



MMIC SURFACE MOUNT

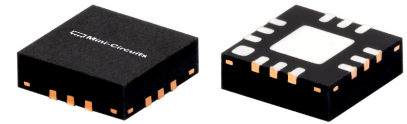
Power Splitter/Combiner

GP2XA+

50Ω 2800 to 6200 MHz

THE BIG DEAL

- Wide Bandwidth, 2800 to 6200 MHz
- Excellent Insertion Loss, Typ. 0.7 dB
- Excellent Amplitude Unbalance, Typ. 0.03 dB
- Good Phase Unbalance, Typ. 0.6 Deg
- Power Handling as a Splitter, Max 10 W
- 3x3 mm 12-Lead QFN-Style Package

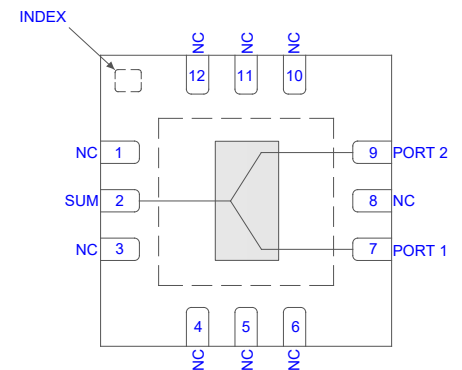


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APPLICATIONS

- Back Haul Radio Systems
- Radar, EW, and ECM Defense Systems
- Satellite Communications
- Test and Measurement Equipment
- 5G Sub6, MIMO Wireless Infrastructure Systems

FUNCTIONAL DIAGRAM



PRODUCT OVERVIEW

Mini-Circuits' GP2XA+ is a 50Ω GaAs MMIC 2-way splitter/combiner that operates from 2800 to 6200 MHz. The GP2XA+ provides typical performance of 0.7 dB insertion loss, 32 dB isolation, 0.03 dB amplitude unbalance, and 0.6 deg phase unbalance. In conjunction, it has excellent power handling capabilities of 10 W max as a splitter. This combination of characteristics makes it the perfect device for maintaining signal integrity and low signal distortion during signal splits, while also handling high power RF signals.

KEY FEATURES

| Features | Advantages |
|---|--|
| Low Insertion Loss, Typ. 0.7 dB (Above 3.0 dB Splitter Loss) | Low insertion loss ensures minimized signal power loss through the device, limiting the need for compensating power requirements at the respective outputs. |
| Excellent Unbalance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Amplitude Unbalance, Typ. 0.03 dB • Phase Unbalance, Typ. 0.6 deg. | Strong unbalance characteristics allow for low signal distortion and maintaining signal integrity when splitting RF signals between respective outputs. |
| 3x3 mm 12-Lead QFN-Style Package | Small footprint saves space in dense layouts while providing low inductance, repeatable transitions, and excellent thermal contact to the PCB. Industry standard packaging allows for ease of assembly in high volume manufacturing processes. |





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ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS¹ AT +25°C & P_{IN} = -10 dBm, UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE

| Parameter | Condition (MHz) | Min. | Typ. | Max. | Units |
|--|-----------------|------|------|------|---------|
| Frequency Range | | 2700 | | 6200 | MHz |
| Insertion Loss (Above 3.0 dB Splitter Loss) | 2800 | | 0.8 | 1.2 | dB |
| | 4500 | | 0.7 | 1.1 | |
| | 6200 | | 0.7 | 1.3 | |
| Isolation | 2800 | 18 | 26 | | dB |
| | 4500 | 25 | 32 | | |
| | 6200 | 17 | 24 | | |
| Amplitude Unbalance | 2800 | | 0.02 | 0.3 | dB |
| | 4500 | | 0.03 | 0.3 | |
| | 6200 | | 0.03 | 0.3 | |
| Phase Unbalance | 2800 | | 0.5 | 3 | Degrees |
| | 4500 | | 0.6 | 6 | |
| | 6200 | | 0.8 | 8 | |
| Return Loss (Sum Port) | 2800 | | 31 | | dB |
| | 4500 | | 21 | | |
| | 6200 | | 24 | | |
| Return Loss (Ports 1, 2) ² | 2800 | | 37 | | dB |
| | 4500 | | 32 | | |
| | 6200 | | 30 | | |

