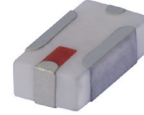


# LTCC Bandpass Filter

## BFCN-7500+

50Ω      7450 to 7650 MHz



CASE STYLE: FV1206-4

### The Big Deal

- Small size 3.2mm x 1.6mm
- Pass band (7450-7650 MHz)
- Low Insertion Loss (1.8 dB typical)
- Sharp rejection peaks close to stop band

### Product Overview

The BFCN-7500+ LTCC Band Pass Filter is constructed with 5 layers in order to achieve a miniature size and high repeatability of performance. Wrap-around terminations minimize variations in performance due to parasitics. Covering 7500 MHz  $\pm$ 100 MHz, these units offer low insertion loss and good rejection at the band reject edges.

### Key Features

Feature	Advantages
Small Size (3.20mm x1.6 mm)	Allows for high layout density of circuit boards, while minimizing affects of parasitics.
Rejection peaks close to pass band	Provides good rejection of signals close to the pass band, for improved system performance.
Wrap around termination	Provides excellent solderability and easy visual inspection capability.
LTCC construction	Provides a rugged package that is well suited for tough environments including high humidity and high temperature extremes.

#### Notes

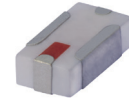
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Available Tape and Reel at no extra cost

Reel Size	Devices/Reel
7"	20, 50, 100, 200, 500, 1000, 3000

### Maximum Ratings

Operating Temperature	-55°C to 100°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to 100°C
RF Power Input*	2W max. at 25°C

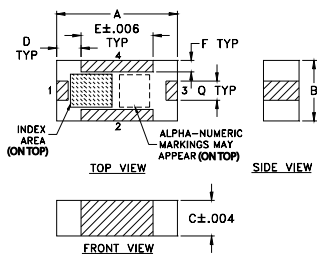
\*Passband rating, derate linearly to 0.5W at 100°C ambient  
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### Pin Connections

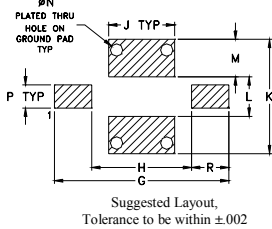
RF IN	1
RF OUT	3
GROUND	2,4

Product Marking: 44

### Outline Drawing



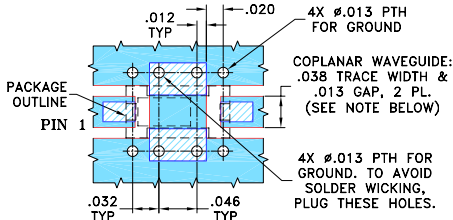
### PCB Land Pattern



### Outline Dimensions (inch/mm)

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J
.126	.063	.037	.026	.075	.012	.182	.104	.069
3.20	1.60	0.94	0.66	1.91	0.30	4.62	2.64	1.75
K	L	M	N	P	Q	R	wt	
.119	.041	.039	.013	.024	.020	.039	grams	
3.02	1.04	0.99	0.33	0.61	0.51	0.99	.020	

### Demo Board MCL P/N: TB-518+ Suggested PCB Layout (PL-305)



NOTE: 1. TRACE WIDTH IS SHOWN FOR ROGERS RO4350B WITH DIELECTRIC THICKNESS .020" ± .0015". 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.
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### Features

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

### Applications

- Harmonic Rejection
- Transmitters / Receivers

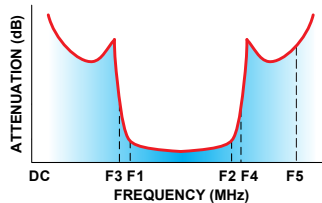
### Electrical Specifications<sup>1,2</sup> at 25°C

