

# Ceramic Low Pass Filter

50Ω DC<sup>(1)</sup> to 400 MHz

## LFCN-400+



CASE STYLE: FV1206

### Maximum Ratings

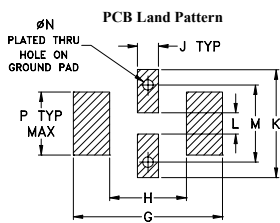
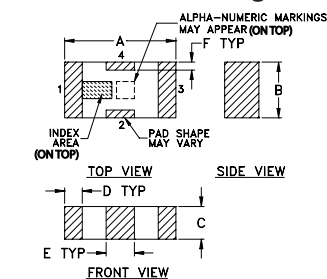
Operating Temperature	-55°C to 100°C
Storage Temperature	-55°C to 100°C
RF Power Input*	8.5W max. at 25°C

\* Passband rating, derate linearly to 3.5W at 100°C ambient. Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.

### Pin Connections

RF IN	1
RF OUT	3
GROUND	2,4

### Outline Drawing

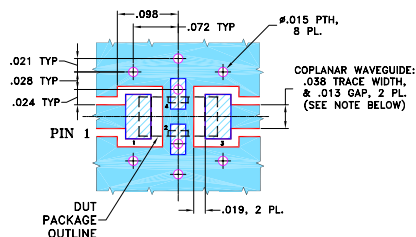


Suggested Layout, Tolerance to be within ±.002

### Outline Dimensions (inch/mm)

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	
.126	.063	.037	.020	.032	.009	.169	
3.20	1.60	0.94	0.51	0.81	0.23	4.29	
H	J	K	L	M	N	P	wt
.087	.024	.122	.024	.087	.012	.071	grams
2.21	0.61	3.10	0.61	2.21	0.30	1.80	.020

### Demo Board MCL P/N: TB-270 Suggested PCB Layout (PL-137)



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### Features

- excellent power handling, 8.5W
- small size
- 7 sections
- temperature stable
- LTCC construction
- protected by U.S. Patent 6,943,646

### Applications

- harmonic rejection
- VHF/UHF transmitters/receivers
- RF suppression for DC lines on PCB
- anti-aliasing for A/D converter

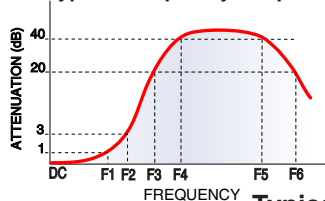
### Electrical Specifications<sup>(1,2)</sup> at 25°C

Parameter	F#	Frequency (MHz)	Min.	Typ.	Max.	Unit	
Pass Band	Insertion Loss	DC-F1	DC-400	—	—	1.0	dB
	Freq. Cut-Off	F2	560	—	3.0	—	dB
	VSWR	DC-F1	DC-400	—	1.2	—	:1
Stop Band	Rejection Loss	F3	660	20	—	—	dB
		F4-F5	680-3000	—	40	—	dB
		F6	5500	—	20	—	dB
VSWR	F3-F6	660-5500	—	20	—	:1	

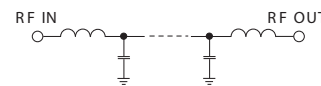
(1) In Application where DC voltage is present at either input or output ports, coupling capacitors are required. Alternatively, if DC pass IN-OUT is required, Mini-Circuits "D" suffix version of this model will support DC IN-OUT, and provide >100 MOhm isolation to ground.

(2) Measured on Mini-Circuits Characterization Test Board TB-270.

