

High IP3 Monolithic Amplifier

HELA-10+

Broadband, 50&75 ohms 5 to 1000 MHz



Maximum Ratings

Heat Slug Temperature	110°C
Storage Temperature	-40°C to +125°C
DC Voltage	+13V
DC Power	7.15W

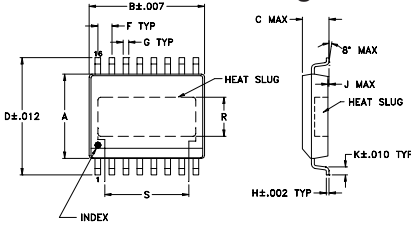
Pin Connections

RF IN 1,2	3,6
RF OUT 1,2	14,11
DC	10,15
GROUND	1,4,5,8,9,12,13,16
NO CONNECTION	2,7*

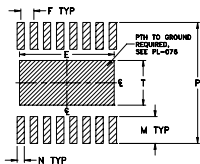
*Adding bias resistors may improve IP3, IP2.
See Application Notes:
Enhanced linearity in the HELA-10 Power Amplifier (AN60-009)

High IP3, wideband, balanced linear amplifier
HELA-10 (AN60-0033)

Outline Drawing



PCB Land Pattern

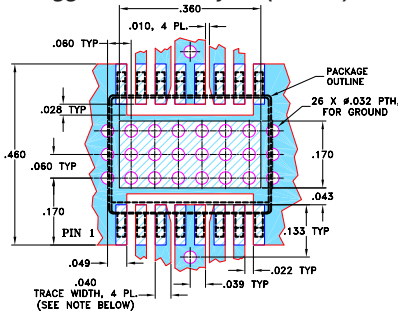


Suggested Layout,
Tolerance to be within ±.002

Outline Dimensions (inch mm)

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J
.295	.405	.098	.406	.360	.050	.016	.008	.004
7.49	10.29	2.49	10.31	9.14	1.27	0.41	0.20	0.10
K	L	M	N	P	R	S	T	wt
.032	--	.102	.028	.460	.13	.34	.170	grams
0.81	--	2.59	0.71	11.68	3.30	8.64	4.32	0.67

Demo Board MCL P/N: TB-16,-17,-30,-45 Suggested PCB Layout (PL-076)



NOTE: 1. TRACE WIDTH IS SHOWN FOR FR4 WITH DIELECTRIC THICKNESS 0.057" ± .002"; COPPER: 1/2 OZ. EACH SIDE. FOR OTHER MATERIALS TRACE WIDTH MAY NEED TO BE MODIFIED.
2. BOTTOM SIDE OF THE PCB IS CONTINUOUS GROUND PLANE.

- DENOTES PCB COPPER LAYOUT WITH SMOBC (SOLDER MASK OVER BARE COPPER)
- DENOTES COPPER LAND PATTERN FREE OF SOLDER MASK

Notes

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Features

- excellent flatness, ±0.4 dB typ.
- very high IP3, 49 dBm typ. at 150 MHz & 45 dBm typ. at 800 MHz
- very high IP2, 88 dBm typ.
- low noise figure, 3.5 dB typ.
- aqueous washable

Applications

- Cellular
- Catv
- Instrumentation

CASE STYLE: CM624

Model
HELA-10+
HELA Kit (see table below)

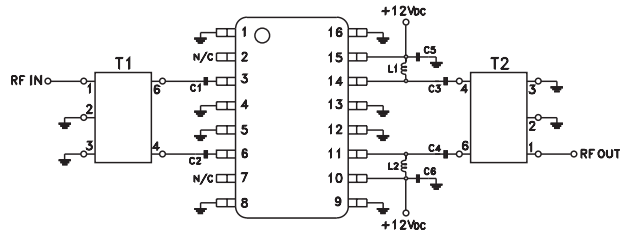
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Electrical Specifications at 25°C

KIT ¹ NO.	FREQ. (MHz)	OHMS	GAIN ² (dB)				MAXIMUM POWER (dBm)			DYNAMIC RANGE		VSWR ⁴ (:1)		DC POWER		THERMAL RESISTANCE ⁵ θjc °C/W
			Min.	Typ.	Max.	Flatness	Output (1 dB Compr.)	Input ³ (no damage)	NF (dB)	IP3 (dBm)	Typ.	Typ.	Typ.	Typ.	Nom.	
HELA-10A+	50-1000	75	9.5	12	13	±0.4	30	26	20	3.5	47	1.22	1.22	12	525	6
HELA-10B+	50-1000	50	9.5	12	13	±0.4	30	26	20	3.5	47	1.22	1.22	12	525	6
HELA-10C+	5-450	75	9.3	11.4	12.5	±0.4	30	26	20	3.5	48	1.3	1.22	12	525	6
HELA-10D+	8-300	50	9.3	11	12.5	±0.4	30	26	20	3.5	48	1.2	1.2	12	525	6

1. Kit consists of HELA-10 plus transformers, see table below.
2. Includes transformer losses at input & output.
3. Open load is not recommended, potentially can cause damage. With no load, derate max. input power by 20 dB.
4. For 75 ohm. For 50 ohm, VSWR increases from 1.2:1 at 1 GHz to 2.0:1 at 50MHz.
5. Thermal resistance is from junction to heat slug. (mounting paddle).

Application Schematic Diagram



APPLICATION CIRCUIT	T1	T2	C1 TO C6	L1, L2	PCB LAYOUT	EVALUATION BOARD
A	ADTL1-18-75	ADTL1-18-75	0.01µF	0.75µH	B14-TB-30	TB-16
B	ADTL1-12	ADTL1-12	0.01µF	0.75µH	B14-TB-17	TB-17
C	ADT1-1WT	ADTL1-4-75	0.039µF	3.3µH	B14-TB-16	TB-30
D	ADT1-5-1	ADT1-5-1	0.039µF	3.3µH	B14-TB-17	TB-45

Assembly Guideline

Reflow solder the slug to the ground plane; PC board layouts for 75 ohm (B14-TB-16), (B14-TB-30), and for 50 ohm (B14-TB-17) are available upon request. Please contact Applications Department or consult our web site.

