

Ceramic

# Bandpass Filter

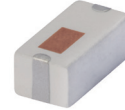
**BFCN-2491+**

50Ω

1950 to 3190 MHz

## The Big Deal

- Small size 3.2mm x 1.6mm
- Pass band (1950 to 3190 MHz)
- High rejection in upper stopband



CASE STYLE: FV1206-7

## Product Overview

The BFCN-2491+ LTCC Band Pass Filter achieves a miniature size and high repeatability of performance. Wrap-around terminations minimize variations in performance due to parasitics. Covering 1950 to 3190 MHz, these units offer excellent rejection over a deep stopband.

## Key Features

Feature	Advantages
Small Size (3.20mm x1.6 mm)	Allows for high layout density of circuit boards, while minimizing effects of parasitics.
Rejection peaks close to pass band	Provides good rejection of signals close to the pass band, for improved system performance.
Wide stopband	No regrowth out to 3 <sup>rd</sup> harmonic permits filter to be used in presence of wideband interfering signals.
LTCC construction	Provides a rugged package that is well suited for tough environments including high humidity and high temperature extremes.

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50Ω 1950 to 3190 MHz

**BFCN-2491+**

## Features

- Small size
- Temperature stable
- Hermetically sealed
- LTCC construction

## Applications

- Harmonic Rejection
- Transmitters / Receivers



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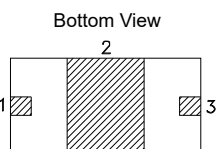
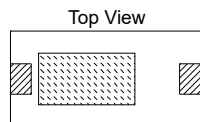
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## Maximum Ratings

Operating Temperature	-55°C to +100°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to +100°C
RF Power Input	1W max.

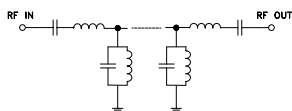
Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.



## Pad Connections

Input	1
Output	3
Ground	2

## Functional Schematic



## Electrical Specifications<sup>1,2</sup> at 25°C

Parameter	F#	Frequency (MHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Center Frequency	—	—	—	2491	—	MHz
Pass Band Insertion Loss	F1-F2	1950-3190	—	1.2	3.0	dB
Pass Band Return Loss	F1-F2	1950-3190	—	15	—	dB
Stop Band, Lower Insertion Loss	DC-F3	DC-1440	20	22	—	dB
Stop Band, Upper Insertion Loss	F4-F5	4500-10000	20	29	—	dB

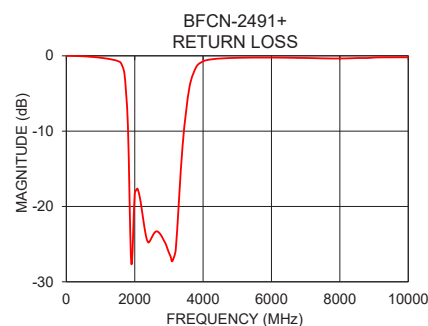
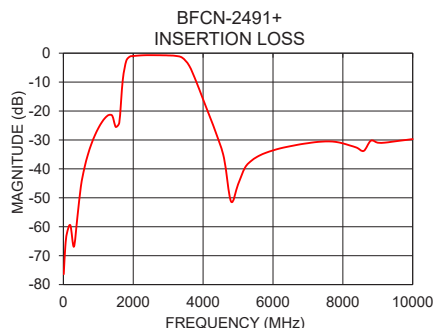
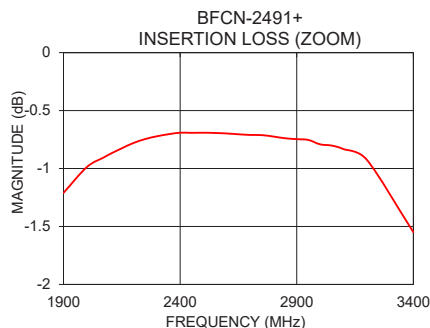
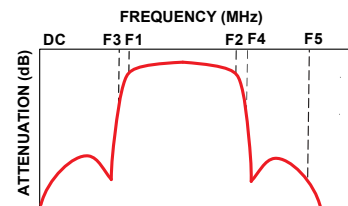
1. Measured on Mini-Circuits Characterization Test Board TB-812+.

2. This filter is not intended for use as a DC Blocking circuit element. In Application where DC voltage is present at either input or output ports, blocking capacitors are required at the corresponding RF port.

