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Low Pass Filter

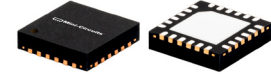
XLF-13H+

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50Ω DC to 1000 MHz

THE BIG DEAL

- Match to 50Ω in the stop band, eliminates undesired reflections
- Cascadable
- Excellent stopband rejection, 47 dB typ.
- Temperature stable, up to +105°C
- Small size, 4 x 4 mm
- Protected by US Patents 8,392,495; 9,705,467, additional patent pending
- Protected by China Patent 201080014266.1
- Protected by Taiwan Patent I581494



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CASE STYLE: DG1847

+RoHS Compliant

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

APPLICATIONS

- Mobile
- ISM Applications
- TV Broadcasting
- UHF Radar

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

Mini-Circuits' XLF-13H+ three-section reflectionless filter employs a novel filter topology which absorbs and terminates stop band signals internally rather than reflecting them back to the source. This new capability enables unique applications for filter circuits beyond those suited to traditional approaches. Traditional filters are reflective in the stop band, sending signals back to the source at 100% of the power level. These reflections interact with neighboring components and often result in inter-modulation and other interferences. Reflectionless filters eliminate stop band reflections, allowing them to be paired with sensitive devices and used in applications that otherwise require circuits such as isolation amplifiers or attenuators.

KEY FEATURES

Features	Advantages
Reflectionless Technology	Reflectionless filters absorb unwanted signals, preventing reflections back to the source. This reduces generation of additional unwanted signals without the need for extra components like attenuators, improving system dynamic range and saving board space.
50Ω Match in Stopband	Reflectionless filters maintain good impedance matching in the stopband, allowing for integration with high gain, wideband amplifiers without the risk of creating out-of-band instabilities.
Excellent RF Performance Repeatability	Fabricated on a GaAs process, X-series filters are inherently repeatable for large-volume production.
Excellent Stability over temperature	With ±0.3 dB variation over temperature, is ideal for use in wide temperature range applications without the need for additional temperature compensation.
Excellent Power Handling in a Compact Package	High power handling extends the usability of these filters to the transmit path for inter-stage filtering.

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ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS¹ AT +25°C

Parameter	F#	Frequency (MHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit	
Passband	Insertion Loss	DC - F1	DC - 1000	—	1.9	3.0	dB
	Frequency Cut-off	F2	1150	—	3.0	—	
	VSWR	DC - F1	DC - 1000	—	1.3	—	:1
Stopband	Rejection	F3 - F3'	1850 - 2500	13	34	—	dB
		F3' - F4	2500 - 10000	38	47	—	
		F4 - F5	10000 - 19000	—	50	—	
	VSWR	F3 - F3'	1850 - 2500	—	1.4	—	:1
		F3' - F4	2500 - 10000	—	1.3	—	
		F4 - F5	10000 - 19000	—	2.1	—	

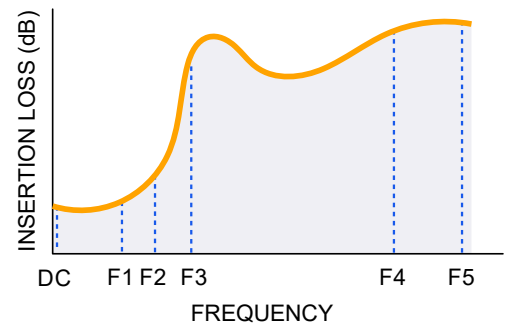
1. Measured on Mini-Circuits Characterization Test Board TB-952-13H+

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS²

Parameter	Ratings
Operating Temperature	-55°C to +105°C
Storage Temperature	-65°C to +150°C
RF Power Input, Passband (DC-F1) ²	7.9 W at 25°C
RF Power Input, Stopband (F2-F5) ³	1.58 W at 25°C

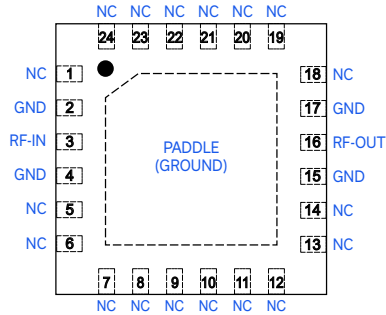
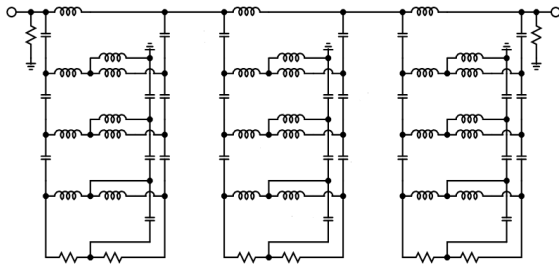
3. Passband rating derates linearly to 3.9 W at 105°C ambient
 4. Stopband rating derates linearly to 0.75 W at 105°C ambient
 2. Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.