Amplifier

HELA-10A+

Typical Performance Data

FREQUENCY (MHz)	GAIN (dB) 12V	DIRECTIVITY (dB) 12V	VSWR IN (:1) 12V	VSWR OUT (:1) 12V	Output IP3 (dBm) 12V	NOISE FIGURE (dB) 12V	Pout at 1dB Comp. (dBm) 12V
25.0	11.42	5.45	1.40	1.25	47.32	4.97	29.62
50.0	11.53	5.35	1.22	1.12	50.41	3.40	29.95
75.0	11.55	5.35	1.17	1.09	51.35	3.11	30.06
100.0	11.55	5.34	1.15	1.07	48.17	2.99	30.11
200.0	11.48	5.55	1.13	1.10	47.74	2.97	30.32
300.0	11.39	5.79	1.10	1.16	47.94	3.02	30.59
400.0	11.37	5.94	1.10	1.16	51.73	3.08	30.74
500.0	11.36	6.13	1.15	1.08	51.38	3.15	30.80
600.0	11.32	6.48	1.18	1.08	52.30	3.27	30.57
700.0	11.21	6.85	1.15	1.19	50.93	3.35	30.09
800.0	10.97	7.45	1.05	1.23	51.14	3.48	29.58
900.0	10.87	7.85	1.16	1.27	49.68	3.61	29.26
1000.0	10.39	8.98	1.50	1.40	49.64	3.77	28.93

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Amplifier

HELA-10B+

Typical Performance Data

FREQUENCY (MHz)	GAIN (dB) 12V	DIRECTIVITY (dB) 12V	VSWR IN (:1) 12V	VSWR OUT (:1) 12V	Output IP3 (dBm) 12V	NOISE FIGURE (dB) 12V	Pout at 1dB Comp. (dBm) 12V
25.0	10.85	6.52	2.06	2.01	47.75	5.82	29.04
50.0	11.01	6.31	1.90	1.91	48.18	3.90	29.21
75.0	11.06	6.21	1.82	1.85	48.33	3.39	29.39
100.0	11.11	6.14	1.75	1.78	48.01	3.35	29.51
200.0	11.24	5.93	1.40	1.45	48.63	3.00	29.84
300.0	11.25	5.97	1.12	1.22	51.06	2.99	31.04
400.0	11.12	6.33	1.25	1.31	52.42	3.18	31.09
500.0	11.00	6.71	1.40	1.47	52.36	3.16	31.14
600.0	10.97	6.93	1.40	1.48	50.71	3.37	30.66
700.0	10.94	7.18	1.25	1.33	49.95	3.61	30.16
800.0	10.78	7.72	1.11	1.20	48.46	3.65	29.51
900.0	10.76	8.02	1.16	1.19	47.83	3.67	29.04
1000.0	10.66	8.53	1.23	1.24	47.03	3.77	28.41

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Amplifier

HELA-10C+

Typical Performance Data

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3.0	9.75	3.91	3.13	1.97	47.17	-	28.66
4.0	10.67	3.62	2.50	1.59	48.48	-	29.07
5.0	11.06	3.79	2.14	1.42	48.90	-	29.59
6.0	11.26	3.99	1.93	1.33	49.49	-	29.70
7.0	11.37	4.21	1.80	1.27	50.24	-	29.84
8.0	11.44	4.35	1.70	1.24	49.99	-	29.96
9.0	11.48	4.49	1.63	1.21	51.10	-	30.07
10.0	11.50	4.62	1.58	1.19	50.49	9.12	30.23
100.0	11.38	5.65	1.37	1.13	47.90	3.12	30.57
200.0	11.12	6.11	1.41	1.12	47.48	3.17	30.44
300.0	10.92	6.57	1.42	1.11	46.65	3.28	30.16
400.0	10.73	6.91	1.41	1.25	49.23	3.47	30.27
425.0	10.65	7.09	1.43	1.32	49.49	3.54	30.18
450.0	10.51	7.26	1.47	1.38	50.05	3.60	30.16
475.0	10.38	7.57	1.54	1.47	52.52	3.65	30.14
500.0	10.25	7.81	1.64	1.56	49.34	3.73	30.11
525.0	10.10	8.15	1.76	1.66	49.48	3.85	30.11
550.0	9.95	8.43	1.90	1.74	49.42	3.91	30.08
575.0	9.79	8.87	2.07	1.83	50.70	4.06	29.99
600.0	9.63	9.28	2.28	1.91	50.22	4.16	29.93

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Amplifier

HELA-10D+

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8.0	11.02	5.35	1.61	1.17	49.55	9.45	30.33
9.0	11.08	5.42	1.53	1.14	50.52	9.45	30.47
10.0	11.12	5.47	1.46	1.12	50.32	9.45	30.64
20.0	11.23	5.76	1.20	1.04	54.14	5.71	30.67
40.0	11.20	5.96	1.09	1.02	49.97	3.90	30.66
60.0	11.15	6.08	1.07	1.04	50.12	3.33	30.60
80.0	11.11	6.18	1.09	1.07	50.40	3.34	30.56
100.0	11.06	6.27	1.12	1.11	50.12	3.31	30.43
120.0	11.02	6.37	1.17	1.16	50.40	3.16	30.35
140.0	10.97	6.48	1.22	1.21	52.09	3.29	30.29
160.0	10.91	6.59	1.28	1.27	51.37	3.28	30.25
180.0	10.85	6.73	1.35	1.34	51.53	3.23	30.28
200.0	10.77	6.89	1.43	1.42	50.23	3.39	30.48
220.0	10.68	7.09	1.52	1.50	51.43	3.47	30.46
240.0	10.58	7.31	1.61	1.59	53.43	3.40	30.45
260.0	10.45	7.58	1.71	1.70	53.36	3.57	30.37
280.0	10.33	7.84	1.81	1.80	52.58	3.72	30.42
300.0	10.21	8.10	1.93	1.90	50.64	3.67	30.32
400.0	9.43	9.74	2.46	2.44	52.58	3.97	30.04
450.0	9.07	10.54	2.68	2.65	52.11	4.01	29.79
500.0	8.76	11.22	2.84	2.78	51.68	4.18	29.46

