

Ceramic

Low Pass Filter

LFCG-3700+

50Ω DC to 3700 MHz



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CASE STYLE: GE0805C-2

The Big Deal

- Good rejection, 44 dB typical
- Rugged, ceramic construction
- Tiny size, 0.079" x 0.049" x 0.037" (0805)
- Excellent power handling, 4.5W

Product Overview

Mini-Circuits' LFCG-3700+ is an LTCC low pass filter with a passband from DC to 3700 MHz, supporting a variety of applications. This model provides 1.3 dB typical passband insertion loss and provides a very good stopband rejection due to strategically constructed layout with minimal interaction between components. It handles up to 4.5W RF input power and provides a wide operating temperature range from -55 to +125°C. Housed in a tiny 0805 ceramic form factor with wraparound terminations, the filter is ideal for dense PCB layouts and with minimal performance variation due to parasitics.

Key Features

Feature	Advantages
Ultra-wide stopband	The LTCC lowpass filter provides a very good stopband rejection until 18 GHz suitable for high end applications.
LTCC Construction	Provides repeatable performance in a rugged, ceramic package well suited for tough environments such as high humidity and temperature extremes.
Tiny size (0.079" x 0.049" x 0.037")	Saves space in dense circuit board layouts and minimizes the effects of parasitics.
Excellent power handling, 4.5W	Supports a wide range of system power requirements.
Wrap-around terminations	Provides excellent solderability and easy visual inspection

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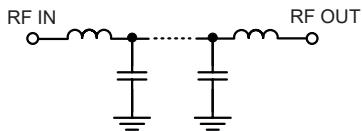
Features

- Low loss, 1.3 dB typical
- Good rejection, 44 dB typical
- Excellent power handling, 4.5W
- Extremely small size 0805 (0.079" x 0.049" x 0.037")
- Temperature stable
- LTCC construction

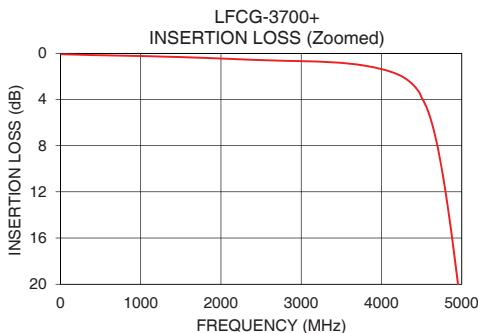
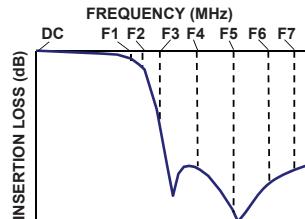
Applications

- Military Radar applications
- Test and measurement
- Telecommunications & broadband wireless applications
- Public safety communication
- Satcom modems

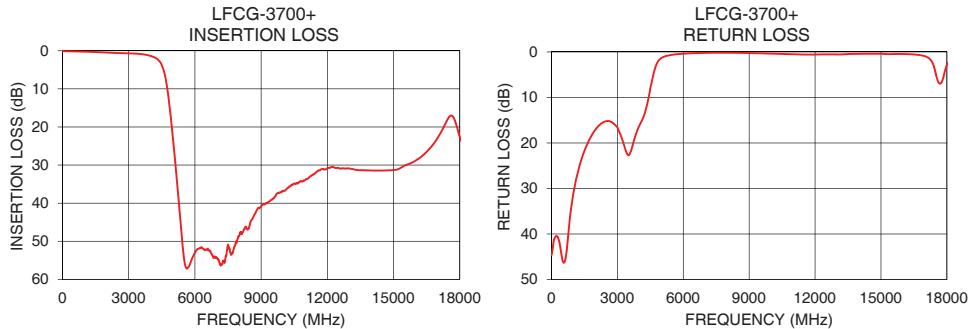
Functional Schematic



Typical Frequency Response



Frequency (MHz)	Insertion Loss (dB)	Return Loss (dB)
10	0.08	44.60
100	0.10	41.62
300	0.14	40.78
500	0.17	45.68
1000	0.24	31.05
3000	0.68	16.53
3700	0.98	20.46
4360	2.51	11.46
4500	3.86	7.98
5000	22.68	1.35
5150	31.81	1.01
5500	54.18	0.62
6000	53.06	0.38
6100	52.11	0.35
8000	48.71	0.18
8200	47.24	0.19
10000	36.83	0.37
12000	30.80	0.58
15000	31.31	0.41
18000	22.63	2.83