Parameter	F#	Frequency (MHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Pass Band	Center Frequency	—	—	7500	—	MHz
	Insertion Loss	F1-F2	—	1.8	3.5	dB
	VSWR	F1-F2	7450-7650	—	1.5	—
Stop Band, Lower	Insertion Loss	DC-F3	DC-6400	—	18	dB
	VSWR	DC-F3	DC-6400	—	30	:1
Stop Band, Upper	Insertion Loss	F4-F5	9000-14000	—	20	dB
	VSWR	F4-F5	9000-14000	—	30	:1

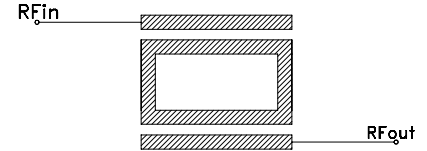
1. Measured on Mini-Circuits Characterization Test Board TB-518+.

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 Frequency Response

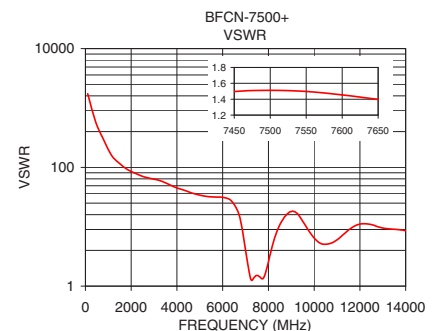
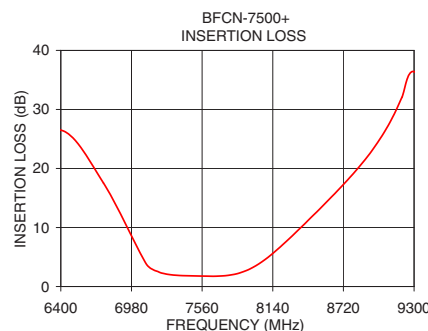
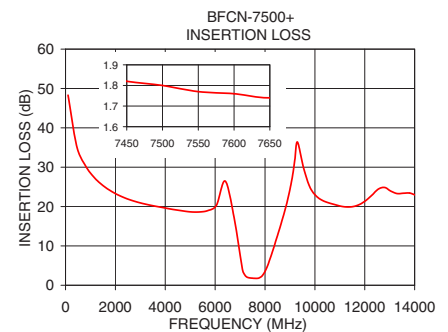