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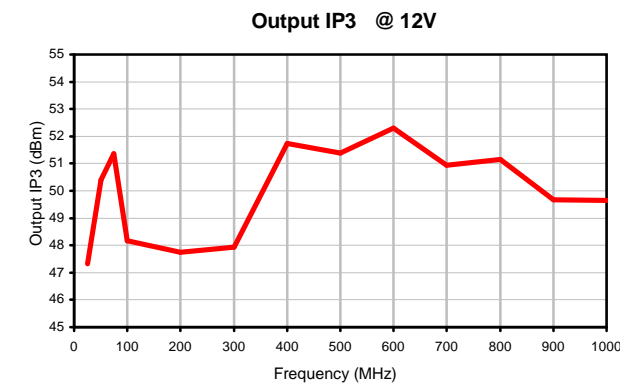
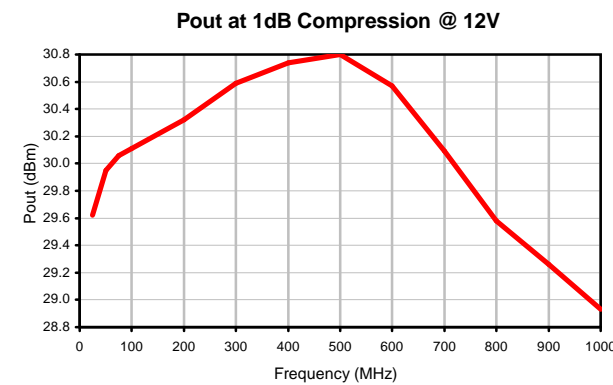
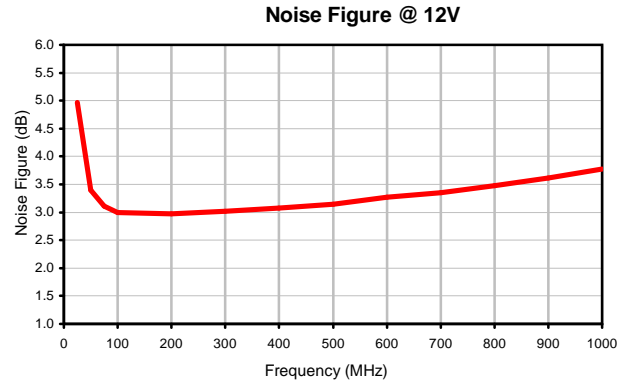
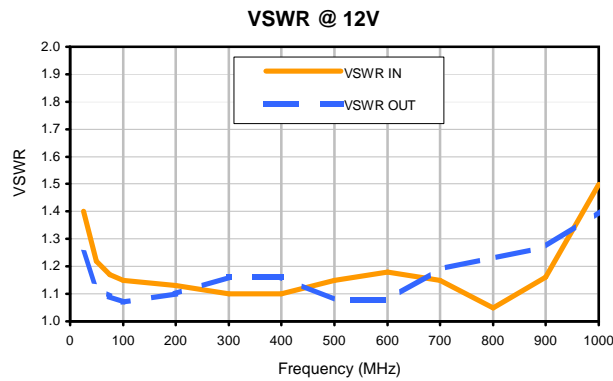
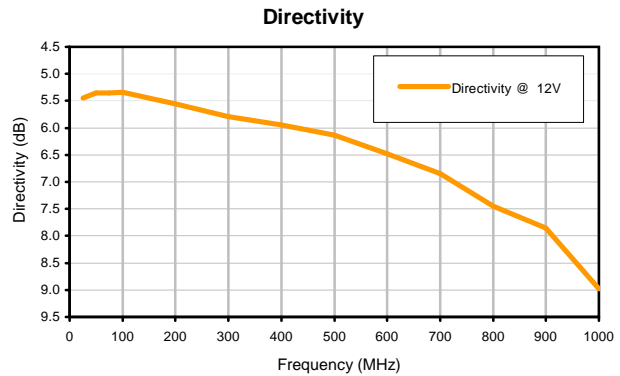
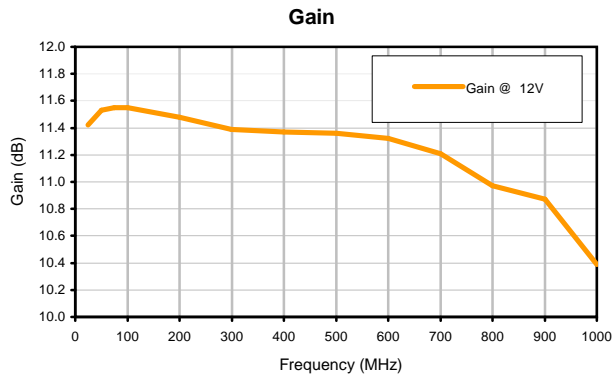
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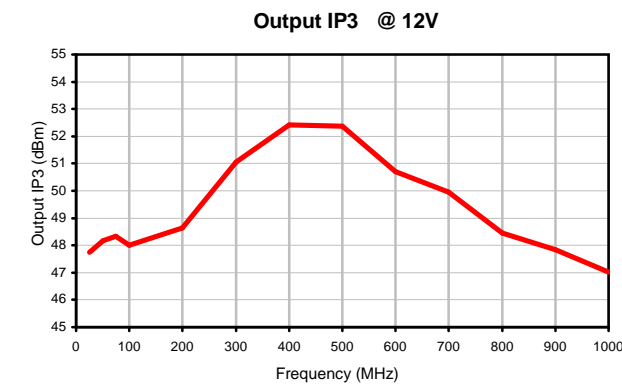
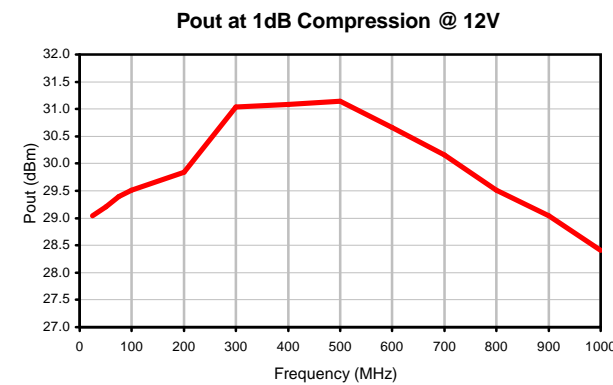
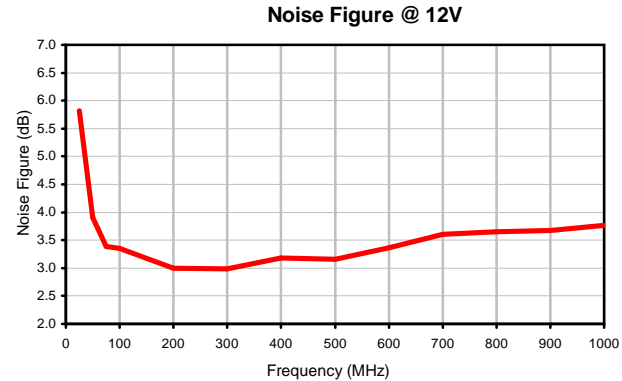