### Typical Frequency Response

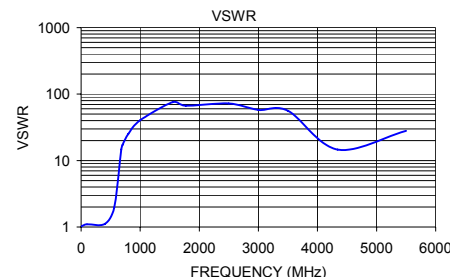


### Electrical Schematic



### Typical Performance Data at 25°C

Frequency (MHz)	Insertion Loss (dB)	VSWR (:1)
1.00	0.06	1.02
100.00	0.25	1.10
400.00	0.76	1.11
560.00	2.71	1.97
680.00	35.71	14.74
700.00	45.62	17.22
800.00	42.97	25.19
1000.00	42.26	40.41
1550.00	55.94	75.53
1770.00	71.17	66.82
2500.00	51.63	72.39
3000.00	50.38	57.91
3500.00	43.35	56.04
4340.00	18.96	14.62
5500.00	26.38	28.03



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## Typical Performance Data

FREQ. (MHz)	INSERTION LOSS (dB)			INPUT RETURN LOSS (dB)			OUTPUT RETURNLOSS (dB)		
	@ -55° C	@ +25° C	@ +100° C	@ -55° C	@ +25° C	@ +100° C	@ -55° C	@ +25° C	@ +100° C
1	0.03	0.06	0.09	42.07	40.09	39.54	41.12	40.09	38.43
50	0.15	0.18	0.21	30.23	28.36	27.22	29.64	28.06	26.89
100	0.22	0.25	0.28	26.76	26.50	26.24	25.57	25.38	25.07
400	0.63	0.76	0.88	26.79	25.72	25.08	24.46	23.45	22.71
450	0.81	0.99	1.15	22.85	21.78	20.61	21.95	20.90	19.86
560	2.24	2.71	3.16	9.98	9.71	9.22	12.77	13.36	13.84
565	2.40	2.89	3.38	9.49	9.21	8.75	12.66	13.42	14.03
590	3.71	4.57	5.42	6.83	6.47	6.01	11.97	12.76	13.17
615	7.15	8.72	10.25	3.70	3.45	3.24	7.74	7.58	7.26
635	12.68	14.72	16.71	2.05	2.08	2.06	4.41	4.51	4.47
645	16.32	18.50	20.64	1.63	1.73	1.77	3.48	3.65	3.67
655	20.33	22.72	24.98	1.35	1.48	1.56	2.86	3.08	3.18
660	22.51	25.00	27.35	1.25	1.38	1.48	2.62	2.85	2.94
670	27.36	30.03	32.55	1.12	1.26	1.35	2.27	2.51	2.66
680	32.85	35.71	38.23	1.04	1.18	1.27	2.00	2.26	2.39
700	45.31	45.62	45.32	0.87	1.01	1.12	1.63	1.90	2.04
750	49.40	50.72	51.62	0.69	0.81	0.90	1.22	1.42	1.58
800	43.70	42.97	42.23	0.58	0.69	0.78	1.01	1.20	1.34
880	38.80	38.97	39.05	0.45	0.57	0.65	0.78	0.96	1.06
1000	41.73	42.26	42.69	0.35	0.43	0.52	0.54	0.69	0.78
1100	48.36	49.34	50.10	0.29	0.39	0.46	0.46	0.60	0.67
1150	54.06	55.25	56.46	0.24	0.34	0.42	0.38	0.51	0.58
1210	66.14	67.51	67.11	0.21	0.32	0.39	0.38	0.49	0.57
1550	55.72	55.94	56.95	0.13	0.23	0.32	0.19	0.29	0.31
1770	70.58	71.17	72.04	0.15	0.26	0.34	0.24	0.33	0.37
2000	56.84	56.67	55.81	0.18	0.27	0.35	0.20	0.29	0.33
2500	50.60	51.63	51.81	0.15	0.24	0.29	0.16	0.26	0.28
3000	49.89	50.38	50.55	0.20	0.30	0.34	0.15	0.23	0.27
3500	43.34	43.35	43.45	0.18	0.31	0.39	0.13	0.24	0.29
4000	36.33	37.72	36.35	0.26	0.37	0.50	0.13	0.27	0.39
4340	19.14	18.96	20.49	1.14	1.19	1.00	1.04	1.17	0.93
5000	25.66	26.49	26.63	0.40	0.53	0.64	0.24	0.38	0.51
5500	27.40	26.38	26.03	0.42	0.62	0.80	0.21	0.42	0.55
6000	24.50	25.14	24.76	0.45	0.67	0.90	0.31	0.49	0.64
7000	20.92	20.96	21.33	0.90	1.26	1.55	0.42	0.55	0.61
8000	18.68	18.98	19.33	0.73	0.88	0.94	0.34	0.50	0.59
9000	17.55	17.31	17.29	0.88	1.12	1.37	0.33	0.58	0.73
10000	15.98	16.15	16.03	0.91	1.23	1.57	0.62	1.01	1.36
11000	18.07	19.61	21.53	2.16	2.95	3.45	2.84	3.66	4.35
13000	25.79	23.96	22.37	2.03	2.72	3.35	1.89	2.28	2.45
15000	8.66	8.76	8.53	4.82	5.27	5.88	4.64	4.81	5.08

