

50Ω

50 to 1000 MHz

The Big Deal

- Adjustable attenuation slope
- IP3 +45 dBm typical
- Minimal deviation from linear loss, ± 0.4 dB



CASE STYLE: HE1354

Product Overview

The VAEQ-1000+ is a 50Ω Voltage Variable Equalizer built into a shielded case.(size of .394"x.394"x.150") This model offers excellent performance over a wide frequency range of 50 to 1000 MHz with the variable slope providing great flexibility in a small 10mm package.

The VAEQ-1000+ is often used to compensate RF chain gain flatness or cable loss versus frequency.

Key Features

Feature	Advantages
Low power consumption: • Supply voltage +5V _{DC} at max 4mA • Control voltage 0-10V at max 40mA	Allows for high layout density of circuit boards, while minimizing affects of parasitics.
Adjustable attenuation slope (Control voltage of 0V to 10V)	Allows adjusting the slope to compensate for the precise losses encountered.
High linearity (IP3 +45 dBm typ.)	Low distortion enabling improved system performance.
Minimal deviation from linear loss over frequency range: ± 0.4 dB	Provides low signal distortion over the passband.

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Voltage Variable Equalizer

VAEQ-1000+

50Ω 50 to 1000 MHz

Features

- Wide bandwidth
- Low insertion loss
- Low deviation from linear loss, ± 0.4 dB typ.
- High IP3 +45 dBm typ.
- Shielded case
- Aqueous washable



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Applications

- Cable loss compensation
- Instrumentation

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

Electrical Specifications at 25°C, V+=5V_{DC} unless otherwise noted

Parameter	Condition	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
Frequency Range		50		1000	MHz
Insertion Loss	50 MHz, Control Voltage, 0 - 10V		15.2 - 2.2		dB
	1000 MHz, Control Voltage, 0 - 10V		1.7 - 1.6		
Deviation from Linear Loss	50 - 1000 MHz, Control Voltage 0 - 10V		± 0.4		dB
IP3	50 - 1000 MHz, Control Voltage, 1 - 10V	+33	+45		dBm
1 dB Compression	50 - 1000 MHz, Control Voltage, 0 - 10V		+30		dBm
Input Return Loss ¹	50 - 1000 MHz, Control Voltage, 0 - 10V		17.5		dB
Output Return Loss ¹	50 - 1000 MHz, Control Voltage, 0 - 10V		17.5		dB
Supply Voltage (V+) ¹	50 - 1000 MHz, Control Voltage, 0 - 10V	3.5	5	5.5	V
Supply Current	50 - 1000 MHz, Control Voltage 10V,		0		mA
	50 - 1000 MHz, Control Voltage 0V,		2	4	
Control Current	50 - 1000 MHz, Control Voltage 10V		32	40	mA
	50 - 1000 MHz, Control Voltage 1V		0		

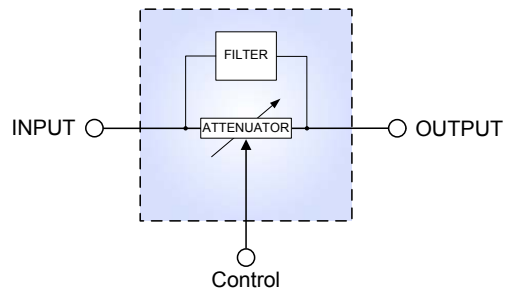
¹ Return Loss may degrade at V+ under 5V .

Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Ratings
Operating Temperature	0°C to 85°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to 100°C
Input Power	+23 dBm
Control voltage	11 V
Supply Voltage (V+)	7 V

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

Simplified Functional Diagram



Pad Connections

Function	Pad Number
RF IN	1
RF OUT	6
V CONTROL	3
V+	4
GROUND	2,5

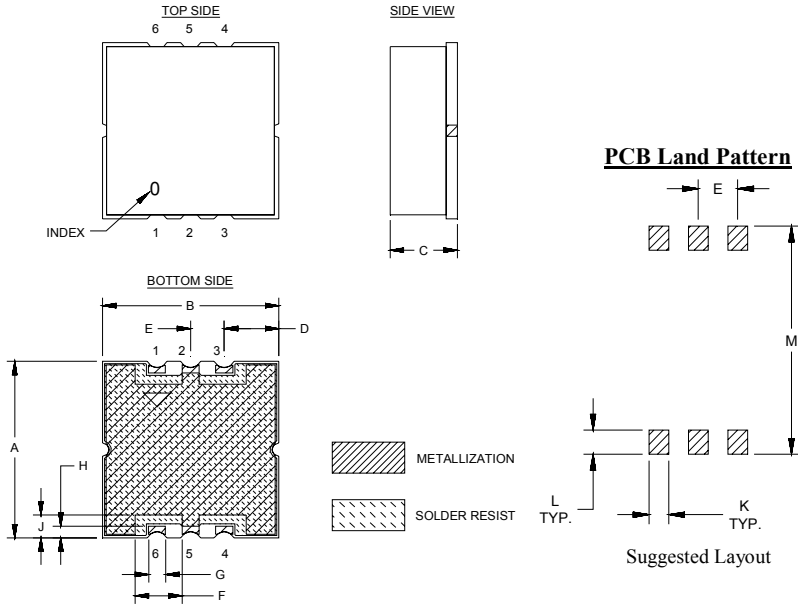
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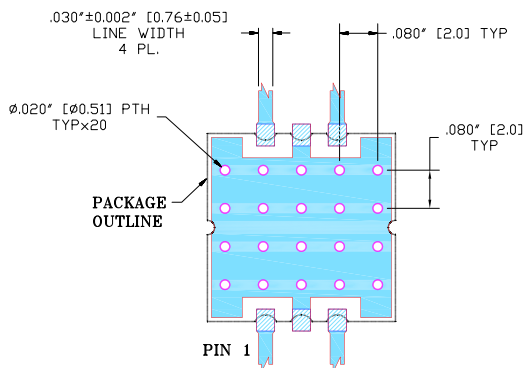
Outline Drawing