## Typical Performance Data at 25°C

Frequency (MHz)	Insertion Loss (dB)	Return Loss (dB)
500	-46.14	-0.06
1000	-25.95	-0.26
1400	-21.64	-0.56
1700	-9.28	-2.41
1800	-2.67	-9.20
2200	-0.78	-20.19
2600	-0.70	-23.38
3200	-0.92	-25.70
3400	-1.55	-11.95
3600	-4.30	-4.19
4200	-22.20	-0.49
4600	-36.37	-0.34
7000	-31.12	-0.29
8600	-33.77	-0.29
10000	-29.70	-0.21

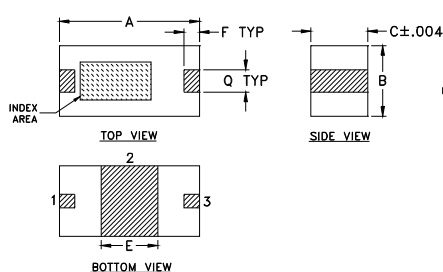
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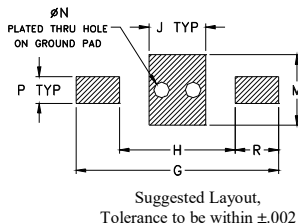
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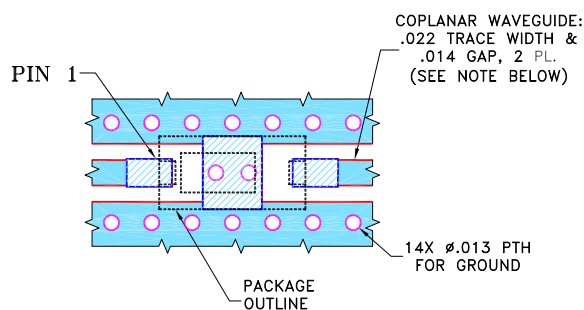
## Outline Drawing



## PCB Land Pattern



## Demo Board MCL P/N: TB- 812+ Suggested PCB Layout (PL-439)



## NOTES:

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2. BOTTOM SIDE OF THE PCB IS CONTINUOUS GROUND PLANE.

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- DENOTES COPPER LAND PATTERN FREE OF SOLDER MASK.

## Product Marking: N/A

## Pad Connections

Input	1
Output	3
Ground	2

## Outline Dimensions (inch mm)

A	B	C	E	F	G	H
.126	.063	.051	.051	.014	.183	.104
3.20	1.60	1.30	1.30	0.36	4.65	2.64
J	M	N	P	Q	R	wt
.051	.063	.014	.024	.020	.039	grams
1.30	1.60	0.36	0.61	0.51	0.99	.020

