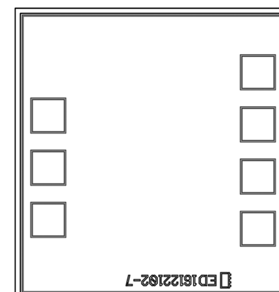
MMIC Balun

RF Transformer Die

MTY2-243-D+

50Ω 10 to 24 GHz



The Big Deal

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- Low insertion loss, 1.0 dB to 20 GHz
- Low unbalance, 0.7 dB, 6°
- Power handling up to +31 dBm

Product Overview

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Key Features

Feature	Advantages
Wideband, 10 to 24 GHz	MTY2-243-D+ supports a broad variety of applications including instrumentation, radar, SATCOM and more.
Low insertion loss • 1.0 dB, 10 to 20 GHz • 1.5 dB, 20 to 24 GHz	Enables excellent signal power transmission from input to output.
Low unbalance • 0.7 dB amplitude unbalance • 6° phase unbalance	Low unbalance can improve a system's electromagnetic compatibility by rejecting unwanted common-mode noise.
Unpackaged Die	Enables the user to integrate the balun directly into hybrids.

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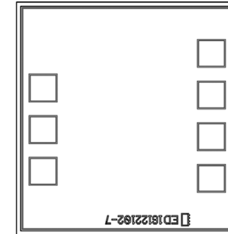

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Typical Applications
- Instrumentation
- Test and Measurements
- Radar
- Satcom

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General Description
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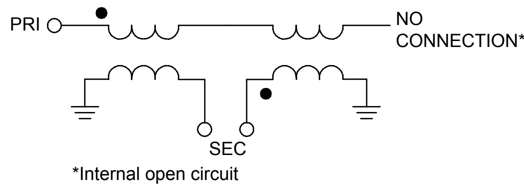
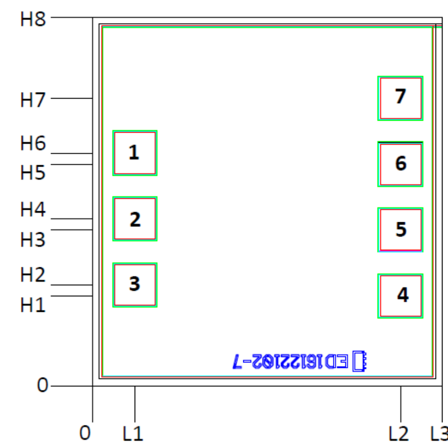
Simplified Schematic and Pad description



*Internal open circuit

Pad Number	Description
2	PRIMARY DOT
5	SECONDARY
6	SECONDARY DOT
1,3 & Bottom of Die	GND
4,7	NO CONNECTION

Bonding Pad Position



Die dimensions in μm

L1	L2	L3	H1	H2	H3	H4	H5	H6
95	699	794	204	229	354	379	504	529

H7	H8	Thickness	Die size	Pad Size 1,2,3,4,5,6 & 7
654	838	100	794 x 838	92 x 92

Electrical Specifications[1] at 25°C

Parameter	Frequency (MHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Impedance Ratio			2		
Frequency Range		10		24	GHz
Insertion Loss[2]	10-12		1.0		dB
	12-15		1.0		
	15-20		1.0		
	20-24		1.5		
Amplitude Unbalance	10-12		0.7		dB
	12-15		0.3		
	15-20		0.7		
	20-24		0.4		
Phase Unbalance[3]	10-12		5.8		Degree
	12-15		6.4		
	15-20		5.5		
	20-24		2.9		

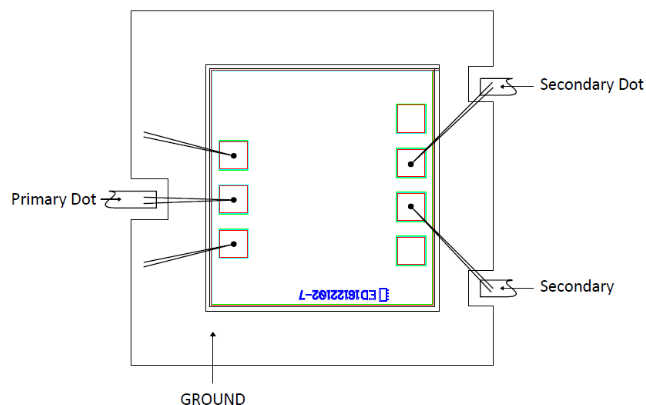
1. Measured on Mini-Circuits Characterization test board. Die is packaged in 2x2 mm, 6-lead MCL package and soldered on TB-MTY2-243+.
2. Above 3 dB theoretical
3. Relative to 180°

Absolute Maximum Ratings[4]

Operating Case Temperature	-40°C to 85°C
RF Input Power	31 dBm

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

Assembly Diagram



Assembly and Handling Procedure

1. Storage
   Dice should be stored in a dry nitrogen purged desiccators or equivalent.
2. ESD
   MMIC Balun Transformer dice are susceptible to electrostatic and mechanical damage. Die are supplied in antistatic protected material, which should be opened in clean room conditions at an appropriately grounded anti-static worksta tion. Devices need careful handling using correctly designed collets, vacuum pickup tips or sharp antistatic tweezers to deter ESD damage to dice.
3. Die Attach
   The die mounting surface must be clean and flat. Using conductive silver filled epoxy, recommended epoxies are DieMat DM6030HK-PT/H579 or Ablestik 84-1LMISR4. Apply sufficient epoxy to meet required epoxy bond line thickness, epoxy fillet height and epoxy coverage around total die periphery. Parts shall be cured in a nitrogen filled atmosphere per manufacturer's cure condition. It is recommended to use antistatic die pick up tools only.
4. Wire Bonding
   Bond pad openings in the surface passivation above the bond pads are provided to allow wire bonding to the dice gold bond pads. Thermosonic bonding is used with minimized ultrasonic content. Bond force, time, ultrasonic power and temperature are all critical parameters. Suggested wire is pure gold, 1 mil diameter. Bonds must be made from the bond pads on the die to the package or substrate. All bond wires should be kept as short as low as reasonable to minimize performance degradation due to undesirable series inductance.

Additional Detailed Technical Information

additional information is available on our dash board.

Performance Data	Data Table
	Swept Graphs
	S-Parameter (S3P Files) Data Set with and without port extension(.zip file)
Case Style	Die
Die Ordering and packaging information	Quantity, Package — Model No. Small, Gel - Pak: 5,10,50,100 KGD* — MTY2-243-DG+ Medium†, Partial wafer: KGD*<1892 — MTY2-243-DP+ Large†, Full Wafer — MTY2-243-DF+ †*Available upon request contact sales representative* Refer to AN-60-067
Environmental Ratings	ENV80

*Known Good Dice (“KGD”) means that the dice are taken from PCM good wafer and visually inspected. While this is not definitive, it does help to provide a higher degree of confidence that dice are capable of meeting typical RF electrical parameters specified by Mini-Circuits.

ESD Rating**

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

** Tested in industry standard 2x2mm, 6-lead MCLP package

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