

Coaxial

# Bandpass Filter

VBF-1525+

50Ω

1480 to 1570 MHz

## The Big Deal

- Low Insertion Loss (2.0 dB typical)
- Good close-in rejection
- Versatile small size, coaxial, 1.43" length



CASE STYLE: FF704

## Product Overview

The VBF-1525+ Band Pass Filter is constructed using internal LTCC Band Pass Filter structure to achieve repeatable performance. Covering 1525 MHz  $\pm$  45 MHz, these units offer low insertion loss and good rejection at the band reject edges. Built using Mini-Circuits proven unibody construction which integrates the RF connectors with the case body, the VBF-1525+ takes very little space and meets rugged test lab system environment.

## Key Features

Feature	Advantages
Good Rejection close to pass band	Provides good rejection of signals close to the pass band, for improved system performance.
Compact Versatile Case (1.43"x0.41")	Enables use in a variety of applications including space constrained connectorized systems. Connectors: SMA Female (1), SMA Male (1)
Rugged Unibody Construction	Mini-Circuits Unibody construction allows survivability in critical applications including militarized or industrial systems.

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### Maximum Ratings

Operating Temperature	-55°C to 100°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to 100°C
RF Power Input*	1.5W max. at 25°C

\*Passband rating, derate linearly to 0.25W at 100°C ambient  
Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.

### Features

- Small size
- Temperature stable
- Rugged unibody construction

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Connectors	Model
SMA	VBF-1525+

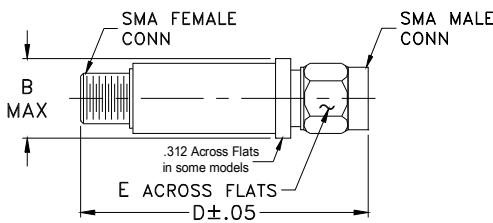
### Applications

- Harmonic Rejection
- Transmitters / Receivers

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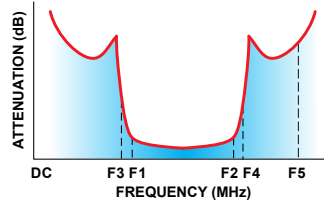
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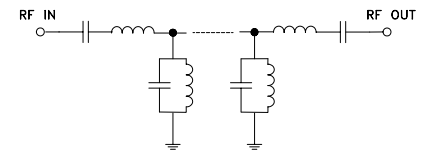
### Electrical Specifications at 25°C

Parameter	F#	Frequency (MHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Pass Band	Center Frequency	—	—	1525	—	MHz
	Insertion Loss	F1-F2	1480-1570	—	3.0	dB
	VSWR	F1-F2	1480-1570	—	2.5	:1
Stop Band, Lower	Insertion Loss	DC-F3	DC-1150	—	20	dB
	VSWR	DC-F3	DC-1150	—	25	:1
Stop Band, Upper	Insertion Loss	F4-F5	2900-5100	—	25	dB
	VSWR	F4-F5	2900-5100	—	20	:1

### Typical Frequency Response



### Functional Schematic

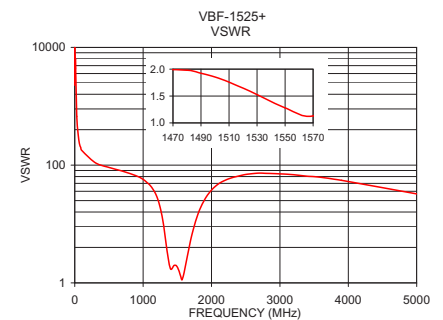
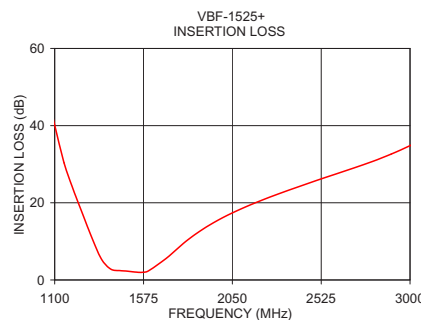
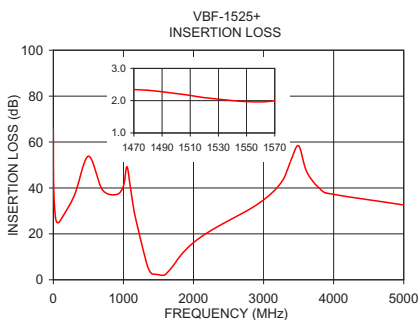