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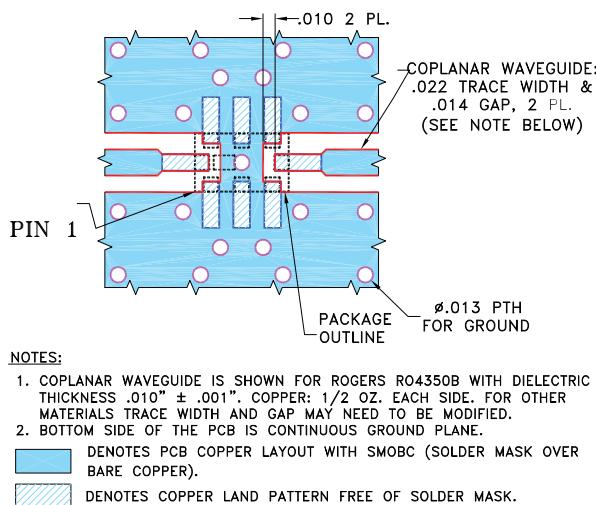
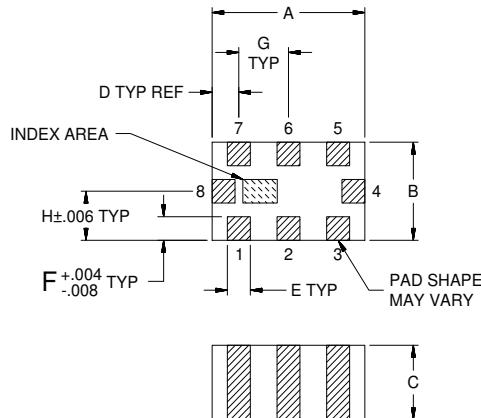


Pad Connections

INPUT	8
OUTPUT	4
GROUND	1,2,3,5,6,7

Product Marking: UM

Demo Board MCL P/N: TB-LFCG-3700+
Suggested PCB Layout (PL-429)

