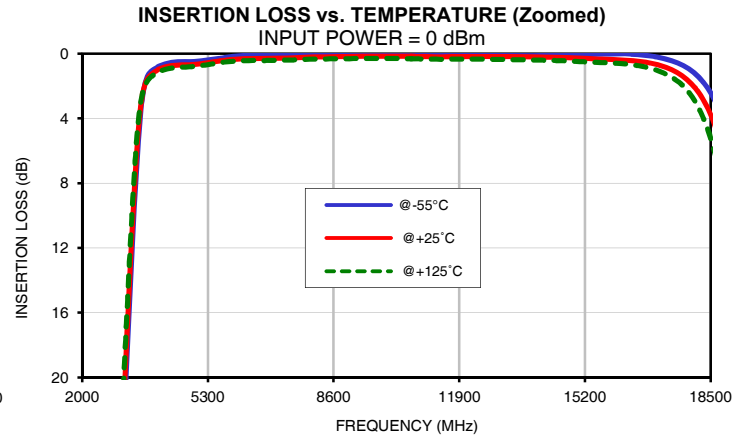
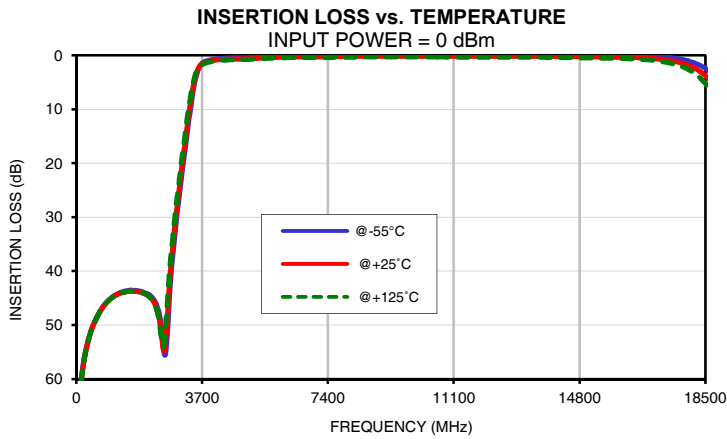
## Typical Performance Data