SPECIFICATION DEFINITION



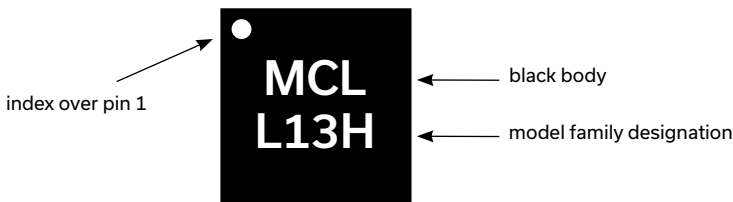


SIMPLIFIED SCHEMATIC AND PAD DESCRIPTION



Function	Pad Number	Description
RF-IN	3	RF Input Pad
RF-OUT	16	RF Output Pad
GND	2,4,15,17 & paddle	Connected to ground
NC (GND Externally)	1, 5-14,18-24	No internal connection

PRODUCT MARKING



Marking may contain other features or characters for internal lot control



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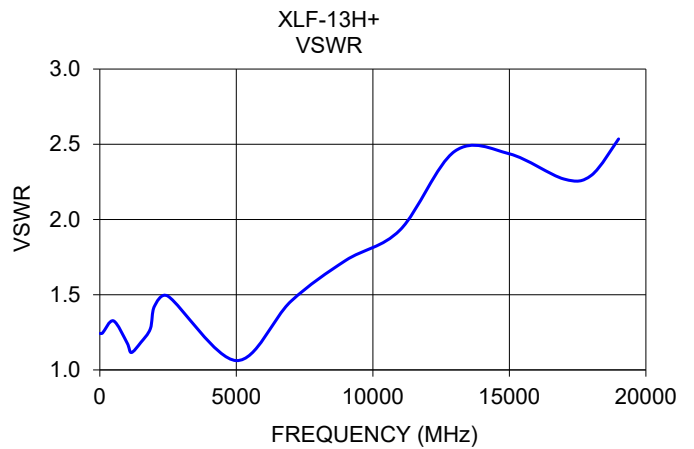
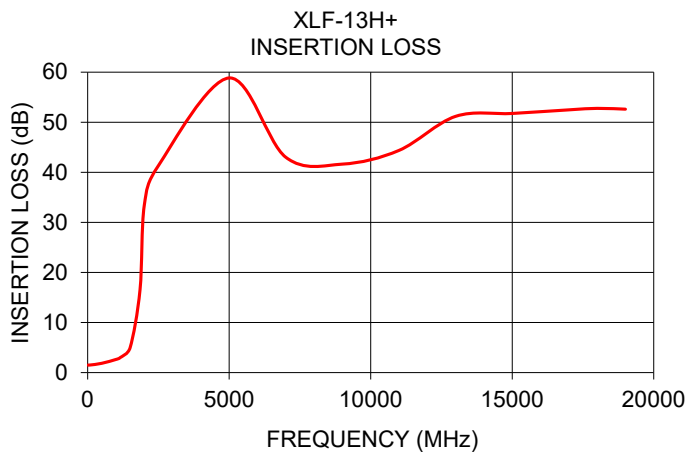
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TYPICAL PERFORMANCE DATA AT +25°C

Frequency (MHz)	Insertion Loss (dB)	VSWR (:1)
10	1.5	1.24
100	1.5	1.25
500	1.9	1.33
1000	2.6	1.18
1150	3.0	1.12
1500	5.0	1.18
1850	16.5	1.27
2000	33.4	1.42
2500	41.3	1.49
5000	58.8	1.06
7000	43.0	1.46
9000	41.6	1.73
11000	44.4	1.93
13000	51.2	2.45
15000	51.8	2.44
17000	52.5	2.27
18000	52.8	2.29
19000	52.6	2.54





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ADDITIONAL DETAILED TECHNICAL INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE ON OUR DASH BOARD. TO ACCESS [CLICK HERE](#)

Performance Data and Graphs	Data Graphs S-Parameter (S2P Files) Data Set (.zip file)
Case Style	DG1847 Plastic package, exposed paddle lead finish: matte-tin
Tape & Reel Standard quantities available on reel	F68 7" reels with 20, 50, 100, 200, 500 ,1000 devices 13" reels with 2000, 3000, 4000 devices
Suggested Layout for PCB Design	PL-519
Evaluation Board	TB-952-13H+
Environmental Ratings	ENV82