## Additional Notes

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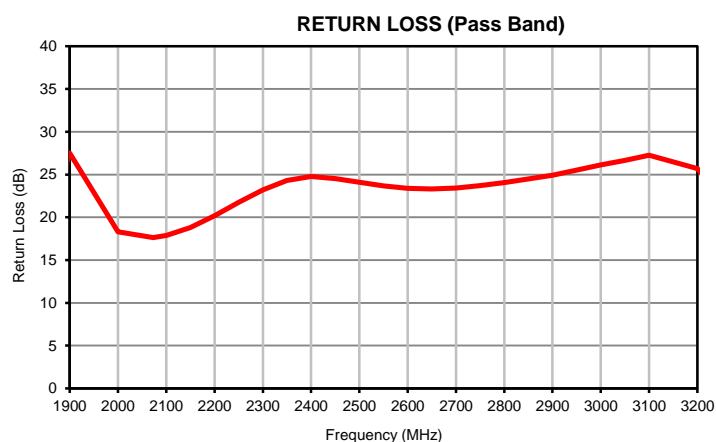
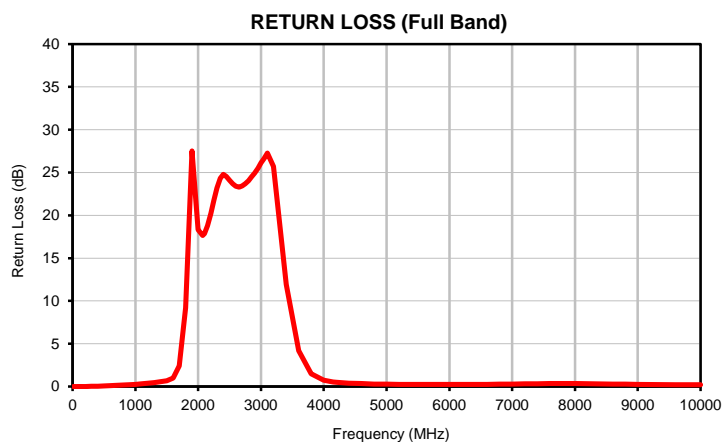
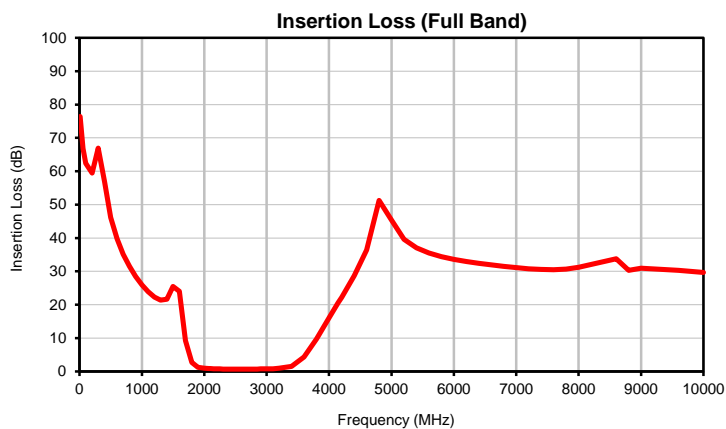
*Typical Performance Data*

FREQUENCY (MHz)	INSERTION LOSS (dB)	RETURN LOSS (dB)
10	76.41	0.00
55	66.83	0.00
100	62.35	0.00
200	59.49	0.01
300	66.91	0.03
400	56.80	0.04
500	46.14	0.06
600	39.80	0.09
700	35.15	0.13
800	31.46	0.17
900	28.46	0.21
1000	25.95	0.26
1100	23.89	0.32
1200	22.32	0.38
1300	21.38	0.46
1400	21.64	0.56
1500	25.51	0.69
1600	24.02	0.99
1700	9.28	2.41
1800	2.67	9.20
1900	1.21	27.52
2000	0.99	18.31
2073	0.90	17.64
2100	0.87	17.87
2150	0.83	18.80
2200	0.78	20.19
2250	0.75	21.75
2300	0.72	23.19
2350	0.70	24.32
2400	0.69	24.78
2450	0.69	24.53
2500	0.69	24.09
2550	0.69	23.68
2600	0.70	23.38
2650	0.70	23.30
2700	0.71	23.44
2750	0.71	23.69
2800	0.72	24.05
2850	0.74	24.50
2900	0.75	24.91
2950	0.75	25.50
3000	0.79	26.13
3050	0.80	26.65
3100	0.83	27.26
3200	0.92	25.70
3400	1.55	11.95
3600	4.30	4.19
3800	9.74	1.48
4000	15.98	0.74
4146	20.52	0.54
4200	22.20	0.49
4400	28.64	0.39
4600	36.37	0.34
4800	51.28	0.29
5000	45.37	0.27
5200	39.56	0.25
5400	37.02	0.24
5600	35.48	0.23
5800	34.42	0.23
6000	33.62	0.23
6200	32.93	0.24
6400	32.40	0.25
6600	31.92	0.26
6800	31.46	0.28
7000	31.12	0.29
7200	30.78	0.31
7400	30.58	0.33
7600	30.50	0.35
7800	30.68	0.36
8000	31.18	0.35
8600	33.77	0.29
8800	30.27	0.30
9000	30.95	0.23
9600	30.31	0.20
10000	29.70	0.21