FREQ.  (MHz)	INSERTION LOSS			INPUT RETURN LOSS			OUTPUT RETURN LOSS		
	(dB)			(dB)			(dB)		
	@-55°C	@+25°C	@+125°C	@-55°C	@+25°C	@+125°C	@-55°C	@+25°C	@+125°C
10	78.04	76.10	79.31	0.03	0.09	0.08	0.09	0.12	0.14
30	74.97	73.63	76.01	0.03	0.09	0.07	0.09	0.12	0.14
50	71.61	70.88	72.43	0.02	0.09	0.07	0.08	0.12	0.14
90	65.01	65.13	65.07	0.02	0.09	0.07	0.07	0.12	0.15
100	63.93	64.08	63.95	0.02	0.09	0.07	0.07	0.12	0.15
500	49.97	50.05	50.05	0.11	0.18	0.21	0.16	0.23	0.31
1000	45.13	45.20	45.17	0.04	0.16	0.15	0.17	0.27	0.36
1200	44.27	44.36	44.36	0.12	0.23	0.24	0.17	0.26	0.37
1400	43.77	43.90	43.92	0.12	0.23	0.26	0.16	0.26	0.37
1600	43.55	43.71	43.73	0.09	0.22	0.24	0.15	0.27	0.38
1800	43.65	43.81	43.82	0.10	0.24	0.26	0.16	0.29	0.41
2000	43.97	44.15	44.15	0.15	0.29	0.33	0.19	0.32	0.46
2200	44.68	45.02	45.06	0.19	0.34	0.39	0.22	0.37	0.52
2400	46.98	47.66	48.03	0.23	0.40	0.46	0.27	0.42	0.59
2700	49.18	46.23	43.68	0.35	0.55	0.64	0.38	0.56	0.76
2800	39.79	38.00	36.17	0.41	0.62	0.73	0.43	0.62	0.84
2920	31.99	30.57	29.02	0.49	0.71	0.87	0.51	0.72	0.97
3000	27.55	26.22	24.73	0.56	0.80	0.98	0.59	0.82	1.09
3120	21.36	20.09	18.65	0.70	1.01	1.27	0.76	1.04	1.38
3330	11.20	10.07	8.90	1.67	2.36	3.17	1.72	2.33	3.17
3500	4.56	4.05	3.65	5.55	7.42	9.73	5.33	6.94	8.89
3550	3.30	3.02	2.84	8.08	10.58	13.63	7.60	9.60	11.85
3900	0.94	1.13	1.27	20.13	20.85	22.24	19.89	20.88	22.78
4000	0.79	0.97	1.11	20.69	22.62	24.62	21.95	25.18	30.29
4200	0.62	0.81	0.96	24.43	25.04	24.77	29.98	30.87	30.74
4400	0.52	0.72	0.88	22.13	20.77	19.42	25.34	22.08	20.34
4600	0.50	0.70	0.84	16.76	16.22	15.77	17.50	16.81	16.54
4700	0.50	0.69	0.83	15.23	15.00	14.81	15.98	15.63	15.65
4800	0.50	0.68	0.82	14.25	14.21	14.24	15.00	14.91	15.08
4900	0.49	0.67	0.80	13.64	13.76	13.95	14.38	14.51	14.79
4950	0.48	0.67	0.79	13.43	13.63	13.89	14.18	14.39	14.75
5000	0.48	0.65	0.78	13.30	13.56	13.89	14.04	14.35	14.74
5100	0.45	0.63	0.75	13.21	13.60	14.01	13.96	14.40	14.91
5200	0.42	0.60	0.71	13.33	13.83	14.33	14.09	14.63	15.25
5300	0.39	0.56	0.68	13.67	14.28	14.84	14.45	15.09	15.75
5400	0.36	0.52	0.64	14.19	14.91	15.50	14.95	15.70	16.46
5500	0.33	0.49	0.60	14.87	15.73	16.39	15.65	16.53	17.39
5600	0.30	0.45	0.56	15.70	16.74	17.52	16.54	17.61	18.58
5700	0.26	0.41	0.53	16.73	18.01	18.96	17.61	18.95	20.07
5800	0.22	0.39	0.50	18.11	19.66	20.86	18.85	20.54	21.87
5900	0.18	0.36	0.48	19.87	21.77	23.30	20.39	22.36	23.87
6000	0.16	0.34	0.46	22.26	24.74	27.14	22.23	24.49	26.08
6100	0.13	0.33	0.45	25.46	30.26	34.02	24.31	26.59	28.19
6200	0.12	0.32	0.44	31.67	36.92	37.11	26.33	28.26	29.39
6300	0.11	0.31	0.43	36.21	38.27	36.60	27.68	28.71	29.15
6400	0.10	0.30	0.43	37.02	35.79	31.47	28.06	27.95	27.67
6500	0.10	0.30	0.42	33.89	28.92	26.52	27.22	26.32	25.69
6600	0.10	0.30	0.43	28.33	25.62	24.05	25.72	24.61	23.92
6700	0.09	0.29	0.43	25.32	23.60	22.32	24.31	23.27	22.57
6800	0.08	0.29	0.43	23.37	22.18	21.14	23.15	22.25	21.68
7000	0.08	0.28	0.42	20.98	20.50	19.67	21.67	21.12	20.55
7500	0.05	0.26	0.39	20.18	20.35	19.35	21.21	21.29	20.41
8000	0.01	0.21	0.34	22.99	23.98	22.57	24.85	25.52	23.80
8500	0.04	0.19	0.32	33.26	36.31	32.58	33.36	33.62	30.52
10000	0.10	0.15	0.29	29.94	29.68	29.24	33.75	31.40	31.90
12000	0.10	0.18	0.34	18.06	19.24	19.54	19.21	20.16	20.63
14000	0.12	0.20	0.40	30.41	29.11	27.30	25.18	25.21	24.71
15000	0.07	0.27	0.48	22.04	22.47	20.97	23.01	23.37	22.35
16000	0.01	0.37	0.59	23.77	24.71	24.87	26.70	27.44	26.69
16500	0.05	0.45	0.71	31.81	31.80	29.30	36.50	37.47	32.22