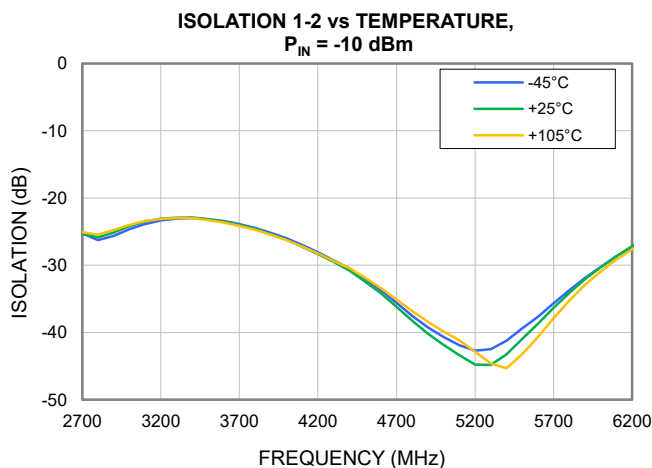
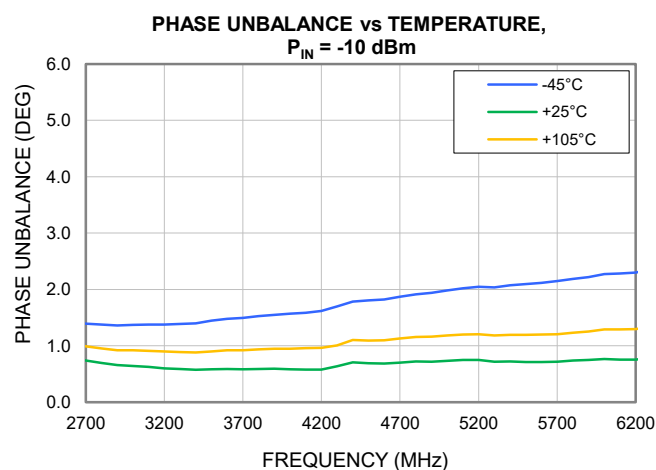
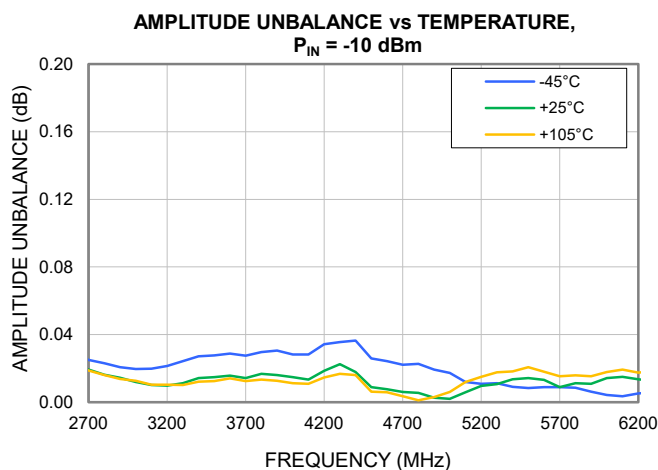
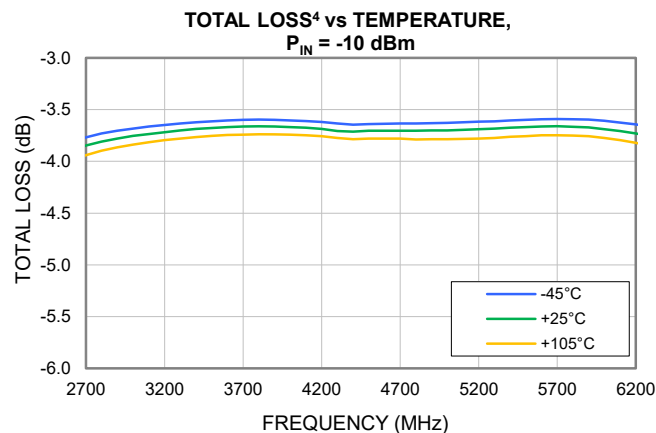
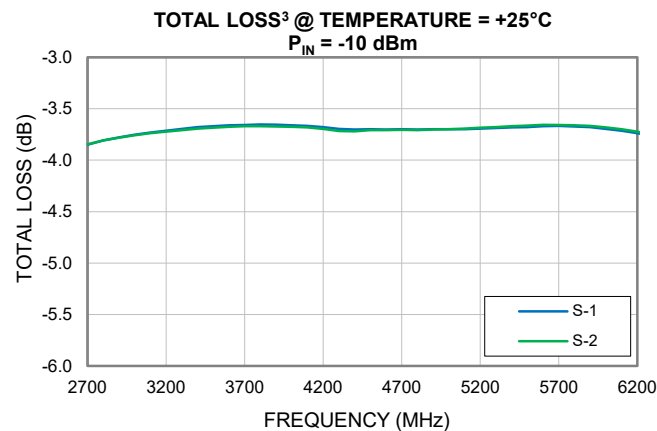
1. Tested on Mini-Circuits Characterization Test Board TB-GP2XAC+. See Figure 2. Board loss de-embedded to the device.

