Coaxial

Low Pass Filter

VLFG-1800+

50Ω DC to 1800 MHz

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CASE STYLE: FF704

The Big Deal

- Excellent power handling, 5.5W
- Temperature stable
- Rugged unibody construction
- Good rejection, 42 dB typical

Product Overview

VLFG-1800+ is a 50Ω low pass filter built in rugged unibody construction. Covering DC-1800 MHz bandwidth, these units offer good matching within the passband and good rejection in stopband. VLFG-1800+ offer low insertion loss, and excellent power handling capability. It handles up to 5.5W RF input power and provides a wide operating temperature range from -55°C to 125°C.

Key Features

Feature	Advantages
Low passband insertion loss	Suitable for high performance application.
5.5W Power handling	Supports a range of system power requirements.
Connectorized package	The connectorized package is easy to interface with other devices and well suited for test setups.

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+RoHS Compliant
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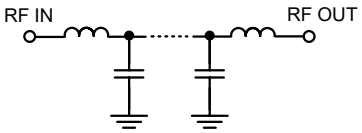
Features

- Low loss, 1.3 dB typical
- Good rejection 42 dB typical
- Excellent power handling, 5.5W
- Temperature stable
- Connectorized package
- Rugged unibody construction

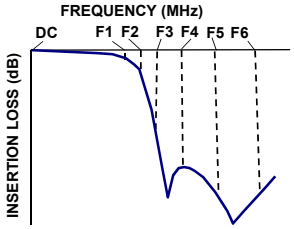
Applications

- Military radar applications
- Test and measurement
- Telecommunication and broadband wireless applications

Functional Schematic



Typical Frequency Response



Electrical Specifications at 25°C

Parameter		F#	Frequency (MHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit
Pass Band	Insertion Loss	DC-F1	DC - 1800	—	1.3	2.2	dB
	Freq. Cut-Off	F2*	2030	—	3.0	—	dB
	Return Loss	DC-F1	DC - 1800	—	18	—	dB
Stop Band	Rejection Loss	F3-F4	2450 - 2900	20	40	—	dB
		F4-F5	2900 - 7000	33	42	—	dB
		F5-F6	7000 - 10000	—	35	—	dB

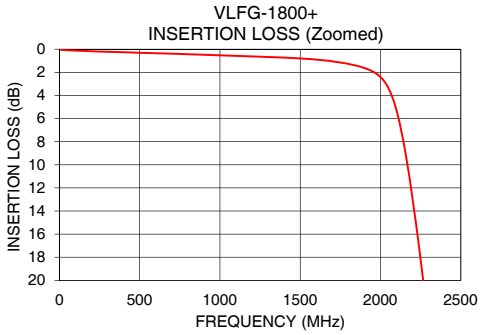
In Application where DC voltage is present at either input or output port, DC blocks are required.
* Typically, a ±5% frequency deviation from the stated value may occur on a unit-to-unit basis.

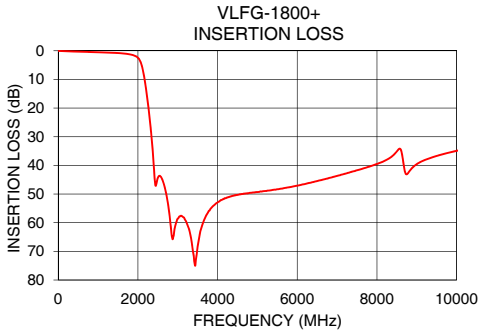
Maximum Ratings	
Operating Temperature	-55°C to 125°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to 125°C
RF Power Input*	5.5W max.@25°C

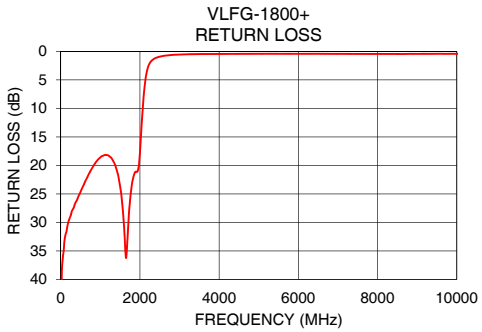
*Passband rating, derate linearly to 1W at 125°C ambient
Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.