### Functional Schematic



### Typical Performance Data at 25°C

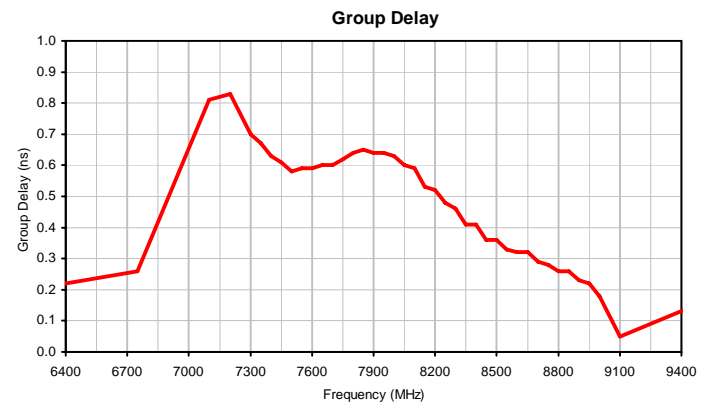
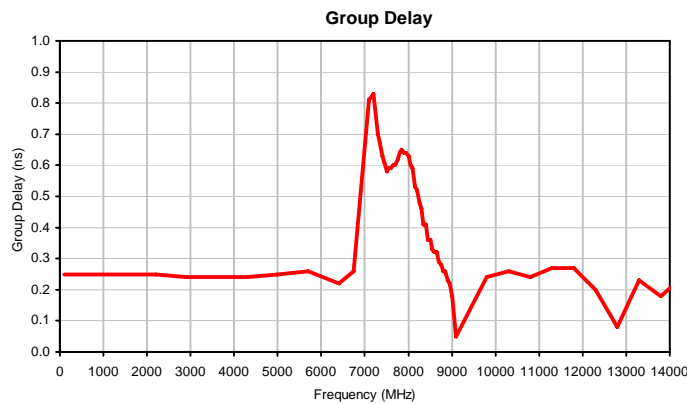
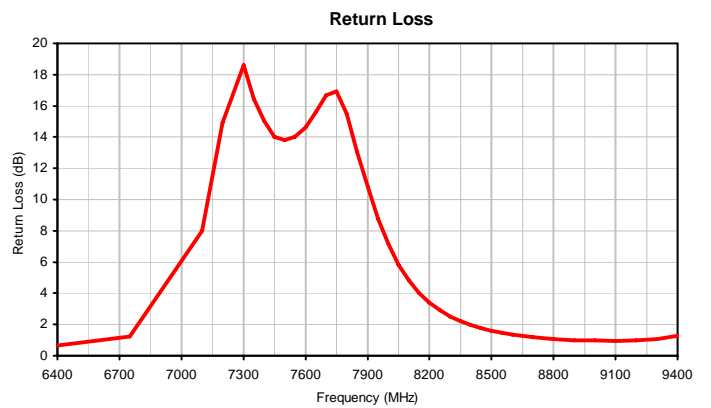
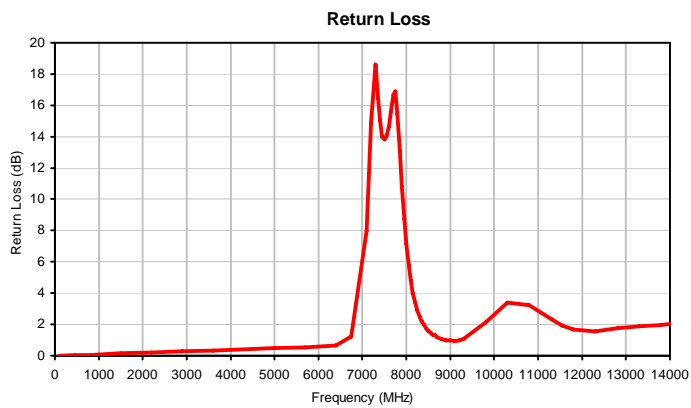
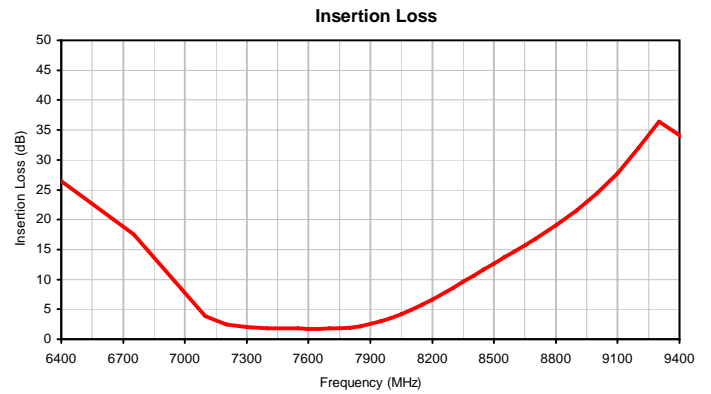
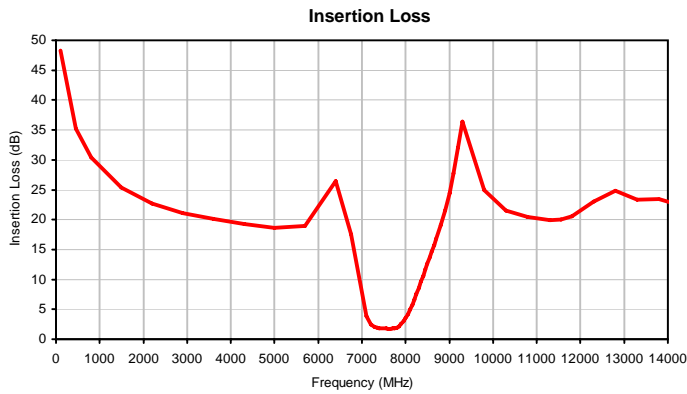
Frequency (MHz)	Insertion Loss (dB)	VSWR (:1)
100.00	48.31	1737.18
450.00	35.27	579.06
800.00	30.38	289.53
1150.00	27.40	157.93
2550.00	21.79	69.49
5000.00	18.65	34.07
6050.00	20.33	31.03
6750.00	17.53	14.38
7100.00	3.86	2.33
7500.00	1.80	1.51
7900.00	2.52	1.81
10050.00	22.70	6.15
11050.00	20.08	6.21
12050.00	21.56	11.17
14050.00	22.86	8.51