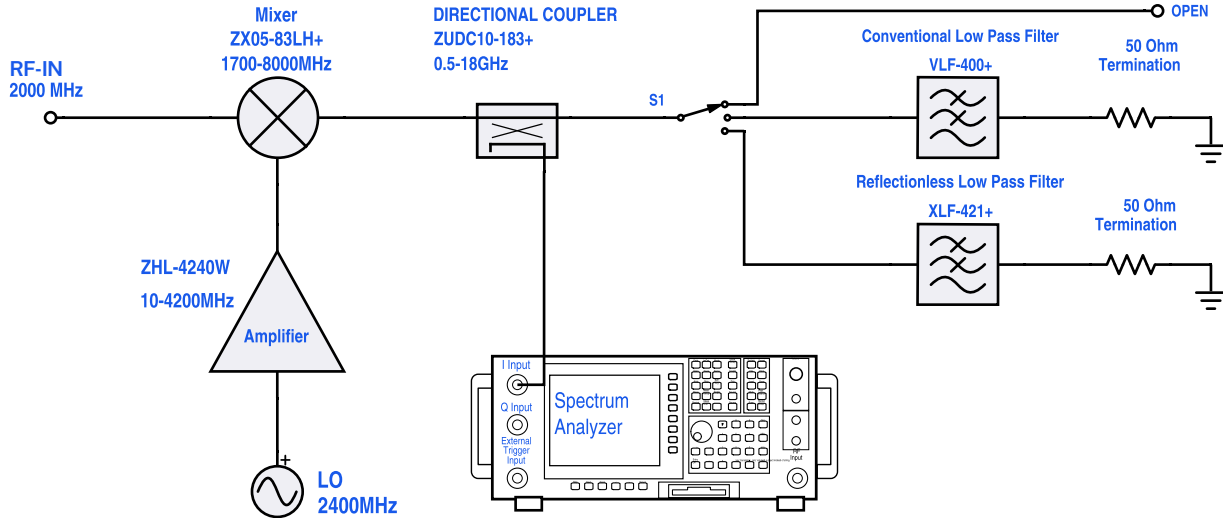
ESD RATING

Human body model (HBM): Class 1A (Pass 250V) in accordance with ANSI/ESD 5.1-2001



REFLECTIONLESS FILTER APPLICATION NOTE

Application Circuit Example: Pairing mixers with reflectionless filters to improve system dynamic range



Test block diagram: IF output reflection spectrum with single input frequency

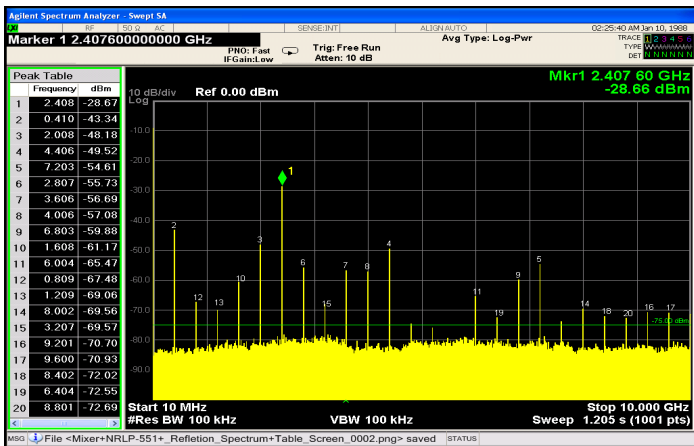


Figure 1. IF output reflection spectrum without filter

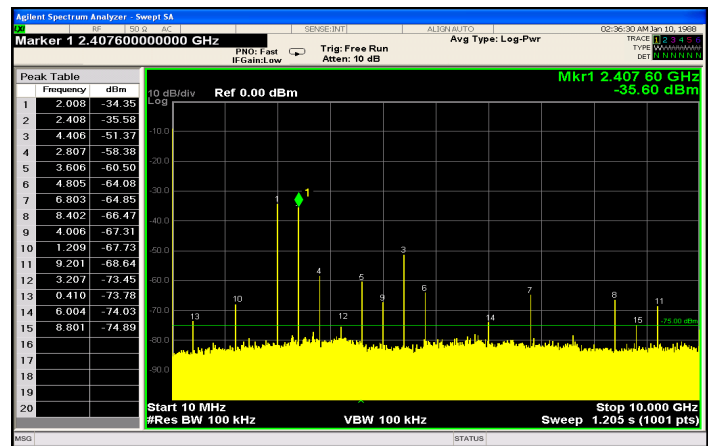
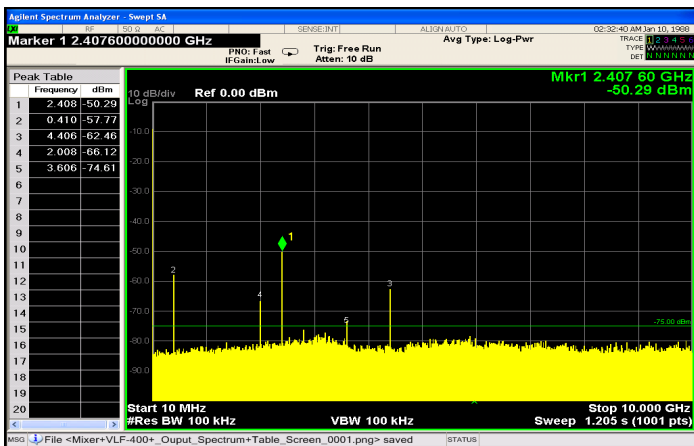


Figure 2. IF output reflection spectrum with conventional filter



An application circuit was assembled to measure the IF reflection spectrum at the output of a mixer when the mixer is paired with a conventional filter versus a reflectionless filter.