### Outline Dimensions (inch/mm)

B	D	E	gra
.410	1.43	.312	1
10.41	36.32	7.92	

### Typical Performance Data at 25°C

Frequency (MHz)	Insertion Loss (dB)	VSWR (:1)
0.30	65.45	2271.75
300.00	36.71	110.05
900.00	37.14	65.76
1050.00	49.26	51.32
1100.00	40.11	45.74
1250.00	17.00	18.94
1400.00	2.80	1.73
1480.00	2.32	1.98
1570.00	2.00	1.13
2100.00	18.50	47.88
2400.00	24.10	65.44
2600.00	27.40	71.84
3000.00	34.81	71.10
3500.00	58.38	63.85
5100.00	32.14	30.99



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## Typical Performance Data

FREQUENCY	INSERTION LOSS	RETURN LOSS
(MHz)	(dB)	(dB)
0.3	65.45	0.01
0.7	57.88	0.00
1.0	55.06	0.00
3.0	45.43	0.00
7.0	38.17	0.00
10.0	35.19	0.00
30.0	27.12	0.03
70.0	24.89	0.08
100.0	25.83	0.10
300.0	36.71	0.16
700.0	39.24	0.22
1000.0	40.83	0.30
1050.0	49.26	0.34
1100.0	40.11	0.38
1150.0	30.35	0.46
1200.0	23.31	0.60
1250.0	17.00	0.92
1300.0	10.84	1.84
1350.0	5.41	5.10
1400.0	2.80	11.44
1450.0	2.42	9.75
1480.0	2.32	9.67
1498.0	2.23	10.38
1516.0	2.12	11.80
1525.0	2.07	12.87
1550.0	1.97	18.18
1570.0	2.00	24.59
1600.0	2.31	13.75
1700.0	5.74	3.08
1800.0	9.95	1.20
1900.0	13.40	0.67
2000.0	16.19	0.46
2100.0	18.50	0.36
2200.0	20.52	0.31
2300.0	22.36	0.28
2400.0	24.10	0.27
2500.0	25.78	0.25
2600.0	27.40	0.24
2700.0	29.02	0.24
2800.0	30.73	0.24
2900.0	32.63	0.24
3000.0	34.81	0.24
3100.0	37.30	0.25
3200.0	40.39	0.25
3300.0	44.85	0.26
3400.0	52.78	0.27
3500.0	58.38	0.27
3600.0	48.23	0.28
3800.0	39.82	0.30
4000.0	36.18	0.33