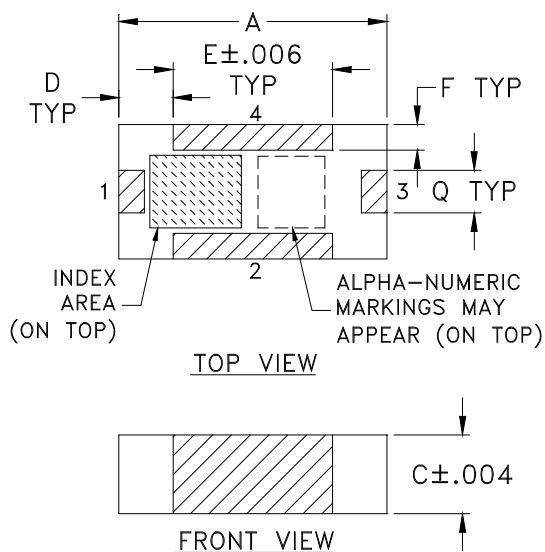
## Typical Performance Data

FREQUENCY (MHz)	INSERTION LOSS (dB)	RETURN LOSS (dB)	FREQUENCY (MHz)	GROUP DELAY (ns)
100.0	48.31	0.01	100.0	0.25
450.0	35.27	0.03	450.0	0.25
800.0	30.38	0.06	800.0	0.25
1500.0	25.34	0.15	1500.0	0.25
2200.0	22.67	0.22	2200.0	0.25
2900.0	21.10	0.27	2900.0	0.24
3600.0	20.09	0.33	3600.0	0.24
4300.0	19.28	0.42	4300.0	0.24
5000.0	18.65	0.51	5000.0	0.25
5700.0	18.97	0.55	5700.0	0.26
6400.0	26.49	0.65	6400.0	0.22
6750.0	17.53	1.21	6750.0	0.26
7100.0	3.86	7.99	7100.0	0.81
7200.0	2.51	14.92	7200.0	0.83
7300.0	2.00	18.62	7300.0	0.70
7350.0	1.91	16.44	7350.0	0.67
7400.0	1.85	15.05	7400.0	0.63
7450.0	1.82	14.03	7450.0	0.61
7500.0	1.80	13.82	7500.0	0.58
7550.0	1.77	14.01	7550.0	0.59
7600.0	1.76	14.65	7600.0	0.59
7650.0	1.74	15.62	7650.0	0.60
7700.0	1.77	16.69	7700.0	0.60
7750.0	1.83	16.91	7750.0	0.62
7800.0	1.98	15.48	7800.0	0.64
7850.0	2.18	13.09	7850.0	0.65
7900.0	2.52	10.83	7900.0	0.64
7950.0	2.95	8.77	7950.0	0.64
8000.0	3.51	7.17	8000.0	0.63
8050.0	4.18	5.80	8050.0	0.60
8100.0	4.93	4.83	8100.0	0.59
8150.0	5.78	4.00	8150.0	0.53
8200.0	6.68	3.39	8200.0	0.52
8250.0	7.62	2.89	8250.0	0.48
8300.0	8.58	2.51	8300.0	0.46
8350.0	9.59	2.20	8350.0	0.41
8400.0	10.58	1.97	8400.0	0.41
8450.0	11.62	1.77	8450.0	0.36
8500.0	12.62	1.61	8500.0	0.36
8550.0	13.66	1.48	8550.0	0.33
8600.0	14.70	1.37	8600.0	0.32
8650.0	15.75	1.29	8650.0	0.32
8700.0	16.84	1.19	8700.0	0.29
8800.0	19.09	1.08	8750.0	0.28
8900.0	21.54	1.00	8800.0	0.26
9000.0	24.37	0.97	8850.0	0.26
9100.0	27.74	0.96	8900.0	0.23
9200.0	32.04	1.00	8950.0	0.22
9300.0	36.40	1.08	9000.0	0.18
9800.0	24.93	2.14	9100.0	0.05
10300.0	21.56	3.39	9800.0	0.24
10800.0	20.50	3.25	10300.0	0.26
11300.0	19.89	2.32	10800.0	0.24
11550.0	20.01	1.92	11300.0	0.27
11800.0	20.57	1.67	11800.0	0.27
12300.0	22.97	1.56	12300.0	0.20
12800.0	24.84	1.75	12800.0	0.08
13300.0	23.30	1.90	13300.0	0.23
13800.0	23.43	1.97	13800.0	0.18
14050.0	22.86	2.05	14050.0	0.21

