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High Power Amplifier

ZHL-20W-202-S+
ZHL-20W-202X-S+

50Ω 20W 20 to 2000 MHz

THE BIG DEAL

- High Power, 20 Watt at saturation
- Class AB Amplifier
- High IP3, +45 dBm typ.
- Usable from 20 MHz to 2400 MHz
- Good Gain Flatness, ±2.0 dB typ.
- No damage with an open or short output load while delivering up to 20W
- Shuts off when base plate temperature exceeds +85°C

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Model No.	ZHL-20W-202-S+	ZHL-20W-202X-S+▲
Case Style	BT1689-1	
Connectors	SMA / Solderable pins/D-Sub Male	

+RoHS Compliant
The +Suffix identifies RoHS Compliance.
See our website for methodologies and qualifications

APPLICATIONS

- Cellular
- PCN
- GSM
- ISM
- Lab Test

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The ZHL-20W-202-S+ is a Class AB, high-power amplifier providing 20W saturated power over the 20 to 2000 MHz band, ideal for a variety of high-power test setups as well as applications including communications, radar and more. The ruggedly-designed amplifier provides unconditional stability and built-in self-protection against reverse polarity, excessive drive and overheating. The amplifier's output stage is further protected in the event of a fault condition, allowing high power operation into an OPEN or SHORT load (refer to the maximum input power specifications). Housed in a rugged aluminum alloy case measuring 4.3 x 6.7 x 1.2", the unit features SMA connectors and an optional heat sink and fan attachment for cooling.

KEY FEATURES

Feature	Advantages
Ultra Wideband, usable from 20 to 2400 MHz	Suitable for a broad range of high-power, wideband applications, including test setups, communications and defense applications.
High Gain, 53 dB	Enables signal amplification to 20W output without the need for multiple gain stages.
Built-in self-protection	In instances of potentially-damaging excessive drive current, heat buildup within the housing, unshorting of DC supply, and short or open loads at the output, an automatic sensing feature signals the unit to power down.
Unconditional stability	Provides reliable performance independent of input and load conditions.

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ELECTRICAL SPECIFICATIONS AT 25°C

Parameter	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Units
Frequency Range	20		2000	MHz
Gain[1]	44	53	56	dB
Gain Flatness	—	±2.0	±2.7	dB
Output Power at 3 dB compression	—	+39	—	dBm
Output Power at Saturation	+42	+45	—	dBm
Noise Figure		10	—	dB
Output third order intercept point		+45	—	dBm
Input VSWR	—	2.0	—	:1
Output VSWR	—	3.5	—	:1
DC Supply Voltage	—	28	30	V
Supply Current[2]	—	4	7	A

1. Small signal input power -50 dBm typ.
2. Power Supply should be capable of delivering 7A at start up.

▲ Heat sink and fan not included. Alternative heat sinking and heat removal must be provided by the user to limit maximum base-plate temperature to 85°C, in order to ensure proper performance. For reference, this requires thermal resistance of user's external heat sink to be 0.2°C/W max.

ABSOLUTE MAXIMUM RATINGS[3]

Parameter	Ratings
Operating Temperature	-20°C to +60°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to +100°C
Base Plate Temperature	+85°C
Input RF Power (no damage)	+5 dBm[4] -13 dBm[5]

3. Specifications apply to CW signals only permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.
4. Into 50 ohm load.
5. Into open or short load