While the conventional filter reduces the reflections present when the mixer is used alone (no filter), the reflectionless filter virtually eliminates those reflections altogether.

The reflected signal at marker 1 in the figures above exhibits a reduction of more than 20 dB from -28.7 dBm to -50.3 dBm when the reflectionless filter is used as compared to the conventional filter, thus eliminating unwanted spurious mixing products and improving system dynamic range.

For more information, refer to application note AN-75-007

NOTES

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Typical Performance Data

FREQ. (MHz)	INSERTION LOSS			INPUT RETURN LOSS			OUTPUT RETURN LOSS		
	(dB)			(dB)			(dB)		
	@-55°C	@25°C	@+105°C	@-55°C	@+25°C	@+105°C	@-55°C	@+25°C	@+105°C
10	1.18	1.50	1.81	22.30	19.33	17.26	22.13	19.41	17.19
50	1.18	1.51	1.83	22.35	19.30	17.40	22.15	19.50	17.23
100	1.18	1.52	1.84	21.79	19.23	17.38	21.66	19.22	17.30
300	1.25	1.65	2.02	19.73	18.14	16.62	19.58	17.93	16.46
400	1.32	1.74	2.14	18.80	17.59	16.47	18.56	17.39	16.24
500	1.40	1.86	2.29	18.30	17.31	16.30	18.16	17.06	16.17
700	1.61	2.13	2.61	18.07	17.72	17.23	17.83	17.38	17.02
1000	2.02	2.63	3.22	21.61	21.91	21.51	21.44	21.70	21.51
1150	2.32	3.00	3.67	25.99	25.25	24.09	27.11	25.77	24.47
1500	3.94	4.98	6.02	22.04	21.77	21.34	21.88	21.56	21.01
1850	13.99	16.55	18.69	19.04	18.48	18.19	18.89	18.40	17.94
2000	32.87	33.39	33.29	14.68	15.16	15.66	14.62	15.37	15.62
2500	40.23	41.33	42.10	13.28	14.13	15.32	13.85	14.78	15.62
3000	44.44	43.95	43.70	15.32	16.25	17.90	15.66	17.23	18.46
3500	41.02	42.02	42.95	19.14	19.03	18.87	19.90	19.74	19.64
4000	52.34	54.52	56.63	23.74	22.91	23.08	22.83	22.99	21.71
4500	64.82	63.26	63.27	30.46	34.95	30.92	26.22	30.38	30.48
5000	58.29	58.85	58.74	37.42	30.44	28.68	42.90	34.57	36.87
5500	52.83	53.19	54.41	23.13	22.27	21.10	24.87	23.98	21.72
6000	47.89	48.40	48.92	17.69	18.55	18.20	17.94	19.29	19.76
6500	44.56	45.12	45.62	15.30	16.29	17.16	15.15	16.40	15.75
7000	42.54	42.99	43.58	13.11	14.79	15.38	13.74	14.62	15.36
7500	41.34	41.88	42.47	13.55	13.78	13.49	13.03	13.48	12.95
8000	40.68	41.37	42.00	13.35	13.07	12.31	14.01	12.63	12.16
8500	40.62	41.30	42.07	14.01	12.58	10.77	12.86	12.00	11.14
9000	40.72	41.64	42.63	13.33	12.08	10.85	13.21	11.48	10.81
9500	41.49	42.16	43.02	11.34	11.66	11.50	11.14	11.10	11.69
10000	42.30	42.93	43.62	9.71	11.17	11.68	10.29	10.81	11.26
10500	42.97	43.61	44.25	9.80	10.64	13.38	9.36	10.46	12.97
11000	43.69	44.38	45.30	8.19	9.96	12.02	9.22	10.05	11.84
11500	44.44	45.48	46.07	9.37	9.18	10.06	9.21	9.49	10.72
12000	45.37	47.26	48.80	8.56	8.28	9.09	8.92	8.87	10.02
12500	48.88	51.94	58.61	7.58	7.49	7.03	8.04	8.31	7.92
13000	56.57	51.18	51.45	6.47	7.52	8.79	8.32	8.80	9.48
13500	57.26	57.01	57.20	9.66	10.22	9.60	10.31	12.30	10.13
14000	56.46	54.19	56.06	8.32	8.75	8.55	10.54	10.56	10.16
14500	51.68	52.05	52.87	7.90	7.88	8.26	8.50	9.50	9.13
15000	52.02	51.52	52.15	5.81	7.58	7.91	7.67	9.12	8.58
15500	51.67	52.59	52.98	7.78	7.60	7.29	7.09	8.97	8.88
16000	52.60	52.42	52.73	6.37	7.80	8.55	6.95	9.00	9.48
16500	52.97	52.58	53.08	6.43	8.09	7.17	7.77	8.96	8.12
17000	51.84	52.29	52.87	6.85	8.22	10.60	8.19	8.85	10.55
17500	53.30	52.58	54.10	7.82	8.33	7.27	10.13	8.56	7.53
18000	51.77	52.77	53.28	9.28	8.29	9.58	8.54	8.12	10.25
18500	51.40	52.53	54.14	11.08	8.29	5.70	6.73	7.66	5.28
19000	51.61	52.61	53.38	7.56	8.14	9.41	7.82	7.24	8.67
19500	52.19	52.31	53.14	6.08	8.17	6.95	4.70	6.85	8.38
20000	52.26	51.49	52.35	5.61	8.05	9.44	4.87	6.51	9.63
20500	50.21	50.65	50.84	5.03	8.07	8.95	4.55	6.23	7.51
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25000	39.99	40.14	41.34	2.44	4.16	5.54	3.79	5.81	4.84
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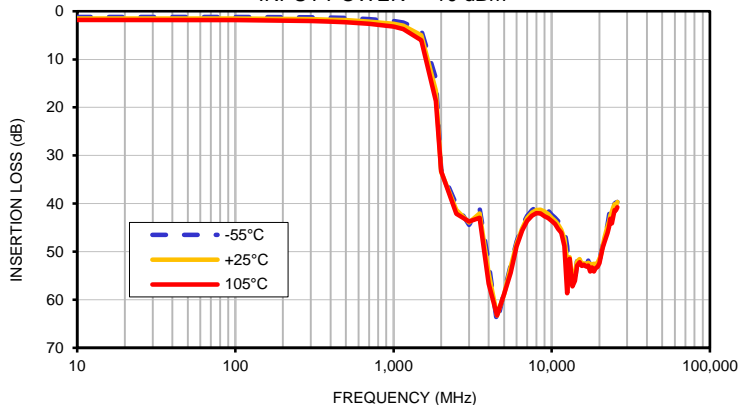