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**BFCN-2491+**

## Typical Performance Curves



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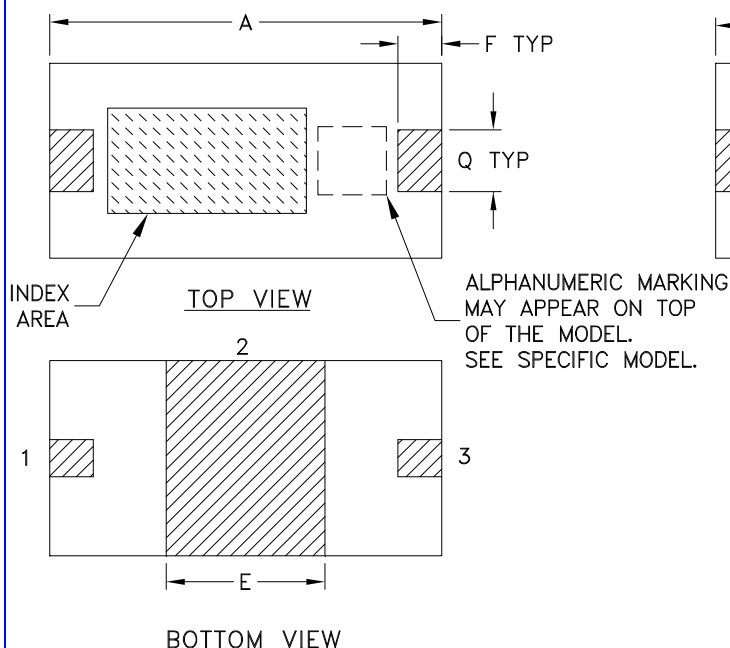


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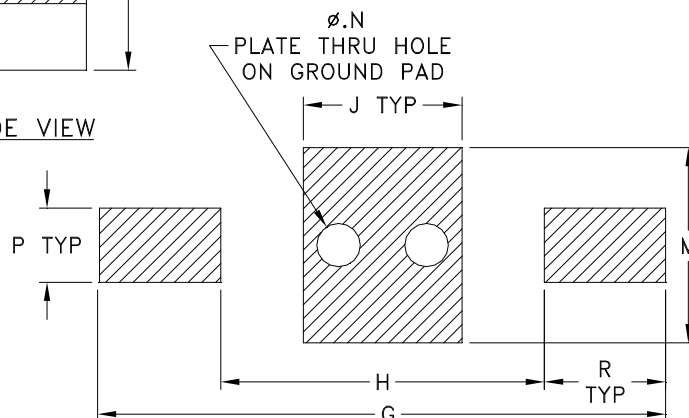


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### Outline Dimensions



### PCB Land Pattern



Suggested Layout,  
Tolerance to be within  $\pm .002$

CASE #	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	L	M
FV1206-7	.126 (3.20)	.063 (1.60)	.051 (1.30)	-- --	.051 (1.30)	.014 (0.35)	.183 (4.65)	.104 (2.65)	.051 (1.30)	-- --	-- --	.063 (1.60)

CASE #	N	P	Q	R	S	WT. GRAM
FV1206-7	.014 (0.35)	.024 (0.60)	.020 (0.50)	.039 (1.00)	-- --	.020

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

#### Notes:

1. Open style, ceramic base.
2. Termination finish: **as shown below or indicated on Data Sheet.**  
For RoHS Case Styles: Tin plate over Nickel plate. All models, (+) suffix.  
For RoHS-5 Case Styles: Tin-Lead plate. All models, no (+) suffix.
3. Line width should be designed to match 50 $\Omega$  characteristic impedance, depending on PCB material and thickness.



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RF/IF MICROWAVE COMPONENTS

## DEVICE ORIENTATION IN T&R

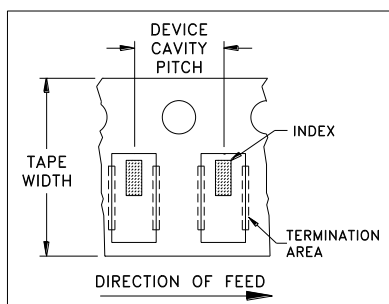


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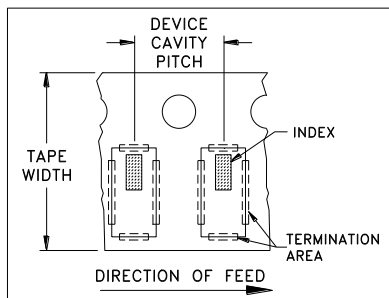


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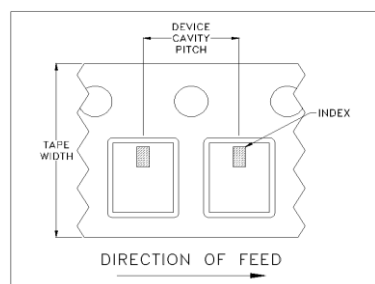