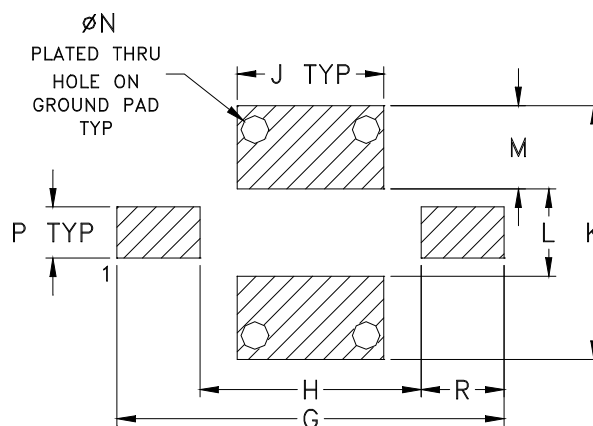
## Typical Performance Curves



### 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
FV1206-4	.126 (3.20)	.063 (1.60)	.037 (0.94)	.026 (0.66)	.075 (1.91)	.012 (0.30)	.182 (4.62)	.104 (2.64)	.069 (1.75)	.119 (3.02)	.041 (1.04)	.039 (0.99)

CASE #	N	P	Q	R	WT. GRAM
FV1206-4	.013 (0.33)	.024 (0.61)	.020 (0.51)	.039 (0.99)	.020

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

#### Notes:

- Open style, ceramic base.
- Termination finish: **as shown below or indicated on Data Sheet.**  
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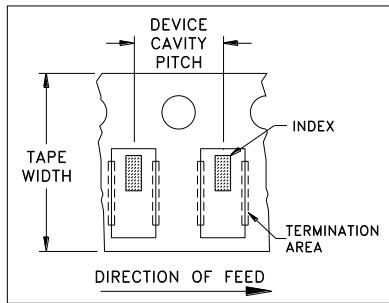


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### Applicable Case Styles

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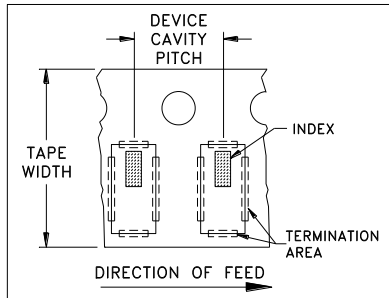


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### Applicable Case Styles

FV1206-4  
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FV1206-6  
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FV1206-9

