A1 / SMA1

Cascadable Amplifier
5 to 500 MHz

Rev. V3

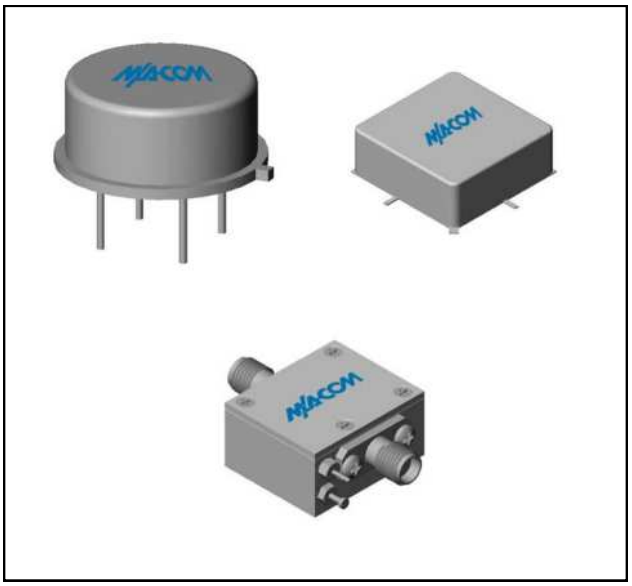
Features

- LOW NOISE: 2.4 dB (TYP.)
- LOW VSWR: 1.3:1 (TYP.)
- HIGH GAIN: 16 dB (TYP.)

Description

The A1 RF amplifier is a discrete hybrid design, which uses thin film manufacturing processes for accurate performance and high reliability.
This single stage bipolar transistor feedback amplifier design displays impressive performance over a broadband frequency range. Both TO-8 and Surface Mount packages are hermetically sealed, and MIL-STD-883 environmental screening is available.

Product Image



Ordering Information

Part Number	Package
A1	TO-8
SMA1	Surface Mount
MAAM-008712-000CA1	SMA Connectorized **

**The connectorized version is not RoHs compliant.

Electrical Specifications: Z_0 = 50Ω, V_{CC} = +15 V_{DC}

Parameter	Units	Typical	Guaranteed	
		25ºC	0º to 50ºC	-54º to +85ºC*
Frequency	MHz	1-600	5-500	5-500
Small Signal Gain (min)	dB	16.0	15.0	14.5
Gain Flatness (max)	dB	±0.2	±0.7	±1.0
Reverse Isolation	dB	19		
Noise Figure (max)	dB	2.4	3.0	3.5
Power Output @ 1 dB comp. (min)	dBm	-1.0	-2.0	-3.0
IP3	dBm	+11		
IP2	dBm	+10		
Second Order Harmonic IP	dBm	+15		
VSWR Input / Output (max)		1.3:1 / 1.3:1	1.8:1 / 1.8:1	2.0:1 / 2.0:1
DC Current @ 15 Volts (max)	mA	9	11	12

Absolute Maximum Ratings

Parameter	Absolute Maximum
Storage Temperature	-62ºC to +125ºC
Case Temperature	+125ºC
DC Voltage	+18 V
Continuous Input Power	+13 dBm
Short Term Input power (1 minute max.)	50 mW
Peak Power (3 µsec max.)	0.5 W
"S" Series Burn-In Temperature (case)	+125ºC

Thermal Data: V_{CC} = +15 V_{DC}

Parameter	Rating
Thermal Resistance θ_{jc}	130ºC/W
Transistor Power Dissipation P_d	0.057 W
Junction Temperature Rise Above Case T_{jc}	7ºC

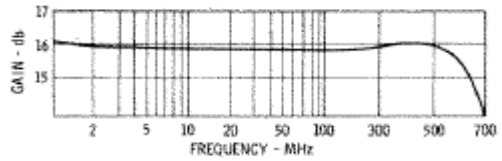
* Over temperature performance limits for part number CA1, guaranteed from 0°C to +50°C only.