ILLUSTRATION 3

### Applicable Case Styles

FV1206-1  
FV1206-3

### Applicable Case Styles

FV1206-4  
FV1206-5  
FV1206-6  
FV1206-7  
FV1206-9

### Applicable Case Styles

FV1206-11  
FV1206-12  
GE0805C-18  
NL1008C-6  
NL1008C-7  
NL1008C-9  
NL1008C-10

Tape Width, mm	Device Cavity Pitch, mm	Reel Size, inches	Devices per Reel	
8	4	7	Small quantity standards (see note)	20
				50
				100
				200
				500
				1000
			Standard	3000

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

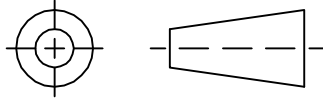
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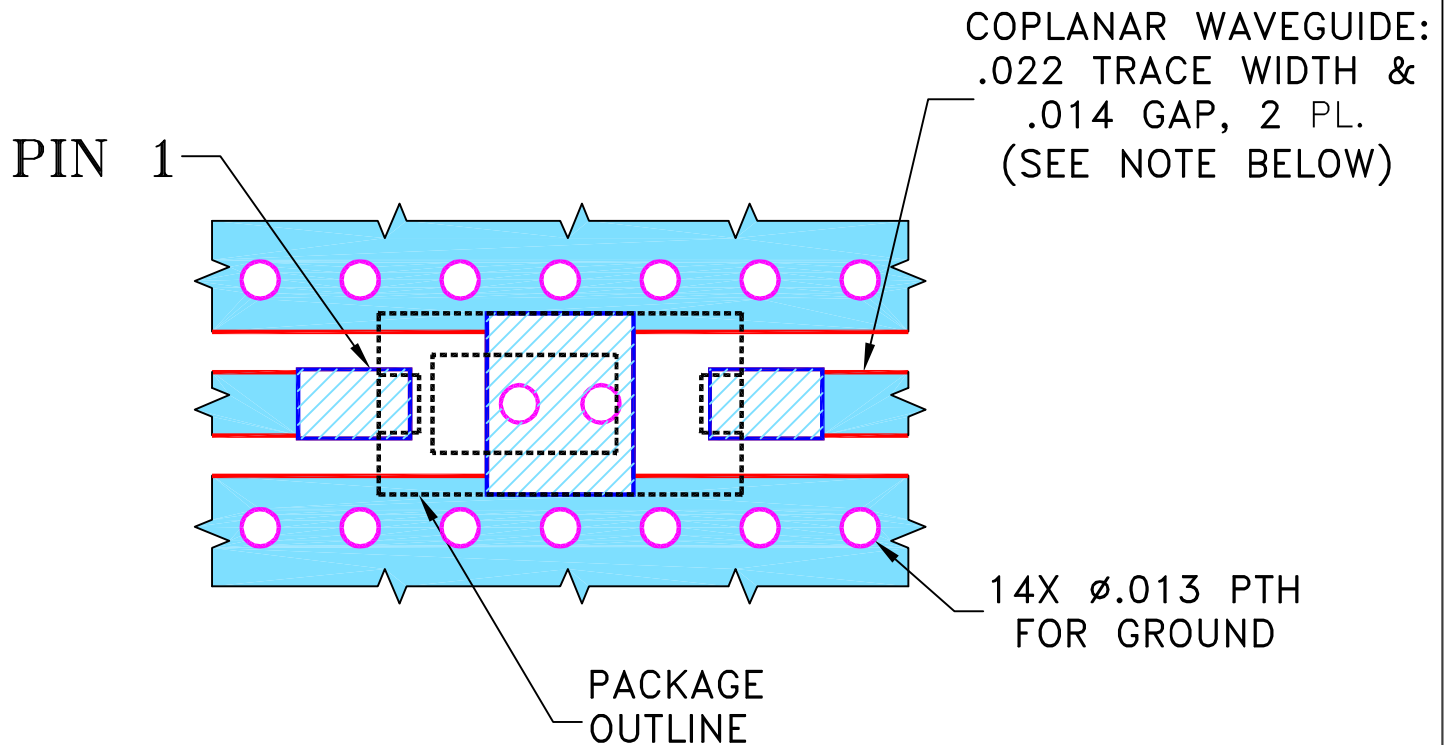
## THIRD ANGLE PROJECTION