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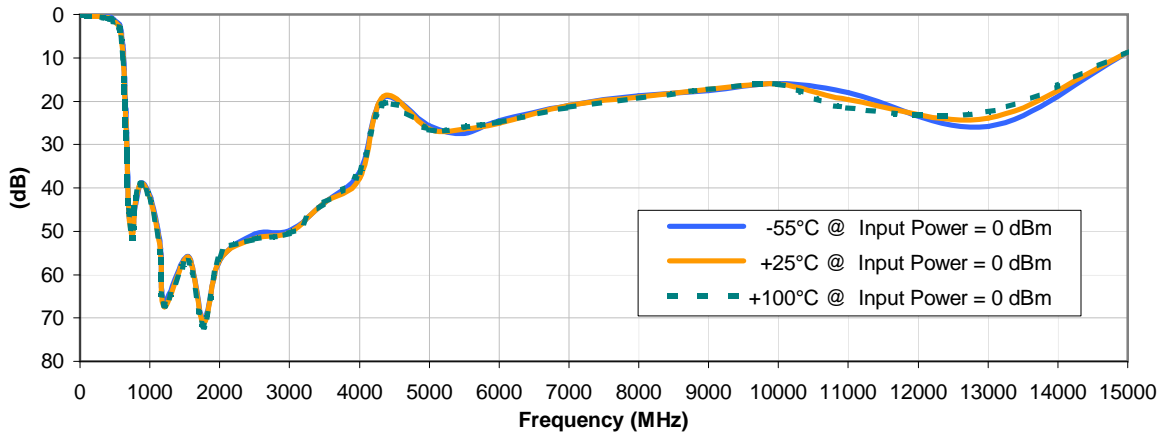


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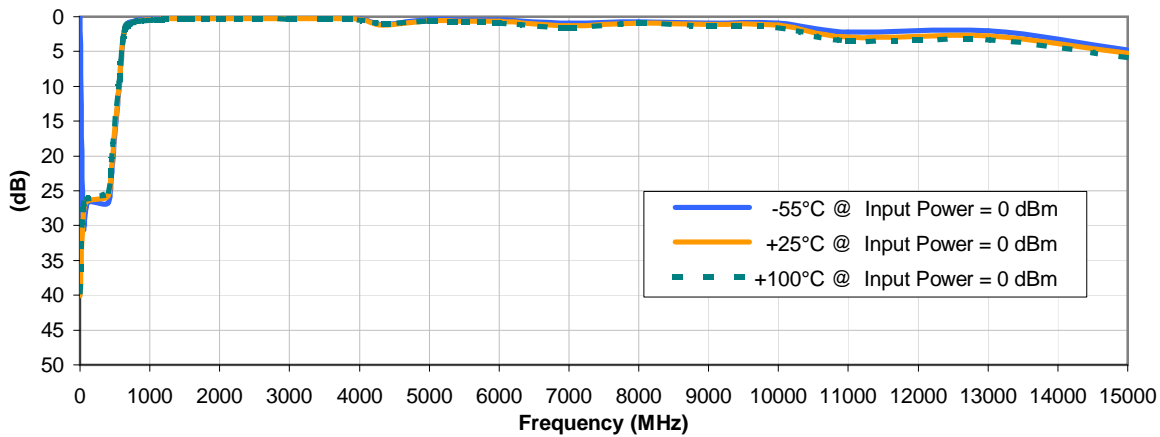
## Typical Performance Curves