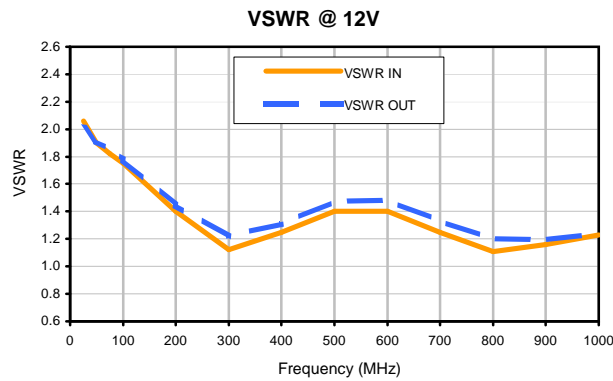
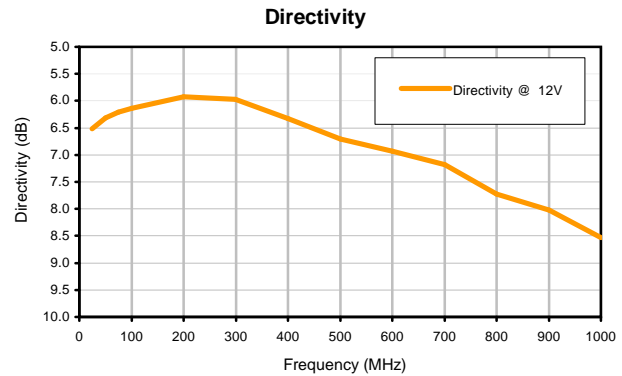
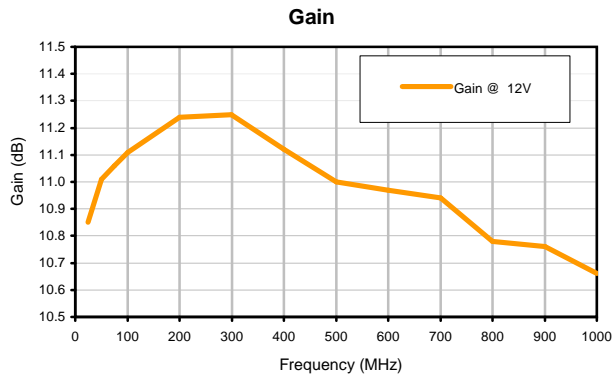
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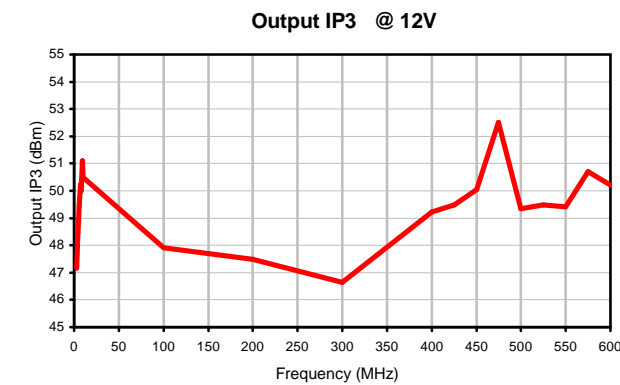
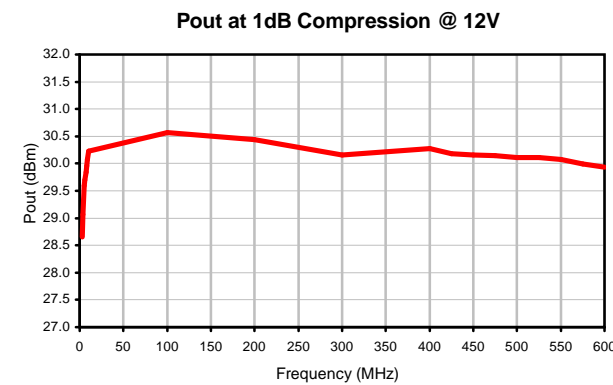
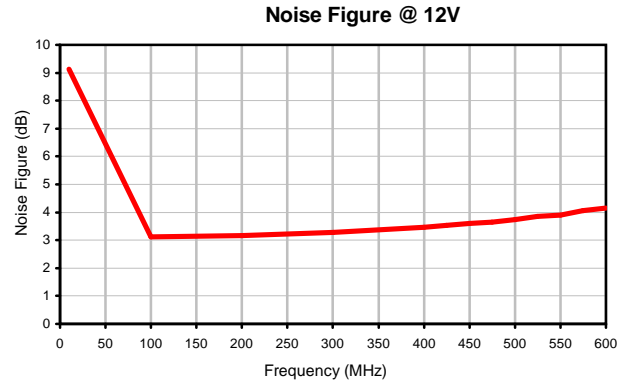
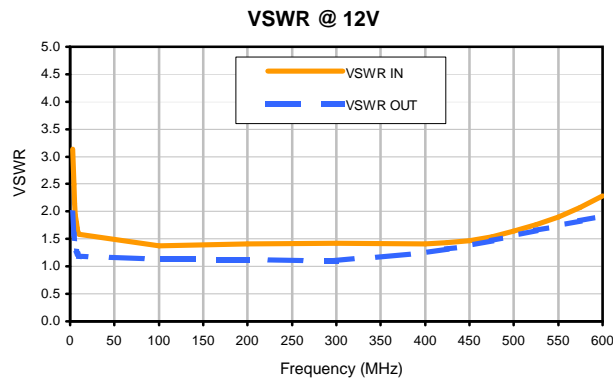
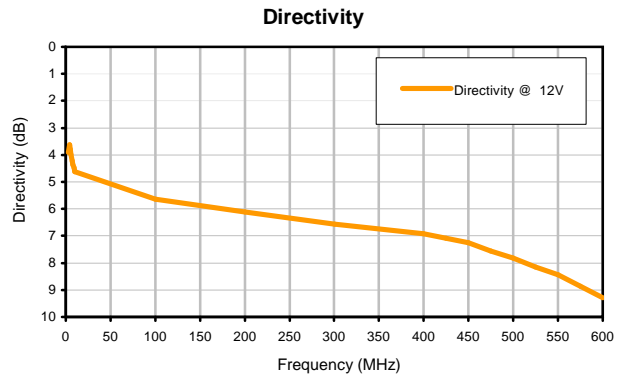
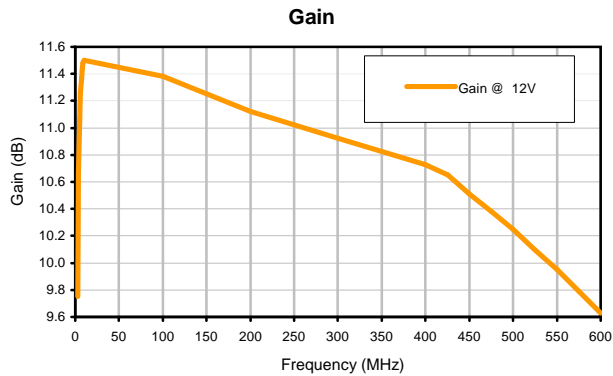
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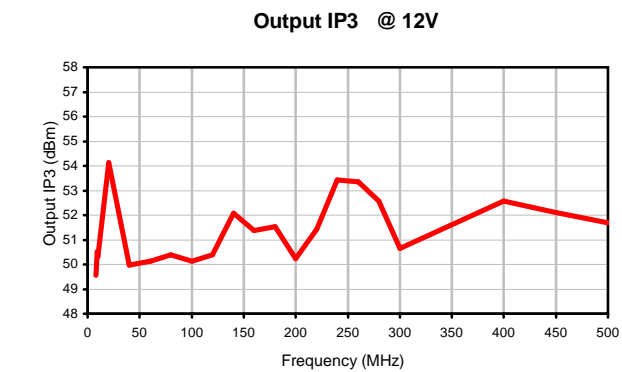