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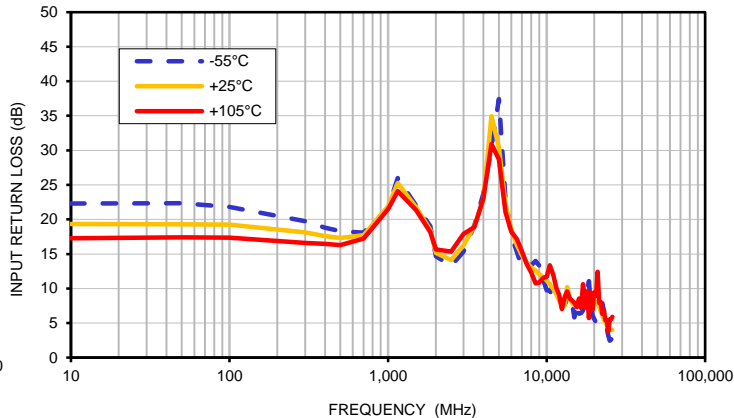
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Typical Performance Curves

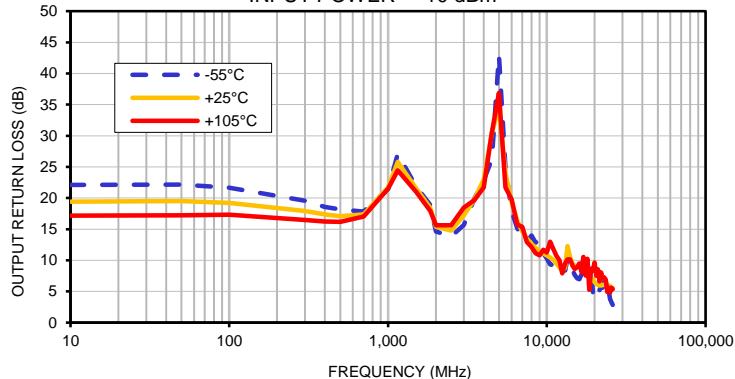
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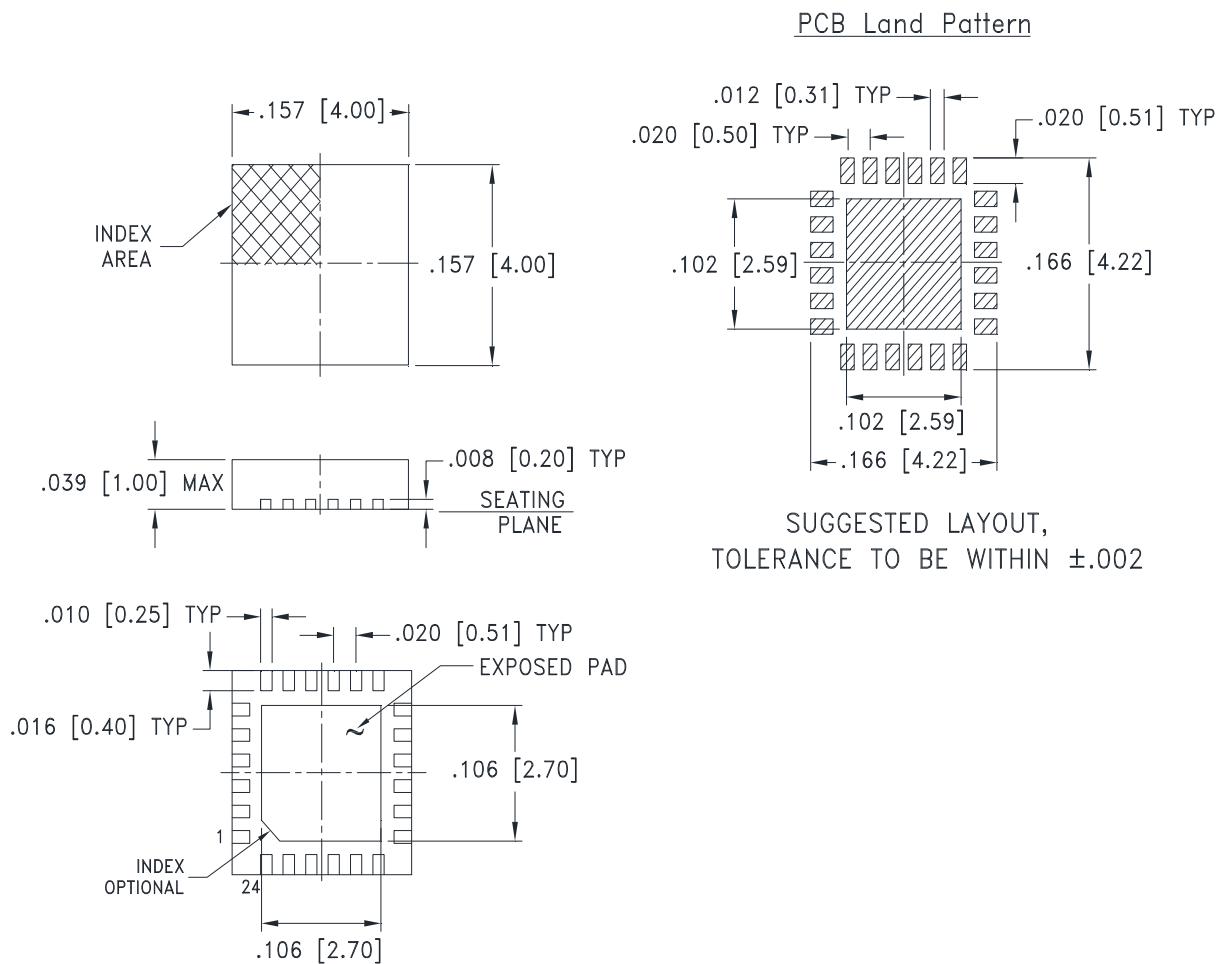
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OUTPUT RETURN LOSS vs. TEMPERATURE
INPUT POWER = -10 dBm



Outline Dimensions