**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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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	0.07	0.08	0.10	46.09	44.60	41.56	46.56	44.56	41.50
100	0.08	0.10	0.14	44.42	41.62	39.34	43.10	40.18	38.04
200	0.09	0.12	0.16	41.78	40.51	38.67	38.81	37.37	35.90
300	0.10	0.14	0.18	40.89	40.78	39.15	35.39	34.88	33.93
400	0.11	0.15	0.21	41.57	42.78	41.09	33.28	32.84	32.04
500	0.12	0.17	0.23	42.03	45.68	46.45	31.59	31.06	30.27
600	0.13	0.18	0.25	40.92	46.14	49.90	29.91	29.46	28.75
700	0.13	0.20	0.27	38.22	43.46	48.72	28.31	28.02	27.45
800	0.14	0.21	0.28	35.08	38.44	42.25	26.94	26.69	26.25
900	0.15	0.22	0.30	32.25	34.22	36.02	25.71	25.47	25.10
1000	0.16	0.24	0.32	29.79	31.05	32.19	24.59	24.34	24.03
1200	0.19	0.27	0.36	25.77	26.46	27.14	22.53	22.32	22.12
1400	0.22	0.31	0.41	22.69	23.13	23.60	20.71	20.53	20.38
1600	0.25	0.35	0.46	20.29	20.59	20.93	19.15	18.96	18.82
1800	0.30	0.40	0.52	18.37	18.60	18.86	17.77	17.61	17.49
2000	0.34	0.46	0.58	16.91	17.09	17.29	16.65	16.51	16.40
2200	0.39	0.51	0.65	15.83	16.01	16.18	15.79	15.71	15.63
2400	0.44	0.57	0.71	15.15	15.36	15.52	15.25	15.25	15.23
2600	0.48	0.62	0.77	14.91	15.19	15.37	15.10	15.24	15.33
2800	0.51	0.65	0.82	15.26	15.60	15.83	15.54	15.83	16.12
3000	0.53	0.68	0.86	16.11	16.53	16.84	16.53	17.01	17.58
3200	0.55	0.72	0.92	18.43	18.89	19.23	19.31	20.19	21.51
3500	0.62	0.83	1.08	22.66	22.68	21.77	26.72	28.87	29.23
3700	0.74	0.98	1.27	20.74	20.46	19.38	22.62	22.54	21.23
3800	0.82	1.09	1.40	18.91	18.78	18.05	19.68	19.57	18.71
4000	1.06	1.37	1.74	16.15	16.23	16.12	15.78	15.72	15.39
4360	1.92	2.51	3.27	12.03	11.46	11.01	11.18	10.78	10.57
4400	2.11	2.77	3.64	11.25	10.58	10.02	10.63	10.22	10.04
4600	3.98	5.42	7.36	6.63	5.85	5.20	7.78	7.51	7.39
4800	9.26	12.10	15.45	2.77	2.55	2.46	4.75	4.59	4.47
5000	19.03	22.68	26.70	1.21	1.35	1.50	2.51	2.58	2.64
5200	30.86	35.01	39.69	0.74	0.93	1.09	1.48	1.62	1.75
5400	43.58	48.37	54.00	0.53	0.70	0.85	0.99	1.14	1.27
5500	49.73	54.18	58.53	0.46	0.62	0.77	0.84	0.98	1.11
5800	55.78	55.61	55.20	0.31	0.46	0.59	0.54	0.68	0.81
6000	53.36	53.06	52.74	0.24	0.38	0.51	0.42	0.56	0.69
6100	52.42	52.11	52.31	0.21	0.35	0.48	0.37	0.51	0.65
6300	51.46	51.57	51.67	0.17	0.31	0.43	0.30	0.44	0.58
6600	51.33	52.14	52.37	0.11	0.25	0.38	0.22	0.36	0.52
6800	53.07	53.86	54.72	0.08	0.22	0.36	0.18	0.33	0.50
7000	54.27	54.34	55.81	0.05	0.20	0.35	0.15	0.31	0.49
7200	54.80	56.13	56.18	0.03	0.19	0.35	0.13	0.29	0.49
7400	53.89	53.79	54.82	0.01	0.18	0.35	0.12	0.30	0.51
7600	54.60	52.93	54.63	0.00	0.18	0.36	0.11	0.30	0.52
7800	51.70	51.24	51.49	0.01	0.18	0.38	0.12	0.31	0.55
8000	48.95	48.71	47.34	0.01	0.18	0.40	0.13	0.33	0.59
8200	46.08	47.24	45.87	0.01	0.19	0.43	0.15	0.34	0.61
8400	47.30	46.92	46.61	0.02	0.19	0.45	0.14	0.35	0.62
8600	44.88	44.19	43.74	0.01	0.21	0.49	0.17	0.38	0.65
8800	43.12	41.86	42.65	0.00	0.23	0.53	0.18	0.41	0.67
9000	41.93	40.91	41.34	0.01	0.25	0.58	0.20	0.42	0.69
9200	39.83	40.11	39.38	0.02	0.26	0.62	0.23	0.43	0.71
9400	38.71	39.45	38.53	0.04	0.29	0.66	0.24	0.43	0.70
9600	38.42	38.43	38.27	0.05	0.31	0.70	0.24	0.44	0.68
9800	37.60	37.33	37.77	0.07	0.34	0.74	0.25	0.44	0.66
10000	36.67	36.83	37.01	0.10	0.37	0.79	0.26	0.43	0.63
10200	35.89	36.01	36.56	0.12	0.40	0.82	0.25	0.42	0.59
10400	35.52	35.19	35.85	0.15	0.43	0.85	0.24	0.40	0.56
5800	55.78	55.61	55.20	0.31	0.46	0.59	0.54	0.68	0.81
18000	18.51	22.63	25.96	5.51	2.83	2.32	0.75	0.98	1.29