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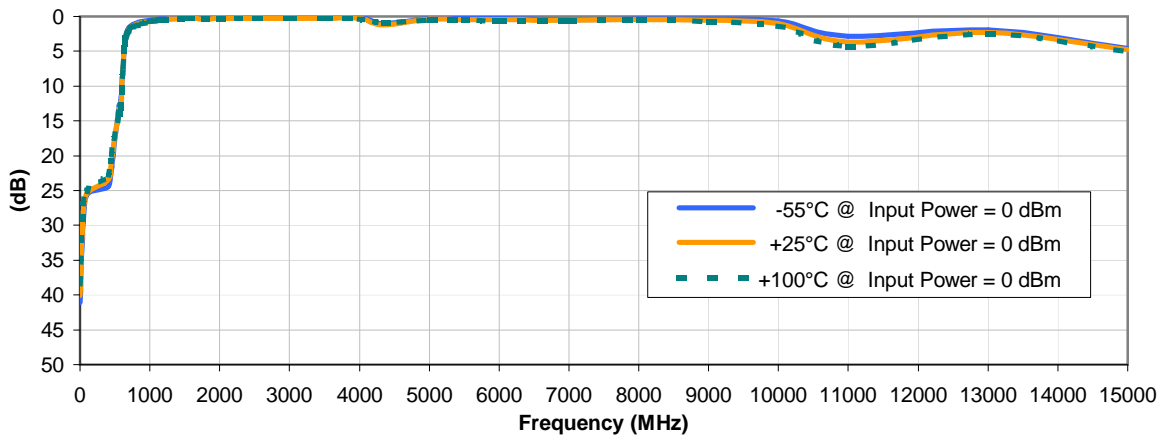
### INSERTION LOSS vs. TEMPERATURE



### INPUT RETURN LOSS vs. TEMPERATURE



### OUTPUT RETURN LOSS vs. TEMPERATURE



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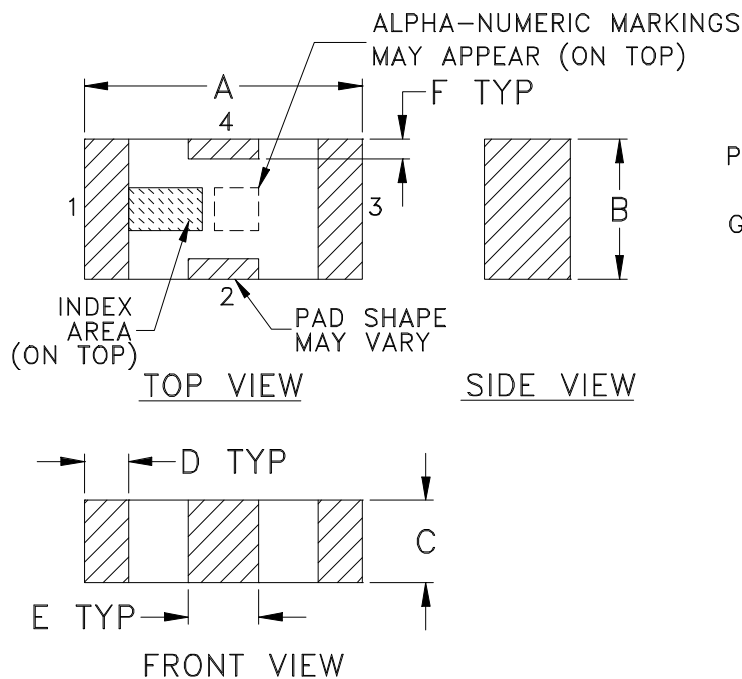
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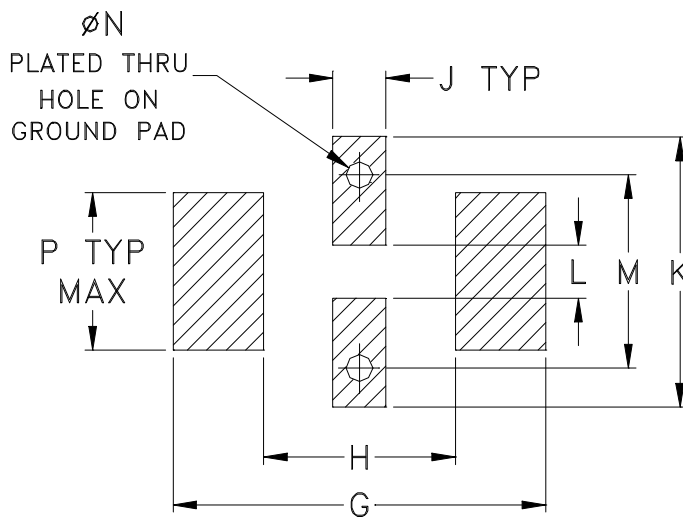
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### Outline Dimensions