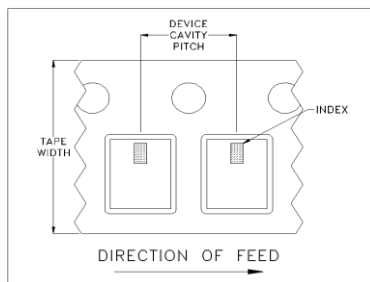


ILLUSTRATION 3

### Applicable Case Styles

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

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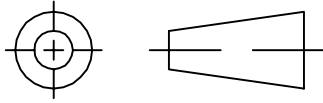
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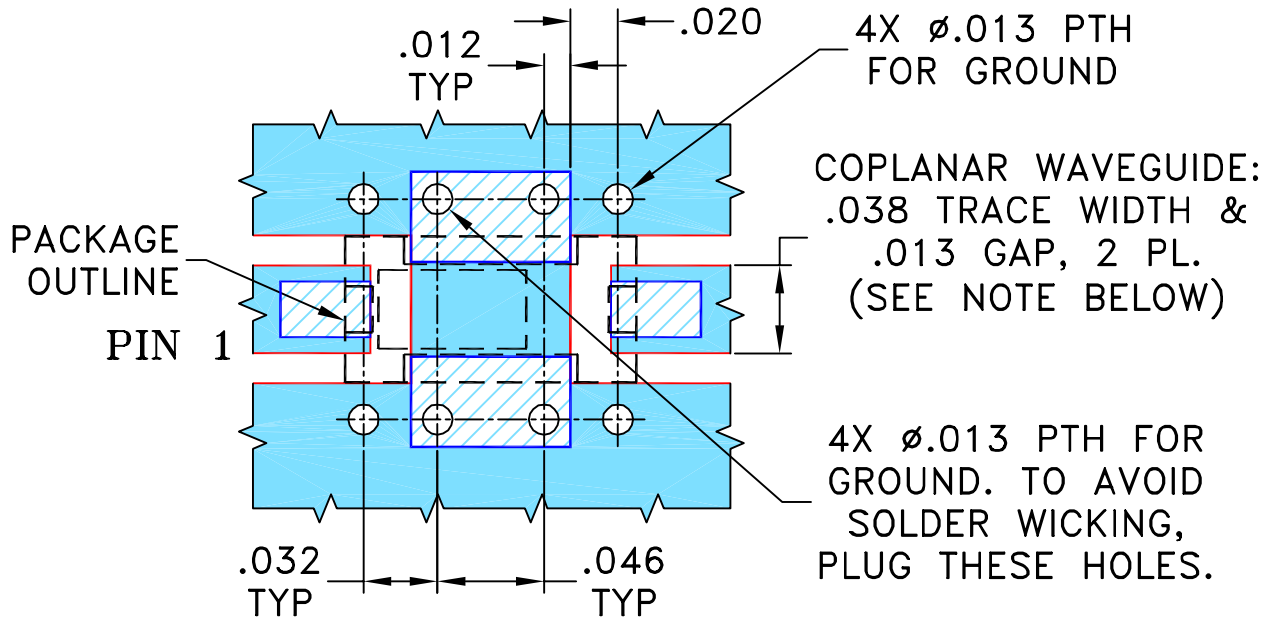
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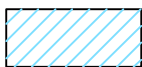
**SUGGESTED MOUNTING CONFIGURATION  
FOR FV1206-4 CASE STYLE, "04FL01" PIN CODE**