Weight: .04 Grams

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

Notes:

1. Case material: Plastic.
2. Termination finish:
 - For RoHS Case Styles: Tin-Silver alloy plate over Nickel barrier or Matte-Tin. All models, (+) suffix. See model Data sheet.
 - For RoHS-5 Case Styles: Tin-Lead plate. All models, no (+) suffix.

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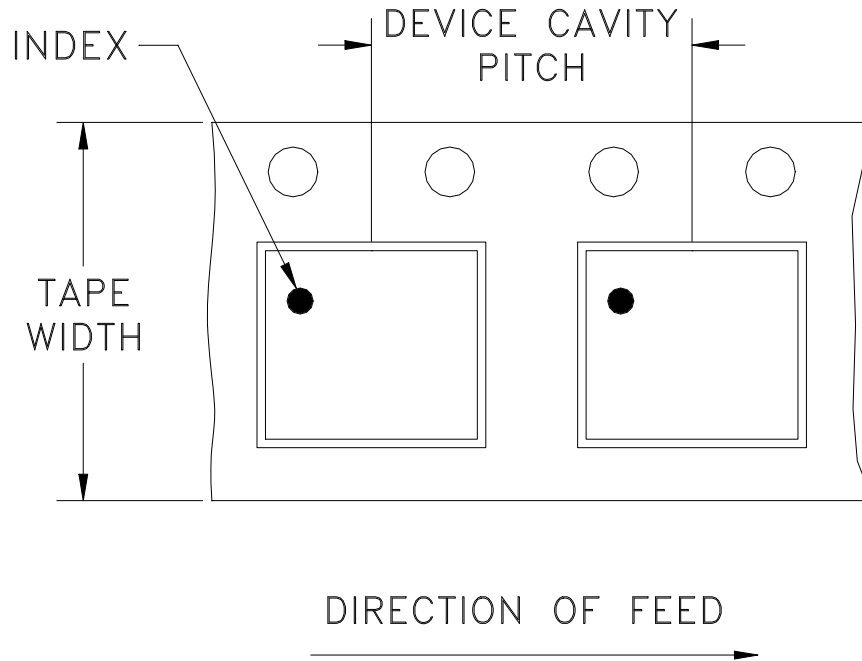