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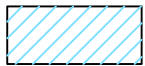
SUGGESTED MOUNTING CONFIGURATION  
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## UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED

DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES

TOLERANCES ON:  
 2 PL DECIMALS  $\pm$   
 3 PL DECIMALS  $\pm$  .005  
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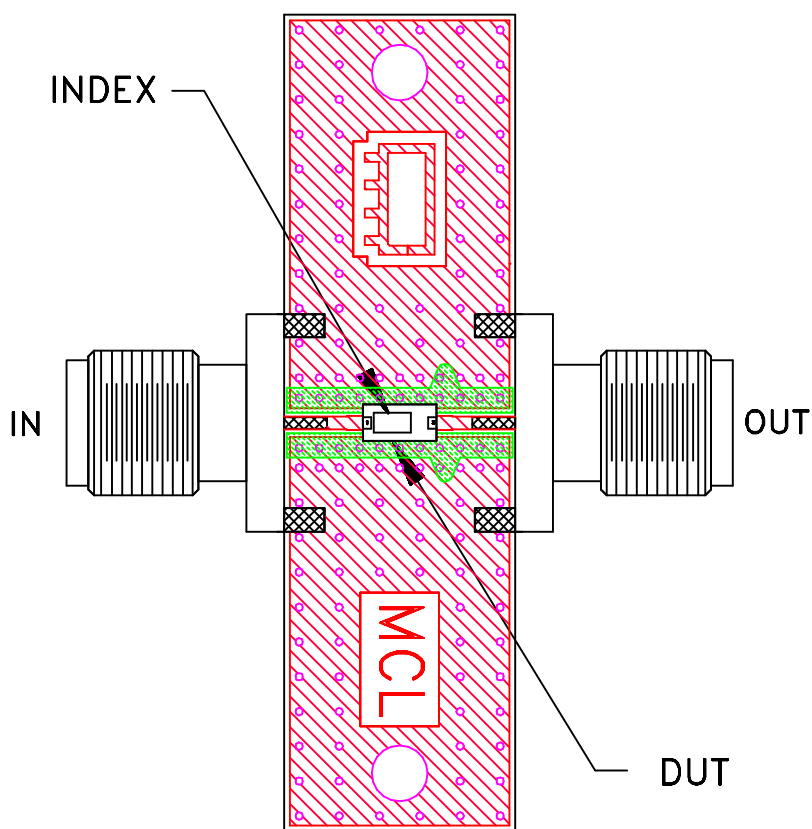
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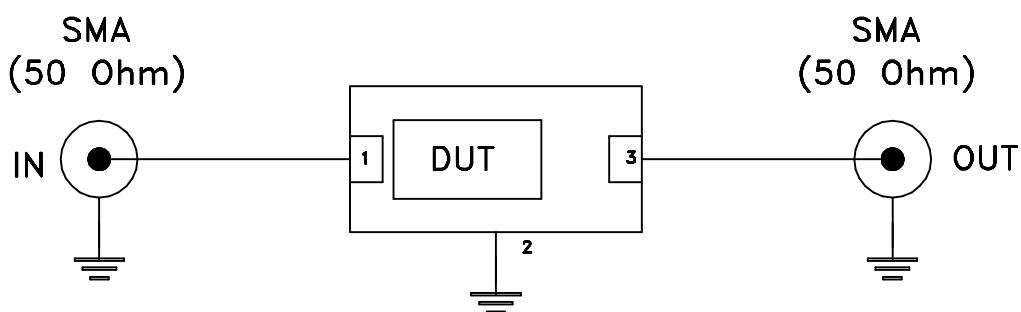
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# Evaluation Board and Circuit




TB-812+



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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Operating Temperature	-55° to 100°C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
Storage Temperature	-55° to 100° C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
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
Solder Reflow Heat	Sn-Pb Eutetic Process: 225°C peak Pb-Free Process 245° - 250°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, 10-2000 Hz, 12 times in each of three perpendicular directions (total 36)	MIL-STD-202, Method 204, Condition D
Mechanical Shock	50g, 11 ms, 1/2-sine, 18 shocks: 3 each direction, each of 3 axes	MIL-STD-202, Method 213, Condition A