Outline Dimensions (inch/mm)

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	L	M	wt. grams
.394	.394	.150	.122	.075	.098	.038	.026	.051	.038	.046	.434	0.7
10.01	10.01	3.81	3.10	1.90	2.49	0.97	0.66	1.29	0.97	1.17	11.02	

Demo Board MCL P/N: TB-474+ Suggested PCB Layout (PL-285)



NOTE:

- TRACE WIDTH IS SHOWN FOR R04350 WITH DIELECTRIC THICKNESS. $.030 \pm 0.002$ ". COPPER: 1/2 OZ. EACH SIDE. FOR OTHER MATERIALS TRACE WIDTH MAY NEED TO BE MODIFIED.
 - 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 SOLDERMASK

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Frequency (MHz)	Insertion Loss (dB)		Input Return Loss (dB)		Output Return Loss (dB)		Deviation from Linear Loss (dB)		Insertion Phase (deg)		Input IP3 (dBm)	
	Vcontrol		Vcontrol		Vcontrol		Vcontrol		Vcontrol		Vcontrol	
	1V	4V	1V	4V	1V	4V	1V	4V	1V	4V	1V	4V
50	15.41	5.11	23.76	23.75	23.68	23.80	0.94	0.89	12.99	-3.65	36.73	45.55
100	14.57	5.11	22.02	23.81	21.89	23.88	0.55	0.73	11.96	-10.63	43.32	44.47
150	13.50	5.13	19.86	23.77	19.68	23.77	0.14	0.55	11.01	-16.83	-	-
200	12.35	5.15	18.02	23.54	17.84	23.49	0.21	0.37	8.33	-22.77	48.87	47.40
250	11.23	5.19	16.44	23.14	16.29	22.99	0.50	0.17	3.88	-28.56	-	-
300	10.17	5.22	15.18	22.65	15.05	22.37	0.66	-0.02	-1.74	-34.16	49.29	45.01
350	9.21	5.26	14.12	21.92	13.97	21.61	0.78	-0.22	-8.58	-39.66	-	-
400	8.33	5.29	13.25	21.00	13.14	20.66	0.78	-0.40	-15.85	-44.83	45.80	45.70
450	7.54	5.30	12.55	19.89	12.41	19.58	0.76	-0.57	-24.03	-49.90	-	-
500	6.80	5.27	12.01	18.65	11.86	18.42	0.63	-0.71	-32.20	-54.56	43.01	44.22
550	6.16	5.19	11.59	17.30	11.46	17.19	0.50	-0.78	-41.09	-59.11	-	-
600	5.54	5.02	11.34	15.93	11.19	15.92	0.30	-0.77	-49.87	-63.47	44.56	48.98
650	4.98	4.75	11.22	14.61	11.14	14.69	0.10	-0.67	-59.08	-68.00	-	-
700	4.44	4.36	11.31	13.45	11.21	13.63	0.10	-0.43	-68.37	-73.10	42.19	44.52
750	3.91	3.96	11.60	12.56	11.64	12.84	0.28	-0.20	-77.81	-78.85	-	-
800	3.37	3.51	12.27	12.05	12.32	12.42	0.40	0.10	-87.66	-85.55	45.44	45.81
850	2.79	3.19	13.42	11.98	13.61	12.46	0.58	0.26	-98.04	-92.48	-	-
900	2.18	2.72	15.28	12.60	15.87	13.20	1.00	0.57	-109.81	-99.58	46.64	47.10
1000	1.60	1.77	14.51	14.10	15.74	14.96	0.00	1.20	-138.90	-119.98	45.32	48.95