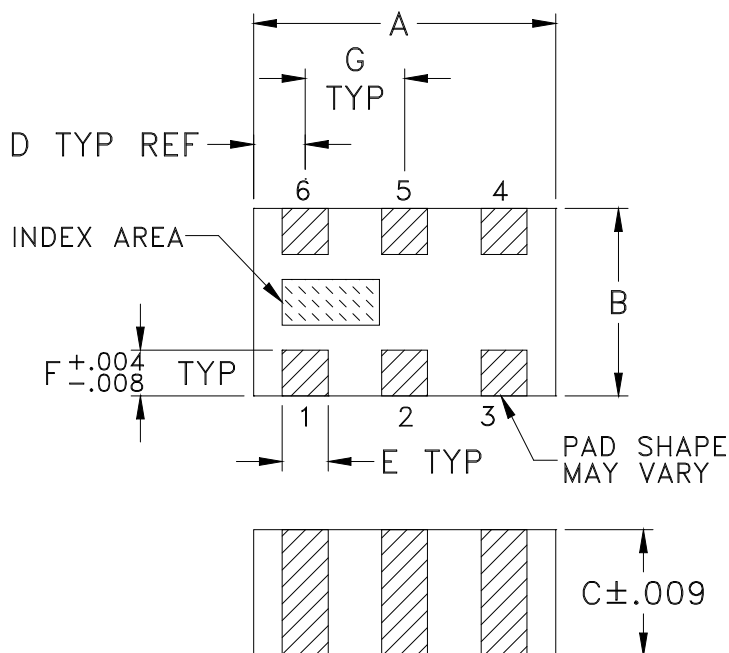
## Typical Performance Data

FREQ.  (MHz)	GROUP DELAY		
	(nsec)		
	@-55°C	@+25°C	@+125°C
3900	0.47	0.45	0.43
4100	0.37	0.36	0.35
4300	0.31	0.30	0.29
4500	0.26	0.25	0.24
4700	0.22	0.21	0.21
4900	0.19	0.18	0.18
5100	0.17	0.16	0.16
5300	0.15	0.15	0.15
5500	0.14	0.14	0.14
5700	0.13	0.13	0.13
5900	0.12	0.12	0.12
6100	0.11	0.11	0.11
6300	0.11	0.10	0.10
6500	0.10	0.10	0.10
6700	0.09	0.09	0.09
6900	0.09	0.09	0.09
7100	0.08	0.08	0.08
7300	0.08	0.08	0.08
7500	0.08	0.07	0.08
7700	0.07	0.07	0.07
7900	0.07	0.07	0.07
8100	0.07	0.07	0.07
8300	0.07	0.07	0.07
8500	0.06	0.06	0.07
8700	0.06	0.06	0.06
8900	0.06	0.06	0.06
9100	0.06	0.06	0.06
9300	0.06	0.06	0.06
9500	0.06	0.06	0.06
9700	0.06	0.06	0.06
9900	0.06	0.06	0.06
10100	0.06	0.06	0.06
11000	0.05	0.05	0.05
11500	0.05	0.05	0.05
12000	0.05	0.05	0.05
12500	0.05	0.05	0.05
13000	0.05	0.05	0.06
13500	0.05	0.05	0.06
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14500	0.06	0.06	0.06
16500	0.08	0.08	0.08

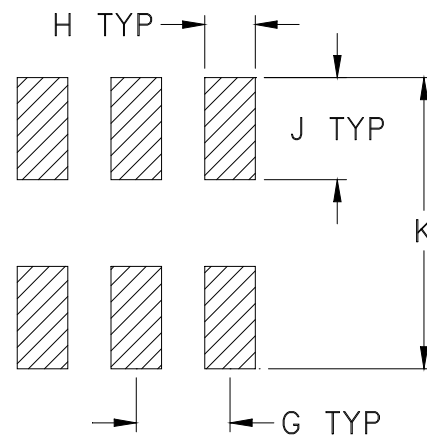
## Typical Performance Curves



### Outline Dimensions



### PCB Land Pattern



Suggested Layout,  
Tolerance to be within  $\pm 0.002$

CASE #	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	WT.GRAM
GE0805C-9	.079 (2.00)	.049 (1.25)	.037 (0.95)	.014 (0.35)	.012 (0.30)	.012 (0.30)	.026 (0.65)	.014 (0.35)	.039 (1.00)	.110 (2.80)	.008

