

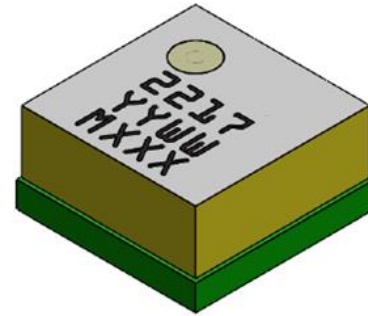
Product Overview

Qorvo’s TGL2217-SM is a packaged high power, wideband GaAs VPIN limiter capable of protecting sensitive receive channel components against high power incident signals. The TGL2217-SM does not require DC bias and achieves a low insertion loss all in a small form factor. These features allow for simple integration with minimal impact to system performance.

The TGL2217-SM operates from 0.1–20.0 GHz with low insertion loss of less than 0.9 dB. Receive protection is rated up to 10 W incident pulsed power with a low flat leakage of less than 18.5 dBm.

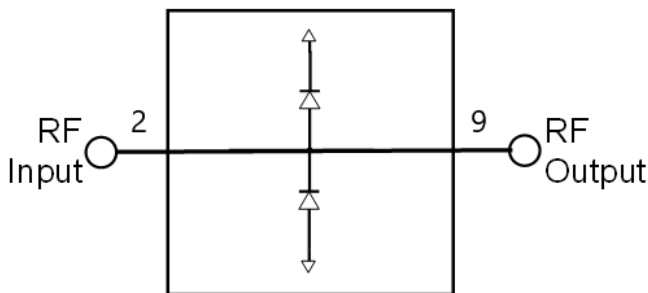
The TGL2217-SM is offered in a small 3.5 x 3.5 mm QFN package for simple board level assembly. Fully matched to 50 ohms on both RF ports, it is well suited for both commercial and defense related applications.

Lead-free and RoHS compliant.



14 Pad 3.5 x 3.5 mm Air Cavity QFN Package

Functional Block Diagram



Key Features

- Frequency Range: 0.1 to 20.0 GHz
- Insertion Loss: < 0.9 dB
- Peak Power Handling: 10 W (pulsed)
- Flat Leakage: < 18.5 dBm
- Spike Leakage < 20.5 dBm
- Recovery Time < 40 nS
- Passive (no DC bias required)
- QFN Package Dimensions: 3.50 x 3.50 x 1.715 mm

Performance is typical across frequency. Please reference electrical specification table and data plots for more details.

Applications

- Receive Chain Protection
- Commercial and Military Radar
- Electronic Warfare
- Communications

Ordering Information

| Part | Description |
|-----------------|------------------------------------------------|
| TGL2217-SM | 0.1–20.0 GHz 10W VPIN Limiter |
| TGL2217-SMEVB01 | 0.1–20.0 GHz 10W VPIN Limiter Evaluation Board |

Absolute Maximum Ratings

| Parameter | Rating |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|
| Incident Power, Pulsed, 50 Ω, 85 °C | 40 dBm |
| Incident Power, CW, 50 Ω, 25 °C | 36 dBm |
| Incident Power, CW, 50 Ω, 85 °C | 33 dBm |
| Mounting Temperature (30 s max) | 260 °C |
| Storage Temperature | -40 to 150 °C |

Exceeding any one or a combination of the Absolute Maximum Rating conditions may cause permanent damage to the device. Extended application of Absolute Maximum Rating conditions to the device may reduce device reliability.

Recommended Operating Conditions

| Parameter | Min | Typ | Max | Units |
|-----------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| Operating Temperature Range | -40 | +25 | +85 | °C |
| Passive – No Bias | | | | |

Electrical specifications are measured at specified test conditions. Specifications are not guaranteed over all recommended operating conditions.