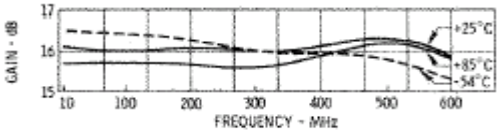
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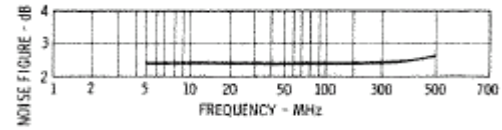
Typical Performance Curves at +25°C

Gain

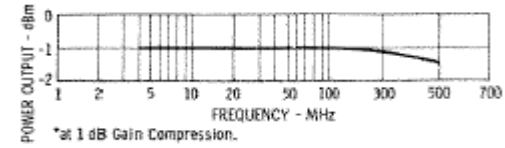




Noise Figure

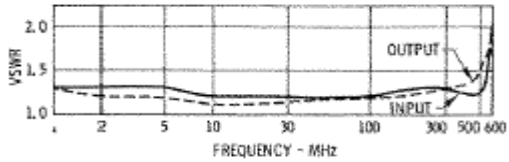


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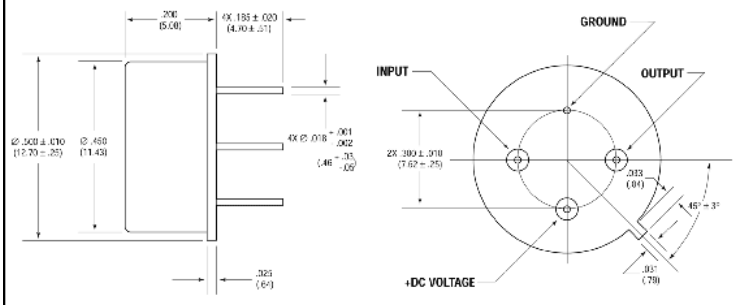


*at 1 dB Gain Compression.

VSWR

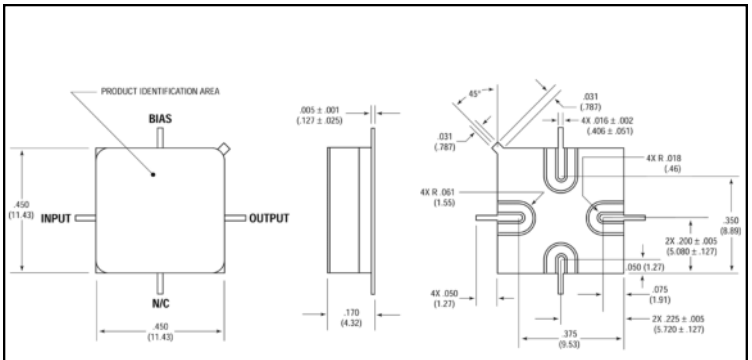


Outline Drawing: TO-8 *



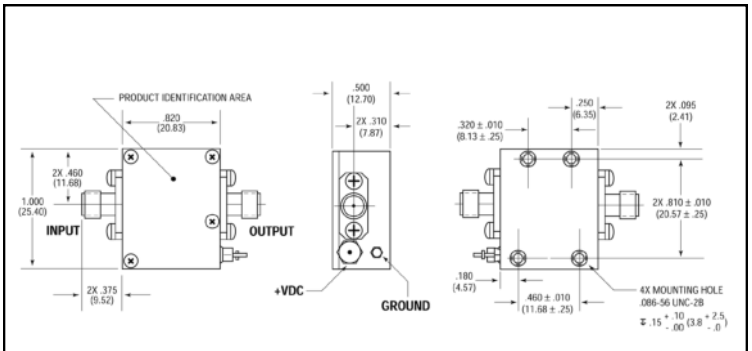
WEIGHT: 1 gram (0.04 oz.) max

Outline Drawing: Surface Mount *



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Outline Drawing: SMA Connectorized *



WEIGHT: 19 grams (0.67 oz.) max

* Dimensions are inches (millimeters) ±0.015 (0.38) unless otherwise specified.

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