



VERY HIGH DC CURRENT

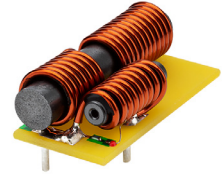
# RF Choke

## TACH-182-75+

75Ω 5 to 1800 MHz 15 Amp DC

### THE BIG DEAL

- Very Wideband, 5 to 1800 MHz
- High Current, 15 A DC Continuous, 25 A DC Peak
- Excellent Insertion Loss, 0.4 dB Typical
- Good Return Loss, 20 dB Typ.
- Series Inductance, 5.4 μH Typ.
- Pin Connectors
- Effective Parallel Resistance, Rch 4KΩ Typ.
- Aqueous Washable



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CASE STYLE: SD2827

### +RoHS Compliant

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

### APPLICATIONS

- Biasing Amplifiers
- Biasing of Laser Diodes
- Biasing of Active Antennas
- DOCSIS 3.1
- CATV
- GPON

### PRODUCT OVERVIEW

Mini-Circuits' TACH-182-75+ high current RF Choke achieves a very wide bandwidth from 5 up to 1800 MHz. The bandwidth improvement was accomplished by adding a smaller series inductor with an appropriate low loss core. The choke is wound with AWG15 wire, making the maximum continuous current 15 A DC and peak current 25 A DC. Excellent Insertion Loss, good VSWR (1.22:1 typ.), flatness and rugged construction make these models ideal solutions for rf-choke applications requiring high current across a very wide frequency range. These units support a broad range of system and test applications.

### KEY FEATURES

Features	Advantages
Extremely Wideband, 5 to 1800 MHz	Ideal for an exceptionally wide variety of lab and system applications.
Excellent Insertion Loss, 0.4 dB Typ. Across Entire Range	Provides excellent signal transmission from input to output with consistent performance across its entire frequency range.
Good Return Loss, 20 dB typ.	Efficient power utilization with minimal signal power reflected back to source.
High 15 A DC Continuous and 25 A DC Peak Current Handling	Ideal for DC injection applications requiring high current levels.
Rugged Construction	Withstands harsh environmental conditions for high reliability and long life of use.

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### ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS AT +25 °C

Parameter	Condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Peak	Unit
Frequency Range		5		1800		MHz
Insertion Loss <sup>1</sup>	5-10 MHz	-	0.40	0.6	-	dB
	50-1800 MHz	-	0.40	0.6	-	
Return Loss <sup>1</sup>	5-10 MHz	12.0	14.0	-	-	dB
	50-1800 MHz	16.0	20.0	-	-	
DC Current	5-1800 MHz	-	-	15	25	A
Inductance	@ 0 A	-	5.4	-	-	μH

1. Tested with circuit shown below,  $Z_0 = 75\Omega$ .

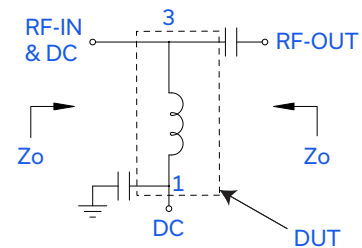
### ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS

Operating Temperature	-40 °C to +85 °C
Storage Temperature	-55 °C to +100 °C
DC Current Continuous	15 A
DC Current Peak	25 A

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

### ELECTRICAL SCHEMATIC

#### TEST CIRCUIT<sup>1</sup>





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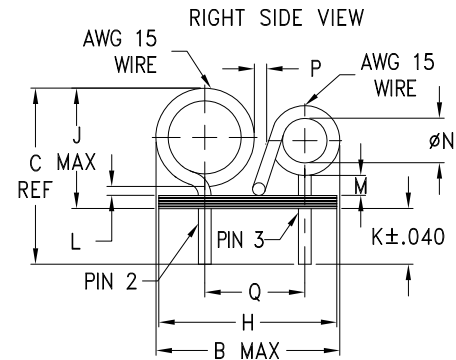
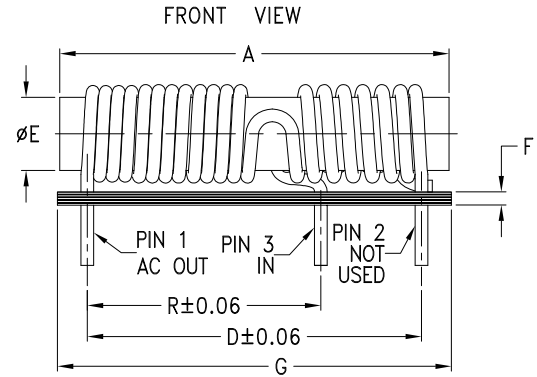
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### PIN CONNECTIONS

RF-IN & DC	3
RF GROUND	1
NOT USED/OPEN	2

PRODUCT MARKING: N/A

### OUTLINE DRAWING



### OUTLINE DIMENSIONS (Inches/mm)

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J
1.8	.866	.80	1.50	.328	.059	1.77	0.8	0.551
44.45	22.00	20.32	38.10	8.33	1.50	44.96	20.32	14.00
K	L	M	N	P	Q	R	wt	
0.25	0.04	.09	0.2	0.055	0.45	1.05	grams	
6.35	1.02	2.286	5.08	1.397	11.43	26.67	32.00	