Electrical Specifications

Test conditions, unless otherwise noted: 25 °C

| Parameter | Conditions ⁽¹⁾ | Min | Typ | Max | Units |
|------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|-----|-------|------|--------|
| Operational Frequency Range | | 0.1 | | 20.0 | GHz |
| Insertion Loss | 0.5 GHz | | 0.08 | 0.3 | dB |
| | 5 GHz | | 0.27 | 0.5 | |
| | 10 GHz | | 0.45 | 0.8 | |
| | 15 GHz | | 0.64 | 1.1 | |
| | 20 GHz | | 0.83 | 1.2 | |
| Input Return Loss | 0.5 GHz | | 39 | | dB |
| | 5 GHz | | 26 | | |
| | 10 GHz | | 24 | | |
| | 15GHz | | 19 | | |
| | 20 GHz | | 17 | | |
| Output Return Loss | 0.5 GHz | | 40 | | dB |
| | 5 GHz | | 26 | | |
| | 10 GHz | | 27 | | |
| | 15 GHz | | 18 | | |
| | 20 GHz | | 17 | | |
| Flat Leakage Power at P _{IN} > 30 dBm, (CW) | 2 GHz | | 16.7 | | dBm |
| | 10 GHz | | 17.7 | | |
| | 18 GHz | | 16.9 | | |
| Pulse Recovery Time | | | < 40 | | nS |
| Spike Leakage | | | 20.5 | | dBm |
| Insertion Loss Temperature Coefficient | | | 0.002 | | dB/ °C |

Thermal and Reliability Information

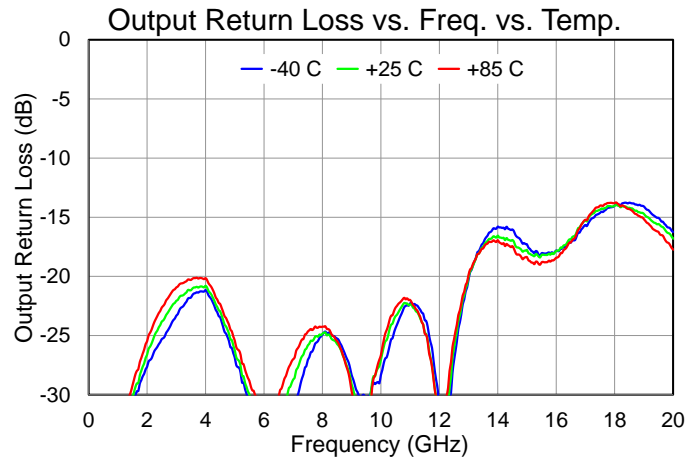
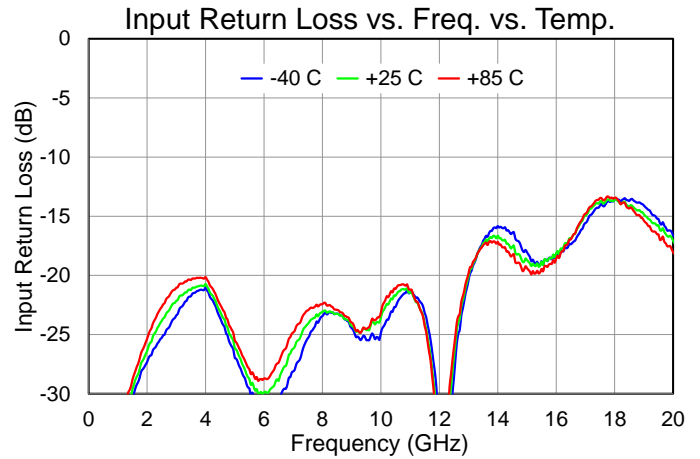
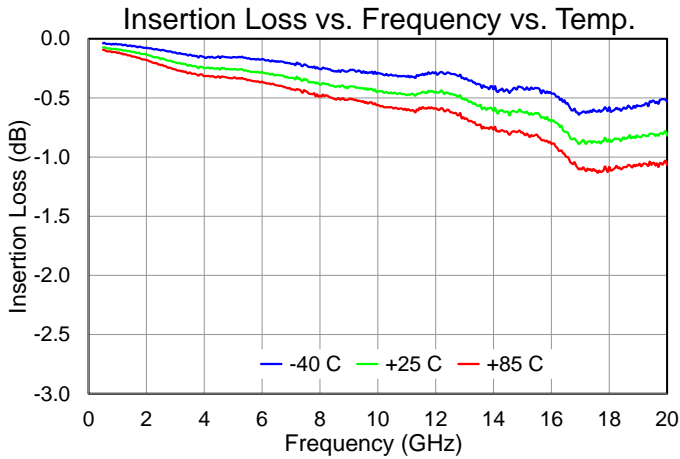
| Parameter | Test Conditions | Value | Units |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Incident Power ⁽¹⁾ (RF Operational Life Test) | Frequency = 10 GHz, RF Pulsed, PW=100 μs, DC=10%, 50 Ω, 25°C | 10 | W |

Notes:

1. Test terminated after 168 hours. Insertion Loss remained ≤ 1 dB for device under test.

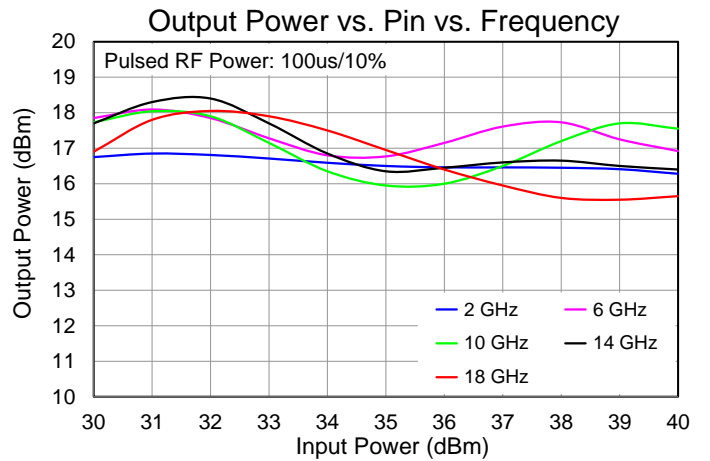
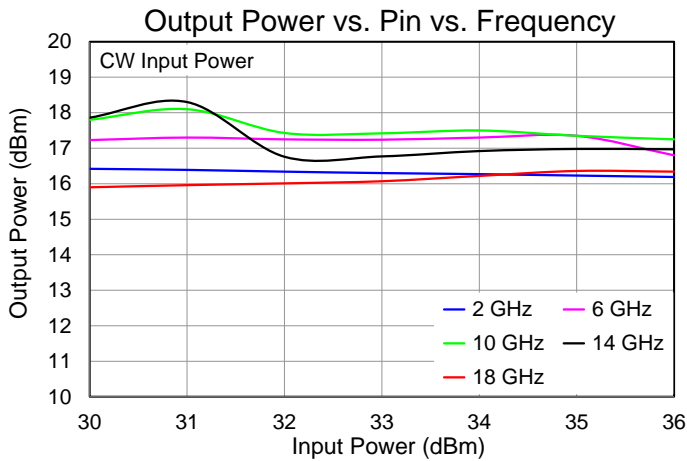
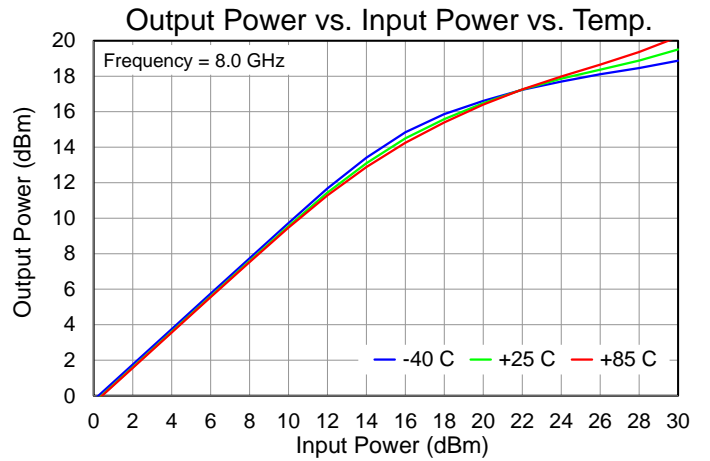
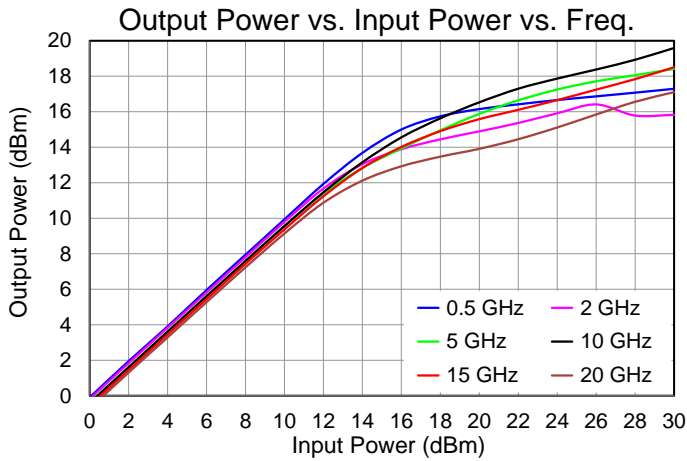
Performance Plots – Small Signal