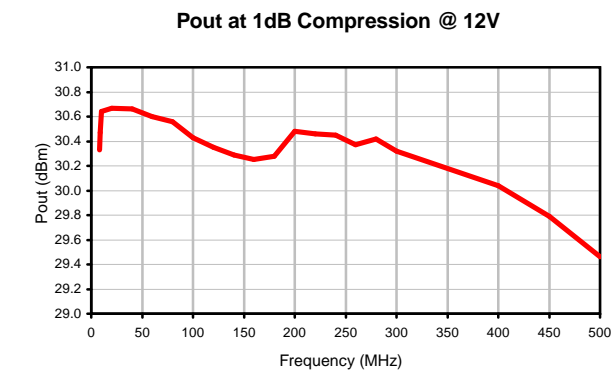
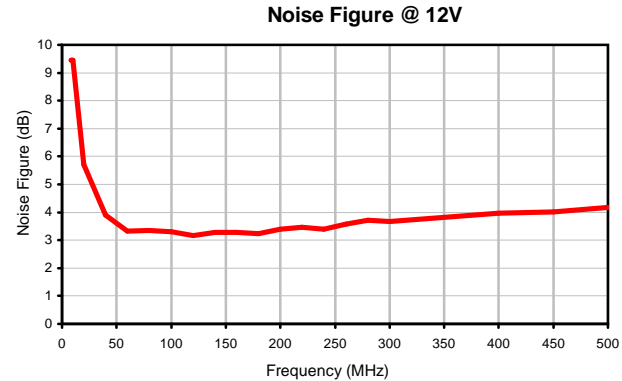
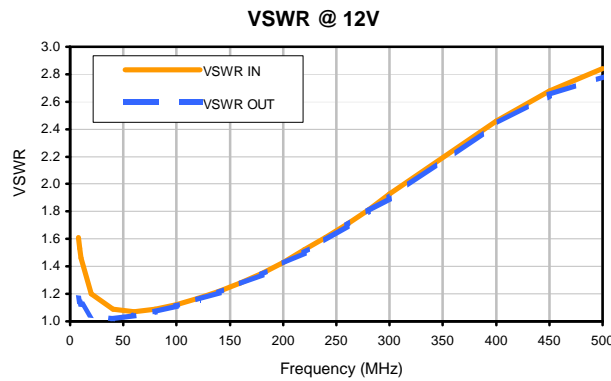
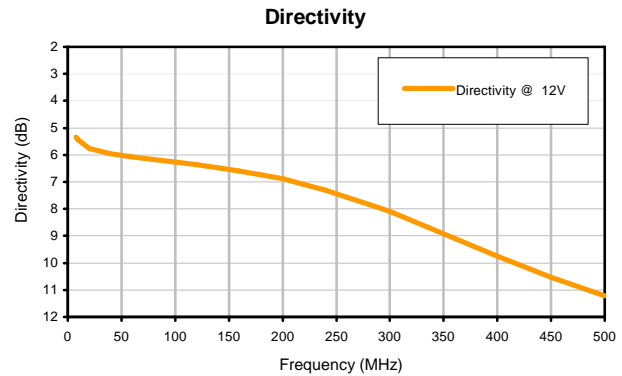
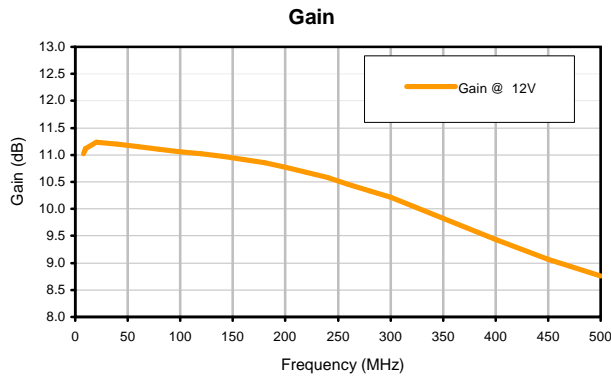
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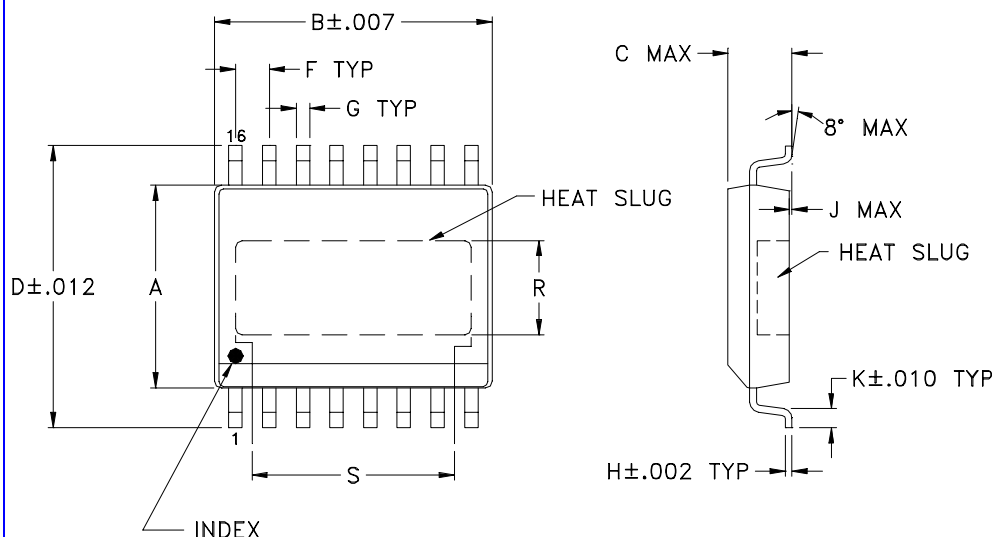
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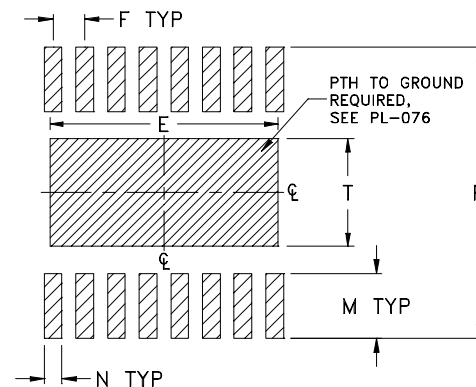
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Outline Dimensions