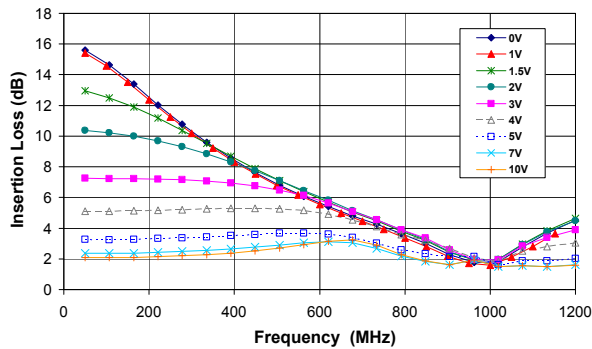
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	Vcontrol		Vcontrol		Vcontrol		Vcontrol		Vcontrol		Vcontrol	
	7V	10V	7V	10V	7V	10V	7V	10V	7V	10V	7V	10V
50	2.38	2.10	29.54	28.70	29.41	28.76	0.36	0.36	-3.66	-3.28	41.08	46.48
100	2.36	2.08	30.69	35.57	30.28	35.64	0.35	0.35	-11.56	-11.54	48.68	47.18
150	2.37	2.10	29.99	42.01	29.55	41.01	0.31	0.31	-18.55	-18.73	-	-
200	2.41	2.13	28.88	43.40	28.35	40.52	0.25	0.25	-25.27	-25.63	52.89	46.63
250	2.45	2.17	27.49	37.92	27.11	36.57	0.18	0.18	-31.89	-32.41	-	-
300	2.50	2.22	26.05	33.99	25.73	33.10	0.10	0.10	-38.39	-39.12	53.19	47.62
350	2.57	2.29	24.64	31.00	24.26	30.15	0.00	0.00	-44.83	-45.78	-	-
400	2.67	2.39	23.10	28.28	22.81	27.68	-0.12	-0.12	-51.11	-52.33	54.90	46.51
450	2.76	2.51	21.53	25.79	21.22	25.20	-0.24	-0.24	-57.22	-58.78	-	-
500	2.89	2.68	19.92	23.40	19.61	22.83	-0.40	-0.40	-63.06	-65.00	49.93	45.87
550	3.01	2.86	18.22	20.93	18.01	20.53	-0.54	-0.54	-68.49	-70.83	-	-
600	3.11	3.08	16.49	18.42	16.42	18.23	-0.67	-0.67	-73.32	-75.91	52.74	46.33
650	3.11	3.24	14.81	15.97	14.87	15.97	-0.70	-0.70	-77.60	-79.93	-	-
700	2.90	3.15	13.36	13.87	13.54	14.03	-0.52	-0.52	-81.58	-82.85	48.43	46.04
750	2.55	2.75	12.35	12.44	12.66	12.75	-0.19	-0.19	-86.62	-86.77	-	-
800	2.09	2.18	11.89	11.85	12.26	12.23	0.25	0.25	-93.01	-92.77	51.32	45.98
850	1.83	1.85	11.79	11.77	12.26	12.25	0.48	0.48	-100.90	-100.76	-	-
900	1.62	1.63	11.88	11.89	12.36	12.38	0.66	0.66	-108.80	-108.77	54.44	46.90
1000	1.64	1.64	13.74	13.72	14.42	14.40	0.59	0.59	-121.27	-121.24	51.88	48.86

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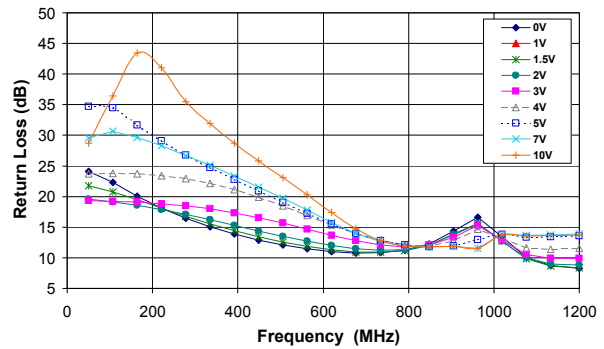
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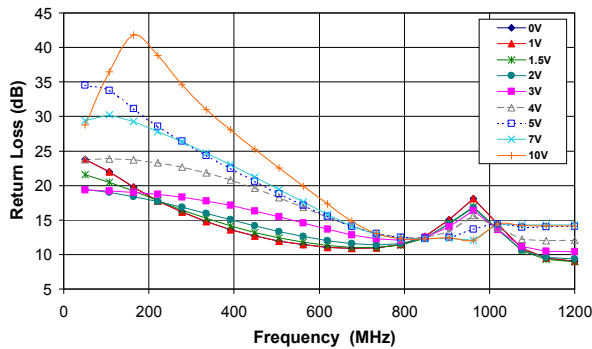
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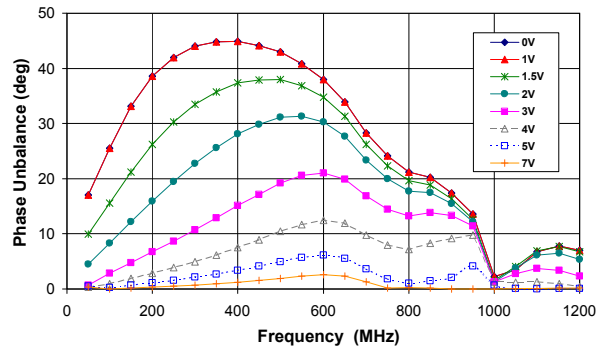
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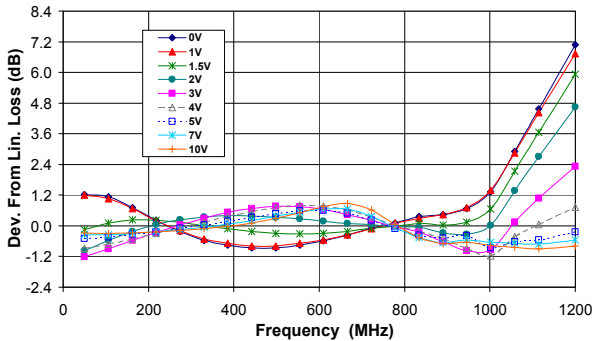
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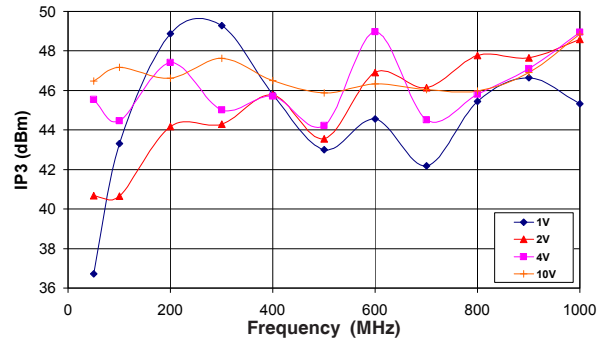
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Voltage Variable Equalizer, 50Ω