Dimensions are in inches (mm). Tolerances: 2Pl.  $\pm .01$ ; 3 Pl.  $\pm .005$

#### Notes:

- Open style, ceramic base.
- Termination finish: For RoHS Case Styles: Tin plate over Nickel plate. All models, (+) suffix.  
For RoHS-5 Case Styles: Tin-Lead plate over Nickel plate. All models, no (+) suffix.



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RF/IF MICROWAVE COMPONENTS

# Tape & Reel Packaging TR-F114

## DEVICE ORIENTATION IN T&R



ILLUSTRATION 1

Applicable Case Styles	
GE0805C	JC0603C
GE0805C-1	JC0603C-4
GE0805C-1AP	JC0603C-6
GE0805C-7	
GE0805C-9	
GE0805C-10	
GE0805C-11	
GE0805C-12	



ILLUSTRATION 2

Applicable Case Styles	
GE0805C-2	JC0603C-1
GE0805C-3	JC0603C-2
GE0805C-4	JC0603C-3
GE0805C-5	JC0603C-5
GE0805C-6	JC0603C-7
GE0805C-8	
GE0805C-15	

Tape Width, mm	Device Cavity Pitch, mm	Reel Size, inches	Devices per Reel	
8	4	7	Small quantity standards (see note)	20
				50
				100
				200
				500
				1000
			Standard	4000

Note: Please Consult individual model data sheet to determine device per reel availability.

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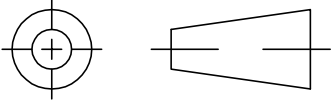
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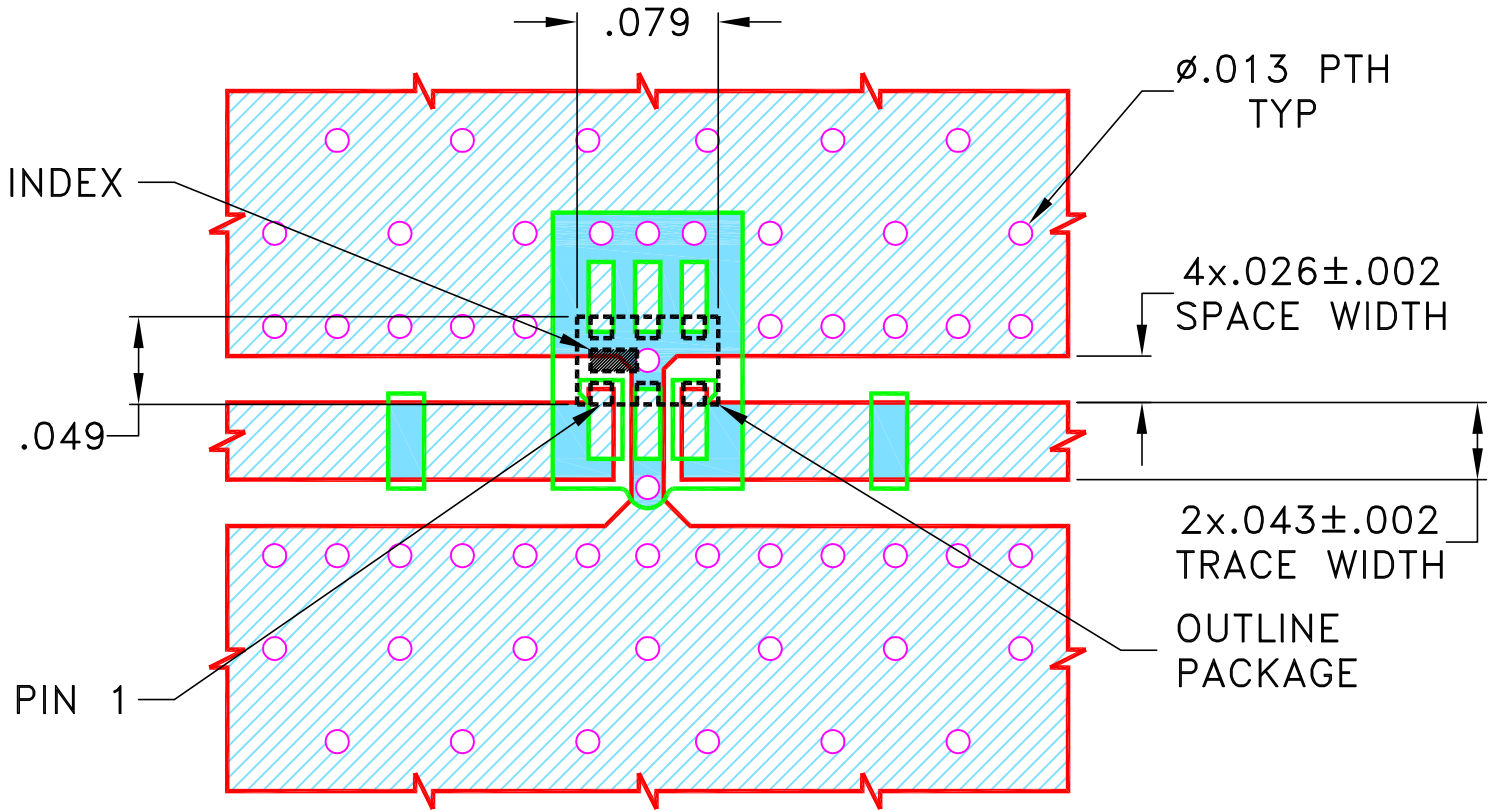
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REVISIONS