2. Typical values displayed are the worst case among Port 1 and Port 2.





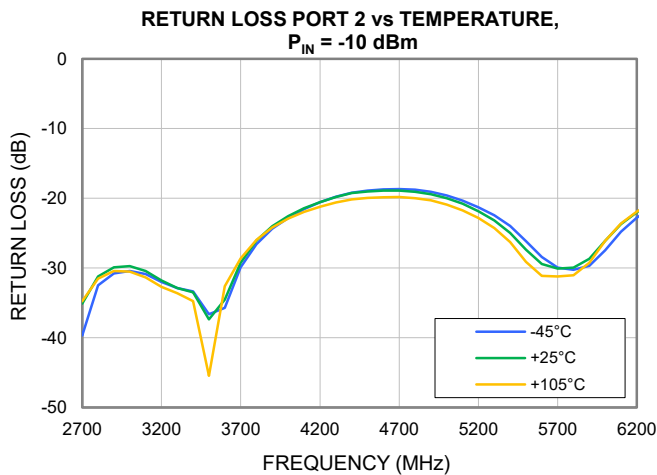
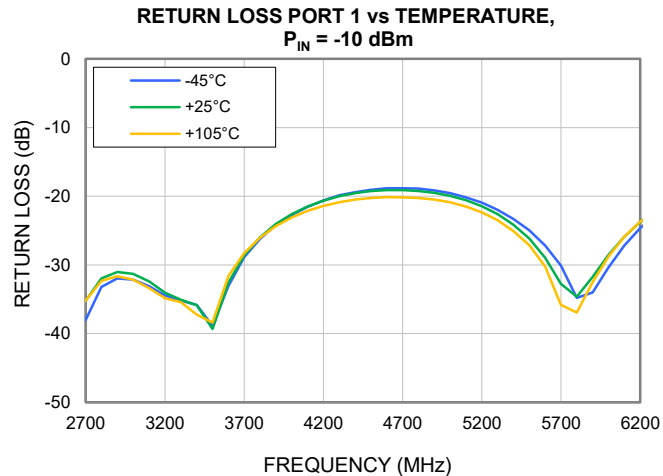
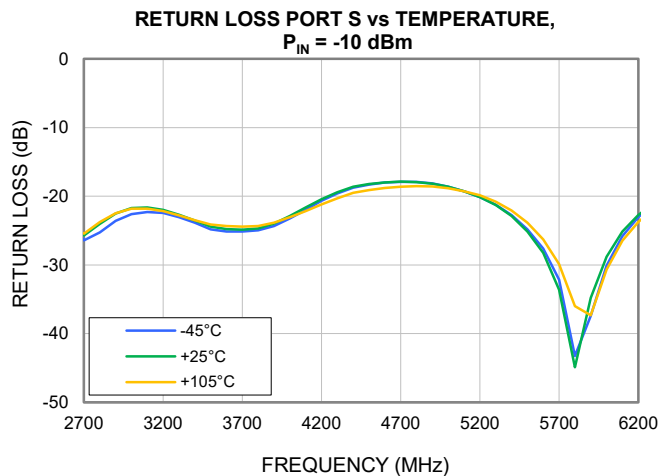
TYPICAL PERFORMANCE GRAPHS



3. Total Loss = Single Path (S-1 or S-2) Insertion Loss + 3 dB Splitter Loss
4. Average of both paths' Total Loss



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ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS⁵

| Parameter | Ratings |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Operating Temperature | -45°C to +105°C |
| Storage Temperature | -65°C to +150°C |
| Junction Temperature ⁶ | +150°C |
| Power Input (CW) | |
| • As a Splitter ^{7,8} | +40 dBm |
| • As a Combiner ^{9,10} | +38 dBm |

5. Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded. Maximum ratings are not intended for continuous normal operation.