Typical Performance Data at 25°C

Frequency (MHz)	Insertion Loss (dB)	Return Loss (dB)
10	0.05	41.30
100	0.12	32.85
500	0.30	24.65
1000	0.53	18.60
1400	0.73	20.50
1500	0.80	23.69
1800	1.27	23.19
2030	2.91	14.36
2050	3.39	12.12
2300	24.25	1.59
2350	31.37	1.33
2450	47.13	1.02
2900	64.37	0.58
3000	58.63	0.55
4000	52.95	0.45
5500	48.33	0.43
6000	47.10	0.43
7000	43.68	0.44
8500	35.11	0.45
10000	34.91	0.43







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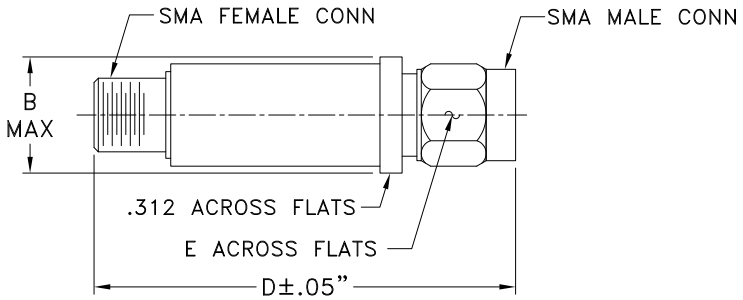
Coaxial Connections

PORT - 1	SMA-Male
PORT - 2	SMA-Female

Outline Drawing



Outline Dimensions (inch / mm)

