Silicon Double Balanced HMIC™ Mixer 4.2 - 6.0 GHz

Features

- Low Cost Miniature Plastic Package
- 6.4 dB Conversion Loss
- +3 to +7 dBm LO Drive
- HMIC Process
- No External Matching Required
- Silicon Medium Barrier Schottky Diodes
- Double Balanced Passive Mixer
- RoHS* Compliant and 260°C Reflow Compatible

Description

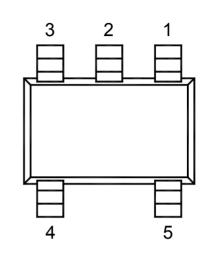
The MA4EX600L1-1225T is a silicon monolithic 4.2 - 6.0 GHz, medium barrier, double balanced mixer in a low cost miniature surface mount SOT-25 package. The die uses MACOM's unique HMIC silicon/glass process to achieve low loss passive elements while retaining the advantages of medium barrier silicon Schottky diodes.

These mixers are well suited for high volume wireless and cellular applications where small size and repeatability are required. Typical applications include frequency conversion, modulation, and demodulation for receivers and transmitters in both portable cellular and base station applications.

Ordering Information

| Part Number | Package | |
|------------------|---------------|--|
| MA4EX600L1-1225T | Tape and Reel | |

Package Outline



Pin Configuration

| Pin No. | Function |
|---------|----------|
| 1 | RF |
| 2 | Ground |
| 3 | LO |
| 4 | Ground |
| 5 | IF |

* Restrictions on Hazardous Substances, European Union Directive 2011/65/EU.



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Electrical Specifications: $T_A = +25^{\circ}C$, LO = +5 dBm, RF = -10 dBm, IF = 60 MHz

| Parameter | Test Conditions | Units | Min. | Тур. | Max. |
|-------------------|--------------------------|-------|------|------------------|------------|
| Conversion Loss | 5.0 GHz 4.2 - 6.0 GHz | dB | | 6.4 6.8 | 8.0 9.5 |
| L - R Isolation | 5.0 GHz 4.2 - 6.0 GHz | dB | | 26.0 25.0 | _ |
| L - I Isolation | 5.0 GHz 4.2 - 6.0 GHz | dB | _ | 24.0 23.0 | _ |
| R - I Isolation | 5.0 GHz 4.2 - 6.0 GHz | dB | _ | 13.0 15.0 | _ |
| LO VSWR | 5.0 GHz 4.2 - 6.0 GHz | dB | | 1.18:1 1.67:1 | _ |
| RF VSWR | 5.0 GHz 4.2 - 6.0 GHz | dB | _ | 1.87:1 1.89:1 | — |
| IF VSWR | DC - 400 MHz | dB | — | 1.55:1 | — |
| Input IP3 | 5.0 GHz 4.2 - 6.0 GHz | dBm | | 5.7 7.6 | _ |
| Input P1dB | 5.0 GHz 4.2 - 6.0 GHz | dBm | | 0.3 0.8 | _ |
| IF 1 dB Bandwidth | LO = 5.0 GHz @ +5 dBm | MHz | 0 | _ | 2000 |

Absolute Maximum Ratings^{1,2}

| Parameter | Absolute Maximum |
|----------------------------|------------------|
| Incident Power LO RF | 20 dBm 20 dBm |
| Operating Temperature | -40°C to +85°C |
| Storage Temperature | -65°C to +150°C |

1. Exceeding any one or combination of these limits may cause permanent damage to this device.

2. MACOM does not recommend sustained operation near these survivability limits.

Handling Procedures

Please observe the following precautions to avoid damage:

Static Sensitivity

These electronic devices are sensitive to electrostatic discharge (ESD) and can be damaged by static electricity. Proper ESD control techniques should be used when handling these devices.

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Typical Performance Curves: LO = +5 dBm, RF = -10 dBm, IF = 60 MHz

Isolation

-10

-20

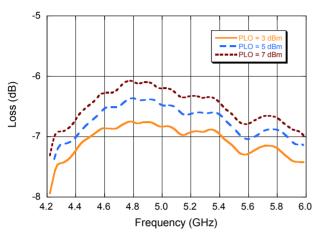
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4.2

4.4

Isolation (dB)

Conversion Loss





4.6

4.8

5.0

Frequency (MHz)

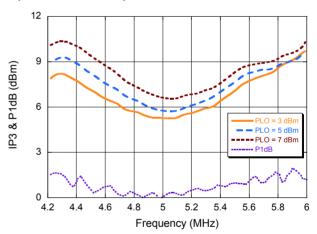
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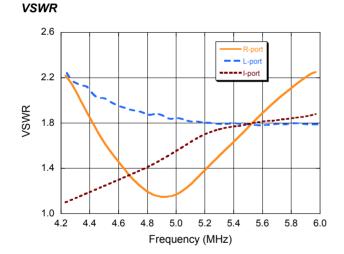
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5.6

5.8

6.0



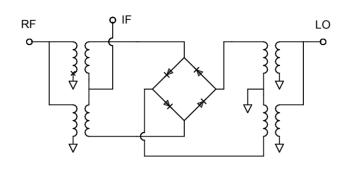


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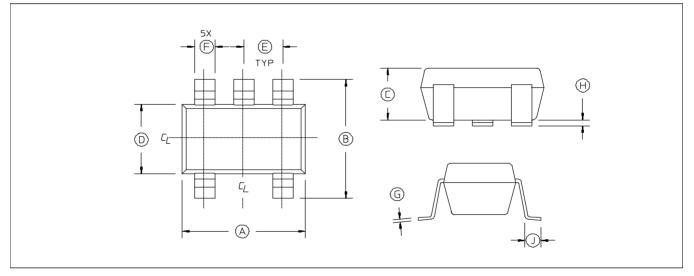
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Schematic



Lead-Free SOT-25[†]



[†] Reference Application Note M538 for lead-free solder reflow recommendations.

| DIM | INCHES | | MILLIMETERS | | |
|-----|------------|-------|-------------|------|--|
| | MIN. | MAX. | MIN. | MAX. | |
| А | 0.106 | 0.122 | 2.70 | 3.10 | |
| В | 0.100 | 0.118 | 2.54 | 3.00 | |
| С | — | 0.051 | _ | 1.30 | |
| D | 0.063 REF. | | 1.60 REF. | | |
| E | 0.032 | 0.043 | 0.80 | 1.10 | |
| F | 0.014 | 0.020 | 0.35 | 0.50 | |
| G | 0.003 | _ | 0.08 | — | |
| Н | 0.000 | 0.006 | 0.00 | 0.15 | |
| J | 0.018 REF. | | 0.45 REF. | | |

3. Lead Coplanarity should be 0.003 (0.08) maximum.

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