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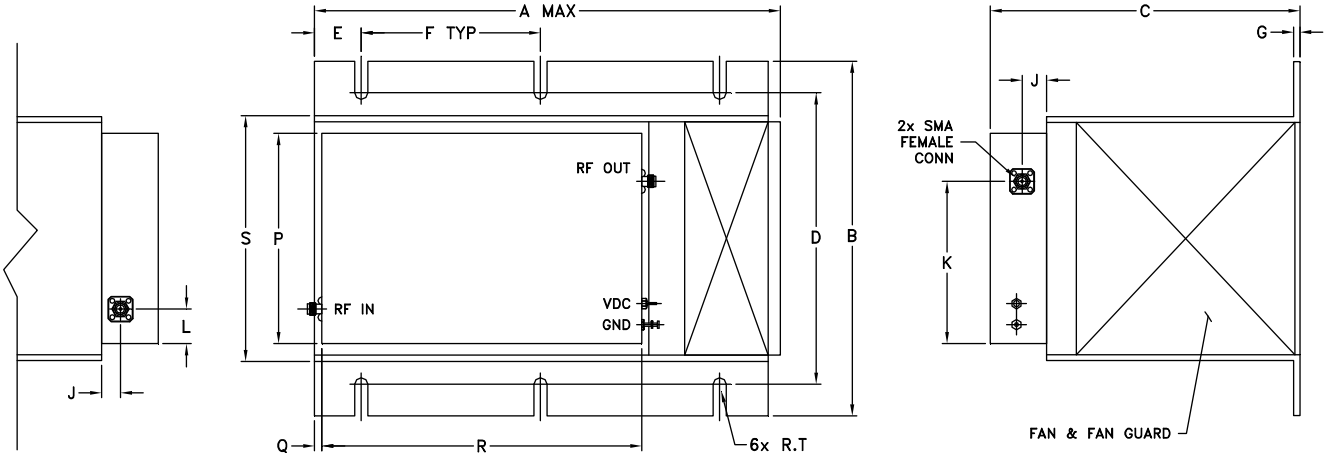
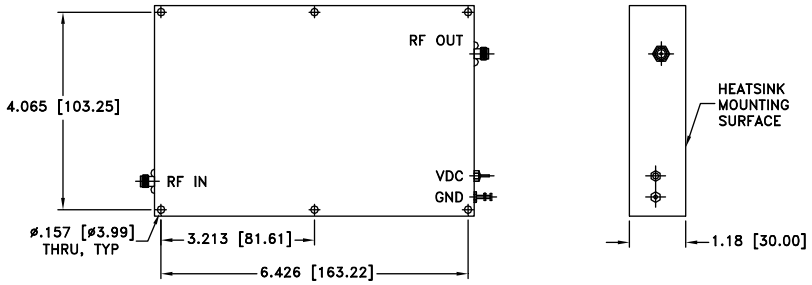
OUTLINE DRAWING FOR MODELS WITH HEATSINK



MOUNTING INFORMATION FOR MODELS WITHOUT HEATSINK



OUTLINE DIMENSIONS (Inch / mm)

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	J	K	L	M	P	Q	R	S	T	wt
9.85	7.30	6.50	6.00	0.98	3.75	0.13	0.47	3.34	0.71	--	4.33	0.20	6.69	5.10	0.14	grams*
250.19	185.42	167.64	152.4	24.89	95.25	3.30	12.00	84.80	18.00	--	110.00	5.08	170.00	129.54	3.45	4565

*880 grams without heatsink

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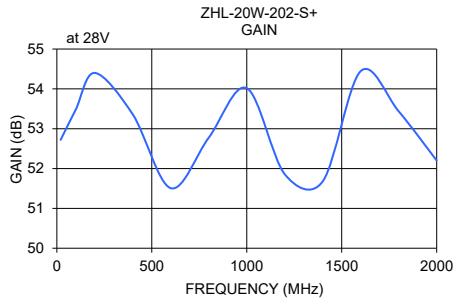
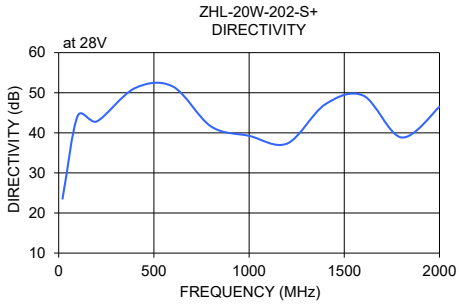
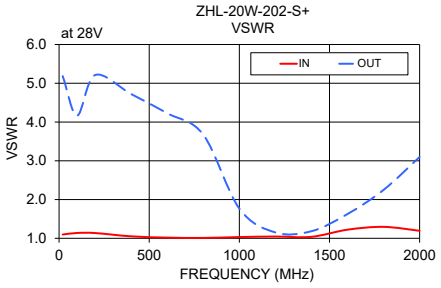
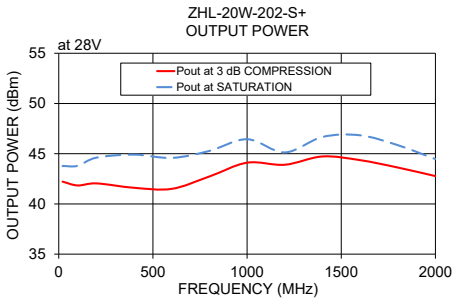
TYPICAL PERFORMANCE DATA / GRAPHS