### PCB Land Pattern



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

CASE #	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	J	K	L	M	N	P	WT. GRAM
FV1206	.126 (3.20)	.063 (1.60)	.037 (0.94)	.020 (0.51)	.032 (0.81)	.009 (0.23)	.169 (4.29)	.087 (2.21)	.024 (0.61)	.122 (3.10)	.024 (0.61)	.087 (2.21)	.012 (0.30)	.071 (1.80)	.020

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

#### Notes:

- Open style, ceramic base.
- Termination finish:  
 For RoHS Case Styles: Tin plate over Nickel plate. All models, (+) suffix.  
 For RoHS-5 Case Styles: Tin-Lead plate. All models, no (+) suffix.

# Tape & Reel Packaging TR-F71

## DEVICE ORIENTATION IN T&R

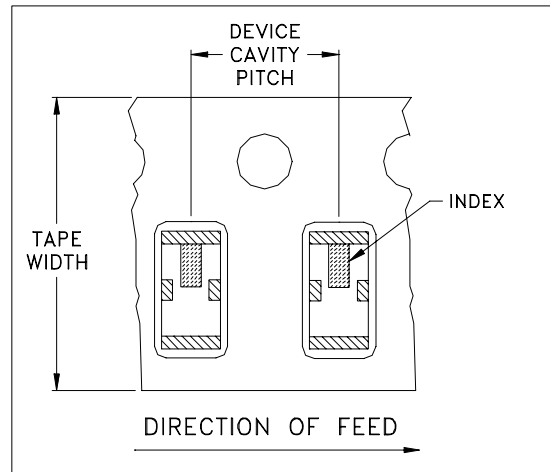


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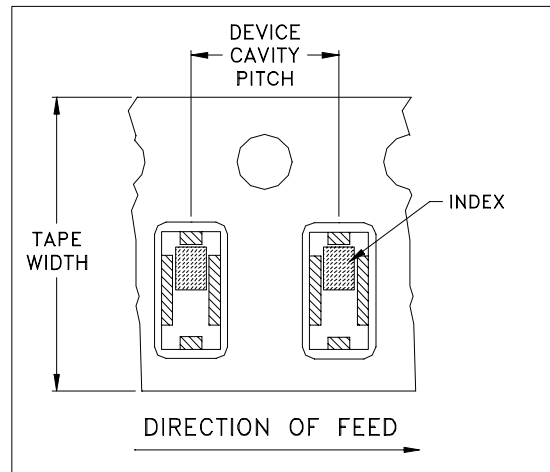


ILLUSTRATION 2

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
			Standard	3000

Note: Please consult individual model data sheet to determine device per reel availability.