6. Peak temperature on top of Die.

7. Tested by applying input power to Port S, measuring output power at Port 1, and presenting both an Open and 50Ω load at Port 2 to determine worst case conditions.

8. Max power rating at +25°C and +105°C; no derating required over temperature.

9. Tested by applying input power to Port 2, measuring output power at Port 1, and presenting both an Open and 50Ω load at Port S to determine worst case conditions.

10. Derates linearly to +35 dBm at +105°C.

ESD RATING

| | Class | Voltage Range | Reference Standard |
|-----|-------|------------------|-----------------------------|
| HBM | 1A | 250 V to < 500 V | ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC JS-001-2023 |
| CDM | C3 | ≥ 1000 V | ANSI/ESDA/JEDEC JS-002-2022 |



ESD HANDLING PRECAUTION: This device is designed to be Class 1A for HBM. Static charges may easily produce potentials higher than this with improper handling and can discharge into DUT and damage it. As a preventive measure Industry standard ESD handling precautions should be used at all times to protect the device from ESD damage.

MSL RATING

Moisture Sensitivity: MSL1 in accordance with IPC/JEDEC J-STD-020E /JEDEC J-STD-033C



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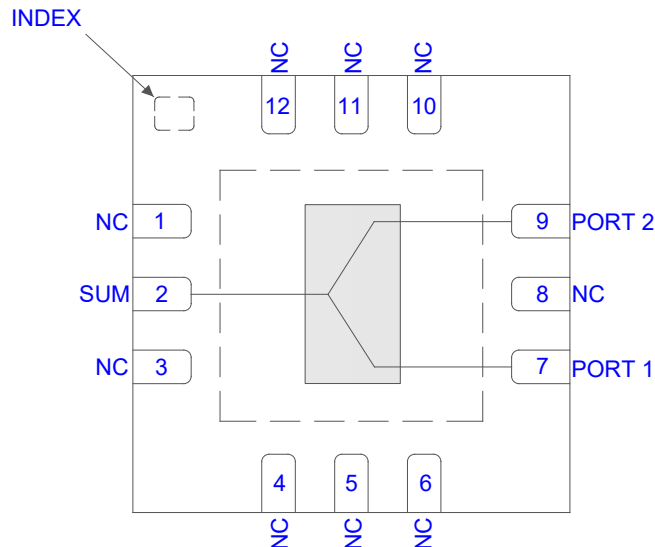


Figure 1. GP2XA+ Functional Diagram

PAD DESCRIPTION

| Function | Pad Number | Description (Refer to Figure 2) |
|----------|------------------|---------------------------------------|
| SUM | 2 | SUM Pad connects to Input Sum Port. |
| PORT 1 | 7 | PORT 1 Pad connects to Output Port 1. |
| PORT 2 | 9 | PORT 2 Pad connects to Output Port 2. |
| NC | 1, 3-6, 8, 10-12 | Connects to ground on the test board. |
| GND | PADDLE & INDEX | Connects to ground. |

CHARACTERIZATION TEST BOARD

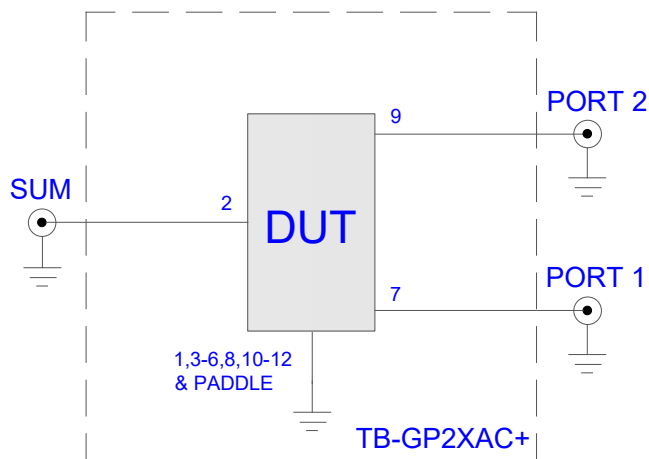


Figure 2. GP2XA+ Characterization and Application Circuit.