PCB Land Pattern



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

CASE #	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K
CM624	.295 (7.49)	.405 (10.29)	.098 (2.49)	.406 (10.31)	.360 (9.14)	.050 (1.27)	.016 (0.41)	.008 (0.20)	.004 (0.10)	.032 (0.81)

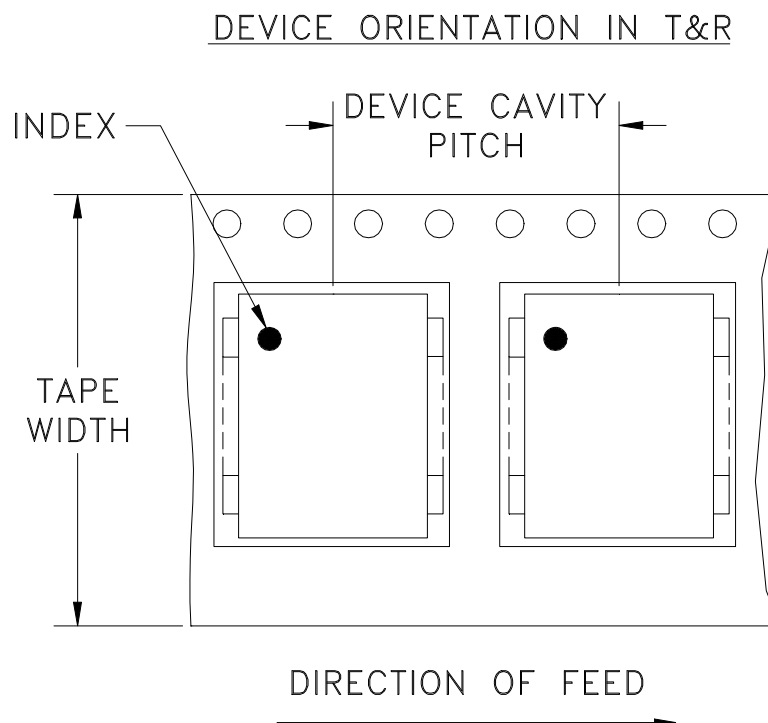
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CM624	--	.102 (2.59)	.028 (0.71)	.460 (11.68)	.13 (3.30)	.34 (8.64)	.170 (4.32)	0.67

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

Notes:

- Case material: Plastic.
- Termination finish:
For RoHS Case Styles: Matte Tin plate. All models, (+) suffix.
For RoHS-5 Case Styles: Tin-Lead plate. All models, no (+) suffix.