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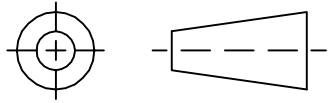
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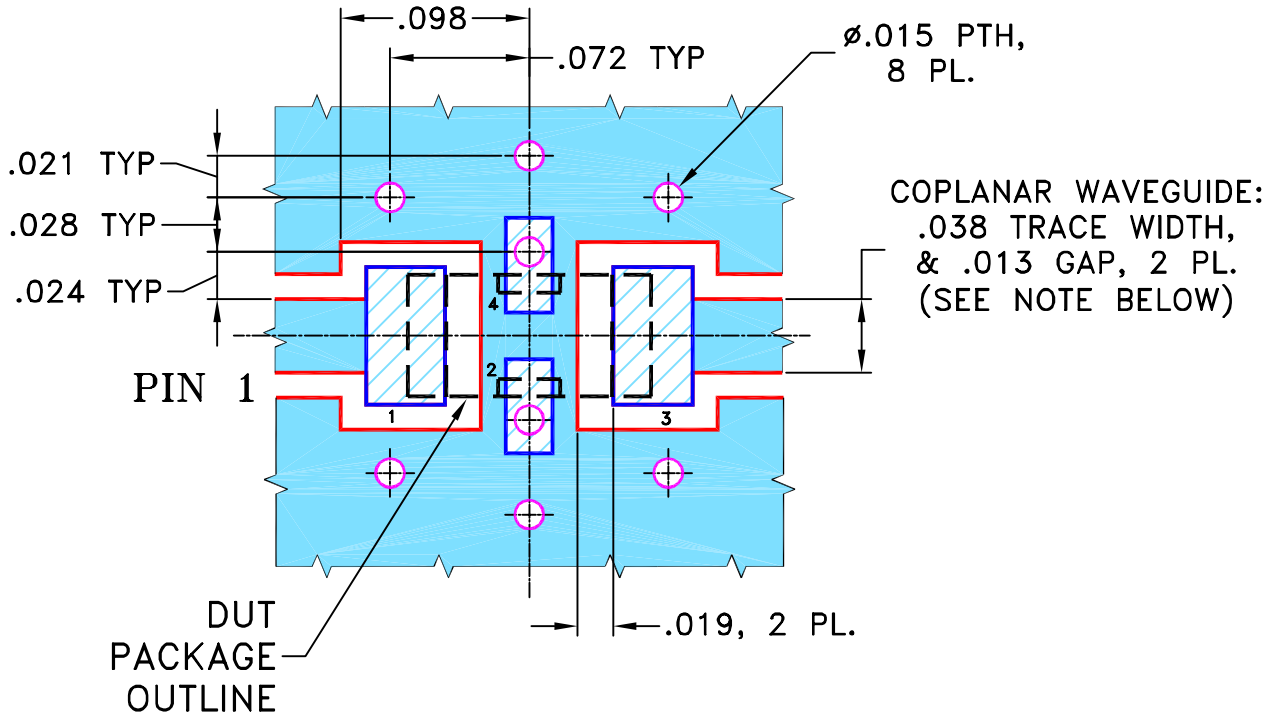
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REVISIONS

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SUGGESTED MOUNTING CONFIGURATION  
FOR FV1206 CASE STYLE, "nx" PIN CONNECTION



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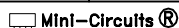
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3 PL DECIMALS ± .005