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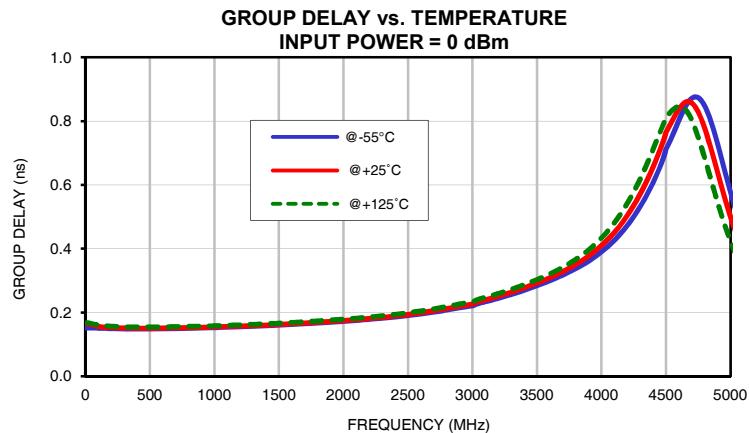
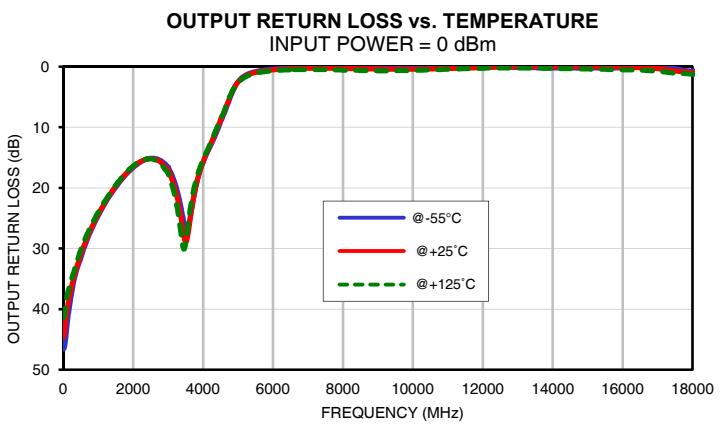
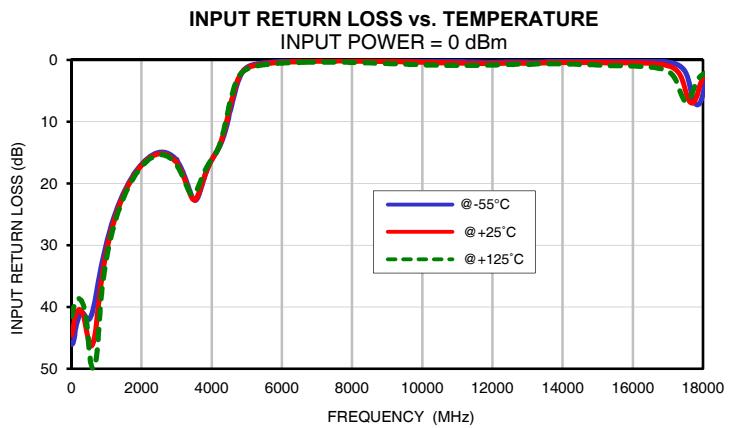
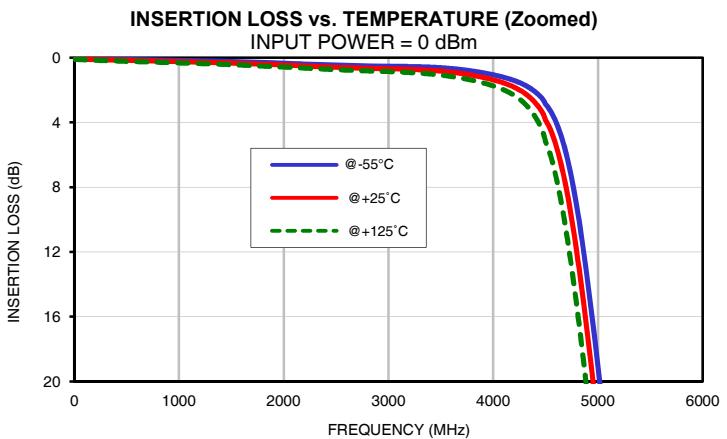
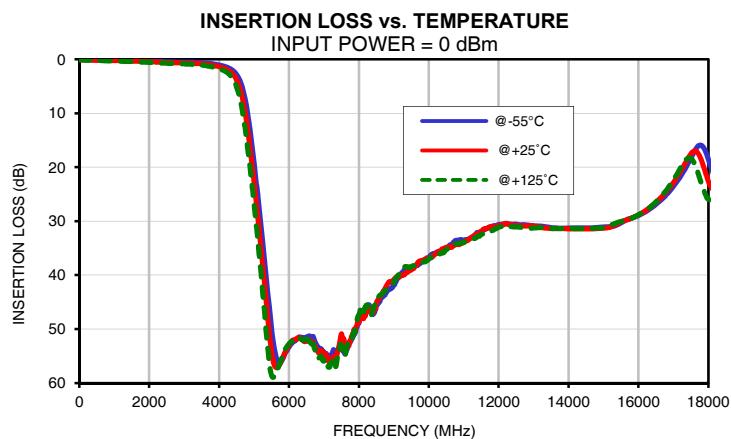
IF/RF MICROWAVE COMPONENTS