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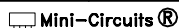
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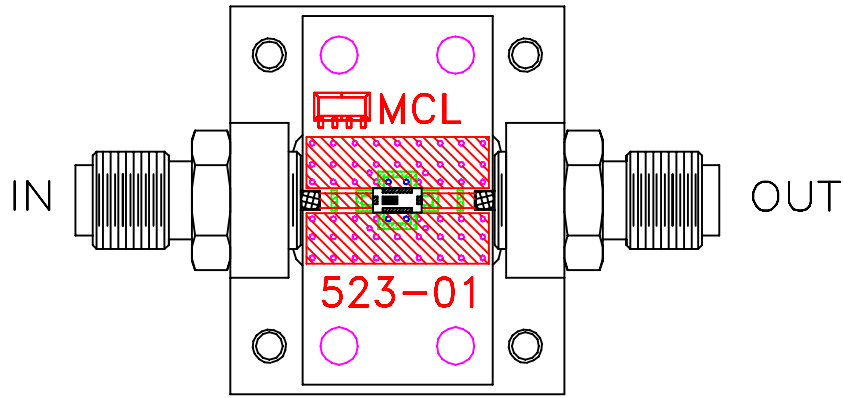
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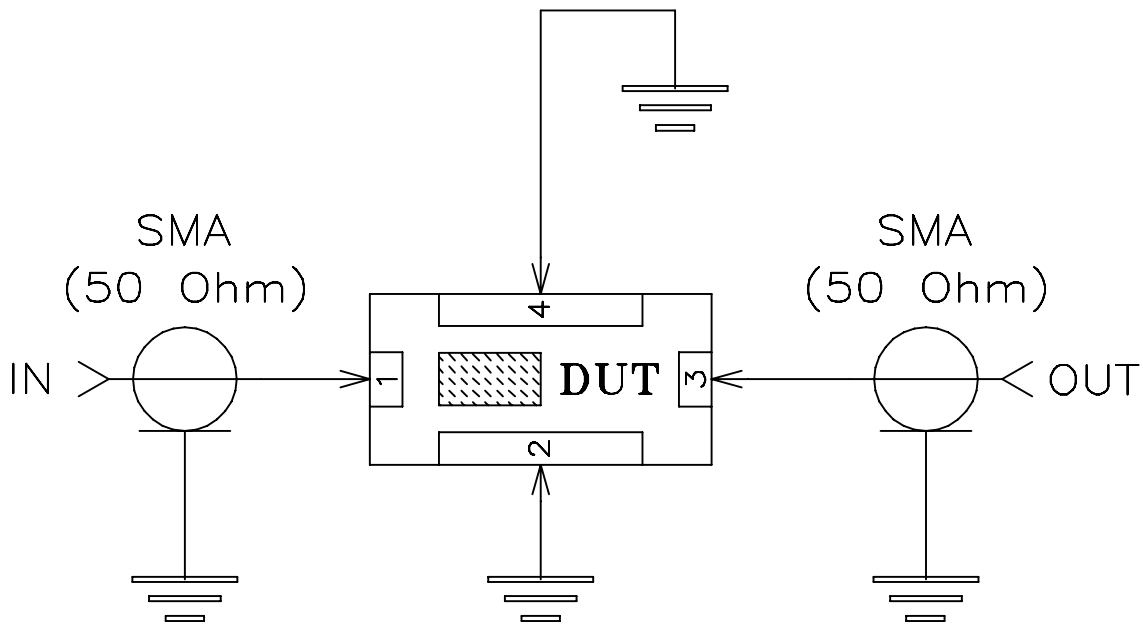
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# Evaluation Board and Circuit




TB-518+



Schematic Diagram

## Notes:

1. 50 Ohm SMA Female connectors.
2. PCB Material: R04350 or equivalent,  
Dielectric Constant=3.5, Thickness=.020 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
Barometric Pressure	100,000 Feet	MIL-STD-202, Method 105, Condition D
Humidity	90% RH, 65°C Units may require bake-out after humidity to restore full performance.	MIL-STD-202, Method 103
Thermal Shock	-65° to 125°C, 5 cycles	MIL-STD-202, Method 107, Condition B
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	100g, 6ms sawtooth, 3 shocks each direction 3 axes (total 18)	MIL-STD-202, Method 213, Condition I