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FRACTIONS ±



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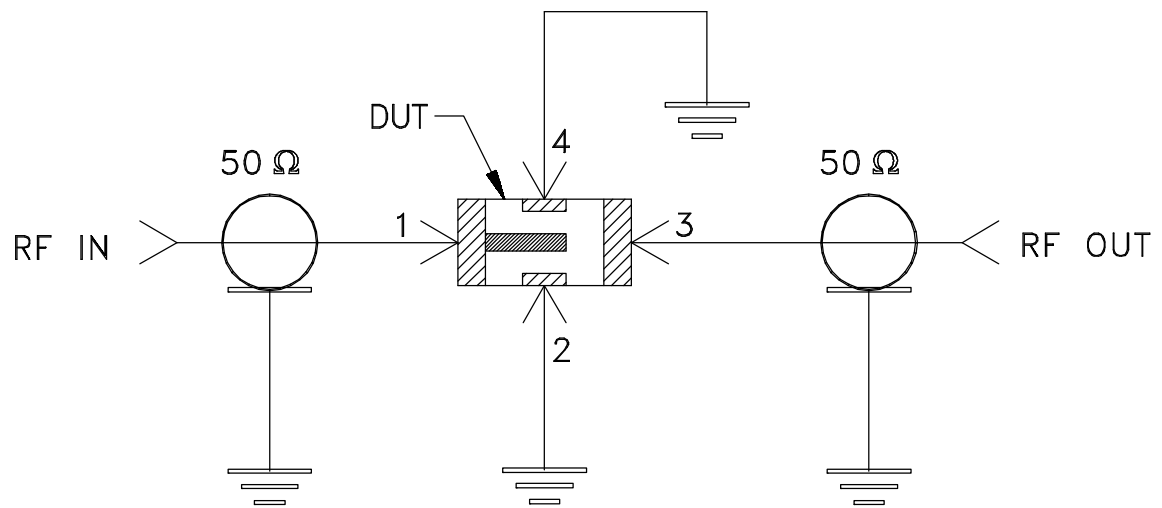
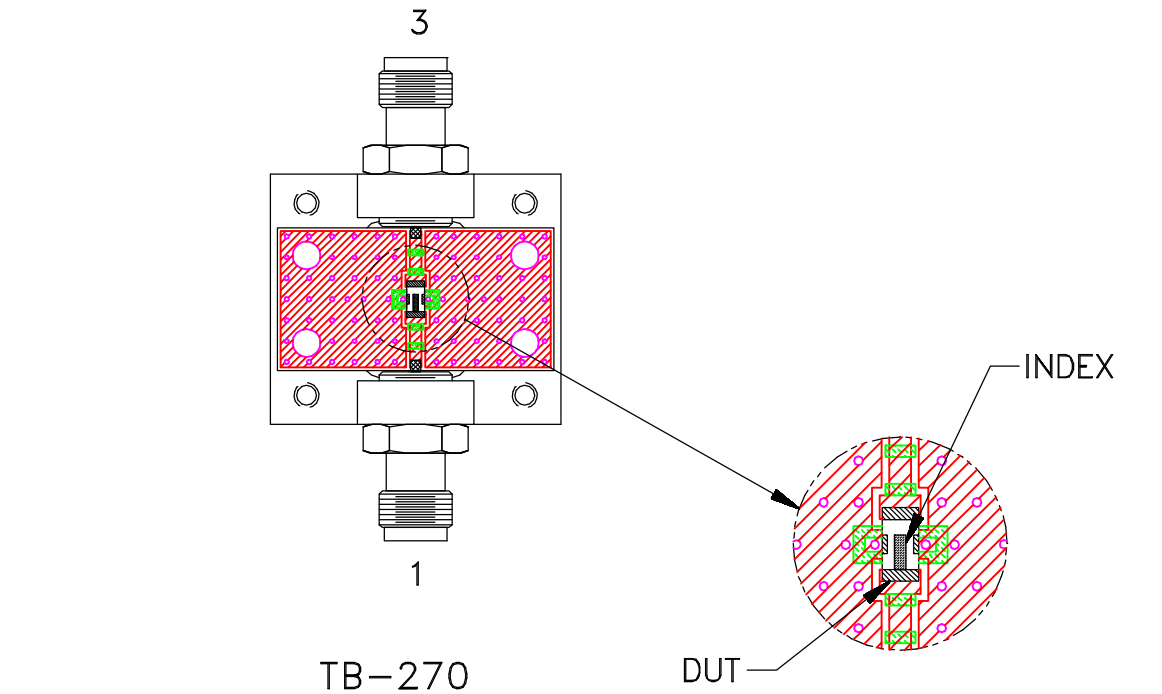
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# Evaluation Board and Circuit



Schematic Diagram

## Notes:

1. SMA Female connectors.
2. PCB Material: ROGERS R04350 or equivalent,  
Dielectric Constant=3.5, Thickness=.020 inch.

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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
Solder Reflow Heat	Sn-Pb Eutetic Process: 225°C peak Pb-Free Process 245° - 250°C peak	J-STD-020, Table 4-1, 4-2 and 5-2, Figure 5-1
Solderability	10X Magnification	J-STD-002, Para 4.2.5, Test S, 95% Coverage
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