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Typical Performance Data

FREQ. (MHz)	GROUP DELAY		
	(nsec)		
	@-55°C	@+25°C	@+125°C
10	0.15	0.16	0.17
20	0.15	0.16	0.17
30	0.15	0.16	0.17
50	0.15	0.16	0.17
100	0.15	0.16	0.16
200	0.15	0.15	0.16
300	0.15	0.15	0.16
400	0.15	0.15	0.15
500	0.15	0.15	0.15
600	0.15	0.15	0.15
700	0.15	0.15	0.16
800	0.15	0.15	0.16
900	0.15	0.15	0.16
1000	0.15	0.15	0.16
1100	0.15	0.16	0.16
1200	0.16	0.16	0.16
1300	0.16	0.16	0.16
1400	0.16	0.16	0.16
1500	0.16	0.16	0.17
1600	0.16	0.16	0.17
1700	0.16	0.17	0.17
1800	0.17	0.17	0.17
1900	0.17	0.17	0.18
2000	0.17	0.17	0.18
2100	0.18	0.18	0.18
2200	0.18	0.18	0.19
2300	0.18	0.18	0.19
2400	0.19	0.19	0.19
2500	0.19	0.19	0.20
2600	0.20	0.20	0.20
2700	0.20	0.21	0.21
2800	0.21	0.21	0.22
2900	0.21	0.22	0.23
3000	0.22	0.23	0.23
3100	0.23	0.24	0.25
3200	0.24	0.25	0.26
3300	0.26	0.26	0.27
3400	0.27	0.28	0.29
3500	0.28	0.29	0.30
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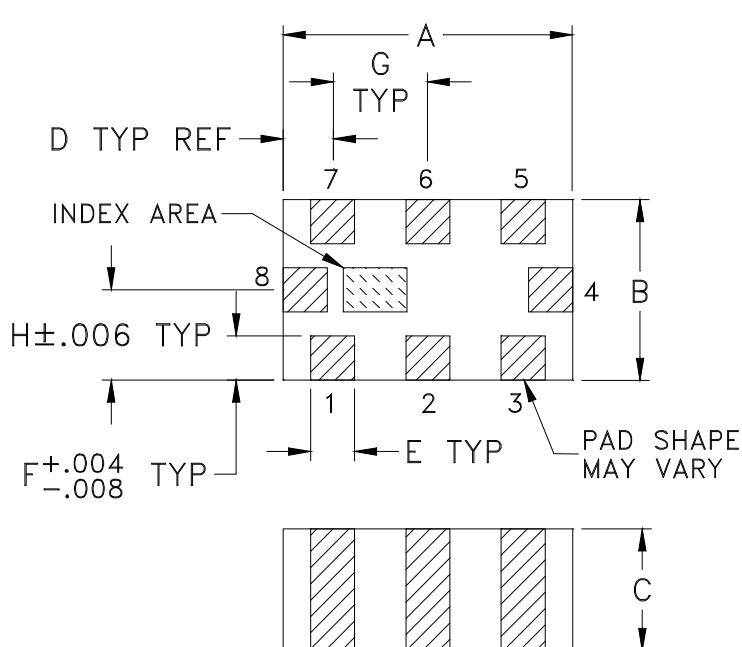


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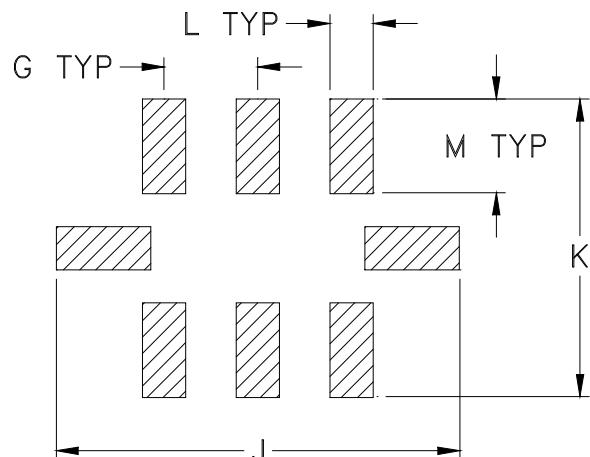
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Outline Dimensions



PCB Land Pattern



Suggested Layout,
Tolerance to be within $\pm .002$

CASE #	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	L
GE0805C-2	.079 (2.00)	.049 (1.25)	.037 (0.95)	.014 (0.35)	.012 (0.30)	.012 (0.30)	.026 (0.65)	.025 (0.63)	.134 (3.40)	.110 (2.80)	.014 (0.35)

CASE #	M	WT. GRAM
GE0805C-2	.039 (1.00)	.008

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

Notes:

1. Open style, ceramic base.
2. 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.
3. Pad tolerance to be non-cumulative. Minimum spacing between each pad is .004 (0.1).