Test conditions unless otherwise noted: Temp.=+25 °C

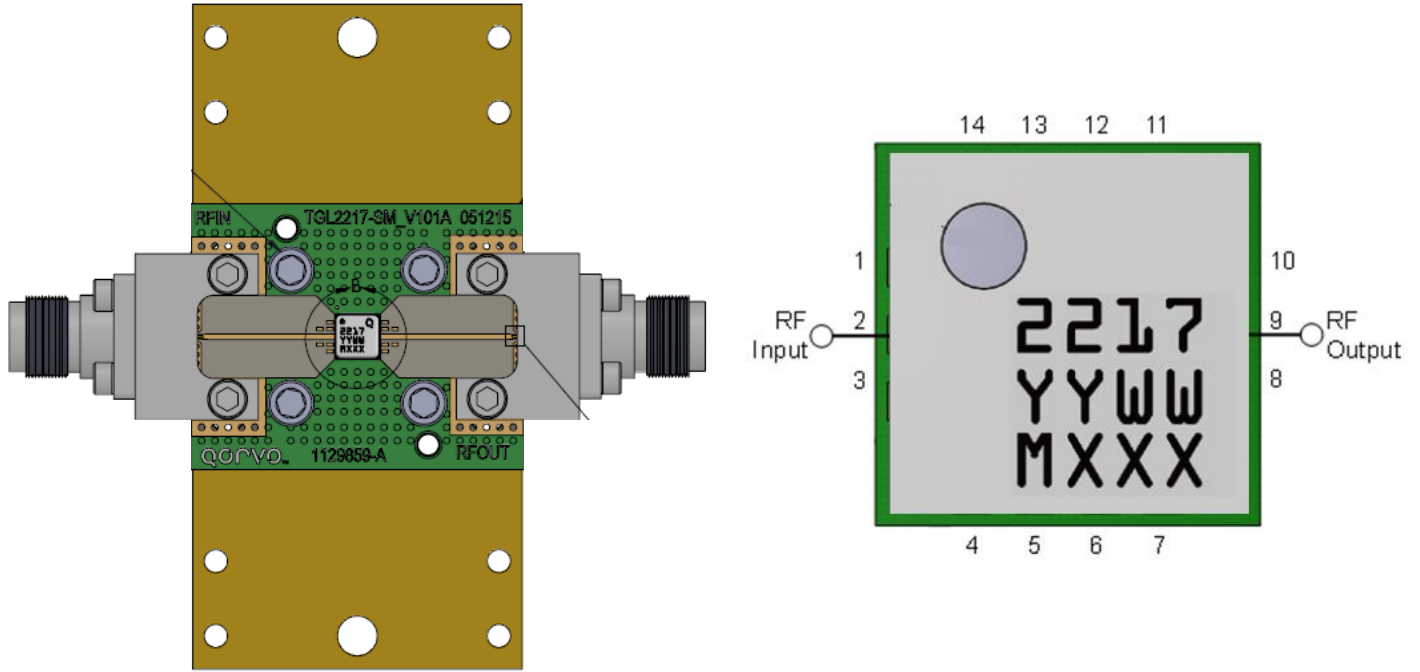


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Application Circuit and Evaluation Board (EVB)



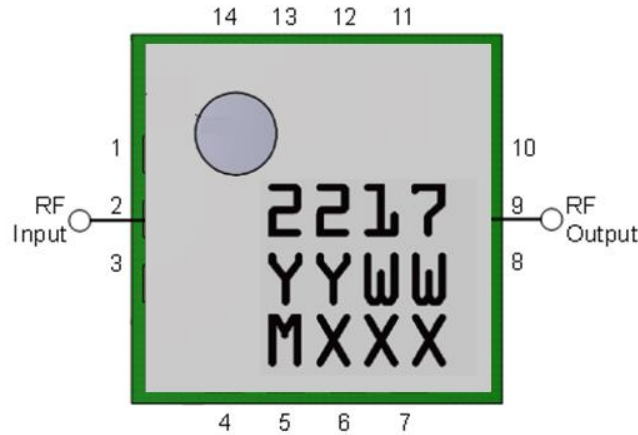
Notes:

1. See Evaluation Board PCB Information for material and stack up.

Bill of Material – EVB

| Ref. Des. | Value | Description | Manuf. | Part Number |
|-----------|-------|--------------------------------|---------------------|-------------|
| n/a | n/a | Printed Circuit Board | Qorvo | |
| U1 | n/a | 0.1 – 20 GHz 50 W VPIN Limiter | Qorvo | TGL2217-SM |
| J1, J2 | n/a | 2.92 mm End Launch Connector | Southwest Microwave | 1092-01A-5 |

Pad Configuration and Description



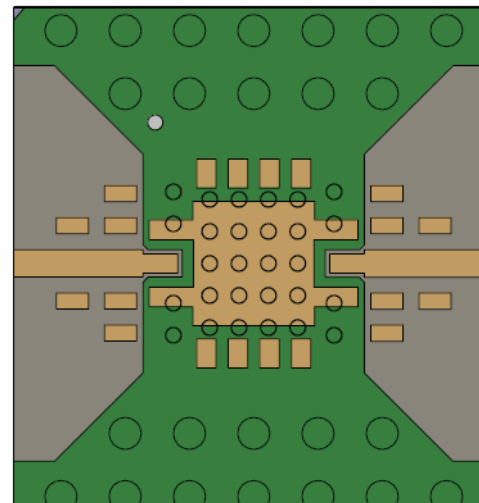
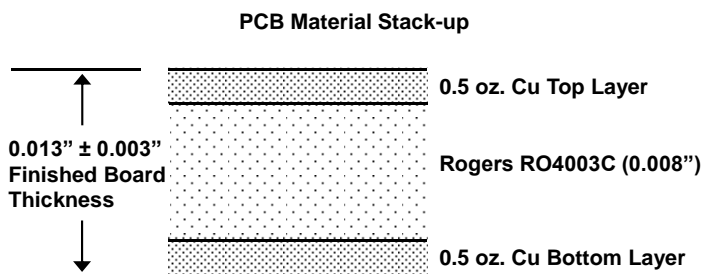
Top View

| Pad No. | Label | Description |
|-------------|-----------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1, 3, 8, 10 | GND | On PCB, multiple copper-filled vias should be employed under the center pad to minimize inductance and thermal resistance |
| 2 | RF Input | RF Input, matched to 50 Ohms, not DC blocked |
| 4–7, 11–14 | NC | No connection; connecting to ground may improve performance |
| 9 | RF Output | RF Output, matched to 50 Ohms, not DC blocked |

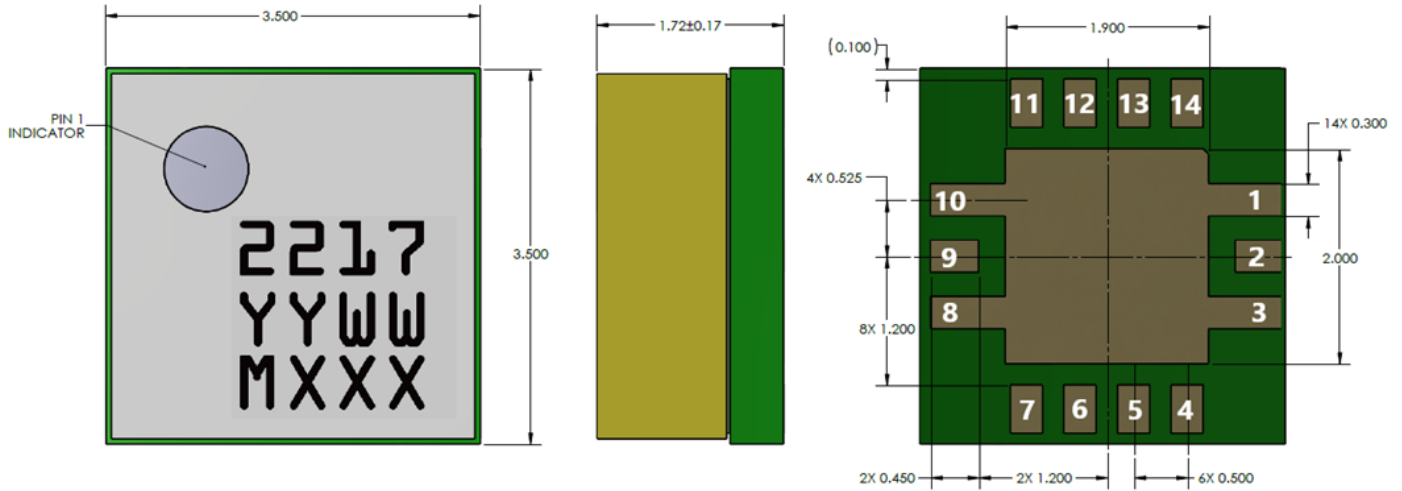
NOTE: The RF Input and RF Output ports are not interchangeable.