B	D	E	wt.
.410	**1.43**	**.312**	grams
10.41	36.32	7.92	10

Note: Please refer to case style drawing for details

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Typical Performance Data

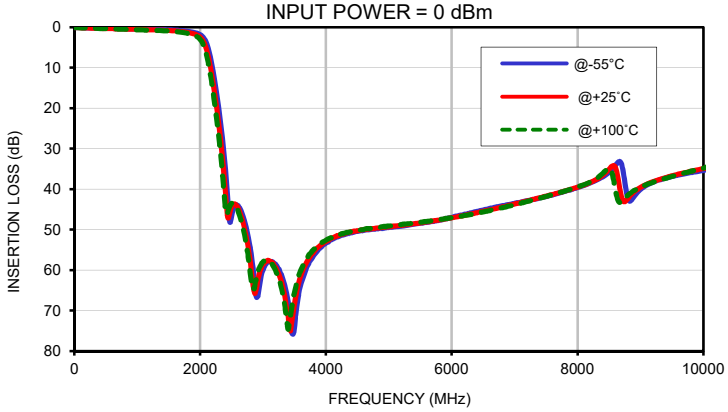
FREQ.	INSERTION LOSS			INPUT RETURN LOSS			OUTPUT RETURN LOSS		
(MHz)	(dB)			(dB)			(dB)		
	@-55°C	@+25°C	@+100°C	@-55°C	@+25°C	@+100°C	@-55°C	@+25°C	@+100°C
10	0.05	0.05	0.07	44.60	41.30	40.38	44.22	42.50	41.26
50	0.08	0.09	0.11	40.48	36.46	33.61	39.42	35.81	33.20
100	0.10	0.12	0.14	34.86	32.85	30.89	33.61	31.84	30.40
250	0.17	0.20	0.22	24.91	28.83	33.37	23.80	26.47	29.19
400	0.21	0.26	0.29	25.73	26.22	29.46	23.46	23.35	24.59
550	0.25	0.32	0.37	23.46	23.83	25.28	21.32	21.12	21.64
700	0.30	0.39	0.44	21.11	21.64	22.35	19.62	19.55	19.68
1000	0.42	0.53	0.62	17.84	18.60	18.19	17.55	18.00	17.40
1100	0.45	0.58	0.67	17.82	18.20	17.71	17.93	18.03	17.36
1150	0.47	0.60	0.70	18.11	18.18	17.70	18.42	18.22	17.56
1160	0.47	0.61	0.70	18.18	18.18	17.73	18.51	18.26	17.62
1170	0.47	0.61	0.71	18.23	18.19	17.76	18.59	18.30	17.66
1200	0.48	0.62	0.73	18.29	18.24	17.77	18.79	18.48	17.83
1300	0.52	0.67	0.78	18.90	18.91	18.69	19.70	19.52	19.16
1400	0.56	0.73	0.84	20.37	20.50	20.84	21.48	21.44	21.70
1500	0.62	0.80	0.92	23.41	23.69	25.17	24.86	24.61	25.89
1600	0.69	0.90	1.04	29.19	30.81	36.78	29.14	28.33	28.47
1650	0.74	0.96	1.13	34.74	36.24	34.32	29.32	27.59	25.82
1700	0.81	1.05	1.23	33.96	31.16	27.91	27.36	25.20	23.18
1800	0.99	1.27	1.51	24.57	23.19	21.81	22.36	20.72	19.32
1850	1.11	1.43	1.69	22.64	21.69	21.18	20.73	19.27	18.29
1900	1.26	1.63	1.94	21.43	21.09	21.18	19.31	18.00	17.18
2000	1.80	2.41	2.97	19.68	17.79	16.51	15.55	13.62	12.47
2030	2.14	2.91	3.65	16.61	14.36	12.79	13.37	11.41	10.22
2100	3.80	5.32	6.74	8.92	7.38	6.42	7.77	6.47	5.76
2300	20.49	24.25	27.39	1.49	1.59	1.70	1.90	2.12	2.28
2450	44.90	47.13	45.17	0.85	1.02	1.16	1.38	1.65	1.80
2500	46.84	44.39	43.52	0.75	0.92	1.06	1.28	1.54	1.68
2900	66.74	64.37	61.62	0.39	0.58	0.72	0.76	0.95	1.03
3000	60.01	58.63	57.97	0.37	0.55	0.70	0.68	0.86	0.93
3800	56.53	55.73	55.04	0.26	0.46	0.61	0.37	0.51	0.56
3900	54.56	54.05	53.65	0.28	0.45	0.61	0.34	0.49	0.53
4000	53.34	52.95	52.63	0.28	0.45	0.60	0.32	0.47	0.52
4100	52.41	52.07	51.90	0.27	0.45	0.57	0.30	0.46	0.50
4200	51.74	51.47	51.30	0.27	0.44	0.55	0.29	0.44	0.50
4300	51.20	51.00	50.82	0.28	0.44	0.54	0.27	0.43	0.49
4400	50.76	50.54	50.47	0.29	0.44	0.55	0.25	0.42	0.49
4500	50.46	50.31	50.16	0.29	0.44	0.54	0.24	0.41	0.48
4600	50.19	50.00	49.96	0.27	0.43	0.51	0.23	0.40	0.48
4700	49.95	49.81	49.73	0.26	0.43	0.51	0.22	0.39	0.48
4800	49.74	49.62	49.51	0.27	0.43	0.52	0.20	0.39	0.48
4900	49.72	49.45	49.26	0.26	0.43	0.54	0.19	0.39	0.49
5000	49.48	49.33	49.10	0.23	0.43	0.55	0.19	0.38	0.49
5100	49.26	49.14	48.97	0.21	0.43	0.56	0.18	0.38	0.49
5200	49.16	48.93	48.77	0.21	0.42	0.57	0.17	0.38	0.50
6000	46.97	47.10	47.05	0.13	0.43	0.74	0.15	0.40	0.56
6600	44.81	45.14	45.35	0.16	0.42	0.72	0.18	0.43	0.60
6850	44.02	44.25	44.43	0.18	0.43	0.69	0.19	0.44	0.61
7000	43.55	43.68	43.88	0.19	0.44	0.68	0.19	0.44	0.61
7150	43.01	43.12	43.29	0.20	0.45	0.69	0.21	0.45	0.62
7300	42.53	42.54	42.59	0.21	0.44	0.67	0.22	0.46	0.62
7450	42.00	41.97	42.03	0.21	0.44	0.65	0.22	0.47	0.62
7600	41.43	41.33	41.38	0.20	0.44	0.63	0.23	0.47	0.61
7750	40.76	40.70	40.72	0.20	0.45	0.63	0.24	0.47	0.60
7900	40.10	40.00	39.97	0.19	0.45	0.66	0.25	0.48	0.60
8000	39.60	39.49	39.50	0.18	0.45	0.64	0.26	0.48	0.60
8200	38.46	38.37	38.23	0.18	0.44	0.67	0.27	0.50	0.60
9000	40.11	39.57	39.54	0.08	0.44	0.75	0.27	0.50	0.53
9300	37.73	37.63	37.77	0.07	0.43	0.82	0.22	0.47	0.52
10000	35.40	34.91	34.81	0.13	0.43	0.74	0.17	0.47	0.55