Electrical Parameters and Conditions

Insertion Loss, Isolation, Return Loss, Phase Unbalance, and Amplitude Unbalance measured using N5242A PNA-X microwave network analyzer.

Condition:

1) Insertion Loss, Isolation, Return Loss, Phase Unbalance, and Amplitude Unbalance: $P_{IN} = -10$ dBm



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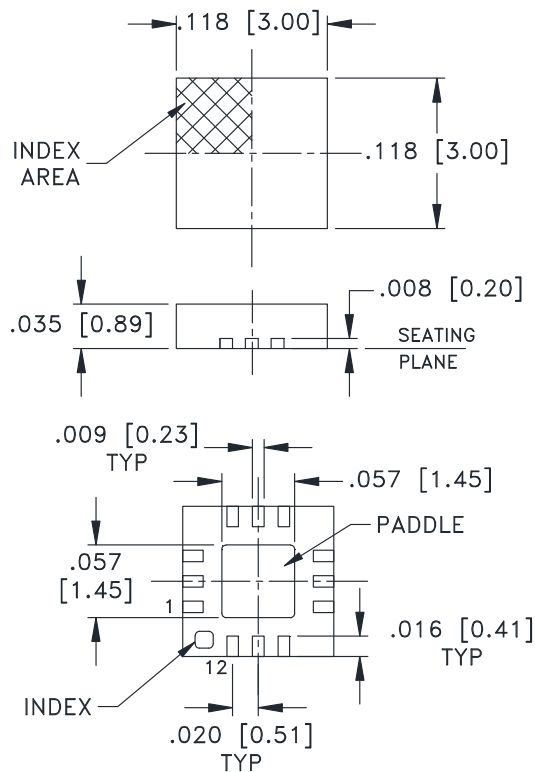
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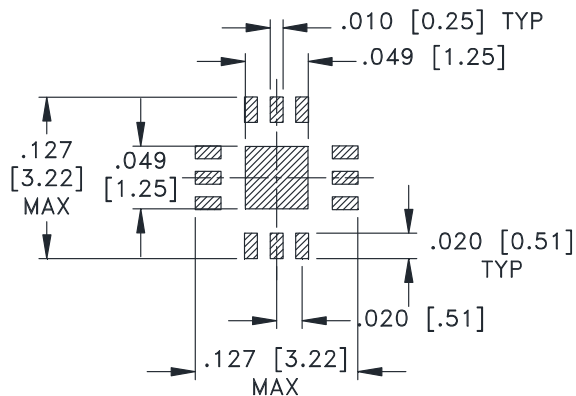
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CASE STYLE DRAWING



PCB Land Pattern

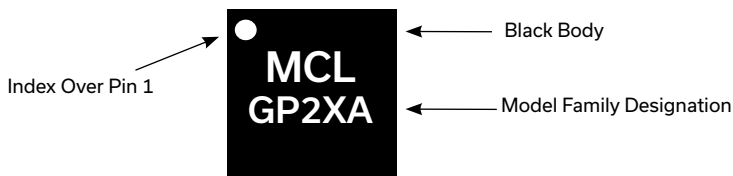


SUGGESTED LAYOUT,
TOLERANCE TO BE WITHIN ± 0.002

Weight: .02 Grams

Dimensions are in inches [mm]. Tolerances in inches: 2 Pl. ± 0.01 ; 3 Pl. ± 0.004 inches

PRODUCT MARKING



Marking may contain other features or characters for internal lot control.





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ADDITIONAL DETAILED INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE ON OUR DASHBOARD

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|--|---|
| Performance Data & Graphs | Data |
| | Graphs |
| | S-Parameter (S3P Files) Data Set (.zip file) |
| Case Style | DQ1225 Plastic package, exposed paddle, Lead Finish: Matte-Tin |
| RoHS Status | Compliant |
| Tape & Reel Standard Quantities Available on Reel | F66 7" Reels with 20, 50, 100, 200, 500, 1000, 2000, or 3000 devices |
| Suggested Layout for PCB Design | PL-817 |
| Evaluation Board | TB-GP2XAC+ |
| | Gerber File |
| Environmental Ratings | ENV08T1 |

NOTES

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