Tape & Reel Packaging TR-F34



Tape Width, mm	Device Cavity Pitch, mm	Reel Size, inches	Devices per Reel see note	
16	12	7	Small quantity standard (see note)	20
				50
				100
				200
		13	Standard	500
				1000

Note: Availability of small reel quantity varies by model.
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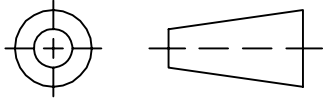
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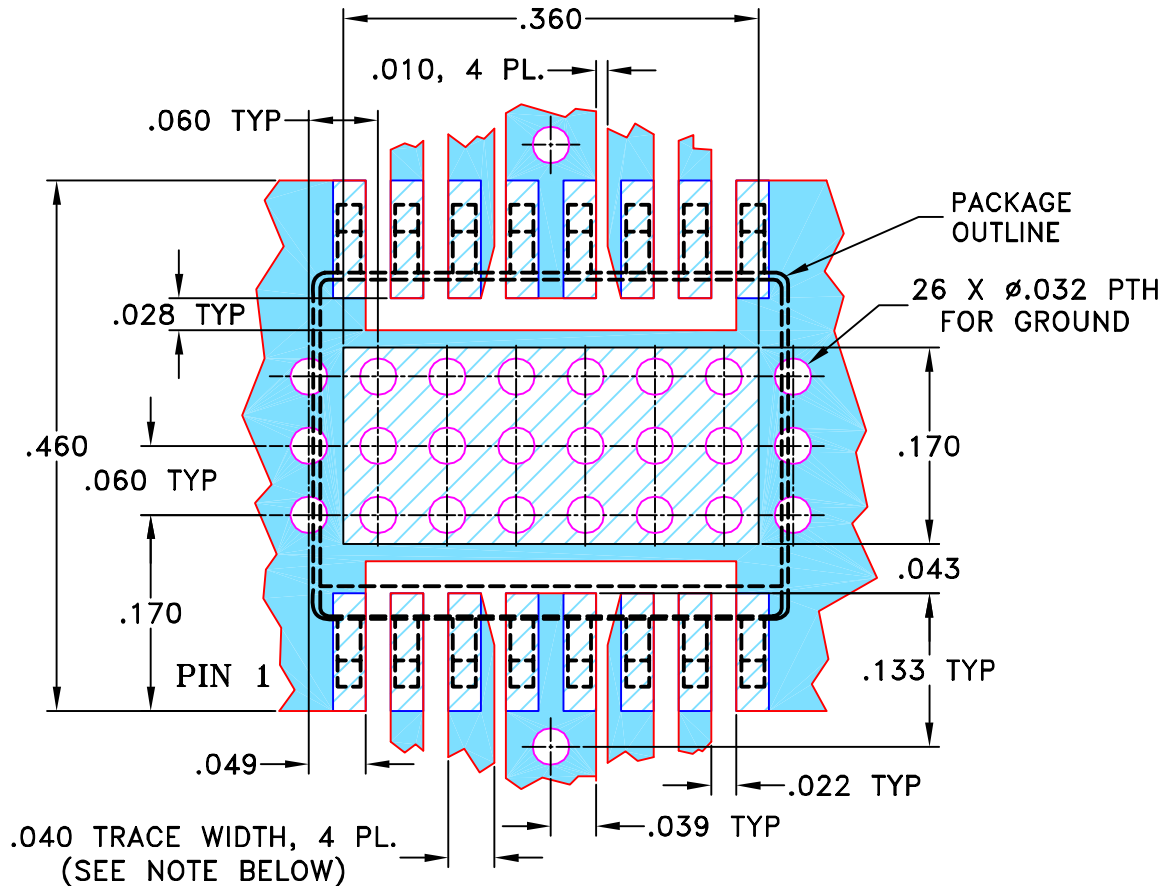
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REVISIONS

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OR	M82272	NEW RELEASE	08/05/02	GF	DJ
A	M91226	MODIFIED DRAWING	02/27/04	AV	DJ
B	M102713	ADDED "...WITH SMOBC"	01/14/06	GF	IL
C	M109323	UPDATED DESCRIPTION	01/16/07	MMG	LC

SUGGESTED MOUNTING CONFIGURATION FOR
CM624 CASE STYLE, "k1" PIN CONNECTION



- NOTES: 1. TRACE WIDTH IS SHOWN FOR FR4 WITH DIELECTRIC THICKNESS 0.057" ± .002"; COPPER: 1/2 OZ. EACH SIDE. FOR OTHER MATERIALS TRACE WIDTH MAY NEED TO BE MODIFIED.
2. BOTTOM SIDE OF THE PCB IS CONTINUOUS GROUND PLANE.

- DENOTES PCB COPPER LAYOUT WITH SMOBC (SOLDER MASK OVER BARE COPPER)
- DENOTES COPPER LAND PATTERN FREE OF SOLDER MASK

UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED	INITIALS		DATE
DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES	DRAWN	GF	07/18/02
TOLERANCES ON:	CHECKED	LC	08/01/02
2 PL DECIMALS ±	APPROVED	DJ	08/05/02
3 PL DECIMALS ± .005			
ANGLES ±			
FRACTIONS ±			