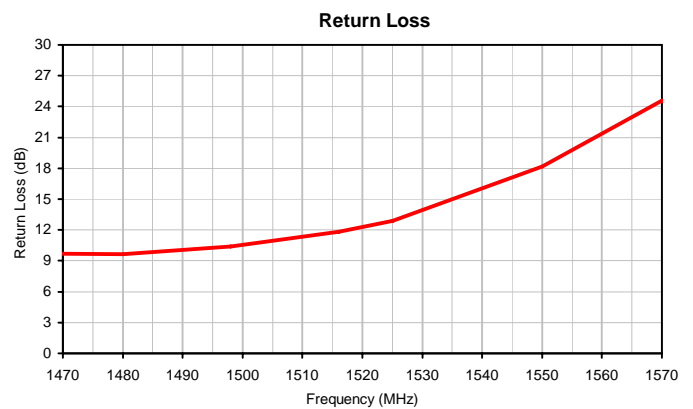
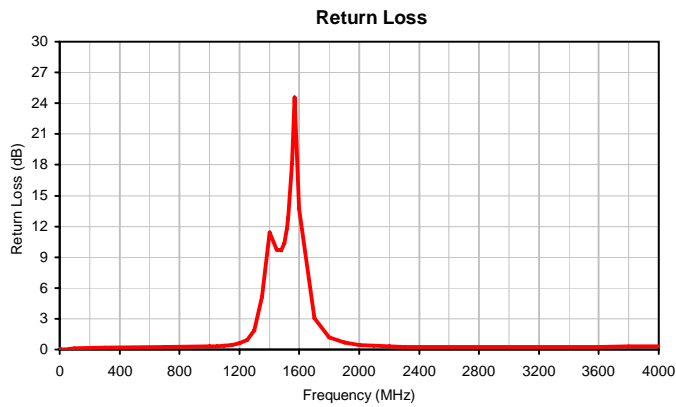
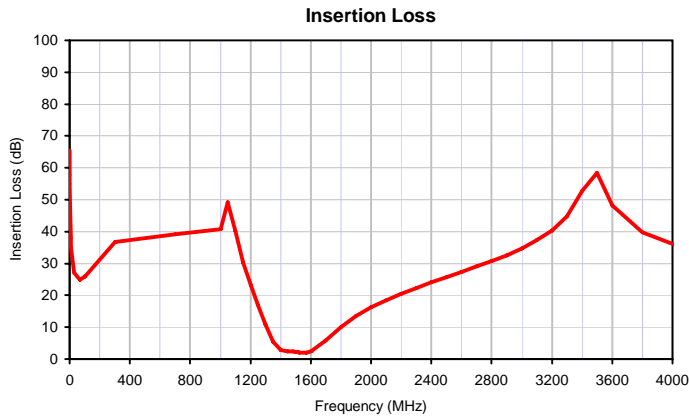
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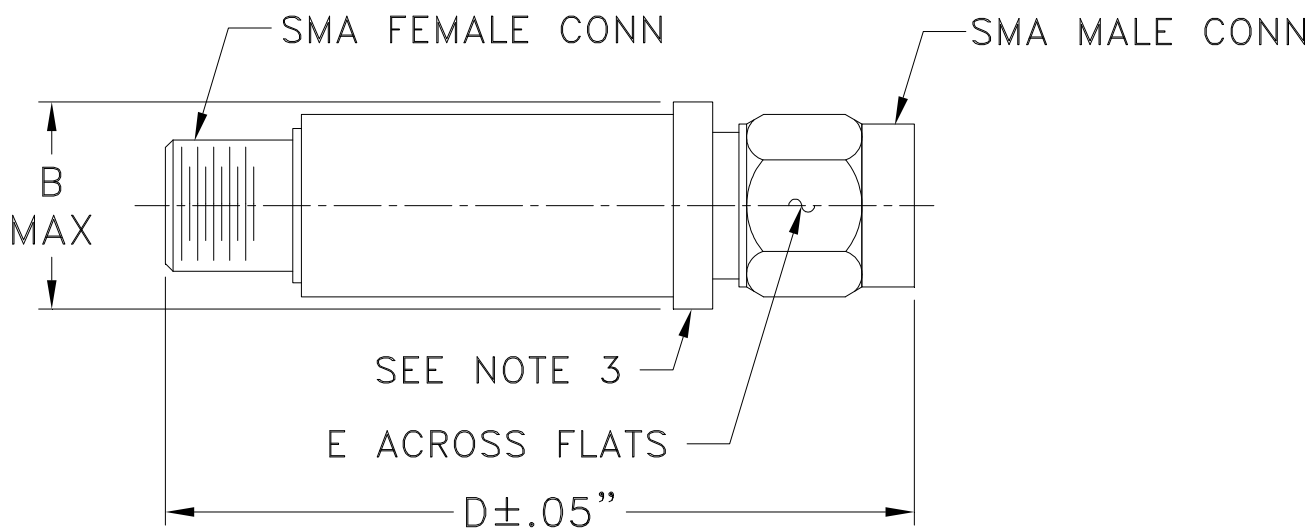


# Case Style

# FF

## FF704

### Outline Dimensions



CASE #.	A	B	C	D	E	WT GRAMS
FF704	--	.410 (10.41)	--	1.43 (36.32)	.312 (7.92)	10.0

Dimensions are in inches (mm). Tolerances: 2Pl. ± .04; 3Pl. ± .030

#### Notes:

1. Case material: Stainless steel.
2. Case finish: Gold plated.
3. Round Flange may have .312 Across Flats in some models.

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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