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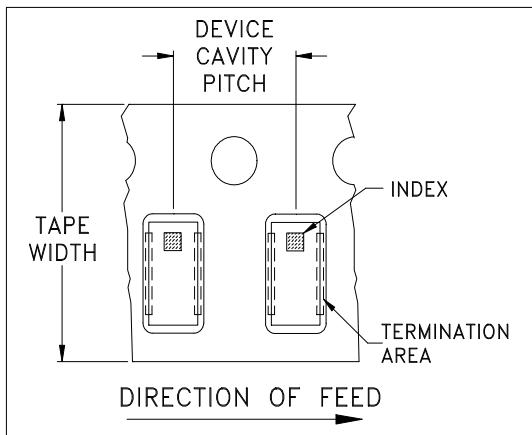


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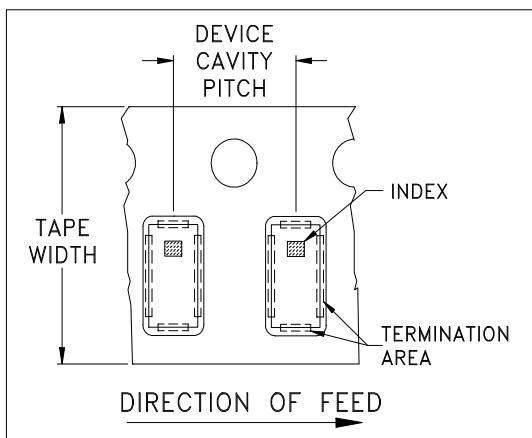
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DEVICE ORIENTATION IN T&R



Applicable Case Styles

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



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	JV1210C-1
GE0805C-15	

Tape Width, mm	Device Cavity Pitch, mm	Reel Size, inches	Devices per Reel								
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Note: Please Consult individual model data sheet to determine device per reel availability.