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				100
				200
				500
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		13	Standard	2000
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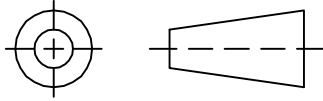
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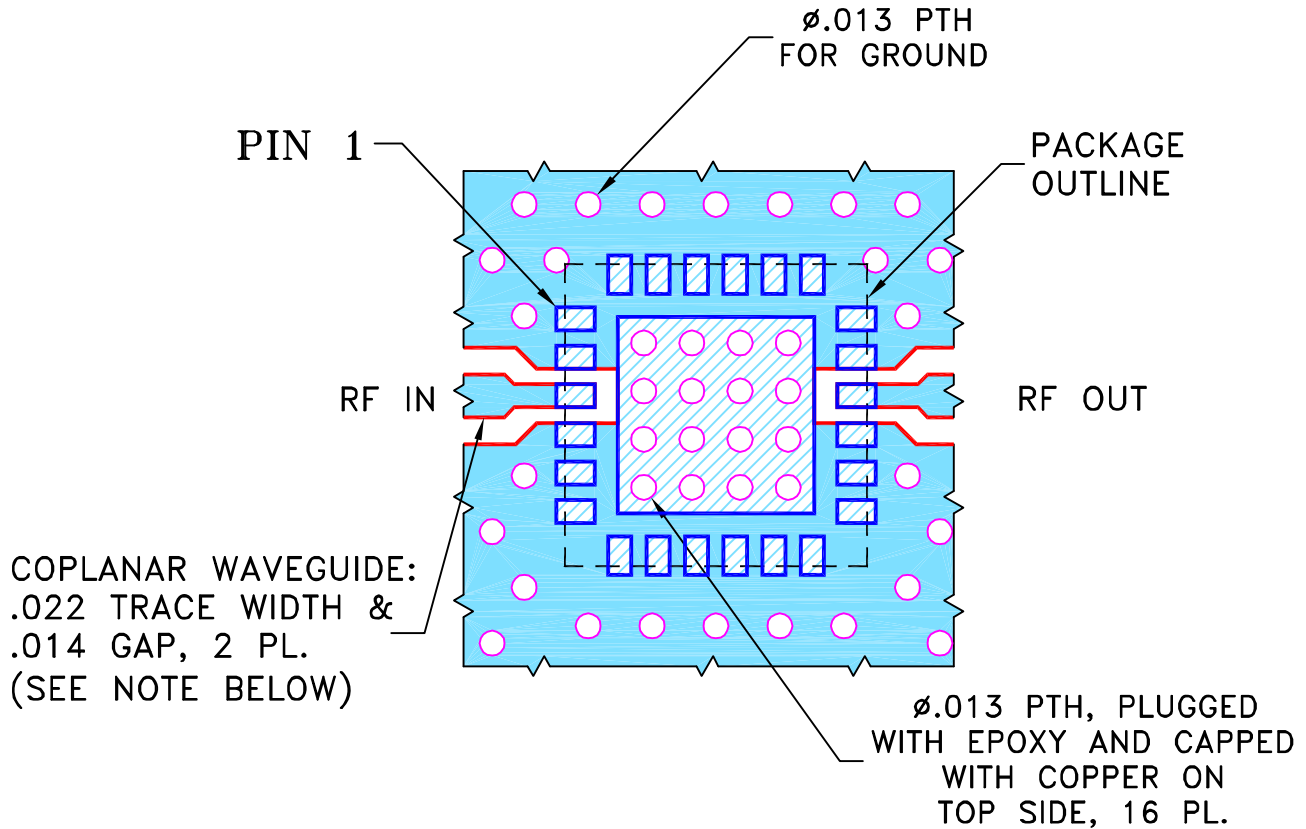
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SUGGESTED MOUNTING CONFIGURATION FOR
DG1847 CASE STYLE, "24FL01" PIN CONNECTION



NOTES:

- TRACE WIDTH & GAP ARE SHOWN FOR ROGERS RO4350B WITH DIELECTRIC THICKNESS .010" ± .001"; 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)