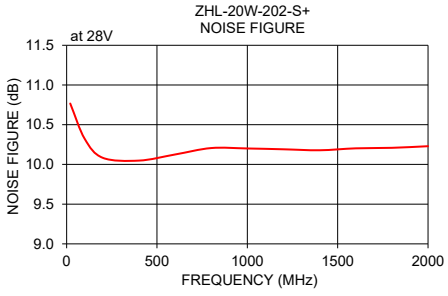
FREQUENCY (MHz)	GAIN (dB)	DIRECTIVITY (dB)	VSWR (:1)		NOISE FIGURE (dB)	POUT at 3 dB COMPR. (dBm)	POUT at SAT (dBm)	OUTPUT IP3 (dBm)
	28V	28V	IN	OUT	28V	28V	28V	28V
20	52.72	23.56	1.10	5.18	10.77	42.22	43.78	48.43
100	53.49	44.24	1.14	4.17	10.32	41.84	43.79	48.05
200	54.40	42.84	1.14	5.21	10.08	42.04	44.61	48.84
400	53.36	51.13	1.05	4.72	10.05	41.61	44.91	48.49
600	51.51	51.54	1.02	4.23	10.13	41.50	44.58	48.41
800	52.78	41.59	1.01	3.67	10.21	42.74	45.28	50.12
1000	54.02	39.25	1.03	1.77	10.20	44.11	46.44	51.41
1200	51.86	37.33	1.05	1.15	10.19	43.90	45.13	52.40
1400	51.68	47.11	1.04	1.18	10.18	44.73	46.67	53.08
1600	54.45	49.28	1.22	1.63	10.20	44.36	46.83	51.56
1800	53.44	38.84	1.30	2.25	10.21	43.63	45.85	50.37
2000	52.20	46.50	1.19	3.10	10.23	42.77	44.47	49.86

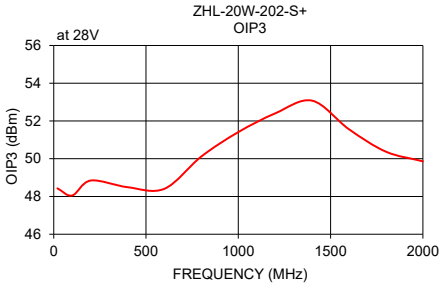












NOTES

A. Performance and quality attributes and conditions not expressly stated in this specification document are intended to be excluded and do not form a part of this specification document.
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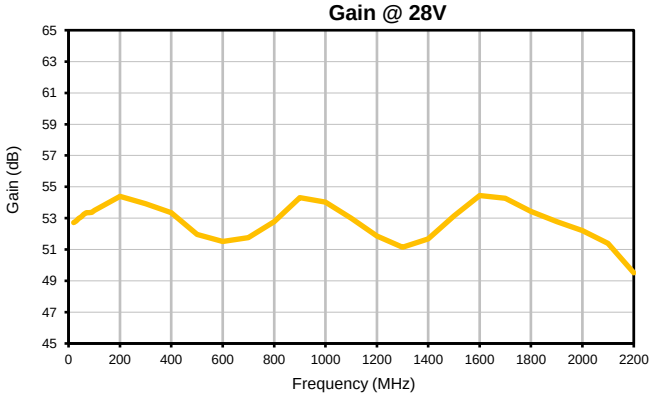
Typical Performance Data