VAEQ-1000+

Typical Performance Data

Frequency (MHz)	Insertion Loss (dB) Vcontrol		Input Return Loss (dB) Vcontrol		Output Return Loss (dB) Vcontrol		Deviation from Linear (dB) Vcontrol		Insertion Phase (deg) Vcontrol		Frequency (MHz)	Input IP3 (dBm) Vcontrol	
	1V	10V	1V	10V	1V	10V	1V	10V	1V	10V		1V	10V
50	15.41	2.10	23.76	28.70	-23.68	28.76	1.20	-0.27	12.99	-3.28	50	36.73	46.48
60	15.26	2.09	23.61	30.29	-23.50	30.38	1.20	-0.28	12.43	-5.13	100	43.32	47.18
70	15.11	2.08	23.31	31.70	-23.18	31.82	1.20	-0.29	12.17	-6.85	200	48.87	46.63
80	14.94	2.08	22.92	33.05	-22.78	33.15	1.18	-0.29	12.06	-8.47	300	49.29	47.62
90	14.76	2.08	22.48	34.31	-22.34	34.43	1.14	-0.29	12.00	-10.03	400	45.80	46.51
100	14.57	2.08	22.02	35.57	-21.89	35.64	1.10	-0.29	11.96	-11.54	500	43.01	45.87
120	14.16	2.08	21.11	38.12	-20.97	37.96	0.98	-0.29	11.76	-14.47	600	44.56	46.33
140	13.72	2.09	20.26	40.65	-20.09	40.12	0.84	-0.28	11.33	-17.32	700	42.19	46.04
150	13.50	2.10	19.86	42.01	-19.68	41.01	0.76	-0.27	11.01	-18.73	800	45.44	45.98
180	12.81	2.11	18.73	44.27	-18.54	41.75	0.51	-0.26	9.63	-22.89	900	46.64	46.9
190	12.58	2.12	18.37	44.06	-18.18	41.29	0.43	-0.25	9.02	-24.26	1000	45.32	48.86
200	12.35	2.13	18.02	43.40	-17.84	40.52	0.35	-0.24	8.33	-25.63			
220	11.89	2.14	17.34	41.20	-17.18	38.86	0.18	-0.23	6.72	-28.35			
240	11.45	2.16	16.73	38.93	-16.57	37.36	0.04	-0.21	4.87	-31.06			
250	11.23	2.17	16.44	37.92	-16.29	36.57	-0.04	-0.20	3.88	-32.41			
280	10.59	2.20	15.66	35.37	-15.52	34.47	-0.24	-0.17	0.67	-36.44			
300	10.17	2.22	15.18	33.99	-15.05	33.10	-0.36	-0.15	-1.74	-39.12			
320	9.77	2.25	14.73	32.79	-14.60	31.85	-0.47	-0.12	-4.38	-41.78			
340	9.39	2.28	14.31	31.59	-14.17	30.70	-0.55	-0.09	-7.17	-44.45			
350	9.21	2.29	14.12	31.00	-13.97	30.15	-0.59	-0.08	-8.58	-45.78			
380	8.68	2.35	13.58	29.32	-13.44	28.66	-0.68	-0.02	-12.85	-49.73			
400	8.33	2.39	13.25	28.28	-13.14	27.68	-0.73	0.02	-15.85	-52.33			
420	7.99	2.44	12.95	27.28	-12.84	26.68	-0.78	0.07	-19.06	-54.92			
440	7.68	2.49	12.68	26.22	-12.55	25.69	-0.79	0.12	-22.38	-57.49			
450	7.54	2.51	12.55	25.79	-12.41	25.20	-0.79	0.14	-24.03	-58.78			
480	7.10	2.61	12.21	24.35	-12.04	23.75	-0.79	0.24	-28.85	-62.56			
500	6.80	2.68	12.01	23.40	-11.86	22.83	-0.79	0.31	-32.20	-65.00			
520	6.52	2.75	11.82	22.44	-11.70	21.90	-0.78	0.38	-35.76	-67.38			
540	6.28	2.82	11.66	21.41	-11.54	20.98	-0.72	0.45	-39.34	-69.70			
550	6.16	2.86	11.59	20.93	-11.46	20.53	-0.70	0.49	-41.09	-70.83			
580	5.79	3.00	11.42	19.42	-11.26	19.15	-0.63	0.63	-46.27	-74.00			
600	5.54	3.08	11.34	18.42	-11.19	18.23	-0.58	0.71	-49.87	-75.91			
620	5.30	3.16	11.27	17.40	-11.17	17.32	-0.53	0.79	-53.57	-77.65			
640	5.09	3.22	11.22	16.44	-11.15	16.41	-0.44	0.85	-57.25	-79.23			
650	4.98	3.24	11.22	15.97	-11.14	15.97	-0.41	0.87	-59.08	-79.93			
680	4.65	3.24	11.25	14.66	-11.15	14.74	-0.30	0.87	-64.60	-81.67			
700	4.44	3.15	11.31	13.87	-11.21	14.03	-0.21	0.78	-68.37	-82.85			
720	4.23	3.01	11.41	13.22	-11.35	13.42	-0.13	0.64	-72.14	-84.27			
740	4.02	2.85	11.52	12.66	-11.53	12.94	-0.04	0.48	-75.90	-85.88			
750	3.91	2.75	11.60	12.44	-11.64	12.75	-0.01	0.38	-77.81	-86.77			
780	3.59	2.41	11.96	12.00	-12.02	12.35	0.11	0.04	-83.66	-89.95			
800	3.37	2.18	12.27	11.85	-12.32	12.23	0.19	-0.19	-87.66	-92.77			
820	3.14	2.00	12.67	11.77	-12.72	12.21	0.25	-0.37	-91.71	-95.94			
840	2.91	1.90	13.14	11.76	-13.27	12.23	0.32	-0.47	-95.89	-99.20			
850	2.79	1.85	13.42	11.77	-13.61	12.25	0.34	-0.53	-98.04	-100.76			
880	2.42	1.72	14.47	11.86	-14.88	12.34	0.41	-0.66	-104.85	-105.42			
900	2.18	1.63	15.28	11.89	-15.87	12.38	0.47	-0.75	-109.81	-108.77			
920	1.96	1.61	16.14	11.87	-16.86	12.38	0.54	-0.77	-115.06	-112.47			
940	1.78	1.69	16.70	11.79	-17.65	12.28	0.66	-0.69	-120.63	-116.09			
950	1.71	1.78	16.76	11.71	-17.81	12.18	0.73	-0.60	-123.52	-117.69			
980	1.58	2.05	15.76	12.43	-17.03	13.05	1.05	-0.33	-132.60	-119.08			
1000	1.60	1.64	14.51	13.72	-15.74	14.40	1.36	-0.74	-138.90	-121.24			