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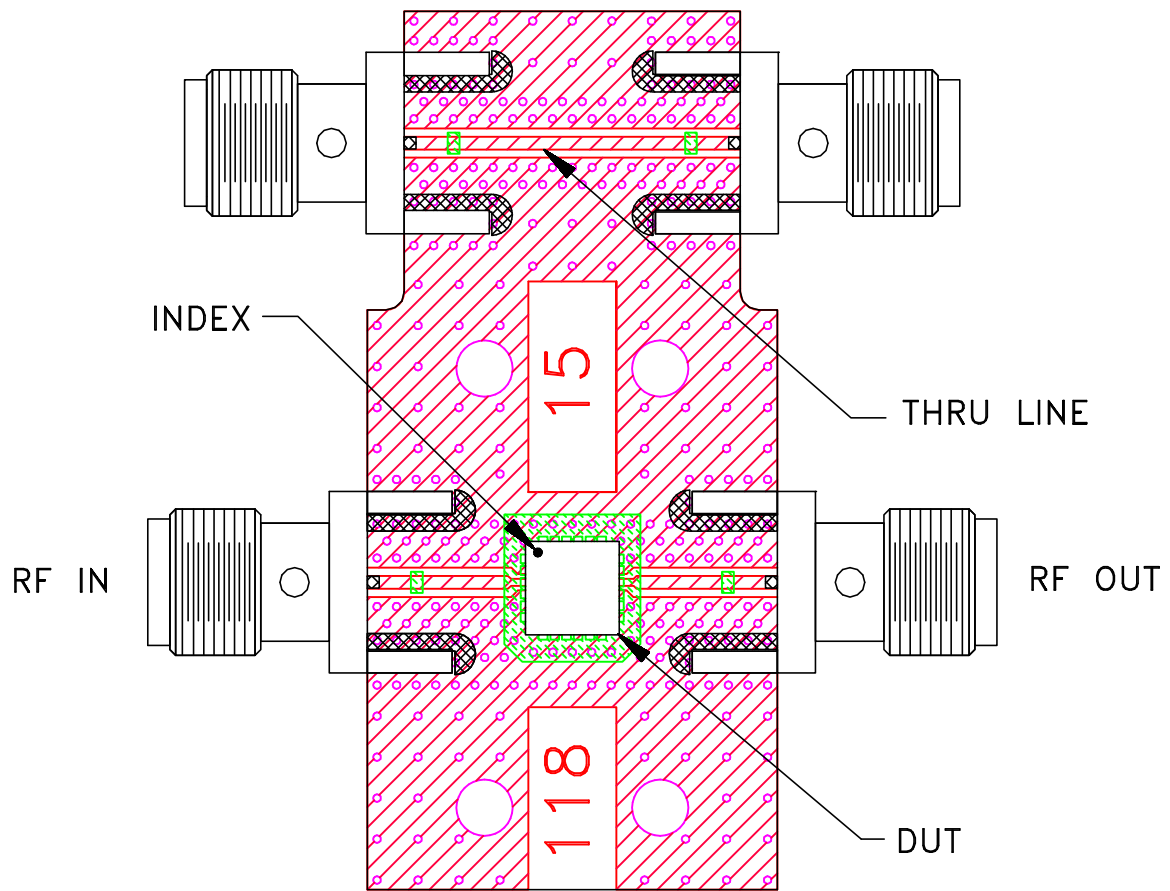
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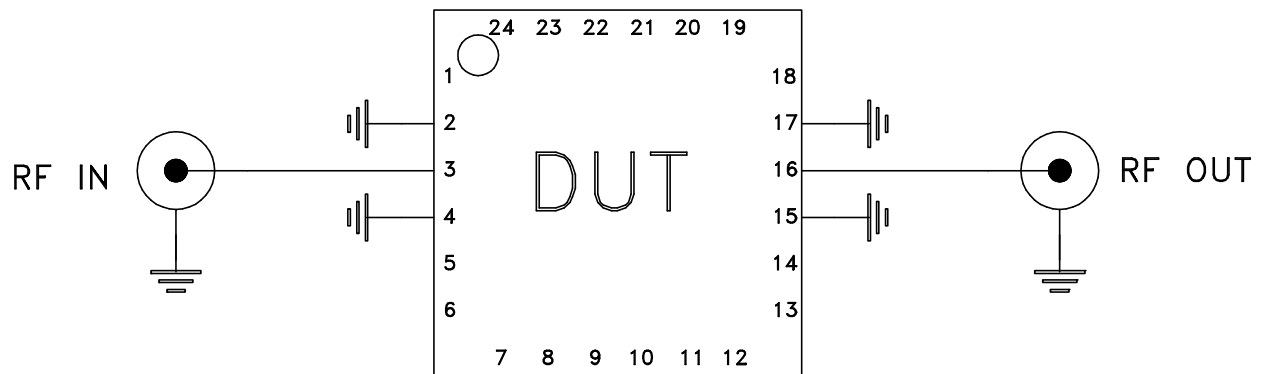
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Evaluation Board and Circuit



TB-952-13H+




PINS 1,5-14,18-24 - NOT CONNECTED.

Schematic Diagram

Notes:

1. 50 Ohm SMA Female connectors.
2. PCB Material: R04350 or equivalent,
Dielectric Constant=3.5, Thickness=.010 inch.

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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 105°C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
Storage Temperature	-65° to 150° C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
Autoclave	15 psig, 100% RH, 121°C, 96 hours	JESD22-A102-C, Condition C
Temperature Cycling	-65° to 150°C, 100 cycles	JESD22-A104
Temperature Humidity	85°C/ 85% RH, 168 hours	JESD22-113
Solder Reflow Heat	Sn-Pb Eutetic Process: 240°C peak Pb-Free Process: 260°C peak	J-STD-020, Table 4-1, 4-2 and 5-2; Figure 5-1
Moisture Sensitivity: Level 1	Bake at 125°C for 24 hours Soak at 85°C/85% RH for 168 hours, Reflow 3 cycles at 240°C peak (Non-RoHS) or 260°C (RoHS)	J-STD-020C
Solderability	10X magnification, 95% coverage	JESD22-B102, Method 1: Dip and Look Test
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