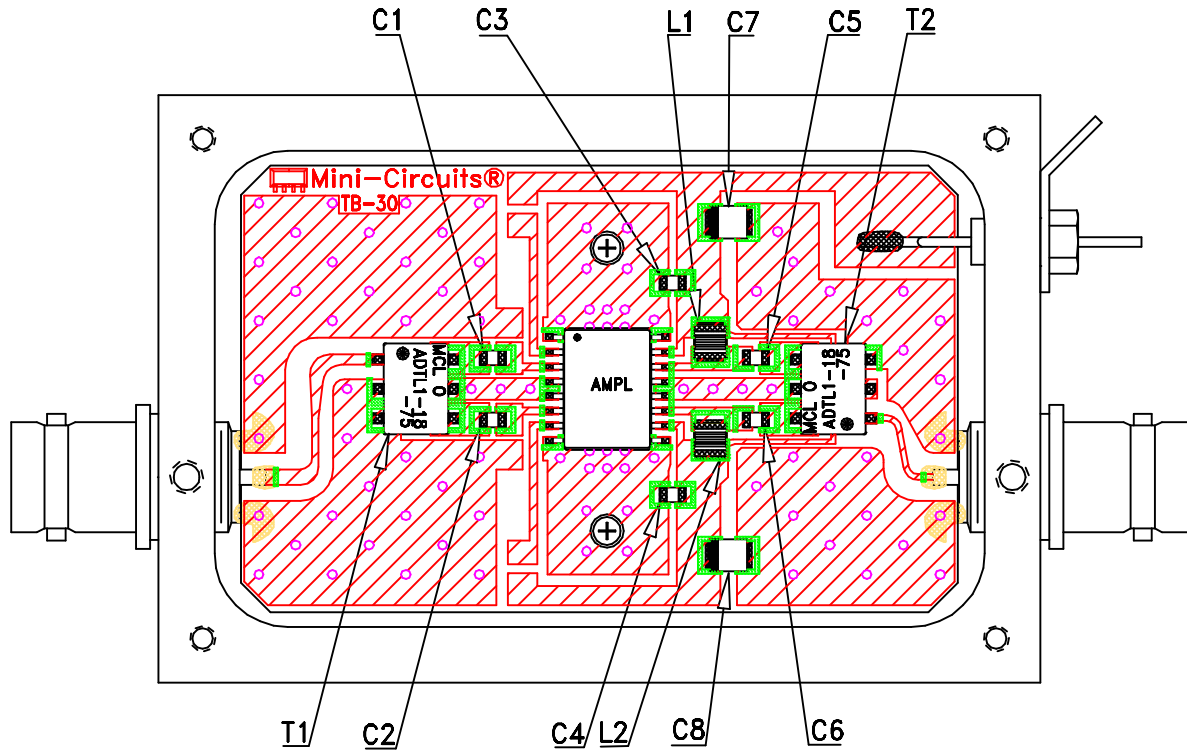
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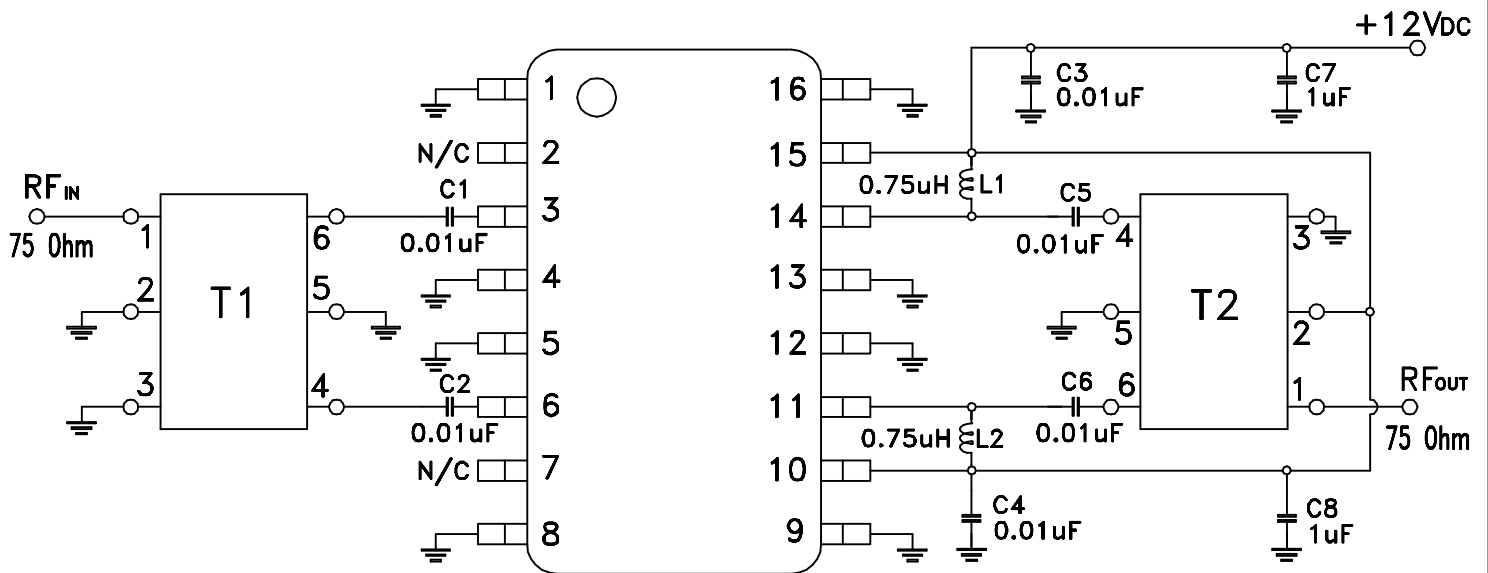
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Evaluation Board and Circuit




TB-16



Schematic Diagram

Notes:

1. 75 Ohm BNC Female connectors.
2. PCB Material: Rogers RO4350 or equivalent, Dielectric Constant=3.5, Thickness=.060 inch.

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Specification	Test/Inspection Condition	Reference/Spec
Operating Temperature	-40° to 110°C Heat Slug Temperature	Individual Model Data Sheet
Storage Temperature	40° to 125° C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
HTOL	Heat Slug =200°C, 168 hrs, +12V	JESD22-A108
Temperature Cycling	-65° to 150°C, 100 cycles	JESD22-A104
HAST	125°C, 85% RH, 96 hours	JESD22-A118, Condition A, except 125°C
Solderability	95% min. solder coverage	JESD22-B102
Solder Reflow Profile	Pb-Free Process: 260°C peak	J-STD-020, Table 4-1, 4-2 and 5-2; Figure 5-1
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
Moisture Sensitivity: Level 2	Bake at 125°C for 24 hours. Soak at 85°C/60%RH for 168 hours Reflow 3 cycles at 260°C peak	J-STD-020
Marking Resistance to Solvents	Isopropyl alcohol + mineral spirits at 25°C; terpene defluxer at 25°C; distilled water + proylene glycol monomethyl ether +	MIL-STD-202, Method 215

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Specification	Test/Inspection Condition	Reference/Spec
	monoethanolamine at 63°C to 70°C	