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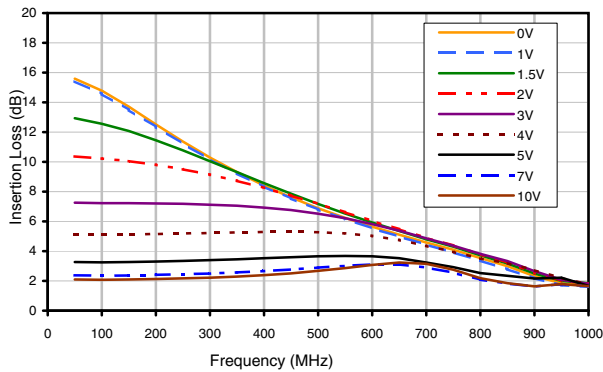
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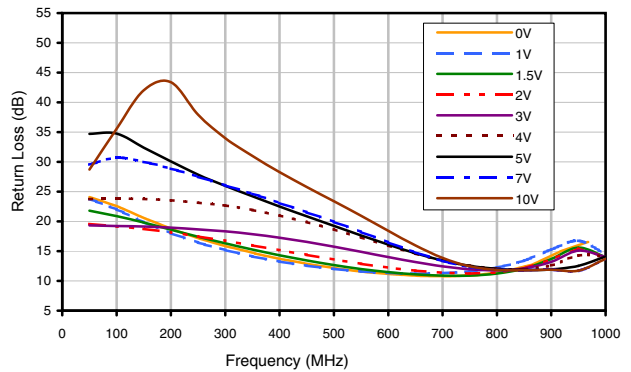
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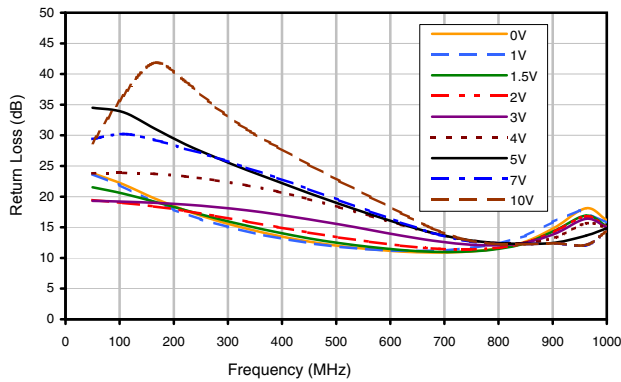
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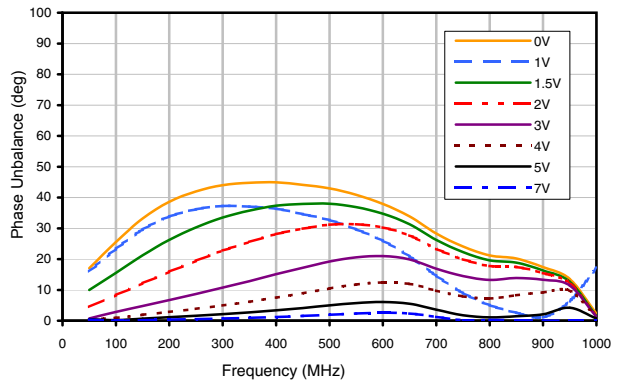
