MMIC SURFACE MOUNT

Power Splitter/ Combiner

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3 Way-0° 50 Ω 15 to 25 GHz

THE BIG DEAL

- Wide Bandwidth, 15 to 25 GHz
- High Isolation, 22 dB typ at 19 GHz
- Low cost splitter for 5G Application
- Excellent amplitude unbalance, 0.1 dB typ. at 19 GHz
- Good phase unbalance, 1.2° typ. at 19 GHz
- Small size, 3.5x2.5 mm
- Aqueous washable



EP3-19+

Generic photo used for illustration purposes only CASE STYLE: JV2579

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

APPLICATIONS

- 5G
- Phased Array Radar
- Instrumentation
- MIMO
- Satellite communications

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

Mini-Circuits' EP3-19+ is a MMIC 3-way 0° splitter/combiner designed for wideband operation from 15 to 25 GHz supporting many applications requiring high performance across a wide frequency range including phased array radars, 5G applications, as well as instrumentation and more. This model provides excellent power handling up to 0.5 W / 0.63 W (as a splitter/combiner) with good isolation, and low phase and amplitude unbalance in a tiny 3.5x 2.5 mm 16 lead-QFN package. Manufactured using GaAs IPD technology, the EP3-19+ not only provides a repeatable performance, but also a high level of ESD protection.

KEY FEATURES

Feature	Advantages	
Wideband, 15 to 25 GHz	Low cost power splitter designed for phased array radars and 5G applications	
Excellent power handling, 0.5 W as a splitter 0.63 W as a combiner	In power combiner applications, half the power is dissipated internally. EP3-19+ is designed to handle 0.63 W internal dissipation as a combiner allowing reliable operation without excessive temperature rise	
Excellent Amplitude unbalance,0.1 dB typ. at 19 GHz Good phase unbalance, 1.2° typ. at 19 GHz	Ideal for Applications such as MIMO & phased array radars	
Tiny size, 3.5X2.5 mm QFN package	Tiny footprint saves space in dense layouts while providing low inductance, repeatable transi- tions, and excellent thermal contact to the PCB	

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ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS¹ AT 25°C

Parameter		Frequency (GHz)	Min.	Тур.	Max.	Unit
Frequency Range			15		25	GHz
Insertion Loss (above 4.8 dB)		17.55 - 20.45	—	0.3	1.3	dB
		15 - 25	—	0.5	2.1	
Isolation		17.55 - 20.45	17	23	_	dB
		15 - 25	12	27	_	
Amplitude Unbalance		17.55 - 20.45	—	0.1	0.6	dB
		15 - 25	—	0.3	1.1	
Phase Unbalance		17.55 - 20.45	—	1	7	Degree
		15 - 25	_	1	8	
VSWR (Port S)		17.55 - 20.45	_	1.2	_	.1
		15 - 25	_	1.2	_	:1
VSWR (Port 1-2-3)		17.55 - 20.45	_	1.2	_	:1
		15 - 25	_	1.2	_	
Power Handling	As a splitter	15 - 25	_	_	0.5	- w
	As a combiner ²	15 - 25	_	_	0.63	

1. Tested on Mini-Circuits Test Board TB-EP3-19C+

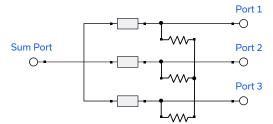
2. As a combiner of non-coherent signals, max. power per port is 0.21 watt.

MAXIMUM RATINGS

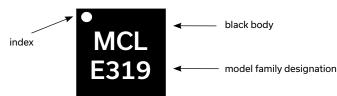
Parameter	Ratings
Operating temperature	-55°C to 105°C
Storage temperature	-65°C to 150°C

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

SIMPLIFIED SCHEMATIC



PRODUCT MARKING



Marking may contain other features or characters for internal lot control

PAD CONNECTIONS

Function	Pad Number
SUM	15
PORT 1	10
PORT 2	7
PORT 3	4
GROUND	3,5,6,8,9,11,14,16, PADDLE
NOT USED	1,2,12,13



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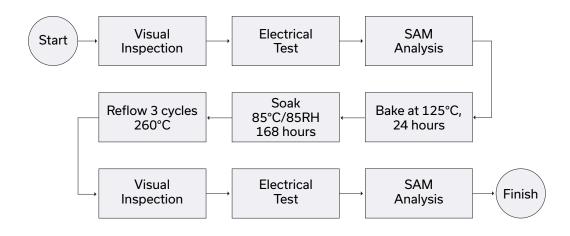
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	Data Table	
Performance Data	Swept Graphs	
	S-Parameter (S3P Files) Data Set (.zip file)	
Case Style	JV2579 Plastic package, exposed paddle lead finish: matte-tin	
Tape & Reel Standard quantities available on reel	F104 7" reels with 20, 50, 100, 200, 500 ,1000 and 2000 devices	
Suggested Layout for PCB Design	PL-728	
Evaluation Board	TB-EP3-19+ (without connectors) TB-EP3-19C+ (with connectors)	
Environmental Ratings	ENV82	

ESD RATING

Human Body Model (HBM): Class 1C (Pass 1000V) in accordance with ANSI/ESD STM 5.1 - 2001

MSL TEST FLOW CHART



NOTES

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