Typical Performance Data

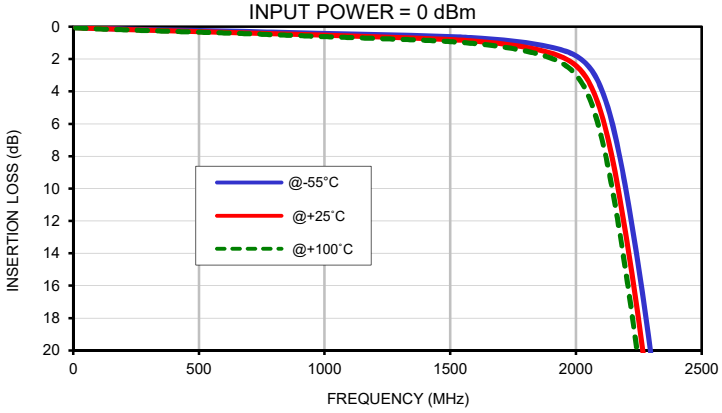
FREQ. (MHz)	GROUP DELAY (nsec)		
	@-55°C	@+25˚C	@+100˚C
10	0.47	0.49	0.48
30	0.47	0.48	0.47
70	0.46	0.46	0.45
110	0.45	0.44	0.44
150	0.45	0.44	0.43
190	0.45	0.44	0.43
230	0.45	0.44	0.43
270	0.45	0.44	0.44
310	0.45	0.44	0.44
350	0.45	0.44	0.44
390	0.46	0.44	0.44
430	0.46	0.45	0.44
470	0.46	0.45	0.44
510	0.46	0.45	0.44
550	0.46	0.45	0.45
590	0.47	0.46	0.45
630	0.47	0.46	0.45
670	0.47	0.46	0.45
710	0.47	0.46	0.46
750	0.48	0.47	0.46
800	0.48	0.47	0.47
1000	0.51	0.50	0.49
1010	0.51	0.50	0.49
1020	0.51	0.50	0.50
1030	0.51	0.50	0.50
1070	0.52	0.51	0.50
1110	0.53	0.52	0.51
1150	0.54	0.53	0.52
1190	0.55	0.54	0.53
1230	0.56	0.55	0.54
1270	0.57	0.56	0.55
1310	0.58	0.57	0.57
1350	0.59	0.59	0.58
1380	0.60	0.60	0.59
1390	0.60	0.60	0.60
1400	0.61	0.60	0.60
1450	0.63	0.63	0.63
1500	0.65	0.65	0.65
1600	0.71	0.71	0.71
1700	0.78	0.79	0.80
1800	0.88	0.90	0.92

Typical Performance Curves

INSERTION LOSS vs. TEMPERATURE
INPUT POWER = 0 dBm



INSERTION LOSS vs. TEMPERATURE (Zoomed)
INPUT POWER = 0 dBm



INPUT RETURN LOSS vs. TEMPERATURE
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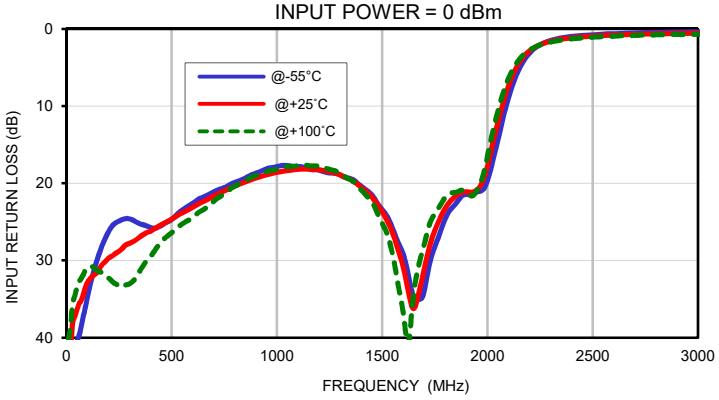