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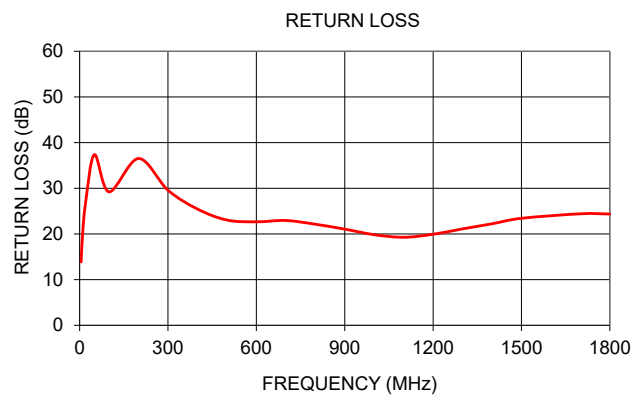
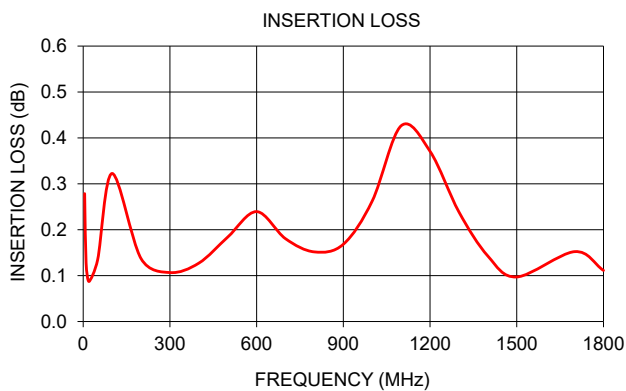
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### TYPICAL PERFORMANCE DATA

Frequency (MHz)	Insertion Loss (dB)	Return Loss (dB)
5	0.28	13.86
10	0.13	19.89
20	0.09	26.73
50	0.13	37.37
100	0.32	29.23
200	0.14	36.52
300	0.11	29.58
400	0.13	25.45
500	0.18	23.05
600	0.24	22.66
700	0.18	22.95
800	0.15	22.13
900	0.17	21.06
1000	0.26	19.84
1100	0.43	19.28
1200	0.37	19.93
1300	0.24	21.11
1400	0.14	22.23
1500	0.10	23.43
1700	0.15	24.41
1800	0.11	24.37



