Suspended Substrate Stripline Filters and Multiplexers

 50Ω DC to 40 GHz

The Big Deal

- Low insertion loss
- Ultra-wide passband width
- Fast roll-off with wide stopband
- Good power handling and temperature stability
- Passband up to 40 GHz
- Stopband up to 40 GHz



Product Overview

Mini-Circuits' Suspended Substrate Stripline filters offer low insertion loss by implementing printed circuit board suspended between two parallel ground planes, providing high Q. Low insertion loss combined with wide stopband makes them an excellent choice for wideband instruments and systems like ECM, ECCM, ELINT and ultrabroadband receivers.

Low pass, high pass, band pass, band stop, diplexer and multiplexer designs can be realized with this technology. Advanced filter design and construction can achieve stopband width greater than 6x the center frequency, and temperature stability will be better than other printed circuit realizations because the fields are mainly in the air rather than in a dielectric. The inside walls of the housing hold the circuit and prevent movement that could be caused by vibration or mechanical shock, making these designs excellent candidates for harsh operating environments.

Suspended substrate stripline filters can be realized in small form factors with high-quality, precise machining for applications where size is critical. Excellent repeatability across units is achieved through precise tuning and process control.

Key Features

| Feature | Advantages |
|---------------------------------|--|
| Low insertion loss | Low signal loss results in better SNR in receiver front end and better power delivery to antenna in transmitters |
| Fast roll-off | Higher selectivity results in better adjacent channel rejection and dynamic range |
| Wide stopband | Wide, spur-free stop band results in better receiver sensitivity |
| High power handling | Well suited for transmitter applications |
| Excellent temperature stability | Ensures minimal variation in electrical performance across temperature |

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Low Pass Filter

 50Ω DC to 14000 MHz

ZLSS-14G-S+



Generic photo used for illustration purposes only CASE STYLE: RA2456

Connectors Model

SMA-F ZLSS-14G-S+

Electrical Specifications at 25°C

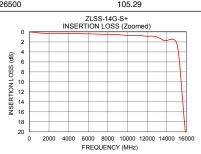
| Parameter | | F# | Frequency (MHz) | Min. | Тур. | Max. | Unit |
|-----------|----------------------|-------|-----------------|------|------|------|------|
| Pass Band | Insertion Loss DC-F1 | | DC-14000 | _ | 2.0 | 3.0 | dB |
| Pass band | VSWR | DC-F1 | DC-14000 | _ | 2.1 | ı | :1 |
| | | F2-F3 | 16500-18000 | 20 | 30 | _ | dB |
| | Insertion Loss | F3-F4 | 18000-19700 | 40 | 50 | _ | dB |
| Stop Band | | F4-F5 | 19700-23000 | 60 | 80 | _ | dB |
| | | F5-F6 | 23000-26500 | _ | 80 | _ | dB |
| | VSWR | | 16500-26500 | _ | 20 | - | :1 |

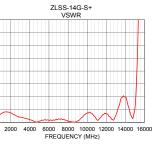
| Maximum Ratings | | | | | |
|----------------------------|-------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Operating Temperature | -40°C to 85°C | | | | |
| Storage Temperature | -55°C to 100°C | | | | |
| RF Power Input at Passband | 7.5W max. at 25°C | | | | |

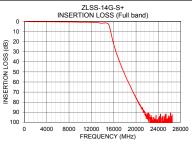
Permanent damage may occur if any of these limits are exceeded.

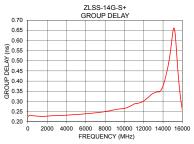
Typical Performance Data at 25°C

| Frequency (MHz) | Insertion Loss (dB) | VSWR (:1) | Frequency (MHz) | Group Delay (nsec) | | | |
|--------------------|------------------------|--------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--|--|--|
| 10 | 0.01 | 1.01 | 10 | 0.22 | | | |
| 100 | 0.01 | 1.04 | 100 | 0.23 | | | |
| 1000 | 0.20 | 1.34 | 250 | 0.23 | | | |
| 4000 | 0.29 | 1.10 | 500 | 0.23 | | | |
| 6000 | 0.37 | 1.08 | 1000 | 0.23 | | | |
| 10000 | 0.70 | 1.36 | 2000 | 0.23 | | | |
| 14000 | 1.70 | 1.99 | 3000 | 0.23 | | | |
| 15000 | 2.23 | 1.56 | 4000 | 0.23 | | | |
| 15100 | 3.05 | 2.12 | 5000 | 0.24 | | | |
| 15500 | 10.92 | 7.77 | 6000 | 0.24 | | | |
| 15900 | 20.44 | 16.61 | 7000 | 0.24 | | | |
| 16500 | 31.58 | 27.21 | 8000 | 0.25 | | | |
| 17000 | 38.89 | 29.28 | 9000 | 0.26 | | | |
| 18000 | 52.77 | 54.20 | 10000 | 0.27 | | | |
| 19000 | 64.48 | 103.93 | 11000 | 0.29 | | | |
| 19700 | 72.47 | 90.74 | 12000 | 0.30 | | | |
| 20000 | 75.54 | 106.84 | 12500 | 0.32 | | | |
| 23000 | 101.93 | 40.97 | 13000 | 0.34 | | | |
| 25000 | 94.34 | 14.27 | 13500 | 0.35 | | | |
| 26500 | 105.29 | 14.74 | 14000 | 0.38 | | | |
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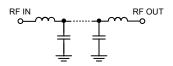
Features

- · Sharp roll-off
- High rejection of 90 dB typ.
- Low passband IL
- · Connectorized package and small size

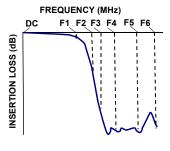
Applications

- · Harmonic rejection
- Transmitters / Receivers
- · Lab use

Functional Schematic



Typical Frequency Response



+RoHS Compliant

The +Suffix identifies RoHS Compliance. See our web site for RoHS Compliance methodologies and qualifications

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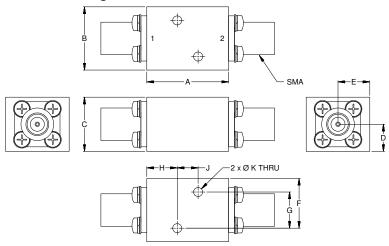
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Coaxial Connections

| PORT - 1 | SMA FEMALE |
|----------|------------|
| PORT - 2 | SMA FEMALE |

Outline Drawing



Outline Dimensions (inch mm)

| Wt. | K | J | Н | G | F | E | D | С | В | Α |
|-------|------|------|------|-------|-------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|
| grams | .100 | .230 | .34 | .400 | .55 | .35 | .30 | .60 | .70 | .90 |
| 55 | 2.54 | 5.84 | 8.51 | 10.16 | 13.97 | 8.89 | 7.62 | 15.24 | 17.78 | 22.86 |

Note: Please refer to case style drawing for details

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