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SUGGESTED MOUNTING CONFIGURATION FOR  
GE0805C-9 CASE STYLE "06FL02" PIN CODE



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UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED	INITIALS	DATE
DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES	DRAWN: DDR	08 MAY 19
TOLERANCES ON:	CHECKED: RV	08 MAY 19
2 PL DECIMALS ±	APPROVED: RKS	08 MAY 19
3 PL DECIMALS ± .005"		
ANGLES ±		
FRACTIONS ±		



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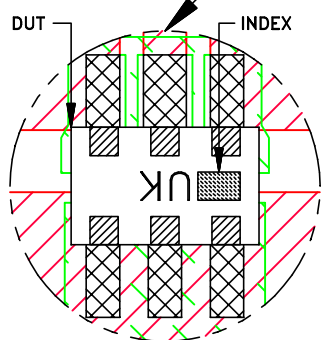
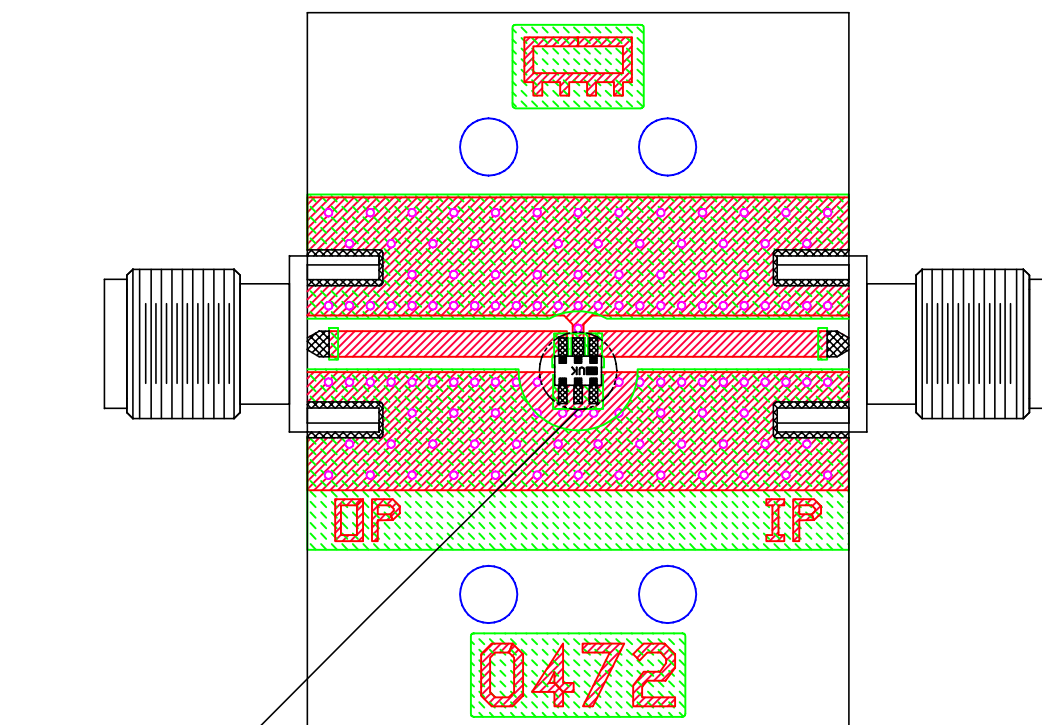
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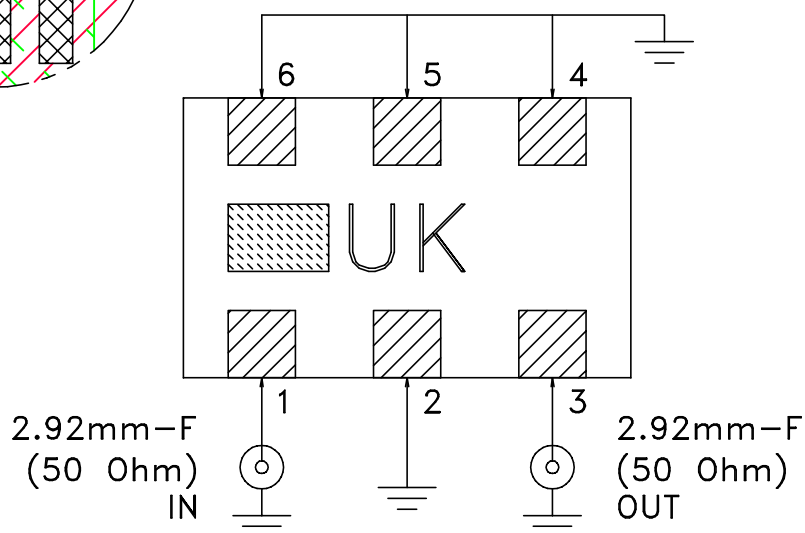
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# Evaluation Board and Circuit

TB-HFCG-3500+




Schematic diagram



**Notes:**

1. PCB Material: ROGERS (R04350B) OR Equivalent, Dielectric Constant= $3.48 \pm 0.05$   
Dielectric Thickness:  $.020 \pm .0015$
2. 50 Ohm 2.92mm Female Connectors.
3. Connectors on the test board shall not be subjected to temperature greater than 200°C to avoid permanent damage to the connectors.

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<b>Specification</b>	<b>Test/Inspection Condition</b>	<b>Reference/Spec</b>
Operating Temperature	-55° to 125° C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
Storage Temperature	-55° to 125° C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
Humidity	90 to 95% RH, 240 hours, 50°C	MIL-STD-202, Method 103, Condition A, Except 50°C and end-point electrical test done within 12 hours
Solder Reflow Heat	Sn-Pb Eutectic Process 225°C peak Pb-Free Process 245° - 250°C peak	J-STD-020C, Table 4-1, 4-2 and 5-2, Figure 5-1
Solderability	10X Magnification	J-STD-002, Para 4.2.5, Test S, 95% Coverage
Vibration (High Frequency)	20g peak, 10-2000 Hz, 12 times in each of three perpendicular directions (total 36)	MIL-STD-202, Method 204, Condition D
Mechanical Shock	50g, 11 ms, 1/2-sine, 18 shocks: 3 each direction, each of 3 axes	MIL-STD-202, Method 213, Condition A