FREQUENCY (MHz)	GAIN (dB) 28V	DIRECTIVITY (dB) 28V	VSWR (:1) IN 28V	VSWR (:1) OUT 28V	NOISE FIGURE (dB) 28V	Pout at 3 dB COMPRESSION (dBm) 28V	Pout at SATURATION (dBm) 28V	OUTPUT IP3 (dBm) 28V
20	52.72	23.56	1.10	5.18	10.77	42.22	43.78	48.43
30	52.82	42.11	1.11	5.05	10.61	42.17	43.53	48.33
40	52.98	37.66	1.12	4.76	10.52	42.09	43.50	48.15
50	53.08	35.62	1.12	4.51	10.48	41.99	43.48	48.14
60	53.24	46.81	1.13	4.19	10.46	41.92	43.48	47.99
70	53.36	47.55	1.13	4.04	10.42	41.83	43.51	48.06
80	53.35	40.28	1.14	4.01	10.40	41.79	43.58	48.17
90	53.36	42.51	1.14	4.07	10.35	41.84	43.67	47.90
100	53.49	44.24	1.14	4.17	10.32	41.84	43.79	48.05
200	54.40	42.84	1.14	5.21	10.08	42.04	44.61	48.84
300	53.92	56.56	1.10	3.88	10.08	41.56	44.62	48.34
400	53.36	51.13	1.05	4.72	10.05	41.61	44.91	48.49
500	51.97	46.51	1.01	3.62	10.11	41.26	44.88	48.07
600	51.51	51.54	1.02	4.23	10.13	41.50	44.58	48.41
700	51.76	41.89	1.02	3.55	10.17	41.40	44.18	48.88
800	52.78	41.59	1.01	3.67	10.21	42.74	45.28	50.12
900	54.32	44.32	1.01	2.16	10.18	43.34	46.14	50.61
1000	54.02	39.25	1.03	1.77	10.20	44.11	46.44	51.41
1100	53.00	44.10	1.04	1.32	10.19	43.29	44.52	51.46
1200	51.86	37.33	1.05	1.15	10.19	43.90	45.13	52.40
1300	51.15	45.43	1.03	1.17	10.21	44.40	46.14	52.87
1400	51.68	47.11	1.04	1.18	10.18	44.73	46.67	53.08
1500	53.15	44.93	1.12	1.42	10.20	44.66	46.81	52.17
1600	54.45	49.28	1.22	1.63	10.20	44.36	46.83	51.56
1700	54.27	42.48	1.29	2.15	10.26	43.54	46.19	50.33
1800	53.44	38.84	1.30	2.25	10.21	43.63	45.85	50.37
1900	52.77	41.67	1.26	2.75	10.31	42.84	44.91	50.17
2000	52.20	46.50	1.19	3.10	10.23	42.77	44.47	49.86
2100	51.38	53.49	1.16	3.55	10.31	43.19	44.14	50.31
2200	49.51	43.87	1.18	3.11	10.31	43.43	44.19	49.53

Typical Performance Curves

Gain @ 28V



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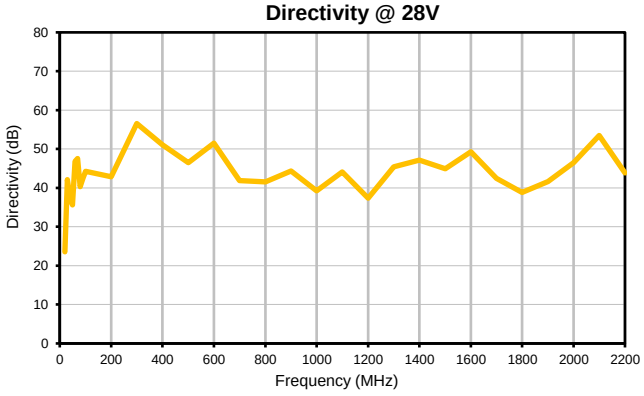