#### NOTES

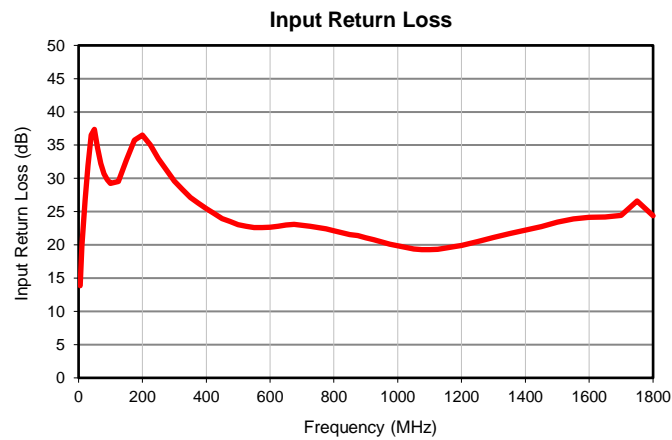
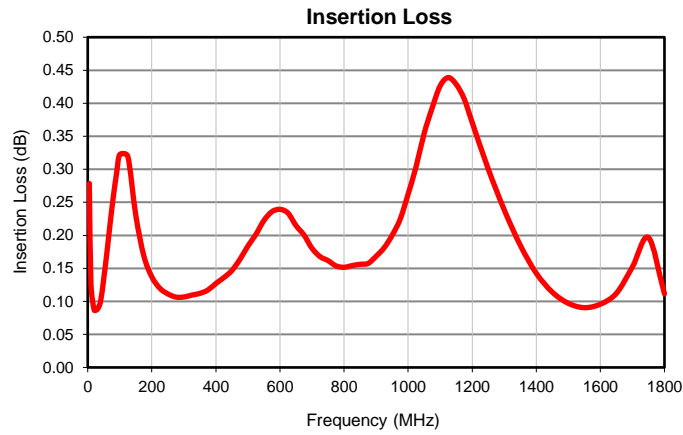
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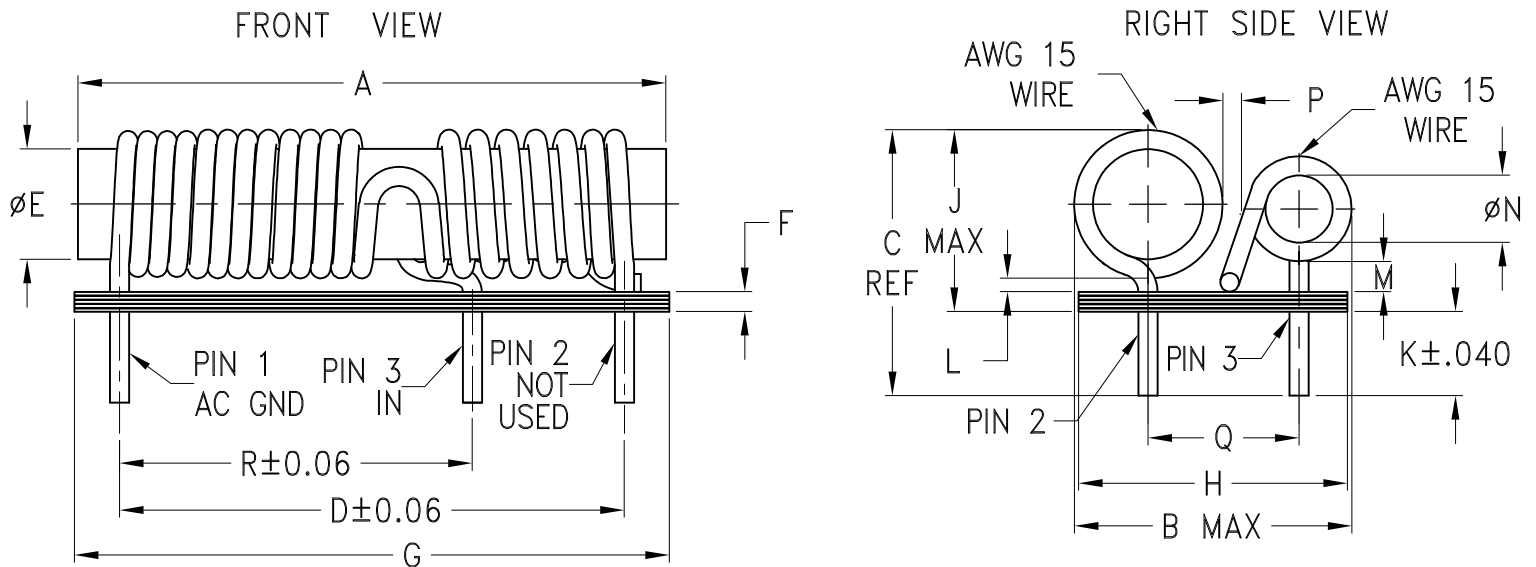


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60	0.17	34.54
70	0.22	32.21
80	0.26	30.69
90	0.29	29.84
100	0.32	29.23
125	0.32	29.53
150	0.23	32.78
175	0.17	35.73
200	0.14	36.52
225	0.12	35.03
250	0.11	32.94
275	0.11	31.26
300	0.11	29.58
325	0.11	28.31
350	0.11	27.15
375	0.12	26.27
400	0.13	25.45
425	0.14	24.73
450	0.15	23.96
475	0.16	23.51
500	0.18	23.05
525	0.20	22.78
550	0.22	22.61
575	0.24	22.59
600	0.24	22.66
625	0.23	22.81
650	0.21	23.00
675	0.20	23.07
700	0.18	22.95
725	0.17	22.82
750	0.16	22.63
775	0.15	22.41
800	0.15	22.13
825	0.15	21.85
850	0.16	21.57
875	0.16	21.38
900	0.17	21.06
925	0.18	20.75
950	0.20	20.43
975	0.22	20.11
1000	0.26	19.84
1025	0.30	19.60
1050	0.35	19.38
1075	0.39	19.30
1100	0.43	19.28
1125	0.44	19.36
1150	0.43	19.51
1175	0.41	19.71
1200	0.37	19.93
1250	0.30	20.48
1300	0.24	21.11
1350	0.18	21.67
1400	0.14	22.23
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CASE#	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	L	M	N
SD2827	1.75 [44.45]	.866 [22.00]	.80 [20.32]	1.50 [38.15]	.328 [8.33]	.059 [1.50]	1.77 [44.96]	.80 [20.32]	.551 [14.00]	.25 [6.35]	.040 [1.02]	.09 [2.29]	.200 [5.08]

CASE#	P	Q	R	WT, GRAM
SD2827	.055 [1.40]	.450 [11.43]	1.05 [26.67]	32.0

Dimensions are in inches [mm]. Tolerances: 2 Pl.±.03; 3 Pl. ±.015

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	-40° to 85°C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
Storage Temperature	-55° to 100° 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
Thermal Shock	-55° to 100°C, 100 cycles	MIL-STD-202, Method 107, Condition A-3, except +100°C
Solder Reflow Heat	Sn-Pb Eutetic Process: 225°C peak Pb-Free Process 245° - 250°C peak	J-STD-020, Table 4-1, 4-2 and 5-2, Figure 5-1
Solderability	10X Magnification	J-STD-002, 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
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