Evaluation Board PCB Information and Mounting Detail

EVB PC Board Layout



Package Marking and Dimensions



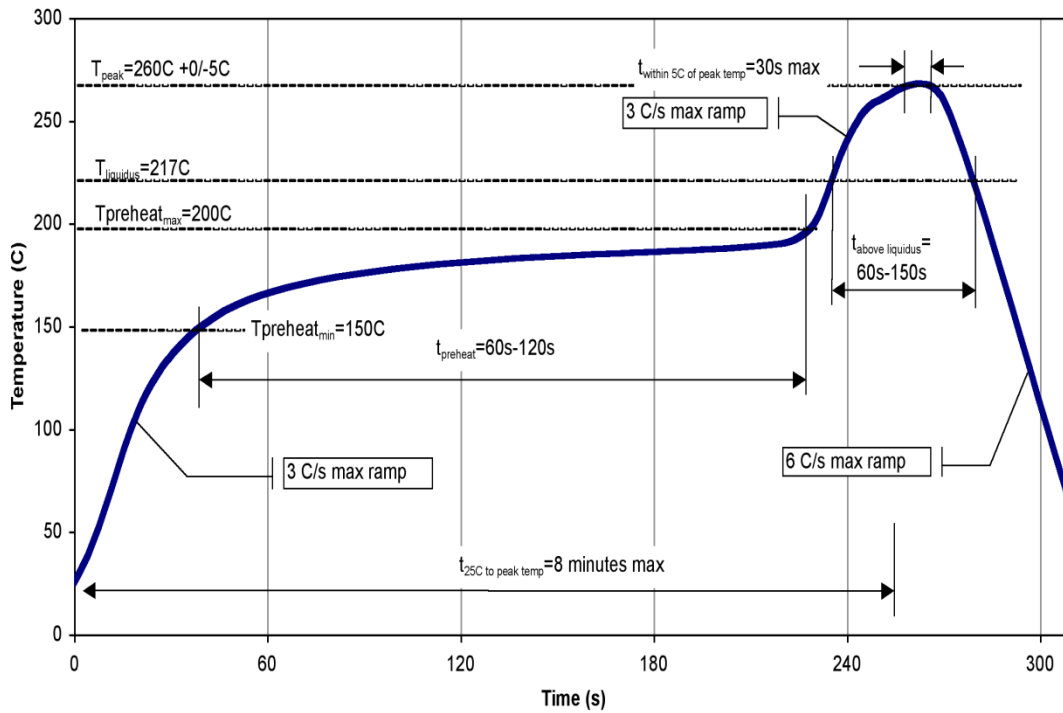
Notes:

1. All dimensions are in millimeters. Angles are in degrees.
Tolerances: XX = ± .25
XXX = ± .100
2. Package Base: Laminate
3. Package Lid: FR4
4. All Metalized Features Are Gold Plated.
5. The Part Is Epoxy Sealed
6. Part Marking:
2217: Part Number
YY: Part assembly Year
WW: Part Assembly Week
MXXX: Batch ID

Assembly Notes

- Compatible with lead-free soldering process with 260°C peak reflow temperature.
- This package is non-hermetic, and therefore cannot be subjected to aqueous washing. The use of no-clean solder to avoid washing after soldering is recommended
- Solder rework not recommended.
- Contact plating: Ni-Au

Recommended Soldering Profile



Handling Precautions

| Parameter | Rating | Standard |
|----------------------------------|----------|--------------------------|
| ESD – Human Body Model (HBM) | Class 3B | ESDA / JEDEC JS-001-2012 |
| ESD – Charged Device Model (CDM) | Class C3 | JEDEC JESD22-C101F |
| MSL – Moisture Sensitivity Level | Level 3 | IPC/JEDEC J-STD-020 |



Caution!
 ESD-Sensitive Device

RoHS Compliance

This part is compliant with 2011/65/EU RoHS directive (Restrictions on the Use of Certain Hazardous Substances in Electrical and Electronic Equipment) as amended by Directive 2015/863/EU.

This product also has the following attributes:

- Lead Free
- Antimony Free
- TBBP-A (C₁₅H₁₂Br₄O₂) Free
- PFOS Free

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