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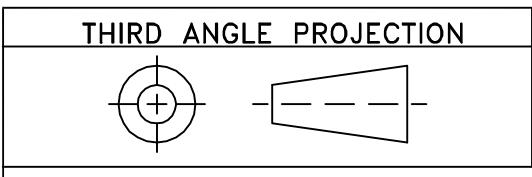
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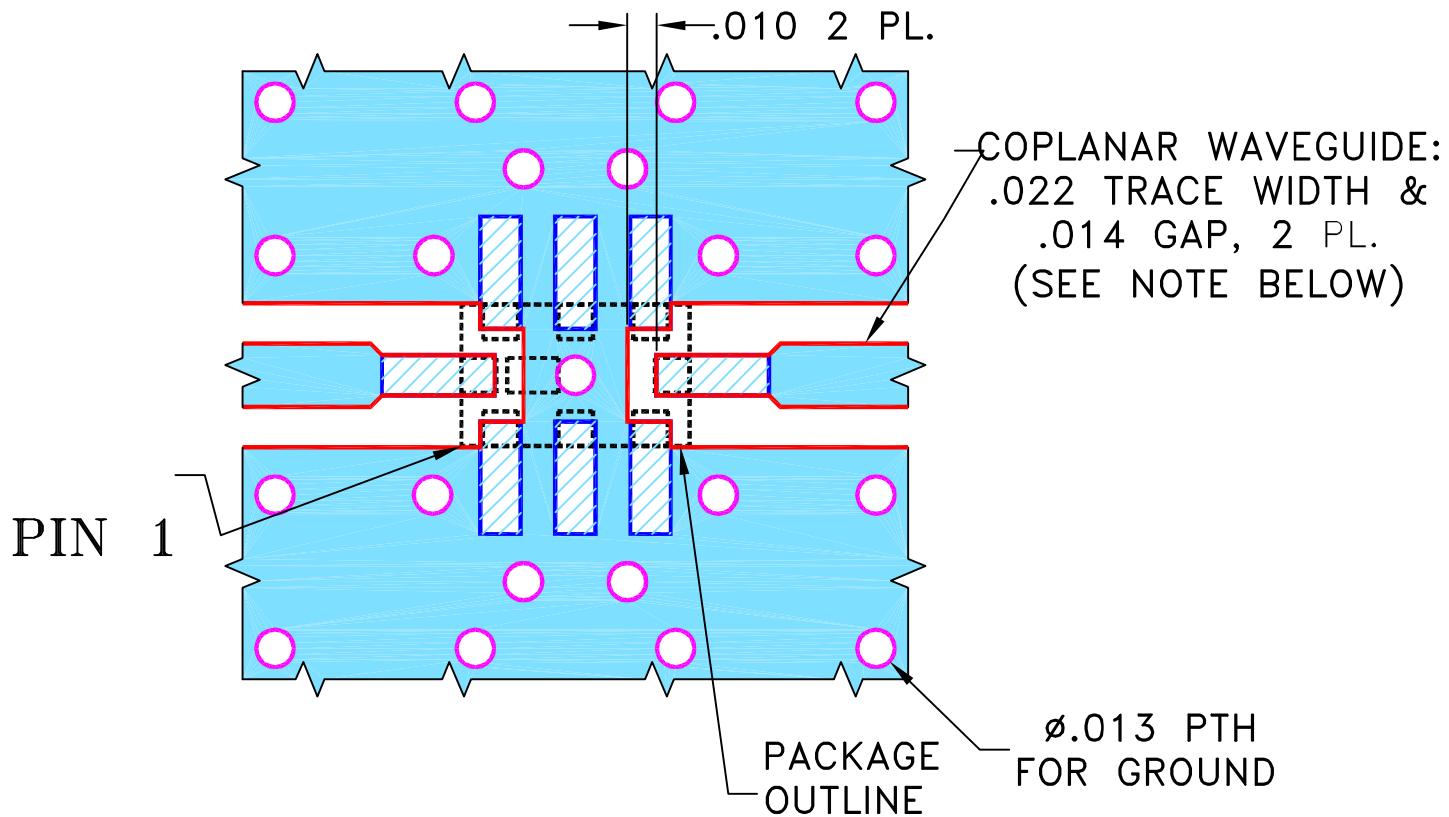
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SUGGESTED MOUNTING CONFIGURATION
FOR GE0805C-4 CASE STYLE, "08FL07" PIN CODE



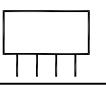
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2. BOTTOM SIDE OF THE PCB IS CONTINUOUS GROUND PLANE.

 DENOTES PCB COPPER LAYOUT WITH SMOBC (SOLDER MASK OVER BARE COPPER).

 DENOTES COPPER LAND PATTERN FREE OF SOLDER MASK.