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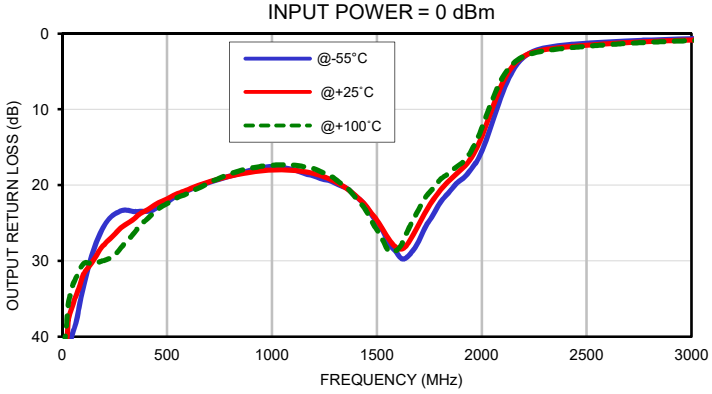

GROUP DELAY vs. TEMPERATURE
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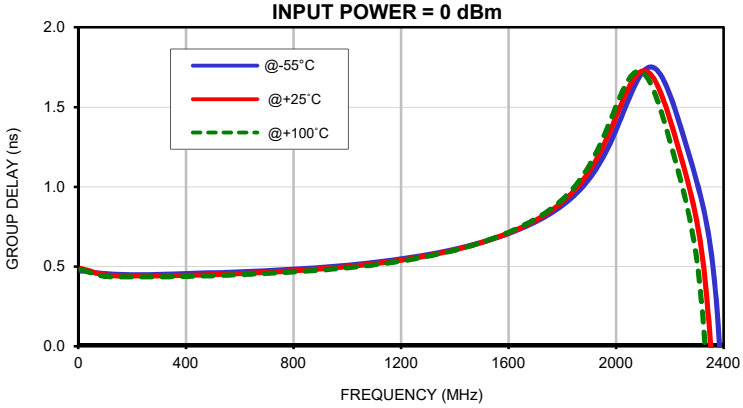

Case Style FF

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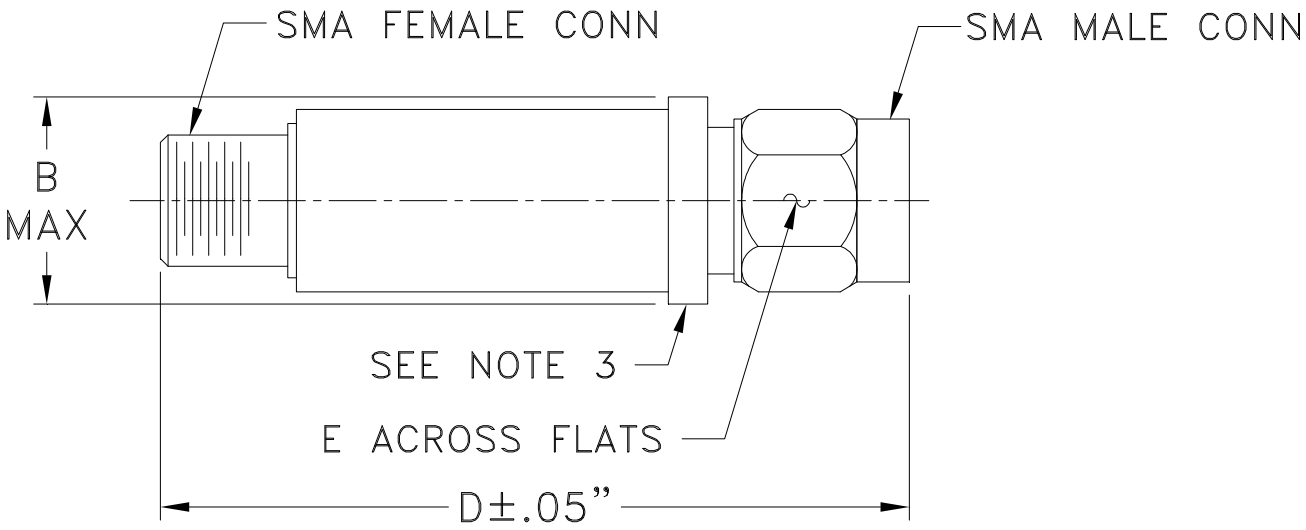
Outline Dimensions



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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Environmental Specifications ENV113

All Mini-Circuits products are manufactured under exacting quality assurance and control standards, and are capable of meeting published specifications after being subjected to any or all of the following physical and environmental test.

Specification	Test/Inspection Condition	Reference/Spec
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
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
Thermal Shock	-55° to 100°C, 5 cycles	MIL-STD-202, Method 107, Condition A, Except +100°C