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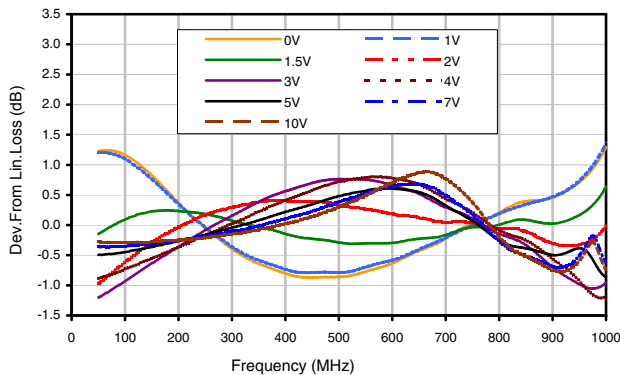
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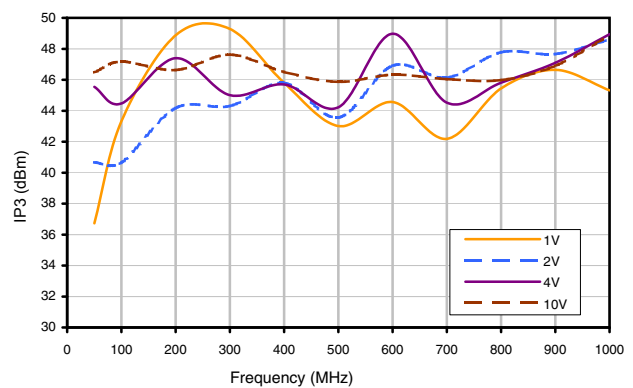
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DEVIATION FROM LINEAR LOSS Vs.FREQUENCY
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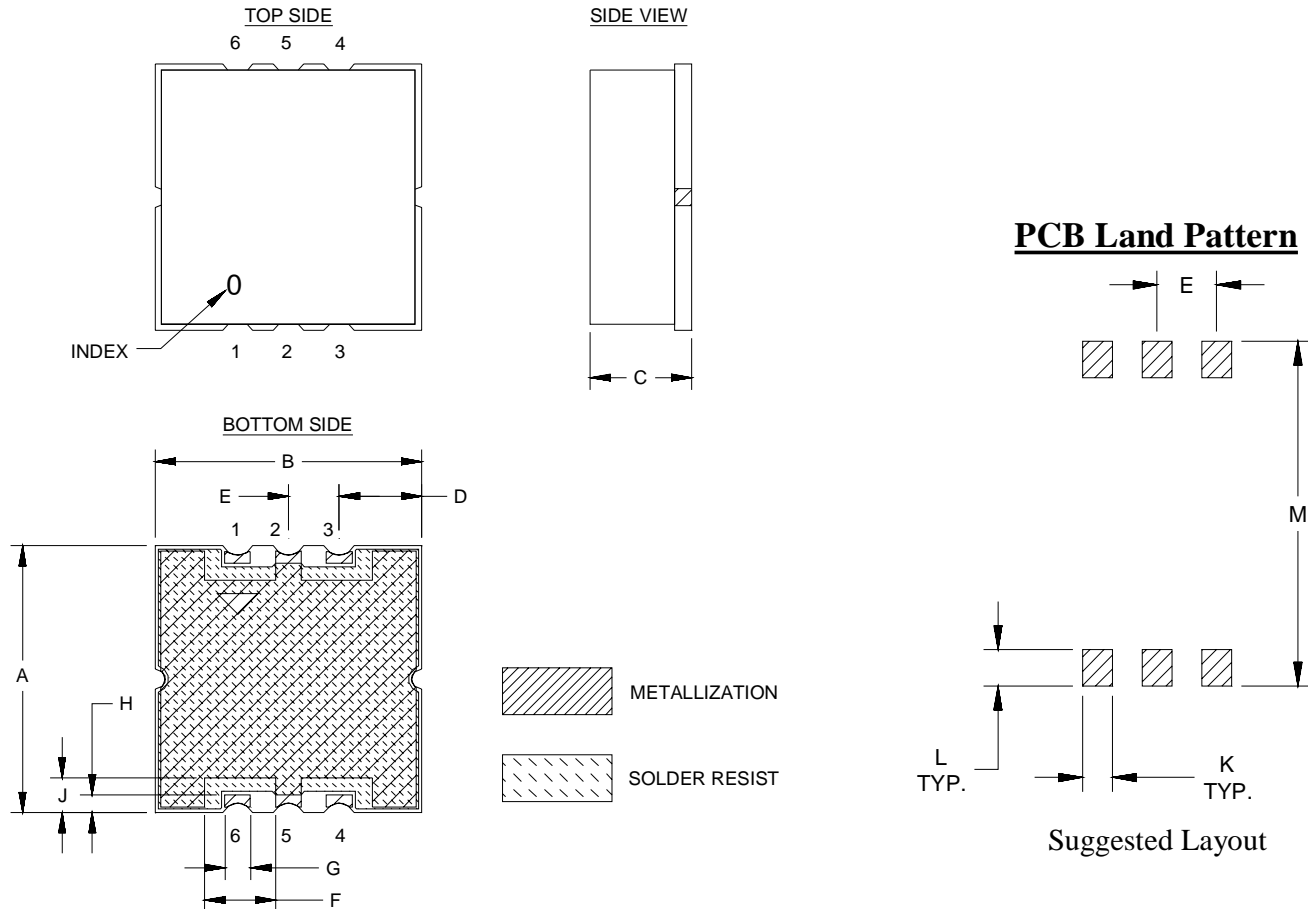
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Case Style