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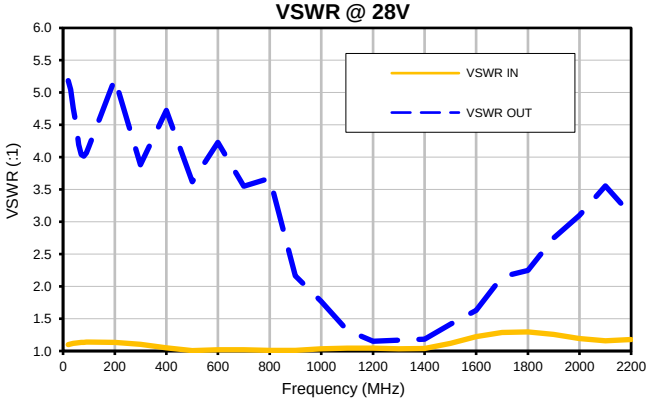

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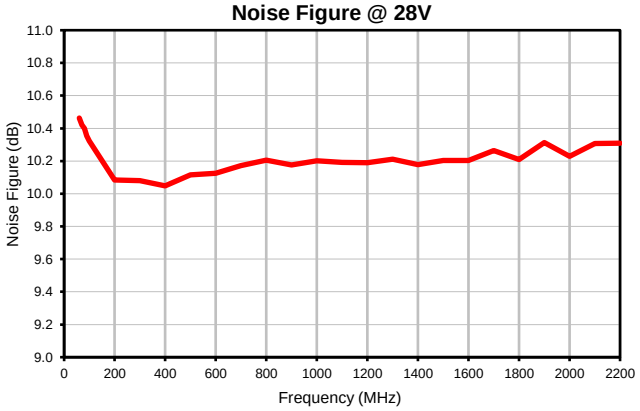

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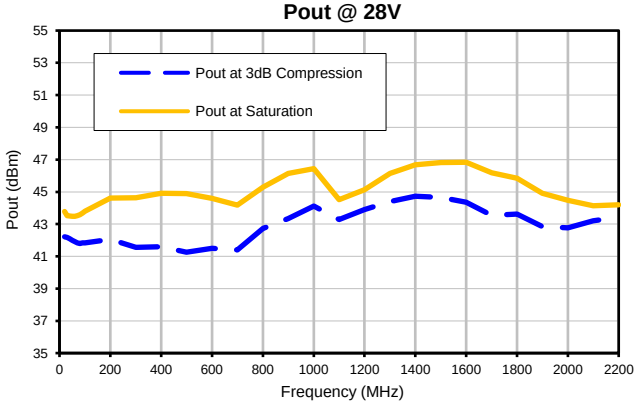
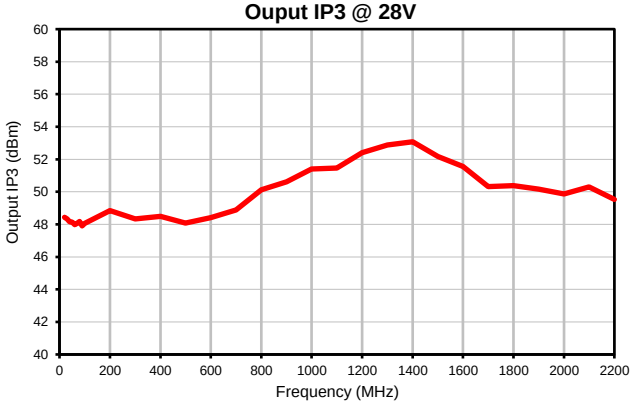