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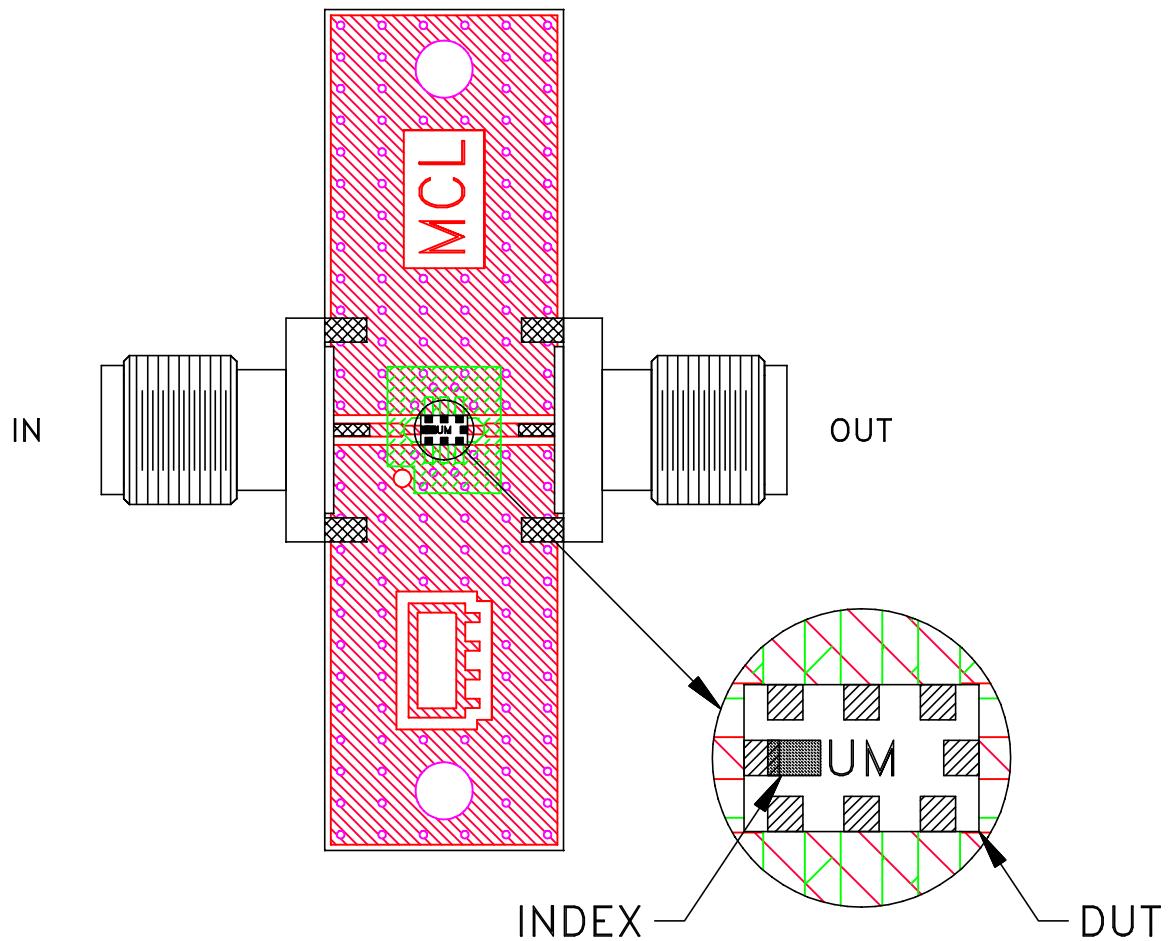
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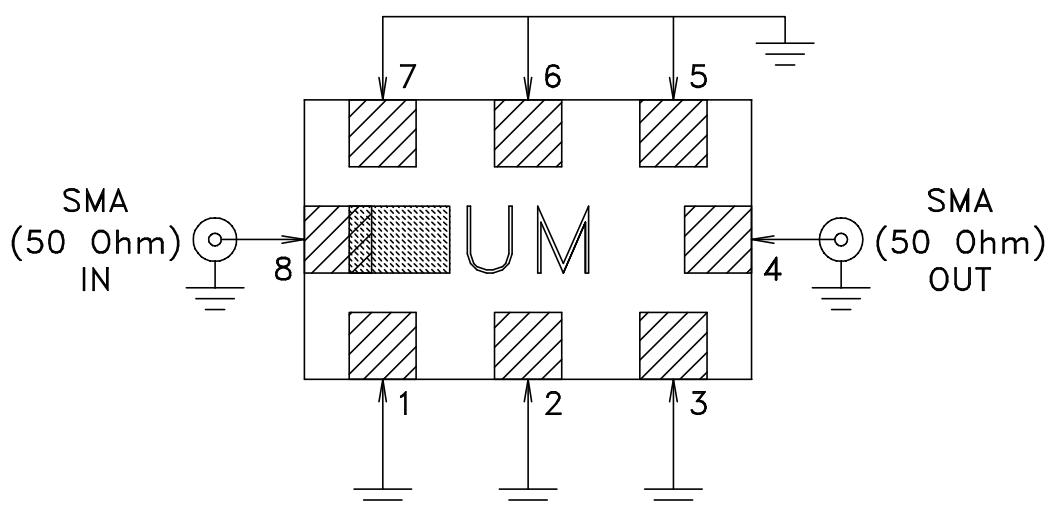
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Evaluation Board and Circuit

TB-LFCG-3700+



Schematic diagram



Notes:

1. PCB Material: ROGERS (R04350) OR Equivalent, Dielectric Constant=3.5
Dielectric Thickness: .010 inch
2. 50 Ohm SMA Female Connectors.

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All Mini-Circuits products are manufactured under exacting quality assurance and control standards, and are capable of meeting published specifications after being subjected to any or all of the following physical and environmental test.

Specification	Test/Inspection Condition	Reference/Spec
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