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Outline Dimensions



CASE #	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	L	M	WT. GRAMS
HE1354	.394 (10.01)	.394 (10.01)	.150 (3.81)	.122 (3.10)	.075 (1.90)	.098 (2.49)	.038 (0.97)	.026 (0.66)	.051 (1.29)	.038 (0.97)	.046 (1.17)	.434 (11.02)	0.7

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

Notes:

- Case material: Nickel-Silver alloy.
- Base: Printed wiring laminate.
- Termination finish:
For RoHS Case Styles: 3-5 μ inch (.08-.13 microns) Gold over 120-240 μ inch (3.05-6.10 microns) Nickel plate.
For RoHS-5 Case Styles: Tin-Lead plate.

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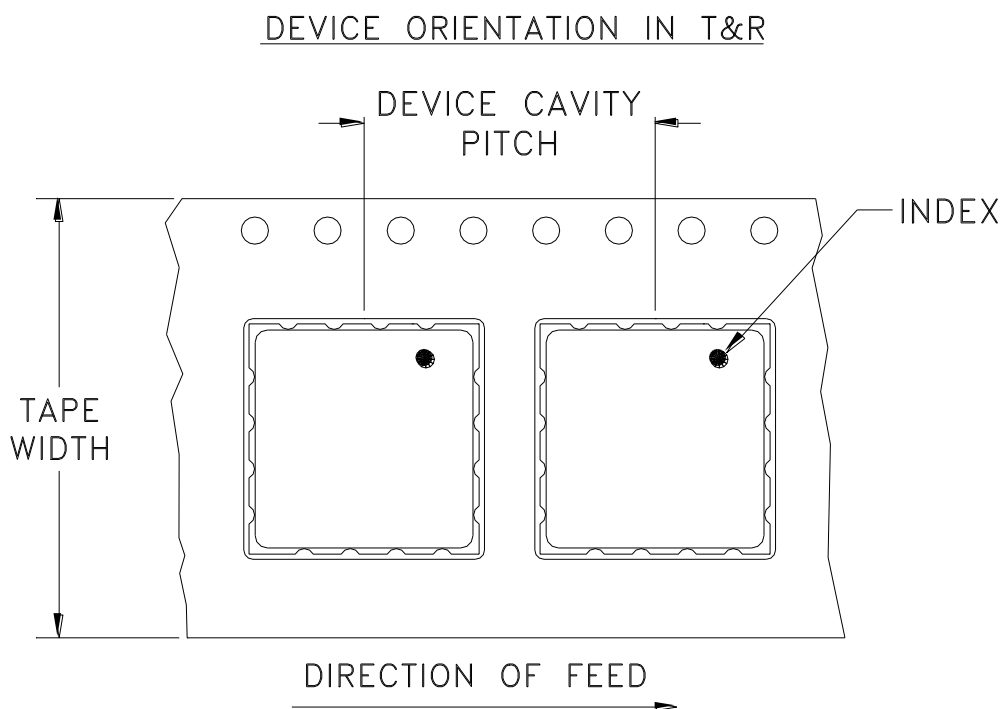
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Tape Width, mm	Device Cavity Pitch, mm	Reel Size, inches	Devices per Reel	
24	16	7	Small quantity standards (see note)	10
				20
				50
				100
		13	Standard	200
500				

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

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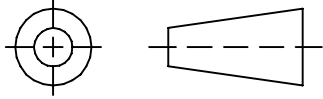
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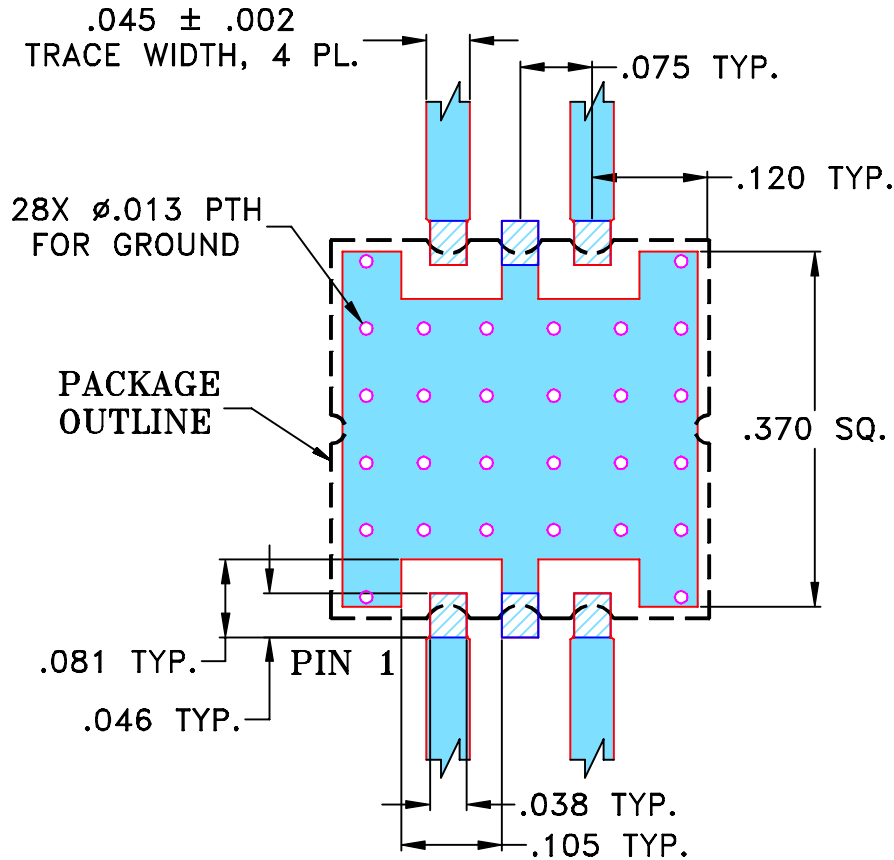
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OR	M116338	NEW RELEASE (FROM RAVON)	03/08	DK	HH
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SUGGESTED MOUNTING CONFIGURATION FOR
HE1354 CASE STYLE, "qg" PIN CONNECTION, 50 Ω