Ouput IP3 @ 28V



Case Style BT

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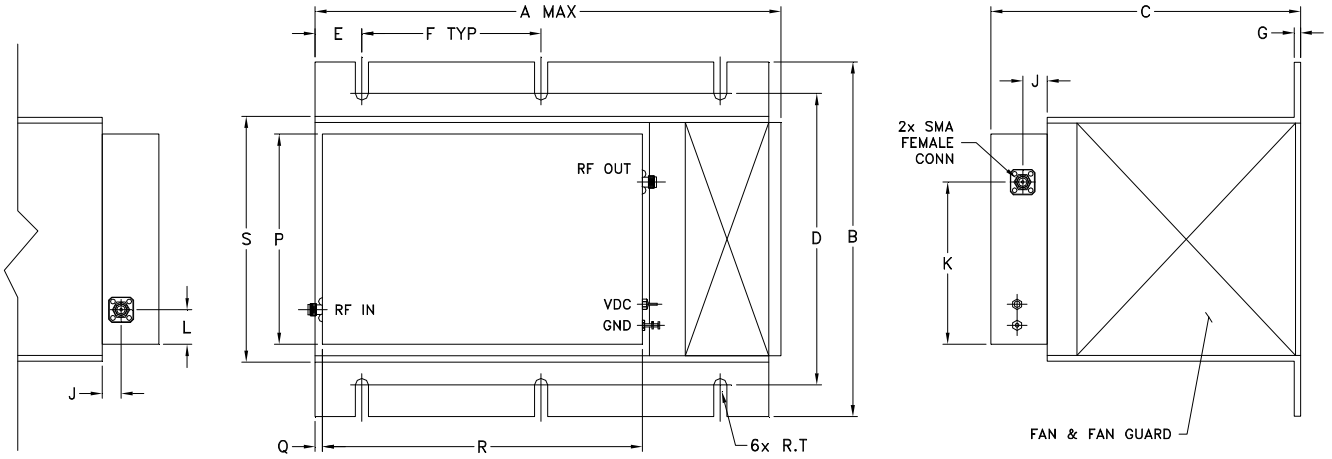
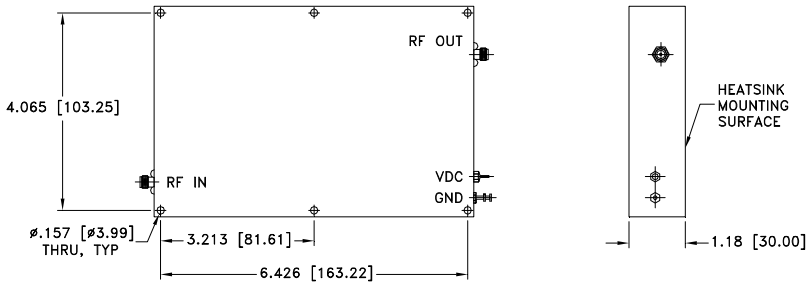
Outline Dimensions



MOUNTING INFORMATION FOR MODELS WITHOUT HEATSINK



CASE#	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	L	M	N
BT1689-1	9.85 (250.19)	7.3 (185.42)	6.5 (165.10)	6.00 (152.40)	.98 (24.89)	3.75 (95.25)	.13 (3.30)	- -	.47 (12.0)	3.34 (84.8)	.71 (18.0)	- -	- -

CASE#	P	Q	R	S	T	WT, GRAM	WT WITHOUT HEATSINK, GRAM
BT1689-1	4.33 (110.00)	.2 (5.08)	6.69 (170.00)	5.1 (129.54)	.136 (3.45)	4565	880

Dimensions in inches (mm). Tolerances: 1 Pl. ± .1; 2Pl. ± .03; 3 Pl. ± .015

Notes:

1. Case material: Aluminum alloy.
2. Finish:
   For RoHS Case Styles: Clear Chemical conversion coating, non-chrome or trivalent chrome based.
3. Heatsink finish: Black anodize.
4. Refer to the individual model data sheet for the type of connectors available.
5. Recommended screws for mounting model without heat sink on 3/32” thick sheet: #6-32, 1.50” Length.
6. Shape of connector flange may vary.

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Environmental Specifications **ENV23T19**

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Specification	Test/Inspection Condition	Reference/Spec
Operating Temperature	-20° to 45°C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
Storage Temperature	-55° to 100° C Ambient Environment	Individual Model Data Sheet
Stabilization Bake	(non-operating) 125°C, 24 hours	- - -
Burn-in at Elevated Temp.	(DC on) 160 hours at 60° C base plate Temperature	MIL-STD-202, Method 108
Thermal Shock	-55° to 100°C, 5 cycles	MIL-STD-202, Method 107, Condition A, except 100°C

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