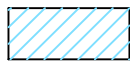


NOTE:

1. TRACE WIDTH IS SHOWN FOR FR4 WITH DIELECTRIC THICKNESS .025"±.002".
COPPER: 1/2 OZ. EACH SIDE.
FOR OTHER MATERIALS TRACE WIDTH MAY NEED TO BE MODIFIED.
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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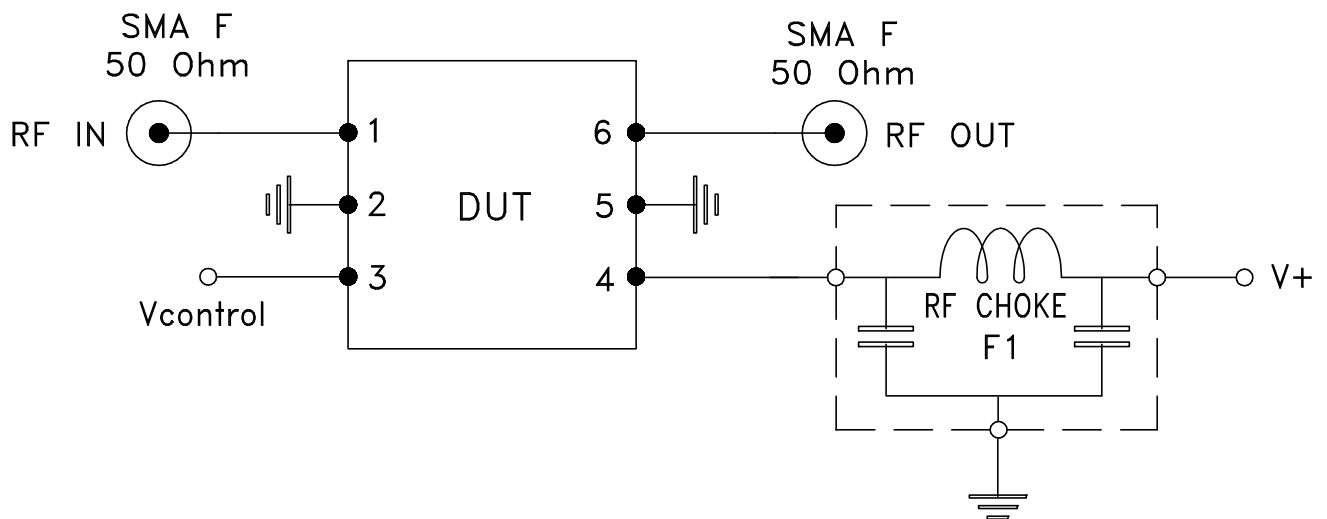
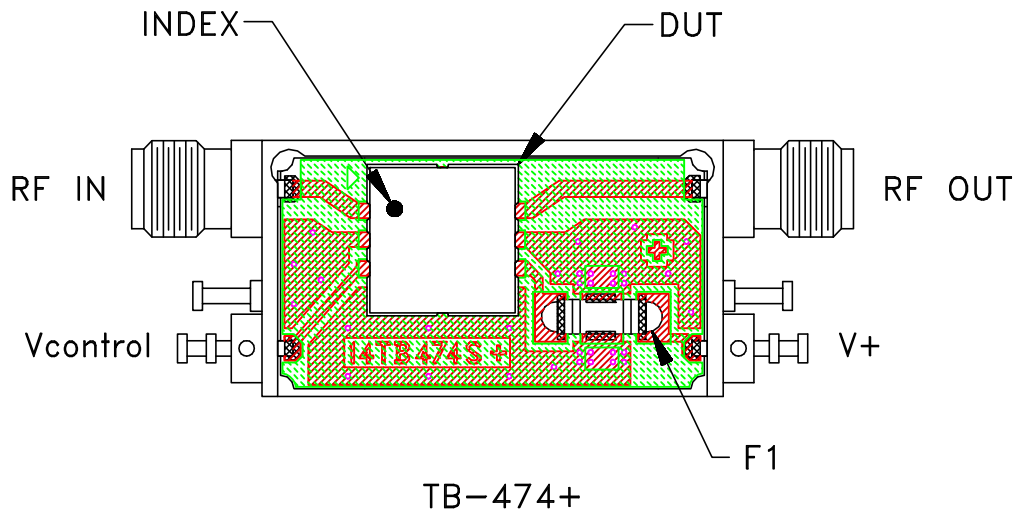
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Evaluation Board and Circuit



Schematic Diagram

Notes:

1. SMA Female connectors.
2. PCB Material: FR4 GRADE IT-180TC (ITEQ CORPORATION)
Dielectric Constant=4.5, Thickness=.025 inch.

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Operating Temperature	0° to 85° C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
Storage Temperature	-55° to 100° C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
HAST	130°C, 85% RH, 96 hours	JESD22-A110
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 Eutectic Process: 225°C peak Pb-Free Process, 245°C peak	J-STD-020, 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, 20-2000 Hz, 4 times in each of three axes (total 12)	MIL-STD-883, Method 2007.3, Condition A
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